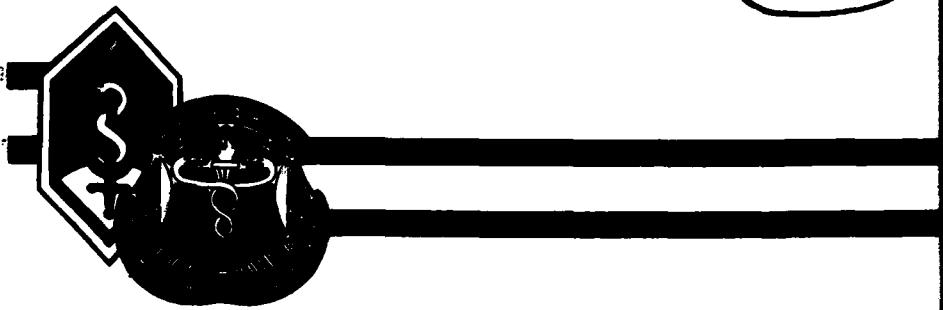


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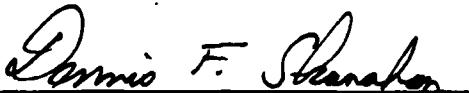
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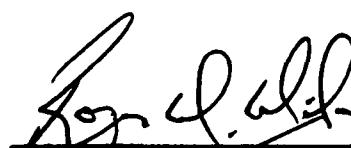
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## Appendix A

This appendix contains the processed transducer signals from the 11 (Cobra) telescopic sighting unit (TSU) tests with inertia reels and without airbags.

These include eight tests (LX6196 - LX6204) conducted during the first phase of testing and three tests (LX6274 - LX6276) which were run in the second phase.

Figures A-1 thru A-11 show the sled acceleration pulses and computed velocity and jerk signals for the 11 tests.

Figures A-12 thru A-22 display available components and resultants head linear accelerations.

Figures A-23 thru A-33 display the head roll acceleration signals and computed angular velocities and displacements.

Figures A-34 thru A-44 show the head pitch acceleration signals and computed angular velocities and displacements.

Figures A-45 thru A-55 display the amounts of belt extension and the computed velocities and accelerations.

# **Appendix A**

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Test: LX6196

maxima:  
minima:

19.64 G  
-.45

11.06 m/s  
.00

2253 G/s  
-940

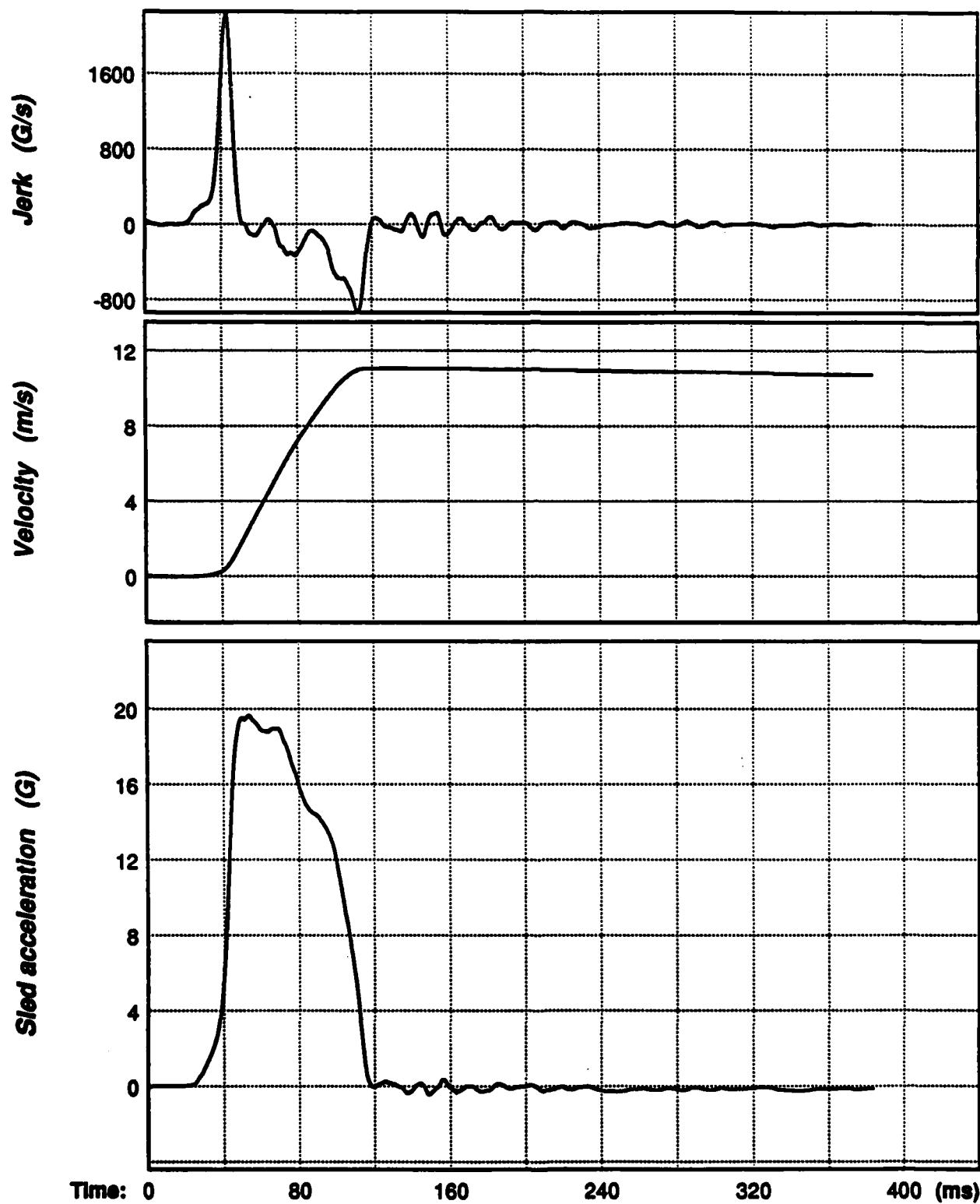


Figure A-1. Sled acceleration signal and its computed velocity and jerk for test LX6196.

Test: LX6197

maxima:  
minima:

19.59 G  
-.58

10.97 m/s  
.00

2291 G/s  
-1040

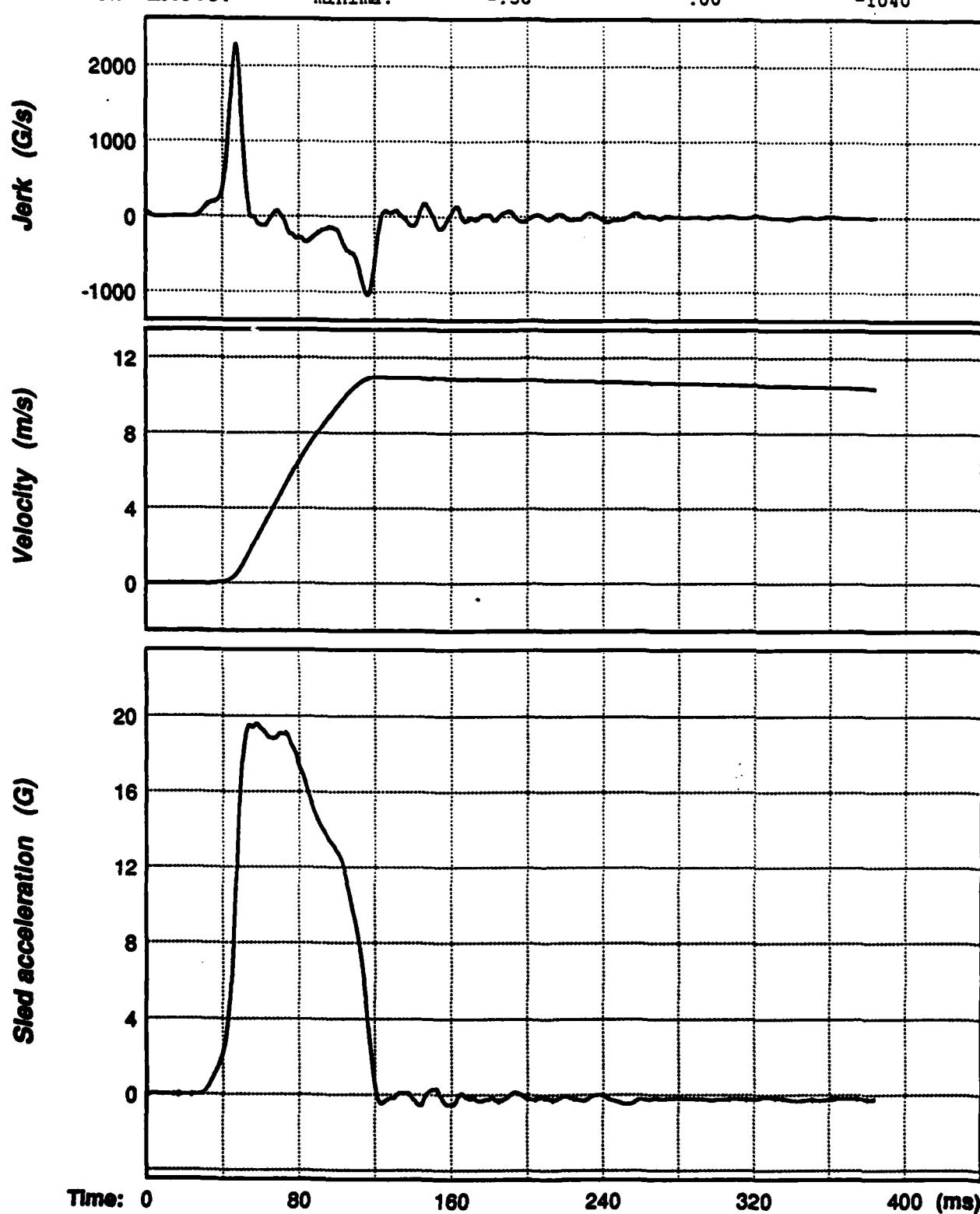


Figure A-2. Sled acceleration signal and its computed velocity and jerk for test LX6197.

Test: LX6198      maxima: 19.57 G      10.96 m/s      2288 G/s  
minima: -.63      -.01      -990

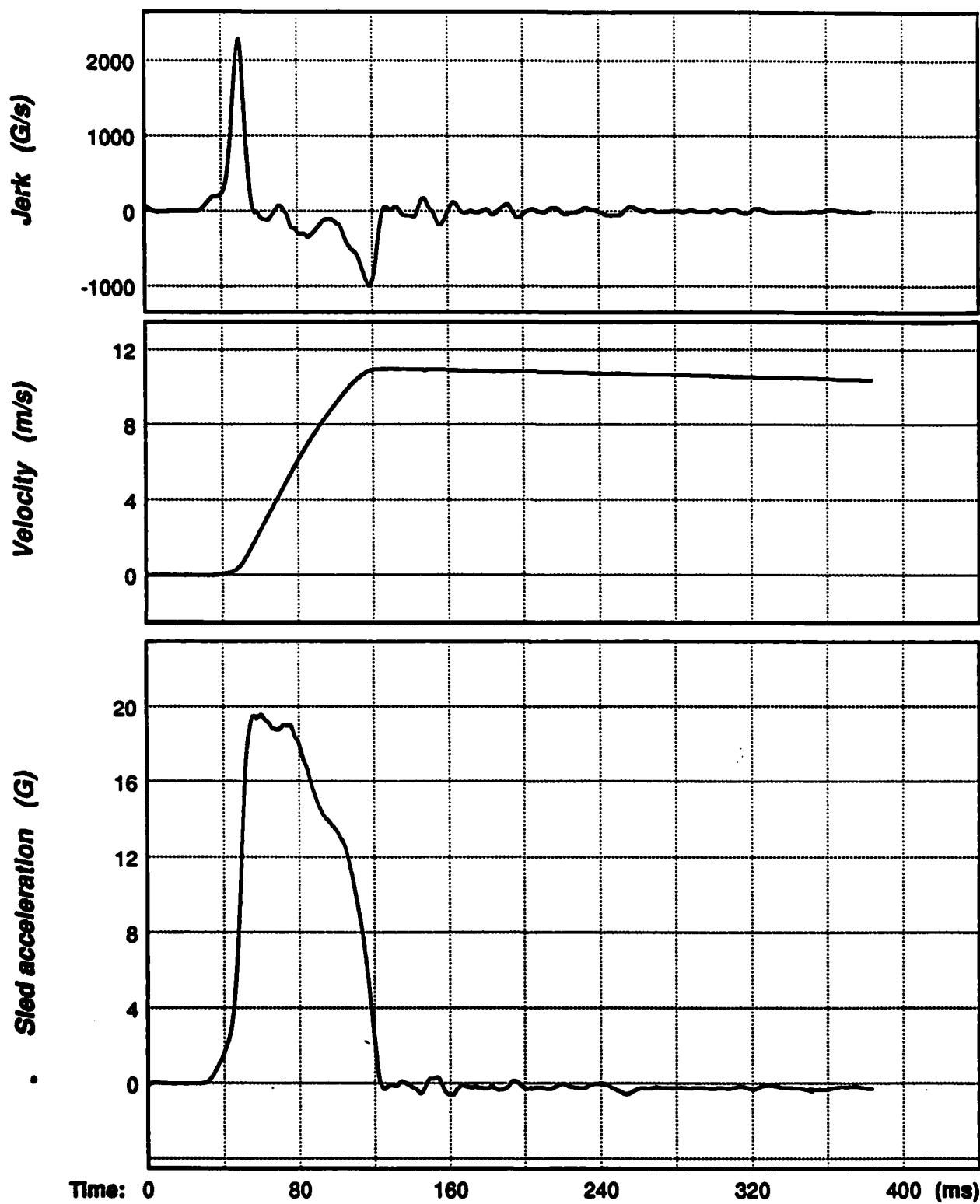


Figure A-3. Sled acceleration signal and its computed velocity and jerk for test LX6198.

Test: LX6199      maxima: 23.47 G      12.01 m/s      2821 G/s  
                      minima: -.53      .00      -1149

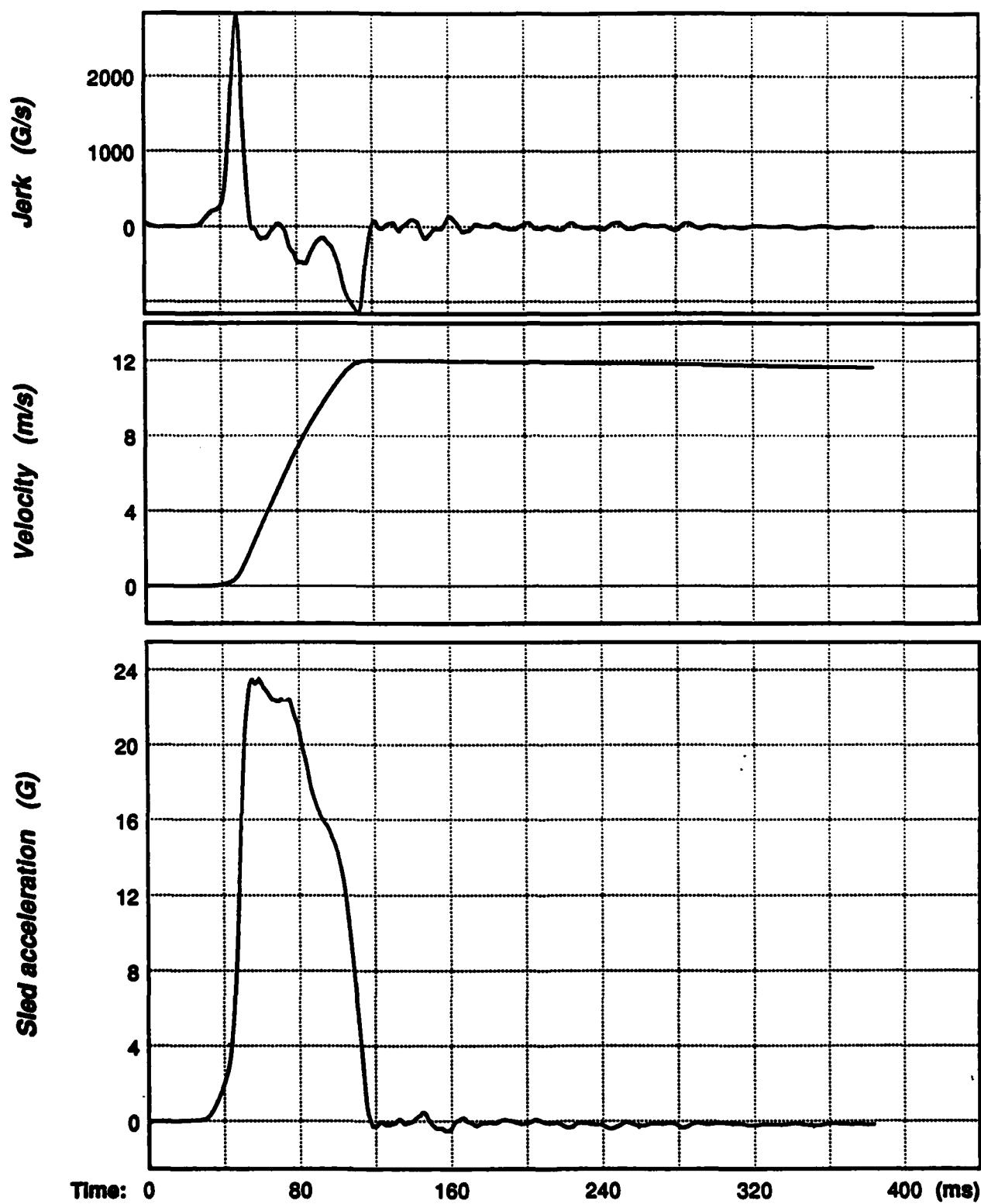


Figure A-4. Sled acceleration signal and its computed velocity and jerk for test LX6199.

Test: LX6200      maxima: 23.42 G      11.97 m/s      2833 G/s  
                      minima: -.56      .00      -1157

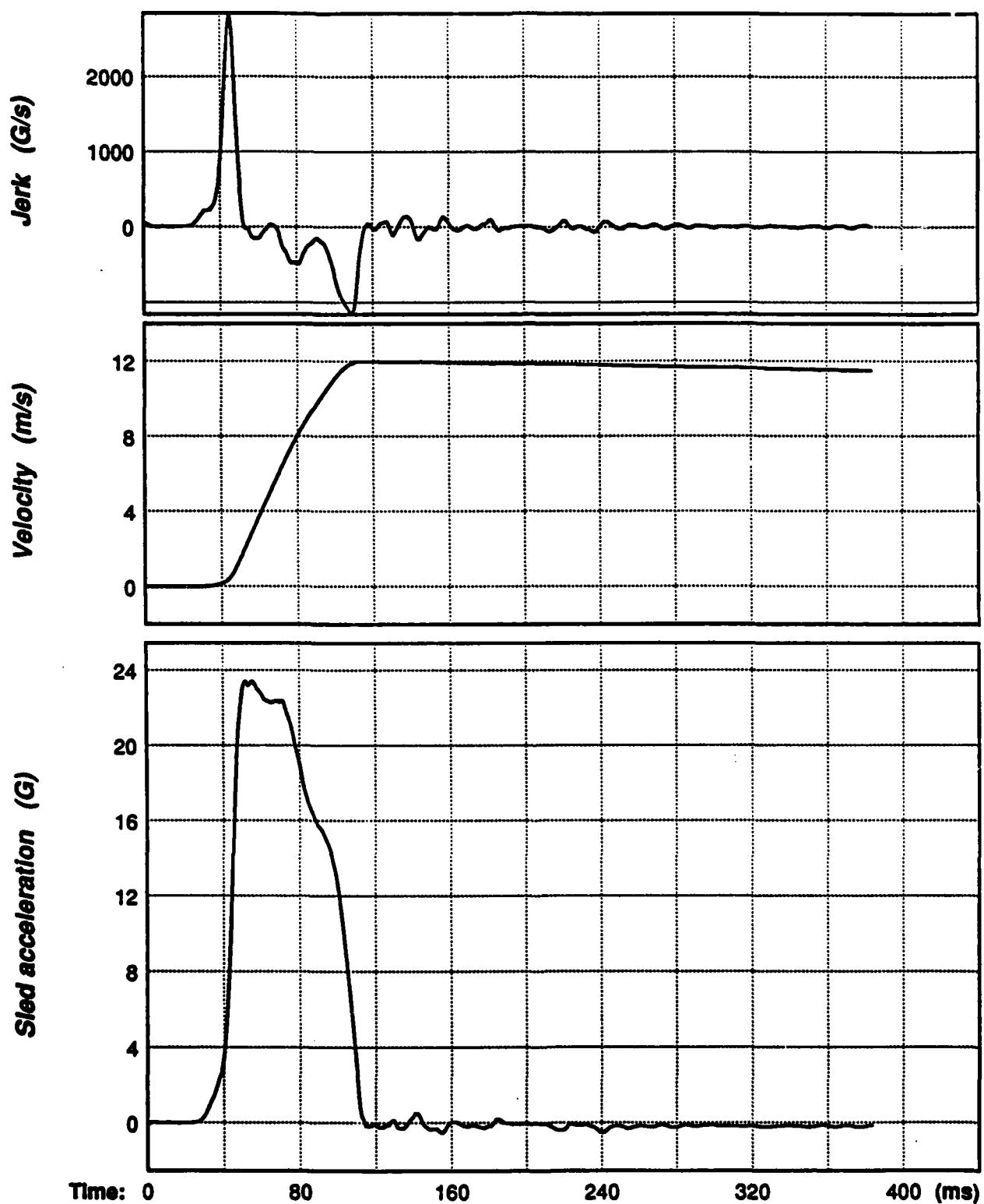


Figure A-5. Sled acceleration signal and its computed velocity and jerk for test LX6200.

Test: LX6201      maxima: 23.41 G      11.99 m/s      2828 G/s  
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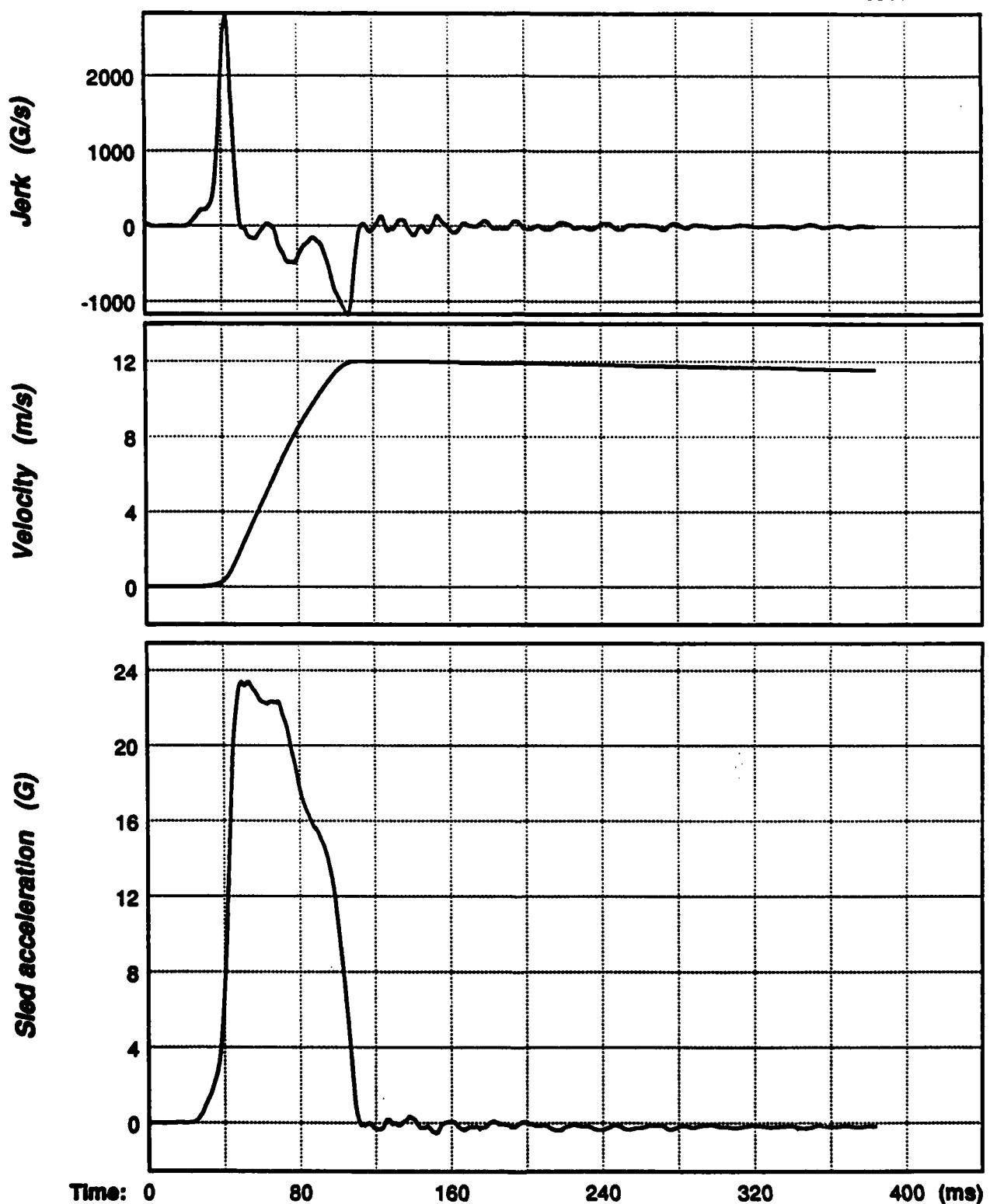


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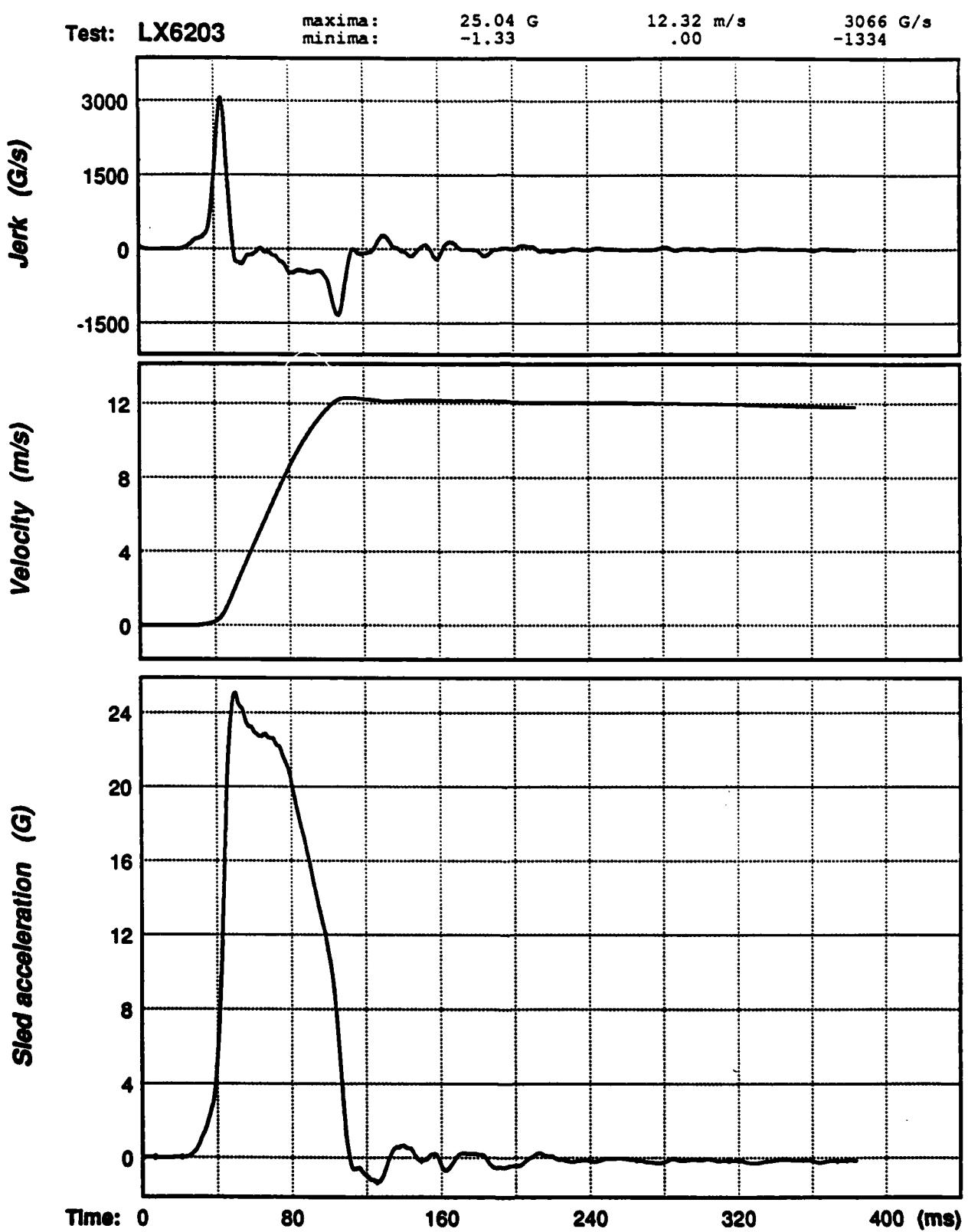


Figure A-7. Sled acceleration signal and its computed velocity and jerk for test LX6203.

Test: LX6204 maxima: 25.03 G 12.33 m/s 3069 G/s  
minima: -1.50 .00 -1310

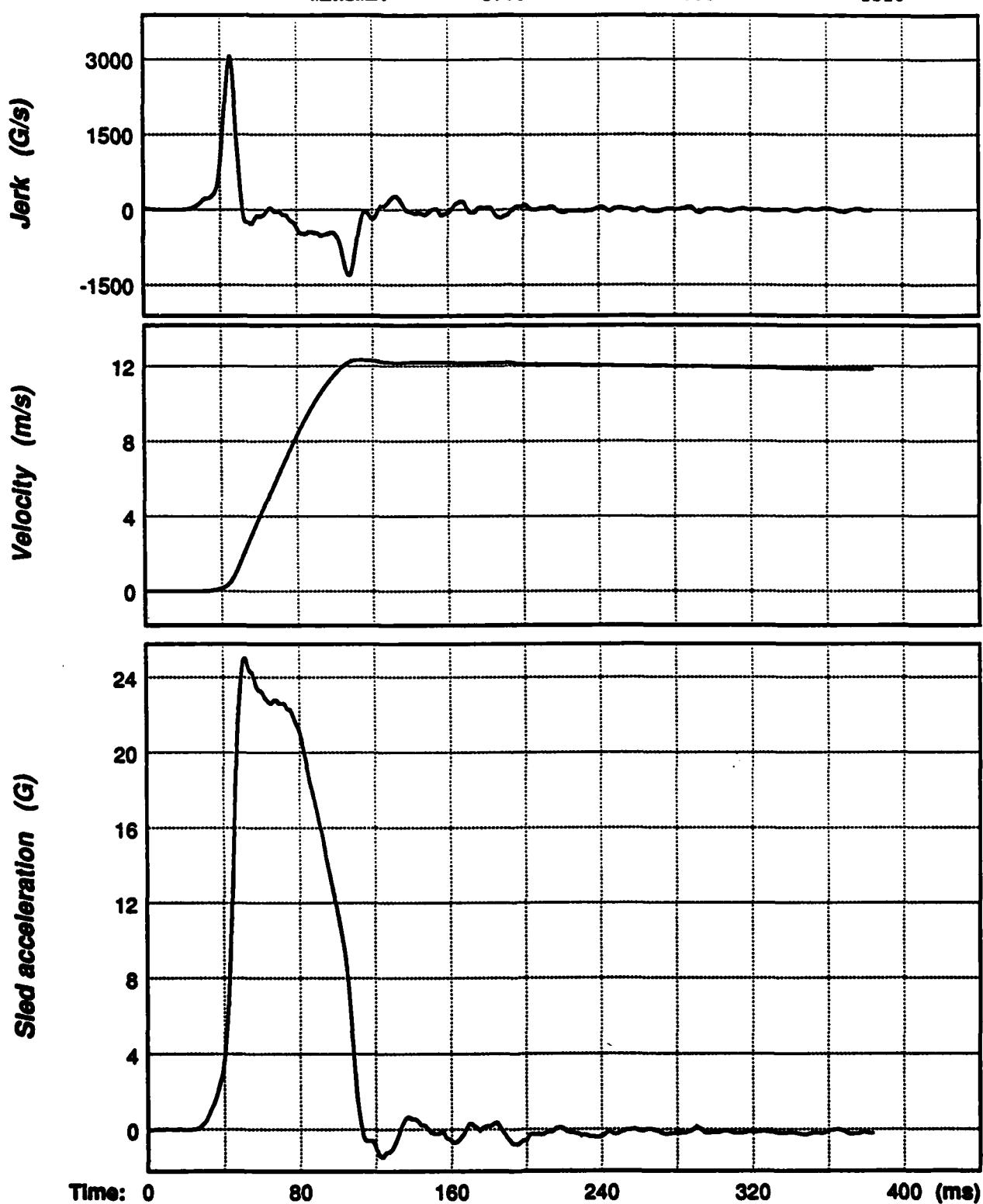


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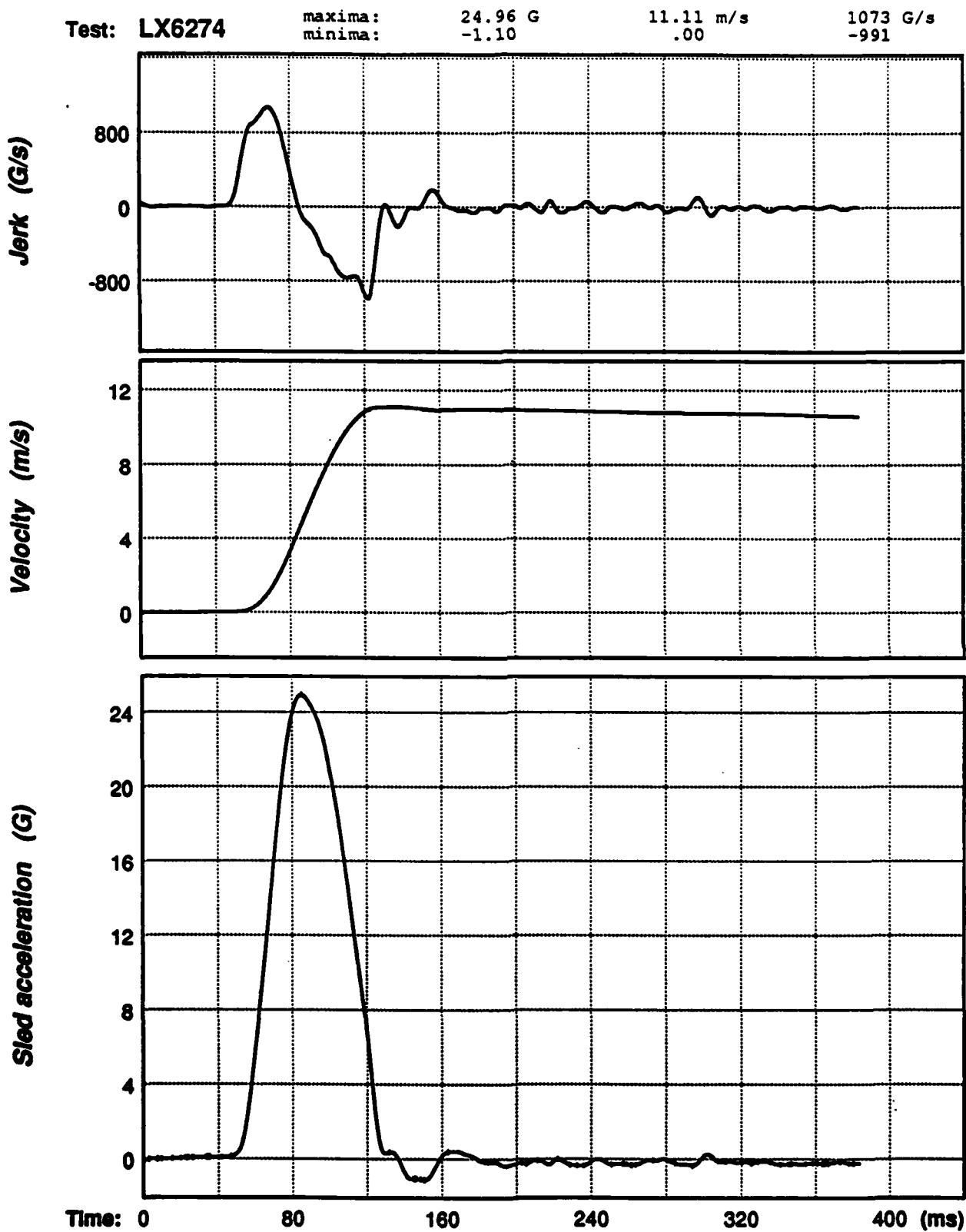


Figure A-9. Sled acceleration signal and its computed velocity and jerk for test LX6274.

Test: LX6275      maxima: 25.01 G      11.12 m/s      1061 G/s  
minima: -1.13      .00      -1021

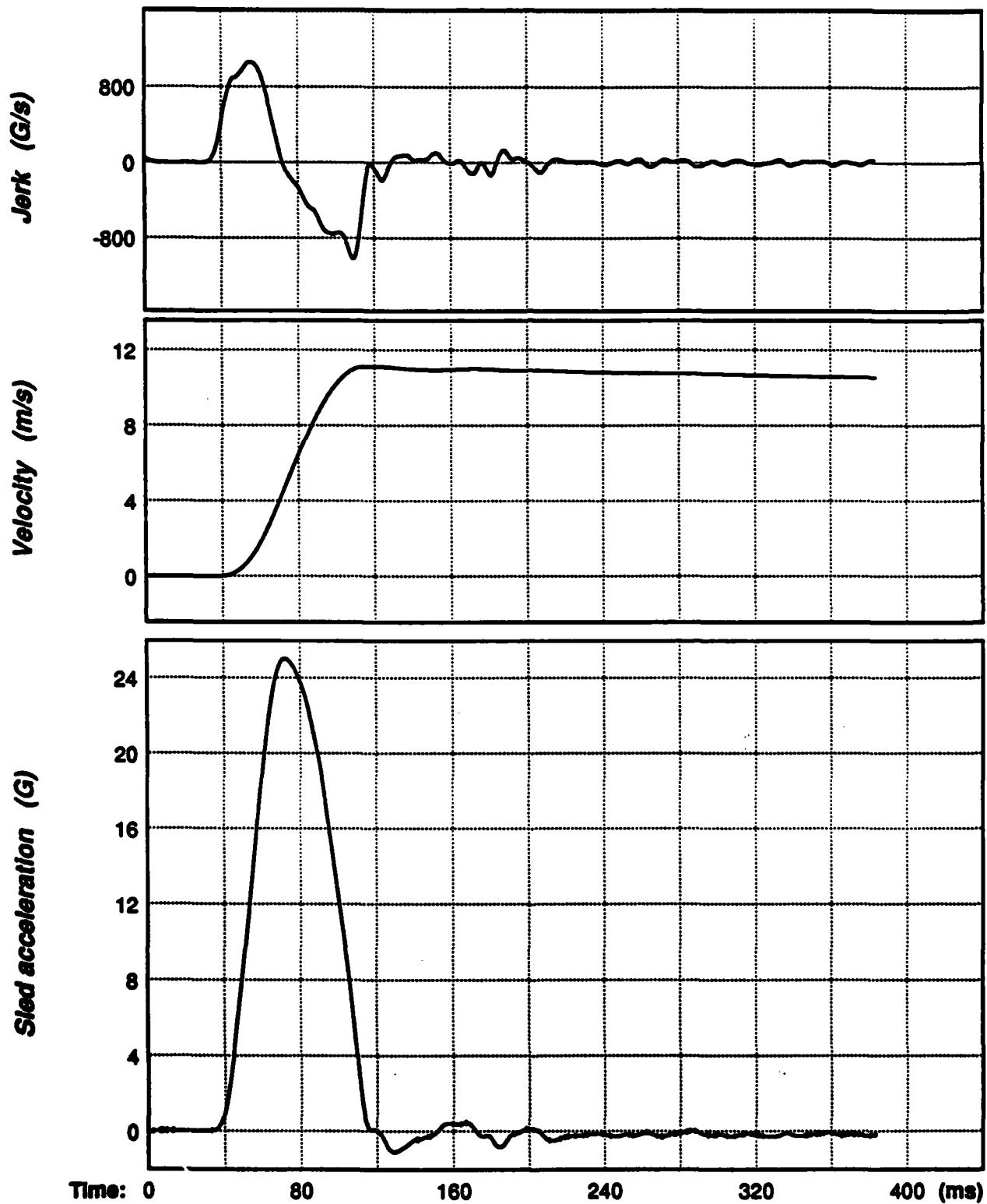


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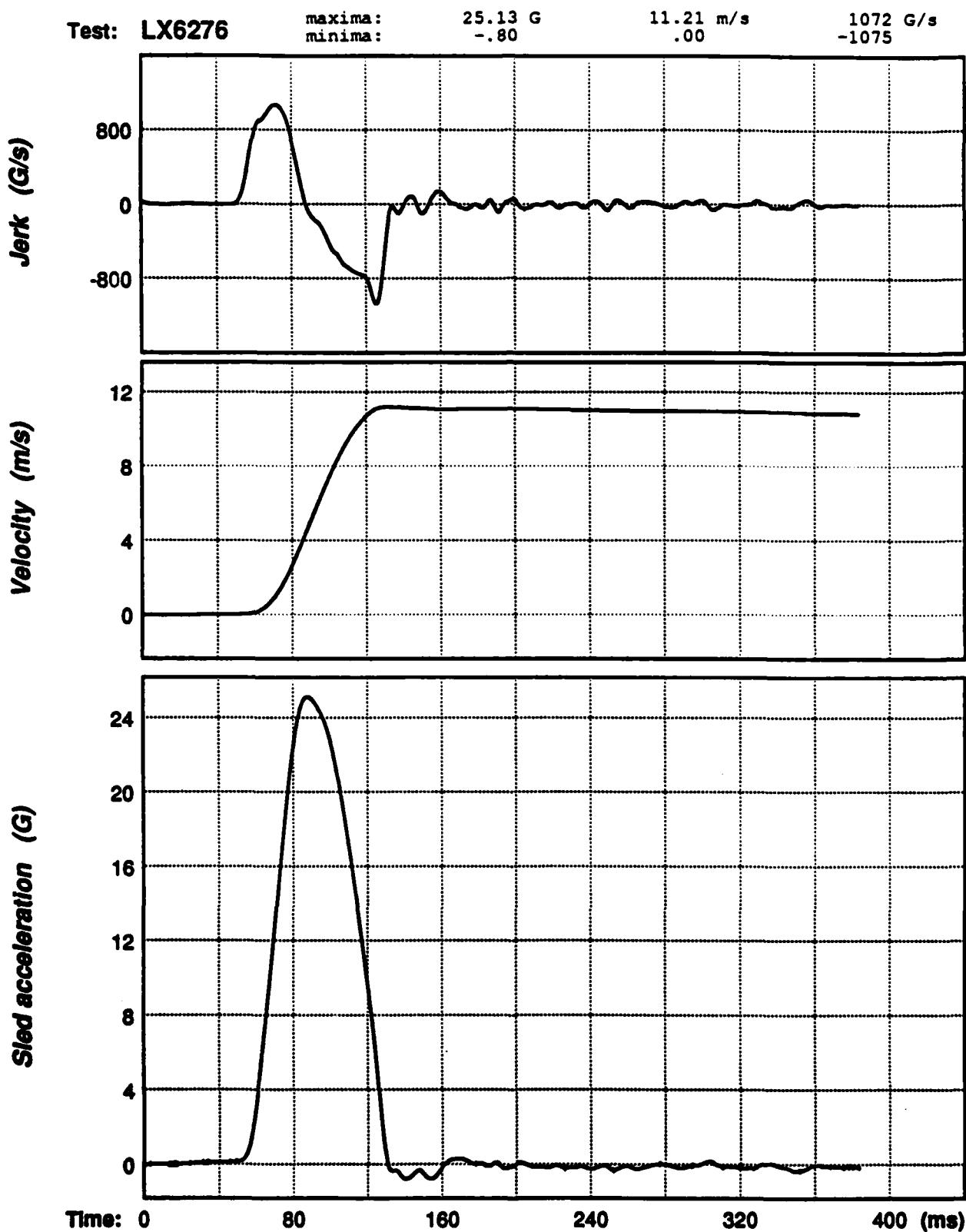


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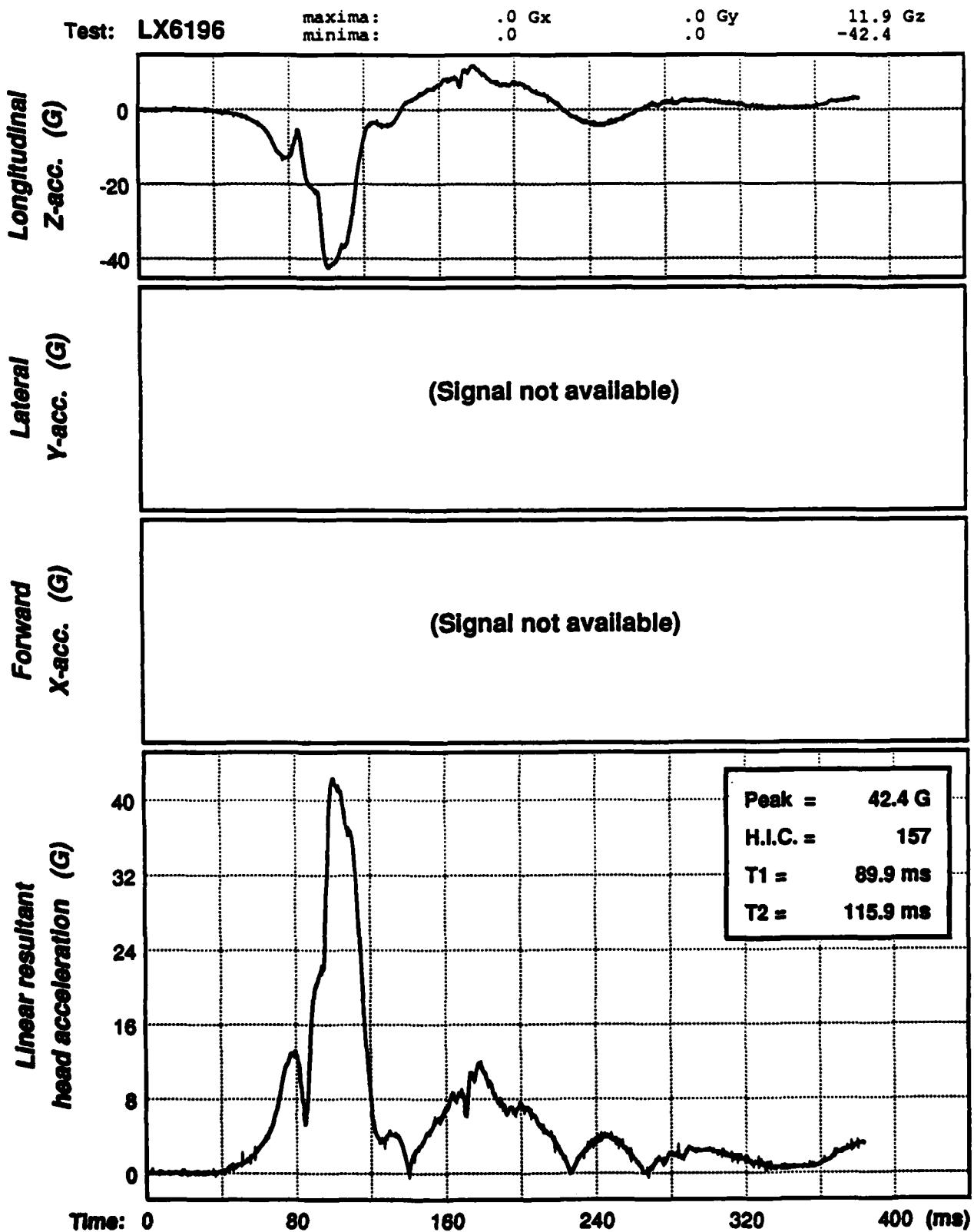


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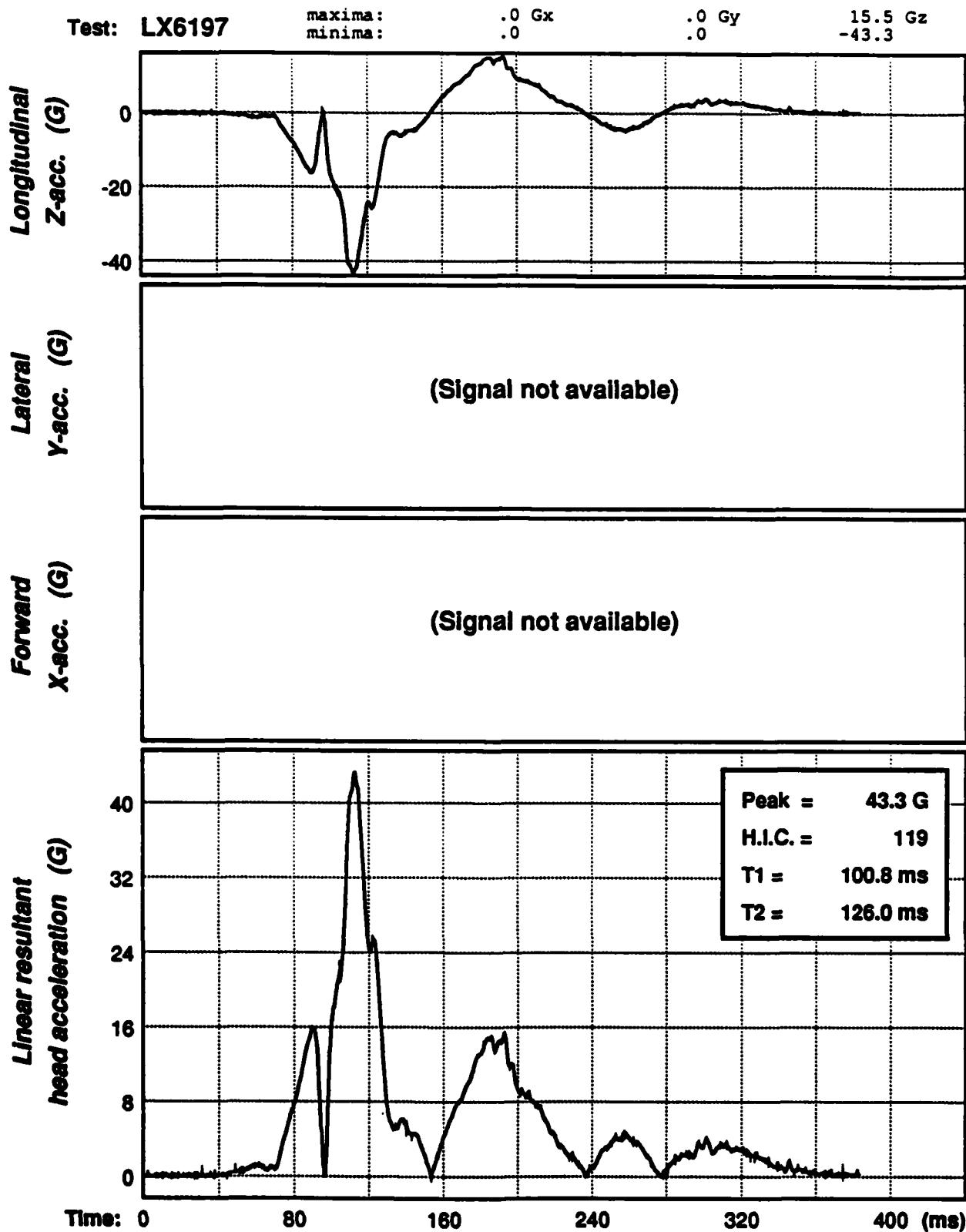


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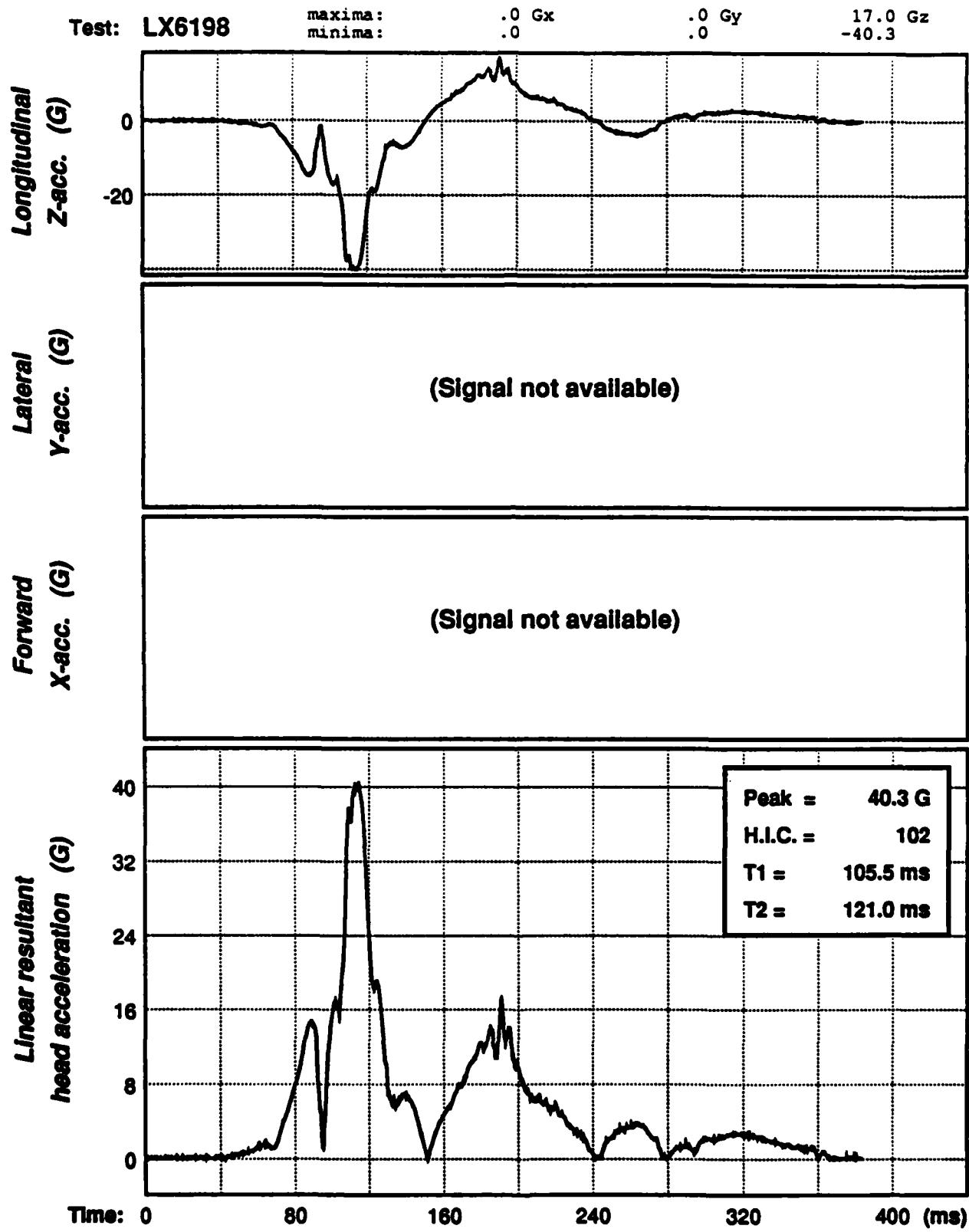


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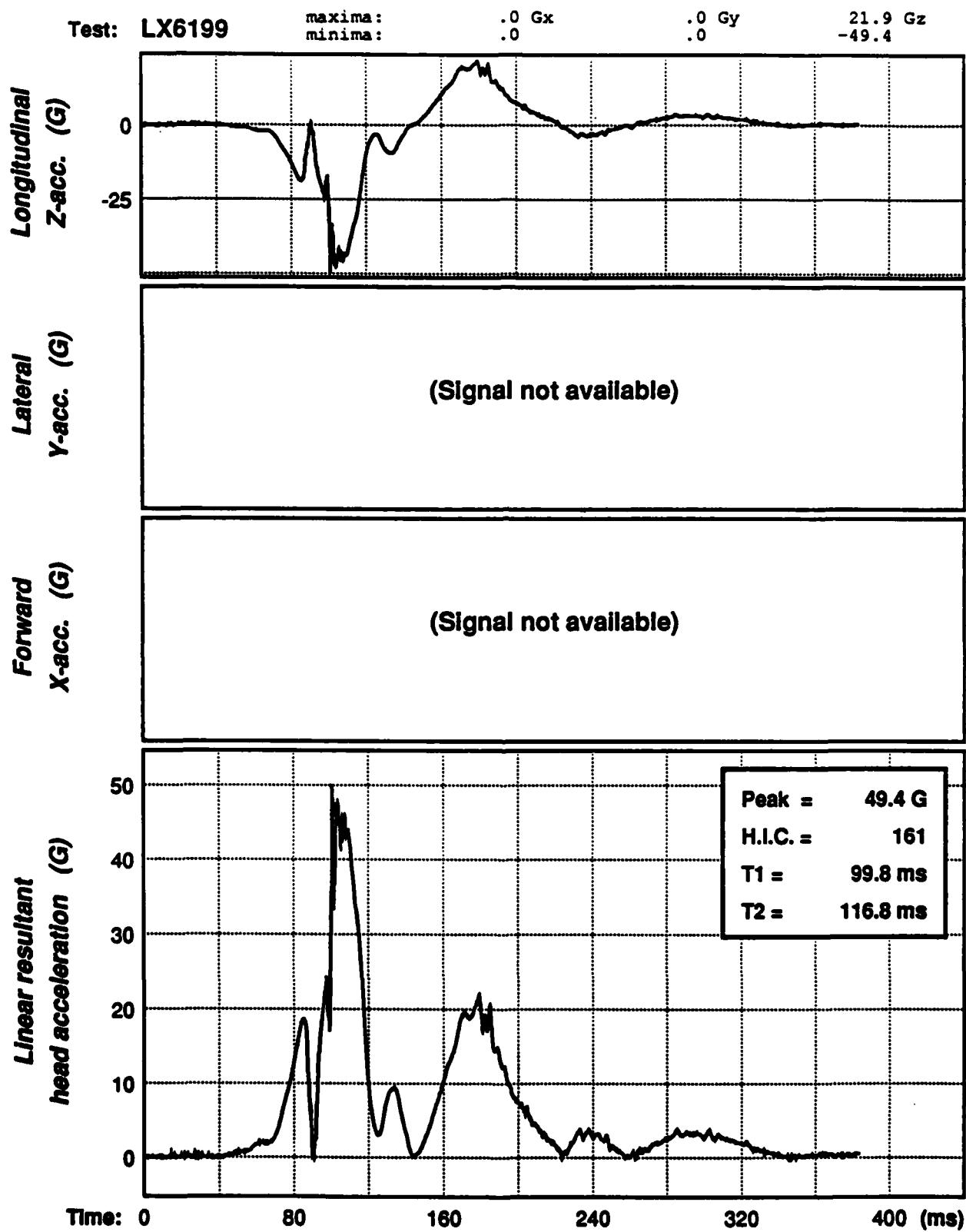
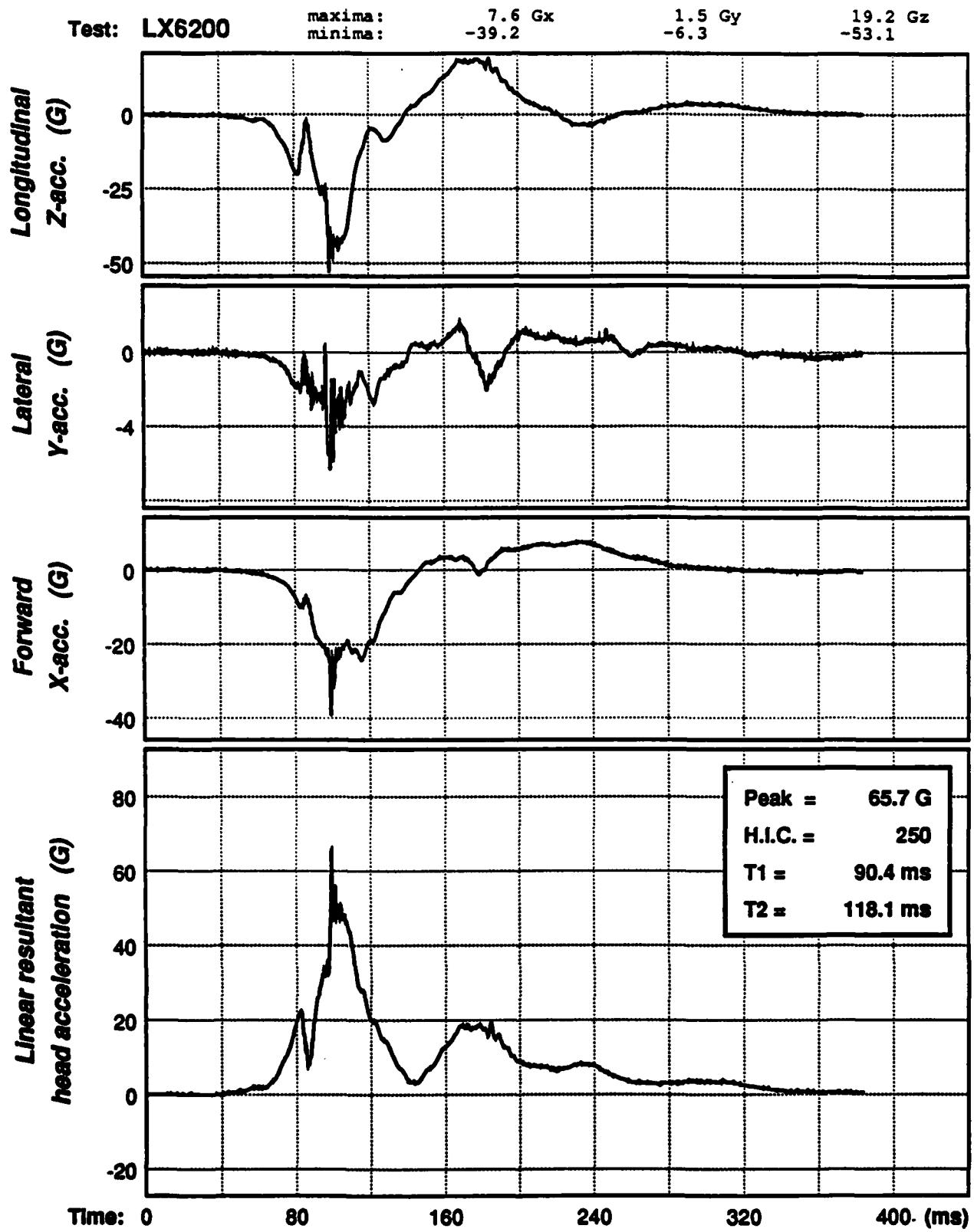


Figure A-15. Three components and resultant of the linear head acceleration for test LX6199.



**Figure A-16.** Three components and resultant of the linear head acceleration for test LX6200.

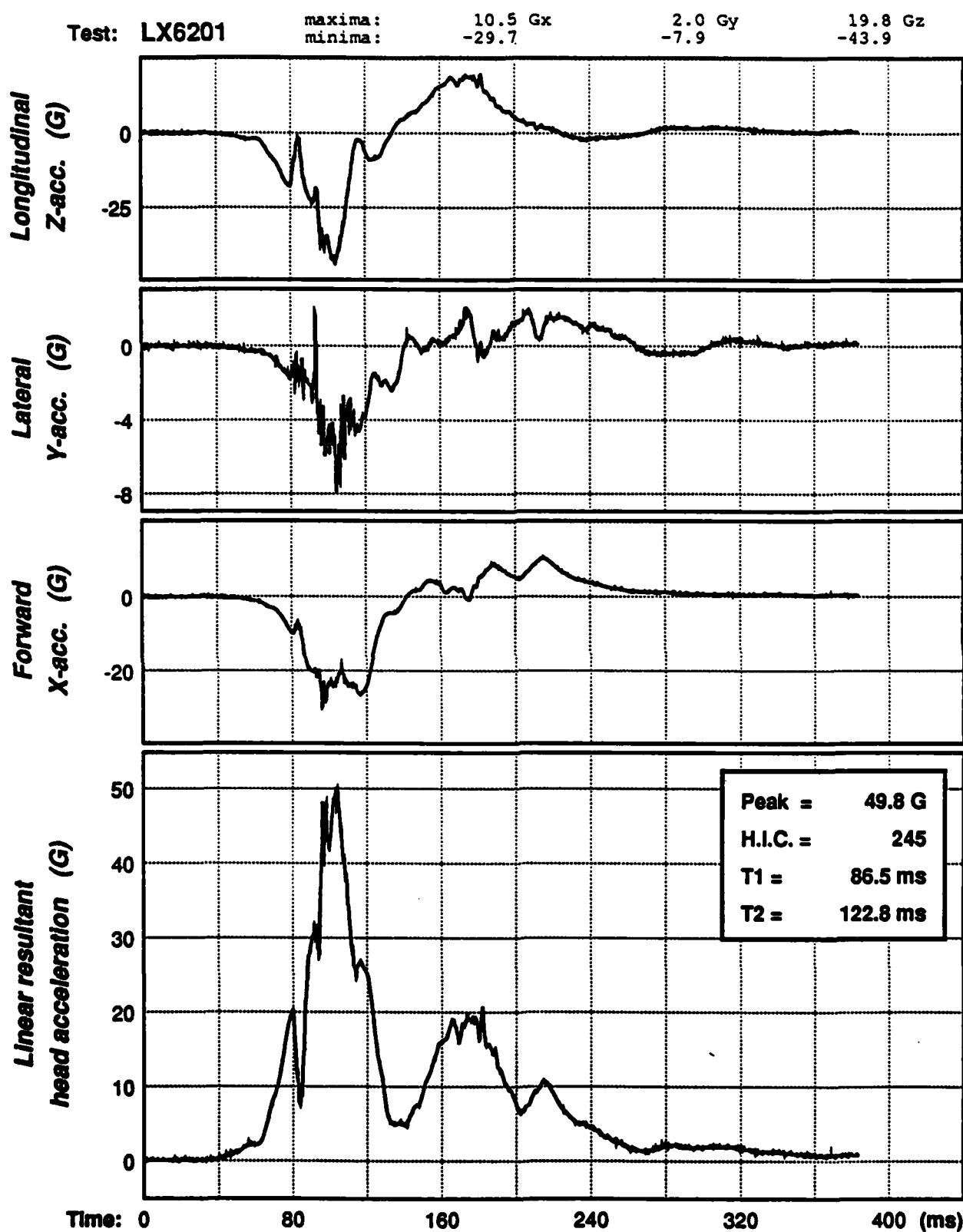


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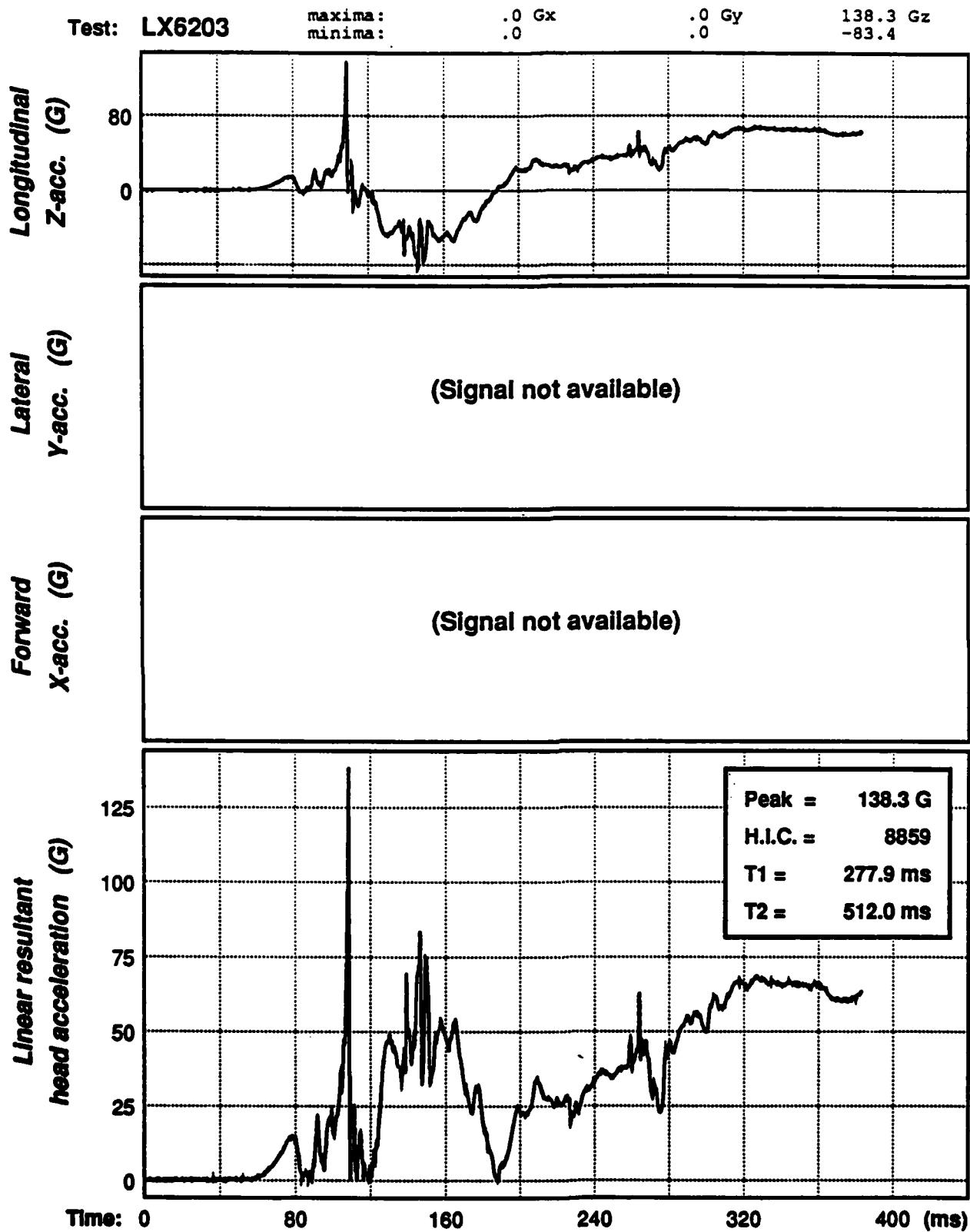


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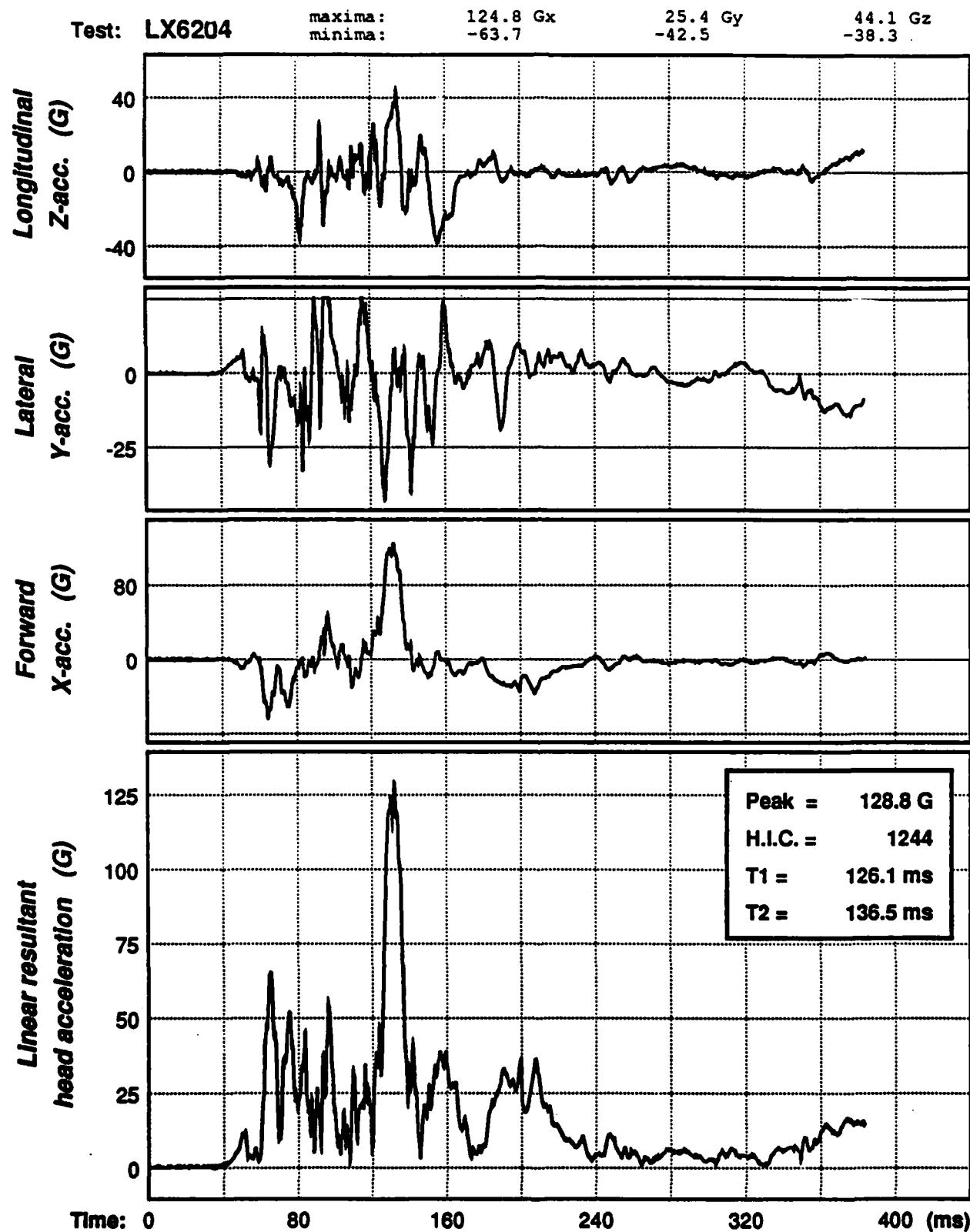


Figure A-19. Three components and resultant of the linear head acceleration for test LX6204.

