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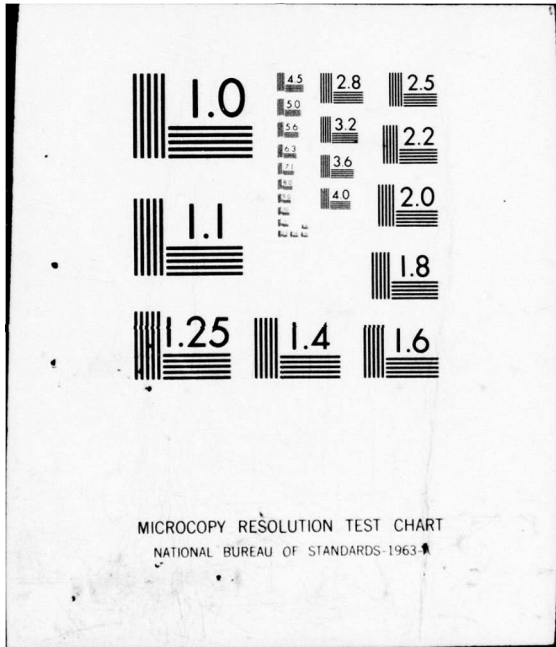
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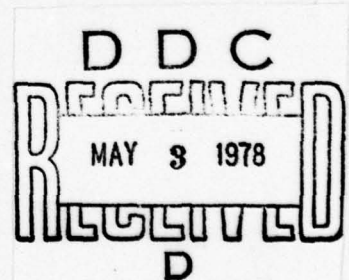
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Introduction

During the past decade, the urgent need for incorporating nondestructive testing and evaluation considerations directly into the engineering design process has been amply illustrated by material failures in aerospace, electric power and transportation industry equipment. The economic impact of such failures is well documented¹⁻⁴ and provides a major impetus to improve all aspects of the nondestructive testing art. Considerable progress has been made toward this end through such efforts as the ARPA/AFML program⁵. Although the work has concentrated primarily on ultrasonic techniques, much of the research philosophy developed for the program with regard to the study of basic phenomena⁶, development of models⁷, signature identification by signal processing⁸ and the subsequent accept/reject decision founded on a knowledge of fracture mechanics and related failure probabilities could and should be applied to other nondestructive testing techniques. The cornerstone of such an approach is the development of an adequate mathematical model for the study of the basic field/defect interactions. Such a model is needed in order to develop a defect characterization scheme and to identify suitable parameters for the signal processing.

Despite recent developments in automatic defect characterization associated with eddy current and leakage flux methods of nondestructive testing^{9,10}, the subject of electromagnetic methods of nondestructively testing ferromagnetic materials is characterized largely by empirical knowledge. Where closed form mathematical solutions do exist, describing electromagnetic field/defect interactions, the underlying assumptions of the theories tend to invalidate any realistic application of the results

to the problem of defect characterization in ferromagnetic materials.

The problem of modeling electromagnetic field/defect interactions in ferromagnetic materials is complicated not only by the nonlinear magnetization characteristic of the material and the awkward defect boundaries but also by the number of different phenomena utilized¹¹. Figure 1 shows the three major modes of field/defect interaction. In magnetic particle and magnetographic methods of nondestructive testing, the ferromagnetic specimen to be tested is initially magnetized with dc current. Residual leakage fields are set up around defects present in the specimen. The presence of such fields can be observed either directly using magnetic particles or indirectly by recording the leakage fields on magnetic tape. With reluctance and perturbation techniques, a constant dc magnetization current is used to set up active leakage fields around defects in the parts undergoing inspection, which can be detected using any flux sensitive transducer¹¹. Finally in eddy current testing, ac excitation is used to induce secondary currents and fields in the specimen. In this case the presence of a defect causes changes in both induced currents and fields, resulting in measurable impedance variations in the pick-up coil.

Differences in the residual, active and eddy phenomena are summarized in Figure 1 which shows the regions of the material's B-H characteristic over which the various phenomena occur.

The major purpose of this technical report is to give details of a finite element model for predicting leakage fields around defects in ferromagnetic parts carrying dc magnetization current. It is the principal investigators contention that the finite element model could be used as the basis for developing defect characterization schemes for all

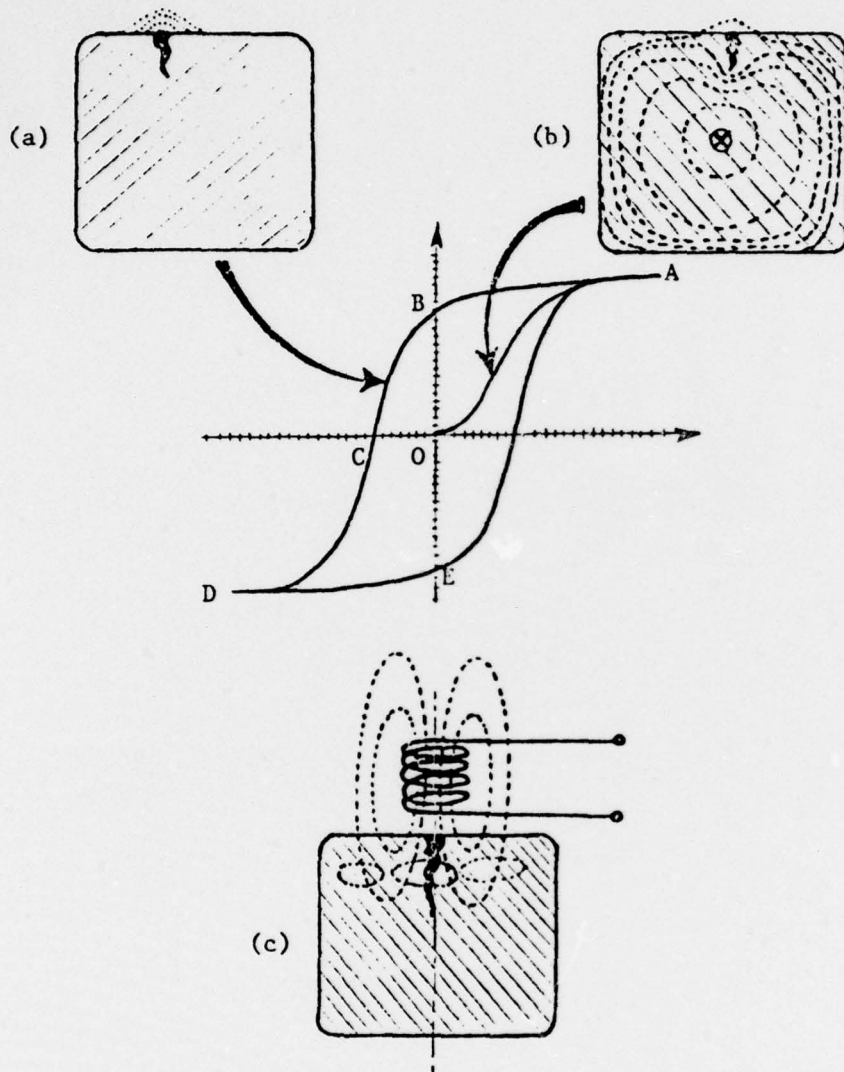


Figure 1. Electromagnetic phenomena utilized in detecting defects in ferromagnetic materials

- a) Residual leakage field (region BC)
- b) Active leakage field (region OA)
- c) AC excitation (region ABCDEA)

electromagnetic methods of nondestructive testing, including active direct current, residual and alternating current methods of excitation.

The following sections describe:

1. Actual residual and active leakage field profiles for rectangular slots in a steel bar obtained by scanning a Hall probe over the surface of the bar.
2. Dipole model predictions for active and residual leakage fields around the same slots.
3. Finite element predictions for the active leakage fields around the same slots.

The report concludes with a discussion of the relative merits of the two modeling techniques and indicates how the finite element model might be extended to include residual magnetization and eddy current phenomena. An extensive bibliography is included for further reference.

Active and Residual Leakage Fields Around Rectangular Slots

The general shapes of residual and active leakage fields around defects in ferromagnetic materials are well known and have been widely reported in the literature¹²⁻¹⁶. However, in order to provide a basis of comparison with theoretical modeling studies, residual and active leakage field profiles were monitored around rectangular slots in a steel bar using the apparatus shown in Figure 2. A miniature Hall probe was used to measure the vertical component of the leakage field flux density. Leakage field profiles were obtained by driving the probe with a uniform velocity over the surface of the bar using an x-y positioning mechanism. The output of the probe was fed to a Gaussmeter having an analog output of sufficient magnitude to drive an x-y recorder.

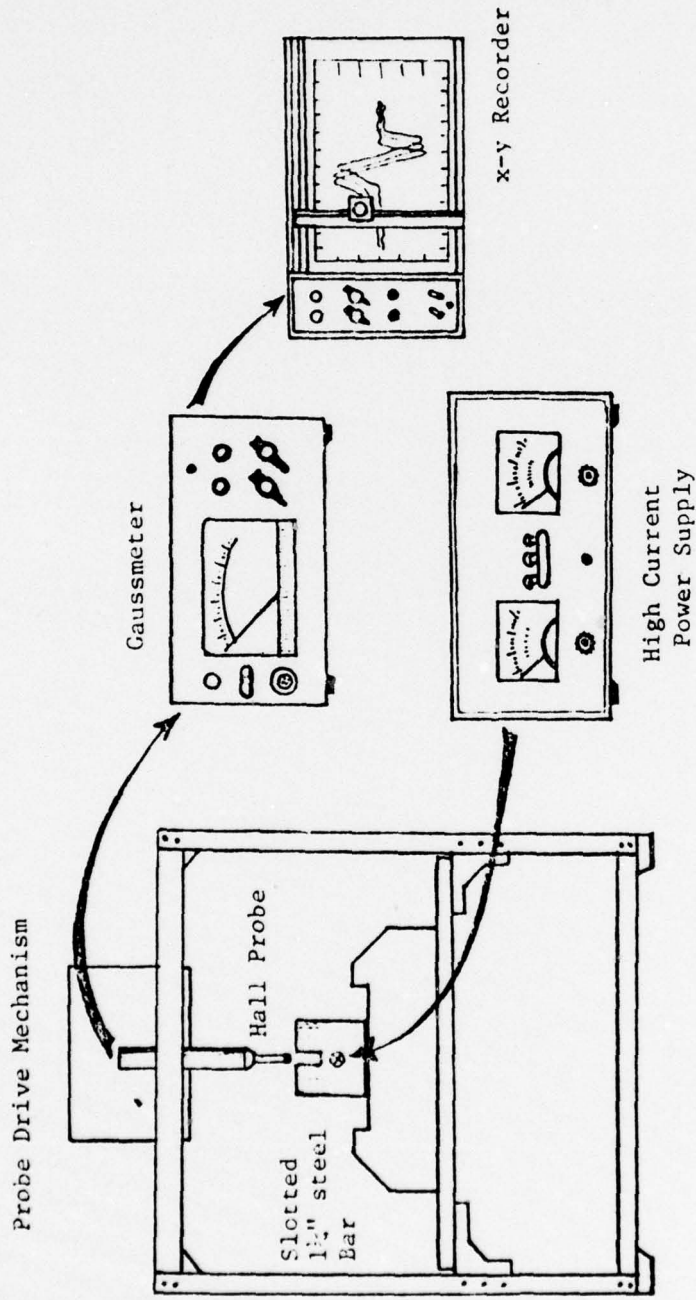


Figure 2. Experimental arrangement for the determination of residual and active leakage fields around rectangular slots in ferro-magnetic bars.

