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ABSTRACT

The tensile, compressive, shear and bearing properties of 18 samples of 2014, 6061, 7075, 7079 and 7178 aluminum alloy extrusions in the TX51X tempers have been determined. Ratios among these properties have been computed.

Results of fatigue and stress-corrosion tests made to date are summarized.

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SIXTH QUARTERLY REPORT

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FATIGUE, AND RESISTANCE TO STRESS-CORROSION CRACKING OF
STRESS-RELIEVED STRETCHED ALUMINUM ALLOY EXTRUSIONS

I. Introduction.

The tests being made under this contract are for use in establishing design mechanical properties in MIL-HDBK-5A, including stress-strain and tangent-modulus curves, for 2014, 2024, 6061, 7075, 7079 and 7178 aluminum alloy extrusions in the TX51X tempers. For comparison, a limited number of similar tests are being made of extrusions in the "heat-treated-by-user" temper. Also, some fracture-toughness, axial-stress fatigue and stress-corrosion tests are being made.

This Sixth Quarterly Report summarizes the results of tensile, compressive, shear and bearing tests made in the past three months on 18 samples in the TX51X tempers and the results of fatigue and stress-corrosion tests made to date on samples of extrusions in the TX51X and "heat-treated-by-user" tempers. The total number of samples tested to date is 143 in the TX51X temper and 28 in the "heat-treated-by-user" temper.

All of the samples of commercially-produced extrusions to be tested on this contract now have been received. However, because of the inevitable fluctuations in customer orders, certain combinations of alloy, temper and thickness originally ordered did not become available. But, with the number of

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extrusions received, the total number of tests required in the contract will be exceeded. Therefore, all unfilled orders have been cancelled.

It is planned that this will be the last quarterly report before issuance of the final report.

II. Material.

A total of 143 samples of commercially-produced extrusions in the TX51X temper and 24 samples in the O temper have been received from two producers. The section thickness and identification of each sample is shown in Table I. The 24 as-received samples in the O temper have been heat treated, or heat treated and aged, in accordance with applicable conditions in MIL-H-6088D. Six samples each of 2024-O and 7075-O were tested in two "heat-treated-by-user" tempers, so that the total number of samples tested in those tempers is 36.

III. Procedure.

The specimens and test procedures used are as outlined in the Fifth Quarterly Report, dated June 15, 1967.

IV. Summary.

The results of the tensile, compressive, shear and bearing tests made in the past three months on 18 samples of extrusions in the TX51X temper are shown in Table II. The tensile properties of all samples exceed the values in applicable Federal Specifications; the specified minimum tensile properties for extrusions are shown in Table III.

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The ratios among the tensile, compressive and shear properties of these extrusions are shown in Table IV and those of bearing to tensile properties are shown in Table V. The ratios among the properties at different locations with regard to thickness and width are shown in Table VI. The ratios among the bearing properties obtained using edgewise specimens to those obtained using flatwise specimens are shown in Table VII.

The tensile, compressive, shear and bearing (flatwise) tests of all the extrusions in the TX51X temper to be used in the contract have been completed. From the results of these tests the ratios of the various properties to the longitudinal tensile ultimate and yield values have been computed. Statistical analyses of these ratios are now being made to determine minimum ratios for use in computing "A" and "B" minimum design values for MIL-HDBK-5A.

All stress-strain tests have been completed. Minimum ("A" value) and typical tensile and compressive stress-strain and compressive tangent-modulus curves will be prepared on the basis of data from these tests and the minimum ratios now being determined by statistical analysis.

The results of the axial-stress fatigue tests ($R=0.0$) made to date are shown in Figs. 1 through 7.

The current status of the stress-corrosion tests for extrusions in the TX51X and "heat-treated-by-user" tempers is shown in Tables VIII and IX, respectively.

Presently, the remaining tensile, compressive, shear, bearing, fatigue, fracture-toughness and stress-corrosion

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specimens of samples in the TX51X tempers and "heat-treated-by-user" tempers are being machined or tested.

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V. Tables and Figures.

TABLE II
Mechanical Properties of Stress-relieved Standard Aluminum Alloy Extrusions
 API 615-2580

Section Number	Cross-Sectional Area, in. ²	Thickness, in.	Sample Location ¹	Tensile Yield Stress, psi	Tensile Strength, in. or lb.	Creep Yield Stress, psi	Shear Yield Stress, psi	Plastic Properties		Ultimate Stress, Field Stress, psi	Ultimate Stress, Yield Stress, psi
								201-T610	6061-T610	201-T610	6061-T610
0.668	3.4	.125	T/2,N/A	61,400	63,100	11.4	59,900	105,600	157,000	88,300	104,500
		.125	T/2,N/2	69,600	82,200	15.6	68,000	106,400	157,000	89,300	102,800
		.125	T/2,N/2	69,300	62,600	10.0	64,600	90,000	—	—	—
		.125	T/2,N/2	69,300	62,100	10.0	64,600	—	—	—	—
1.755	3.0	.125	T/2,N/A	69,500	62,400	11.8	61,600	103,300	134,900	90,100	106,200
		.125	T/2,N/2	68,900	62,100	11.0	63,000	105,400	132,400	93,800	129,800
		.125	T/2,N/2	68,800	63,400	11.0	63,900	105,400	132,400	90,600	104,400
		.125	T/2,N/2	67,900	61,700	5.7	63,900	40,600	—	100,600	132,400
		.125	T/2,N/2	66,600	60,600	—	60,600	—	—	—	—
0.180	1.6	.125	T/2,N/2	46,000	46,000	12.0	45,500	—	—	81,600	106,500
1.490	4.5	.125	T/2,N/2	43,900	43,400	20.0*	45,800	76,000	100,000	61,000	74,300
		.125	T/2,N/2	43,500	50,800	14.5	45,800	76,000	100,000	61,000	74,300
		.125	T/2,N/2	43,500	50,800	14.8	45,800	76,000	100,000	61,000	74,300
		.125	T/2,N/2	43,500	50,800	16.0	45,800	76,000	100,000	61,000	74,300
		.125	T/2,N/2	43,500	43,500	15.0	45,800	76,000	100,000	61,000	74,300
0.153	4.0	.125	T/2,N/2	66,400	77,900	10.0	65,900	—	—	127,800	159,000
		.125	T/2,N/2	68,500	79,600	10.0	65,900	—	—	132,900	158,700
		.125	T/2,N/2	68,500	79,600	10.0	65,900	—	—	113,500	135,600
		.125	T/2,N/2	68,500	79,600	10.0	65,900	—	—	—	—
1.188	27.1	.125	T/2,N/2	86,400	79,200	12.0	78,000	90,300	120,400	108,000	127,200
		.125	T/2,N/2	86,000	75,400	13.0	81,000	98,600	127,500	108,100	129,500
		.125	T/2,N/2	86,000	80,200	11.5	78,700	98,600	120,300	107,000	122,500
		.125	T/2,N/2	86,000	75,700	14.0	80,900	97,400	126,000	105,100	128,500
2.812	11.3	.125	T/2,N/2	90,400	81,600	10.5	81,300	98,400	127,800	102,300	122,900
		.125	T/2,N/2	88,300	79,300	10.0	77,700	95,300	121,800	105,300	121,800
		.125	T/2,N/2	88,300	79,300	10.0	77,700	95,300	121,800	105,300	121,800
		.125	T/2,N/2	71,000	65,300	7.1	71,000	45,100	—	—	—
		.125	T/2,N/2	71,000	65,300	7.1	71,000	45,100	—	—	—

TABLE II

TABLE II (Conc.)
MECHANICAL PROPERTIES OF STRESS-RELIEVED STRIPED ALUMINUM ALLOY EXTENSIONS
[APPENDIX 6(15)-2580]

