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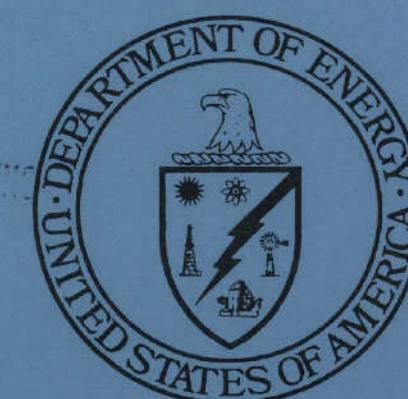
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## ABSTRACT

The Marion quadrangle covers a 7,200 square mile area of central Ohio located within the Midwestern Physiographic Province. Up to 5,000 feet of Paleozoic strata overlie the east dipping Precambrian basement. Flat lying Quaternary glacial sediments cover most of the surface within the quadrangle.

A search of available literature revealed no known uranium deposits.

A total of ninety-nine (99) uranium anomalies were detected and are discussed briefly in this report. Radiometric data appear to reflect a preference for uranium occurrences in glacial moraine tills, and a minimum likelihood of occurrence in Paleozoic bedrock. Some of the largest anomalies appear to be culturally induced and no anomaly was considered to represent a significant amount of naturally occurring uranium.

The magnetic data contrast somewhat with the existing structural interpretation of the area. The generally increasing magnetic gradient from west to east is interrupted by many features whose sources may be attributed to undefined lithologic and/or structural elements in the Precambrian basement.

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## INTRODUCTION

### General

The Marion quadrangle covers a 7,200 square mile area of central Ohio (see Figure 1).

The geologic base map used in this report was compiled at a scale of 1:250,000 by AAA Engineering and Drafting, Inc. (1980). Published sources for the base map included a 1:500,000 scale glacial map of Ohio issued by the U.S. Geological Survey (Goldthwait and others, 1967) and the 1:500,000 scale geologic map of Ohio issued by the Ohio Division of Geological Survey (Bownocker, 1965). Geologic unit descriptions in the report follow those of the base map legend and may be found in Appendix C. Supplementary geologic information was taken from Cohee and others (1962), Flint (1959, 1971), and Weller (1975). Cultural and physiographic information came from the 1:250,000 scale Marion topographic quadrangle (rev. 1978).

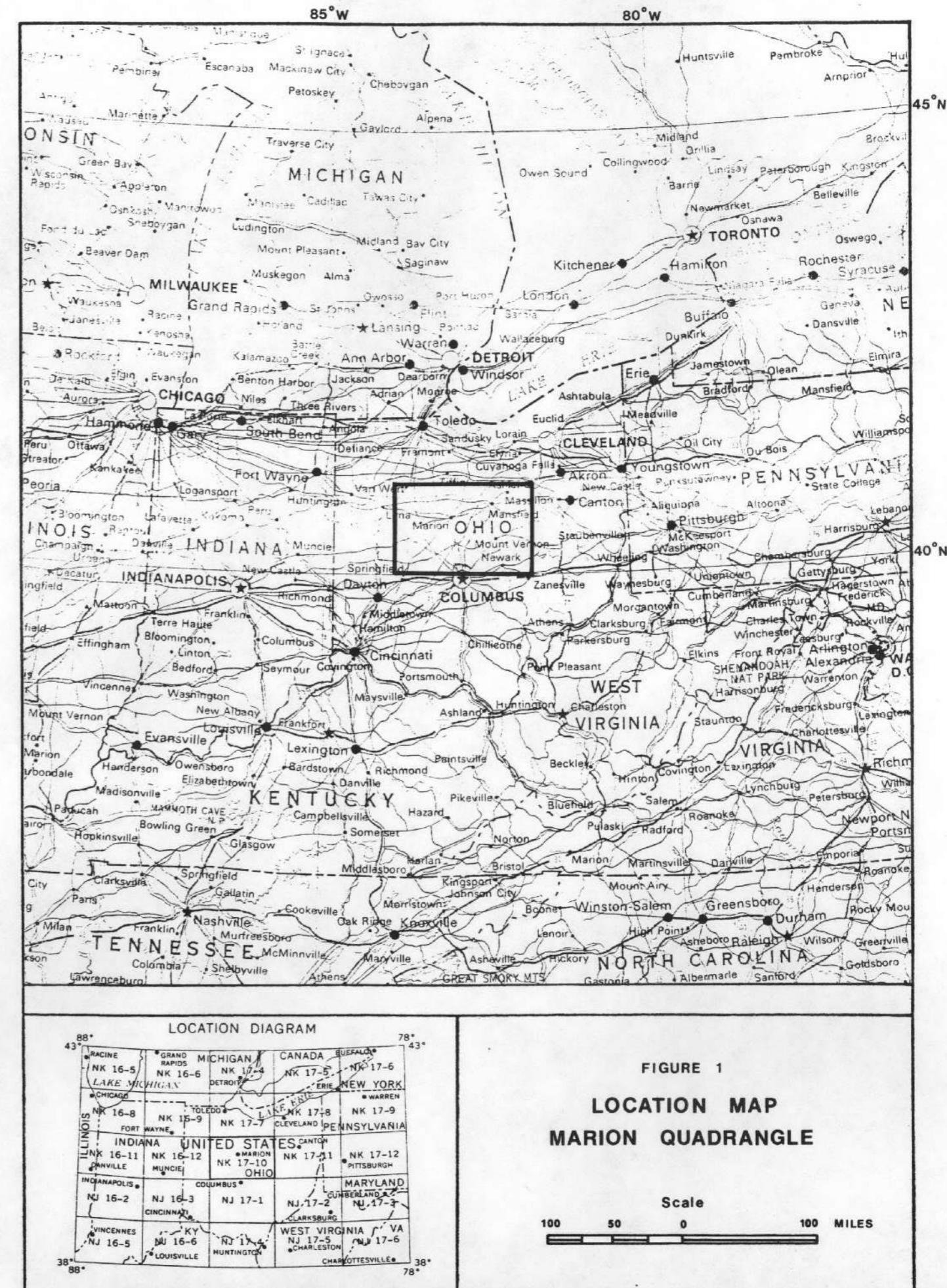
Radiometric and magnetic data were acquired during the months of December 1980 and May 1981 and were processed in June, 1981. A detailed summary of data acquisition, processing, interpretation and presentation methods can be found in Appendix A. Appendix B contains a flight line summary for the Marion quadrangle.

### Physiography

The area within the Marion quadrangle is part of a broad glaciated plain which is located on the northeastern edge of the Midwestern Physiographic Province. Landforms produced by repeated glaciations characterize most of the region, (although in the southeast, the undisturbed, unglaciated strata have been eroded into a maze of ridges and valleys typical of the Allegheny Plateau). Most of the area lies within the Ohio River watershed and is drained southward by tributaries of that river (see Figure 3). In the north, however, the drainage is reversed and runoff flows into Lake Erie via the Sandusky River. The drainage divide is defined by the east-west trending Fort Wayne end moraine which in itself is a topographically minor feature. Numerous glacially formed lakes and water supply reservoirs of various sizes dot the landscape.

Elevations range from a low of 734 feet, which occurs on the Dillon Reservoir in the southeast corner of the quadrangle to a high point of 1,549 feet at the headwaters of the Mad River just east of the town of Bellefontaine. Topographic relief is primarily due to stream erosion of glacial debris which nowhere exceeds more than 300 feet locally.

A part of the city of Columbus (582,000 pop.) is located within the Marion quadrangle as well as numerous smaller cities and towns (38,000 to 54,000 pop.). A highly developed network of primary and secondary roads connects population centers in a rectilinear pattern, and railroads pass through virtually all municipalities.



## GEOLOGY

### Structure

The Marion quadrangle overlies the eastern flank of the Findlay Arch, which is a regional basement feature that trends north-northeast along the western edge of the area (see Figure 2). Throughout the quadrangle the basement displays a constant dip eastward toward the Allegheny Basin resulting in a sequence of Paleozoic sedimentary rocks that reach a maximum thickness of 5,000 feet at the southeast corner. The sedimentary cover thins to 1,500 feet on the west side of the quadrangle just over the axis of the Findlay Arch.

Mapped basement structure indicates no faults and only one area of minor local synclinal folding (Cohee and others, 1962). No faults are shown in mapped rock units or glacial cover (AAA Engr., 1980).

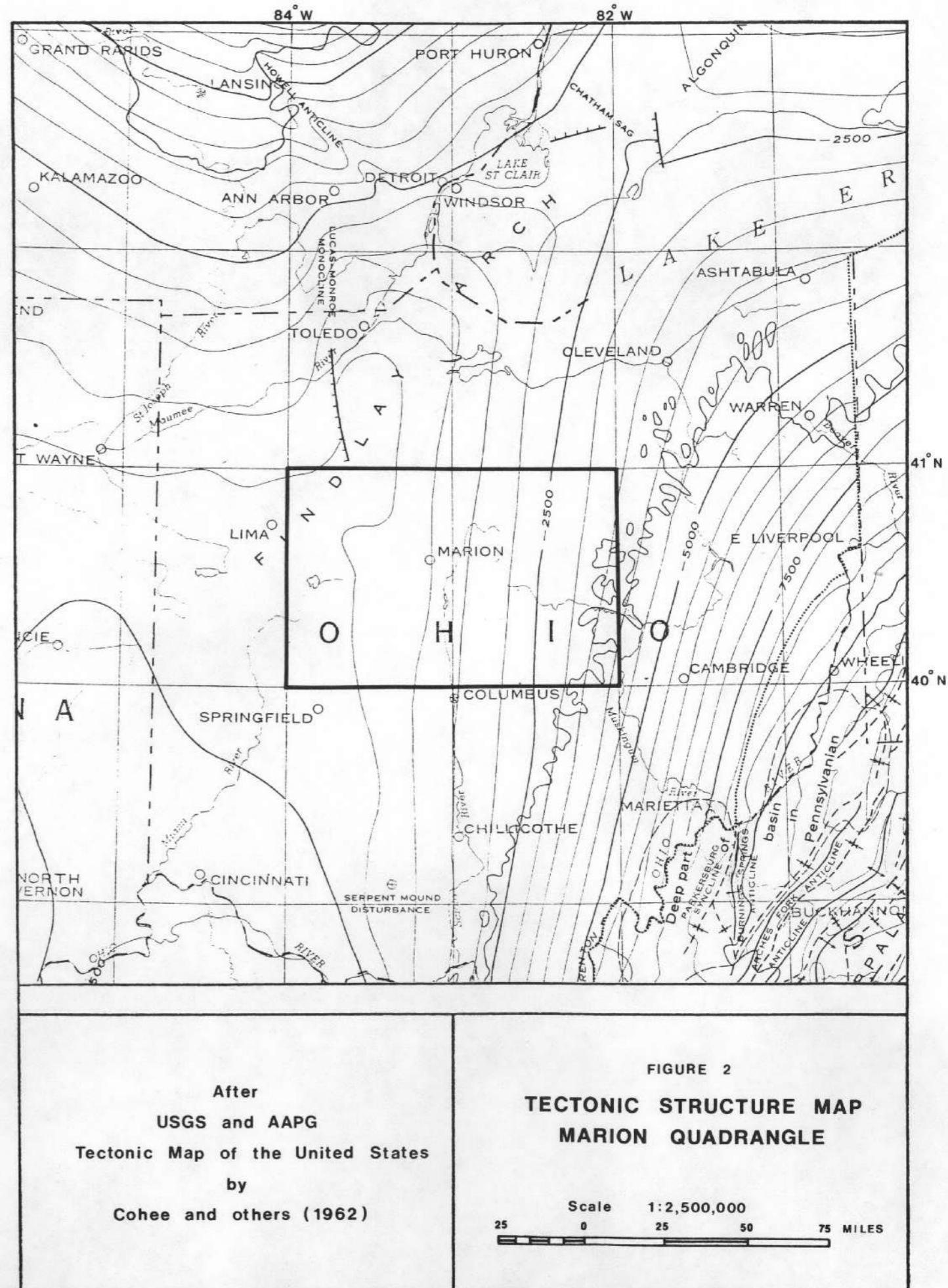
### Surface Geology

Pleistocene glaciation in the Marion quadrangle left a wide variety of materials and associated landforms. These deposits represent the two most recent stages of glaciation, the Wisconsinan and Illinoian Stages, and include glacial, periglacial and post-glacial material. The small area in the east not covered by glacial debris includes exposures of Paleozoic sedimentary rocks that are unfolded and exhibit a well developed dendritic drainage pattern.

Wisconsinan drift covers most of the quadrangle (90%) and typically includes broad ground moraines composed of till which form relatively flat land surfaces. End moraines, also a till composed of an unsorted mixture of clay, silt and gravel, separate ground moraines forming narrower strips of sharply hummocky or rolling land. Eight major end moraines are mapped by Goldthwait (1961), several of which mark the limits of significant glacial advances.

Illinoian stage glacial deposits occupy less than 5% of the area and are exposed only along the east edge of younger Wisconsinan drift. The primary landform displays a rolling, smooth surface characteristic of ground moraines. Smooth surface outwash sediments and the hummocky surfaces produced by kames occur in both the Illinoian and Wisconsinan deposits.

A notable geomorphic feature is the peripheral zone along the edge of the glacial deposits. The outer limit of this zone is called the drift border, marking the farthest advance of all glaciation. Beyond the drift border, Paleozoic bedrock is exposed resulting in a dramatic contrast in soil type and vegetation.



### Uranium

According to available literature, there are no known uranium deposits in the Marion quadrangle (Butler and others, 1962; Schnabel, 1955).

### INTERPRETATION OF GEOPHYSICAL DATA

#### Radiometric Data

A total of 99 groups of uranium ( $\text{Bi}^{214}$ ) samples meet the minimum statistical requirements set forth in the data interpretation section of Appendix A. These are displayed, along with all other anomalous samples and pertinent data, on Figure 3. The anomalies are summarized in a table in Appendix G. The potassium, uranium, thorium, and ratio pseudo-contour maps, which reflect radiometric responses for each quadrangle, are found in Appendix H. The abundance of potassium, uranium, and thorium is discussed in terms of apparent equivalent percent and apparent parts per million equivalent of each element (for example,  $\text{ppmeU}$ ). These equivalent units are derived from scaling of counts per second by the sensitivities calculated for the detection system and as such cannot be taken as directly determined geochemical values.

The average uranium value for the quadrangle is 3.0  $\text{ppmeU}$ . The highest average uranium value for any geologic unit is 3.1  $\text{ppmeU}$  which occurs over map unit Qwe (Wisconsinan end moraine till). The peak uranium value observed was 7.4  $\text{ppmeU}$  and this was found over map unit Qwg (Wisconsinan ground moraine till). In general, uranium values are slightly higher over Wisconsinan tills (2.8 to 3.5  $\text{ppmeU}$ ) than they are over Paleozoic bedrock and Illinoian tills (2.2 to 3.0  $\text{ppmeU}$ ). Two areas that display slightly higher values than the regional average are associated with the city of Columbus. One area includes the metropolitan and surrounding districts and the other, a linear trend, extends northwest from Columbus (see Appendix H). This linear feature follows the Powell end moraine and a major transportation corridor. Whether the higher uranium values are due to geological conditions or culture is, however, problematical.

Average potassium and thorium values for the quadrangle are 1.2 percent and 5.9  $\text{ppmeT}$  respectively. These moderate values are typical for the glaciated regions of the midwestern U.S. Tills of the Wisconsinan ground and end moraines (map units Qwg and Qwe) exhibit the greatest mean potassium value (1.2 percent) and the highest peak potassium value (2.1 percent) respectively among all the map units. Potassium values increase less than 1 percent from east to west, in broad north-south zones that seem to have little relation to geology (see Appendix H). Only a vague impression of the regional lobate end moraine northwest of Columbus is seen on the potassium pseudo-contour map. Thorium values, on the other hand, are at a maximum in Illinoian outwash deposits and Mississippian bedrock units. The highest mean thorium value is 6.4  $\text{ppmeT}$  over map unit Qio (Illinoian outwash deposits), while the highest

peak thorium value occurs over map unit Mmw (Mississippian Maxville Limestone and Waverly Group) at 6.4  $\text{ppmeT}$ . The thorium pseudo-contour map displays almost as much heterogeneity as that of uranium and a slightly larger range of values (4.5 to 7  $\text{ppmeT}$ ). Correlation between the thorium pseudo-contour map and the geologic base is only slightly better than non-existent. Higher values seem to be associated with bedrock units and some Illinoian drift. These higher values also occur over Wisconsinan deposits in the west, but show trends that cross map unit contacts and do not seem to be controlled by the geology. Some of the lowest values for both potassium and thorium are located in and around Columbus.

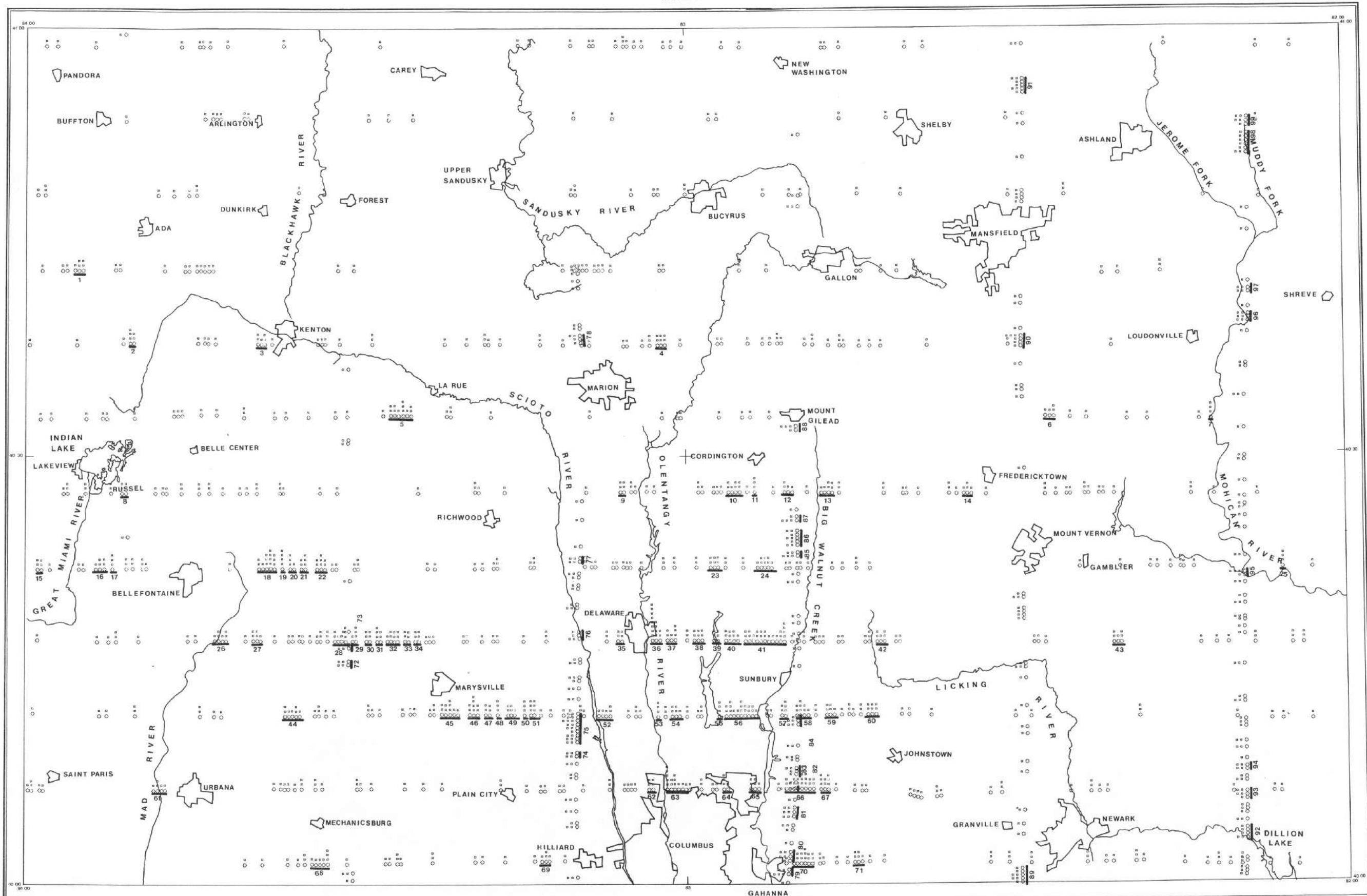
Examination of the gamma ray profiles (Appendix D) shows several lines that have significantly higher uranium and BiAir concentrations. These peculiar radiometric signatures have been encountered in previous surveys nearby and are considered to be weather phenomena that are not easily corrected by the present radon correction scheme which is based upon the assumption of uniform, homogenous radon distribution. An adjustment of the uranium and affected ratios was made, assuming that the absolute ground uranium concentrations in these areas are actually similar to those of adjacent and crossing lines. Statistical analyses were done using the corrected values.

Uranium anomalies are found primarily in the southern part of the quadrangle along a broad zone between the east and west map borders. Anomalies generally range from 3.5 to 5.0  $\text{ppmeU}$ , with anomaly number 36 containing a peak value of 7.4  $\text{ppmeU}$ . Most of the larger anomalies are located around Columbus and this association, as well as the generally low values throughout the quadrangle, suggest a lack of significant occurrences of natural in-situ uranium.

#### Magnetic Data

The magnetic data as displayed by the pseudo-contour map (Appendix H) exhibit a wide variety of features in apparent contrast to the interpretation of the basement structure, as shown in Figure 2. Only in the west is the long wavelength magnetic signature uninterrupted. Elsewhere lithologic and structural elements in the underlying rock units are represented by magnetic features with various shapes and sizes that show no dominate trend.

MARION



URANIUM ANOMALY/  
INTERPRETATION MAP

MARION QUADRANGLE

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

APPROXIMATE SCALE 1:500,000

EXPLANATION

□ - CITY OR TOWN  
○ - URANIUM SAMPLE MEETING FOLLOWING CRITERIA:  
(1)  $1.0 \leq U \leq \infty$   
(2)  $-1.0 \leq T \leq \infty$   
(3)  $1.0 \leq U/T \leq \infty$   
IN STANDARD DEVIATION UNITS.  
EACH SQUARE REPRESENTS 1 STANDARD DEVIATION.  
□ - URANIUM ANOMALY:  
A SINGLE SAMPLE OF 3 OR MORE STANDARD DEVIATIONS OR GROUP OF ADJOINING SAMPLES WHICH TOGETHER TOTAL 4 OR MORE STANDARD DEVIATIONS,  $4.0 \leq \sum S \leq \infty$ , WITH AT LEAST ONE SAMPLE OF 2 OR MORE STANDARD DEVIATIONS.

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Figure 3 - Uranium Anomaly/Interpretation Map - Marion Quadrangle

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**APPENDIX A - Data Acquisition, Processing, and  
Interpretation Methods**

## INTRODUCTION

### General

Under the U.S. Department of Energy's (DoE), National Uranium Resource Evaluation (NURE) Program, geoMetrics, Inc., conducted a high sensitivity airborne radiometric and magnetic survey. The data collection and processing were conducted under requirements set forth in Bendix Field Engineering Corporation specification 1200-C, dated February, 1979. The objectives of the (DoE)/NURE program, of which this project is a small part, may be summarized as follows:

"To develop and compile geologic and other information with which to assess the magnitude and distribution of uranium resources and to determine areas favorable for the occurrence of uranium in the United States." (DoE)

As an integral part of the DoE/NURE Program, the National Airborne Radiometric Program is designed to provide cost effective, semiquantitative reconnaissance radio element distribution information to aid in the assessment of regional distribution of uraniferous materials within the United States.

All Airborne data collected by geoMetrics during the course of this project were done so utilizing a Beechcraft B65 Queen Air Airplane (U.S. Registry No. N9AG) and a Rockwell Aero Commander (Registry No. N1213B). Both aircraft used 3584 cubic inches of NaI crystal and a high sensitivity proton magnetometer (0.25 gamma).

Each report contains a detailed geologic summary, interpretation report, reduced scale copies of all maps and profiles, histograms, and statistical tables for each quadrangle contained within the project. In addition, each report contains an appendix detailing the survey description, specifications, data collection and processing methods, and interpretation methods.

All data processing, statistical analyses, and interpretation were performed at the geoMetrics computer facility, Sunnyvale, California. After processing, the corrected data were statistically evaluated to define those areas which were radiometrically anomalous relative to other areas within each computer map unit. Standard deviation maps and radiometric and magnetic profile data were first evaluated individually and then integrated into a final interpretation map for each NTMS quadrangle.

Corrected profiles of all radiometric variables (total count, potassium, uranium, thorium, uranium/thorium, uranium/potassium, and thorium

/potassium, ratios), magnetic data, radar altimeter data, barometric altimeter data, air temperature, and airborne bismuth contributions are presented as profiles in this report. Single record and averaged data are presented on microfiche in report. These data are given at 1.0 second sample intervals, corrected for Compton Scatter, referenced to 400 foot mean terrain clearance as Standard Temperature and Pressure and corrected for atmospheric bismuth. Digital magnetic tapes are available containing raw spectral data, single record data, magnetic data, and statistical analysis results.

## OPERATIONS

### PRODUCTION SUMMARY

The production summary presented below describes the general procedures involved in gathering data for the entire project. The detailed daily production summary in Appendix B describes a portion of the total project.

Prior to the start of the survey operations, the airplanes were calibrated at the DoE test pads and Dynamic Test Range (the Queen Air in April 1980, and the Aero Commander in October 1980). Requirements for system calibrations are listed in the 1250-A specifications from BFEC.

Throughout the course of the overall project, the average ground speed maintained by the Queen Air was 140 mph. The Aero Commander averaged 150 mph.

Nearly 100% of the data collected were within the specification limits of 200-700 feet. Several deviations over short distances were required to meet military regulations, FAA safety requirements, and to ensure that livestock were not endangered due to low flying aircraft. A sample altitude statistical distribution is shown in Figure I.

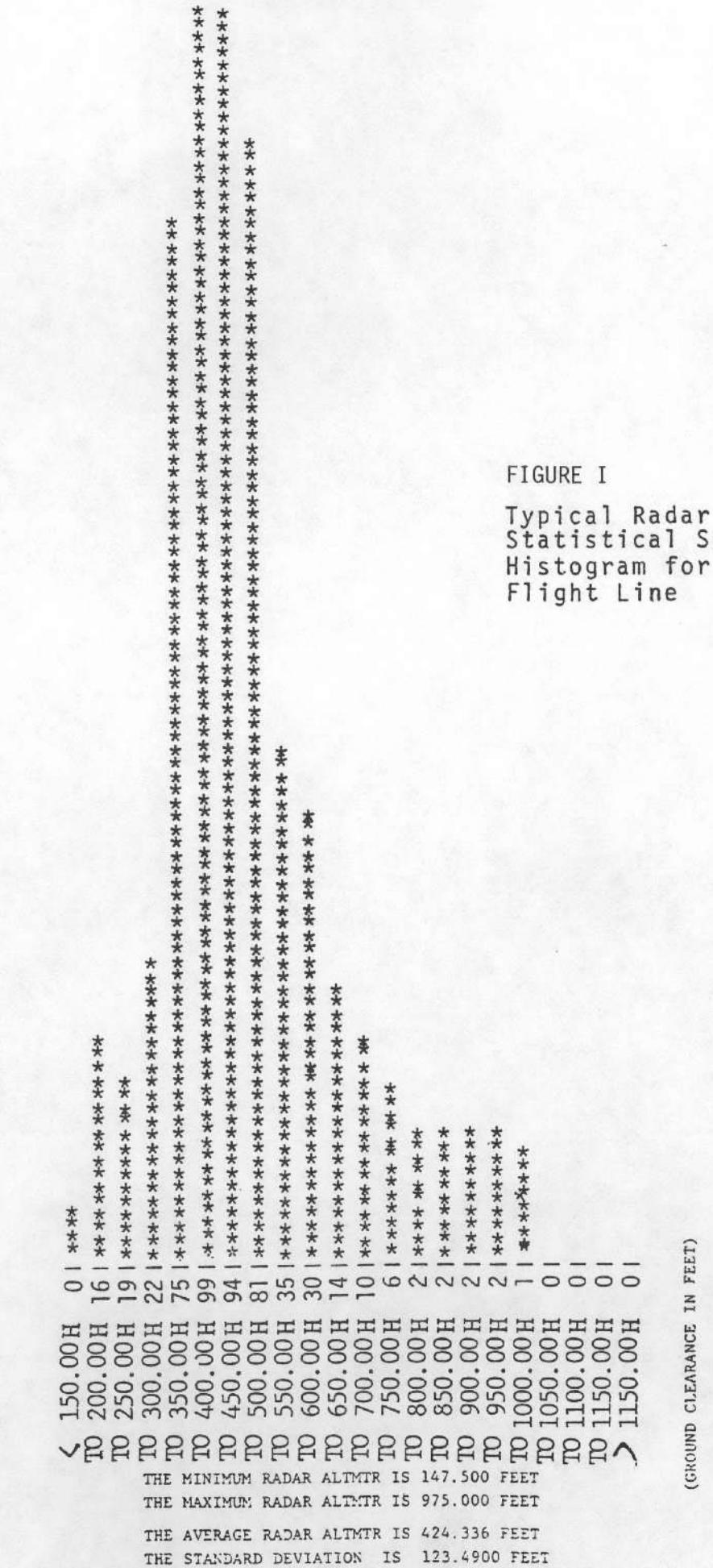
### DATA COLLECTION PROCEDURES

#### Operating Parameters/Sampling Procedures

This survey was conducted using data collection parameters summarized below:

1. Data sampling was performed by a time-base system using 1.0 second sample intervals. All sensor data with analog output were digitally sampled at each scan based upon the clock timing rate of 1.0 seconds. The data so collected are the instantaneous values of the altimeter, temperature, pressure, and magnetometer parameters determined at the time of the data scan, but represent a count time of 1.0 seconds for the gamma ray spectrometer data.
2. The airplanes' objective ground speeds, mentioned previously, were not exceeded unless dictated by safety.
3. The airplane's downward looking crystal volume was 3,072 cubic inches providing an objective V/V (crystal volume in cubic inches divided by ground speed in miles per hour) of 22.0 at 140 m.p.h.
4. The upward looking crystal volume was 512 cubic inches.

NUMBER OF OCCURRENCES



### Navigation/Flight Path Recovery

For all of the quadrangles, profiles were flown east-west at 6 mile (9.6 km) spacing. North-south tie lines were flown at 18 mile (28.8 km) spacing.

Navigation was accomplished using visual navigation techniques. Flight lines were drawn on 1:250,000 quadrangles and the pilot/navigator utilized these maps to provide visual navigation features.

Simultaneously, a 35 mm tracking camera was used to record actual flight position. This camera's fiducial numbering system was directly synchronized to the digital recording system such that a one-to-one correlation between position and data could be made. Upon completion of a data collection flight, the 35 mm film was processed and actual flight path positions located on the appropriate scale map sheets.

### Infield System Calibration

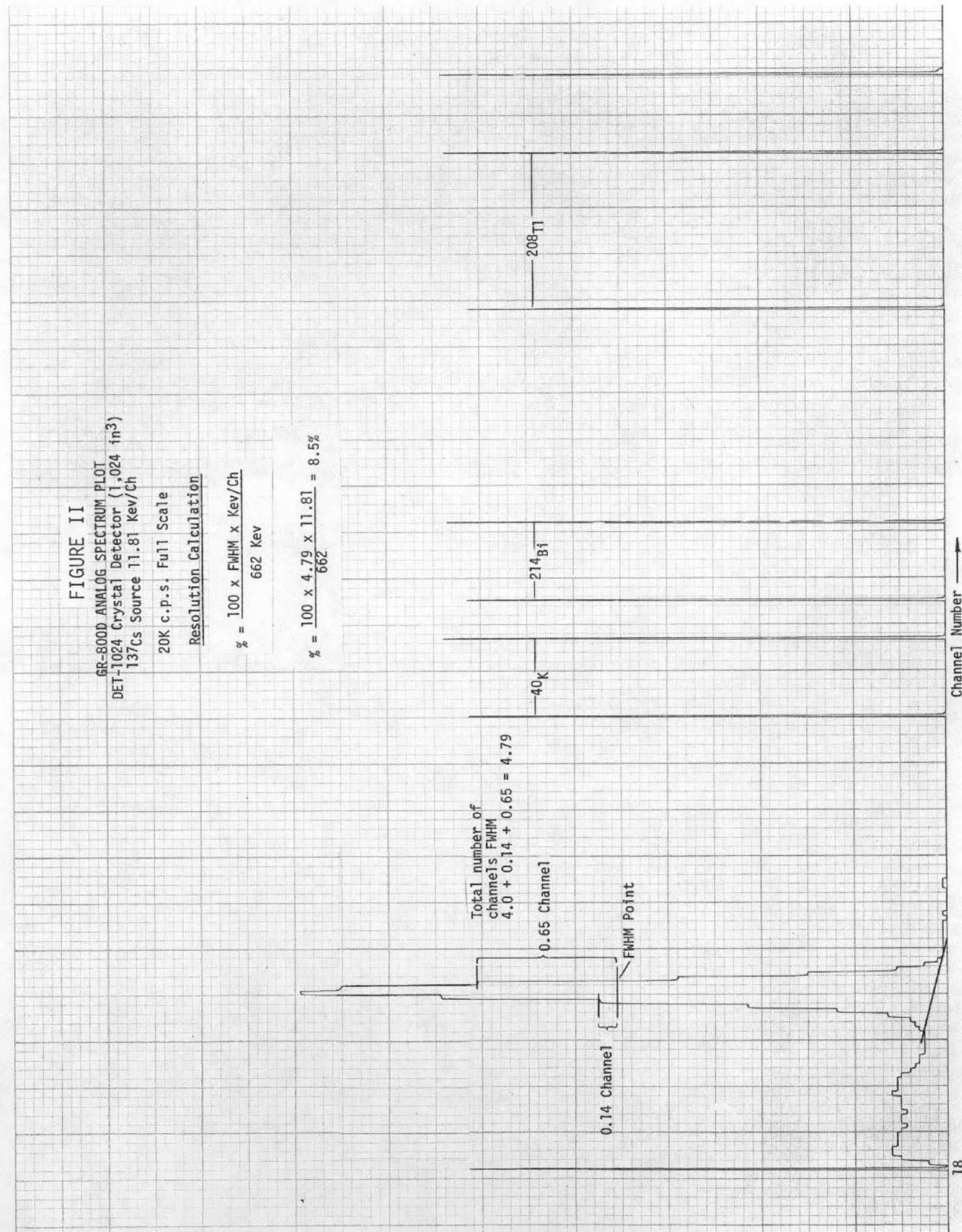
Due to the complex nature of both the system and the required data interpretation, much emphasis was placed on infield calibration of the data collection system. The objective of this calibration was to ensure continuous high quality of the data collected. The daily calibration procedures used are summarized below:

#### A. Pre Flight

1. Use cesium sources (same positioning on crystals every day), peak each Photomultiplier tube/crystal using the digital split-window detector of the GR-800. Then using thallium sources, repeat the tuning of the individual crystals.
2. Run full cesium spectrum on analog recorder for both down and up looking crystals. Calculate the cesium resolution (see sample in Figure II). Run spectrum out past the K40 peak on down crystals for evaluation of system tuning.
3. Finally run a full thorium analog spectrum of the down crystals and check for centering of K40 and Tl208 peaks in spectrum.
4. Repeat 1-3 until system is within contract specifications.

#### B. During Flight

1. Fly test line at survey altitude (400 ft), for approximately five miles, prior to production data collection (record both analog and digital).
2. Prior to production data collection, the above data are evaluated to ensure +20% limits on total count compared to average of all test flights from that base of operations.



## DATA COLLECTION SYSTEM

3. During production data collection, monitor radon analog data for unusual increases. Visually correlate these with temperature and barometric pressure.
4. Upon completion of production data collection, refly test line at survey altitude (400 ft). Record both analog and digital.

## C. Post Flight

1. Verify test line total count within 20% of average for all test lines at that base of operations.
2. Using cesium sources (same position as pre-flight), run full cesium spectrum for both down and up crystals (allow it to record through the K40 peak in the down crystals). Repeat the procedure using thallium sources and examine the T1208 window.
3. Calculate the resolution of down and up crystal pack.
4. Determine shift, if any, in T1208 peak position.

Field Digital Data Verification

At the completion of each flight, the raw digital data tapes were checked for data quality and completeness on geoMetrics' G-725. The G-725 system is a totally portable mini computer (and peripherals) consisting of; an Interdata 516, two 9 track tape drives, a CRT, a line printer, and two floppy discs. Any digital problems encountered were immediately evaluated by the electronics operator and data man, thus assuring optimum data quality. In addition, histogram information for each measured variable was generated. Thus a summary display of altitude, etc., is available for immediate evaluation.

AIRCRAFT

Two aircraft were used for this survey: (1) a Beechcraft Queen Air - Model 65 (U.S. Reg. No. N9AG), and (2) a Rockwell Aero Commander 680F (U.S. Reg. No. N1213B). Both these aircraft, being medium size with twin engines, possess overall performance and safety features which make them ideal for low level, fixed-wing airborne geophysical surveys in areas of up to moderately high topographic relief. They can carry adequate payloads at low constant airspeeds, while maintaining economy and a wide envelope of safety. Performance data for the two craft in their present survey configuration are given below.

	<u>QUEEN AIR</u>	<u>AERO COMMANDER</u>
Maximum Aircraft Gross Weight	7,700 lbs.	8,500 lbs.
Aircraft Empty (dry)	4,640 lbs.	5,200 lbs.
Max. useful load including fuel	3,060 lbs.	3,300 lbs.
Geophysical Package	1,110 lbs.	1,110 lbs.
Navigation Equipment	125 lbs.	125 lbs.
Fuel Tanks Full	528 lbs.	1,338 lbs
Pilot & Electronics Operator	350 lbs.	350 lbs.
Total	2,113 lbs.	2,923 lbs.
Min. Control Speed at G.W. (IAS)	95 mph	NG
Safe Single Eng. Speed @ G.W. (IAS)	105 mph	NG
Rate of Climb 2 engines @ gross (FPM)	1,300	1,500
Rate of climb 1 engine @ gross (FPM)	210	250
Avgas consumption (ga/hr) at 75% power	36	38
Endurance (75% power)	6 hrs/6 mins.	5 hrs/30 mins.
Range (75% power - 45 min. reserve)	1,200 miles	1,100 miles
Cruise Configuration stalling speed at gross weight (IAS)		
0° bank	80 mph	80 mph
45° bank	95 mph	NG

### Electronics

The major components of the airborne data collection system are summarized below (shown schematically in Figure III):

1. Gamma Ray Spectrometer, geoMetrics GR-800, utilizing a dual 256 channel capability to provide spectral data in the 0.4 to 3.0 MeV range for both the downward looking and the upward looking crystal packages and coverage in the 3.0 to 6.0 MeV range for cosmic background.
2. Crystal Detector, geoMetrics Model DET-3072/512R consisting of 3072 cubic inches in the downward looking configuration and 512 cubic inches appropriately shielded in an upward looking configuration.
3. A geoMetrics Digital Data Acquisition System, Model G-714 with "read-after-write" data verification, recording the following on magnetic tape:
  - a. 512 channels of gamma ray spectrometer data
  - b. Total magnetic intensity
  - c. Fiducial number from data system/camera
  - d. Manually inserted information, i.e. date, survey area, and flight line number
  - e. Altitude from radar altimeter and barometric altimeter (by analog-to-digital conversion)
  - f. Time in days, hours, minutes and seconds
  - g. Outside air temperature
4. Magnetometer, geoMetrics Airborne Model G-803, capable of 0.125 gamma sensitivity, but operated at 0.25 gamma sensitivity.
5. Radar Altimeter, Bonzer Model Mark 10 with recording output and display operating over an altitude range of 0 to 2,500 feet.
6. Rosemont Barometric Altimeter with recording output and display.
7. Recording Thermometer for monitoring outside air temperature.
8. Tracking Camera. Automax 35 mm framing camera with wide angle lens and 10 character fiducial/line number display to provide flight path recovery data.

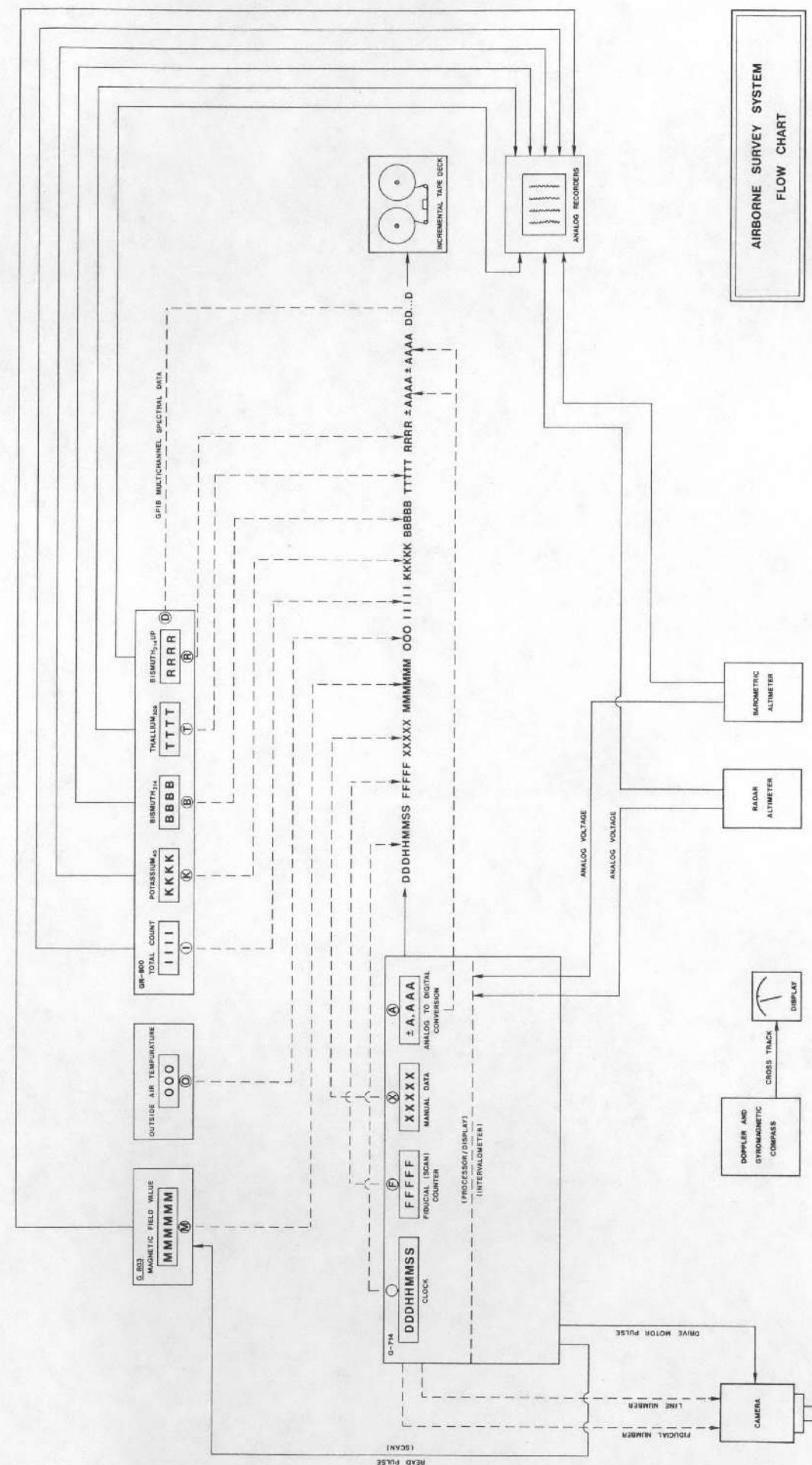


FIGURE III

## SYSTEM CALIBRATION

9. Analog Recorder geoMetrics (MARS 6)to record the following data:
- Bi214 using a window about the 1.76 MeV peak from the downward looking system.
  - Bi air background from the upward looking system.
  - Magnetometer
  - Radar Altitude
  - Total count for downward looking system (0.4 to 3.0 MeV)
  - Barometric Altitude
  - Time markers
10. HP 7155 single channel analog recorder during pre and post flight calibrations, this recorder is used to plot a full analog spectra for both the down and up crystal systems via the GR-800. Thus, a hard copy record of the data used for resolution, drift, etc., checks are available at all times. This approach provides instant verification of system parameters (refer to Figure II).

### AIRCRAFT AND COSMIC BACKGROUND

Full spectral data are collected at five (5) altitudes over water (14,000 feet, 12,000 feet; 10,000 feet; 8,000 feet and 6,000 feet) in an area where the existence of no airborne Bi214 can be assured (off shore over the Pacific Ocean). This results in separate spectra as shown schematically in Figure 10. We define  $S(12,000)$  to be the spectra at 12,000 feet from 0.4 MeV to 3.0 MeV with  $S(8,000)$  the same spectra at a lower altitude (8,000) and  $C_i(h)$  the total count between 3.0 and 6.0 MeV at respective altitudes.<sup>i</sup> Since the aircraft background is constant, the difference between any two altitudes separated sufficiently - typically, 2,000 feet - yields the cosmic spectral curve shape as shown schematically in Figure VI. Thus

$$\begin{aligned} S(12,000) - S(8,000) &= \Delta S \\ \text{and} \\ \sum C_{12}(h_i) - \sum C_8(h_i) &= \Delta C \end{aligned}$$

This cosmic spectral curve is scaled back to 12,000 feet as follows:

$$\frac{C_{12}(h_i) \times \Delta S}{\Delta C} = \Delta C(12,000) \text{ the Cosmic Spectrum (shape and magnitude at 12,000 feet)}$$

The aircraft background is derived as follows:

$$S(12,000) - C(12,000) = A/C \text{ Background}$$

Since data were collected at five altitudes, this procedure was repeated for each combination of altitudes and results averaged. Typical aircraft and cosmic spectra are shown in Figures V, AND VI respectively.

### SYSTEM CONSTANTS

System constants were determined by occupation of the DoE Walker Field Test Pads. (See Ward, 1978, and Stromswold, 1978, for complete descriptions of the building and monitoring of the pads). The five test pads contained varying concentrations of K, U, and T as presented by BFEC:

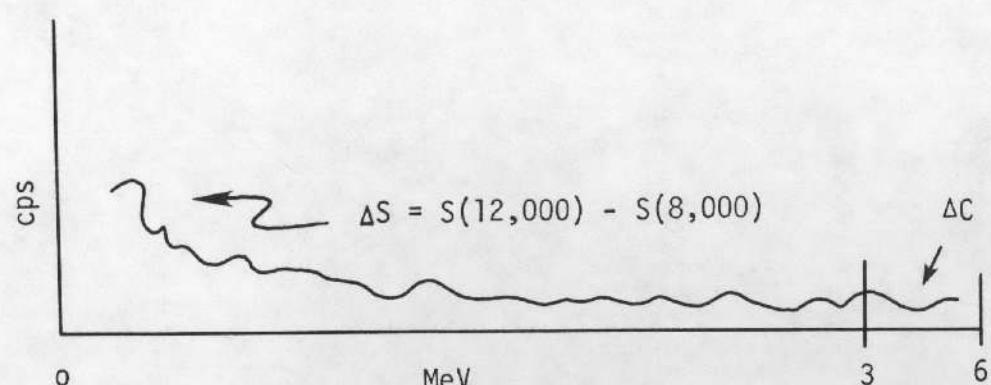
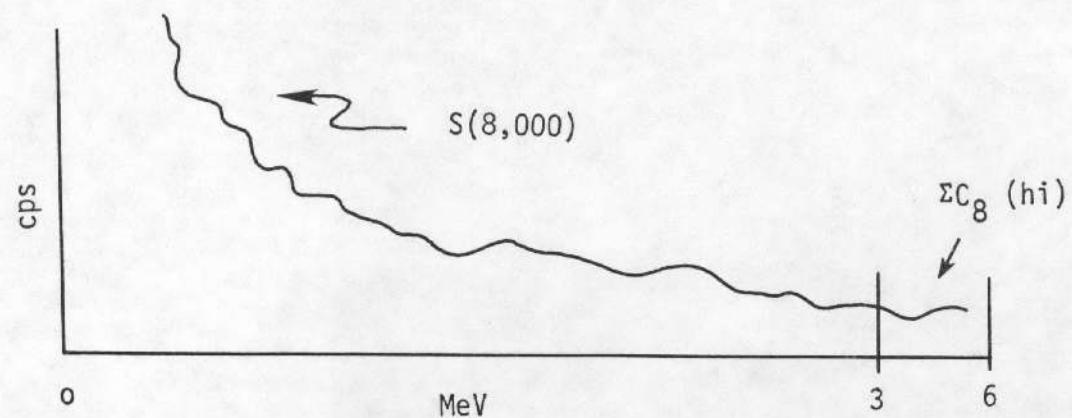
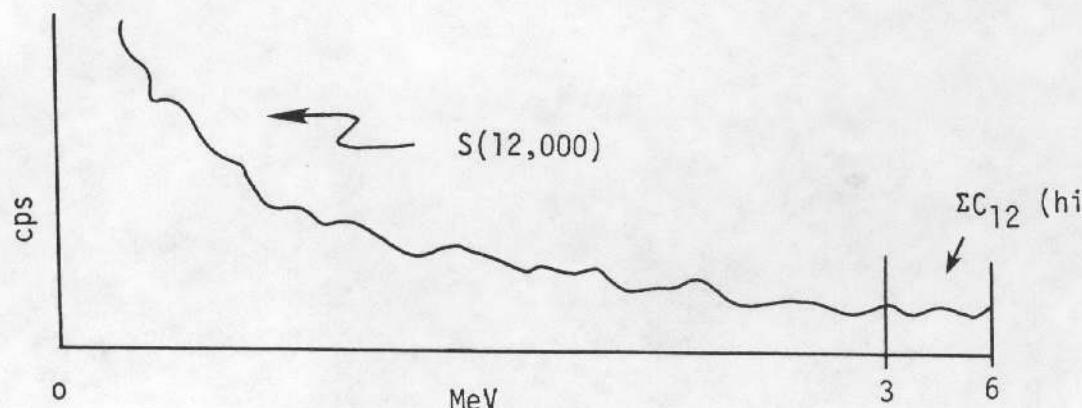


FIGURE IV - Multiple altitude spectra schematic

<u>PAD</u>	<u>K</u>	<u>U</u>	<u>T</u>
Matrix	1.45%	2.19 ppm	6.26 ppm
K	5.14%	5.09 ppm	8.48 ppm
U	2.03%	30.29 ppm	9.19 ppm
T	2.01%	5.14 ppm	45.33 ppm
Mixed	4.11%	20.39 ppm	17.52 ppm

Since the measurements were taken over a relatively short time period (a few hours), it was assumed that the matrix pad measurements contain not only the effects of the matrix pad itself, but also aircraft background (which is a constant), cosmic background (constant over the time period of interest), and all other local background (e.g. BiAir, etc.) effects. (The matrix pad is constructed with only the basic concrete mix without the additional elemental minerals). Thus, by subtracting the matrix pad count rates from the count rates in the four pads, we have eliminated aircraft and cosmic background and BiAir effects for the four pads. The pad concentrations are then modified in a similar fashion by the subtraction of the matrix pad concentrations. The differential concentrations in the pads are given in the table below.

<u>PAD</u>	<u>K</u>	<u>U</u>	<u>T</u>
K-Matrix	3.7%	2.9 ppm	2.2 ppm
U-Matrix	0.6%	28.5 ppm	2.9 ppm
T-Matrix	0.6%	3.0 ppm	39.0 ppm
Mixed-Matrix	2.7%	18.8 ppm	11.3 ppm

Considering the above, we can define a functional relationship between the differential concentrations and the residual count rates which will provide a method of determining the calibration constants for the spectrometer system. These calibration constants are the six (6) stripping coefficients which account for the interactions occurring between the elemental channels in the system (Compton scatter coefficients, etc.).

On the basis of an ideal situation, one would anticipate that some of these interactions should be negligible. This is not totally the case, since we are dealing with a system which has less than infinite resolving power (i.e. the energies are smeared to some extent).

DERIVED AIRCRAFT BACKGROUND SPECTRUM FROM PACIFIC OCEAN DATA  
DOWNWARD-LOOKING CRYSTAL SPECTRUM FOR LIME AC BGD. DATED 072577

TC (0-8 MEV) 184.87 TC (0.4-3.0 MEV) 141.17 COSMIC (3-6 MEV) 0.89	U (1.1E MEV) 9.91 K (1.4E MEV) 14.54 T (2.62 MEV) 4.36	T (2.62 MEV) 4.29
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AIRCRAFT BACKGROUND  
ROTARY WING AIRCRAFT  
DOWNWARD LOOKING CRYSTAL  
2048 CUBIC INCHES  
DATE: 25 JULY 1977

CH 0 (0.800 MEV)	0.000 CPS *
CH 1 (0.811 MEV)	0.000 CPS *
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CH 3 (0.836 MEV)	0.000 CPS *
CH 4 (0.849 MEV)	0.000 CPS *
CH 5 (0.861 MEV)	0.000 CPS *
CH 6 (0.873 MEV)	0.000 CPS *
CH 7 (0.885 MEV)	0.000 CPS *
CH 8 (0.897 MEV)	0.000 CPS *
CH 9 (0.196 MEV)	0.000 CPS *
CH 10 (0.116 MEV)	0.000 CPS *
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CH 13 (0.154 MEV)	0.000 CPS *
CH 14 (0.165 MEV)	0.000 CPS *
CH 15 (0.177 MEV)	0.000 CPS *
CH 16 (0.189 MEV)	0.000 CPS *
CH 17 (0.201 MEV)	0.000 CPS *
CH 18 (0.213 MEV)	-0.025 CPS *
CH 19 (0.225 MEV)	-0.020 CPS *
CH 20 (0.237 MEV)	-0.020 CPS *
CH 21 (0.248 MEV)	1.491 CPS *****
CH 22 (0.260 MEV)	3.792 CPS *****
CH 23 (0.272 MEV)	4.289 CPS *****
CH 24 (0.284 MEV)	4.121 CPS *****
CH 25 (0.296 MEV)	3.748 CPS *****
CH 26 (0.307 MEV)	3.897 CPS *****
CH 27 (0.319 MEV)	3.818 CPS *****
CH 28 (0.331 MEV)	3.897 CPS *****
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CH 47 (0.556 MEV)	2.144 CPS *****
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CH 54 (0.638 MEV)	1.682 CPS *****
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## DERIVED COSMIC SPECTRUM FROM PACIFIC OCEAN DATA

DOWNWARD-LOOKING CRYSTAL SPECTRUM FOR LINE COSMIC, DATED 072577

TC (0-6 MEV) 5275.99 TC (0.4-3.0 MEV) 3245.27 COSMIC (3-6 MEV) 1000.00 U (1.16 MEV) 165.91 K (1.46 MEV) 181.83 U (1.76 MEV) 157.56 T (2.62 MEV) 213.66

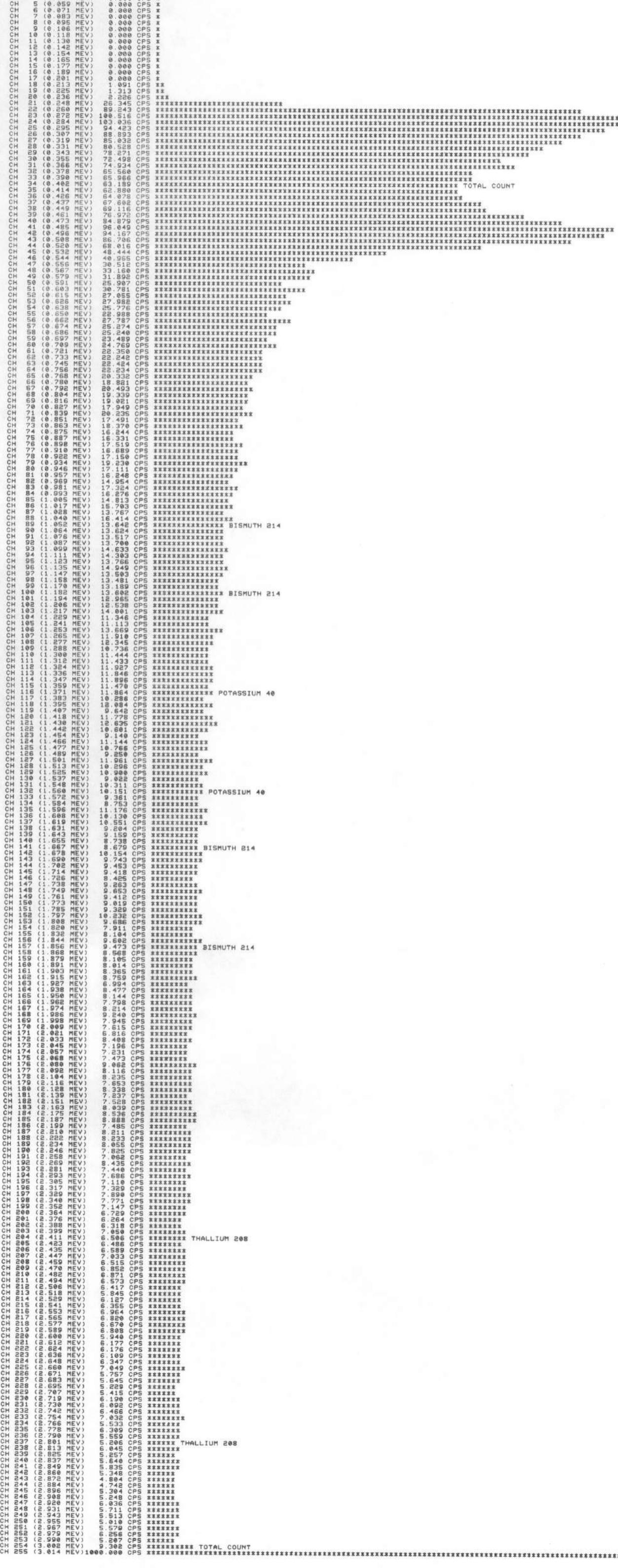
COSMIC SPECTRUM  
ROTARY WING AIRCRAFT  
DOWNWARD LOOKING CRYSTAL  
2048 CUBIC INCHES  
DATE: 25 JULY 1977

FIGURE VI

Thus, energy peaks within a spectrum of a given element are Gaussian shaped rather than pure line spectra. Additionally, we are dealing with finite spectral windows, multiple peaked spectra, and pulse pileup; all tend to couple each window's response to the other.

Keeping in mind that we are dealing with the count rates corresponding to the concentrations presented in the last table, we define the following:

$KC_i$  = uncorrected system count rate for the K channel

$UC_i$  = uncorrected system count rate for the U channel

$TC_i$  = uncorrected system count rate for the T channel

$K_i$  = the percent differential concentration of potassium

$U_i$  = ppm differential concentration of uranium

$T_i$  = ppm differential concentration of thorium

where "i" refers to the ith pad.

We also define the following:

$\zeta_{kk}$  = sensitivity of  $KC_i$  to concentrations of  $K_i$

$\zeta_{ku}$  = sensitivity of  $KC_i$  to concentrations of  $U_i$

$\zeta_{kt}$  = sensitivity of  $KC_i$  to concentrations of  $T_i$

$\zeta_{uk}$  = sensitivity of  $UC_i$  to concentrations of  $K_i$

$\zeta_{uu}$  = sensitivity of  $UC_i$  to concentrations of  $U_i$

$\zeta_{ut}$  = sensitivity of  $UC_i$  to concentrations of  $T_i$

$\zeta_{tk}$  = sensitivity of  $TC_i$  to concentrations of  $K_i$

$\zeta_{tu}$  = sensitivity of  $TC_i$  to concentrations of  $U_i$

$\zeta_{tt}$  = sensitivity of  $TC_i$  to concentrations of  $T_i$

Using the above definitions, we now construct the functional relationship by means of the following nine (9) equations in sets of three (3) per pad.

<u>K pad</u>	$KC_k = \zeta_{kk}K + \zeta_{ku}U + \zeta_{kt}T$
	$UC_k = \zeta_{uk}K + \zeta_{uu}U + \zeta_{ut}T$
	$TC_k = \zeta_{tk}K + \zeta_{tu}U + \zeta_{tt}T$
<u>U pad</u>	$KC_u = \zeta_{kk}K + \zeta_{ku}U + \zeta_{kt}T$
	$UC_u = \zeta_{uk}K + \zeta_{uu}U + \zeta_{ut}T$
	$TC_u = \zeta_{tk}K + \zeta_{tu}U + \zeta_{tt}T$
<u>T pad</u>	$KC_t = \zeta_{kk}K + \zeta_{ku}U + \zeta_{kt}T$
	$UC_t = \zeta_{uk}K + \zeta_{uu}U + \zeta_{ut}T$
	$TC_t = \zeta_{tk}K + \zeta_{tu}U + \zeta_{tt}T$

Separating these equations into consistent groups, we get for the uncorrected count rates in the K channel

$$(K \text{ pad}) \quad KC_k = \zeta_{kk}K_k + \zeta_{ku}U_k + \zeta_{kt}T_k$$

$$(U \text{ pad}) \quad KC_u = \zeta_{kk}K_u + \zeta_{ku}U_u + \zeta_{kt}T_u$$

$$(T \text{ pad}) \quad KC_t = \zeta_{kk}K_t + \zeta_{ku}U_t + \zeta_{kt}T_t$$

The equations can be expressed in matrix notation

$$\begin{bmatrix} KC_k \\ KC_u \\ KC_t \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} K_k & U_k & T_k \\ K_u & U_u & T_u \\ K_t & U_t & T_t \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} \zeta_{kk} \\ \zeta_{ku} \\ \zeta_{kt} \end{bmatrix}$$

Where the k, u and t subscripts represent the K, U and T pads.

In a similar manner we can write two other matrix equations for  $UC_i$  and  $TC_i$  respectively.

$$\begin{bmatrix} UC_k \\ UC_u \\ UC_t \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} K_k & U_k & T_k \\ K_u & U_u & T_u \\ K_t & U_t & T_t \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} \zeta_{uk} \\ \zeta_{uu} \\ \zeta_{ut} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} TC_k \\ TC_u \\ TC_t \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} K_k & U_k & T_k \\ K_u & U_u & T_u \\ K_t & U_t & T_t \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} \zeta_{tk} \\ \zeta_{tu} \\ \zeta_{tt} \end{bmatrix}$$

Collecting the above, these equations can be expressed in matrix form as

$$\begin{bmatrix} KC_k & UC_k & TC_k \\ KC_u & UC_u & TC_u \\ KC_t & UC_t & TC_t \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} K_k & U_k & T_k \\ K_u & U_u & T_u \\ K_t & U_t & T_t \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} \zeta_{kk} & \zeta_{uk} & \zeta_{tk} \\ \zeta_{ku} & \zeta_{uu} & \zeta_{tu} \\ \zeta_{kt} & \zeta_{ut} & \zeta_{tt} \end{bmatrix}$$

or

$$\bar{A} = \bar{B} \cdot \bar{\zeta}$$

where  $\bar{A}$  is the residual count rate matrix,  $\bar{B}$  is the matrix of the known differential concentrations and  $\bar{\zeta}$  the sensitivity matrix.

