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## NOMENCLATURE

A, B, C, D, E, F	- Constants
a	- Cross-sectional area of the line, in. <sup>2</sup>
$b_c$	- Control port width, in.
$b_s$	- Supply port width, in.
$C_0$	- Acoustic velocity of the fluid, in/sec
$d_p$	- Depth of the amplifier, in.
$d_0$	- Diameter of the line, in
$E_1$	- Control to supply jet momentum ratio
j	- $\sqrt{-1}$
$J_0, J_1, J_2$	- Bessel functions of the first kind
$J_c(t)$	- Control jet momentum at any time t
$J_s$	- Supply jet momentum
k	- $r_0^2/\nu_0$
l	- Length of the line, in.
M(s), N(s)	- Polynomials in s of order m and n respectively
n	- Order of approximation
$P_a, P_b$	- Upstream and downstream pressures of the line respectively, psig
$P_s$	- Supply pressure, psig



$P_1$	- $k/5.78$
$P_2$	- $k/56.6$
$P_3$	- $k/40.9$
$P_{\text{bubble}}$	- Bubble pressure, psig
$P_{\text{sw}}$	- Switching pressure, psig
$r_0$	- Radius of the line, in.
$s$	- Laplace variable, $\text{sec.}^{-1}$
$T_e$	- $l/C_0$
$T_1$	- $T_e^2 A/k$
$T_2$	- $9T_1$
$T_3$	- $25T_1$
$T_4$	- $49T_1$
$t$	- time, sec.
$U_s(t)$	- Unit step function
$W_a, W_b$	- Mass flow rates corresponding to $P_a, P_b$ respectively, $\text{lb.}_m/\text{sec.}$
$W_s$	- Supply mass flow rate, $\text{lb.}_m/\text{sec.}$
$X, Y$	- Coordinates
$Z_0$	- $C_0/a$
$Z_c(s)$	- Characteristic impedance of the line, $(\text{in.} \cdot \text{sec.})^{-1}$
$Z_R$	- Load impedance, $(\text{in.} \cdot \text{sec.})^{-1}$
$\alpha_{i,n}$	- Roots of the Bessel's equation, $J_i(\alpha_{i,n})$
$\gamma$	- Ratio of specific heats

- $\sigma$  - Prandtl number
- $\nu_0$  - Kinematic viscosity of the fluid, in.<sup>2</sup>/sec.
- $\Gamma(s)$  - Propagation operator
- $\psi(t)$  - Jet deflection angle at anytime, t

## CHAPTER I

### INTRODUCTION

In any application of fluid logic and control devices involving high power level, and/or fast dynamic response, line dynamics effects must be included in the analysis. For instance, neglecting line dynamics effects in a digital fluidic circuit may cause dynamic hazards. (A dynamic hazard is the occurrence of an unplanned state due to time delays.) It has long been recognized that the accuracy of analytical design of a fluidic system depends on the validity of the mathematical models for the system components.

The purpose of this thesis was to study the effect of input pulse characteristics on the switching time of a fluidic logic element (more specifically a flip flop) in correlation with the pulse form from a transmission line. For this study the theoretical model developed by Epstein [1, 2]<sup>1</sup> for the end wall switching in a bistable amplifier was used. Various approximate models were tried for the transmission line and a comparison was made. The line-amplifier model was verified experimentally using a commercially available flip flop.

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<sup>1</sup>Numbers in brackets refer to bibliography.

## CHAPTER II

### LITERATURE SURVEY

#### Transmission Lines

Numerous problems involving signal and power transmission in fluid lines have emerged in the field of fluidics. Although a complete description of dynamic behaviour of a fluid line is extremely difficult, a number of approximate descriptions are available which yield rather good results for engineering design purposes.

Two general approaches to modeling transmission lines have been employed in fluid system analysis [3, 4, 5]:

- (1) Lumped Parameter Models
- (2) Distributed Parameter Models

The lumped parameter model is valid whenever the time required for a pressure wave to travel the length of the line is short with respect to the period of the highest frequency wave that is to be transmitted. In case where the pressure wave input to the line contains a broad band of frequencies (e.g., step and pulse inputs), a distributed parameter model must be used to achieve acceptable accuracy.

Distributed parameter models are obtained by solving the equations of motion under varying degrees of approximations.

- (i) Lossless Model. The lossless model does not include dissipation or heat transfer and hence it yields pure time delay.
- (ii) Linear Friction Model. The linear friction model assumes that losses are proportional to mean velocity and heat transfer effects are negligible.
- (iii) Constant R-L-C Model. The constant R-L-C model accounts for attenuation only and is valid for cases where the frequency is low and the length to diameter ratio is large.
- (iv) Dissipative Model. The dissipative model takes into account the viscous and heat transfer effects and is termed the "Exact Model" [7].

The distributed parameter models can be identified in terms of two functions--the propagation operator,  $\Gamma(s)$ , and the characteristic impedance,  $Z_c(s)$ ;  $s$  is the Laplace variable. These functions result from the solution of a set of equations chosen to describe the line. Brown [7] has obtained expressions for  $\Gamma(s)$  and  $Z_c(s)$  which are given in the analysis which follows. The exact model does not allow easy computation because of the complex nature of  $\Gamma(s)$  and  $Z_c(s)$ . To overcome this difficulty, many approximations have been suggested in the literature. In this thesis only two will be considered. They are:

- (a.) Goodson's Rational Approximation
- (b.) Brown's High Frequency Approximation

These will be discussed in detail in the analysis.

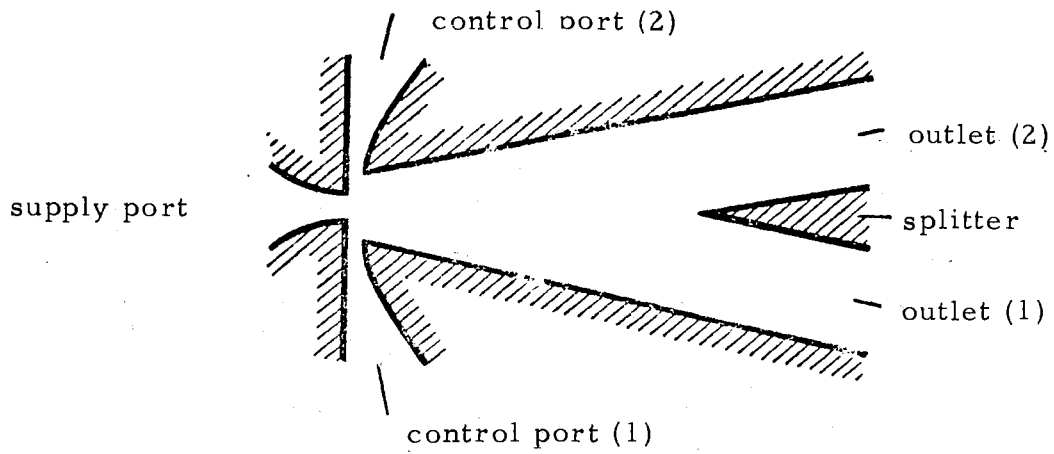
## Bistable Amplifier

The bistable wall attachment amplifier is essentially a (turbulent) jet confined in a geometry like that illustrated in Figure 1. The jet, in the stable mode, reattaches to one of the two walls due to the Coanda effect. The jet may be switched from one stable mode to another, i. e., from reattaching to one wall to the opposite wall, by the application of a proper control signal. This control signal usually takes the form of a control flow introduced into the control port.

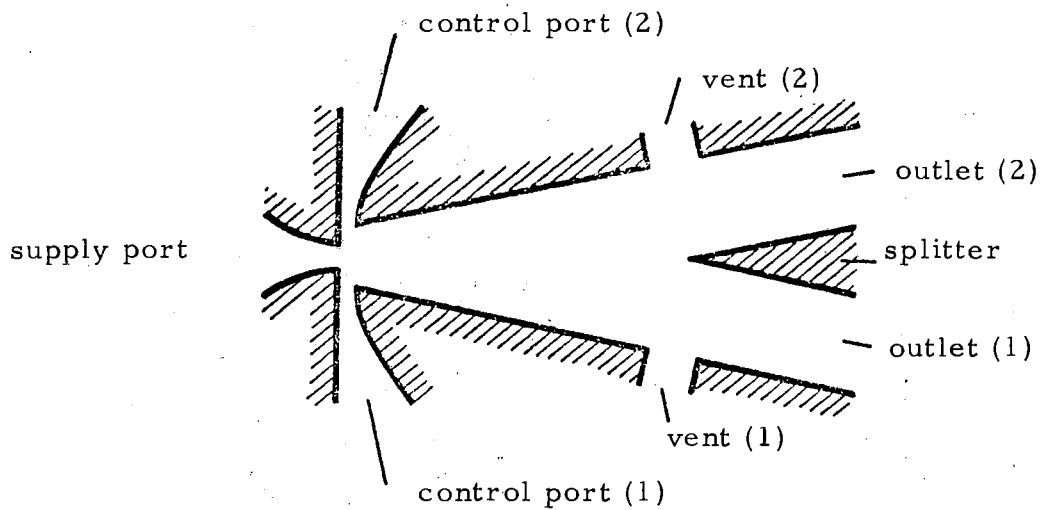
Epstein [1, 2] studied the switching mechanism in a bistable wall attachment fluid amplifier. Depending on the particular geometry of the amplifier, three basic types of switching phenomena can occur (Fig. 2). Of the three, two depend on the length of attachment walls and their offset and the third on the location of the splitter.

### End Wall Switching

With relatively short attachment walls, large offset and/or jets with a relatively small control to supply jet momentum ratio,  $E_1$  (see equation 11), the reattachment point, moves downstream until it reaches the edge  $k$  of the vent. The jet then separates from the wall, travels across the amplifier and finally reattaches to the opposite wall. For this type of switching to occur it is also necessary to have the splitter located far enough away from the nozzle exit so that it does not interfere with the jet before it separates from the original



a.) Schematic of an Unvented Bistable Fluid Amplifier



b. Schematic of a Vented Bistable Fluid Amplifier

Figure 1. Schematic of an Unvented and a Vented Bistable Fluid Amplifier

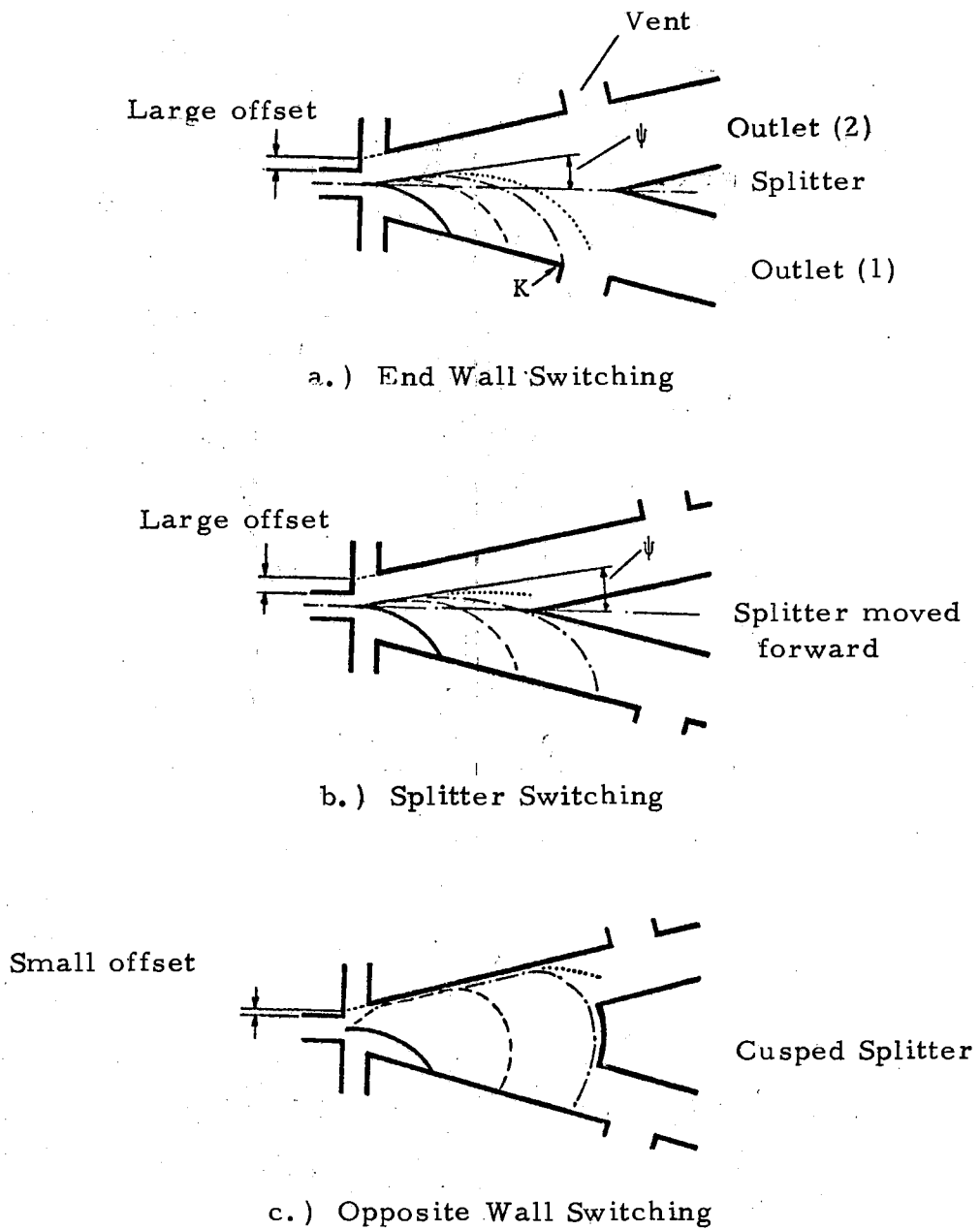


Figure 2. Jet Path During the Switching Transient



wall.

### Splitter Switching

If the splitter location is as shown in Fig. 2(b), switching occurs when the reattachment point moves downstream a sufficient distance to cause instability of the jet about the splitter leading edge.

### Opposite Wall Switching

With relatively small offset and/or large control to supply jet momentum ratio,  $E_1$ , the jet attaches to the opposite wall immediately after the control flow is started. The jet, however, still remains attached to the original wall. The two reattachment points move down the amplifier until the flow enters the second outlet. This type of switching is illustrated in Fig. 2(c).

Epstein analyzes only the end wall type switching transient.

He divides the end wall switching transient into three phases:

Phase I. Begins when a step input in the control fluid flow is applied and ends when the jet deflection angle,  $\psi$ , (see equation 10) reaches its stable value  $\psi_{\text{final}}$  corresponding to the final control to supply jet momentum ratio,  $E_1$ . During this phase the attachment point is assumed to remain at its original position.

Phase II. Follows Phase I and ends when the reattachment point reaches the edge of the vent. During this phase  $\psi = \psi_{\text{final}} =$  constant.

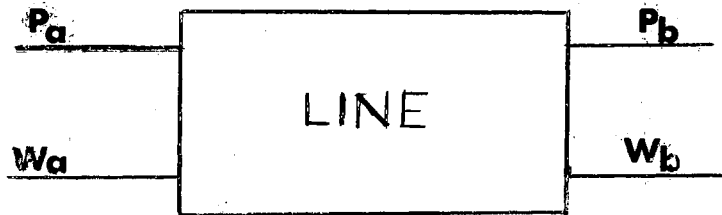
Phase III. Follows Phase II and ends when a pressure signal is obtained in the receiver connected to the outlet (2) of the amplifier. During this phase  $\psi = \psi_{\text{final}} = \text{constant}$  and the jet is no longer attached to wall (1).

## CHAPTER III

### ANALYSIS

#### Transmission Line

A fluid transmission line can be represented in general by a four terminal element having two inputs and two outputs. One particular case is shown below:



$P_a$  and  $P_b$  are pressures and  $W_a$  and  $W_b$  are mass flow rates. The arrows indicate the causality of the variables, i. e.,  $P_a$  and  $W_b$  are independent variables and  $W_a$  and  $P_b$  are dependent variables.

The relation between pressures and flows is given by the matrix equation (1):

$$\begin{bmatrix} P_b(s) \\ W_b(s) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \text{Cosh } \Gamma(s) & -Z_c(s) \text{Sinh } \Gamma(s) \\ -\frac{1}{Z_c(s)} \text{Sinh } \Gamma(s) & \text{Cosh } \Gamma(s) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} P_a(s) \\ W_a(s) \end{bmatrix} \quad (1)$$

where  $\Gamma(s)$  is termed the propagation operator and  $Z_c(s)$  is termed the

characteristic impedance.

