STUDY OF WIND PRESSURES AND AIR QUALITY AROUND CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL, NATIONAL MEDICAL CENTER

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ABSTRACT

Tests were conducted on a model of the proposed Children's Hospital Facility constructed (1:192 scale) in the Colorado State University Meteorological Wind Tunnel to determine air quality and air pressures around the building. The pressure measurements concentrated on the mean and RMS of the fluctuating pressure at selected locations. Air quality measurements were made by releasing Krypton-85 from specific sources of pollution and sampling it at all the intakes around the building. Data are presented in a manner that these can be directly used to evaluate pressures and air quality. Also, based on these data, recommendations are made on locating the air-conditioning intakes and the sources of pollution.

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Symbol

С

Cp

p

Time mean concentration

Mean pressure coefficient =
$$\frac{\overline{P}}{\frac{1}{2} \rho U^2_{ref}}$$

$$C_{p_{rms}}$$
 RMS pressure coefficient = $\frac{\sqrt{p'^2}}{\frac{1}{2\rho}U_{ref}^2}$

h Height of the building

Intensity of pressure fluctuation

 K_c Mean concentration coefficient = $\frac{c}{Q/U_h h^2}$

- Mean pressure difference between the local surface pressure and the static pressure in the approaching flow
- p' Fluctuating component of the pressure difference between the location surface pressure and static pressure in the approaching flow

Q Pollutant release rate

u Local mean velocity

u1 Mean velocity at location 1

 u_{\star} Friction velocity = $\sqrt{\tau_0/\rho}$

U_h Mean velocity at height, h

Uref Mean velocity at reference height = 100 ft

z Height

z_o Roughness length

z₁ Height at position 1

α Azimuth angle

ρ Density of air

х

LIST OF SYMBOLS - (Continued)

Symbol

то

Shear stress at the ground

θ

Deviation from the indicated wind direction positive anti-clockwise.

I. INTRODUCTION

In design of building structures, it is customary to limit the design considerations to the strength of building material vis-a-vis the anticipated loading which can be predicted with confidence. There is another important aspect of design that originates from the need to make the structures safe for the occupants with respect to the immediate environment. This environment is controlled by the meteorological conditions, the distinctive shape of the structure and distribution of the air pollution sources around the building. The environmental design should, then, specifically consider the quality of air being drawn through various proposed intakes around the building, and the distribution of aerodynamic pressure unique for the special shape of the building.

Efforts have been made to universalize the environmental design (Halitsky, 1968) in the same manner as the structural, but such a scheme works only for the elementary geometrical shapes like cubes, cylinders, etc. In actual practice, the building structures do not conform to such geometrical shapes for aesthetic reasons. Often times this departure from simple shapes is necessary due to other more compelling Thus, many real buildings have projections, set-backs, etc. reasons. which introduce significant local perturbations in the flow around them altering greatly the diffusion from a nearby pollution source and the wind pressures. In such cases the data on diffusion and wind pressures for simple shapes are not likely to produce realistic estimates. At the present time, the only approach available for obtaining reliable wind pressure and diffusion data is to study flow around a scale model of the structure placed in a wind tunnel capable of simulating atmospheric motion in the lowest 300 ft.

The purpose of this study is to use the foregoing procedure in the environmental design of the Children's Hospital, National Medical Center, Washington, D. C. There are two distinct features associated with the proposed structure which demand such an investigation. One of these is associated with the irregular geometrical lines of the structure with large glazed areas. Particularly in re-entrant corners mean pressures and pressure fluctuations give cause for concern about glass breakage and leaks around window seals during storms. The second, because of the use for which the building is intended, is the need to make certain that air drawn into the building is uncontaminated by air exhausted from the building or from neighboring pollution sources.

A 1:192 scale model of the hospital building was placed in the Colorado State University meteorological wind tunnel. Direct measurements of mean pressures and root-mean-square values of pressure fluctuations were made using pressure transducers. Also, concentrations of tracer released at significant locations were obtained at nearly all the proposed intake points for air conditioning. These data were obtained for four wind directions.

This investigation is significant in that it constitutes a part of the overall design of the hospital. The concentration data provide a picture of the quality of air that is available around the proposed structure and fixes the position of high pollutant concentration areas with respect to the different sources of pollution. This information can be useful in locating the air conditioning intakes and in determining the optimum location of pollution sources such as air conditioning exhausts and parking area exhaust parts. The wind pressure data

provide useful information for selection of window glass, development of specifications for seals and design of the reception entrance area.

The basis of simulation, experimental arrangement and the results are discussed in detail in the body of the report.

II. SIMULATION OF FLOW

In order that the wind-tunnel test results correspond to those expected in the field, the air flow around the model should be similar to the prototype flow. The conditions for such a similarity are usually found in the equations of motion for a given flow. Cermak <u>et al</u>. (1966), Halitsky (1968), Cermak and Arya (1970) and many others have discussed a variety of modeling problems and their similarity requirements. It is generally agreed that, in the case of a neutral^{*} atmosphere, dynamic similarity would be achieved if the model satisfies the following criteria:

- (1) Geometrical similarity
- (2) Reynolds number $\left(\frac{UL}{v}\right)$ similarity
- (3) Boundary condition similarity.

Geometrical similarity requires that all the components of the structure be scaled in the same proportion as components of the proposed building. The actual maximum scale possible is limited by width of the wind-tunnel test section. The meteorological wind tunnel has a cross section of 6 ft x 6 ft. In order to avoid interference by walls of the wind tunnel, the model should occupy no more than the center 3 ft of the tunnel floor. As the model is to be studied for various wind directions, the maximum model dimension is represented by a diagonal which is about 600 ft in extent. Thus a scale of 1:200 satisfies the space requirement. A scale of 1:192 was, however, found to be more convenient for model construction as all the floor plan drawings for the building were made to this scale.