Rearranging the above equations we have

$$\bar{B} = \bar{A} \cdot \bar{\zeta}^{-1}$$

We now define

$$\bar{\zeta}^{-1} = \bar{\Delta}$$

Eliminating  $\bar{\zeta}$ , we get

$$\bar{B} = \bar{A} \cdot \bar{\Delta}$$

We can now solve for  $\bar{\Delta}$  by matrix inversion.

Therefore, the differential concentrations in the mixed pad can be derived from the k,u,t pads to check the computed  $\bar{\Delta}$ .

$$\begin{bmatrix} K_m \\ U_m \\ T_m \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \Delta_{kk} & \Delta_{ku} & \Delta_{kt} \\ \Delta_{uk} & \Delta_{uu} & \Delta_{ut} \\ \Delta_{tk} & \Delta_{tu} & \Delta_{tt} \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} KC_m \\ UC_m \\ TC_m \end{bmatrix}$$

where the subscript m refers to the mixed pad. Expanding this in algebraic form we obtain the following set of equations:

$$K_m = \Delta_{kk}(KC_m + \frac{\Delta_{ku}}{\Delta_{kk}} UC_m + \frac{\Delta_{kt}}{\Delta_{kk}} TC_m)$$

$$U_m = \Delta_{uu}(UC_m + \frac{\Delta_{ut}}{\Delta_{kk}} TC_m + \frac{\Delta_{uk}}{\Delta_{uu}} KC_m)$$

$$T_m = \Delta_{tt}(TC_m + \frac{\Delta_{tu}}{\Delta_{tt}} UC_m + \frac{\Delta_{tk}}{\Delta_{tt}} KC_m)$$

The terms in parentheses in the above 3 equations are the "corrected stripped count rates" for the system, and the stripping coefficients are as follows:

$$S_{ku} = \frac{\Delta_{ku}}{\Delta_{kk}} \quad (\text{effect of uranium on potassium})$$

$$S_{kt} = \frac{\Delta_{kt}}{\Delta_{kk}} \quad (\text{effect of thorium on potassium})$$

$$S_{ut} = \frac{\Delta_{ut}}{\Delta_{uu}} \quad (\text{effect of thorium on uranium})$$

$$S_{uk} = \frac{\Delta_{uk}}{\Delta_{uu}} \quad (\text{effect of potassium on uranium})$$

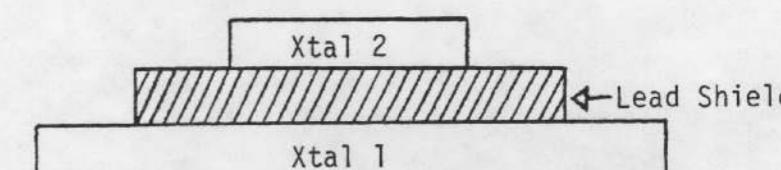
$$S_{tu} = \frac{\Delta_{tu}}{\Delta_{tt}} \quad (\text{effect of uranium on thorium})$$

$$S_{tk} = \frac{\Delta_{tk}}{\Delta_{tt}} \quad (\text{effect of potassium on thorium})$$

These stripping coefficients are defined in terms of  $S_{ij}$  in order to eliminate confusion with  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$ , and  $\gamma$ , which are sometimes defined slightly differently.

#### ATMOSPHERIC RADON CORRECTION

Consider the crystal configuration shown below:



Let 1 and 2 designate the down and up crystal respectively. The down crystal sees radiation rates of  $I_1$  composed of the air signal  $I_a$  and the ground signal  $I_g$  plus aircraft and cosmic background.

$$\text{Therefore } I_1 = I_g + I_a + A_1 + C_1$$

Similarly, the up crystal sees the air signal and ground signal (both somewhat attenuated) plus an aircraft and cosmic background.

$$\text{Therefore } I_2 = \ell I_g + m I_a + A_2 + C_2$$

Where  $m$  is the response to the air signal and  $\ell$  is the % of the ground signal getting through to the up detector.

Using the test pad data, the factor  $\ell$  can be determined. Consider the two previous equations. When we subtract the matrix pad data from the K, U, and T pad data, we have essentially set  $A_1$ ,  $A_2$ ,  $C_1$ , and  $C_2$  and  $I_a$  equal to zero.

$$\text{Therefore } I_1 = I_g$$

$$I_2 = \ell I_g$$

$$= \left( \frac{I_2}{I_1} \right)$$

Instead of using the count rates we can use the resultant sensitivities  $1/\Delta_{uu}$  to determine  $\ell$  for the elemental channel U.

$$= \frac{1/\Delta_{uu} \text{ (up)}}{1/\Delta_{uu} \text{ (down)}}$$

It should be noted that due to "shine around" (since the shielding is not an infinite plane, the upward looking crystal responds to the surrounding terrain) on the test pads, as altitude increases, should decrease, thus  $\ell = f(h)$ .

Only the factor  $m$  remains to be determined. This unfortunately cannot be determined from test pad data. It can however be determined by flying over water (e.g. use of the Lake Mead over-water data).

Consider the equations for  $I_1$  and  $I_2$  again

$$I_1 = I_g + I_a + A_1 + C_1$$

$$I_2 = \ell I_g + m I_a + A_2 + C_2$$

$$\text{Over water } I_g = 0$$

We have  $A_1$ ,  $A_2$ ,  $C_1$ , and  $C_2$  defined.

Removing the aircraft and cosmic background from the over water data and we are left with

$$I_1 = I_a$$

$$I_2 = m I_a$$

Since  $m$  is the shielding factor response to the air signal, we should have an air signal to "shield". Thus  $m$  is best determined if there is radon present.

Both up and down counting rates are corrected for aircraft and cosmic background and so we can solve the following two equations for  $I_a$ .

$$I_1 = I_g + I_a$$

$$I_2 = \ell I_g + m I_a$$

$$m I_a = I_2 - \ell I_g$$

$$\text{but } I_g = I_1 - I_a$$

$$\text{then } I_a (m - \ell) = I_2 - \ell I_1$$

$$\text{or } I_a = \frac{I_2 - \ell I_1}{m - \ell} = \text{Bi Air}$$

and  $I_a$  is then the Bi Air contribution from the surrounding air. This is then subtracted from the down looking U count resulting in corrected data.

## DATA PROCESSING

### DATA PREPARATION

The following sections summarize the techniques used for reduction and processing of the airborne data collected by geoMetrics.

#### Field Tape Verification and Edit

The field data tapes containing the airborne data are read on a computer to verify the recording and data quality. Data recovery is essentially 100% from the field tapes. During this phase, statistics are generated summarizing all the variables recorded for each flight line. Simultaneously, the spectral peaks are evaluated for shifts using a centroid calculation and the particular window's peak channel. The data are also checked for correct scan lengths and proper justification of data fields within each scan and live time calculations are made. During this process, the desired window data fields are extracted from each spectrum and rewritten as a reformatted copy tape. (Portions of this operation were performed in the field using the G-725 field computer system.)

The reformatted raw data for each flight line (with aborted or unnecessary flight line data edited out) are then checked for consistency, data spikes, gradients, etc. Every correction suggested by the computer is evaluated by the data processing personnel prior to implementation. Upon completion of the phase, the data on the output tape are "clean" and ready for subsequent correction of the radiometrics and tieing of the magnetics.

#### Flight Line Location

A single frame 35 mm camera is used for obtaining position recovery information. The photo locations are spotted or transferred to a suitable base map and are digitized. The fiducial numbers of the spotted points along each line are entered during the digitizing process. A computer program is used to check the consistency of these data using calculated intersections from tie line to tie line and from traverse to traverse. This program allows easy detection of entry errors as well as potential flight path recovery errors.

A computer program then calculates the map location for each intersection and the beginning and end of each line based on the fiducial numbers and the control line/tie grid. A computer plot is made of these locations to check against the field plot and correct editing

information. These flight lines are then overlain on the geologic base map and each map unit is digitized such that each sample falls within a single unit. This resulting location information is then merged with the geophysical data using the fiducial numbers as common reference.

### RADIOMETRIC DATA REDUCTION

Reduction of the raw window data was carried out utilizing system calibration constants as derived from high altitude over water flights, Lake Mead Dynamic Test Range, and the Walker Field Test Pads. The data reduction sequence used is summarized in Figure VII. Processing of the data was performed using the window energies given below:

Total count - 0.4 to 3.0 MeV

K - 1.37 to 1.57 MeV

U - 1.66 to 1.87 MeV (downward looking system)

$U_{up}$  - 1.04 to 1.21 MeV and 1.65 to 2.42 MeV (upward looking system)

T - 2.41 to 2.81 MeV

Cosmic - 3 to 6 MeV (downward and upward looking system)

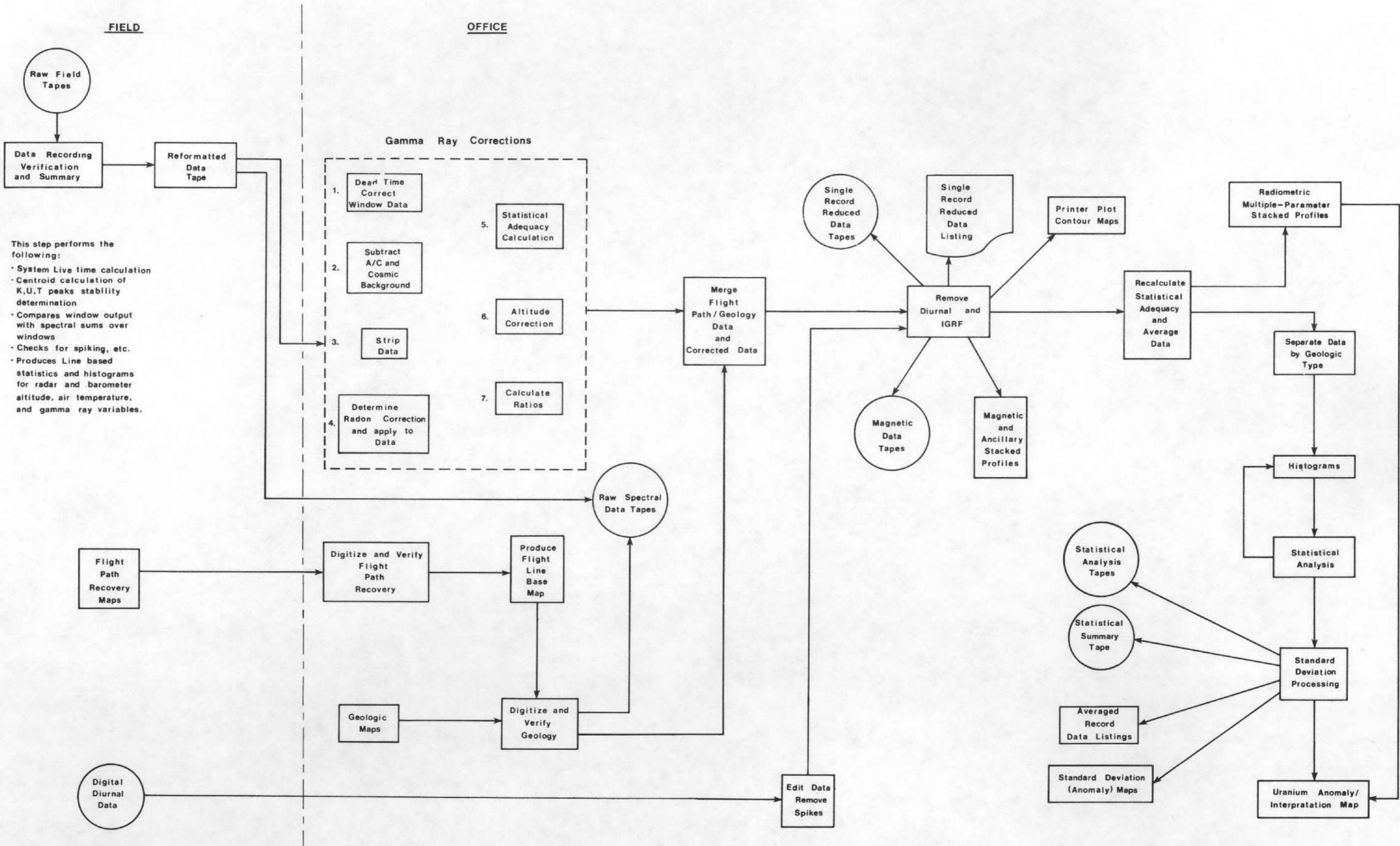
Aircraft and Cosmic background for the Queen Air/Aero Commander over these windows are as follows:

	<u>QUEEN AIR</u>		<u>AERO COMMANDER</u>	
	Aircraft	Cosmic*	Aircraft	Cosmic*
TC (cps)	152.04	2.3833	220.37	2.3915
K (cps)	16.06	0.1322	18.82	0.1334
$U_{dn}$ (cps)	6.50	0.1098	10.85	0.1082
$U_{up}$ (cps)	3.17	0.5540	5.35	0.5915
T (cps)	3.42	0.1503	4.35	0.1513

\*Cosmic background values are in cps per 1.0 cps in the 3-6 MeV window.

## DATA PROCESSING FLOW DIAGRAM

FIGURE VII



Compton corrections to the down data were made using the following constants:

<u>S<sub>ij</sub></u>	QUEEN AIR	AERO COMMANDER
S <sub>ku</sub>	0.8437	0.8717
S <sub>kt</sub>	0.1584	0.1408
S <sub>ut</sub>	0.2703	0.2877
S <sub>uk</sub>	0.0	0.0
S <sub>tu</sub>	0.05614	0.09453
S <sub>tk</sub>	0.0	0.0

The ij subscripts represent the influence of the  $j^{\text{th}}$  window on the  $i^{\text{th}}$  window.

All parameters except for  $S_{ut}$  are considered constants.  $S_{ut}$  was considered an altitude dependent parameter utilizing the following expression (after Grasty, 1975).

$$S_{ut} = S_{ut_0} + 0.0076h, \text{ where } h \text{ is the altitude in hundreds of feet.}$$

Altitude attenuation coefficients used are defined as follows:

ALTITUDE ATTENUATION COEFFICIENTS		
	QUEEN AIR	AERO COMMANDER
TC (per foot)	0.002011	0.001688
K (per foot)	0.002740	0.002800
U (per foot)	0.002479	0.002536
T (per foot)	0.002048	0.002102

All radiometric data presented in the strip charts have been normalized to 400 feet mean terrain clearance at STP using the expression:

$$\exp - u_i \frac{273.15}{760} \times \frac{P}{T} (h - 400)$$

where  $h$  is the height in feet,  $u_i$  is the appropriate altitude attenuation coefficient,  $P$  is in mm of Hg, and  $T$  is in degrees Kelvin. In cases where the altitude exceeds 1,000 feet, the correction coefficients were limited to the 1,000 foot value.

Bi Air calculations are made using the following expressions:

$$U_{\text{up}} - (R_{us} + \frac{C'_{uk}}{C'_{uu}} R_{ks} + \frac{C'_{ut}}{C'_{uu}} R_{ts}) \ell$$

$$Bi_{\text{Air}} = \frac{U_{\text{up}} - (R_{us} + \frac{C'_{uk}}{C'_{uu}} R_{ks} + \frac{C'_{ut}}{C'_{uu}} R_{ts}) \ell}{m - \ell}$$

Where  $U_{\text{up}}$  = count rate from upward detectors

$\ell$  = crystal coupling constant

$m$  = crystal geometric factor

$C'_{uk}$ ,  $C'_{ut}$ ,  $C'_{uu}$ , = stripping coefficients relating down data to up data

$R_{us}$  = stripped uranium count rate - down system

$R_{ks}$  = stripped potassium count rate - down system

$R_{ts}$  = stripped thorium count rate - down system

The numerical values for the constants  $\ell$ ,  $m$ ,  $C'_{uk}$ , and  $C'_{uu}$  are given below:

	QUEEN AIR	AERO COMMANDER
$\ell$	0.1101	0.0890
$m$	0.596	0.445
$C'_{uk}$	0.00947	0.00964
$C'_{uu}$	0.07136	0.08562
$C'_{ut}$	0.04636	0.05644
$\mu\ell$	-0.000032	-0.00019
$\mu m$	-0.000192	-0.000112

$\mu_l$  &  $\mu_m$  are altitude dependent as follows:

$$l = l - \mu_l \times h, \text{ where } h \text{ is in feet}$$

$$m = m - \mu_m \times h, \text{ where } h \text{ is in feet}$$

These Bi Air data are filtered and the filtered results are then removed on a point by point basis from the corrected uranium window data.

The window data are then evaluated for statistical adequacy prior to altitude correction to ensure they are significant within the context of the anticipated errors in count statistics.

#### Statistical Adequacy Test

The statistical adequacy test is made to determine whether the corrected data sample is sufficiently greater than the "noise" to represent the "signal" of interest.

We can define three separate criteria for detection thresholds (ref. Currie, Analytical Chemistry, Volume 40, No. 3, March 1968) of which only one is directly applicable to our case; this is the "critical level". This is the level at which the decision is made that a signal is "detected". We thus define this critical level as that level at which the data are statistically adequate.

Setting the actual levels in counts per second, "a priori" for each elemental window is difficult at best since the full effect of all parameters affecting the counts is not known to a sufficient degree of certainty. If the corrections to the data are a significant portion of the count rate, most of the error (exclusive of systematic errors due to electronics, etc.) in the corrected data can be ascribed to random errors within the applied corrections. The corrections are basically the results of counting radioactive decay products (gamma rays) and are therefore assumed to follow the classical Poisson distribution. The following assumptions concerning these corrections are:

1. In the best case, the error in each correction is additive.
2. The sum of these corrections also follows a Poisson distribution.
3. The uncertainty in the correction itself is equal to the square root of the correction applied.
4. This uncertainty is directly reflected in the corrected single record count rate.

With these assumptions in mind, the criterion for determining the statistical adequacy of a given data sample is defined as follows:

"If a corrected single record data sample exceeds 1.5 times the square root of the summed correction applied to that data sample, then that data sample is statistically adequate."

Since any calculation using statistically inadequate data (such as ratios) is also inadequate, the adequacy of each element of the single sample record data is tested prior to the calculation. This is done during the course of the processing by retaining all corrections applied to each data sample and determining its adequacy as explained above.

Not only are the results of this statistical adequacy test used to insure that calculated ratios will be meaningful but they are also utilized to determine the optimum interval over which the data should be averaged (e.g. 5 seconds or 7 seconds, etc.) to improve the overall data statistical adequacy. In the case of this project, the resulting averaging sample interval was 7 seconds.

#### Conversion to Equivalent ppm and Percent

At this point the data are single record corrected samples in units of counts per second. These data are then converted to equivalent ppm (parts per million) uranium, thorium and percent potassium. The conversion factors are the sensitivities derived from the Lake Mead Dynamic Test Range data at 400 feet mean terrain clearance.

Radioelement	Equivalent Percent/ppm	Queen Air Counts/Second	Aero Commander Counts/Second
K	1%K	91.5	96.3
U	1 ppmeu	10.4	9.2
T	1 ppmeT	6.4	6.7

## DATA PRESENTATION

MAGNETIC DATA REDUCTION

The magnetic data reduction processes are: correction for diurnal variation, tieing to a common magnetic datum, and subtraction of the regional magnetic field as defined by the International Geomagnetic Reference Field (IGRF). During data acquisition, the magnetic field is monitored by a ground-based diurnal magnetometer that samples every four seconds at a sensitivity of one-quarter gamma. These data are recorded on magnetic tape along with the time for synchronization with the airborne data.

The diurnal data are edited to keep only samples taken during flight time and remove spikes and man-made magnetic events. After editing, these data are displayed in profile form to ensure that all corrections necessary have been made. Next, the data are synchronized in time with the airborne data, interpolated, and subtracted from the airborne magnetic data.

The diurnally corrected magnetic data are then processed by a tieing program that compares the magnetic differences at intersections of flight lines and tie lines. This program calculates individual magnetic field biases for each flight tie line based on tie line intersections. This allows miss-ties to be minimized throughout the survey. These biases usually represent, after diurnal correction, systematic magnetic changes caused by such things as heading error, changes in location of the ground-based magnetometer, or changes in the airborne equipment. The biases are manually evaluated and selectively applied.

General

The majority of the data products are presented in this report. These include the uranium anomaly/interpretation maps and pseudo-contour maps of potassium, uranium, thorium, and magnetic data which are integrated as part of the text in the interpretation section. In addition to these data, this report contains data presented in the form of radiometric profiles, flight path recovery maps, standard deviation maps, and histograms. Microfiche data are contained in the back cover of each report. Data tapes are available separately.

Radiometric Profiles

Stacked profiles were prepared from the averaged data for each traverse and tie line. These stacked profiles, plotted at a linear scale of 1:250,000, contain the following parameters: corrected Total Count, percent potassium, equivalent ppm uranium, equivalent ppm thorium,  $eU/eT$ ,  $eU/\%K$ , and  $eT/\%K$  ratios, equivalent ppm Bi Air, radar altimeter, and magnetometer data. Each of the stacked profile sheets contains a plot of the flight path superimposed on a geologic strip map. Included along these profiles are the fiducial numbers which correspond to flight path position as displayed on the flight path recovery maps. Each of the stacked profiles represents the data contained on the specific flight line within the boundaries of the specified NTMS Quadrangle sheet.

Radiometric traces on the stacked profiles contain an indicator showing those data which are statistically inadequate. These statistically inadequate data are marked by a small vertical tick at the sample location. The altitude profile has been limited in display to 1,000 feet. A dashed line at the 700 foot level is presented to show those data which do not meet the altitude specifications. The vertical scale of each variable remains constant on all stacked profiles. When overranging occurs, the trace is stepped and the step labeled showing the actual value. A pictorial representation of such a stepping profile is shown in Figure VIII. At the end of each stacked profile, a statistical summary of the minimum value, maximum value, mean, and standard deviation for that variable is presented.

This report contains an equivalent set of stacked profiles for each quadrangle, photographically reduced to an approximate scale of 1:500,000.

MAGNETIC PROFILES

A set of profiles containing the magnetic data (corrected, with IGRF removed), barometric altimeter data, radar altimeter data, diurnal monitor data, and temperature data are available at a linear scale of 1:250,000. Each of the stacked profiles contains a plot of the flight path superimposed on the geology over which the aircraft flew. Reduced scale (1:500,000) copies of these are presented in of this report.

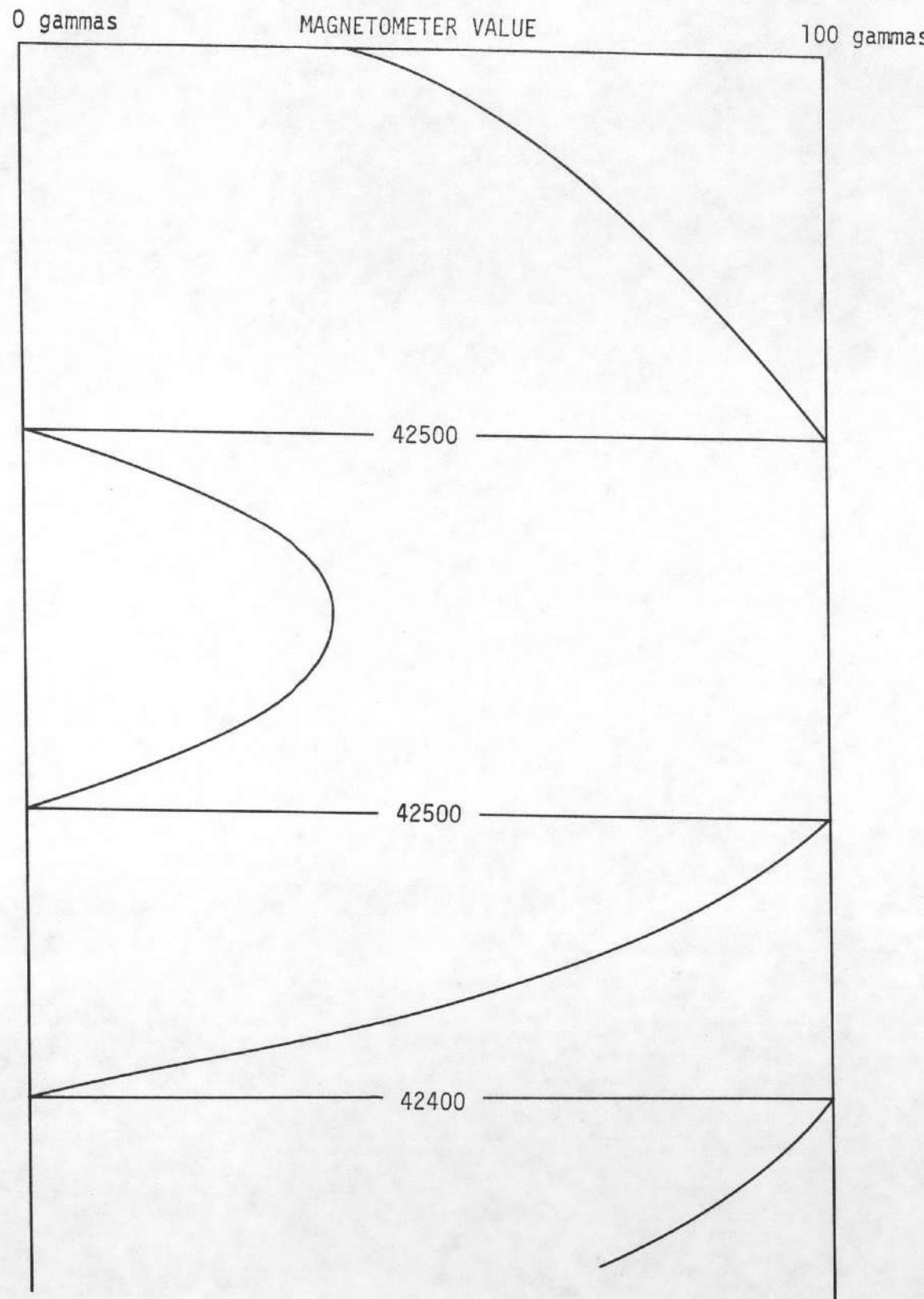


FIGURE VIII Plotter Step Value Labeling

#### FLIGHT PATH MAPS

For each of the NTMS quadrangle sheets covered by this survey, a flight path position map is available at a scale of 1:250,000. The actual flight path has been superimposed on the geologic quadrangle maps. Flight lines and tie lines are annotated along with fiducial numbers of located positions. Reduced scale (1:500,000) copies of these can be found in this report.

#### STANDARD DEVIATION MAPS

Gamma ray standard deviation maps have been prepared for each NTMS quadrangle included in this survey. The six maps generated represent the following parameters: percent potassium, equivalent ppm uranium, equivalent ppm thorium, and  $eU/eT$ ,  $eU/\%K$  and  $eT/\%K$  ratios. The data contained in each map represent only those data which are considered statistically adequate. This automatically excludes all data collected over water or data which falls outside of altitude specifications (i.e. altitude greater than 700 and less than 200 feet). The symbolism of each of the six maps is identical. The center of each circle represents the central averaged sample since the data had been averaged over a 7 second interval. The small boxes adjacent to each of the circles represents one standard deviation from the mean for that specific data sample. In order to determine whether the data shown are represented by positive or negative standard deviations, consider each map with north pointing away from the viewer. For east/west lines (traverse lines) positive standard deviations lie above or to the north of the traverse line with negative standard deviation below or to the south. On the north/south lines (tie lines) positive standard deviations are to the left of the viewer (west) with negative standard deviations to the right (east).

These maps were generated at a scale of 1:250,000 for each NTMS sheet and in addition, are presented in each report at a reduced scale of approximately 1:500,000.

#### HISTOGRAMS

Computer generated histograms, showing the equivalent ppm and percent distributions for the three gamma ray emitters and their ratios measured and calculated as a function of computer map unit are presented in this report (See Figure IX). Information contained on these histograms includes the standard deviation as calculated about the arithmetic mean (or median), and the total number of samples from which the statistics were derived.

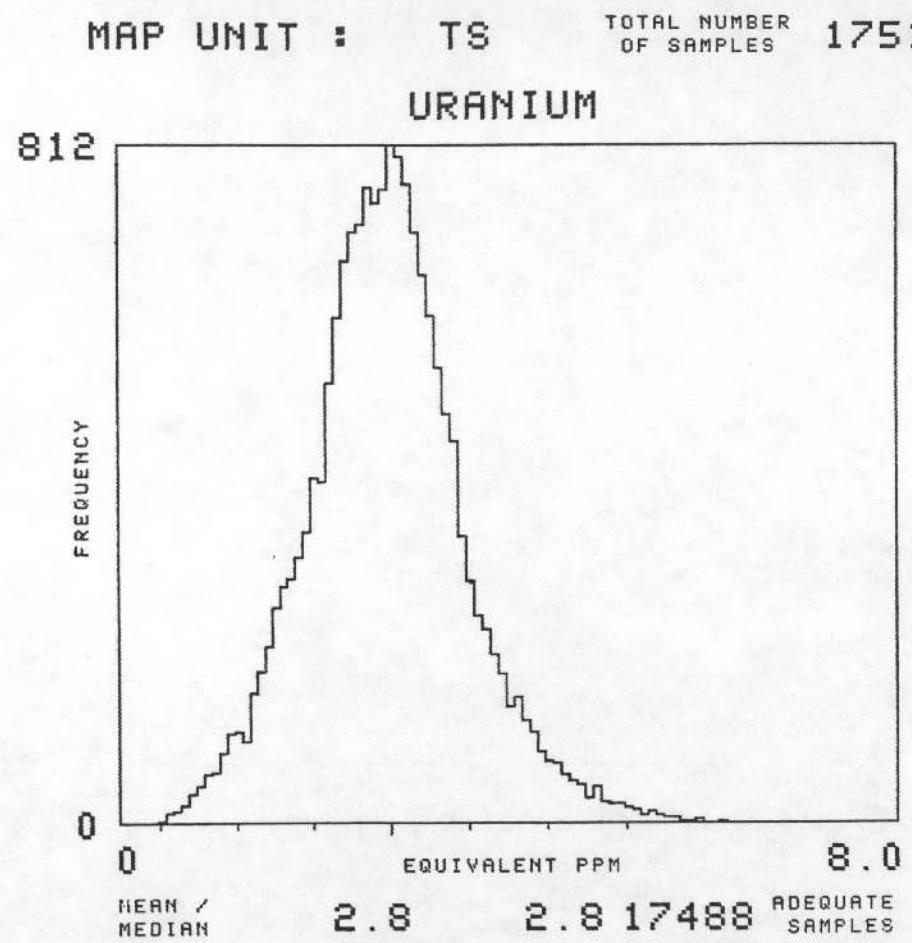


FIGURE IX   Sample Computer Map Unit Histogram

DATA LISTINGS

Single record reduced and averaged record (statistical analysis) data listings have been prepared on microfiche. The microfiche are contained in each report. Each of the single record and averaged record data listings are presented for the data contained in a single quadrangle. The data contained in the single record data listings are summarized below:

1. Fiducial number
2. System/Quality (SAKUT) - The first digit identifies the system used to collect the sample. The remaining digits define the results of statistical adequacy testing for altitude, potassium, uranium, and thorium. A value of 0 indicated that the data are statistically adequate. A value of 1 indicates that the data are statistically inadequate. All data collected in excess of 700 feet and less than 200 feet are considered statistically inadequate.
3. Time - time presented in hours, minutes, and seconds
4. Altitude - altitude presented in feet above terrain
5. LAT/LONG - Latitude and Longitude presented in terms of decimal degrees
6. Magnetic field expressed in residual gammas
7. Geology - code representing geologic units
8. %K, eU, eT - percent potassium, equivalent ppm of uranium and thorium
9. eU/eTH, eU/%K, eTH/%K - calculated ratios of the three parameters
10. Total count - corrected total count data (0.4 to 3.0 MeV)
11. COS - downward looking cosmic count rate in the 3-6 MeV channel
12. Uair - atmospheric Bi-214 equivalent ppm
13. Temperature - outside air temperature in degrees centigrade
14. Press - barometric pressure in mm of mercury

The averaged record (statistical analysis) data listings are summarized below:

1. Fiducial number
2. System/Quality (SAKUT) - The first digit identifies the system used to collect the sample. The remaining digits define the results of statistical adequacy testing for altitude, potassium, uranium, and thorium. A value of 0 indicated that the data are statistically adequate. A value of 1 indicates that the data are statistically inadequate. All data collected in excess of 700 feet and less than 200 feet are considered statistically inadequate.
3. LAT/LONG - Latitude and longitude presented in terms of decimal degrees
4. Magnetic field expressed in residual gammas
5. Geology - code representing geologic formations
6. %K, eU, eT - percent potassium, equivalent ppm of uranium and thorium data and the number of (+) standard deviations from the mean
7. eU/eTh, eU/%K, eTh/%K - calculated ratios of the three parameters, and the number of (+) standard deviations from the mean
8. Total count - corrected total count data (0.4 to 3.0 MeV)
9. COS - downward looking cosmic count rate in the 3-6 MeV channel
10. Uair - atmospheric Bi-214 in equivalent ppm

#### DATA TAPES

Data tape files have been generated for each of the 1:250,000 NTMS quadrangle sheets. The tapes are IBM compatible and recorded on 9 track EBCDIC at 800 bpi. Five separate types of data tapes are presented: raw spectral data tapes, single record reduced data tapes, statistical analysis tapes, magnetic data tapes and a statistical analysis summary tape. Detailed descriptions of the data tape formats follow this discussion.

#### DATA INTERPRETATION METHODS

##### General

The stated objective of the NURE Program is the evaluation of the uranium potential of the United States. In support of this goal, high sensitivity airborne radiometric and magnetic surveys have been implemented to obtain reconnaissance information pertaining to regional distribution of uraniferous materials. Within this context, data interpretation has been oriented toward regional detection and description of anomalously high concentrations of uranium.

By far the most significant natural sources of gamma radiation in the geologic environment are the radioactive decay series of potassium 40 (K40), thorium 232 (Th232) and uranium 238 (U238) of which 0.7% is uranium 235. Potassium 40 is the largest contributor to natural radioactivity, accounting for nearly 98%, as it is the most abundant gamma ray emitter-.012% of all potassium in nature. (Refer to GSA Memoir 97 for abundances of uranium, thorium, and potassium).

Potassium 40 is directly identified by the airborne spectrometer from a single clear peak at 1.46 mev (million electron volts) in its gamma ray spectrum. However, thorium 232 and uranium 238 do not have any clear, distinct peaks at sufficiently high energies to allow direct detection from airborne systems. Instead, daughter products which do have distinct peaks are measured as representing the abundance of the parent element. For thorium 232, the daughter nuclide thallium 208 (Tl208) has a distinct peak at 2.62 meV while uranium 238 has a daughter, bismuth 214 (Bi214) possessing a clear peak at 1.76 meV (see Figure 7 for a composite decay series spectrum). Consequently the fundamental assumption implicit to airborne uranium and thorium measurements is that the measured daughter products are in radioactive equilibrium - the number of atoms of disintegrating daughter nuclides are equal to the number being formed (see Adams and Gasparini, 1970).

An airborne gamma ray measurement is the sum of photons counted during a specified time interval from a multitude of gamma ray sources which include the three geologic emitters that are being sought plus other interfering sources. These others include, but are not limited to higher energy cosmic rays, aircraft and instruments, contributions from overlapping decay series and airborne radon 222. (See Burson, 1974 and McSharry, 1973 for a more complete discussion of airborne radiometric measurements, and Radiometric Data Reduction in this volume for a complete description of data correction procedures).

When correlating ground data (geochemical, geological, etc.) with the corrected data derived from raw airborne measurements, the interpreter must remember what an individual airborne gamma ray sample physically measures. First, the terrestrial component of the gamma radiation measured by the airborne detector emanated primarily from the upper 18 inches of material on the earth's surface (Gregory and

Horwood, 1963). The airborne measurement cannot "see" any deeper into the underlying rock material and is essentially a measurement of the soil's or exposed (weathered) rock's radioactivity. Secondly, since each airborne sample is an accumulation of gamma rays measured on a moving platform over a fixed period of time, the individual sample represents a large areal extent of surficial material. For this survey, with specifications of 400 feet mean terrain clearance and an average ground speed of 140 miles per hour, a one second sample corresponds to an oval approximately 750 feet long by 600 feet wide (assuming an infinite, uniformly distributed source). Accordingly, averaged samples represent tremendous volumes of surficial materials.

#### Methodology

As described previously, the gamma ray data were located by computer map units, histograms were produced and statistical analyses performed. The basic unit for interpretation then is the averaged sample and its attendant deviations about a particular map unit's mean.

The uranium anomaly/interpretation map displays each individual averaged sample that meets the following criteria:

1. The averaged uranium sample must be greater than or equal to 1 standard deviation above its map unit mean.
2. The sample must have a U/T ratio greater than or equal to 1 standard deviation above its unit mean.
3. Each U/T ratio defined in (2) must have a corresponding thorium value lying at least greater than minus one (-1) standard deviation below the mean. If the thorium sample is less than one standard deviation below the mean, the U/T ratio is considered questionable.

All the possible anomalies displayed on the map are then examined for clusters, trends, and comparisons with all other available data.

Minimum requirements in the subsequent interpretation discussions of each quadrangle for anomalies listed in the uranium anomaly summary are defined as follows:

Two (2) consecutive averaged U samples lying two or more standard deviations above the mean or three (3) consecutive averaged U samples, two of which are one (1) or more standard deviations and the third of which is two (2) or more standard deviations above the mean.

Statistical anomalies which meet the above criteria can result from several factors or circumstances including: (1) true concentration of uraniferous minerals, (2) differential surface cover (soils and/or

vegetation) within a lithologic unit, (3) local weather conditions such as rain and snow, (4) extreme facies variation within a mapped unit, and (5) differential weathering of rocks within mapped units. Obviously an averaged sample which lies on the boundary between two map units is not truly reflecting either one, but is rather an average of both. Thus, for two markedly different units, such a sample would be anomalous relative to one of the units and not be a true indication of radioactive differences within the unit.

The percent potassium, equivalent ppm thorium and uranium, the three ratios and residual magnetic data were plotted as separate pseudo-contour maps and overlain on the geologic base map and standard deviation maps. Regional trends of each variable and average values could thus be easily and quickly determined and compared with the associated geological, magnetic, and statistical trends. Only the long wavelengths within each variable would show any line-to-line continuity on the pseudo-contour maps and thus, only regional trends will appear.

Each quadrangle's stacked profiles were also overlain on the corresponding geologic and standard deviation maps and anomaly map to further delineate trends and to allow a more detailed analysis of individual anomalies. Since the interpretation was concentrated on detection of anomalous uranium, subtle trends present in the potassium and thorium channels and ratios were only examined in a cursory manner. Even during such a brief examination of the profiles, it was evident that the spectrometer system was highly sensitive to changes in surface materials even in areas of low counting rates such as glacial drift. Thus radiometrics have a real potential for performing general superficial mapping "geochemical analysis" on a geologic unit (or soils) basis in addition to merely radioactive mineral "anomaly hunting".

## TAPE FORMATS

SINGLE RECORD REDUCED DATA TAPE

REFERENCE: Paragraphs 4.7.6 and 6.1.6, BFEC 1200-C

The Single Record Tape is an unlabeled, nine track, 800 BPI, NRZI. All data are recorded as EBCDIC characters. Each tape contains but one file of format, header, data, and trailer records for no more than one quadrangle. The tape is divided into 6900-character blocks containing the following information.

Block 1 - Format Data

This block contains 6768 characters in 94 consecutive lines of 72 characters containing the following literal description.

02 0978 (DATA TAPE TYPE AND FORMAT SPECIFICATION DATE CODES)

SINGLE RECORD REDUCED DATA TAPE

FORMAT FOR TAPE IDENTIFICATION BLOCK (SECOND BLOCK)

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>FORMAT</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
1.	A40	QUADRANGLE NAME AS PROJECT IDENTIFICATION
2.	A20	NAME OF SUBCONTRACTOR
3.	I4	APPROXIMATE DATE OF SURVEY (MONTH, YEAR)
4.	I1	NUMBER OF AERIAL SYSTEMS USED TO COLLECT DATA FOR THIS QUADRANGLE
5.	I1	AERIAL SYSTEM IDENTIFICATION CODE FOR FIRST SYSTEM
6.	A20	AIRCRAFT IDENTIFICATION BY TYPE AND FAA NUMBER FOR FIRST SYSTEM
7.	F6.1	NOMINAL ALTITUDE SYSTEM SENSITIVITY RELATIVE TO TERRESTRIAL POTASSIUM (K-40) TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN CPS PER PERCENT K
8.	F6.1	NOMINAL ALTITUDE SYSTEM SENSITIVITY RELATIVE TO TERRESTRIAL URANIUM (BI-214) TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN CPS PER PPM EQUIVALENT U
9.	F6.1	NOMINAL ALTITUDE SYSTEM SENSITIVITY RELATIVE TO TERRESTRIAL THORIUM (TL-208) TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN CPS PER PPM EQUIVALENT TH

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>FORMAT</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
13	I3	NUMBER OF CHANNELS (0-3 MEV) IN 4PI SYSTEM FOR FIRST AERIAL SYSTEM
14	I3	NUMBER OF CHANNELS (0-3 MEV) IN 2PI SYSTEM FOR FIRST AERIAL SYSTEM
15-24	(SAME)	REPEAT OF ITEMS 5-14 FOR SECOND AERIAL SYSTEM
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*	*	*
*	*	*
85-94	(SAME)	REPEAT OF ITEMS 5-14 FOR NINTH AERIAL SYSTEM
95	I3	NUMBER OF FLIGHT LINES ON THIS TAPE
96	I4	FIRST FLIGHT LINE NUMBER ON THIS TAPE
97	I6	FIRST RECORD NUMBER OF FIRST FLIGHT LINE
98	I3	JULIAN DATE (DAY OF YEAR) FIRST FLIGHT-LINE DATA WAS COLLECTED
99-101	I4,I6,I3	REPEAT OF ITEMS 96-98 FOR SECOND FLIGHT LINE ON THIS TAPE
*	*	*
*	*	*
*	*	*
390-392	I4,I6,I3	REPEAT OF ITEMS 96-98 FOR 99th FLIGHT LINE ON THIS TAPE

<u>FORMAT FOR SINGLE RECORD REDUCED DATA RECORD (THIRD THRU LAST BLOCK)</u>		
<u>ITEM</u>	<u>FORMAT</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
1	I1	AERIAL SYSTEM IDENTIFICATION CODE
2	I4	FLIGHT LINE NUMBER
3	I6	RECORD IDENTIFICATION NUMBER
4	I6	GMT TIME OF DAY (HHMMSS)
5	F8.4	LATITUDE TO FOUR DECIMAL PLACES IN DEGREES
6	F8.4	LONGITUDE TO FOUR DECIMAL PLACES IN DEGREES
7	F6.1	TERRAIN CLEARANCE TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN METERS
8	F7.1	RESIDUAL (IGRF REMOVED) MAGNETIC FIELD INTENSITY TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN GAMMAS
9	A8	SURFACE GEOLOGIC MAP UNIT CODE
10	I4	QUALITY FLAG CODES
11	F6.1	APPARENT CONCENTRATION OF TERRESTRIAL POTASSIUM (K-40) TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U
12	F4.1	UNCERTAINTY IN TERRESTRIAL POTASSIUM TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PERCENT K
13	F6.1	APPARENT CONCENTRATION OF TERRESTRIAL URANIUM (BI-214) TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U
14	F4.1	UNCERTAINTY IN TERRESTRIAL URANIUM TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U
15	F6.1	APPARENT CONCENTRATION OF TERRESTRIAL THORIUM (TL-208) TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT TH
16	F4.1	UNCERTAINTY IN TERRESTRIAL THORIUM TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT TH

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>FORMAT</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
17	F6.1	URANIUM-TO-THORIUM RATIO TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U PER PPM EQUIVALENT TH
18	F6.1	URANIUM-TO-POTASSIUM RATIO TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U PER PERCENT K
19	F5.1	THORIUM-TO-POTASSIUM RATIO TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT TH PER PERCENT K
20	F8.1	GROSS GAMMA (0.4-3.0 MEV) COUNT RATE TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN COUNTS PER SECOND
21	F6.1	UNCERTAINTY IN GROSS GAMMA COUNT RATE TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN COUNTS PER SECOND
22	F5.1	ATMOSPHERIC BI-214 4PI CORRECTION TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U
23	F4.1	UNCERTAINTY IN ATMOSPHERIC BI-214 4PI CORRECTION TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U
24	F4.1	OUTSIDE AIR TEMPERATURE TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN DEGREES CELSIUS
25	F5.1	OUTSIDE AIR PRESSURE TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN MMHG

This description serves to identify the format of data on subsequent blocks on the tape. The remaining 132 characters on this block are blanks.

#### Block 2 - Single Record Reduced Identification Data

The second block contains the identifier information for the data contained in subsequent blocks. The identification information is written according to the format description in the first half of the first block. The remaining 4978 characters on this block are blanks.

#### Block 3 - Single Record Reduced Data

These blocks contain data written according to the format description in the second half of the first block. There will be 50 logical records per physical block. As of August 1979, the method for determining uncertainties specified in the data blocks remains undefined, and those values are filled with 9's under format control.

#### STATISTICAL ANALYSIS TAPE

REFERENCE: Paragraphs 4.7.7 and 6.1.6, BFEC 1200-C

The statistical analysis data tape is an unlabeled, nine track, 800 BPI, NRZI. All data is recorded as EBCDIC characters. The block length is 8000 characters long. Each tape contains one file of data for no more than one quadrangle.

#### Block 1 - Format Description Data

The first physical block on this tape contains a format description for data on subsequent blocks. The first 7560 characters on this block contains 105 lines of 72 characters exactly as written below:

03 0978 (DATA TAPE TYPE AND FORMAT SPECIFICATION DATE CODES)

#### STATISTICAL ANALYSIS DATA TAPE

#### FORMAT FOR TAPE IDENTIFICATION BLOCK (SECOND BLOCK)

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>FORMAT</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
1	A40	QUADRANGLE NAME AS PROJECT IDENTIFICATION
2	A20	NAME OF SUBCONTRACTOR
3	I4	APPROXIMATE DATE OF SURVEY (MONTH, YEAR)
4	I1	NUMBER OF AERIAL SYSTEMS USED TO COLLECT DATA FOR THIS QUADRANGLE
5	I1	AERIAL SYSTEM IDENTIFICATION CODE FOR FIRST SYSTEM
6	A20	AIRCRAFT IDENTIFICATION BY TYPE AND FAA NUMBER FOR FIRST SYSTEM
7	F6.1	NOMINAL ALTITUDE SYSTEM SENSITIVITY RELATIVE TO TERRESTRIAL POTASSIUM (K-40) TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN CPS PER PERCENT K
8	F6.1	NOMINAL ALTITUDE SYSTEM SENSITIVITY RELATIVE TO TERRESTRIAL URANIUM (BI-214) TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN CPS PER PPM EQUIVALENT U
9	F6.1	NOMINAL ALTITUDE SYSTEM SENSITIVITY RELATIVE TO TERRESTRIAL THORIUM (TL-208) TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN CPS PER PPM EQUIVALENT TH
10	I6	BLANK FIELD (99999)
11	F6.3	4PI-SYSTEM DATA COLLECTION INTERVAL TO THREE DECIMAL PLACES IN SECONDS FOR FIRST SYSTEM
12	F6.3	2PI-SYSTEM DATA COLLECTION INTERVAL TO THREE DECIMAL PLACES IN SECONDS FOR FIRST SYSTEM
13	I3	NUMBER OF CHANNELS (0-3 MEV) IN 4PI SYSTEM FOR FIRST AERIAL SYSTEM
14	I3	NUMBER OF CHANNELS (0-3 MEV) IN 2PI SYSTEM FOR FIRST AERIAL SYSTEM

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>FORMAT</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
15-24	(SAME)	REPEAT OF ITEMS 5-14 FOR SECOND AERIAL SYSTEM
*	*	*
*	*	*
*	*	*
85-94	(SAME)	REPEAT OF ITEMS 5-14 FOR NINTH AERIAL SYSTEM
95	I3	NUMBER OF FLIGHT LINES ON THIS TAPE
96	I4	FIRST FLIGHT LINE NUMBER ON THIS TAPE
97	I6	FIRST RECORD NUMBER OF FIRST FLIGHT LINE
98	I3	JULIAN DATE (DAY OF YEAR) FIRST FLIGHT-LINE DATA WAS COLLECTED
99-101	I4,I6,I3	REPEAT OF ITEMS 96-98 FOR SECOND FLIGHT LINE ON THIS TAPE
*	*	*
*	*	*
*	*	*
390-392	I4,I6,I3	REPEAT OF ITEMS 96-98 FOR 99th FLIGHT LINE ON THIS TAPE

FORMAT FOR STATISTICAL ANALYSIS DATA RECORD (THIRD THRU LAST BLOCK)

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>FORMAT</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
1	I1	AERIAL SYSTEM IDENTIFICATION CODE
2	I4	FLIGHT LINE NUMBER
3	I6	RECORD IDENTIFICATION NUMBER
4	I6	GMT TIME OF DAY (HHMMSS)
5	F8.4	LATITUDE TO FOUR DECIMAL PLACES IN DEGREES
6	F8.4	LONGITUDE TO FOUR DECIMAL PLACES IN DEGREES
7	F6.1	TERRAIN CLEARANCE TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN METERS
8	F7.1	RESIDUAL (IGRF Removed) MAGNETIC FIELD INTENSITY TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN GAMMAS
9	A8	SURFACE GEOLOGIC MAP UNIT CODE
10	I4	QUALITY FLAG CODES
11	F6.1	APPARENT CONCENTRATION OF TERRESTRIAL POTASSIUM (K-40) TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PERCENT K
12	F4.1	UNCERTAINTY IN TERRESTRIAL POTASSIUM TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PERCENT K
13	F5.1	POTASSIUM STANDARD DEVIATION FROM THE MEAN TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE AND ALGEBRAICALLY SIGNED
14	F6.1	AVERAGED CONCENTRATION OF TERRESTRIAL URANIUM (BI-214) TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U
15	F4.1	UNCERTAINTY IN TERRESTRIAL URANIUM TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U
16	F5.1	URANIUM STANDARD DEVIATION FROM THE MEAN TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE AND ALGEBRAICALLY SIGNED
17	F6.1	AVERAGED CONCENTRATION OF TERRESTRIAL THORIUM (TL-208) TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT TH
18	F4.1	UNCERTAINTY IN TERRESTRIAL THORIUM TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT TH
19	F5.1	THORIUM STANDARD DEVIATION FROM THE MEAN TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE AND ALGEBRAICALLY SIGNED.

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>FORMAT</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
20	F8.1	GROSS GAMMA (0.4-3.0 MEV) COUNT RATE TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN COUNTS PER SECOND
21	F6.1	UNCERTAINTY IN GROSS GAMMA COUNT RATE TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN COUNTS PER SECOND
22	F5.1	ATMOSPHERIC BI-214 4PI CORRECTION TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U
23	F4.1	UNCERTAINTY IN ATMOSPHERIC BI-214 4PI CORRECTION TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U
24	F4.1	AVERAGED URANIUM-TO-THORIUM RATIO TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U PER PPM EQUIVALENT TH
25	F5.1	URANIUM-TO-THORIUM RATIO STANDARD DEVIATION FROM THE MEAN TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE AND ALGEBRAICALLY SIGNED
26	F6.1	AVERAGED URANIUM-TO-POTASSIUM RATIO TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U PER PERCENT K
27	F5.1	THORIUM-TO-POTASSIUM RATIO STANDARD DEVIATION FROM THE MEAN TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE AND ALGEBRAICALLY SIGNED
D8	F6.1	AVERAGED THORIUM-TO-POTASSIUM RATIO TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT TH PER PERCENT K
29	F5.1	THORIUM-TO-POTASSIUM RATIO STANDARD DEVIATION FROM THE MEAN TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE AND ALGEBRAICALLY SIGNED

The remaining 440 characters in this block are blanks.

#### Block 2 - Statistical Analysis Identification Data

The second block contains the identifier information for the data contained in subsequent blocks according to the format specification in the first part of Block 1. The final 6078 characters on this block are blanks.

#### Block 3 - Statistical Analysis Data

The third and subsequent blocks contain statistical analysis data in the format specified by the second part of the Block 1. Fifty logical records are allowed per block. The method for determining uncertainty values shown, as of August 1979, remains undefined. These values are filled with 9's under format control.

## MAGNETIC DATA TAPE

REFERENCE: Paragraphs 4.7.8 and 6.1.6, BFEC 1200-C

The Magentic Data Tape is an unlabeled, nine track, 800 BPI, NRZI. All data are recorded as EBCDIC characters. Each tape contains data for no more than one quadrangle and are divided into 8000-character blocks as described below.

Block 1 - Tape Format Description

The first block contains 3384 characters of format information in exactly the following format:

04 0978 (DATA TAPE TYPE AND FORMAT SPECIFICATION DATE CODES)

MAGNETIC DATA TAPE

FORMAT FOR TAPE IDENTIFICATION BLOCK (SECOND BLOCK)

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>FORMAT</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
1	A40	QUADRANGLE NAME AS PROJECT IDENTIFICATION
2	A20	NAME OF SUBCONTRACTOR
3	I4	APPROXIMATE DATE OF SURVEY (MONTH., YEAR)
4	I3	NUMBER OF FLIGHT LINES ON THIS TAPE
5	I4	FIRST FLIGHT LINE ON THIS TAPE
6	I6	FIRST RECORD NUMBER OF FIRST FLIGHT LINE
7	I3	JULIAN DATE (DAY OF YEAR) FIRST FLIGHT-LINE DATA WAS COLLECTED
8	F8.4	LATITUDE OF GROUND BASE STATION TO FOUR DECIMAL PLACES IN DEGREES FOR FIRST FLIGHT LINE
9	F8.4	LONGITUDE OF GROUND BASE STATION TO FOUR DECIMAL PLACES IN DEGREES FOR FIRST FLIGHT LINE
10-14	(SAME)	REPEAT OF ITEMS 5-9 FOR SECOND FLIGHT LINE ON THIS TAPE
*	*	*
*	*	*
*	*	*
495-499	(SAME)	REPEAT OF ITEMS 5-9 FOR 99th FLIGHT LINE ON THIS TAPE

FORMAT FOR MAGNETIC DATA RECORD (THIRD THRU LAST BLOCK)

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>FORMAT</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
1	I1	AERIAL SYSTEM IDENTIFICATION CODE
2	I4	FLIGHT LINE NUMBER
3	I6	RECORD IDENTIFICATION NUMBER
4	I6	GMT TIME OF DAY (HHMMSS)
5	F8.4	LATITUDE TO FOUR DECIMAL PLACES IN DEGREES

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>FORMAT</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
6	F8.4	LONGITUDE TO FOUR DECIMAL PLACES IN DEGREES
7	F6.1	TERRAIN CLEARANCE TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN METERS
8	F5.1	OUTSIDE AIR PRESSURE TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN MMHG
9	A8	SURFACE GEOLOGIC MAP UNIT CODE
10	F7.1	TOTAL MAGNETIC FIELD INTENSITY TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN GAMMAS
11	F7.1	RESIDUAL (IGRF REMOVED) MAGNETIC FIELD INTENSITY TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN GAMMAS
12	F7.1	DIURNAL MAGNETIC INTENSITY VARIATION TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN GAMMAS
13	F7.1	MAGNETIC DEPTH-TO-BASEMENT TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN METERS (IF REQUIRED)

The remaining 4616 characters in this block are blanks.

Block 2 - Magnetic Tape Identification Data

This block contains information about the data in subsequent blocks organized according to the format specification in the first half of Block 1.

Block 3 - Magnetic Data

This block and subsequent block contains magnetic data for the quadrangle organized according to the format specifications in the second half of Block 1. There will be 100 logical records per physical block.

## STATISTIC ANALYSIS SUMMARY TAPE

REFERENCE: Paragraphs 4.7.9, BFEC 1200-C

The statistical analysis summary tape is an unlabeled, nine track, 800 BPI, NRZI. All data is recorded as EBCDIC characters. The block length is 700 characters long. Each tape contains one file of data for no more than one quadrangle.

### Block 1 - Format Description Data

The first physical block on this tape contains a format description for data on subsequent blocks. The first 4320 characters on this block contains 60 lines of 72 characters exactly as written below:

05 0978 (DATA TAPE TYPE AND FORMAT SPECIFICATION DATE CODE)

STATISTICAL ANALYSIS SUMMARY TAPE (OR FILE)

FORMAT FOR TAPE IDENTIFICATION BLOCK (SECOND BLOCK)

ITEM	FORMAT	DESCRIPTION
1	A40	QUADRANGLE NAME AS PROJECT IDENTIFICATION
2	A20	NAME OF SUBCONTRACTOR
3	I4	APPROXIMATE DATE OF SURVEY (MONTH, YEAR)
4	I6	NUMBER OF GEOLOGIC MAP UNITS USED FOR THIS QUADRANGLE

FORMAT FOR STATISTICAL ANALYSIS SUMMARY DATA RECORD (THIRD THRU LAST BLOCK)

ITEM	FORMAT	DESCRIPTION
1	A8	SURFACE GEOLOGIC MAP UNIT IDENTIFYING CODE
2	I6	TOTAL RECORDS FOR GEOLOGIC MAP UNIT
3	I6	NUMBER OF POTASSIUM RECORDS COMPUTED FOR GEOLOGIC UNIT
4	F6.1	POTASSIUM CONCENTRATION MEAN TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PERCENT K
5	F6.1	POTASSIUM CONCENTRATION STANDARD DEVIATION TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PERCENT K
6	A3	POTASSIUM CONCENTRATION DISTRIBUTION CODE
7	I6	NUMBER OF URANIUM RECORDS COMPUTED FOR GEOLOGIC UNIT
8	F6.1	URANIUM CONCENTRATION MEAN TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U
9	F6.1	URANIUM CONCENTRATION STANDARD DEVIATION TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U
10	A3	URANIUM CONCENTRATION DISTRIBUTION CODE
11	I6	NUMBER OF THORIUM RECORDS COMPUTED FOR GEOLOGIC UNIT
12	F6.1	THORIUM CONCENTRATION MEAN TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT TH
13	F6.1	THORIUM CONCENTRATION STANDARD DEVIATION TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT TH
14	A3	THORIUM CONCENTRATION DISTRIBUTION CODE
15	I6	NUMBER OF URANIUM-TO-THORIUM RATIO RECORDS COMPUTED FOR GEOLOGIC UNIT

16	F6.1	URANIUM-TO-THORIUM RATIO MEAN TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U PER PPM EQUIVALENT U PER PPM EQUIVALENT TH
17	F6.1	URANIUM-TO-THORIUM RATIO STANDARD DEVIATION TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U PER PPM EQUIVALENT TH
18	A3	URANIUM-TO-THORIUM RATIO DISTRIBUTION CODE
19	I6	NUMBER OF URANIUM-TO-POTASSIUM RATIO RECORDS COMPUTED FOR GEOLOGIC UNIT
20	F6.1	URANIUM -TO-POTASSIUM RATIO MEAN TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U PER PERCENT K
21	F6.1	URANIUM-TO-POTASSIUM RATIO STANDARD DEVIATION TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U PER PERCENT K
22	A3	URANIUM-TO-POTASSIUM RATIO DISTRIBUTION
23	I6	NUMBER OF THORIUM-TO-POTASSIUM RATIO RECORDS COMPUTED FOR GEOLOGIC UNIT
24	F6.1	THORIUM-TO-POTASSIUM RATIO MEAN TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT TH PER PERCENT K
25	F6.1	THORIUM-TO-POTASSIUM RATIO STANDARD DEVIATION TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT TH PER PERCENT K
26	A3	THORIUM-TO-POTASSIUM RATIO DISTRIBUTION CODE

The remaining 2680 characters on this block shall be blanks.

### Block 2 - Statistical Analysis Identification Data

The second block contains the identifier information for the data contained in subsequent blocks according to the format specification in the first part of Block 1. The final 6930 characters on this block are blanks.

### Block 3 - Statistical Analysis Summary Data

The third and subsequent blocks contain statistical analysis data in the format specified by the second part of the Block 1. Fifty logical records are allowed per block.