Brown [7] has derived expressions for  $\Gamma(s)$  and  $Z_c(s)$  for the case of a pneumatic transmission line and suggested approximations for the high frequency range. The expressions given by Brown are:

$$\Gamma(s) = T_e s \left[ \frac{1 + \frac{2(\gamma - 1) J_1(y)}{y J_0(y)}}{1 - \frac{2 J_1(x)}{x J_0(x)}} \right]^{1/2}$$

and

$$Z_c(s) = \frac{Z_0}{\left[ \left( 1 + \frac{2(\gamma - 1) J_1(y)}{y J_0(y)} \right) \left( 1 - \frac{2 J_1(x)}{x J_0(x)} \right) \right]^{1/2}}$$

where

$$y = j \sqrt{\frac{\sigma s r_0^2}{v_0}} ; \quad x = j \sqrt{\frac{s r_0^2}{v_0}} ; \quad Z_0 = \frac{C_0}{a}$$

For a line loaded with a linear resistor of impedance,  $Z_R$ , the relation between  $P_b$  and  $W_b$  is

$$P_b(t) = Z_R W_b(t) \quad (2)$$

or in terms of the Laplace variable,  $s$ ,

$$P_b(s) = Z_R W_b(s) \quad (3)$$

From equations (1) and (3),  $P_b(s)$  can be expressed as a function of  $P_a(s)$  as shown below:

$$P_b(s) = \frac{P_a(s)}{\left[ \text{Cosh } \Gamma(s) + \frac{Z_c(s)}{Z_R} \text{ Sinh } \Gamma(s) \right]}$$

If  $P_a(t)$  is a step input of amplitude,  $P_a$ , then

$$P_a(s) = \frac{P_a}{s}$$

$$\frac{P_b(s)}{P_a} = \frac{1}{s \left[ \text{Cosh } \Gamma(s) + \frac{Z_c(s)}{Z_R} \text{ Sinh } \Gamma(s) \right]} \quad (4)$$

The inverse transform of equation (4) is difficult to obtain due to the complex forms of  $\Gamma(s)$  and  $Z_c(s)$ . A closed form solution can be obtained if approximations are used for  $\Gamma(s)$  and  $Z_c(s)$ . Three approximations are considered below.

#### Brown's Approximation

For high frequencies or short transient times,  $\Gamma(s)$  and  $Z_c(s)$  can be approximated by [7]

$$\Gamma(s) \approx T_e s \left[ 1 + A \left( \frac{1}{ks} \right)^{1/2} + B \left( \frac{1}{ks} \right) + C \left( \frac{1}{ks} \right)^{3/2} \right]$$

and

$$Z_c(s) \approx \frac{Z_0}{\left[ 1 + D \left( \frac{1}{ks} \right)^{1/2} + E \left( \frac{1}{ks} \right) + F \left( \frac{1}{ks} \right)^{3/2} \right]}$$

where, for liquids,

$$A = 1, B = 1, C = 7/8$$

$$D = 1, E = 0, F = 0.13$$

and for gases,

$$A = 1.478, B = 1.078, C = 1.058$$

$$D = -0.52, E = -0.88, F = 0.64$$

For sufficiently high frequencies, the fourth terms in the above expressions for  $\Gamma(s)$  and  $Z_c(s)$  may be neglected. With this additional simplification the inverse transform of equation (4) for the liquids case is:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{P_b(t)}{P_a} = & 2 \exp\left(\frac{-BT_e}{k}\right) \operatorname{erfc}\left(\frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{T_1}{(t - T_e)}}\right) U_s(t - T_e) \\ & - 2 \exp\left(\frac{-3BT_e}{k}\right) \operatorname{erfc}\left(\frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{T_2}{(t - 3T_e)}}\right) U_s(t - 3T_e) \\ & - \frac{2Z_0}{Z_R} \exp\left(\frac{-BT_e}{k}\right) \exp\left(\frac{D^2(t - T_e)}{k} + \sqrt{\frac{D^2 T_1}{k}}\right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
& \operatorname{erfc} \left( \sqrt{\frac{D^2(t - T_e)}{k}} + \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{T_1}{(t - T_e)}} \right) U_s(t - T_e) \\
& + \frac{6Z_0}{Z_R} \exp\left(\frac{-3BT_e}{k}\right) \exp\left(\frac{D^2(t - 3T_e)}{k} + \sqrt{\frac{D^2 T_2}{k}}\right) \\
& \operatorname{erfc} \left( \sqrt{\frac{D^2(t - 3T_e)}{k}} + \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{T_2}{(t - 3T_e)}} \right) U_s(t - 3T_e) \\
& - \frac{6Z_0}{Z_R} \exp\left(\frac{-5BT_e}{k}\right) \exp\left(\frac{D^2(t - 5T_e)}{k} + \sqrt{\frac{D^2 T_3}{k}}\right) \\
& \operatorname{erfc} \left( \sqrt{\frac{D^2(t - 5T_e)}{k}} + \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{T_3}{(t - 5T_e)}} \right) U_s(t - 5T_e) \\
& + \frac{2Z_0}{Z_R} \exp\left(\frac{-7BT_e}{k}\right) \exp\left(\frac{D^2(t - 7T_e)}{k} + \sqrt{\frac{D^2 T_4}{k}}\right) \\
& \operatorname{erfc} \left( \sqrt{\frac{D^2(t - 7T_e)}{k}} + \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{T_4}{(t - 7T_e)}} \right) U_s(t - 7T_e)
\end{aligned} \tag{5}$$

where

$$U_s(t - T) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{for } t < T \\ 1 & \text{for } t > T \end{cases}$$

$$T_1 = \frac{T_e^2 A^2}{k}; \quad T_2 = 9T_1; \quad T_3 = 25T_1; \quad T_4 = 49T_1$$

for the liquid case.

### Rational Approximation [8, 9]

Oldenburger and Goodson [9] have shown that the hyperbolic functions of equation (4) can be expanded into the following infinite product forms:

$$\text{Cosh } \Gamma(s) = \prod_{n=0}^{\infty} \left[ 1 + \frac{4\Gamma^2(s)}{(2n+1)^2 \pi^2} \right]$$

$$\text{Sinh } \Gamma(s) = \Gamma(s) \prod_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[ 1 + \frac{\Gamma^2(s)}{(n\pi)^2} \right]$$

where

$$\Gamma(s) = \frac{T_e s}{1/2} \left[ 1 - \frac{2J_1(x)}{xJ_0(x)} \right]$$

The identity

$$J_1(x) = \frac{x}{2} [J_0(x) + J_2(x)]$$

gives the result:



$$\left[ 1 - \frac{2J_1(x)}{xJ_0(x)} \right] = - \frac{J_2(x)}{J_0(x)}$$

Infinite product expansions for  $J_0(x)$  and  $J_2(x)$  are

$$J_0(x) = \prod_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[ 1 - \frac{x^2}{\alpha_{0,n}^2} \right] = \prod_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[ 1 + \frac{ks}{\alpha_{0,n}^2} \right]$$

$$J_2(x) = \frac{x^2}{8} \prod_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[ 1 - \frac{x^2}{\alpha_{2,n}^2} \right] = - \frac{ks}{8} \prod_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[ 1 + \frac{ks}{\alpha_{2,n}^2} \right]$$

Thus:

$$- \frac{J_2(x)}{J_0(x)} = \frac{\frac{ks}{8}}{\prod_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[ \frac{1 + \frac{ks}{\alpha_{0,n}^2}}{1 + \frac{ks}{\alpha_{2,n}^2}} \right]}$$

where  $\alpha_{i,n}$  stand for the roots of the equation

$$J_i(\alpha_{i,n}) = 0; \quad n = 1, 2, \dots; \quad i = 0, 1, 2, \dots$$

Goodson [8, 9] has found that a good approximation to the infinite products which contain the Bessel function zeros is

$$\prod_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[ \frac{1 + \frac{ks}{\alpha_{0,n}^2}}{1 + \frac{ks}{\alpha_{2,n}^2}} \right] = \frac{(1 + P_1 s)(1 + P_2 s)}{(1 + P_3 s)} \quad \text{for } |ks| < 400 \quad (6)$$

where

$$P_1 = \frac{k}{5.78}; \quad P_2 = \frac{k}{56.6}; \quad P_3 = \frac{k}{40.9}$$

Thus:

$$\Gamma^2(s) = \frac{T_e^2 s^2}{\left[ 1 - \frac{2J_1(x)}{xJ_0(x)} \right]} = \frac{\frac{8T_e^2 s}{k}}{(1 + P_3 s) (1 + P_1 s) (1 + P_2 s)}$$

With this approximation, equation (4) can be rewritten as

$$\frac{P_b(s)}{P_a} = \frac{M(s)}{N(s)}$$

where  $M(s)$  and  $N(s)$  are polynomials in  $s$  of powers of  $m$  and  $n$  respectively.

The time domain solution can be obtained by the application of the expansion theorem [10] and can be written as

$$\frac{P_b(t)}{P_a} = \frac{M(0)}{N(0)} + \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{M(s_i)}{s_i \frac{d}{ds_i} \{N(s_i)\}} \quad (7)$$

where  $s_i$  are given by the roots of the equation

$$N(s_i) = 0$$

Equation (7) was evaluated for  $n = 0, 1, 2, 3, 4$ .

## Rational Approximation Extended to Pneumatic

### Case

Using the same expressions for Cosh  $\Gamma(s)$  and Sinh  $\Gamma(s)$  as given earlier,  $\Gamma^2(s)$  for the pneumatic case becomes

$$\Gamma^2(s) = \frac{8\Gamma_e^2 s}{k} \left[ \gamma - (\gamma - 1) \frac{\sigma ks}{8} \frac{1}{\prod_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[ \frac{1 + \frac{\sigma ks}{2}}{\alpha_{0,n}} \right] \left[ \frac{1 + \frac{\sigma ks}{2}}{\alpha_{2,n}} \right]} \right] \quad (8)$$

$$\prod_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[ \frac{1 + \frac{ks}{2}}{\alpha_{0,n}} \right] \left[ \frac{1 + \frac{ks}{2}}{\alpha_{2,n}} \right]$$

where  $\sigma$  is the Prandtl number and  $\gamma$  is the ratio of specific heats.

The numerator of equation (8) on the right side containing the zeros of the Bessel function can be approximated by

$$\prod_{n=1}^{\infty} \left[ \frac{1 + \frac{\sigma ks}{2}}{\alpha_{0,n}} \right] \left[ \frac{1 + \frac{\sigma ks}{2}}{\alpha_{2,n}} \right] = \frac{(1 + \sigma P_1 s)(1 + \sigma P_2 s)}{(1 + \sigma P_3 s)} \quad \text{for } |\sigma ks| < 400 \quad (9)$$

The denominator of equation (8) is the same as given in equation (6).

Therefore

$$\Gamma^2(s) = \frac{8T_e^2 s(1+P_1 s)(1+P_2 s) \left[ \gamma(1+\sigma P_1 s)(1+\sigma P_2 s) - \frac{(\gamma-1)\sigma k s(1+\sigma P_3 s)}{8} \right]}{k(1+\sigma P_1 s)(1+\sigma P_2 s)(1+P_3 s)}$$

Using this approximation for  $\Gamma^2(s)$ , the time domain solution for equation (4) can be obtained in the same way as described earlier. Equation (7) was evaluated for  $n = 0, 1, 2$ . Higher values of  $n$  were not considered due to computational difficulties.

### Bistable Amplifier

The Epstein model (see figure 2(a)) may be used to obtain the switching time of the bistable amplifier. To include line dynamics effects on the switching time, it is necessary to modify the Phase I of the Epstein model.

In Epstein's work, Phase I begins when a step input pressure is applied to the transmission line and ends when the jet deflection angle,  $\psi$ , reaches its final value,  $\psi_{\text{final}}$ , corresponding to the maximum value of the jet momentum ratio,  $E_1$ . It is assumed that the jet deflection angle,  $\psi$ , as measured at the point of interaction of supply and control jet is given by

$$\psi = \tan^{-1}(E_1) \quad (10)$$

where

$$E_1 = \frac{J_c}{J_s} \quad (11)$$

It is assumed that the control jet total momentum,  $J_c$ , is given by

$$J_c = \frac{W_b^2}{\rho b_c d_p} + p_{\text{bubble}} b_c d_p, \quad (12)$$

and the supply jet momentum is

$$J_s = \frac{W_s^2}{\rho b_s d_p} \quad (13)$$

Since  $W_b$  is a function of time,  $J_c$  and  $\psi$  are functions of time. Knowing  $P_b(t)$ ,  $W_b(t)$  can be determined. Hence  $\psi(t)$  can be determined. It is assumed that the test amplifier loads the line as if it were a linear resistance, i. e., the input resistance of the amplifier is  $Z_R$  as implied by equation (2). A suitable value for  $Z_R$  can be determined from a measured pressure-flow characteristic for the amplifier control input port. A measured input characteristic for the test amplifier used is shown in Figure 3; the input resistance is approximately constant.

Phases II and III are not altered since, in accordance with the assumptions of Epstein,  $\psi = \psi_{\text{final}} = \text{constant}$  and hence  $W_b$  is constant, corresponding to the switching pressure,  $P_{sw}$ .

### Switching Time Prediction

The objective of this thesis was to determine the effect of line dynamics on the switching time of a fluidic bistable amplifier.

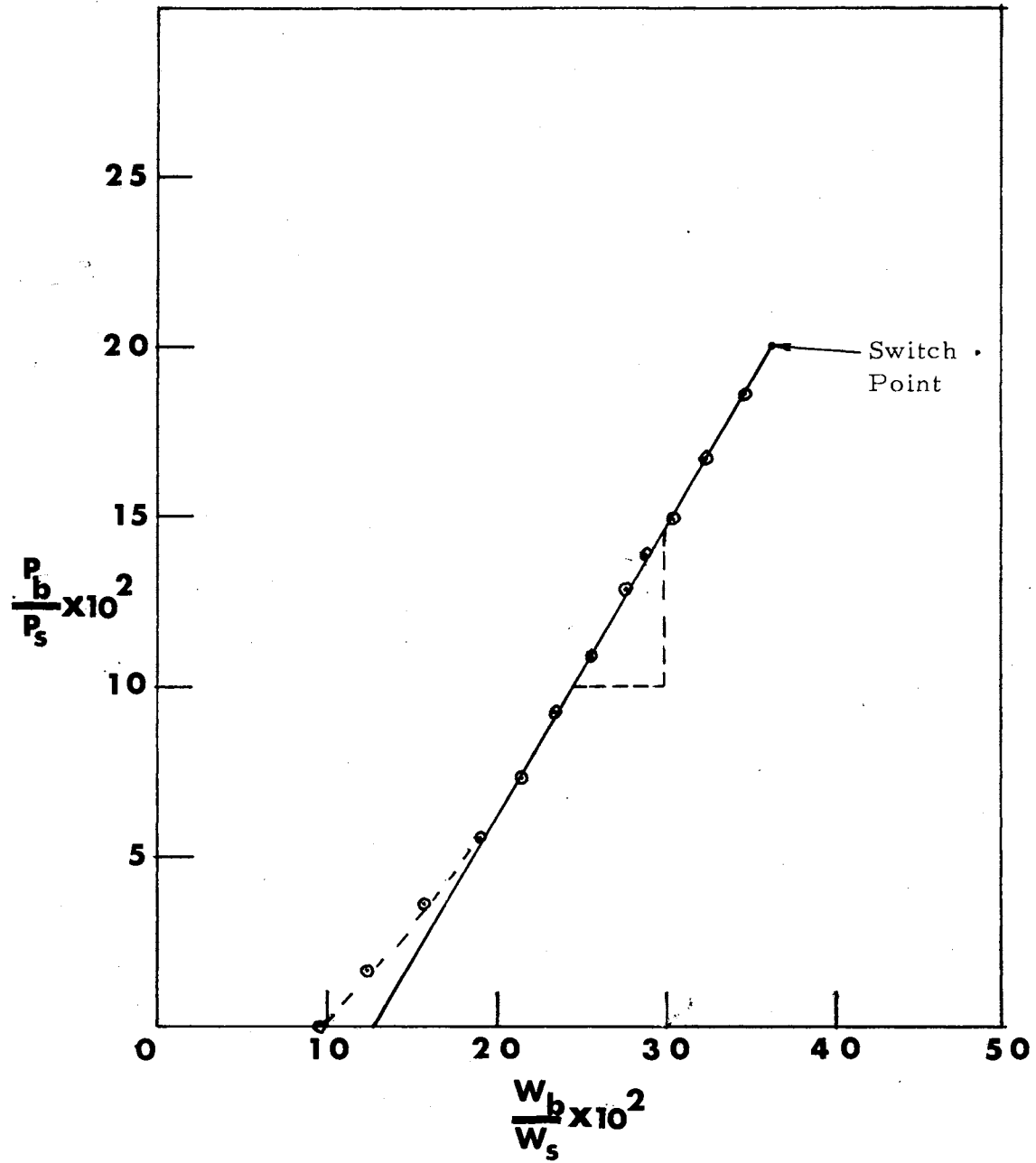


Figure 3. Input Characteristic of the Bistable Amplifier

Switching time is defined here as the time elapsed, beginning with the time of introduction of a step input at the upstream end of the line and commencing with the time when the pressure in the output leg of the bistable amplifier reaches 95% of its final value, less the transport delay.