Test: LX6274

maxima:  
minima:

42.4 Gx  
-78.4

10.3 Gy  
-6.8

44.9 Gz  
-37.5

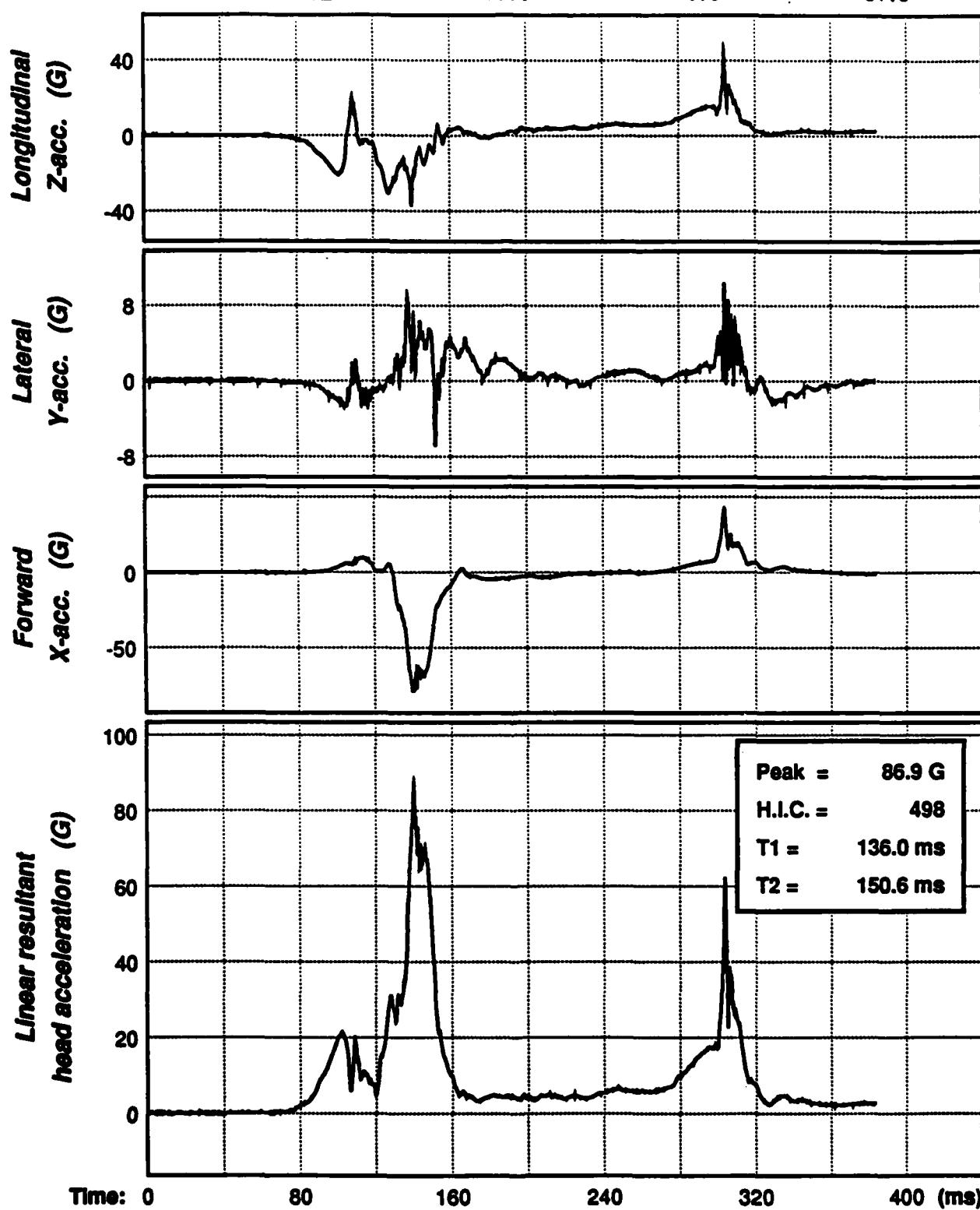


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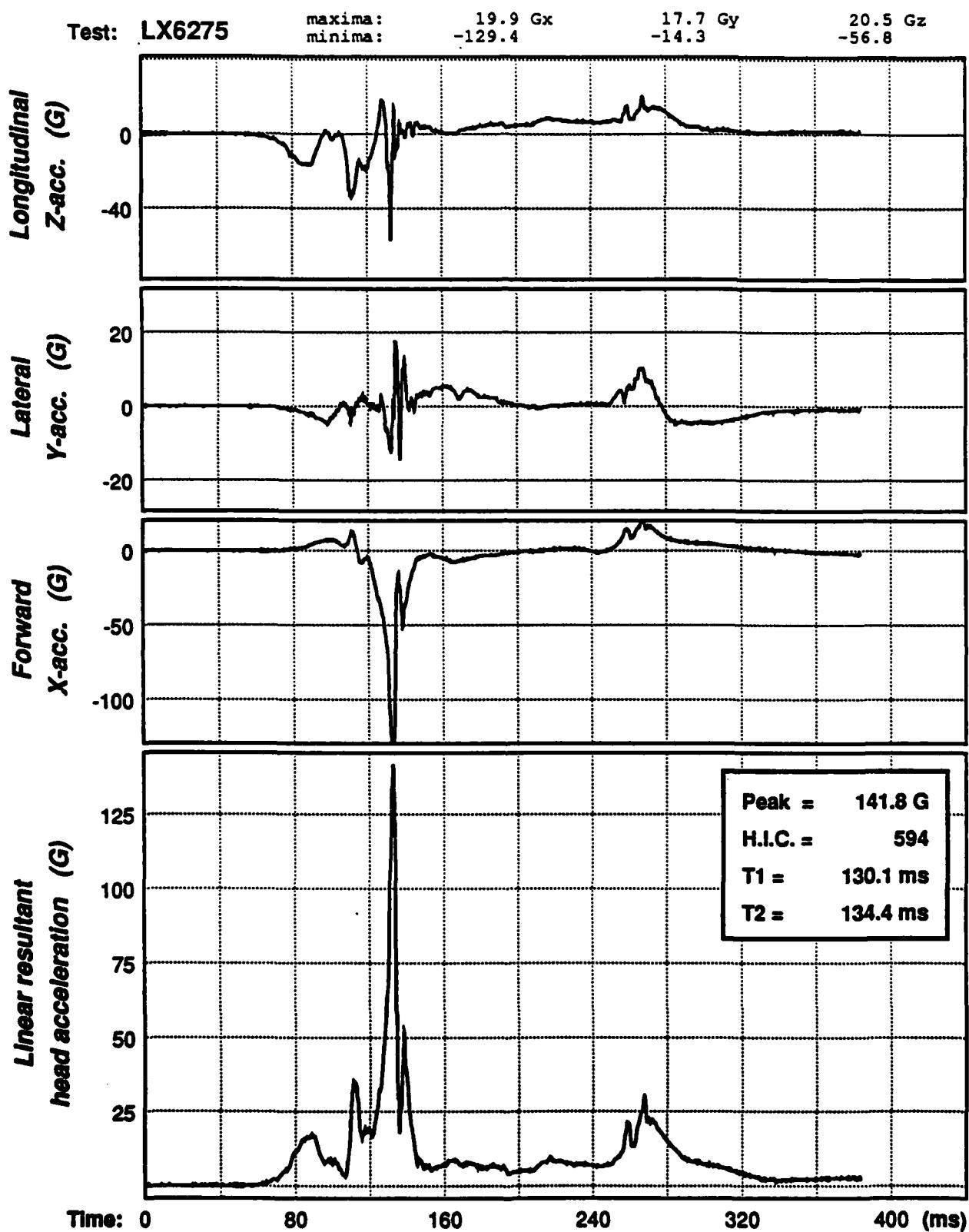


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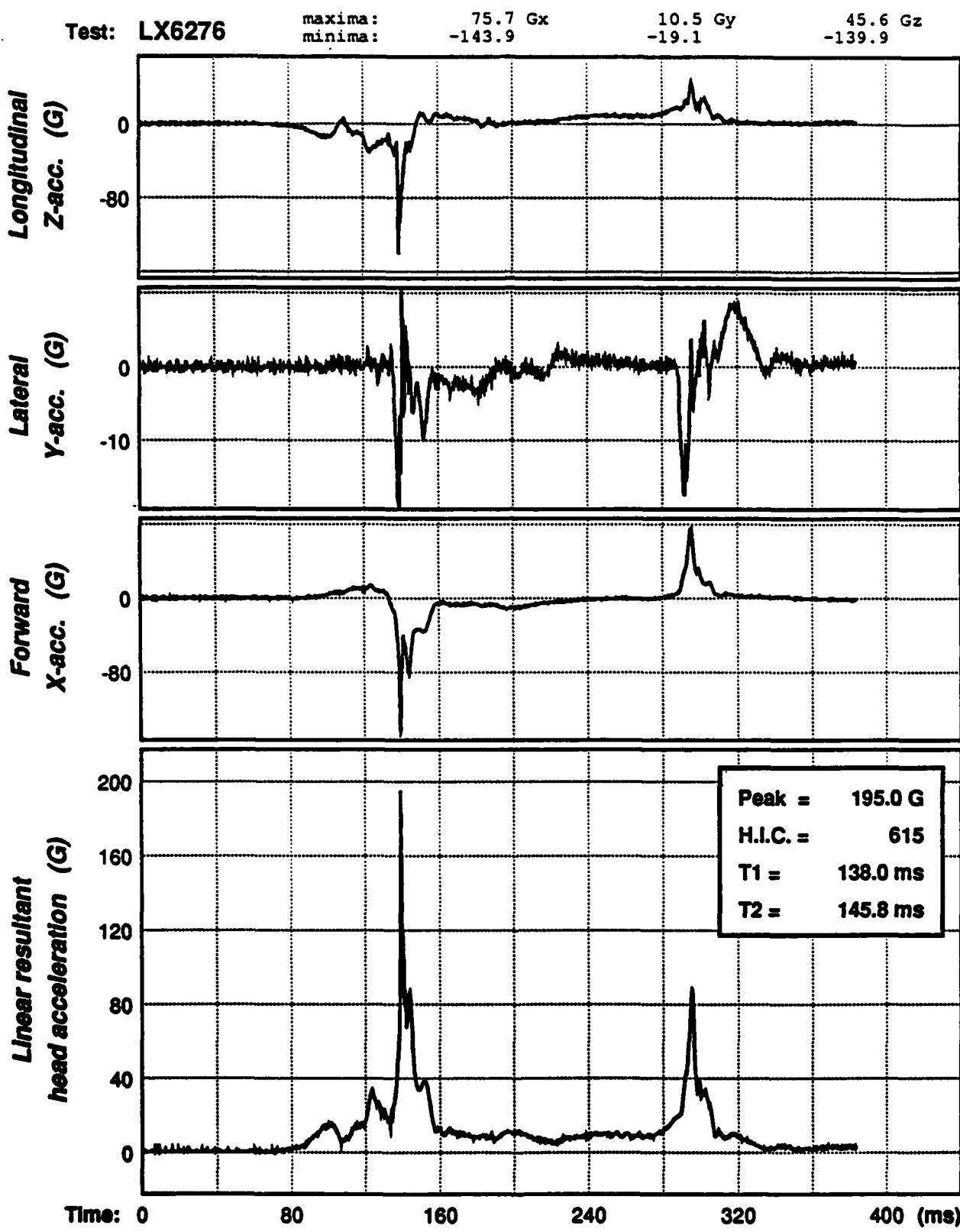


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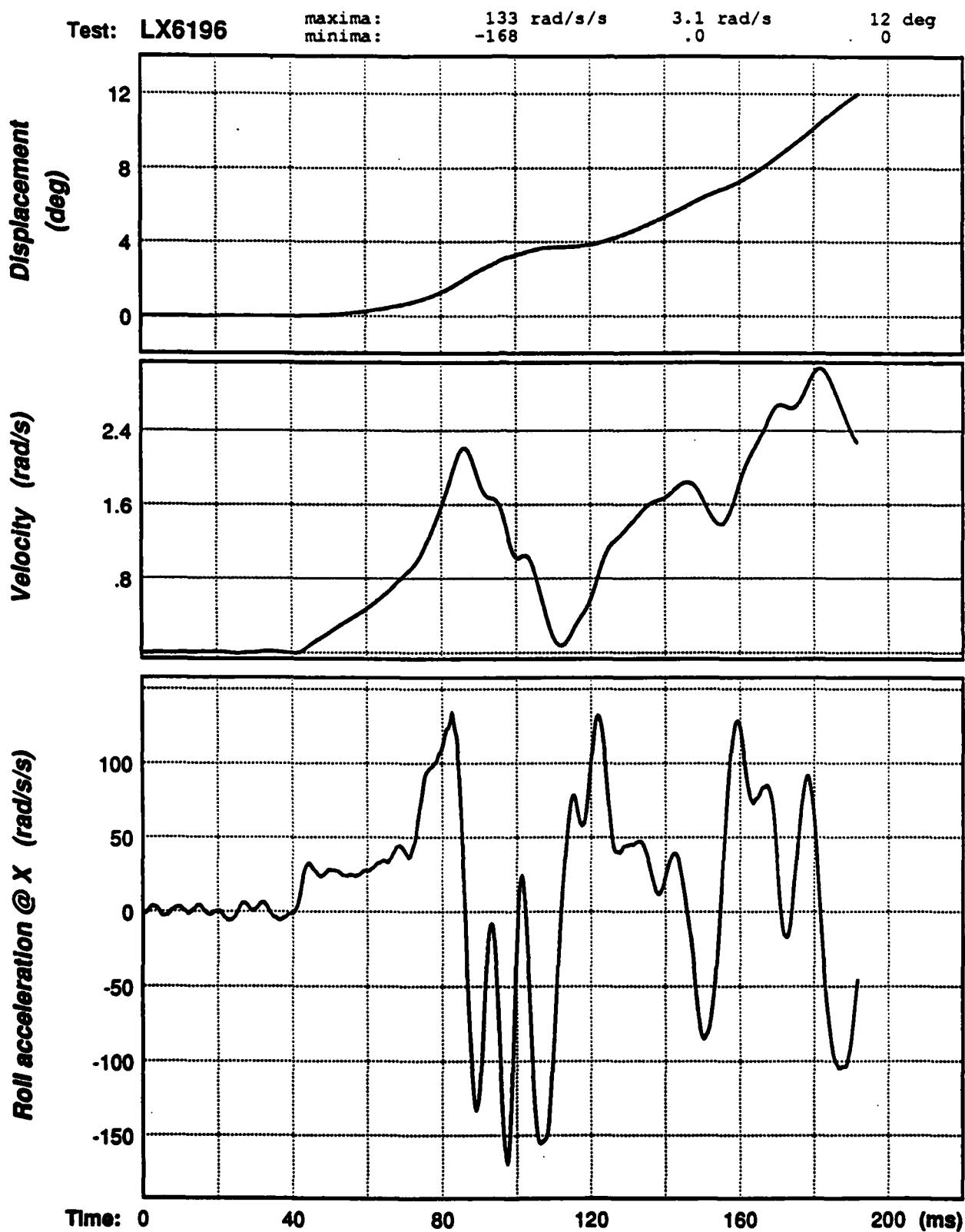


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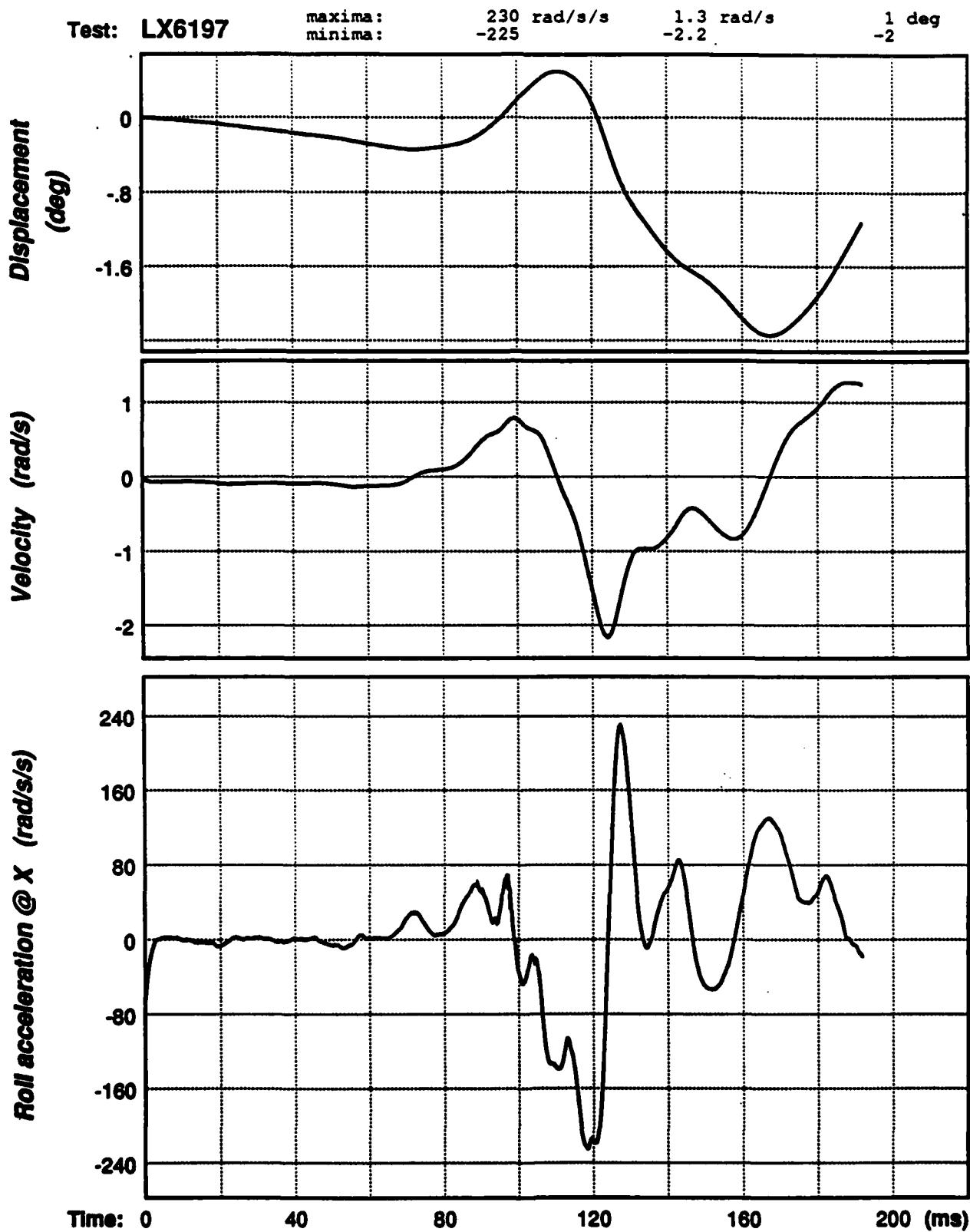


Figure A-24. Head roll angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6197.

Test: LX6198      maxima: 180 rad/s/s      1.5 rad/s      2 deg  
minima: -327      -1.6      0

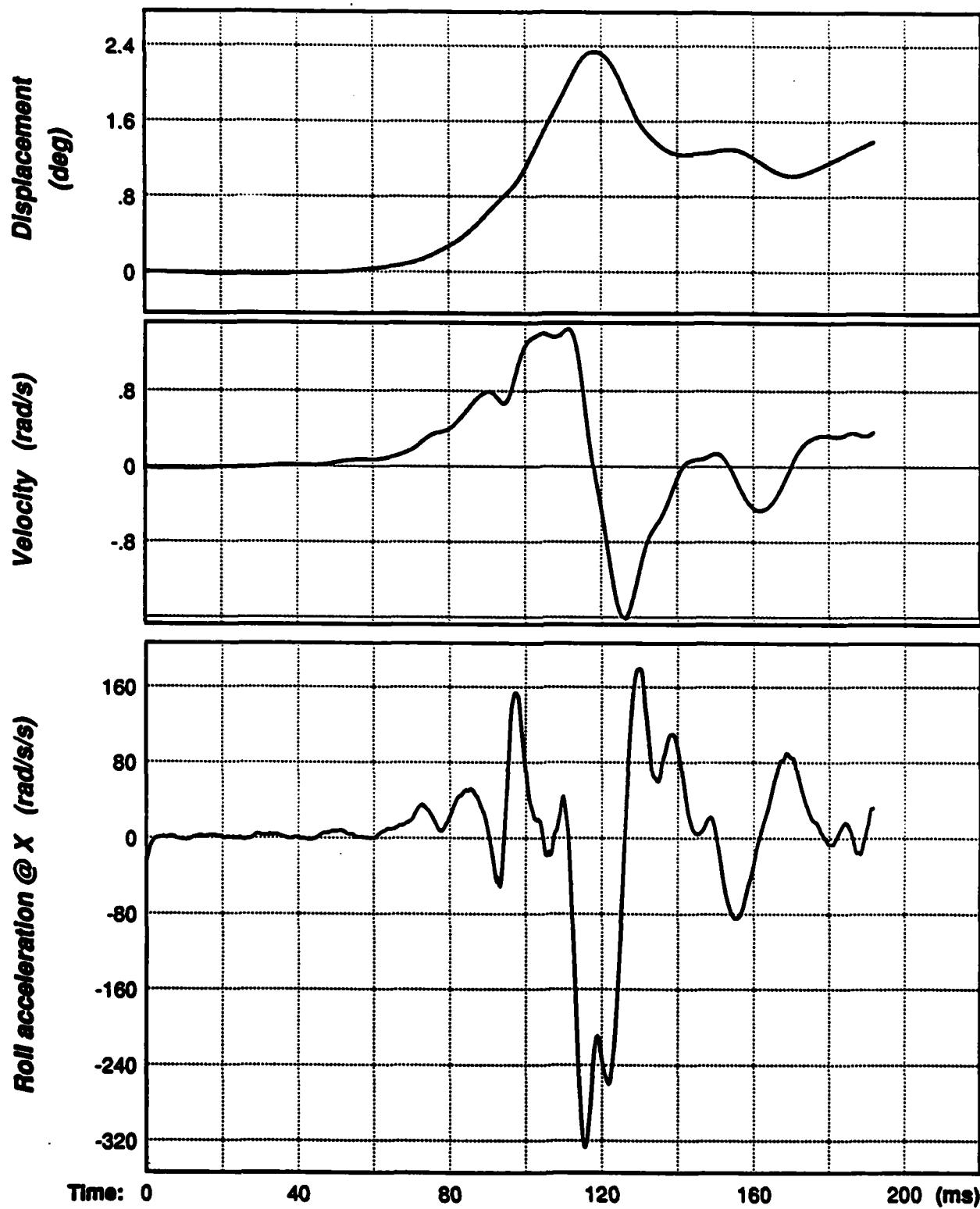


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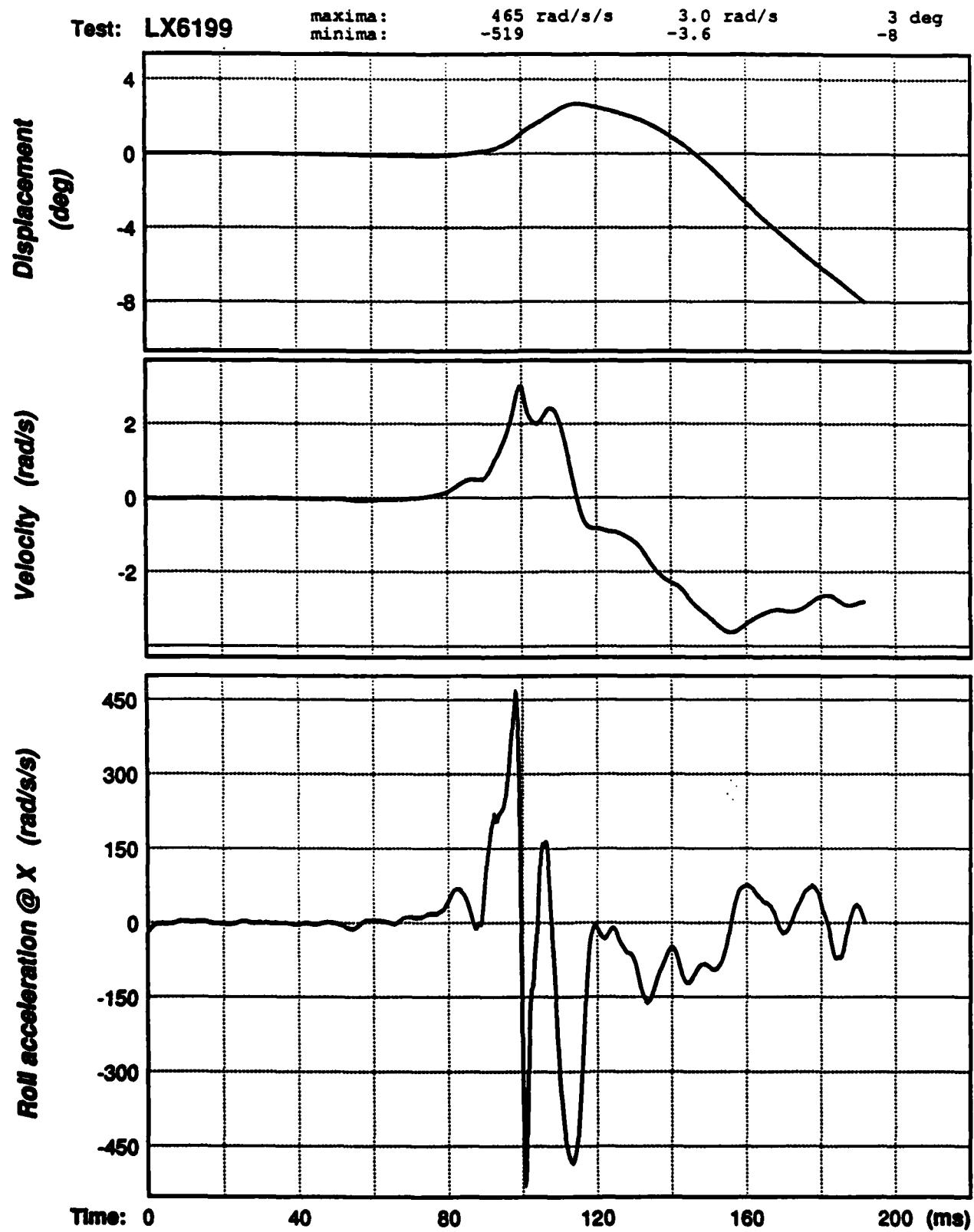


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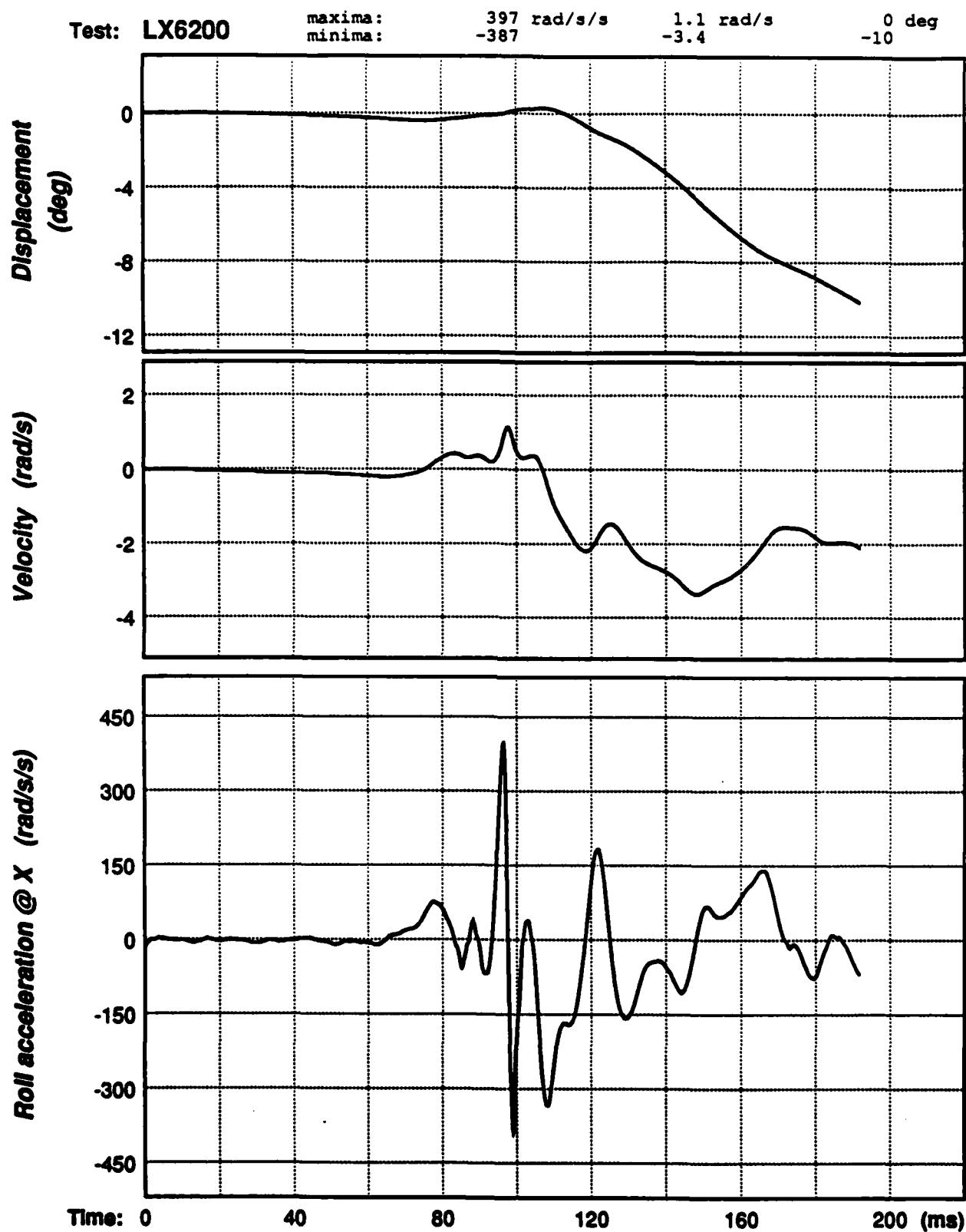


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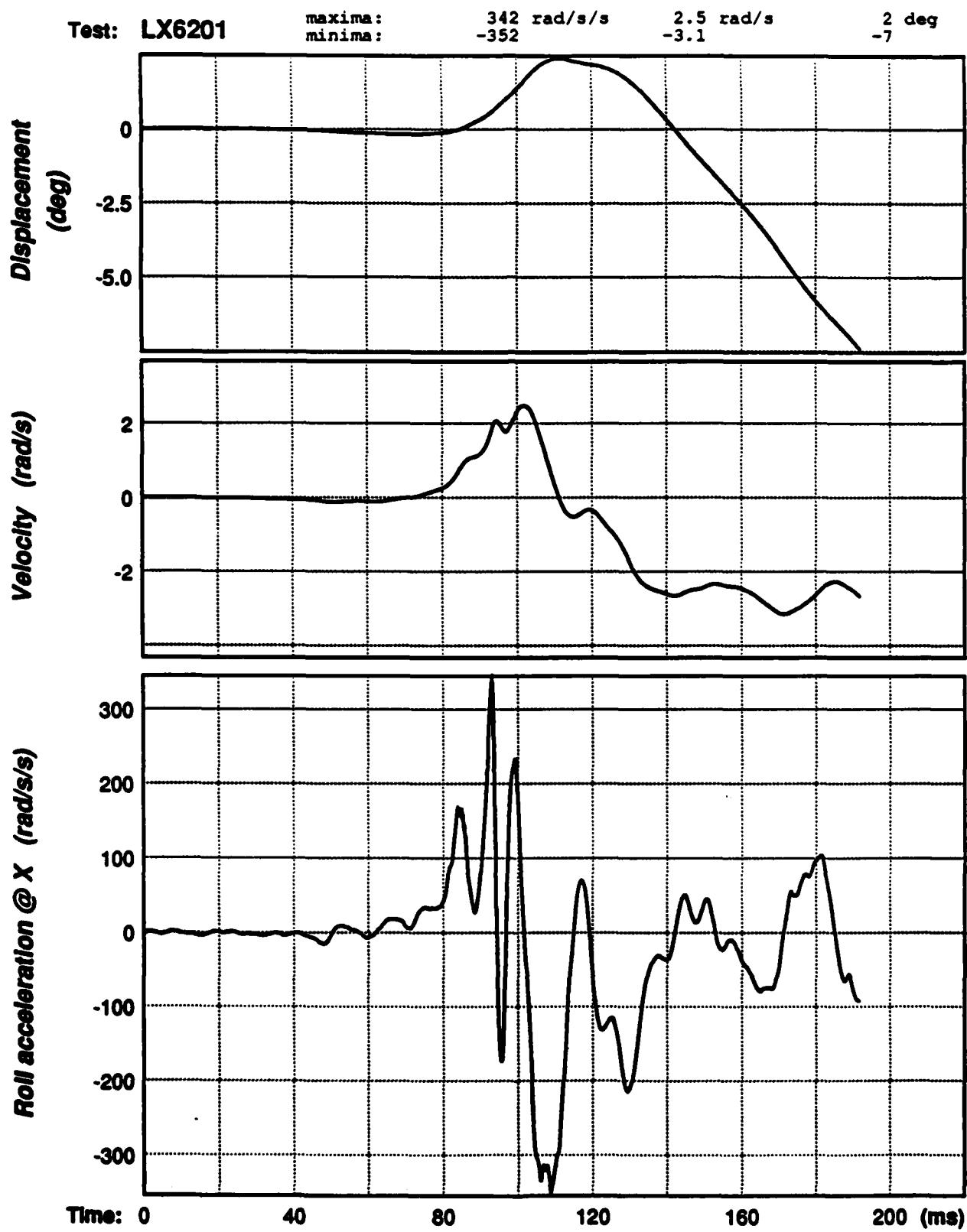


Figure A-28. Head roll angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6201.

Test: LX6203      maxima: 1300 rad/s/s      3.9 rad/s      2 deg  
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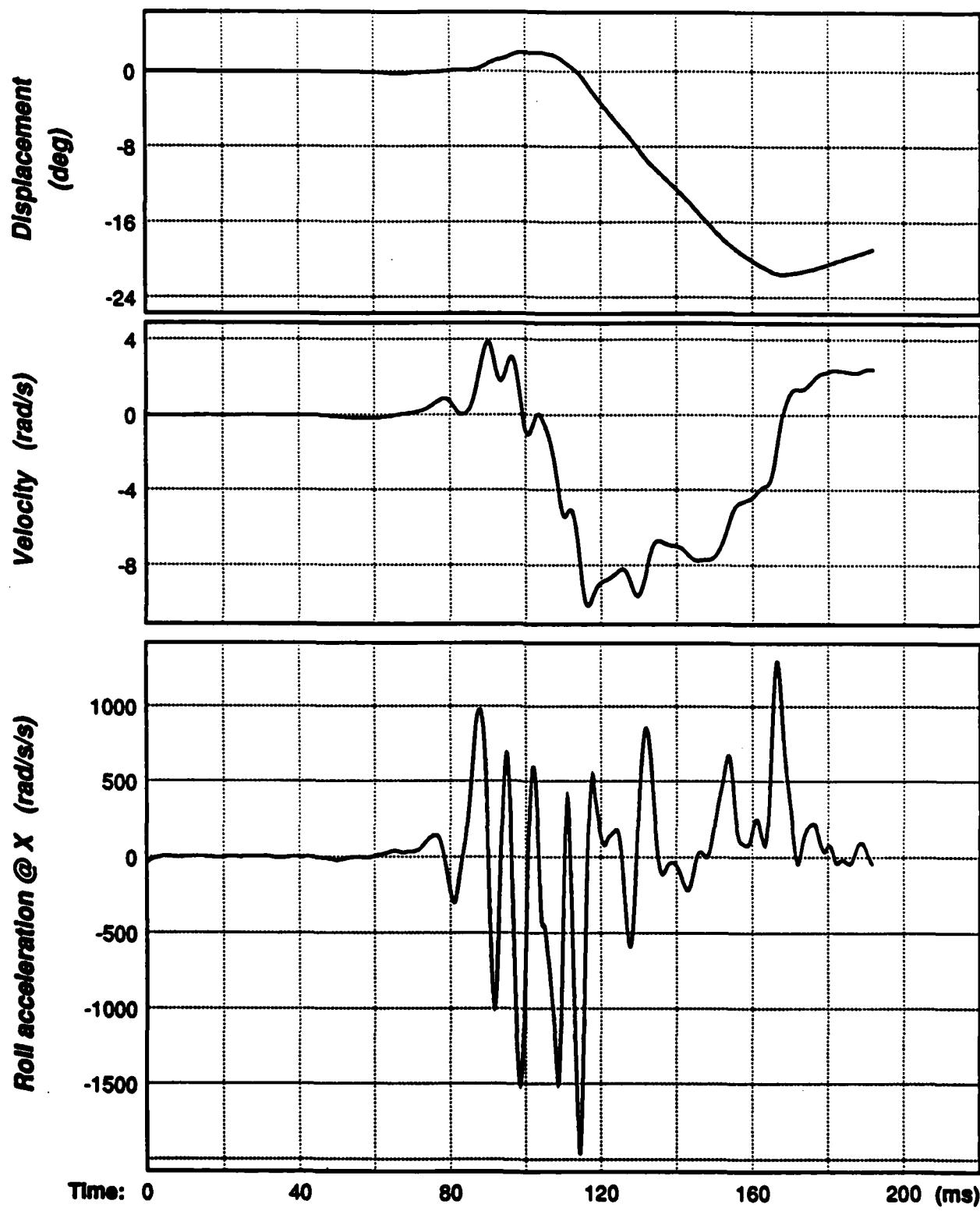
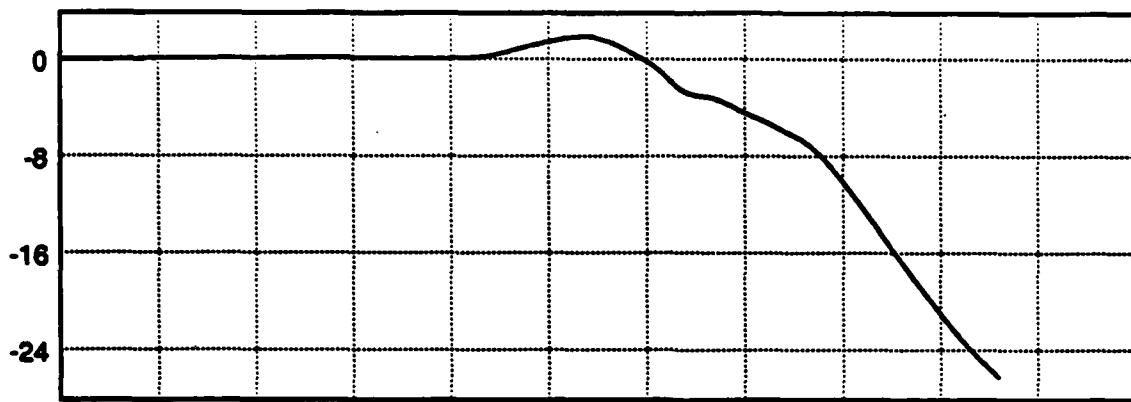


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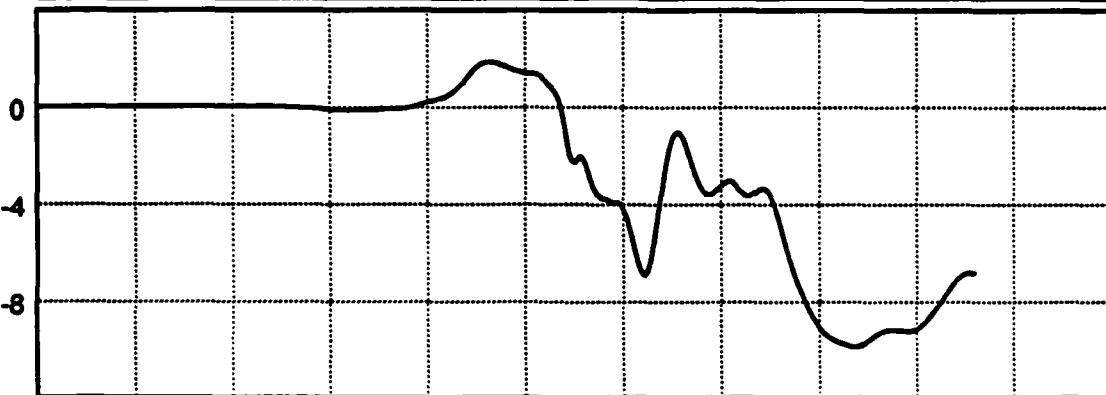
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minima: -1341 -9.8 -26

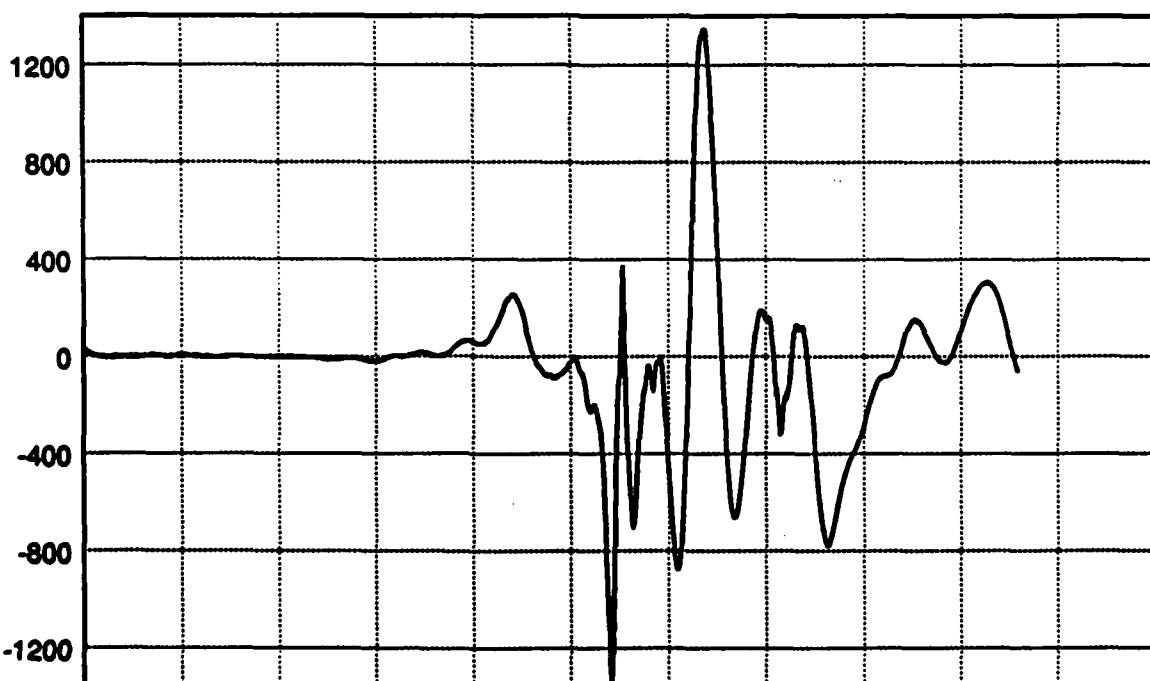
Displacement  
(deg)



Velocity (rad/s)



Roll acceleration @ X (rad/s/s)



Time: 0 40 80 120 160 200 (ms)

Figure A-30. Head roll angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6204.

Test: LX6274

maxima:  
minima:

780 rad/s/s  
-506

4.7 rad/s  
-5.1

5 deg  
-1

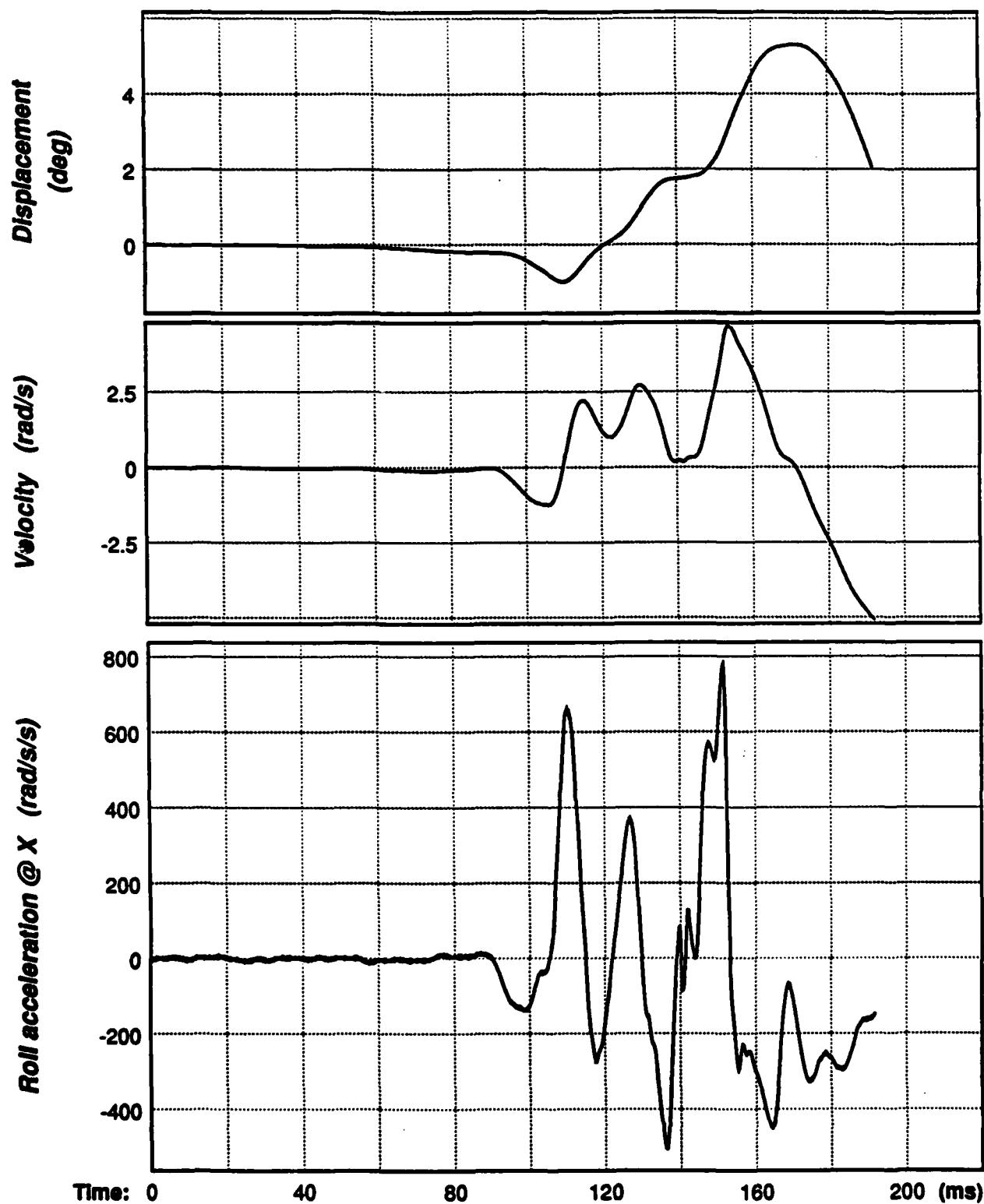


Figure A-31. Head roll angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6274.

Test: LX6275      maxima: 2572 rad/s/s      8.2 rad/s      10 deg  
                      minima: -1509                    -9.3                    -2

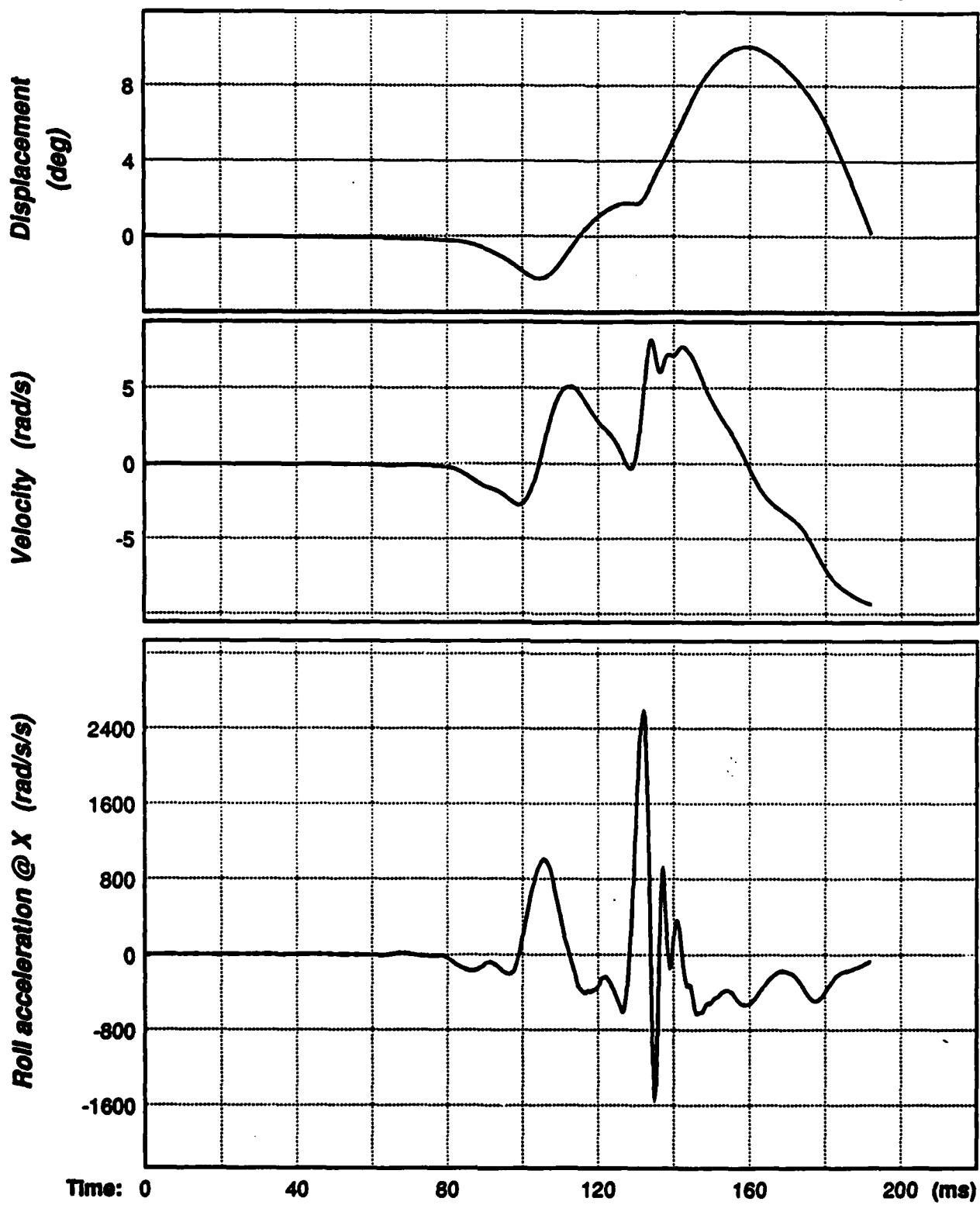


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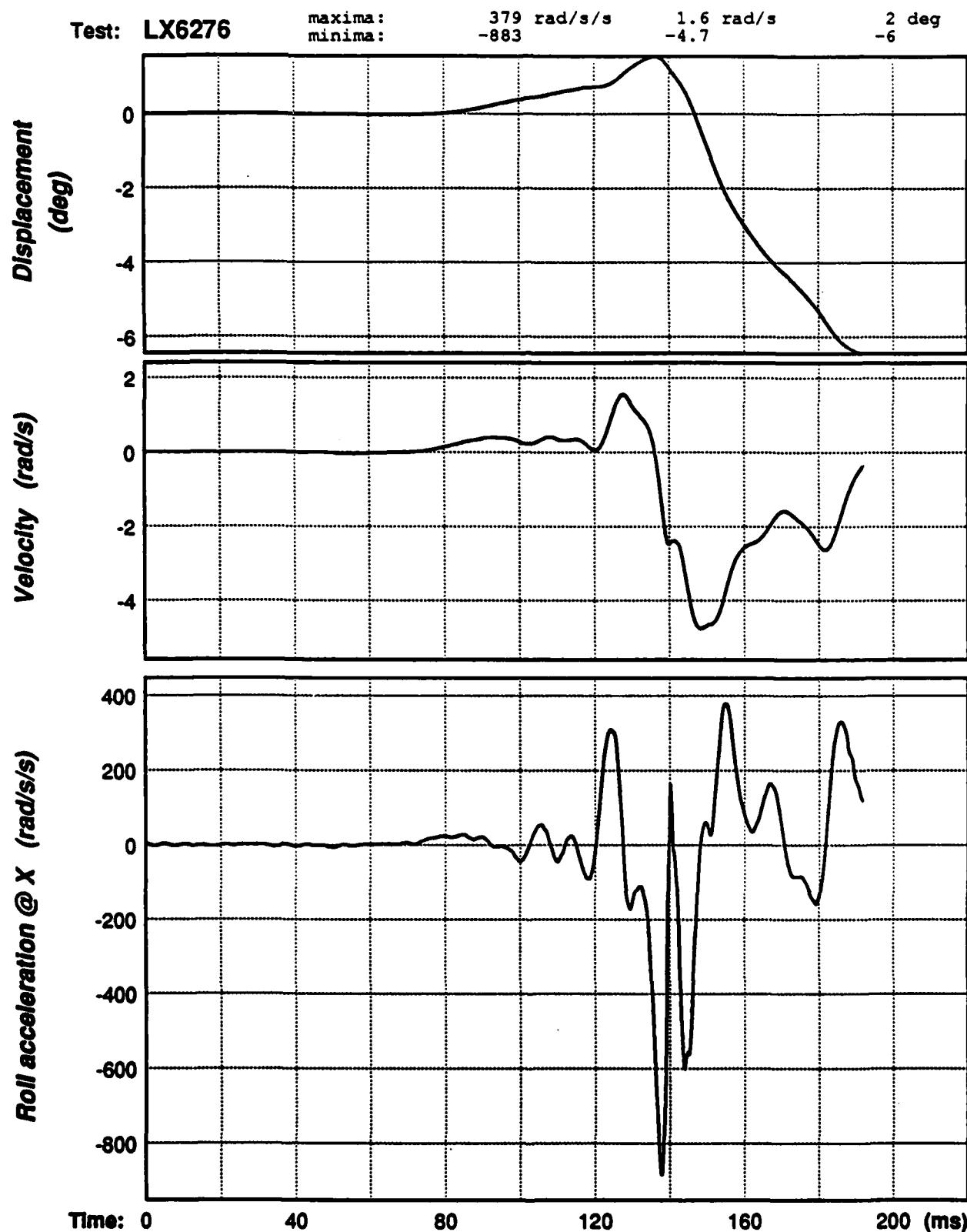


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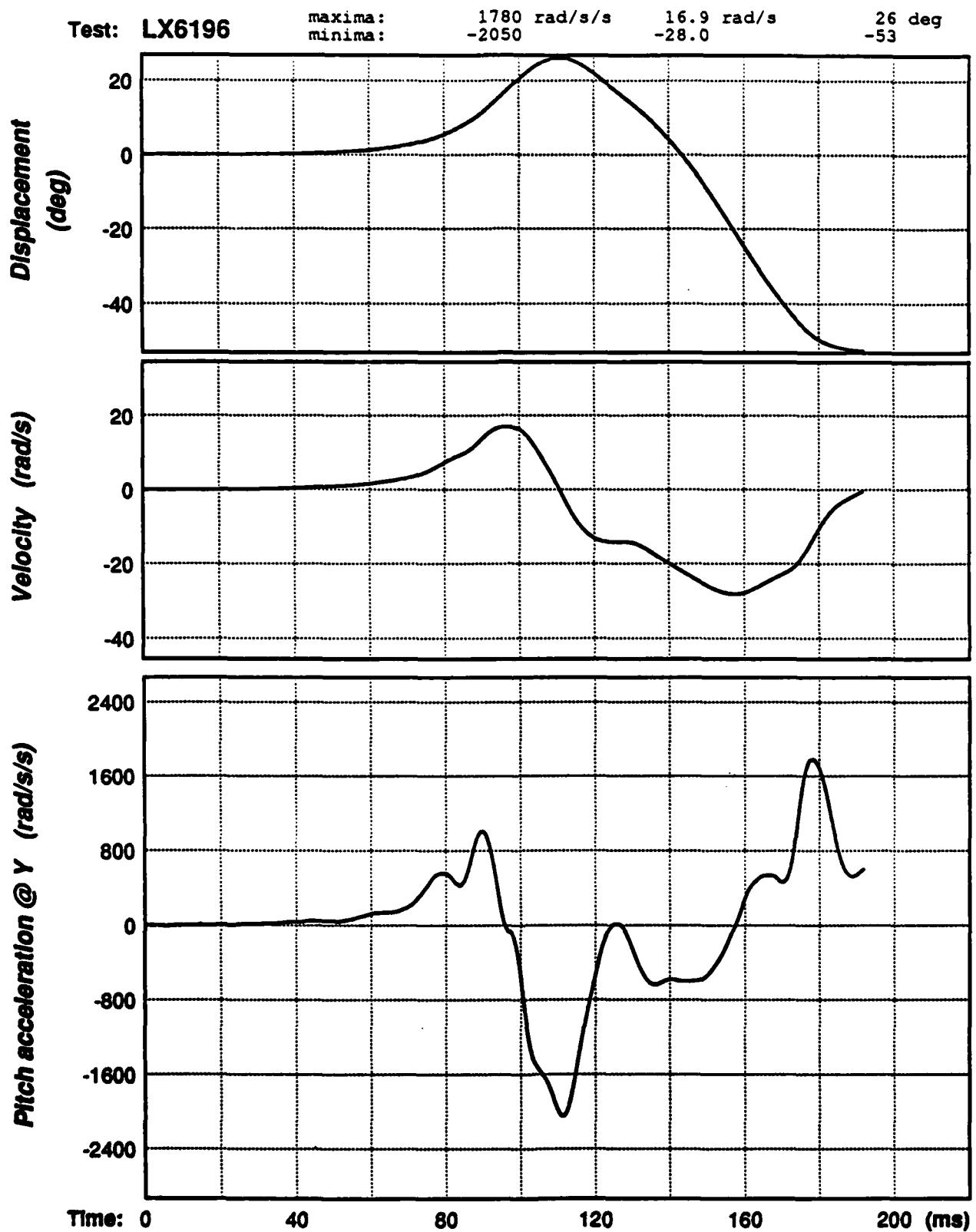


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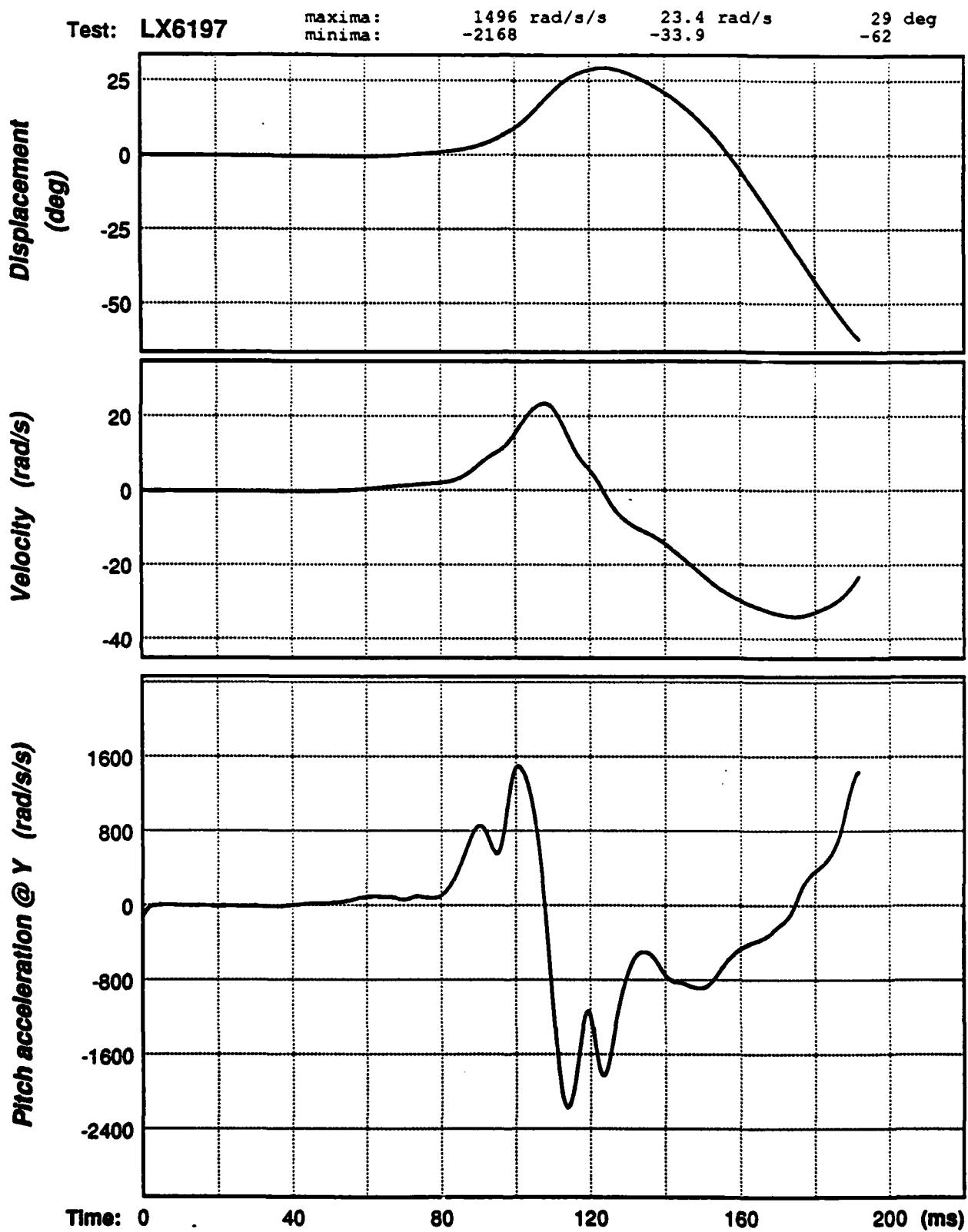


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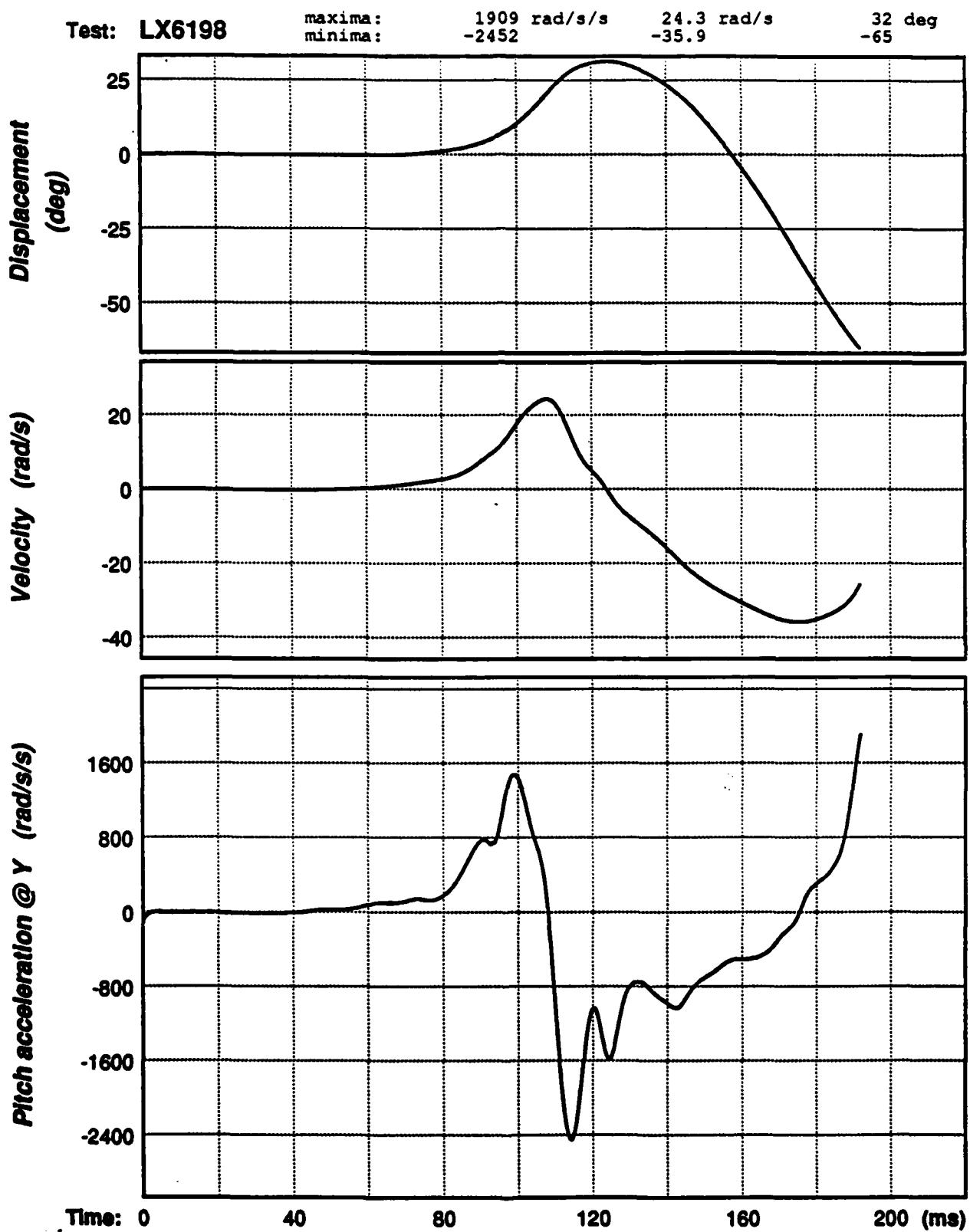


Figure A-36. Head pitch angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6198.

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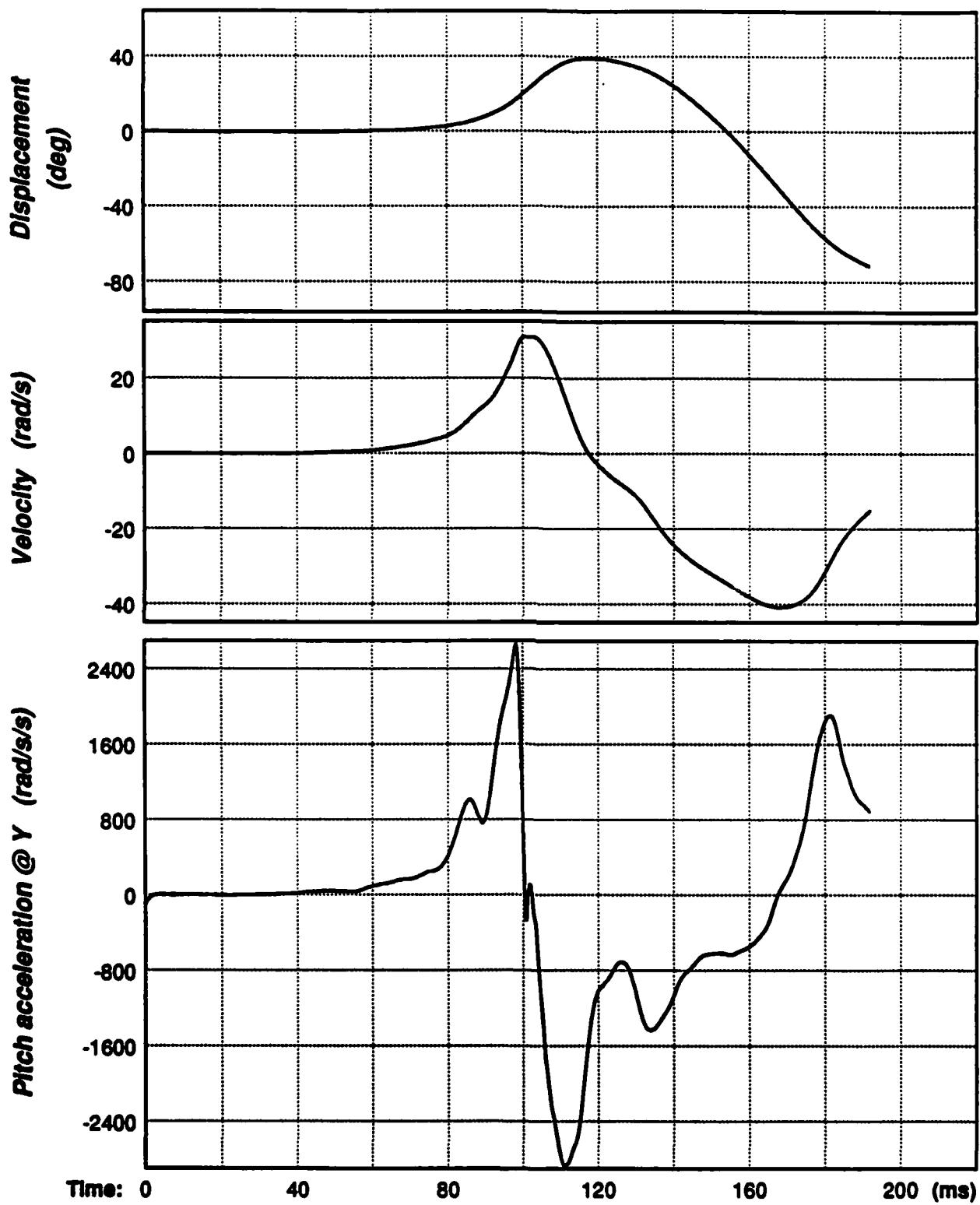


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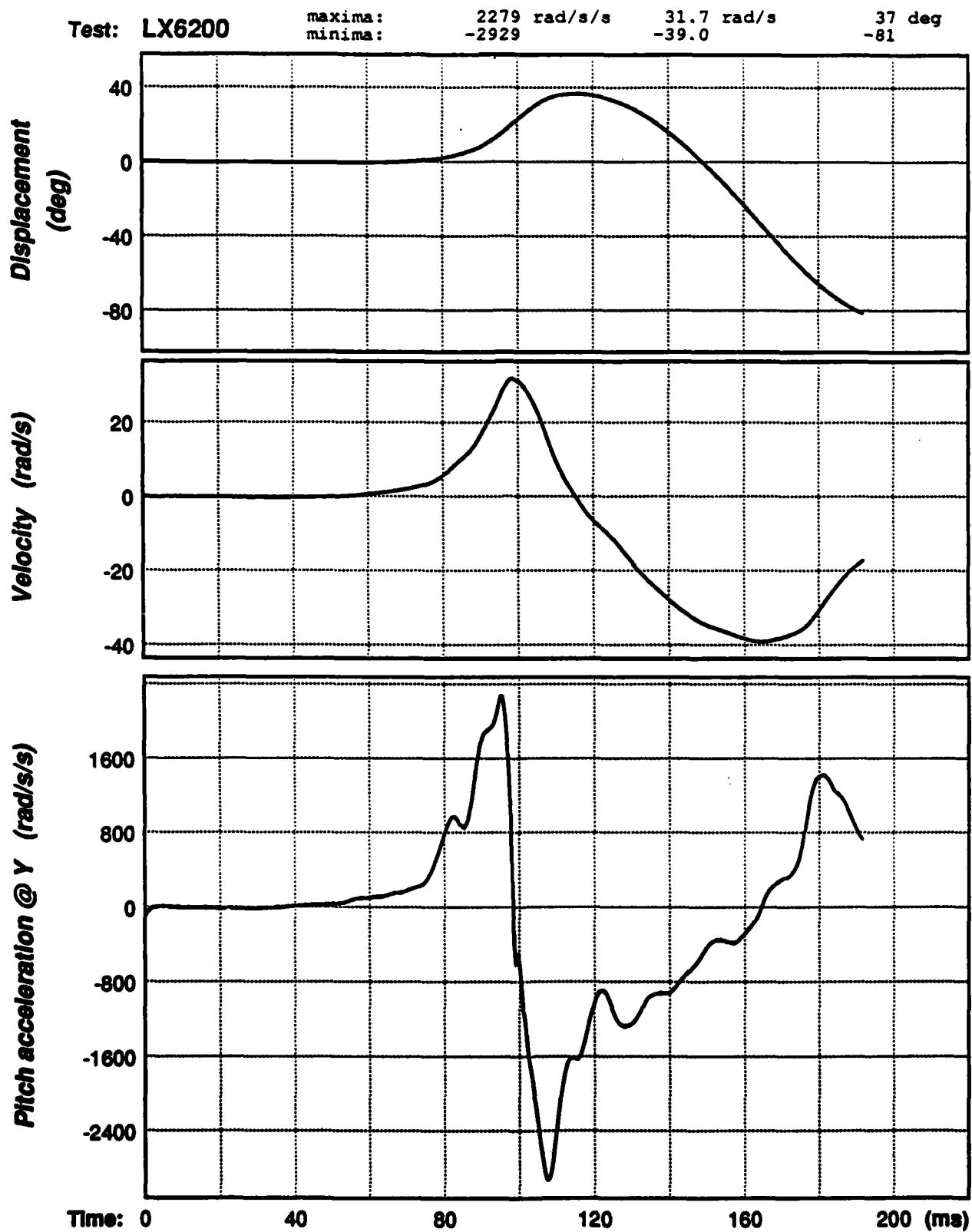


Figure A-38. Head pitch angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6200.

