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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 usually 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<sup>8</sup>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 CRFL in computing the medians from tabulations of daily and hourly data for stations other than Washington, beginning with the tables in IRPL-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  $f_{oF1}$ , 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 fEs 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  $h'F1$ ,  $f_{oF1}$ ,  $h'E$ , and  $f_{oE}$  are usually the result of diurnal variation in these characteristics. Complete absence of medians of  $h'F1$  and  $f_{oF1}$  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 |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
|-----------|--------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
|           | 1954                     | 1953 | 1952 | 1951 | 1950 | 1949 | 1948 | 1947 | 1946 | 1945 |
| December  | 11                       | 15   | 33   | 53   | 86   | 108  | 114  | 126  | 85   | 38   |
| November  | 10                       | 16   | 38   | 52   | 87   | 112  | 115  | 124  | 83   | 36   |
| October   | 10                       | 17   | 43   | 52   | 90   | 114  | 116  | 119  | 81   | 23   |
| September | 8                        | 18   | 46   | 54   | 91   | 115  | 117  | 121  | 79   | 22   |
| August    | 8                        | 18   | 49   | 57   | 96   | 111  | 123  | 122  | 77   | 20   |
| July      | 8                        | 20   | 51   | 60   | 101  | 108  | 125  | 116  | 73   |      |
| June      | 9                        | 21   | 52   | 63   | 103  | 108  | 129  | 112  | 67   |      |
| May       | 10                       | 22   | 52   | 68   | 102  | 108  | 130  | 109  | 67   |      |
| April     | 10                       | 24   | 52   | 74   | 101  | 109  | 133  | 107  | 62   |      |
| March     | 11                       | 27   | 52   | 78   | 103  | 111  | 133  | 105  | 51   |      |
| February  | 12                       | 29   | 51   | 82   | 103  | 113  | 133  | 90   | 46   |      |
| January   | 14                       | 30   | 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:

República Argentina, Ministerio de Marina:  
 Buenos Aires, Argentina  
 Decepcion I.

Commonwealth of Australia, Ionospheric Prediction Service of the Commonwealth Observatory:  
 Brisbane, Australia  
 Canberra, Australia  
 Hobart, Tasmania  
 Townsville, Australia

University of Graz:  
 Graz, Austria

Meteorological Service of the Belgian Congo and Ruanda-Urundi:  
Leopoldville, Belgian Congo

British Department of Scientific and Industrial Research, Radio  
Research Board:

Ibadan, Nigeria (University College of Ibadan)  
Port Lockroy  
Singapore, British Malaya  
Slough, England

Defence Research Board, Canada:  
Resolute Bay, Canada

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

Danish National Committee of URSI:  
Godhavn, Greenland

French Ministry of National Defense (Section for Scientific Research):  
Djibouti, French Somaliland

National Laboratory of Radio-Electricity (French Ionospheric Bureau):  
Casablanca, Morocco  
Poitiers, France

Institute for Ionospheric Research, Lindau Über Northeim, Hannover,  
Germany:  
Lindau/Harz, Germany

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  
Tiruchy (Tiruchirapalli), India

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

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

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

Manila Observatory:  
Baguio, P. I.

South African Council for Scientific and Industrial Research:  
Capetown, Union of South Africa  
Johannesburg, Union of South Africa

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

Royal Board of Swedish Telegraphs, Radio Department, Stockholm, Sweden:  
Lulea, Sweden

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

United States Army Signal Corps:  
Adak, Alaska  
White Sands, New Mexico

National Bureau of Standards (Central Radio Propagation Laboratory):  
Fairbanks, Alaska (Geophysical Institute of the  
University of Alaska)  
Guam I.  
Huancayo, Peru (Institute 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 through 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 1954, 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 87a and 87b give for November 1954 the radio propagation quality figures for the North Atlantic area, the relevant CRPL advance and short-term forecasts, a summary geomagnetic activity index and sundry comparisons, specifically as follows:

- (a) radio propagation quality figures,  $Q_a$ , separately for each 6-hour interval of the Greenwich day, viz., 00-06, 06-12, 12-18, 18-24 hours UT (Universal Time or GCT).
- (b) whole-day radio quality indices (beginning October 1952). Each index is a weighted average of the four quarter-day  $Q_a$ -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<sup>h</sup>, 06<sup>h</sup>, 12<sup>h</sup>, 18<sup>h</sup> UT) and applicable to the period 1 to 13 (especially 1 to 7) hours ahead. 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 with  $Q_a$ -figures and also with estimates of radio quality based on CRPL observations only.
- (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.

These radio propagation quality figures,  $Q_a$ , 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:- Coast Guard, Navy, Army Signal Corps, and U. S. Information Agency. The method of calculation, summarized below, is similar to that described in a 1946 report, IRPL-R31, now out of print. Only reports of radio transmission on North Atlantic paths closely approximating New York-London are included in the estimation of quality.

The original reports are submitted on various scales and for various time intervals. The observations for each 6-hour interval are averaged on the quality scale of the original reports. These 6-hour 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. The 6-hourly quality figures are (subjectively) weighted means of the reports received for that period. These 6-hourly quality figures replace, beginning January 1953, the half-daily quality figures which formerly appeared in this table. (These forecasts and quality indices are prepared by the North Atlantic Radio Warning Service, the CRPL forecasting center at Ft. Belvoir, Virginia.)

Table 86 gives for November 1954, the radio propagation quality figures for the North Pacific area, the relevant CRPL advance and short-term forecasts, and sundry comparisons, specifically as follows:

- (a) radio propagation quality figures,  $Q_p$ , separately for each of three 9-hour intervals of the Greenwich day, viz., 03-12, 09-18 and 18-03 UT (Universal Time or GCT).
- (b) whole-day radio quality indices for each Greenwich day. These are derived from the same basic data as the 9-hour indices, separately reduced.
- (c) short-term forecasts, issued daily at 02, 09 and 18 hours UT.
- (d) advance forecasts, issued semiweekly (CRPL-Jp 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.

These radio quality indices,  $Q_p$ , refer to radio propagation on optimum frequencies over moderately long transmission paths in the North Pacific area. Typical paths are Anchorage (Alaska) to Seattle, or Anchorage to Tokyo. The indices are derived from reports submitted regularly by communications agencies of the U. S. Army and Air Force, and by Aeronautical Radio, Inc. The method of derivation of  $Q_p$  differs from that of  $Q_a$ . For data prior to June 1954, the reported quality ratings were reduced to a  $Q$ -scale with assumed mean and standard deviation for each of the periods of the day; the  $Q_p$  published was the average converted rating for each date. Beginning with the data for June 1954 a ranking method has been used with the  $Q$ -scale bound statistically to magnetic character figures, as follows:

The original reports from the various contributors are used only to rank the days of the month in order of degree of disturbance. The numerical value of  $Q_p$  assigned to each day is taken from a table which gives the  $Q_p$  that corresponds in a statistical sense to the magnetic activity observed during the month, it being assumed that the one-month sample is large enough that the distribution of quiet and disturbance will be the same for magnetic and radio quality indices. This table comes from equating the expected distributions of magnetic activity indices and  $Q_p$  (for the former, the years 1952-53 of K-Cheltenham were used; for the latter the distribution was arbitrary but strongly influenced by experience with  $Q_a$  and the previous  $Q_p$ ). In order to avoid the statistic "average rank," the raw scores for each reporter-period are first converted to the 1-9 scale by ranking and the use of the same table. Mean quality indices for each day-period are then computed and these means ranked and converted by the table to give  $Q_p$ .

The expected distributions adopted for  $Q_p$  differ slightly for the different periods of the day for which quality figures are derived. For the 03-12, 18-03 and 00-24 periods 23% of the quality figures are 4 or less and for the 09-18 period 25% are. In the periods 18-03 and 00-24, indices of seven or greater are expected 25% of the time; in the 03-12 period 22% and in the 09-18 period 16%. (These forecasts and quality indices are prepared by the North Pacific Radio Warning Service, the CRPL forecasting center at Anchorage, Alaska.)

These quality figures are, in effect, a consensus of reported radio propagation conditions. 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.

## OBSERVATIONS OF THE SOLAR CORONA

Tables 88 through 90 give the observations of the solar corona during December 1954, obtained at Climax, Colorado, by the High Altitude Observatory of Harvard University and the University of Colorado. Tables 91 through 93 list the coronal observations obtained at Sacramento Peak, New Mexico, during December 1954, derived by Harvard College Observatory as a part of its performance of a research contract with the Upper Air Research Observatory, Geophysical Research Directorate, Air Force Cambridge Research Center. 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 88 gives the intensities of the green (5303A) line of the emission spectrum of the solar corona; table 89 gives similarly the intensities of the first red (6374A) coronal line; and table 90, the intensities of the second red (6702A) coronal line; all observed at Climax in December 1954.

Table 91 gives the intensities of the green (5303A) coronal line; table 92, the intensities of the first red (6374A) coronal line; and table 93, the intensities of the second red (6702A) coronal line; all observed at Sacramento Peak in December 1954.

The following symbols are used in tables 88 through 93: a, observation of low weight for whole limb (if in date column) or for portion of limb indicated; -, corona not visible; and X, no observation for whole limb (if in date column) or for portion of limb indicated.

Tables 94 and 95 give details of the Climax, Colorado, and Sacramento Peak, New Mexico, observations, respectively, from July through December 1954. The columns list in order the Greenwich date of observation; the threshold or lowest observable intensity of 5303A for each spectrum plate centered at the astronomical position angle indicated, the observer, and 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 96 lists the daily provisional Zürich relative sunspot number,  $R_2$ , for December 1954, as communicated by the Swiss Federal Observatory. Table 97 contains the daily American relative sunspot number,  $R_A^1$ , for November 1954, as compiled by the Solar Division, American Association of Variable Star Observers.

### OBSERVATIONS OF SOLAR FLARES

Table 98 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 99 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<sub>p</sub>; (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 three criteria: (1) the sum of the eight K<sub>p</sub>'s; (2) the greatest K<sub>p</sub>; and (3) the sum of the square of the eight K<sub>p</sub>'s.

K<sub>p</sub> 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<sub>p</sub> 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. K<sub>p</sub> is available from 1937 to date as noted in F108.

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. Current tables are also published quarterly in the Journal of Geophysical Research along with data on sudden commencements (sc) and solar flare effects (sfe).

## SUDDEN IONOSPHERE DISTURBANCES

Table 100 shows that no sudden ionosphere disturbances were observed at Ft. Belvoir, Virginia, during the month of December 1954.

## ERRATA

- CRPL-F12<sup>b</sup>, p. 12, Index, Part I: opposite Leopoldville, under 1954, March, footnote reference symbol should be \*.  
 p. 13, Index, Part II: opposite Djibouti, under 1952, Jy, number of F issue should be 123.

















Bombay, India ( $19.0^{\circ}\text{N}$ ,  $73.0^{\circ}\text{E}$ )

Table 49

May 1954

| Time  | *   | foF2  | h'Fl | foFl | h'E | foE | fEs | (M3000)F2 |
|-------|-----|-------|------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----------|
| 00    |     |       |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 01    |     |       |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 02    |     |       |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 03    |     |       |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 04    |     |       |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 05    |     |       |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 06:30 | 270 | 4.7   |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 07    | 300 | 5.4   |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 08    | 330 | 6.4   |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 09    | 360 | 6.9   |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 10    | 360 | 7.4   |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 11    | 390 | 8.4   |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 12    | 420 | 9.6   |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 13    | 420 | 10.1  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 14    | 420 | >10.6 |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 15    | 390 | >10.9 |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 16    | 390 | >10.4 |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 17    | 360 | 9.6   |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 18    | 360 | 8.9   |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 19    | 330 | 7.8   |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 20    | 330 | 6.2   |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 21    | 300 | 5.0   |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 22    | 270 | 4.3   |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 23    |     |       |      |      |     |     |     |           |

Time:  $75.0^{\circ}\text{E}$ .

Sweep: 1.5 Mc to 18.0 Mc in 5 minutes, manual operation.

\*Height at 0.83 foF2.

\*\*Average values; other columns, median values.

Table 51

| Time | *   | foF2 | h'Fl | foFl | h'E | foE | fEs | (M3000)F2 |
|------|-----|------|------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----------|
| 00   |     |      |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 01   |     |      |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 02   |     |      |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 03   |     |      |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 04   |     |      |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 05   |     |      |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 06   | 360 | 5.3  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 07   | 420 | 6.5  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 08   | 460 | 7.2  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 09   | 490 | 7.0  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 10   | 510 | 6.8  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 11   | 510 | 6.9  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 12   | 510 | 6.7  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 13   | 510 | 6.8  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 14   | 510 | 7.4  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 15   | 500 | 8.0  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 16   | 480 | 8.3  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 17   | 430 | 8.0  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 18   | 450 | 7.8  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 19   | 420 | 7.2  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 20   | 420 | 6.8  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 21   |     |      |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 22   |     |      |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 23   |     |      |      |      |     |     |     |           |

Time:  $75.0^{\circ}\text{E}$ .

Sweep: 1.5 Mc to 18.0 Mc in 5 minutes, manual operation.

\*Height at 0.83 foF2.

\*\*Average values; other columns, median values.

Table 52

| Time | *   | foF2 | h'Fl | foFl | h'E | foE | fEs | (M3000)F2 |
|------|-----|------|------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----------|
| 00   |     |      |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 01   |     |      |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 02   |     |      |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 03   |     |      |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 04   |     |      |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 05   |     |      |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 06   | 360 | 5.3  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 07   | 420 | 6.5  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 08   | 460 | 7.2  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 09   | 490 | 7.0  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 10   | 510 | 6.8  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 11   | 510 | 6.9  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 12   | 510 | 6.7  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 13   | 510 | 6.8  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 14   | 510 | 7.4  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 15   | 500 | 8.0  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 16   | 480 | 8.3  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 17   | 430 | 8.0  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 18   | 450 | 7.8  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 19   | 420 | 7.2  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 20   | 420 | 6.8  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 21   |     |      |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 22   |     |      |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 23   |     |      |      |      |     |     |     |           |

Time:  $150.0^{\circ}\text{E}$ .

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

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| Time | *   | foF2 | h'Fl | foFl | h'E | foE | fEs | (M3000)F2 |
|------|-----|------|------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----------|
| 00   |     |      |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 01   |     |      |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 02   |     |      |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 03   |     |      |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 04   |     |      |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 05   |     |      |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 06   | 330 | 5.4  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 07   | 390 | 6.5  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 08   | 420 | 7.4  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 09   | 450 | 7.3  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 10   | 460 | 7.4  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 11   | 480 | 7.1  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 12   | 480 | 7.2  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 13   | 480 | 7.6  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 14   | 480 | 8.1  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 15   | 460 | 8.5  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 16   | 470 | >9.0 |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 17   | 420 | >9.0 |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 18   | 400 | 8.4  |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 19   | 350 | >7.2 |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 20   | 380 | >6.0 |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 21   | 360 | >5.5 |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 22   | --  | --   |      |      |     |     |     |           |
| 23   | --  | --   |      |      |     |     |     |           |

Time:  $150.0^{\circ}\text{E}$ .