Figure 4 is a computer flow chart which describes the steps required to predict the switching time for the line-amplifier system, when a step input (approximate) is provided to the line.

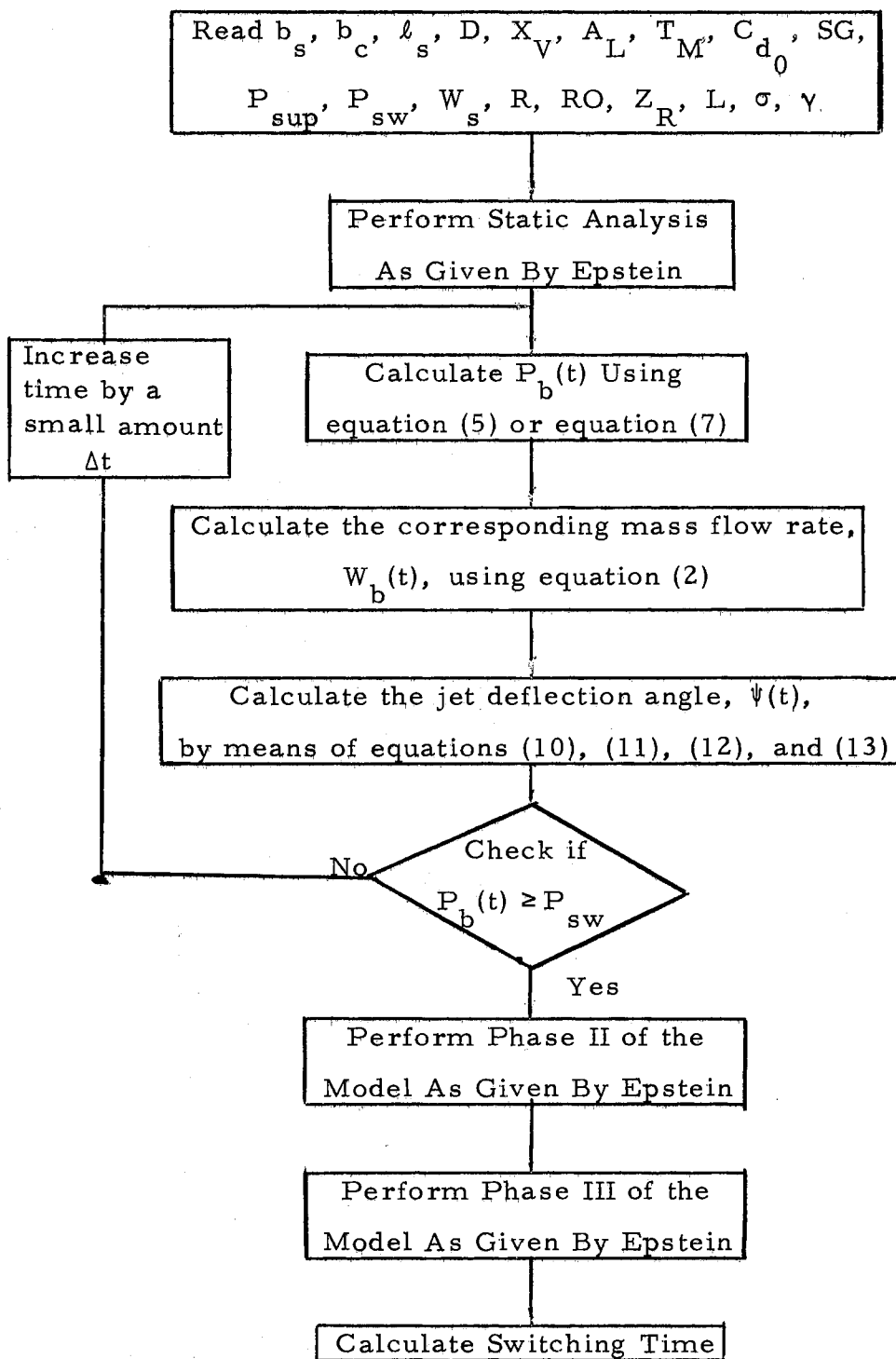


Figure 4. Flow Chart For Computing the Switching Time of the Line-Amplifier System



CHAPTER IV  
EXPERIMENTAL APPARATUS  
AND TECHNIQUE

Figure 5 shows a schematic of the experimental apparatus used. A transmission line connected an output leg of an input amplifier to a control input port of a test amplifier. Both amplifiers were Corning model 190424 bistable flip-flops. Table I gives the dimensions of both amplifiers.

A "step input" to the line was generated by causing the input amplifier output to "switch" from  $O_2$  to  $O_1$ . This technique produced a step input having a rise time<sup>1</sup> of approximately 2 msec (msec means millisecond). Attempts to generate a "step" having a rise time less than 2 msec were unsuccessful. Each output leg of the test amplifier was loaded by a control port (resistance) of a similar amplifier.

The supply pressure,  $P_{s2}$ , was held constant at 2 psig for all tests. Dynamic pressure measurements were made at the entrance to the line ( $P_a$ ), the exit of the line ( $P_b$ ), and the  $O_1$  outlet of the test amplifier ( $P_{01}$ ). All dynamic pressures were measured with Kistler

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<sup>1</sup> Rise time is defined as the time required for the pressure signal to change from 5 percent to 95 percent of its final value.

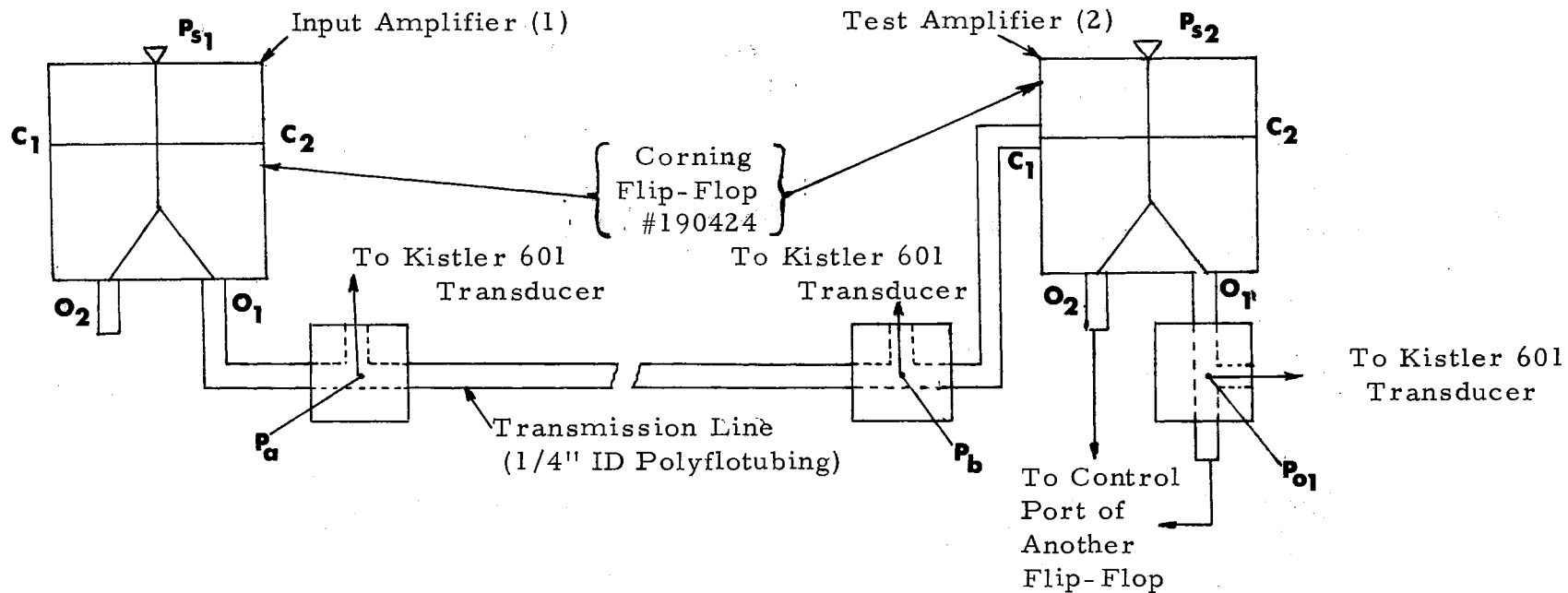


Figure 5. Schematic Diagram of Experimental Setup

model 601 piezoelectric transducers and associated signal conditioning equipment. The step input amplitude was approximately 0.4 psi above atmospheric pressure for all tests. Permanent recordings were made using a storage oscilloscope and camera.

TABLE I  
DIMENSIONS OF THE CORNING FLIP-FLOP #190424

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Supply Port Nozzle Width	$b_s = 0.02 \text{ in.}$
Control Port Nozzle Width	$b_c = 0.02 \text{ in.}$
Vent Location	$X_V = 0.184 \text{ in.}$
Splitter Location	$l_s = 0.22 \text{ in.}$
Wall Angle	$A_L = 12^\circ$
Wall Offset	$D = 0.010 \text{ in.}$
Depth of Amplifier	$d_p = 0.08 \text{ in.}$
Vent Discharge Coefficient [1]	$C_{d_o} = 0.65$
Jet Spread Parameter [1]	$SG = 31.5$
Maximum Possible Jet Turning Angle [1]	$T_M = 67^\circ$

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Compressed air was used for all measurements. Fluid proper-

ties in the line were determined at room temperature and atmospheric pressure.

## CHAPTER V

### RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

This chapter presents predicted and measured step responses for a pneumatic transmission line terminated by a linear resistor of impedance,  $Z_R$ . The effect of input pulse characteristics on the switching time of a bistable amplifier is demonstrated.

Figure 6 shows the calculated step responses for the transmission line loaded at its downstream end with a linear fixed resistance, based on the rational approximate line model with no heat transfer effect (equation 7). There is a marked improvement in the result as the order of approximation ( $n$ ) is increased. The larger rise time for smaller values of  $n$  is a result of neglecting high frequency terms.

In the present work, the rational approximate line model was extended to include heat transfer effects (equation 7). The step response for the line computed using the extended rational approximate model is shown in Figure 7. Computational difficulties prohibited considering values of  $n$  greater than 2. In this case also an improvement in the result was observed by increasing  $n$ .

It is of interest to examine the importance of heat transfer

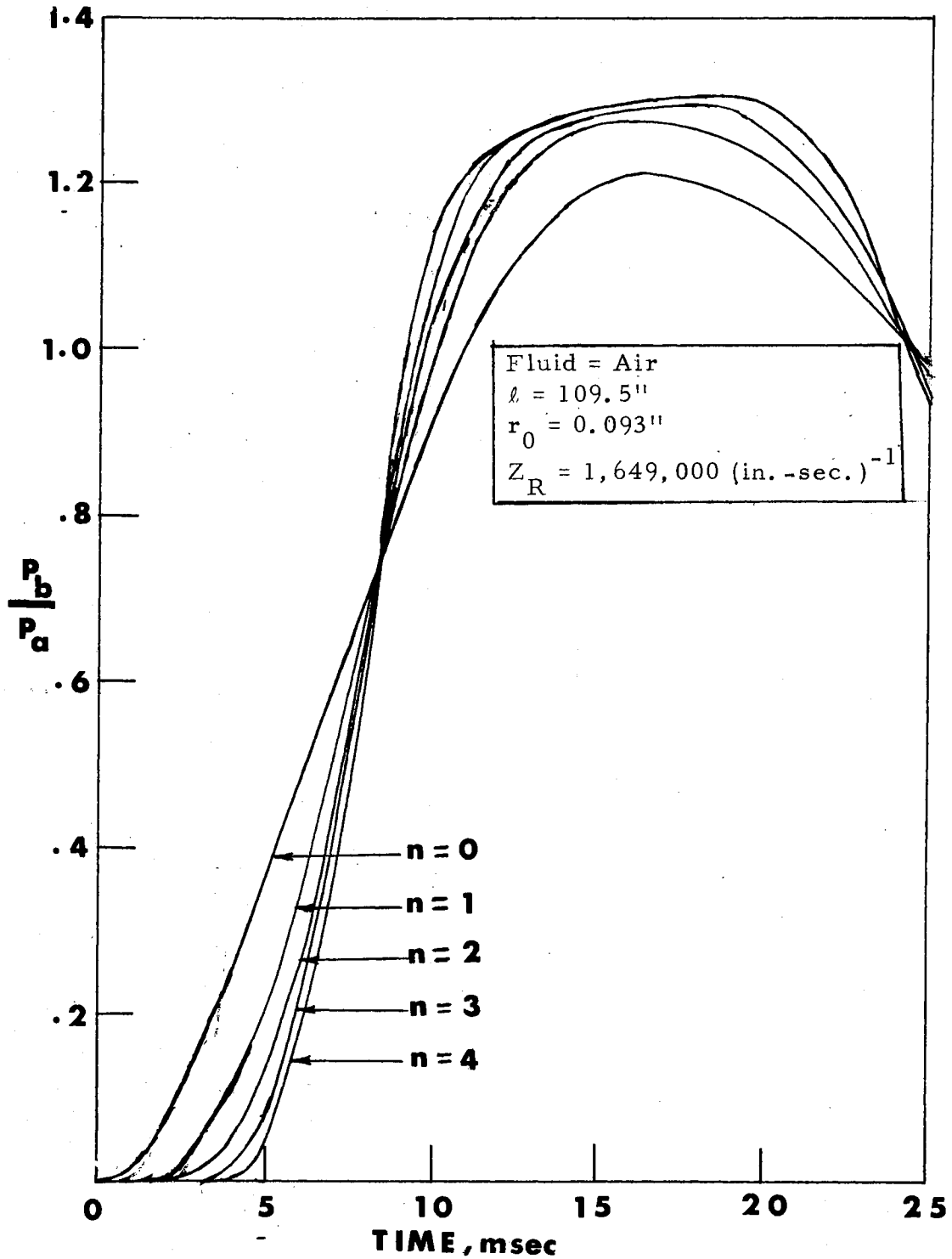


Figure 6. Computed Step Responses of a Pneumatic Transmission Line Terminated With a Linear Resistance--Rational Approximate Model With No Heat Transfer

