

BOOK 121R

Notes:

on front (very faded): "CA-25" ?? "Book II"

on back: "SECRET" at top and bottom

Blank pages: page opposite page 1, 1-8, 84, 85, 204-300, inside page opposite 300

pages 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 46, 51, 53, 67, 78, 82, 86, 93, 99, 102, 104, 107, 108, 112, 120, 121, 125, 128, 130, 133, 135, 162, & 172 each have one graph taped down

loose graph between pages 244 & 245

Scanned by:

Sheila Finch

RSICC /Oak Ridge National Lab.

May 17, 2001

~~SECRET~~

SOME INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE OF THIS NOTEBOOK

This notebook is assigned to personnel performing research and development work and must be used for all original calculations, notes and abstracts from reports.

Assignee is responsible for the safeguarding of this notebook in accordance with security regulations.

This notebook must be returned to issuing office when completed or upon termination of assignee.

Every page or entry should bear a date and the signature of the person who made the entry.

Entries should be made in ink whenever it is reasonable to do so.

Alteration or amplification of entries made on previous dates should be made as separate entries under their own dates and cross referenced to the previous entries.

Charts, drawings and graphs drawn on special paper should be glued or otherwise securely fastened in place and should individually bear a date and signature. Do not obscure any information.

The notebook should be periodically reviewed by one or more independent persons in the department and should be signed and dated by them. Likewise, they should make a statement that they have "read and understood the foregoing material." Witnessing stamps for this purpose are available in your department's office.

It is advisable to preface each new item, such as a heat treatment, process or reaction, etc., with a very brief description of the purpose, objective or approach.

Description of the invention or discovery should be complete enough to be understood by anyone skilled in the art.

Reference to name or catalogue number should be made when standard items are being discussed, i.e., Westinghouse pump.

In cases where work is conducted in cooperation with others, it is often necessary to meet with them from time to time and discuss new developments. The occurrences of such conferences should always be entered in your notebook regardless of recording elsewhere, giving the date, who was present (if possible), and an outline of the subjects discussed. This often will establish error in occasional claims of other parties that you have appropriated information from them revealed during an interview, and thus provide you with patent protection.

~~SECRET~~

~~SECRET~~

OAK RIDGE NATIONAL LABORATORY

OPERATED BY

UNION CARBIDE NUCLEAR COMPANY

A DIVISION OF UNION CARBIDE AND CARBON CORPORATION

This document consists of 360 pages
No. 4 of 1 copies, Series A

Inv 57

C-15

UCG

POST OFFICE BOX P

OAK RIDGE, TENNESSEE

NOTEBOOK NO. 5054

Assigned to: A. D. Callihan

Department: Applied Nuclear Physics

Location: Bldg. 9213 Y-12

Date: Oct 19, 1955

This notebook is assigned to personnel performing research and development work and must be used for all original calculations, notes and abstracts from reports.

Assignee is responsible for the safe-guarding of this notebook in accordance with security regulations.

69
AUG

Do not use scrap paper.

Be sure to record all personal conferences.

This notebook must be returned to Laboratory Records-Bldg. 4500 when completed or upon termination of assignee.

Subject

Page

300 pages.

CLASSIFICATION	CANONICAL
DATE	<u>6/3/60</u>
For the Atomic Energy Commission	
<u>Jack H. Kahan</u> for the	
Enter, Declassification Branch	

This document consists of 300 pages.
of 1 copies, Series A

DATA
ed data as
of 1954.
its
authorized

Continued from page 159, APPR Notebook #2 (#5055)

Expr. 1-9-9 Time 9:45^{AM} Date 1-9 1956
 Purpose Zero check
 Personnel:

INSTRUMENT CHECK

Date 1956 Time AM PM Source No.
 Trip
 Instrument Value Serial Source Distance Start-Up Scale

DC-1				
DC-2				
DC-3	✓	80	10V20	3"
Log N	✓		1200	
R-1	✓	48	.85/000	1"
R-2			X100	
P. M.	✓		800V	1"

Log calibration - 0.055

START-UP CHECKLIST

Equipment Checked by JL+MB
 Instrument
 Source In RJ
 Emergencies MB
 Red Light
 Start-Up OK'd by RJ MB 9:45^{AM} Date 1-9 1956

Loading -

slot	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
series	1	13	2	B	4	6	5	12	B	7	9			B	14	8	2	10
material	f	f	f	B	f	f	f ₂	f	B	f	f			f	B	f	f	f

box 23	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Series 11	13	14	15	B	17	18	5 ₂₃	19	B	21	25	27	23	B	28	29	30	31
box 16	33	1	2	B	3	4	5 ₁₆	5	B	6	7	8	16	B	(75)	10	11	12

	slot 12	slot 13	slot 12	slot 13		slot 12	slot 13
1	1-9*	1-16A	16 11-8	11-16	34	15-4	14-23
2	4-2	2-16	17 15-17	3-23	32	5	11-32
3	6-32	3-16	18 15-18	4-23	35	6	1-17*
4	6-40	4-16	19 1-19	5-23	34	7	11-34
5	1-11	6-16	20 ¹⁻¹⁶ H-961	11-20	35	8	11-35
6	2-12	7-16	21 ⁴⁻²⁰ H-20	7-23	36	5.5	11-36
7	#259	8-16	22 11-27	11-22	37	A-506	11-37
8	511	9-16	23 ^{#328} H-27	11-23	38	4-27*	11-31
9	15-9	10-16	24 ^{H-959} H-959	11-24	39	A-505	11-39
10	512	12-16	25 ⁵⁻⁴¹ 5-41	8-23	40	515	11-40
11	5-11	13-16	26 ^{#A-264} #A-264	11-26	41	4-3	512
12	15-12	14-16	27 ¹⁵⁻¹ 15-1	9-23	42	1-15	11-42
13	-13	15-16	28 ¹⁰⁻²³ 10-23	10-23	43	7-3	617
14	-14	1-23	29 15-2	12-23	44	15-10	11-44
15	-15	2-23	30 15-3	13-23	45	4-9	618

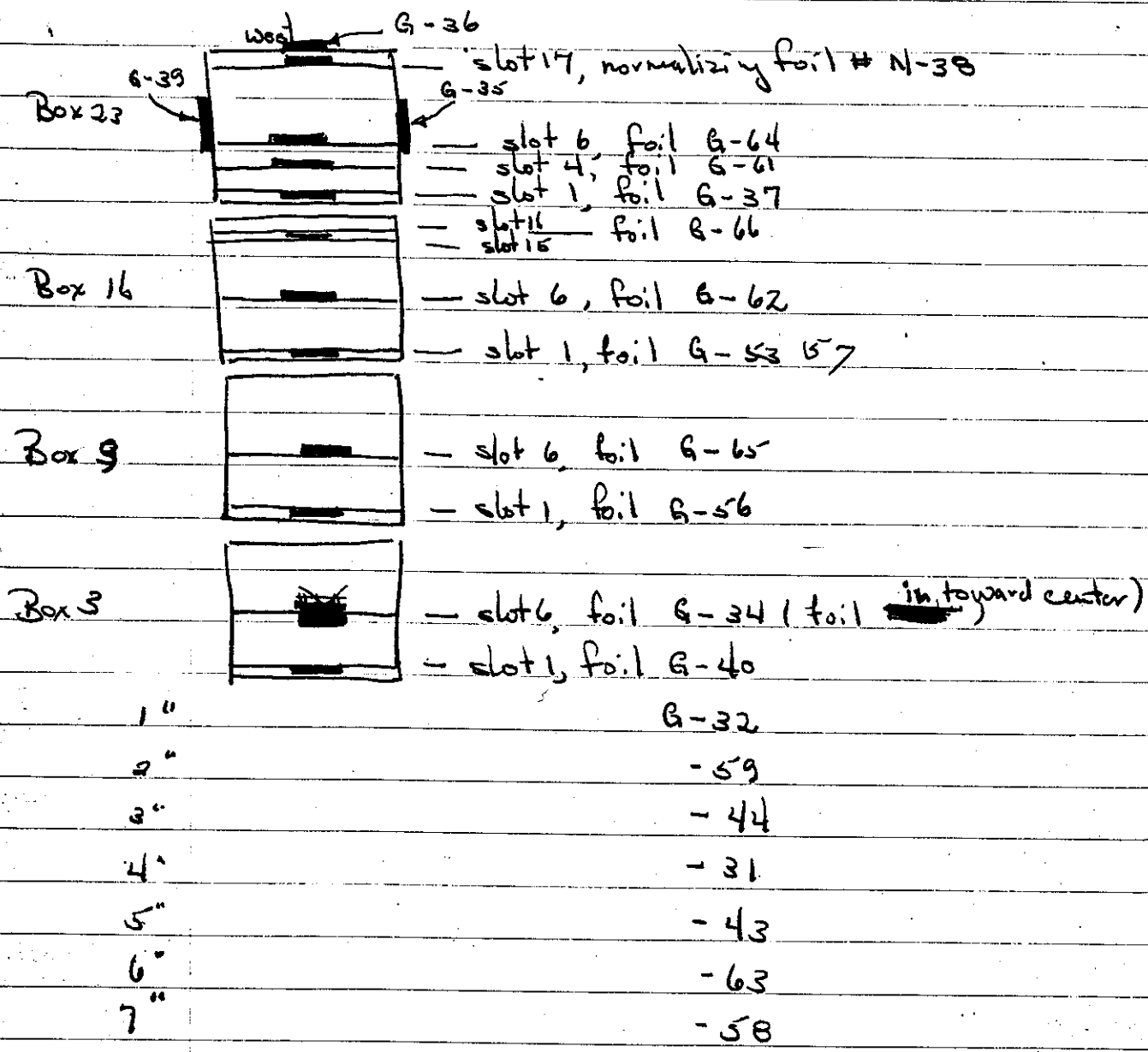
Reactor super critical by about 3% (4000 superperiod)
 - Rod + blade in, water up, source out. $\log N = 0.2$

Will pull out full fuel plate for foil exposure.

Log N recorder is not standardizing itself properly. Must be done manually. After doing this, log N calibrated with source at 0.07. (Difference may be due to higher background and/or standardization)

Expt. 19-20 Time 11:30 ^{AM} PM Date 1-9 1956
 Purpose Bare gold flux distribution in reflector with Jaron - also fine structure in
 Personnel:

START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by MB Personnel Check by SL
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by RJ
 "Source In" Checked RJ Source No.
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by MB
 Red Light On by JL
 Start-Up OK'd by RJ Time 11:30 ^{AM} PM Date 1-9 1956



Fuel loading - same as ¹⁹⁻⁹~~18-19~~ except fuel plate 4-27⁸
replaced by S.S. in slot 12, box 38.

Top End boxes off.

Ke final power at 11:45:40.

Run conditions.

Rod	12.8	DC-2	83 (10x10)
Blade	8.42	R-1	—
Water	109.2	LoFN	2.0

No water temperature because of no ice.

20 minute exposure.

Expr. 19-11 Time 3:10 ^{AM} Date 9 Jan 1956
 Purpose cd Coured Au Flux + fine structure
 Personnel: JL, RS

START UP CHECK LIST

Equipment Checked by JL Check by RS
 Instrument
 Source Int'l RS
 Emergency Eq RS
 Red Light On by JL
 Start-Up OK'd by RS Time 3:10 ^{AM} Date 9 Jan 1956

Loading: Same as 9-11

Foil Positions	→ NORTH	Box	SLOT	SIDE	FOIL
<u>6</u> F-33	BOX 30	23	ONBOX	SOUTH	F-31 cd
<u>17</u> N-31		23	"	NORTH	F-49 cd
<u>6</u> F-32	Box 23	23	17	OUT	N-31 REF
<u>1</u> F-36		23	6	IN	F-32 cd
<u>16</u> F-39	Box 16	23	1	OUT	F-36 cd
<u>15</u> F-42		16	15-16	BETWEEN	F-39 cd
<u>1</u> F-45		16	1	OUT	F-42 cd
<u>1</u> F-48	Box 9	9	1	OUT	F-45 cd
<u>1</u> F-45		3	1	OUT	F-34 cd
<u>1</u> F-34		NORM 30	6	OUT	F-53 REF
<u>2</u> F-40	Box 3	REF	2		F-40 cd
<u>4</u> F-58			4		F-58 cd
<u>6</u> F-48			6		F-48 cd

WATER HT 109. WATER TEMP

LOG N 2 DC-3 83 (10X10)

BLADE POSITION 7.4 ROD POSITION 29.02

TIME RUN STARTED 3:31:22 PM

" " STOPPED 3:51:22

id

1968

DATE

cd

cd

cd

cd

id

id

DATE

d

id

id

Expr. 19-12 Time 11:00 ^{AM} PM Date 1-10 1956
 Purpose Fluor run with boron - Cd covered
Gold - part II
 Personnel: _____

INSTRUMENT CHECK

Date F10 1956 Time 11:06 ^{AM} PM Source No. _____
 Trip _____
 Instrument Value Scale Course Distance Start-Up Scale
 DC-1 _____
 DC-2 _____
 DC-3 80 10x20
 LPS 125u
 R-1 5 8x1000 2'
 R-2 X/100
 P. M. contact

START-UP CHECK LIST

Equipment Checked by DWm Personnel Check by DWm
 Instrument and Parts _____
 Source In _____
 Emergency _____
 Red Light On by DWm Alarm Checked by DWm
 Start-Up OK'd by MB Time 1:20 AM Date JAN 10 1956

loading: Same as 19-11.

FDIL POSITIONS

Box 23	OUTSIDE (west)	Near Box 30.	F-52	Cd Covered
Box 23	Slot 4	(Boron Plate)	F-47	" "
Box 23	Slot 17	(11-30)	N-36	Bare
Box 30	Slot 6.	(6-30)	F-41	"
"	16	" 6 (11-4)	F-51	Cd Covered
89		6 (6-9)	F-57	" "
83		6 (6-3)	F-37	" "
X Reflector	1"		F-50	
	3"		F-38	
	5"		F-33	
	7"		F-44	

11:42:31" Start Fil Run

12:03:31" Scram (21' Run)

Water Ht	109.5	DC-3	Set.
Temp	68.5	R-1	Off Scale
Log N	77	DC-2	x1x100
Cont. Rod	29.02"		
Cont. Blade	10.14"		

UO₂F₂ Solution Analysis

Anal. Chem. Reg # 984626 →

for APPR high U density

homogeneous Fuel Element

0.17432 g U/gm

9322

weight has 36037

628 gm U

14.5 x 33.4 = 484.3 g U loading of APPR Crit Exp

∴ 484.3 x .9312 = 451.0 g U-235

0.17432 x .9322 = 0.16250 g U-235/gm soln

Required solution to equal 14½ Crit Exp loading

$$\therefore \frac{451.0}{0.16250} = 2775.4 \text{ g soln}$$
DWM
JVPW

OHAUS

Wt of Fuel Element (Empty)	5248	g
	<u>8022</u>	
	2774	

Solution Bottle

Gross Wt with Top	5561	g
Net Wt with Top	<u>2785</u>	
	2776	

weight of U-235

$$0.1625 \times 2772.53 = 450.54$$

Kohlmann

Beaker Tar wt 316.6

Wet tare	443.78	
Graduate tare	443.30	
#1 gross	<u>1038.63</u>	
vol 476cc	595.33	594.85
#2 gross	<u>1030.90</u>	
vol 470cc	587.60	587.12
#3 gross	<u>1032.16</u>	
vol 472	588.86	588.38
#4 gross	<u>1028.51</u>	
vol 469	585.21	584.73
1887	<u>2357.00</u>	
Sp grav = 1.249		2775.4
		<u>2357.0</u>
		418.4 g needed
#5 gross	<u>861.23</u>	or 335cc
vol 335	417.93	417.45
	<u>2774.93</u>	2772.53

Expr. 20-1 Time 9:15 ^{AM} PM Date 1-11 1956
 Purpose Zero run - Homogeneous element
in boron loaded core.
 Personnel: _____

INSTRUMENT CHECK

Date _____ 1956 Time _____ AM
 Trip _____ PM Source No. _____

Instrument	Volts	Scale	Source	Distance	Start-Up Scale
DC-1					
DC-2					
DC-3	✓	80	80VLS		
Lug N	✓		1200		
R-1	✓	400	By 1000		
R-2			x100		
P. M.	✓		800V		

START-UP CHECK LIST

Equipment Checked by DM Personnel Check by DM
 Instrument and Safeties checked and reset by MB & DM
 "Source In" Checked by DM Source No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by MB
 Red Light On by MB
 Start-Up OK'd by DM Time 9:25 ^{AM} PM Date 1-11 1956

Loading:

slot	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	
			13	3	"B"	4	6	5	12	"B"	7	9			"B"	14	8	2	10
	f	f	f	B	f	f	f	f	B	f	f			f	B	f	f	f	f

for boxes 23 & 16 see page 10

All boron in box 23 replaced by s.s.

	slot 12	slot 13		slot 12	slot 13		slot 12	slot 13	
✓ 1	1-9x	1-16A	16	11-8	11-16	31	15-4	14-23	
2	4-2	2-16	17	15-17	3-23	32	S.S.	11-32	
✓ 3	6-32	3-16	18	S.S.	4-23	33	15-6	1-12x	
4	6-40	4-16	19	1-19	6-23	34	-7	11-34	
✓ 5	1-11	6-16	20	✓ 1-16	11-20	35	-8	11-35	
6	2-12	7-16	21	✓ 505	7-23	36	S.S.	11-36	
7	#259	8-16	22	4-20	11-22	37	✓ 510	11-37	
8	S.S.	9-16	23	11-27	-23	38	S.S.	11-31	
9	✓ 15-9	10-16	24	#378	-24	39	S.S.	11-39	
10	S.S.	12-16	25	✓ 506	8-23	40	15-1	-40	
11	15-11	13-16	26	3-41	11-26	41	✓ 15-5	-41	
12	✓ -12	14-16	27	A-264	9-23	42	1-15	-42	
13	-13	15-16	28	S.S.	10-23	43	✓ 15-14	-43	
14	S.S.	1-23	29	15-2	12-23	44	15-10	-44	
141718	15	-15	2-23	30	✓ 15-3	13-23	45	✓ 15-18	-45

8.210

f.f.f

Reactor too reactive - critical conditions
water height 87.5 cm.

blade in, rod out

log N 0.15

R-1 3.1 (100 x 100v)

Expr. 20-2 Time 10:00 ^{AM} PM Date 1-11 1956
 Purpose 2 yrs run.
 Personnel:

INSTRUMENT CHECK

Date 1956 Time _____ AM _____ PM Source No. _____
 Trip Value _____ Scale _____ Source Distance _____ Start-Up Scale _____
 Instrument _____
 DC-1 _____
 DC-2 _____
 DC-3 _____
 Log N _____
 R-1 _____
 R-2 _____
 P. M. _____

START-UP CHECK LIST

Equipment Checked by MB Personnel Check by DM
 Instrument and S.A. Meter Checked and Reset by DM
 "Source In" Checked by DM
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room by MB
 Red Light On by MB
 Start-Up OK'd by DM Time 10:20 PM Date 1-11 1956

Locating: same as 20-1 except for the following exchanges in slot 12.

	now in box	instead of
15-1	18	S.S.
15-12	32	SS.
2-12	14	S.S.
1-16	28	S.S.
S.S.	6	2-12
"	12	15-12
"	20	1-11
"	22	4-20
"	24	# 328
"	26	311
"	34	15-7
"	40	15-1

Loading change from 20-1 is four full fuel plates

Still too reactive. - critical conditions:

Water height = 38.1 cm.

R-1 6 (50 x 1000)

Log N 0.13

↓

Expt. <u>20-3</u>	Time <u>10:25</u> ^(AM)	Date <u>1-11</u>	195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Zevs run.</u>			
Personnel: _____			

START-UP CHECK LIST	
Equipment Checked by <u>DM</u>	Personnel Check by <u>DM</u>
Instrument and Safety Checked and Reset by _____	<u>DM</u>
"Source In" Checked by <u>DM</u>	_____
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by _____	<u>MB</u>
Red Light On by <u>MB</u>	_____
Start Up OK'd by <u>DM</u>	Time <u>10:25</u> ^(AM) Date <u>1-11</u> 195 <u>6</u>

Loading same as 20-1 except s.s. is now in the following boxes instead of Pul (slot 12)

3, 6, 12, ~~18~~ 20, 26, 34, 40, 43, 22, 24
 (there now are a total of ~~18~~ 10 s.s. plates in the ~~reactor~~ slot 12)

still to be reactive:

water 90.5'

log N 0.2

R-1 4.5 (100 x 1000)

Rod out, blade in, source out.

Expr. <u>20-4</u>	Time <u>10:55</u> ^(AM)	Date <u>1-11</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Zero run.</u>		
Personnel: _____		

START-UP CHECK LIST		
Equipment Checked by <u>DM</u>	Personnel Check by <u>MB</u>	
Instrument and Settings Checked and Reset by <u>DM</u>		
"Source In" Checked by <u>DM</u>	Source No. _____	
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>MB</u>		
Red Light On by <u>MB</u>	AM _____	
Start-Up OK'd by <u>DM</u>	Time _____	PM Date _____ 195 _____

Loading - same as 20-1 except s.s is now in slot 12 of the following boxes:

1, 3, 5, 12, 16, 20, 26, 30, 34, 40, 41, 43, 45, 22, 24, 6
(there now is a complete checker board of ~~24~~ s.s. plates in slot 12.)

Critical at water height of 95.6 cm. (Log N = 0.15)
Incented rod: critical water height 99.0 cm.
Blade in.

Water temp: 71°F.

Expr. <u>20-5</u>	Time <u>11:25</u> ^(AM)	Date <u>1-11</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Zero Run.</u>		
Personnel: _____		

START-UP CHECK LIST		
Equipment Checked by <u>MB</u>	Personnel Check by <u>DM</u>	
Instrument and Settings checked by _____	<u>DM</u>	
"Source In" Checked by <u>DM</u>	_____	
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>MB</u>	_____	
Red Light On by <u>MB</u>	_____	
Start-Up OK'd by <u>DM</u>	Time <u>11:25</u> ^(AM)	Date <u>1-11</u> 195 <u>6</u>

Loculing - same as 20-4 except s.s. is now in slot 12 in the following boxes:

9, 21, 25, 37.

(now a total of 28 s.s. plates in ~~slot 12~~ slot 12)

Water Ht	109.5	Sub Critical	1000 - 900 sec
Blade	Out.		period.
Rod	29.02		

Expt. <u>20-6</u>	Time <u>12⁴⁰</u> PM	Date <u>JAN 11</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Zero Run</u>		
<u>3 Boron Removed from 23</u>		
Personnel: <u>Dwgn MB</u>		

START-UP CHECK LIST		
Equipment Checked by <u>MB</u>	Personnel Check by <u>Dwgn</u>	
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by <u>MB</u>		
"Source in" Checked by <u>MB</u>	Name No. _____	
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>Dwgn</u>		
Red Light On by <u>MB</u>		
Start-Up OK'd by <u>MB</u>	Time <u>12⁴⁰</u> PM	Date <u>JAN 11</u> 195 <u>6</u>

loading: Ep(20-4) + 11959 in Box 9 Slot 12.

^{sub}
 Total plates ~~14 x 45 = 75~~ ~~630~~ ~~14~~ ~~9~~
⁴⁶
 half plates ~~46~~ ~~23~~ ~~23~~ Total
 Total = ~~630~~ ~~115~~ ~~196~~ kg

see

Subcritical Period > 400 T = 73.5° F

Expt. <u>20-7</u>	Time <u>13¹⁵</u>	Date <u>JAN 11 1956</u>
Purpose <u>Zero RUN</u>		
<u>3 - BORON REMOVED FROM</u>		
<u>2.3</u>		
Personnel:		

START-UP CHECK-LIST	
Equipment Checked by <u>MB</u>	Personnel Check by <u>DWM</u>
Instrument and Station Checked and Ready by <u>MB</u>	
"Source In" Checked by <u>MD</u>	
Emergency Equipment in Control Room checked by <u>DWM</u>	
Red Light On by <u>DWM</u>	
Start-Up OK'd by <u>MB</u>	Time <u>13¹⁵</u> # PM Date <u>JAN 11 1956</u>

LOADING : Exp 20-6 plus H-95B in Box 37 Slot 12
~~6000~~ Plates → -28

Water Kt 109.5 Log N ~ 1
 " Temp 73 °F (-400 sec)
 Rm Temp ~76.5 Subcritical
 Blade 28.30
 Rod 29.02

SUB CRITICAL

Expr. 20-8 Time 1335 ^{PM} Date JAN 11 1956
 Purpose ZERO RUN
3 BARON REMOVED
FROM 23
 Personnel: AWM MB

START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by AWM Personal Check by AWM
 Instrument and Station Checked as Listed by AWM
 "Source In" Checked by MB Source No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by AWM
 Red Light On by ✓ _____ AM
 Start-Up OK'd by MB Time 1335 ^{PM} Date JAN 11 1956

12

LOADING: EXP 20-7 PLUS H-951 Box 21 Slot 12
 H-961 Box 25 Slot 12
~~6342~~ ⁴⁸⁵ plates in Cors.

CRITICAL CONDITIONS:

Control Blade	16.09	Log N	0.19
" Rod	29.02	R-1	5.9 x 100 x 1000
Water Height	109.7 cm	DC-3	75.5 x 10 x 20
" Temp (16)	73		
Room Temp (14)	76		

TIME BLADE POSITION

13:46	1 ⁴⁰ PM	16.09	6"	Before
15:30	3 ³⁰ PM	28.30	-1.45"	After

1-12-56
 after finding error in loading: this error in loading amounts to 4.33" using runs 20-16 & 20-13 together with the c.c.c. blade calibration curve & the factor $\frac{1.01}{1.076}$. (see pg 48)
 ∴ zero drift is closer to 3.1"

Expt. <u>20-9</u>	Time <u>13⁵³AM</u>	Date <u>JAN 11 1956</u>
Purpose <u>HOMOGENEOUS ELEMENT</u>		
Personnel: <u>DWM</u> <u>MB</u>		

START-UP CHECK LIST	
Equipment Checked by <u>DWM</u>	Personnel Check by <u>DWM</u>
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by <u>MB</u>	
"Source In" Checked by <u>MB</u>	Source No. _____
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>DWM</u>	
Red Light On by <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Start-Up OK'd by <u>MB</u>	Time <u>13⁵³AM</u> Date <u>JAN 11 1956</u>

LOADING: SUBSTITUTED HOMOGENEOUS
ELEMENT FOR Box 23.

CRITICAL COND.

BLADE	0-01	Log N	.12
ROD	29.02	R-1	5.7 x 50 x 1000
WATER HT.	891.0	DC-3	47 x 10 x 10
Temp	73		

Expt. <u>20-10</u>	Thru <u>2227</u>	Date <u>1-11</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Homogeneous element in box</u>		
<u>23.</u>		
Personnel: _____		

START-UP CHECK LIST		
Equipment Checked by <u>DM</u>	Personnel Check by <u>MB</u>	
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by <u>DM</u>		
"Source In" Checked by <u>DM</u>	Source No. _____	
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>MB</u>		
Red Light On by <u>MB</u>		
Start-Up OK'd by <u>DM</u>	Time <u>2:27</u> ^{AM} _{PM}	Date <u>1-11</u> 195 <u>6</u>

Loading - same as 20-9 except for the following substitutions: in all cases s.s. is inserted into slot 12 in place of fuel.

box fuel removed.

9	H-959
15	15-15
17	15-17
21	H-951
25	H-961
29	15-2
31	15-4
37	H-958

Reactor sub-critical
Blues + Rod out, water up
temp. 73°

Expt. <u>20-11</u>	Time <u>2:45</u> ^{PM}	Date <u>1-11</u>	195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Homogenize box 1523</u>			
Personnel: _____			

START-UP CHECK LIST			
Equipment Checked by <u>DM</u>	Personnel Check by <u>MB</u>		
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by <u>DM</u>			
"Source In" Checked by <u>DM</u>	Source No. _____		
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>MB</u>			
Red Light On by <u>MB</u>			
Start-Up OK'd by <u>DM</u>	Time <u>2:45</u> ^{AM}	Date <u>1-11</u>	195 <u>6</u>

Loading - same as 20-9 except: s.s. inserted into the following boxes in slot 12

box	fuel removed
15	15-15
17	15-17
29	15-2
31	15-4

Critical conditions -

Log N	0.2	Water	106.4
DC-3	76 (10x20)	Blank	14.5 55
R-1	5.5 (100x100)	Rod	29.02
		Temp	72.5

Est time Out - 3¹⁰ PM

Note: In this Run Half Fuel Plate H-951 was in slot 12 Box 20 rather than in slot 12 Box 21 as in Exp. # 20-9.

W.H.J. 12 Jan 1956

Expr. <u>20-12</u>	Time <u>3:15</u> ^{AM} PM	Date <u>1-11</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Pa. run zero</u>		
Personnel: _____		

START-UP CHECK LIST	
Equipment Checked by <u>DM</u>	Personnel Check by <u>MB</u>
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Resct by <u>DM</u>	
"Source In" Checked by <u>DM</u>	Source No. _____
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>MB</u>	
Red Light On by <u>MB</u>	
Start Up OK'd by <u>DM</u>	Time <u>3:15</u> ^{AM} PM Date <u>1-11</u> 195 <u>6</u>

Loading - same as 20-8

Not quite critical -

Height 109.4

Temp. 72.5 Rm. Temp. 74.

Log N ~~0.10~~ ~ 0.10 (max 1.3)

DC-3 70 (10x10)

R-1 3.5 (100x100)

~~Red~~ 28.30

Red 29.02

Source out.

Negative period taken to measure the reactivity of the reactor

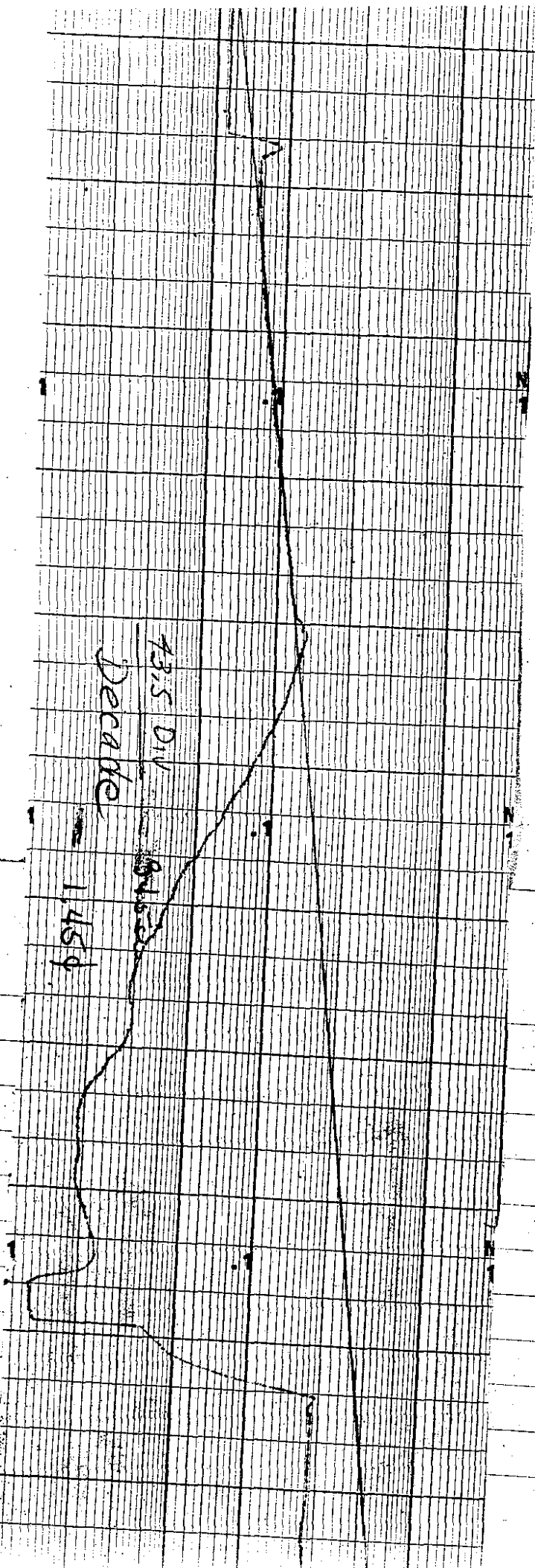
Time 3:50

Period measured on Log N was 43.5 div. = 945 sec
or 1.45 β .