Sweep: 1.5 Mc to 18.0 Mc in 5 minutes, manual operation.

\*Height at 0.83 foF2.

\*\*Average values; other columns, median values.

Table 52

| Time | * | h'F2  | foF2  | h'Fl | foFl  | h'E | foE | fEs | (M3000)F2 |
|------|---|-------|-------|------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----------|
| 00   |   | 250   | (2.9) |      |       |     |     |     | (3.15)    |
| 01   |   | 250   | (3.0) |      |       |     |     |     | --        |
| 02   |   | 250   | (3.1) |      |       |     |     |     | --        |
| 03   |   | 240   | (3.0) |      |       |     |     |     | (3.2)     |
| 04   |   | 240   | (2.8) |      |       |     |     |     | (3.2)     |
| 05   |   | (250) | (2.5) |      |       |     |     |     | 2.7       |
| 06   |   | (250) | 2.6   |      |       |     |     |     | (3.2)     |
| 07   |   | 220   | 4.6   |      |       |     |     |     | (3.15)    |
| 08   |   | 240   | 5.4   | 220  | 3.1   | 110 | 2.2 | 3.7 | 3.6       |
| 09   |   | 250   | 5.8   | 220  | 3.9   | 110 | 2.7 | 3.5 | 3.65      |
| 10   |   | 250   | 6.5   | 210  | 4.0   | 110 | 3.0 | 3.7 | 3.6       |
| 11   |   | 270   | 6.0   | 200  | 4.2   | 110 | 3.1 | 3.6 | 3.45      |
| 12   |   | 280   | 5.9   | 200  | 4.2   | 110 | 3.2 | 4.0 | 3.4       |
| 13   |   | 260   | 6.4   | 210  | 4.1   | 110 | 3.2 | 4.1 | 3.4       |
| 14   |   | 260   | 6.5   | 210  | 4.0   | 110 | 3.1 | 5.1 | 3.5       |
| 15   |   | 250   | 6.2   | 210  | 3.8   | 110 | 2.9 | 3.9 | 3.45      |
| 16   |   | 240   | 6.1   | 210  | 3.4   | 110 | 2.7 | 3.8 | 3.4       |
| 17   |   | 220   | 5.6   | ---  | ---   | --- | --- |     |           |
| 18   |   | 220   | 4.7   | ---  | ---   | 110 | 2.0 |     |           |
| 19   |   | 250   | 5.1   | 230  | (3.6) | 110 | 2.5 |     |           |
| 20   |   | 260   | 5.4   | 230  | 3.9   | 110 | 2.8 |     |           |
| 21   |   | 260   | 5.5   | 210  | 4.0   | 110 | 3.0 |     |           |
| 22   |   | 270   | 5.5   | 205  | 4.0   | 110 | 2.9 |     |           |
| 23   |   | 270   | 5.6   | 210  | 4.0   | 110 | 2.9 |     |           |

Time:  $150.0^{\circ}\text{E}$ .

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

Table 54

| Time | * | h'F2  | foF2  | h'Fl | foFl  | h'E | foE | fEs | (M3000)F2 |
|------|---|-------|-------|------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----------|
| 00   |   | ---   | (3.5) |      |       |     |     |     | 2.9       |
| 01   |   | ---   | 3.5   |      |       |     |     |     | 3.2       |
| 02   |   | (255) | 3.7   |      |       |     |     |     | 3.2       |
| 03   |   | (255) | 3.8   |      |       |     |     |     | 3.1       |
| 04   |   | (250) | 4.0   |      |       |     |     |     | 3.2       |
| 05   |   | (210) | 3.8   |      |       |     |     |     | 3.5       |
| 06   |   | --    | 2.9   |      |       |     |     |     | 3.3       |
| 07   |   | 230   | 3.9   |      |       |     |     |     | 3.6       |
| 08   |   | 225   | 4.7   | ---  | ---   | 110 | 2.0 |     | 3.6       |
| 09   |   | 250   | 5.1   | 230  | (3.6) | 110 | 2.5 |     | 3.6       |
| 10   |   | 260   | 5.4   | 230  | 3.9   | 110 | 2.8 |     | 3.5       |
| 11   |   | 260   | 5.5   | 210  | 4.0   | 110 | 3.0 |     | 3.6       |
| 12   |   | 240   | 5.5   | 205  | 4.0   | 110 | 2.9 |     | 3.5       |
| 13   |   | 270   | 5.6   | 210  | 4.0   | 110 | 2.9 |     | 3.4       |
| 14   |   | 270   | 6.0   | 220  | 3.9   | 110 | 2.7 |     | 3.4       |
| 15   |   | 240   | 6.5   | 220  | (3.6) | 110 | 2.5 |     | 3.6       |
| 16   |   | 220   | 5.9   | 220  | (3.0) | 110 | 2.0 |     | 3.7       |
| 17   |   | 220   | 4.9   | ---  | ---   | --- | --- |     |           |
| 18   |   | (210) | 3.6   | ---  | 3.1   | --- | 2.8 |     | 3.4       |
| 19   |   | --    | 3.1   | ---  | 3.5   | --- | 2.4 |     | 3.2       |
| 20   |   | --    | 3.5   | ---  | 3.5   | --- |     |     | 3.2       |
| 21   |   | --    | 3.5   | ---  | 3.5   | --- |     |     | 3.2       |
| 22   |   | --    | (3.4) | ---  | 3.5   | --- |     |     | 3.2       |
| 23   |   | --    | 3.5   | ---  | 3.5   | --- |     |     | 3.2       |

Time:  $150.0^{\circ}\text{E}$ .

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



Table 61\*

| Time | h <sup>1</sup> F2 | f <sub>0</sub> F2 | h <sup>1</sup> F1 | f <sub>0</sub> F1 | h <sup>1</sup> E | f <sub>0</sub> E | f <sub>Es</sub> | (M3000)F2 |
|------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------|
| 00   | 255               | 5.6               |                   |                   |                  | 1.2              | 3.1             |           |
| 01   | 255               | 5.3               |                   |                   |                  | 1.3              | 3.2             |           |
| 02   | 250               | 4.6               |                   |                   |                  | 1.3              | 3.2             |           |
| 03   | 255               | 3.8               |                   |                   |                  |                  | 3.3             |           |
| 04   | 250               | 3.9               |                   |                   |                  |                  | 3.3             |           |
| 05   | 240               | 2.0               |                   |                   |                  |                  | ---             |           |
| 06   | 255               | 3.3               | ---               | ---               | ---              | (1.3)            | ---             |           |
| 07   | ---               | 6.1               | 240               | ---               | 112              | 2.1              | 3.5             | 3.4       |
| 08   | 290               | 6.9               | 225               | ---               | 110              | 2.8              | 4.0             | 3.2       |
| 09   | 320               | 7.0               | 215               | 4.1               | 108              | 3.1              | 5.0             | ---       |
| 10   | 360               | 7.0               | 210               | 4.3               | 106              | 3.3              | 6.8             | 2.6       |
| 11   | 375               | 6.8               | 205               | 4.3               | 105              | 3.4              | 6.8             | 2.5       |
| 12   | 370               | 6.8               | 205               | 4.3               | 105              | 3.5              | 6.8             | 2.6       |
| 13   | 370               | 7.0               | 205               | 4.4               | 107              | 3.4              | 6.6             | 2.5       |
| 14   | 345               | (8.1)             | 205               | 4.2               | 108              | 3.3              | 6.6             | 2.6       |
| 15   | 325               | (8.1)             | 210               | 4.0               | 108              | 3.1              | 5.5             | 2.6       |
| 16   | (310)             | (8.4)             | 215               | ---               | 109              | 2.8              | 5.5             | ---       |
| 17   | ---               | (8.3)             | 245               | ---               | 109              | 2.2              | 4.9             | ---       |
| 18   | 260               | 7.0               | ---               | ---               | (1.4)            | 1.9              | ---             |           |
| 19   | 280               | 7.0               |                   |                   |                  | 1.6              | ---             |           |
| 20   | 285               | 7.0               |                   |                   |                  | 2.8              |                 |           |
| 21   | 270               | 6.8               |                   |                   |                  | ---              |                 |           |
| 22   | 240               | 6.8               |                   |                   |                  | ---              |                 |           |
| 23   | 245               | 6.4               |                   |                   |                  | 3.2              |                 |           |

Time: 0.0°.

Sweep: 0.67 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 5 minutes.

\*Average values except foF2 and fEs, which are median values.

Table 63

| Time | h <sup>1</sup> F2 | f <sub>0</sub> F2 | h <sup>1</sup> F1 | f <sub>0</sub> F1 | h <sup>1</sup> E | f <sub>0</sub> E | f <sub>Es</sub> | (M3000)F2 |
|------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------|
| 00   |                   | (2.1)             |                   |                   |                  | (4.9)            | (3.2)           |           |
| 01   |                   | (2.0)             |                   |                   |                  | (4.6)            | (3.2)           |           |
| 02   |                   | (2.2)             |                   |                   |                  | (4.9)            | (3.0)           |           |
| 03   |                   | (2.4)             |                   |                   |                  | (5.2)            | (3.1)           |           |
| 04   |                   | (2.7)             |                   |                   |                  | (5.8)            | (3.15)          |           |
| 05   |                   | (2.8)             |                   |                   |                  | 5.0              | (3.3)           |           |
| 06   |                   | (3.0)             |                   |                   |                  | (4.5)            | (3.4)           |           |
| 07   |                   | (3.2)             |                   |                   |                  | 4.2              | (3.5)           |           |
| 08   |                   | (3.4)             |                   |                   |                  | 4.1              | ---             |           |
| 09   |                   | (3.4)             |                   |                   |                  | 4.3              | (3.3)           |           |
| 10   |                   | (3.4)             |                   |                   |                  | (4.0)            | (3.3)           |           |
| 11   |                   | (3.6)             |                   |                   |                  | (3.3)            | (3.3)           |           |
| 12   |                   | (3.6)             |                   |                   |                  | (6.2)            | (3.35)          |           |
| 13   |                   | (3.6)             |                   |                   |                  | (7.0)            | (4.4)           |           |
| 14   |                   | (3.6)             |                   |                   |                  | (6.8)            | (3.4)           |           |
| 15   |                   | (3.5)             |                   |                   |                  | (5.8)            | (3.3)           |           |
| 16   |                   | (3.4)             |                   |                   |                  | (6.2)            | (3.2)           |           |
| 17   |                   | (3.2)             |                   |                   |                  | (4.8)            | (3.2)           |           |
| 18   |                   | (3.0)             |                   |                   |                  | (5.6)            | (3.2)           |           |
| 19   |                   | (3.2)             |                   |                   |                  | (5.6)            | (3.2)           |           |
| 20   |                   | (3.2)             |                   |                   |                  | (5.1)            | (3.2)           |           |
| 21   |                   | (2.8)             |                   |                   |                  | (5.2)            | (3.3)           |           |
| 22   |                   | (2.6)             |                   |                   |                  | (6.2)            | (3.2)           |           |
| 23   |                   | (2.6)             |                   |                   |                  | (4.2)            | (3.3)           |           |

Time: 45.0°W.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 18 seconds.

Table 65

| Time | h <sup>1</sup> F2 | f <sub>0</sub> F2 | h <sup>1</sup> F1 | f <sub>0</sub> F1 | h <sup>1</sup> E | f <sub>0</sub> E | f <sub>Es</sub> | (M3000)F2 |
|------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------|
| 00   | < 260             | 5.5               |                   |                   |                  | 5.5              | 3.2             |           |
| 01   | (240)             | 5.0               |                   |                   |                  | 4.7              | (3.3)           |           |
| 02   | < 250             | 4.1               |                   |                   |                  | 4.1              | 3.2             |           |
| 03   | (250)             | 3.8               |                   |                   |                  | 4.1              | 3.2             |           |
| 04   | 250               | 3.6               |                   |                   |                  | 3.7              | 3.2             |           |
| 05   | 250               | 3.8               |                   |                   |                  | 150              | 1.7             | 3.5       |
| 06   | 240               | 4.7               |                   |                   |                  | 110              | 2.1             | 3.5       |
| 07   | (255)             | 5.2               | ---               | 4.1               |                  | 110              | 2.6             | 3.2       |
| 08   | (330)             | 5.8               | ---               | 100               |                  | 3.0              | 4.9             | 3.15      |
| 09   | (320)             | 5.8               | ---               | 100               |                  | 3.3              | 6.6             | 3.0       |
| 10   | (350)             | 6.4               | ---               | 110               |                  | 3.4              | 8.0             | 3.0       |
| 11   | 370               | 6.6               | ---               | 110               |                  | 3.4              | 7.7             | 3.1       |
| 12   | 320               | 7.4               | ---               | 110               |                  | 3.4              | 7.5             | 3.0       |
| 13   | 320               | 7.0               | ---               | 4.6               |                  | 3.4              | 6.8             | 3.0       |
| 14   | 300               | 7.5               | 230               | 4.3               |                  | 3.1              | 5.8             | 3.0       |
| 15   | 290               | 7.4               | ---               | 4.2               |                  | 3.1              | 5.4             | 3.1       |
| 16   | 290               | 7.2               | 230               | 4.0               |                  | 110              | 2.8             | 3.2       |
| 17   | 260               | 7.0               | ---               | 3.6               |                  | 110              | 2.7             | 3.2       |
| 18   | 250               | 6.3               | ---               | ---               |                  | 4.7              | 3.2             | 3.2       |
| 19   | < 240             | 5.9               | ---               | ---               |                  | 4.2              | 3.1             |           |
| 20   | (250)             | 5.8               |                   |                   |                  | 4.7              | 3.0             |           |
| 21   | --                | 5.3               |                   |                   |                  | 5.6              | 3.0             |           |
| 22   | 280               | 5.2               |                   |                   |                  | 5.6              | 3.0             |           |
| 23   | (280)             | (5.5)             |                   |                   |                  | 5.2              | (3.0)           |           |

Time: 150.0°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 16.0 Mc in 1 minute 59 seconds.