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## **APPENDIX B - Flight Summary**

APPENDIX B  
DAILY PRODUCTION SUMMARY  
QUEEN AIR N9AG

DECEMBER, 1980

Dec. 12        630 line miles, Marion  
13            630 line miles, Marion  
14            671 line miles, Marion, Toledo

MAY, 1981

May 17-19      Base Mobilization  
20            550 line miles, Toledo  
21            701 line miles, Toledo, Marion, Columbus  
22            Base Mobilization - nil production  
23            500 line miles, Toledo, Marion, Columbus  
24            763.8 line miles, Columbus

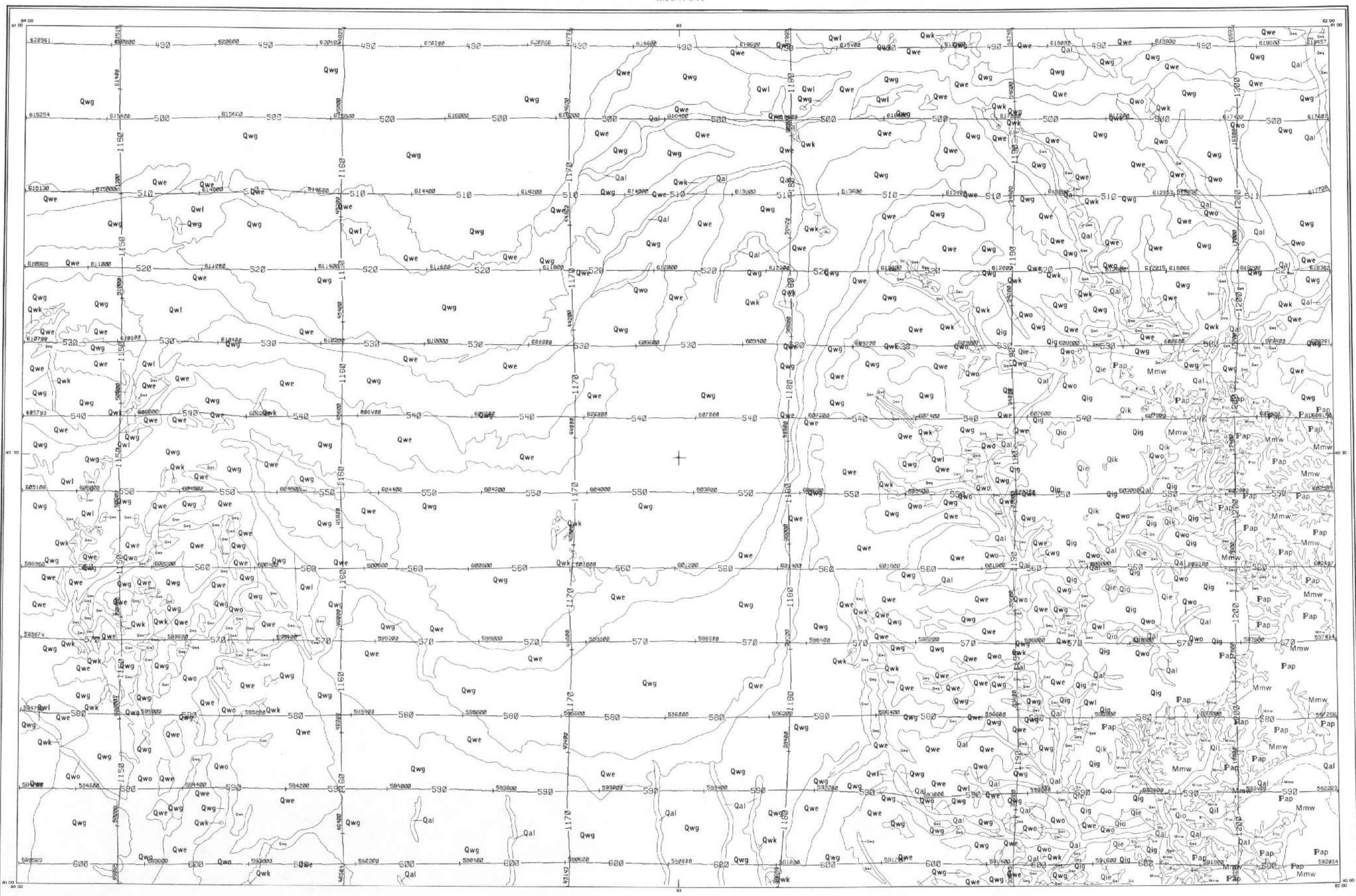
Total miles for the above periods = 4,445.8 line miles

Total miles for the included quadrangles:

Marion	1,675.8
Toledo	1,076.2
Columbus	1,693.8

**APPENDIX C - Flight Path and Geologic Map**

MARION



SURVEY AND  
COMPILED

 EG&G GEOMETRICS

SCALE 1:500,000

— MILES — 0 3 7 10 15 — MILES —

KILOMETRES — 0 3 6 10 15 20 23 26 — KILOMETRES —

FLIGHT LINE SPACING ..... 8.0 MILE(S)  
FLIGHT ALTITUDE ..... 400 FEET A.M.T.  
FLOWN AND COMPILED ..... 1980-1981

This figure is a location diagram titled "LOCATION DIAGRAM" at the top right. It features a central box labeled "UNITED STATES" with various state abbreviations and numbers around it, representing their approximate locations. The states shown are: MICHIGAN (MI), CANADA (CAN), NEW YORK (NY), PENNSYLVANIA (PA), MASSACHUSETTS (MASS), VERMONT (VER), NEW HAMPSHIRE (NH), MASS., VER., and NH. To the left of the central box are ILLINOIS (ILL) and INDIANA (IND). Below the central box are KENTUCKY (KY), TENNESSEE (TN), and ALABAMA (AL). To the right of the central box are GEORGIA (GA), SOUTH CAROLINA (SC), NORTH CAROLINA (NC), and VIRGINIA (VA). At the bottom are OREGON (OR), CALIFORNIA (CA), and NEVADA (NEV). The entire diagram is enclosed in a rectangular border.

FLIGHT PATH RECOVERY

GREAT LAKES PROJECT

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

MARION QUADRANGLE  
GEOLOGIC MAP EXPLANATION  
(Martel Laboratories, 1981)

SEDIMENTARY

CENOZOIC

QUATERNARY	[Qal]	ALLUVIUM Sand, silt, and minor peat.	HOLOCENE
	[Qwo]	OUTWASH Sand and gravel.	
	[Qwk]	KAMES AND ESKERS Sand and gravel.	
	[Qwl]	LAKE DEPOSITS Silt and clay.	WISCONSINAN
	[Qwg]	GROUND MORAINE Clay, silt, sand, and gravel.	
	[Qwe]	END MORAINE Clay, silt, sand, and gravel.	PLEISTOCENE
	[Qio]	OUTWASH Sand and gravel.	
	[Qik]	KAMES Sand and gravel.	
	[Qig]	GROUND MORAINE Clay, silt, sand, gravel, and boulders.	ILLINOIAN
	[Qie]	END MORAINE Clay, silt, sand, and gravel.	
PALEOZOIC	[Qil]	LAKE DEPOSITS Silt and clay.	
	[Pap]	UNDIVIDED ALLEGHENY AND POTTSVILLE FORMATIONS Coal, sandstone, shale, and limestone.	PENNSYLVANIAN
	[Mmw]	UNDIVIDED MAXVILLE LIMESTONE AND WAVERLY GROUP Shale, sandstone, and limestone.	MISSISSIPPIAN

STRATIGRAPHIC LEGEND

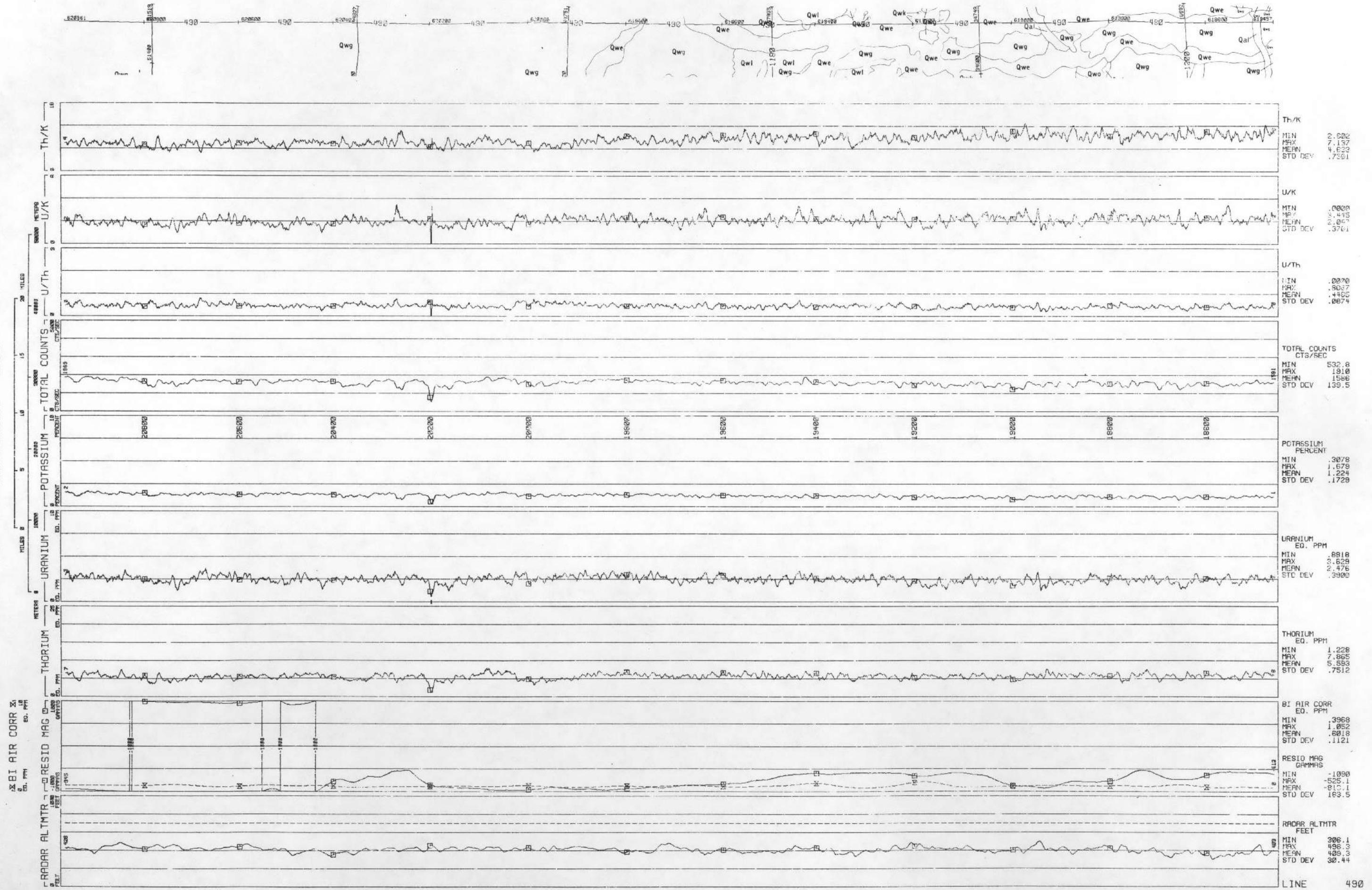
QUATERNARY	[Qal]	Sand, silt, and peat
	[Qwo]	Sand and gravel
	[Qwk]	Sand and gravel
	[Qwl]	Silt and clay
	[Qwg]	Clay, silt, sand, and gravel
	[Qwe]	Clay, silt, sand, and gravel
	[Qio]	Sand and gravel
	[Qik]	Sand and gravel
	[Qig]	Clay, silt, sand, gravel, and boulders
	[Qie]	Clay, silt, sand, and gravel
PENNSYLVANIAN	[Qil]	Silt and clay
	[Pap]	Coal, sandstone, shale, and limestone
MISSISSIPPIAN	[Mmw]	Shale, sandstone, and limestone

GEOLOGIC SYMBOLS

— — — — — Contact, dashed where approximate.

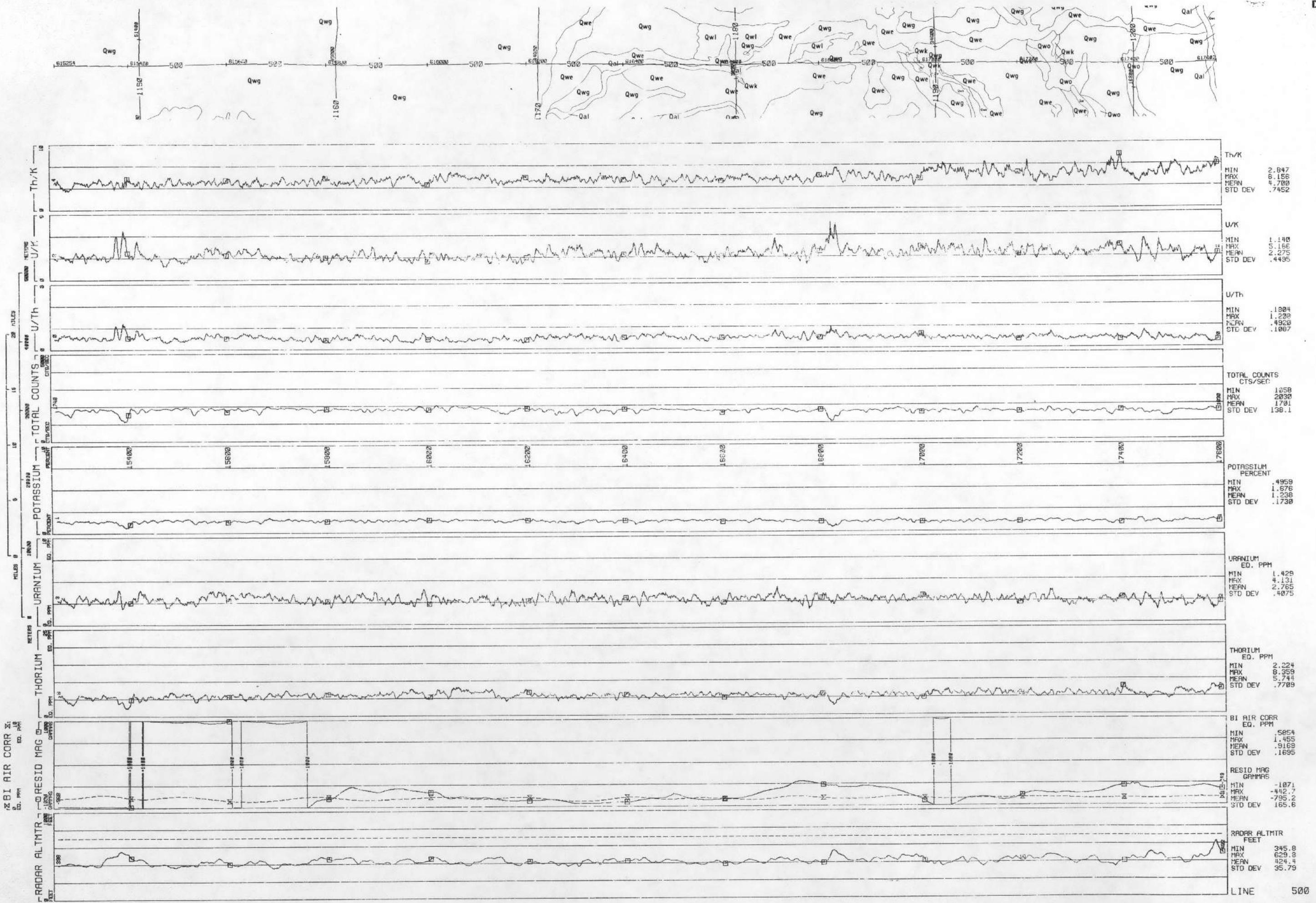
## **APPENDIX D - Profiles**

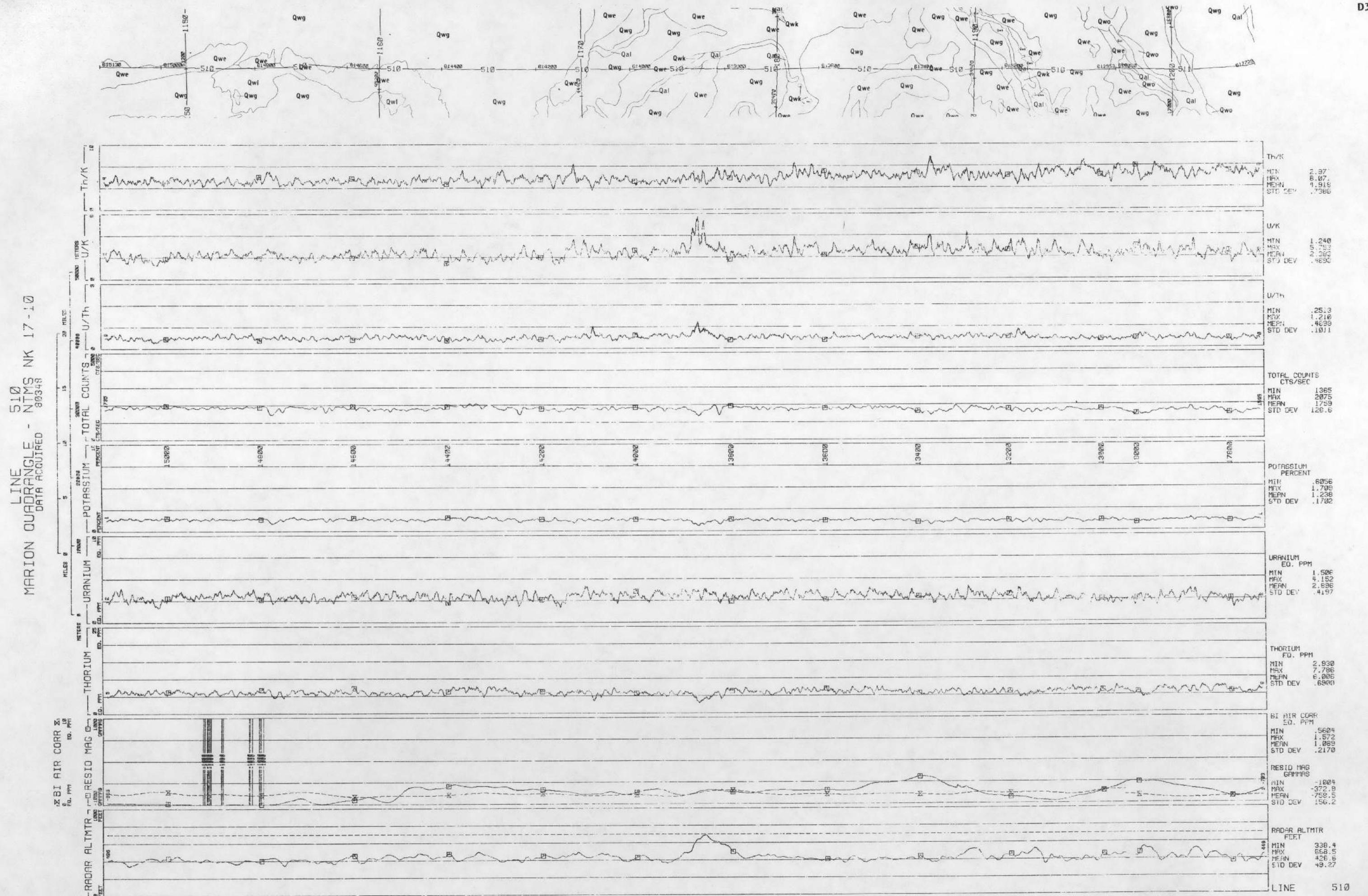
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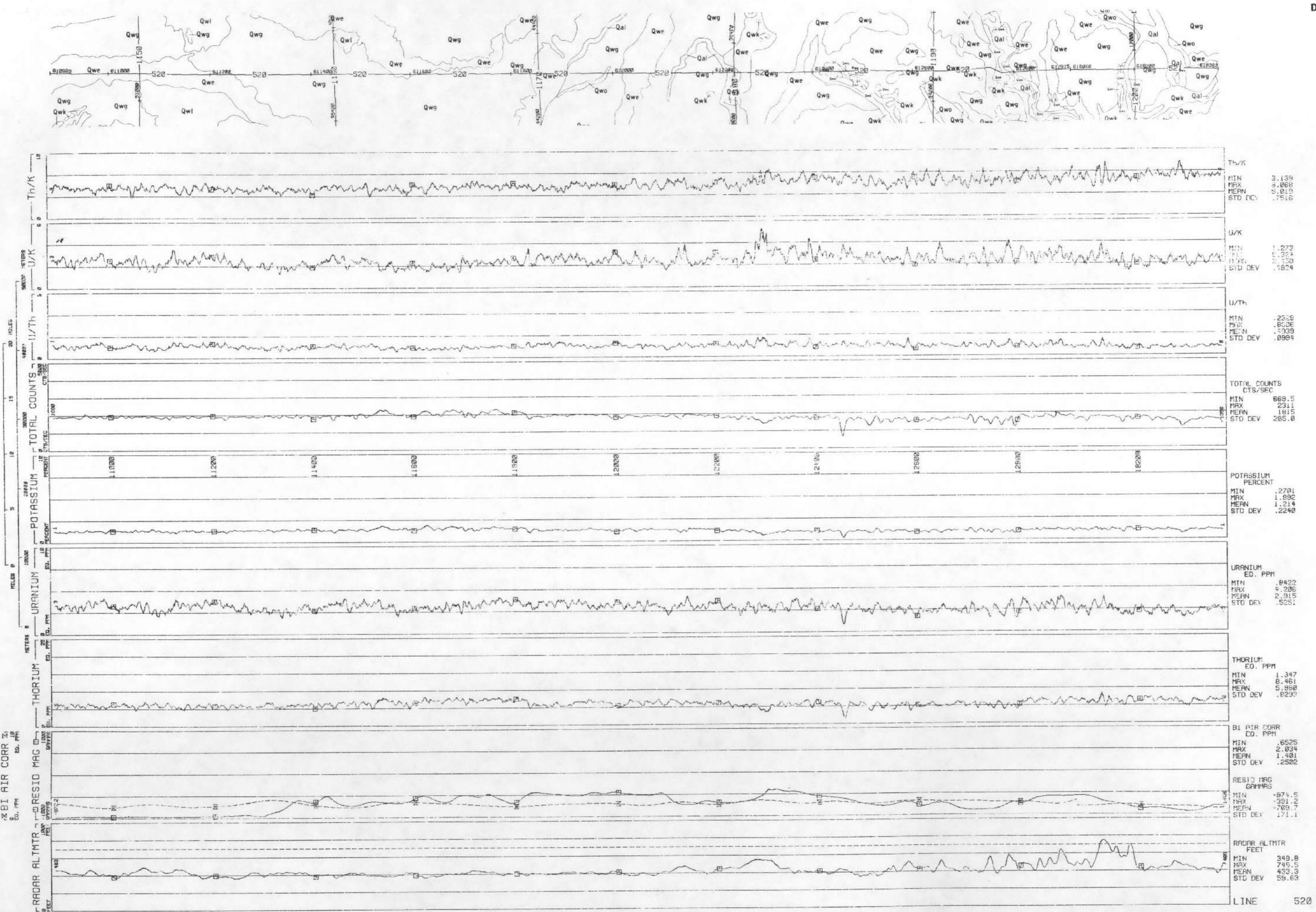


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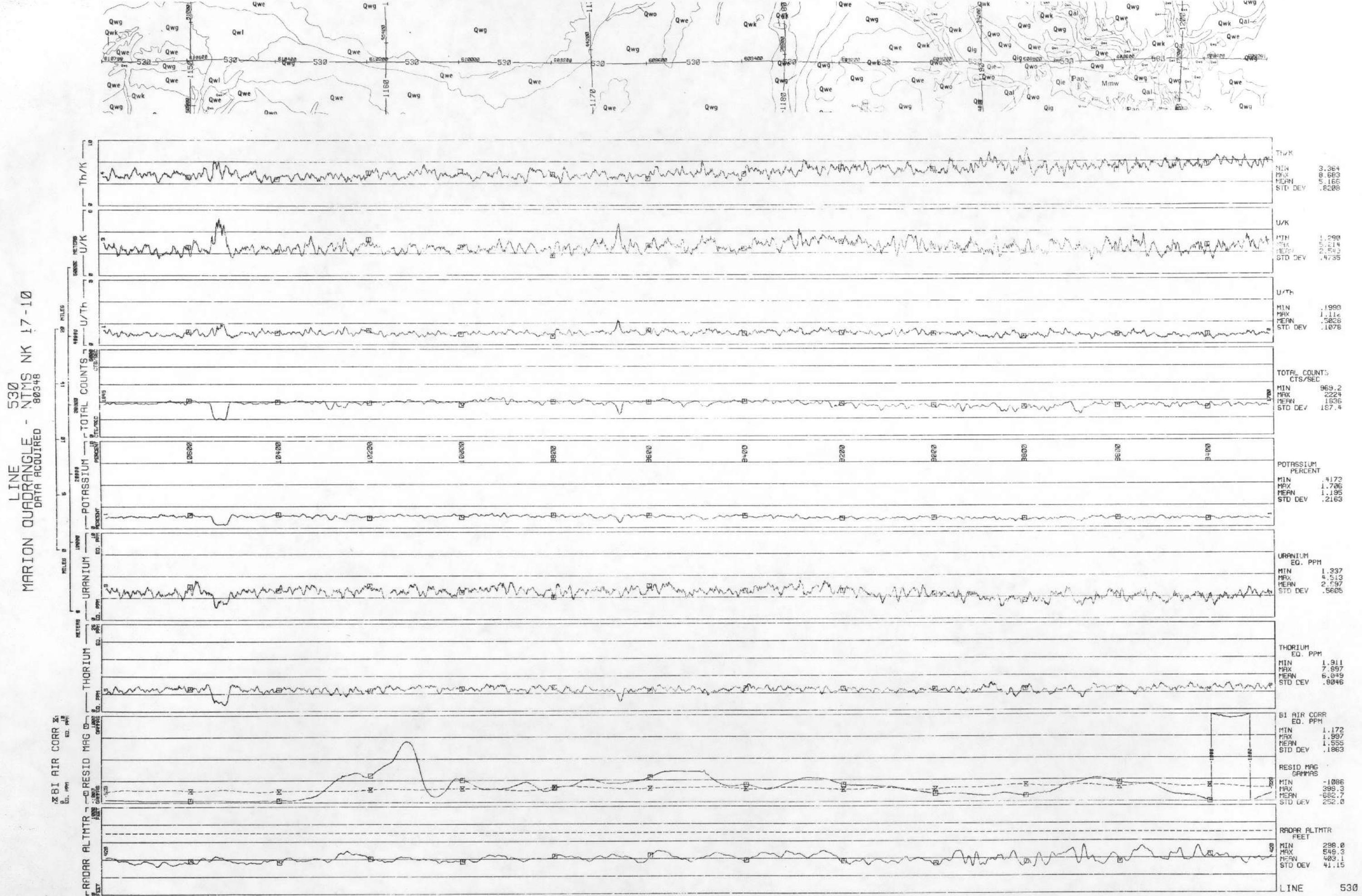




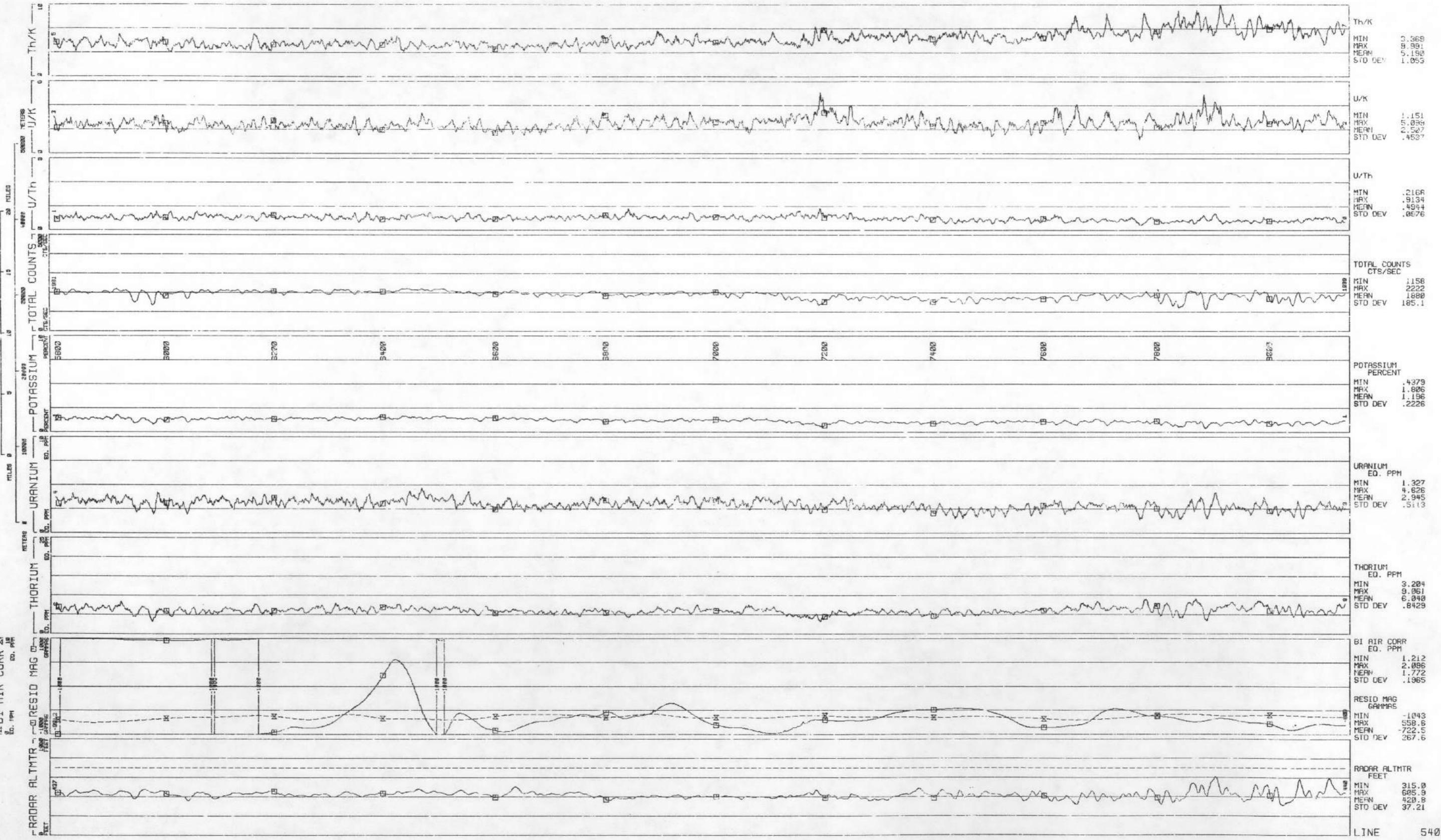
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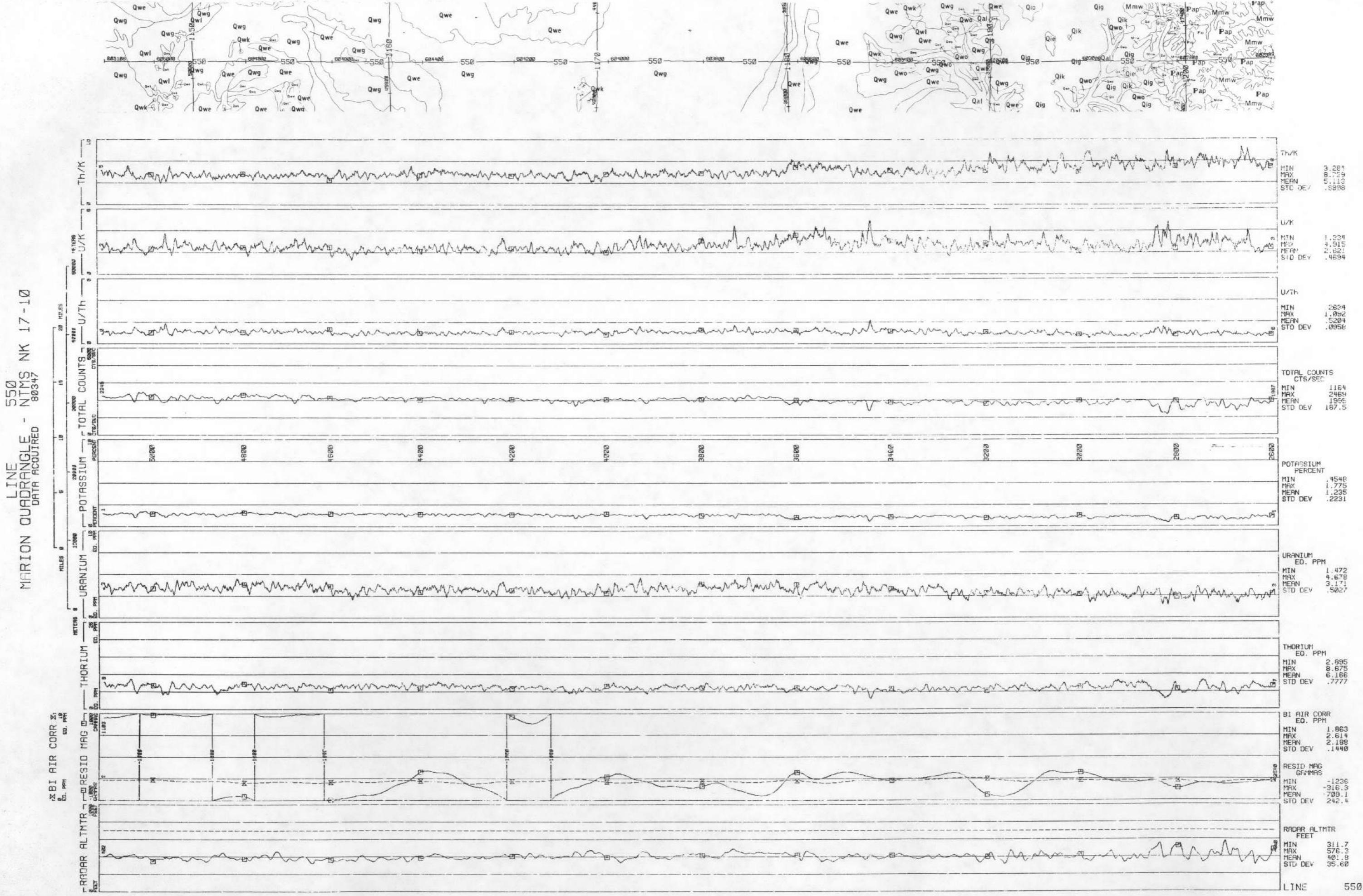
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DATA ACQUIRED



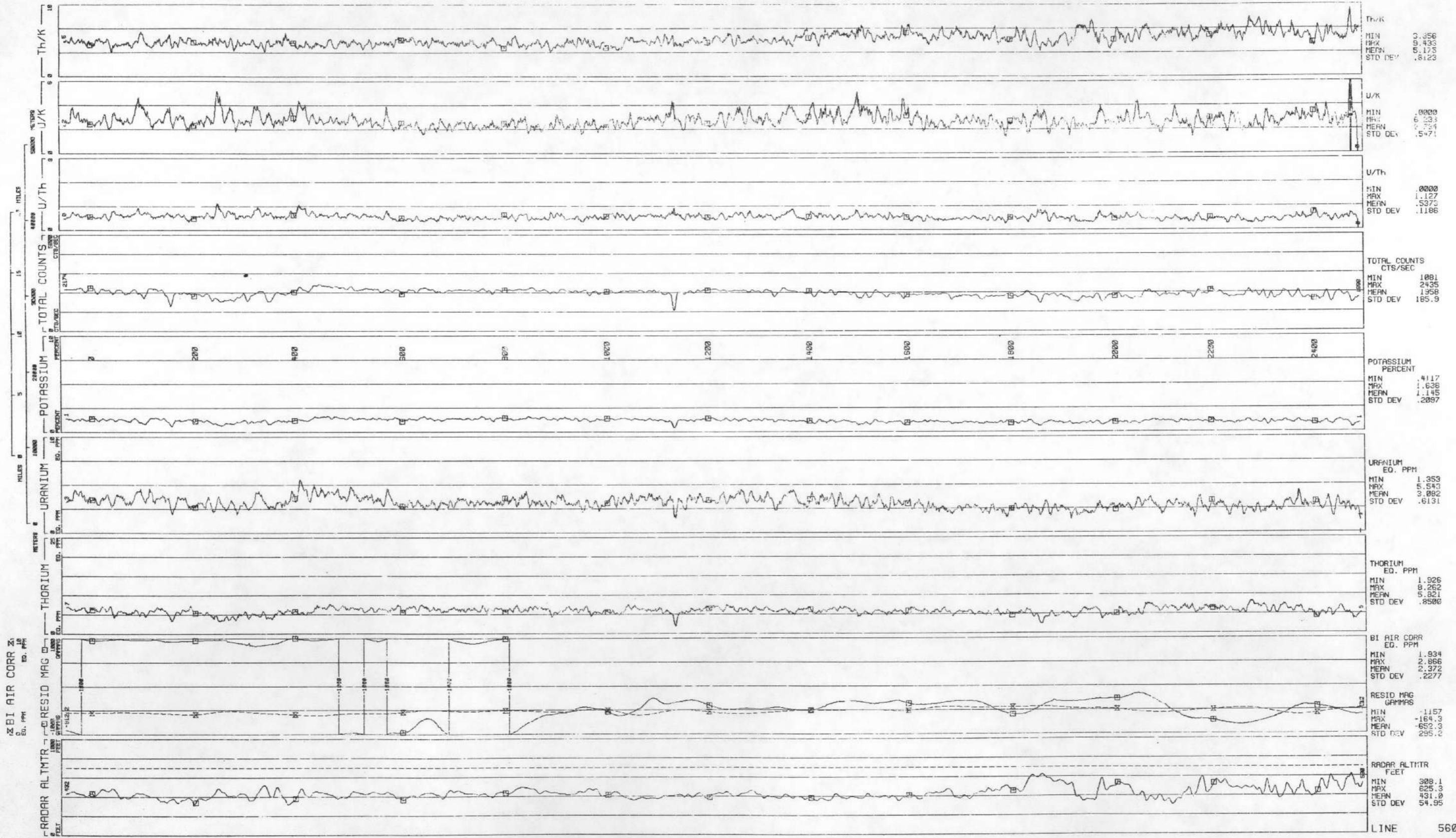
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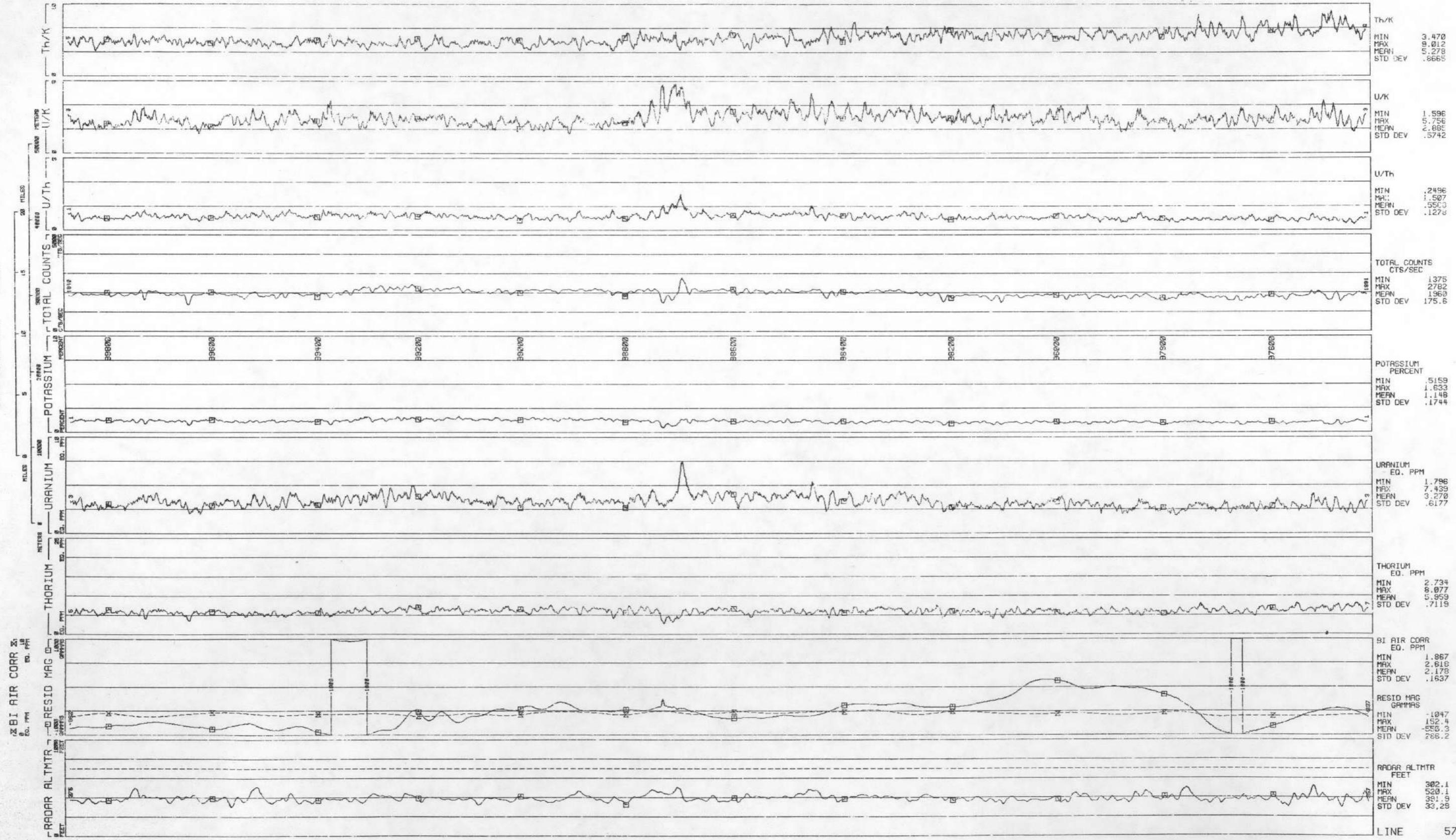
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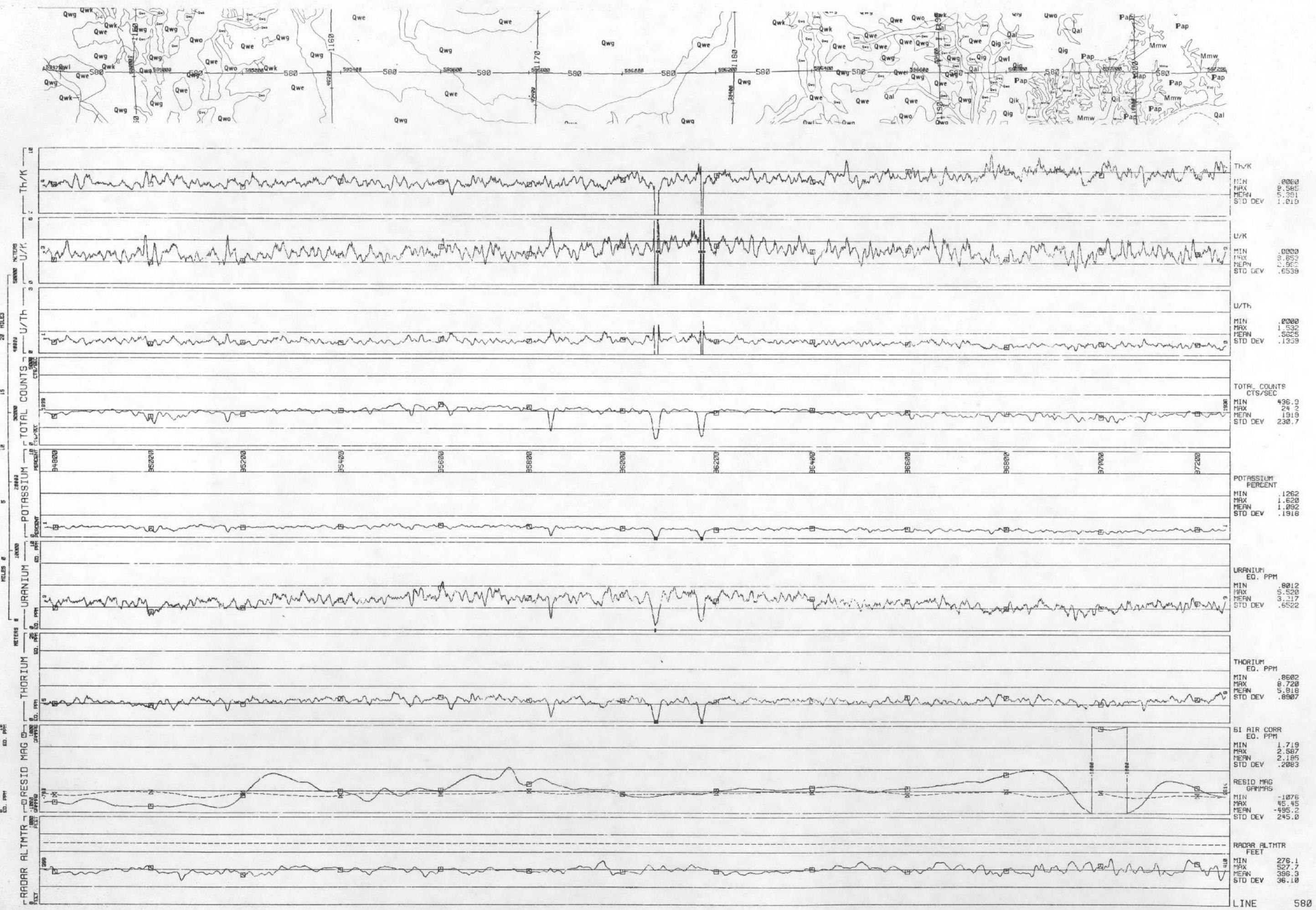
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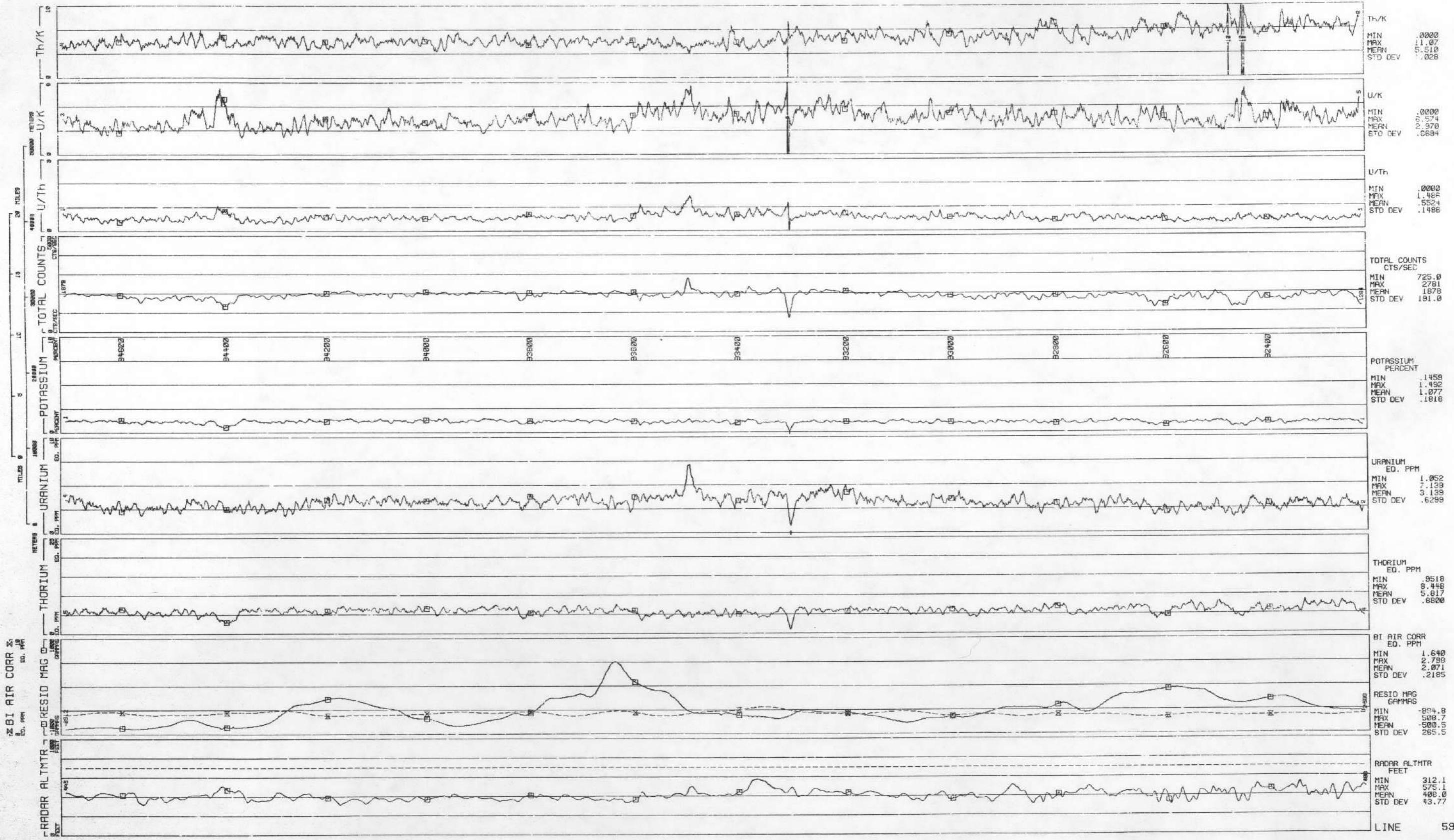
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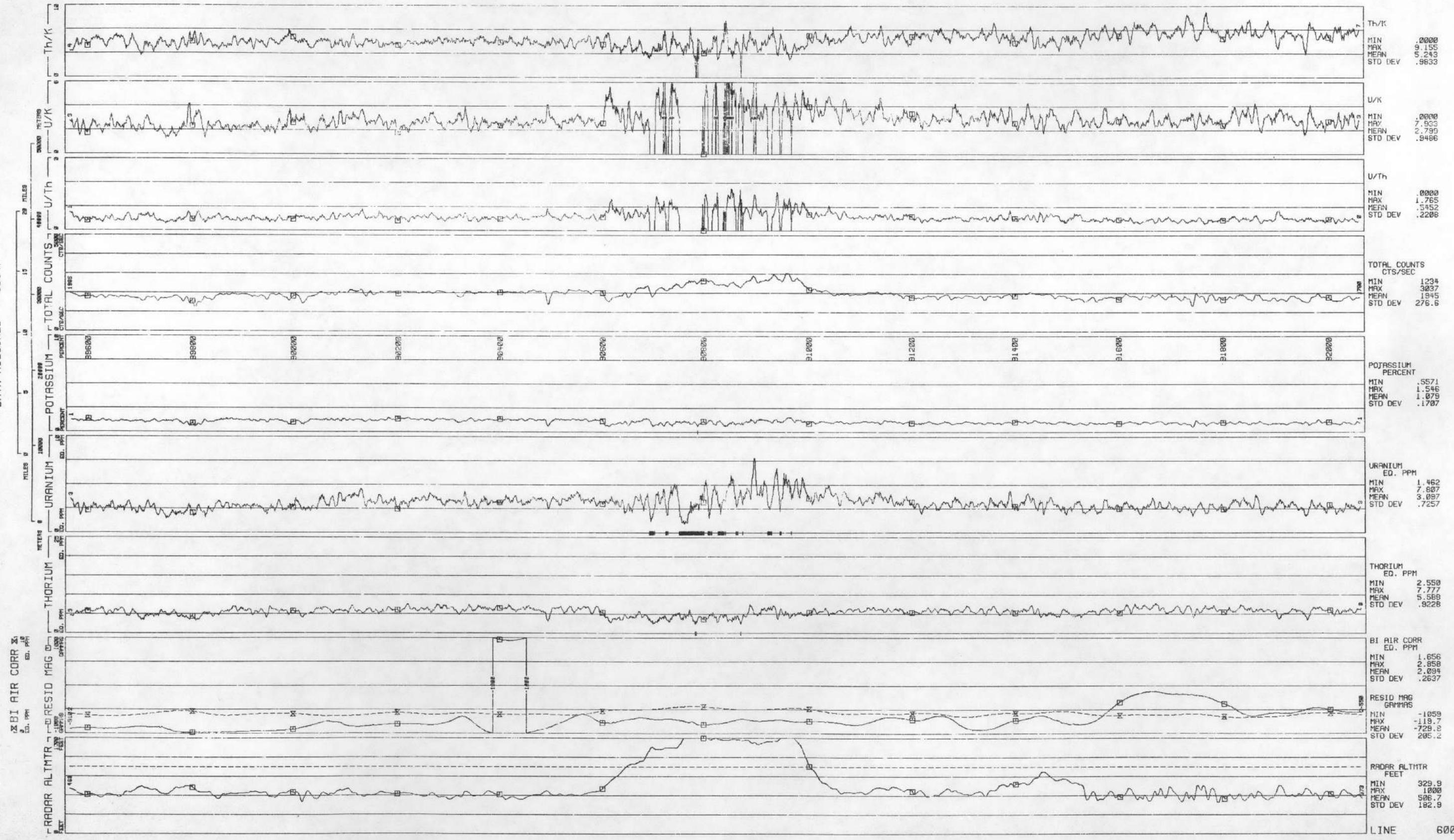


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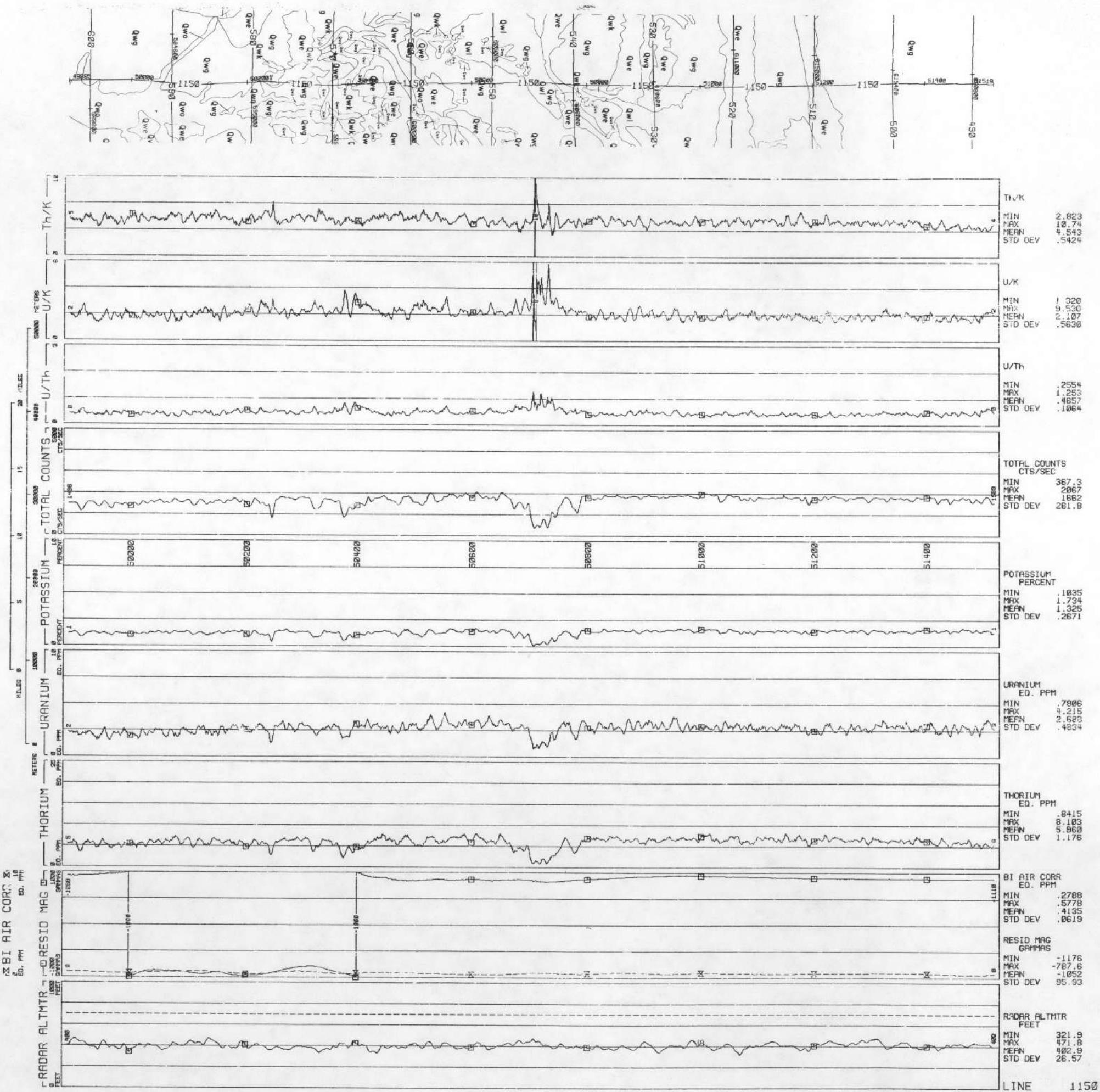
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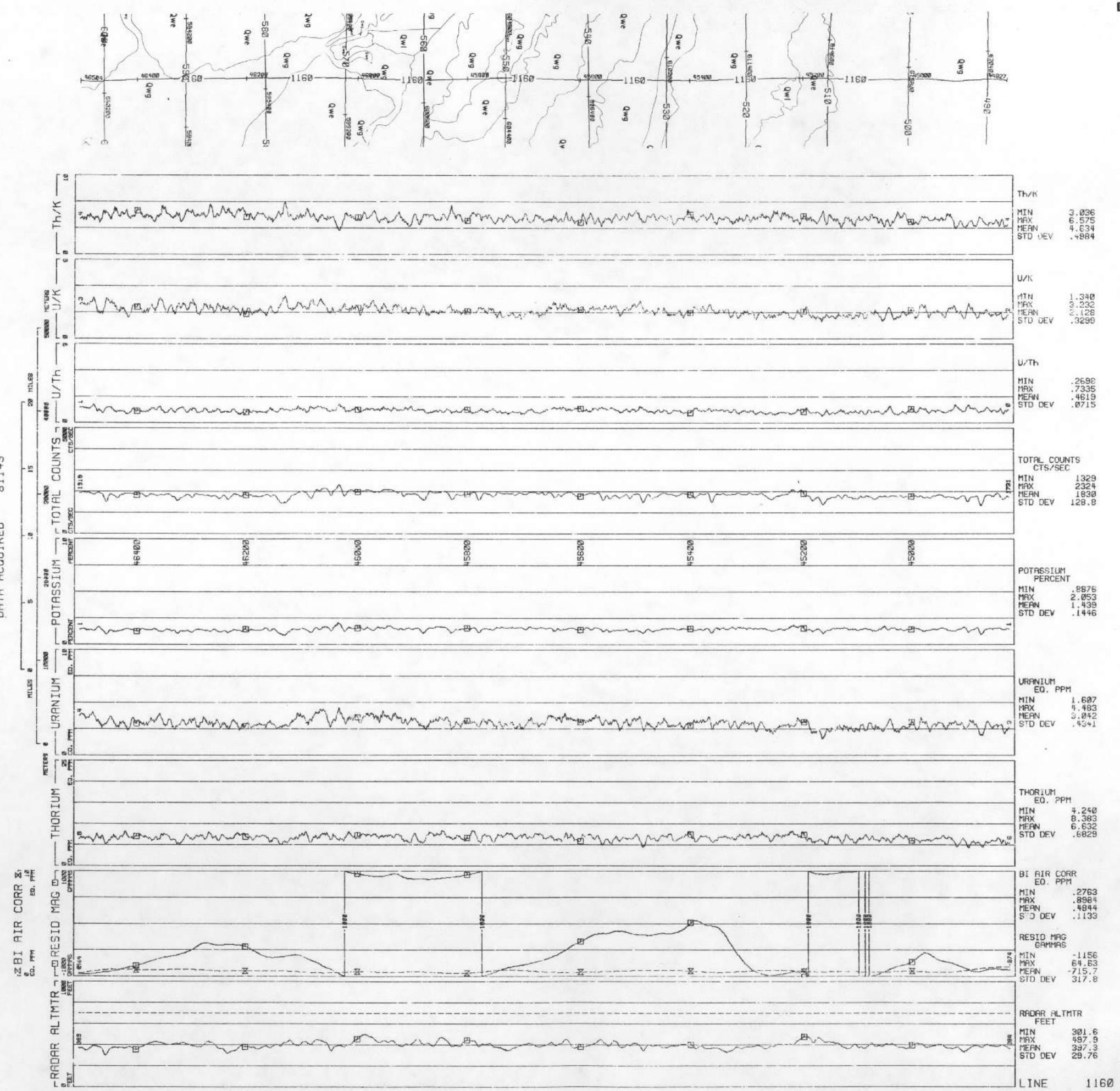
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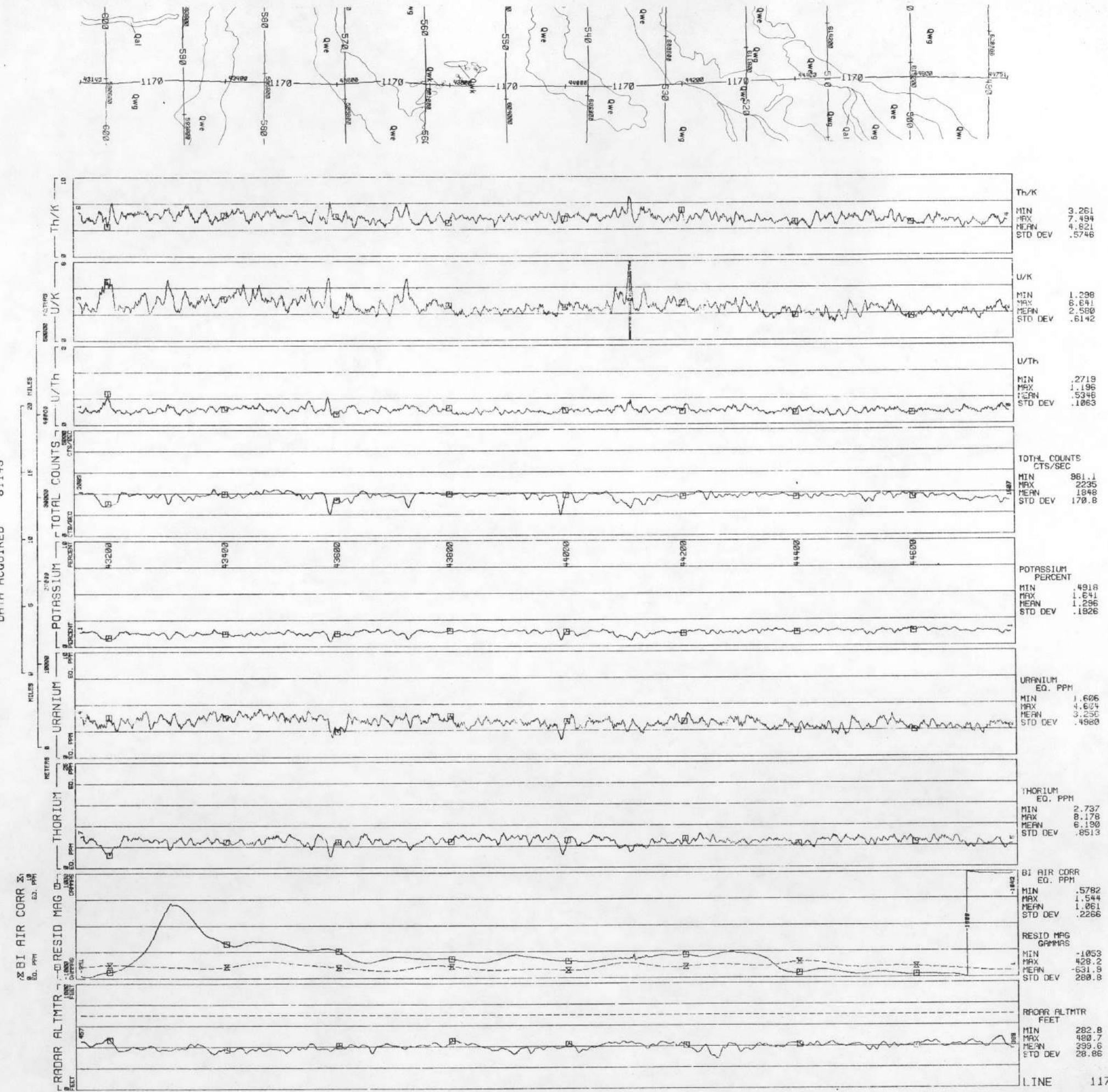
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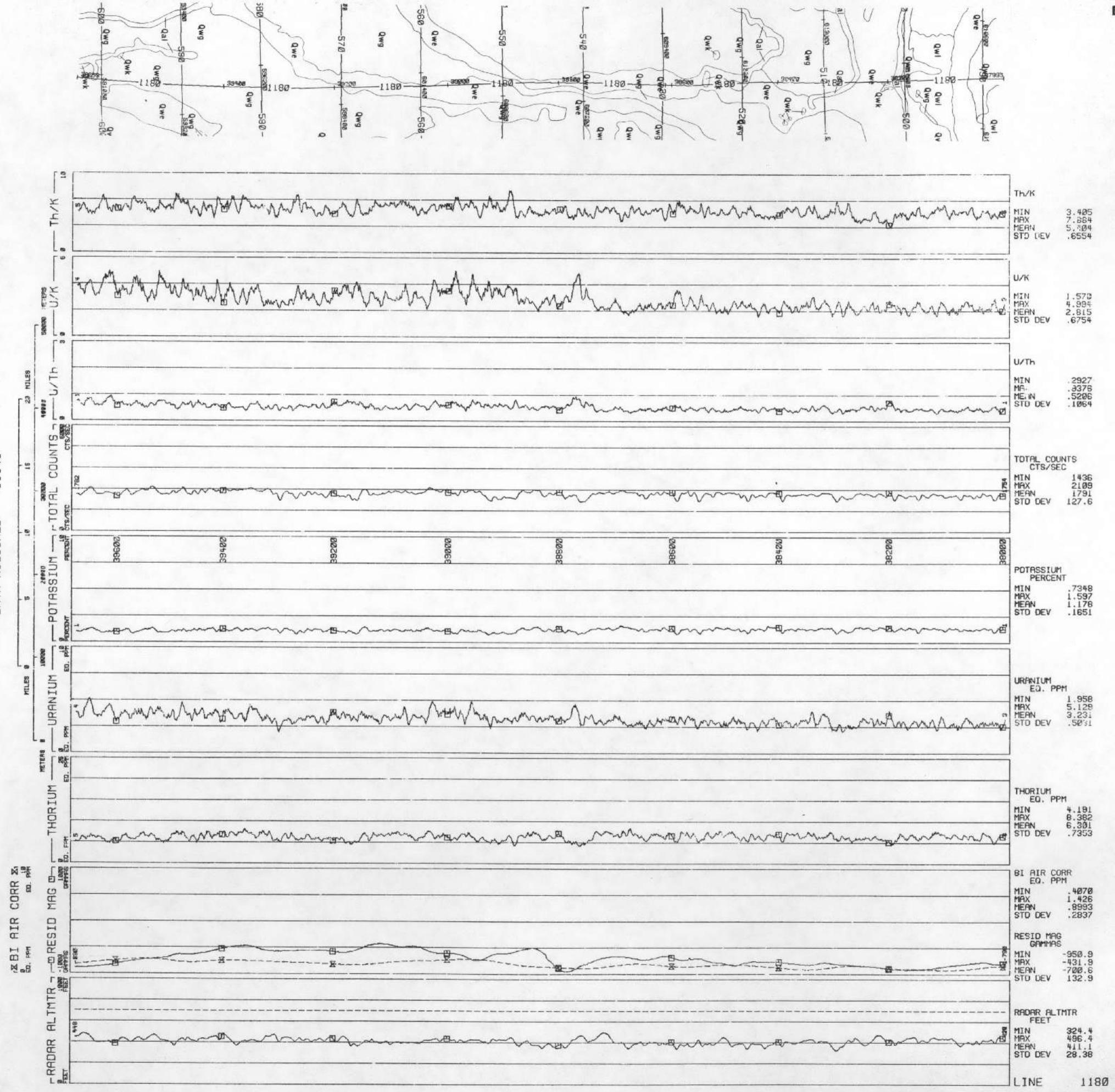