Test: LX6201      maxima: 2305 rad/s/s      31.9 rad/s      40 deg  
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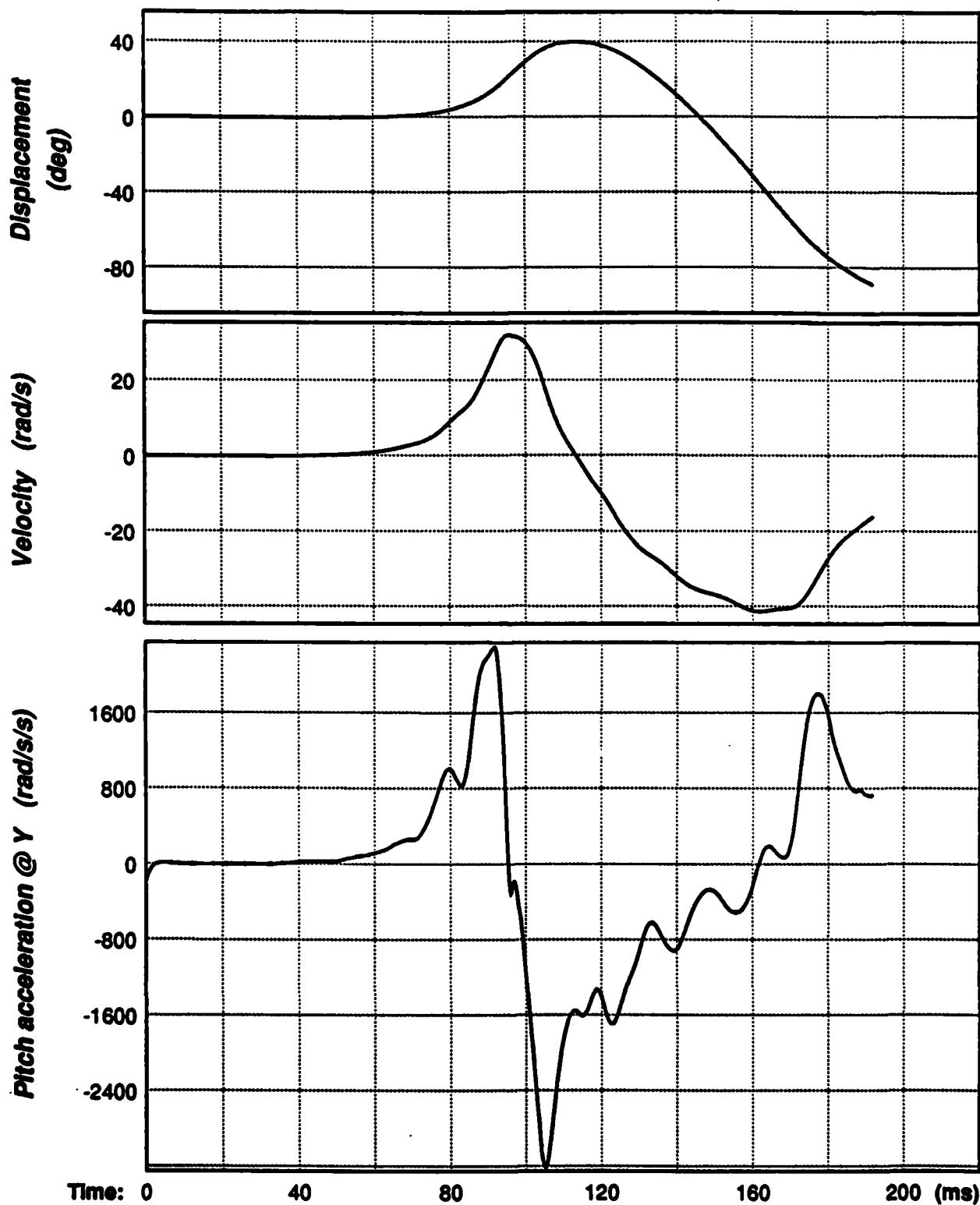


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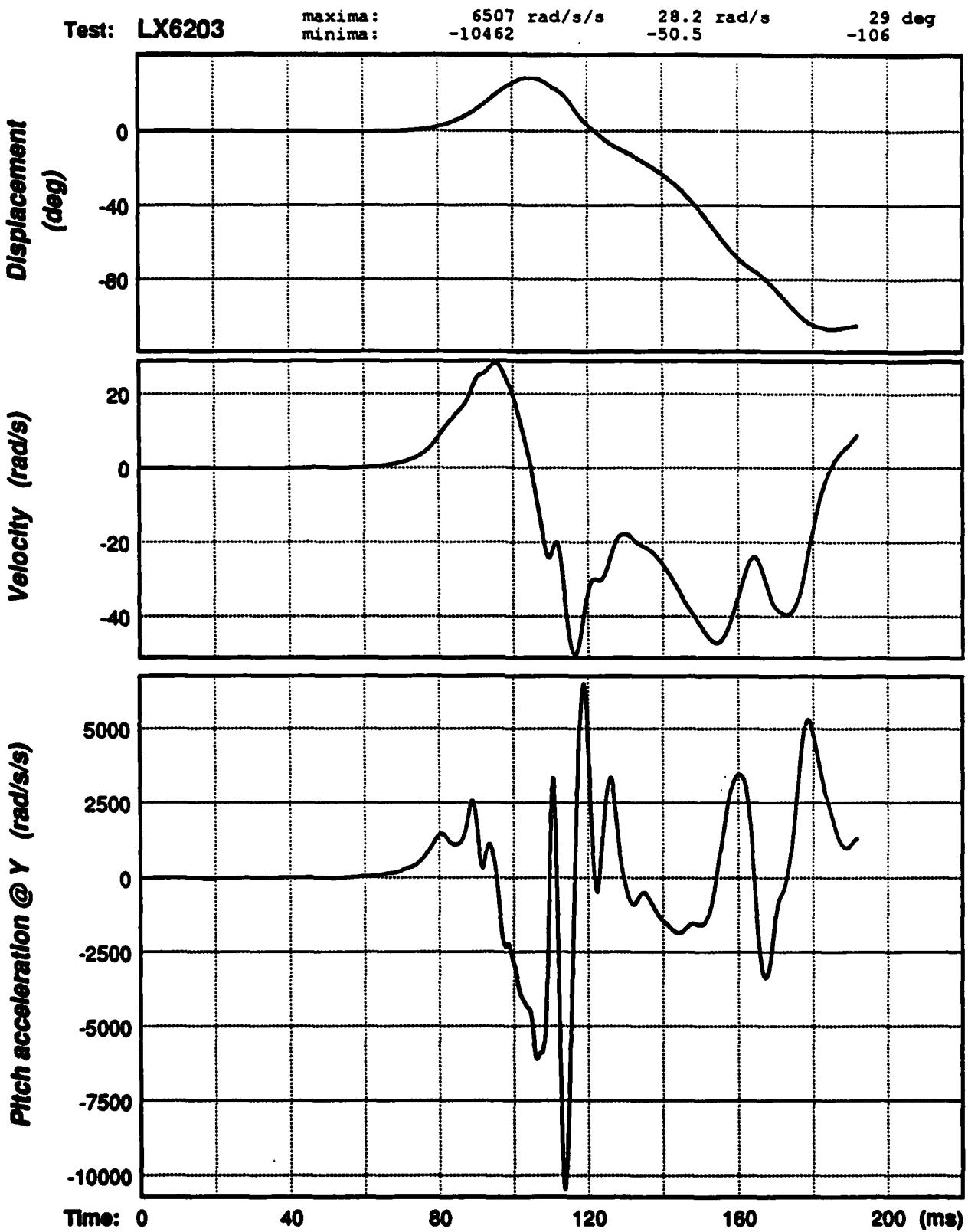


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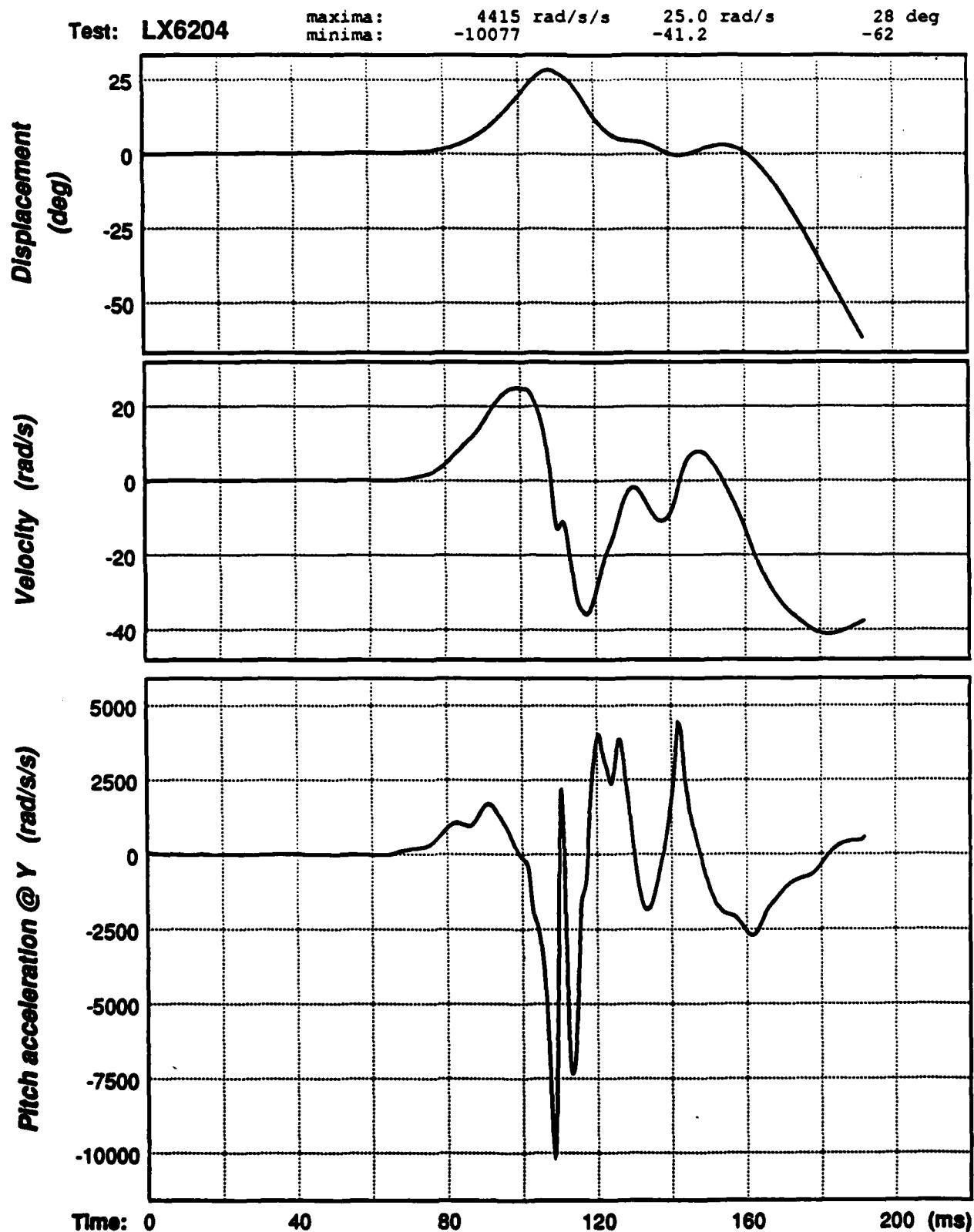


Figure A-41. Head pitch angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6204.

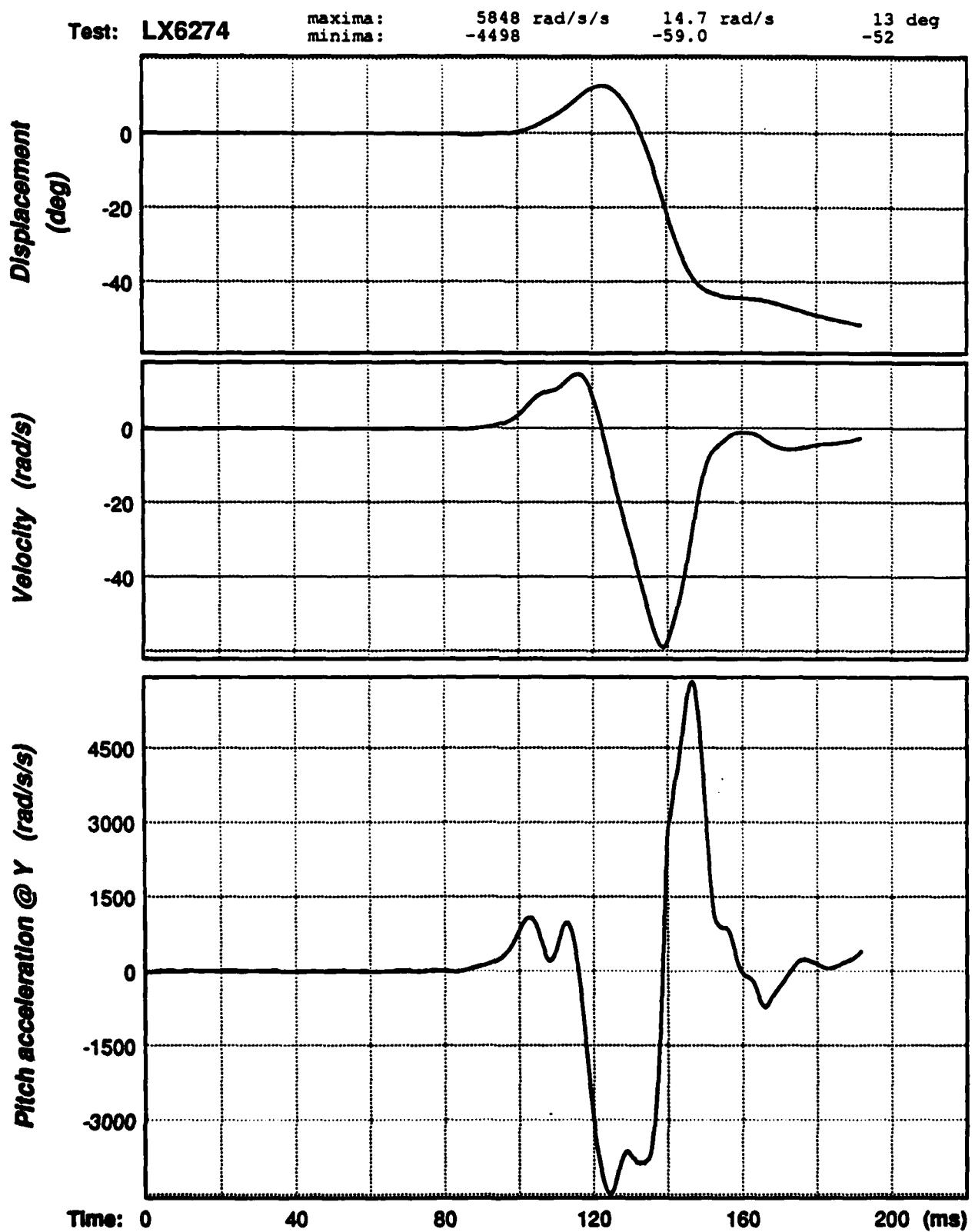


Figure A-42. Head pitch angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6274.

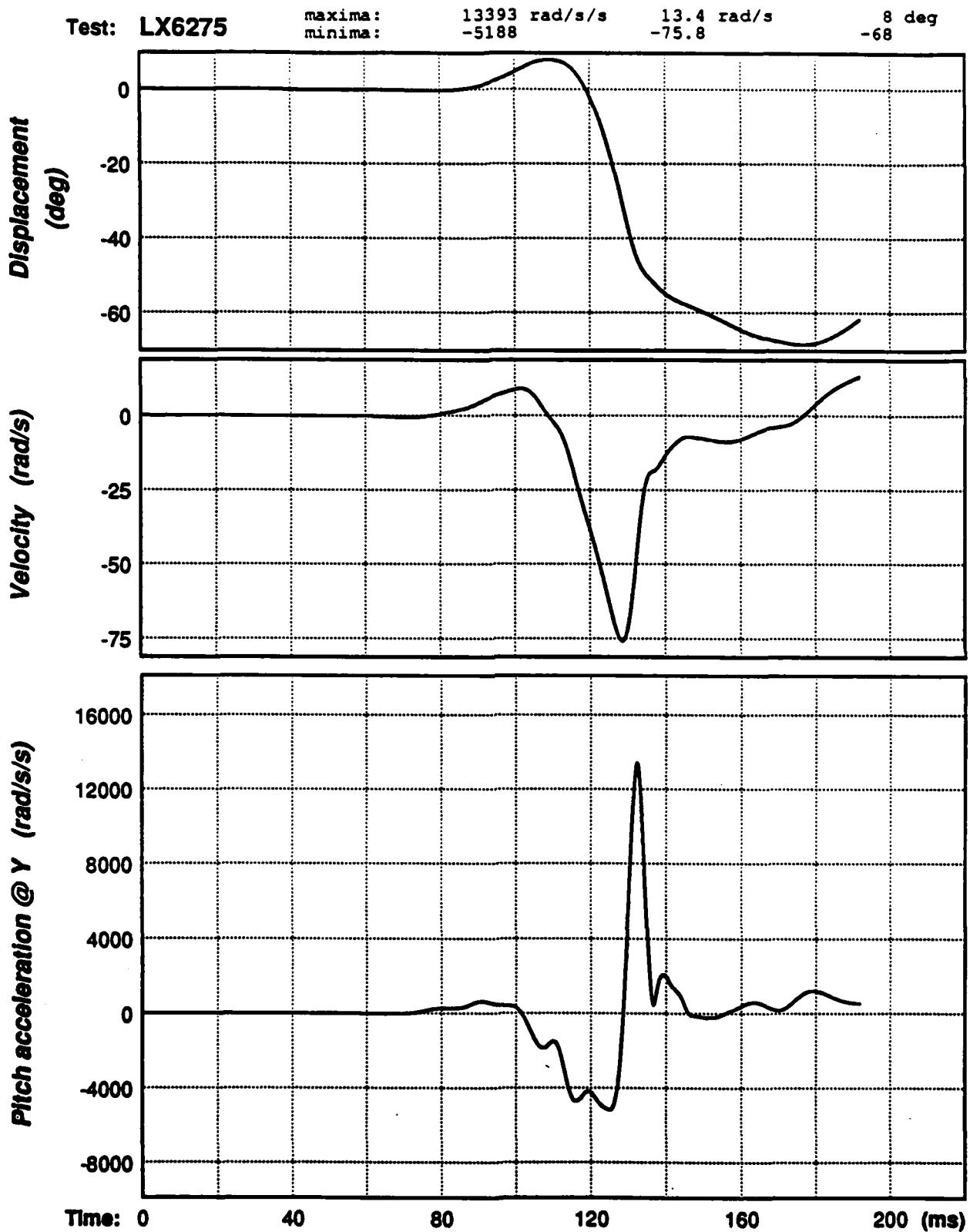


Figure A-43. Head pitch angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6275.

Test: LX6276 maxima: 3509 rad/s/s  
minima: -5044 -40.0 13.4 rad/s 13 deg  
-50

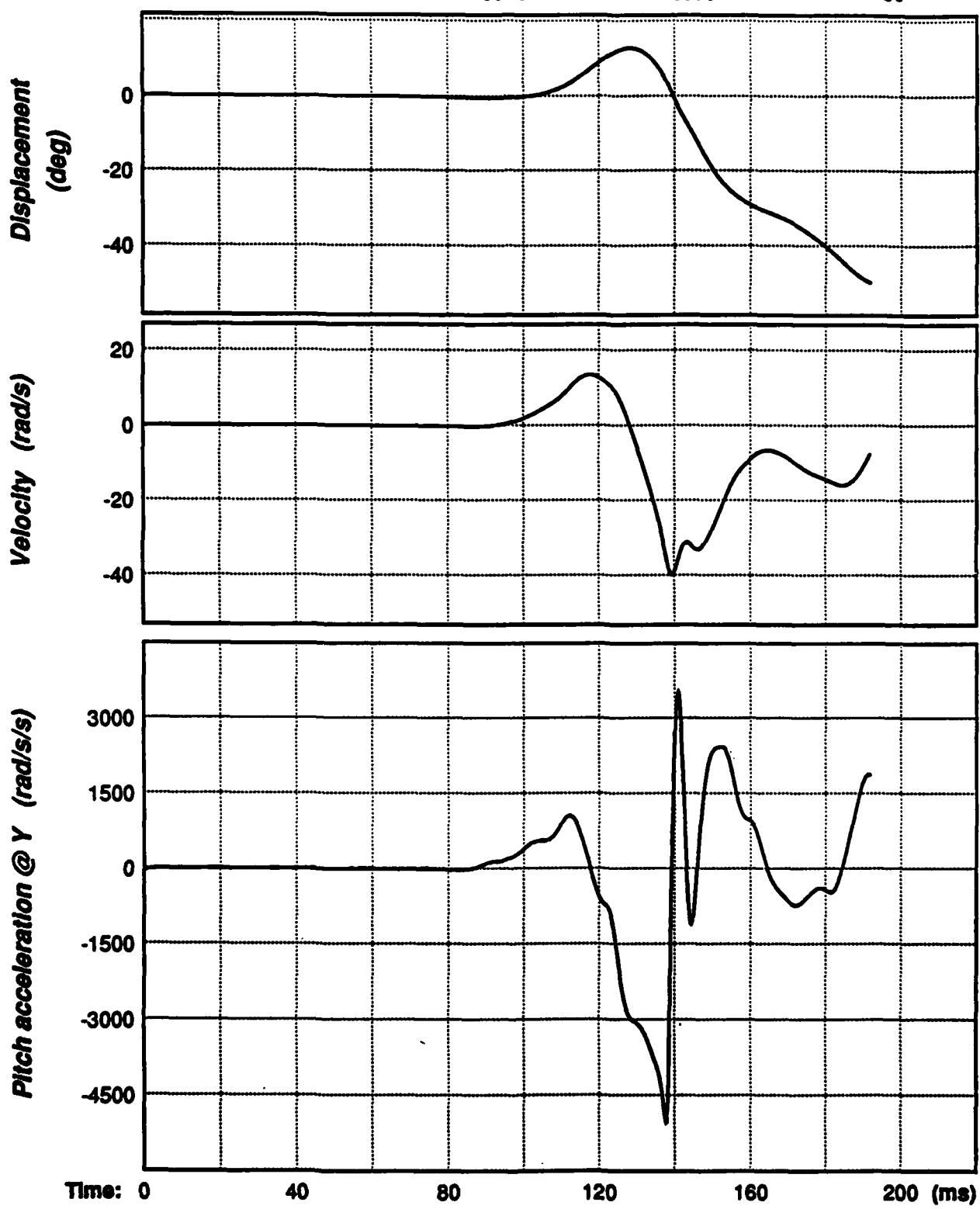


Figure A-44. Head pitch angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6276.

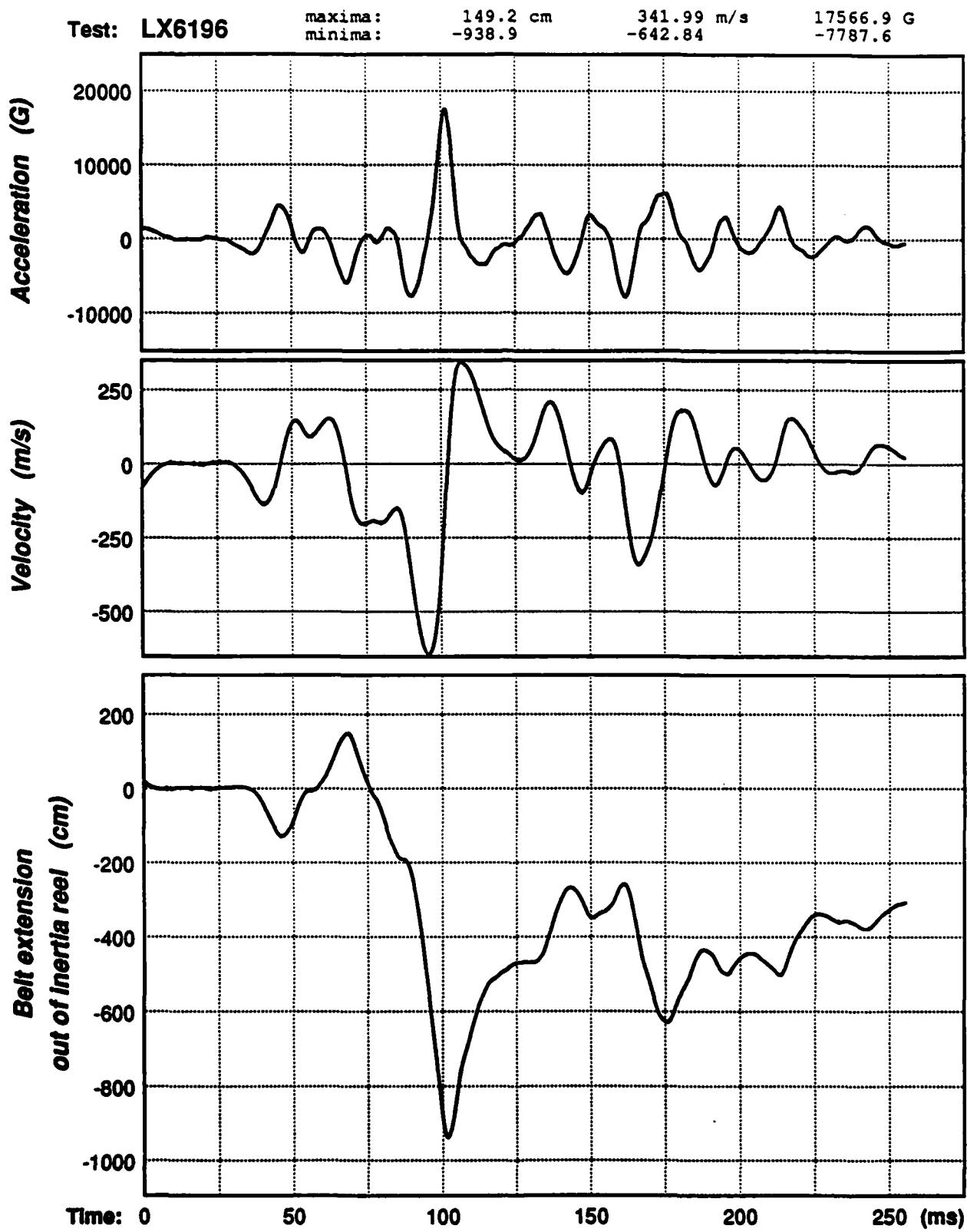


Figure A-45. Amount of belt extension and the velocity and acceleration of extension for test LX6196.

Test: LX6197

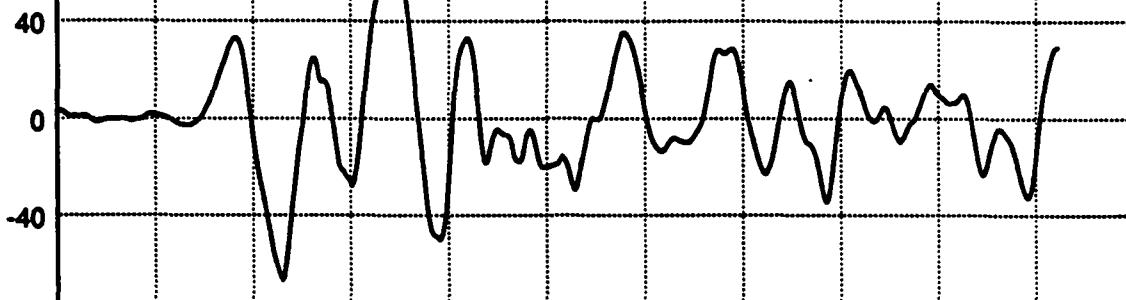
maxima:  
minima:

3.0 cm  
-3.5

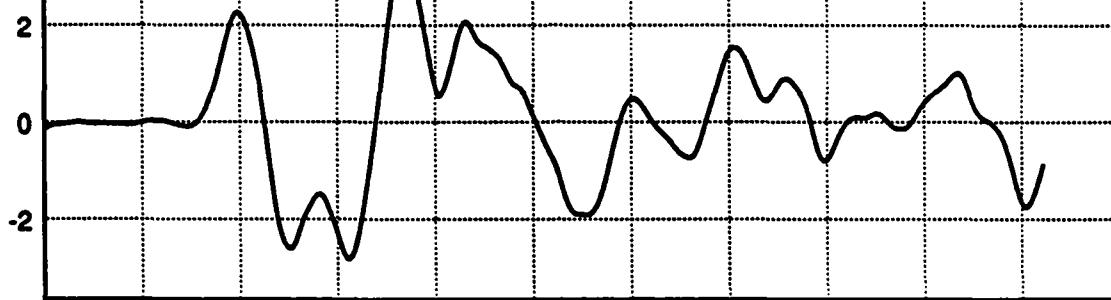
3.48 m/s  
-2.83

69.1 G  
-66.3

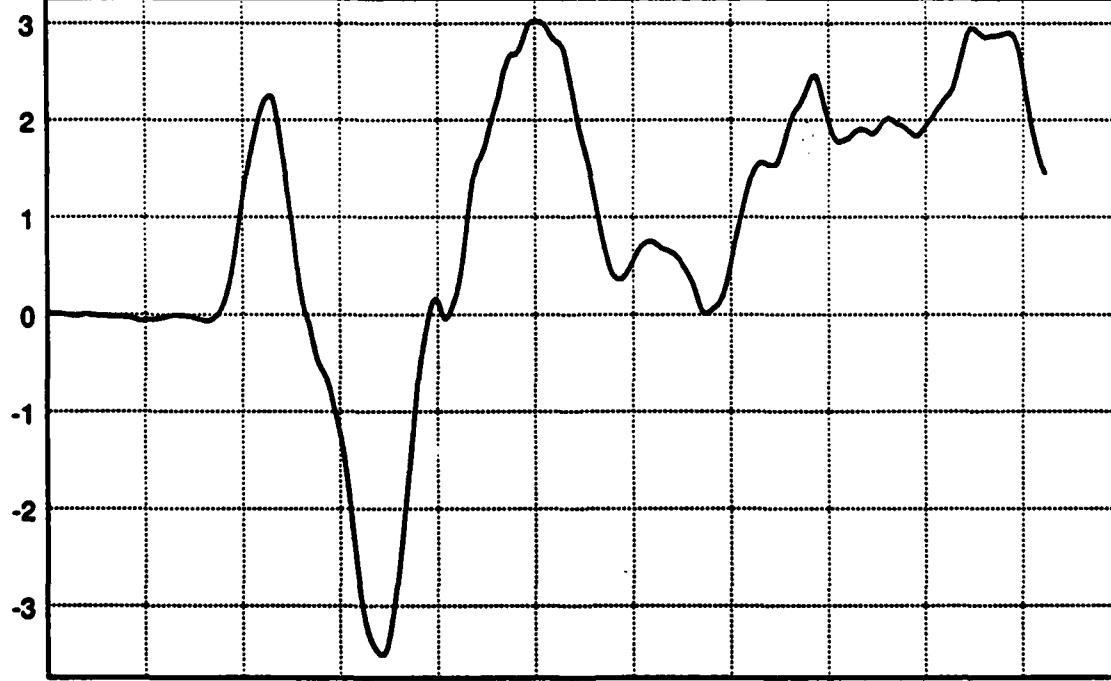
Acceleration (G)



Velocity (m/s)



Belt extension  
out of inertia reel (cm)



Time: 0 50 100 150 200 250 (ms)

Figure A-46. Amount of belt extension and the velocity and acceleration of extension for test LX6197.

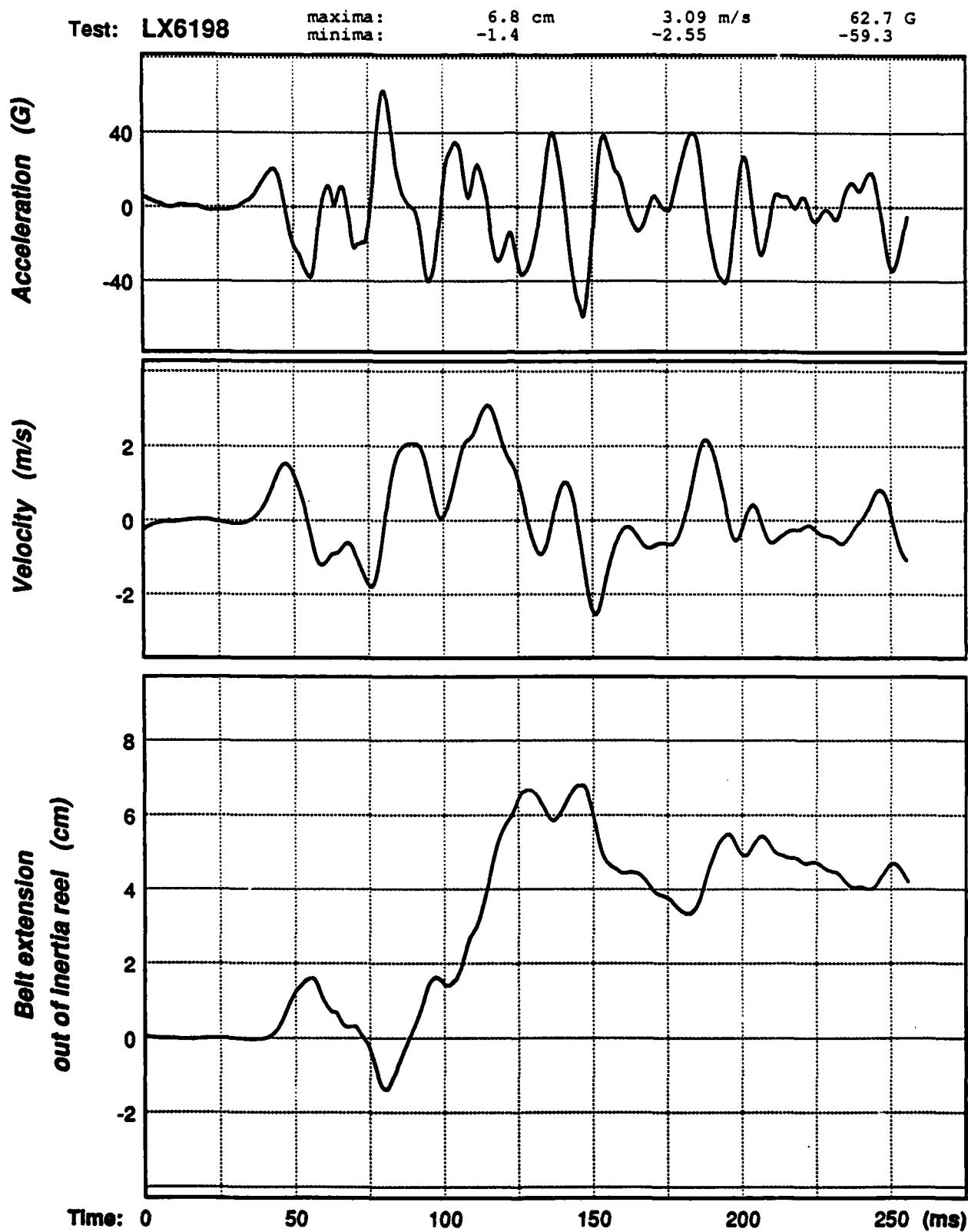


Figure A-47. Amount of belt extension and the velocity and acceleration of extension for test LX6198.

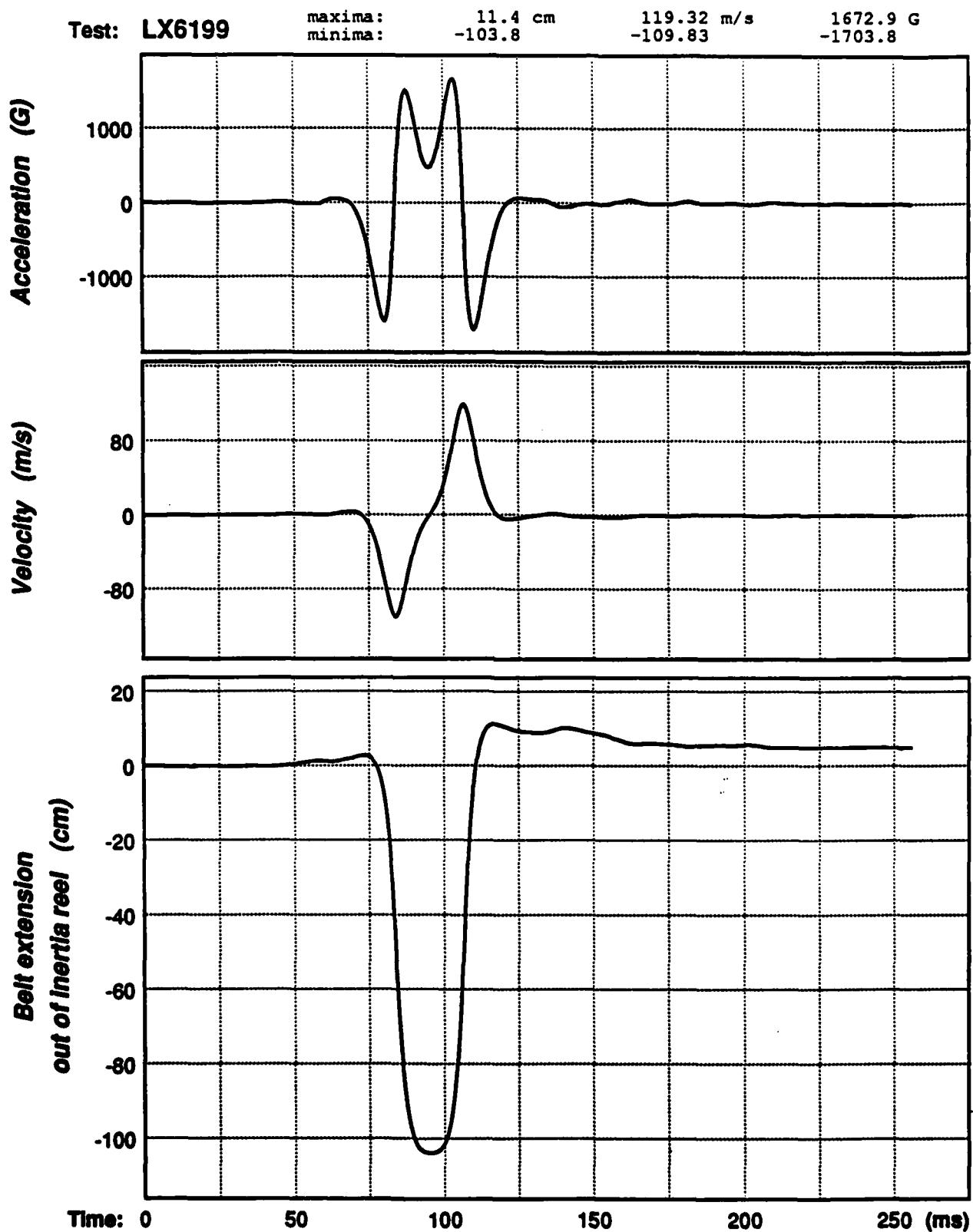


Figure A-48. Amount of belt extension and the velocity and acceleration of extension for test LX6199.

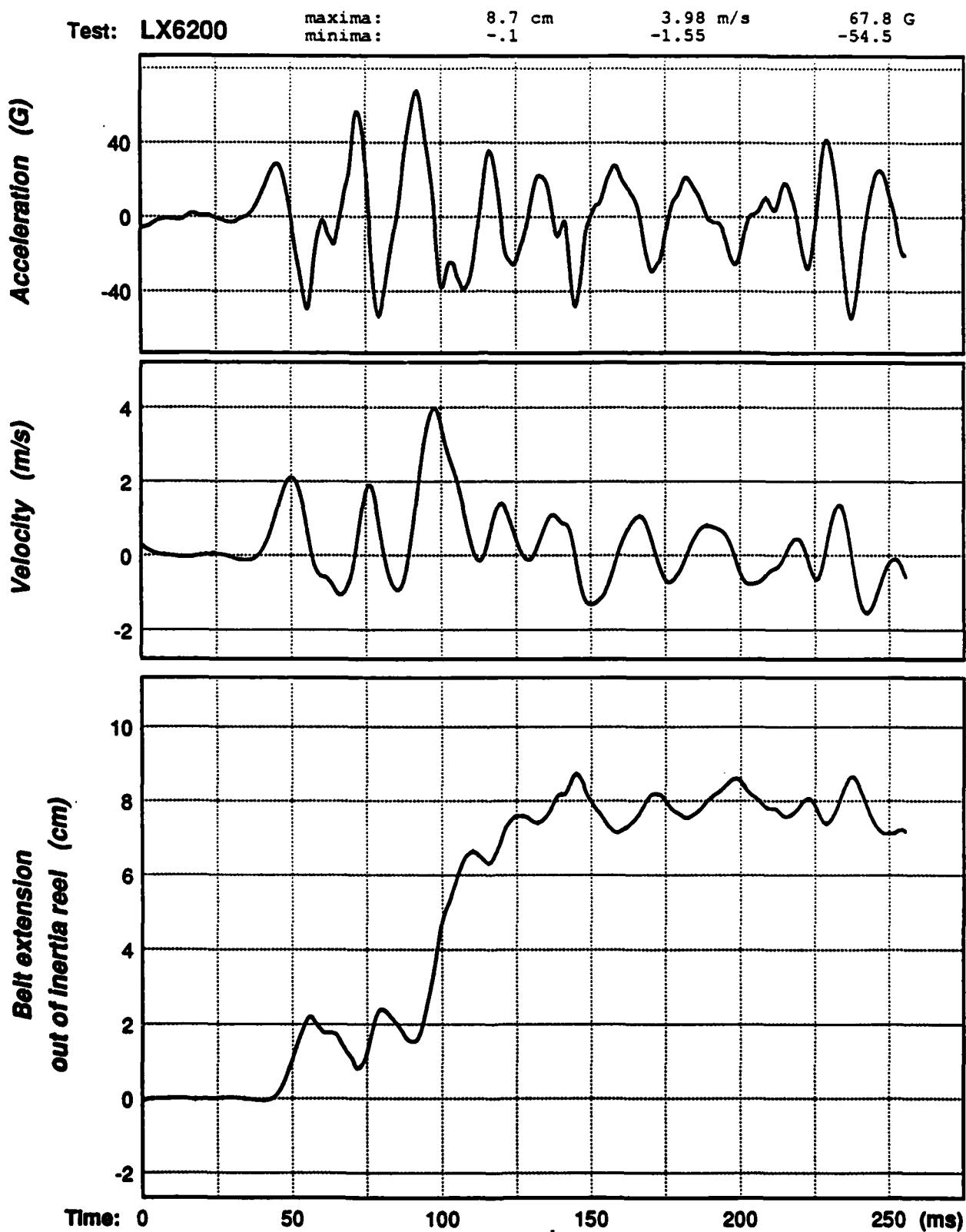


Figure A-49. Amount of belt extension and the velocity and acceleration of extension for test LX6200.

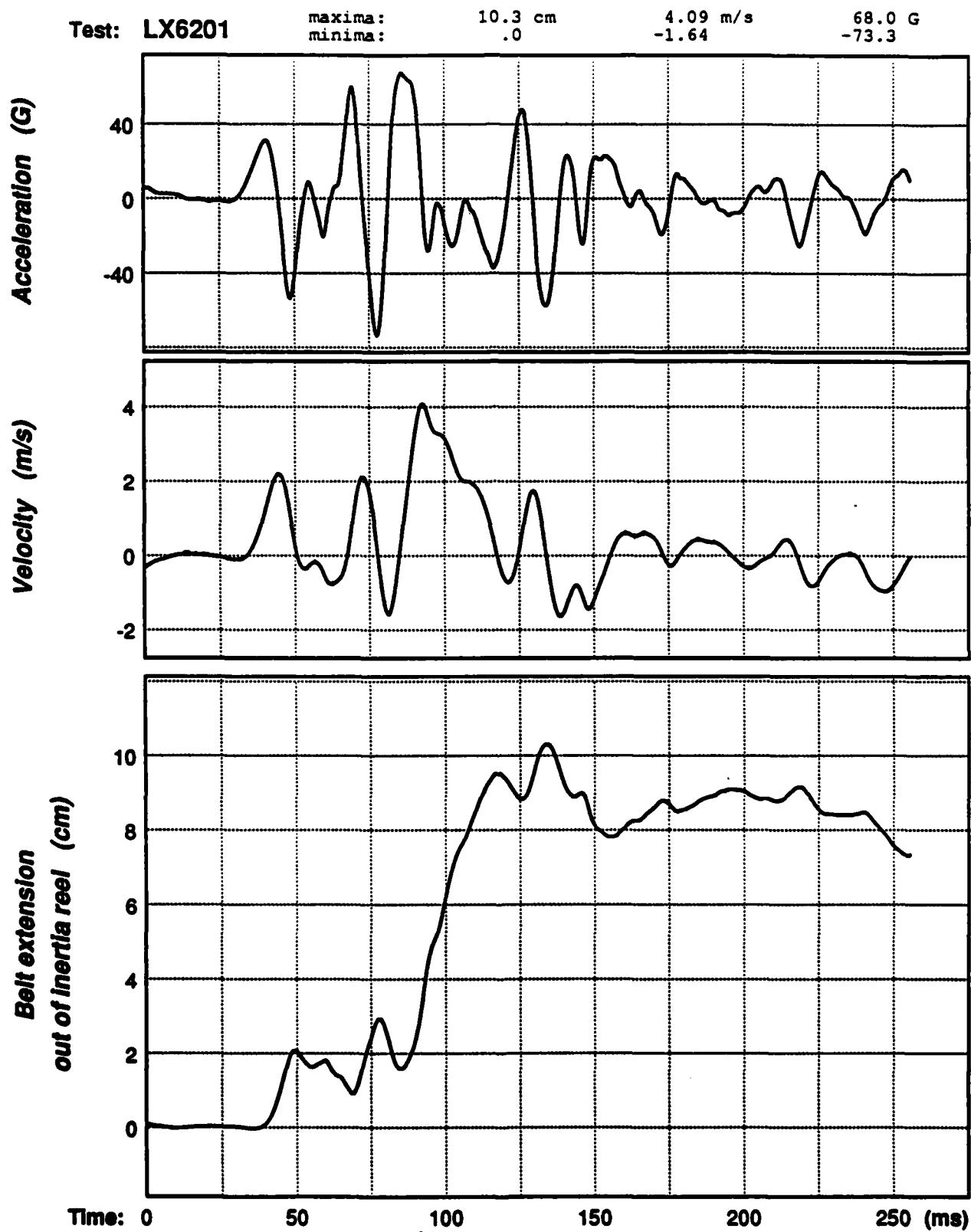


Figure A-50. Amount of belt extension and the velocity and acceleration of extension for test LX6201.

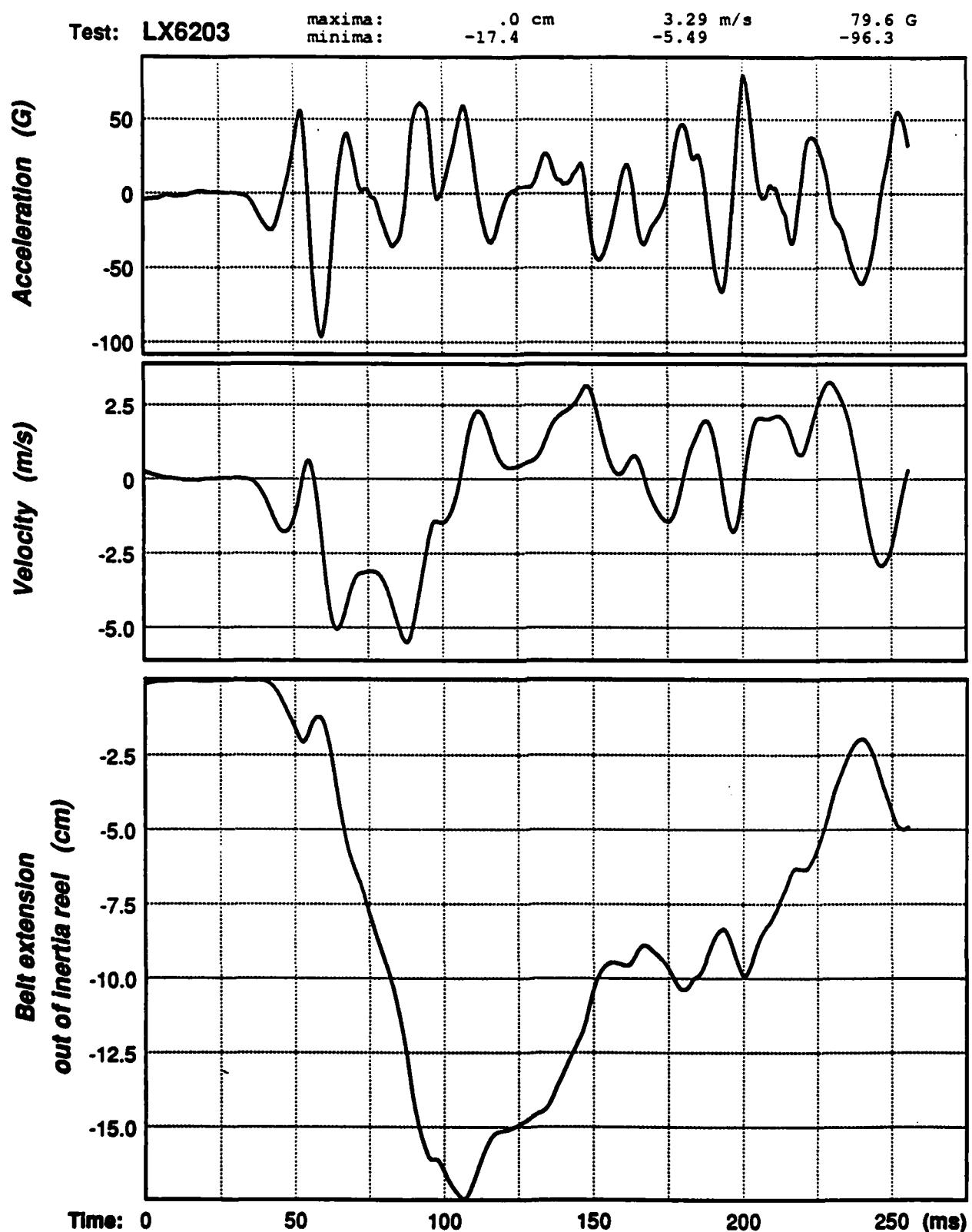


Figure A-51. Amount of belt extension and the velocity and acceleration of extension for test LX6203.

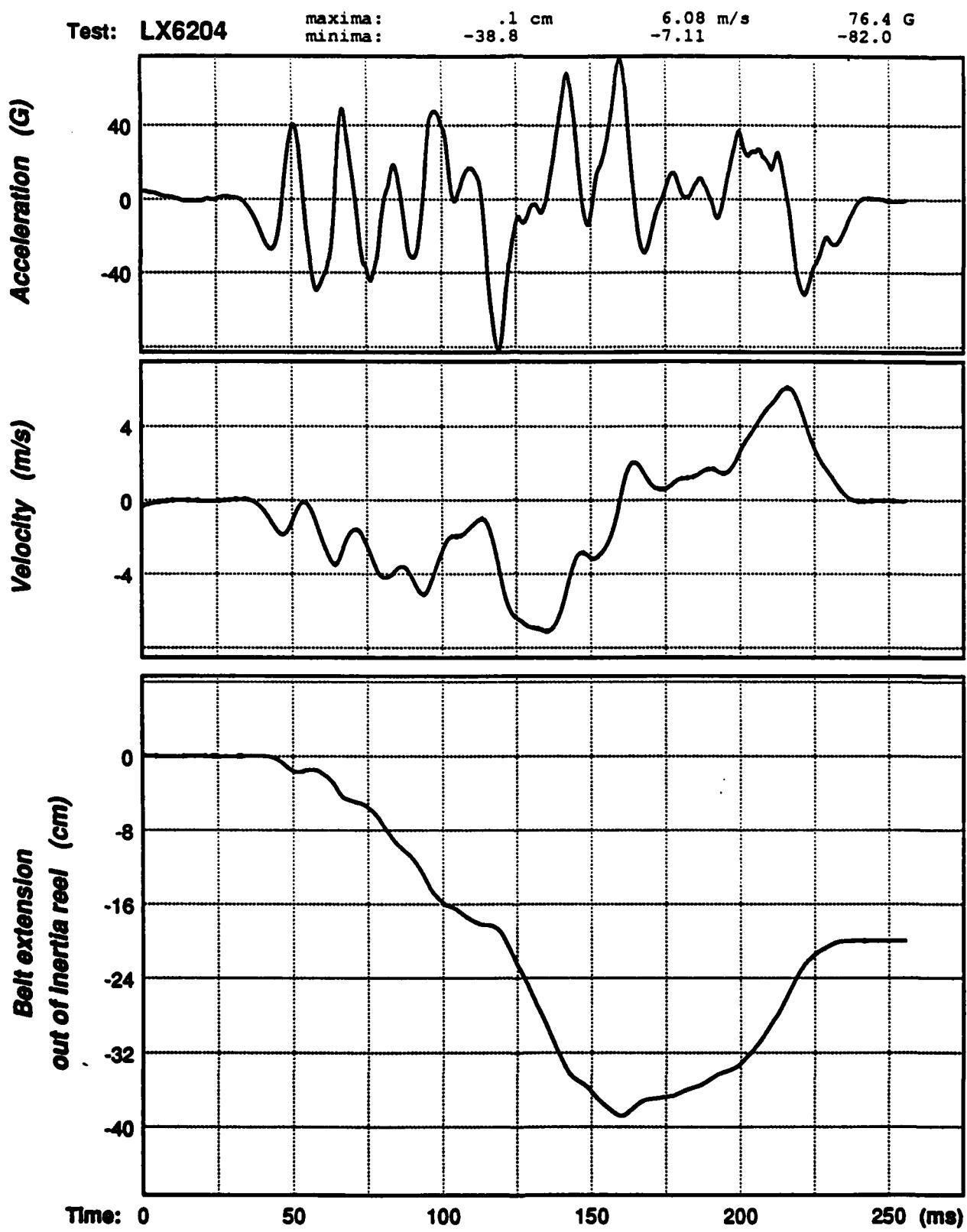


Figure A-52. Amount of belt extension and the velocity and acceleration of extension for test LX6204.

Test: LX6274

maxima:  
minima:

3.6 cm  
-.3

1.02 m/s  
-.32

11.7 G  
-9.7

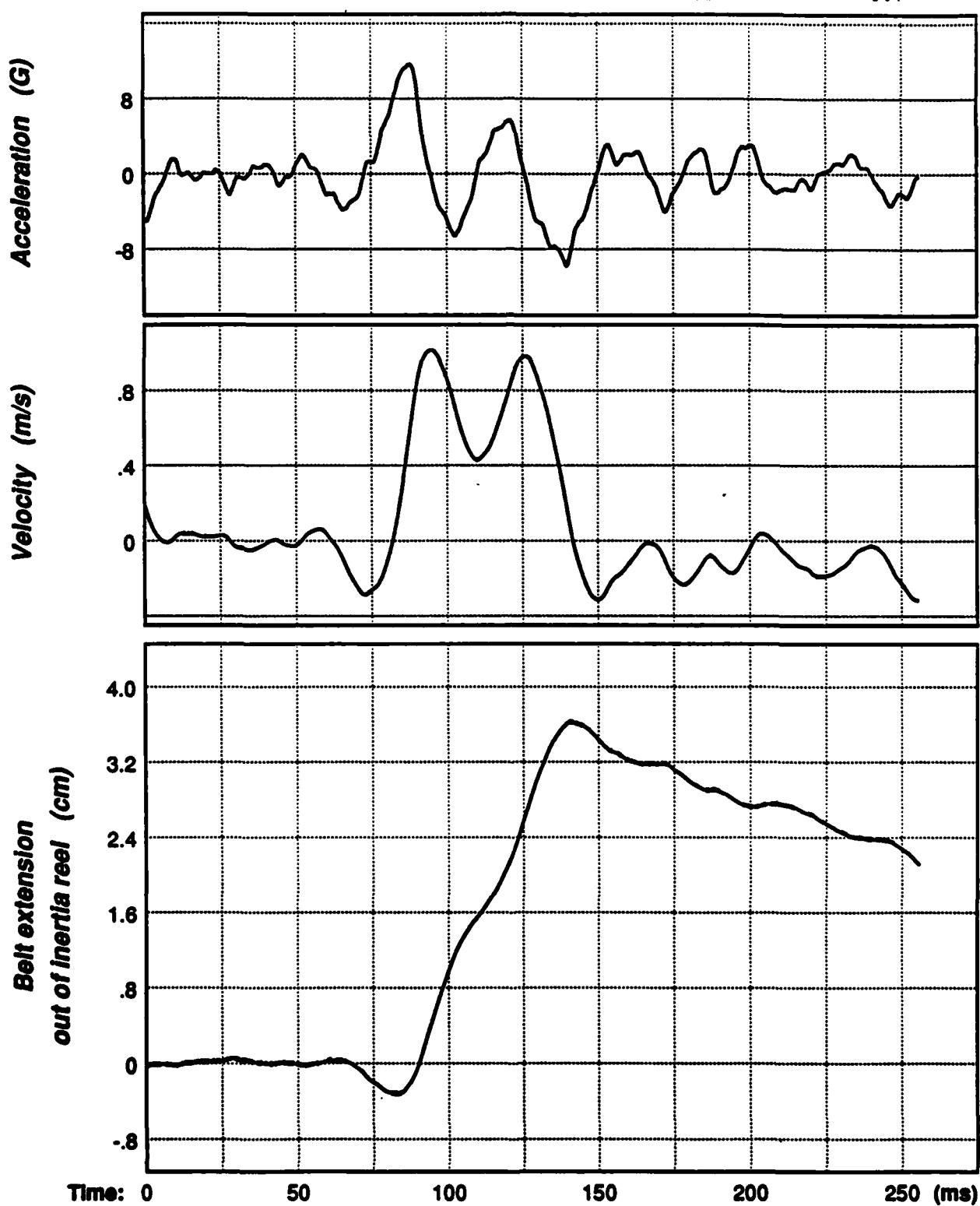


Figure A-53. Amount of belt extension and the velocity and acceleration of extension for test LX6274.

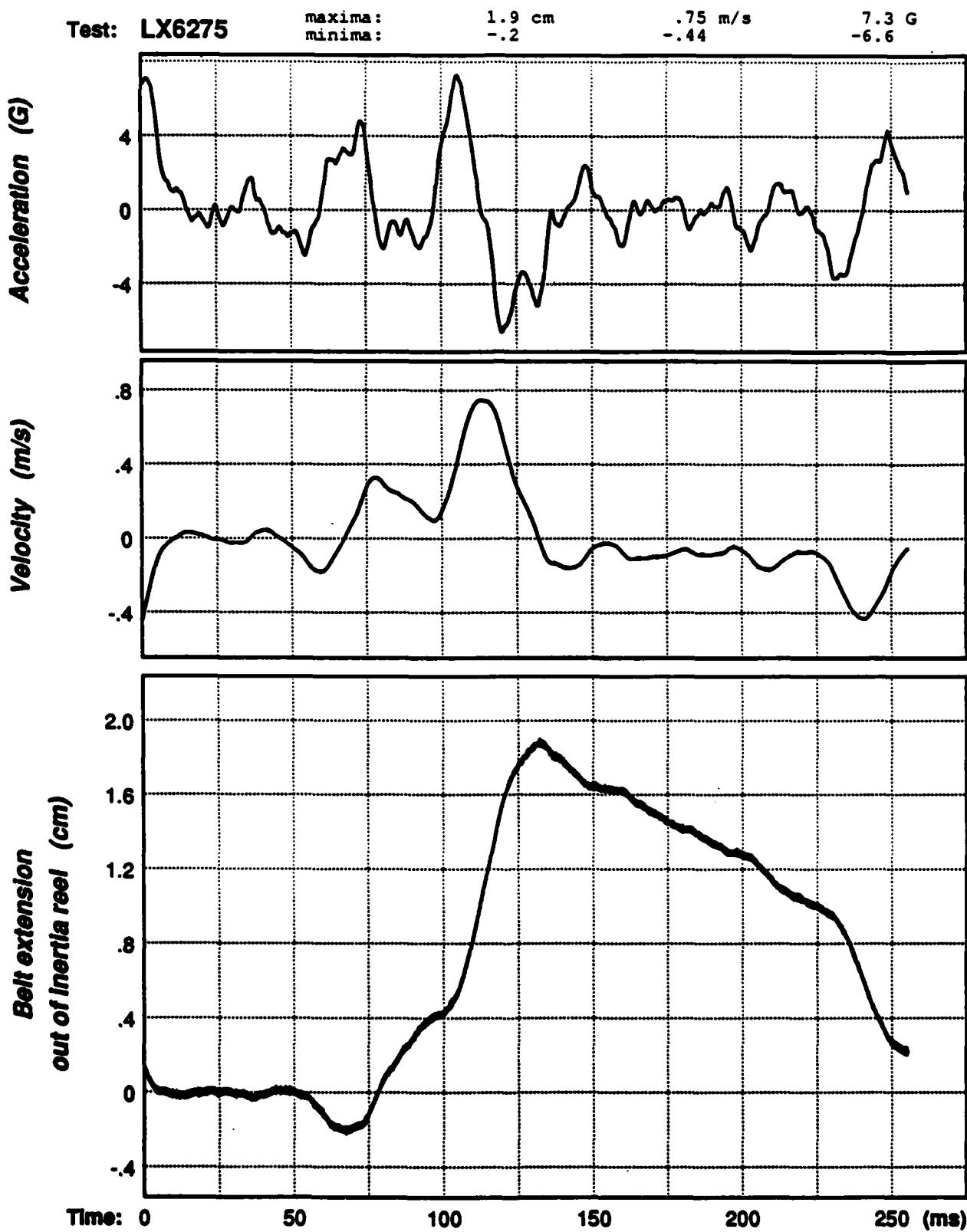


Figure A-54. Amount of belt extension and the velocity and acceleration of extension for test LX6275.

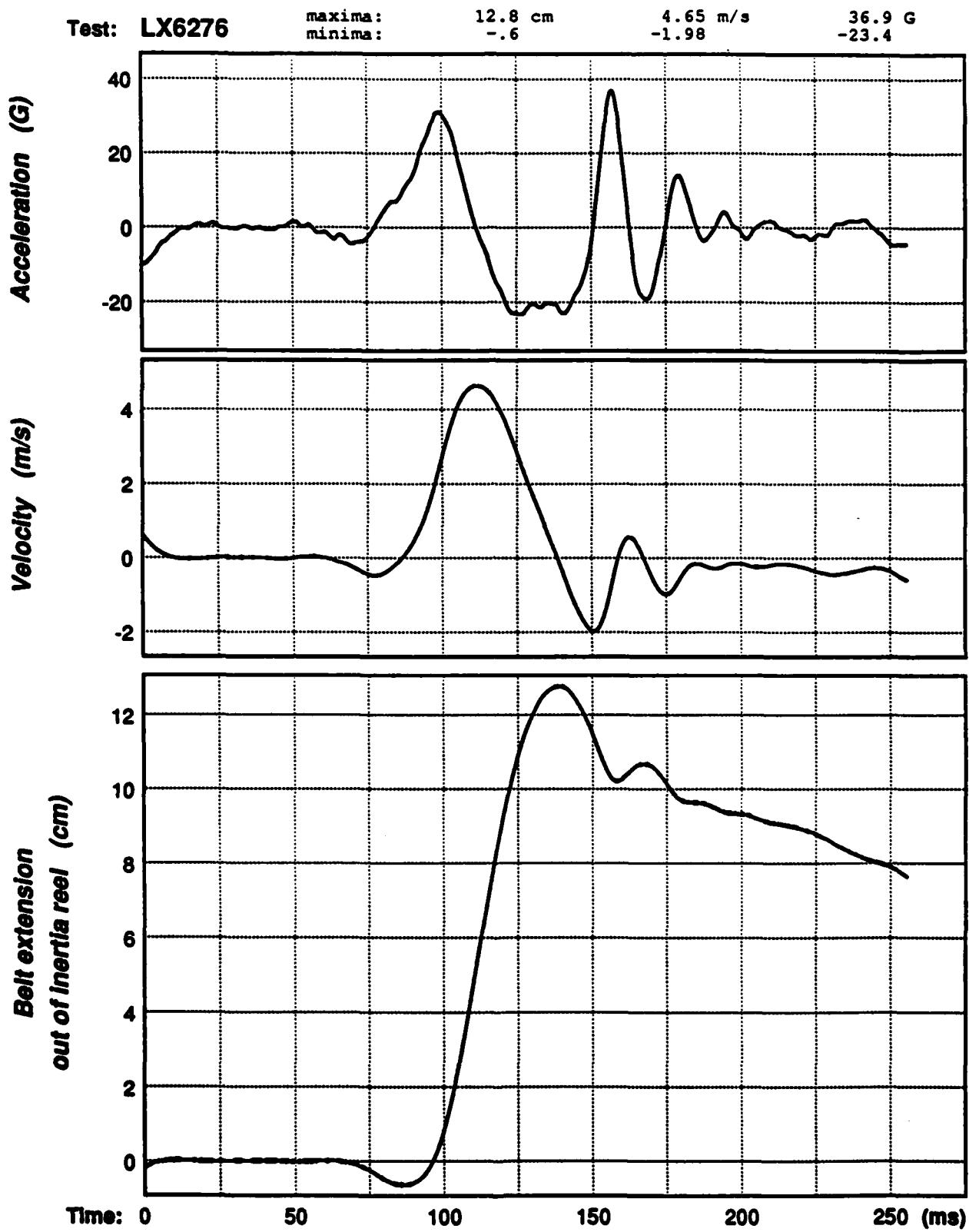


Figure A-55. Amount of belt extension and the velocity and acceleration of extension for test LX6276.

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## Appendix B

This appendix contains the processed transducer signals from the 11 AH-64 (Apache) optical relay tube (ORT) tests with inertia reels and without airbags.

These include 10 tests (LX6208 - LX6217) conducted during the first phase of testing and one test (LX6277) which were run in the second phase.

Figures B-1 thru B-11 show the sled acceleration pulses and computed velocity and jerk signals for the 11 tests.

Figures B-12 thru B-22 display components and resultants head linear accelerations.

Figures B-23 thru B-33 display the head roll acceleration signals and computed angular velocities and displacements.

Figures B-34 thru B-44 show the head pitch acceleration signals and computed angular velocities and displacements.

No belt extension signals were available for these tests.

# **Appendix B**

- 1. LX6208**
- 2. LX6209**
- 3. LX6210**
- 4. LX6211**
- 5. LX6212**
- 6. LX6213**
- 7. LX6214**
- 8. LX6215**
- 9. LX6216**
- 10. LX6217**
- 11. LX6277**

Test: LX6208      maxima: 6.68 G  
                      minima: -.51

10.71 m/s  
:00

674 G/s  
-150

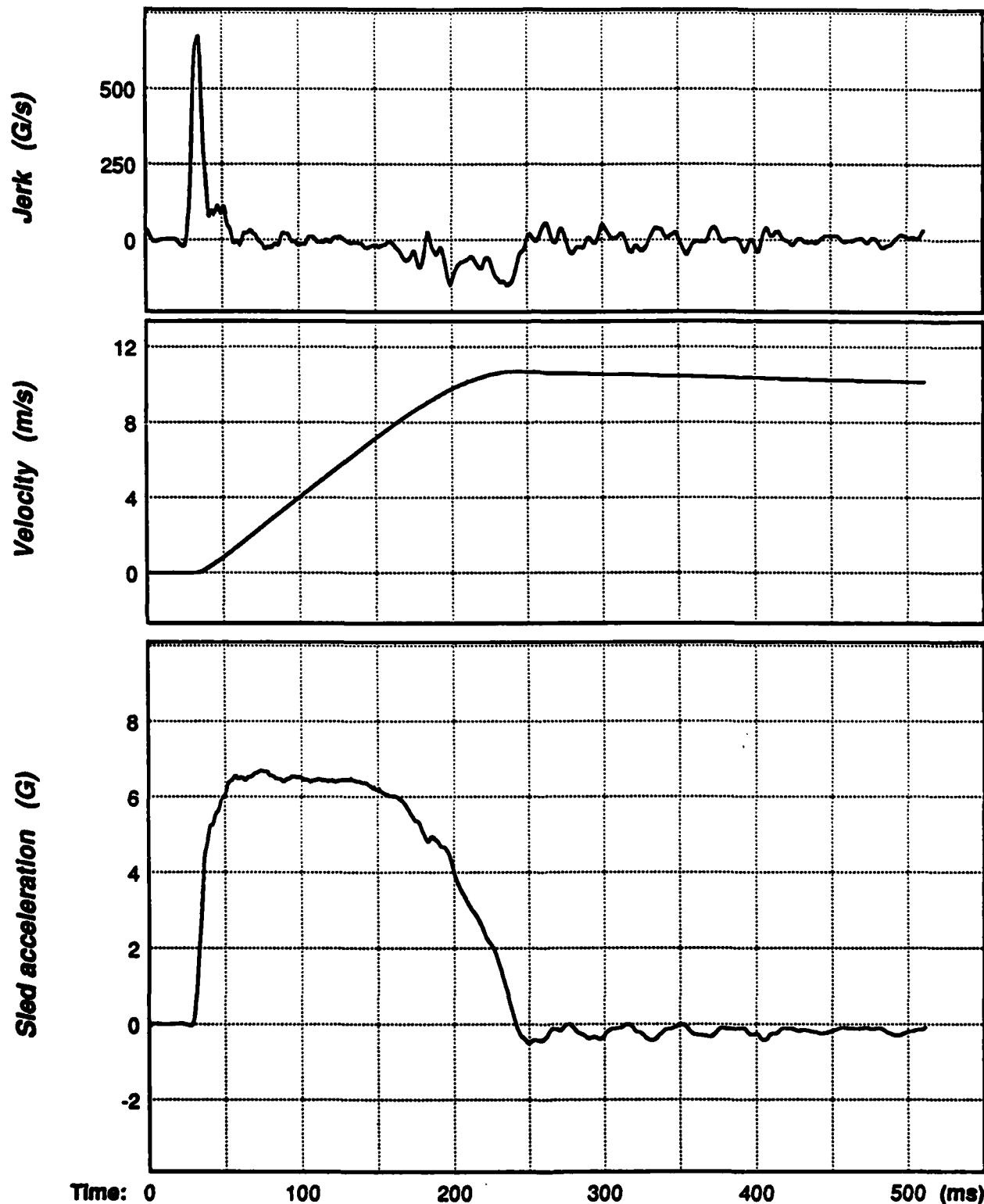


Figure B-1. Sled acceleration signal and its computed velocity and jerk for test LX6208.