Table 62

| Time | h <sup>1</sup> F2 | f <sub>0</sub> F2 | h <sup>1</sup> F1 | f <sub>0</sub> F1 | h <sup>1</sup> E | f <sub>0</sub> E | f <sub>Es</sub> | (M3000)F2  |
|------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------|------------|
| 00   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (2.0)            |                  |                 | 5.4 (3.0)  |
| 01   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (2.0)            |                  |                 | 4.2 (3.1)  |
| 02   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (2.1)            |                  |                 | 4.1 (3.0)  |
| 03   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (2.5)            |                  |                 | 3.8 (3.0)  |
| 04   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (2.6)            |                  |                 | 3.2 (3.1)  |
| 05   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (2.7)            |                  |                 | 3.6 (3.05) |
| 06   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (2.9)            |                  |                 | 3.9 (3.3)  |
| 07   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (3.2)            |                  |                 | 6.3 (3.4)  |
| 08   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (3.5)            |                  |                 | 6.0 (3.4)  |
| 09   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (3.6)            |                  |                 | 4.5 (3.4)  |
| 10   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (3.6)            |                  |                 | 3.8 (3.3)  |
| 11   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (3.8)            |                  |                 | 4.6 (3.3)  |
| 12   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (4.0)            |                  |                 | 5.0 (3.35) |
| 13   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (4.2)            |                  |                 | 5.4 (3.35) |
| 14   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (4.0)            |                  |                 | 6.8 (3.4)  |
| 15   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (3.8)            |                  |                 | 5.4 (3.3)  |
| 16   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (3.5)            |                  |                 | 7.1 (3.3)  |
| 17   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (3.4)            |                  |                 | 6.8 (3.2)  |
| 18   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (3.3)            |                  |                 | 4.9 (3.2)  |
| 19   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (3.1)            |                  |                 | 5.0 (3.2)  |
| 20   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (3.0)            |                  |                 | 5.2 (3.2)  |
| 21   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (2.9)            |                  |                 | 4.2 (3.2)  |
| 22   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (2.5)            |                  |                 | 4.9 (3.2)  |
| 23   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (2.2)            |                  |                 | 5.3 (3.2)  |

Time: 45.0°W.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 18 seconds.

Table 65

| Time | h <sup>1</sup> F2 | f <sub>0</sub> F2 | h <sup>1</sup> F1 | f <sub>0</sub> F1 | h <sup>1</sup> E | f <sub>0</sub> E | f <sub>Es</sub> | (M3000)F2  |
|------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------|------------|
| 00   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (4.3)            |                  |                 | 4.1 (3.2)  |
| 01   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (4.0)            |                  |                 | 4.0 --     |
| 02   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (2.9)            |                  |                 | 4.2 (3.2)  |
| 03   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (3.5)            |                  |                 | 3.9 (3.15) |
| 04   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (3.8)            |                  |                 | 3.2 (3.2)  |
| 05   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (3.6)            |                  |                 | 3.0 (3.35) |
| 06   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (4.2)            |                  |                 | 3.4 (3.4)  |
| 07   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (5.4)            |                  |                 | 3.8 (3.4)  |
| 08   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (280)            |                  |                 | 3.0 (3.3)  |
| 09   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (330)            |                  |                 | 5.5 (3.1)  |
| 10   |                   |                   |                   |                   | 350              |                  |                 | 3.0 (3.1)  |
| 11   |                   |                   |                   |                   | 370              |                  |                 | 5.0 (2.8)  |
| 12   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (320)            |                  |                 | 3.2 (4.4)  |
| 13   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (340)            |                  |                 | 4.4 (3.0)  |
| 14   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (320)            |                  |                 | 4.1 (3.1)  |
| 15   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (300)            |                  |                 | 4.1 (3.0)  |
| 16   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (300)            |                  |                 | 4.1 (3.2)  |
| 17   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (300)            |                  |                 | 4.1 (3.2)  |
| 18   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (300)            |                  |                 | 4.5 (3.2)  |
| 19   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (280)            |                  |                 | 3.6 (3.2)  |
| 20   |                   |                   |                   |                   | 280              |                  |                 | 3.6 (3.2)  |
| 21   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (260)            |                  |                 | 3.6 (3.2)  |
| 22   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (240)            |                  |                 | 3.6 (3.2)  |
| 23   |                   |                   |                   |                   | (240)            |                  |                 | 3.6 (3.2)  |

Time: 150.0°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 16.0 Mc in 1 minute 59 seconds.

Observations 16th through 31st only.



TABLE 73  
IONOSPHERIC DATA

Washington, D.C.  
Lat 38°7'N, Long 77°10'W

h'F2 Km December 1954  
(unit) (Month)

National Bureau of Standards  
Scaled by E.J.W., J.W.P., J.J.S.

| Day | Characteristics: |      | 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   |      |   |
| A   | 2.50             | 2.40 | 2.30           | 2.30 | 2.50 | 2.40 | 2.40 | 2.40 | 2.40 | 2.40 | 2.40 | 2.40 | 2.40 | 2.40 | 2.40 | 2.40 | 2.40 | 2.40 | 2.40 | 2.40 | 2.40 | 2.40 | 2.40 | 2.40 | A    |   |
| B   | 2.02             | 2.02 | 2.02           | 2.02 | 2.02 | 2.02 | 2.02 | 2.02 | 2.02 | 2.02 | 2.02 | 2.02 | 2.02 | 2.02 | 2.02 | 2.02 | 2.02 | 2.02 | 2.02 | 2.02 | 2.02 | 2.02 | 2.02 | 2.02 | 2.02 | A |
| C   | 2.00             | 2.00 | 2.00           | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | A |
| D   | 2.00             | 2.00 | 2.00           | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | A |
| E   | 2.00             | 2.00 | 2.00           | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | A |
| F   | 2.00             | 2.00 | 2.00           | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | A |
| G   | 2.00             | 2.00 | 2.00           | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | A |
| H   | 2.00             | 2.00 | 2.00           | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | A |
| I   | 2.00             | 2.00 | 2.00           | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | A |
| J   | 2.00             | 2.00 | 2.00           | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | A |
| K   | 2.00             | 2.00 | 2.00           | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | A |
| L   | 2.00             | 2.00 | 2.00           | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | A |
| M   | 2.00             | 2.00 | 2.00           | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | A |
| N   | 2.00             | 2.00 | 2.00           | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | A |
| O   | 2.00             | 2.00 | 2.00           | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | A |
| P   | 2.00             | 2.00 | 2.00           | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | A |
| Q   | 2.00             | 2.00 | 2.00           | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | A |
| R   | 2.00             | 2.00 | 2.00           | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | A |
| S   | 2.00             | 2.00 | 2.00           | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | A |
| T   | 2.00             | 2.00 | 2.00           | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | A |
| U   | 2.00             | 2.00 | 2.00           | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | A |
| V   | 2.00             | 2.00 | 2.00           | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | A |
| W   | 2.00             | 2.00 | 2.00           | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | A |
| X   | 2.00             | 2.00 | 2.00           | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | A |
| Y   | 2.00             | 2.00 | 2.00           | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | A |
| Z   | 2.00             | 2.00 | 2.00           | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | 2.00 | A |

5465p 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 0.25 min  
Manual □ Automatic ☒

TABLE 74  
IONOSPHERIC DATA  
Lat 38°7'N, Long 77°1'W  
Washington, D.C.  
f<sub>0</sub>F<sub>2</sub> — Mc (Unit) December, 1954  
Observed at Washington, D.C.

| Day    | 75°W Mean Time |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |
|--------|----------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
|        | 00             | 01   | 02   | 03   | 04   | 05   | 06   | 07   | 08   | 09   | 10   | 11   |
| 1      | 1.24           | 1.32 | 1.32 | 1.32 | 1.32 | 1.32 | 1.32 | 1.32 | 1.32 | 1.32 | 1.32 | 1.32 |
| 2      | 2.2            | 2.9  | 3.2  | 3.2  | 3.2  | 3.2  | 3.2  | 3.2  | 3.2  | 3.2  | 3.2  | 3.2  |
| 3      | 2.4            | 3.2  | 3.3  | 3.3  | 3.3  | 3.3  | 3.3  | 3.3  | 3.3  | 3.3  | 3.3  | 3.3  |
| 4      | 1.9            | 2.5  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  |
| 5      | 3.0            | 3.5  | 3.5  | 3.5  | 3.5  | 3.5  | 3.5  | 3.5  | 3.5  | 3.5  | 3.5  | 3.5  |
| 6      | 2.4            | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  |
| 7      | 2.4            | 2.6  | 2.9  | 2.9  | 2.9  | 2.9  | 2.9  | 2.9  | 2.9  | 2.9  | 2.9  | 2.9  |
| 8      | 2.8            | 3.5  | 3.5  | 3.5  | 3.5  | 3.5  | 3.5  | 3.5  | 3.5  | 3.5  | 3.5  | 3.5  |
| 9      | 1.24           | 1.22 | 1.23 | 1.23 | 1.23 | 1.23 | 1.23 | 1.23 | 1.23 | 1.23 | 1.23 | 1.23 |
| 10     | 2.4            | 2.2  | 2.8  | 2.8  | 2.8  | 2.8  | 2.8  | 2.8  | 2.8  | 2.8  | 2.8  | 2.8  |
| 11     | 1.6            | 2.1  | 2.1  | 2.1  | 2.1  | 2.1  | 2.1  | 2.1  | 2.1  | 2.1  | 2.1  | 2.1  |
| 12     | 2.2            | 2.2  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  |
| 13     | 1.8            | 1.9  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 1.9  |
| 14     | 2.4            | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  |
| 15     | 2.9            | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  |
| 16     | 2.5            | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.3  |
| 17     | 2.3            | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.5  |
| 18     | 2.7            | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  |
| 19     | 2              | 1.6  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  |
| 20     | 2.2            | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.2  |
| 21     | 2.5            | 2.6  | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.3  |
| 22     | A              | 2.0  | 1.6  | 1.6  | 1.6  | 1.6  | 1.6  | 1.6  | 1.6  | 1.6  | 1.6  | 1.6  |
| 23     | 2.4            | 2.5  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  |
| 24     | 2.4            | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  |
| 25     | (2.4)          | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.5  |
| 26     | 1.4            | 1.6  | 1.6  | 1.6  | 1.6  | 1.6  | 1.6  | 1.6  | 1.6  | 1.6  | 1.6  | 1.6  |
| 27     | 3.6            | 3.6  | 3.6  | 3.6  | 3.6  | 3.6  | 3.6  | 3.6  | 3.6  | 3.6  | 3.6  | 3.6  |
| 28     | 3.2            | 3.4  | 4.1  | 4.2  | 3.4  | 2.9  | 2.2  | 2.3  | 2.4  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.5  |
| 29     | 1.8            | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  |
| 30     | 3.0            | 3.1  | 3.4  | 3.4  | 3.4  | 3.4  | 3.4  | 3.4  | 3.4  | 3.4  | 3.4  | 3.4  |
| 31     | 2.8            | 3.0  | 3.4  | 3.4  | 3.4  | 3.4  | 3.4  | 3.4  | 3.4  | 3.4  | 3.4  | 3.4  |
| Median | 2.4            | 3.2  | 3.4  | 3.5  | 3.2  | 3.0  | 3.1  | 3.7  | 5.3  | 5.4  | 4.6  | 2.3  |
| Count  | 2.4            | 31   | 31   | 31   | 31   | 31   | 31   | 31   | 31   | 31   | 31   | 31   |

Sweep 10 Mc to 23.0 Mc in 0.25 min  
Manual □ Automatic ☒

## IONOSPHERIC DATA

foF<sub>2</sub> Mc December, 1954

(Characteristic) Month

Washington, D.C.

Observed at Lat. 38°7'N Long. 77°10'W

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J.W.P.

J.J.S.

Calculated by

E.J.W.

J.W.P.

J.J.S.

| Day   | 75°W Mean Time |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      | 75°W Mean Time |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |      |   |   |
|-------|----------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|----------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|---|---|
|       | 0300           | 0131 | 0230 | 0330 | 0430 | 0530 | 0630 | 0730 | 0830 | 0930 | 1030 | 1130 | 1230           | 1330 | 1430 | 1530 | 1630 | 1730 | 1830 | 1930 | 2030 | 2130 | 2230 | 2330 |   |   |
| 1     | 2.3            | 3.2  | F              | 3.2  | F    | 3.2  | F    | 3.2  | F    | 3.2  | F    | 3.2  | F    | 3.2  | F |   |
| 2     | 2              | 3    | F    | 3    | C    | F    | 3    | C    | F    | 3    | C    | F    | 3              | C    | F    | 3    | C    | F    | 3    | C    | F    | 3    | C    | F    | 3 | F |
| 3     | 2              | 3    | F    | 3    | C    | F    | 3    | C    | F    | 3    | C    | F    | 3              | C    | F    | 3    | C    | F    | 3    | C    | F    | 3    | C    | F    | 3 | F |
| 4     | 2              | 3    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2              | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2 | F |
| 5     | 2              | 3    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2              | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2 | F |
| 6     | 2              | 3    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2              | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2 | F |
| 7     | 2              | 3    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2              | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2 | F |
| 8     | 2              | 3    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2              | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2 | F |
| 9     | 2              | 3    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2              | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2 | F |
| 10    | 2              | 3    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2              | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2 | F |
| 11    | 2              | 3    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2              | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2 | F |
| 12    | 2              | 3    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2              | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2 | F |
| 13    | 2              | 3    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2              | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2 | F |
| 14    | 2              | 3    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2              | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2 | F |
| 15    | 2              | 3    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2              | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2 | F |
| 16    | 2              | 3    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2              | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2 | F |
| 17    | 2              | 3    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2              | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2 | F |
| 18    | 2              | 3    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2              | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2 | F |
| 19    | 2              | 3    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2              | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2 | F |
| 20    | 2              | 3    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2              | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2 | F |
| 21    | 2              | 3    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2              | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2 | F |
| 22    | 2              | 3    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2              | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2 | F |
| 23    | 2              | 3    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2              | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2 | F |
| 24    | 2              | 3    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2              | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2 | F |
| 25    | 2              | 3    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2              | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2 | F |
| 26    | 2              | 3    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2              | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2 | F |
| 27    | 2              | 3    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2              | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2 | F |
| 28    | 2              | 3    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2              | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2 | F |
| 29    | 2              | 3    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2              | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2 | F |
| 30    | 2              | 3    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2              | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2 | F |
| 31    | 2              | 3    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2              | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2 | F |
| Mean  | 2              | 3    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2              | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2 | F |
| Total | 2              | 3    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2              | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2    | C    | F    | 2 | F |

waved L.Q. Mc to 25.0 Mc in 0.25 min  
Manual □ Automatic □

TABLE 76  
Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D. C.  
Observed at Lat. 38.7° N., Long. 77.1° W  
h' F I, Km December, 1954  
(Characteristic) (Unit) (Month)

| Day          | 00 | Washington, D. C. |    | IONOSPHERIC DATA |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     | Mean Time |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |
|--------------|----|-------------------|----|------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|--|
|              |    | 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            |    |                   |    |                  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |           |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |
| 4            |    |                   |    |                  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |           |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |
| 5            |    |                   |    |                  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |           |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |
| 6            |    |                   |    |                  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |           |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |
| 7            |    |                   |    |                  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |           |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |
| 8            |    |                   |    |                  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |           |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |
| 9            |    |                   |    |                  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |           |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |
| 10           |    |                   |    |                  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |           |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |
| 11           |    |                   |    |                  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |           |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |
| 12           |    |                   |    |                  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |           |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |
| 13           |    |                   |    |                  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |           |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |
| 14           |    |                   |    |                  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |           |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |
| 15           |    |                   |    |                  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |           |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |
| 16           |    |                   |    |                  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |           |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |
| 17           |    |                   |    |                  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |           |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |
| 18           |    |                   |    |                  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |           |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |
| 19           |    |                   |    |                  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |           |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |
| 20           |    |                   |    |                  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |           |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |
| 21           |    |                   |    |                  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |           |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |
| 22           |    |                   |    |                  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |           |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |
| 23           |    |                   |    |                  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |           |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |
| 24           |    |                   |    |                  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |           |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |
| 25           |    |                   |    |                  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |           |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |
| 26           |    |                   |    |                  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |           |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |
| 27           |    |                   |    |                  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |           |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |
| 28           |    |                   |    |                  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |           |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |
| 29           |    |                   |    |                  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |           |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |
| 30           |    |                   |    |                  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |           |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |
| 31           |    |                   |    |                  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |           |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |  |
| Median Count |    | —                 |    | 220              | 210 | 210 | 210 | 210 | 210 | 210 | 210 | 210 | 210 | 210 | 210 | 210       | 210 | 210 | 210 | 210 | 210 | 210 | 210 | 210 | 210 |  |
| Count        |    | 2                 | 20 | 30               | 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

TABLE 77  
Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D.C.