No temperature stratification

Using the same scale for the vertical dimensions yields a model height of about 0.5 ft. The maximum blockage presented by the model at this scale is about 4% -- a value sufficiently small to cause no concern about distortion of the flow. Moreover, this blockage was considerably reduced when the wind-tunnel roof was raised to produce zero pressure gradient over the model.

For a sharp-edged structure, Reynolds number equality is not essential and the flow patterns are similar if a critical lower limit of the Reynolds number is exceeded. The drag coefficient for a sharpedged body becomes a constant above a Reynolds number of about 3 x 10^3 . Also according to Golden (1961) as quoted by Halitsky, the diffusion patterns around sharp-edged structures are invariant for Reynolds numbers greater than 11,000. As both the model and prototype are placed in air flow, this diffusion critical Reynolds number corresponds to UL = 2 ft /sec. The proposed Children's Hospital building is about a hundred feet high, therefore, the Reynolds numbers in the prototype would be above the critical if the wind speed is greater than $\frac{1}{50}$ ft/sec which is nearly always true. The wind-tunnel air speeds used are 30 ft/sec and 50 ft/sec so that the Reynolds number in the wind tunnel is also greater than the critical. Thus both the model and the prototype are in the class of flows which are independent of Reynolds number and the fact that the model Reynolds number is approximately 100 times less than the prototype value does not invalidate the flow similarity.

Boundary condition similarity requires that the approach flows be similar in the model and prototype. Because of the long test section it was possible to create mean velocity and turbulence profiles which have characteristics typical of an urban atmosphere. This was

facilitated by modeling the terrain surrounding the building with trees. The urban geometry up to 1 mile upwind from the building was modelled in the wind tunnel by placing street blocks in the same orientation found in the prototype.

In view of the preceding discussion and the past experience, it can be said with some confidence that the flow over the proposed Children's Hospital building in its selected location was portrayed in the model and that the results can be used for design purposes on the full-scale structure. The flow conditions investigated in this study correspond to strong winds and as such its results are not expected to apply in calm conditions when the dynamics of the exhausts assumes primary importance.

III. EXPERIMENTAL ARRANGEMENT

Wind Tunnel

Model tests were conducted in the meteorological wind tunnel at the Fluid Dynamics and Diffusion Laboratory of Colorado State University. The tunnel, specifically designed to study fluid phenomena of the atmosphere, has a 6 ft square by 90 ft long test section with an adjustable ceiling to provide a zero pressure gradient over the model (see Fig. 1). This tunnel was operated as a closed circuit. A 6 ft length of test-section floor at the leading edge was roughened with $\frac{1}{2}$ in. gravel to increase the boundary-layer thickness. The model was located on the wind-tunnel floor about 80 ft from the test section entrance. At this location the turbulent boundary layer simulating the atmospheric boundary layer was about 30 in. thick or about five times the model height. This permits excellent simulation of the atmospheric shear flow to be encountered by the completed structure. Wind speeds in the wind tunnel can be varied from 1 ft/sec to 100 ft/sec. As discussed earlier, because of the sharp-edged geometry of the structure, the wind speed can be varied over a wide range without affecting the local flow characteristics.

Mode1

The model of the Children's Hospital consisted of the proposed building, the neighboring structures of the Washington Hospital, the topography of surrounding terrain and an approximate representation of the city block extending to about a mile upwind from the hospital. All the features were constructed to a scale of 1:192. The terrain was made of styrofoam sheets which were cut to match the ground contours

and then glued together. The entire model was mounted on plywood sheets such that the nearby topography could be moved to face wind from different directions. Other buildings of the National Medical Center were also modeled by styrofoam blocks and were fixed on to the terrain. To model the city blocks, bricks $(2\frac{1}{4} \text{ in. x } 3\frac{1}{2} \text{ in. x } 7\frac{1}{2} \text{ in.})$ were laid out in random heights but with due regard to alignment of city streets.

The Children's Hospital building proper was constructed from ¹/₂ in. thick "Lucite" sheets. The outside features of each floor were machine cut to render a strong model. The model was built to proper dimensions according to the details provided by Leo A. Daly. As the floor plans differed from each other, outside detail of nearly each floor was constructed separately. Each component has machine cut bevelled ends. The pieces were cemented together to create the model shown in Fig. 1 which is both sufficiently attractive for display and rugged to serve the aerodynamic modeling function.

Fifty-nine piezometric taps 1/16 in. in diameter were drilled through the model surface at all levels as shown in Figs. 2 to 4. Their locations were selected to give adequate coverage of critical points near the sharp-edged corners. Nearly eighty diffusion sampling taps 1/8 in. in diameter were also placed at the proposed air-conditioning intakes. Figures 5 to 8 show these sampling points on the building elevations. Flexible plastic tubings from each pressure and sampling tap were taken out through the wind-tunnel floor. The building model was placed on a turntable to permit continuous rotation about a vertical axis. Figure 9 presents some views of the model in the wind tunnel. Another simplified model of Children's Hospital was made from plywood to simulate the flow through open areas around the building

at the level V-1. Special care was taken to model the details at this level, e.g., the openings on the east, south and west sides; openings in floor levels V-1 and V-2; openings connecting the levels V-2 and V-3 with the parking ramps, etc.