Section Number	Cross- Sectional Area, in. ²	Ultimate Tensile Elong. in Inches, Stress, * psi.	Location* Direction*	Shear Ultimate Stress, psi.	Comp. Yield Stress, psi.	Ultimate Stress, Yield Stress**					
						Ultimate Stress, Yield Stress***			Ultimate Stress, Yield Stress***		
						at 0.5% Offset	at 0.2% Offset	at 0.1% Offset	at 0.5% Offset	at 0.2% Offset	at 0.1% Offset
5.000	30.0	340563	T/4, 4/8	1.5 ^b	86,700	77,900	52,900	31,600	97,800	87,600	116,700
			T/2, 4/2	1.5 ^b	85,800	78,700	53,400	32,500	98,600	87,700	115,700
			ST	75,700	71,900	52,800	32,500	97,900	87,600	115,700	
1.168	27.1	356412	T/2, 4/8	1.5 ^b	74,600	63,600	42,900	22,000	108,700	100,600	116,100
			T/2, 4/2	1.5 ^b	72,500	64,600	42,900	22,000	108,700	100,600	116,100
			ST	73,700	65,700	42,900	22,000	108,700	100,600	116,100	
2.812	11.2	340536	T/4, 4/8	1.5 ^b	74,400	66,700	42,700	22,000	108,700	100,600	116,100
			T/2, 4/2	1.5 ^b	75,600	64,700	42,700	22,000	108,700	100,600	116,100
			ST	73,200	64,700	42,700	22,000	108,700	100,600	116,100	
3.070	28.3	340532	T/4, 4/8	1.5 ^b	76,100	66,600	42,900	22,000	108,700	100,600	116,100
			T/2, 4/2	1.5 ^b	75,200	66,600	42,900	22,000	108,700	100,600	116,100
			ST	75,500	61,700	42,900	22,000	108,700	100,600	116,100	
5.000	30.0	340504	T/4, 4/8	1.5 ^b	72,700	62,400	42,700	22,000	108,700	100,600	116,100
			T/2, 4/2	1.5 ^b	71,700	62,400	42,700	22,000	108,700	100,600	116,100
			ST	68,300	52,600	42,900	22,000	108,700	100,600	116,100	
0.390	0.45	340490	T/2	L	70,500	72,000	11.0	74,500	--	122,500	115,800
0.535	1.8	340532	T/2, 4/8	L	88,400	82,500	12.0	82,900	48,300	126,900	112,300
			ST	89,700	82,900	12.0	82,900	48,300	126,900	112,300	
			T/2, 4/2	L	85,900	78,400	12.0	80,200	46,200	122,900	119,700
			ST	77,400	70,800	10.0	76,500	46,000	122,900	117,500	
			T/2, 4/8	L	85,900	82,400	12.0	82,900	48,300	126,900	112,300
			ST	86,500	77,200	8.0	85,000	47,600	126,900	117,500	
			T/2, 4/2	L	85,500	79,800	9.0	85,800	--	129,900	119,100
0.065	0.72	340491	T/2	L	85,500	82,200	9.0	84,800	--	126,800	126,900
0.290	3.6	340516	T/2	L	89,700	82,900	10.5	85,200	52,800	129,800	116,500
			ST	89,700	79,700	10.5	85,200	52,800	129,800	116,500	
1.188	27.1	340519	T/2, 4/8	L	86,900	96,400	10.5	86,200	52,800	127,600	112,100
			T/2, 4/2	L	86,900	92,600	10.5	86,800	51,500	126,900	117,000
			ST	86,900	86,800	12.0	88,800	52,800	125,700	118,500	
1.500	11.2	340517	T/2, 4/8	L	88,700	85,700	10.0	82,400	50,000	120,300	114,500
			T/2, 4/2	L	86,900	84,400	10.0	86,500	49,500	120,300	114,500
			ST	86,500	77,200	8.0	87,000	47,600	126,900	117,500	
			T/2, 4/8	L	86,500	79,800	9.0	86,800	47,600	126,900	117,500
			ST	87,000	77,200	8.0	87,000	47,600	126,900	117,500	

* T = Thickness; W = Width
† L = Longitudinal; L = Width-Transverse; ST = Short-Transverse
‡ Offset equals 0.2 per cent
§ Producer G. all parts from Producer A
** Specimen and Particles Cleared Ultra-centrifugally in Toluene + solvent
|| Offset equals 2 per cent of producer's specimen
||| Offset equals 1.75 per cent of producer's specimen
||| I-In. = Inch; ft-In. = Foot-Inch

TABLE II (Conc.)

TABLE III
SPECIFIED MINIMUM VALUES* FOR ALUMINUM ALLOY EXTRUSIONS
[AF33(615)-3580]

Alloy and Temper	Thickness, in.	Area, sq. in.	Tensile			Federal Specification
			Ultimate Stress, psi	Yield Stress, psi	Elongation, %	
2014-T62	≤ 0.749	All	60 000	53 000	7	
-T6510	≤ 0.499	All	60 000	53 000	7	QQ-A-200/2b
	0.500-0.749	All	64 000	58 000	7	
	≥ 0.750	≥ 25	68 000	60 000	7	
2024-T3510, -T3511	≤ 0.249	All	57 000	42 000	12	
	0.250-0.749	All	60 000	44 000	12	
	0.750-1.499	All	65 000	46 000	10	
	≤ 1.500	≥ 25	70 000	52 000	10	
	≤ 1.500	> 25, ≤ 32	68 000	48 000	8	
-T42	≤ 0.749	All	57 000	38 000	12	QQ-A-200/3b
	≤ 1.500	≥ 25	57 000	38 000	10	
-T8510, -T8511	0.050-0.249	All	64 000	56 000	4	
	0.250-1.499	All	66 000	58 000	5	
	≤ 1.500	≥ 32	66 000	58 000	5	
-T62	≤ 0.749	--	--	--	--	None
	≤ 1.500	--	--	--	--	
6061-T62*, -T6510	≤ 0.249	All	38 000	35 000	8**	QQ-A-200/8b
	≤ 0.250	All	38 000	35 000	10	
7075-T62*, -T6510	≤ 0.249	All	78 000	70 000	7	QQ-A-200/11b
	0.250-0.499	All	81 000	73 000	7	
	0.500-2.999	All	81 000	72 000	7	
	3.000-4.499	≤ 20	81 000	71 000	7	
	3.000-4.499	> 20, ≤ 32	78 000	70 000	6	
	4.500-5.000	≥ 32	78 000	68 000	6	
-T73, -T73510	≤ 0.249	--	--	--	--	None
	0.250-0.499	--	--	--	--	
	0.500-1.499	--	--	--	--	
	1.500-2.999	--	--	--	--	
	3.000-4.499	--	--	--	--	
	4.500-5.000	--	--	--	--	
7079-T62*, -T6510	≤ 0.249	≤ 20	75 000	67 000	7	QQ-A-200/12b
	0.250-0.499	≤ 20	77 000	68 000	7	
	0.500-1.499	≤ 20	78 000	70 000	7	
7178-T62*, -T6510	≤ 0.061	≤ 20	79 000**	73 000**	5	QQ-A-200/13
	0.250-1.499	≤ 20	82 000**	74 000**	5	
	0.062-0.249	≤ 20	84 000**	76 000**	5	
	0.250-1.499	≤ 25	87 000**	78 000**	5	
	1.500-2.499	≤ 25	86 000	77 000**	5	

* All values are as shown in the Aluminum Association Booklet, "Standards for Aluminum Mill Products," 1967.

† Offset equals 0.2 per cent.