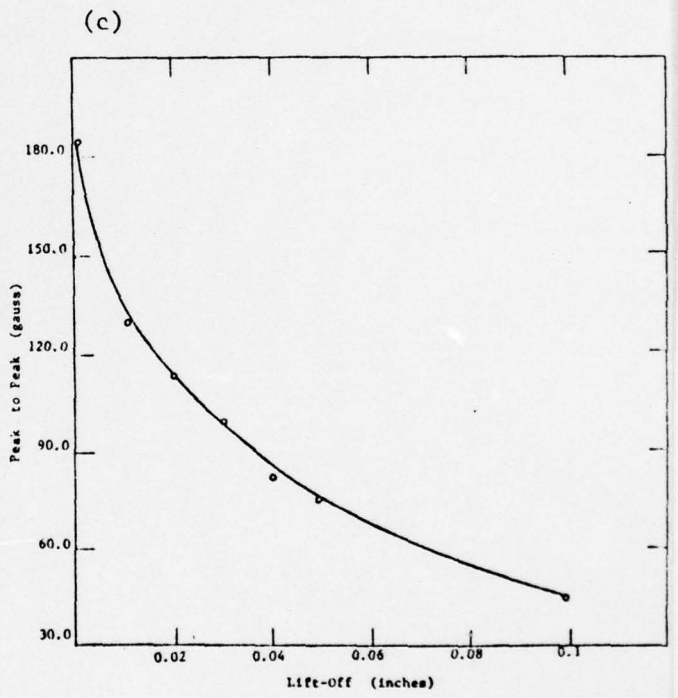
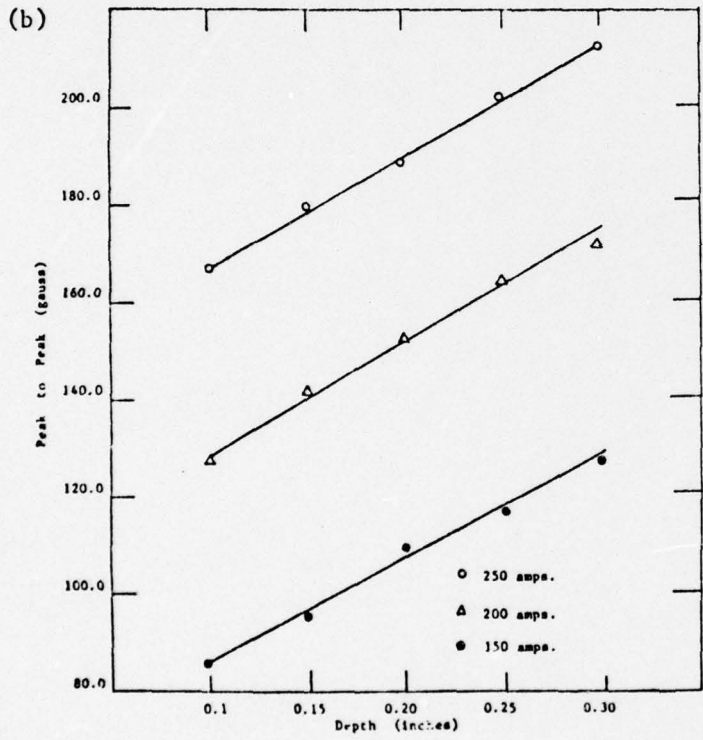
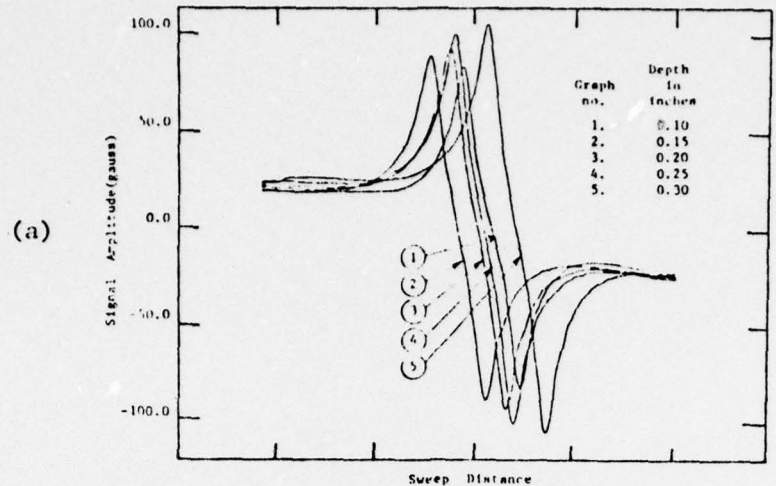


Figure 3. Active leakage field profiles for rectangular slots of constant width (0.125") and varying depth with dc excitation

- a) Typical profiles
- b) Peak-to-peak magnitude as a function of depth
- c) A typical lift-off characteristic

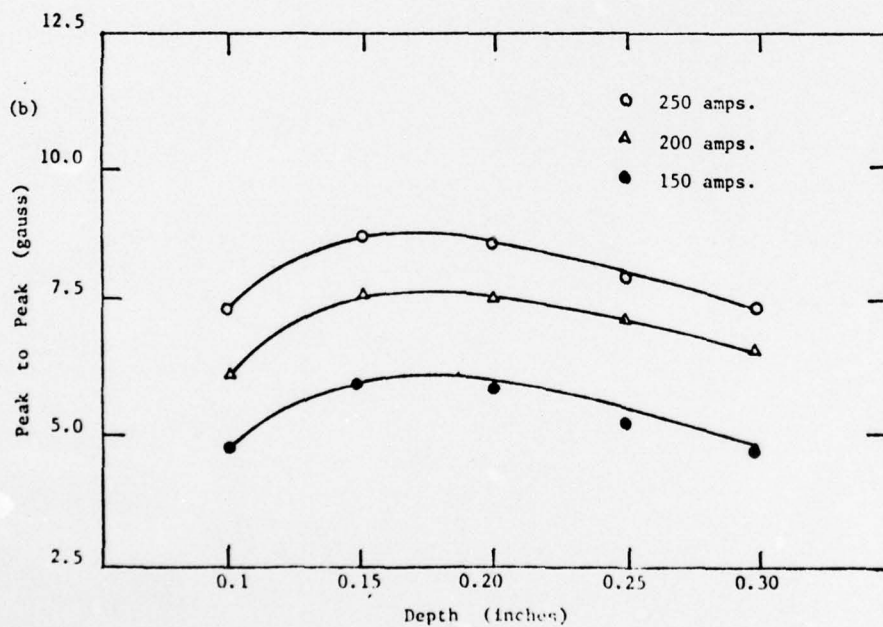
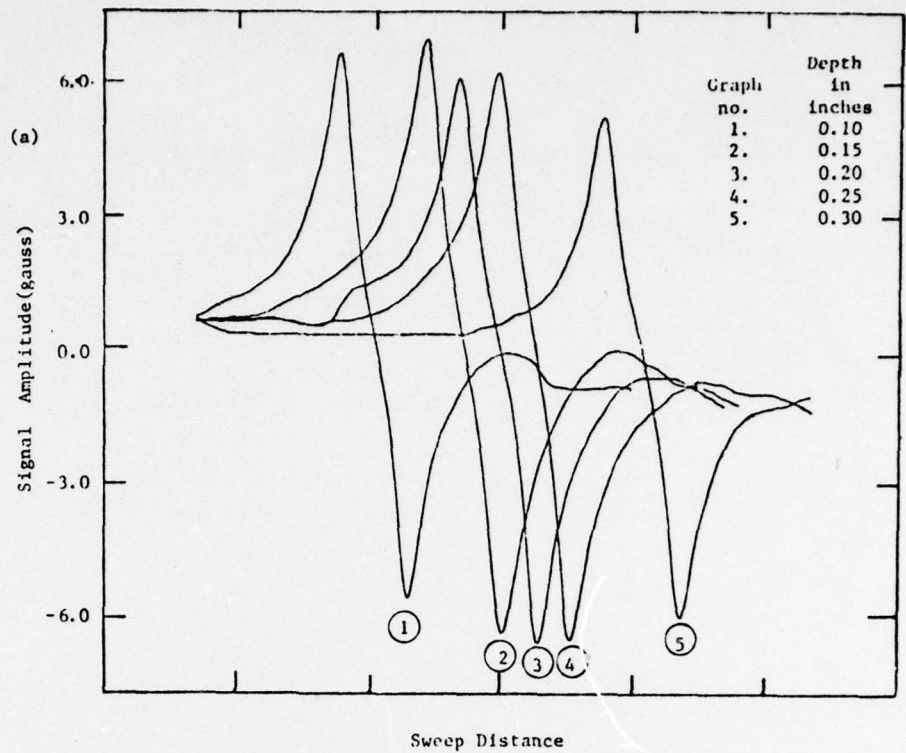


Figure 4. Residual leakage field profiles for rectangular slots of constant width (0.125") and varying depth after dc excitation

- a) Typical profiles
- b) Peak-to-peak magnitude as a function of depth

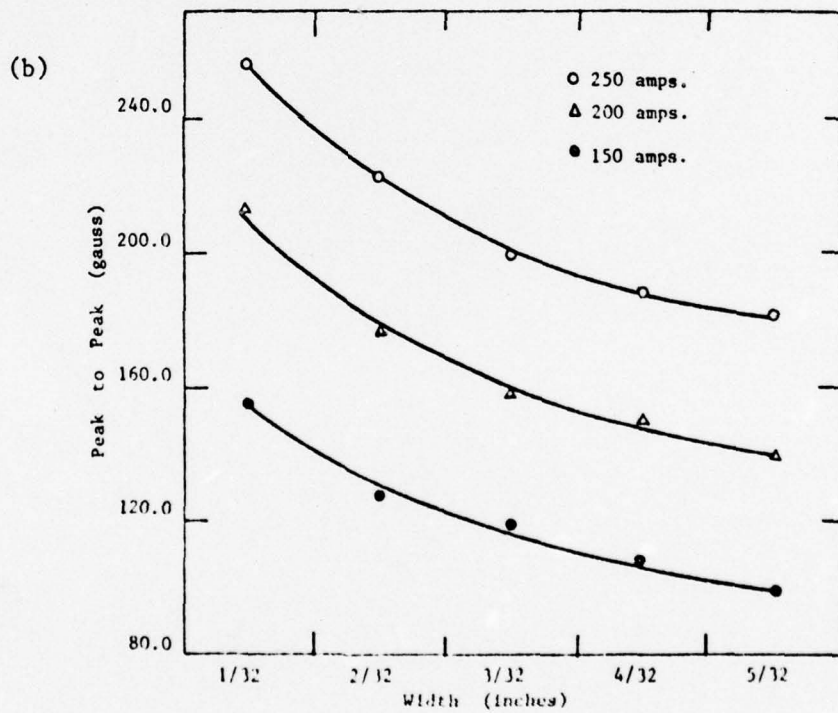
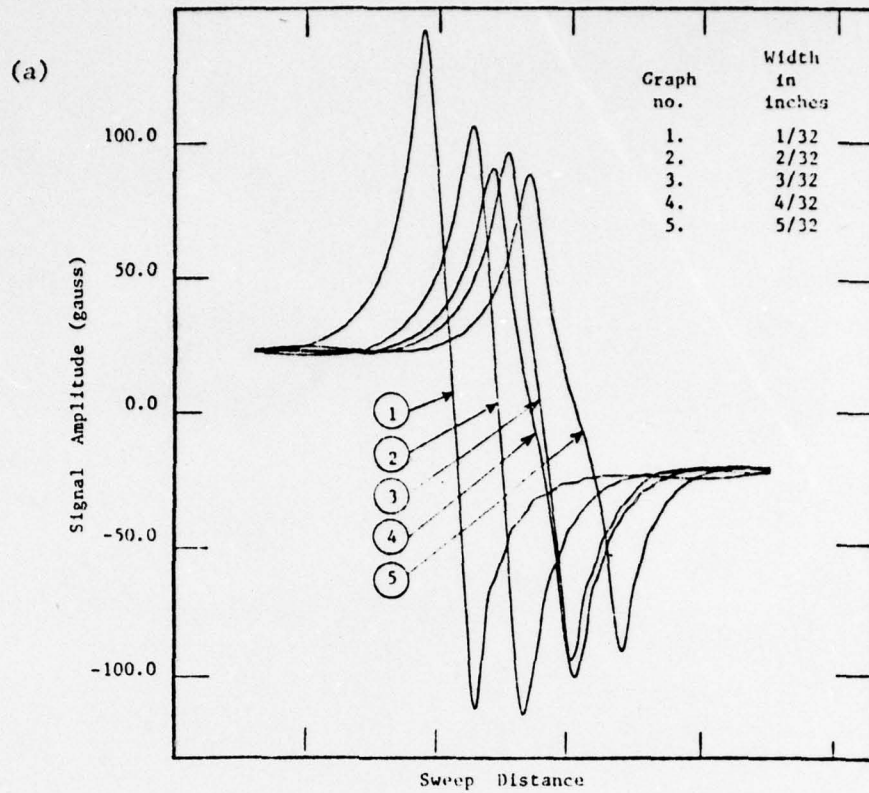


Figure 5. Active leakage field profiles for rectangular slots of constant depth (0.2") and varying width with dc excitation

