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SYMBOLS, TERMINOLOGY, CONVENTIONS

Beginning with data reported for January 1952, the symbols, terminology, and conventions for the determination of median values used in this report (CRPL-F series) conform as far as practicable to those adopted at the Sixth Meeting of the International Radio Consultative Committee (C.C.I.R.) in Geneva, 1951. Excerpts concerning symbols and terminology from Document No. 626-E of this Meeting are given on pages 2-7 of the report CRPL-F89, "Ionospheric Data," issued January 1952. Reprints of these pages are available upon request.

Beginning with data for January 1945, median values are published wherever possible. Where averages are reported, they are, at any hour, the average for all the days during the month for which numerical data exist..

The following conventions are used in determining the medians for hours when no measured values are given because of equipment limitations, and ionospheric irregularities. Symbols used are those given in Document No. 626-E referred to above.

a. For all ionospheric characteristics:

Values missing because of A, C, F, L, M, N, Q, S, or T are omitted from the median count.

b. For critical frequencies and virtual heights:

Values of f_{oF2} (and f_{oE} near sunrise and sunset) missing because of E are counted as equal to or less than the lower limit of the recorder. Values of $h'F2$ (and $h'E$ near sunrise and sunset) missing for this reason are counted as equal to or greater than the median. Other characteristics missing because of E are omitted from the median count.

Values missing because of D are counted as equal to or greater than the upper limit of the recorder.

Values missing because of G are counted:

1. For f_{oF2} , as equal to or less than f_{oFl} .
2. For $h'F2$, as equal to or greater than the median.

The symbol W is included in the median count only when it replaces a height characteristic. This practice represents a change from that listed in issues previous to CRPL-F78.

Values missing for any other reason are omitted from the median count.

c. For MUF factor (M-factors):

Values missing because of G or W are counted as equal to or less than the median.

Values missing for any other reason are omitted from the median count.

d. For sporadic E (Es):

Values of fEs missing because of E or G (and B when applied to the daytime E region only) are counted as equal to or less than the median foE, or equal to or less than the lower frequency limit of the recorder.

Values of fEs missing for any other reason, and values of h'Es missing for any reason at all are omitted from the median count.

Beginning with data for November 1945, doubtful monthly median values for ionospheric observations at Washington, D. C., are indicated by parentheses, in accordance with the practice already in use for doubtful hourly values. The following are the conventions used to determine whether or not a median value is doubtful:

1. If only four values or less are available, the data are considered insufficient and no median value is computed.

2. For the F2 layer, if only five to nine values are available, the median is considered doubtful. The E and F1 layers are so regular in their characteristics that, as long as there are at least five values, the median is not considered doubtful.

3. For all layers, if more than half of the values used to compute the median are doubtful (either doubtful or interpolated), the median is considered doubtful.

The same conventions are used by the CRPL in computing the medians from tabulations of daily and hourly data for stations other than Washington, beginning with the tables in LRPL-F18.

The tables and graphs of ionospheric data are correct for the values reported to the CRPL, but, because of variations in practice in the interpretation of records and scaling and manner of reporting of values, may at times give an erroneous conception of typical ionospheric characteristics at the station. Some of the errors are due to:

- a. Differences in scaling records when spread echoes are present.
- b. Omission of values when f_{oF2} is less than or equal to f_{oFl} , leading to erroneously high values of monthly averages or median values.
- c. Omission of values when critical frequencies are less than the lower frequency limit of the recorder, also leading to erroneously high values of monthly average or median values.

These effects were discussed on pages 6 and 7 of the previous F-series report IRPL-F5.

Ordinarily, a blank space in the f_{Es} column of a table is the result of the fact that a majority of the readings for the month are below the lower limit of the recorder or less than the corresponding values of f_{oE} . Blank spaces at the beginning and end of columns of $h'F1$, f_{oFl} , $h'E$, and f_{oE} are usually the result of diurnal variation in these characteristics. Complete absence of medians of $h'F1$ and f_{oFl} is usually the result of seasonal effects.

The dashed-line prediction curves of the graphs of ionospheric data are obtained from the predicted zero-muf contour charts of the CRPL-D series publications. The following points are worthy of note:

- a. Predictions for individual stations used to construct the charts may be more accurate than the values read from the charts since some smoothing of the contours is necessary to allow for the longitude effect within a zone. Thus, inasmuch as the predicted contours are for the center of each zone, part of the discrepancy between the predicted and observed values as given in the F series may be caused by the fact that the station is not centrally located within the zone.
- b. The final presentation of the predictions is dependent upon the latest available ionospheric and radio propagation data, as well as upon predicted sunspot number.

c. There is no indication on the graphs of the relative reliability of the data; it is necessary to consult the tables for such information.

The following predicted smoothed 12-month running-average Zürich sunspot numbers were used in constructing the contour charts:

Month	Predicted Sunspot Number							
	1952	1951	1950	1949	1948	1947	1946	1945
December	33	53	86	108	114	126	85	38
November	38	52	87	112	115	124	83	36
October	43	52	90	114	116	119	81	23
September	46	54	91	115	117	121	79	22
August	49	57	96	111	123	122	77	20
July	51	60	101	108	125	116	73	
June	52	63	103	108	129	112	67	
May	52	68	102	108	130	109	67	
April	52	74	101	109	133	107	62	
March	52	78	103	111	133	105	51	
February	51	82	103	113	133	90	46	
January	53	85	105	112	130	88	42	

WORLD-WIDE SOURCES OF IONOSPHERIC DATA

The ionospheric data given here in tables 1 to 72 and figures 1 to 144 were assembled by the Central Radio Propagation Laboratory for analysis and correlation, incidental to CRPL prediction of radio propagation conditions. The data are median values unless otherwise indicated. The following are the sources of the data in this issue:

Commonwealth of Australia, Ionospheric Prediction Service of the Commonwealth Observatory:

Brisbane, Australia
 Canberra, Australia
 Hobart, Tasmania
 Townsville, Australia

Australian Department of Supply and Shipping, Bureau of Mineral Resources, Geology and Geophysics:
 Watheroo, Western Australia

University of Graz:
 Graz, Austria

Defence Research Board, Canada:
Churchill, Canada
Fort Chimo, Canada
Ottawa, Canada
Prince Rupert, Canada
Resolute Bay, Canada
St. John's, Newfoundland
Winnipeg, Canada

Radio Wave Research Laboratories, National Taiwan University, Taipah, Formosa,
China:
Formosa, China

National Laboratory of Radio-Electricity (French Ionospheric Bureau):
Terre Adelie

The Royal Netherlands Meteorological Institute:
De Bilt, Holland

Icelandic Post and Telegraph Administration:
Reykjavik, Iceland

All India Radio (Government of India), New Delhi, India:
Bombay, India
Delhi, India
Madras, India
Tiruchi (Tiruchirapalli), India

Ministry of Postal Services, Radio Research Laboratories, Tokyo, Japan:
Akita, Japan
Tokyo (Kokubunji), Japan
Wakkanai, Japan
Yamagawa, Japan

Christchurch Geophysical Observatory, New Zealand Department of Scientific
and Industrial Research:
Christchurch, New Zealand
Barotonga, Cook Is.

Norwegian Defence Research Establishment, Kjeller per Lillestrom, Norway:
Oslo, Norway
Tromso, Norway

South African Council for Scientific and Industrial Research:
Nairobi, Kenya (East African Meteorological Department)

Research Laboratory of Electronics, Chalmers University of Technology,
Gothenburg, Sweden:
Kiruna, Sweden

Research Institute of National Defence, Stockholm, Sweden:
Upsala, Sweden

Post, Telephone and Telegraph Administration, Berne, Switzerland:
Schwarzenburg, Switzerland

United States Army Signal Corps:

Adak, Alaska
Okinawa I.
White Sands, New Mexico

National Bureau of Standards (Central Radio Propagation Laboratory):

Baton Rouge, Louisiana (Louisiana State University)

Fairbanks, Alaska

Guam I.

Huancayo, Peru (Instituto Geofisico de Huancayo)

Maui, Hawaii

Narsarssuak, Greenland

Panama Canal Zone

Point Barrow, Alaska

Puerto Rico, W. I.

San Francisco, California (Stanford University)

Washington, D. C.

HOURLY IONOSPHERIC DATA AT WASHINGTON, D. C.

The data given in tables 73 to 84 follow the scaling practices given in the report IRPL-C61, "Report of International Radio Propagation Conference," pages 36 to 39, and the median values are determined by the conventions given above under "Symbols, Terminology, Conventions." Beginning with September 1949, the data are taken at Ft. Belvoir, Virginia.

IONOSPHERIC STORMINESS AT WASHINGTON, D.C.

Table 85 presents ionosphere character figures for Washington, D. C., during December 1952, as determined by the criteria given in the report IRPL-R5, "Criteria for Ionospheric Storminess," together with Cheltenham, Maryland, geomagnetic K-figures, which are usually covariant with them.

RADIO PROPAGATION QUALITY FIGURES

Tables 86a and 86b give for November 1952 the radio propagation quality figures for the North Atlantic area, CRPL advance and short-term forecasts, a summary geomagnetic activity index and sundry comparisons, specifically as follows:

- (a) radio propagation quality figures, separately for 00-12 and 12-24 hours UT (Universal Time or GCT). The basis of calculation is summarized below.
- (b) whole-day radio quality indices (beginning October 1952). Each index is a weighted average of the two half-daily Q-figures, before rounding off, with half weight given to quality grades 5 and 6. This procedure tends to give whole-day indices suitable for comparison with whole-day advance forecasts which designate whenever possible the days when significant disturbance or unusually quiet conditions will occur.
- (c) short-term forecasts, issued by CRPL every six hours (nominally one hour before 00^h, 06^h, 12^h, 18^h UT) and applicable to the period 1 to 13 (especially 1 to 7) hours ahead. The forecasts issued just prior to 00^h and 12^h UT are scored against the half-daily quality figures; the results for the intervening forecasts should be similar. Note that new scoring rules have been adopted beginning with October 1952 data.
- (d) advance forecasts, issued semiweekly (CRPL-J reports) and applicable 1 to 3 or 4 days ahead, 4 or 5 to 7 days ahead, and 8 to 25 days ahead. These forecasts are scored against the whole-day quality indices.
- (e) half-day averages of the geomagnetic K indices measured by the Cheltenham Magnetic Observatory of the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey.
- (f) illustration of the comparison of short term forecasts and Q-figures.
- (g) illustration of the outcome of advance forecasts (1 to 3 or 4 days ahead) and for comparison the outcome of a type of "blind" forecast. For the latter the frequency for each quality grade, as determined from the distribution of quality grades in the four most recent months of the current season, is partitioned among the grades observed in the current month in proportion to the frequencies observed in the current month.

The radio propagation quality figures are prepared from radio traffic data reported to CRPL by American Telephone and Telegraph Company, Mackay Radio and Telegraph Company, RCA Communications, Inc., Marconi Company, British Admiralty Signal and Radar Establishment, and the following agencies of the U. S. government: -- FCC, Coast Guard, Navy, Army Signal Corps, Air Force (AAC), State Department. The method of calculation, summarized below, is similar to that described in a 1946 report, IRPL-R31, now out of print. Beginning with recalculated figures for January 1952, only reports of radio transmission on North Atlantic paths closely approximating New York-London are included in the estimation of quality. Observations of selected ionospheric characteristics, even though strongly correlated with radio transmission quality, and traffic reports for paths such as New York-Stockholm or New York-Tangier, previously included in the quality-figure determination with low weight, have been left out of the present calculations inasmuch as a sufficient number of homogeneous reports are now available.

The original reports are submitted on various scales and for various time intervals. The observations for each Greenwich half day are averaged on the quality scale of the original reports. These half-day indices are then adjusted to the 1 to 9 quality-figure scale by a conversion table prepared by

comparing the distribution of these indices for at least four months, usually a year, with a master distribution determined from analysis of the reports originally made on the 1 to 9 quality-figure scale. A report whose distribution is the same as the master is thereby converted linearly to the Q-figure scale. Each report is given a statistical weight which is the reciprocal of the departure from linearity. Each half-daily radio propagation quality figure, beginning January 1948, is the weighted mean of the reports received for that period.

These quality figures are, in effect, a consensus of reported radio propagation conditions in the North Atlantic area. The reasons for low quality are not necessarily known and may not be limited to ionospheric storminess. For instance, low quality may result from improper frequency usage for the path and time of day. Although, wherever it is reported, frequency usage is included in the rating of reports, it must often be an assumption that the reports refer to optimum working frequencies. It is more difficult to eliminate from the indices conditions of low quality because of multipath, interference, etc. These considerations should be taken into account in interpreting research correlations between the Q-figures and solar, auroral, geomagnetic or similar indices.

Note. The North Pacific quality figures, which were published through October 1951, have been temporarily discontinued. Since the establishment of the North Pacific Radio Warning Service at Anchorage, Alaska, a larger number of reports are being received than were previously available in Washington. The preparation of the quality figures will be resumed when sufficient data have been accumulated for determination of conversion tables for these new reports.

OBSERVATIONS OF THE SOLAR CORONA

Tables 87 through 89 give the observations of the solar corona during December 1952, obtained at Climax, Colorado, by the High Altitude Observatory of Harvard University and the University of Colorado. Tables 90 through 92 list the coronal observations obtained at Sacramento Peak, New Mexico, during December 1952, derived by the High Altitude Observatory from spectrograms taken by Harvard University as a part of its performance of an Air Materiel Command Research and Development Contract administered by the Air Force Cambridge Research Laboratories. The data are listed separately for east and west limbs at 5-degree intervals of position angle north and south of the Solar Equator at the limb. The time of observation is given to the nearest tenth of a day, GCT.

Table 87 gives the intensities of the green (5303A) line of the emission spectrum of the solar corona; table 88 gives similarly the intensities of the first red (6374A) coronal line; and table 89, the intensities of the second red (6702A) coronal line; all observed at Climax in December 1952.

Table 90 gives the intensities of the green (5303A) coronal line; table 91, the intensities of the first red (6374A) coronal line; and table 92, the intensities of the second red (6702A) coronal line; all observed at Sacramento Peak in December 1952.

Tables 93 and 94 give details of the Climax, Colorado, and Sacramento Peak, New Mexico, observations, respectively, from July 1952 through December 1952. The first column lists the Greenwich date of observation; the following columns give the threshold or lowest observable intensity of 5303A for each spectrum plate centered at the astronomical position angle indicated; the last two columns indicate the observer and the person responsible for the intensity estimates of the observation. These tables continue the presentation of coronal data in the manner of table 1 of CRPL-1-4 and appear in the F series regularly at intervals of six months.

RELATIVE SUNSPOT NUMBERS

Table 95 lists the daily provisional Zurich relative sunspot number, R_Z , as communicated by the Swiss Federal Observatory. Table 96 continues the new series of American relative sunspot numbers, R_A . Beginning with 1951, the observations collected by the Solar Division, AAVSO, have been reduced according to a new procedure, such that only high quality observations of experienced observers are combined into R_A . Observatory coefficients for each of the 28 selected observers were recomputed on data for 1948-1950, years when there was a wide range of solar activity. Otherwise, the procedure is that outlined in Publication of the Astronomical Society of the Pacific, 61, 13, 1949. The scale of the American numbers in 1951 differs from that of the reports for earlier years because of these changes, and the new series is designated R_A rather than R_A' . The American relative sunspot numbers appear monthly in these pages as communicated by the Solar Division.

OBSERVATIONS OF SOLAR FLARES

Table 97 gives the preliminary record of solar flares reported to the CRPL. These reports are communicated on a rapid schedule at the sacrifice of detailed accuracy. Definitive and complete records are published later in the Quarterly Bulletin of Solar Activity, I.A.U., in various observatory publications, and elsewhere. The present listing serves to identify and roughly describe the phenomena observed. Details should be sought from the reporting observatory.

Reporting directly to the CRPL are the following observatories: Mt. Wilson, McMath-Hulbert, U. S. Naval, Wendelstein, Kanzel and High Altitude at Sacramento Peak, New Mexico. The remainder report to Meudon (Paris), and the data are taken from the Paris-URSIgram broadcast, monitored fairly regularly by the CRPL. The data on solar flares reported from Sacramento Peak, New Mexico, communicated by the High Altitude Observatory at Boulder, Colorado, are provided by Harvard University as the result of work undertaken on an Air Materiel Command Research and Development Contract administered by the Air Force Cambridge Research Laboratories.

The table lists for each flare the reporting observatory, date, times of beginning and ending of observation, duration (when known), total area (corrected for foreshortening), and heliographic coordinates. For the maximum phase of the flare is given the time, intensity, area relative to the total area, and the importance. The column "SID observed" is to indicate when a sudden ionosphere disturbance, noted elsewhere in these reports, occurred at the time of a flare. Times are in Universal Time (GCT).

INDICES OF GEOMAGNETIC ACTIVITY

Table 98 lists various indices of geomagnetic activity based on data from magnetic observatories widely distributed throughout the world. The indices are: (1) preliminary international character-figures, C; (2) geomagnetic planetary three-hour-range indices, K_p; (3) magnetically selected quiet and disturbed days.

The C-figure is the arithmetic mean of the subjective classification by all observatories of each day's magnetic activity on a scale of 0 (quiet) to 2 (storm). The magnetically quiet and disturbed days are selected by the international scheme outlined on pages 219-227 in the December 1943 issue of Terrestrial Magnetism and Atmospheric Electricity. The details of the currently used method follow. For each day of a month, its geomagnetic activity is assigned by weighting equally the following four criteria: (1) C; (2) the sum of the eight K_p's; (3) the greatest K_p; and (4) the sums of the squares of the eight K_p's.

K_p is the mean standardized K-index from 11 observatories between geomagnetic latitudes 47 and 63 degrees. The scale is 0 (very quiet) to 9 (extremely disturbed), expressed in thirds of a unit, e.g. 5 is 4 2/3, 5o is 5 0/3, and 5+ is 5 1/3. This planetary index is designed to measure solar particle-radiation by its magnetic effects, specifically to meet the needs of research workers in the ionospheric field. A complete description of K_p has appeared in Bulletin 12b, "Geomagnetic Indices C and K, 1948," published in Washington, D. C., 1949, by the Association of Terrestrial Magnetism and Electricity, International Union of Geodesy and Geophysics. Tables of K_p for 1945-48 are in Bulletin 12b; for 1940-44

and 1949, in these CRPL-F reports, F65-67; for 1950, monthly in F68 and following issues. Current tables are also published quarterly in the Journal of Geophysical Research along with data on sudden commencements (sc) and solar flare effects (sfe).

The Committee on Characterization of Magnetic Disturbance, ATME, IUGG, has kindly supplied this table. The Meteorological Office, De Bilt, Holland, collects the data and compiles C and selected days. The Chairman of the Committee computes the planetary index. At the meeting of ATME held in Brussels in August 1951, it was decided that the computation of Kw would be discontinued after the month of December 1951 since Kp is available from January 1, 1940. Kw, therefore, no longer appears in these reports.

SUDDEN IONOSPHERE DISTURBANCES

Table 99 shows that no sudden ionosphere disturbances were observed during the month of December 1952 at Washington, D. C. Table 100 lists the sudden ionosphere disturbances observed at Platanos, Argentina, November 1952.

ERRATUM

Virtual heights and factors for Narsarssuak, Greenland, for the period June 18, 1951 through November 27, 1952, as published in CRPL-F85 through F101, are in error and should be disregarded. The virtual heights are approximately 15% too high.

TABLES OF IONOSPHERIC DATA

Table 1

Time	December 1952					
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE
00	(280)	2.4			2.5	3.0
01	(280)	2.6			2.1	3.0
02	270	2.9				3.0
03	260	2.9			1.9	3.1
04	250	3.2			2.5	3.1
05	240	2.9			2.4	3.1
06	(240)	2.7			2.5	3.2
07	250	3.0			3.2	3.2
08	220	5.0	--	--	120	1.9
09	230	5.8	220	--	120	2.3
10	240	6.2	200	3.6	120	2.5
11	250	6.8	210	3.8	110	2.7
12	250	7.3	210	3.8	110	2.8
13	250	7.0	220	--	110	2.8
14	250	6.6	220	--	110	2.6
15	240	6.6	220	--	120	2.3
16	230	6.6	--	(120)	1.8	2.3
17	210	5.4				3.1
18	230	4.2				3.2
19	240	3.5				3.2
20	250	2.7				3.2
21	(260)	2.4				3.0
22	(280)	2.4				3.0
23	(280)	2.4				3.0

Time: 75.0°W.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 15 seconds.

Table 2

Time	November 1952					
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE
00	(270)	(3.0)				4.1
01	(260)	(2.8)				6.6
02	--	(2.6)				6.6
03	(280)	(2.3)				--
04	--	(2.4)				4.2
05	--	--				3.7
06	--	--				4.0
07	--	--				4.6
08	(320)	(3.0)				4.5
09	(290)	(3.2)				4.4
10	280	3.1				3.0
11	260	3.8				3.1
12	240	4.2				2.7
13	250	4.5				3.2
14	250	4.7				3.2
15	250	4.5				3.2
16	250	3.6				3.1
17	260	2.9				3.0
18	250	2.2				2.8
19	(310)	(2.1)				3.5
20	--	(3.0)				3.8
21	(280)	(2.6)				3.0
22	(280)	(3.1)				4.2
23	.	--				5.1

Time: 150.0°W.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 15 seconds.

Table 3

Time	November 1952					
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE
00	(320)	(2.8)			4.0	--
01	(300)	(2.6)			4.3	(2.9)
02	(325)	(2.9)			3.6	(2.9)
03	(295)	(2.8)			3.1	(2.9)
04	300	2.7			3.0	3.0
05	280	2.6			3.0	3.0
06	270	1.9			2.6	3.1
07	265	2.0			2.5	3.1
08	255	2.8			2.7	3.2
09	245	3.8			2.3	3.4
10	230	4.5			1.5	1.8
11	225	5.0	--	--	1.6	1.5
12	225	5.2	--	--	(150)	1.6
13	225	4.3			155	1.5
14	225	4.1			--	1.3
15	230	3.8			--	1.0
16	250	3.3			--	2.8
17	250	2.7			--	2.7
18	(275)	(2.5)			--	3.2
19	(300)	(2.4)			--	3.7
20	(300)	(2.4)			--	3.6
21	(320)	(2.3)			--	3.6
22	--	--			--	3.0
23	--	--			--	3.0

Time: 150.0°E.

Sweep: 0.6 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 5 minutes, automatic operation.

Table 5

Time	November 1952					
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE
00	(370)	(3.4)			6.4	(2.6)
01	(340)	(3.2)			4.6	(2.5)
02	(370)	(3.2)			5.3	(2.4)
03	(340)	(3.4)			4.5	(2.5)
04	(390)	(2.8)			4.0	(2.6)
05	(370)	(2.8)			4.0	(2.6)
06	(370)	(2.2)			4.0	(2.7)
07	360	2.2			3.5	2.7
08	320	3.6	--	--	2.6	2.9
09	300	4.5	--	--	--	3.0
10	310	5.1	(280)	--	--	3.0
11	300	5.4	280	--	--	3.0
12	320	(5.4)	300	--	--	2.9
13	310	5.4	300	--	--	3.0
14	300	5.2	--	--	--	2.9
15	310	(4.8)	--	--	2.2	(2.8)
16	320	(4.1)	--	--	3.4	(2.7)
17	(370)	(4.0)	--	--	4.0	(2.6)
18	(390)	(3.4)	--	--	4.0	(2.6)
19	(110)	(3.4)	--	--	4.1	(2.5)
20	(360)	(3.3)	--	--	4.8	(2.6)
21	(360)	(3.1)	--	--	4.6	(2.6)
22	(400)	(3.5)	--	--	6.8	(2.6)
23	(380)	(3.6)	--	--	5.1	--

Time: 45.0°W.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 30 seconds.

Table 6

Time	November 1952					
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE
00	(310)	1.8				2.9
01	--	--				--
02	--	(1.9)				2.8
03	--	(2.0)				2.1
04	(290)	(1.8)				2.2
05	320	1.6				2.9
06	300	1.5				3.0
07	280	1.8				2.5
08	230	3.4				3.1
09	220	4.6	230	--		1.8
10	220	5.4	220	--		1.9
11	220	5.6	220	--		2.1
12	220	6.0	220	--		3.0
13	220	6.1	220	--		3.0
14	220	5.5	230	--		2.1
15	220	5.4	--	--	1.8	3.0
16	220	4.7	--	--	--	2.1
17	220	4.0	--	--	--	1.6
18	240	3.4	--	--	--	3.4
19	250	2.7	--	--	--	3.2
20	260	2.1	--	--	--	3.2
21	--	1.9	--	--	--	(3.0)
22	--	(1.8)	--	--	--	(3.0)
23	--	(1.7)	--	--	--	(2.8)

Time: 15.0°E.

Sweep: 1.3 Mc to 14.0 Mc in 8 minutes, automatic operation.

Table 7

Time	November 1952					(M3000)F2
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	
00	350	1.8			2.6	(2.7)
01	350	1.9			2.4	2.7
02	350	1.7			2.1	2.7
03	330	1.8			2.2	2.8
04	310	1.8			2.3	(2.7)
05	350	1.6			2.9	---
06	350	1.5			2.1	---
07	255	2.2			2.9	
08	255	3.8			3.3	
09	255	5.1	215		2.5	3.4
10	230	5.6	220	(3.0)	1.9	2.2
11	230	5.8	225	(3.2)	1.0	2.3
12	230	6.1	225	(3.2)	120	2.1
13	230	6.4	225	(2.8)	125	2.0
14	225	5.3	---	---	1.9	2.2
15	215	5.0	---	---	1.9	3.3
16	220	4.4	---	---	1.9	3.3
17	230	3.6			3.1	
18	240	3.1			3.0	
19	250	2.5			2.9	
20	285	1.9			2.9	
21	290	1.9			(2.0)	
22	320	1.8			---	
23	350	1.8			(2.7)	

Time: 15.0°E.

Sweep: 1.4 Mc to 17.0 Mc in 6 minutes.

Table 9

Time	November 1952					(M3000)F2
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	
00	300	3.2				
01	290	3.4				
02	290	3.4				
03	290	3.3				
04	260	3.2				
05	250	2.8				
06	230	2.7				
07	210	4.2				
08	200	5.3				
09	200	6.0				
10	205	6.8	200	3.5		
11	225	7.2	200	3.7		
12	220	7.1	200	3.6		
13	220	6.6	200	3.8		
14	220	6.3				
15	200	6.3				
16	200	5.8				
17	220	4.3				
18	250	3.7				
19	250	3.5				
20	240	3.2				
21	275	3.2				
22	290	3.1				
23	300	3.3				

Time: 15.0°E.

Sweep: 2.5 Mc to 12.0 Mc in 2 minutes.

Table 8

Time	November 1952					(M3000)F2
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	
00	260	3.2				2.2
01	260	3.1				2.1
02	260	3.0				1.8
03	270	3.1				2.0
04	260	3.1				2.1
05	260	3.1				1.9
06	240	3.1				2.1
07	220	3.7				3.5
08	220	5.0	220		140	2.1
09	230	6.2	210		110	2.4
10	230	6.6	220		110	2.5
11	230	6.9	210	(3.4)	110	2.5
12	220	7.0	210		110	2.6
13	220	6.6	210		110	2.5
14	210	6.6	210		110	2.6
15	210	6.0	---	---	120	2.0
16	200	5.0	---	---	120	2.0
17	210	3.4				1.3
18	220	2.8				1.8
19	230	2.5				3.5
20	230	2.4				3.3
21	240	2.7				3.1
22	250	3.0				3.1
23	260	3.0				3.0

Time: 180.0°W.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 30 seconds.

Table 10

Time	November 1952					(M3000)F2
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	
00	260	(3.0)				2.9
01	(250)	(3.0)				3.5
02	(260)	(2.9)				2.6
03	(260)	(3.0)				2.7
04	250	(3.2)				2.3
05	(250)	(3.0)				2.5
06	(250)	(3.0)				2.4
07	220	(4.7)				2.9
08	220	(6.1)	210	---	120	2.3
09	230	6.8	200	(3.7)	120	2.6
10	240	7.0	200	(4.0)	120	2.9
11	240	7.4	200	(4.1)	120	3.0
12	240	7.8	210	(4.1)	110	3.0
13	240	7.3	210	(4.0)	110	2.6
14	250	7.3	220	(3.8)	110	2.8
15	230	6.8	220	---	120	2.5
16	220	6.4	---	---	120	2.4
17	210	5.2				3.1
18	210	3.7				3.0
19	220	3.0				3.5
20	(230)	(2.6)				3.6
21	240	2.6				3.6
22	(250)	(2.9)				3.8
23	240	(3.0)				3.4

Time: 120.0°W.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 15 seconds.

Table 12

Time	November 1952					(M3000)F2
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	
00	270	3.3				3.1
01	260	3.2				3.1
02	260	3.2				3.1
03	260	3.3				3.2
04	250	3.3				3.2
05	260	3.1				3.1
06	260	3.1				3.1
07	230	5.2	---	---	130	1.9
08	240	6.8	230	---	120	2.1
09	250	7.2	230	---	110	2.7
10	250	7.4	220	---	110	3.0
11	260	8.0	220	4.3	110	3.0
12	260	8.3	220	4.3	110	3.1
13	260	8.6	220	4.2	110	3.0
14	250	8.1	230	(4.0)	120	2.9
15	240	7.6	220	---	120	2.6
16	230	7.0	---	---	120	2.1
17	220	6.4				3.0
18	220	4.2				3.8
19	250	3.0				3.0
20	260	2.9				3.6
21	280	2.9				2.1
22	280	3.2				3.1
23	280	3.2				2.4

Time: 90.0°N.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 30 seconds.

Time	November 1952					(M3000)F2
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	
00	300	3.2				3.1
01	290	3.1				3.1
02	350	1.7				3.0
03	330	1.8				3.0
04	310	1.8				3.0
05	350	1.6				3.0
06	350	1.5				3.0
07	295	2.2				3.2
08	295	3.8				3.6
09	295	5.1	215			3.6
10	230	5.6	220	(3.0)		3.5
11	230	5.8	225	(3.2)	110	2.3
12	230	6.1	225	(3.2)	120	2.1
13	230	6.4	225	(2.8)	125	2.0
14	225	5.3	---	---	120	2.2
15	215	5.0	---	---	120	2.3
16	220	4.4	---	---	120	2.3
17	230	3.6	---	---	120	2.3
18	240	3.1	---	---	120	2.3
19	250	2.5	---	---	120	2.3
20	285	1.9	---	---	120	2.3
21	290	1.9	---	---	120	2.3
22	320	1.8	---	---	120	2.3
23	350	1.8	---	---	120	2.3

Time: 105.0°N.
Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 15 seconds.

Table 13							November 1952	
Time	b'F2	foF2	b'F1	foF1	b'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00	290	3.0			2.1	3.0		
01	280	3.2			2.3	3.0		
02	270	3.3			2.2	3.1		
03	260	3.2			2.0	3.2		
04	230	2.8			2.3	3.0		
05	260	2.3			2.3	3.2		
06	270	2.9			1.9	3.1		
07	230	5.8	230	---	1.30	1.9	3.3	3.0
08	250	6.8	230	---	1.20	2.4	3.5	3.5
09	260	8.0	230	---	1.20	2.8	4.2	3.4
10	270	8.5	230	---	1.20	3.0	4.6	3.3
11	280	9.2	220	(4.4)	1.20	3.1	5.3	3.2
12	270	9.2	220	(4.6)	1.20	3.2	4.9	3.2
13	270	11.0	230	(4.4)	1.20	3.1	5.0	3.2
14	260	11.4	240	(4.2)	1.20	3.0	5.0	3.3
15	240	10.2	240	---	1.20	2.6	4.6	3.5
16	230	8.6	240	---	1.20	4.1	3.6	
17	220	6.9				4.0	3.6	
18	220	5.6				4.2	3.6	
19	240	5.6				3.0	3.1	
20	250	4.8				3.0	3.1	
21	240	4.5				3.0	3.2	
22	250	3.6				2.3	3.0	
23	300	3.2				2.3	3.0	

Time: 127.5°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 15 seconds.

Table 14							November 1952	
Time	b'F2	foF2	b'F1	foF1	b'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00	260	3.2			110	2.5	3.4	3.1
01	270	3.0			240	3.0		3.2
02	240	3.0			220	2.7		3.4
03	23	2.7			230	2.0		3.2
04	26	2.0			210	1.6		3.2
05	35	1.8			300	1.8		2.8
06	20	2.1			300	1.8		2.8
07	27	2.1			220	1.6		3.1
08	7	1.7			120	1.7	2.1	3.2
09	6	1.5			260	6.8	230	3.2
10	10	1.4			210	(4.3)	110	3.8
11	11	1.4			220	(4.5)	110	3.1
12	10	1.4			190	10.8	210	4.0
13	13	1.4			310	11.6	210	3.1
14	14	1.4			200	13.0	220	4.1
15	14	1.4			260	12.7	230	3.1
16	15	1.4			250	12.5	230	2.8
17	16	1.5			230	10.5	230	3.5
18	17	2.0					120	4.0
19	18	1.1					200	3.7
20	19	1.1					210	3.6
21	20	1.1					220	2.4
22	21	1.1					230	2.8
23	22	1.1					240	3.1

Time: 150.0°W.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 15 seconds.

Table 15							November 1952	
Time	b'F2	foF2	b'F1	foF1	b'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00	270	4.1					3.0	
01	250	4.4					3.2	
02	240	4.5					3.1	
03	220	4.2					3.0	
04	220	3.4					3.1	
05	240	2.8					3.1	
06	270	2.7		(100)			3.0	
07	230	4.9					3.5	
08	210	6.1	230	---	110	2.1	3.5	
09	250	6.8	230	---	110	2.8	3.4	
10	270	7.8	230	---	100	3.1	3.1	
11	260	7.9	230	4.5	110	3.3	3.4	
12	280	8.0	230	4.5	110	3.3	3.3	
13	270	9.5	220	4.5	110	3.3	3.3	
14	260	8.8	220	4.4	110	3.2	4.6	
15	260	8.6	220	4.2	110	3.0	3.4	
16	210	7.8	220	---	110	2.6	3.6	
17	220	7.0	230	---	110	2.0	4.2	
18	210	5.6		(100)	---		3.6	
19	220	4.0					3.5	
20	230	3.4					2.8	
21	270	3.4					2.2	
22	280	3.7					2.6	
23	270	3.8					3.0	

Time: 60.0°W.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 15 seconds.

Table 16							November 1952	
Time	b'F2	foF2	b'F1	foF1	b'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00	240	4.2						3.3
01	260	4.5						3.2
02	25	4.7						3.4
03	230	3.3						3.5
04	240	3.0						3.3
05	260	2.7						3.2
06	270	2.7						3.1
07	240	6.1					120	2.0
08	260	7.2					220	2.7
09	270	9.5					110	2.9
10	280	9.9					110	4.2
11	310	9.7					200	3.2
12	310	9.5					190	3.3
13	300	9.7					200	4.6
14	300	10.2					110	4.7
15	280	10.5					200	5.0
16	270	11.0					110	5.0
17	240	11.0					240	5.2
18	230	10.4					210	4.5
19	230	9.6					220	2.8
20	220	8.5					210	3.8
21	220	7.5					220	3.8
22	230	6.9					220	2.6
23	230	5.6					210	2.1

Time: 150.0°W.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 15 seconds.

Time: 75.0°W.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 15 seconds.

Table 17							November 1952	
Time	b'F2	foF2	b'F1	foF1	b'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00	260	3.4						(3.2)
01	240	3.3						(3.2)
02	220	2.9						(3.2)
03	230	2.1						
04	270	2.0						
05	300	2.2						
06	280	3.0						
07	240	5.8						
08	270	7.1	240	---	120	2.1		
09	300	8.1	240	4.5	110	2.6		
10	300	8.8	230	4.6	110	3.1		
11	310	9.6	230	4.7	110	3.1		
12	290	10.3	220	4.7	110	3.5		
13	290	9.9	230	4.6	110	3.4		
14	290	9.9	220	4.5	110	3.3		
15	280	9.6	230	4.4	110	3.0		
16	270	9.2	220	4.2	110	2.6		
17	240	8.3		---				
18	230	6.4						
19	240	4.6						
20	240	3.5						
21	260	2.9						
22	280	3.0						
23	270	3.2						

Time: 75.0°W.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 15 seconds.

Table 19

Point Barrow, Alaska (71.3°N, 156.8°W)								October 1952	
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2	
00	(260)	(3.0)			5.6	(3.0)			
01	310	(3.1)			6.8	(2.9)			
02	300	(2.5)			5.6	(3.0)			
03	(300)	(2.8)			4.5	--			
04	(310)	(2.8)			3.8	--			
05	(300)	(3.1)			4.9	--			
06	--	(3.1)			4.1	--			
07	--	(3.2)			4.8	--			
08	(320)	(3.6)			4.4	(3.0)			
09	(300)	3.7	--	--	4.7	3.1			
10	270	4.2	--	--	100	3.7	3.2		
11	280	4.3	--	--	(110)	3.6	3.2		
12	270	4.3	--	--	100	(2.0)	2.5	3.2	
13	290	4.4	250	(3.2)	100	2.1	3.1		
14	290	4.5	270	--	110	2.3	3.1		
15	280	4.6	--	--	110	2.0	3.1		
16	260	4.4	--	--	--	--	3.1		
17	270	4.4	--	--	--	2.9	3.1		
18	270	3.3	--	--	--	2.9	3.1		
19	280	(2.6)	--	--	--	4.0	(3.1)		
20	(290)	(2.1)	--	--	--	4.2	(3.0)		
21	(300)	(3.2)	--	--	--	4.6	--		
22	(330)	--	--	--	--	5.0	--		
23	(290)	--	--	--	--	4.9	--		

Time: 150.0°W.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 15 seconds.

Table 21

Narsarssuak, Greenland (61.2°N, 45.4°W)								October 1952	
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2	
00	(460)	(3.0)			5.6	(2.4)			
01	(430)	(3.3)			5.0	--			
02	--	--			4.6	--			
03	(440)	(3.3)			5.0	(2.5)			
04	(370)	(3.0)			4.9	(2.6)			
05	(440)	(2.8)			4.2	(2.6)			
06	(390)	(2.3)			3.7	(2.6)			
07	320	3.6	--	--	3.0	2.8			
08	300	4.4	--	--	(150)	1.9	2.9		
09	360	4.8	290	3.4	(180)	(2.1)	2.8		
10	310	5.2	300	3.6	(180)	--	2.8		
11	360	5.2	300	3.6	(180)	--	2.8		
12	380	5.4	290	3.7	(180)	(2.6)	2.8		
13	360	5.4	300	3.7	(180)	--	2.7		
14	370	5.4	300	3.6	150	(2.3)	2.7		
15	350	(5.4)	320	(3.1)	--	--	2.3	(2.7)	
16	310	(4.4)	--	--	--	2.2	(2.7)		
17	380	(3.9)	--	--	--	4.0	(2.7)		
18	(420)	(3.5)	--	--	--	4.7	(2.5)		
19	420	(3.5)	--	--	--	5.0	(2.5)		
20	(380)	(3.5)	--	--	--	7.1	(2.6)		
21	(410)	(3.2)	--	--	--	6.6	(2.6)		
22	(420)	(3.3)	--	--	--	6.1	(2.6)		
23	(460)	(3.2)	--	--	--	6.7	--		

Time: 45.0°W.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 30 seconds.

Table 22

Schwarzenburg, Switzerland (46.8°N, 7.3°E)								October 1952	
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2	
00	300	3.0			3.1				
01	300	3.2			3.1				
02	300	3.2			3.1				
03	300	3.2			3.1				
04	300	3.1			3.1				
05	260	3.0			3.1				
06	275	2.6			3.1				
07	230	4.0			3.6				
08	225	5.2	--	--	100	2.1	3.8		
09	230	5.8	200	3.5	100	2.1	3.8		
10	210	6.2	200	4.0	100	2.6	4.1	3.6	
11	260	6.6	200	4.0	100	2.8	4.2	3.5	
12	250	7.0	200	4.0	100	2.8	4.2	3.6	
13	245	6.8	200	4.0	100	2.8	3.5		
14	250	6.8	210	4.0	100	2.7	3.5		
15	250	6.8	--	--	100	2.6	3.6		
16	240	6.4	--	--	100	2.5	3.6		
17	230	6.2	--	--	2.1		3.6		
18	220	6.2	--	--	2.1		3.6		
19	230	5.5	--	--	2.1		3.5		
20	230	4.5	--	--	2.1		3.5		
21	270	3.6	--	--	2.1		3.3		
22	300	3.3	--	--	2.1		3.3		
23	300	3.2	--	--	2.1		3.3		

Time: 15.0°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 30 seconds.

Table 23

Kiruna, Sweden (67.8°N, 20.5°E)								October 1952	
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2	
00	(335)	(2.1)			3.7	(2.9)			
01	(310)	(2.5)			3.7	(2.9)			
02	(310)	(3.0)			3.5	(2.8)			
03	(305)	(2.6)			2.7	(2.7)			
04	(305)	2.2			2.7	(2.9)			
05	275	2.2			2.0	2.9			
06	260	2.7				3.0			
07	250	3.5				3.2			
08	245	4.0				3.3			
09	250	4.3	235	3.1	110	1.8			
10	250	5.1	230	3.2	110	2.0			
11	240	5.3	230	3.1	110	2.0			
12	245	5.2	220	3.1	110	2.0			
13	240	5.1	220	3.0	120	1.9			
14	210	4.7	220	2.8	110	1.8			
15	240	4.2	--	--	--	--			
16	230	4.2	--	--	--	--			
17	235	4.1	--	--	--	--			
18	250	3.8	--	--	--	--			
19	255	(3.0)	--	--	--	--			
20	(275)	(3.0)	--	--	--	--			
21	(295)	(2.8)	--	--	--	--			
22	--	(2.6)	--	--	--	--			
23	--	(2.3)	--	--	--	--			

Time: 150.0°E.

Sweep: 0.8 Mc to 15.0 Mc in 30 seconds.

Table 22

De Bilt, Holland (52.1°N, 5.2°E)								October 1952	
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2	
00	290	2.9			2.9				
01	290	2.8			2.9				
02	285	2.6			3.0				
03	285	2.5			3.0				
04	260	2.2			3.1				
05	< 270	2.0			3.1				
06	230	3.2			3.3				
07	215	4.7	220	--	120	1.9			
08	220	5.1	210	3.5	105	2.2	1.7		
09	240	6.0	200	3.8	105	2.5	3.6		
10	250	6.5	200	4.0	105	2.6	3.6		
11	250	6.6	200	4.0	105	2.7	3.5		
12	250	6.3	200	4.0	105	2.9	3.8		
13	250	6.8	200	4.0	105	2.7	2.8		
14	245	6.4	210	3.7	110	2.1	2.8		
15	230	6.1	230	3.9	120	2.0	3.0		
16	260	8.0	250	--	120	2.4	3.4		
17	240	7.0	--	--	130	(2.0)	3.7		
18	230	5.9	--	--	--	--	3.4		
19	240	3.9	--	--	--	--	2.4		
20	290	3.2	--	--	--	--	3.0		
21	300	3.2	--	--	--	--	3.0		
22	300	3.3	--	--	--	--	2.9		
23	290	3.1	--	--	--	--	3.0		

Time: 0.0°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 11.0 Mc in 6 minutes, automatic operation.

Table 23

Baton Rouge, Louisiana (30.5°N, 91.2°W)								October 1952	
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2	
00	300	3.3			2.9				
01	290	3.3			2.9				
02	280	3.6			3.0				
03	270	3.6			2.4				
04	270	3.2			2.0				
05	290	3.0			2.4				
06</									

Table 25

Time	October 1952					
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE
00	280	4.0			2.1	3.0
01	260	4.0			2.4	3.2
02	250	3.6			1.9	3.1
03	250	3.5			2.0	3.3
04	230	3.0			1.6	3.1
05	270	2.4			2.1	3.1
06	250	4.2			2.0	3.3
07	230	6.6	240	---	120	2.2
08	250	7.5	230	---	120	2.6
09	280	8.1	220	---	120	4.0
10	290	9.6	210	---	120	3.1
11	290	10.5	210	4.8	120	3.2
12	300	11.7	210	---	120	3.3
13	290	13.0	210	---	120	3.2
14	280	13.6	230	---	120	3.1
15	260	13.1	240	---	120	2.8
16	240	11.8	240	---	120	3.6
17	230	10.3	---	---	130	(1.8)
18	220	8.2				3.8
19	230	6.1				3.1
20	260	>5.4				3.1
21	260	4.8				3.1
22	280	4.2				2.4
23	300	3.9				3.0

Time: 127.5°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 15 seconds.

