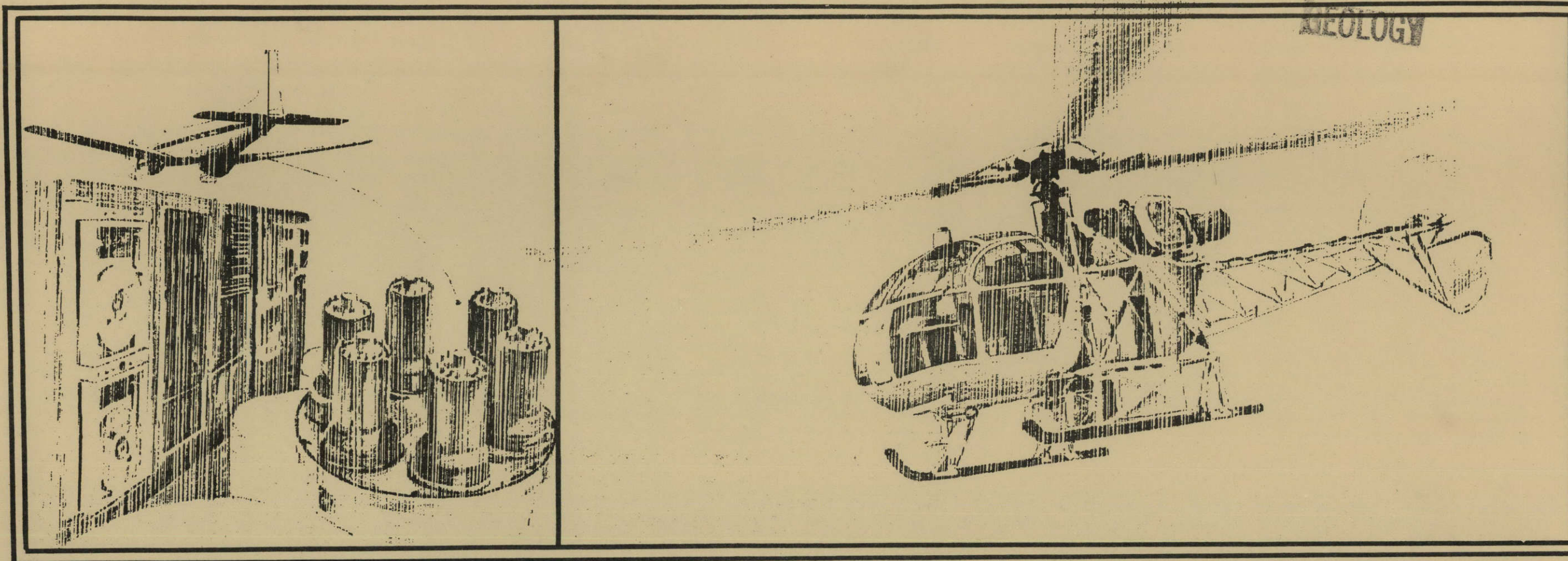


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ABSTRACT

The results of analyses of the airborne gamma radiation and total magnetic field survey flown for the region identified as the Rocky Mount/Manteo National Topographic Map NI18-1 is presented in this report. The airborne data gathered is reduced by ground computer facilities to yield profile plots of the basic uranium, thorium and potassium equivalent gamma radiation intensities, ratios of these intensities, aircraft altitude above the earth's surface, total gamma ray and earth's magnetic field intensity, correlated as a function of geologic units. The distribution of data within each geologic unit, for all surveyed map lines and tie lines, has been calculated and is included. Two sets of profiled data for each line are included, with one set displaying the above-cited data. The second set includes only flight line magnetic field, temperature, pressure, altitude data plus magnetic field data as measured at a base station. A general description of the area, including descriptions of the various geologic units and the corresponding airborne data, is included also.

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SECTION I

INTRODUCTION

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INTRODUCTION

A. SURVEY AREA

Geodata International, Inc., Dallas, Texas, conducted an airborne gamma ray and total magnetic field survey for the Rocky Mount/Manteo National Topographic Map Sheets as outlined in Figure I.1. This survey was performed from a fixed-wing aircraft, using a computer-controlled, large-volume radiation detector system to detect the gamma radiation flux emanating from the surface materials. Each map line was flown in an east-west direction with line lengths of 82.0 miles; each tie line was flown in a north-south direction with line lengths of 69.0 miles. Map lines and tie lines are located as shown in Figure II.1.

Sections I through IV of this report present information and results associated with this specific survey. Section V gives the data acquisition and the processing procedures which are generally applicable to any survey flown with the equipment described.

B. SUMMARY OF MAP LOCATION, GEOLOGY AND PHYSIOGRAPHY

The Rocky Mount/Manteo map areas are located over a part of eastern North Carolina. The survey area is bounded by the latitudes 35°00' to 36°00' north and longitudes 74°00' to 78°00' west. The map areas are part of the Atlantic Coastal Plain from the Fall Line east to the margin of the Atlantic Ocean. It is a low, gently undulating surface with large estuarine areas, and shallow lagoons between the main land and offshore barrier islands. The Coastal Plain is, in many places, poorly drained, with large marshes and swamps, and several large inland water areas. (Figure I.2)

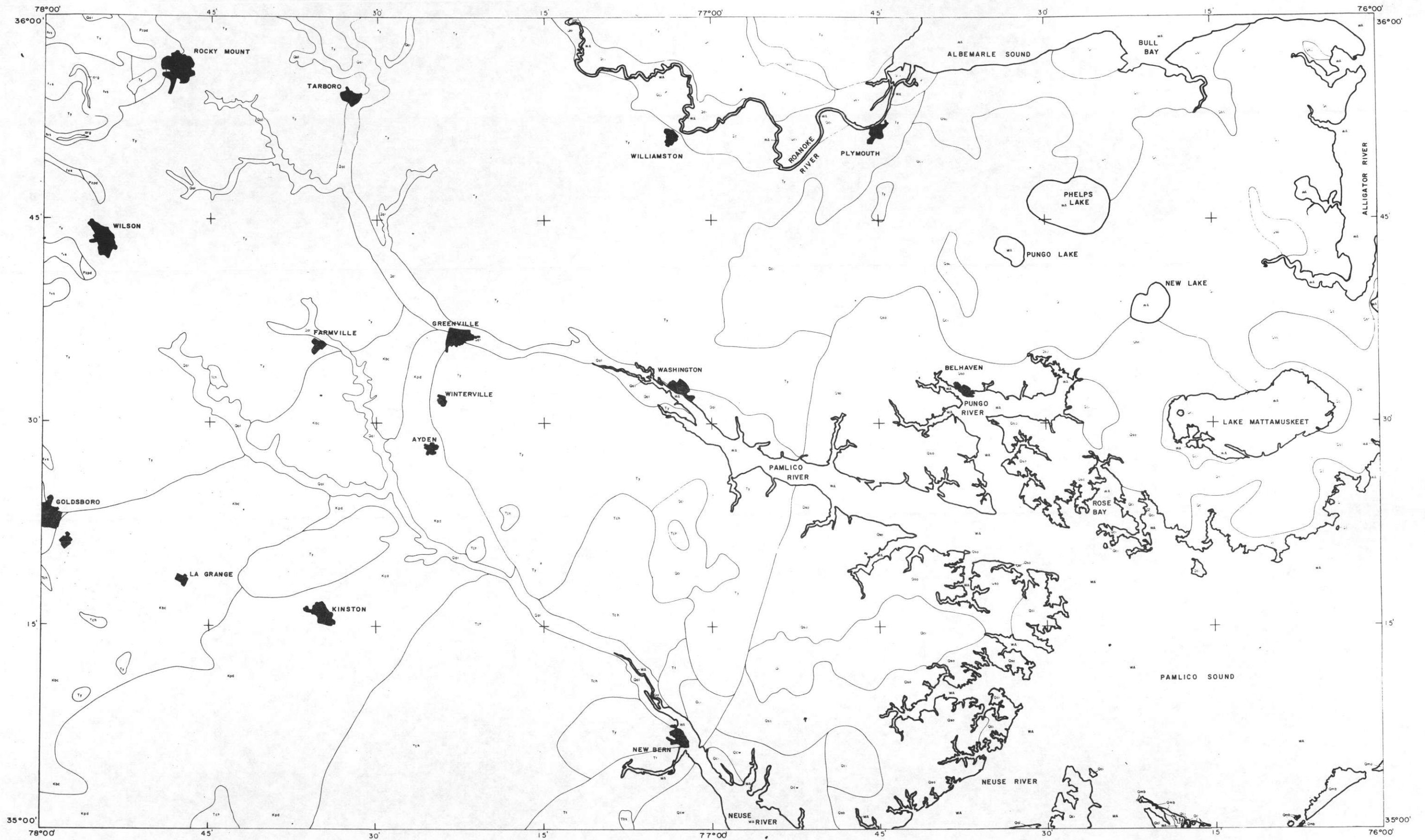
The geology of the eastern half of the area is dominated by Quaternary unconsolidated deposits, with many sands, silts, clays and muds. The western half of the area is dominated by Early and Middle Tertiary units - particularly the Yorktown Formation - and by Upper Cretaceous units. In the Fall Line area, where rivers originating in the Piedmont Plateau have cut valleys through the Coastal Plain sediments, Precambrian or Paleozoic rocks crop out. The rocks are either meta-sedimentaries, often with volcanic materials included, or igneous intrusives, with granitic composition.

The Lee Creek Phosphate unit of the Miocene deposits is known to contain large supplies of very low grade uranium (Southern Inter-

state Nuclear Board, 1969). The Upper Cretaceous units also have sediments with the potential for uranium ion concentration. However, so far, no prospects have been recorded for the Cretaceous units.



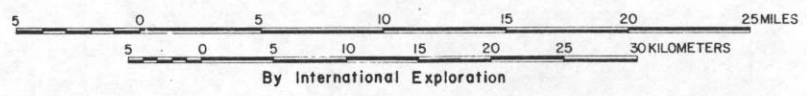
Figure I.1 Survey Index Map



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Figure I.2 Geologic Base Map



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SECTION II

FLIGHT OPERATIONS

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FLIGHT OPERATIONS

A. SURVEY TIME SUMMARY

The Rocky Mount/Manteo map sheets were flown between August 13 and August 23, 1979. A detailed list of dates flown and lines flown on those dates, as well as average altitude and speed for those dates, appears in Appendix I.A.

B. LINE COORDINATE LOCATION

Global navigation system data have been used to locate the positions of the flight lines. These lines are positioned and verified by point locations, determined by visual sighting by the navigator or photographic recovery, and corresponding record numbers displayed by the on-board computer. The data are then plotted as solid lines with ticks every ten records, circles every fifty records, and record numbers every one hundred records. Record numbers and circles also appear at the end of each line. The points used for location reference (at least every 10 miles) are marked with an "X". The flight base is then photographed with the geologic base map to produce the composite map in Figure II.1.

C. TEST LINES

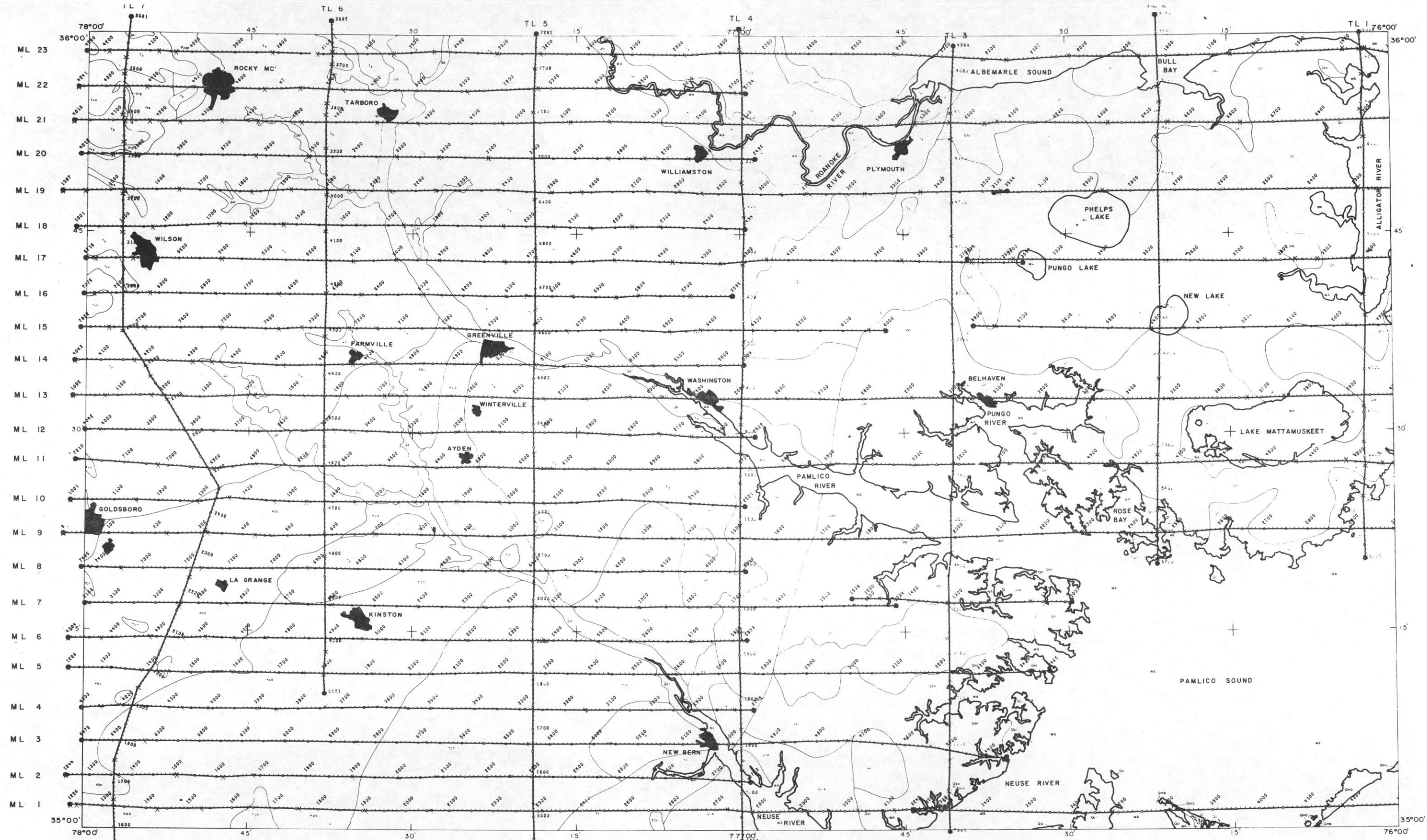
When conditions allow, two five-mile test lines are flown, one at the beginning of the day and one at the end of the day, over the same base. The data are used to check the repeatability of the system's measurements, and are presented in Appendix I.B.

D. MAGNETIC DIURNAL CORRECTION - BASE STATION

A base station magnetometer is set up in the area to acquire data pertaining to the diurnal changes in the magnetic field. These data are analyzed to evaluate a diurnal correction to the magnetic data obtained by the aircraft. A list of these corrections appears in Appendix I.C.

E. ALTITUDE AND GROUND SPEED SUMMARY

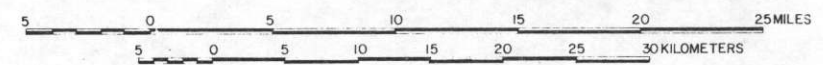
The average altitude and ground speed for each line is determined. A list by date appears in Appendix I.A, and is discussed in Section II.A. A list by flight line is given in Appendix I.E.



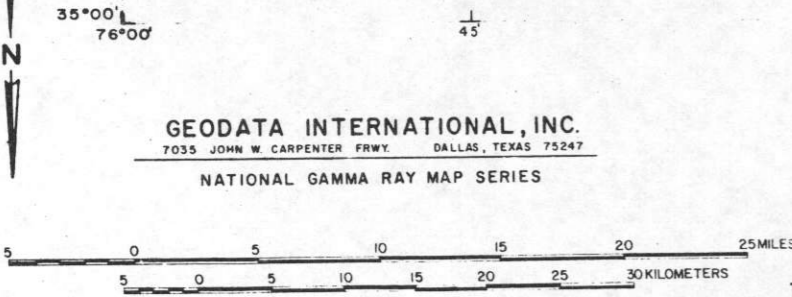
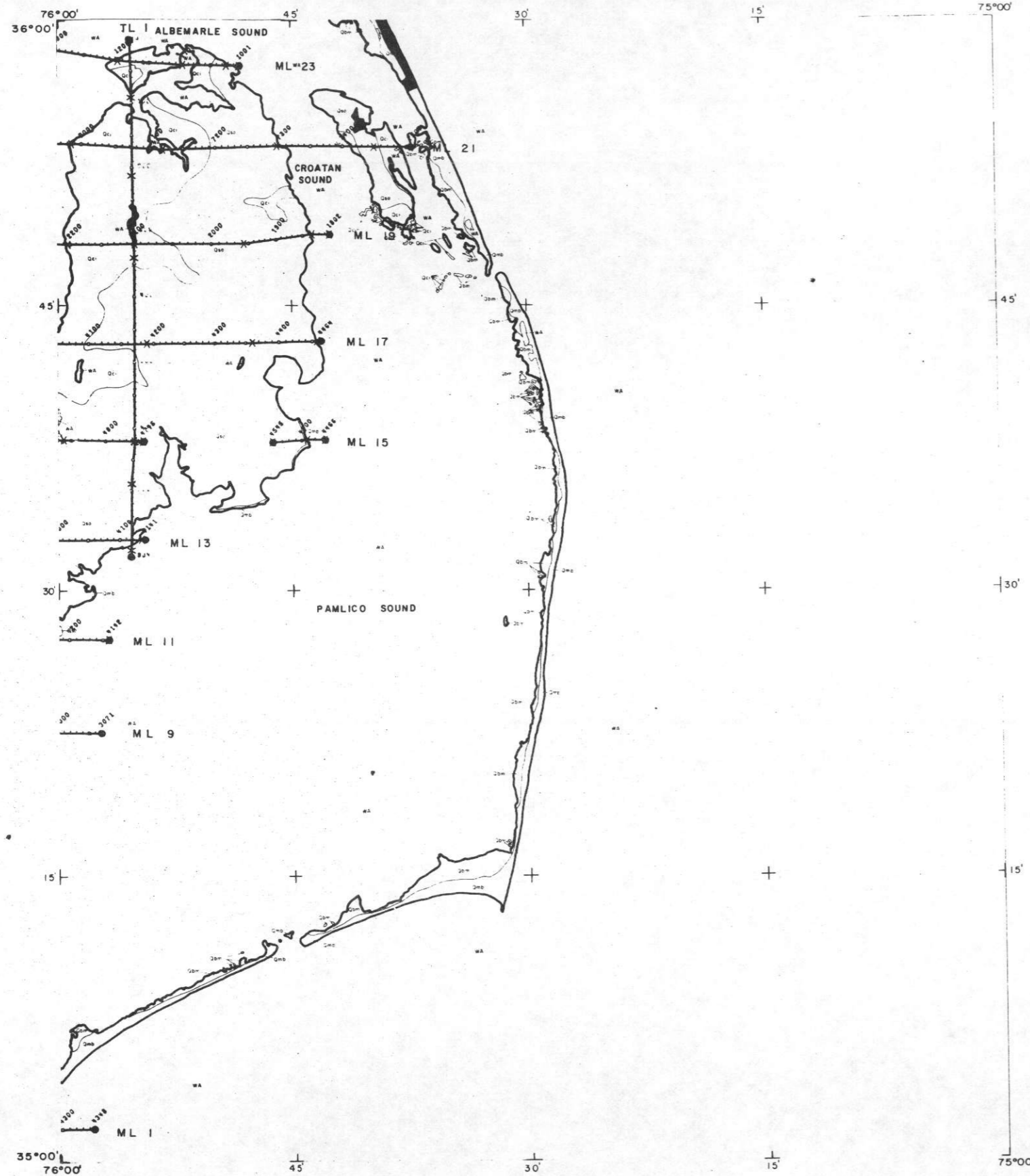
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Figure II.1 NTMS Showing Flight Line Location

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GEOLOGY OF THE SURVEYED AREA

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GEOLOGY OF THE SURVEYED AREA

A. LOCATION AND GENERAL PHYSIOGRAPHY

The aerial radiometric and magnetic survey was conducted over the land areas of the Rocky Mount (N.T.M.S., 1953) and Manteo (N.T.M.S., 1957) national topographic map sheets. The Rocky Mount/Manteo map areas are in eastern North Carolina. They are bounded by the latitudes 35°00' to 36°00' north and by longitudes 74°00' to 78°00' west. The map areas include all, or part, of the counties of Beaufort, Bertie, Craven, Carteret, Chowan, Dare, Edgecombe, Greene, Hyde, Jones, Lenoir, Martin, Pitt, Pamlico, Washington, Wayne and Wilson.

The physiography of the map area is dominated by a lowland, which is a part of the eastern margin of the United States. The lowland passes under the sea without significant change of its gradual slope (Fenneman, 1938). The submerged portion of the slope is the Continental Shelf, and the emergent portion is the Coastal Plain... "Together, these two provinces constitute the Atlantic Coastal Plain, one of the major physiographic divisions of the United States..." (Fenneman, 1938, p. 1).

The emergent portion of the Atlantic Plain begins to the south of New England; it reaches a maximum width in Texas. The ratio of emergent area to submerged area of the plain has been subject to frequent changes during the Cenozoic Era.

The structural extent of the Coastal Plain is limited to geological formations of Cretaceous age and younger. The inner, or western, boundary is the inner edge of the Cretaceous units (Fenneman, 1938). This boundary is termed the Fall Line.

The Fall Line is not a true line, but a broad zone, some 30 to 40 miles wide. In this zone, the Coastal Plain sediments of Cretaceous age, or younger, cover the upland, interfluvial areas; whereas, granites, slates and other crystalline rocks are exposed along the water-courses, where erosion has removed the Mesozoic and Cenozoic sediments (Stuckey, 1965). West of the Fall Line, but not within the map area, is the Piedmont Plateau, east of the Fall Line are the Coastal Plain sediments.

The Coastal Plain has a strong resemblance to the Continental Shelf, with similar stratified materials. Sediments that have been exposed and eroded tend to be older than those of the shelf. The older sediments tend to be consolidated into sandstones and limestones, etc. The more recent sediments retain much of their original unconsolidated condition.

The slope of the emergent plain is small, generally 2 to 4 feet per mile. Generally, the youngest sediments occupy a narrow belt near the sea. Inland, progressively older beds are exposed. The older beds dip beneath younger beds in a seaward direction. The steeper dips of the older beds indicate that the continental margin has intermittently tilted seaward as its outer edge is covered by sediments. Further inland, the surface gradient increases. Differential erosion of the strata of unequal resistance produces lower-lying belts on the weaker rocks, with intervening ridges on the more resistant outcrops. The ridges are generally broad, low and inconspicuous.

From Cape Lookout (latitude 34½° north) northward, the Atlantic Coastal Plain is deeply indented by branching estuaries or bays. It is a fringe of peninsulas. The edge of the continent has been submerged, and the river valleys are drowned. The degree of submergence increases northward. The term "embayed section" has been used to describe this physiographic region (Fenneman, 1938).

The embayed section reaches its maximum width in North Carolina. The surface features are closely related to the nature of the underlying geology. In the past, seven or more terraces have been distinguished. The age of the terraces decreases, but their distinctiveness increases, from highest to lowest. The lower ones include some little eroded surfaces. In places, erosional scarps were thought to separate the terraces. The terraces were known, in ascending order, as the Pamlico, Talbot, Penholoway, Wicomico, Sunderland, Coharie and Brandywine (Cooke, 1931). The terraces were considered to be Quaternary age (Cooke, 1935), but their mode of origin was a matter of considerable controversy.

The Coastal Plain consists of two natural divisions. The inner portion is a gently undulating, well drained area. The outer portion is low-lying, and, in places, it is swampy. The outer portion is termed the tidewater region (Stuckey, 1965).

Along the coast of North Carolina, there is a chain of islands. The islands are covered with sand dunes. From this chain of sandy islands, Cape Hatteras juts out into the Atlantic Ocean. Between the outer banks and the mainland, there is an extensive shallow body of water. This almost tideless body of water is composed of two sounds: Albemarle and Pamlico sounds. A large peninsula extends into the sound area between the Albemarle Sound and the Tar-Pamlico River. The peninsula between the Tar-Pamlico and Neuse rivers is smaller. The Tidewater Region is relatively low lying, and does not average more than twenty feet in elevation. Much of the Tidewater Region is occupied by swamps and marshes, of which the Dismal Swamp may be the best known. Many lakes are found in the Tidewater Region. North of the Pamlico River are Lake Mattamuskeet, New Lake, Pungo Lake, and Phelps Lake.

The Inner Coastal Plain extends westward from the Tidewater Region to the Fall Line. It increases in width from north to south across North Carolina. In elevation, it rises gradually from less than fifty feet above sea level at the western limits of the Tidewater Region to a maximum along the eastern edge of the Piedmont Plateau. The Inner Coastal Plain, north of a line drawn from New Bern to Raleigh, is well drained and flat to gently rolling. South of this imaginary line, the eastern half of the Inner Coastal Plain is like the Tidewater Region. Most of the surface is a flat sandy plain, occupied by swamps, marshes and lakes. South of a line from Raleigh to New Bern, the western half of the Inner Coastal Plain is very similar to the area north of this line (Stuckey, 1965).

B. GEOLOGY

Precambrian and Paleozoic Eras

It appears that Early Precambrian sedimentary and igneous rocks, such as occur in the gneisses, schists and granite gneisses of the Appalachian Mountains and Piedmont Plateau, may have formed completely across the state, perhaps as far east as the present edge of the Continental Shelf. Deep drilling in the Coastal Plain shows that the area is, in part, underlain, at great depth, by gneisses, schists and granites (Stuckey, 1965). The gneisses and schists were originally, in part, of sedimentary origin, and, in part, of igneous origin. The gneisses and schists were intruded by granites, which were later metamorphosed to granite gneisses. Following the intrusion of granite, the whole series was intensely folded and metamorphosed into micaceous gneiss, micaceous schist, hornblende gneiss and various granitic gneisses. Succeeding this deformation, there was a prolonged period during which Early Precambrian gneisses, schists and granitic gneisses were eroded to a flat surface.

Little is known about the geography and topography of the eastern half of North Carolina at the beginning of Late Precambrian time. In the west, downwarping formed a number of elongate troughs that represent the first beginnings of the Appalachian Geosyncline. Into these troughs, large amounts of sedimentary and volcanic materials were poured. These rocks do not appear to underlie the Rocky Mount/Manteo map areas.

By the beginning of Cambrian time, a mio-geosynclinal belt had developed along the inner part of the Appalachian Geosyncline. Sedimentary rocks deposited in the mio-geosyncline were folded and faulted, but little metamorphosed. Lower Cambrian sediments originated from the deeply weathered mantle on the Canadian Shield. By the beginning of Middle Cambrian time, most of the Shield close to the mio-geosyncline had been stripped of its weathered mantle.

The continental interior began to warp downward. A sea transgressed westward, and deposited sediments over the Lower Cambrian rocks. The Cambrian system of sedimentary rocks grades from sandstone and shale, through interbedded limestone and shale, to thick limestone and dolomite at the top.

Early in the Ordovician Period, the Appalachian mio-geosyncline was well established in eastern Tennessee. The geosyncline continued to subside. As it did, it received sediments throughout much of the Paleozoic Era. In the Slate Belt of the eastern Piedmont Plateau, and western Coastal Plain, volcano-sedimentary materials were laid down. Ten to fifteen thousand feet of volcano-sedimentary rocks of Ordovician age are present in the eastern half of the Piedmont Plateau.

Intense volcanic activity took place along the eastern half of the Piedmont Plateau, and parts of the Coastal Plain, all the way from the vicinity of Petersburg and Farmville, Virginia, southwestward across North Carolina. In North Carolina, this zone, occupied by volcanic rocks, is known as the Carolina Slate Belt. The western border lies some miles eastward of Charlotte, Lexington, and Thomasville, and west of Greensboro. The eastern limit is unknown; it is covered by the sediments of the Coastal Plain. Some deep wells in the Coastal Plain appear to have penetrated rocks of the Carolina Slate Belt.

Volcanics do not cover the entire area of the Carolina Slate Belt. The "Great Slate Formation" of Olmsted (1825) passes completely across the state from northeast to southwest. Except for granitic intrusives, this part of the state is occupied by volcano-sedimentary rocks.

Along the eastern side of the Slate Belt, there is a narrow zone of Triassic sediments, some 5 to 15 miles across. The Triassic rocks are down-faulted along their eastern border by a well defined normal fault, the Jonesboro Fault.

The rocks of the Slate Belt have a complex character and a well developed cleavage. Early workers considered the rocks to be meta-sedimentary, but noted that they contained porphyry, whetstone, breccia and conglomerate. Later workers recognized the rocks to be mainly volcanic. However, considerable amounts of sedimentary rocks were also present.

As is presently known, the rocks of the Carolina Slate Belt consist of lava flows, interbedded with beds of ash, tuff, breccia, shale and slate. All of the rocks, except the flows, contain considerable sedimentary material; i.e., mud, clay, silt, sand and conglomerate. The flows, breccias, tuffs, ash beds, and beds of

shale or slate are interbedded, and do not generally occupy definite stratigraphic positions within the series.

The rhyolites and andesites range from fine-grained to coarsely porphyritic. The basalts are often amygdaloid. The breccias range from rhyolitic to andesitic. The breccia fragments are apparently pyroclastic. The tuffs are generally acidic; the tuff fragments are generally less than half an inch in diameter, and are often emplaced in fine-grained, non-volcanic material.

Conley (1962) shows that the Carolina Slate Belt rocks may be classified into several mappable units. Some of the units are local, others cover wide areas. For purposes of general description, they may be divided into: (i) felsic volcanics; (ii) mafic volcanics; and (iii) bedded argillites.

The felsic volcanic rocks occupy about half of the Slate Belt in the central part of the state. They predominate in the area along the eastern border of the Piedmont Plateau, and western part of the Coastal Plain. The felsic rocks are dominated by materials of either volcanic flow or fragmental origin. The flows are generally rhyolitic; whereas, the fragmental material ranges from rhyolitic to dacitic. The fragmental rocks consist of breccias and coarse-to-fine tuffs. Lenses of bedded slate and mafic volcanics are of limited extent (Stuckey, 1965).

The rhyolite occurs in narrow bands and lenses interbedded with the breccias and tuffs. None of the rhyolitic outcrops show any evidence of metamorphism (Stuckey, 1965).

Bedded argillites, commonly referred to as volcanic slate, occur in the southern part of the Slate Belt.

The bedded argillites consist of mainly dark-colored, or bluish shales or slates. The argillites are either massive or thick-bedded. The beds occasionally show very finely marked bedding planes. Contacts between the slates and tuffs are generally gradational. In places, the slates show little effect of metamorphism; elsewhere, they may be strongly metamorphosed. The cleavage of the argillites rarely corresponds to the bedding planes of the rock. In places, especially near igneous intrusives and mineralized zones, the argillite is highly silicified (Stuckey, 1965).

The volcano-sedimentary rocks were probably deposited under geosynclinal conditions (Stuckey, 1965), perhaps in a eugeosynclinal environment. The volcanics originated from beneath the surface; whereas, the non-volcanic sediments were derived from narrow uplifted belts present in, or adjacent to, the trough. The thick-

ness of the volcano-sedimentaries is variable, but may be as great as 10,000 to 15,000 feet (Stuckey, 1965).

At the commencement of the Silurian Period, a mountain system, generally referred to as the Taconic Mountains, occupied the eastern margin of North America. These mountains reached their maximum elevations in New York and New England. There is no direct evidence for the mountain system in North Carolina. However, it appears probable that all of the state was well above sea level during the Taconic Orogeny, and continued to be highland throughout the remainder of the Paleozoic Era. The main geologic processes in North Carolina during the remainder of the Paleozoic Era were intrusion, metamorphism and erosion (Stuckey, 1965).

In North Carolina, igneous intrusive rocks, generally considered to range in age from Devonian through Permian, consist of granites, pegmatites, syenite and diorite gabbro. Within the map areas, granite crops-out along the western border of the Coastal Plain. In general, the granites of this area are massive, equigranular and display little effect of metamorphism. Jointing is abundant. The granites often appear younger than the enclosing rocks (Stuckey, 1965).

The granitic textures are mainly medium- to coarse-grained; porphyritic textures are common. Orthoclase, microcline and quartz are the common minerals. In places, the intrusions are quartz monzonite; elsewhere, they are biotite granite. The rocks vary from light- to medium-grey and from light- or medium-pink to red (Stuckey, 1965). Pegmatite dikes are of minor importance on the Piedmont Plateau, but not in the Coastal Plain area.

Mesozoic Era

Mesozoic rocks were formed in North Carolina during each of the three periods. Rocks of Triassic age were formed in two areas in the Piedmont Plateau.

In Early Triassic time, all of North Carolina as far east as the edge of the present Continental Shelf was above sea level. By Late Middle Triassic time, much of the Piedmont Plateau and Coastal Plain had been worn down to a broad plain, which cut across older, more complex structures. In Late Triassic time, the earth's crust was elevated and broken by normal faults. Troughs were formed by down-faulting. Streams deposited their sediments into these depositional basins. The rocks of the Deep River Basin consist of red, brown, purple, or grey claystone shale, sandstone, conglomerate and fanglomerate. The Deep River Basin deposits are subdivided into the Pekin Formation, the Cumnock Formation, and the Sanford Formation (Stuckey, 1965). The units are immediately to the west of the Rocky Mount map area.

At the commencement of the Jurassic Period, all of North Carolina was above sea level. The Appalachian Mountains, which were high and rugged at the beginning of the Triassic Period, were subdued by the end of that period. Renewed uplift occurred during the Palisade disturbance, and the mountains and Piedmont were re-elevated. Early and Middle Jurassic time saw active erosion, and by Late Jurassic time, the Fall Zone Peneplain had been produced (Stuckey, 1965).

At the advent of the Late Jurassic time, the Fall Zone Peneplain was elevated and tilted. The present Piedmont and mountain areas were re-elevated; whereas, the Coastal Plain was depressed. The crystalline basement beneath the Coastal Plain slopes gently eastward from the present Fall Line to the 2,500 foot subsea contour, at a gradient of some 25 to 35 feet per mile. As the downwarping proceeded below sea level, Late Jurassic deposits were built up on the paleo-shelf area. The Upper Jurassic sediments are extensive in the Coastal Plain subsurface to the west of Cape Hatteras. Subsurface wells penetrate these Jurassic sediments, which, in places, are in excess of 1,300 feet thick. The upper fifty percent of these sediments are of marine origin, and are comprised of limestones, dolomites and oolitic rocks. Conglomeritic sandstones and shale are interbedded, but are not abundant.

Beneath the marine sediments, there are conglomeritic sandstones and arkose. The upper sandstones are white to light-grey, coarse-grained, conglomeritic, feldspathic, and calcareous; they are interbedded with grey-green and red sandy shale. Below this, there are white, red, and pink sandstones, which are stained with hematite. These sandstones are also arkosic and conglomeritic, and interbedded with red and green sandy mudstone (Stuckey, 1965).

The physical features of North Carolina at the beginning of Cretaceous time are not well known; it is thought that they are not dissimilar to those of Late Jurassic time after the Fall Zone Peneplain had been elevated and tilted (Stuckey, 1965). Two physical features in the crystalline floor of the Coastal Plain appear to have controlled the thickness and distribution of the Cretaceous sediments in North Carolina: (i) the Great Carolina Ridge, (ii) a subsidiary embayment of the major geosynclinal province to the north and east (Stuckey, 1965).

The two structural features may have been formed as a result of movement in a mobile zone or belt at depth. They were probably formed about the beginning of the Late Jurassic (Stuckey, 1965).

Except for a small area of western Northampton County, surficial or near-surface sediments of Lower Cretaceous age are not known to occur in North Carolina, and they do not crop-out in the map area.

Established formations of Upper Cretaceous age in North Carolina, in ascending order, consist of the Tuscaloosa Formation, the Black Creek Formation, and the Peedee Formation.

The main outcrops of the Tuscaloosa Formation are along the western part of the Coastal Plain. Smaller outcrops occur along the Tar River in Edgecombe County and the Roanoke River in Northampton, Halifax and Bertie counties, where younger sediments have been removed. The greater part of the formation is of terrigenous origin. It contains no fossils, except a few fragmental plant remains. The Tuscaloosa lithologies were derived from disintegration of the crystalline rocks of the present Piedmont Plateau. Stratigraphy varies greatly. In general, the formation consists of sand and clay beds, with varying intergradations of arenaceous clays and argillaceous sands. The sands are fine- to coarse-textured, and are generally arkosic. The clays contain abundant muscovite. The sands are grey and greenish-grey, but other colors are locally present. The clays are drab-colored with green, greenish-grey and grey hues.

In wells in Craven, Carteret, Pamlico and Dare counties, the Tuscaloosa consists of oyster-bearing sands, sandstones, limestones and vari-colored clays and shales that appear to be of marine origin.

The thickness of the formation ranges from a feather-edge at its western outcrops to nearly 1,800 feet in the Pamlico Sound area. From well records, it appears that the Tuscaloosa may average a 300 to 400 feet thickness in the Coastal Plain area (Stuckey, 1965).

Eastward of the Tuscaloosa outcrop is the Black Creek Formation. The outcrop width of the Black Creek varies from less than 5 to 30 or more miles. Eastward of the main outcrop area, it continues beneath the Peedee and younger formations, and extends onto the present Continental Shelf. The Black Creek rests unconformably over the Tuscaloosa Formation, and where the Tuscaloosa is absent, unconformably over the crystalline basement.

The unit consists, typically, of thinly bedded sands and clays that vary rapidly, both horizontally and vertically. Beds of sand and clay may be inclined at considerable angles due to current bedding. The clays are generally dark, and are carbonaceous. The sands are fine- to medium-grained, and grey to light-yellow in color. Ferruginous oxide and glauconite may be present in places.

The bedded and cross-bedded sands, clays, and lignites, which are typical of the Black Creek Formation, were deposited in a shallow sea, in bays and in estuaries. Calcareous beds in the upper Snow Hill Member may have been deposited in deeper waters (Stuckey, 1965).

The Black Creek beds strike northeast to southwest, and dip to the southeast. Its thickness varies from a feather-edge along its western outcrop to about 1,300 feet in Dare County. Stuckey (1965) estimates its average thickness to be between 500 and 600 feet.

The Peedee Formation crops-out in a belt that is eastward of the exposed part of the Black Creek Formation, and extends from the Tar River at Greenville, Pitt County, southwestward to the South Carolina line. Along Cape Fear River, the outcrop has a maximum width in excess of 25 miles.

The Peedee Formation consists predominantly of dark-green or grey, glauconitic and argillaceous sands and impure limestone. The sands contain fine mica, and are commonly calcareous. In places, the calcareous sands grade into impure limestone.

Varying amounts of dark marine clay are interbedded with the Peedee sands. The materials are well compacted, but not truly consolidated. Fossil shells and shell fragments, principally mollusks, are present at places as layers 1 to 5 feet thick. The strike of the formation is approximately north 20 degrees east. The beds dip gently to the southeast at about 20 to 25 feet per mile. Thickness varies between 220 feet and 700 feet.

Cenozoic Era

Cenozoic formations are extensively distributed throughout the Coastal Plain of North Carolina. The strata thicken seaward to and beyond the present coastline (Stuckey, 1965). Strata of Paleocene age are not recognized in surface exposures in North Carolina. However, the Beaufort Formation of Paleocene age has been recognized in wells in Dare, Pamlico, Beaufort, Martin, Bertie, Hertford, Gates and Chowan counties, and underlies all counties to the east. The Beaufort appears to rest conformably on Upper Cretaceous strata. It consists of marine beds that were deposited in a partially restricted basin. This suggests that whereas most of the Coastal Plain of North Carolina was above sea level at the beginning of the Cenozoic, the Albemarle Sound area was a basin beneath sea level in which sedimentation continued uninterrupted from Late Cretaceous times into Paleocene times (Stuckey, 1965).

Strata of Lower Eocene age do not crop-out in North Carolina. They have been recognized in the subsurface. Thus, at the beginning of Eocene time, the Coastal Plain of North Carolina was slightly above sea level. In Early Eocene time, Lower Eocene beds were deposited near the present coastline as the Coastal Plain was warped downward. These Lower Eocene sediments were later covered by Middle and Upper Eocene beds.

The Castle Hayne Limestone crops-out in an irregular belt, which varies from a few miles wide to as much as 20 miles wide. It extends from Brunswick County northwestward to Beaufort County. To the east and north, the unit continues beneath younger formations. In many places, the Castle Hayne Formation consists of finely broken calcareous marl. Locally, it may be more consolidated. In many places, the limestone is fossiliferous, and may be composed of shells. In other areas, the shells have been leached away, and the remnant rock is cavernous. Beds and lenses of sand and clay are present.

The overlying Trent Formation may also be Eocene in age, and is often considered part of the Castle Hayne Limestone (Stuckey, 1965, p. 176). The Trent is generally a consolidated shell rock. Fossils are numerous. However, locally the Trent may be unconsolidated, and resembles the younger marls (Richards, 1950).

"...Little information is available for the extent or correlation of deposits of Oligocene age in the state. Part of the problem relates to the placement of the Oligocene-Miocene boundary... Another part of the problem is related to the misuse of the term 'Trent Formation'. Other parts of the problem are due to local stratigraphic associations and lithologies, apparently brought about by a moderate shift of the depositional axis of a local basin at the close of Eocene time, and uplift and post-depositional erosion that has resulted in a number of unconnected or partially connected remnants of Oligocene and younger deposits, chiefly in Craven, Jones, Onslow and Carteret counties..." (Brown, 1963).

At the end of Eocene or Early Oligocene time, most of the Coastal Plain was raised above sea level. There was extensive erosion. In the subsurface, along the outer edge of the Coastal Plain some 1,100 to 1,300 feet of Miocene sediments occur (Stuckey, 1965). The oldest of the Miocene map units is the Belgrade/Silverdale unit. It is divided into three subunits: the lowest subunit is a sandy pelecypod biomicrudite; the middle subunit is an unconsolidated quartz arenite; the uppermost subunit is a sandy pelecypod-mold biomicrudite.

About the beginning of Middle Miocene time, a restricted basin developed in Beaufort County and adjacent areas. Important amounts of phosphatic sands, clays and thin intercalated shell limestone layers were deposited. The unit is termed the Pungo River Formation (Stuckey, 1965). The phosphorite section consists of layers of phosphatic sand and thin, intercalated shell limestone beds. The unit varies from a few feet to more than 100 feet in thickness.

The Yorktown Formation is Late Miocene age. The Lower Yorktown unit consists mainly of a dark, bluish-green, medium-to-fine argillaceous sand with many shells. Occasionally, it is indurated. Marl beds are common. Sandy phases are also common. Black phosphatic pebbles are occasionally found. Its thickness is extremely variable. The dip toward the ocean is less than 10 feet per mile. The Upper Yorktown consists chiefly of sands and shell marls, with a slight admixture of clay (Richards, 1950). The Yorktown was deposited in a shallow marine environment. In the outcrop areas, the unit varies in thickness from a few feet to nearly 250 feet (Stuckey, 1965).

At the close of the Miocene, the Coastal Plain was emergent, and was greatly eroded. This is shown by the extensive distribution of remnants of the Miocene sediments, and the fact that Plio-Pleistocene sediments are unconformable with all older formations on which they rest (Stuckey, 1965).

Lithologically, the Waccamaw Formation resembles the Yorktown. It consists of loose grey to buff, fine quartz sand. Shell marls are present. The unit is thin, and rarely exceeds 25 feet in thickness (Richards, 1950).

Over much of the map area, the Miocene and Pliocene sediments are mantled by largely unconsolidated sandy, silty, clayey and shelly Quaternary sediments that range in thickness from a thin veneer to more than 100 feet in the vicinity of Cape Lookout (Mixon and Pilkey, 1976). Many of these sediments are included in the Socatsee Formation. The Socatsee includes the Flanner Beach Formation, the Bogue Sand, the Minnesott Sand, the Core Creek Sand and the Atlantic Sand as described by Mixon and Pilkey (1976).

Mixon and Pilkey (1976) informally divide the Flanner Beach Formation into three members. Two of these members, the Newport and the Arapahoe consist mainly of well sorted sands, which are thought to be barrier deposits emplaced on either side of the ancestral Neuse River estuary. The third member, the Beard Creek, consists of fossiliferous silty and clayey sands, interbedded with lesser amounts of silt and clay. It was deposited largely in lagoonal and estuarine environments.

The Core Creek Sand is a well sorted, fine-to-medium sand, interbedded with thin clays; much of the sand above the water table appears to have been leached white. Cross-bedded sand units, as much as 8 inches wide, which include clay laminae cross-beds, are suggestive of tidal-flat deposits (Mixon and Pilkey, 1976).

A beach ridge complex, which was probably formed during the Late Pleistocene, was called the Atlantic Barrier (Mixon and Pilkey, 1976). The Atlantic Sand is a clean quartz sand.

A second beach ridge complex is divided into two parts: (i) an older part, termed the Cedar Island Barrier, and (ii) a Holocene beach and ridge dune. The sands of the Cedar Island Barrier are known as the Cedar Island Sand. Silty sands and muds directly underlying the salt marsh and sand flats are mapped as the silty sand facies of the Cedar Island Sand (Qci).

The seaward part of the emerged Coastal Plain is a chain of barrier islands. Northeast of Cape Lookout, these are known as the Core banks; west of Cape Lookout, they are known as the Shackelford and Bogue banks (Mixon and Pilkey, 1976). They are mapped as the Qmb unit.

The salt marshes and sounds, bays and estuaries behind the outer barrier islands are areas of active sedimentation and, in some areas, erosion. The back barrier deposits may be divided into sandy and muddy facies. Salt-marsh muds accumulate through the baffle effect of certain marsh grasses. Although the marsh mud accumulations are more common along the borders of the sheltered bays, they also occur in areas exposed to estuarine waves (Mixon and Pilkey, 1976).

C. DESCRIPTION OF GEOLOGIC MAP UNITS

Cenozoic

Quaternary

Holocene

Qa1: Recent Alluvium

These are floodplain deposits.

Qmb: Beach and Dune Deposits

The unit includes quartz and shell sand; the sand is well sorted, fine-to-coarse, pale-grey, yellowish-grey and yellowish-brown. The unit includes minor amounts of fine gravels.

Qbm: Marsh Deposits

The unit includes soft silty and clayey muds, peats, lesser amounts of clayey and silty sands.

Holocene-Pleistocene

Qci: Marsh Deposits.

Clayey and silty sands, with well sorted sand of Pleistocene age, are overlain by a veneer of Holocene salt-marsh peat, muds and sands.

Qso: Socatsee Formation

The Socatsee is comprised of a quartzose sand, clayey and silty sand, and bluish-grey fossiliferous clay. The unit includes the Flanner Beach Formation, the Bogue Sand, the Minnesott Sand, the Core Creek Sand and the Atlantic Sand.

Pleistocene

Qcw: Canepatch/Waccamaw Formation

Complex deposits of humate-impregnated sand, fossiliferous sandy clay, peat and beach rock; it is semi-indurated, fine-to-coarse sand, with abundant mollusk shells.

Tertiary

Miocene

Ty: Yorktown Formation

The Yorktown consists of a sand and coquina; the sand is tan to reddish-brown, and cross-bedded; the sand includes layers of buff clay. There is also dark-blue to grey fossiliferous sand.

Tbs: Belgrade/Silverdale Formations

The upper unit is a sandy pelecypod-mold biomicrudite.

The middle unit is an unconsolidated quartz arenite.

The lower unit is a sandy pelecypod biomicrudite.

Oligocene

Tt: Trent Formation

The upper unit is a barnacle pelecypod-mold biomicrudite.

The middle unit is an unconsolidated sandy pelecypod-mold biomicrudite.

The upper unit is a sandy echinoid biosparite.

Eocene

Tch: Castle Hayne Limestone

A white-to-grey sand and marl facies, with sandy calcitic and dolomite shell limestones; some glauconite, pyrite, and phosphate are present.

Mesozoic

Cretaceous

Kpd: Peedee Formation

This is a dark micaceous, argillaceous, fine glauconitic sand. It has a molluscan fauna.

Kbc: Black Creek Formation

This is a black laminated clay with interbedded fine-grained sands.

Kt: Tuscaloosa Formation

Arkosic sands and clays of tan, red and grey colors, comprise the Tuscaloosa Formation.

Precambrian/Paleozoic

arg: Argillite

The unit is argillite, but includes novaculite, greywacke and conglomerate.

fvs: Felsic Volcanics

The unit is mainly acid tuffs, breccias and flows. It is partially sedimentary. It also includes mafic fragments and flow material, with lenses of bedded slate. There are also lenses of gneiss, schist and phyllite.

Pzpb: Petersburg Granite

The Petersburg Granite is composed of microcline and biotite-rich granites and some chloritic granodiorite.

D. RADIOACTIVE MINERAL PROSPECTS IN THE SURVEYED AREA

There is no uranium production in North Carolina at this time (Southern Interstate Nuclear Board, 1969). Within the Rocky Mount/Manteo map areas, there may be potential for by-product uranium recovery from the phosphatic rocks of Beaufort and neighboring counties (Southern Interstate Nuclear Board).

Caldwell (1968) stated the following about the Lee Creek Phosphate:

"Lee Creek Phosphate is located in a large Miocene phosphorite deposit on the Atlantic Coastal Plain in what is now Beaufort County, North Carolina. The deposit is uniform over a large distance... and flat-lying... A mineralogical study of the deposit by Thomas P. Rooney and Paul F. Kerr, Columbia University, reports total reserves estimated at 10 billion tons..., with an average P₂O₅ content of 18%. This estimate is open to question, and others quote only 1.5-2.0 billion tons in the 50,000 acres."

Kimrey (1965) reported that the amount of radioactivity varied directly with the amount of phosphate present. Brown (1958) determined uranium percentages of 0.003 and 0.008, respectively, from two assayed samples.

A potentially favorable environment for uranium mineralization occurs in the Upper Cretaceous continental sediments east of the Fall Line of the Piedmont. The sands of the Tuscaloosa and Black Creek formations are high in organic material, and have been lightened in color through processes of reduction. The sediments that were deposited on an undulating crystalline basement, perhaps under swampy conditions, contain buried stream channels and conglomerates. These environments have proven to be favorable for uraniumiferous deposits in locations in the western United States (Southern Interstate Nuclear Board, 1969).

SECTION IV

RESULTS OF DATA ANALYSIS

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A. DESCRIPTION OF STACKED DATA PROFILES

1. Multivariable Radiometric Stacked Data Profiles

These profiles are presented at a horizontal scale of 1:500,000. The vertical scales are:

Altitude: 100 feet/div.; aircraft altitude above the surface

TL(^{208}Tl)* 1.0 ppm/div; 7.24 c/s = 1 ppm/eTh

BI(^{214}Bi)* 0.25 ppm/div; 13.85 c/s = 1 ppm/eU

K (^{40}K)* 0.15 %/div; 105.0 c/s = 1%K

BiAir 2.5 c/s/div. 50 seconds averaged

Residual Magnetic Field 100 gammas/div. (See Sec.V.B.1)

GC (Count from 400 keV to 3.0 MeV) 300 c/s/div.

Bi/TL 0.05 /div.

Bi/K 0.20 /div.

TL/K 0.70 /div.

Geology Strip: An approximate six-mile width of the geology map, containing each line, is displayed above the profiles.

* 7-second average weighted 1:2:3:4:3:2:1 is used and plotted at center.

2. Residual Magnetic Field Profiles

Altitude: 100 feet/div.

Temperature: 1.0 $^{\circ}\text{C}$ /div.

Pressure: 3 mm of Hg/div.

Base Magnetic Field: 10 gammas/div.

Residual Magnetic Field: 20 gammas/div.

Geology Strip: An approximate six-mile width of the geology map, containing each line, is displayed above the profiles.

All profiles appear in Section IV.H.

B. SINGLE AND AVERAGE RECORD LISTINGS

Single and average record listings are provided on microfiche. Samples of each type are presented in Appendix III.

C. STATISTICAL PRESENTATION OF DATA BY GEOLOGIC TYPE

Tables IV.(1-6) contain the average value of each variable as a function of line number and geologic type. The tables are in order eTh, eU, K, eU/eTh, eU/K, eTh/K.

D. FREQUENCY DISTRIBUTION OF DATA FOR EACH GEOLOGIC TYPE

Table IV.7 contains the mean, standard deviation, and number of events for each geologic type encountered over the entire map sheet. Histograms for these data appear in Section IV.H.2.

E. DATA INTERPRETATION

1. Analysis of Geologic Histograms

The radioactivity data is shown in histogram form with parts per million or percent plotted against number of events (Appendix I). The histograms for ^{208}Tl and ^{40}K were examined for conformity to a Gaussian curve. It is generally assumed that a geologic map unit, which encompasses a fairly homogeneous lithology, would have a unimodal distribution. Where map units vary significantly from a unimodal distribution, a further subdivision into more homogeneous lithologic types may be recommended. Table IV.8 shows the map units, which vary from a unimodal model, and for which separation of two or more distributions is feasible. Only units with excess of 200 events are considered.

2. Discussion of Anomalies

Introduction

The ^{208}Tl , ^{214}Bi , and $^{214}\text{Bi}/^{208}\text{Tl}$ (ratio) data were examined for anomalous values. An anomaly is defined by a minimum of two adjacent, two-standard deviation values, or a single, three-standard deviation value. The anomalies were listed by flight line in Table IV.9; by geologic map unit in Table IV.10; Table IV.10 is statistically summarized in Table IV.11. Only positive anomalies were examined for ^{208}Tl and ^{214}Bi , but both positive and negative values were studied for the ratio anomaly.

Table IV.1 Geologic Unit Average Value as a Function of Map Line for eTh (PPM Times 10)

Table IV.4 Geologic Unit Average Value as a Function of Map Line for eU/eTh (Times 100)

Table IV.2 Geologic Unit Average Value as a Function of Map Line for eU (PPM Times 10)

Table IV.5 Geologic Unit Average Value as a Function of Map Line for eU/K (Times 1000)

Table IV.3 Geologic Unit Average Value as a Function of Map Line for K (PC Times 100)

Table IV.6 Geologic Unit Average Value as a Function of Map Line for eTh/K (Times 1000)

eTh		eU		K		eU/eTh		eU/K		eTh/K		MAX. NO. EVENTS	GEOLOGIC UNIT
σ	\bar{x}	σ	\bar{x}	σ	\bar{x}	σ	\bar{x}	σ	\bar{x}	σ	\bar{x}		
1.8083	4.2	0.4910	1.3	0.3191	0.5	0.8385	0.3913	2.8460	3.7792	7.3689	11.1534	2093.0	QAL
1.0208	1.3	0.1983	0.4	0.1001	0.2	0.3346	0.3752	0.6852	1.2987	2.9725	4.6426	43.0	QAR
1.7147	1.9	0.4703	0.6	0.2561	0.3	1.5967	0.5071	7.5276	2.5109	9.3532	6.8491	8317.0	QCT
1.5861	2.3	0.7597	0.7	0.2906	0.4	2.2967	0.4607	18.1883	2.4660	5.9536	5.8658	7748.0	QSD
1.4826	2.9	0.4975	0.8	0.2234	0.4	0.1503	0.3060	1.4650	2.5002	4.2946	8.8180	594.0	QCW
1.4722	4.6	0.4332	1.4	0.2941	0.4	0.0892	0.3089	7.2455	6.3586	18.6574	20.1004	23167.0	TY
1.6520	3.3	0.4676	1.2	0.1676	0.3	0.2536	0.4106	2.1717	4.0929	4.8595	10.6722	445.0	TT
1.2707	3.4	0.4445	1.1	0.1564	0.2	1.1057	0.3915	19.4369	9.9867	10.0483	28.7723	4634.0	TCH
1.1745	3.1	0.4134	1.1	0.1839	0.2	0.1616	0.3689	28.9386	10.5318	18.8429	27.8060	5278.0	KPD
1.2535	3.4	0.4109	1.2	0.1934	0.2	0.1371	0.3557	32.7716	10.0901	18.4655	28.1995	4544.0	KBC
3.4253	6.2	0.6957	1.6	0.4384	0.6	0.1075	0.3062	4.0752	4.6741	9.0347	14.5854	85.0	APG
2.3025	4.8	0.5352	1.4	0.1899	0.3	0.1056	0.3182	3.4954	6.4750	9.8392	20.8065	630.0	FVS
2.0728	5.7	0.3243	1.8	0.3385	0.5	0.0926	0.3364	2.2260	4.7385	5.5103	14.1262	169.0	PZPR

Table IV.7 Mean (\bar{x}) and Standard Deviation (σ) for Each Geologic Type.

TABLE IV.8 Geologic Units with Significant Variations from Unimodal Distributions, Based on the Analysis of the eTh Histograms

Geologic Unit	No. Events	²⁰⁸ Tl Recommended Split (c/s)
Qal	1985	none
Qci	4588	none
Qso	5454	none
Qcw	507	none
Tt	417	35;
Kpd	5060	none
Kbc	4415	none
Fvs	618	none

TABLE IV.9 Summary of Anomalies

	^{208}Tl	^{214}Bi	$^{214}\text{Bi}/^{208}\text{Tl}$
ML1	Tt, 2440-2445;		Kpd, 1805-1815; Qcw, 2705-2710, 3020;
ML2			Kpd, 1420, 1470, 1535-1545, 1725-1730; Tch, 2270, 2290; Tt, 2520, 2560-2570, 2680-2685;
ML3	Tch, 5680, 5700	Tch, 5670-5700;	Qcw, 4955; Ty, 5085, 5095-5100; Tch, 5375; Kpd, 6245-6250;
ML4	Tch, 3025-3030	Tch, 3500-3515;	Tt, 2875; Kpd, 3870, 3900, 4150;
ML5		Kpd, 1935-1940, 1950, 2340-2345, 2505-2510; Ty, 2780;	Kbc, 1275, 1290-1295, 1320, 1340, 1350, 1370; Ty, 1420-1440; Kbc, 1500-1530, 1540-1550; 1580, 1580, 1600-1610, 1640; Kpd, 1700-1710, 1980, 2080, 2300-2320; Qa1, 2585; Tch, 2615-2625; Ty, 2730-2745; Qso, 2980-2990; Qci, 3060-3065, 3125-3135, 3145;
ML6	Kpd, 4875; Kbc, 4550;		Kbc, 4355, 4375-4380, 4455; Qa1, 5560-5565; Ty, 5760
ML7E			Qso, 1150-1160, 1315-1325;
ML7W	Tch, 1850-1855; Kpd, 2340-2345, 2350-2360; Kbc, 3040-3045;	Tch, 2235-2240; Kpd, 2315-2320, 2335-2345; Kbc, 3020-3025;	Tch, 1990, 2015, 2190, 3110;
ML8	Tch, 6140-6145, 6155-6165; Kpd, 4600-4605;	Tch, 6140-6145; Kpd, 6505-6510; Ty, 6895-6910;	Qci, 6025, 6285; Ty, 6745-6755; Kbc, 7255;
ML9	Kbc, 230-240;	Kbc, 230-235; Qso, 1830-1860	Qso, 1800-1850;
ML10	Kpd, 1955-1960, 1980-1995; Qci, 2430-2445, 2480-2495;	Qci, 2465-2475;	Ty, 1230, 2240, 2310, 2350;
ML11	Qso, 4260-4280; Kbc, 6545-6550;	Ty, 6825-6870;	Ty, 7040-7045;
ML12			Ty, 3040-3045;
ML13E	Qci, 3755;	Ty, 1265-1270;	
ML14			Ty, 4525;
ML15W	Qso, 6005-6010;	Qa1, 6920-6930;	Ty, 7030, 7280-7285; (Ty, 6834-6840);
ML16	Ty, 7000-7010;		Ty, 6450, 6560-6565, 6690-6695;
ML17E			
ML17W	Qci, 3815-3825; Ty, 5375-5385, 5400-5405;	Ty, 5365-5375, 5610-5640	(Qci, 3625)

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(TABLE IV.9 Cont'd.)

	^{208}Tl	^{214}Bi	$^{214}\text{Bi}/^{208}\text{Tl}$
ML18	Ty, 1220-1245, 1330-1335;	Ty, 1220-1225, 1470-1480	Ty, 2090;
ML19E	Qso, 2810-2815;		
ML19W	Qa1, 1725-1780; Ty, 15775-1580, 1655-1670, 1710;	Qa1, 1710-1725;	Ty, 3030-3040, 3250-3265;
ML20	Ty, 3730-3735, 3805-3820; arg, 3930-3940;	Ty, 3720-3725;	Ty, 2755-2760;
ML21	Ty, 4250-4255;		Ty, 5260; Qso, 7425;
ML22	Ty, 4595-4615, 4865-4870, 4885-4895, 4950-4955; Qci, 5455-5480, 5555-5560, 5590, 5660-5670;	Ty, 4815-4820; Qa1, 4900-4920; Qci, 5470, 5560-5565, 5590-5600, 5665-5670;	Pzpd, 4455; Ty, 5070, 5350;
ML23	Ty, 3570-3585, 3605-3610, 3650-3750, 3760-3930;	Ty, 3575-3580, 3680-3720, 3725-3730, 3765-3770, 3790-3810, 3815-3920;	Ty, 3080, 4120-4125, 4200-4210;
TL1			Qci, 6790;
TL2			Qci, 5020-5025;
TL3	Qci, 4060-4070;		Qci, 3275;
TL4		Qci, 215-220;	
TL5			
TL6	Ty, 3680-3780;	Ty, 3690-3710; Qa1, 3720-3730;	Ty, 4245-4250;
TL7	Ty, 2950;	arg, 3325; Kbc, 2310-2315	Ty, 4880;
TL9			Kbc, 2315; Ty, 2650, 2970, 3415-3420;

(...) denotes negative anomaly
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TABLE IV.10 Radioactivity Anomalies per Geologic Map Unit

Geologic Unit	^{208}Tl	^{214}Bi	$^{214}\text{Bi}/^{208}\text{Tl}$
Qa1	1	4	2
Qci	9	5	7 (1)
Qso	3	1	5
Qcw	0	0	2
Ty	16	17	33 (1)
Tt	1	0	4
Tch	9	4	8
Kpd	6	7	13
Kbc	4	3	17
arg	1	1	0
P ₃ pb	0	0	1

(...) denotes negative anomaly

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TABLE IV.11 Statistical Summary of Radioactivity Anomalies by Geologic Unit

Geologic Unit	^{208}Tl	^{214}Bi	$^{214}\text{Bi}/^{208}\text{Tl}$	
Quaternary				
No. of units w/anomalies	3	3	4	(1)
No. of anomalies	13	10	16	(1)
Tertiary				
No. of units w/anomalies	3	2	3	(1)
No. of anomalies	26	21	45	(1)
Mesozoic				
No. of units w/anomalies	2	2	2	
No. of anomalies	10	10	30	
Paleozoic/Precambrian				
No. of units w/anomalies	1	1	1	
No. of anomalies	1	1	1	
Total Sample				
No. of units w/anomalies	9	8	10	(2)
No. of anomalies	50	42	82	(2)

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 (...) denotes negative anomaly

The Relationship between Radioactivity Anomalies and Geologic Map Units

Quaternary Geologic Units: Qal, Qci, Qso and Qcw

^{208}Tl Anomalies

Twenty-six percent of the ^{208}Tl anomalies occur in three Quaternary units, Qal, Qci and Qso. The three units occupy almost twenty-four percent of the flown land area. Most of the anomalies are in the Qci unit. None of the anomalies coincide geographically with $^{214}\text{Bi}/^{208}\text{Tl}$ anomalies. Variations in lithology and ground moisture most probably account for many, if not all, of the anomalies.

^{214}Bi and $^{214}\text{Bi}/^{208}\text{Tl}$ Anomalies

Twenty-four percent of the ^{214}Bi anomalies occur in three Quaternary units; whereas, almost twenty percent of the $^{214}\text{Bi}/^{208}\text{Tl}$ anomalies occur in four of the Quaternary units. These units cover some twenty-four and twenty-five percent, respectively, of the flown land area.

As with the ^{208}Tl anomalies, the Qci unit has the highest aggregate of anomalies, although it occupies less area than the Qso unit. Only one ^{214}Bi anomaly coincides geographically with a ratio anomaly. This occurs at ML9, stations 1800-1850, in the Qso unit. The significance of this extensive anomaly is not understood. However, it requires further attention.

Tertiary Geologic Units: Ty, Tch and Tt

^{208}Tl Anomalies

Fifty-two percent of the ^{208}Tl anomalies occur in three Tertiary units (Ty, Tt and Tch). These three units occupy some fifty-five percent of the land area. The Ty unit, alone, has forty-five percent of the surveyed area, but only thirty-two percent of the ^{208}Tl anomalies. None of the ^{208}Tl anomalies coincide with $^{214}\text{Bi}/^{208}\text{Tl}$ anomalies. Most of the anomalies are thought to be associated with intra-unit changes in lithology.

^{214}Bi and $^{214}\text{Bi}/^{208}\text{Tl}$ Anomalies

Fifty percent of ^{214}Bi and fifty-five percent of the $^{214}\text{Bi}/^{208}\text{Tl}$ anomalies occur in two and three, respectively, of the Tertiary units. The units occupy some fifty-four to fifty-five percent

of the map area. Most of the anomalies occur in the Ty unit - Yorktown Formation - which occupies more than forty-five percent of the land area. None of the ^{214}Bi anomalies coincide with ratio anomalies. The phosphate-rich deposits in the Miocene sediments are known to contain low-grade uranium concentrations, but are probably too low a grade for commercial production.

Mesozoic Geologic Units: Kpd and Kbc

^{208}Tl Anomalies

Twenty percent of the ^{208}Tl anomalies occur in the Cretaceous units, Kpd and Kbc. These two units occupy almost nineteen percent of the surveyed land area. They are fairly evenly distributed between the two areas. None of the ^{208}Tl anomalies coincide with $^{214}\text{Bi}/^{208}\text{Tl}$ anomalies. The ^{208}Tl anomalies may reflect some intra-unit changes in geology.

^{214}Bi and $^{214}\text{Bi}/^{208}\text{Tl}$ Anomalies

Nearly twenty-four percent of the ^{214}Bi and thirty-six percent of the ratio anomalies occur in the two Cretaceous units - Kpd and Kbc - and these units occupy only nineteen percent of the surveyed area. Most of the ^{214}Bi anomalies occur in the Kpd unit; whereas, most of the $^{214}\text{Bi}/^{208}\text{Tl}$ anomalies occur in the Kbc unit. None of the ^{214}Bi anomalies coincide geographically with the ratio anomalies.

The sediments, particularly the carbonaceous sands, of the Kbc unit - the Black Creek Formation - are potentially favorable environments for the epigenetically or supergenetically precipitated uranyl ion complexes. Anomalies in the Kbc unit may require closer scrutiny.

Paleozoic/Precambrian Geologic Units: arg and Pzpb

^{208}Tl Anomalies

One ^{208}Tl anomaly occurs in an arg unit, ML20, stations 3930-3940; the arg unit occupies only 0.16 percent of the surveyed area. The anomaly does not coincide with a $^{214}\text{Bi}/^{208}\text{Tl}$ anomaly. The anomaly may be associated with a hydrothermal vein deposit. It is not considered to be particularly significant.

^{214}Bi and $^{214}\text{Bi}/^{208}\text{Tl}$ Anomalies

One ^{214}Bi anomaly occurs in the arg unit on TL7, station 3325. The anomaly does not coincide geographically with a ratio anomaly. The anomaly may be associated with a vein deposit.

One ratio anomaly occurs in the Pzpb unit. The Pzpb unit occupies some 0.33 percent of the surveyed area. The anomaly is not considered to be of particular significance.

Relationship between Radioactivity Anomalies and the Location of Known Radioactive Mineral Deposits

The only known concentrations of radioactive mineral deposits occur in the phosphatic rocks of the Lee Creek Phosphate, of Miocene age. The phosphate is a subunit of the Pungo River Formation, which does not appear as an outcrop. The Lee Creek Phosphate has very low grade uranium concentration. It is not economically significant at this time.

In view of the fact that the Lee Creek Phosphate is not mapped as an outcrop on the geological map of the area, it is not possible to determine whether or not any of the ^{214}Bi or $^{214}\text{Bi}/^{208}\text{Tl}$ anomalies are associated with the deposit.

Relationship of Radioactivity Anomalies to Cultural Features

^{208}Tl Anomalies

Two ^{208}Tl anomalies occur in the vicinity of the town of Rocky Mount. These anomalies occur on ML22, stations 4515-4520 and stations 4595-4615.

^{214}Bi Anomalies

A ^{214}Bi anomaly on ML17, stations 5510-5540, occurs to the west of the town of Wilson in the Yorktown Formation.

$^{214}\text{Bi}/^{208}\text{Tl}$ Anomaly

A small three sigma anomaly occurs to the west of the town of New Bern, on ML3, station 5085. A second $^{214}\text{Bi}/^{208}\text{Tl}$ anomaly occurs to the northeast of Greenville on ML15W, stations 6835-6840.

Trends

^{208}Tl Anomalies

The ^{208}Tl anomalies are unevenly distributed throughout the map sheet area. Relatively few of the ^{208}Tl anomalies occur in the eastern part of the map sheet, although this may be partially a function of flight line spacings. The major groupings of ^{208}Tl anomalies occur in the northwestern corner, and in the central portion of the map sheet.

The cluster in the northeastern corner is north of ML16, and mainly west of TL6. It includes a very extensive series of two and three sigma anomalies on ML23, between stations 3650 and 3925. The anomalies are mainly over the Ty unit.

The more centrally located anomaly is between TL4 and TL6, and between ML7 and ML11. The anomalies are located over a variety of Cretaceous, Tertiary and Quaternary units.

^{214}Bi Anomalies

The ^{214}Bi anomalies have a similar distribution to the ^{208}Tl anomalies; many of the two sets of anomalies coincide geographically. Three clusters of ^{214}Bi anomalies are noted.

In the northeastern corner, north of ML17 and mainly west of TL6, there is a group which includes an extensive, but discontinuous, series of two and three sigma anomalies along ML23, between stations 3680 and 3920. The northeastern cluster is located mainly over the Ty unit.

A second cluster occurs between TL4 and TL6, and between ML3 and ML8. The ^{214}Bi anomalies occur over a variety of Cretaceous, Tertiary and Quaternary units.

A third and smaller cluster is concentrated in the vicinity of TL7, between ML11 and ML7. These anomalies are mainly in the Black Creek Formation of Cretaceous age.

$^{214}\text{Bi}/^{208}\text{Tl}$ Anomalies

The $^{214}\text{Bi}/^{208}\text{Tl}$ anomalies are more evenly distributed throughout the map area than the other two sets of anomalies. Partly because of the lower density of flight lines, fewer ratio anomalies occur in the northeastern quadrant of the map than elsewhere. More anomalies occur in the southern half of the survey area than in the northern half. The greatest density of anomalies is in the southeastern corner, west of TL6 and south of ML7 in the Kbc and Kpd units.

3. Summary and Recommendations

The greatest concentrations of radioactivity anomalies are in the Tertiary units, mainly the Yorktown Formation. The higher concentration in these units may be partially a factor of the greater density of flight lines in the eastern half of the map area. The Tertiary and Cretaceous units have the best prospects for uranium ion concentration, but coinciding pairs of ^{214}Bi and $^{214}\text{Bi}/^{208}\text{Tl}$ anomalies do not occur over these units.

Many of the ^{208}Tl and ^{214}Bi anomalies coincide geographically. When such coincidences occur over sedimentary units, without hydrothermal vein intrusions, this is generally indicative of changes in intra-unit lithology, or near-surface hydrologic conditions.

F. NATIONAL GAMMA RAY MAP SERIES (NGRMS)

The geologic base has been photographically screened to allow emphasis of the flight line locations and of the information regarding data analysis. These maps are used as the base for presenting statistical information on the six variables:

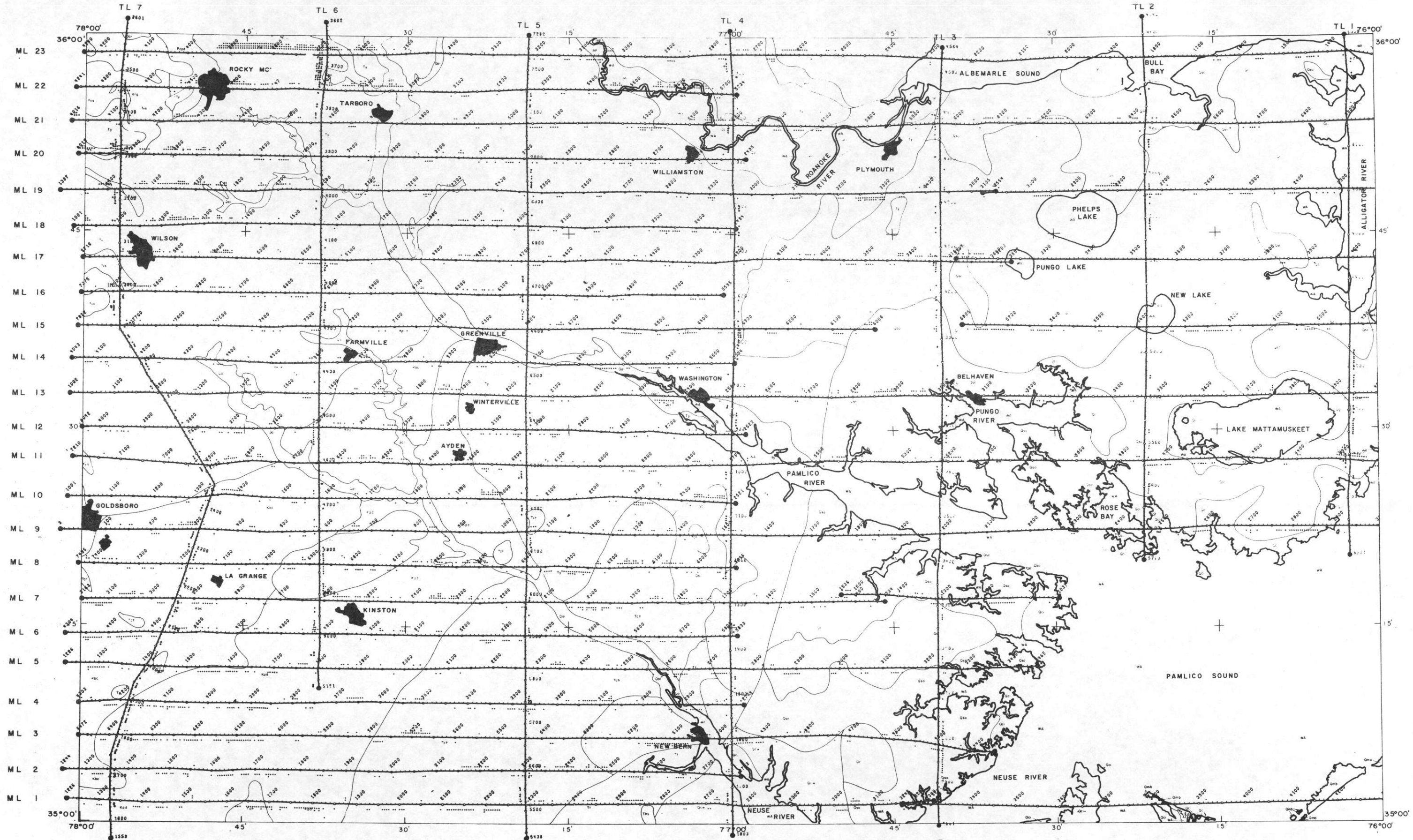
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- * $^{208}\text{Tl}/^{40}\text{K}$ Ratio

The six NGRMS sheets are presented in Figures IV.(1-6) of this report at a scale of 1:500,000 and as separate sheets at a scale of 1:250,000.

The statistical information is summarized on these maps through the utilization of one, two or three dots above or below the flight line at every fifth data point. One dot above the line indicates that the variable value at that point is between 1σ and 2σ greater than the mean value for that geologic type where σ values are determined for each geologic type based on all flight line data from the area, as is discussed further in Section V.B.4. Two dots indicate values between 2σ and 3σ , and three dots show values greater than 3σ . Dots below the line indicate the variable values which are less than the mean value by 1, 2 or 3σ in the same manner.

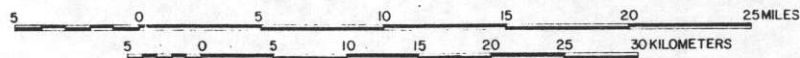
G. LINE PRINTER CONTOURS

Printer contours have been generated at a 1:500,000 scale for seven variables (eTh, eU, K, eU/eTh, eU/K, eTh/K, RMag, respectively). They appear in Appendix IV. Note that every alternate contour interval is composed of blanks to help delineate contour boundaries. Dots are used where the denominator value for a ratio is approaching zero, and to denote non-data areas.

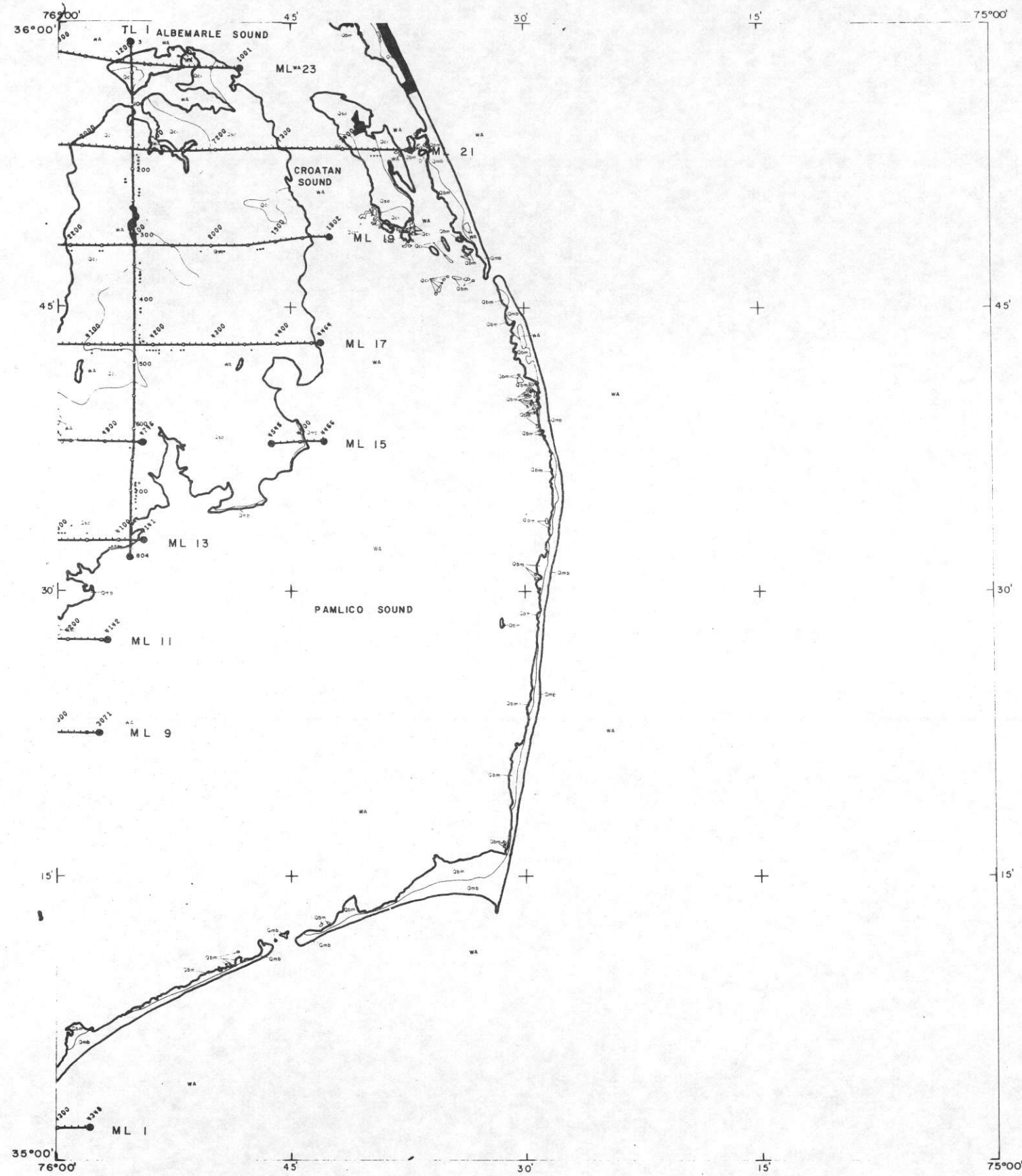


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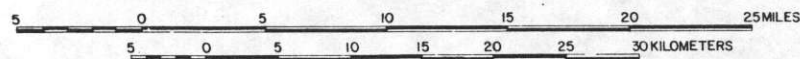
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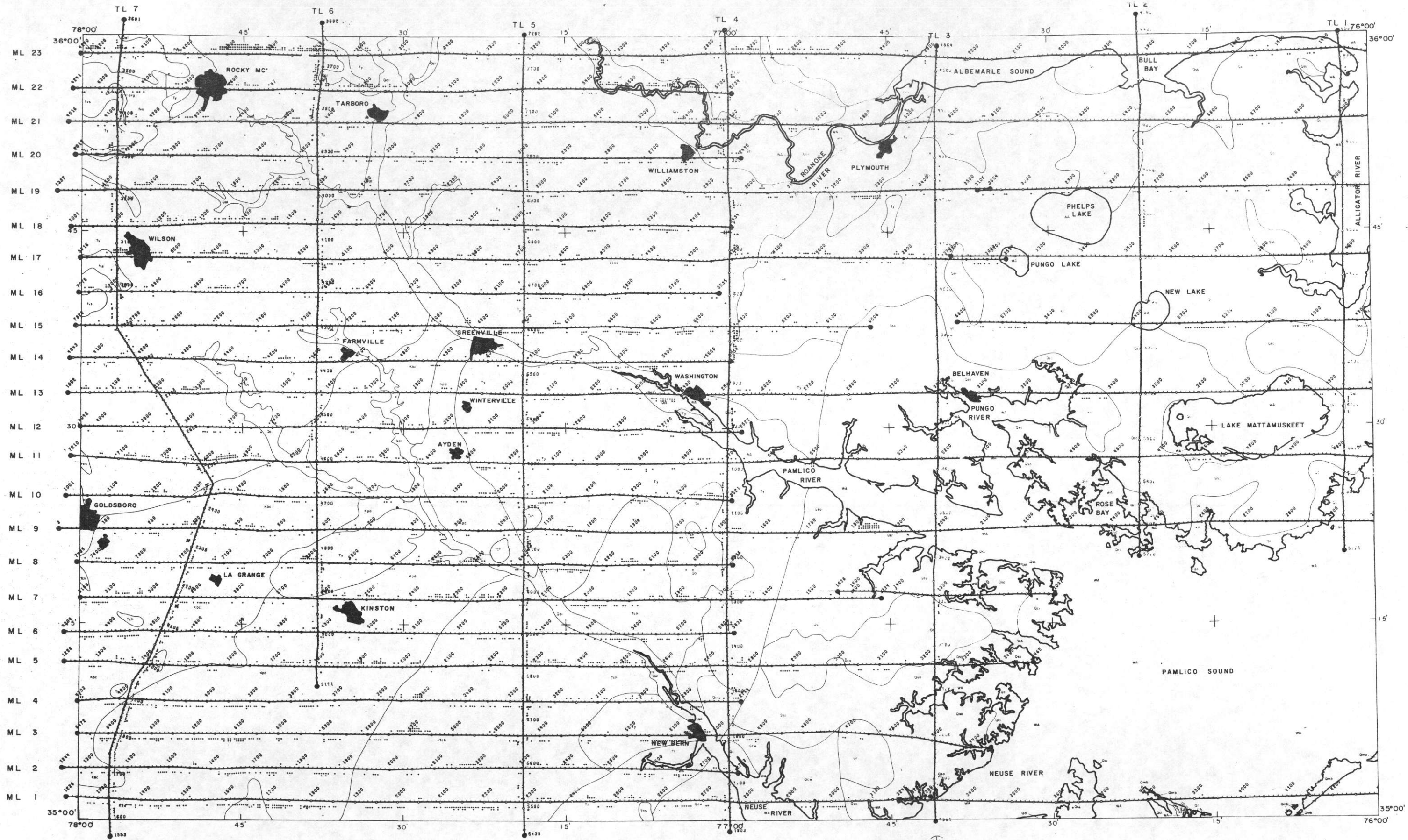
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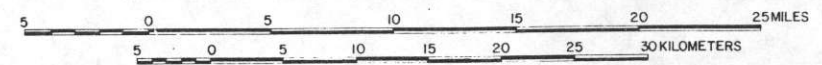
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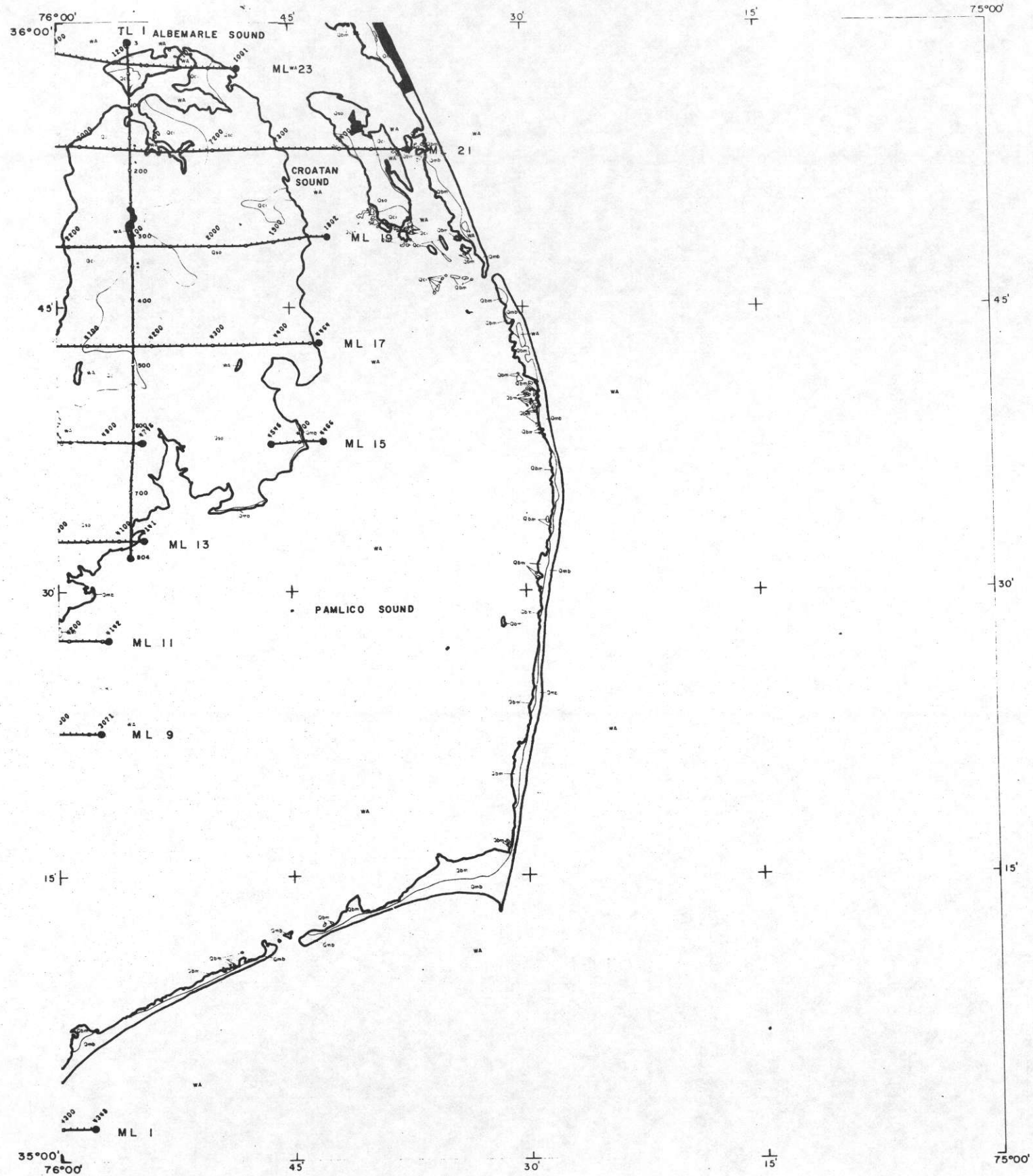


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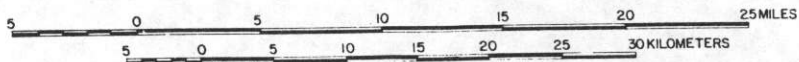


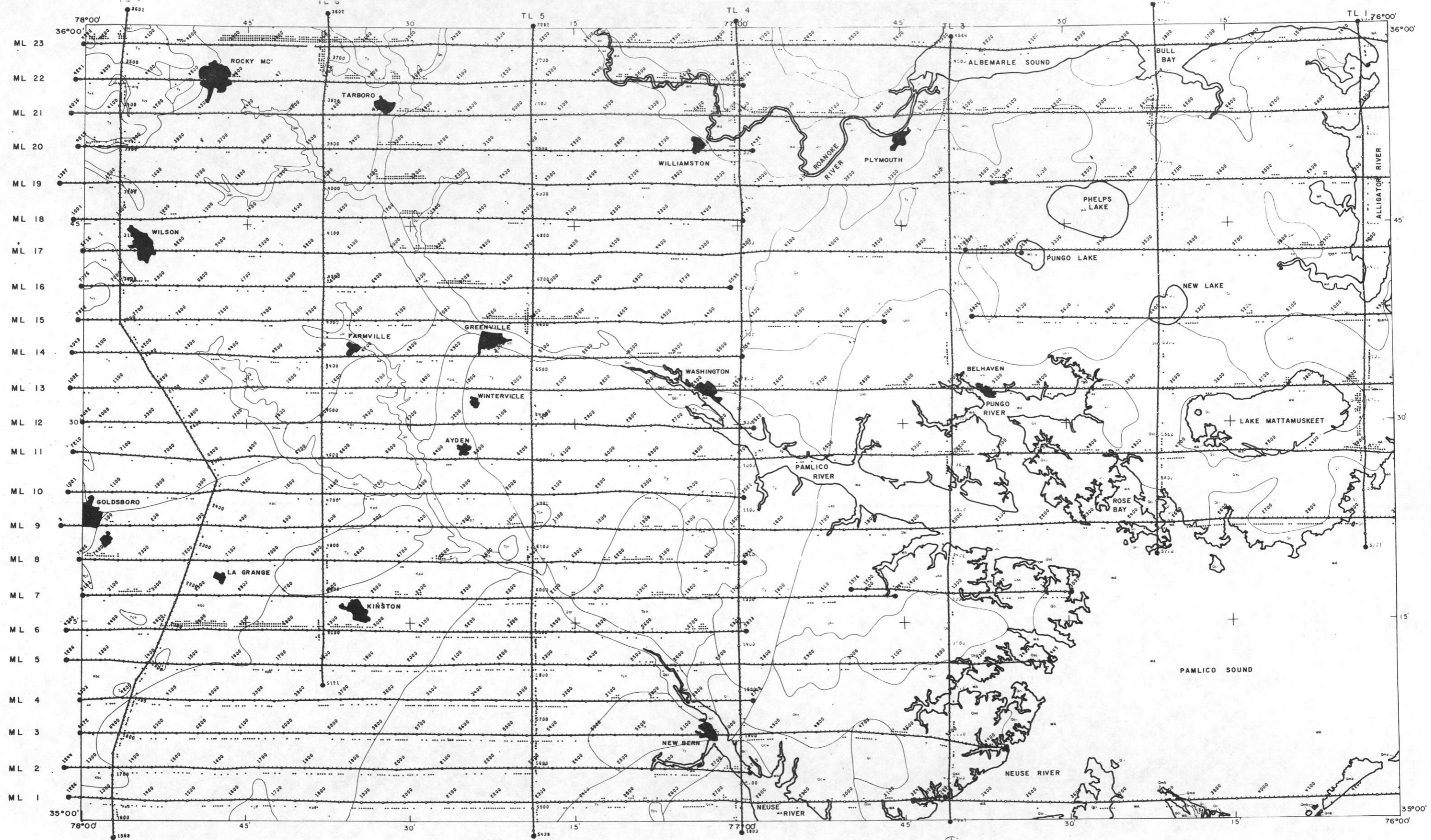
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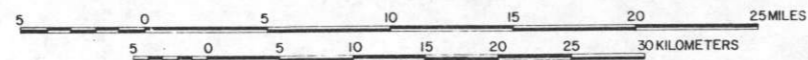
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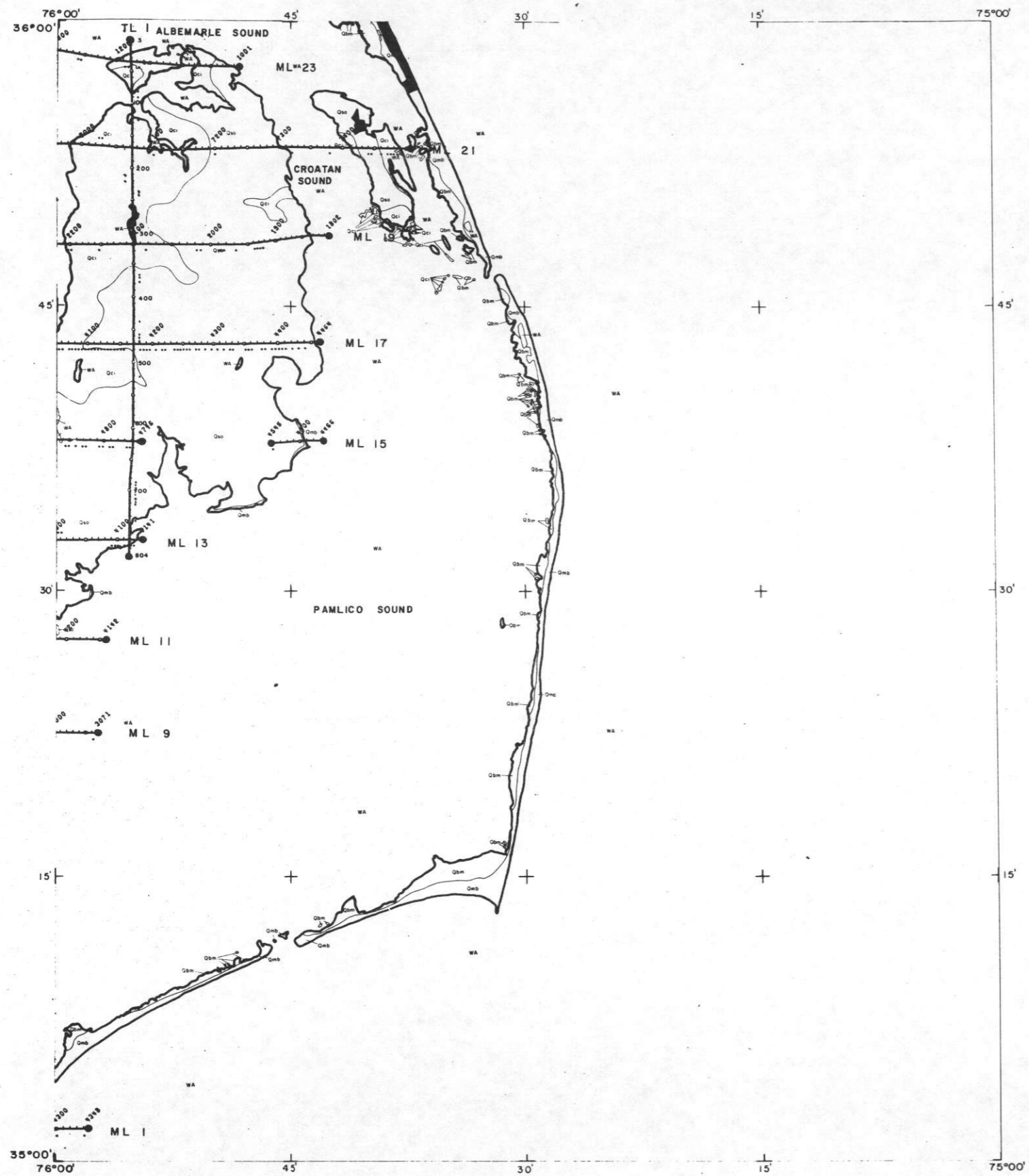