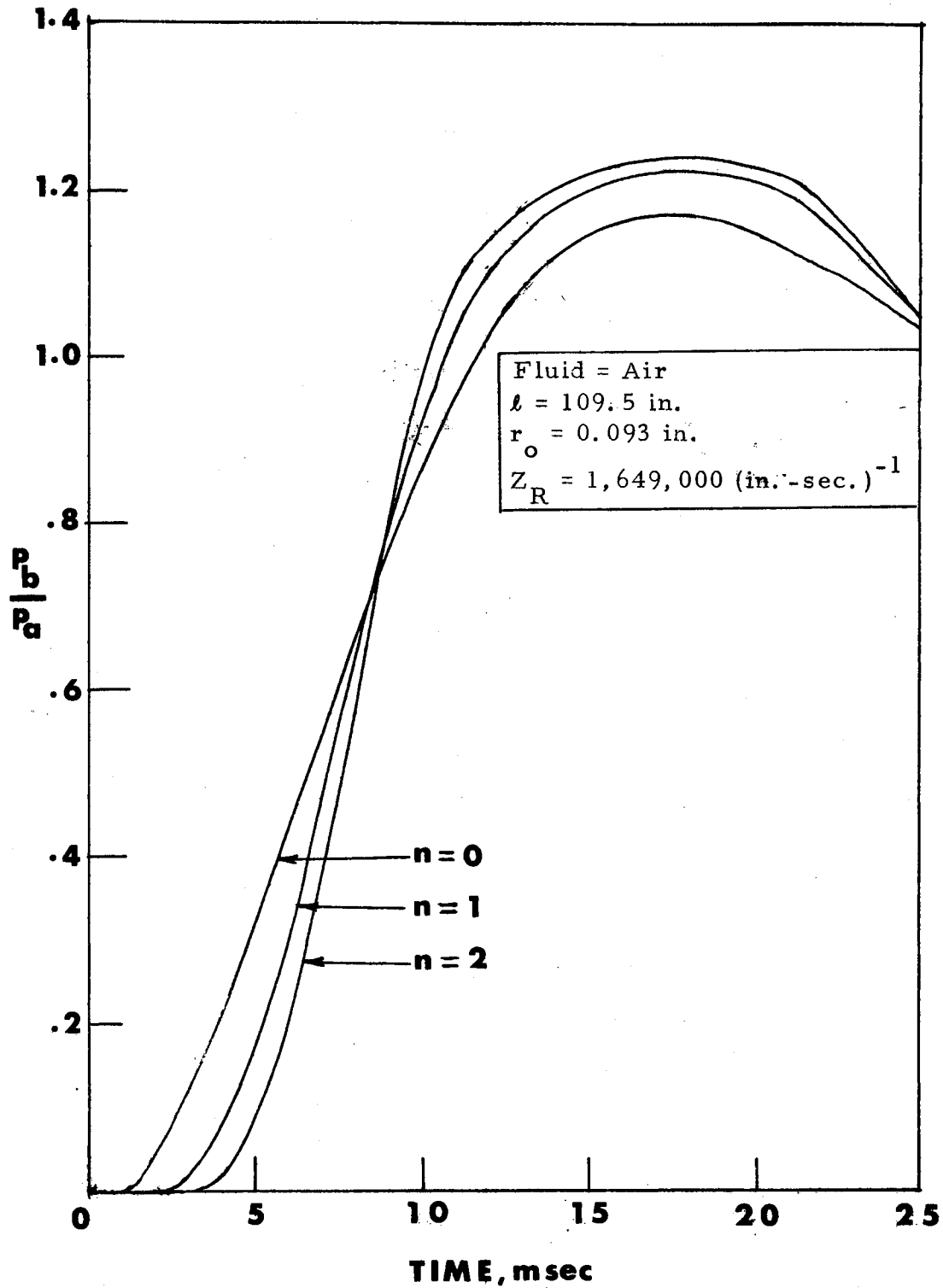


Figure 7. Computed Step Responses of a Pneumatic Transmission Line Terminated With a Linear Resistance--Extended Rational Approximate Model With Heat Transfer

effects on the line dynamics. Step responses calculated using the rational approximate models for  $n = 2$  are shown in Figure 8. For the range of conditions considered, it can be concluded that the heat transfer effects are small.

Figure 9 is a replot of the  $n = 4$  step response from Figure 6 on an extended time scale. A steady state value was reached around 80 msec.

An experimental study was carried out to provide a means for making a qualitative assessment of the validity of the theoretical predictions and to permit determination of the effect of line dynamics on the switching time of the bistable amplifier. Figure 10 through 13 show measured step responses for the transmission line loaded by a bistable amplifier, having an input resistance of  $Z_R = 1,649,000$  (in-sec)<sup>-1</sup>.

Figure 10 shows that the input transient rise time is of the order of 2 msec. There is no response at the downstream end of the line (b end) until an elapsed time of 8 msec which corresponds to the transport delay. After this, there is a sudden rise which is followed by a slow rise until steady state is reached. The effective rise time is about 10 msec.

Figure 11 expands the time scale of the lower trace of Figure 10, so that more accurate value of the rise time can be determined.

Figures 13 and 14 show measured responses for a line length of 77 in., and Figure 15 shows the measured response for line length of



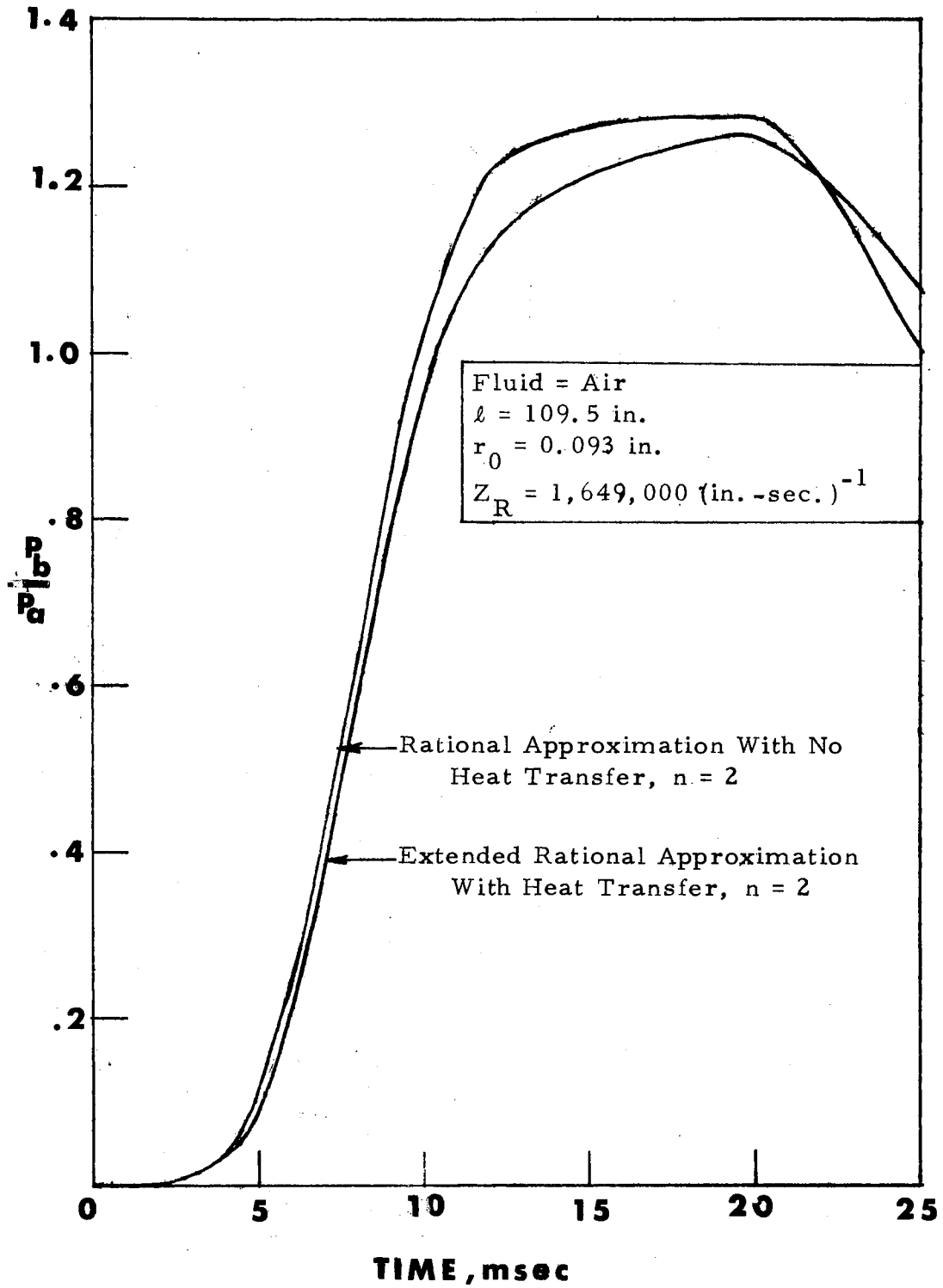


Figure 8. Comparison of the Rational Approximate Models

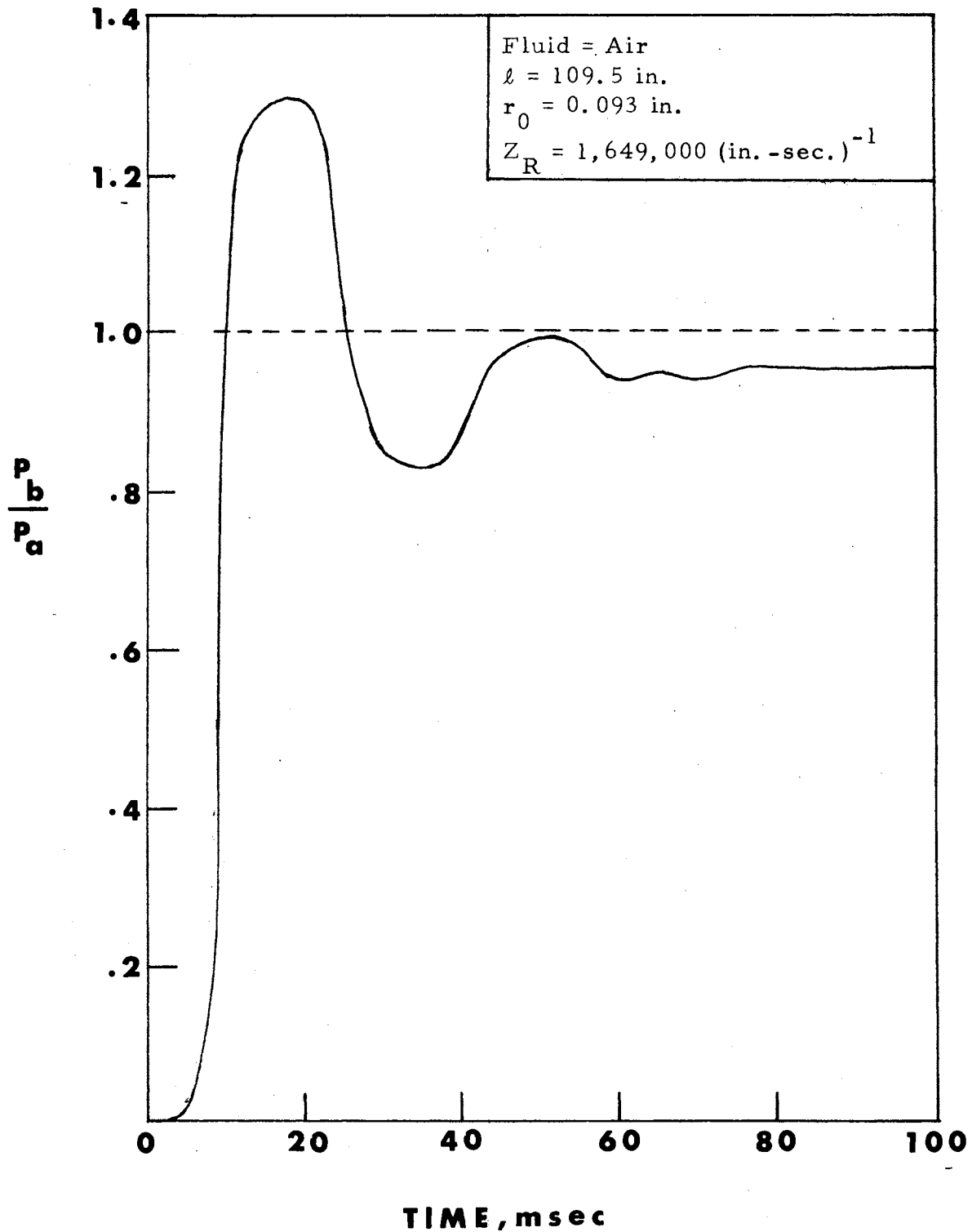
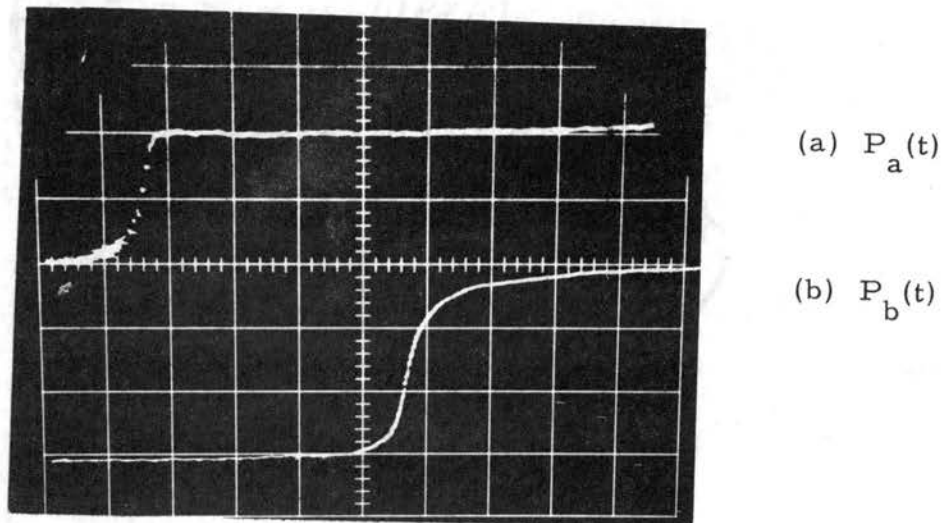
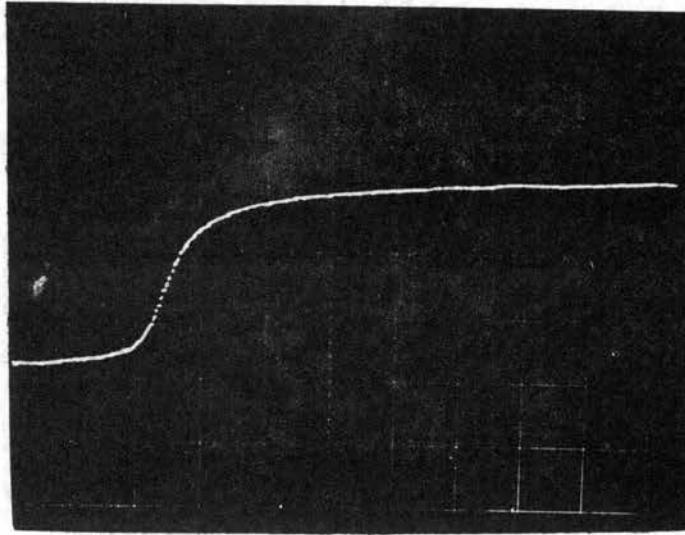


Figure 9. Computed Step Response of a Transmission Line--  
Rational Approximate Model With No Heat  
Transfer and  $n = 4$



Scale: X--1 unit = 2 msec.  
Y--1 unit = 0.2 psig.  
 $P_s = 2$  psig.

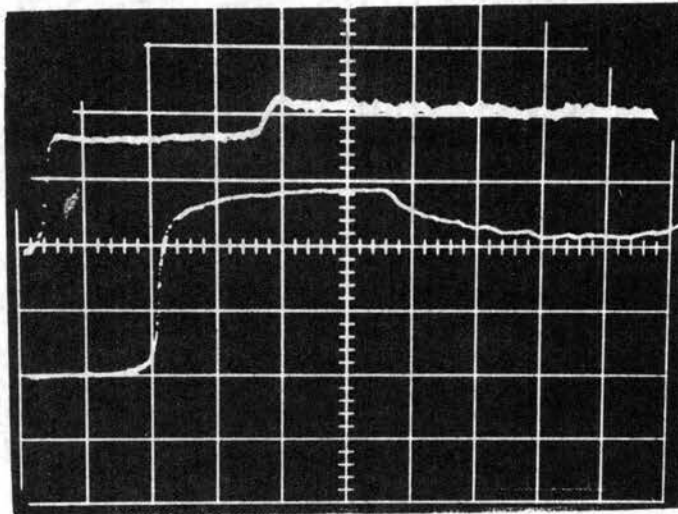
Figure 10. Experimental Step Response of a Transmission Line (length = 109.5 in.)



(b)  $P_b(t)$

Scale: X--1 unit = 1 msec.  
Y--1 unit = 0.2 psig.  
 $P_s = 2$  psig.

Figure 11. Experimental Step Response of a Transmission Line (Only Response is Shown)  
(Line Length = 109.5 in.)