Test: LX6209      maxima: 6.72 G      10.69 m/s      701 G/s  
minima: -.62      .00      -257

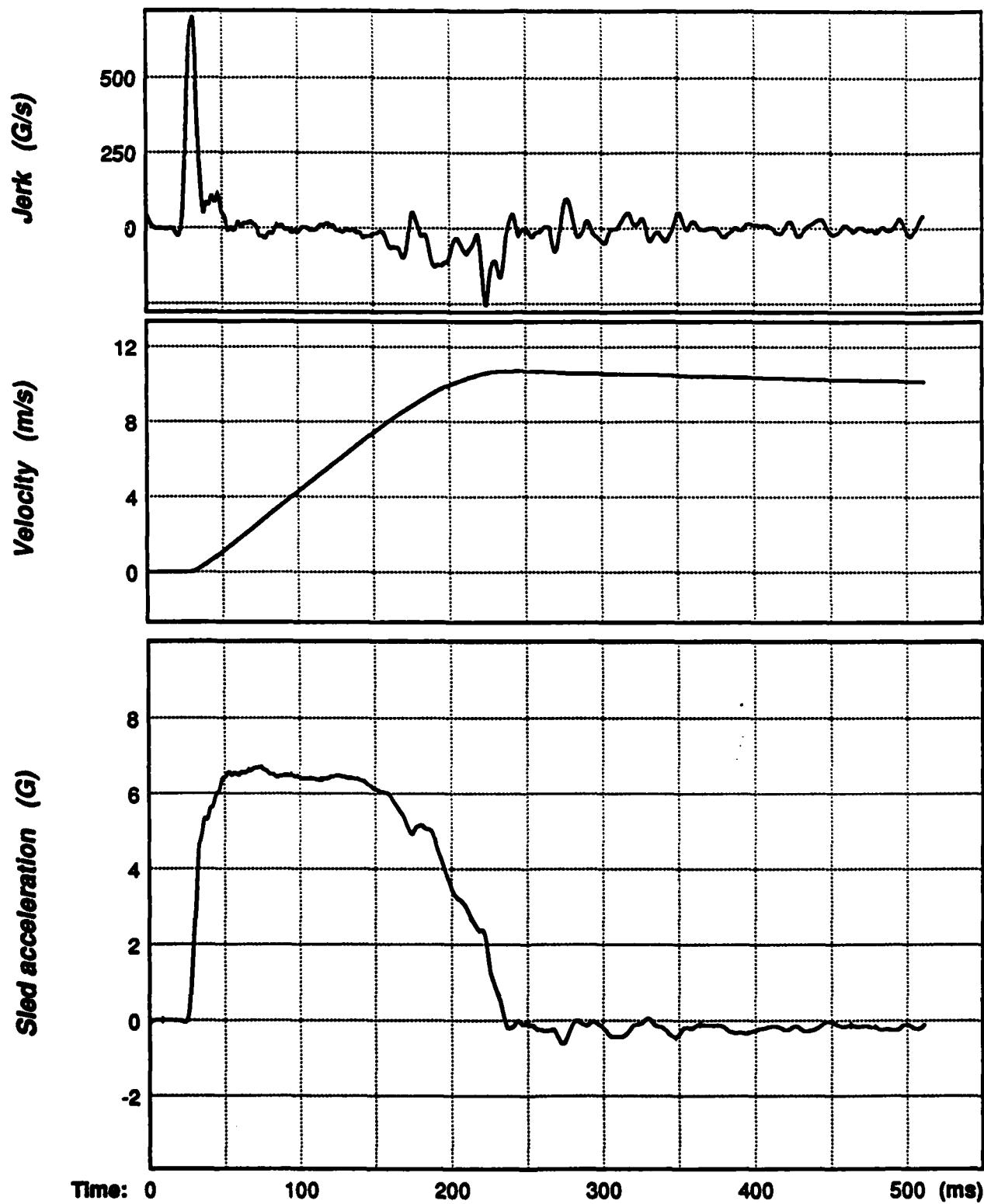


Figure B-2. Sled acceleration signal and its computed velocity and jerk for test LX6209.

Test: LX6210      maxima: 6.71 G      10.69 m/s      710 G/s  
minima: -.64      .00      -272

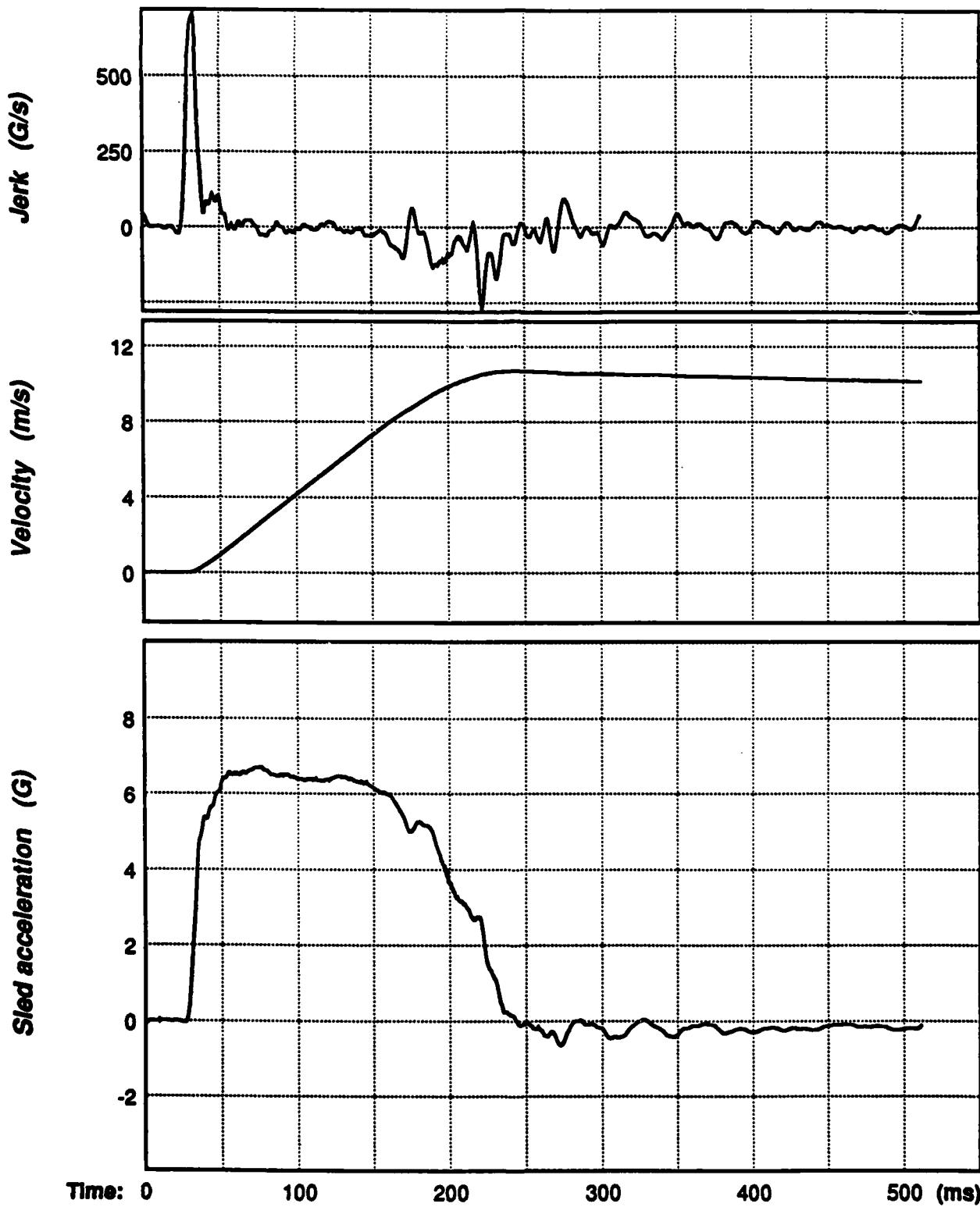


Figure B-3. Sled acceleration signal and its computed velocity and jerk for test LX6210.

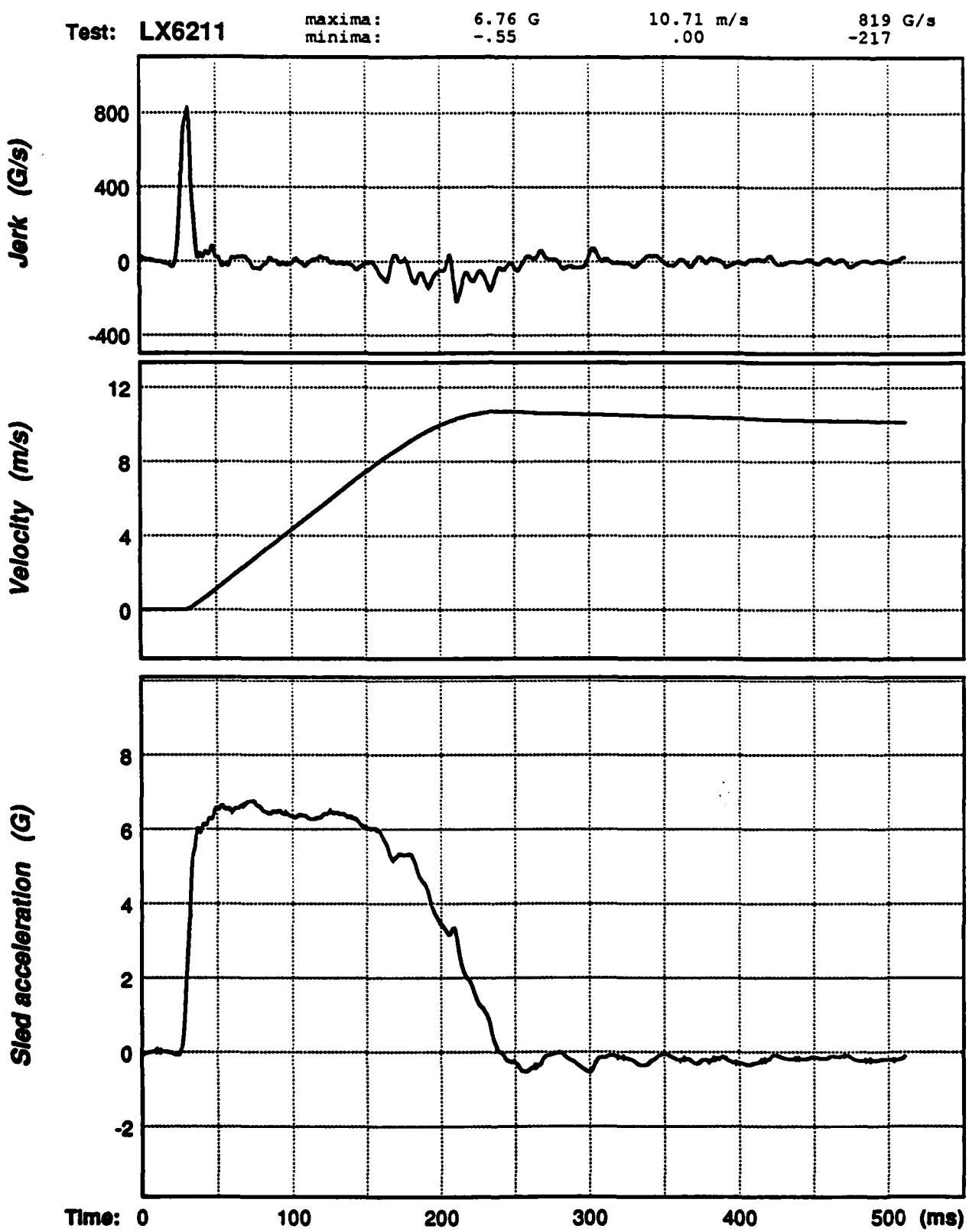


Figure B-4. Sled acceleration signal and its computed velocity and jerk for test LX6211.

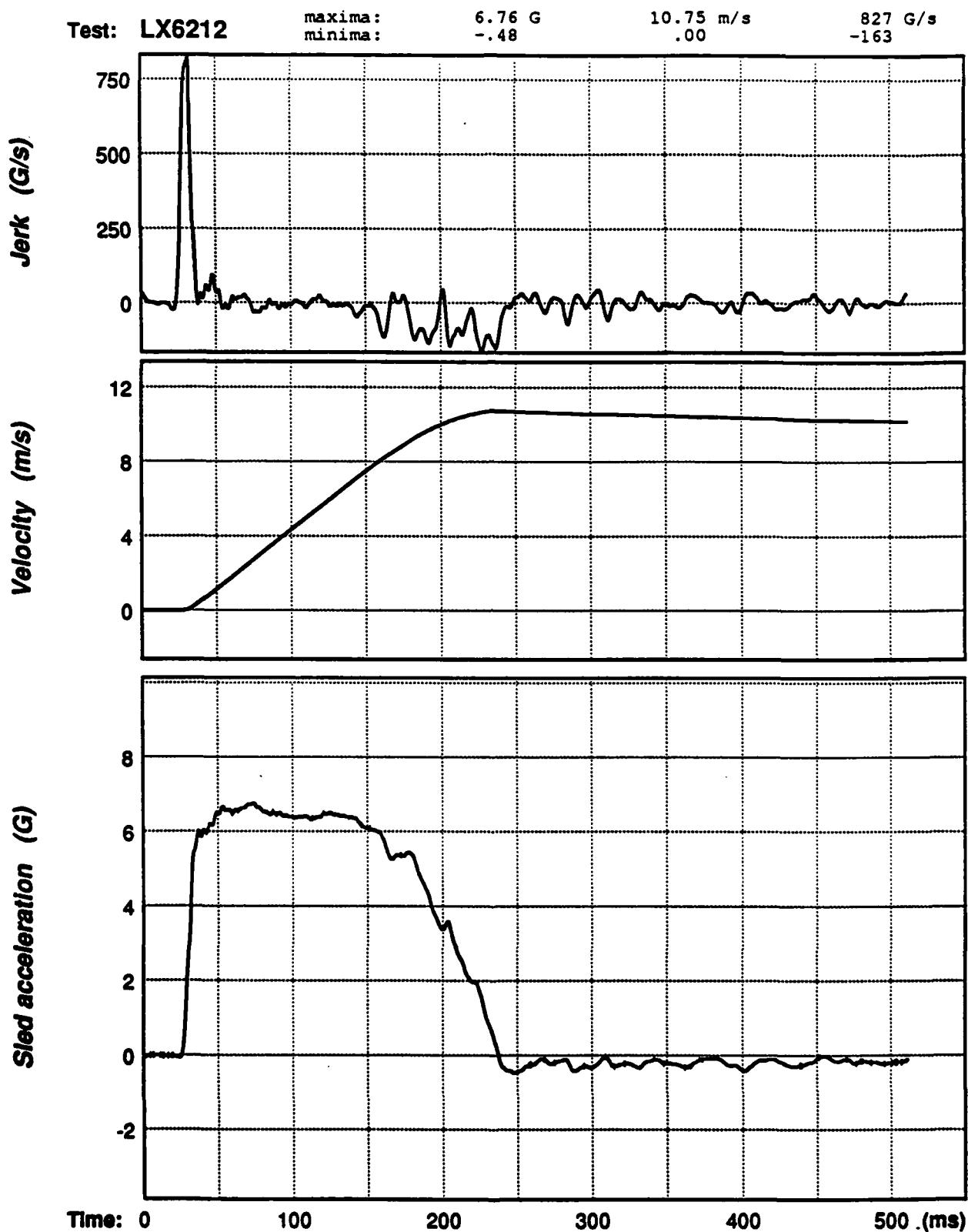


Figure B-5. Sled acceleration signal and its computed velocity and jerk for test LX6212.

Test: LX6213      maxima: 6.77 G      10.73 m/s      837 G/s  
                      minima: -.56      .00      -258

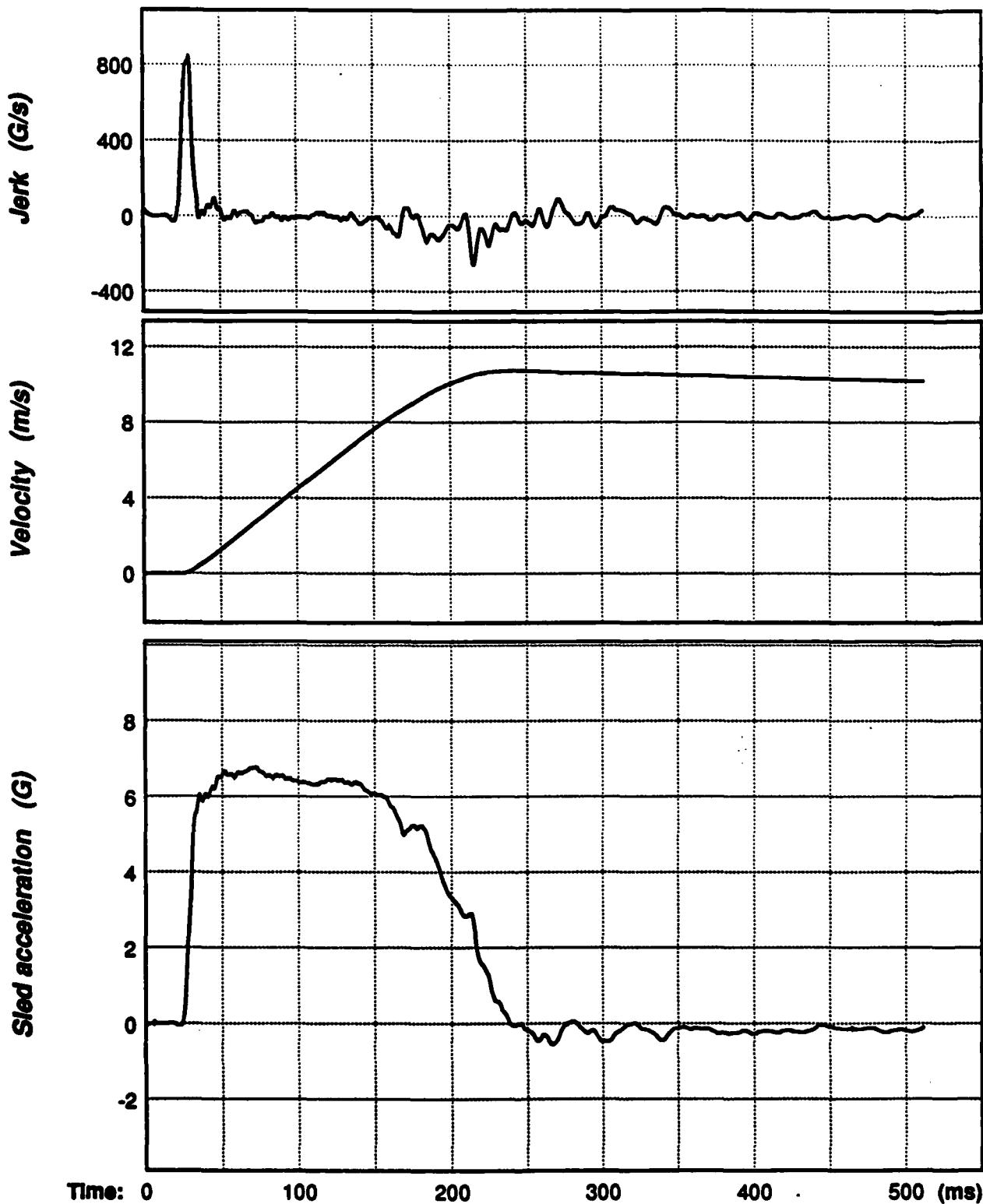


Figure B-6. Sled acceleration signal and its computed velocity and jerk for test LX6213.

Test: LX6214      maxima: 6.76 G      10.75 m/s      712 G/s  
minima: -.37      .00      -137

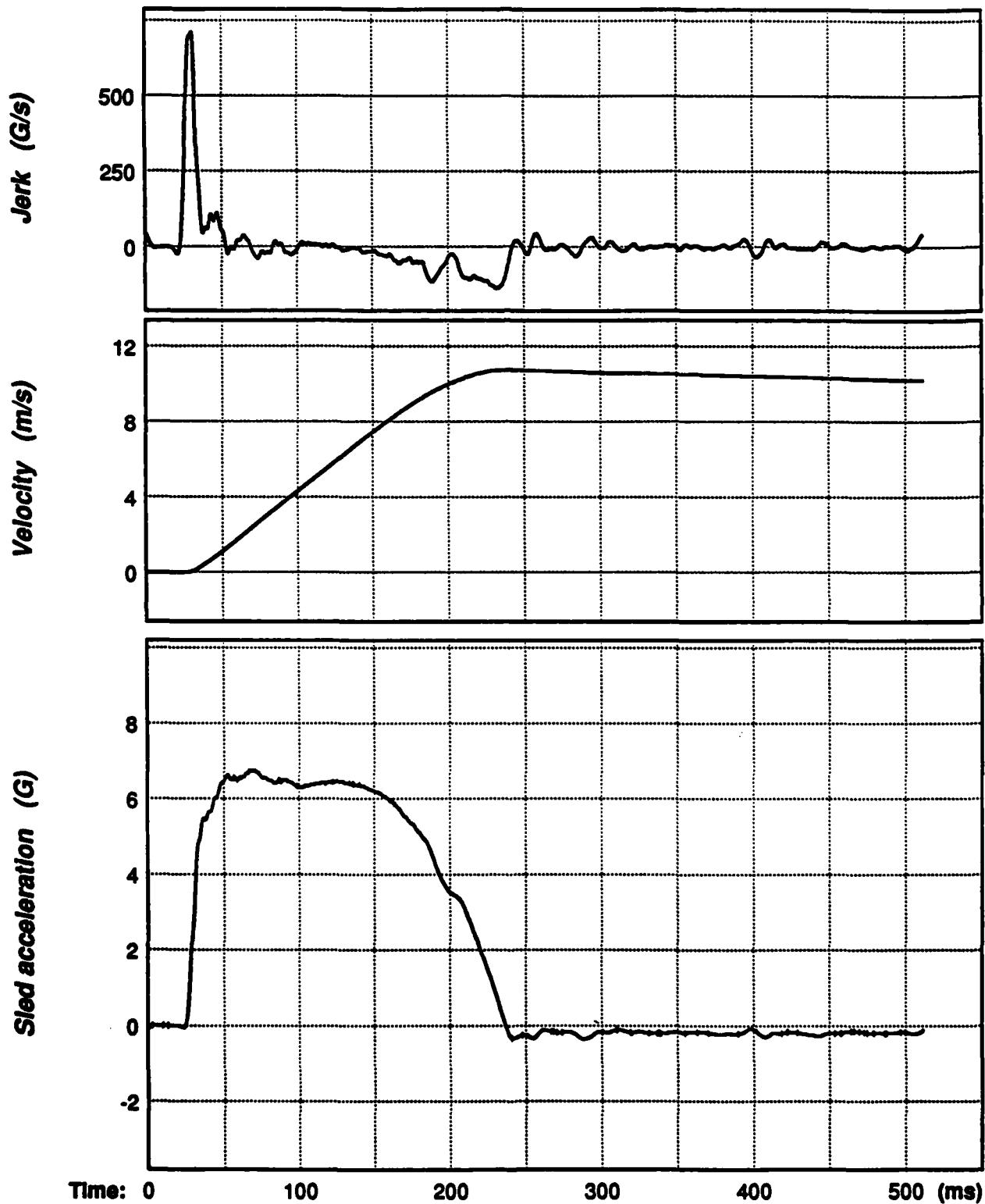


Figure B-7. Sled acceleration signal and its computed velocity and jerk for test LX6214.

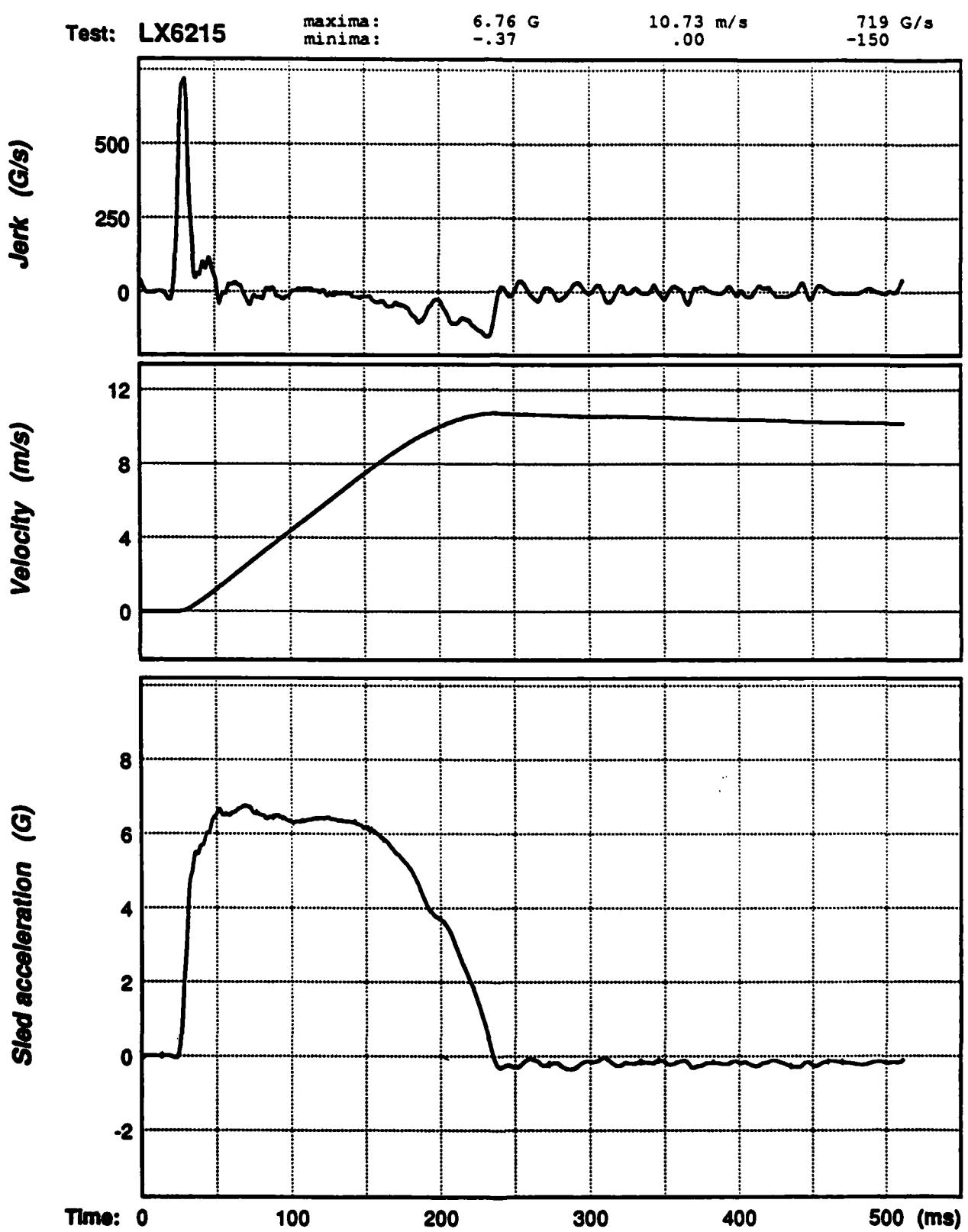


Figure B-8. Sled acceleration signal and its computed velocity and jerk for test LX6215.

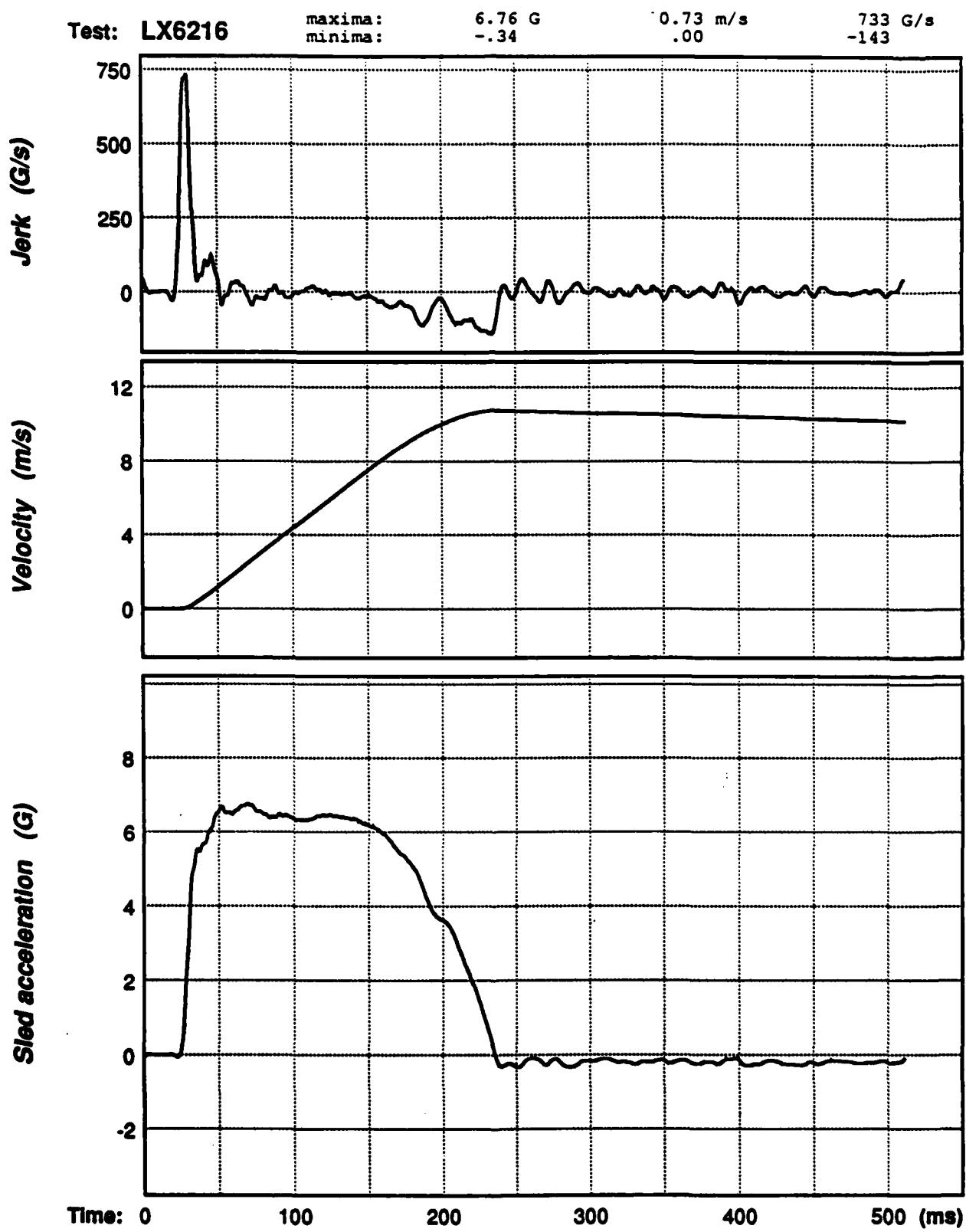


Figure B-9. Sled acceleration signal and its computed velocity and jerk for test LX6216.

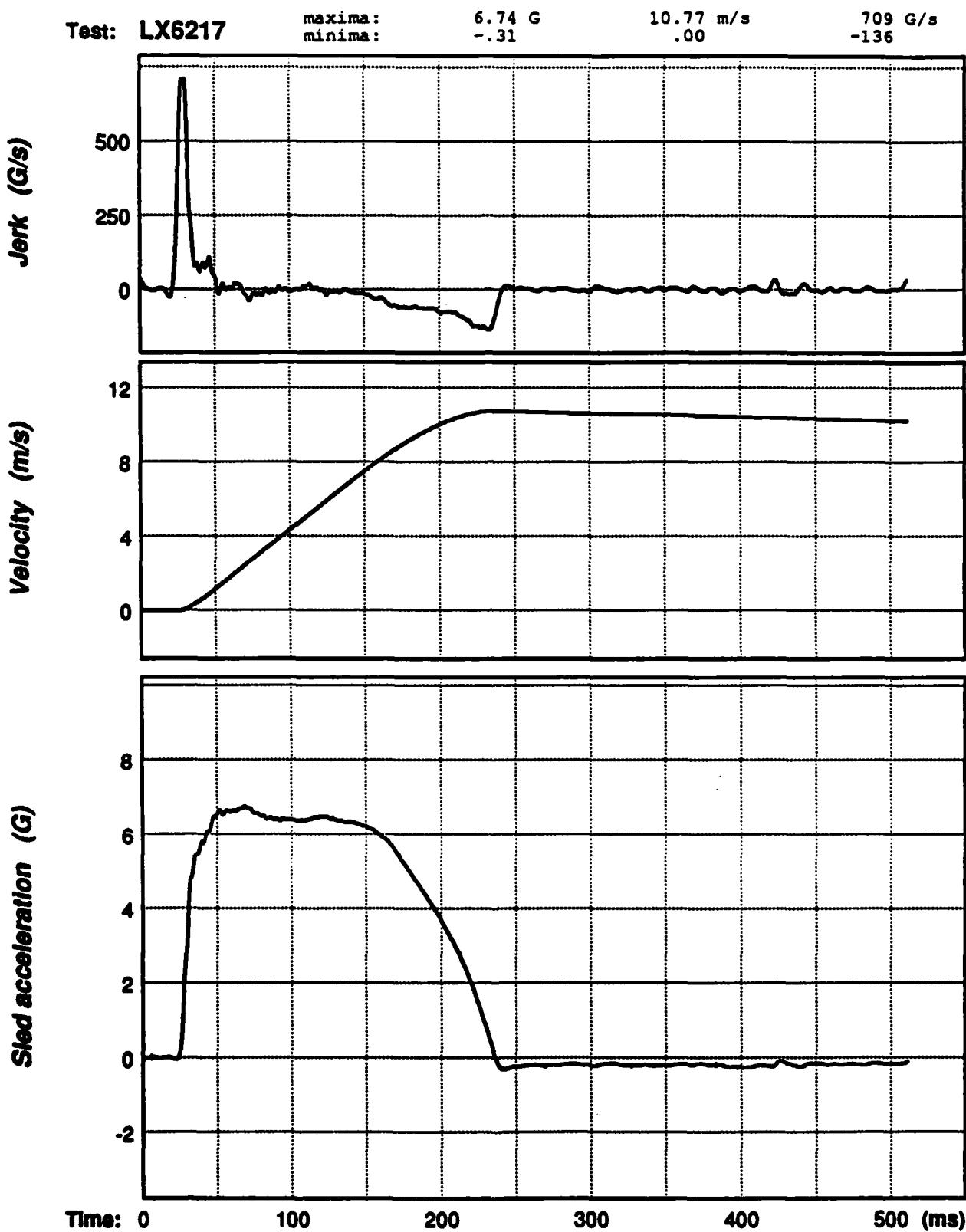


Figure B-10. Sled acceleration signal and its computed velocity and jerk for test LX6217.

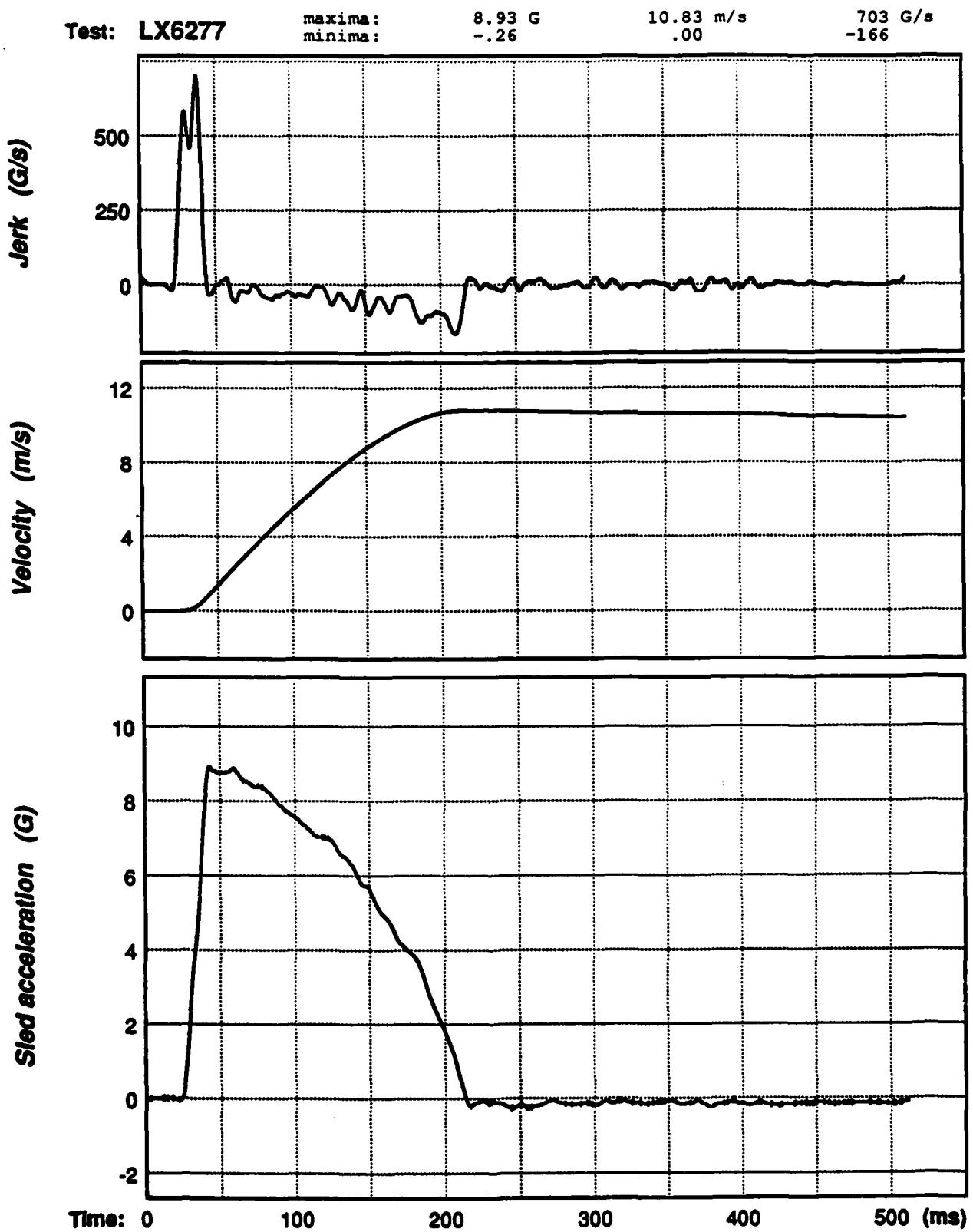


Figure B-11. Sled acceleration signal and its computed velocity and jerk for test LX6277.

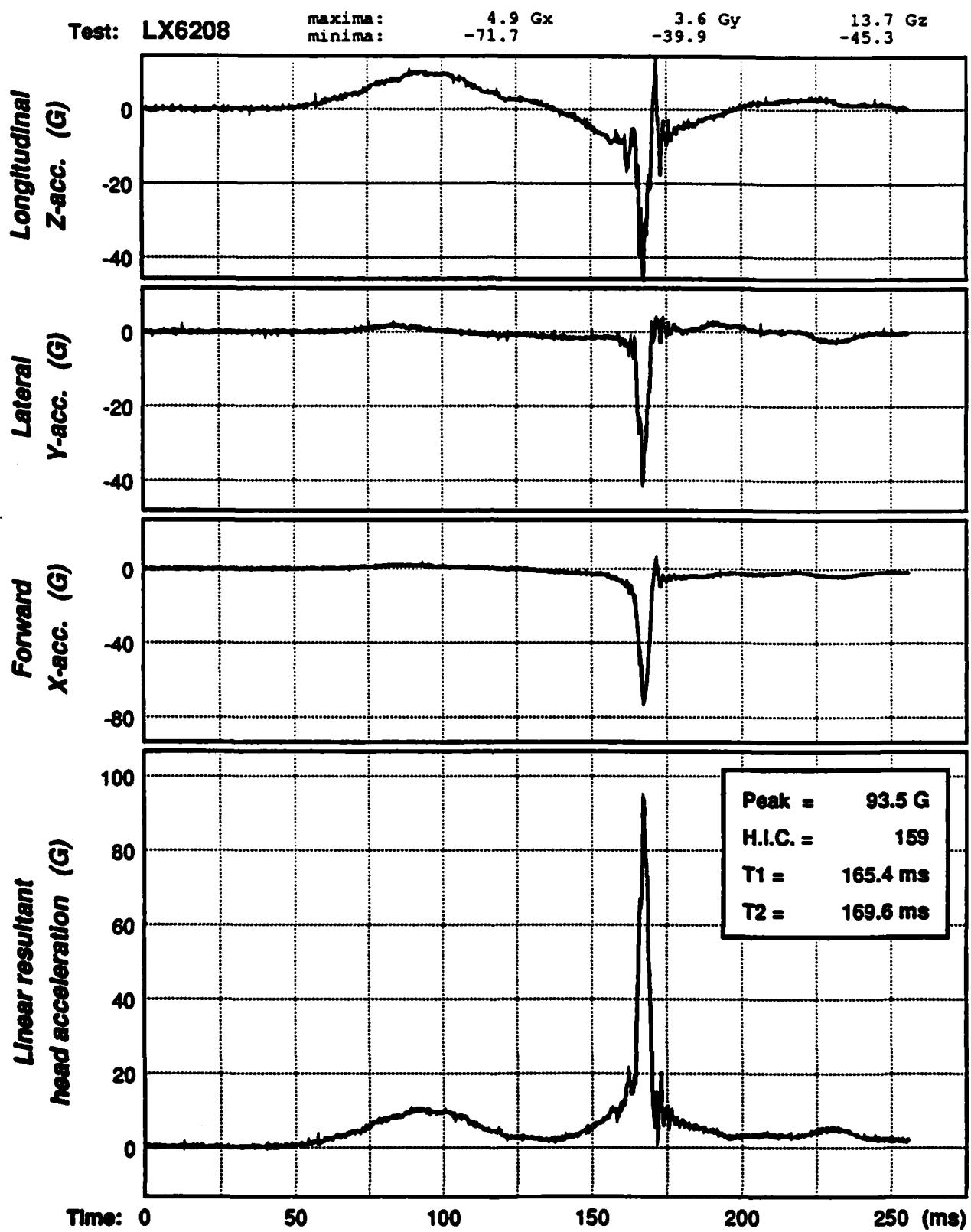


Figure B-12. Three components and resultant of the linear head acceleration for test LX6208.

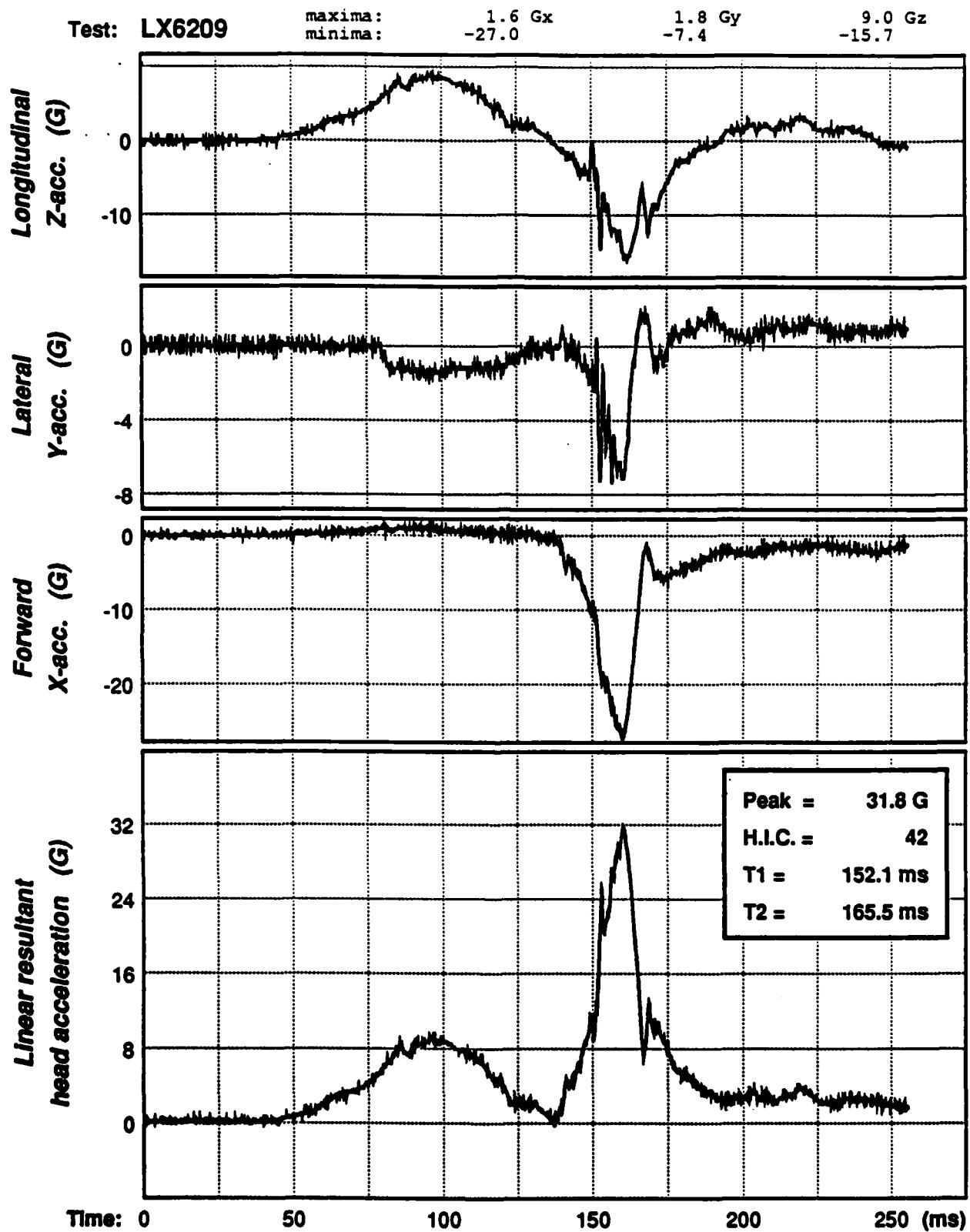


Figure B-13. Three components and resultant of the linear head acceleration for test LX6209.

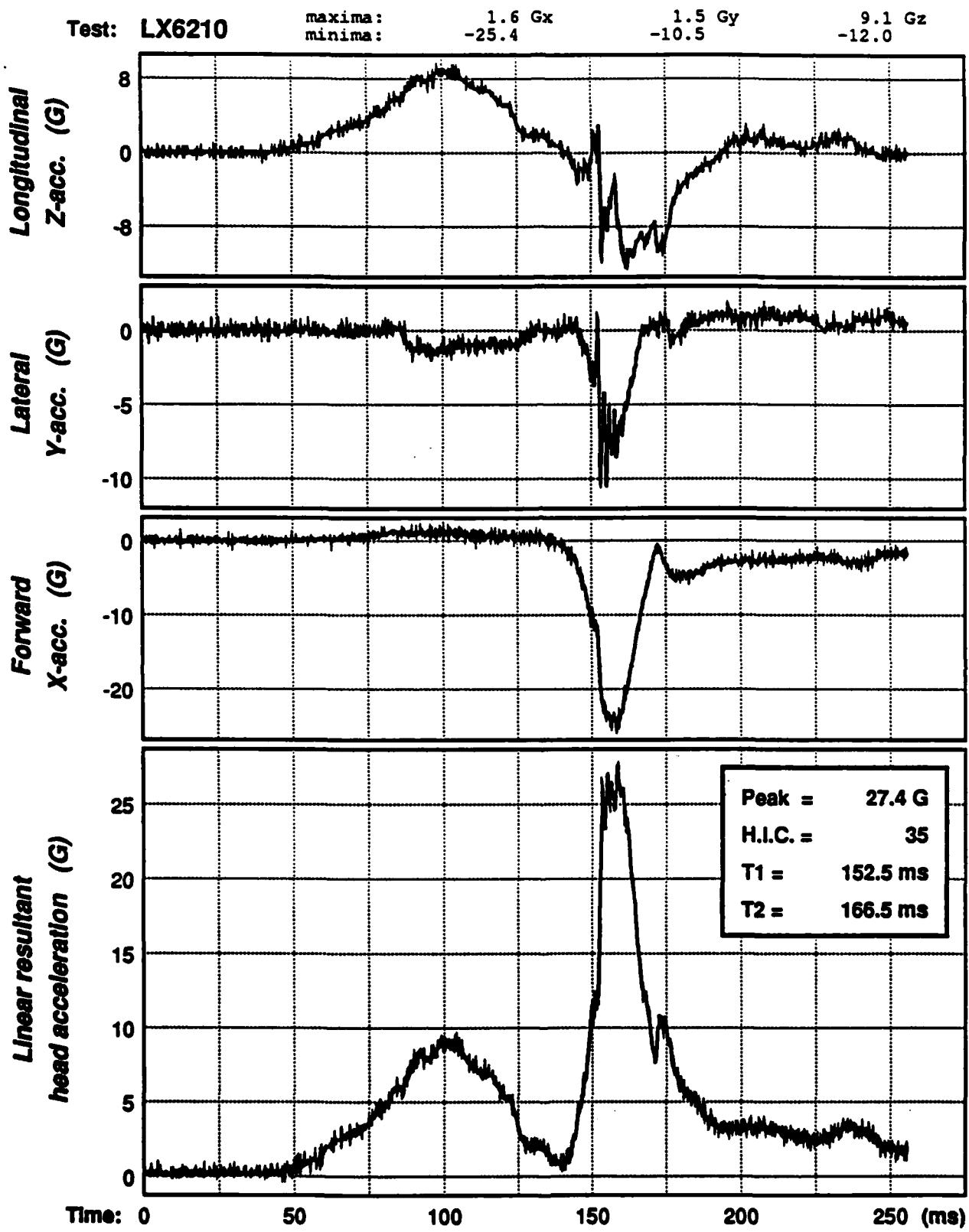


Figure B-14. Three components and resultant of the linear head acceleration for test LX6210.

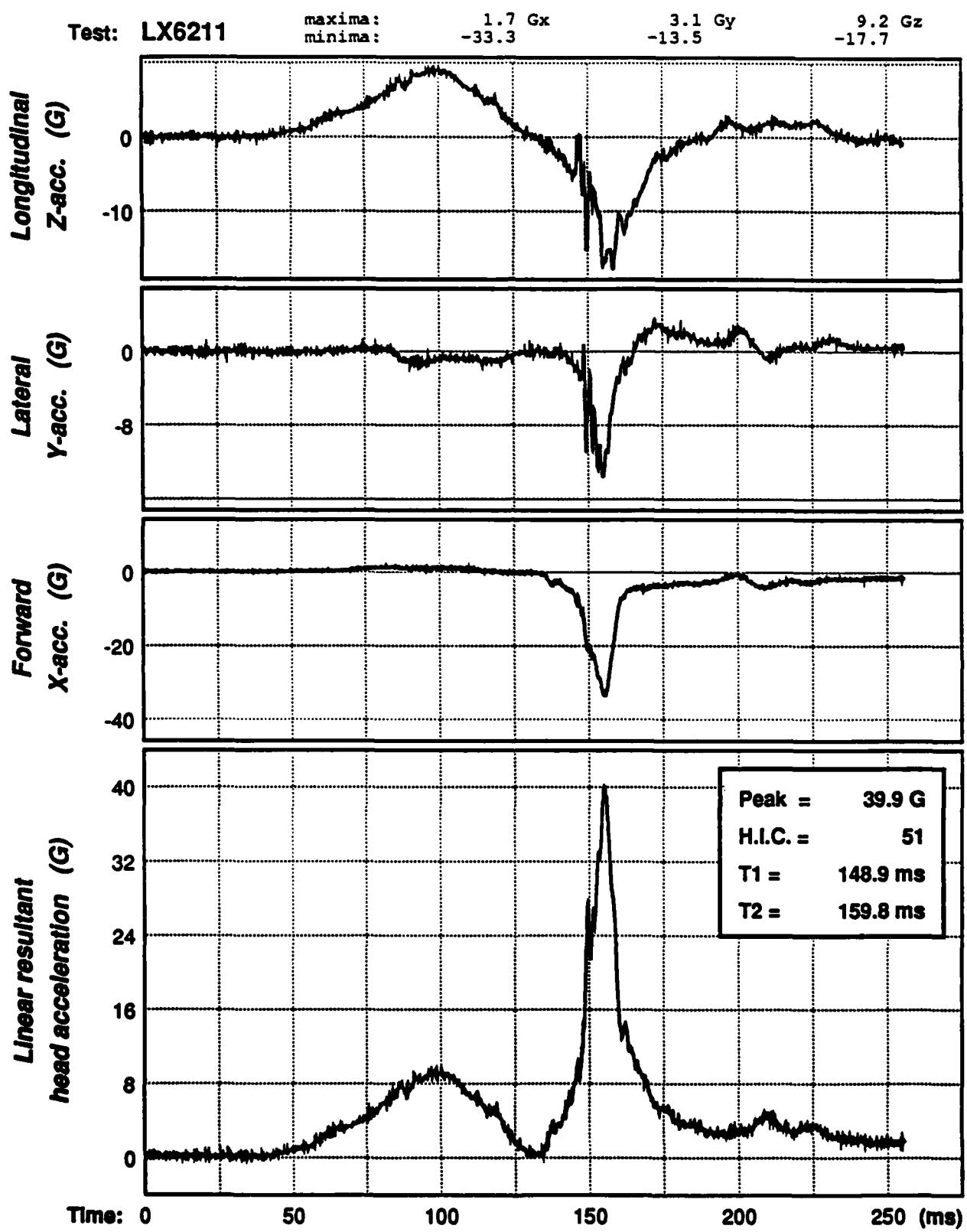


Figure B-15. Three components and resultant of the linear head acceleration for test LX6211.

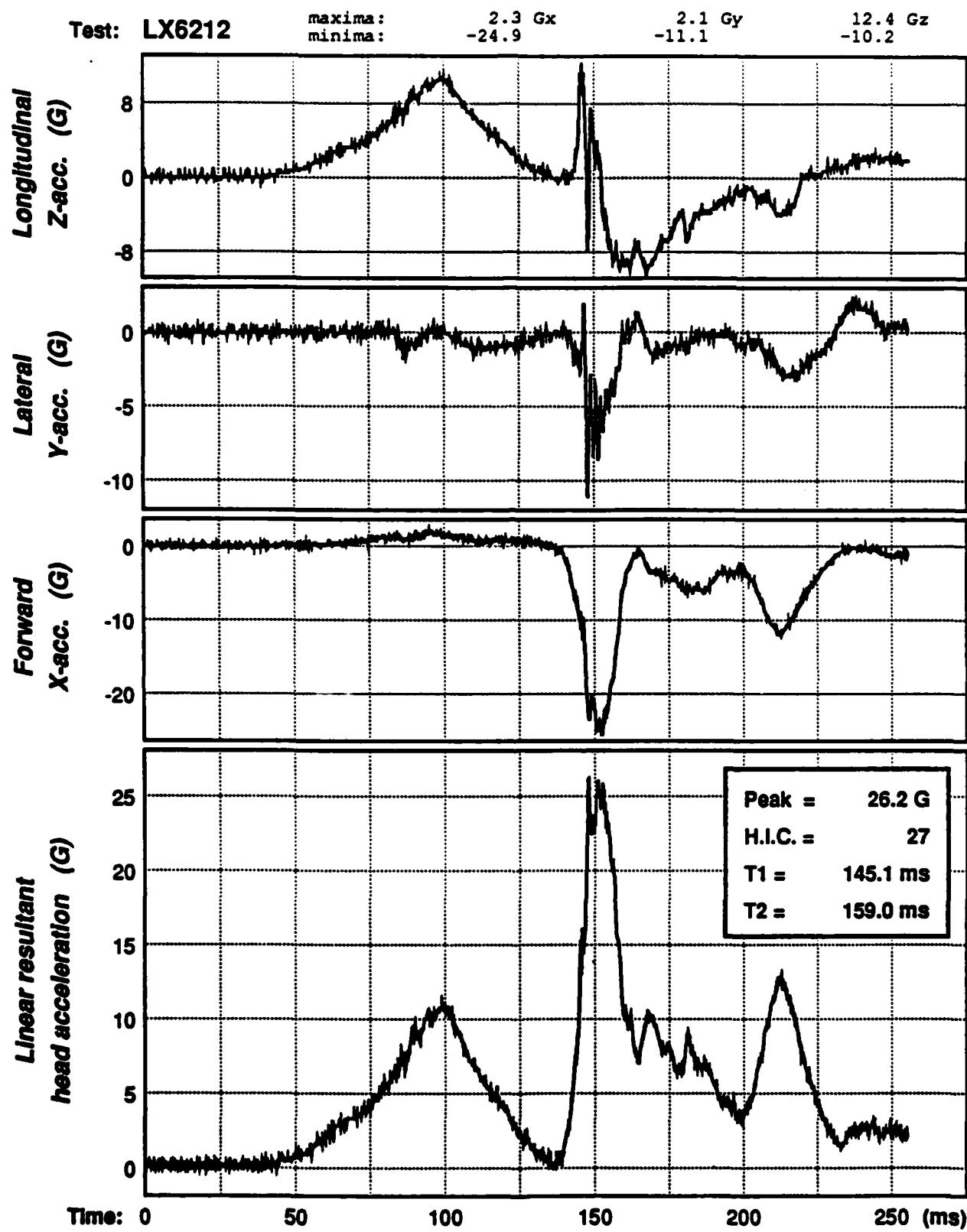


Figure B-16. Three components and resultant of the linear head acceleration for test LX6212.

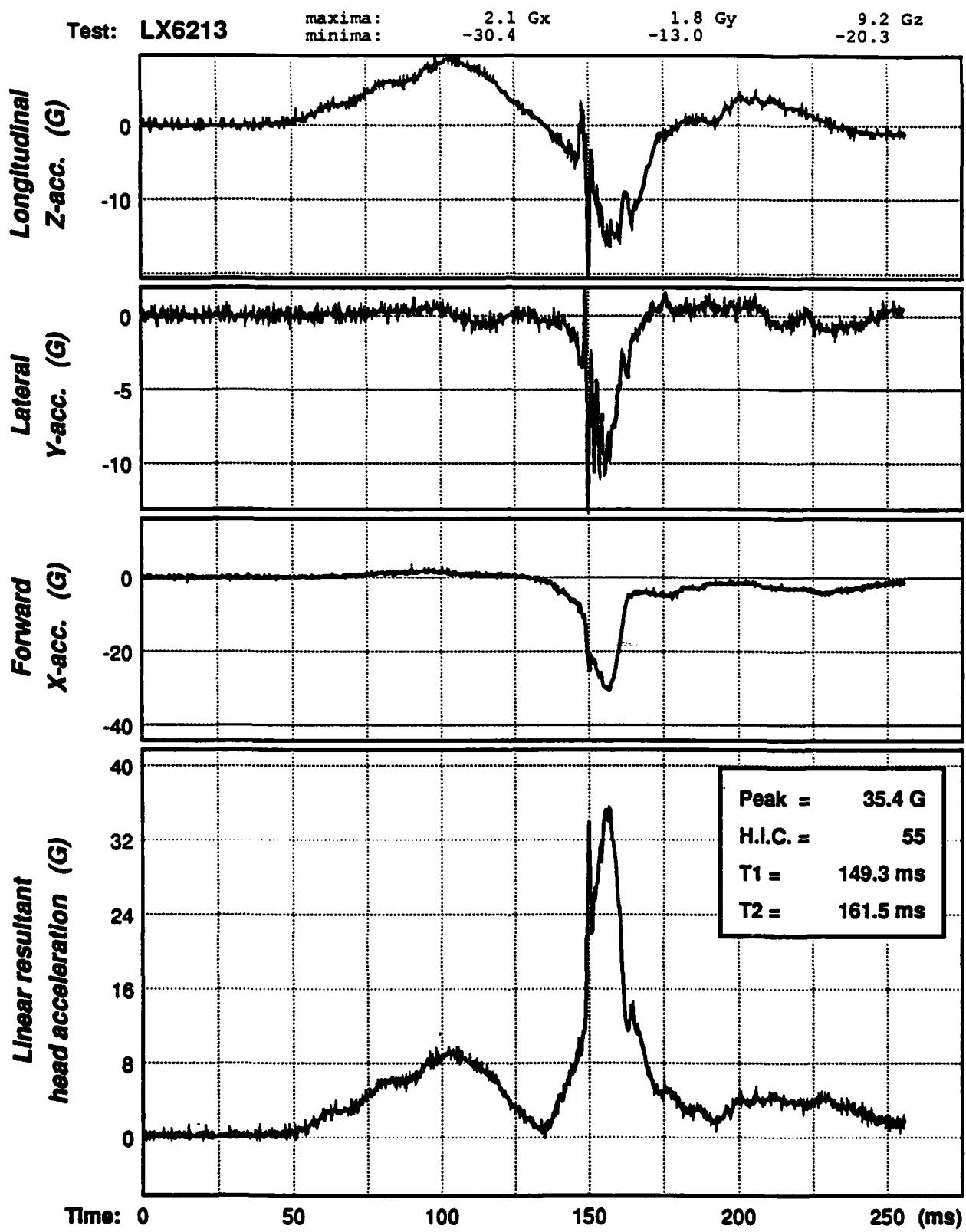


Figure B-17. Three components and resultant of the linear head acceleration for test LX6213.

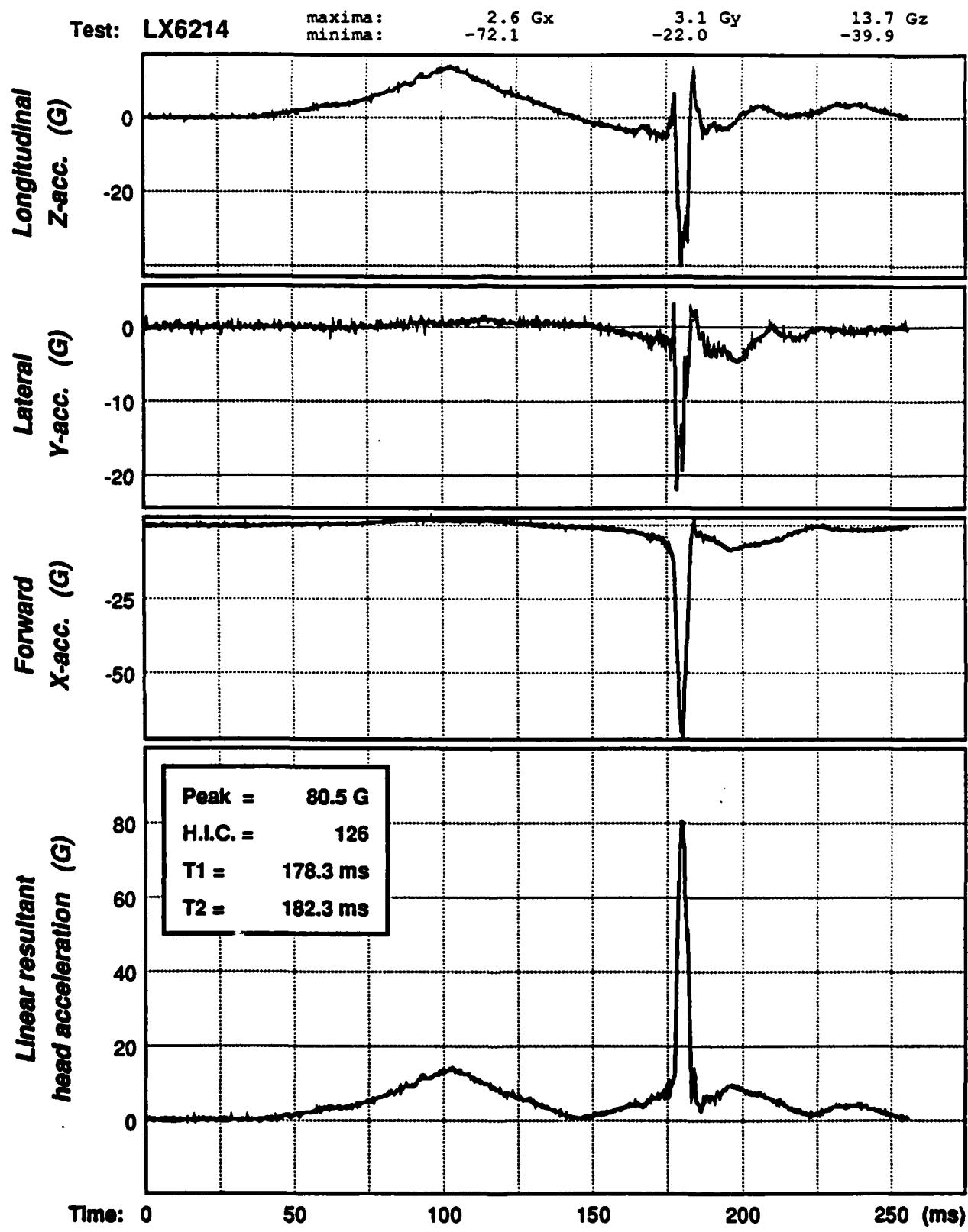


Figure B-18. Three components and resultant of the linear head acceleration for test LX6214.

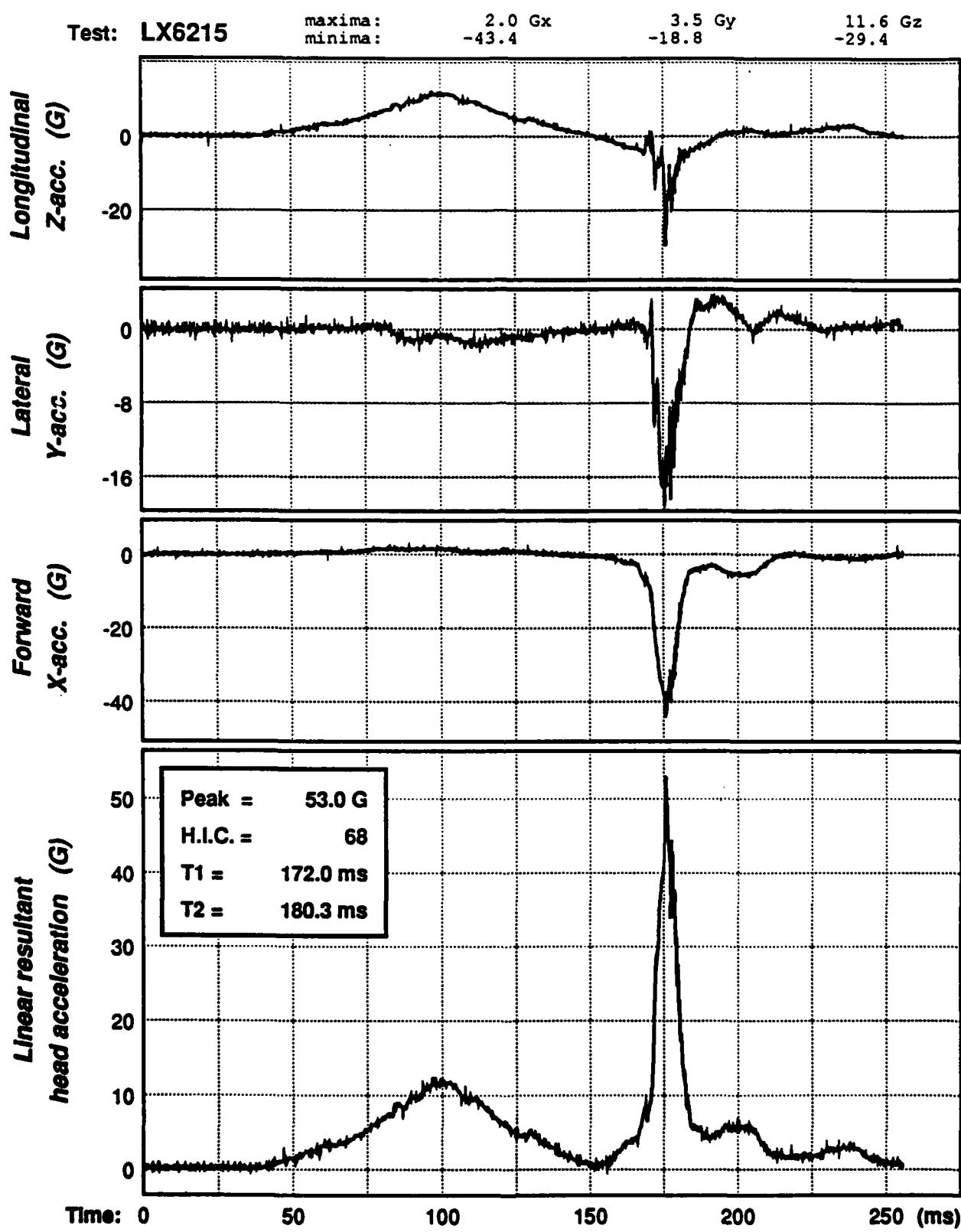


Figure B-19. Three components and resultant of the linear head acceleration for test LX6215.

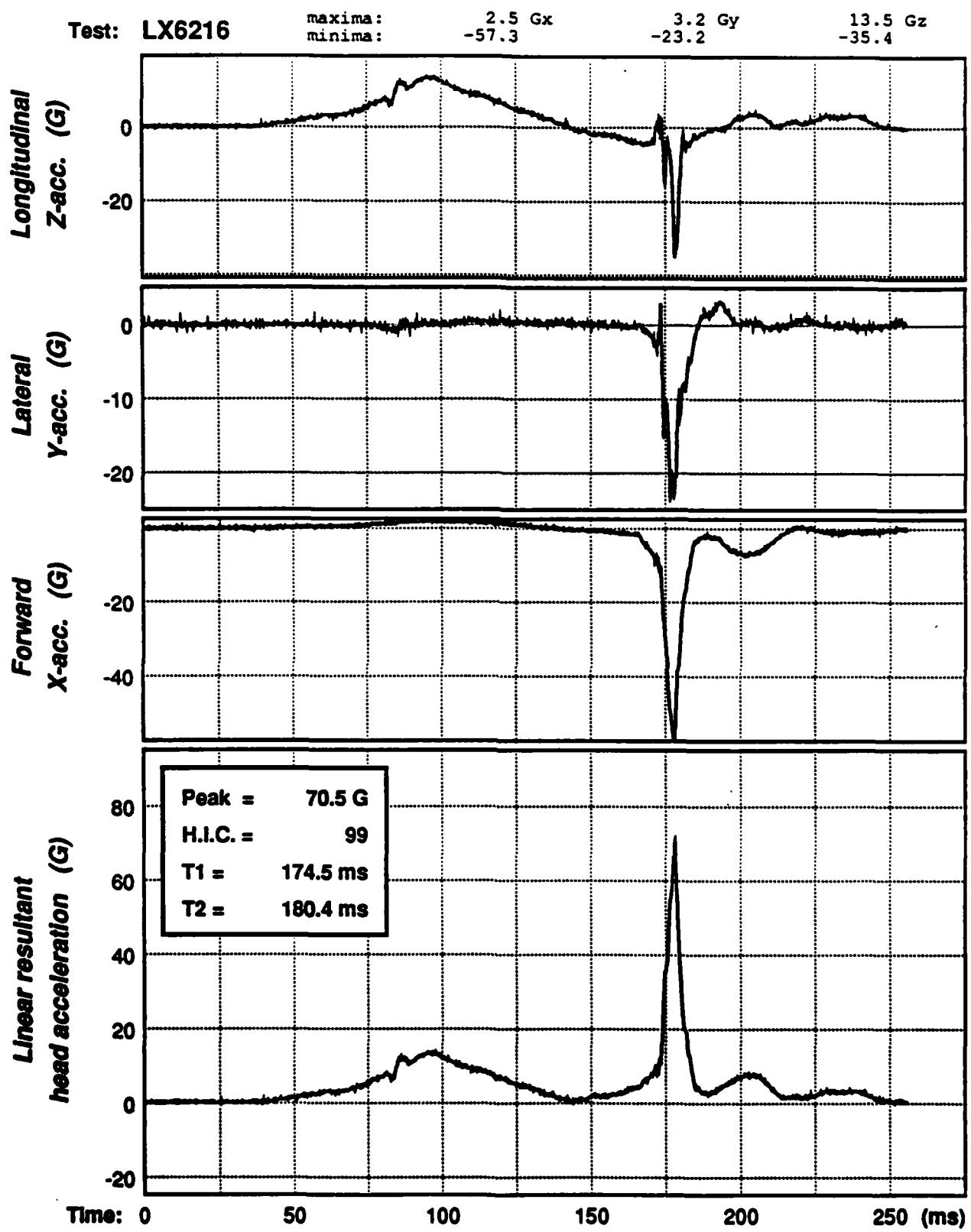


Figure B-20. Three components and resultant of the linear head acceleration for test LX6216.