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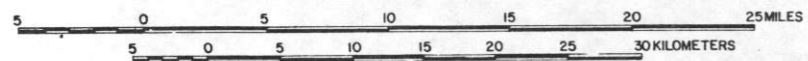


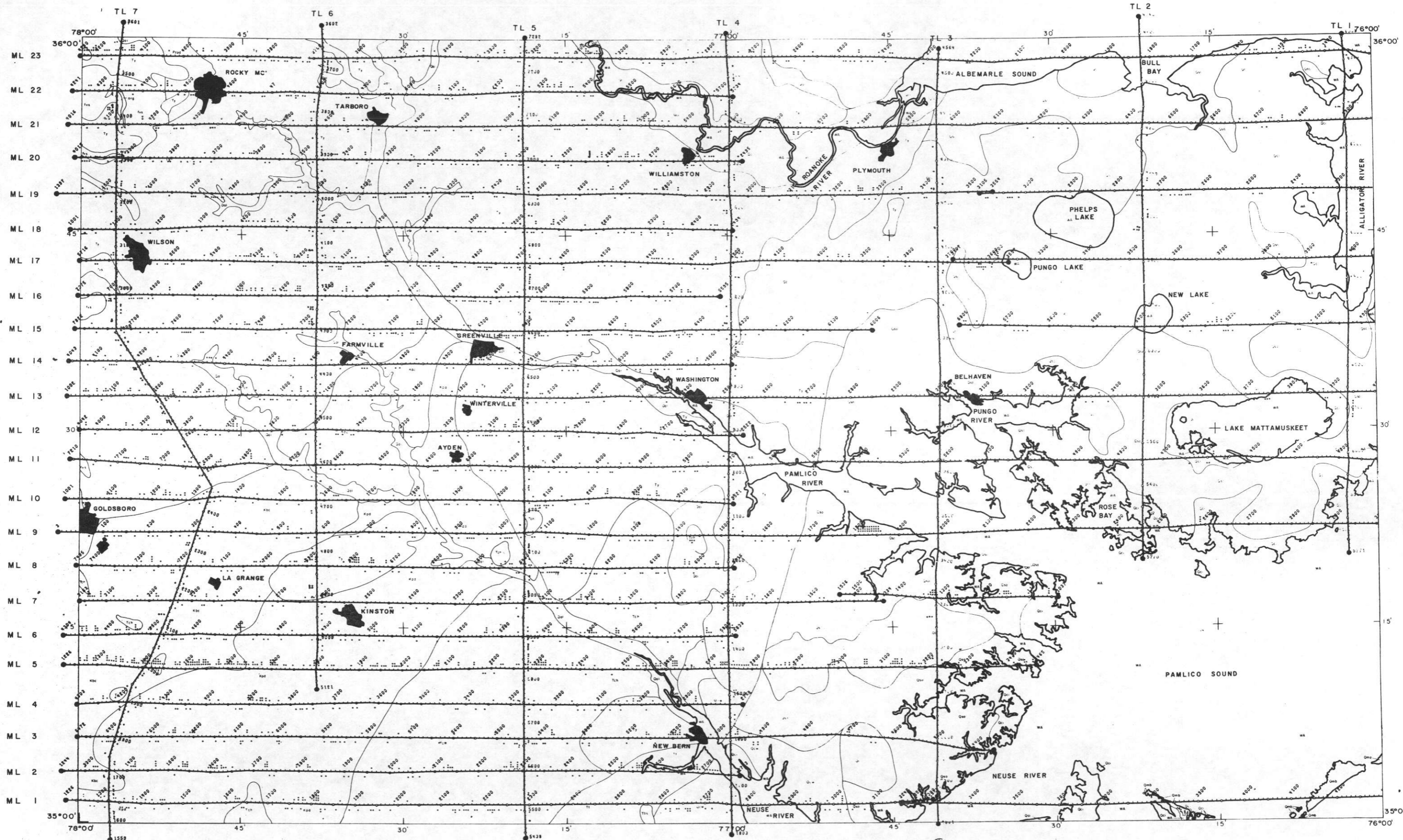
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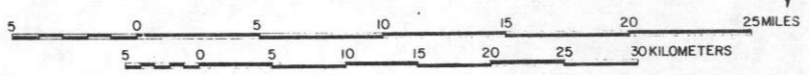
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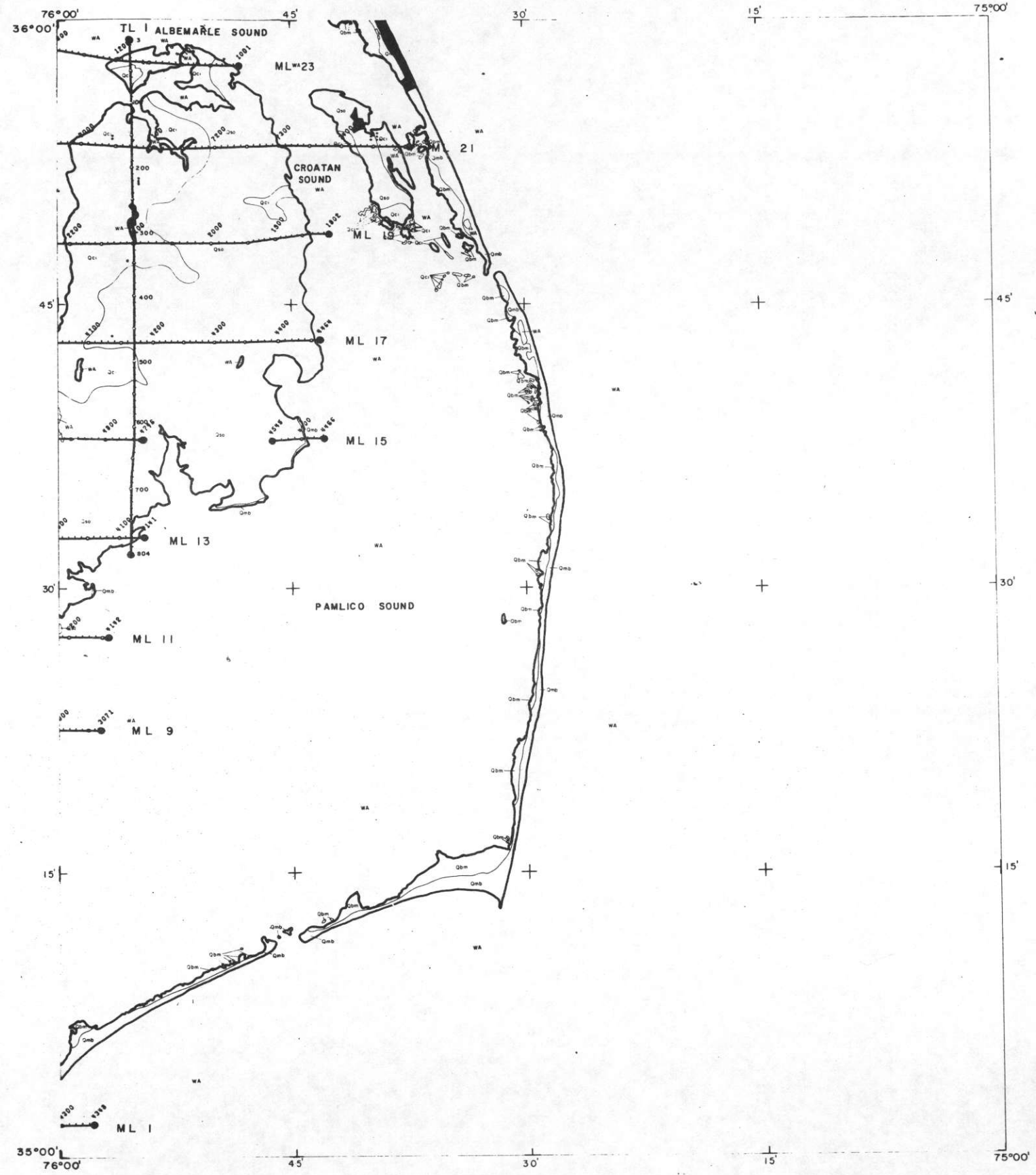


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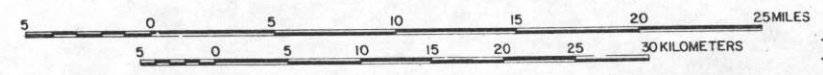
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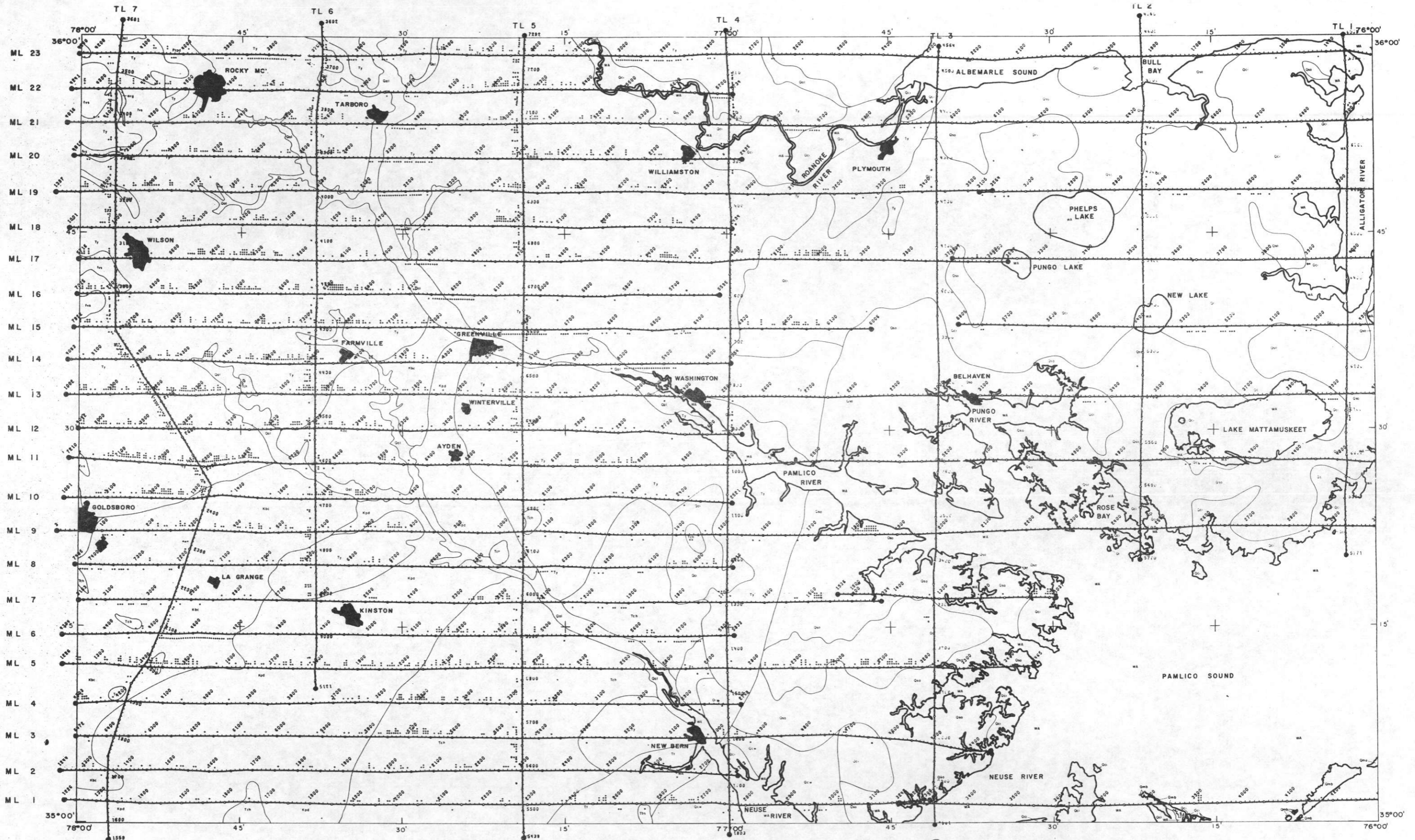
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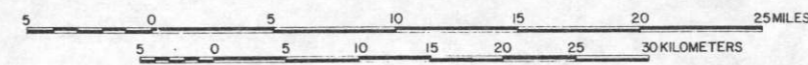


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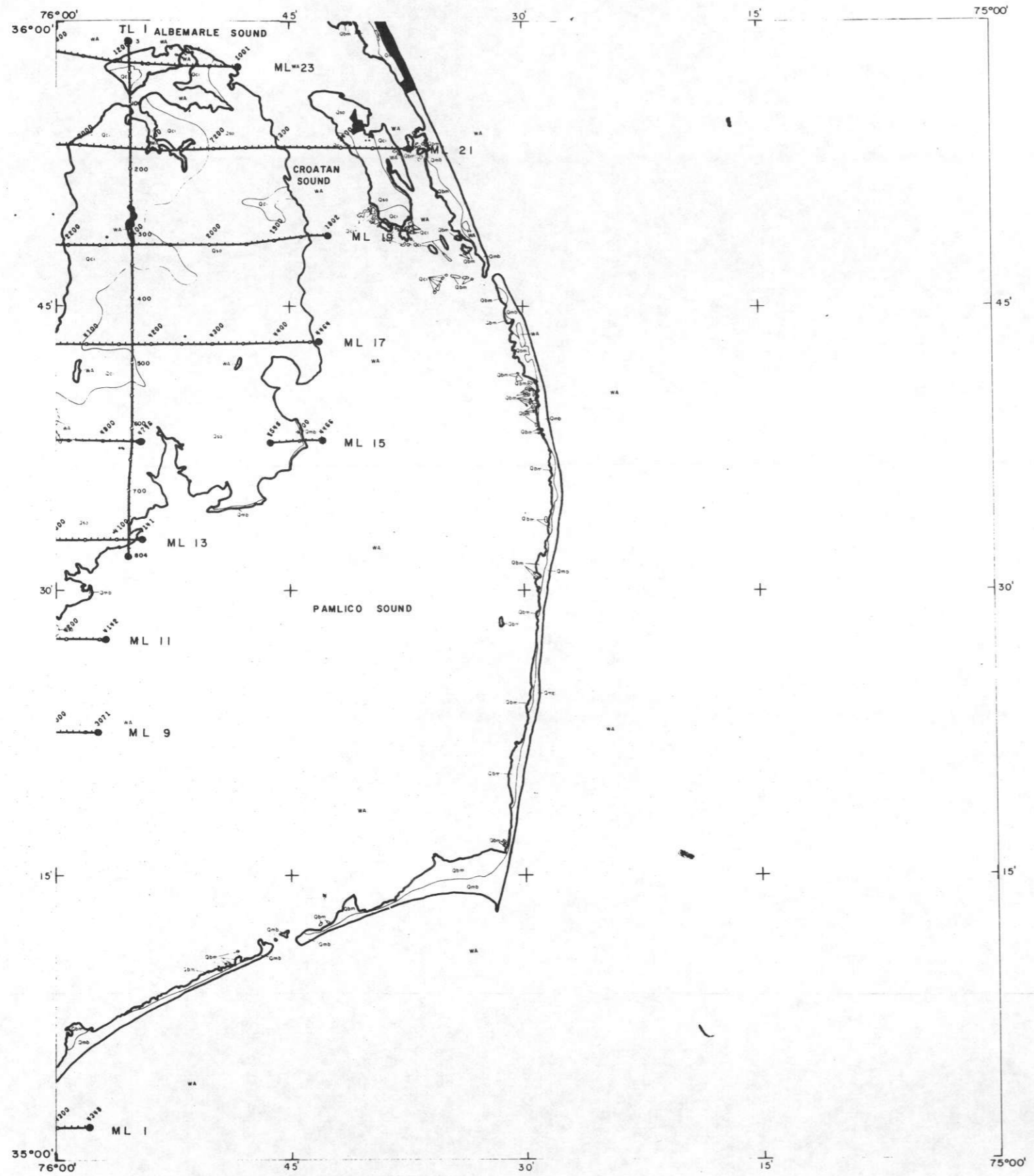
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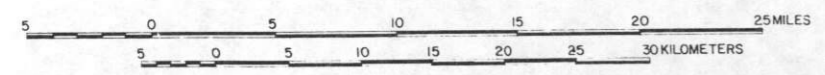
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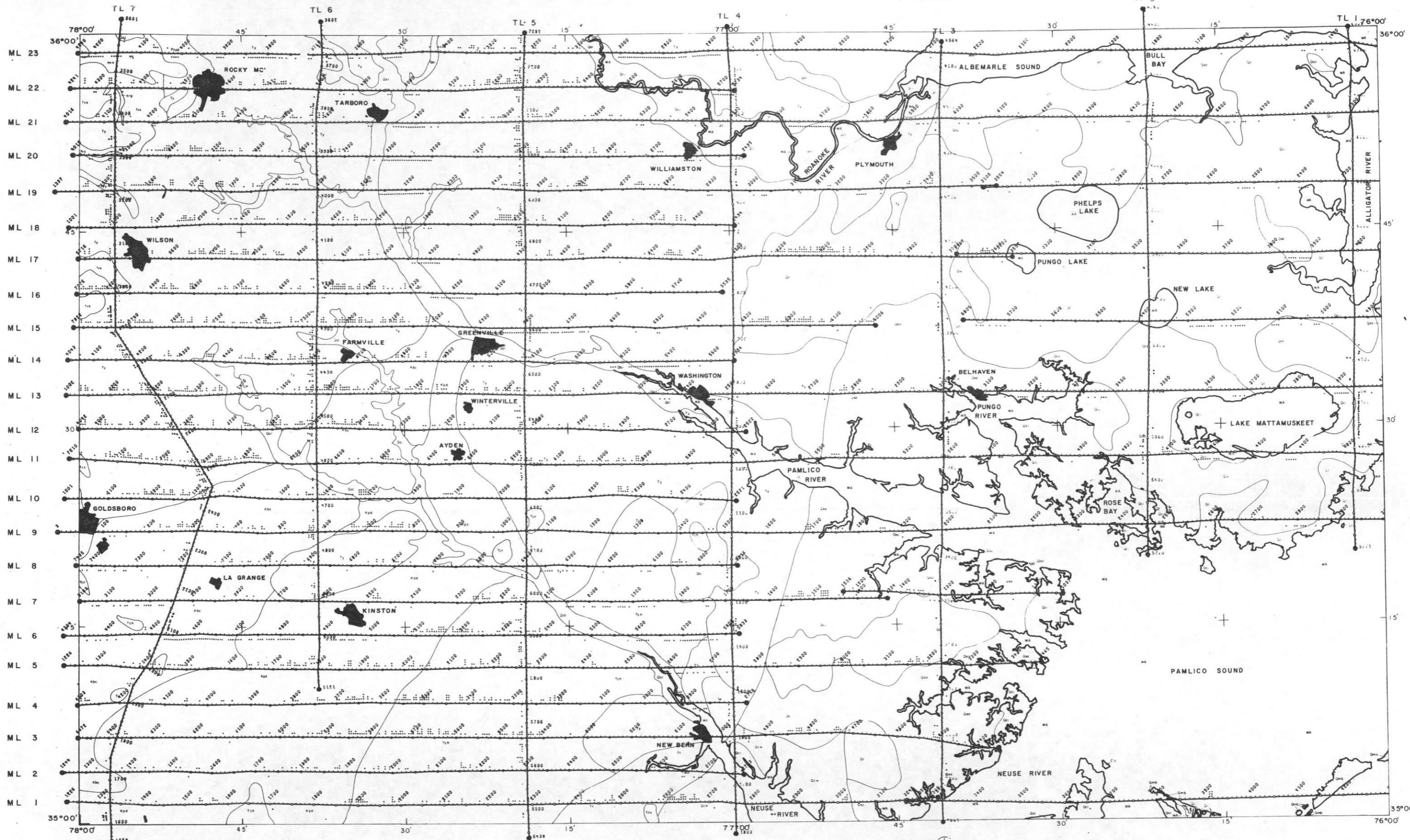
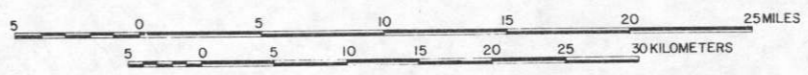
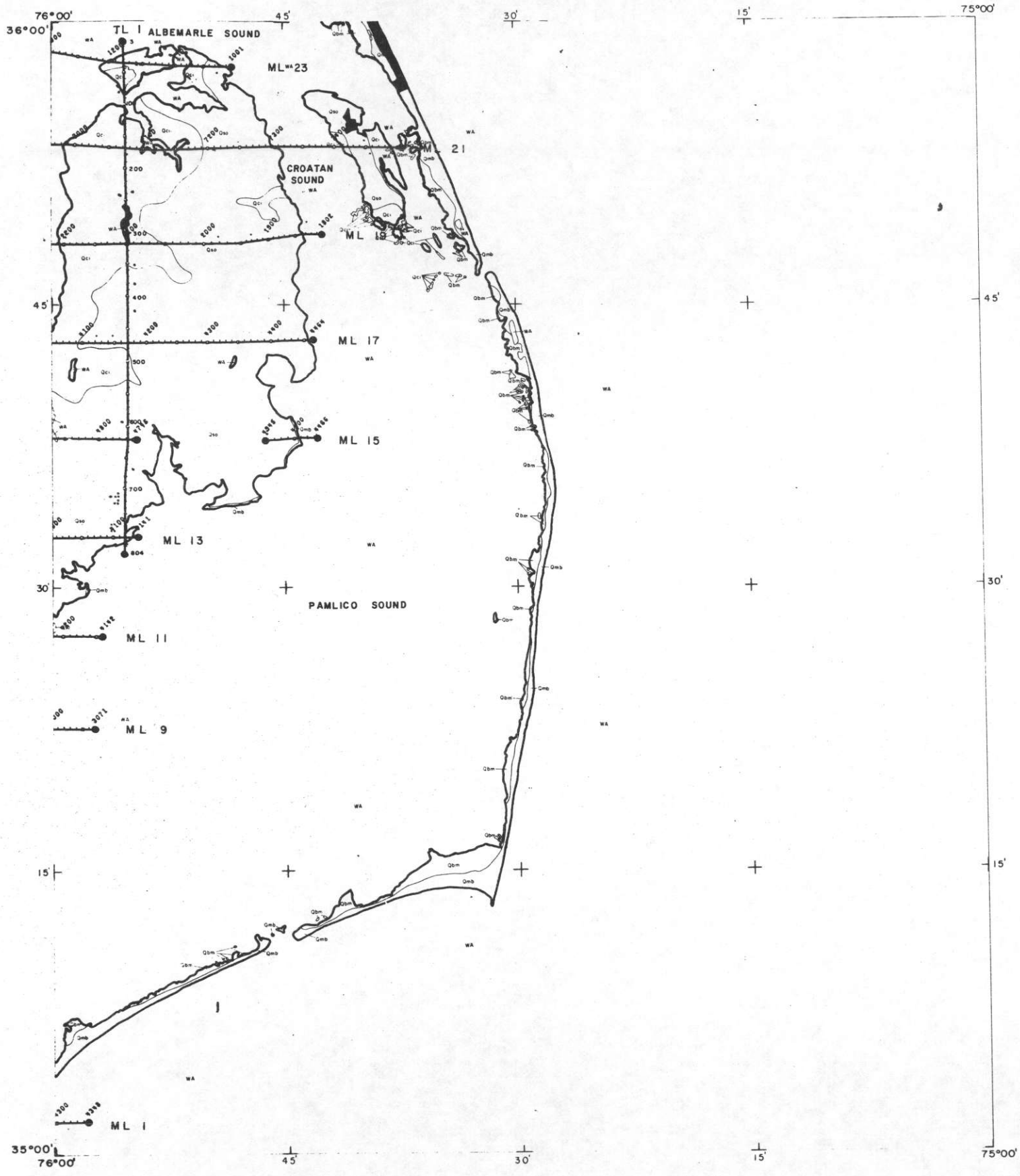


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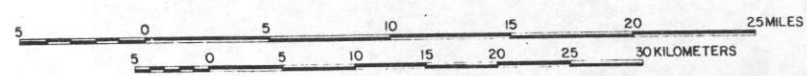


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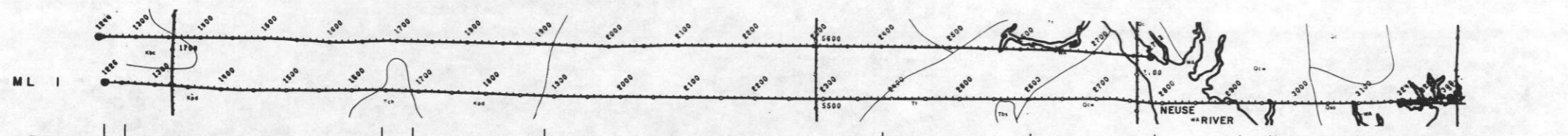


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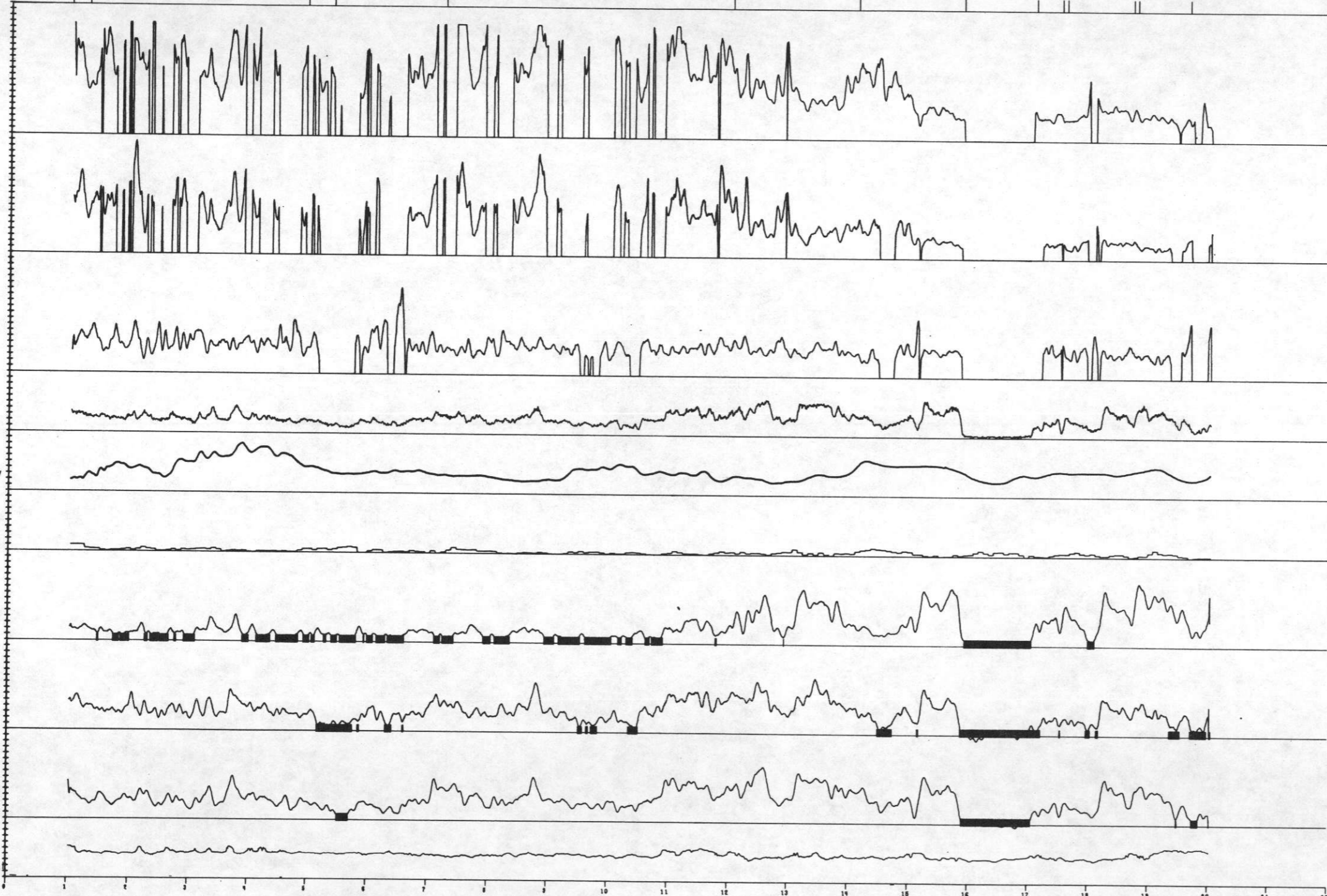
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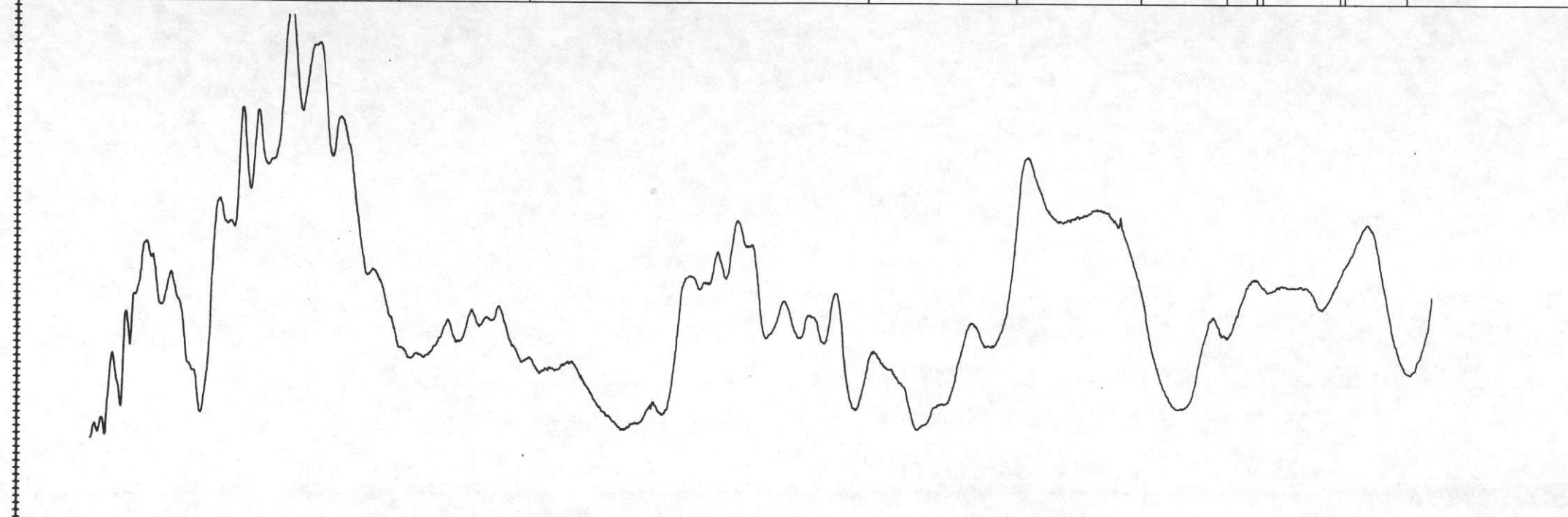
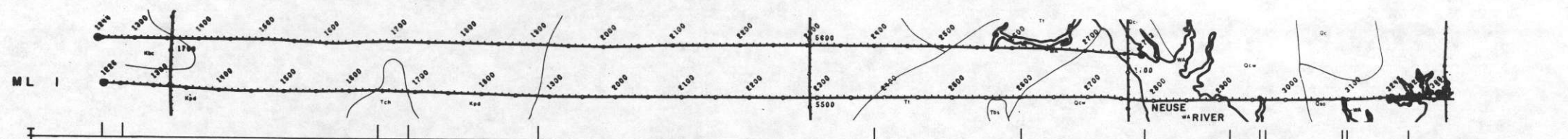
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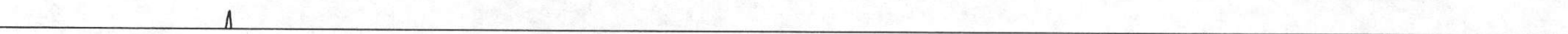
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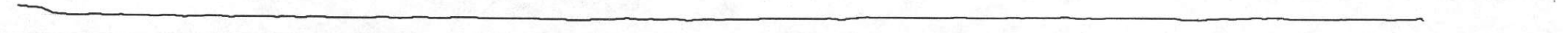




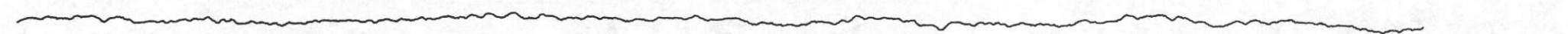
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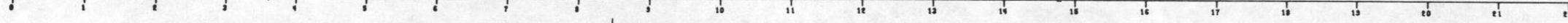
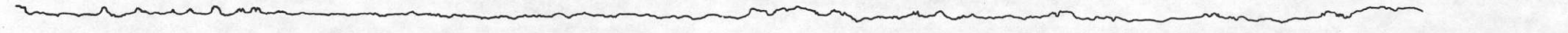
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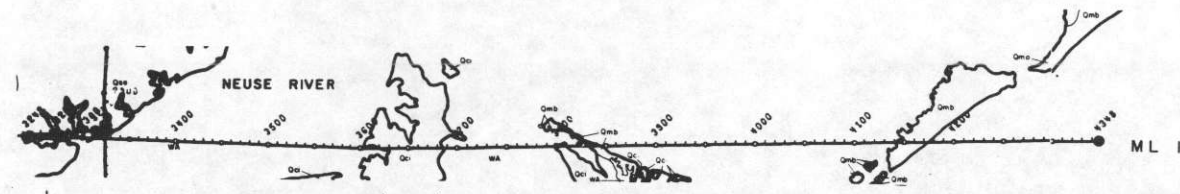
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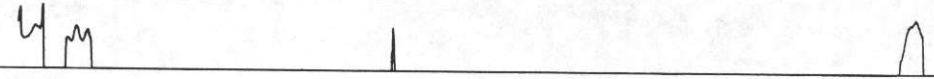
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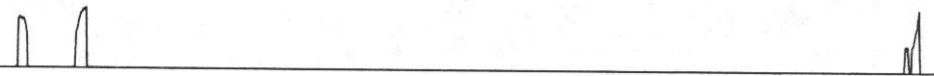
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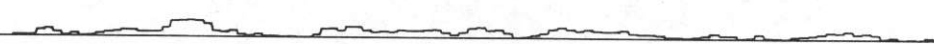
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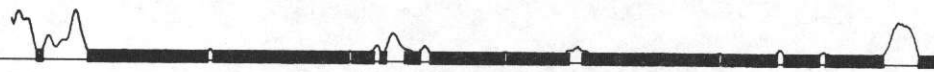
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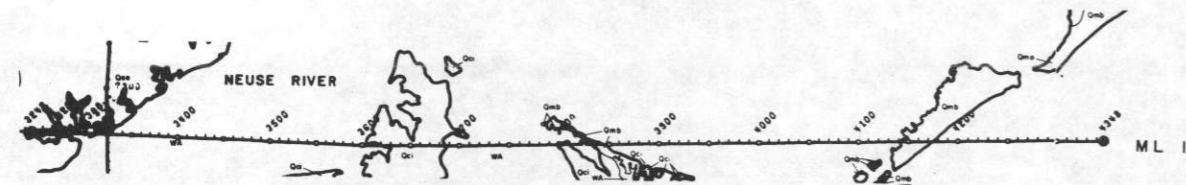
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ML 1E ROCKY MOUNT

LONG 76.250





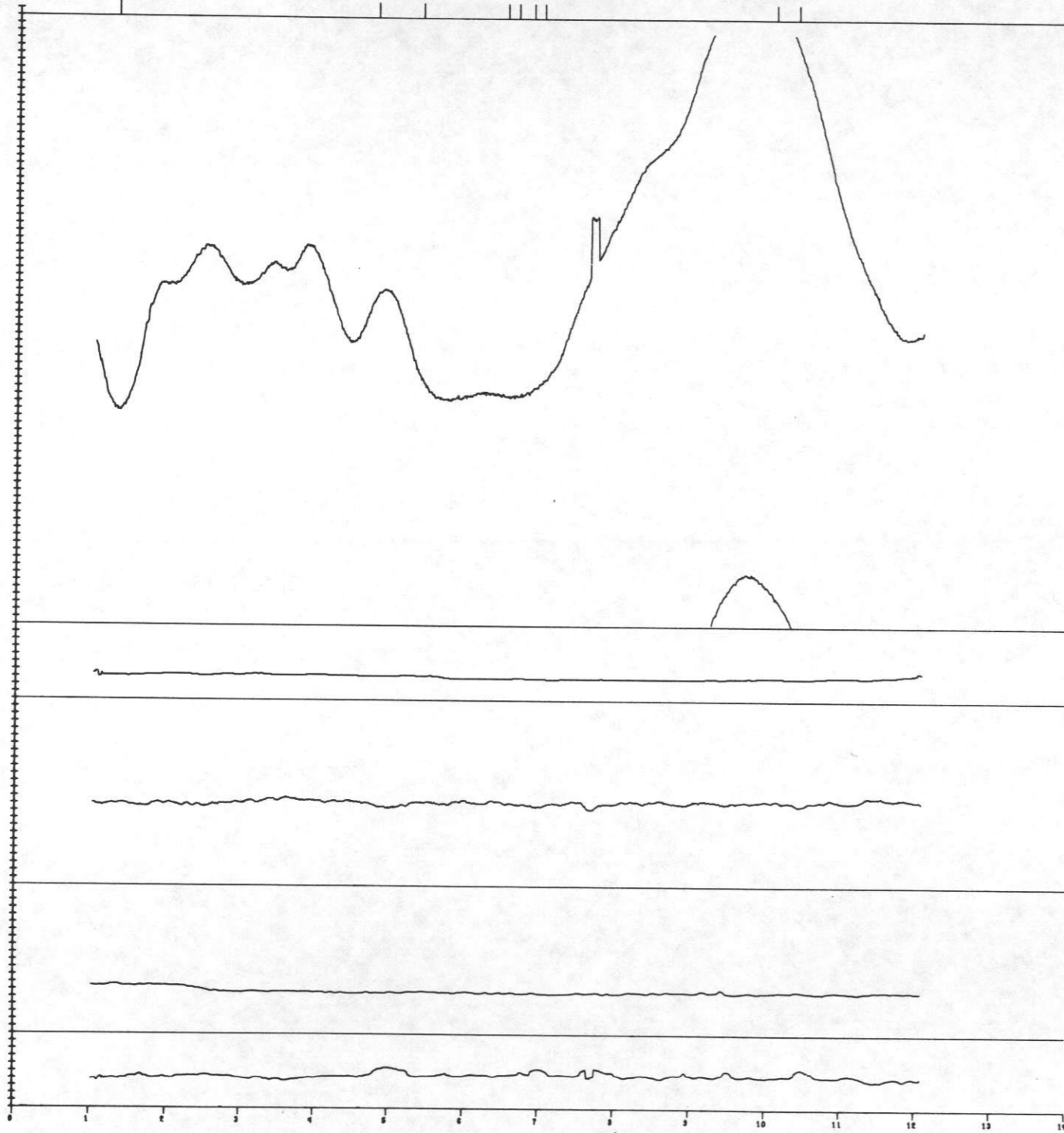
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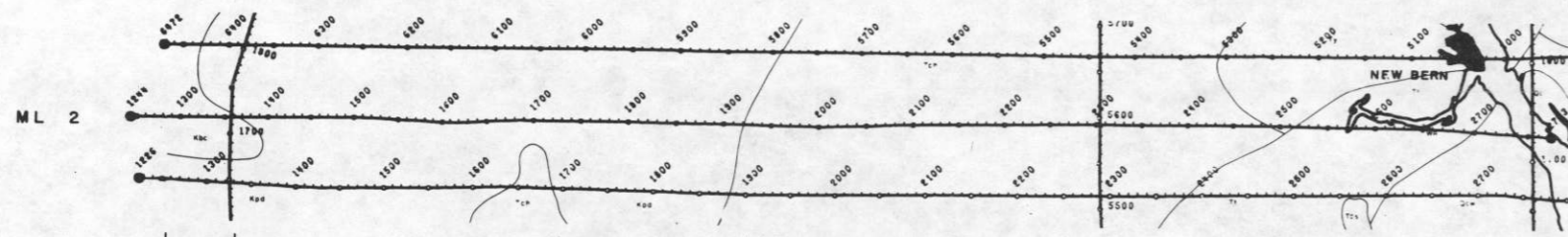
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ML 1E ROCKY MOUNT

LONG 76.250





TL/K
1.5 /DIV

BI/K
.75 /DIV

BI/TL
.07 /DIV

GC
250 C/S/DIV

RMAG
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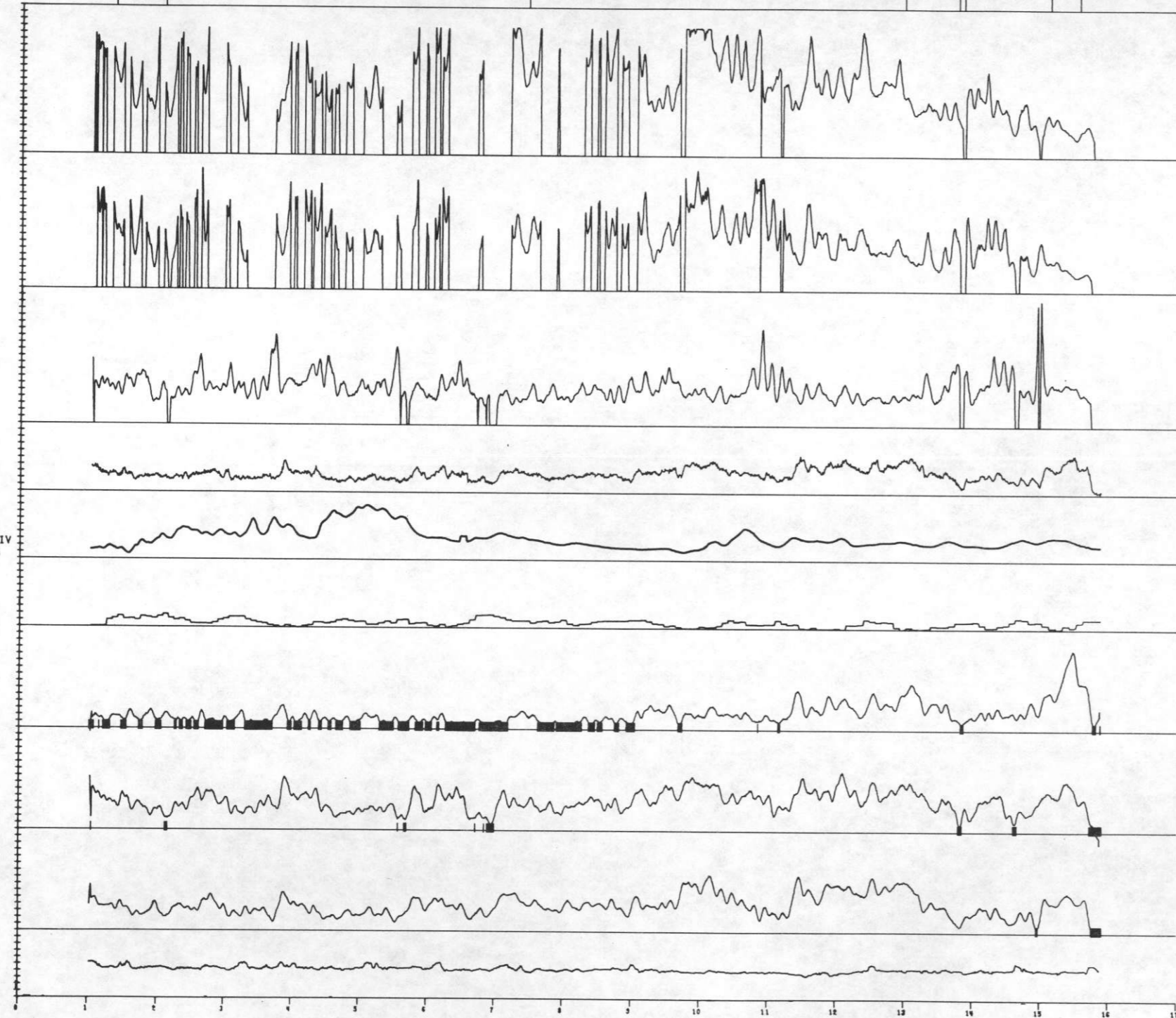
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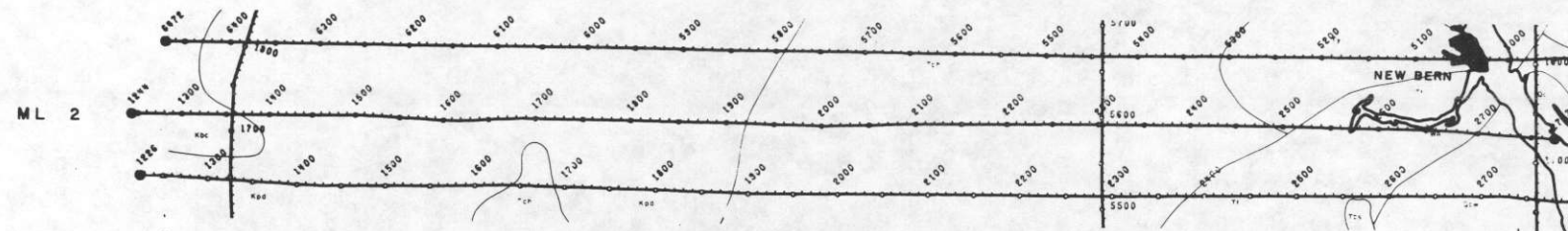
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ML 2 ROCKY MOUNT

LONG 77.500





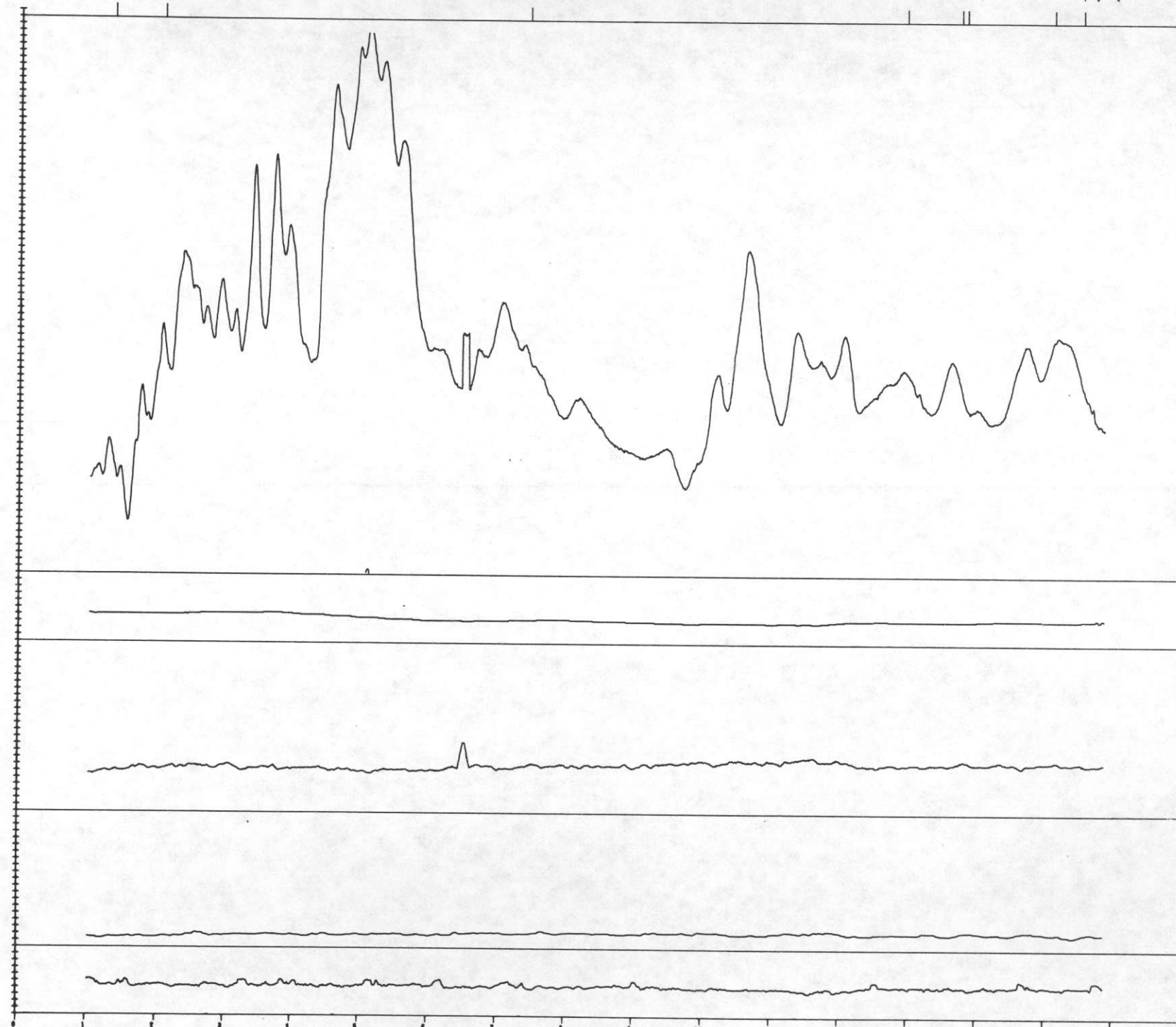
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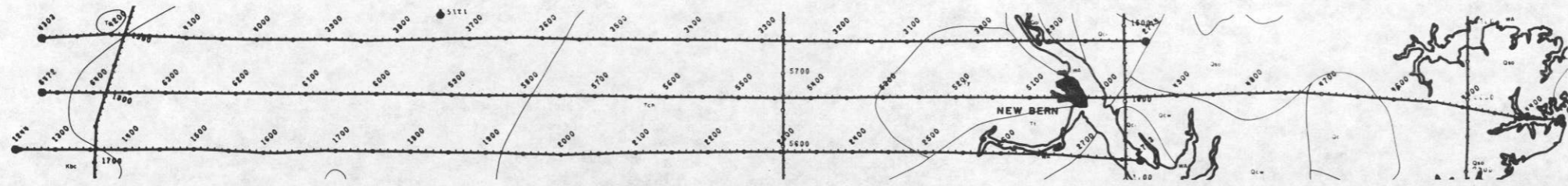


ML 2 ROCKY MOUNT

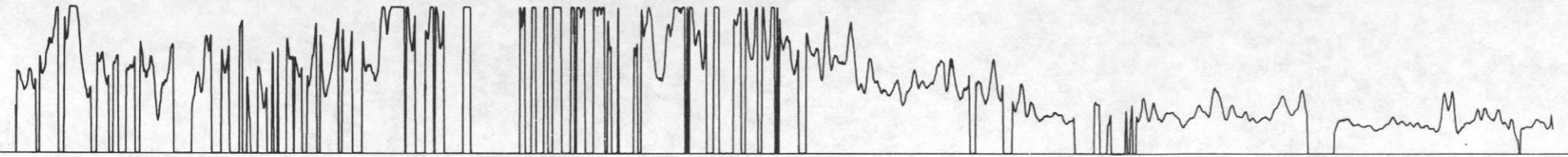
LONG 77.500



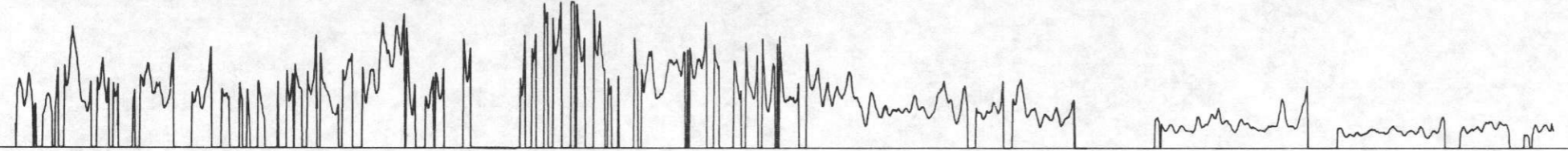
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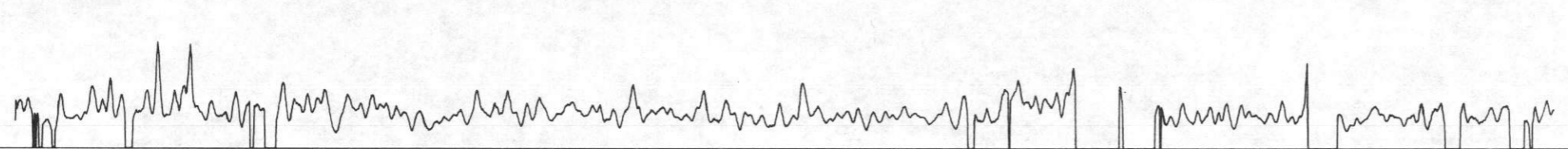
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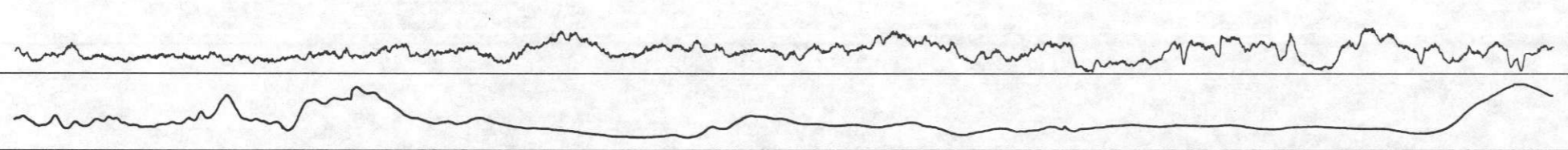
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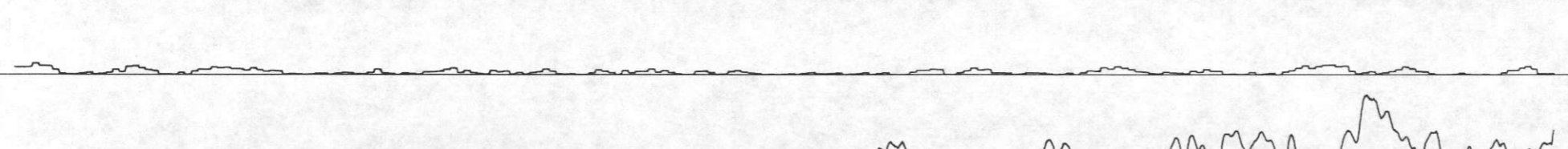
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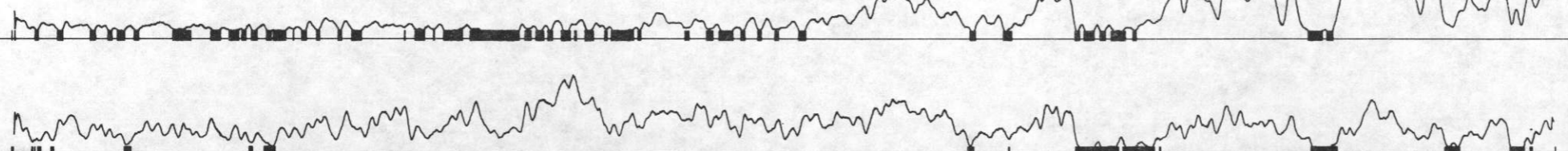
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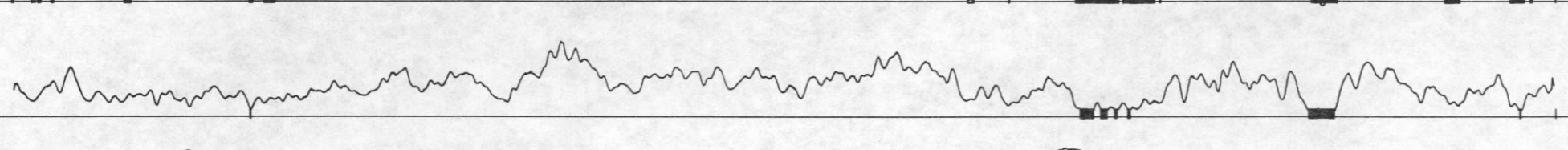
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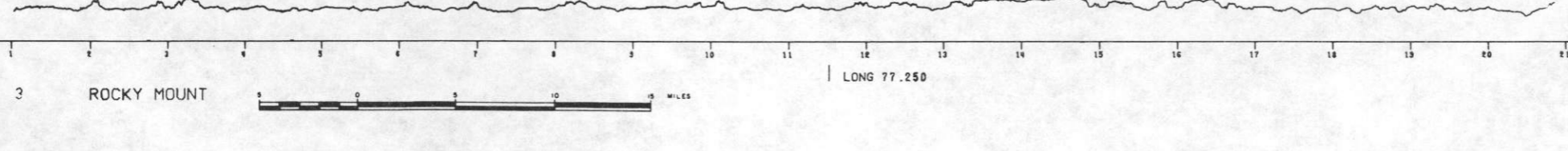
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K
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BI
.25 PPM/DIV



TL
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ALT
100 FT/DIV

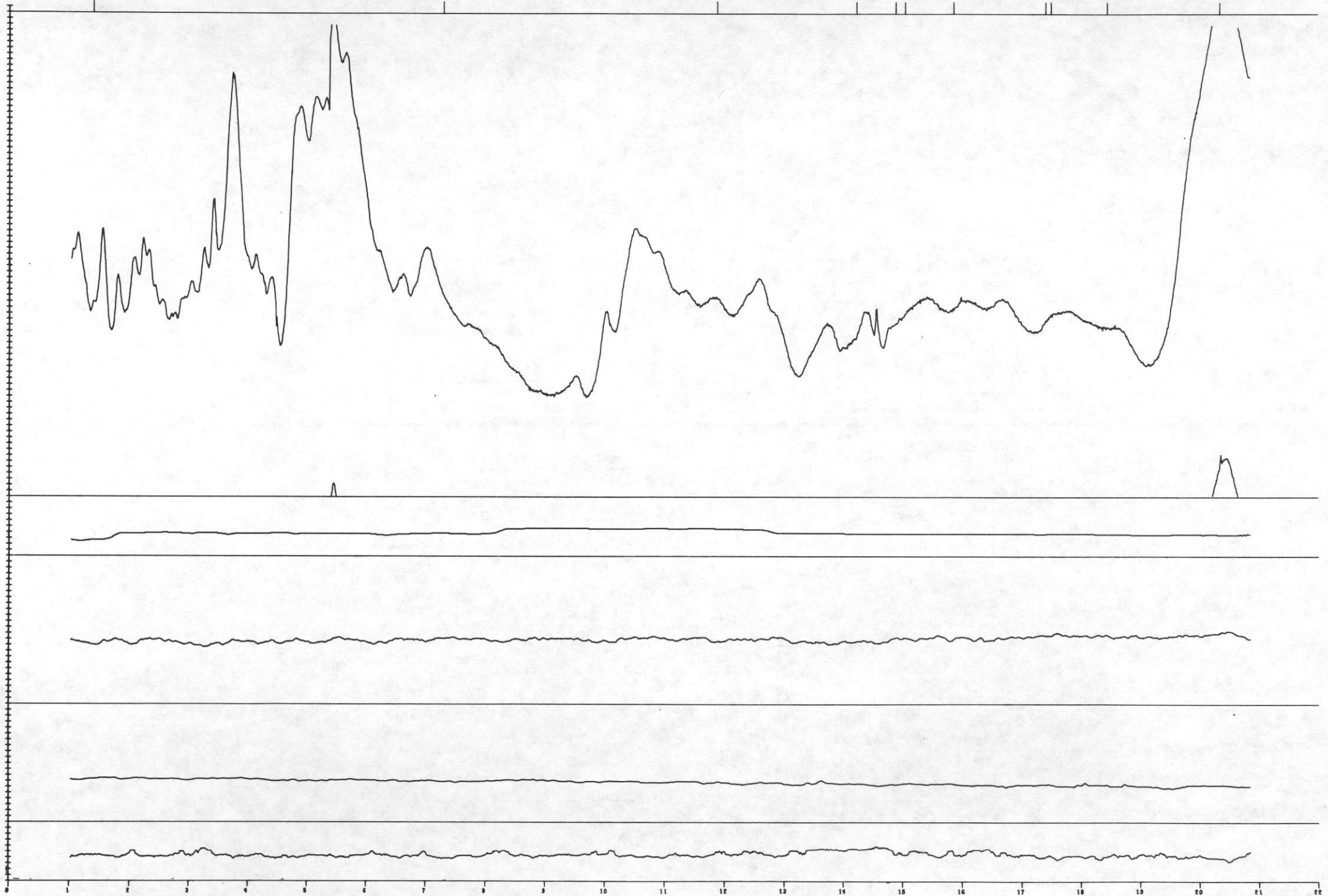
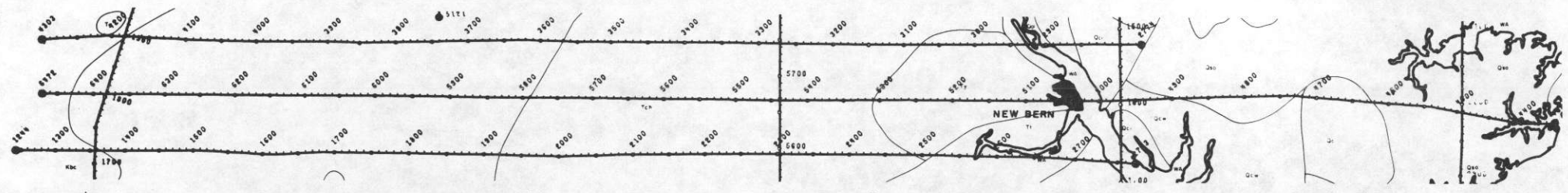


ML 3 ROCKY MOUNT



LONG 77.250

ML 3



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BASE = 53025

BP
3 MM HG/DIV
BASE = 725

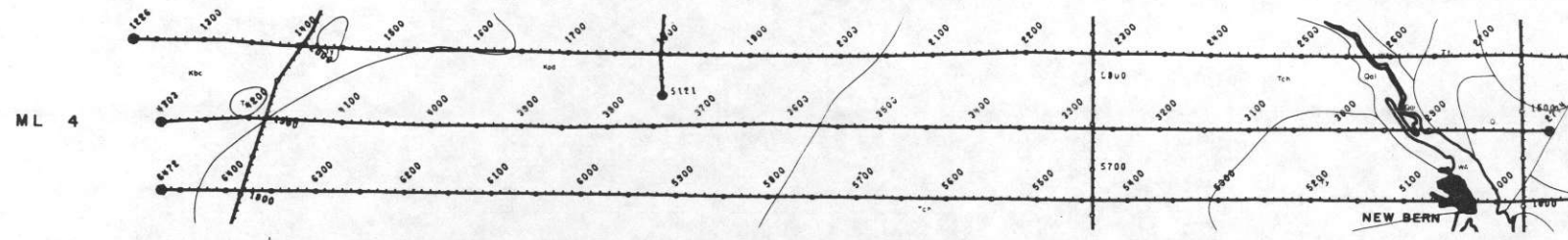
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ALT
100 FT/DIV

ML 3 ROCKY MOUNT



LONG 77.250



TL/K
1.5 /DIV

BI/K
.75 /DIV

BI/TL
.07 /DIV

GC
250 C/S/DIV

RMAG
100 GAMMAS/DIV
BASE = -1000

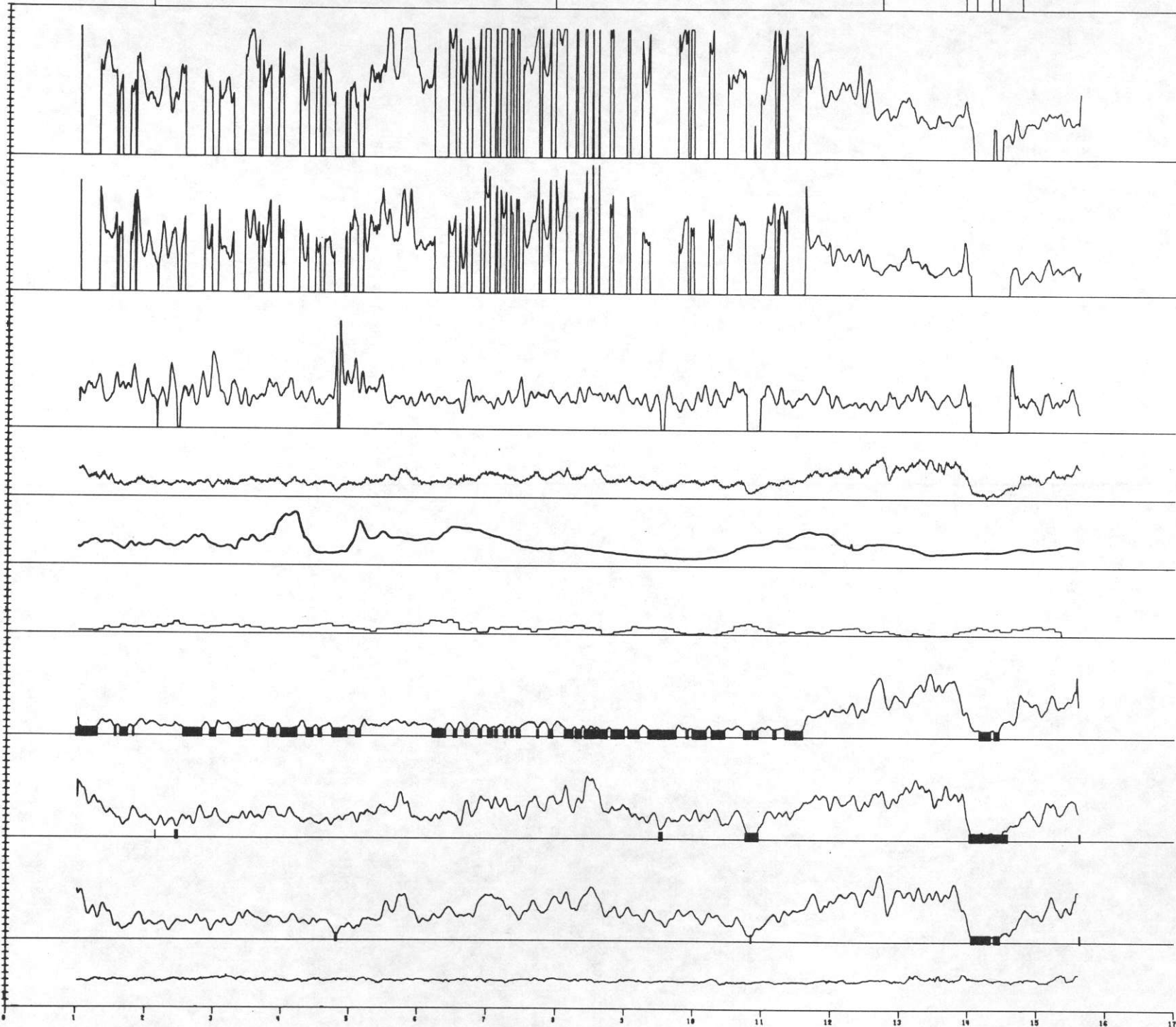
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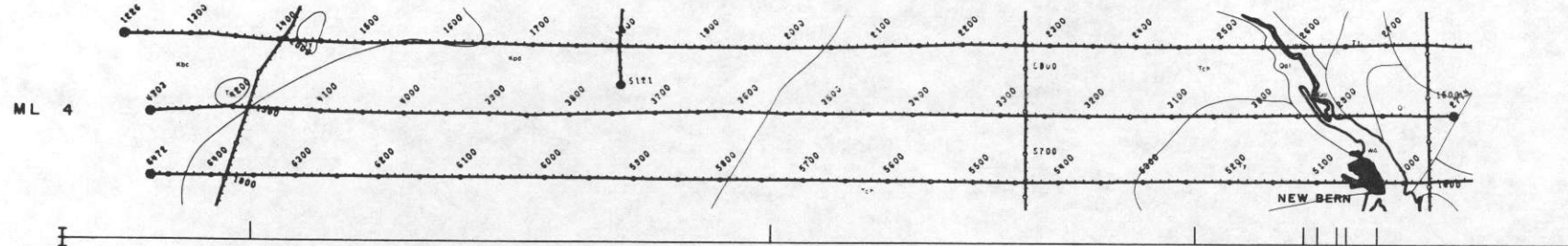
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ML 4 ROCKY MOUNT

LONG 77.500





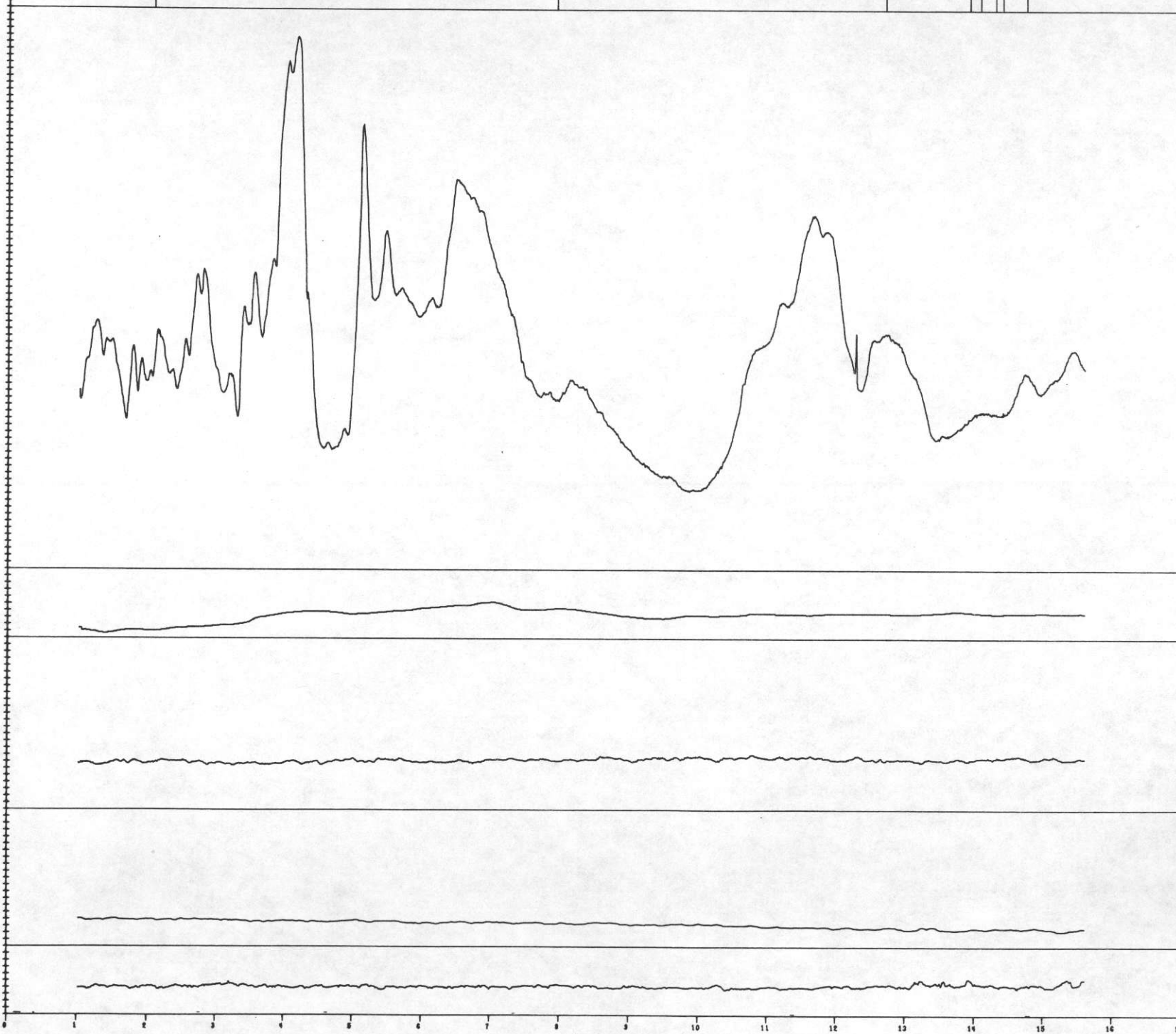
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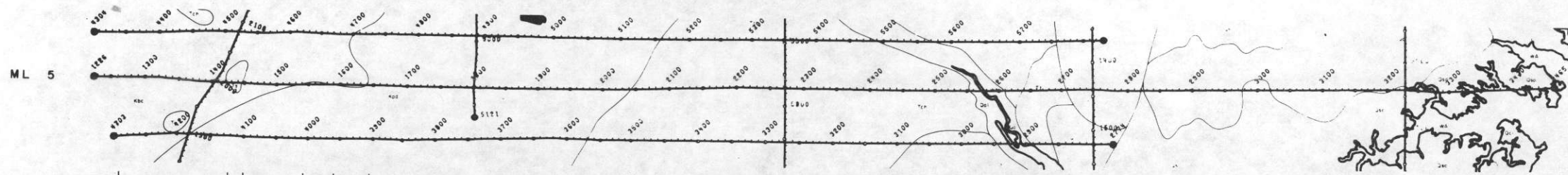
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ML 4 ROCKY MOUNT

LONG 77.500





TL/K
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.75 /DIV

BI/TL
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GC
250 C/S/DIV

RMAG
100 GAMMAS/DIV
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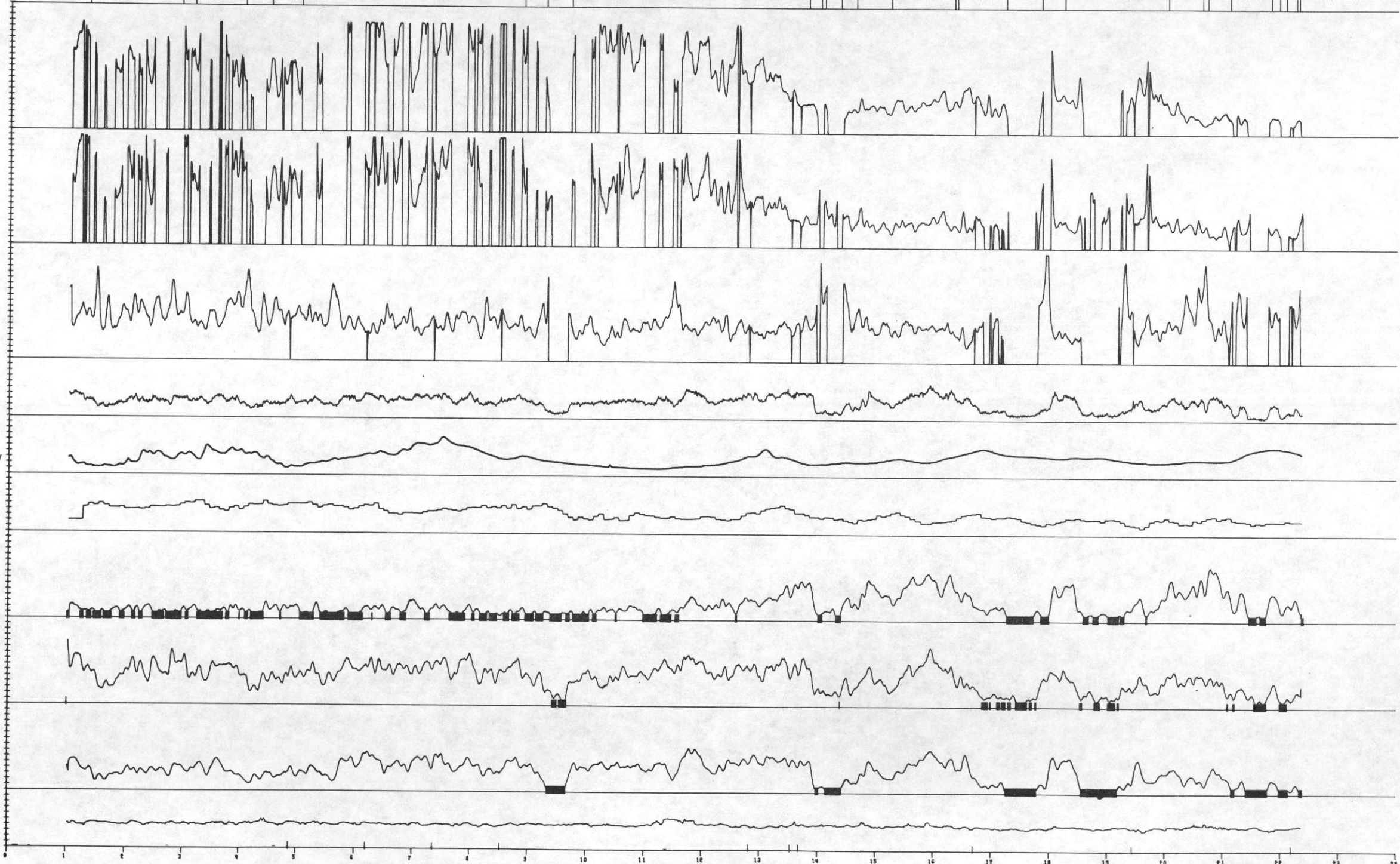
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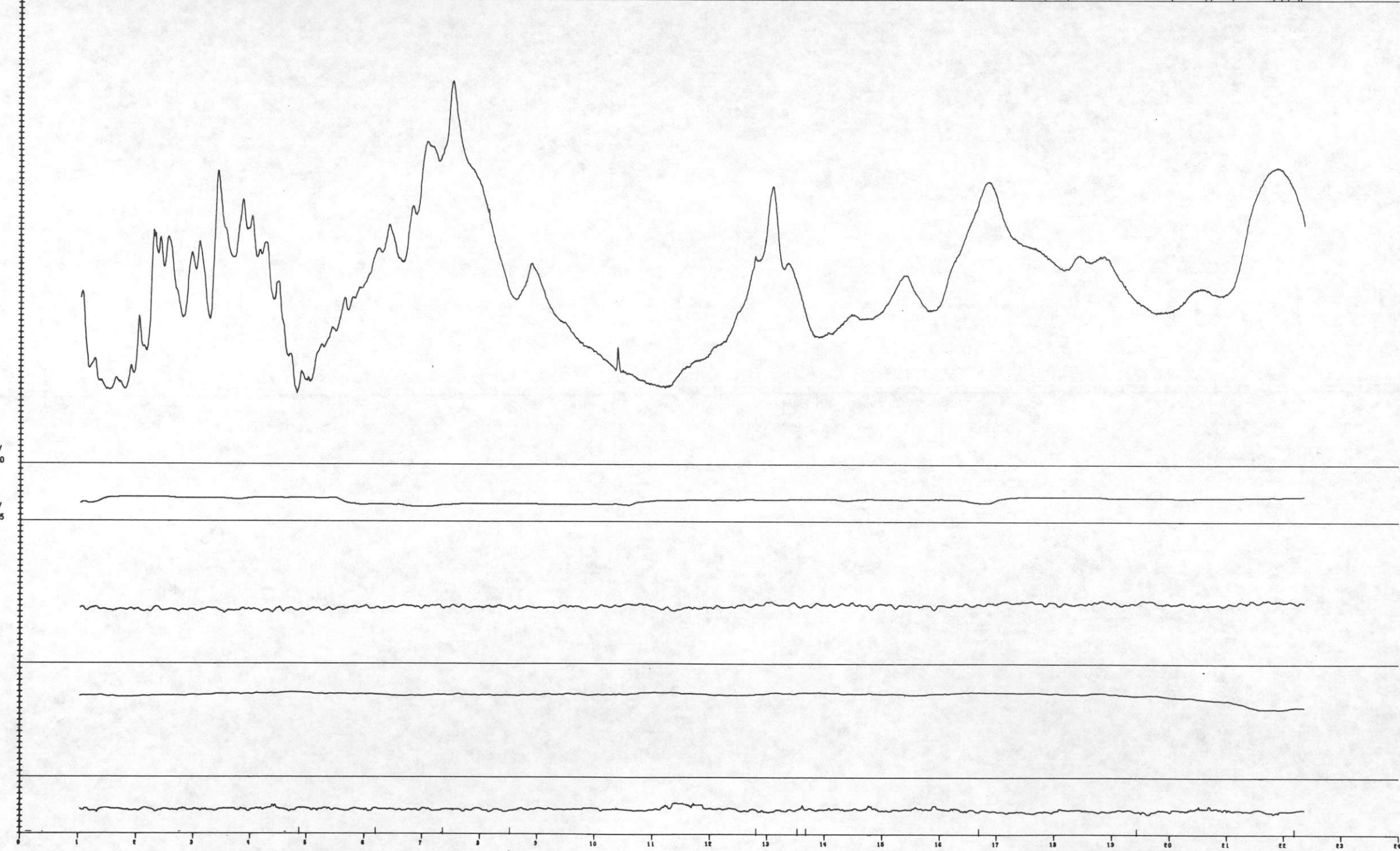
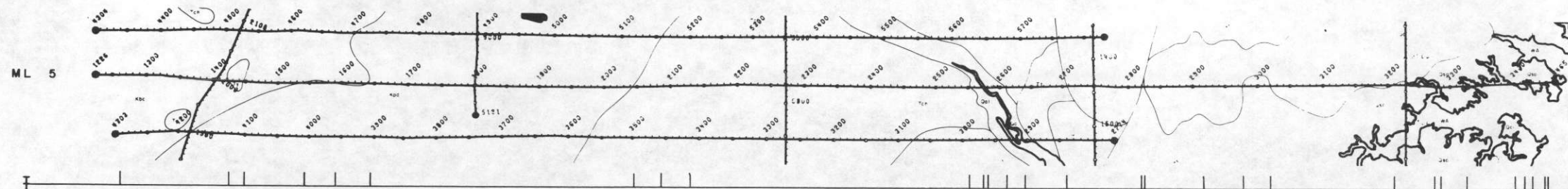
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ALT
100 FT/DIV



ML 5 ROCKY MOUNT LONG 77.500





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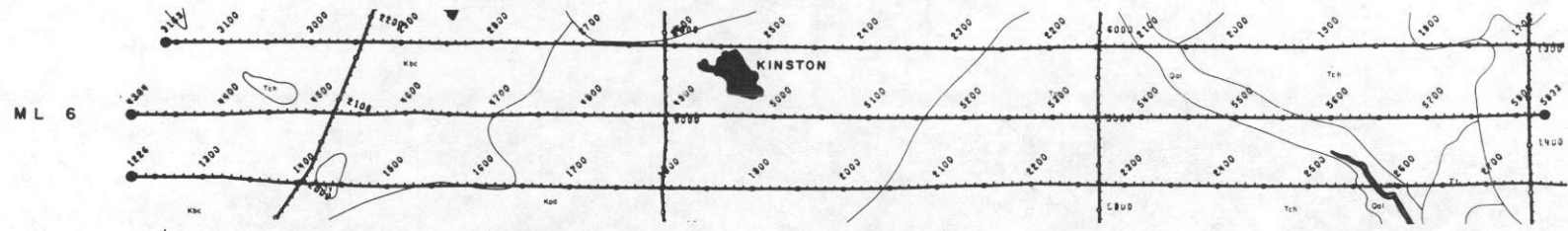
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ALT
100 FT/DIV

ML 5 ROCKY MOUNT

LONG 77.500





TL/K
1.5 /DIV

BI/K
.75 /DIV

BI/TL
.07 /DIV

GC
250 C/S/DIV

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100 GAMMAS/DIV
BASE = -1000

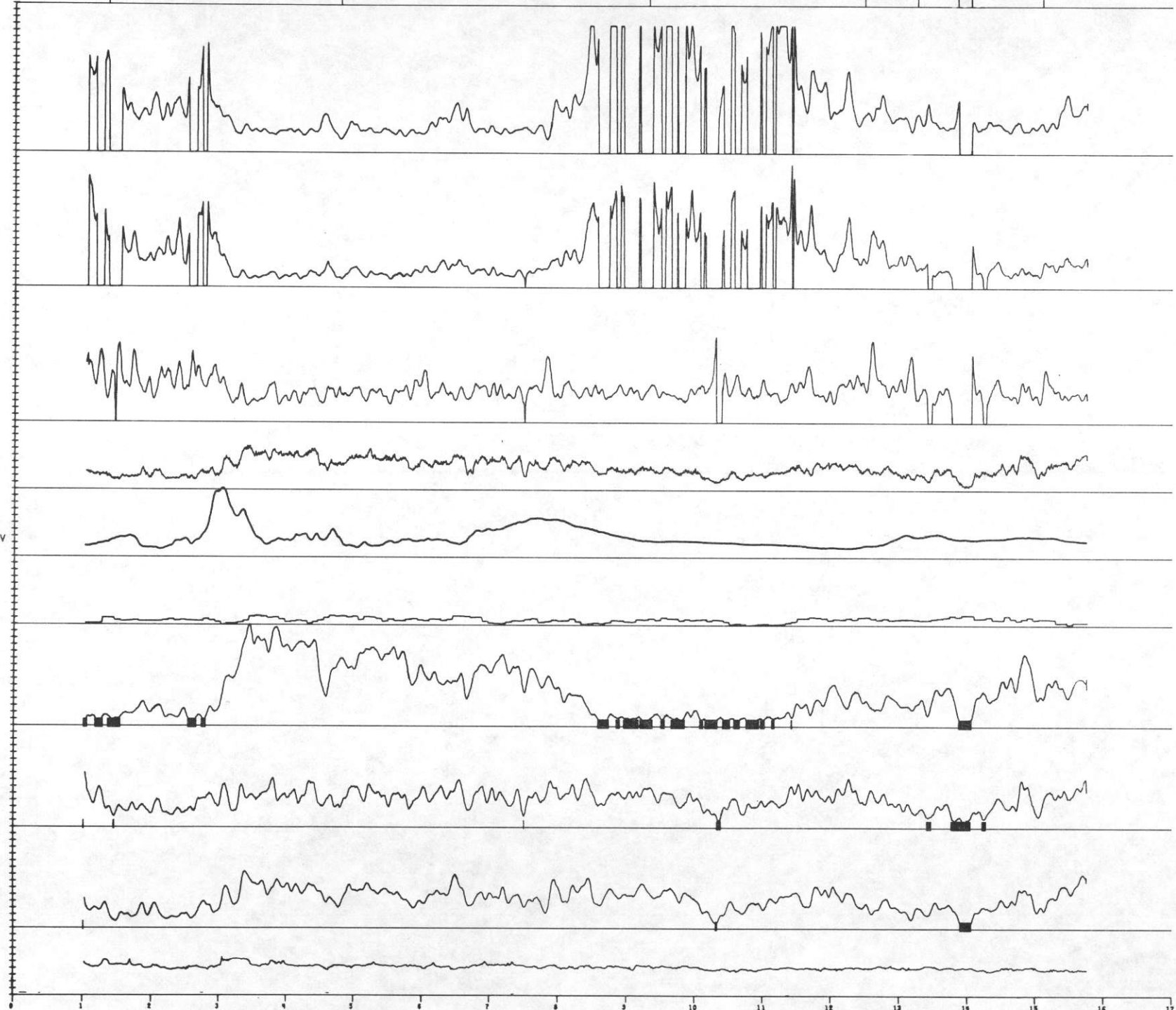
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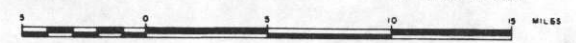
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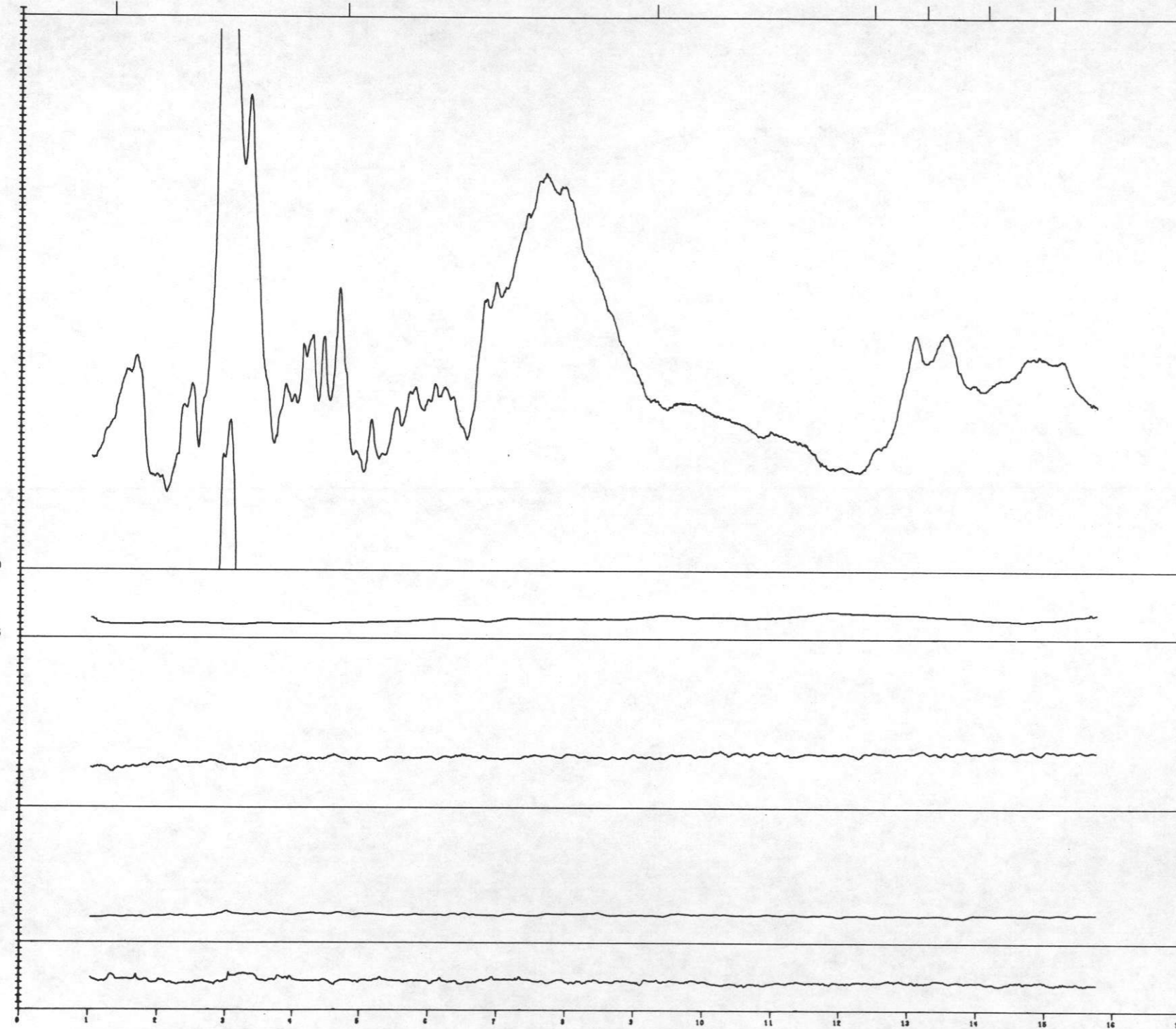
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ML 6 ROCKY MOUNT

LONG 77.500





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BASE = 725

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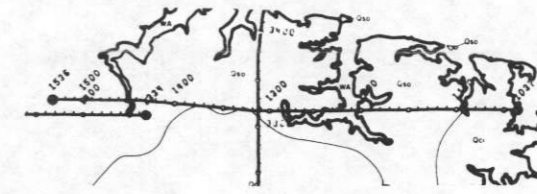
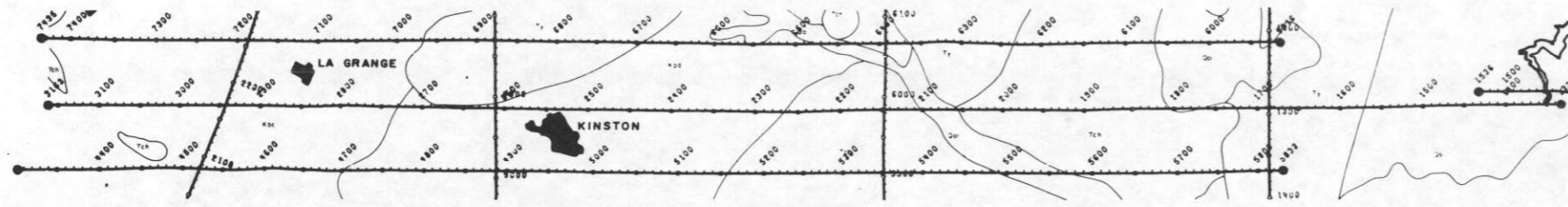
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ML 6 ROCKY MOUNT