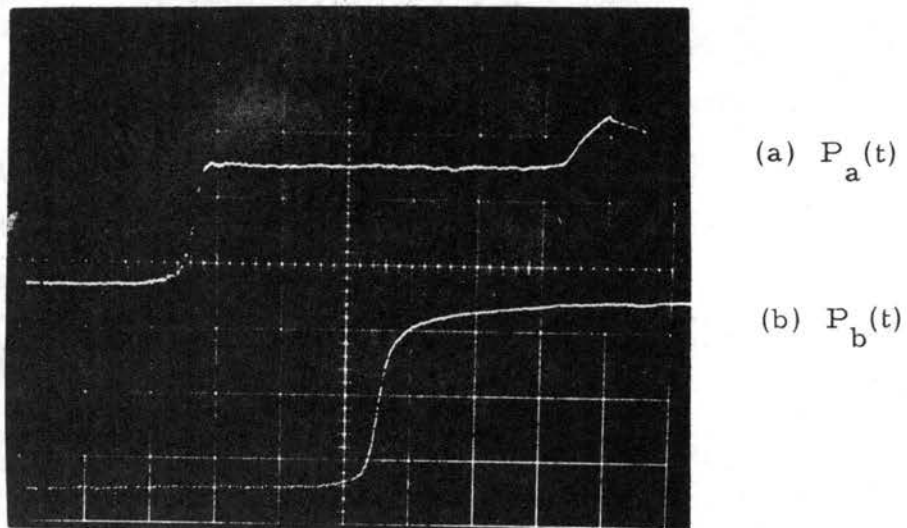


(a)  $P_a(t)$

(b)  $P_b(t)$

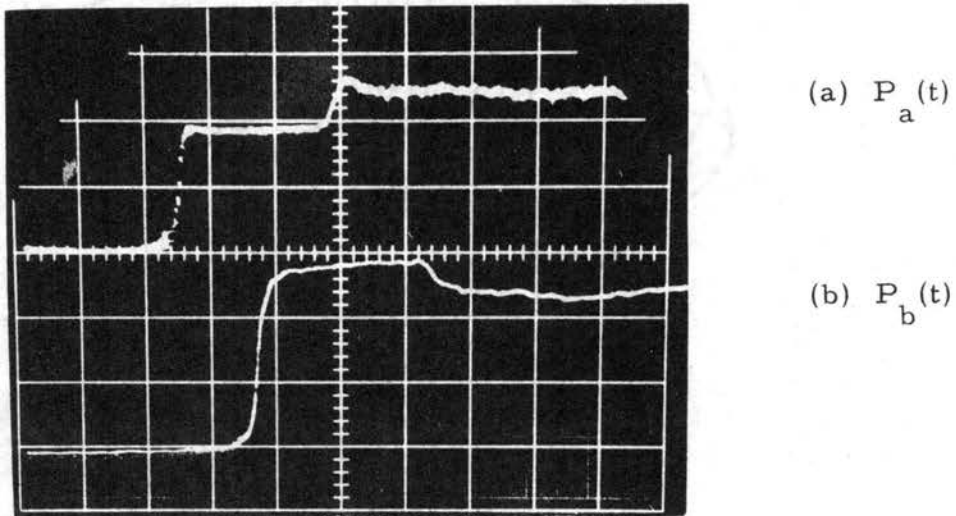
Scale: X--1 unit = 5 msec.  
Y--1 unit = 0.2 psig.  
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Figure 12. Experimental Traces Showing Line Response  
(Line Length = 109.5 in.)



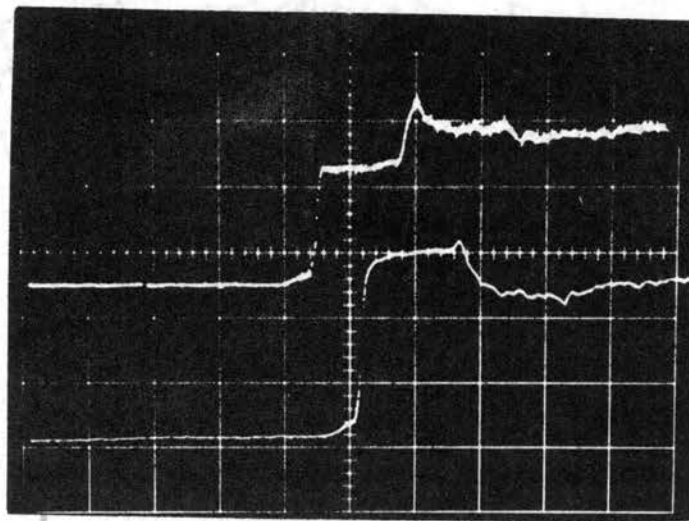
Scale: X--1 unit = 2 msec.  
Y--1 unit = 0.2 psig.  
 $P_s = 2$  psig.

Figure 13. Experimental Step Response of a Transmission Line (Line Length = 77 in.)



Scale: X--1 unit = 5 msecs.  
Y--1 unit = 0.2 psig. (trace (a))  
1 unit = 0.2 psig. (trace (b))  
 $P_s = 2$  psig.

Figure 14. Experimental Traces Showing Line Response  
(Line Length = 77 in.)



(a)  $P_a(t)$

(b)  $P_b(t)$

Scale: X--1 unit = 5 msec.  
Y--1 unit = 0.2 psig.  
 $P_s = 2$  psig.

Figure 15. Experimental Traces Showing Line Response  
(Line Length = 44 in.)



44 in. The behaviour is similar to that for the longer line.

The step response of a transmission line computed using Brown's high frequency approximation (without heat transfer effects-equation 5) is shown in Figure 16. The approximation is valid for an elapsed time of 40 msecs. Also shown in Figure 16 is a step response of a transmission line computed using the rational approximate model (without heat transfer effects-equation 7) with  $n = 4$ . Brown's approximation gives the shortest rise time compared to the rational approximate model. Predictions using the rational approximate model can be improved by increasing the order of approximation,  $n$ ; however, computational time is accordingly increased. Also shown in Figure 16 are the experimental points obtained from Figure 10. The experimental data correlates well with the predicted results based on Brown's high frequency approximation.

In order to determine the effect of input pulse shape on the switching time of the bistable amplifier, the length of the line was varied and the switching time (see Figure 17) of the amplifier was obtained experimentally and theoretically (using Brown's approximation). The values of switching times for various line lengths are tabulated in Table II.

The experimental switching times were obtained from Figures 18 through 22.

Figure 18 shows measured responses of the line-amplifier system for a line length of 109.5 inches. Trace (a) is the input tran-

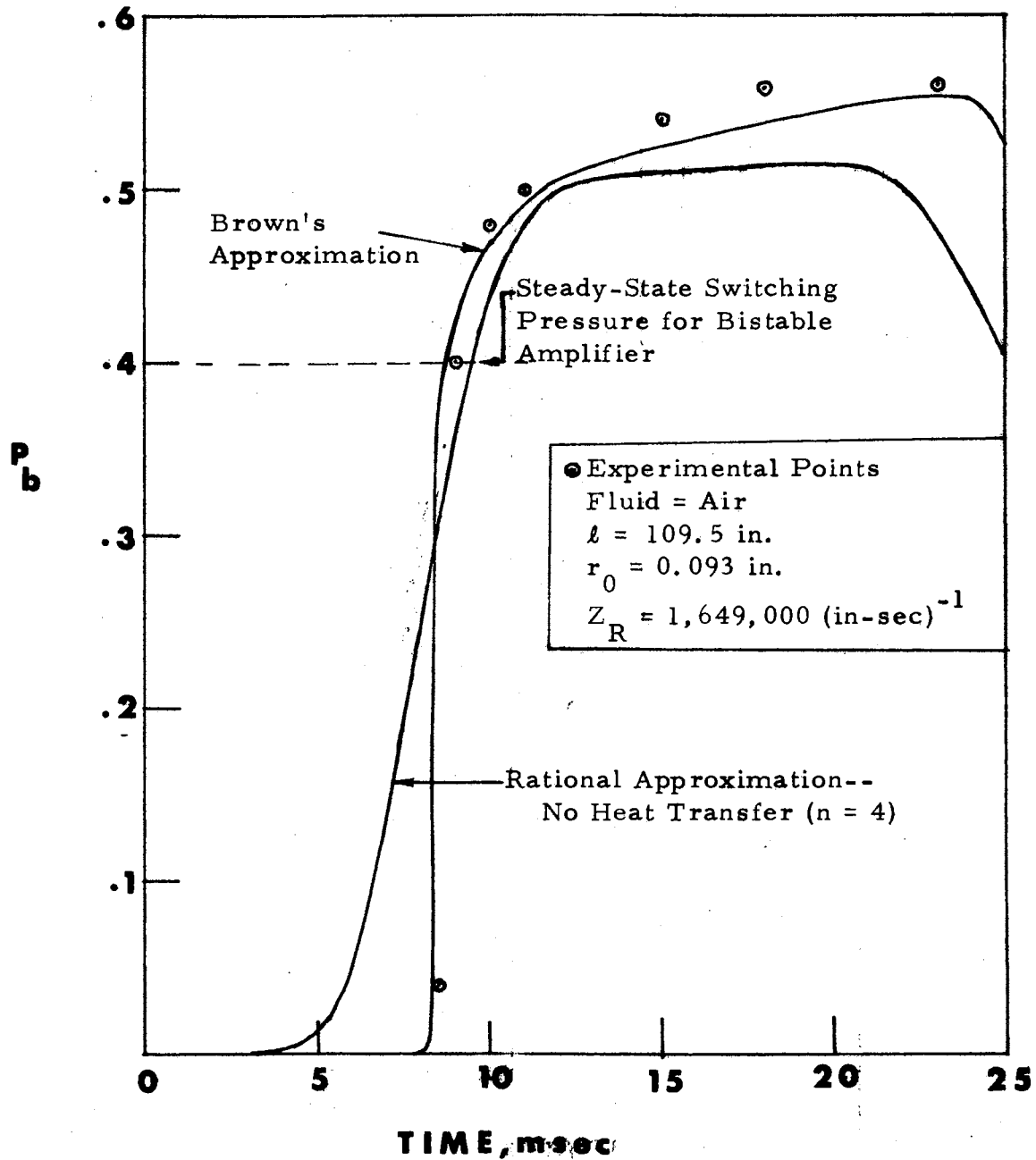


Figure 16. Comparison of Theoretical and Experimental Results for the Step Response of a Transmission Line Terminated by a Linear Resistance

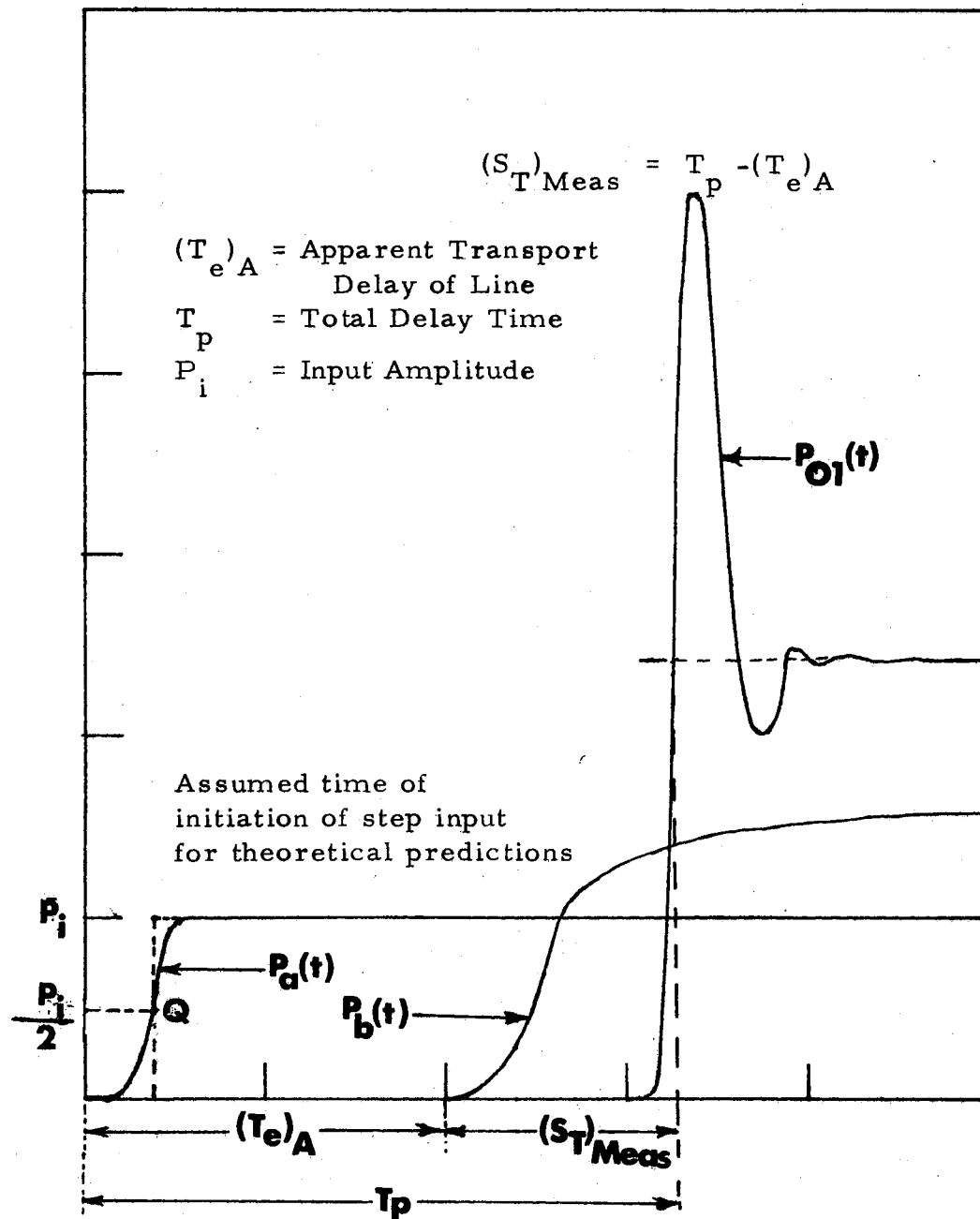
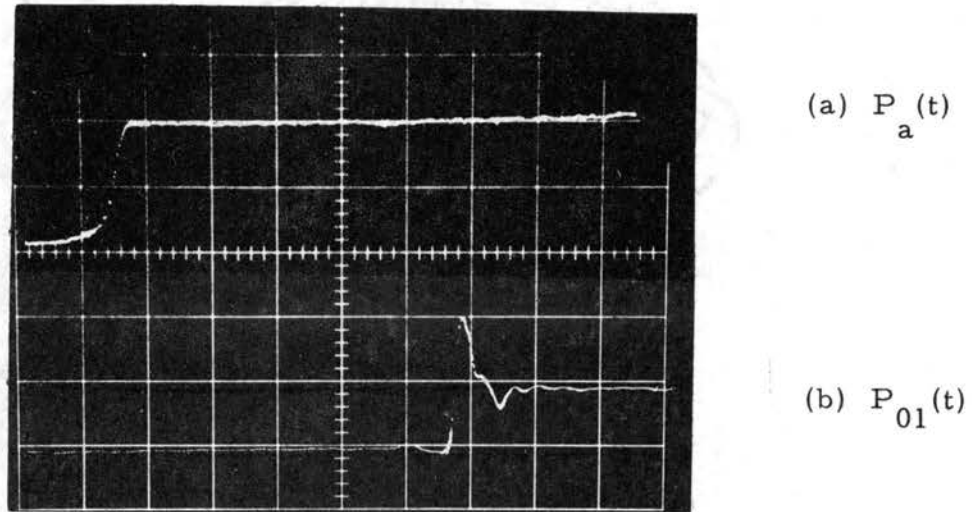


Figure 17. Diagram Defining Experimental Switching Time

TABLE II  
EFFECT OF LINE LENGTH ON SWITCHING TIME

S. No.	Line Length, in.	Transport Delay, msec	Uncorrected Theoretical Switching Time, msec	Corrected Theoretical Switching Time, msec	Experimental Switching Time, msec
1.	109.5	8.0	5.2	3.6	4.0
2.	77.0	5.6	4.9	3.3	3.4
3.	44.0	3.2	4.4	2.8	2.8
4.	14.5	1.0	--	--	2.6
5.	2.0	0.15	--	--	2.45



Scale: X--1 unit = 2 msec.  
 Y--1 unit = 0.2 psig. (trace (a))  
 1 unit = 1.0 psig. (trace (b))  
 $P_s = 2$  psig.