- a) Typical profiles
- b) Peak-to-peak magnitude as a function of width

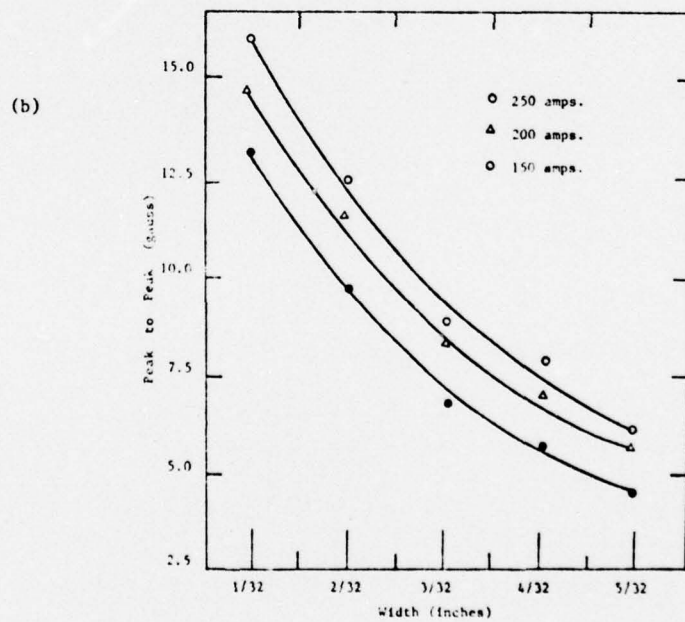
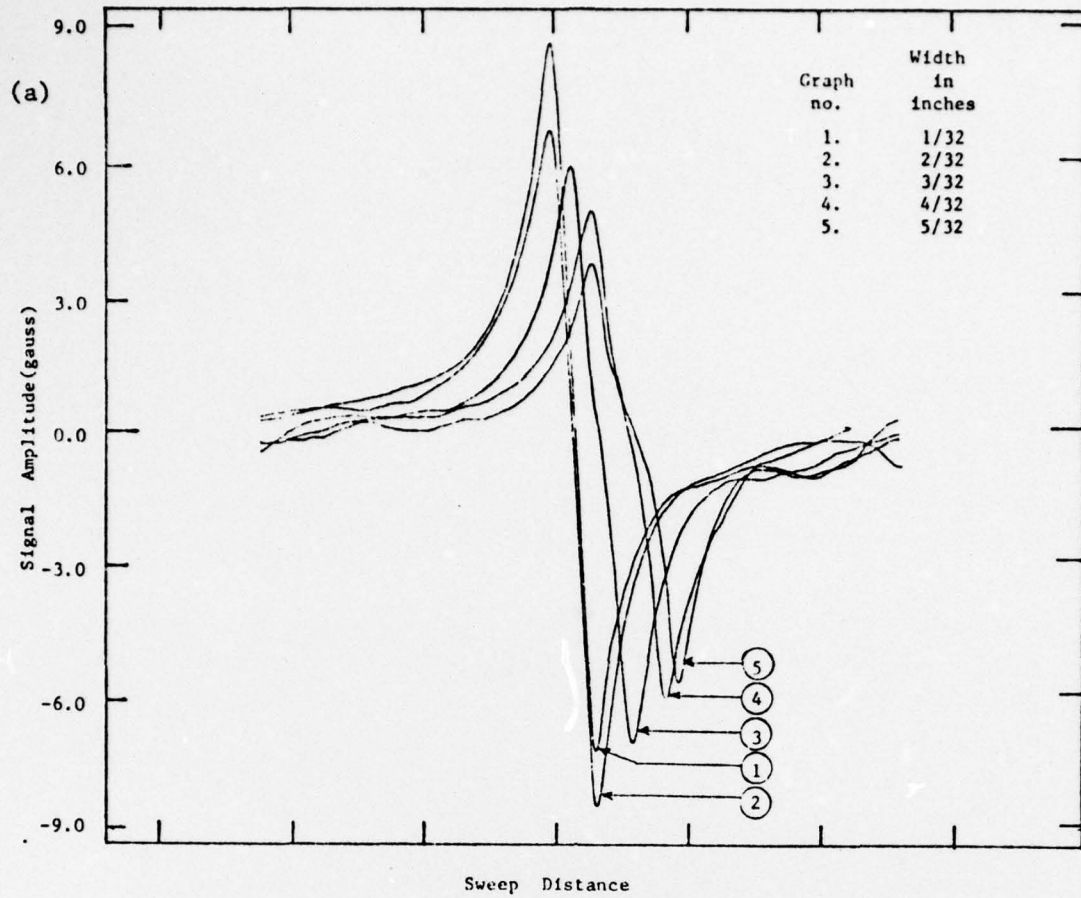


Figure 6. Residual leakage field profiles for rectangular slots of constant depth (0.2") and varying width after dc excitation

- a) Typical profiles
- b) Peak-to-peak magnitude as a function of width

Typical results are shown in Figures 3, 4, 5, and 6. Both active and residual leakage field profiles for rectangular slots of constant width and varying depth are shown in Figures 3 and 4 respectively together with a typical lift-off characteristic and plots of the signals' peak-to-peak magnitudes versus depth. Corresponding results are shown in Figures 5 and 6 for rectangular slots of constant depth and varying width. Probe "lift-off" in each case was 0.015".

Note particularly the differences in peak-to-peak magnitude between the active and residual leakage fields, as well as the slight changes in profile shape.

Care was taken in setting up the experiment to ensure that a uniform magnetizing current distribution was obtained over the cross section of the specimen, and that the size of the Hall probe was sufficiently small relative to the size of the specimen that a virtual point-to-point leakage field profile was obtained by scanning over the specimen surface.

Dipole Modeling

Perhaps the most widely used model for electromagnetic field/defect interactions is that developed by Zatsepin and Shcherbinin¹⁷. Initially proposed for the prediction of residual leakage fields, the technique has now been improved and extended to include both dc and ac excitation conditions¹⁸⁻²³. Leakage fields around rectangular slots are modeled by assuming a "uniform magnetic charge distribution" over the sides of the slot, neglecting material nonlinearities and assuming that the "charge" on the base of the slot does not contribute to the leakage field. Under these conditions expressions can be developed for the x and y components of the resulting leakage field as follows:

$$H_x = 2\sigma_s \left[\arctg \frac{h(x+b)}{(x+b)^2 + y(y+h)} - \arctg \frac{h(x-b)}{(x-b)^2 + y(y+h)} \right] \quad (1)$$

$$H_y = \sigma_s \ln \frac{[(x+b)^2 + (y+h)^2][(x-b)^2 + y^2]}{[(x+b)^2 + y^2][(x-b)^2 + (y+h)^2]} \quad (2)$$

where the slot width is $2b$ units and the slot depth is h units. σ_s is the assumed "surface charge density."

Figures 7 and 8 show plots of H_x and H_y based on equations 1 and 2 for the rectangular slots whose actual residual leakage field profiles are shown in Figures 4 and 6. The results have been normalized and a value of $\sigma_s = 1$ assumed in each case. In practice¹², σ_s values are obtained from the experimental results in order to obtain agreement between the theoretically predicted profiles and those actually measured. This has been done in Figure 9 which shows a comparison of dipole model and experimental results for a particular slot and for both residual and active magnetization conditions. In both cases the experimental peak values have been substituted into equation 2 for σ_s in order to obtain the plots.

The active magnetization case has also been included here because the dipole model, although developed initially for residual magnetization conditions¹⁷, has also been used to model field/defect interactions with direct current excitation.

Computer code generated to produce the dipole model leakage field profiles from equations 1 and 2 is given as Appendix A. The program is self-explanatory with regard to the required input parameters and can be used to predict the leakage fields around rectangular slots. MAPA is a plotting routine available on Colorado State University's CDC 6400 computer system.

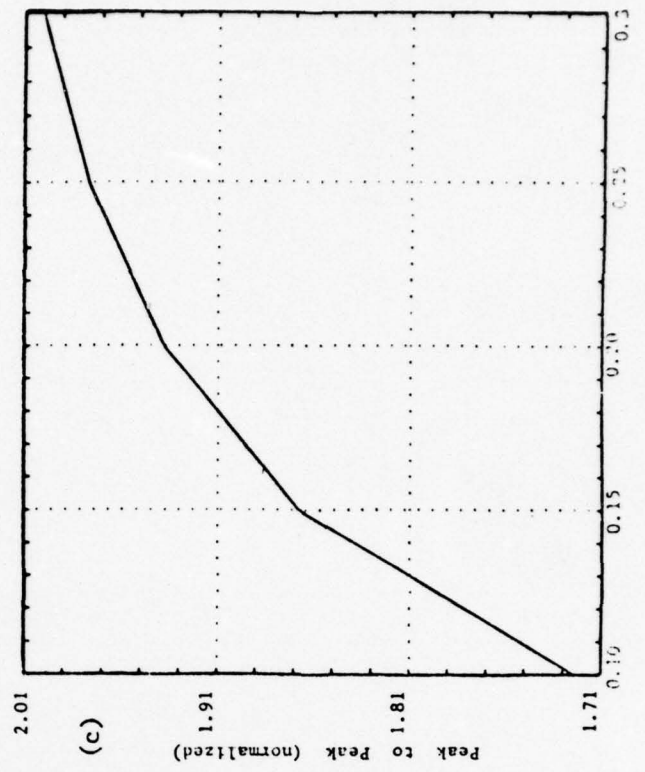
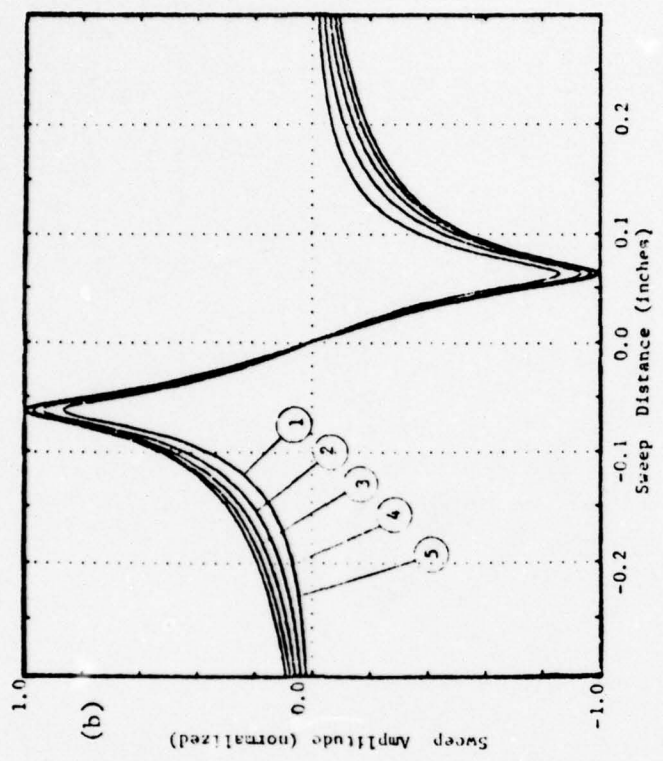
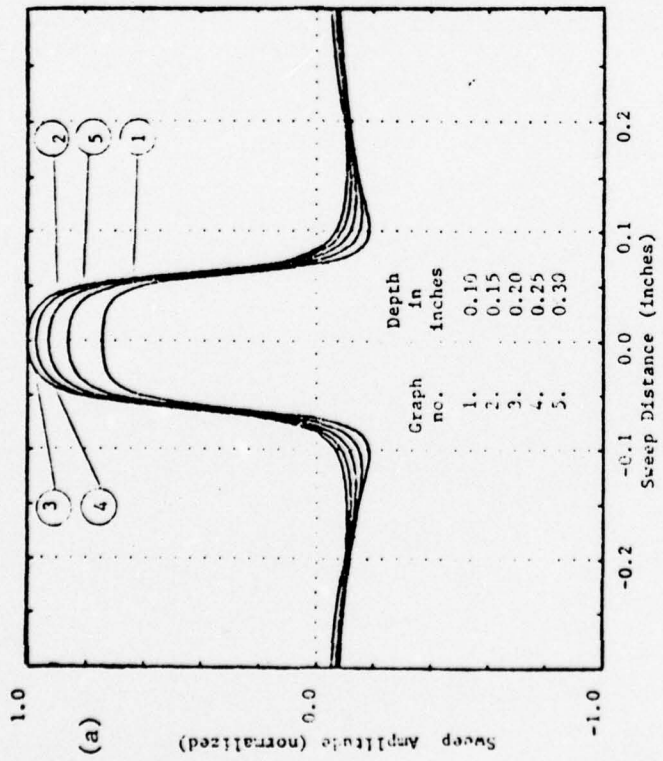