Table 27

Time	October 1952					
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE
00	260	3.6			2.1	3.0
01	260	3.8			2.4	3.0
02	240	3.5			2.4	3.2
03	240	3.4			2.1	3.1
04	250	3.1			2.1	3.0
05	260	3.0			2.0	3.0
06	250	4.2	---	---	1.7	1.9
07	260	4.9	230	3.6	2.3	2.4
08	370	5.6	220	4.2	2.8	3.4
09	305	5.7	210	4.3	3.0	3.6
10	325	6.2	200	4.4	3.2	3.7
11	320	6.5	200	4.4	3.2	3.7
12	310	7.2	200	4.4	3.3	3.7
13	300	7.4	200	4.4	3.3	3.8
14	300	7.0	210	4.4	3.2	3.6
15	290	6.6	220	4.2	3.1	3.5
16	280	6.2	220	4.1	2.8	3.7
17	260	5.9	230	3.5	2.4	3.3
18	245	5.8	---	---	1.8	1.9
19	240	4.6				3.2
20	240	4.3				3.1
21	250	4.0			1.6	3.0
22	260	3.8			2.1	3.0
23	260	3.9			2.1	2.9

Time: 120.0°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 16.0 Mc in 2 minutes.

Table 29

Time	September 1952					
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE
00	260	(3.2)			4.8	(3.0)
01	(270)	(3.0)			6.7	---
02	(280)	---			4.6	---
03	300	(3.2)			>5.4	(2.9)
04	320	(3.3)			3.7	(2.9)
05	300	(3.3)	---	---	3.6	(2.9)
06	(330)	(3.4)	---	---	>4.0	(3.0)
07	---	(3.6)	---	---	4.4	---
08	(380)	3.8	---	---	4.3	(2.9)
09	(340)	(4.0)	230	3.4	4.2	(3.0)
10	380	4.0	240	3.5	100	2.3
11	(400)	4.0	240	3.6	110	2.4
12	380	4.1	230	3.6	110	2.4
13	380	4.1	230	3.6	100	2.8
14	(350)	4.2	240	(3.5)	110	2.3
15	320	4.1	250	3.4	110	2.3
16	320	4.1	250	(3.3)	120	2.1
17	280	4.2	210	(3.3)	120	(2.0)
18	270	4.0	---	---		3.1
19	280	3.3	---	---	110	---
20	300	(3.4)	---	---	5.6	(3.1)
21	(350)	(2.4)	---	---	4.8	---
22	---	---	---	---	7.0	---
23	---	---	---	---	6.0	---

Time: 150.0°W.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 15 seconds.

Table 26

Time	October 1952					
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE
00	270		3.6			3.0
01	210		3.6			3.2
02	230		2.9			3.2
03	250		2.1			2.8
04	290		2.3			4.1
05	290		2.6			4.1
06	290		3.2			2.7
07	270		5.0	260	120	2.1
08	300		7.0	250	(4.4)	2.7
09	320		8.4	240	4.6	4.6
10	320		9.6	230	4.7	120
11	330		10.1	230	4.8	120
12	321		11.2	230	4.7	120
13	330		11.6	210	4.8	120
14	310		11.0	240	4.6	120
15	300		11.8	240	(4.5)	120
16	280		11.5	240	---	2.8
17	250		11.0	240	---	(120)
18	230		8.6	250	2.2	4.3
19	214		6.5	240	2.3	4.3
20	260		5.6	240	2.4	2.9
21	25		4.2	250	2.4	2.9
22	280		3.6	250	2.4	2.7
23	290		3.7	250	2.2	2.8

Time: 75.0°W.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 15 seconds.

Table 28

Time	September 1952					
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE
00	250		3.4			3.0
01	270		3.4			3.0
02	270		3.4			3.0
03	280		3.5			3.0
04	280		3.5			3.5
05	270		3.4			3.0
06	260		3.5			3.0
07	270		3.8	240	3.4	2.3
08	300		4.0	240	3.2	2.4
09	350		4.1	240	3.4	2.4
10	360		4.3	230	3.4	2.9
11	400		4.4	230	3.5	100
12	360		4.5	220	3.5	100
13	400		4.5	230	3.5	100
14	360		4.4	230	3.5	100
15	360		4.4	230	3.5	100
16	320		4.5	230	3.4	110
17	310		4.3	240	3.3	110
18	260		4.0	250	---	---
19	260		4.1	270	110	---
20	260		4.1	270	100	4.0
21	260		3.9	270	100	(3.2)
22	250		4.0	270	100	4.3
23	270		4.2	270	100	3.0

Time: 90.0°W.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 15 seconds.

Table 30

Time	September 1952					
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE
00	---					5.2
01	---					5.0
02	---					5.1
03	---		(2.6)			5.1
04	---		(2.3)			5.8
05	(250)		(2.4)			4.1
06	(250)		(2.8)			2.6
07	(240)		3.6	210	100	3.3
08	(240)		4.2	210	100	3.4
09	280		4.4	200	3.6	100
10	300		4.5	200	3.7	100
11	310		4.8	200	3.7	100
12	320		4.7	200	3.8	100
13	320		4.6	210	3.8	100
14	300		4.8	210	3.7	100
15	300		4.7	200	3.6	100
16	280		4.7	220	3.4	100
17	280		4.3	230	---	1.9
18	270		4.1	270	110	4.0
19	270		4.1	270	100	(3.2)
20	(240)		4.4	270	100	4.3
21	(270)		4.1	270	100	5.5
22	---		7.0	220	---	4.7
23	---		6.0	220	---	5.1

Time: 15.0°W.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 18 seconds.

Table 31
St. John's, Newfoundland (47°6'N, 52°7'W)

Time	September 1952						
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs (MHz) fF2
00	310	2.6				2.8	
01	300	2.5				2.8	
02	310	2.3				2.9	
03	300	2.2				2.8	
04	(300)	2.0				2.5	
05	280	2.5				2.8	
06	310	2.3				2.6	
07	260	3.2	---	---	110	1.9	2.9
08	310	3.7	220	3.4	110	2.2	2.8
09	420	4.1	210	3.7	100	2.5	2.8
10	420	4.4	200	3.9	100	2.8	2.7
11	400	4.7	200	4.0	100	2.9	2.7
12	400	4.8	200	4.0	100	3.0	2.7
13	400	4.8	200	4.0	100	2.9	2.7
14	400	4.9	210	4.0	100	2.9	2.8
15	360	4.7	210	4.0	100	2.8	2.8
16	320	4.6	210	3.8	100	2.6	2.9
17	300	4.8	210	3.6	110	2.4	2.9
18	250	4.5	250	---	120	2.0	3.0
19	250	4.3		---	110	1.6	3.0
20	210	3.6		---		3.0	
21	260	2.8		---		2.9	
22	280	2.3		---		2.9	
23	300	2.1		---		2.8	

Time: 90.0°W.

Sweep: 0.6 Mc to 20.0 Mc in 15 seconds.

Table 32
Fort Chimo, Canada (58.8°N, 94.2°W)

Time	September 1952						
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs (MHz) fF2
00	310	2.0				2.8	
01	310	1.7				2.7	
02	350	1.6				2.7	
03	310	1.9				2.7	
04	320	2.0				2.7	
05	360	2.0				2.6	
06	300	2.3				2.8	
07	260	3.2	---	---	110	1.9	2.9
08	310	3.7	220	3.4	110	2.2	2.8
09	420	4.1	210	3.7	100	2.5	2.8
10	420	4.4	200	3.9	100	2.8	2.7
11	400	4.7	200	4.0	100	2.9	2.7
12	400	4.8	200	4.0	100	3.0	2.7
13	400	4.8	200	4.0	100	2.9	2.7
14	400	4.9	210	4.0	100	2.9	2.8
15	360	4.7	210	4.0	100	2.8	2.8
16	320	4.6	210	3.8	100	2.6	2.9
17	300	4.8	210	3.6	110	2.4	2.9
18	250	4.5	250	---	120	2.0	3.0
19	250	4.3		---	110	1.6	3.0
20	210	3.6		---		3.0	
21	260	2.8		---		2.9	
22	280	2.3		---		2.9	
23	300	2.1		---		2.8	

Time: 120.0°W.

Sweep: 0.6 Mc to 20.0 Mc in 15 seconds.

Table 33

Time	September 1952						
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs (MHz) fF2
00	310	2.0				2.8	
01	310	1.7				2.7	
02	350	1.6				2.7	
03	310	1.9				2.7	
04	320	2.0				2.7	
05	360	2.0				2.6	
06	300	2.3				2.8	
07	260	3.2	---	---	110	1.9	2.9
08	310	3.7	220	3.4	110	2.2	2.8
09	420	4.1	210	3.7	100	2.5	2.8
10	420	4.4	200	3.9	100	2.8	2.7
11	400	4.7	200	4.0	100	2.9	2.7
12	400	4.8	200	4.0	100	3.0	2.7
13	400	4.8	200	4.0	100	2.9	2.7
14	400	4.9	210	4.0	100	2.9	2.8
15	360	4.7	210	4.0	100	2.8	2.8
16	320	4.6	210	3.8	100	2.6	2.9
17	300	4.8	210	3.6	110	2.4	2.9
18	250	4.5	250	---	120	2.0	3.0
19	250	4.3		---	110	1.6	3.0
20	210	3.6		---		3.0	
21	260	2.8		---		2.9	
22	280	2.3		---		2.9	
23	300	2.1		---		2.8	

Time: 60.0°W.

Sweep: 0.6 Mc to 20.0 Mc in 15 seconds.

Table 34

Winnipeg, Canada (49.9°N, 97.4°W)

Time	September 1952						
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs (MHz) fF2
00	370	2.5				2.8	
01	380	2.7				3.0	
02	310	2.0				4.0	
03	37	2.7				4.0	
04	31	2.6				3.1	
05	320	2.8				3.2	
06	29	2.8				2.8	
07	260	3.6	240		120	2.0	3.1
08	320	4.1	220	3.6	110	2.3	3.0
09	410	4.6	220	3.9	110	2.6	2.8
10	390	4.8	210	4.0	110	2.9	2.9
11	360	5.0	200	4.1	110	3.0	2.8
12	350	5.1	200	4.2	110	3.0	2.8
13	360	5.0	210	4.2	110	3.1	3.0
14	360	5.0	210	4.1	110	3.0	2.9
15	350	5.2	210	4.0	110	2.9	3.0
16	330	5.2	220	3.8	110	2.6	3.0
17	320	5.0	230	3.5	110	2.3	3.0
18	280	5.0	240		120	2.0	3.1
19	210	4.7					3.0
20	250	4.2					3.0
21	260	3.3					3.0
22	280	3.0					2.9
23	310	2.7					2.9

Time: 90.0°W.

Sweep: 0.6 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 15 seconds.

Table 35

Time	September 1952						
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs (MHz) fF2
00	310	2.6				2.8	
01	300	2.5				2.7	
02	310	2.3				2.9	
03	300	2.2				2.8	
04	(300)	2.0				2.5	
05	280	2.5				2.8	
06	270	3.7	230	---	120	1.9	3.2
07	310	4.3	230	3.5	110	2.4	3.2
08	350	4.6	220	3.9	110	2.7	3.0
09	330	4.8	200	4.0	110	3.1	3.2
10	310	5.0	200	4.1	110	3.1	3.2
11	360	5.2	200	4.2	110	3.2	3.0
12	340	5.6	210	4.2	110	3.2	3.0
13	330	5.6	200	4.2	110	3.1	3.2
14	320	5.6	210	4.1	110	2.9	3.1
15	320	5.7	230	4.0	110	2.6	3.1
16	300	5.7	240	3.6	120	2.3	3.1
17	270	5.3	240	3.0	130	E	3.1
18	250	6.0		---		3.1	
19	240	5.7		---		3.1	
20	240	4.2		---		3.0	
21	280	3.2		---		2.9	
22	300	2.9		---		2.9	
23	300	2.7		---		2.8	

Time: 60.0°W.

Sweep: 0.6 Mc to 20.0 Mc in 15 seconds.

Table 36

Time	September 1952						
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs (MHz) fF2
00	370	2.6				2.9	
01	320	2.7				3.2	
02	(320)	2.2				4.0	
03	(310)	(2.3)				4.0	
04	(310)	(2.3)				4.0	
05	(300)	(2.2)				4.0	
06	260	3.2				3.3	
07	260	4.1	240	3.5	120	2.2	3.2
08	320	4.4	230	3.8	120	2.7	3.0
09	360	4.8	220	4.0	120	2.9	3.0
10	350	5.1	220	4.1	120	3.0	3.0
11	310	5.2	210	4.2	120	3.2	3.1
12	310	5.6	220	4.3	120	3.2	3.0
13	310	5.8	220	4.2	120	3.2	3.1
14	310	5.8	230	4.2	120	3.1	3.1
15	330	5.6	230	4.0	120	2.8	3.1
16	310	5.7	240	3.9	120	2.6	3.1
17	210	5.8	240	3.5	120	2.1	3.1
18	260	6.0		---		---	3.1
19	210	5.7		---		3.1	
20	210	4.6		---		3.1	
21	250	3.9		---		3.1	
22	280	3.0		---		3.0	
23	310	2.8		---		2.9	

Time: 75.0°W.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 15 seconds.

Table 43

Delhi, India (28.6° N, 77.1° E)		August 1952						
Time	*	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00	310	5.4						(3.3)
01	---	---						
02	---	---						
03	---	---						
04	300	4.8						
05	300	4.8						
06	280	5.2						
07	280	6.2						
08	280	6.8						
09	300	7.3						3.5
10	310	7.3						
11	300	8.2						
12	310	8.6						3.3
13	310	9.2						
14	310	9.5						
15	300	9.2						
16	280	9.0						
17	280	8.3						
18	290	7.6						
19	280	7.8						
20	280	6.6						
21	300	6.0						
22	300	5.6						
23	310	5.6						

Time: Local.

Sweep: 1.8 Mc to 16.0 Mc in 5 minutes, manual operation.

* Height at 0.83 foF2.

** Average values; other columns, median values.

Table 45

Bombay, India (19.0° N, 73.0° E)		August 1952						
Time	*	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00								
01								
02								
03								
04								
05								
06								
07	300	6.0						
08	330	7.2						
09	360	7.6						
10	390	8.1						
11	420	9.3						
12	420	10.2						
13	450	10.8						
14	450	11.4						
15	480	11.7						
16	450	11.8						
17	420	11.7						
18	390	10.6						
19	390	10.0						
20	360	8.3						
21	330	8.2						
22	330	7.5						
23	330	6.7						

Time: Local.

Sweep: 1.8 Mc to 16.0 Mc in 5 minutes, manual operation.

* Height at 0.83 foF2.

** Average values; other columns, median values.

Table 47

Tiruchy, India (10.8° N, 78.8° E)		August 1952						
Time	*	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00								
01								
02								
03								
04								
05								
06	360	5.5						
07	420	6.8						
08	480	7.6						
09	510	7.9						
10	510	7.5						
11	510	7.6						
12	510	7.6						
13	510	7.8						
14	510	8.1						
15	510	8.5						
16	510	8.8						
17	510	9.2						
18	480	9.2						
19	480	8.7						
20	450	8.2						
21	420	7.3						
22	420	6.5						
23								

Time: Local.

Sweep: 1.8 Mc to 16.0 Mc in 5 minutes, manual operation.

* Height at 0.83 foF2.

** Average values; other columns, median values.

Table 44

Formosa, China (25.0° N, 121.5° E)		August 1952						
Time	*	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00	280	5.8						
01	280	5.6						
02	< 250	6.0						
03	260	5.4						
04	(210)	4.6						
05	260	4.6						
06	250	5.5						
07	250	6.3	220	4.1	(120)	E	4.3	
08	280	6.2	210	4.3	(120)		5.8	
09	300	6.4	210	4.5	(120)		6.0	
10	320	6.7	200	4.8	(110)		4.8	
11	315	8.2	200	4.7	(110)		5.0	
12	320	9.6	210	4.9	(110)		4.7	
13	310	11.0	220	4.6	(110)		4.6	
14	310	> 11.2	220	4.6	(110)		4.7	
15	320	11.5	< 220	4.6	(110)		4.6	
16	295	> 12.6	220	4.3	(120)		4.5	
17	270	12.5	230	---	(120)		4.7	
18	230	11.1				E	4.6	
19	210	9.6					4.2	
20	210	8.0					3.9	
21	210	6.2					3.4	
22	280	5.7					3.9	
23	280	5.5					2.9	

Time: 120.0°E.

Sweep: 2.3 Mc to 14.2 Mc in 15 minutes, manual operation.

Table 46

Madras, India (13.0° N, 80.2° E)		August 1952						
Time	*	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00								
01								
02								
03								
04								
05								
06								
07	360	6.3						
08	390	7.5						
09	420	8.2						
10	420	8.2						
11	450	8.0						
12	450	8.0						
13	450	8.4						
14	450	8.6						
15	450	8.8						
16	450	8.8						
17	450	9.2						
18	210	7.9	210	4.5	110	3.3	3.8	
19	210	8.0	200	4.4	110	3.3	4.5	
20	270	7.4	200	4.4	110	3.3	4.7	
21	270	7.0	200	4.4	110	3.2	4.6	
22	270	6.8	200	4.3	110	3.0	4.3	
23	250	6.7	205	3.8	120	2.8	3.8	
00	210	6.4	---	---	120	2.2	3.4	
01	210	5.8	---	---	120	1.5	2.9	
02	230	4.6	---	---	120	2.2	3.2	
03	230	4.0	---	---	120	2.2	3.2	
04	250	3.5	---	---	120	2.2	3.0	
05	260	3.5	---	---	120	2.2	3.0	
06	255	3.4	---	---	120	2.2	3.0	

Time: Local.

Sweep: 1.8 Mc to 16.0 Mc in 5 minutes, manual operation.

* Height at 0.83 foF2.

** Average values; other columns, median values.

Table 48

Townsville, Australia (19.3° S, 146.8° E)		August 1952						
Time	*	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00	250	3.6						
01	240	3.5						
02	220	3.3						
03	210	3.0						
04	210	(2.7)						
05	250	(2.6)						
06	260	2.8						
07	210	5.0	---	---	130	1.9	3.3	
08	210	6.8	230	3.8	110	2.6	3.8	
09	250	7.6	220	4.3	110	2.9	3.8	
10	260	8.2	210	4.4	110	3.2	3.9	
11	260	7.9	210	4.5	110	3.3	3.8	
12	280	8.0	200	4.4	110	3.3	4.5	
13	270	7.4	200	4.4	110	3.3	4.7	
14	270	7.0	200	4.4	110	3.2	4.6	
15	270	6.8	200	4.3	110	3.0	4.3	
16	250	6.7	205	3.8	120	2.8	3.8	
17	210	6.4	---	---	120	2.2	3.4	
18	220	5.8	---	---	120	1.5	2.9	
19	230	4.6	---	---	120	2.2	3.2	
20	230	4.0	---	---	120	2.2		

Table 49

Time	August 1952						
	$h^{\prime}F2$	$foF2$	$h^{\prime}F1$	$foF1$	$h^{\prime}E$	foE	fEs
00	250	4.0					3.1
01	250	4.1					3.1
02	210	4.2					3.2
03	220	4.2					3.2
04	210	3.7					3.1
05	250	3.6					3.1
06	250	3.7					3.1
07	210	5.5					3.4
08	250	6.2	230	4.0	110	2.7	3.3
09	270	6.7	230	4.4	110	3.0	3.3
10	280	6.8	220	4.4	110	3.2	3.3
11	280	6.9	220	4.5	110	3.2	3.3
12	290	6.8	210	4.5	110	3.2	3.3
13	280	6.6	200	4.5	110	3.3	3.2
14	280	6.7	210	4.4	110	3.2	3.3
15	270	6.5	200	4.2	110	3.0	3.3
16	250	6.4	220	3.7	110	2.6	3.3
17	230	6.0					3.3
18	220	5.1					3.2
19	230	4.5					3.1
20	250	4.4					3.0
21	250	4.2					3.0
22	260	4.2					3.0
23	260	4.0					3.0

Time: 150.0°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 16.0 Mc in 1 minute 55 seconds.

Table 50

Time	August 1952						
	$h^{\prime}F2$	$foF2$	$h^{\prime}F1$	$foF1$	$h^{\prime}E$	foE	fEs
00	(260)	3.5					2.4 (3.0)
01	(255)	3.5					3.0 (3.0)
02	(250)	3.5					2.8 (3.1)
03	250	3.6					2.4 (3.2)
04	240	3.4					2.8 (3.3)
05	(240)	3.0					3.1 ---
06		2.6					---
07	230	4.0					3.5
08	230	5.3					2.3 2.6 3.6
09	240	5.6	220	(3.9)	110	2.6	3.0 3.5
10	250	5.9	210	4.2	110	3.0	3.5 3.5
11	270	6.5	210	4.3	100	3.1	3.3 3.5
12	265	6.3	200	4.4	100	3.1	3.5 3.4
13	280	6.7	200	4.3	100	3.1	3.5 3.3
14	260	6.7	205	4.2	100	3.0	3.4 3.4
15	250	6.6	210	(4.0)	100	2.8	3.3 3.5
16	240	6.3	200	(3.4)			2.5 3.4 3.5
17	220	5.6					3.0 3.5
18	220	5.0					2.8 3.3
19	240	4.2					3.0 3.4
20	(240)	3.8					3.2
21	(250)	3.5					3.1
22	(260)	3.5					(3.0) 3.0
23	(260)	3.4					2.5

Time: 150.0°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 16.0 Mc in 1 minute 55 seconds.

Table 51

Time	August 1952*						
	$h^{\prime}F2$	$foF2$	$h^{\prime}F1$	$foF1$	$h^{\prime}E$	foE	fEs
00	270	2.6					3.0
01	275	2.4					2.9
02	290	2.3					2.9
03	285	2.4					2.8
04	285	2.4					3.0
05	270	2.3					3.0
06	270	2.4					2.9
07	250	2.5			E		3.0
08	220	4.4	100	2.1			3.1
09	210	5.0	100	2.5			3.1
10	200	5.5	---	100	2.8		3.1
11	260	6.0	200	4.4	100	3.0	3.1
12	280	6.2	200	4.5	100	3.1	3.1
13	265	6.3	200	4.5	100	3.2	3.2
14	260	6.2	200	4.4	100	3.0	3.1
15	210	6.0	---	100	2.9		3.1
16	220	5.8	100	2.4			3.1
17	230	5.5	---	E			3.0
18	230	5.0					3.0
19	240	4.0					3.0
20	250	3.4					3.0
21	(250)	3.2					3.0
22	(265)	(3.0)					(3.0)
23	(270)	(2.6)					(2.8)

Time: 150.0°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 13.0 Mc in 1 minute 55 seconds.

*No record 7th through 24th, inclusive.

Table 53

Time	July 1952*						
	*	$foF2$	$h^{\prime}F1$	$foF1$	$h^{\prime}E$	foE	fEs
00							
01							
02							
03							
04							
05							
06							
07	300	6.5					
08	330	7.4					3.1
09	360	7.8					
10	390	8.4					
11	420	9.3					
12	450	10.2					2.6
13	480	10.8					
14	480	11.2					
15	480	11.4					
16	450	10.9					2.6
17	420	10.0					
18	390	9.4					
19	390	8.4					
20	360	8.0					(3.1)
21	330	7.1					
22	(300)	(6.1)					
23	(300)	(5.8)					

Time: Local.

Sweep: 1.8 Mc to 16.0 Mc in 5 minutes, manual operation.

*Height at 0.83 $foF2$.

**Average values; other columns, median values.

Table 54

Time	July 1952*						
	*	$foF2$	$h^{\prime}F1$	$foF1$	$h^{\prime}E$	foE	fEs
00							
01							
02							
03							
04							
05							
06							
07	360	6.0					
08	390	7.2					
09	420	7.4					
10	420	7.5					
11	450	7.5					
12	460	7.4					
13	480	7.8					
14	480	8.2					
15	480	8.3					
16	450	8.7					
17	450	9.1					
18	450	9.2					
19	420	9.3					
20	390	8.0					
21	390	7.1					
22	360	6.4					
23							

Time: Local.

Sweep: 1.8 Mc to 16.0 Mc in 5 minutes, manual operation.

*Height at 0.83 $foF2$.

**Average values; other columns, median values.

Tiruchi, India (10.8°N, 78.8°E)								July 1952	
Time	•	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2	
00									
01									
02									
03									
04									
05									
06	390	5.5							
07	420	6.7							
08	480	7.1							
09	500	7.3							
10	540	7.3							
11	540	7.4							
12	540	7.2							
13	570	7.4							
14	570	7.8							
15	540	8.0							
16	540	8.2							
17	540	8.5							
18	510	8.5							
19	480	8.0							
20	460	7.3							
21	420	6.8							
22	420	6.6							
23									

Time: Local.

Sweep: 1.8 Mc to 16.0 Mc in 5 minutes, manual operation.

*Height at 0.83 foF2.

**Average values; other columns, median values.

Table 55

July 1952

Table 56

July 1952

Time	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00	250	3.3						3.0
01	250	3.3						3.0
02	240	3.2						3.1
03	230	3.0						2.1 (3.0)
04	240	2.8						2.6
05	240	2.6						3.0
06	240	2.8				E	2.4	3.1
07	220	4.6				110	1.9	3.0
08	240	5.7				110	2.3	3.5
09	260	6.0	220		4.0	110	2.8	3.8
10	260	7.2	220		4.3	110	3.1	4.5
11	260	7.1	220		4.3	110	3.2	5.0
12	280	7.0	200		4.3	110	3.2	5.0
13	260	7.1	200		4.4	110	3.2	5.3
14	260	6.9	200		4.3	120	3.1	4.8
15	260	6.9	210		4.0	120	2.9	5.0
16	250	6.5	220		3.5	120	2.5	4.7
17	240	5.7				120	2.0	4.0
18	220	5.5				E		3.6
19	210	3.7						3.0
20	240	3.1						3.0
21	250	3.2						3.1
22	260	3.1						3.0
23	250	3.2						3.1

Time: 150.0°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 16.0 Mc in 1 minute 55 seconds.

Table 57

July 1952

Table 58

July 1952

Time	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00	260	3.6						
01	260	3.7						
02	250	3.9						
03	250	3.8			2.0			
04	230	3.6			1.8			
05	230	3.2						
06	220	3.1						
07	220	4.6	150		2.1			
08	230	5.5	220		2.5			
09	260	6.1	220		2.8			
10	250	6.5	220		3.0			
11	260	6.2	210		3.1			
12	260	6.5	210		3.2	3.0		
13	270	6.4	200		3.1	3.8		
14	260	6.6	200		3.0	4.2		
15	250	6.3	220		2.8	3.5		
16	240	5.8	220		2.4	3.2		
17	220	5.6				3.5		
18	220	4.4				3.3		
19	230	3.7				3.2		
20	240	3.6				3.1		
21	250	3.6				3.1		
22	250	3.6				3.2		
23	250	3.7				3.1		

Time: 150.0°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 16.0 Mc in 1 minute 55 seconds.

Table 59

July 1952

Table 60

June 1952

Time	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00	290	2.0						
01	290	2.2						
02	300	2.0						
03	290	2.1						
04	280	2.2						
05	250	2.2						
06	260	2.0						
07	270	2.5						
08	220	4.3	E		3.0			
09	220	5.1	110		2.0			
10	210	5.5	100		2.7			
11	200	5.6	100		2.6			
12	200	6.0	100		2.9	3.5		
13	200	6.5	100		3.0	3.1		
14	200	6.2	100		2.8			
15	200	6.0	100		2.5			
16	220	6.0	100		2.1			
17	210	5.5				3.1		
18	220	4.4				3.0		
19	250	3.7				3.0		
20	250	3.0				3.0		
21	250	2.5				3.0		
22	270	2.3				3.0		
23	280	2.2				2.9		

Time: Local.

Sweep: 1.8 Mc to 16.0 Mc in 5 minutes, manual operation.

*Height at 0.83 foF2.

**Average values; other columns, median values.

Time: Local.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 16.0 Mc in 1 minute 55 seconds.

Table 67
Madras, India (13.0°N , 80.2°E) May 1952

Time	*	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000) F2
00								
01								
02								
03								
04								
05								
06								
07								
08								
09								
10								
11								
12								
13								
14								
15								
16								
17								
18								
19								
20								
21								
22								
23								

Time: Local.

Sweep: 1.8 Mc to 16.0 Mc in 5 minutes, manual operation.

Height at 0.83 foF2 .

**Average values, other columns, median values.

Table 68

Tiruchi, India (10.8°N , 78.8°E) May 1952

Time	*	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000) F2
00								
01								
02								
03								
04								
05								
06								
07								
08								
09								
10								
11								
12								
13								
14								
15								
16								
17								
18								
19								
20								
21								
22								
23								

Time: Local.

Sweep: 1.8 Mc to 16.0 Mc in 5 minutes, manual operation.

Height at 0.83 foF2 .

**Average values, other columns, median values.

Table 69

Time	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000) F2
00	300	3.3						2.8
01	300	3.4						2.9
02	290	3.4						3.0
03	270	3.5						3.0
04	300	3.2						2.9
05	300	3.2						2.9
06	300	3.1						2.9
07	250	6.0	---	2.0	E			3.3
08	210	7.1	220	2.8	110	2.3	3.0	3.4
09	260	7.1	220	4.1	110	2.7	3.6	3.4
10	260	7.3	210	4.4	110	3.0	3.7	3.4
11	260	7.5	210	4.4	110	3.2	3.9	3.4
12	280	7.8	220	4.5	110	3.2	4.0	3.2
13	280	7.7	220	4.4	110	3.2	4.0	3.2
14	270	7.6	220	4.3	110	3.0	4.0	3.3
15	270	7.8	220	4.4	110	2.9	4.0	3.2
16	260	7.4	210	3.8	120	2.6	3.7	3.2
17	250	7.9	---	---	---	2.1	3.9	3.2
18	210	7.5					3.9	3.2
19	230	5.7					3.5	3.2
20	250	4.2					3.0	3.1
21	260	3.7					2.5	2.9
22	260	3.8					3.0	2.9
23	270	3.3					2.9	3.0

Time: 157.5°W .

Sweep: 2.0 Mc to 16.0 Mc, manual operation.

Table 71

Time	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000) F2
00	220	8.7						3.1
01	220	8.5						3.3
02	210	6.2						3.3
03	250	4.9						3.0
04	250	4.3						3.1
05	210	3.5						3.4
06	210	3.0						3.5
07	210	6.3						3.6
08	250	7.7	230	---	120	2.6	3.8	3.6
09	280	9.2	220	4.5	100	3.0	3.9	3.3
10	280	9.8	---	4.6	110	---		3.2
11	300	9.9	---	4.8	110	---		3.0
12	320	10.9	---	5.0	110	---		2.8
13	320	12.1	---	(4.9)	110	---		3.0
14	300	12.2	---	4.7	110	---		3.0
15	300	12.0	---	---	110	---		2.9
16	300	12.0	---	---	110	---		2.9
17	270	12.0	240	---	110	2.6	3.6	3.0
18	270	> 12.3	250	---	100	---		3.0
19	(250)	> 10.0						
20	(230)	---						
21	220	> 11.8						
22	210	10.9						
23	210	> 9.0						

Time: 45.0°E .

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 15.0 Mc in 7 seconds.

Table 70

Christchurch, New Zealand (13.6°S , 172.7°E) May 1952

Time	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000) F2
00	290	2.5						2.8
01	280	2.4						2.9
02	290	2.2						3.0
03	---	1.9						3.1
04	---	1.7						3.0
05	---	1.5						3.2
06	---	1.5						3.2
07	260	2.9						3.2
08	210	4.3	250	2.9	3.4	1.8	3.1	3.5
09	250	5.0	240	3.4	2.3	4.4	3.4	
10	270	5.4	230	3.7	2.6	4.3	3.4	
11	270	5.6	220	3.9	2.7	4.5	3.3	
12	270	5.9	220	4.0	2.7	4.4	3.4	
13	280	6.0	240	3.9	2.7	4.4	3.3	
14	270	6.0	240	3.8	2.5	4.4	3.3	
15	250	6.0	240	3.3	2.3	3.2	3.4	
16	280	6.0	240	3.2	1.8	3.5	3.4	
17	280	6.0	240	2.6	1.8	2.7	3.3	
18	290	6.0	250	3.8	1.8	2.6	3.1	
19	280	6.0	250	3.8	1.8	2.6	3.1	
20	300	6.0	250	3.8	1.8	2.6	3.1	
21	300	4.5	250	(3.9)	1.8	2.4	2.4	
22	360	5.4	250	4.0	1.8	2.6	2.6	
23	360	5.0	250	4.2	1.8	2.7	2.7	

Time: 0.0°E .

Sweep: 1.5 Mc to 16.3 Mc in 1 minute.

Table 72

Time	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000) F2
00	350	5.8	250	4.1	120	2.8		
01	335	6.6	250	4.3	120	2.8		
02	350	6.3	230	4.3	120	2.8		
03	355	6.5	240	4.2	120	2.8		
04	370	6.3	235	4.2	120	2.8		
05	350	6.0	240	4.1	130	2.8		
06	350	6.1	240	4.2	130	2.7		
07	320	6.2	250	(3.8)	135	2.4		
08	300	6.0	250	150	2.3			
09	280	6.0	260	150	E			
10	270	5.6						
11	250	5.3						
12	260	5.0						
13	285	4.4						
14	290	4.0						
15	290	3.8						
16	300	3.5						
17	300	3.0						
18	300	3.4						
19	280	4.0						
20	285	4.2	250	150	2.4			
21	300	4.5	250	(3.9)	135	2.4		
22	360	5.4	250	4.0	130	2.6		
23	360	5.0	250	4.2	120	2.7		

TABLE 73
Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D.C.
IONOSPHERIC DATA

National Bureau of Standards
Scaled by: _____
Mc C. (Institution) _____ E. J. W.

h'F2, Km
(Characteristic)
Lat 38.7°N, Long 77.9°W
Observed at Washington, D.C.

Day	December, 1952												75°W Mean Time											
	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
1	(280) ⁵	260	(270) ^A	260	(270) ^A	(230) ^A	(230) ^A	(230) ^A	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250
2	240	(270) ^S	250	220	220	220	220	220	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230
3	(300) ^S	(310)	(290) ^S	220	220	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230
4	270	290	(310) ^A	(310)	220	220	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230
5	(390) ^S	300	250	250	240	240	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230
6	A	A	220	280	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270
7	(300) ^A	270	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250
8	(290) ^S	(280)	280	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250
9	(280) ^S	(260)	220	(220)	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250
10	(310) ^S	(280)	220	220	260	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270
11	B	B	20	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250
12	(280) ^S	(280)	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270
13	240	270	(270) ^K	(270) ^K	(300) ^A																			
14	B	B	20	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250
15	S	S	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280
16	(270) ^S	(270)	260	260	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250
17	(270) ^S	(270)	280	280	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250
18	(270) ^S	(280)	260	260	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250
19	(280) ^S	(280)	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230
20	A	A	20	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)
21	(280) ^S	(280)	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250
22	(270) ^A	(250)	230	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)
23	A	A	20	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)	(250)
24	(330) ^S	(280)	250	250	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)
25	(270) ^S	(280)	(260)	(260)	250	230	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)	(270)
26	(290) ^S	(300)	290	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250
27	260	(360) ^A	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240
28	(310) ^S	(300)	280	280	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250
29	250	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240
30	(280) ^S	(280)	250	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260
31	(370) ^S	(280)	(340)	(340)	(340)	(340)	(340)	(340)	(340)	(340)	(340)	(340)	(340)	(340)	(340)	(340)	(340)	(340)	(340)	(340)	(340)	(340)	(340)	(340)
Median	(380)	(280)	270	260	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250
Count	25	27	29	30	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31

Manual Automatic

Min. 1.0 Mc 10.25 Mc in 25 min

TABLE 74
Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D.C.
IONOSPHERIC DATA

Observed at Washington, D.C.

f₀F2, Mc Mc
(Characteristic) (Unit)
December, 1952 (Month)

Lat. 38.7°N, Long 77.1°W

Day	75°W												Mean Time														
	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23			
1	2.3	2.8	3.0	3.2	3.2	3.2	2.1	2.7	3.8	5.2	6.0	6.9	7.6	7.2	7.4	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6			
2	[1.3.3]	3.2	2.7	2.9	2.9	2.3	3.1	2.7	(2.0)	3.5	5.0	6.2	6.9	7.1	7.6	6.6	6.6	7.3	5.4	5.0	4.2	3.8	2.9	2.7	2.6		
3	(2.0)	2.1	2.3	2.7	2.7	2.9	3.0	2.6	3.2	5.0	(5.8)	6.3	6.6	7.3	6.8	6.2	6.2	6.4	5.6	4.5	4.2	3.5	3.5	2.4	2.4		
4	(3.2)	3.4	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	(2.5)	2.3	2.7	2.7	4.3	5.6	5	6.2	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	5.5	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6		
5	(3.0)	(2.7)	4.0	4.0	3.7	3.3	2.7	(1.9)	4.3	5.6	6.2	6.2	6.7	6.7	6.0	6.3	6.3	6.5	5.3	5.3	3.4	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2		
6	A	A	(2.8)	3.0	F	(3.2)	F	3.2	2.9	3.6	5.6	6.2	(6.6)	7.4	7.5	7.0	7.5	6.9	6.2	(4.6)	4	3.3	3.3	2.9	2.9	2.9	
7	2.4	2.7	2.7	2.7	F	2.8	J	(2.8)	F	3.3	F	(5.1)	H	6.2	N	(6.4)	H	6.2	6.4	6.8	6.5	(3.0)	F	2.5	2.3	2.2	
8	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	F	4.2	F	(2.8)	F	2.7	F	(3.1)	S	3.4	F	5.6	S	7.8	S	7.2	N	7.5	7.6	7.6	7.6	7.6	
9	2.2	F	2.4	F	2.5	F	2.4	F	3.2	F	3.5	F	3.3	F	3.7	F	(6.2)	H	8.6	S	7.6	7.4	6.6	6.6	6.6		
10	2.2	F	2.6	F	3.1	F	3.5	F	3.2	F	3.2	F	2.6	F	3.2	F	6.3	N	6.3	F	8.0	7.7	7.4	6.9	6.8		
11	(2.1)	3	3.0	3.0	3.7	3.7	4.0	3.5	3.0	3.1	5.8	6.4	(6.0)	(P.3)	C	7.6	H	7.3	6.7	7.2	S	6.0	5.8	5.5	5.5		
12	2.2	F	2.9	2.9	3.2	F	3.7	F	3.6	F	3.6	F	3.6	F	3.6	F	6.6	7.2	N	7.2	6.6	6.8	5.4	5.4	5.4	5.4	
13	2.7	F	3.0	F	(2.9)	F	[2.8]	K	[2.8]	K	[2.8]	K	[2.8]	K	[2.8]	K	2.5	F	2.2	K	4.0	X	4.2	K	5.0	X	X
14	5	B	K	B	K	K	1.7	K	1.7	K	1.6	K	[1.8]	K	3.8	H	4.7	5.8	6.0	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.4
15	2.0	2.0	2.2	2.2	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	[2.6]	S	2.7	5.0	6.0	6.2	6.9	7.9	7.2	7.2	7.0	6.0	6.0	5.8	5.5	5.2		
16	2.5	F	2.5	F	3.0	F	3.7	F	4.2	F	3.8	F	3.6	S	5.9	F	6.5	6.7	8.0	7.8	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	
17	2.6	F	(2.7)	F	(3.2)	F	3.2	F	3.0	F	3.0	F	3.0	F	3.0	F	6.0	S	6.6	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2	7.2		
18	2.8	F	3.1	F	3.1	F	3.5	S	3.6	F	3.1	F	3.1	F	3.1	F	3.1	S	3.2	F	3.2	F	3.2	3.2	3.2		
19	(2.1)	2.3	F	2.8	S	2.7	F	3.2	F	3.2	F	3.2	F	3.2	F	3.2	F	3.2	F	3.2	S	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2		
20	(2.6)	2	2.7	F	3.5	F	3.5	F	3.2	F	[3.3]	S	[3.4]	P	5.6	F	5.8	6.2	7.6	7.5	7.1	S	(6.4)	J	6.0		
21	2.4	F	(3.7)	F	(3.7)	P	3.9	S	(3.3)	F	(3.3)	F	(3.1)	F	3.9	S	5.3	6.0	6.6	F	7.4	7.8	6.9	6.7	6.4		
22	2.0	F	3.0	F	(3.3)	F	3.5	F	3.8	F	3.8	F	3.0	F	3.5	F	5.0	5.8	6.9	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0		
23	A	2.2	F	(2.3)	A	(2.5)	F	2.7	F	(1.6)	F	(2.3)	S	5.0	H	7.0	F	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	
24	3.3	F	4.0	4.5	4.1	3.8	2.8	2.3	2.8	2.3	2.4	3	4.3	5.8	6.0	6.6	7.5	6.6	6.6	5.9	5.4	4.4	4.1	3.9	3.6		
25	3.1	F	3.5	F	(3.5)	S	2.8	F	2.5	F	(2.0)	F	(1.9)	S	2.4	F	4.3	5.2	F	7.0	7.2	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7
26	(2.3)	F	(2.0)	F	(2.5)	F	(3.0)	F	3.5	F	3.8	F	3.0	F	3.5	F	5.0	5.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	6.6	
27	2.6	[2.8]	2.9	2.8	F	2.8	F	2.6	F	2.3	F	(2.7)	P	4.5	F	5.5	5	6.6	S	6.5	5	(4.2)	F	3.6	3.4	3.4	
28	2.3	F	(2.0)	F	2.1	F	2.3	F	2.6	F	2.7	F	3.6	K	4.7	N	5.5	N	5.5	K	5.5	K	5.5	5	5	5	
29	3.6	F	3.8	F	3.6	F	3.3	F	3.0	F	2.2	F	1.9	J	4.3	F	4.3	4.3	5.6	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	
30	2.4	F	2.3	F	2.5	F	2.7	F	2.5	F	2.2	F	1.7	S	2.3	F	4.3	5.2	6.2	6.6	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	
31	(2.7)	F	2.2	2.2	2.0	F	2.2	F	2.2	F	(2.2)	F	(2.2)	F	4.5	F	5.0	5.0	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	6.7	
Median	2.4	2.6	2.9	2.9	3.2	2.8	2.7	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.1		
Count	28	39	30	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	

Sweep 1.0 Mc to 5.0 Mc in 0.25 min
Manual Automatic

Mean

Time

Automatic

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Form adopted June 1946
Scale by _____
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TABLE 75
IONOSPHERIC DATA

foF2 — Mc
(Unit)
December, 1952
(Month)
Washington, D. C.
Observed at Lat 38°7'N, Long 77°10'W.