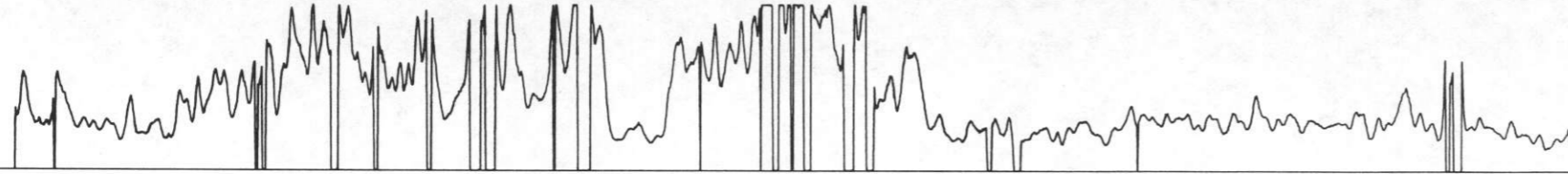
LONG 77.500



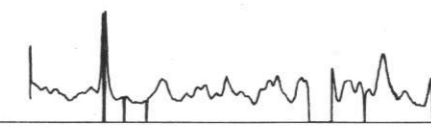
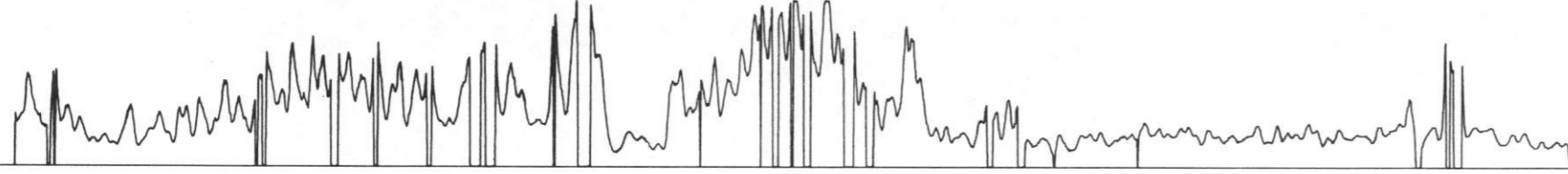
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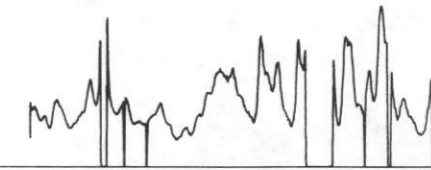
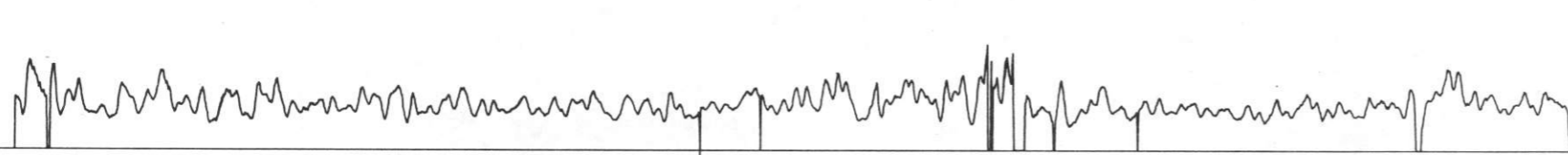
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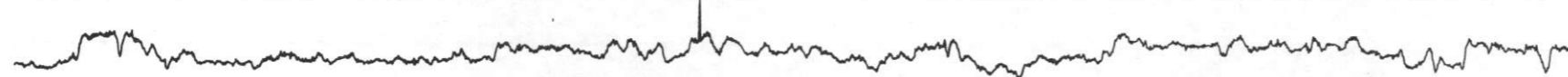
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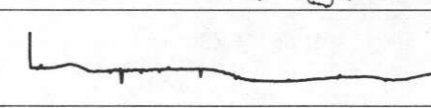
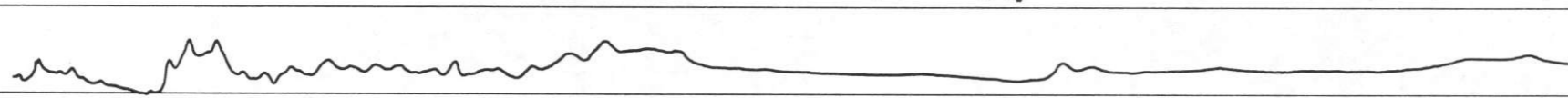
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GC
250 C/S/DIV



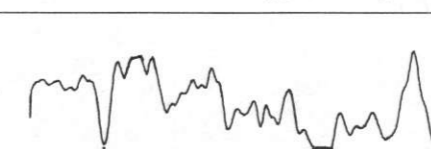
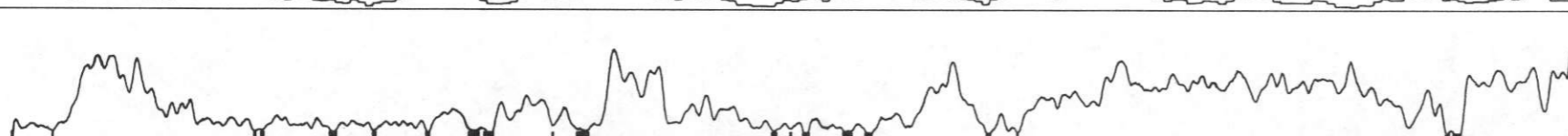
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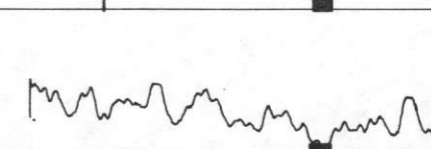
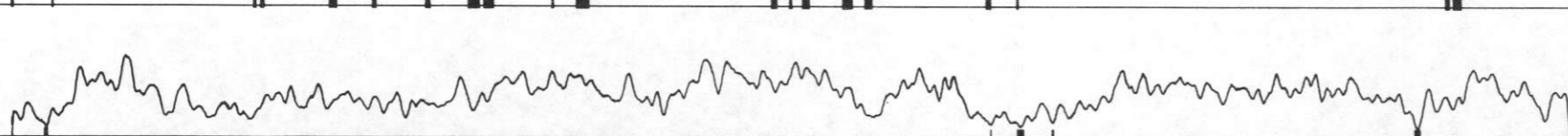
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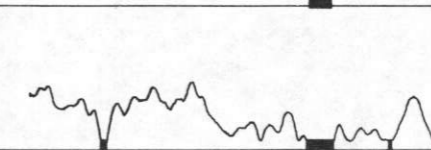
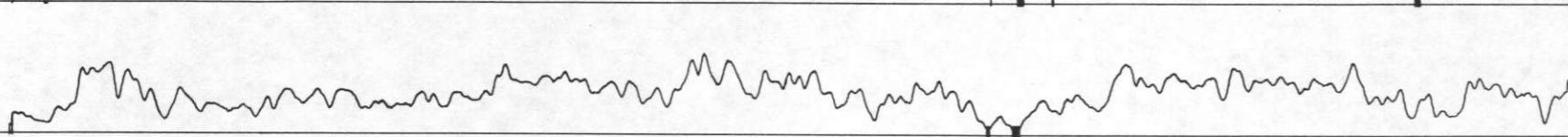
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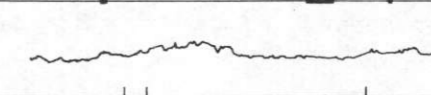
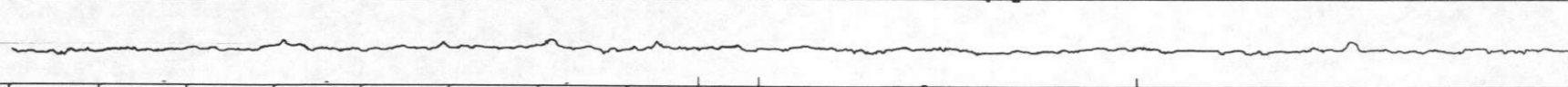
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.25 PPH/DIV



TL
.75 PPH/DIV



ALT
100 FT/DIV



ML 7W ROCKY MOUNT

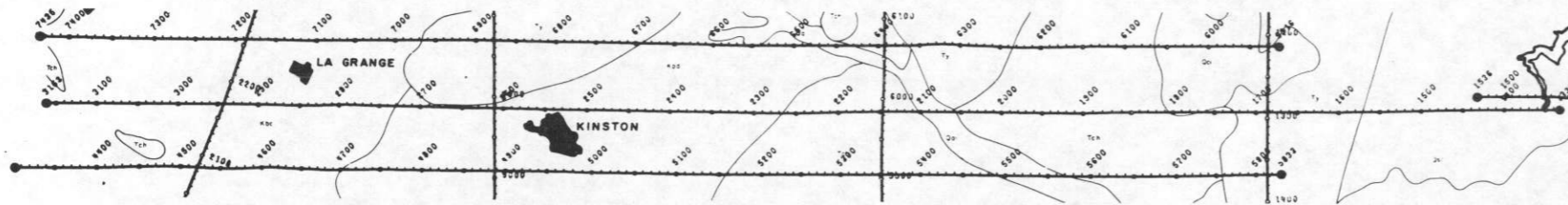
LONG 77.500



ML 7E ROCKY MOUNT

LONG 76.750

ML 7



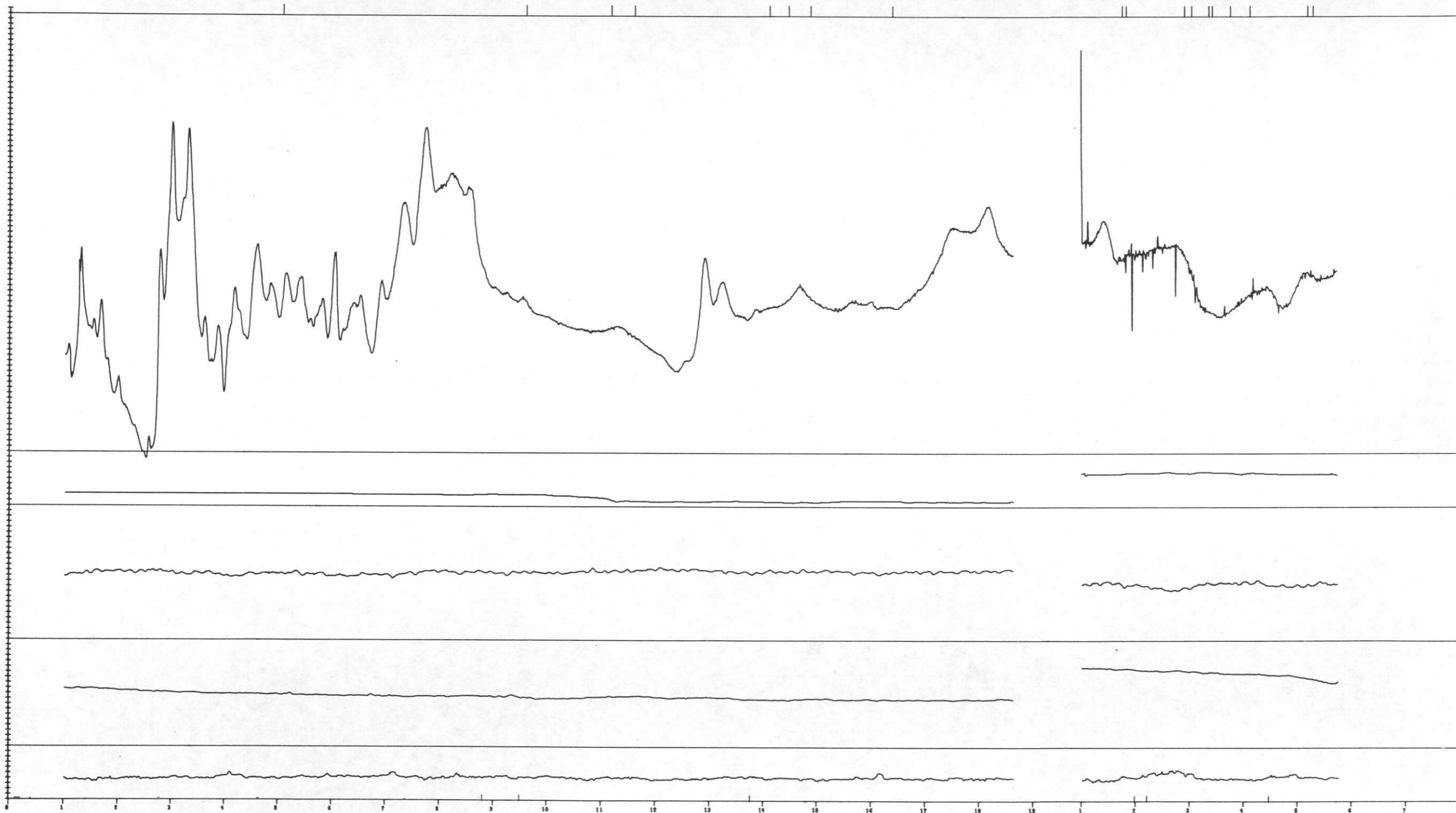
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BASE = 725

TEMP
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BASE = 20

ALT
100 FT/DIV



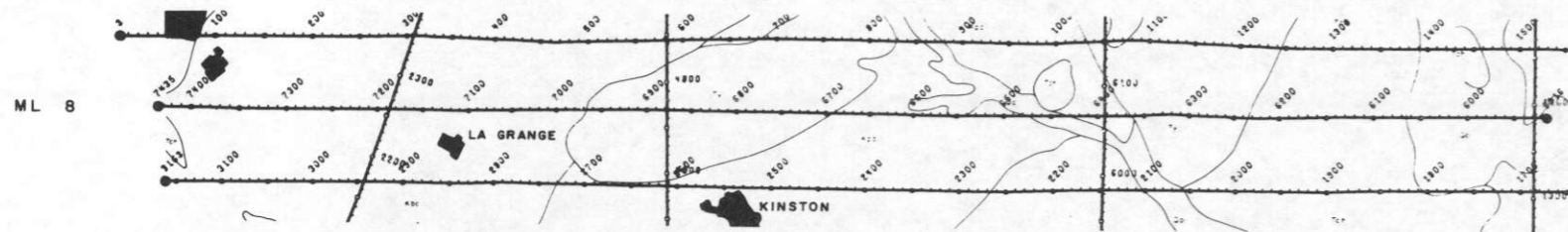
ML 7W ROCKY MOUNT

LONG 77.500



ML 7E ROCKY MOUNT

LONG 76.750



TL/K
1.5 /DIV

BI/K
.75 /DIV

BI/TL
.07 /DIV

GC
250 C/S/DIV

RMAG
100 GAMMAS/DIV
BASE = -1000

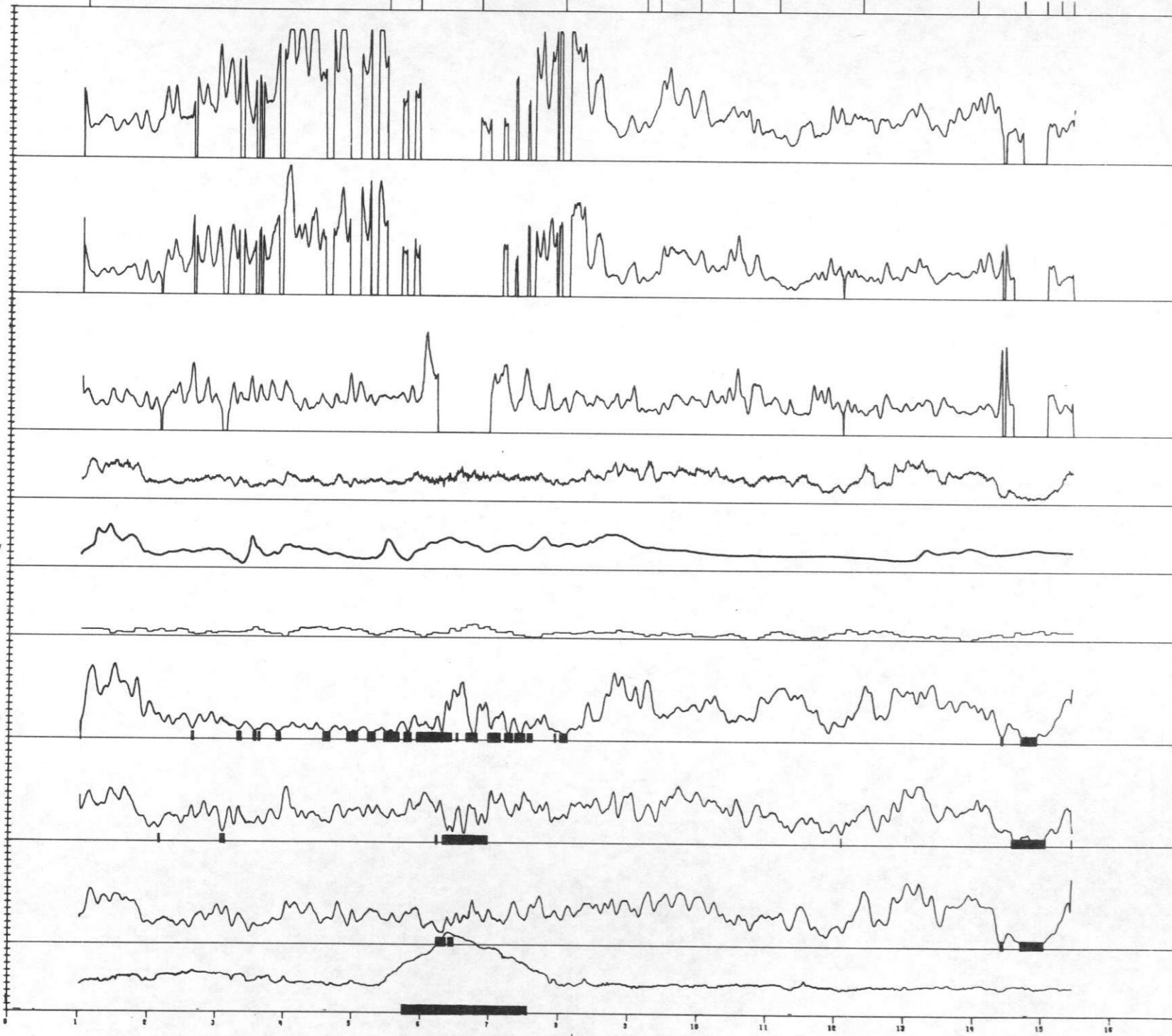
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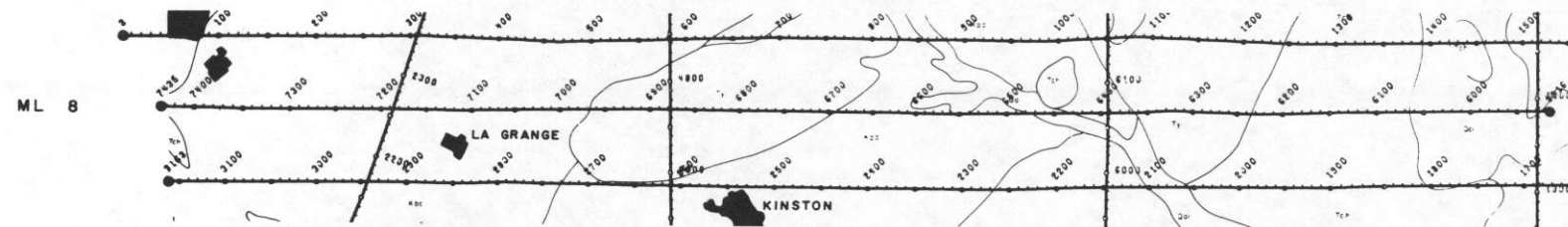
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ML 8 ROCKY MOUNT

LONG 77.500





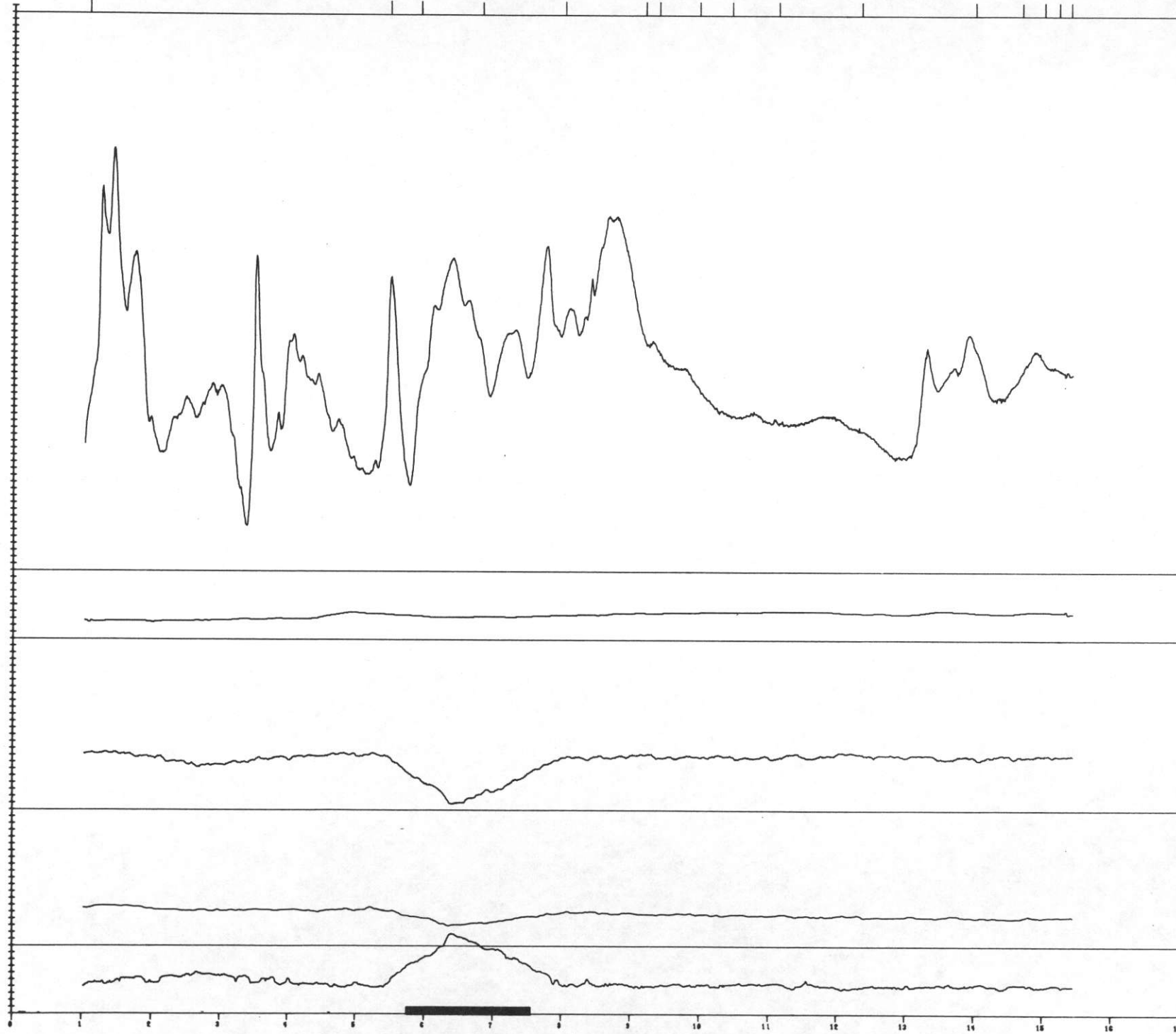
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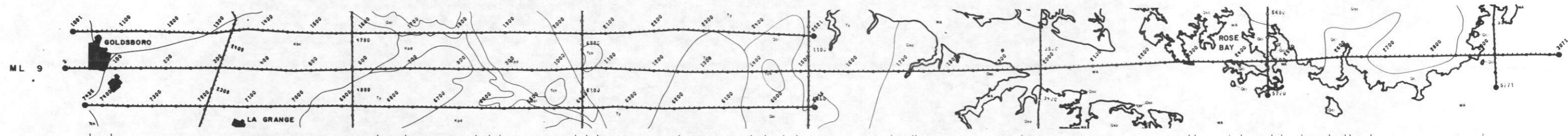
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ML 8 ROCKY MOUNT

LONG 77.500





TL/K
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BI/TL
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250 C/S/DIV

RMAG
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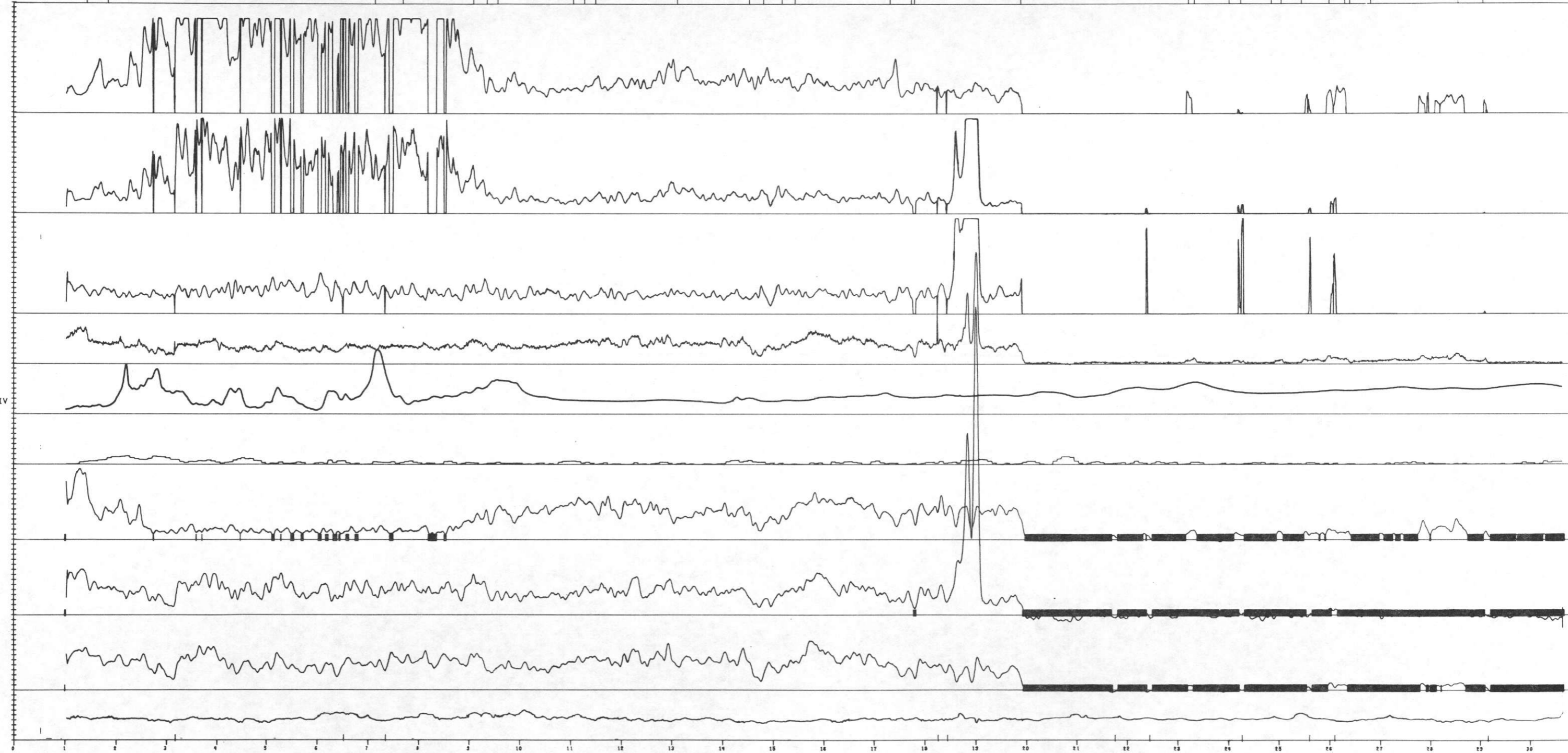
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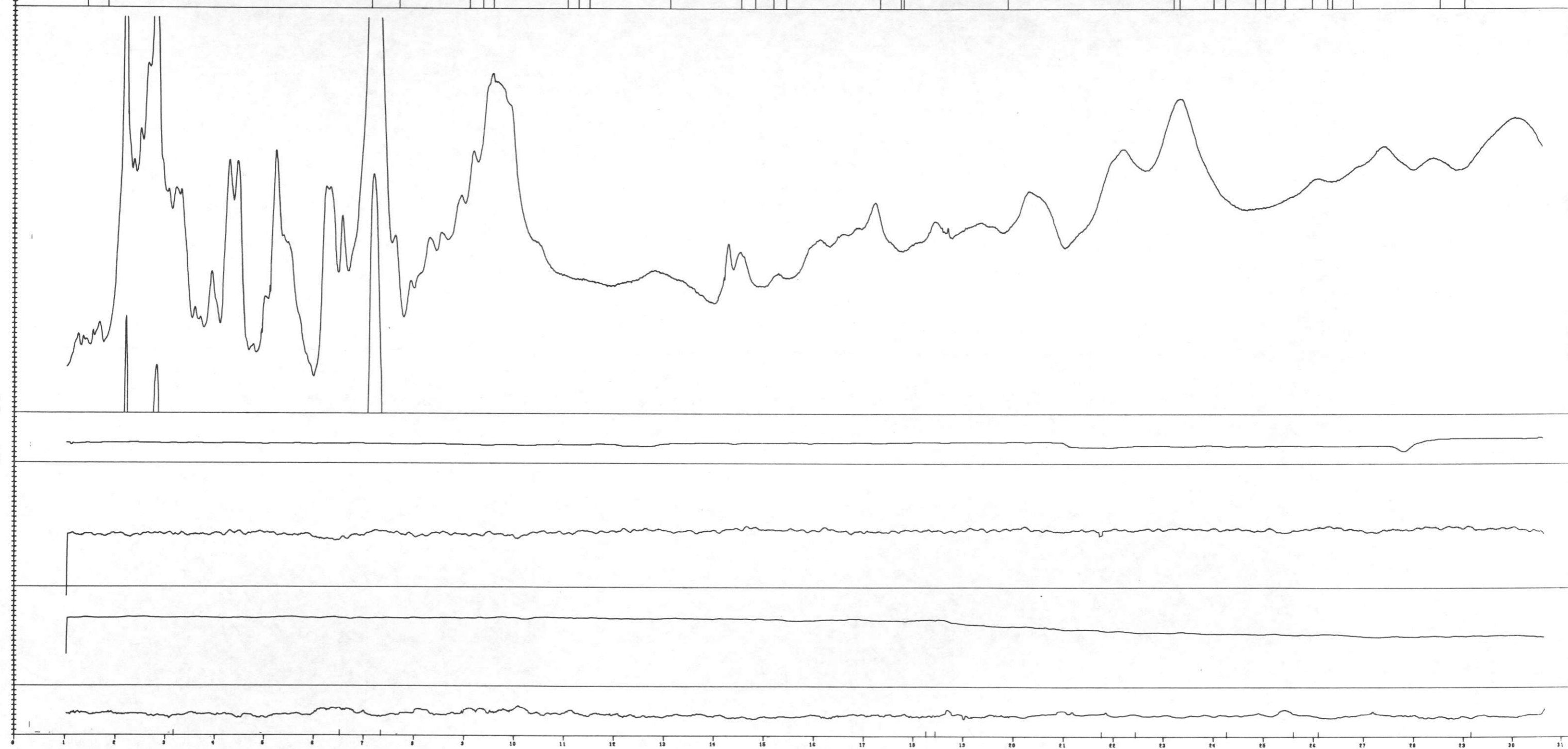
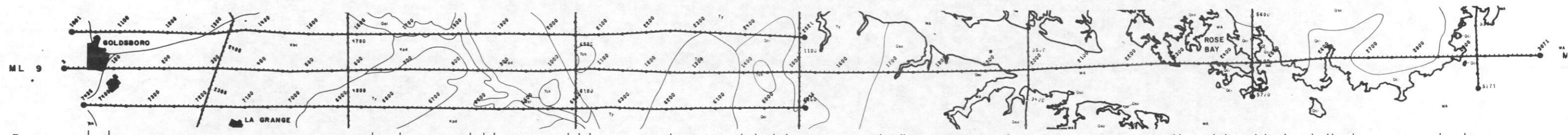
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TL
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RLT
100 FT/DIV



LONG 77.000



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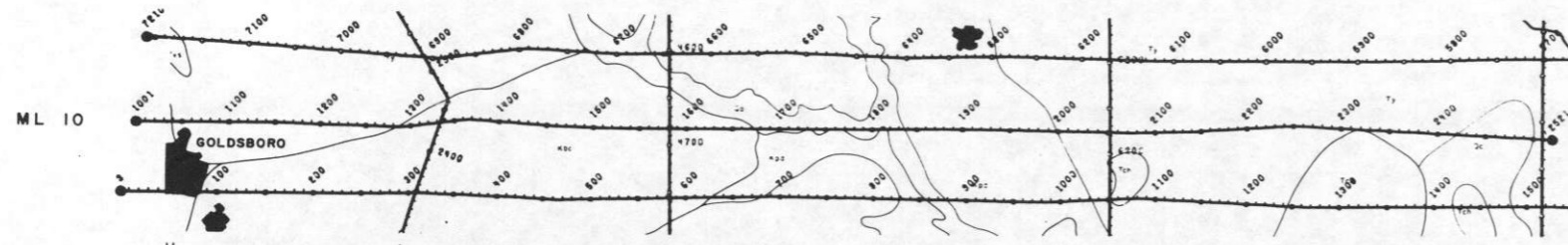
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TEMP
1 DEG C/DIV
BASE = 20

ALT
100 FT/DIV

ML 9 ROCKY MOUNT 0 5 10 15 MILES

LONG 77.000



TL/K
1.5 /DIV

BI/K
.75 /DIV

BI/TL
.07 /DIV

GC
250 C/S/DIV

RMAG
100 GAMMAS/DIV
BASE = -1000

BIAIR
2.5 C/S/DIV

K
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BI
.25 PPM/DIV

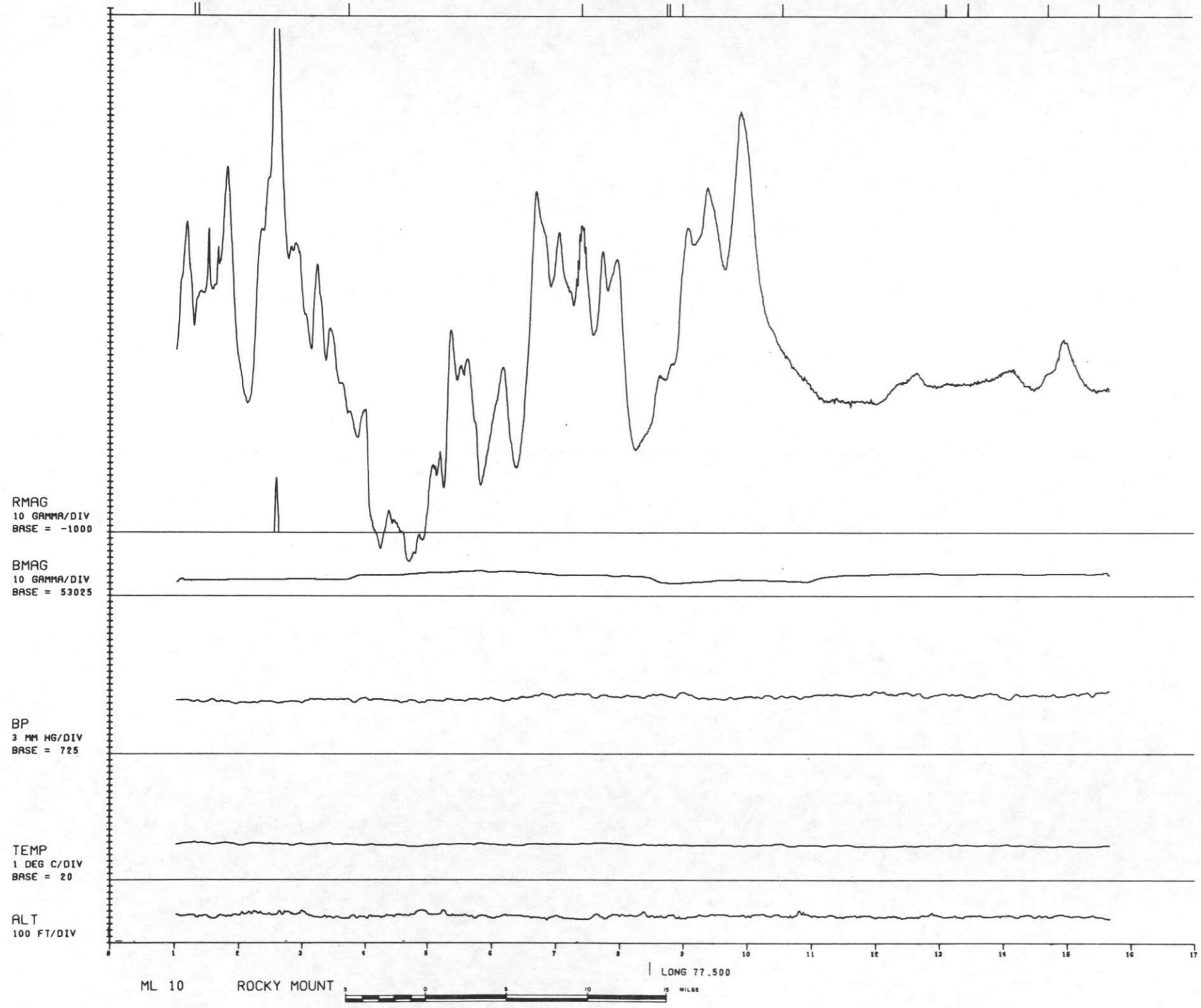
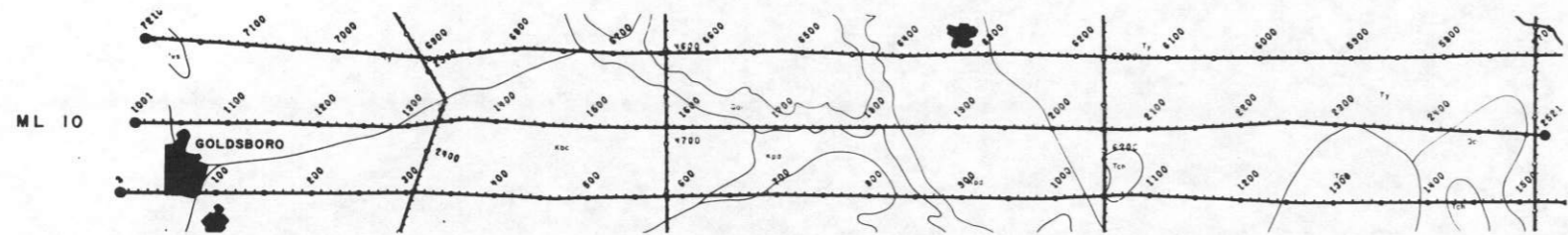
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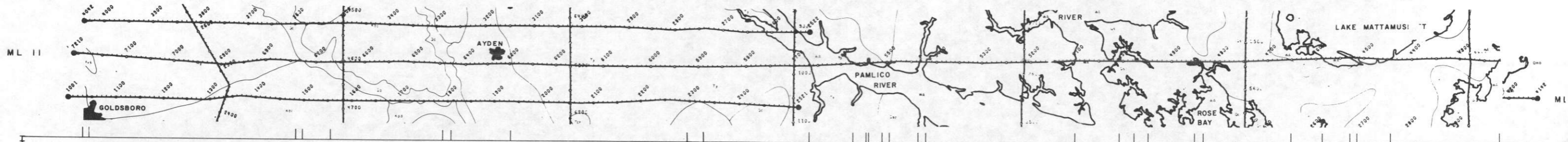
ALT
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ML 10 ROCKY MOUNT

LONG 77.500







TL/K
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BI/TL
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GC
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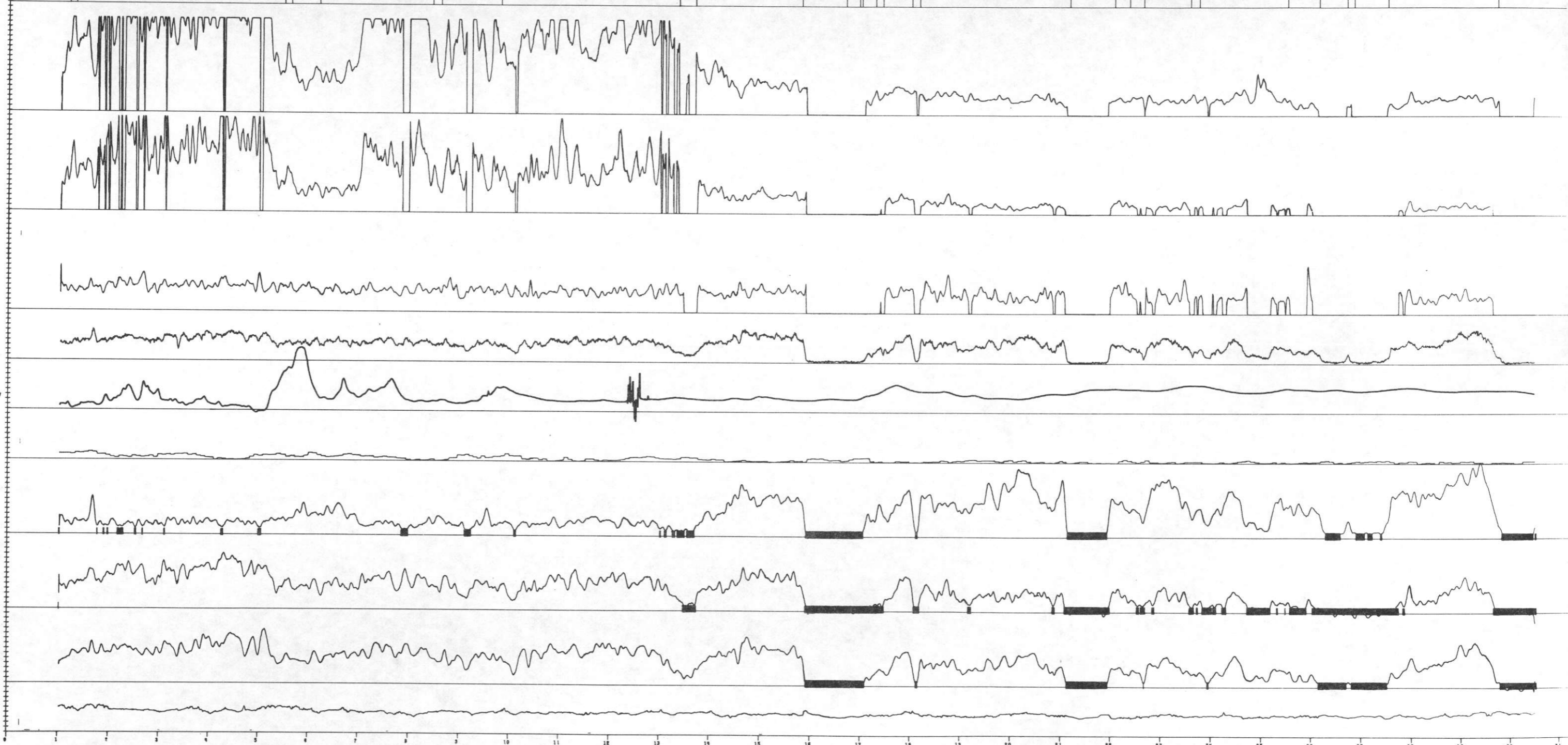
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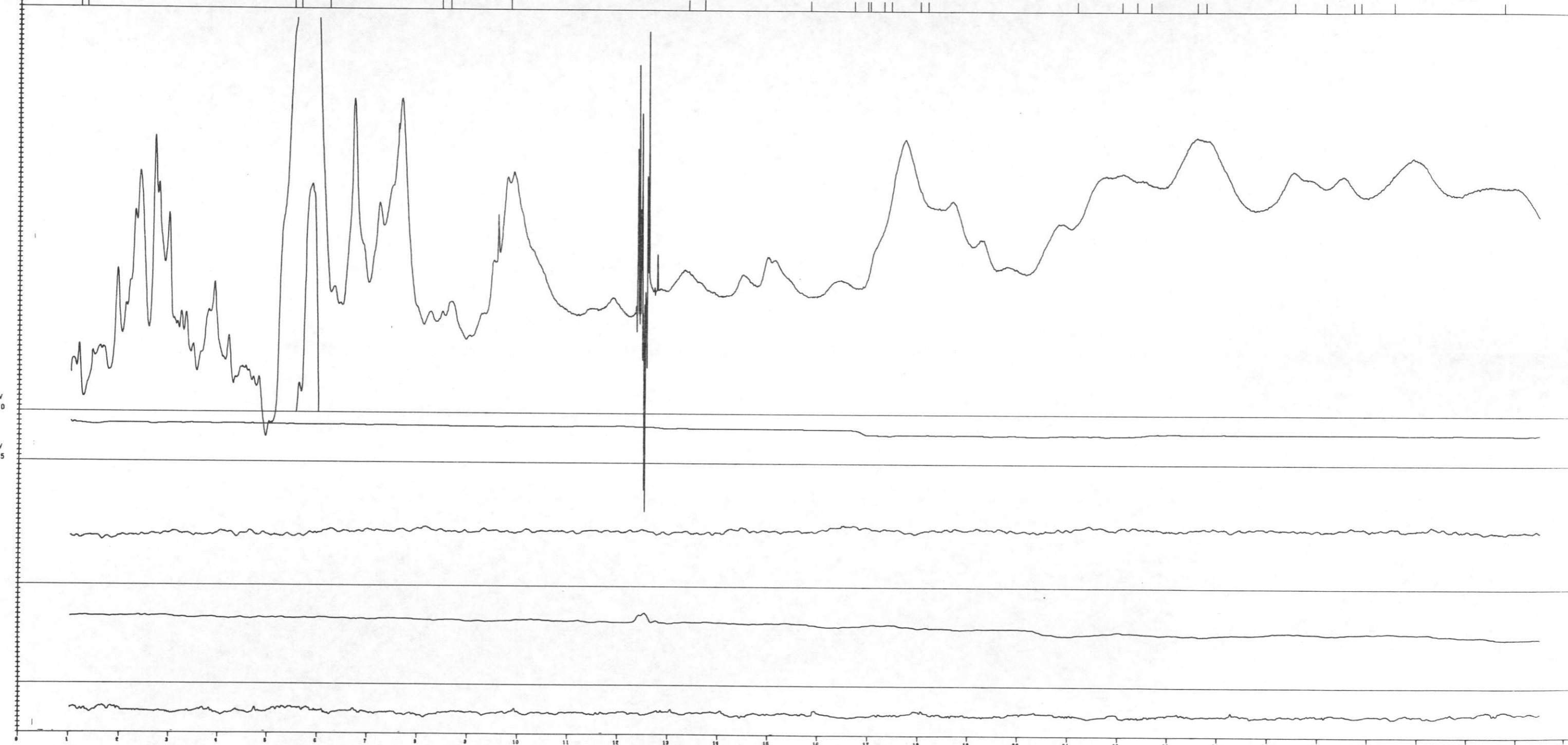
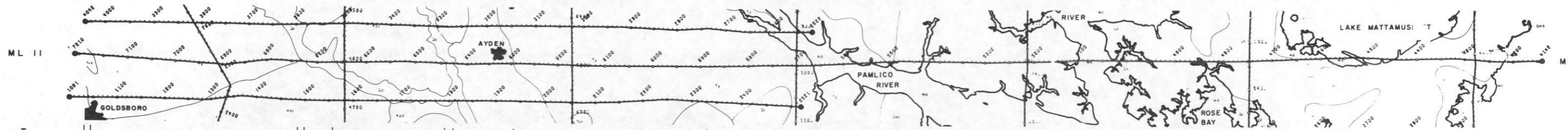
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100 FT/DIV



ML 11 ROCKY MOUNT



LONG 77.000



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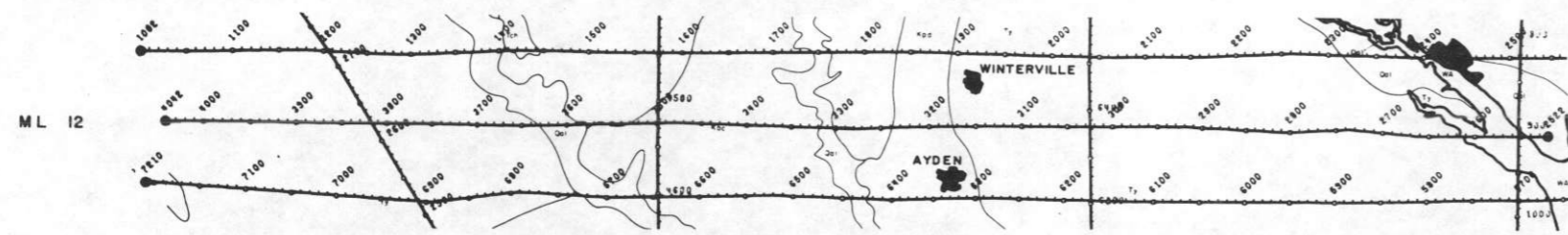
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ALT
100 FT/DIV

ML 11 ROCKY MOUNT



LONG 77.000



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BI/TL
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GC
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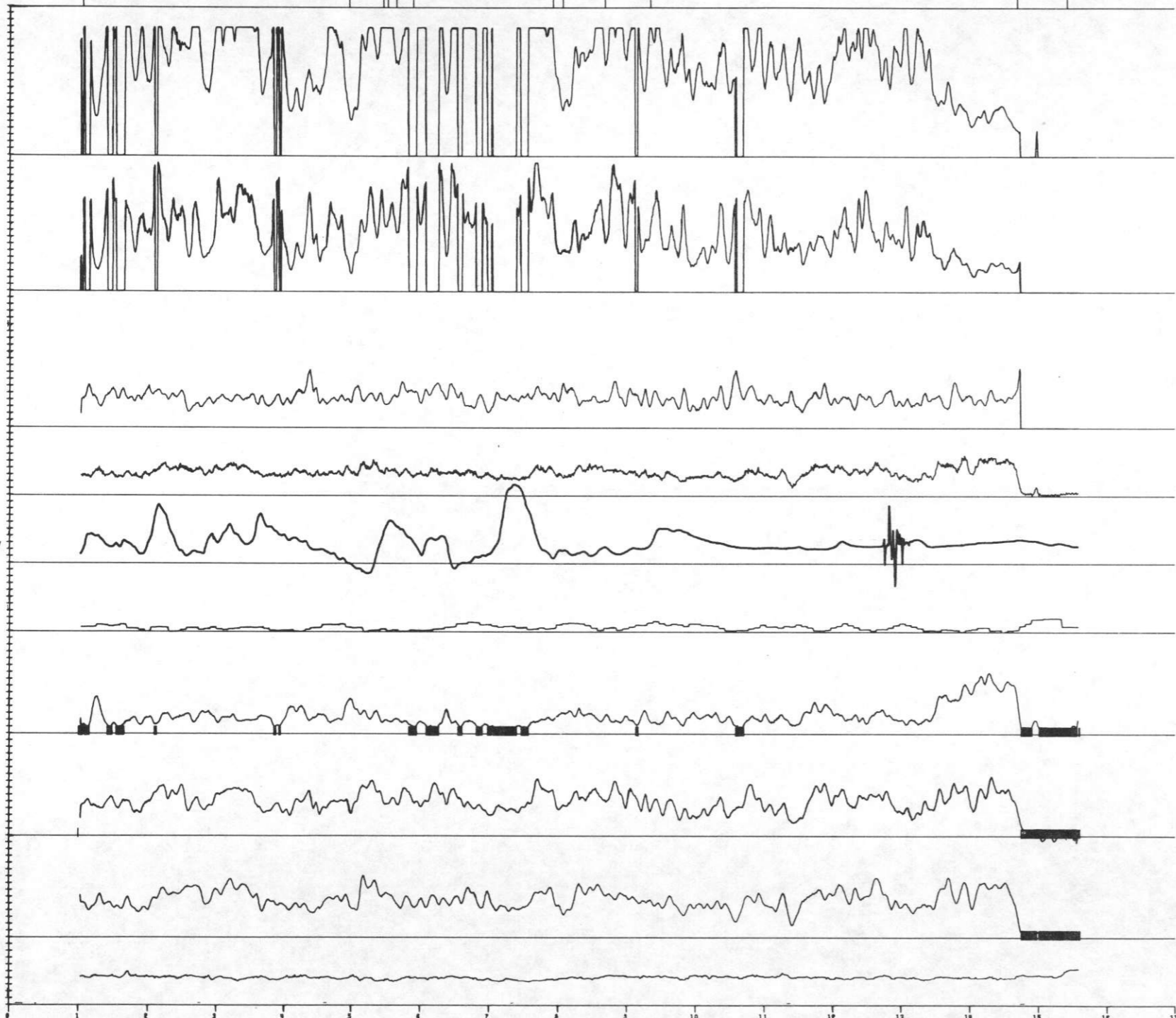
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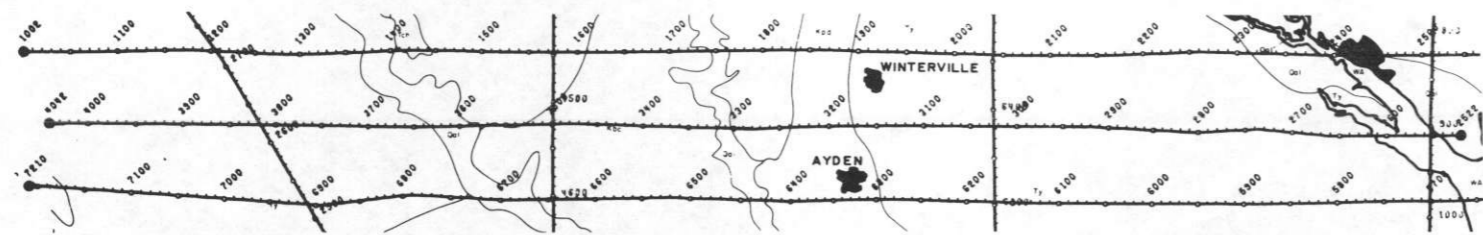


ML 12 ROCKY MOUNT

LONG 77.500



ML 12



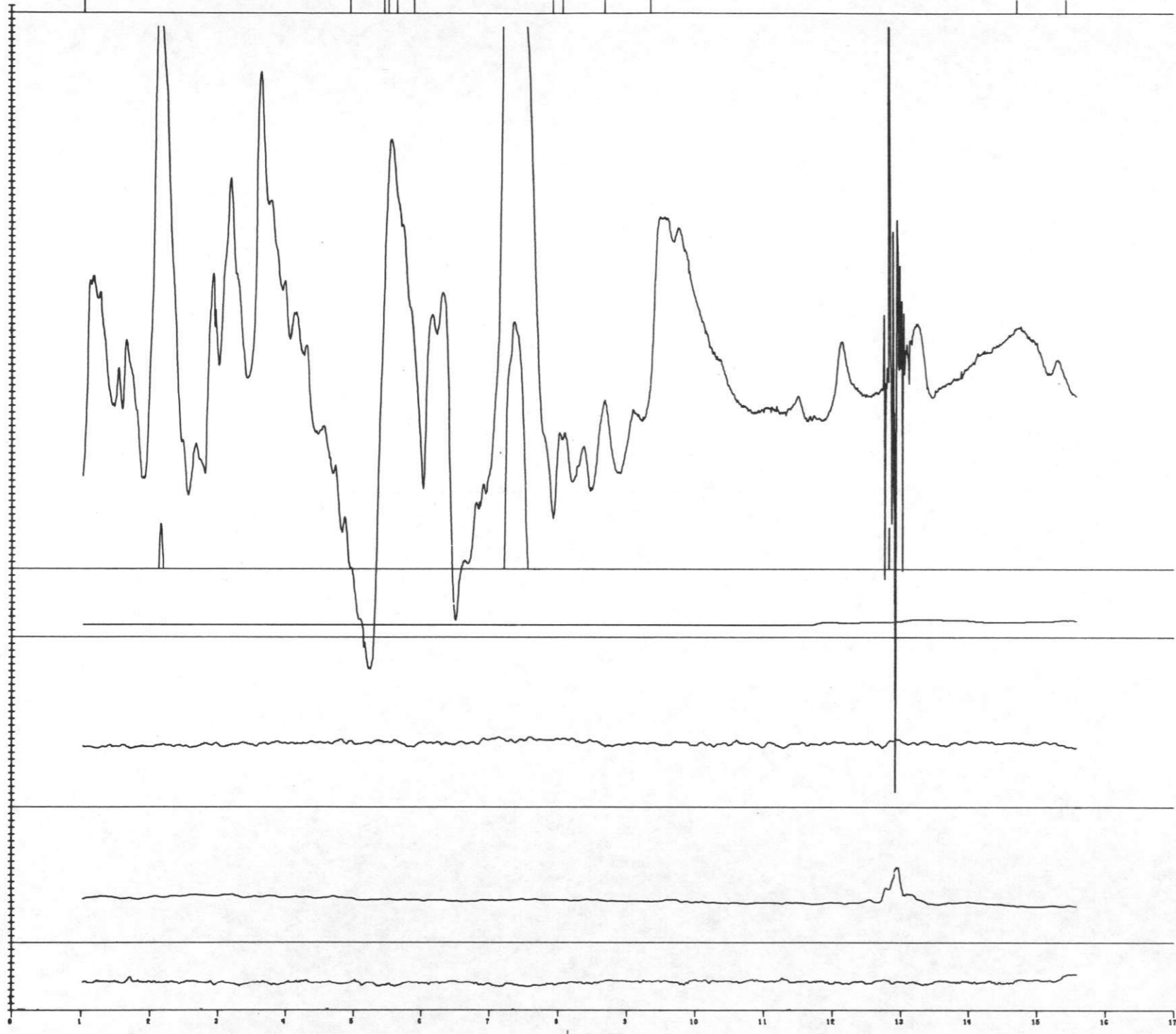
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BASE = 53025

BP
3 MM HG/DIV
BASE = 725

TEMP
1 DEG C/DIV
BASE = 20

ALT
100 FT/DIV



ML 12 ROCKY MOUNT

LONG 77.500





TL/K
1.5 /DIV

BI/K
.75 /DIV

BI/TL
.07 /DIV

GC
250 C/S/DIV

RMAG
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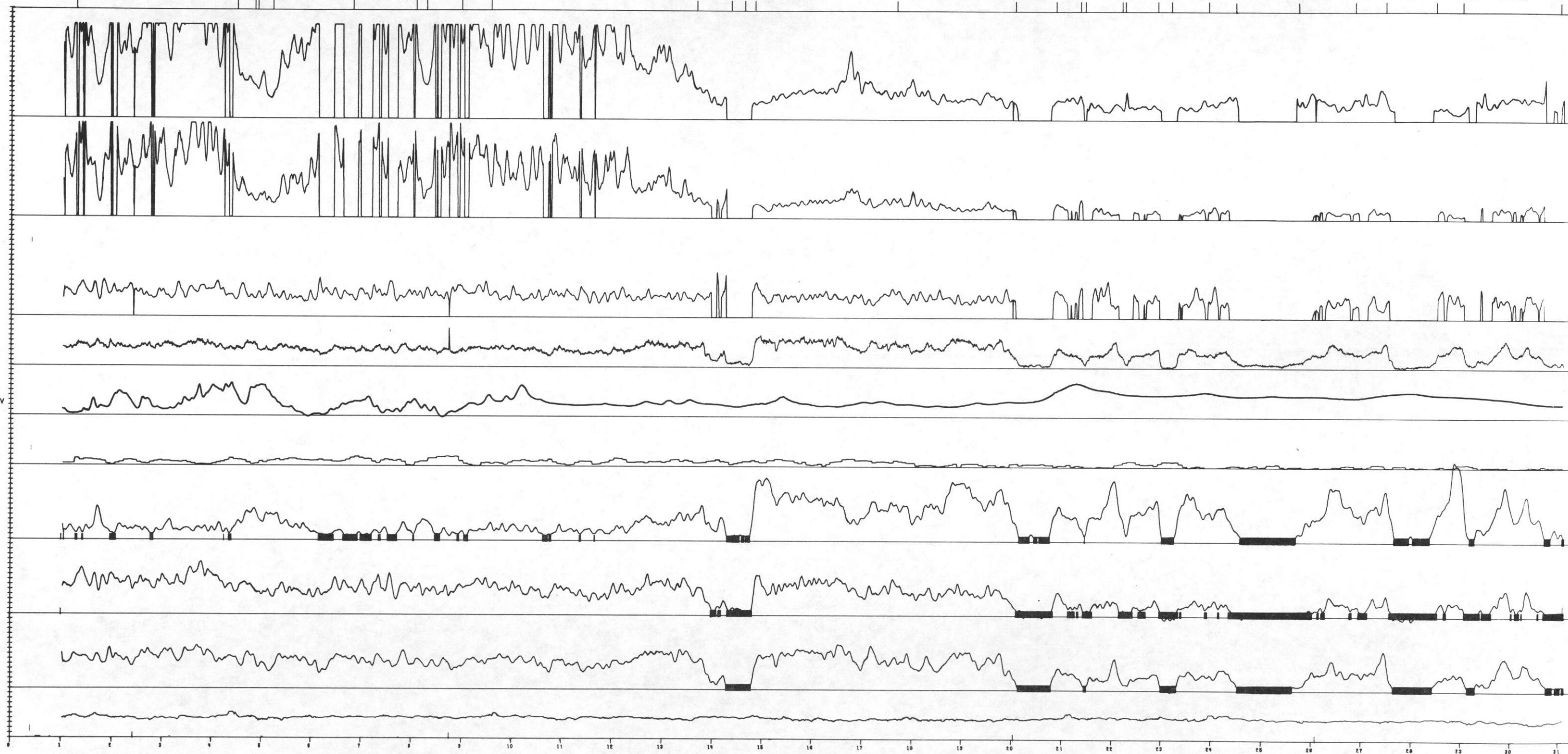
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BI
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TL
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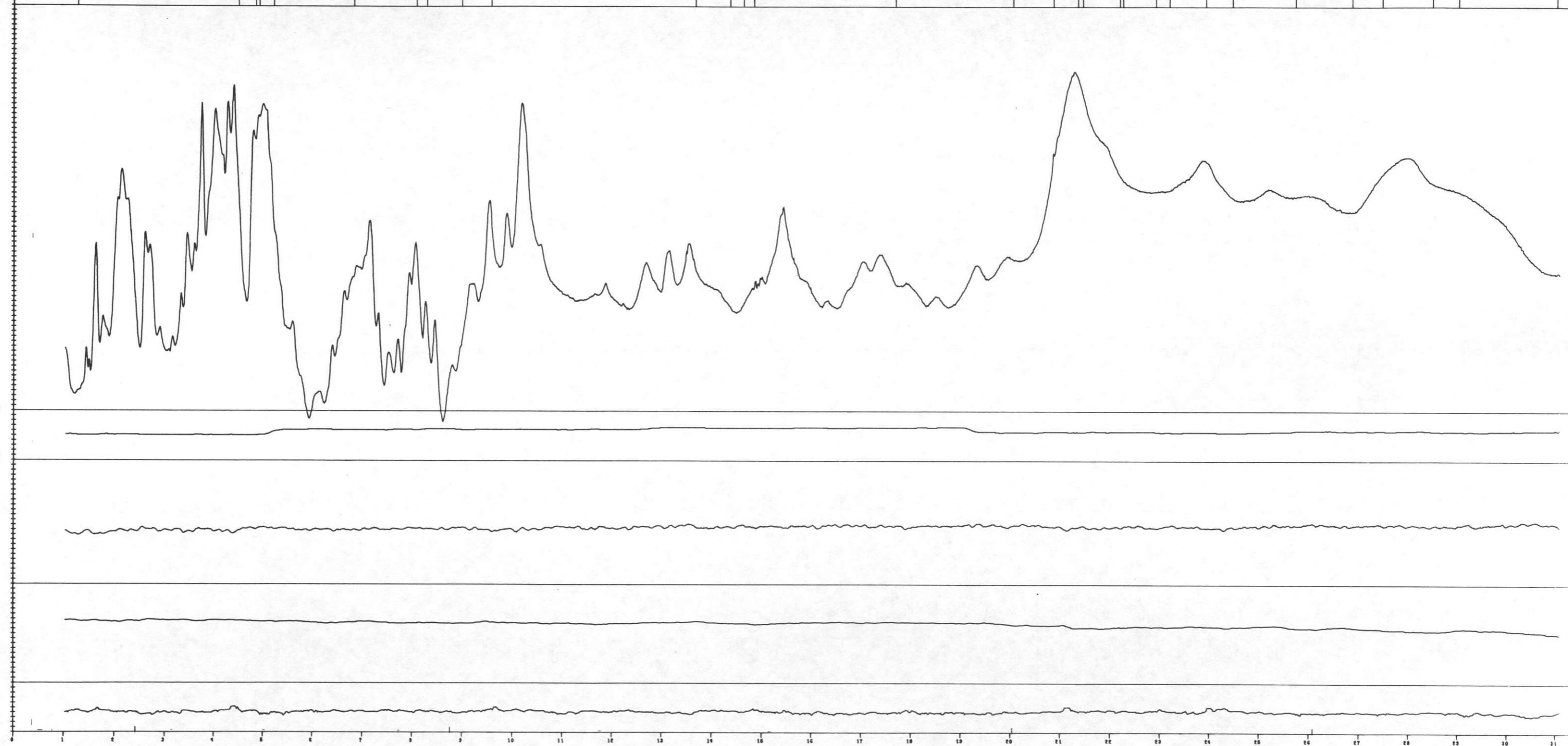
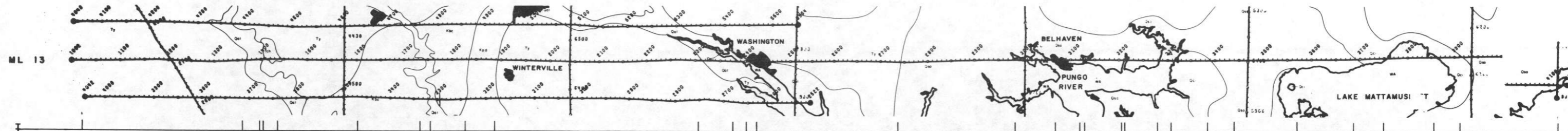
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ML 13 ROCKY MOUNT



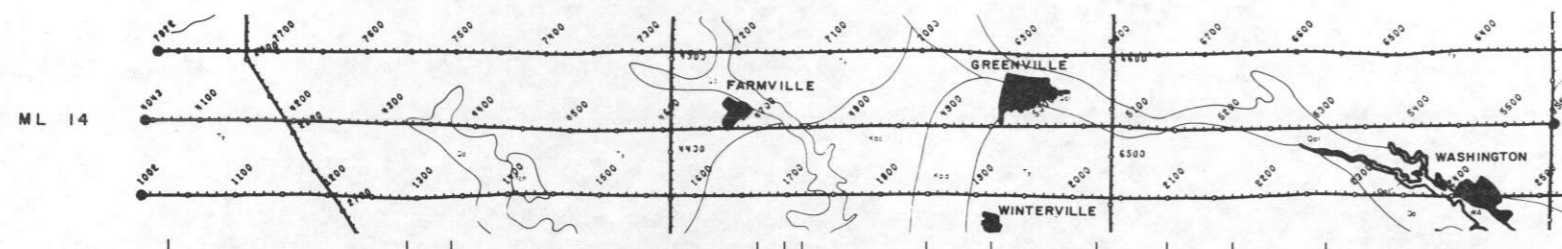
LONG 77.000



ML 13 ROCKY MOUNT



LONG 77.000



TL/K
1.5 /DIV

BI/K
.75 /DIV

BI/TL
.07 /DIV

GC
250 C/S/DIV

RMAG
100 GAMMAS/DIV
BASE = -1000

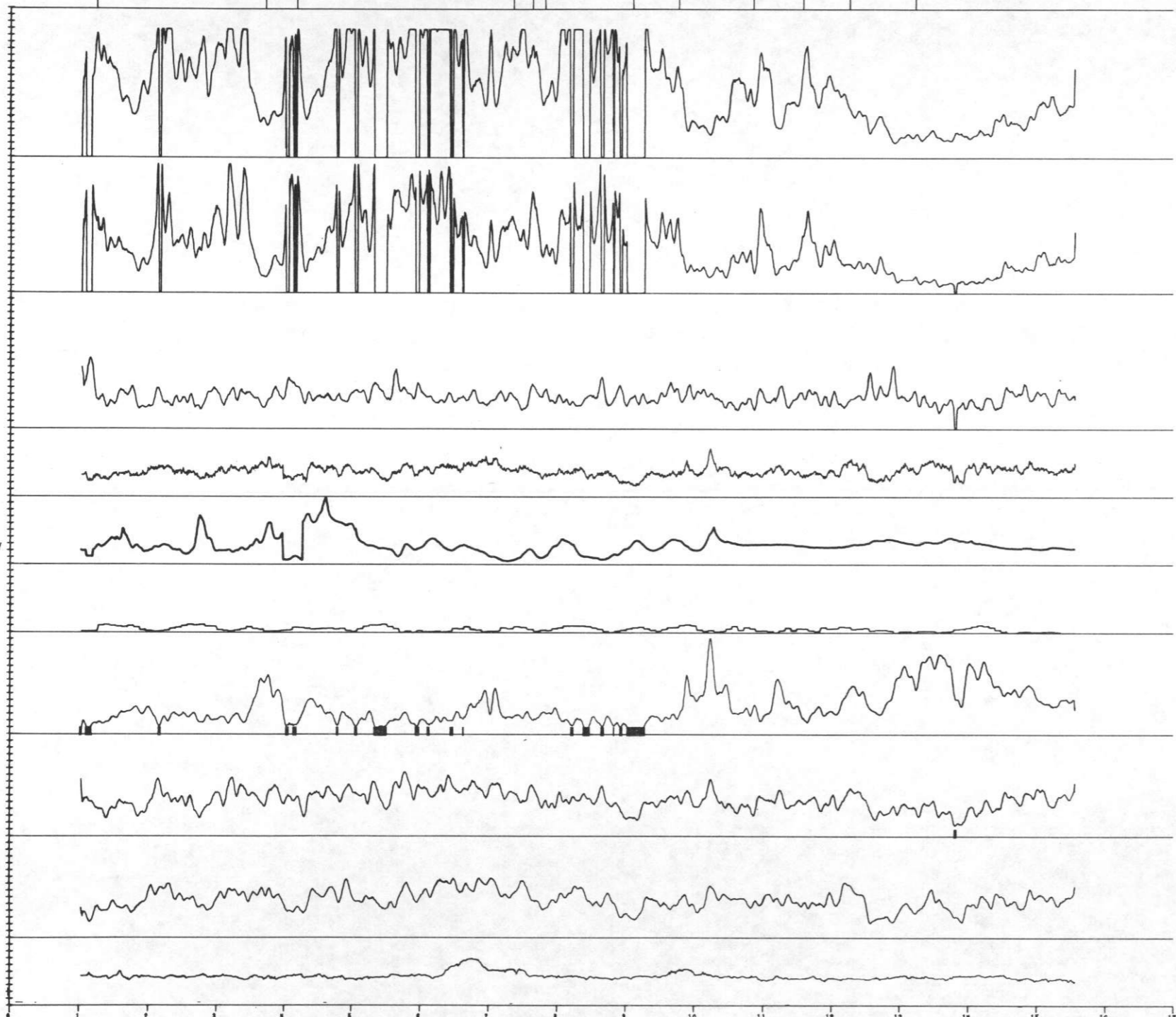
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BI
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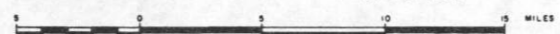
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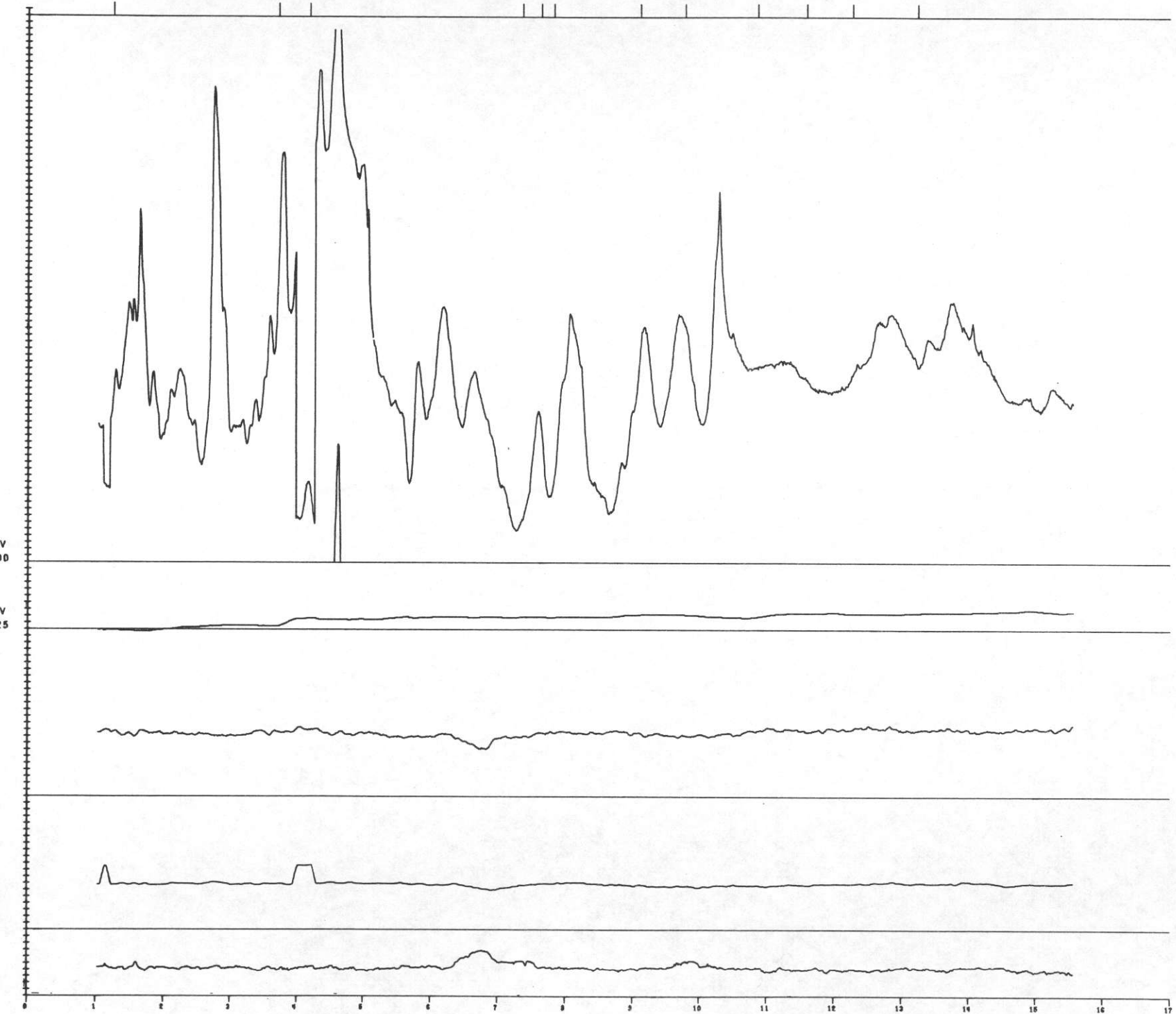
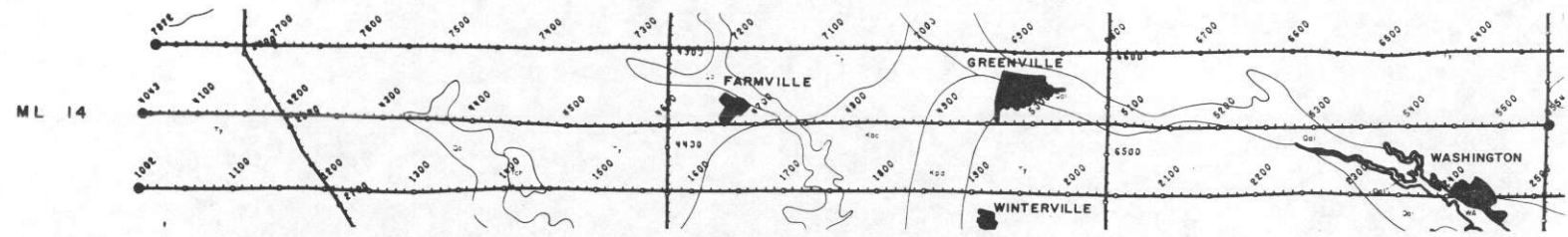
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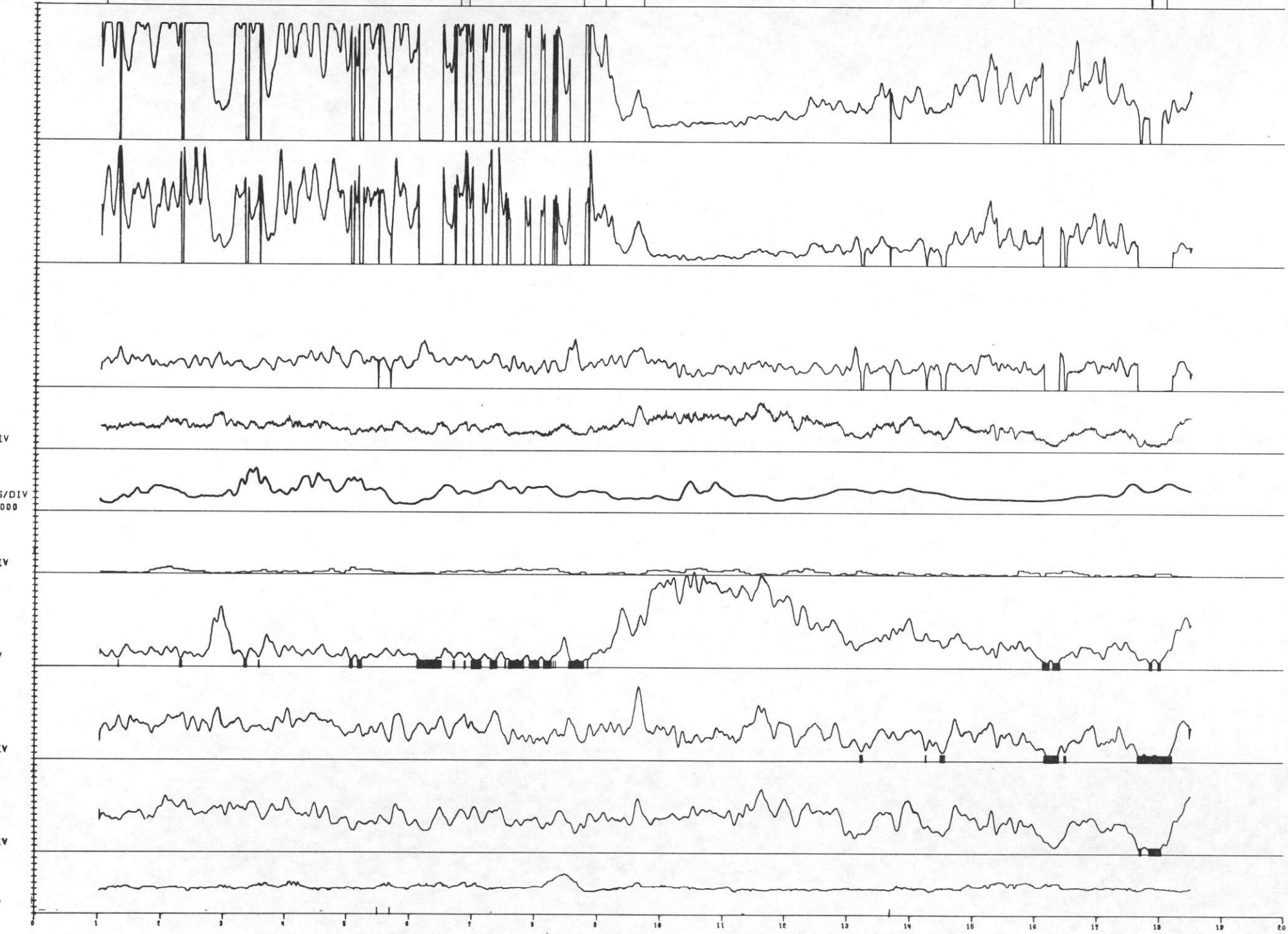
ML 14 ROCKY MOUNT

LONG 77.500





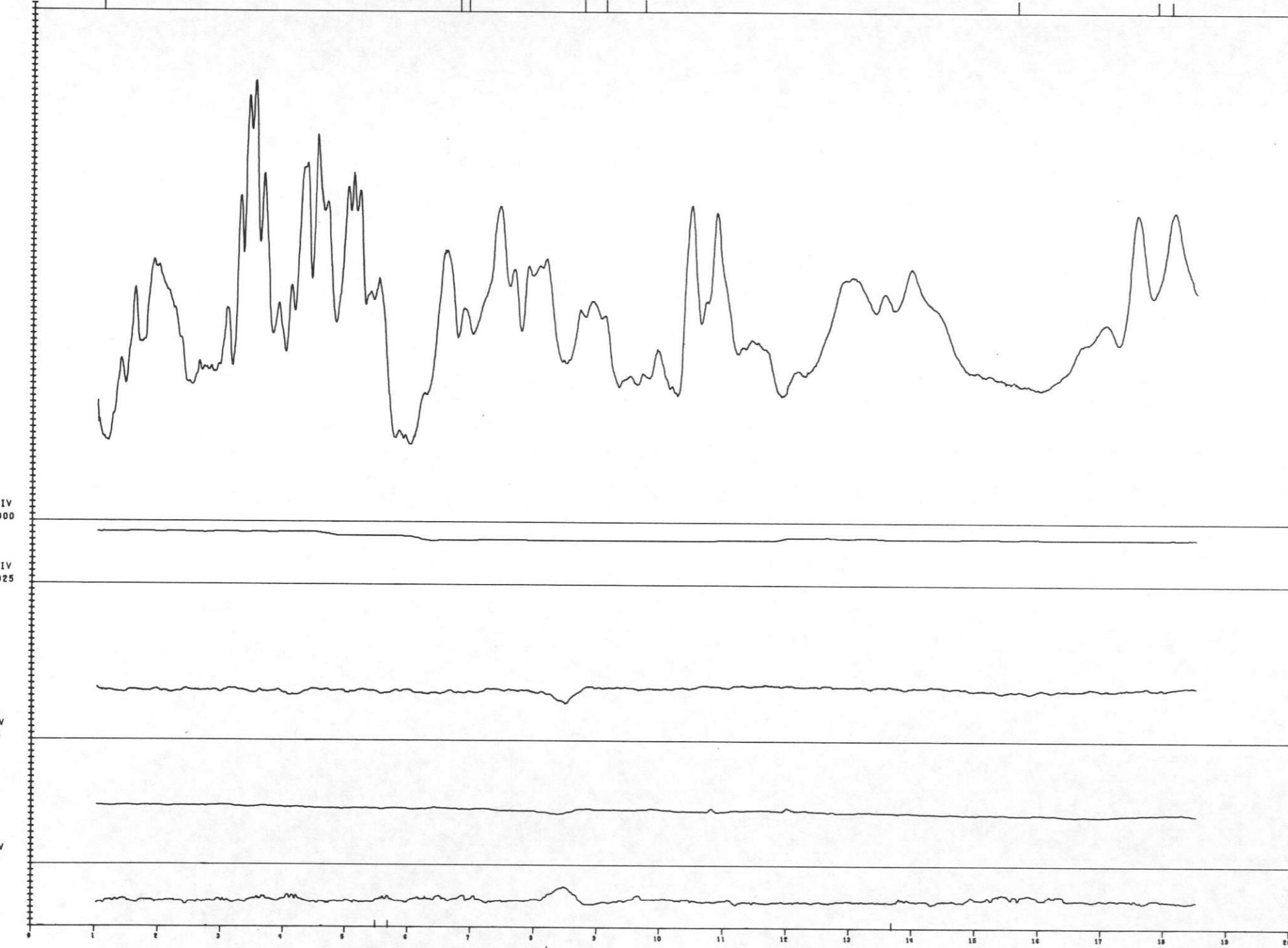
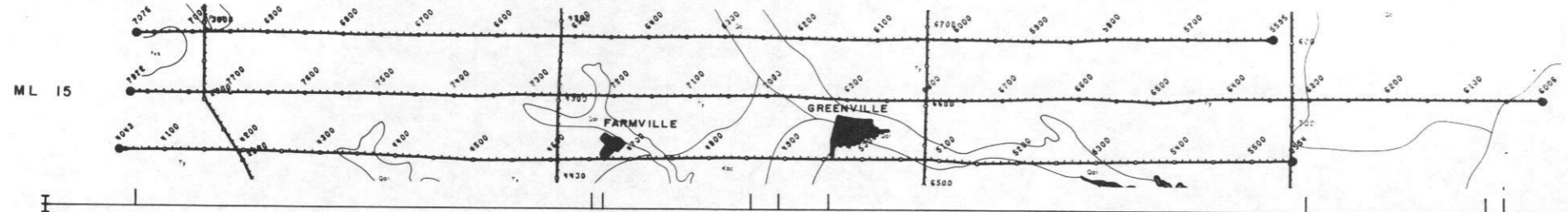
ML 14 ROCKY MOUNT LONG 77.500



ML 15W ROCKY MOUNT

LONG 77.500





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BP
3 MM HG/DIV
BASE = 725

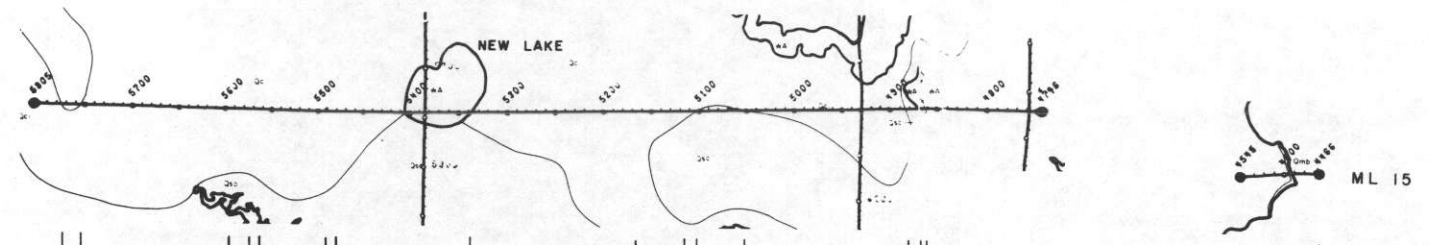
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1 DEG C/DIV
BASE = 20

ALT
100 FT/DIV

ML 15W ROCKY MOUNT

LONG 77.500





TL/K
1.5 /DIV

BI/K
.75 /DIV

BI/TL
.07 /DIV

GC
250 C/S/DIV

RMAG
100 GAMMAS/DIV
BASE = -1000

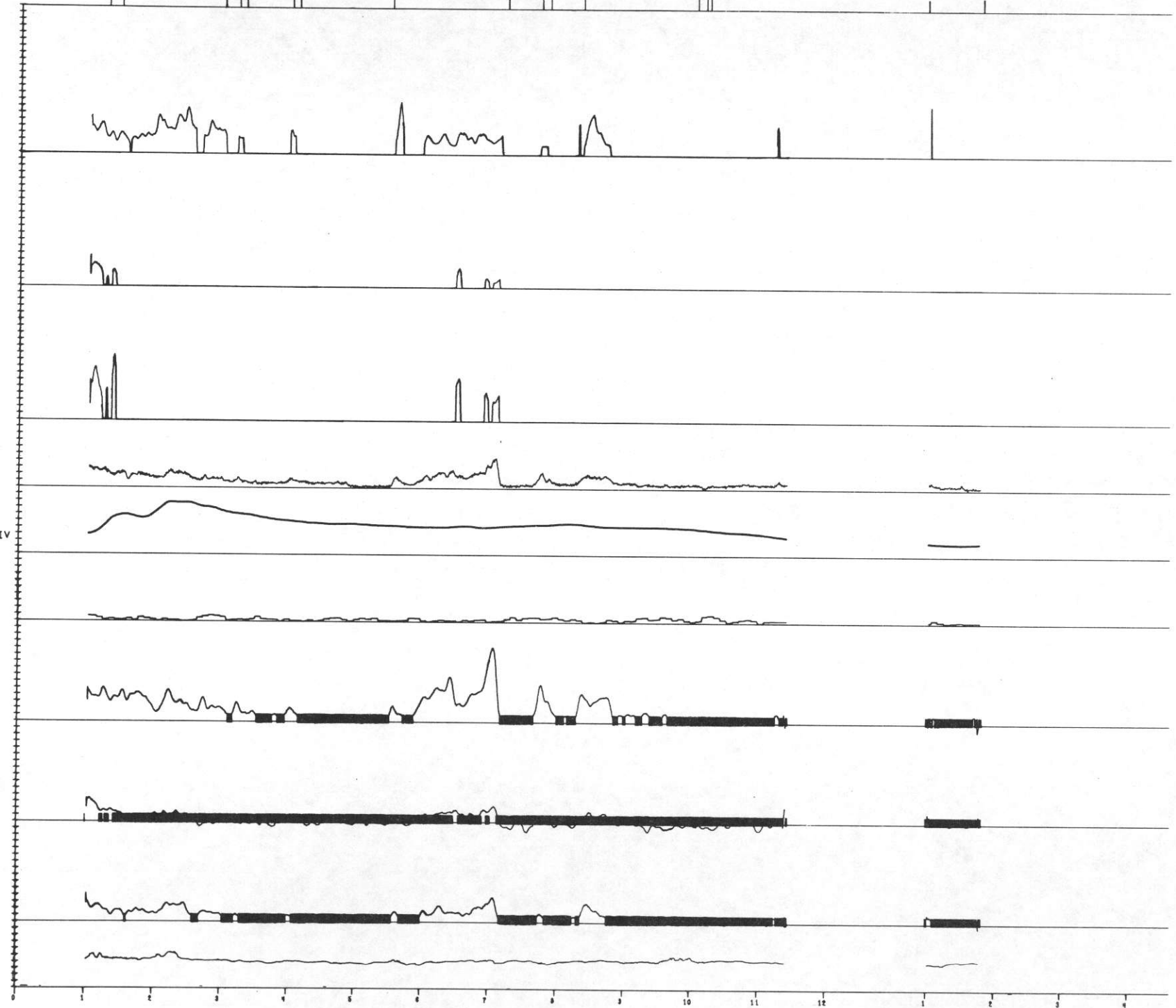
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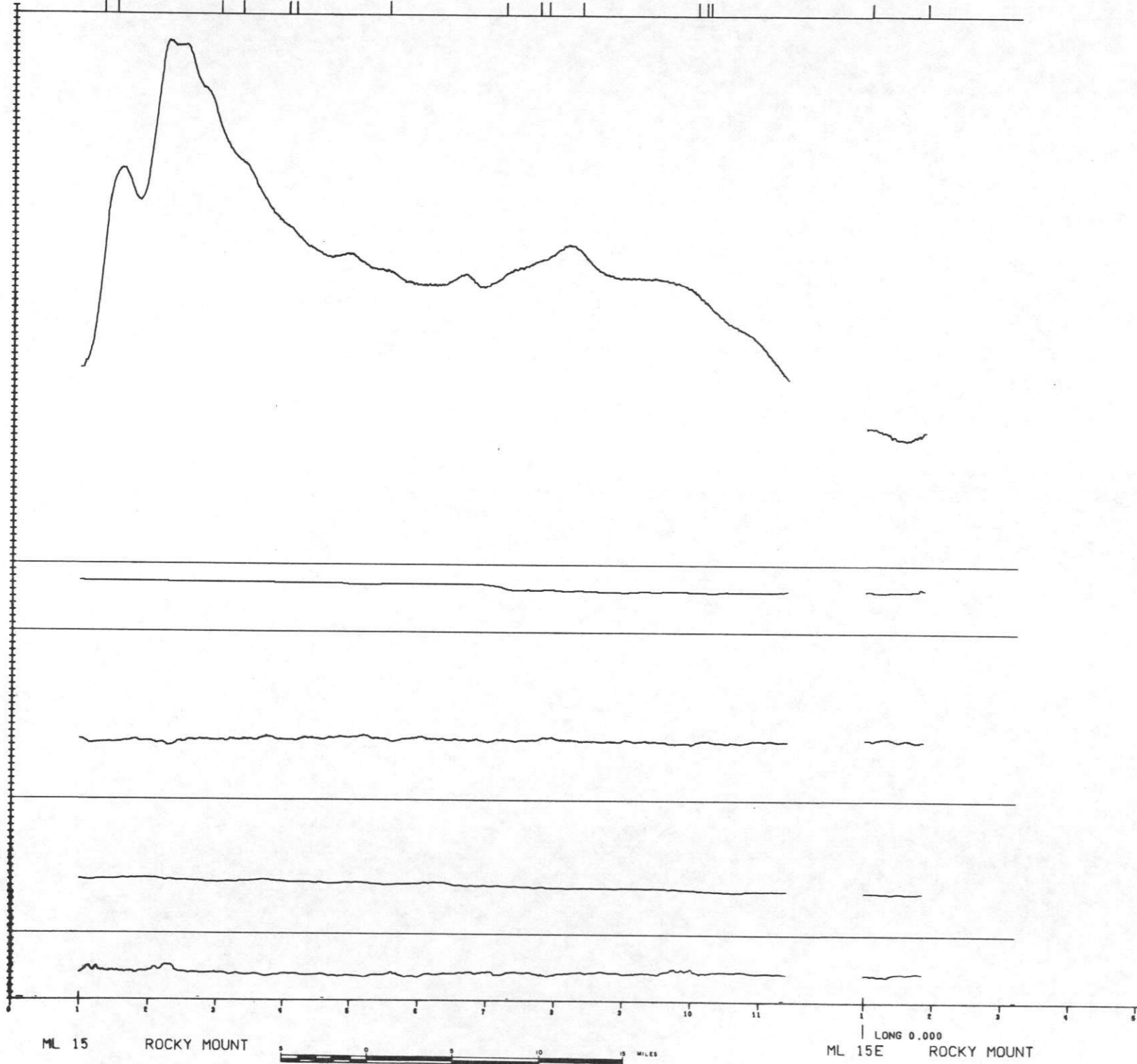
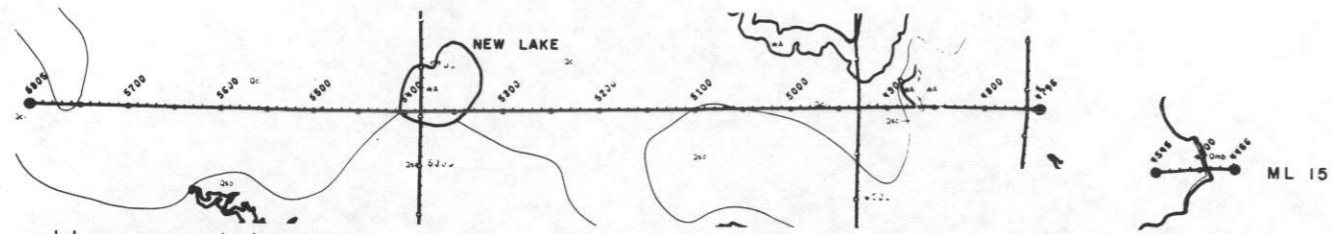
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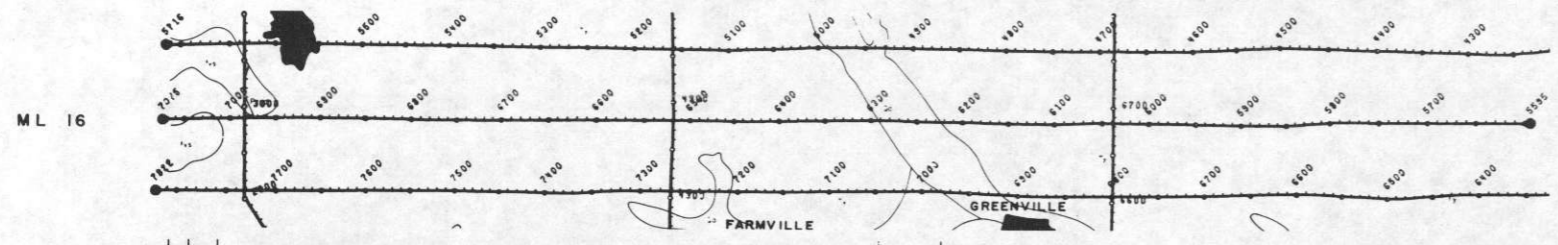
BI
.25 PPH/DIV