Figure 7. Leakage field profiles predicted by dipole modeling for rectangular slots of constant width (0.125") and varying depth

- a) Tangential field component, H_x
- b) Vertical field component, H_y
- c) Peak-to-peak H_y magnitude versus depth

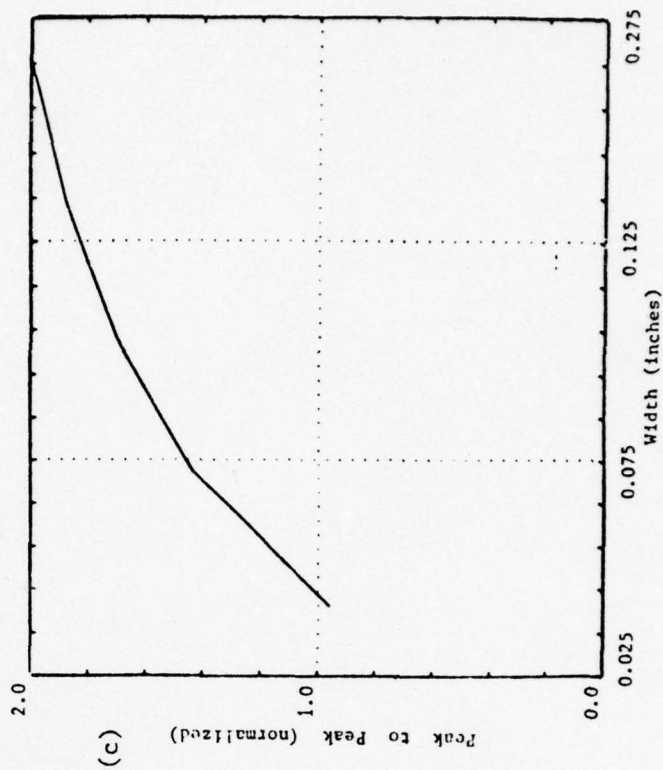
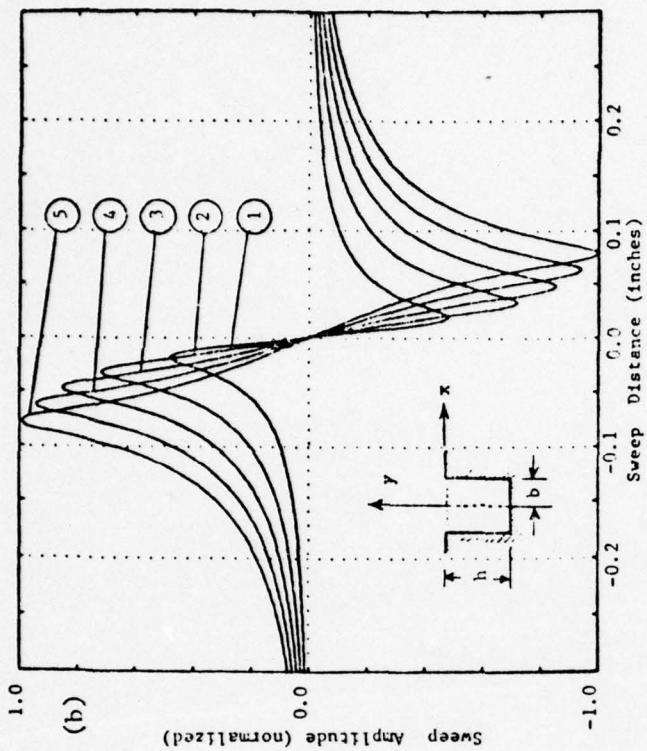
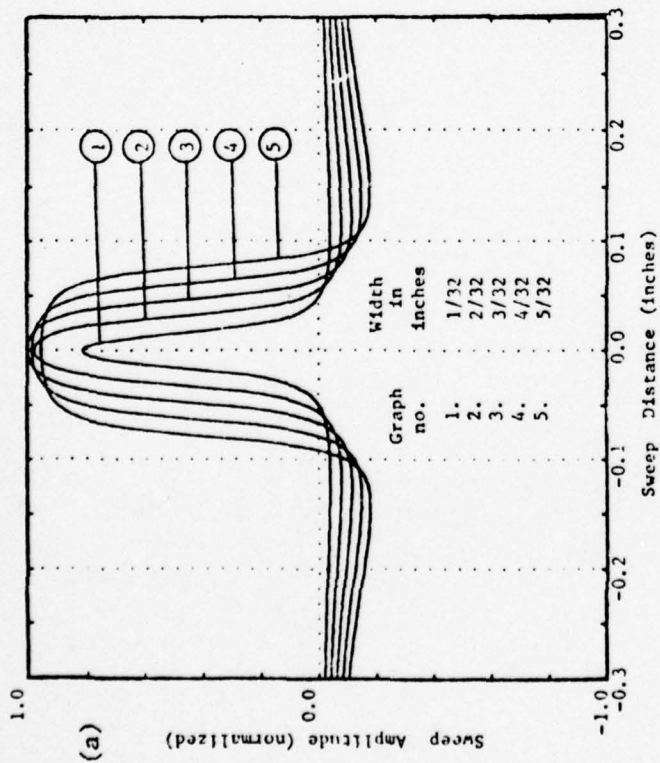


Figure 8. Leakage field profiles predicted by dipole modeling for rectangular slots of constant depth (0.2") and varying width

- a) Tangential field component, H_x
- b) Vertical field component, H_y
- c) Peak-to-peak H_y magnitude versus width

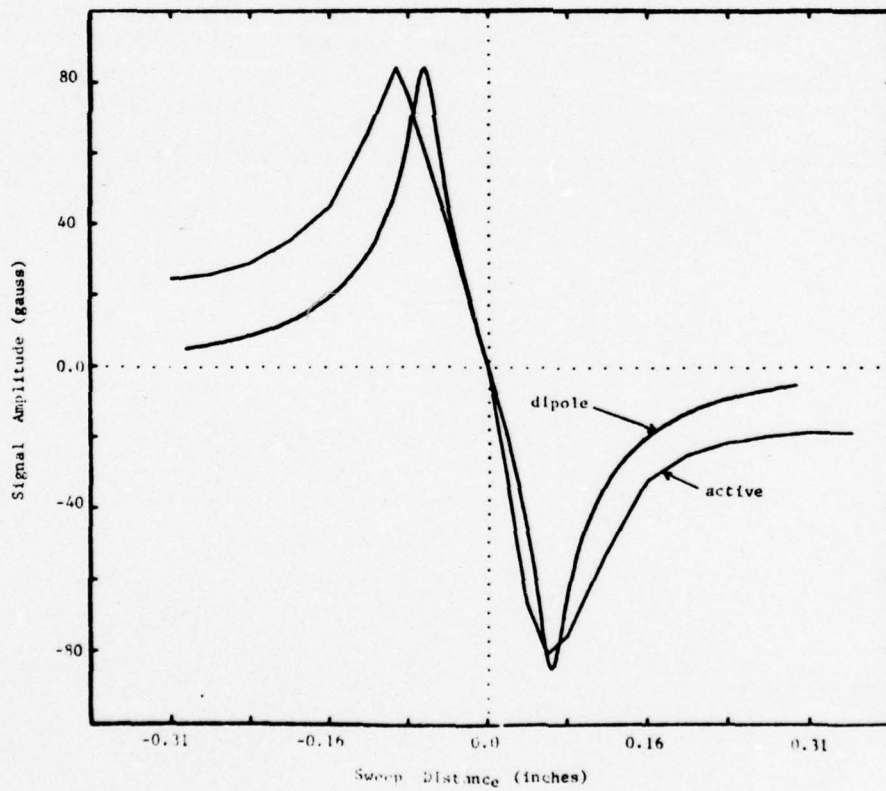
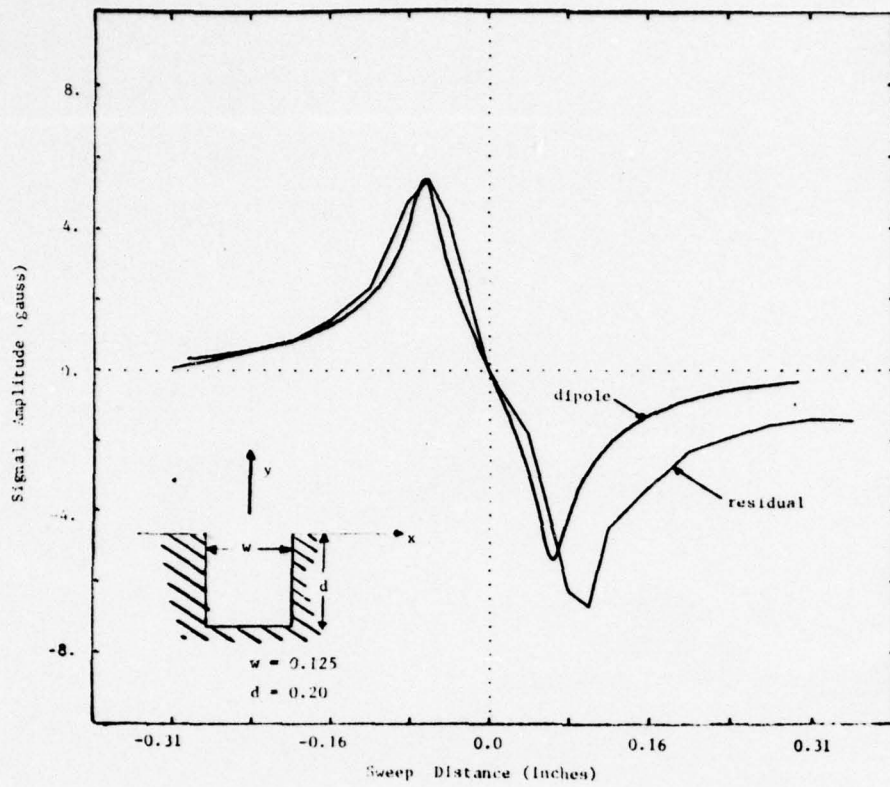


Figure 9. Comparison of dipole model predictions and experimental results for the (0.125" x 0.2") slot.

- a) Residual leakage field profiles after 250 amps excitation.
- b) Active leakage field profiles with 250 amps excitation.

Finite Element Modeling

Although considerable work has been done to develop closed form mathematical solutions for the prediction of leakage fields around defects in the case of dc²⁴ and ac^{25,26} excitation conditions, the results do not lend themselves well to the general approach to defect characterization called for in the introduction. The primary reason for this is that, although the equations governing the electromagnetic field/defect interactions are readily obtainable in a poissonian partial differential equation form, the nonlinear magnetization characteristics of ferromagnetic materials and complex defect geometrics found in practice prevent closed form solutions from being obtained for anything but the simplest conditions.