Wind and Pressure Measurement

A pitot-static tube was used to measure the upstream mean velocity profile and set the mean wind speeds. Pitot-static tube output was monitored through M.K.S. electronic pressure meter. This instrument was also used to measure mean pressures on the model building walls. All the pressure and velocity measurements were made at a speed of 50 ft/sec to ensure a favorable signal to noise ratio. Five "Statham" differential pressure transducers (Model PM283) were employed to measure the fluctuating component of the pressure. The reference ports of the "Statham" pressure transducers were connected through a manifold to the static pressure tap of the pitot tube. The other side of each transducer was connected to a separate pressure tap around the building. With this arrangement, the transducer measured the fluctuations of the pressure between the local surface pressure and the static pressure in the free stream. The root-mean-square (RMS) value of the fluctuating pressure was measured through a DISA True RMS meter (Model 55 D35). A Tektronix storage oscilloscope (Type 562) and a Hewlett-Packard digital voltmeter (Model 3440 A) were used to calibrate the transducers and to check the output signal during the experiment. Figure 10 shows a block diagram of the pressure measuring instruments.

Turbulence measurements in the approaching flow were made with a hot-wire anemometer. The anemometer output was connected to the DISA RMS meter and the RMS was recorded on a Moseley X-Y recorder (Type 135).

Flow Visualization

The initial phase of data collection was the visualization of flow around the building. Smoke was introduced at significant locations over the model to identify the problem areas on the building requiring detailed measurements. The smoke was produced by passing compressed air through a container of titanium-tetrachloride located outside the wind tunnel. A color 16 mm motion picture of the visualized flow was produced to provide a permanent record of its characteristics.

Air Quality Sampling

Four different sources of pollution were considered in this study viz.,

- (1) Car parking area exhausts (Fig. 11)
- (2) Roof stacks (Fig. 12)
- (3) Contagious diseases laboratory exhaust (NE corner) (Fig. 5)
- (4) Proposed power room stacks (Fig. 11).

Krypton-85 was used for the tracer gas and was introduced into the model system through a flow meter. For each pollution source, the quality of air at various air-conditioning intakes around the building was determined by sampling the tracer gas-air mixture and measuring the concentration of Kr-85 in the mixture. The details of the sampling system are sketched in Fig. 13. Samples were drawn from the wind tunnel through 1/8 in. I.D. flexible tubing and collected in the glass bottle by displacement over water. This arrangement enabled 25 samples to be obtained at the same time for one release and, thus, conserves the radioactive Kr-85. In order to collect the samples, negative air pressure is created in the reservoir and the ball valve is opened. Each sample was transferred into a cylindrical jacket around a Geiger-Mueller (G.M.) tube by a reverse process. The jacket was then filled with water and pressure applied to air in the reservoir forced the sample from a collector bottle to the jacket. The volume of the jacket was exactly equal to that of the sample collected. Four jacketed G.M. tubes were used to facilitate transfer and analysis. Each G.M. tube was calibrated against a gas of known concentration. The samples after transfer to G.M. tube jackets were counted by a Nuclear-Chicago ultrascaler.

IV. TEST RESULTS AND THEIR APPLICATION

Test Program

To meet the objectives set forth for this investigation, the following data were obtained by flow visualization and direct measurement:

- 1. Motion pictures of flow made visible by introduction of smoke.
- 2. Characteristics of flow approaching the model structure.
- 3. Characteristics of winds at level V-1.
- Mean pressures and root-mean-square values of pressure fluctuations on exterior surface of the building.
- 5. Air quality measurements.

The test conditions are indicated in the detailed discussion of each type of the data. In the wind tunnel, the wind velocities were set by monitoring the free stream, i.e., velocities outside the boundary layer. As it is not practicable to measure its equivalent in the field, the pressure and air quality data are presented taking approach wind velocity at a height equivalent to the top of the building ($\simeq 100$ ft) as the reference velocity. Also, wind direction is defined as the direction from which the wind originates.

Test Results: Flow Visualization

Two series of experiments were conducted to visualize the detailed structure of flow around the building. The first such series covered observations of the dispersion patterns of smoke introduced through each individual source of pollution. These observations were made for four wind directions, viz., north, north-west, west and south. A color motion picture was taken for those tests which were considered significant in determining the quality of air surrounding the hospital. Of special interest is the character of flow on the north side of the building for north and south winds and in the set-backs at levels C and D on the east and west sides. The north-side characteristics were revealed by smoke releases through proposed underground parking area exhausts at ground level situated near the middle of the north wall. For south winds, the smoke is driven against the north wall whereas for the north wind, it is removed and diffused. Both of these results could be derived by appeal to the existing knowledge on details of flow around a sharp-edged obstacle (see, for example, Halitsky, 1963).

When the wind comes from the south, a secondary flow is set up in the opposite direction behind the building. The return flow is strongest at the axis of the toroidal vortex pair and produces a stagnation region near the bottom of the north face of the building. The flow is upward and radially outward from this region. The parking area exhaust under consideration happens to be at the axis of the secondary flow and thus the effluent is carried to the north wall and spread radially on this face. In the case of north wind, the existing Washington Hospital Center has a profound effect on the flow around the Children's Hospital building. If there were no buildings upwind, the north face of the proposed building would have a radial flow outward from the stagnation region and smoke would be carried to the north wall. The presence of buildings upwind from the hospital, however, introduces a set of vortices in the space between them. The secondary flow at the ground is again opposite to the main stream and away from the north face. The flow along this face is inward to a pseudo-stagnation region.

The other interesting observation of smoke was made for the releases from the roof sources near the east and west sides (Fig. 12). These sources are situated on the corner of a recess on each side. For north and south winds, the smoke released from the sources upwind from the recess tends to spiral into the recess. These observations are completely corroborated by the detailed concentration measurements which are presented later in this chapter.