Day	7.5°W												Mean Time													
	0030	0130	0230	0330	0430	0530	0630	0730	0830	0930	1030	1130	1230	1330	1430	1530	1630	1730	1830	1930	2030	2130	2230	2330		
1	2.5 F	2.2 F	3.2 F	3.2 F	3.1 F	3.1 F	3.3 F	3.1 F	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.5 A	2.5	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0		
2	3.2 F	3.1 F	3.0 F	3.0 F	3.0 F	3.0 F	3.3 F	3.1 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.4	2.3	2.5	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9		
3	2.1 F	2.3 F	2.4 F	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1							
4	(3.7) F	(3.1) F	(2.4) F	2.0 F	2.0 F	2.0 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	2.0 F	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1							
5	3.1 F	3.6 F	(3.6) F	3.8 F	3.7 F	3.7 F	3.0 F	3.0 F	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1		
6	A	2.6 F	3.1 F	3.1 F	3.2 F	3.1 F	3.0 F	2.9 F	2.8 F	2.8 F	2.8 F	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.9	
7	2.4 F	2.5 F	2.8 F	2.3 F	2.3 F	2.3 F	2.4 F	2.4 F	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4						
8	2.2 F	2.0 F	2.0 F	2.0 F	2.0 F	2.0 F	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0								
9	2.3 F	2.2 F	3.5 F	3.5 F	3.5 F	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2	3.2							
10	2.4 F	2.9 F	3.3 F	3.3 F	3.4 F	3.4 F	3.4 F	3.4 F	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	
11	2.2 F	2.0 F	2.2 F	4.0 F	4.0 F	4.0 F	3.8 F	3.8 F	3.8 F	3.8 F	3.8 F	3.8 F	3.8 F	3.8 F	3.8 F	3.8 F	3.8 F	3.8 F	3.8 F							
12	2.3 F	2.7 F	3.0 F	3.5 F	2.2 F	2.8 F	2.8 F	2.8 F	2.2 F	2.2 F	2.2 F	2.1 F	2.1 F	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	
13	2.3 F	3.0 F	3.0 F	3.0 F	2.9 F	2.9 F	2.9 F	2.9 F	2.9 F	2.9 F	2.9 F	2.9 F	2.9 F	2.9 F	2.9 F	2.9 F	2.9 F									
14	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	1.7 F	1.7 F	1.7 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F		
15	2.0	2.2 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	1.9	(1.6) F	(1.6) F	3.9 F	3.9 F	3.9 F	3.9 F	3.9 F	3.9 F	3.9 F	3.9 F	3.9 F	3.9 F								
16	(2.5) F	2.9 F	3.5 F	3.5 F	3.2 F	3.2 F	3.2 F	3.2 F	4.5 F	4.5 F	4.5 F	5.8 F	5.8 F	5.8 F	5.8 F	5.8 F	5.8 F	5.8 F	5.8 F	5.8 F	5.8 F	5.8 F	5.8 F	5.8 F		
17	2.7 F	3.2 F	3.0 F	3.0 F	3.1 F	3.0 F	3.0 F	3.0 F	2.7 F	2.7 F	2.7 F	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	
18	2.2 F	2.8 F	3.3 F	3.6 F	3.3 F	3.3 F	3.3 F	3.3 F	3.1 F	3.1 F	3.1 F	2.9 F	2.9 F	2.9 F	2.9 F	2.9 F	2.9 F	2.9 F	2.9 F	2.9 F	2.9 F	2.9 F	2.9 F	2.9 F		
19	(2.1) F	2.5 F	2.9 F	3.0 F	3.2 F	3.2 F	3.2 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F						
20	(1.6) F	3.0 F	3.0 F	3.0 F	3.0 F	3.0 F	3.0 F	3.0 F	3.0 F	3.0 F	3.0 F	3.0 F	3.0 F	3.0 F	3.0 F	3.0 F	3.0 F	3.0 F	3.0 F	3.0 F	3.0 F	3.0 F	3.0 F	3.0 F		
21	(2.7) F	(3.2) F	3.6 F	(3.9) F	(3.9) F	(3.5) F	(3.3) F	(3.3) F	4.5 F	4.5 F	4.5 F	6.8 F	6.8 F	6.8 F	6.8 F	6.8 F	6.8 F	6.8 F	6.8 F	6.8 F	6.8 F	6.8 F	6.8 F	6.8 F	6.8 F	
22	2.9 F	3.0 F	3.3 F	3.4 F	4.0 F	3.2 F	3.2 F	3.2 F	3.2 F	3.2 F	3.2 F	3.9 F	3.9 F	3.9 F	3.9 F	3.9 F	3.9 F	3.9 F	3.9 F	3.9 F	3.9 F	3.9 F	3.9 F	3.9 F	3.9 F	
23	2.3 F	(2.1) A	2.4 F	2.2 F	2.2 F	2.2 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F						
24	3.7	4.3 F	4.2 F	3.9 F	3.9 F	3.9 F	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8	4.8						
25	3.1 F	3.5 F	2.9 F	2.8 F	3.5 F	3.5 F	3.5 F	3.2 F	3.2 F	3.2 F	3.2 F	3.2 F	3.2 F	3.2 F	3.2 F	3.2 F	3.2 F	3.2 F	3.2 F	3.2 F	3.2 F					
26	(2.2) F	(2.3) F	2.5 F	1.9 F	9.5 F	(3.5) F	(3.5) F	(3.5) F	2.9 F	2.9 F	2.9 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	
27	2.6 F	(2.8) F	2.9 F	3.0 F	2.8 F	2.8 F	2.8 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.5 F					
28	2.2 F	2.8 F	(2.3) F	(2.8) F	(2.8) F	(2.3) F	(2.3) F	(2.3) F	3.6 F	3.6 F	3.6 F	4.8 F	4.8 F	4.8 F	4.8 F	4.8 F	4.8 F	4.8 F	4.8 F	4.8 F	4.8 F	4.8 F	4.8 F	4.8 F	4.8 F	
29	3.8 F	3.8 F	3.4 F	3.0 F	2.7 F	2.7 F	2.7 F	3.3 F	3.3 F	3.3 F	3.3 F	3.3 F	3.3 F	3.3 F	3.3 F	3.3 F	3.3 F	3.3 F	3.3 F	3.3 F	3.3 F					
30	2.2 F	2.3 F	2.7 F	2.6 F	2.0 F	2.0 F	2.0 F	1.5 F	1.5 F	1.5 F	1.5 F	1.5 F	1.5 F	1.5 F	1.5 F	1.5 F	1.5 F	1.5 F	1.5 F	1.5 F	1.5 F					
31	2.4 F	2.2 F	2.1 F	(2.1) F	(2.1) F	(2.1) F	(2.1) F	(2.1) F	2.2 F	2.2 F	2.2 F	(1.9) F	(1.9) F	(1.9) F	(1.9) F	(1.9) F	(1.9) F	(1.9) F	(1.9) F	(1.9) F	(1.9) F	(1.9) F	(1.9) F	(1.9) F	(1.9) F	
Median	2.4	2.8	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.1	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	
Count	29	30	30	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31

Sweep 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 0.25 min
Manual □ Automatic ■

Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D. C.

h'F1 **Km**
 (Characteristic) (km)
Observed at **Washington, D. C.**

Lat 38°7'N, Long **77.1°W**
 (Month)

Day	IONOSPHERIC DATA												75°W Mean Time													
	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23		
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Sweep I.O. Mc 10.25.0 Mc in 0.25 min
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TABLE 77
Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D. C.
IONOSPHERIC DATA

Day	75°W Mean Time												National Bureau of Standards											
	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
1									L	L	37F	3.9	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
2									Q	L	3.5	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
3									L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
4									Q	L	3.4 ^H	3.7	H	3.8	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
5									Q	L	L	L	3.4	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
6									Q	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
7									Q	3.4	L	*	L	L	L	L	L	Q	Q	Q	Q	Q	Q	
8									Q	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	Q	Q	Q	Q	Q	Q	
9									L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
10									Q	L	*	L	4.1	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L
11									Q	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L
12									Q	4.1 ^H	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
13									Q	K	3.5 ^K	3.7	K	3.7	K	3.6 ^H	K	3.4 ^K	K	3.4 ^K	K	3.4 ^K	K	
14									Q	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
15									Q	A	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	Q	Q	Q	Q	Q	
16									Q	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	
17									Q	Q	4	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
18									Q	Q	Q	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
19									Q	Q	Q	3.9	L	L	L	(3.7) ^P	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
20									L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
21									Q	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
22									Q	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
23									Q	Q	Q	3.8 ^H	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
24									L	4.0	[3.8] ^H	3.7 ^H	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
25									L	L	(3.8) ^P	3.8	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
26									L	L	(3.9) ^H	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
27									Q	(3.6) ^P	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
28									L	K	3.8 ^H	(3.8) ^H	(3.8) ^H	(3.6) ^P	L	K	L	K	L	K	L	K	L	
29									Q	L	3.8 ^H	3.8 ^H	3.9	[3.6] ^H	L	(3.4) ^H	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
30									L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	(3.2) ^L	L	L	L	L	L	
31									-	-	3.6	3.8	3.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Median									8	14	7	3	4	1										
Count																								

Sweep 1.0 Mc to 2.0 Mc in 0.25-min
Manual Automatic

TABLE 78
Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D.C.
IONOSPHERIC DATA

(Characteristic)	Km (Unit)	December, 1952 (Month)	Washington, D.C.	75°W Mean Time												National Bureau of Standards								
				75°W Mean Time													Scaled by: McC. (Institution) E.J.W.	Calculated by: McC. E.J.W.						
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Sweep 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 0.25 min
Manual Automatic

TABLE 79
Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D.C.

foE . Mc		December, 1952 (Month)		IONOSPHERIC DATA												National Bureau of Standards										
Characteristic	(Unit)	Washington, D.C.		75°W Mean Time												Scaled by: McC. (Institution) E.J.W.										
Observed at	Lat. 38.7°N, Long 77.1°W	Day	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
1									A	2.2	(2.6)A	(2.8)A	A	A	2.3	A										
2									A	4	(2.7)H	2.8H	[2.9]A	2.7	(2.6)S	A	A									
3									(1.7)H	2.3	(2.4)H	2.5H	2.7H	2.7	2.5	2.3	1.8H									
4									(2.8)A	[2.1]A	2.4H	2.5	2.8	A	A	A	A									
5									2.0H	2.1	2.5S	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.4	2.3	'A								
6									A	2.3	2.5H	2.7H	A	A	2.4H	(2.0)P	(1.8)A									
7									1.9	(2.3)F	(2.3)H	2.7	2.8	2.8H	2.4H	1.9	1.6									
8									1.7H	2.3	(2.5)P	2.8H	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.6	2.3	1.9								
9									1.9H	(2.3)H	2.6H	2.8H	(2.9)P	(2.9)P	2.5	1.9H	1.7H									
10									2.2	2.5	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.5	2.2	2.4H	2.0								
11									1.8	2.2	2.4	*2.7H	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.5	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	
12									1.9	(2.4)P	(2.5)P	A	B	B	2.8	2.7	2.2	A								
13									1.7K	2.2H	2.4K	2.5K	2.6K	2.7K	2.6K	(2.3)P										
14									1.8A	2.3H	2.6H	[2.8]A	2.9H	2.9	2.7	2.3	1.9									
15									S	20H	2.6	2.6	2.7	A	A	A	A	A								
16									A	2.5H	2.7	(2.8)P	A	A	2.7	A										
17									A	(2.4)A	2.5H	2.9	3.0	2.9	2.7	2.3	A									
18									A	2.4	2.6	(2.9)A	A	A	A	A	A	A								
19									A	2.6	2.6	A	A	A	(2.6)A	2.5	A									
20									A	2.5	2.7H	A	A	A	(2.7)P	A	A	A								
21									A	A	(2.5)H	2.6H	2.9H	2.9	[2.6]A	(2.4)A	1.8H									
22									A	A	A	A	2.9	A	A	A	A	A								
23									A	A	A	A	2.9	(3.0)P	2.8	2.4	A									
24									A	2.3H	[2.5]A	(2.7)P	B	B	2.5	2.2A	(1.8)P									
25									(1.9)P	2.2H	2.4	2.7H	2.9H	2.9	2.6	2.3	(1.7)H									
26									S	(2.1)H	2.5H	(2.5)P	2.7	2.5	2.6	2.4	(1.7)S									
27									(1.9)F	(2.2)H	2.4H	A	A	(2.6)A	(2.5)A	(2.1)H	S									
28									A	(2.0)P	2.3K	[2.5]A	(2.7)K	2.7K	(2.4)A	A	K									
29									1.9	H	A	2.7	2.6	2.7	2.5	2.2	1.9H									
30									5	(2.0)P	2.4H	2.6	(2.6)P	(2.8)P	2.5	(2.3)P	A									
31									B	A	(2.5)B	(2.8)P	[2.8]B	2.8	(2.5)P	2.2	(1.7)P									
									1.9	2.2	2.5	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.6	2.3	1.8									
									1.4	2.4	2.6	2.5	2.7	2.1	2.6	2.3	1.4									
									Median																	
									Count																	

Sweep 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 0.25 min
Manual □ Automatic ☒

TABLE 80
IONOSPHERIC DATA E_S , Mc Km (Unit) December, 1952 (Month)

Observed at Washington, D.C.

Lat. 38°7'N. Long. 77°10'W.

Day	75°W Mean Time										Calculated by: MCC. [Institution] E.J.W.	
	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09		
1	E	E	$34Y_{120}$	$22Y_{120}$	$38Y_{120}$	$41Y_{120}$	$46Y_{120}$	$49Y_{120}$	$42Y_{120}$	$46Y_{120}$	$35Y_{120}$	$35Y_{120}$
2	$30Y_{120}$	$37Y_{120}$	$42Y_{120}$	$32Y_{120}$	$42Y_{120}$	$40Y_{120}$	$35Y_{120}$	$42Y_{120}$	$38Y_{120}$	$42Y_{120}$	$39Y_{120}$	$39Y_{120}$
3	E	$27Y_{120}$	E	$25Y_{120}$	$43Y_{120}$	$32Y_{120}$	$32Y_{120}$	$33Y_{120}$	G	G	$34Y_{120}$	$34Y_{120}$
4	$31Y_{120}$	$40Y_{120}$	$49Y_{120}$	$36Y_{120}$	$31Y_{120}$	$32Y_{120}$	$32Y_{120}$	$31Y_{120}$	$38Y_{120}$	$42Y_{120}$	$36Y_{120}$	$36Y_{120}$
5	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	G	G	G	G	G
6	$40Y_{120}$	$34Y_{120}$	$25Y_{120}$	E	$38Y_{120}$	E	E	$25Y_{120}$	$49Y_{120}$	G	G	G
7	$46Y_{120}$	$32Y_{120}$	E	$70Y_{120}$	$32Y_{120}$	$22Y_{120}$	$44Y_{120}$	$52Y_{120}$	G	G	G	G
8	$30Y_{120}$	$22Y_{120}$	E	E	$36Y_{120}$	E	E	$9Y_{120}$	$42Y_{120}$	G	G	G
9	$25Y_{120}$	$21Y_{120}$	E	E	E	E	E	$11Y_{120}$	G	G	G	G
10	$37Y_{120}$	E	E	E	$24Y_{120}$	$37Y_{120}$	E	E	$11Y_{120}$	G	G	G
11	$20Y_{120}$	E	E	E	E	$13Y_{120}$	E	G	G	G	G	G
12	$37Y_{120}$	$20Y_{120}$	$19Y_{120}$	$18Y_{120}$	E	$37Y_{120}$	$32Y_{120}$	$23Y_{120}$	G	G	G	G
13	E	E	E	$47Y_{120}$	$39Y_{120}$	$25Y_{120}$	$48Y_{120}$	$49Y_{120}$	E	G	G	G
14	$21Y_{120}$	$26Y_{120}$	B	E	$31Y_{120}$	$26Y_{120}$	$37Y_{120}$	$37Y_{120}$	G	G	G	G
15	E	E	E	E	$34Y_{120}$	$22Y_{120}$	$38Y_{120}$	$38Y_{120}$	G	G	G	G
16	E	E	E	E	E	$26Y_{120}$	E	E	$23Y_{120}$	G	G	G
17	$19Y_{120}$	E	E	E	E	E	E	$23Y_{120}$	$43Y_{120}$	G	G	G
18	$25Y_{120}$	$31Y_{120}$	$33Y_{120}$	$33Y_{120}$	E	E	E	$27Y_{120}$	$37Y_{120}$	G	G	G
19	$58Y_{120}$	$11Y_{120}$	E	E	$24Y_{120}$	$37Y_{120}$	$46Y_{120}$	$46Y_{120}$	G	G	G	G
20	$38Y_{120}$	$31Y_{120}$	$39Y_{120}$	$43Y_{120}$	$43Y_{120}$	$45Y_{120}$	$45Y_{120}$	$46Y_{120}$	$46Y_{120}$	G	G	G
21	$44Y_{120}$	$33Y_{120}$	$46Y_{120}$	$46Y_{120}$	$32Y_{120}$	E	E	$46Y_{120}$	$35Y_{120}$	$50Y_{120}$	G	G
22	$50Y_{120}$	$32Y_{120}$	$27Y_{120}$	$23Y_{120}$	$23Y_{120}$	$35Y_{120}$	$45Y_{120}$	$56Y_{120}$	$33Y_{120}$	$38Y_{120}$	G	G
23	$50Y_{120}$	$39Y_{120}$	$74Y_{120}$	$72Y_{120}$	$45Y_{120}$	$38Y_{120}$	$44Y_{120}$	$51Y_{120}$	$43Y_{120}$	$47Y_{120}$	G	G
24	$24Y_{120}$	E	E	$31Y_{120}$	$31Y_{120}$	$38Y_{120}$	$40Y_{120}$	$42Y_{120}$	$23Y_{120}$	$27Y_{120}$	G	G
25	$31Y_{120}$	$29Y_{120}$	$25Y_{120}$	$19Y_{120}$	$19Y_{120}$	E	E	$29Y_{120}$	$31Y_{120}$	$30Y_{120}$	G	G
26	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	$27Y_{120}$	$31Y_{120}$	G	G
27	$30Y_{120}$	$11Y_{120}$	$10Y_{120}$	$43Y_{120}$	$73Y_{120}$	E	E	$23Y_{120}$	$41Y_{120}$	G	G	G
28	$25Y_{120}$	E	$24Y_{120}$	E	E	E	E	$22Y_{120}$	$37Y_{120}$	G	G	G
29	E	E	E	E	$86Y_{120}$	$78Y_{120}$	$44Y_{120}$	$24Y_{120}$	$36Y_{120}$	G	G	G
30	E	E	E	E	E	$22Y_{120}$	$23Y_{120}$	$24Y_{120}$	$24Y_{120}$	$26Y_{120}$	G	G
31	E	$38Y_{120}$	E	E	E	$30Y_{120}$	$25Y_{120}$	$39Y_{120}$	$37Y_{120}$	$25Y_{120}$	G	G
Median	2.5	2.1	$*\ast$	1.9	2.5	2.4	2.5	3.2	2.7	$*\ast$	2.6	2.3
Count	31	30	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31

Sweep L.O. Mc 1025.0 Mc in. 0.25 min
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TABLE 8
Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D.C.

(M 1500) F2, December, 1952
(Characteristic) (Unit)
Observed at Washington, D.C.
Lat. 38.7°N, Long. 77.1°W

National Bureau of Standards
(Institution) E.J.W.
Scaled by: MCC. Calculated by: MCC. E.J.W.

Day	75° W Mean Time												
	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12
1	2.0 F	2.1 F	(2.1) J	(2.1) J	2.2	2.3	2.5 S	2.6	2.5	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.4
2	(2.0) F	2.0 F	2.0 F	2.0 F	2.0 F	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.4
3	(2.0) F	2.0 F	2.0 F	2.0 F	2.1	2.3	2.5	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.3
4	(2.0) F	(2.0) F	1.9 F	(2.0) P	1.9 F	2.0 F	2.2 F	2.5	2.4 S	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3
5	(2.0) F	(2.0) F	2.0	2.0	2.3	2.3	2.1	2.1	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.3
6	A	A	(1.9) J	(2.1) F	(1.9) J	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.6	2.8	(2.3) J	2.3	2.4
7	(2.1) J	2.1 F	2.1 F	(2.0) F	(2.1) F	(2.1) J	(2.3) F	(2.5) H	2.5	(2.4) J	(2.3) H	2.4	2.4
8	2.0 F	1.9 F	2.0 F	2.0 F	2.0 F	2.1 F	(2.1) S	2.1 F	2.4	2.1	(2.3) J	2.1	2.2
9	2.0 F	2.2 F	2.0 F	2.0 F	2.1 F	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.5
10	2.0 F	2.0 F	2.0	2.1	2.2	2.4	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.1	2.3	2.3	2.0
11	B	2.0 F	1.9	2.0	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.2	2.5	2.5	(2.2) H	C	2.0
12	2.1	2.1 F	2.0	2.1 F	2.2 F	2.0 F	2.0 F	2.2 F	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.3
13	2.2 F	2.0 F	(2.0) K	A	K	(1.7) K	A	K	2.0 F	2.1 K	2.0 K	2.1 K	2.1 K
14	B	K	B	K	2.1	K	2.2	K	B	K	2.0	H	K
15	1.9	(1.9) J	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.2	B	5	2.0	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3
16	2.1 F	2.0 F	(2.1) J	2.0	2.0	2.1 F	2.2 F	2.2 F	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.3
17	2.0 F	(2.0) F	(1.9) F	2.0	2.0	2.0 F	2.0 F	2.1 F	(2.0) J	2.4	(2.0) H	2.4	2.4
18	2.0	2.0	2.1 F	2.1 F	2.1 F	2.0 F	2.0 F	2.0 F	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1
19	(2.1) A	2.1 F	2.3	5	2.1	2.1	2.0 F	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.3
20	(2.1) J	2.1 F	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.1	A	(2.3) J	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7
21	2.1 F	(2.0) F	(2.1) J	2.2	2.2	(2.2) F	(2.3) J	2.4	2.5	2.5	(2.5) J	2.5	2.5
22	2.1 F	2.2 F	(2.2) J	2.2	F	2.2 F	2.2	2.5	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4
23	A	2.1 F	A	(2.1) A	2.2	F	2.4 F	(2.6) A	2.6	(2.7) J	2.4	2.4	2.4
24	1.8	1.9	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.5	1.9	(1.9) J	2.2	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.3
25	(2.1) J	(2.1) F	2.2 F	2.2 F	2.2 F	2.2 F	2.2 F	2.1	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.2
26	(2.0) F	(2.0) F	(2.0) F	(2.0) F	(2.1) F	(2.1) F	(2.1) F	(2.1) F	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4
27	2.1	F	2.1	F	2.2	F	2.3	F	2.5	2.5	(2.3) J	2.5	2.5
28	2.0 F	(2.1) J	1.9 F	1.9 F	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.1 K	2.3 K	2.4	2.4	2.4
29	2.0 F	2.1	2.1 F	2.1	2.1	(2.0) J	(2.0) J	2.0	2.5	2.5	(2.4) S	2.4	2.4
30	2.0 F	2.1 F	2.0	2.0	2.1 F	(2.0) J	1.9	2.5	2.4	2.2	2.3	2.3	2.3
31	(2.0) F	2.1	2.2	2.1 F	2.1 F	2.0 F	(2.2) F	2.5 F	2.4	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.4
Median	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.4
Count	27	28	30	30	31	31	31	31	31	31	30	30	29

Sweep 10 Mc to 25 Mc in 25-min
Manual □ Automatic □

TABLE 82
Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D.C.
IONOSPHERIC DATA

(M3000) F2, December, 1952
(Characteristic) (Year)
Observed at Washington, D.C.

Lat 38.7°N., Long 77.1°W.

Day	75° W										75° W												
	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
1	30 F	31 F	30 F	31 F	31 F	32	33	33	32	33	33	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	32	30 F	29 F	28 F
2	(30) F	29 F	30 F	30 F	30 F	30 F	30 F	30 F	30 F	30 F	30 F	30 F	30 F	30 F	30 F	30 F	30 F	30 F	31 F	32	30	31 F	
3	(29) F	29 F	30 F	29 F	30 F	31	31	34	31	35	35	(27) F	35	33	33	34	34	34	35	33	32	(35) F	28 F
4	(30) F	(30) F	29 F	(29) F	29 F	(29) F	30 F	32 F	30 F	32 F	35	35	(34) F	34	32	33	32	32	33	34	35	33 F	32 F
5	(30) F	(30) F	30 F	30 F	30 F	30 F	33	33	5	31	33	35	35	34	32	32	32	34	34	35	35	(28) F	(31) F
6	A	A	(2.8) F	31 F	(3.1) F	32 F	32	32	33	34	(3.3) F	(3.1) F	32	34	(3.3) F	34	34	34	34	35	35	32 F	28
7	(31) S	31 F	31 F	32 F	(3.0) F	(3.1) F	32 F	32 F	(3.1) F	32 F	(3.5) F	(3.5) F	35	35	34	35	34	35	35	37	(3.2) F	31 F	2.9
8	30 F	29 F	30 F	29 F	30 F	(3.0) F	31 F	(3.1) F	31 F	35 S	37	34	31	(3.3) F	33 F	34	35	36	35	36	37	30	30 F
9	30 F	32 F	30 F	30 F	30 F	31 F	31 F	31 F	34	35	(3.5) F	(3.5) F	37	37	(3.4) F	35	35	35	35	35	35	(3.1) F	30
10	29 F	30 F	30	31	32	35	32	32	33	33	33	33	31	31	35	33	32	33	33	35	30	30	A
11	B S	30 F	29	30	30	33	33	34	32	32	36	35	35	C	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	
12	29	31	30	31 F	31 F	32 F	32 F	30 F	30 F	32 F	34	34	32	35	33	33	33	34	34	34	31 F	32	3.5 F
13	32 F	29 F	(3.0) F	A X	X(2.6) F	A K	3.5 F	2.8 F	2.9 F	30 F	28 F	28 F	29 F	(3.0) F	30 F	30 F	30 F	30 F	30 F	30 F	30 F	30 F	
14	B X	B S	B S	31 F	32 F	B K	30 F	34	35	32	34	34	34	34	34	33	33	33	34	33	33	31	2.8
15	28	(2.8) F	2.9	2.9	2.9	3.2	B S	2.9 F	3.3	3.4	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.4	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.4	3.4	3.3	2.9 F	2.8 F
16	31 F	30 F	(3.1) F	30	30	31 F	32 F	32	32	35	33	33	35	35	34	34	34	35	34	34	32 F	34 F	31 F
17	30 F	29 F	F(2.8) F	30	31 F	30 F	30 F	31	(3.6) F	34	36	(3.4) F	34	34	34	37	34	35	35	(3.2) F	33 F	32 F	
18	30	30	31 F	31 F	31 F	30 F	30 F	32 F	33	33	33	35	35	35	34	34	34	34	34	34	32	30	
19	(31) A	32 F	34 S	31	30 F	32	32	32	34	36	(3.7) F	(3.7) F	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	33	31 F
20	(31) A	31 F	31 F	32	32	32	31	A	(3.3) A	3.8	3.6	3.7	35	36	34	34	34	36	35	36	33	34 S	
21	31 F	30 F	(3.0) F	(3.1) F	32 F	(3.2) F	(3.4) F	35 S	34	37	35 F	34	34	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	30 F	
22	31 F	32 F	(3.2) F	32 F	32 F	35 F	34 F	34 F	36	35	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	36	35 F	34 F	A	
23	A	31 F	A	(31) A	32 F	34 F	(3.4) A	(3.6) S	(3.5) A	37	(3.7) F	34	34	34	34	35	35	35	34	(3.4) A	35	31 F	
24	27	29	31	31	31	32	32	32	35	32	31	2.8	(2.8) F	32	32	30	34	34	34	33	34	30	30 S
25	(31) F	(32) F	(3.2) F	32 F	32 F	33 F	(31) F	B S	32 F	35 F	(31) F	37 F	34 F	36	35	35	35	35	35	35	35	33 F	
26	(30) F	(30) F	(30) F	(31) F	(32) F	(33) F	33 F	32 F	34	36	36	36	(3.2) F	35	(3.5) F	36	(3.3) F	35	34	34	34	31 F	
27	31	A	31	32 F	32 F	33 F	32 F	(34) F	35 F	34	36	36	36	36	36	36	35 F	34	34	34	34	30	
28	30 F	(31) F	2.8 F	2.9 F	2.8 F	31	30	31 F	32 F	2.9 F	31 F	31 F	32 F	32 F	32 F	32 F	(2.9) F	31 F	32 F	31 F	31 F	(30) F	
29	30 F	31 F	31 F	31 F	31 F	(3.0) F	(3.2) F	30	35	33	34	34	32	(3.5) F	34	34	34	35	36	36	36	36	
30	30 F	30	31 F	30	31 F	31 F	31 F	32 F	37	36	35	33	32	31 F	31	31	31	32 F	31 F	31 F	30	30 S	
31	(29) F	31	32	31 F	31 F	2.9 F	(3.2) F	(3.2) F	34	32	34	32	32	34	32	34	33	35	33	34 F	(3.2) F	(30) F	
Median	30	30	30	31	31	31	32	32	35	35	35	35	34	34	34	34	34	34	34	32	32	30	
Count	27	28	30	31	31	30	29	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	24	

Sweep 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 0.25 min
Manual □ Automatic □

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Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D.C.

TABLE 83
IONOSPHERIC DATA

(M 3000) FI, December, 1952
(Characteristic) (Month)
Observed at Washington, D.C.
Lat 38.7°N, Long 77.1°W

Day	75° W																								Mean Time
	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	
1								L	L	L	L	4.0	F	4.0	L	L	L	L							
2								Q	L	L	L	3.9	L	L	L	L	L	L	L						
3								L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L						
4								Q	L	3.9	N	3.7	N	3.6	L	L	L	L	L						
5								Q	L	L	L	L	L	4.0	L	L	L	L	L						
6								Q	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L						
7								Q	4.1	L	L	L	L	L	K	Q									
8								Q	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	A					
9								L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L					
10								Q	L	L	3.9	L	4.0	L											
11								Q	L	L	L	L	L	L	K	Q									
12								Q	3.6	N	L	L	L	L	K	3.7	K	3.6	N	L	K				
13								Q	K	3.3	K	3.6	K	3.7	K	L	K	3.6	N	L	K				
14								Q	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
15								Q	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	Q				
16								Q	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	J	J	J	J	J	J	J	J	J	
17								Q	Q	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
18								Q	Q	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
19								Q	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
20								Q	Q	3.8	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
21								L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
22								Q	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
23								Q	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
24								L	3.6	L	3.9	N	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
25								L	(3.9)	P	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
26								L	(3.7)	H	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	Q				
27								Q	(3.9)	P	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
28								L	K	3.6	N	(3.7)	H	(3.8)	N	(3.8)	K	P	L	K	L	K			
29								Q	L	3.7	L	L	L	L	L	L	(3.7)	L	L	L	L				
30								L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	(4.0)	L				
31								L	L	(3.7)	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	L	
Median								-	-	3.8	3.7	3.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Count								-	-	8	7	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	

Sweep 15 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 25 min

Manual □ Automatic ☒

TABLE 84
IONOSPHERIC DATA

(M1500) E, (unit)
 Observed at Washington, D. C.

December, 1952
 (month)

Lat. 38.7°N, Long. 77.1°W

Day	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
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Median	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	
Count	12	23	27	22	19	21	25	23	14															

Sweep 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 0.25 min
 Manual Automatic

Table 85

Ionospheric Storminess at Washington, D. C.December 1952

Day	Ionospheric character*		Principal storms		Geomagnetic character**	
	00-12 GCT	12-24 GCT	Beginning GCT	End GCT	00-12 GCT	12-24 GCT
1	2	2			2	3
2	1	2			3	5
3	3	2			4	3
4	3	3			4	4
5	3	3			4	3
6	2	2			2	2
7	2	2			2	1
8	2	1			2	1
9	2	1			1	1
10	2	1			2	2
11	2	1			3	2
12	2	1			2	2
13	3	5	0600	-----	5	3
14	4	3	-----	1200	1	1
15	3	1			2	2
16	2	3			2	2
17	2	1			3	1
18	1	1			2	2
19	2	2			1	2
20	1	1			2	1
21	1	1			2	1
22	1	1			2	2
23	3	2			1	1
24	3	2			3	4
25	1	2			4	2
26	2	2			3	2
27	1	1			3	3
28	3	4	1200	2300	3	4
29	1	1			4	4
30	2	1			4	4
31	1	3			3	4

*Ionosphere character figure (I-figure) for ionospheric storminess at Washington, D. C., during 12-hour period, on an arbitrary scale of 0 to 9, 9 representing the greatest disturbance.

**Average for 12 hours of Cheltenham, Maryland, geomagnetic K-figures on an arbitrary scale of 0 to 9, 9 representing the greatest disturbance.

----Dashes indicate continuing storm.

Table 86a

Radio Propagation Quality Figures
(Including Comparisons with Short-Term and Advance Forecasts)

November 1952

Day	North Atlantic quality figure	Short-term forecasts issued about one hour in advance of 12-hour period, UT:				Whole day quality index	Advance forecasts (J-reports) for whole day; issued in advance by:			Geomag- netic K_{Ch}	
		Half Day UT (1)	00 to 12	06 to 18	12 to 24	18 to 06	UT	1 to 3/4 days	4/5 to 7 days	8 to 25 days	
Nov											
1	(4) 5	(3)	(30)	5	(4)	(4)	(3)	(4)	X	3	(4)
2	(4) 6	(4)	(3)	5	5	(4)	(3)	(4)	X	3	3
3	5 7	(4)	(4)	6	6	6	(4)	5		3	2
4	5 7	5	5	6	6	6	5	5		2	1
5	5 6	5	5	6	6	5	6	6		2	1
6	5 6	6	(4)	6	6	5	6	6		3	2
7	5 6	5	(4)	6	6	5	6	6		3	3
8	5 6	5	(4)	6	6	5	5	5		3	3
9	6 6	(4)	(4)	6	6	6	5	5		2	2
10	6 7	6	6	6	7	6	6	6		1	1
11	5 7	6	6	7	7	6	7	7		1	2
12	7 8	7	7	7	7	7	7	7		1	1
13	6 8	6	6	7	7	7	6	6		1	1
14	6 7	7	6	7	6	7	6	6		2	2
15	7 7	6	6	6	6	7	7	7		3	2
16	6 7	6	6	6	5	7	7	7		2	2
17	6 8	6	6	6	6	7	7	7		2	3
18	6 7	(4)	(4)	6	6	6	7	6		2	2
19	7 7	6	5	7	7	7	6	7		2	1
20	7 7	6	6	7	7	7	6	7		2	2
21	6 6	6	5	(4)	(4)	6	(4)	6		(4)	3
22	5 6	(4)	(4)	5	5	5	(3)	(4)	X	3	2
23	5 7	(4)	(3)	5	6	6	(4)	(4)	X	(4)	1
24	5 7	5	5	6	6	6	5	5		2	2
25	6 7	6	5	7	6	6	5	5		2	1
26	6 6	5	5	5	5	6	(4)	(4)	X	2	(4)
27	(4) (4)	(4)	(4)	5	(4)	(4)	(3)	(3)	X	(4)	(4)
28	(4) 5	(3)	(3)	(4)	5	(4)	(3)	(3)	X	(4)	3
29	5 6	(3)	(4)	5	5	5	(4)	(4)	X	2	3
30	5 6	(4)	(4)	5	6	5	(4)	5		2	2

Score: Quiet periods

P	12	11	6	11
S	11	15	15	13
U	1	2	1	0
F	2	1	4	2

Disturbed periods

P	2	0	0	2
S	2	1	4	2
U	0	0	0	0
F	0	0	0	0

Scales:

Q-scale of Radio Propagation Quality

- (1) - useless
- (2) - very poor
- (3) - poor
- (4) - poor to fair
- 5 - fair
- 6 - fair to good
- 7 - good
- 8 - very good
- 9 - excellent

K-scale of Geomagnetic Activity

0 to 9, 9 representing the greatest disturbance; $K_{Ch} \geq 4$ indicates significant disturbance, enclosed in () for emphasis

Scoring: (beginning October 1952)

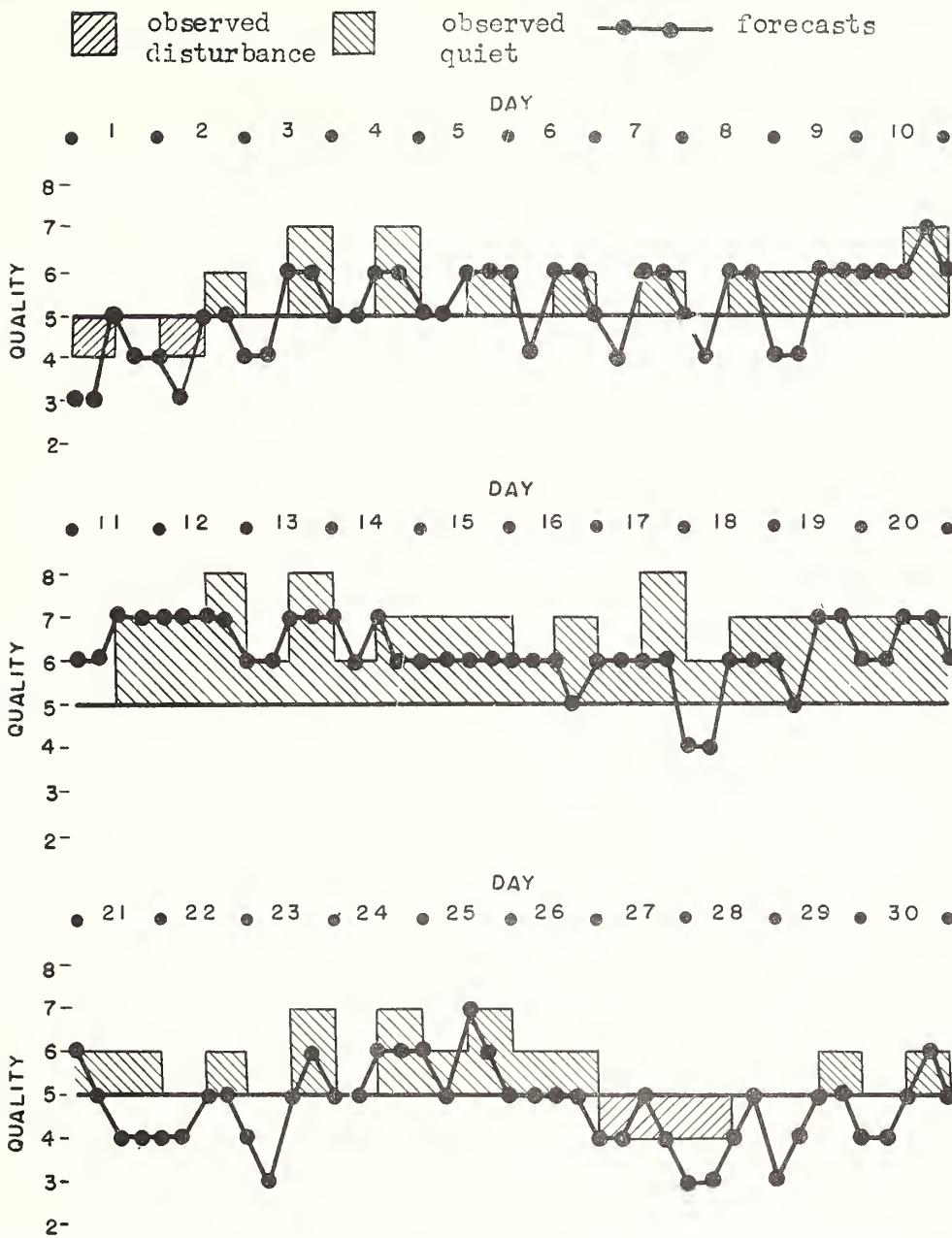
P - Perfect: forecast quality equal to observed
S - Satisfactory: (beginning October 1952)
forecast quality one grade different
from observed

U - Unsatisfactory: forecast quality two or more
grades different from observed when both
forecast and observed were ≥ 5 , or both ≤ 5

F - Failure: other times when forecast quality
two or more grades different from observed

Symbols:

X - probable disturbed date

Short-Term Forecasts--November 1952

Outcome of Advance Forecasts (1 to 3 or 4 days ahead)--November 1952

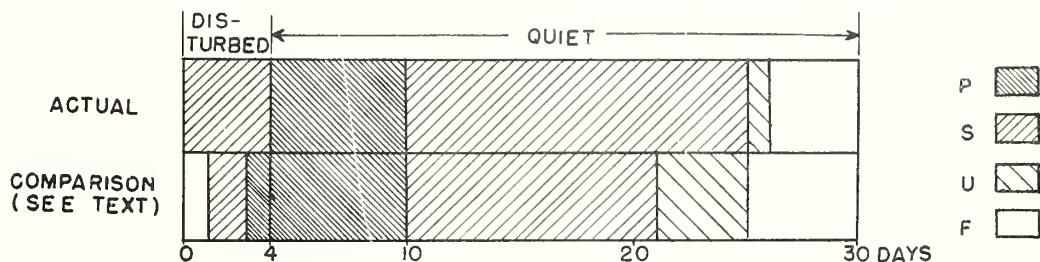


Table 93

Particulars of Observations, Climax, Colorado
July - December 1952

Date GCT	Greenline threshold intensity at 45° 90° 135° 225° 270° 315°								Obs.	Meas.	Date GCT	Greenline threshold intensity at 45° 90° 135° 225° 270° 315°								Obs.	Meas.		
	10	10	8	7	8	8	10	10				7	9	9	11	10	10	10	10				
1952																							
Jul. 9.6	10	10	8	7	8	8			At.	W	Sep. 26.7	7	9	9	11	10	10	10	10		D	R	
11.6	11	7	7	-	-	-			At.	W	27.6	13	12	12	-	-	-	-	-	H	R		
12.6	7	8	9	7	6	9			At.	W	Oct. 1.7	11	11	12	12	12	12	9	6	D	R		
13.6	13	11	11	10	10	10			At.	W	2.7	8	8	9	6	7	7	6	6	H	R		
14.6	7	7	6	6	6	6			At.	W	3.8	5	6	6	4	3	6	6	6	H	R		
15.6	11	13	11	11	10	11			At.	W	4.7	7	6	7	7	6	5	4	4	H	R		
16.6	9	10	9	9	8	10			A	W	5.7	4	5	5	7	8	-	-	D	R			
17.9	13	13	12	13	12	12			At.	W	7.0	9	8	8	-	-	-	-	H	R			
18.6	13	13	13	12	13	12			A	W	7.7	4	3	4	5	4	3	3	3	D	R		
19.6	10	11	10	9	10	9			At.	W	8.6	3	3	3	6	6	6	6	6	H	R		
20.6	>15	>15	>15	15	15	12			At.	W	9.7	12	6	7	-	-	-	-	H/D	R			
21.6	12	12	12	12	11	12			A	W	10.7	10	7	7	7	6	6	6	D	R			
22.6	12	14	15	12	13	14			A	W	11.7	13	13	12	10	10	10	10	D	R			
23.6	13	12	12	11	11	11			H	W	12.7	7	7	8	9	7	7	8	H/D	R			
24.6	7	7	5	5	5	6			H	W	15.9	14	>15	11	-	-	-	-	D	R			
26.7	11	10	10	9	9	8			A	W	16.6	7	9	9	6	9	8	8	H	R			
Aug. 2.7	-	14	-	6	7	9			H	R	17.7	10	10	13	14	10	11	11	D/H	R			
3.8	>15	8	-	11	8	10			H	R	18.9	-	-	-	14	10	11	11	H/D	R			
4.6	11	12	12	12	14	11			H	R	21.7	7	9	11	6	4	4	4	D/H	R			
5.6	9	9	10	12	8	7			H	R	22.7	5	6	11	7	8	8	8	H/D	R			
6.6	10	14	10	10	10	9			H	R	23.7	3	3	3	4	3	3	3	H	R			
8.2	-	6	-	-	6	-			A	R	24.7	3	2	2	3	3	4	2	D	R			
9.6	-	8	-	-	-	-			H	R	25.7	2	3	3	4	3	4	4	D	R			
11.7	-	7	8	-	7	8			H/A	R	26.8	5	5	5	6	5	4	4	H/D	R			
12.7	-	5	5	13	11	12			H	R	27.9	12	6	6	7	6	5	5	D	R			
14.8	-	6	7	-	5	-			H	R	28.7	2	2	3	3	3	3	3	H	R			
15.8	10	11	11	6	6	6			H	R	29.7	3	4	7	-	-	-	-	D	R			
16.7	-	10	-	-	-	-			A	R	30.8	9	8	10	12	4	4	4	H/D	R			
18.6	5	5	5	5	5	6			H	R	31.7	2	3	3	3	3	3	3	R/B				
19.6	5	6	5	5	4	5			A	R	Nov. 3.8	2	3	3	3	3	2	2	D	R/B			
22.7	-	2	-	-	-	-			H	R	4.7	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	R/B				
23.6	5	2	3	2	2	2			H	R	5.7	2	2	3	4	3	3	3	R/B				
24.7	-	5	5	-	-	-			H	R	7.0	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	R/B				
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26.6	10	6	12	7	5	8			A	R	10.7	3	4	4	3	3	3	3	R/B				
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30.7	-	9	12	-	7	8			A	R	12.7	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	R/B				
31.6	8	9	9	7	7	7			H	R	14.7	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	R/B				
Sep. 1.7	10	8	12	9	6	7			D	R	20.7	2	2	2	2	2	2	-	D	R/B			
2.7	-	6	5	5	5	4			D	R	21.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	D	R/B			
3.7	6	7	6	4	5	5			D	R	29.6	3	4	5	5	5	5	6	H	R/B			
4.7	7	7	6	6	-	-			D	R	Dec. 1.7	2	2	2	>15	>15	>15	>15	D	R/B			
5.8	-	7	7	6	6	5			D	R	2.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	D	R			
7.7	-	7	-	-	-	-			D	R	4.8	10	10	10	11	11	11	11	H	R			
8.7	-	5	9	7	5	6			H	R	5.8	11	11	11	14	14	14	14	H	R			
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15.7	11	10	10	11	11	11			D	R	16.8	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	H/D	R			
17.7	7	7	8	7	6	7			D	R	24.7	4	5	4	4	4	4	4	D	R			
18.9	4	5	5	5	4	5			D	R	25.7	4	5	4	4	4	4	4	D	R			
19.8	8	8	8	9	6	6			D	R	27.7	4	5	4	4	4	4	4	D	R			
22.7	3	3	4	4	4	4			H/D	R	29.8	9	8	9	9	8	8	8	H	R			
23.6	4	4	4	5	4	4			H	R	30.8	3	3	3	3	4	4	4	H	R			
24.6	5	5	4	6	8	6			H/D	R	31.7	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	H	R			
25.7	7	7	8	9	6	7			H/D	R													

A = Allen
At = Athay
B = Billings
D = F.Dolder
H = Hansen
R = Roberts
W = I. Witte

Table 95

Zürich Provisional Relative Sunspot NumbersDecember 1952

Date	R _Z *	Date	R _Z *
1	13	17	67
2	12	18	66
3	14	19	66
4	16	20	50
5	22	21	40
6	32	22	35
7	38	23	35
8	50	24	29
9	38	25	18
10	28	26	36
11	34	27	15
12	40	28	0
13	47	29	7
14	63	30	9
15	71	31	16
16	67	Mean:	34.6

* Dependent on observations at Zürich Observatory and its stations at Locarno and Arosa.