Developments in numerical analysis techniques have had a significant impact on the study of magnetic flux distributions in electrical machinery²⁷⁻³¹ and the principal investigator strongly suggests that such analysis techniques could have a similar impact on the problem of defect characterization schemes for electromagnetic methods of nondestructive testing. In the case of a ferromagnetic bar carrying a dc magnetization current the vector potential, A in the region is related to the current density, J and reluctivity (H/B), ν by the equation

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(\nu \frac{\partial A}{\partial x} \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(\nu \frac{\partial A}{\partial y} \right) = -J \quad (3)$$

assuming that the bar is at the center of an unconventional coordinate axis system and carrying current in the positive z direction. The finite element analysis approach to solving equation 3 is based on:

1. Discretizing the region of interest, R, into triangular elements.

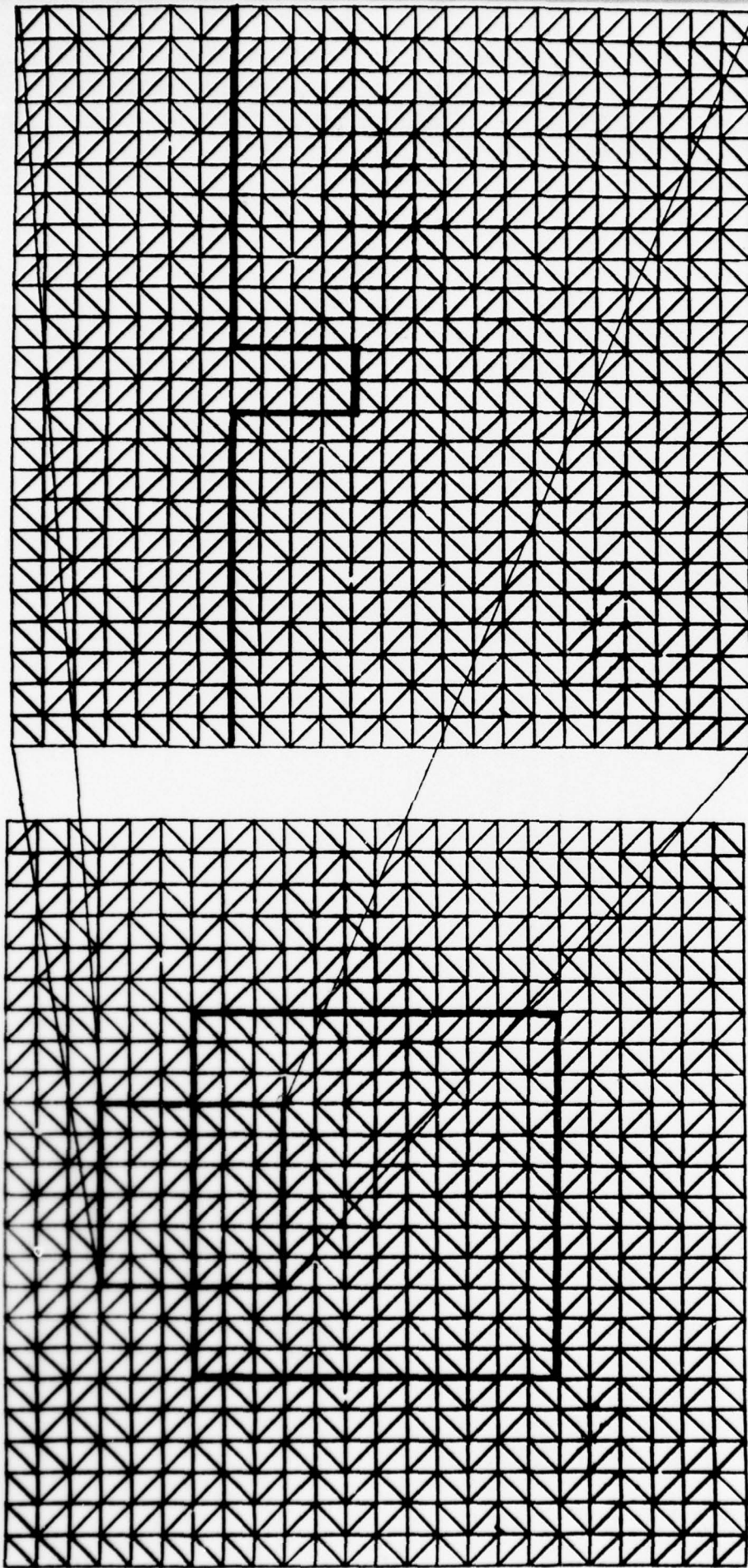


Figure 10. Mesh generation for the finite element modeling of leakage fields around rectangular slots in a ferromagnetic bar.

a) Gross mesh.

b) "Zoom-in" region.

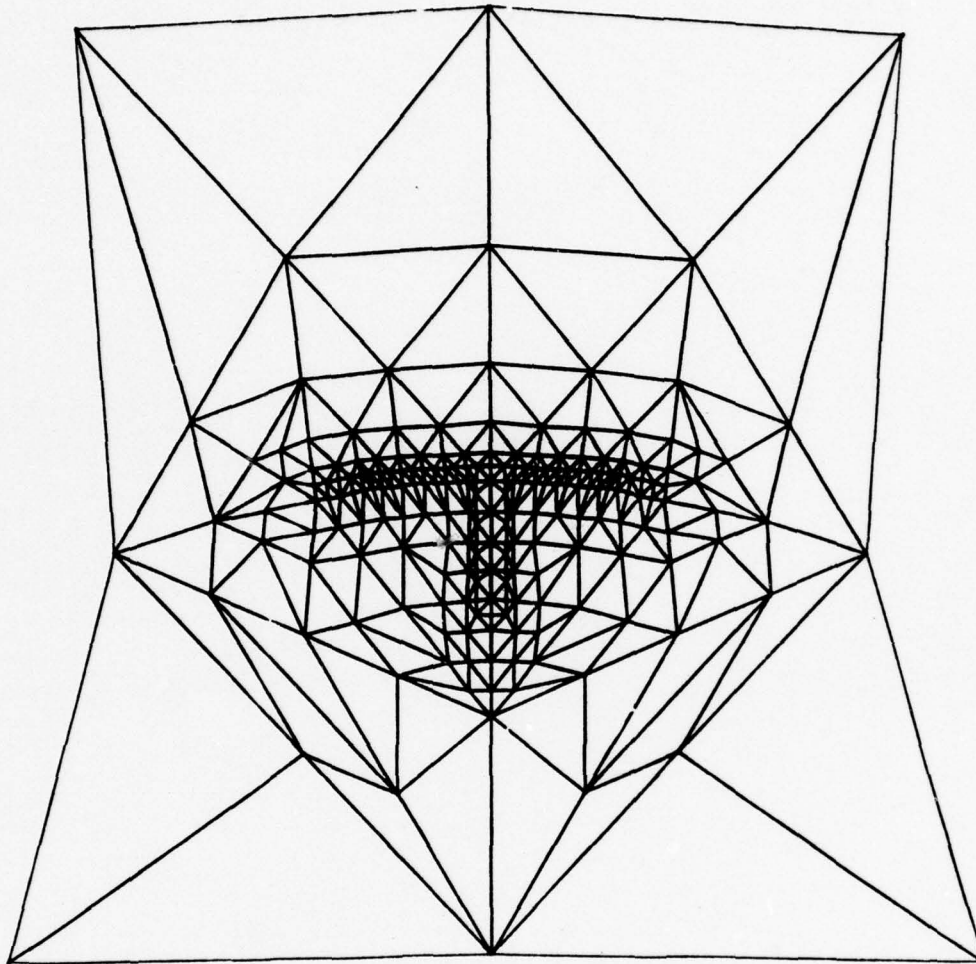


Figure 11. Hand generated mesh for detailed study of leakage fields around small slots³⁸.

2. Minimizing an energy functional, in this case

$$W = \iint_R \left[\int_0^B v b d b \right] dx dy - \iint_R J A dx dy \quad (4)$$

over the discretized region to yield a set of equations for the vector potential at each node of the form

$$A_{\text{node}} = f(J, v, A_{\text{adjacent nodes}}, x, y) \quad (5)$$

3. Solving the nodal vector potential equations by matrix inversion or iterative techniques.

The finite element code given as Appendix B is based directly on Anderson's method³². Discussions of energy functionals, convergence, mesh subdivision and B/H curve modeling can be found in references 33 to 37. The code is self explanatory with regard to the required input data and consists of three distinct parts:

1. Mesh generation algorithm (B.1)
2. Element ordering algorithm (B.2)
3. Vector potential and flux density calculation algorithm (B.3)

This format allows maximum flexibility to examine a wide variety of geometries although the three parts could be run together if needed.

In examining the leakage field around relatively small slots in the surface of a square ferromagnetic bar it is possible to "zoom in" on the region of interest by making two runs with the computer code. First, a mesh is generated as in Figure 10a) for the square bar and a surrounding air region of sufficient size that the vector potential, A, is zero on the outer boundary. The boundary can be found experimentally, using a gaussmeter, or by a trial-and-error approach, applying the computer code several times until no further change in A is observed

with changes in outer boundary position. After calculating the vector potential at every node within this mesh, the "zoom in" region around the defect is chosen, as shown in Figure 10b), with the vector potentials on the region perimeter serving as boundary conditions for the second run. Some form of linear interpolation must be used to find all nodal A values for this second run, or a hand-generated mesh could be used similar to the one shown in Figure 11. This technique was used by Hwang and Lord for a variety of defect shapes and, based on the results, a defect characterization scheme was proposed for electromagnetic methods of nondestructive testing relying on active dc magnetization conditions³⁸⁻⁴⁰. The results shown in Figure 13 were obtained using the mesh of Figure 12 and the computer program listed as Appendix B.3.

Discussion

In order to develop defect characterization schemes for electromagnetic methods of nondestructive testing, a flexible mathematical model is needed to predict magnetic field/defect interactions under the constraints of nonlinear operating conditions and awkward boundary shapes. Although the dipole model predicts the shape of leakage field profiles around rectangular slots in ferromagnetic materials, the underlying linearizing assumptions associated with the technique prevent its use as the basis for defect characterization schemes.

Finite element analysis techniques have been applied with success to the prediction of magnetic fields in electrical machines and this

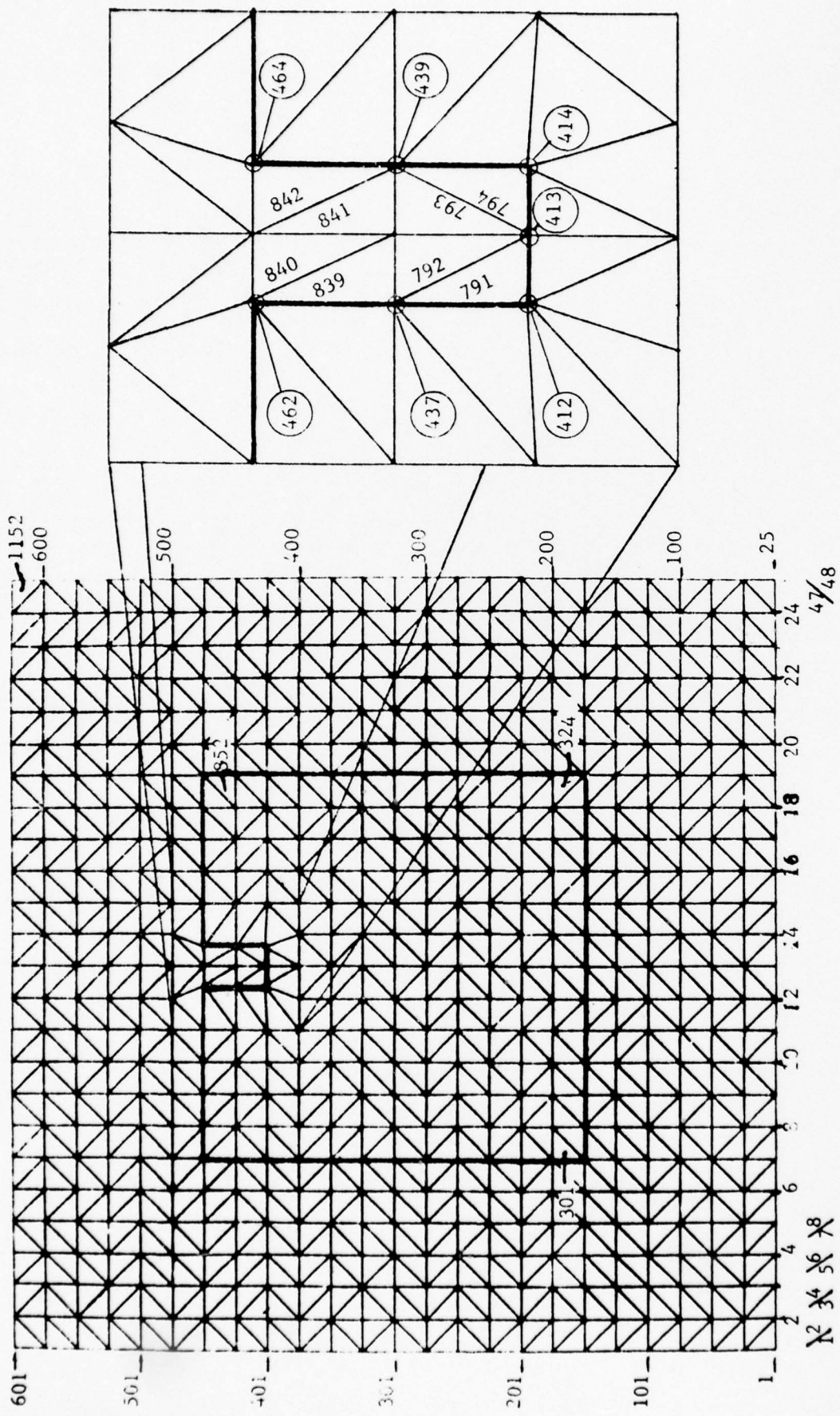


Figure 12. Modified computer generated mesh for results of Figure 13. Inset shows slot node numbering detail.