34

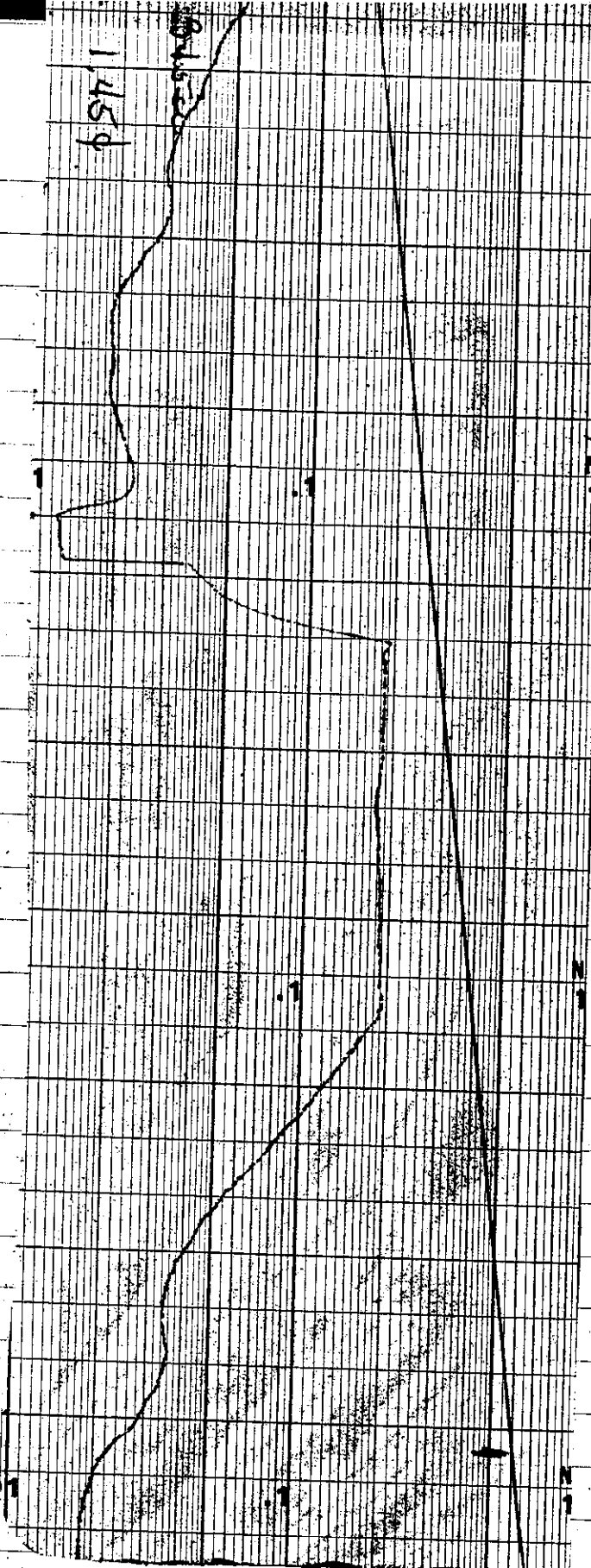
43.5 DIV
Decade

1.459



1.45 p

1.45 p



Expt. 20-13 Time 8:50 AM Date 1-12 1956
 Purpose Zero Run for evaluation of axial fuel.
 Personnel: MB, JK, URS

INSTRUMENT CHECK

Date	195	Time	AM	PM	Source No.
Instrument	Trip	Value	Scale	Source Distance	Start-Up Scale
DC-1					
DC-2					
DC-3	-	80	100 x 20		
Log N	-		125m		
R-1	-	6.7	1000 x		
R-2			100		
P. M.	✓		806v		

Log calibration - 0.073

START-UP CHECK-LIST

Equipment Checked by MB Personnel Check by RJ
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by MB
 Source Int. Checked by MB Source No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by RJ
 Red Light On by RJ
 Start-Up OK'd by MB Time 8:55 ^{AM} PM Date 12 Jan 1956

Loading: Same as 20-8, except that Full Fuel plates were added to 5 Boxes in slot 12, replacing stainless steel.

Slot 12 Box	Fuel Plate #
1	1-11
3	15-8
5	15-5
20	15-3
26	11-8

This fuel was added in order to make the assembly critical with the Control Blade full in, prior to

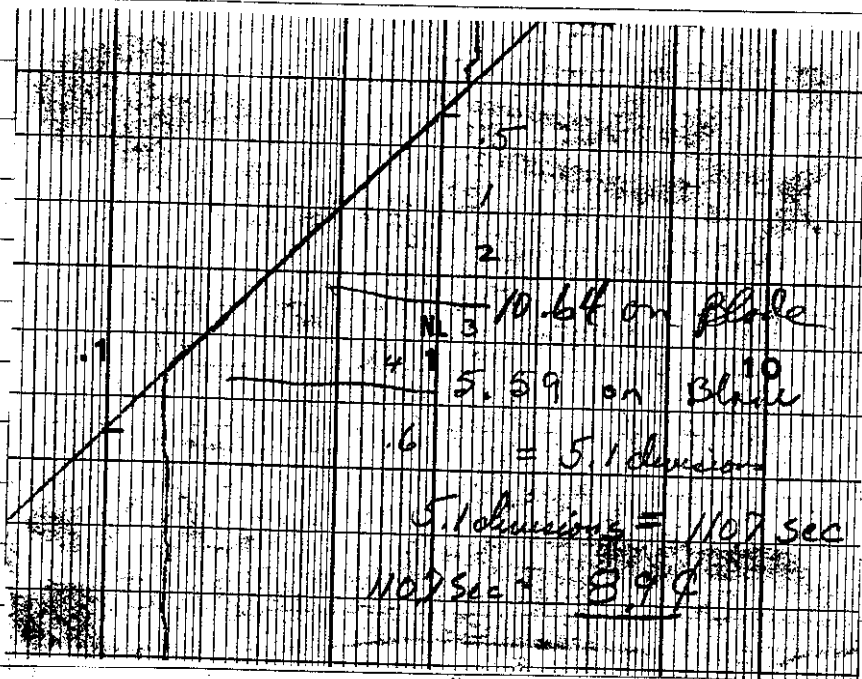
making a fuel evaluation of those plates removed to compensate for the addition of the Homogeneous Element (Exp. 20-11).

Critical Conditions:

Log N - .16	Control Blade 5.59
DC-3 - 65x20x10	Control Rod 29.02
R-1 - 4.5x100x1000	Water Ht. 109.6
Water Temp - 74°	

Blade Pulled to 10.64 to measure a positive period for Blade Calibration point.

The Blade From 5.59 to 10.64 was worth 8.9¢.



Expr. <u>20-14</u>	Time <u>9:40</u> ^{AM} PM	Date <u>12 Jan 1956</u>
Purpose <u>Fuel evaluation - of Plate 15-17</u>		
Personnel: <u>MB WRS</u>		

START-UP CHECK LIST		
Equipment Checked by <u>MB</u>	Personnel Check by <u>MB</u>	
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by <u>MB</u>		
Source In Checked by <u>MB</u>	Source No. _____	
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>RS</u>		
Red Light On by <u>RJ</u>		
Start-Up OK'd by <u>MB</u>	Time <u>9:40</u> ^{AM} PM Date <u>12 Jan 1956</u>	

Loading: Same as 20-13, except plate 15-17 was pulled from slot 12 - Box 17 for evaluation.

Critical Conditions:

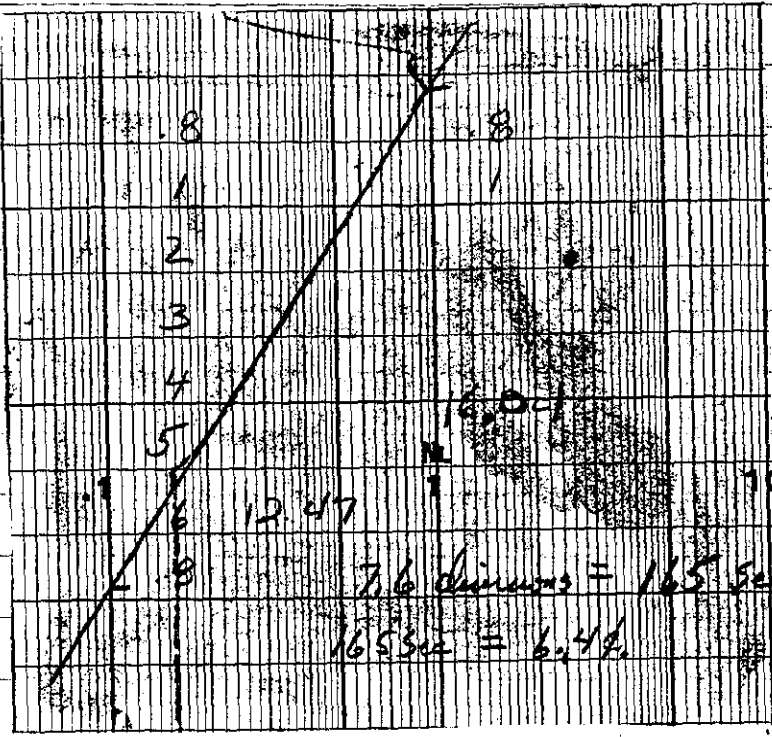
Log N	.16	Control Blade	12.47
DC-3	65.110.120	Control Rod	29.02
R-1	4.6 1100.1600	Water Ht.	109.6
Water Temp	74°		

Fuel Plate 15-17, Slot 12 Box 17. is worth from 5.59 to 12.47 on the Control Blade

The blade was pulled from 12.47 to 16.04 to get another calibration point.

The blade from 12.47 to 16.04 was worth 6.47.

(Curve on next page)



Expr. <u>20-15</u>	Time <u>10:10</u> ^{PM}	Date <u>12 Jan 1956</u>
Purpose: <u>Fuel Evaluation - of Plate 15-4</u>		
<u>Box 31 slot 12.</u>		
Personnel: <u>MB WRS JL</u>		

START-UP CHECK LIST		
Equipment Checked by <u>MB</u>	Personnel Check by <u>MB</u>	
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by <u>MB</u>		
'Source-In' Checked by <u>MB</u>	Source No. <u></u>	
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>RS</u>		
Red Light On by <u>RS</u>	Time <u>10:10</u> ^{PM}	Date <u>12 Jan 1956</u>
Start-Up OK'd by <u>MB</u>	Time <u></u>	Date <u>12 Jan 1956</u>

Loading: Same as 20-13, except that plate 15-4 was pulled from slot 12 - Box 31 for evaluation.

Critical Conditions:

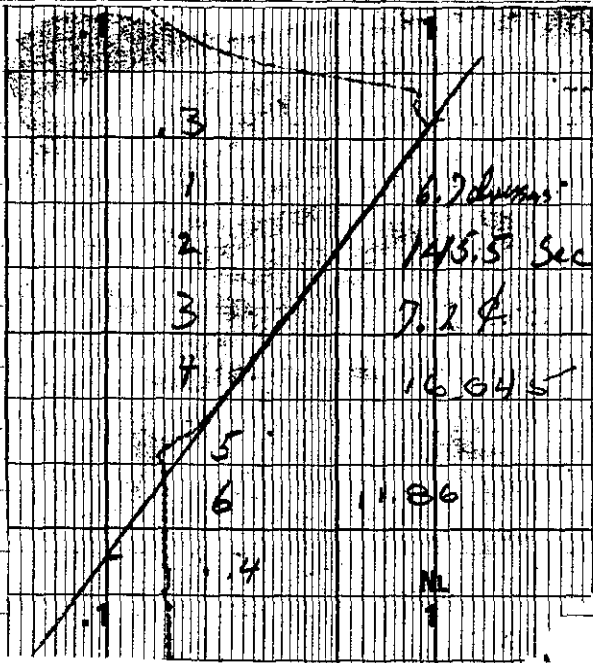
Log N	.155	Control Blade	11.86
DC-3	6.5 x 10 x 20	Control Rod	29.02
R-1	4.5 x 100 x 1000	Water Ht	109.5
Water Temp	74°		

Fuel Plate 15-4, Slot 12, Box 31 is worth from 5.59 to 11.86 on the Control Blade.

~~Blade~~

The control Blade is pulled from 11.86 to 16.04 to get another point on the control Blade Curve.

The Blade from 11.87 to 16.04 is worth 7.24
(Curve on Next Page)



Expr. <u>20-16</u>	Time <u>10:30</u> ^(AM) PM	Date <u>12 Jan</u> 1956
Purpose <u>Zero for evaluation of $\frac{1}{2}$ plate</u>		
<u>moved from Box 21 slot 12 to Box 20, Slot 12</u>		
Personnel: <u>MB RS</u>		

START-UP CHECK LIST	
Equipment Checked by <u>MB</u>	Personnel Check by <u>MB</u>
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by <u>RS</u>	
Source In. Checked by <u>MB</u>	Source No. _____
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>RS</u>	
Red light On by <u>RS</u>	
Start-Up OK'd by <u>MB</u>	Time <u>10:30</u> ^(AM) PM Date <u>12 Jan</u> 1956

Loading: Same as 20-13, except fuel plate 15-3 was moved to Slot 12 Box 43, instead from Box 20 Slot 12.

Critical Conditions

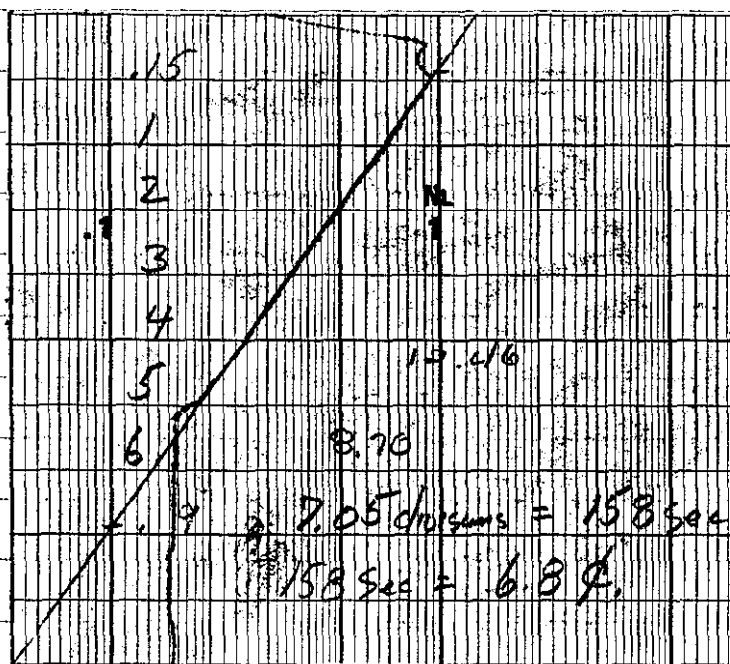
Log N	.15	Control Blade	8.70
DC3	6.6 X 10 X 20	Control Rod	29.02
R-1	4.5 X 10 X 1000	Water Ht.	109.4
Water temp,	74°		

The purpose of this run and the next is to evaluate the shifting of a $\frac{1}{2}$ fuel plate from Box 21 to Box 20 in slot 12.

In Exp 20-8 Box 21 slot 12 had a $\frac{1}{2}$ plate, Box 20 slot 12 had a steel. Through an error, in the Homogeneous element evaluation run Box 20 slot 12 had the $\frac{1}{2}$ plate, and Box 21 slot 12 had steel. This interchange should have the effect of making the reactor less reactive.

The Control Block was pulled from 8.70 to 12.47 for another calibration point.

The Block from 8.70 to 12.47 is worth 6.8¢



Expr. <u>20-17</u>	Time <u>10:55</u> ^(A3) PM	Date <u>12 Jan 1956</u>
Purpose <u>Evaluation of $\frac{1}{2}$ plate shift from</u> <u>Box 20, to Box 21, Slot 12</u>		
Personnel: <u>MB</u>		

START-UP CHECK LIST	
Equipment Checked by <u>MB</u>	Personnel Check by <u>MB</u>
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by <u>MB</u>	
"Source In" Checked by <u>MB</u>	Source No. <u>RS</u>
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>RS</u>	
Red Light On by <u>RJ</u>	
Start-Up OK'd by <u>MB</u>	Time <u>10:55</u> ^(A3) PM Date <u>12 Jan 1956</u>

Loading: Same as 20-16 except that fuel $\frac{1}{2}$ plate
H 951 was shifted from Box 21 to Box 20
slot 12

Critical Conditions

Log N .155	Control Blade 10.70
DC-3 6.5 X 10 X 20	Control Rod 29.02
R.-1 4.45 X 100 X 1000	Water Ht. 109.9
Water Temp 74°	

The interchang- of the $\frac{1}{2}$ plate between Box 20 + 21
~~to~~ Slot 12 was worth from 8.20 to 10.70

Expr.	20-18	Time	11.25	Date	12 Jan 1956
Purpose	Recheck zero of 20-13				
Personnel:	MB RS				

Equipment Checked by	MB	Checked by	MB		
Instrument used	MB		MB		
Source in use	MB				
Emergency No.		Checker	RS		
Red Light On by	RS				
Start-Up OK'd by	MB	Time	11.25	Date	12 Jan 1956

Loading: Same as 20-13.

Note - mistake was found in this loading - plate 15-4 was in box 32 instead of 31. This is therefore not a zero check.

Critical Conditions.

Log N 16.77

Control Blade 9.98

DC-3 6.5 x 10 x 20

Control Rod 29.02

R.1 4.5 x 100 x 1000

Water Ht 109.6

Water Temp 74°

We will assume the zero Rus not shifted since the difference of blade in this run & 20-13 can easily be explained by the mistake in loading. (This mistake was made between runs 15 & 16 but will not effect runs 16 & 17.)

Expr. 20-19 Time 1:40 ^{AM} _{PM} Date 1-12 1956
 Purpose Zero point with boron removed
from box 37
 Personnel: _____

START-UP CHECK LIST

Equipment Checked by RS+MB Personnel Check by RJ
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by RJ
 "Source in" Checked by RJ Source No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by MIS
 Red Light On by MIS
 Start-Up OK'd by RJ Time 1:40 ^{AM} _{PM} Date 1-12 1956

Loading - exactly the same as 20-2 (page 22) except
 boron removed from box 37 instead of box 23.
 (There are a total of 12 ss. in slot 12)

Critical Conditions

logN	0.17	Blade	0.00
DC-3	64 (10x20)	Rod	17.49
R-1	47 (100x1000)	Water height	109.4 cm
Temp	74°F		

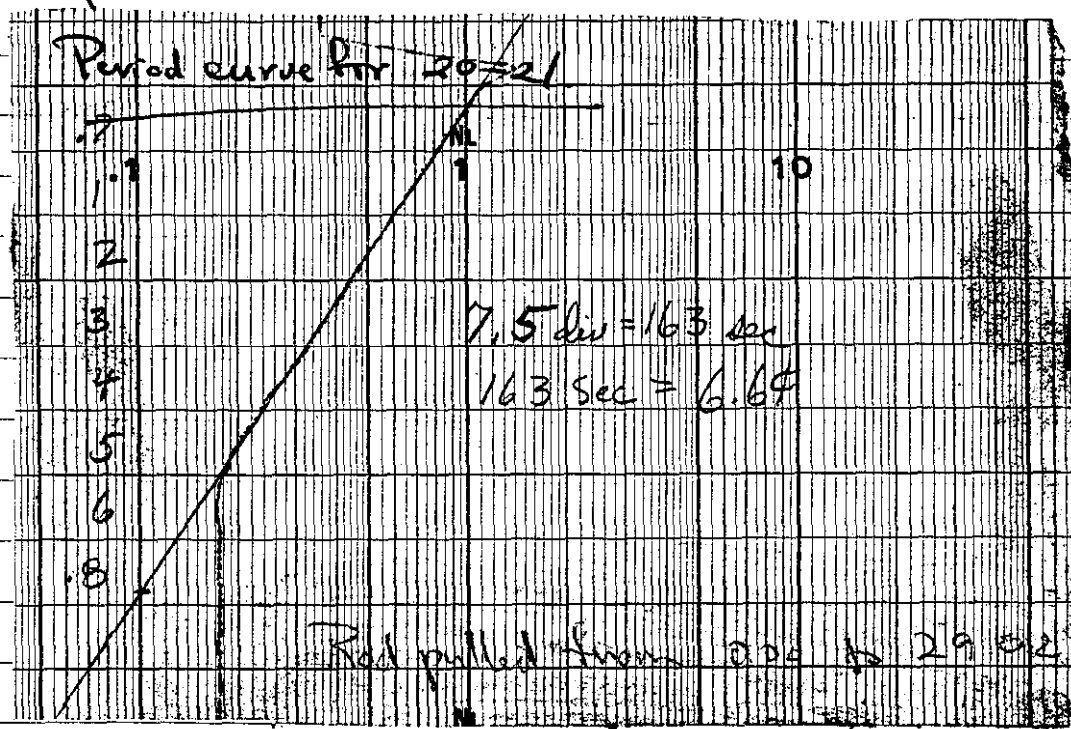
Expt. 20-20 Time 2:00 ^{AM} ~~PM~~ Date 1-12 1956
 Purpose Zerorun - box 37
 Personnel: _____

START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by MB Personnel Checked by MB
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by RJ
 "Source In" Checked by RJ Source No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by MB
 Red Light On by MB
 Start-Up OK'd by RJ Time 3:00 ^{AM} ~~PM~~ Date 1-12 1956

Loading - same as 20-19 except slot 12, boxes
 16 & 30 now contain S.S. (There are now
 a total of 14 S.S. in slot 12)

Critical Conditions

DC-3 50 (10x20) Rod 29.02
 Log N 0.14 Blade 19.13
 R-1 3.9 (100x1000) Water height 109.3 cm.
 Temp. 74.5



Expt.	20-21	Time	2:30 ^{AM}	Date	1-12	1956
Purpose	Homogenous box in position 37.					
Personnel:						

START-UP CHECK LIST	
Equipment Checked by	RJ Personnel Check by JL
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by	JL
"Source In" Checked by	RJ Source No.
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by	MB
Red Light On by	MB AM
Start Up OK'd by	RJ Time 2:30 ^{AM} Date 1-12 1956

Loading - same as 20-20 except homogenous element now in ~~the~~ position 37.

Reactor was a little super critical with blade + rod all the way in. + water up.

Rod pulled out + positive period measured.

From previous runs today + from the e.c.c.

control blade calibration curve, the value of the blade with 3 boron in core = $1.06 \times 10.76 \times \text{e.c.c. blade}$.

\therefore the value of the blade from 19.13 \rightarrow 0 = 25.2 d

the excess reactivity of the reactor = 6.6 d

Total change in reactivity due to homogenous element in position 37.	} 32.2 d
	31.84

log N 0.175

DC-3 75 (10x20)

Temp. 74.5° F

Height 109.5

Expr. <u>20-22</u>	Time <u>3:20</u> ^{AM}	Date <u>1-12</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Zero point with boron removed from box 43</u>		
Personnel:		

START-UP CHECK LIST	
Equipment Checked by <u>RJ</u>	Personnel Check by <u>RJ</u>
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by <u>RJ</u>	
"Source In" Checked by <u>RJ</u>	Source No. <u>MB</u>
Emergency Equipment Control Room Operated by <u>MB</u>	
Red Light On by <u>MB</u>	
Start-Up OK'd by <u>RJ</u>	Time <u>3:20</u> ^{AM} Date <u>1-12</u> 195 <u>6</u>

Loading - exactly the same as 20-2 (page 22) except boron removed from box 43 instead of box 23.

Water up, blade & rod out - sub-critical.

Note:

Within the accuracy of $\pm 5\%$, the control blade data we have taken today gives exactly the same slope curve as the c.c.c. control blade curve. Thus from the c.c.c. curve, the value at any position of the blade with 3 boron can be obtained by multiplying the c.c.c. curve value by $\frac{1.076}{1.06}$.

Expr. 20-25 Time 3:45 ^{AM} Date 1-12 1956
 Purpose Zero point with boron removed from box 13.
 Personnel:

START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by JL Personnel Check by MB
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by JL
 "Source In" Checked by RJ Source No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by MB
 Red Light On by MB
 Start-up Safety RJ Time 3:50 ^{AM} Date 1-12 1956

upt Loading - same as 20-22 except fuel added to slot 12 in boxes ~~8 & 10~~ ^{8 & 10} 4-20K in box 8
 15-17 - " 10.

Still sub-critical by about 160 sec. negative period

Note.

Evaluation of center homogeneous block yields ~~54.4~~ including: evaluation of fuel removed:

box ¹³ 16 slot 12, 11.4g } x2
 box ³¹ 20 slot 12, 10.3g }

blade correction: 14.65 → 16.01 5.7g

zero shift correction. 3.1g
 50.2g.

Expt. <u>20-24</u>	Time <u>4:10</u>	Date <u>1-12</u>	195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Zero point with boron removed from box 43.</u>			
Personnel: _____			

START-UP CHECK-LIST			
Equipment Checked by <u>RJ</u>	Personnel Check by <u>JL</u>		
Instrument and Safety Check and Messy by <u>JL</u>			
"Source In" Checked by <u>RJ</u>	Source No. _____		
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>MB</u>			
Red Light On by <u>MB</u>			
Start-Up OK'd by <u>RJ</u>	Time <u>4:10</u>	Date <u>1-12</u>	195 <u>6</u>

Loading - same as 20-22 except fuel added in slot 12 box 24. (Fuel plate # 3-41 added)

Critical conditions:

Log N	0.15	Blade	20.49
DE-3	50(10x20)	Rod	29.02
R-1	3.7(100x1000)	Water	109.4
		Temp.	74.5°F

Expt. 20-25 Time 4:25 ^{AM} ~~PM~~ Date 1-12 1956
 Purpose Homogeneous box in position 43
 Personnel: _____

43

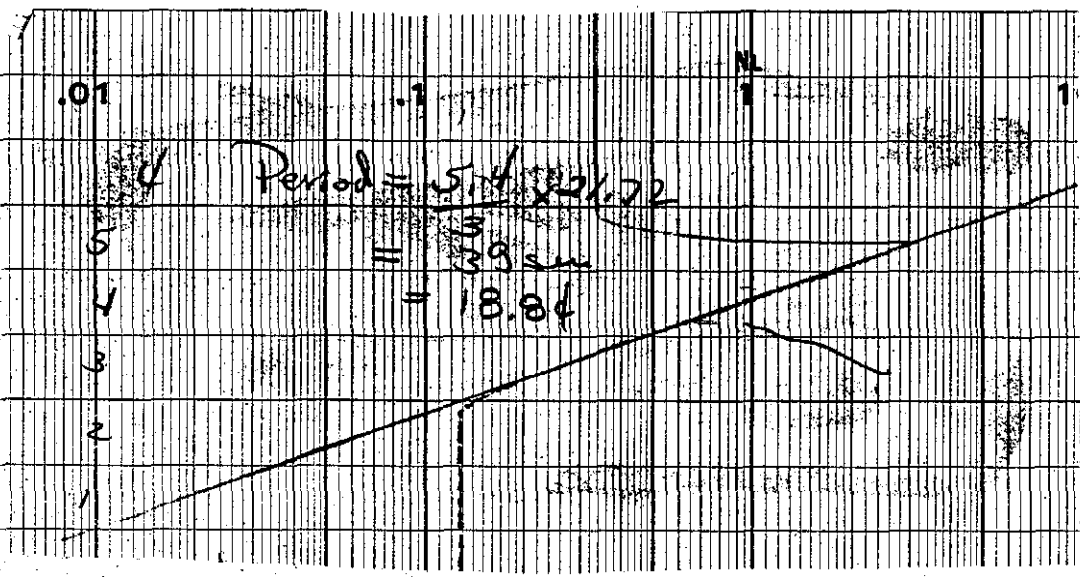
START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by JL Personnel Check by RJ
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by JL
 Source Inlet Checked by RJ Source No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by MB
 Red Light On by MB
 Start-Up OK'd by RJ Time 4:25 ^{AM} ~~PM~~ Date 1-12 1956

Loading - same as 20-24 except Homogeneous element in position 43.

Critical conditions

LogN	0.14	Blade	10.92 7.93
DC-3	50 (10x20)	Rod	29.02
R-1	3.6 (100x1000)	Water	109.2
Temp.	74.5 °F		

Blade pulled to 20.51 + positive period measured measured



96
4-27

Expt. <u>27-1</u>	Time <u>9:35</u> ^{AM}	Date <u>1-13</u>	19 <u>56</u>
Purpose <u>Evaluation of half plate in box</u> <u>25 with 3 boron</u>			
Personnel: _____			

INSTRUMENT CHECK					
Date	Time	AM	PM Source No.		
Instrument	Value	Units	Source	Distance	Energy Scale
DC-1					
DC-2					
DC-3	<u>75</u>	<u>10x20</u>	<u>3"</u>		
Log N	<u>✓</u>	<u>12.2</u>			
R-1	<u>✓</u>	<u>6.3</u>	<u>1000x1000</u>		
R-2					
P. M.	<u>✓</u>	<u>806v</u>	<u>2"</u>		

Log N calibration 0.068

START-UP CHECK LIST			
Equipment Checked by	<u>MB</u>	Personnel Check by	<u>JL</u>
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Set by	<u>JL+MB</u>		
"Source In" Checked by	<u>JL</u>	Source No.	
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by	<u>MB</u>		
Red Light On by	<u>JL</u>	Time <u>9:45</u> ^{AM}	Date <u>1-13</u> 19 <u>56</u>
Start-Up OK'd by	<u>JL</u>		

loading - same as 20-~~24~~²⁴ except full plate # 4-27 added to slot 12 box 22 and half plate # 961 put in place of full plate 12-25 in slot 7, box 25.

Went up on power with blade at 23.60 + source out to get another calibration point - bc low & power-line not straight
Critical conditions -

Blade	<u>12.37</u>	DC-3	<u>47(10x50)</u>
Pod	<u>29.02</u>	Log N	<u>0.28</u>
Water	<u>110 cm.</u>	R-1	<u>3.9(200x1000)</u>
		Temp.	<u>74.5 °F</u>

Expt. 21-2 Time 10:30 ^{AM} PM Date 1-13 1956
 Purpose Evaluation of full plate in box 25.
with 3 bars.
 Personnel: _____

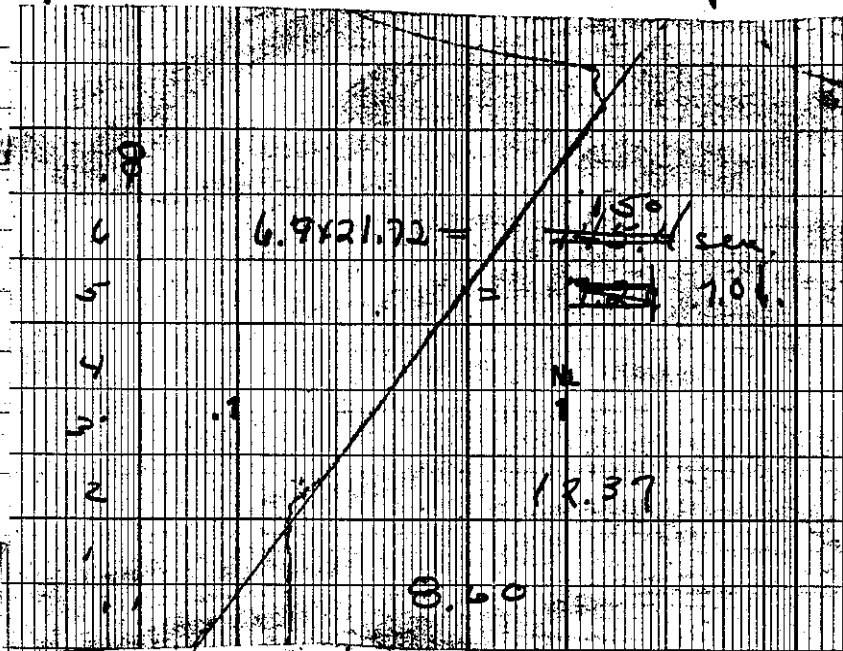
START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by MB Personnel Check by MB
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by JL
 "Source In" Checked by JL Source No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by MB
 Red Light On by MB ^{AM} PM
 Start-Up OK'd by JL Time 10:30 PM Date 1-13 1956

Loading - same as 21-1 except full plate 12-25
 re-inserted into slot 7, box 25 in place of the half plate.

Critical ^{conditions} ~~loading~~ -

DC-3	61 (20x10)	Blade	8.605
R-1	4.15 (100x1000)	Rod	29.02
Log N	0.16	Water height	109.4
Temp.	74°		

Blade pulled from 8.605 to 12.37 & positive period measured.



Expt. 21-3	Time 11:05 ^{AM}	Date 1-13 1956
Purpose: Evaluation of half plate in box 25 with 3 boron.		
Personnel:		

START-UP CHECK LIST		
Equipment Checked by MB	Personnel Check by MB	
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by JL		
"Source In" Checked by JL	Source No.	
Emergency Equipment in Place and Tested by MB		
Red Light On by MB		
Start-Up OK'd by JL	Time 11:05 ^{AM}	Date 1-13 1956

Loading → same as ~~20-1~~ ²¹⁻¹ except s.s. plate in slot 7, box 25 instead of half plate.

Critical Conditions -

Log N	0.16	Blade	13.765
DC-3	66(20x10)	Rod	29.018
R-1	4.7(100x100)	Water	109.2
Temp.	74° F		

Expr.	20-26	Time	12 ³⁰	PM	Date	JAN 13	1956
Purpose	HOMOGENEOUS IN BOX 43						
Personnel:	MB	DWM					

START-UP CHECK LIST							
Equipment Checked by	MB	Personnel Check by	MB				
Instrument and Safety Checked and Set by	DWM						
Source 10" checked by	MB	Source No.					
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by	DWM						
Red Light On by	DWM						
Start-Up O&D by	MB	Time	12 ³⁰	PM	Date	JAN 13	1956

N.B. ZERO RUN FOR THIS IS EXPR 21-3.

LOADING: SAME AS 21-3, with BOX ⁴³~~23~~
 EXCHANGED FOR HOMOGENEOUS ELEMENT
 (SEE P. 56 FOR U-235 content of HOMO
 ELEMENT.)