TL
.75 PPH/DIV

ALT
100 FT/DIV







TL/K
1.5 /DIV

BI/K
.75 /DIV

BI/TL
.07 /DIV

GC
250 C/S/DIV

RMAG
100 GAMMAS/DIV
BASE = -1000

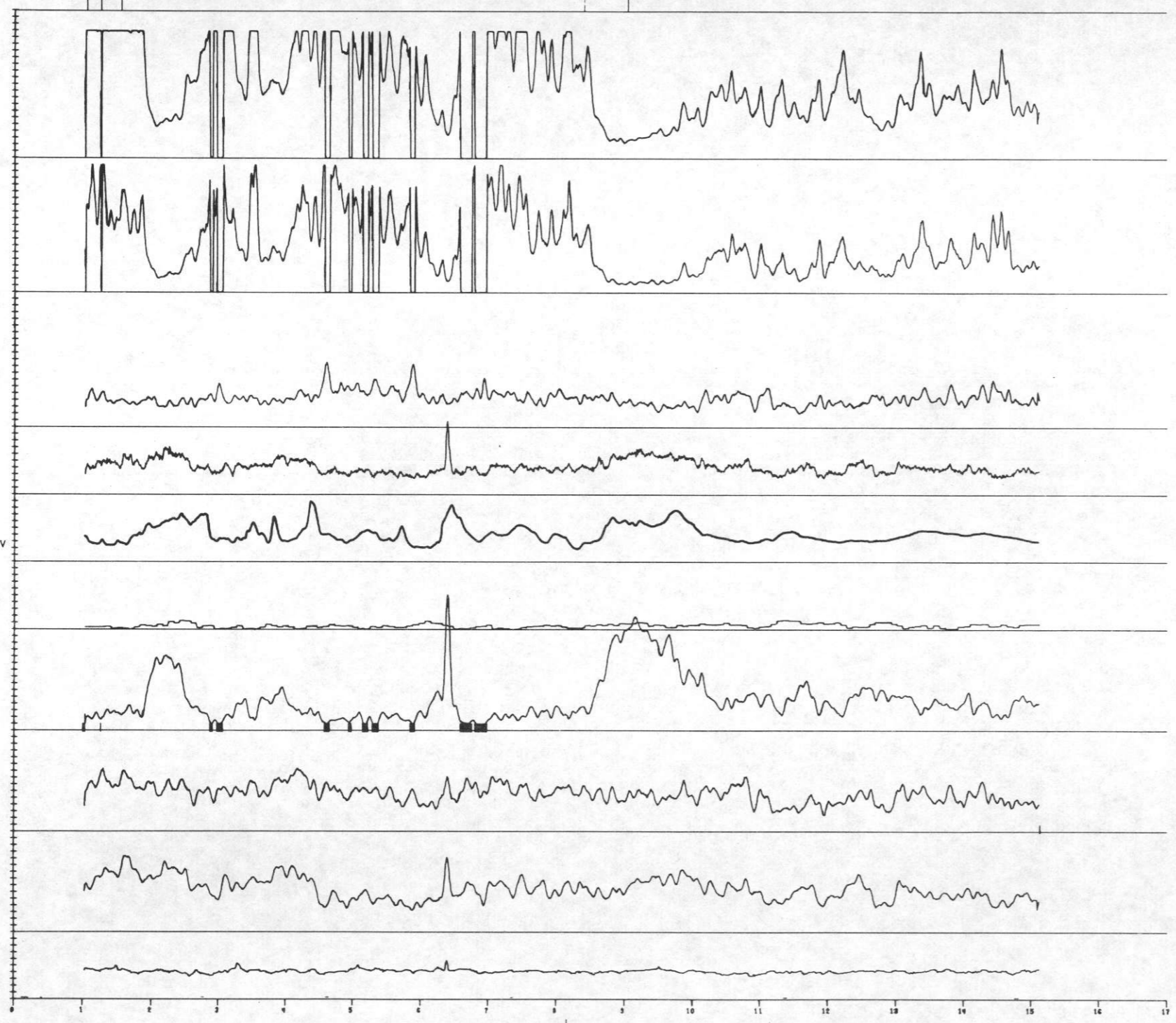
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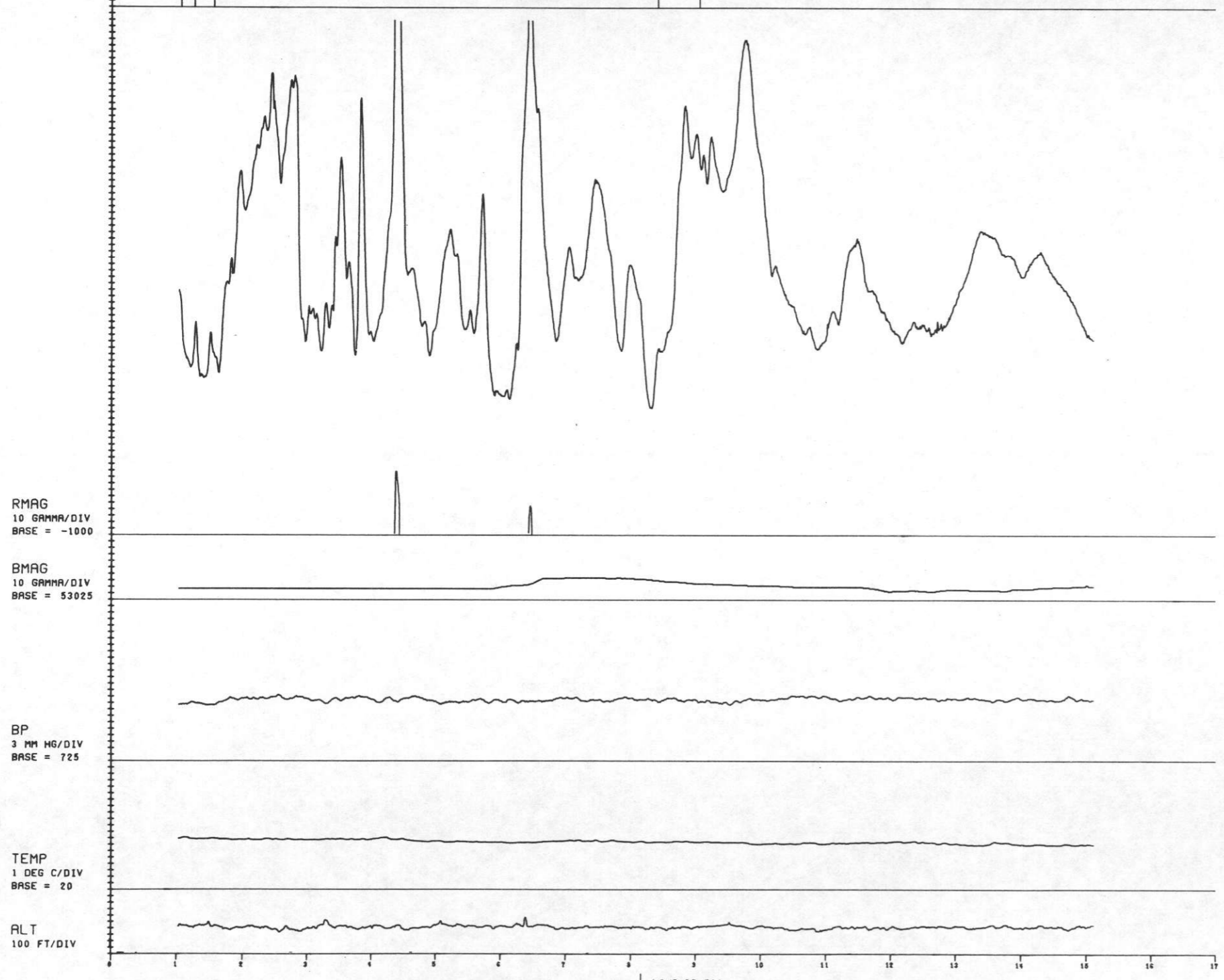
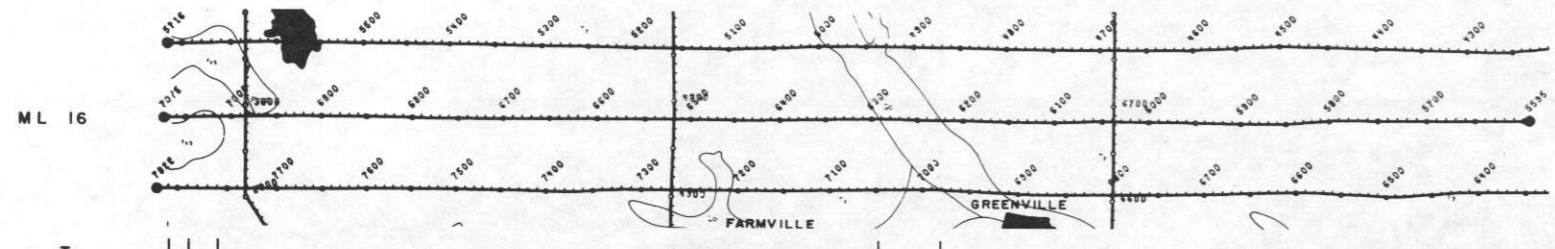
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ML 16 ROCKY MOUNT

LONG 77.500



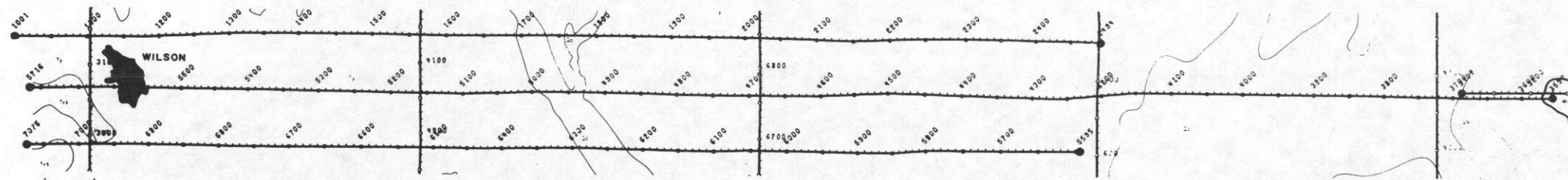


ML 16 ROCKY MOUNT

LONG 77.500

0 5 10 15 MILES

ML 17



TL/K
1.5 /DIV

BI/K
.75 /DIV

BI/TL
.07 /DIV

GC
250 C/S/DIV

RMAG
100 GAMMAS/DIV
BASE = -1000

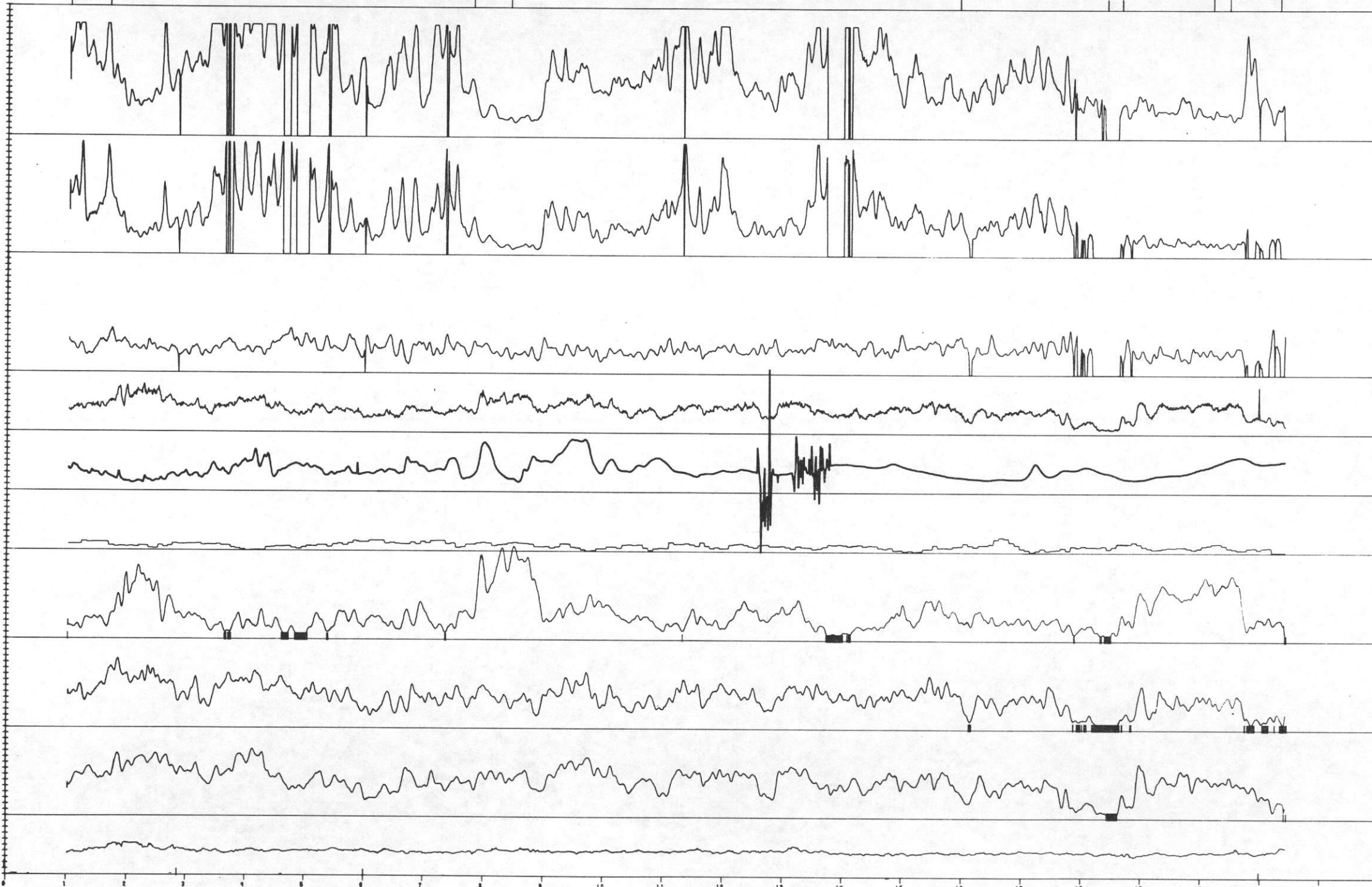
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BI
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ALT
100 FT/DIV

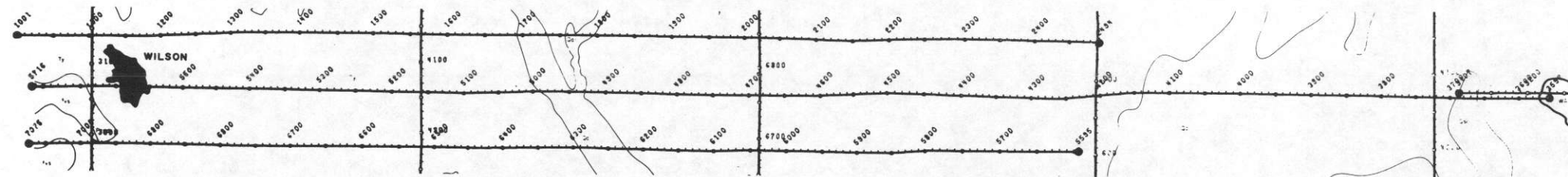


ML 17W ROCKY MOUNT



LONG 77.250

ML 17



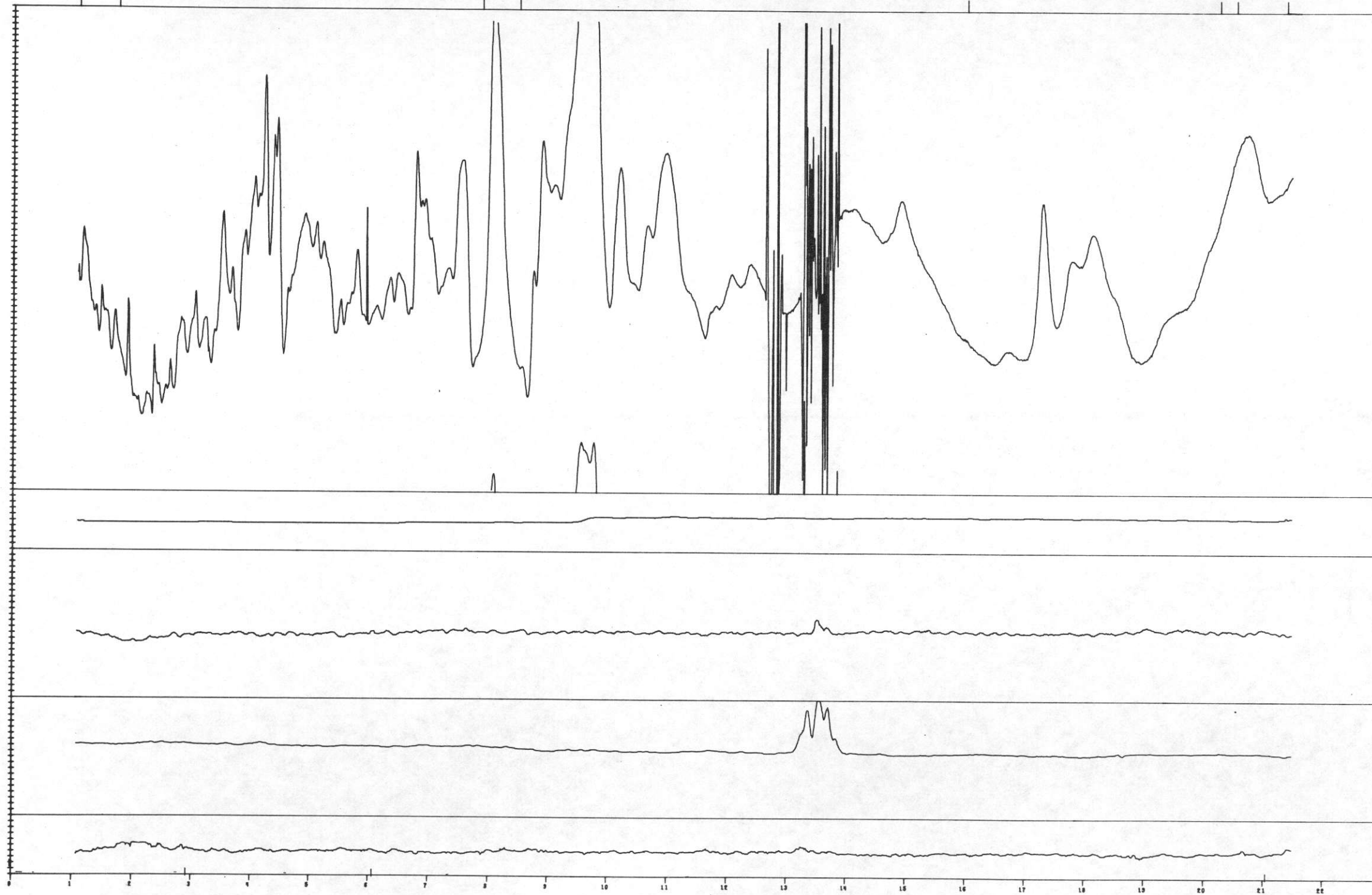
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BASE = 725

TEMP
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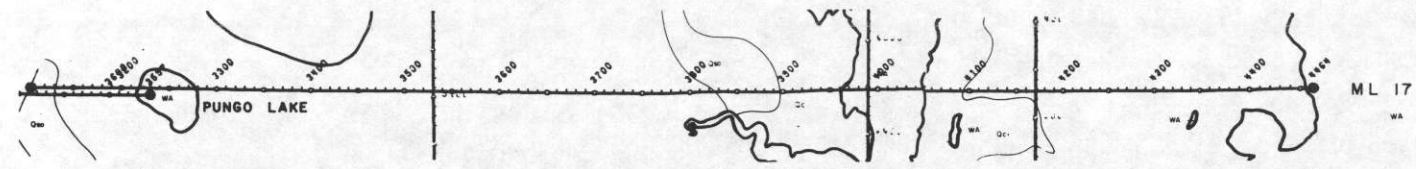
ALT
100 FT/DIV



ML 17W ROCKY MOUNT



LONG 77.250



TL/K
1.5 /DIV

BI/K
.75 /DIV

BI/TL
.07 /DIV

GC
250 C/S/DIV

RMAG
100 GAMMAS/DIV
BASE = -1000

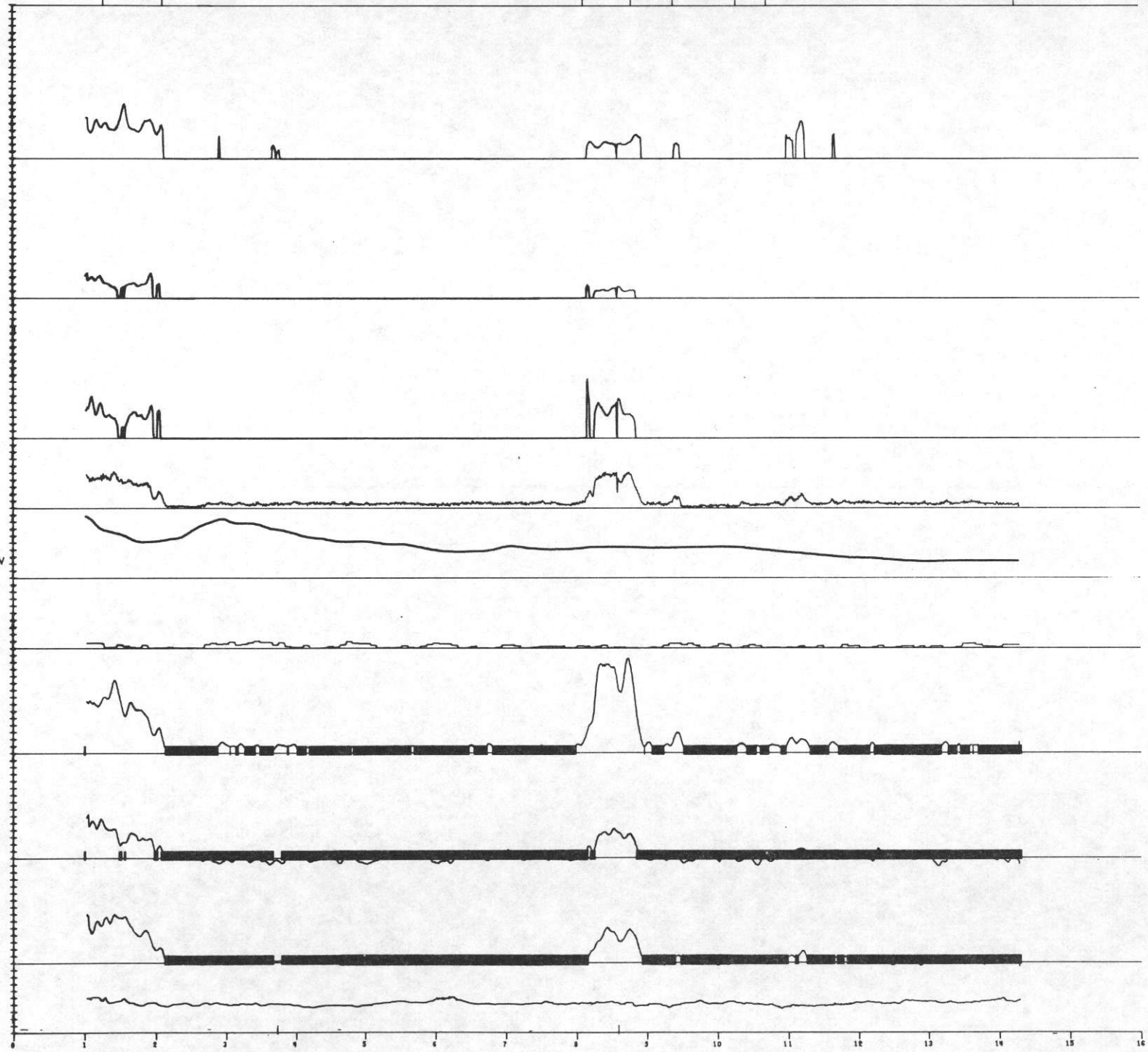
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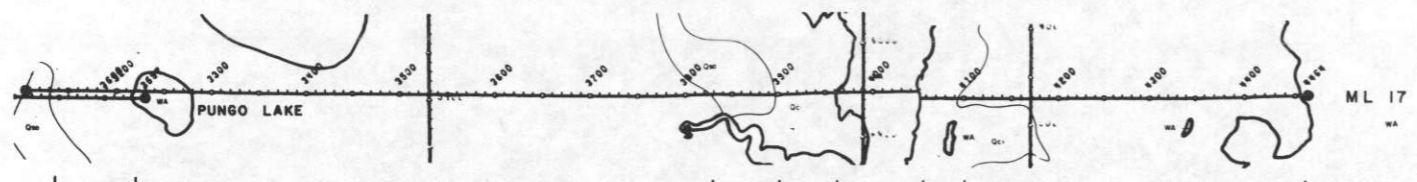
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ML 17E ROCKY MOUNT



LONG 76.000



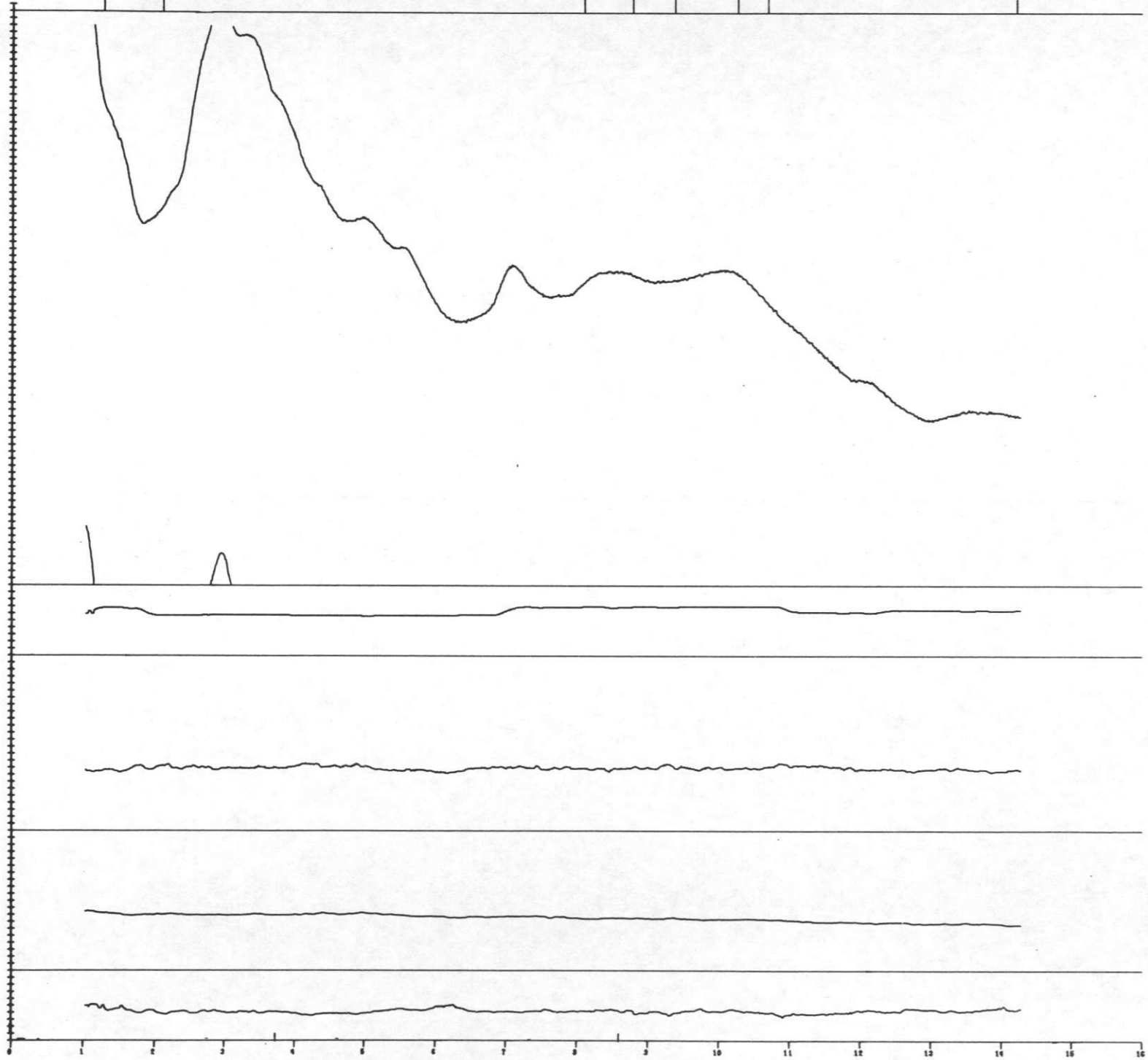
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BP
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BASE = 725

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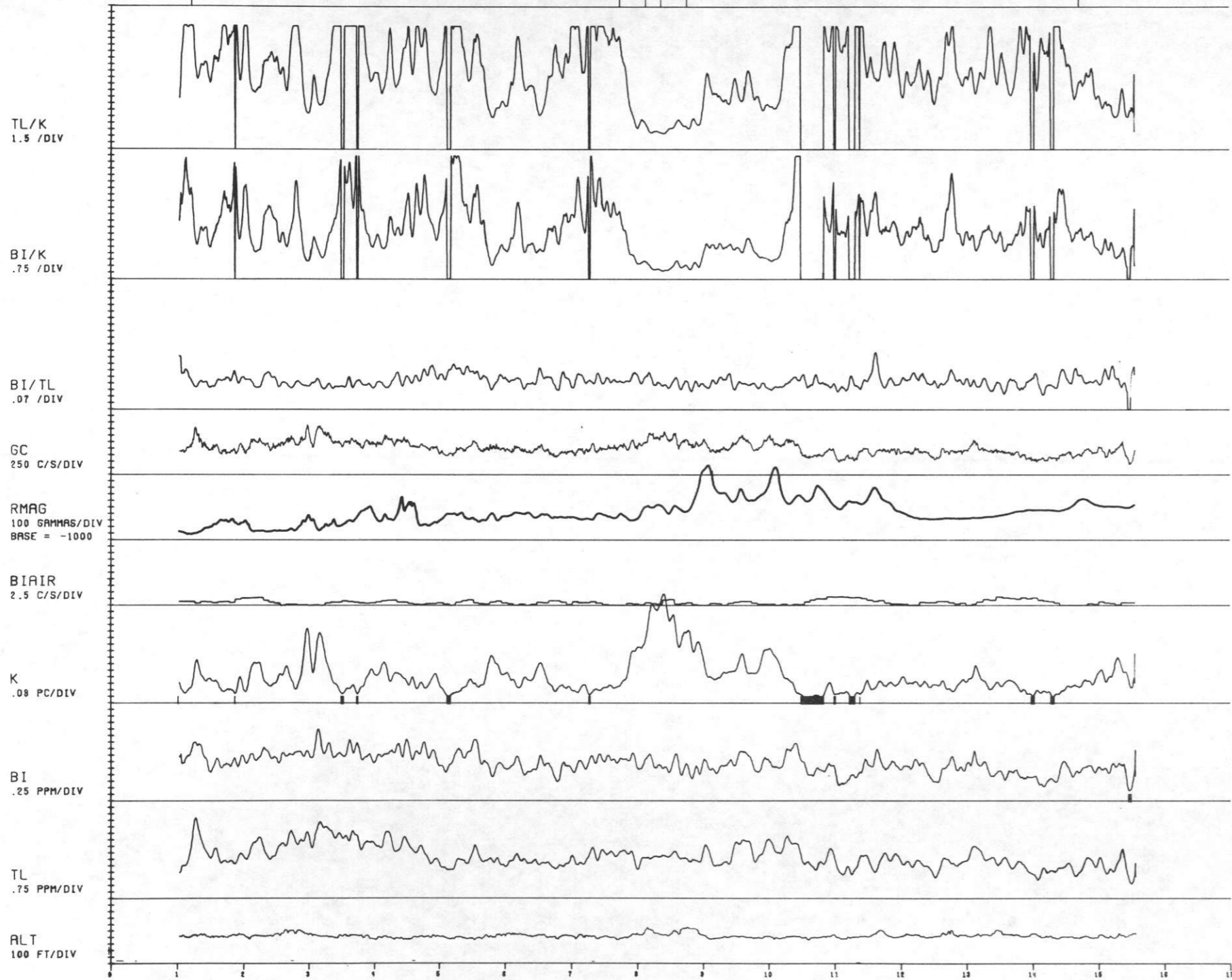
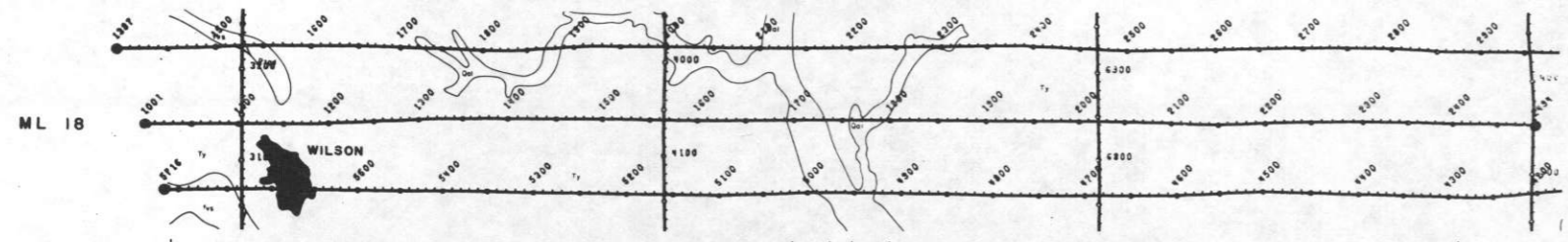
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ML 17E ROCKY MOUNT

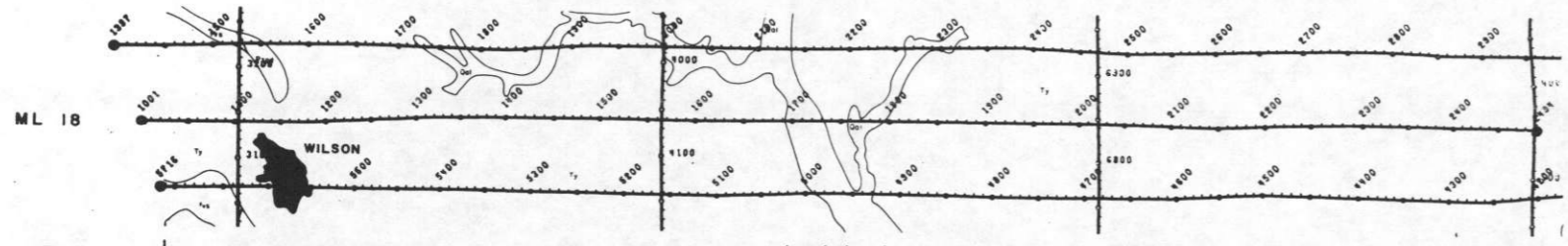


LONG 76.000



ML 18 ROCKY MOUNT LONG 77.500





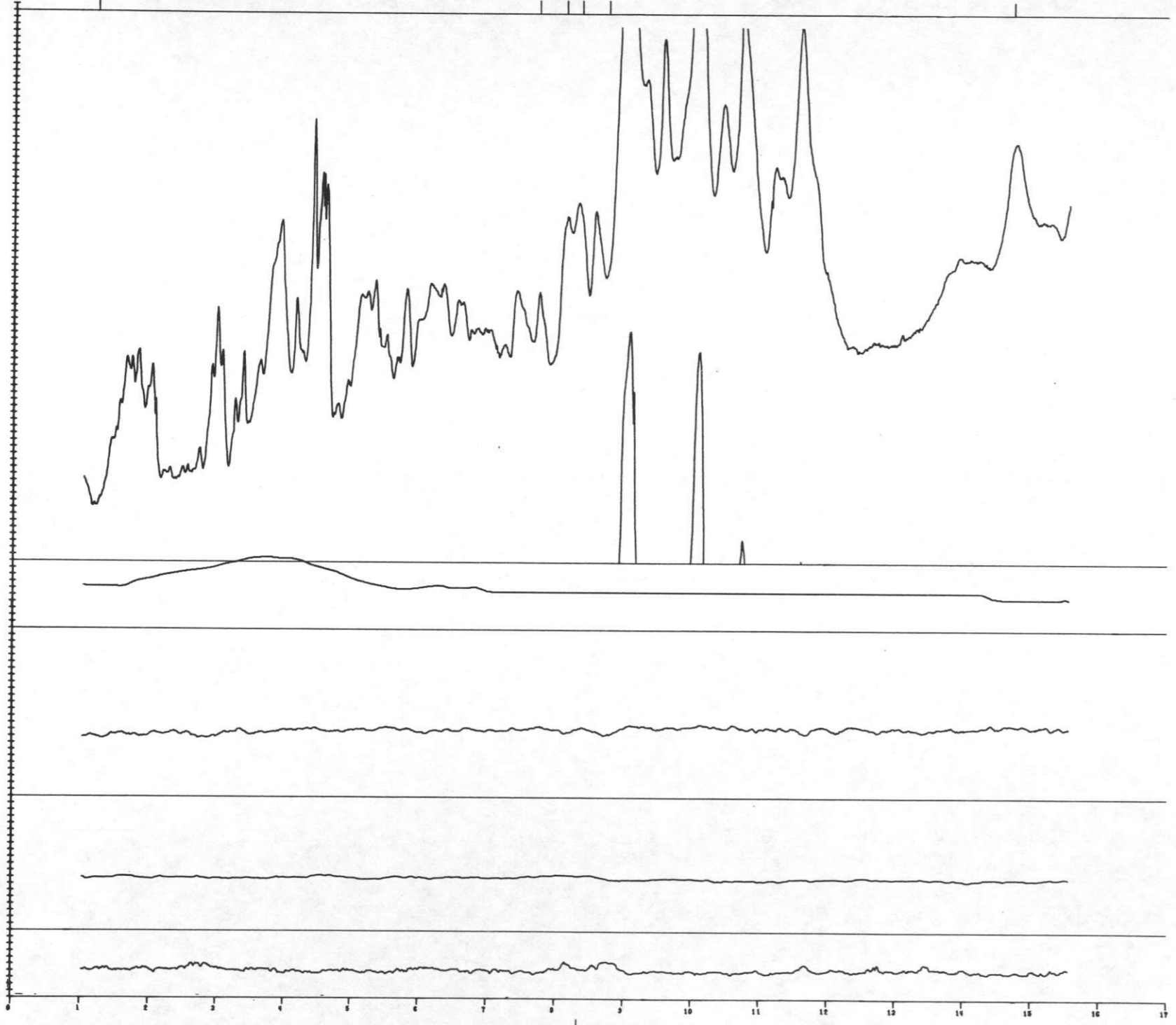
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BP
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BASE = 725

TEMP
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BASE = 20

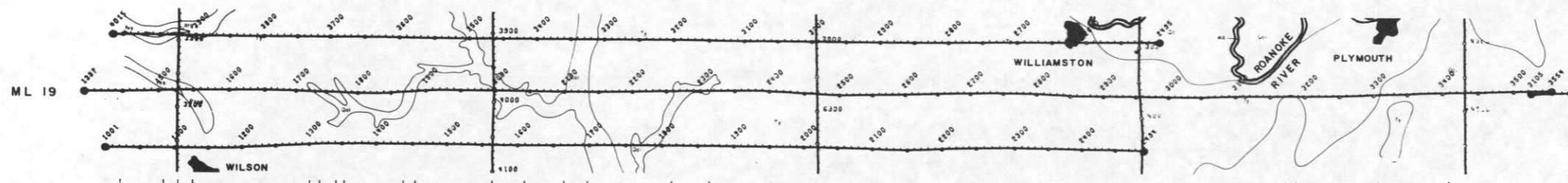
ALT
100 FT/DIV



ML 18 ROCKY MOUNT

LONG 77.500





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BI/K
.75 /DIV

BI/TL
.07 /DIV

GC
250 C/S/DIV

RMAG
100 GAMMAS/DIV
BASE = -1000

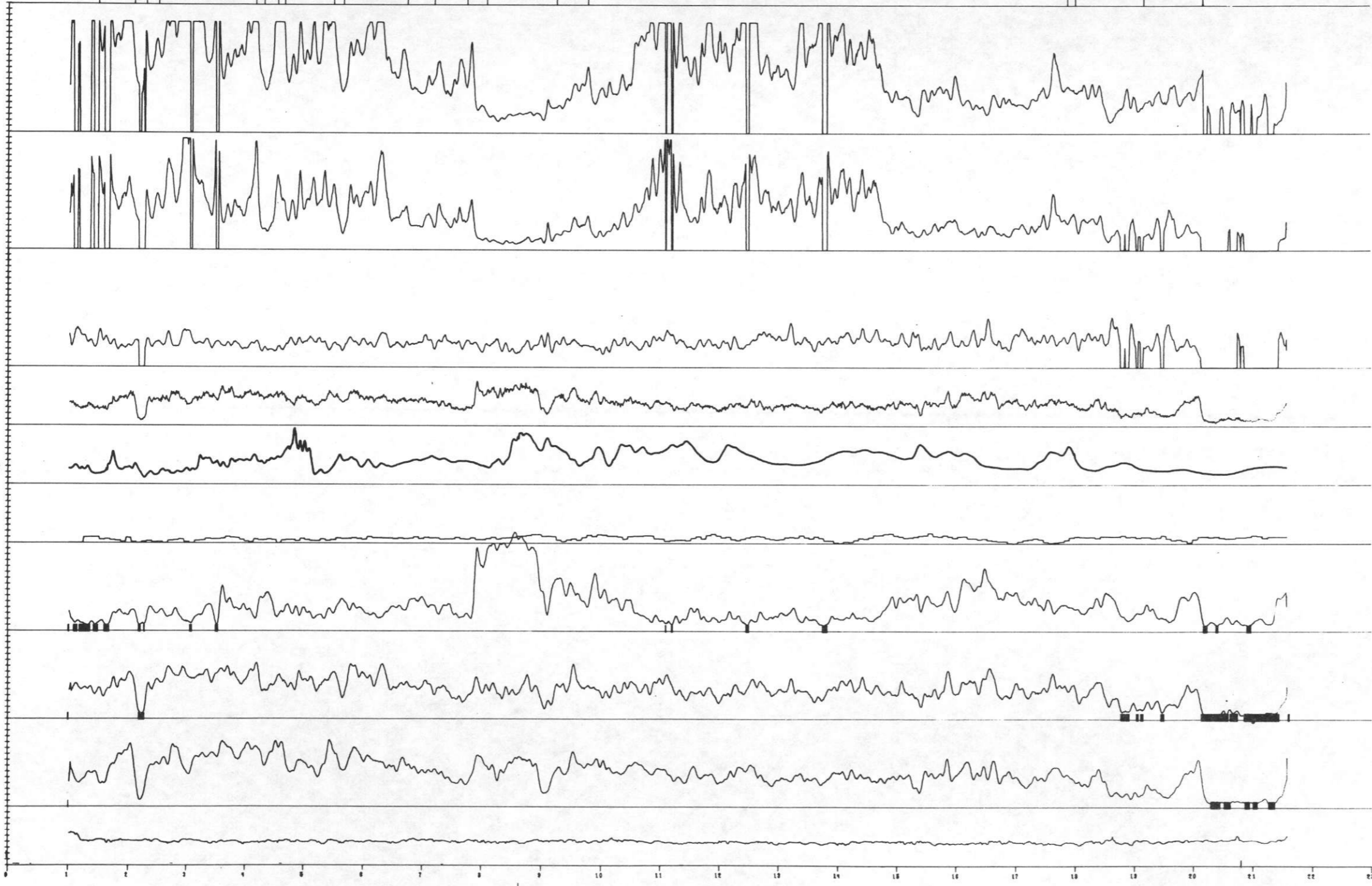
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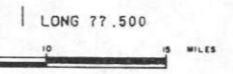
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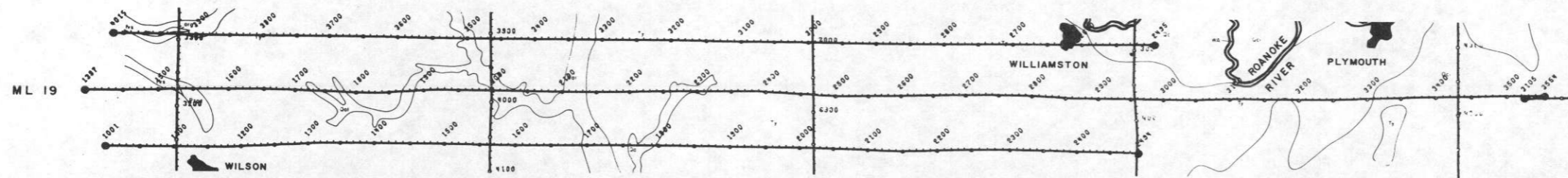
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ALT
100 FT/DIV



ML 19W ROCKY MOUNT





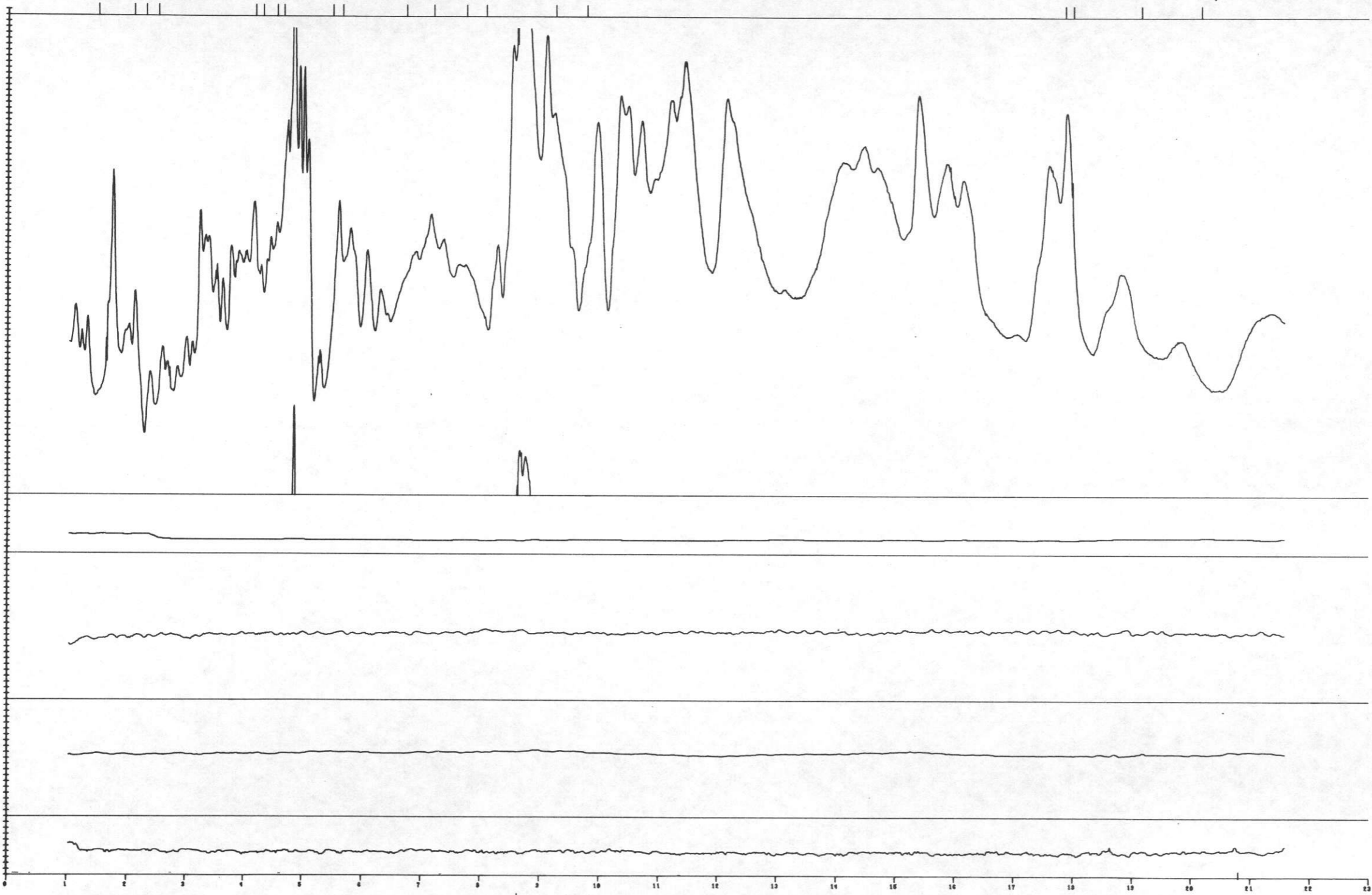
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BP
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BASE = 725

TEMP
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BASE = 20

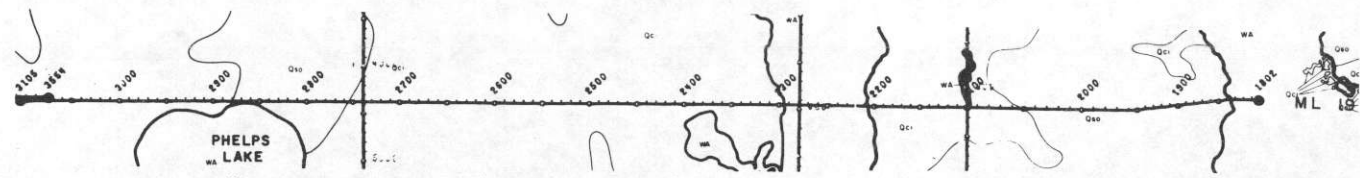
ALT
100 FT/DIV



ML 19W ROCKY MOUNT

LONG 77.500





TL/K
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BI/K
.75 /DIV

BI/TL
.07 /DIV

GC
250 C/S/DIV

RMAG
100 GAMMAS/DIV
BASE = -1000

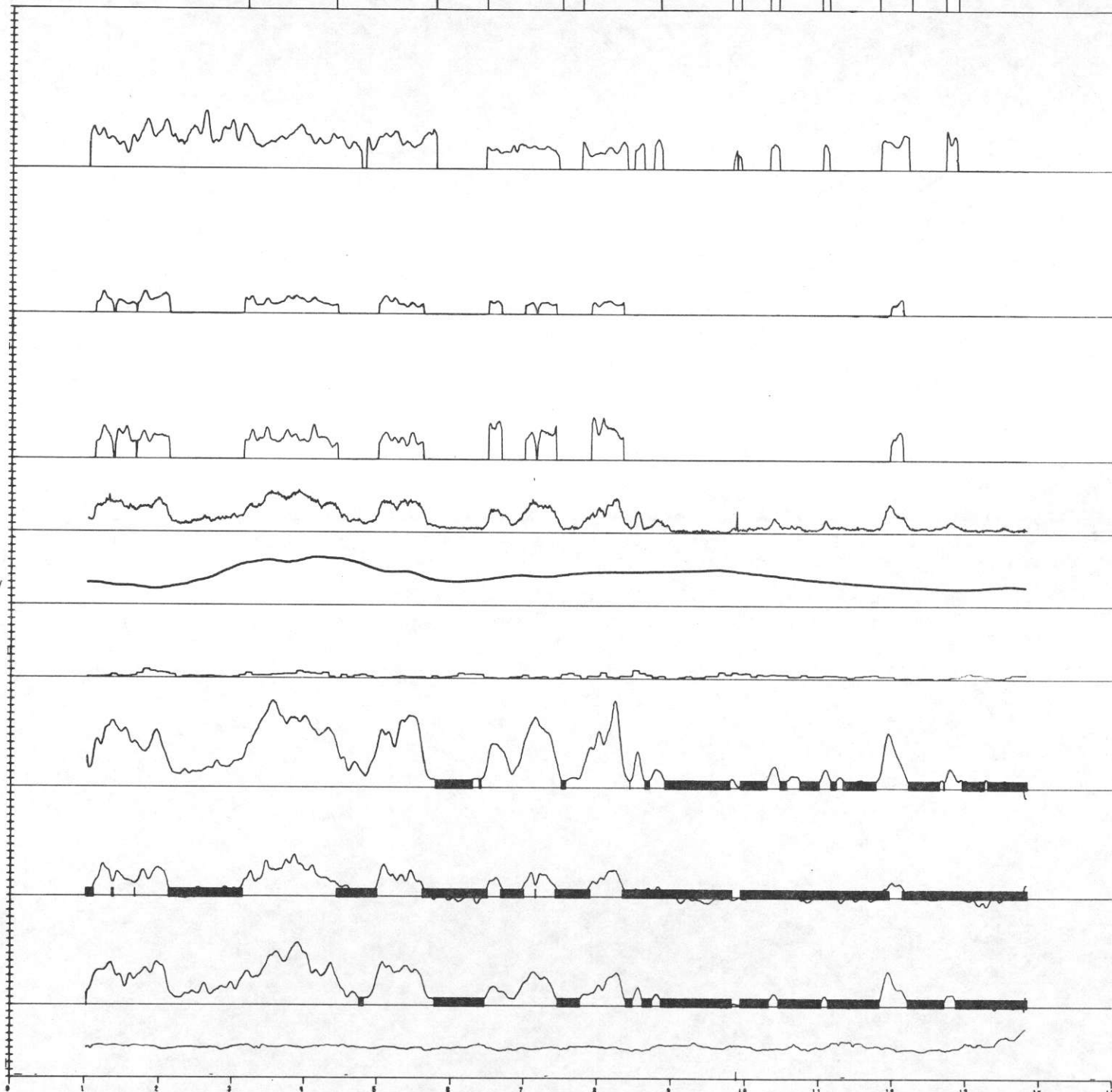
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K
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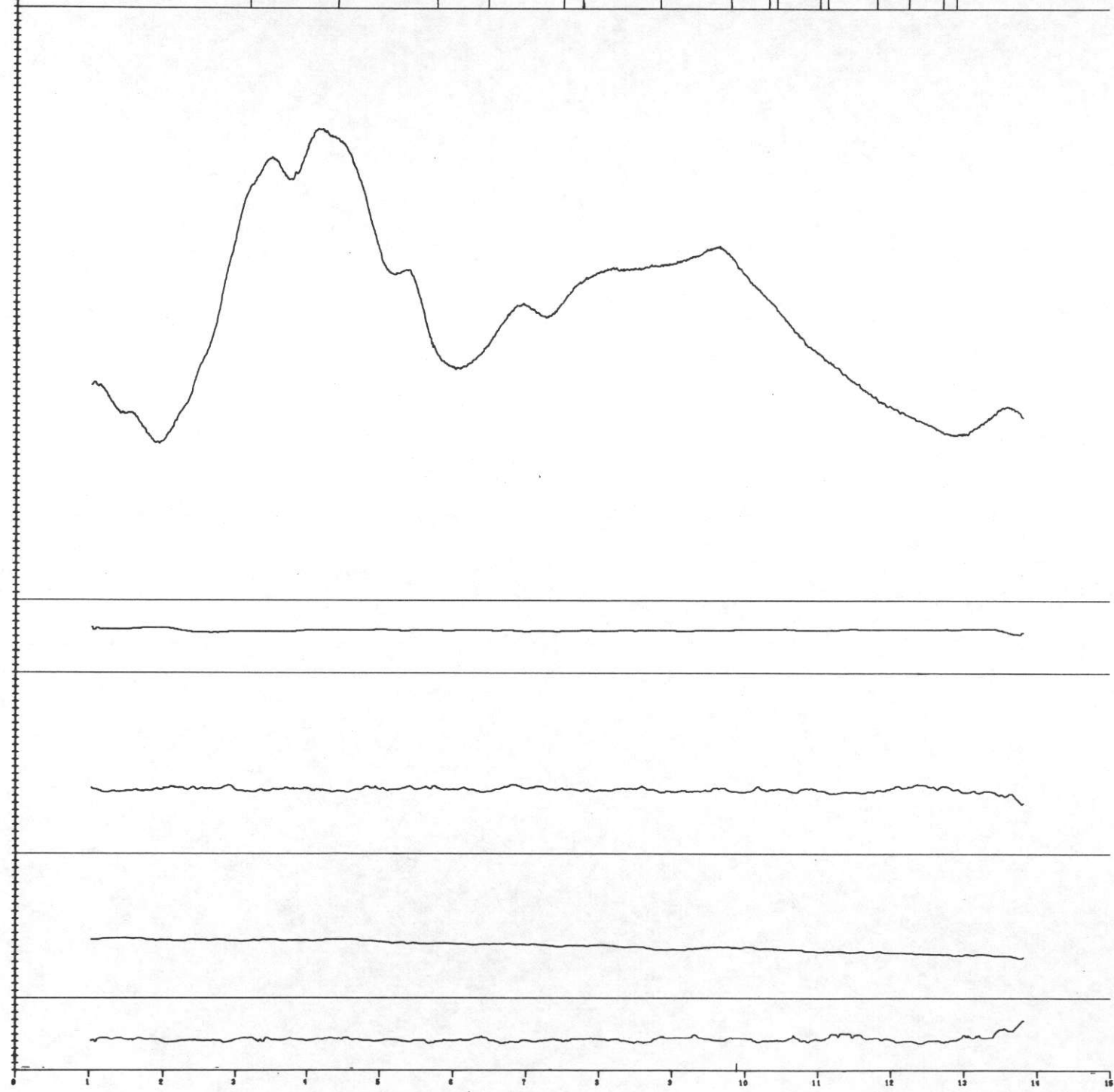
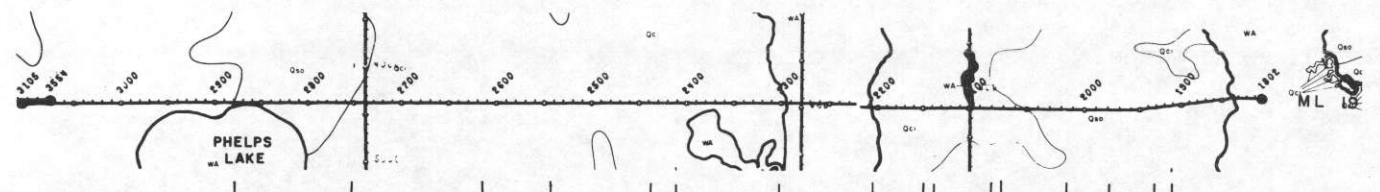
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ML 19E ROCKY MOUNT

LONG 76.250





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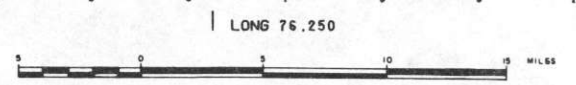
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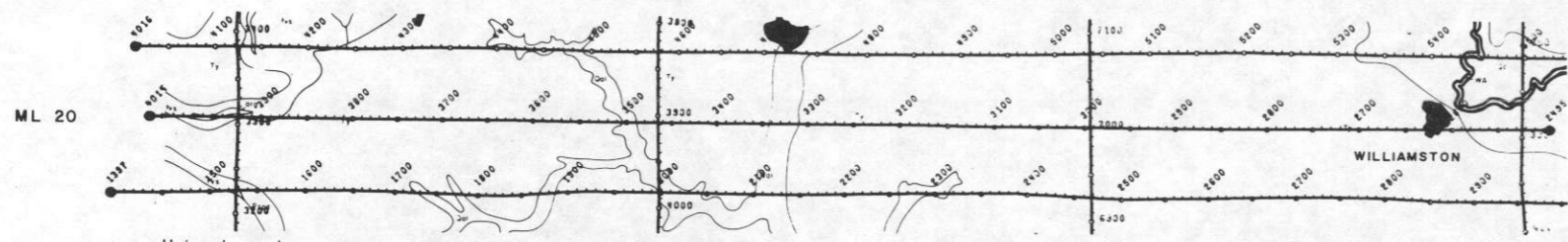
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TEMP
1 DEG C/DIV
BASE = 20

ALT
100 FT/DIV

ML 19E ROCKY MOUNT





TL/K
1.5 /DIV

BI/K
.75 /DIV

BI/TL
.07 /DIV

GC
250 C/S/DIV

RMAG
100 GAMMAS/DIV
BASE = -1000

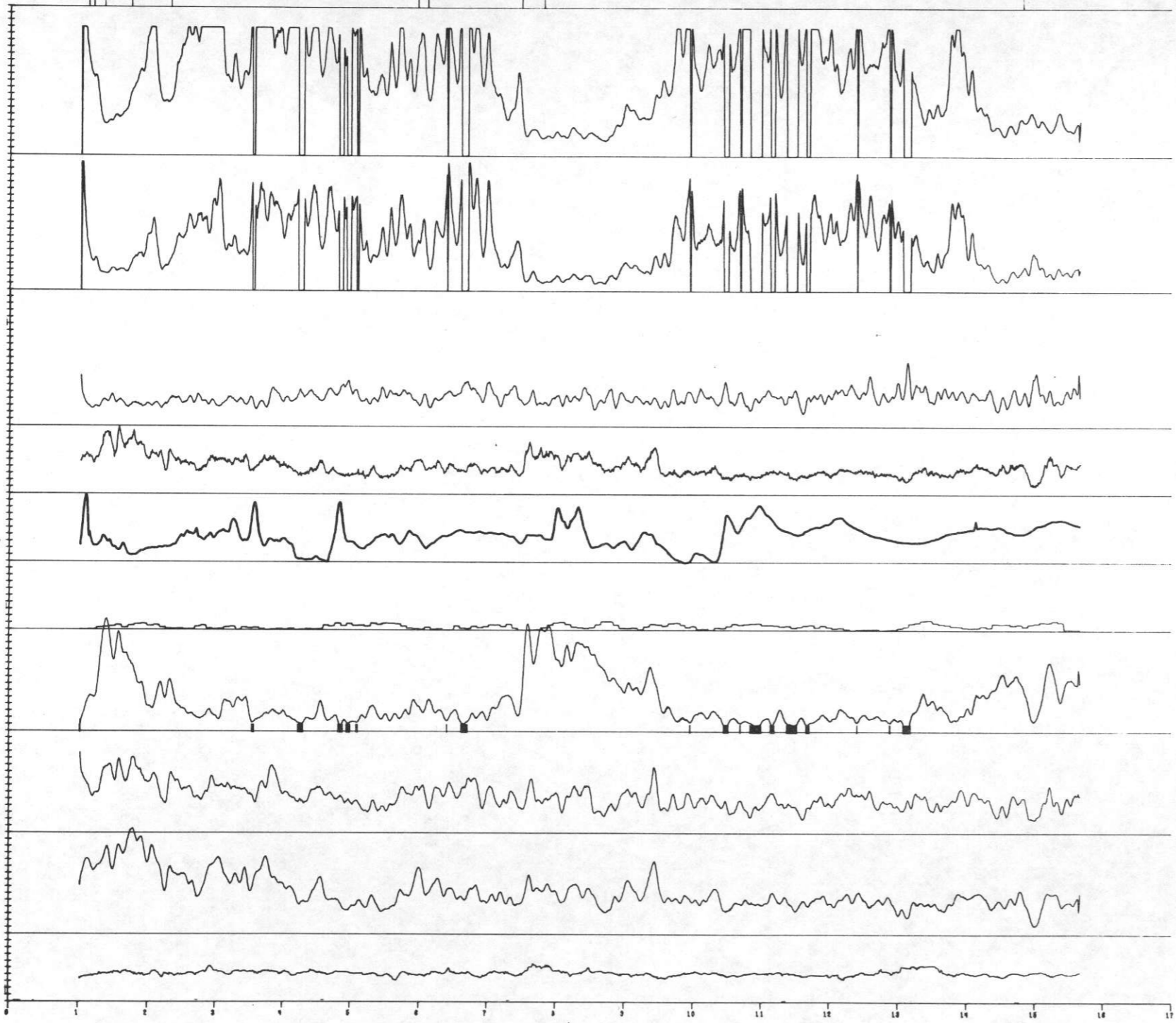
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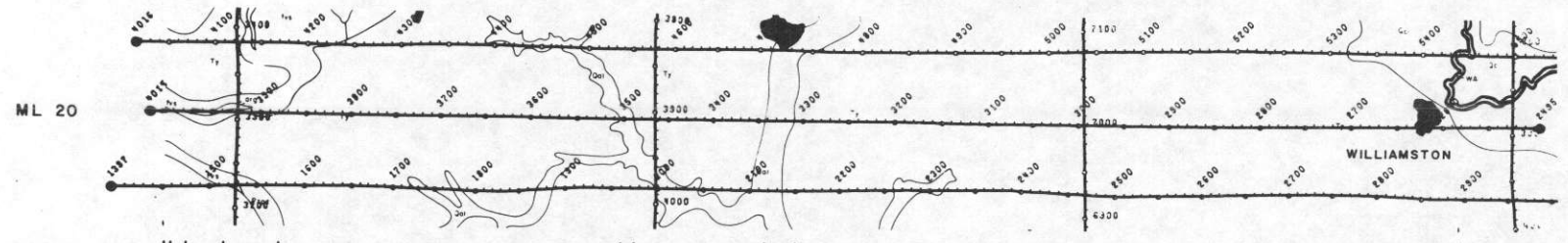
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ML 20 ROCKY MOUNT

LONG 77.500





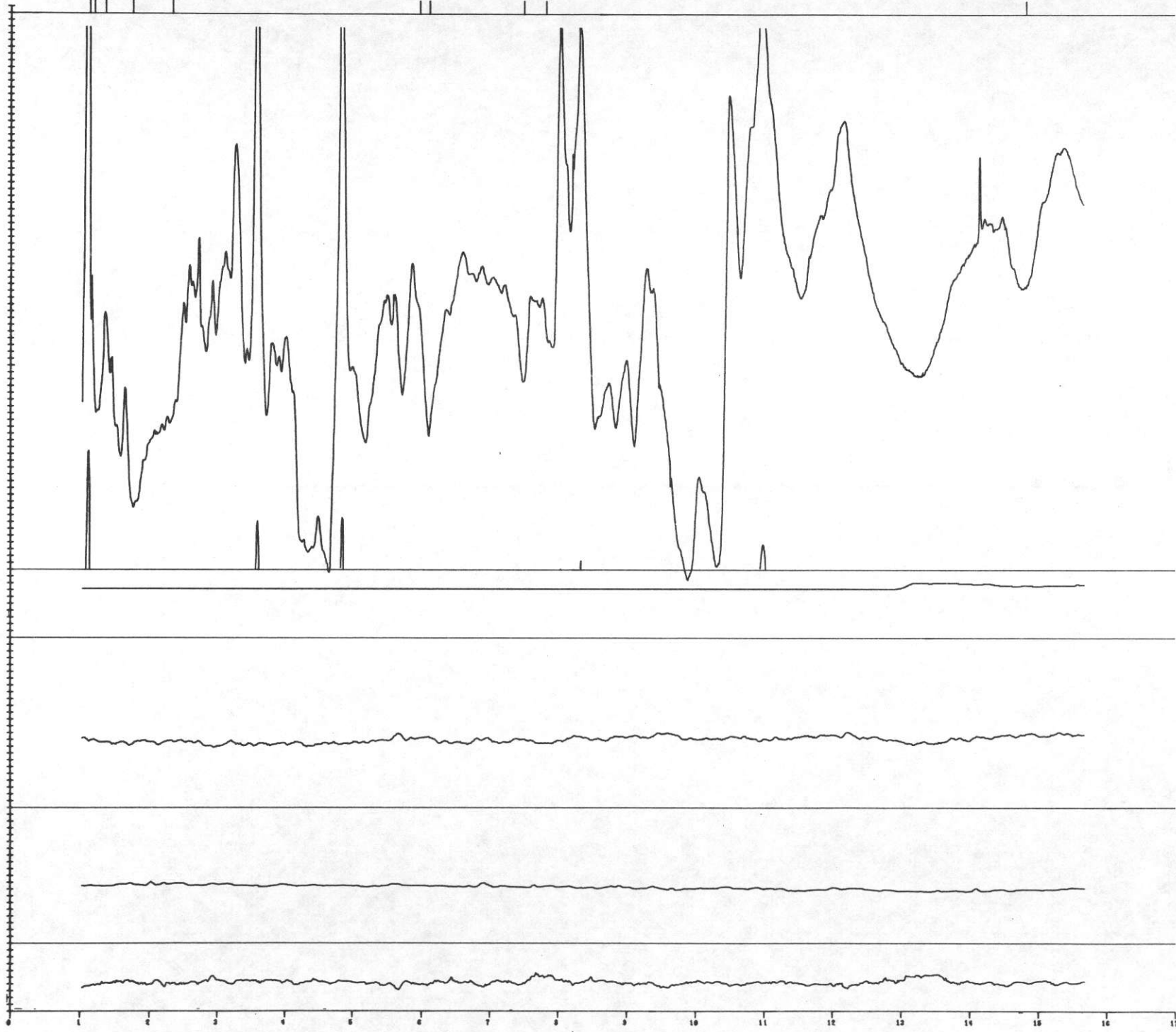
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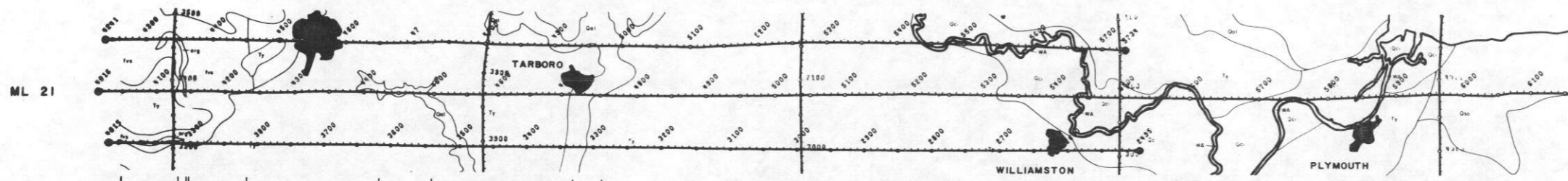
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ML 20 ROCKY MOUNT

LONG 77.500





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BI/TL
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GC
250 C/S/DIV

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100 GAMMAS/DIV
BASE = -1000

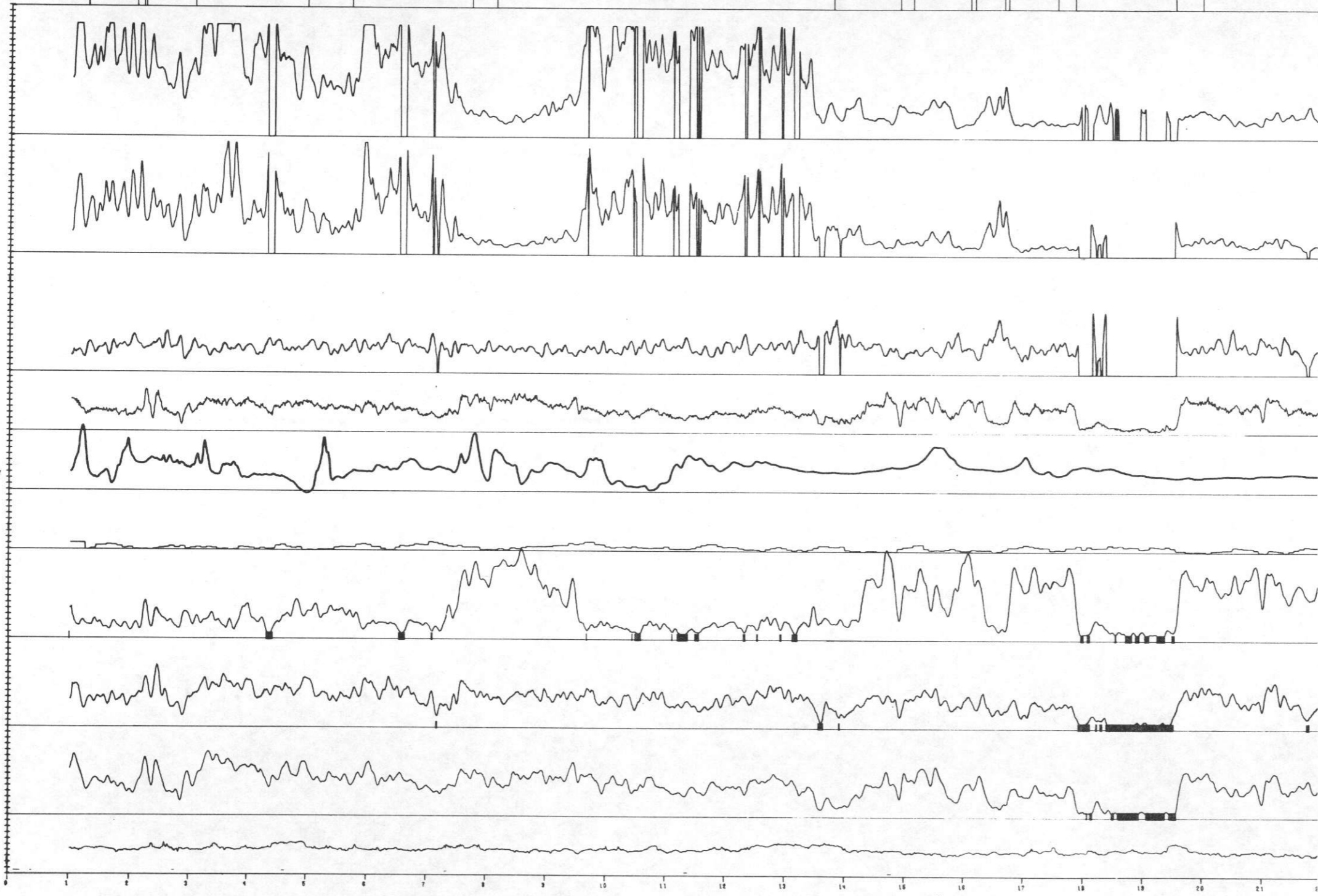
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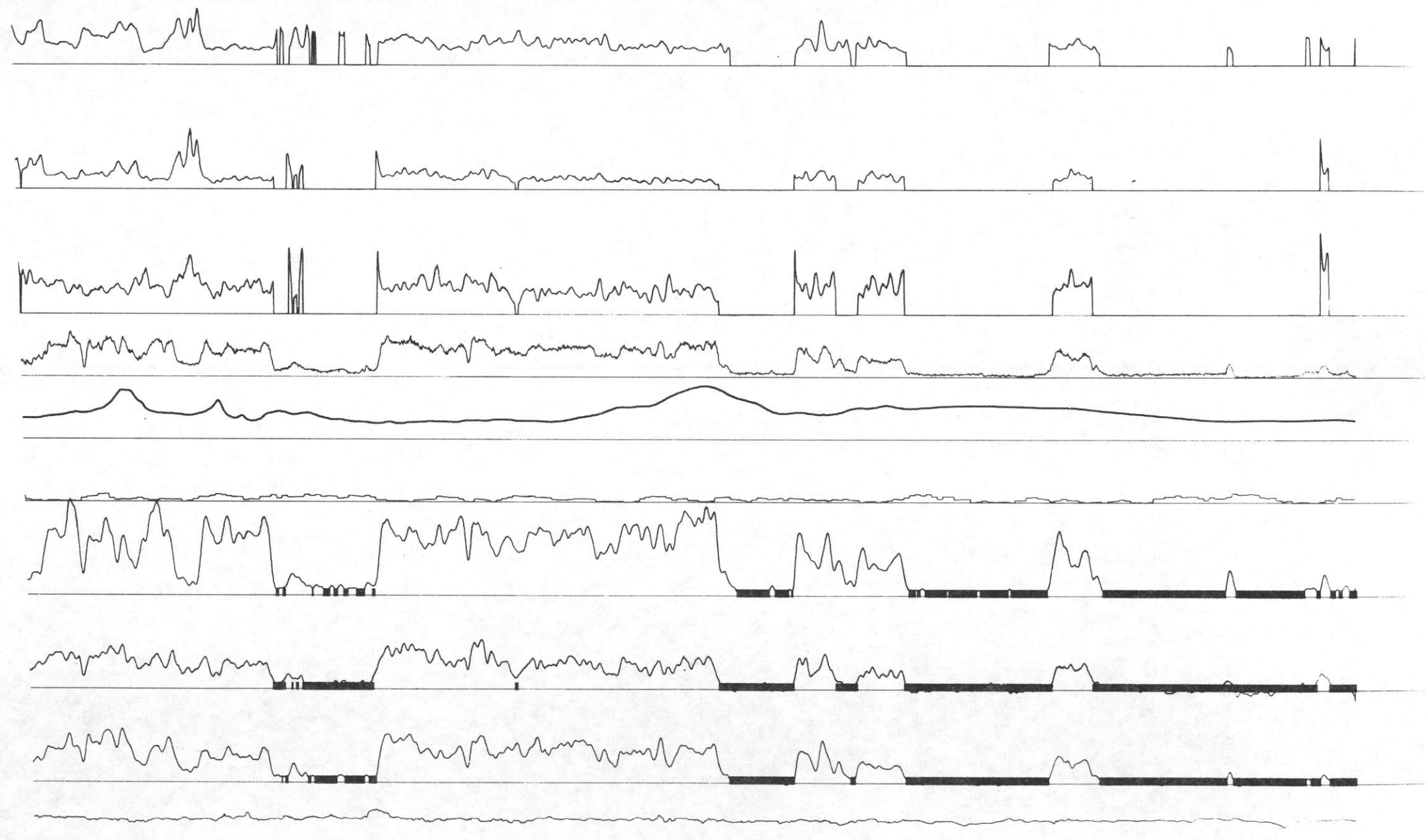
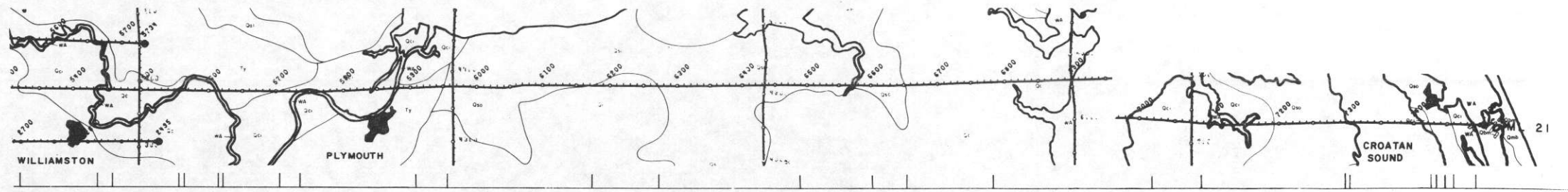
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ML 21 ROCKY MOUNT

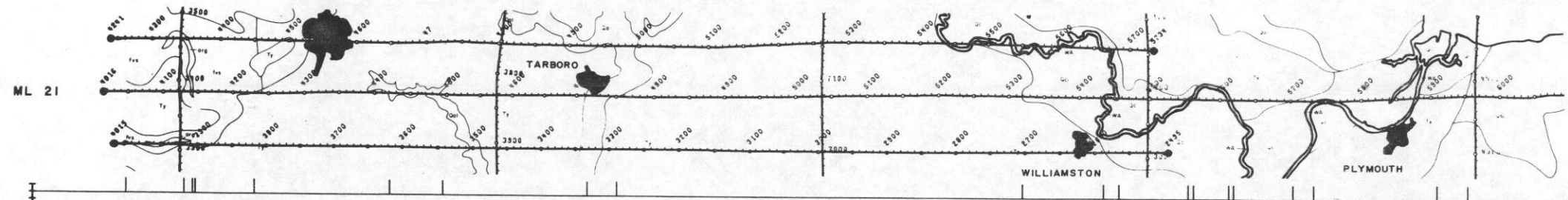


LONG 77.000



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LONG 77.000



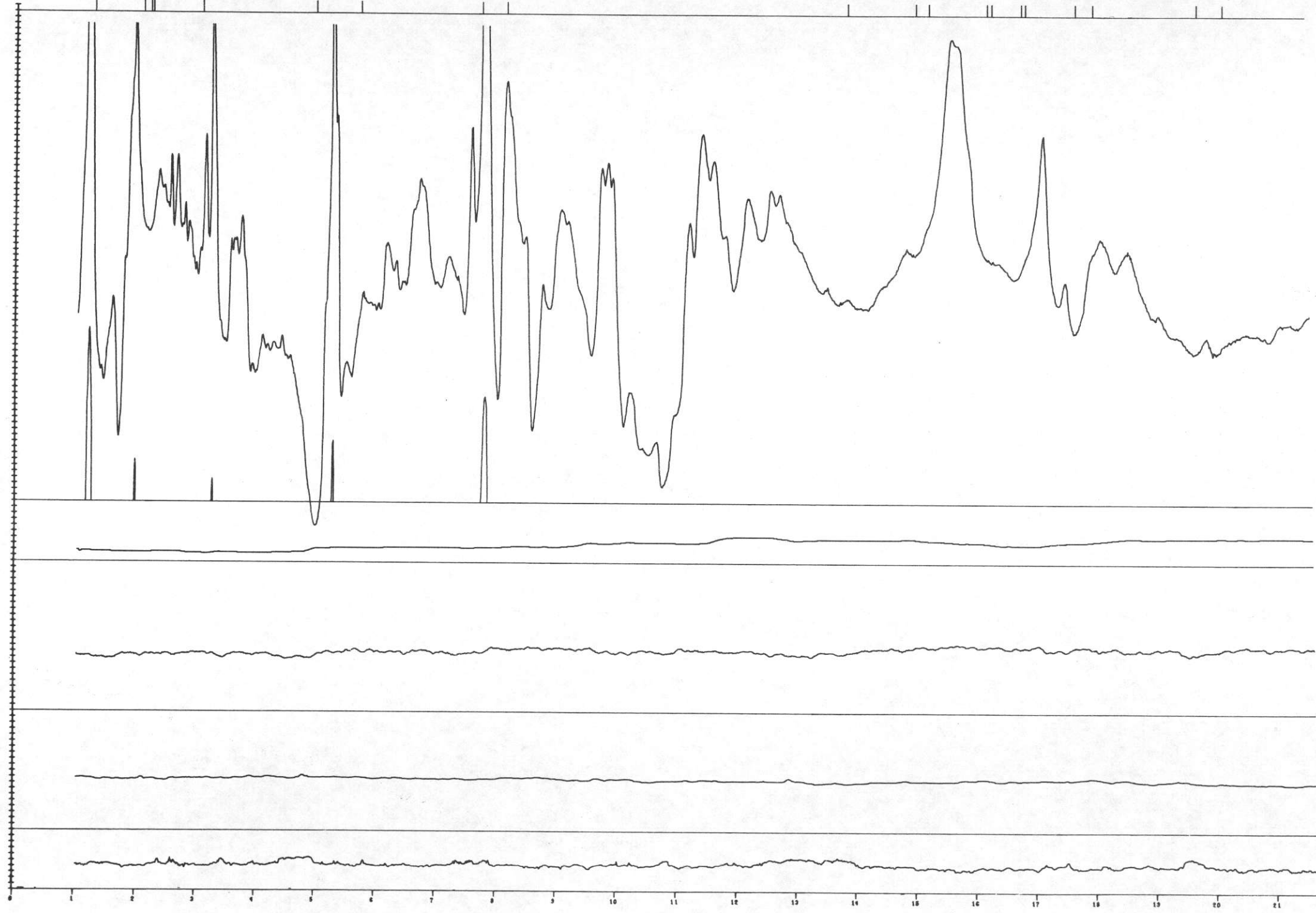
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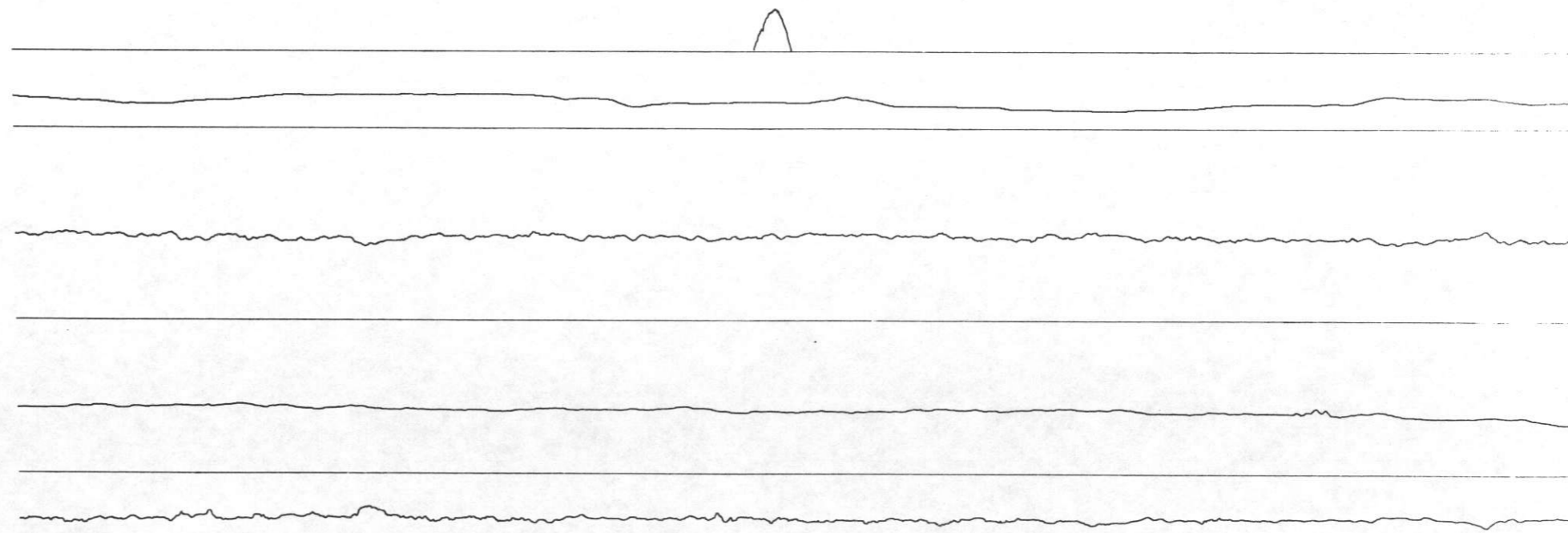
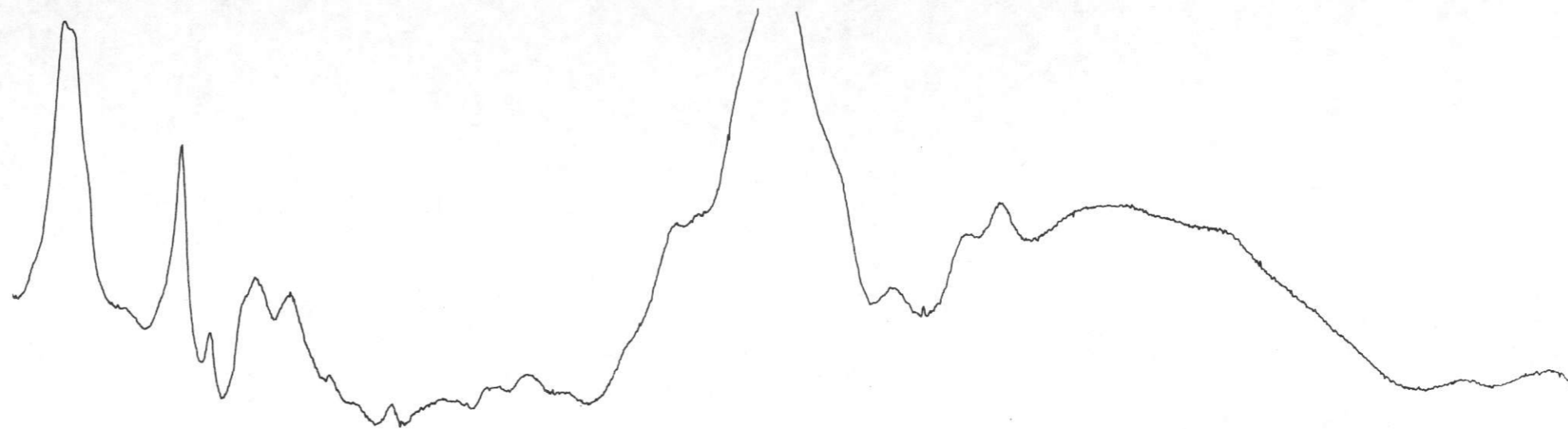
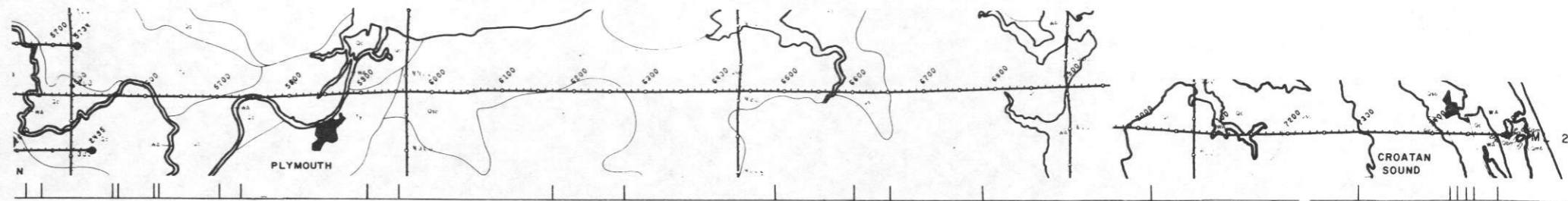
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100 FT/DIV