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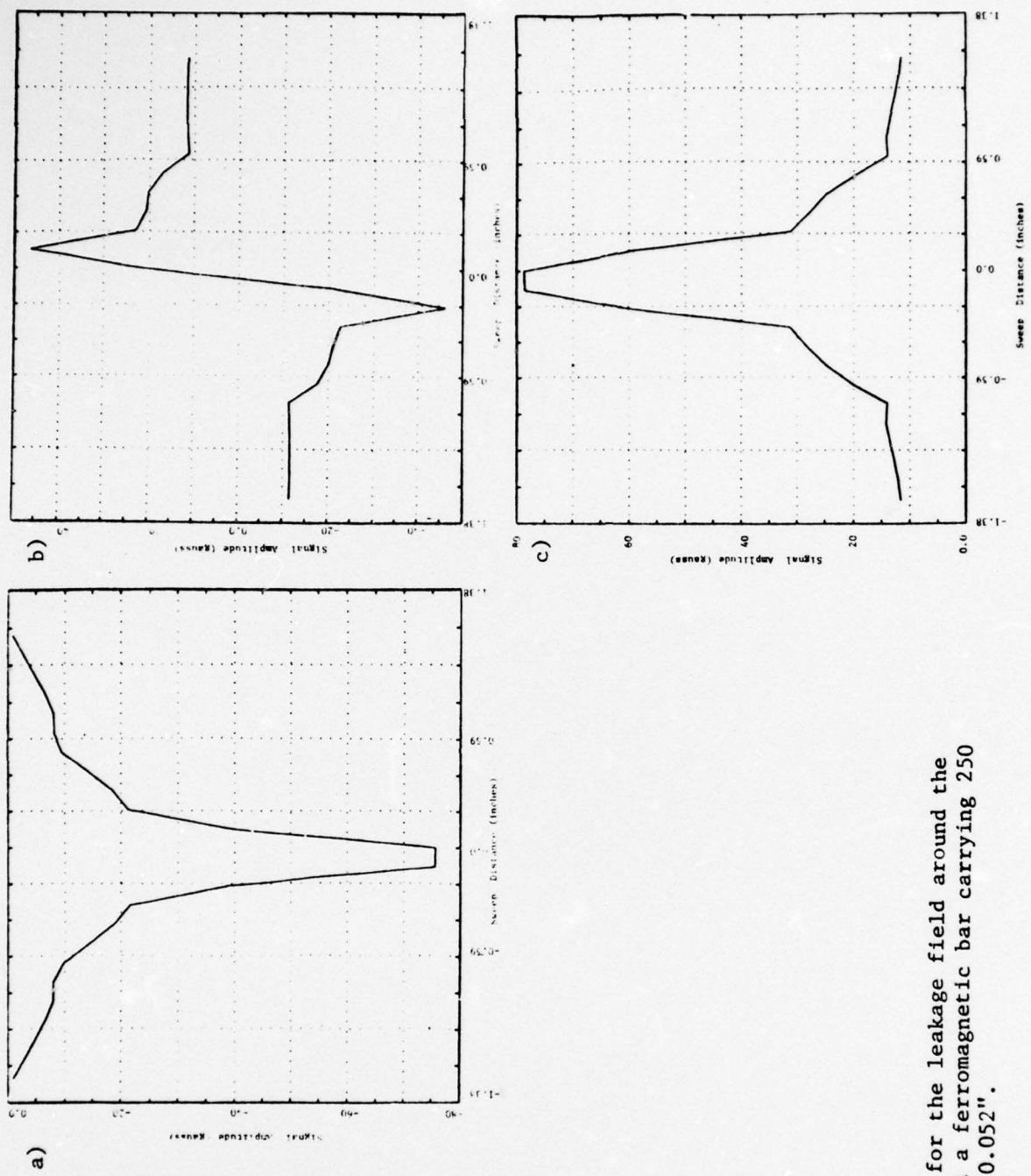


Figure 13.

Finite element results for the leakage field around the (0.125" x 0.2") slot in a ferromagnetic bar carrying 250 amps. Probe lift-off = 0.052".

- a) B_x component.
- b) B_y (normal) component.
- c) $B = (B_x^2 + B_y^2)^{1/2}$.

technical report shows how they can be used to predict leakage fields around slots in ferromagnetic materials excited with a dc magnetization current. Certain assumptions do have to be made with regard to the location of the zero vector potential boundary, discretization and B/H curve model, but on the whole, finite element techniques are sufficiently flexible and accurate to be applied to the defect characterization or "inverse" problem.

With regard to extending the techniques to other forms of excitation, the following comments are offered:

Residual leakage fields exist around defects in ferromagnetic materials after initial magnetization with a dc current, causing regions around the defect to behave as permanent magnets working in the second quadrant of the material's B-H loop represented by region BC in Figure 1. Some work has been done in studying flux distributions in permanent magnet machines using numerical analysis techniques⁴¹⁻⁴⁴ which could be applied to the modeling of leakage field profiles. Experimental studies of the residual fields within slots in ferromagnetic materials are being carried out by the authors at Colorado State University to define in detail the permanent magnet behavior of the material in the vicinity of the slot. The results will provide needed modeling data for the finite element program which in this case provides an approximate solution for the equation

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(v \frac{\partial A}{\partial x} \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(v \frac{\partial A}{\partial y} \right) = J_m \quad (6)$$

where J_m is similar to the current density term of equation 3, but in this case models the behavior of the permanent magnet material⁴³.

Eddy currents and their associated fields set up by an ac excitation current, react with a defect to produce an effective change in the impedance of a pick-up coil scanning above the surface of the material under test. In this case the material in the vicinity of the defect is cycled through a complete B-H loop (ABCDEA in Figure 1) and the governing equation to be solved by numerical techniques is of the form

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(v \frac{\partial A}{\partial x} \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(v \frac{\partial A}{\partial y} \right) = i\sigma\omega A - J_s \quad (7)$$

where J_s is the imposed current density, ω is the angular frequency and σ the conductivity of the material. This type of equation has recently been solved for electrical machine applications⁴⁵⁻⁵⁰ using finite difference and finite element analysis and such techniques could also be used to study basic eddy current phenomena associated with electromagnetic methods of nondestructive testing.

Although equations 3, 6 and 7 are given in two dimensional form, recent work^{51,52} would indicate that three dimensional solutions may be available in the future.

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Appendix A

Dipole modeling code for rectangular slots.


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C
C-----DATA INPUT
C
      READ(5,100) SIGMA
      READ (5,101) Y,INCR,INCRX
      READ (5,102) IDATA,MIN,MAX
      READ (5,103) (H1(I),W(I),I=1,IDATA)

C
C-----INITIALIZATION OF VARIABLES
C
      HY3=0.0
      HX3=0.0
      MA=-MIN+MAX+1
      N=0
      Y=Y*INCR
      DO 200 I=1, IDATA
      HY4(I)=0.0
      HY5(I)=0.0
      H(I)=0.0
      B(I)=0.0
200  CONTINUE

C
C-----CALCULATION OF BX AND BY
C
      DO 250 I=1, IDATA
      H(I)=H1(I)*INCR
      B(I)=(W(I)/2)*INCR
      DO 250 M=1, MA
      XX(M)=(FLOAT(M-1+MIN)*INCRX)

C
      X1=XX(M)
      D1=((X1+B(I))**2)+(Y*(Y+H(I)))
      D2=((X1-B(I))**2)+(Y*(Y+H(I)))
      HX1=ATAN((H(I)*(X1+B(I)))/D1)
      HX2=ATAN((H(I)*(X1-B(I)))/D2)
      HX(I,M)=2*SIGMA*(HX1-HX2)

C
      IF(HX(I,M).GE.HX3.AND.HX(I,M).GT.0.0) HX3=HX(I,M)

C
      D3=((X1+B(I))**2+(Y+H(I))**2)*((X1-B(I))**2+Y**2)
      D4=((X1+B(I))**2+Y**2)*((X1-B(I))**2+(Y+H(I))**2)
      HY(I,M)=SIGMA*ALOG(D3/D4)

C
      IF(HY(I,M).GE.HY3.AND.HY(I,M).GT.0.0) HY3=HY(I,M)
      IF (HY(I,M).LE.HY4(I).OR .HY(I,M).LT.0.0) GO TO 230
      HY4(I)=HY(I,M)
      XY1(I)=X1
      GO TO 240
230  CONTINUE
      IF(HY(I,M).GE.HY5(I).OR .HY(I,M).GT.0.0) GO TO 240
      HY5(I)=HY(I,M)
      XY2(I)=X1
240  CONTINUE
250  CONTINUE

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C
C-----CALCULATION OF UNIT VALUES

C
DO 260 I=1, IDATA
XMAX=ABS(HX3)
YMAX=ABS(HY3)
HY4(I)=HY4(I)/YMAX
HY5(I)=HY5(I)/YMAX
DO 260 J=1, MA
HX(I, J)=HX(I, J)/XMAX
HY(I, J)=HY(I, J)/YMAX
HXY(I, J)=SQRT((HX(I, J))**2+(HY(I, J))**2)
260 CONTINUE

C
C-----PRINT OUTPUT

C
WRITE(6, 110) HX3, HY3
WRITE(6, 112) SIGMA, MIN, MAX
WRITE(6, 113) Y
WRITE(6, 114) INCR
DO 270 J=1, IDATA
WRITE(6, 111) J, IDATA
WRITE(6, 115) W(J)
WRITE(6, 116) H1(J)
270 CONTINUE

C
C-----PLOTS AND DATA

C
267 DO 300 J=1, IDATA
DO 300 M=1, MA
GO TO (277, 278, 279, 280, 284), J
277 H2(M)=HX(J, M)
GO TO 300
278 H3(M)=HX(J, M)
GO TO 300
279 H4(M)=HX(J, M)
GO TO 300
280 H5(M)=HX(J, M)
GO TO 300
284 H9(M)=HX(J, M)
300 CONTINUE
READ(5, 109) MTIT
CALL MAPA(7, XX, H2, 1, 241, WL, WH, VL, VH, 10HX, DIST(IN), 1H, MTIT, 1)
CALL MAPA(7, XX, H3, 1, 241, WL, WH, VL, VH, 10HX, DIST(IN), 1H, MTIT, 1)
CALL MAPA(7, XX, H4, 1, 241, WL, WH, VL, VH, 10HX, DIST(IN), 1H, MTIT, 1)
CALL MAPA(7, XX, H5, 1, 241, WL, WH, VL, VH, 10HX, DIST(IN), 1H, MTIT, 1)
CALL MAPA(7, XX, H9, 1, 241, WL, WH, VL, VH, 10HX, DIST(IN), 1H, MTIT, 1)

C
C-----PRINT FILM PLOTS

C
CALL MAPM(6, XX, H2, 1, 241, WL, WH, VL, VH, XT, YT, MTIT, 1)
CALL MAPM(6, XX, H3, 1, 241, WL, WH, VL, VH, XT, YT, MTIT, 1)
CALL MAPM(6, XX, H4, 1, 241, WL, WH, VL, VH, XT, YT, MTIT, 1)
CALL MAPM(6, XX, H5, 1, 241, WL, WH, VL, VH, XT, YT, MTIT, 1)
CALL MAPM(6, XX, H9, 1, 241, WL, WH, VL, VH, XT, YT, MTIT, 1)
CALL MAPM(1, XX, H9, 1, 241, WL, WH, VL, VH, XT, YT, MTIT, 1)
CALL MAPM(2, XX, H2, 1, 241, WL, WH, VL, VH, XT, YT, MTIT, 1)
CALL MAPM(2, XX, H3, 1, 241, WL, WH, VL, VH, XT, YT, MTIT, 1)
CALL MAPM(2, XX, H4, 1, 241, WL, WH, VL, VH, XT, YT, MTIT, 1)
CALL MAPM(2, XX, H5, 1, 241, WL, WH, VL, VH, XT, YT, MTIT, 1)
CALL MAPM(2, XX, H9, 1, 241, WL, WH, VL, VH, XT, YT, MTIT, 1)
CALL MAPM(4, XX, H9, 1, 241, WL, WH, VL, VH, XT, YT, MTIT, 1)