‡ In QQ-A-200/8b, 11b, 12b and 13, values for T6 temper apply also for extrusions heat treated and aged by user (T62 temper).

** Lower than in Federal specifications.

TABLE III

TABLE IV
RATIOS AMONG THE TENSILE COMpressive AND SHEAR PROPERTIES
OF STRESS-STRENGTHENED STRETCHED ALUMINUM ALLOY EXTRUSIONS
AF33(615)-3580

Sample Number	Section thickness, in.	Cross-sectional area, in. ²	Location*	Tensile		Compressive		Shear	
				Tensile stress, psi	Tensile stress, psi	Compressive stress, psi	Compressive stress, psi	Shear stress, psi	Shear stress, psi
0.628	3.4	340486*	T/2, W/2	0.86	--	0.98	--	1.01	1.03
			T/2, W/2	0.86	--	0.98	--	1.01	1.03
1.755	7.2	340487†	T/2, W/2	0.99	--	0.98	--	0.97	1.03
			T/2, W/2	0.99	--	0.98	--	0.97	1.03
0.180	1.6	3404882	T/2, W/2	0.88	--	0.94	--	1.01	0.99
1.490	4.5	340489†	T/2, W/2	0.91	--	0.89	--	1.01	0.95
0.153	4.0	340490	T/2	1.02	--	1.02	--	1.10	1.10
1.188	27.1	326911*	T/2, W/2	0.97	--	0.95	--	0.98	1.02
			T/2, W/2	0.97	--	0.95	--	0.98	1.02
2.812	11.3	340494	T/2, W/2	0.88	--	0.85	--	1.01	0.92
			T/2, W/2	0.88	--	0.85	--	1.01	0.92
5.000	30.0	340503	T/2, W/2	0.86	--	0.82	--	1.01	0.90
			T/2, W/2	0.86	--	0.82	--	1.01	0.90
1.188	27.1	326912	T/2, W/2	0.98	--	1.02	--	1.05	1.05
			T/2, W/2	0.99	--	0.98	--	1.05	1.05
2.812	11.3	340495	T/2, W/4	0.92	--	0.91	--	1.02	0.97
			T/2, W/2	0.92	--	0.90	--	1.02	0.95
3.090	24.3	340592	T/4, W/2	0.95	--	0.95	--	1.00	0.98
			T/2, W/2	0.94	--	0.93	--	1.00	0.98
5.000	30.0	340504	T/2, W/4	0.92	--	0.89	--	1.02	0.95
			T/2, W/2	0.93	--	0.89	--	1.00	0.95
0.080	0.45	340490†	T/2	--	--	1.02	--	--	--
0.535	1.8	340532	T/2, W/2	0.96	--	0.84	--	1.00	0.98
			T/2, W/2	0.92	--	0.90	--	1.02	0.98
0.065	0.33	340491	T/2	0.96	--	0.96	--	1.02	1.03
0.390	3.6	340506	T/2	0.98	--	0.95	--	0.99	1.03
1.188	27.1	326919	T/2, W/4	0.97	--	0.95	--	0.98	1.03
			T/2, W/2	0.97	--	0.95	--	0.98	1.03
1.500	11.3	340557	T/2, W/2	0.98	--	0.93	--	0.97	1.00
			T/2, W/2	0.98	--	0.91	--	0.95	0.98

* T - Thickness, W - Width
† Producer B; all others from Producer A

TABLE IV

TABLE V
RATIOS OF BEARING TO TENSILE PROPERTIES OF STRESS-BELEIVED STRENGTHED
ALUMINUM ALLOY EXTRUSIONS

Sample	Section Cross-thickness, in.	Sectional Number	Location*	Bearing Tensile Ratio							
				2014-T6510							
0.628	3.4	340486+	T/2, W/2	1.48	1.92	1.38	1.62	--	--	--	--
			T/2, W/2	1.50	1.40	1.62	1.62	--	--	--	--
1.755	7.2	340487+	T/2, W/2	1.52	1.97	1.42	1.68	--	--	--	--
			T/2, W/2	1.55	1.92	1.43	1.65	--	--	--	--
0.180	1.6	340482	T/2	1.66	2.14	1.53	1.70	6061-T6510	--	--	--
			T/2	1.61	1.83	1.21	1.57	--	--	--	--
1.490	4.5	340489+	T/2, W/2	1.43	1.86	1.26	1.52	--	--	--	--
			T/2, W/2	1.43	1.86	1.26	1.52	--	--	--	--
0.153	4.0	340390	T/2	1.48	1.84	1.44	1.63	1.53	1.84	1.45	1.74
			T/2	1.48	1.87	1.36	1.57	1.49	1.82	1.36	1.76
1.188	27.1	326911	T/2, W/2	1.51	1.87	1.35	1.53	1.45	1.78	1.34	1.76
			T/2, W/2	1.51	1.87	1.35	1.53	1.45	1.78	1.34	1.76
2.812	11.3	340494	T/2, W/2	1.41	1.76	1.22	1.47	--	--	--	--
			T/2, W/2	1.38	1.76	1.20	1.44	--	--	--	--
5.000	30.0	340503	T/2, W/2	1.36	1.75	1.26	1.51	1.31	1.72	1.27	1.59
			T/2, W/2	1.36	1.75	1.27	1.51	1.31	1.72	1.27	1.59
1.188	27.1	326912	T/2, W/2	1.51	1.95	1.42	1.72	1.51	1.97	1.43	1.73
			T/2, W/2	1.50	1.93	1.42	1.72	1.51	1.96	1.43	1.73
2.112	11.3	340592	T/2, W/2	1.49	1.82	1.35	1.57	--	--	--	--
			T/2, W/2	1.47	1.82	1.35	1.57	--	--	--	--
3.000	24.3	340504	T/2, W/2	1.48	1.90	1.40	1.60	1.48	1.88	1.36	1.77
			T/2, W/2	1.45	1.85	1.39	1.69	1.42	1.85	1.35	1.77
5.000	30.0	340504	T/2, W/2	1.43	1.89	1.35	1.60	1.45	1.95	1.37	1.88
			T/2, W/2	1.45	1.88	1.37	1.61	1.45	1.95	1.37	1.88
0.080	0.45	340490	T/2	1.56	1.98	1.40	1.59	--	--	--	--
			T/2	1.44	1.84	1.35	1.52	--	--	--	--
0.524	1.8	340532	T/2, W/2	1.46	1.90	1.37	1.50	--	--	--	--
			T/2, W/2	1.46	1.90	1.37	1.50	--	--	--	--
								2229-T6510			
0.065	0.33	340491	T/2	1.41	1.88	1.49	1.53	--	--	--	--
			T/2	1.41	1.77	1.21	1.50	1.41	1.76	1.35	1.66
0.390	3.6	340506	T/2	1.41	1.77	1.21	1.50	1.41	1.76	1.35	1.66
			T/2	1.40	1.77	1.21	1.50	1.41	1.76	1.35	1.66
1.188	27.1	326919	T/2, W/2	1.50	1.71	1.36	1.53	1.48	1.75	1.32	1.68
			T/2, W/2	1.48	1.71	1.32	1.52	1.45	1.75	1.32	1.68
< 1.500	11.3	340557	T/2, W/2	1.40	1.75	1.28	1.50	1.40	1.70	1.28	1.69
			T/2, W/2	1.41	1.76	1.29	1.51	1.41	1.71	1.29	1.69
								2228-T6510			
								--	--	--	--

