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APPENDIX III

Analysis Using a FEM for a CANDU 6 Reactor Structure Assembly

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Table III-1 Selected Major Modes and Their Participation Factors*

Mode	Frequency		Participation Factors		Remarks
Number	Hz	Q _x	Q _y	Qz	
1	5.687	1.347	0.0	0.0	C/T transverse mode
2	5.689	0.0	1.091	0.0	C/T vertical mode
3	8.411	0.0	0.0	1.830	End shield axial mode
4 5	10.079	1.227	0.0	0.0	Calandria transverse mode
6	10.463	0.0	-0.016	0.004	Local mode
7	10.542	0.010	0.040	-0.223	Local mode
9	10.555	-0.063	0.0	-0.015	Local mode
10	11.192	0.0	0.0	-0.457	Significant C/S axial mode
14 15	11.525	-0.015	0.0	0.0	Local mode
16	1 4.480	0.0	0.903	-0.163	Calandria vertical mode
17	14.686	-0.076	0.053	0.0	Local mode
18	15.643	0.209	0.026	-0.016	Local mode
19	15.656	0.0	-0.453	0.259	Coupled axial/vertical mode
23 24	15.784	0.071	-0.108	-0.044	Local mode
25	15.843	0.018	-0.227	0.153	Coupled axial/vertical mode
26	17.017	-0.027	0.799	0.171	Calandria vertical mode
27	22.696	0.806	0.014	0.0	Calandria transverse mode
28 29	22.767	-0.137	0.46	0.091	Local mode
29 30	22.985	0.011	0.342	-0.225	Local mode
31	23.142	-0.028	0.122	0.164	Local mode
32	23.396	0.372	0.051	0.0	Local mode
39	23.706	-0.014	-0.462	0.296	Calandria vertical mode
40 41	23.769	0.0	2.368	0.015	Major calandria vertical mode
41	24.246	0.0	-1.21	-0.615	Calandria vertical mode
	24,706	0.012	0.0	0.029	Local mode
	29.631	0.0	0.412	-0.291	Local mode
	29.639	0.043	-0.015	0.015	Local mode
	30.031	0.0	-0.316	0.409	Axial/transverse coupled mode

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Table III-2 Selected Modal Weights

Mode	Frequency	Participation Factors			
Number	Hz	(MW) _X	(MW) _Y	(MW) _Z	Remarks
1	5.687	744	0.0	0.0	
2	5.689	0.0	488	0.0	
3	8.411	0.0	2.8	4,538,920	
4	10.079	4,863,867.	0.0	0.0	
5	10.463	1.8	5.8	0.0	
6	10.542	4.6	73.	2,283	
7	10.555	321	0.0	17.4	
9	11.191	0.0	90	390,854	
10	11.525	46	0.0	0.0	
14	14.480	1.2	128,726.	4,171	
15	14.686	983	485	6.9	
16	15.643	10,102	152	56	
17	15.656	2.8	59,744	19,576	
18	15.784	1,262	2,921	487	
19	15.843	37.7	6,047	2,745	
23	17.017	99	86,129	3,928	
24	22.696	426,780	130	2.1	
25	22,767	302	3,421	132	
26	22.985	1.9	1,717	741	
27	23.142	37	704	1,264	
28	23.396	3,619	67	0.0	
29	23.706	9.9	11,293	4,669	
30	23.769	13	2,760,994	107	
31	24.246	3.3	172,240	44,481	
32	24.709	6.5	0.0	38	
39	29.631	1.76	14,376	7,216	
40	29.639	146	17.6	17.7	
41	30.031	5	20,064	34,615	

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Table III-3 Calandria Tubes Lumped Parameters

Parameter		Value	Remarks
a .	Material Properties Modulus of Elasticity (E) Poisson's ratio	12.97 x 10 ⁶ psi 0.375	Zircaloy material
b.	Lumped Weights Weight in x direction (transverse). Weight in y direction (vertical). Weight in z direction (axial).	410.52 lbs 410.52 lbs 48 lbs	Equivalent weight Equivalent weight Calandria tube alone
C.	Geometrical Properties Area Polar moment of inertia moment of inertia	3.102 in_{4}^{2} 14.66 in ₄ 7.331 in	C/T alone Equivalent for pressure tube and CT

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Table III-4 Vault Model Parameters

	Va	Values		
Parameter	From Grade Floor to Vault Centre	From Vault Centre to RMD	Remarks	
a. Material Properties Modulus of elasticity Poisson's ratio Critical damping	40 x 10 ⁵ psi 0.15 5%	40 x 10 ⁵ psi 0.15 5%	Vault concrete properties	
b. Lumped Weight In x-direction In y-direction In z-direction	1383000.0 1185000.0 1246000.0	2392000.0 2862000.0 2172000.0	x = transverse y = vertical z = axial Global Coord.	
c. Geometrical Properties Area Polar moment of inertia Moment of inertia (I ₂) Moment of inertia (I ₃) Shear factor (SF2) Shear factor (SF3)	$55330.2 \text{ in}^{2}_{4}$ $154.71 \times 10_{7} \text{ in}_{4}$ $66.35 \times 10_{7} \text{ in}_{4}$ $88.36 \times 10 \text{ in}$ 0.55 0.42	$\begin{array}{c} 69196.3 \text{ in} \\ 171.63 \times 10, \text{ in}_{4} \\ 78.77 \times 10, \text{ in}_{4} \\ 92.86 \times 10, \text{ in} \\ 0.44 \\ 1.00 \end{array}$	Vault beam properties	

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Table III-5 Lumped Mass Model Weights

		Translational Weights (lb _f)			
Component	Node No. ⁽¹⁾	Axial	Transverse	Vertical	
End Wall	263	331,000	*	*	
Fixed End Shield	264	937,800	721,000	743,000	
Calandria Shell	265	121,000	590,000	862,000	
End Wall	266	331,000	*	*	
Free End Shield	267	937,800	721,000	743,000	
Calandria Tubes	268	10,000	156,000	156,000	
End Fitting	269	103,200	39,220	39,220	
End Fitting	270	103,200	39,220	39,220	
Vault Centre Line	251	1,246,000	1,383,000	1,185,000	
Vault Top	252	2,172,000	2,392,000	2,862,000	