**IONOSPHERIC DATA**

**foF<sub>I</sub>**      Mc      December, 1954

(Characteristic)

Jan.

Feb.

Mar.

Apr.

May

June

July

Aug.

Sept.

Oct.

Nov.

Dec.

Observed at      Washington, D.C.

Lat. 38.7°N

Long. 77.1°W

75° W      Mean Time

National Bureau of Standards  
Scaled by      E.J.W., J.W.P., J.J.S.  
(Institution)

Calculated by      E.J.W., J.W.P., J.J.S.

| 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         |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 2         |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 3         |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 4         |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 5         |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 6         |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 7         |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 8         |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 9         |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 10        |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 11        |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 12        |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 13        |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 14        |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 15        |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 16        |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 17        |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 18        |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 19        |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 20        |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 21        |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 22        |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 23        |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 24        |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 25        |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 26        |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 27        |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 28        |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 29        |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 30        |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 31        |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| Median    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| Count     |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| Jobs, no. |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |

Sweep 10 Mc to 25 Mc in 0.25 min

Manual  Automatic

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

h' E      Km      December, 1954  
(Characteristic)    (Unit)  
Observed at Washington, D.C.

Lat 38.7°N, Long 77.1°W

| Day | 00 | 75°W Mean Time |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    | 19 | 20 | 21 | 22 | 23 |
|-----|----|----------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
|     |    | 01             | 02 | 03 | 04 | 05 | 06 | 07 | 08 | 09 | 10 | 11 | 12 |    |    |    |    |    |
| 1   |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 2   |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 3   |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 4   |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 5   |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 6   |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 7   |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 8   |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 9   |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 10  |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 11  |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 12  |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 13  |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 14  |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 15  |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 16  |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 17  |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 18  |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 19  |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 20  |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 21  |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 22  |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 23  |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 24  |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 25  |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 26  |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 27  |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 28  |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 29  |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 30  |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |
| 31  |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |

Sweep  Mc 10-25.0 Mc in Q. 25. min  
Manual  Automatic

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Calculated by: E.J.W., J.W.P., J.J.S.

TABLE 79  
IONOSPHERIC DATA

fo E      Mc      December, 1954

(Month)  
Washington, D.C.

Lat. 38°7' N. long. 77°1' W.

National Bureau of Standards  
Scaled by E.J.W., J.W.P., J.J.S.  
Calculated by E.J.W., J.W.P., J.J.S.

| Day    | 75° W Mean Time                     |        |           |        |           |        |           |        |           |        |           |        |
|--------|-------------------------------------|--------|-----------|--------|-----------|--------|-----------|--------|-----------|--------|-----------|--------|
|        | 00                                  | 01     | 02        | 03     | 04        | 05     | 06        | 07     | 08        | 09     | 10        | 11     |
| 1      | 2.5                                 | 2.4    | 2.3       | 2.2    | 2.1       | 2.0    | 1.9       | 1.8    | 1.7       | 1.6    | 1.5       | 1.4    |
| 2      | 2.5                                 | 2.3    | 2.1       | 2.0    | 1.9       | 1.8    | 1.7       | 1.6    | 1.5       | 1.4    | 1.3       | 1.2    |
| 3      | 2.4                                 | 2.3    | 2.2       | 2.1    | 2.0       | 1.9    | 1.8       | 1.7    | 1.6       | 1.5    | 1.4       | 1.3    |
| 4      | 2.5                                 | 2.4    | 2.3       | 2.2    | 2.1       | 2.0    | 1.9       | 1.8    | 1.7       | 1.6    | 1.5       | 1.4    |
| 5      | 2.6                                 | 2.5    | 2.4       | 2.3    | 2.2       | 2.1    | 2.0       | 1.9    | 1.8       | 1.7    | 1.6       | 1.5    |
| 6      | 2.6                                 | 2.5    | 2.4       | 2.3    | 2.2       | 2.1    | 2.0       | 1.9    | 1.8       | 1.7    | 1.6       | 1.5    |
| 7      | 2.6                                 | 2.5    | 2.4       | 2.3    | 2.2       | 2.1    | 2.0       | 1.9    | 1.8       | 1.7    | 1.6       | 1.5    |
| 8      | 2.6                                 | 2.5    | 2.4       | 2.3    | 2.2       | 2.1    | 2.0       | 1.9    | 1.8       | 1.7    | 1.6       | 1.5    |
| 9      | 2.6                                 | 2.5    | 2.4       | 2.3    | 2.2       | 2.1    | 2.0       | 1.9    | 1.8       | 1.7    | 1.6       | 1.5    |
| 10     | 2.6                                 | 2.5    | 2.4       | 2.3    | 2.2       | 2.1    | 2.0       | 1.9    | 1.8       | 1.7    | 1.6       | 1.5    |
| 11     | 2.6                                 | 2.5    | 2.4       | 2.3    | 2.2       | 2.1    | 2.0       | 1.9    | 1.8       | 1.7    | 1.6       | 1.5    |
| 12     | 2.6                                 | 2.5    | 2.4       | 2.3    | 2.2       | 2.1    | 2.0       | 1.9    | 1.8       | 1.7    | 1.6       | 1.5    |
| 13     | 2.6                                 | 2.5    | 2.4       | 2.3    | 2.2       | 2.1    | 2.0       | 1.9    | 1.8       | 1.7    | 1.6       | 1.5    |
| 14     | 2.6                                 | 2.5    | 2.4       | 2.3    | 2.2       | 2.1    | 2.0       | 1.9    | 1.8       | 1.7    | 1.6       | 1.5    |
| 15     | 2.6                                 | 2.5    | 2.4       | 2.3    | 2.2       | 2.1    | 2.0       | 1.9    | 1.8       | 1.7    | 1.6       | 1.5    |
| 16     | 2.6                                 | 2.5    | 2.4       | 2.3    | 2.2       | 2.1    | 2.0       | 1.9    | 1.8       | 1.7    | 1.6       | 1.5    |
| 17     | 2.6                                 | 2.5    | 2.4       | 2.3    | 2.2       | 2.1    | 2.0       | 1.9    | 1.8       | 1.7    | 1.6       | 1.5    |
| 18     | 2.6                                 | 2.5    | 2.4       | 2.3    | 2.2       | 2.1    | 2.0       | 1.9    | 1.8       | 1.7    | 1.6       | 1.5    |
| 19     | 2.6                                 | 2.5    | 2.4       | 2.3    | 2.2       | 2.1    | 2.0       | 1.9    | 1.8       | 1.7    | 1.6       | 1.5    |
| 20     | 2.6                                 | 2.5    | 2.4       | 2.3    | 2.2       | 2.1    | 2.0       | 1.9    | 1.8       | 1.7    | 1.6       | 1.5    |
| 21     | 2.6                                 | 2.5    | 2.4       | 2.3    | 2.2       | 2.1    | 2.0       | 1.9    | 1.8       | 1.7    | 1.6       | 1.5    |
| 22     | 2.6                                 | 2.5    | 2.4       | 2.3    | 2.2       | 2.1    | 2.0       | 1.9    | 1.8       | 1.7    | 1.6       | 1.5    |
| 23     | 2.6                                 | 2.5    | 2.4       | 2.3    | 2.2       | 2.1    | 2.0       | 1.9    | 1.8       | 1.7    | 1.6       | 1.5    |
| 24     | 2.6                                 | 2.5    | 2.4       | 2.3    | 2.2       | 2.1    | 2.0       | 1.9    | 1.8       | 1.7    | 1.6       | 1.5    |
| 25     | 2.6                                 | 2.5    | 2.4       | 2.3    | 2.2       | 2.1    | 2.0       | 1.9    | 1.8       | 1.7    | 1.6       | 1.5    |
| 26     | 2.6                                 | 2.5    | 2.4       | 2.3    | 2.2       | 2.1    | 2.0       | 1.9    | 1.8       | 1.7    | 1.6       | 1.5    |
| 27     | 2.6                                 | 2.5    | 2.4       | 2.3    | 2.2       | 2.1    | 2.0       | 1.9    | 1.8       | 1.7    | 1.6       | 1.5    |
| 28     | 2.6                                 | 2.5    | 2.4       | 2.3    | 2.2       | 2.1    | 2.0       | 1.9    | 1.8       | 1.7    | 1.6       | 1.5    |
| 29     | 2.6                                 | 2.5    | 2.4       | 2.3    | 2.2       | 2.1    | 2.0       | 1.9    | 1.8       | 1.7    | 1.6       | 1.5    |
| 30     | 2.6                                 | 2.5    | 2.4       | 2.3    | 2.2       | 2.1    | 2.0       | 1.9    | 1.8       | 1.7    | 1.6       | 1.5    |
| 31     | 2.6                                 | 2.5    | 2.4       | 2.3    | 2.2       | 2.1    | 2.0       | 1.9    | 1.8       | 1.7    | 1.6       | 1.5    |
| Median | 2.2                                 | 2.2    | 2.2       | 2.2    | 2.2       | 2.2    | 2.2       | 2.2    | 2.2       | 2.2    | 2.2       | 2.2    |
| Count  | 7                                   | 18     | 22        | 25     | 27        | 27     | 27        | 27     | 27        | 27     | 27        | 27     |
| Units  | Sweep 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 0.25 min | Manual | Automatic | Manual |

TABLE 80  
Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D.C.  
IONOSPHERIC DATA  
Observed at Washington, D.C.  
Lat 38.7°N, Long 77.1°W

Es — Mc, Km December, 1954  
(Characteristic) (Unit) (Month)

Observed at Washington, D.C.  
Lat 38.7°N, Long 77.1°W

National Bureau of Standards  
(Institution)  
Scaled by: E. J. W., J. W. P., J. J. S.  
Calculated by: E. J. W., J. W. P., J. J. S.

| Day    | 75° W Mean Time |        |        |        |         |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |
|--------|-----------------|--------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
|        | 00              | 01     | 02     | 03     | 04      | 05     | 06     | 07     | 08     | 09     | 10     | 11     |
| 1      | 90/100          | 40/140 | E      | E      | E       | E      | E      | E      | 30/30  | 38/30  | 30/20  | 57/100 |
| 2      | 18/100          | E      | E      | E      | E       | E      | E      | 30/110 | 30/110 | 36/110 | 33/100 | 39/100 |
| 3      | E               | 21/110 | E      | E      | E       | E      | E      | 29/110 | 28/110 | 28/110 | 27/110 | 26/110 |
| 4      | 40/110          | 34/110 | 31/110 | H      | 7.2/120 | 47/110 | G      | 46/110 | 42/110 | 43/110 | 44/110 | 45/110 |
| 5      | 28/100          | E      | E      | E      | E       | E      | E      | 34/100 | 34/100 | 36/100 | 38/100 | 40/100 |
| 6      | E               | E      | E      | E      | E       | E      | E      | 42/100 | 39/130 | 42/130 | 47/130 | 39/100 |
| 7      | 32/100          | 43/100 | 24/100 | 28/100 | E       | 18/120 | H      | 34/100 | 30/100 | 32/100 | 31/100 | 30/100 |
| 8      | E               | E      | E      | E      | E       | E      | E      | G      | G      | G      | 35/100 | 35/100 |
| 9      | E               | E      | E      | E      | E       | E      | E      | 23/120 | 37/110 | 30/120 | 36/120 | 35/120 |
| 10     | 25/100          | 26/100 | 28/100 | E      | E       | E      | E      | 31/100 | 32/100 | 30/100 | 30/100 | 30/100 |
| 11     | E               | E      | 23/100 | 19/100 | 30/100  | 31/100 | 34/100 | 12/100 | 32/100 | 58/100 | 32/100 | 51/100 |
| 12     | 32/100          | 30/100 | H      | 30/100 | E       | E      | E      | 48/110 | 41/100 | 41/100 | 41/100 | 41/100 |
| 13     | E               | 23/100 | E      | E      | E       | E      | E      | 40/120 | 33/110 | 70/110 | 35/110 | G      |
| 14     | 30/100          | 27/100 | 28/120 | 28/100 | E       | E      | E      | 30/110 | 38/110 | 34/100 | 40/100 | 36/100 |
| 15     | 44/110          | 29/100 | H      | 60/90  | 44/100  | E      | 23/130 | E      | 43/110 | 48/110 | 44/110 | 40/100 |
| 16     | E               | E      | E      | E      | E       | E      | E      | 26/130 | 31/110 | H      | 45/100 | 37/90  |
| 17     | E               | E      | E      | E      | E       | E      | E      | 20/110 | 25/100 | G      | 27/100 | G      |
| 18     | E               | E      | E      | E      | E       | E      | E      | 24/110 | 25/110 | 82/110 | 48/120 | G      |
| 19     | 29/100          | 28/120 | E      | E      | E       | E      | E      | 32/110 | 31/110 | 25/110 | 30/110 | G      |
| 20     | E               | 40/110 | 24/110 | E      | E       | E      | E      | 23/120 | 24/110 | 40/110 | 38/110 | G      |
| 21     | E               | 24/120 | E      | E      | E       | E      | E      | G      | 45/130 | 37/100 | 35/100 | 37/100 |
| 22     | 32/110          | E      | E      | E      | E       | E      | E      | 29/110 | 24/110 | 21/110 | 20/110 | G      |
| 23     | 14/100          | 32/100 | 27/110 | E      | E       | E      | E      | 72/110 | 31/110 | 34/110 | 36/110 | G      |
| 24     | E               | 31/120 | E      | 49/110 | 49/110  | 2/110  | 3/110  | 41/100 | 48/100 | 47/100 | 44/100 | G      |
| 25     | 41/110          | 31/110 | H      | 23/110 | 23/110  | 31/110 | 31/110 | 38/110 | 22/110 | 29/110 | 30/110 | G      |
| 26     | E               | E      | E      | E      | E       | E      | E      | 30/110 | 31/110 | 27/110 | 48/100 | G      |
| 27     | E               | 23/110 | 23/110 | E      | E       | E      | E      | 47/110 | 25/110 | 25/110 | 25/110 | G      |
| 28     | E               | E      | E      | E      | E       | E      | E      | 21/120 | 28/110 | 30/110 | 30/110 | G      |
| 29     | E               | E      | 45/120 | E      | E       | E      | E      | 23/110 | 31/110 | 34/110 | 34/110 | G      |
| 30     | E               | 24/110 | 32/110 | E      | E       | E      | E      | G      | 37/100 | 40/100 | 45/100 | 40/100 |
| 31     | 24/110          | 24/110 | 23/110 | E      | E       | E      | E      | 48/110 | 48/110 | 48/110 | 48/110 | G      |
| Median | * *             | 23     | * *    | * *    | * *     | * *    | * *    | 24     | 28     | 31     | 34     | 35     |
| Count  | 31              | 31     | 31     | 31     | 31      | 31     | 31     | 31     | 31     | 31     | 31     | 31     |

\* \* MEDIAN FEES LESS THAN MEDIAN FOR, OR LESS THAN LOWER FREQUENCY LIMIT OF RECORDER

Sweep L.O. Mc 1625.0 Mc in. Q25 mm  
Manual □ Automatic □

## IONOSPHERIC DATA

(M 1500) F2, (Month) December, 1954

Washington, D.C.