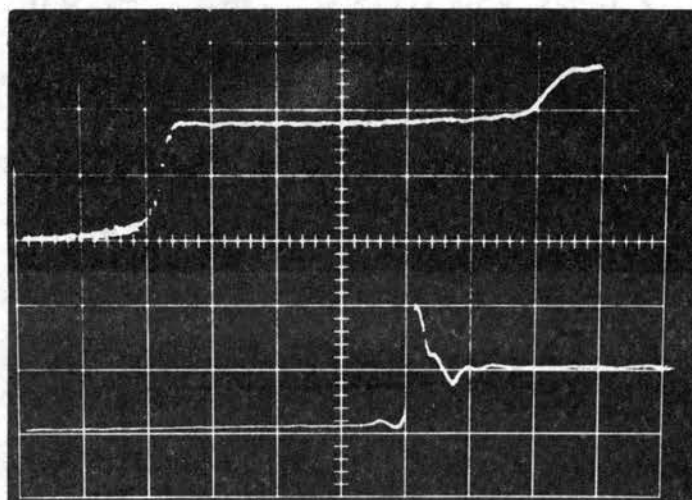
Figure 18. Experimental Traces for Predicting Switching Time (Line Length = 109.5 in.)

sient at the beginning of the line and trace (b) is the pressure transient at the output leg of the amplifier. The experimental switching time is approximately 4.0 msec (see Figure 17 for the method of determining the switching time). The uncorrected (see later discussion) theoretical switching time for this case was found to be 5.2 msec using Brown's approximation for the line.

Figures 19 and 20 show measured responses of the line-amplifier system for line lengths of 77 in. and 44 in. respectively. The corresponding experimental switching times are 3.4 msec and 2.8 msec. The uncorrected theoretical switching times using Brown's approximation for the line are 4.9 msec and 4.4 msec respectively for the 77 in. and 44 in. lines.

Figures 21 and 22 show measured responses of the line-amplifier system for line lengths of 14.5 in. and 2 in. respectively. The corresponding experimental switching times are 3.6 msec and 3.0 msec.

Since the input to the line was not an ideal step, it is necessary to correct the theoretical switching times. A least-square fit to the measured input to the line can be a straight line passing through the point Q (see Figure 17) which corresponds to 50% of the input amplitude. It was assumed that the time corresponding to the point Q is the correction which has to be subtracted from the uncorrected theoretical switching time in order to have correspondence with the measured input, and measured switching time. This correction was

(a)  $P_a(t)$ (b)  $P_{01}(t)$ 

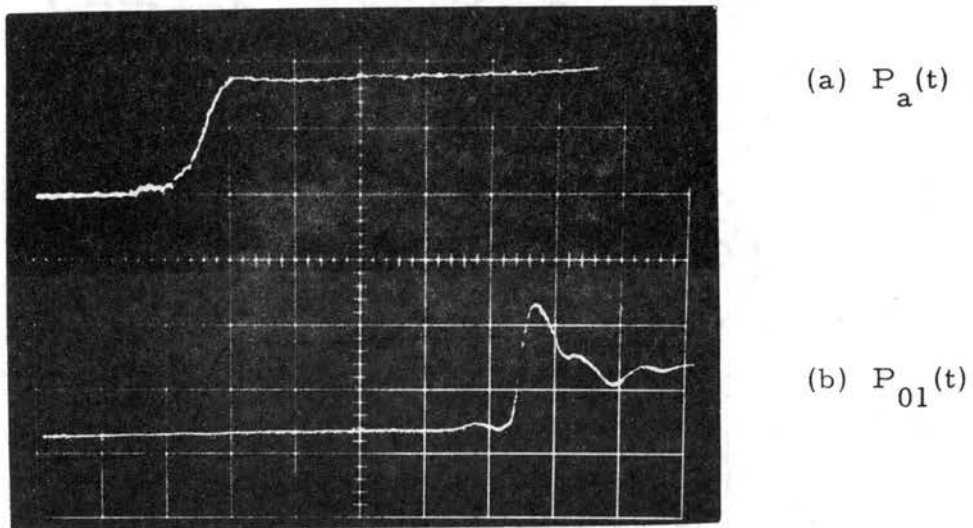
Scale: X--1 unit = 2 msec.

Y--1 unit = 0.2 psig. (trace (a))

1 unit = 1.0 psig. (trace (b))

$P_s = 2$  psig.

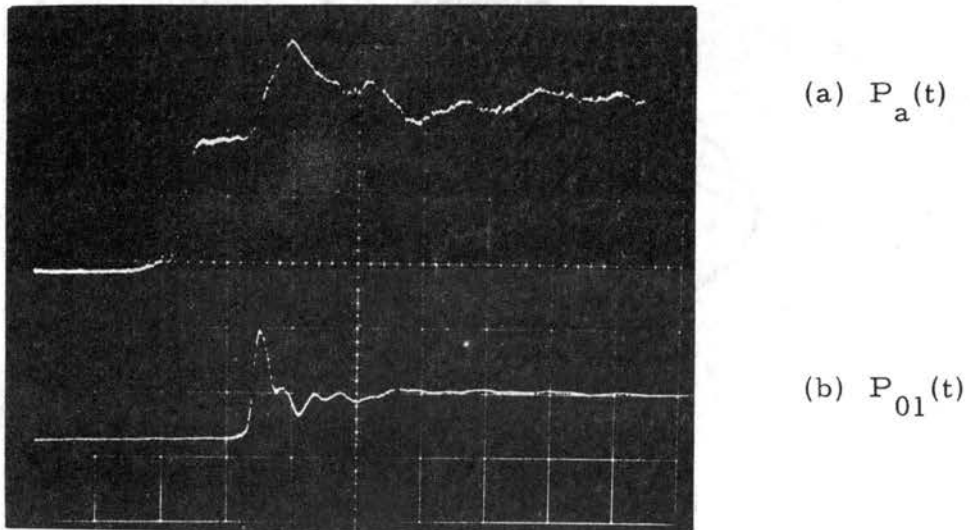
Figure 19. Experimental Traces for Predicting Switching Time (Line Length = 77 in.)



Scale: X--1 unit = 1 msec.  
Y--1 unit = 0.2 psig. (trace (a))  
1 unit = 1.0 psig. (trace (b))  
 $P_s = 2$  psig.

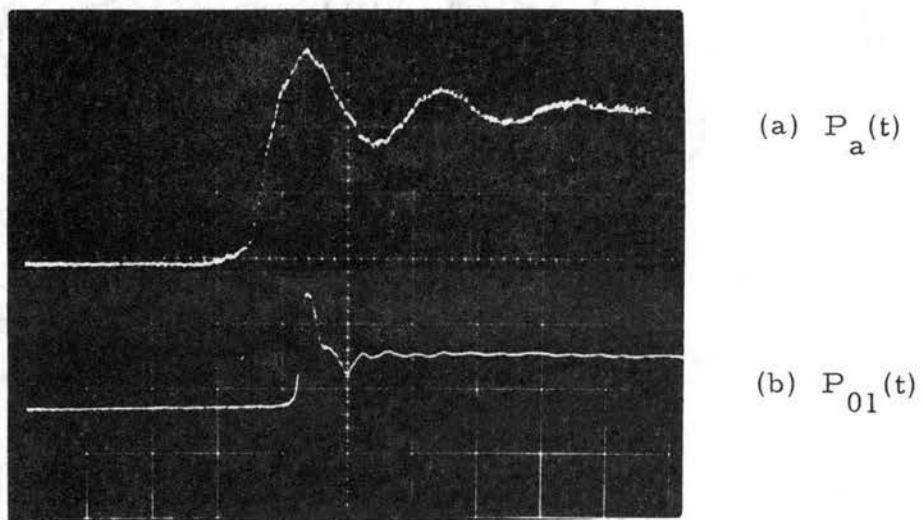
Figure 20. Experimental Traces for Predicting Switching Time (Line Length = 44 in.)





Scale: X--1 unit = 2 msec.  
Y--1 unit = 0.2 psig (trace (a))  
1 unit = 1.0 psig (trace (b))  
 $P_s = 2$  psig.

Figure 21. Experimental Traces for Predicting Switching Time (Line Length = 14.5 in.)



Scale: X--1 unit = 2 msec.  
Y--1 unit = 0.2 psig (trace (a))  
1 unit = 1.0 psig (trace (b))

Figure 22. Experimental Traces for Predicting Switching Time (line length = 2.0 in.)

found to be of the order of 1.6 msec. The corrected theoretical switching times are 3.6, 3.3, and 2.8 msec, respectively for line lengths of 109.5 in., 77 in., and 44 in. The corresponding measured switching times are 4.0, 3.4 and 2.8 msec. Measured switching times for line lengths of 14.5 in., and 2.0 in. are found to be 2.6 and 2.45 msec, respectively.

Figure 23 shows the plots of measured and predicted switching times versus the line length. As the line length increases, the switching time also increases. At the limiting conditions of zero line length, there remains a time delay of about 2.7 msec, which accounts for the fundamental dynamics of the bistable amplifiers. The agreement between theory and experiment is good. The theoretical switching time is about 10% less than the measured switching time for a length of 109.5 in. and is less than 1% for line lengths of 77 in. and 44 in. From this it can be concluded that the capacitance effect of the separation bubble is small. Large variation for longer lengths may be due to the larger rise time of the line response.

It is not apparent why the theoretical prediction diverges from the experimental data at small line lengths and as line length increases. The disparity between experiment and theory for small line lengths may be due to complex end effects and reflections.

From Figures 18 through 22 it can be concluded that the rise time of the pressure transient at the outlet leg of the bistable amplifier

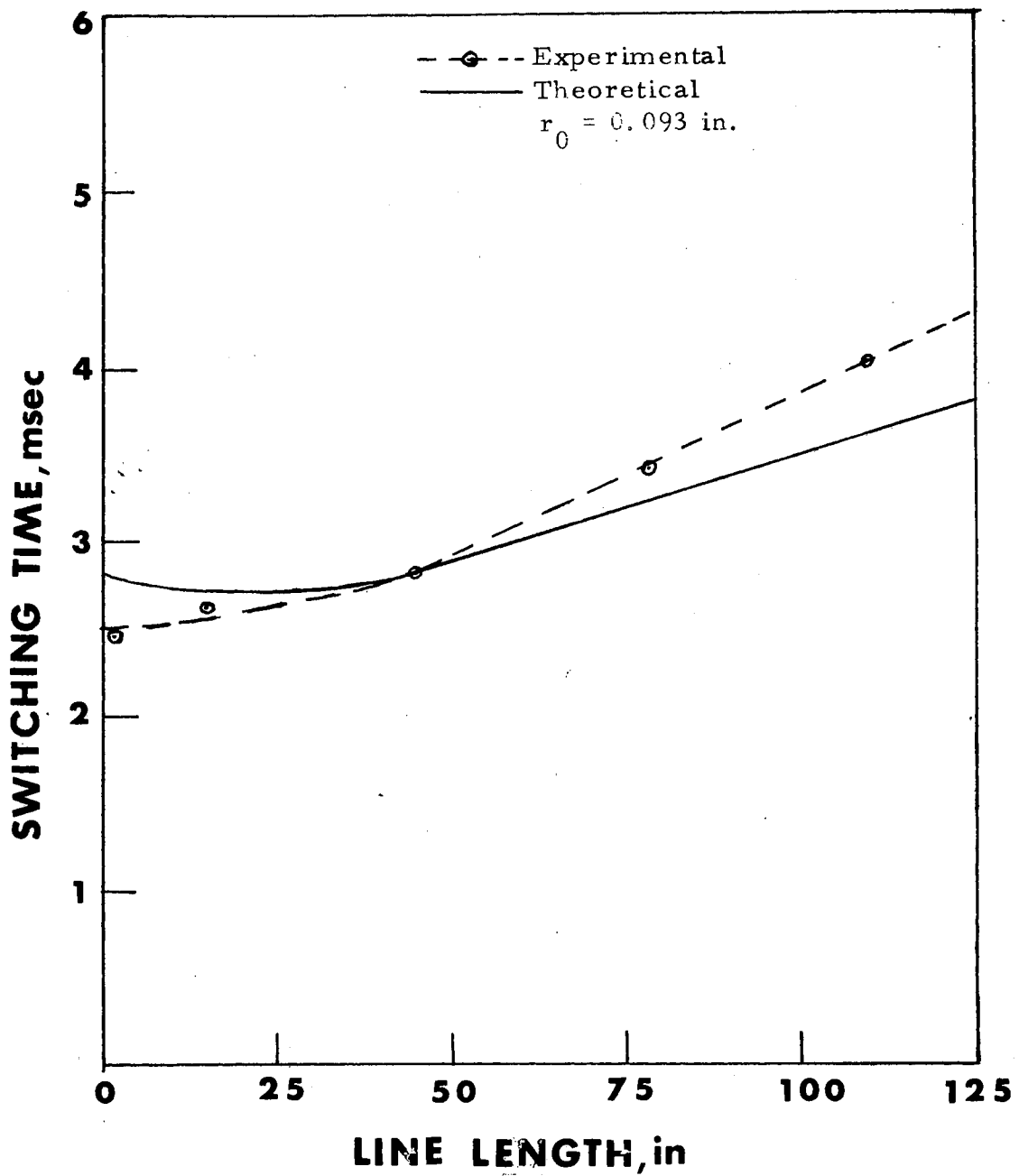


Figure 23. Variation of Switching Time With Line Length

is independent of the input pressure pulse rise of the transmission line.

## CHAPTER VI

### CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

This thesis can be divided into two parts. The first part considered the step response of a pneumatic transmission line terminated by a linear resistance load. Three approximate methods were presented for computing the step response of the line. Of the three approximations evaluated, Brown's high frequency approximation with no heat transfer effects included correlates best with experimental data.

The second part considered the effect of input pulse characteristic on the switching time of a bistable amplifier. A theoretical model was developed for the line-amplifier system by modifying Epstein's model to include line dynamics effects. An experimental verification was carried out using a commercially available bistable amplifier. Two conclusions may be drawn from this study.

Transmission lines of different lengths were used to "produce" different input pulse characteristics. First, there is a significant effect of line dynamics on the switching time of a bistable amplifier. In general, the switching time increases with increases in line length. Second, the rise time of the pressure transient at the output leg of the

amplifier is independent of the input pressure pulse shape of the transmission line.

#### Recommendations for Future Work

The Epstein model is valid for a bistable amplifier with "end-wall switching." Most commercially available amplifiers utilize "opposite-wall switching." The amplifier model of Epstein should be extended to hold for this more common case.

The line model used in the present work was obtained by solving the linearized continuity, momentum, and energy equations and the equation of state. An analysis to extend the linear model to include the nonlinearities will be useful for accurate prediction of line responses.

Also of importance would be extensions of the methods used in this thesis to cases involving other logic elements like the AND element, OR element, NOT element, etc.