CRIT. COND.

Water H _T	109.5	R-1	4.8 x 100 x 1000
Water Temp	107.4	Log M	.17
Control Blade	13.93	DC-3	63 x 10 x 20
" Rod	29.02		

FUEL DILUTION IN HOMO. ELEMENT

HOMO. ELEMENT WEIGHING	8025	
Removed 311 cc fuel	7636	> 389 g
Added 380 cc to H ₂ O	8008	> 372 g

Plastic FLASK	2783	
Added 311 cc fuel	3172	> 389 g

Graduate	443.43 g
+ 311 cc fuel	<u>829.89 g</u>
	386.46 g

Graduate + 423 cc H ₂ O	864.55
+ 43 cc H ₂ O	<u>487.64</u>
380 cc	376.91
x .997 g/cc =	379 g

386.46 g x 0.1625 g^{U-235}/g soln = 62.80 g U-235 Remnant

450.54	
<u>62.80</u>	
387.74 g U-235	HOMO Q = 451 g plates.

Expt. 20-27 Time 1:20 ^{AM} _{PM} Date 1-13 1956
 Purpose Zero run - boron out of box 23
 Personnel: _____

57

START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by DM Personnel Check by DM
 Instrument and Supplies Checked and Rec'd by DM
 "Source In" Checked by DM Source No. MTB
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by MTB
 Red Light On by MTB
 Start-Up OK'd by DM Time 1:20 ^{AM} _{PM} Date 1-13 1956

Loading - exactly the same as 20-8, page 29.:

- Ⓐ complete loading of 14 1/2 plates per box minus:
 2 1/2 full plates (replaced by s.s.) and 4 half plates.
- Ⓑ complete boron loading of 3 full plates per box minus
 3 full plates from box 23 (replaced by s.s.)

Reactor not critical. ~-200 on pennd

(This loading went critical on Jan 11 at 16.01
 on the blade.)

Remarks

Expr. 20-28 Time 1:50 ^{AM} _{PM} Date 1-13 1956
 Purpose Zero run - boron out of box 23.

Personnel: _____

START-UP CHECK

Equipment Checked by DM DM
 Instrument and Safety DM
 "Source in" checked by DM
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room checked by MB
 Red Light On MB
 Start-Up OK'd by DM Time 1:50 ^{AM} _{PM} Date 1-13 1956

Loading - same as 20-27 ~~plate~~ except the
 two Rull plates in boxes 9 + 37 exchanged
 by fuel plates 15-9 + 510 respectively.

Still sub-critical.

Expr. <u>20-29</u>	Time <u>2:25</u> ^{AM} PM	Date <u>1-13</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Zero run - boron out of box 23.</u>		
Personnel: _____		

START-UP CHECK LIST	
Equipment Checked by <u>DM</u>	Personnel Check by <u>DM</u>
Instrument and Safety Checked and Approved by <u>DM</u>	
Sources in Control Room <u>DM</u>	
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>MB</u>	
Red Light On by <u>MB</u>	
Start-Up OK'd by <u>DM</u>	Time <u>2:25</u> ^{PM} Date <u>1-13</u> 195 <u>6</u>

Loading - same as 20-27 except all half plates have been exchanged by full plates and full plates added to boxes 3, 20, 26, & 43.

Box	3	9	20	21	25	26	37	43
now contains in slot 12.	6-32	15-9	1-16	505	506	3-41	510	10-14 15-14

∴ we now have a full loading of 14½ plates per box minus 20 plates (replaced by s.s.)

Critical conditions

DC-3	80 (10x20)	Blade	10. 50 46
LgN	0.19	Rod	29.02
R-1	5.5 (100x100)	Water	109.6 m.
		Temp.	74°

Expt. <u>20-30</u>	Time <u>2:45</u> ^{PM}	Date <u>1-13</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose: <u>Depleted homogeneous element</u> <u>in position 23.</u>		
Personnel: _____		

START UP CHECK		
Equipment Checked by <u>DM</u>		<u>MB</u>
Instrument and Safeties Checked and		<u>DM</u>
"Source In" Checked by <u>DM</u>		
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by		<u>MB</u>
Red Light On by <u>MB</u>		
Start-Up OK'd by <u>DM</u>	Time <u>2:45</u> ^{PM}	Date <u>1-13</u> 195 <u>6</u>

loading -

same as 20-29 except homogeneous element
in position 23.

Reactor too sensitive -

critical at water height of 96 cm. with blade + water in.

Expt. <u>20-31</u>	Time <u>3:00</u> <u>PM</u>	Date <u>1-13</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Depleted homogeneous element</u> <u>in box 23</u>		
Personnel: _____		

START-UP CHECK LIST		
Equipment Checked by <u>DM</u>	Personnel Check by <u>DM & R</u>	
Instrument and Safety checked and Reset by <u>DM</u>		
Source <u>DM</u>	Source No. _____	
Emergency Equipment in Control Room checked by <u>MB</u>		
Red Light up by <u>MB</u>		
Start-Up OK'd by <u>DM</u>	Time <u>3:00</u> <u>PM</u>	Date <u>1-13</u> 195 <u>6</u>

Loading -

same as 20-30 except plate 15-17 pulled & replaced by s.s.

From exp. 20-14 plate 15-17 is worth 11.4 k
Critical conditions

Water	109.5	DC - 3	64/110x20
Blade	5.70	R - 1	4.4 (1000x100)
Rod	29.02	Temp.	73.5-74
		log N	.15

Blade worth from 5.70 \rightarrow 10.46 = 7.4 k
Plate worth 11.4 k

Value of depleted homogeneous element. 18.84
in box 23.

Expr. <u>22-1</u>	Time <u>6:15</u> ^{AM} PM	Date <u>1-16</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Zero Run - 2 boron plates per box</u>		
Personnel: _____		

INSTRUMENT CHECK					
Date	<u>1-16</u>	195 <u>6</u>	Time <u>6:15</u> ^{AM} PM	Source No.	_____
Instrument	Value	Scale	Source Distance	Start-Up Scale	
DC-1					
DC-2					
DC-3	<u>✓</u>	<u>73</u>	<u>10x20</u>		
Log N	<u>✓</u>	<u>(4)</u>	<u>1.2 sec.</u>		
R-1	<u>✓</u>		<u>1000x100</u>		
R-2					
P. M.	<u>✓</u>			<u>1"</u>	

Log N calibration 0.065

Equipment Checked by	<u>MB</u>	checked by	<u>RJ</u>
Instrument	<u>Dm</u>		<u>Dm</u>
"Source In"			<u>MB</u>
Emergency			
Red Light	<u>RJ</u>		
Start-Up On	<u>Dm</u>	<u>7:45</u>	Date <u>1-16</u> 195 <u>6</u>

Loading -

slot	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
series	1	13	3	B	4	6	6	14	9	7	9	12	11	B	15	8	2	10
material	f	f	f	B	f	3	f	f	3	f	f	3	f	B	3	f	f	f

except: in slot 2, the following half plates are in the corresponding boxes:

- 5-7, box 7
- 5-11, box 11
- 5-35, box 35
- 5-39, box 39.

Also, 1-9* has replaced 1-23 and fuel 12-34 is in ~~12~~ slot 9, box 23 instead of S.S.

Reactor too sensitive:

water at 92.2, $\log N = 0.1$; slightly super.
temp. ~~74.5~~ 75°

APPRI Fuel Element Data

	per plate	for 18 plates
Boron	0.2098 gm.	3.776 gm.
Uranium-boron loaded	23.962 gm.	431.3 gm.
Uranium-light loaded	12.448 gm.	224.06 gm.

16 17 18
8 2 10
P F F

stead

Expr. <u>22-2</u>	Time <u>8:15</u> <input type="checkbox"/> AM <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PM	Date <u>1-16</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Zero Run - two boron plates</u> <u>per box.</u>		
Personnel: _____		
START-UP CHECK LIST		
Equipment Checked by <u>DM</u>	Personnel Check by <u>RJ</u>	
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by <u>DM</u>		
Source In' Checked by <u>DM</u>	Source No. _____	
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>MB</u>		
Red Light On by <u>MB</u>	_____	
Start-Up OK'd by <u>DM</u>	Time <u>8:15</u> <input type="checkbox"/> AM <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PM	Date <u>1-16</u> 195 <u>6</u>

Loading - same as 22-1 except slot 2 in the following boxes contains series five fuel (half plates) 9, 21, 25, & 37.

Still to routine - water height 96.25
(black & red in, source out)

Expr. 22-3 Time 8:50 AM PM Date Jan 16 1956

Purpose Zero Run

Personnel: DWM MB WRJ

START-UP CHECK LIST

Equipment Checked by MB Personnel Check by DWM

Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by MB

"Source In" Checked by MB Source No. _____

Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by

Red Light On by

Start-Up OK'd by MB Time 8:55 AM PM Date Jan 16 1956

Loading: Same as 1 except for slot 2

The following boxes contain series 5 (half-plates)

3, 6, 8, 10, 12, 20, 22, 24, 26,

34, 36, 38, 40, and 43 (17 half-plates)

Total loading 11 x 4.5 full plates

^{Element 23, Extra}
slot 2 { 14 x half plates

{ 31 full plates

$$53 \times 31.13 = 16, \overset{623.4}{\del{592.3}} \text{ g}$$

CRITICAL CONDITIONS: ELEMENT 23 has 13 full plates

Water height 109.6 cm Hg log W = ~~0.2~~ .17

Temp 74.5°F DC-3 72 x 10 x 20

Control Blade 10.90 R-1 7.8 x 100 x 10.00

Rod 29.02

Expt.	22-4	Time	9 ³⁰ PM	Date	Jan 16 1956
Purpose	Zero Run for APOR-23				
	Metallurgical plates 13-23				
Personnel:	DVM MB WRT				

START-UP CHECK LIST	
Equipment Checked by	MB
Instrument and Safeties Checked and OK'd by	WRT
Source In Checked by	MB
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by	✓
Red Light On by	✓
Start-Up OK'd by	MB
Time	9 ³⁰ PM
Date	Jan 16 1956

Loading: Same as 22-1 except slot 2.

Element 23 has extra plate

The following boxes have Series 5 (half-plates)

3, 6, 8, 10, 12, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 34, 36, 38, 40, & 43

(16 half-plates) $11 \times 45 = 485$

Slot 2	Full	29	29
	half	16	8
			533 = 16,592.3 g

CRITICAL CONDITIONS:

Water Height	109.4	Lag N	0.16
" Temp	75.5	DC-3	70 x 10 x 20
Control Rod	29.02	R-1	4.7 x 1000 x 100
Blade	16.90		

Chem. Crit.
 From Blade calibration curve half plate substituted for full plates in slot 2 boxes 18 and 28 is worth $21.35 - 11.35 = 10.0 \text{ g}$

assoc total

Est. blade calib. @ 2 Boron = CC x 1.03
 hence plate worth 10.3 g

Expr. 22-5 Time 10⁰⁰ AM Date Jan 16 1956
 Purpose APPR element in position 23
 Personnel:

START-UP TEST
 Equipment Checked by DM Checked by RJ
 Instrument and Settings RJ
 Source ID Numbered RJ Source No.
 Emergency Equipment Checked by MJB
 Red Light On by MJB
 Start-Up OK'd by RJ Time 10⁰⁰ PM Date Jan 16 1956

Loading - same as 22-4 except APPR element now in position 23 instead of regular assembly element. For loading of APPR element see page 63.

Reactor super critical.

With source rod out, and blade at 5.96.

positive period was measured.

We will assume we know the value of the blade between 16.90 & 5.96 inches. from the e.c.c. calibration.

We will add to this the value of the period just taken to obtain the total change in reactivity due to the

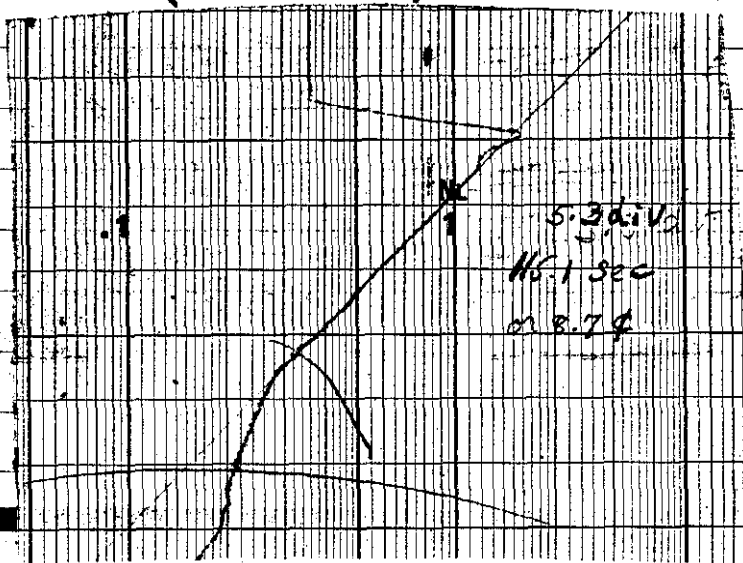
APPR element.

e.c.c. value, 16.9 → 5.96 = 17.9¢

assumed value for absorption loading: 17.9¢

$$\begin{aligned} \text{total } \Delta\rho &= 17.9 + 8.7 \\ &= 26.6 \text{ ¢} \end{aligned}$$

MJB



Expt. 22-6	Time 10 ⁵⁵	Date Jan 16 1956
Purpose Zero Run (4000 in Box 37)		
Personnel: WRJ, MB, DWH		

START-UP CHECK LIST		
Equipment Checked by	MB	Checked by WRJ
Instrument and Systems Checked and		DWH
"Source In" Checked by	WRJ	
Emergency Equipment in Control Room checked by		DWH
Red Light On by		
Start-Up OK'd by	WRJ	Time 10 ⁵⁵ PM Date Jan 16 1956

Loading: 12-34 Fuel in Box 37 Slot 12

Half plates in Slot 2 in Boxes, 3, 6, 8, 10, 12, 20, 22,

(14 half-plates) 24, 26, ~~28, 29~~, 34, 36, 38, 40, 43
Full plates in rest of slot 2
Rest same as 22-1

Total loading same as 22-3.

CRITICAL CONDITIONS:

Water Height	129.	log N	0.08
" Temp		DC-3	
Control Rod	29.2 L	R-1	
" Plid	Out		

SUB CRITICAL $\lambda - 400 \text{ sec}$

Expr. 22-7	Time 11 ¹⁵	PM Date Jan 16	1956
Purpose: <u>Zero Run (see in Box 32)</u>			
Personnel: <u>WRT, MB, DWM</u>			

START-UP CHECK LIST			
Equipment Checked by	<u>MB</u>	Personnel Check by	<u>MB</u>
Instrument and Facilities Checked and Start by	<u>MB</u>		
Source Int. Checked by	<u>WRT</u>	Course No.	<u> </u>
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by	<u>DWM</u>		
Red Light On by	<u> </u>		
Start-Up OK'd by	<u>WRT</u>	Time 11 ¹⁵	PM Date Jan 16 1956

LOADING: Same as 22-6 except

Box 3 & 43 Slot 2, half plate removed

series 13 Full plates in series.

Slot 2 Half plates in 6, 8, 10, 12, 20, 22, 24, 26, 34, 36, 38 & 40

series 13 in remaining boxes.

CRITICAL COND.

Water height 109.4

log N 0.13

Temp 75.5

DC-3 50 x 10 x 20

Ref 29.02

R-1 3.4 x 100 x 1000

Blade 16.65

Expt. 22-8	Time 1140 ^{AM}	Date 16 Jan 1956
Purpose: APPR Type Element (Heavy Loaded) in Box 37		
Personnel: WRS, MB, DM		

STARTUP CHECK LIST		
Equipment Checked by MB	Checked by RS	
Instrumentation	DM	
Source in	DM	
Emergency	RS	
Red Light	RS	
Start Up Order by DM	Time 1140 O	Date 16 Jan 1956

Loading: Same as 22-7, except that the APPR Type Element is now in Box 37.

Critical Conditions:

Log N .13	Control Blade 8.06
DC-3 55 X10 X20	Control Rod 29.02
A-1 3.5 X100 X1000	Water Height 109.3
Water Temp 76.5	

The interchange of the APPR type element for Fuel Box 37 was worth from 16.65 to 8.06 on the Blade, or 14.25¢ using the Calibration Curve.

$$\therefore \text{Value} = 14.25 \times 1.03 = 14.7 \text{¢}$$

MB

Expr. 229 Time 4 50 ^{AM} Date 17 Jan 1956
 Purpose APPR Type Element (Heavy Loaded)
in Box 43
 Personnel: MB RJ DM

INSTRUMENT CHECK

Date _____ 195 _____ Time _____ AM
 _____ M Source No. _____

Instrument	Temp	Pressure	Flow	Scale
DC-1				
DC-2				
DC-3	70	10 x 20	4n	
Log N	72			
R-1	6	9 x 1000	contact	
R-2		x 100		
P. M.			1 1/2 n	

START-UP CHECK LIST

Equipment Checked by MB Personnel Check by DM
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Tested by DM
 "Source In" Checked by MB Source No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by RJ
 Red Light On by RJ AM
 Start-Up OK'd by MB Time 4 50 ^{AM} Date 17 Jan 1956

loading: Same as 22-8, except that the APPR Type
 element is in Box 43, the normal ^(12, 20, 43) Box was
 returned to Position 37;
 Full plates 13-20, and 13-26 were put in slot
 12 of Boxes 20 + 26 in place of 1/2 plates 5-20, +
 5-26.

Critical Conditions

Log N	.08	Control Blade ~20'
DC-2		Control Rod 29.02
R-1		Water Ht 109.5
Water Temp.		

Expr.	22-10	Time	5:20 ^{AM}	Date	17 Jan 1956
Purpose	APPR Type Element in Box 43				
Personnel:	MB, LRS, DM				

Equipment Checked by	DM	Checked by	DM		
Instrument and Serial		Checked by	MB		
"Source In" Checked by	MB	Checked by			
Emergency Equipment		Checked by	RS		
Rod Light On by	RS	Checked by			
Start-Up OK'd by	MB	Time	5:20 ^{AM}	Date	17 Jan 1956

loading: Same as 22-9, except that fuel plates 13-22, 13-24 were put into Boxes 22-24, Slot 12, in place of $\frac{1}{2}$ fuel plates 5-22 + 5-24.

This change in loading was made in order to bring the Control Blade to a lower position.

Critical Conditions:

Log N	.17	Control Blade	6.27
DC-3	75 x 10 x 20	Control Rod	29.02
R-1	4.6 100 x 1000	Water Ht.	109.6
Water Temp	76.5		

Expt. <u>22-10</u>	Time <u>5-45</u> ^{AM}	Date <u>17-Jan 1956</u>
Purpose: <u>APPR - For Type Element</u>	<u>Evaluation</u>	
Personnel: <u>MB WRS DM</u>		

START UP CHECK LIST		
Equipment Checked by <u>MB</u>	Personnel Check by <u>RS</u>	
Instrument and Safety Checked by <u>MB</u>		
Source Initial Checked by <u>MB</u>	Source No. <u> </u>	
Emergency Equipment Control Room Checked by <u>RS</u>		
Red Light On by <u>RS</u>	AM	
Start-Up OK'd by <u>MB</u>	Time <u>5-45</u> ^{AM} Date <u>17 Jan 1956</u>	

Loading: same as 22-10, with Normal Box 43 (with a fuel plate 12-34) in slot 12, replacing the APPR Type Box.

Critical Conditions:

log N .18	Control Blade 12.44
DC-3 # 25 x 10 x 20	Control Rod 29.02
R-1 . 47 x 100 x 1000	Water Ht. 109.6
Water Temp 77°F	

The APPR Type Element is worth from 6.77 to 12.44 on the Control Blade, or ~~9.0~~ 9.1

$$\therefore \text{Corrected worth} = 9.0 \times 1.03 = 9.44$$

MB

Expr. 23-1 Time 8:40 ^{AM}(PM) Date 1-17 1956
 Purpose C.C.C. critical WALDS
 Personnel: _____

START-UP CHECK LIST

Equipment Checked by MB Personnel Check by RJ
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Rec'd by DM
 "Source In" Checked by DM Source No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by MB
 Red Light On by MB
 Start-Up OK'd by DM Time 8:40 ^{AM}(PM) Date 1-17 1956

slot	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	13	2	14	4	5	9	7	5	9	7	11	12	11	14	15	8	1	10
	f	s	f	s	s	f	s	1/2	s	f	s	s	f	s	s	f	s	f

Reactor very sub-critical with blade + rod out;
 Source out, water up. Temp. 75.5

Expt. 23-2 Time 9:05 ^{AM} ~~PM~~ Date 1-17 1956
 Purpose C.C.C. - critical mass
 Personnel: _____

START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by DM Personnel Check by RJ
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by RJ
 "Source In" Checked by DM Source No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by MB
 Red Light On by MB
 Start-Up OK'd by DM Time 9:05 ^{AM} ~~PM~~ Date 1-17 1956

Loading - pure $7\frac{1}{2}$ (same as 23-1) except full plates now in slot B in the following boxes

- 15-1 in box 14
- 15-2 in box 18
- 15-3 in box 28
- 15-4 in box 32.

Critical conditions -

DC-3	76(10x10)	Blade	13.05
LogN	0.084	Rod	29.02
R-1	2.3(100x1000)	Water	109.7.

Temp 75.5°

$$C.M = 7.5 \times 1.400 = 10,500$$

$$4 \times 155 \quad \quad \quad 62$$

10,562 gms

Blade correction. ~ 10% $\frac{20}{20}$ gms

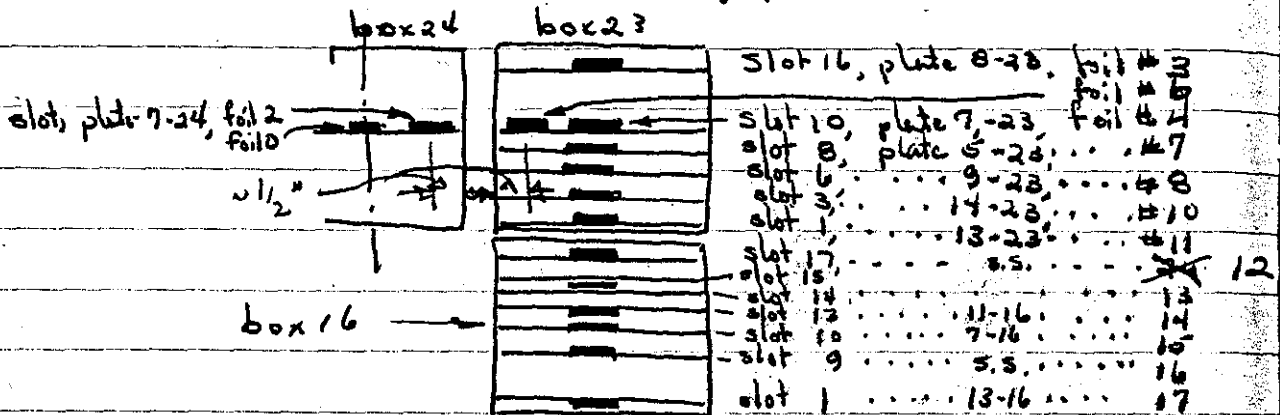
10,542 gms.

Expt. 23-3 Time 10:50 ^{AM} Date 1-17 1956
 Purpose Fin structure Plur with Dy
in C.C.C.
 Personnel: _____

START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by RJ Personnel Check by MB
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Rated by MB
 "Source In" Checked by RJ _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by RJ
 Red Light On by MB ^{AM}
 Start-Up OK'd by RJ Time 10:50 Date 1-17 1956

Loading - same as 23-2.

Foil location - all foils bare dysprosium



1/2e final power (0.56) at 11:08:46

Run conditions -

DC-3	—	TRod	29.02
R-1	5.5 (1000x1000)	Blade	13.80
DC-1	47 (50)	Height	109.2
Temp.	75.5°		
Log N	1.50		

Expr. 24-1 Time 5:10 ^{AM} ~~PM~~ Date 1-18 1956
 Purpose Zero Run - Metallurgical box
for calc. loading - mass evaluation
at box 25 slot 8
 Personnel: DM, RJ, MB

INSTRUMENT CHECK

Date: 1-18 1956 Time: _____ AM/PM Source No. _____

Instrument	Trip Value	Scale	Source Distance	Start-Up Scale
DC-1				
DC-2				
DC-3	<u>70</u>	<u>10x20</u>	<u>2"</u>	
Log N	<u>6</u>	<u>100</u>	<u>2</u>	
R-1	<u>6</u>	<u>5x1000</u>	<u>2</u>	
R-2		<u>x100</u>		
P. M.			<u>1"</u>	

START-UP CHECK LIST

Equipment Checked by MB Personnel Check by DM
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by MB
 "Source In" Checked by DM Source No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by MB
 Red Light On by RJ
 Start-Up OK'd by DM Time 5:15 ^{AM} ~~PM~~ Date 1-18 1956

Note: - gain on log N turned up so that recorder and meters read same value.

Loading - same as 23-2 except s.s. in slot 8, box 25 instead of half fuel plates

Critical Conditions -

Log N	<u>0.18</u>	Blade	<u>20.13</u>
DC-3	<u>14(10x20)</u>	Rod	<u>29.02</u>
R-1	<u>3.7(100x1000)</u>	Height	<u>109.5</u>
Water Temp.	<u>75.5°</u>		

Expr. 24-2 Time 5:50 ^{AM} ~~PM~~ Date 1-18 1956
 Purpose Zero Run. also evaluation of $\frac{1}{2}$ Fuel plate in Slot 8 Box 25.
 Personnel: _____

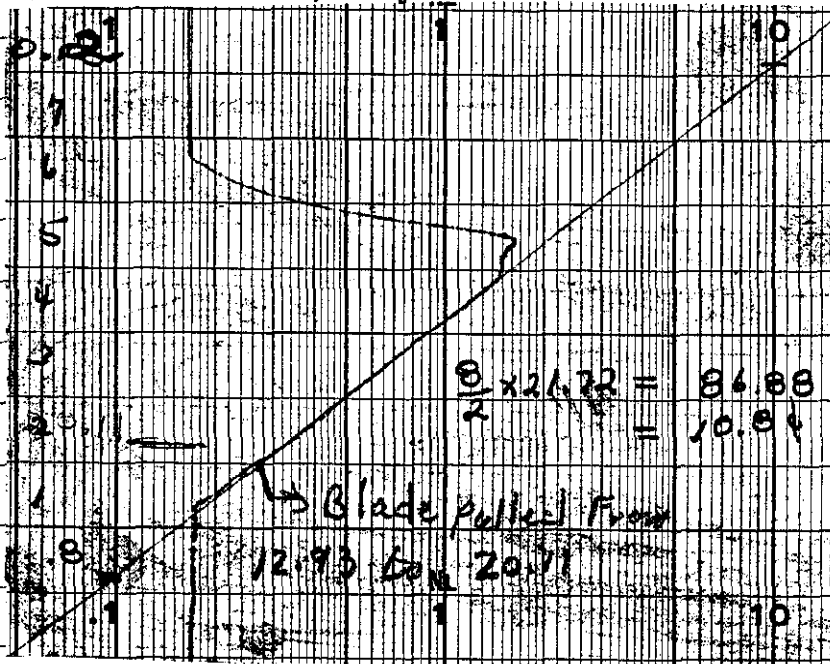
START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by RJ Personnel Check by RJ
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by DM
 "Source In" Checked by DM Source No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by MB
 Red Light On by MB
 Start-Up OK'd by DM Time 5:50 ^{AM} ~~PM~~ Date 1-18 1956

Loading - same as 23-2.

Critical conditions -

Log N	.18	Blade	12.93
DL-3	59 x 10 x 20	Rod	29.02
R-1	3.8 x 100 x 1000	Water	109.6
Temp.	75.5°F		

Blade pulled out to 20.11 to get a period evaluation of the fuel ($\frac{1}{2}$) in slot 8, Box 25.



This period measurement shows the $\frac{1}{2}$ plate in slot 8 Box 25 to be worth 10.84 when exchanged for a steel plate.

Expt.	24-3	Time	7:40 AM	Date	18 Jan 1956
Purpose	Evaluation of APPR Type Fuel Box (Light Loaded) in Box Position 23				
Personnel:	MB WRS DM				

START-UP CHECK LIST	
Equipment Checked by	RS Personnel Check by RS
Instrument and Saeties Checked and Reset by	DM
Source In Checked by	MB Source No.
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by	RT
Red Light On by	RS AM
Start-Up OK'd by	MB Time 7:40 AM Date 18 Jan 1956

Loading: Same as 24-2 except that the APPR Type Box is in Position 23 in place of the normal Fuel Box (with 7½ plates). The APPR Type element has 90% of the fuel which a normal ~~plate~~ Box contains in 7½ plates, distributed over 18 metallurgical fuel plates.

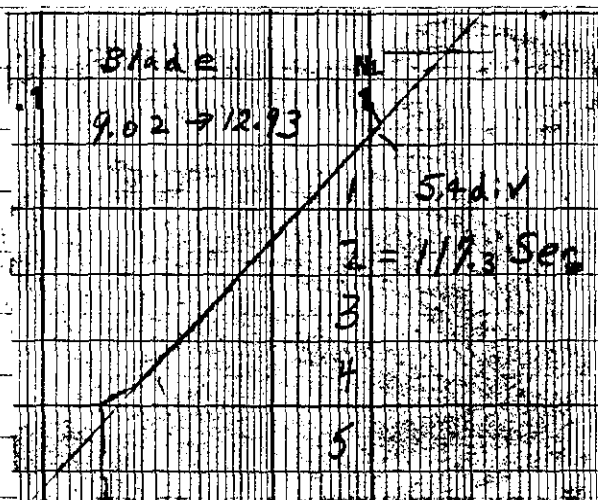
Critical Conditions

Log N	.16	Control Blade	9.02
DC-3	64 x 10 x 20	Control Rod	29.02
R-1	36 x 100 x 1000	Water Ht.	109.6

Temp 75.

The APPR Type Element is worth from 9.02 to 12.93 on the Control Blade, or 8.6% by period measurement.

(See over for period measurement)



Period Measurements on p. 78 & 80 are with log N recorder agreeing with log N meter on panel.

there is some question as to the correctness of the blade calibration, because the calibration curve differs appreciably from the two measurements.

12.93	→	20.11	=	10.8 φ	Calib Curve	9.6 φ
9.02	→	12.93	=	8.6 φ	" "	5.8 φ

Expr. 24-4 Time 11²⁵ ~~AM~~ PM Date Jan 18 1956
 Purpose: Zero Run (Clean Critical)
 Personnel: _____

START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by WRJ Personnel Check by WRJ
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by WRJ
 Source Inlet checked by MB Source No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by DMM
 Red Light On by ✓
 Start Up OK'd by MB Time 11²⁵ ~~AM~~ PM Date Jan 18 1956

Loading : Same as 23-2

CRITICAL CONDITIONS :

Water Height	109.5	Log N	0.175
" Temp	75.5	DC-3	65NEX20
Control Blade	16.19	R-1	37 X100X1000
" Rod	29.02		

Crit est @ 1140 PM

16.19 → 20.3¢
 12.93 → 14.9

Reactor Δ drift = 5.4¢

5¢
 8¢

Expr.	24-5	Time	11:55 AM	Date	18 Jan 1956
Purpose	Evaluation of APPR Type Element (Light Loaded) in Box 37				
Personnel:	MB, RS, DM				

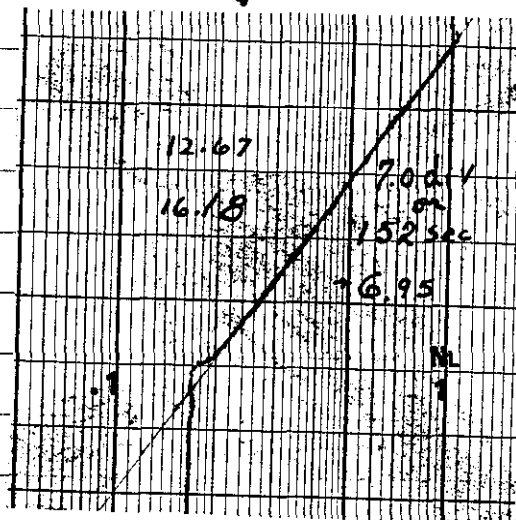
START UP CHECK LIST					
Equipment Checked by	RS	Check by	RS		
Instrument and Serial			MB		
Source Inlet Check	MB				
Emergency Equipment		Checked by	RS		
Red Light On by	DM				
Start-Up OK'd by	MB	Time	11:55 AM	Date	18 Jan 1956

24-4
Loading: Same as 22-4, with APPR Type Element in Box
Position 37.

Critical Conditions: at 12.15 PM

Log N	.18	Control Blade	12.67
De 3	64 x 10 x 20	Control Rod	29.02
R-1	37 x 100 x 1000	Water Height	109.4
Water Temp	75.		

The Control Blade was moved
from 12.67 to 16.19 and
a period measurement taken
to evaluate the substitution of
the APPR type Element.
It was worth a measured 6.95%
in Box 37



Expr.	24-6	Time	12:45 ^{AM}	Date	18 19 Jan 1956
Purpose	Evaluation of APPR Type Element (Light Loaded) in Box 3-3				
Personnel:	MB, RS, DM, DUPW.				