Lat 38.7°N Long 77.1°W

National Bureau of Standards

Scaled by E.J.W., J.W.P., J.J.S.

Calculated by E.J.W., J.W.P., J.J.S.

| Day   | 75°W Mean Time |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|-------|----------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|       | 00             | 01    | 02    | 03    | 04    | 05    | 06    | 07    | 08    | 09    | 10    | 11    |
| 1     | J A            | 2-1   | 2-1   | 2-1   | 2-1   | 2-1   | 2-1   | 2-1   | 2-1   | 2-1   | 2-1   | 2-1   |
| 2     | 2 0 F          | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F |
| 3     | 2 1 F          | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 3   | 2 4 F | 2 5 F | 2 6   | 2 7   | 2 8   | 2 9   | 2 10  |
| 4     | 2 2 F          | A 2   | F 2   | F 2   | F 2   | F 2   | F 2   | F 2   | F 2   | F 2   | F 2   | F 2   |
| 5     | - F            | 2 1   | 2 1   | 2 1   | 2 2   | 2 2   | 2 2   | 2 2   | 2 2   | 2 2   | 2 2   | 2 2   |
| 6     | 2 - F          | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F |
| 7     | - 1 F          | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F |
| 8     | - 1 F          | 2 1 F | 2 1 F | 2 1 F | 2 1 F | 2 1 F | 2 1 F | 2 1 F | 2 1 F | 2 1 F | 2 1 F | 2 1 F |
| 9     | - 1 F          | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F |
| 10    | - 1 F          | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F |
| 11    | - 1 F          | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F |
| 12    | - 1 F          | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F |
| 13    | - 1 F          | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F |
| 14    | - 1 F          | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F |
| 15    | - 1 F          | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F |
| 16    | - 1 F          | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F |
| 17    | - 1 F          | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F |
| 18    | - 1 F          | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F |
| 19    | - 1 F          | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F |
| 20    | - 1 F          | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F |
| 21    | - 1 F          | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F |
| 22    | - 1 F          | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F |
| 23    | - 1 F          | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F |
| 24    | - 1 F          | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F |
| 25    | - 1 F          | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F |
| 26    | - 1 F          | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F |
| 27    | - 1 F          | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F |
| 28    | - 1 F          | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F |
| 29    | - 1 F          | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F |
| 30    | - 1 F          | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F |
| 31    | - 1 F          | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F | 2 2 F |
| Major | - 2            | 2 2   | 2 2   | 2 2   | 2 2   | 2 2   | 2 2   | 2 2   | 2 2   | 2 2   | 2 2   | 2 2   |
| Minor | - 2            | 2 2   | 2 2   | 2 2   | 2 2   | 2 2   | 2 2   | 2 2   | 2 2   | 2 2   | 2 2   | 2 2   |

Sweep 1.0 Mc n.0.25 min

Manual □ Automatic X

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Form adopted June 1946

TABLE 82  
Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D.C.  
IONOSPHERIC DATA  
Washington, D.C.  
Lot 38.7°N, Long 77.1°W  
(Characteristic) (Unit)  
December, 1954  
(Month)

| Observed at | 75°W Mean Time |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |       |         |         |         |
|-------------|----------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|-------|---------|---------|---------|
|             | Day            | 00      | 01      | 02      | 03      | 04      | 05      | 06      | 07      | 08    | 09      | 10      | 11      |
| 1           | J 4            | (3.3) F | 3.4 F   | 3.5 F   | 3.4 F   | 3.4 F   | 3.3 F   | 3.4 F   | 3.4 F   | 3.7   | 3.4 F   | 3.4     | 3.6     |
| 2           | 3.0 F          | 3.0 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.3 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.4 F   | (3.3) S | 3.7   | 3.6     | 3.7     | 3.4 F   |
| 3           | 3.1 F          | (3.3) F | 3.3 F   | 3.4 F   | 3.4 F   | 3.4 F   | 3.4 F   | 3.6 F   | 3.6 F   | 3.6   | 3.4     | 3.5     | 3.6 F   |
| 4           | 3.0 F          | A F     | 3.2 F   | (3.2) F | 3.5 F   | 3.4 F   | 3.5 F   | 3.6 F   | 3.6 F   | 3.7   | 3.3     | 3.5     | 3.3 F   |
| 5           | 3.1 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   | 3.5   | 3.5     | 3.6     | 3.3 F   |
| 6           | 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   | 3.5   | 3.5     | 3.6     | 3.2 F   |
| 7           | (3.1) S        | A       | 3.0 F   | 3.0 F   | 3.1 F | 3.4 H   | 3.5 H   | 3.4 F   |
| 8           | (3.2) P        | (3.2) P | (3.2) S | (3.2) S | 3.4 F   | 3.5 F   | 3.5 F   | 3.6 F   | 3.6 F   | 3.6   | 3.5     | 3.5     | 3.4 F   |
| 9           | (3.2) F        | (2.9) F | (3.2) F | (3.2) F | 3.1 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.4   | 3.4     | 3.5     | 3.1 F   |
| 10          | (3.0) S        | 3.1 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.3 F   | 3.7   | 3.5     | 3.6     | 3.2 F   |
| 11          | (3.2) F        | (3.1) F | (3.1) F | (3.1) F | 3.0 F   | 3.0 F   | 3.0 F   | 3.0 F   | 3.0 F   | 3.4 F | (3.4) S | (3.4) S | (3.0) F |
| 12          | 3.2 F          | 3.2 F   | (3.0) F | (3.0) P | 3.1 F   | 3.4   | 3.4     | 3.5     | 3.4 F   |
| 13          | (3.2) F        | (3.2) F | (3.2) F | (3.2) F | 3.2 F   | 3.3 F   | 3.4 F   | 3.4 F   | 3.4 F   | 3.6   | 3.6     | 3.6     | 3.4 F   |
| 14          | 3.4 F          | 3.2 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.1 F   | 3.4 F | (3.6) S | (3.6) S | (3.0) F |
| 15          | 3.2 F          | 3.2 F   | 3.1 F   | 3.1 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.3 F   | 3.4 F   | 3.4 F   | 3.4 F   | 3.6   | 3.6     | 3.6     | 3.4 F   |
| 16          | 3.2 F          | (3.2) F | (3.2) F | 3.2 F   | 3.1 F   | 3.1 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.8   | 3.8     | 3.8     | 3.2 F   |
| 17          | 3.1 F          | (3.1) F | 3.2 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.1 F   | 3.0 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.4 F   | 3.4 F   | 3.5   | 3.5     | 3.6     | 3.2 F   |
| 18          | (3.1) F        | (3.0) S | 3.0 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.4 F   | 3.5   | 3.5     | 3.6     | (3.6) S |
| 19          | S              | (2.8) S | (3.0) F | (3.0) P | 3.1 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.4   | (3.4) S | (3.4) S | (3.1) F |
| 20          | 3.3 F          | (3.2) F | (3.2) F | 3.1 F   | 3.3 F   | 3.4 F   | 3.5 F   | 3.5 F   | 3.5 F   | 3.6   | 3.6     | 3.6     | 3.3 F   |
| 21          | 3.4 F          | (3.4) F | (3.4) F | (3.4) F | (3.3) F | 3.2 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.4   | 3.4     | 3.5     | 3.0 F   |
| 22          | A              | (3.0) F | (3.1) F | (3.1) F | 3.2 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.4   | 3.4     | 3.4     | A F     |
| 23          | 3.3 F          | 3.2 F   | 3.4 F   | 3.7   | 3.7     | 3.7     | 3.3 F   |
| 24          | 3.0 F          | 3.1 F   | (3.1) F | (3.1) F | (3.2) F | 3.6   | 3.5     | 3.5     | 3.0 F   |
| 25          | (3.0) F        | (3.1) F | (3.1) F | (3.1) F | 3.2 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.5   | 3.5     | 3.6     | 3.1 F   |
| 26          | (3.0) F        | (3.2) F | (3.2) F | (3.2) F | 3.4 F   | 3.4 F   | 3.4 F   | 3.4 F   | 3.4 F   | 3.6   | 3.6     | 3.6     | (3.0) F |
| 27          | 3.1 F          | 3.2 F   | 3.4 F   | 3.5   | 3.5     | 3.5     | 3.2 F   |
| 28          | 3.0 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   | 3.4   | 3.4     | 3.4     | 3.1 F   |
| 29          | 3.1 F          | (3.1) P | 3.2 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.3 F   | 3.5   | 3.5     | 3.5     | 3.2 F   |
| 30          | 3.2 F          | 3.3 F   | 3.3 F   | 3.3 F   | 3.4 F   | 3.3 F   | 3.3 F   | 3.3 F   | 3.3 F   | 3.6   | 3.6     | 3.6     | 3.1 F   |
| 31          | 3.2 F          | (3.4) F | 3.1 F   | 3.2 F   | 3.6   | 3.6     | 3.6     | 3.1 F   |
| Median      | 3.15           | (3.4)   | 3.2     | 3.2     | 3.3     | 3.2     | 3.2     | 3.2     | 3.2     | 3.6   | 3.6     | 3.6     | 3.1 F   |
| Count       | 28             | 28      | 31      | 30      | 26      | 31      | 31      | 31      | 31      | 31    | 31      | 31      | 21      |

Sweep  $\frac{1}{2}$  Mc to 25.0 Mc in 0.25 min  
Manual  Automatic

01.00

TABLE 83  
Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D.C.

## IONOSPHERIC DATA

(M3000) El. (Unit)  
Observed at Washington, D.C.  
Lat. 38.7°N Long 77.1°W

December, 1954  
(Month)

| 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   | Q               | A  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  |
| 2   | Q               | A  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  |
| 3   | Q               | A  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  |
| 4   | Q               | A  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  |
| 5   | Q               | A  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  |
| 6   | Q               | A  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  |
| 7   | Q               | A  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  |
| 8   | Q               | A  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  |
| 9   | Q               | A  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  |
| 10  | Q               | A  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  |
| 11  | Q               | A  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  |
| 12  | Q               | A  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  |
| 13  | Q               | A  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  |
| 14  | Q               | A  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | 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  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  |
| 16  | Q               | A  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  |
| 17  | Q               | A  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  |
| 18  | Q               | A  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  |
| 19  | Q               | A  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  |
| 20  | Q               | A  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  |
| 21  | Q               | A  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  |
| 22  | Q               | A  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  |
| 23  | Q               | A  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  |
| 24  | Q               | A  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  |
| 25  | Q               | A  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  |
| 26  | Q               | A  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  |
| 27  | Q               | A  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  |
| 28  | Q               | A  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  |
| 29  | Q               | A  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  |
| 30  | Q               | A  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  |
| 31  | Q               | A  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  | L  |

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Count

Swept 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 9.25 min  
Manual  Automatic

TABLE 84  
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IONOSPHERIC DATA

| (M1500) E , (Unit)           |    | December, 1954   |    | 77.1°W         |    | 75°W Mean Time |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
|------------------------------|----|------------------|----|----------------|----|----------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|--|--|--|
| Observed at Washington, D.C. |    | Lat 38.7°N, Long |    | 75°W Mean Time |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    | 75°W Mean Time |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 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                            |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 2                            |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 3                            |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 4                            |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 5                            |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 6                            |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 7                            |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 8                            |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 9                            |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 10                           |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 11                           |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 12                           |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 13                           |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 14                           |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 15                           |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 16                           |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 17                           |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 18                           |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 19                           |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 20                           |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 21                           |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 22                           |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 23                           |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 24                           |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 25                           |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 26                           |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 27                           |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 28                           |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 29                           |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 30                           |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| 31                           |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| Median                       |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |
| Count                        |    |                  |    |                |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |  |  |

Swept LO. Mc 10.25.0 Mc in 0.25 min  
Manual □ Automatic ☒

Table 85Ionospheric Storminess at Washington, D. C.December 1954

| Day | Ionospheric character* |           | Principal storms |         | Geomagnetic character** |           |
|-----|------------------------|-----------|------------------|---------|-------------------------|-----------|
|     | 00-12 GCT              | 12-24 GCT | Beginning GCT    | End GCT | 00-12 GCT               | 12-24 GCT |
| 1   | 1                      | 2         |                  |         | 2                       | 1         |
| 2   | 2                      | 2         |                  |         | 2                       | 2         |
| 3   | 2                      | 1         |                  |         | 2                       | 1         |
| 4   | 3                      | 1         |                  |         | 1                       | 1         |
| 5   | 1                      | 2         |                  |         | 1                       | 1         |
| 6   | 1                      | 2         |                  |         | 2                       | 1         |
| 7   | 2                      | 2         |                  |         | 3                       | 2         |
| 8   | 1                      | 2         |                  |         | 2                       | 1         |
| 9   | 3                      | 2         |                  |         | 2                       | 1         |
| 10  | 2                      | 2         |                  |         | 2                       | 1         |
| 11  | 1                      | 2         |                  |         | 0                       | 1         |
| 12  | 3                      | 1         |                  |         | 2                       | 2         |
| 13  | 1                      | 1         |                  |         | 2                       | 1         |
| 14  | 1                      | 2         |                  |         | 1                       | 1         |
| 15  | 2                      | 1         |                  |         | 0                       | 0         |
| 16  | 2                      | 2         |                  |         | 0                       | 0         |
| 17  | 3                      | 3         |                  |         | 3                       | 3         |
| 18  | 1                      | 2         |                  |         | 3                       | 2         |
| 19  | 3                      | 2         |                  |         | 2                       | 2         |
| 20  | 2                      | 2         |                  |         | 3                       | 3         |
| 21  | 3                      | 1         |                  |         | 1                       | 2         |
| 22  | 2                      | 2         |                  |         | 2                       | 0         |
| 23  | 2                      | 3         |                  |         | 2                       | 1         |
| 24  | 2                      | 2         |                  |         | 1                       | 1         |
| 25  | 2                      | 2         |                  |         | 1                       | 1         |
| 26  | 1                      | 2         |                  |         | 1                       | 1         |
| 27  | 0                      | 3         |                  |         | 3                       | 4         |
| 28  | 1                      | 1         |                  |         | 2                       | 1         |
| 29  | 3                      | 2         |                  |         | 2                       | 1         |
| 30  | 2                      | 2         |                  |         | 2                       | 1         |
| 31  | 2                      | 2         |                  |         | 2                       | 1         |

\* 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.