Table 96

American Relative Sunspot NumbersNovember 1952

Date	R_A , *	Date	R_A , *
1	19	17	25
2	10	18	33
3	0	19	38
4	0	20	44
5	11	21	35
6	16	22	33
7	34	23	28
8	40	24	35
9	33	25	24
10	26	26	20
11	26	27	15
12	20	28	4
13	24	29	5
14	26	30	12
15	20		
16	19	Mean:	22.5

* Combination of reports from 28 observers; see page 10.

Table 27

Solar Flares, December 1952

Observatory	Date	Time Observed		Duration (Min.)	Area (Mill. of Visible) (Hemisphere)	Position Latitude (Deg.)	Position Longitude (Deg.)	Difference (Deg.)	Time of Maximum (GCT)	Int. of Maximum (GCT)	Relative Area of Maximum (Tenths)	Importance	SID Observed
		Beginning (GCT)	Ending (GCT)										
McMath	Dec. 7	1520				N10	E48		1810	10	4		
Sac. Peak	7	1735	1950	135	112	N11	E48		2030	15	3		
"	7	2000	2145	105	101	N11	E48		1831	10	4		
"	8	1815	1846	31	54	N08	E31						
McMath	8	1826				N10	E22						
Sac. Peak	10	2150	2156A	App. 10	33	N12	E05		2156A	8	3		
"	11	1950	1959	9	27	N06	W11		1955	7	5		
"	11	2000	2012	12	71	N07	W10		2008	11	2		
"	11	2040	2100	20	54	N08	W09		2050	9	6		
"	12	2010	2028	18	138	N13	W30		2017	12	5		
Sac. Peak	14	2155	2159A	App. 10	28	N08	E48		2159A	7	8		
McMath	17	1938				S09	E35						
Sac. Peak	22	1720	1800	40	71	S10	W76		1742	8	6		
"	22	1805	1900	55	66	S10	W76		1835	9	5		
"	25	1915B	2150	App. 160	166	S11	W70		1930	15	3		
"	30	1655P	1715P	20P	55	N01	E11		1705P	15	4		

Sac. Peak = Sacramento Peak

B Flare began before given time

A Flare ended after given time

Q Time reported as questionable

P Times only approximate

Table 98

Indices of Geomagnetic Activity for November 1952

Preliminary values of international character-figures, C;
Geomagnetic planetary three-hour-range indices, K_p;
Magnetically selected quiet and disturbed days

Table 99Sudden Ionosphere Disturbances Observed at Washington, D. C.December 1952

No sudden ionosphere disturbances were observed during the month
of December.

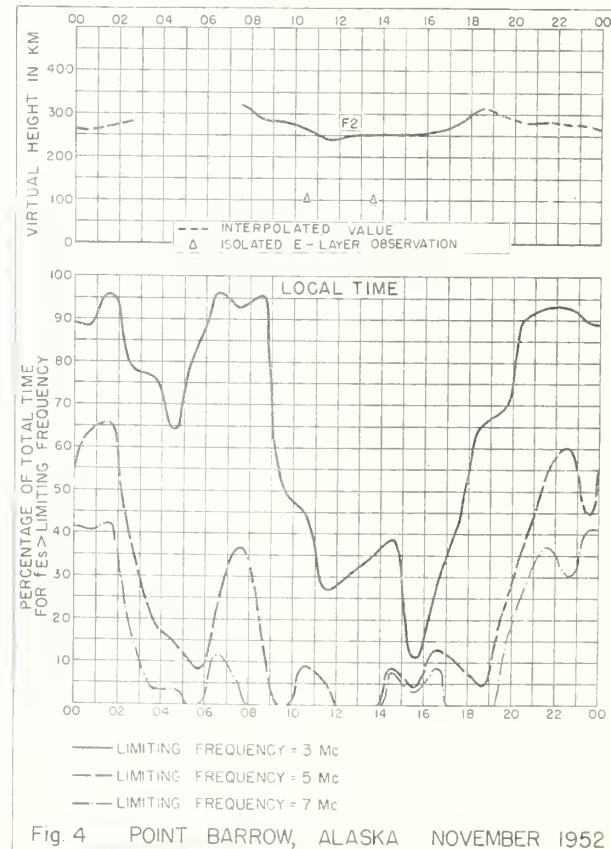
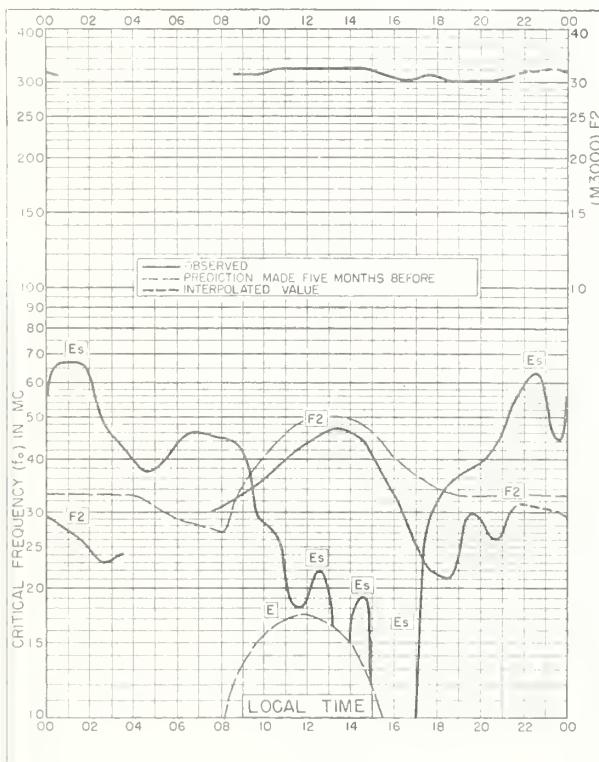
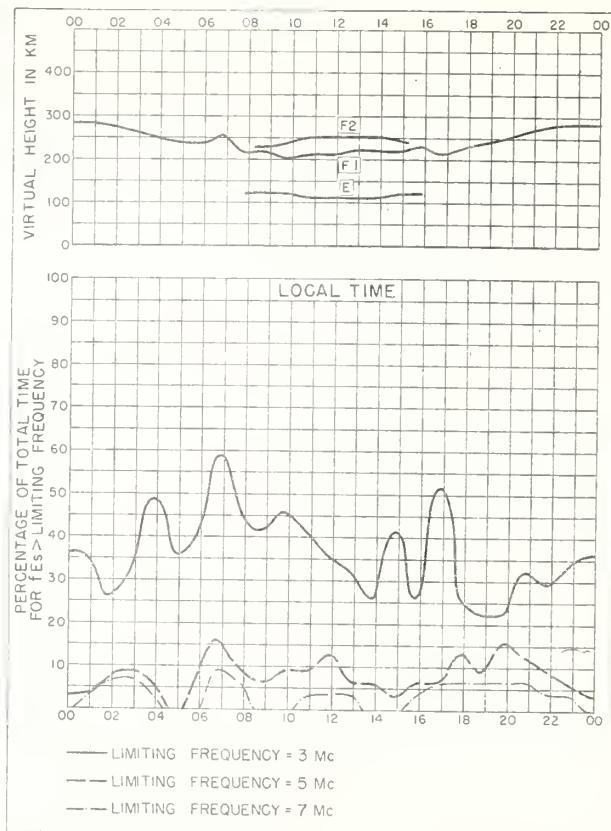
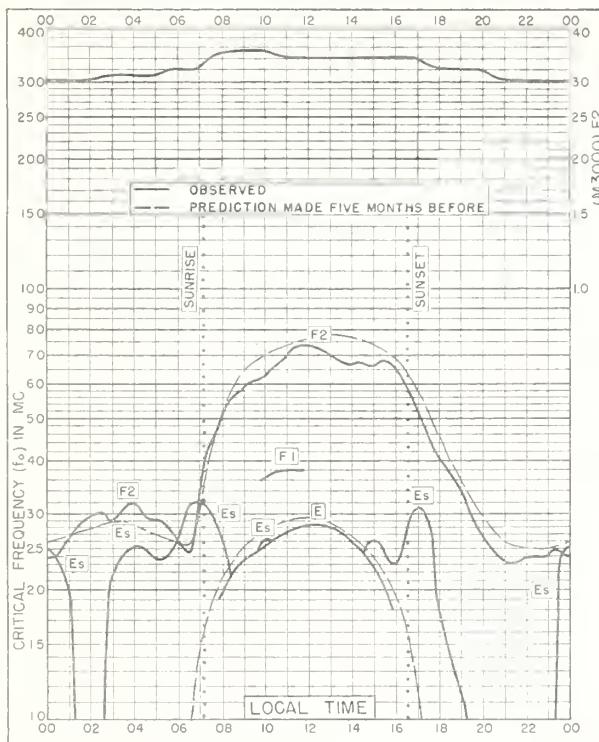
Table 100

Sudden Ionosphere Disturbances Reported by International Telephone
and Telegraph Corporation, as Observed at Platanos, Argentina

1952 Day	GCT		Location of transmitters	Other phenomena
	Beginning	End		
November 22	1050	1110	Brazil, Denmark, Germany, Italy	

Note: Observers are invited to send to the CRPL information on times of beginning and end of sudden ionosphere disturbances for publication as above. Address letters to the Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D. C.

GRAPHS OF IONOSPHERIC DATA



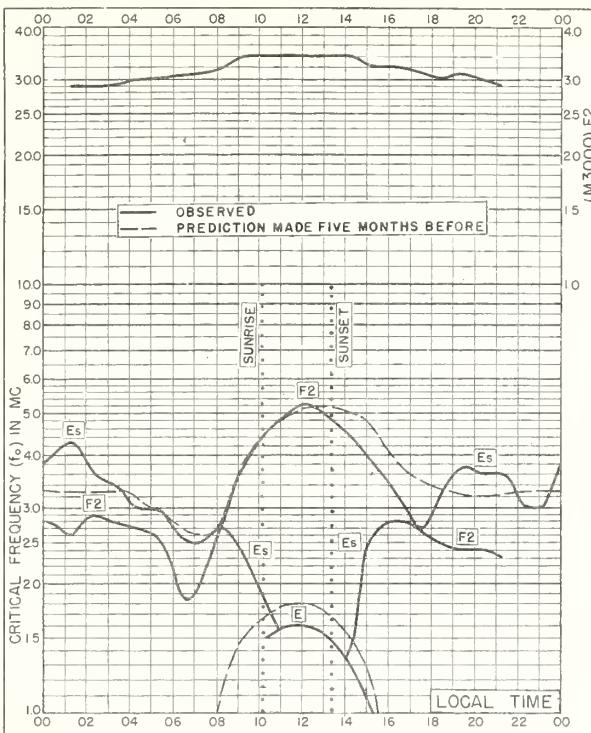


Fig. 5 TROMSO, NORWAY
69.7° N, 19.0° E NOVEMBER 1952

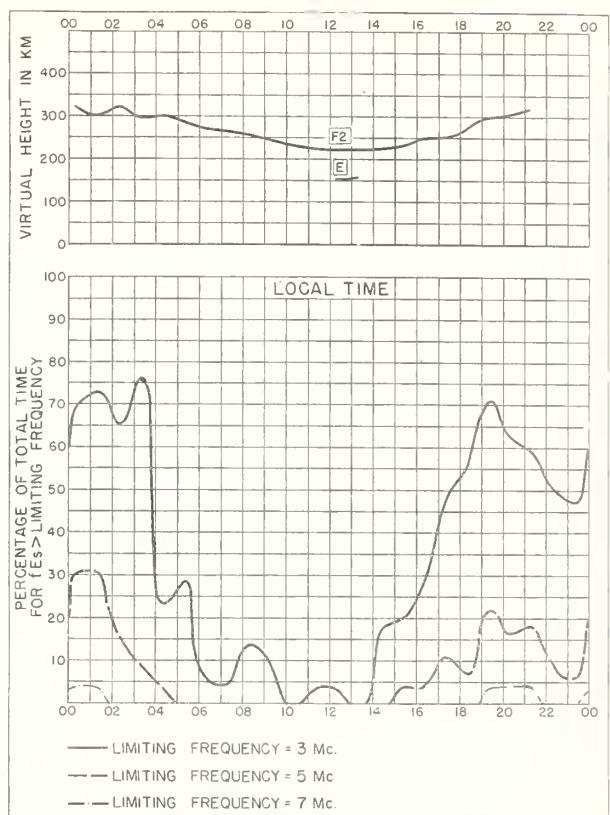


Fig. 6 TROMSO, NORWAY NOVEMBER 1952

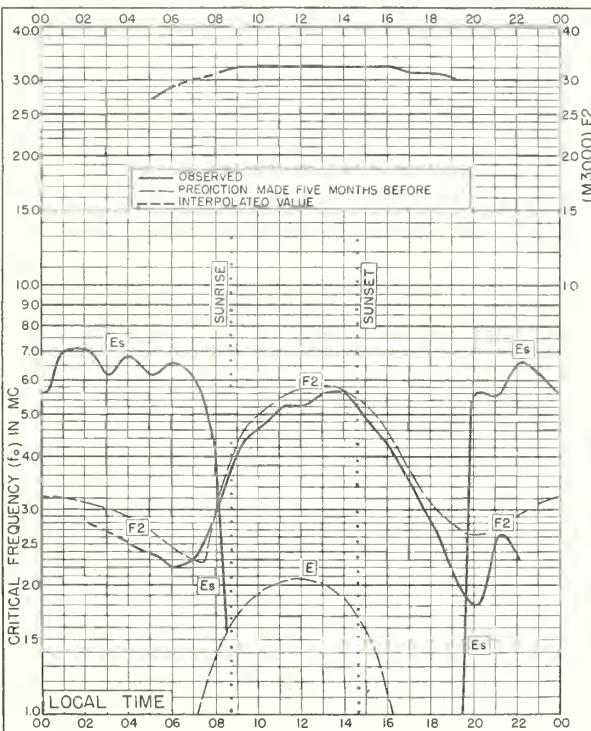


Fig. 7 FAIRBANKS, ALASKA
64.9° N, 147.8° W NOVEMBER 1952

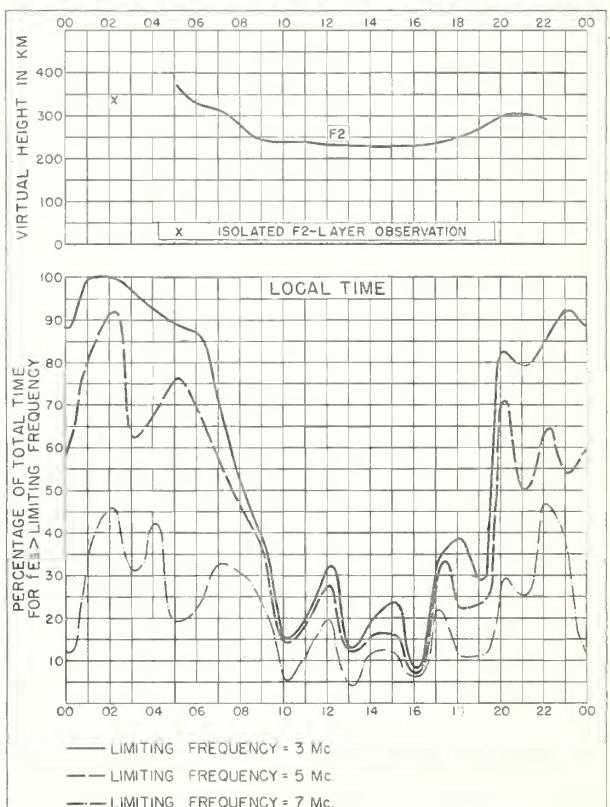
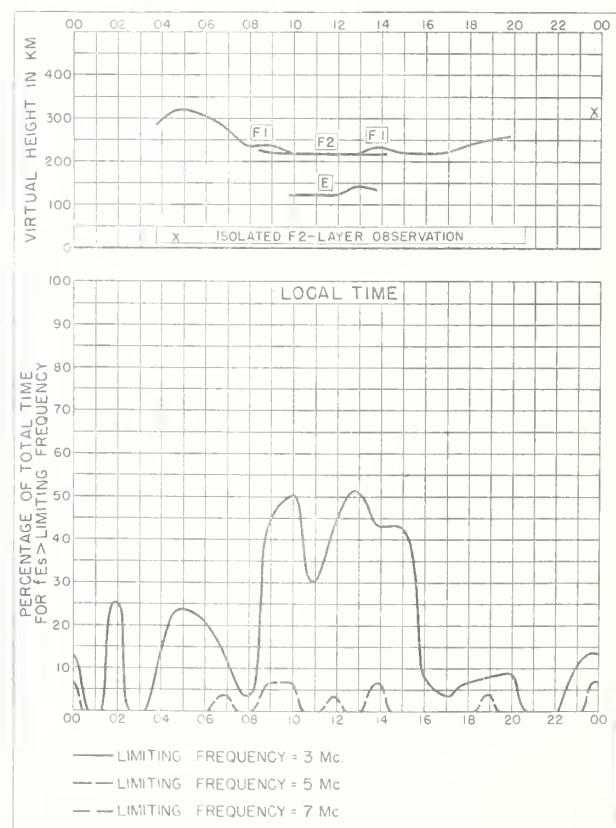
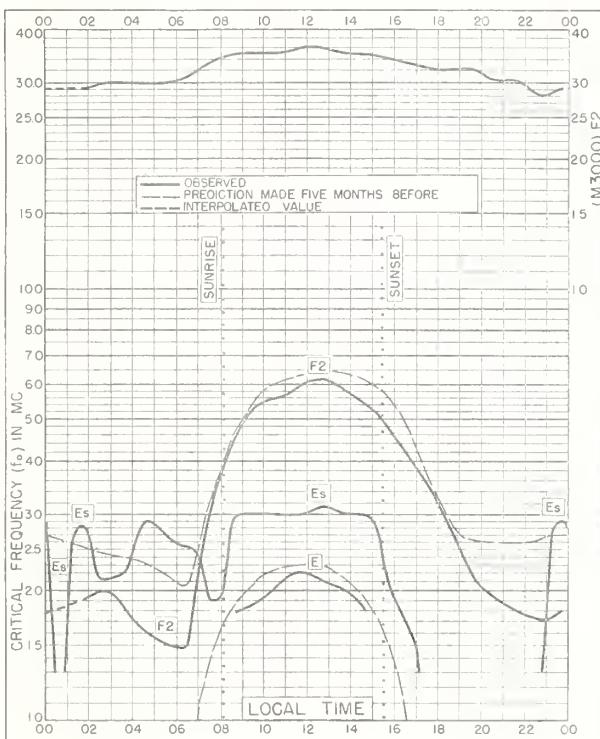
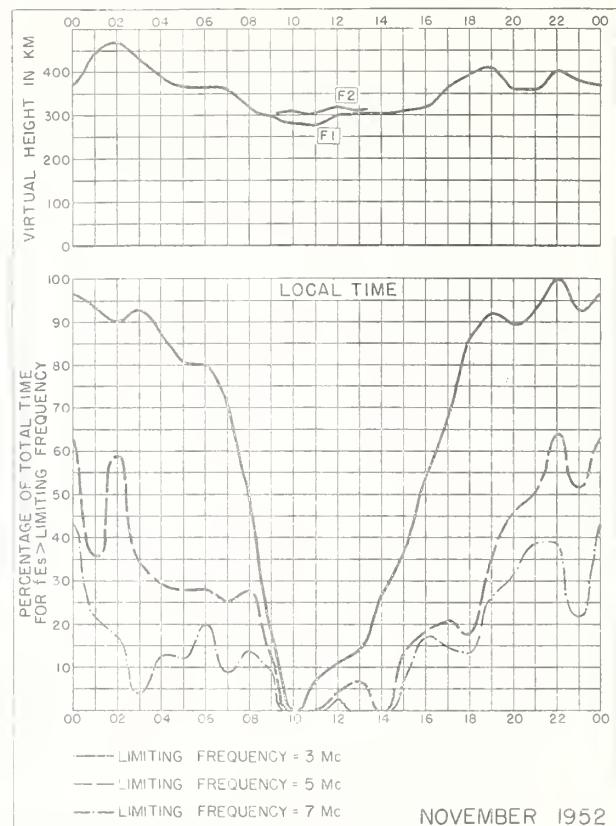
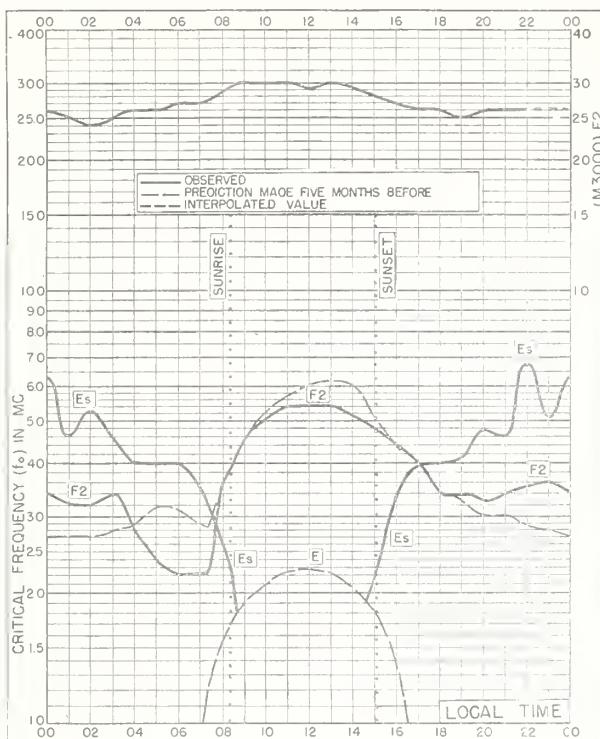
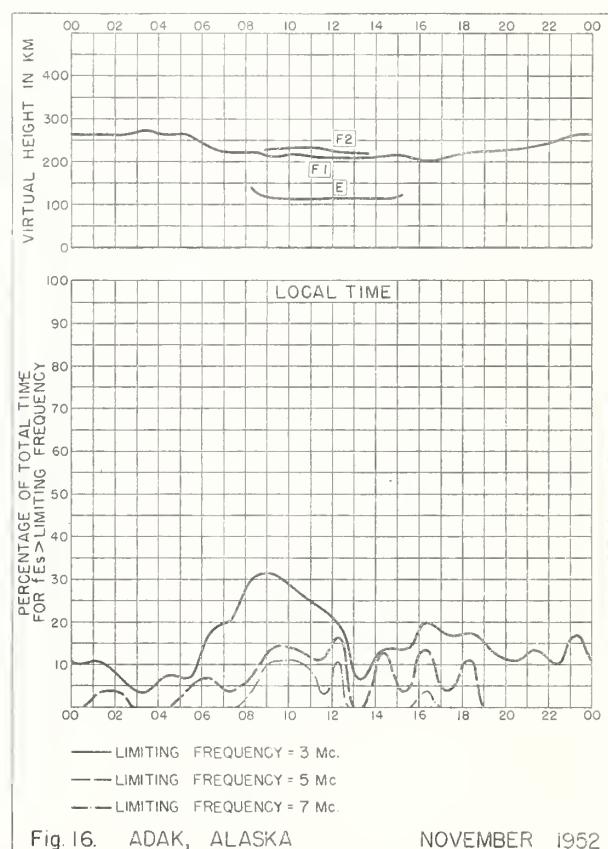
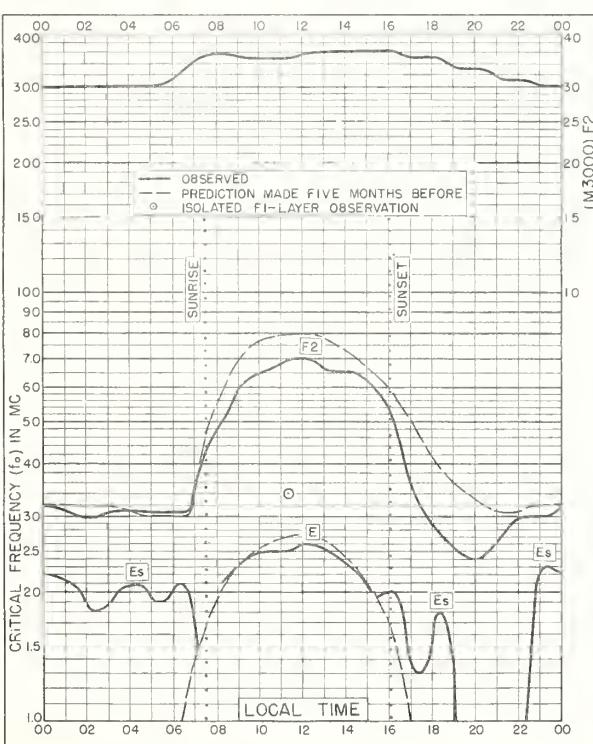
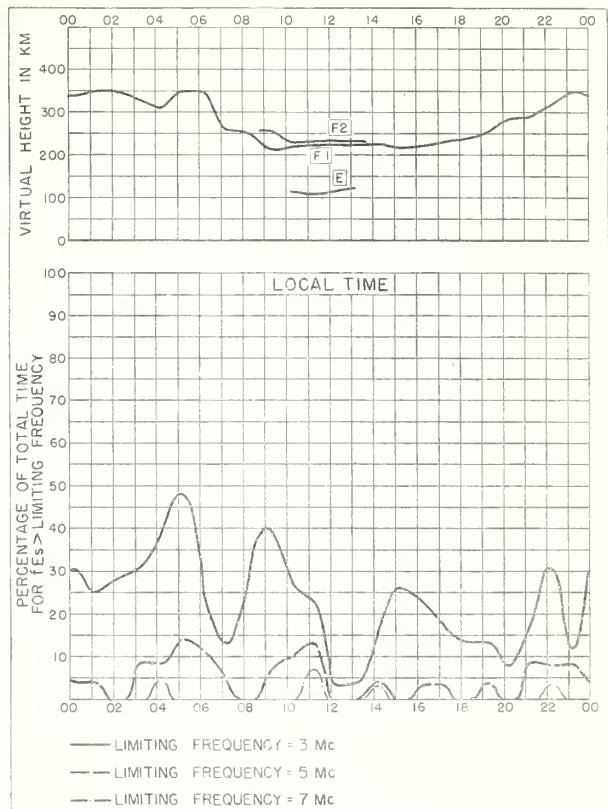
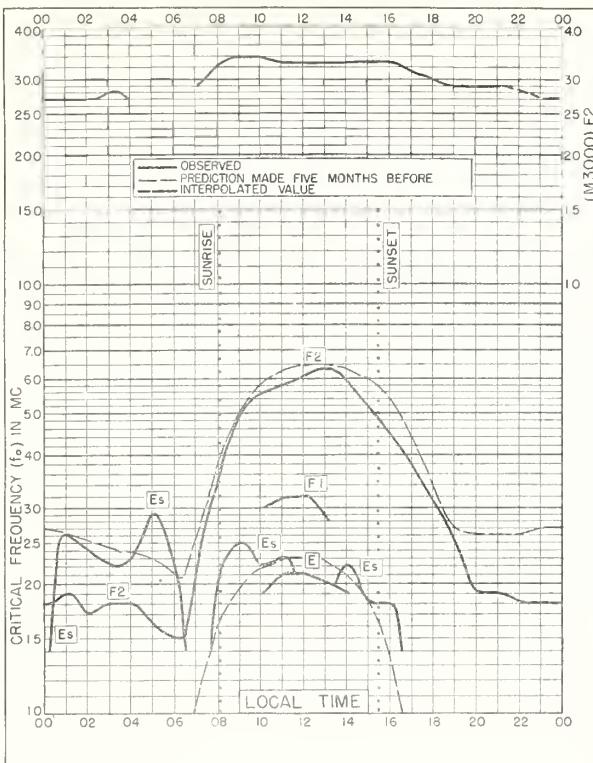


Fig. 8 FAIRBANKS, ALASKA NOVEMBER 1952





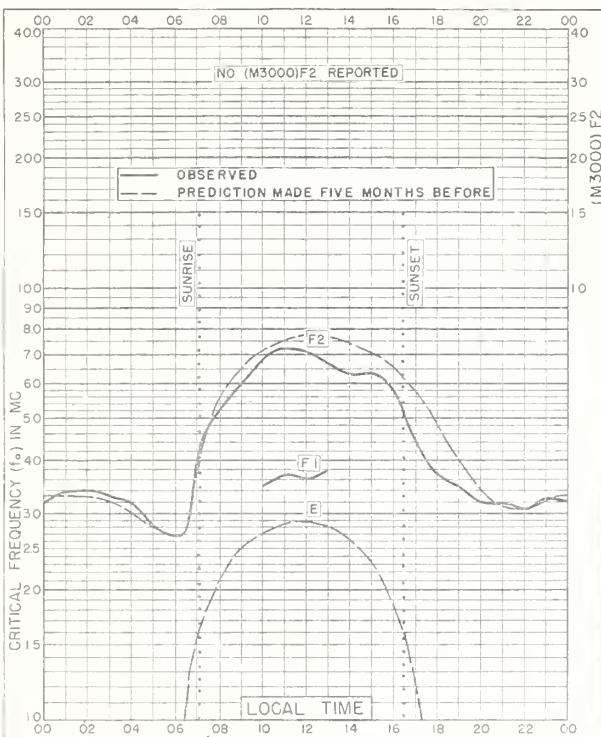


Fig. 17 GRAZ, AUSTRIA
47°N, 15 5°E

NOVEMBER 1952

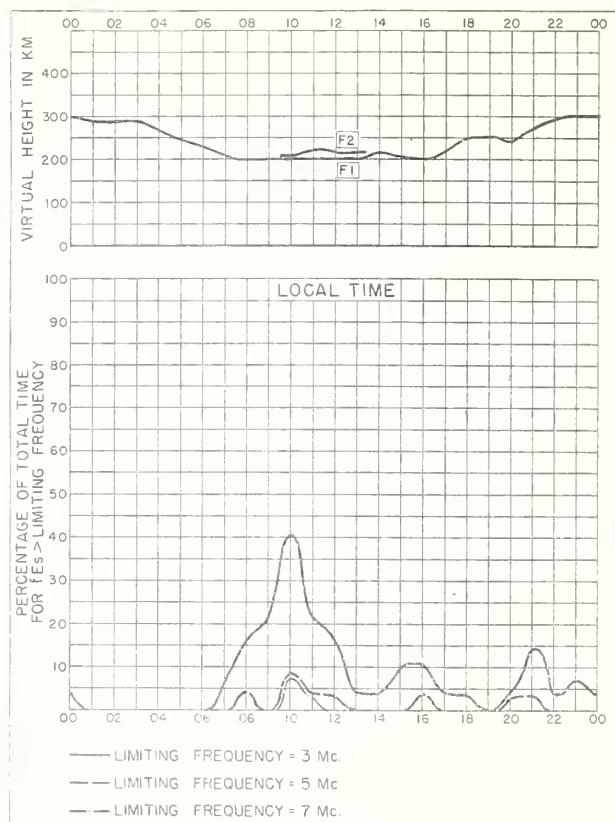


Fig. 18 GRAZ, AUSTRIA
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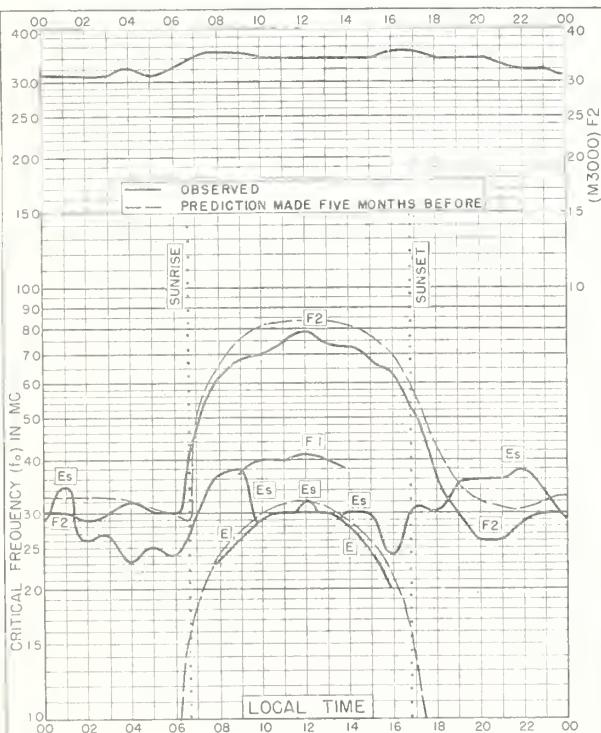


Fig. 19 SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA
37°4'N, 122.2°W

NOVEMBER 1952

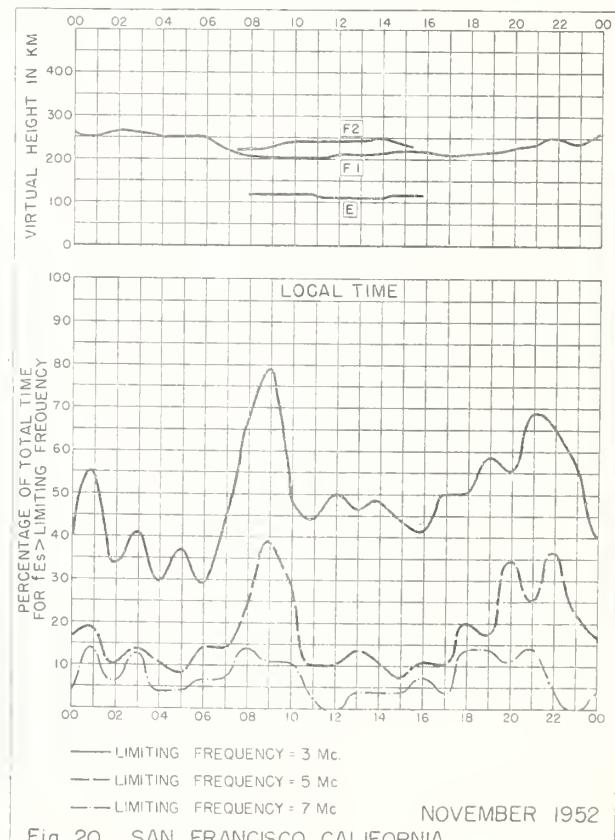


Fig. 20 SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA
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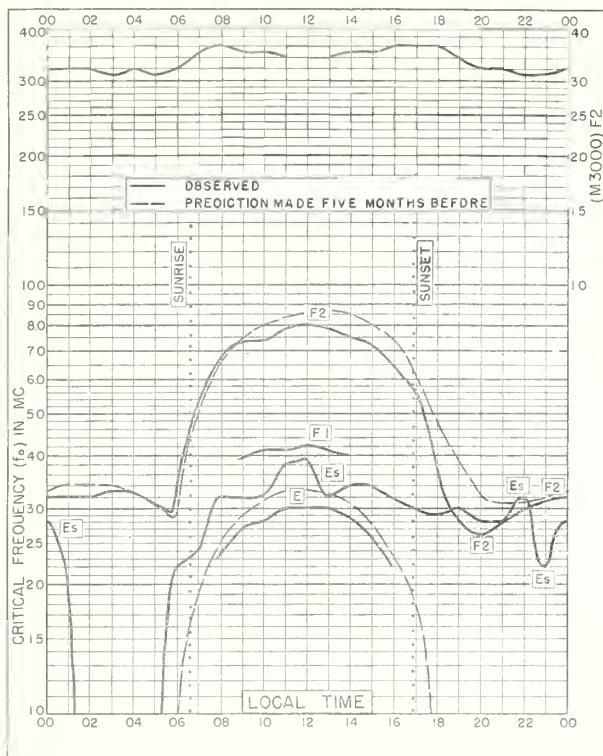


Fig. 21. WHITE SANDS, NEW MEXICO
32.3°N, 106.5°W NOVEMBER 1952

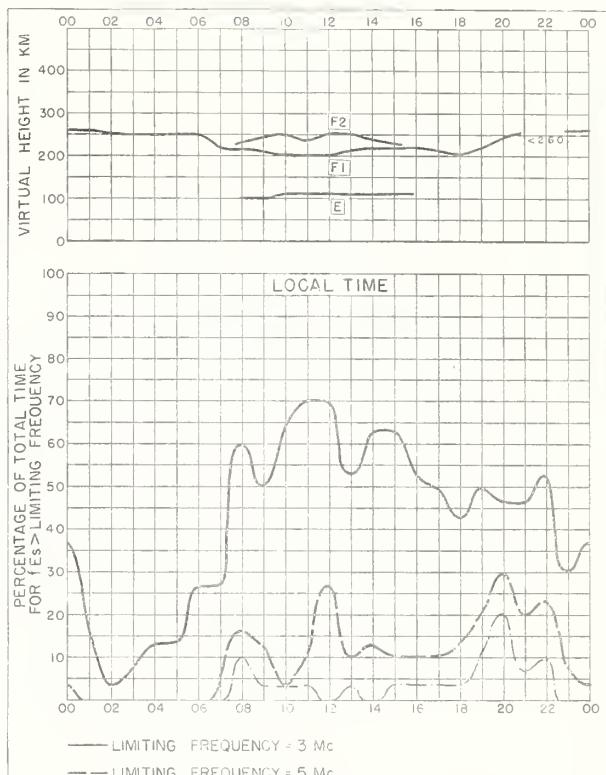


Fig. 22. WHITE SANDS, NEW MEXICO NOVEMBER 1952

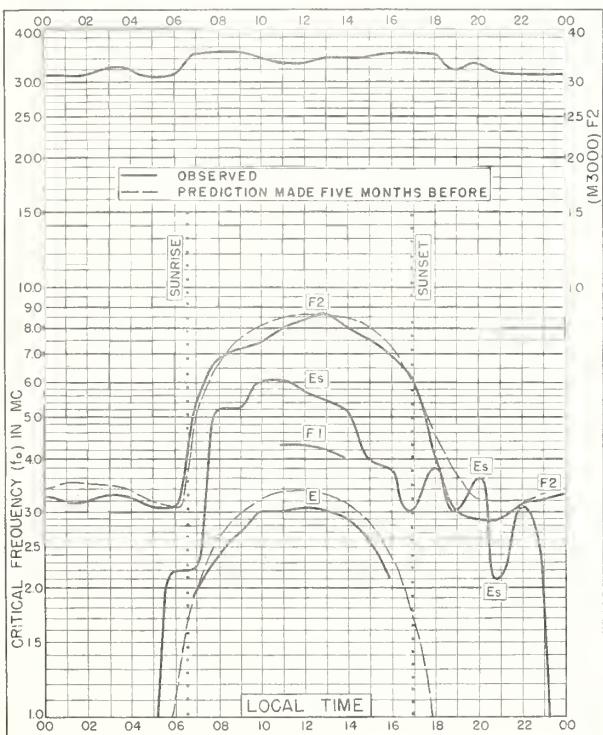


Fig. 23. BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA
30.5°N, 91.2°W NOVEMBER 1952

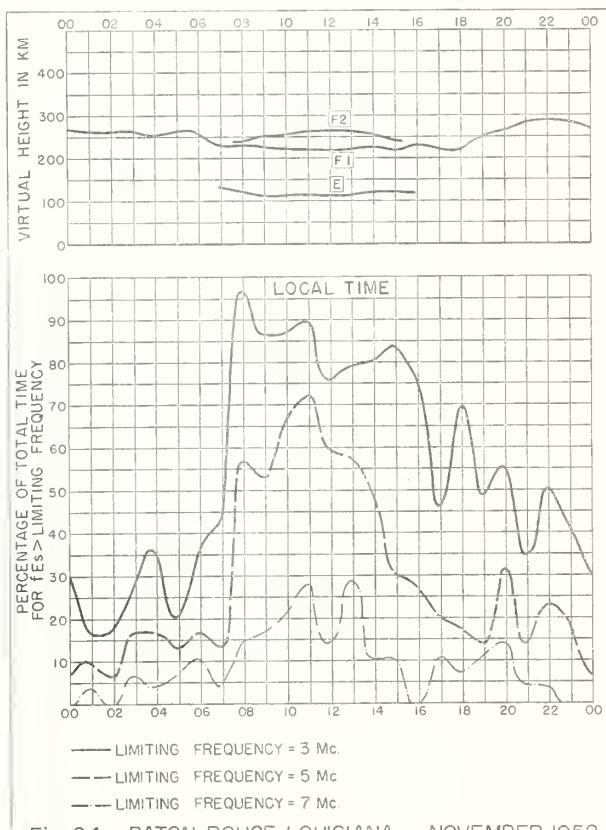
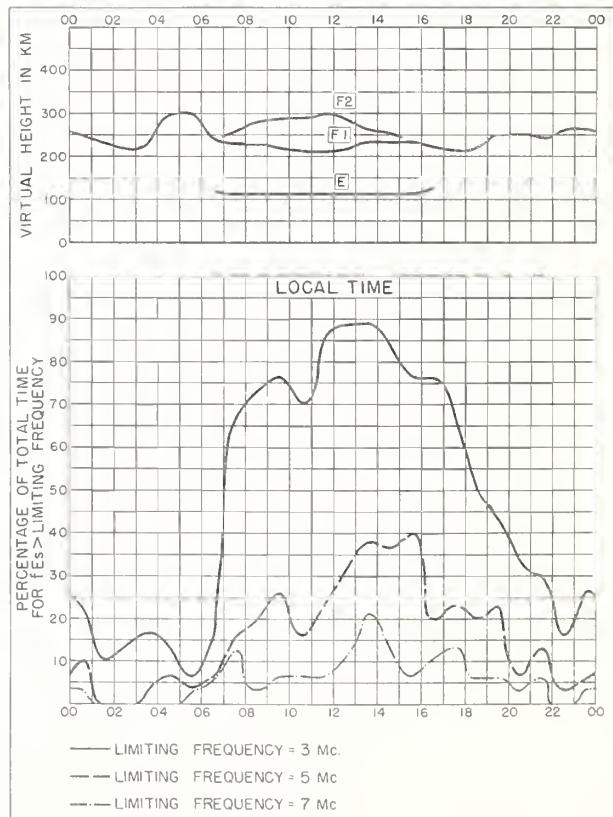
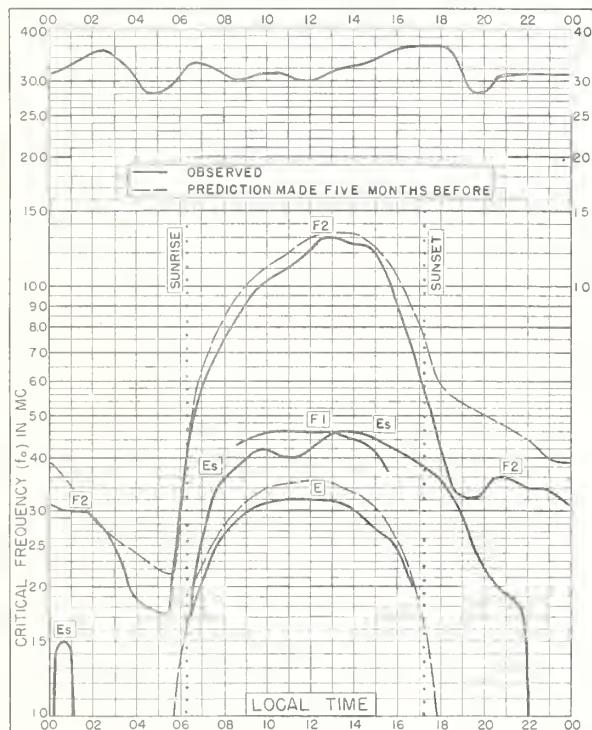
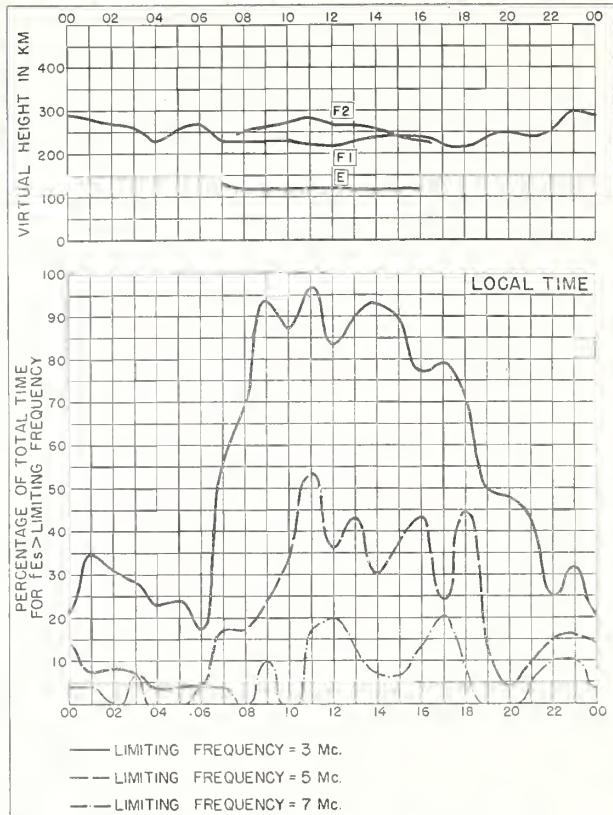
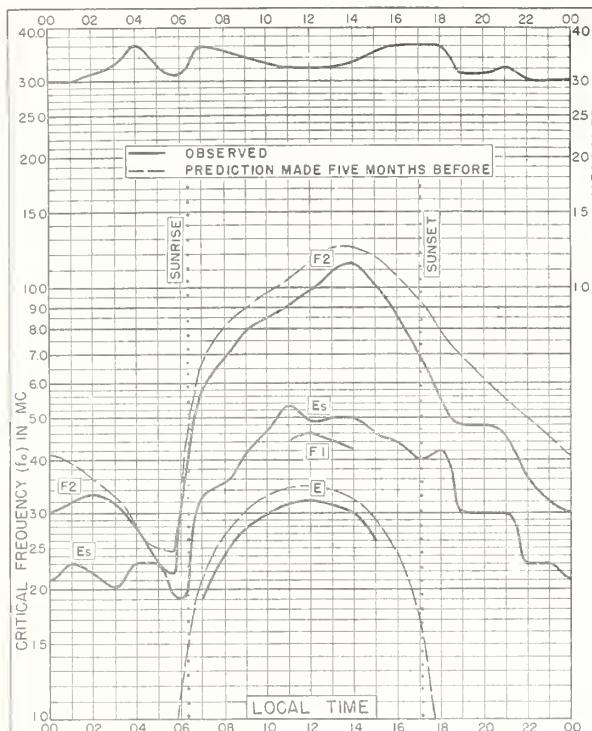


Fig. 24. BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA NOVEMBER 1952



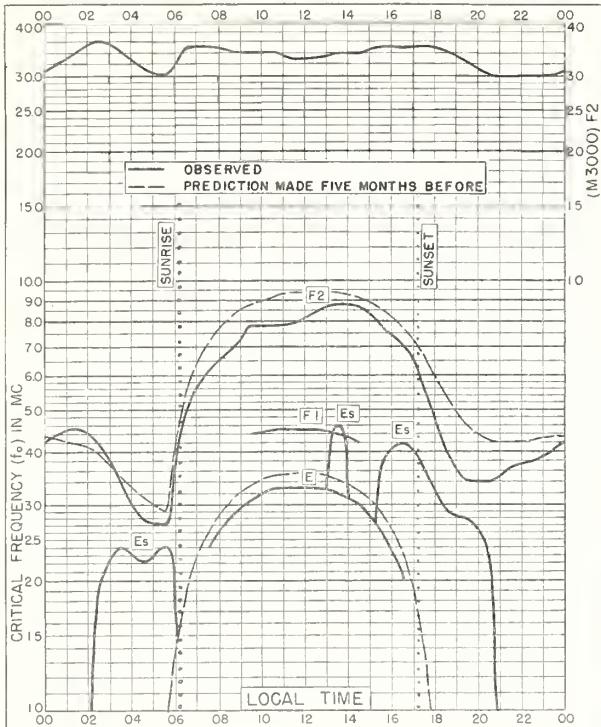


Fig. 29. PUERTO RICO, W.I.
18.5°N, 67.2°W

NOVEMBER 1952

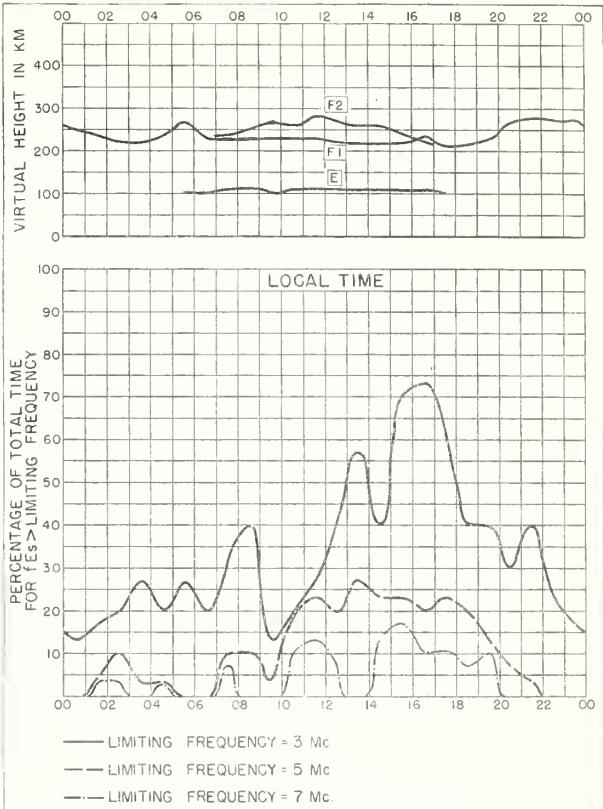


Fig. 30. PUERTO RICO, W.I.