C

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N=N+1
GO TO (350,351,352),N
350 DO 360 J=1,IDATA
    DO 360 M=1,MA
360 HX(J,M)=HY(J,M)
    GO TO 267
351 DO 361 J=1,IDATA
    DO 361 M=1,MA
361 HX(J,M)=HXY(J,M)
    GO TO 267
352 CONTINUE
    DO 400 I=1,IDATA
    HY4(I)=HY4(I)+ABS(HY5(I))
400 CONTINUE
    READ(5,109) MTI2
    CALL MAPA(7,H1,HY4,1,5,WL,WH,VL,VH,5HDEPTH,3HP=P,MTI2,1)
    CALL MAPA(5,H1,HY4,1,5,WL,WH,VL,VH,5HDEPTH,3HP=P,MTI2,1)
    CALL MAPM(5,H1,HY4,1,5,WL,WH,VL,VH,XTT,YTT,MTI2,1)
450 CONTINUE
    READ(5,109) MTI3
    CALL MAPA(7,W,HY4,1,5,WL,WH,VL,VH,5HWIDTH,3HP=P,MTI3,1)
    CALL MAPA(5,W,HY4,1,5,WL,WH,VL,VH,5HWIDTH,3HP=P,MTI3,1)
    CALL MAPM(5,W,HY4,1,5,WL,WH,VL,VH,XTT,YTT,MTI3,1)
500 STOP
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C

C-----FORMAT STATEMENTS

C

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100 FORMAT (5X,F5.2)
101 FORMAT (5X,2F5.3, F10.8)
102 FORMAT (5X,3I5)
103 FORMAT (5X,2F5.2)
104 FORMAT (I10)
109 FORMAT (8A10)
110 FORMAT (1H1,5X,23HMAX VALUES FOUND FOR HX,F10.4,3X,6HFOR HY,F10.4)
111 FORMAT (////,5X,10HDATA ENTRY,2X,I2,2X,2HOF,I5)
112 FORMAT (/,5X,7HSIGMA =,F5.2,6X,15HX (MIN./MAX.) =,I5,1H/,I5)
113 FORMAT (/,5X,36HDISTANCE ABOVE THE SURFACE DEFECT IS,2X,F5.3,2X,3H
1IN.)
114 FORMAT (/,5X,33HTHE DEFECT DIMENSION, IN UNITS OF,2X,F5.3,2X,3HIN.
1)
115 FORMAT (/,42X,F5.2)
116 FORMAT (30X,11H-----,7X,11H-----,3(/,40X,1H*,7X,1H*),2
1X,F5.2,2(/,40X,1H*,7X,1H*),/,40X,9H-----)
END
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Appendix B

Finite element modeling code.

1. Mesh generation
2. Element ordering
3. Vector potential and flux density calculation

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1  PROGRAM MESH(INPUT,OUTPUT,PUNCH,FILMPL,TAPE5=INPUT,TAPE6=OUTPUT,
C  1TAPE8=PUNCH)
C
C  *****
C
C  PROGRAM MESH GENERATES A PLANAR TWO-DIMENSIONAL TRIANGULAR ELEMENT
C  STRUCTURE WITHIN THE SYMMETRICAL BOUNDARY SHAPE SPECIFIED BY EIGHT
C  GIVEN BOUNDARY POINTS.
C
C  IN THE ORDER OF READING, THE FOLLOWING INPUT DATA IS REQUIRED.
C  ....INITNP AND INTEL ARE THE INITIAL NUMBERING VALUES
C  FOR THE NODAL POINTS AND ELEMENTS RESPECTIVELY,
C  USUALLY 1,1.
C  ....NDIVX AND NDIVY ARE THE NUMBER OF ELEMENTAL
C  DIVISIONS ALONG THE X AND Y AXES RESPECTIVELY.
C  ....XCOR AND YCOR ARE THE (X,Y) COORDINATES OF THE
C  EIGHT DEFINING BOUNDARY POINTS FOR THE GIVEN SHAPE.
C  ....XMIN, XMAX, YMIN, YMAX ARE THE MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM
C  VALUES OF X AND Y ASSOCIATED WITH THE GIVEN SHAPE.
C  (XMAX - XMIN) SHOULD BE EQUAL TO (YMAX - YMIN).
C
C  OUTPUT DATA INCLUDES THE TOTAL NUMBER OF NODE POINTS, THE TOTAL
C  NUMBER OF ELEMENTS, A LISTING OF THE (X,Y) COORDINATES FOR EACH
C  NODE POINT AND THE NODE POINTS DEFINING EACH ELEMENT, TOGETHER
C  WITH A PLOT OF THE MESH STRUCTURE.
C
C  *****
C
C  DIMENSION XCOR(8),YCOR(8),RN(8),XORD(1250),YORD(1250),NP(2360,3)
C
C  READ AND INITIALIZATION OF DATA
C
C  READ(5,1) INITNP,INTEL
C  WRITE(6,2)
C  WRITE(6,1) INITNP,INTEL
C
C  READ(5,3)NDIVX,NDIVY
C  WRITE(6,4)
C  WRITE(6,3)NDIVX,NDIVY
C
C  READ(5,5) (XCOR(I),YCOR(I),I=1,8)
C  WRITE(6,6)
C  WRITE(6,5) (XCOR(I),YCOR(I),I=1,8)
C
C  READ(5,7)XMIN,XMAX,YMIN,YMAX
C  WRITE(6,8)
C  WRITE(6,7) XMIN,XMAX,YMIN,YMAX
C
C  NUMNP=(NDIVX+1)*(NDIVY+1)
C  NUMEL=2*(NDIVX)*(NDIVY)
C  WRITE(6,13) NUMNP,NUMEL
C
C  CALCULATE NODAL POINT COORDINATES
C
C  DX=NDIVX
C  DX=1./DX
C  DY=NDIVY
C  DY=1./DY
C
C  IEND=NDIVY+1
C  JEND=NDIVX+1
C  J1=0

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C      DO 250 I=1,IEND
      R=(I-1)
      RY=R*DY
C
      DO 240 J=1,JEND
      F=(J-1)
      RX=R*DX
      J1=J1+1
      RN(1)=1.0*(1.-RX)*(1.-RY)*(1.-2.*RX-2.*RY)
      RN(2)=4.0*(RX)*(1.-RX)*(1.-RY)
      RN(3)=-1.0*(RX)*(1.-RY)*(1.-2.*RX)+2.*RY)
      RN(4)=4.0*(RX)*(RY)*(1.-RY)
      RN(5)=-1.*(RX)*(RY)*(3.-2.*RX-2.*RY)
      RN(6)=4.*(RX)*(1.-RX)*(RY)
      RN(7)=-1.*(1.-RX)*(RY)*(1.+2.*RX-2.*RY)
      RN(8)=4.0*(1.-RX)*(RY)*(1.-RY)
C
      XORD(J1)=0.
      YORD(J1)=0.
C
      DO 230 K=1,8
      XORD(J1)=XORD(J1)+RN(K)*XCCR(K)
      YORD(J1)=YORD(J1)+RN(K)*YCCR(K)
230  CONTINUE
240  CONTINUE
250  CONTINUE
C
C      CALCULATE NP ARRAY
C
      I2=0
C
      DO 340 I=1,NDIVY
C
      J1=(I-1)*(NDIVX+1)+1
C
      DO 330 J=1,NDIVX
      I2=I2+2
      I1=I2-1
      J2=J1+1
      J4=J1+(NDIVX+1)
      J3=J4+1
C
      D1=(XORD(J3)-XORD(J1))**2+(YORD(J3)-YORD(J1))**2
      D2=(XORD(J4)-XORD(J2))**2+(YORD(J4)-YORD(J2))**2
C
      IF(D1.GT.D2) GO TO 320
C
      NP(I1,1)=J1
      NP(I1,2)=J3
      NP(I1,3)=J4
C
      NP(I2,1)=J1
      NP(I2,2)=J2
      NP(I2,3)=J3
C
      GO TO 329
C
320  CONTINUE

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C      NP(I1,1)=J1
      NP(I1,2)=J2
      NP(I1,3)=J4
C
      NP(I2,1)=J2
      NP(I2,2)=J3
      NP(I2,3)=J4
C
329  CONTINUE
      J1=J2
330  CONTINUE
340  CONTINUE
      DO 1001 I=1,NUMEL
      DO 1001 J=1,3
      NP(I,J)=NP(I,J)+INITNP-1
1001  CONTINUE
C
C      WRITE STATEMENT
C
      WRITE(6,9)
      IFAC=INITNP-1
      DO 420 I=1,NUMNP
      I1=I+IFAC
C
      WRITE(6,10) I1,XORD(I),YORD(I)
      WRITE(8,14) I1,XORD(I),YORD(I)
420  CONTINUE
C
      WRITE(6,11)
      IFAC=INITEL-1
      DO 440 I=1,NUMEL
      I1=I+IFAC
      WRITE(6,12) I1,(NP(I,J), J=1,3)
      WRITE(8,15) I1,(NP(I,J), J=1,3)
440  CONTINUE
C
C      PLOT ROUTINE
C
      CALL SET(0.0,1.0,0.0,1.0,XMIN,XMAX,YMIN,YMAX,1)
C
      DO 480 I=1,NUMEL
C
      I1=NP(I,1)
      I2=NP(I,2)
      I3=NP(I,3)
C
      CALL POINT(XORD(I1),YORD(I1))
      CALL VECTOR(XORD(I2),YORD(I2))
      CALL VECTOR(XORD(I3),YORD(I3))
      CALL VECTOR(XORD(I1),YORD(I1))
C
480  CONTINUE

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C

CALL FRAME
STOP

C

C

C

FORMAT STATEMENTS

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1 FORMAT(2I10)
2 FORMAT(20H1   INITNP   INITEL)
3 FORMAT(2I10)
4 FORMAT(20H0   NOIVX    NCIVY)
5 FORMAT(2F10.4)
6 FORMAT(20H0   XCOR     YCOR)
7 FORMAT(4F10.4)
8 FORMAT(40H0   XMIN     XMAX   YMIN   YMAX)
9 FORMAT(30H0   NP       XCRD   YCRD)
10 FORMAT(I10,2F10.4)
11 FORMAT(40H0   ELEM    NP(1)   NP(2)   NP(3))
12 FORMAT(4I10)
13 FORMAT(*   NUMNP=*,I5,*   NUMEL=*,I5)
14 FORMAT(I10,20X,2F10.4)
15 FORMAT(I10,10X,3I10)
END
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C PROGRAM ELANP LISTS THE ELEMENTS AROUND EACH NODE POINT INSIDE THE
 C GIVEN BOUNDARY SHAPE.
 C INPUT DATA REQUIRED FOR THE PROGRAM INCLUDES.....
 CNUMEL,NST,NED ARE THE TOTAL NUMBER OF ELEMENTS
 C GENERATED FOR THE GIVEN SHAPE BY THE MESH PROGRAM,
 C THE NUMBER OF THE FIRST NODE POINT INSIDE THE
 C GIVEN BOUNDARY AND THE NUMBER OF THE LAST NODE
 C POINT INSIDE THE BOUNDARY RESPECTIVELY.
 CA TOTAL LISTING OF THE NODE POINTS DEFINING EACH
 C ELEMENT AS GENERATED BY LINES 420 TO 440 OF PROGRAM
 C MESH.
 C
 C OUTPUT DATA CONSISTS OF A LISTING OF EACH NODE POINT BETWEEN NST
 C AND NED WITH A COUNT OF THE NUMBER OF ELEMENTS AROUND EACH NODE
 C POINT AND THEIR IDENTIFICATION.
 C
 C THOSE NODE POINTS BETWEEN NST AND NED LYING ON THE BOUNDARY ARE
 C IDENTIFIABLE BY A ROW OF ZERCS AFTER THE NODE NUMBER.
 C
 C *****

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DIMENSION NOP(20),NP(2360,3)
6  FORMAT(I10,10X,3I10)
8  FCRMAT(3I10)
  READ(5,8) NUMEL,NST,NED
  READ(5,6) (N,NP(N,1),NP(N,2),NP(N,3),NN=1,NUMEL)
  M=0
  DO 42 K=NST,NED
  ICONT=0
  DO 82 IQ=1,14
  NOP(IQ)=0
82 CONTINUE
  KL=NST-2
  KK=K/KL
  K1=KK*KL+1
  K2=KK*KL
  IF(K .EQ. K1) GO TO 43
  IF(K .EQ. K2) GO TO 43
  DO 50 KX=1,2
  GO TO (90,92),KX
90 MS=K-K1+M+(KK-1)*2*(NST-3)
  ME=MS+3
  GO TO 94
92 MS=MS+2*(NST-3)
  ME=MS+3
94 CONTINUE
  DO 44 I=MS,ME
  IF(NP(I,1) .EQ. K) GO TO 78
  IF(NP(I,2) .EQ. K) GO TO 78
  IF(NP(I,3) .EQ. K) GO TO 78
  GO TO 44
78 ICONT=ICONT+1
  NOP(ICONT)=I
44 CONTINUE
50 CONTINUE
  M=M+1
  NSSSS=NST-5
  IF(M .GT. NSSSS) M=0
43 WRITE(6,80) K,ICONT,(NOP(N),N=1,14)
  WRITE(8,80) K,ICONT,(NOP(N),N=1,14)
42 CONTINUE
80 FORMAT(16I5)
  STOP
  
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PROGRAM POTEN(INPUT,OUTPUT,FILMPL,TAPE5=INPUT,TAPE6=OUTPUT)

PROGRAM POTEN IS A FINITE ELEMENT ALGORITHM WHICH CALCULATES THE VECTOR POTENTIAL AT EVERY NODE OF THE REGION DISCRETIZED INTO TRIANGULAR ELEMENTS BY PROGRAM MESH. POTEN IS BASED ON ANDERSONS EQUATIONS (REF.32) AND REQUIRES INFUT DATA FROM BOTH THE MESH AND ELANP PROGRAMS AS WELL AS A MODEL OF THE B/H CHARACTERISTIC OF THE FERROMAGNETIC MATERIAL AND THE BARS CURRENT DENSITY.