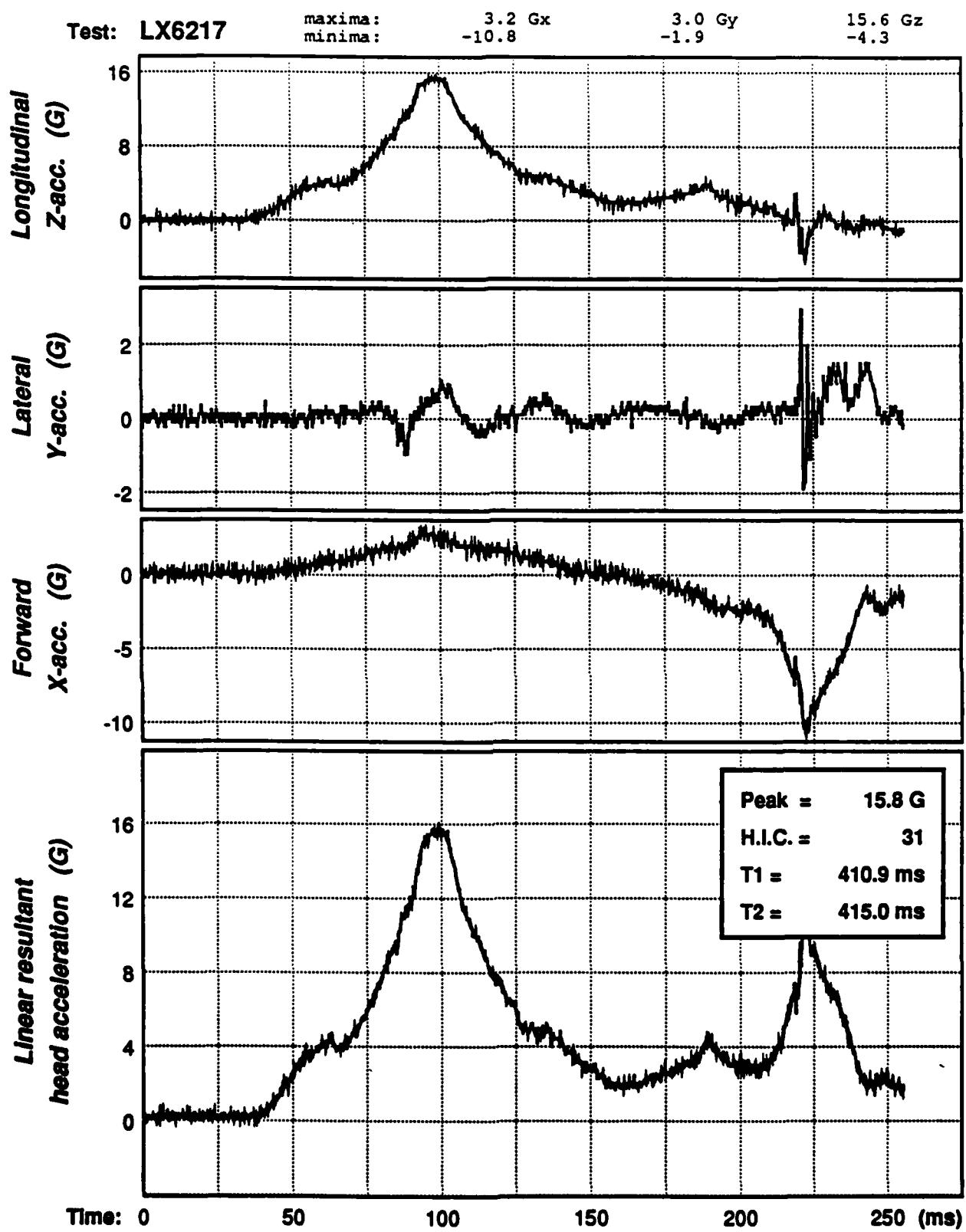


Figure B-21. Three components and resultant of the linear head acceleration for test LX6217.

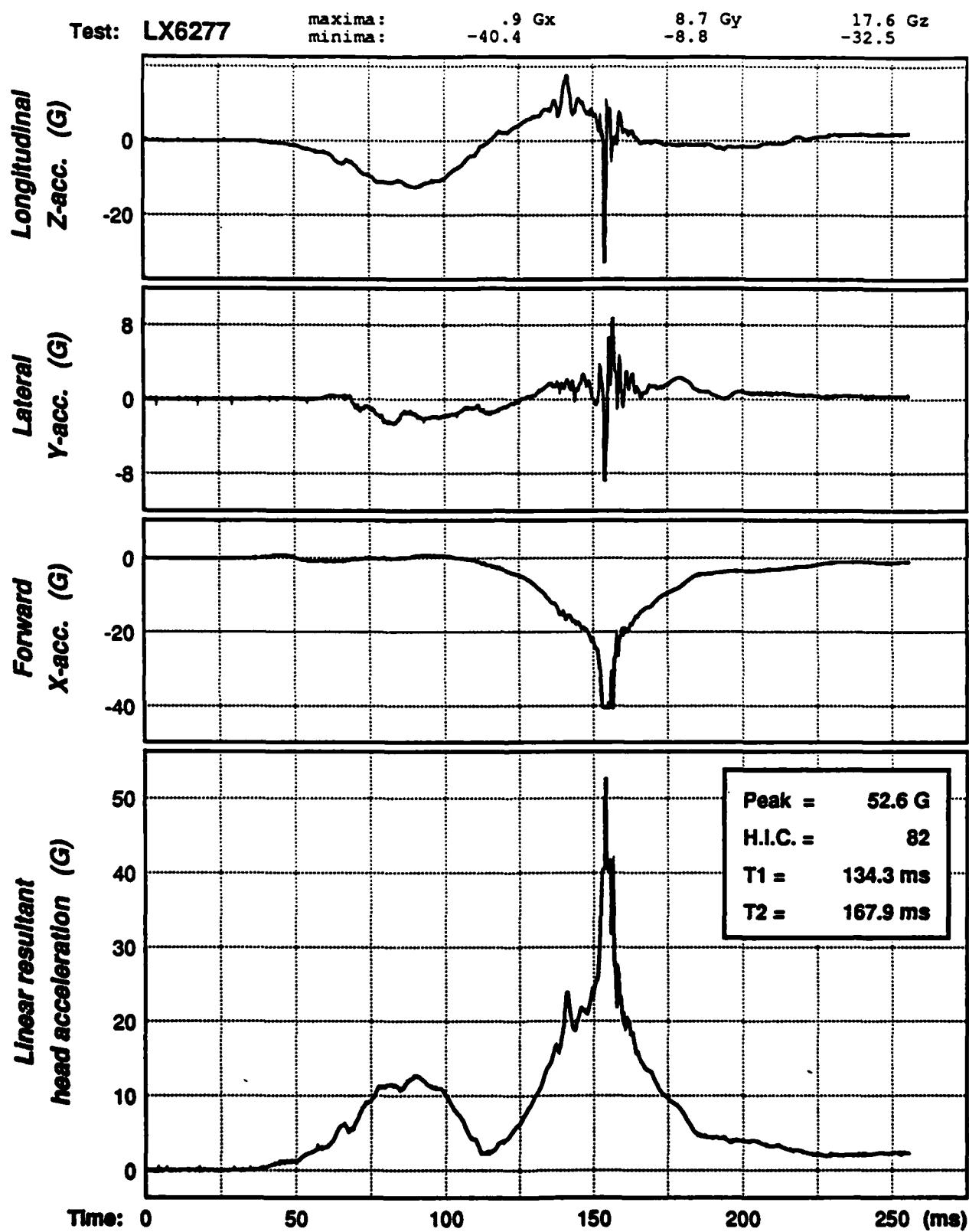


Figure B-22. Three components and resultant of the linear head acceleration for test LX6277.

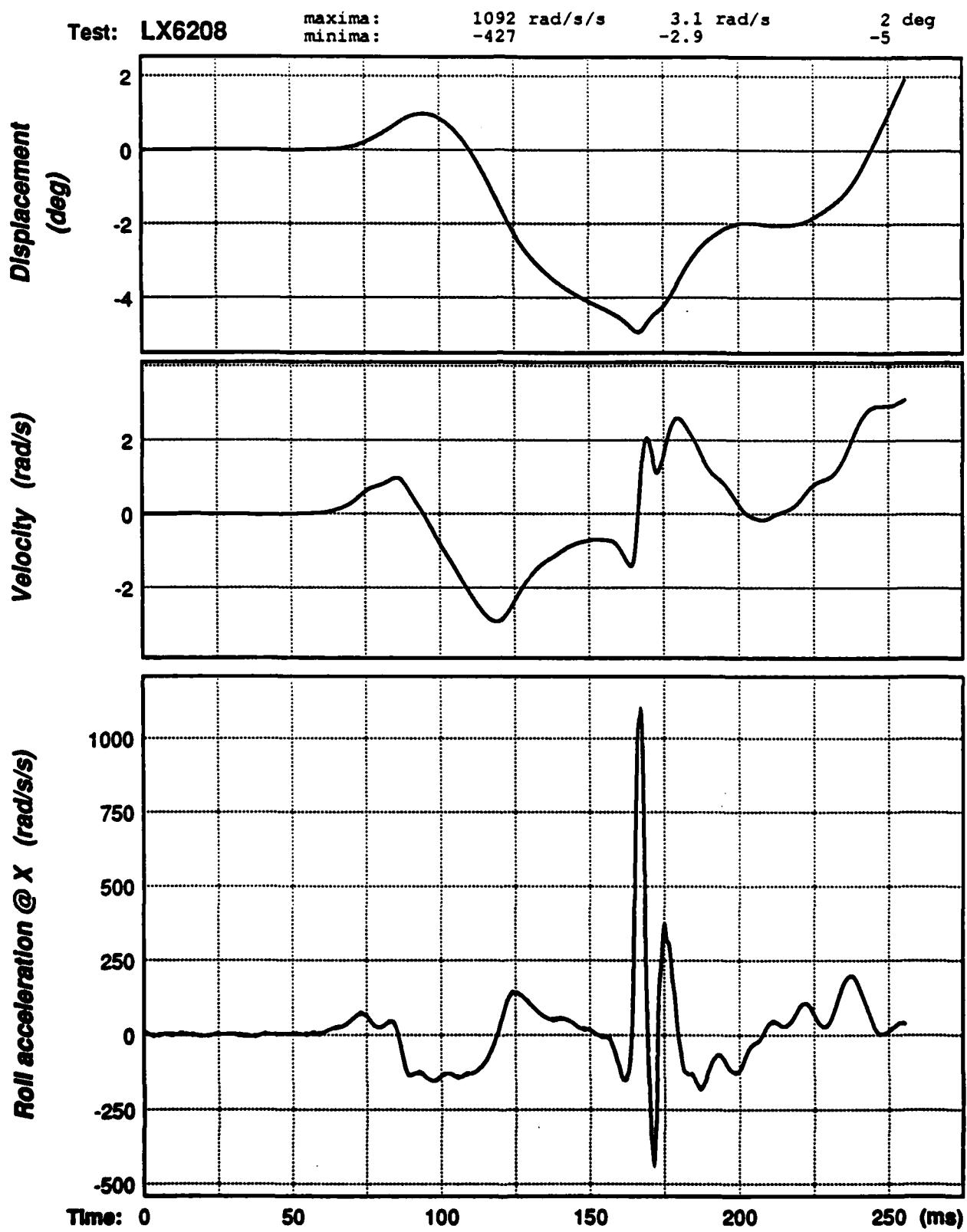


Figure B-23. Head roll angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6208.

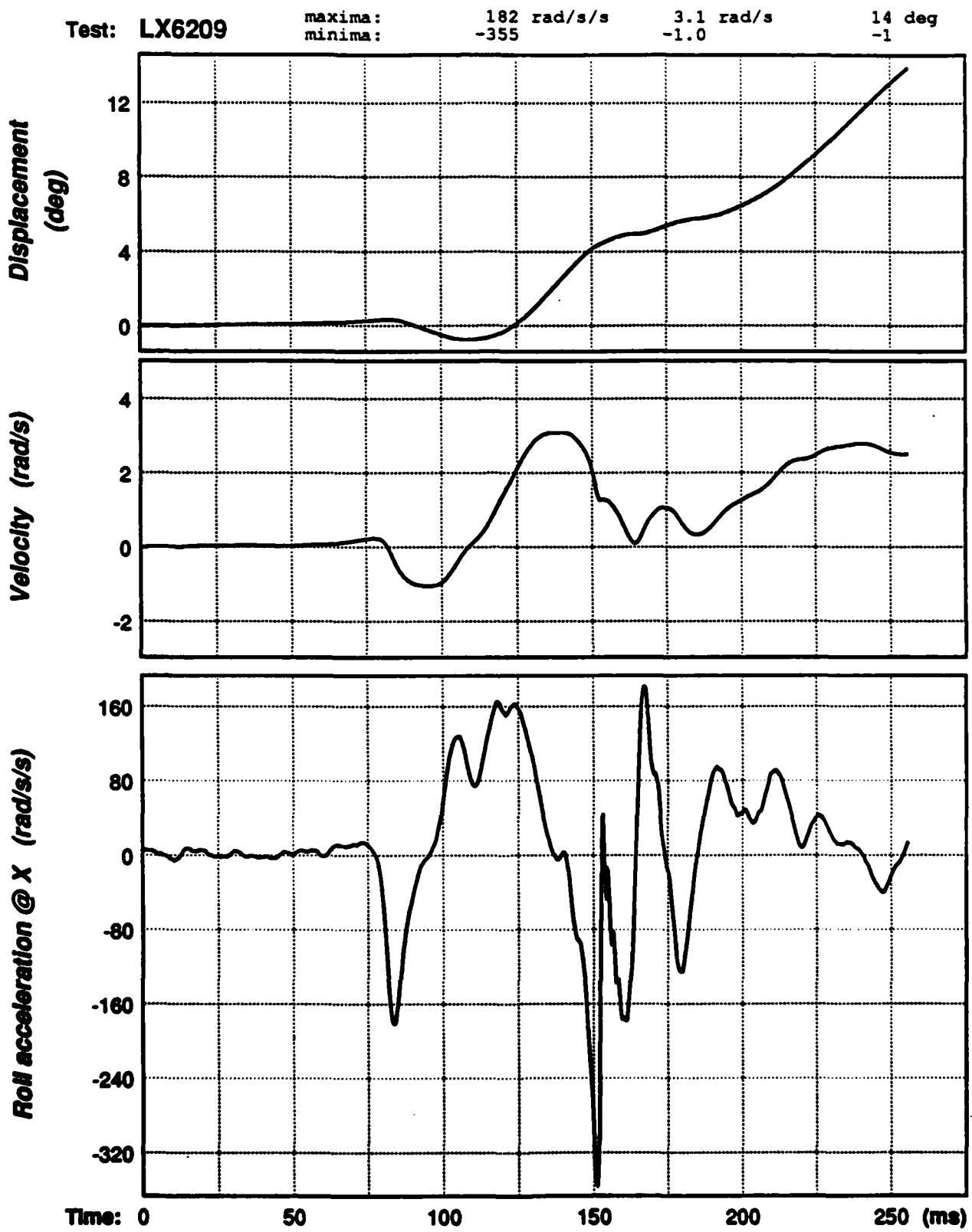


Figure B-24. Head roll angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6209.

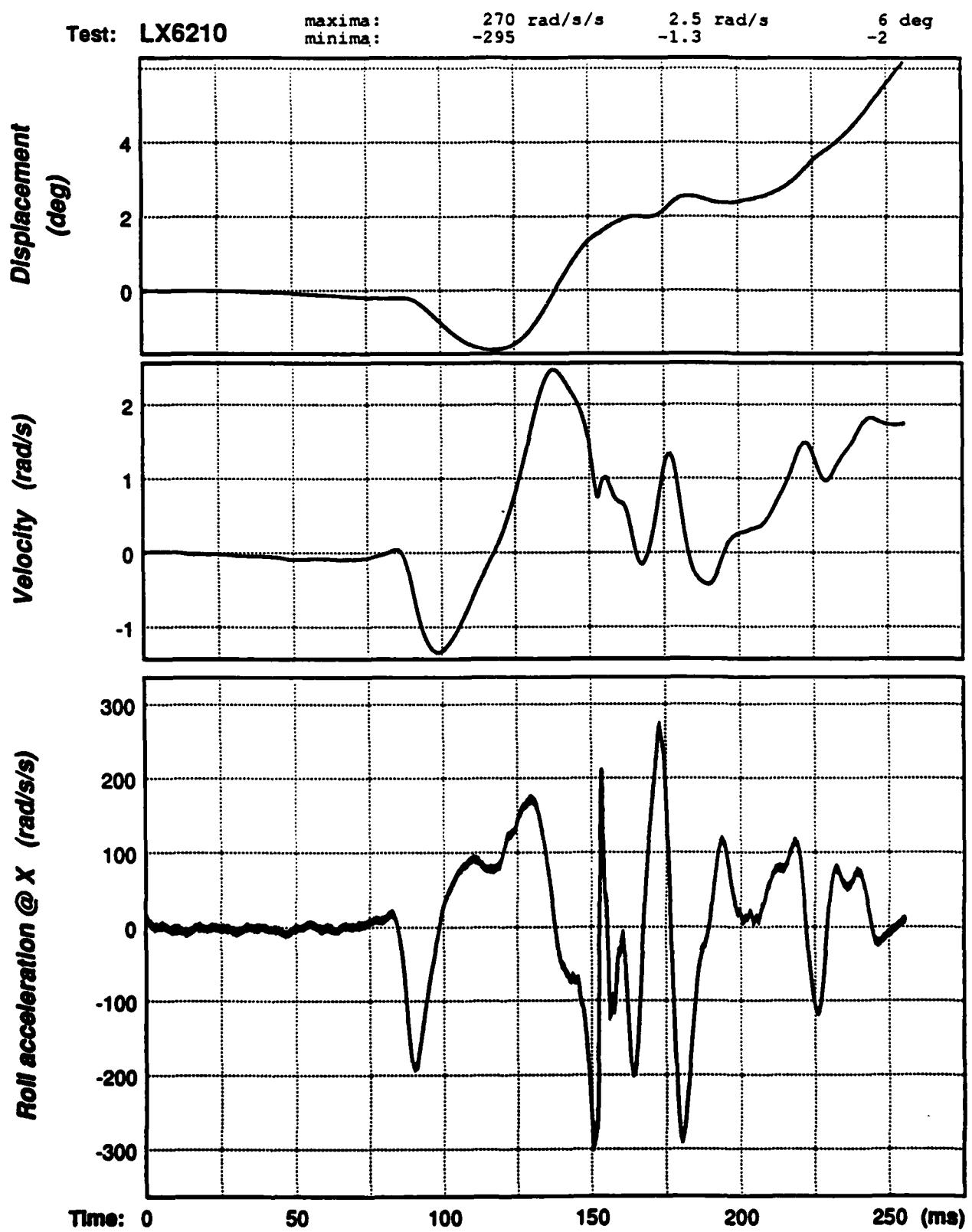


Figure B-25. Head roll angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6210.

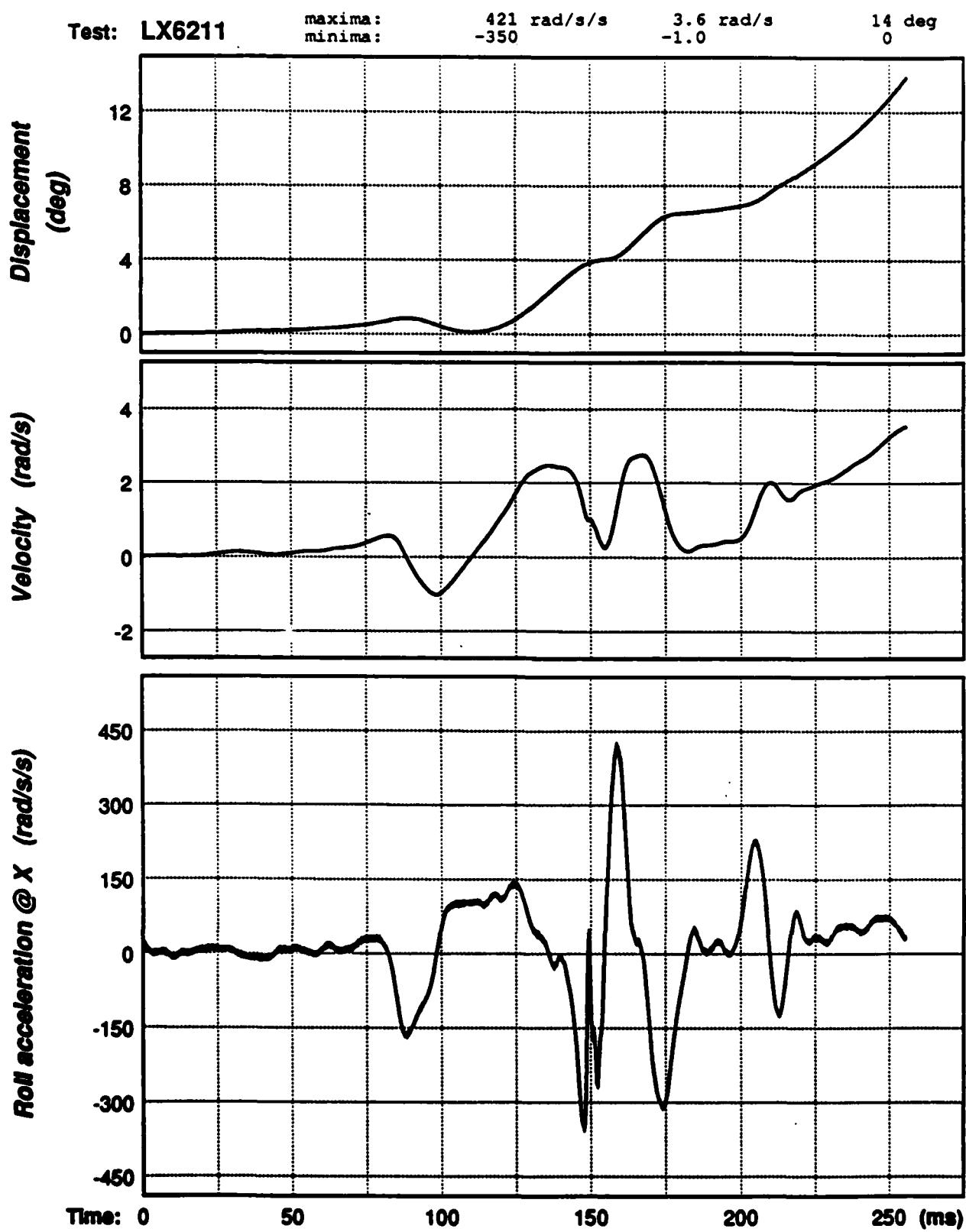


Figure B-26. Head roll angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6211.

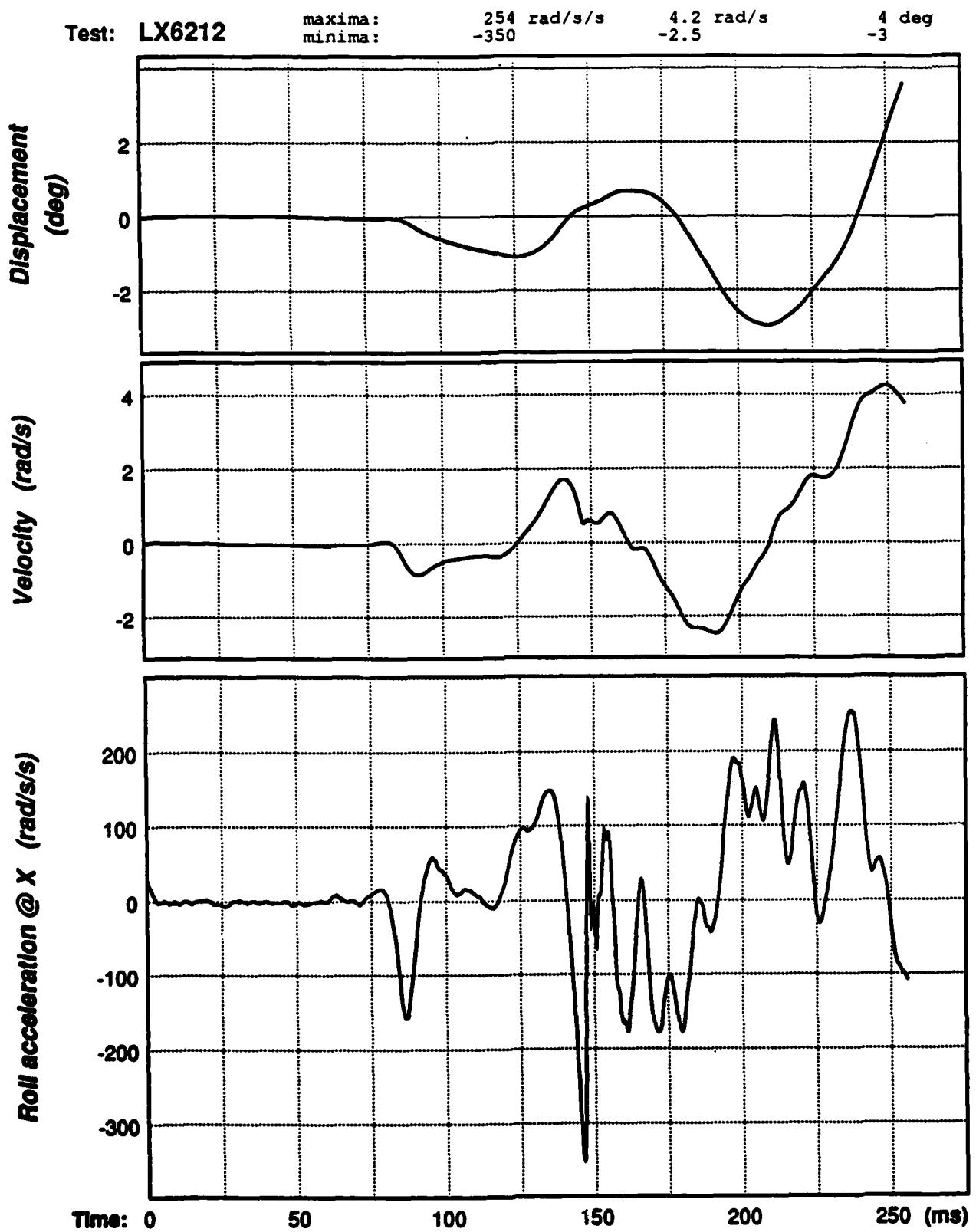


Figure B-27. Head roll angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6212.

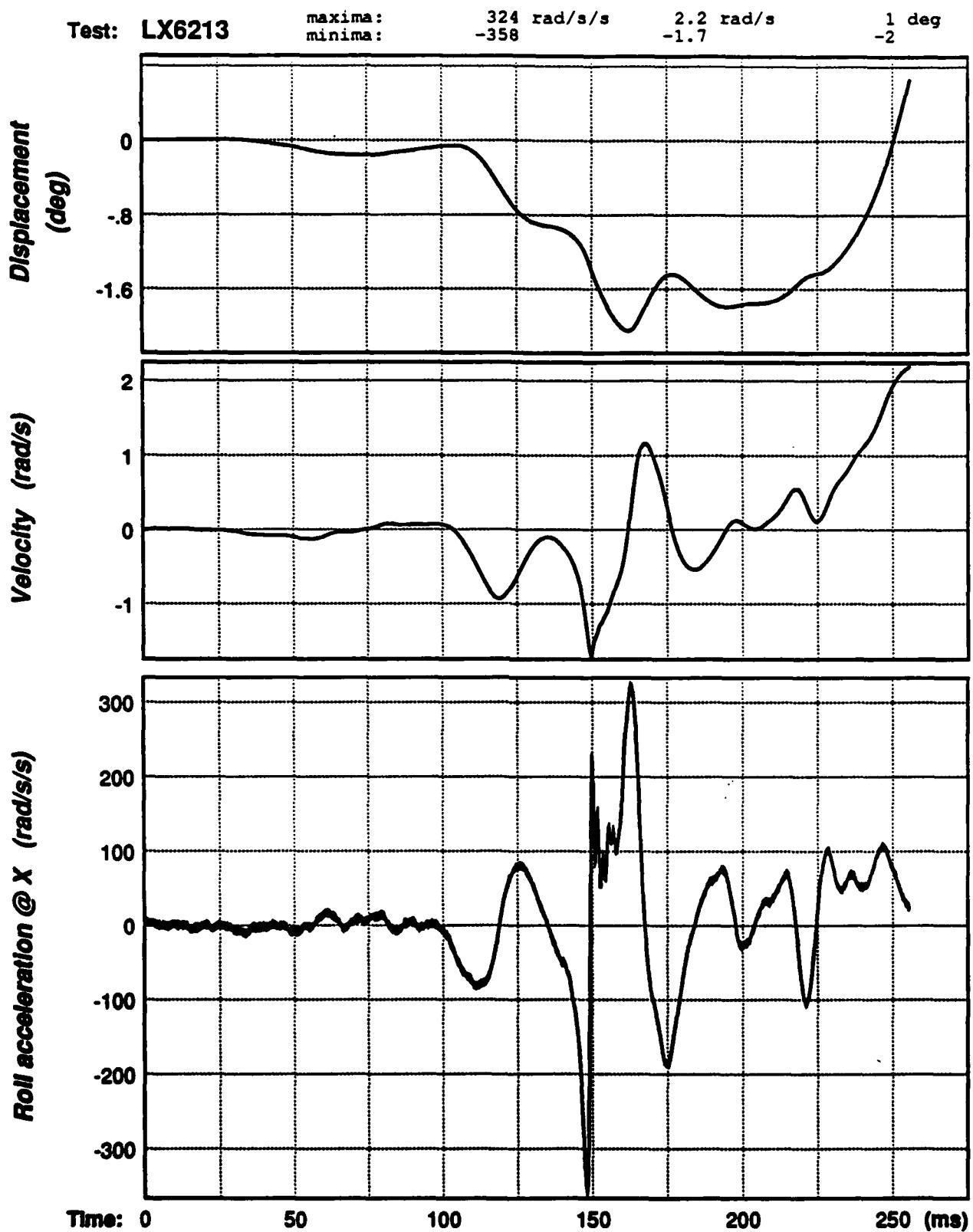


Figure B-28. Head roll angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6213.

Test: LX6214      maxima: 595 rad/s/s      2.8 rad/s      5 deg  
minima: -249      -2.8      -2

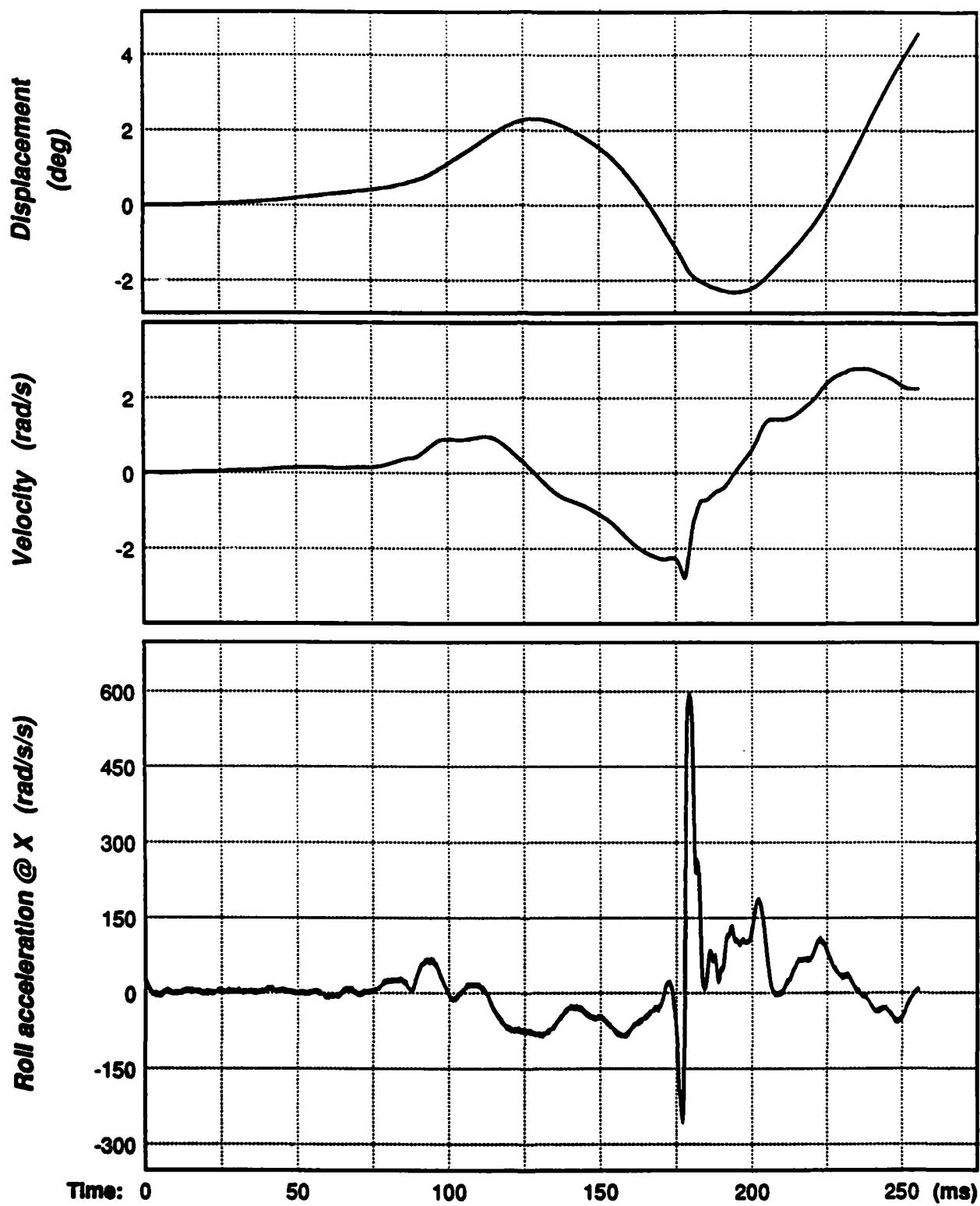


Figure B-29. Head roll angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6214.

Test: LX6215

maxima:  
minima:

496 rad/s/s  
-294

2.9 rad/s  
-1.4

6 deg  
-2

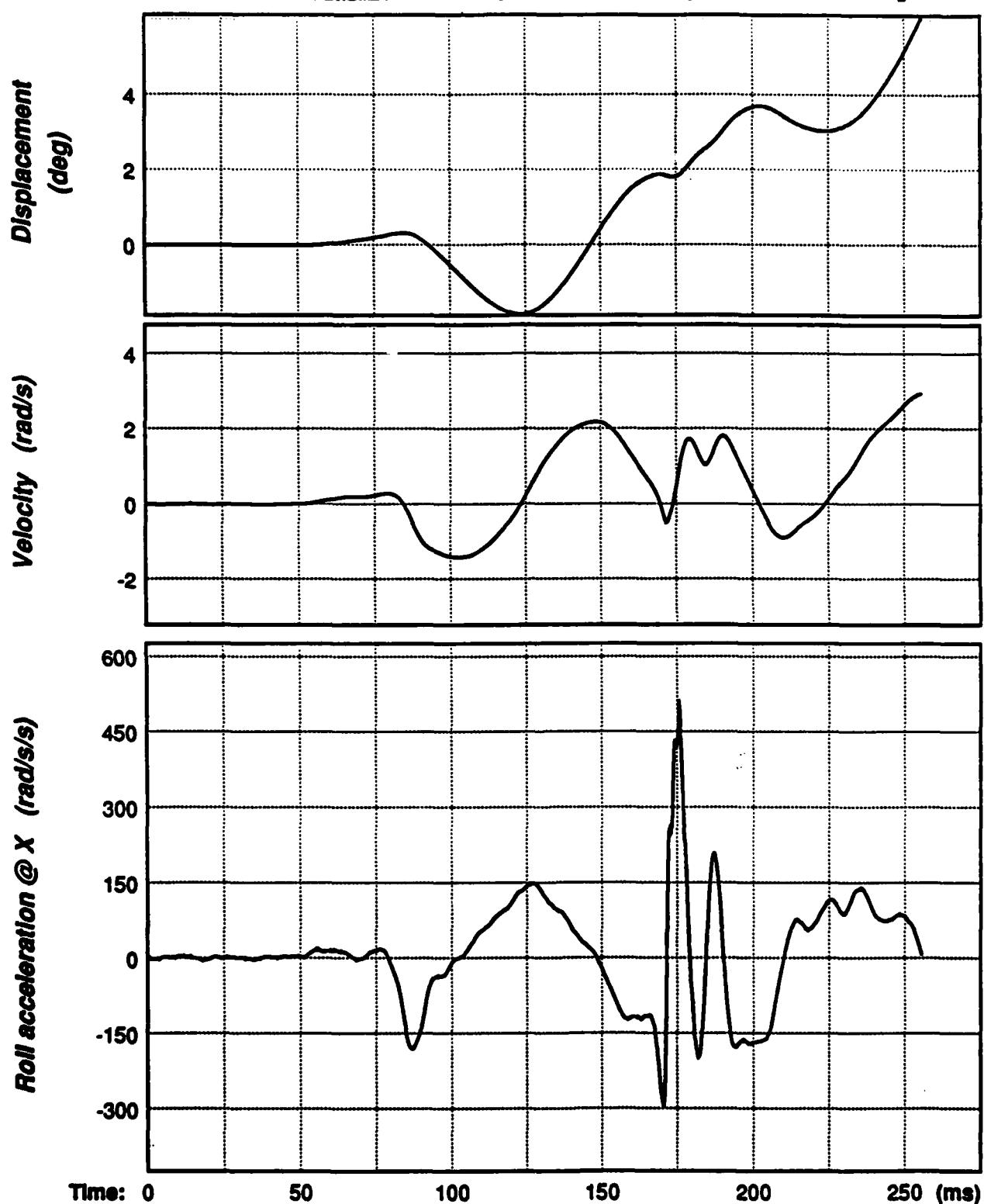


Figure B-30. Head roll angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6215.

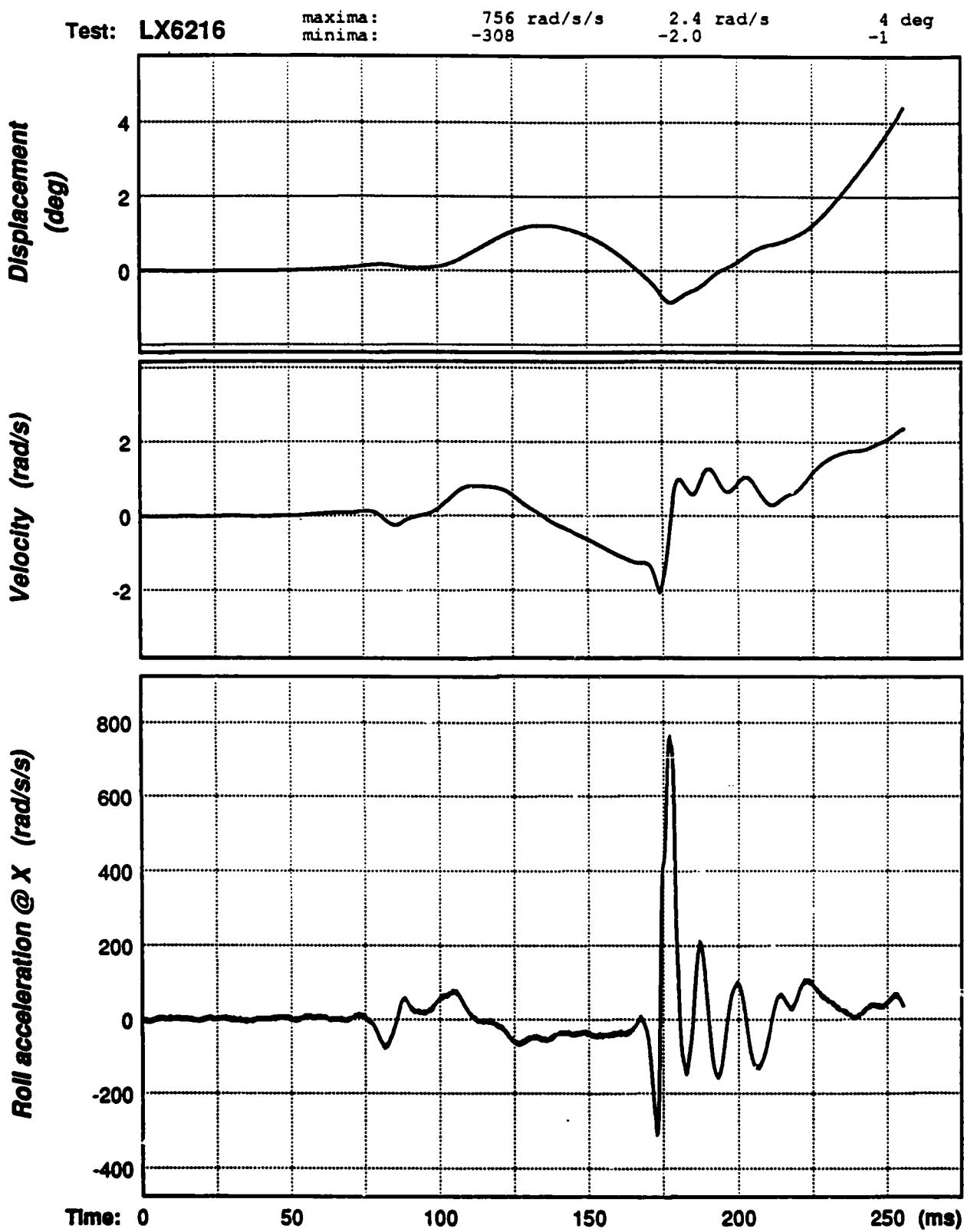


Figure B-31. Head roll angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6216.

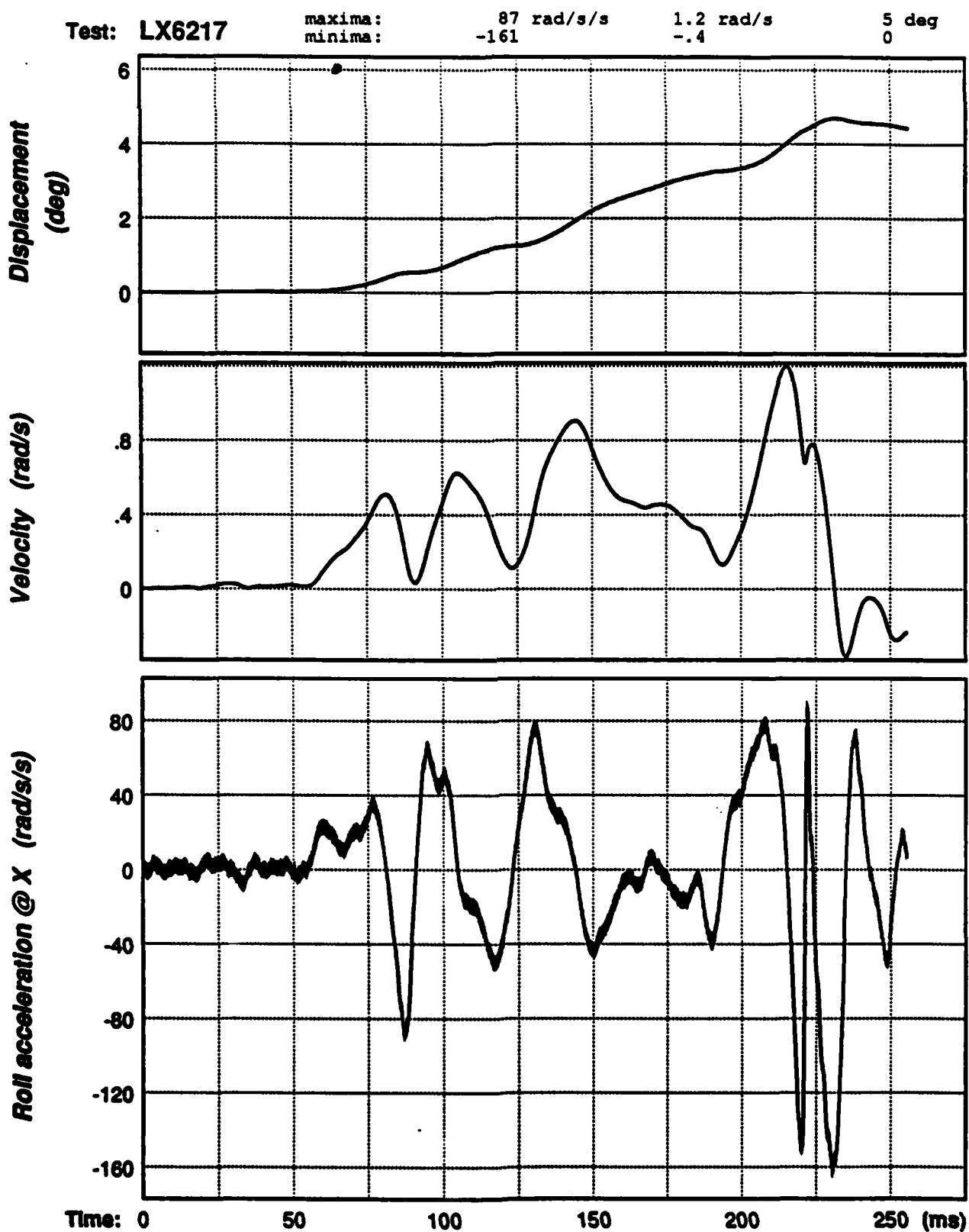


Figure B-32. Head roll angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6217.

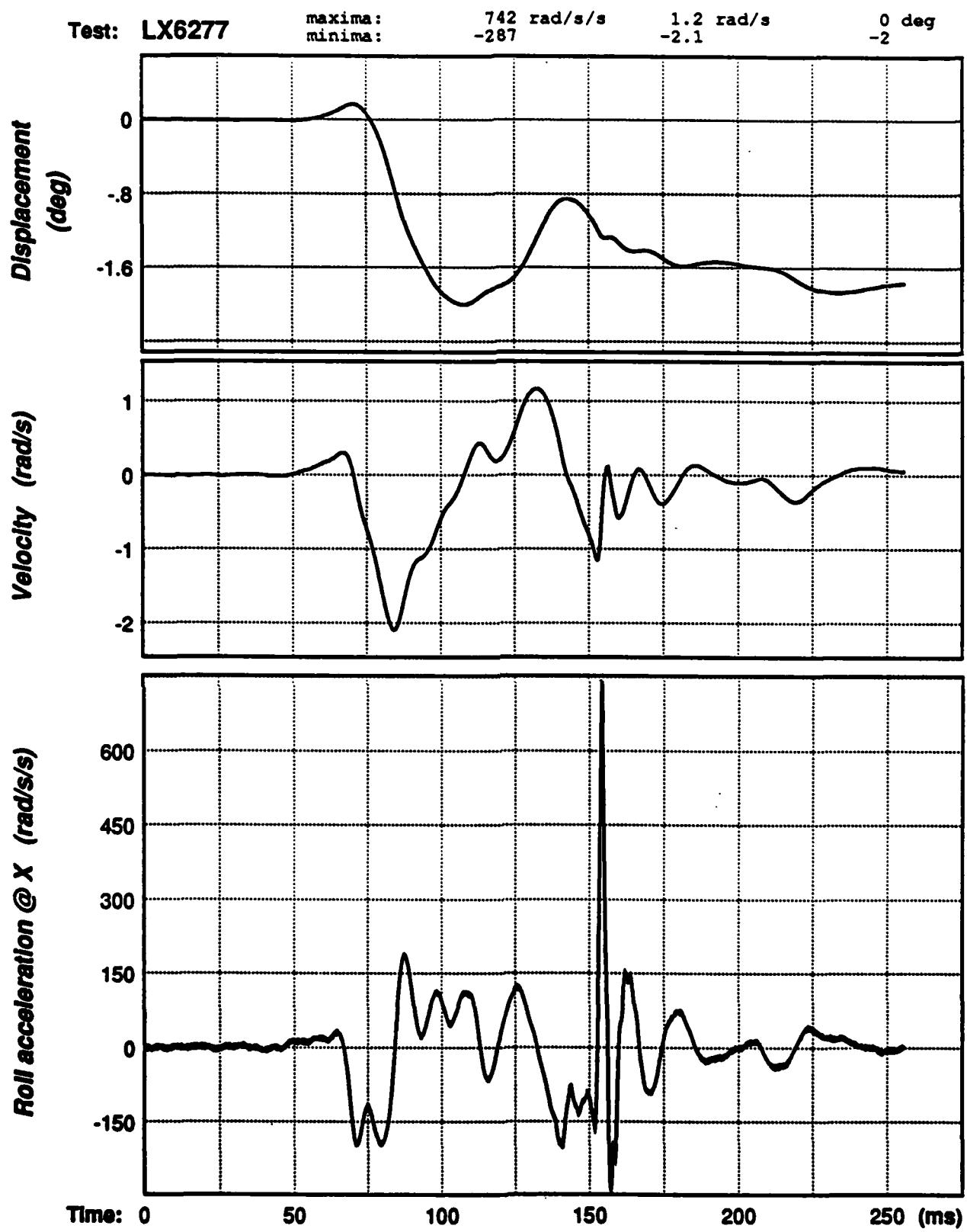


Figure B-33. Head roll angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6277.

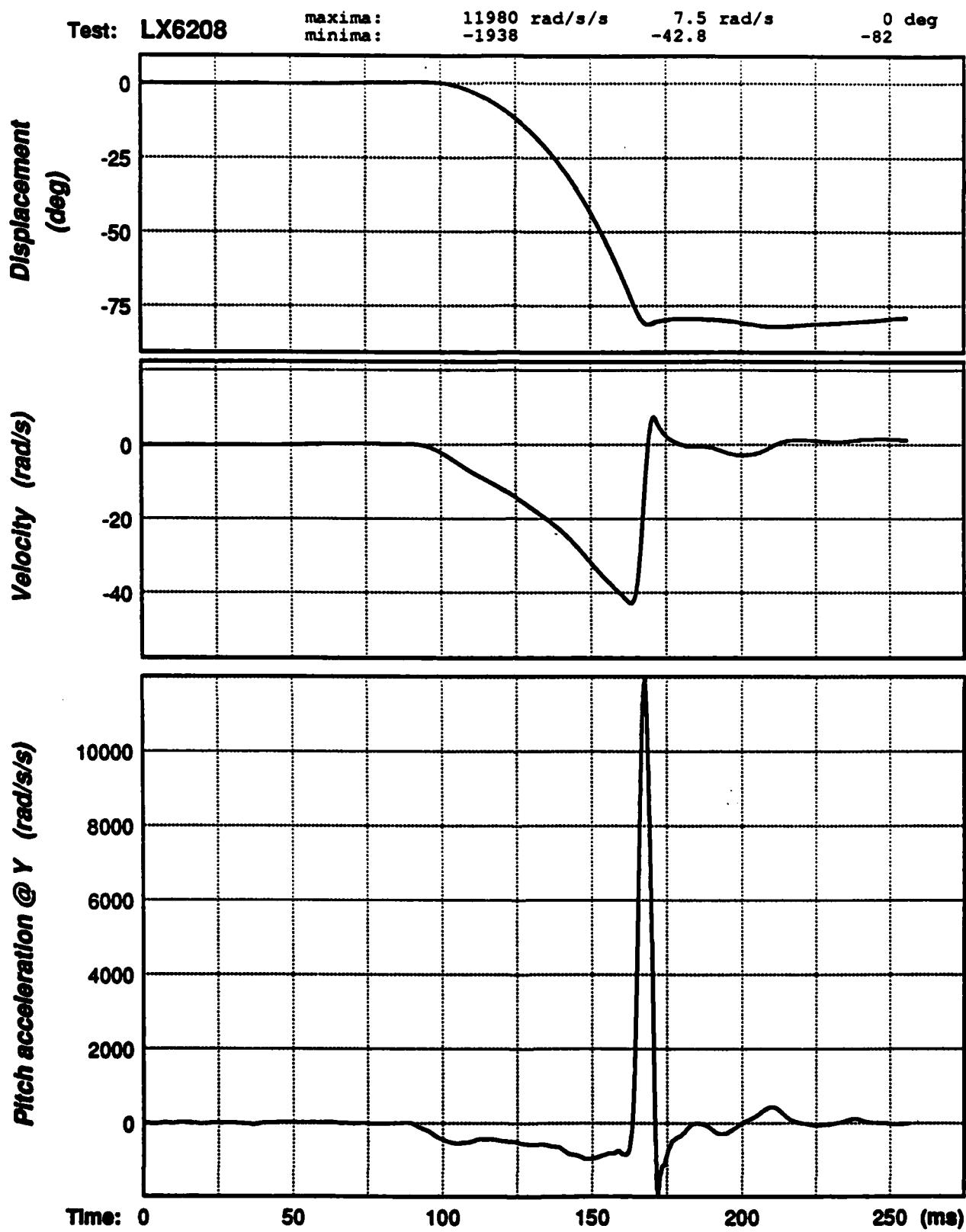


Figure B-34. Head pitch angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6208.

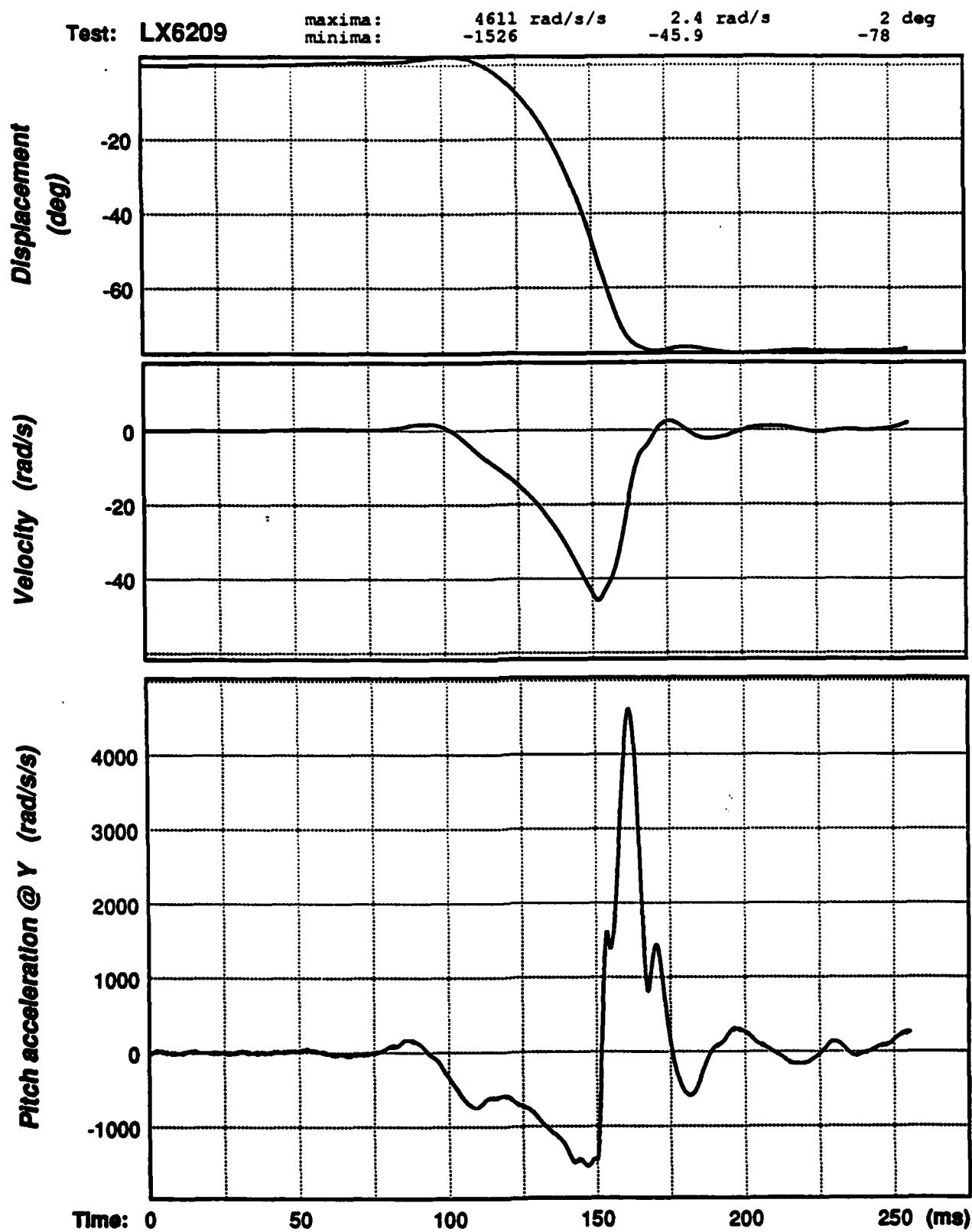


Figure B-35. Head pitch angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6209.

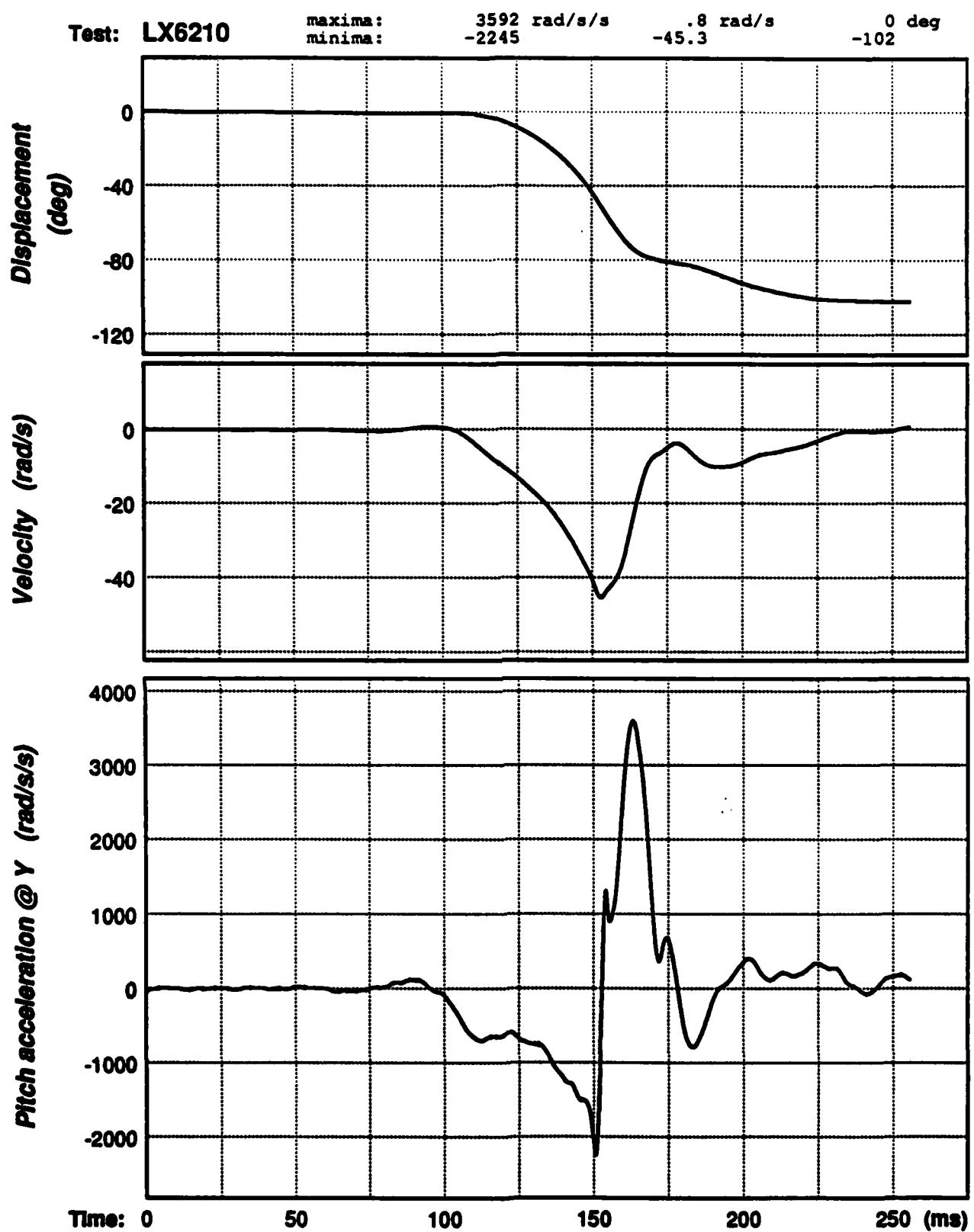


Figure B-36. Head pitch angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6210.

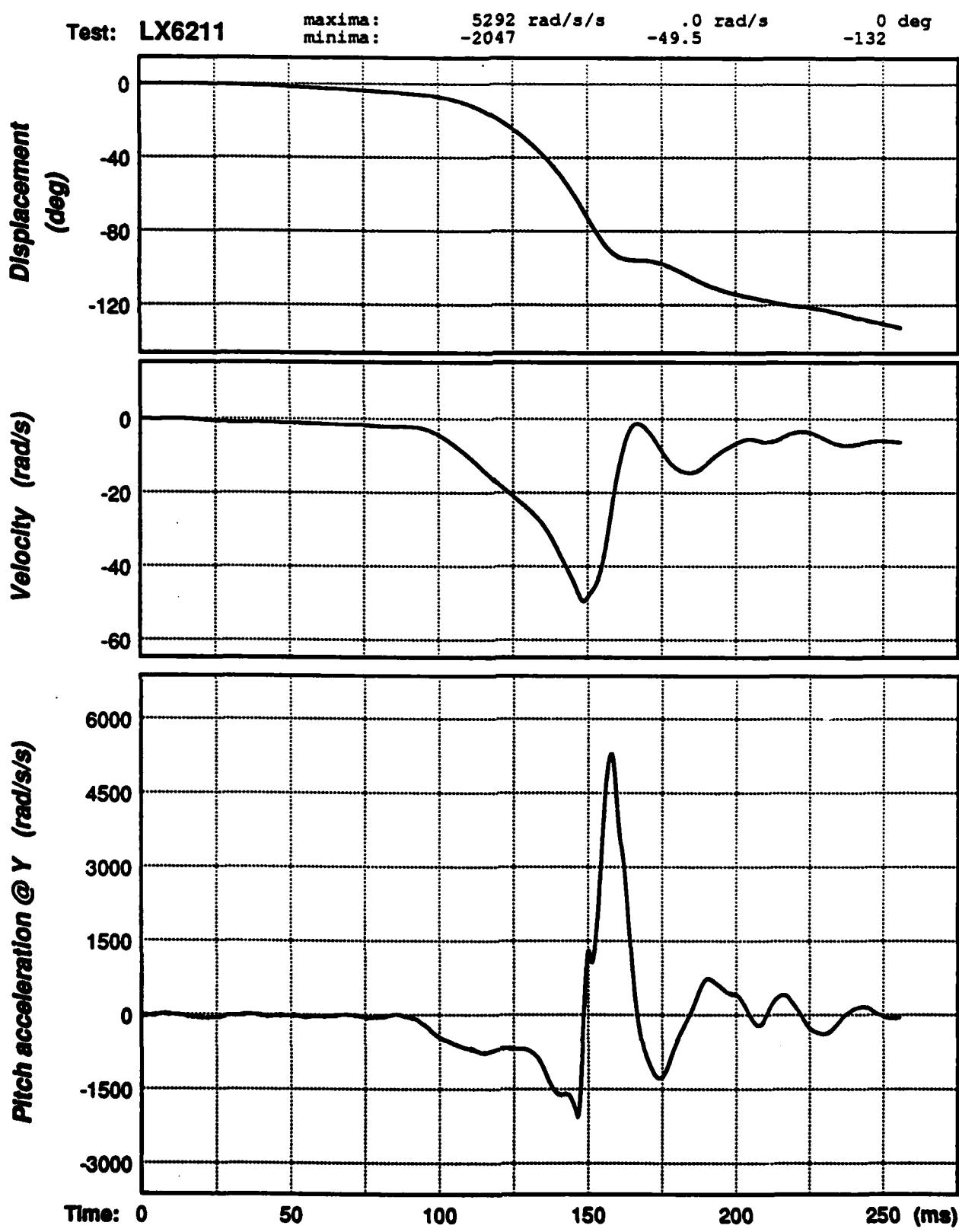


Figure B-37. Head pitch angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6211.

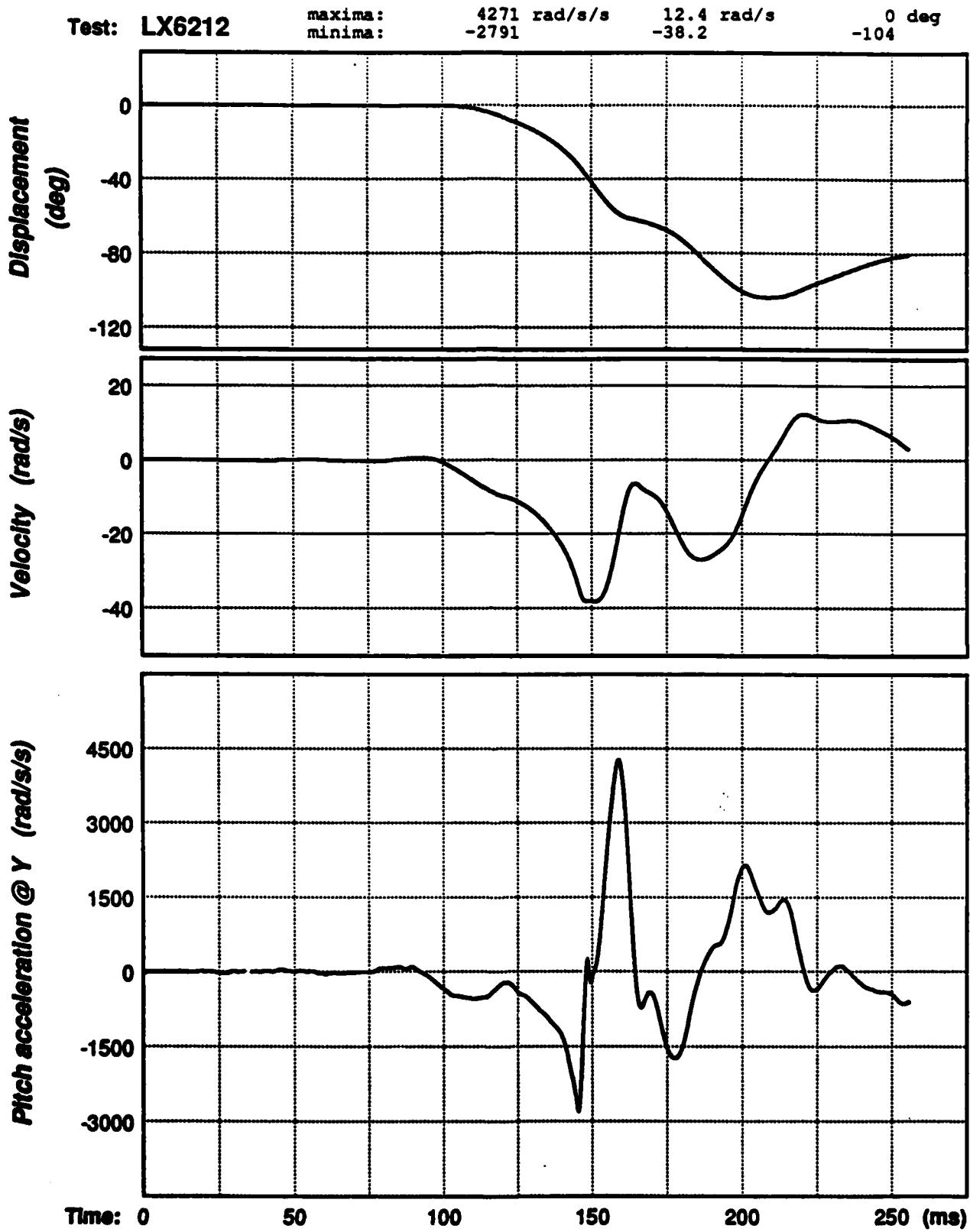


Figure B-38. Head pitch angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6212.

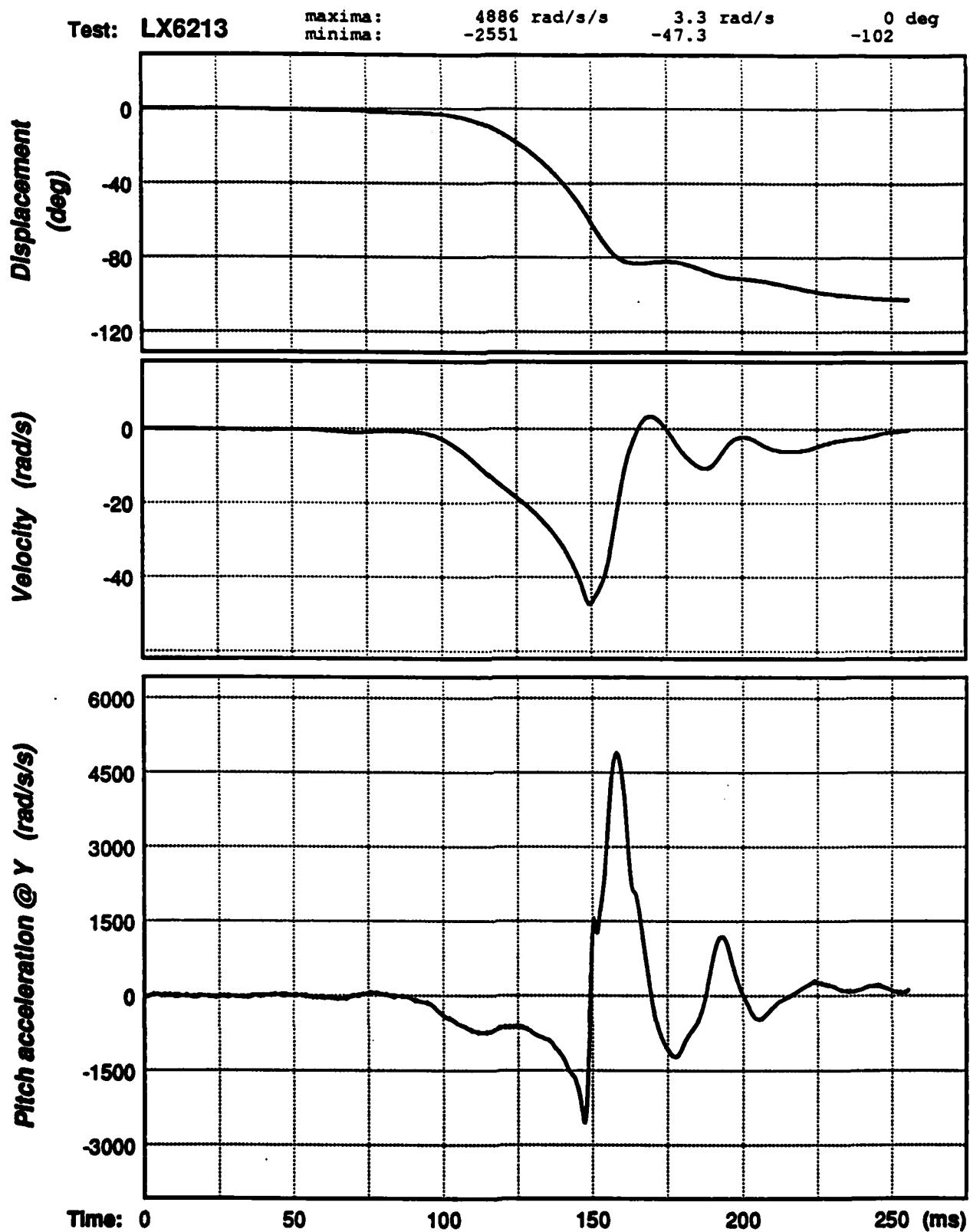


Figure B-39. Head pitch angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6213.