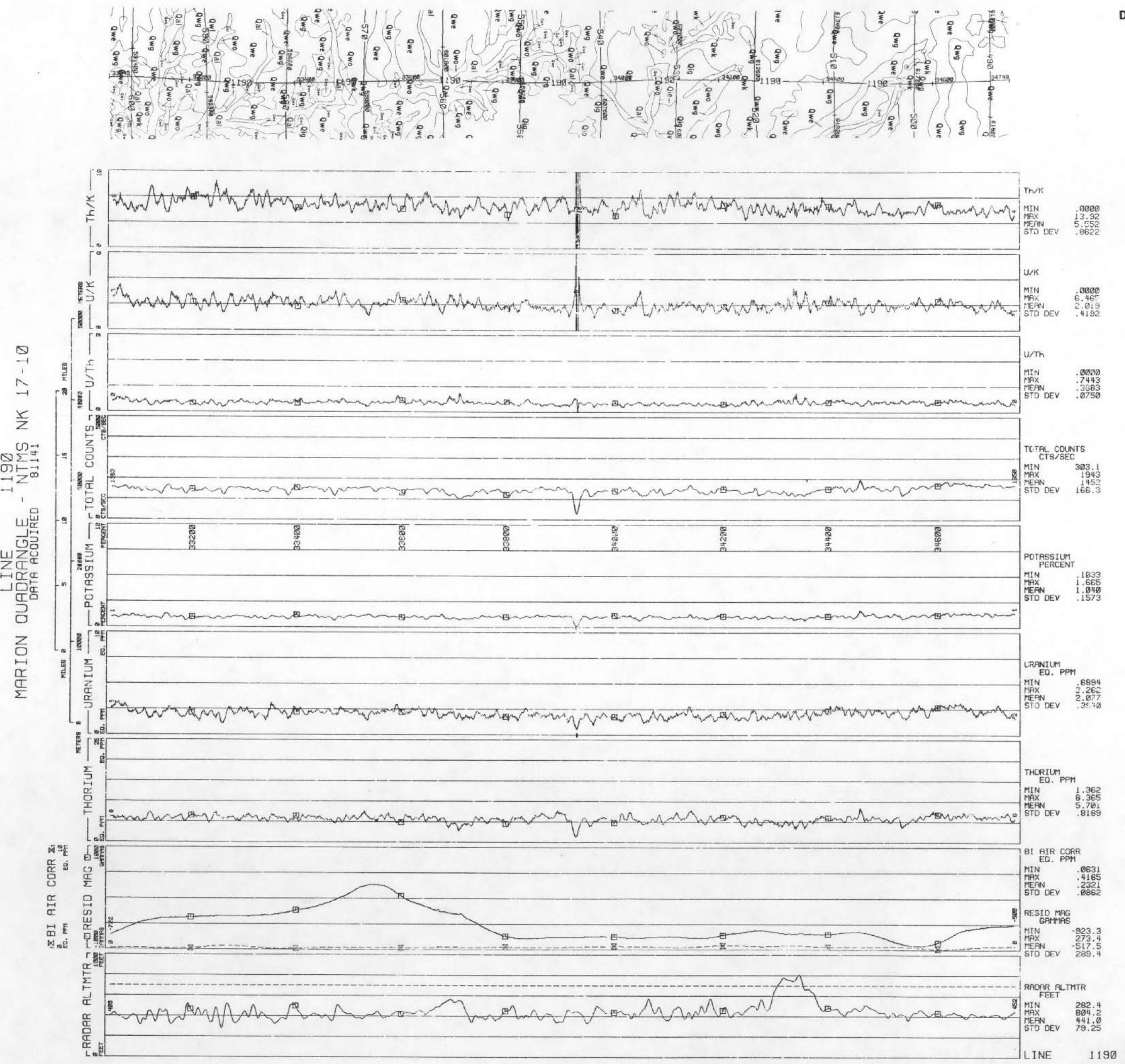
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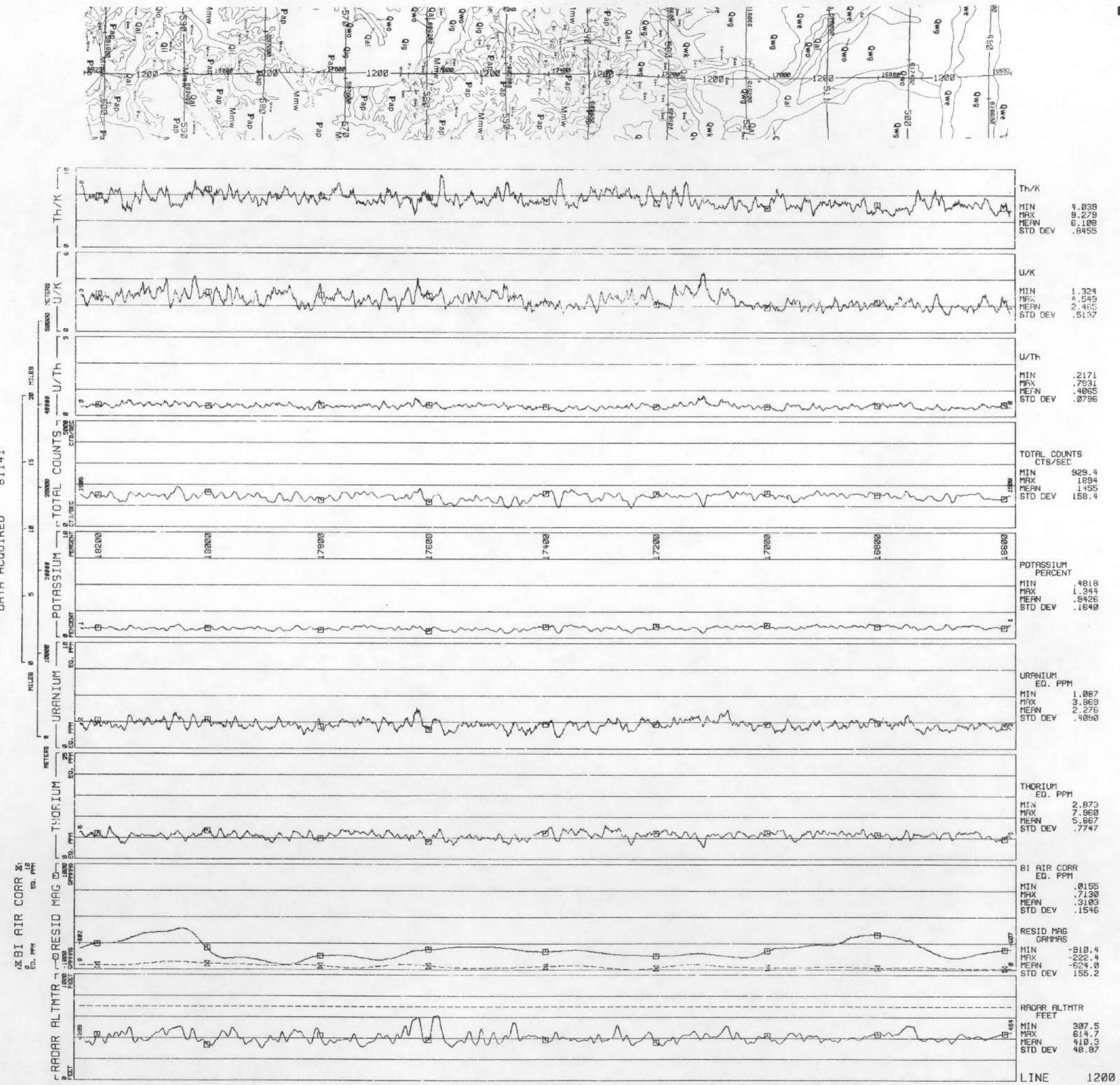
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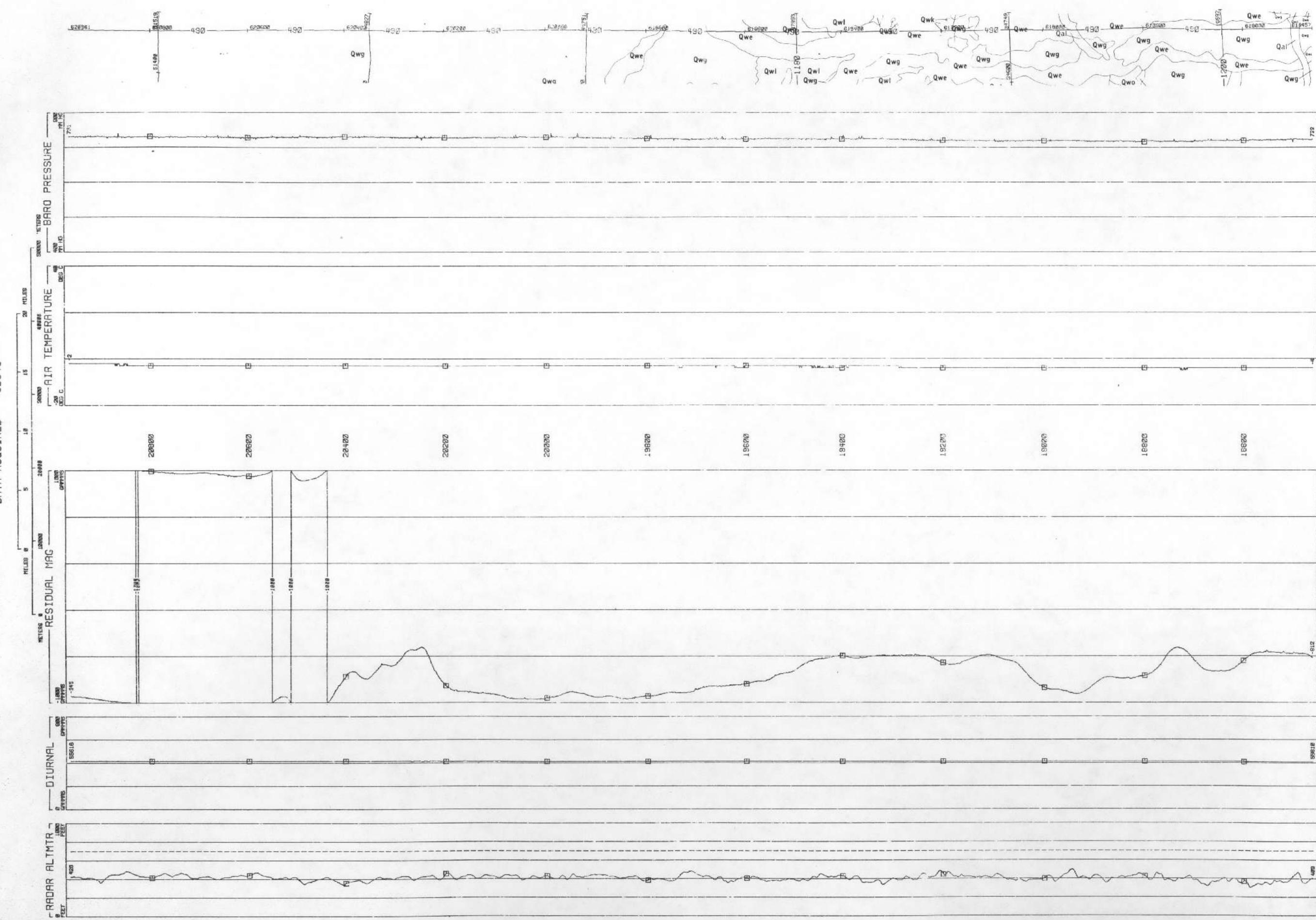
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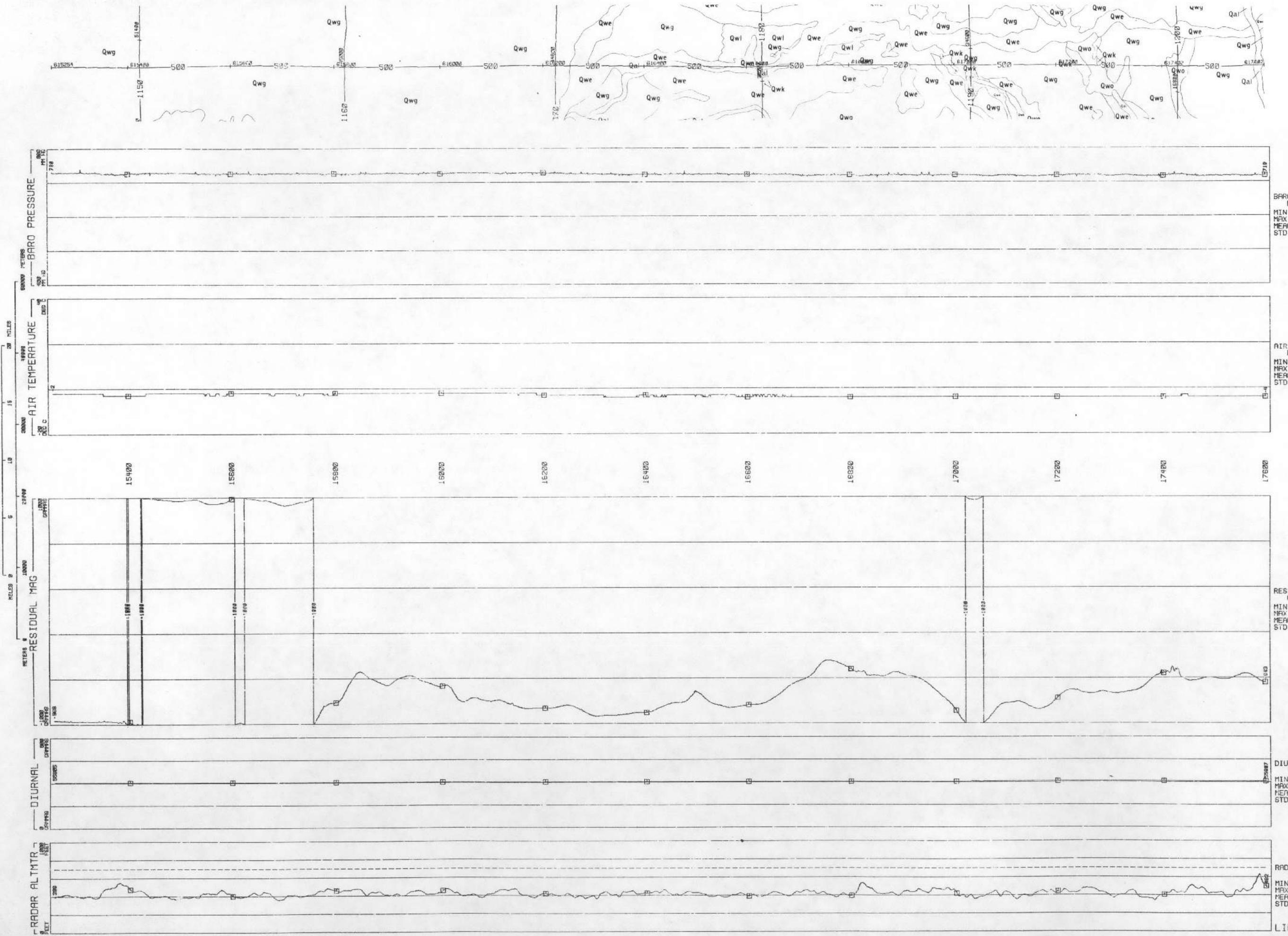




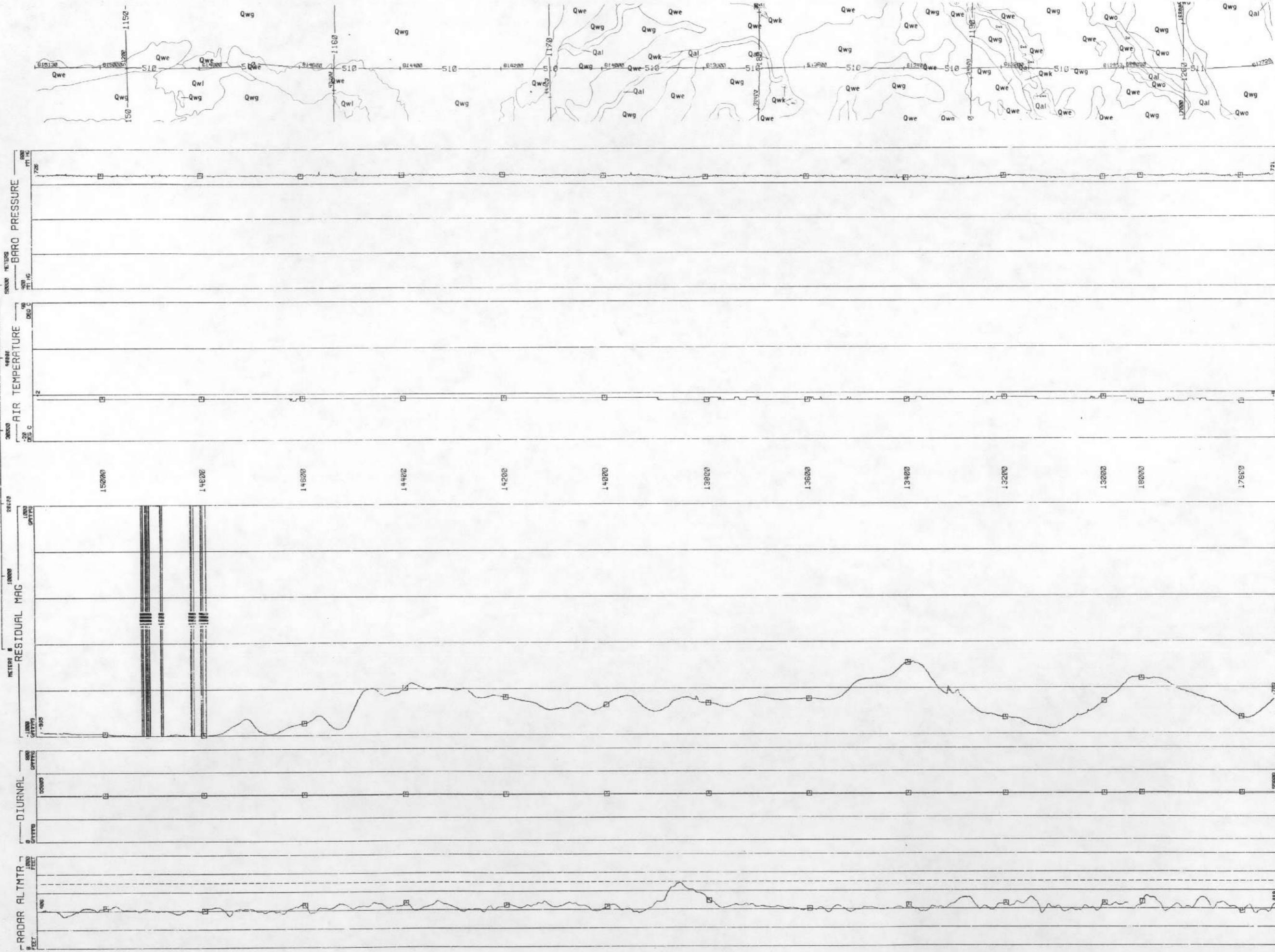
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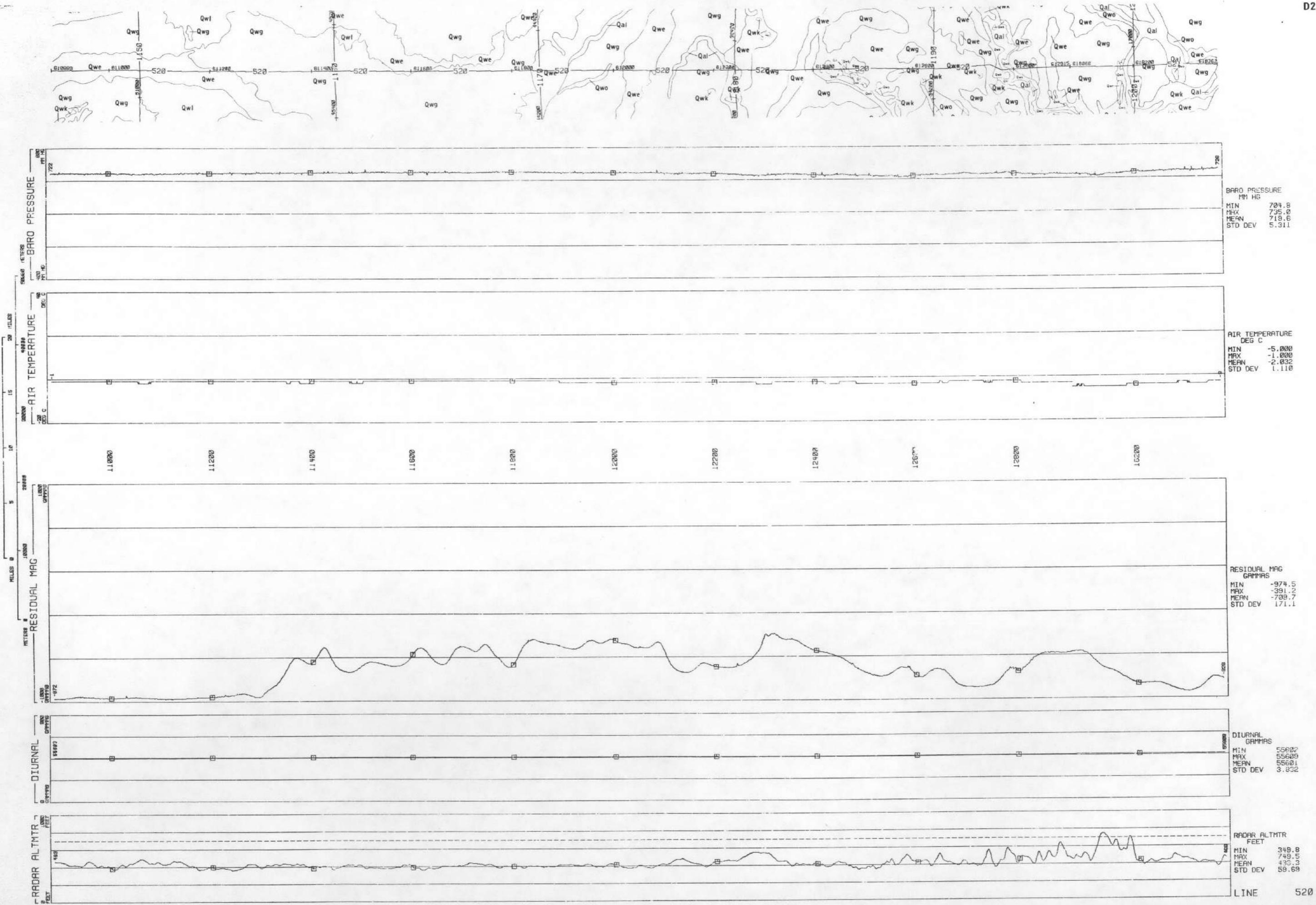
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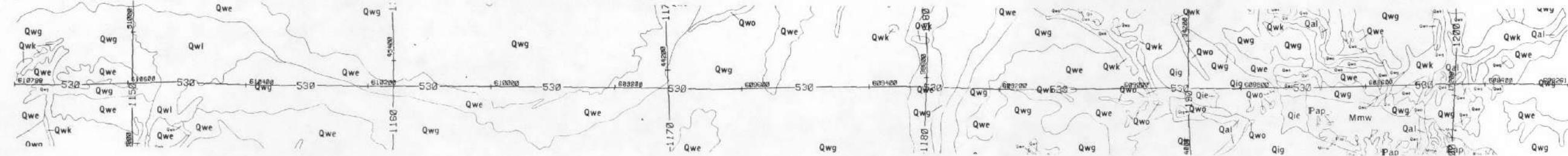
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NTMS NK 17-10



MARION LINE QUADRANGLE - 520 NTMS NK 17-10  
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LINE 530  
MARION QUADRANGLE - NTMS NK 17-10  
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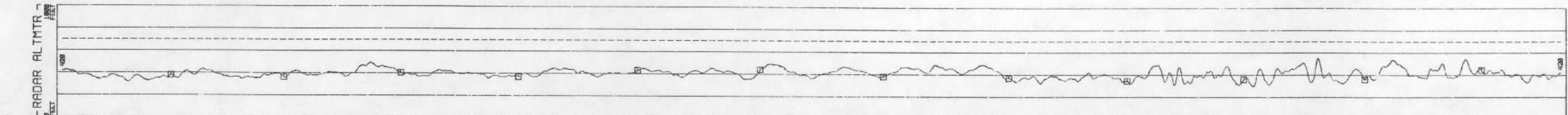
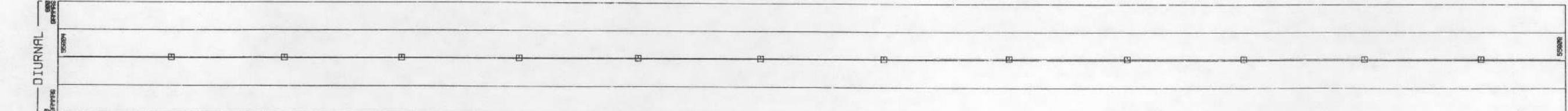
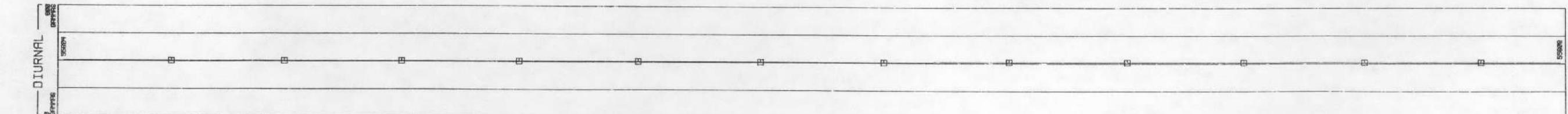
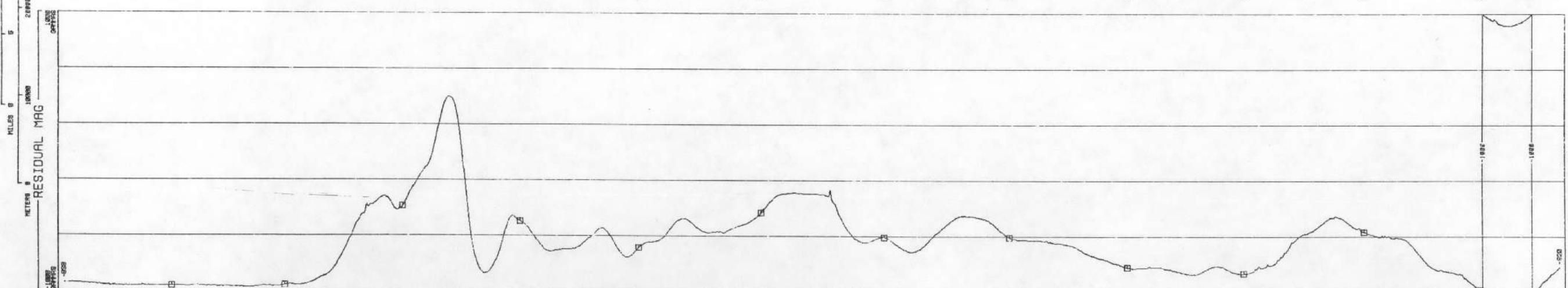
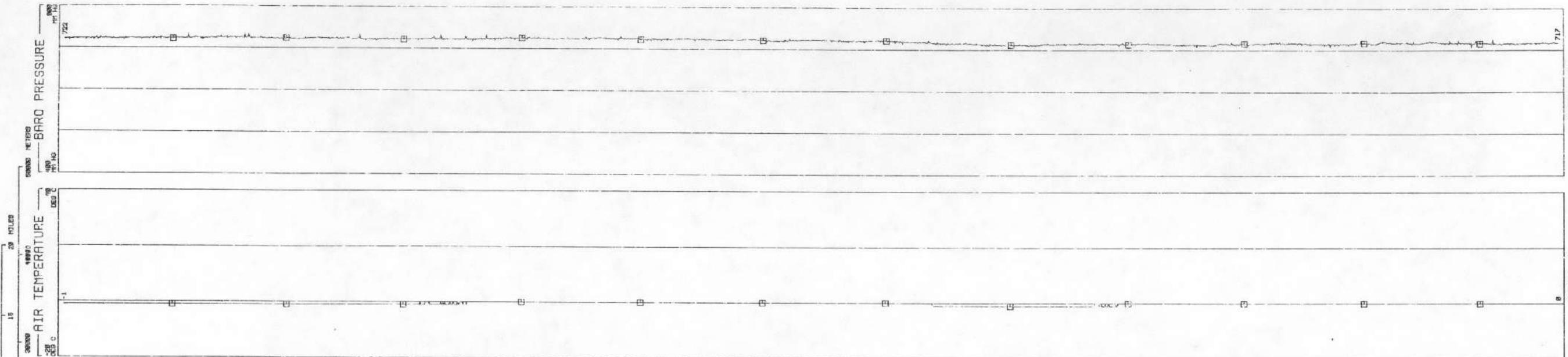
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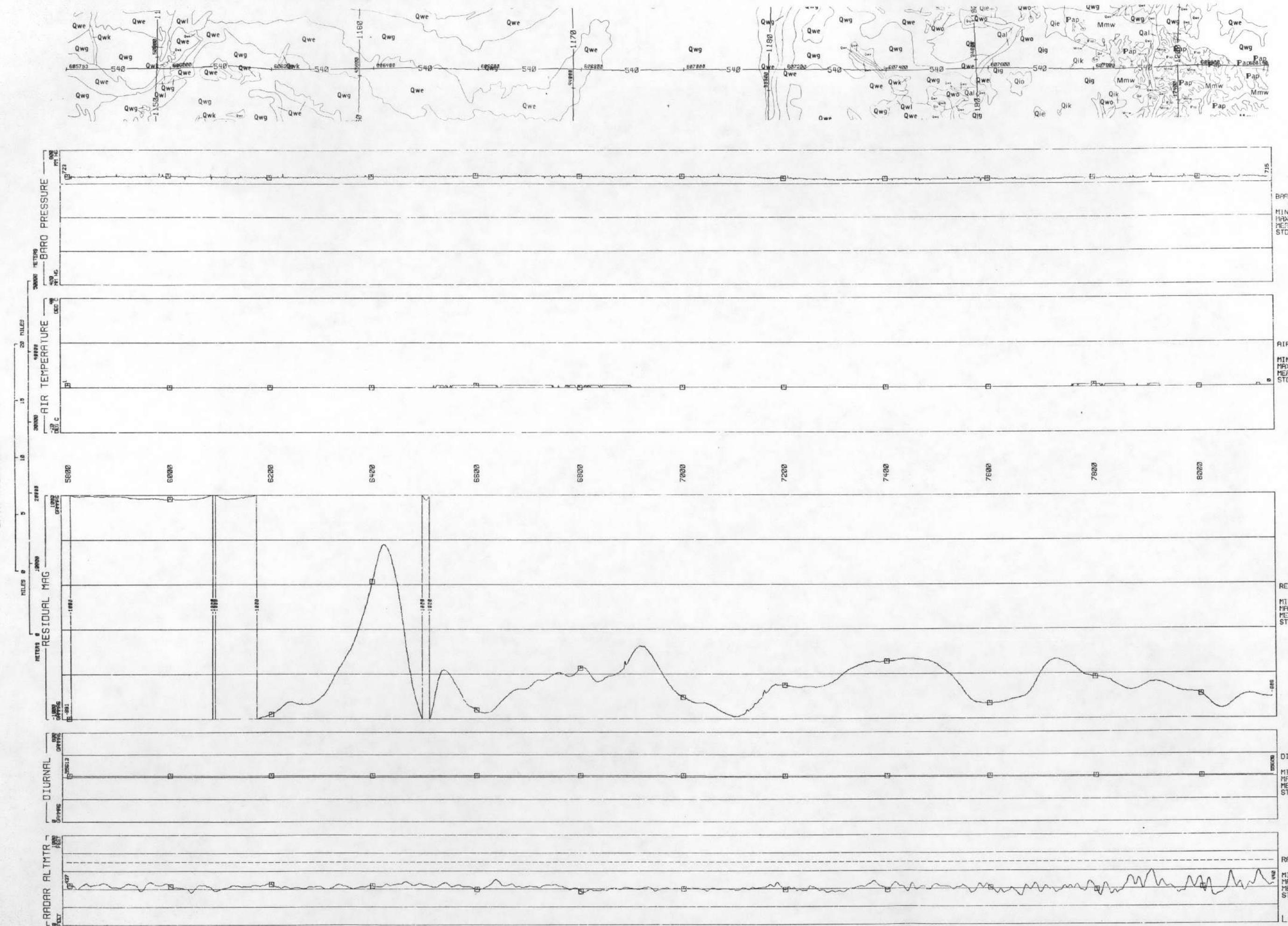
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540 NTMS NK 17-10

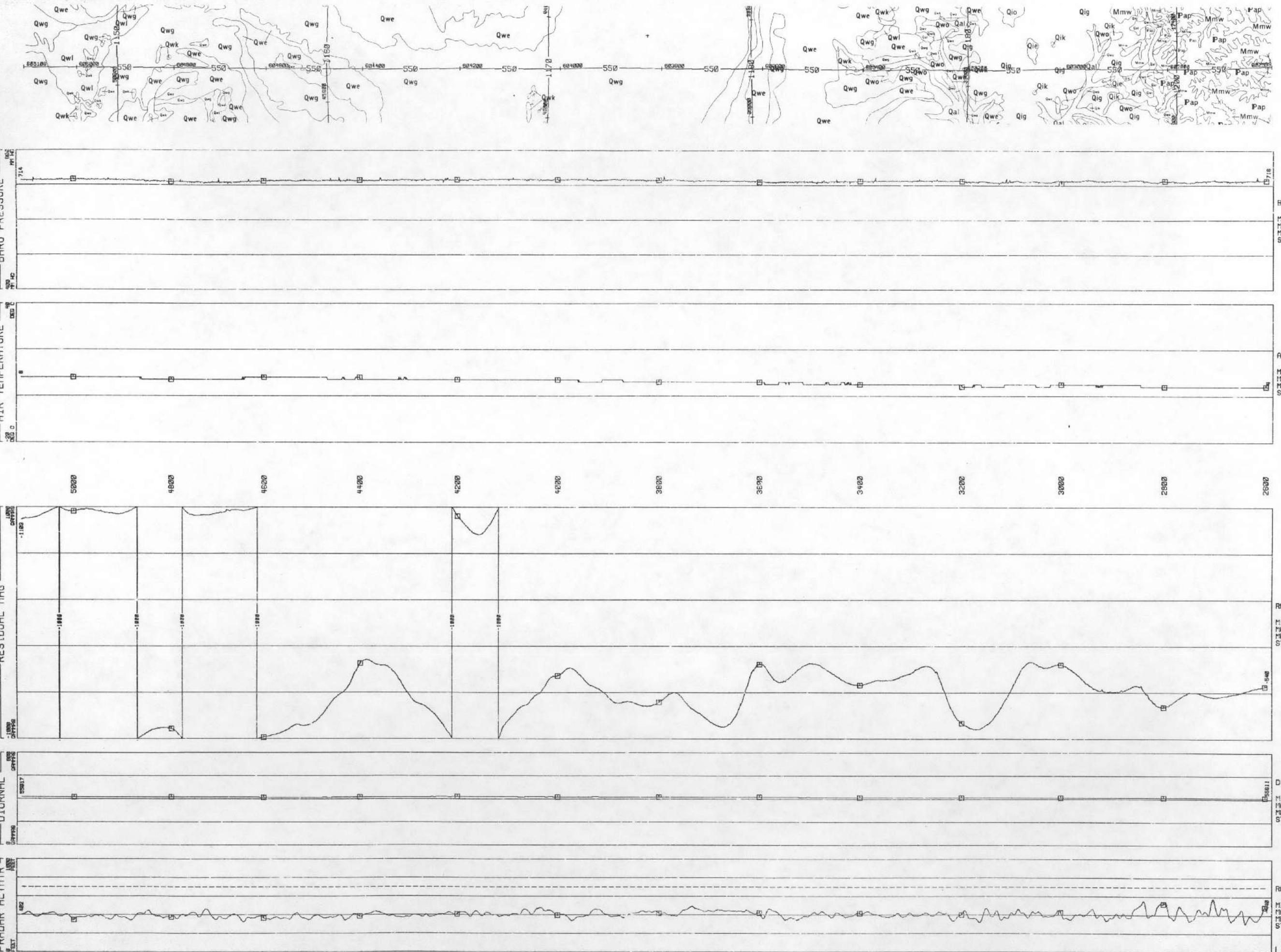
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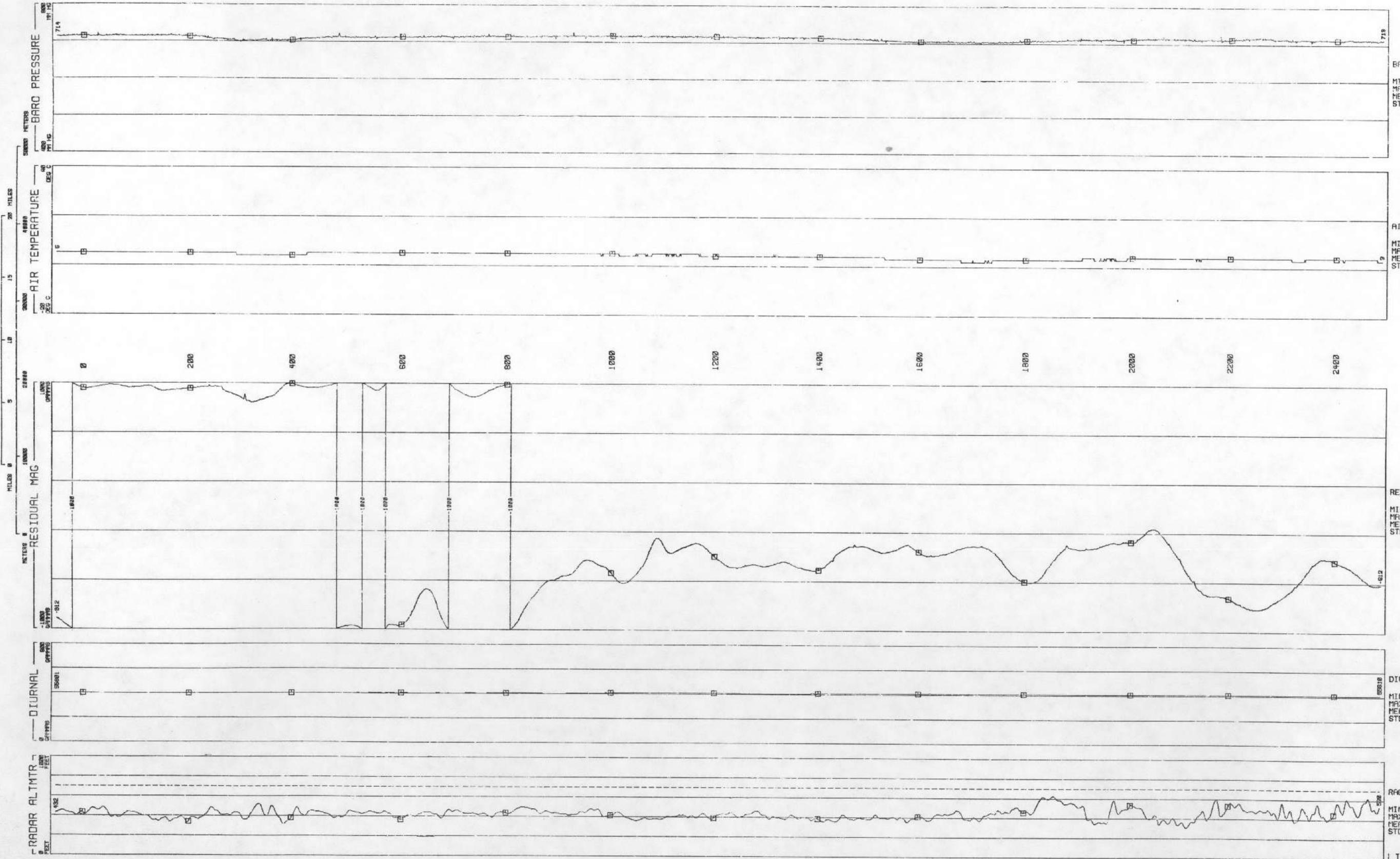
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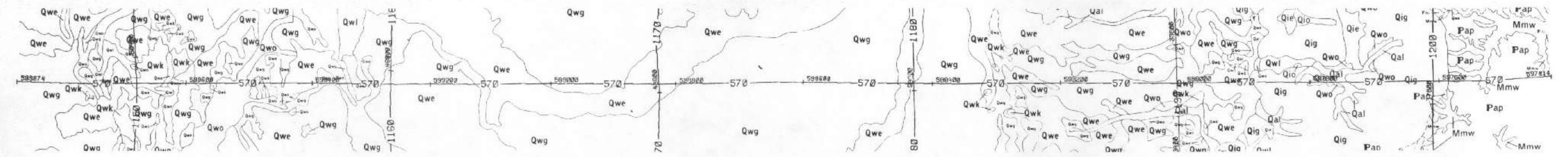
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LINE 570 - NTMS NK 17-10  
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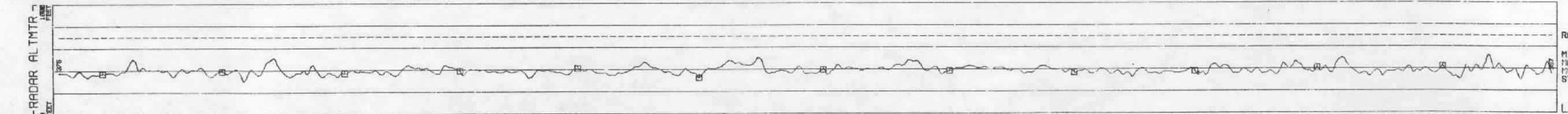
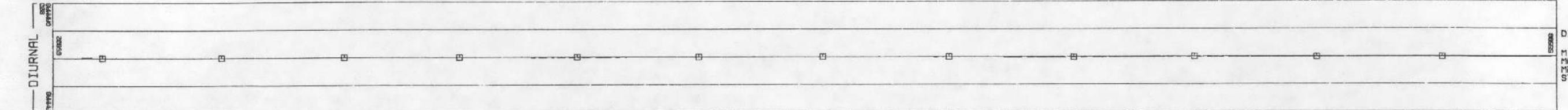
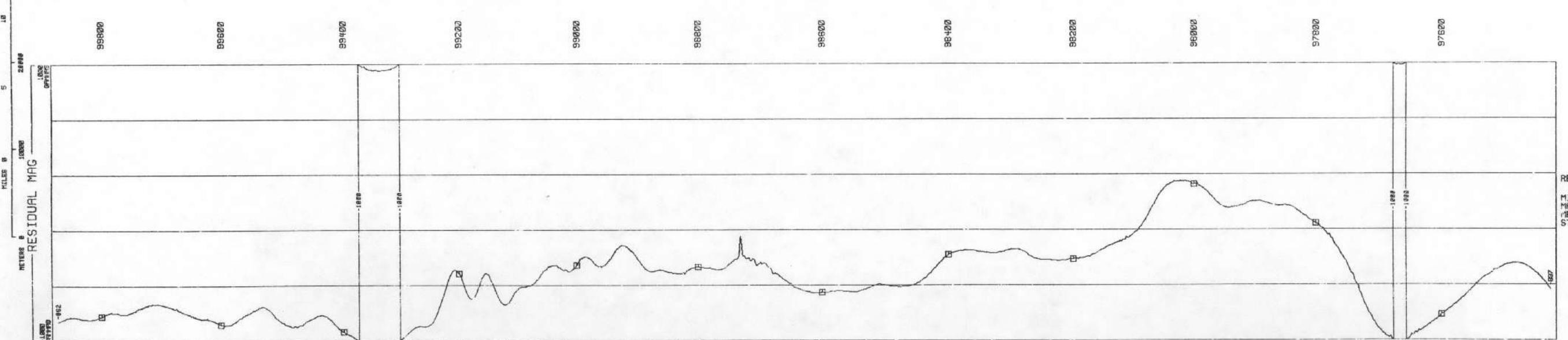
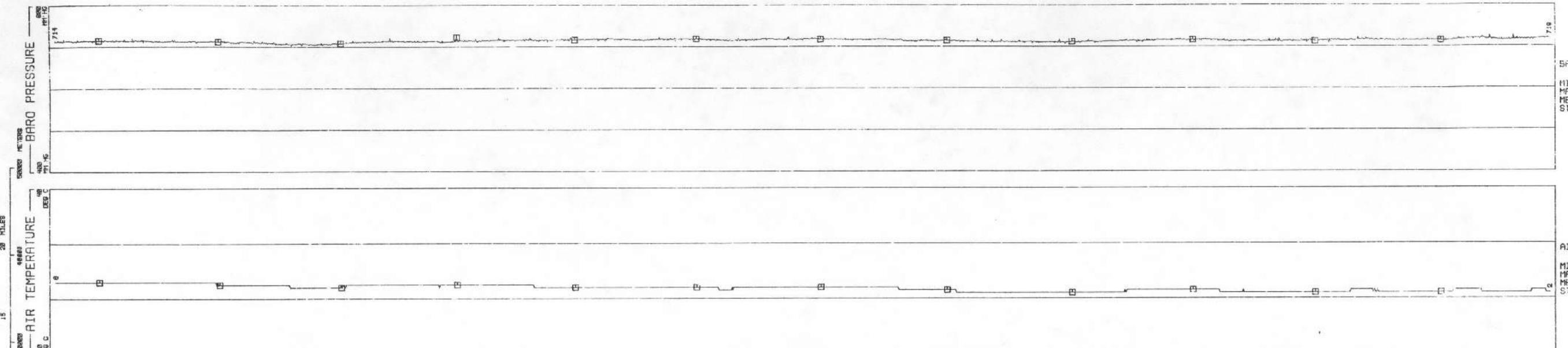
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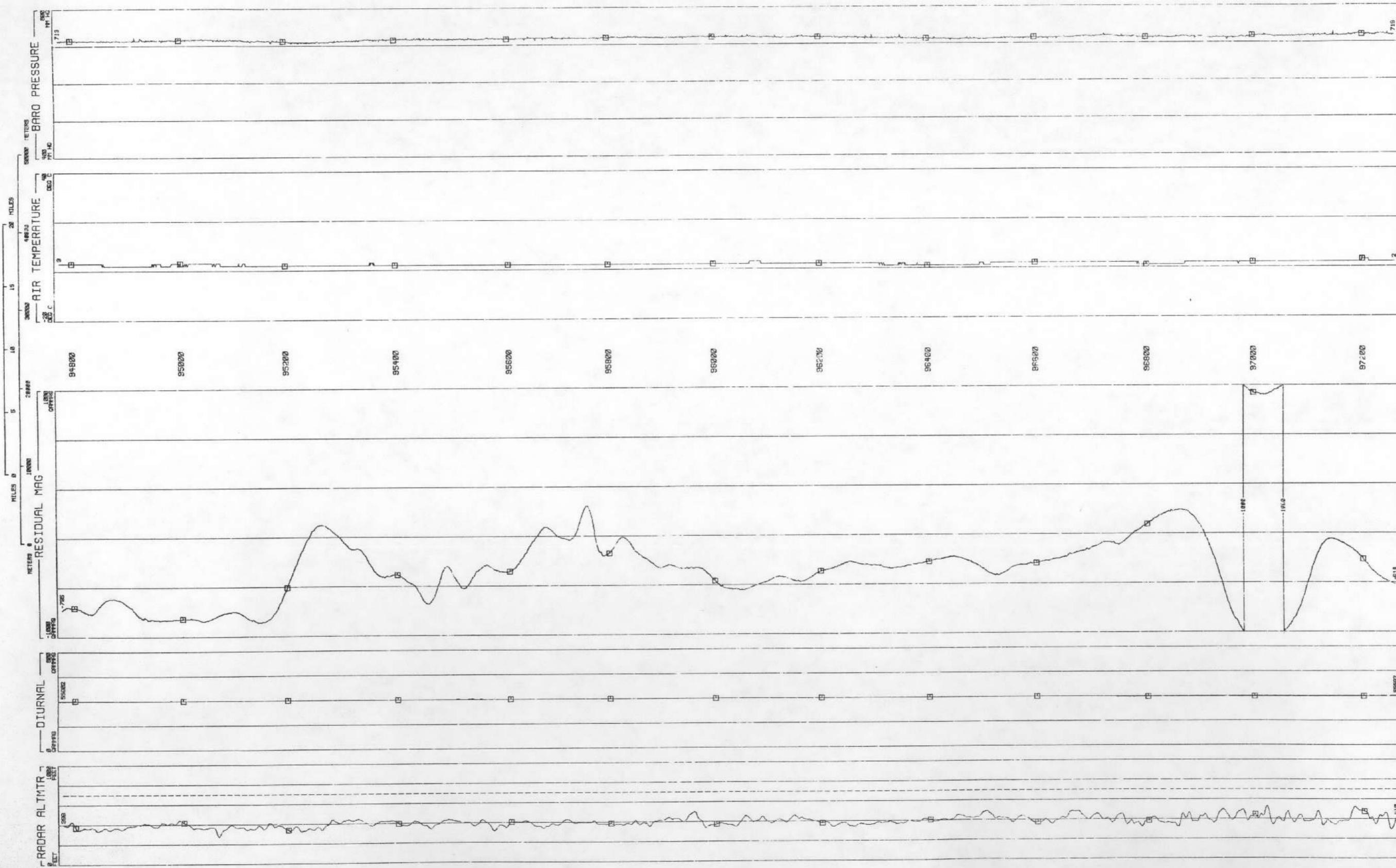
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LINE 570



LINE 580  
MARION QUADRANGLE -  
DATA ACQUIRED 80347 NK 17-10



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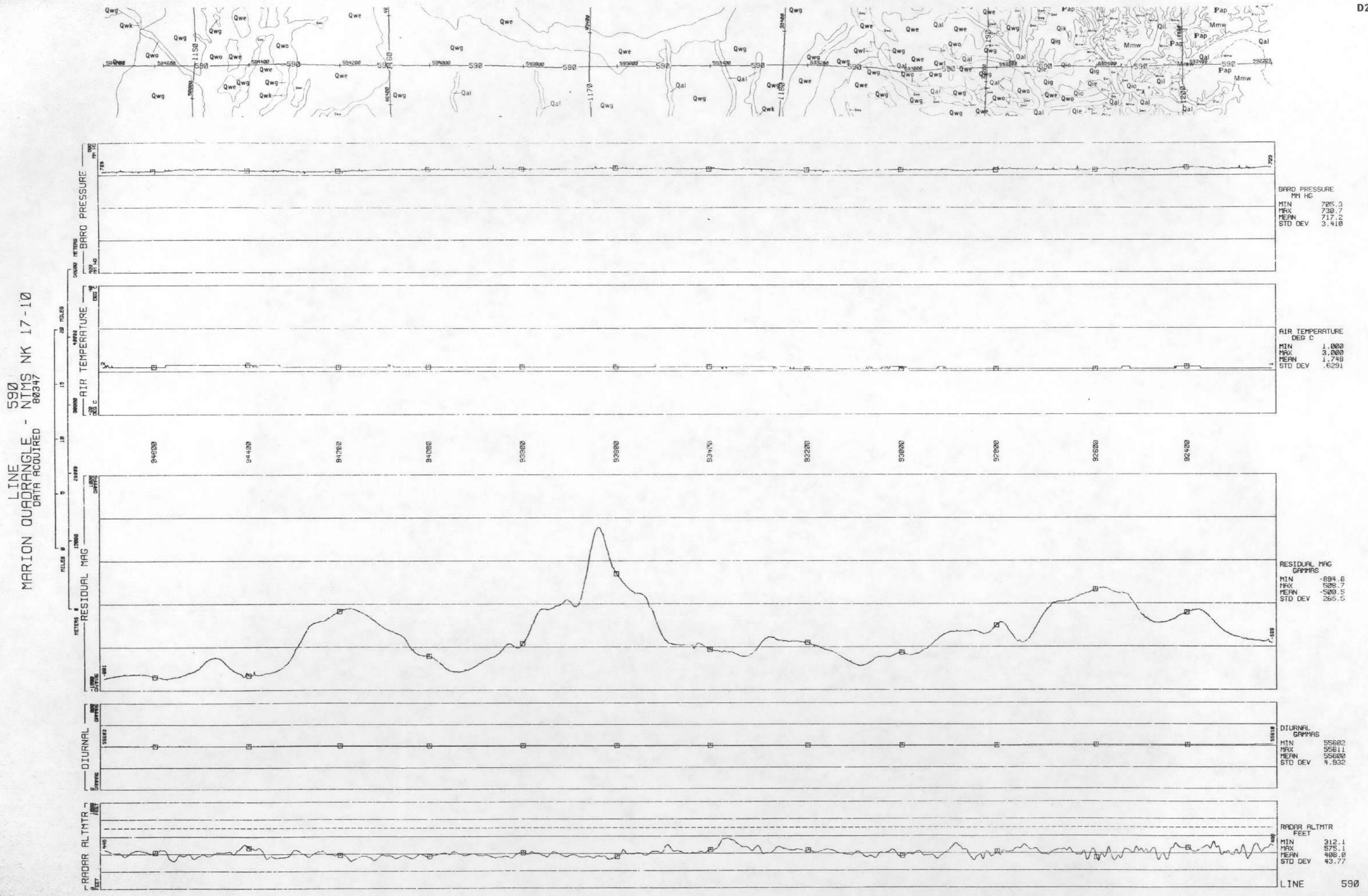
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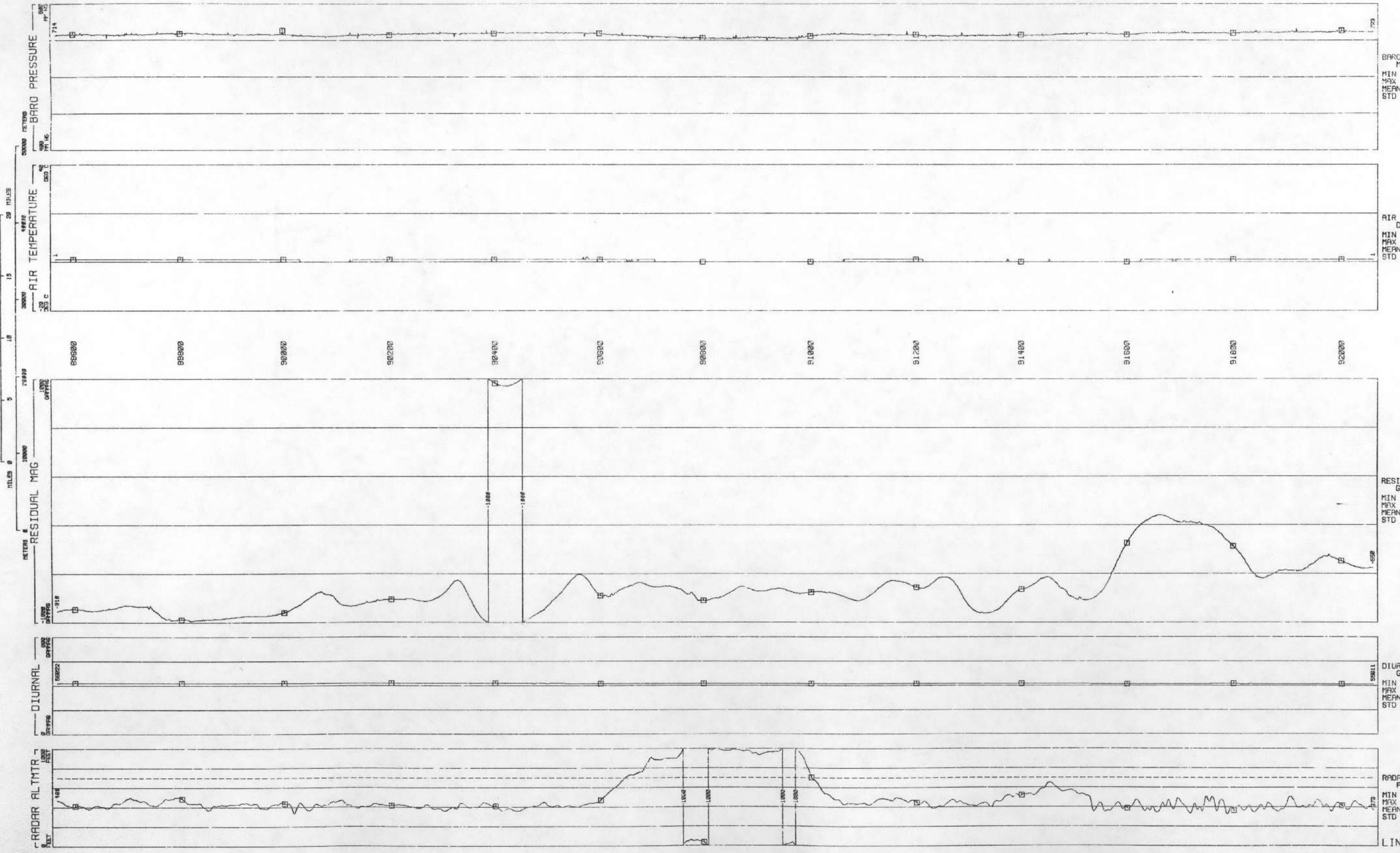
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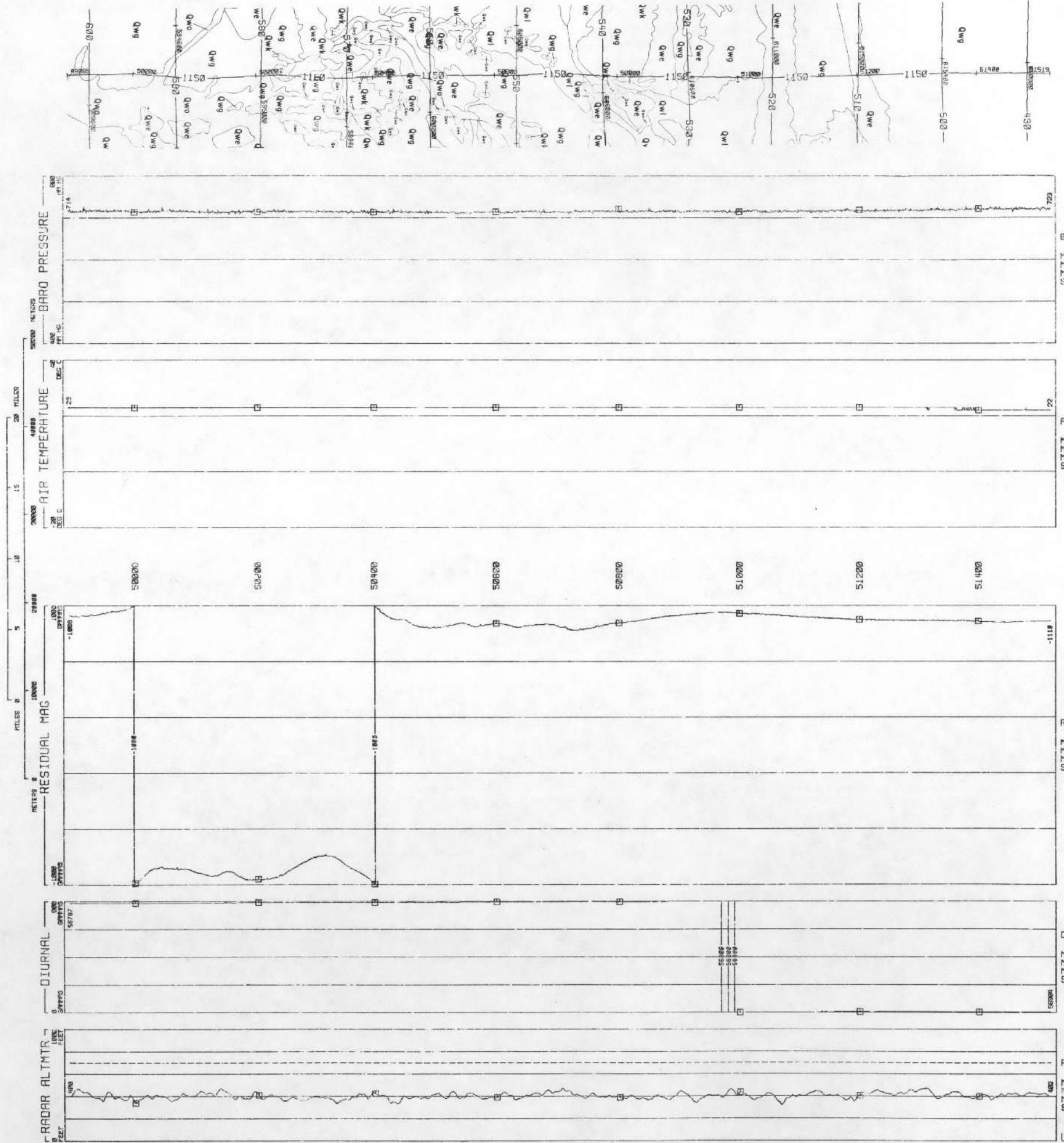
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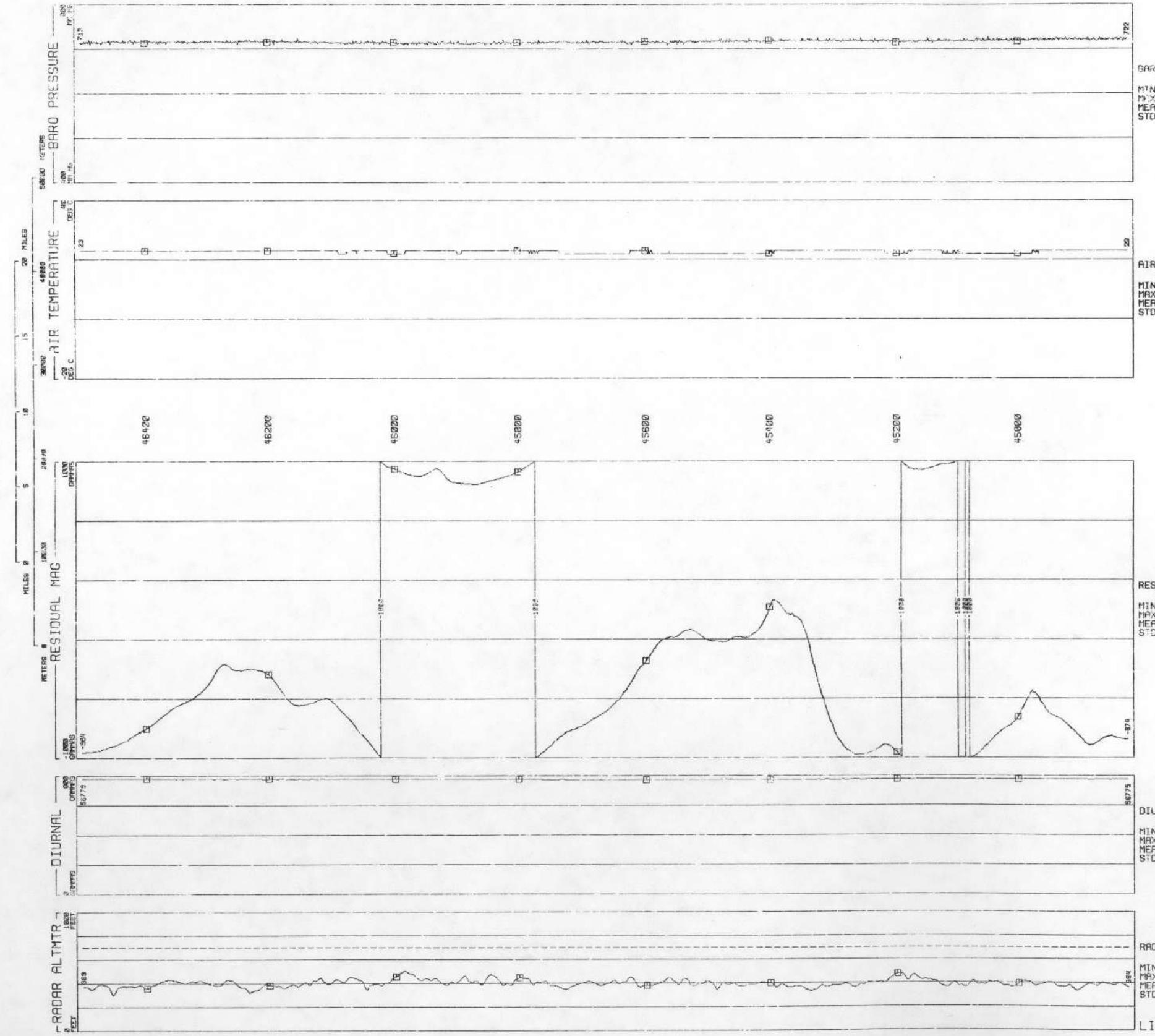
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DATA ACQUIRED