START-UP CHECK LIST					
Equipment Checked by	_____	Personnel Check by	_____		
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Rec'd by	_____				
"Source In" Checked by	_____	Source No.	_____		
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by	_____				
Red Light On by	_____	AM	_____		
Start-Up OK'd by	_____	Time	_____	PM Date	_____ 195__

loading: ²⁴⁻⁴ Same as ~~22-4~~, with APPR Type Element in Box
Position 43.

Critical Conditions at ~ 1 AM Jan 19

Log N .18 Control Blade 14.96

DC-3 6.6 x 10 x 20 Control Rod 29.02

R-1 3.8 x 100 x 1000 Water Ht. 109.5

Water Temp 75.

Control Blade Pulled to
16.2²⁰ in order to get
period measurement. The
period was measured
using a stop watch # DC-3

Run 24-6

MIN Period

20 div/decade

or 434 sec

or 2.95φ

Blade

17.96

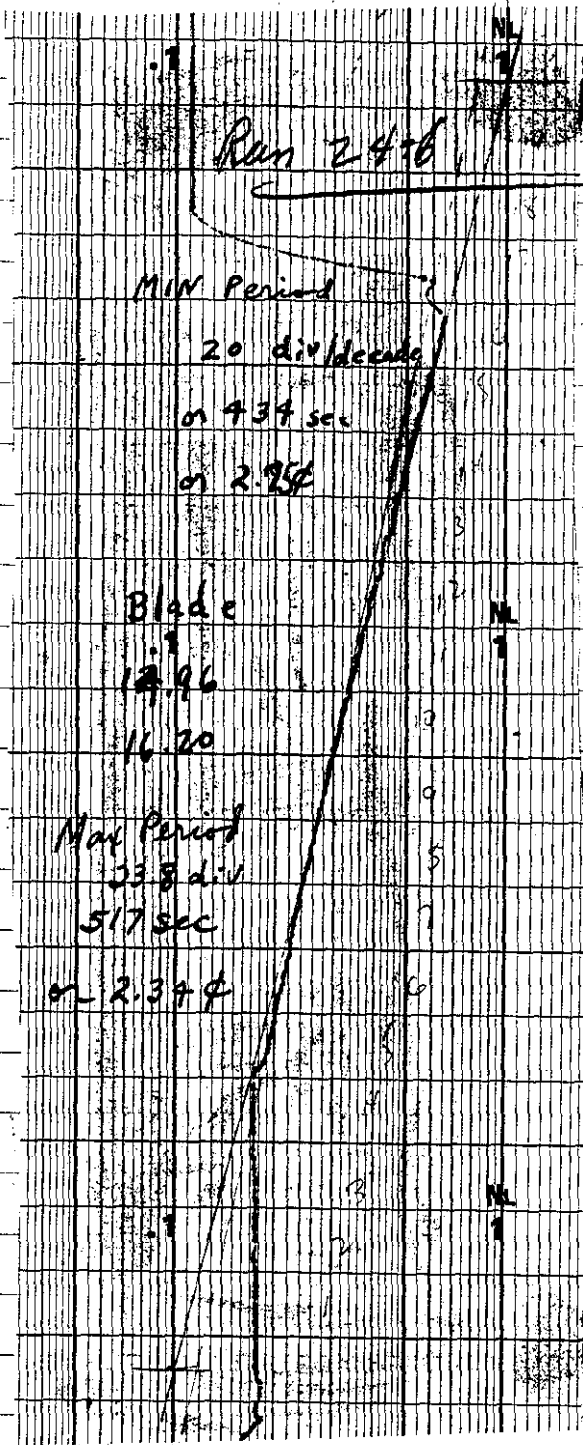
16.20

Max Period

33.8 div

517 sec

or 2.37φ



Expr. 24-7 Time 125 AM Date Jan 19 1956

Purpose Zero Run

Personnel: DVPW, WRS, MB, DVPW

START-UP CHECK LIST

Equipment Checked by DVPW Personnel Check by DVPW

Instrument and sensors checked and reset by WRS

Source in the area is MB Source No.

Emergency equipment in control room checked by DVPW

Red Light On by AM

Start-Up OK'd by WRS Time 125 PM Date Jan 19 1956

Loading: Same as 23-2

CRITICAL CONDITIONS: @ 1:40 AM JAN 19

Water Height	109.3	R-1	37x100x1000
Temp	77.5°F	Log N	0.18
Control Rod	29.02	DC-3	65x10x20
Blade	16.13		

Expr. <u>23-4</u>	Time <u>6:00</u> ^{AM} _{PM}	Date <u>1-19</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Zero run.</u>		
Personnel:		

INSTRUMENT CHECK					
Date	195 <u>6</u>	Time	<u>6:00</u> ^{AM} _{PM}	Source No.	<u>10 mg source</u>
	Trip				
Instrument	Value	Size	Source Distance	Set-Up	Scale
DC-1					
DC-2					
DC-3	<u>✓</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>10x20</u>		<u>6"</u>
Log N	<u>✓</u>		<u>3 SW.</u>		
R-1	<u>✓</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>9x1000x100</u>		
R-2					
P. M.	<u>-</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>800V</u>		<u>2"</u>

Loading - same as ^{P. 25} 23-2 plus plates 15-7 + 15-8 in place of 5-20 + 5-26 respectively (in boxes 20 + 26, slot 8) also the following plates have been used instead of the usual ones in order to free those for soil loading.

	now in slot box	instead of.
6-1	1, 16	13-16
6-2	10, 16	7, 16
6-3	13, 16	11-16
6-4	16, 16	8-16
6-5	18, 16	10-16
6-6	6, 23	9-23
6-7	10, 23	7-23
6-8	16, 23	8-23
6-9	10, 24	7-24

START-UP CHECK LIST			
Equipment Checked by	MB	Personnel Check by	DM
Instrument and Safeties Checked and			DM
"Source In" Checked by	DM		
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by			MB
Red Light On by	DM		
Start-Up OK'd by	DM	Time	6:15 PM Date 1-19 1956

Critical Conditions -

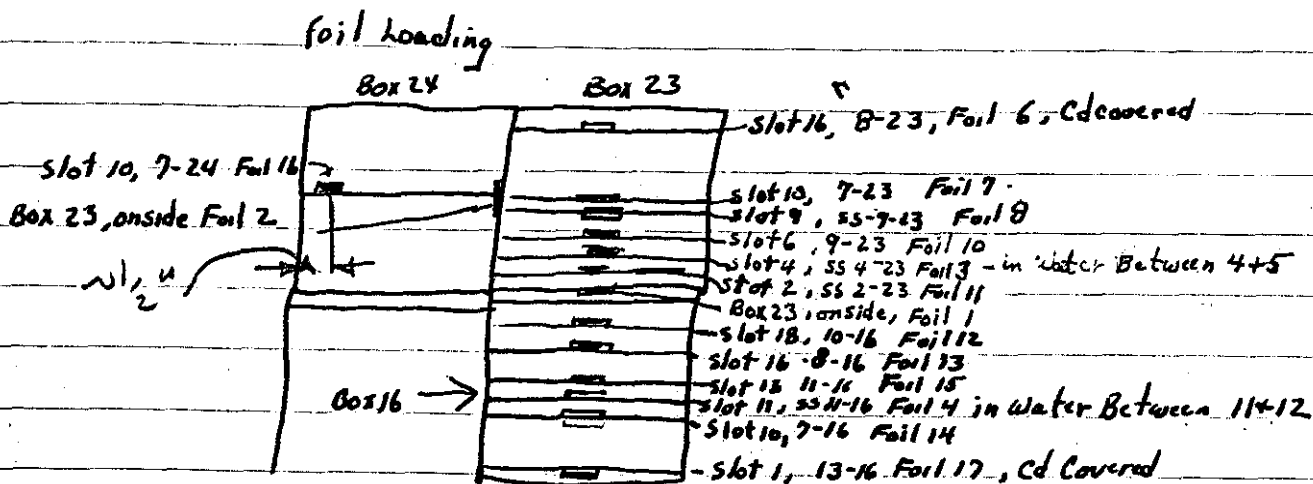
Blade	14.57	R-1	4.7 (50x100)
Rod	29.02	DC-2	82 (10x10)
Water.	109.5	Log N	0.01 0.1
		Temp	75.5

This is considered a "good enough" extra run - for the last exposure, half plates will be added to boxes 3 & 43.

Expr. 23-5 Time 8:35 ^{AM} ~~PM~~ Date 19 Jan 1956
 Purpose Foil Run (Fine Structure) with
Dy.
 Personnel: MB - WRS

START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by MB Personnel Check by RS
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and MB
 "Source In" Checked by MB
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by RS
 Red Light On by RS ^{AM}
 Start-Up OK'd by MB Time 8:35 ^{AM} Date 19 Jan 1956

Loading: Same as 23-4, except that $\frac{1}{2}$ plates 5-3, 5-43 in slot B, Boxes 3 & 23 were replaced by Full Plates 15-5 + 15-6 respectively.



Position	Plate #	Foil Position	Foil #
23-16	8-23	0	6 <u>w cd</u>
23-10	7-23	0	7
23-9	SS-9-23	0	8 8
23-6	8 9-23	i	10
23-4	SS-4-23	Water Between slots 4+5	3
23-2	SS 2-23	i	11
23-	on Box adjacent to Box 24		2
23-	" " " " 16		1
16-18	90-16	i	12
16-16	8-16	i	13
16-13	11-16	i	15
16-11	SS-11-16	Water Between slots 11+12	4
16-10	7-16	0	14
16-1	13-16	0	17 <u>w. cd</u>
24-10	7-24	i	16

Run started at 0:53:42

Critical Conditions:

Log N	1.9	Control Blade	10.68
DC-3	5.0	Control Rod	29.02
R-1	#85 1100X100	Water H _T	109.6
Water Temp	75.5		

Expr. <u>24-8</u>	Time <u>10:15</u> ^{AM} PM	Date <u>1-19</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Evaluation of a.c.c. metallurgical box in position 23 - zero run.</u>		
Personnel: <u>MBS & RJ</u>		

START-UP CHECK LIST	
Equipment Checked by <u>MB</u>	Personnel Check by <u>RJ</u>
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by <u>MBS</u>	
"Source In" Checked by <u>RJ</u>	Source No. _____
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>RJ</u>	
Red Light On by <u>MBS</u>	
Start Up OK'd by <u>RJ</u>	Time <u>10:15</u> ^{AM} PM Date <u>1-19</u> 195 <u>6</u>

Loading -

Same as ~~23-3~~ (A) ~~23-3~~ ^{18 08} 23-4 but
all series six plates replaced by the "usual" plates.

Height.	109.5	Blade	14.42
R-1	38(100x1000)	Rod	29.02
Log N	.165		
Dc-3	71(10x20)		
Temp.	75.5° f		

Expt. 24-9 Time 11:05 ^{AM} _{PM} Date 1-19 1956
 Purpose Evaluation of c.c. metallurgical
pos in position 23.
 Personnel: _____

START-UP CHECK LIST

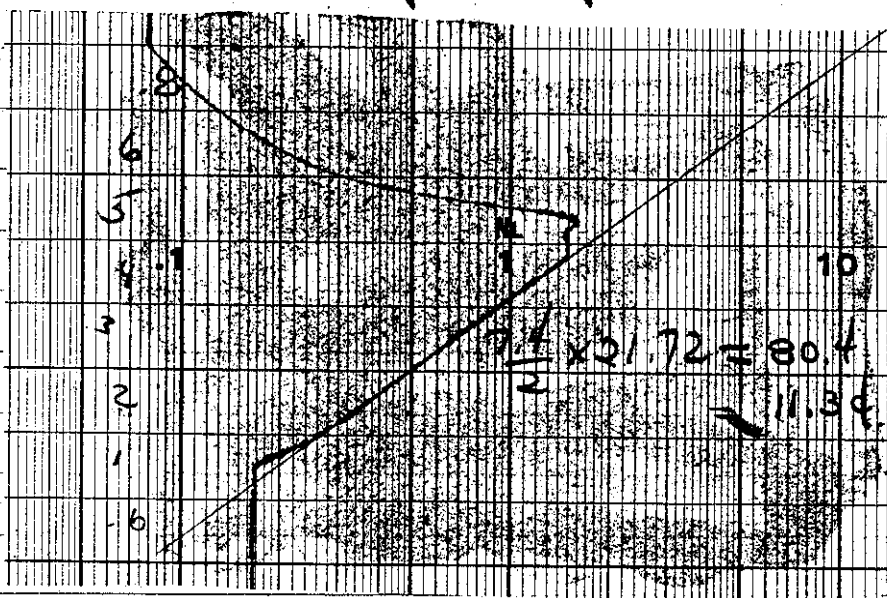
Equipment Checked by MB Personnel Check by RJ
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by RJ
 "Source In" Checked by RJ Source No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by RJ
 Red Light On by MB
 Start-Up OK'd by RJ Time 11:05 ^{AM} _{PM} Date 1-19 1956

Loading - same as 24-8 except APPR element (light loaded) in position 23.

Critical Conditions -

DC-3	38.5	(1004000)	Blade	9.19
R-1	70	(10x20)	Rod	29.02
Log N.	.165		Water	109.2
Temp.	75.5° F			

Blade pulled to 12.42 & positive period measured.



Expt. 25-1 Time 10:50 ^{AM} Date 1-23 1956
 Purpose Re-run or check of fuel evaluation curve
 Personnel: _____

INSTRUMENT CHECK

Date _____ 195____ Time _____ AM
 PM Source No. _____

Instrument	Trip	Value	Scale	Source Distance	Count/tp Scale
DC-1					
DC-2					
DC-3	✓	85	10x20	2"	
Log N	✓		12 sec		
R-1	✓	50	8x1000		
R-2			x100		
P. M.	✓			1"	

Log N calibration - 0.078 - meter
 0.081 - recorder pointer.

START-UP CHECK LIST

Equipment Checked by MB Personnel Check by RJ
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by MB
 "Source In" Checked by RJ Source No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by MB
 Red Light On by MB
 Start-Up OK'd by RJ Time 11:00 ^{AM} PM Date 1-23 1956

loading - same as 24-8 except slot 8 in the following

boxes:	Now contains
1	15-6
5	-5
21	-10
25	-11
41	-12
45	-13
3	55
9	55
16	55
23	55

Subcritical with blade all the way out

Expt. 25-2 Time 12:30 ^{AM} ~~PM~~ Date 23 Jan 1956
 Purpose Check of Fuel Evaluation Curve.
Zero Run
 Personnel: MB, WRS

START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by WRS Personnel Check by WRS
 Instrument and Safety Checks and Report by MB
 "Source in" by MB
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by RS
 Red Light On by RS
 Start-Up OK'd by MB Time 12:30 ^{AM} Date 23 Jan 1956

loading

slot	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Series	13	2	14	4	5	9	7	5*	9	7	11	12	11	14	15	8	1	10
Type	F	SS	F	SS	SS	F	SS	F/2	SS	F	SS	SS	F	SS	SS	F	SS	F

* Slot 8 of the following boxes has the Series 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ plate removed and the indicated plate substituted for it.

Box 1 has in slot B Fuel	Box 36 has in slot B Fuel
5 " " " " " 15-5	38 " " " 15-16
14 " " " " 15-1	41 " " " 15-12
16	45 " " " 15-13
18 " " " " 15-2	3 " " " SS 8-3
20 " " " " 15-7	769 " " " SS 8-9
21 " " " " 15-10	16 " " " SS 8-16
25 " " " " 15-11	23 " " " SS 8-23
26 " " " " 16-8	
28 " " " " 15-3	
32 " " " " 15-4	

Mass = 10.655 Kg²⁵

Critical Conditions

Log N: 0.20	Control Blade: 11.40
DC-3: 75 (10x26)	Control Rod: 29.03
R-1: 4.5 (100x1000)	Water Ht: 109.5
Water Temp: 74.5°F	

The Blade position in this Run was too far in, so $\frac{1}{2}$ plate will be removed to bring the Blade Backout some.

Note: Top Grid Position

Just Before Run 25-1 the top Grid was positioned, and pencil lines drawn to aid in reproducing this position after all future removals of the top Grid.

Expr.	25-3	Time	12:41	AM	Date	23 Jan	1956
Purpose	Fuel Evaluation Curve						
	Zero Run						
Personnel:	MB RS						
START-UP CHECK LIST							
Equipment Checked by	RS	Personnel Check by	RS				
Instrument and Safeties Checked by	MB						
Source Int. Checked by	MB	Checked No.					
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by	RS						
Red Light On by	RS	At					
Start-Up OK'd by	MB	Time	12:41	AM	Date	23 Jan	1956

Loading: Same as ~~25-2~~ 25-2, except that Fuel plate 15-16
Box 38 slot B, was replaced By $\frac{1}{2}$ Fuel Plate 5-38

Critical Conditions

Log N .2

OC-3 76 X 10 X 20

R-1 4.5 X 100 X 1000

Water Temp 75.5

Control Blade 15.59

Control Rod 29.02

Water Ht. 109.5

This gives an evaluation of Full to $\frac{1}{2}$ half plate interchange
in Slot B, Box 38, of Fromen 11.4 to 15.59 on the
Control Blade.

Expt. <u>25-4</u>	Time <u>12.55</u> ^{AM}	Date <u>23 Jun</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Fuel Evaluation</u>		
<u>Box 3 slot 8</u>		
Personnel: <u>MB RS</u>		

START-UP CHECK LIST	
Equipment Checked by <u>RS</u>	Engineer Checked by <u>RS</u>
Instrument and Safeties Checked and OK'd by <u>MB</u>	
Source In <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Checked by <u>MB</u>	
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>RS</u>	
Red Light On by <u>RS</u>	
Start-Up OK'd by <u>MB</u>	Time <u>12.55</u> ^{AM} Date <u>23 Jun</u> 195 <u>6</u>

Loading. Same as 25-3, except that $\frac{1}{2}$ Fuel Plate 5-3 was inserted in slot 8, Box 3, in place of 55 8-3.

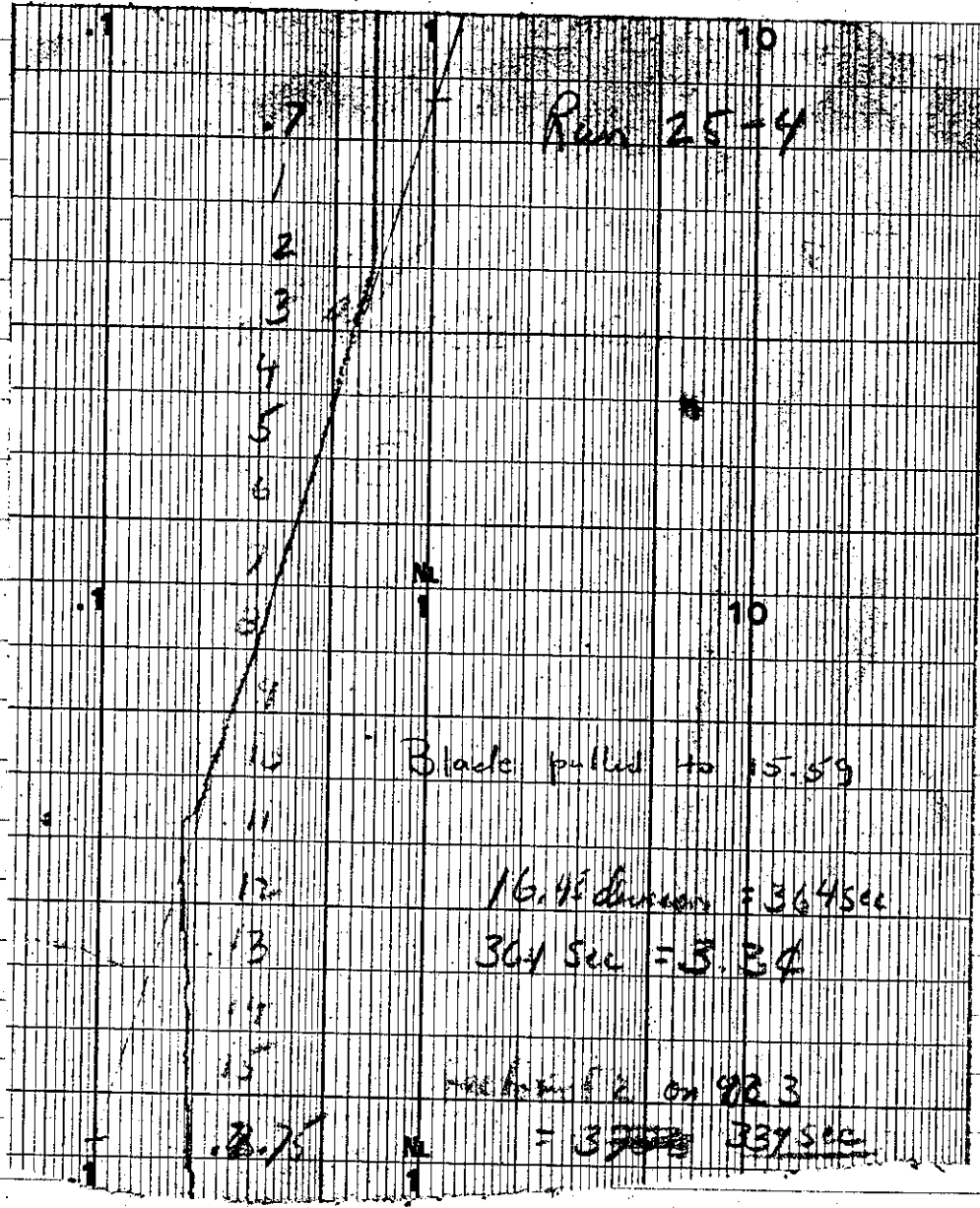
Critical Conditions:

Log N	.18	Control Blade	13.94
DC-3	7.4 $\times 10^{120}$	Control Rod	29.02
R-1	4.4 $\times 100 \times 1000$	Water Ht.	109.2
Water Temp	75.5		

A $\frac{1}{2}$ plate in slot 8, Box 3 is worth from 15.59 to 13.94 on the Control Blade.

The Control Blade was pulled out to 15.59 in order to get a period measurement of fuel $\frac{1}{2}$ plate worth.

While the reactor was on a t period, it took 339 seconds to increase in power by a factor of 2. (By DC-3.)



5

Expr. <u>25-5</u>	Time <u>1:20</u> ^{AM}	Date <u>23 Jan</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Recheck Zero Full Evaluation</u>		
Personnel: <u>MB WRS</u>		

START-UP CHECK LIST	
Equipment Checked by <u>MB</u>	Personnel Check by <u>MB</u>
Instrument and Safeties Checked and OK'd by <u>MB</u>	
"Source In" Checked by <u>MB</u>	
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>RS</u>	
Red Light On by <u>RS</u>	
Start-Up OK'd by <u>MB</u>	Time <u>1:20</u> ^{AM} Date <u>23 Jan</u> 195 <u>6</u>

Loading: Same as 25-3.

Critical Conditions at 1.30 PM

log N	.19	Control Blade	15.83
Dc-3	74 X10 X20	Control Rod	29.03
R1	4.45 X100 X1000	Water Ht.	109.6
Water Temp	75.5		

Expt. <u>25-6</u>	Time <u>1:35</u> ^{AM}	Date <u>23 Jan</u> 1956
Purpose <u>Fuel Evaluation.</u>		
<u>1/2 plate Box 9, Slot 8</u>		
Personnel: <u>MB RS</u>		

START-UP CHECK LIST		
Equipment Checked by <u>MB</u>	Personnel Check by <u>MB</u>	
Instrument and Safety Checked and OK'd by <u>MB</u>		
Source In checked by <u>MB</u>	Source No. _____	
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>RS</u>		
Red Light On by <u>RS</u>	AM	
Start-Up OK'd by <u>MB</u>	Time <u>1:35</u> ^{AM}	Date <u>23 Jan</u> 1956

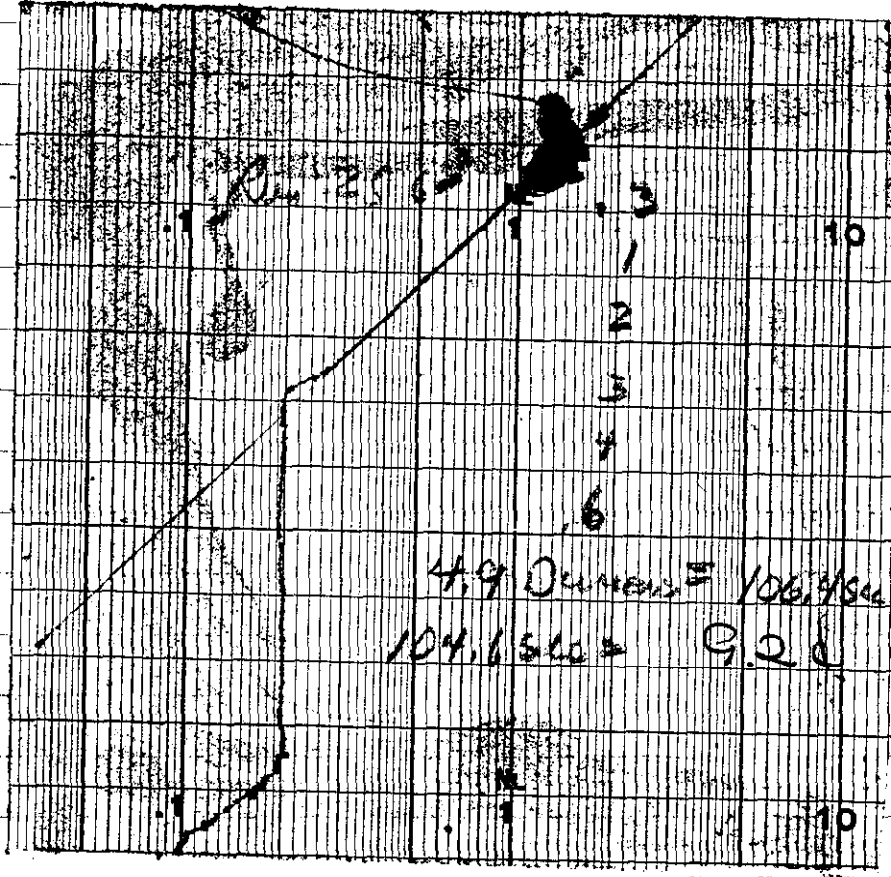
Loading: Same as 253 - except that 1/2 Fuel Plate 5-9 was inserted in Slot 8 Box 9, in place of 558-9.

Critical Conditions: at 1.44 PM.

Log N	.19	Control Blade	11.53
DC-3	74 x 10 x 20	Control Rod	29.23
R-1	4.45 x 100 x 1000	Water Ht	109.7
Water Temp	75.5		

Control Blade pulled to 15.03 to get a period measurement of Fuel worth in Box 9. 5678

On this period it took ⁷⁵~~105~~ seconds to go a factor of 2.



Expt. <u>25-7</u>	Time <u>1:52</u> ^{AM}	Date <u>23 Jan 1956</u>
Purpose <u>Fuel Evaluation</u>		
<u>Box 16 slot 8</u>		
Personnel: <u>MB RS</u>		

START-UP CHECK LIST		
Equipment Checked by <u>MB</u>	Personnel Check by <u>MB</u>	
Instrument and Safeties Checked and OK'd by <u>MB</u>		
Source In st Checked by _____	Source No. _____	
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>RS</u>		
Red Light On by <u>RS</u>	AM	
Start-Up OK'd by <u>MB</u>	Time _____	Date <u>23 Jan 1956</u>

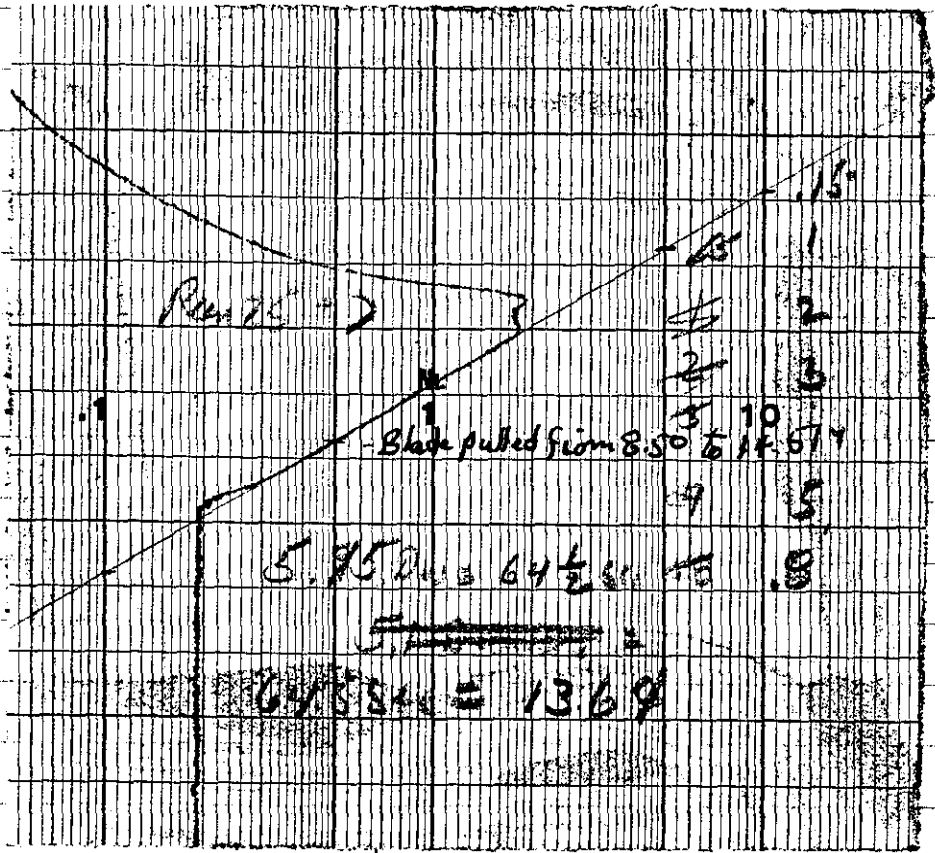
Loading: Same as 25-3 except that Fuel $\frac{1}{2}$ plate 5-16 was inserted in slot 8 Box 16 in place of SS # ~~8-16~~.

Critical Conditions: at 2.05

Log N	.19	Control Blade	8.50
DC-3	74 x 10 x 20	Control Rod	29.03
R-1	4.2 x 100 x 1000	Water Ht	109.5
Water Temp	25.5		

The Blade was pulled to 14.51 to get a partial period measurement of the worth of fuel in Box 16 slot 8.

While on this period it took 48.4 sec. to go a factor of 2. on DC.3.



Expr.	26-8	Time	2.25 ^{AM}	Date	23 Jan 1956
Purpose	Route Fuel Evaluation				
	Recheck Zero				
Personnel:	MB, WRS				

START-UP CHECK LIST					
Equipment Checked by	MB	Personnel Check by	MB		
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by	MB				
"Source In" Checked by	MB	Source No.			
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by	RS				
Red Light On by	RS	AM			
Start-Up OK'd by	MB	Time	2.25 ^{AM}	Date	23 Jan 1956

loading. Same as 25-3

Critical Conditions: at 2.35

Log N .19

Control Blade 16.56

DC-3 74 X 10 X 20

Control Rod 19.03

R-1 4.4 X 100 X 1000

Water Ht. 109.9

Water Temp 75

Expr. 25-9 Time 2.40 ^{AM} Date 23 Jan 1956
 Purpose Fuel Evaluation
1/2 plate slot 8 Box 23
 Personnel: MB RJ

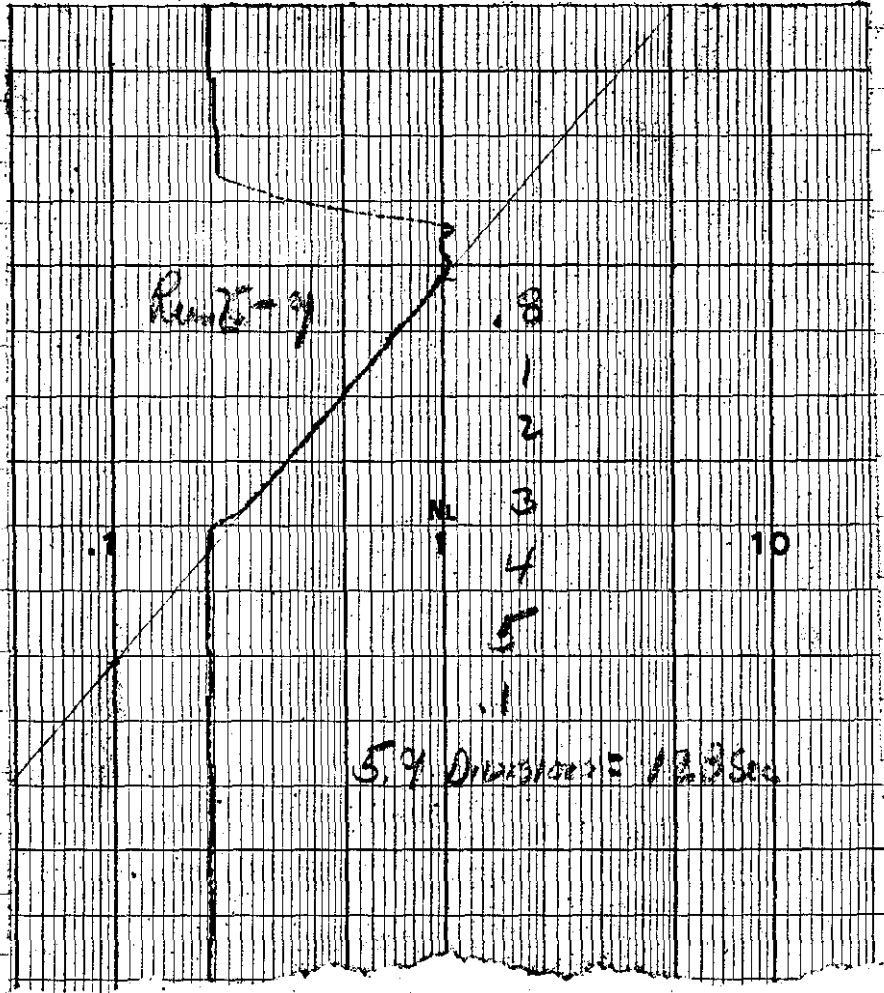
START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by RS Checked by RJ
 Instrument and Source MB
 "Source In" MB
 Emergency Stop RJ
 Red Light On by RS
 Start-Up OK'd by MB Time 2.40 ^{AM} Date 23 Jan 1956

Loading. Same as 25-3, except that 1/2 Fuel Plate 5-23 is inserted in Slot 8 Box 23, in place of SS 8-20.