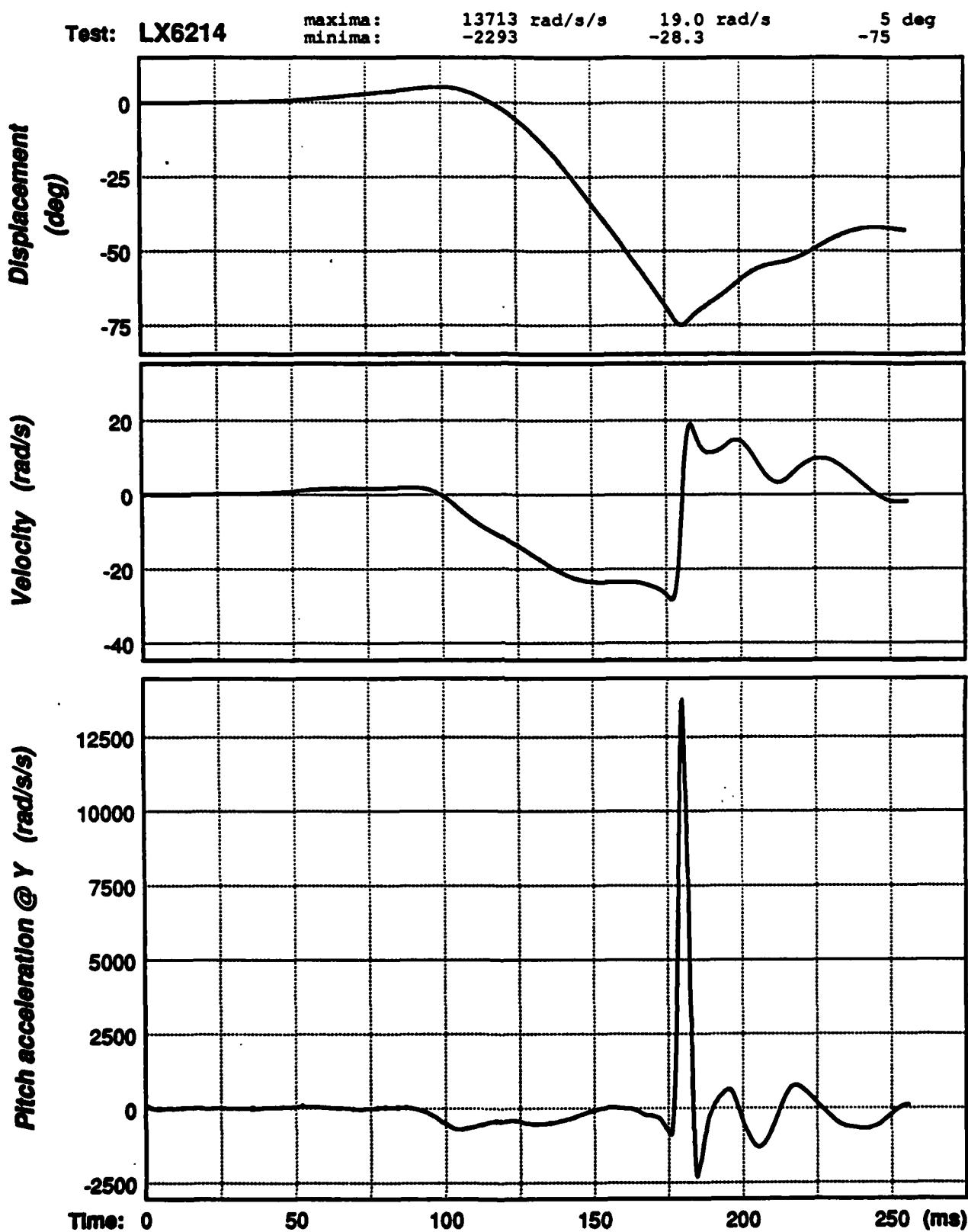


Figure B-40. Head pitch angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6214.

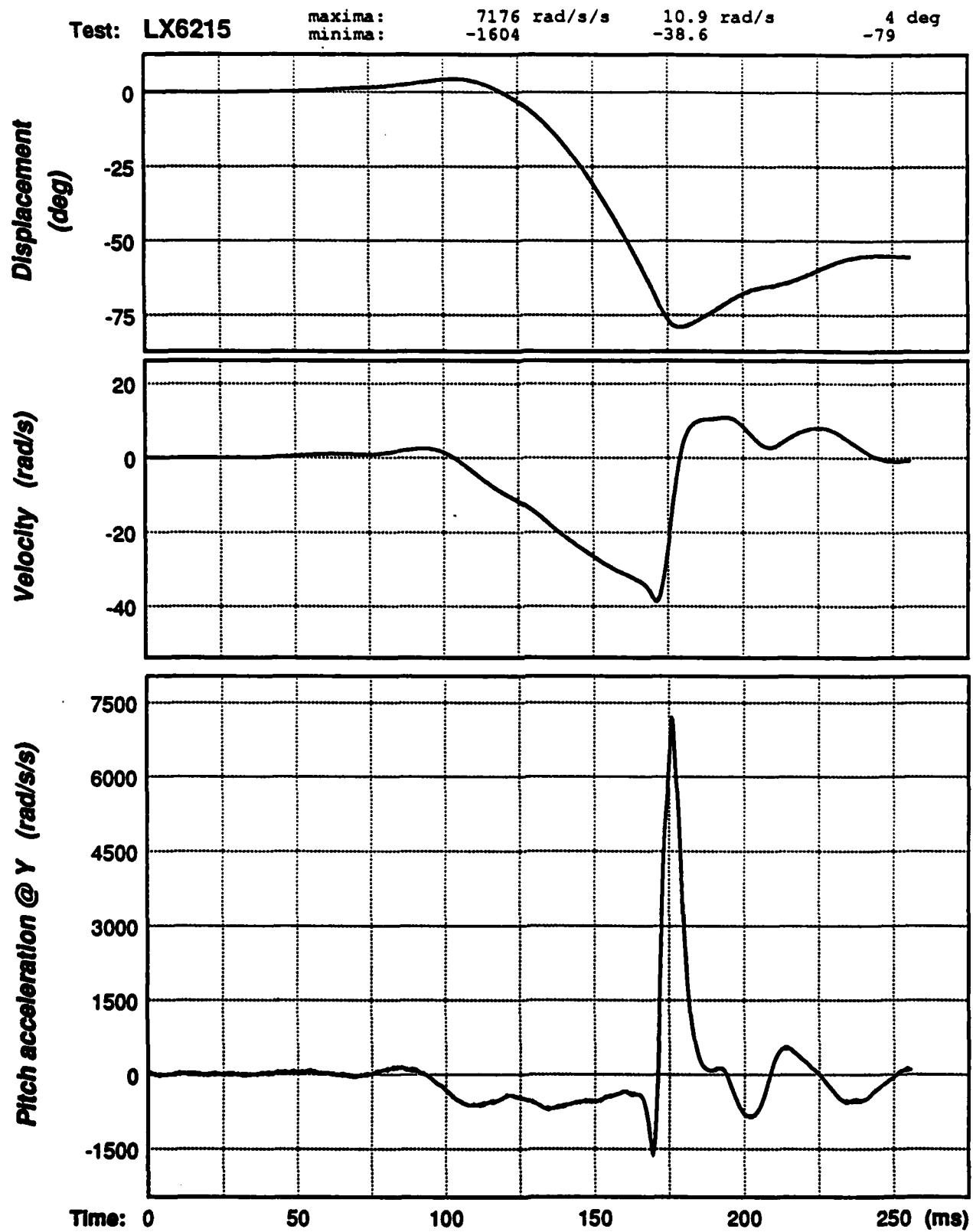


Figure B-41. Head pitch angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6215.

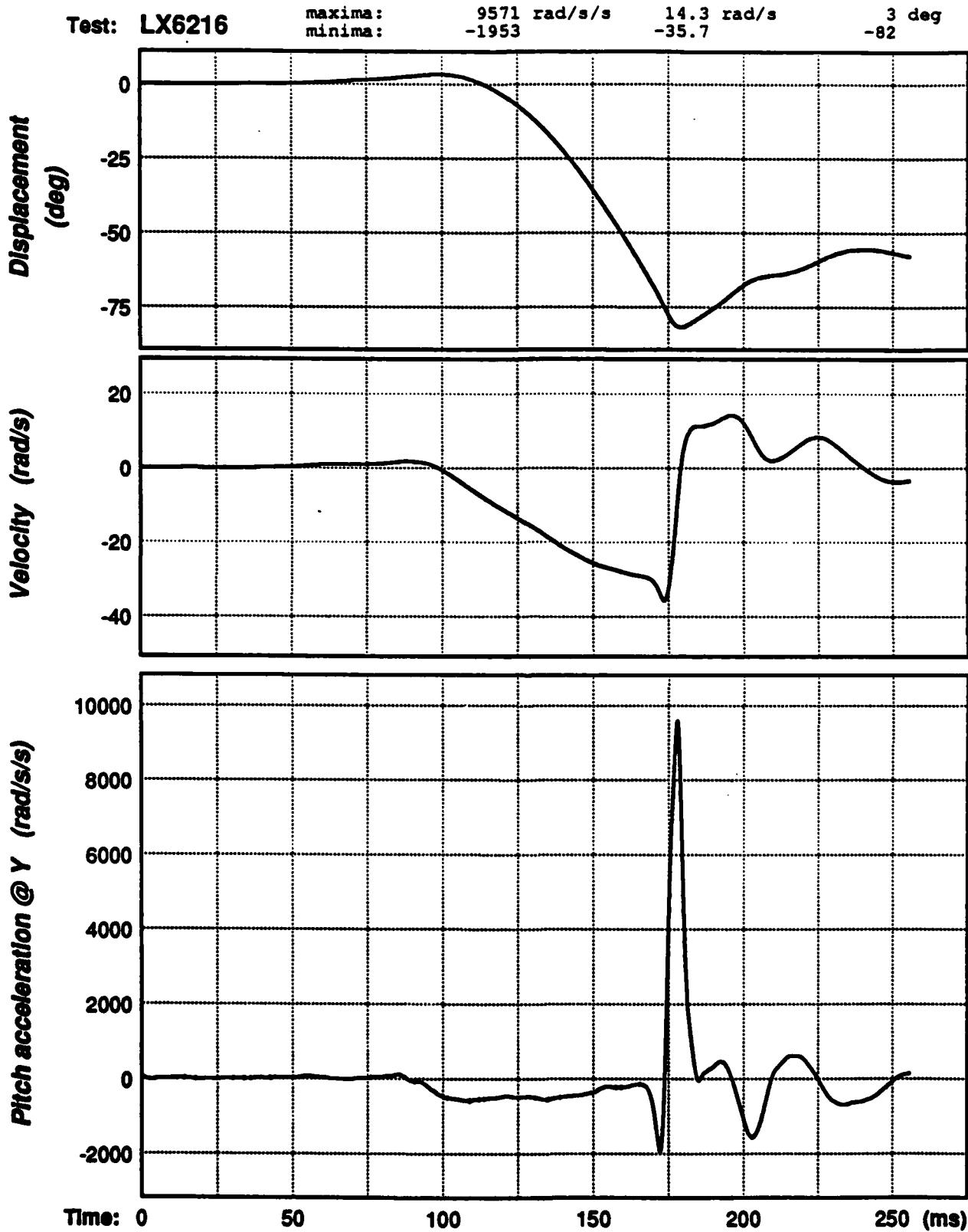


Figure B-42. Head pitch angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6216.

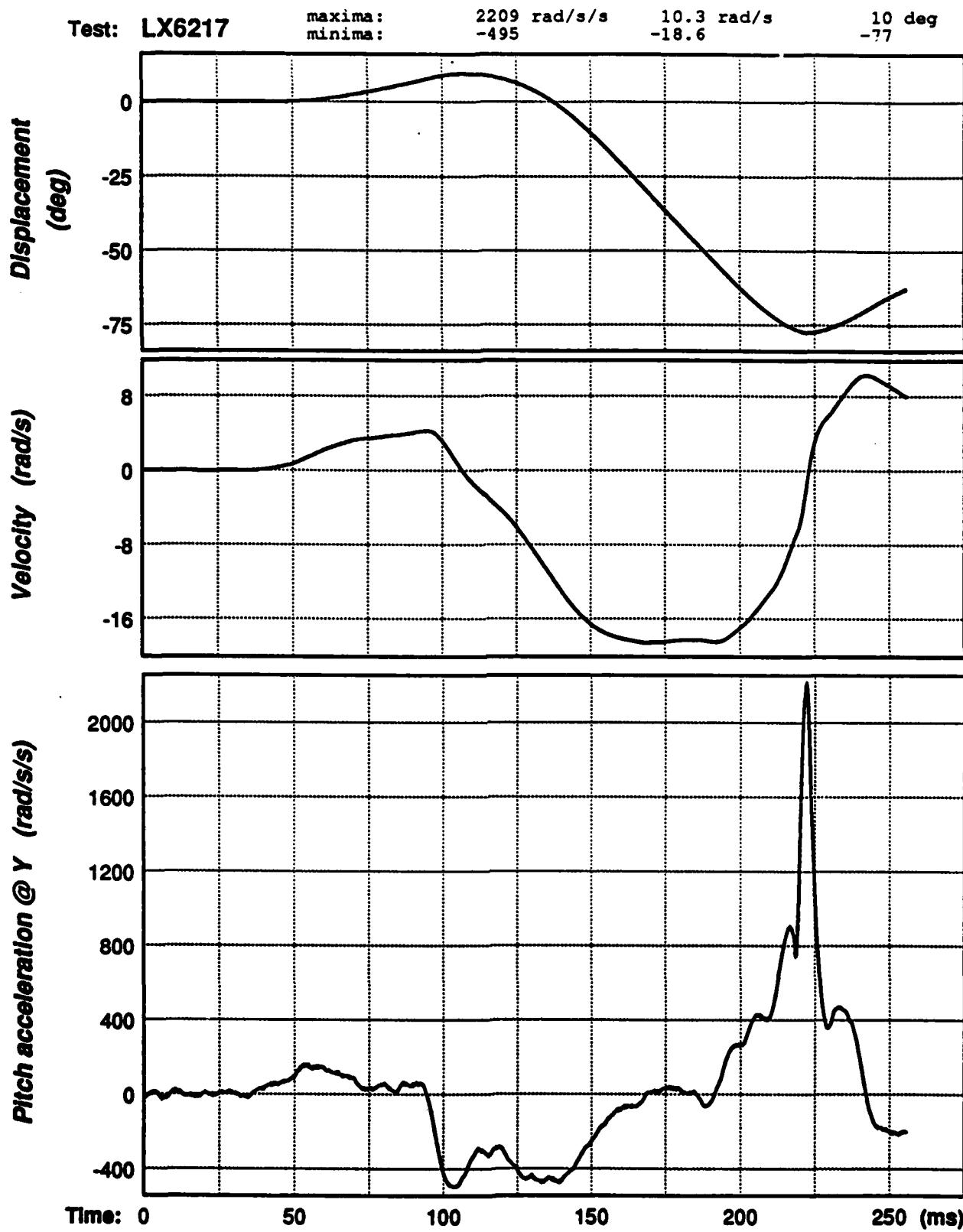


Figure B-43. Head pitch angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6217.

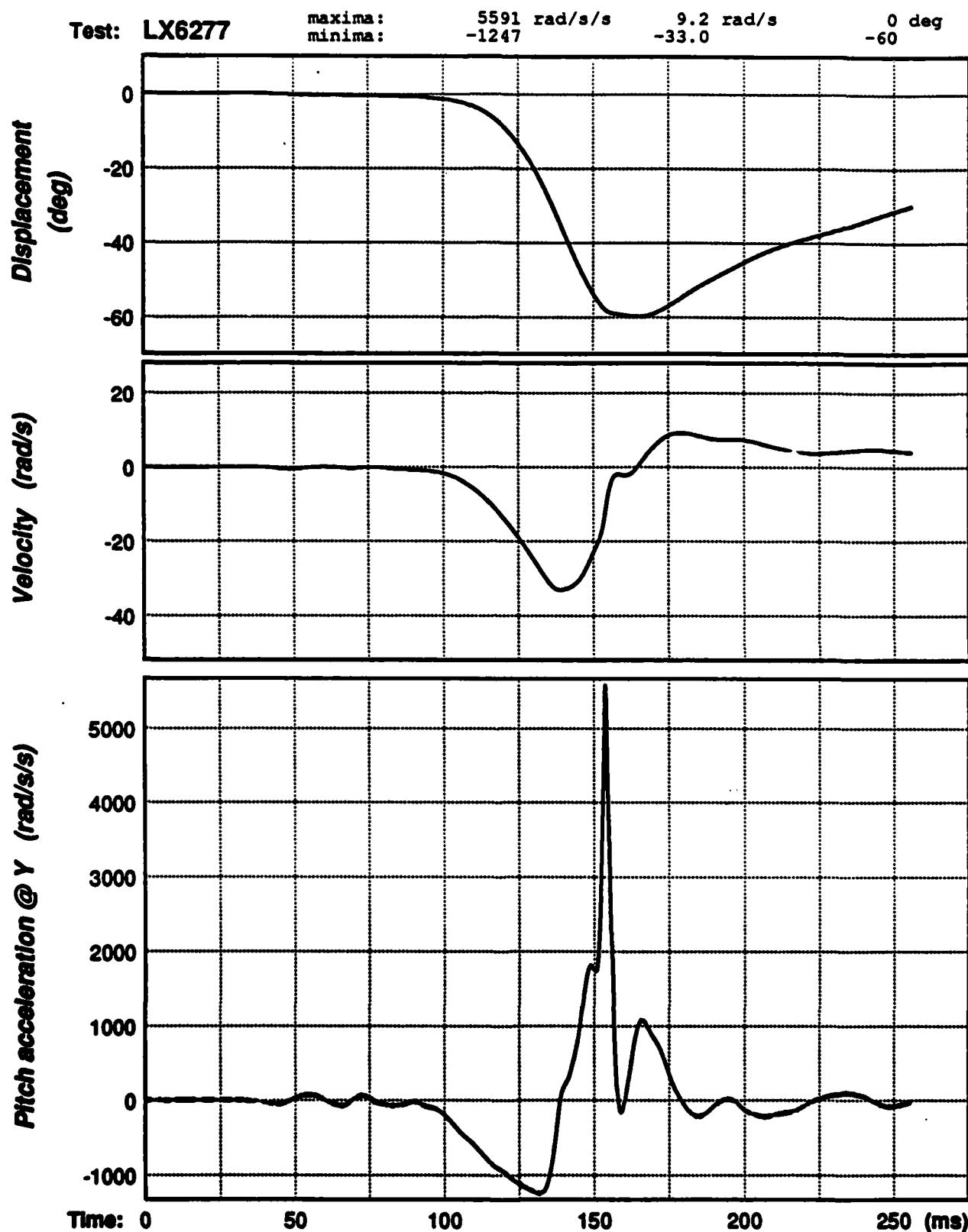


Figure B-44. Head pitch angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6277.

## Appendix C

This appendix contains processed transducer signals from 11 tests where an airbag was mounted below the gunsight to supplement the standard restraint system in the Cobra and Apache.

These include five Cobra tests (LX6269 thru LX6273) and six Apache tests (LX6278 thru LX6283) which were all conducted in the second phase of testing.

Figures C-1 thru C-11 show the sled acceleration pulses and computed velocity and jerk signals for the 11 tests. Note for test LX6269, the sled pulse was the only transducer signal that was available for processing.

Figures C-12 thru C-21 display components and resultant head linear accelerations.

Figures C-22 thru C-31 display the head roll acceleration signals and computed angular velocities and displacements.

Figures C-32 thru C-41 show the head pitch acceleration signals and computed angular velocities and displacements.

Figures B-42 thru A-51 display the amounts of belt extension and the computed velocities and accelerations.

# **Appendix C**

- 1. LX6269**
- 2. LX6270**
- 3. LX6271**
- 4. LX6272**
- 5. LX6273**
- 6. LX6278**
- 7. LX6279**
- 8. LX6280**
- 9. LX6281**
- 10. LX6282**
- 11. LX6283**

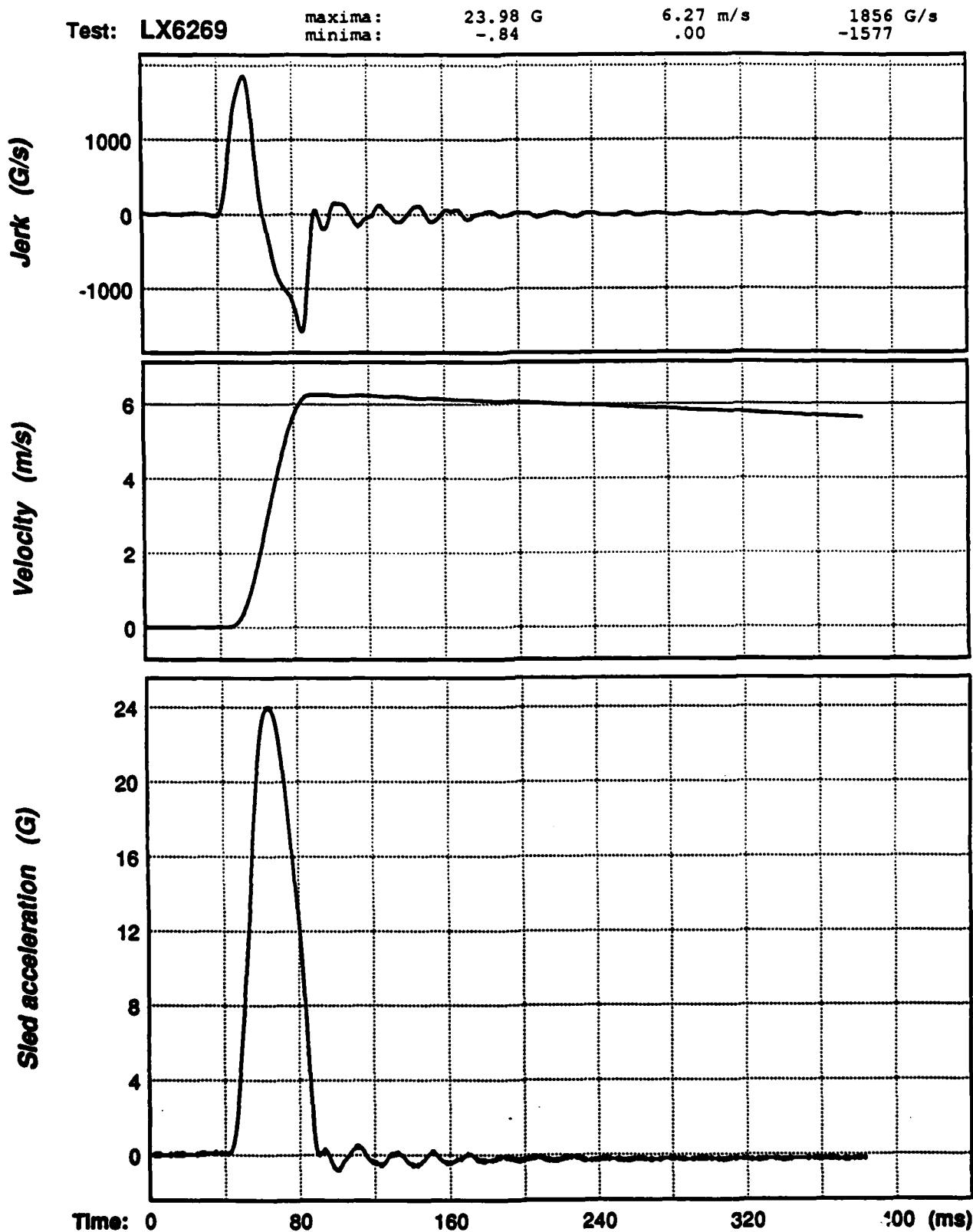


Figure C-1. Sled acceleration signal and its computed velocity and jerk for test LX6269.

Test: LX6270      maxima: 20.26 G  
minima: -.76      10.79 m/s  
.00      774 G/s  
-724

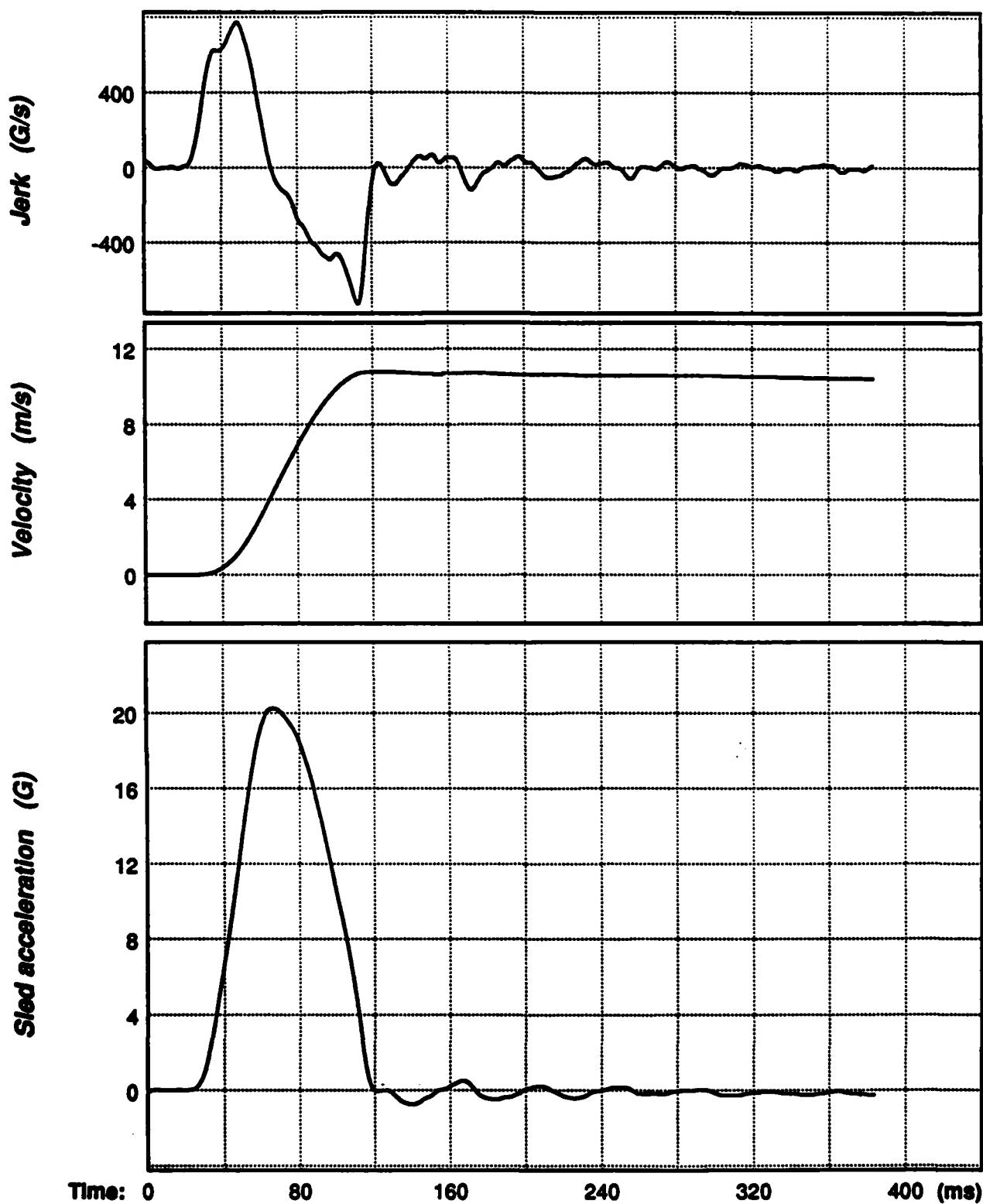


Figure C-2. Sled acceleration signal and its computed velocity and jerk for test LX6270.

Test: LX6271

maxima:  
minima:

23.15 G  
-.71

11.50 m/s  
.00

928 G/s  
-931

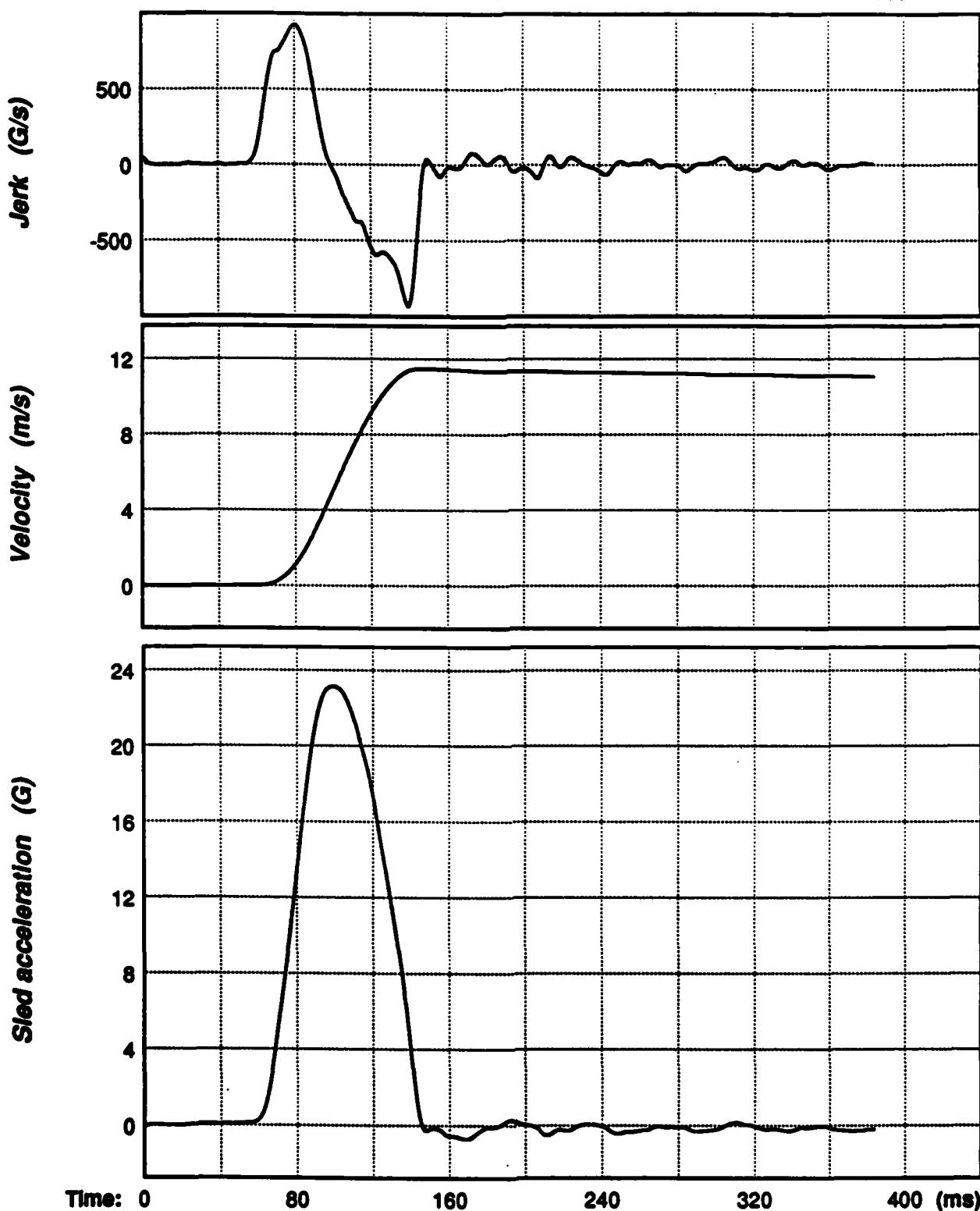


Figure C-3. Sled acceleration signal and its computed velocity and jerk for test LX6271.

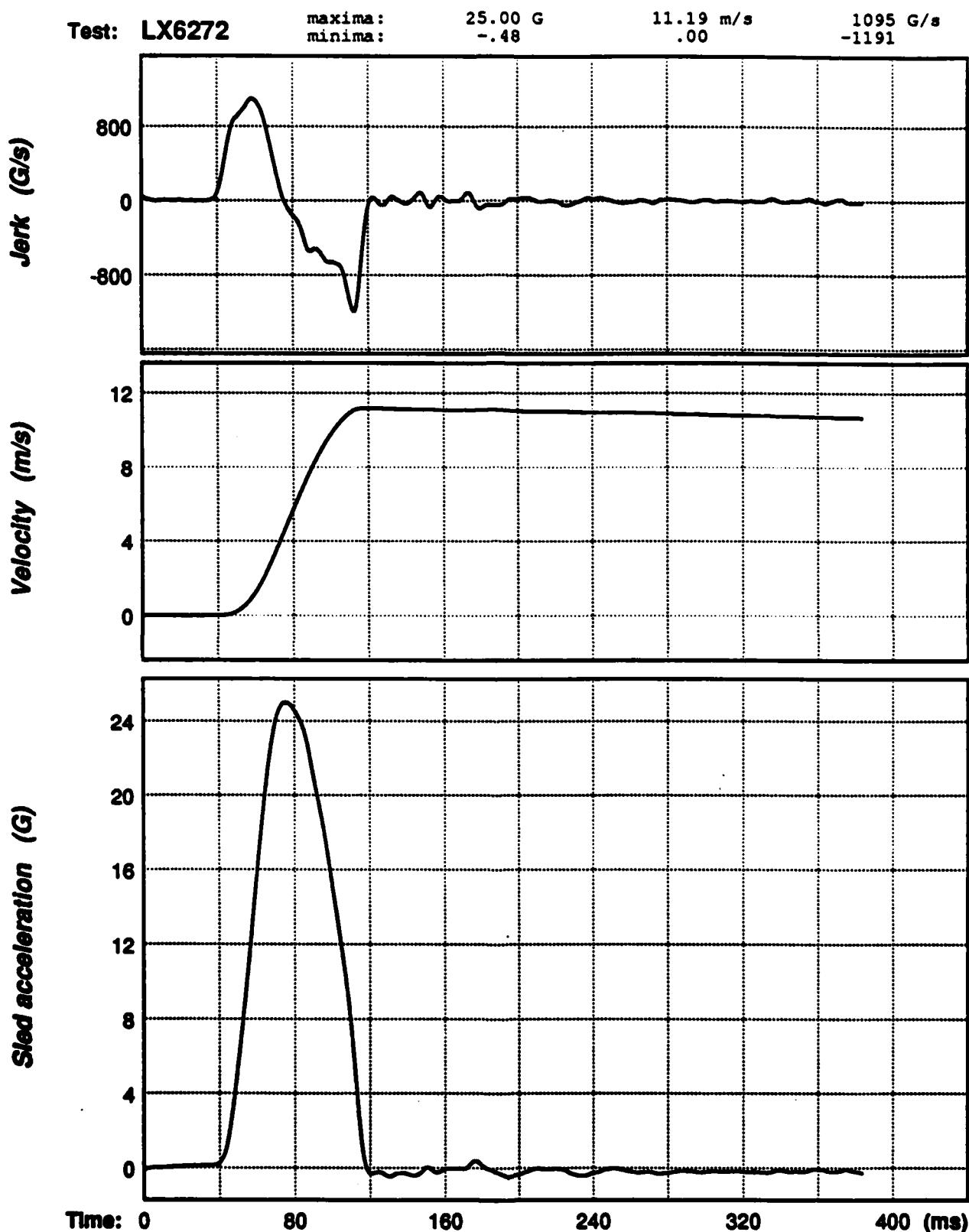


Figure C-4. Sled acceleration signal and its computed velocity and jerk for test LX6272.

Test: LX6273      maxima: 24.70 G      11.09 m/s      1078 G/s  
minima: -.48      .00      -1145

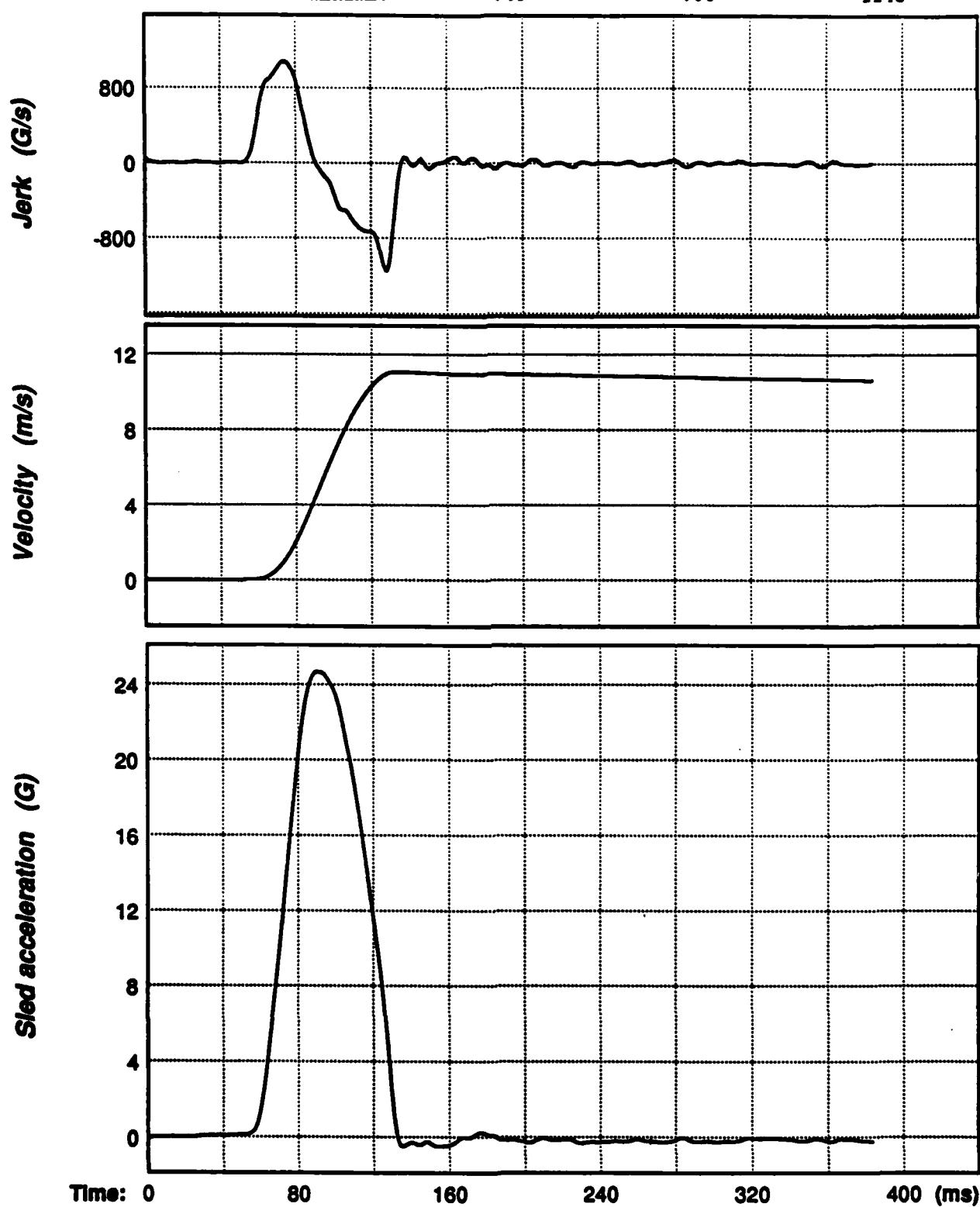
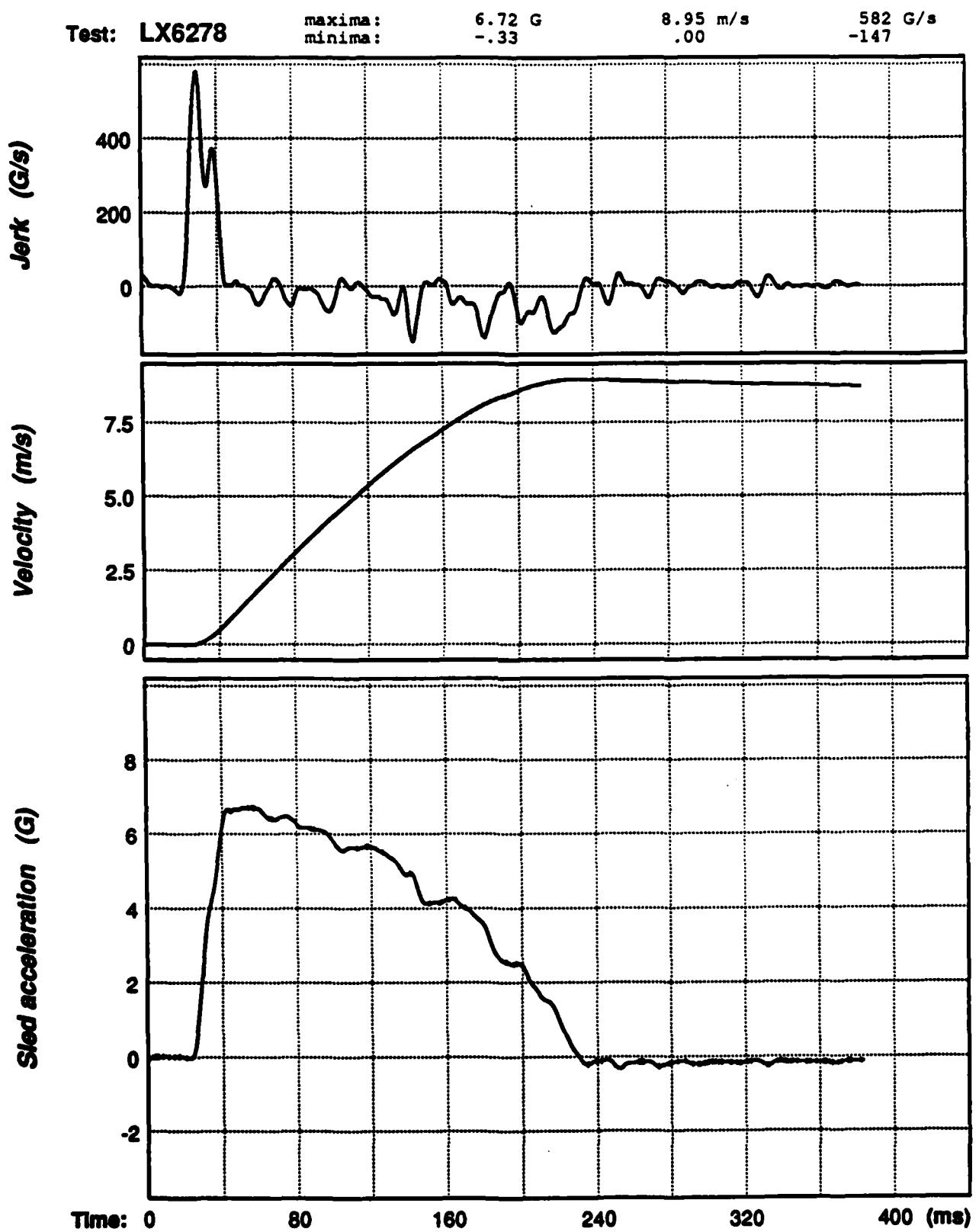


Figure C-5. Sled acceleration signal and its computed velocity and jerk for test LX6273.



**Figure C-6.** Sled acceleration signal and its computed velocity and jerk for test LX6278.

Test: LX6279      maxima: 7.13 G      9.33 m/s      601 G/s  
minima: -.42      .00      -205

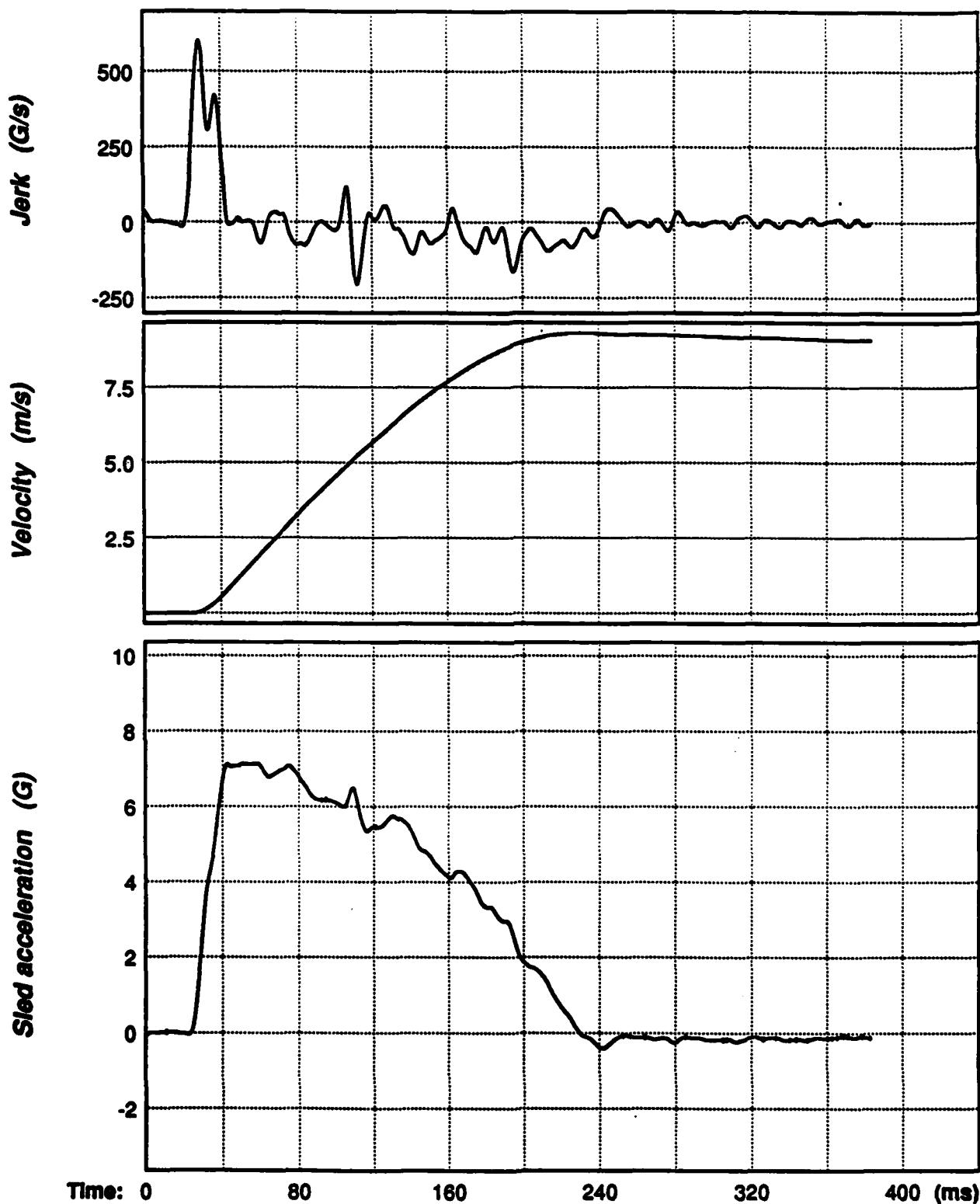


Figure C-7. Sled acceleration signal and its computed velocity and jerk for test LX6279.

Test: LX6280      maxima: 27.81 G      11.74 m/s      1234 G/s  
minima: -1.34      .00      -1719

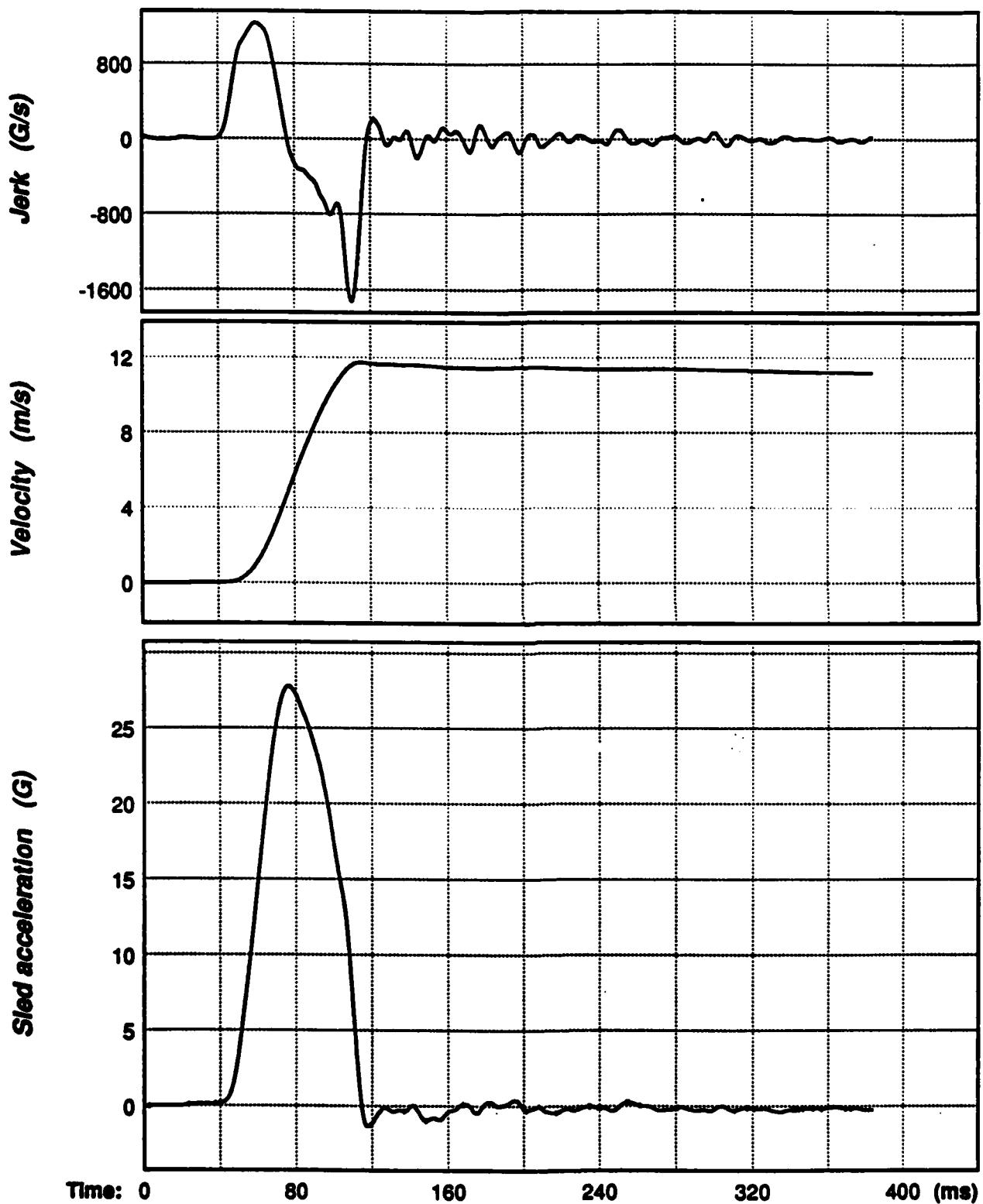


Figure C-8. Sled acceleration signal and its computed velocity and jerk for test LX6280.

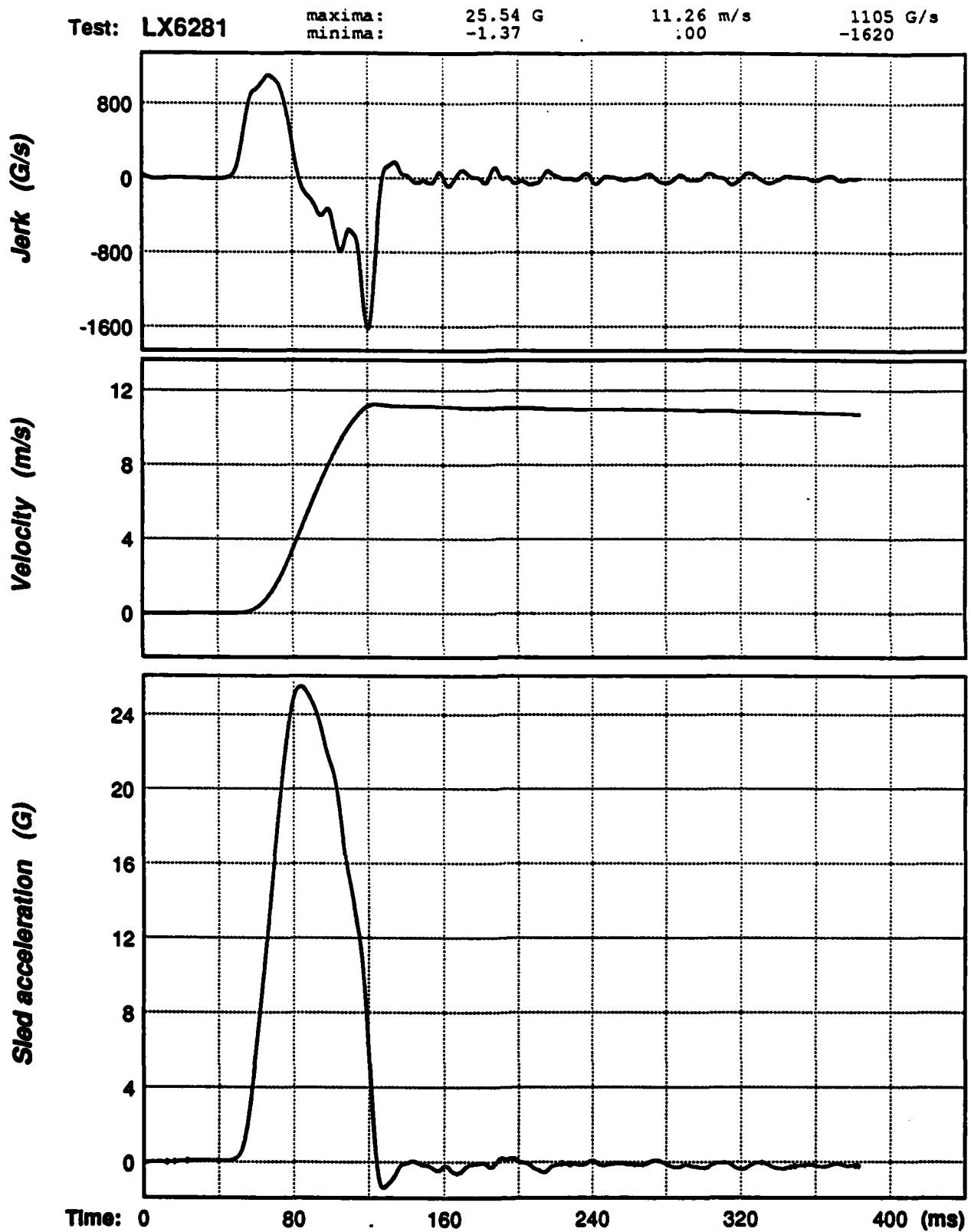


Figure C-9. Sled acceleration signal and its computed velocity and jerk for test LX6281.

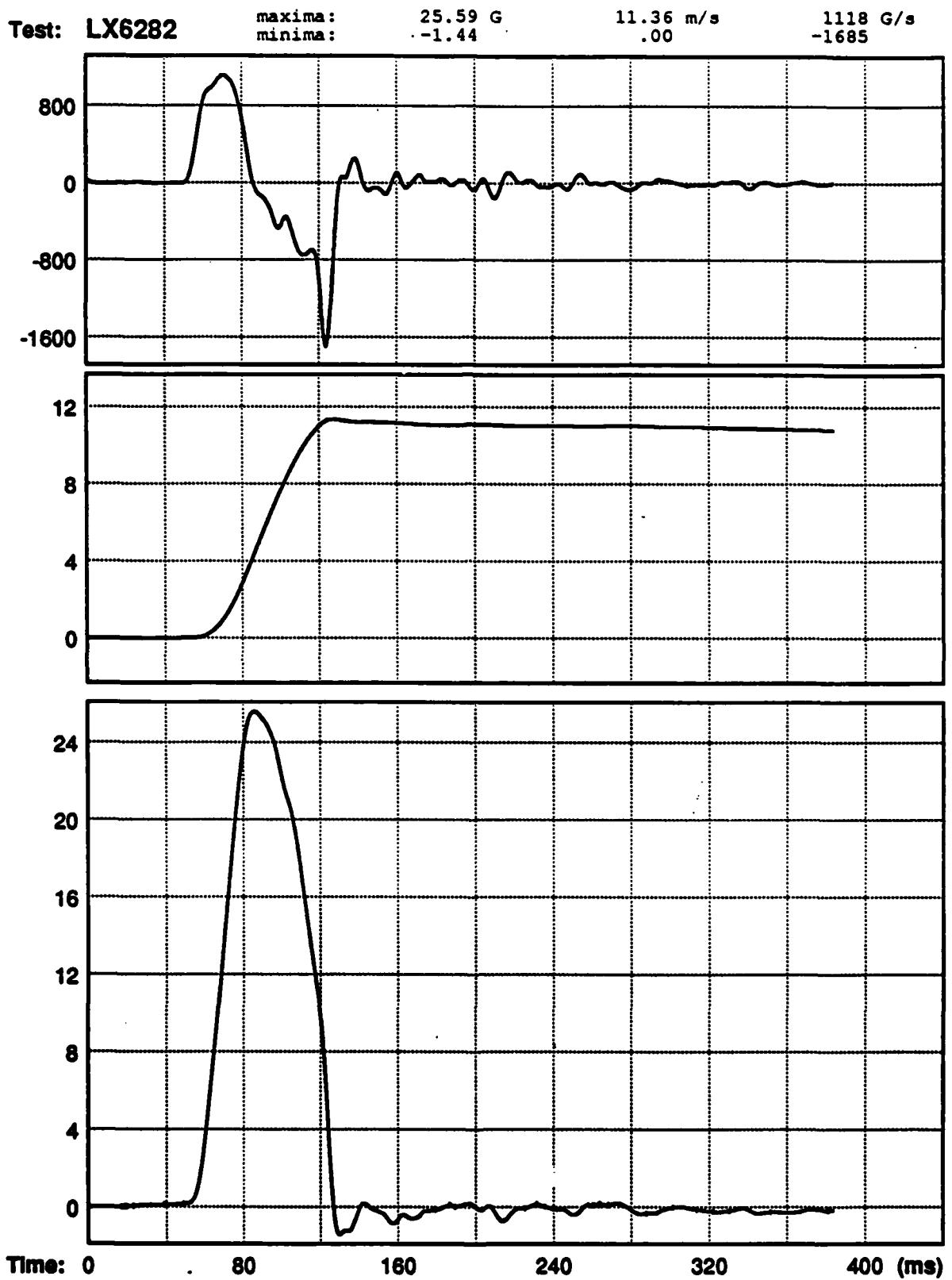


Figure C-10. Sled acceleration signal and its computed velocity and jerk for test LX6282.

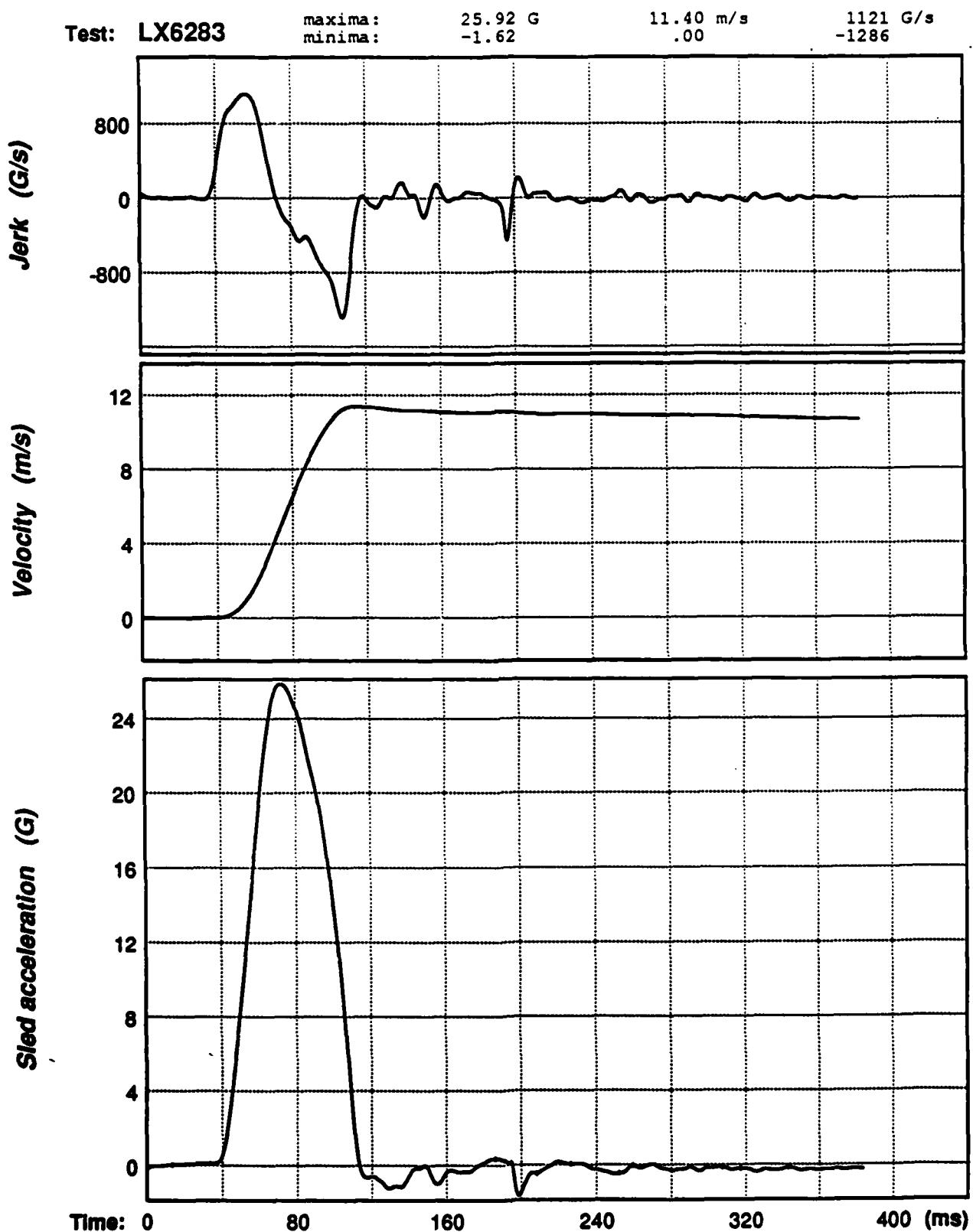


Figure C-11. Sled acceleration signal and its computed velocity and jerk for test LX6283.

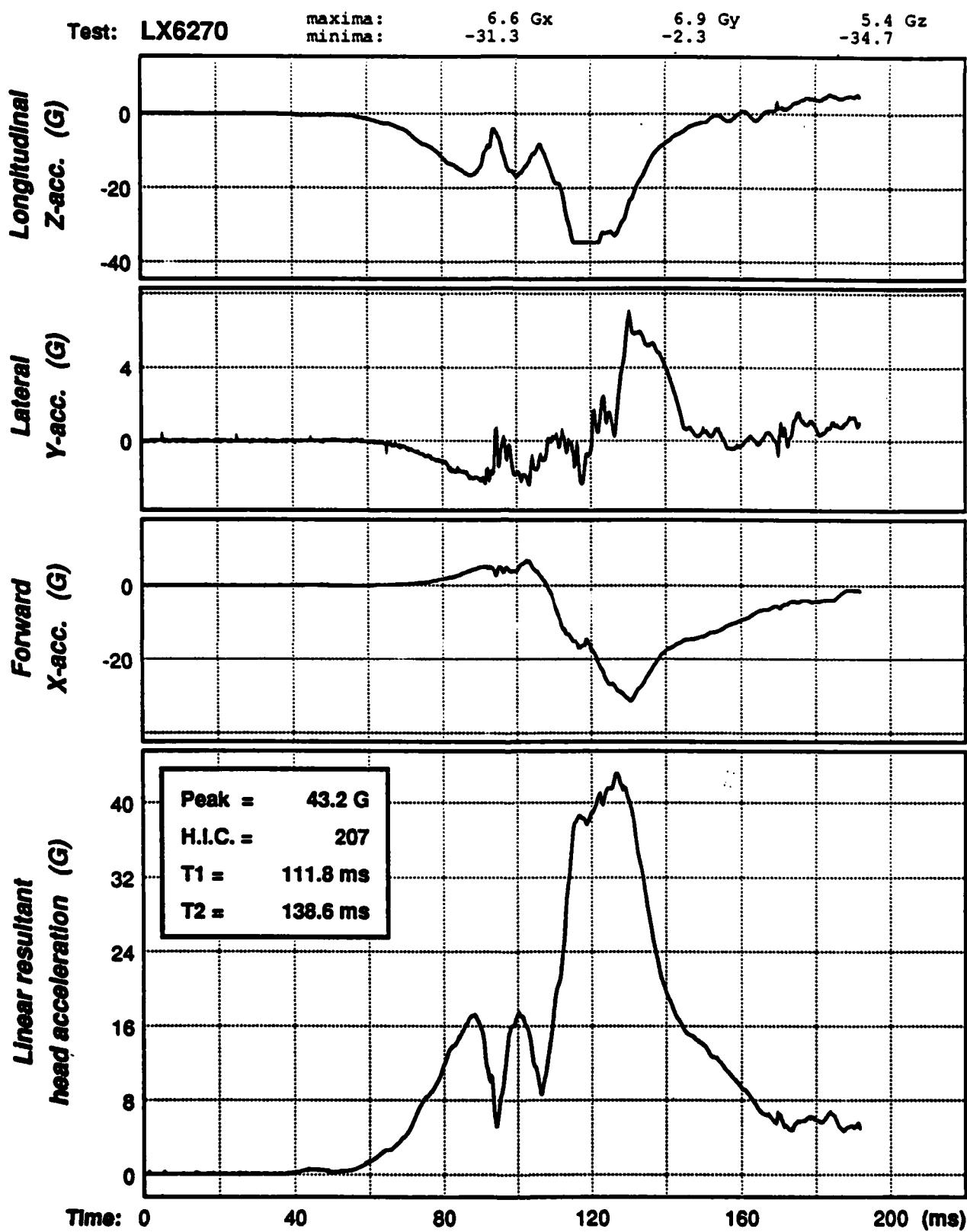


Figure C-12. Three components and resultant of the linear head acceleration for test LX6270.

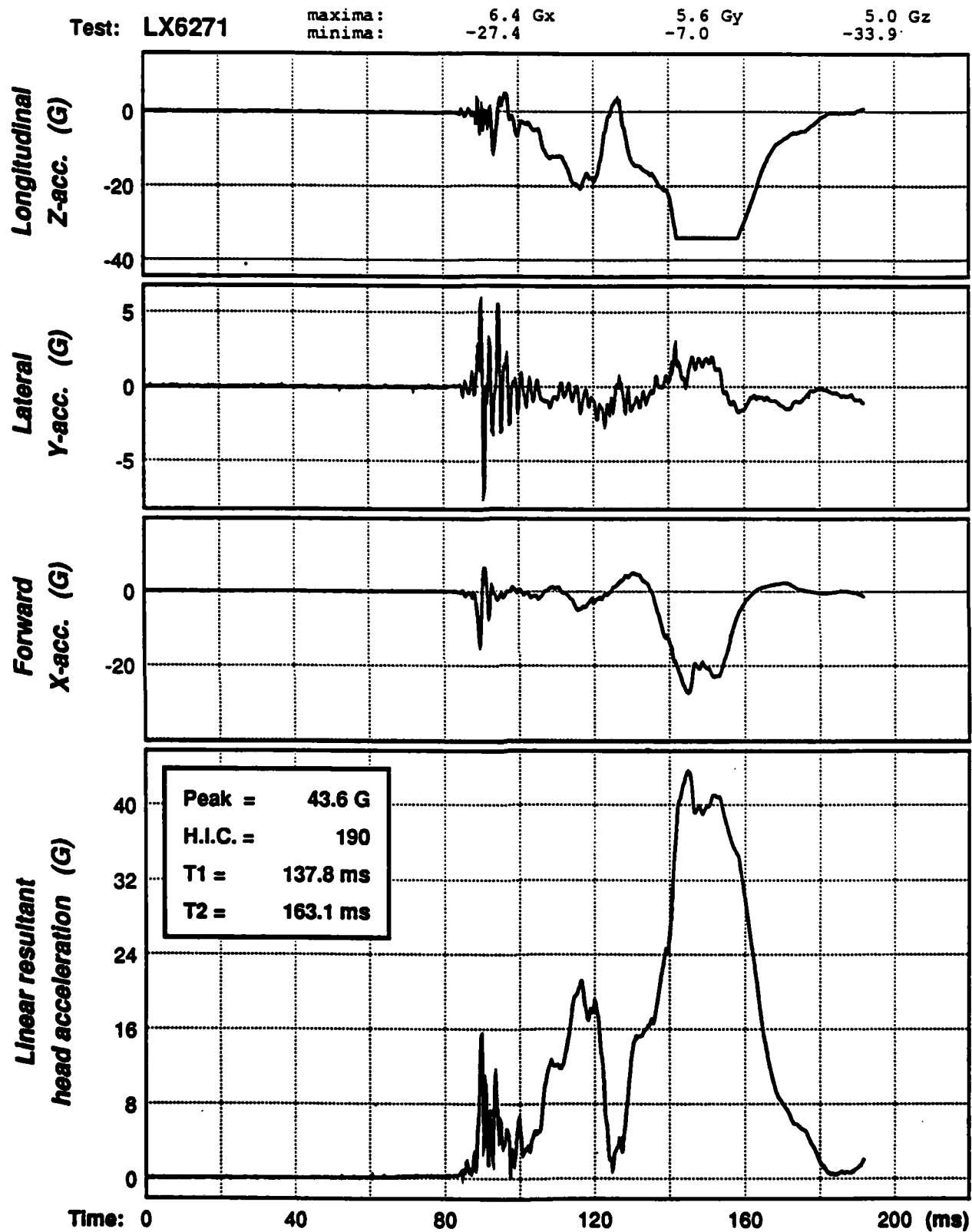


Figure C-13. Three components and resultant of the linear head acceleration for test LX6271.

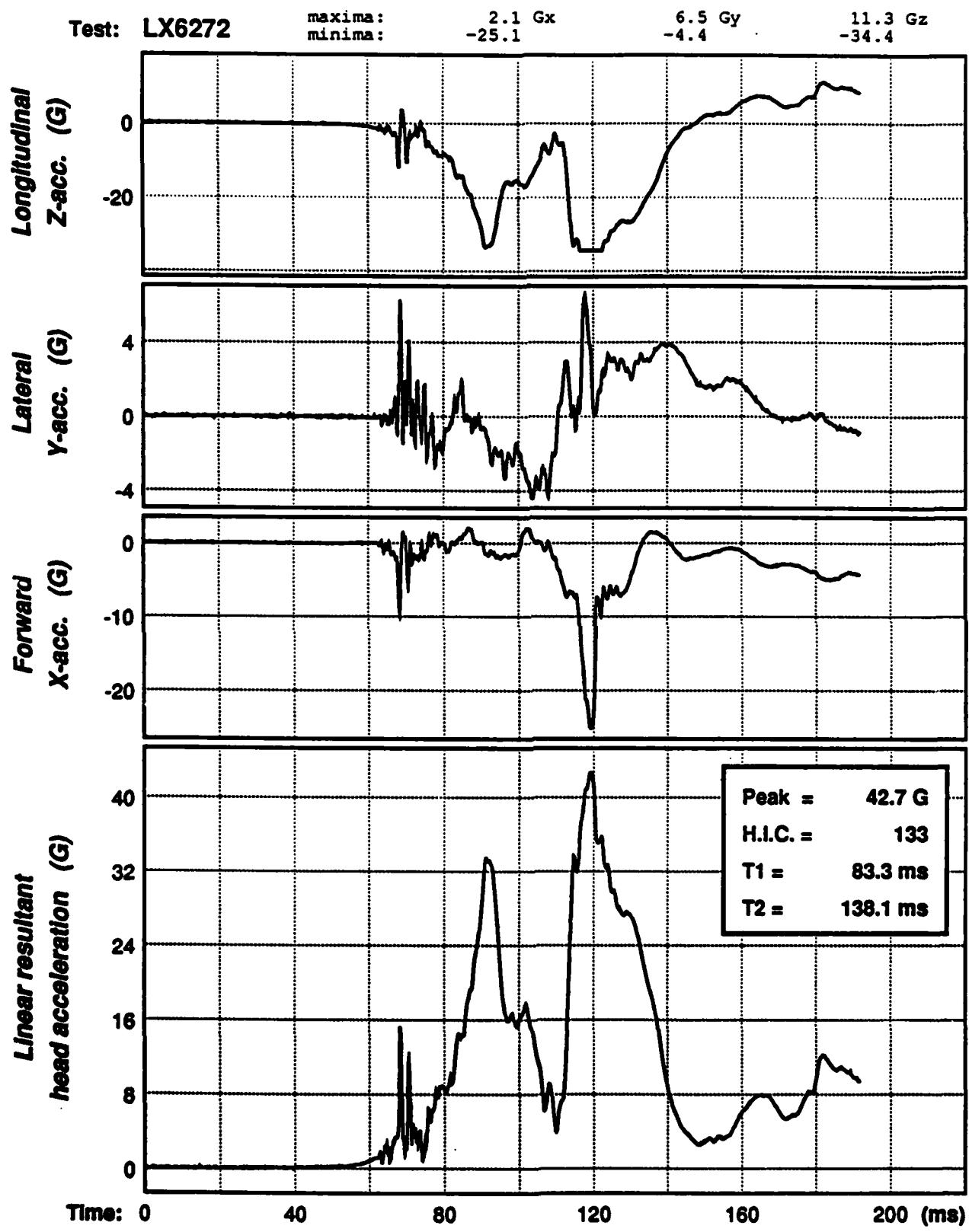


Figure C-14. Three components and resultant of the linear head acceleration for test LX6272.