LINE 1150 NAMS NK 17-10  
MARION QUADRANGLE - DATA ACQUIRED 81143



MARION QUADRANGLE - LINE 1160 NTMS NK 17-10  
DATA ACQUIRED 81143



BARO PRESSURE  
MM HG

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MAX	722.7
MEAN	716.3
STD DEV	2.975

AIR TEMPERATURE  
DEG C

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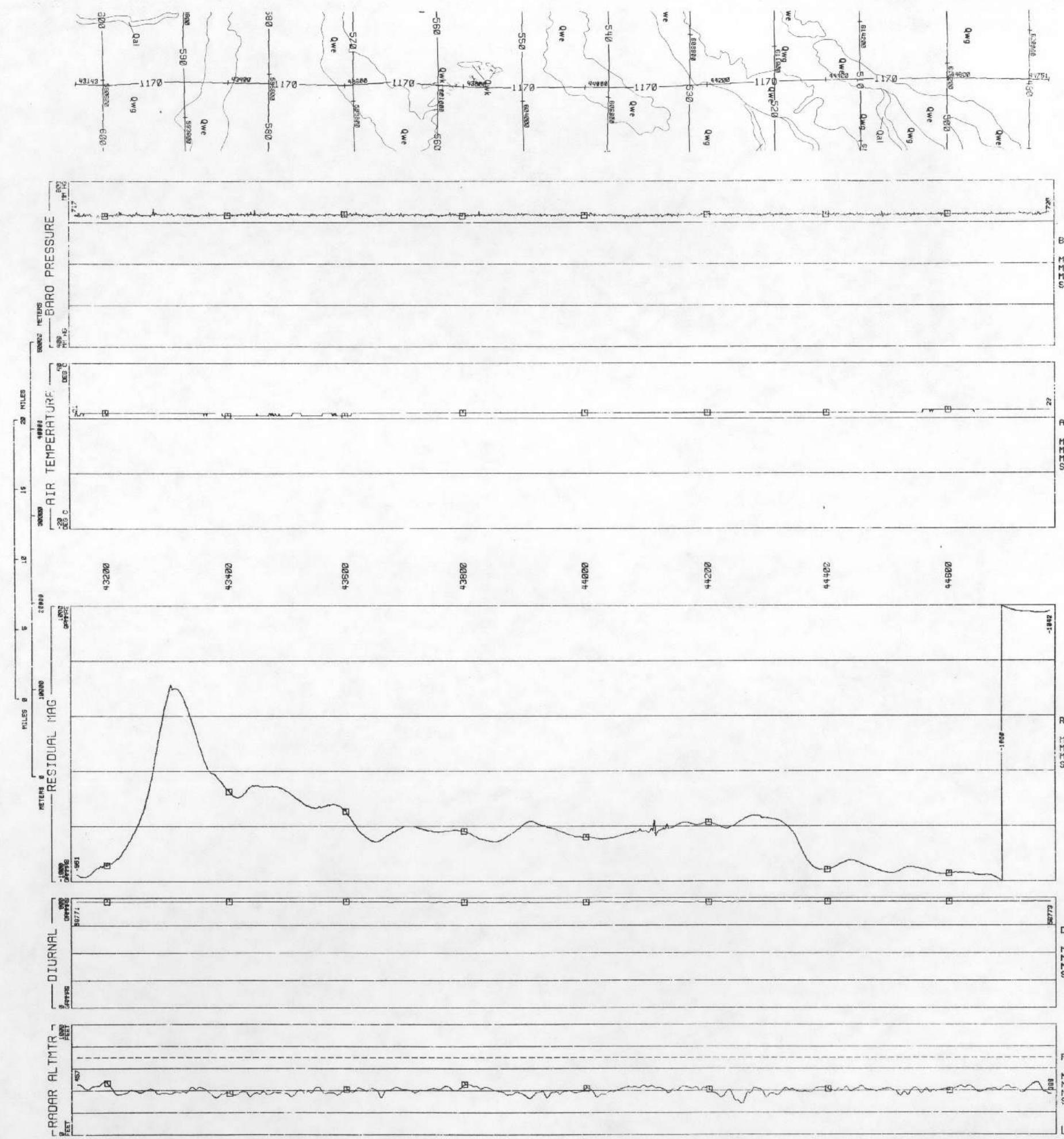
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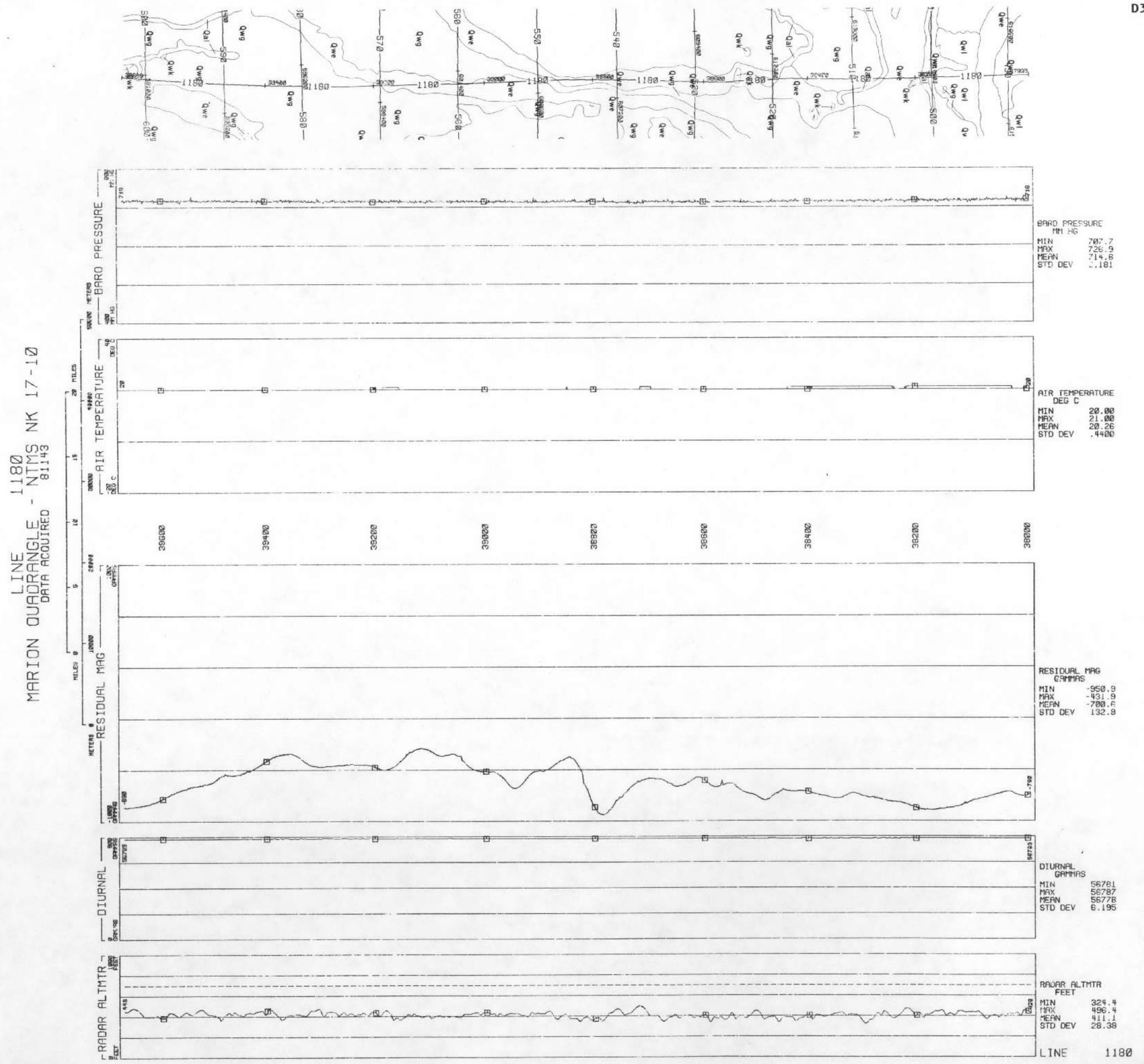
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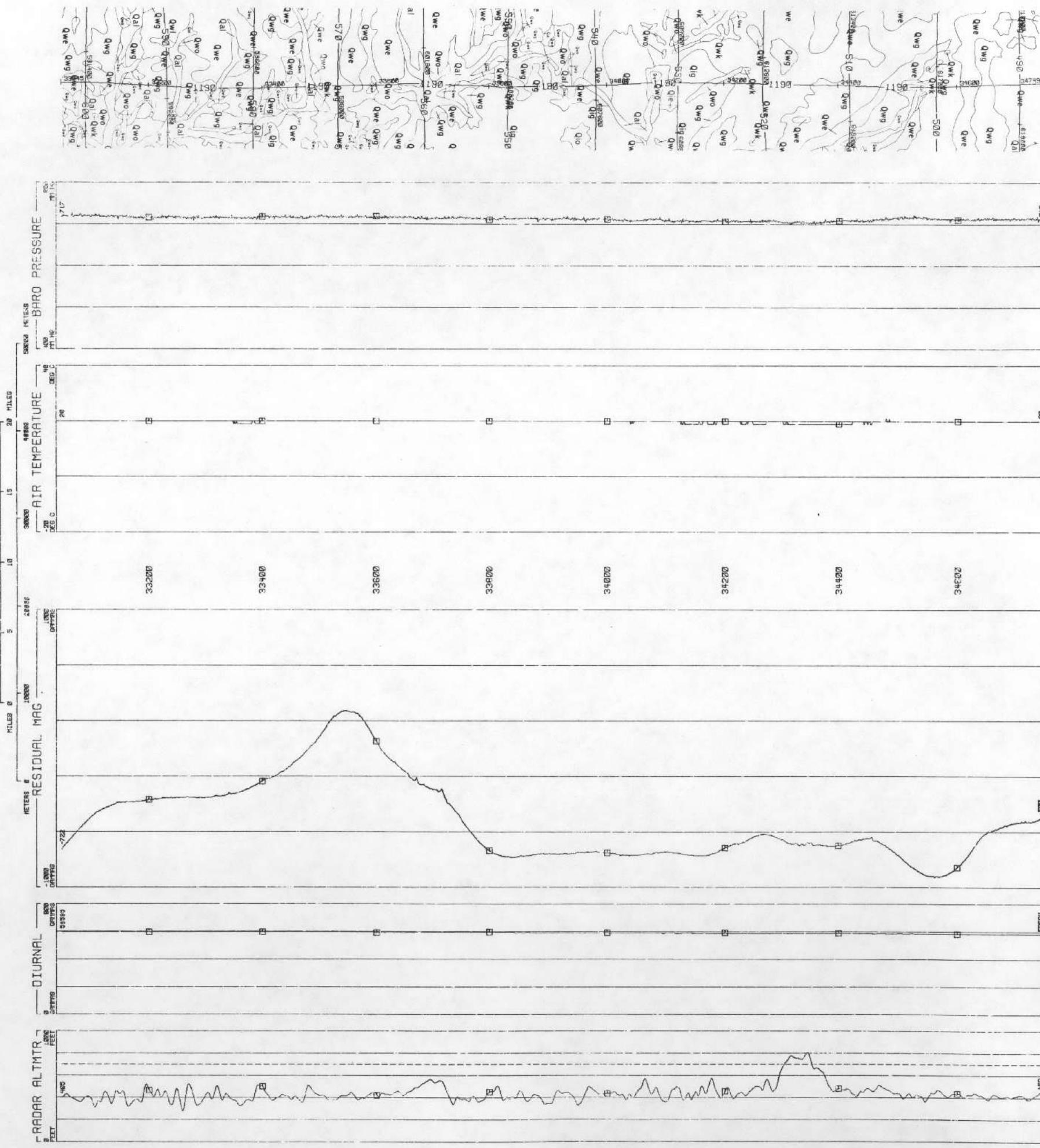
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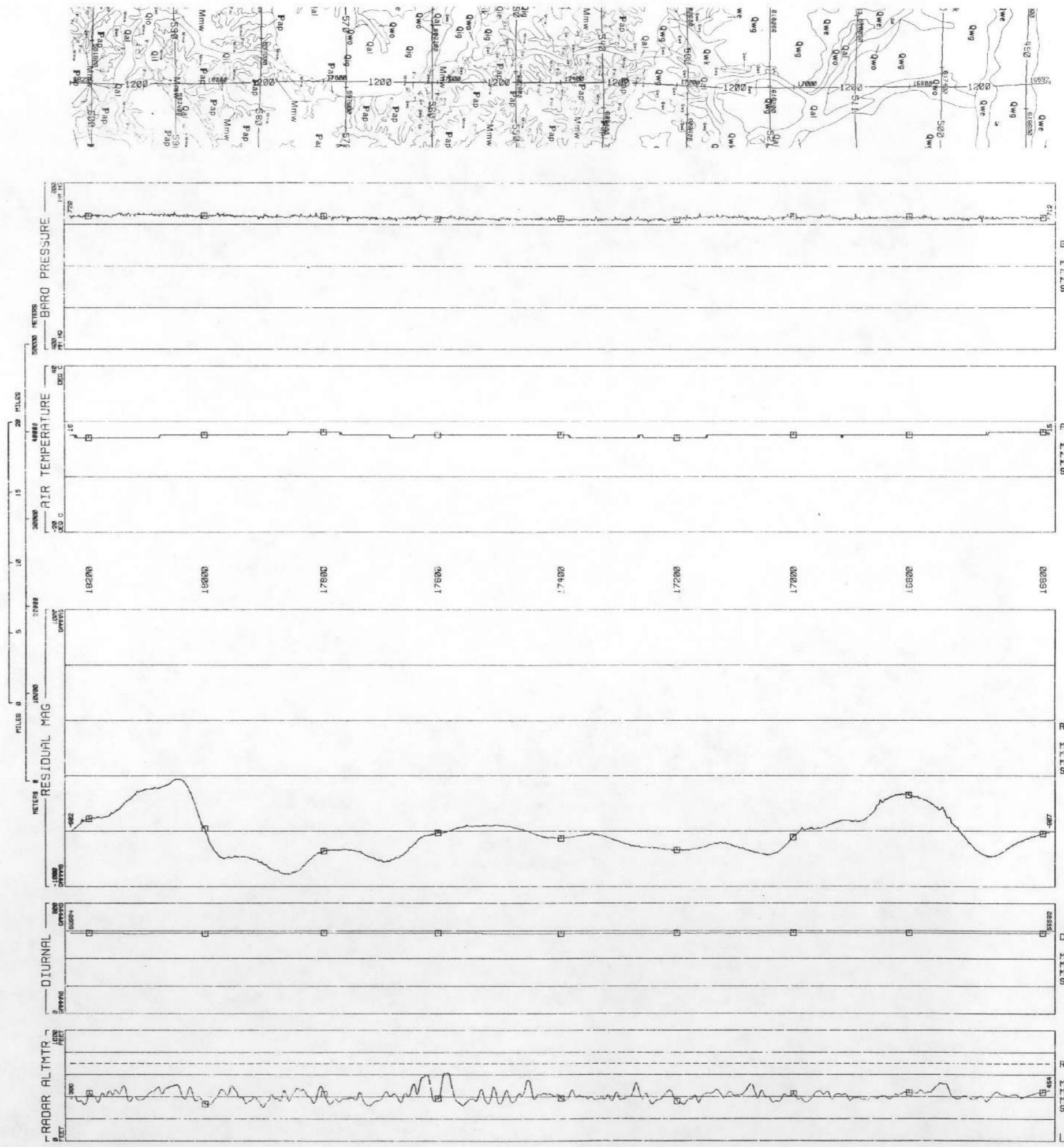
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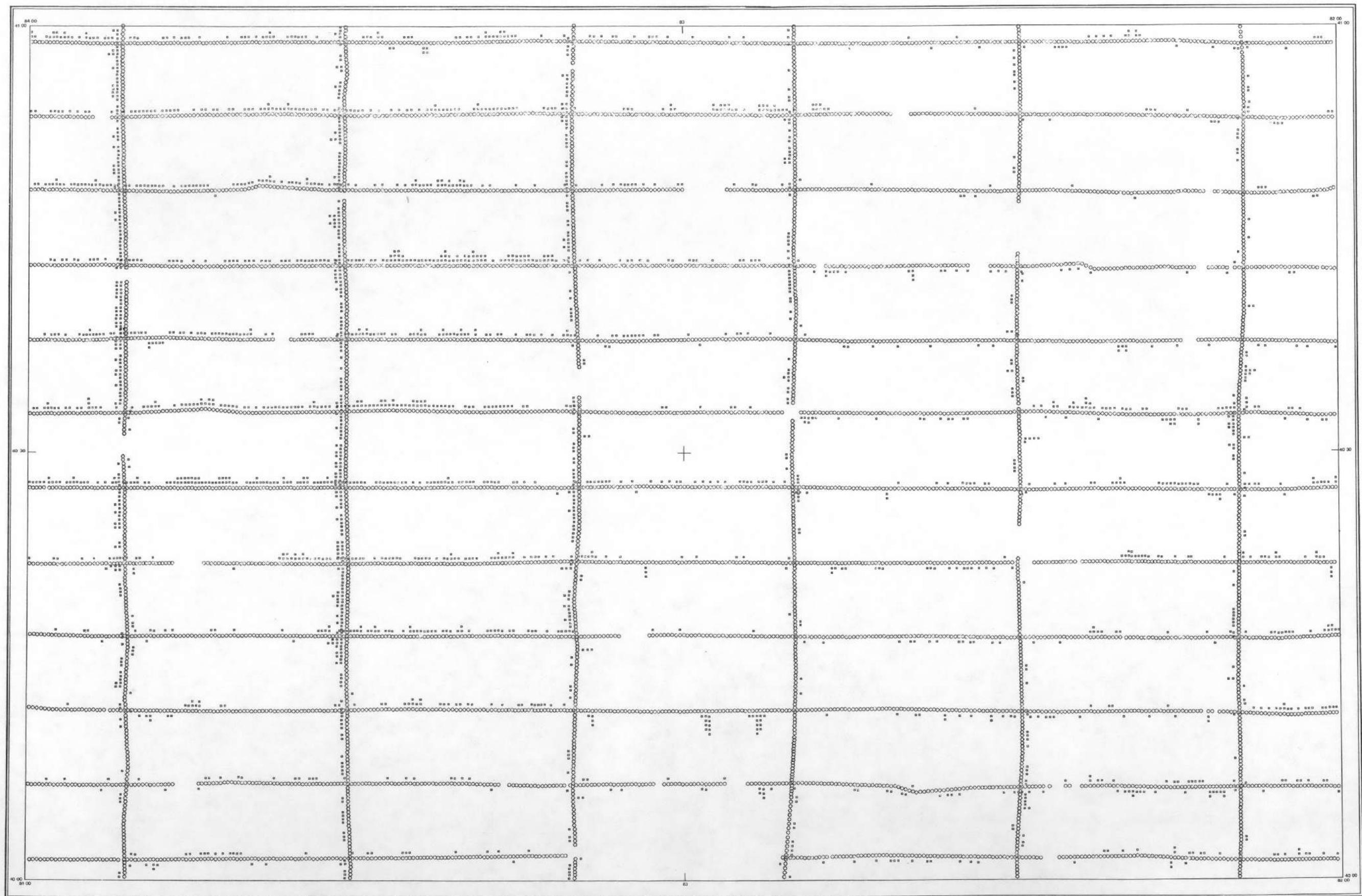
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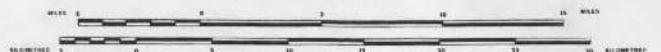
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**APPENDIX E – Standard Deviation Maps**

## MARION



SCALE 1:500,000



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 \* - 1.0 ABOUT MEASURE OF CENTRAL TENDENCY  
 NOTE: ON E-W LINES, ↑ TO NORTH, ↓ TO SOUTH.  
 ON N-S LINES, ← TO WEST, → TO EAST.



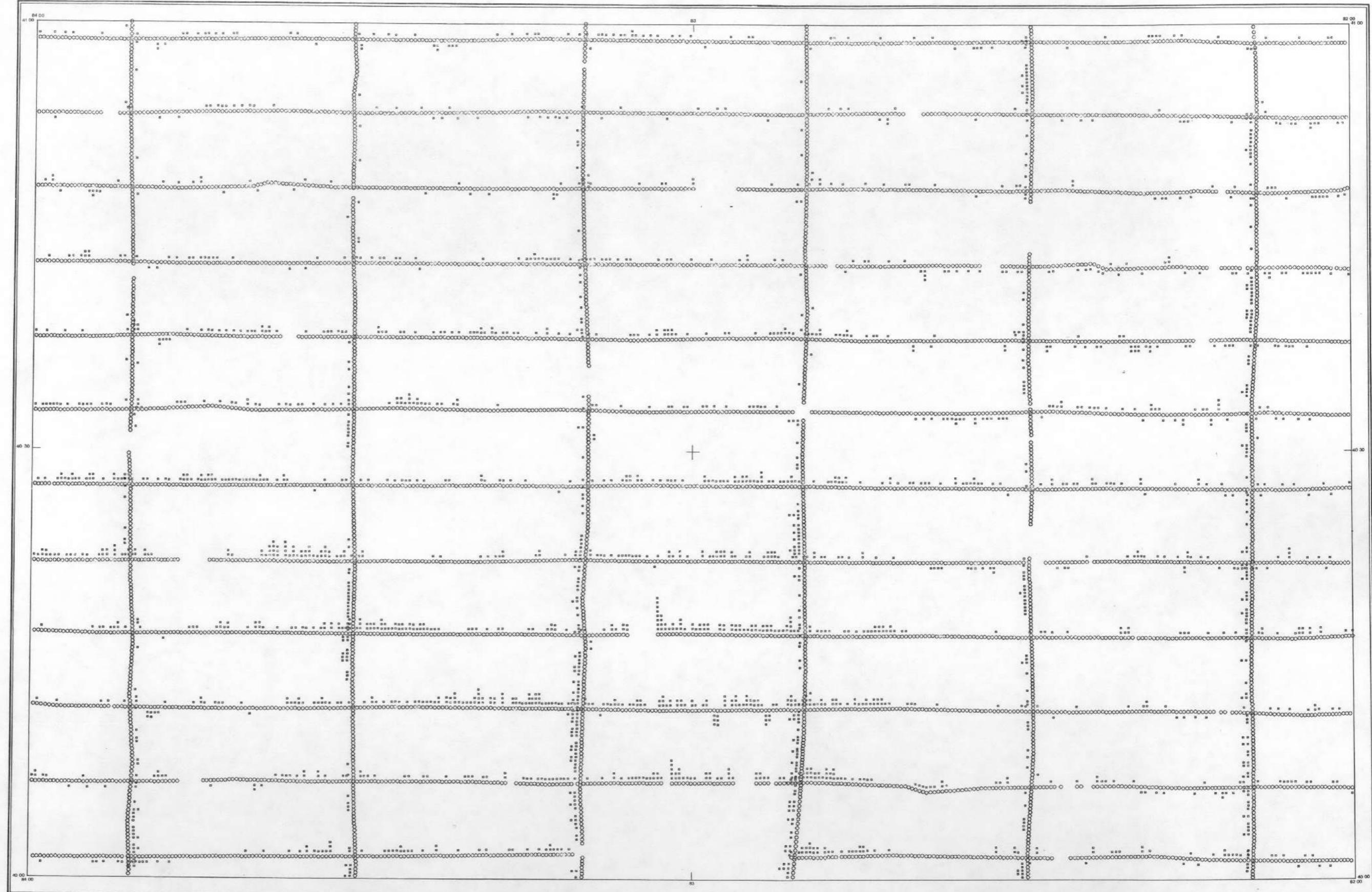
POTASSIUM STANDARD DEVIATION MAP

SURVEY AND  
COMPILE BY:**EG&G GEOMETRICS**

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MARION



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COMPILEATION

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 # - 1 Ⓛ ABOUT MEASURE OF CENTRAL TENDENCY

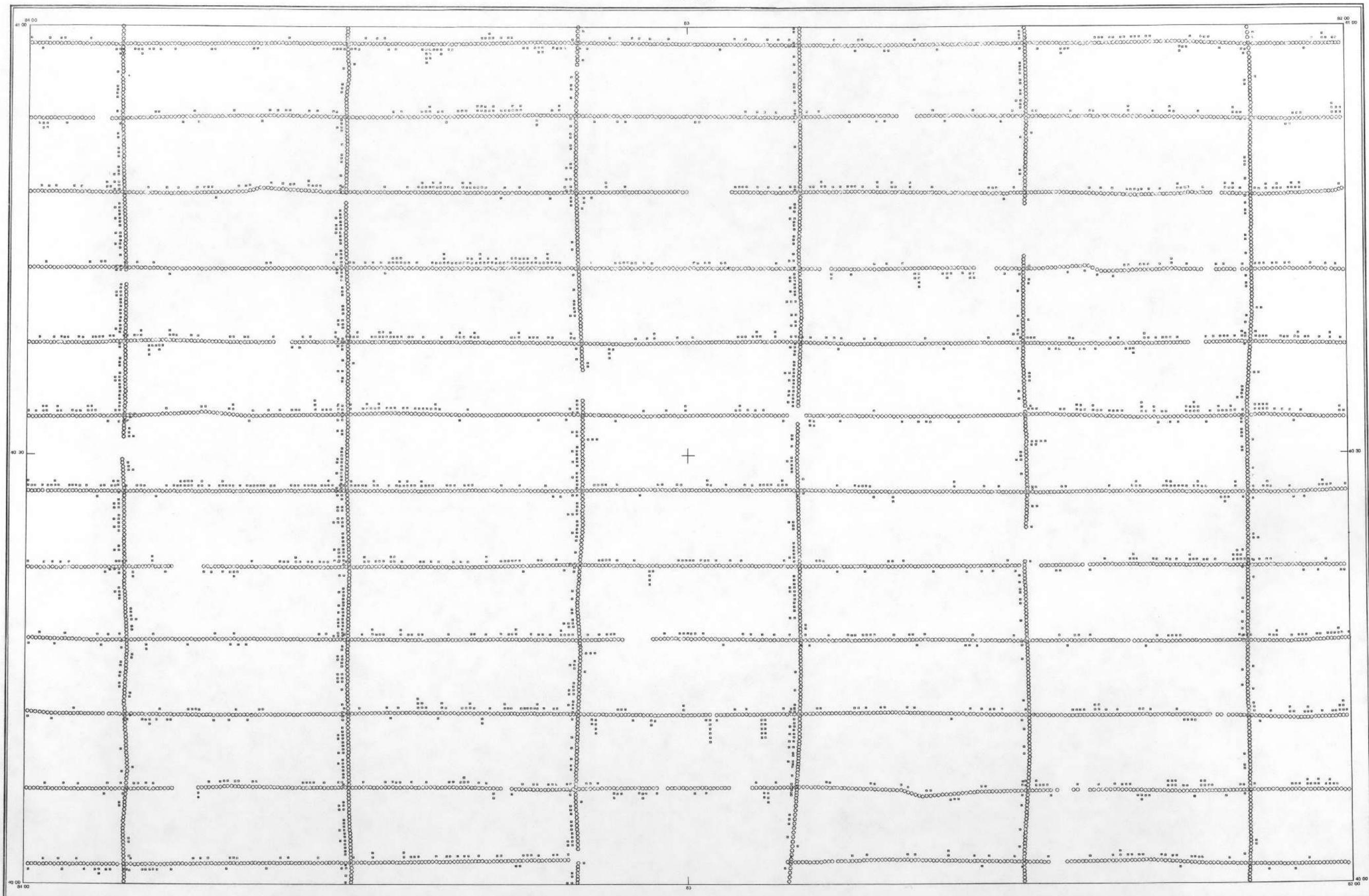
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**URANIUM STANDARD DEVIATION MAP**

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SCALE 1:500,000

MILES 1 2 3 10 15 MILES

O - DATA STATISTICALLY ADEQUATE  
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 \* - 1 σ ABOUT MEASURE OF CENTRAL TENDENCY  
 NOTE: ON E-W LINES, +σ TO NORTH, -σ TO SOUTH  
 ON N-S LINES, +σ TO WEST, -σ TO EAST

This diagram illustrates the U.S. Post Office route network from Chicago to New York City. The main route follows the Illinois Central Railroad line through Indiana, Ohio, and New York. Major connecting routes include the Michigan Central line to Detroit, the Pere Marquette line to Muskegon, and the New York Central line along the Erie Canal. Other routes branch off to cities like Toledo, Cleveland, and Buffalo. The map also shows the Great Lakes and the St. Lawrence Seaway connection to the Atlantic Ocean.

**THORIUM STANDARD DEVIATION MAP**

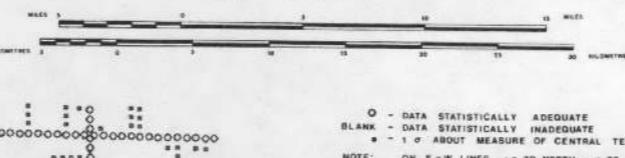
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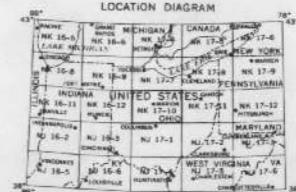
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■ - 1 σ ABOUT MEASURE OF CENTRAL TENDENCY  
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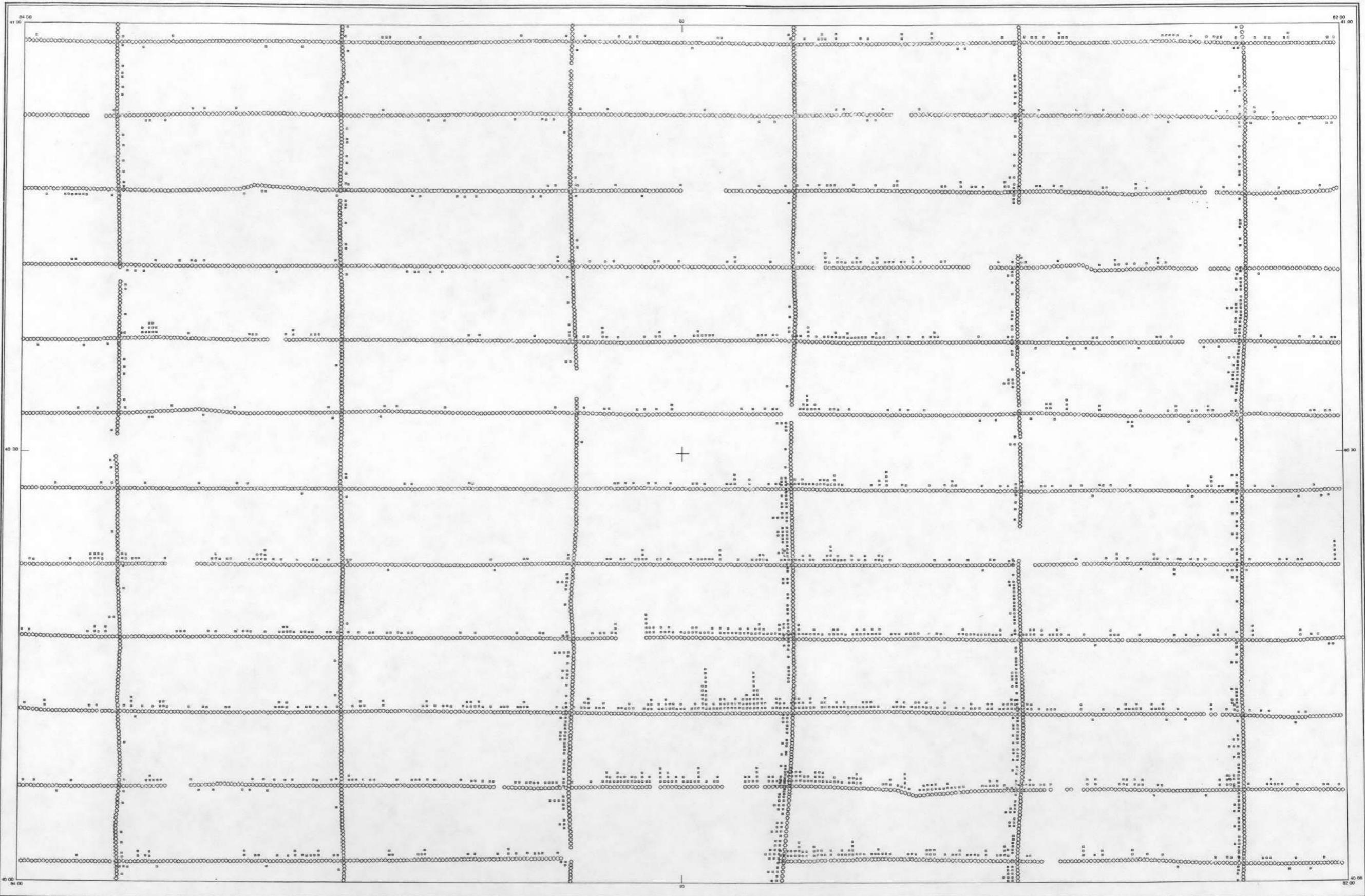


THORIUM / POTASSIUM STANDARD DEVIATION MAP

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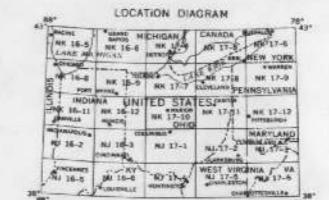
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NOTE: ON E-W LINES, +0 TO NORTH, -0

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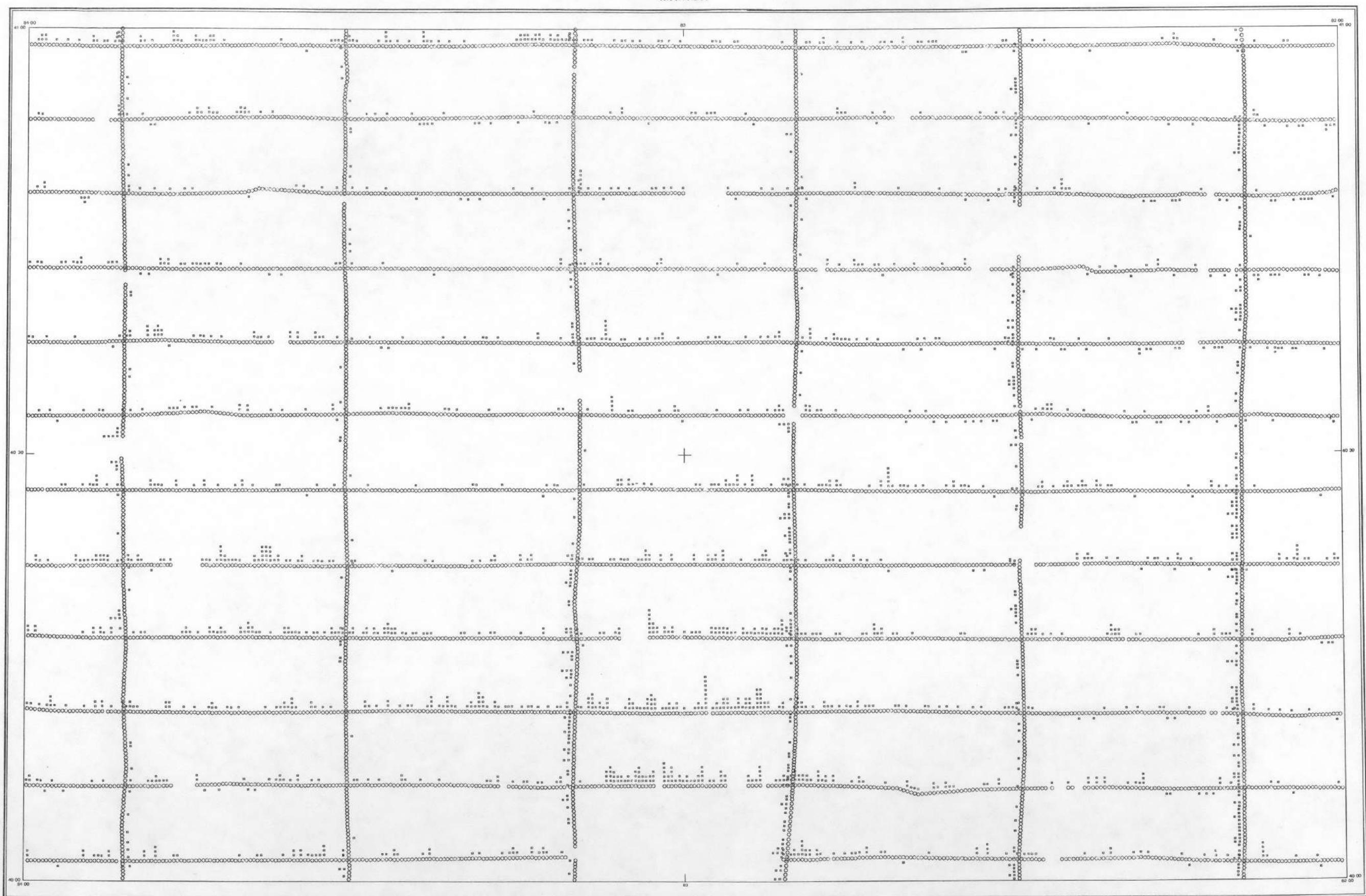


## URANIUM / POTASSIUM STANDARD DEVIATION MAP

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+/- ABOUT MEASURE OF CENTRAL TENDENCY  
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**APPENDIX F – Histograms and Map Unit Conversion  
Table**