* T = Thickness; W = Width
† Producer B; all others from producer A

Note: L = Longitudinal; LF = Long-Transverse

TABLE VI
RATIOS AMONG THE MECHANICAL PROPERTIES AT DIFFERENT LOCATIONS
IN STRESS-RELIEVED STRETCHED ALUMINUM ALLOY EXTRUSIONS
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Alloy and Temper	Sample		Section Thickness, in.	Sectional Area, in. ²	Number	Direction*	Location†	Tensile Ultimate Stress	Tensile Yield Stress	Compressive Yield Stress	Shear Ultimate Stress	Ultimate Stress	Bearing Yield Stress	
	Cross-	Long-												
2014-T6510	0.628	3.4	3404366*	L	W/2/tw/4	0.99	0.99	0.99	0.99	0.99	0.99	1.01	0.98	
	1.755	7.2	3404370*	L	TW/2/tw/4	1.00	1.00	1.02	0.96	1.02	0.98	1.01	0.98	
6061-T6510	1.490	4.5	3404489*	L	W/2/tw/4	0.98	0.97	0.97	1.05	0.99	0.99	1.01	1.00	
7075-T6510	1.188	27.1	340414	L	W/2/tw/4	1.01	1.01	1.00	--	0.99	0.97*	0.97	--	
	2.812	11.3	3404494	L	TW/2/tw/4	0.98	0.97	0.97	--	0.98	1.03*	1.00	1.00	
	5.000	30.0	340503	L	TW/2/tw/4	0.97	0.96	0.96	--	0.98	0.99	0.99	0.99	
	7075-T75510	1.188	27.1	3404912	L	W/2/tw/4	1.01	1.02	0.99	0.99	1.00	0.98*	1.01	0.97*
		2.812	11.3	3404495	L	TW/2/tw/4	1.02	1.02	1.01	0.99	1.01	1.00	1.01	1.01
		3.090	24.3	340392	L	TW/4/tw/2	0.98	0.98	0.98	0.97	0.99	1.00	1.01	1.01
		5.000	30.0	340504	L	TW/2/tw/4	0.98	0.97	0.97	0.96	0.97	0.97	0.98	0.98
	7075-T6510	0.555	1.8	340532	L	W/2/tw/4	0.97	0.95	0.95	0.95	0.97	0.97	1.03	1.03
	7176-T6510	1.183	27.1	340515	L	W/2/tw/4	1.00	1.00	1.01	1.01	1.02	1.02	1.01	1.01
		1.500	11.3	340557	L	W/2/tw/4	0.98	0.98	0.97	0.97	0.99	1.01	1.01	1.01

* L - Longitudinal; LT - Long Transverse
† t - Thickness; W - Width
‡ Edgewise bearing specimens; others - flatwise specimens
Producer B; all others from Producer A

TABLE VI

TABLE VII

RATIO OF BEARING PROPERTIES IN THE EDGEWISE DIRECTION TO THOSE IN THE FLATWISE DIRECTION FOR ALUMINUM ALLOY EXTRUSIONS
[AF33(615)-3580]

Alloy and Temper	Section Thickness, in.	Cross-Sectional Area, in. ²	Number	Location*	Direction†	Edgewise/BYSE(F)			
						BYS(E)/BYS(F) $e/D=1.5$	BYS(E)/BYS(F) $e/D=2.0$	BYS(E)/BYS(F) $e/D=1.5$	
6061-T6510	1.490	4.5	340489‡	T/2,W/4	L	0.98	0.97	0.99	
7075-T6510	1.188	27.1	326914	T/2,W/4	L	0.98	0.95	0.96	
				T/2,W/2	L	0.84	0.91	0.93	
2.812	11.3	340494	T/4,W/4	L	0.88	0.94	0.95	0.96	
5.000	30.0	340503	T/2,W/2	L	0.87	0.99	0.95	1.00	
			T/4,W/4	L	0.96	0.98	1.00	1.01	
			T/2,W/2	L	0.98	0.94	0.95	0.99	
7075-T73510	1.188	27.1	326912	T/2,W/4	L	0.90	0.95	0.96	1.01
			T/2,W/2	L	0.91	0.92	0.93	0.96	
2.812	11.3	340495	T/4,W/4	L	0.88	0.99	0.97	0.99	
3.090	24.3	340392	T/4,W/4	L	0.97	0.98	1.00	1.00	
			T/2,W/2	L	0.95	0.95	0.95	0.95	
			T/4,W/4	L	0.95	0.95	0.95	0.95	
5.000	30.0	340504	T/2,W/2	L	0.91	0.92	1.04	1.01	
			T/4,W/4	L	0.96	0.95	0.96	0.97	
			T/2,W/2	L	0.94	0.91	0.96	1.03	
7178-T6510	1.188	27.1	326919	T/2,W/4	L	0.99	1.00	1.00	1.01
			T/2,W/2	L	0.84	0.94	0.94	0.99	
1.500	11.3	340557	T/2,W/4	L	0.82	0.95	0.92	0.93	
			T/2,W/2	L	0.87	0.91	0.96	1.01	
			T/2,W/2	L	0.86	0.91	0.95	0.93	
			T/2,W/2	L	0.88	0.98	0.96	1.00	
			T/2,W/2	L	0.83	0.93	0.95	0.99	

* T - Thickness; W - Width

† L - Longitudinal; LT - Long Transverse

‡ Producer B; all others from Producer A

TABLE VII

TABLE VIII
RESISTANCE TO STRESS-CORROSION CRACKING OF STRESS-RELIEVED STAMPED ALUMINUM ALLOY EXTRUSIONS
Exposure: 2.5% NaCl Solution by Alternating Immersion
Stressed - 75% Yield Strength
[AF33(615)-3280]

Alloy	Section Thickness, Inches	Number	Longitudinal			Longitudinal			Short Transverse			
			P/N†	Dayett	Per Cent Loss in Tensile Strength‡	P/N†	Dayett	Per Cent Loss in Tensile Strength‡	P/N†	Dayett	Per Cent Loss in Tensile Strength‡	
2014-T5510	0.250 0.525 1.755	340154 340486 340487*	0/2 0/2 0/2	84 84 84	5 27	2/2 0/2 0/2	2, 2*** 84 84 (OR84)	— — —	— — —	2/2 2/2 2/2	— — —	
2024-T5510	0.255 0.510 0.965 1.200 2.760 4.000	317942 317926 317944 316946 316946 340214**	0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2	84 84 84 84 84 84	28 34 18 14 12 27	0/2 0/2 2/2 2/2 2/2 2/2	22 42 18 12 12 —	— — — — — —	— — — — — —	2/2 2/2 1/2 2/2 1/2 2/2	— — — — — —	
2024-T9510	0.255 0.510 0.965 1.200 2.760 4.000	317890 317892 317893 317895 316979 340225**	0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2	84 84 84 84 84 84	48 48 48 48 48 48	0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2	24 84 84 84 84 84	6 7 7 9 10 17	— — — — — —	— — — — — —	1/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2	— — — — — —
6061-T5510	0.315 0.215 1.240 1.960 3.000	317953 316927 317907 317927 317927	0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2	84 84 84 84 84	0 0 0 0 0	0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2	0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2	0 0 0 0 0	— — — — —	— — — — —	— — — — —	
7075-T5510	0.375 0.415 0.935 1.188 2.190 3.040 3.090 5.000	317954 317859 316915 316960 316960 318337 318338 340291 340291	0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2	84 84 84 84 84 84 84 84	5 5 5 5 5 5 5 5	0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2	17 (OR84) 72 (OR84)	7 7	— —	— —	1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2	— — — — — — — —
7075-T73510	0.275 0.435 0.925 1.000 3.000 5.000	317900 317920 340292 340299 340299 340294	0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2	84 84 84 84 84 84	0 0 0 0 0 0	0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2	0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2	0 0 0 0 0 0	— — — — — —	— — — — — —	— — — — — —	
7079-T5510	0.251 0.500 0.625 1.200 1.500 2.180	340252 340424 340292 317997 316939 340277	0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2	84 84 84 84 84 84	9 10 10 10 10 11	0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 2/2	84 84 (OR84) 84 3, 7 7, 7	— — — — — —	— — — — — —	0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2 2/2	— — — — — —	
7175-T5510	0.625 1.200 1.500 2.180	317997 316939 340277 318340	0/2 0/2 0/2 0/2	84 84 84 84	— — — —	— — — —	— — — —	— — — —	— — — —	2/2 2/2 0/2 2/2	— — — —	

† P/N denotes number of specimens failed over number exposed.