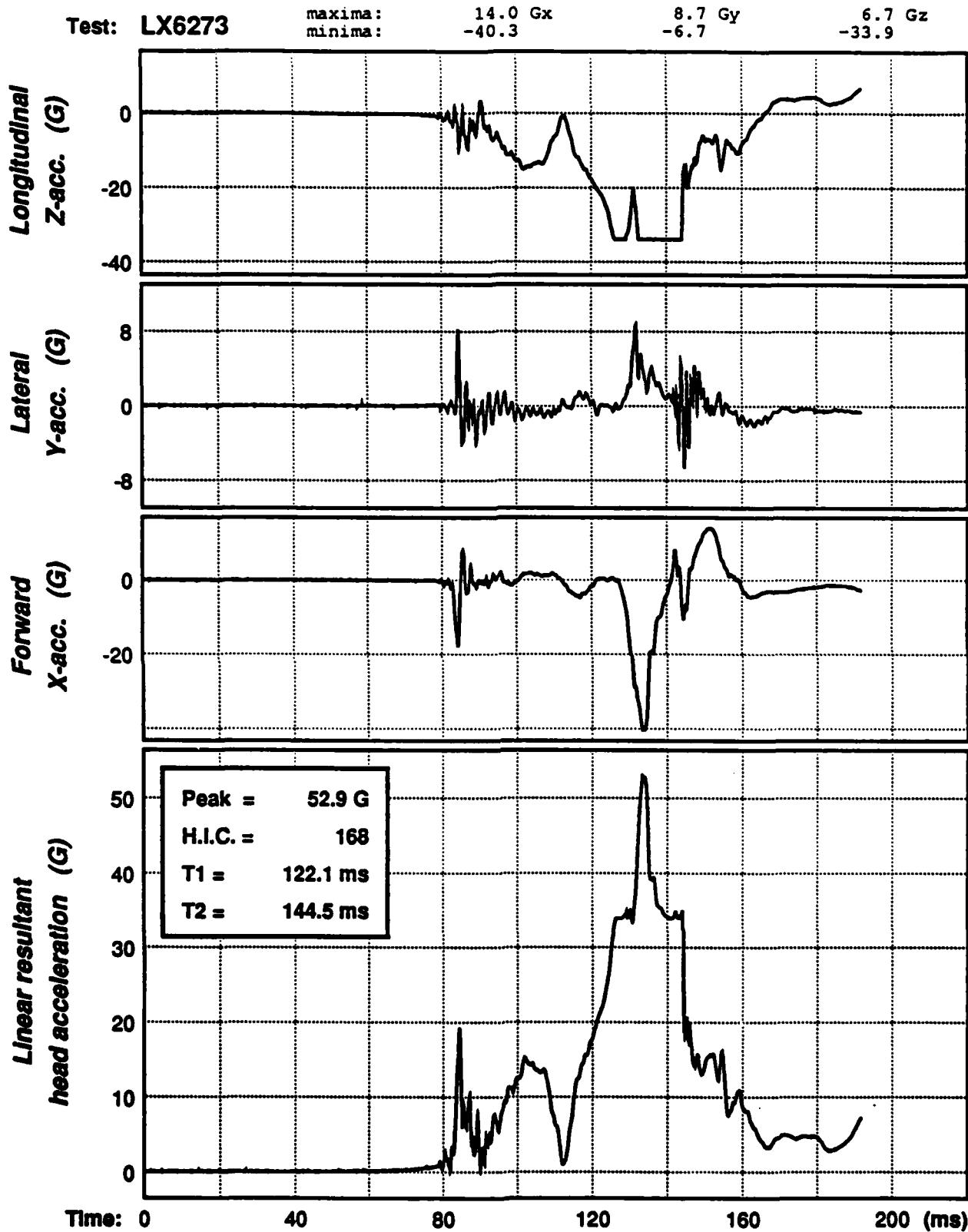


Figure C-15. Three components and resultant of the linear head acceleration for test LX6273.

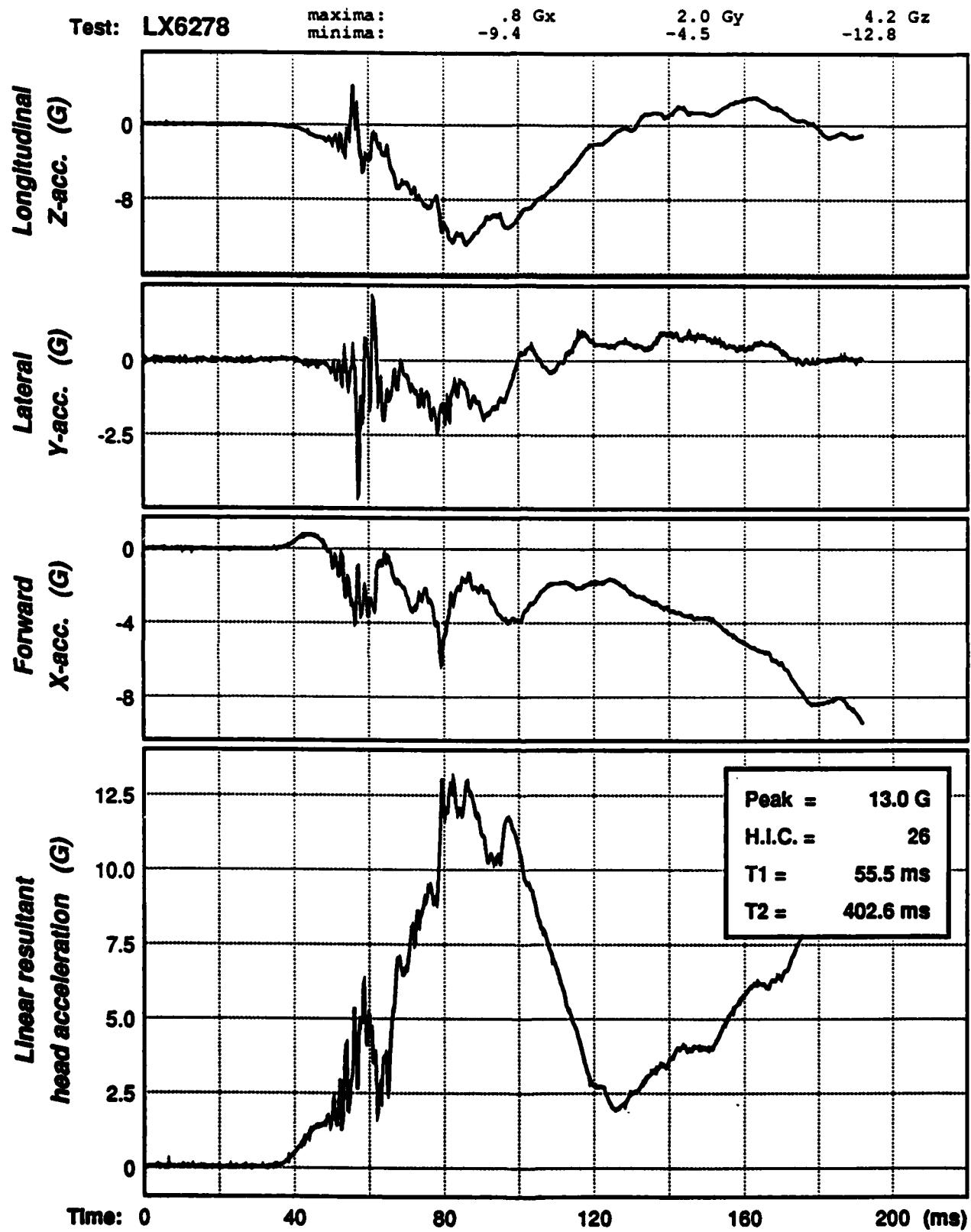


Figure C-16. Three components and resultant of the linear head acceleration for test LX6278.

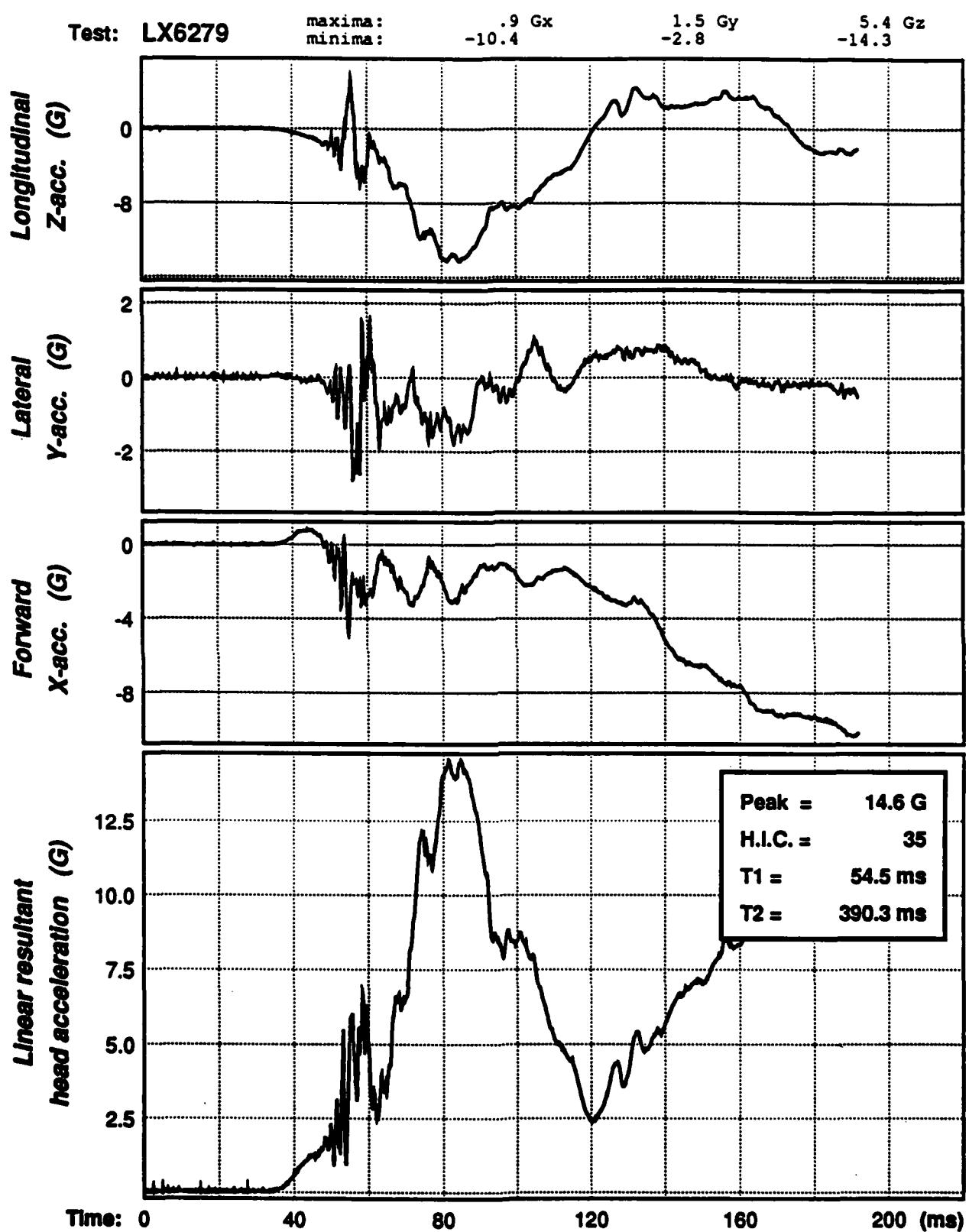


Figure C-17. Three components and resultant of the linear head acceleration for test LX6279.

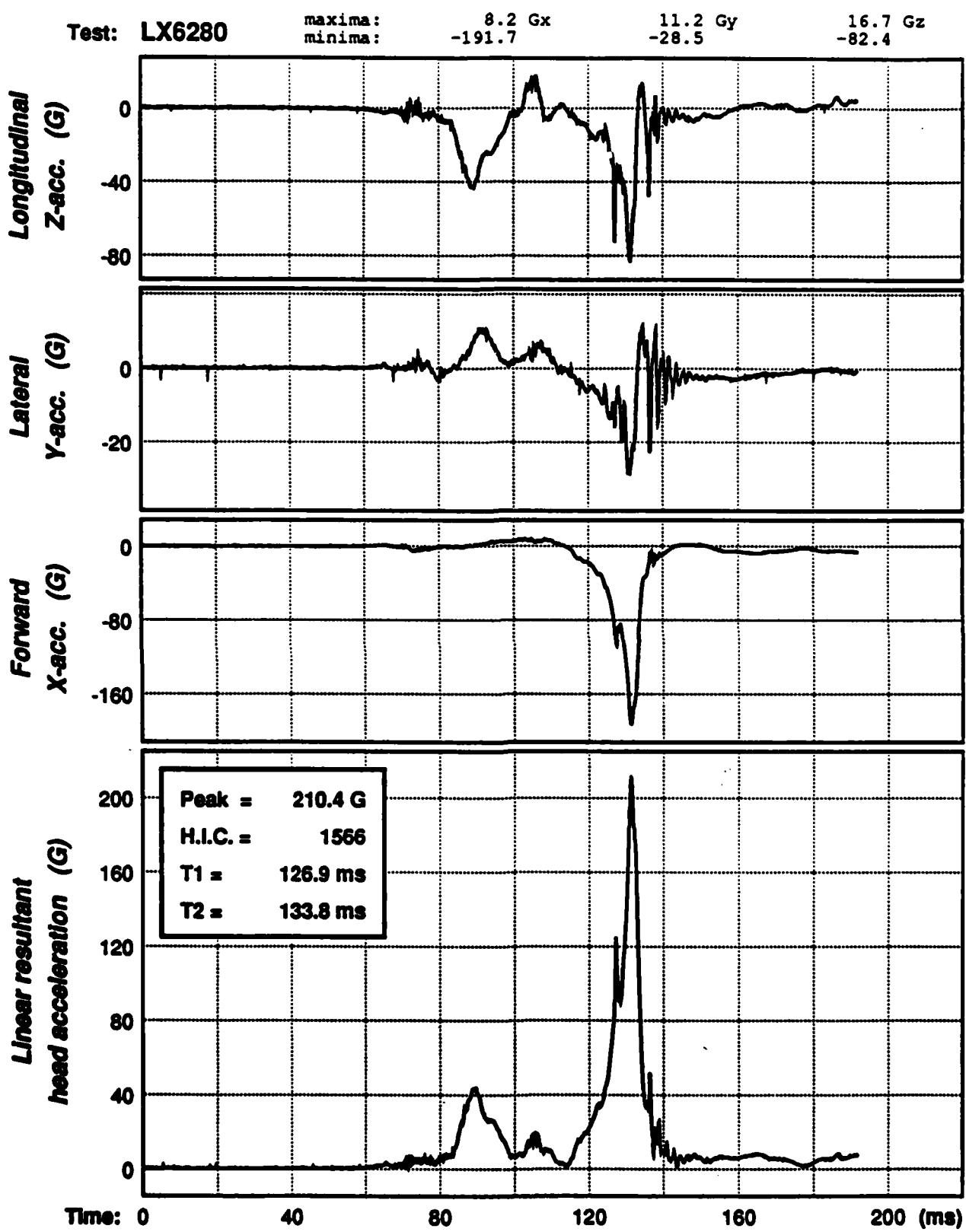


Figure C-18. Three components and resultant of the linear head acceleration for test LX6280.

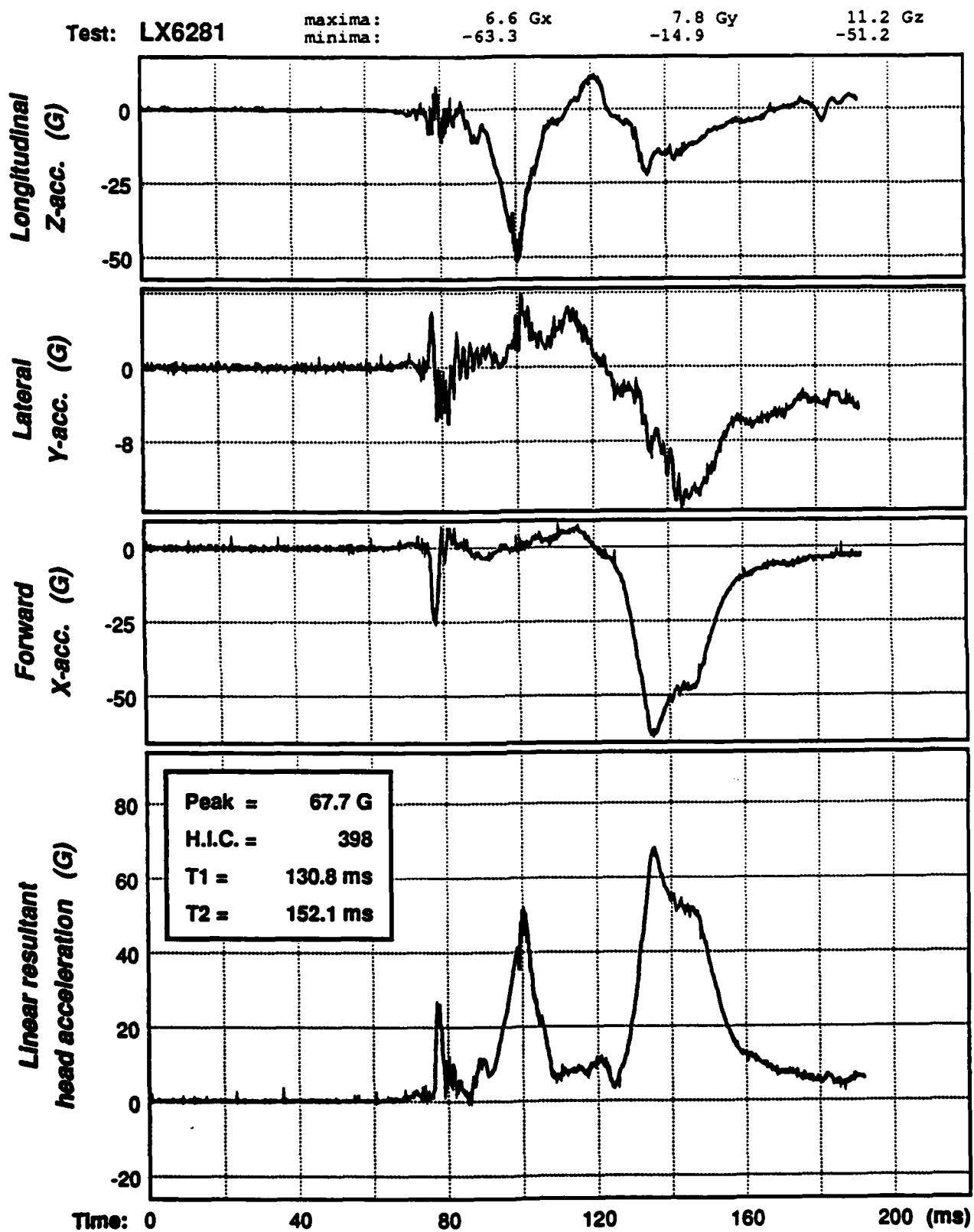


Figure C-19. Three components and resultant of the linear head acceleration for test LX6281.

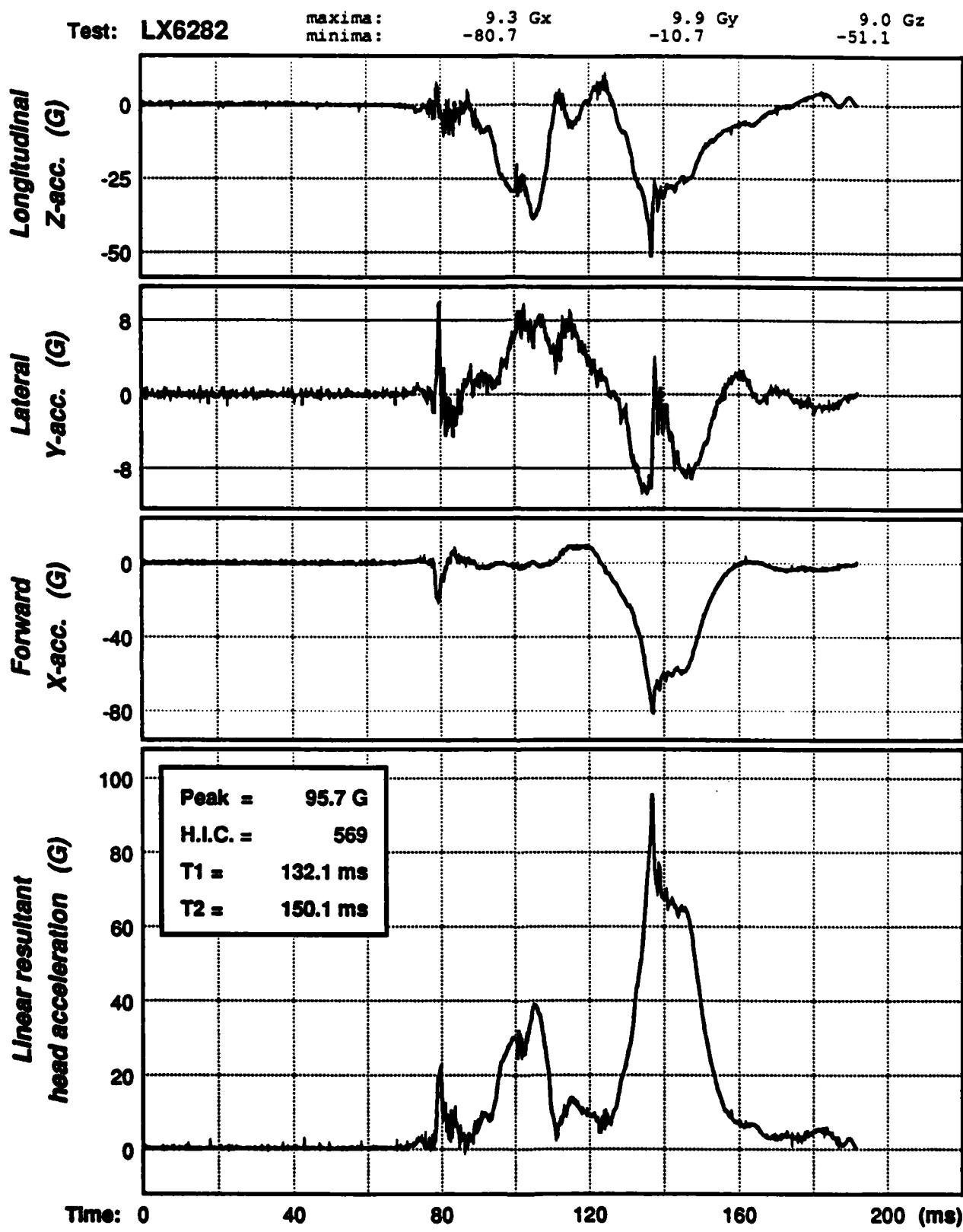


Figure C-20. Three components and resultant of the linear head acceleration for test LX6282.

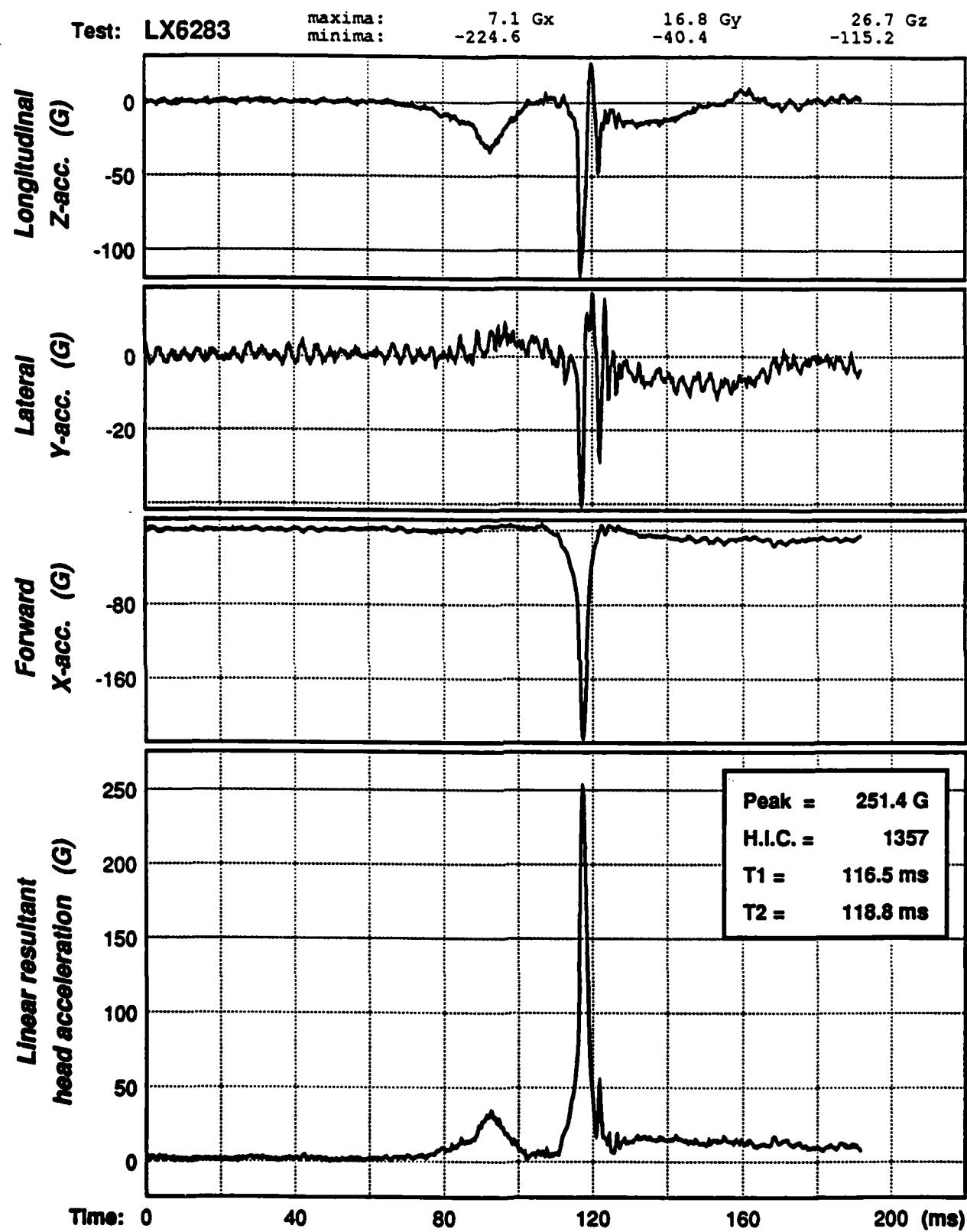


Figure C-21. Three components and resultant of the linear head acceleration for test LX6283.

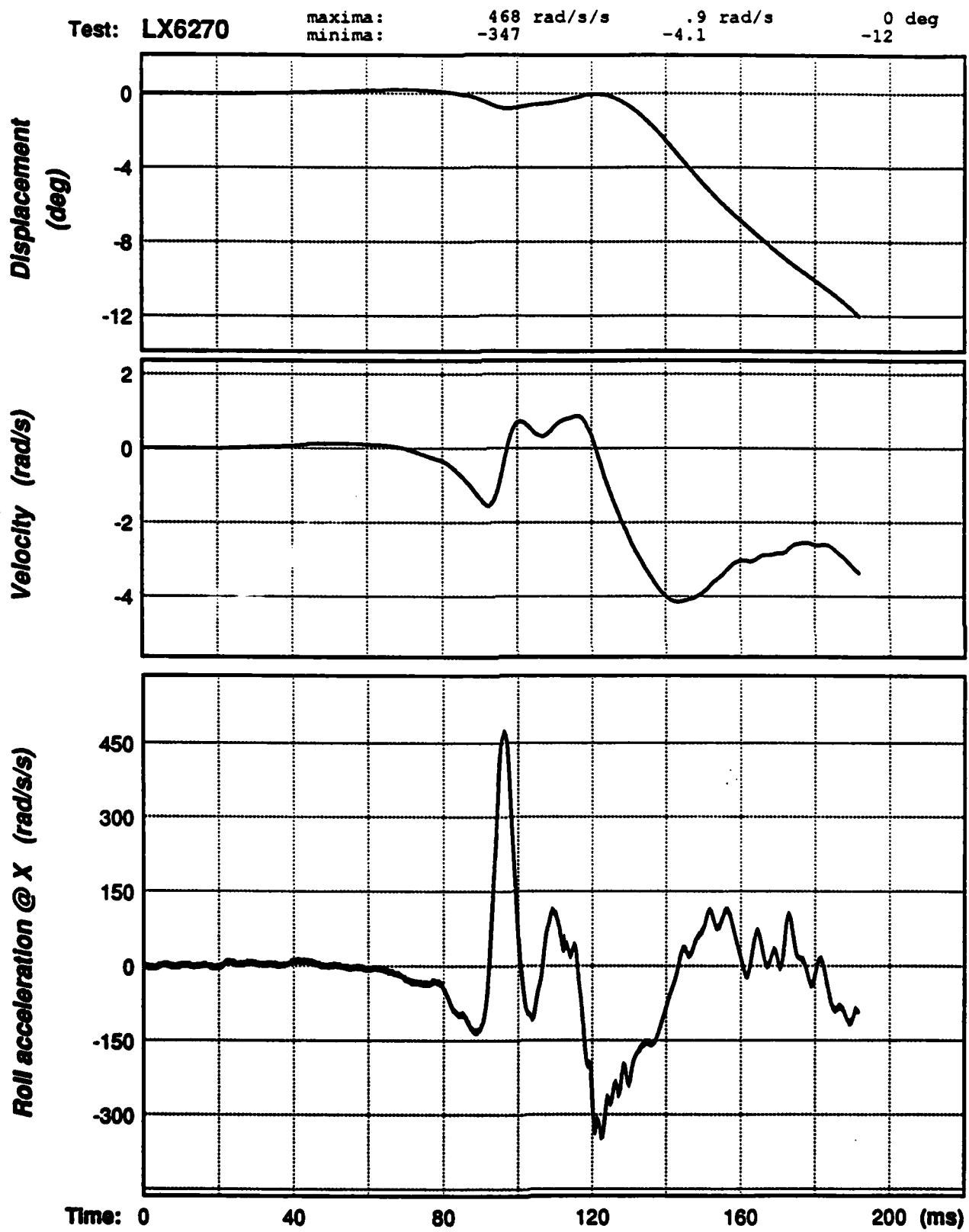


Figure C-22. Head roll angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6270.

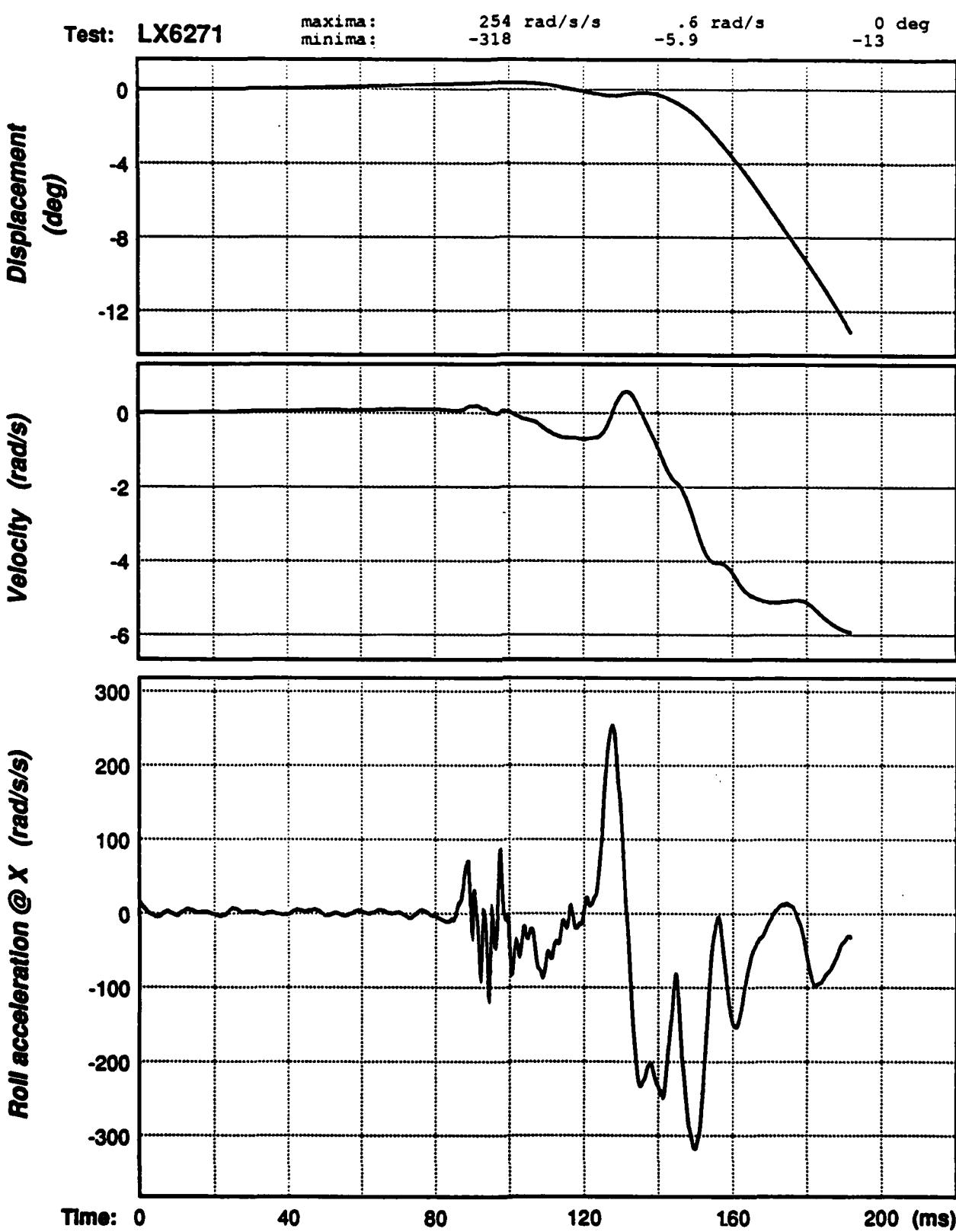


Figure C-23. Head roll angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6271.

Test: LX6272      maxima: 1324 rad/s/s      3.3 rad/s      0 deg  
                  minima: -515                    -7.8                    -22

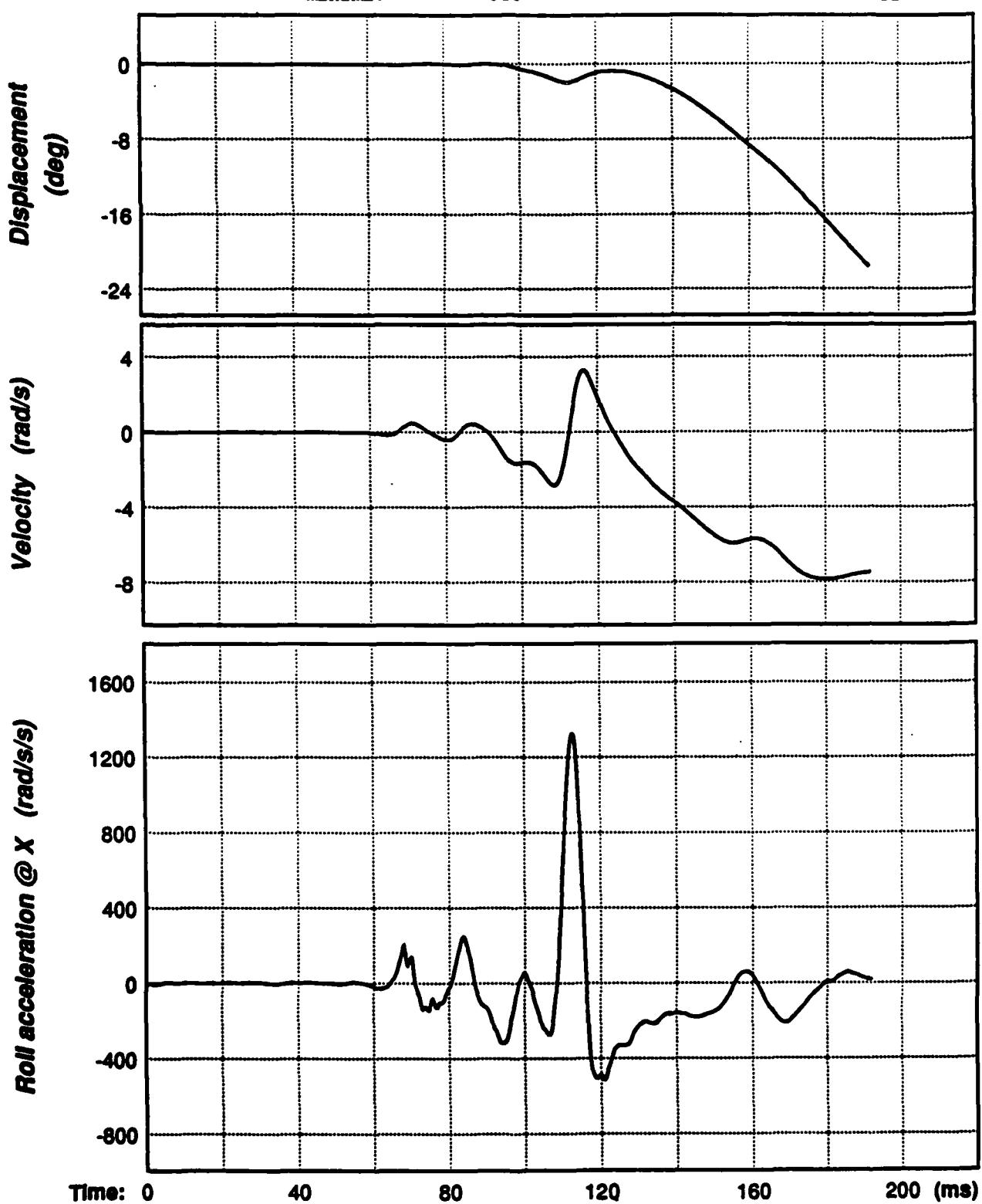


Figure C-24. Head roll angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6272.

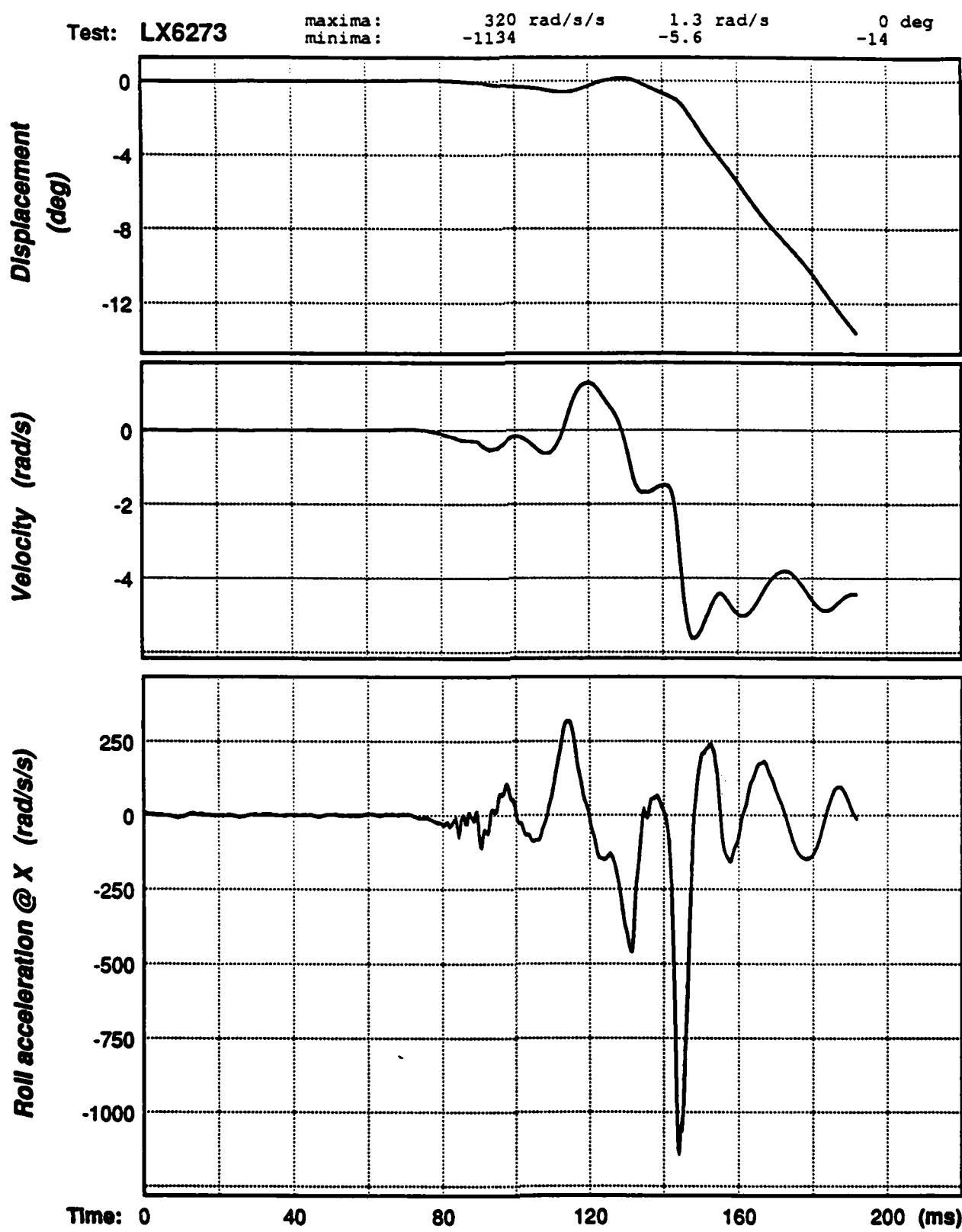


Figure C-25. Head roll angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6273.

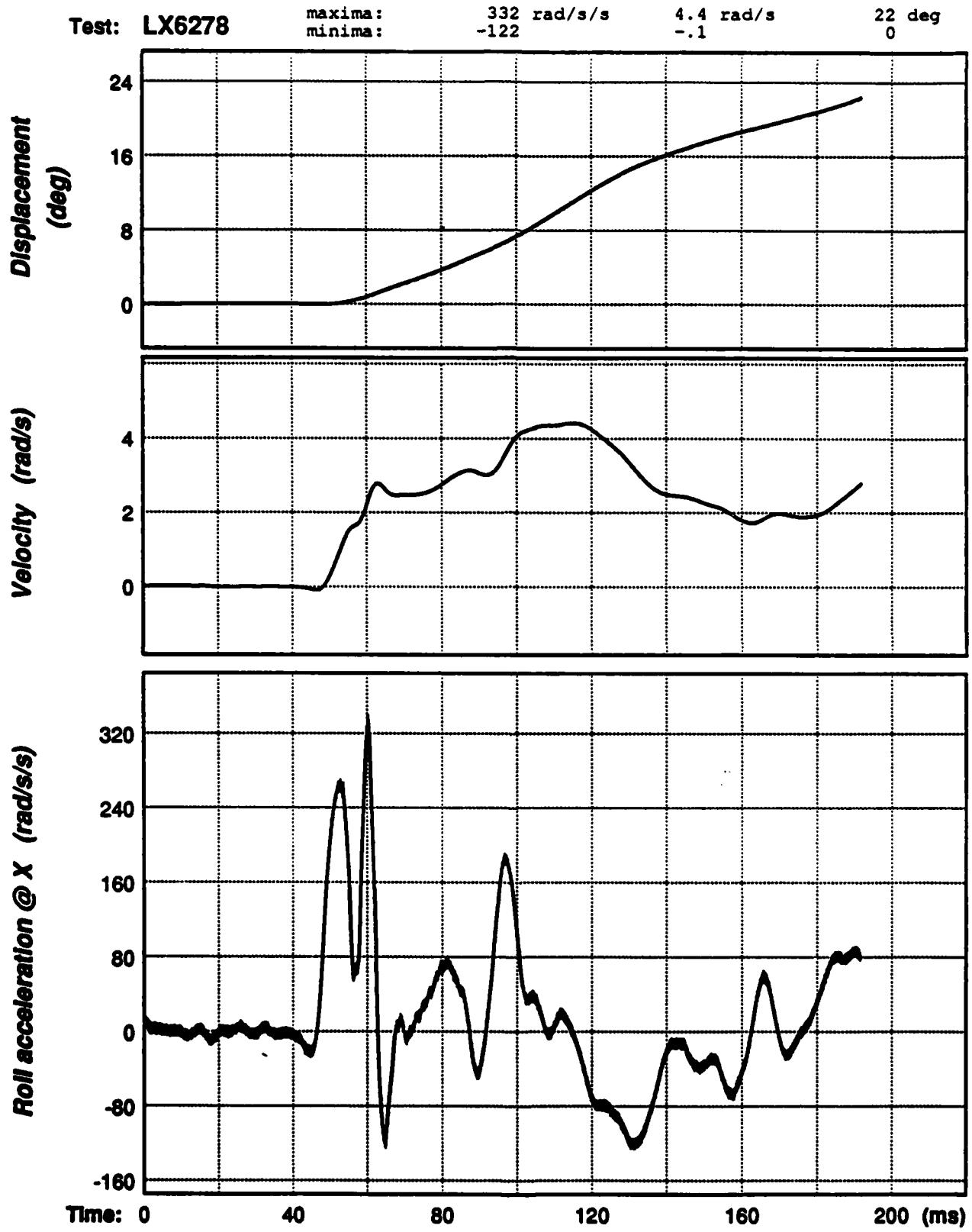


Figure C-26. Head roll angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6278.

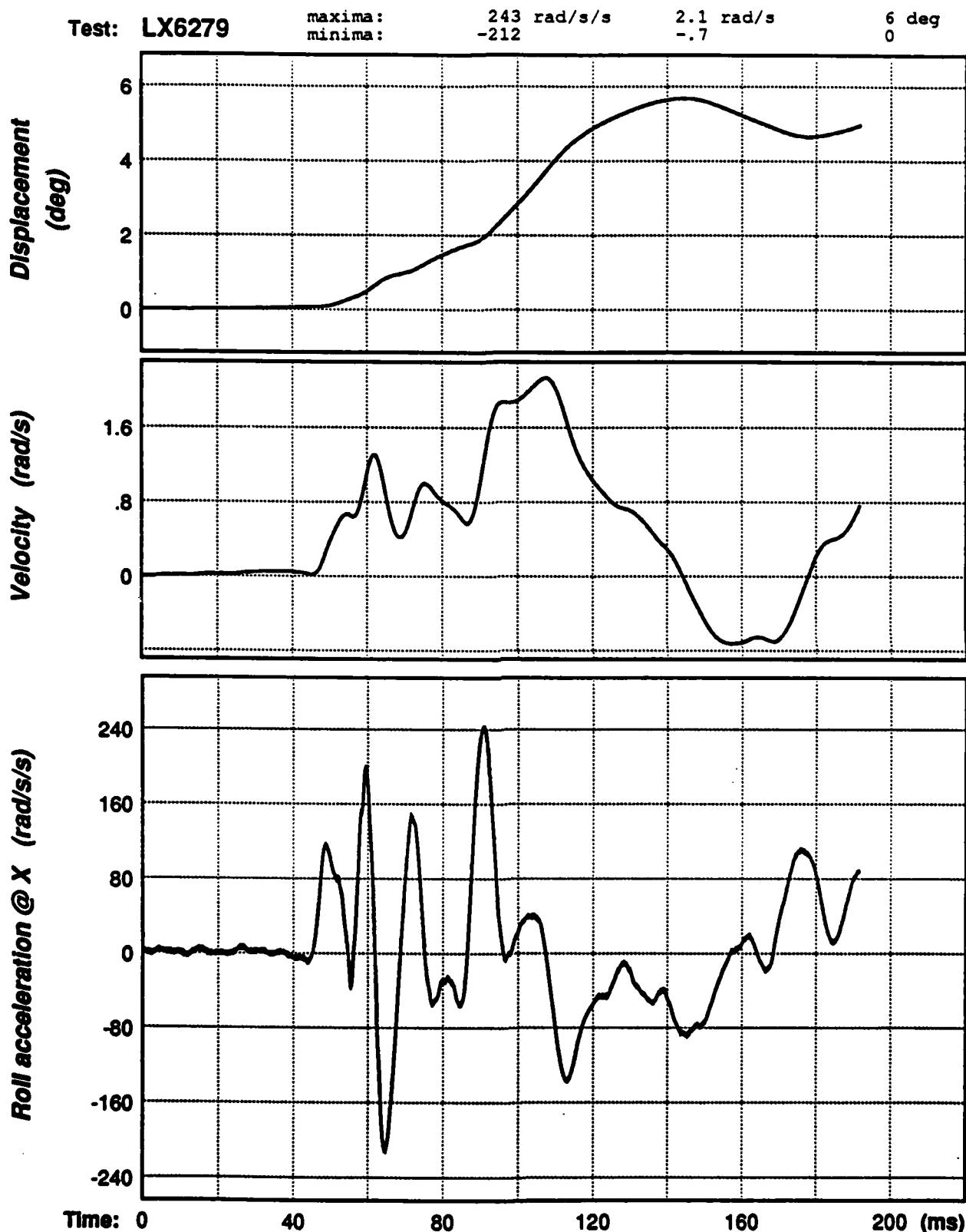


Figure C-27. Head roll angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6279.

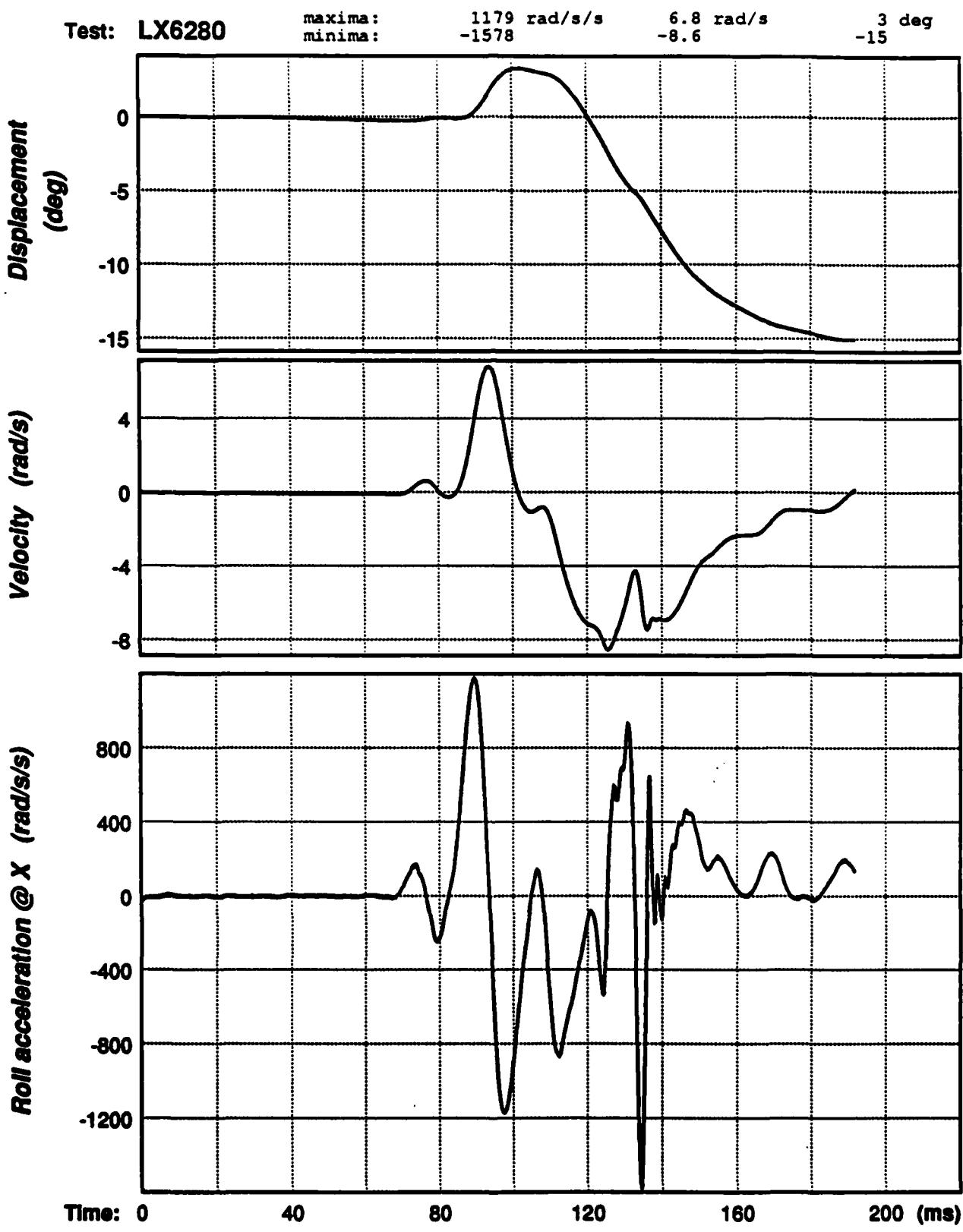


Figure C-28. Head roll angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6280.

Test: LX6281      maxima: 563 rad/s/s      4.5 rad/s      2 deg  
                      minima: -754                    -10.3            -23

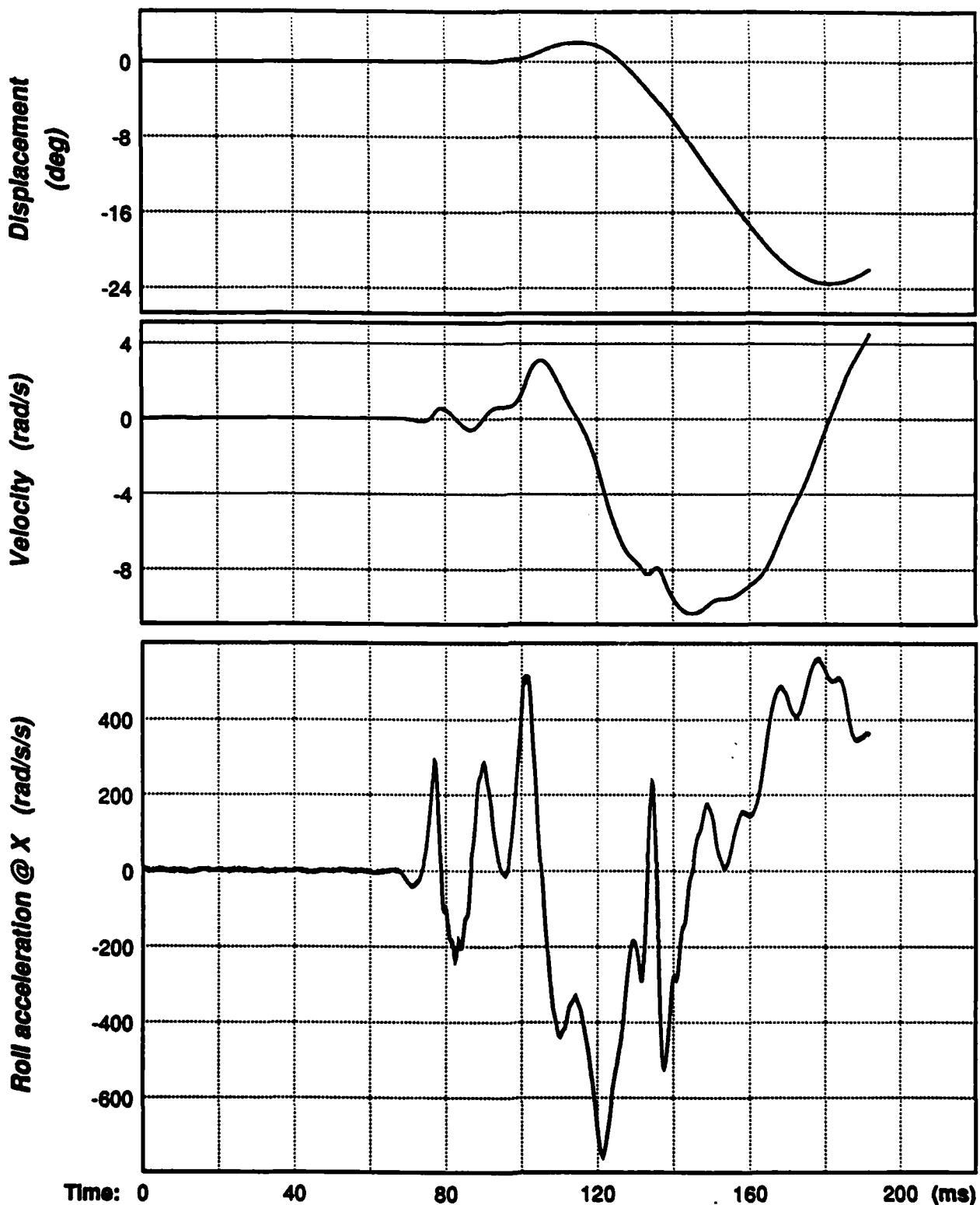


Figure C-29. Head roll angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6281.

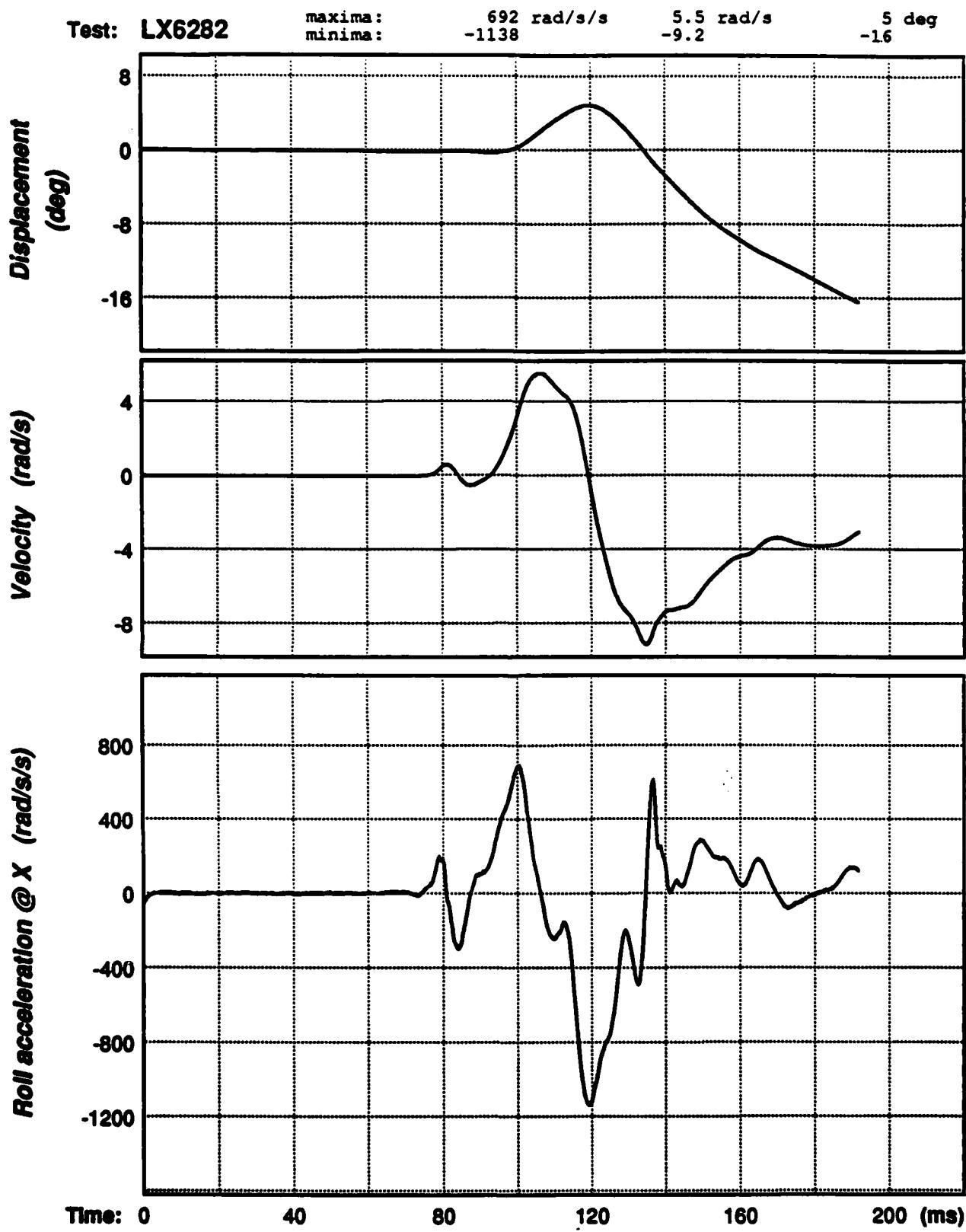


Figure C-30. Head roll angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6282.

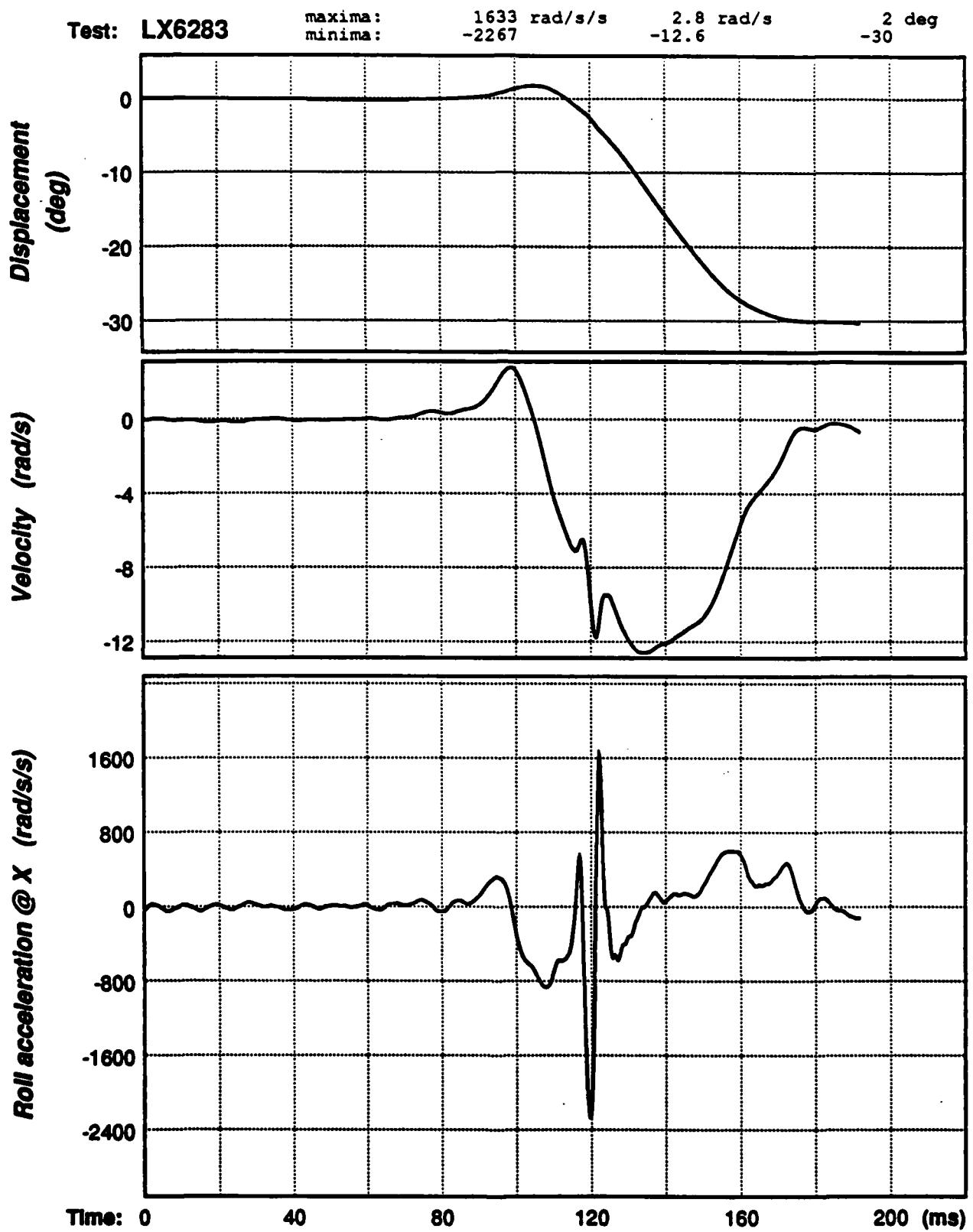


Figure C-31. Head roll angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6283.

Test: LX6270

maxima:  
minima:

1612 rad/s/s  
-2227

9.3 rad/s  
-20.2

9 deg  
-39

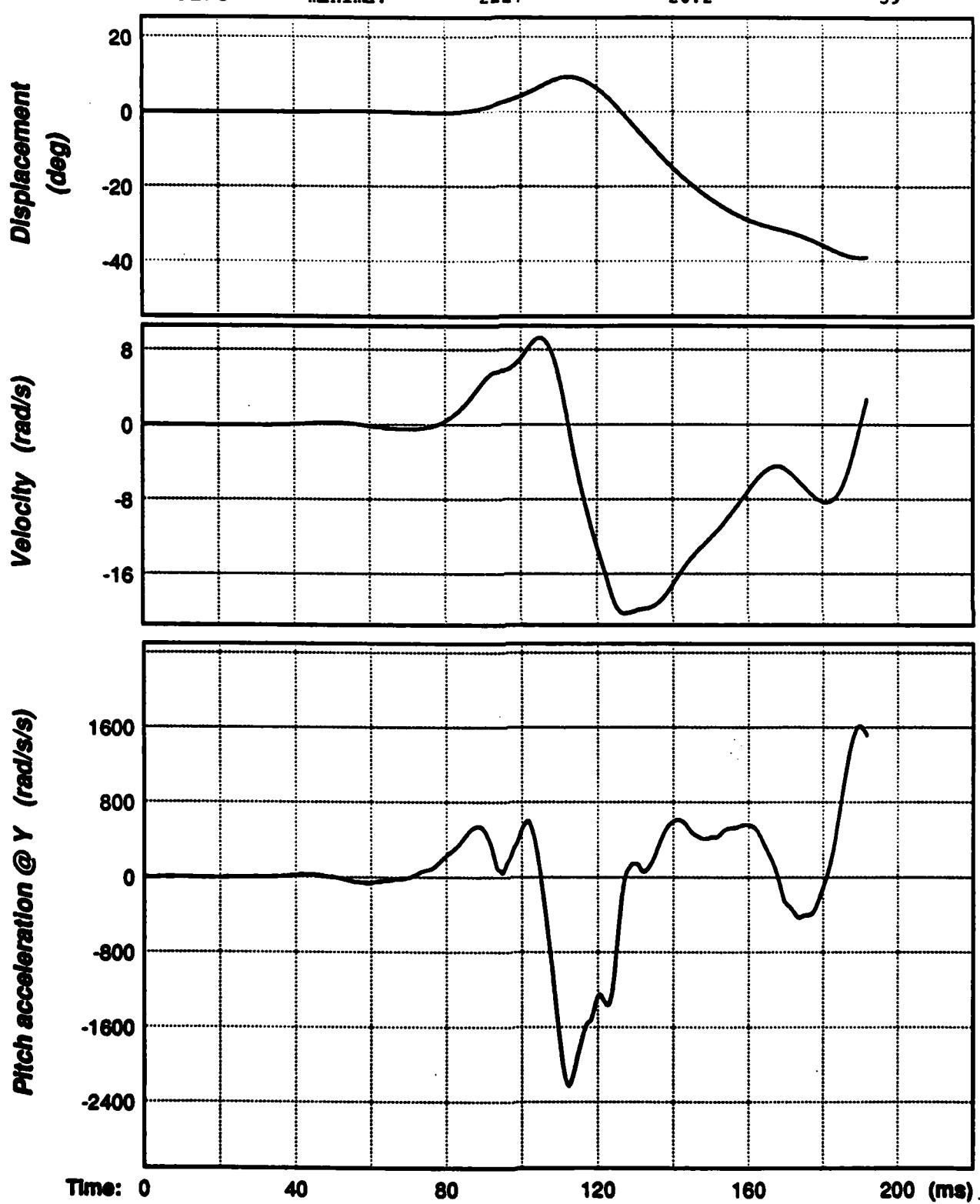


Figure C-32. Head pitch angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6270.

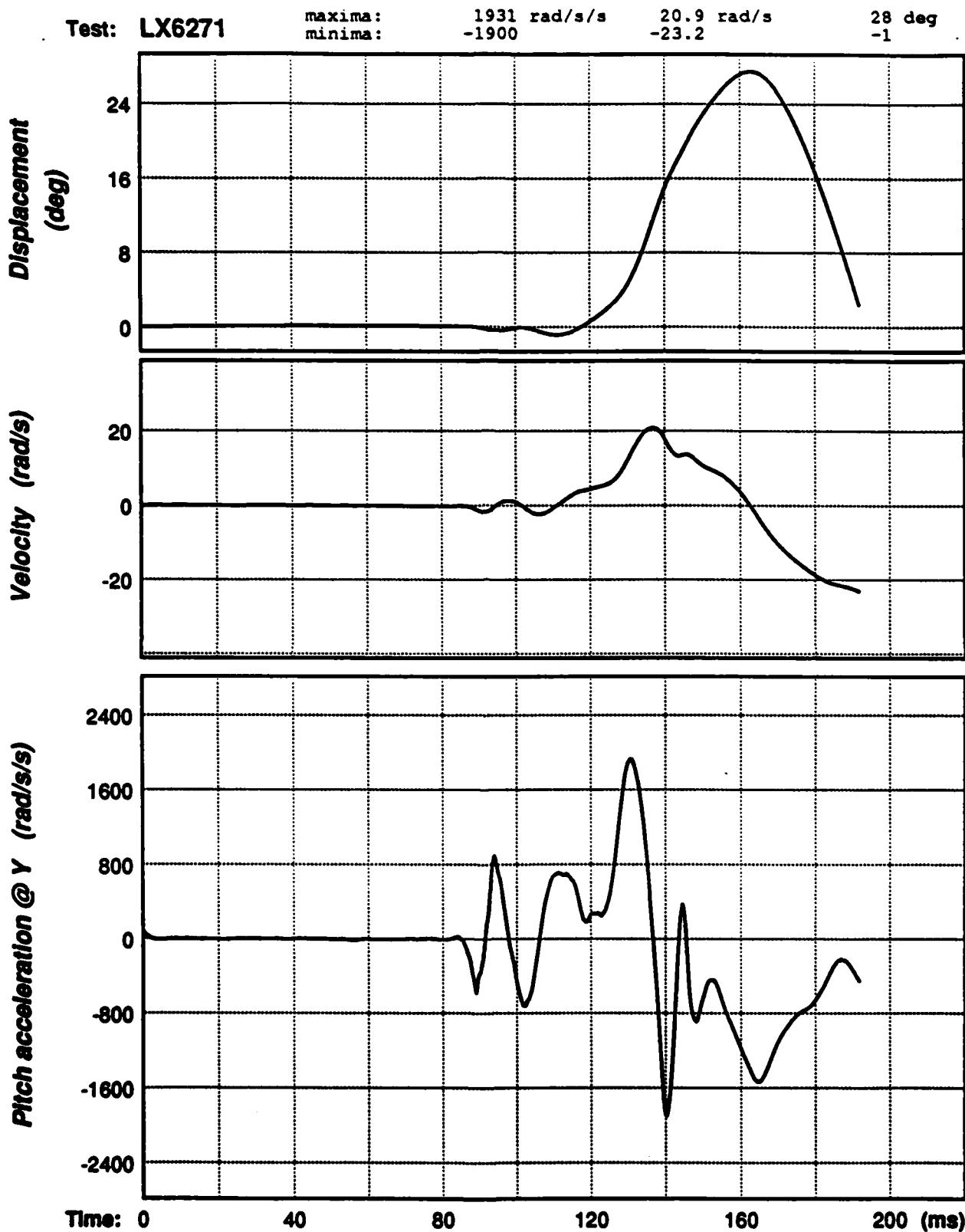


Figure C-33. Head pitch angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6271.