Critical Conditions: at 2:50 PM.

log N	.19	Control Blade	7.63
DC-3	7.7 x 10 ¹²	Control Rod	19.03
R-1	4.45 x 10 ¹⁰	Water Ht.	109.8
Water Temp 75			

Blade pulled from 7.63 to 11.53 to get a partial (reactivity) period measurement.
 On this period it takes 89.4 sec to go a factor of 2 on DC-3.



Expt. <u>25-10</u>	Time <u>259</u> ^{AM}	Date <u>23 Jan</u> 1956
Purpose <u>Fuel Evaluation</u>		
<u>Zero Re Check</u>		
Personnel: <u>MB, WRS</u>		

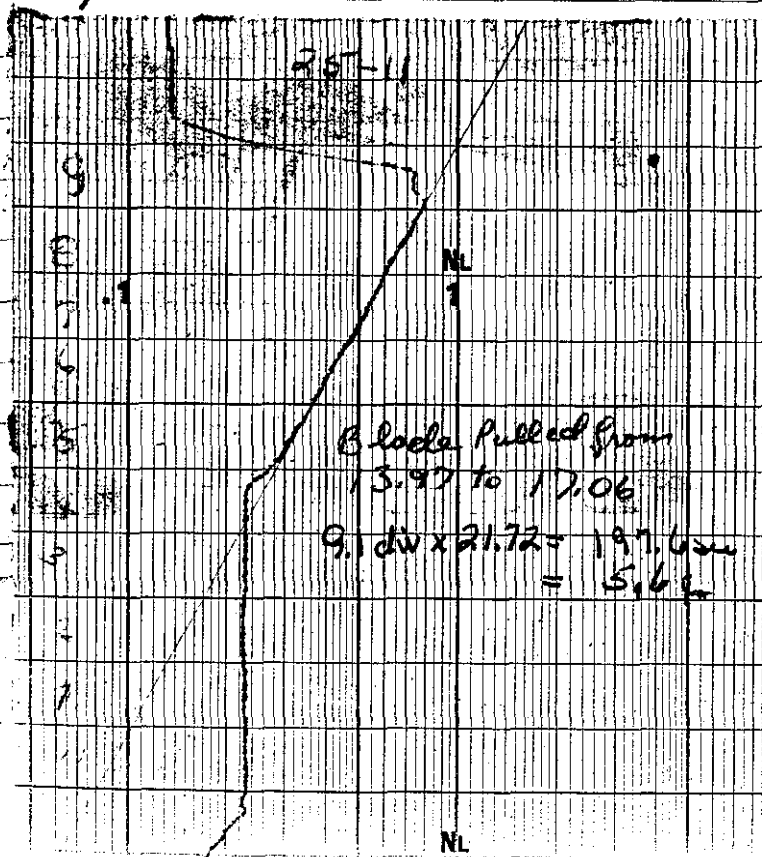
START-UP CHECK LIST	
Equipment Checked by <u>MB</u>	Personnel Check by <u>MB</u>
Instrument and Safety checked and OK'd by <u>MB</u>	
Source Light checked by <u>MB</u>	Source No. _____
Emergency Equipment in Control Room checked by <u>RS</u>	
Red Light On by <u>RS</u>	
Start-Up OK'd by <u>MB</u>	Time <u>259</u> ^{AM} Date <u>23 Jan</u> 1956

Loading. Same as 25-3

Critical Conditions at 305 :

Log N	.19	Control Blade	17.05
DC-3	73 X 10 X 20	Control Rod	29.03
R-1	43 X 100 X 1006	Water Ht.	109.6

Water Temp 75



Expr. 25-11	Time 3:11 ^{AM}	Date 23 Jan 1956
Purpose <u>Fuel Evaluation</u>		
<u>Full Plate. Slot 8 Box 3.</u>		
Personnel: _____		

START-UP CHECK LIST		
Equipment Checked by <u>MB</u>	Personnel Check by <u>MB</u>	
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by <u>MB</u>		
Source Int. Check by <u>RJ</u>	Source No. _____	
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>MB</u>		
Red Light On by <u>MB</u>		
Start Up OK'd by <u>RJ</u>	Time 3:10 ^{AM}	Date 1-23 1956

Loading - same as 25-3 except ^{fuel} full plate 15-8 now in slot 8, box 23.

Critical Conditions at 3:22.

R-1	5.1	Blade	13.97
DC-3	85 (10x20)	Rod	29.03
Log N	2.2	Height	109.0
Temp.	75°F		

Blade pulled to 17.06 for period measurement.

Time for a factor of 2 on DC-3 was 133 sec.

(Factor etc is $\therefore 181.5 \text{ sec.} = 6.04.$)

Expt. <u>25-12</u>	Time <u>3:30</u>	Date <u>1-23</u>	195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Zero Run</u>			
Personnel: _____			

START-UP CHECK LIST			
Equipment Checked by	<u>RJ</u>		<u>RJ</u>
Instrument and Scale			<u>RJ</u>
"Source In" Check	<u>RJ</u>		
Emergency Stop			<u>MB</u>
Red Light On by	<u>MB</u>		
Start-Up OK'd by	<u>RJ</u>	Time <u>3:50</u>	Date <u>1-23</u> 195 <u>6</u>

Loading - same as 25-3.

Critical conditions at 3:40

R-1	445 (100x1000)	Rid	29.03
DC-3	74 (10x20)	Blade	17.88
Log N	18	Water	109.4
Temp.	76°F		

Expr. 25-13 Time 3:50 AM Date 1-23 1956
 Purpose Full plate in slot 8, box 9
 Personnel: _____

START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by RJ Personnel Check by RJ
 Instrument and Safety _____ and Reset by RJ
 "Source In" Checked by RJ Source No: _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by MB
 Red Light On by MB AM
 Start-Up OK'd by RJ Time 3:50 AM Date 1-23 1956

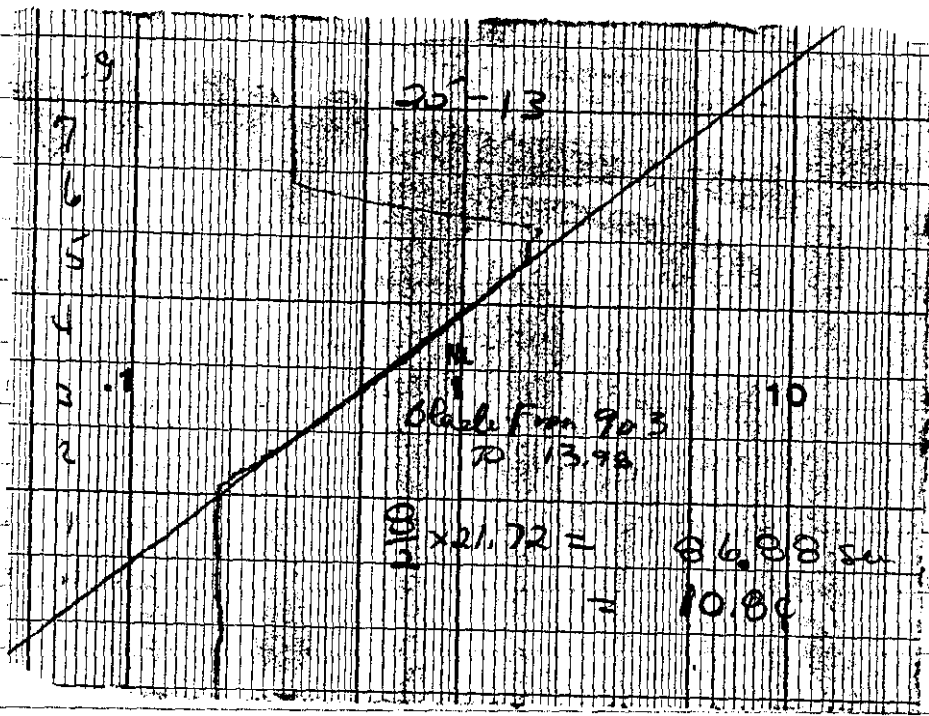
Loading - same as 25-3 except full plate, 15-9 in slot 8, box 9.

*Critical Conditions - 3:59

R-1	4.35 (100x1000)	Blade	8.89 9.01
DC-3	73 (10x20)	Rod	29.03
Log N	.18	Water	109.3
Temp	76 75°F		

Blade pulled to 13.98 for period measurement.

Time for a factor of 2 on DC-3 — 61.5 sec.
 (corresponding to a factor of 6 (period) of 84 sec) = 114)



Expt. 25-14 Time 4:07 AM Date 1-23 1956
 Purpose Zero Check
 Personnel:

START UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by RJ Personnel Checked by RJ
 Instrument and Method RJ
 "Source In" Checked RJ
 Emergency Equipment Control Room Checked by MB
 Red Light On by MB
 Start Up OK'd by RJ Time 4:07 AM Date 1-23 1956

Loading - same as 25-3.

Critical conditions : 4:15

LogN	.19	Height	109.3
DE-3	74 (110 v 20)	Blade	18.40 19.01
R-1	4.5 (100 x 1000)	Rod	29.03
Temp	75.50		

Expr. 26-1 Time 1:20 ^{PM} Date 1-25 1956
 Purpose Fine structure in C.C. APPR box
Zero Run
 Personnel: _____

INSTRUMENT CHECK

Date _____ 195 Time _____ AM
 Trip _____ PM Source No. _____

Instrument	Volts	Temp	Source	Distance	Start-Up	Scale
DC-1						
DC-2						
DC-3	-	81	10	20		
Log-N	✓		12	cm		
R-1	✓	6	9	1000		
R-2			2	100		
P. M.	✓		800	V		

START-UP CHECK LIST

Equipment Checked by DVPW Personnel Check by MB
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Verified by DVPW
 "Source In" Checked by DVPW _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by MB
 Red Light On by DVPW _____
 Start-Up OK'd by DVPW Time 1:25 ^{PM} Date 1-25 1956

Loading -

slot	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
series	13	2	14	4	5	9	7	5	9	7	11	12	11	14	15	8	1	10
material	f	s	f	s	s	f	s	f	s	f	s	s	f	s	s	f	s	f

Except for slot 8 in the following boxes:

- 14 which contains 15-1
- 18 15-2
- 28 15-3
- 32 15-4
- 20 15-7
- 26 15-8

Critical conditions

Lg N	0.057	Blade	19.8 ~ 19.0
De-3	88(1x50)	Rad	28.03
R-1	3(50x1000)	Water	109.4
Temp.	76°F		

$$7.5 \text{ plat/box} + 3 \text{ plates} = 340.5 \text{ plates}$$

$$340.5 \times 31.1 = 10.59 \text{ Kg u-235}$$

17 18
1 10
5 8
5

Expt. 26-2 Time 2:15 ^{AM} ~~PM~~ Date 1-25 1956
 Purpose Fine structure in APPR elements
 Personnel: _____

START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by RJ Personnel Check by MB
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by MB
 "Scout In" Checked by RJ Source No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by MB
 Red Light On by RJ
 Start-Up OK'd by RJ Time 2:15 ^{AM} ~~PM~~ Date 1-25 1956.

Loading - same as 26-1 except APPR element with the "light" plates ~~are~~ is in position #23.

Foil Location -

Position Box Slot	Position of foil on Plate		Foil #	Diagram
	West	East Side		
16-10	7-16	E	2	
16-13	11-16	E	14	
16-16	8-16	E	3	
16-18	10-16	E	4	
23-1	APL-1	E	6	
23-3	APL-2	E	7	
23-4	APL-4	in water between 4 & 5 - 8		
23-6	APL-6	W	10	
23-7	APL-7	in water between 7 & 8 - 11		
23-9	APL-9	E	12	
23-11	APL-11	E; center of plate - 13		
23-13	APL-13	W	16	
23-11	APL-11	E; near S edge of plate - 15		
24-10	7-24	W; near N edge of plate - 17		
24-10	7-24	W; near center of plate - 1		

1/2 final power ($\text{Log}N=0.74$) at 2:36:03

Run conditions:

Water	109.4cm	DC-3	—
Blade	0.47	R-1	51.5 (1000 x 1000)
Rod	29.03	$\text{Log}N$	2.0
		temp.	

N

Expt.	25-15	Time	9:25 ^{AM}	Date	1-26 1956
Purpose	Zero check				
Personnel:					
INSTRUMENT CHECK					
Date	1-26 1956	Time	9:25 ^{AM}	Source No.	
Instrument		Scale			
DC-1					
DC-2					
DC-3	✓	80	10x20	2"	
Log N	✓		1250		
R-1	✓	5.9	9x1000		
R-2			100		
P. M.	✓	800V	2"		

Log N calibration - meter 0.079
 Recorder 0.079

START-UP CHECK LIST	
Equipment Checked by	RJ
Instrument and Safeties Checked and	MB
Source in Control Room by	RJ
Emergency Equipment in Control Room	MB
Red Light On by	MB
Start-Up OK'd by	RJ
Time	9:50 ^{AM}
Date	1-26 1956

Loading - same as 26-1 (pg 114) except S.S. is now in slot 3, box 3; and full fuel 15-5 now in slot 8, box 43; full fuel 15-6 now in slot 8, box 38.

Critical conditions

R-1 4.35 (10x1000) Height 109.4
 Log N .18 Blade 13.05
 DC-3 74 (10x20) Rod 29.02
 Temp 75.5 °F

Expt. <u>25-16</u>	Time <u>10:25</u> ^{AM}	Date <u>1-26</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Zero check</u>		
Personnel: _____		

START-UP CHECK LIST		
Equipment Checked by <u>RJ</u>	Personnel Check by <u>RJ</u>	
Instrument and Safety Checked and Reset by <u>MB</u>		
"Source In" Checked by <u>RJ</u>	Source No. _____	
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>MB</u>		
Red Light On by <u>MB</u>		
Start-Up OK'd by <u>RJ</u>	Time <u>10:25</u> ^{AM}	Date <u>1-26</u> 195 <u>6</u>

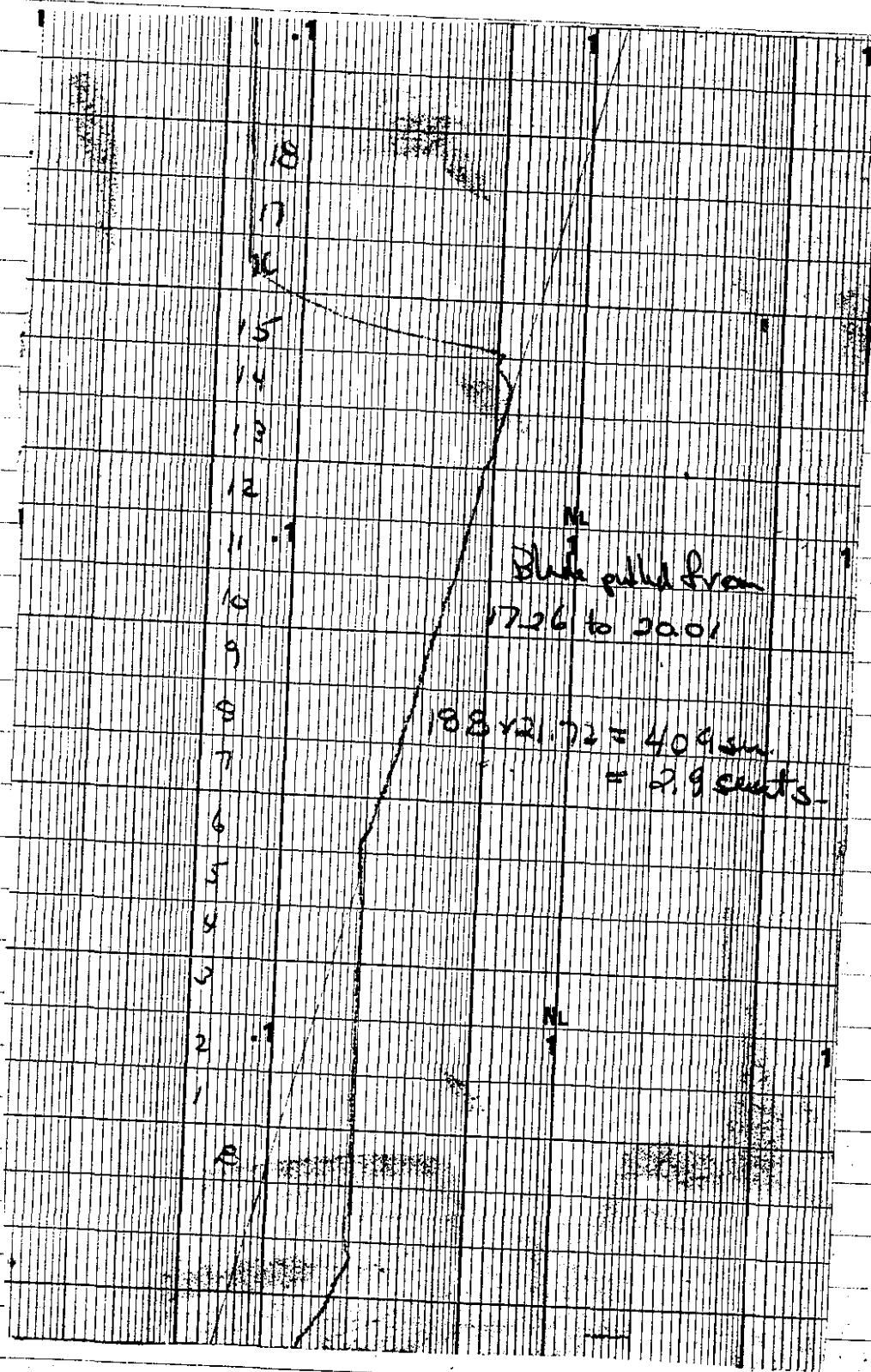
loading - same as 26-1 (p. 114) except s.s. is now in slot 3, box 3 and full fuel 15-5 is now in slot 8, box 43.

Critical conditions at 10:36

Log N	0.19	Height	109.2
DC-3	74.5 (10x20)	Blade	17.26
R-1	4.45 (100x1000)	Rod	29.02
Temp.	109.2 75.5°F		

Blade pulled to 20.01 for calibration.

Time to go a factor of 2 (from 40 to 80 on scale 10x50) was 283.5 sec. or a period of 387 sec. (3.054).



Expr. <u>25-17</u>	Time <u>10:55</u> ^{AM} PM	Date <u>1-26</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Evaluation full → half plates</u> <u>box 16, slot 8.</u>		
Personnel: _____		

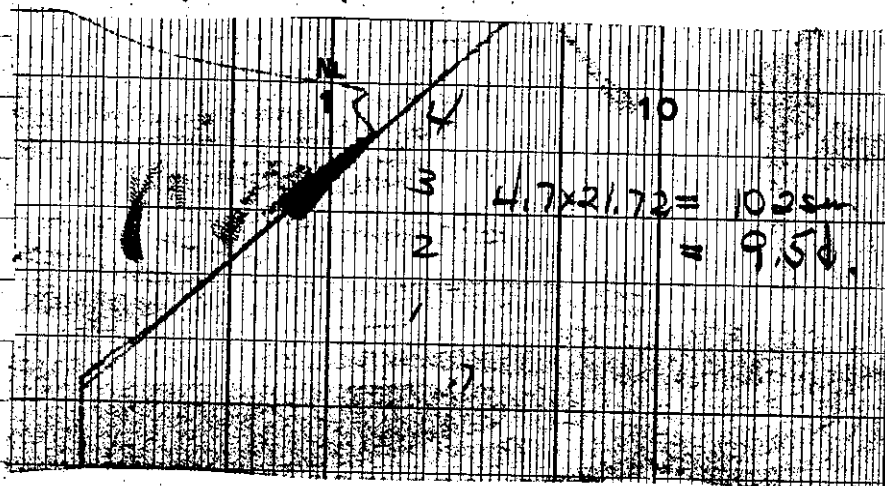
START-UP CHECK LIST	
Equipment Checked by <u>RJ</u>	Personnel Check by <u>RJ</u>
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Ready by <u>RJ</u>	
"Source In" Checked by <u>RJ</u>	Source No. _____
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>MB</u>	
Red Light On by <u>MB</u>	
Start-Up OK'd by <u>RJ</u>	Time <u>10:55</u> ^{AM} PM Date <u>1-26</u> 195 <u>6</u>

Loading - same as 25-16 except full plate, 6-2,
now in place of half plate, 5-16, in slot 8, box 16.

Critical conditions at 11:00

DC3	74 (10x20)	Rod	29.02 in.
R-1	4.425 (100x1000)	Blade	9.49
Log N	0.18	Water	109.3 cm.
Temp.	76°f		

Blade pulled to 14.02 for period measurement.
Time for a scale factor of 2 on DC-3 was 69.3 sec.
corresponding to a period of 94.2 sec. (10.14)



Expt. 25-19 Time 11:10 Date 1-26 1956
 Purpose Recheck zero
 Personnel: _____

START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by RJ Personnel Check by RJ
 Instrument and Safety Checked by RJ
 "Source In" Checked by RJ
 Emergency Equipment Checked by MB
 Red Light On by MB
 Start-Up OK'd by RJ Time 11:10 PM Date 1-26 1956

Loading same as 25-16.

Critical Conditions: at 11:41

DC-3	74 (10x20)	Blade	17.26
R-1	4.4 (100x1000)	Rod	29.02 in.
Log N	0.19	Water	109.8 cm.
Temp.	75.		

Expr. <u>25-19</u>	Time <u>1:20</u> ^{AM}	Date <u>26 Jan</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Recheck Zero</u>		
Personnel: <u>MB, RS</u>		

START-UP CHECK LIST	
Equipment Checked by <u>MB</u>	Personnel Check by <u>MB</u>
Instrument and Safety Checked and Ready by <u>RS</u>	
Source in Control Room <u>MB</u>	Source No. _____
Emergency Number in Control Room Checked by <u>RS</u>	
Red Light On by <u>RS</u>	AM
Start-Up OK'd by <u>MB</u>	Time <u>1:21</u> ^{AM} Date <u>26 Jan</u> 195 <u>6</u>

Loading: Same as 25-16.

Critical Conditions:

Log N	: 19	Control Blade	19.03
Oc-3	74 X10 X200	Control Rod	29.02
R-1	4.45 X100 X1000	Time	1:33
Water Temp	75	Water Ht.	109.5

Expt. <u>25-20</u>	to <u>1.35</u> AM	Date <u>26 Jan. 1956</u>
Purpose: <u>Fuel Evaluation</u>		
<u>Box 23 slot B</u>		
Personnel: <u>MB, RS</u>		

START-UP CHECK LIST		
Equipment Checked by <u>MB</u>	Personnel check by <u>MB</u>	
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset	<u>RS</u>	
"Source In" Checked by <u>MB</u>		
Emergency Equipment in Control Room checked by <u>RS</u>		
Red Light On by <u>RS</u>	AM	
Start-Up OK'd by <u>MB</u>	Time <u>1:35</u>	Date <u>26 Jan 1956</u>

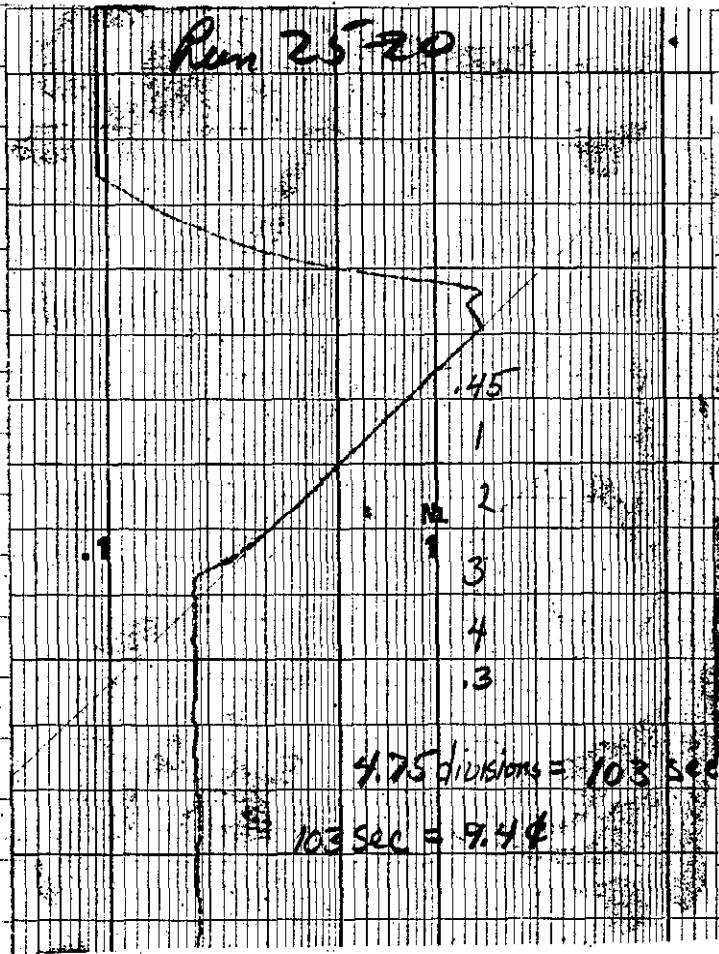
Loading: Same as 25-16, except that Full plate 6-2 is put into slot B Box 23, ~~instead of~~ in place of 5-23.

Critical Conditions:

log N	.18	Control Blade	8.55
DC3	75 X 10 X 20	Control Rod	29.02
R-1	4.3 x 100 X 1000	Time	1:47
Water Temp	75.5	Water Ht.	109.7

The Control Blade is pulled to 13.01 from 8.55 in order to get a partial period measurement of the reactivity of the added fuel in Box 23, Slot B.

It took DC, 3 73 sec to go a factor of 2, which results in a period measurement of 99.7 sec. This is a period worth 9.6 cents.



Expt. <u>25-21</u>	Time <u>200</u> ^{AM}	Date <u>26 Jan 1956</u>
Purpose <u>Recheck Zero</u>		
Personnel: <u>MB, WRT</u>		

START-UP CHECK LIST		
Equipment Checked by <u>MB</u>	Personnel Check by <u>MB</u>	
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by <u>MB</u>		
"Source In" Checked by <u>MB</u>	Source No. _____	
Emergency Equipment in Control Room checked by <u>RS</u>		
Red Light On by <u>RS</u>	AM	
Start-Up OK'd by <u>MB</u>	Time <u>200</u> ^{AM}	Date <u>26 Jan 1956</u>

Loading. Same as 25-16

Critical Conditions

Log N	.17	Control Blade	19.52
DC-3	75.110120	Control Rod	29.02
R-1	4.25 ¹⁰⁰⁰ 1000	Time	2:08
Water Temp	75	Water Ht.	109.5

Expr.	25-22	Time	2:19 AM	Date	26 Jan 1956
Purpose	Fuel evaluation Full Plate Box 3 slot 3				
Personnel:	MB RS				

START-UP CHECK LIST	
Equipment Checked by	RS Personnel Check by RS
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by	MB
"Source In" Checked by	MB Source No.
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by	RS
Red Light On by	RS AM
Start-Up OK'd by	MB Time 2:19 PM Date 26 Jan 1956

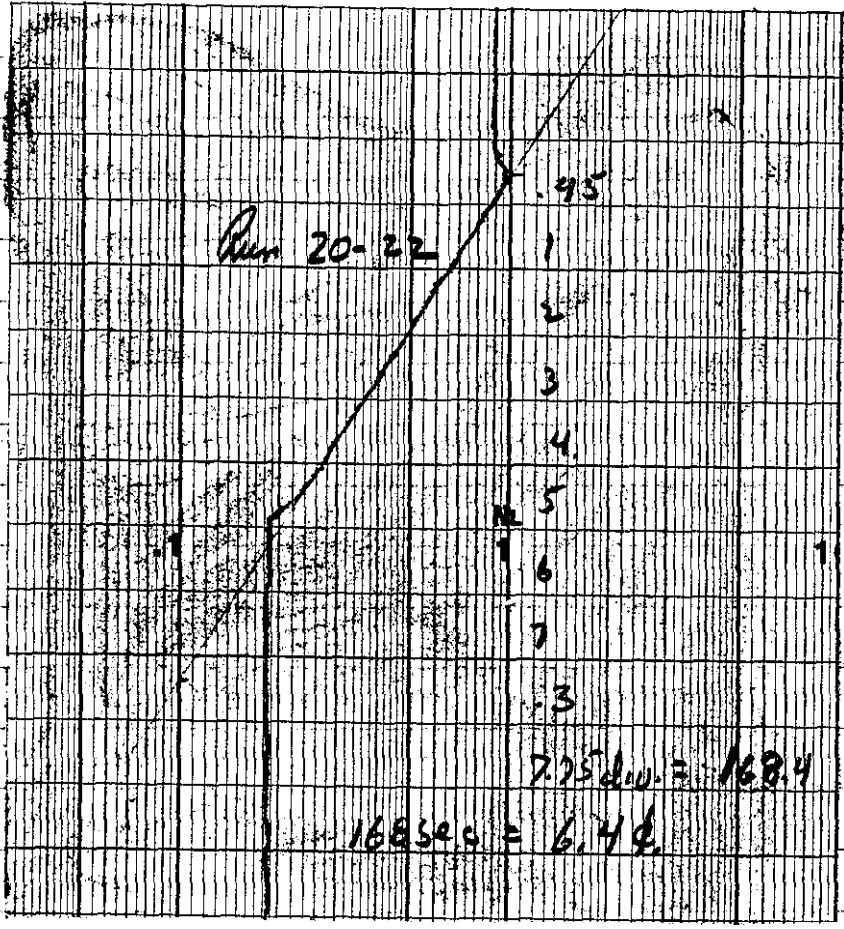
loading: Same as 25-16, except Full Fuel Plate 14-3 is put in Box 3 - slot 3, in place of Stainless Steel.

Critical Conditions

Log N	.18	Control Blade	15. ³³ 90
DC-3	74 x 10 x 20	Control Rod	29.02
R-1	4.25 x 100 x 1000	Time	2.39
Water Temp	75	Water Ht	109.8

Control Blade pulled to 20: to get a period measurement from 15.³³~~90~~ to 20.0

DC-3 took ~~12004~~ to go a factor of 2, which is equivalent to a period of ~~8 sec~~. 164 sec period, worth 6.6 cents in Reactivity.