The second series of visualization tests was made on the plywood model. The smoke source was placed at the level V-1 and then its transport studied for south and west winds. These are the only relevant directions as there is no opening on the north side of level V-1. For a south wind, there was observed a weak flow out on the east and west sides which was overpowered by the primary flow. The flow through the east opening at level V-1 due to the west wind was observed to be strong enough to advance against the opposite secondary flow near the ground but could not cross the cavity. Thus the flow through the openings at level V-1 is not expected to interfere with the general pattern of flow.

Test Results: Approach Flow

Although the flow characteristics in the immediate vicinity of the structure are dominated by its particular geometry, the mean velocity profile of the approaching flow controls the shape of the wake boundary and secondary flow in the cavity. In view of this, approach flow was conditioned by modeling the topographical features up to about a mile from the Children's Hospital. The resulting velocity profile, for a south wind, 1,000 ft upwind from the building, is shown in Fig. 14. Its characteristics are investigated in Figs. 15 and 16. A logarithmic

law is known to better fit the velocity profile close to the surface in neutral conditions, i.e.,

$$\frac{u}{u_*} = \frac{1}{k} \ln \frac{z}{z_0} .$$

Figure 15 shows a plot of the velocity vs height on a semi-log paper. The roughness length z_0 in the model corresponds to about 1 ft in the prototype. This value of z_0 is typical of the open area having isolated trees (Jenson, 1958). The National Medical Center does not have any densely populated area within half a mile on all sides, especially so for the south wind. This gives support to the velocity profile produced over the model. For the north wind, the flow upwind from the Children's Hospital is conditioned also by the Washington Hospital Center complex. Another representation, which is commonly used, is the power law form of velocity profile, viz.,

$$\frac{u}{u_1} = \left(\frac{z}{z_1}\right)^{\alpha}$$

where u_1 is the velocity at height z_1 and the exponent α is the indicator of surface roughness for neutral flow. For the approach flow in the wind tunnel (Fig. 16) α is about 0.4 which is again typical of a thinly populated area. A value of 1/7 for α corresponds to a smooth surface.

The turbulence profile of the approach flow is shown in Fig. 17. The intensity of turbulence varies from 50% near the surface to about 20% at the building height. These figures compare well with the observation made on Fort Wayne, Indiana by Hilst and Bowne (1966).

Test Results: "Winds" at Level V-1

Detailed measurements of wind and turbulence were made at a number of locations at the V-1 which are indicated in Fig. 18. This was done to examine if an undue gustiness could prevail in this parking area due to the openings on the west, south and east sides. The data are presented in Table I. It is noted that the flow both in the mean and the fluctuation is damped in the parking area. The wind velocity through the openings on the east and west sides is of the order of one-third the reference wind (i.e., the wind velocity at the building height) for the south winds. The wind will be gusty at the entrance to the pipe bridge on the south side. If the average wind is, say, 3 mph, the gusts may go up to 8 mph. Similarly, the wind will be gusty in some of the ramps leading to the parking area, but the winds will be generally weaker.

Test Results: Surface Pressure

The local mean pressures \overline{P} measured with respect to ambient pressure can be expressed in the form of non-dimensional pressure coefficient C_p (to facilitate its use for design purposes) as,

$$C_{p} = \frac{\overline{p}}{\frac{1}{2\rho U_{ref}^{2}}}$$

where ρ is the density of air and U_{ref} , the reference wind velocity. Table II presents the non-dimensional pressure at all the pressure taps for different wind directions. A practical statistic of the random pressure fluctuations is its root-mean-square (RMS) value. The RMS pressure p_{rms} can also be non-dimensionalized either to express it as a coefficient, i.e.,

$$C_{p_{rms}} = \frac{\sqrt{p'^2}}{\frac{1}{2\rho} U_{ref}^2}$$

or as pressure fluctuation intensity

$$I_{p} = \frac{\sqrt{p'^{2}}}{\overline{p}} \times 100$$

The pressure fluctuation data for selected positions is presented in both the forms in Table III. At places, the pressure fluctuation intensity is very high indicating either that the mean pressures are very weak or that the fluctuations are strong. In Table IV is presented the variation of pressure fluctuation on five pressure taps as a function of the azimuth angle α . These data are also illustrated in Fig. 19 for three taps at level C. It will be noted the maximum fluctuations occur in a wind at right angles to (or slightly different from it) the face of the building on which the pressure taps are situated. For this reason, the pressure fluctuation data in Table III are obtained for the azimuth of $\pm 6^{\circ}$.

Test Results: Air Quality

The concentration measurements around the building, such as pressure data, must also be represented in the form of a suitable non-dimensional concentration coefficient K_c which is universal to both the model and the prototype. A useful form for K_c is

$$K_{c} = \frac{c U_{h} h^{2}}{Q}$$

where c is the concentration (say, mg/ft³), Q , the rate of release of pollutant (mg/sec) and U_h the velocity (ft/sec) at building height h (100 ft in the prototype). All the concentration data observed in the wind tunnel have been rendered into this non-dimensional form. These K_c values are to be presented for a number of intakes at four levels for three different types of pollution sources which are tested for four wind directions. Also the building plan and the position of intakes is different at each level. In such a situation, it is best to consider each level and each source separately. Thus, each building level has been developed open and the K_c values plotted against the intake positions for various wind directions on one sheet of graph paper. In Figs. 20 through 31 is displayed all the information on the distribution of pollutants obtained in this study. As the fourth category of pollution, namely, the proposed powereroom stack exhaust escaped the building completely, no graph on it is presented.