†† Tests in progress for periods shown, with maximum duration of 84 days.

††† Results are average values for tension tests of specimen which did not fail by stress-corrosion cracking.

‡ Short transverse yield strengths determined by tests of duplicate 0.050" or 0.160" diameter tension specimens.

** The directionality of these sections is being determined mettallographically.

*** Failure occurred outside the reduced section beneath the protective coating used to isolate all parts of the stressing frame.

§ Accumulated corrosion products prevented detection of these failures until specimens were chemically cleared at termination of the exposure period.

TABLE VIII

TABLE IX
RESISTANCE TO STRESS-CORROSION CRACKING OF ALUMINUM ALLOY EXTRUSIONS
IN THE "HEAT-TREATED-BY-USER" TEMPER
Exposure: 3.5% NaCl Solution by Alternate Immersion
Stressed - 75% Yield Strength
[AE23(615)-3280]

Alloy	Section Thickness, inches	Number	Longitudinal			Short Transverse			Short Transv. Life
			P/N*	Days**	Per Cent Loss in Tensile Strength***	P/N*	Days**	Per Cent Loss in Tensile Strength***	
2014-T6c	0.300	318084	1/2	24** (OK@4)	11	1/2	24** (OK@4)	13	--
2024-T4c	0.420	340241	0/2	84	0/2	2/2	84	2,2	2/2 ^{at 1/2"}
2024-T5c	0.562	340245	0/2	84	0/2	0/2	84	--	0/2
6061-T6c	0.420	340242	0/2	84	0/2	C/2	84	--	0/2
6061-T6c	2.562	340246	0/2	84	0/2	0/2	84	--	0/2
6061-T6c	0.246	318090	0/2	84	0/2	0/2	84	2	0/2
7075-T6	1.625	318091*	0/2	84	2	0/2	84	1	0/2
7075-T6	0.350	318096	0/2	84	6	0/2	84	7	2/2
7075-T7?	1.225	318098*	0/2	84	4	0/2	84	6	2/2
7075-T7?	0.250	318097	0/2	84	2	0/2	84	4	0/2
7178-T6	1.225	318099*	0/2	84	1	0/2	84	5	0/2
7178-T6	0.402	340249	2/2	37, 42	--	2/2	37, 42	--	--

* P/N denotes number of specimens failed over number exposed.

** Tests in progress for periods shown, with maximum duration of 84 days.

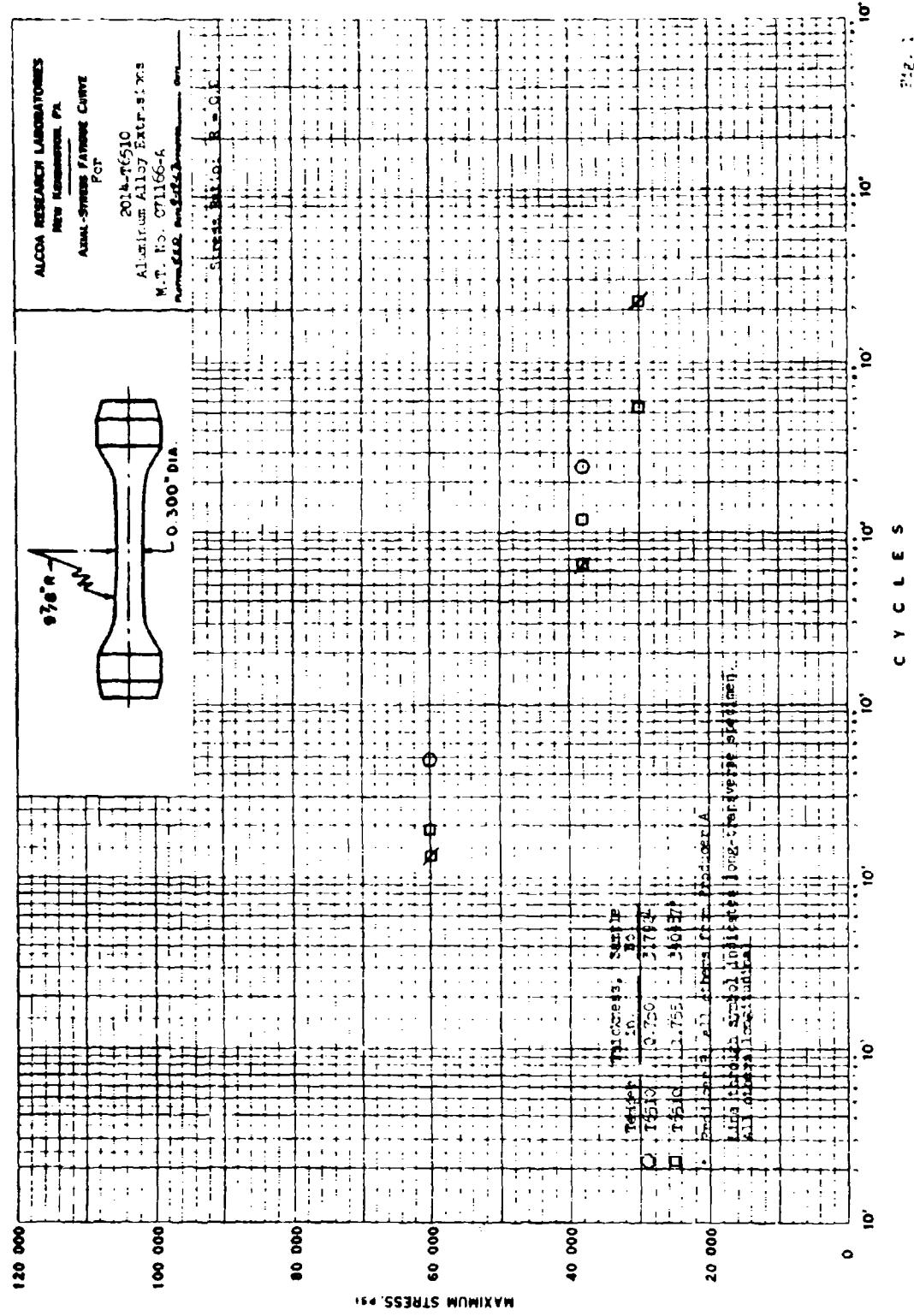
*** Results are average values for tension tests of specimens which did not fail by stress-corrosion cracking.

** Short transverse yield strength as determined by tests of duplicate 0.050" diameter tension specimens.

* Failure occurred outside the reduced section beneath the protective coating used to isolate all parts of the stressing frame.

† Accumulated corrosion products prevented ready detection of these failures. Specimens were chemically cleaned to confirm suspected failure.