ML 21 ROCKY MOUNT

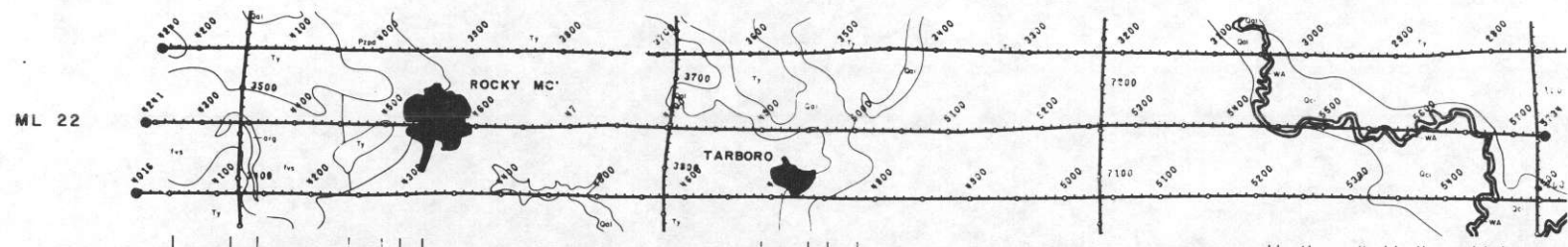


LONG 77.000



LONG 77.000

16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36



TL/K
1.5 /DIV

BI/K
.75 /DIV

BI/TL
.07 /DIV

GC
250 C/S/DIV

RMAG
100 GAMMAS/DIV
BASE = -1000

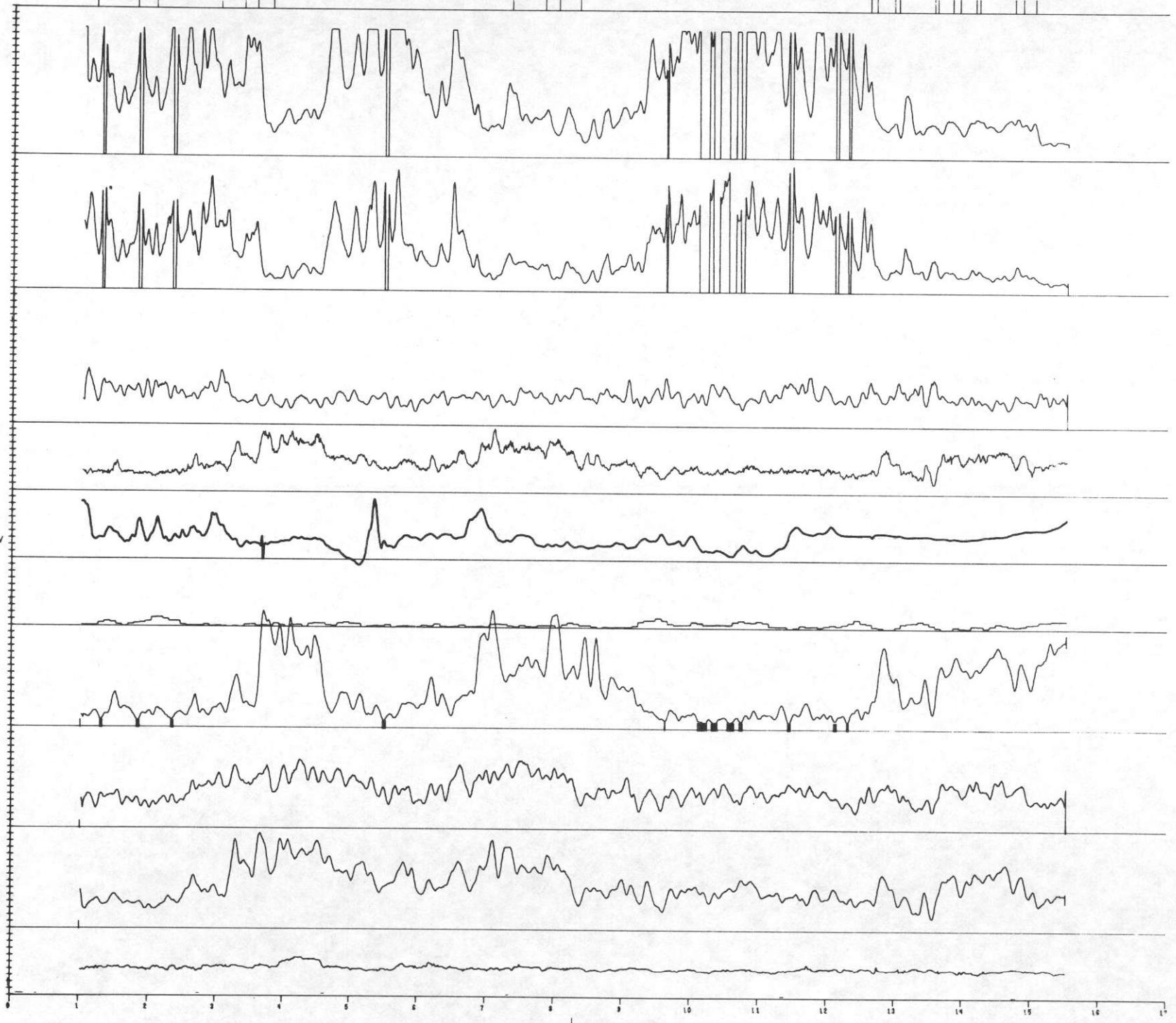
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TL
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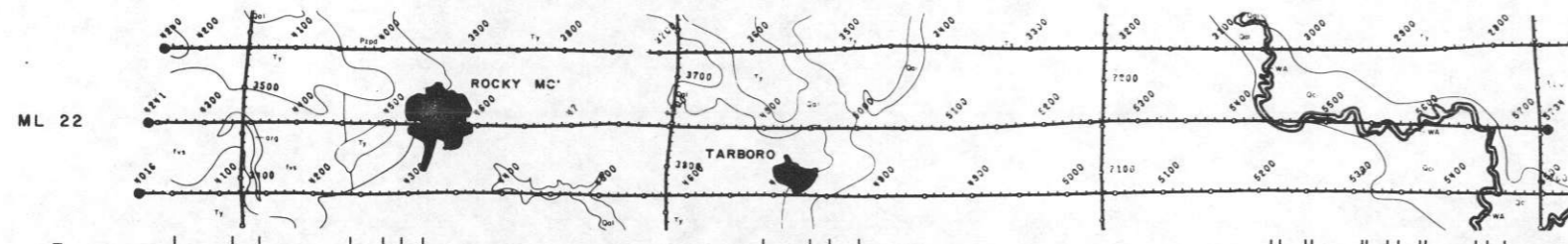
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ML 22 ROCKY MOUNT

LONG 77.500





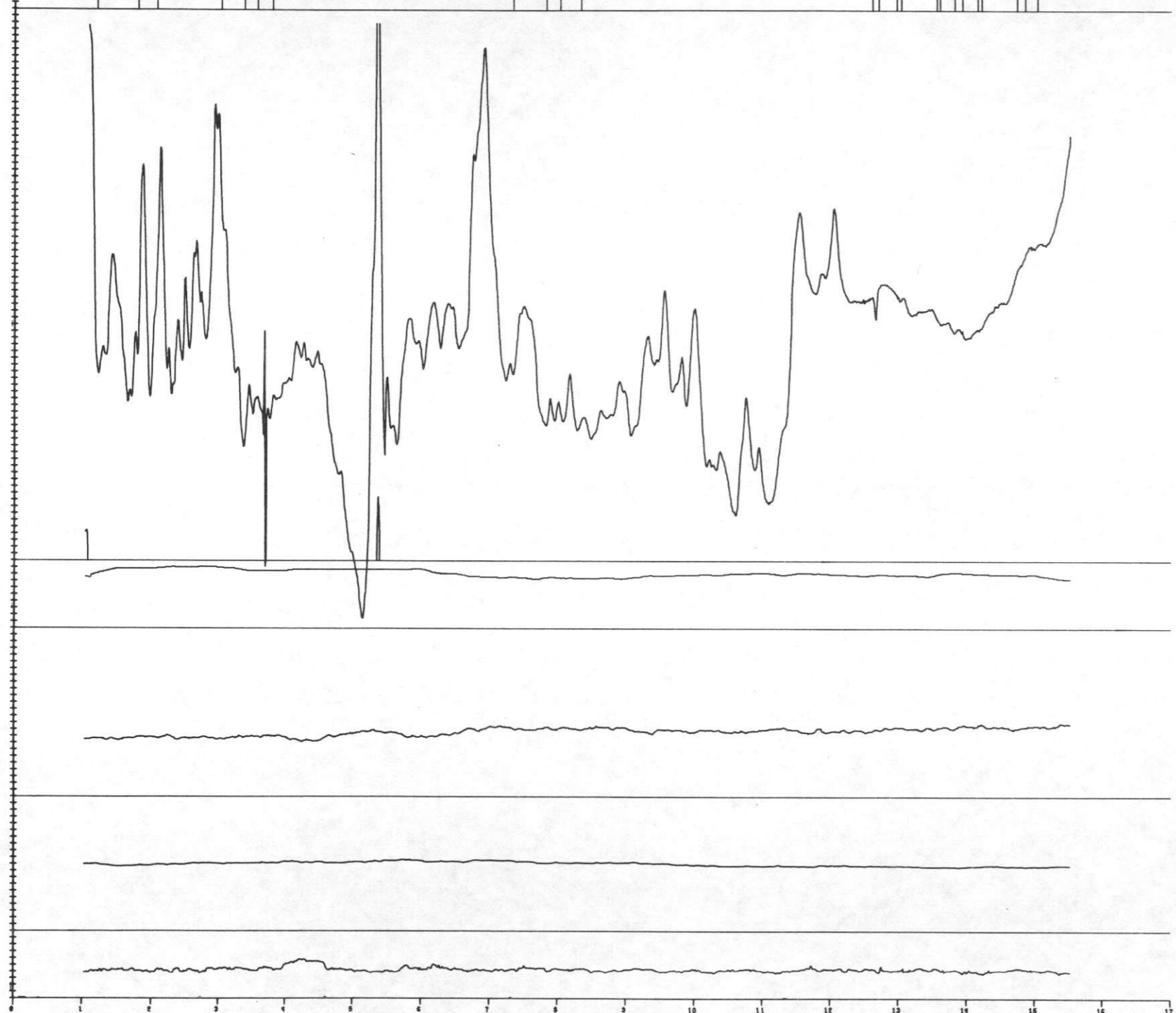
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BMAG
10 GAMMA/DIV
BASE = 53025

BP
3 MM HG/DIV
BASE = 725

TEMP
1 DEG C/DIV
BASE = 20

ALT
100 FT/DIV



ML 22 ROCKY MOUNT

LONG 77.500



ML 23



L/K
.5 / DIV

II/K
75 / DIV

I/TL
37 / DIV

C
50 C/S/DIV

MAG
30 GAMMAS/DIV
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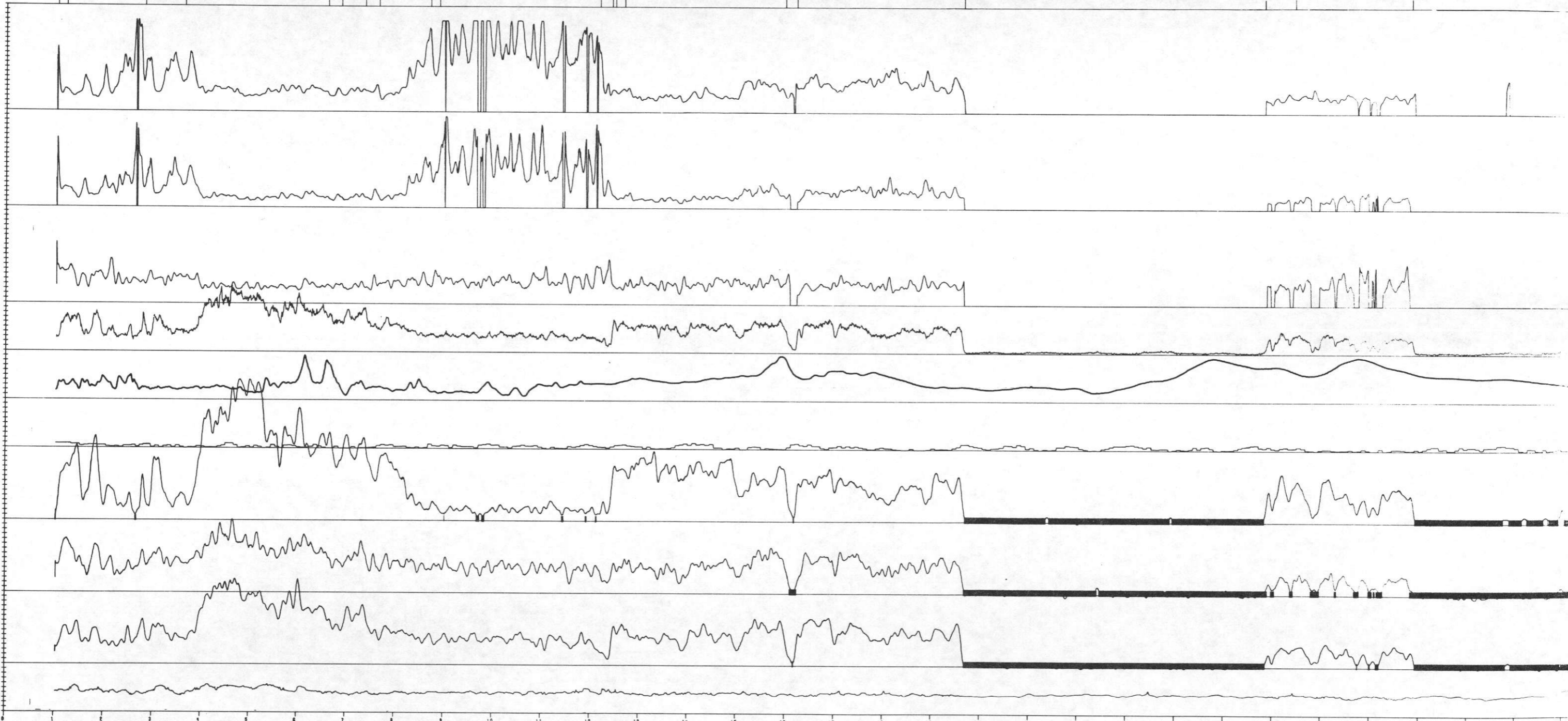
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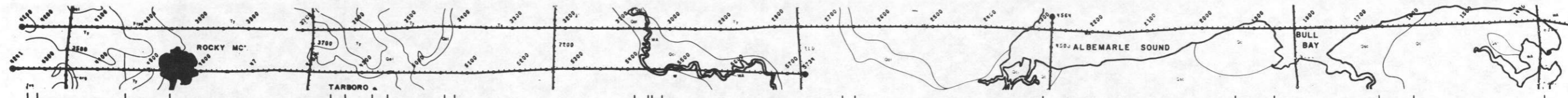


ML 23 ROCKY MOUNT



LONG 77.000

ML 23



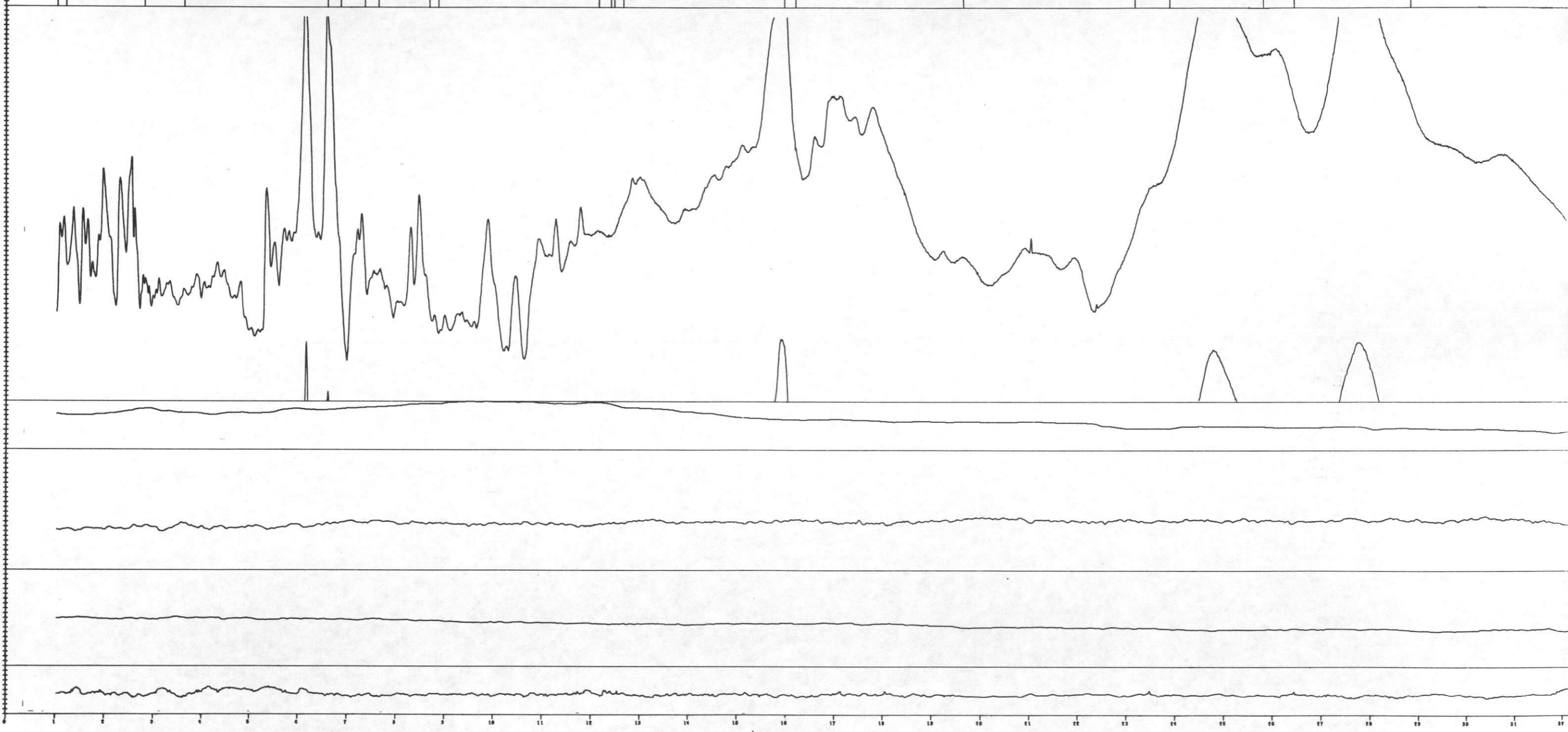
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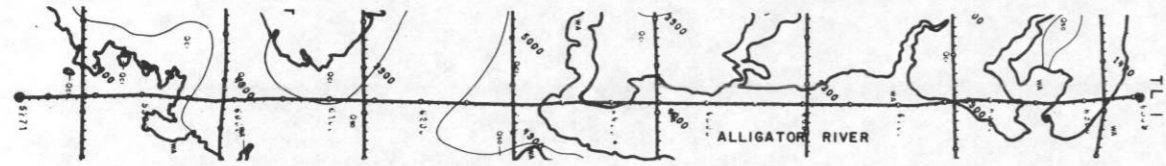


ML 23

ROCKY MOUNT



LONG 77.000



TL/K
1.5 /DIV

BI/K
.75 /DIV

BI/TL
.07 /DIV

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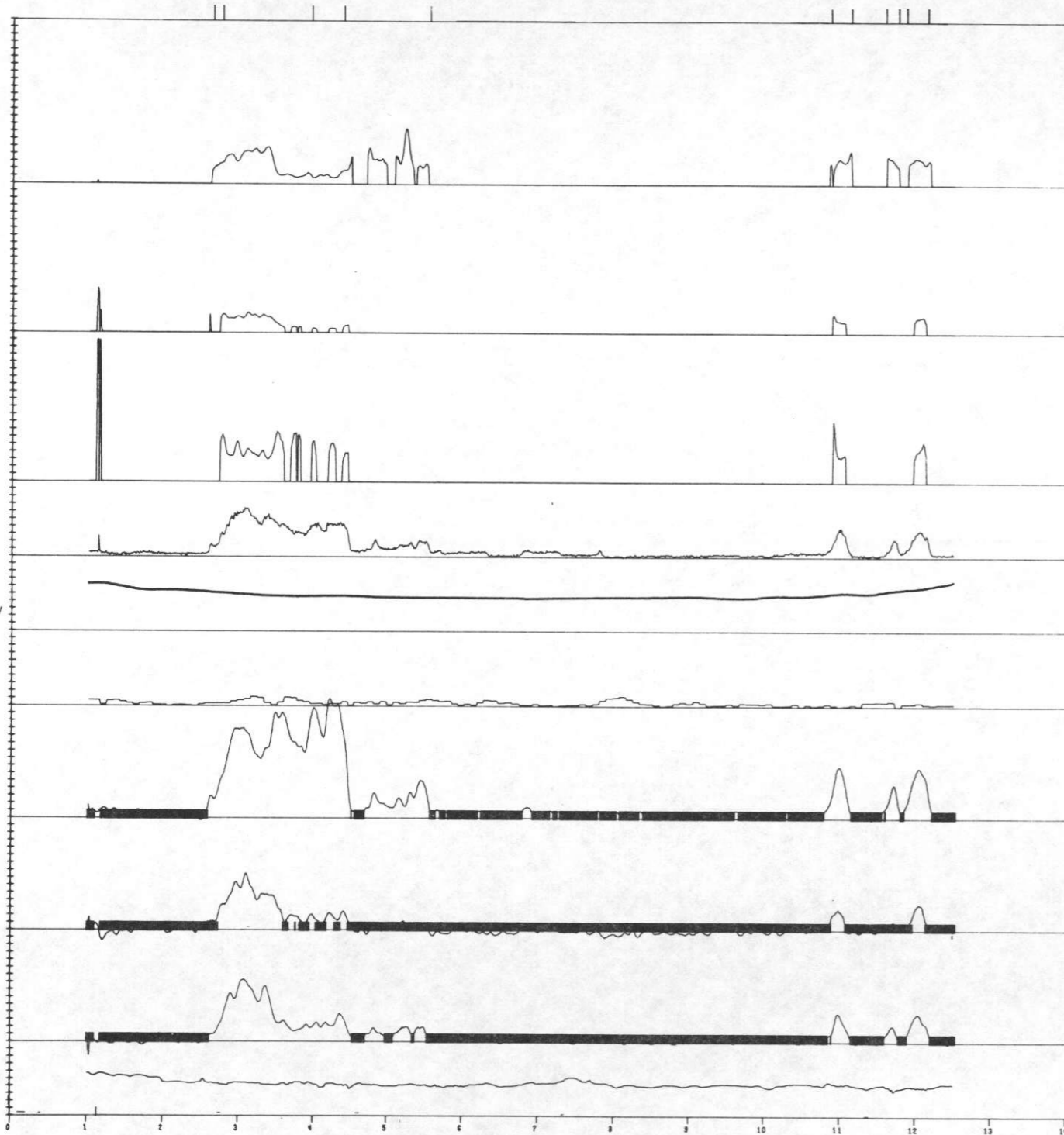
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ALT
100 FT/DIV



TL 1 ROCKY MOUNT

LAT 35.750





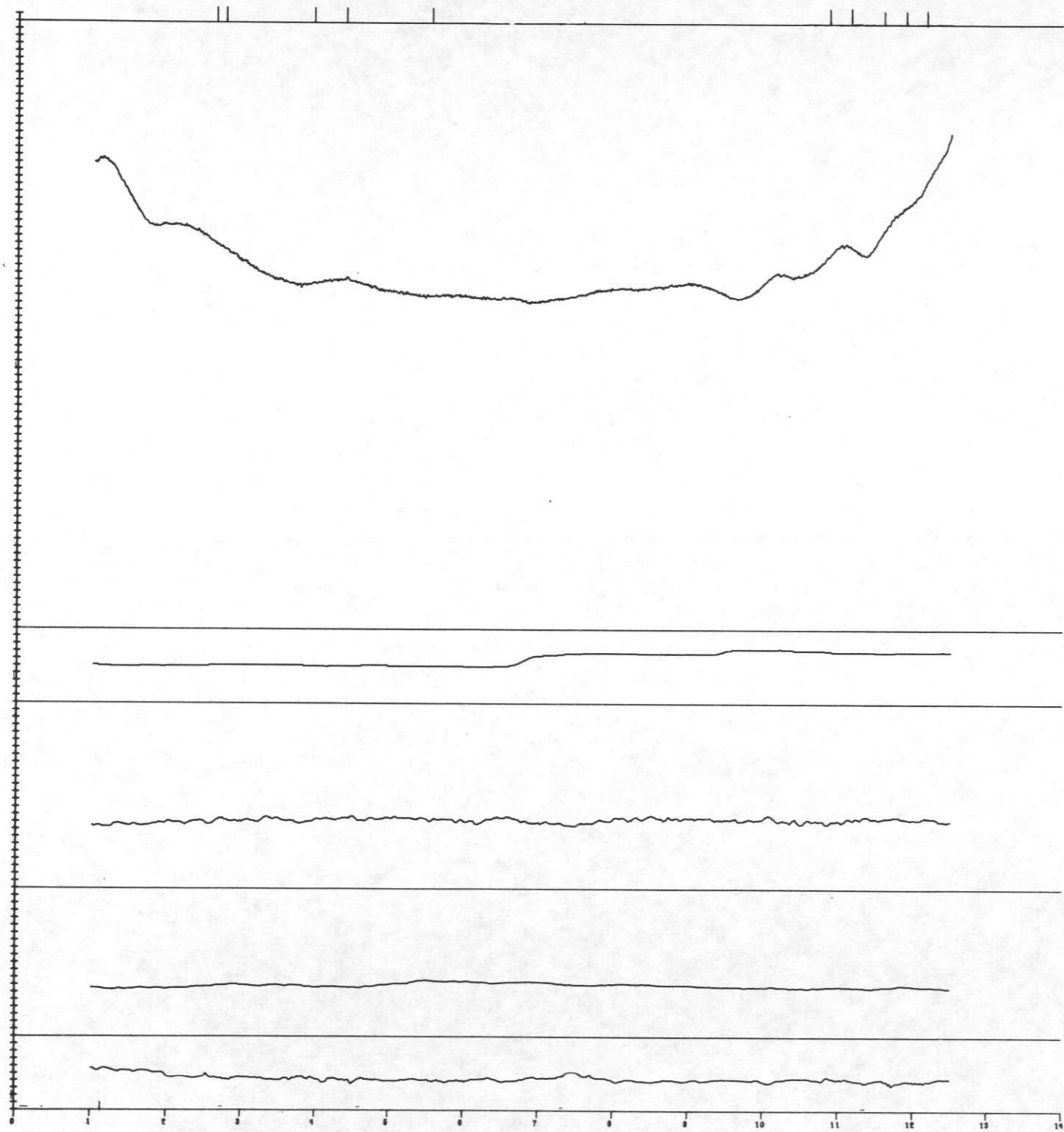
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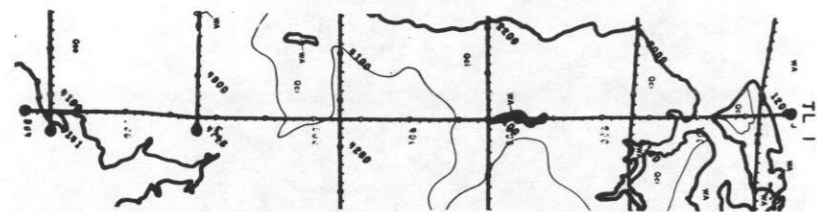
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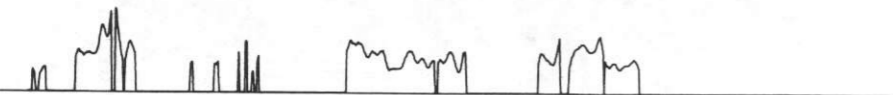
TL 1 ROCKY MOUNT

LAT 35.750





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1.5 /DIV



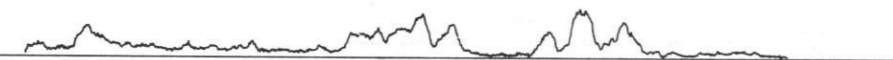
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BI/TL
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GC
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BASE = -1000



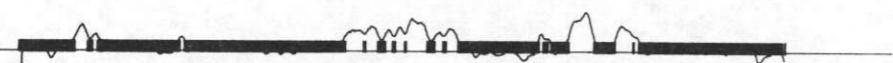
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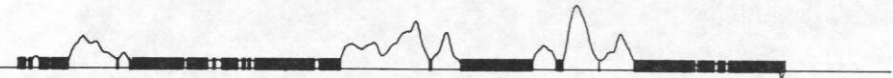
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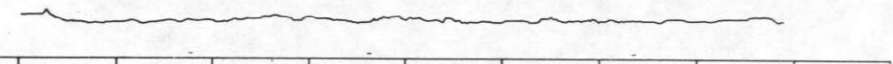
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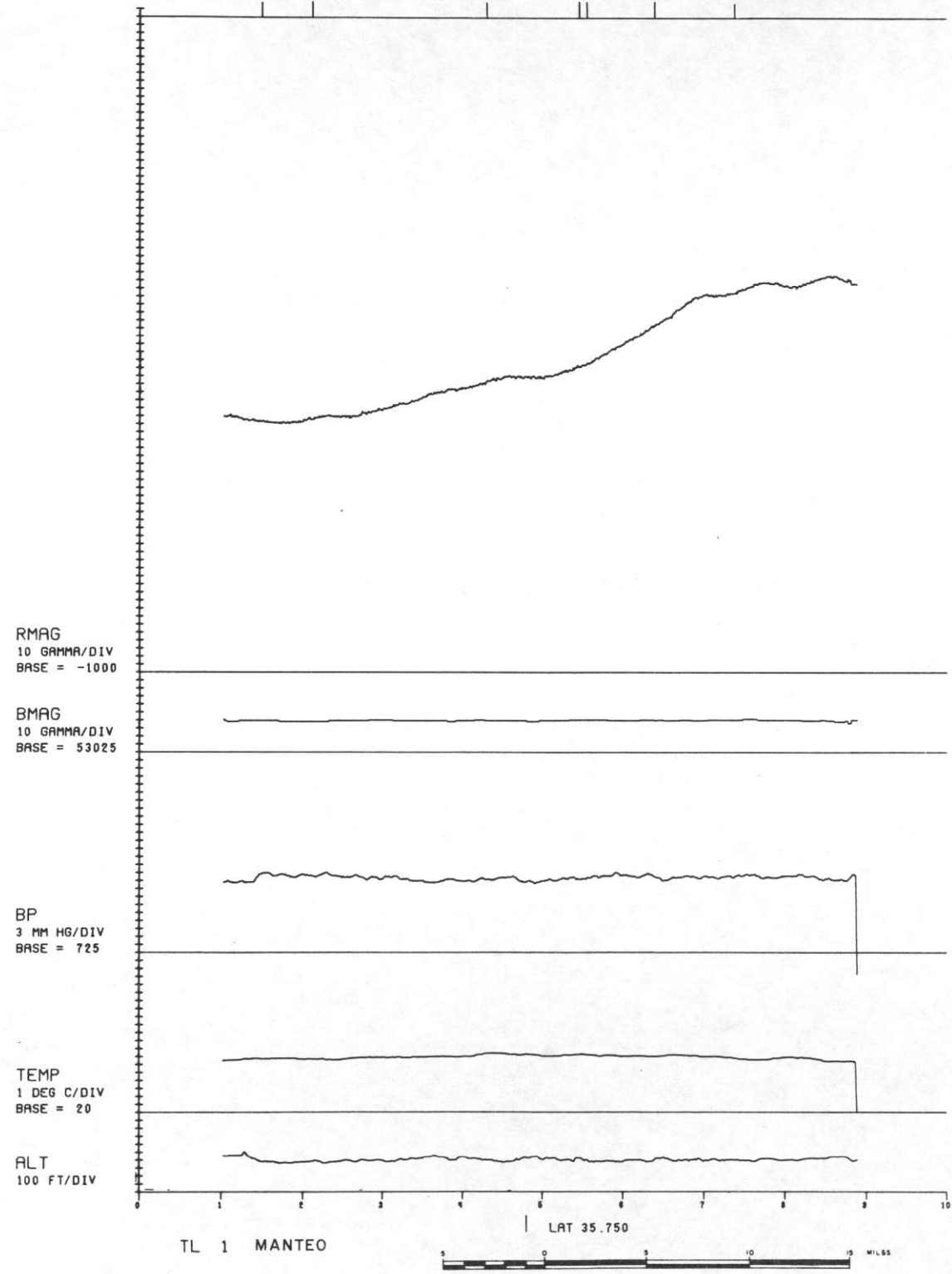
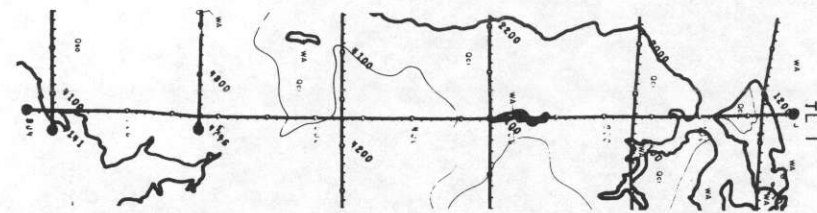


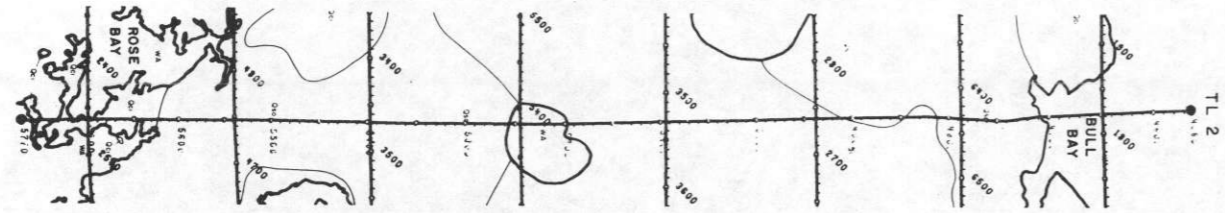
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ALT
100 FT/DIV







TL/K
1.5 /DIV

BI/K
.75 /DIV

BI, TI
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GC
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RMAG
100 GAMMAS/DIV
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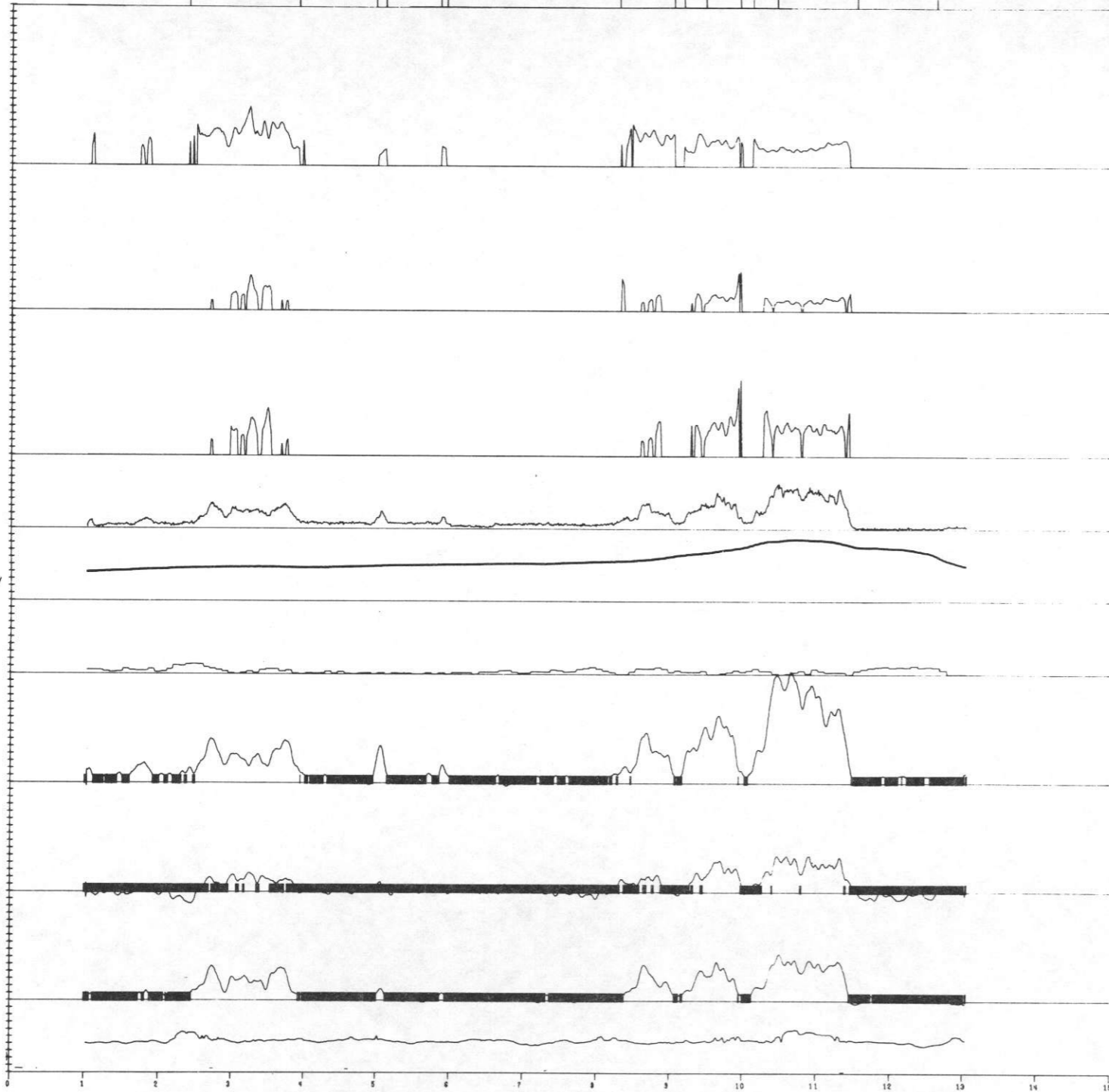
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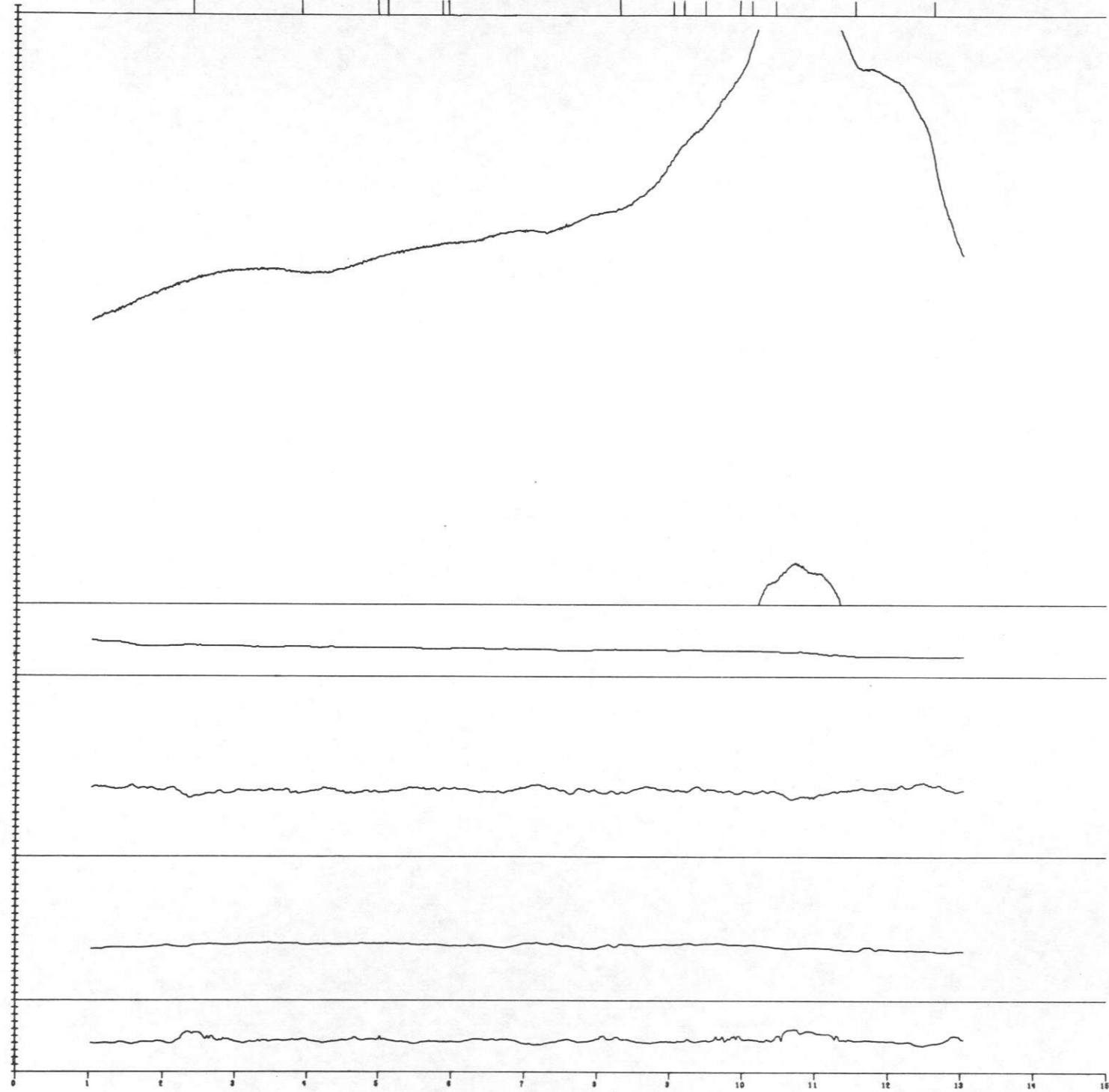
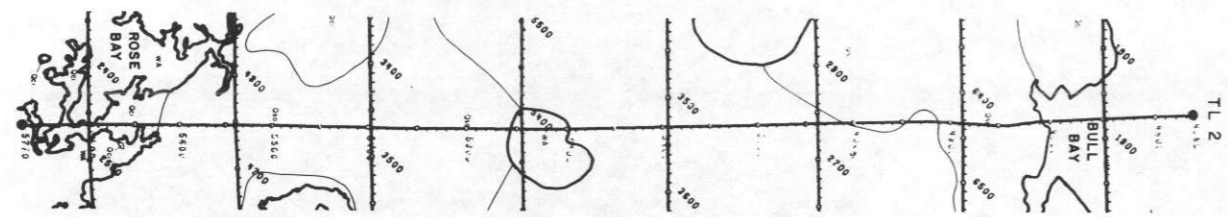
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TL 2 ROCKY MOUNT

LAT 35.750





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BMAG
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BP
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BASE = 725

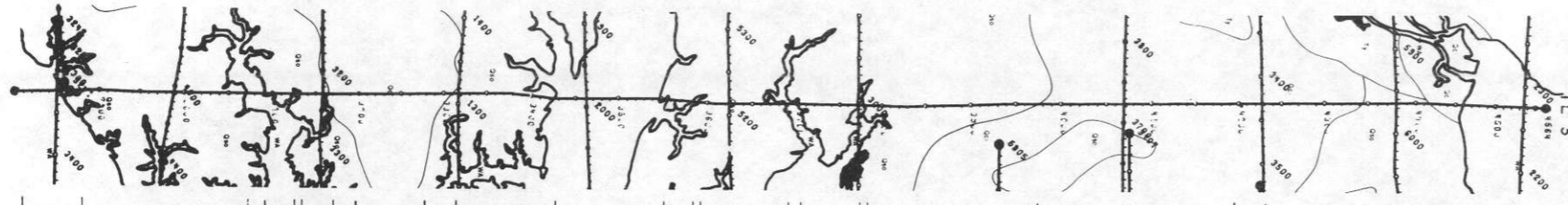
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ALT
100 FT/DIV

TL 2 ROCKY MOUNT

LAT 35.750





TL/K
1.5 /DIV

BI/K
.75 /DIV

BI/TL
.07 /DIV

GC
250 C/S/DIV

RMAG
100 GAMMAS/DIV
BASE = -1000

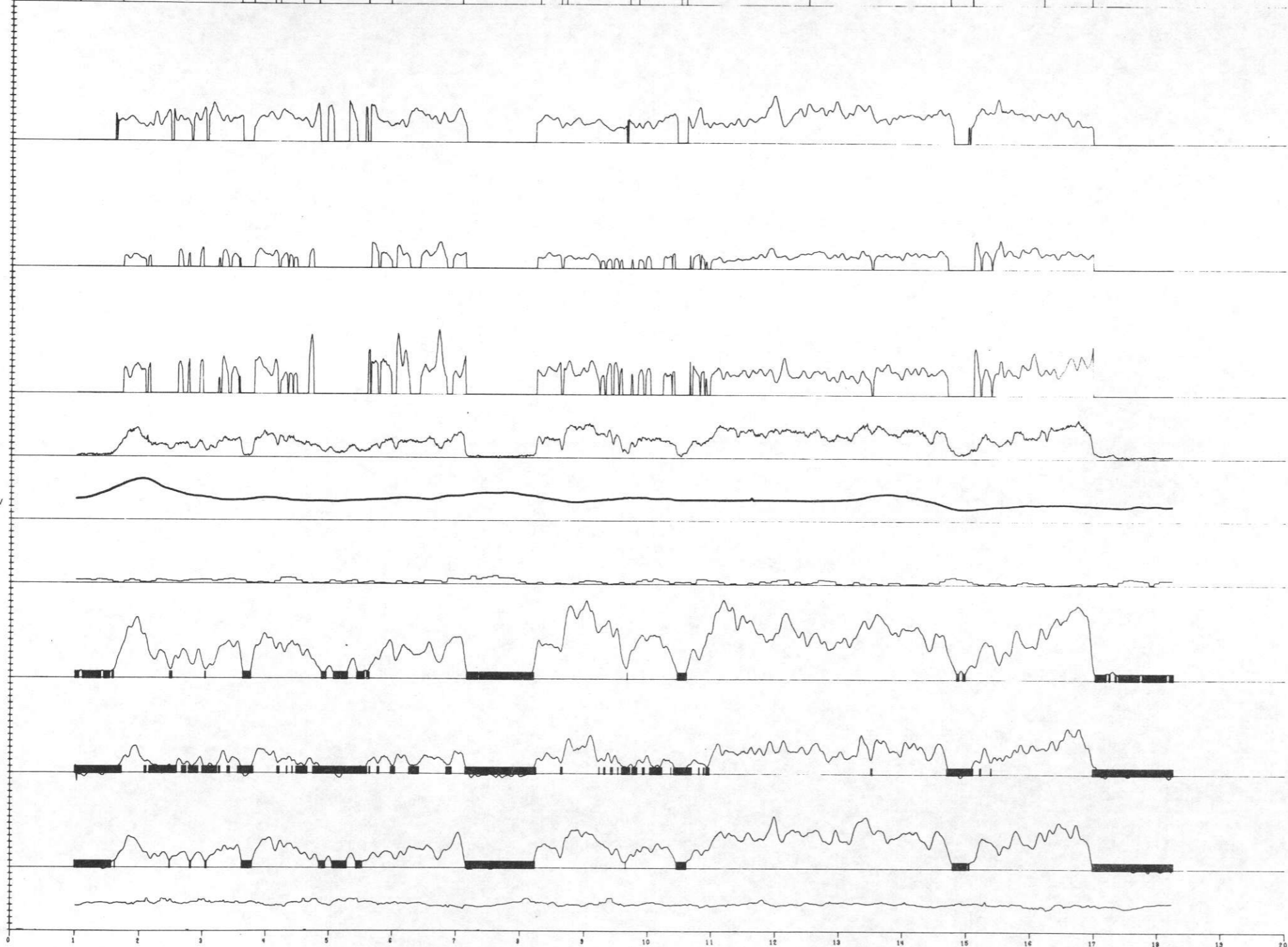
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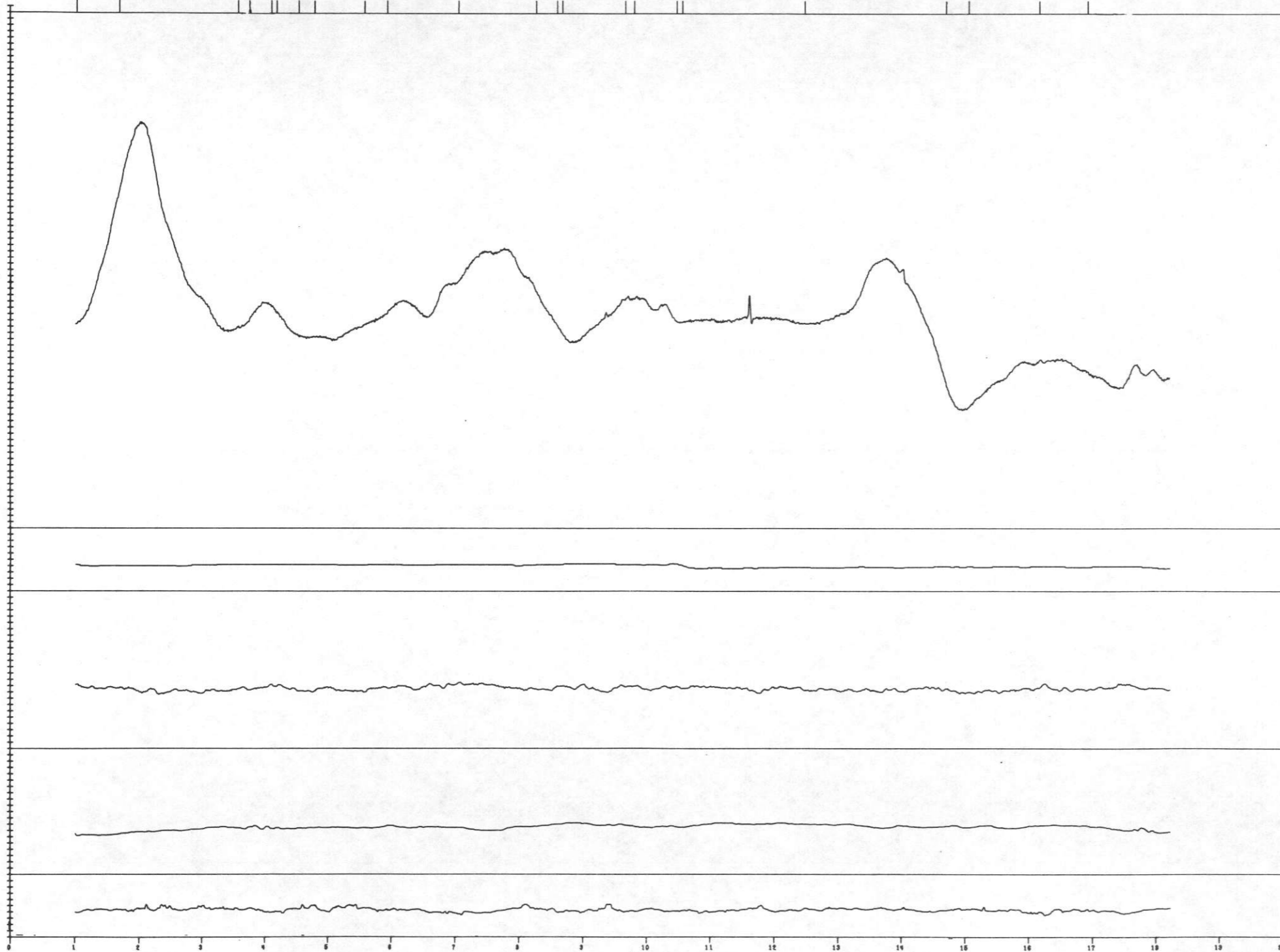
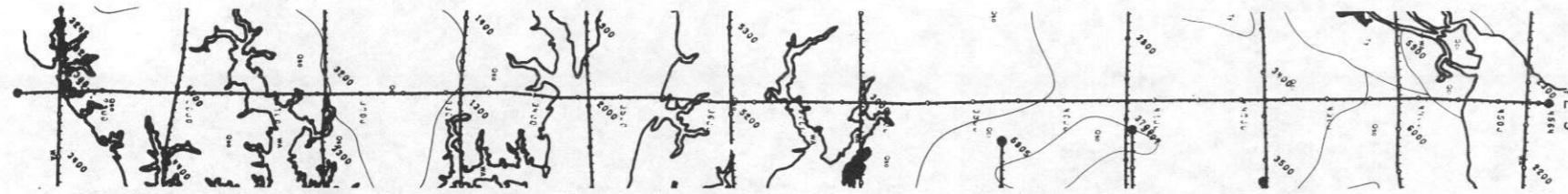
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TL 3 ROCKY MOUNT



LAT 35.500



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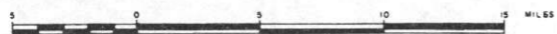
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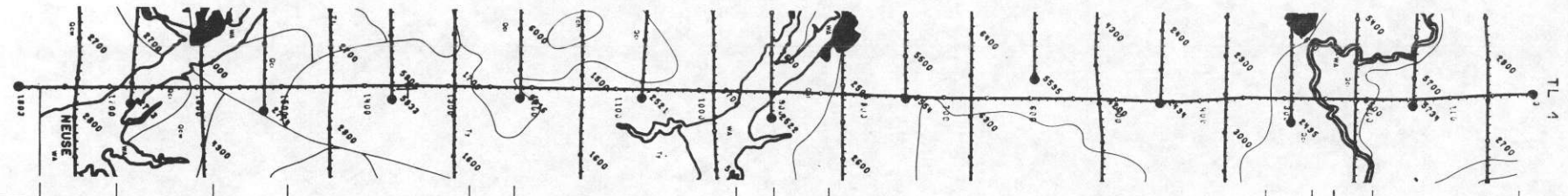
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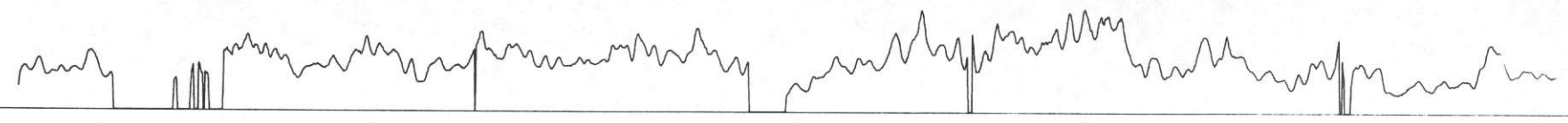
TL 3 ROCKY MOUNT

LAT 35.500





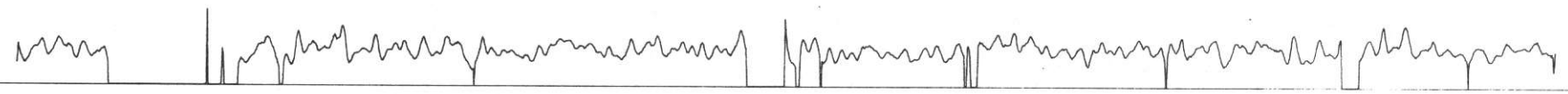
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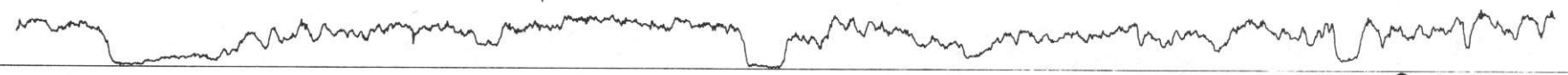
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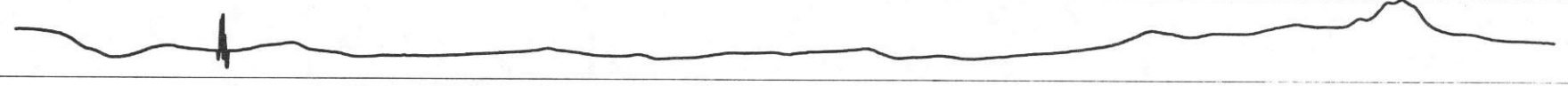
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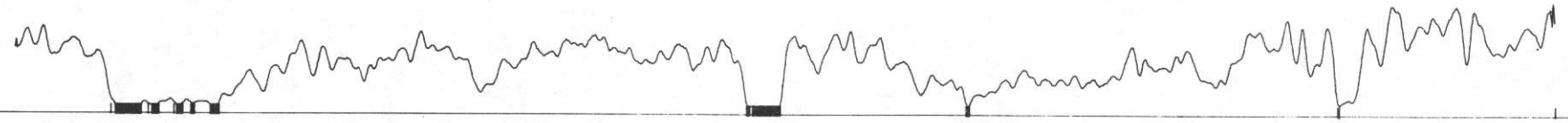
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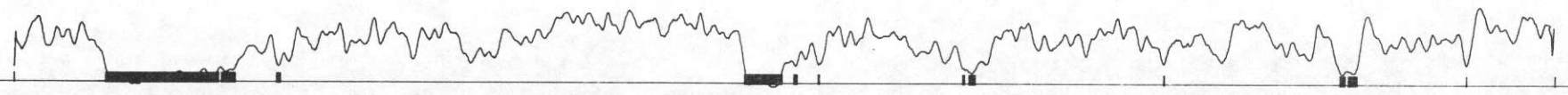
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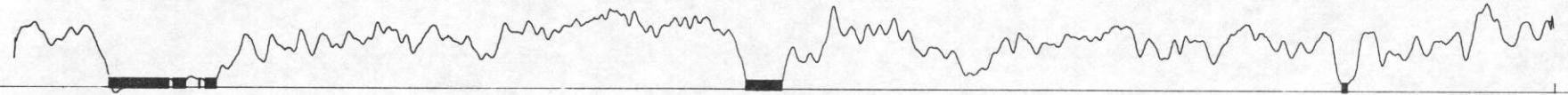
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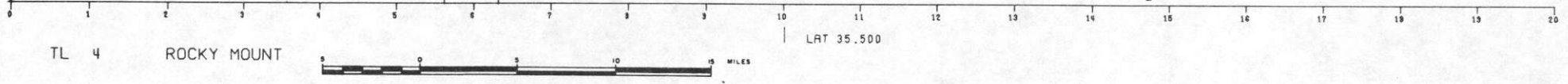
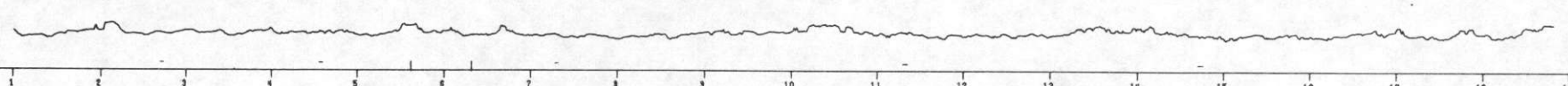
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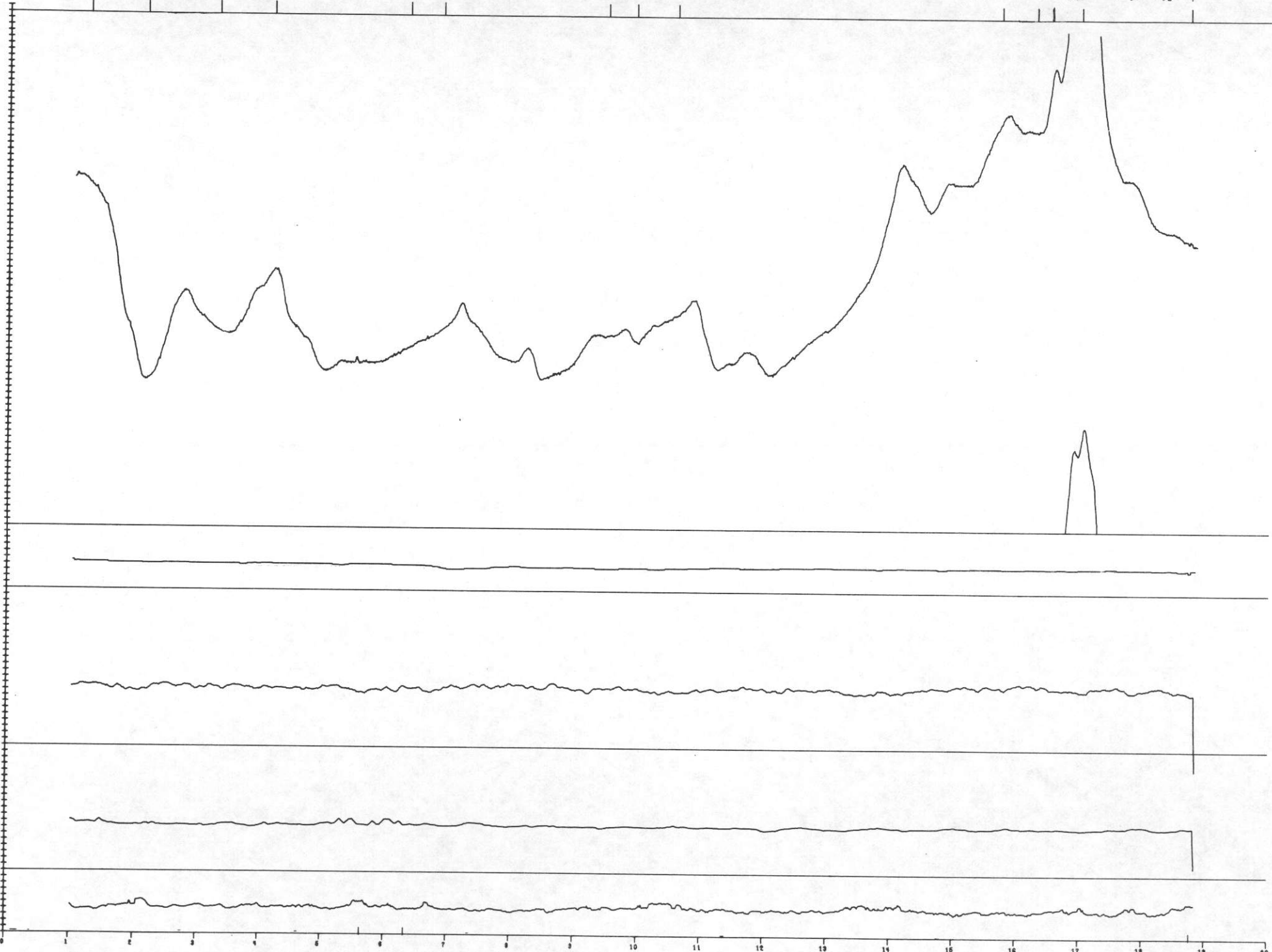
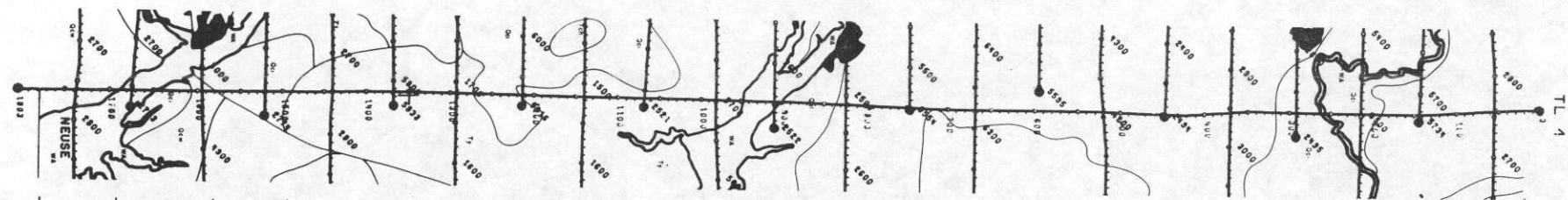


TL
.75 PPM/DIV



ALT
100 FT/DIV





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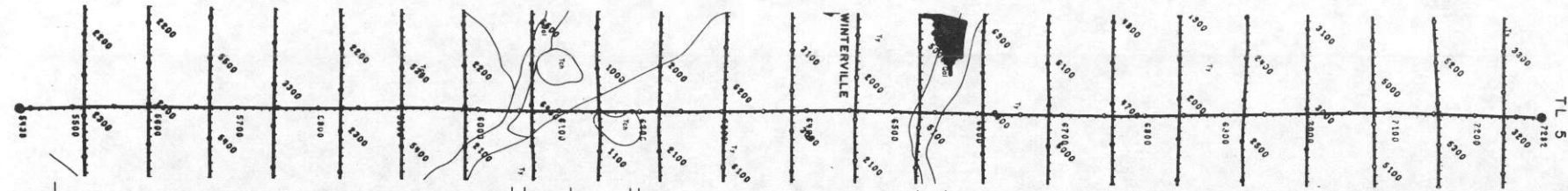
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ALT
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TL 4 ROCKY MOUNT



LAT 35.500



TL/K
1.5 /DIV

BI/K
.75 /DIV

BI/TL
.07 /DIV

GC
250 C/S/DIV

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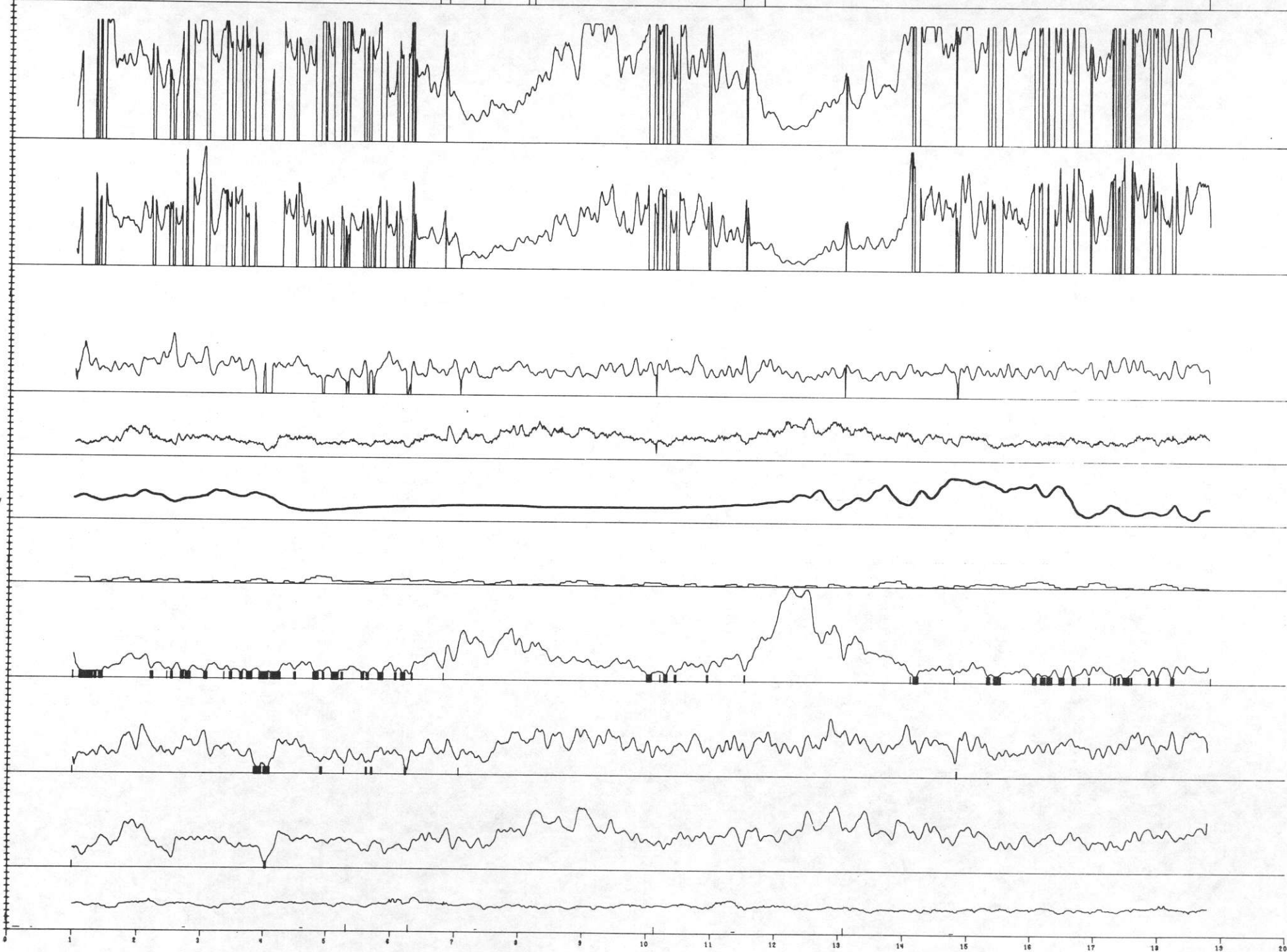
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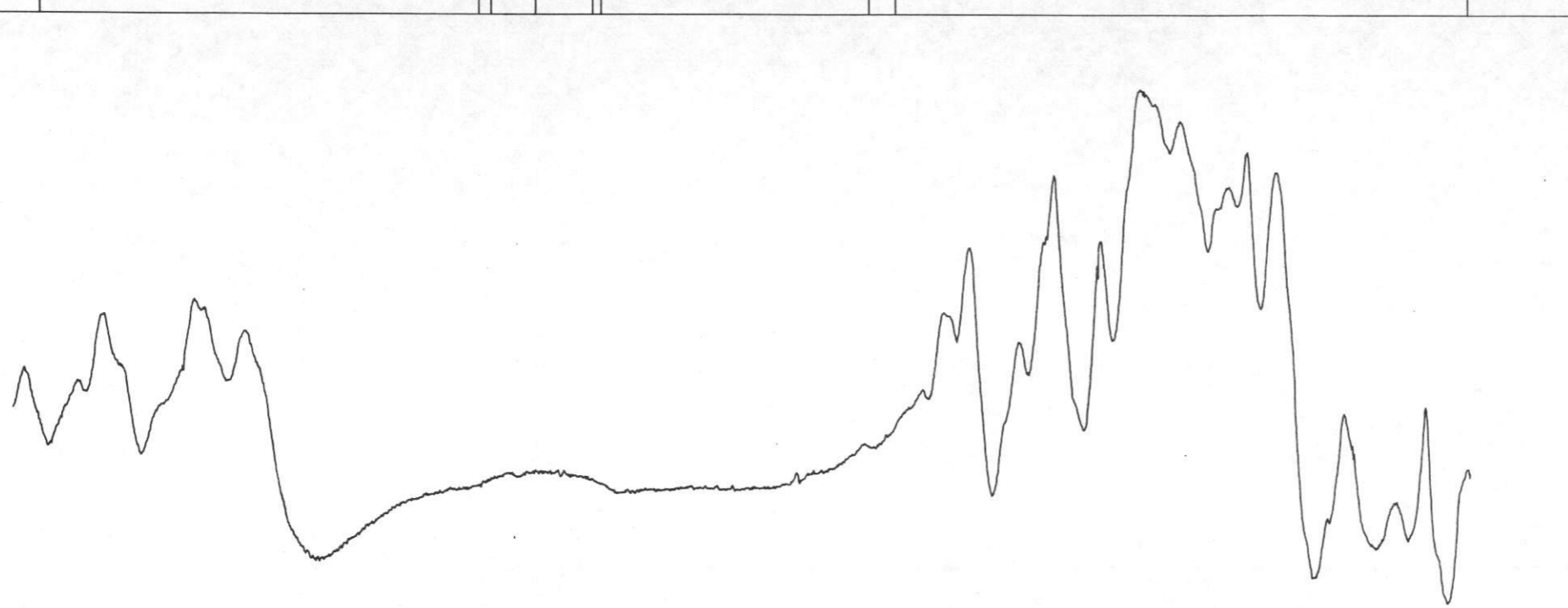
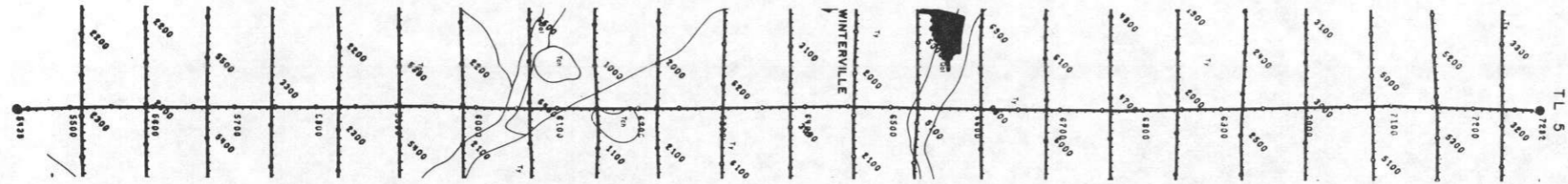
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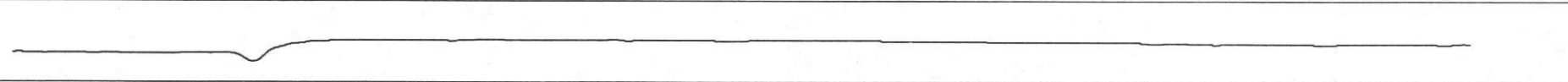
TL 5 ROCKY MOUNT

LAT 35.500

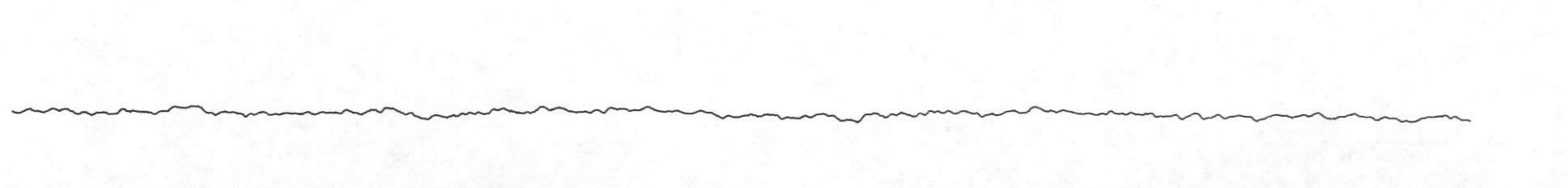




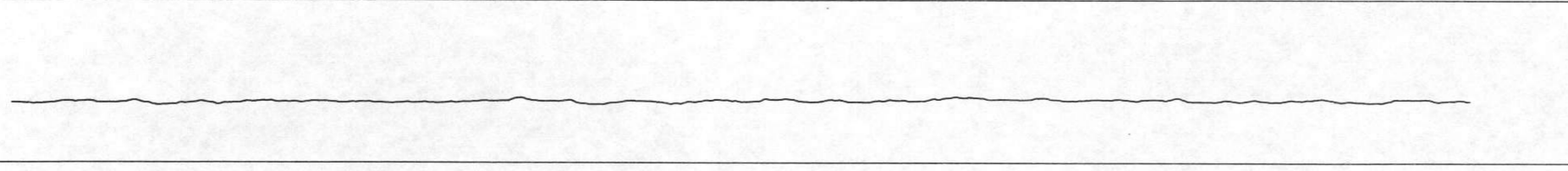
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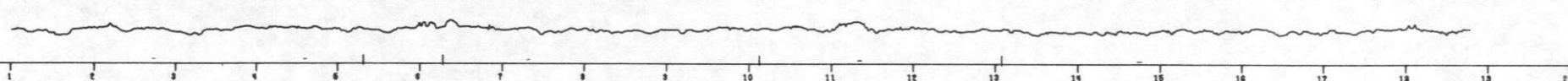
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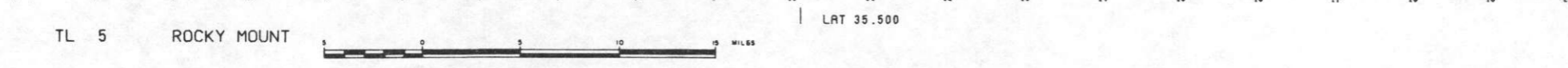
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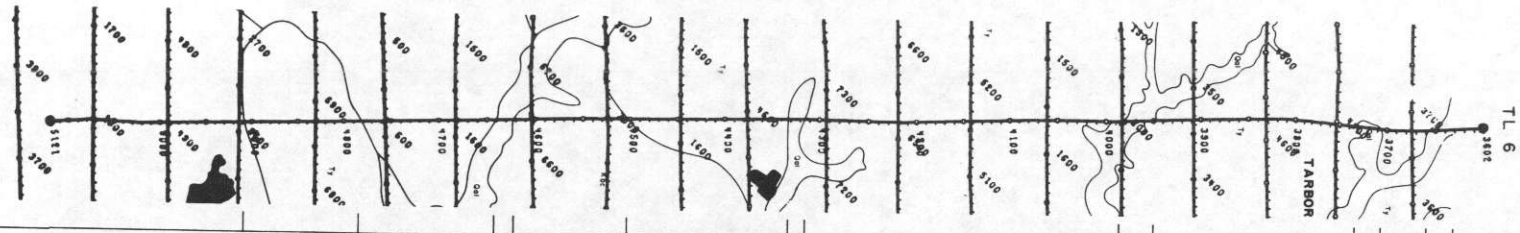


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ALT
100 FT/DIV





TL/K
1.5 /DIV

BI/K
.75 /DIV

BI/TL
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GC
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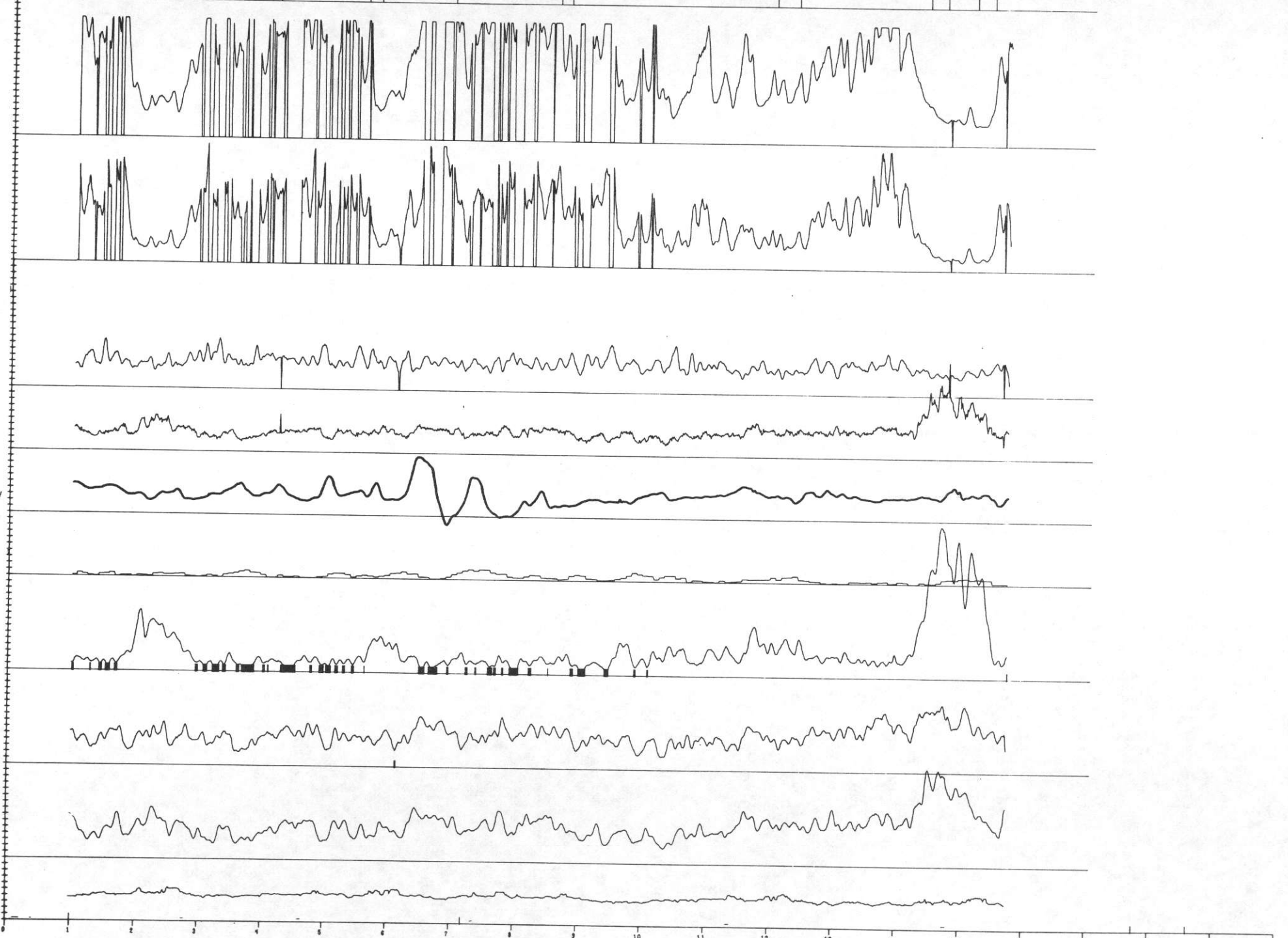
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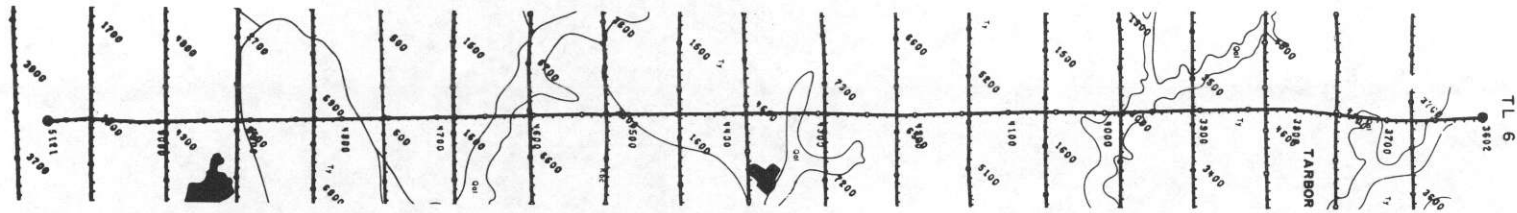
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TL 6 ROCKY MOUNT LAT 35.500





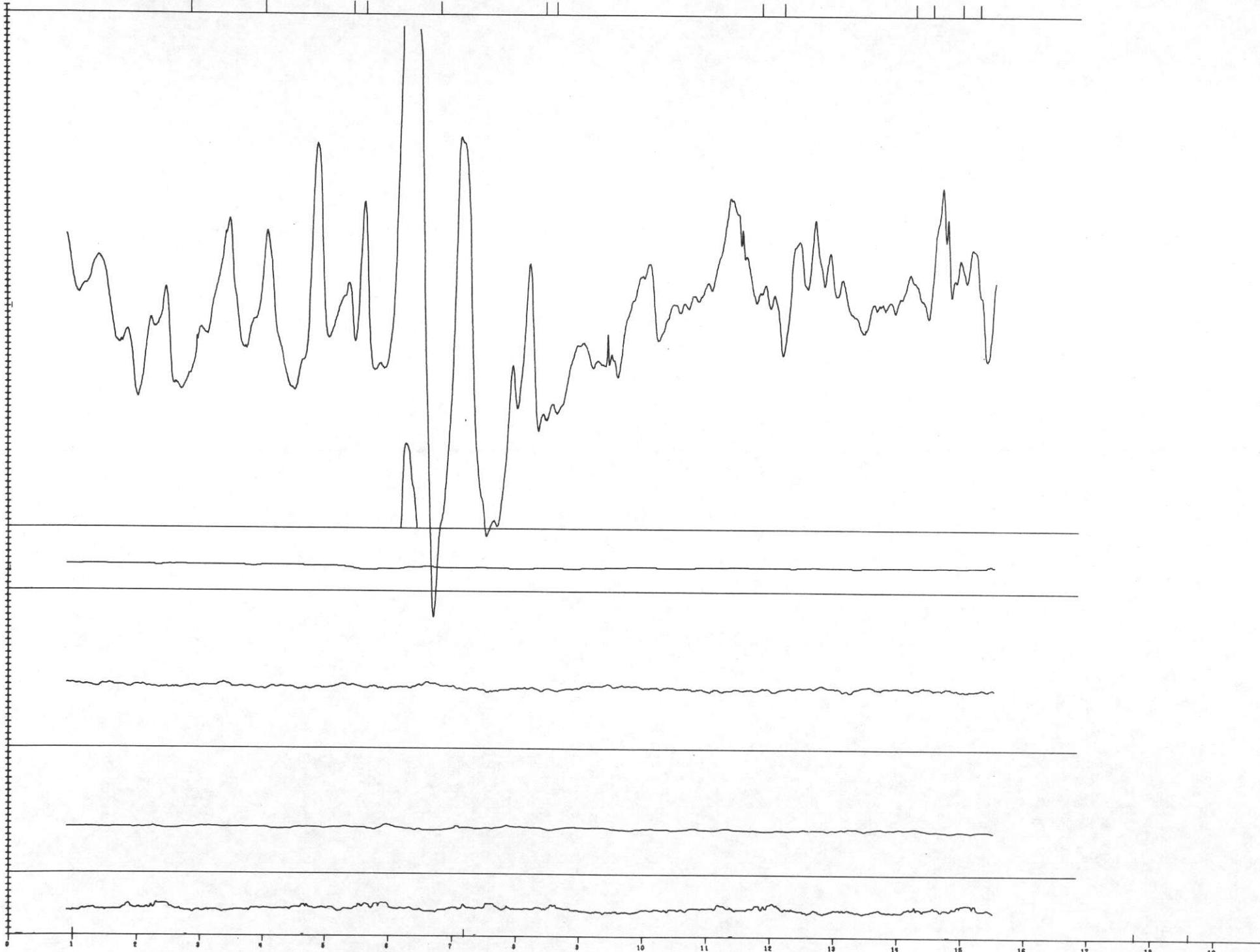
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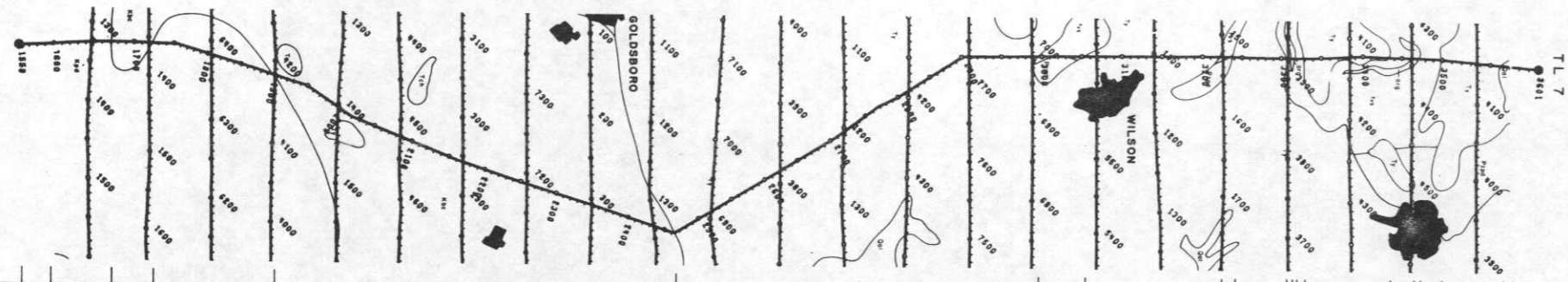
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TL 6 ROCKY MOUNT