An examination of these figures reveals the positions of the maximum concentration around the building for a given source. Underground parking area exhausts cause maximum concentrations at the north and southeast intakes. The roof stacks exhaust is found to be least diluted at intakes located in the dents in levels C and D on the east and west sides. The contagious diseases laboratory exhaust delivers most of its pollution to the intakes around the northeast corner. The observations on the first two types of sources match remarkably with the visualization results described earlier.

Applications

Practical application of the quantitative results is attempted in this section. As all these results have been presented in a form which is independent of the model to prototype scale, the required information can be obtained simply by substituting the prototype data into the results of this study.

Example: What are the maximum positive and negative pressures to which a window glass at level 'C' is subjected at S.T.P. in an approach

wind velocity of 40 miles/hr at the height of the building? Also find the maximum fluctuating pressure RMS value and its relation to the mean.

A glance through mean pressure data in Table II gives

[C_p] = .715 (on pressure tap CSP 7 for max. pos. westerly wind)

[C_p] = - .915 (on pressure tap CEP 2 for southerly max. neg. wind)

By definition: $C_p = \frac{\overline{p}}{\frac{1}{2\rho}U_{ref}^2}$ \therefore $\overline{P} = \frac{1}{2\rho}C_p U_{ref}^2$

with, $U_{ref} = 40 \text{ mph} = 58.7 \text{ ft/sec}$ $\rho_{air} = .002378 \text{ slugs/ft}^3$

> Maximum positive mean pressure = $\frac{1}{2} \times (.715) \times .002378 \times (58.7)^2$ = 2.93 lb/ft² Maximum negative mean pressure = $\frac{1}{2} \times (.915) \times .002378 \times (58.7)^2$

> > $= 3.75 \ 1b/ft^2$.

Also from Table III, the maximum fluctuating pressure coefficient at level 'C' is

$$C_{p_{rms}} = \frac{RMS \ pressure}{\frac{1}{2} \rho \ U_{ref}^2} = .596 \quad (on \ CWP \ 6 \ for \ southerly \ wind)$$

:. RMS pressure =
$$\frac{1}{2}$$
 (.596) × .002378 × (58.7)²
= 2.44 lb/ft².

From the same table, the RMS of fluctuating pressure is twice the mean pressure.

Example: Evaluate the quality of air around the building especially in respect of pollutants released through underground parking exhausts,

namely, carbon monoxide, unburnt hydrocarbons and nitrogen oxides in an approaching wind of 10 mph at the building height.

The first step in this evaluation is to estimate, Q, the amount of each pollutant being released around the building. The parking area has a total capacity of accommodating 1,000 cars but only those cars would be emitting exhaust which are in transit. There is no direct way of calculating the maximum number of cars that would have their engines running at a given instant. We assume, therefore, that no more than 50 cars are either idling or accelerating between 0 and 10 mph <u>at any instant</u>. Concentrations of CO and hydrocarbon emissions are maximum in the engine idle mode and decrease as the engine speed is increased outside of the idle range. NO_x concentrations are on the low side for lower speeds (see Stern, 1968). Average composition of car exhausts in transit in the parking area can be taken to be (averaged over 0-10 mph range from the curves in Fig. 3, page 59 of Stern, 1968)

CO 4.46×10^{-3} lb/ft³ of exhaust gas Hydrocarbons 2000 ppm

NO_v 1000 ppm.

If an average car exhausts at a rate of 20 ft^3 /min (see Maga and Kinosian, 1968), the amount of each pollutant released by 50 cars is

 $Q = \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} CO & 4.46 \ x \ 10^{-3} \ x \ 20 \ x \ 50/60 \ = \ 0.074 \ 1b/sec \\ Hydrocarbons & 2000 \ x \ 20 \ x \ 50/60 \ = \ 3.34 \ x \ 10^4 \ ppm \ ft^3/sec \\ NO_x & 1000 \ x \ 20 \ x \ 50/60 \ = \ 1.67 \ x \ 10^4 \ ppm \ ft^3/sec \end{array} \right\}.$

With $U_h = 10 \text{ mph} = 14.7 \text{ ft/sec}$ and h = 100 ft,

the reference concentrations are

$$\frac{Q}{U_{h}h^{2}} = \begin{cases} CO & 5.05 \times 10^{-7} \ 1b/ft^{3} = 8.1 \ mg/m^{3} \\ Hydrocarbons & 0.228 \ ppm \\ NO_{x} & 0.114 \ ppm \end{cases}$$

Now if the air quality standards for CO, hydrocarbons and NO_x are known, we can find a K_c value corresponding to such standards for each pollutant and compare the observed K_c values with permissible K_c . Let us <u>assume</u> the following standards:



These assumed permissible K_c values are imposed on the appropriate data and are shown in Figs. 32-35. It appears that it might be possible to satisfy CO standards more easily than the permissible standards for hydrocarbons and NO_x .

Example: What would be the carbon monoxide concentration at the intake AWD1 in Fig. 6 due to the parking area exhausts (500,000 ft^{3}/min) during a north-west wind of 10 miles per hour if its concentration at the exhaust is 100 ppm?

The non-dimensional concentration at AWD1 is obtained from the parking area exhaust data for level 'A' in Fig. 20 for the given wind as

$$K_{c} = \frac{c}{Q/U_{h} h^{2}} = 1.75$$

or $c_{AWD1} = 1.75 \text{ Q/U}_{h} h^{2}$.

From the given data,

Q = 100 ppm x 500,000 ft³/min = 5 x 10⁷ ppm ft³/min U_h = $\frac{10 \times 5280}{60}$ ft/min = 880 ft/min h = 100 ft.

Hence,

$$c_{AWD1} = \frac{1.75 \times 5 \times 10^7}{880 \times 10^4} \text{ ppm}$$

≅ 10 ppm

These examples merely illustrate the practical application of the results of this study. Their procedure, however, must be repeated with more reliable information on air quality standards and specific design data.

V. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Information on the expected interaction between the proposed Children's Hospital, National Medical Center and its immediate environment is obtained through wind tunnel tests on its model. The pressure measurements made on the model can be directly used for design purposes. The quality of air around the proposed structure may be evaluated from the reduced data on concentrations. It is recommended that the example of application of air quality data should be repeated with more reliable information on air quality standards in the Washington area and more accurate description of sources of pollution. Such evaluation should be made for all types of pollution.

Based on the visualization results and diffusion data, some parking area exhausts should be considered for relocation. As a general rule, no such exhausts (for example, exhaust no. 4 in Fig. 11) should be centrally placed on any side of the building. The preferable location for the ground sources is where the effluent can escape the reverse secondary flow in order to minimize chances of undiluted pollutants being brought to the intakes. The reverse flow occurs behind the building and in the immediate vicinity of its sides. Hence, the sources should be located, as far as possible, away from the building along diagonals radiating from the building corners (see Fig. 11). However, if the exhaust locations are fixed, it is recommended that non-operating windows should be provided on the north side at the points AND2, AND3, BND3, BND4, CND5, CND6, CND7, DND2 and DND3 in Fig. 5. If possible the intakes in the recesses on the east and west side at levels 'C & D', namely, CED2, CWD4, DED2 and DWD3 (see Figs. 6 and 8) should be avoided.

The proposed design of power-room stacks is shown to be satisfactory as the building completely escapes the effluents. The parking area at level 'V-1' is not found to be windy as suspected. The winds are found to be quite gusty, however, in the mini park.

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TABLE I WIND SPEED AND TURBULENCE AT LEVEL 'V-1'

 U_{ref} = velocity of approaching wind at the height of the building (100 ft)

Wind Direction	Station*	Mean Wind Uref	Max. Gusts Mean Wind	Turbulence Intensity = $\frac{Fluct. RMS}{Mean Wind} \times 100$
South	1	.42	1.15	10
	2	.41	1.13	10
	3	.32	1.19	20
	4	.27	1.13	24
	5	.34	1.32	23
	6	.32	1.32	31
	7	.22	1.42	51
	8	.30	1.48	42
	9	.32	1.42	34
	10	.09	2.14	72
	11	.20	1.44	42
	12	.07	2.61	65
	13	.23	1.35	16
	14	.21	1.24	25
	15	.35	1.28	22
	16	.29	1.87	21
	17	.20	1.51	42
	18	.38	1.80	39
	19	.16	2.39	61
West	20	.37	1.09	8
	21	.48	1.12	8

*See Fig. 18 for station location.

	North- westerly	θ = 0 _°	061	865	654	208	299	538	299	327	358	+.299	+.074	418	775	446	775	657			
ECTIONS	rly	θ = - 6°	358	+.180	061	+.122	+.134	327	284	226	289	+.388	+.388	+.322	+.358	+.383	+.150	401			
OUS WIND DIR	Weste	θ + 6	388	180	327	061	+.015	299	256	208	192	+.596	+.477	+.299	+.299	+.342	327	446			
c _p for vari	ərly	θ = -6°	216	+.687	+.373	+.456	+.456	+.400	586	373	251	400	487	586	+.586	+.329	+.629	+.358			
COEFFICIENT	Southe	θ = + 6°	132	+.180	+.299	+.538	+.477	+.269	477	119	208	388	446	477	015	+.180	+.134	+.299	tion		
MEAN PRESSURE	nerly	θ ⁺ = - 6°	+.104	269	254	134	157	203	172	086	538	180	388	269	327	248	264	203	ndicated direc		
TABLE II N	North	$\theta^{\dagger} = + 6^{\circ}$	+.035	253	238	096	134	167	142	150	715	104	162	238	299	248	243	208	ed as	~	\langle
	Direction of wind	Pressure Tap*	ANP1	ASP1	ASP2	ASP3	ASP4	ASP5	AEP1	AEP2	AEP 3	AWP1	AWP2	AWP 3	AWP4	AWPS	BSP1	BSP2	† 0 is defin€	below	

 $(+)_{\theta}(-)_{\theta}$

nued	North- westerly	θ = 0°	238	327	+.477	+.388	+.150	299	657	388	299	388	358	269	269	477	388	015	208	030	+.568	+.150	388	418	
NS - Contir	1y	θ = - 6°	269	276	129	+.269	+.507	+.388	446	.000	+.061	403	609	243	284	281	269	+.223	+.193	+.269	071	+.208	+.492	+.715	
WIND DIRECTIO	Wester	θ = + 6°	253	188	+.180	+.418	+.553	+.373	715	+.030	122	487	446	253	233	231	253	+.208	099	+.373	193	+.327	+.269	+.388	
FOR VARIOUS	erly	$\theta = -6^{\circ}$	629	256	287	299	429	601	+.456	+.373	+.472	+.358	429	915	314	314	216	358	335	423	314	400	299	1	
FICIENT Cp	South	θ = + 6°	446	208	238	299	388	446	+.060	+.269	+.568	+.418	180	834	238	061	299	314	299	358	284	388	806	+.269	
RESSURE COEFI	rly	θ = - 6°	139	626	216	256	507	281	243	226	162	149	216	231	+.327	048	208	271	269	233	134	J	264	215	
LE II MEAN P	Northe	θ = + 6°	142	745	035	208	208	233	231	231	165	129	190	190	089	198	226	162	216	134	+.104	066	215	226	
TAB	Direction of wind	Tap*	BEP1	BEP2	BWP1	BWP2	BWP 3	BWP4	CSP1	CSP2	CSP3	CSP4	CEP1	CEP2	CEP3	CEP4	CEP5	CWP1	CWP2	CWP 3	CWP4	CWP5	CWP6	CWP7	COMP