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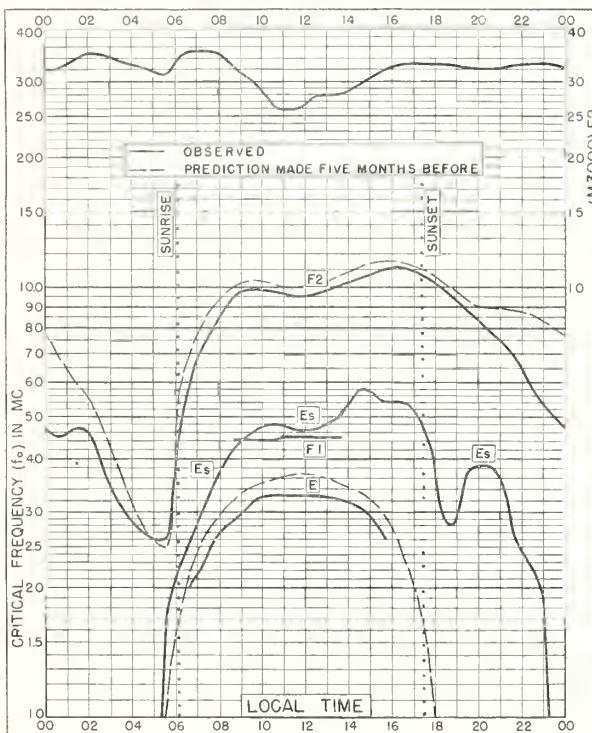


Fig. 31 GUAM I.
13.6°N, 144.9°E

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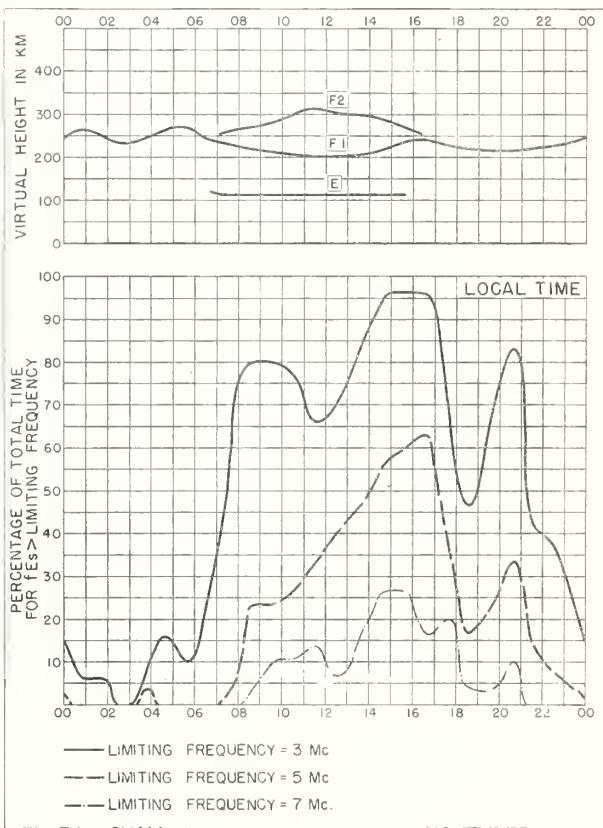


Fig. 32 GUAM I.

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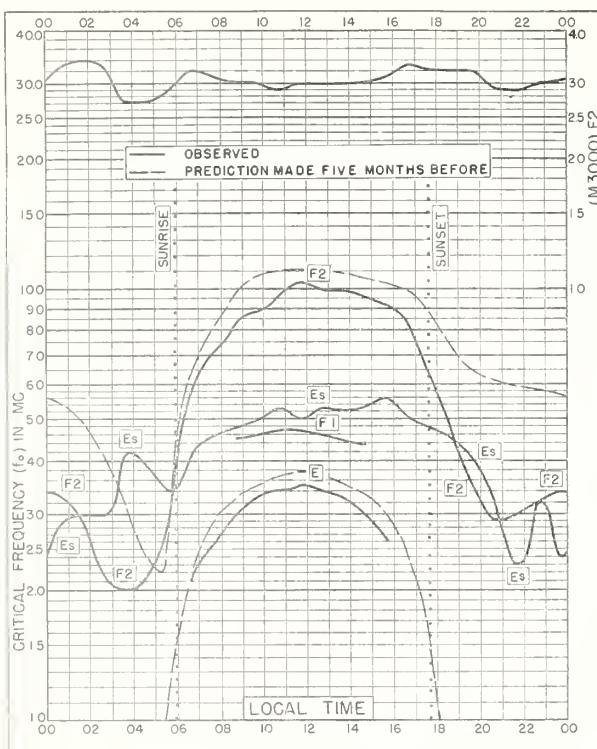


Fig. 33 PANAMA CANAL ZONE
9.4°N, 79.9°W NOVEMBER 1952

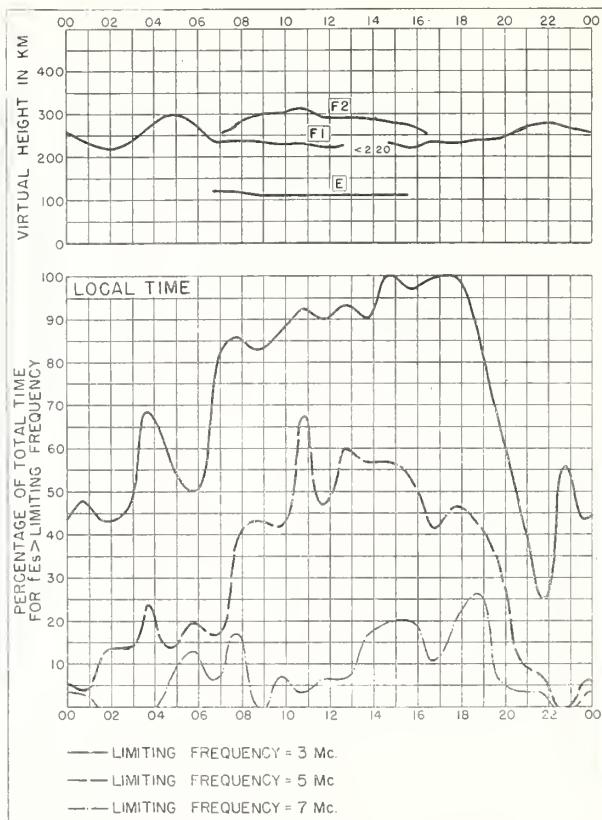


Fig. 34 PANAMA CANAL ZONE NOVEMBER 1952

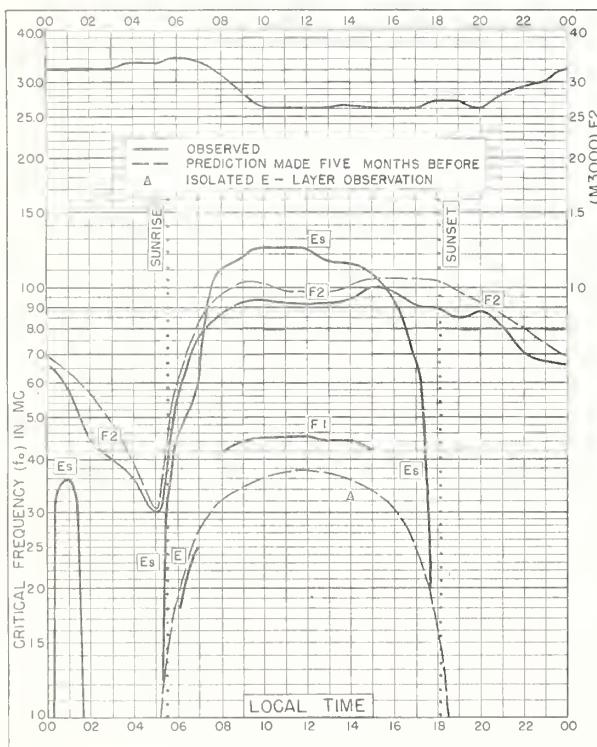


Fig. 35. HUANCAYO, PERU
12.0°S, 75.3°W NOVEMBER 1952

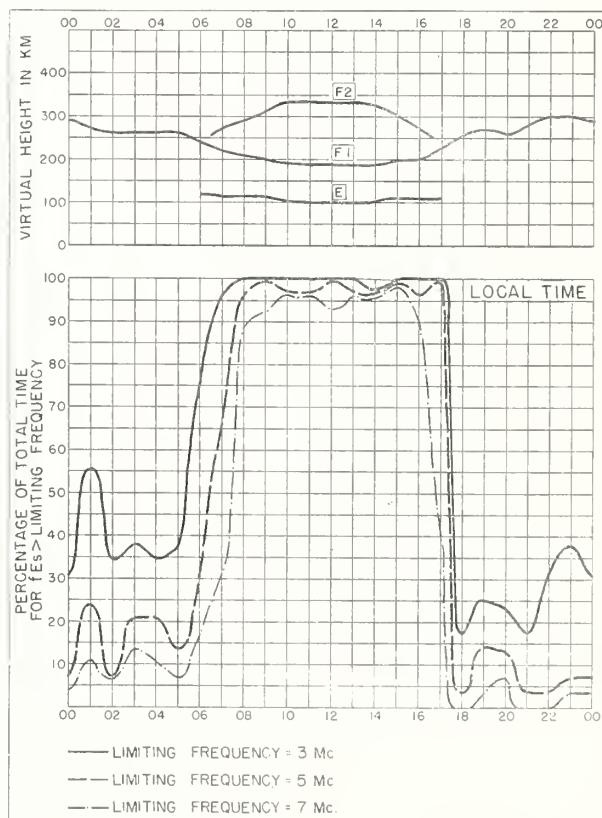


Fig. 36. HUANCAYO, PERU NOVEMBER 1952

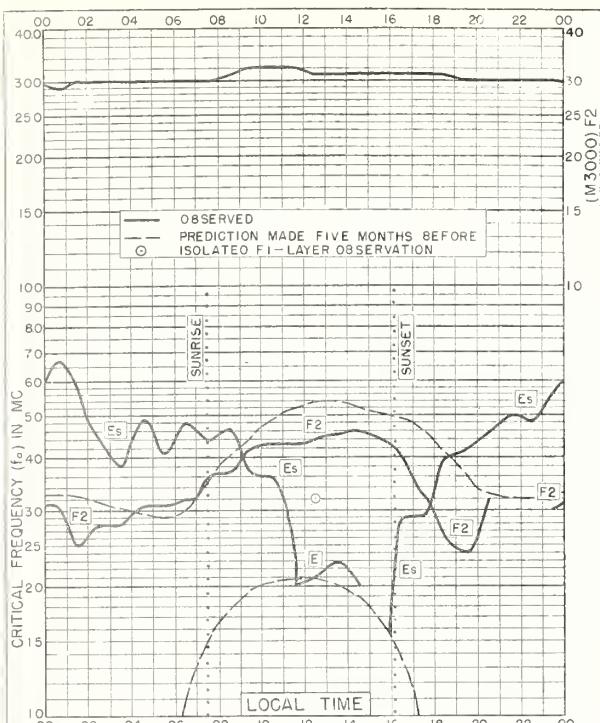


Fig. 37. POINT BARROW, ALASKA
71.3°N, 156.8°W OCTOBER 1952

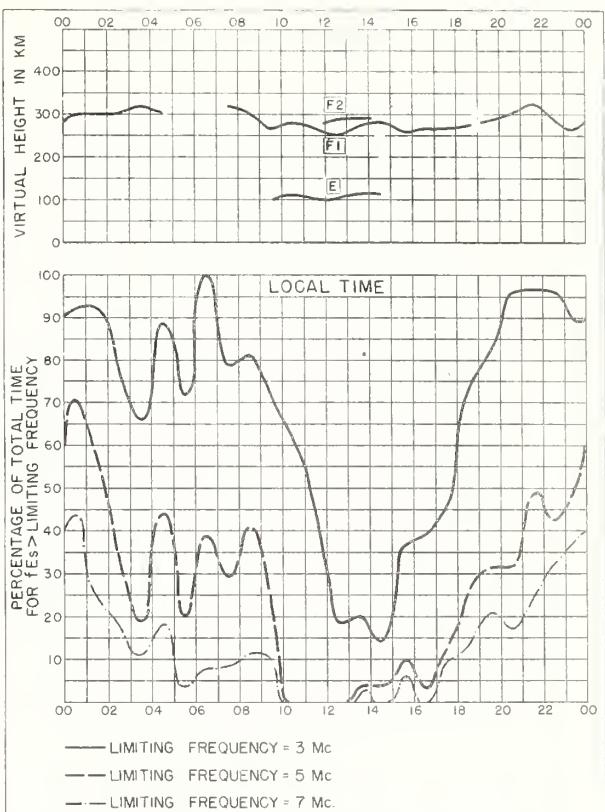


Fig. 38. POINT BARROW, ALASKA OCTOBER 1952

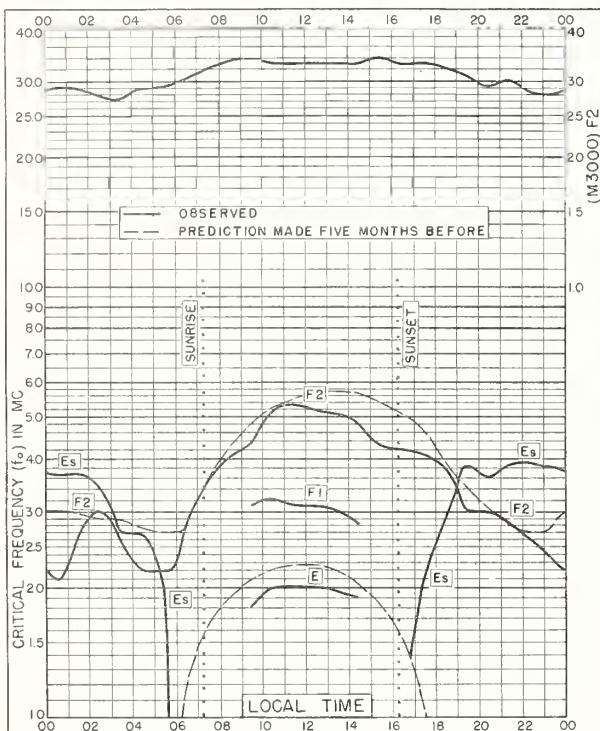


Fig. 39. KIRUNA, SWEDEN
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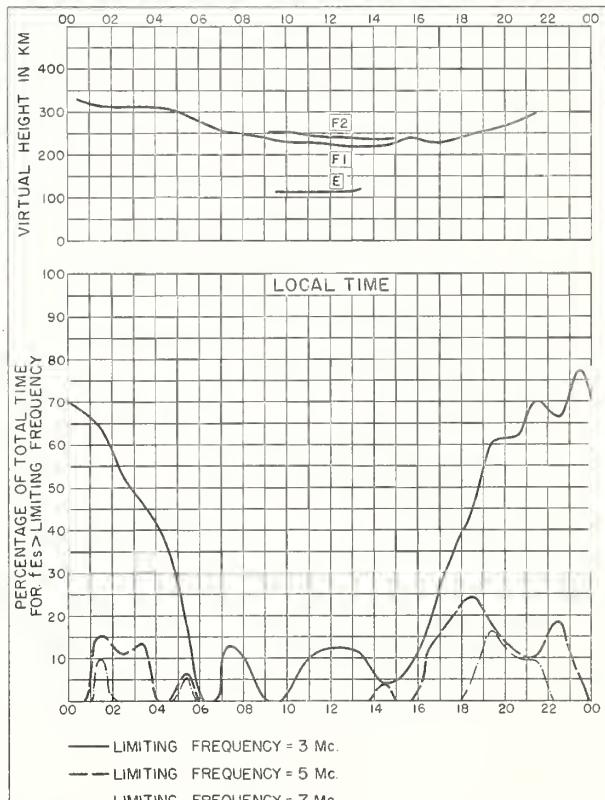


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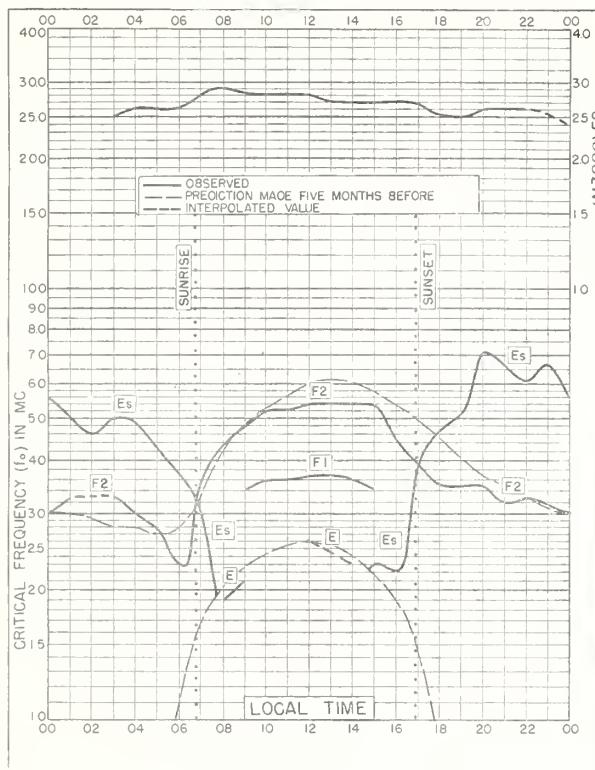


Fig. 41. NARSARSSUAK, GREENLAND
61.2°N, 45.4°W OCTOBER 1952

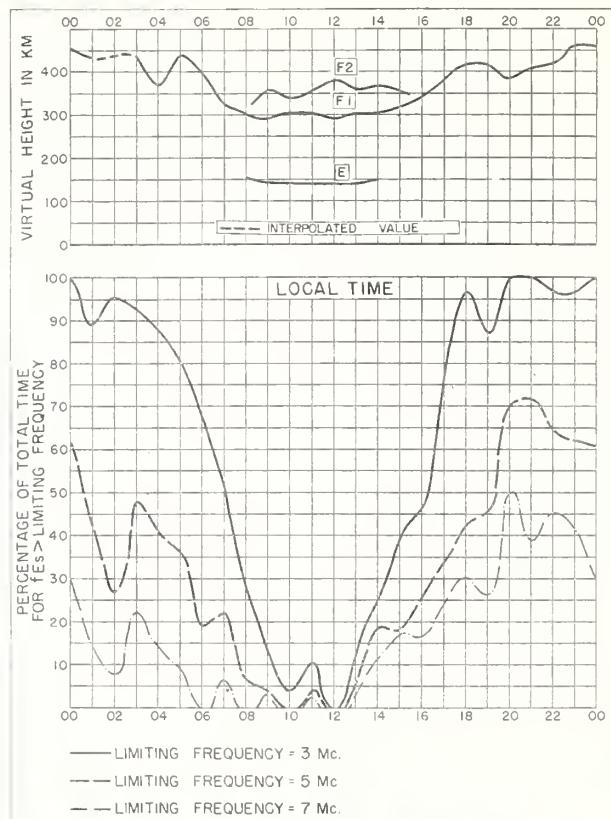


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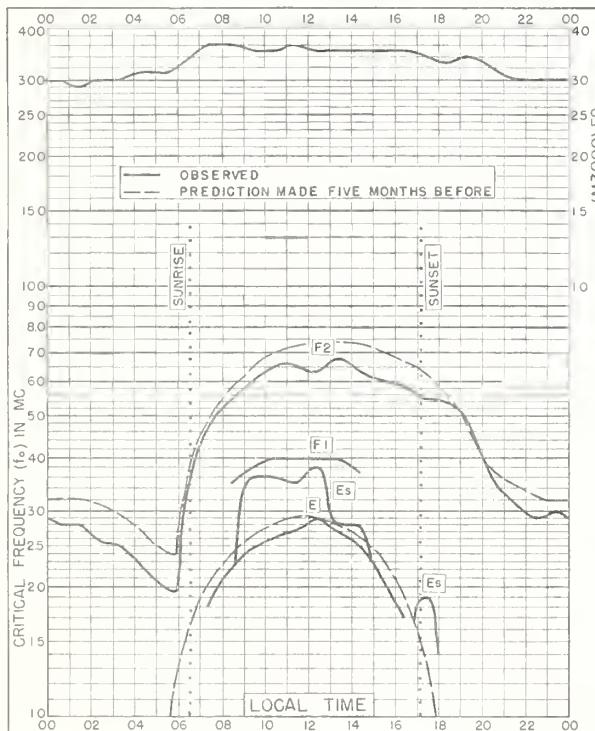


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52.1°N, 5.2°E OCTOBER 1952

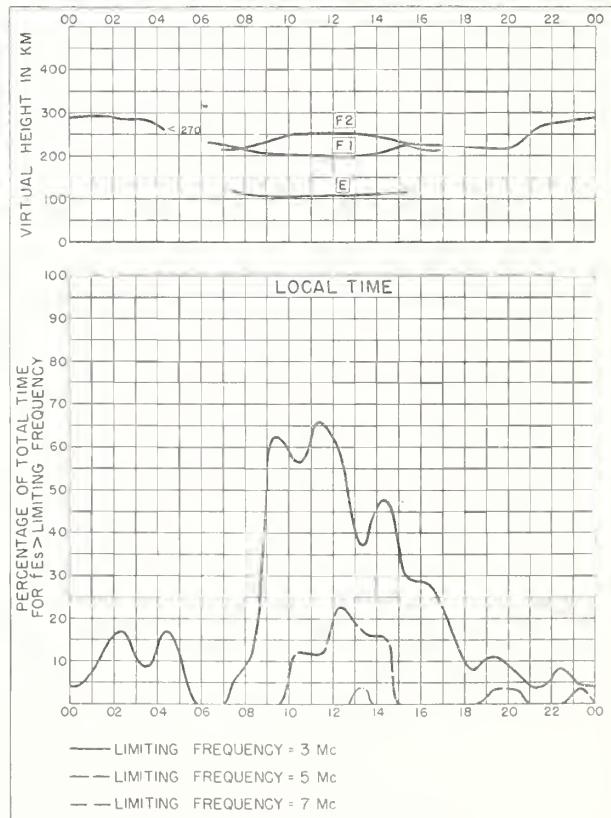


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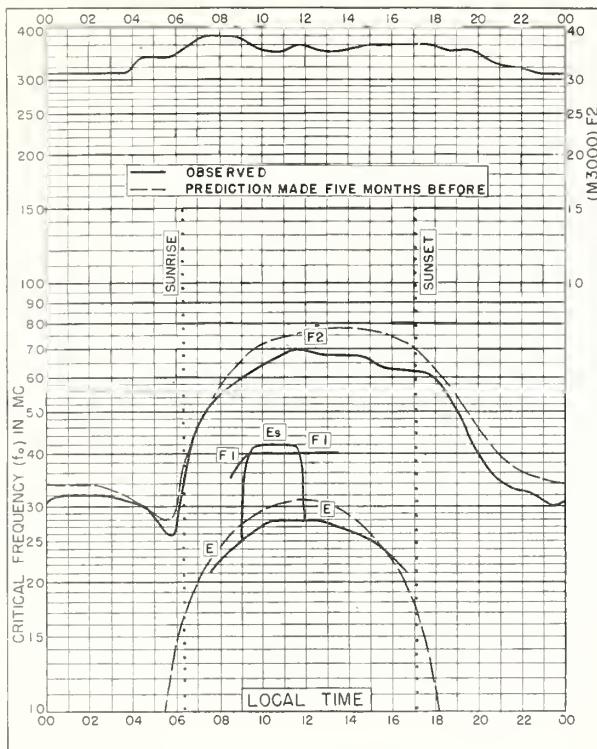


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46.8°N, 7.3°E OCTOBER 1952

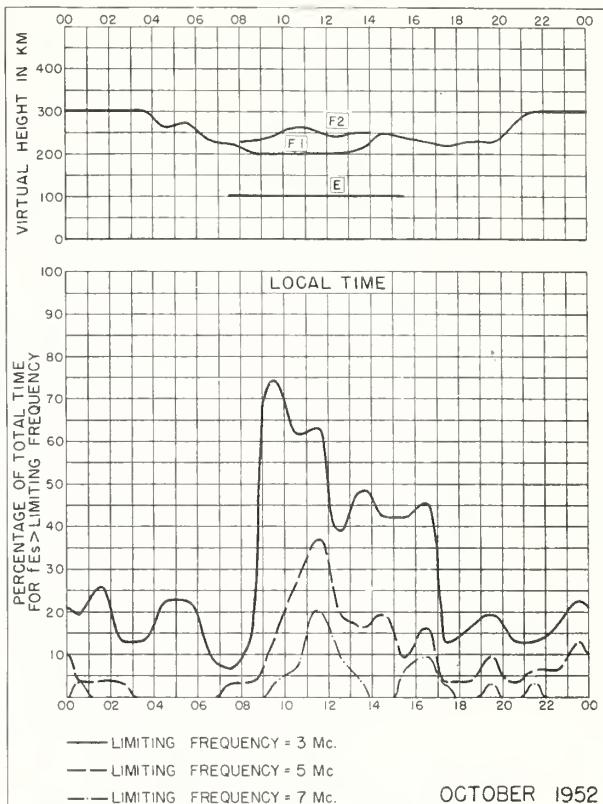


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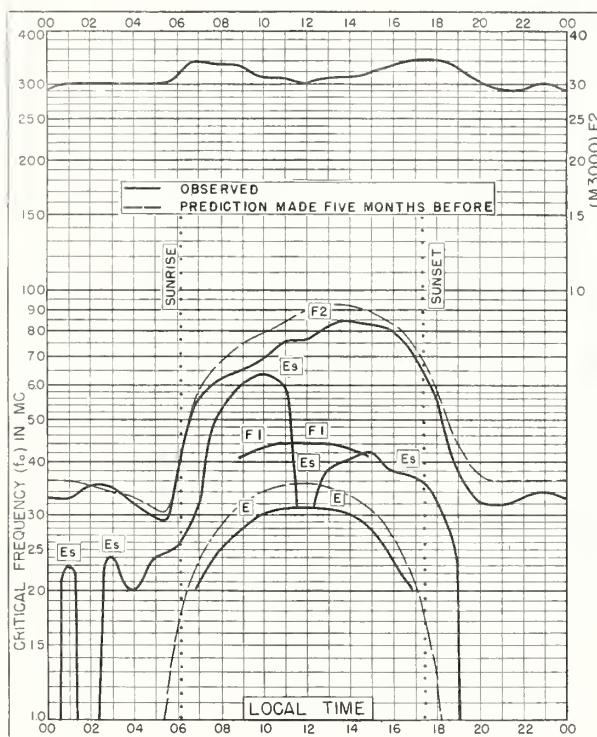


Fig. 47. BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA
30.5°N, 91.2°W OCTOBER 1952

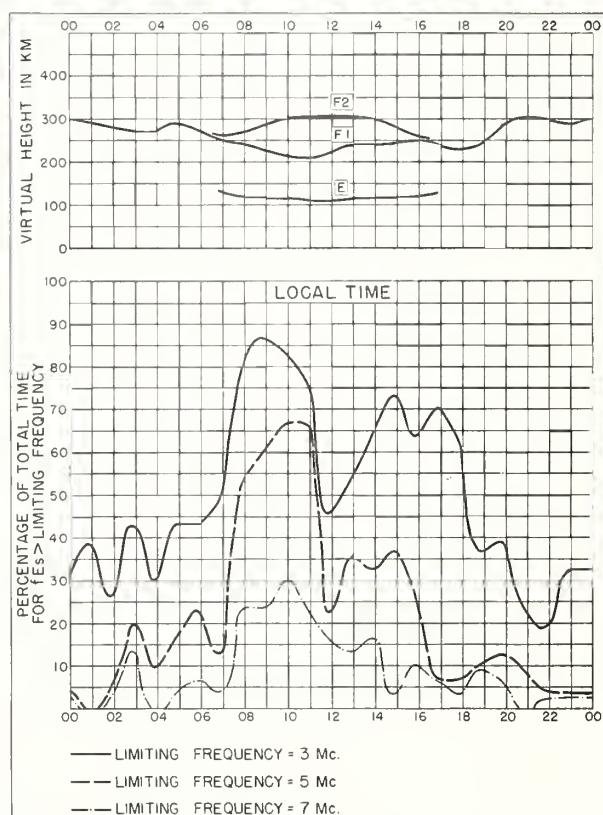


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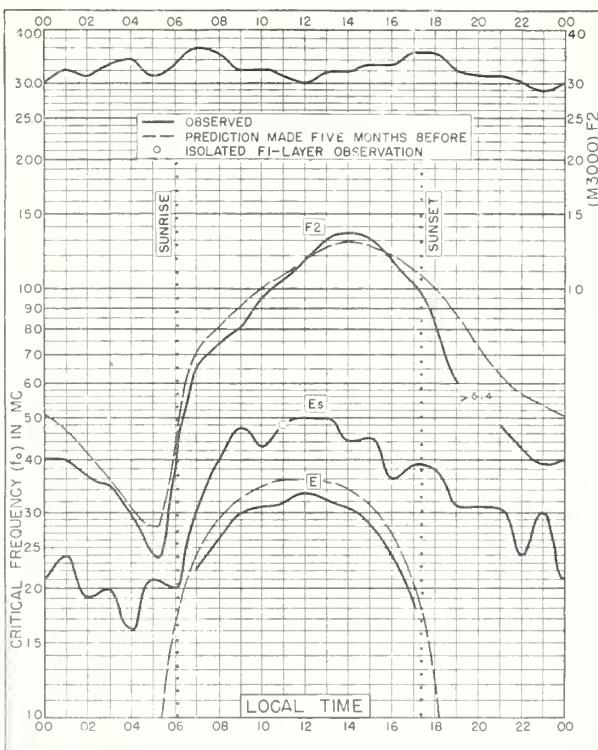


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26°3'N, 127°8'E OCTOBER 1952

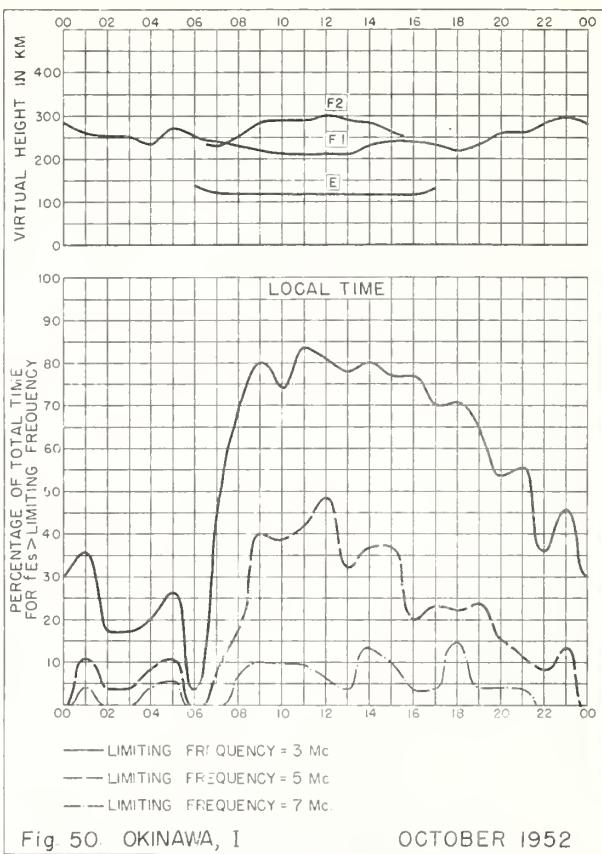


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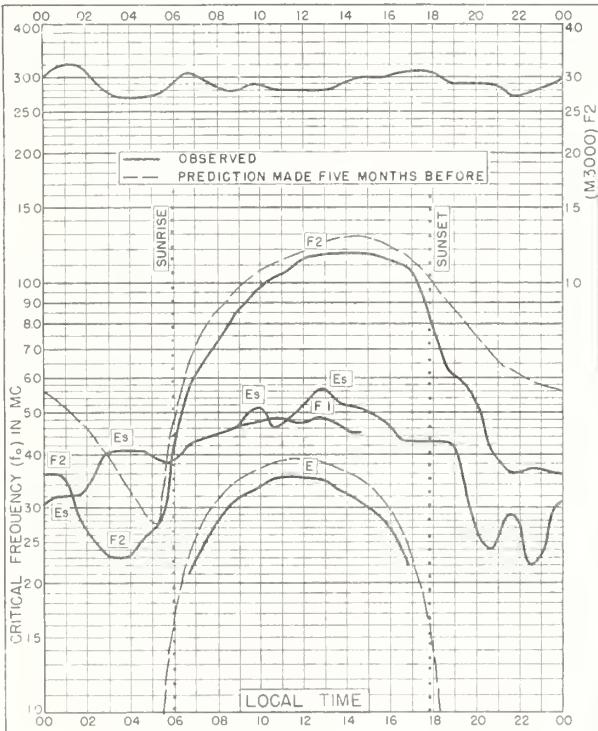


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9°4'N, 79°9'W OCTOBER 1952

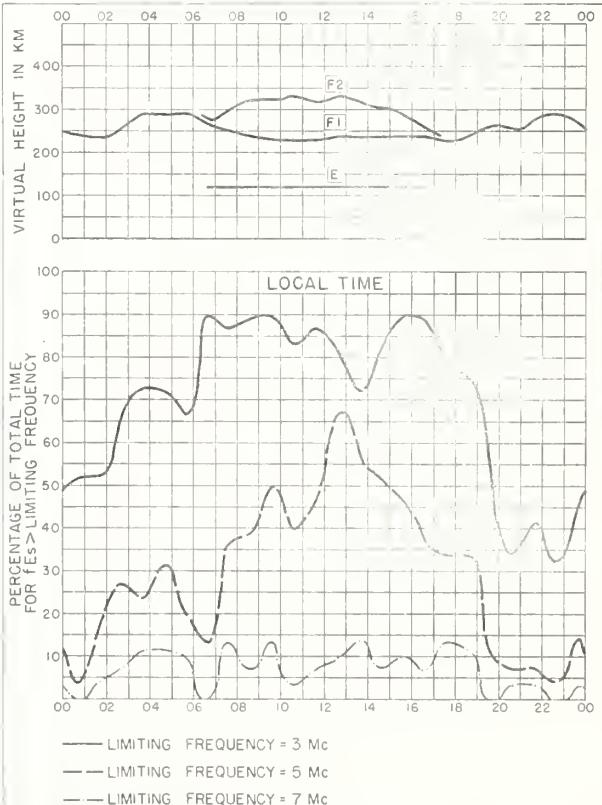


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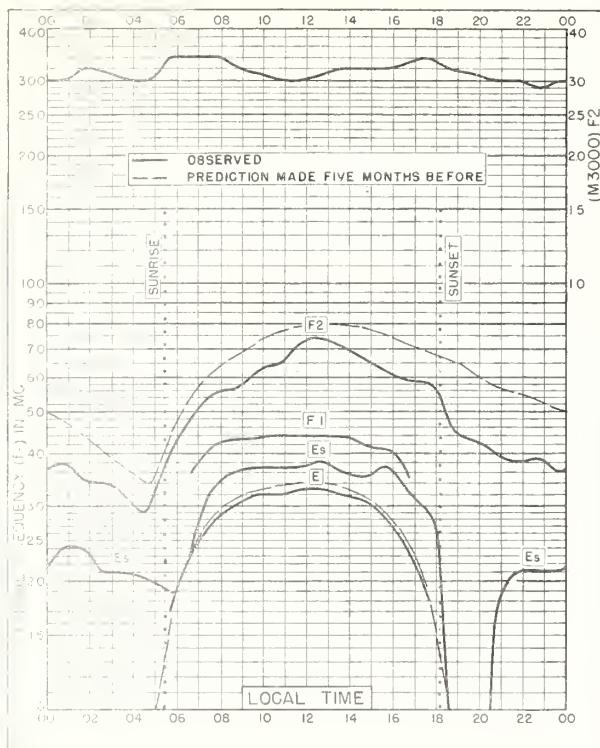


Fig. 53. WATHEROO, W. AUSTRALIA

30.3° S, 115.9° E

OCTOBER 1952

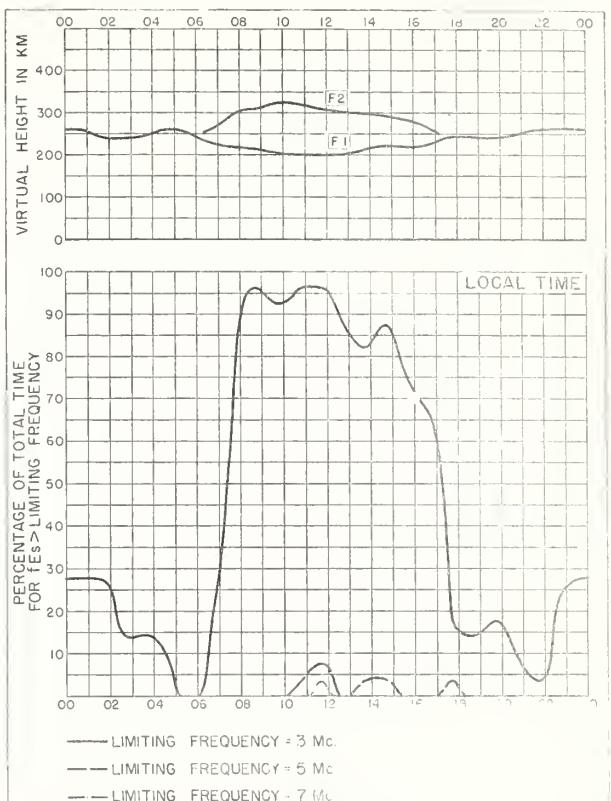


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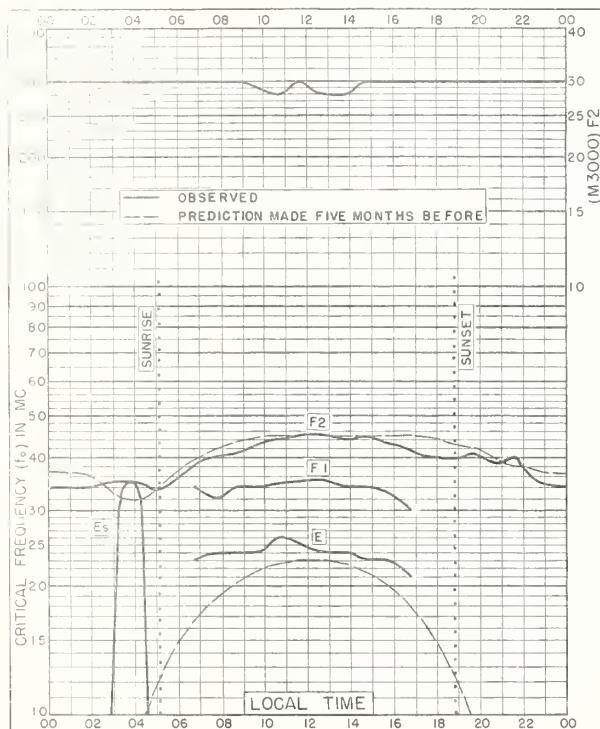