LAT 35.500



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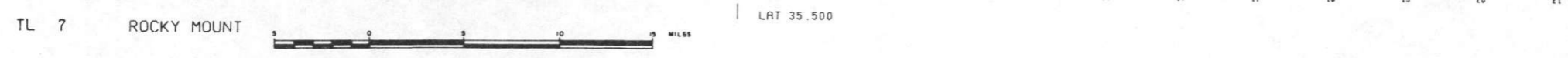
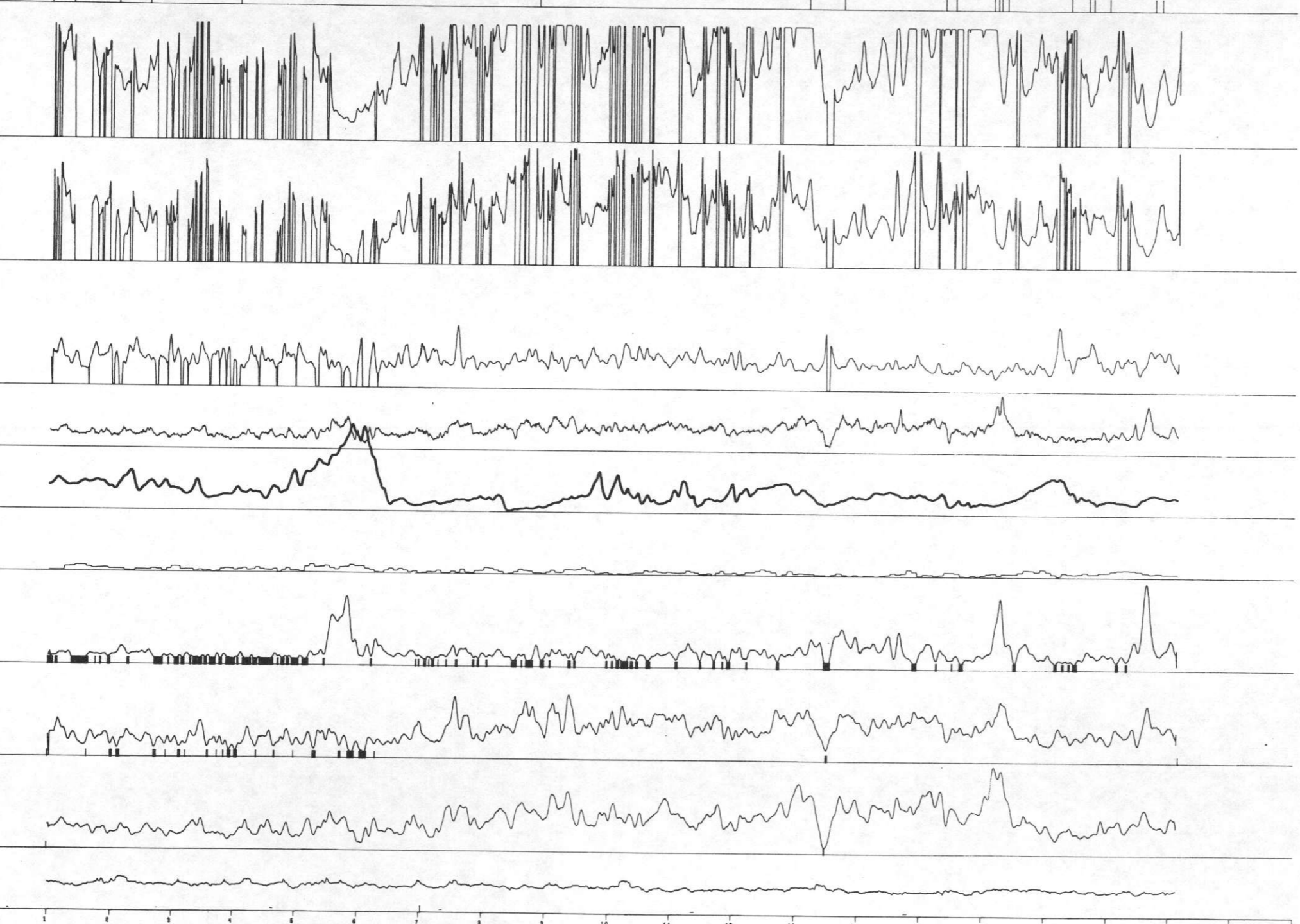
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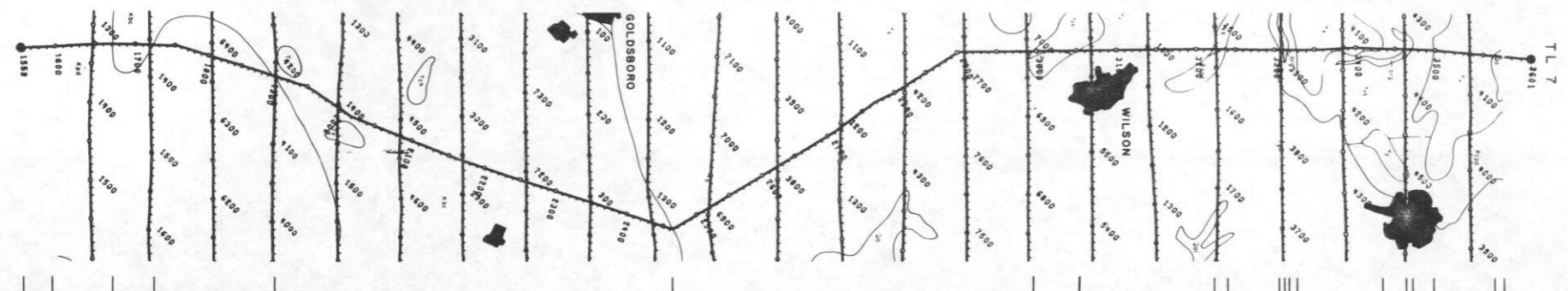
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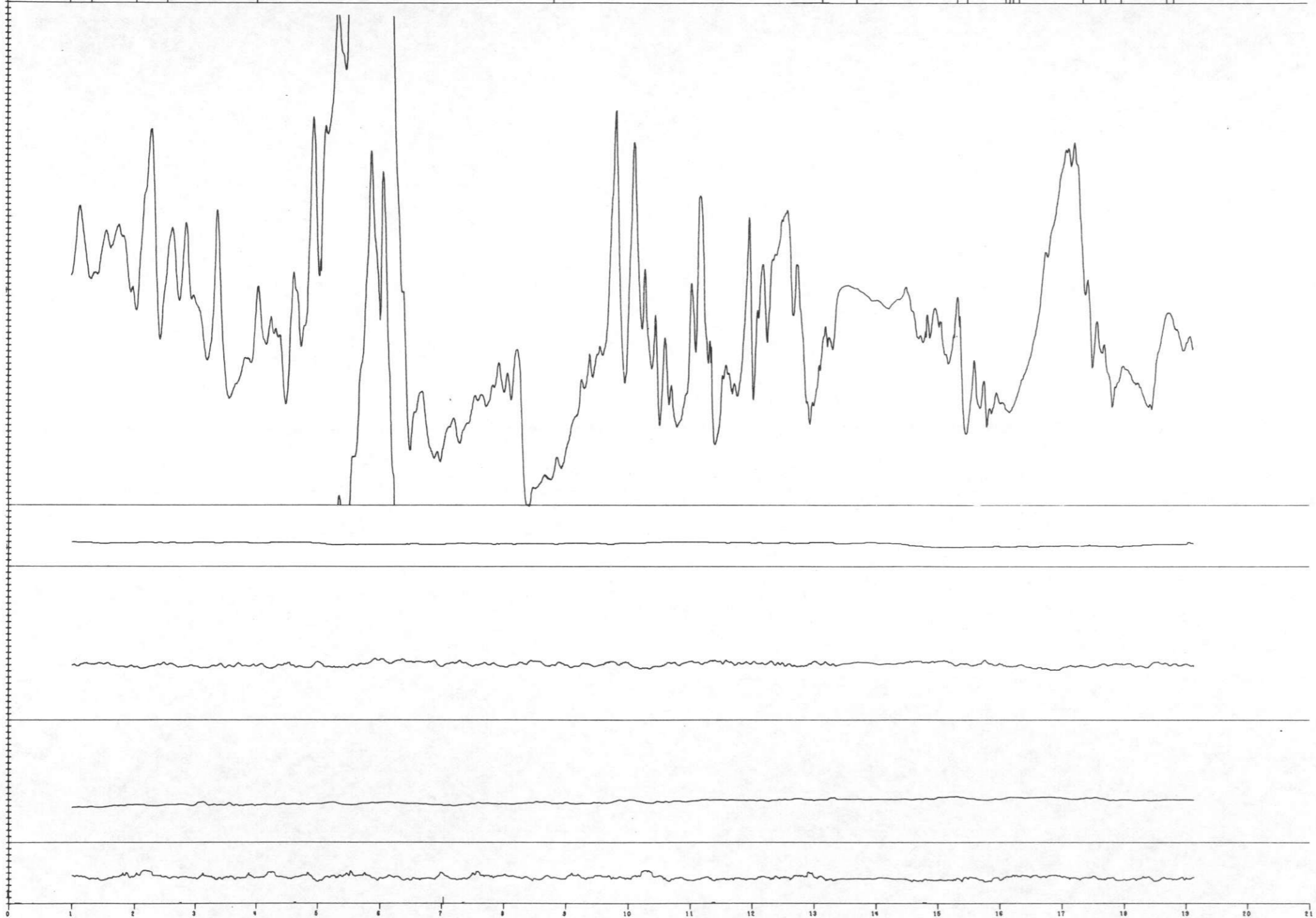
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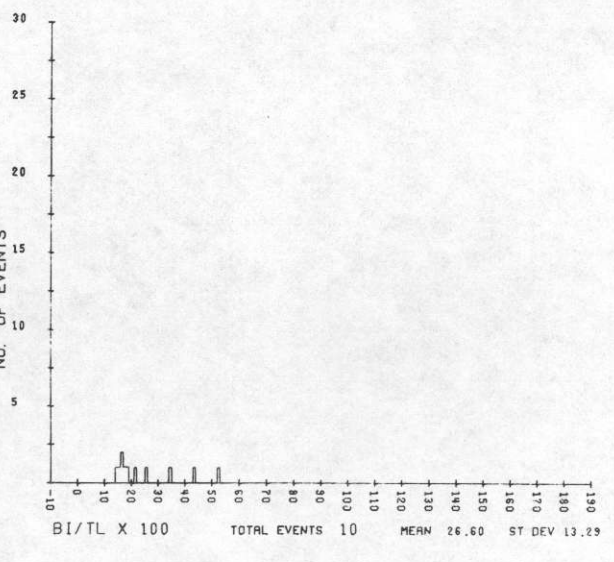
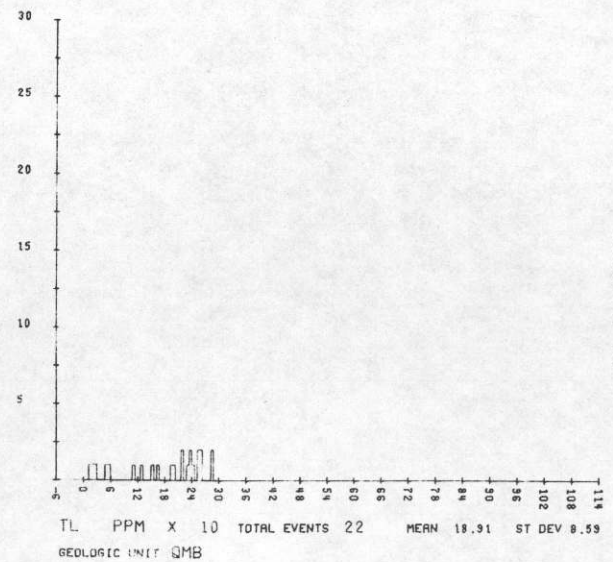
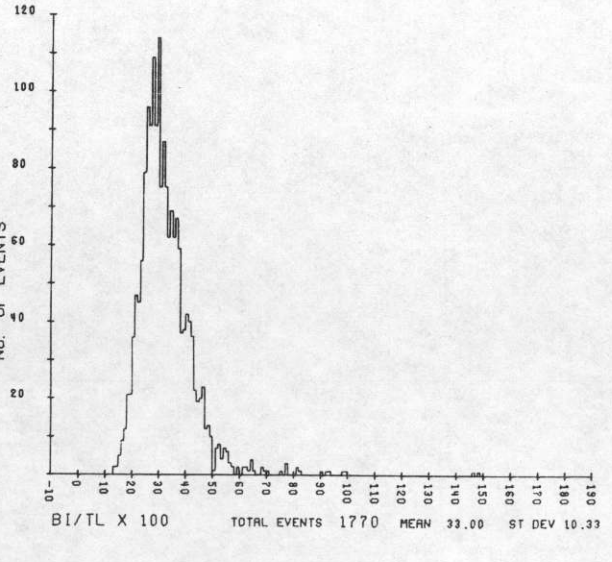
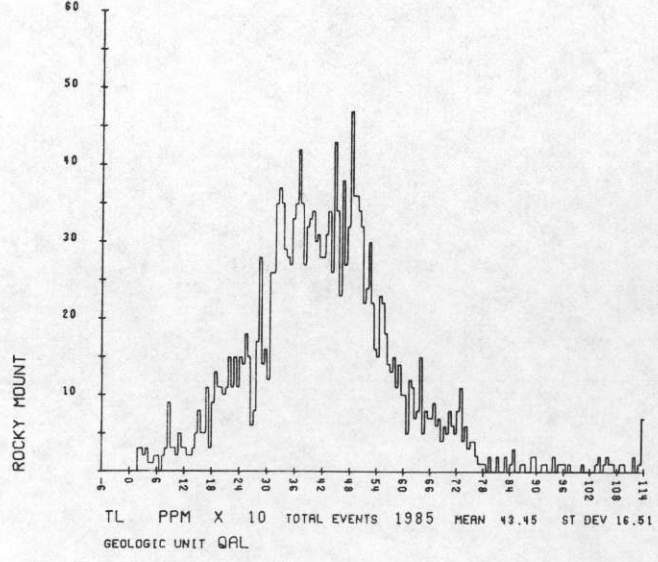
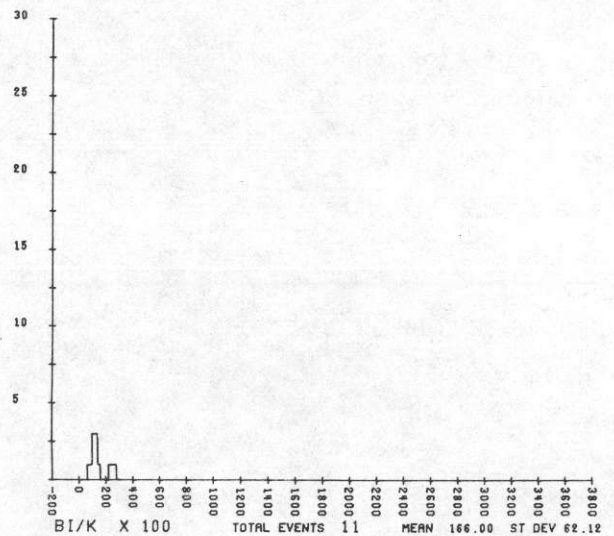
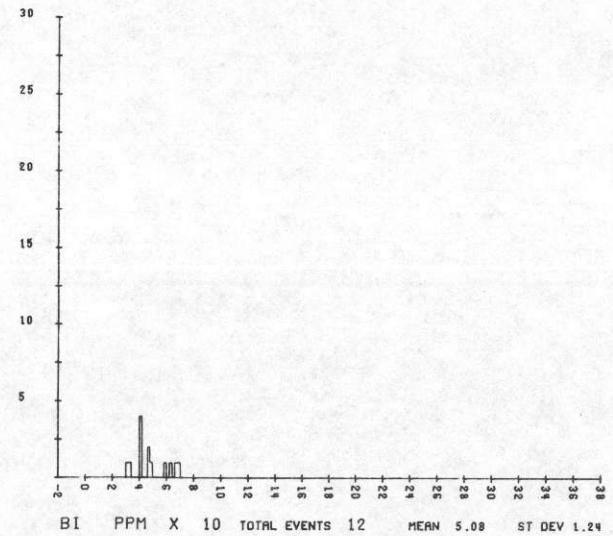
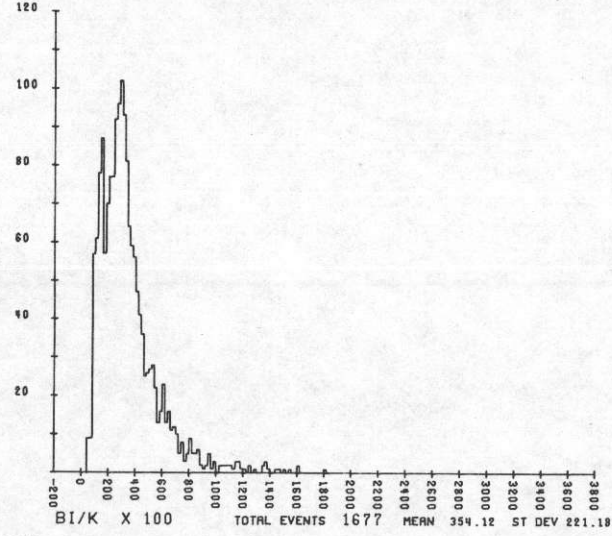
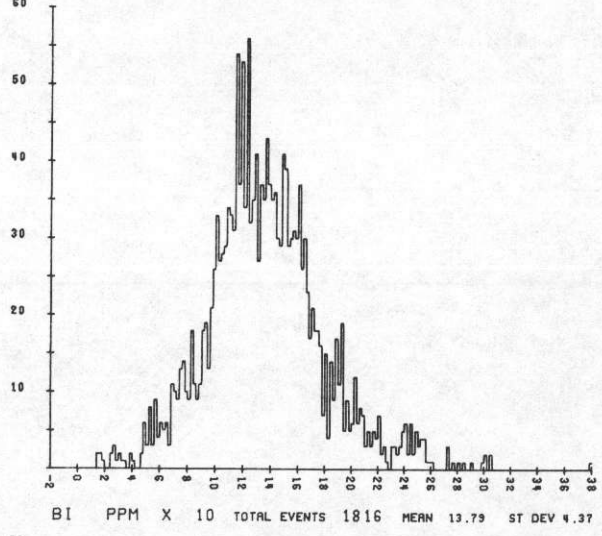
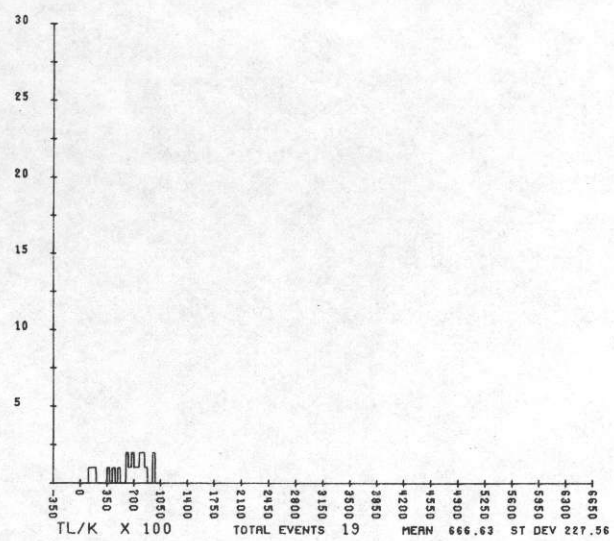
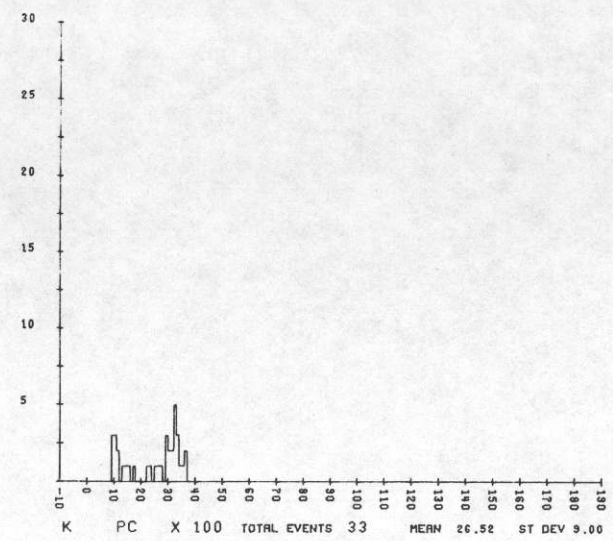
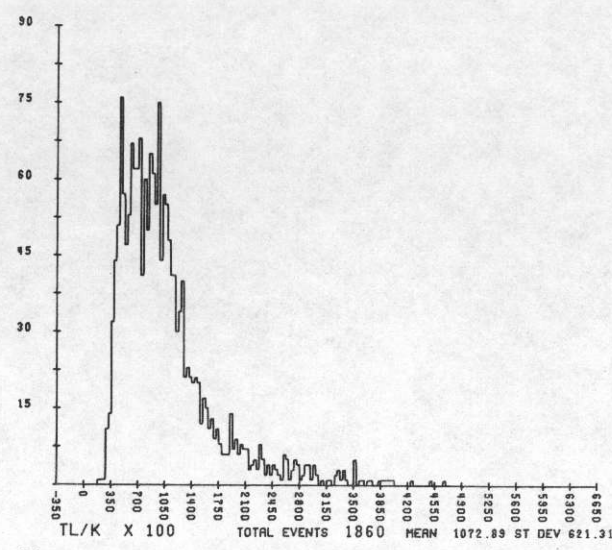
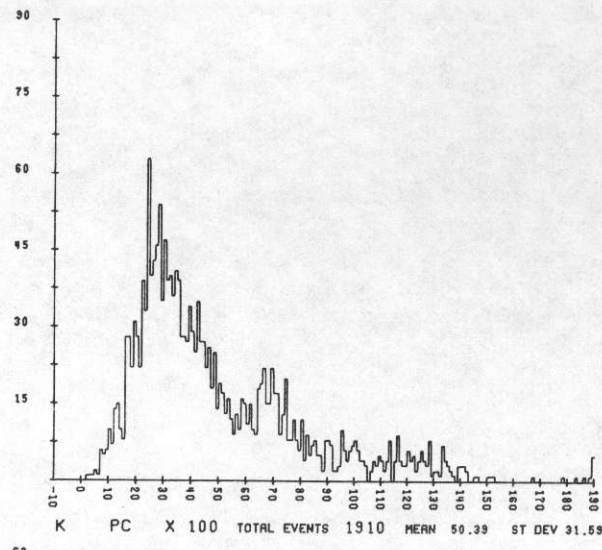
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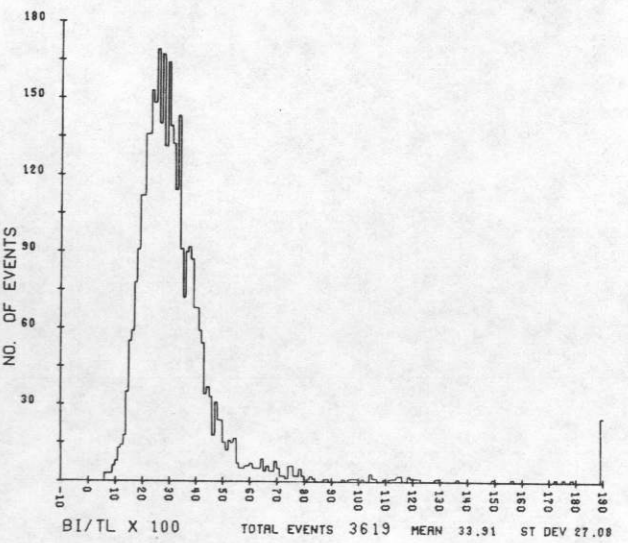
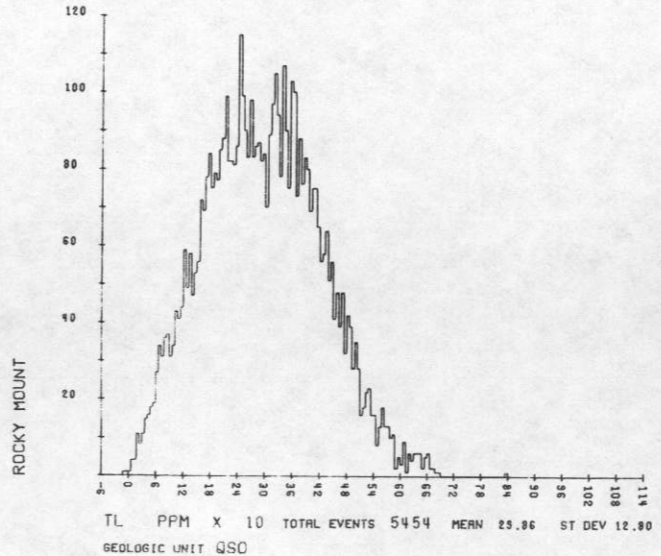
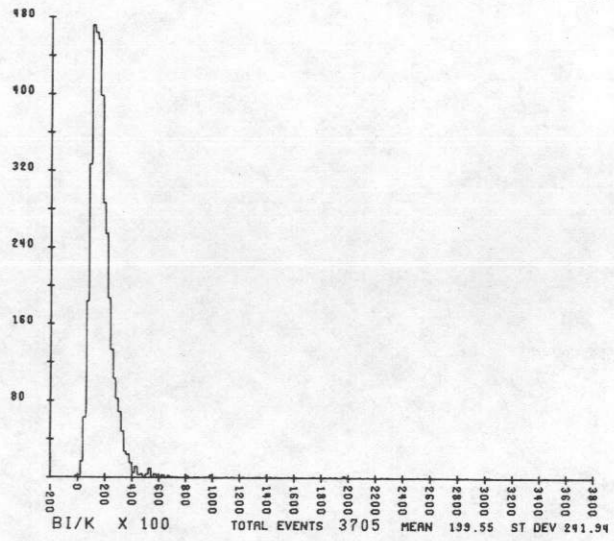
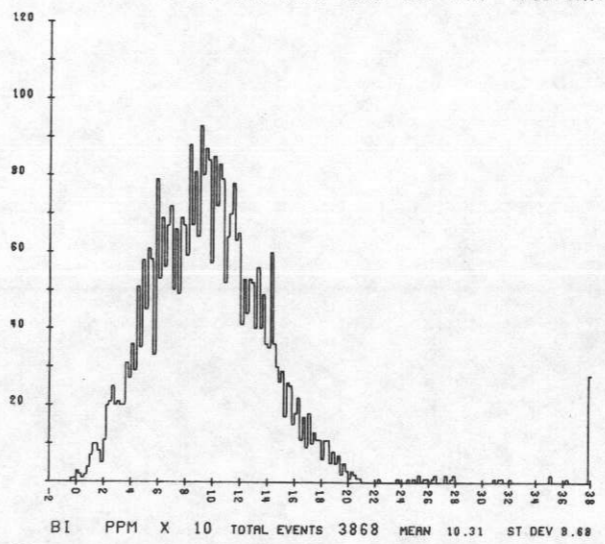
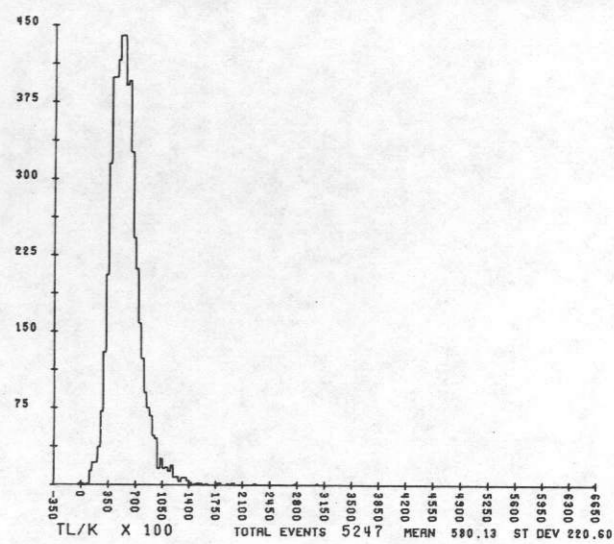
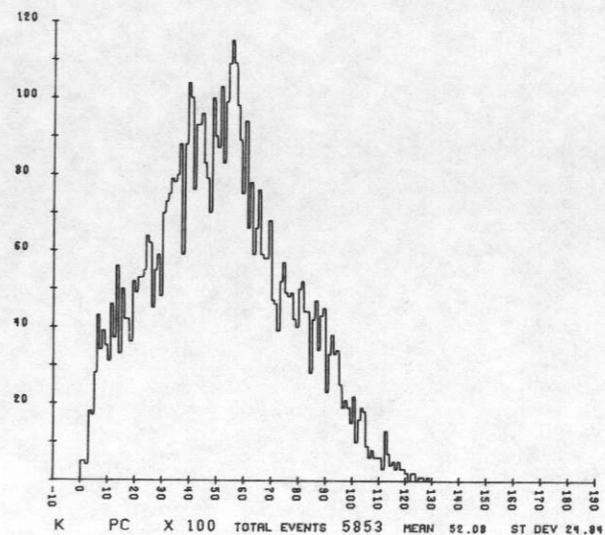
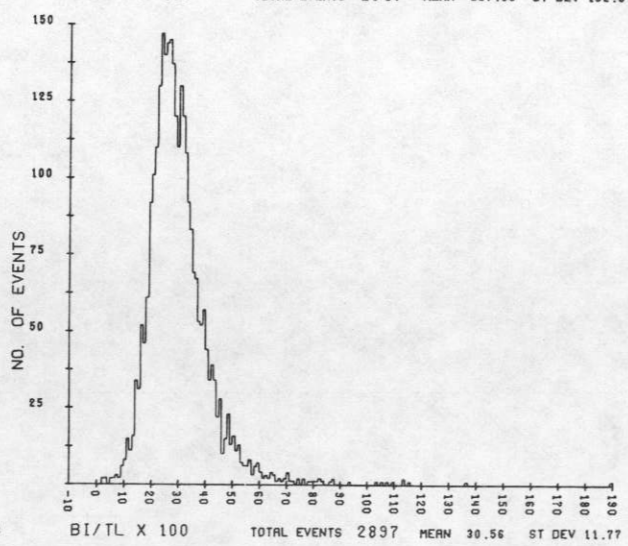
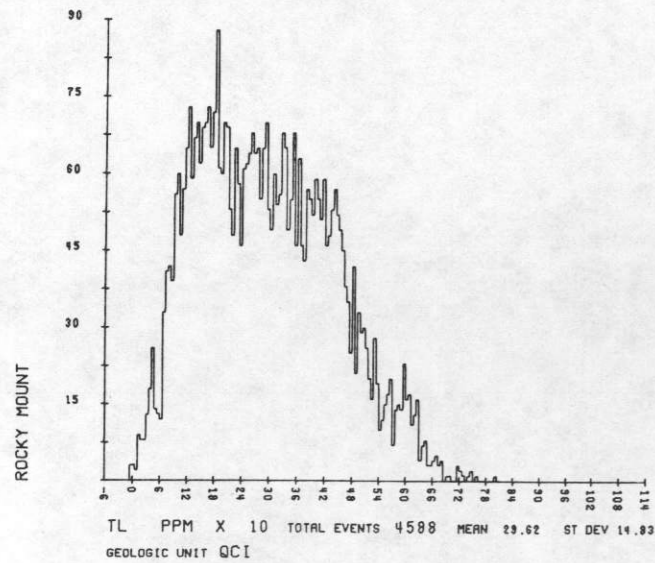
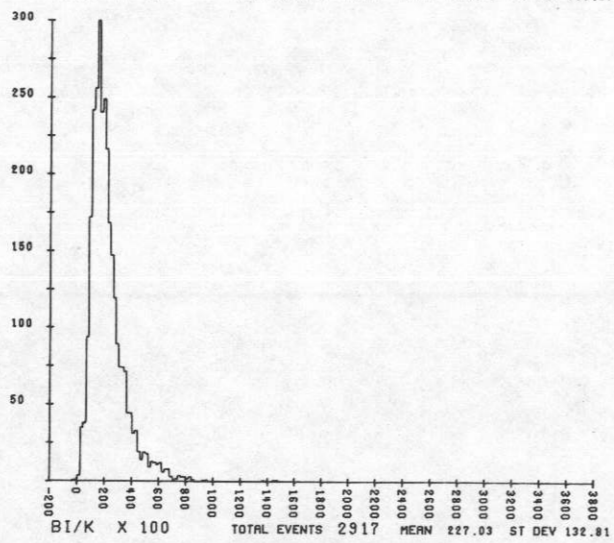
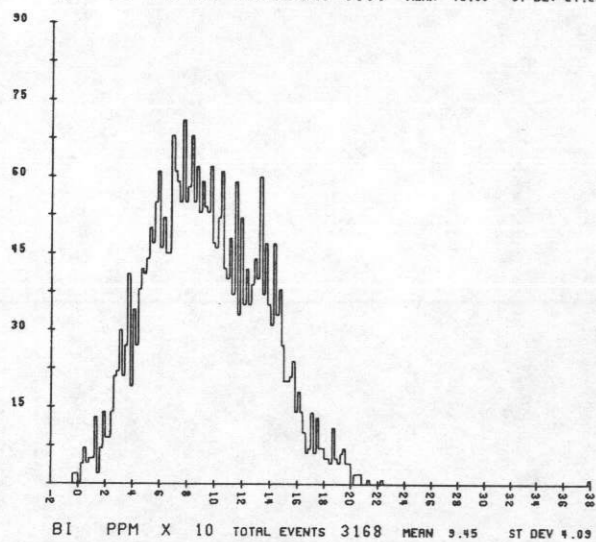
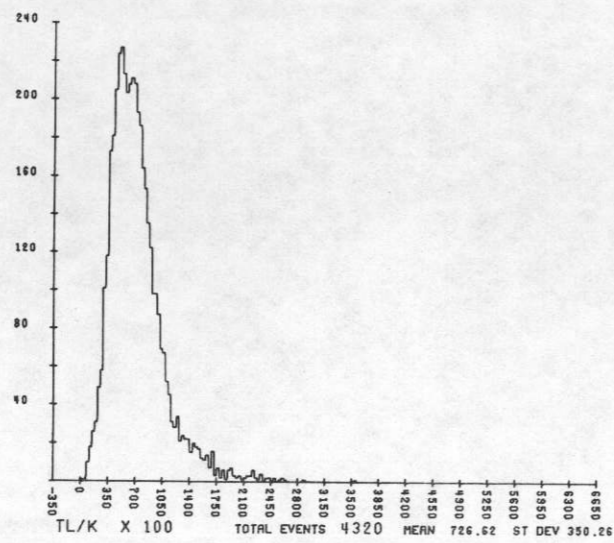
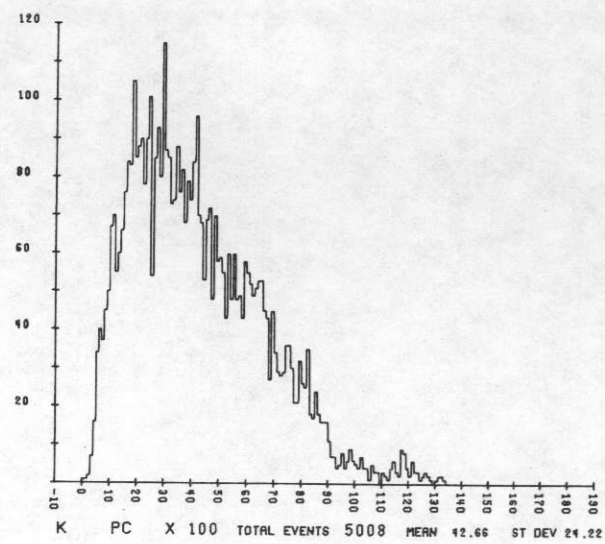
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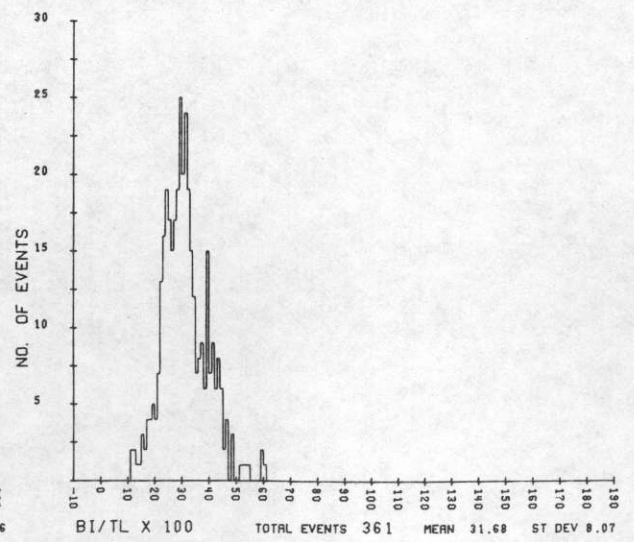
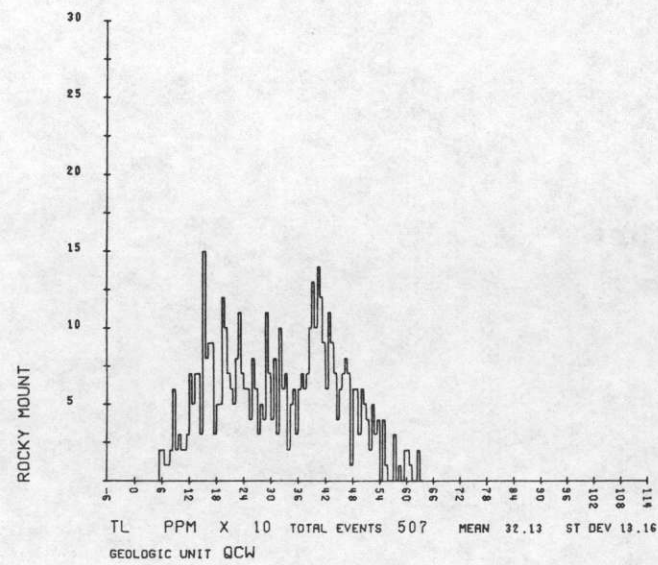
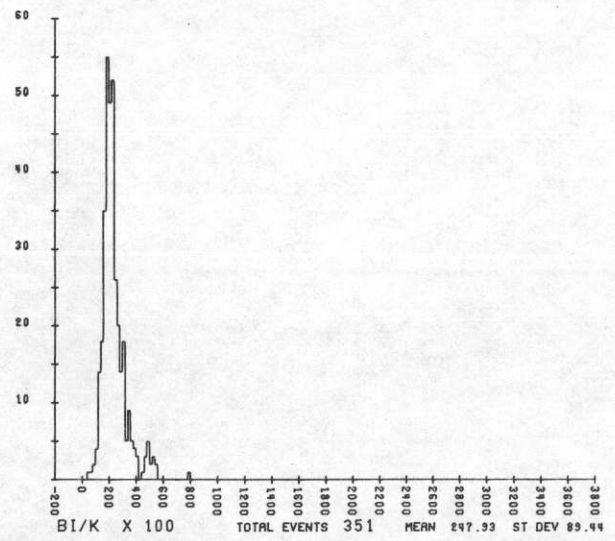
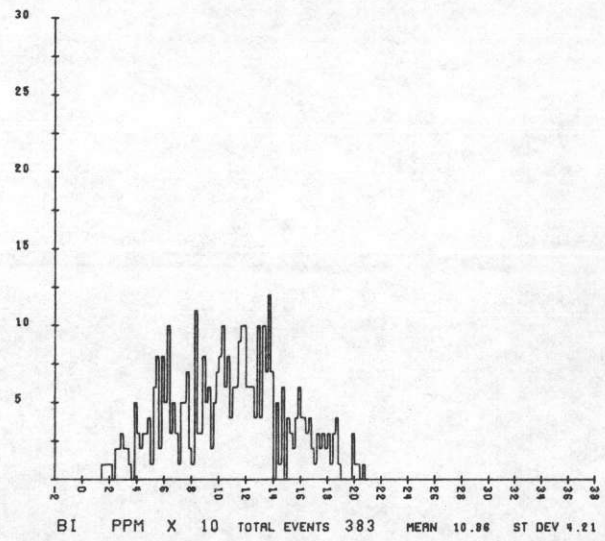
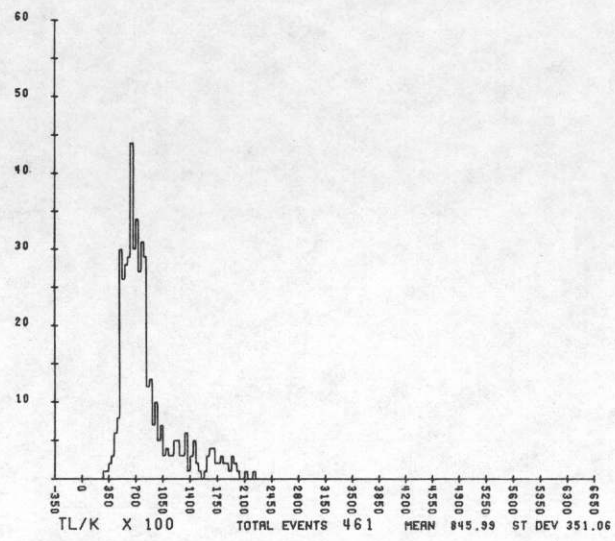
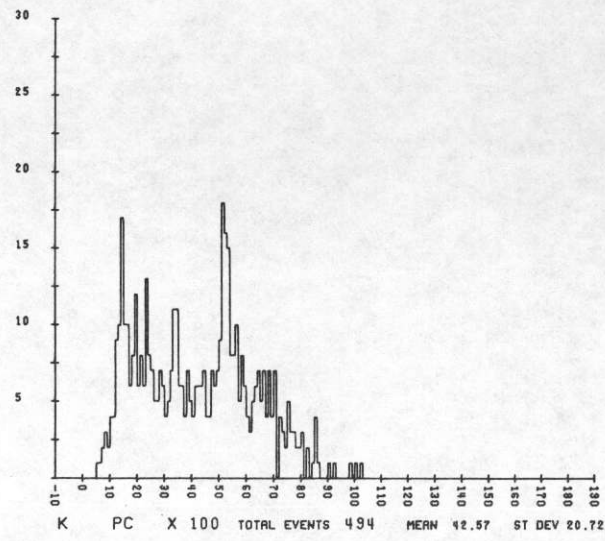
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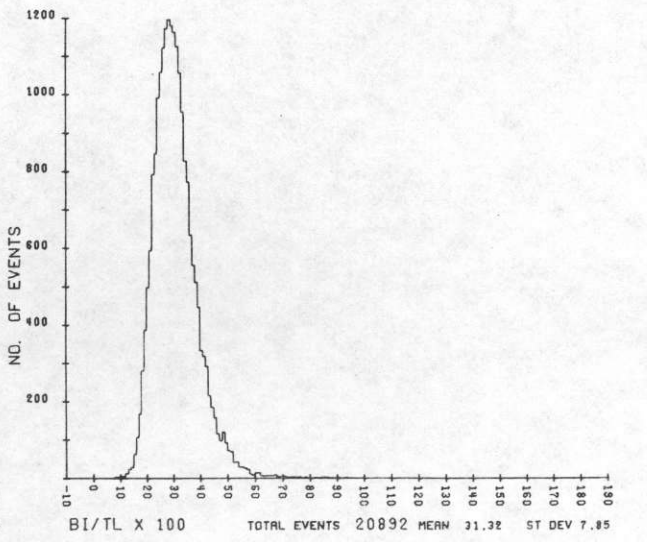
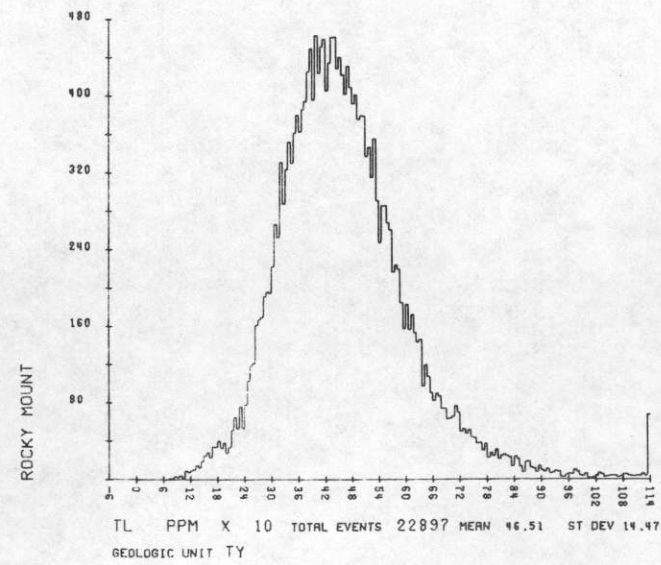
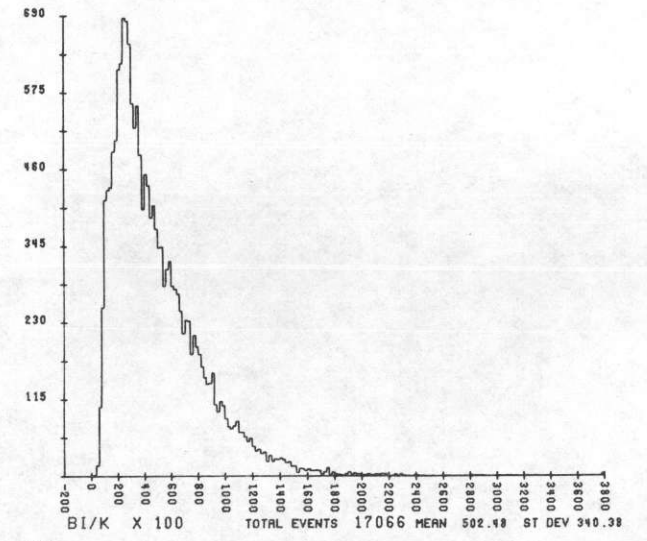
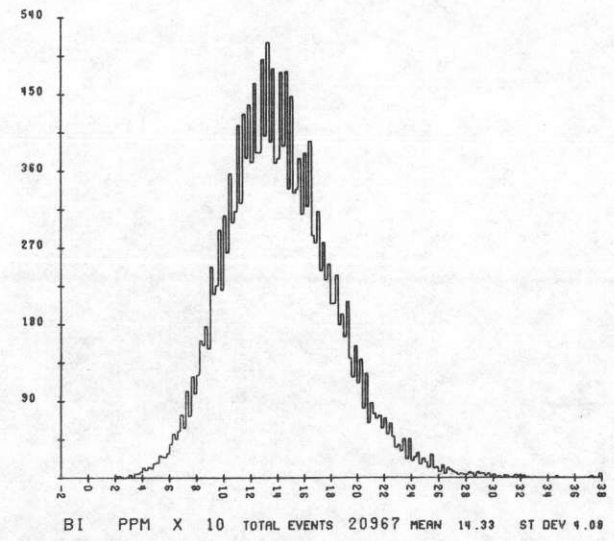
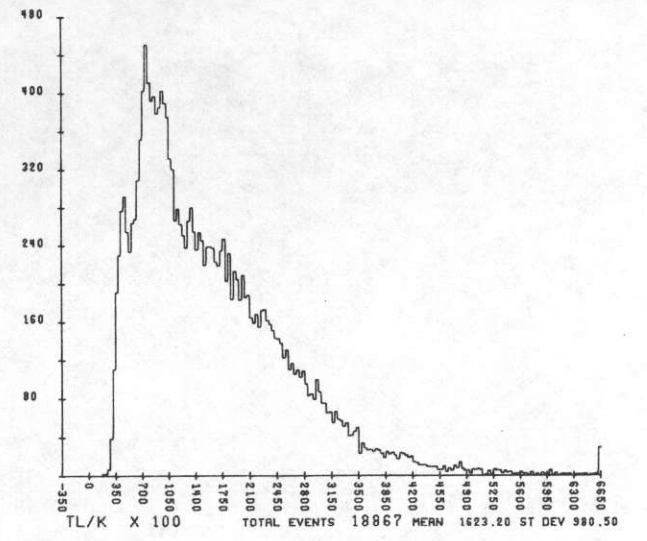
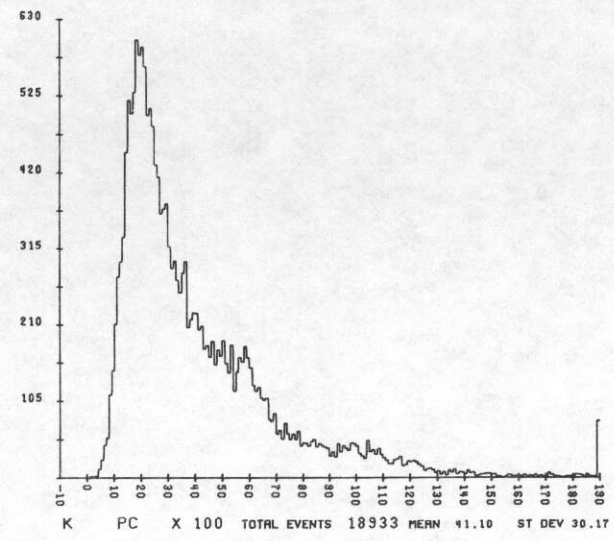
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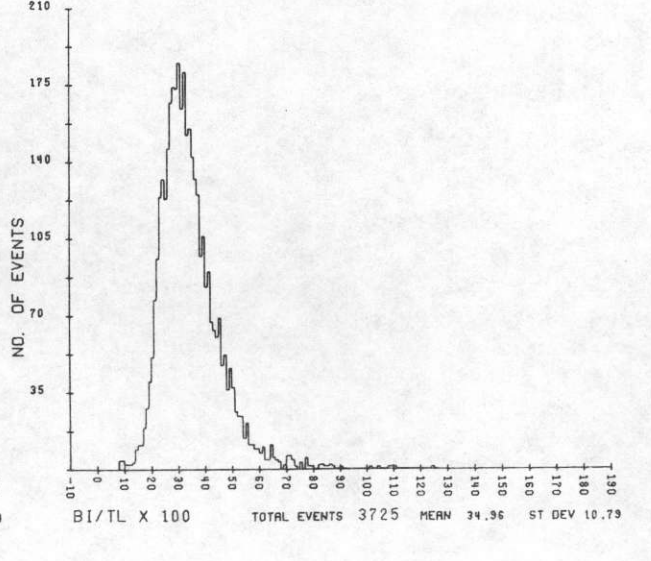
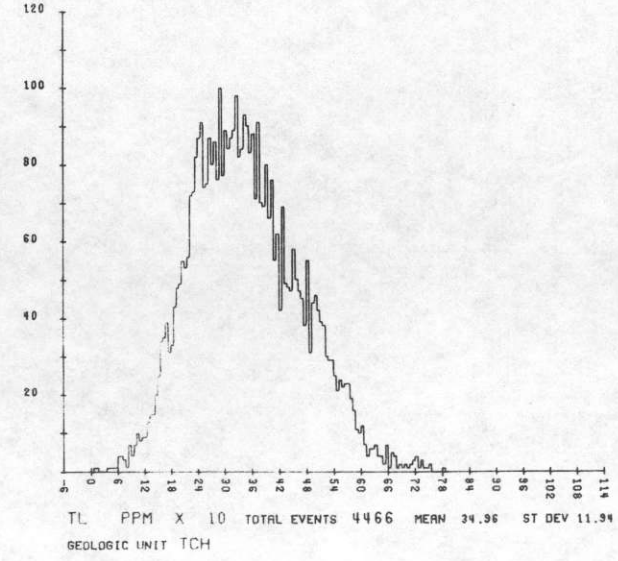
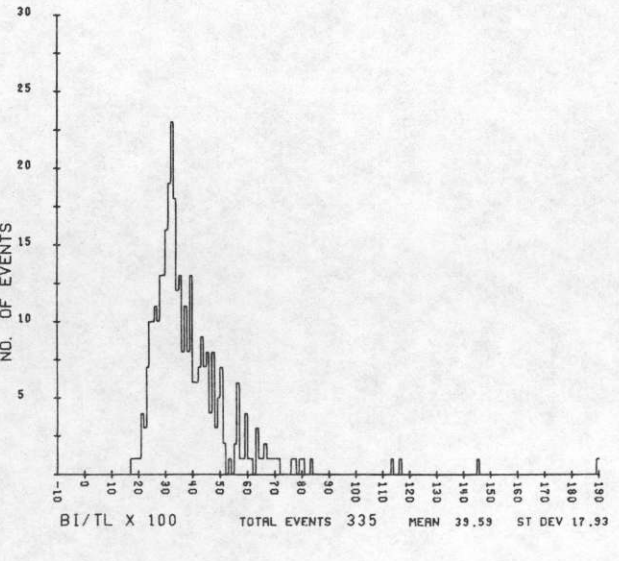
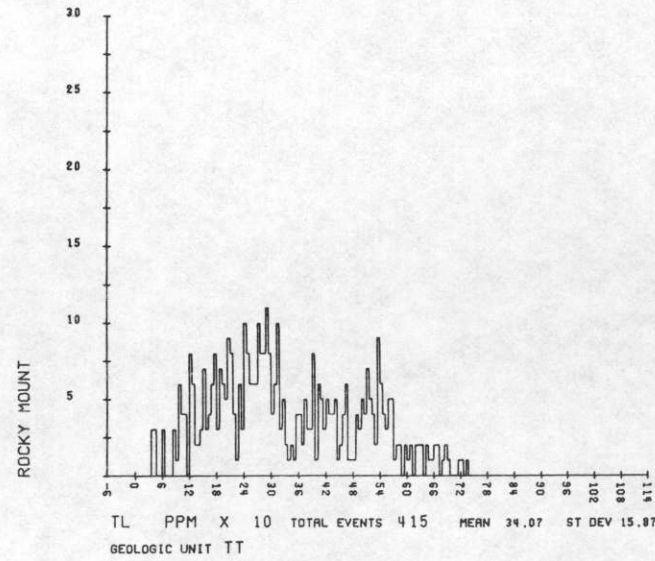
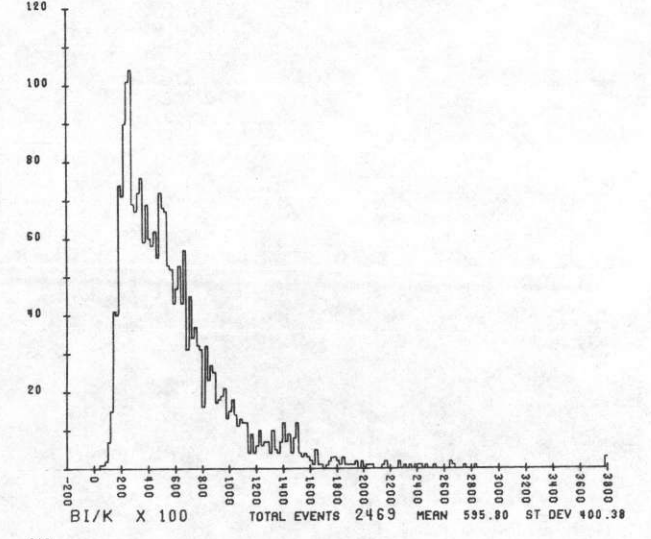
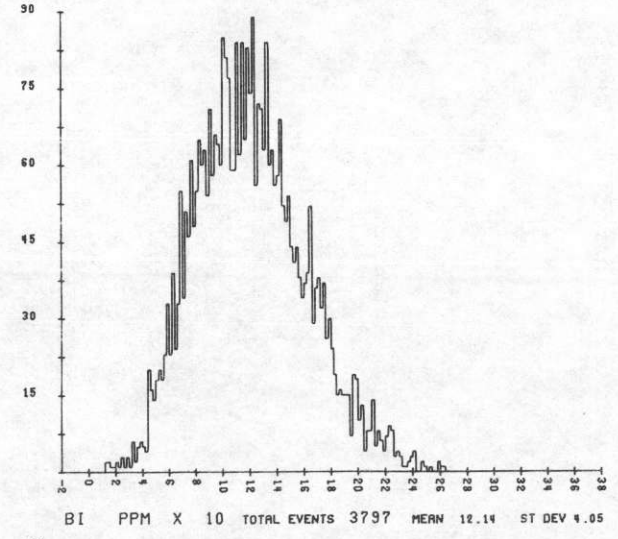
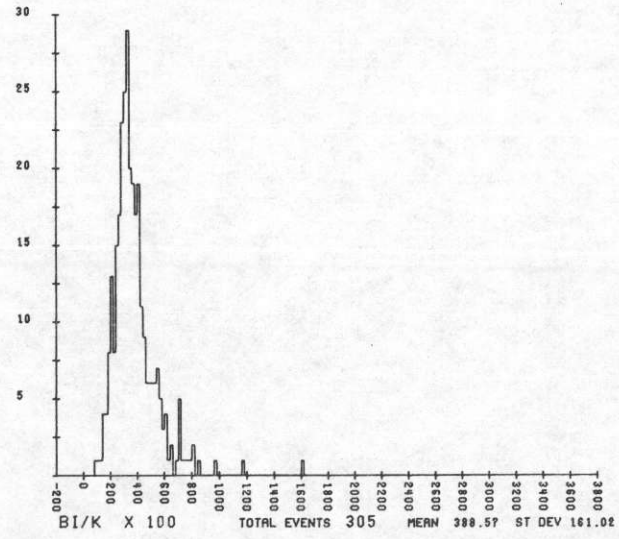
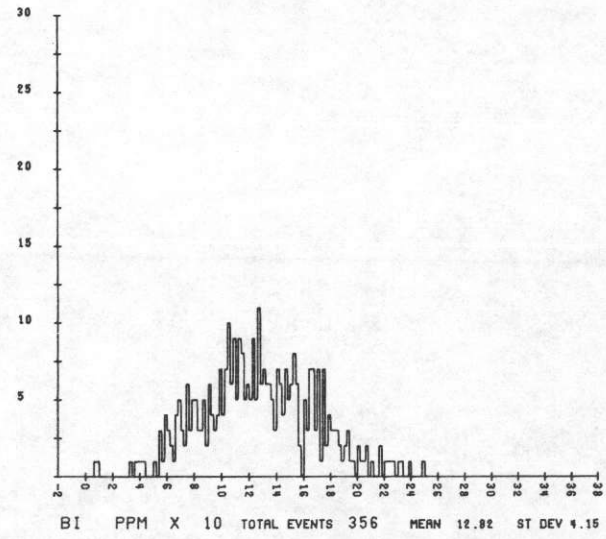
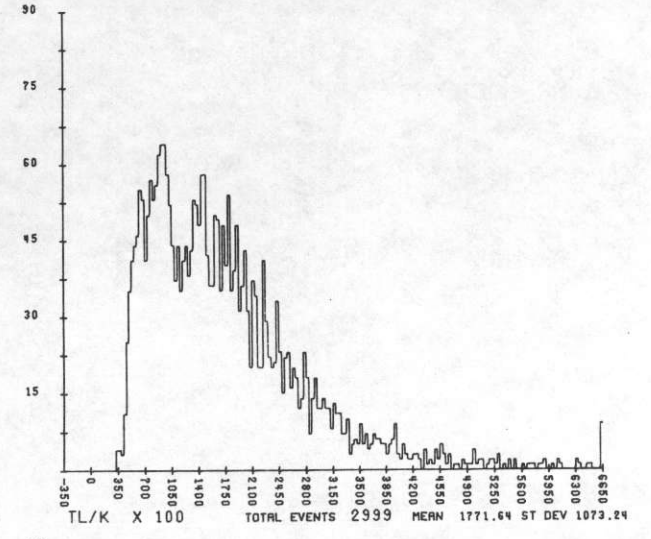
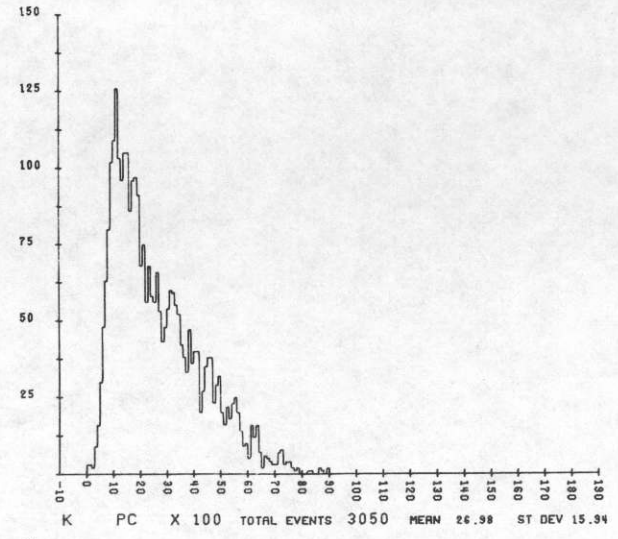
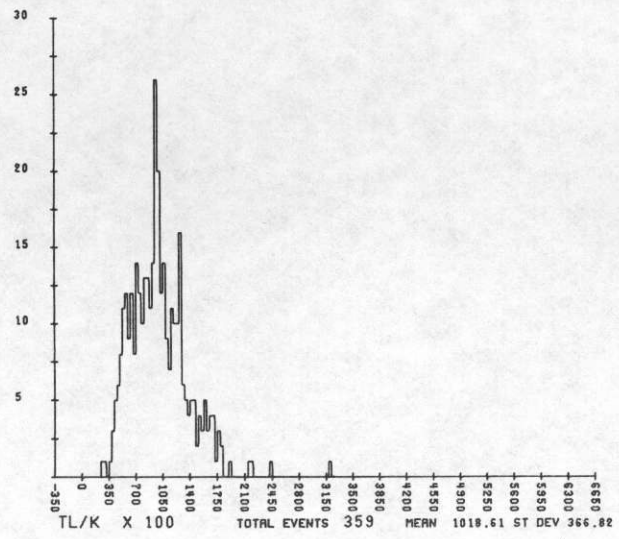
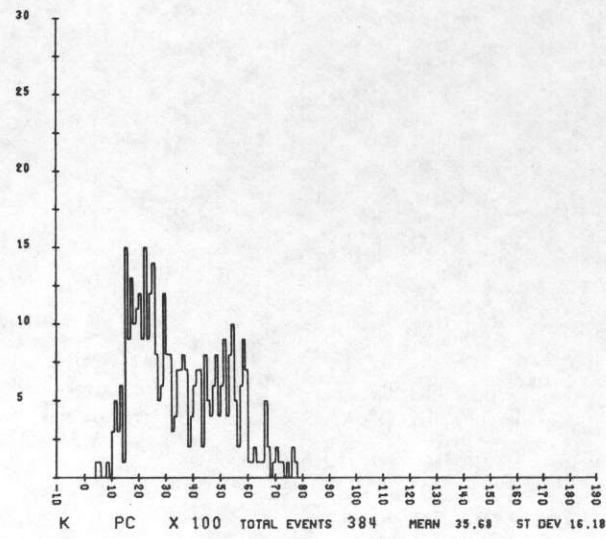


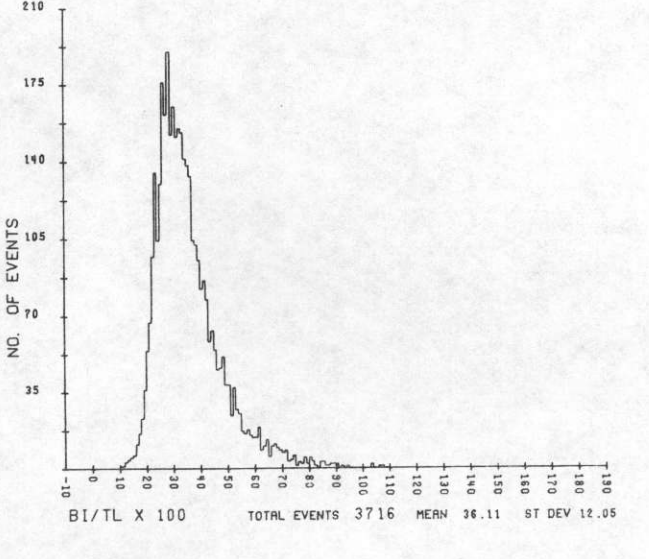
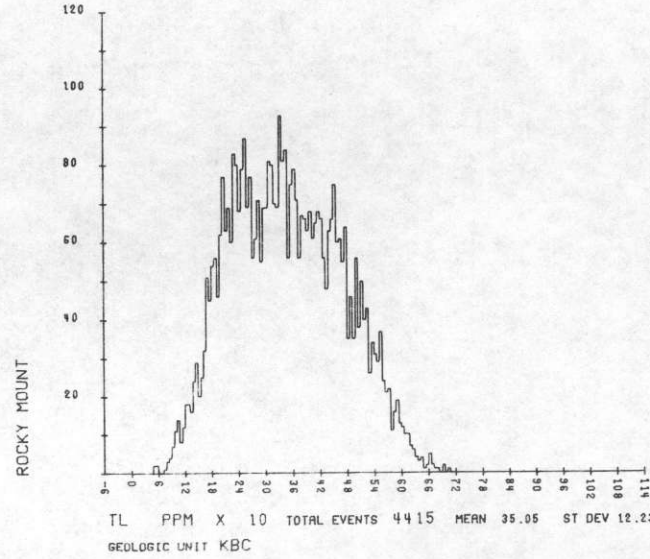
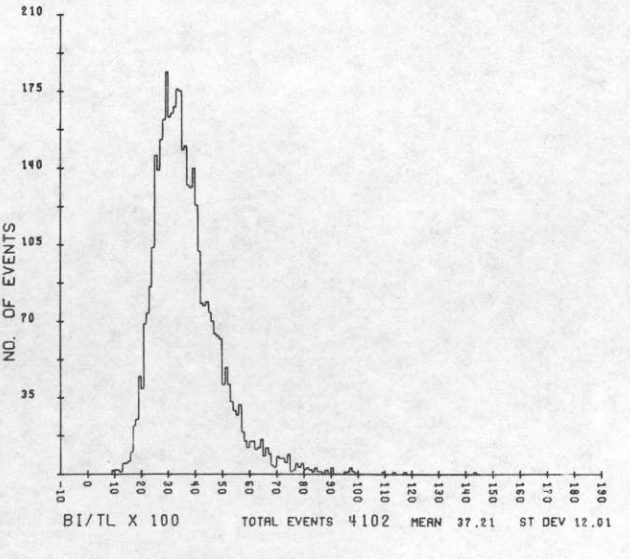
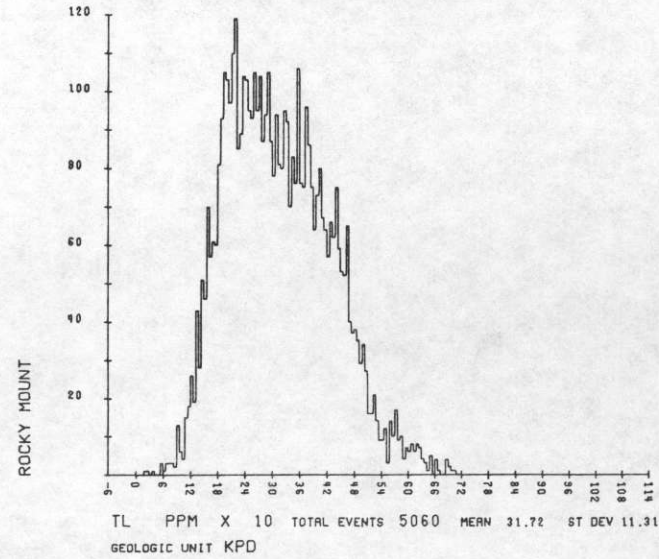
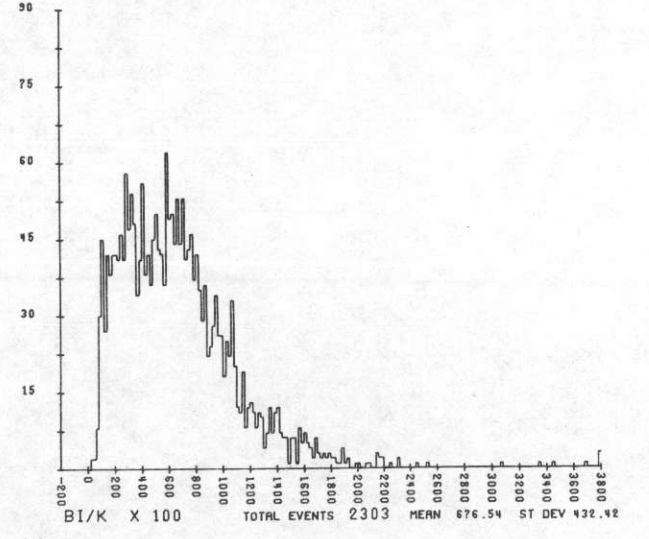
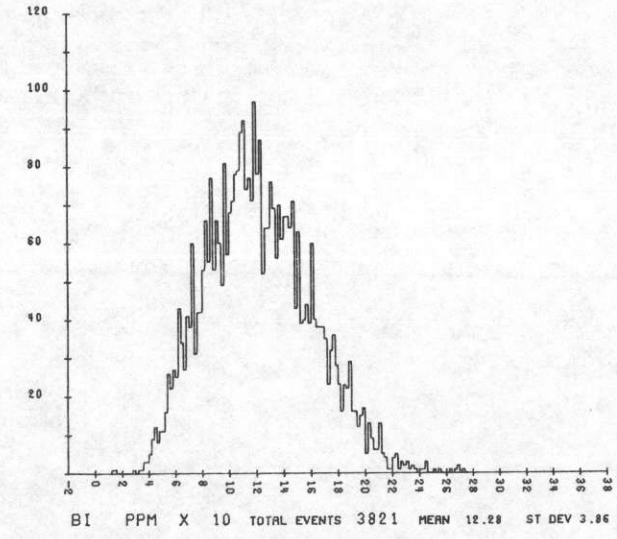
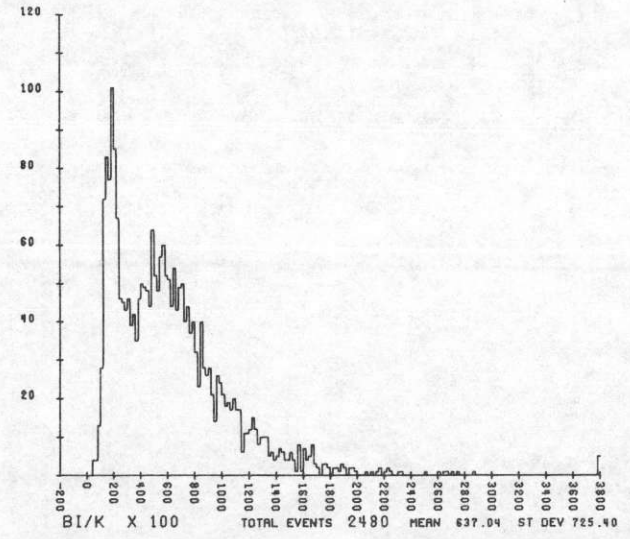
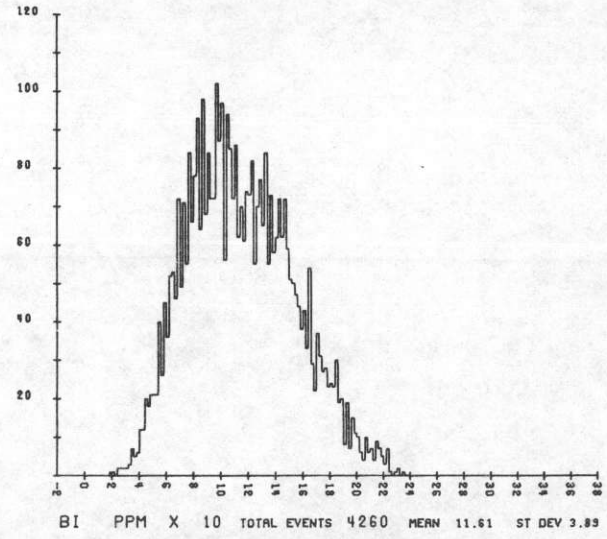
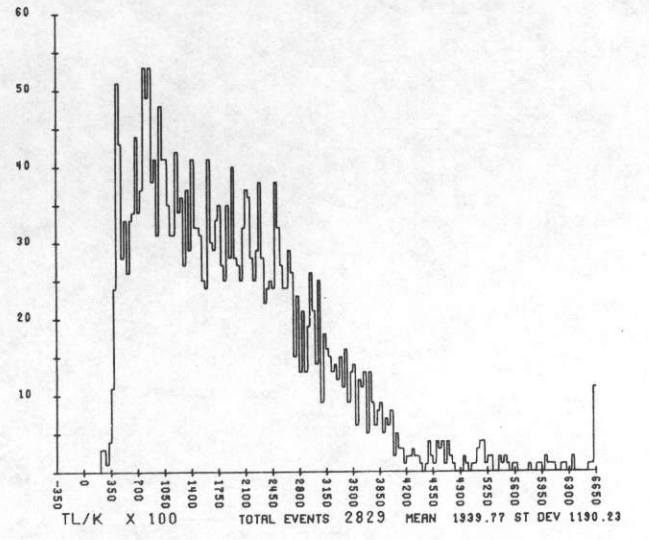
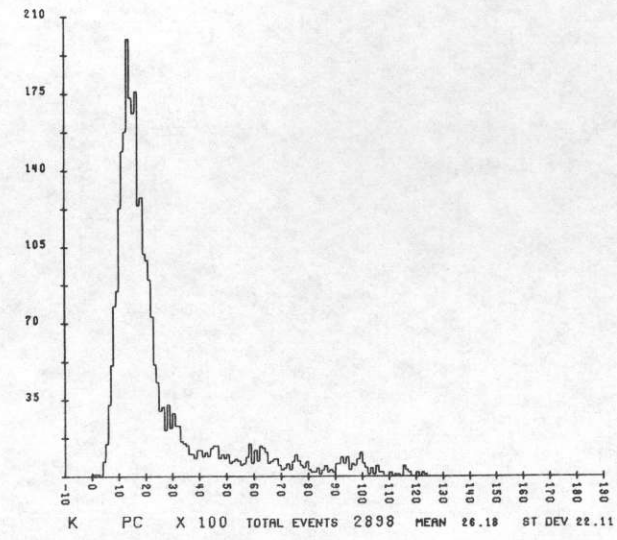
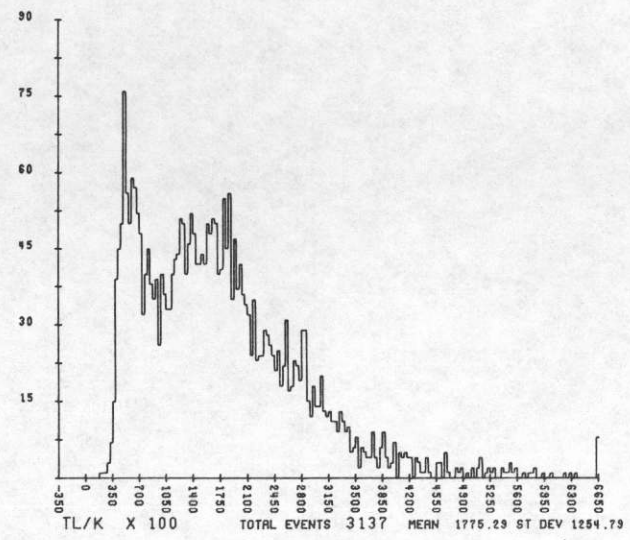
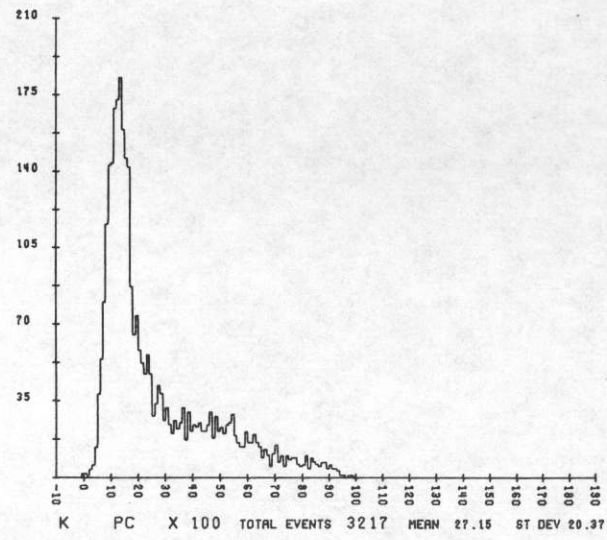


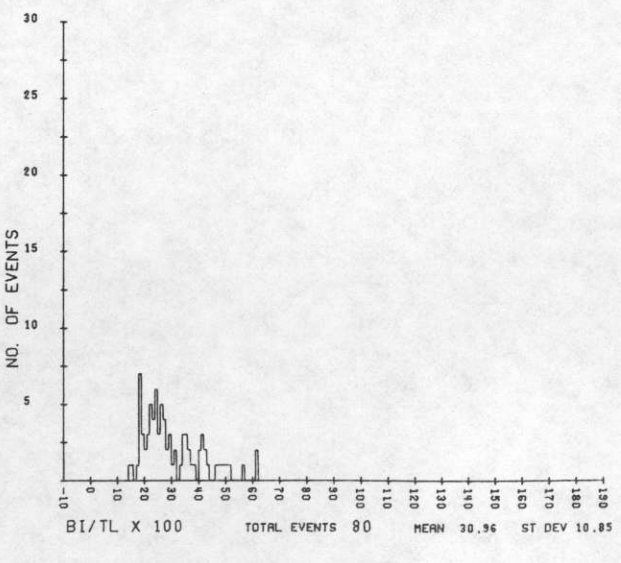
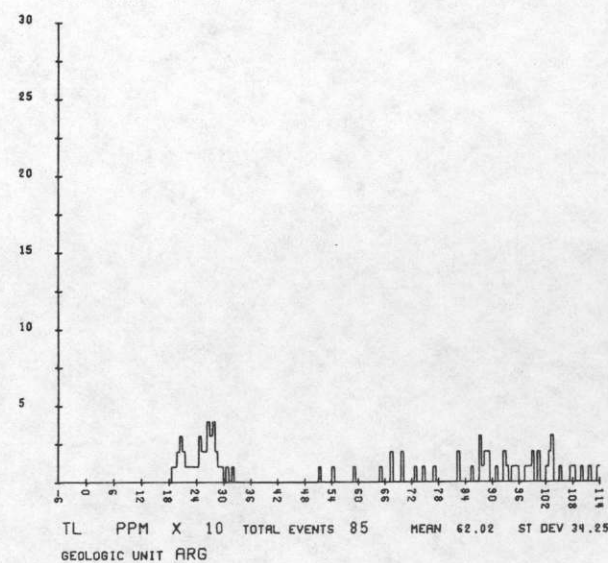
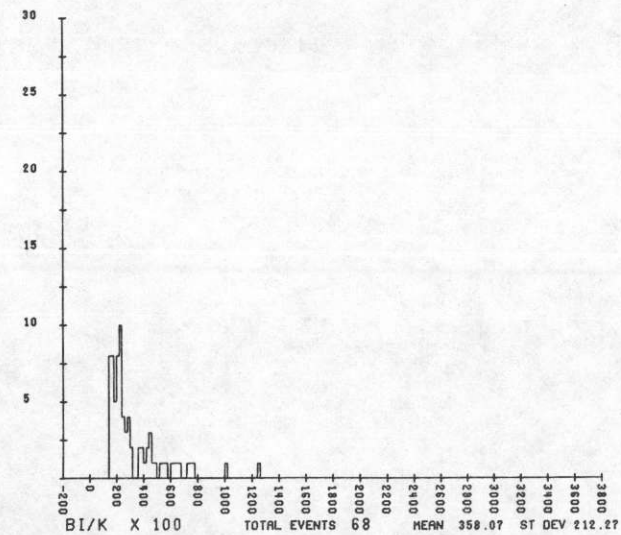
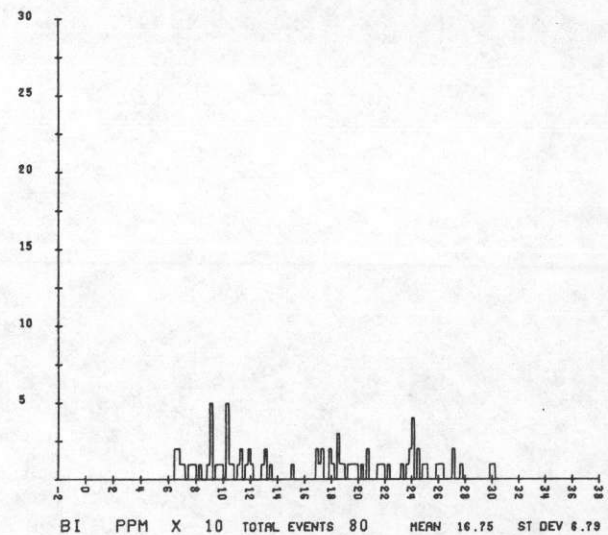
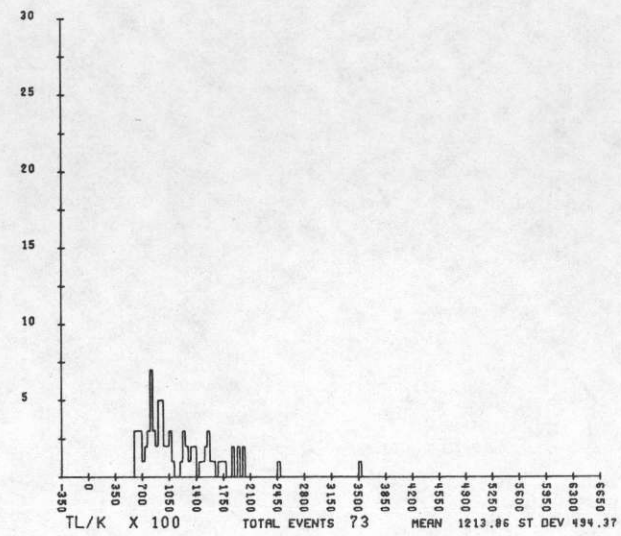
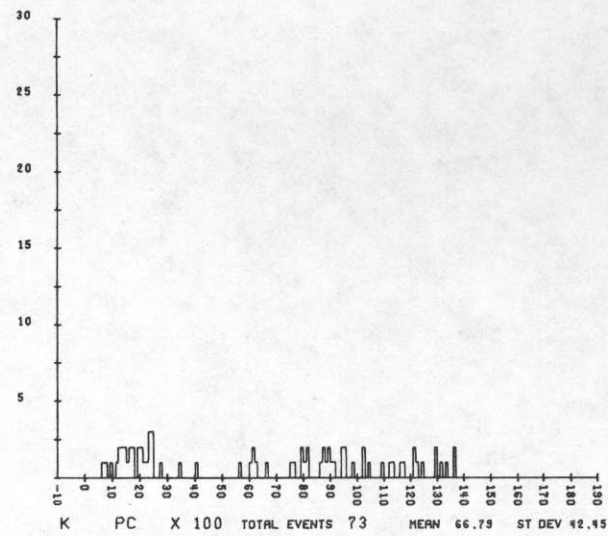
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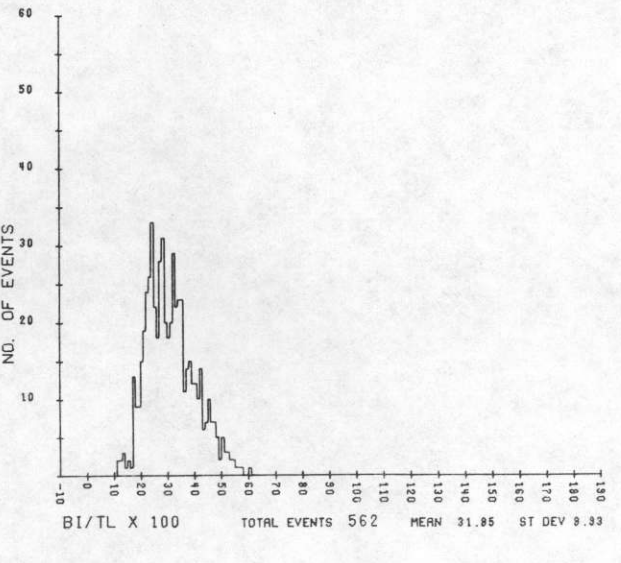
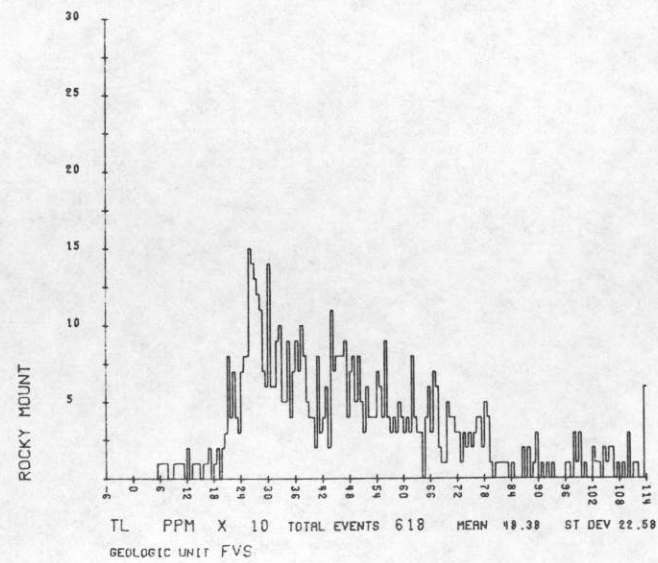
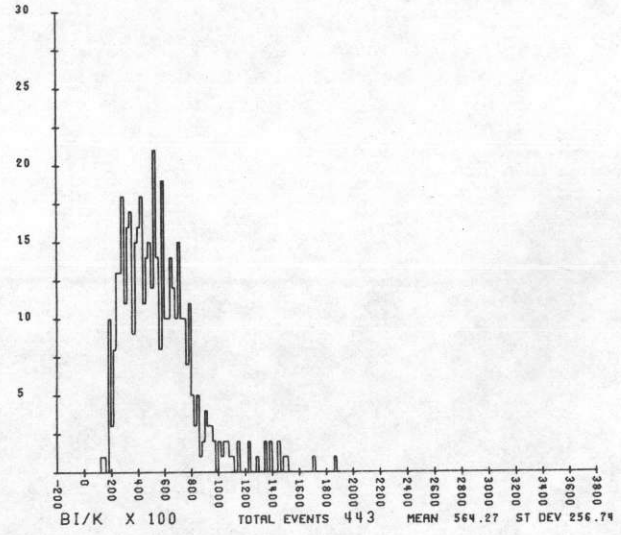
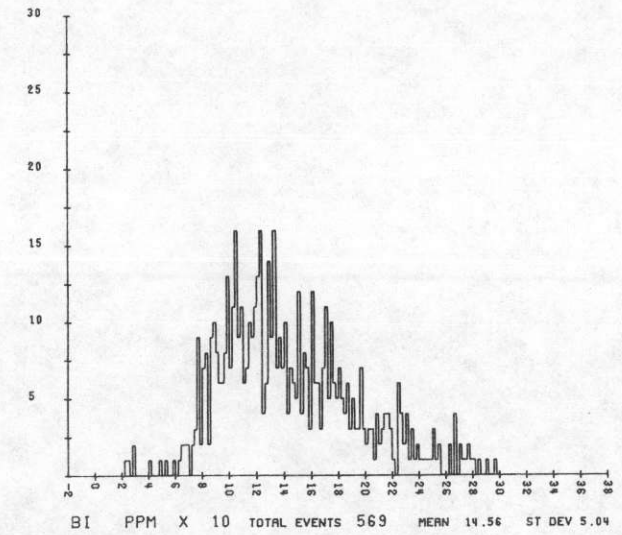
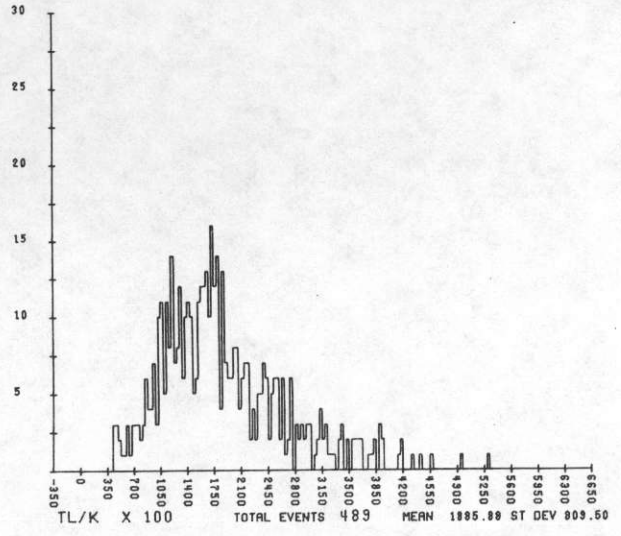
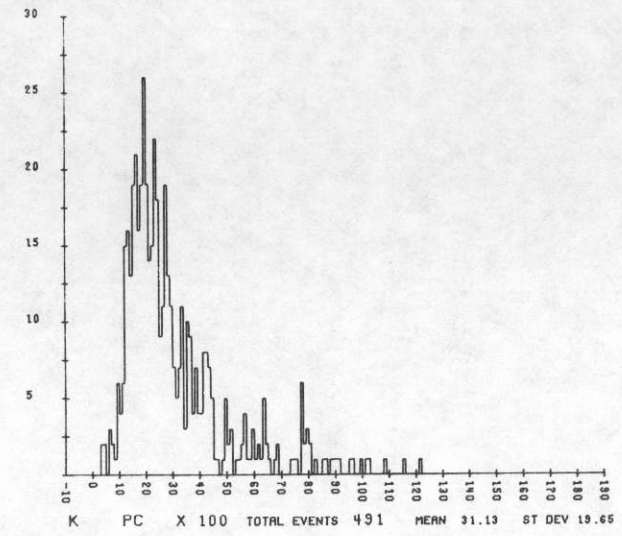
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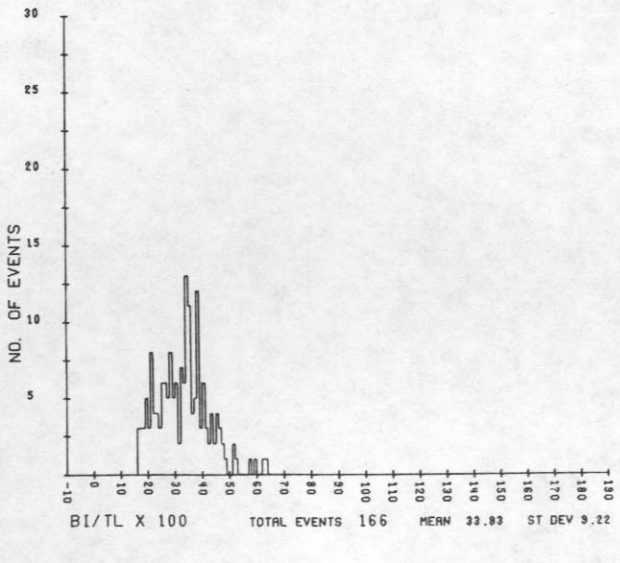
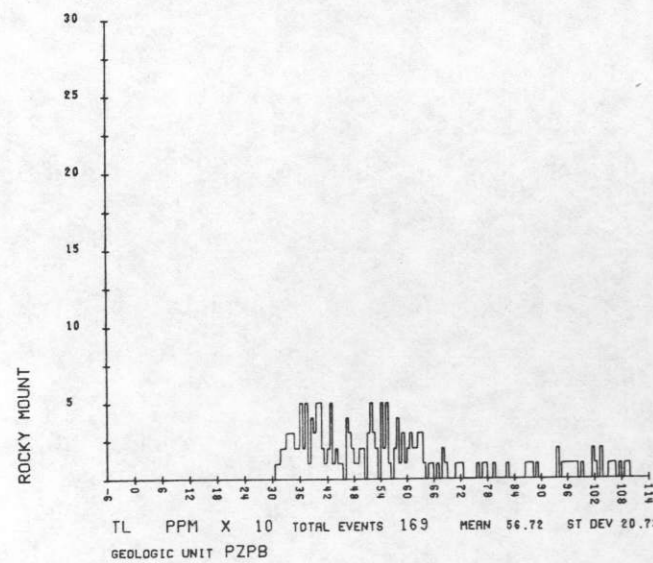
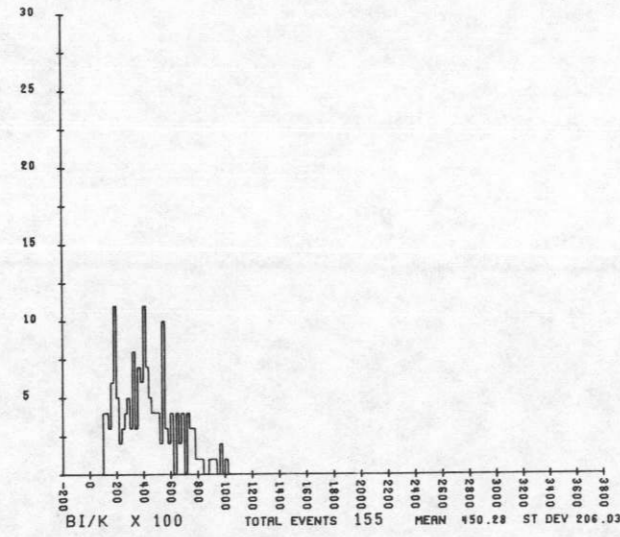
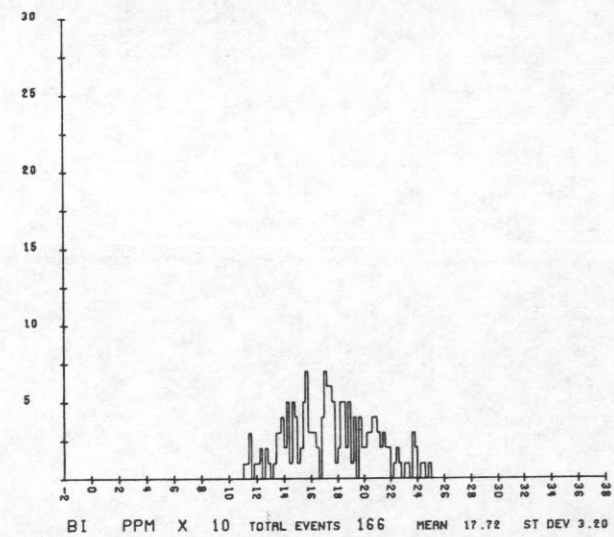
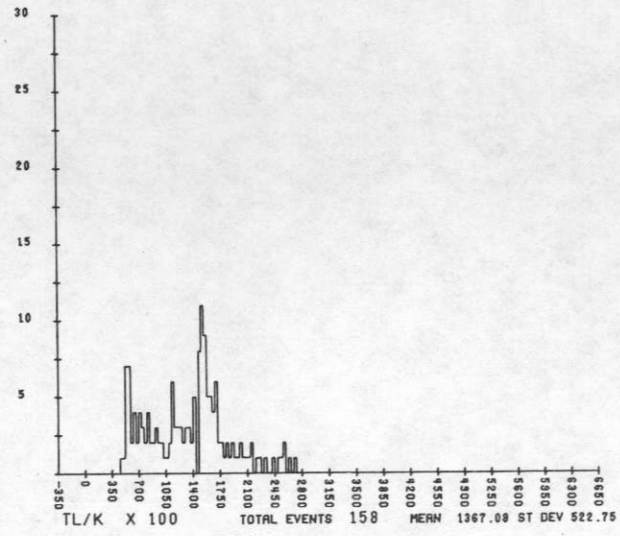
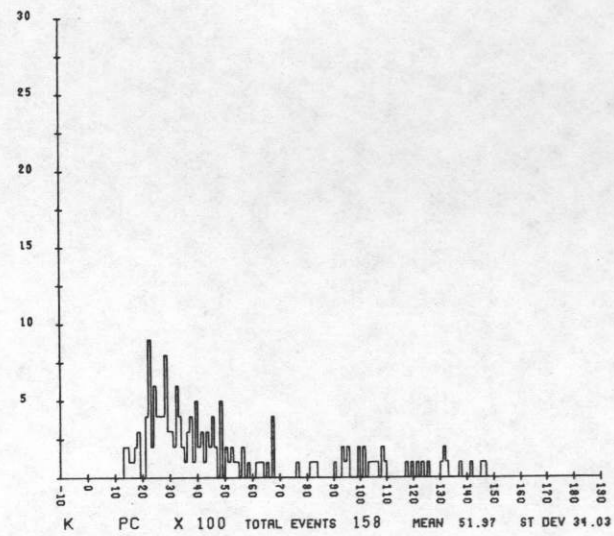




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SECTION V

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A. DATA ACQUISITION SYSTEM

A brief description of the computer-linked Geodata Data Acquisition System (GDAS), used in the present survey, is presented here. The five primary components of the GDAS, which are mounted aboard a Douglas Super DC-3 aircraft, Figure V.1, are:

- 1) An array of nine (9) 11½" dia. by 4" thick NaI(Tl) detectors;
- 2) a NOVA mini-computer system
- 3) a Collins ALT-50 radar altimeter system;
- 4) a proton precession magnetometer; and
- 5) a Bendix DRA-12C doppler navigation system.

The nine-crystal detector array has been calibrated to measure the gamma radiation spectrum between 0-6 MeV. The contents of the 3 to 6 MeV interval is monitored in order to reduce the contributions of the cosmic events in the 0-3 MeV interval, which is of primary interest in this survey. Eight of the nine detectors are mounted to measure the 4π solid angle gamma radiation spectrum emanating from the earth's surface. The ninth detector, which is partially shielded underneath by a 3.5-inch lead plate, is situated to measure the ²¹⁴Pb radiation incoming from the upper 2π solid angle.

Each crystal detector has an estimated volume of 415.5 cubic inches, resulting in a total volume for the entire 4π system of 3324 cubic inches. The estimated volume to velocity ratio for this system is 23.7, where the average speed for the DC3-S is approximately 140 mph.

The energy resolution of the GDAS as calculated from the ¹³⁷Cs 662 keV photopeak was 10.7%, where each individual crystal was 9.0% or better. Automatic digital gain calibration for the eight detector array and the single detector system was accomplished by stabilizing on the ⁴⁰K photopeak data.

The NOVA computer, shown in the system block diagram of Figure V.2, is the control center of the GDAS. The data is gathered by the computer for every one-second period in a manner giving no dead time when readout to the magnetic tapes for storage. Two magnetic tape recorders are used; one to record the total spectral data and the computer tabulated results (LDT), and the other to record only the computer tabulated results (CDT).



Figure V.1 Survey Aircraft

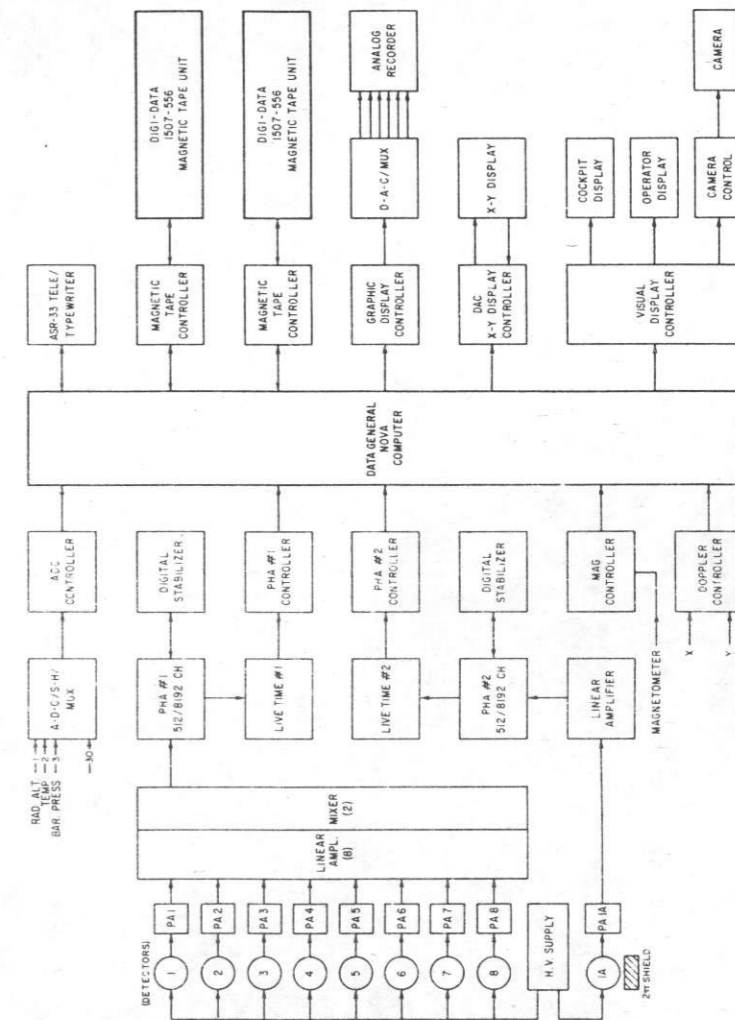


Figure V.2 System Block Diagram

Digital-to-analog conversion of the resultant intensities, their ratios and the magnetic field data are plotted on multi-track paper, allowing immediate examination for anomalous data.

The spectral data from the single detector system gathers and records the 2π spectral data every nine seconds. This 2π data is necessary to determine the amount of atmospheric ^{214}Bi radiation in the 4π spectral data. A third segment of the computer's core gathers and sums the total 2π and 4π gamma radiation spectra for each flight line, which can then be plotted as shown in Figure V.3 (EOFL spectrum).

Due to the dependence of the gamma ray data on altitude, a highly accurate radar altimeter is used. The Collins ALT-50 system is designed to make a series of 8 measurements per second, where the resulting altitude is the average.

Since the gathered data are dependent on the current ambient temperature and pressure readings, a Senso-Tek barometric pressure sensor and a Hy-Col thermocouple sensor were used to monitor conditions outside the aircraft.

A proton precession magnetometer sensor, having a 0.25 gamma readout resolution and less than a 1.0 gamma noise envelope, is sampled every second to yield a measurement of the total intensity of the earth's magnetic field below the aircraft. The sensor is carried as a "bird" on a 100-foot cable in order to minimize the magnetic effects of the aircraft.

A Bendix DRA-12C navigation system with a $\pm 100\text{th}$ /nautical mile accuracy provides a doppler navigation cross-track and along-track analog signal to be recorded each second onto magnetic tape. Two other methods are used to properly locate the aircraft's track: visual sightings and photography. The first method is employed by the navigator who marks flight map location reference points with computer-displayed record numbers. The second method is a 35mm film that records a continuous, recoverable track which has a 20% overlap/frame at an elevation of 400 feet.

There are three basic operating modes of the GDAS that the operator can manipulate:

- 1) CALIBRATE, which allows proper gain calibration for the detectors;
- 2) OPERATE, which allows data to be collected, summed and recorded; and
- 3) PLAYBACK, which allows the operator to examine the newly acquired data.