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Direction of wind	Northe	rly	South	erly	Wester	1y	North- westerly
Tap*	θ = + 6°	θ = - 6°	θ = + 6°	$\theta = -6^{\circ}$	θ = + 6°	θ = - 6°	θ = 0°
DNP1	129	015	150	172	223	243	030
DNP2	030	+.119	193	195	715	687	+.446
DSP1	226	238	+.180	+.342	507	538	745
DSP2	208	221	+.388	+.456	299	418	865
DSP3	157	172	+.687	+.629	358	253	269
DSP4	139	162	+.299	+.358	243	216	715
DEP1	167	187	089	299	446	507	269
DEP2	215	226	865	256	243	253	269
DEP3	084	+.203	538	358	254	269	238
DEP4	248	157	208	372	223	274	596
DEP5	251	142	+.299	200	208	276	538
DWP1	162	274	418	444	+.446	+.477	+.073
DWP2	198	281	269	271	208	150	150
DWP 3	238	314	477	477	+.327	.314	238
DWP4	+.165	089	418	388	183	104	+.715
DWP5	137	373	388	373	+.365	+.327	+.418
DWP6	193	233	806	629	+.487	+.626	180
DWP7	256	253	089	,	+.388	+.657	477
DWP8	231	223	+.180	ı	+.446	+.626	327
DWP9	150	142	+.269	ı	+.507	+.657	327
*See Figs. 2-4 for	r position of	pressure tap	s.				

TABLE III C FOR VARIOUS WIND DIRECTIONS ${\rm p_{rms}}$

Direction of wind - - - Southerly

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θ	=	+	6°	

 $\theta = -6^{\circ}$

Pressure Tap	C _p rms	Fluctuation Intensity %	Pressure Tap	C _p rms	Fluctuation Intensity %
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ASP2	.137	46	ASP3	.124	27
ASP5	.180	67	AEP1	.076	13
AEP3	.071	34	BEP1	.233	37
BWP1	.071	30	BEP2	.094	28
BWP4	.150	33	CEP1	.360	84
CNP1	.010	-	CEP2	.302	33
CWP5	.474	122	CEP3	.106	34
CWP6	.525	65	CEP4	.106	34
CWP7	.150	56	CWP6	.596	199
CWP8	.241		CWP7	.147	-
CWP9	.185	44			
DSP1	.281	156			
DEP1	.261	294			
DEP2	.335	39			
DEP3	.114	21			
DWP6	.281	35			

TABLE III C FOR VARIOUS WIND DIRECTIONS - Continued ${\rm p}_{\rm rms}$

Direction of wind - - - Northerly

 $\theta = + 6^{\circ}$

 $\theta = -6^{\circ}$

Pressure Tap	C _p rms	Fluctuation Intensity %	Pressure Tap	C _p rms	Fluctuation Intensity %
ANP1	.099	278	ASP1	.180	67
ASP1	.074	29	ASP2	.231	90
AEP1	.071	50	ASP3	.063	47
AEP2	.094	63	ASP4	.099	63
AEP3	.243	34	ASP5	.058	29
AWP1	.124	12	AEP3	.063	12
AWP2	.112	69	BSP1	.256	97
AWP3	.079	33	BSP2	.172	85
AWP4	.071	24	BEP1	.071	51
AWP5	.063	25	BEP2	.071	11
BSP1	.074	30	CSP1	.388	332
BEP1	.079	55	CSP2	.276	122
BEP2	.388	52	CSP3	.226	139
BWP1	.172	485	CSP4	.304	203
BWP2	.281	135	CEP3	.106	32
BWP3	.152	73	CEP5	.099	205
BWP4	.079	34	DSP4	.304	187
CSP2	.079	34	DEP3	.124	61
CEP4	.081	41	DEP4	.063	40
CEP5	.104	46	DEP5	.094	66
CWP1	.099	48			
CWP2	.251	116			
CWP3	.101	75			
CWP4	.241	231			
CWP5	.185	281			
CWP6	.106	49			
CWP7	.081	39			
CWP9	.073	52			
DNP1	.188	148			
DNP2	.013	41			
DSP1	.076	34			
DSP2	.074	35			
DSP3	.071	45			
DSP4	.086	62			
DEP1	.129	77			
DEP2	.076	35			
DEP3	.200	239			

TABLE	III	C	FOR	VARIOUS	WIND	DIRECTIONS	-	Continued
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Direction of wind - - - Northerly

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Pressure Tap	C prms	Fluctuation Intensity
DEP4	.106	43
DEP5	.096	38
DWP1	.117	67
DWP2	.101	51
DWP3	.132	55
DWP4	.281	171
DWP5	.274	200
DWP6	.089	46
DWP8	.094	41