TABLE IX



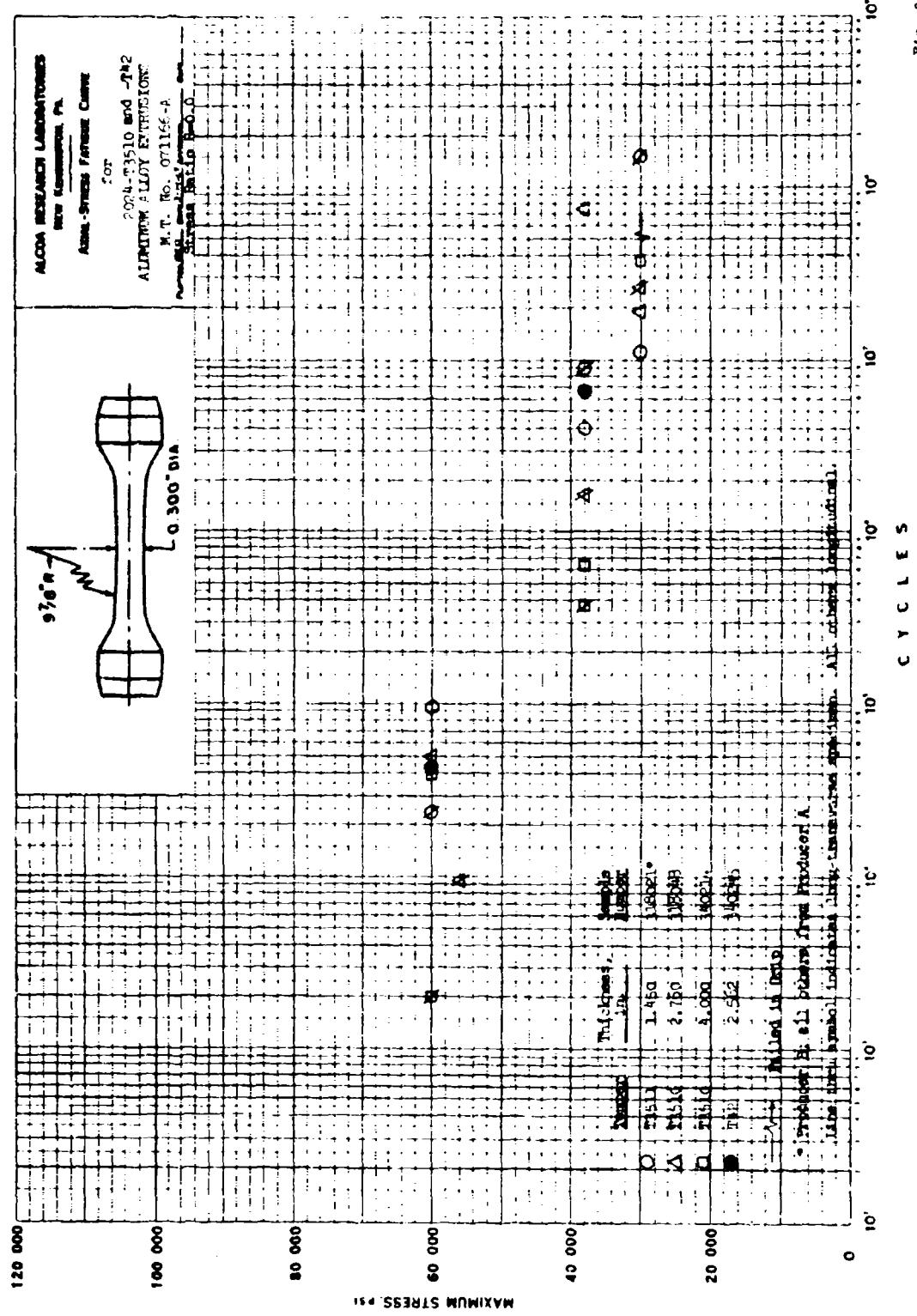
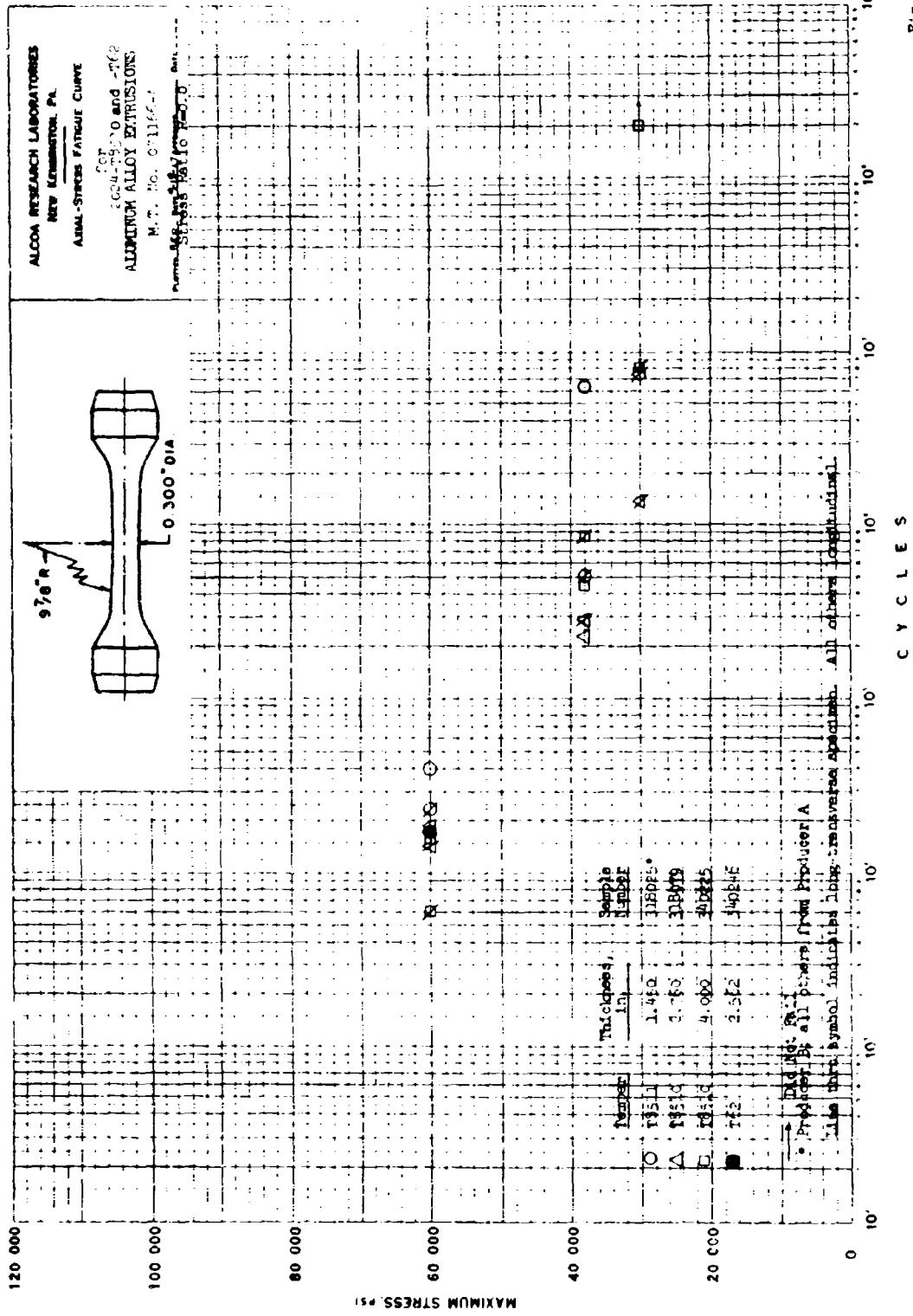