Fig. 55. RESOLUTE BAY, CANADA

74.7° N, 94.9° W

SEPTEMBER 1952

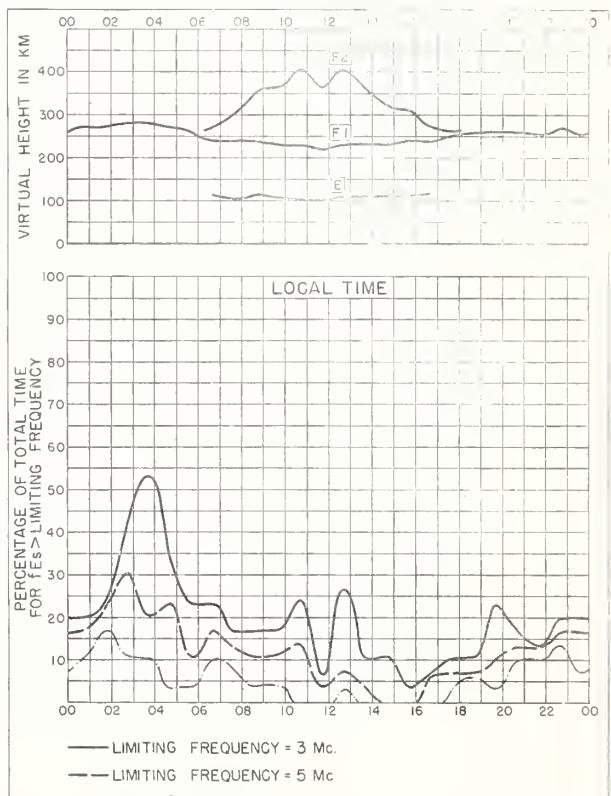


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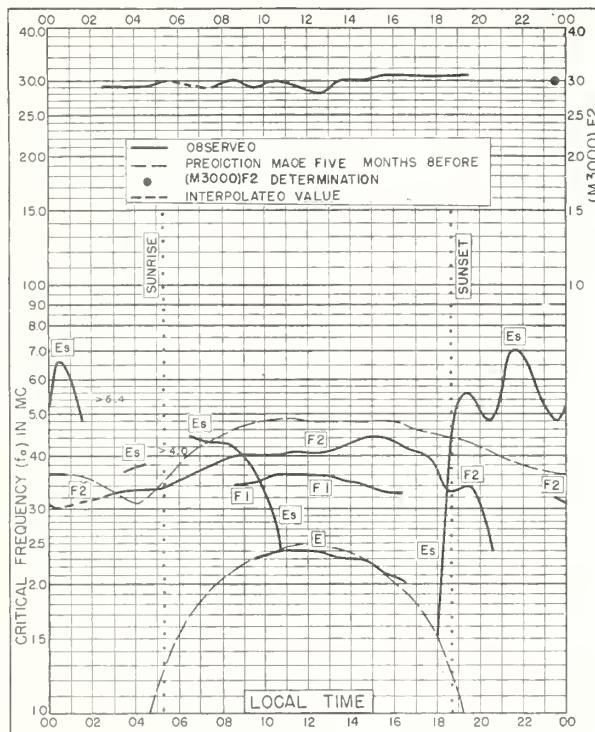


Fig. 57. POINT BARROW, ALASKA
71.3°N, 156.8°W SEPTEMBER 1952

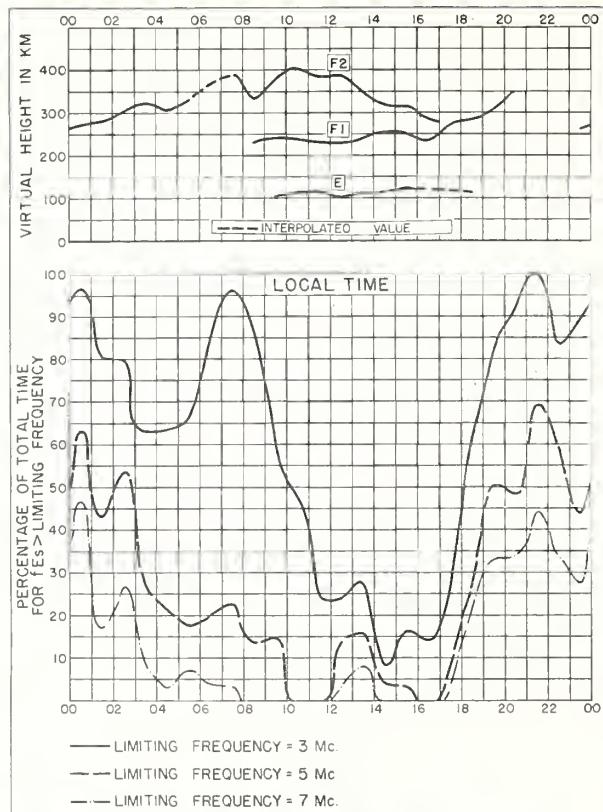


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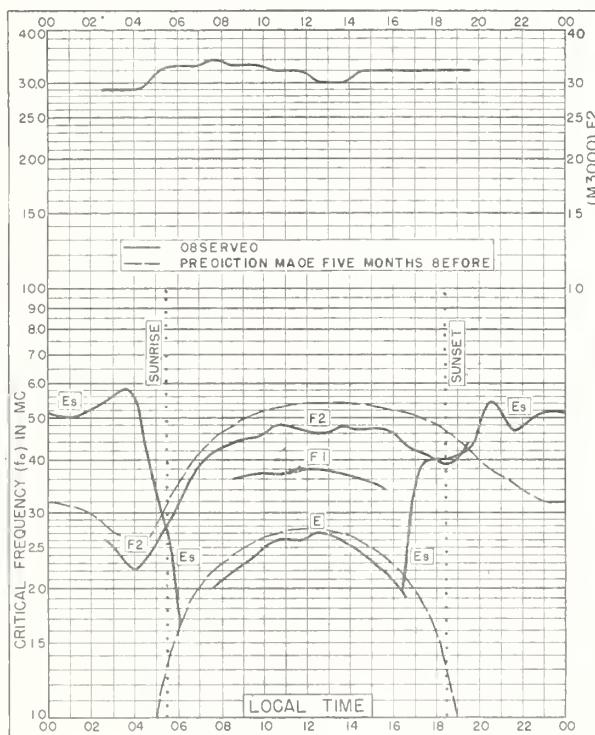


Fig. 59. REYKJAVIK, ICELAND
64.1°N, 21.8°W SEPTEMBER 1952

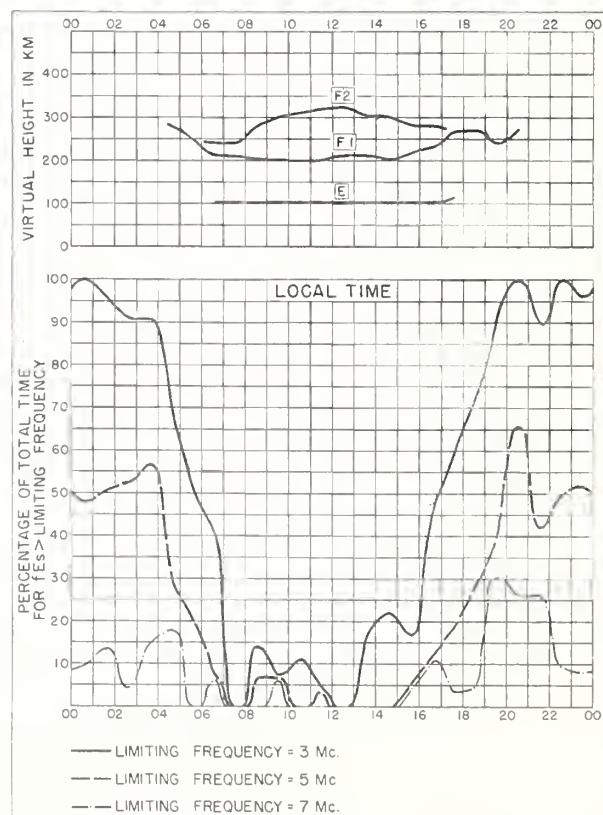
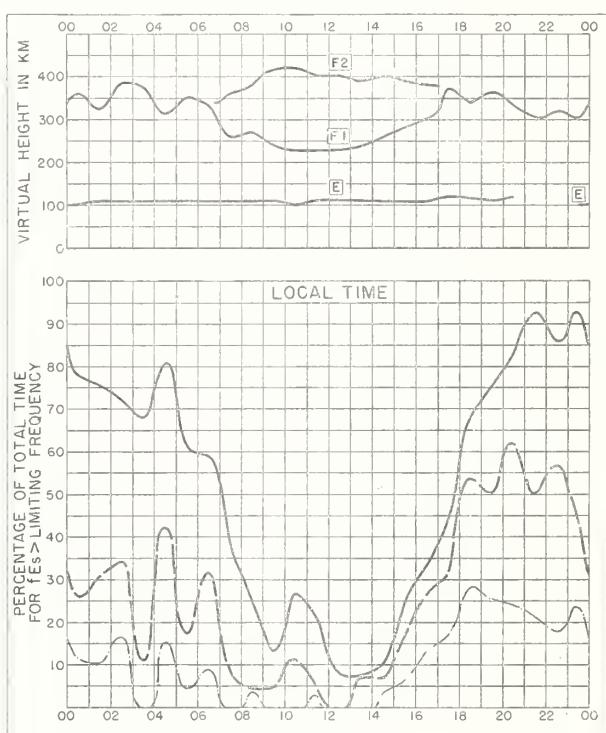
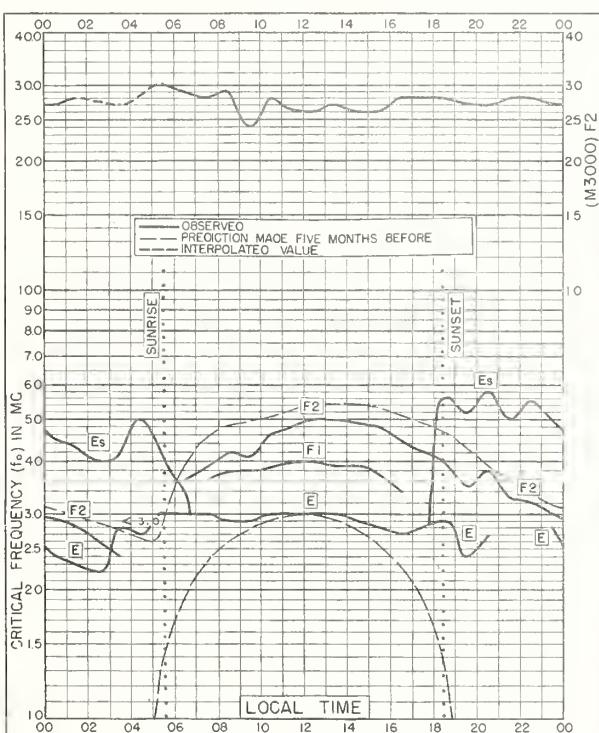
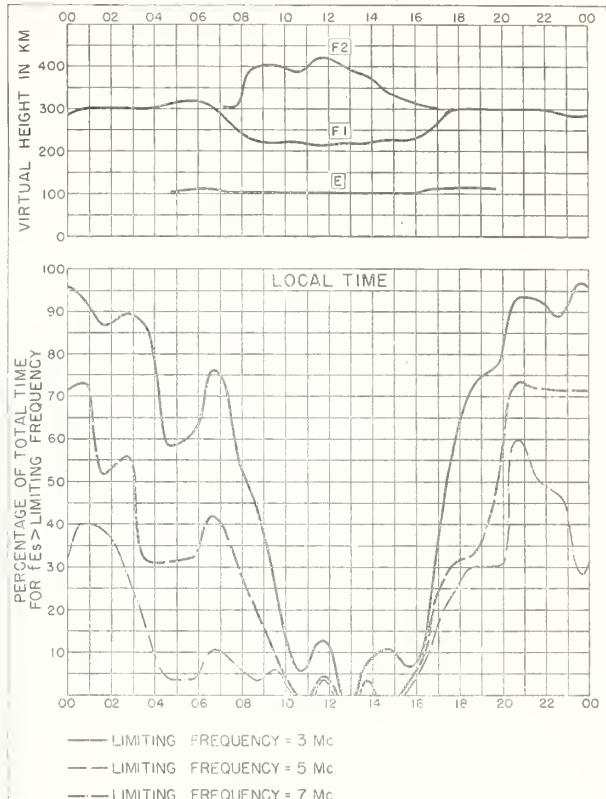
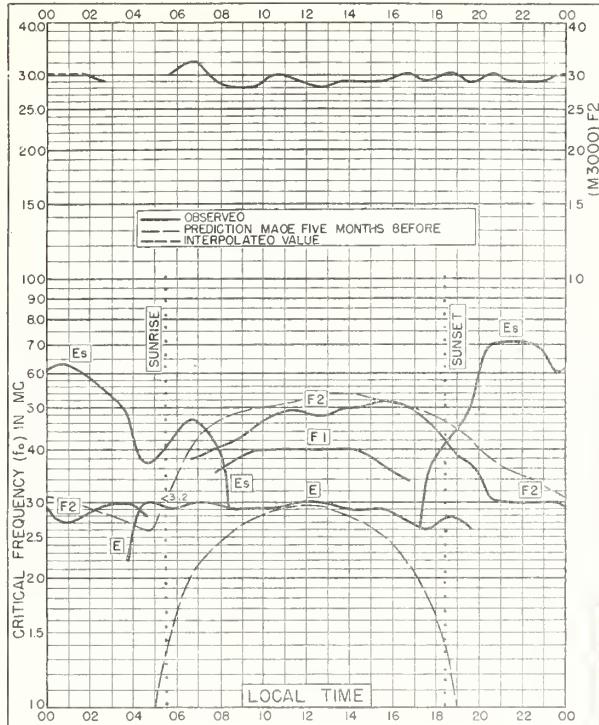
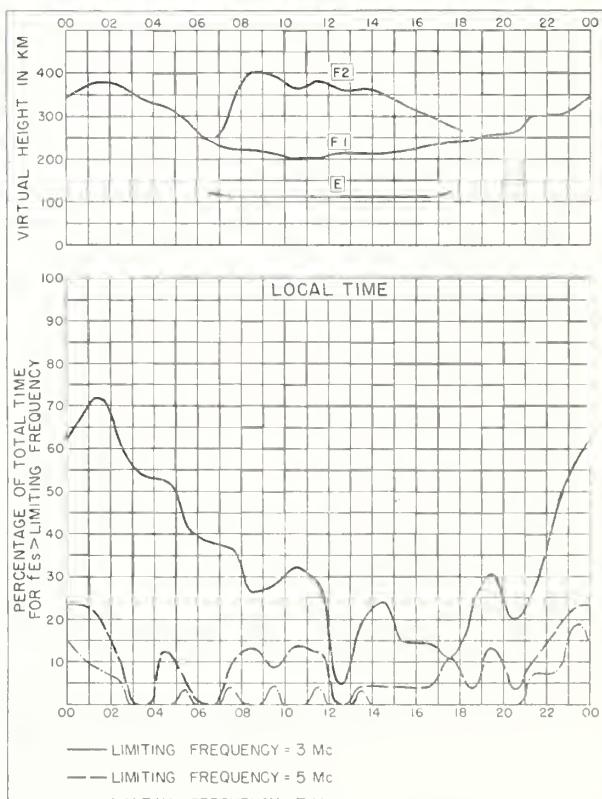
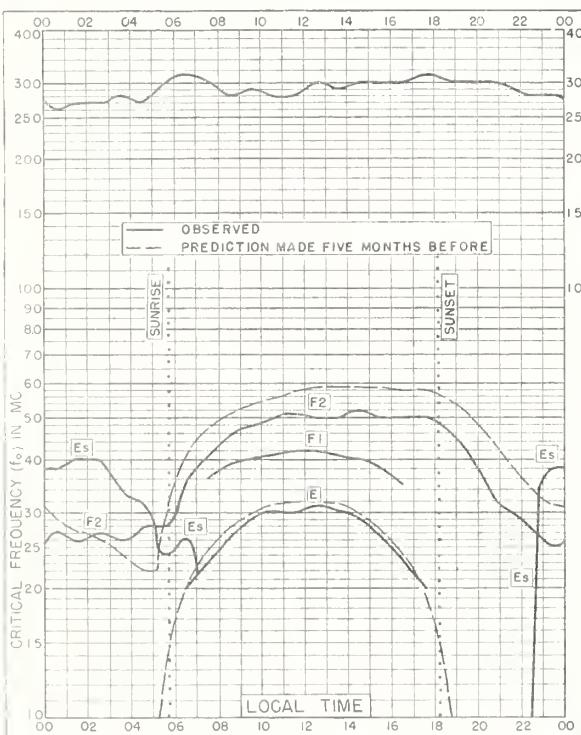
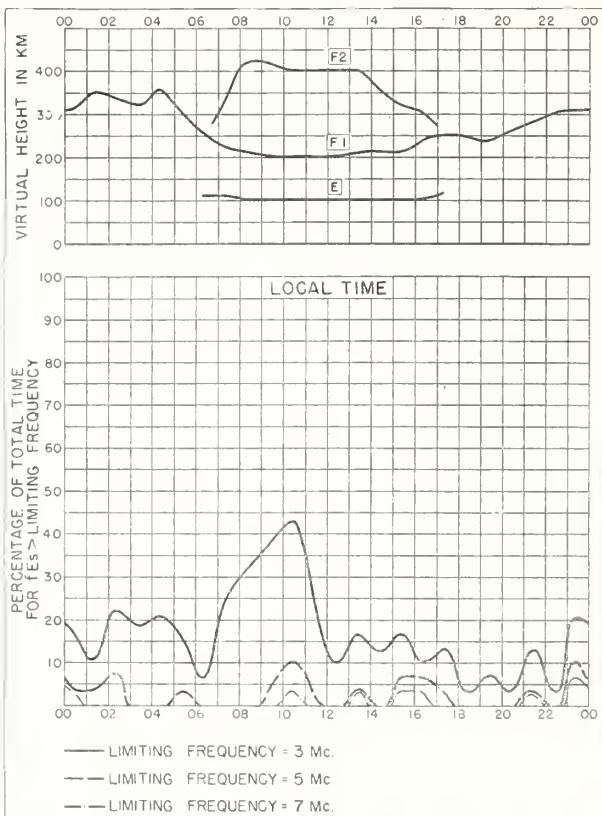
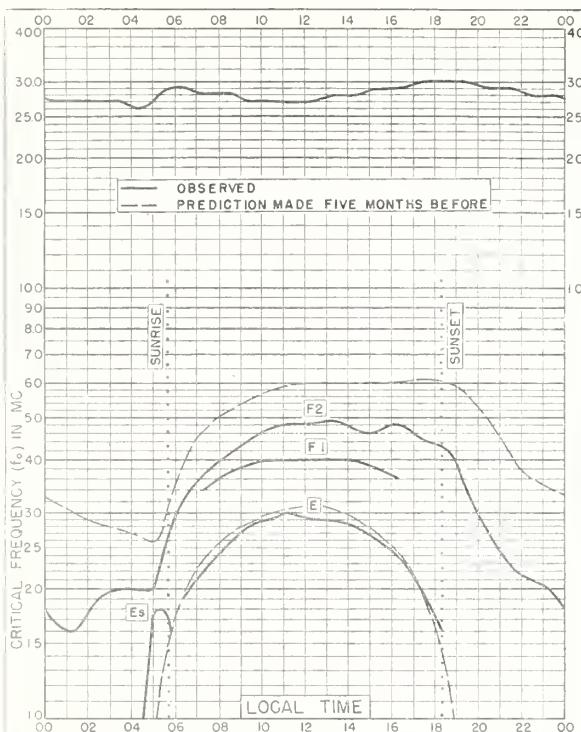
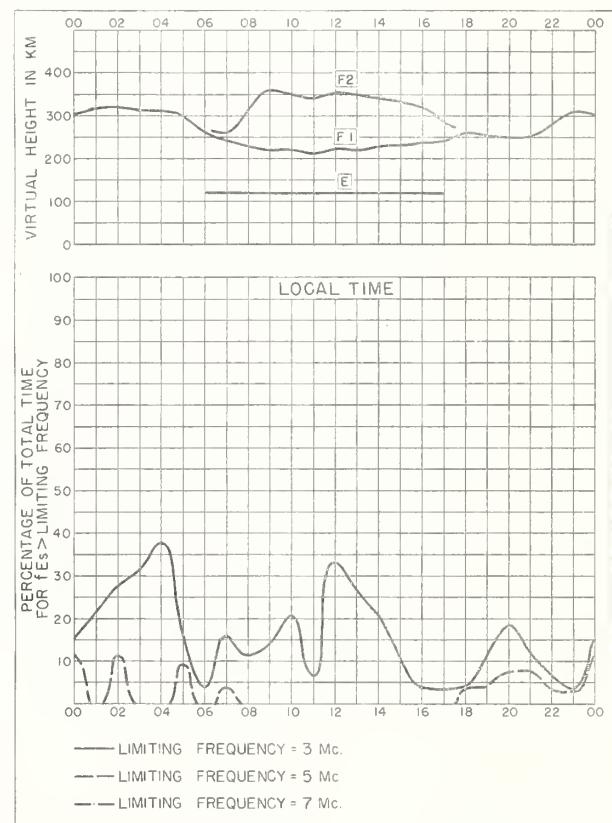
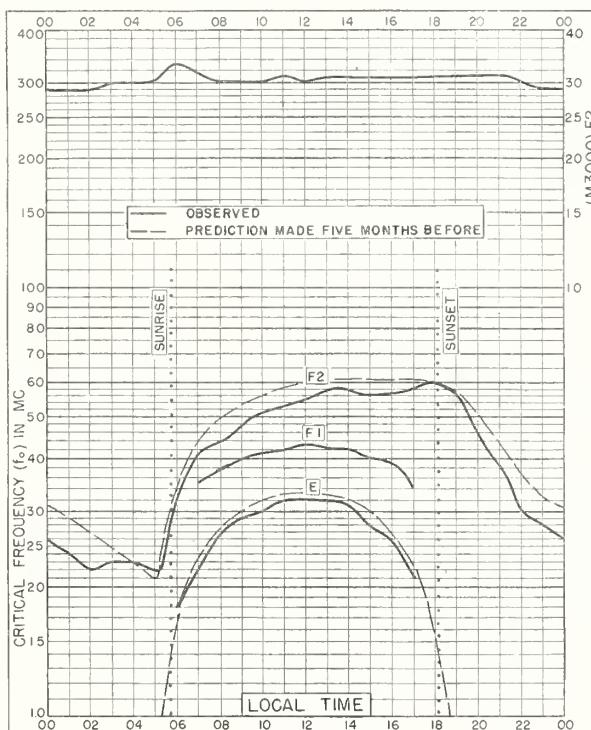
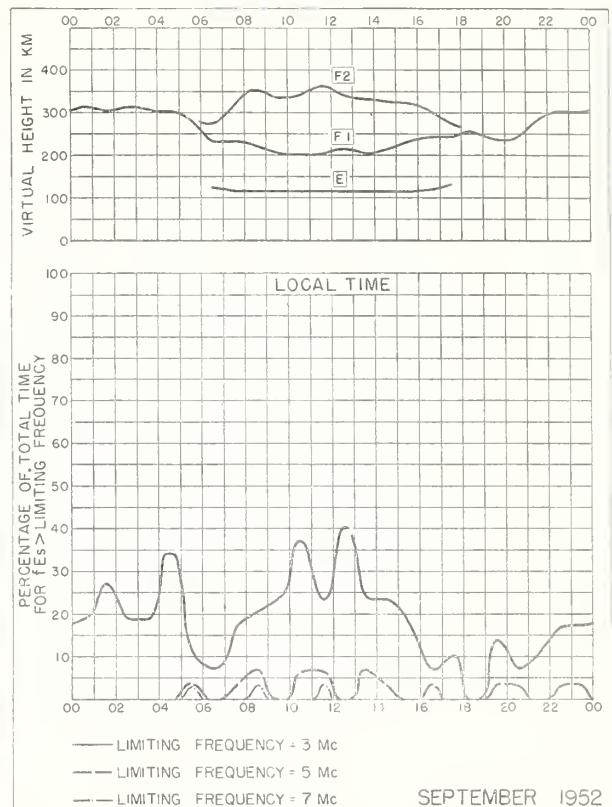
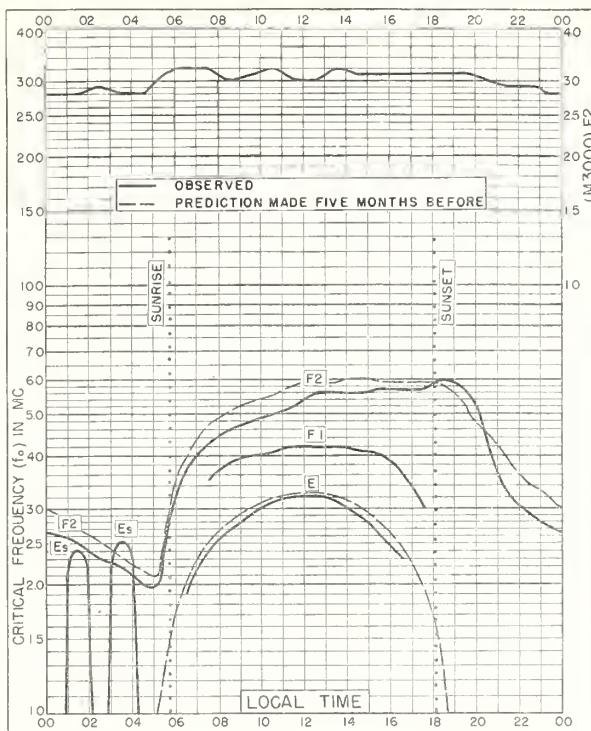
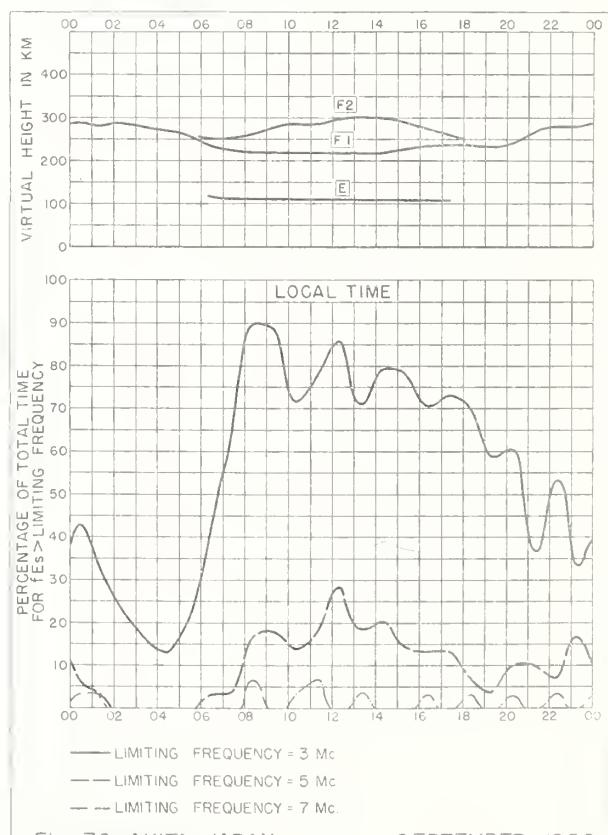
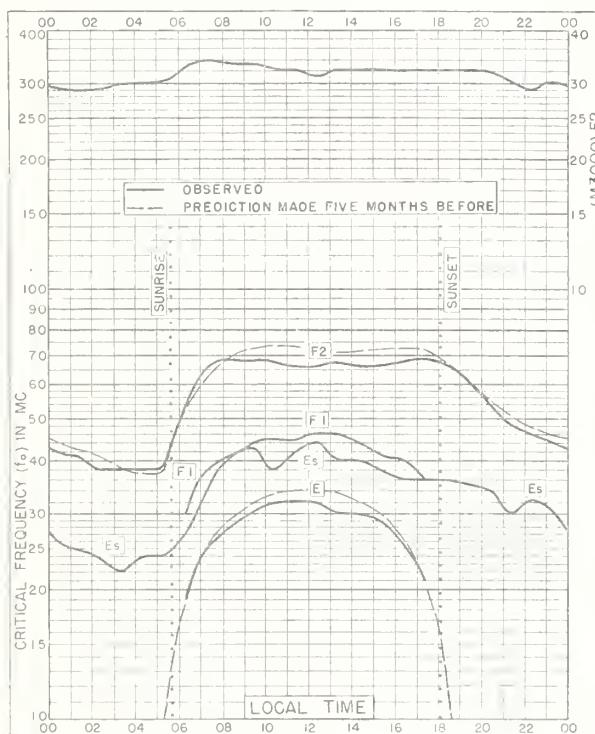
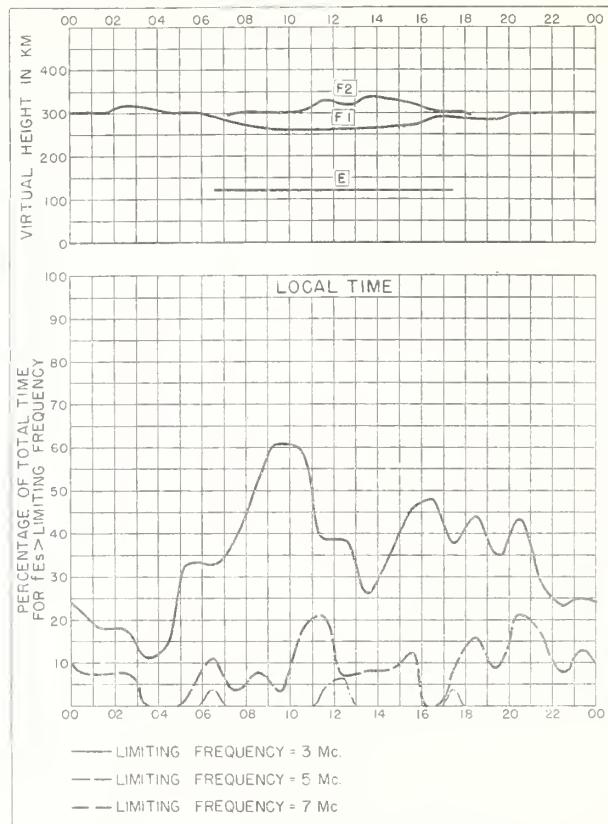
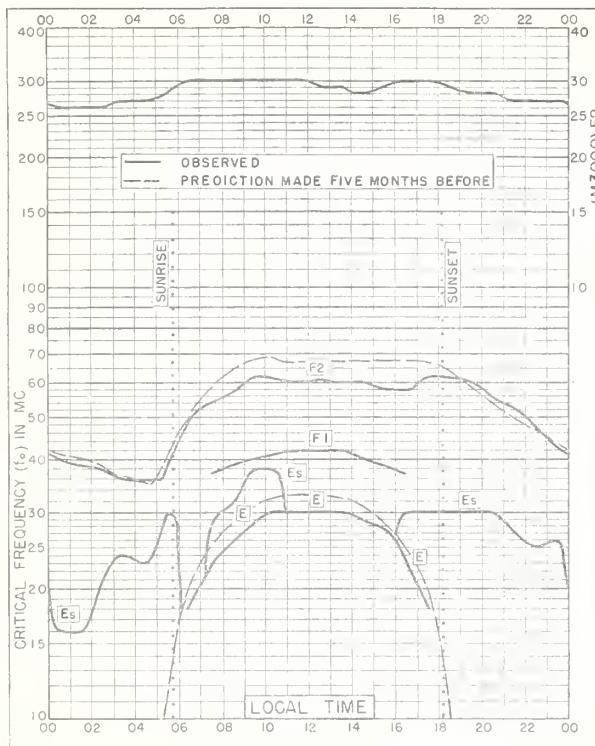


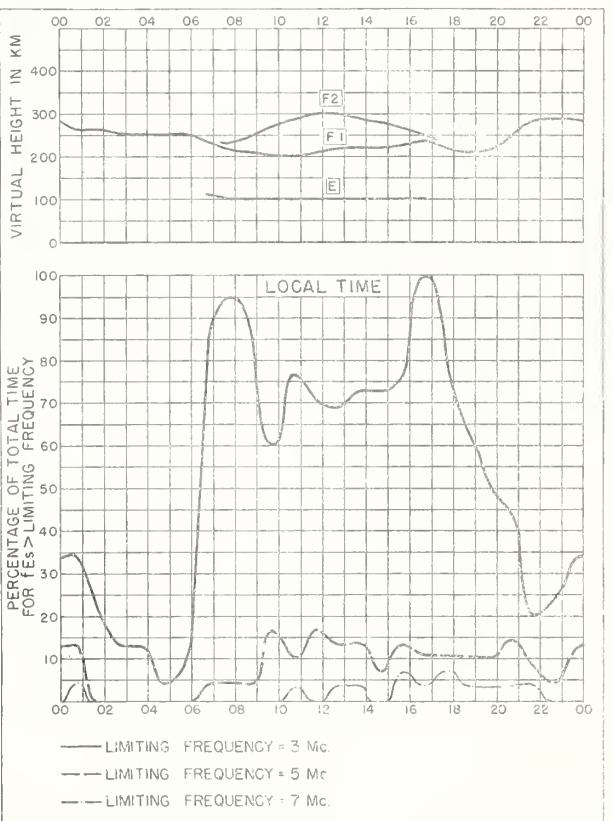
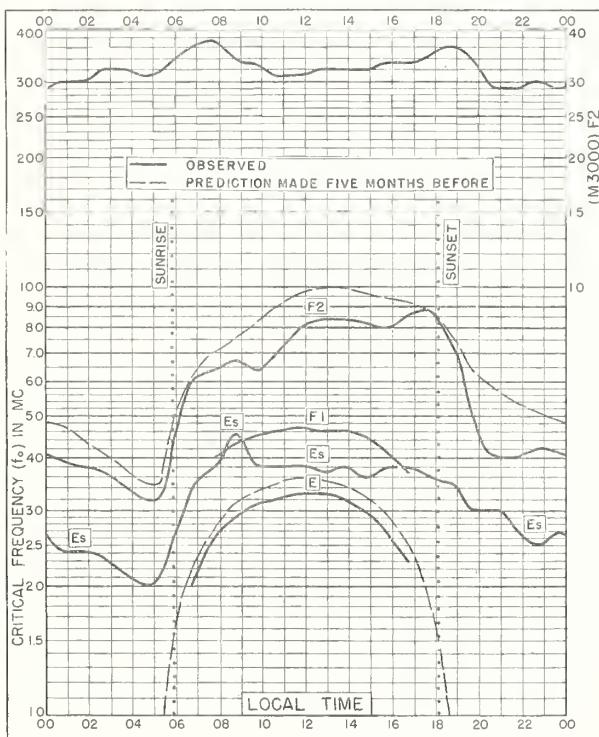
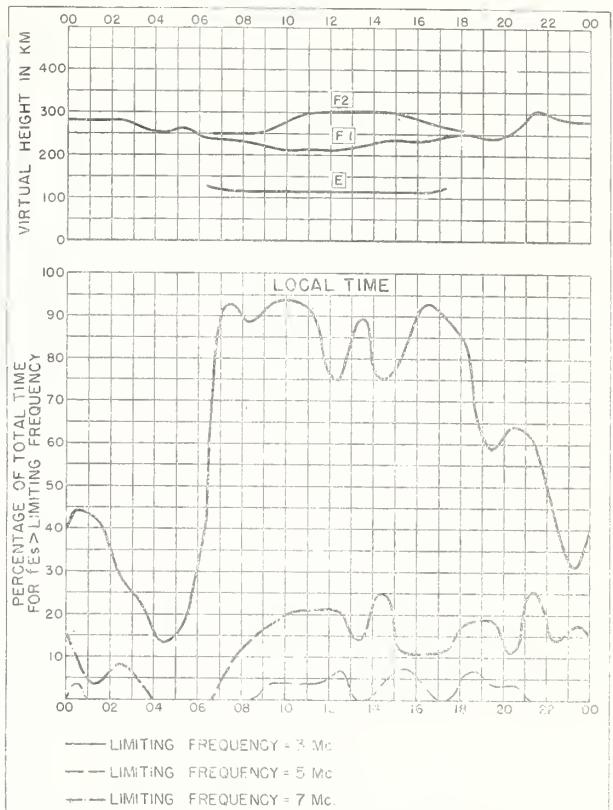
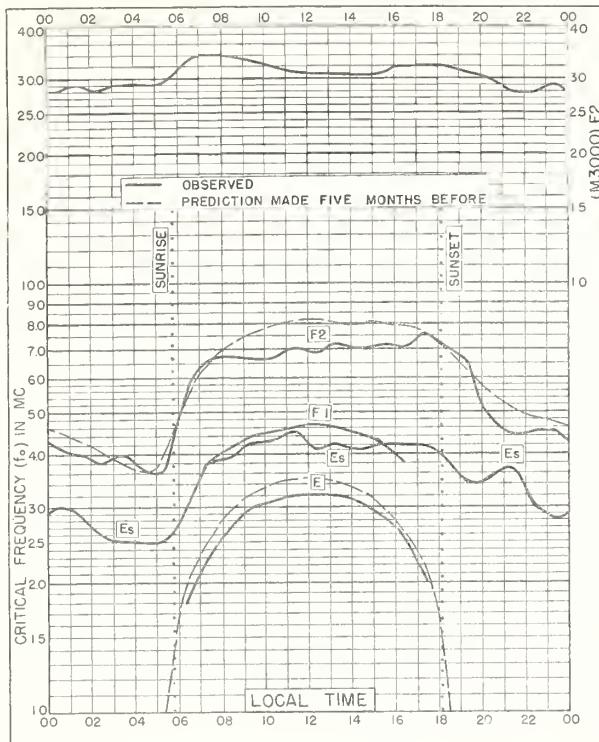
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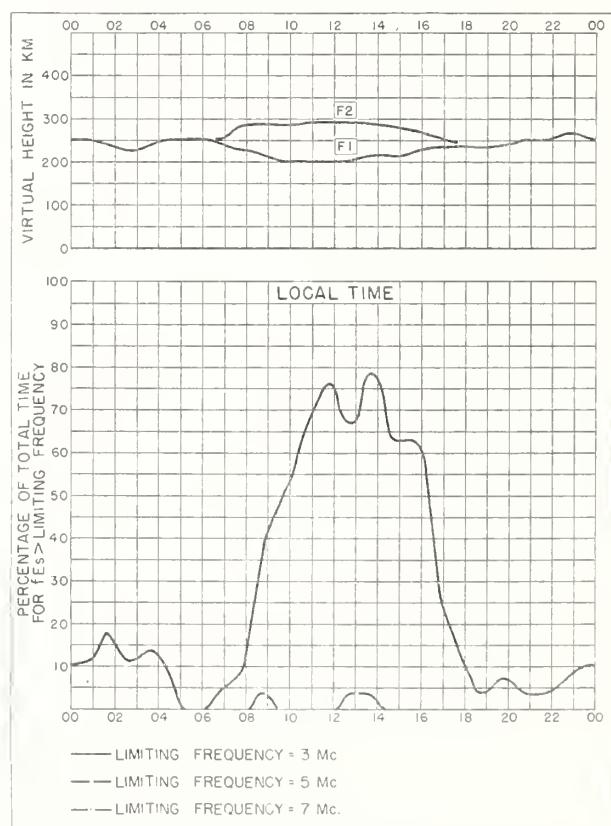
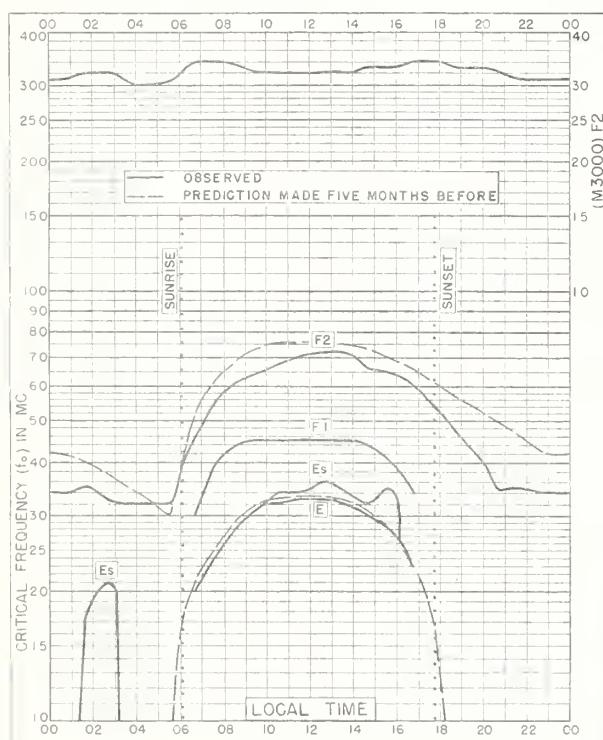
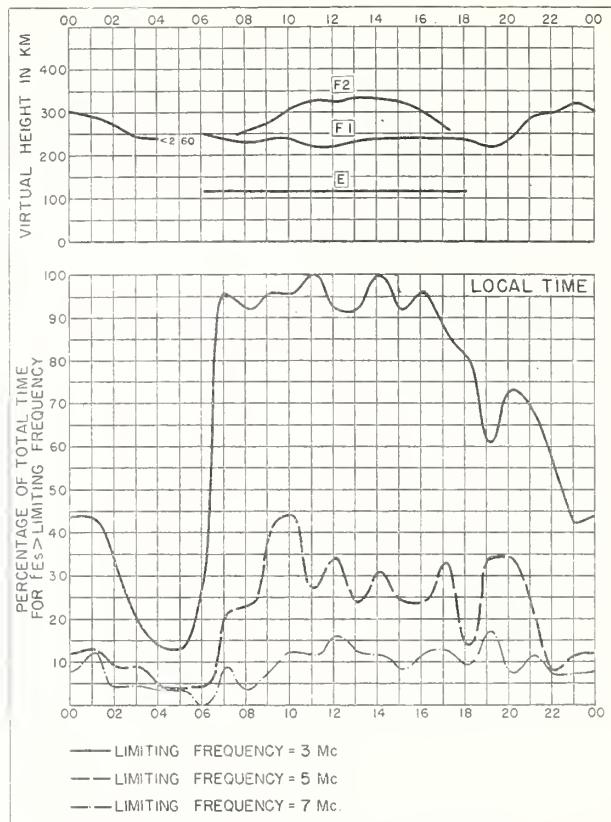
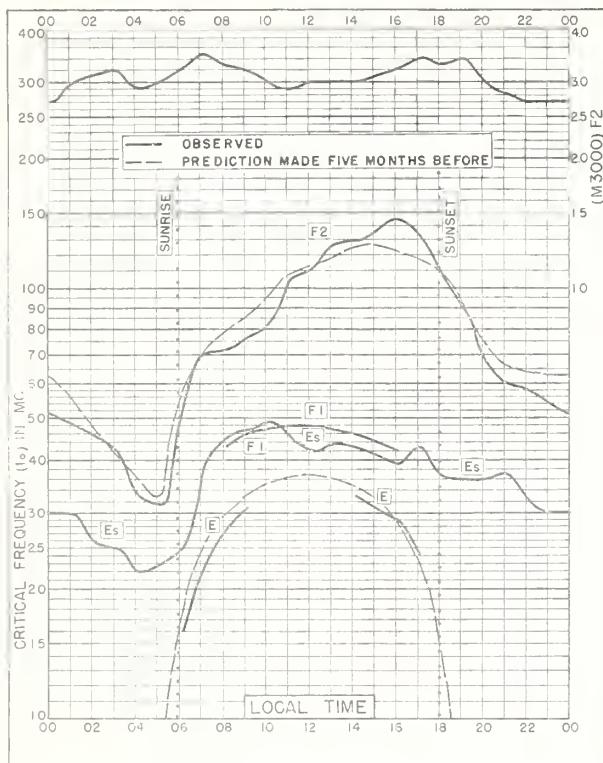