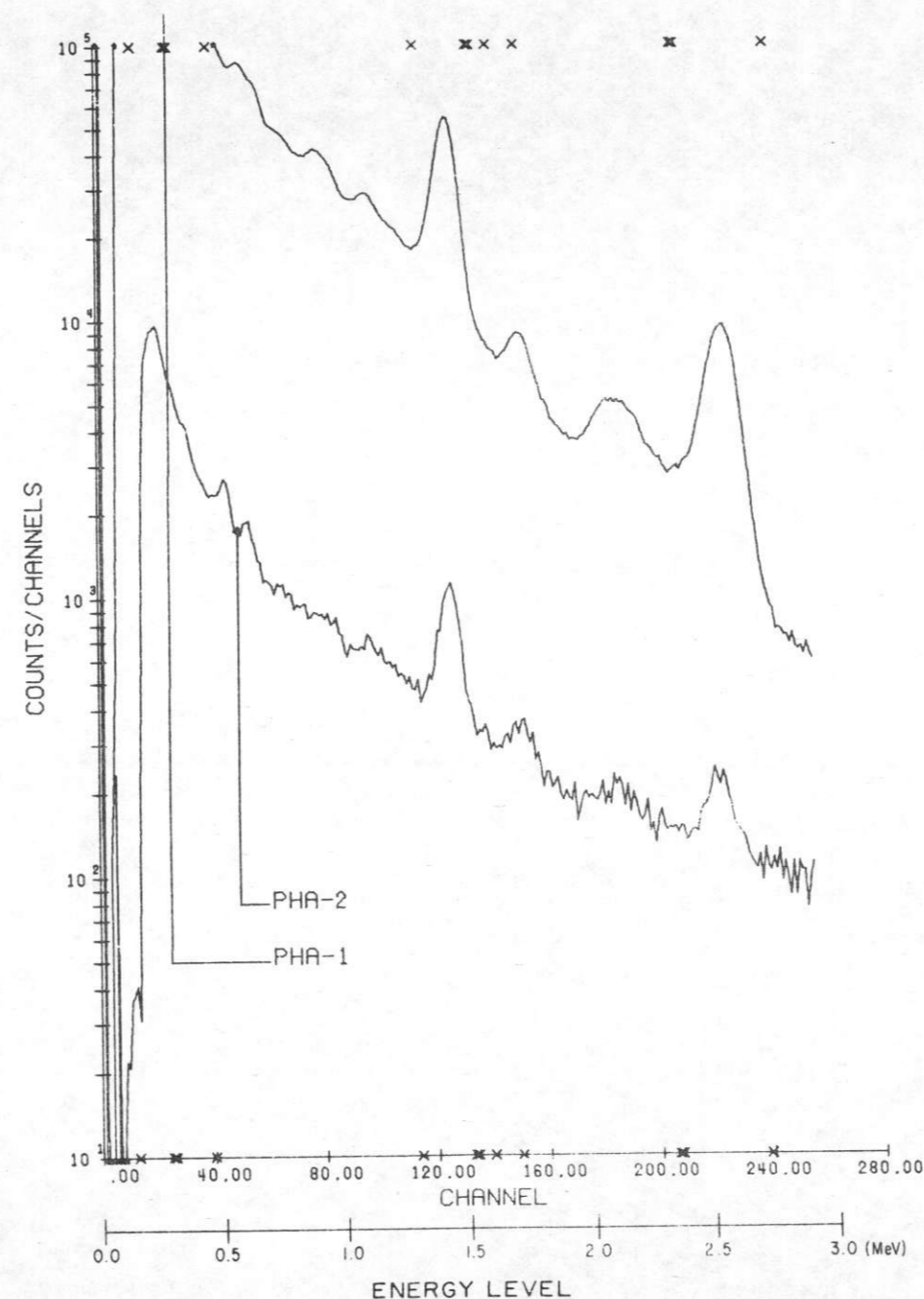


Figure V.3 Typical End-of-Flight-Line Spectral Plot

B. DATA PROCESSING

1. Data Reduction

The field data tapes produced by the data acquisition system (Section V.A) contain the 4π and 2π gamma radiation spectra, measured between 0 to 6 MeV. The resulting gamma ray spectra are composite spectra of the several different isotopes that emit gamma rays within the detectors' energy range. The method used in this work to determine the concentrations of the different isotopes monitored is discussed in this section.

In this work, there are four different isotopes which contributed to the resultant composite spectra under consideration. In order of the highest to lowest energy emitter, they are: cosmic, eH, eU and K counting rates.

Isotope	Energy Interval (MeV)
Cosmic	3.0 to 6.0
^{208}Tl	2.410 to 2.796
^{214}Bi	1.661 to 1.860
^{40}K	1.357 to 1.556

Due to the occurrence of Compton scatter at all gamma ray energy intervals, a 4×4 matrix method approach is used to "spectrally strip" the group summed counting rates into their individual counting rates attributed only to the isotope associated with that energy interval.

This matrix method approach is theoretically applicable to a spectrum containing any number of isotopic gamma rays. For convenience, the four isotopes will be denoted as: COS, TL, BI and K. The channel group sum for each energy interval can be considered to consist of fractional components of each of its constituents. For instance, one can write for the TL channel group sum:

$$a\text{COS} + 1.0\text{TL} + f\text{BI} + 0.0\text{K} = \text{MTL}$$

where MTL is the channel group sum count;

and the coefficients, which are known as Compton coefficients, for each variable represent the responses of the data gathering system to each isotope over the entire energy spectrum.

Similarly, equations can be written for the energy interval group sums for MCOS, MBI and MK, as shown below in matrix notation by

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1.0 & 0.0 & 0.0 & 0.0 \\ a & 1.0 & f & 0.0 \\ b & \alpha & 1.0 & g \\ c & \beta & \gamma & 1.0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \text{COS} \\ \text{TL} \\ \text{BI} \\ \text{K} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \text{MCOS} \\ \text{MTL} \\ \text{MBI} \\ \text{MK} \end{bmatrix}$$

where each element of the 4 x 4 matrix is a Compton coefficient. By inverting the 4 x 4 matrix and multiplying on the left by the channel group sum matrix, the resulting column matrix, whose elements are COS, TL, BI, and K, represents the counts in each energy interval attributed only to the indicated isotope source.

Table V.1 contains the data reduction parameters, coefficients and backgrounds used in this survey. The listed Compton coefficients were determined from data acquired during high altitude flights and from "known" test pad data concentrations in Grand Junction, Colorado.

The resulting reduced counting rates for COS, TL, BI and K must then be normalized with respect to the measured live time counting rate of the data acquisition system. This is necessary in order to restore the linear relationship between the photopeak counts and the source's intensity. This procedure is accomplished by dividing the reduced counts by the live time, LTC1:

thus,

$$\begin{array}{lcl} \text{COS1} & = & \text{COS/LTC1} \\ \text{TL1} & = & \text{TL/LTC1} \\ \text{BI1} & = & \text{BI/LTC1} \\ \text{K1} & = & \text{K/LTC1} \end{array}$$

The next step in the data processing involves the subtraction of the background counts present onboard the aircraft. The background counts, which exist in the aircraft and its equipment, are determined from high altitude data where the data acquisition is free from all ground sources and atmospheric ^{214}Bi contamination. The background counts, denoted as B_{TL} , B_{BI} and B_K , used in this work are listed in Table V.1. During the processing, the backgrounds are checked by observing the resulting counting rates over large bodies of water, where the rates would have near zero intensities. The gross count's background counting rate, B_{GC} , over channels 35-239, is also given in Table V.1.

After the backgrounds have been subtracted from the live time corrected photopeak counts, thus

$$\begin{array}{l} \overline{\text{TLI}} = \text{TL1} - B_{TK} \\ \overline{\text{BII}} = \text{BI1} - B_{Bi} \\ \overline{\text{KI}} = \text{K1} - B_K \end{array}$$

The resulting counting rates for $\overline{\text{TLI}}$ and $\overline{\text{KI}}$ represent the counts contributed only by the sources below the aircraft on the earth's surface. In the case of $\overline{\text{BII}}$, an additional source of ^{214}Bi radiation, which is caused by atmospheric ^{214}Bi , BIAIR, is still eminent.

The 2π detector system data is used to determine the magnitude of the BIAIR to be subtracted. Since the predominate variable source affecting the 2π detector is the atmospheric ^{214}Bi , it is possible to utilize most of the 2π spectrum in the BIAIR determination, and thereby produce some improvement in the statistical error. The energy interval used for the 2π crystal is between 1.05 to 2.79 MeV. Within this interval, the aircraft's background, $B_{2\pi}$, and its Compton coefficient, $C_{2\pi}$, have been determined from the high altitude data. (See Table V.1).

The BIAIR associated with the unshielded detector array is determined, using the shielded detector by the relation:

$$\text{BIAIR} = \frac{G(x)}{(1 - k_2 G(x))} [VC - C_{2\pi} \cdot \text{COS1} - b_{2\pi} - RVALM]$$

where

$G(x)$ is the relationship between the 4π and 2π solid angles, the channel group sums and the number of detectors in the detector arrays;

VC is the 2π total count group sum of channels 91-239, c/s;

COS1 is the 4π cosmic count, greater than 3.0 MeV, c/s;

and,

$$\text{RVALM} = k_1 \overline{\text{TLI}} + k_2 \overline{\text{BII}} + k_3 \overline{\text{KI}}$$

where k_1, k_2, k_3 are constant factors that correct for the penetration/spill of the emanated surface radiation. These penetration/spill constants are dependent on the amount of lead shielding used on the 2π crystal. The values used in this work are listed in Table V.1.

$\overline{\text{TLI}}$, $\overline{\text{BII}}$ and $\overline{\text{KI}}$ have already been defined as the 4π reduced data counting rates, c/s.

Finally, the ^{214}Bi counting rate caused only by the surface sources is given by

$$\text{BISUR} = \overline{\text{BII}} - \text{BIAIR}$$

Briefly summarizing, $\overline{\text{TLI}}$, BISUR and $\overline{\text{KI}}$ are the counting rates as measured at the height of the aircraft. All interfering counts from cosmic, backgrounds and atmospheric ^{214}Bi have been removed.

Since the various counting rates are dependent upon the height of the aircraft above the surface terrain, it is necessary to correct the associated isotope's counting rate to an altitude of 400 feet above the surface terrain. This is accomplished through the equations indicated below:

$$\text{TLS} = \overline{\text{TLI}} \cdot e^{-\mu_1(400 - \frac{\rho}{\rho_0} x)}$$

$$\text{BIS} = \text{BISUR} \cdot e^{-\mu_2(400 - \frac{\rho}{\rho_0} x)}$$

$$\text{KS} = \overline{\text{KI}} \cdot e^{-\mu_3(400 - \frac{\rho}{\rho_0} x)}$$

and

$$\text{GC(gross count)} = (\overline{\text{GC}} - B_{GC} - S \cdot \text{BIAIR}) \cdot e^{-\mu_4(400 - \frac{\rho}{\rho_0} x)}$$

where

$\overline{\text{GC}}$ is the live time corrected gross count, channels 35-239,

S is the ratio of the BI data, channels 35-239 to channels 143-159,

B_{GC} is the gross count background,

TLS, BIS, KS are the respective photopeak's counting rates at 400 feet;

ρ_0 is the air density at standard temperature and pressure; 0.001293 gm/cc

ρ is the air density at the time the survey data was flown;

$\mu_1, \mu_2, \mu_3, \mu_4$ are the respective linear attenuation coefficients;

x is the aircraft's height above the surface terrain in feet.

The attenuation coefficients and other constants used in the altitude normalization are listed in Table V.1.

After each flight line of data has undergone the above data reduction, the average values for each radiation variable and variable ratios for each of the flight lines were plotted to demonstrate the consistency of the average values and that a smooth flow continues from day to day, and from the start to the finish of each day.

Diurnal variations of the magnetic field base station intensity were measured and applied to the field data. (See Section II.D and Appendix I.C). The magnetic heading corrections for the aircraft and its equipment used in this survey were determined by flying a predetermined path at a survey altitude in first an east to west direction, then in a west to east direction. The same procedure is used on a north to south path. Based on the data obtained in this fashion, see Table V.1, the heading corrections were removed from all the data. The magnetic field data were then IGRF corrected to give the residual magnetic field. The International Geomagnetic Reference Field subtracted was provided by the U.S. Geological Survey with reference to the IAGA Bulletin #38, "Grid Values and Charts by the IGRF 1975.0", National Technical Information Service Report #PB265483.

The system sensitivities at 400 feet used in this survey are shown in Table V.1.

2. Description of the Data Processing

The processing flow chart representative of the work performed in this survey is shown in Figure V.4.

As stated in Section V.A., the original field data tapes were recorded to contain the various tag words, 4π and 2π spectral

TABLE V.1: DATA REDUCTION PARAMETERS AND CONSTANTS - N540S 1979

AIRCRAFT BACKGROUNDS				COSMIC CORRECTION RATIOS	
Detector	Parameter	Window	Value (CPS)	Parameter	Value
Terrestrial (4π)	B_K	Potassium	25.82	c	0.2028
	B_{Bi}	Uranium	9.42	b	0.1546
	B_{Th}	Thorium	7.60	a	0.1897
	B_{GC}	Gross	337.0	-	-
Atmospheric (2π)	$B_{2\pi}$	Uranium	8.19	$C_{2\pi}$	0.2169

DERIVED STRIPPING COEFFICIENTS AND RATIOS			
Coefficient	Value	Coefficient	Value
α	0.2889	k_1	0.053
β	0.3896	k_2	0.0
γ	0.8669	k_3	0.0
f	0.0	S	17.5
g	0.0		

LINEAR ABSORPTION COEFFICIENTS		
Radio Element	Parameter	Value ($\times 10^{-3}$ per ft.)
Potassium	μ_1	2.795
Uranium	μ_2	2.212
Thorium	μ_3	2.129
Gross	μ_4	2.160

MAGNETIC HEADING CORRECTION	
Flight Direction	Correction (gammas)
West to East	+3.56
East to West	-3.56
North to South	-1.0
South to North	+1.0

RADIOELEMENT	SYSTEM SENSITIVITIES AT 400 FEET
Potassium (cps/%K)	105.00
Uranium (cps/ppm eU)	13.85
Thorium (cps/ppm eTh)	7.24

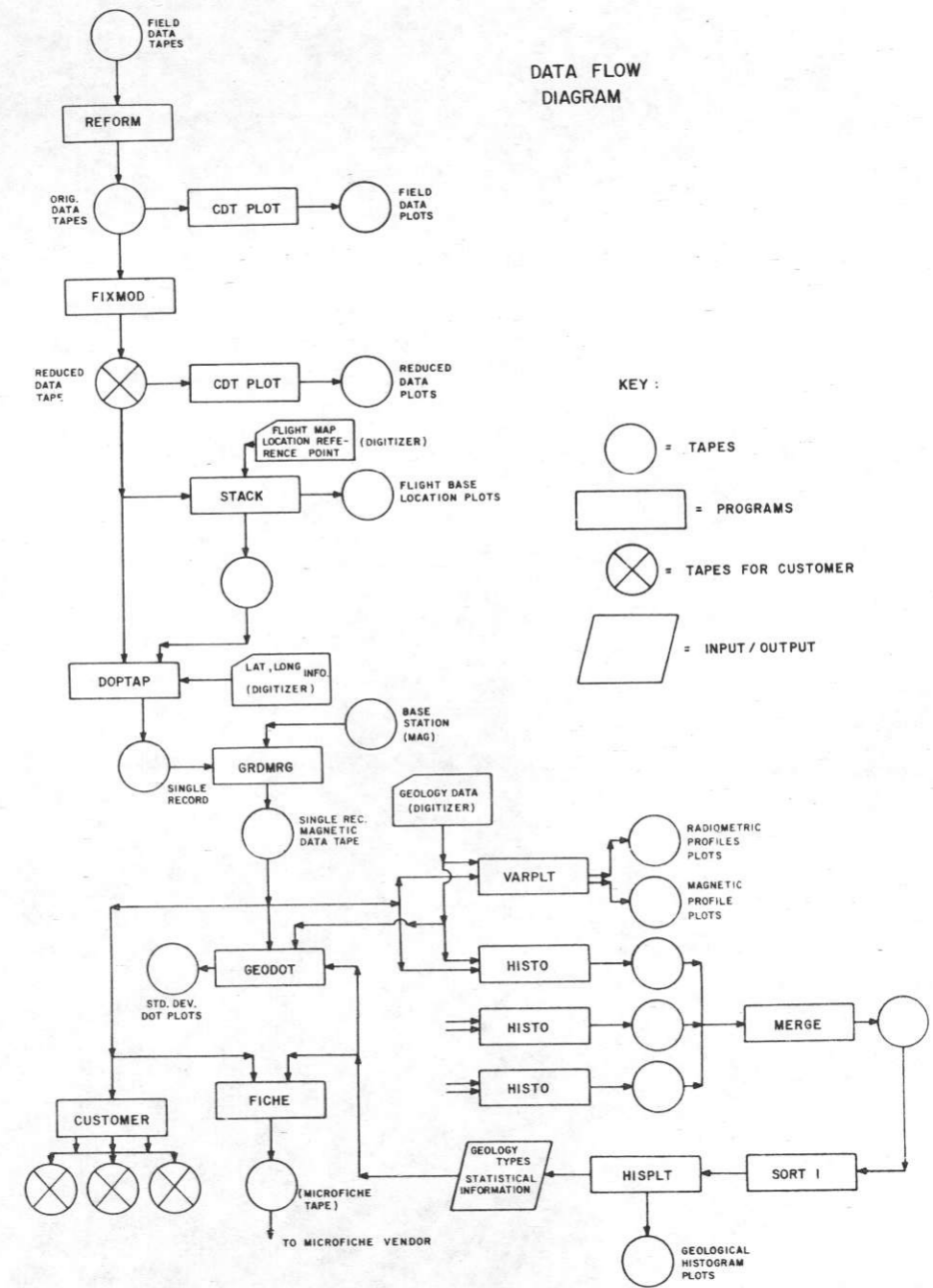


Figure V.4 Data Reduction Flow Chart

data and the trailer record sums for each flight line. The purpose of the REFORM program is to sum the raw spectral data (LDT) into the proper group sum energy intervals for each second for each line. The CDTPLT program is a data certification program that produces the EOFL spectral plots, Figure V.3, and profiles of each of the channel group sums, which are plotted as a function of each line's record numbers.

A brief summary of each program and its uses is given below:

PROGRAM	FUNCTION
REFORM	Produces energy group sums and EOFL spectra.
FIXMOD	Primary processing for "spectral stripping" matrix reduction, live time normalization, background and BIAIR subtraction, and altitude corrections.
STACK	Flight path recovery to produce record location map at a scale of 1:250,000.
DOPTAP	Single record processing with latitude/longitude positioning, IGRF and single point statistical adequacy computations, and magnetic heading corrections.
GNDMRG	Merges aircraft magnetometer and ground magnetometer in proper time sequence and applies diurnal corrections to the field data.
VARPLT	Produces radiometric and magnetic stacked profile plot tapes.
HISTO, MERGE, and SORT1	Preliminary programs to prepare/sort data as a function of geologic type for the entire area.
HISPLT	Produces geological histograms, mean and standard deviation tables, and plot tape for the entire area.
GEODOT	Produces plot tape for standard deviation "dot plots" related to geologic type.
FICHE	Produces average record and single record reduced data listings and microfiche tapes, which are sent to microfiche vendor.
CUSTOMER	Produces all customer required tapes.

3. Data Presentation

The surveyed area was positioned geographically to completely cover the specific National Topographic Map. Each topographic map has been used as the flight base and sufficient geographical and 15' location information has been shown. The flight line pattern has been superpositioned onto these created base maps, where the standard deviation levels for each independent variable and each ratio of these variables have been plotted (NGRMS), based on the data contained within the total map area. Every fifth data point along each map line has its standard deviation value shown at the location of that value. Therefore, there are six NGRMS sheets which indicate the location and magnitude of anomalous data.

The multivariable map line profile, which represents 10 variables as a function of their latitude and longitude location for each line, is presented at a scale of 1:500,000. Each profile presents:

1. Aircraft altitude above the surface
2. eTh (^{208}Tl from ^{232}Th decay series)
3. eU (^{214}Bi from ^{238}U decay series)
4. K (^{40}K from natural potassium)
5. BIAIR (atmospheric ^{214}Bi)
6. Residual magnetic field
7. Gross count (greater than 400 keV)
8. eU/eTh ($^{214}\text{Bi}/^{208}\text{Tl}$) ratio
9. eU/K ($^{214}\text{Bi}/^{40}\text{K}$) ratio
10. eTh/K ($^{208}\text{Tl}/^{40}\text{K}$) ratio
11. Geologic data, including aircraft flight path

The residual magnetic field map line profile, which represents five variables as a function of their latitude and longitude location for each line, plus geologic data at a scale of 1:500,000 is presented as:

1. Aircraft altitude
2. Atmospheric temperature
3. Atmospheric pressure
4. Residual magnetic field data
5. Magnetic field base line station data
6. Geological data, including aircraft flight path

The output of these various computations supplies, beyond two profile sets, the following data:

- * Histograms of the radiation data distribution within each geologic unit.

- * Histograms of the average velocity distribution for each one-second record for each map and tie line.
- * Histograms of the average altitude distribution for each one-second record for each map and tie line.
- * Tables giving the average radiation concentration of each geologic unit for each flight line.
- * Average radiation concentration for each variable as a function of flight line, including the atmospheric ^{214}Bi .
- * Set of maps showing the standard deviation data as a function of location and radiation variable.
- * Printer plot contour maps of eTh, eU, K, eU/K, eU/eTh, eTh/K and the magnetics at a scale of 1:500,000.

4. Statistical Analysis Procedures

It is necessary to exclude from the statistical analysis all variables which have too low a counting rate to be statistically valid, and data which were obtained at altitudes above 1,000 feet. To this end, a statistical adequacy test was run on all data for each data record. If a given value of T_v, Bi or K failed the test, that variable value, and any ratio value associated with it, were not used in the statistical determinations of mean and standard deviation values. In addition, such values are indicated on the radiometric profiles by a vertical (tick) mark along the base line for the variable, and are flagged in the single record and averaged record listings (microfiche). The ratio values are set to zero in the Radiometric Profile Plots. The flags in the listings appear under the heading AKUT for altitude, ^{40}K , ^{214}Bi and ^{208}Tl , respectively. The flags are zero for statistically valid data, and one for rejected data in the case of K, U and T. For altitude (A), a zero indicates altitudes to 700 feet, a one (1) indicates altitudes between 700 and 1,000 feet, and a two (2) indicates altitudes above 1,000 feet.

The tests used to reject data were as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
 (1) \quad T\bar{L}I < 1.5 & \quad \sqrt{\frac{T\bar{L}W - T\bar{L}I}{T\bar{L}I}} = 1.5\sigma T \\
 (2) \quad B\bar{I}S\bar{U}R < 1.5 & \quad \sqrt{\frac{B\bar{I}W - B\bar{I}S\bar{U}R}{B\bar{I}S\bar{U}R}} = 1.5\sigma B \\
 (3) \quad K\bar{I} < 1.5 & \quad \sqrt{\frac{K\bar{W} - K\bar{I}}{K\bar{I}}} = 1.5\sigma K
 \end{aligned}$$

where the "w" subscript refers to the respective window counting rates from the raw data and \bar{T}_w , BISUR and \bar{K}_w have previously been defined. If any of the above inequalities were true, the associated variable was flagged, and that value was rejected in all statistical determinations.

The values of the radicals in the above equations, which are indicated as σ_I , σ_B , σ_K and the barred values, were calculated on the basis of a single record value for determining flags in the single record listings and the 7-point weighted values for determining flags in the averaged records listings.

The mean value and standard deviations were calculated assuming the data to have a normal distribution within a geologic type. The equation used in determining the variance is:

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{1}{N-1} \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^N x_i^2 - N\bar{x}^2 \right\}$$

where N is the number of statistically valid samples for a given geologic type, x_i is the value of the variable for sample number i, and \bar{x} is the mean value of the variable for the geologic type. Values from the entire survey of the area are used in these computations.

APPENDICES

I PRODUCTION SUMMARY

II TAPE FORMAT STATEMENTS

III COMPUTER LISTINGS

IV LINE PRINTER CONTOURS

AI.A PRODUCTION SUMMARY - SURVEY TIME PERIOD

ML/TL	DATE FLOWN	SURVEY LINE MILES	AVERAGE SPEED/DAY	AVERAGE ALTITUDE/DAY
ML2,4,6,8,10,12,14,16,18,20,21,22,23	August 13, 1979	839	135	430
ML1E,1W,3	August 16, 1979	184	137	445
ML15E,15W,15C,17E,19E,TL1,2,3,4,5,6,7,TL1(Manteo)	August 17, 1979	643	139	426
ML9,11,13,17W,19W	August 18, 1979	485	133	418
ML5,7E	August 20, 1979	101	132	434
ML7W	August 23, 1979	65	135	417

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AI.B TEST LINE RESULTS

UNIT	AUGUST - 1979			
	16	17*	18	20* 23
PRE COS	31.52	31.62	31.16	31.02 30.16 29.80
POS COS	31.21	31.37	31.02	- - -
TL	29.96	30.08	14.44	15.86 21.34 31.84
TL	29.17	29.17	31.54	- - -
Bi	18.86	14.39	9.06	10.03 14.36 19.11
Bi	15.72	15.43	14.63	- - -
K	25.35	26.91	12.01	14.57 21.18 27.26
K	28.58	28.81	24.09	- - -
TGC	893.66	848.90	500.00	678.34 812.96 909.67
TGC	859.67	853.97	859.54	- - -
BiAir	4.56	2.49	1.78	2.13 4.21 6.90
BiAir	3.40	3.74	3.58	- - -
ALT	498.70	436.06	438.29	547.32 563.72 436.85
ALT	456.85	454.89	463.30	- - -

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* Test Line Location Changes

AI.C DIURNAL CORRECTIONS TO LINE DATA

LINE	DIURNAL CORRECTIONS IN GAMMAS	LINE	DIURNAL CORRECTIONS IN GAMMAS
TL7	3	ML19E	-18
TL6	0	ML19W	14
TL5	-6	ML20	-33
TL4	0	ML21	8
TL3	0	ML22	-41
TL2	2	ML23	-26
TL1	-19		
TL1(Manteo)	0		
ML1W	9		
ML1E	8		
ML2	4		
ML3	0		
ML4	6		
ML5	2		
ML6	11		
ML7W	23		
ML7E	-22		
ML8	3		
ML9	0		
ML10	9		
ML11	-27		
ML12	20		
ML13	-20		
ML14	22		
ML15E	-21		
ML15C	-27		
ML15W	-35		
ML16	19		
ML17W	-14		
ML17E	-23		
ML18	-24		

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AI.D EXPLANATORY NOTES

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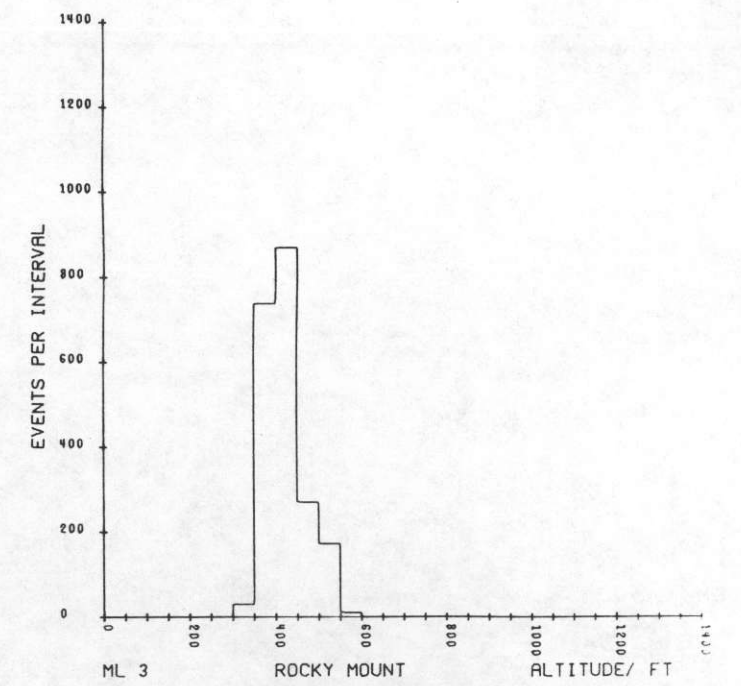
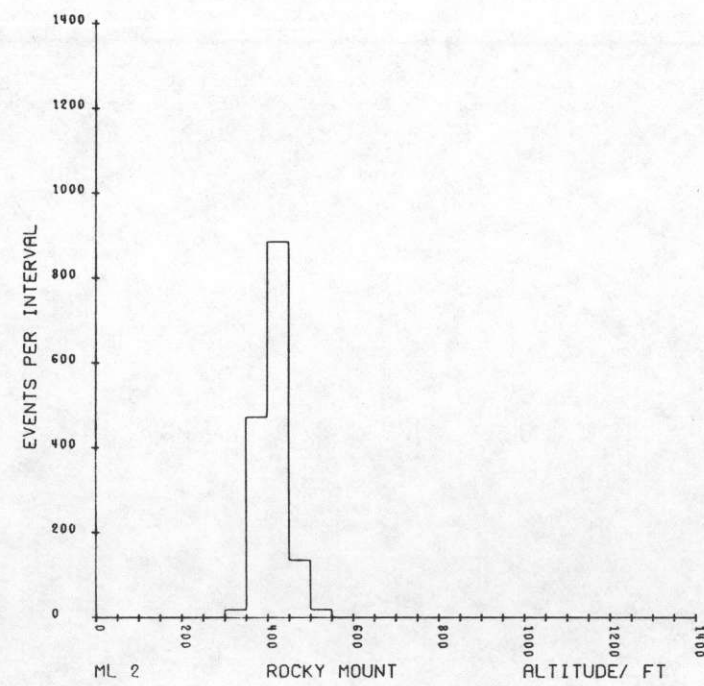
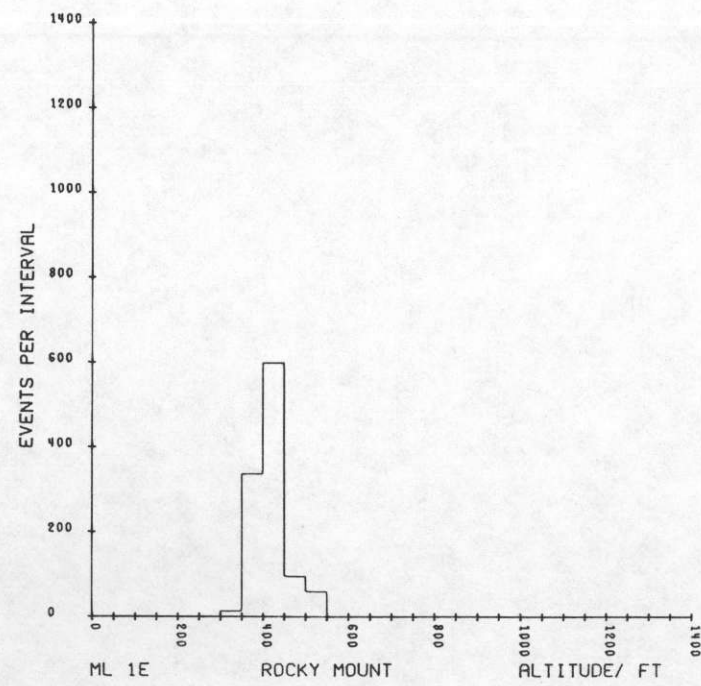
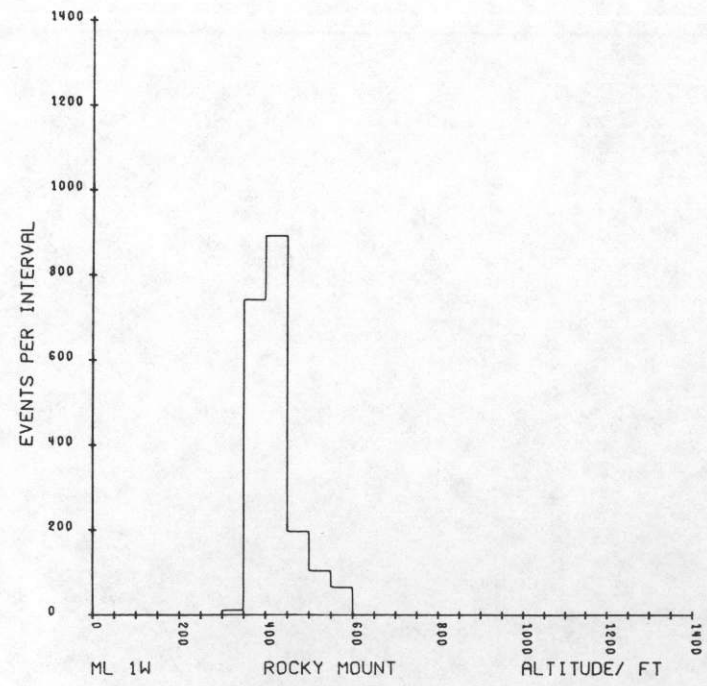
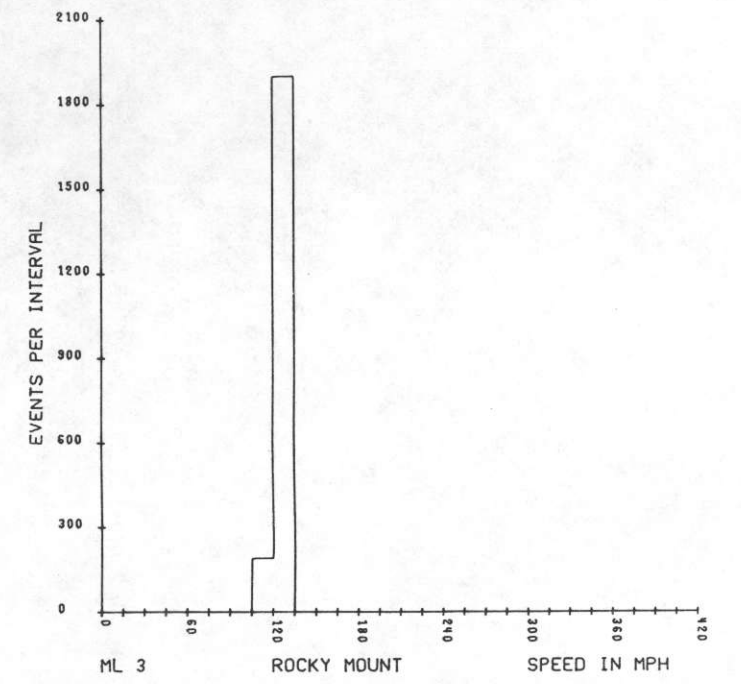
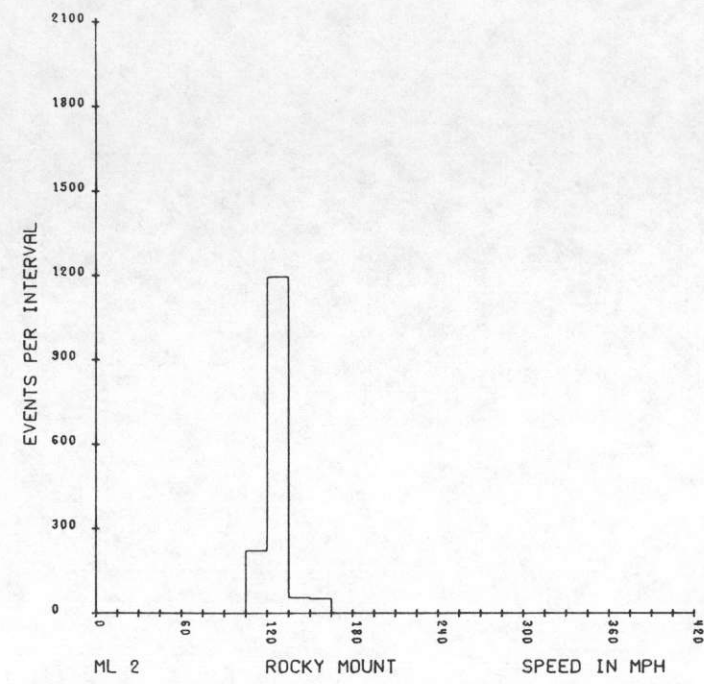
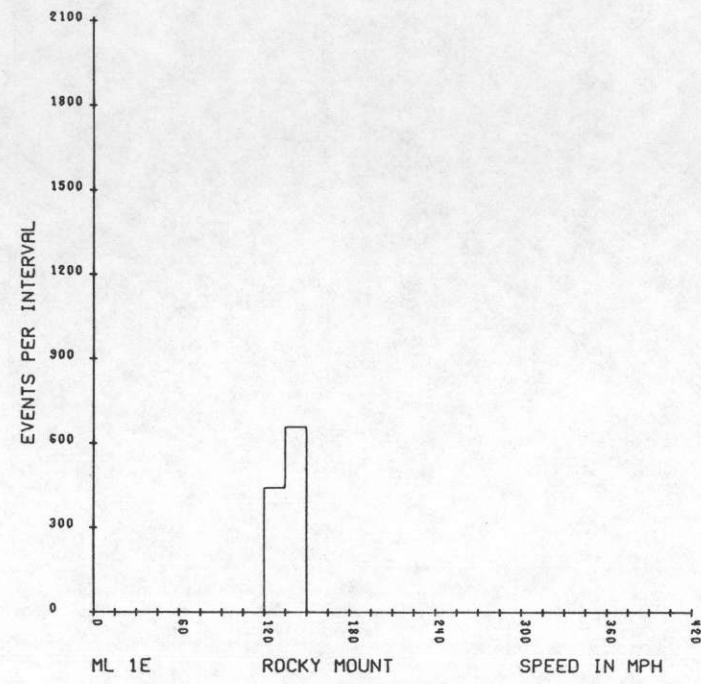
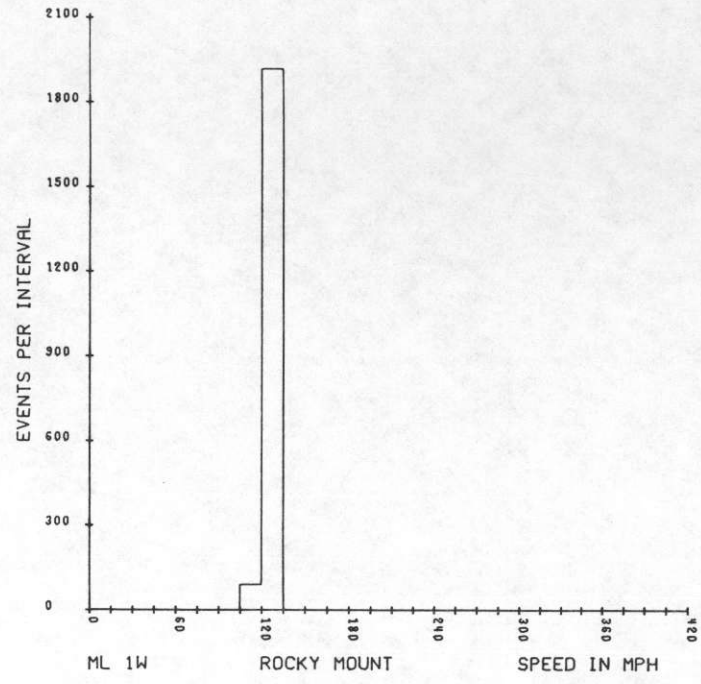
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ML4	80		
ML5	100		
ML6	120		
ML7W	140		
ML7E	141		
ML8	160		
ML9	180		
ML10	200		
ML11	220		
ML12	240		
ML13	260		
ML14	280		
ML15W	300		
ML15C	301		
ML15E	302		
ML16	320		
ML17W	340		
ML17E	341		
ML18	360		
ML19W	380		
ML19E	381		
ML20	400		
ML21	420		
ML22	440		
ML23	460		
TL1	5020		
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TL7	5140		
TL1(Manteo)			

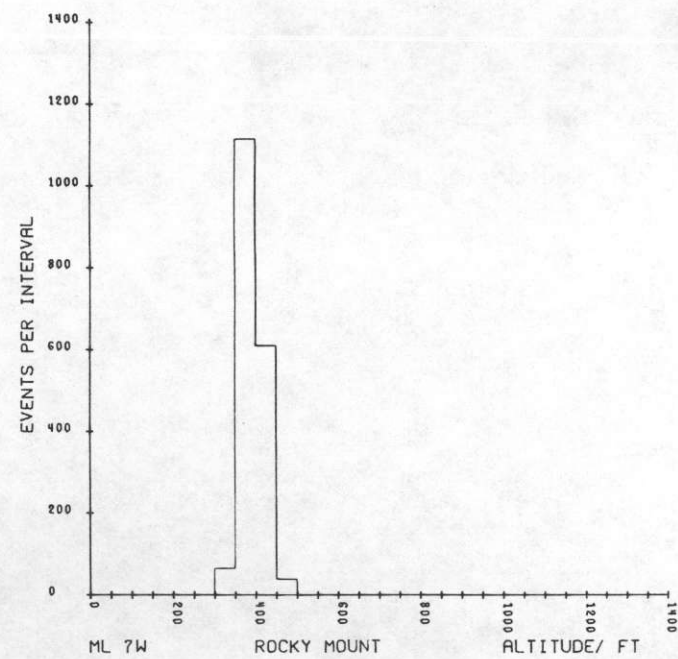
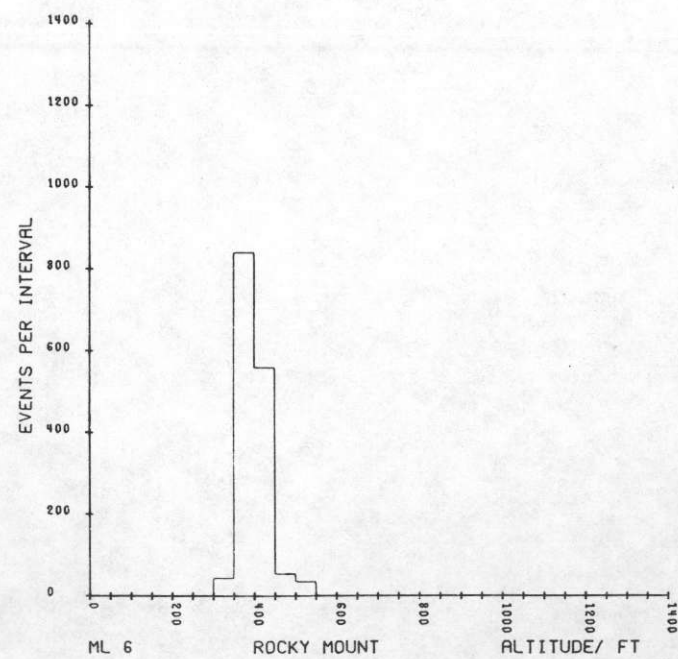
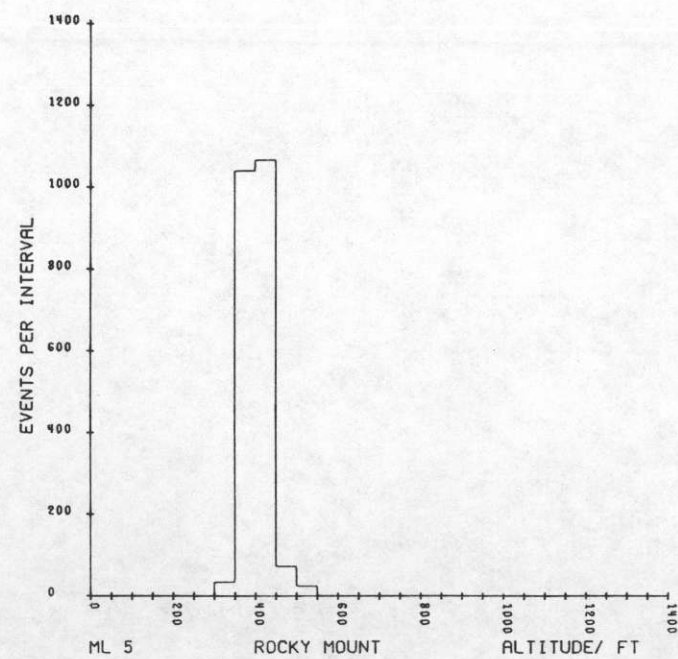
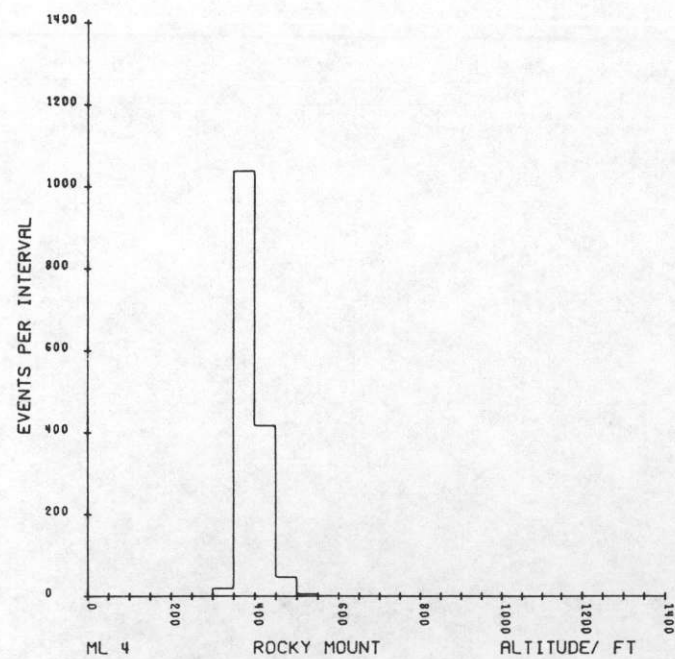
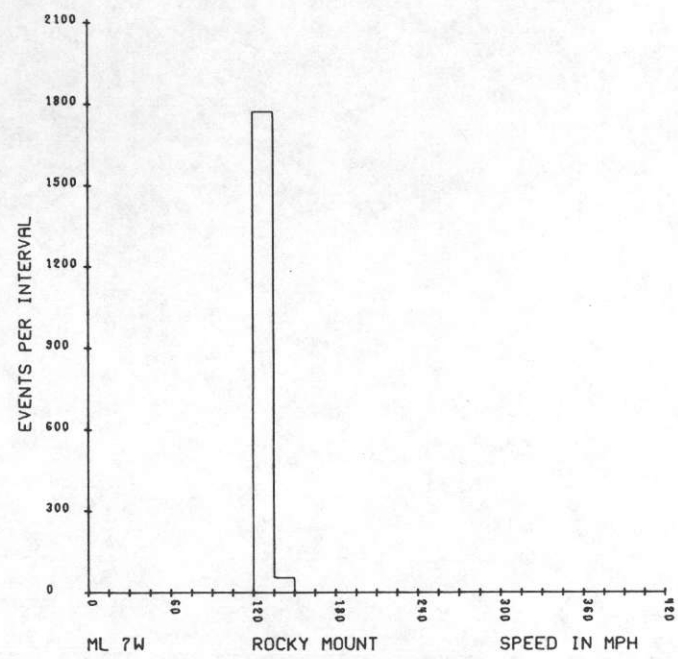
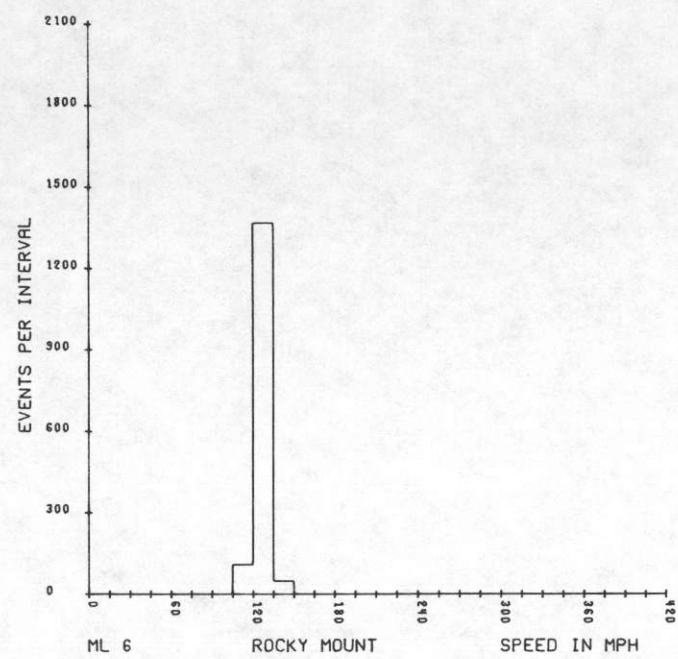
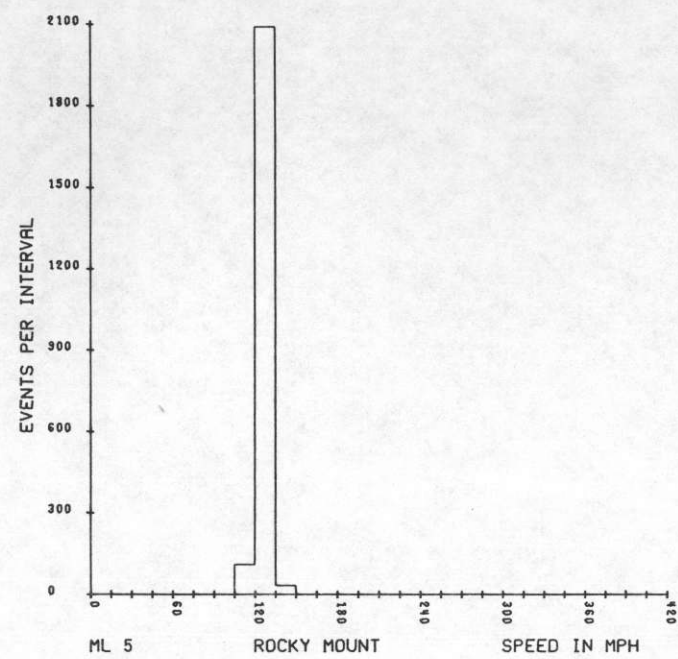
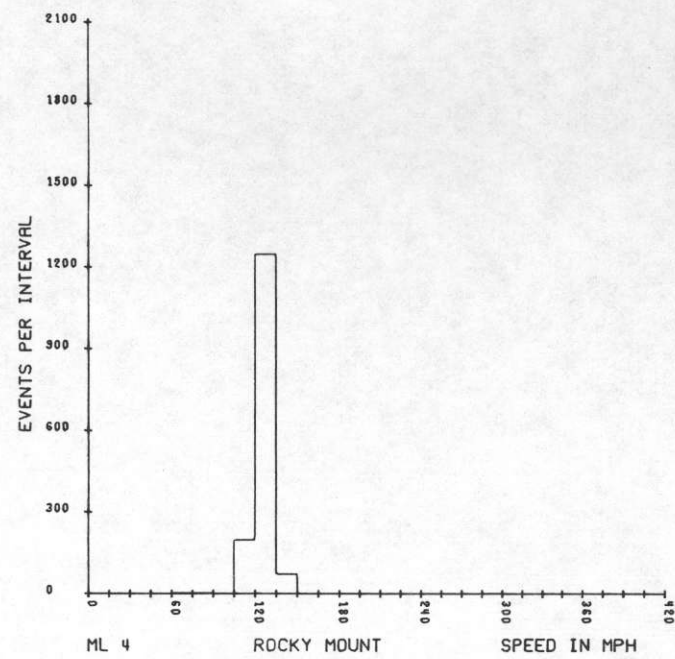
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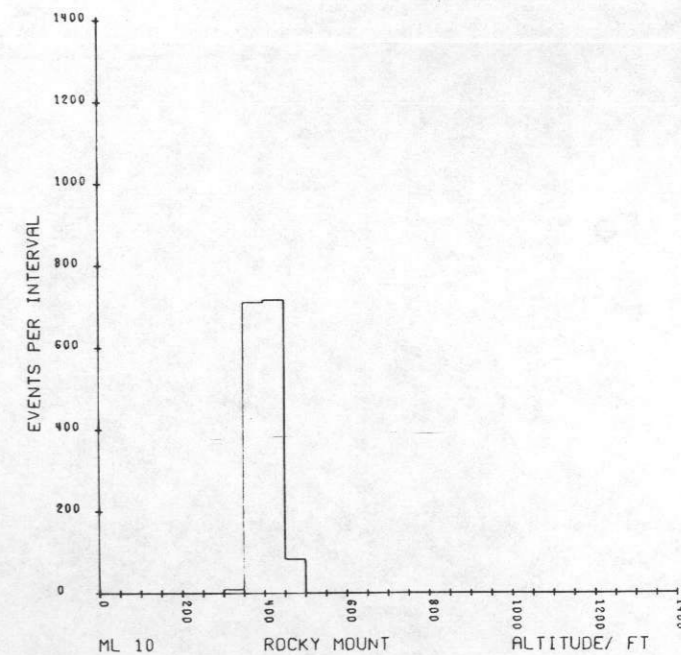
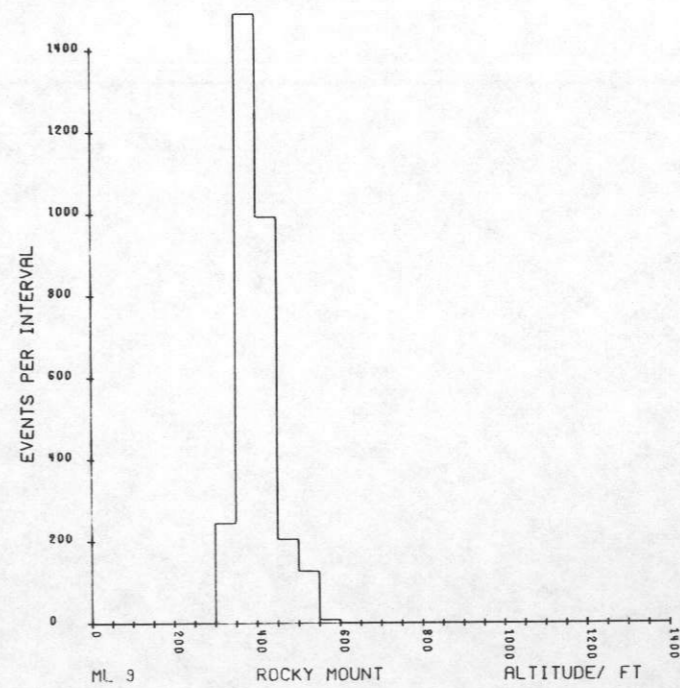
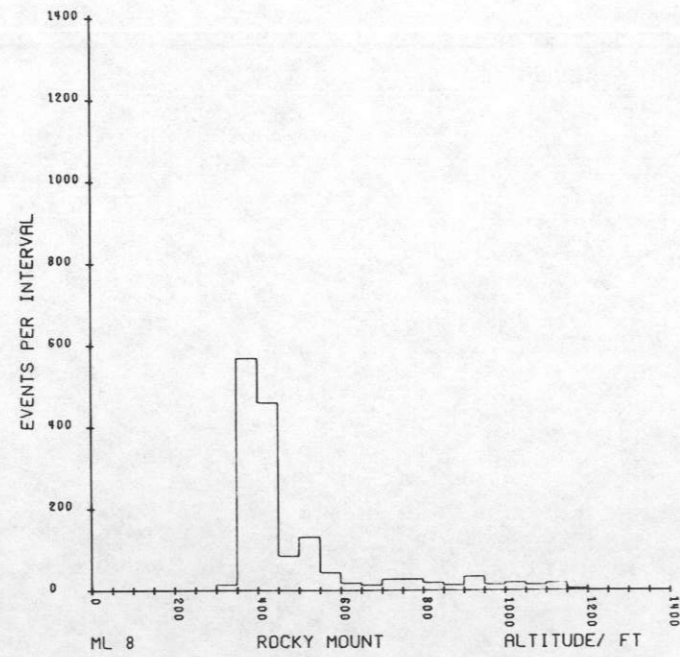
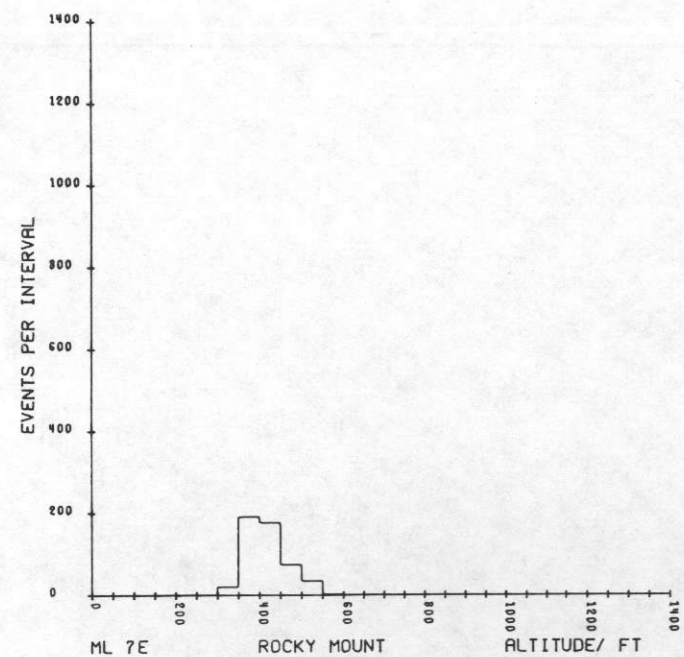
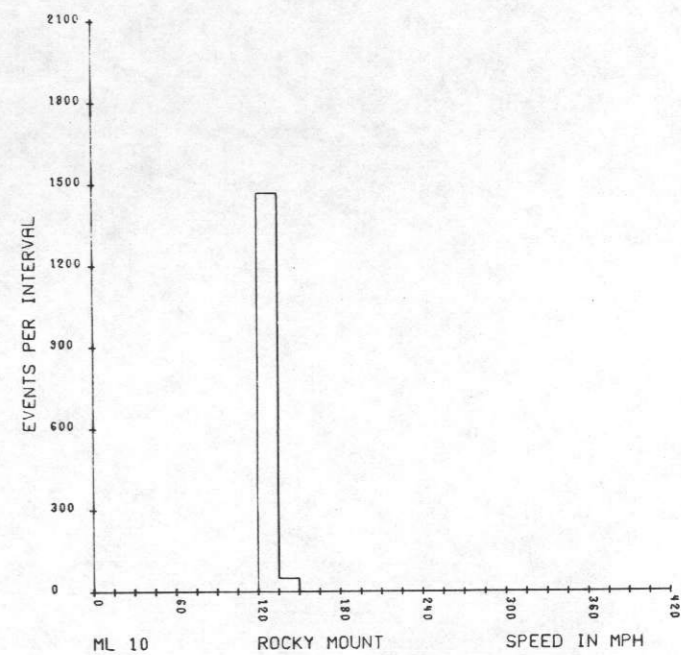
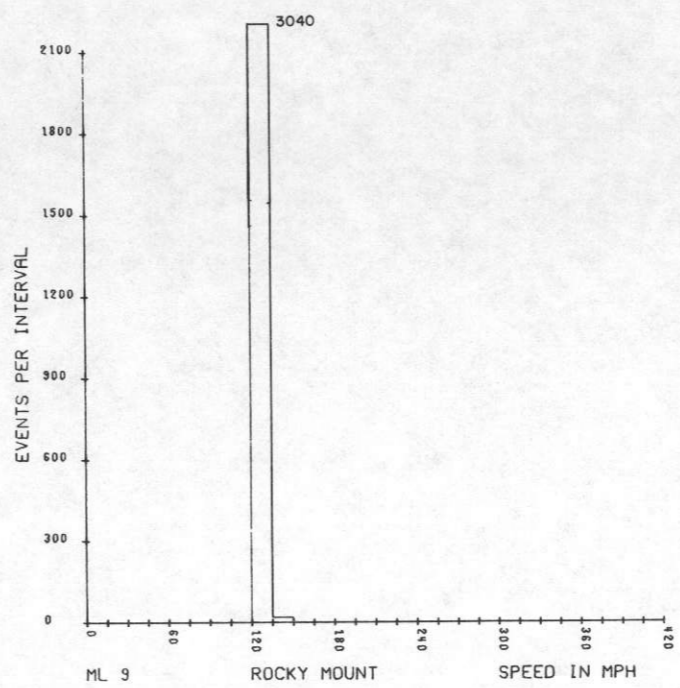
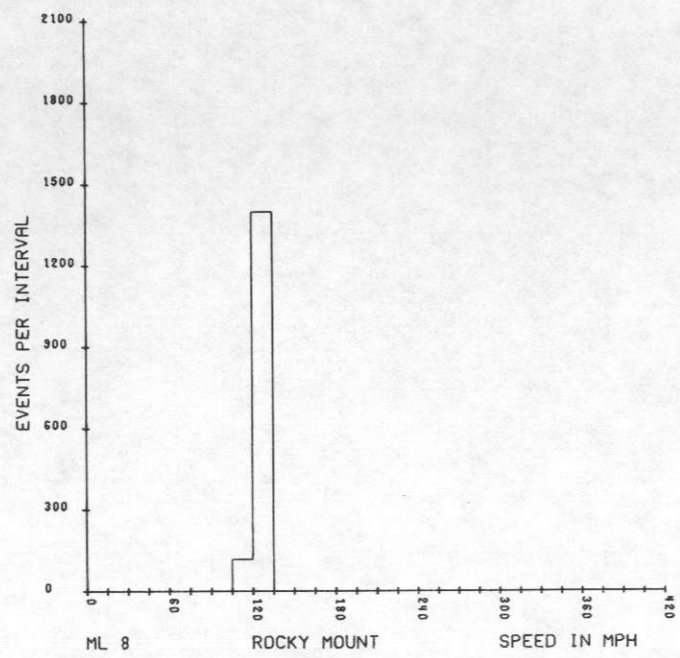
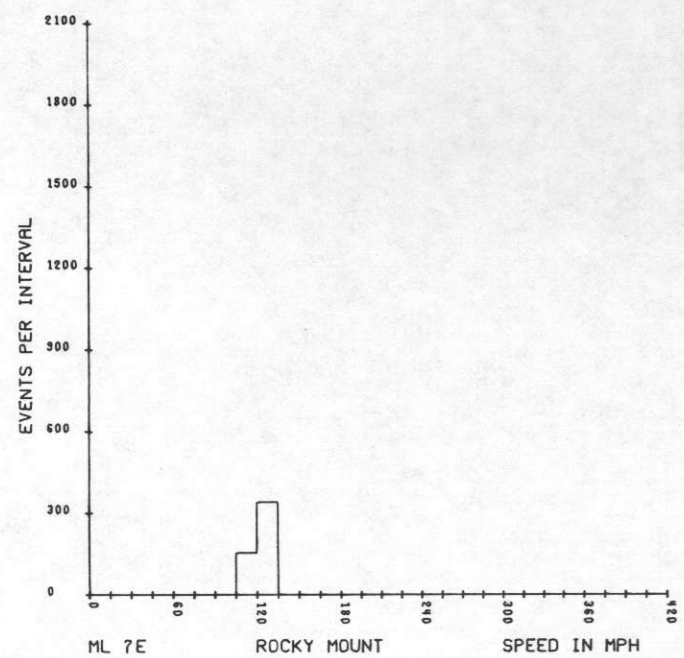
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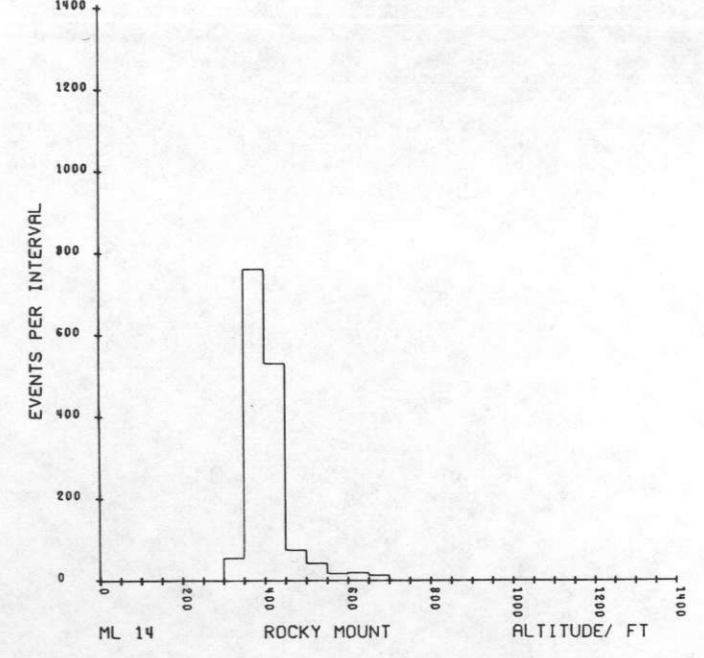
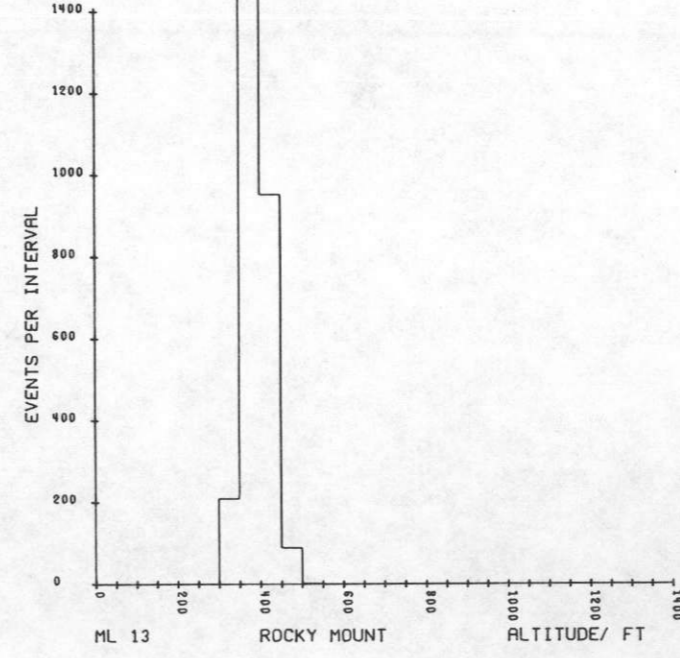
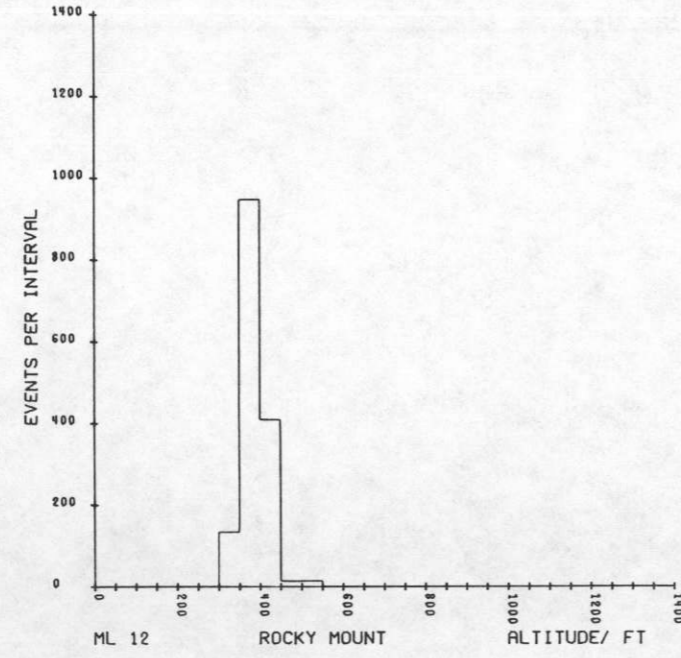
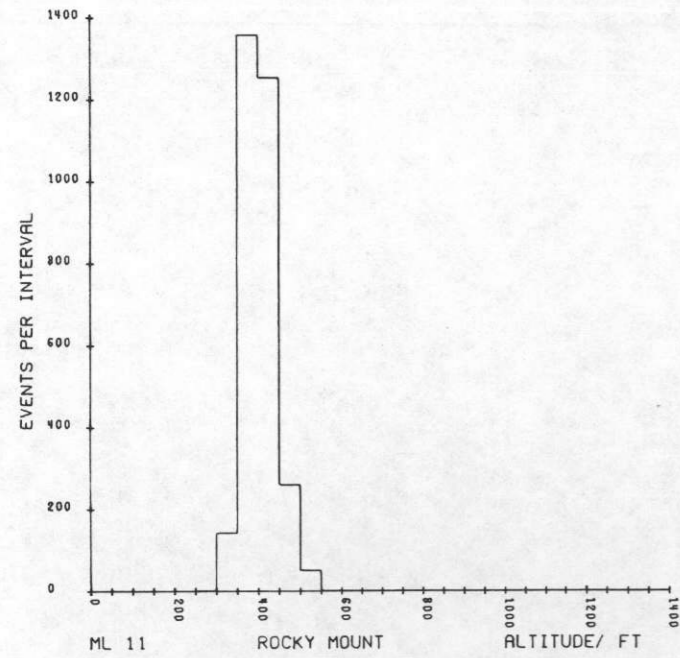
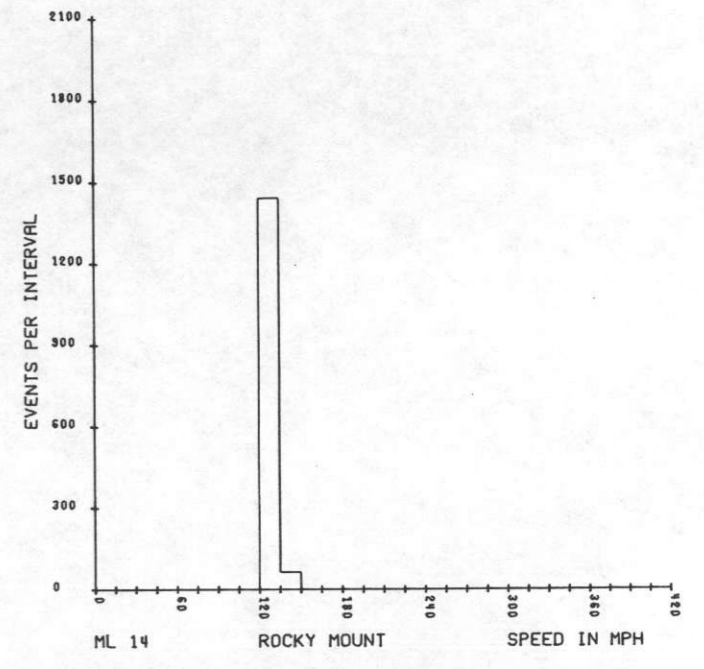
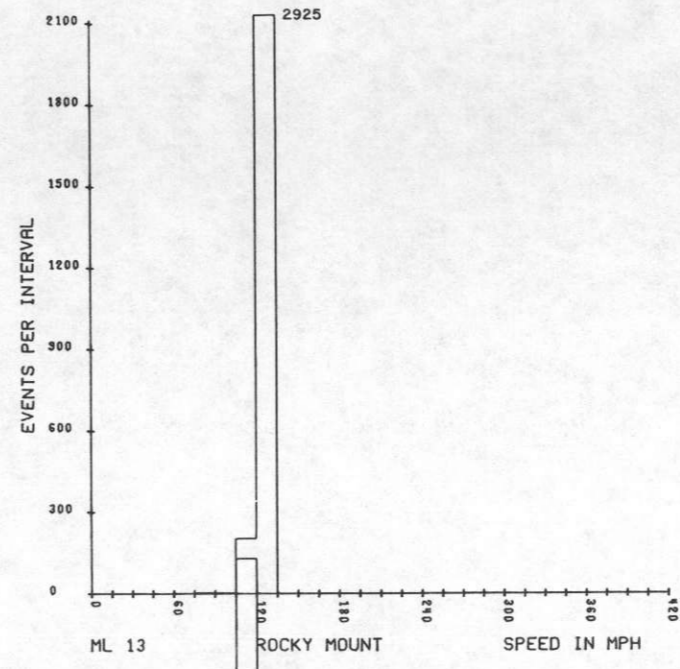
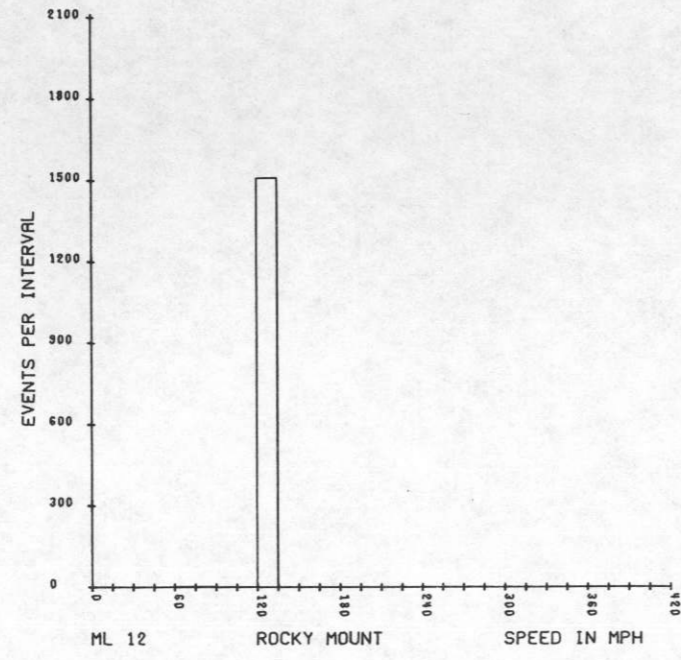
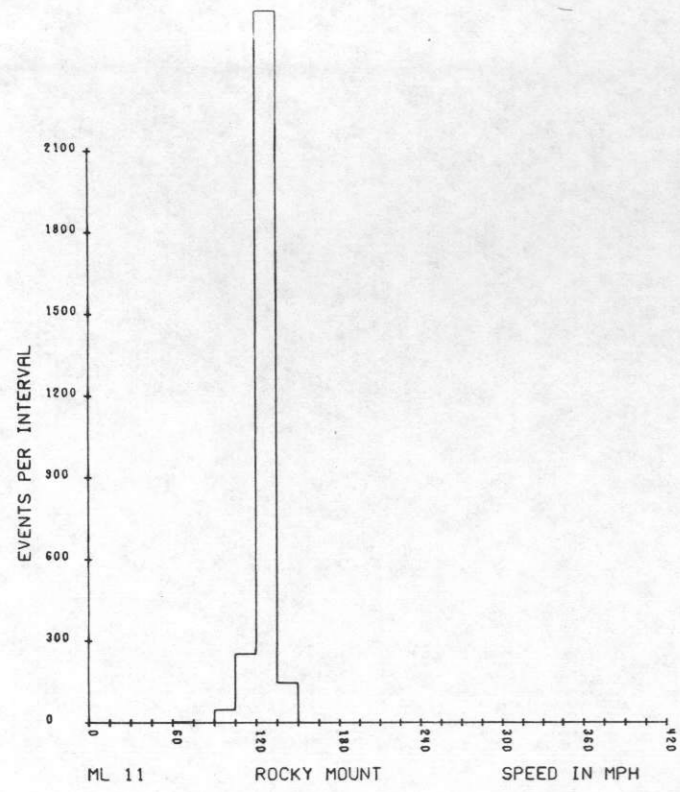
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TL5	135.73	417.25			
TL4	139.70	431.22			
TL3	140.17	429.15			
TL2	141.23	442.35			
TL1	137.23	427.28			
TL1(Manteo)	140.08	400.00			
ML1W	134.33	445.87			
ML1E	143.98	443.20			
ML2	134.37	438.96			
ML3	133.69	446.32			
ML4	133.64	416.55			
ML5	134.48	427.91			
ML6	134.41	423.66			
ML7W	135.46	416.98			
ML7E	130.40	441.33			
ML8	133.86	509.76			
ML9	135.10	425.50			
ML10	135.49	428.71			
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ML12	134.85	411.31			
ML13	133.96	414.70			
ML14	135.66	432.39			
ML15E	142.50	416.86			
ML15C	135.15	421.62			
ML15W	135.02	435.91			
ML16	133.62	413.24			
ML17W	132.75	418.82			
ML17E	136.11	413.77			
ML18	135.24	419.40			
ML19E	136.42	429.00			
ML19W	131.43	405.57			
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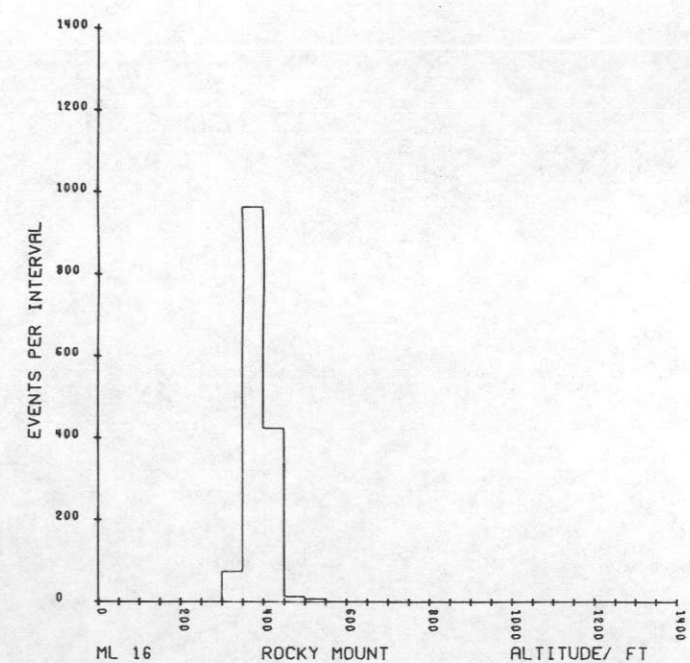
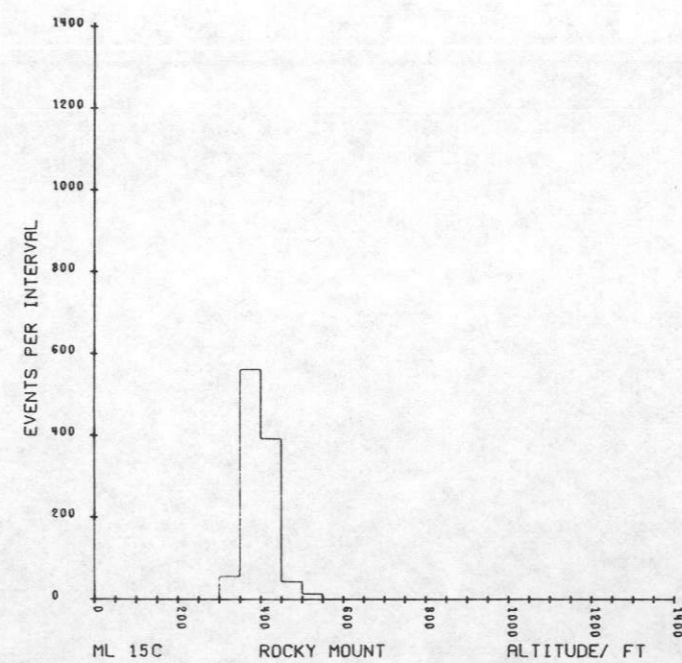
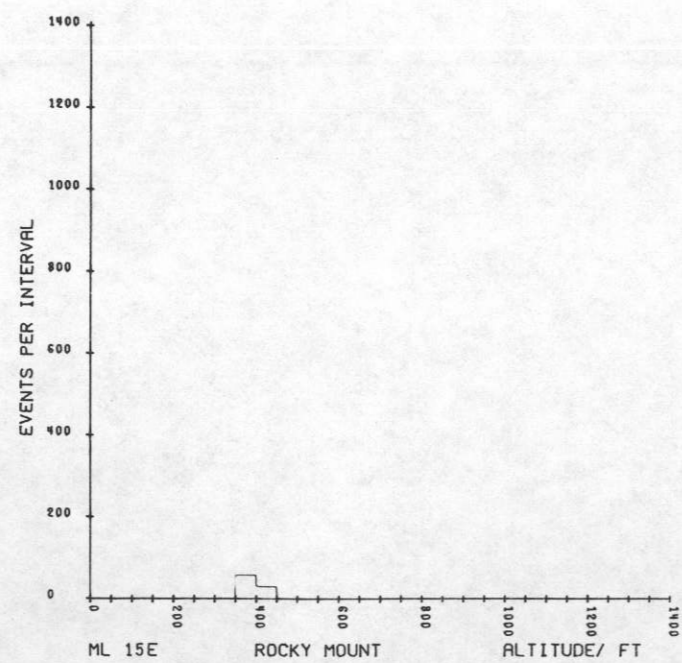
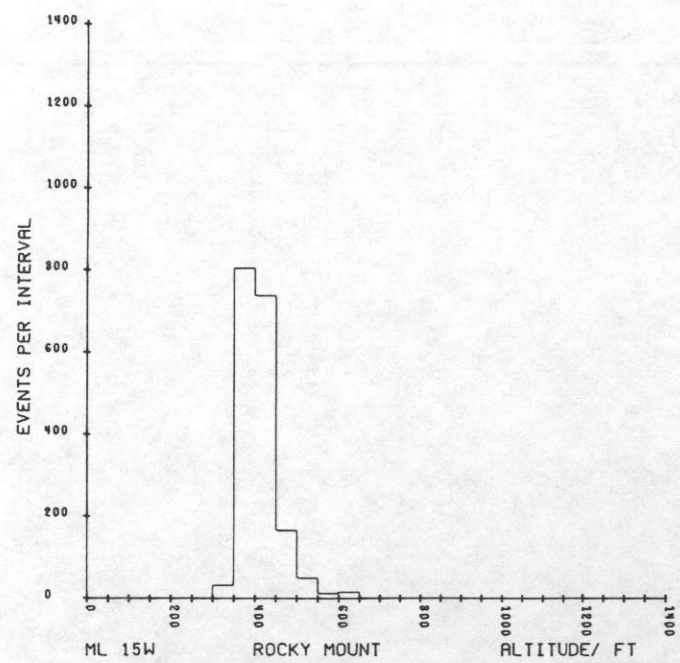
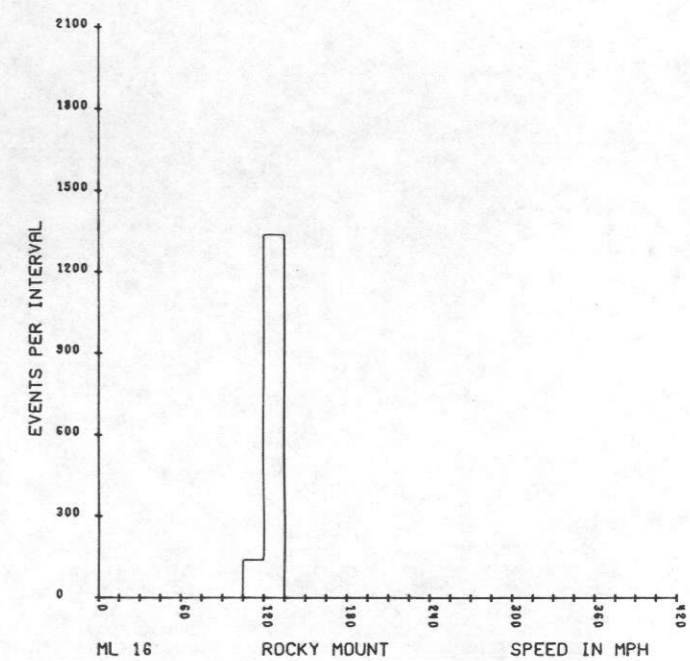
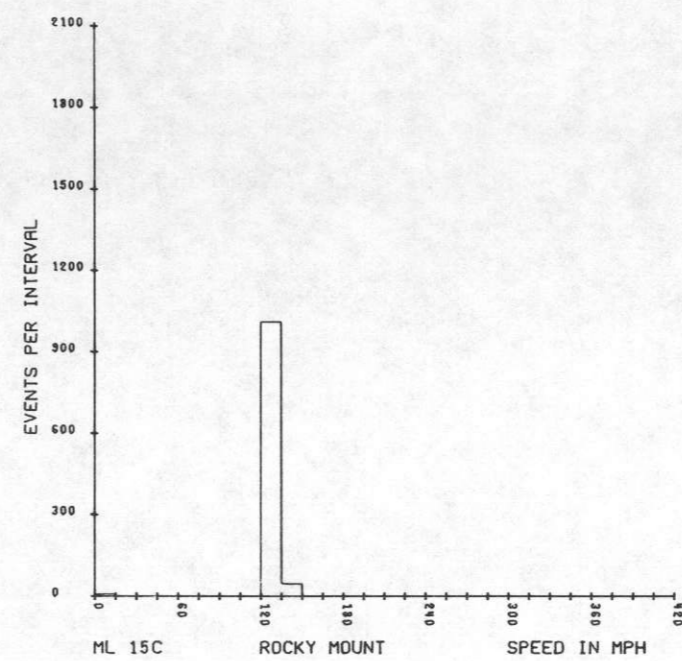
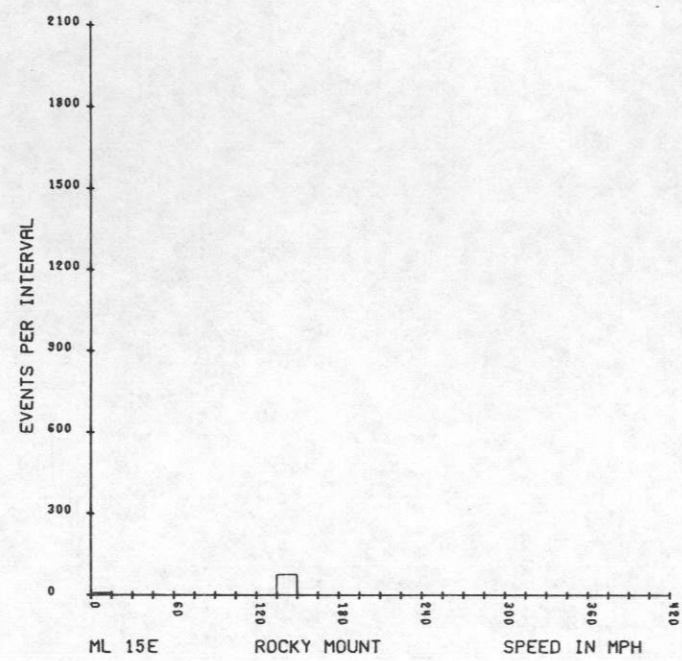
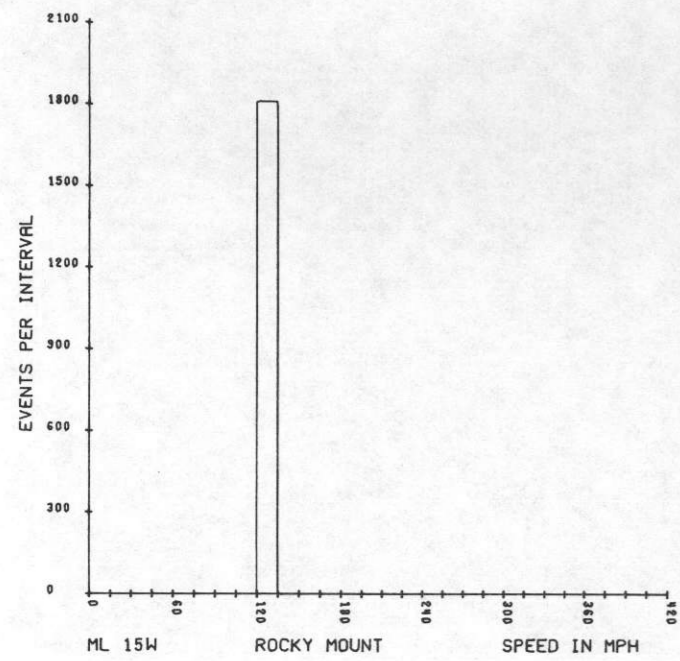
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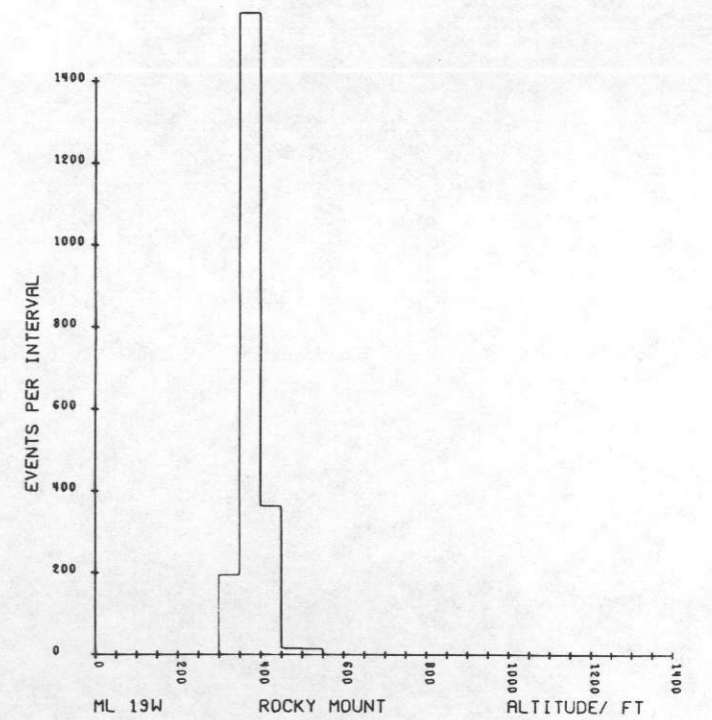
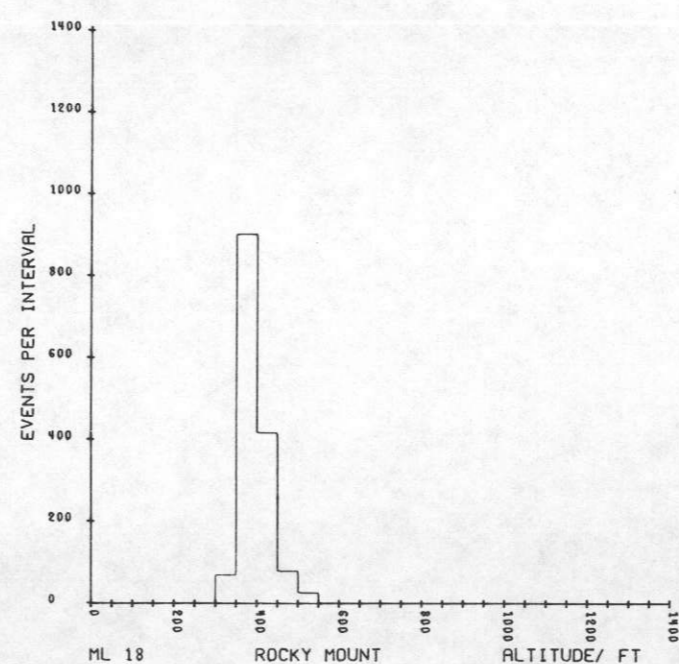
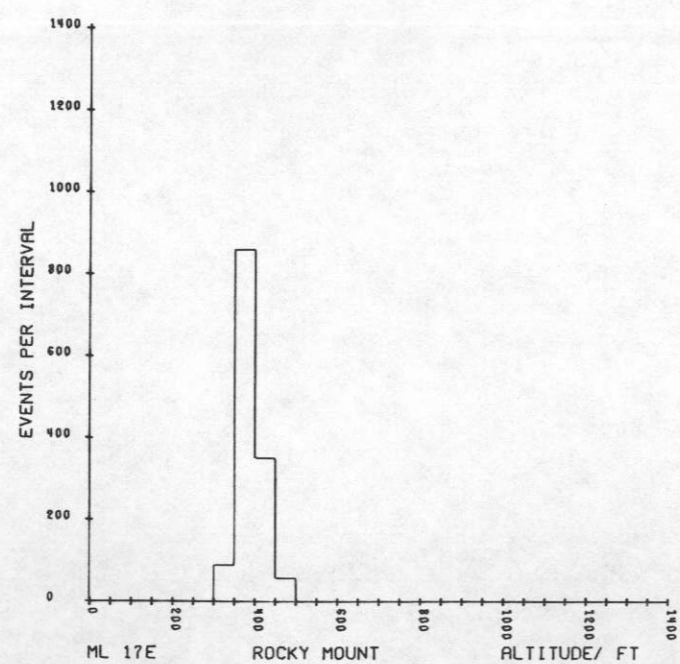
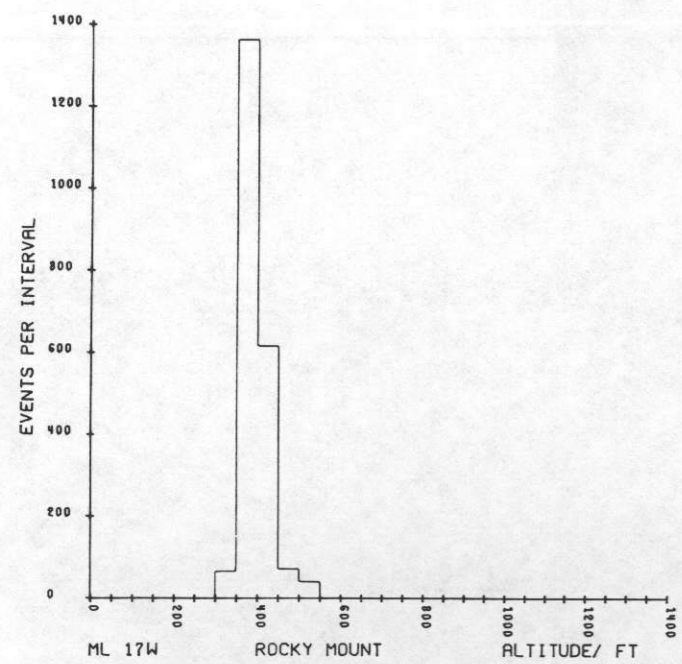
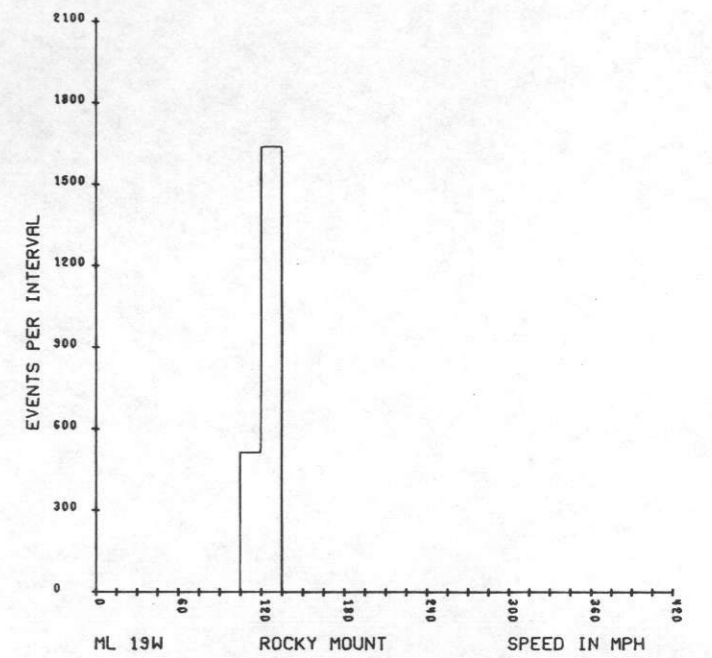
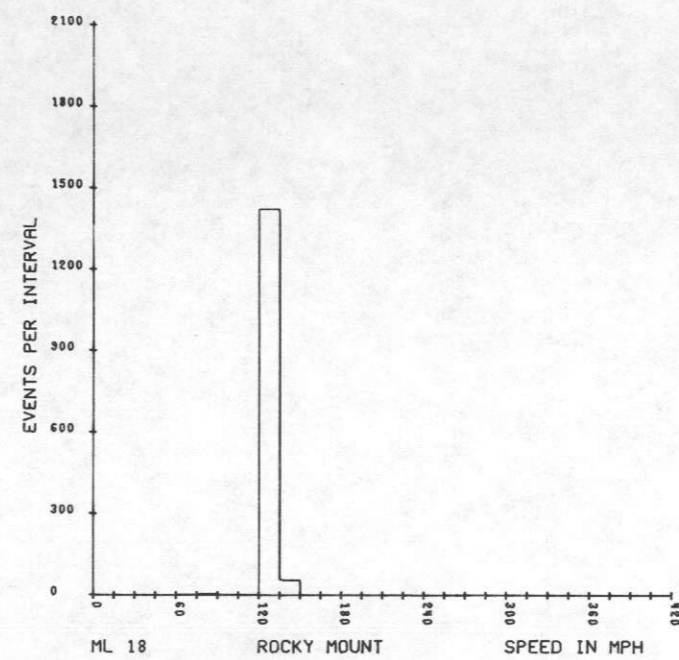
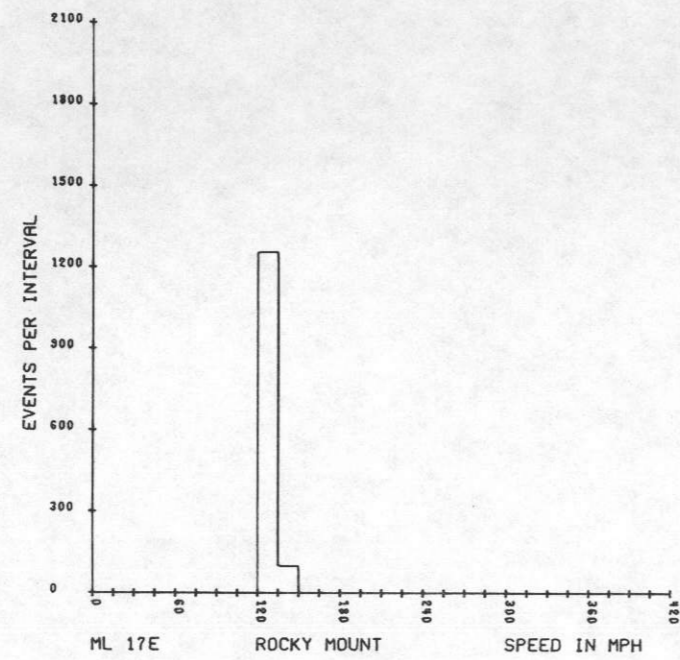
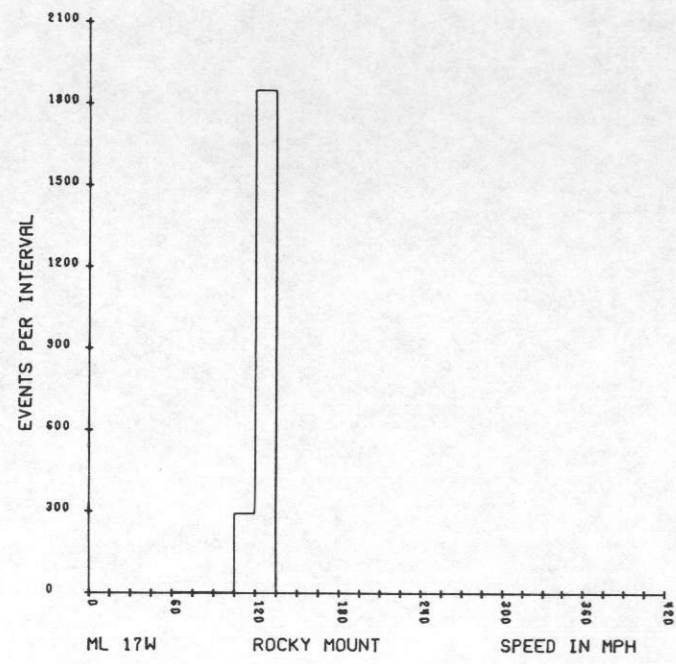