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APPENDIX

COMPUTER LISTINGS

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C *
C * PROGRAM FOR COMPUTING THE SWITCHING TIME OF A LINE AMPLIFIER MODEL *
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C * THE BISTABLE AMPLIFIER IS MODELLED BY MEANS OF THE EPSTEIN MODEL *
C *
C * PHASE-I OF EPSTEIN MODEL IS MODIFIED TO INCLUDE LINE DYNAMICS *
C *
C * EFFECTS. THE TRANSMISSION LINE CAN BE MODELLED USING ANY ONE OF *
C *
C * THE THREE APPROXIMATIONS. *
C *
C * IF ICALL=0, THEN SUBROUTINE RATION IS CALLED. RATION UTILISES THE *
C *
C * RATIONAL APPROXIMATE MODEL WITH NO HEAT TRANSFER EFFECTS. *
C *
C * IF ICALL=1, THEN SUBROUTINE EXTRAT IS CALLED. EXTRAT UTILISES THE *
C *
C * EXTENDED RATIONAL APPROXIMATE MODEL WITH HEAT TRANSFER *
C *
C * IF ICALL=2, THEN SUBROUTINE BROWN IS CALLED. BROWN UTILISES THE *
C *
C * BROWN'S HIGH FREQUENCY APPROXIMATION WITH NO HEAT TRANSFER *
C *
C * THE APPROXIMATION IS VALID ONLY FOR AN ELAPSED TIME OF 40 MSEC *
C *
C * NORDER REFERS TO THE ORDER OF THE APPROXIMATION *
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C * LIBRARY SUBROUTINE POLRT IS USED TO FIND ROOTS OF POLYNOMIAL *
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C *****
C DIMENSION ANGLE(200)
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C $SI,GA,TQ,DT,TMAX
C COMPLEX SUM
C REAL A,BS,BC,B,BA,CD,D,DI,DII,DW,DD1,DD2,E,EE,F,G,H,JS,JC,KB,LS
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C REAL PRII,THI,TPI,DTRI,PPI,LAM,DEL,PY
C REAL SS4,T4,Y4,K1,RCL,CDO,DEL4
C INTEGER I,N,K,ICALL,NORDER
1 READ (5,2) N,K,ICALL,NORDER
2 FORMAT (4I10)
3 IF (N.EQ.0) GO TO 999
4 READ(5,5) BS,BC,XV,L,S,D,AL,FM,SG,DEPTH
5 FORMAT (9F8.4)
1005 IF (D.LF.0.0) GO TO 897
6 IF (N.EQ.1) GO TO 15
7 READ(5,8) RO,WS,PSUP,PO,SI,SA
8 FORMAT(6F10.7)
9 READ(5,76) ANU,CQ,P,XL,ZR
16 FORMAT(5F10.5)
975 FORMAT(3F10.0)
14 GO TO 17

15 READ (5,16) EE,M,QS
16 FORMAT (3F10.5)
17 IF (AL.LT.TM) GO TO 21
18 WRITE (6,19) K
19 FORMAT ('11',20X,'PROBLEM NO. ',17,' AL > TM (IMPOSSIBLE)')
20 GO TO 1
21 TA=0.0
22 PS=0.0
23 CDO=0.65
102 PY=3.1415
    RO=RO/(12*12*12)
    AREA=PY*RP
    ZO=CO/AREA
103 DTRI=0.05
C ITERATION PROCEDURE FOR DETERMINING THE INITIAL STEADY STATE VALUES
C OF X,V,GM AND S.
104 TRI=(AL+TM)/2.0
105 EP=(2*TM)/PY
106 PRI=TRI/EP
107 ARG=EP*ATAN(PRI)
108 BT=ATAN(ARG)
109 GM=BT+TRI-AL
110 ARG1=(GM+PY)/3.0
111 T=2*COS(ARG1)
112 S=SG*BS*(1.0/(T*T)-1.0)/3.0
113 A=S/(0.62*PRI+0.38*SIN(PRI))
114 RR=A*SIN(PRI)
115 DW=RR*SIN(TRI-AL)/COS(AL)
116 DD1=DW-D
117 IF (ABS(DD1).LT.0.001*D) GO TO 142
118 TRI=TRI+DTRI
119 PRI=TRI/EP
120 ARG=EP*ATAN(PRI)
121 BT=ATAN(ARG)
122 GM=BT+TRI-AL
123 ARG1=(GM+PY)/3.0
124 T=2*COS(ARG1)
125 S=SG*BS*(1.0/(T*T)-1.0)/3.0
126 A=S/(0.62*PRI+0.38*SIN(PRI))
127 RR=A*SIN(PRI)
128 DW=RR*SIN(TRI-AL)/COS(AL)
129 DD2=DW-D
130 IF (ABS(DD2).LT.0.001*D) GO TO 142
131 IF ((DD1*DD2.GT.0.0).AND.(ABS(DD2).LT.ABS(DD1))) GO TO 134
132 IF ((DD1*DD2.GT.0.0).AND.(ABS(DD2).GT.ABS(DD1))) GO TO 136
133 IF (DD1*DD2.LT.0.0) GO TO 139
134 DD1=DD2
135 GO TO 118
136 DD1=DD2
137 DTRI=-DTRI
138 GO TO 118
139 DD1=DD2
140 DTRI=-0.1*DTRI
141 GO TO 118
142 X=RR*COS(TRI)/COS(AL)
143 V=(A*ATM/(2.0*PY))* (PRI-0.5*SIN(2.0*PRI))+(D*RR*COS(TRI))/2.0
C END OF ITERATION PROCEDURE
144 WRITE(6,145)

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145 FORMAT ('0',8X,'1. INITIAL STEADY STATE RESULTS')
146 WRITE (6,147)
147 FORMAT ('0',16X,'TA',8X,'PS',8X,'GM',8X,'DV',6X,'DV/DT',7X,'V',9X,
1'KB',8X,'X',9X,'H/DEL'//)
148 WRITE (6,149) TA,PS,GM,V,X
149 FORMAT (11X,3F10.4,20X,F10.4,10X,F10.4)
PSW=0.2*PSUP
JJ=1
TIME(JJ)=0.0
ZETA(JJ)=0.0
ANGLE(JJ)=0.0
IF (ICALL.EQ.0) GO TO 9998
IF (ICALL.EQ.1) GO TO 9997
IF (ICALL.EQ.2) GO TO 9996
9998 CALL RATION
GO TO 150
9997 CALL EXTRAT
GO TO 150
9996 CALL BROWN
150 WRITE (6,151)
151 FORMAT ('0',8X,'2. BEGINING PHASE 1'//)
WRITE (6,251)
251 FORMAT ('0',16X,'PC', 7X,'WC', 8X,'TA', 8X,'FF', 8X,'M',/)
JJ=1
789 JJ=JJ+1
PC=ZETA(JJ)
TA=TIME(JJ)
IF(PC.LT.0.0) GO TO 778
GO TO 779
778 PC=0.0
779 WC=(PC/(0.741*PSUP)+0.144)*WS
9 JS=WS*WS*386.4/(?0*BS*DEPTH)
10 JC=WC*WC*386.4/(?0*RC*DEPTH)
11 EE=JC/JS
12 M=WC/WS
13 QS=WS/RO
206 PSF=ATAN(EE)
WRITE(6,250) PC,WC,TA,FF,M
250 FORMAT(10X,5F10.5)
ANGLE(JJ)=PSF
IF (PC.EQ.0.0) GO TO 789
IF(PC.GE.PSW) GO TO 786
GO TO 789
786 PSF=(ANGLE(JJ)+ANGLE(JJ-1))/2.
TA=(TIME(JJ)+TIME(JJ-1))/2.
PS=PSF
207 S=S-BC/2.0
210 ARG=1.0+TAN(PS)**2
211 B=BS*(1.0+M)*(1.0+M)/SQRT(ARG)
212 ARG=1.0+3.0*S/(SG*B)
213 ARG1=(GM+PY)/3.0
214 KB=0.5-COS(ARG1)*SQRT(ARG)
215 BA=B*(1.0-2.0*KB)
216 DXA=(BC+BA*SIN(PS))/(2.0*COS(AL))
217 DII=D+DXA*SIN(AL)-(BA*COS(PS)-BS)/2.0
218 XI=X-DXA
246 WRITE (6,247)
247 FORMAT ('0',8X,'3. BEGINING PHASE 2'//)

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TLINF=TA*1000
WRITE (6,147)
300 DX1=(XV-XI-DXA)/25.0
C INCREASING BUBBLE VOLUME USING SMALL INCREMENTS DX1
301 XI=XI+DX1
302 L=XI*SIN(AL)
303 ARG=(L+DII)**2+(XI*COS(AL))**2
304 RR=SQRT(ARG)
305 ARG=DII*COS(AL)/RR
306 TRII=AR SIN(ARG)+PS+AL
307 PRII=TRII/EP
308 A=RR/SIN(PRII)
309 ARG=2.0*PRII
310 VMI=(A*A*TM/(2.0*PY))*(PRII-0.5*SIN(ARG))
311 ARG=TRII-PS
312 VM2=0.5*DII*?P*COS(ARG)
313 VM3=0.5*DXA*(DII+D)*COS(AL)
314 VM=VMI+VM2+VM3
315 IF ((VM-V).LT.0.0) GO TO 301
316 DTA=(VM-V)/(KB*QS*(1.0+M))
317 ARG=EP*TAN(PRII)
318 BT=ATAN(ARG)
319 GM=BT+TRII-PS-AL
320 S=A*(0.62*PRII+0.38*SIN(PRII))
321 ARG=1.0+3.0*S/(SG*B)
322 ARG1=(GM+PY)/3.0
323 KB=0.5-COS(ARG1)*SQRT(ARG)
324 BA=B*(1.0-2.0*KB)
325 DXA=(BC+BA*SIN(PS))/(2.0*COS(AL))
326 DII=D+DXA*SIN(AL)-(BA*COS(PS)-BS)/2.0
327 X=XI+DXA
328 DV=VM-V
329 DVT=DV/DTA
330 V=VM
331 TA=TA+DTA
332 WRITE (6,333) TA,PS,GM,DV,DVT,V,KB,X
333 FORMAT (11X,8F10.4)
334 IF ((XV-XI).LT.(?X1/2.0)) GO TO 337
335 IF (KB.LT.0.0001) GO TO 900
336 GO TO 301
337 WRITE (6,338)
338 FORMAT ('0',8X,'4. BEGINING PHASE 3'//)
WRITE (6,147)
395 ARG=(GM+PY)/3.0
396 T4=2.0*COS(ARG)
397 SS4=S+(SG*A)/3.0
398 DEL4=1.825*SS4/SG
399 ARG=(1.0+T4)/(1.0-T4)
399 Y4=(0.5*SS4*ALOG(ARG))/SG
400 DX=(BC+B*SIN(PS))/(2.0*COS(AL))
401 XVI=XV-DX
402 LV=XVI*SIN(AL)
403 DI=D+DX*SIN(AL)-(B*COS(PS)-BS)/2.0
1403 IF (DI.LT.0.0) GO TO 903
404 ARG=(DI+LV)**2+(XVI*COS(AL))**2
405 PRI=SQRT(ARG)
406 ARG=XVI*COS(AL)/PRI
407 TH=AR COS(ARG)+PS

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## C ITERATION PROCEDURE FOR DETERMINING THE INITIAL PASSAGE WIDTH Z IN PHASE 3

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408 DTPI=0.01
409 TPI=THI
410 I=0
411 TPI=TPI-DTPI
412 PPI=TPI/EP
413 ARG=EP*TAN(PPI)
414 BT=ATAN(ARG)
415 ARG=THI-TPI
416 Z=RR1*SIN(ARG)/COS(BT)
417 ARG=BT+TPI-THI
418 RP=RR1*COS(ARG)/COS(BT)
419 A=RP/SIN(PPI)
420 ARG=2.0*PPI
421 VW1=(A*ATM/(2.0*PY))*(PPI-0.5*SIN(ARG))
422 ARG=THI-TPI
423 VW2=RP*RP1*SIN(ARG)/2.0
424 VW3=(DI*XVI+(D+DI)*DX)*COS(AL)/2.0
425 VW=VW1+VW2+VW3
426 IF (I.EQ.2) GO TO 437
427 IF (I.EQ.1) GO TO 433
428 IF (VW.LT.V) GO TO 411
429 IF (VW.FQ.V) GO TO 438
430 DTPI=-0.1*DTPI
431 I=1
432 GO TO 411
433 IF (VW.GT.V) GO TO 411
434 DTPI=-0.1*DTPI
435 I=2
436 GO TO 411
437 IF (VW.LT.V) GO TO 411
END OF ITERATION PROCEDURE
438 DTPI=0.50*(THI-TPI)
C INCREASING BUBBLE VOLUME USING SMALL INCREMENTS DTPI
439 TPI=TPI-DTPI
440 PPI=TPI/EP
441 ARG=EP*TAN(PPI)
442 BT=ATAN(ARG)
443 ARG=THI-TPI
444 Z=RR1*SIN(ARG)/COS(BT)
445 ARG=BT+TPI-THI
446 RP=RR1*COS(ARG)/COS(BT)
447 A=RP/SIN(PPI)
448 ARG=2.0*PPI
449 VW1=(A*ATM/(2.0*PY))*(PPI-0.5*SIN(ARG))
450 ARG=THI-TPI
451 VW2=RP*RP1*SIN(ARG)/2.0
452 VW3=(DI*XVI+(D+DI)*DX)*COS(AL)/2.0
453 VW=VW1+VW2+VW3
454 RPP=RP/(2.0*SIN(TPI))
1454 K1=RRP+R/2.0-Y4
2454 ARG=2.0*TPI
3454 RCL=RPP+B/2.0+(0.5*(K1**2-RPP**2))/(RRP*COS(ARG)-K1)
455 F=RCL*COS(PS)
456 F=LS-(RC/2.0+PCL*SIN(PS))
457 ARG=F*F+E*E
458 G=SQRT(ARG)
459 H=G-RCL

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460 ARG=E/F
461 LAM=ATAN(ARG)
462 SS=SG*B/3.0+RCL*(PS+LAM)
463 DEL=1.825*SS/SG
464 IF (H.LT.(-0.7*DEL)) GO TO 954
1465 ARG=(-Z/DEL4)
2465 CD=CDO*(1.0-EXP(ARG))
466 ARG=2.0/(RCL*B)
467 KB=CD*Z*SQRT(ARG)
468 DTA=(VW-V)/(KB*QS*(1.0+M))
469 DV=VW-V
470 V=VW
471 TA=TA+DTA
472 DVT=DV/DTA
473 HDEL=H/DEL
474 WRITE(6,475) TA,PS,GM,DV,DVT,V,KB,X,HDEL
475 FORMAT(11X,9F10.4)
1475 IF (I.GF.400) GO TO 894
2475 I=I+1
476 GO TO 439
894 WRITE(6,895)
895 FORMAT('0',20X,'TOO CLOSE TO ASYMPTOTE')
896 GO TO 1
897 WRITE(6,898)
898 FORMAT('0',20X,'D NOT POSITIVE')
899 GO TO 1
900 WRITE(6,901)
901 FORMAT('0',20X,'K3 LESS THAN 0.0001')
902 GO TO 1
903 WRITE(6,904)
904 FORMAT('0',20X,'DICO (IMPOSSIBLE)')
905 GO TO 1
954 TA=TA*1000
C INSTRUCTIONS FOR PRINTING AMPLIFIER AND FLOW PARAMETERS DATA
27 WRITE(6,28) K
28 FORMAT('1',6X,' PROBLEM NUMBER',I7)
29 WRITE(6,30)
30 FORMAT('0',6X,' SWITCHING TIME IN BISTABLE WALL ATTACHMENT
1FLUID AMPLIFIERS (END WALL SWITCHING TRANSIENT)')
IF(ICALL.EQ.0) GO TO 671
IF(ICALL.EQ.1) GO TO 672
IF(ICALL.EQ.2) GO TO 673
671 WRITE(6,661)
661 FORMAT('0',18X,'THIS PROGRAM UTILISED THE RATIONAL APPROXIMATE
$MODEL FOR THE TRANSMISSION LINE WITH NO HEAT TRANSFER EFFECTS',/)
GO TO 555
672 WRITE(6,652)
652 FORMAT('0',18X,'THIS PROGRAM UTILISES THE EXTENDED RATIONAL
$APPROXIMATE MODEL FOR THE TRANSMISSION LINE WITH HEAT TRANSFER',/)
GO TO 555
673 WRITE(6,653)
653 FORMAT('0',18X,'THIS PROGRAM UTILISED THE BROWN HIGH FREQUENCY
$APPROXIMATION FOR THE TRANSMISSION LINE WITH NO HEAT TRANSFER',/)
555 WRITE(6,77)
77 FORMAT('0',8X,'1. TRANSMISSION LINE DATA:')
WRITE(6,70) XL
70 FORMAT('0',8X,'LENGTH OF TRANSMISSION LINE: XL=',F9.3)
WRITE(6,71) CD