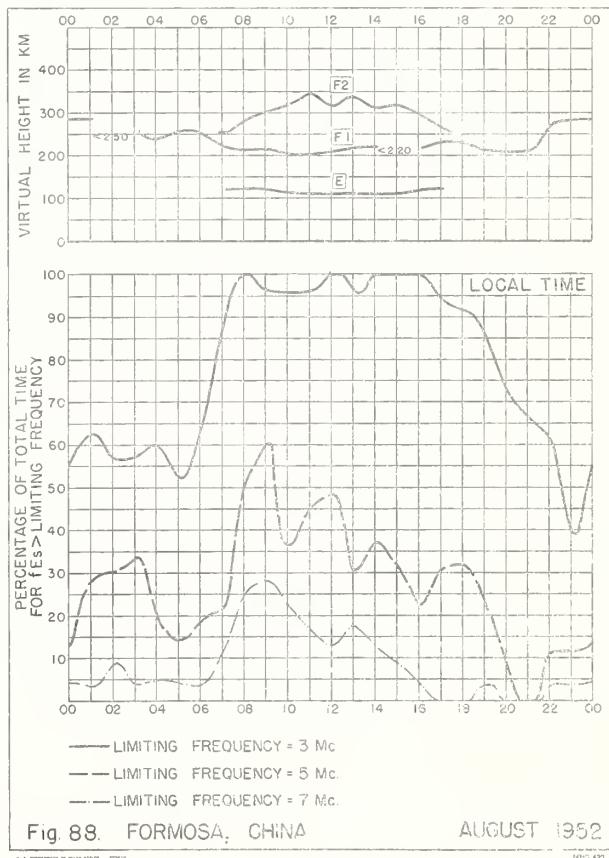
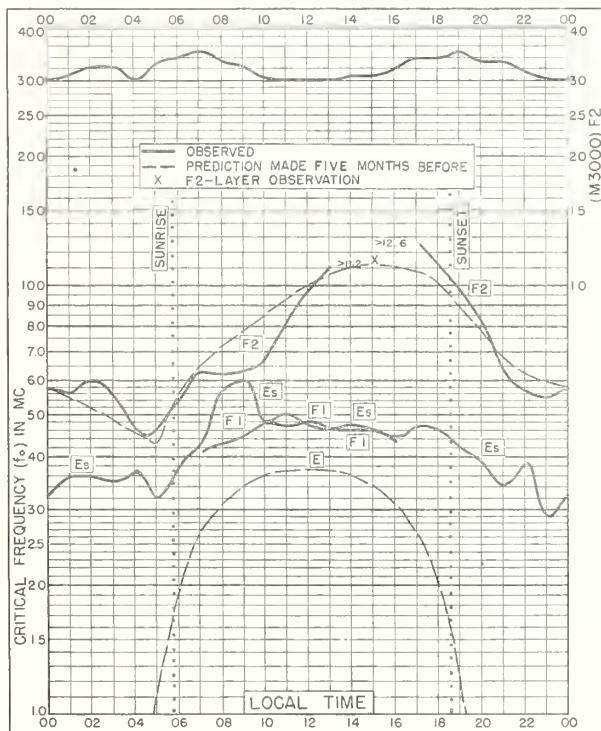
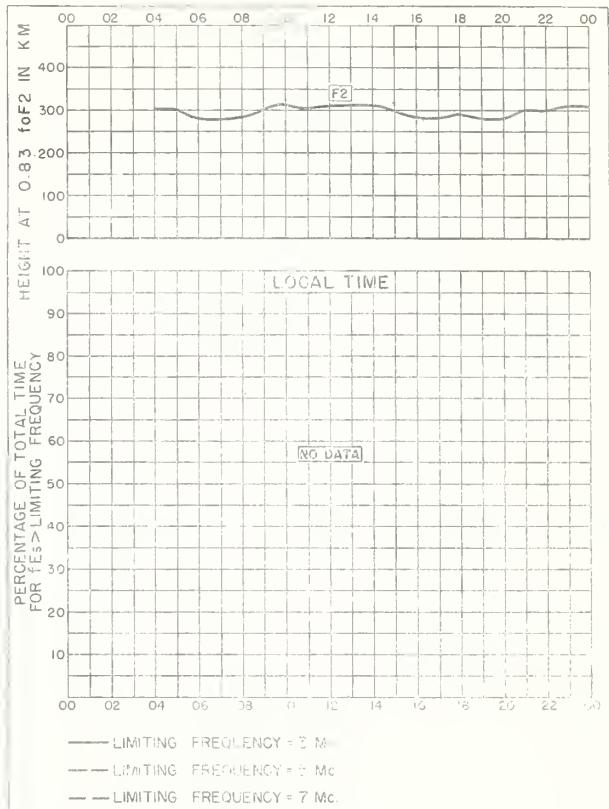
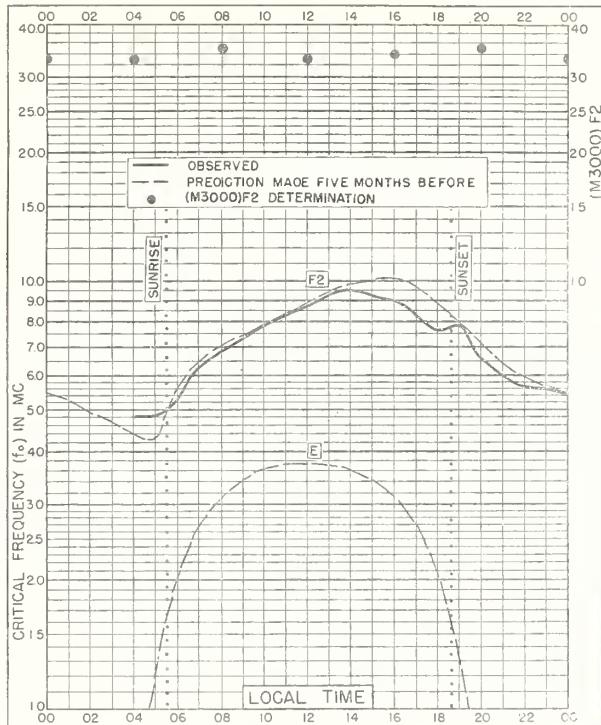












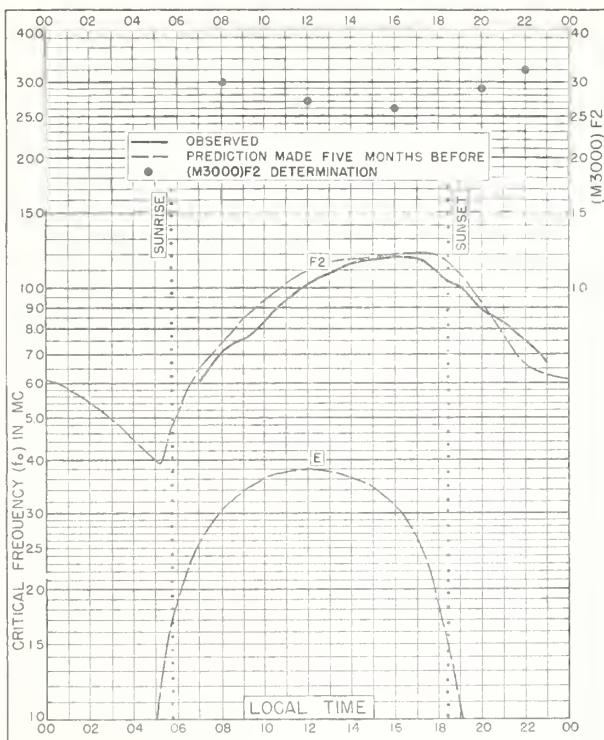


Fig. 89. BOMBAY, INDIA
19.0°N, 73.0°E AUGUST 1952

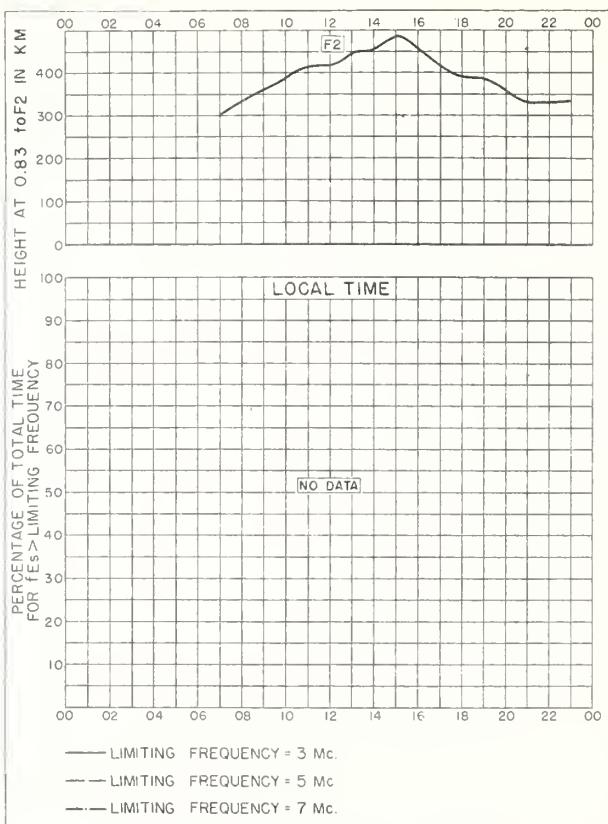


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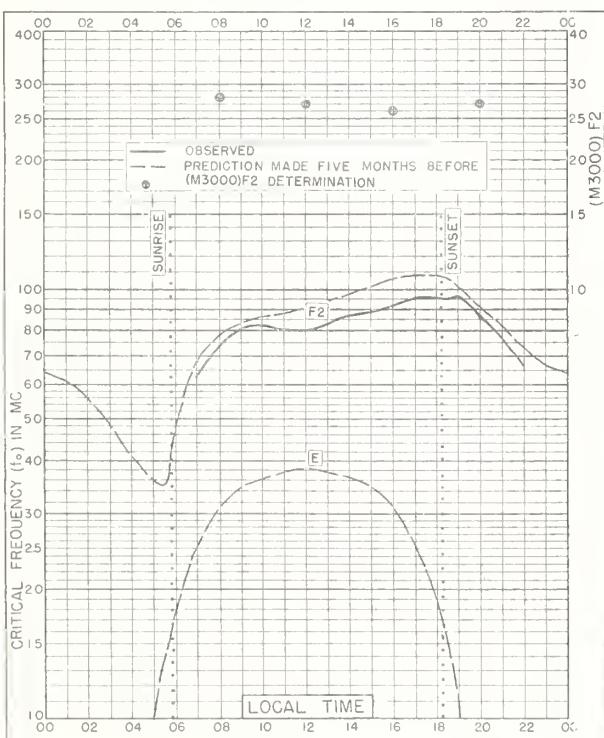


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13.0°N, 80.2°E AUGUST 1952

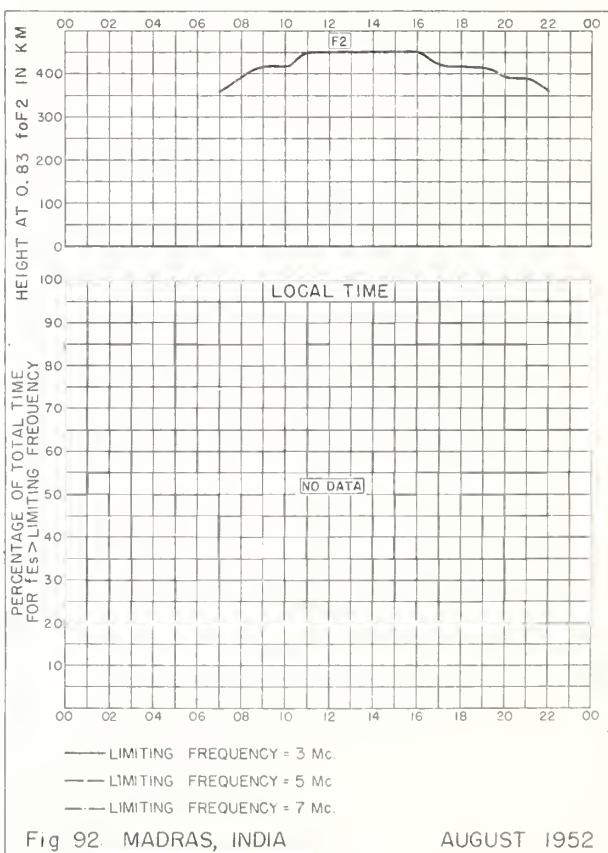


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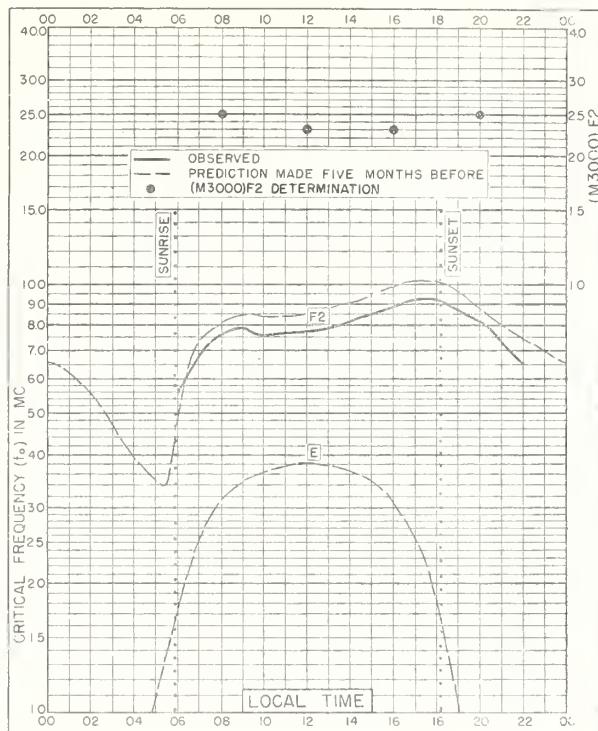


Fig. 93 TIRUCHY, INDIA
IO 8°N, 78.8°E

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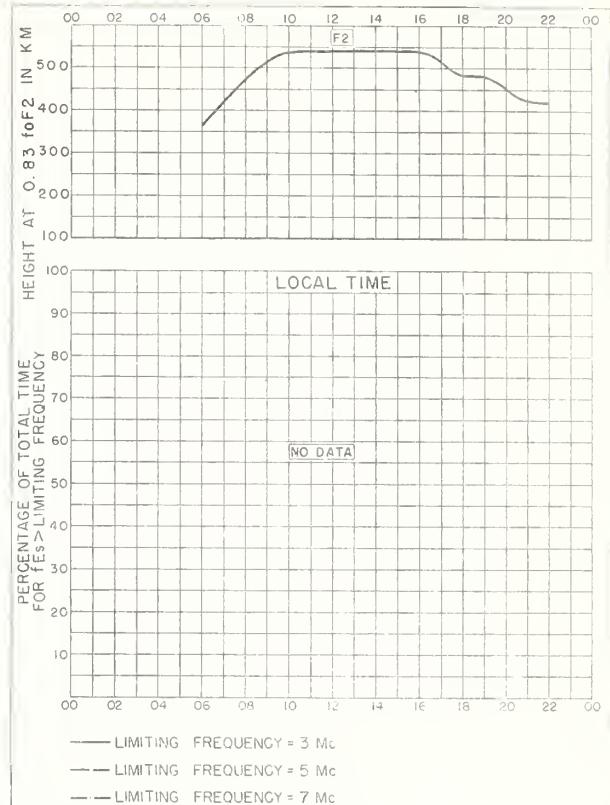


Fig. 94. TIRUCHY, INDIA

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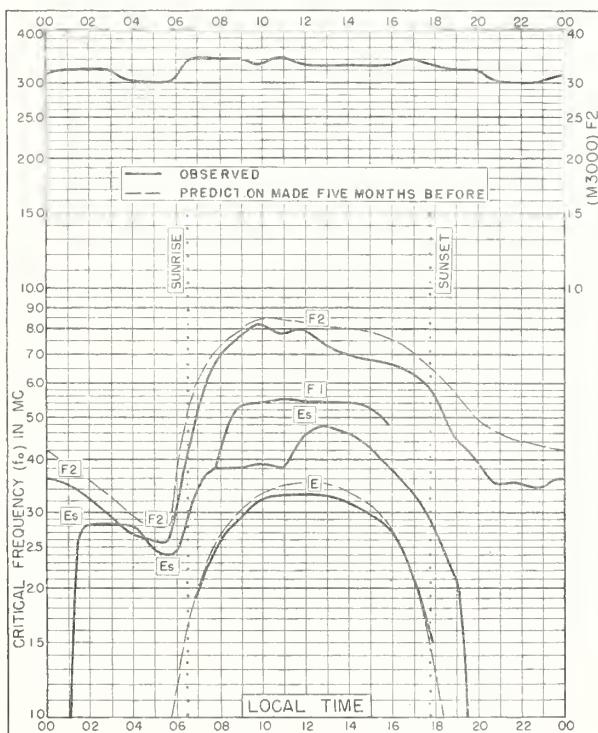


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19.3°S, 146.8°E

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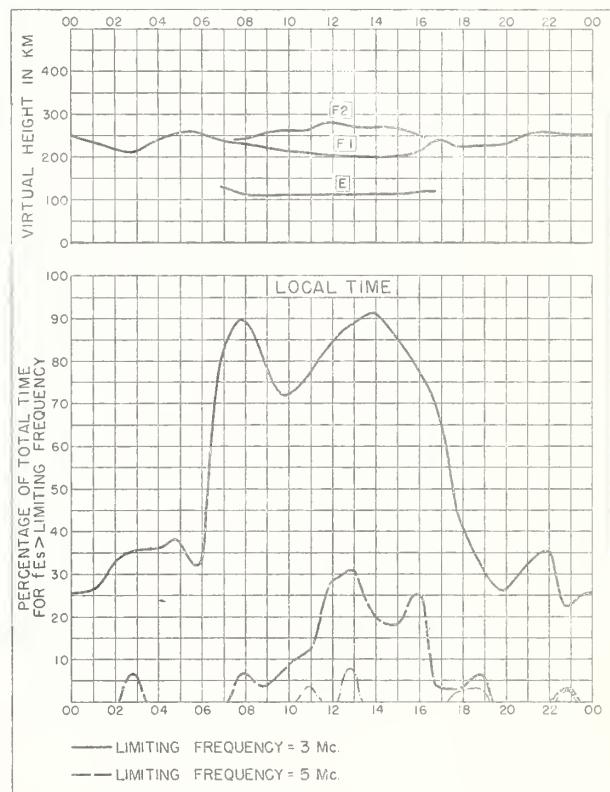


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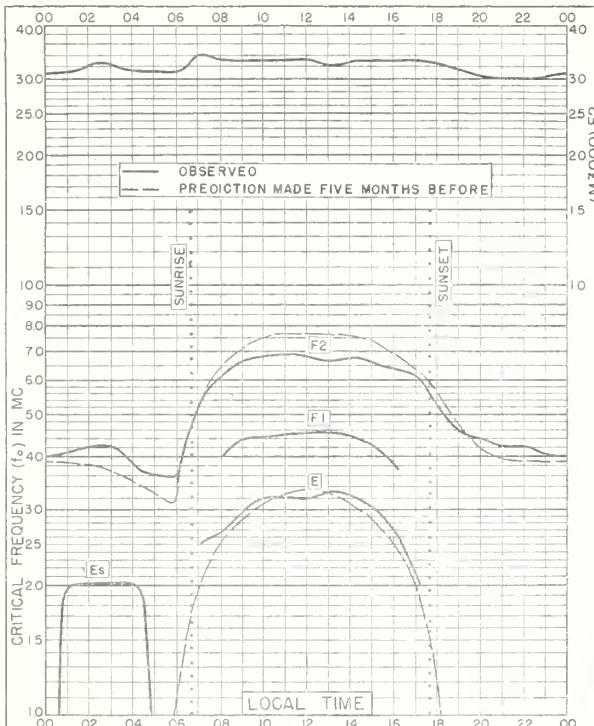


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27.5° S, 153.0° E AUGUST 1952

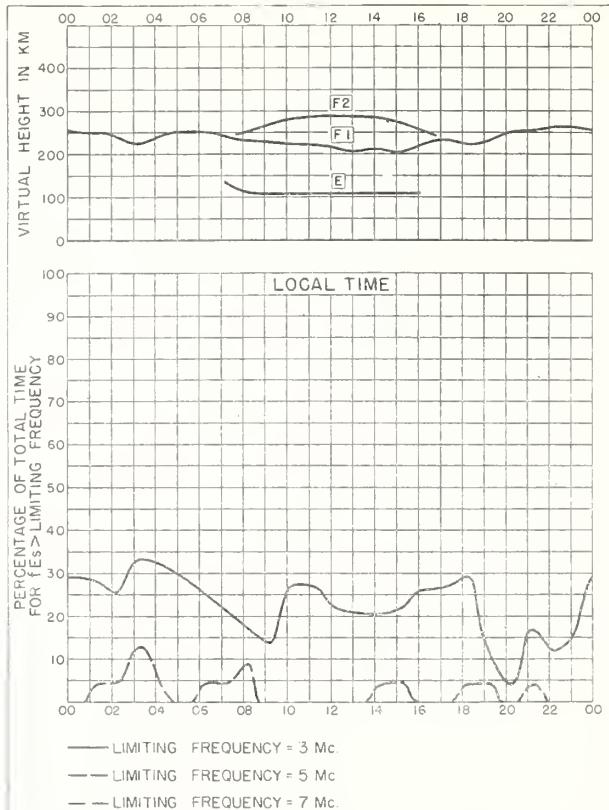


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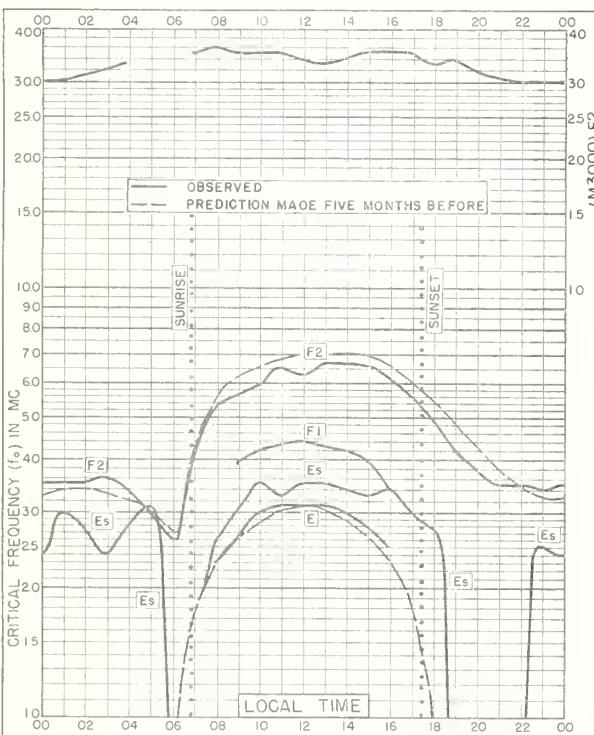


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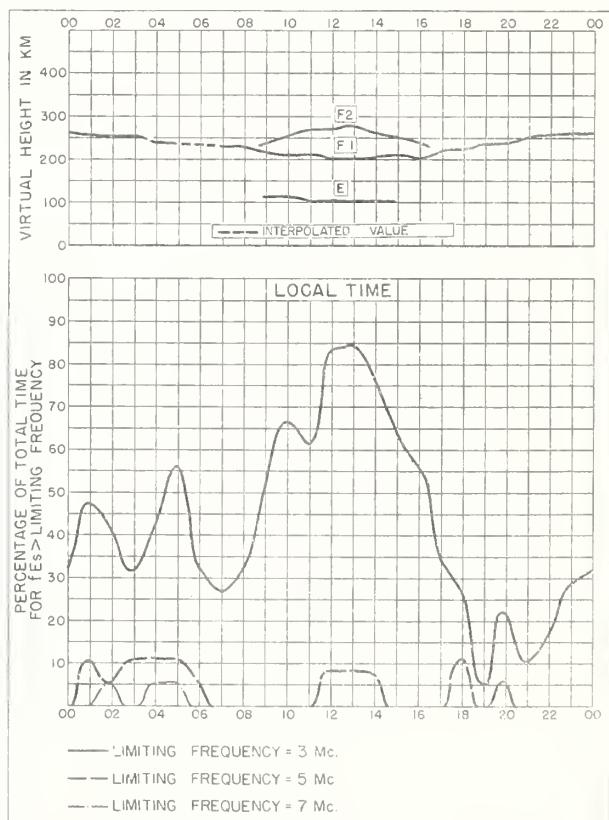


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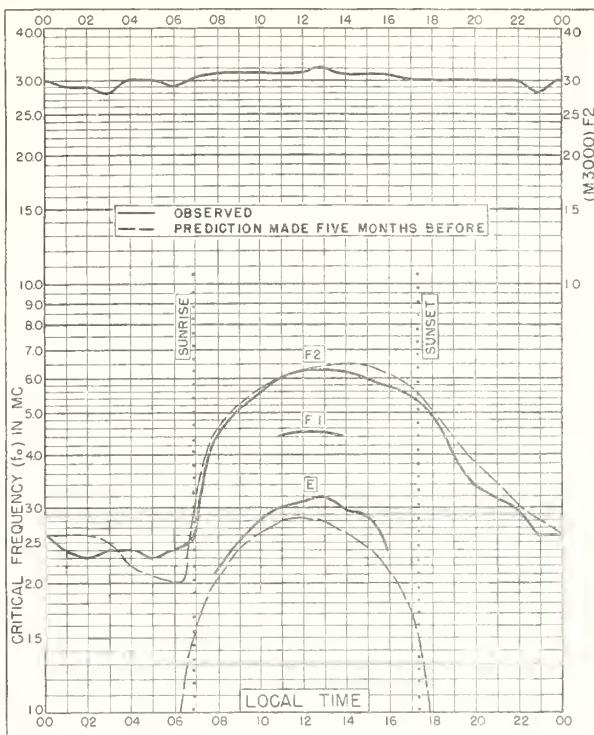


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42.9°S, 147.3°E

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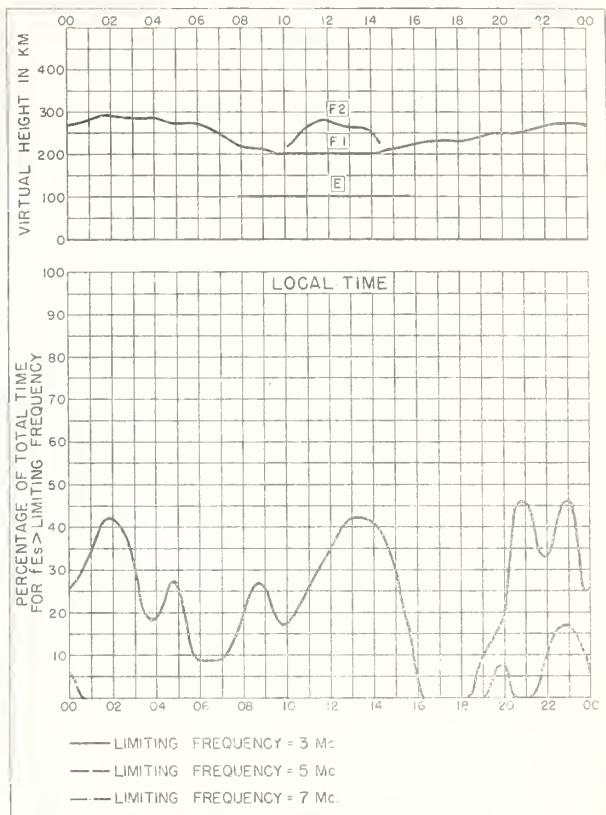


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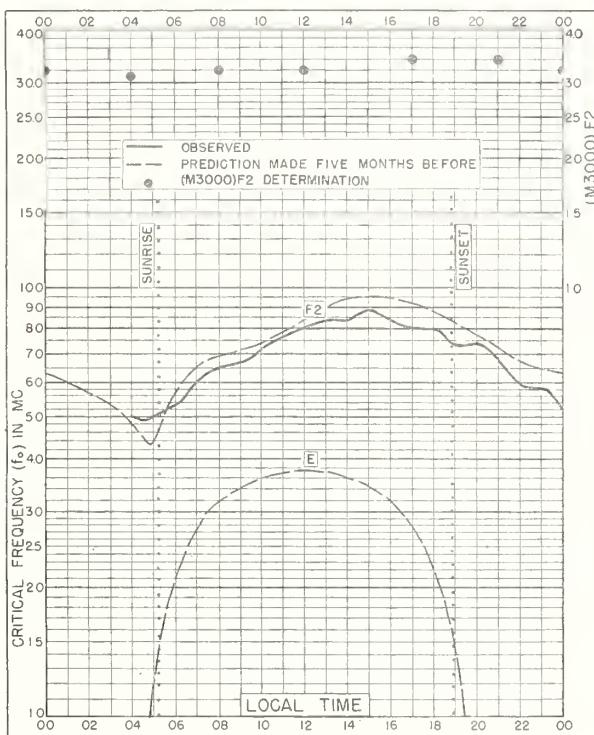


Fig. 103. DELHI, INDIA

28.6°N, 77.1°E

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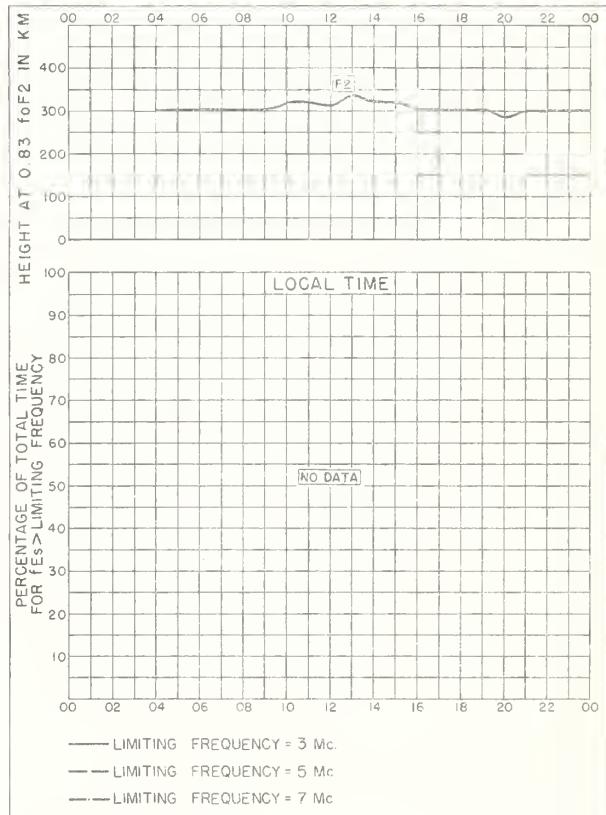


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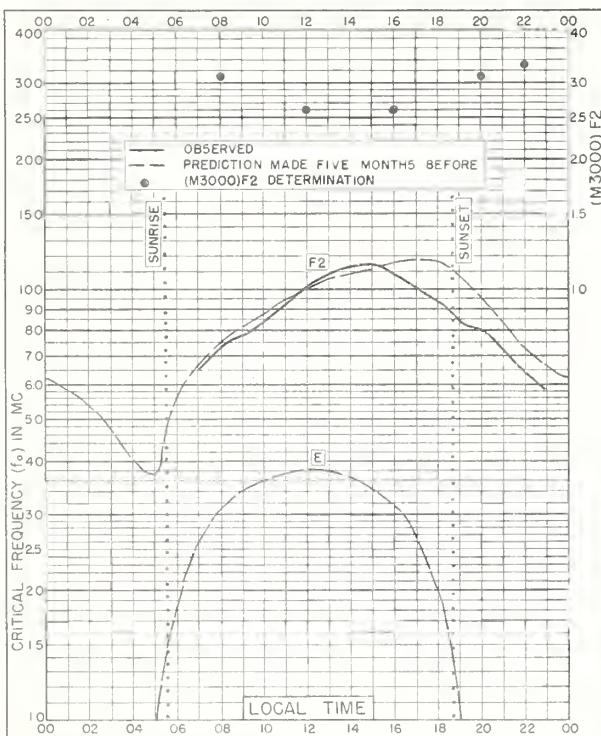


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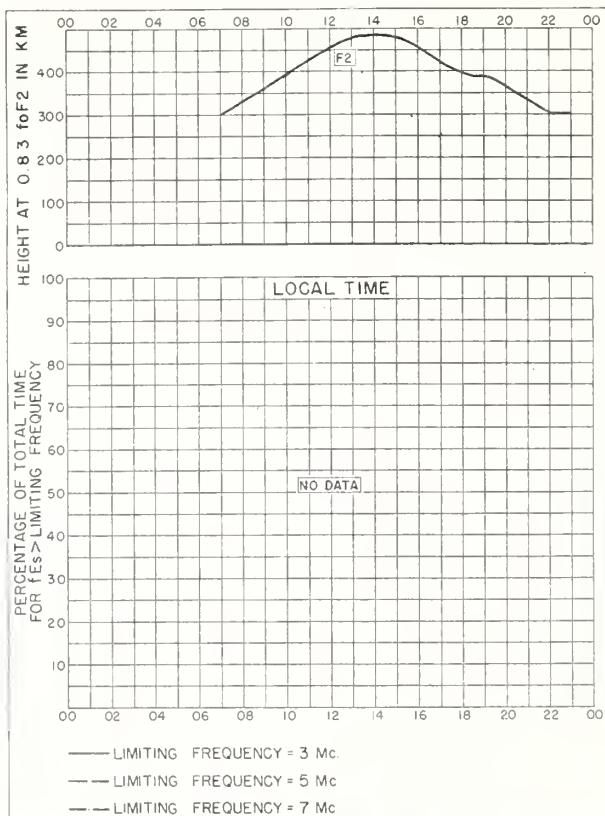


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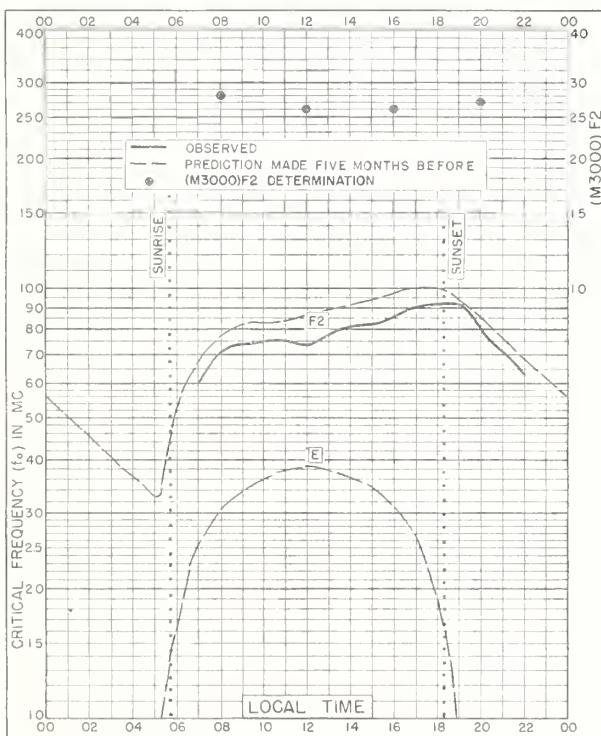


Fig 107 MADRAS, INDIA
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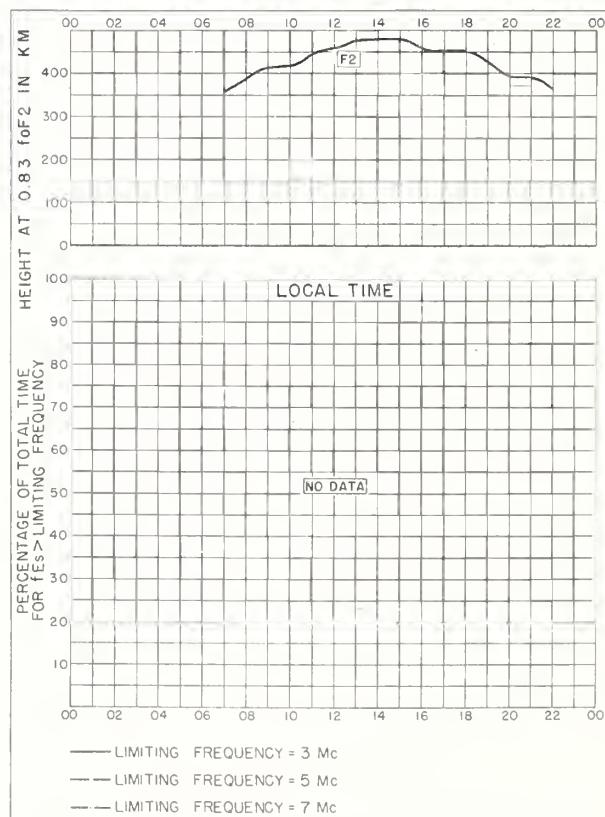
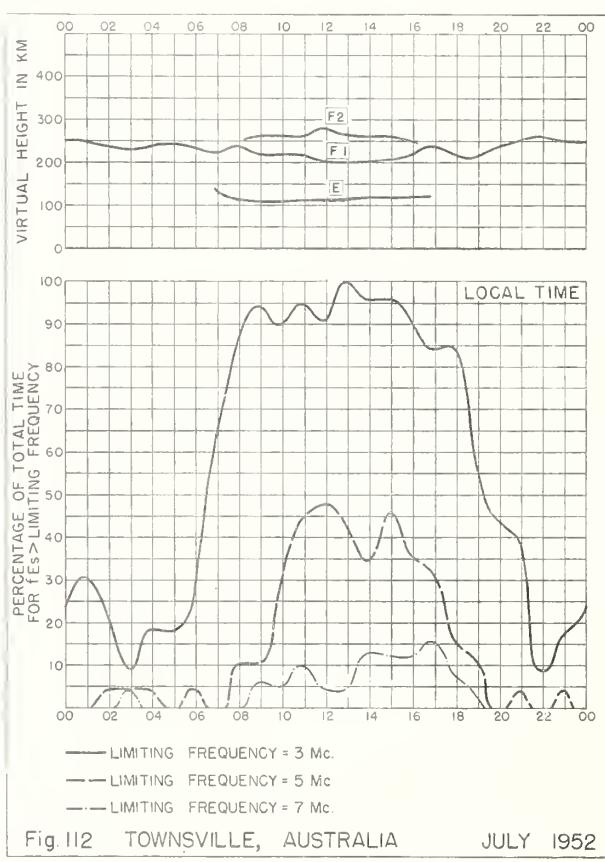
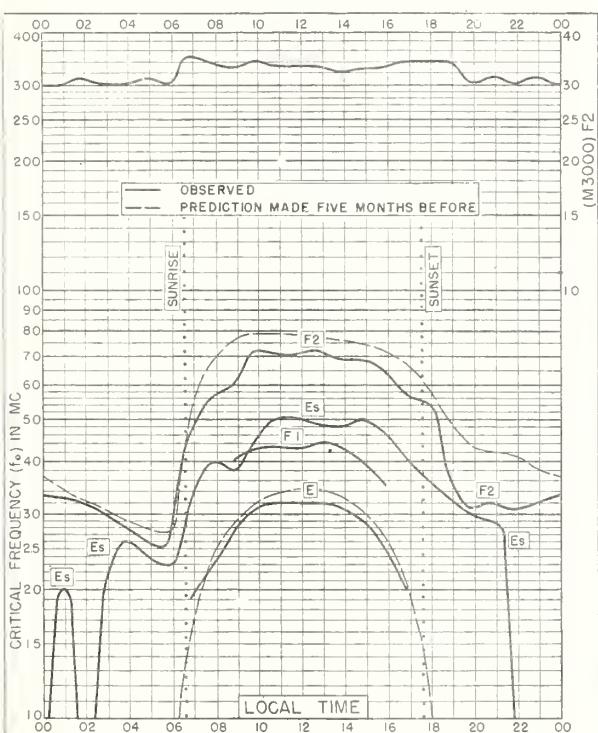
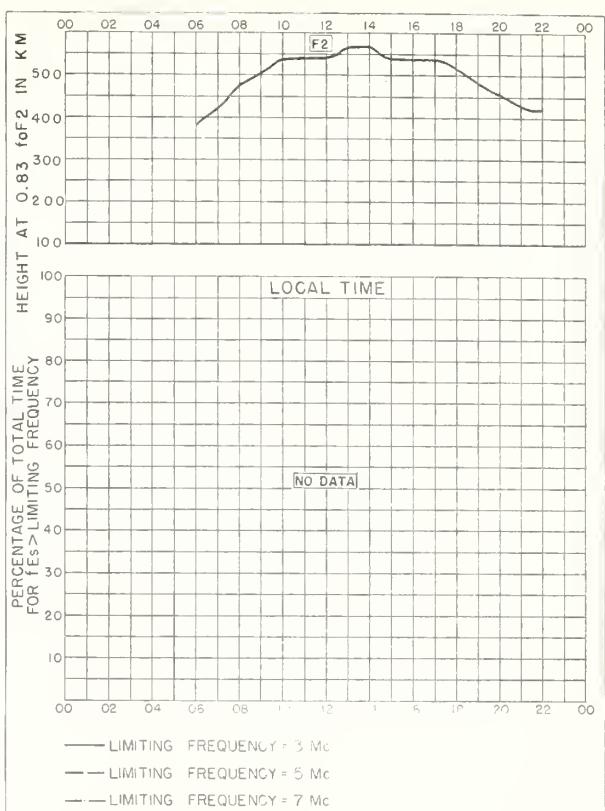
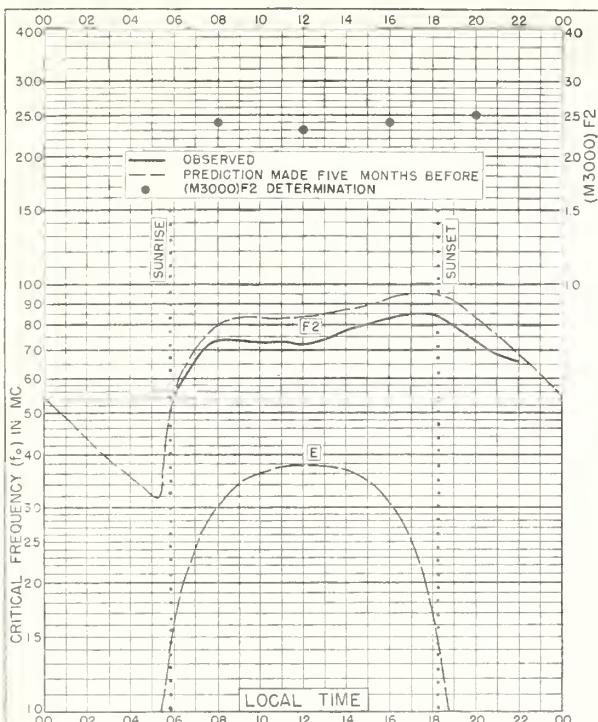


Fig 108 MADRAS, INDIA

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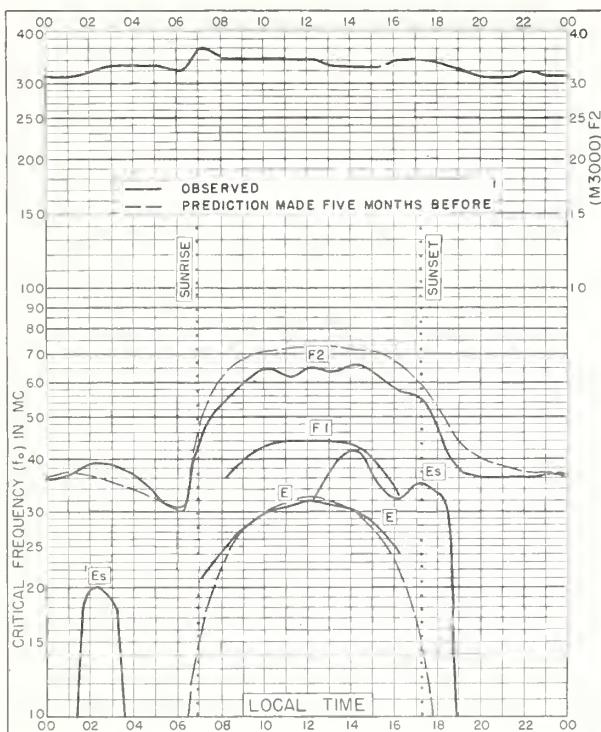


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27.5° S, 153.0° E JULY 1952

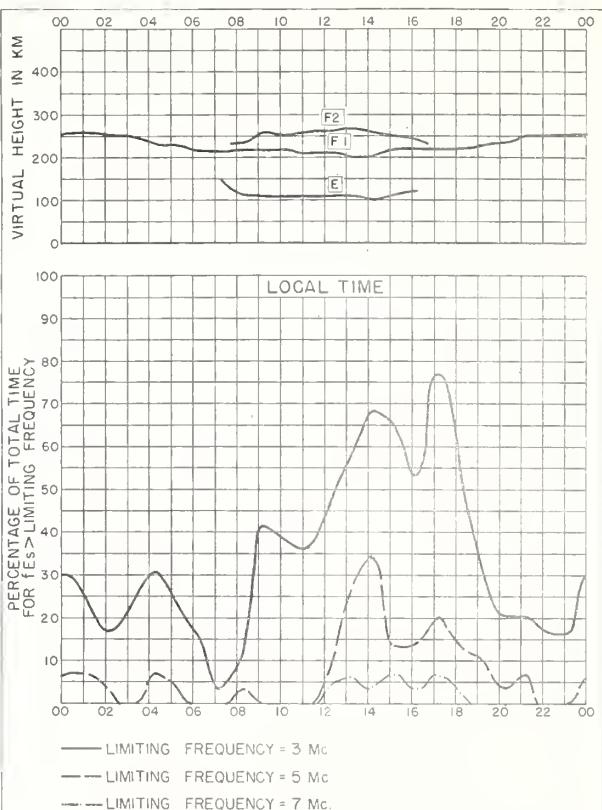


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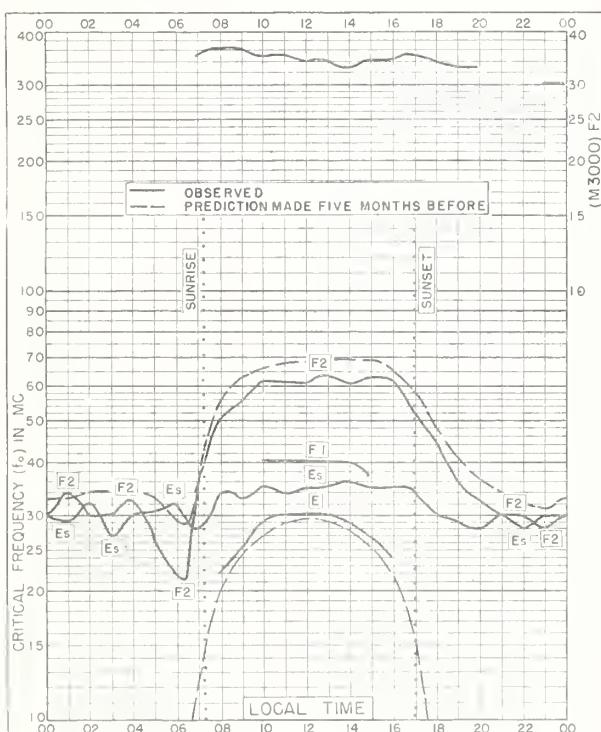