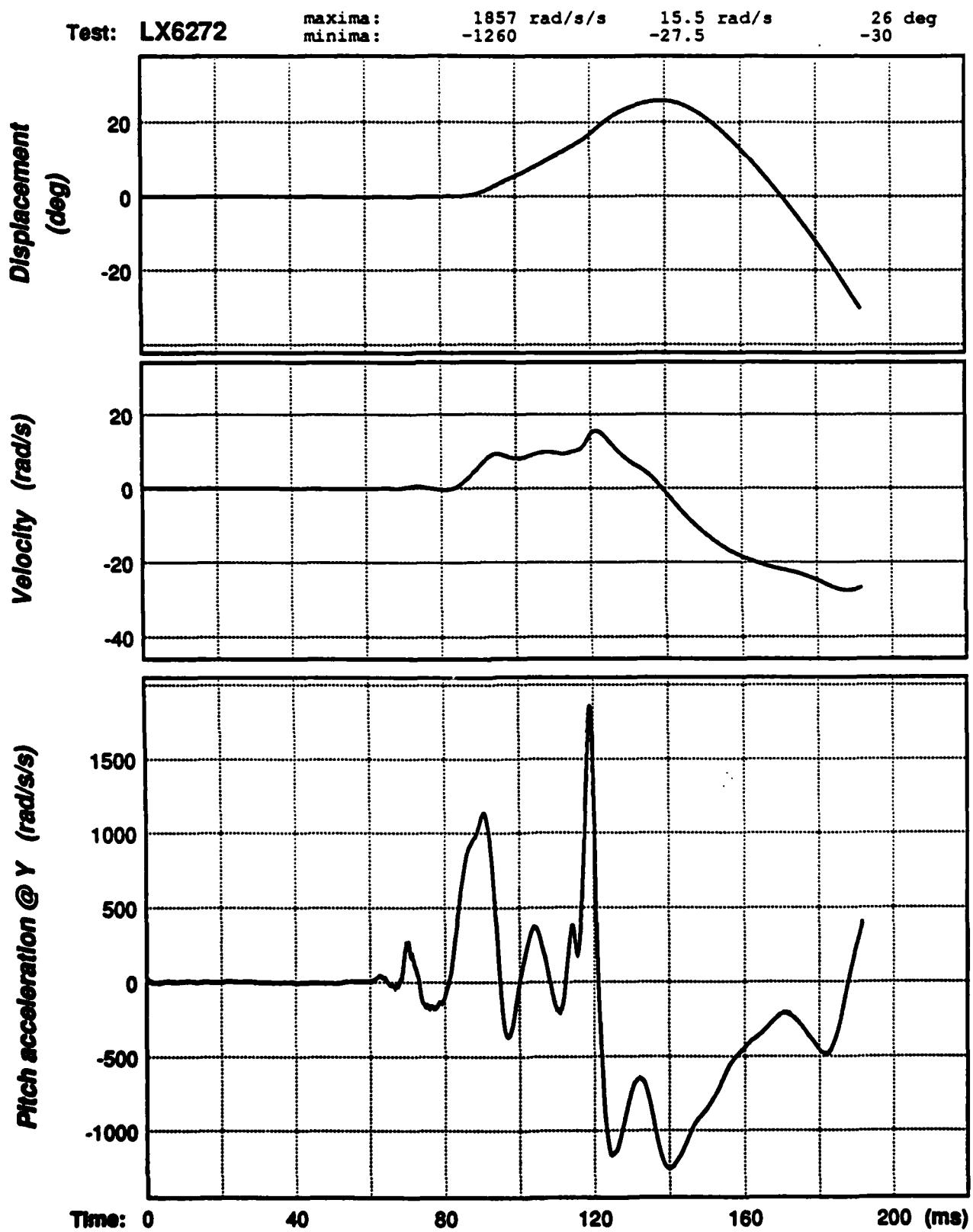


Figure C-34. Head pitch angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6272.

Test: LX6273

maxima: 30656 rad/s/s  
minima: -1926 .0  
1383.9 rad/s  
1980 deg  
0

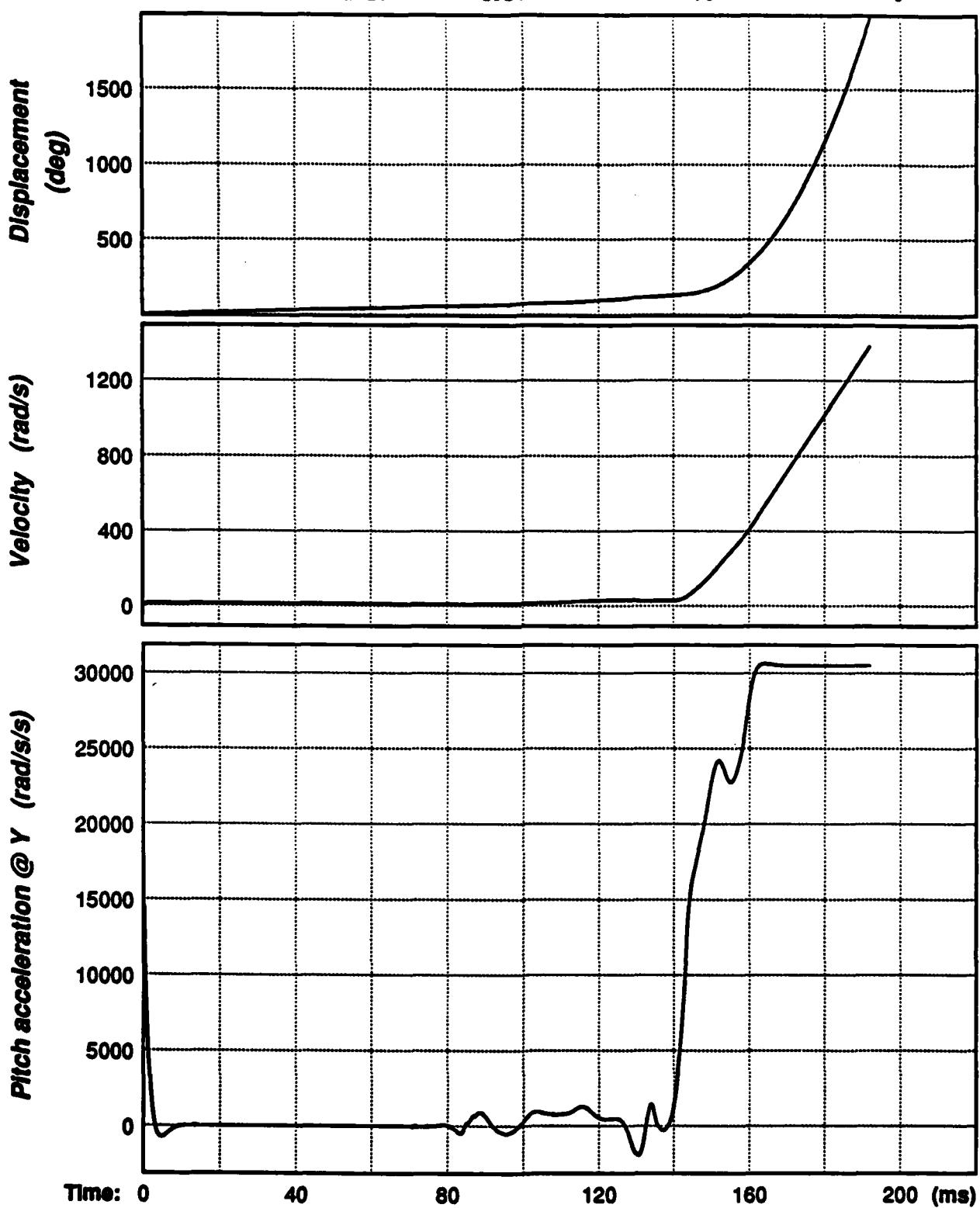


Figure C-35. Head pitch angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6273.

Test: LX6278

maxima:  
minima:

775 rad/s/s  
-722

7.6 rad/s  
-.4

36 deg  
0

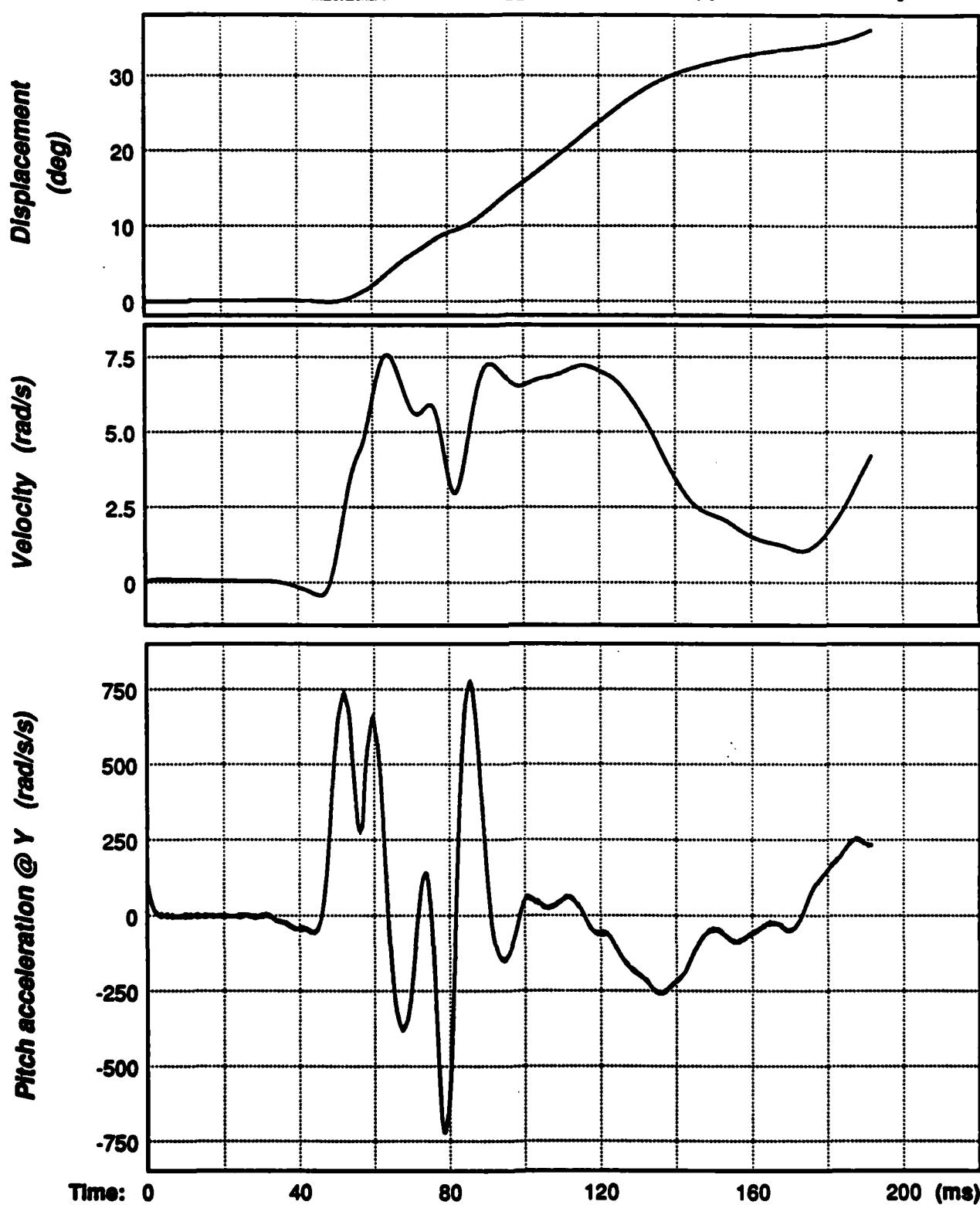


Figure C-36. Head pitch angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6278.

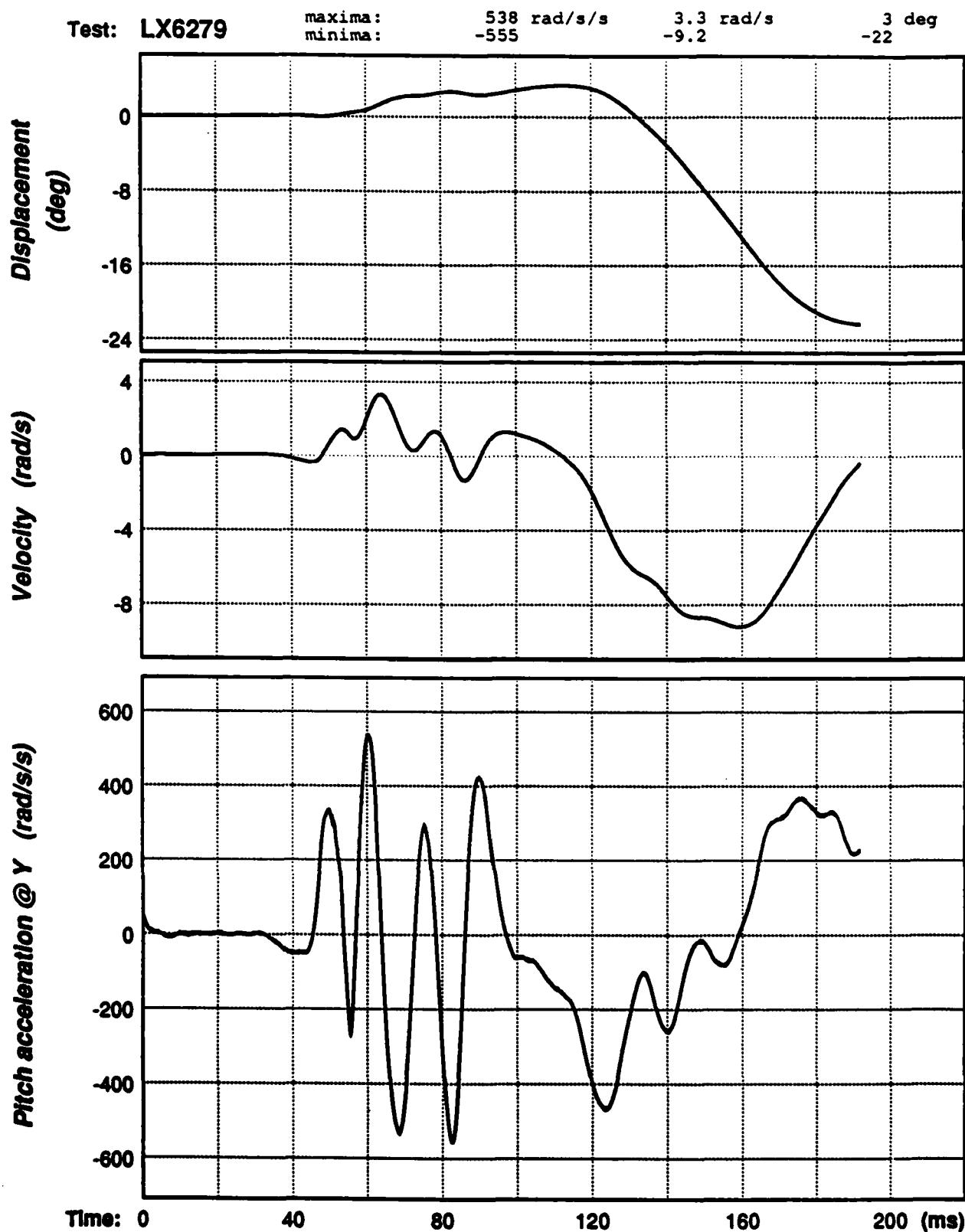


Figure C-37. Head pitch angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6279.

Test: LX6280

maxima:  
minima:

7304 rad/s/s  
-4112

8.2 rad/s  
-33.5

7 deg  
-28

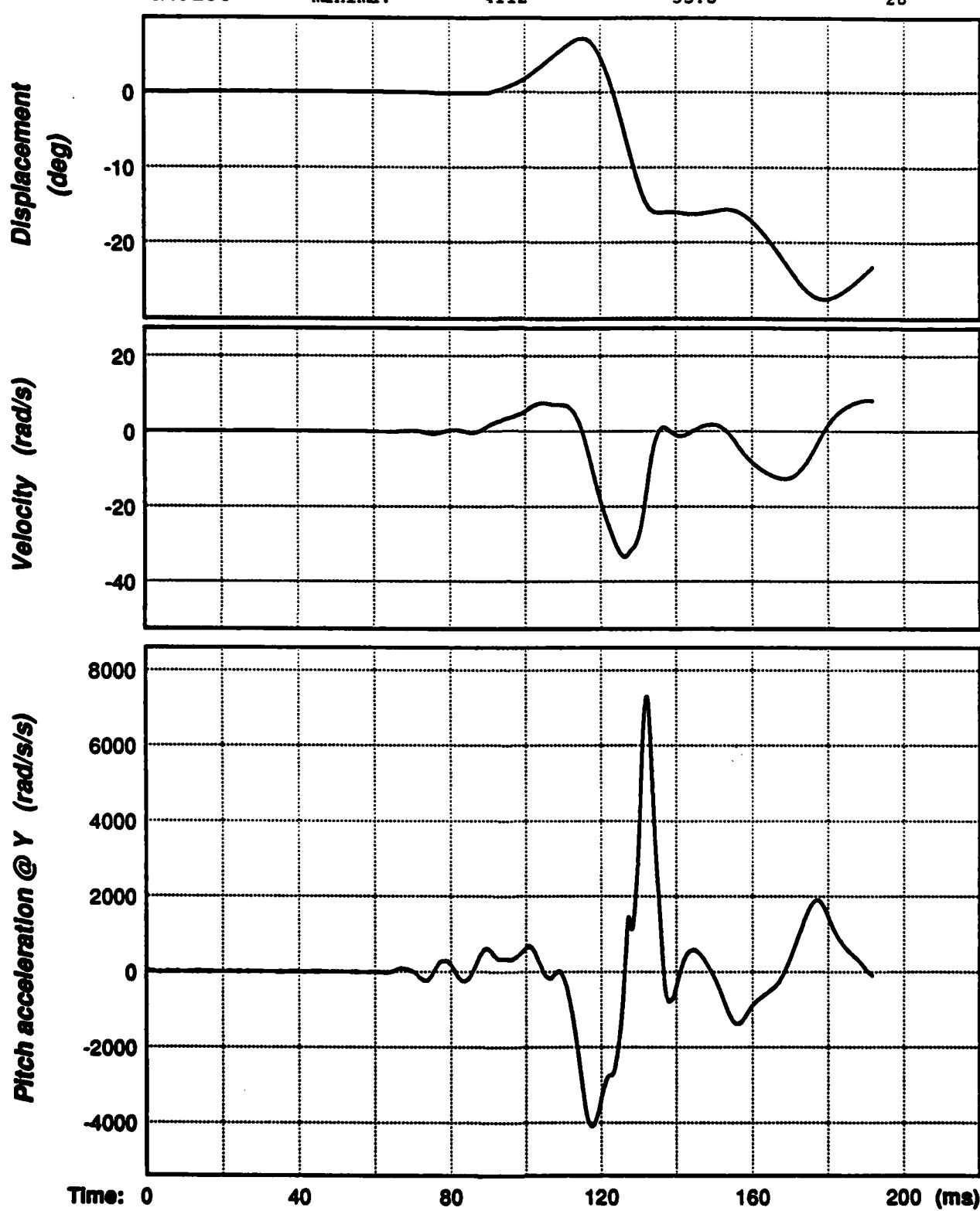


Figure C-38. Head pitch angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6280.

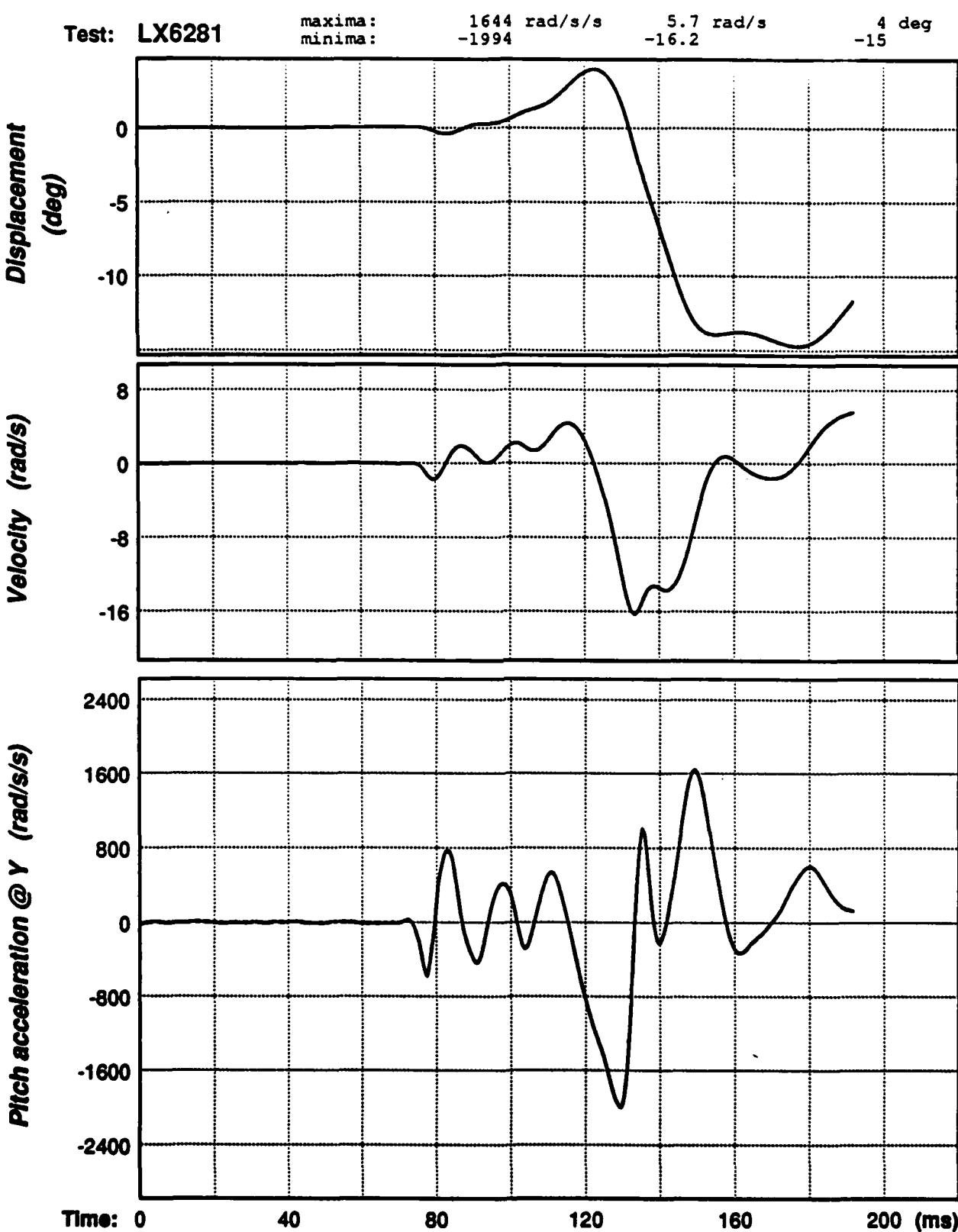


Figure C-39. Head pitch angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6281.

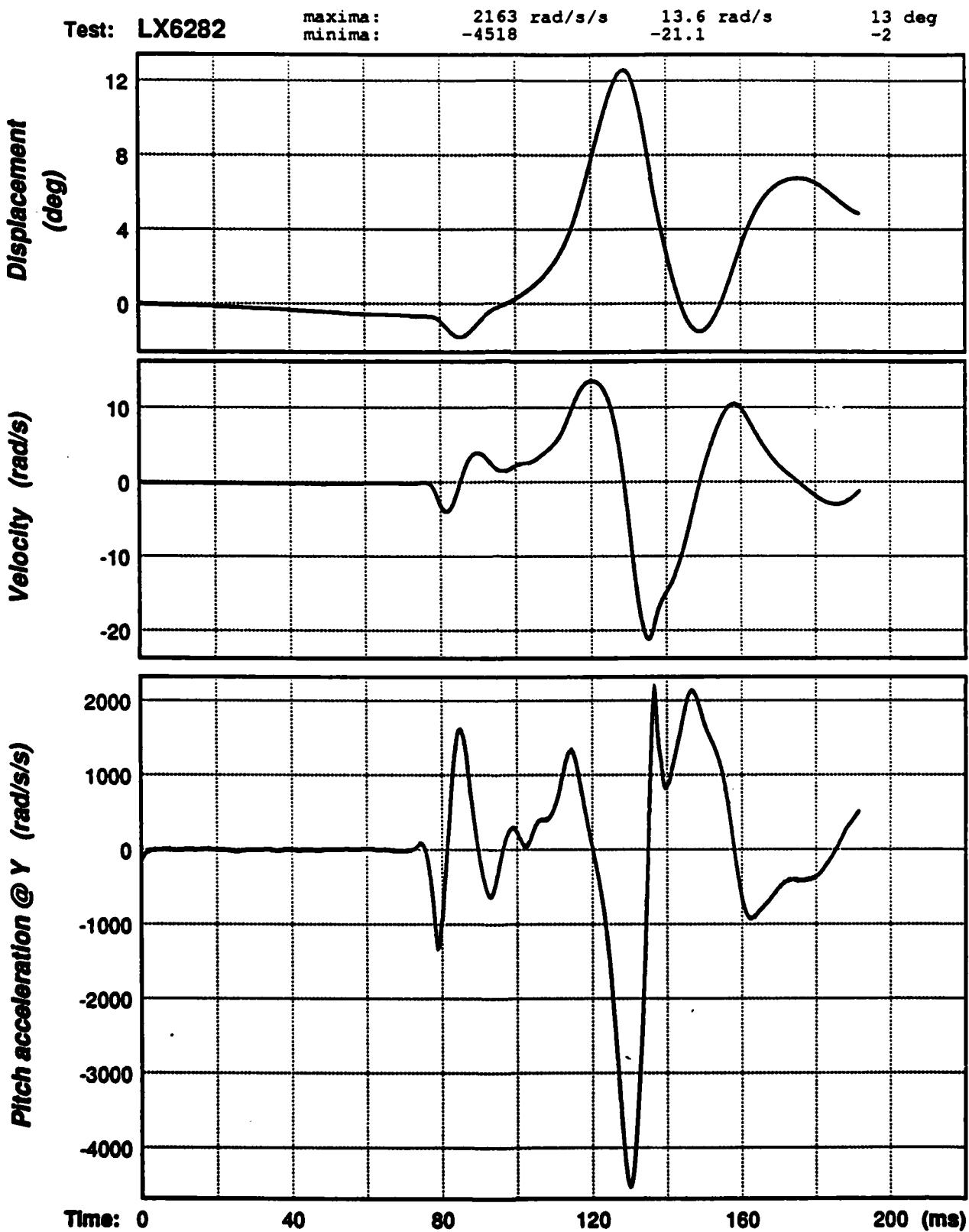


Figure C-40. Head pitch angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6282.

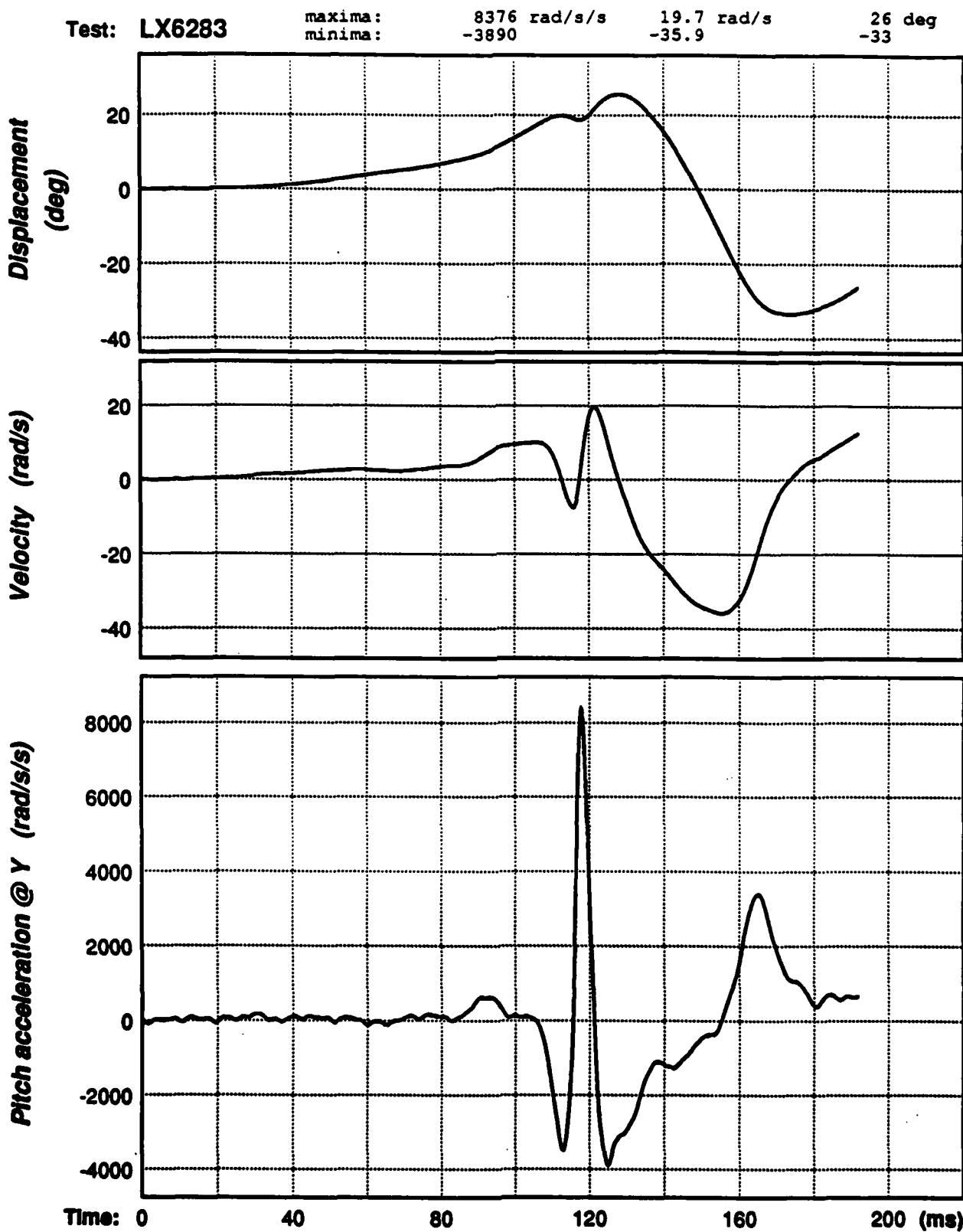


Figure C-41. Head pitch angular acceleration, velocity, and displacement signals for test LX6283.

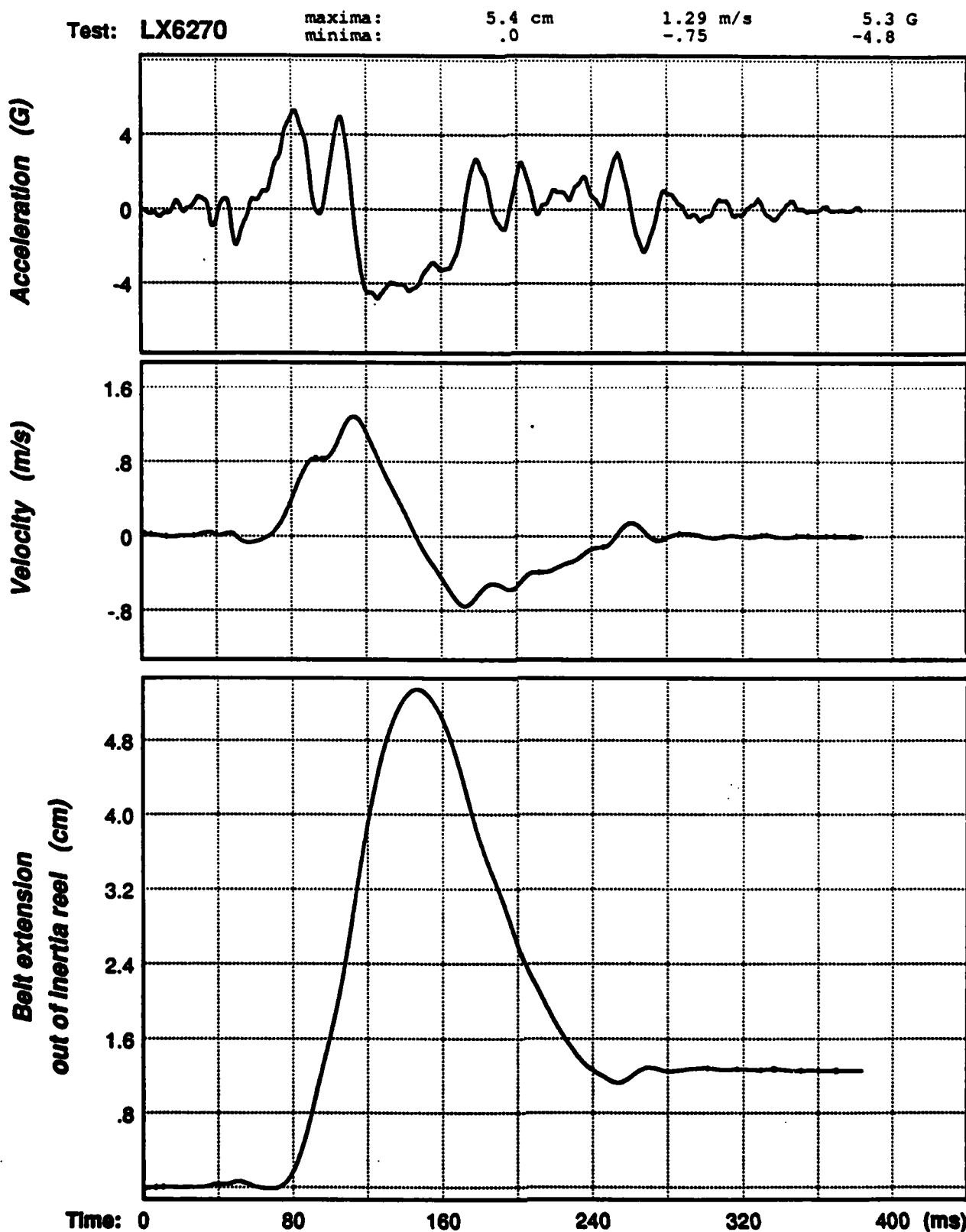


Figure C-42. Amount of belt extension and the velocity and acceleration of extension for test LX6270.

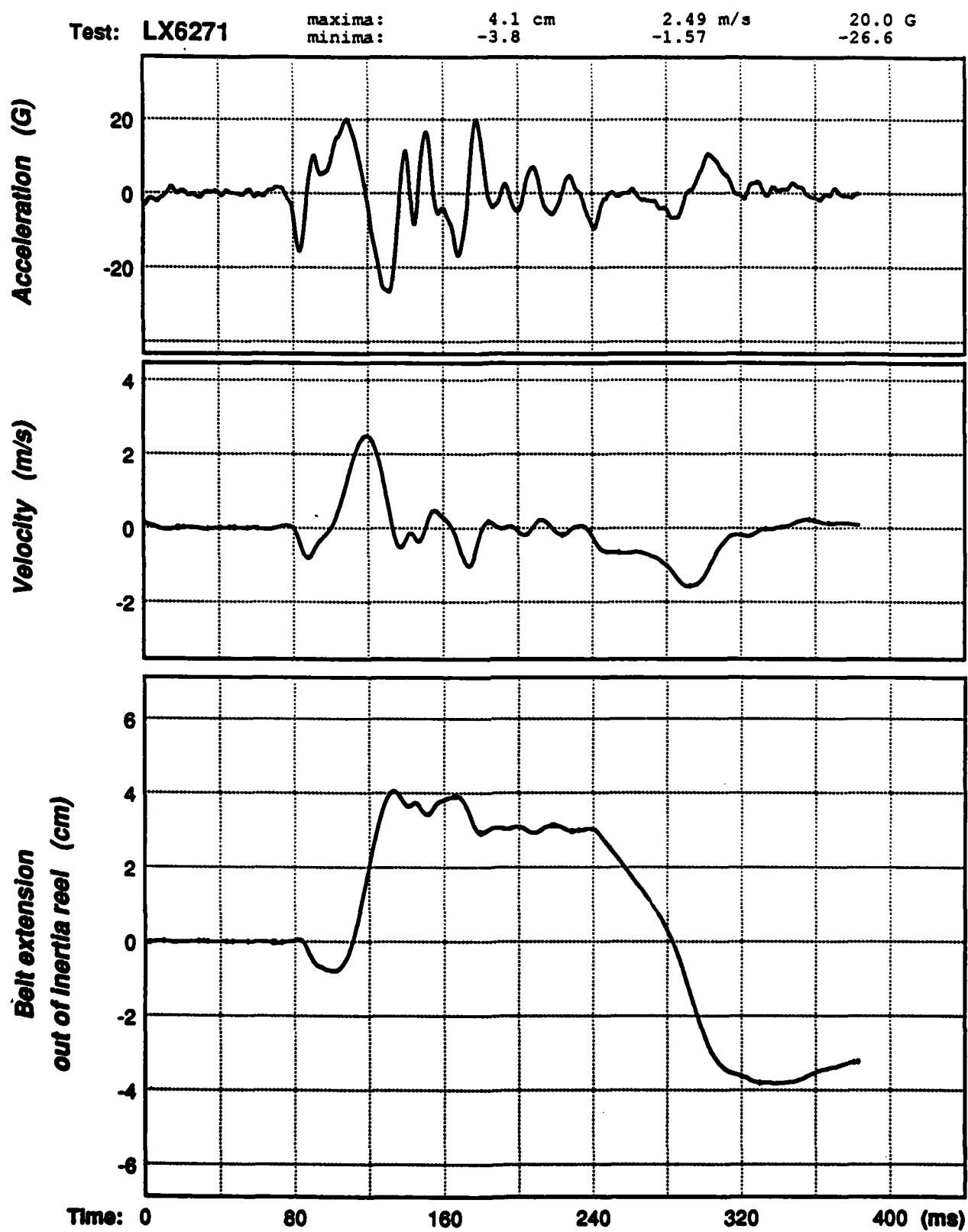


Figure C-43. Amount of belt extension and the velocity and acceleration of extension for test LX6271.

Test: LX6272

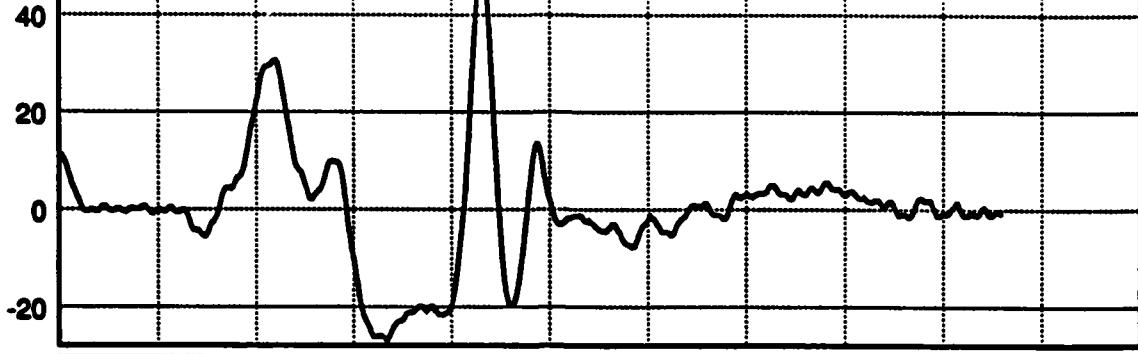
maxima:  
minima:

24.8 cm  
-.7

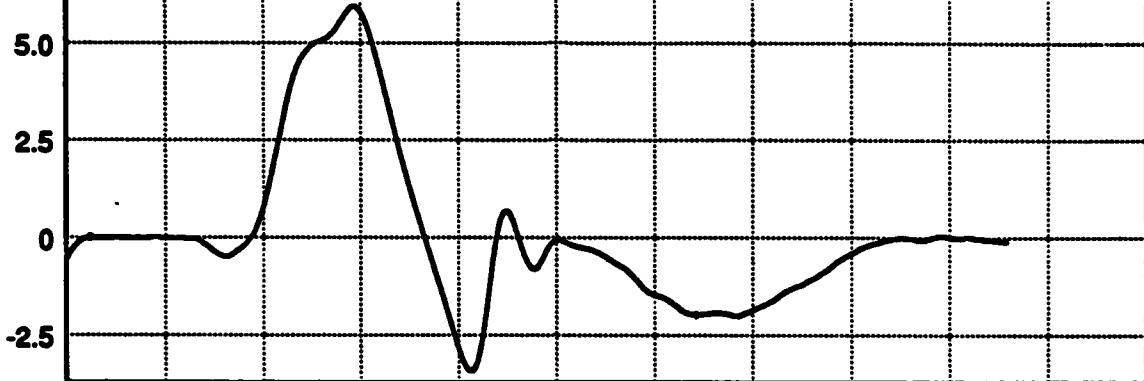
5.96 m/s  
-3.41

51.0 G  
-27.0

Acceleration (G)



Velocity (m/s)



Belt extension  
out of inertia reel (cm)

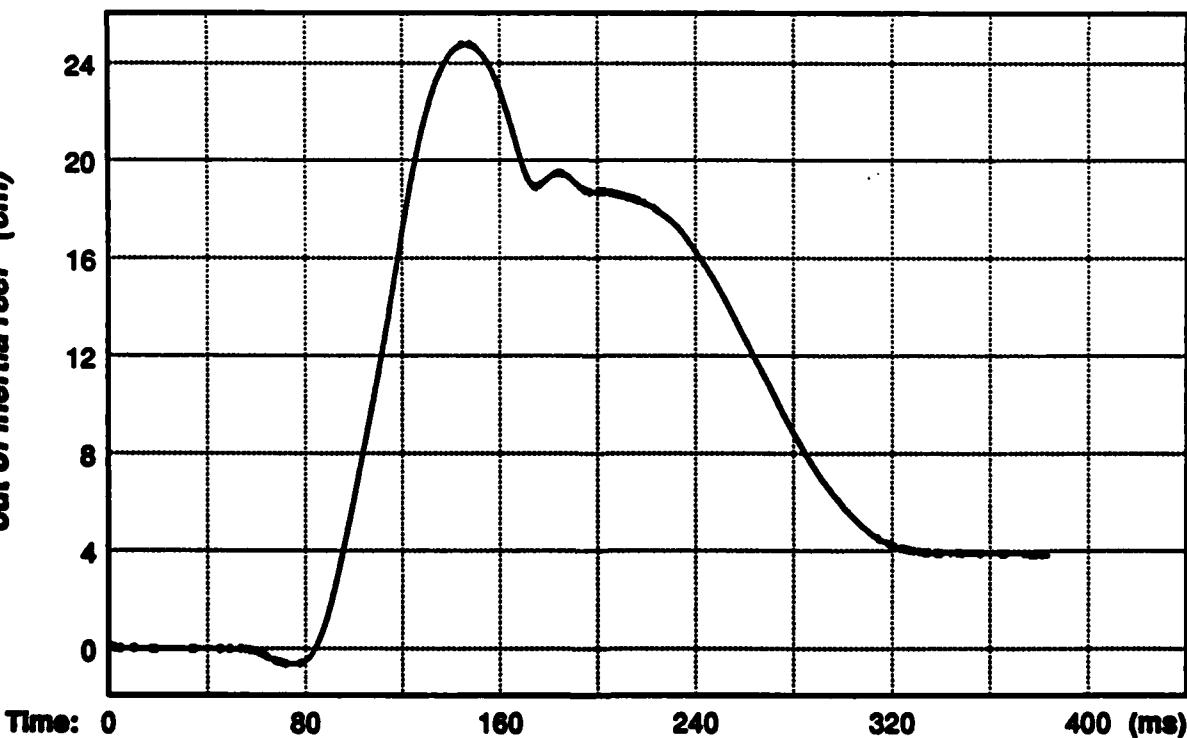
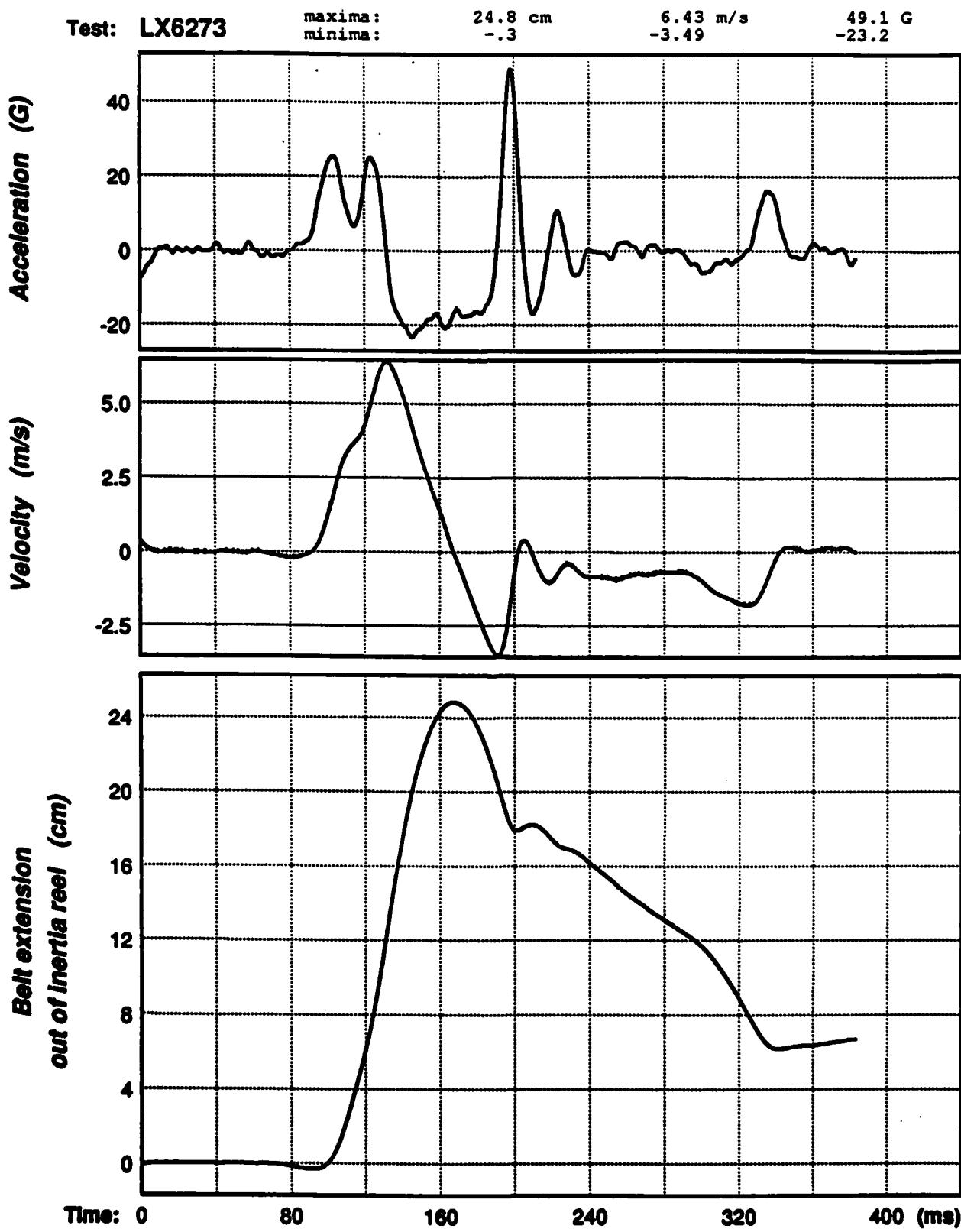


Figure C-44. Amount of belt extension and the velocity and acceleration of extension for test LX6272.



**Figure C-45.** Amount of belt extension and the velocity and acceleration of extension for test LX6273.

Test: LX6278      maxima: 5.5 cm      1.02 m/s      10.6 G  
minima: -1.5      -1.68      -12.2

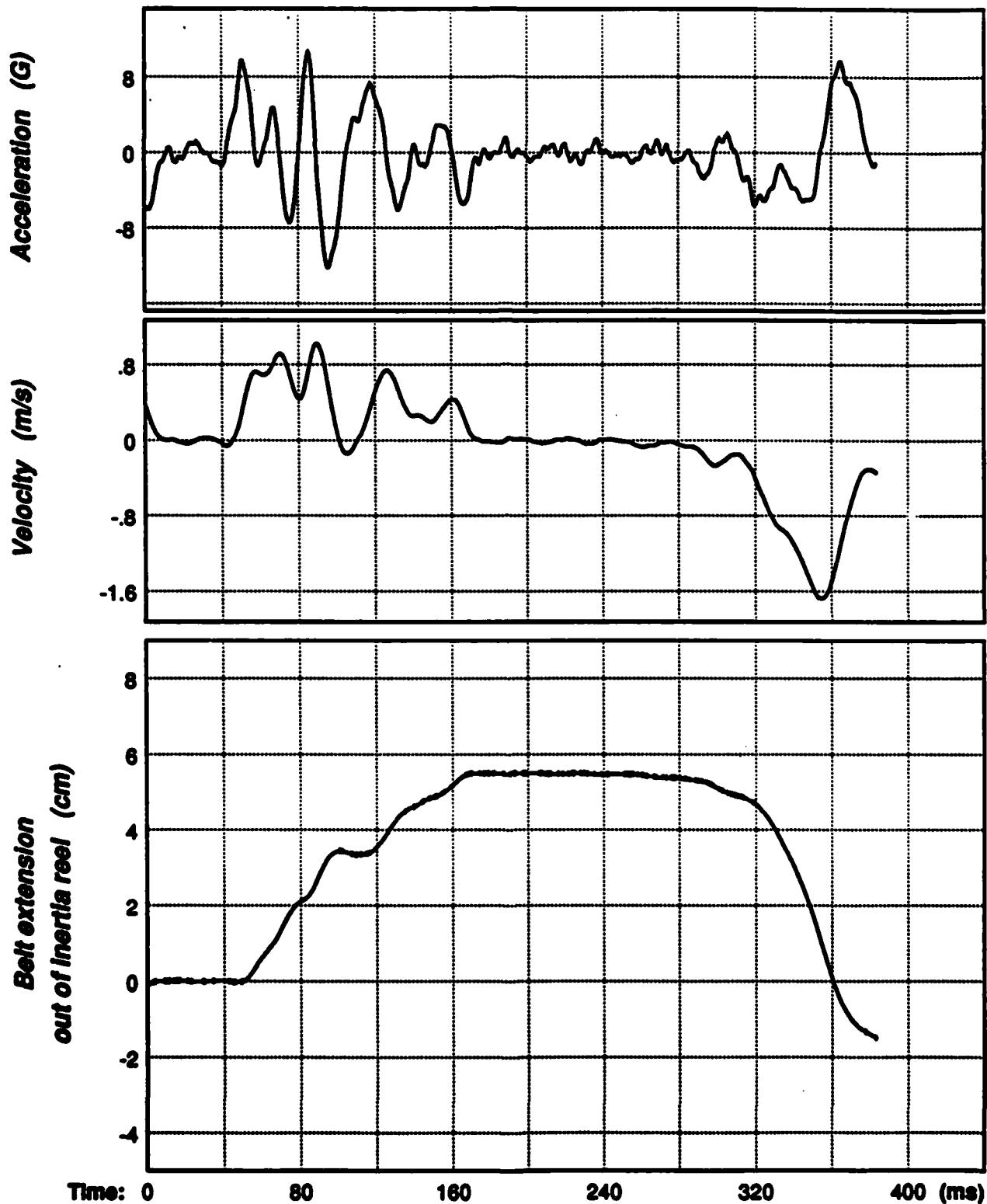


Figure C-46. Amount of belt extension and the velocity and acceleration of extension for test LX6278.

Test: LX6279

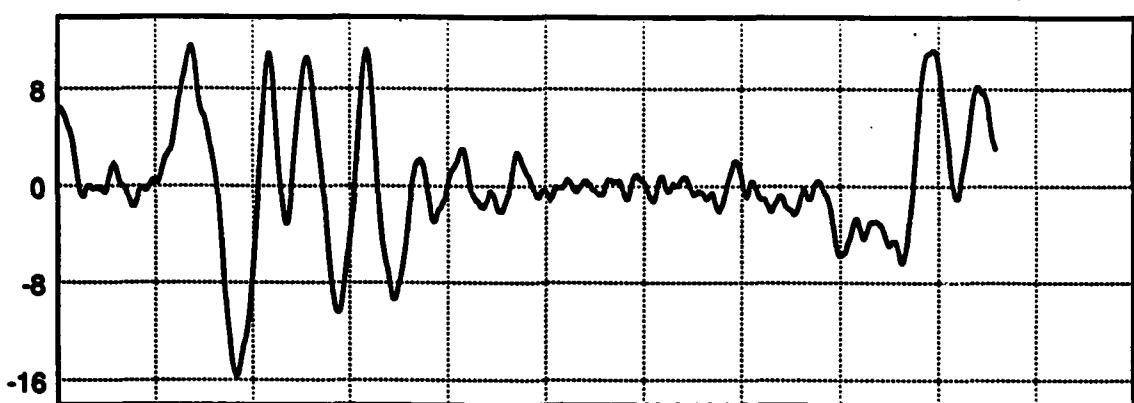
maxima:  
minima:

4.9 cm  
-1.6

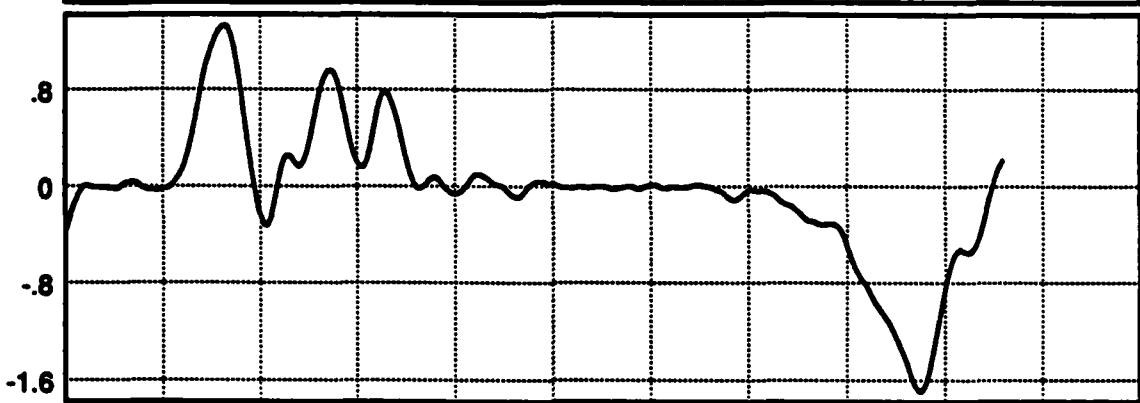
1.33 m/s  
-1.69

11.6 G  
-15.7

Acceleration (G)



Velocity (m/s)



Belt extension  
out of inertia reel (cm)

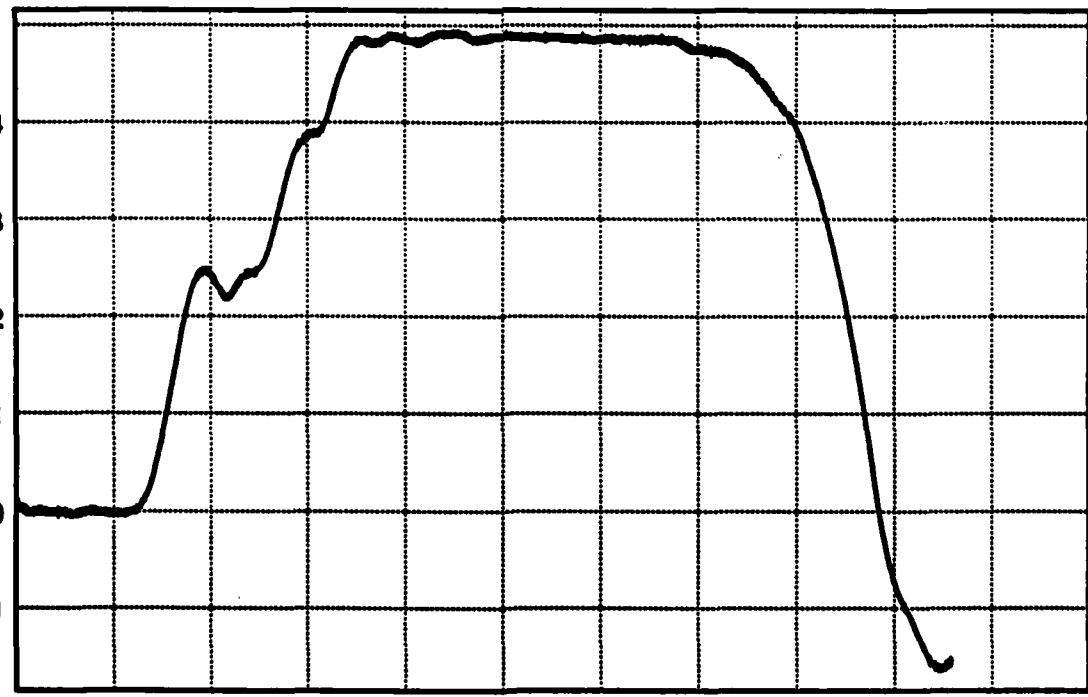


Figure C-47. Amount of belt extension and the velocity and acceleration of extension for test LX6279.

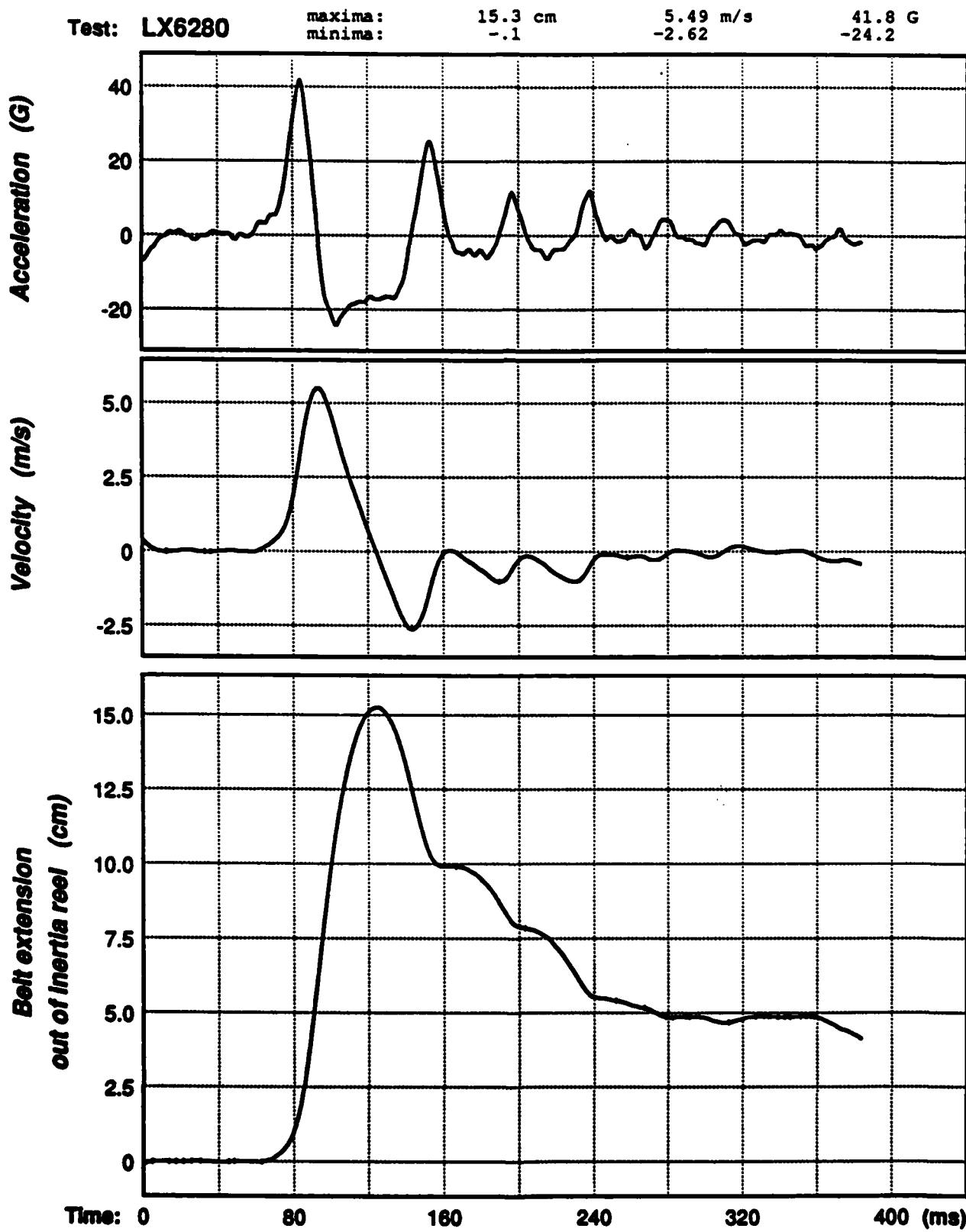


Figure C-48. Amount of belt extension and the velocity and acceleration of extension for test LX6280.

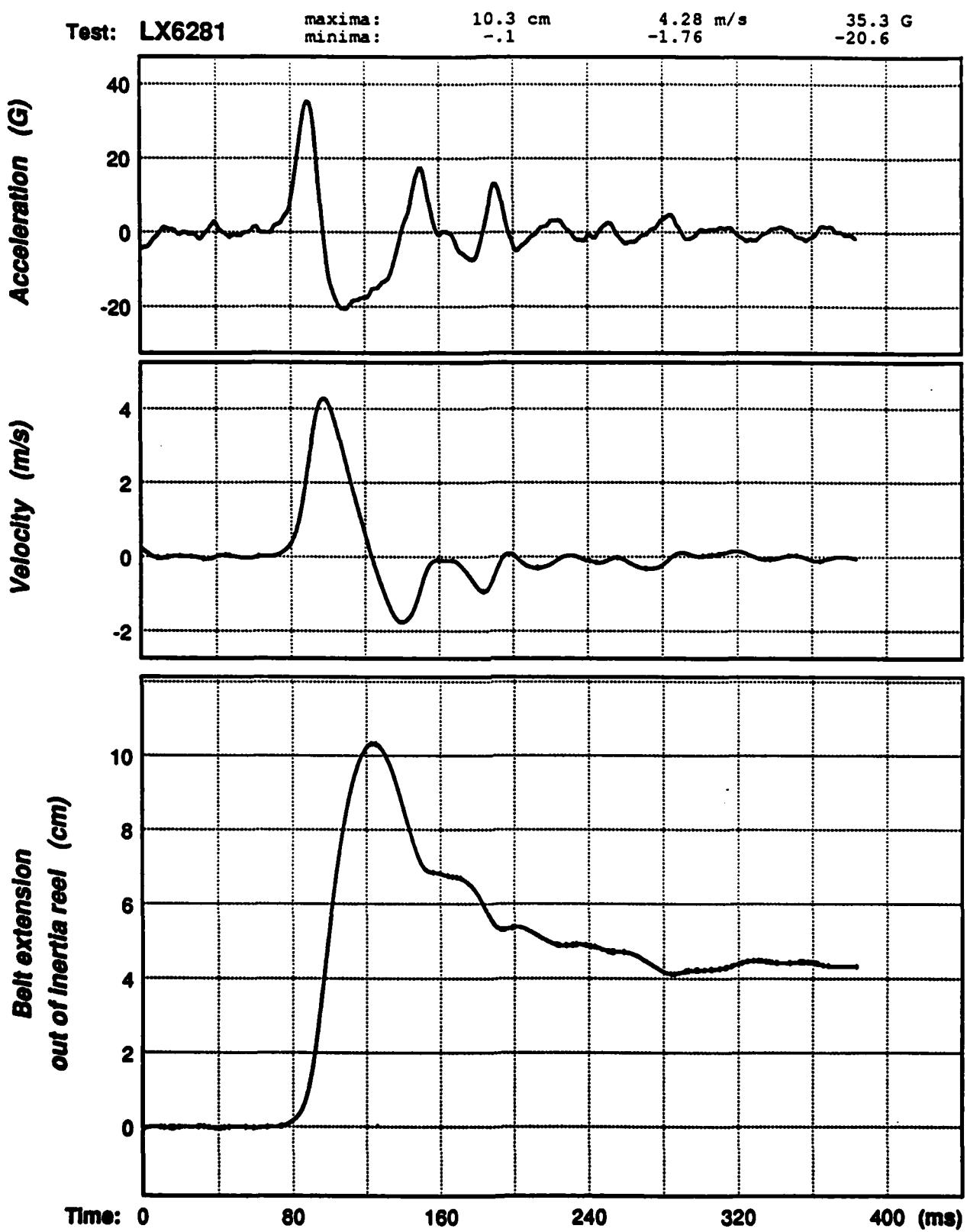


Figure C-49. Amount of belt extension and the velocity and acceleration of extension for test LX6281.

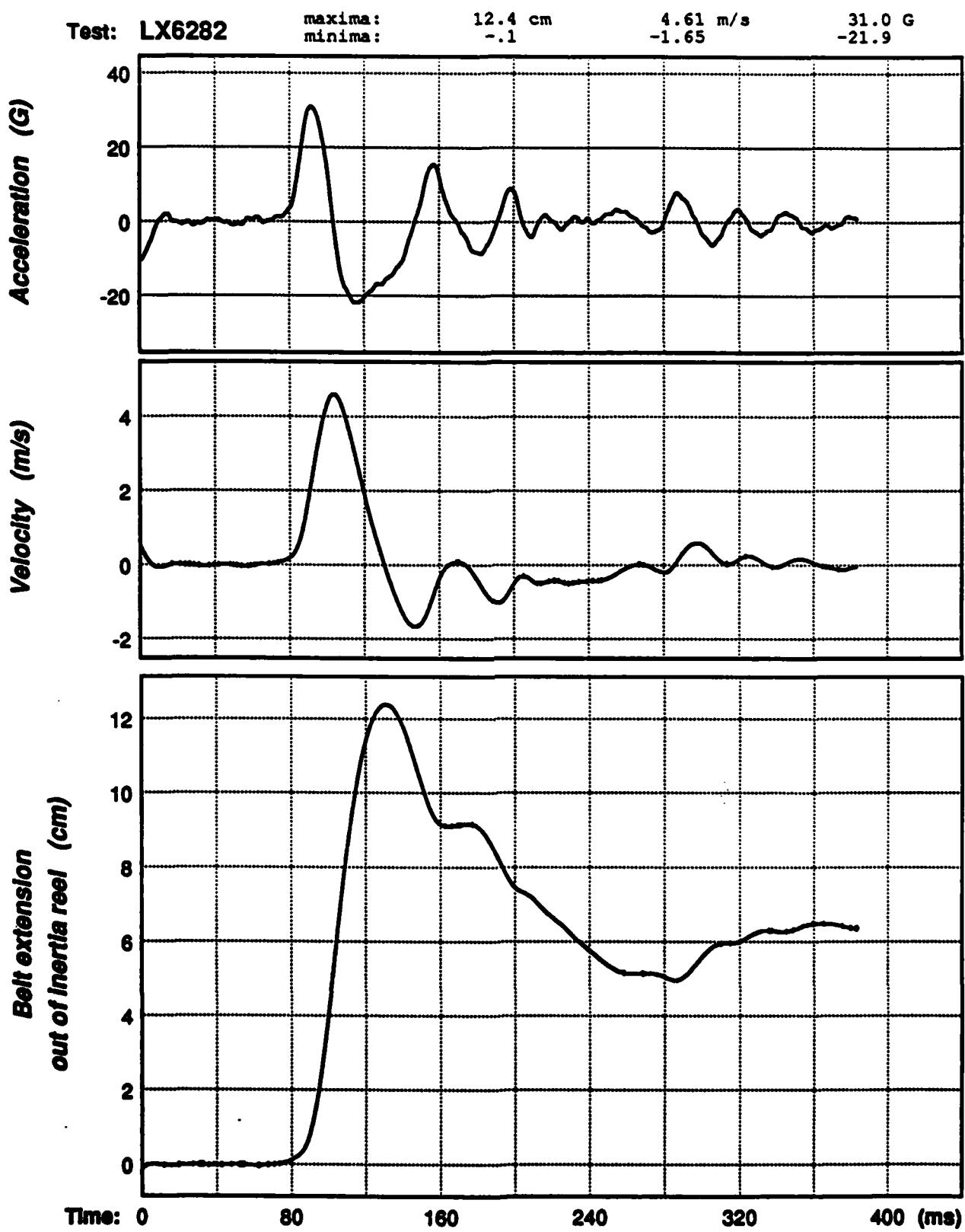


Figure C-50. Amount of belt extension and the velocity and acceleration of extension for test LX6282.

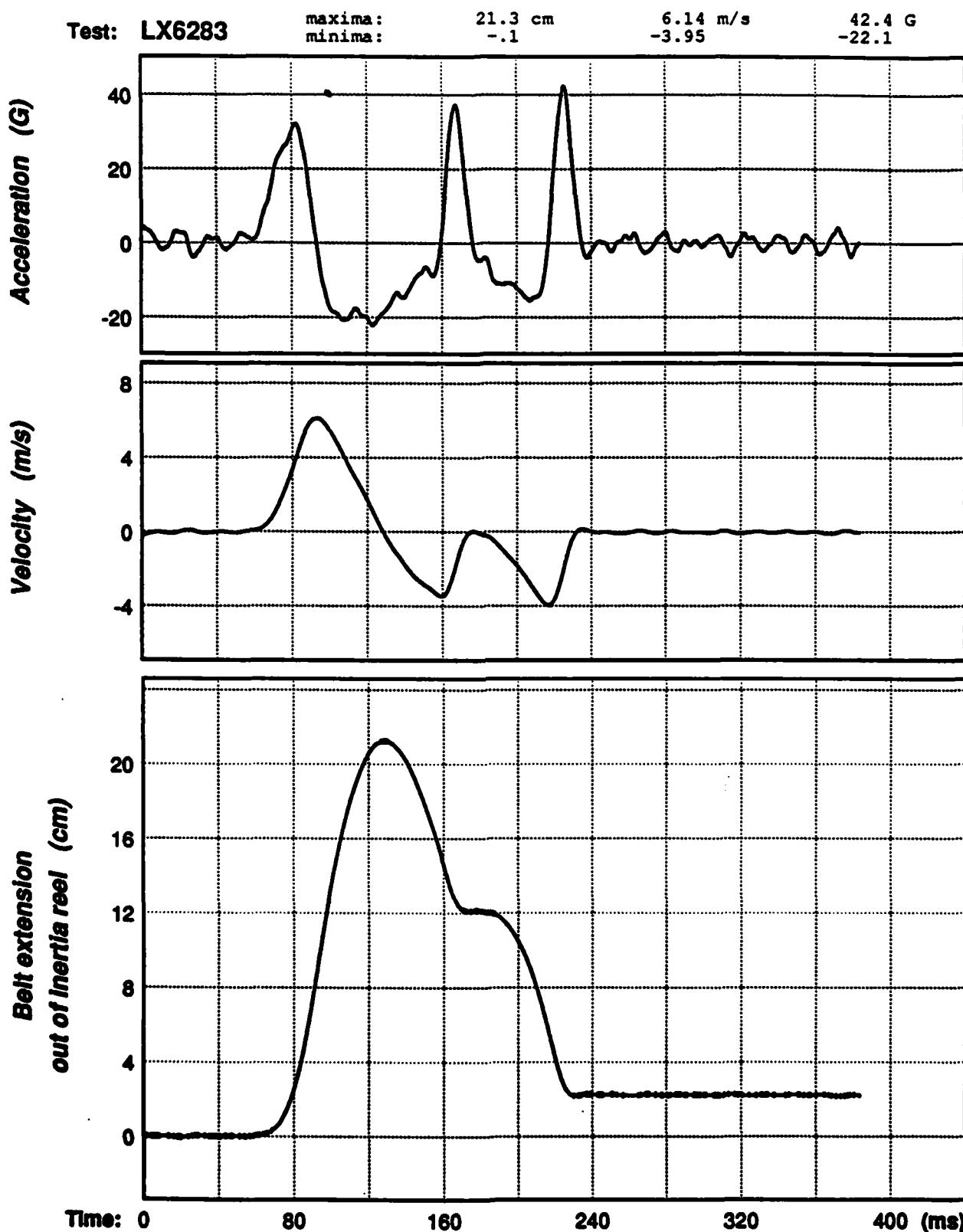


Figure C-51. Amount of belt extension and the velocity and acceleration of extension for test LX6283.