 $\theta = + 6^{\circ} (Cont'd)$

TABLE III $\mbox{C}_{p_{\mbox{rms}}}$ FOR VARIOUS WIND DIRECTIONS - Continued

Direction of wind - - - Westerly

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Pressure Tap	C _p rms	Fluctuation Intensity %	Pressure Tap	C _p rms	Fluctuation Intensity %
AND 1	079	20	ASD1	180	100
ASD2	172	57	ASP1	.100	370
AFD1	.172	22	ASPZ	.231	18
AWP2	109	22	ASP J	.003	7/
REP2	.105	32	ASD5	.055	18
BWP 3	147	27	AED3	.050	22
CNP1	008	27	RSP1	256	171
CSP1	373	52	BSP2	172	43
CSP2	.345	1133	BEP1	071	26
CSP3	.256	210	BEP2	071	26
CSP4	.289	59	CSP1	388	87
CEP1	.152	34	CSP2	.276	~ ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~
CEP2	.071	28	CSP3	.226	370
CEP3	.106	47	CSP4	.304	75
CEP4	.074	32	CEP3	.106	37
CWP1	.203	57	CEP5	.099	37
CWP2	.302	90	DSP4	. 304	141
CWP3	.208	49	DEP3	.124	46
CWP4	.200	64	DEP4	.063	23
CWP5	.165	41	DEP5	.094	34
CWP6	.193	64			
CWP7	.175				
CWP8	.183				
DNP1	.074	33			
DNP2	.185	26			
DSP2	.335	112			
DEP1	.150	33			
DEP2	.081	33			
DWP2	.335	161			
DWP4	.200	110			

 $\theta = + 6^{\circ}$

 $\theta = -6^{\circ}$

TABLE III C FOR VARIOUS WIND DIRECTIONS - Continued prms Direction of wind - - - North Westerly

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Pressure Tap	C _p rms	Fluctuation Intensity %		Pressure Tap	C _p rms	Fluctuation Intensity %
ANP 1	.132	22		DSP4	.137	19
ASP1	.226	26		DEP1	.071	26
ASP2	.160	24		DEP2	.096	36
ASP3	.074	35		DEP3	.132	55
ASP4	.066	22		DEP4	.104	17
AEP1	.081	27		DEP5	.109	20
AEP2	.068	21		DWP2	.132	88
AEP3	.086	24		DWP3	.208	87
AWP1	.200	67				
AWP2	.137	186				
AWP 3	.101	24				
AWP4	.167	22				
AWP5	.167	37				
BSP1	.137	18				
BSP2	.150	23				
BEP1	.074	31				
BEP2	.094	29				
BWP1	.172	36				
BWP2	.251	65				
BWP3	.226	151				
BWP4	.142	47				
CSP2	.093	24				
CEP4	.101	21				
CWP1	.106	700				
CWP2	.106	51				
CWP 3	.183	600				
CWP4	.274	48				
CWP5	.325	217				
CWP6	.127	33				
CWP7	.134	32				
CWP9	.117	56				
DNP1	.165	541				
DNP2	.390	87				
DSP1	.099	13				
DSP2	.150	17				
DSP3	.132	49				
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140 .074 .254 .165 .086 .096	130	.079	.180	.188	.081	.094	
	140	.074	.254	.165	.086	.096	
150 .066 .281 .137 .081 .119	150	.066	.281	.137	.081	.119	
160 .071 .339 .109 .086 .205	160	.071	.339	.109	.086	.205	
170 .079 .347 .094 .101 .256	170	.079	.347	.094	.101	.256	
180 .081 .294 .079 .109 .248 Northerly	180	.081	.294	.079	.109	.248	Northerly
190 .094 .246 .081 .109 .218 Wind	190	.094	.246	.081	.109	.218	Wind
200 .081 .155 .079 .094 .292	200	.081	.155	.079	.094	.292	
210 .086 .127 .082 .109 .377	210	.086	.127	.082	.109	.377	
220 .101 .086 .086 .122 .299	220	.101	.086	.086	.122	.299	
230 .114 .071 .081 .157 .317	230	.114	.071	.081	.157	.317	
240 .137 .063 .079 .200 .256	240	.137	.063	.079	.200	.256	
250 .172 .061 .079 .200 .261	250	.172	.061	.079	.200	.261	
260 .281 .053 .114 .193 .274	260	.281	.053	.114	.193	.274	
270 .345 .056 .150 .185 .231 Westerly	270	.345	.056	.150	.185	.231	Westerly
280 .352 .051 .172 .170 .213 Wind	280	.352	.051	.172	.170	.213	Wind
290 .352 .061 .190 .157 .200	290	.352	.061	.190	.157	.200	
300 .259 .061 .188 .165 .162	300	.259	.061	.188	.165	.162	
310 .195 .074 .190 .200 .124	310	.195	.074	.190	.200	.124	
320 .208 .091 .216 .238 .104	320	.208	.091	.216	.238	.104	
330 .266 .096 .274 .281 .086	330	.266	.096	.274	.281	.086	
340 .233 .084 .327 .350 .079	340	.233	.084	.327	.350	.079	
350 .233 .071 .345 .520 .086	350	.233	.071	.345	.520	.086	

TABLE	IV	VARIATION OF	C _{prms}	WITH	AZIMUTH	ANGLE,	α
		FOR TYPICAL	PRESSURE	TAPS			







Fig. 1. Meteorological wind tunnel.











Fig. 5. Position of diffusion sampling taps on the north side.

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on North Side at Level 'B'

BND 5 - Diffusion Tap No. 5





CWD 8 -- Diffusion Tap No. 8 on West Side at Level 'C'





Fig. 7. Position of diffusion sampling taps on the south side.

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Position of diffusion sampling taps on the east side.

Fig. 8.

CED 2 - Diffusion Tap No. 2 on East Side at Level 'C'



Fig. 9. Model of Children's Hospital facility and the National Medical Center.







Fig. 11. Site plan showing underground parking area exhausts.





Fig. 13. Diffusion sampling and detection system.



Fig. 14. Approach flow velocity profile at a distance equivalent to 1000 ft upwind from Children's Hospital facility.



Fig. 15. Logrithmic representation of velocity profile.



Fig. 16. Power-law representation of velocity profile.













Fig. 20. Variation of non-dimensional concentration K_c (= -







facility due to parking area exhausts for various wind directions. Fig. 22. Variation of non-dimensional concentration K_c




