FIG. 2



P.F.G. 3

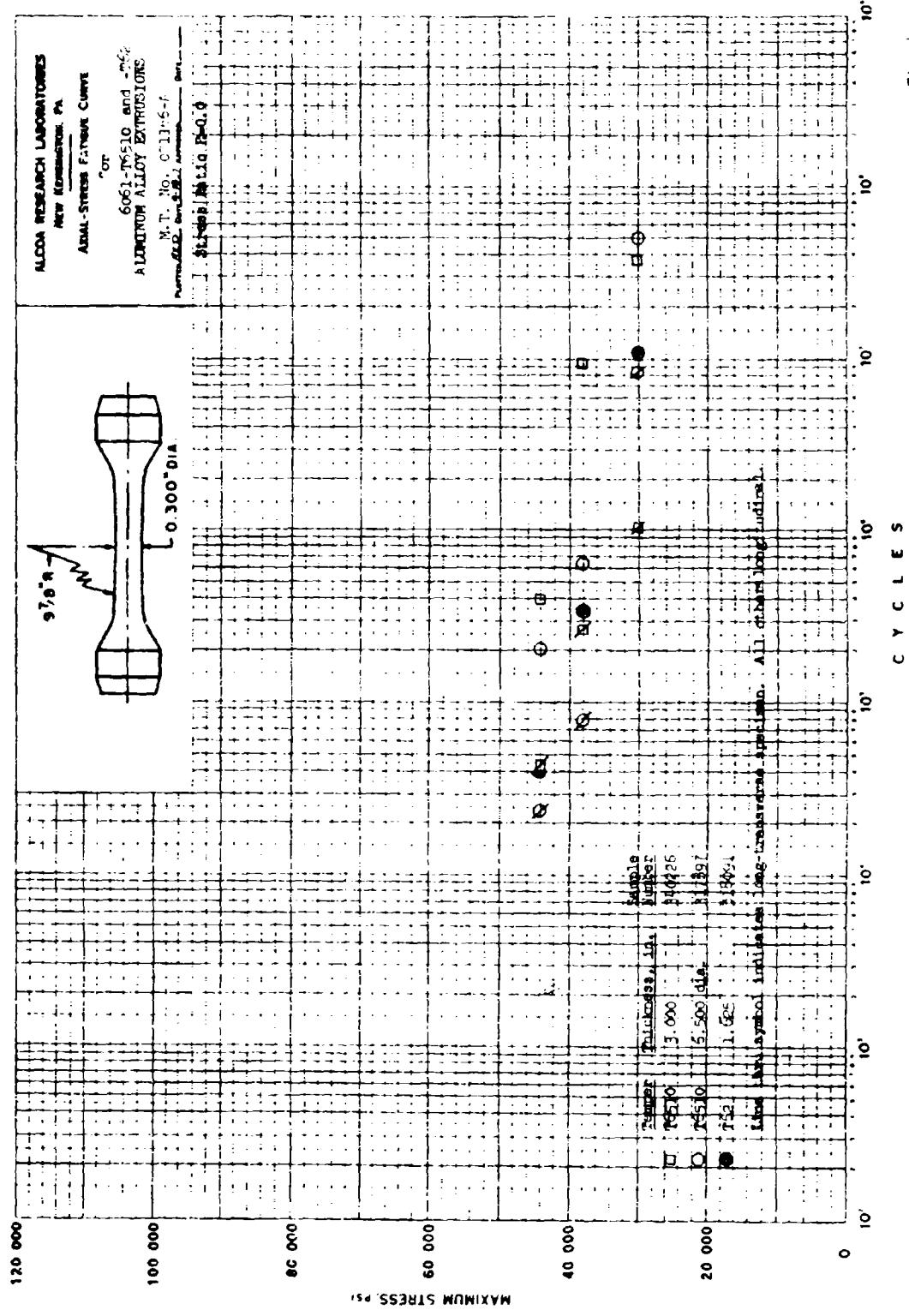
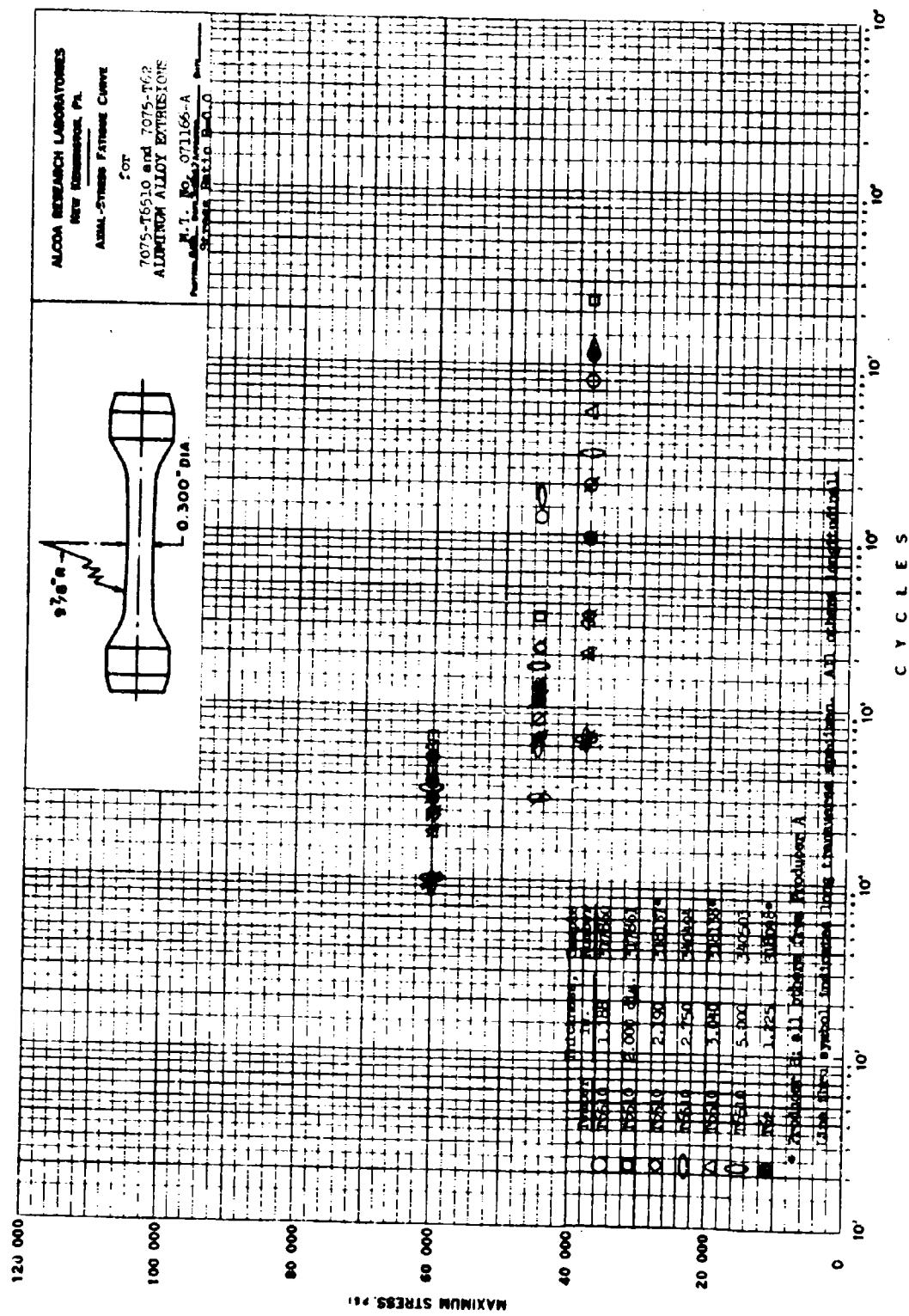
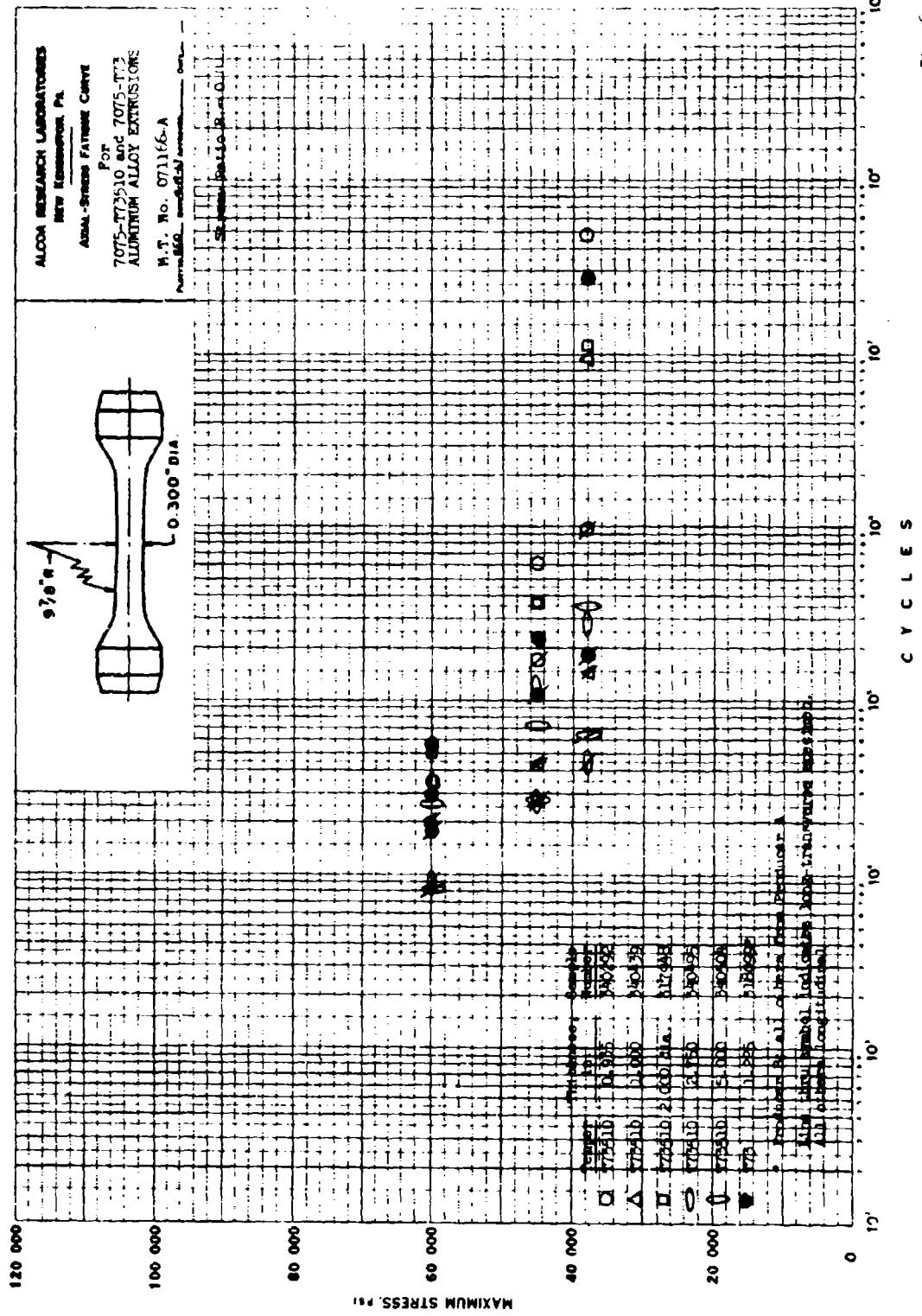