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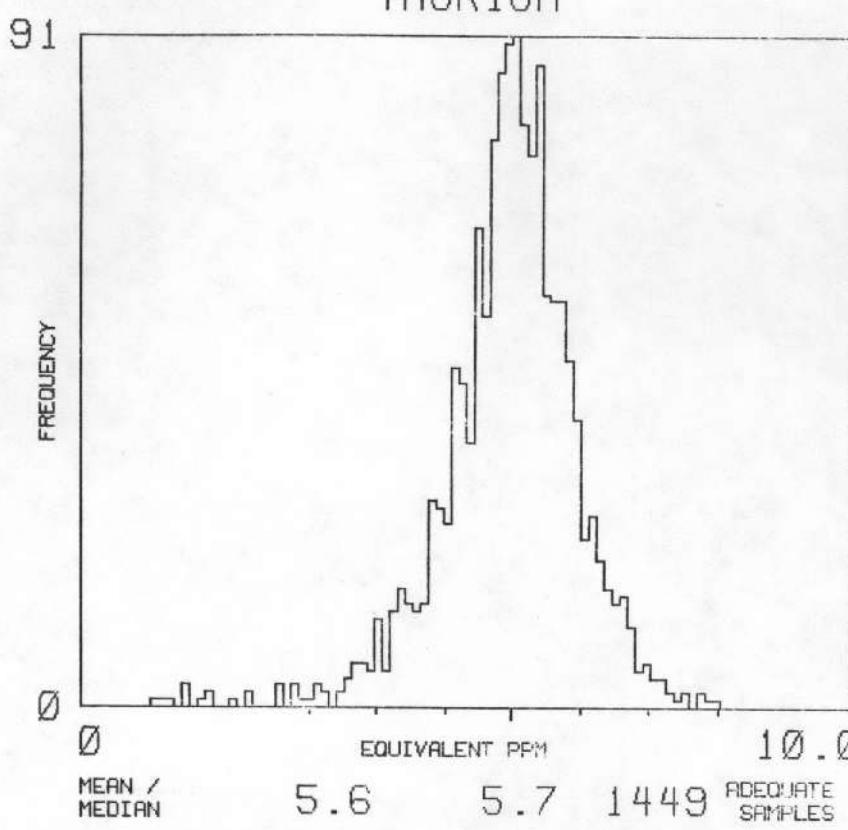
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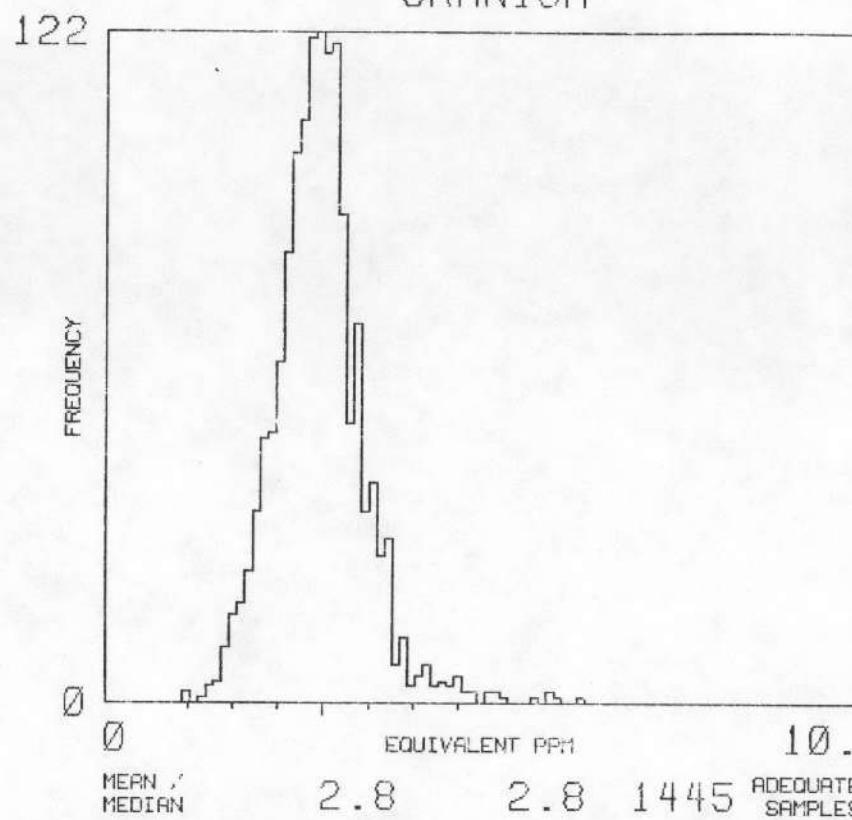
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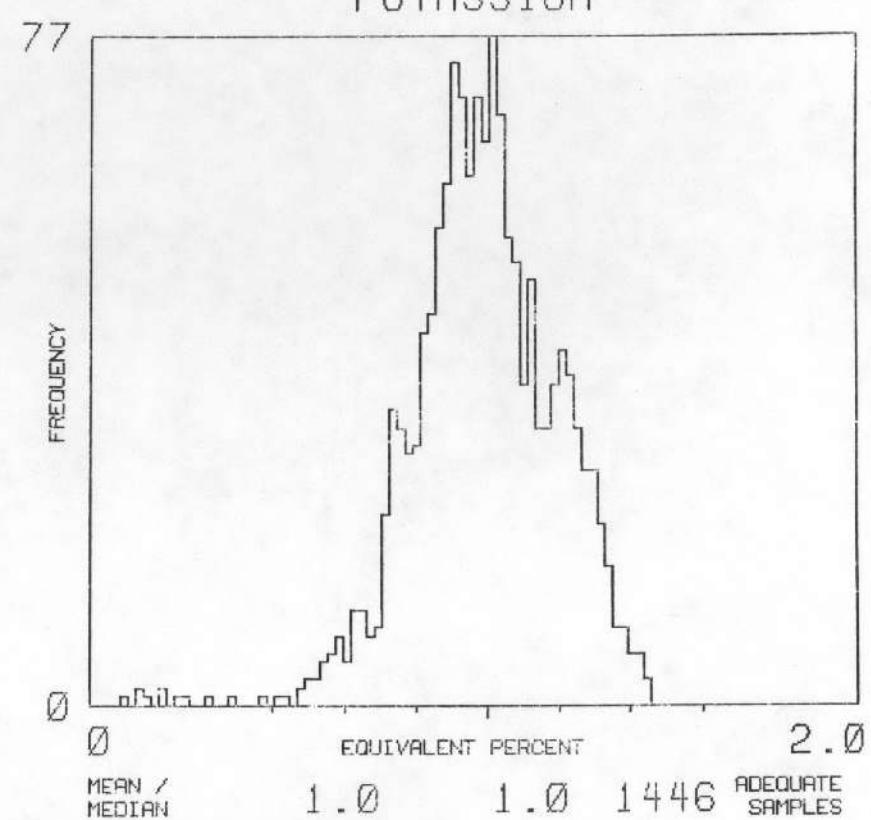
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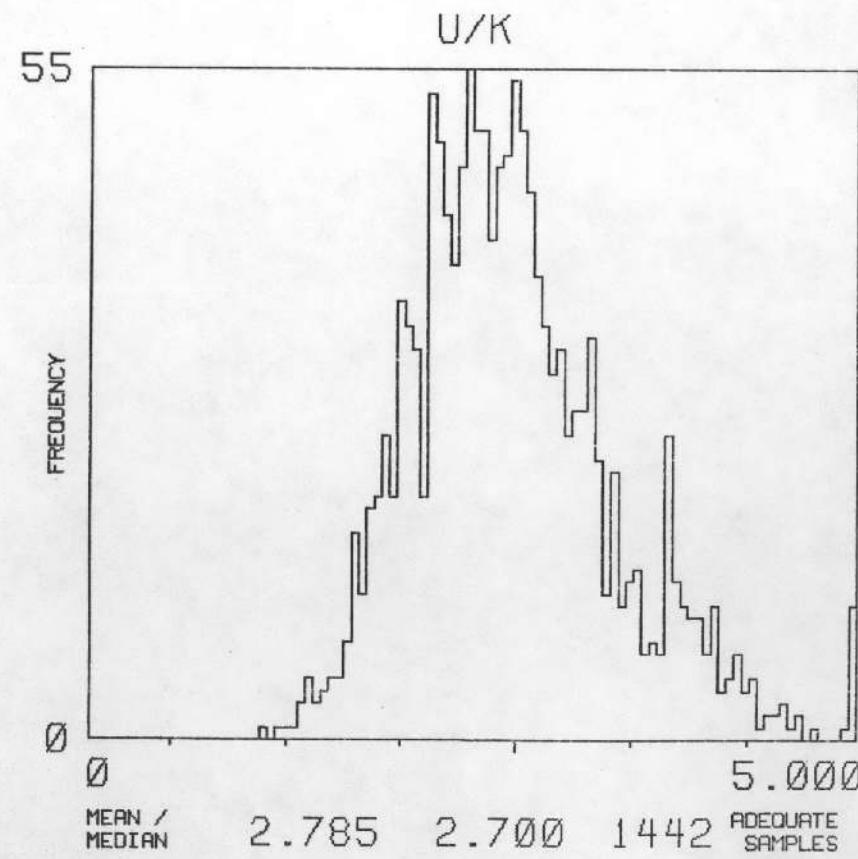
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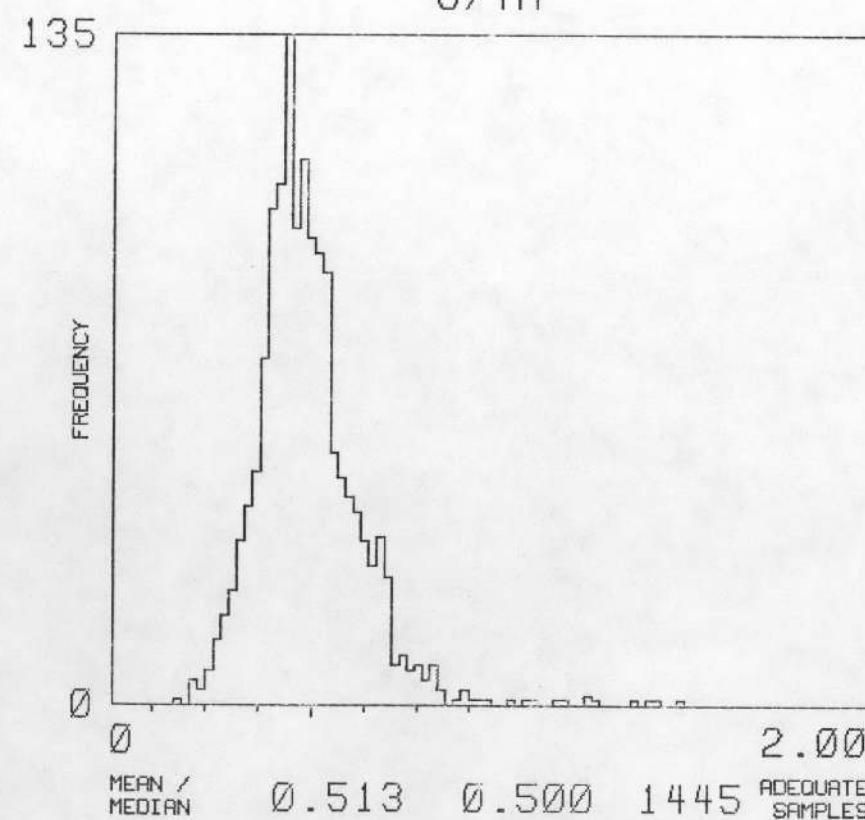
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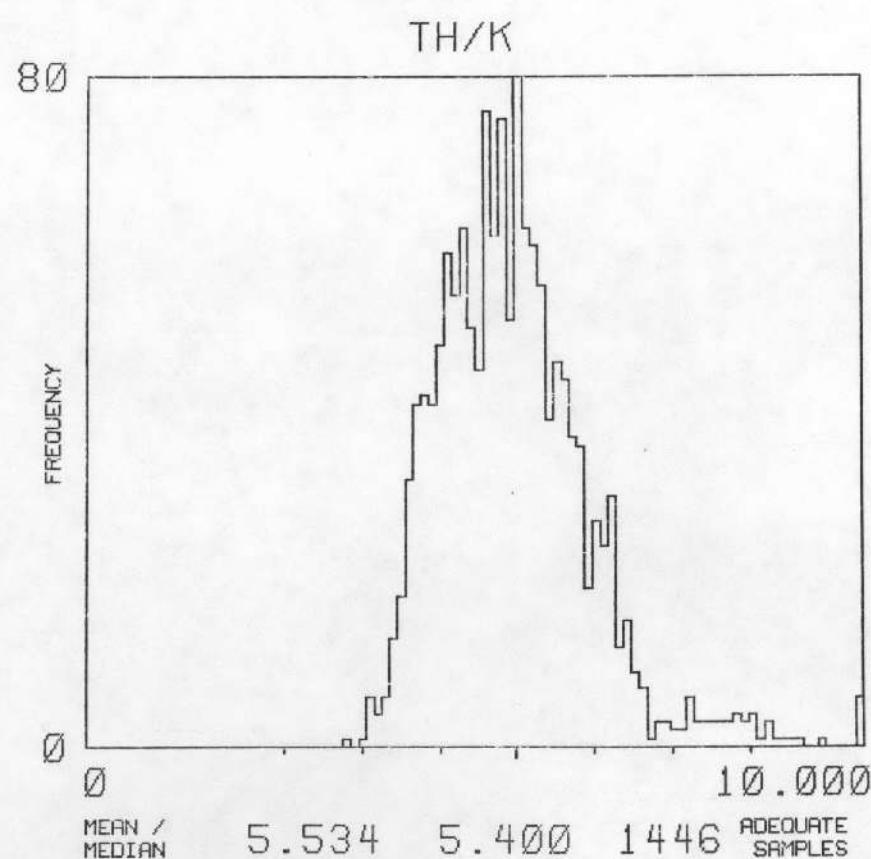
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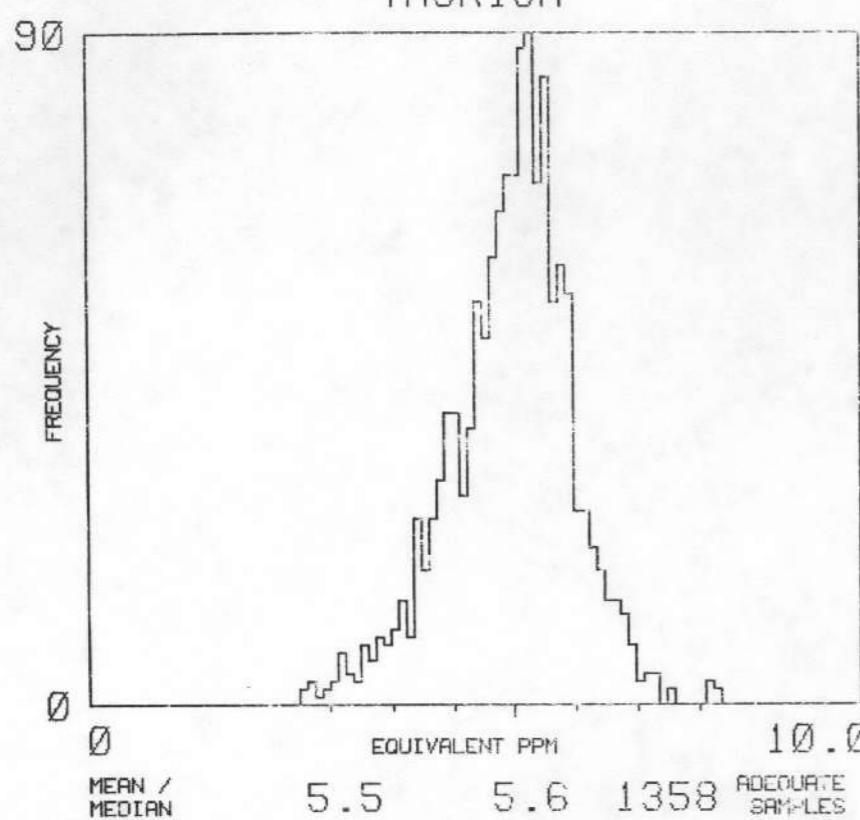
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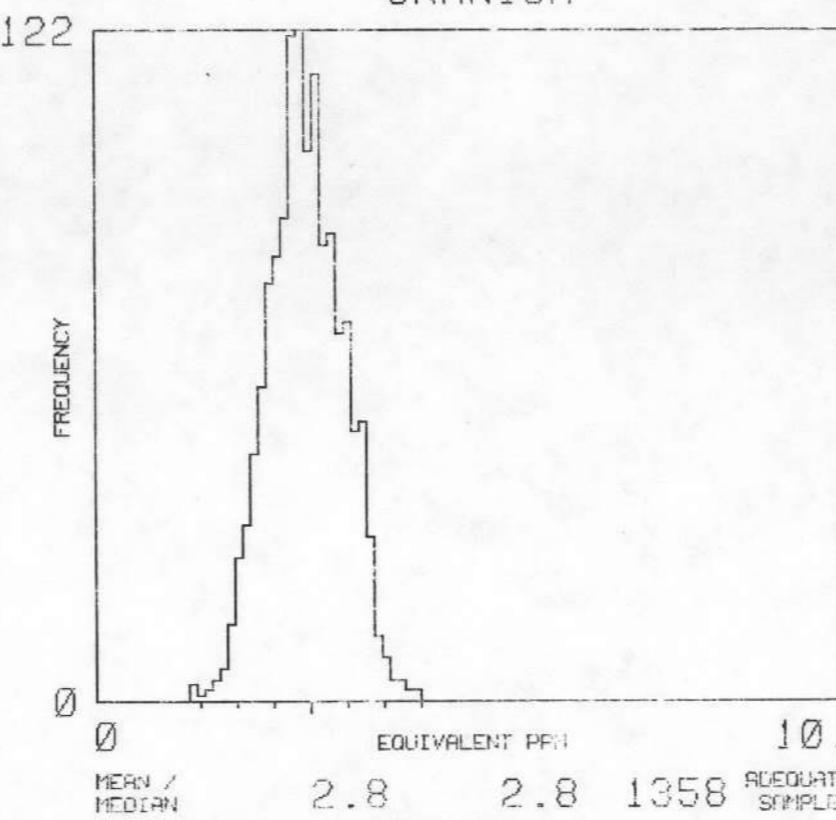
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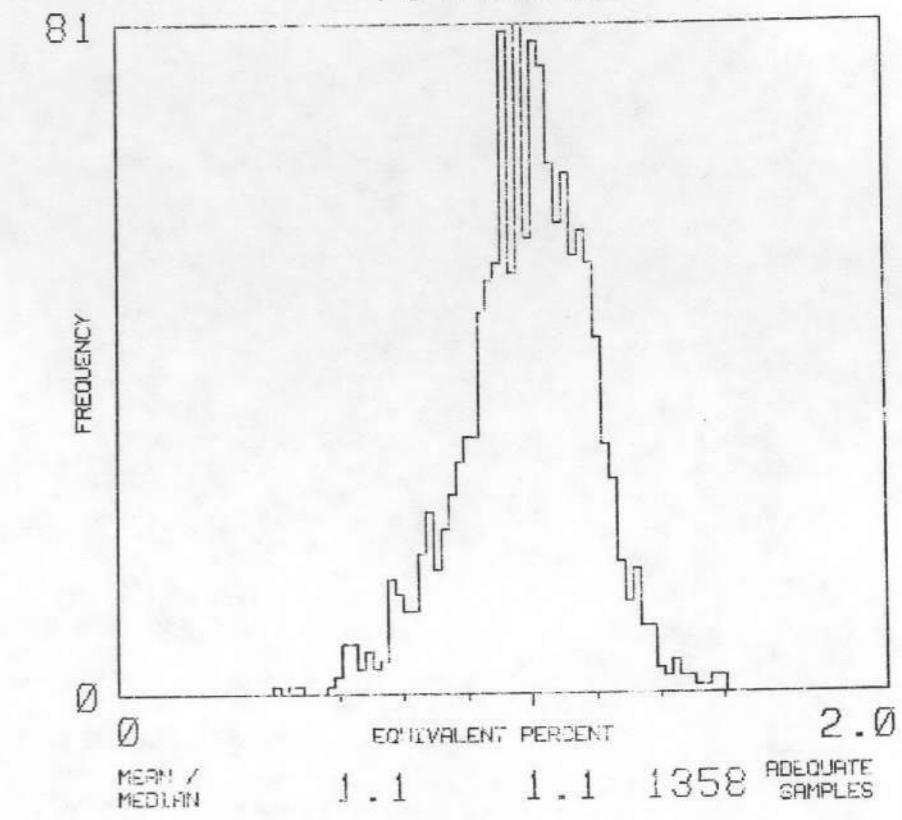
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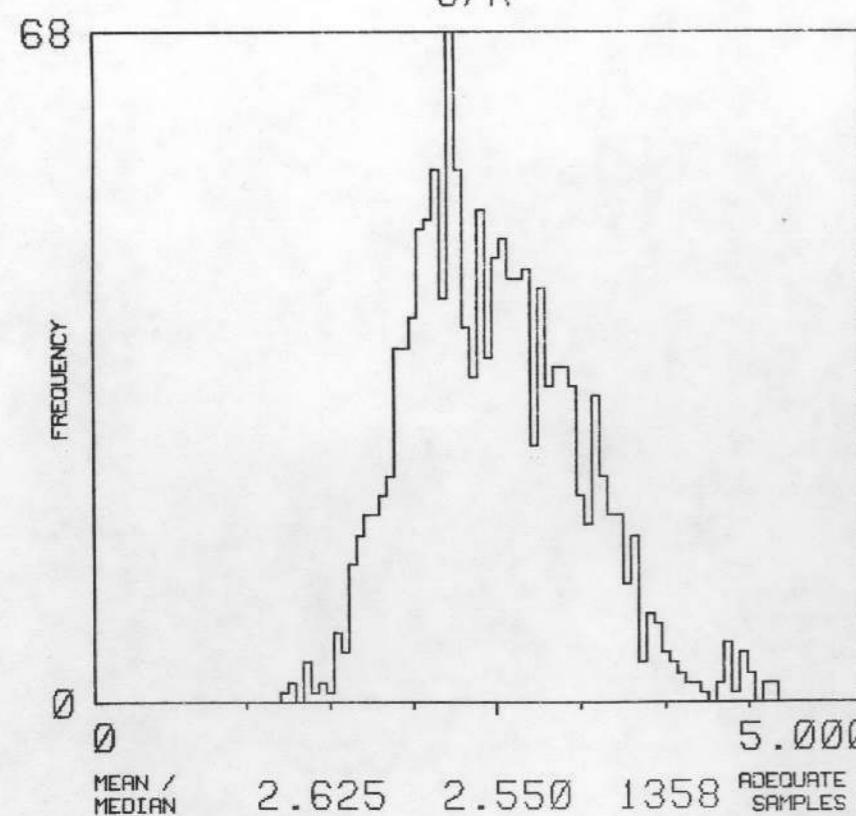
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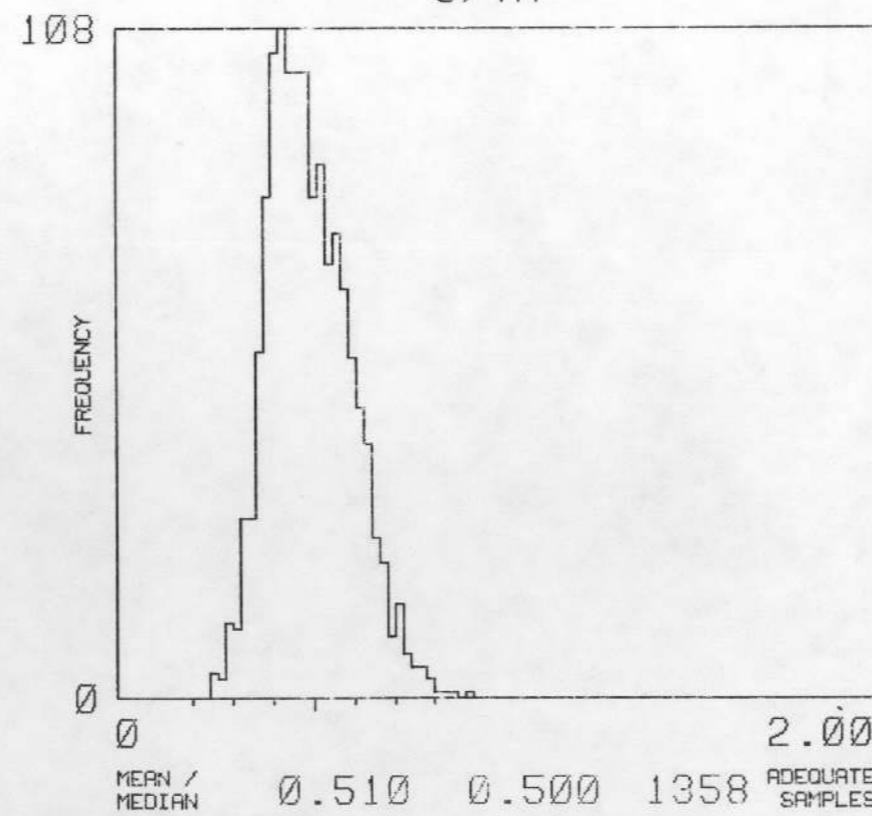
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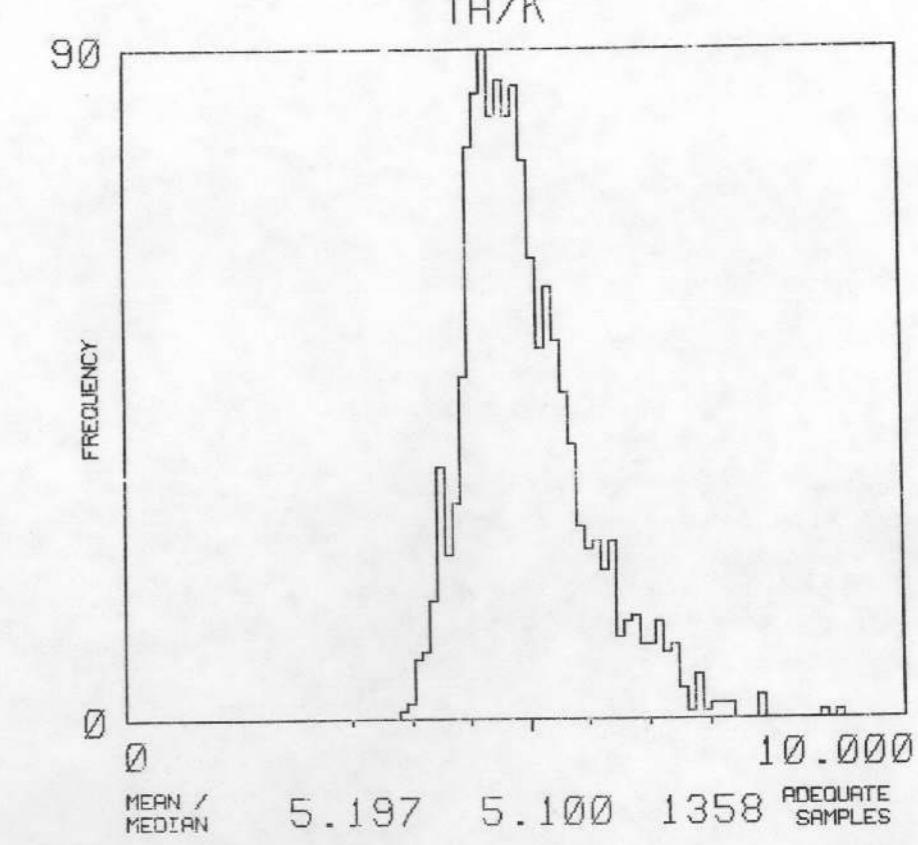
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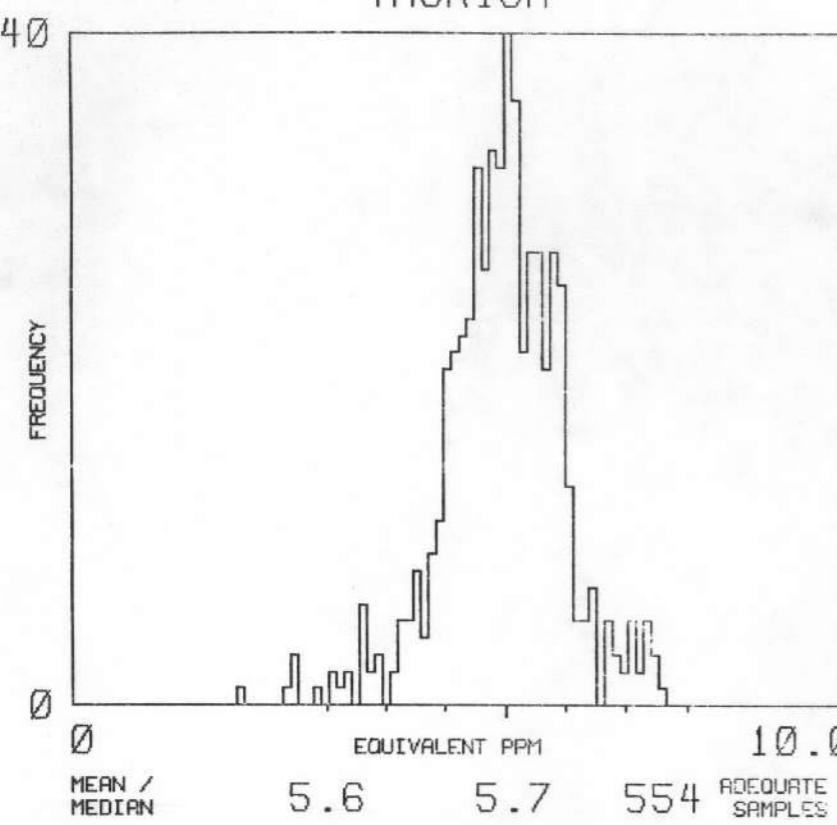
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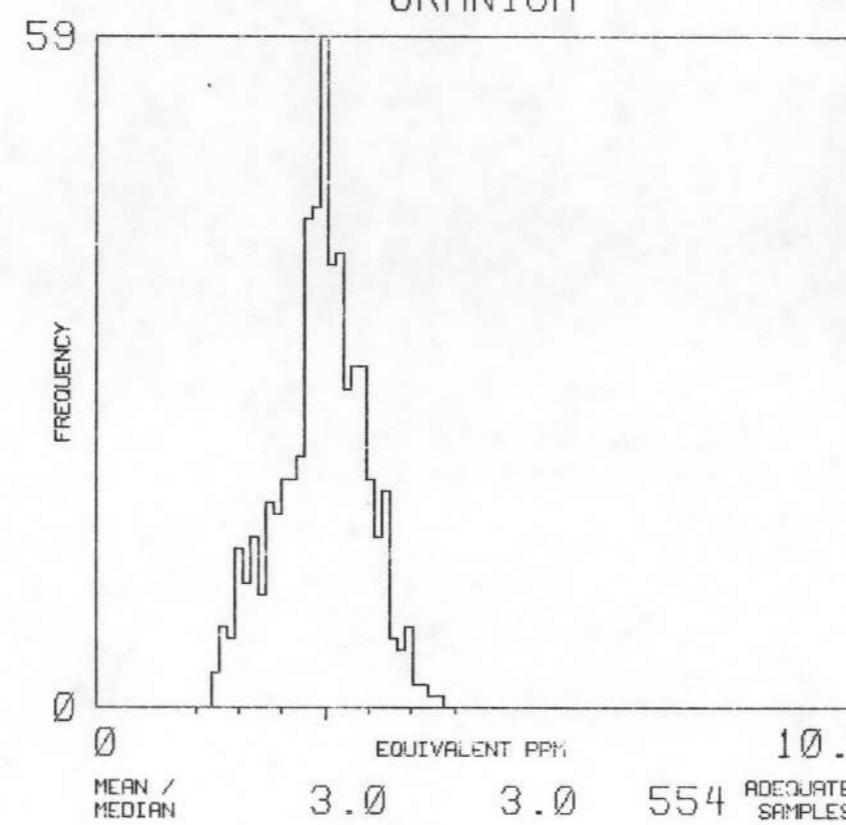
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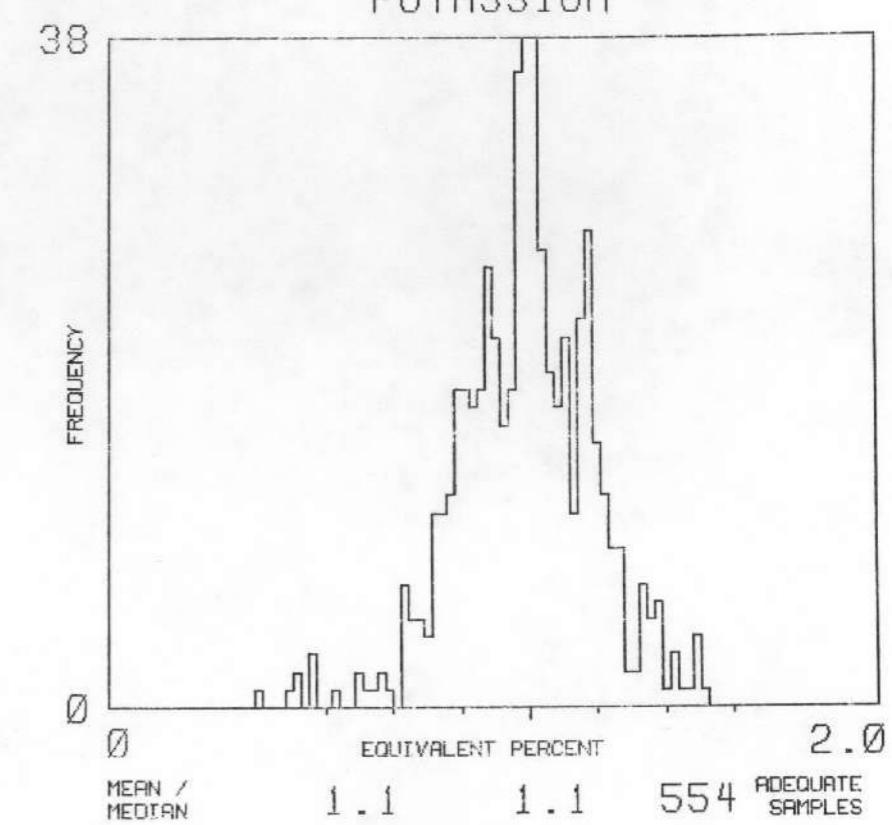
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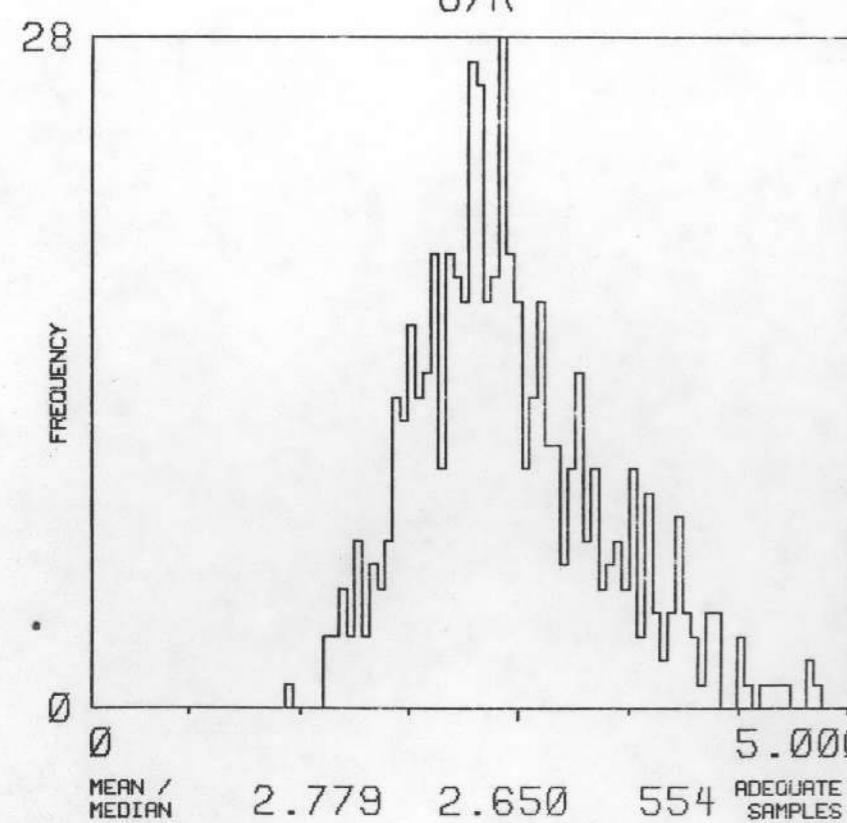
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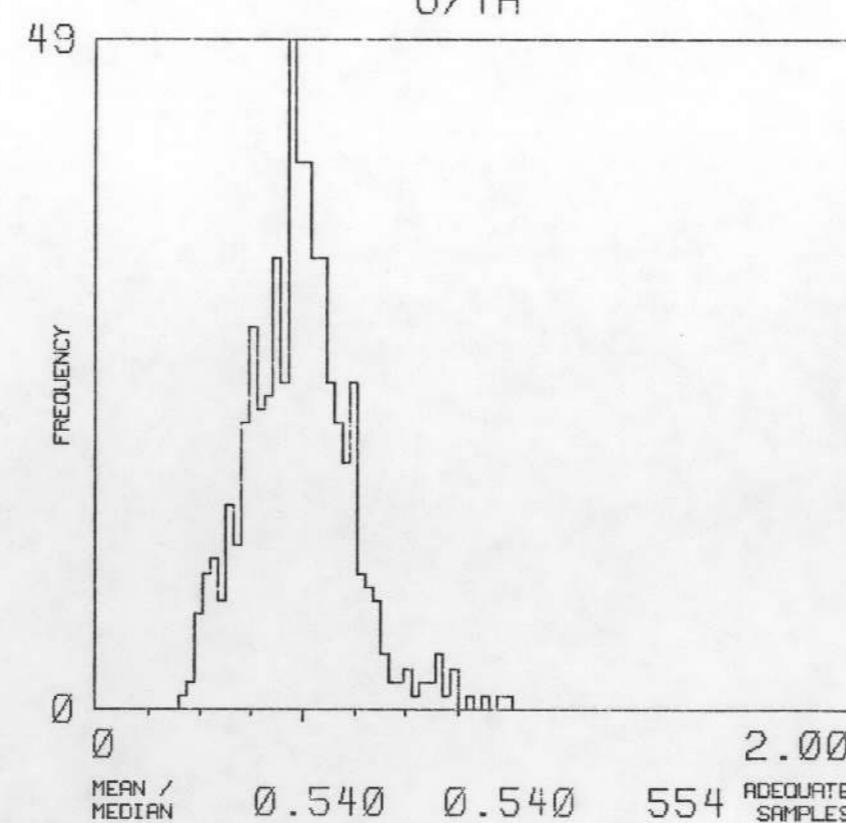
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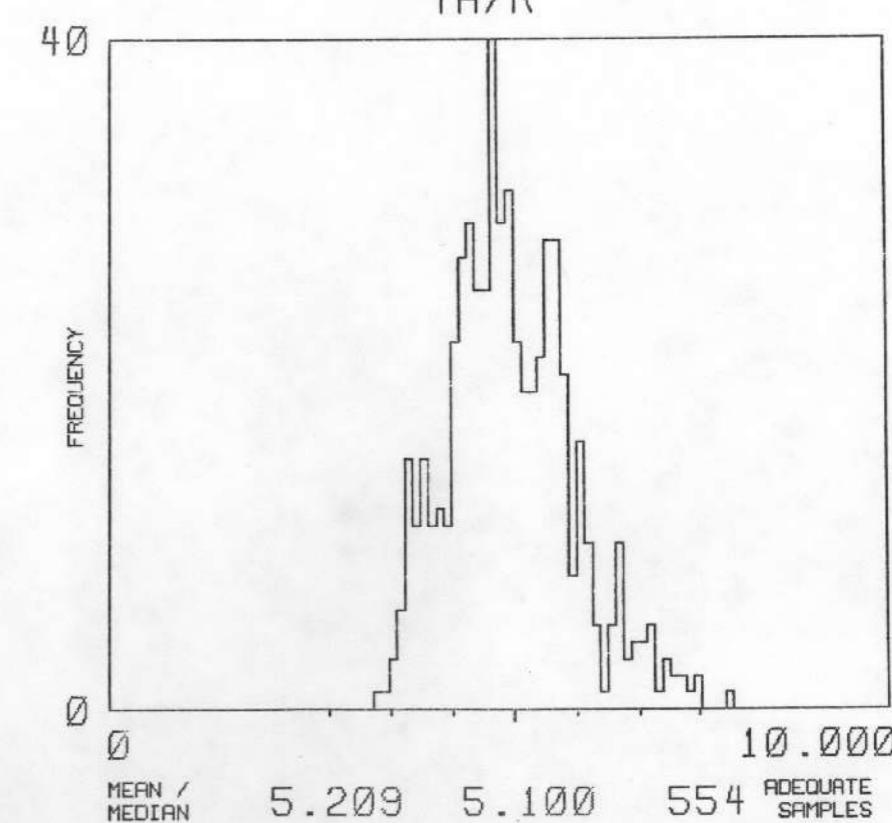
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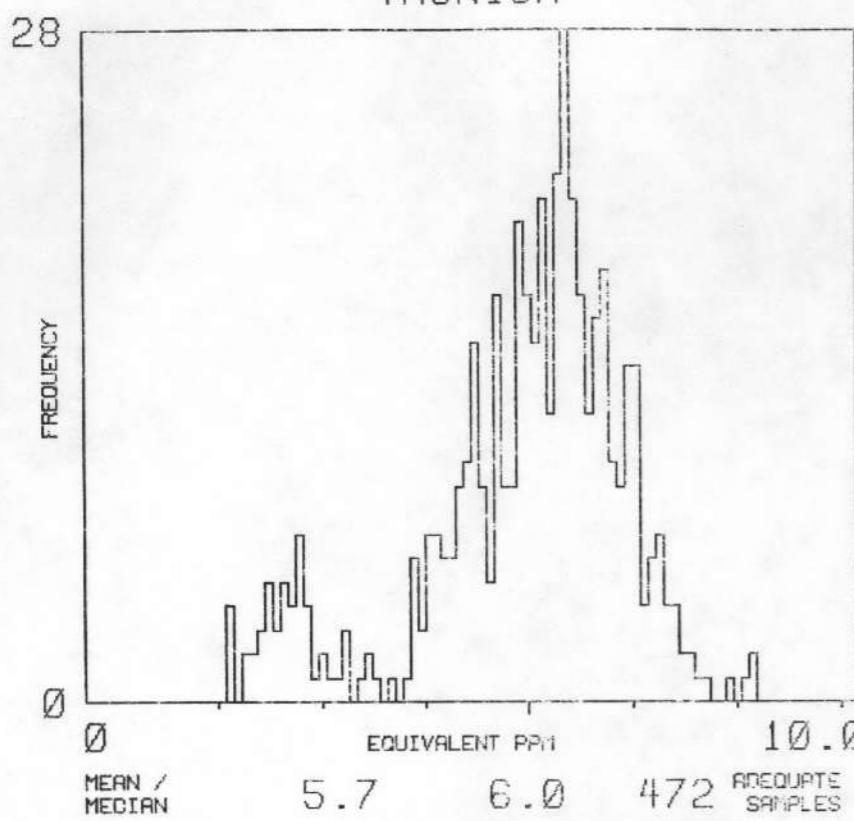
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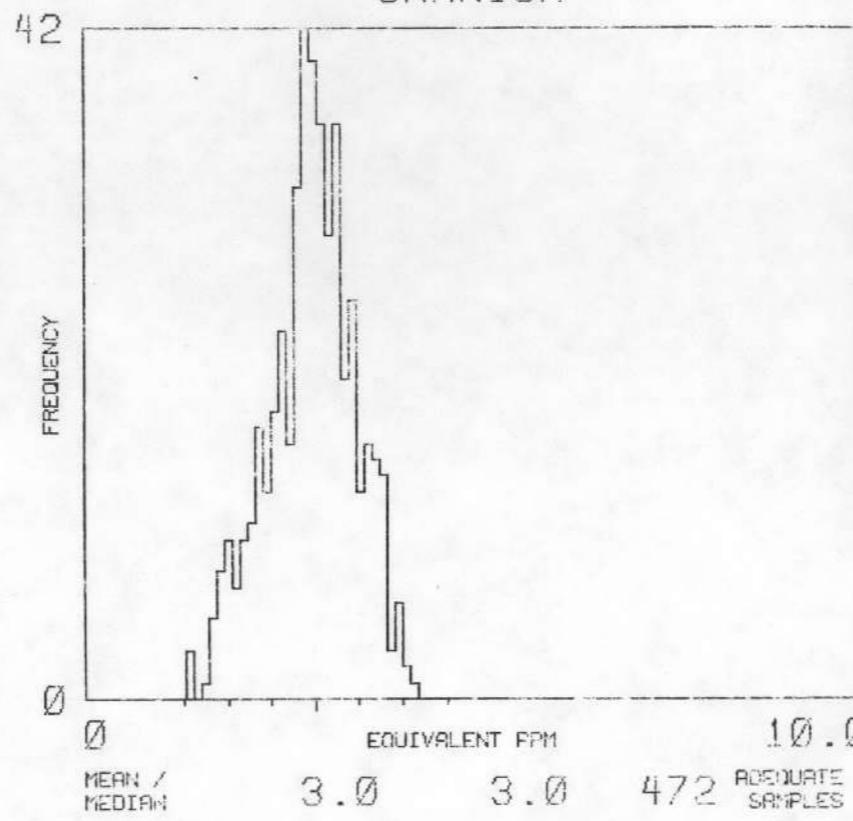
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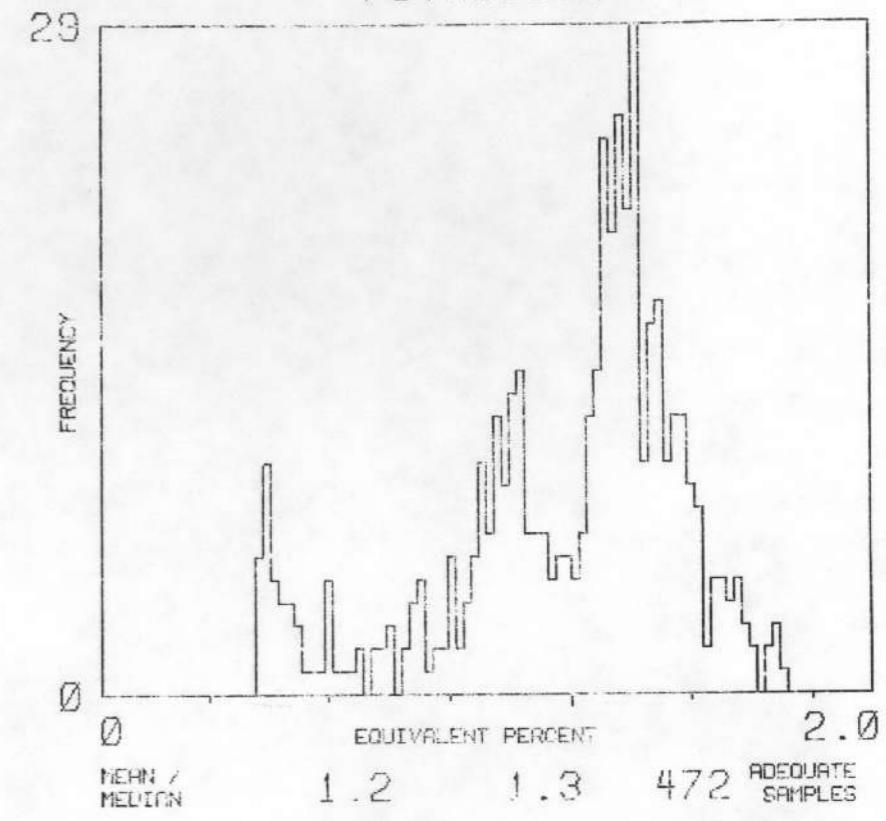
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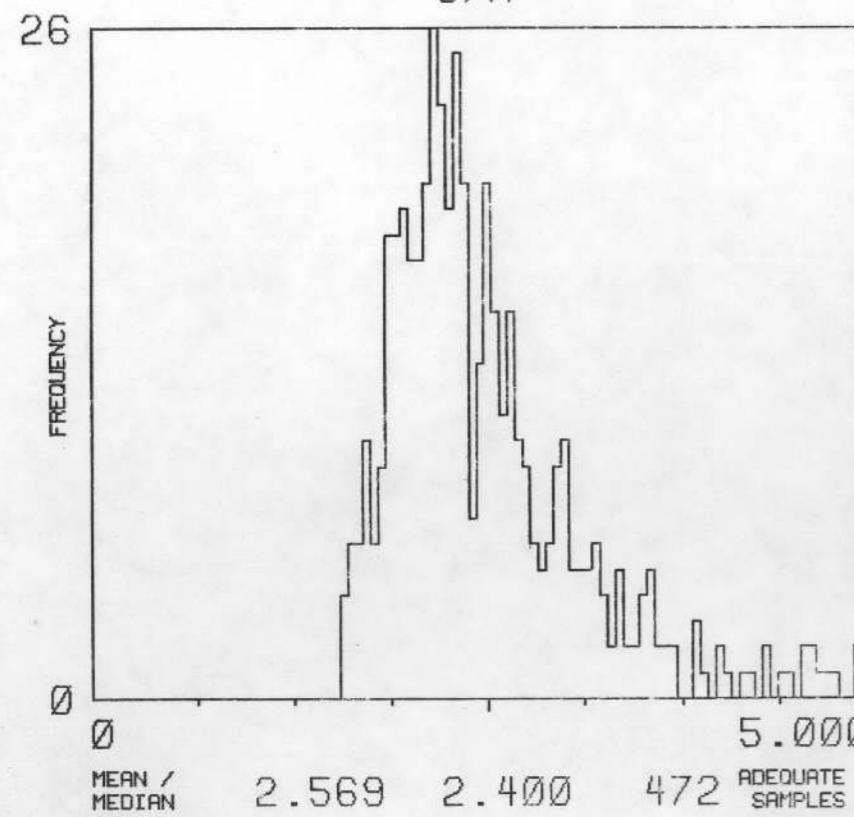
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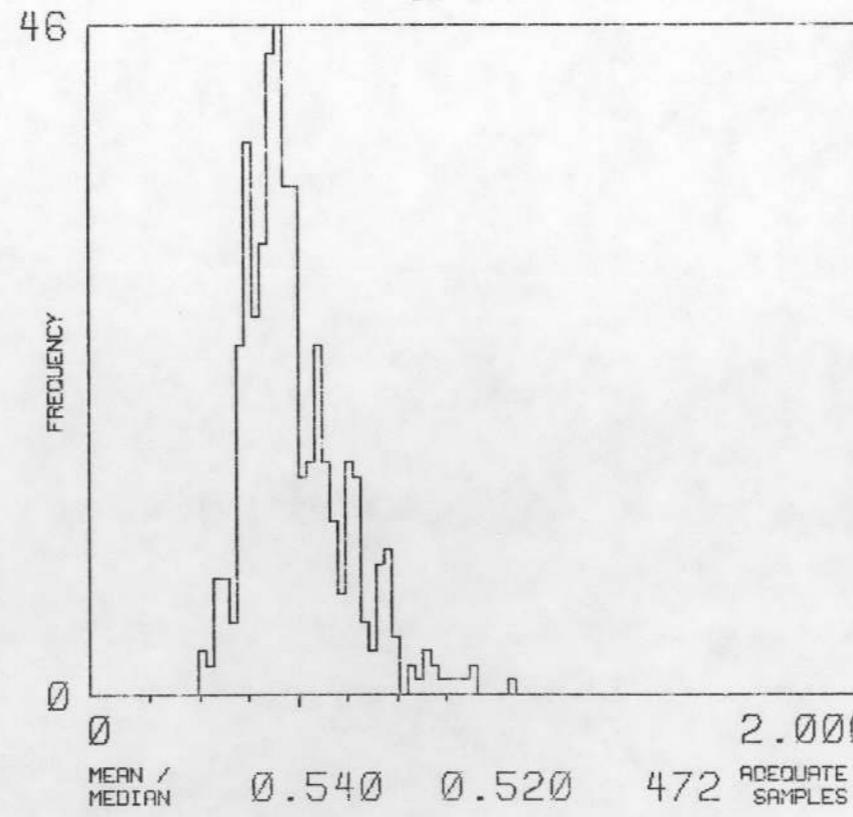
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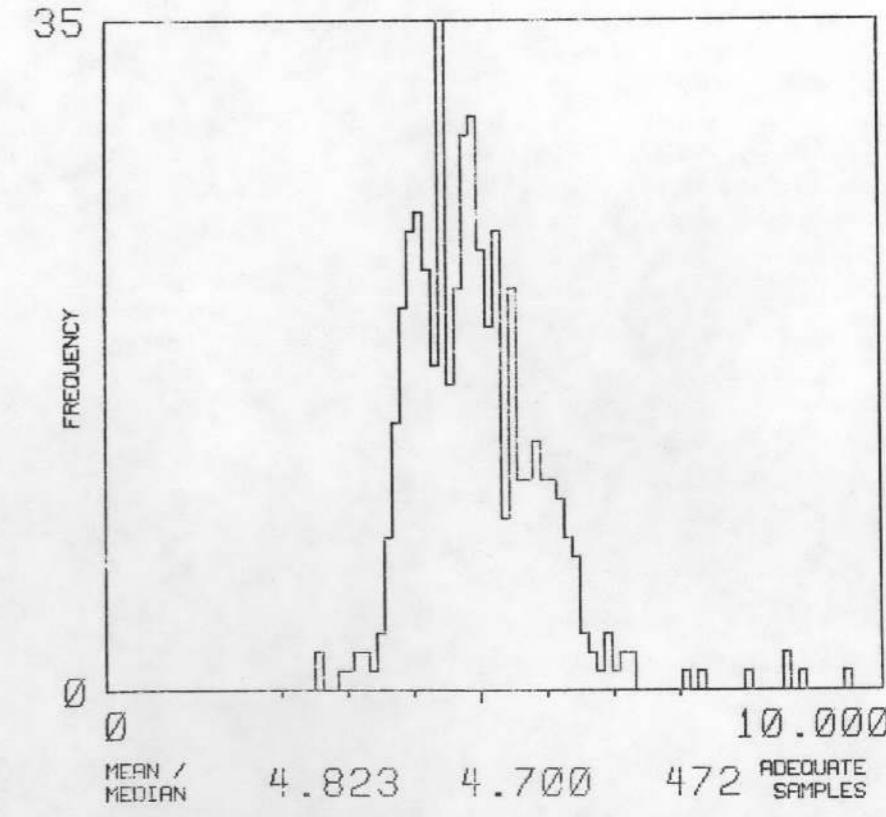
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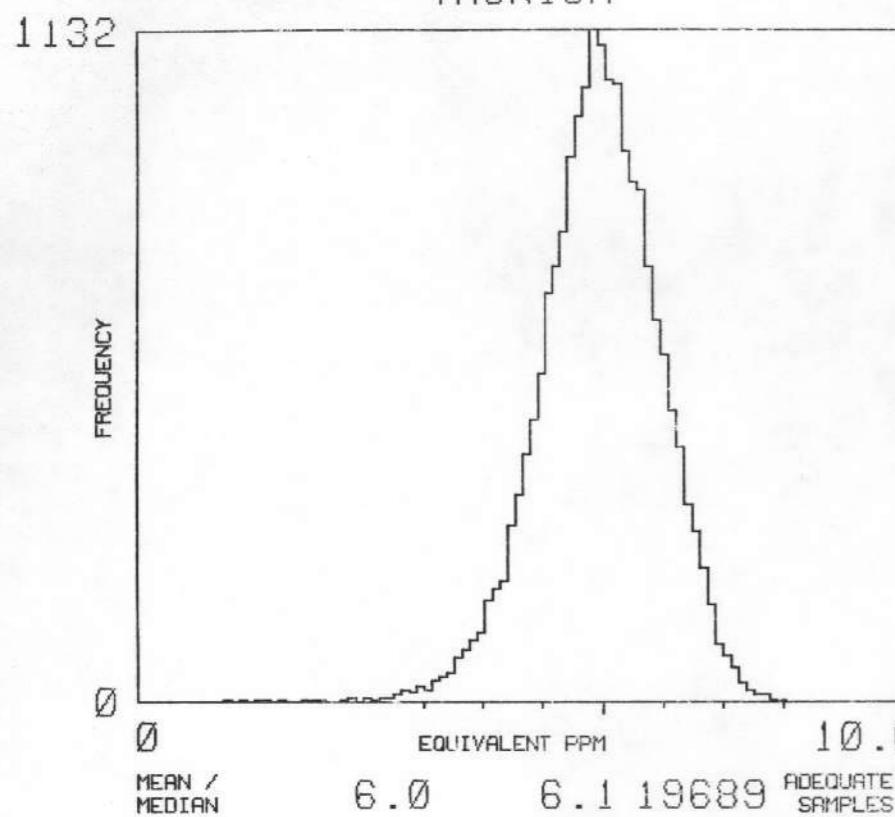
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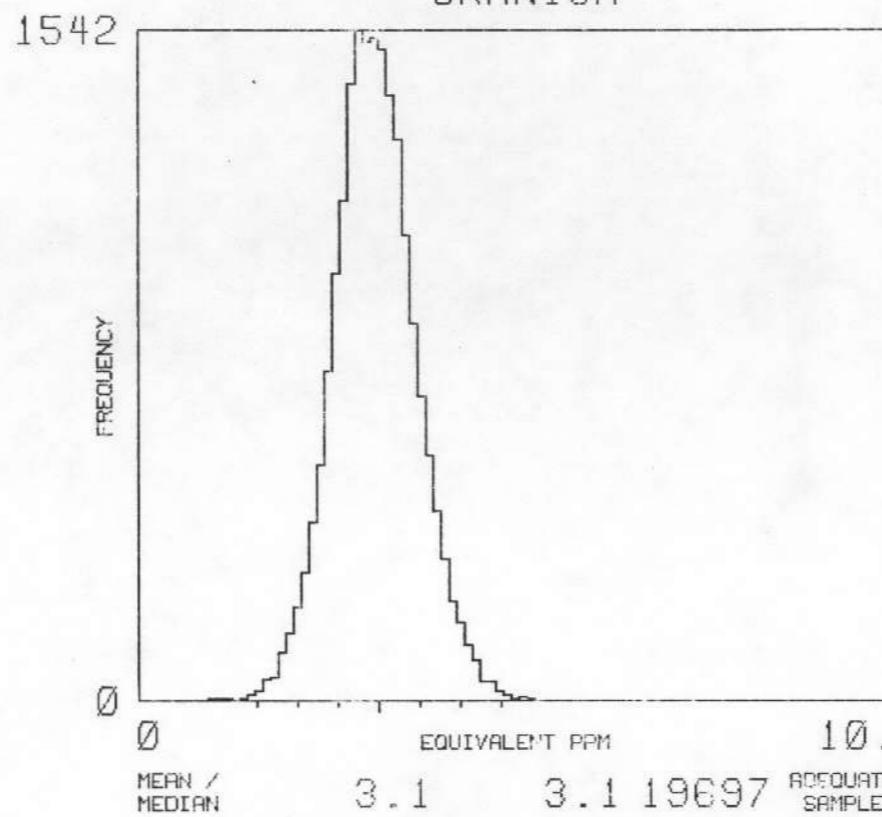
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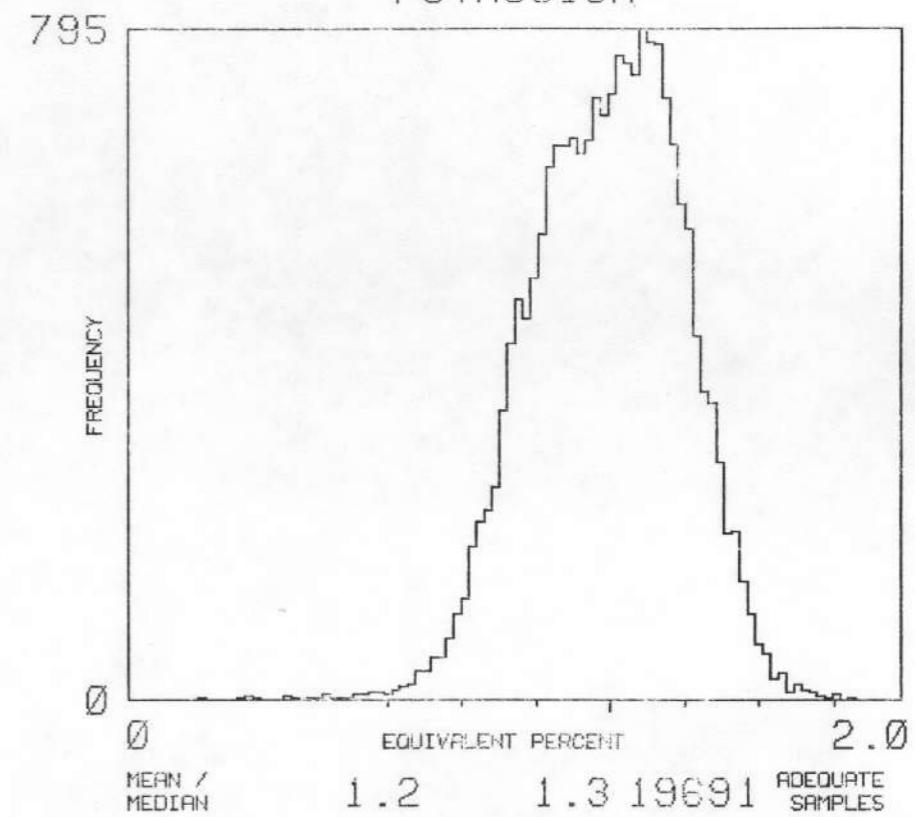
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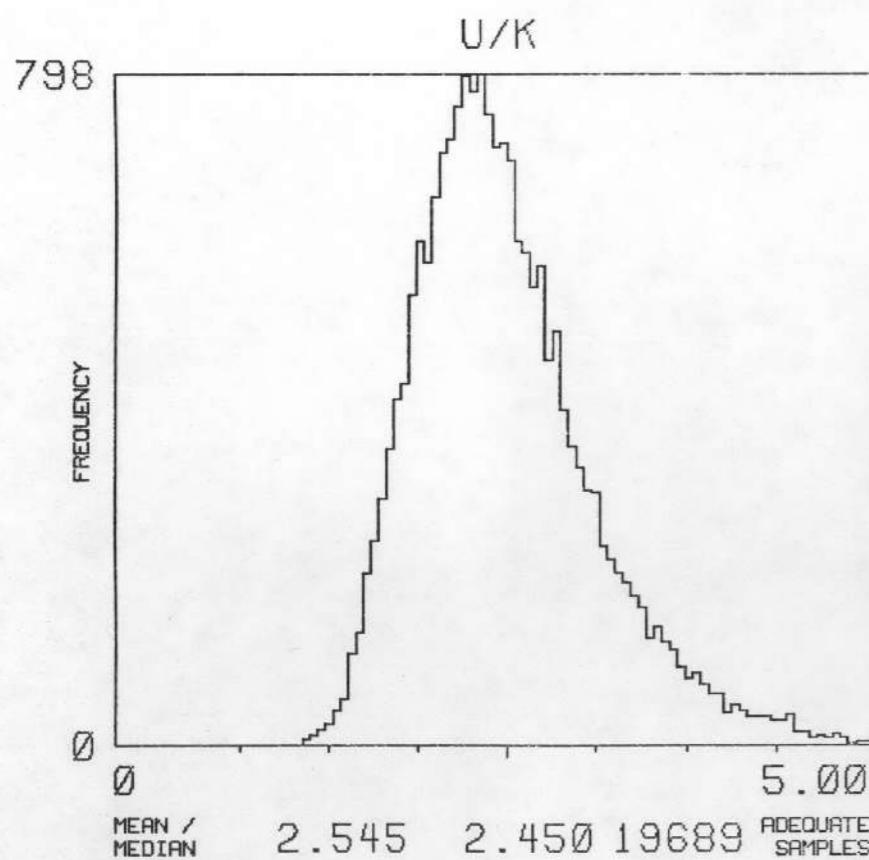
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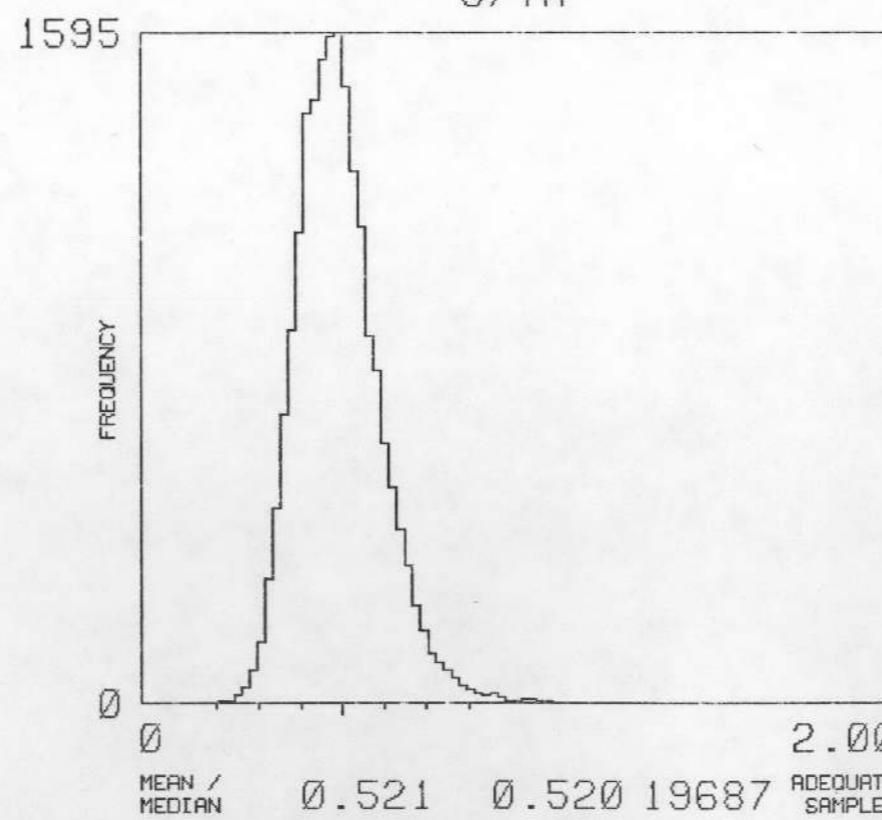
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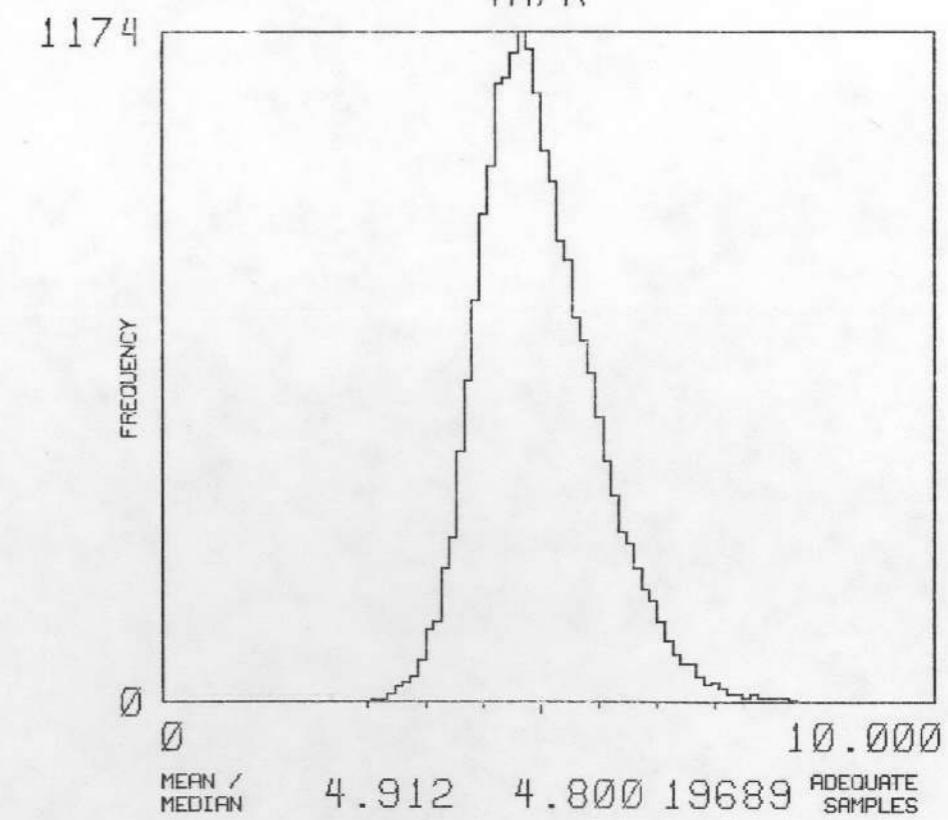
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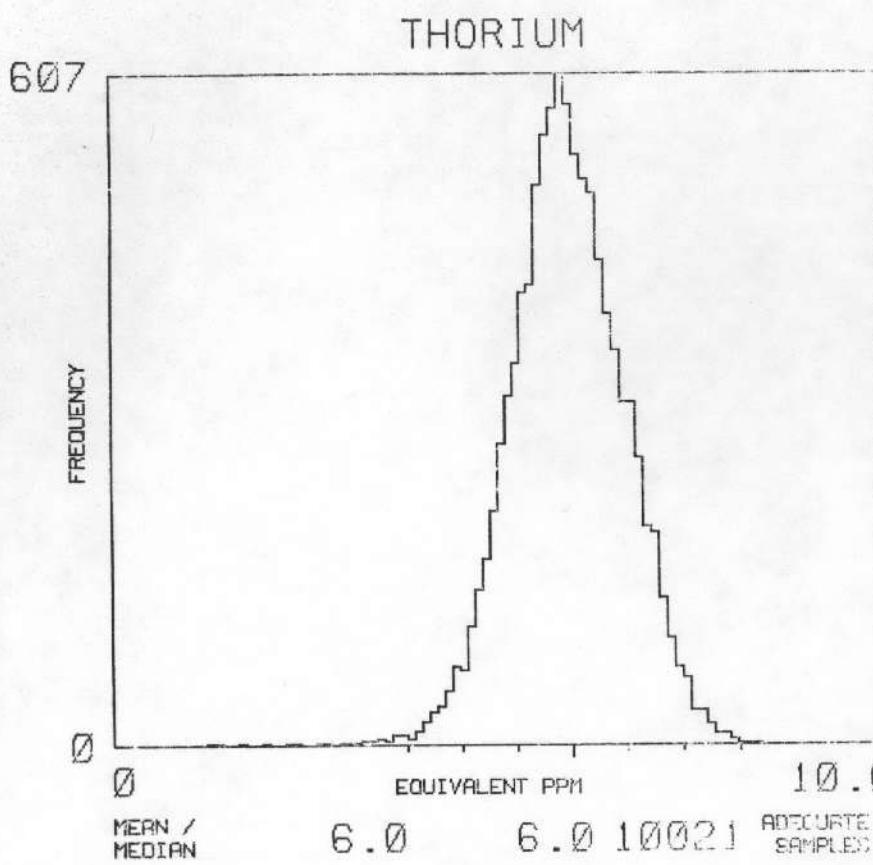
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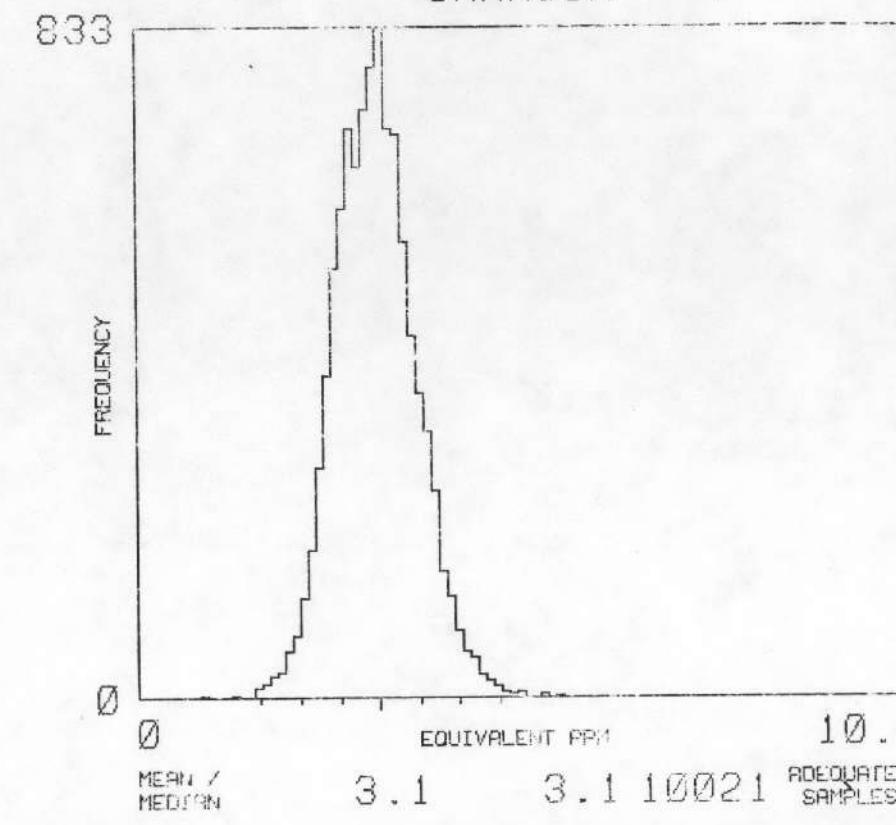