IN GENERAL THE PROGRAM HAS TO BE WRITTEN FOR THE PARTICULAR GEOMETRY UNDER CONSIDERATION AND THE REQUIRED OUTPUT.

INPUT DATA REQUIRED INCLUDES --

.....NUMBGN,NUMDIV DEFINE THE SCANNING PATH FOR THE FLUX DENSITY PLOTS
.....NUMNP,NUMEL ARE THE TOTAL NUMBER OF NODE FOINTS AND ELEMENTS RESPECTIVELY
.....NAROS AND NAROE CORRESPOND TO NST AND NED IN THE ELANP PROGRAM
.....THE LAST THREE READ STATEMENTS REFER TO THE DATA GENERATED BY MESH AND ELANP PROGRAMS
.....RVPER IS THE INVERSE OF THE PERMEABILITY OF FREE SPACE
.....CURR IS THE BAR CURRENT DENSITY

DIMENSION NP(1160,3),CJ(1160),RMU(1160),SL(1160,6),MAT(1160)
1 ,A(630),XORD(630),YORD(630),AREA(1160),BX(1160),BY(1160)
2 ,B(1160),IEDG(630),IETG(630,8),BXC(50),BYC(50),BC(50)
3 ,XX(50)

INPUT DATA

READ(5,1) NUMBGN,NUMDIV
READ(5,2) NUMNP,NUMEL,NAROS,NAROE
READ(5,4) (N, A(N),XORD(N),YORD(N),NN=1,NUMNP)
READ(5,6) (N,NP(N,1),NP(N,2),NP(N,3),NN=1,NUMEL)
READ(5,8) (N,IEDG(N),(IETG(N,I),I=1,8),NN=NAROS,NAROE)

RVPER=795774.7155
CURR=2.6016E+05

SCALING AND ELEMENT CALCULATIONS

DO 20 I=1,NUMNP
XORD(I)=XORD(I)*.0254
YORD(I)=YORD(I)*.0254

20 CONTINUE

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DO 38 I=1,NUMEL
IP=NP(I,1)
JP=NP(I,2)
KP=NP(I,3)
XJ=XORD(JP)-XORD(IP)
YJ=YORD(JP)-YORD(IP)
XK=XORD(KP)-XORD(IP)
YK=YORD(KP)-YORD(IP)
AREA(I)=(XJ*YK-XK*YJ)/2.0
A1=-(YK-YJ)/2.0
B1=YK/2.0
C1=-YJ/2.0
D1=(XK-XJ)/2.0
E1=-XK/2.0
F1=XJ/2.0
SL(I,1)=(A1*A1+D1*D1)/AREA(I)
SL(I,2)=(B1*B1+E1*E1)/AREA(I)
SL(I,3)=(C1*C1+F1*F1)/AREA(I)
SL(I,4)=(A1*B1+D1*E1)/AREA(I)
SL(I,5)=(A1*C1+D1*F1)/AREA(I)
SL(I,6)=(B1*C1+E1*F1)/AREA(I)
```

38 CONTINUE

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INITIALIZATION OF AIR AND IRON REGIONS
-- CALCULATION OF BAR CURRENT
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DO 60 I=1,NUMEL
RMU(I)=RVPER
CJ(I)=0.0
MAT(I)=0
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60 CONTINUE

C

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IEBL=301
66 CONTINUE
IEBR=IEBL+23
DO 67 I=IEBL,IEBR
661 CJ(I)=AREA(I)*CURR
662 B(I)=1.65
663 RMU(I)=2019.66
664 MAT(I)=I
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67 CONTINUE

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IEBL=IEBL+48
IF (IEBL.LE.852) GO TO 66
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C

CRACK PORTION

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DO 68 I=791,794
RMU(I)=RVPER
CJ(I)=0.0
MAT(I)=0
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68 CONTINUE

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DO 69 I=839,842
RMU(I)=RVPER
CJ(I)=0.0
MAT(I)=0
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69 CONTINUE

C
C SELECTION OF ACCELERATION FACTOR
C

```
ITER=0
FAC=2.1
RFAR=0.07
70 CONTINUE
IFLAG=0
ACK=0.0
ITER=ITER+1
IF (ITER.EQ.6) GO TO 71
FAC=FAC*0.2
GO TO 72
71 FAC=1.0
72 CONTINUE
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C
C BEGINING OF ITERATION
C

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DO 326 KOA=1,40
DO 42 K=NAROS,NAROE
IF(IEDG(K))201,42,201
201 T1=T2=T3=0.0
ME=IEDG(K)
DO 44 JJ=1,ME
I=IETG(K,JJ)
IF(NP(I,1)=K) 77,78,77
77 IF(NP(I,2)=K) 79,80,79
79 IF(NP(I,3)=K) 44,82,44
78 IP=1
JP=4
KP=5
I1=NP(I,2)
I2=NP(I,3)
GO TO 84
80 IP=2
JP=6
KP=4
I1=NP(I,3)
I2=NP(I,1)
GO TO 84
82 IP=3
JP=5
KP=6
I1=NP(I,1)
I2=NP(I,2)
84 T1=T1+CJ(I)
T2=T2+RMU(I)*SL(I,IP)
T3=T3+RMU(I)*(A(I1)*SL(I,JP)+A(I2)*SL(I,KP))
44 CONTINUE
T1=T1/3.0
AZ=(T1-T3)/T2
ANEW=A(K)+FAC*(AZ-A(K))
IF (ABS(A(K)-ANEW).LE.0.0001) GO TO 41
IFLAG=1
ACK=ABS(A(K)-ANEW)
41 CONTINUE
A(K)=ANEW
42 CONTINUE
KMA=(KOA/2)*2
IF(KMA.NE.KOA) GO TO 326
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CALCULATION OF NEW FLUX DENSITY IN THE MATERIAL

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DO 52 I=1,NUMEL
IF (MAT(I)=0) 203,52,203
203 IP=NP(I,1)
JP=NP(I,2)
KP=NP(I,3)
BX(I)=(A(IP)*(XORD(KP)-XORD(JP))+A(JP)*(XORD(IP)-XORD(KP))+A(KP)*(
1XORD(JP)-XORD(IP)))/(2.*AREA(I))
BY(I)=(A(IP)*(YORD(KP)-YORD(JP))+A(JP)*(YORD(IP)-YORD(KP))+A(KP)*(
2YORD(JP)-YORD(IP)))/(2.*AREA(I))
B(I)=SQRT(BX(I)*BX(I)+BY(I)*BY(I))
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C

CALCULATION OF NEW PERMEABILITY USING MCDELED B/H CURVE

```
IF (B(I)=1.3) 91,91,204
204 IF (B(I)=1.9) 93,93,205
205 IF (B(I)=2.2) 95,95,206
206 IF (B(I)=2.5) 97,97,207
207 RR1=RVPER
GO TO 99
91 RR1=95.0+240.5576923*B(I)
GO TO 99
93 RR1=B(I)*(89623.82-B(I)*(74098.4562-20369.373*B(I)))-35628.365
GO TO 99
95 RR1=6875.0+61628.78767*(B(I)-1.9)
GO TO 99
97 RR1=25363.6363+179454.5457*(B(I)-2.2)
99 RMU(I)=RMU(I)+RFAR*(RR1-RMU(I))
52 CONTINUE
326 CONTINUE
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C

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IF (ITER.EQ.6) GO TO 350
IF (IFLAG.EQ.1) GO TO 70
350 CONTINUE
WRITE (6,101) ITER,ACK
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C

CALCULATION OF NEW FLUX DENSITY IN AIR PORTION

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DO 3500 I=1,NUMEL
IF (MAT(I)=0) 3500,400,3500
400 IP=NP(I,1)
JP=NP(I,2)
KP=NP(I,3)
BX(I)=(A(IP)*(XORD(KP)-XORD(JP))+A(JP)*(XORD(IP)-XORD(KP))+A(KP)*(
1XORD(JP)-XORD(IP)))/(2.*AREA(I))
BY(I)=(A(IP)*(YORD(KP)-YORD(JP))+A(JP)*(YORD(IP)-YORD(KP))+A(KP)*(
2YORD(JP)-YORD(IP)))/(2.*AREA(I))
3500 CONTINUE
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C
C   CALCULATION OF MAGNETIC FIELD ABOVE BAR
C
  ICNT=0
  NUMEND=NUMBGN+NUMDIV*2-1
  DO 510 I=NUMBGN,NUMEND,2
410  ICNT=ICNT+1
      BXC(ICNT)=(BX(I)+BX(I+1))/2.
      BYC(ICNT)=(BY(I)+BY(I+1))/2.
      BC(ICNT)=SQRT(BXC(ICNT)*BXC(ICNT)+BYC(ICNT)*BYC(ICNT))
      XX(ICNT)=XORD(ICNT)
510  CONTINUE
C
C   OUTPUT DATA AND PLOTS
C
  CALL MAPA (7,XX,BXC,1,24,WL,WH,VL,VH,1H ,1H ,1H ,1)
  CALL MAPA (5,XX,BXC,1,24,WL,WH,VL,VH,1H ,1H ,1H ,1)
  CALL MAPM (5,XX,BXC,1,24,WL,WH,VL,VH,1H ,1H ,1H ,1)
  CALL MAPA (7,XX,BYC,1,24,WL,WH,VL,VH,1H ,1H ,1H ,1)
  CALL MAPA (5,XX,BYC,1,24,WL,WH,VL,VH,1H ,1H ,1H ,1)
  CALL MAPM (5,XX,BYC,1,24,WL,WH,VL,VH,1H ,1H ,1H ,1)
  CALL MAPA (7,XX,BC ,1,24,WL,WH,VL,VH,1H ,1H ,1H ,1)
  CALL MAPA (5,XX,BC ,1,24,WL,WH,VL,VH,1H ,1H ,1H ,1)
  CALL MAPM (5,XX,BC ,1,24,WL,WH,VL,VH,1H ,1H ,1H ,1)
C
C   WRITE STATEMENT
C
  WRITE (6,10)
  WRITE (6,12) (MAT(I),I=1,NUMEL,2)
  WRITE (6,10)
  NUMB=1
  DO 550 J=1,25
  NUME=NUMB+12
  WRITE (6,11) (A(I),I=NUMB,NUME)
  NUMB=NUMB+25
550  CONTINUE
  NUMB=14
  DO 560 J=1,25
  NUME=NUMB+11
  WRITE (6,14) (A(I),I=NUMB,NUME)
  NUMB=NUMB+25
560  CONTINUE
  STOP
C
C   FORMAT STATEMENT
C
  1  FORMAT (2I10)
  2  FORMAT(4I10)
  4  FORMAT(I10,10X,3F10.4)
  6  FORMAT(I10,10X,3I10)
  8  FORMAT(10I5)
 10  FORMAT (1H1)
 11  FORMAT (1X,13E10.3)
 12  FORMAT (24I4)
 14  FORMAT (3X,12(1E11.4))
 16  FORMAT (1X,I10,10X,3E16.6)
101  FORMAT (1X,I10,E15.6)
102  FORMAT(5X,6(1X,F8.5))
106  FORMAT(///)
  END

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