Fig 115 CANBERRA, AUSTRALIA
35.3° S, 149.0° E JULY 1952

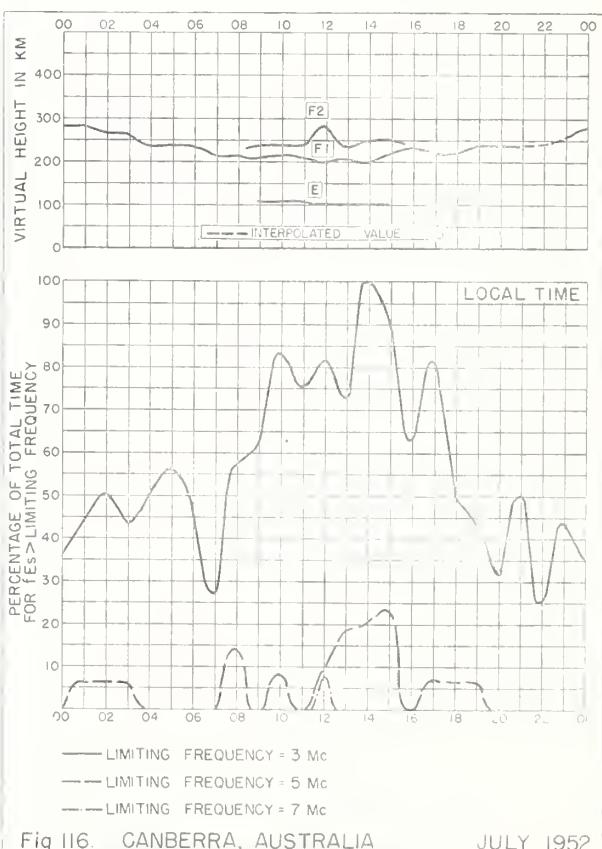


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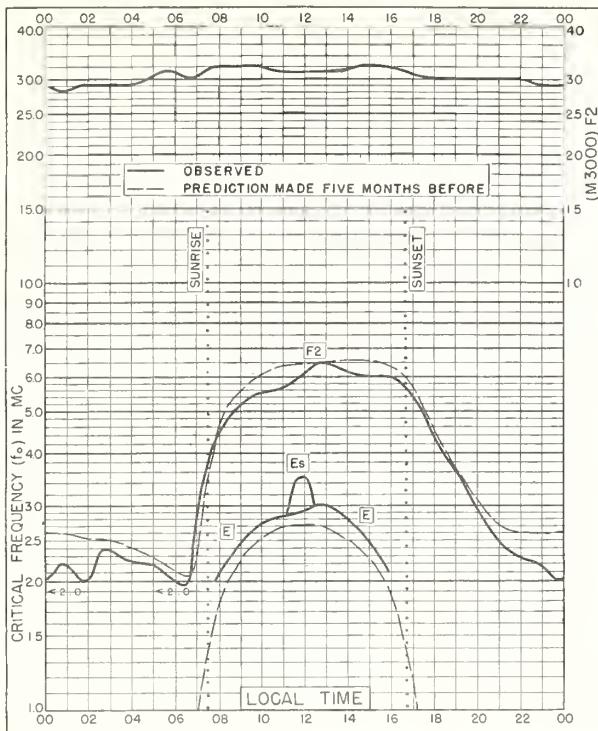


Fig. 117. HOBART, TASMANIA
42.9°S, 147.3°E

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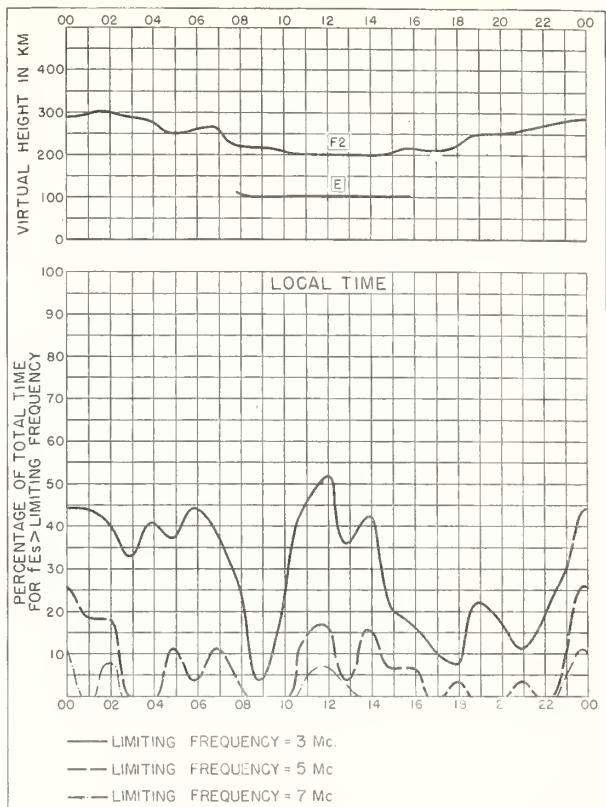


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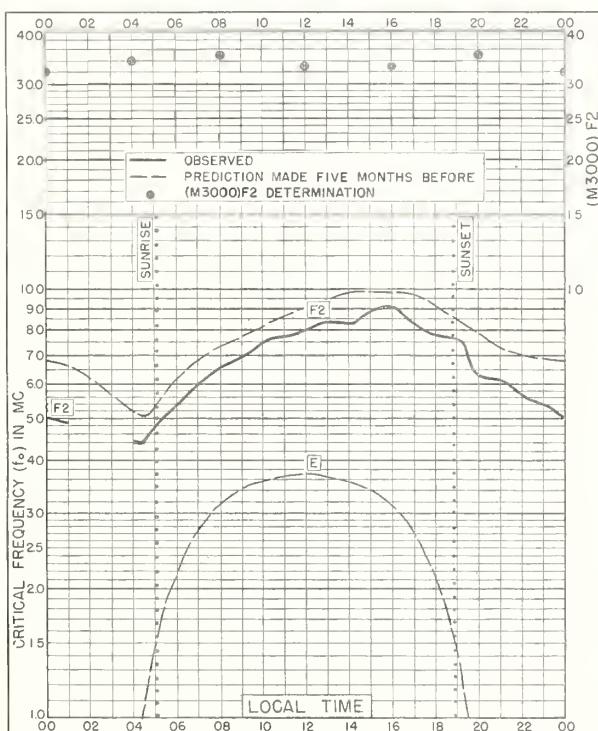


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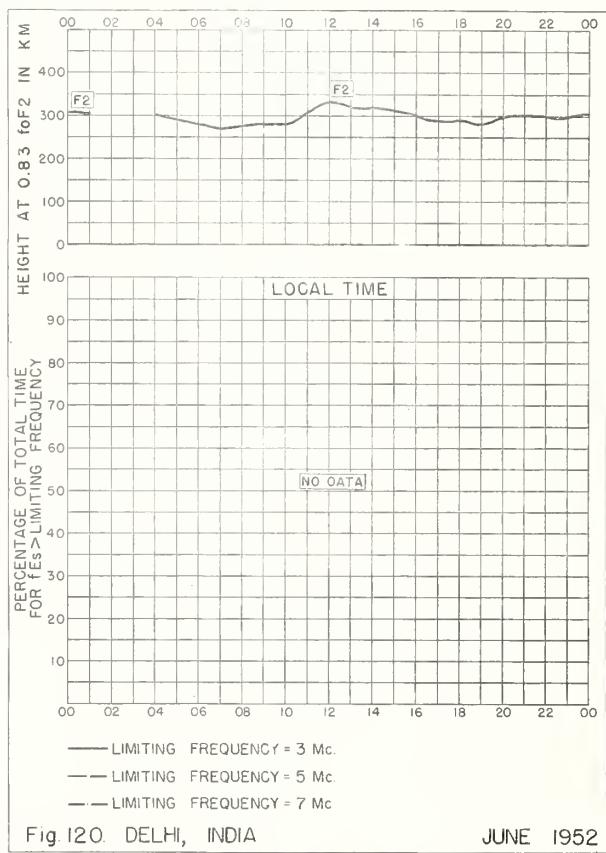


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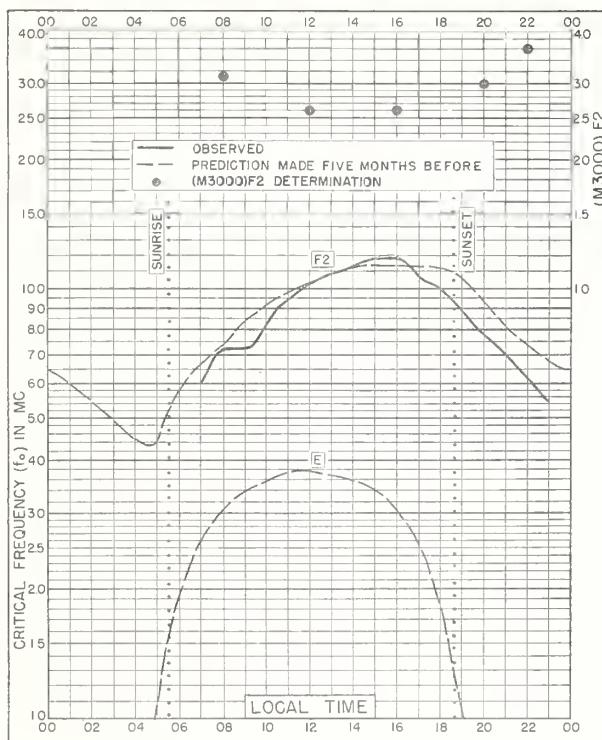


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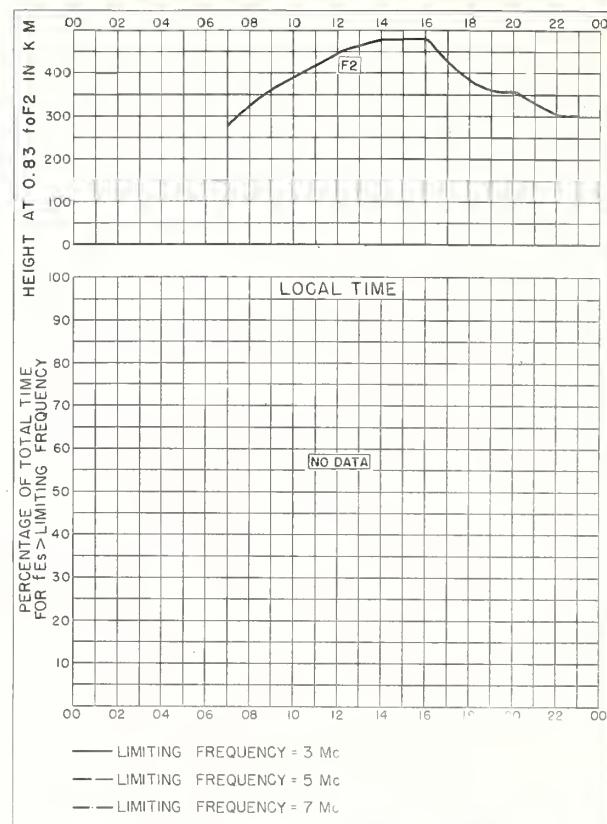


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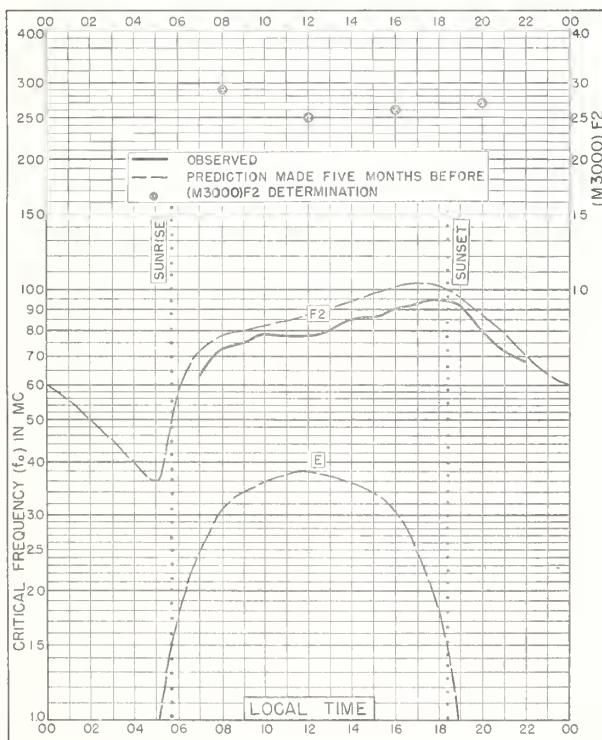


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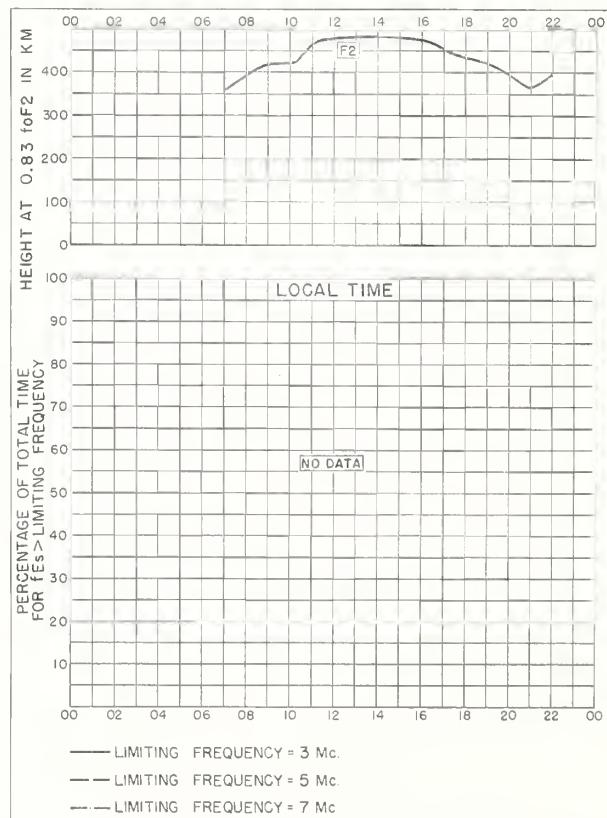


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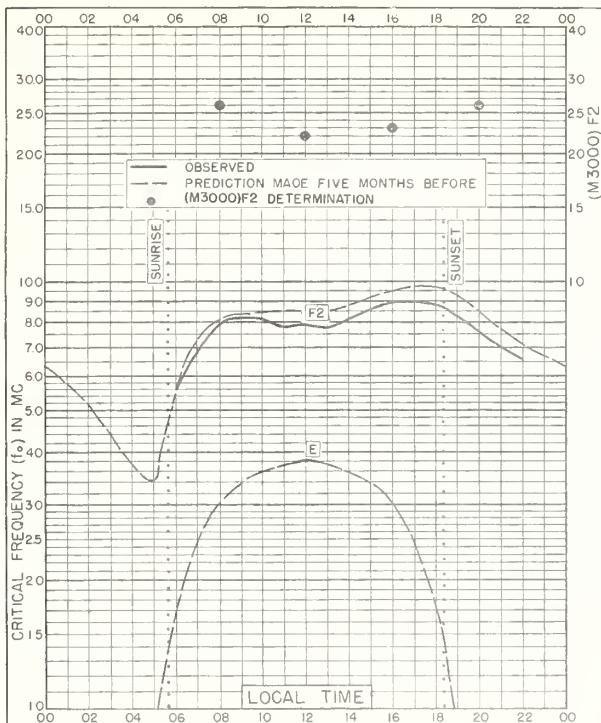


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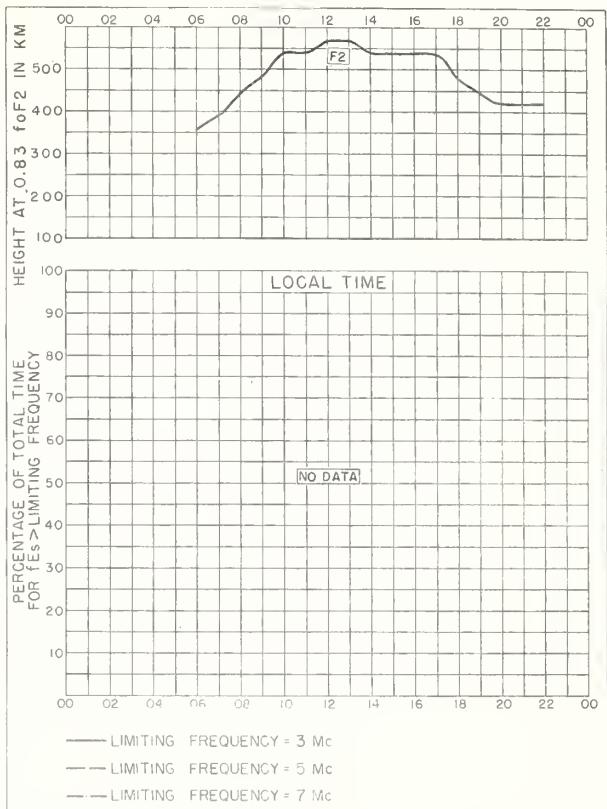


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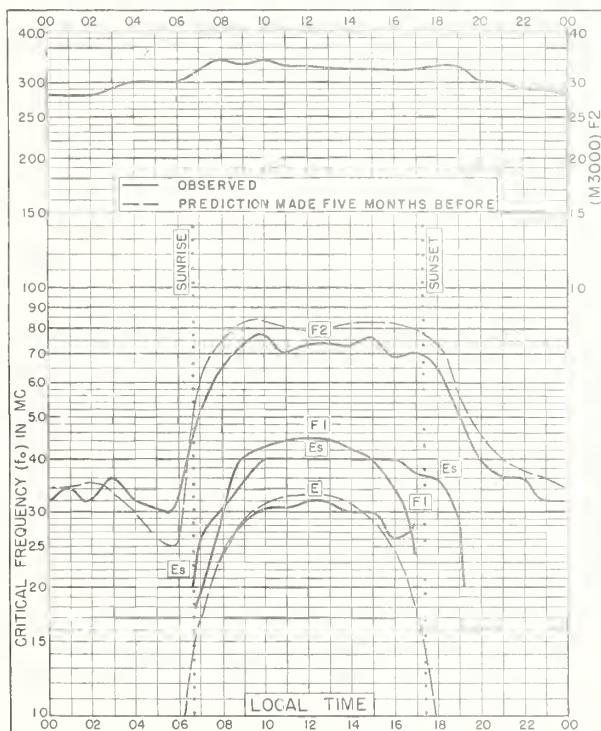


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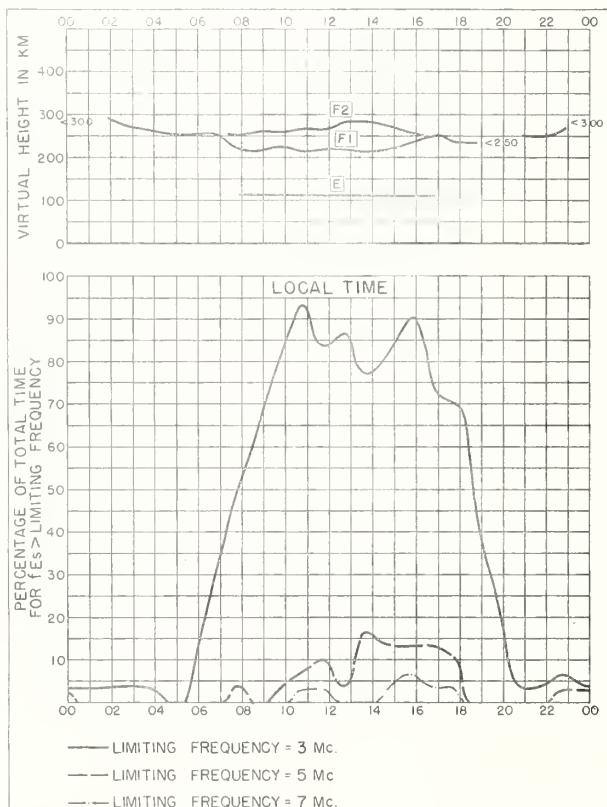


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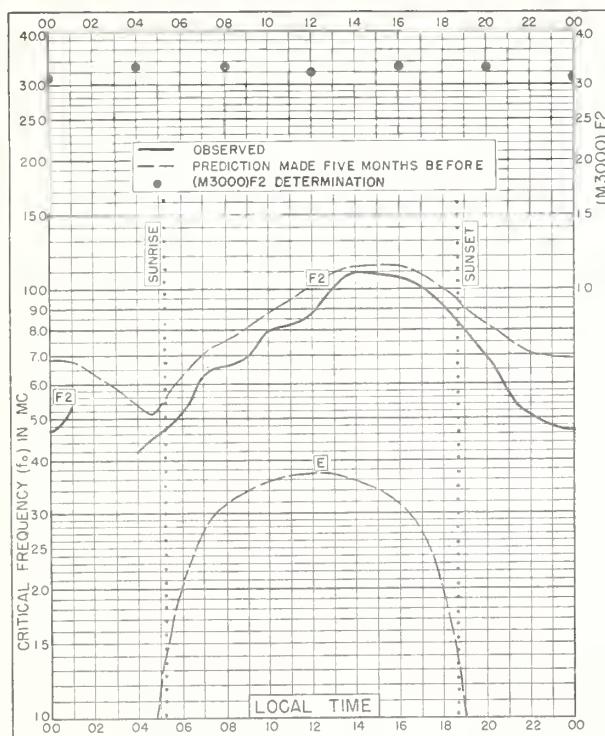


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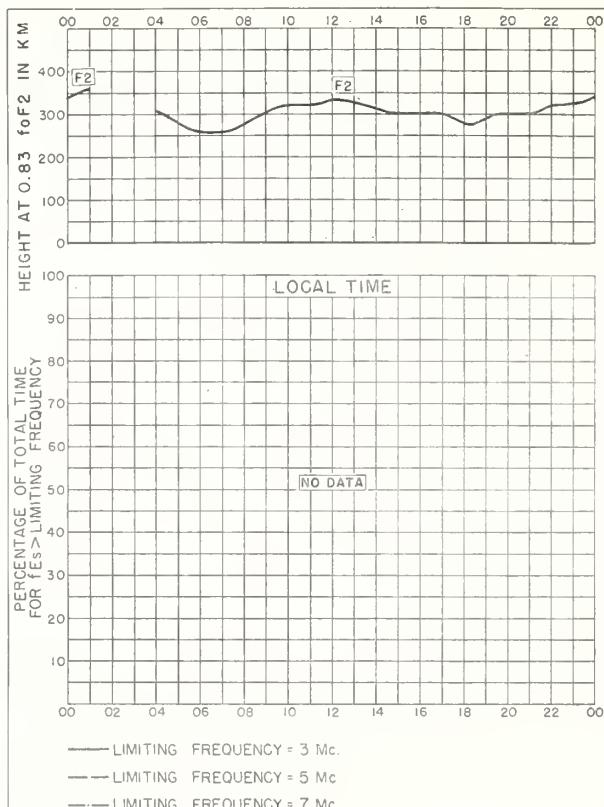


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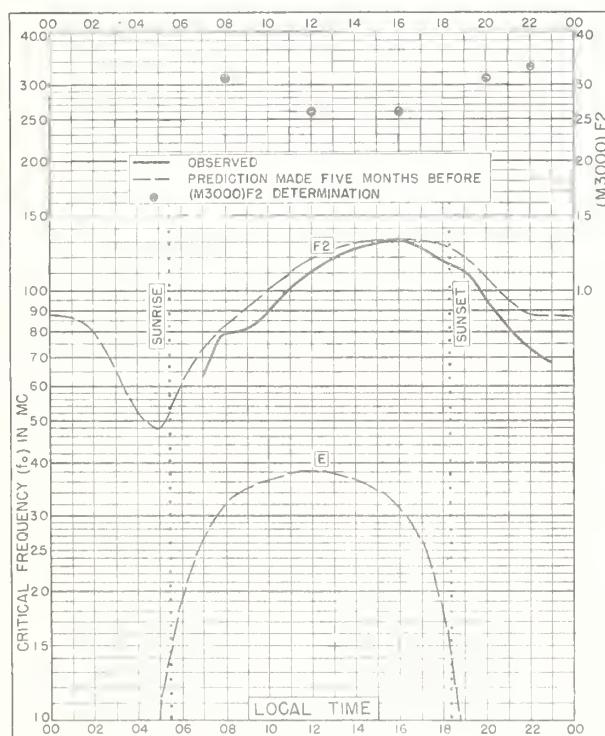


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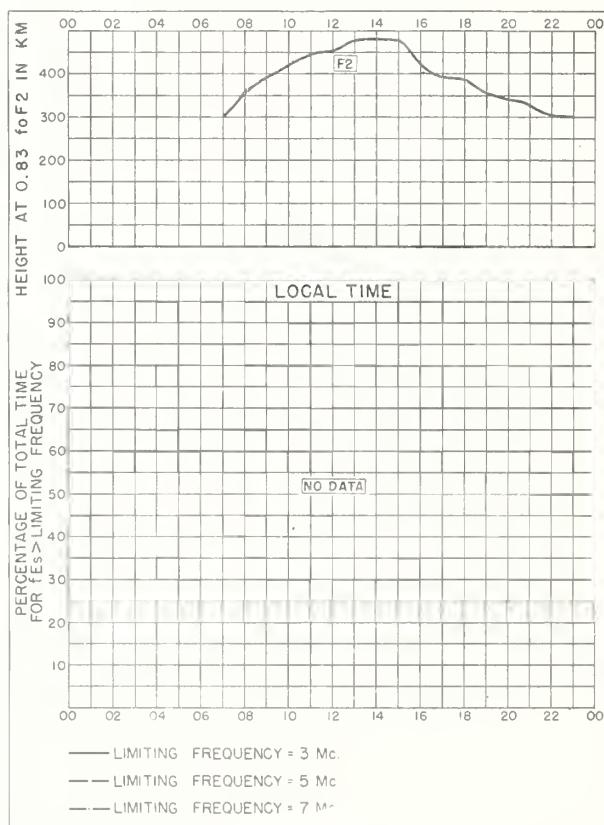
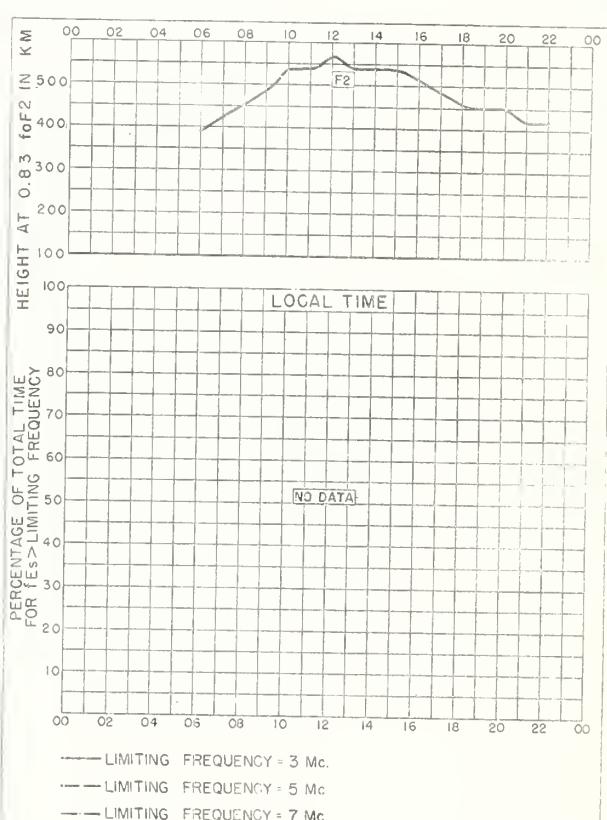
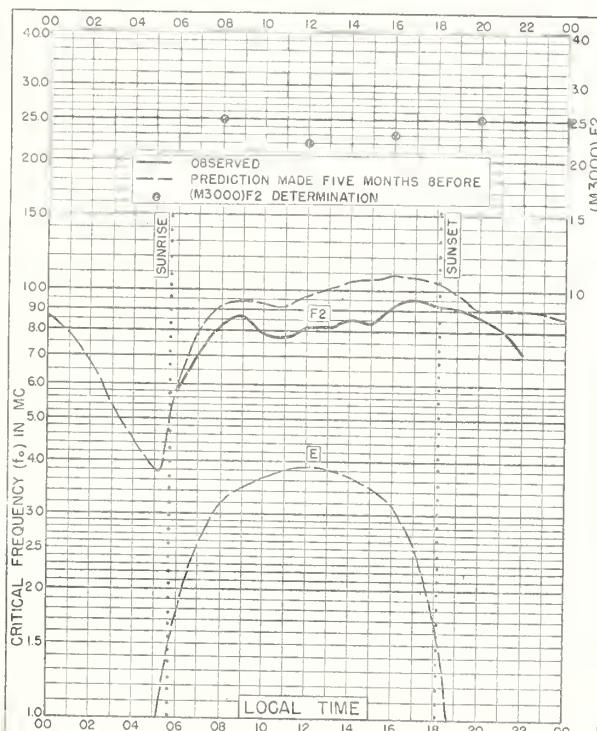
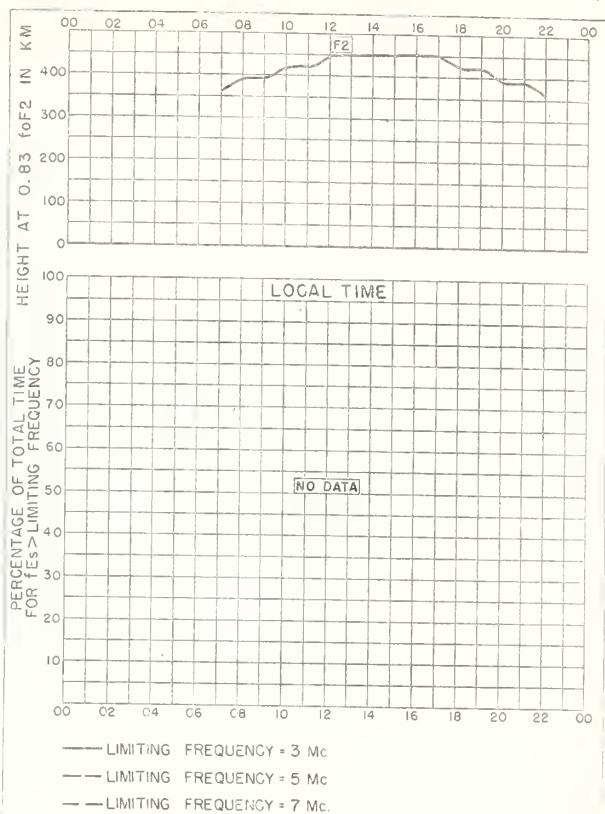
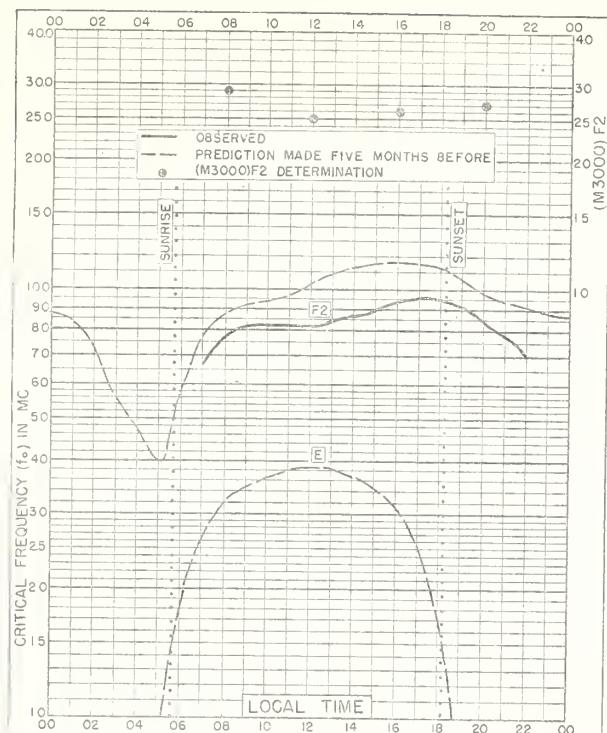
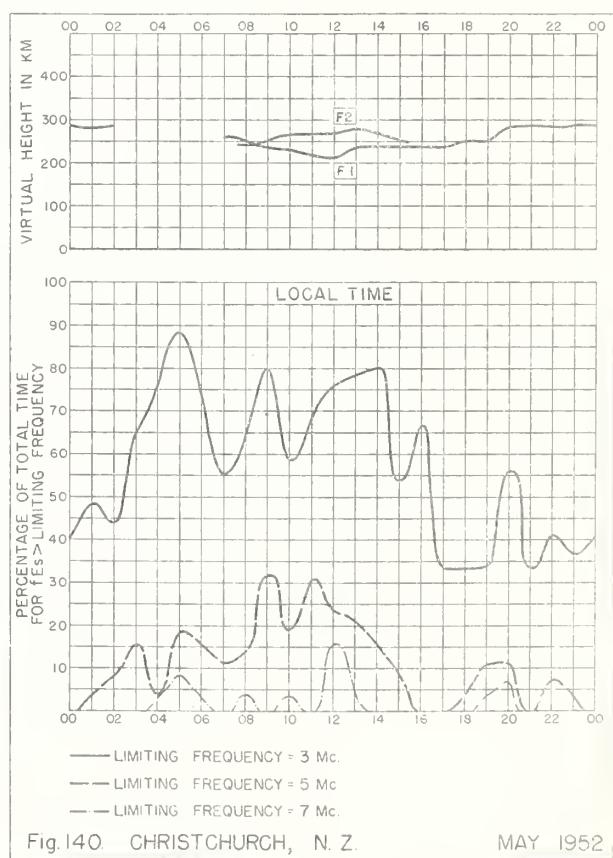
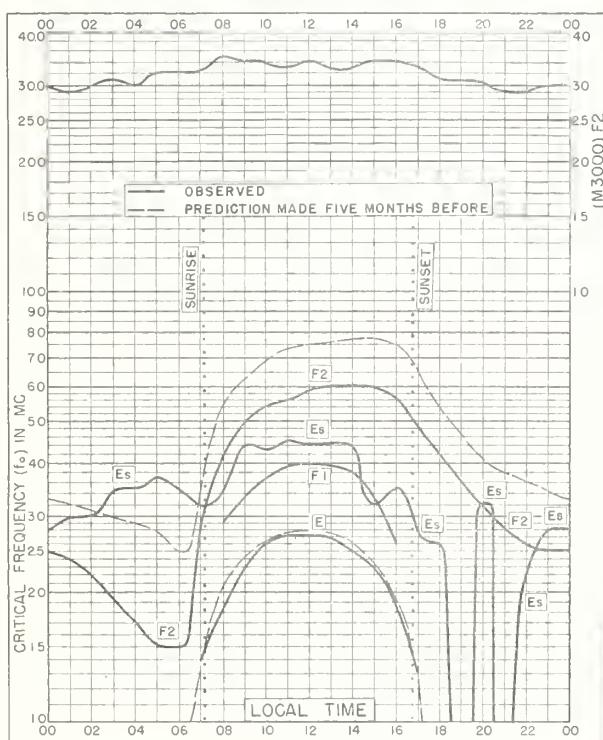
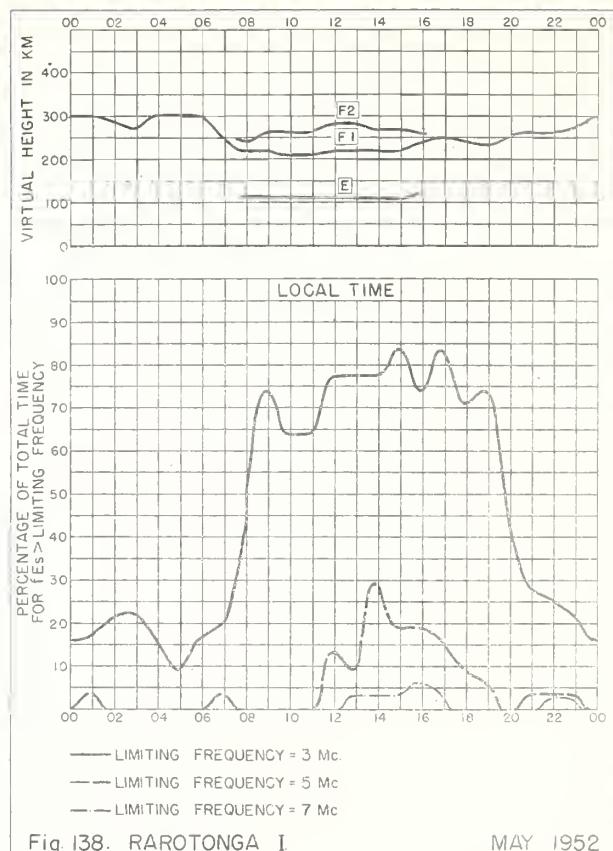
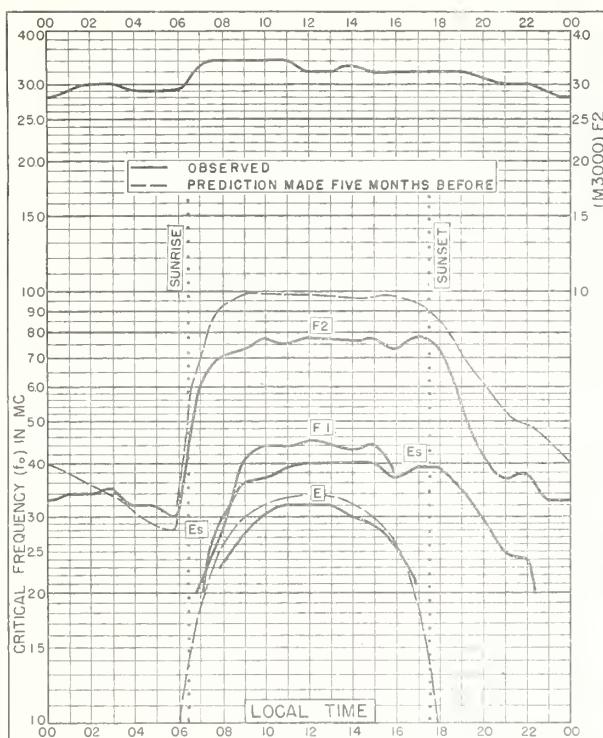
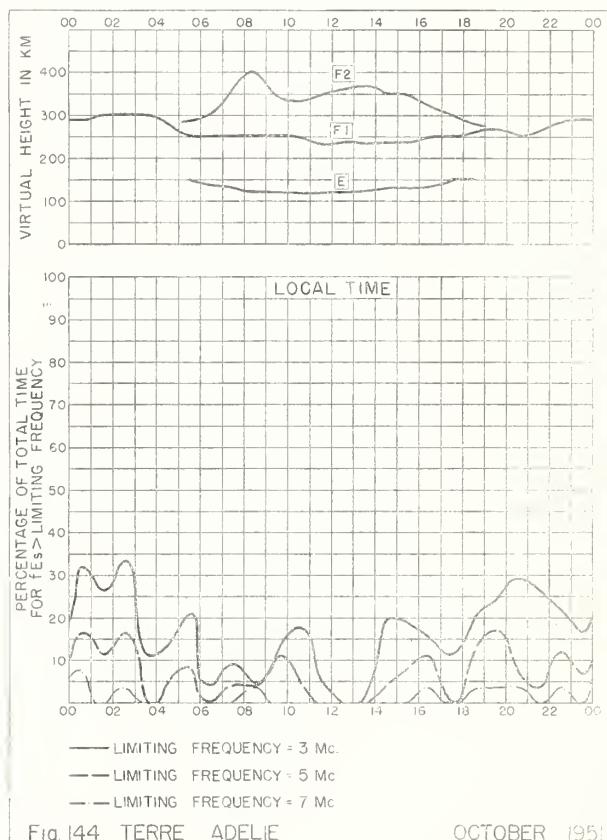
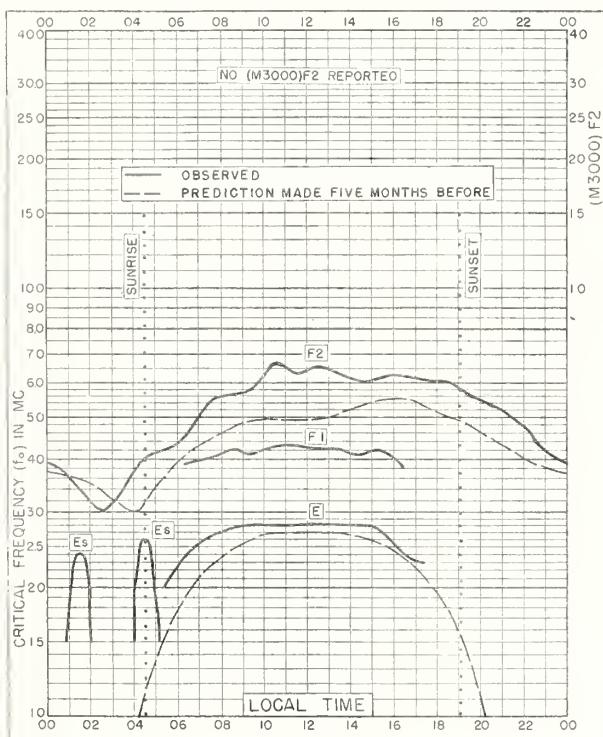
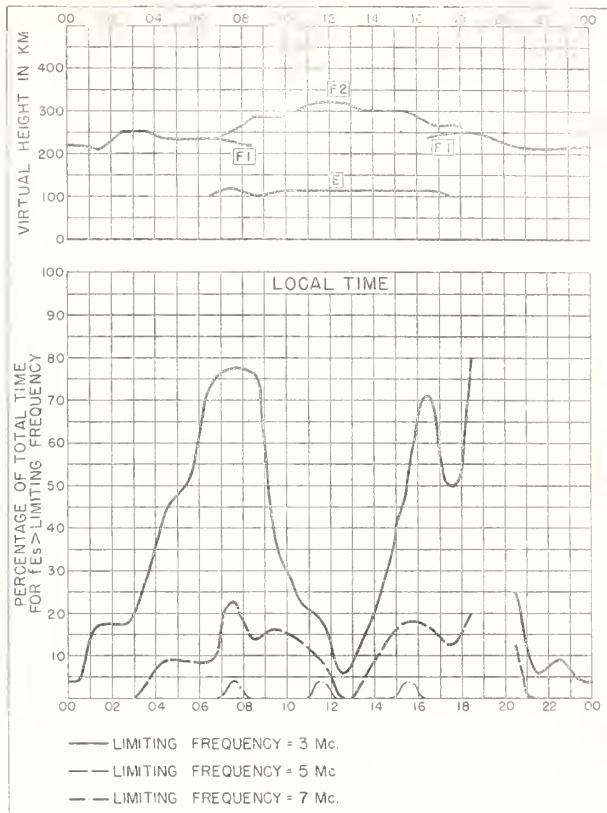
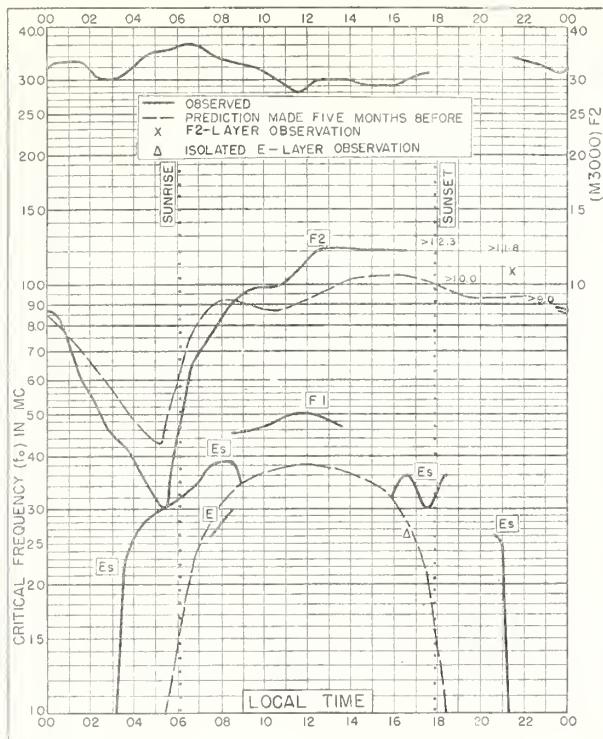


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