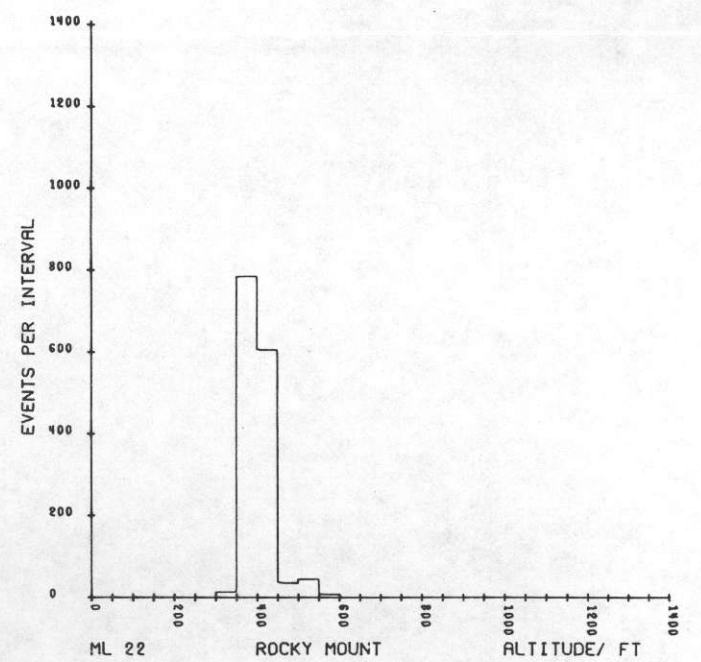
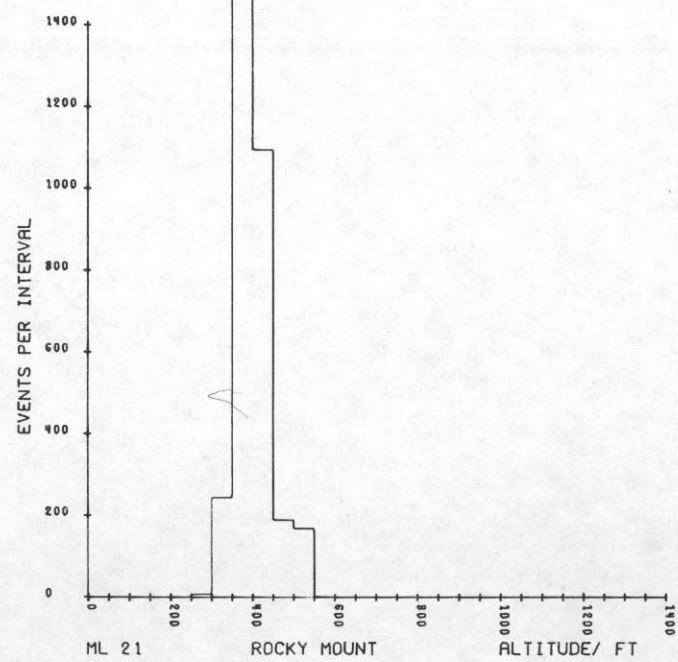
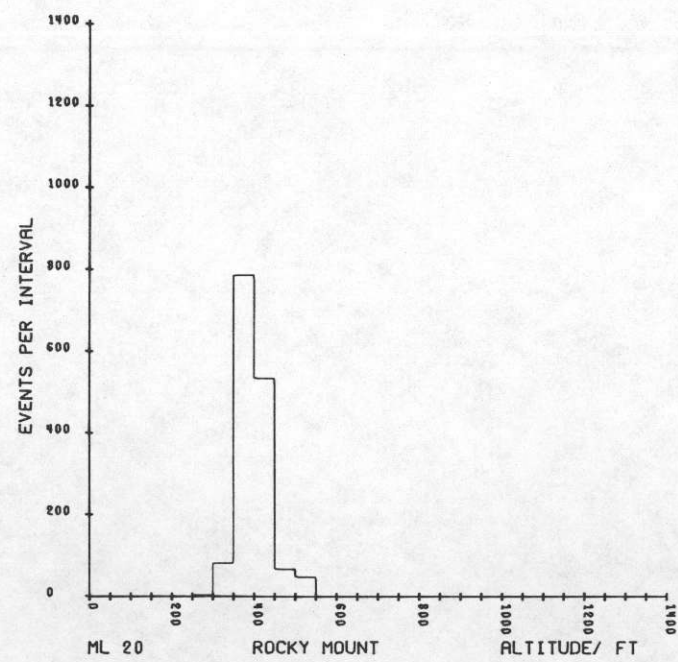
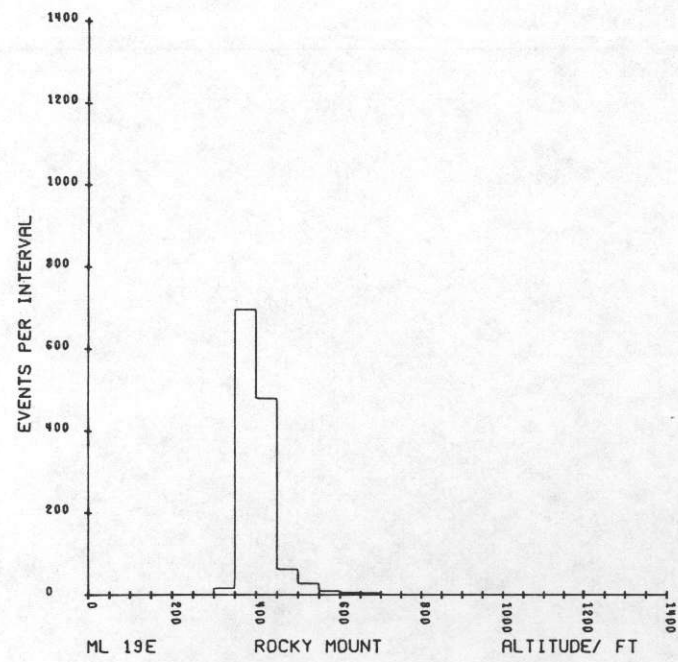
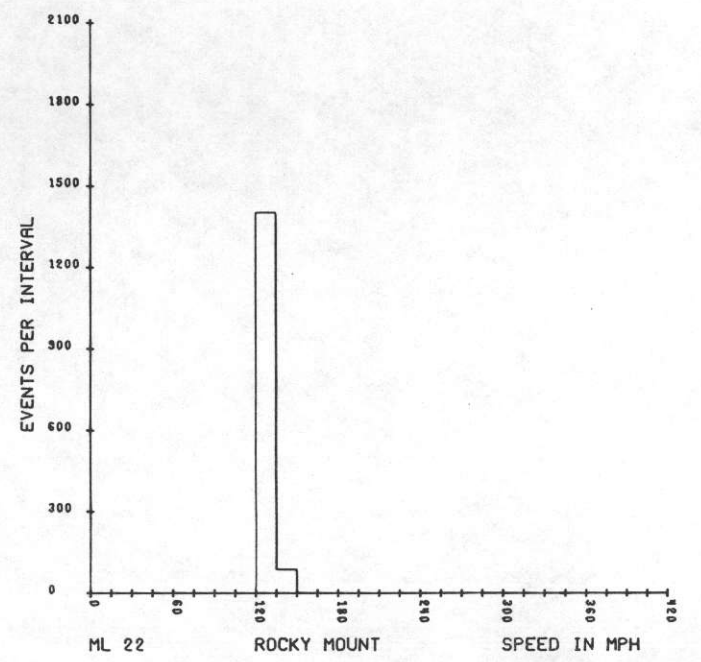
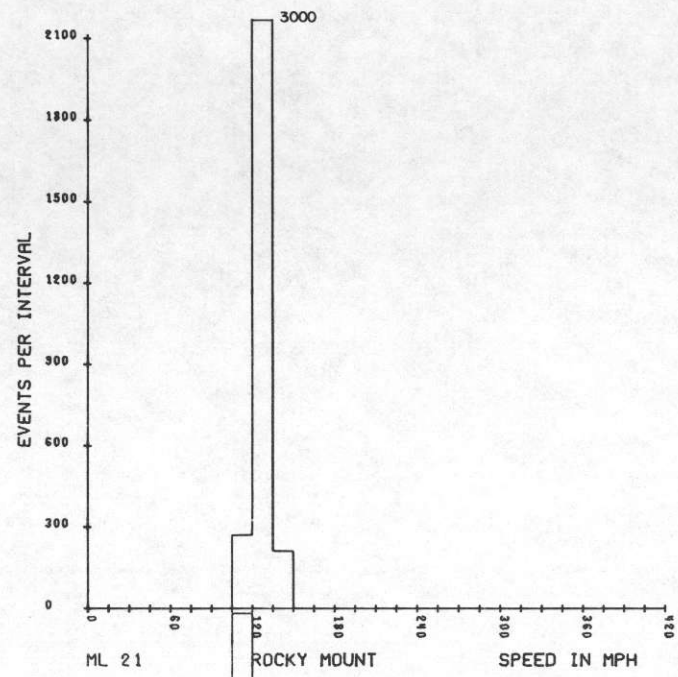
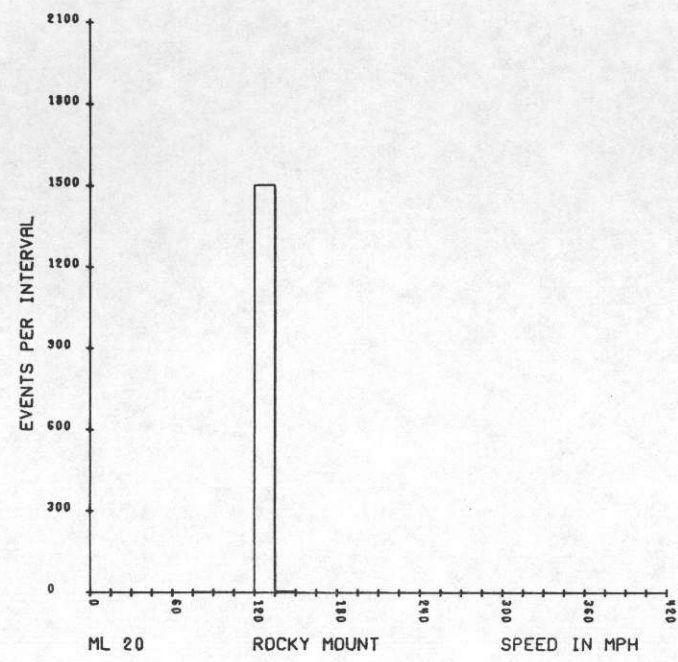
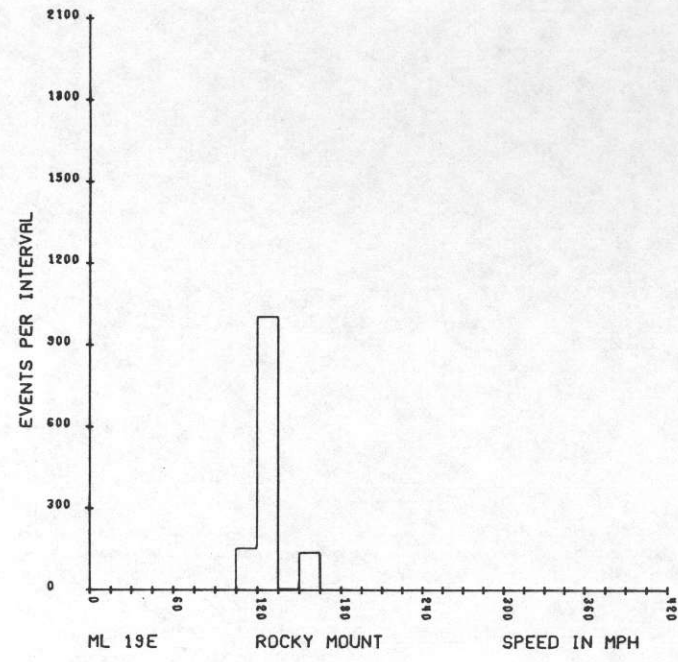


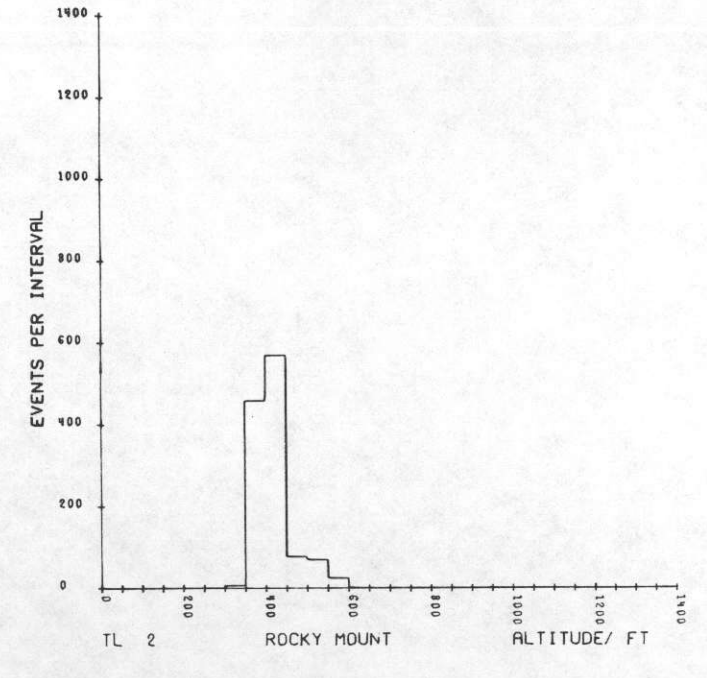
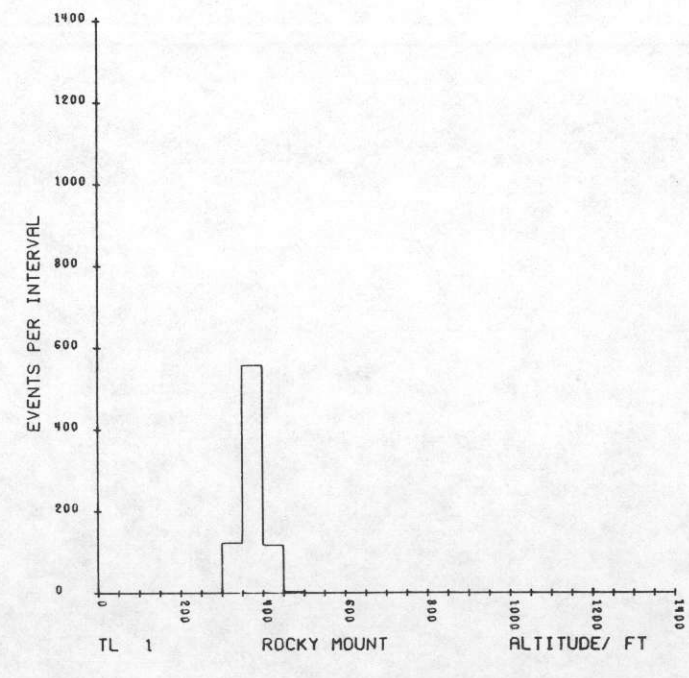
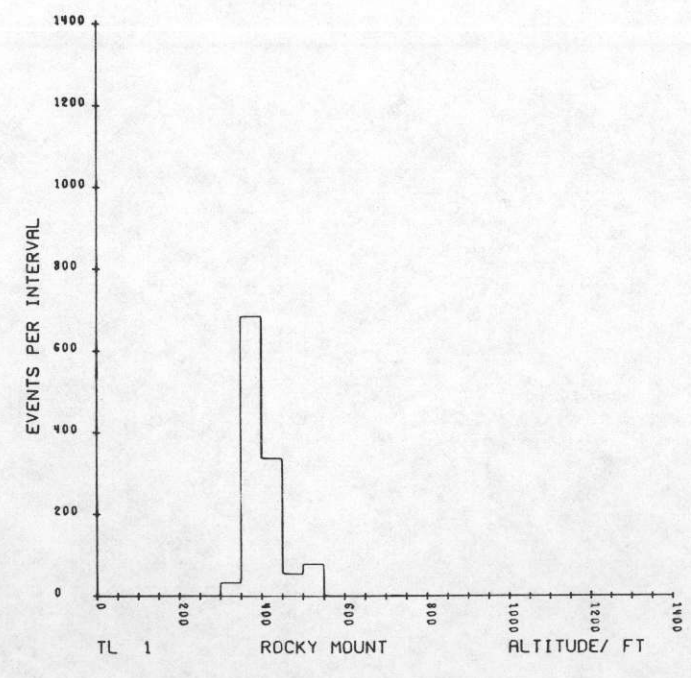
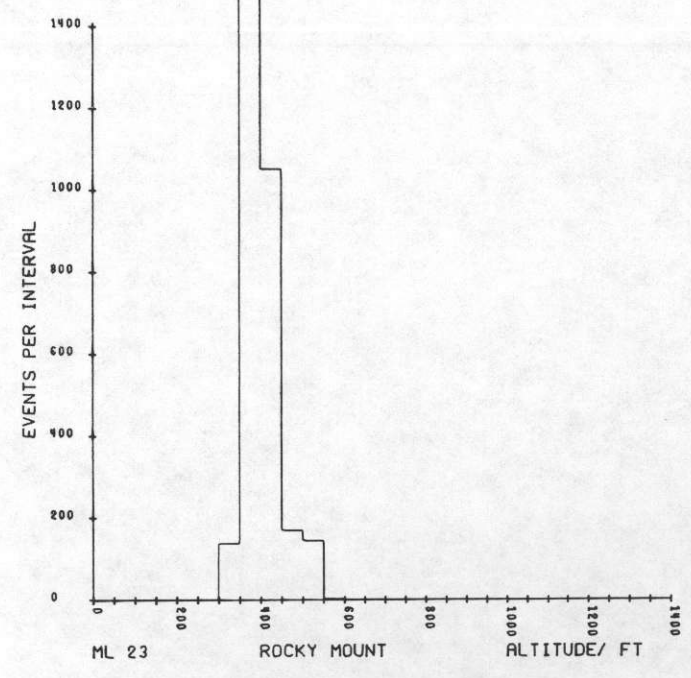
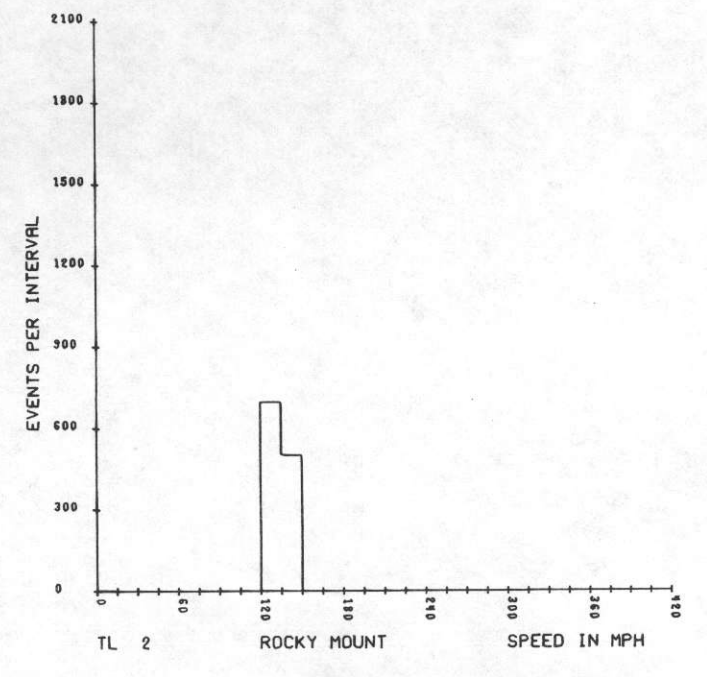
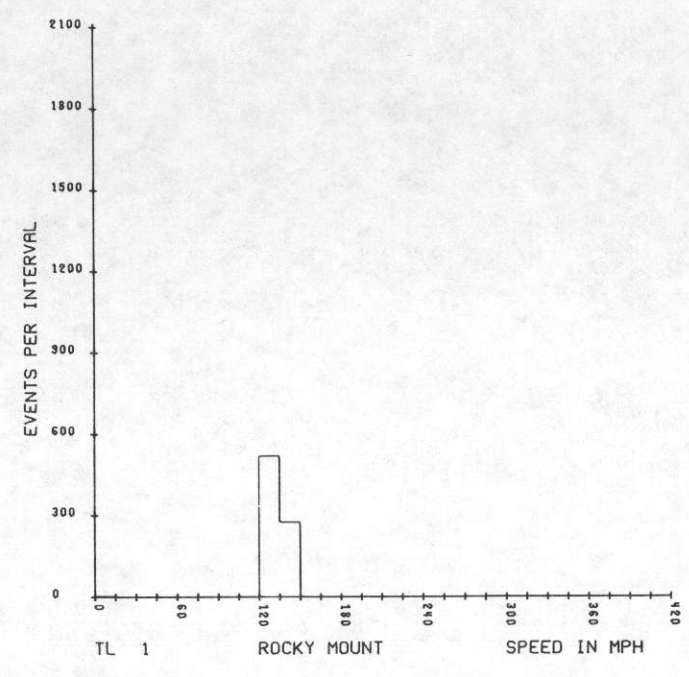
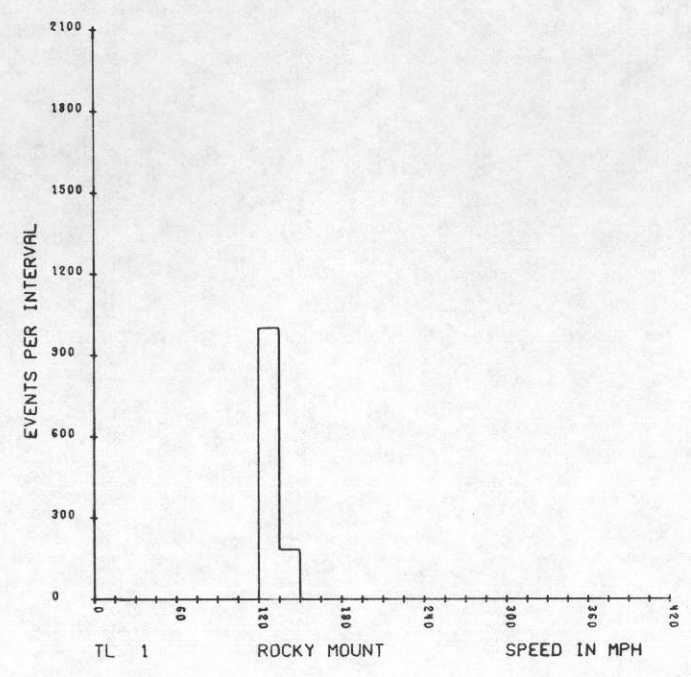
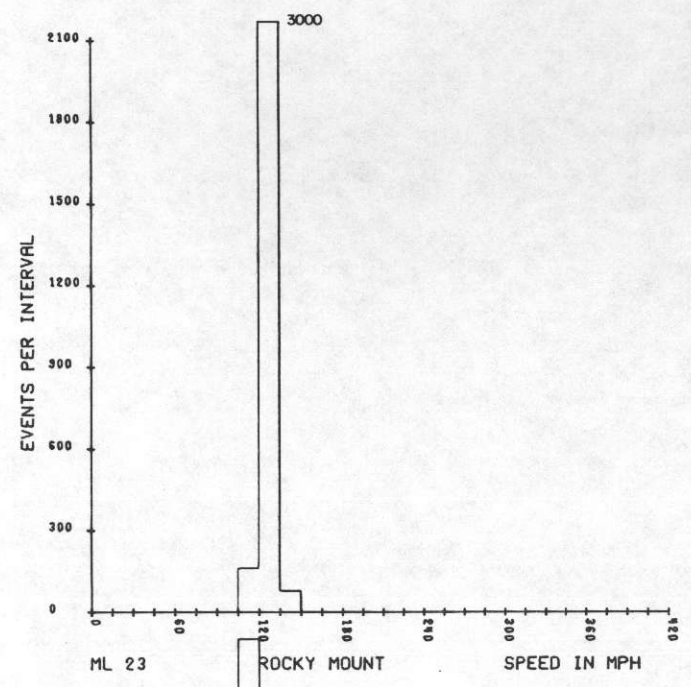


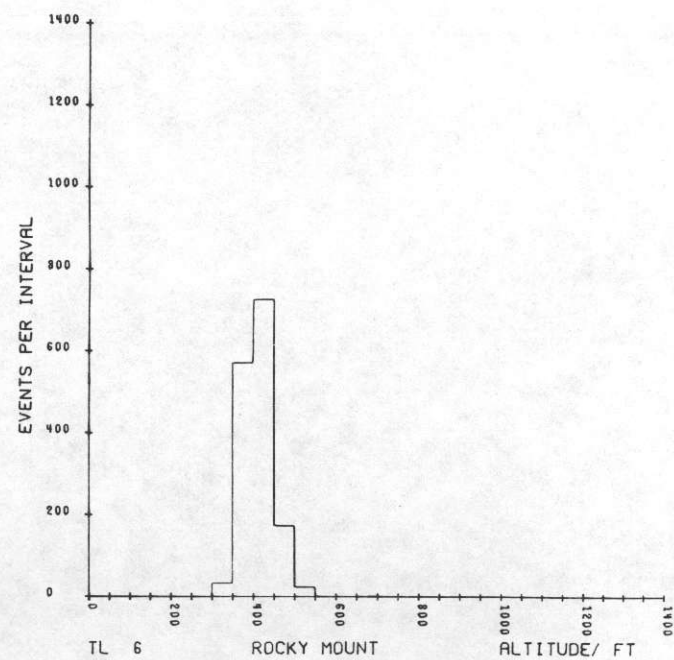
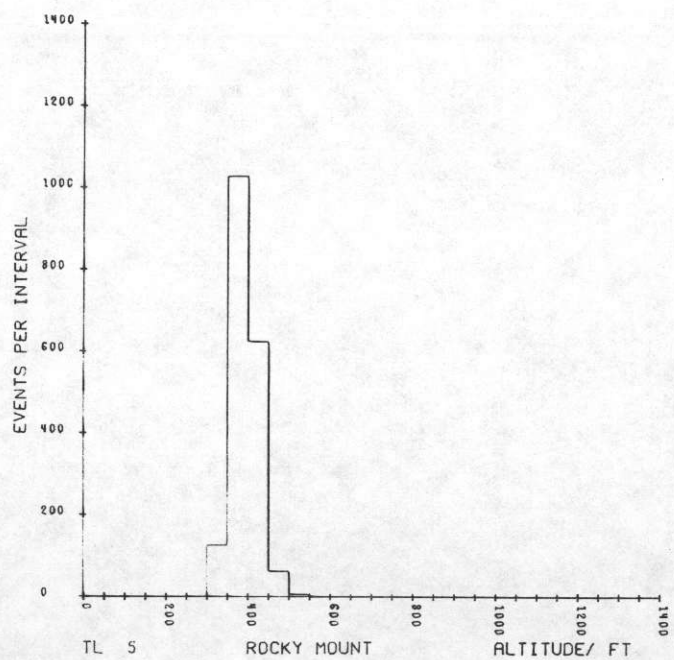
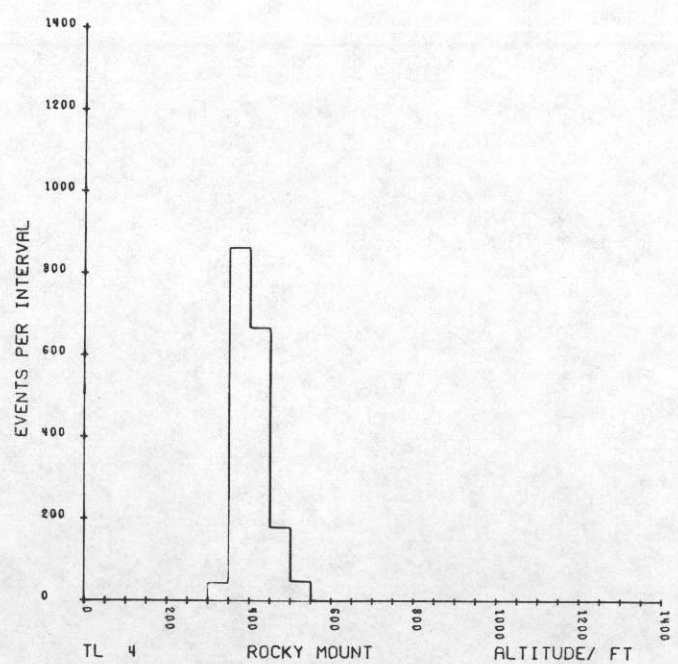
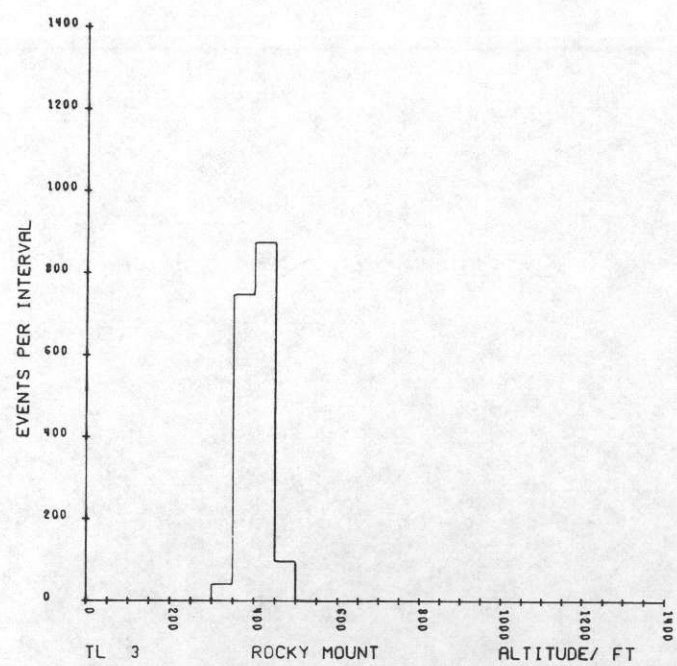
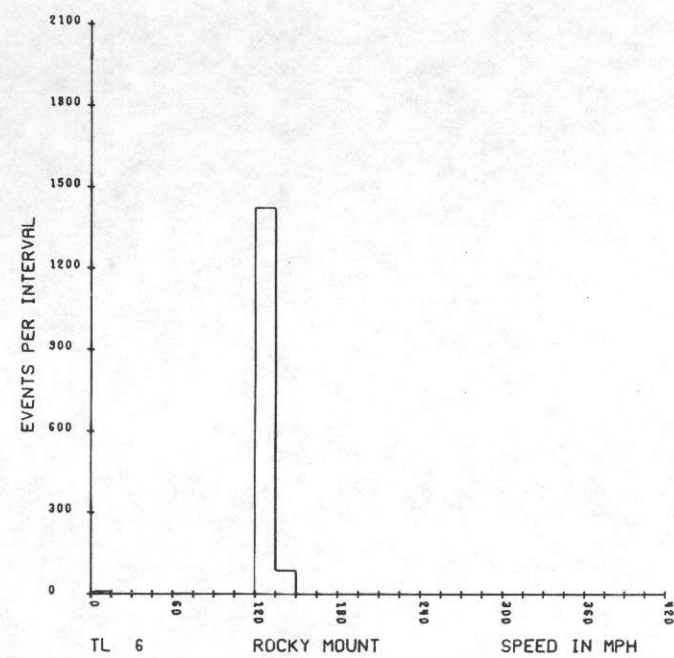
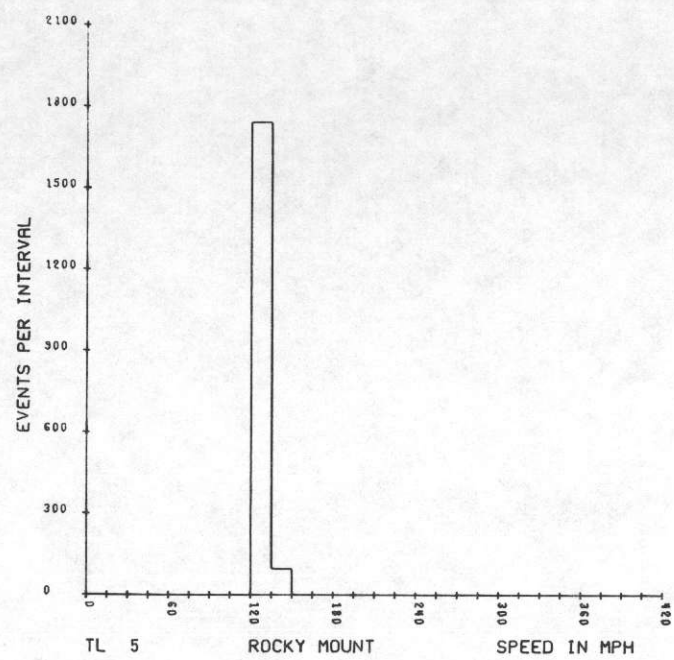
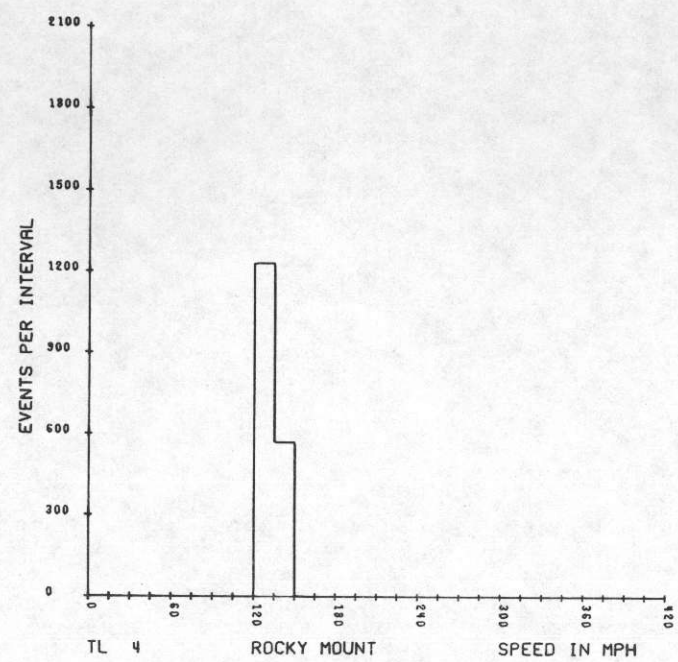
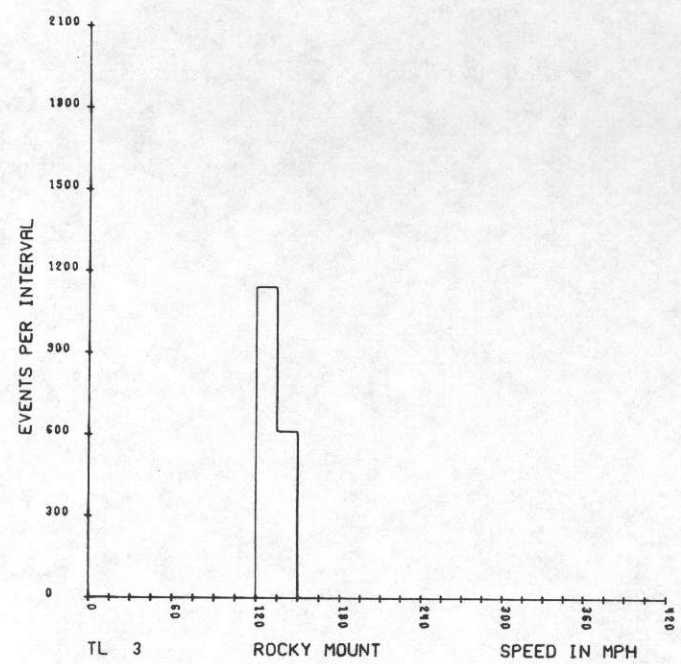


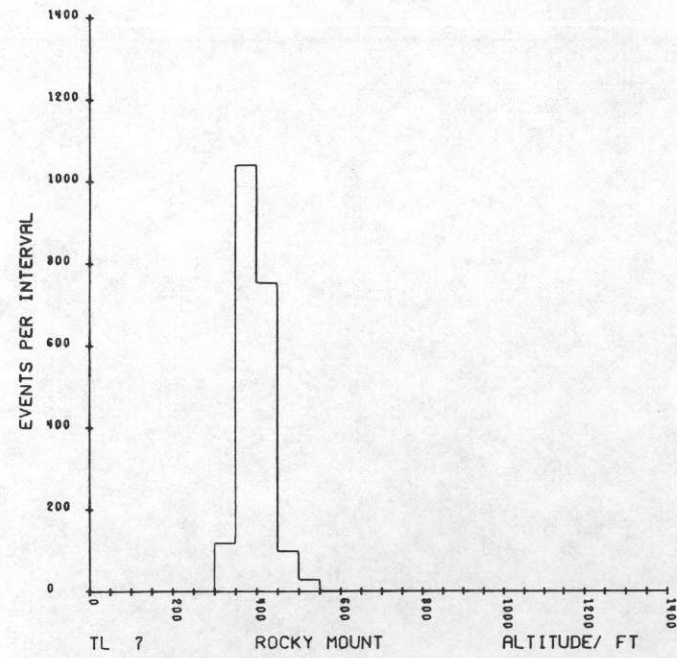
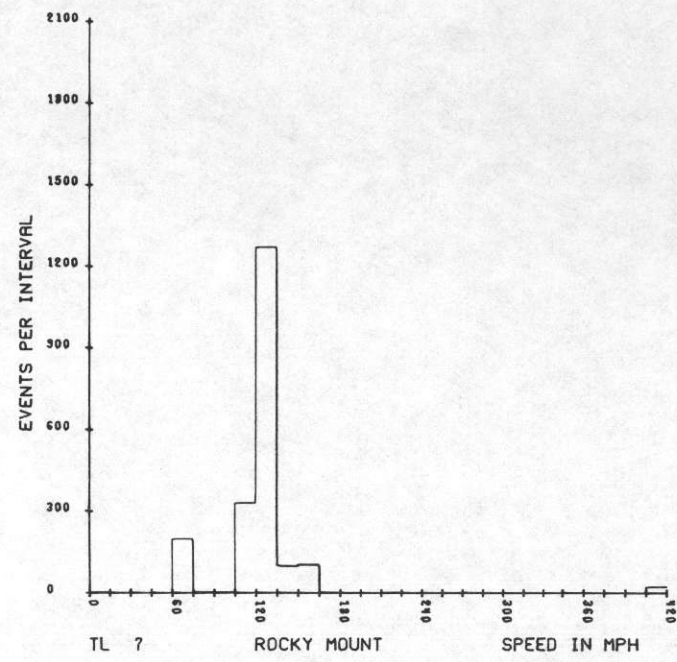












APPENDIX II
TAPE FORMAT STATEMENTS

A. DESCRIPTION OF DATA TAPES

A1. General

All data tapes are 9-track, 800 BPI (NRZI), odd parity, EBCDIC code. Each tape contains a gum label giving the survey project name, month and year of survey, tape type, subcontractor name, date tape created, tape reel count, tape recording characteristics, block size in Bytes and location of tape format information.

The general description for each of the tape types is as follows:

Block Number	Description
1	Format Description
2	Tape Identification
3	First Data Block
4	Second Data Block
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.	.
.	Last Data Block
EOF	

A2. Raw Spectral Data Tapes

Block Size (Physical Record): 6600 characters
Logical Record, Data : 1100 characters

1. Format Description Block (Block 1)

The Format Description utilizes 4248 characters. The remaining 2352 characters of this block are blanks.

Line Number	Character Number
1	01 0978 (DATA TAPE TYPE AND FORMAT SPECIFICATION DATE CODES)
2	
3	RAW SPECTRAL DATA TAPE
4	
5	FORMAT FOR TAPE IDENTIFICATION BLOCK (SECOND BLOCK ON TAPE)
6	
7	ITEM FORMAT DESCRIPTION
8	1 A40 QUADRANGLE NAME AS PROJECT IDENTIFICATION
9	2 A20 NAME OF SUBCONTRACTOR
10	3 I4 APPROXIMATE DATE OF SURVEY (MONTH, YEAR)

Line Number	Character Number
11	4 I1 AERIAL SYSTEM IDENTIFICATION CODE
12	5 A20 AIRCRAFT IDENTIFICATION BY TYPE AND FAA NUMBER
13	6 I3 BFEC CALIBRATION REPORT NUMBER
14	7 F6.3 4PI SYSTEM DATA COLLECTION INTERVAL TO THREE DECIMAL PLACES IN SECONDS
15	
16	8 F6.3 2PI SYSTEM DATA COLLECTION INTERVAL TO THREE DECIMAL PLACES IN SECONDS
17	
18	9 I3 NUMBER OF CHANNELS (0-3 MEV) FOR 4PI SYSTEM
19	10 I3 NUMBER OF CHANNELS (0-3 MEV) FOR 2PI SYSTEM
20	11 I3 NUMBER OF FLIGHT LINES ON THIS TAPE
21	12 I4 FIRST FLIGHT LINE NUMBER ON THIS TAPE
22	13 I6 FIRST RECORD NUMBER OF FIRST FLIGHT LINE
23	14 I3 JULIAN DATE (DAY OF YEAR) FIRST FLIGHT LINE WAS COLLECTED
24	
25	15-17 I4,I6,I3 REPEAT OF ITEMS 12-14 FOR SECOND FLIGHT LINE ON THIS TAPE
26	
27	* * *
28	* * *
29	* * *
30	306-308 I4,I6,I3 REPEAT OF ITEMS 12-14 FOR 99TH FLIGHT LINE ON THIS TAPE
31	
32	
33	FORMAT FOR RAW SPECTRAL DATA RECORD (THIRD THRU LAST BLOCK ON TAPE)
34	
35	ITEM FORMAT DESCRIPTION
36	1 I1 AERIAL SYSTEM IDENTIFICATION CODE
37	2 I4 FLIGHT LINE NUMBER
38	3 I6 RECORD IDENTIFICATION NUMBER
39	4 I6 GMT TIME OF DAY (HHMMSS)
40	5 F8.4 LATITUDE TO FOUR DECIMAL PLACES IN DEGREES
41	6 F8.4 LONGITUDE TO FOUR DECIMAL PLACES IN DEGREES
42	7 F6.1 TERRAIN CLEARANCE TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN METERS
43	8 F7.1 TOTAL MAGNETIC FIELD INTENSITY TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN GAMMAS
44	
45	9 A8 SURFACE GEOLOGIC MAP UNIT CODE
46	10 I4 QUALITY FLAG CODES
47	11 F4.1 OUTSIDE AIR TEMPERATURE TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN DEGREES CELSIUS
48	
49	12 F5.1 OUTSIDE AIR PRESSURE TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN MMHG
50	13 F5.3 LIVE TIME COUNTING PERIOD TO THREE DECIMAL PLACES IN SECONDS
51	
52	14 I4 SUMMED RAW OUTPUT FROM COSMIC CHANNELS (3-6 MEV) IN COUNTS
53	
54	15 I4 RAW OUTPUT FROM CHANNEL 1 IN COUNTS
55	16 I4 RAW OUTPUT FROM CHANNEL 2 IN COUNTS
56	* * *
57	* * *
58	* * *
59	270 I4 RAW OUTPUT FROM CHANNEL 256 IN COUNTS
-	- - 2352 BLANK CHARACTERS

2. Tape Identification Block (Block 2)

The information and format for this block are indicated in lines 8 through 30 of the Format Description Block A2.1, and 1396 characters are produced. The remaining 5204 characters in this block are blanks.

If fewer than 99 flight lines exist, the unused flight line information, 13 characters per flight line, is filled with 9's through the 99th flight line.

3. Raw Spectral Data Blocks

The information and format for the logical records in these blocks are indicated in lines 36 through 59 of the Format Description Block A2.1. One logical record contains 1100 characters. There are six such logical records per 6600 character physical record or block.

The 2π data logical record is recorded after the corresponding 4π data collection intervals at a frequency dependent on the 2π system data collection interval. For example, if the 4π data collection interval is 1 second and the 2π data collection interval is 10 seconds, then 10 records of 4π data are recorded followed by 1 record of the 2π data which was collected during the preceding 10 seconds. The format for the 2π data is identical to that of the 4π data, except for lines 40 through 49 of the Format Description Block given above. These variables are expressed in the 2π record as all nines in the format specified for I and F fields, and all zeros for A fields.

A3. Single Record Reduced Data Tapes

Block Size (Physical Record): 6900 characters
Logical Record, Data : 138 characters

1. Format Description Block (Block 1)

The Format Description utilizes 6768 characters. The remaining 132 characters of this block are blanks.

Line Number	Character Number
1	02 0978 (DATA TAPE TYPE AND FORMAT SPECIFICATION DATE CODES);
2	SINGLE RECORD REDUCED DATA TAPE
3	FORMAT FOR TAPE IDENTIFICATION BLOCK (SECOND BLOCK)
4	
5	
6	

Line Number	Character Number	ITEM	FORMAT	DESCRIPTION
7		1	A40	QUADRANGLE NAME AS PROJECT IDENTIFICATION
8		2	A20	NAME OF SUBCONTRACTOR
9		3	I4	APPROXIMATE DATE OF SURVEY (MONTH, YEAR)
10		4	I1	NUMBER OF AERIAL SYSTEMS USED TO COLLECT DATA FOR THIS QUADRANGLE
11		5	I1	AERIAL SYSTEM IDENTIFICATION CODE FOR FIRST SYSTEM
12		6	A20	AIRCRAFT IDENTIFICATION BY TYPE AND FAA NUMBER FOR FIRST SYSTEM
13		7	F6.1	NOMINAL ALTITUDE SYSTEM SENSITIVITY RELATIVE TO TERRESTRIAL POTASSIUM (K-40) TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN CPS PER PERCENT K FOR FIRST SYSTEM
14		8	F6.1	NOMINAL ALTITUDE SYSTEM SENSITIVITY RELATIVE TO TERRESTRIAL URANIUM (BI-214) TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN CPS PER PPM EQUIVALENT U
15		9	F6.1	NOMINAL ALTITUDE SYSTEM SENSITIVITY RELATIVE TO TERRESTRIAL THORIUM (TL-208) TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN CPS PER PPM EQUIVALENT TH
16		10	I6	BLANK FIELD (999999)
17		11	F6.3	4PI-SYSTEM DATA COLLECTION INTERVAL TO THREE DECIMAL PLACES IN SECONDS FOR FIRST SYSTEM
18		12	F6.3	2PI-SYSTEM DATA COLLECTION INTERVAL TO THREE DECIMAL PLACES IN SECONDS FOR FIRST SYSTEM
19		13	I3	NUMBER OF CHANNELS (0-3 MEV) IN 4PI SYSTEM FOR FIRST AERIAL SYSTEM
20		14	I3	NUMBER OF CHANNELS (0-3 MEV) IN 2PI SYSTEM FOR FIRST AERIAL SYSTEM
21		15-24	(SAME)	REPEAT OF ITEMS 5-14 FOR SECOND AERIAL SYSTEM
22		*	*	*
23		*	*	*
24		*	*	*
25		85-94	(SAME)	REPEAT OF ITEMS 5-14 FOR NINTH AERIAL SYSTEM
26		95	I3	NUMBER OF FLIGHT LINES ON THIS TAPE
27		96	I4	FIRST FLIGHT LINE NUMBER ON THIS TAPE
28		97	I6	FIRST RECORD NUMBER OF FIRST FLIGHT LINE
29		98	I3	JULIAN DATE (DAY OF YEAR) FIRST FLIGHT-LINE DATA WAS COLLECTED
30		99-101	I4,I6,I3	REPEAT OF ITEMS 96-98 FOR SECOND FLIGHT LINE ON THIS TAPE
31		*	*	*
32		*	*	*
33		*	*	*
34		390-392	I4,I6,I3	REPEAT OF ITEMS 96-98 FOR 99TH FLIGHT LINE ON THIS TAPE
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Line Number	Character Number	ITEM	FORMAT	DESCRIPTION
60		6	F8.4	LONGITUDE TO FOUR DECIMAL PLACES IN DEGREES
61		7	F6.1	TERRAIN CLEARANCE TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN METERS
62		8	F7.1	RESIDUAL (IGRF REMOVED) MAGNETIC FIELD INTENSITY TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN GAMMAS
63		9	A8	SURFACE GEOLOGIC MAP UNIT CODE
64		10	I4	QUALITY FLAG CODES
65		11	F6.1	APPARENT CONCENTRATION OF TERRESTRIAL POTASSIUM (K-40) TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PERCENT K
66		12	F4.1	UNCERTAINTY IN TERRESTRIAL POTASSIUM TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PERCENT K
67		13	F6.1	APPARENT CONCENTRATION OF TERRESTRIAL URANIUM (BI-214) TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U
68		14	F4.1	UNCERTAINTY IN TERRESTRIAL URANIUM TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U
69		15	F6.1	APPARENT CONCENTRATION OF TERRESTRIAL THORIUM (TL-208) TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT TH
70		16	F4.1	UNCERTAINTY IN TERRESTRIAL THORIUM TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT TH
71		17	F6.1	URANIUM-TO-THORIUM RATIO TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U PER PPM EQUIVALENT TH
72		18	F6.1	URANIUM-TO-POTASSIUM RATIO TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U PER PERCENT K
73		19	F6.1	THORIUM-TO-POTASSIUM RATIO TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT TH PER PERCENT K
74		20	F8.1	GROSS GAMMA (0.4-3.0 MEV) COUNT RATE TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN COUNTS PER SECOND
75		21	F6.1	UNCERTAINTY IN GROSS GAMMA COUNT RATE TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN COUNTS PER SECOND
76		22	F5.1	ATMOSPHERIC BI-214 4PI CORRECTION TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U
77		23	F4.1	UNCERTAINTY IN ATMOSPHERIC BI-214 4PI CORRECTION TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U
78		24	F4.1	OUTSIDE AIR TEMPERATURE TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN DEGREES CELSIUS
79		25	F5.1	OUTSIDE AIR PRESSURE TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN MMHG

2. Tape Identification Block (Block 2)

The information and format for this block are indicated in lines 8 through 49 of the Format Description Block A3.1, and 1922 characters are produced. The remaining 4978 characters of this block are blanks.

If less than nine aerial systems are used, the space allocated for additional systems is filled with 9's in the format specified for each item using I and F fields, and with zeros for A fields.

Similarly, if fewer than 99 flight lines exist, the unused flight line information, 13 characters per flight line, is filled with 9's through the 99th flight line.

3. Single Record Reduced Data Blocks

The information and format for the logical records in these blocks are indicated in lines 55 through 94 of the Format Description Block A3.1. One logical record contains 138 characters. There are 50 such logical records per 6900 character physical record or block.

The data appearing in locations specified by lines 68, 72, 76, 86 and 90 of the Format Description Block A3.1 are 9's in the format specified in each case.

A4. Statistical Analysis Tapes (Data and Summary)

File 1: Statistical Analysis Data

Block Size (Physical Record): 8000 characters
Logical Record, Data : 160 characters

1. Format Description Block (Block 1)

The Format Description utilizes 7560 characters. The remaining 440 characters are blanks.

Line Number	Character Number
1	03 0978 (DATA TAPE TYPE AND FORMAT SPECIFICATION DATE CODES)
2	
3	STATISTICAL ANALYSIS DATA TAPE
4	
5	FORMAT FOR TAPE IDENTIFICATION BLOCK (SECOND BLOCK)
6	
7	ITEM FORMAT DESCRIPTION
8	1 A40 QUADRANGLE NAME AS PROJECT IDENTIFICATION
9	2 A20 NAME OF SUBCONTRACTOR
10	3 I4 APPROXIMATE DATE OF SURVEY (MONTH, YEAR)
11	4 I1 NUMBER OF AERIAL SYSTEMS USED TO COLLECT DATA FOR THIS QUADRANGLE
12	
13	5 I1 AERIAL SYSTEM IDENTIFICATION CODE FOR FIRST SYSTEM
14	6 A20 AIRCRAFT IDENTIFICATION BY TYPE AND FAA NUMBER FOR FIRST SYSTEM
15	
16	7 F6.1 NOMINAL ALTITUDE SYSTEM SENSITIVITY RELATIVE TO TERRESTRIAL POTASSIUM (K-40) TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN CPS PER PERCENT K
17	
18	
19	8 F6.1 NOMINAL ALTITUDE SYSTEM SENSITIVITY RELATIVE TO TERRESTRIAL URANIUM (BI-214) TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN CPS PER PPM EQUIVALENT U
20	
21	
22	9 F6.1 NOMINAL ALTITUDE SYSTEM SENSITIVITY RELATIVE TO TERRESTRIAL THORIUM (TL-208) TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN CPS PER PPM EQUIVALENT TH
23	
24	
25	10 I6 BLANK FIELD (999999)
26	11 F6.3 4PI-SYSTEM DATA COLLECTION INTERVAL TO THREE DECIMAL PLACES IN SECONDS FOR FIRST SYSTEM
27	
28	12 F6.3 2PI-SYSTEM DATA COLLECTION INTERVAL TO THREE DECIMAL PLACES IN SECONDS FOR FIRST SYSTEM
29	

Line Number	Character Number
30	13 I3 NUMBER OF CHANNELS (0-3 MEV) IN 4PI SYSTEM FOR FIRST AERIAL SYSTEM
31	
32	14 I3 NUMBER OF CHANNELS (0-3 MEV) IN 2PI SYSTEM FOR FIRST AERIAL SYSTEM
33	
34	15-24 (SAME) REPEAT OF ITEMS 5-14 FOR SECOND AERIAL SYSTEM
35	* * *
36	* * *
37	* * *
38	85-94 (SAME) REPEAT OF ITEMS 5-14 FOR NINTH AERIAL SYSTEM
39	95 I3 NUMBER OF FLIGHT LINES ON THIS TAPE
40	96 I4 FIRST FLIGHT LINE NUMBER ON THIS TAPE
41	97 I6 FIRST RECORD NUMBER OF FIRST FLIGHT LINE
42	98 I3 JULIAN DATE (DAY OF YEAR) FIRST FLIGHT LINE DATA WAS COLLECTED
43	
44	99-101 I4,I6,I3 REPEAT OF ITEMS 96-98 FOR SECOND FLIGHT LINE ON THIS TAPE
45	
46	* * *
47	* * *
48	* * *
49	390-392 I4,I6,I3 REPEAT OF ITEMS 96-98 FOR 99TH FLIGHT LINE ON THIS TAPE
50	
51	
52	FORMAT FOR STATISTICAL ANALYSIS DATA RECORD (THIRD THRU LAST BLOCK)
53	
54	ITEM FORMAT DESCRIPTION
55	1 I1 AERIAL SYSTEM IDENTIFICATION CODE
56	2 I4 FLIGHT LINE NUMBER
57	3 I6 RECORD IDENTIFICATION NUMBER
58	4 I6 GMT TIME OF DAY (HHMMSS)
59	5 F8.4 LATITUDE TO FOUR DECIMAL PLACES IN DEGREES
60	6 F8.4 LONGITUDE TO FOUR DECIMAL PLACES IN DEGREES
61	7 F6.1 TERRAIN CLEARANCE TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN METERS
62	8 F7.1 RESIDUAL (IGRF REMOVED) MAGNETIC FIELD INTENSITY TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN GAMMAS
63	
64	9 A8 SURFACE GEOLOGIC MAP UNIT CODE
65	10 I5 QUALITY FLAG CODES
66	11 F6.1 AVERAGED CONCENTRATION OF TERRESTRIAL POTASSIUM (K-40) TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PERCENT K
67	
68	12 F4.1 UNCERTAINTY IN TERRESTRIAL POTASSIUM TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PERCENT K
69	
70	13 F5.1 POTASSIUM STANDARD DEVIATION FROM THE MEAN TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE AND ALGEBRAICALLY SIGNED
71	
72	14 F6.1 AVERAGED CONCENTRATION OF TERRESTRIAL URANIUM (BI-214) TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U
73	
74	15 F4.1 UNCERTAINTY IN TERRESTRIAL URANIUM TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U
75	
76	16 F5.1 URANIUM STANDARD DEVIATION FROM THE MEAN TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE AND ALGEBRAICALLY SIGNED
77	
78	17 F6.1 AVERAGED CONCENTRATION OF TERRESTRIAL THORIUM (TL-208) TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT TH
79	
80	18 F4.1 UNCERTAINTY IN TERRESTRIAL THORIUM TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT TH
81	

Line Number	Character Number
82	19 F5.1 THORIUM STANDARD DEVIATION FROM THE MEAN TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE AND ALGEBRAICALLY SIGNED
83	
84	20 F8.1 GROSS GAMMA (0.4-3.0 MEV) COUNT RATE TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN COUNTS PER SECOND
85	
86	21 F6.1 UNCERTAINTY IN GROSS GAMMA COUNT RATE TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN COUNTS PER SECOND
87	
88	22 F5.1 ATMOSPHERIC BI-214 4PI CORRECTION TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U
89	
90	23 F4.1 UNCERTAINTY IN ATMOSPHERIC BI-214 4PI CORRECTION TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U
91	
92	24 F6.1 AVERAGED URANIUM-TO-THORIUM RATIO TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT TH PER PPM EQUIVALENT TH
93	
94	25 F5.1 URANIUM-TO-THORIUM RATIO STANDARD DEVIATION FROM THE MEAN TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE AND ALGEBRAICALLY SIGNED
95	
96	26 F6.1 AVERAGED URANIUM-TO-POTASSIUM RATIO TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U PER PERCENT K
97	
98	27 F5.1 URANIUM-TO-POTASSIUM RATIO STANDARD DEVIATION FROM THE MEAN TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE AND ALGEBRAICALLY SIGNED
99	
100	
101	28 F6.1 AVERAGED THORIUM-TO-POTASSIUM RATIO TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT TH PER PERCENT K
102	
103	29 F5.1 THORIUM-TO-POTASSIUM RATIO STANDARD DEVIATION FROM THE MEAN TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE AND ALGEBRAICALLY SIGNED
104	
105	

2. Tape Identification Block (Block 2)

The information and format for this block are indicated in lines 8 through 49 of the Format Description Block A4.1, and 1922 characters are produced. The remaining 6078 characters of this block are blanks.

If less than nine aerial systems are used, the space allocated for additional systems is filled with 9's in the format specified for each item using I and F fields, and with zeros for A fields.

Similarly, if fewer than 99 flight lines exist, the unused flight line information, 13 characters per flight line, is filled with 9's through the 99th flight line.

3. Statistical Analysis Data Blocks

The information and format for the logical records in these blocks are indicated in lines 55 through 103 of the Format Description Block A4.1. One logical record contains 160 characters. There are 50 such logical records per 8000 character physical record or block.

The data appearing in locations specified by lines 68, 74, 80, 86 and 90 of the Format Description Block A4.1 are 9's in the format specified in each case.

File 2: Statistical Analysis Summary

Block Size (Physical Record): 7000 characters
 Logical Record (Data) : 140 characters

1. Format Description Block (Block 1)

The Format Description utilizes 4320 characters. The remaining 2680 characters are blanks.

Line Number	Character Number	
1	05 0978	(DATA TAPE TYPE AND FORMAT SPECIFICATION DATE CODE)
2		
3		STATISTICAL ANALYSIS SUMMARY TAPE (OR FILE)
4		
5		FORMAT FOR TAPE IDENTIFICATION BLOCK (SECOND BLOCK)
6		
7	ITEM	FORMAT DESCRIPTION
8	1	A40 QUADRANGLE NAME AS PROJECT IDENTIFICATION
9	2	A20 NAME OF SUBCONTRACTOR
10	3	I4 APPROXIMATE DATE OF SURVEY (MONTH, YEAR)
11	4	I6 NUMBER OF GEOLOGIC MAP UNITS USED FOR THIS QUADRANGLE
12		
13		
14		FORMAT FOR STATISTICAL ANALYSIS SUMMARY DATA RECORD (THIRD THRU LAST BLOCK)
15		
16		
17	ITEM	FORMAT DESCRIPTION
18	1	A8 SURFACE GEOLOGIC MAP UNIT IDENTIFYING CODE
19	2	I6 TOTAL RECORDS FOR GEOLOGIC MAP UNIT
20	3	I6 NUMBER OF POTASSIUM RECORDS COMPUTED FOR GEOLOGIC UNIT
21		
22	4	F6.1 POTASSIUM CONCENTRATION MEAN TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PERCENT K
23		
24	5	F6.1 POTASSIUM CONCENTRATION STANDARD DEVIATION TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PERCENT K
25		
26	6	A3 POTASSIUM CONCENTRATION DISTRIBUTION CODE
27	7	I6 NUMBER OF URANIUM RECORDS COMPUTED FOR GEOLOGIC UNIT
28	8	F6.1 URANIUM CONCENTRATION MEAN TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U
29		
30	9	F6.1 URANIUM CONCENTRATION STANDARD DEVIATION TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U
31		
32	10	A3 URANIUM CONCENTRATION DISTRIBUTION CODE
33	11	I6 NUMBER OF THORIUM RECORDS COMPUTED FOR GEOLOGIC UNIT
34	12	F6.1 THORIUM CONCENTRATION MEAN TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT TH
35		
36	13	F6.1 THORIUM CONCENTRATION STANDARD DEVIATION TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT TH
37		

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38	14	A3	THORIUM CONCENTRATION DISTRIBUTION CODE
39	15	I6	NUMBER OF URANIUM-TO-THORIUM RATIO RECORDS COMPUTED FOR GEOLOGIC UNIT
40			
41	16	F6.1	URANIUM-TO-THORIUM RATIO MEAN TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U PER PPM EQUIVALENT TH
42			
43	17	F6.1	URANIUM-TO-THORIUM RATIO STANDARD DEVIATION TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U PER PPM EQUIVALENT TH
44			
45			
46	18	A3	URANIUM-TO-THORIUM RATIO DISTRIBUTION CODE
47	19	I6	NUMBER OF URANIUM-TO-POTASSIUM RATIO RECORDS COMPUTED FOR GEOLOGIC UNIT
48			
49	20	F6.1	URANIUM-TO-POTASSIUM RATIO MEAN TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U PER PERCENT K
50			
51	21	F6.1	URANIUM-TO-POTASSIUM RATIO STANDARD DEVIATION TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT U PER PERCENT K
52			
53	22	A3	URANIUM-TO-POTASSIUM RATIO DISTRIBUTION CODE
54	23	I6	NUMBER OF THORIUM-TO-POTASSIUM RATIO RECORDS COMPUTED FOR GEOLOGIC UNIT
55			
56	24	F6.1	THORIUM-TO-POTASSIUM RATIO MEAN TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT TH PER PERCENT K
57			
58	25	F6.1	THORIUM-TO-POTASSIUM RATIO STANDARD DEVIATION TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN PPM EQUIVALENT TH PER PERCENT K
59			
60	26	A3	THORIUM-TO-POTASSIUM RATIO DISTRIBUTION CODE

2. Tape Identification Block (Block 2)

The information and format for this block are indicated in lines 8 through 11 of the Format Description Block A6.1, and 70 characters are produced. The remaining 6930 characters of this block are blanks.

3. Statistical Analysis Summary Data Blocks

The information and format for the logical records in these blocks are indicated in lines 18 through 60 of the Format Description Block A6.1. One logical record contains 140 characters. There are 50 such logical records per 7000 character physical record or block.

A5. Magnetic Data Tapes

Block Size (Physical Record): 8000 characters
 Logical Record (Data) : 80 characters

1. Format Description Block (Block 1)

The Format Description utilizes 3384 characters. The remaining 4616 characters are blanks.

Line Character Number
 Number 12345678901234567890123456789012345678901234567890123456789012

1	04	0978	(DATA TAPE TYPE AND FORMAT SPECIFICATION DATE CODES)
2			
3			MAGNETIC DATA TAPE
4			
5			FORMAT FOR TAPE IDENTIFICATION BLOCK (SECOND BLOCK)
6			
7	ITEM	FORMAT	DESCRIPTION
8	1	A40	QUADRANGLE NAME AS PROJECT IDENTIFICATION
9	2	A20	NAME OF SUBCONTRACTOR
10	3	I4	APPROXIMATE DATE OF SURVEY (MONTH, YEAR)
11	4	I3	NUMBER OF FLIGHT LINES ON THIS TAPE
12	5	I4	FIRST FLIGHT LINE ON THIS TAPE
13	6	I6	FIRST RECORD NUMBER OF FIRST FLIGHT LINE
14	7	I3	JULIAN DATE (DAY OF YEAR) FIRST FLIGHT LINE DATA WAS COLLECTED
15			
16	8	F8.4	LATITUDE OF GROUND BASE STATION TO FOUR DECIMAL PLACES IN DEGREES FOR FIRST FLIGHT LINE
17			
18	9	F8.4	LONGITUDE OF GROUND BASE STATION TO FOUR DECIMAL PLACES IN DEGREES FOR FIRST FLIGHT LINE
19			
20	10-14	(SAME)	REPEAT OF ITEMS 5-9 FOR SECOND FLIGHT LINE ON THIS TAPE
21			
22	*	*	*
23	*	*	*
24	*	*	*
25	495-499	(SAME)	REPEAT OF ITEMS 5-9 FOR 99TH FLIGHT LINE ON THIS TAPE
26			
27			
28			FORMAT FOR MAGNETIC DATA RECORD (THIRD THRU LAST BLOCK)
29			
30	ITEM	FORMAT	DESCRIPTION
31	1	I1	AERIAL SYSTEM IDENTIFICATION CODE
32	2	I4	FLIGHT LINE NUMBER
33	3	I6	RECORD IDENTIFICATION NUMBER
34	4	I6	GMT TIME OF DAY (HHMMSS)
35	5	F8.4	LATITUDE TO FOUR DECIMAL PLACES IN DEGREES
36	6	F8.4	LONGITUDE TO FOUR DECIMAL PLACES IN DEGREES
37	7	F6.1	TERRAIN CLEARANCE TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN METERS
38	8	F5.1	OUTSIDE AIR PRESSURE TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN MMHG
39	9	A8	SURFACE GEOLOGIC MAP UNIT CODE
40	10	F7.1	TOTAL MAGNETIC FIELD INTENSITY TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN GAMMAS
41			
42	11	F7.1	RESIDUAL (IGRF REMOVED) MAGNETIC FIELD INTENSITY TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN GAMMAS
43			
44	12	F7.1	DIURNAL MAGNETIC INTENSITY VARIATION TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN GAMMAS
45			
46	13	F7.1	MAGNETIC DEPTH-TO-BASEMENT TO ONE DECIMAL PLACE IN METERS (IF REQUIRED)
47			

2. Tape Identification Block (Block 2)

The information and format for this block are indicated in lines 8 through 25 of the Format Description Block A5.1, and 2938 characters are produced. The remaining 5062 characters of this block are blanks.

If fewer than 99 flight lines exist, the unused flight line information, 29 characters per flight line, is filled with 9's through the 99th flight line in the format indicated.

3. Magnetic Data Blocks

The information and format for the logical records in these blocks are indicated in lines 31 through 46 of the Format Description Block A5.1. One logical record contains 80 characters. There are 100 such logical records per 8000 character physical record or block.

If the magnetic depth-to-basement is not required, this item is expressed as 99999.9.

B. DESCRIPTION OF LISTINGS

B1. Single record reduced data listings: include the following information on Microfiche:

ITEM	DESCRIPTION
REC	Sequential record number
Lat	Location Y in latitude
Long	Location X in longitude
RMag	Residual magnetic field, gammas
Alt	Surface altitude
GEO UNIT	Geologic Type
AKUT	A=Altitude; K=Potassium; U=Uranium T=Thorium - Results of statistical adequacy test
COS	Cosmic c/s
BiAir	Airborne ²¹⁴ Bi, 4π data
GC	Gross count, .4 MeV - 2.8 MeV
T _l	²⁰⁸ Tl c/s
Bi	²¹⁴ Bi c/s
K	⁴⁰ K c/s
BI:T _l	Ratio
BI:k	Ratio
T _l :K	Ratio
TEMP	Outside Air Temperature (°C)
BP	Atmospheric Pressure (In. Hg)

B2. Averaged record data listings: include the following information on Microfiche:

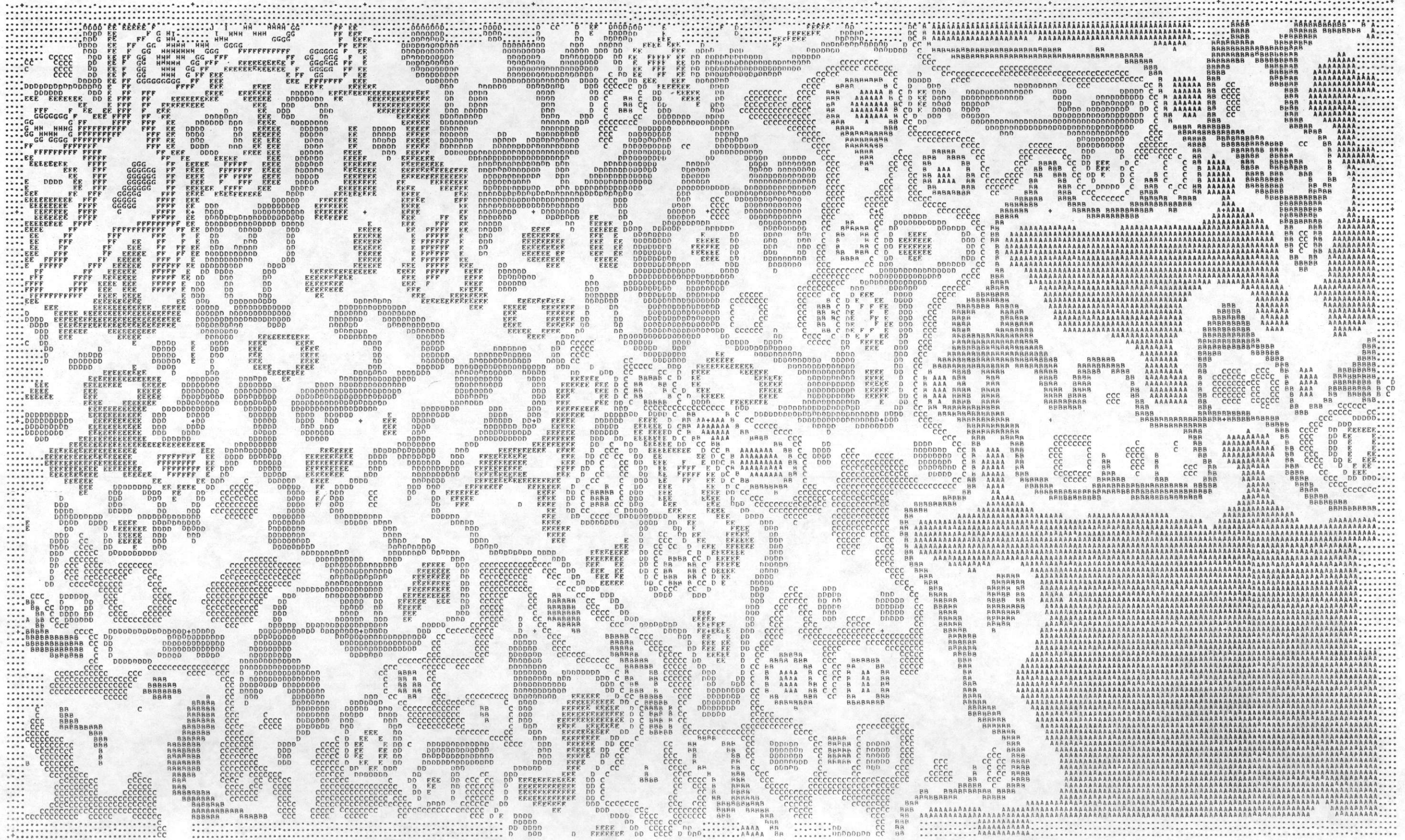
ITEM	DESCRIPTION
REC	Sequential Record number
GEO UNIT	Geologic type
AKUT	A=Altitude; K=Potassium; U=Uranium; T=Thorium - Results of statistical adequacy test
Long	Longitude of X location of geologic type
Lat	Latitude of Y location of geologic type
RMag	Residual magnetic field, gammas
COS	Cosmic, 4π
BiAir	Atmospheric Bi, 4π
GC	Gross count, c/s

ITEM

T_l
Rank
Bi
Rank
K
Rank
Bi/T_l
Rank
Bi/K
Rank
T_l/K
Rank

DESCRIPTION

T_l value, c/s
T_l standard deviation rank
Bi value, c/s
Bi standard deviation rank
K value, c/s
K standard deviation rank
Ratio value
Bi/T_l standard deviation rank
Ratio value
Bi/K standard deviation rank
Ratio value
T_l/K standard deviation rank



ALV-1 Line Printer Control

GEODATA INTERNATIONAL, INC.
DALLAS, TEXAS
A< 0.60 1.20<B< 1.80 2.40<< 3.00 3.60<<< 4.20 4.80<<< 5.40 6.00<<< 6.60
7.20<C< 7.80 8.40<< 9.00 9.60<<< 10.20 10.80<<< 11.40 12.00<<< 12.60

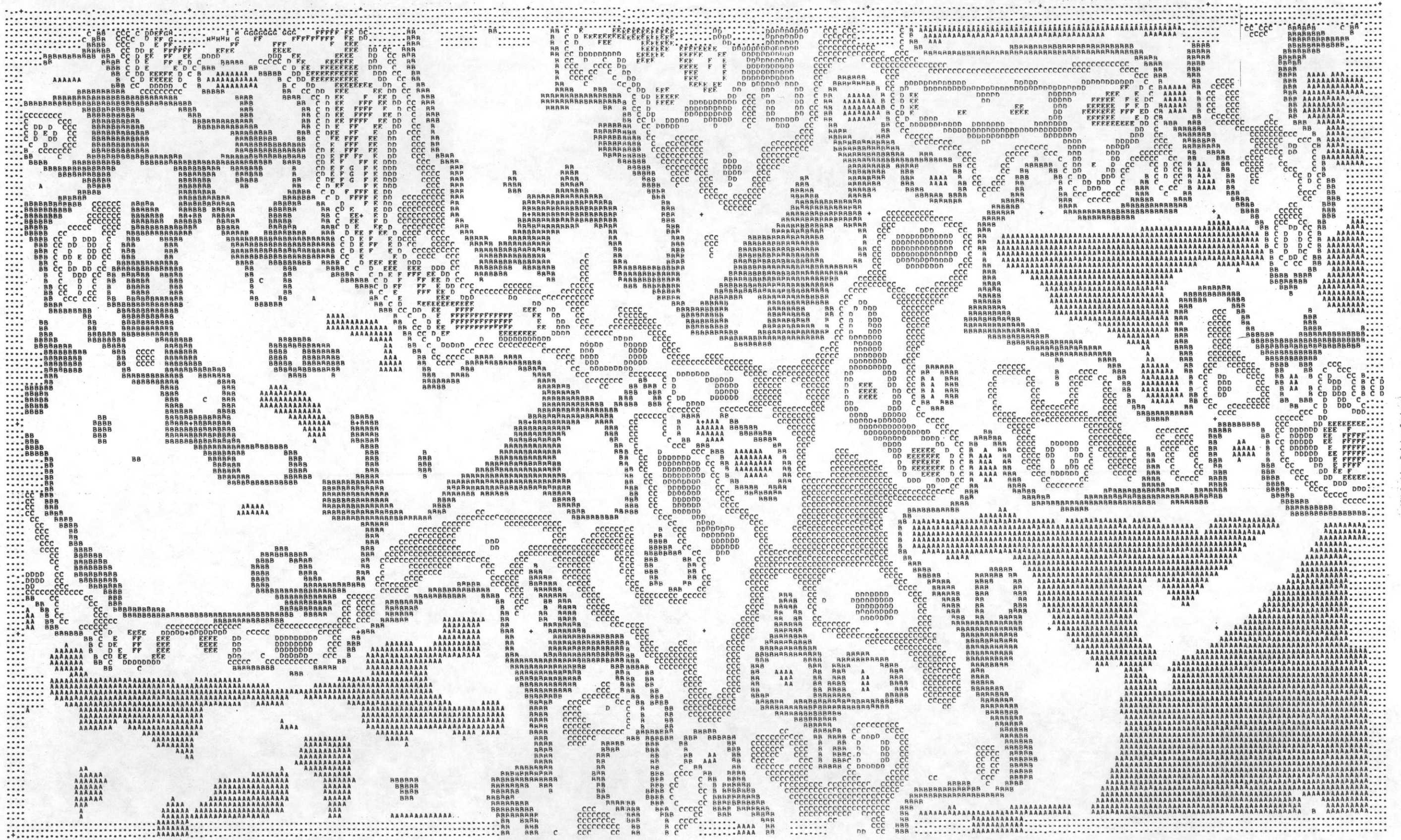


GEODATA INTERNATIONAL, INC.
DALLAS, TEXAS

AK 0.27	0.55<C< 0.87	1.10<C< 1.38	1.45<C< 1.97	2.20<C< 2.47	2.75<C< 3.02
	3.30<C< 3.57	3.85<C< 4.13	4.40<C< 4.67	4.95<C< 5.22	

SCALE= 6.350 GRID INTERVAL= 2.400 29-JAN-80 16:30

Line Printer Contour

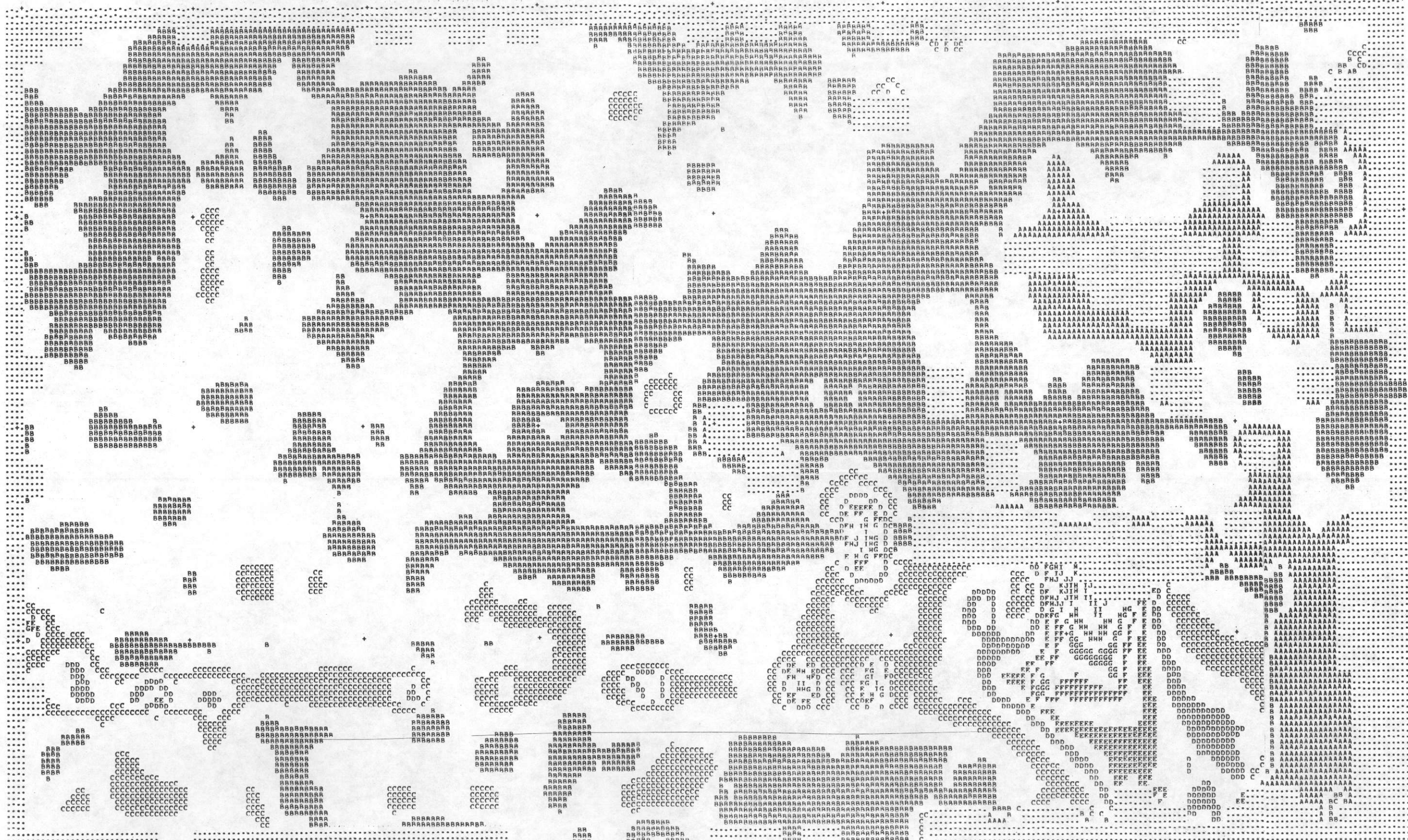


ATV-3 Line Printer Contour

GEODATA INTERNATIONAL, INC.
DALLAS, TEXAS

AK 0.10	0.20<K 0.30	0.40<< 0.50	0.60<<< 0.70	0.80<<<< 0.90	1.00<<<<< 1.10
	1.20<<< 1.30	1.40<<<< 1.50	1.60<<<<< 1.70	1.80<<<<<< 1.90	2.00<<<<<< 2.10

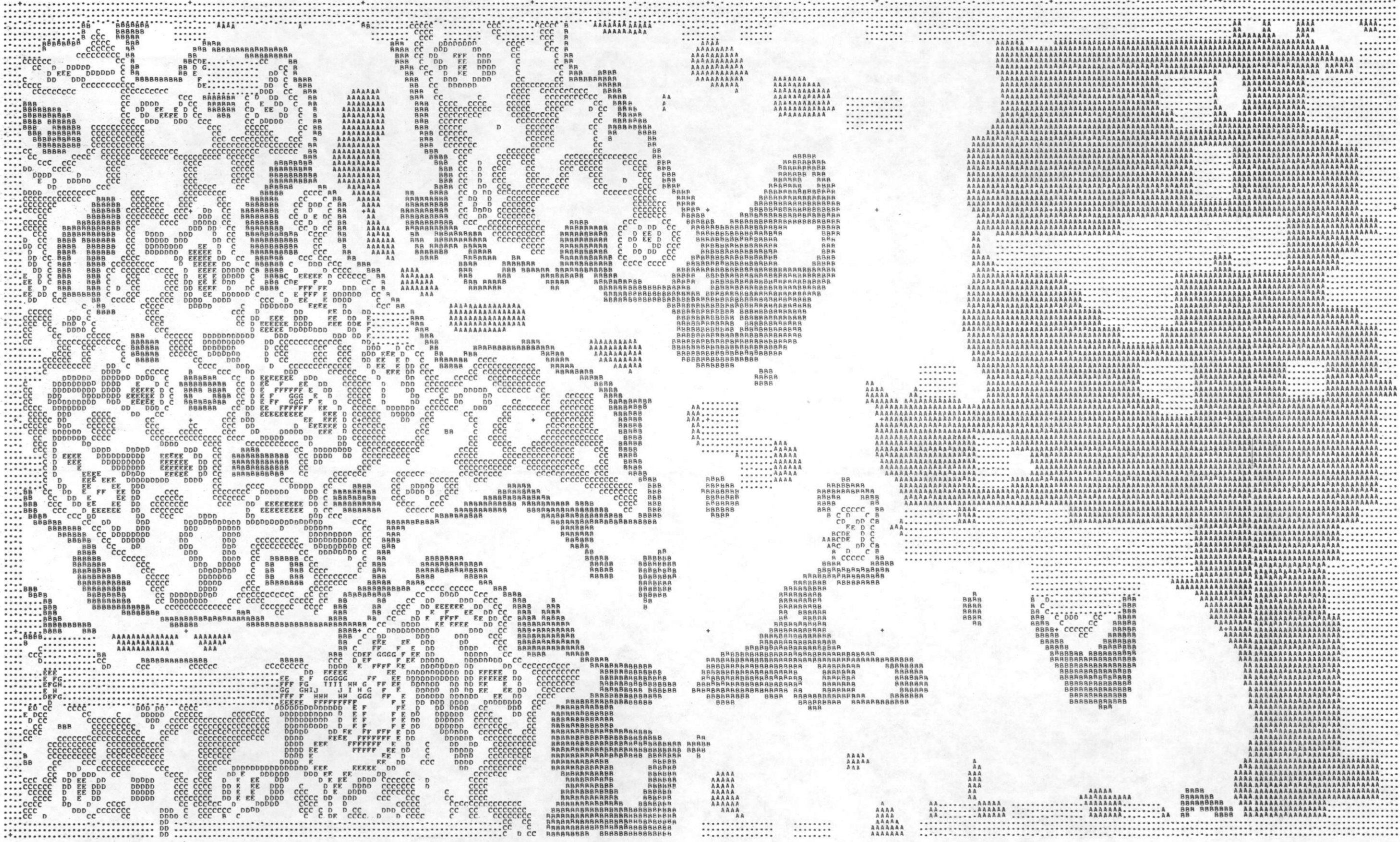
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ALV-4 Line Printer Contour.

GEODATA INTERNATIONAL, INC.
DALLAS, TEXAS

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	1.20 < A < 1.30	1.40 < A < 1.50	1.60 < A < 1.70	1.80 < A < 1.90	2.00 < A < 2.10
	2.20 < A < 2.30	2.40 < A < 2.50			



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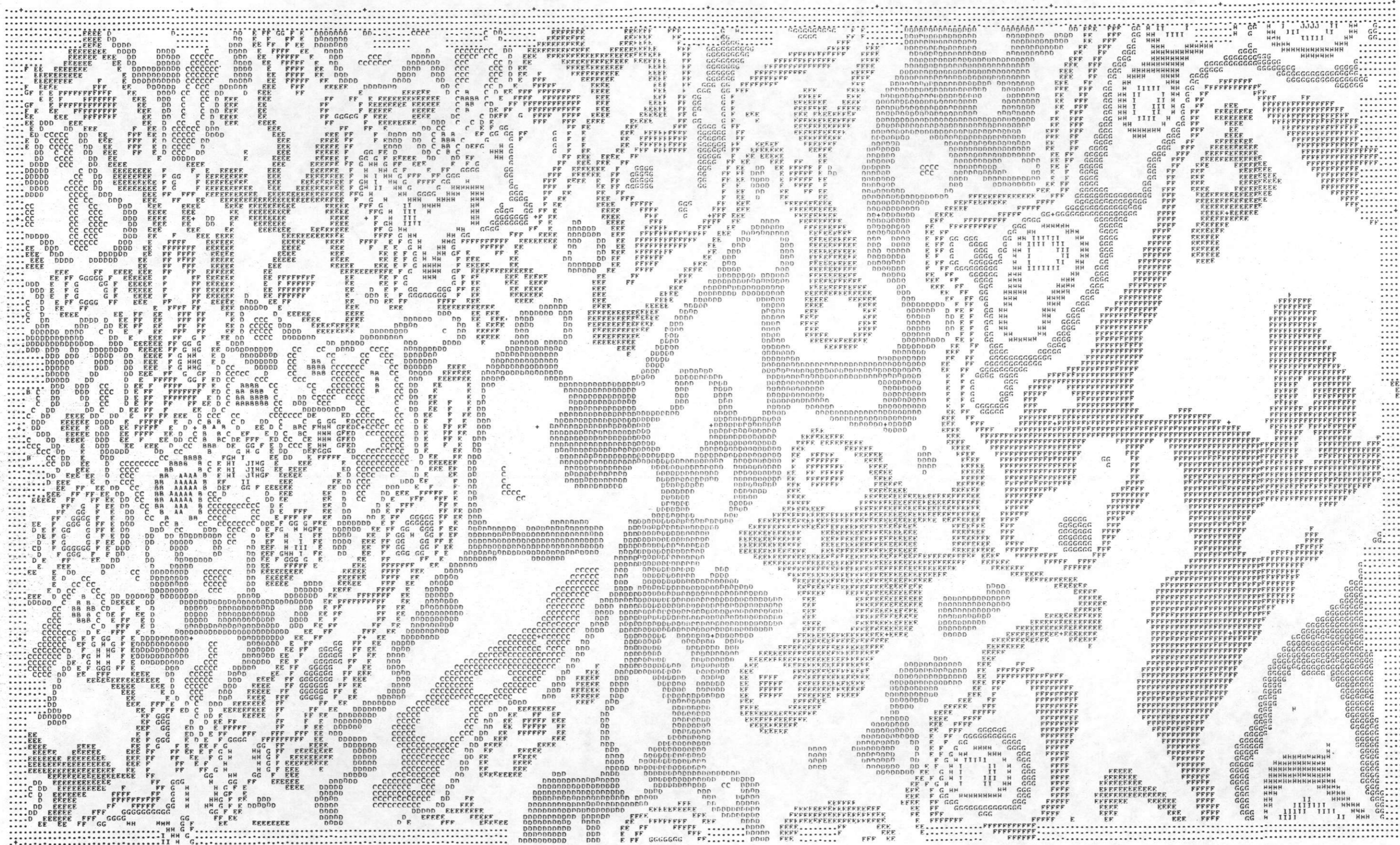
A< 1.5	3.0<C< 4.5	6.0<C< 7.5	9.0<C< 10.5	12.0<C< 13.5	15.0<C< 16.5
	18.0<C< 19.5	21.0<C< 22.5	24.0<C< 25.5	27.0<C< 28.5	30.0<C< 31.5

ATV-3 Line Printer Contour



GEODATA INTERNATIONAL, INC.
DALLAS, TEXAS
A< 5.3 10.5<B< 15.8 21.0<C< 26.3 31.5<D< 36.8 42.0<E< 47.3 52.5<F< 57.8
63.0<G< 68.3 73.5<H< 78.8 84.0<I< 89.3 94.5<J< 99.8 105.0<K< 110.3

ATI-6 Line Printer Contour



ATI-7 Line Printer Contour

GSDATA INTERNATIONAL, INC.
 DALLAS, TEXAS
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 -450.<K -400. -350.<K -300. -250.<K -200. -150.<K -100.

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