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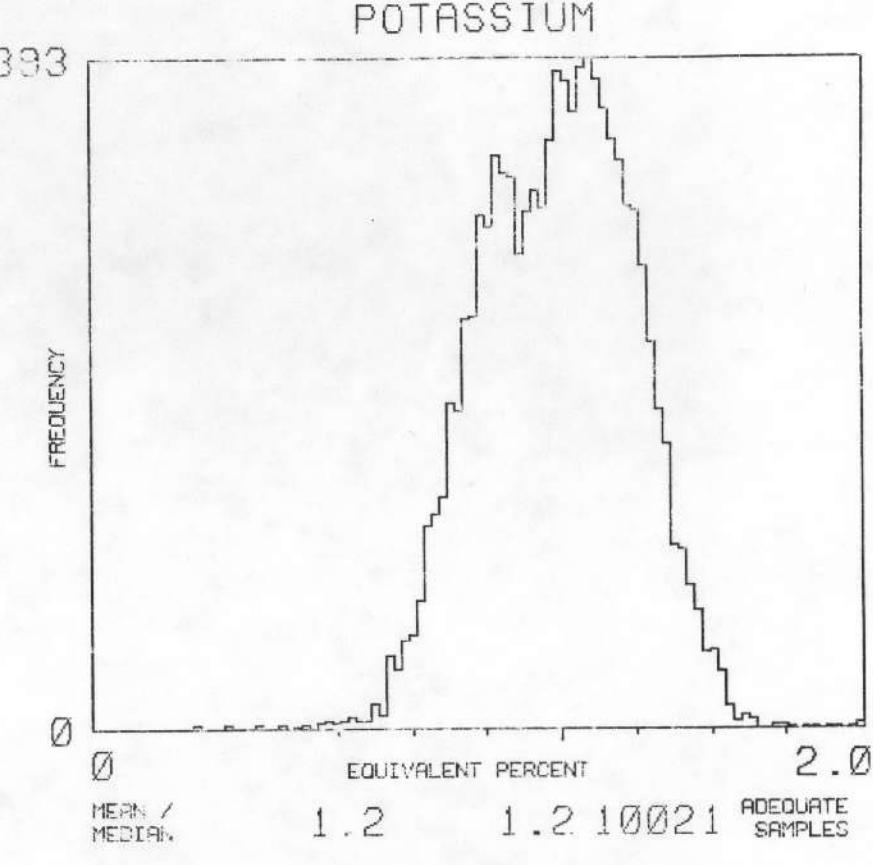
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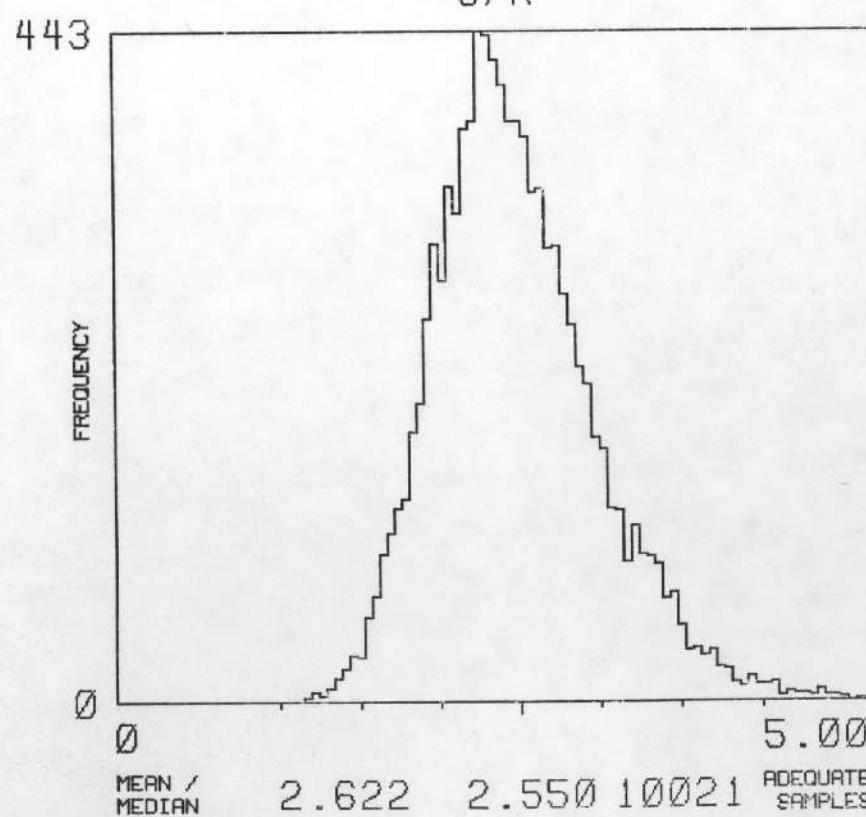
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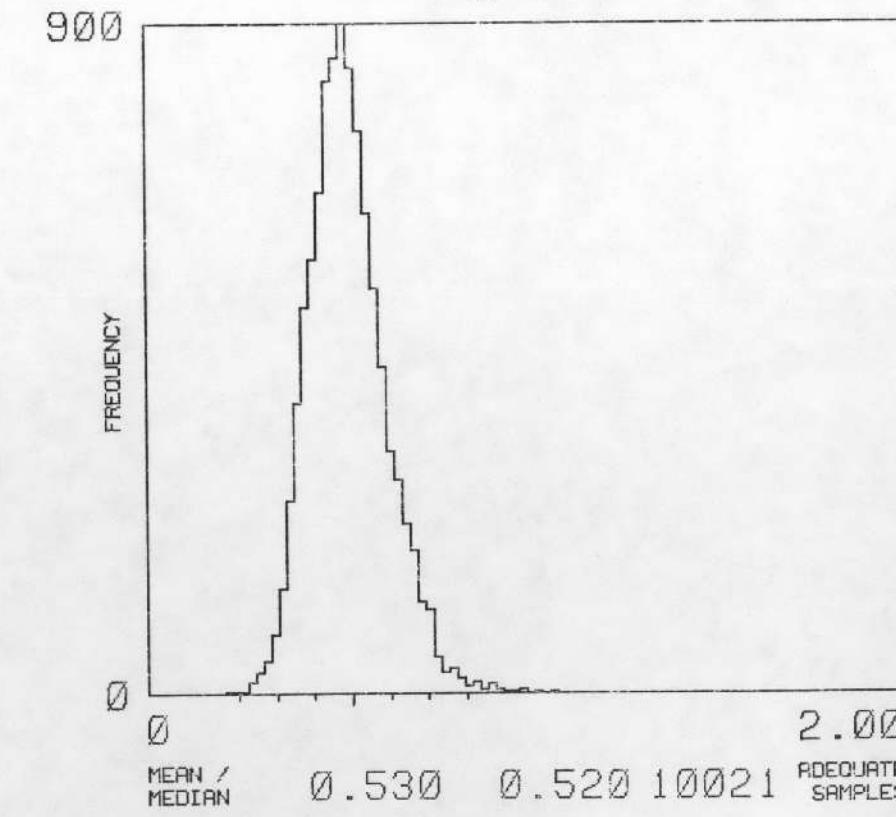
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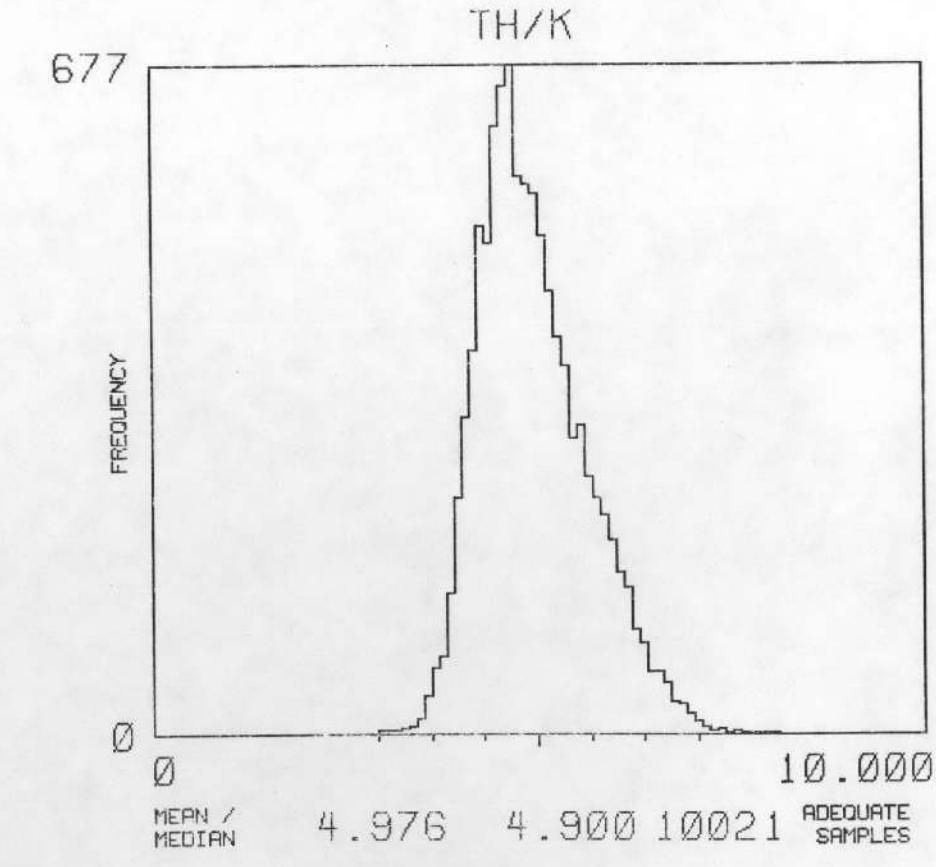
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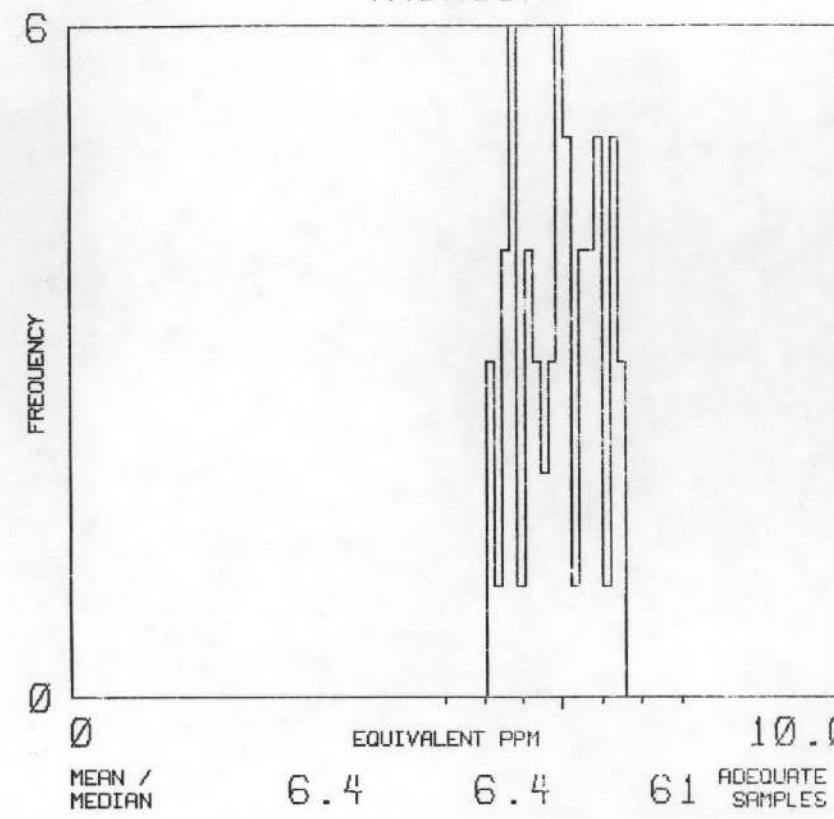
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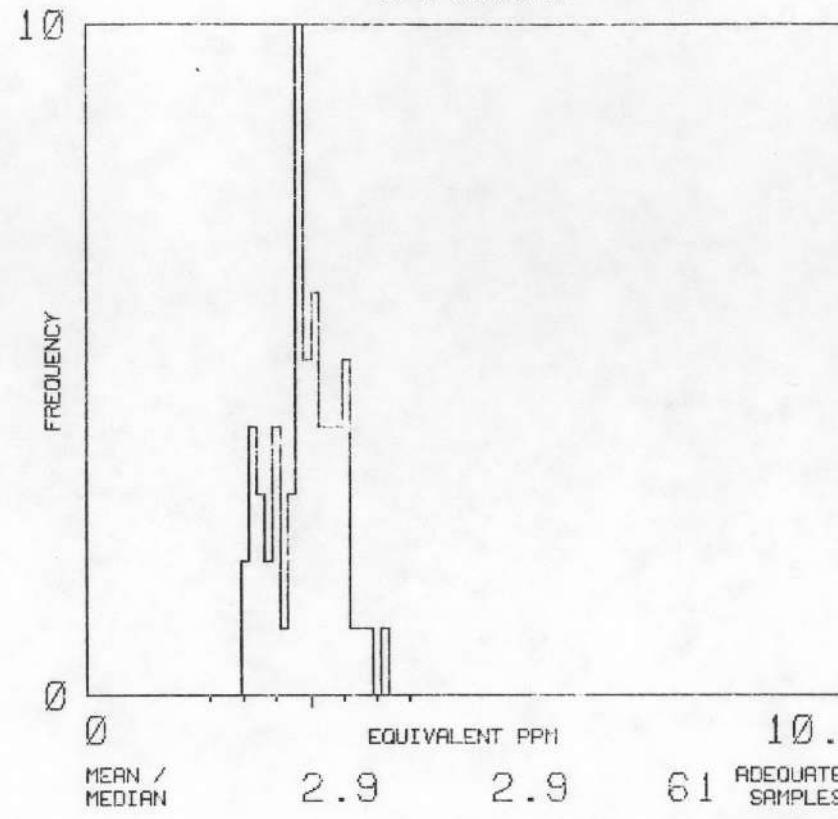
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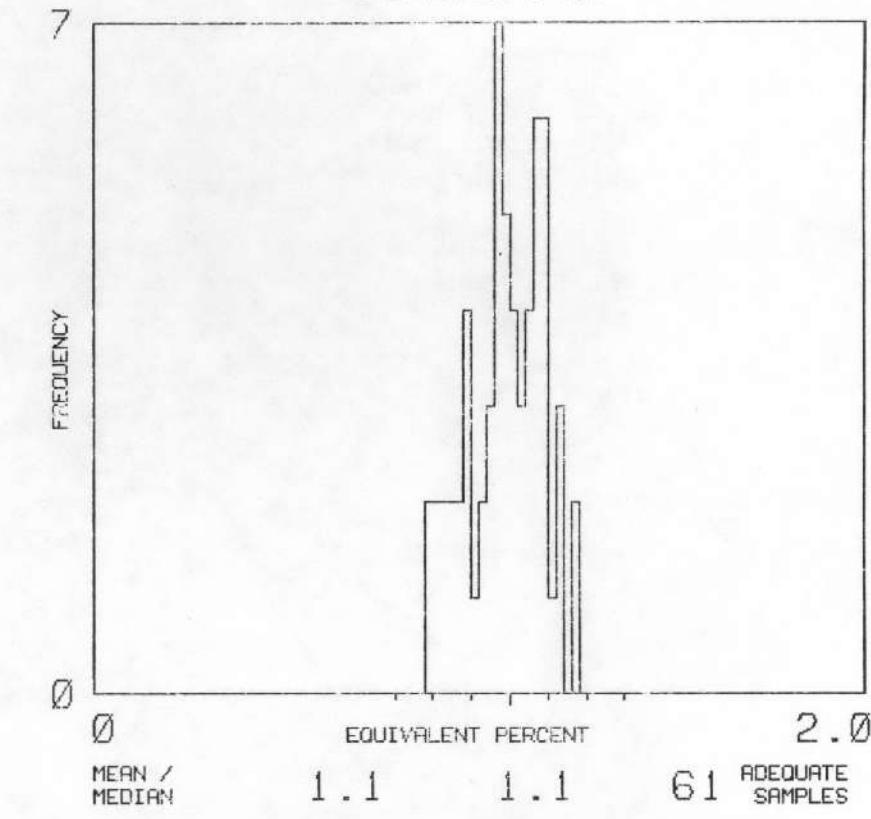
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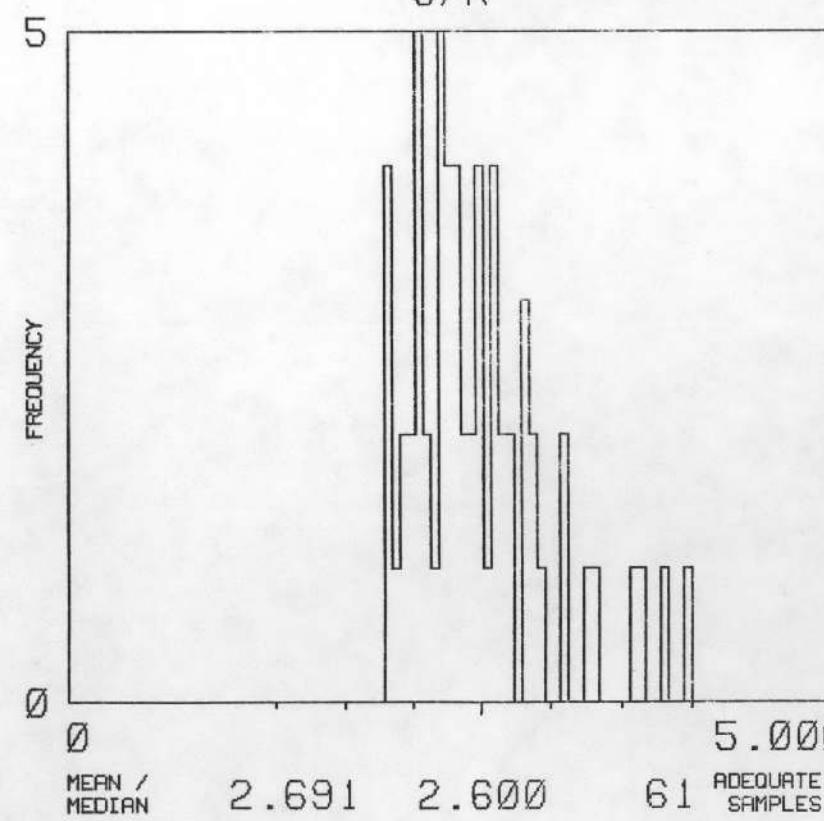
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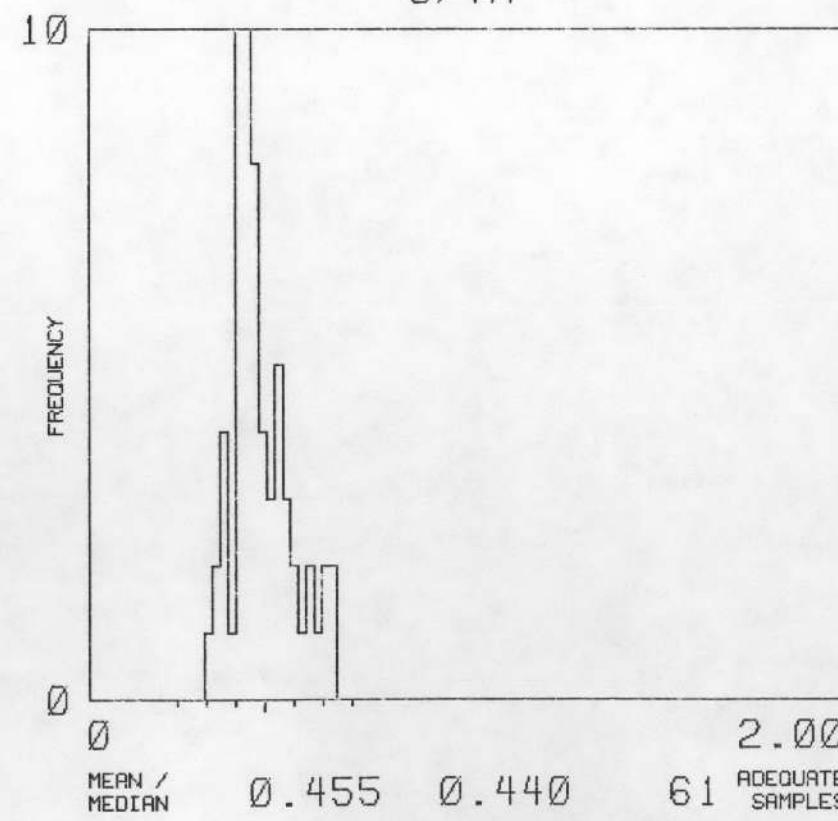
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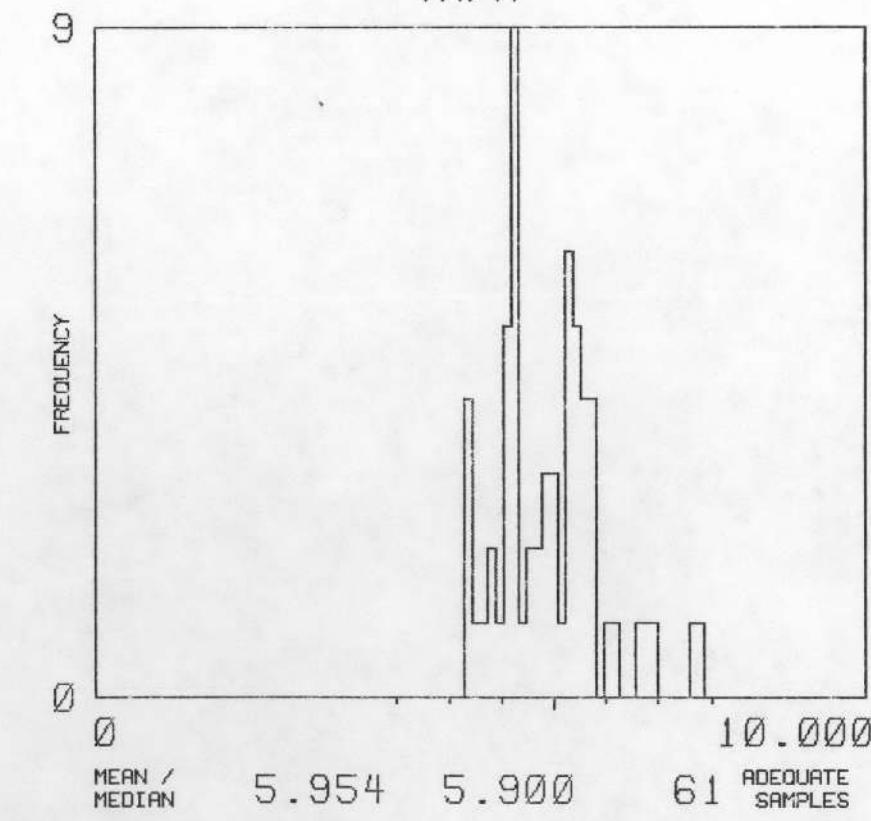
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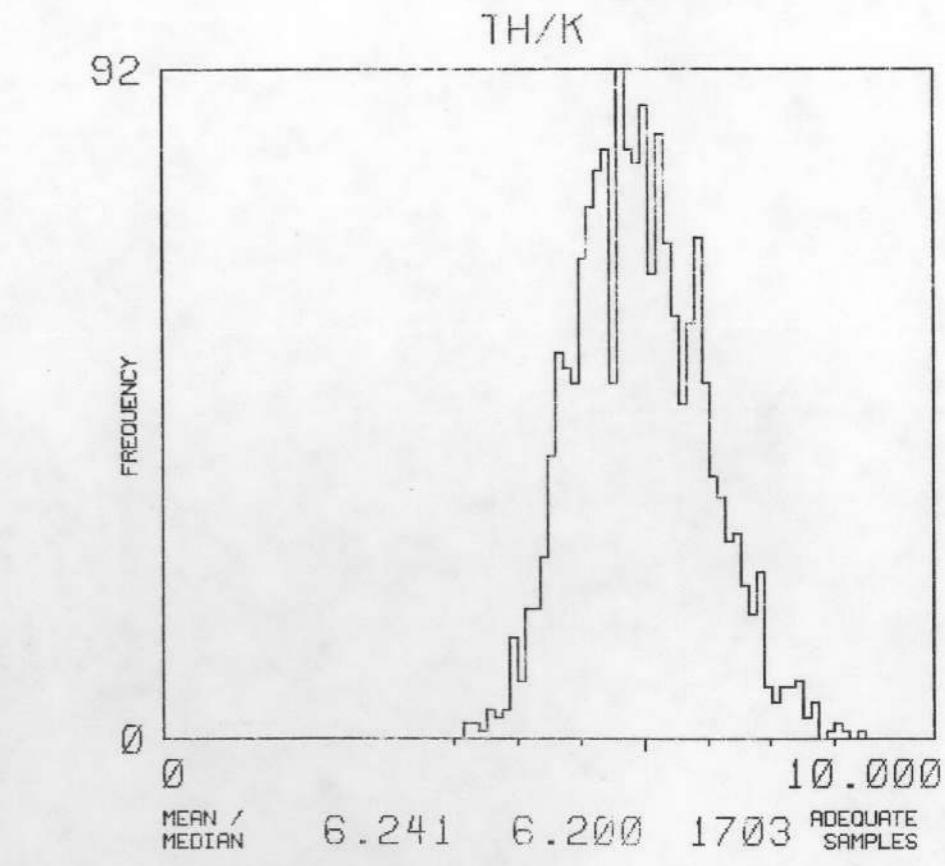
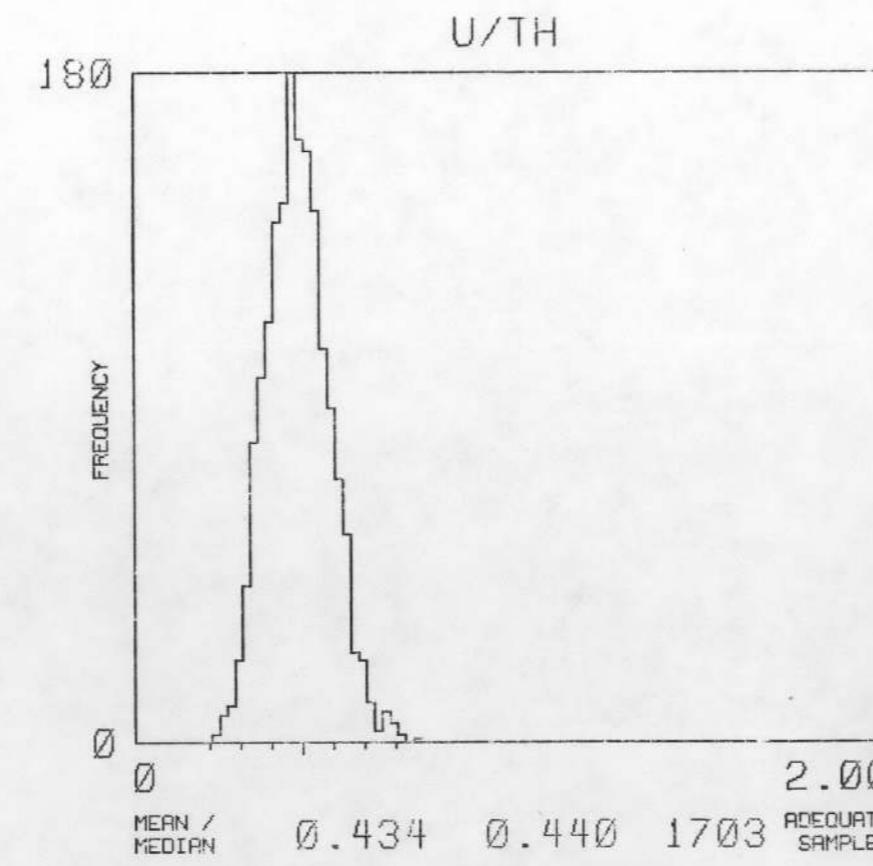
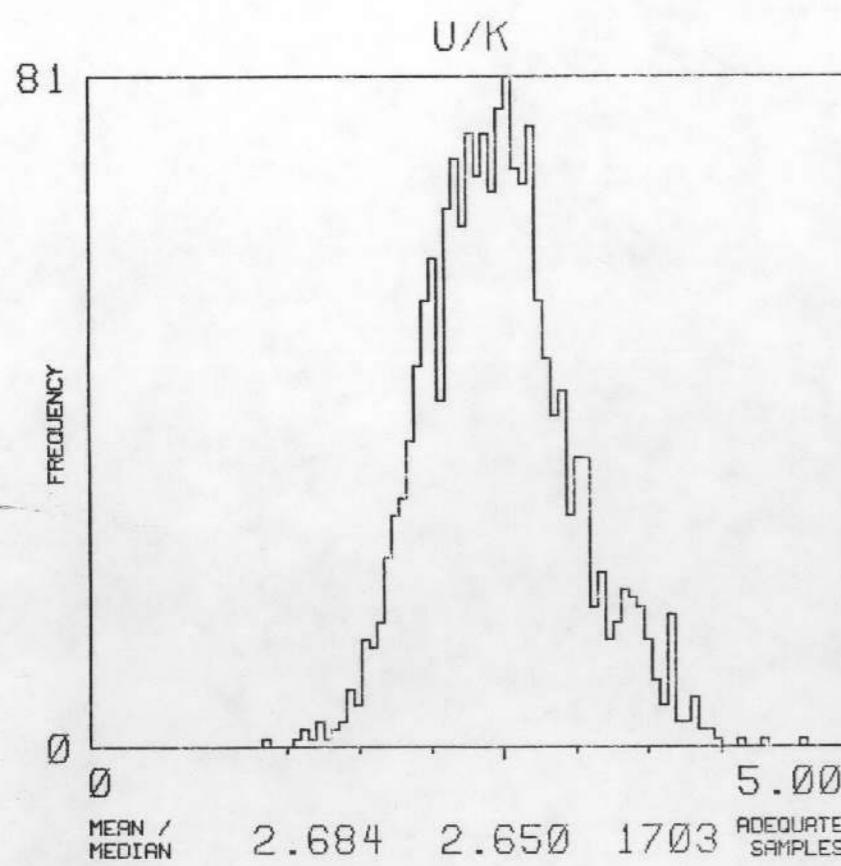
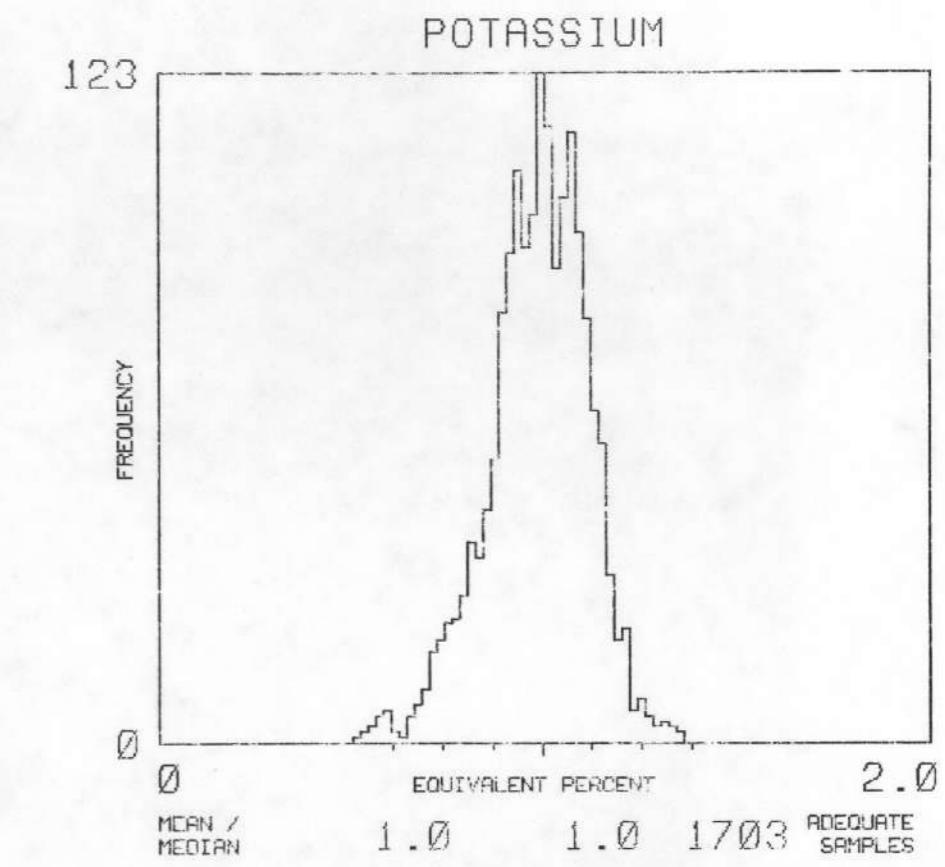
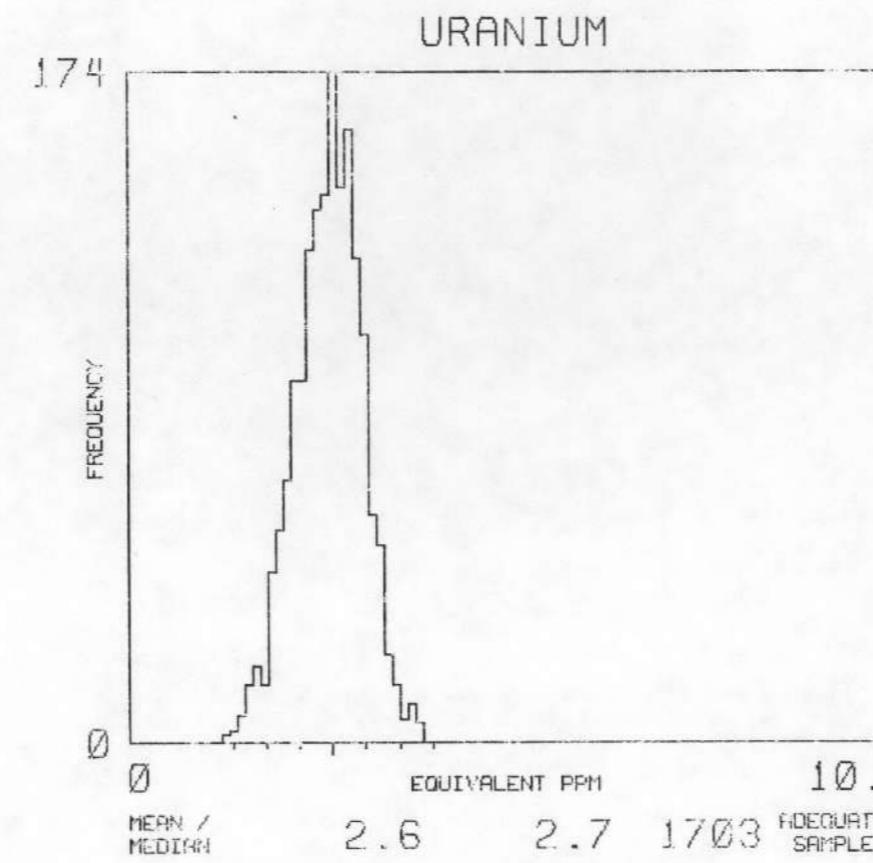
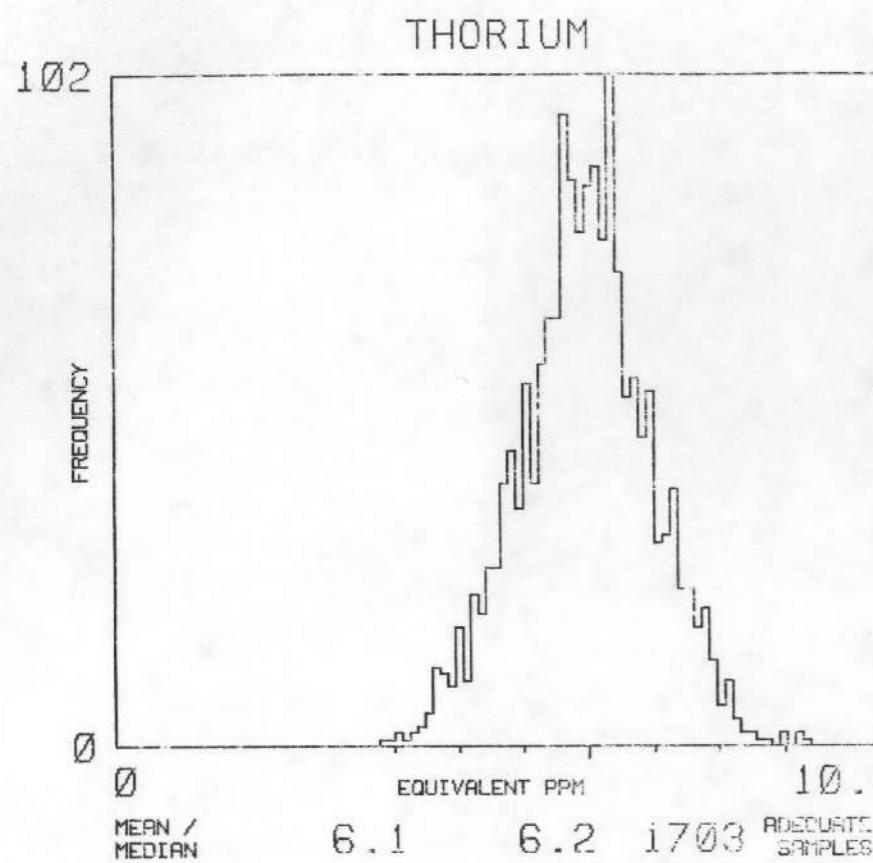
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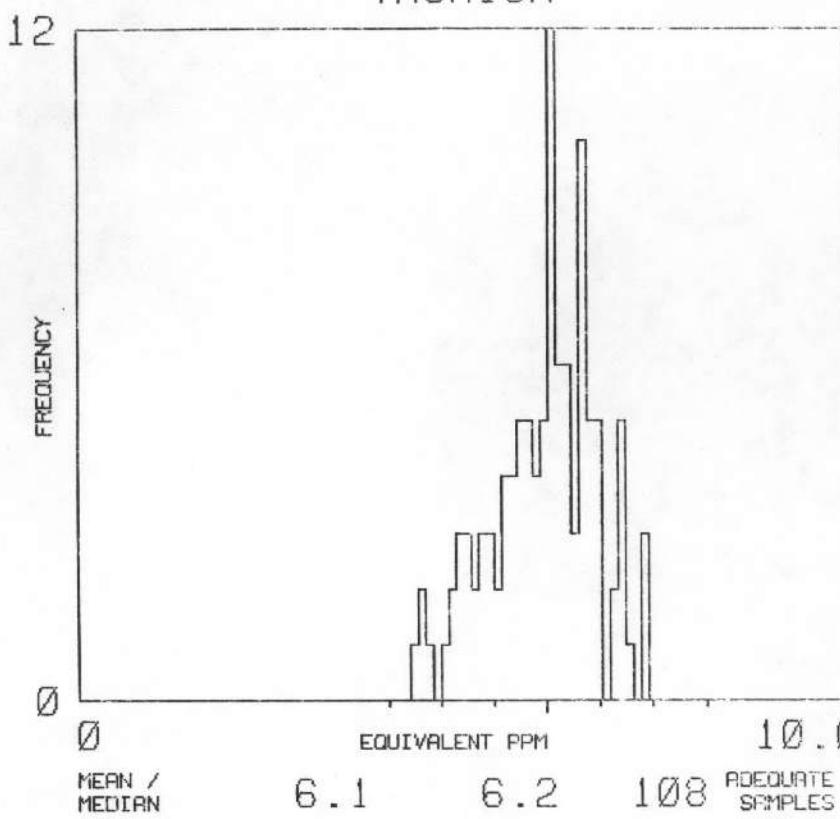
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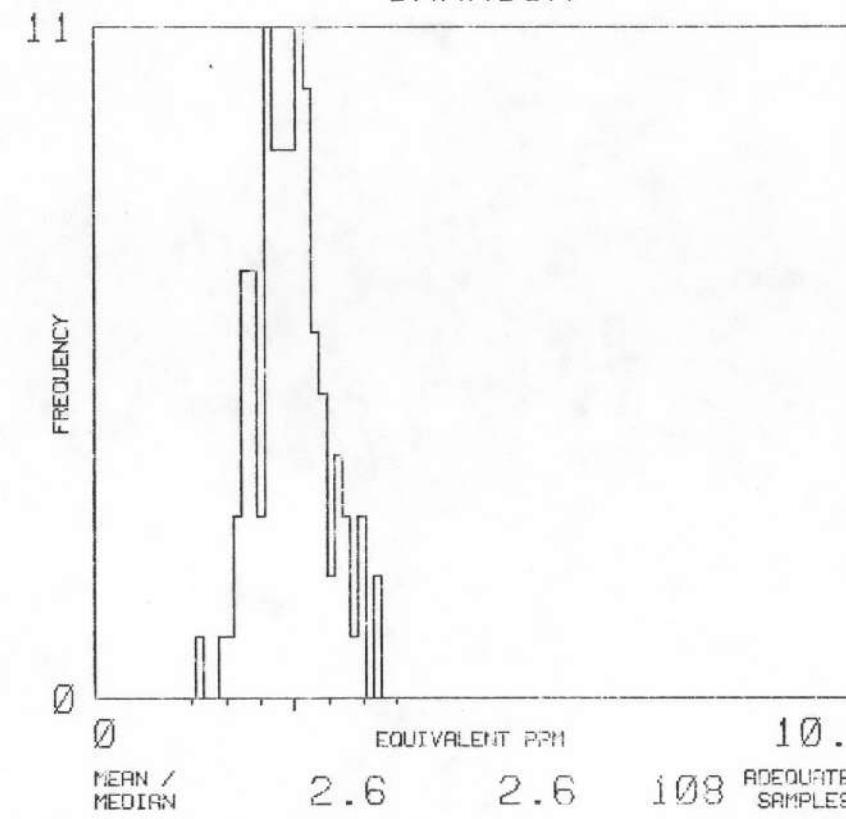
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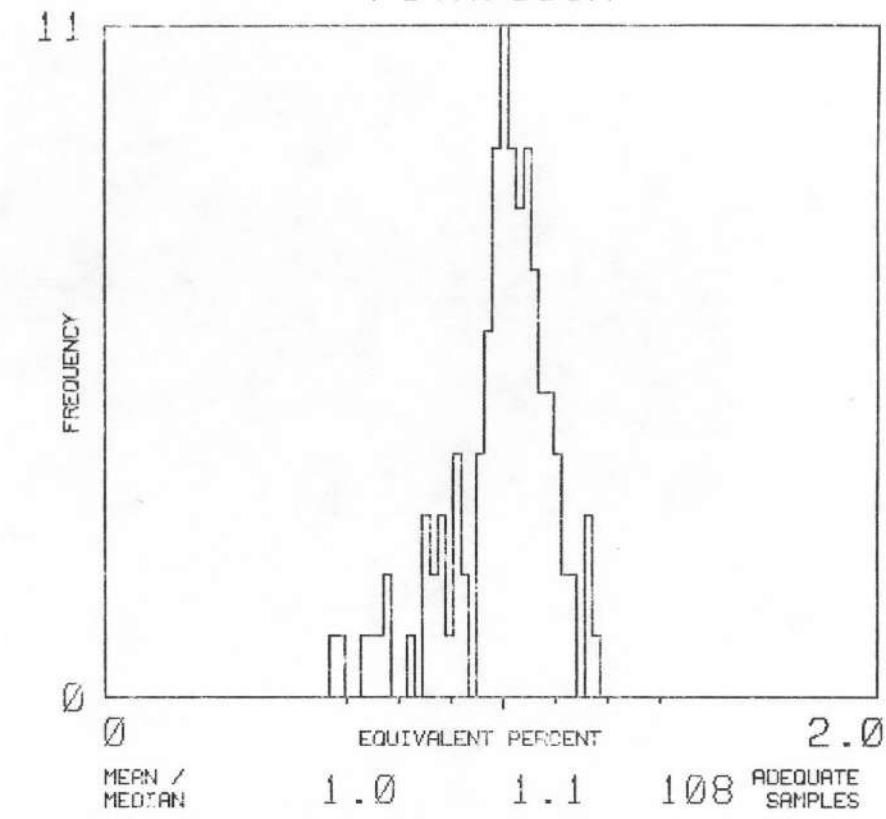
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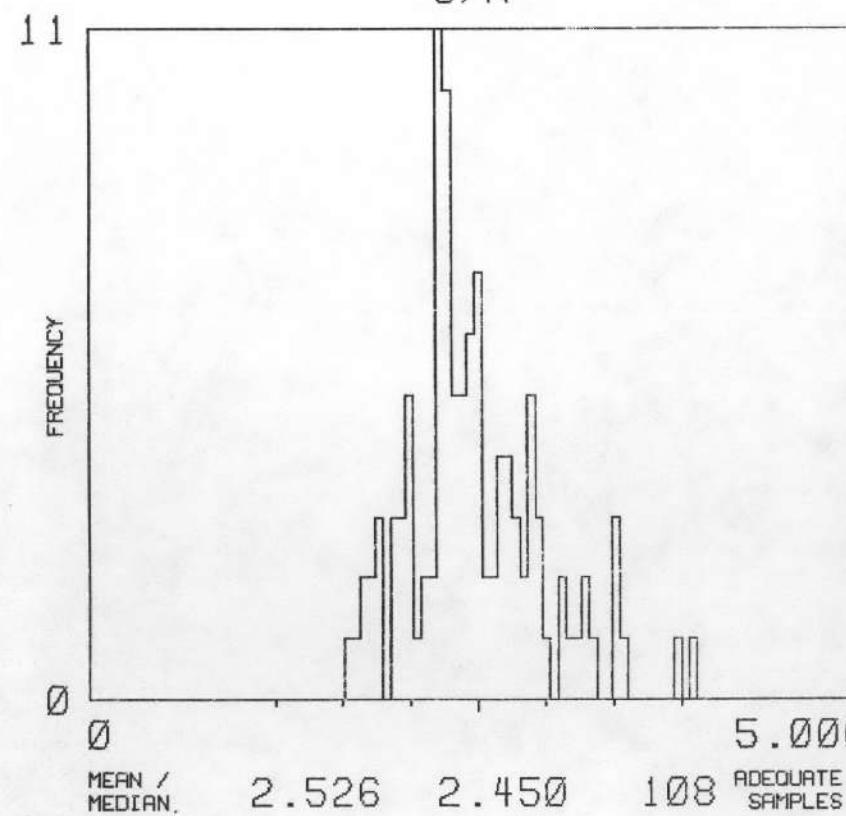
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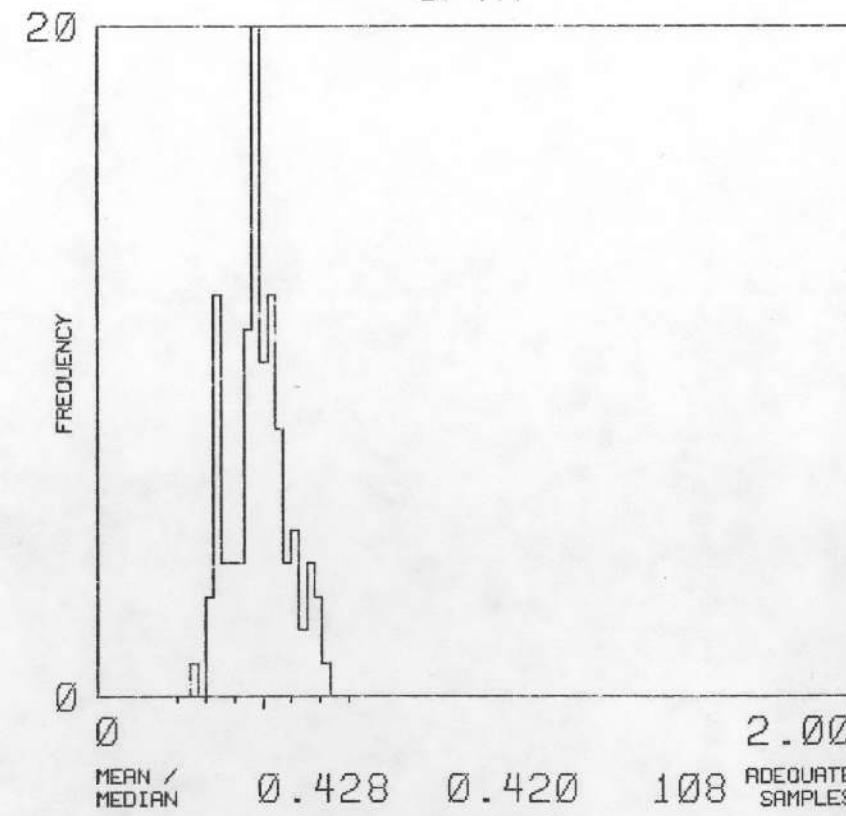
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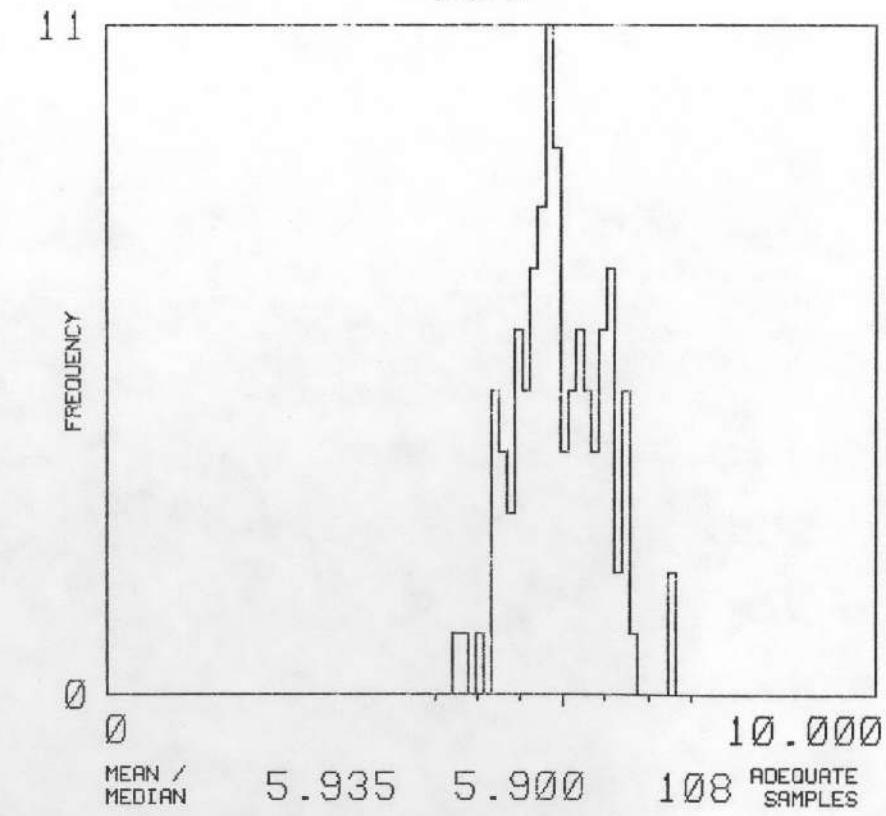
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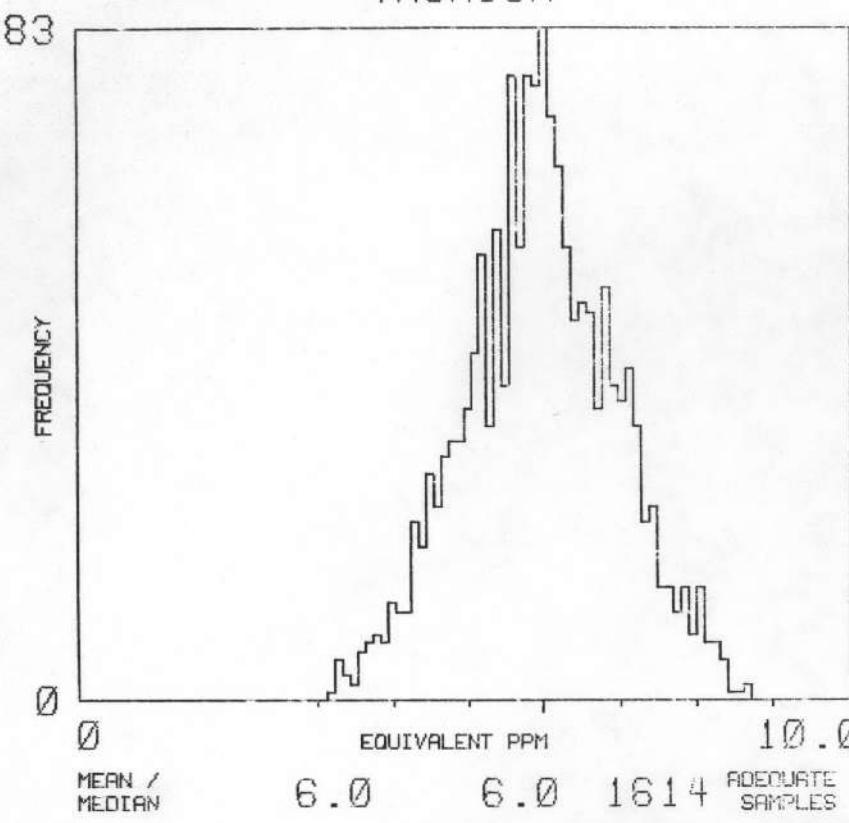
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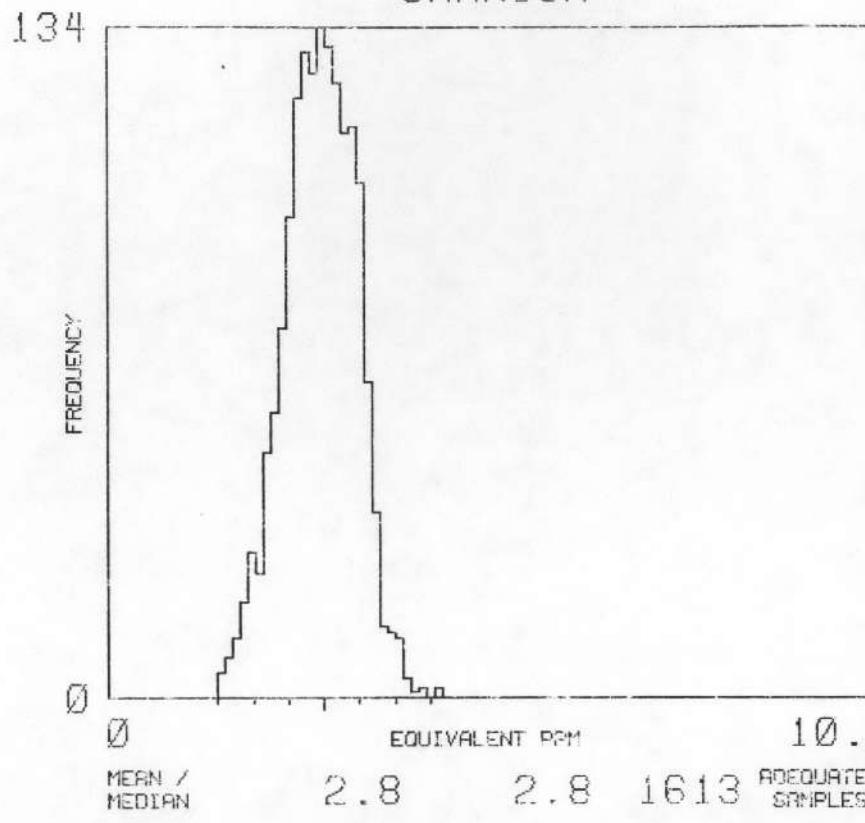
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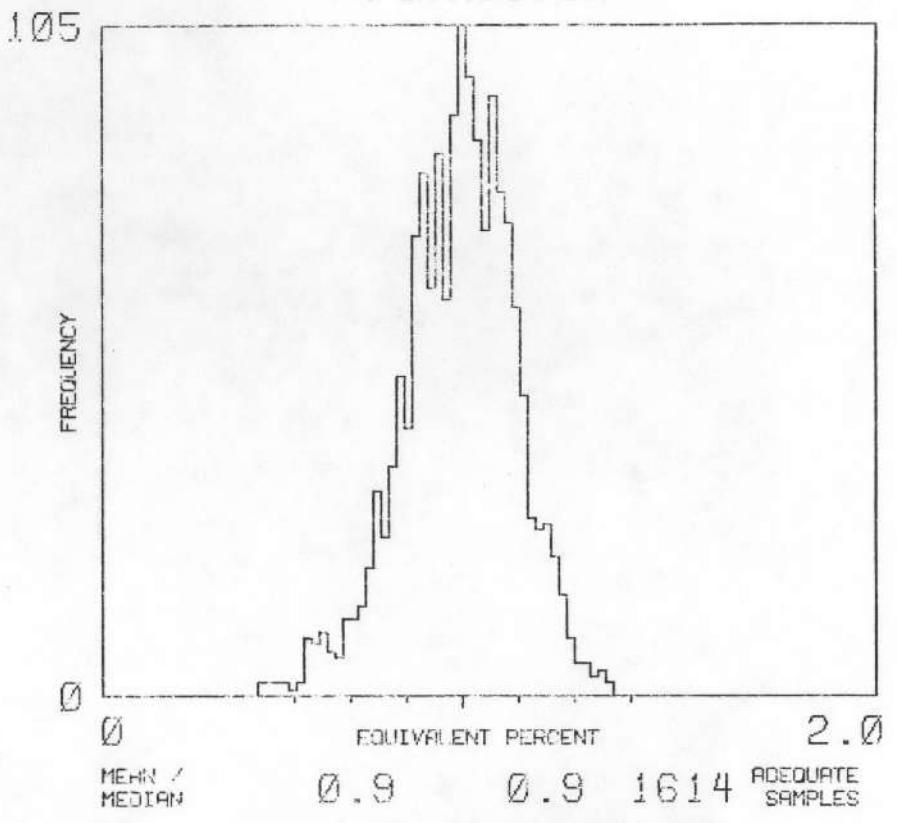
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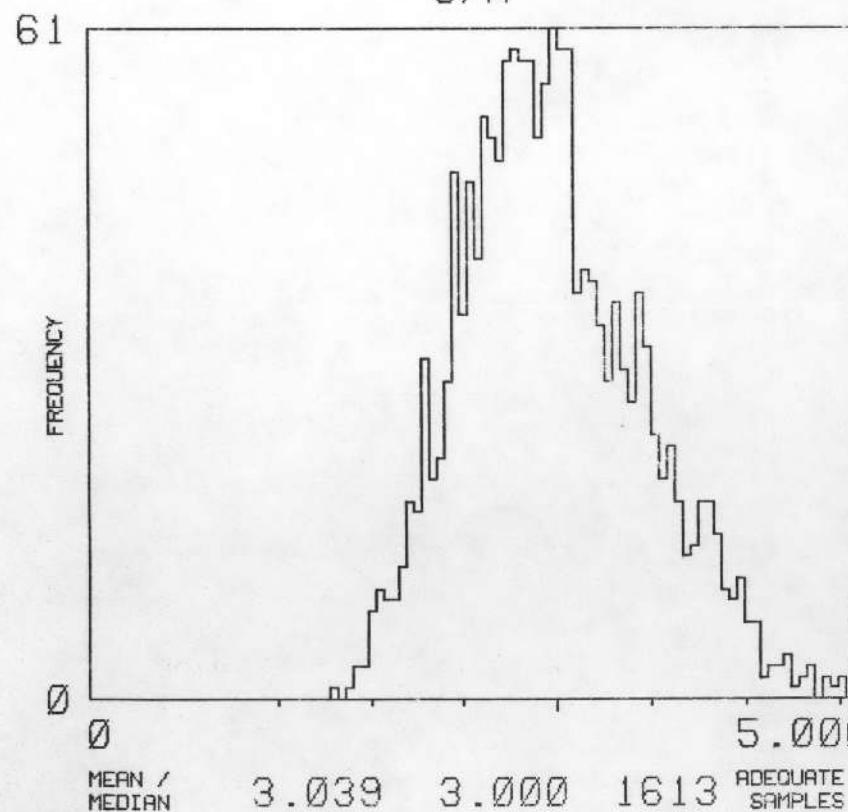
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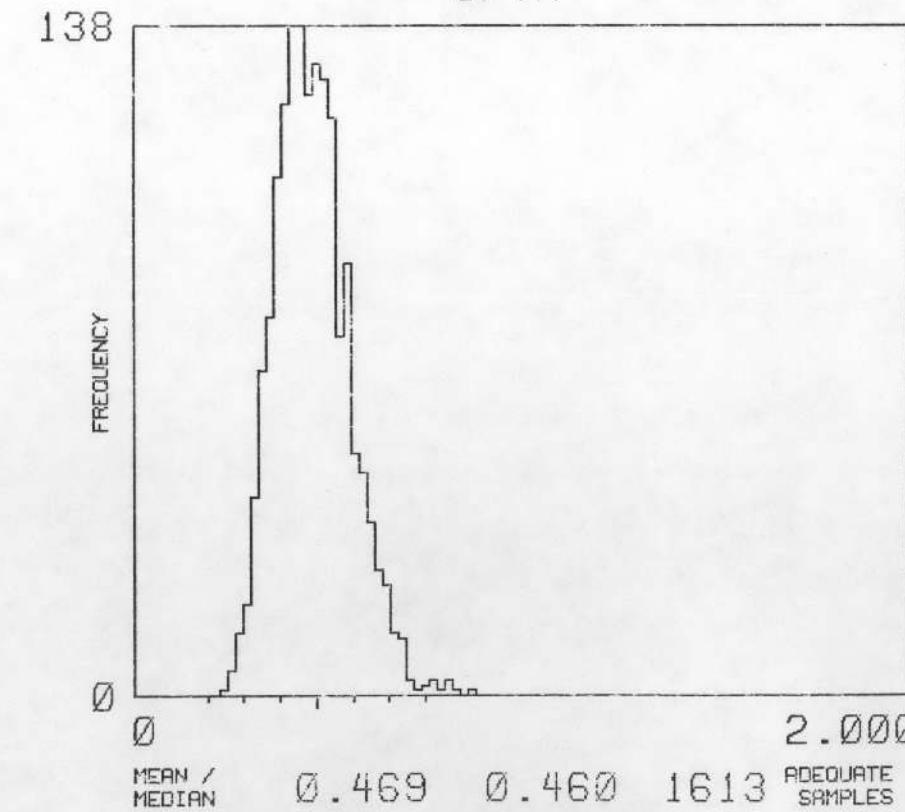
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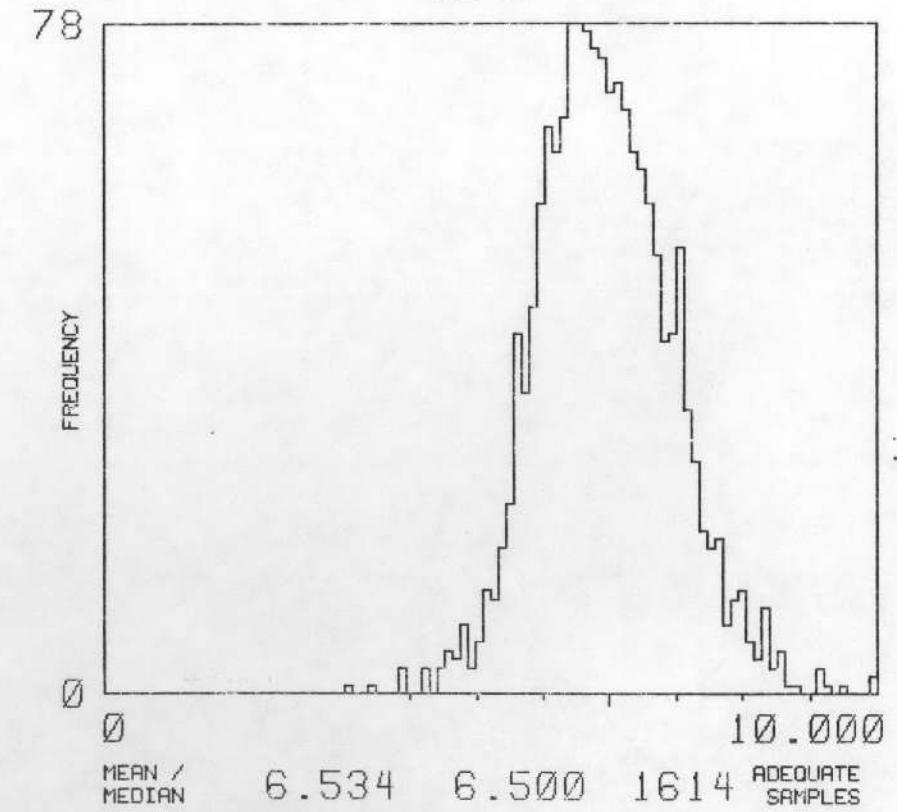
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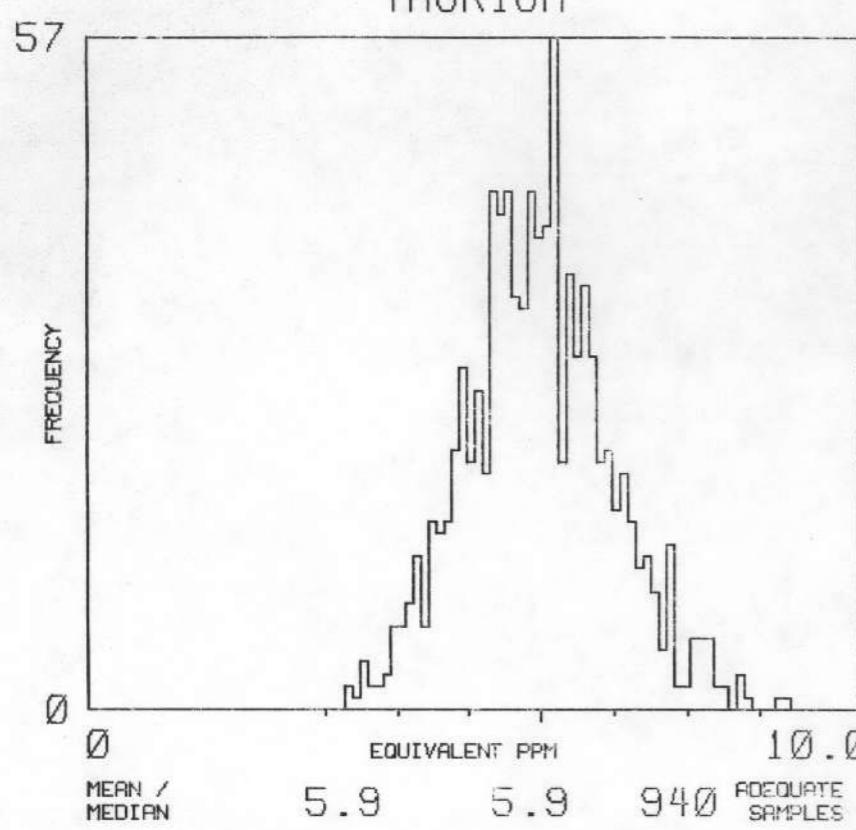
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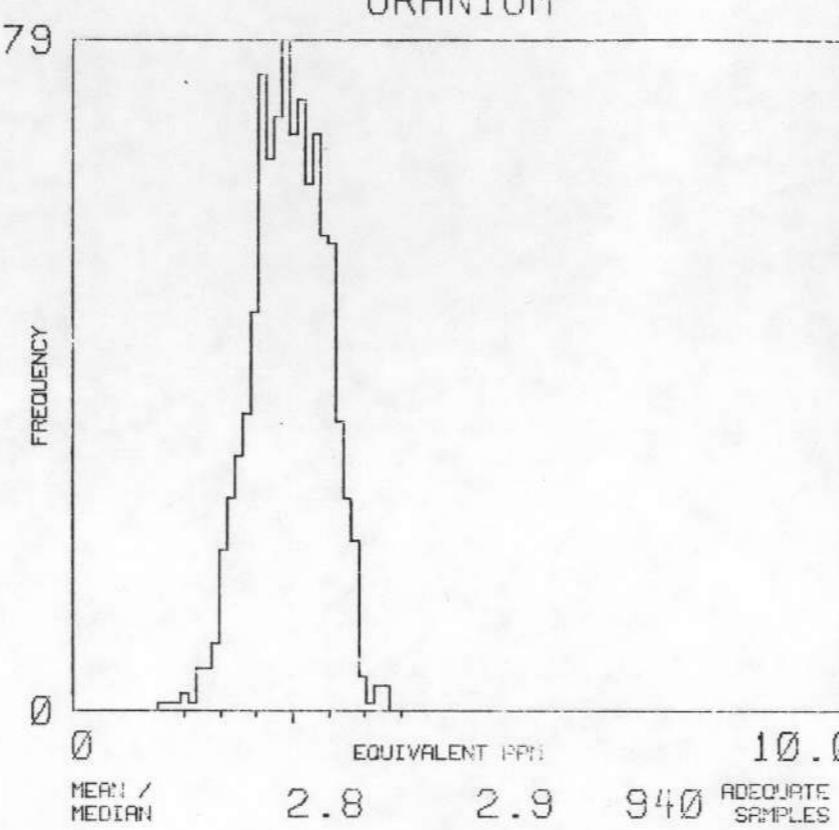
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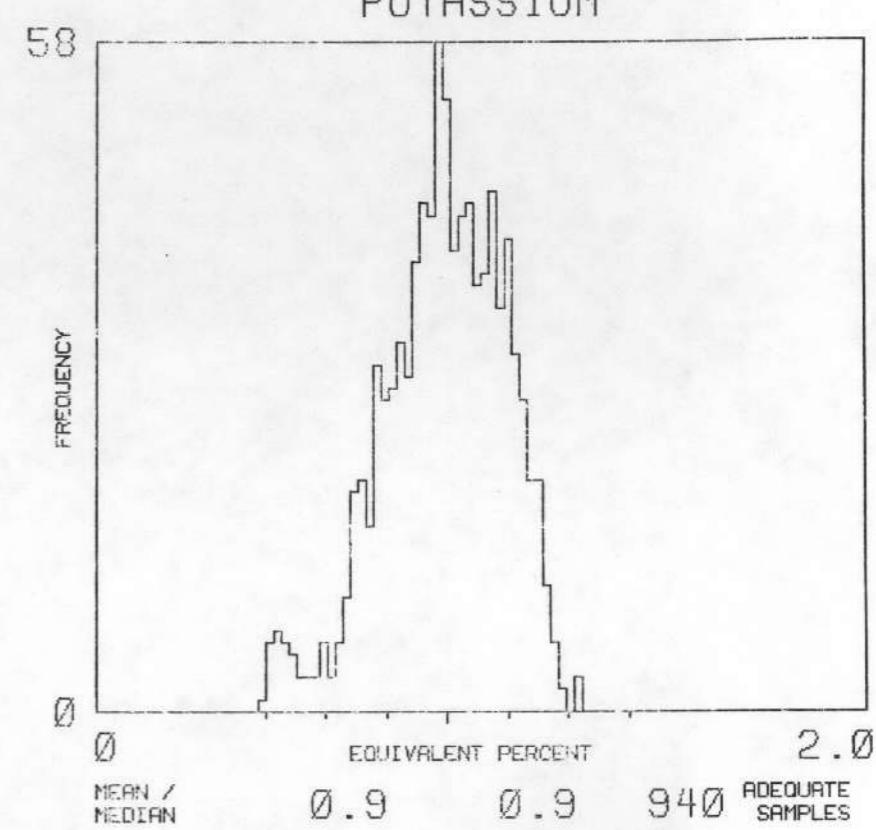
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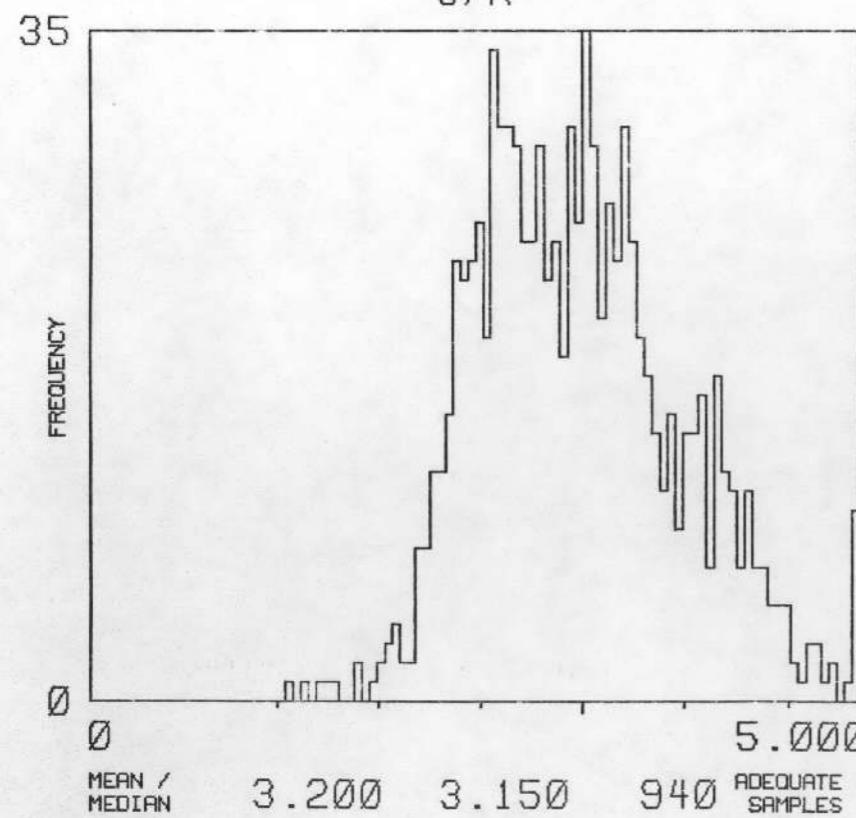
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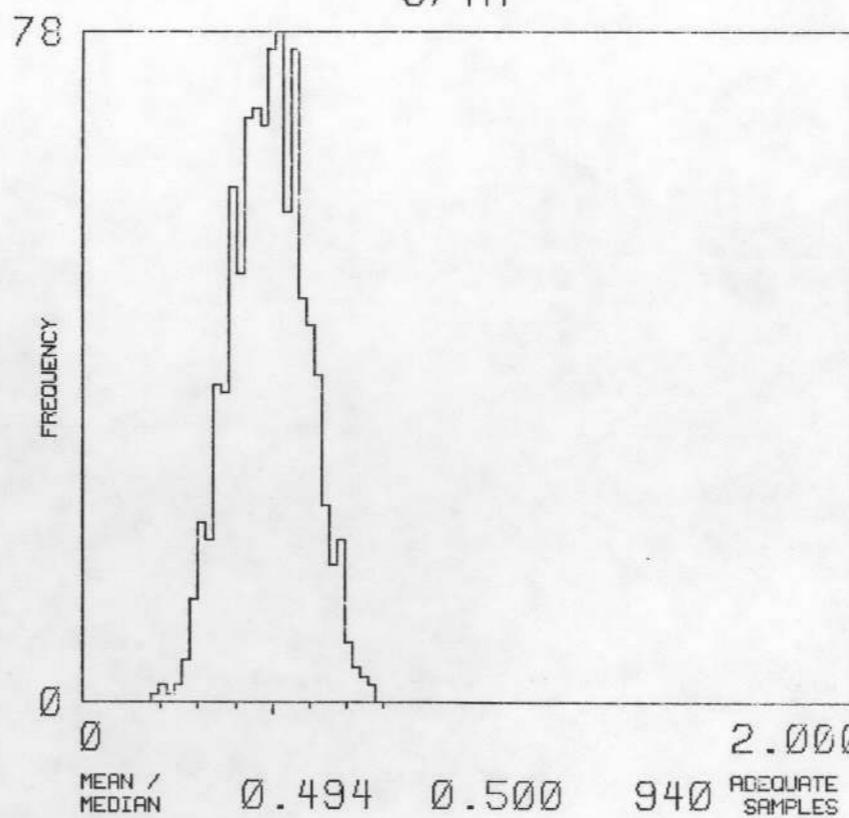
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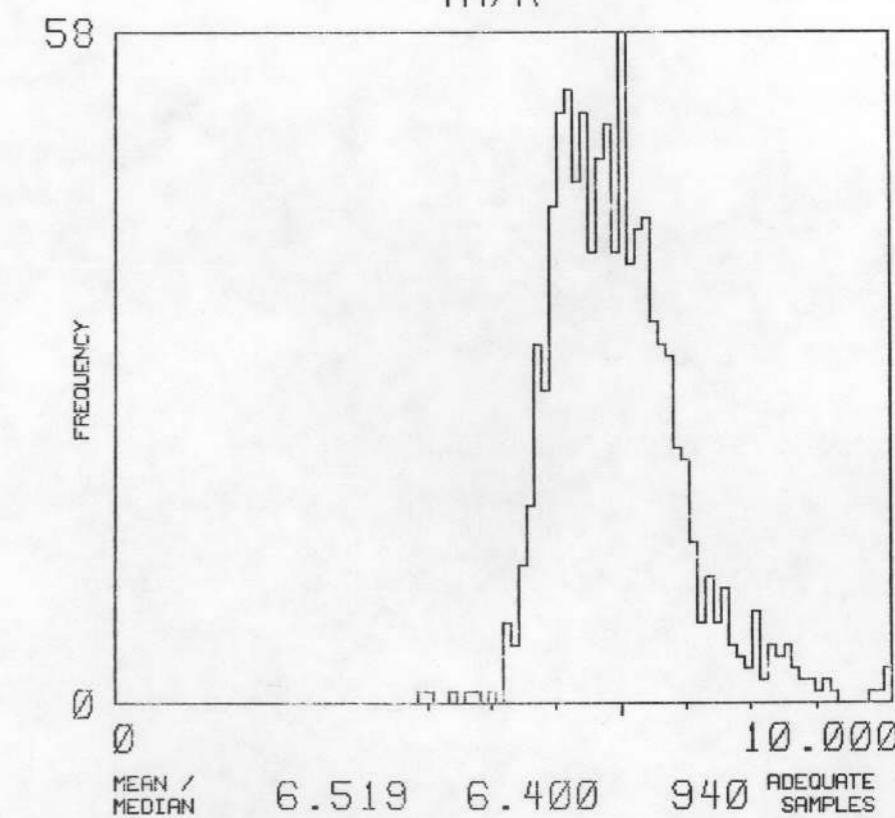
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MARION QUADRANGLEComputer Map Unit Symbol Conversion Table