Expt. <u>25-23</u>	Time <u>2:54</u> ^{AM}	Date <u>26 Jan</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Fuel Evaluation</u>		
<u>APPR Type Plate, Box 23, Slot B.</u>		
Personnel: <u>MB RS</u>		

START-UP CHECK LIST		
Equipment Checked by <u>MB</u>	Personnel Check by <u>MB</u>	
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by <u>MB</u>		
"Source In" Checked by <u>MB</u>	Source No. <u></u>	
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>RS</u>		
Red Light On by <u>RS</u>	AM	
Start-Up OK'd by <u>MB</u>	Time <u>2:54</u>	Date <u>26 Jan</u> 195 <u>6</u>

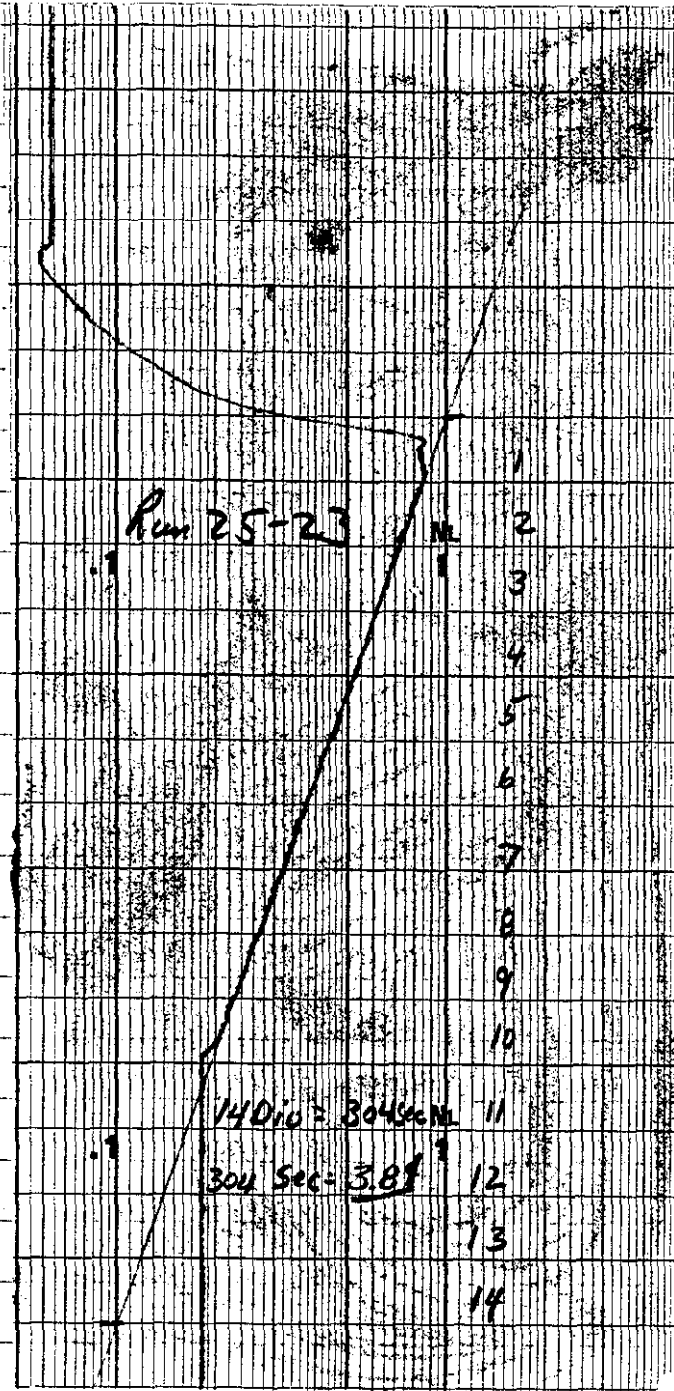
Loading: Same as 25-22, except that APPR Plate AP1-8 is in Box 23 Slot B, instead of 1/2 plate 5-23.

Critical Conditions:

log N	.18	Control Blade	16.65
DC-3	74 x 10 x 20	Control Rod	29.02
R-1	4.3 x 100 x 1000	Time	3.07
Water Temp	75.	Water Ht.	109.7

Blade pulled to 20.01 from 16.65, to get a period measurement.

DC-3 took 214 sec to go a factor of 2 on a period of 292 sec. This is worth 4 ϕ in reactivity.



Expt. <u>25-24</u>	Time <u>9:15</u> ^{AM}	Date <u>26 Jan</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Zero Recheck</u>		
Personnel: <u>MB, WRS</u>		

START-UP CHECK LIST		
Equipment Checked by <u>RS</u>	Personnel Checked by <u>RS</u>	
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by <u>MB</u>		
"Source In" Checked by <u>MB</u>	Source No. _____	
Emergency Equipment Control Room Checked by <u>RS</u>		
Red Light On by <u>RS</u>		
Start Up OK'd by <u>MB</u>	Time <u>3:20</u> ^{AM}	Date <u>26 Jan</u> 195 <u>6</u>

loading. Same as 25-22.

Critical Conditions.

Log N 18

DC-3 74.210 x 20

R-1 4.35 x 100 x 1000

Water Ht Temp 75

Control Blade 15.69

Control Rod 29.02

Time 3:32

Water Ht. 109.7

Expr.	25-25	Time	3:35 ^{AM}	Date	26 Jan 1956
Purpose	Fuel Evaluation				
	Full plate Box 23, Slot B				
Personnel:	MB RS				

START-UP CHECK LIST	
Equipment Checked by	MB Personnel Check by MB
Instrument and Safeties Checked and OK'd by	RS
"Source In" Checked by	MB
Emergency Equipment in Control Room, checked by	RS
Red Light On by	RS
Start-Up OK'd by	MB
Time	3:35 ^{AM} Date 26 Jan 1956

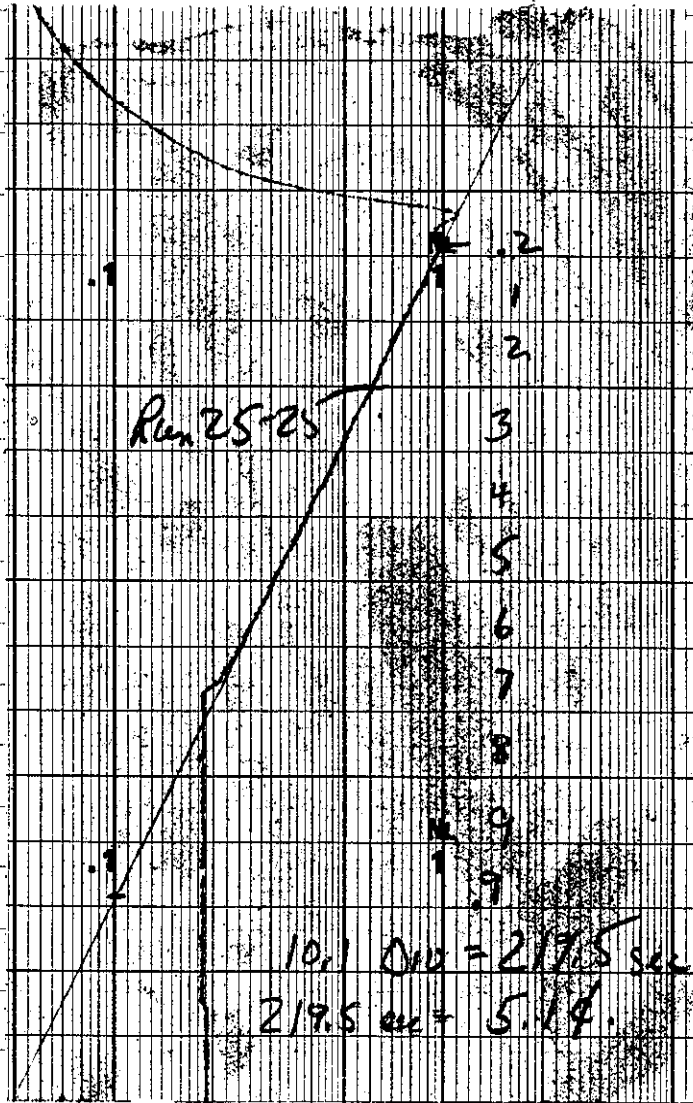
Loading: Same as 25-24, except that Full Fuel Plate 6-2 is in slot B Box 23, instead of $\frac{1}{2}$ plate J-23.

Critical Conditions

Log N	.18	Control Blade	5.97
OC-3	8.2 X 10 ²⁰	Control Rod	29.02
R-1	4.6 X 100 X 100	Time	3.46
Water Temp	75	Water Height	110.1

Blade pulled to 9.0 to get a period measurement.

OC-3 took 155 sec to go a factor of 2, this is a period of 211.7 sec, which is 5.2 β in reactivity.



Expr. <u>25-26</u>	Time <u>3:55</u> AM	Date <u>26 Jan</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Recheck Zero</u>		
Personnel: <u>MB, W.R.</u>		

START-UP CHECK LIST	
Equipment Checked by <u>MB</u>	Personnel Checked by <u>MB</u>
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset	<u>MB</u>
"Source In" Checked by <u>MB</u>	Count No.
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>RS</u>	
Red Light On by <u>RS</u>	AM
Start-Up OK'd by <u>MB</u>	Time <u>3:56</u> AM Date <u>26 Jan</u> 195 <u>6</u>

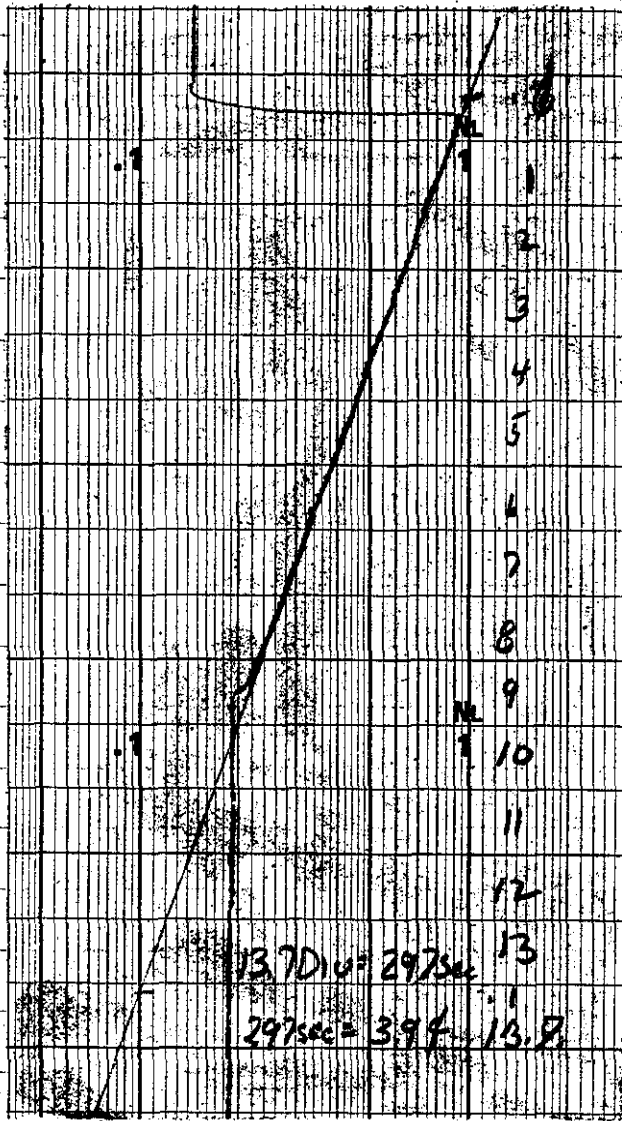
Loading: Same as - 25-22.

Critical Conditions

log N .18	Control Blade 16.05
DC-3 75 x 10 x 20	Control Rod 29.02
R-1 4.35 x 100 x 1000	Time 4.11 4.11
Water Temp 75	Water Height 109.5

Control Blade pulled to to get a reactivity measurement.

DC-3 took 199 sec to go a factor of 2, this is a 272 period, worth 4.2¢.



12.

Expt. <u>26-3</u>	Time <u>9:15</u> ^{AM}	Date <u>1-27</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Final structure in light to cal</u>		
<u>APPE box - zero run.</u>		
Personnel: _____		

INSTRUMENT CHECK				
Date	1-27	1956	Time	9:15 ^{AM}
			Trip	PM Source No.
Instrument	Value	Scale	Source Distance	Start-Up Scale
DC-1				
DC-2				
DC-3	-	80	10x20	3" 1
Log N	-		12cm	
R-1			5x100	
R-2			x100	
P. M.	-	800V		"

Log N 0.079, meter
calibration 0.076, recorder.

Adjust zero on log N. $gnd = .001$
 $ko = .1$

START-UP CHECK	
Equipment Checked by <u>DWM</u>	checked by <u>DWM</u>
Instrument and Safety _____	checked by <u>DWM</u>
"Source In" checked by <u>MBS</u>	
Emergency Equipment in Control Room checked by <u>DWM</u>	
Red Light On by <u>DWM</u>	AM
Start-Up OK'd by <u>MB</u>	Time <u>9:30</u> Date <u>Jan 27</u> 195 <u>6</u>

Loading: Same as 25-22 except for two plates
removed for foil loading. 6-2 put in Box 24 slot 10
6-4 put in Box 16 slot 13

CRITICAL CONDITIONS:

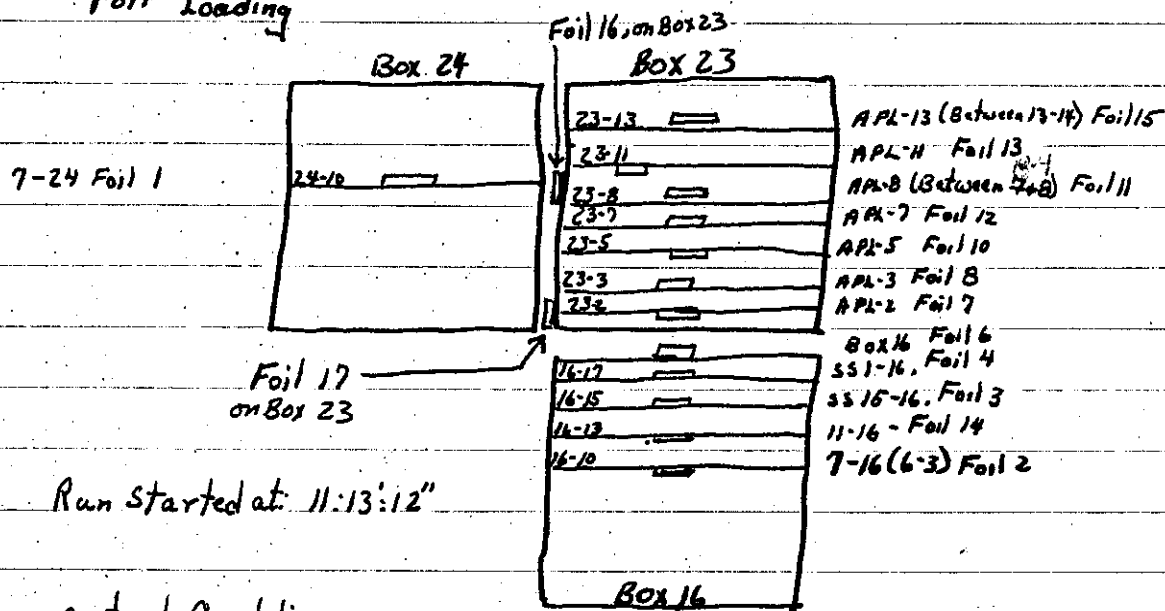
Water Height	109.5	R-1	4.5 x 5.6 x 100
" Temp	75°F	Log N	.09
Crit Rod	29.02	DC-3	76 x 10 x 10
" Blade	17.45		

Expr. 26-4 Time 10:58 ^(AM) PM Date 27 Jan 1956
 Purpose: Final Structure in Light Loaded
APR-Box - Foil Run
 Personnel: MB - WPS *J. J. ...*

START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by WPS Personnel Check by RS
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by MB
 "Source Is" Checked by MB Source No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by RS
 Red Light On by RS
 Start-Up OK'd by MB Time 10:58 ^(AM) PM Date 27 Jan 1956

Loading: Same as 25-22, except that the APR Box is in its position 23.

Foil Loading



Run started at 11:13:12"

Critical Conditions

Log N 2.0 Control Blade 10.58
 D-C-2 69 x 10 x 5 Control Rod 29.02
 R-1 5.55 x 1000 x 1000 Water Height 109.6
 Water Temp 76.5°F

Expr.	27-1	Time	2:15 PM	Date	Jan 27 1956
Purpose	Zero Run - Thermal Expansion Rate				
Personnel:	WRJ	DWM			

START-UP CHECK LIST					
Equipment Checked by	DWM	Personnel Check by	DWM		
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Read by	WRJ				
"Source In" Checked by	WRJ	Source No.			
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by	DWM				
Red Light On by	DWM				
Start-Up OK'd by	WRJ	Time	2:15 PM	Date	Jan 27 1956

Loading: Same as 25-22 except 5 plates -- fuel plates exchanged for half plates

	5-3	Removed from Box 3 slot 8	Inserted	15-6
	5-7	5-7 "	#7 "	15-11
WRJ	5-11	5-11 "	#11 "	15-12
1-30-56	5-35	"	35 "	15-14
	5-39	"	39 "	15-15

~~Crit. Cond.~~ Added 2 2.05" x 0.026" cadmium discs taped on each side of 7-23. (Box 23 slot 10)

Crit. Conditions

Blade	19.99	DC.3	47 x 10 x 20
Rod	29.02	Log N	0.13
Water Ht	109.3	R-1	2.7 x 100 x 1000
Temp	75 °F		

Expt.	27-2	Time	2:40	AM	Date	1-27	1956
Purpose	Determination of the thermal Expansion Ratio.						
Personnel:							
START-UP CHECK LIST							
Equipment Checked by	RJ	Personnel Check by	MB				
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by	RJ						
"Source In" Checked by	RJ	Source No.					
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by	MB						
Red Light On by	MB	AM					
Start-Up OK'd by	RJ	Time	2:46	PM	Date	1-27	1956

Loading - same as 27-1 except plate 15-16 now in slot 8, box 20
 Also the following special plates:

- # F-1 is covered, has foil #201, & is in slot 10, box 23.
- F-2 is bare, " " #202, " " " 10, " 3
- 5#6 " " " " 203 " " " 10, " 37.

Standardizing catcher foils are located:

- #1, in corner position A-7 in upper grid.
- #2, in its usual west-skirt position.

We find power at 2:59:24.

Run conditions (at 15 min.)

Water 109.1 cm. Temp 75°F

Blue 8.36 DC-2 771 (x 50)

Red 29.02 R-1 5.6 (1000 x 1000)

Log N 2.0

Expr. <u>27-3</u>	Time <u>4:30</u> ^{AM} _{PM}	Date <u>1-30</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Zero Check</u>		
Personnel: <u>D.M.; M.B.</u>		

INSTRUMENT CHECK					
Date	<u>1-30</u>	195 <u>6</u>	Time	<u>4:30</u> ^{AM} _{PM}	Source No. _____
	Trip _____				
Instrument	Value	Scale	Source	Distance	Station No.
DC-1					
DC-2					
DC-3	<u>✓</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>10x100</u>	<u>3"</u>	
Log N	<u>✓</u>		<u>12m.</u>		
R-1	<u>✓</u>	<u>5.5</u>	<u>8x1000x100</u>		
R-2					
P. M.	<u>✓</u>		<u>800v</u>	<u>contact</u>	

Log N calibration: .079 - meter
.081 - recorder.

No zero adjustment necessary

START-UP CHECK LIST	
Equipment Checked by <u>D.M.</u>	Personnel Check by <u>D.M.</u>
Instrument and Safeties Checked and OK'd by <u>M.B., D.M.</u>	
"Source In" Checked by <u>D.M.</u>	
Emergency Equipment in Control Room OK'd by <u>MB</u>	
Red Light On by <u>MB</u>	
Start-Up OK'd by <u>D.M.</u>	Time <u>4:30</u> ^{AM} _{PM} Date <u>1-30</u> 195 <u>6</u>

Loading - same as 27-1 except Cd disks one on both sides of ^{fuel} 7-3 (slot 10, box 2) and 7-23 (slot 10, box 37) instead of at slot 10, box 23.

From conditions - Super (soave out)

DC-3	Blade	0.00
R-1	Rod	29.02
Log N	Water	109.5
Temp	Super by	24/-54

Expt. 27-4 Time 5:45 AM Date 1-30 1956
 Purpose Determination of Thermal Fission Ratio - part II
 Personnel: _____

START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by DM Personnel Check by MB
 Instrument and Safety _____ and Reset by DM
 "Source In" checked by DM Source No. _____
 Emergency Switch and Control Room checked by MB
 Red Light _____
 Start Up Order by DM Time 5:45 AM Date 1-30 1956

Loading - same as 27-3 except full plate 15-U6 removed from slot 8, box 30 & replaced by 5-30.

Foil Locations:

Box	Slot	Fuel Plate	Foil #	Bar or Cd Covered.
37	10	#516	205	Cd covered
23	10	#511 (F-2)	206	Bare
3	10	# F-1	204	Cd covered.

ke Final power at 5:59:08 pm.

Run conditions - (at 15 minutes)

DC-3	—	Height	109.4
R-1	5.3 (1000 x 1000)	Blade	11.45
DC-2	71 (1 x 50)	Rod	29.03
Log N	2.0		

Twenty minute exposure.

Expr. <u>27-5</u>	Time <u>8:30</u> ^{AM}	Date <u>30 Jan 58</u>	195 <u>58</u>
Purpose <u>Jux peaks in Core Corners, Also</u> <u>Determination of % Thermal Fissions</u>			
Personnel: <u>WRS, DWM</u>			

START-UP CHECK LIST			
Equipment Checked by <u>DWM</u>	Pre-Start Check by <u>RS</u>		
Instrument on i Safety "Control" Checked by <u>DM</u>			
"Source In" Checked by <u>DM</u>	Source No.		
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>RS</u>			
Red Light On by <u>RS</u>	AM		
Start-Up OK'd by <u>DM</u>	Time <u>8:30</u>	Date <u>30 Jan</u>	195 <u>6</u>

Note: For This Experiment the voltage on the photomultiplier tube was reduced to ~~730~~ 740 v.

Loading: Same as 27-4, except that $\frac{1}{2}$ Fuel Plate was put into Box ~~7, slot 10~~, in place of Full Fuel Plate 15-11

Critical Conditions

Log. N	4.0	Control Blade	10.60
DC-2	77 X 10.110	Control Rod	29.02
Water temp.	75	Water Ht	109.8

Foil Positions

Position Box slot	Plate #	FL Catcher Foil #	Remarks
37 -10	F-1	208	Cd Covered
23-10	F-2	207	Bare
12-1	617	C-51 ⁵² 26 25	
11-1	618	C-8	on outside Near Corners
5-18	619	C-20	" " " "

Position	Plate #	Al Catcher Foil #	Remarks
5-16	616	C-15	on outside near corner
5-10	621	C-47	" " " "
5-3	614	C-46	" " " "
5-1	613	C-53	" " " "

Clock started at: 8:49:37" (1.45 on log N meter)

er

to

arks

red

2

corner

"

Expr. 28-1 Time 5:30 AM Date 1-31 1956
 Purpose Effect of distributing boron - zero run.
 Personnel: _____

INSTRUMENT CHECK

Date 1-31 1956 Time 5:30 AM Source No. _____
 Title _____
 Instrument Value Scale Source Distance Start-Up Scale

INSTR					
INSTR					
INSTR					
Log N	-	75	10x20	3"	
R-1	-	55	.8x1000	contact.	
H-1			1150		
P. M.	-	806v		1"	

Log N calibration — .081 meter
 .083 Recorder.

START-UP CHECK LIST

Equipment Checked by RJ Person who checked by MB
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and _____ RJ/MB
 "Source In" Checked by RJ _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by MB
 Red Light On by MB AM
 Start-Up OK'd by RJ Time 5:50 Date 1-31 1956

Loadings — (complete 9⁴ plus 12 Ref plates plus 1 full boron per box)

slots	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Series	13	2	14	4	4	9	7	5	9	7	6	12	11	15	8	1	10	
material	f $\frac{5}{3}$	f $\frac{5}{3}$	f $\frac{5}{3}$	f $\frac{5}{3}$	f $\frac{5}{3}$	f $\frac{5}{3}$	f $\frac{5}{3}$	f $\frac{5}{3}$	f $\frac{5}{3}$	f $\frac{5}{3}$	f $\frac{5}{3}$	f $\frac{5}{3}$	f $\frac{5}{3}$	f $\frac{5}{3}$	f $\frac{5}{3}$	f $\frac{5}{3}$	f $\frac{5}{3}$	f $\frac{5}{3}$

Except:

slot # box	now contains.	slot # box	now contains.
3	15-6	+ 20	15-7
+ 7	15-11	+ 26	15-8
+ 11	15-12	28	15-3
14	15-1	32	15-4
18	15-2	- 35	15-14
43	15-5	- 39	15-19

Loading (cont.)

also the following plates have been substituted because of bulging.

Removed

5-6

7-18

11-18

Inserted

H-961

4-204

#378

Reactor quite sub-critical.

ok)

3
4
7.

Expt. <u>28-2</u>	Time <u>7:30</u>	Date <u>1-31</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Zero Run</u>		
Personnel: <u>RJ, MB</u>		

START-UP CHECK LIST		
Equipment Checked by <u>RJ</u>	Personnel Checked by <u>MB</u>	
Instrument and Safeties Checked and OK'd by <u>RJ</u>		
"Source-In" Checked by <u>RJ</u>		
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>MB</u>		
Red-light On by <u>MB</u>		
Start-Up OK'd by <u>RJ</u>	Time <u>7:30</u>	Date <u>1-31</u> 195 <u>6</u>

Loading - same as 28-1 except full fuel 6-32 and 4-2 exchanged for 5-30 + 5-16 respectively.
(Now, complete 9 1/2 plus 14 half plates)

Critical Conditions -

DC-3	63 (10x20)	Blade	0.00
R-1	3.7 (100x100)	Rod	16.98
Log N	.16	Water	109.5
Temp	75°F		

$$\text{Mass U}^{235} \quad 9\frac{1}{2} \times 1.4 \text{ Kg} + 15.5 \times 14 \times 10^{-3} \text{ Kg} = 13.518 \text{ Kg}$$

$$\text{Mass Boron} = 45 \times 1.889 \text{ gms} = 85 \text{ gms}$$

Blade at 0000 worth ²⁶⁵~~25~~¢ or ⁶⁷~~62~~ gm

Rod at 16.98, worth ¹⁸~~2~~¢ or ²¹~~2~~ gm

$$\text{Corrected Mass} = 13,518 \text{ gms} - \sup{71}\del{84} \text{ gms} = 13,447 \text{ Kg}$$

13,44

Expt. <u>28-3</u>	Time <u>8:25</u> AM	Date <u>21 Jan 1956</u>
Purpose <u>The effect of Distributing Boron</u>		
Personnel: <u>RJ, MB</u>		

START-UP CHECK LIST	
Equipment Checked by <u>MB</u>	Personnel Check by <u>MB</u>
Instrumentation	Written and Checked by <u>MB</u>
Source Instrument <u>MB</u>	Source No. _____
Emergency	Control Room Checked by <u>RJ</u>
Red Light <u>RJ</u>	AM _____
Start-Up OK'd by <u>MB</u>	Time _____ PM Date _____ 1956

Loading

slot	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Series F	13	2	14	B*	4	9	7	3	9	7	6	12	11	B*	15	B	1	10
Type Series	F	SS	F	B _{1/2}	F	F	S	f	SS	F	F	SS	F	B	SS	F	SS	F

* In Boxes 1-3-5-6-8-10, 12-14-16-18-20-22-24-26-28-30-32-34-36-38
40-41-43 (here ~~are~~ are Boron $\frac{1}{2}$ plates in slots 4+14

(a total of 23 Boxes)

In all other boxes (22 boxes) there is a full Boron ~~is~~ plate in slot 14, and SS-4 in slot 4.

Mass H_2^{25} 10 x 1.4 Kg = 14 Kg

Mass Boron H_2^{25} x 1.889 = 85 gms

Critical Conditions: (Super -

Log M .16

Control Blade 0.02

DC-3 55 x 10 x 10

Control Blade 28.98

R-1 2.9 x 100 x 1000

Water Height 88 cm

Temp

Expt. <u>28-4</u>	Time <u>8:48</u> ^{AM}	Date <u>31 Jan</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>The effect of Boron Distribution.</u>		
Personnel: <u>MB, RJ</u>		

START-UP CHECK LIST		
Equipment Checked by <u>RJ</u>	Personnel Check by <u>RJ</u>	
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Set by <u>MB</u>		
"Source In" Checked by <u>MB</u>	Source No. <u>1</u>	
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>RJ</u>		
Red Light On by <u>RJ</u>	AM	
Start-Up OK'd by <u>MB</u>	Time <u>8:48</u>	Date <u>31 Jan</u> 195 <u>6</u>

Loading: Same as 28-3 except Series "5" $\frac{1}{2}$ Fuel plates were substituted for Series "3" Full Plates in slot 8 in the following 9 boxes: 7, 9, 11, 21, 23, 25, 35, 37, 39.

B

$$\text{Mass } 6400\text{gms} - 9 \times 155 = \del{73200} \del{Kg}$$

$$= 13.861 \text{ Kg.}$$

Critical Conditions: Supp.

Log N	.55	Control Blade	00.
DC-3	50 x 10 x 50	Control Rod	28.98
R-1	5.5 x 20 x 1000	Water Height	92.6
Water Temp	74.5		

Expr.	28-5	Time	9:10 AM	Date	31 Jan 1956
Purpose	The Effect of Boron Distribution				
Personnel:	MB, RJ				

START-UP CHECK LIST					
Equipment Checked by	RJ	Personnel Check by	RJ		
Instrument		Checked and Reset by	MB		
Source In	MB	Source No.			
Emergency		Control Room Checked by	RJ		
Red Light On by	RJ	AM			
Start-Up OK'd by	MB	Time	9:10	Date	31 Jan 1956

re Loading: Same as 28-3 except Series 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ fuel Plates were substituted for Series 3 full Plates in slot 8 in the following 13 Boxes. 7, 8, 9, 11, 18, 21, 23, 25, 28, 35, 37, 38, 39.

$$\text{Mass} = 14. \text{ Kg} - \overset{13}{\cancel{15.5}} \text{ gms} = 13.798 \text{ Kg}$$

$$= 13.793$$

Critical Conditions:

Log N	.20	Control Blade:	8.39
Oc-3	4.7 x 100 x 1000	Control Rod:	28.98
R-1	78 x 10 x 20	Water Height:	109.7
Temp	74.5 °F		

Corrected Mass:

$$\text{Blade from } 8.39 - 29 = \overset{191}{\cancel{206}} \text{ or } \overset{51}{45} \text{ gms}$$

$$\text{Corr. Mass} = \overset{13}{\cancel{73.75}} \text{ Kg.}$$

$$13.742$$

Boron redistribution value in 23 Boxes (Exp 28-205) = ~ 300 gms

Expt. 29-1 Time 9:00 ^{AM} PM Date 2-6 1956
 Purpose Zero Run with thru beam
 Personnel: DW, DM, MIB.

INSTRUMENT CHECK

Date: 2-6 1956 Time 9:00 ^{AM} PM Source No. _____
 Trip _____
 Instrument: Value Scale Source Distance Start-Up Scale
 DC-1 _____
 DC-2 _____
 DC-3 - 69 10x20 _____
 Log N - 120 _____
 R-1 - 5 8x1000 _____
 R-2 _____ 8100 _____
 P. M. - 900V building alarm
rung when P.M. was scanned

START-UP CHECK LIST

Equipment Checked by DW Personnel Check by DM
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by DW+MIB
 "Source In" Checked by DW Source No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by DM
 Red Light On by DW
 Start-Up OK'd by DW Time 9:10 ^{AM} PM Date 2-6 1956

Loading -
 slot 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18
 material f f f B f f $\frac{1}{2}$ f B f f f f B f f f

Loading except for slot 15, boxes 34 & 35 which contain half plates.

Critical Conditions -

DC-3	81 (10x10)	Height	109.5
R-1	5.8 (50x1000)	Rod	29.00
Log N	0.13	Base	8.0

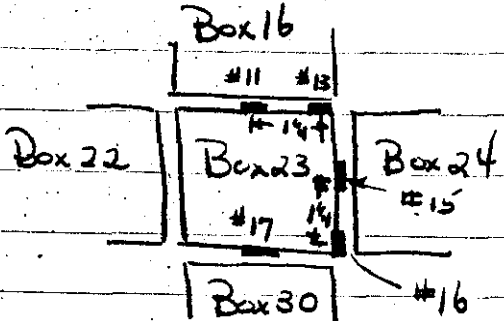
Expt. 29-2 Time 11:20 ^{AM} Date 2-6 1956
 Purpose Film Structure with Dy in 3-boron
Loading
 Personnel: D.M., M.B., J.L.

START-UP CHECK LIST

Equipment Checked by DM Personnel Check by MB
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by DM
 "Source In" Checked by DM Source No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by MB
 Red Light On by MB
 Start-Up OK'd by DM Time 11:20 ^{AM} Date 2-6 1956

Loading - same as 29-1.

Box	slot	Foil Location	Dy Foil #
23	9		
	8		#3
	7	1"	#10
	6		#6
	5		#2
	4		#8
	3		#4
	2		
	1		
	5		
	5		
16	18		
	17		#12
	16		
	15		#1
	14		#14
	12		
	12		#7
	11		
	10		
	9		#5



No standardizing catcher foils.
 Foils #3, #8, #12, & #14 are
 normalizing foils for previous run.

1/2 power at 11:35:48

Run conditions at 15 minutes.

DC-2 55(10x20) Blade 10.56

R-1 5.4(1000000) Rod 29.00

LogN 2.0 Water 109.8

Temp 64°F
 (heat was off over week-end)

20 minute exposure.

Expr. 30-1 Time 8:45 AM Date 2-7 1956
 Purpose Critical Mgmt. with APPR rods
 Personnel: DW, DM, JL, MB

INSTRUMENT CHECK

Date: _____ 195__ Time _____ AM
 PM Source No. _____
 Tip _____
 Instrument Value Scale Source Distance Start-Up Scale

DC1					
DC2					
DC3	-	73	10x20	contact	
LOG	-		125u		
R-1	-	5	20 x 1000		
R-2			x 100		
P.M.	✓		800V	1"	

START-UP CHECK LIST

Equipment Checked by MB Checked by DW
DW + DM
 Instrument and Source checked and _____
 Source Int. checked by DW
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room _____ DM
 Red Light On by JL
 Start-Up OK'd by DW Time 8:45 AM Date 2-7 1956

Loading:
 slot 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18
 material f f f f f f $\frac{1}{2}$ f $\frac{1}{3}$ f f f f $\frac{1}{3}$ f f f f

complete loading of 15 1/2 fuel / box.
 APPR rods in full in five normal position (9, 21, 23, 25, 32)
 Only center rod has fuel on bottom (14 1/2 plates)
 Except for slot 15, box 34x25 which contains half plates.