Table 86  
**Radio Propagation Quality Figures**  
 (Including Comparisons with Short-Term and Advance Forecasts)  
November 1954

| Day | North Pacific<br>9-hourly<br>quality figures |                |          | Short-term fore-<br>casts issued at |     |    | Whole<br>day<br>quality<br>index: | Advance forecasts<br>(Jp reports) for<br>whole day; issued<br>in advance by: |             |              |
|-----|--|----------------|----------|-------------------------------------|-----|----|-----------------------------------|--|-------------|--------------|
|     | 03<br>to<br>12                               | 09<br>to<br>18 | 18<br>03 | 02                                  | 09  | 18 |                                   | 1-4<br>days  | 4-7<br>days | 8-25<br>days |
| 1   | 6  | 5              | 5        | 5                                   | 5   | 6  | 6                                 | 6  | 5           |              |
| 2   | (4)  | (4)            | 6        | (4)                                 | (4) | 5  | 5                                 | 5  | 5           |              |
| 3   | 5  | (4)            | 7        | 5                                   | (4) | 6  | 5                                 | 5  | 5           |              |
| 4   | 5  | 5              | 7        | 5                                   | 5   | 6  | 6                                 | 6  | 6           |              |
| 5   | 6  | 5              | 6        | 5                                   | 5   | 7  | 6                                 | 7  | 6           |              |
| 6   | 6  | 5              | 7        | 5                                   | 5   | 6  | 6                                 | 7  | 7           |              |
| 7   | 5  | 5              | 6        | 5                                   | 5   | 6  | 6                                 | 6  | 6           |              |
| 8   | 5  | 5              | 6        | 6                                   | 5   | 6  | 6                                 | 6  | 6           |              |
| 9   | 5  | 5              | (4)      | 5                                   | 5   | 7  | 5                                 | 6  | 6           |              |
| 10  | 6  | 5              | 6        | 6                                   | 5   | 7  | 6                                 | 7  | 7           |              |
| 11  | 6  | 5              | 7        | 6                                   | 6   | 7  | 6                                 | 7  | 7           |              |
| 12  | 6  | 6              | 6        | 7                                   | 6   | 7  | 6                                 | 6  | 6           |              |
| 13  | 6  | 6              | 6        | 6                                   | 5   | 6  | 6                                 | 6  | 6           |              |
| 14  | 6  | 6              | 6        | 6                                   | 5   | 6  | 6                                 | 5  | 5           |              |
| 15  | 6  | 6              | 7        | 6                                   | 6   | 7  | 7                                 | 5  | 5           |              |
| 16  | 6  | 6              | 6        | 6                                   | 6   | 7  | 6                                 | 6  | 5           |              |
| 17  | 7  | 6              | 7        | 7                                   | 6   | 7  | 7                                 | 6  | 6           |              |
| 18  | 6  | 6              | 7        | 6                                   | 6   | 7  | 6                                 | 6  | 5           |              |
| 19  | 5  | 5              | 6        | 6                                   | 6   | 5  | 6                                 | 5  | 5           |              |
| 20  | 6  | 5              | 6        | 5                                   | 5   | 6  | 6                                 | 5  | (4)         | X            |
| 21  | 6  | 6              | 6        | 5                                   | 5   | 6  | 6                                 | (4)  | (4)         | X            |
| 22  | 6  | 7              | 7        | 6                                   | 5   | 6  | 7                                 | (4)  | (4)         | X            |
| 23  | 6  | 5              | 6        | 6                                   | 5   | 6  | 6                                 | 5  | 5           |              |
| 24  | 6  | 5              | 6        | 6                                   | 5   | 6  | 6                                 | 6  | 6           |              |
| 25  | 5  | 5              | 5        | 6                                   | 5   | 6  | 6                                 | 6  | 6           |              |
| 26  | 5  | 5              | 7        | 6                                   | 5   | 6  | 5                                 | 5  | 5           |              |
| 27  | 6  | 6              | 6        | 6                                   | 6   | 6  | 7                                 | 5  | 5           |              |
| 28  | 7  | 5              | 6        | 6                                   | 6   | 7  | 6                                 | (4)  | (4)         |              |
| 29  | 5  | 6              | 6        | 6                                   | 6   | 6  | 6                                 | (4)  | (4)         |              |
| 30  | 6  | 5              | 6        | 6                                   | 6   | 6  | 6                                 | 5  | 5           |              |

Score:

|               |   |    |    |    |    |    |
|---------------|---|----|----|----|----|----|
| Quiet Periods | P | 17 | 20 | 16 | 14 | 12 |
|               | S | 12 | 7  | 13 | 10 | 11 |
|               | U | 0  | 1  | 0  | 2  | 2  |
|               | F | 0  | 0  | 0  | 4  | 5  |

|                   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|-------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Disturbed Periods | P | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
|                   | S | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
|                   | U | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
|                   | F | 0 | 0 | 1 | 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

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  $\geq 5$ , or both  $\leq 5$
- F - Failure: other times when forecast quality  
two or more grades different from observed

Symbols:

- X - probable disturbed date

Note: All times are UT (Universal Time or GCT)

Table 87a  
**Radio Propagation Quality Figures**

(Including Comparisons with Short-Term and Advance Forecasts)

November 1954

| Day | North Atlantic<br>6-hourly<br>quality figures |     |    |    | Short-term forecasts<br>issued about one<br>hour in advance of: | Whole<br>day<br>quality<br>index | Advance forecasts<br>(J-reports) for<br>whole day; issued<br>in advance by: | Geomag-<br>netic<br>K <sub>Ch</sub> |             |             |              |                 |     |   |
|-----|---|-----|----|----|---|----------------------------------|---|-------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-----------------|-----|---|
|     | 00  | 06  | 12 | 18 |   |                                  |   |                                     | 1-4<br>days | 4-7<br>days | 8-25<br>days | Half Day<br>(1) | (2) |   |
| 1   | 5   | (4) | 6  | 5  | 5   | (4)                              | 6   | 6                                   | 5           | 5           | 5            | (4)             | (4) |   |
| 2   | (3)   | (4) | 6  | 5  | (4)   | (3)                              | 6   | 5                                   | (4)         | 5           | 6            | (4)             | 3   |   |
| 3   | (4)   | (4) | 7  | 6  | (5)   | (4)                              | 6   | 6                                   | 5           | 6           | 6            | (4)             | 2   |   |
| 4   | (1)   | 5   | 6  | 5  | 5   | (4)                              | 7   | 6                                   | 5           | 6           | 6            | 2               | 1   |   |
| 5   | 5   | (4) | 6  | 6  | 5   | 5                                | 7   | 6                                   | 5           | 6           | 6            | 3               | 1   |   |
| 6   | 6   | 5   | 6  | 6  | 5   | 5                                | 7   | 6                                   | 6           | 6           | 6            | 2               | 1   |   |
| 7   | 6   | 5   | 7  | 6  | 5   | 5                                | 7   | 7                                   | 6           | 7           | 7            | 2               | 1   |   |
| 8   | 6   | 6   | 7  | 6  | 6   | 5                                | 7   | 6                                   | 6           | 7           | 7            | 1               | 1   |   |
| 9   | 6   | 5   | 7  | 6  | 6   | 6                                | 7   | 7                                   | 6           | 7           | 7            | 2               | 2   |   |
| 10  | 6   | 6   | 7  | 6  | 6   | 5                                | 6   | 7                                   | 6           | 7           | 7            | 1               | 0   |   |
| 11  | 5   | 6   | 7  | 7  | 6   | 5                                | 7   | 7                                   | 6           | 7           | 6            | 2               | 1   |   |
| 12  | 5   | 6   | 7  | 7  | 6   | 5                                | 7   | 7                                   | 6           | 6           | 6            | 2               | 2   |   |
| 13  | 6   | 6   | 7  | 7  | 5   | 6                                | 7   | 7                                   | 6           | 6           | 6            | 1               | 2   |   |
| 14  | 6   | 6   | 7  | 7  | 6   | 6                                | 7   | 7                                   | 6           | 6           | 6            | 2               | 2   |   |
| 15  | 6   | 6   | 7  | 6  | 6   | 6                                | 7   | 7                                   | 6           | 6           | 6            | 0               | 0   |   |
| 16  | 6   | 6   | 7  | 7  | 6   | 6                                | 7   | 7                                   | 7           | 7           | 6            | 0               | 0   |   |
| 17  | 7   | 6   | 7  | 7  | 6   | 6                                | 7   | 7                                   | 7           | 7           | 6            | 1               | 1   |   |
| 18  | 7   | 6   | 7  | 7  | 6   | 6                                | 7   | 7                                   | 7           | 7           | 6            | 1               | 2   |   |
| 19  | 7   | 6   | 7  | 6  | 6   | 6                                | 7   | 7                                   | 7           | 6           | 6            | 2               | 2   |   |
| 20  | 7   | 6   | 7  | 6  | 6   | 6                                | 7   | 6                                   | 7           | (4)         | (4)          | X               | 3   | 2 |
| 21  | 6   | 6   | 7  | 6  | 6   | 5                                | 6   | 6                                   | 6           | (4)         | (4)          | X               | 3   | 2 |
| 22  | 6   | 5   | 6  | 6  | 6   | 6                                | 5   | 6                                   | 6           | (4)         | (4)          | X               | 3   | 1 |
| 23  | 5   | 5   | 6  | 6  | (4)   | (5)                              | 6   | 6                                   | 6           | 6           | (4)          | X               | 2   | 3 |
| 24  | 5   | 5   | 6  | 6  | 5   | (4)                              | 7   | 6                                   | 5           | 6           | 5            | 2               | 1   |   |
| 25  | 5   | 6   | 6  | 6  | 5   | 5                                | 7   | 6                                   | 6           | 5           | 5            | 2               | 2   |   |
| 26  | 6   | 6   | 7  | 7  | 6   | 6                                | 7   | 6                                   | 6           | 6           | 5            | 2               | 2   |   |
| 27  | 6   | 5   | 7  | 6  | 5   | 5                                | 6   | 6                                   | 6           | (4)         | (4)          | X               | 2   | 2 |
| 28  | 6   | 6   | 7  | 6  | 5   | 5                                | 7   | 6                                   | 6           | (4)         | (4)          | X               | 1   | 2 |
| 29  | 7   | 6   | 7  | 7  | 6   | 6                                | 7   | 6                                   | 7           | (4)         | (4)          | X               | 1   | 3 |
| 30  | 6   | 5   | 7  | 6  | 5   | (4)                              | 7   | 6                                   | 6           | 6           | 5            | 3               | 2   |   |

Score:

|                   |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |
|-------------------|---|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Quiet Periods     | P | 13 | 13 | 20 | 21 | 13 | 7  |
|                   | S | 14 | 12 | 10 | 9  |    | 10 |
|                   | U | 0  | 1  | 0  | 0  |    | 0  |
|                   | F | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |    | 6  |
| Disturbed Periods | P | 0  | 2  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |
|                   | S | 3  | 2  | 0  | 0  |    | 1  |
|                   | U | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |    | 0  |
|                   | F | 0  | 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<sub>Ch</sub> ≥ 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

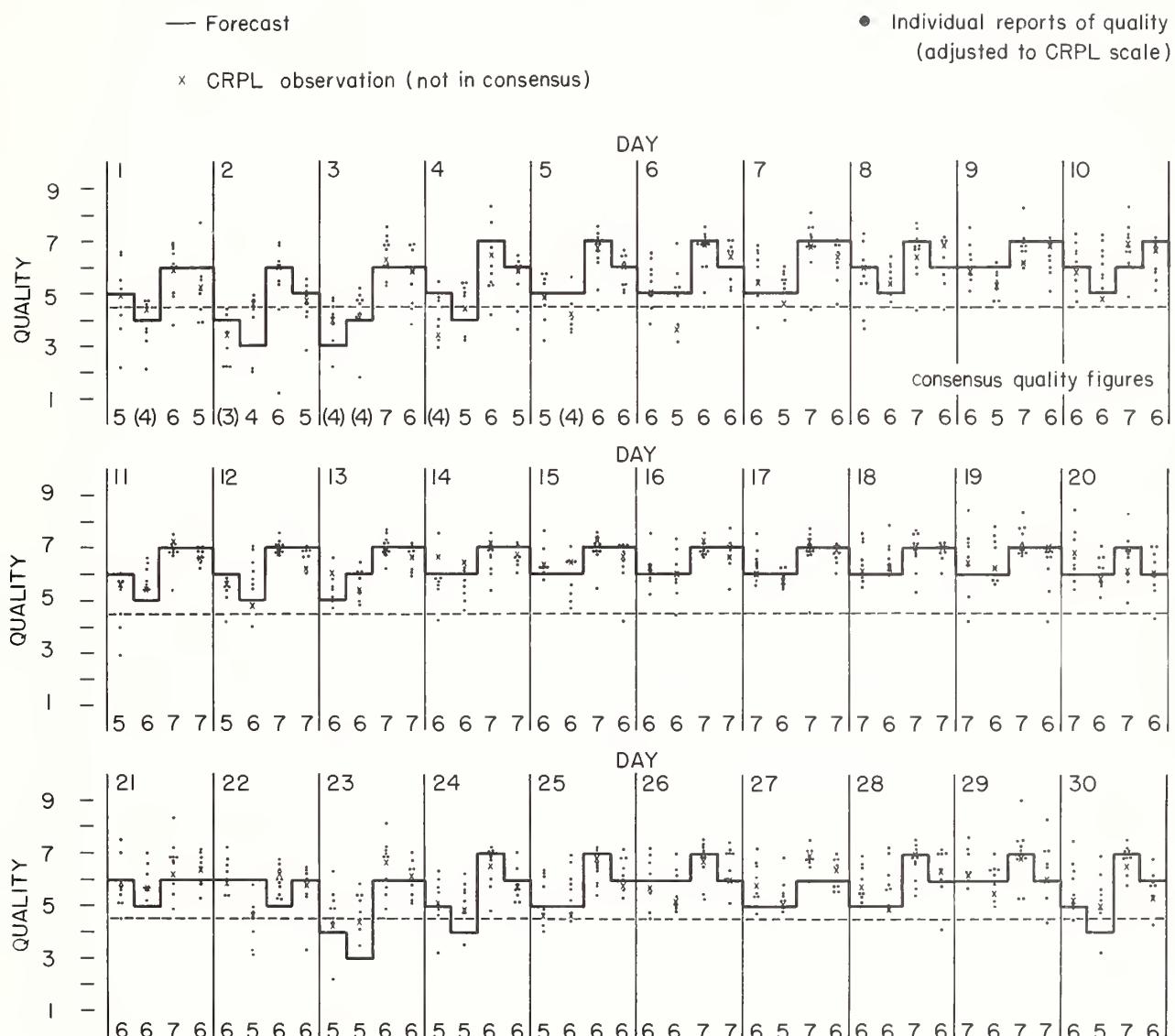
Symbols:

X - probable disturbed date

Note: All times are UT (Universal Time or GCT)

Table 87 b

## Short-Term Forecasts – November 1954



## Outcome of Advance Forecasts (1 to 4 Days Ahead) – November 1954

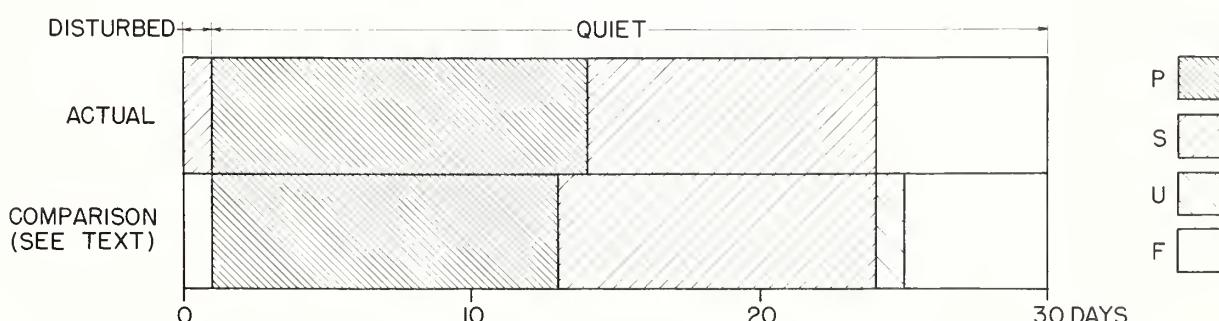


Table 88a

Table 89a



Table 501

## Coronal observations at Climax, Colorado (6702A), east limb

| Date<br>UT | Degrees north of the solar equator |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    | $0^\circ$ | Degrees south of the solar equator |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|------------|------------------------------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----------|------------------------------------|---|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|--|
|            | 90                                 | 85 | 80 | 75 | 70 | 65 | 60 | 55 | 50 | 45 | 40 | 35 | 30 |           | 5                                  | 5 | 10 | 15 | 20 | 25 | 30 | 35 | 40 | 45 | 50 | 55 | 60 | 65 | 70 | 75 | 80 | 85 | 90 |  |
| 1954       |                                    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
| Dec        | 1.9a                               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|            | 2.9                                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|            | 3.x                                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|            | 4.x                                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|            | 5.7                                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|            | 6.x                                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|            | 7.8                                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|            | 8.8                                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|            | 9.7                                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|            | 10.7a                              |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|            | 11.7a                              |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|            | 12.7                               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|            | 13.x                               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|            | 14.9                               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|            | 15.x                               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|            | 16.x                               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|            | 17.x                               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|            | 18.8                               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|            | 19.8a                              |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|            | 20.7                               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|            | 21.7                               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|            | 22.7                               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|            | 23.9                               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|            | 24.9a                              |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|            | 25.7                               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|            | 26.x                               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|            | 27.x                               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|            | 28.x                               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|            | 29.8                               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|            | 30.7                               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |
|            | 31.7                               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |   |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |  |

Table 511

## Coronal observations at Sacramento Peak, New Mexico (5303A), east limb

| Date<br>UT | Degrees north of the solar equator |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    | $0^\circ$ | Degrees south of the solar equator |    |    |    |    |    |    |       |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |   |
|------------|------------------------------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----------|------------------------------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|-------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|---|---|---|---|
|            | 90                                 | 85 | 80 | 75 | 70 | 65 | 60 | 55 | 50 | 45 | 40 | 35 | 30 |           | 5                                  | 5  | 10 | 15 | 20 | 25 | 30 | 35    | 40 | 45 | 50 | 55 | 60 | 65 | 70 | 75 | 80 | 85 | 90 |   |   |   |   |
| 1954       |                                    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |    |    |    |    |    |    |       |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |   |
| Dec        | 1.8a                               | -  | -  | -  | -  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 8  | 12 | 14 | 16        | 14                                 | 11 | 6  | 5  | 3  | 3  | 2  | 2     | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 11 | 14 | 28 | 32 | 20 | 3  | 2  | 2 |   |   |   |
|            | 2.8                                | -  | -  | -  | -  | 3  | 5  | 6  | 6  | 8  | 10 | 11 | 7  | 4         | 4                                  | 4  | 4  | 3  | 2  | 2  | -  | 2     | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 13 | 22 | 13 | 3  | -  | -  | -  | - | - |   |   |
|            | 3.x                                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |    |    |    |    |    |    |       |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |   |
|            | 4.x                                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |    |    |    |    |    |    |       |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |   |
|            | 5.7                                | -  | -  | -  | -  | 2  | 3  | 5  | 6  | 5  | 4  | 3  | 2  | 2         | 2                                  | -  | -  | 2  | 3  | 2  | 2  | 2     | 3  | 5  | 8  | 6  | 7  | 8  | 7  | 7  | 6  | 5  | 3  | 2 |   |   |   |
|            | 6.7                                | -  | -  | -  | -  | 3  | 5  | 4  | 3  | 2  | 2  | 2  | 3  | 3         | 2                                  | 3  | 2  | 2  | -  | -  | 2  | 3     | 7  | 7  | 8  | 7  | 7  | 7  | 6  | 5  | 4  | 3  | 2  | 2 |   |   |   |
|            | 7.7a                               | -  | -  | -  | -  | 2  | 3  | 3  | 4  | 3  | 2  | 2  | 2  | 2         | 2                                  | 2  | -  | -  | -  | 2  | 3  | 3     | 3  | 2  | 2  | 2  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | - | - |   |   |
|            | 8.7                                | -  | -  | -  | -  | 2  | 3  | 3  | 2  | 2  | 2  | 2  | -  | 3         | 3                                  | 2  | 2  | 2  | -  | -  | -  | 2     | 2  | 3  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 3  | 3  | 3  | 2  | 2  | -  | - | - |   |   |
|            | 9.x                                |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |    |    |    |    |    |    |       |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |   |
|            | 10.x                               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |    |    |    |    |    |    |       |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |   |
|            | 11.x                               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |    |    |    |    |    |    |       |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |   |
|            | 12.7                               | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | 2  | 2  | 3  | 3  | 3  | 4  | 3  | 2         | 2                                  | -  | -  | 2  | 3  | 2  | 2  | 2     | 3  | 4  | 3  | 2  | 2  | 2  | 2  | 2  | -  | -  | -  | - | - |   |   |
|            | 13.9                               | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | 2  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 3         | 2                                  | 2  | 2  | 3  | 2  | 2  | -  | -     | 2  | 2  | 3  | 3  | 3  | 4  | 3  | 4  | 3  | 2  | 2  | - | - | - |   |
|            | 14.7                               | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | 2  | 3  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 2         | 2                                  | -  | -  | 2  | 3  | 2  | 2  | -     | -  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 4  | 3  | 2  | -  | -  | -  | -  | - | - |   |   |
|            | 15.7                               | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 6  | 3         | 2                                  | 2  | -  | -  | 2  | 3  | 2  | 2     | -  | -  | 2  | 3  | 2  | 2  | 2  | 2  | -  | -  | -  | - | - |   |   |
|            | 16.x                               |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |           |                                    |    |    |    |    |    |    |       |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |   |
|            | 17.7                               | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | 2  | 2  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 4  | 3         | 5                                  | 3  | 4  | 3  | 3  | 2  | 2  | 2     | 3  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 3  | 2  | 2  | 2  | -  | -  | -  | - | - |   |   |
|            | 18.7                               | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | 2  | 2  | 2  | 3  | 3  | 4  | 2  | 3         | 3                                  | 4  | 3  | 2  | 2  | 2  | 2  | 2     | 3  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 4  | 3  | 2  | 2  | -  | -  | -  | - | - |   |   |
|            | 19.7                               | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | 2  | 2  | 3  | 3  | 2  | 2         | 2                                  | 2  | -  | 2  | 3  | 2  | 2  | 2     | 3  | 2  | 2  | 3  | 2  | 2  | 3  | 2  | -  | -  | -  | - | - |   |   |
|            | 20.7                               | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | 2  | 2  | 3  | 2  | 2  | 3         | 2                                  | 3  | 2  | -  | 2  | 3  | 2  | 2     | 2  | 3  | 2  | 3  | 2  | 3  | 2  | 2  | -  | -  | -  | - | - |   |   |
|            | 21.7                               | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | 2  | 2  | 3  | 2  | 3  | 3         | 4                                  | 3  | 2  | 2  | 2  | -  | -  | 2     | 2  | -  | 2  | 2  | 2  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | - | - | - |   |
|            | 22.7                               | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | 2  | 2  | 2  | 3  | 3  | 4         | 4                                  | 5  | 4  | 3  | 3  | 2  | -  | -     | 2  | 2  | 2  | 3  | 2  | 2  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | - | - | - |   |
|            | 23.8                               | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | 2  | 3  | 3  | 4  | 4         | 3                                  | 3  | 2  | 2  | -  | -  | -  | 2     | 3  | 3  | 4  | 3  | 4  | 3  | 2  | 2  | -  | -  | -  | - | - | - |   |
|            | 24.7                               | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | 2  | 2  | 3  | 5  | 5         | 7                                  | 5  | 3  | 3  | 2  | -  | -  | -     | 2  | 3  | 3  | 4  | 4  | 3  | 3  | 2  | 2  | -  | -  | - | - | - | - |
|            | 25.7                               | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | 2  | 3  | 3  | 5  | 7         | 5                                  | 3  | 2  | 2  | -  | -  | -  | -     | 2  | 2  | 3  | 3  | 2  | 2  | 2  | 2  | -  | -  | -  | - | - | - |   |
|            | 26.7                               | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | -  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5  | 8         | 5                                  | 4  | 3  | 2  | -  | -  | -  | -</td |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |    |   |   |   |   |