<u>Computer Map Unit Symbol</u>	<u>Geologic Map Unit Symbol</u>
QAL	Qa1
QWO	Qwo
QWK	Qwk
QWL	Qwl
QWG	Qwg
QWE	Qwe
QIO	Qio
* QIK	Qik
QIG	Qig
QIE	Qie
* QIL	Qil
PAP	Pap
MMW	Mmw

## NOTES:

On the following pages, histograms for each computer map unit are included in the same order as they appear on the above list.

Geologic descriptions of original geologic map units are in Appendix C.

Areas over water or cultural features were assigned separate map unit symbols and were removed from the data block during processing.

\*Statistical analysis was not performed on these units due to there being an inadequate number of samples.

**APPENDIX G - Uranium Anomaly Summary and  
Statistical Tables**

## ANOMALY SUMMARY TABLE

ANOMALY	FLIGHT	COMPUTER MAP UNIT AND NO.	ANOMALOUS SAMPLES IN UNIT			PEAK PPM	NUMBER OF SAMPLES WITH A STANDARD DEVIATION OF :							
			1	2	3		4	5	6	7	GT7			
1 C	520	QWE	/ 3	/ 0	/ 0	4.0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
2 C	530	QWE	/ 1QWG	/ 1	/ 0	4.5	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
3 C	530	QWG	/ 3	/ 0	/ 0	3.9	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
4 C	530	QWG	/ 2QWE	/ 1	/ 0	4.2	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
5 C	540	QWE	/ 6	/ 0	/ 0	4.5	2	3	1	0	0	0	0	0
6 C	540	QIG	/ 3	/ 0	/ 0	3.3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
7 C	540	MMW	/ 1	/ 0	/ 0	4.1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
8 C	550	QWG	/ 2	/ 0	/ 0	4.2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
9 C	550	QWG	/ 2	/ 0	/ 0	4.0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
10 C	550	QWG	/ 4	/ 0	/ 0	4.1	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
11 C	550	QWG	/ 1	/ 0	/ 0	4.7	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
12 C	550	QWE	/ 2QWG	/ 1	/ 0	4.1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
13 C	550	QWG	/ 4	/ 0	/ 0	4.0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
14 C	550	QWG	/ 1QWO	/ 2	/ 0	3.5	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
15 C	560	QWG	/ 2	/ 0	/ 0	4.3	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
16 C	560	QWG	/ 3	/ 0	/ 0	4.4	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
17 C	560	QWE	/ 1	/ 0	/ 0	4.6	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
18 C	560	QWG	/ 3QWE	/ 2	/ 0	5.0	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	0
19 C	560	QWG	/ 1	/ 0	/ 0	5.0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
20 C	560	QWG	/ 2	/ 0	/ 0	4.5	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
21 C	560	QWG	/ 2	/ 0	/ 0	4.5	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
22 C	560	QWG	/ 1QWE	/ 2	/ 0	4.5	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
23 C	560	QWG	/ 2QWE	/ 1	/ 0	4.3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
24 C	560	QWG	/ 5	/ 0	/ 0	4.4	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
25 C	560	PAP	/ 1	/ 0	/ 0	4.3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
26 C	570	QWO	/ 4	/ 0	/ 0	3.9	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
27 C	570	QWE	/ 2QWG	/ 1	/ 0	4.1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
28 C	570	QWG	/ 2QWE	/ 2	/ 0	4.7	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
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30 C	570	QWE	/ 2	/ 0	/ 0	4.2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
31 C	570	QWE	/ 2	/ 0	/ 0	4.9	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
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35 C	570	QWG	/ 2	/ 0	/ 0	4.4	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
36 C	570	QWG	/ 3	/ 0	/ 0	4.4	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1
37 C	570	QWG	/ 3	/ 0	/ 0	4.4	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
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39 C	570	QWG	/ 2	/ 0	/ 0	4.0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
40 C	570	QWG	/ 4	/ 0	/ 0	4.4	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
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42 C	570	QWG	/ 1QWE	/ 2	/ 0	4.3	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
43 C	570	QIG	/ 3	/ 0	/ 0	3.5	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
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46 C	580	QWE	/ 3	/ 0	/ 0	5.0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
47 C	580	QWG	/ 2	/ 0	/ 0	4.4	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
48 C	580	QWG	/ 1	/ 0	/ 0	4.4	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
49 C	580	QWG	/ 3	/ 0	/ 0	4.1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
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## ANOMALY SUMMARY TABLE

ANOMALY	FLIGHT	COMPUTER MAP UNIT AND NO.	ANOMALOUS SAMPLES IN UNIT			PEAK PPM	NUMBER OF SAMPLES WITH A STANDARD DEVIATION OF :							
			1	2	3		4	5	6	7	GT7			
51 C	580	QWG	/ 2	/ 0	/ 0	4.5	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
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53 C	580	QWG	/ 1	/ 0	/ 0	4.8	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
54 C	580	QWG	/ 3	/ 0	/ 0	4.4	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
55 C	580	QWG	/ 1	/ 0	/ 0	4.5	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
56 C	580	QWG	/ 5QWE	/ 4	/ 0	4.6	3	4	2	0	0	0	0	0
57 C	580	QWG	/ 2	/ 0	/ 0	4.5	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
58 C	580	QWG	/ 4	/ 0	/ 0	4.6	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0
59 C	580	QWG	/ 3	/ 0	/ 0	4.1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
60 C	580	QWG	/ 1QWE	/ 2	/ 0	4.0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
61 C	590	QWD	/ 4	/ 0	/ 0	3.5	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
62 C	590	QWG	/ 2	/ 0	/ 0	4.4	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
63 C	590	QAL	/ 2QWG	/ 5	/ 0	5.6	4	1	1	0	1	0	0	0
64 C	590	QWG	/ 1QAL	/ 1	/ 0	4.5	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
65 C	590	QWG	/ 3	/ 0	/ 0	4.2	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
66 C	590	QWG	/ 7QWE	/ 1	/ 0	4.6	1	5	2	0	0	0	0	0
67 C	590	QWE	/ 3	/ 0	/ 0	4.7	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
68 C	600	QWE	/ 5	/ 0	/ 0	4.5	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
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84 C	1180	QWG	/ 3	/ 0	/ 0	4.4	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
85 C	1180	QWE	/ 2	/ 0	/ 0	4.7	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
86 C	1180	QWE	/ 5	/ 0	/ 0	4.2	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
87 C	1180	QWE	/ 2	/ 0	/ 0	4.8	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
88 C	1180	QWE	/ 2	/ 0	/ 0	4.5	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
89 C	1190	QWE	/ 5	/ 0	/ 0	4.0	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
90 C	1190	QIG	/ 4	/ 0	/ 0	3.8	3	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
91 C	1190	QWE	/ 5	/ 0	/ 0	4.1	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
92 C	1200	QAL	/ 1MMW	/ 3	/ 0	3.8	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
93 C	1200	QAL	/ 3	/ 0	/ 0	4.1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
94 C	1200	PAP	/ 2	/ 0	/ 0	3.5	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
95 C	1200	QAL	/ 2	/ 0	/ 0	4.7	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
96 C	1200	QAL	/ 1QWK	/ 2	/ 0	3.8	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
97 C	1200	QWK	/ 2	/ 0	/ 0	4.1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
98 C	1200	QWD	/ 6	/ 0	/ 0	3.7	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
99 C	1200	QWD	/ 3	/ 0	/ 0	3.9	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0

NOTES: M INDICATES THAT THE ANOMALY LIES OVER  
A URANIUM MINE OR PROSPECT.

C INDICATES THAT THE ANOMALY LIES OVER A CULTURAL FEATURE.

W INDICATES POSSIBLE INTERFERENCE BY WEATHER PHENOMENA.

MAP UNIT QAL							
	-3	-2	-1	0	+1	+2	+3
POTASIUM DIST NORMAL	0. 4771	0. 6631	0. 8491	1. 0351	1. 2211	1. 4071	1. 5931
URANIUM DIST NORMAL	1. 0648	1. 6462	2. 2276	2. 8090	3. 3904	3. 9718	4. 5532
THORIUM DIST NORMAL	2. 9382	3. 8263	4. 7144	5. 6025	6. 4906	7. 3787	8. 2668
U/K DIST NORMAL	0. 5235	1. 2773	2. 0311	2. 7849	3. 5387	4. 2925	5. 0463
U/TH DIST NORMAL	0. 1047	0. 2408	0. 3769	0. 5130	0. 6491	0. 7852	0. 9213
TH/K DIST NORMAL	2. 5479	3. 5433	4. 5387	5. 5341	6. 5295	7. 5249	8. 5203

MAP UNIT QWD							
	-3	-2	-1	0	+1	+2	+3
POTASIUM DIST NORMAL	0. 5734	0. 7407	0. 9080	1. 0753	1. 2426	1. 4099	1. 5772
URANIUM DIST NORMAL	1. 3450	1. 8192	2. 2934	2. 7676	3. 2418	3. 7160	4. 1902
THORIUM DIST NORMAL	3. 1088	3. 9135	4. 7182	5. 5229	6. 3276	7. 1323	7. 9370
U/K DIST NORMAL	0. 9811	1. 5290	2. 0769	2. 6248	3. 1727	3. 7206	4. 2685
U/TH DIST NORMAL	0. 1971	0. 3013	0. 4055	0. 5097	0. 6139	0. 7181	0. 8223
TH/K DIST NORMAL	2. 9060	3. 6698	4. 4336	5. 1974	5. 9612	6. 7250	7. 4888

MAP UNIT QWK							
	-3	-2	-1	0	+1	+2	+3
POTASIUM DIST NORMAL	0. 5659	0. 7423	0. 9187	1. 0951	1. 2715	1. 4479	1. 6243
URANIUM DIST NORMAL	1. 2906	1. 8499	2. 4092	2. 9685	3. 5278	4. 0871	4. 6464
THORIUM DIST NORMAL	3. 2693	4. 0529	4. 8365	5. 6201	6. 4037	7. 1873	7. 9709
U/K DIST NORMAL	0. 6309	1. 3469	2. 0629	2. 7789	3. 4949	4. 2109	4. 9269
U/TH DIST NORMAL	0. 1407	0. 2738	0. 4069	0. 5400	0. 6731	0. 8062	0. 9393
TH/K DIST NORMAL	2. 8344	3. 6260	4. 4176	5. 2092	6. 0008	6. 7924	7. 5840

MAP UNIT QWL							
	-3	-2	-1	0	+1	+2	+3
POTASIUM DIST NORMAL	0. 2779	0. 5911	0. 9043	1. 2175	1. 5307	1. 8439	2. 1571
URANIUM DIST NORMAL	1. 2753	1. 8401	2. 4049	2. 9697	3. 5345	4. 0993	4. 6641
THORIUM DIST NORMAL	1. 6915	3. 0415	4. 3915	5. 7415	7. 0915	8. 4415	9. 7915
U/K DIST NORMAL	0. 6715	1. 3040	1. 9365	2. 5690	3. 2015	3. 8340	4. 4665
U/TH DIST NORMAL	0. 1569	0. 2845	0. 4121	0. 5397	0. 6673	0. 7949	0. 9225
TH/K DIST NORMAL	2. 2774	3. 1260	3. 9746	4. 8232	5. 6718	6. 5204	7. 3690

MAP UNIT QWG							
	-3	-2	-1	0	+1	+2	+3
POTASIUM DIST NORMAL	0. 6691	0. 8616	1. 0541	1. 2466	1. 4391	1. 6316	1. 8241
URANIUM DIST NORMAL	1. 5225	2. 0491	2. 5757	3. 1023	3. 6289	4. 1555	4. 6821
THORIUM DIST NORMAL	3. 6963	4. 4768	5. 2573	6. 0378	6. 8183	7. 5988	8. 3793
U/K DIST NORMAL	0. 7964	1. 3792	1. 9620	2. 5448	3. 1276	3. 7104	4. 2932
U/TH DIST NORMAL	0. 1974	0. 3054	0. 4134	0. 5214	0. 6294	0. 7374	0. 8454
TH/K DIST NORMAL	2. 6612	3. 4114	4. 1616	4. 9118	5. 6620	6. 4122	7. 1624

MAP UNIT QWE							
	-3	-2	-1	0	+1	+2	+3
POTASIUM DIST NORMAL	0. 6349	0. 8286	1. 0223	1. 2160	1. 4097	1. 6034	1. 7971
URANIUM DIST NORMAL	1. 5816	2. 0973	2. 6130	3. 1287	3. 6444	4. 1601	4. 6758
THORIUM DIST NORMAL	3. 7904	4. 5146	5. 2388	5. 9630	6. 6872	7. 4114	8. 1356
U/K DIST NORMAL	1. 0457	1. 5710	2. 0963	2. 6216	3. 1469	3. 6722	4. 1975
U/TH DIST NORMAL	0. 2349	0. 3333	0. 4317	0. 5301	0. 6285	0. 7269	0. 8253
TH/K DIST NORMAL	2. 8972	3. 5902	4. 2832	4. 9762	5. 6692	6. 3622	7. 0552

MAP UNIT QIO							
	-3	-2	-1	0	+1	+2	+3
POTASSIUM DIST NORMAL	0. 7835	0. 8823	0. 9811	1. 0799	1. 1787	1. 2775	1. 3763
URANIUM DIST NORMAL	1. 5988	2. 0289	2. 4590	2. 8891	3. 3192	3. 7493	4. 1794
THORIUM DIST NORMAL	4. 8542	5. 3640	5. 8738	6. 3836	6. 8934	7. 4032	7. 9130
U/K DIST NORMAL	1. 3355	1. 7873	2. 2391	2. 6909	3. 1427	3. 5945	4. 0463
U/TH DIST NORMAL	0. 2283	0. 3038	0. 3793	0. 4548	0. 5303	0. 6058	0. 6813
TH/K DIST NORMAL	3. 9194	4. 5976	5. 2758	5. 9540	6. 6322	7. 3104	7. 9886

MAP UNIT QIG							
	-3	-2	-1	0	+1	+2	+3
POTASSIUM DIST NORMAL	0. 6047	0. 7340	0. 8633	0. 9926	1. 1219	1. 2512	1. 3805
URANIUM DIST NORMAL	1. 3566	1. 7828	2. 2090	2. 6352	3. 0614	3. 4876	3. 9138
THORIUM DIST NORMAL	3. 6103	4. 4556	5. 3009	6. 1462	6. 9915	7. 8368	8. 6821
U/K DIST NORMAL	1. 2652	1. 7380	2. 2108	2. 6836	3. 1564	3. 6292	4. 1020
U/TH DIST NORMAL	0. 1952	0. 2749	0. 3546	0. 4343	0. 5140	0. 5937	0. 6734
TH/K DIST NORMAL	3. 7761	4. 5979	5. 4197	6. 2415	7. 0633	7. 8851	8. 7069

MAP UNIT QIE							
	-3	-2	-1	0	+1	+2	+3
POTASSIUM DIST NORMAL	0. 6269	0. 7620	0. 8971	1. 0322	1. 1673	1. 3024	1. 4375
URANIUM DIST NORMAL	1. 2547	1. 6974	2. 1401	2. 5828	3. 0255	3. 4682	3. 9109
THORIUM DIST NORMAL	4. 0144	4. 7035	5. 3926	6. 0817	6. 7708	7. 4599	8. 1490
U/K DIST NORMAL	1. 1977	1. 6405	2. 0833	2. 5261	2. 9689	3. 4117	3. 8545
U/TH DIST NORMAL	0. 2051	0. 2793	0. 3535	0. 4277	0. 5019	0. 5761	0. 6503
TH/K DIST NORMAL	4. 2809	4. 8323	5. 3837	5. 9351	6. 4865	7. 0379	7. 5893

MAP UNIT PAP							
	-3	-2	-1	0	+1	+2	+3
POTASSIUM DIST NORMAL	0. 4953	0. 6406	0. 7859	0. 9312	1. 0765	1. 2218	1. 3671
URANIUM DIST NORMAL	1. 4114	1. 8671	2. 3228	2. 7785	3. 2342	3. 6899	4. 1456
THORIUM DIST NORMAL	3. 0843	4. 0681	5. 0519	6. 0357	7. 0195	8. 0033	8. 9871
U/K DIST NORMAL	1. 2137	1. 8223	2. 4309	3. 0395	3. 6481	4. 2567	4. 8653
U/TH DIST NORMAL	0. 1879	0. 2817	0. 3755	0. 4693	0. 5631	0. 6569	0. 7507
TH/K DIST NORMAL	3. 9545	4. 8143	5. 6741	6. 5339	7. 3937	8. 2535	9. 1133

MAP UNIT MMW							
	-3	-2	-1	0	+1	+2	+3
POTASSIUM DIST NORMAL	0. 4401	0. 5974	0. 7547	0. 9120	1. 0693	1. 2266	1. 3839
URANIUM DIST NORMAL	1. 4521	1. 9177	2. 3833	2. 8489	3. 3145	3. 7801	4. 2457
THORIUM DIST NORMAL	3. 0506	3. 9935	4. 9364	5. 8793	6. 8222	7. 7651	8. 7080
U/K DIST NORMAL	1. 1953	1. 8635	2. 5317	3. 1999	3. 8681	4. 5363	5. 2045
U/TH DIST NORMAL	0. 2055	0. 3016	0. 3977	0. 4938	0. 5899	0. 6860	0. 7821
TH/K DIST NORMAL	4. 0189	4. 8523	5. 6857	6. 5191	7. 3525	8. 1859	9. 0193

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MAP UNIT QAL

	490	500	510	520	530	540	550	560	570	580	590	600	1150	1160	1170
POTASIUM	1.124	1.255	1.111	0.921	0.961	0.974	0.991	0.951	1.115	1.033	0.961	0.960	0.000	0.000	0.000
URANIUM	2.871	2.699	2.916	2.249	2.372	2.497	2.797	2.511	2.903	2.821	3.000	2.770	0.000	0.000	0.000
THORIUM	6.036	5.809	5.915	5.559	5.655	6.413	5.237	5.381	6.510	6.045	5.687	5.146	0.000	0.000	0.000
U/K	2.575	2.168	2.666	2.484	2.474	2.661	2.846	2.682	2.604	2.726	3.127	2.913	0.000	0.000	0.000
U/TH	0.479	0.472	0.498	0.414	0.419	0.390	0.543	0.480	0.447	0.468	0.548	0.548	0.000	0.000	0.000
TH/K	5.413	4.665	5.366	6.083	5.908	6.865	5.319	5.659	5.840	5.850	5.135	5.398	0.000	0.000	0.000

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POTASIUM	1.245	0.914	0.954
URANIUM	3.004	2.801	3.368
THORIUM	6.099	4.953	5.455
U/K	2.430	3.244	3.590
U/TH	0.492	0.588	0.624
TH/K	4.936	5.715	5.791

MAP UNIT QWD

	490	500	510	520	530	540	550	560	570	580	590	600	1150	1160	1170
POTASIUM	0.000	1.153	0.999	1.242	1.024	0.982	1.079	1.022	1.138	1.035	1.114	1.054	1.166	0.000	0.000
URANIUM	0.000	2.573	2.426	3.060	2.639	3.207	2.893	2.806	2.959	2.767	2.747	2.503	2.423	0.000	0.000
THORIUM	0.000	5.577	5.693	6.018	5.455	6.063	5.604	5.688	5.427	5.044	5.801	5.277	5.540	0.000	0.000
U/K	0.000	2.275	2.440	2.469	2.587	3.279	2.735	2.774	2.606	2.753	2.509	2.443	2.126	0.000	0.000
U/TH	0.000	0.470	0.434	0.509	0.489	0.529	0.523	0.514	0.550	0.561	0.484	0.484	0.442	0.000	0.000
TH/K	0.000	4.872	5.717	4.849	5.348	6.204	5.262	5.633	4.775	4.934	5.232	5.078	4.806	0.000	0.000

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POTASIUM	0.000	1.002	1.099
URANIUM	0.000	3.047	3.140
THORIUM	0.000	5.771	5.635
U/K	0.000	3.072	2.879
U/TH	0.000	0.530	0.565
TH/K	0.000	5.821	5.176

## MAP UNIT QWK

	490	500	510	520	530	540	550	560	570	580	590	600	1150	1160	1170
POTASIUM	1.083	1.157	0.941	1.020	1.025	0.901	1.095	1.339	1.130	0.000	0.000	0.000	1.337	0.000	1.507
URANIUM	2.899	2.863	3.062	2.551	2.460	2.988	3.195	3.220	2.935	0.000	0.000	0.000	2.948	0.000	3.593
THORIUM	4.947	5.706	4.874	5.443	6.033	4.703	5.467	5.275	5.311	0.000	0.000	0.000	5.856	0.000	6.062
U/K	2.680	2.475	3.263	2.537	2.412	3.323	2.955	2.408	2.611	0.000	0.000	0.000	2.210	0.000	2.389
U/TH	0.587	0.508	0.632	0.474	0.413	0.637	0.592	0.612	0.557	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.507	0.000	0.595
TH/K	4.569	4.939	5.227	5.381	5.938	5.222	5.079	3.944	4.707	0.000	0.000	0.000	4.376	0.000	4.021

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POTASIUM	1.259	0.996	0.966
URANIUM	3.027	3.196	3.686
THORIUM	6.628	5.403	5.350
U/K	2.415	3.311	3.960
U/TH	0.462	0.606	0.709
TH/K	5.266	5.463	5.576

## MAP UNIT QWL

	490	500	510	520	530	540	550	560	570	580	590	600	1150	1160	1170
POTASIUM	1.231	0.000	1.370	0.000	0.786	0.000	1.464	0.000	1.225	0.905	1.013	0.000	0.784	0.000	0.000
URANIUM	3.267	0.000	2.987	0.000	2.238	0.000	3.505	0.000	3.668	2.457	3.129	0.000	2.164	0.000	0.000
THORIUM	6.258	0.000	5.841	0.000	4.187	0.000	6.529	0.000	5.627	5.108	5.457	0.000	3.259	0.000	0.000
U/K	2.699	0.000	2.196	0.000	3.450	0.000	2.424	0.000	3.044	2.779	3.107	0.000	2.891	0.000	0.000
U/TH	0.527	0.000	0.517	0.000	0.628	0.000	0.550	0.000	0.663	0.487	0.580	0.000	0.693	0.000	0.000
TH/K	5.099	0.000	4.284	0.000	5.518	0.000	4.469	0.000	4.608	5.969	5.399	0.000	4.250	0.000	0.000

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POTASIUM	1.284	1.082	0.000
URANIUM	2.809	3.238	0.000
THORIUM	6.628	5.992	0.000
U/K	2.204	3.007	0.000
U/TH	0.426	0.546	0.000
TH/K	5.189	5.539	0.000

## MAP UNIT QWG

	490	500	510	520	530	540	550	560	570	580	590	600	1150	1160	1170
POTASIUM	1.255	1.263	1.237	1.272	1.258	1.244	1.340	1.265	1.164	1.124	1.138	1.182	1.372	1.428	1.312
URANIUM	3.002	2.765	2.867	2.947	3.133	3.006	3.339	3.352	3.413	3.471	3.292	3.191	2.709	2.982	3.311
THORIUM	5.539	5.888	6.190	6.273	6.180	5.862	6.218	6.065	5.922	5.800	5.866	5.955	6.116	6.601	6.282
U/K	2.423	2.223	2.345	2.365	2.525	2.445	2.525	2.692	2.971	3.182	2.943	2.736	1.996	2.106	2.579
U/TH	0.551	0.477	0.468	0.475	0.514	0.518	0.543	0.559	0.582	0.615	0.572	0.541	0.449	0.455	0.533
TH/K	4.461	4.740	5.059	5.026	4.999	4.782	4.662	4.845	5.153	5.201	5.201	5.069	4.484	4.647	4.828

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POTASIUM	1.133	1.065	1.018
URANIUM	3.303	3.181	3.017
THORIUM	6.252	6.062	5.947
U/K	2.980	3.027	3.022
U/TH	0.535	0.531	0.512
TH/K	5.570	5.776	5.913

## MAP UNIT QWE

	490	500	510	520	530	540	550	560	570	580	590	600	1150	1160	1170
POTASIUM	1.103	1.212	1.280	1.196	1.205	1.275	1.298	1.142	1.244	1.175	1.134	1.104	1.373	1.481	1.315
URANIUM	2.869	2.841	2.933	2.976	3.092	3.089	3.379	3.113	3.432	3.364	3.229	3.056	2.905	3.279	3.161
THORIUM	5.655	5.462	5.922	5.715	6.079	6.040	6.324	5.745	6.052	5.806	5.815	5.732	6.327	6.762	6.221
U/K	2.633	2.358	2.330	2.516	2.595	2.468	2.656	2.756	2.782	2.903	2.903	2.800	2.148	2.224	2.444
U/TH	0.512	0.525	0.500	0.525	0.512	0.516	0.538	0.545	0.571	0.587	0.563	0.538	0.466	0.488	0.515
TH/K	5.177	4.519	4.699	4.849	5.117	4.820	4.960	5.107	4.925	4.998	5.191	5.266	4.623	4.589	4.763

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POTASIUM	1.208	1.089	1.044
URANIUM	3.226	3.160	2.755
THORIUM	6.363	5.718	5.674
U/K	2.745	2.945	2.664
U/TH	0.515	0.556	0.497
TH/K	5.328	5.321	5.468

## MAP UNIT QIO

	490	500	510	520	530	540	550	560	570	580	590	600	1150	1160	1170
POTASIUM	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	1.080	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
URANIUM	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	2.889	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
THORIUM	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	6.384	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
U/K	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	2.691	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
U/TH	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.455	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
TH/K	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	5.954	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000

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POTASIUM	0.000	0.000	0.000
URANIUM	0.000	0.000	0.000
THORIUM	0.000	0.000	0.000
U/K	0.000	0.000	0.000
U/TH	0.000	0.000	0.000
TH/K	0.000	0.000	0.000

## MAP UNIT QIG

	490	500	510	520	530	540	550	560	570	580	590	600	1150	1160	1170
POTASIUM	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.938	1.016	1.043	1.034	0.991	0.940	0.781	0.968	0.000	0.000	0.000
URANIUM	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	2.185	2.607	2.771	2.630	2.711	2.605	2.328	2.711	0.000	0.000	0.000
THORIUM	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	5.698	6.435	6.382	6.192	5.992	6.362	5.306	6.299	0.000	0.000	0.000
U/K	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	2.346	2.611	2.678	2.551	2.757	2.815	3.036	2.811	0.000	0.000	0.000
U/TH	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.393	0.409	0.440	0.428	0.457	0.414	0.449	0.434	0.000	0.000	0.000
TH/K	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	6.082	6.429	6.156	6.033	6.082	6.798	6.791	6.523	0.000	0.000	0.000

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POTASIUM	0.000	1.040	0.000
URANIUM	0.000	2.852	0.000
THORIUM	0.000	5.971	0.000
U/K	0.000	2.774	0.000
U/TH	0.000	0.483	0.000
TH/K	0.000	5.774	0.000

## MAP UNIT QIE

	490	500	510	520	530	540	550	560	570	580	590	600	1150	1160	1170
POTASIUM	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	1.116	1.115	0.973	0.749	1.103	1.084	0.000	0.000	0.000
URANIUM	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	2.362	2.809	2.220	2.159	3.107	2.801	0.000	0.000	0.000
THORIUM	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	6.916	6.542	5.807	4.848	6.176	5.978	0.000	0.000	0.000
U/K	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	2.126	2.526	2.297	2.963	2.834	2.588	0.000	0.000	0.000
U/TH	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.343	0.430	0.385	0.451	0.504	0.473	0.000	0.000	0.000
TH/K	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	6.199	5.885	5.989	6.541	5.620	5.532	0.000	0.000	0.000

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POTASIUM	0.000	0.000	0.000
URANIUM	0.000	0.000	0.000
THORIUM	0.000	0.000	0.000
U/K	0.000	0.000	0.000
U/TH	0.000	0.000	0.000
TH/K	0.000	0.000	0.000

## MAP UNIT PAP

	490	500	510	520	530	540	550	560	570	580	590	600	1150	1160	1170
POTASIUM	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.917	0.922	0.941	1.006	0.957	0.898	0.948	0.000	0.000	0.000
URANIUM	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	2.434	2.564	2.803	2.816	2.713	2.682	2.689	0.000	0.000	0.000
THORIUM	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	6.253	6.021	5.537	6.741	6.104	6.332	5.889	0.000	0.000	0.000
U/K	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	2.705	2.830	3.042	2.836	2.871	3.040	2.868	0.000	0.000	0.000
U/TH	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.396	0.432	0.518	0.421	0.454	0.430	0.461	0.000	0.000	0.000
TH/K	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	6.879	6.562	5.950	6.790	6.387	7.119	6.272	0.000	0.000	0.000

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POTASIUM	0.000	0.000	0.899
URANIUM	0.000	0.000	3.058
THORIUM	0.000	0.000	5.772
U/K	0.000	0.000	3.471
U/TH	0.000	0.000	0.538
TH/K	0.000	0.000	6.470

## MAP UNIT MMW

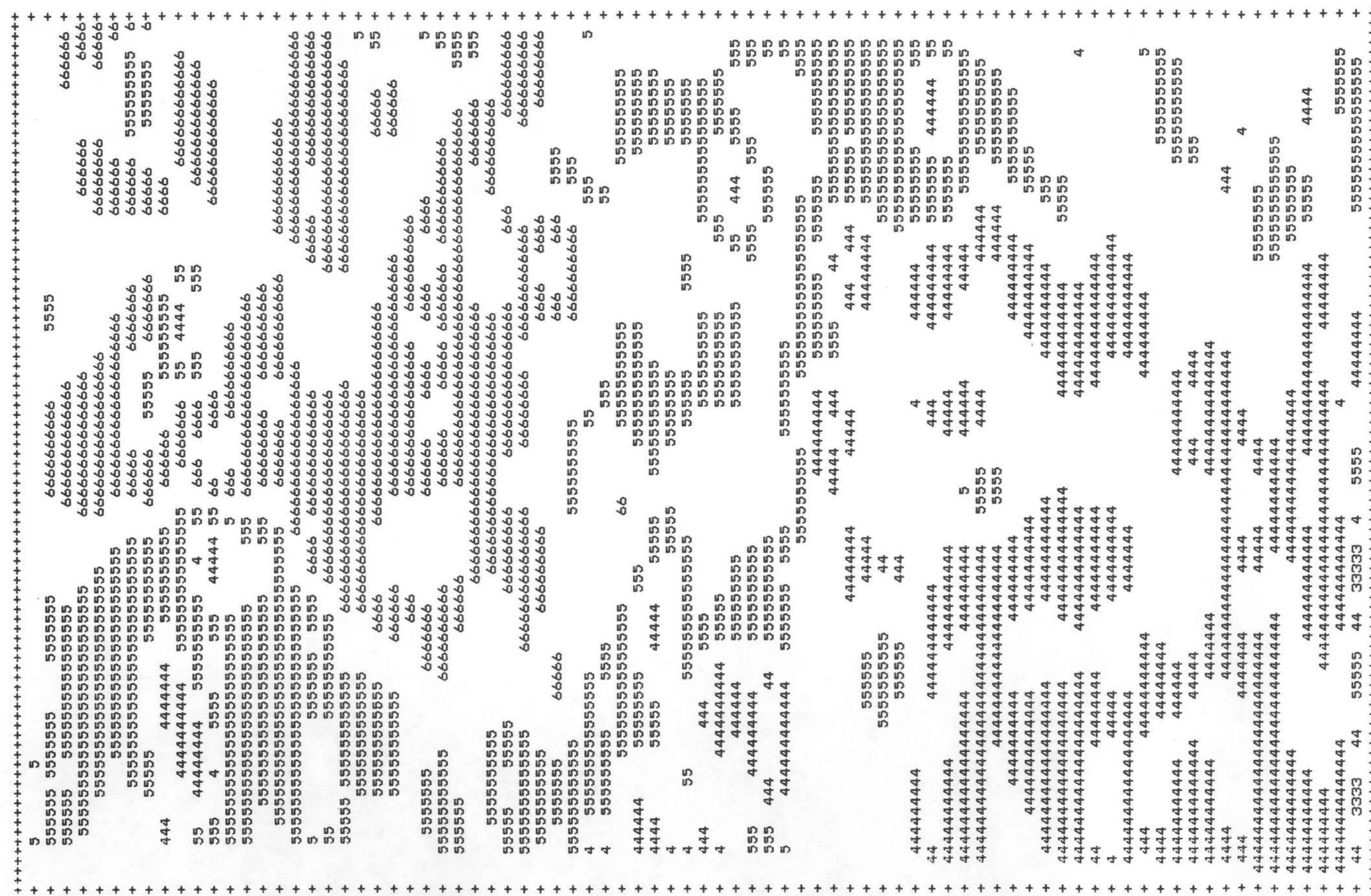
	490	500	510	520	530	540	550	560	570	580	590	600	1150	1160	1170
POTASIUM	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	1.030	0.885	0.962	1.081	0.947	0.934	0.971	0.000	0.000	0.000
URANIUM	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	2.780	2.526	2.714	3.399	2.714	2.745	2.635	0.000	0.000	0.000
THORIUM	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	7.042	5.624	5.901	6.445	6.076	6.450	5.897	0.000	0.000	0.000
U/K	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	2.710	2.955	2.879	3.137	2.888	3.085	2.733	0.000	0.000	0.000
U/TH	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.398	0.458	0.468	0.531	0.448	0.433	0.450	0.000	0.000	0.000
TH/K	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	6.875	6.450	6.222	5.969	6.475	7.085	6.128	0.000	0.000	0.000

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POTASIUM	0.000	0.000	0.855
URANIUM	0.000	0.000	2.989
THORIUM	0.000	0.000	5.487
U/K	0.000	0.000	3.554
U/TH	0.000	0.000	0.549
TH/K	0.000	0.000	6.494

**APPENDIX H - Pseudo Contour Maps**

## MARION

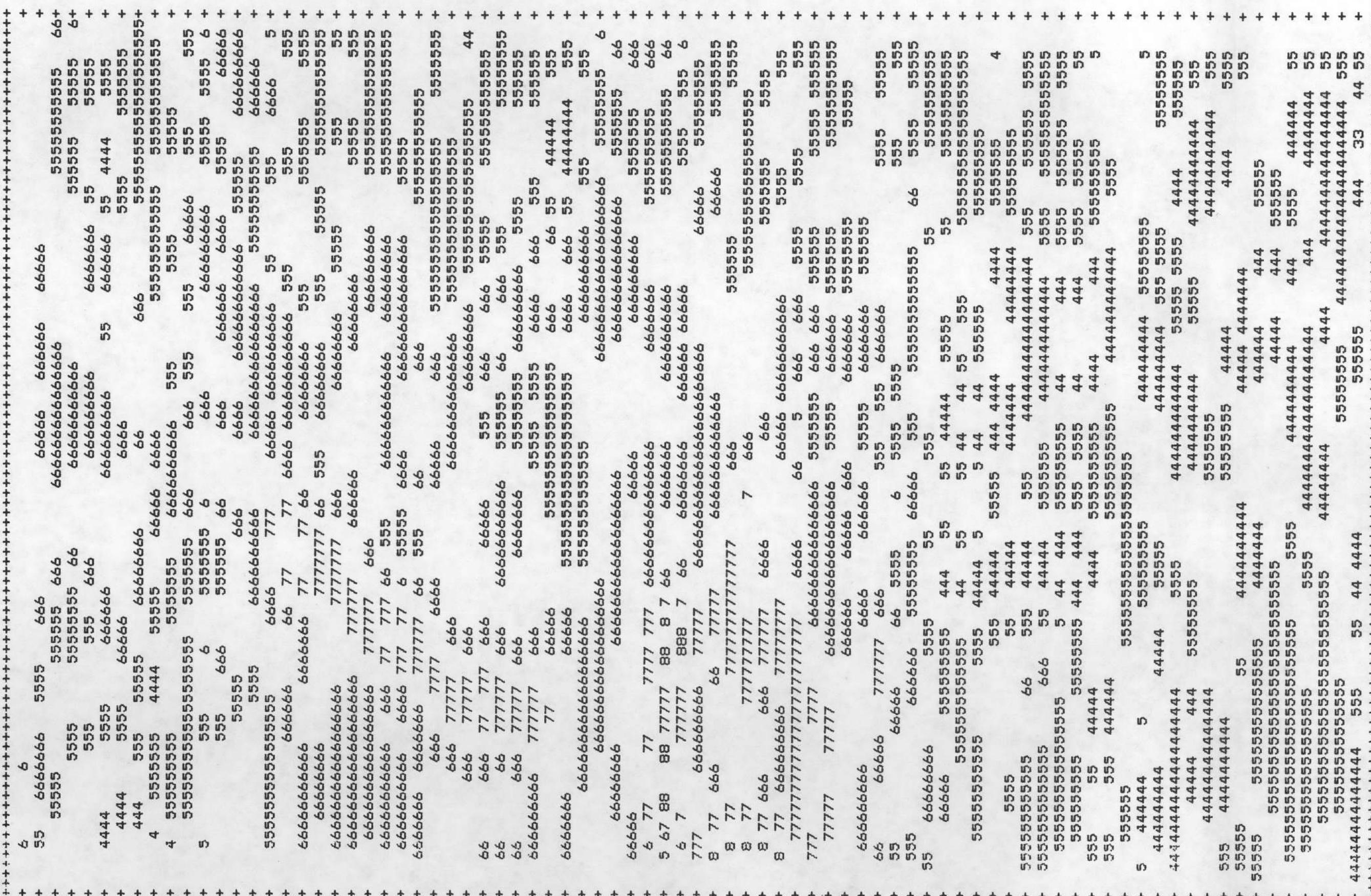


## EXPLANATION

PRINT CHARACTER	VALUE
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2	0.2500 0.3750
3	0.5000 0.6250
4	0.7500 0.8750
5	1.0000 1.1250
6	1.2500 1.3750
7	1.5000 1.6250
8	1.7500 1.8750
9	2.0000 2.1250
GT	2.2500

SCALE IN EQUIVALENT PERCENT

## MARION



Uranium Pseudo-Contour Map - Marion Quadrangle

SCALE IN EQUIVALENT PPM

## EXPLANATION

PRINT CHARACTER	VALUE
0	LE 0.5000
1	0.7500 1.0000
2	1.2500 1.5000
3	1.7500 2.0000
4	2.2500 2.5000
5	2.7500 3.0000
6	3.2500 3.5000
7	3.7500 4.0000
8	4.2500 4.5000
9	4.7500 5.0000
GT	5.0000

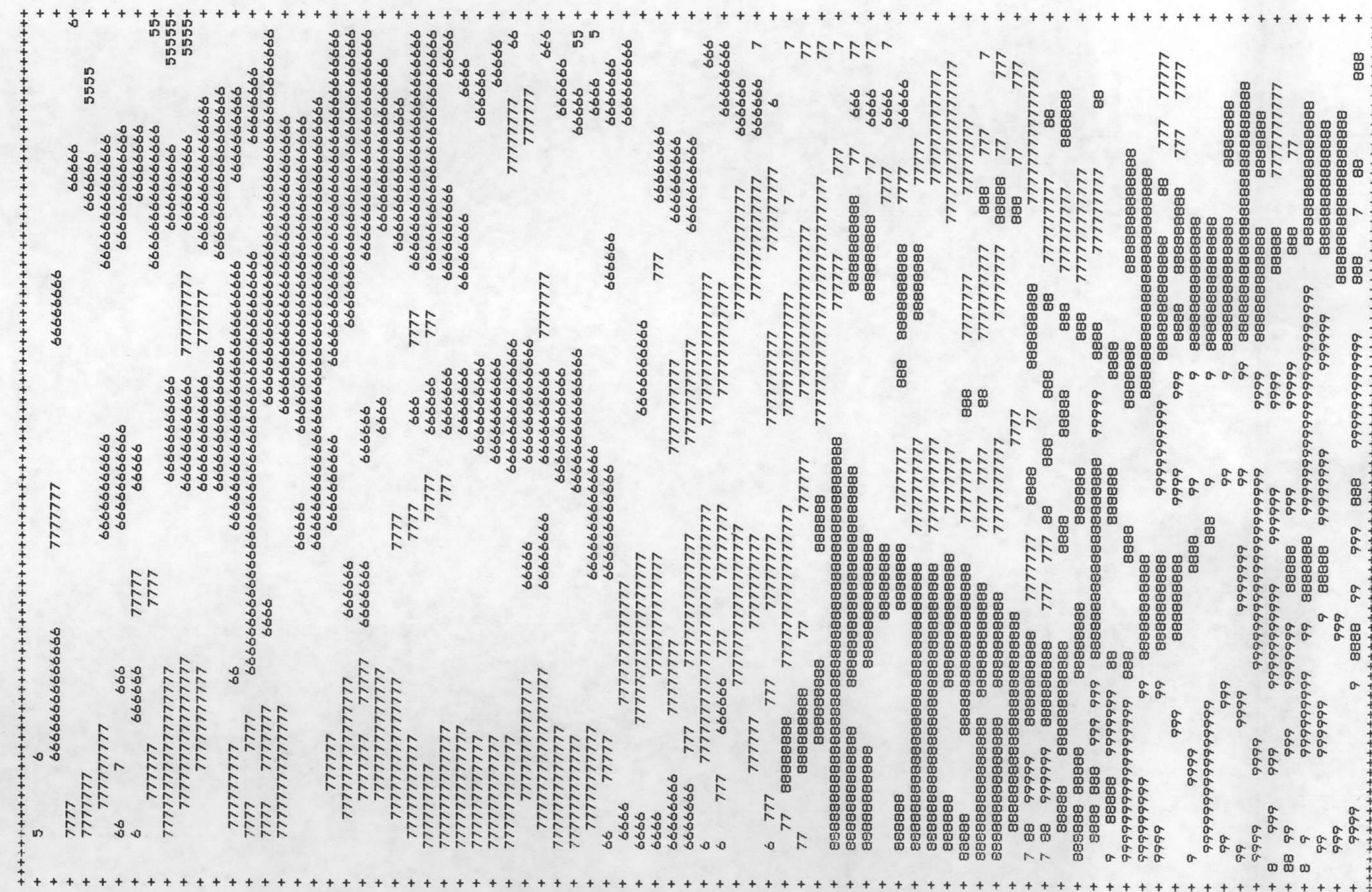
MARION

The image shows a large grid of numbers arranged in a repeating pattern. The pattern consists of two digits: '6' and '7'. Each row and each column follows a specific sequence. Rows alternate between sequences of '6's and '7's. Within each sequence, columns also alternate between '6's and '7's. For example, the first row starts with '6' followed by '7', then '6' followed by '7', and so on. The second row starts with '7' followed by '6', then '7' followed by '6', and so on. This alternating pattern continues across all 100 rows and 100 columns of the grid.

Marion Pseudo-Contour Map - Marion Quadrangle

SCALE IN EQUIVALENT PPM

## MARION

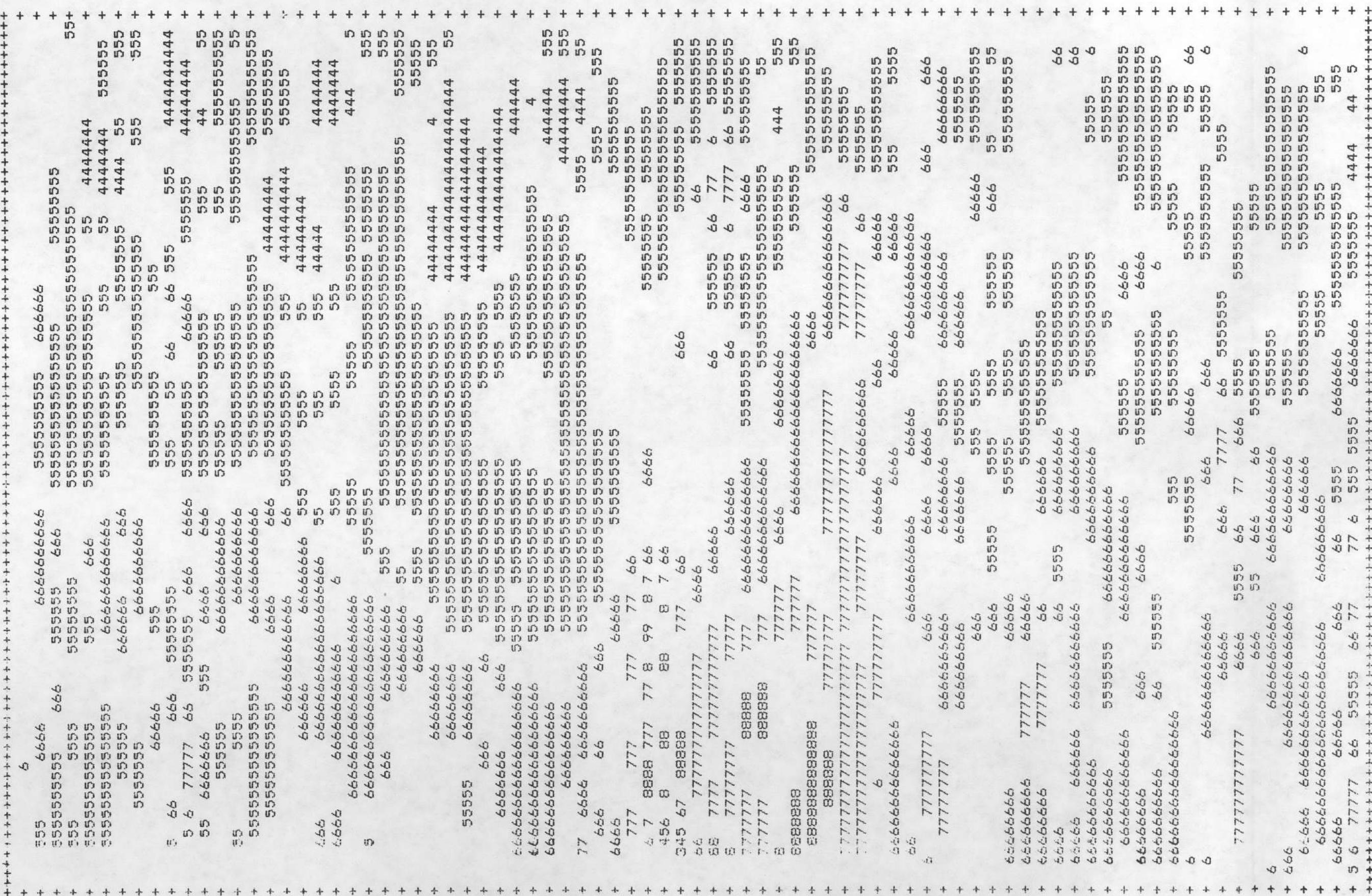


Thorium/Potassium Pseudo-Contour Map - Marion Quadrangle

## EXPLANATION



## MARION



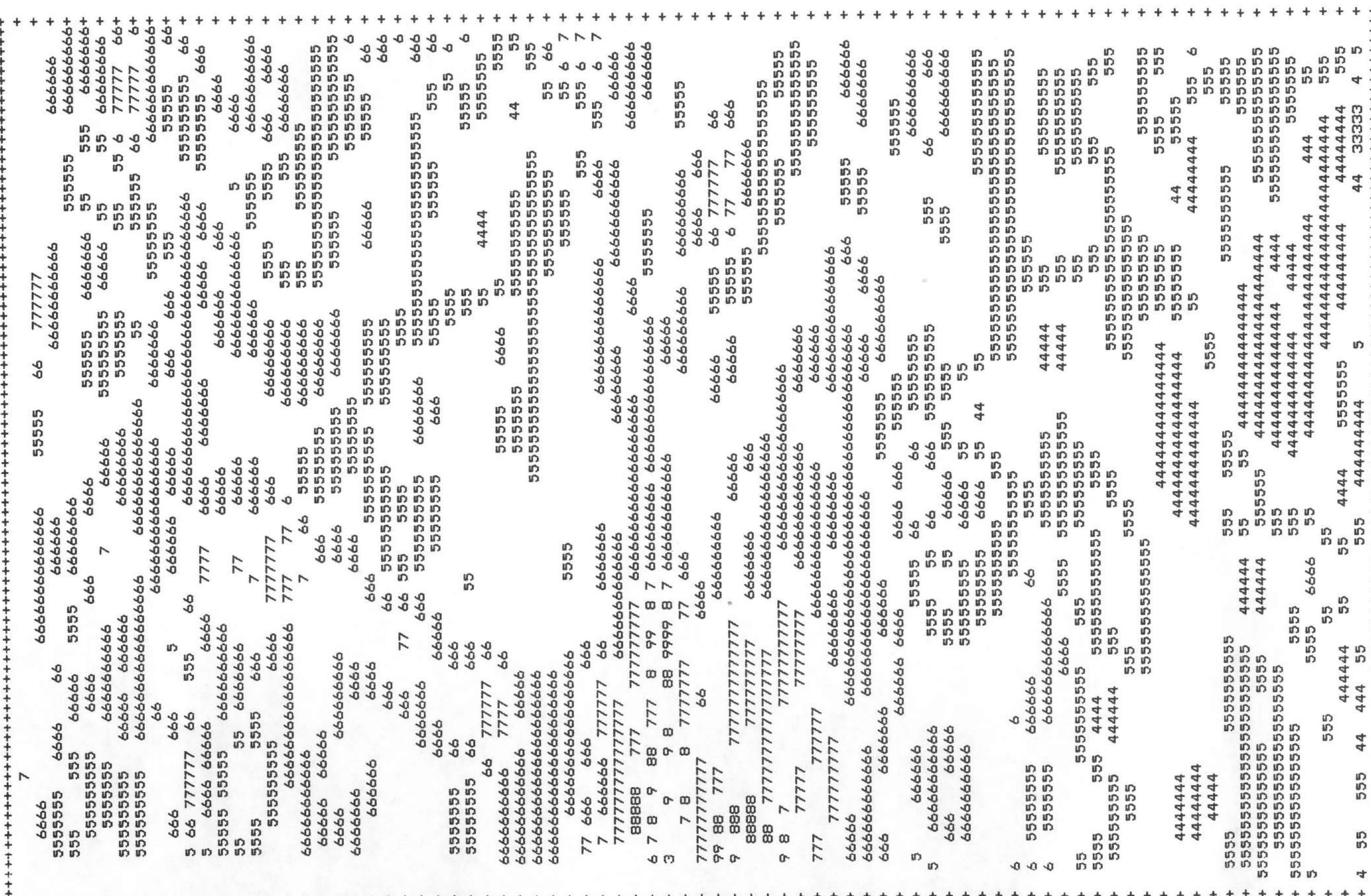
Uranium/Potassium Pseudo-Contour Map - Marion Quadrangle

## EXPLANATION

PRINT CHARACTER	VALUE
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1	0.2500 0.5000
2	0.7500 1.0000
3	1.2500 1.5000
4	1.7500 2.0000
5	2.2500 2.5000
6	2.7500 3.0000
7	3.2500 3.5000
8	3.7500 4.0000
9	4.2500 4.5000
GT	4.5000

## MARION

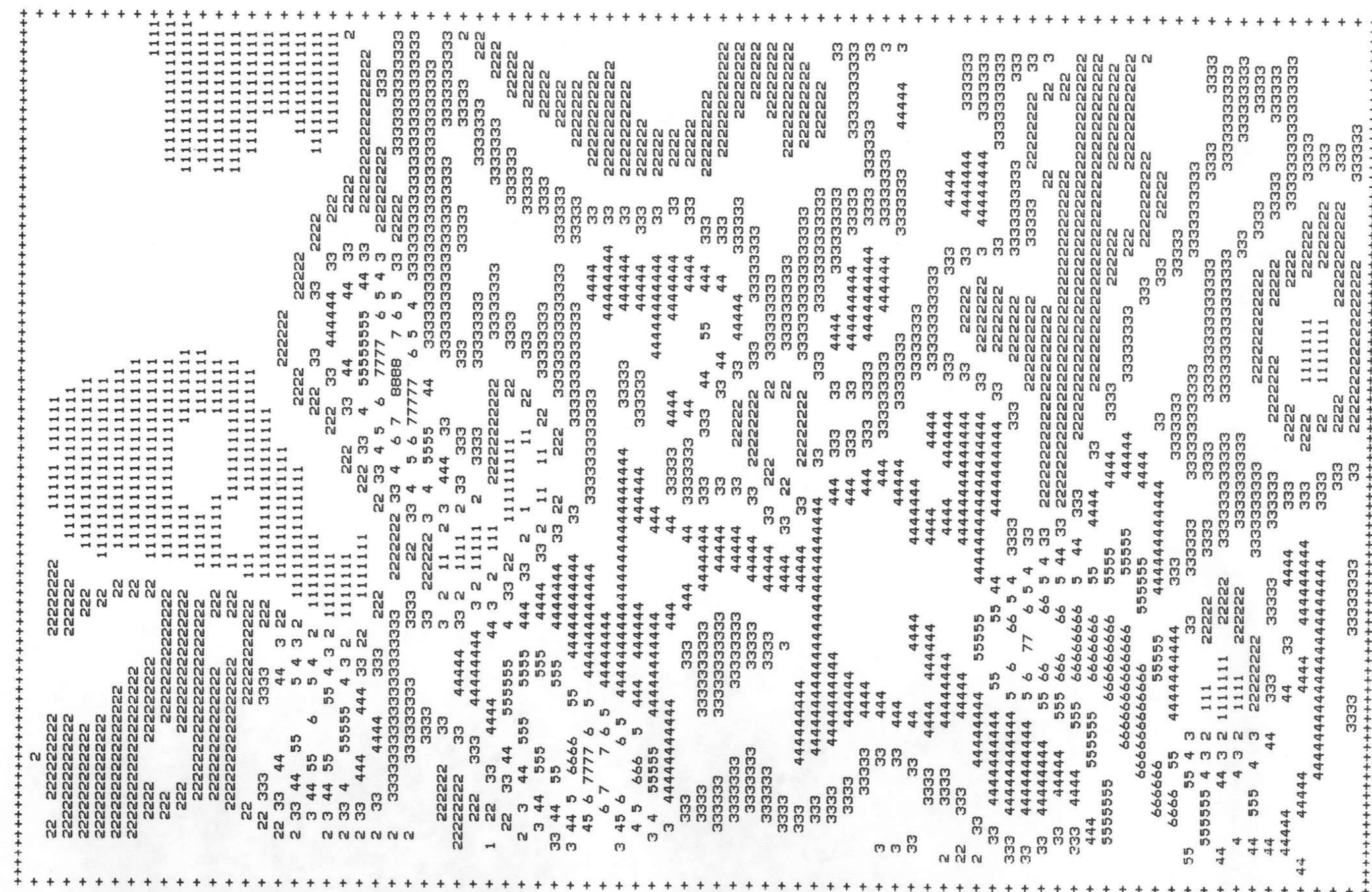
Uranium/Thorium Pseudo-Contour Map - Marion Quadrangle



## EXPLANATION

PRINT CHARACTER	VALUE
0	LE 0.0000
1	0.0500 0.1000
2	0.1500 0.2000
3	0.2500 0.3000
4	0.3500 0.4000
5	0.4500 0.5000
6	0.5500 0.6000
7	0.6500 0.7000
8	0.7500 0.8000
9	0.8500 0.9000
GT	0.9000

## MARION



Residual Magnetic Pseudo-Contour Map - Marion Quadrangle

SCALE IN GAMMAS

## EXPLANATION

PRINT CHARACTER	VALUE
0	LE-1200.0000
-	-1200.0000-1100.0000
1	-1100.0000-1000.0000
-	-1000.0000 -900.0000
2	-900.0000 -800.0000
-	-800.0000 -700.0000
3	-700.0000 -600.0000
-	-600.0000 -500.0000
4	-500.0000 -400.0000
-	-400.0000 -300.0000
5	-300.0000 -200.0000
-	-200.0000 -100.0000
6	-100.0000 0.0000
-	0.0000 100.0000
7	100.0000 200.0000
-	200.0000 300.0000
8	300.0000 400.0000
-	400.0000 500.0000
9	500.0000 600.0000
GT	600.0000