FIG. 5





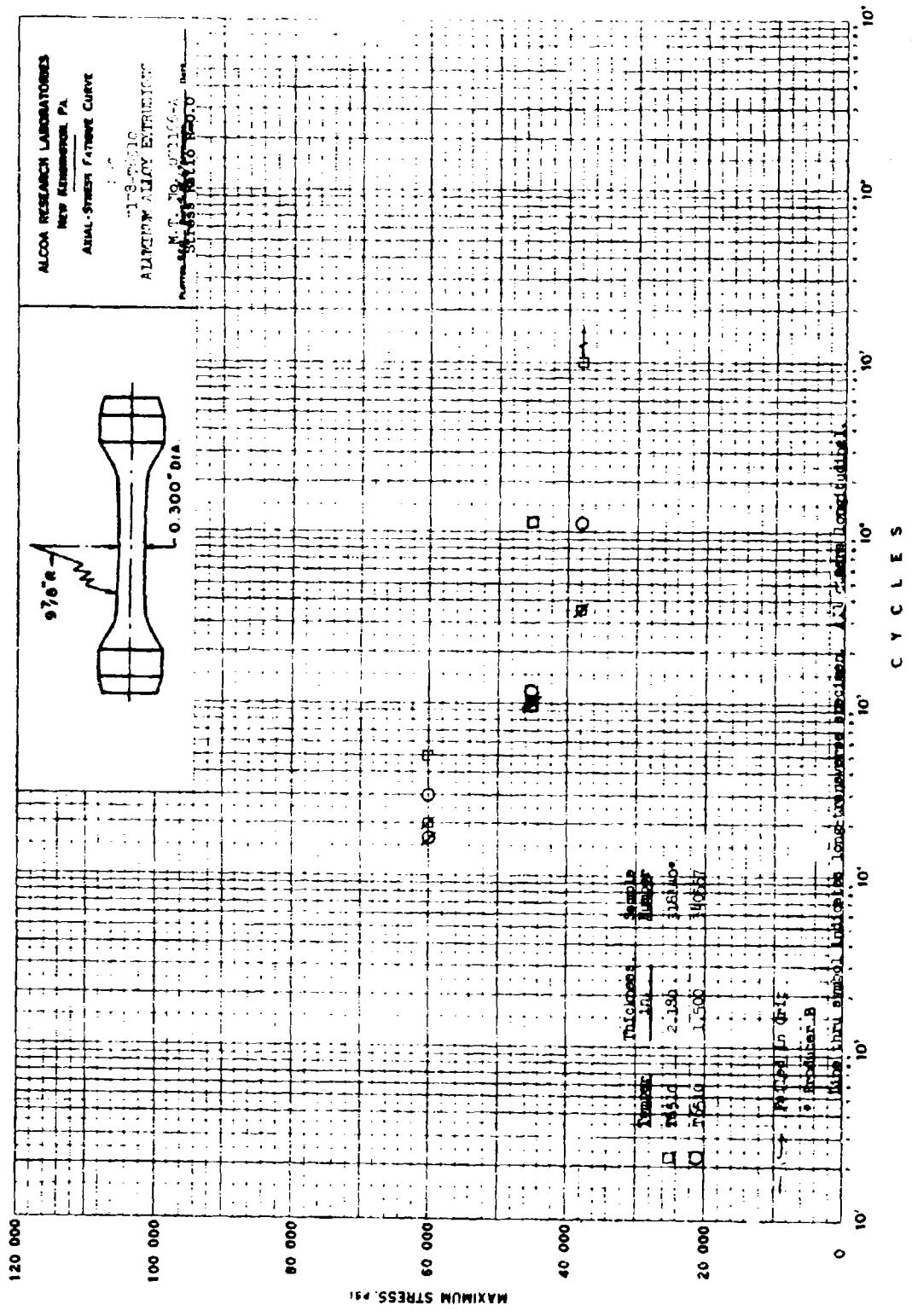


FIG. 7