Reactor sub-critical; with source in, blades rod out
 log λ got up to 0.02.

Expr. 30-2 Time 9:45 ^{AM} Date 2-7 1956
 Purpose Critical Mass with APPR rods
all 5 rods in full
 Personnel: DM, JL, MB

START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by MB Person Checked by MB
 Instrument and Supplies Checked and Reported by DM
 "Source In" Checked by DM License No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by JL
 Red Light On by JL
 Start-Up OK'd by DM Time 9:45 ^{AM} Date 2-7 1956

Loading:

slot 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19
 f f f f f f $\frac{1}{2}$ f $\frac{5}{5}$ f f f f $\frac{5}{5}$ f f f f

boxes, 1, 3, 5, 6, 8, ... 43, 45 contain full fuel.
 plus slot 14: boxes 7, 11, 35 + 39 contain full fuel

boxes, 3, 4, 15, 17, 29, 31, 42 + 44 contain half fuel

there is now (19.581) kg U^{235} in the core of 40 boxes.

(~~628~~ full plates, 48 half plates)

(APPR ~~22.812~~ ^{22.812} kg for a 45 box loading.)

Critical conditions:

DC-3 44 (10x20) Blade 19.60
 R-1 6.7 (50x1000) Rod 29.00
 LogN 0.144 Water 109.5
 Temp. 63°F

$$C \overset{\text{plate}}{52} \times 31.1 = 20.277 \times \overset{\text{plate}}{45} = 22.812 \text{ Kg}$$

$$\frac{22.812}{40} = 0.5703$$
 u-235
 DUPO

Expr. <u>30-3</u>	Time <u>12:45</u> ^{AM}	Date <u>2-7</u>	195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Determination of interaction of fuel sections of "in" APPR rods</u>			
Personnel: _____			
START-UP CHECK LIST			
Equipment Checked by <u>MB</u>	Personnel Check by <u>DM</u>		
Instrument and Safeties Checked and OK'd by <u>JL</u>			
Source In? <u>JL</u>	Source No. _____		
Emergency Equipment Control Equip. Checked by <u>MB</u>			
Red Light On by <u>MB</u>			
Start-Up OK'd by <u>JL</u>	Time <u>12:45</u> ^{AM}	Date <u>2-7</u>	195 <u>6</u>

Loading-

Slot	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	f	f	$\frac{5}{5}$	f	$\frac{5}{5}$	f	$\frac{f}{2}$	f	$\frac{5}{5}$	f	f	$\frac{5}{5}$	f	f	$\frac{5}{5}$	f	f	f

Complete loading of 12½

APPR rods completely in without fuel sections attached in positions 9, 21, 23, & 25.

APPR rod full out with fuel section loaded as listed above in position 37.

Reactor too reactive: critical conditions:

with blade in, rod out, water at 84.4, source out

k_{eff} 0.085

Expt. <u>30-4</u>	Time: <u>1:15</u> ^{AM}	Date <u>2-7</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Interaction of fuel sections -</u> <u>Zero run.</u>		
Personnel: <u>DM, JL, MB</u>		

START-UP CHECK LIST		
Equipment Checked by <u>JL</u>	Personnel Check by <u>MB</u>	
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by <u>DM</u>	Source No. _____	
"Source In" Checked by <u>DM</u>	Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>MB</u>	
Red Light On by <u>MB</u>	Start-Up OK'd by <u>DM</u>	
Time <u>1:15</u> ^{AM}	Date <u>2-7</u>	195 <u>6</u>

18
f

Loading - same as 30-3 except 12, full fuel plates pulled
from slot 17 in boxes: 1, 35, 14, 16, 18, 28, 30, 32,
~~33, 34, 39~~ 41, 43, 45.

Reactor super-critical at 88.0 cm
critical at 87.6 cm.

Expr. <u>30-5</u>	Time <u>1:40</u>	PM Date <u>Feb. 7 1956</u>
Purpose <u>Fuel Interactions on Rods</u>		
<u>Zero Run 3 Ec + 1 C Rods in</u>		
Personnel: _____		

START-UP CHECK LIST		
Equipment Checked by <u>MB</u>	Personnel Check by <u>MB</u>	
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Set by <u>JL</u>		
Source In? Checked by <u>MB</u>		
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>DWM</u>		
Red Light On? <u>✓</u>		
Start-Up OK'd by <u>MB</u>	Time <u>1:40</u>	PM Date <u>Feb 7 1956</u>

Loading: Same as 30-3 with fuel pulled from
Slot 17 from Buses 1, 3, 5, 8, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 24, 28, 30, 32

$$12\frac{1}{2} \times 40 - 18 = \frac{494.5}{482} \text{ plates} \rightarrow \frac{15.379}{14.99} \text{ kg in core U-235}$$

$$14.99 \times \frac{45}{44} = \frac{16.89}{16.46} \text{ kg equiv. U-235}$$

Critical Conditions:

Water ht 89.5 cm (kg) Log N 0.14

Blade .01

Rod 29.02

APPR Ec Rod 23.99

" Control " 20.04

APPR Born Section Numbers

Stamped Red Paint

1	1
2	3
3	2
4	5
5	6
6	4

200

Expt. <u>30-6</u>	Time 1:00 ^{PM}	Date <u>Febr. 7</u> 1956
Purpose <u>Zero Run 3 X + 1 C APPR Rod</u>		
Personnel: _____		

START-UP CHECK LIST	
Equipment Checked by <u>JL</u>	Personnel Check by <u>JL</u>
Instrument and Settings Checked and Reset by <u>JL</u>	
Source Int'l Checked by <u>MB</u>	Source No. <u> </u>
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>DWM</u>	
Red Light On by <u>✓</u>	
Start-Up OK'd by <u>MB</u>	Time <u>2:00</u> ^{PM} Date <u>2-7</u> 1956

Loading: Same as 30-3 with fuel removed from 24 boxes

set 17 (1, 3, 5, 6, 8, ..., 38, 40, 41, 43, 45)

$$12\frac{1}{2} \times 44 - 24 = \frac{488.5}{15.192} \text{ plates} \rightarrow \frac{16.67}{45} = \frac{16.67}{40} \text{ kg U-235}$$

U-235
U-235

Critical Cond

Water Height	93.2 m	Log N	0.25
Blade	.01		
Rod	Same 29.02		
X APPR Rod		.04	
C " "		23.99	

- APPR Control Rod numbers
- Red 1 in box 25
 - Red 4 in box 23
 - Red 5 in box 21
 - Red 3 in box 9

Expr. 30-7 Time 2³⁰ ~~PM~~ Date 2-7 1956
 Purpose Zero Run 3 x + 1 C APPR End
 Personnel: Swan MB J.L.

START-UP CHECK LIST

Equipment Checked by MB Personnel Check by MB
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by MB
 "Source In" Checked by MB Source No.
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by Swan
 Red Light On by
 Start-Up OK'd by MB Time 2³⁰ ~~PM~~ Date 2-7 1956

Loading: Same as 30-6

N.B. Both sections of APPR rods changed to configuration of Exp 9-30 (Book II p. 215)

Red 1	Box 9
2	21
3	37
4	25
5	23

Crit Cond.

Water Ht. 92.3

Log N 0.22

Red out

Blade In

APPR Exp out

" C In

∴ Aps. Sections all have identical worth

Expr.	30-8	Time	3:00 ^{PM}	Date	2-7	1956
Purpose	Zero Run 3X + 1 C APPR RID					
Personnel:	Duron MB J.L.					

START-UP CHECK LIST	
Equipment Checked by	JL Personnel Check by MB
Instrument and Source checked and tested by	JL
Source Int. checked by	JL Source No. -
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by	Duron
Red Light On by	-
Start-Up OK'd by	JL Time 3:00 ^{PM} Date 2-7 1956

Loading: Same as 30-3 less Full plates in slot 17

Boxes 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26,

28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 41, 43, 45

$12\frac{1}{2} \times 41 - 32 = 512.5 - 32 = 480.5$ plates $\rightarrow 14.949$ kg U-235

$14.94 \times \frac{95}{41} = 16.40$ kg equiv. U-235

CRITICAL COND:

Sub critical k_{eff} less than 30 sec

Expr. 30-9 Time 3²⁵ PM Date 2-7 1956
 Purpose Zero Run 3x + 1 C APPR R2
 Personnel: DWA MB JL

START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by DWA Personnel Check by DWA
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by MB
 "Source In" Checked by MB Source No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by DWA
 Red Light On by
 Start-Up OK'd by MB Time 3²⁵ PM Date 2-7 1956

loading: 30-3 less the following plates from 2/2/57
 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 15, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26
 28, 30, 31, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 41, 42, 43, 45

MB $12\frac{1}{2} \times 41 - 28 = 484.5 \text{ plates} \rightarrow 15.868 \text{ kg U-235}$
MB $\frac{45}{41} \times 15.868 = 16.54 \text{ kg U-235 equiv.}$

blade correction = -0.03

CRIT COND 16.51 kg U-235

Water Height	109.8	R-1	4.2K/100x1000
" Temp	64°F	Log N	0.15
Control Rod	29.2	DC-3	74 x 10 x 10
Blade	10.46	(10' level)	
APPR Eccentric	23.99		
" Central	0.05		

Expt. 39-19 Time 9:30 ^{AM} PM Date 2-8 1956
 Purpose Check on 20-9
 Personnel: _____

INSTRUMENT CHECK

Date 2-8 Time 9:30 ^{AM} PM Source No. _____

Instrument	Scale	Series	Distance	Start-Up	Scale
DC-3	✓ 65	10x20			
Log N	✓ 4.5	125m			
R-1	✓	8x1000	1"		
R-2					
P. M.	✓	800V	1"		

Log calibration - 0.065 meter
 0.067 recorder

START-UP CHECK LIST

Equipment Checked by JL Personnel Check by MB
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by JL+MB
 "Source In" Checked by JL
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by MB
 Red Light On by MB
 Start-Up OK'd by JL Time 9:50 ^{AM} PM Date 2-8 1956

Loading - same as 30-9.

Critical conditions - 10:32 am: ten minutes after water up.

DC-3	73 (10x10)	Control Blade	12.98
Log N	0.16	" Red	29.02
R-1	4.4 (100x1000)	APRR Ecc.	24.05
Temp	64.5°F	" Control	0.02
		Water	109.8

Expt. 30-11 Time 10:55 ^{AM} Date 2-8 1956
 Purpose To determine effect of changing
Half plate from slot 7 to slot 2.
 Personnel: _____

START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by DM+MB Personnel Checked by MB
 Instrument and Safety checked and OK'd by DM
 "Source In" Checked by DM Control No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by JL
 Red Light On by JL
 Start-Up OK'd by DM Time 10:55 ^{AM} Date 2-8 1956

Loading - same as 30-10 except the half plate in slot 7 and the full plate in slot 2 interchanged in the following boxes:
 2, 4, 15, 17, 29, 31, 42, 44.

Critical conditions

DC-3	79 (10 x 20)	Blue	16.96
R-1	4.4 (100 x 1000)	Red	17.09
Log N	0.17	APPR - Eec	24.05
Temp	64.5°F	- Central	0.62
		Water	109.8

Blade pulled to 28.30 (out) + positive period measured.

211 sec → 5.34

Calib curve → $\frac{26. - 21.5}{3.54}$

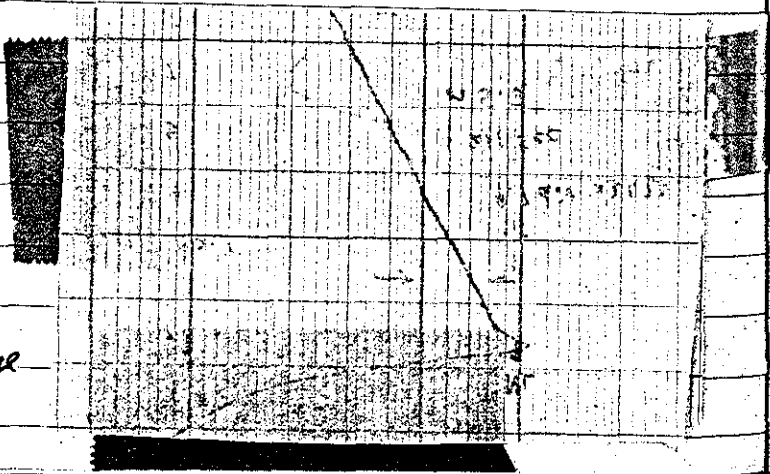
16.96 - 21.5

12.98 → 15

$6.54 \times \frac{5.3}{3.5} = 9.84$

∴ Δk = 9.84 for the 85-11

and 8 half plate interchange



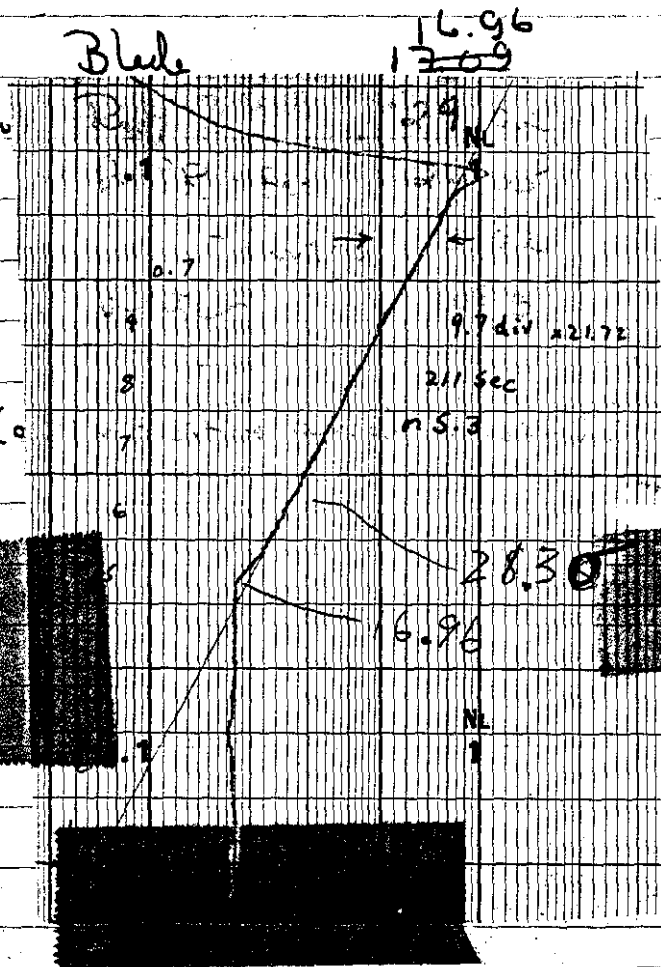
Expt. 30-11 Time 10:55 ^(AM) Date 2-8 1956
 Purpose To determine effect of changing
Half plate from slot 7 to slot 2.
 Personnel: _____

START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by DM+MB Personnel Check by MB
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Approved by DM
 "Source In" Checked by DM Source No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by JL
 Red Light On by JL
 Start-Up OK'd by DM Time 10:55 ^(AM) Date 2-8 1956

Loading - same as 30-10 except the Half plate in slot 7 and
 the full plate in slot 2 interchanged in the following boxes:
 2, 4, 15, 17, 29, 36, 42, 44.

Critical conditions

DC-3 79(10x20)
 R-1 4.4(100x1000)
 Log N 0.17
 Temp 64.5°F



Blade pulled to 28.30 (

211 sec → 5.3¢

Calib curve → $\frac{26}{21.5} = 3.5¢$

16.96 21.5
 12.95 → 15

$$6.5¢ \times \frac{5.3}{3.5} = 9.8¢$$

∴ Δk = 9.8¢ for the 85 all

and 8 half plate interchange

Expt. 30-12 Time 1¹⁵ PM Date 2-8 1956
 Purpose 2 hrs Run Half plates in Slot 2
10 + 3 x ~~10~~ RPR Rds
 Personnel: _____

START-UP CHECK LIST

Equipment Checked by DW Personnel Checked by DW
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by MB
 "Source In" Checked by MB Source No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by DW
 Red Light On by DW
 Start Up OK'd by MB Time 1¹⁵ PM Date 2-8 1956

loading: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18
 f 1/2 3/4 5/8 f f f 5/8 f f 3/4 f * f

Sl. + 17

Full fuel plates in Boxes 2, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 15, 17, 19

20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 29 31 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 42 44

35 in 1, 3, 5, 14, 16, 18, 28, 30, 32, 41, 43, 45

$11\frac{1}{2} \times 41 + 29 = 500.5 \rightarrow 15, 566$

Duplicates previous Run of Oct -

Crit Cond:

Water Ht	88.8	Log N	0.3
Blade	0.01	DC-3	70x10x10
Rod	29.02	R-1	3 x 200

Expt. 30-13 Time 1:50 PM Date 2-8 1956
 Purpose Zero Run May Plates Slot 2
 Personnel: GMB Swin

START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by Swin Personnel Checked by Swin
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by GMB
 "Source In" Checked by GMB
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by Swin
 Red Light On by
 Start-Up OK'd by GMB Time 1:50 PM Date 2-8 1956

Loading: Same as 30-12 less 12 plates from slot 17

Full plate in Boxes 2, 9, 7, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, ²⁷29, 31, 33, 35, 37, 39, 41, 43, 45
 55 in 24 checkerboard.

$11\frac{1}{2} \times 41 + 17 = 488.5$ $\times 31.1 = 15,192$

$15,192 \times \frac{45}{96} = 16,67$ log 0.235

Critical Conditions:

Water Ht. 109.8 cm H₂O
 Water Temp 64.5 °F

R-1
~~Log A~~ 4.25/100 x 1000
 N 0.15
 DC-3 70 x 10 x 10

C APPR 0.02
 X " Rod 24.05
 Cont Bldy 10.83
 " Rod 29.02

N.B. Boron sections sitting on plastic blocks.

Expr. <u>30-14</u>	Time <u>3³⁰</u> ^{PM}	Date <u>2-8</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Interaction of fuel on pattern of</u>		
<u>3 X +1 C APPR Rod.</u>		
Personnel: <u>IMB</u> <u>DuAn</u>		

START-UP CHECK LIST	
Equipment Checked by <u>DuAn</u>	Personnel Check by <u>DuAn</u>
Instrument checked by <u>IMB</u>	Test No. <u>IMB</u>
Emergency Equip. checked by <u>IMB</u>	Special room checked by <u>DuAn</u>
Red Light On by <u>DuAn</u>	
Start-Up OK'd by <u>IMB</u>	Time <u>3³⁰</u> PM Date <u>2-8</u> 195 <u>6</u>

Loading Same as 30-13 plus 12 1/2 plates
in 3 X +1 C APPR Rod (out of core)

Critical Conditions:

Water Height	109.8	outlet	log N	0.145
" Temp	64 °F		R-1	4.25 x100 x1000
C APPR Rod	0.01		DC-3	70 x10 x10
X " "	24.05			
Control Rod	29.02			
" Blade	16.35			

N.P. Lost Reactivity.

START-UP CHECK LIST

Equipment Checked by _____ Personnel Check by _____
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by _____
 "Source In" Checked by _____ Source No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by _____
 Red Light On by _____ START UP COMPLETE
 Start-Up OK'd by _____
 1956

Personnel: _____

 Red Light On by _____
 Start-Up OK'd by _____ PM Date _____ 1956

Expt. 30-15 Time 4:01 AM Date 2-8 1956
 Purpose Zero Run Fuel Removed
From 3 X +1 C APPR rods
 Personnel: _____

START-UP CHECK LIST

Equipment Checked by DwM Personnel Check by DwM
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by J.L.
 "Source In" Checked by J.L. Source No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by DwM
 Red Light On by
 Start-Up OK'd by J.L. Time 4:00 AM Date 2-8 1956

Loading: Same as 30-13 APPR rods
 connected as in 30-14 steel and Fuel
 removed, only from 3 X +1 C.

Crit. Conditions Very Very slightly Subcritical

Water Height	109.7	Log N	0.072
Temp	64	DC-3	34 x 10 x 10
C APPR Rod	21.03	R-1	4.3 x 50 x 1000
X " "	24.05		
Control Rod	29.02		
Blade	28.29		

Expr. 31-1 Time 9:30 ^{AM} PM Date 2-9 1956
 Purpose To determine if temp. can explain the mass differential between original & newest mass value for 3x-1c.
 Personnel:

START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by MB Personnel Check by DM
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by DW, MB
 "Source In" Checked by DW Source No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by MB
 Red Light On by DM
 Start-Up OK'd by DW Time 9:30 ^{AM} PM Date 2-9 1956

INSTRUMENT CHECK
 Date _____ 195____ Time _____ ^{AM} PM Source No. _____
 Trip _____
 Instrument Value Scale Source Distance Start-Up Scale
 DC-1 _____
 DC-2 _____
 DC-3 65 10 x 10
 Log N 4.6 12.2
 R-1 8 x 1000 constant
 R-2 _____
 P. M. 800 1"

Loading-

slot	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
material	f	f	f	f	f	f	f	f	f	f	f	f	f	f	f	f	f	f
		1/2	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5

APPR rods in positions 9, 21, 23, & 25; fully inserted. } Rung from above.
 APPR rod in position 37 full out.

Position 37 has half plate in slot 7; full in slot 2.

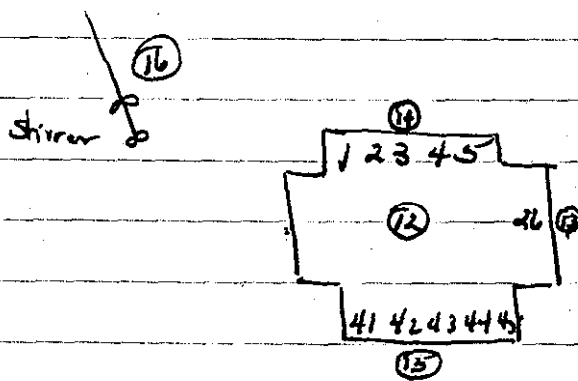
A ~~55~~ is in the following boxes instead of fuel in slot 17.

1, 3, 5, 6, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 40, 41, 43, 45.

A total of 494.5 plates or 15.379 kg in core.

Air readings of Thermo-couples -	Water at 75 cm.
16	64°
15	64.5°
14	64.3/4°
13	64°
12	63°

Thermocouple position - all at midline



∴ heaters ∴

Critical at 94.5 cm.; blade on, red out.
109.1 cm.; blade 0.02; red

critical conditions.

thermocouples
#12 #13 #14 #15 #16 Average

#1
65- 65- 65- 65- 65- 65 Water 109.1 Log 0.056
Rod 7.85 DC-3 52(10x5)
Blade 0.02 R-1 3.6(50x1000)
Time 11:05
Rod 5.02; Time 11:10; heater turned on.
4:00 11:13 heater turned off.
Exchanged a ~~rod~~ plate by a s.s. plate: slot 17, box 38. 11:22.
Left water almost up & went to lunch.

#1-a
65+ 65+ 65+ 65 65+ Water 113.0 Log N 0.09
Blade 0.02 DC-3 79(10x5)
Rod 17.30 R-1 5.7(50x1000)
Time 12:08; heater turned on.
#2

66 66.5 66 65 65 Water 113 Log N
Temp recorder behaving
very unsatisfactory. Putting
thermometer into water. -
19°C (66.2°F)
Blade 0.02 DC-3 81(10x5)
Rod 16.9 R-1
Time 12:20

68 70 69 69 69 Water 113 Log N
thermometer still reads
19°C
Blade 0.535 DC-3 81(10x5)
Rod 17.3
Time 12:33

BLADE & ROD CALIBRATION (from 1209)

Blade pulled to 16.96 and positive period measured.

Time for DC-3 to go from 25 → 70 on 10x20 was 99.2 sec.

Levded off at 13.09 on the blade, DC-3; 62 (10x50)

Blade inserted to 8.75 and negative period measured

Time for DC-3 to go from 80 → 40 on 10x20 was 133 sec.

Critical Conditions:

Blade 11.61 DC-3 52 (10x10)

Rod (was 17.30) 29.02 LogN 0.1

Blade pulled to 13.09 & another positive period measured

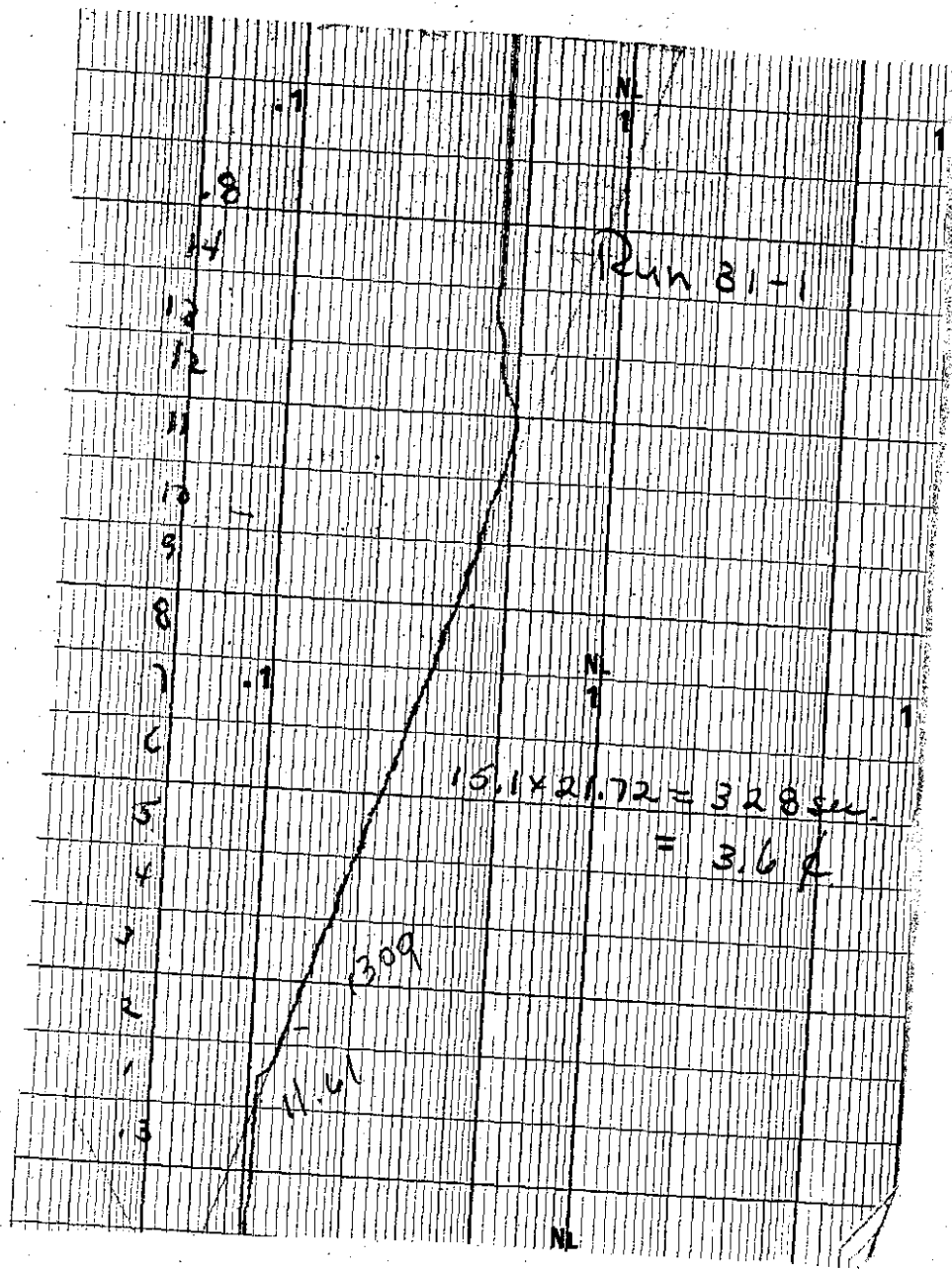
Time for DC-3 to go from 33 → 66 on 10x20 was 244 sec.

Critical Conditions -

At 4:05, thermocouple #12 reads 29.1°C

Rod inserted ~~to~~ to 5.00 DC-3 93 (10x20)

Blade 28.30 (out) LogN 0.42



14

13

12

11

10

9

8

7

6

5

4

3

2

1

.7

.1

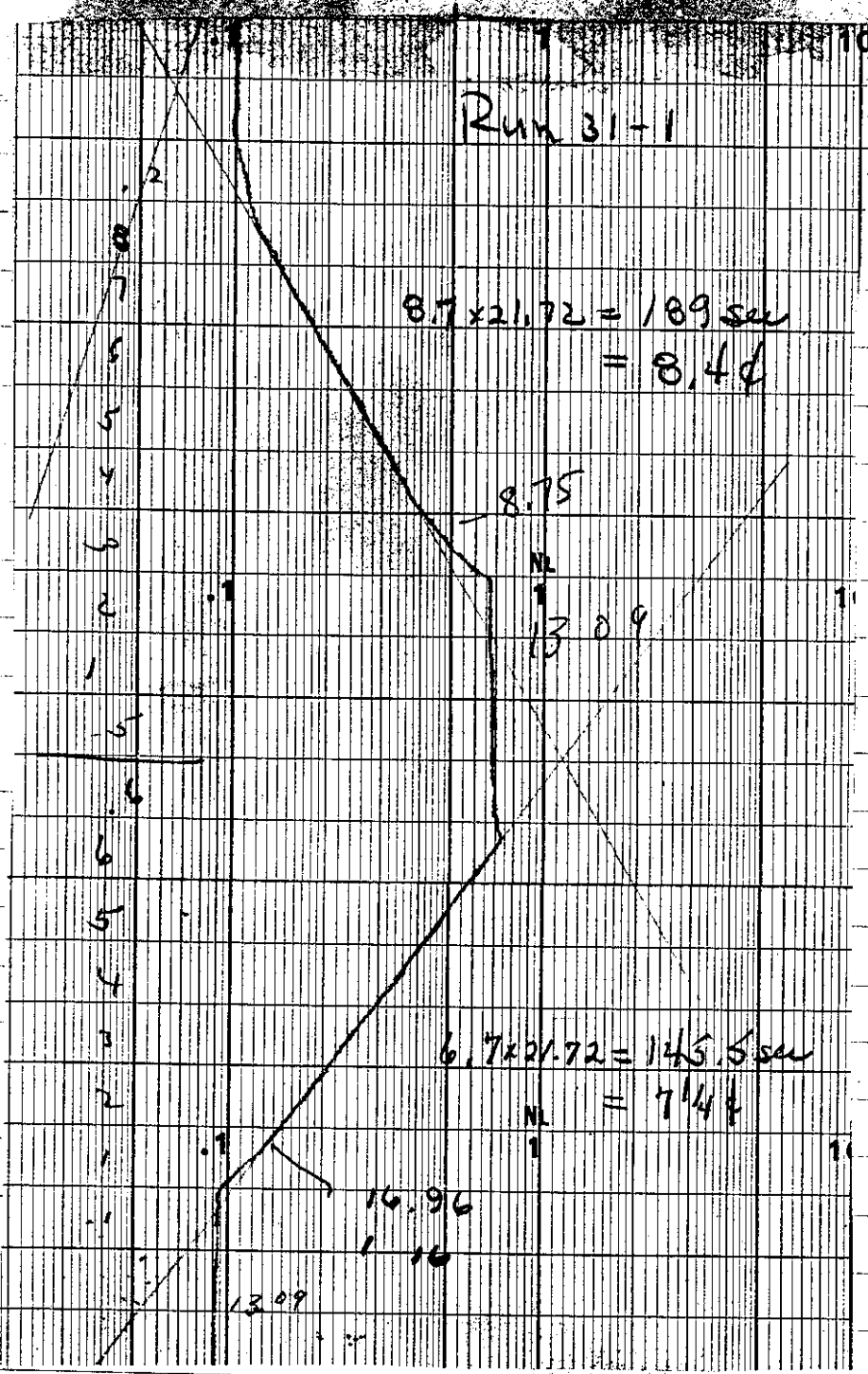
11.61

300

Run 31-1

$$15.1 \times 21.72 = 328 \text{ sec}$$

$$= 3.6 \mu$$



Expr. 32-1 Time 10:00 PM Date 2-10 1956
 Purpose Critical mass with rods at 3/4.
 Personnel: DM, JL, DW, MB

INSTRUMENT CHECK

Date 2-10 1956 Time 10:00 PM Source No. _____
 Trip _____

Instrument	Value	Scale	Source Distance	Start-Up Scale
DC-1				
DC-2				
DC-3		125u		
Log N	<u>2.70</u>	10x20	7"	
R-1	<u>4.5</u>	8x1000		
R-2		2100		
P. M.		800V	2"	

Log N calibration 0.061 meter
 0.065 recorder.

START-UP CHECK LIST

Equipment Checked by MB/JL Re-checker Check by DM
 Instrument and Safety Checked and tested by DM
 "Source In" Checked by DM
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by MB
 Red Light On by DM
 Start-Up OK'd by DM Time 10:05 PM Date 2-10 1956

Loading - complete loading at 12 1/2.

Slot	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
material	f	1/2	2/3	f	3/5	f	f	f	5	f	f	5	f	f	5	f	f	f

APRR rods 9, 21 & 25 fixed at 4".

APRR rods 23 & 37 attached to motors.

all rods are loaded as above.

Reactor Sub-critical.