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71	FORMAT('0',8X,'ACOUSTIC VELOCITY: CO='F8.2)						SUBROUTINE RATION		
	WRITE(6,75) R				C				
75	FORMAT('0',8X,'RADIUS OF THE TRANSMISSION LINE: R='F8.6)				C		RATIONAL APPROXIMATE MODEL WITH NO HEAT TRANSFER EFFECTS.		
33	WRITE(5,34)				C				
34	FORMAT('0',8X,'2. AMPLIFIER DATA:')						COMPLEX S(50),CPLX,SUM,D(50),CEXP,AN		
	WRITE(6,664) DEPTH						DIMENSION C1(50),C2(50),AA(50)		
664	FORMAT(' ',18X,'DEPTH OF THE AMPLIFIER: DP='F9.7)						DIMENSION XCOF(30),COF(30),ROOTR(30),ROOTI(30)		
35	WRITE(6,36) BS						COMMON/GET/ANU,XL,CO,R,ZR,ZETA(200),TIME(200),JJ,WS,PD,NORDER,		
36	FORMAT('0',18X,'SUPPLY PORT WIDTH: BS='F6.3)						SS1,GA,TD,DT,TMAX		
37	WRITE(6,38) BC						RK=R*R/ANU		
38	FORMAT(' ',18X,'CONTROL PORT WIDTH: BC='F6.3)						PI=22.0/7.0		
39	WRITE(6,40) XV						AREA=PI*R*R		
40	FORMAT(' ',18X,'VENT LOCATION: XV='F6.3)						ZD=CO/AREA		
1040	WRITE(6,2040) CDD						TE=XL/CO		
2040	FORMAT(' ',18X,'VENT DISCHARGE COEFFICIENT CDD='F5.3)						T1=RK/5.78		
41	WRITE(6,42) LS						T2=RK/56.6		
42	FORMAT(' ',18X,'SPLITTER LOCATION: LS='F6.3)						T3=RK/40.9		
43	WRITE(6,44) D						T1PT2=T1+T2		
44	FORMAT(' ',18X,'WALL OFFSET: D='F6.3)						T1T2=T1*T2		
45	WRITE(6,46) AL						N=NORDER		
46	FORMAT(' ',18X,'WALL ANGLE: AL='F6.3)						CALL TRANSA(N,RK,ZD,TE,T1PT2,T1T2,T3,G1,C1,N1,ZR)		
47	WRITE(6,48)						CALL TRANSB(N,RK,ZD,TE,T1PT2,T1T2,T3,G2,C2,N2,ZR)		
48	FORMAT('0',8X,'3. FLOW PARAMETERS:')						DO 40 I=1,N2		
49	WRITE(6,50) SG						AA(I)=C1(I)*G1+C2(I)*G2		
50	FORMAT('0',18X,'JET SPREAD PARAMETER: SG='F6.3)						40 CONTINUE		
51	WRITE(6,52) TM						AA(N2+1)=C1(N1)*G1		
52	FORMAT(' ',18X,'MAX POSSIBLE JET TURNING ANGLE: TM='F6.3)						M=N2		
53	WRITE(6,54) EF						WRITE(6,254)		
54	FORMAT('0',18X,'C/S JET MOMENTUM RATIO: E='F9.7)						254 FORMAT(15X,'COEFFICIENTS OF POLYNOMIAL IN S IN ASCENDING POWERS:')		
55	WRITE(6,56) M						DO 50 J=1,N1		
56	FORMAT(' ',18X,'C/S MASS FLOW RATE RATIO: M='F9.7)						WRITE(6,284) AA(J)		
57	WRITE(6,58) QS						284 FORMAT(10X,F15.8,/) XCOF(J)=AA(J)		
58	FORMAT(' ',18X,'SUPPLY VOLUME FLOW RATE: QS='F9.6)						50 CONTINUE		
59	IF (N.EQ.1) GO TO 68						CALL POLRT(XCOF,COF,M,ROOTR,ROOTI,IER)		
60	WRITE(6,61) WS						SS=1./XCOF(1)		
61	FORMAT('0',18X,'SUPPLY MASS FLOW RATE: WS='F9.7)						WRITE(6,264)		
62	WRITE(6,63) WC						264 FORMAT(25X,'REAL',35X,'IMAGINARY',/)		
63	FORMAT(' ',18X,'CONTROL MASS FLOW RATE: WC='F9.7)						DO 291 I=1,M		
64	WRITE(6,65) PC						WRITE(6,294) ROOTR(I),ROOTI(I)		
65	FORMAT(' ',18X,'CONTROL PORT PRESSURE: PC='F6.3)						294 FORMAT(20X,E15.8,20X,F15.8,/) XCOF(J)=AA(J)		
66	WRITE(6,67) RO						291 CONTINUE		
67	FORMAT(' ',18X,'FLUID DENSITY: RO='F9.7)						T=TO		
	WRITE(6,657) SI						TM=TMAX		
657	FORMAT(' ',18X,'PRANDTL NUMBER: SI='F9.6)						60 SUM=(0.0,0.0)		
	WRITE(6,658) GA						D(I)=XCOF(2)		
658	FORMAT(' ',18X,'RATIO OF SPECIFIC HEATS: GA='F9.6)						DO 295 I=1,M		
68	CONTINUE						S(I)=CPLX(ROOTR(I),ROOTI(I))		
	WRITE(6,909) TA						DO 300 J=2,M		
909	FORMAT(/,20X,'SWITCHING TIME='F8.2,'MILLISECONDS',/, '0')						D(J)=D(J-1)+J*(S(I)**(J-1))*XCOF(J+1)		
955	GO TO 1						AN=(1.0+T3*S(I))		
999	RETURN						AN=AN*(N+1)		
	END						SUM=SUM+AN*CEXP(S(I)*T)/(D(4)*S(I))		
							295 CONTINUE		
							SUM=(SS+SUM)*PO		
							JJ=JJ+1		
							TIME(JJ)=T		
							ZETA(JJ)=SUM		

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WRITE(6,292) SUM,T
292 FORMAT(20X,E15.8,20X,E15.8,20X,E15.8,/)
IF (REAL(SUM).GE.P0) RETURN
298 T=T+DT
IF(T-TM) 60,60,4?
4? RETURN
END

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SUBROUTINE TRANSA(N,PK,ZD,TE,T1PT2,T1T2,T3,GN,CN,NN,ZR)
DIMENSION CN(20),CD(20),XN(20),XD(20),YN(20),YD(20)
PIBYTE=2? .0/7.0/TF
CONST=RK/32.0*PIBYTE*PIBYTE
GN=1.0/CONST
ND=4
NN=4
CN(1)=CONST
CN(2)=CONST*T3+1.0
CN(3)=T1PT2
CN(4)=T1T2
IF(N.EQ.0) RETURN
YN(3)=CN(3)
YN(4)=CN(4)
DO 30 M=1,N
TMP1=Z*M+1
C11=CONST*TMP1*TMP1
YN(1)=C11
YN(2)=C11*T3+1.0
GN=GN/C11
NNX=NN
DO 10 I=1,NNX
10 XN(I)=CN(I)
NDX=ND
DO 20 I=1,NDX
20 YD(I)=YN(I)
CALL PMPY(CN,NN,XN,NNX,YD,NDX)
30 CONTINUE
RETURN
END

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SUBROUTINE TRANSB(N,RK,ZD,TE,TIPT2,TIT2,T3,GM,CN,NN,ZP)
DIMENSION CN(20),CD(20),XN(20),XD(20),YN(20),YD(20)
PIBYTE=22.0/7.0/TE
CONST=RK/32.0*PIBYTE*PIBYTE
GN=8.0*TE*ZD/(RK*ZR)
NN=3
ND=4
CN(1)=1.0
CN(2)=TIPT2
CN(3)=TIT2
IF(N.EQ.0) RETURN
YN(3)=TIPT2
YN(4)=TIT2
DO 30 M=1,N
C12=CONST*M*M*4.0
YN(1)=C12
YN(2)=C12*T3+1.0
GN=GN/C12
NNX=NN
DO 10 I=1,NNX
10 XN(I)=CN(I)
NDX=ND
DO 20 J=1,NOX
20 YD(J)=YN(J)
CALL PMPY(CN,NN,XN,NNX,YD,NOX)
30 CONTINUE
RETURN
END
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SUBROUTINE PMPY(Z, IDIMZ, X, IDIMX, Y, IDIMY)
DIMENSION Z(50), X(50), Y(50)
IDIMZ = IDIMX+IDIMY-1
DO 30 I=1, IDIMZ
30 Z(I) = 0.0
DO 40 I=1, IDIMX
K = I-1
DO 40 J=1, IDIMY
K = K+1
40 Z(K) = X(I)*Y(J) + Z(K)
RETURN
END
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SUBROUTINE EXTRAT
C
C EXTENDED RATIONAL APPROXIMATE MODEL WITH HEAT TRANSFER EFFECTS
C
COMPLEX S(50),CMPLX,SUM,D(50),CEXP,AN,BN,CN
DIMENSION C1(50),C2(50),AA(50)
DIMENSION XCOF(30),CCF(30),ROOTR(30),ROOTI(30)
COMMON/GET/ANU,XL,CO,R,ZR,ZETA(200),TIME(200),JJ,NS,PC,NORDER,
$SI,GA,TO,DT,TMAX
RK=R*R/ANU
PI=22.0/7.0
AREA=PI*R*R
ZO=CO/AREA
TE=XL/CO
T1=RK/5.78
T2=RK/56.6
T3=RK/40.9
T1P2=T1+T2
T1T2=T1*T2
N=NORDER
CALL TRANSC(N,RK,ZO,TE,T1,T2,T3,G1,C1,N1,ZR,GA,SI)
CALL TRANSO(N,RK,ZO,TE,T1,T2,T3,G2,C2,N2,ZR,GA,SI)
DO 40 I=1,N2
AA(I)=C1(I)*G1+C2(I)*G2
40 CONTINUE
AA(N2+1)=C1(N1)*G1
M=N2
WRITE(6,254)
254 FORMAT(15X,'COEFFICIENTS OF POLYNOMIAL IN S IN ASCENDING POWERS')
DO 50 J=1,N1
WRITE(6,284) AA(J)
284 FORMAT(10X,E15.8,/)
XCOF(J)=AA(J)
50 CONTINUE
CALL POLRT(XCOF,COF,M,ROOTR,ROOTI,IER)
SS=1./XCOF(1)
WRITE(6,264)
264 FORMAT(25X,'REAL',35X,'IMAGINARY',/)
DO 291 I=1,M
WRITE(6,294) ROOTR(I),ROOTI(I)
294 FORMAT(20X,E15.8,20X,E15.8,/)
291 CONTINUE
T=TO
TM=TMAX
60 SUM=(0.0,0.0)
D(1)=XCOF(2)
DO 295 I=1,M
S(I)=CMPLX(ROOTR(I),ROOTI(I))
DO 300 J=2,M
300 D(J)=D(J-1)+J*(S(I)**(J-1))*XCOF(J+1)
AN=(1.0+T3*S(I))
BN=(1.0+S(I)*T1*S(I))
CN=(1.0+S(I)*T2*S(I))
AN=AN*BN*CN
AN=AN*(N+1)
SUM=SUM+AN*CEXP(S(I)*T)/(D(M)*S(I))
295 CONTINUE
SUM=(SS+SUM)*PD

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JJ=JJ+1
WRITE(6,292) SUM,T
292 FORMAT(20X,E15.8,20X,E15.8,20X,E15.8,/)
TIME(JJ)=T
ZETA(JJ)=SUM
IF (REAL(SUM).GE.PD) RETURN
298 T=T+DT
IF(T-TM) 60,60,42
42 RETURN
END

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SUBROUTINE TRANSC(N,RK,ZC,TF,T1,T2,T3,GN,CN,NN,ZR,GA,SI)
COMMON/ALL/PHI1,PHI2,A1,A2,A3,B1,B2
DIMENSION CN(50),CD(50),XN(50),XD(50),YN(50),YD(50)
PIBYTE=22.0/7.0/TF
CONST=RK/32.0*PIBYTE*PIBYTE
GN=1.0/CONST
ND=6
NN=6
A1=SI*SI*T1*T2*T3
A2=SI*SI*T1*T2+SI*T3*(T1+T2)
A3=SI*(T1+T2)+T3
B1=GA*SI*SI*T1*T2+GA*SI*(T1+T2)*(T1+T2)+GA*T1*T2-(GA-1.0)
S*SI*RK*(T1+T2+SI*T3)/8.0
B2=(SI+1.0)*GA*(T1+T2)-(GA-1.0)*SI*RK/8.0
CN(1)=CONST
CN(2)=CONST*A3+GA
CN(3)=CONST*A2+B2
CN(4)=CONST*A1+B1
CN(5)=GA*SI*SI*(T1+T2)*T1*T2+GA*SI*(T1+T2)*T1*T2-(GA-1.0)
S*SI*RK*((T1+T2)*T3*SI+T1*T2)/8.0
CN(6)=GA*SI*SI*T1*T2*T1*T2-(GA-1.0)*SI*SI*RK*T1*T2*T3/8.0
IF(N.EQ.0) RETURN
YN(6)=CN(6)
YN(5)=CN(5)
PHI1=YN(6)
PHI2=YN(5)
DO 30 M=1,N
TMP1=2*M+1
C11=CONST*TMP1*TMP1
YN(4)=C11*A1+B1
YN(3)=C11*A2+B2
YN(2)=C11*A3+GA
YN(1)=C11
GN=GN/C11
NNX=NN
DO 10 I=1,NNX
10 XN(I)=CN(I)
NDX=ND
DO 20 I=1,NDX
20 YD(I)=YN(I)
CALL PMPY(CN,NN,XN,NNX,YD,NDX)
30 CONTINUE
RETURN
END

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SUBROUTINE TRANSD(N,RK,ZD,TE,T1,T2,T3,GN,CN,NN,ZR,GA,SI)
COMMON/ALL/PHI1,PHI2,A1,A2,A3,B1,B2
DIMENSION CN(50),CD(50),XN(50),XD(50),YN(50),YD(50)
PIBYTE=22.0/7.0/TF
CONST=RK/32.0*PIBYTE*PIBYTE
GN=8.0*TE*ZD/(RK*ZR)
NN=5
ND=6
CN(1)=1.0
CN(2)=(SI+1.0)*(T1+T2)
CN(3)=(SI*SI*T1*T2+SI*(T1+T2)*(T1+T2)+T1*T2)
CN(4)=SI*SI*T1*T2*(T1+T2)+SI*T1*T2*(T1+T2)
CN(5)=SI*SI*T1*T2*T1*T2
IF(N.EQ.0) RETURN
YN(6)=PHI1
YN(5)=PHI2
DO 30 M=1,N
C12=CONST*M*M*M*M*4.0
YN(4)=C12*A1+B1
YN(3)=C12*A2+B2
YN(2)=C12*A3+GA
YN(1)=C12
GN=GN/C12
NNX=NN
DO 10 I=1,NNX
10 XN(I)=CN(I)
NDX=ND
DO 20 I=1,NDX
20 YD(I)=YN(I)
CALL PMPY(CN,NN,XN,NNX,YD,NDX)
30 CONTINUE
RETURN
END

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COMMON/GET/ANU,XL,CO,R,ZR,ZETA(200),TIME(200),JJ,WS,PC,NORDER,
SSI,GA,TD,DT,TMAX
RK=R*R/ANU
PI=22.0/7.0
AREA=PI*P*P
ZO=CO/AREA
TF=XI/CO
A=1
R=1
D=-1
TM=TMAX
T=TO
T1=TF*TF*A*A/PK
T2=9*T1
T3=25*T1
T4=49*T1
P1=D*D/RK
80 DEL1=0
IF (T.GF.TF) GO TO 10
GO TO 20
10 DEL1=1
20 DEL2=0
IF (T.GF.3*TF) GO TO 30
GO TO 40
30 DEL2=1
40 DEL3=0
IF (T.GE.5*TF) GO TO 50
GO TO 60
50 DEL3=1
60 DEL4=0
IF (T.GF.7*TF) GO TO 70
GO TO 88
70 DEL4=1
88 SUM=0.0
TERM1=0.0
TERM2=0.0
TERM3=0.0
TERM4=0.0
TERM5=0.0
TERM6=0.0
IF (T.LE.TF) GO TO 210
ARG1=SQRT(T1)/(2.*SQRT(T-TF))
TERM1=2.*EXP(-B*TF/RK)*DEL1*ERFC(ARG1)
ARG3=P1*(T-TF)+SQRT(P1*T1)
ARG4=SQRT(D*D*(T-TF)/RK)+SQRT(T1/(T-TF))/2.
TERM3=2.*ZO*EXP(-B*TF/RK)*DEL1*EXP(ARG3)*ERFC(ARG4)/ZR
IF (T.LE.3.*TF) GO TO 210
ARG2=SQRT(T2)/(2.*SQRT(T-3.*TF))
TERM2=2.*EXP(-3.*B*TF/RK)*DEL2*ERFC(ARG2)
ARG5=P1*(T-3.*TF)+SQRT(P1*T2)
ARG6=SQRT(D*D*(T-3.*TF)/RK)+SQRT(T2/(T-3.*TF))/2.
TERM4=6.*EXP(-3.*B*TF/RK)*DEL2*ZO*EXP(ARG5)*ERFC(ARG6)/ZR
IF (T.LE.5.*TF) GO TO 210
ARG7=P1*(T-5.*TF)+SQRT(P1*T3)

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ARG8=SQRT(D*D*(T-5.*TF)/RK)+SQRT(T2/(T-5.*TF))/2.
TERM5=6.*EXP(-5.*B*TF/RK)*DEL3*ZO*EXP(ARG7)*ERFC(ARG8)/ZR
IF (T.LE.7.*TF) GO TO 210
ARG9=P1*(T-7.*TF)+SQRT(P1*T4)
ARG10=
$ SQRT(D*D*(T-7.*TF)/RK)+SQRT(T2/(T-7.*TF))/2.
TERM6=2.*EXP(-7.*B*TF/RK)*DEL4*ZO*EXP(ARG9)*ERFC(ARG10)/ZR
210 SUM=SUM+TERM1-TERM2-TERM3+TERM4-TERM5+TERM6
SUM=SUM*PC
JJ=JJ+1
TIME(JJ)=T
ZETA(JJ)=SUM
WRITE(6,200) SUM,T
200 FORMAT(20X,F15.8,20X,F15.8,/)
IF (SUM.GE.PC) RETURN
T=T+DT
IF (T-TM) 80,80,90
90 RETURN
END

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