Blade	28.29	APRR - Ex	7.81
Rod	29.02	- Cen.	8.01
Log N	0.013	Source In	
DC-3	65(1x20)	R-1	(116 x 50 x 1000)

Expt. <u>32-2</u>	Time <u>9:50</u> ^(M)	Date <u>2-10</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Critical mass with 314 rods</u>		
Personnel: <u>DM, DW, MB</u>		

START-UP CHECK LIST	
Equipment Checked by <u>DM+MB</u>	Personnel Check by <u>DW</u>
Instrument and Safety Checked and R <u>DM</u>	
"Source In" (checked by <u>DM</u>)	
Emergency Equipment in Control Room in Charge <u>MB</u>	
Red Light On by <u>MB</u>	
Start-Up OK'd by <u>DM</u>	Time <u>10:50</u> ^(M) Date: <u>2-10</u> 195 <u>6</u>

Loading - same as 32-1 except rods in 9, 21, & 25 are now at 5" instead of 4"

Water tanks dirty & slugging up. Can't get water all the way up.

Reactor Sub-critical:

Rod 29.02

Blue 28.30

AIR - ex 7.81

-cen, 8.01

DC-3 90 (1x50)

Log N - Log N has been ~~measured~~ lowered

R_{eff} approx 2 fut - 0.007

Temp. 4.1 (50-100)

Temp. 22.2 °C + thermocouple # 15.

Expr. 32-3 Time 12:45 ^{PM} Date 2-10 1956
 Purpose Critical mass with 5 APPR
Rod ~ 3/4 Inserted
 Personnel: DM, DVPW

START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by DW+DM Personnel Check by DM
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by DM
 "Source In" Checked by DM Source No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by DW
 Red Light On by DM
 Start Up OK'd by DM Time 12:45 ^{PM} Date 2-10 1956

Fixed APPR Rod in 9, 21, & 25 at 6"

APPR rods - ex	7.23	DC-3	62 (WX10)
-cent.	7.23	R-1	2.4 (100 x 1000)
Control Blade	7.77	LogN	0.0095
Rod	29.03	Temp. (on 15)	22.7°C
Water	109.4		

Expr. 32-4	Time 1:35	Date 2-10 1956
Purpose Critical mass with 5 APPR rods in 3/4		
Personnel: DM, DW, JL, MB		

START-UP CHECK LIST		
Equipment Checked by DMJL	Personnel Check by MB	
Instrument and Safety Checked and Initials	DM	
"Source In" Checked by DM	Time	
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by MB		
Red Light On by MB	AI	
Start-Up OK'd by DM	Time 1:35	Date 2-10 1956

Loading - same as 32-1 except APPR rods in 9, 21 & 23 at 6 1/2".

Mass = 17.50 kg U-25

① APPR - C	6.55	Log N	0.023
APPR - X	6.55	R-1	5.8 (100x1000)
Blade	15.61	DC-3	80 (20x10)
Rod	29.03	Temp (on 15)	22.7 °C
Water	109.8		

Mass = 17.49 kg U-25

② APPR - C	6.495	Blade corr	-0.1
APPR - X	6.55		17.48
Blade	21.23 to 28.0		
Rod	29.03		

C-APPR rod moved to 6.27 d negative period measured.

Time for DC-3 to go from 72-⁽³⁰⁾56 on 10x10 was 111.8 sec.

Expr. _____ Time _____ AM
PM Date _____ 195 _____
Purpose _____

Personnel: _____

START-UP CHECK LIST
Equipment Checked by _____ Personnel Check by _____
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by _____
"Source In" Checked by _____ Source No. _____
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by _____
Red Light On by _____ AM
Start-Up OK'd by _____ Time _____ PM Date _____ 195 _____

Expt. <u>33-1</u>	Time <u>4:30</u> ^{AM}	Date <u>2-13</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Critical mass with one boron & rods half way in.</u>		
Personnel: <u>DM, JL, MB</u>		

INSTRUMENT CHECK			
Date	195	Time	Source
<u>2-13</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>4:30</u> ^{AM}	
Trip			
Instrument	Value	Scale	Source (distance)
DC-1			
DC-2			
DC-3	<u>✓ 60</u>	<u>10V20</u>	
Log N	<u>✓</u>	<u>125m</u>	
R-1	<u>✓ 35</u>	<u>5x1000</u>	
R-2		<u>x100</u>	
P. M.	<u>✓</u>	<u>800V</u>	

START-UP CHECK LIST	
Equipment Checked by <u>DM</u>	Personnel Check by <u>DM</u>
Instrument and Safeties checked and Reset by <u>DM</u>	
Source In' Checked by <u>DM</u>	Source No. _____
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>MB</u>	
Red Light On by <u>DM</u>	
Start-Up OK'd by <u>DM</u>	Time <u>4:30</u> ^{AM} Date <u>2-13</u> 195 <u>6</u>

Loading -

slot 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18
 material f f $\frac{5}{8}$ f $\frac{5}{8}$ f B f $\frac{5}{8}$ f f $\frac{5}{8}$ f f $\frac{5}{8}$ f $\frac{5}{8}$ f

APPR rods in half way in normal position

while pulling blade, magnet circuit opened & rods & safety dropped.

Reactor was quite obviously not going critical. Blade was pulled to 8 inches with full water height & power had not increased by a factor of 2 yet.

Note: ^{were} S.S. missing from slot 17 boxes 34 & 35

Expt. <u>33-2</u>	Time <u>5:30 AM</u>	Date <u>2-13</u>	195 <u>6</u>
Purpose: <u>Critical mass with one boron + rods full in.</u>			
Personnel: <u>DM, JL, MB</u>			
START-UP CHECK LIST			
Equipment Checked by <u>JL</u>	Personnel Check by <u>JL</u>		
Instrument and Settings Checked and Reset by <u>MB</u>			
Source Isotope Checked by <u>DM</u>	Source No. _____		
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>MB</u>			
Red Light On by <u>MB</u>			
Start-Up OK'd by <u>DM</u>	Time <u>5:30 AM</u>	Date <u>2-13</u>	195 <u>6</u>

Loading -

Same as 33-1 except full chucker board of 24 full plates added to slot M.

(Total of 519 fuel plates in core + on rods.)

All APPR rods are in half way with fuel sections attached.

Critical Conditions -

Blade	0.00	DC-3	91 (10x20)
Rod	5.06	R-1	5.9 (100x1000)
APPR X	12.01	Log N	0.0225
-cen.	12.00	Temp (#15)	18.1°C
Water	109.4		

Water is dumping at 11 cm/min. - this seems slow.

We estimate that the excess k of this loading is ~45¢; 30¢ in the blade + 15¢ in the rod.

Critical mass: $(11 \times 45 + 24) 31.1 = 16.14 \text{ kg}$
 blade correction = 45¢; @ $\frac{1}{3} \text{¢/gm} = \underline{\underline{- .15}}$
 15.99 kg

Expt. <u>3.4-1</u>	Time <u>9:25</u> ^{AM}	Date <u>2-13</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Critical mass with rods half in</u> <u>for power distribution.</u>		
Personnel:		

START-UP CHECK LIST	
Equipment Checked by <u>MB</u>	Personnel check by <u>DM</u>
Instrument and Safeties Checked and No. <u>DM</u>	
Source In Checked by <u>DM</u>	No. <u>DM</u>
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>JL</u>	
Red Light On by <u>JL</u>	
Start-Up OK'd by <u>DM</u>	Time <u>9:25</u> ^{AM} Date <u>2-13</u> 195 <u>6</u>

Loading-

slot	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
material	f	g	f	g	g	f	g	f	g	f	g	f	g	f	g	f	g	f

APPR rods in positions 9, 21, 25 at 117k"

APPR x 11.78

cent. 13.93

With water up, reactor sub-critical.

log N .0019

Dc-3 79 ($\frac{1}{2} \times 26$)

Source in.

Unfortunately, one boron plate was left in each control rod-shut section.

Critical conditions (cont.)

8.

APPR. ent.	11.89
Blue	29.8 20.98
Red	29.03

Expr. 35-1 Time 5:00 ^{AM} Date 2-14 1956
 Purpose Power Distribution with all rods
at half way 2 hrs run.
 Personnel: JL, DM, MB

START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by JL Personnel Check by DM+MB
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by DM
 "Source In" Checked by JL Source No. _____
 Emergency Equip. in Control Room Checked by MB
 Red Light _____
 Start Up Date JL Time 5:30 ^{AM} Date 2-14 1956

INSTRUMENT CHECK
 Date 2-14 1956 Time 5:00 ^{AM} Source No. ✓
 Trip _____

Instrument	Value	Scale	Source Distance	Start-Up Scale
DC-1				
DC-2				
DC-3	<u>6.8</u>	<u>10.20</u>	<u>5"</u>	
Log N	<u>✓</u>	<u>12.20</u>		
R-1	<u>6.0</u>	<u>6.2100</u>	<u>6"</u>	
R-2		<u>2.100</u>		
P. M.	<u>✓</u>	<u>8.00</u>	<u>0"</u>	

DM

Loading - same as 34-2 with but with all rods at 12" instead of 11 7/8".

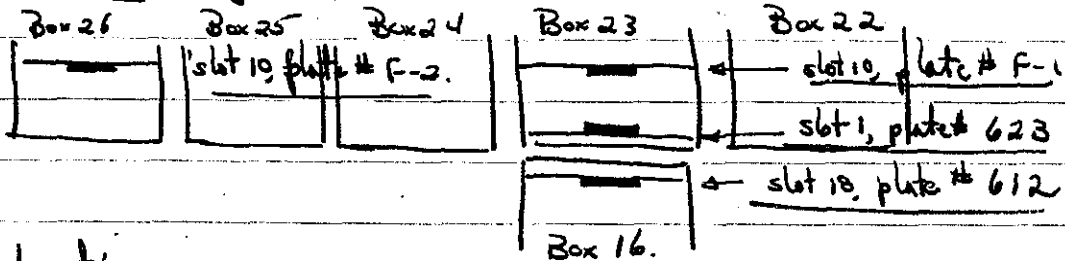
Critical Conditions

Blank	6.98	DC-3	80 (10x10)
Rod	49.25	R-1	5.6 (50x1000)
APPR-Ex	11.995	Log N	.0105
-Cent.	12.015	Temp (4.5)	18°C
Water	109.61		

35-2 Time 6:36 Date 2-14 1956
 Expt. Purpose Power Distribution with
 Purpose Rods half in; vertical
 Personnel: JL, MB

START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by DM Person to check by DM
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by JL
 "Source In" Checked by JL
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by MB
 Red Light On by MB
 Start-Up OK'd by JL Time 6:30 AM Date 2-14 1956

Plate Location loading - same as 35-1.



Foil location.

Distance from top	Plate # 612	623	F-1	F-2
1	210	219		
3		220		
5	211	221		
7		222		
9	212	223		
11	213	224		
13	214	225		
15	215			
17	216	226	228	229
19	217			
21	218	227		

$\frac{1}{2}$ power (0.062) at 6:49:43

Photo-multiplier turned down to 750 v.

Run conditions - (at 15 min)

Blade	7.20	DC-2	4/7 (1x20)
Rod	29.03	R-1	4.95 (1000x1000)
APPR-x	11.99	Log N	0.17
-cen.	12.00	Temp.	18°C
Water.	109.7		

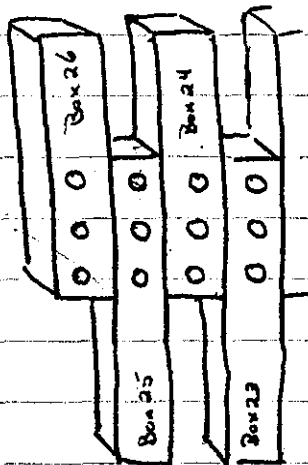
Twenty minute exposure

Expt. 35-3 Time 9:00 ^{AM} Date 2-14 1956
 Purpose Power Distribution with Rods
half way in; horizontal.
 Personnel: JL, MB

START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by JLMB Personnel check by JL
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and OK'd by MB
 "Source In" Checked by JL
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room checked by JL
 Red Light On by MB
 Start-Up OK'd by JL Time 9:00 ^{AM} Date 2-14 1956

Loading - same as 35-1.
 Foil Location:

All foil plates in
 slot 10 with foils
 facing slot 9.



Box	Plate	Foil distance from top of plate		
23	G-23	at 1" - 233	at 5" - 234	at 9" - 235
24	F-1	13" - 236	17" - 237	21" - 238
25	G-12	1" - 230	5" - 231	9" - 232
26	F-2	13" - 239	17" - 240	21" - 241

$\frac{1}{2}$ final power (0.062) at 9:39:37

Run conditions -

Blade	7.66	DC-2	45 (1x26)
Rod	29.03	R-1	4.95 (1000x1000)
APPR - cent.	12.00	Log N	0.17
- x	11.99	Temp	18°C
Water.	109.5		

Twenty minute exposure

Expr. <u>36-1</u>	Time <u>6:00</u> ^{AM}	Date <u>2-15</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>APPR Rod Calibration</u>		
<u>Part I - central rod vs. c centric rods.</u>		
Personnel: _____		

INSTRUMENT CHECK				
Date <u>2-15</u>	195 <u>6</u>	Time <u>6:00</u>	^{AM}	Source No. _____
Instrument	Trip Value	Scale	Source Distance	Start-Up Scale
DC-1				
DC-2				
DC-3	-	60	10x20	
Log N	-		120	
R-1	-	6	.7x100	
R-2			100	
P. M.	-		800V	1"

APPR rod position re-calibrated (0.00 = rods flush with fuel element boxes) Because of placing of the Wilson's, this can be set up no better than ± 0.05

X APPR ROD READS .05 HIGH

CENTRAL ROD READS .015 LOW

START-UP CHECK LIST	
Equipment Checked by <u>D.M.</u>	Personnel Check by <u>D.M.</u>
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by <u>M.B.</u>	
"Source In" Checked by <u>M.B.</u>	Source No. <u>D.M.</u>
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>D.M.</u>	
Red Light On by <u>D.M.</u>	
Start-Up OK'd by <u>M.B.</u>	Time <u>7:30</u> ^{AM} Date <u>2-15</u> 195 <u>6</u>

LOADING

SLOT 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18

+ S F S S F S * S + S + S + S + S +

FUEL FUEL

SLOT 8 CONTAINS 24 HALF PLATES & 21 FULL PLATES

NB BORON SECTIONS ATTACHED TO ALL APPR RODS

4 X APPR RODS ALL THE WAY OUT
 " CENTRAL ROD FULL IN
REACTOR NOT CRITICAL

$$8 \times 45 + 24 \times \frac{1}{2} + 21 = 360$$

+ 12

+ 21

 393 plates in all 45 elements.

- 200 9

 384 plates in core.

Expr. 36-2 Time 8⁰⁰ PM Date FEB 15 1956
 Purpose
CENT. APPR ROD CALIB.
 Personnel: MB JL DM

START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by DWM Personnel Check by DWM
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by JL
 "Source In" Checked by MB Source No.
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by DWM
 Red Light On by
 Start-Up OK'd by MB Time 8⁰⁰ PM Date FEB 15 1956

Loading: Added 12 1/2 plates (interchange full apphd)

$$\begin{array}{r} 8 \times 44 = 352 \\ \text{Slot 8 } \left. \begin{array}{l} 12 \times 1/2 = 6 \\ 32 = 32 \end{array} \right\} = 32 \end{array}$$

✓ MB

390 plates in core → 12.129 kg U-235

Non Load. $X_{235} = 12.40$ kg U-235

Slot 8 half plates in Boxes 6, 8, 10, 12, 20, 22, 24, 26, 34, 36, 38, 40.

BORAN SECTION CENT. APPR ROD IN CORE.

CRIT. COND:

Water #1	95.0	Log N	.011
" Temp	19.3 °C	DC-3	42 x 10 x 20
Control Rod	0.11	R-1	3.3 x 100 x 1000
" Blade	0.00		
Ec APPR	24.05		
Cent "	.045		

Expr. 36-3 Time 8²⁵ ~~PM~~ Date 2-15 1956
 Purpose CENT APPR ROD CALIB
 Personnel: MB JL DM

START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by DWM Personnel Check by DWM
 Instrument and Systems Checked and Reset by JL
 "Source In" Checked by MB Source No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by DWM
 Red Light On by MB
 Start-Up OK'd by MB Time 8²⁵ ~~PM~~ Date 2-15 1956

LOADING : REMOVED ~~9~~ 12 plates (Interchange full & half)
 Slot 8 has half plates in BAYS 3, 6, 8, 10, 12, 16, 20, 22, 24, 26
 30, 34, 36, 38, 40, 43.

$$\begin{array}{r} 8 \times 44 = 352 \\ 16 \times 12 \quad 8 \\ \hline 28 \quad 28 \\ \hline 388 \end{array}$$

MB

Now Load $\frac{45}{40} \times \rightarrow 12.35$

plates in core $\rightarrow 12.067$ kg U-235

BORON SECTION CENT APPR ROD IN CORE

CRIT. COND.

Water H ₂ O	109.5	Log N	0.017
" Temp.		DC3	69.5 x 16 x 20
Control Rod	29.03	R-1	4.18 x 100 x 100.0
" Blade	9.81		
Ecc. APPR	24.05		
CENT "	0.045		

MB

12.067 16 & excess

$$12.04 \times \frac{45}{40} = 12.31$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 12.31 \\ - 10.59 \\ \hline 1.72 \end{array}$$

Expt. <u>36-4</u>	Time <u>8⁵⁰ AM</u>	Date <u>2-15</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose: <u>CENTRAL VS. ECC APPR RODS.</u>		
Personnel: _____		

START-UP CHECK LIST		
Equipment Checked by <u>DWM</u>	Personnel check by <u>DWM</u>	
Instrument and Safety Checks and Tests by <u>JL</u>		
'Source In' checked by <u>MB</u>	Source No. <u>✓</u>	
Emergency Equipment in Control Room checked by <u>DWM</u>		
Red Light On by <u>✓</u>		
Start-Up OK'd by <u>MB</u>	Time <u>8⁵⁰ AM</u>	Date <u>2-15</u> 195 <u>6</u>

LOADING: SAME AS 36-3
 BORON APPR ROD 16⁹ IN CORE
 " " " 23 OUT OF CORE

Screen troubles -- pushed it away from opening DWM, J.L.

CRIT. COND.

Water H _T	109.7	Log N	.029
Water Temp		DC3	45.5 X 10 X 50
Cont Rod	29.03	R-1	3.3 ₃ X 100 X 200
" Blade	9.81	DC-1	76.3 X
Central APPR	24.95 23.98		
EC 37 APPR	7.26		
Box 9 APPR			

Expr. <u>36-5</u>	Time <u>11:30</u> ^{AM} PM	Date <u>2-15</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose <u>Rod Calibration</u>		
<u>9 vs. 37. — zero run.</u>		
Personnel: <u>DW, DM, MB</u>		

START-UP CHECK LIST	
Equipment Checked by <u>DL</u>	Personnel Check by <u>MB</u>
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by <u>DM</u>	
"Source In" Checked by <u>DW</u>	Source No. _____
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>MB</u>	
Red Light On by <u>DM</u>	AM PM
Start-Up OK'd by <u>DW</u>	Time <u>11:30</u> ^{AM} PM Date <u>2-15</u> 195 <u>6</u>

Loading - all boxes & APPR rods in position 9+37.

slot 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18
 material f s f s s f s f s s f s s f s f s f

except boxes 8, 10, 36+38 contain full fuel in slot 10 instead of s.s.

"central" rod drive moves APPR rod in position 9.

Critical Conditions -

DC-3	48 (10x20)	Blade	4.81
R-1	3.6 (100x1000)	Rod	29.03
DC-1	53.6 (50)	APPR-eccentric; 37	24.00
LogN	0.0128	"central"; 9	0.00
Temp.	19.3°C (65)	Water	109.5

APPR-9 pulled to 3.88 for trial period measurement; period ^{meters show} measurements approx. 90 sec.

Latched off with APPR-37 at approx. ~~21.35~~ 21.28

with LogN at 0.28 (photomultiplier set at 800V)

Inserted APPR-37 to 19.99 & negative period taken.

period meters show approx. -150 sec.

Levelled off with APPR-9 by pulling ~~to~~ to approx. 6.5

APPR-9 pulled to 6.45; Period meter reading ≈ 90 sec.

Photo-multiplier was set at ⁷³⁶ 700 volts. Scrambled

us at $\text{Log } N = 1.1$

Expt. 36-6 Time 4:30 ^{AM} Date 2-16 1956
 Purpose Rod calibration - 9 vs. 37
 Personnel: DW, DM, JL, MB

INSTRUMENT CHECK

Date 2-16 1956 Time 4:30 ^{AM} Source No. _____
 Trip _____
 Instrument Value Scale Source Distance Start-Up Scale

DC-1					
DC-2					
DC-3	✓	62	10x20	5"	
Log N	✓		12500		
R-1	✓	5	274000		
R-2			x100		
P. M.	✓		70GV	1/2"	

DC-2
~~R~~ trips at 75" (10x20)
 Loading - same as 36-5

START-UP CHECK LIST

Equipment Checked by DM Personnel Check by DM
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Ready by MB
 "Source In" Checked by DW Source No. _____
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by DW
 Red Light On by DM
 Start-Up OK'd by DW Time 4:40 ^{AM} Date 2-16 1956

Initial Critical Position

DC-3	most out of shimble	58(1x20)	Blade	5.77
DC-1			Rod	29.03
DC-2		76 (1x20)	APPR-box 37	24.08
R-1		5.6 (500x1000)	- box 9	0.00
Log N		0.095	Water	109.3
Temp.		193 (#15)		

Case	#9	#37 ^m	Disposition of reactor	Est. period	Est. Value	Est. Sensitivity period	Actual
1.	0.00	24.08	Load; Log N=0.095	∞			∞
2.	3.49	24.08	positive period	150 sec	7 f.	2 1/2 hr	
3.	3.49	21.40 21.00	negative period	400 200	3.5 f.	3.9 2 1/2 hr	
4.	5.15	21.40 21.00	positive period	200	5.3 f.	5.3	
5.	5.15	19.54	negative	200 110	8.2	6.9	
6.	6.74	19.54	positive.	110	9	10.8	
7.	6.74	18.27	negative. clock	200 164	6.2 10.6	10 15.4	
8.	8.10	18.27	positive.	200 78	11.7	16.4	
9.	8.10	16.99	negative.	143	13.1	19.4	
10.	9.24	16.99	positive.	83	11.2	21.3	
11.	9.24	16.02	negative.	168 148	10.3 17.4	22.2	
12.	10.15	16.02	positive	83	11.2	23.6	

Case	#9	#37	Disposition	Est. period	Est. Value	Est. Sensitivity	Actual period
13	10.15	15.09	negative	160	11	22.9 22.9	
14	11.03	15.09	positive	81	11.4	25.8	
15	11.03	14.20	negative	151	12.1	26.4	
16	11.93	14.20	positive	76	12	26.8	
17	11.93	13.36	negative	179	9.8	26.0	
18	12.75	13.36	positive	74	13.1	26.4	
19	12.75	12.59	negative	168	10.4	29.2	
20	13.55	12.59	positive	85	9.8	29.4	
21	13.55	11.88	negative	262	5.8	22.1	
22	14.31	11.88	positive	70	12.7	24.4	
23	14.31	11.11	negative	182	9.2	25.8	
24	15.16	11.11	positive	81	11.4	24.2	

Case	#9	#37 ⁰	Disposition	Est. Period	Est. Value	Est. Sensitivity
25	15.16	10.30	negative	175	9.7	26.1
26	15.16 16.15 16.15	19.30	positive	65	13.5	23.4
27	16.15 16.16	9.40	negative	199	8.2	24.1
28	17.22	9.40	positive	73	12.3	19.2
29	17.22	8.09	negative	126	16.4	21.9
30	18.83	8.09	positive	63	13.9	18.8
31	18.83	6.74	negative	178	9.4	17.3
32	20.33	6.74	positive	102	9.4	12.5
33	20.33	5.14	negative	186	8.9	11.4
34	23.96	5.14	positive	87	10.8	5.4
35	23.97	3.75	level	∞	0	7.8
36	23.97	0.10	negative	102	9.2	

Expt. 36-7 Time 11:30^{AM} Date 2-16 1956
 Purpose Recheck some points
on 36-6
 Personnel: DW, DM, JL, MIB

START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by DM Personnel Checked by MIB
 Instrument and Safeties Checked and Rec'd by DW
 "Source In" Checked by DW
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by JL
 Red Light On by MIB
 Start-Up OK'd by DW Time 11:30^{AM} Date 2-16 1956

Loading - same 36-6.

Check case	# 9	# 37	Disposition	Approx. Read
1-A	12.45	13.345	Approx Level	(Blade 6.00)
2-A	12.75	13.35	Positive	110 sm. 8.9 f.
(19) 3-A	12.75	12.60	Negative	166 sm. 10.4 f. 25.7
(20) 4-A	13.54	12.60	Positive	100 sm. 9.6 f. 25.3
(21) 5-A	13.54	11.86	Negative.	178 sm. 9.4 25.7

INSTRUMENT CHECK

Date 2-17 1956 Time 4³⁰ ~~PM~~ Source No. Gamma

Instrument Value Name Source Distance Start-Up Scale

DC-1 _____
 DC-2 _____
 DC-3 50 10x20 constant
 Log N _____
 R-1 7 100x1000 constant
 R-2 _____
 P. N. 900 V 4"
 Period 8X 15sec

Expt. 37-1 Time 4⁴⁵ ~~PM~~ Date _____ 1956

Purpose Comparison of Round and Square Rods

Personnel: DVPW, DWM

START-UP CHECK LIST

Equipment Checked by DWM Personnel Check by DVPW

Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by DWM

"Source In" Checked by DVPW Source No. ✓

Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by DWM

Red Light On by DWM

Start-Up OK'd by DVPW Time 4⁴⁵ ~~PM~~ Date 2-17 1956

Loading: Box 23 Contains Round Rod OD 2 3/4"
 Complete 8 plate loading + 24 plates in checkboard

$$\begin{array}{r} 8 \times 44 = 352 \\ 24 \quad \quad 24 \\ \hline 376 \end{array}$$

Sub Crit.

Expr. 37-2 Time 5:20~~PM~~ PM Date 2-17 1956
 Purpose D rts
 Personnel: DVPW AWM

START-UP CHECK LIST
 Equipment Checked by AWM Personnel Check by AWM
 Instrument and Set-up checked and Start by AWM
 Source DVPW Source No. ✓
 Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by AWM
 Red Light On by ✓
 Start-Up OK'd by DVPW Time 5:20~~PM~~ PM Date 2-17 1956

Loading: 8 plates per box + 32 plates
 352 + 32 = 384 plates
 24 checkboard
 + 8 (2, 4, 15, 17)
 39 31
 42 44

N.B. 2 3/4" Rd Rod in Center Box 23.

CRIT. COND:

Water Ht	109.2	Log N	.02
Blade	10.16	DC-3	90x20x10
Cent Rod	29.03	R-1	5.3 x 100 x 1000
APRR Rod 9	24.00		
	37	24.00	

WATER TEMP = 20.2°C

384 x 31.1 = 11.942 kg U-235 15.54
 excess
 30 g
 15.5
 .53
 corrected 11.91 kg

APRR 12.04

Expt. <u>37-3</u>	Time <u>5⁵⁸</u> PM	Date <u>2-17</u> 195 <u>6</u>
Purpose: <u>O. vs □.</u>		
Personnel: <u>DVPW J.L. DWM</u>		
START-UP CHECK LIST		
Equipment Checked by <u>DWM</u>	Personnel Check by <u>DWM</u>	
Instrument and Safeties Checked and Reset by <u>DWM</u>		
Source in " Checked by <u>DVPW</u>	Source No. <u>DWM</u>	
Emergency Equipment in Control Room Checked by <u>DWM</u>		
Red Light On by <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Start-Up OK'd by <u>DWM</u>	Time <u>5⁵⁸</u> PM	Date <u>2-17</u> 195 <u>6</u>

Loading: Same as 37-2

Exchanged ~~app~~ Round and Square Rod (□ rod in 23 row)

CRIT. COND.

Water HT	109.3	Log N	.02
APPR Rod 9	24.00	DC-3	40 x 50 x 10
37	18.29	R-1	5.8 x 100 x 1000
Blade	10.18		
Rod	29.03		

$$\therefore \Delta k (O - \square) = \text{Rod } 37 (24.00 - 18.29)$$

	g	37	Blade (10.18)	Rod	Period (min)	
①	24.00	18.29	14.40	29.03	76.7 sec	11.84
②	24.00	17.52			Level	
③	24.00	17.52	"	19.57	Level	
④	"	"	10.18	"	Neg ^{159 sec}	11.24

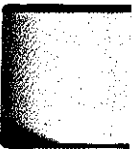
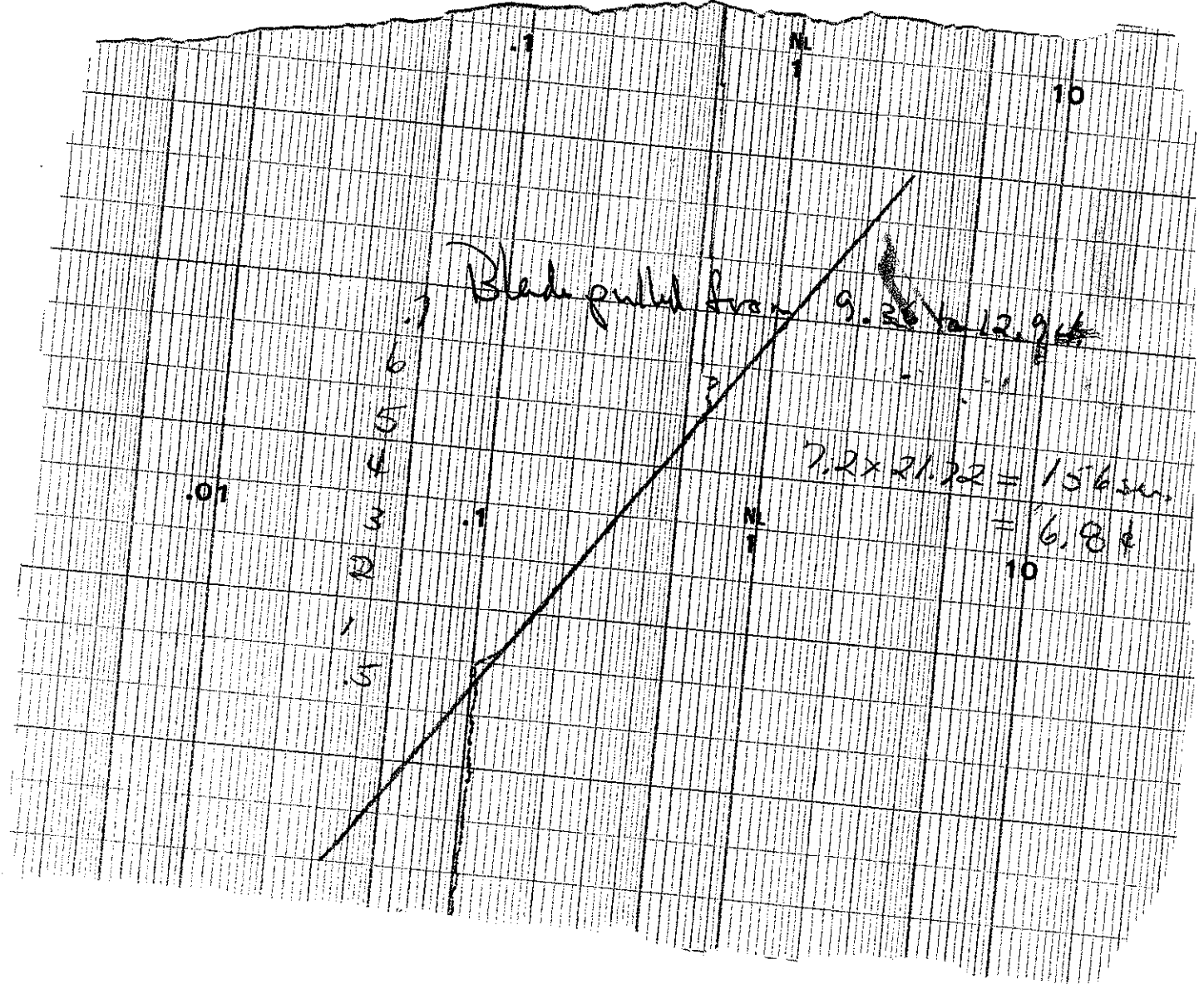
From Preliminary calibration of
 APPR rod 37, $24.08 - 18.27 = 43.6 \phi$
 $\therefore \bigcirc - \square = \Delta k \approx 44 \phi$

Final values for 37 calibration:

$$24.08 - 18.27 = 54 \phi$$

$$\text{APPR} - \bigcirc \text{Rod} = 12.04 - 11.91 = 0.13 \text{ kg} \times \frac{48}{100} \sim 62 \phi$$

$$\bigcirc \text{Rod} - \square \text{Rod} = 54 \phi \text{ or } \frac{10.5}{11.9} \times 54 \phi = 0.48 \text{ c/g} \sim 110 \text{ g}$$



~~SECRET~~

Classification Change to *Declass*
Authority of *J.H. Kahn* Date *6/3/60*

~~SECRET~~