Table 94

## Particulars of Observations, Climax, Colorado

July - December 1954

| Date<br>GCT | Green line threshold<br>intensity at |     |      |      |      | Date<br>GCT. | Green line threshold<br>intensity at |     |           |      |      | Obs. | Meas. |   |    |     |   |
|-------------|--------------------------------------|-----|------|------|------|--------------|--------------------------------------|-----|-----------|------|------|------|-------|---|----|-----|---|
|             | 45°                                  | 90° | 135° | 225° | 270° |              | 45°                                  | 90° | 135°      | 225° | 270° |      |       |   |    |     |   |
| <b>1954</b> |                                      |     |      |      |      |              |                                      |     |           |      |      |      |       |   |    |     |   |
| Jul. 1.6    | 7                                    | 8   | 6    | 7    | 8    | 8            | H                                    | B   | Sep. 29.6 | 8    | 9    | 8    | 7     | 8 | 8  | D   | B |
| 2.7         | 6                                    | 7   | 6    | 7    | 8    | 8            | H                                    | B   | 30.7      | 7    | 8    | 9    | 9     | 8 | 7  | H   | B |
| 3.6         | 6                                    | 7   | 6    | 7    | 7    | 8            | H                                    | B   | Oct. 1.6  | 6    | 6    | 6    | 6     | 7 | 7  | H   | B |
| 4.7         | 10                                   | 13  | 10   | 11   | 11   | 10           | H                                    | B   | 2.6       | 15   | 11   | 15   | 8     | 9 | -  | H   | B |
| 5.6         | 5                                    | 4   | 5    | 5    | 5    | 5            | H                                    | B   | 4.6       | 6    | 6    | 6    | 7     | 7 | 7  | H   | B |
| 6.7         | 8                                    | 8   | 10   | 10   | 7    | 8            | H                                    | B   | 5.6       | 6    | 7    | 7    | 7     | 7 | 7  | I   | B |
| 10.7        | 7                                    | 8   | 8    | 6    | 6    | 5            | H                                    | B   | 6.7       | 6    | 5    | 5    | 7     | 8 | 9  | I   | B |
| 12.7        | 7                                    | 6   | 6    | 6    | 4    | 6            | H                                    | B   | 7.7       | 5    | 5    | 6    | 7     | 6 | 7  | H   | B |
| 15.6        | 7                                    | 7   | 7    | 8    | 6    | -            | H                                    | B   | 9.0       | 4    | 4    | 4    | 6     | 4 | 5  | H   | B |
| 19.6        | 5                                    | 4   | 4    | 6    | 6    | 6            | H                                    | B   | 10.7      | 4    | 4    | 5    | 5     | 5 | 5  | H   | B |
| 20.7        | 7                                    | 6   | 4    | 6    | 4    | 5            | H                                    | B   | 11.6      | 2    | 2    | 2    | 3     | 3 | 4  | H   | S |
| 21.6        | 6                                    | 6   | 11   | 4    | 5    | 5            | H                                    | B   | 12.8      | 5    | 5    | 5    | 5     | 5 | 5  | H   | E |
| 24.0        | 5                                    | 6   | 5    | 4    | 3    | 5            | H                                    | B   | 14.6      | 2    | 3    | 3    | 3     | 4 | 5  | H   | B |
| 25.6        | -                                    | 4   | 4    | -    | 3    | 3            | H                                    | B   | 15.7      | 2    | 2    | 2    | 2     | 2 | 2  | H   | B |
| 26.6        | 6                                    | 5   | 5    | 4    | 5    | 3            | H                                    | B   | 16.5      | 2    | 3    | 2    | 2     | 2 | 2  | H   | B |
| 27.8        | 5                                    | 5   | 6    | 5    | 4    | -            | H                                    | B   | 17.7      | 1    | 2    | 2    | 2     | 2 | 2  | H   | B |
| 28.7        | 5                                    | 5   | 5    | 6    | 6    | 5            | H                                    | B   | 19.7      | 4    | 4    | 3    | 7     | 7 | 7  | D   | B |
| 29.7        | 6                                    | 5   | 4    | 7    | 6    | 6            | H                                    | B   | 20.8      | 5    | 5    | 5    | -     | - | -  | D   | B |
| 30.7        | 6                                    | 6   | 7    | 7    | 6    | 6            | H                                    | B   | 21.7      | 4    | 4    | 5    | 5     | 5 | 4  | D   | B |
| 31.9        | 7                                    | 9   | 8    | 7    | 8    | 6            | H                                    | B   | 22.7      | 2    | 2    | 2    | 1     | 1 | 2  | D   | B |
| Aug. 1.6    | 10                                   | 10  | 9    | 13   | 13   | 13           | H                                    | B   | 23.8      | 4    | 6    | 6    | 5     | 5 | 5  | H   | B |
| 2.6         | 5                                    | 6   | 5    | 5    | 5    | 5            | H                                    | B   | 27.7      | 2    | 2    | 2    | 3     | 3 | 3  | H   | B |
| 7.6         | 7                                    | 7   | 6    | 8    | 9    | 10           | H                                    | B   | 28.7      | 2    | 2    | 2    | 4     | 3 | 3  | H   | B |
| 8.6         | 7                                    | 7   | 6    | 5    | 5    | 6            | H                                    | B   | 29.7      | 2    | 3    | 3    | 2     | 2 | 2  | H   | B |
| 9.6         | 7                                    | 7   | 6    | 7    | -    | 7            | H                                    | B   | 30.7      | 5    | 4    | 5    | 4     | 5 | 4  | H   | B |
| 10.6        | 15                                   | 15  | -    | -    | -    | -            | H                                    | B   | 31.7      | 4    | 4    | 4    | 4     | 4 | 3  | H   | D |
| 11.9        | 5                                    | 4   | ,    | -    | -    | -            | H                                    | B   | Nov. 1.7  | 2    | 3    | 4    | 3     | 3 | 3  | H   | B |
| 12.6        | -                                    | 6   | 5    | -    | -    | -            | H                                    | B   | 2.7       | 5    | 4    | 4    | 7     | 7 | 6  | D   | B |
| 13.8        | 3                                    | 3   | 3    | 3    | 3    | 3            | H                                    | B   | 4.7       | 5    | 3    | 7    | 5     | 7 | 5  | D   | B |
| 14.6        | 5                                    | 5   | 6    | 4    | 4    | 3            | H                                    | B   | 6.7       | 5    | 4    | 4    | 2     | 3 | 2  | D   | B |
| 15.6        | -                                    | -   | -    | -    | -    | 9            | H                                    | B   | 7.7       | 3    | 4    | 4    | 3     | 3 | 3  | H   | B |
| 16.6        | 4                                    | 4   | 4    | 4    | 4    | 4            | H                                    | B   | 9.5       | 4    | 6    | 8    | 8     | 9 | 9  | H   | B |
| 17.6        | 7                                    | 7   | 7    | 6    | 6    | 5            | H                                    | B   | 10.7      | 5    | 6    | 6    | 4     | 5 | 5  | H   | B |
| 18.6        | 8                                    | 7   | 6    | 7    | 8    | 8            | H                                    | B   | 12.7      | 6    | 6    | 6    | 5     | 5 | 5  | H   | B |
| 19.6        | 8                                    | 9   | 9    | 7    | 8    | 7            | D                                    | B   | 14.6      | 2    | 3    | 2    | 2     | 3 | 3  | H   | B |
| 20.6        | 7                                    | 7   | 5    | 6    | 6    | 7            | D                                    | B   | 15.7      | 3    | 3    | 3    | 3     | 3 | 3  | H   | B |
| 21.6        | 8                                    | 8   | 8    | 6    | 6    | 5            | D                                    | B   | 17.9      | -    | -    | -    | -     | - | 4  | H   | B |
| 22.7        | 5                                    | 5   | 5    | 6    | 6    | 3            | D                                    | B   | 19.8      | -    | 7    | 8    | -     | 7 | 7  | D   | B |
| 23.6        | 5                                    | 5   | 6    | 5    | 5    | 5            | D                                    | B   | 20.7      | 5    | 4    | 4    | 3     | 3 | 3  | H   | B |
| 25.6        | 6                                    | 6   | 6    | 5    | 5    | 4            | D                                    | B   | 21.8      | 4    | -    | 5    | 4     | 4 | 5  | H   | B |
| 26.7        | 5                                    | 5   | 4    | 6    | 5    | 7            | D/H                                  | B   | 22.7      | 4    | 4    | 4    | 4     | 4 | 4  | H   | B |
| 27.6        | 8                                    | 7   | 6    | 9    | 9    | 9            | H                                    | B   | 23.7      | 2    | 3    | 3    | 3     | 3 | 3  | H   | B |
| 28.7        | 8                                    | 8   | 8    | 8    | 8    | 8            | H                                    | B   | 25.7      | 3    | 3    | 4    | 3     | 4 | 5  | H   | B |
| 29.7        | 9                                    | 9   | 11   | 9    | 8    | 8            | H                                    | B   | 26.8      | 9    | 9    | 10   | 7     | 8 | 9  | D   | B |
| 30.7        | 10                                   | 8   | 10   | 10   | 10   | 10           | H                                    | B   | Dec. 1.9  | 6    | -    | 7    | 7     | 7 | 6  | D   | B |
| 31.7        | 9                                    | 9   | 9    | 8    | 8    | 7            | H                                    | B   | 2.9       | 6    | 6    | 6    | 5     | 6 | 6  | H   | B |
| Sep. 1.7    | 9                                    | 9   | 8    | 11   | 11   | 14           | H                                    | B   | 5.7       | 3    | 3    | 3    | 3     | 4 | 4  | H   | B |
| 2.7         | 10                                   | 8   | 11   | 11   | 13   | 12           | D/H                                  | B   | 7.8       | 5    | 5    | 4    | 5     | 5 | 5  | D   | B |
| 3.6         | 7                                    | 9   | 13   | 15   | -    | -            | H                                    | B   | 8.8       | 6    | 8    | 6    | 6     | 7 | 8  | D   | P |
| 6.6         | 6                                    | 6   | 6    | 7    | 10   | -            | H                                    | B   | 9.7       | 2    | 1    | 2    | 3     | 3 | 3  | D   | B |
| 9.0         | -                                    | 4   | 9    | -    | 4    | 4            | H                                    | B   | 10.7      | 5    | 5    | 7    | 7     | - | -  | D   | B |
| 9.6         | 3                                    | 5   | 5    | 4    | 4    | 4            | H                                    | B   | 11.7      | 7    | 5    | 5    | 4     | 5 | 5  | D   | B |
| 10.6        | 5                                    | 5   | 6    | 5    | 5    | 5            | H                                    | B   | 12.7      | 3    | 3    | 4    | 4     | 4 | 4  | D   | B |
| 11.6        | 6                                    | -   | 6    | 7    | 8    | 8            | H                                    | B   | 14.9      | 3    | 4    | 3    | 3     | 4 | 4  | V/D | P |
| 13.8        | -                                    | 3   | -    | -    | -    | -            | H                                    | B   | 18.8      | 4    | 4    | 4    | 4     | 4 | 4  | D   | P |
| 14.6        | 4                                    | 4   | 3    | 4    | 5    | 5            | H                                    | B   | 19.8      | 4    | 2    | 2    | 3     | 3 | 3  | A   | P |
| 15.6        | 5                                    | 5   | 5    | 5    | 5    | 5            | H                                    | B   | 20.7      | 3    | 4    | 4    | 3     | 3 | 4  | D   | B |
| 16.8        | 8                                    | 8   | 9    | 8    | 8    | 8            | D                                    | B   | 21.7      | 5    | 3    | 2    | 2     | 3 | 2  | A   | B |
| 17.6        | -                                    | 8   | 8    | 7    | 8    | 7            | H                                    | B   | 22.7      | 4    | 5    | 5    | 4     | 4 | 4  | D   | B |
| 18.7        | 5                                    | 6   | 6    | 8    | 10   | 9            | D                                    | B   | 23.9      | 5    | 5    | 5    | 5     | 5 | 5  | A   | B |
| 19.7        | 6                                    | 6   | 5    | 5    | 5    | 4            | H                                    | B   | 24.9      | 11   | 9    | -    | 11    | 8 | 10 | D   | B |
| 20.7        | 7                                    | 9   | 13   | 13   | 1    | 9            | D                                    | B   | 25.7      | 4    | 4    | 4    | 5     | 4 | 4  | D   | B |
| 21.7        | 6                                    | 7   | 7    | 9    | 8    | 11           | H                                    | B   | 26.7      | 1    | 1    | 2    | 2     | 3 | 2  | A   | B |
| 22.6        | 8                                    | 10  | 9    | 7    | 7    | 8            | D                                    | B   | 27.7      | 7    | -    | -    | -     | - | -  | D   | B |
| 23.7        | 5                                    | 5   | 5    | 5    | 5    | 5            | H                                    | B   | 28.7      | 2    | 2    | 2    | 3     | 4 | 3  | A   | B |
| 24.7        | 5                                    | 5   | 5    | 5    | 5    | 5            | H/D                                  | B   | 29.7      | 4    | 4    | 4    | 5     | 4 | 4  | D   | B |
| 25.7        | 5                                    | 5   | 4    | 6    | 5    | 5            | H/D                                  | B   | 30.7      | 2    | 2    | 2    | 3     | 4 | 3  | A   | B |
| 28.7        | 5                                    | 5   | 4    | 6    | 5    | 5            | H/D                                  | B   |           |      |      |      |       |   |    |     |   |

= thin

B = Billing's

D = Darden

J = Jensen

No observation taken at position angle indicated.

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| Date<br>GCT | Green line threshold<br>intensity at |     |     |      |                     |      |      |      | Obs. | Meas. | Date<br>GCT | Green line threshold<br>intensity at |     |     |      |                     |      |      |      | Obs. | Meas. |   |   |  |  |  |
|-------------|--------------------------------------|-----|-----|------|---------------------|------|------|------|------|-------|-------------|--------------------------------------|-----|-----|------|---------------------|------|------|------|------|-------|---|---|--|--|--|
|             | 0° 45° 90° 135°                      |     |     |      | 180° 225° 270° 315° |      |      |      |      |       |             | 0° 45° 90° 135°                      |     |     |      | 180° 225° 270° 315° |      |      |      |      |       |   |   |  |  |  |
|             | 6°                                   | 45° | 90° | 135° | 180°                | 225° | 270° | 315° |      |       |             | 6°                                   | 45° | 90° | 135° | 180°                | 225° | 270° | 315° |      |       |   |   |  |  |  |
| 1954        |                                      |     |     |      |                     |      |      |      |      |       |             |                                      |     |     |      |                     |      |      |      |      |       |   |   |  |  |  |
| Jul. 5.7    | 10                                   | 9   | 10  | 11   | -                   | -    | -    | -    | R    | Y     | Oct.        | 13.7                                 | 6   | 5   | 6    | 6                   | 6    | 6    | 6    | 6    | S     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 4.3         | 7                                    | 7   | 7   | 7    | 6                   | 6    | 7    | 6    | R    | Y     |             | 14.8                                 | 4   | 4   | 4    | 4                   | 4    | 5    | 5    | 5    | Deli  | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 6.0         | 9                                    | 9   | 10  | 11   | 11                  | 10   | 9    | 8    | R    | Y     |             | 14.7                                 | 7   | 5   | 5    | 6                   | 7    | 6    | 6    | 6    | R     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 7.6         | 8                                    | 8   | 9   | 8    | 8                   | 8    | 8    | 8    | R    | Y     |             | 15.6                                 | 6   | 6   | 5    | 6                   | 6    | 6    | 6    | 6    | S     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 8.7         | 7                                    | 6   | 7   | 7    | 7                   | 7    | 7    | 7    | R    | Y     |             | 16.6                                 | 3   | 4   | 4    | 5                   | 5    | 4    | 4    | 3    | Deli  | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 9.6         | 6                                    | 6   | 6   | 7    | 7                   | 7    | 7    | 7    | R    | Y     |             | 17.7                                 | 7   | 6   | 7    | 6                   | 7    | 6    | 6    | 6    | S     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 10.6        | 6                                    | 6   | 6   | 6    | 6                   | 6    | 6    | 6    | R    | Y     |             | 18.7                                 | 5   | 4   | 5    | 5                   | 5    | 5    | 5    | 5    | R     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 11.6        | 5                                    | 5   | 4   | 3    | 3                   | 3    | 4    | 3    | R    | Y     |             | 19.7                                 | 7   | 7   | 6    | 6                   | 7    | 7    | 7    | 5    | R     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 12.6        | 7                                    | 7   | 6   | 7    | 7                   | 9    | 9    | 9    | S    | Y     |             | 20.6                                 | 5   | 5   | 5    | 5                   | 5    | 5    | 5    | 5    | R     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 13.7        | 8                                    | 8   | 8   | 7    | 9                   | 8    | 8    | -    | S    | Y     |             | 21.7                                 | 6   | 6   | 5    | 6                   | 6    | 5    | 5    | 5    | S     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 14.7        | 10                                   | 10  | 10  | 9    | 9                   | 9    | 9    | 7    | S    | Y     |             | 22.7                                 | 8   | 8   | 8    | 9                   | 9    | 9    | 8    | 8    | S     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 15.6        | 5                                    | 5   | 4   | 5    | 5                   | 5    | 6    | 6    | M    | Y     |             | 23.7                                 | 9   | 8   | 8    | 9                   | 8    | 9    | 8    | 8    | S     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 18.6        | 5                                    | 5   | 3   | 3    | 4                   | 3    | 3    | 3    | H    | Y     |             | 24.7                                 | 9   | 9   | -    | 8                   | 8    | 3    | 9    | 11   | Deli  | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 17.9        | 10                                   | 9   | 8   | 10   | 9                   | 9    | 8    | 9    | R    | Y     |             | 26.7                                 | 3   | 3   | 3    | 3                   | 4    | 3    | 3    | 3    | Deli  | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 18.6        | 5                                    | 5   | 5   | 5    | 7                   | 6    | 5    | 5    | R    | Y     |             | 28.7                                 | 4   | 4   | 4    | 4                   | 4    | 4    | 4    | 4    | R     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 19.6        | 8                                    | 8   | 8   | 8    | 7                   | 8    | 8    | 8    | R    | Y     |             | 30.7                                 | 4   | 4   | 4    | 5                   | 5    | 5    | 5    | 5    | R     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 20.7        | 9                                    | 9   | 10  | 9    | 10                  | 10   | 9    | 9    | S    | Y     |             | 31.7                                 | 7   | 7   | 7    | 7                   | 7    | 7    | 7    | 7    | S     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 22.7        | 9                                    | 9   | 9   | 9    | 9                   | 9    | 8    | 15   |      |       |             | Nov.                                 | 1.8 | 4   | 4    | 5                   | 4    | 4    | 4    | -    |       |   |   |  |  |  |
| 23.9        | 4                                    | 5   | 5   | 9    | 6                   | 5    | 4    | 4    | H    | Y     |             | 2.7                                  | 8   | 7   | 8    | 6                   | 6    | 6    | 6    | -    | Deli  | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 24.9        | 8                                    | 7   | 7   | 7    | 8                   | 7    | 9    | 10   | R    | Y     |             | 4.7                                  | 5   | 6   | 7    | 5                   | 7    | 6    | 6    | 6    | Deli  | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 26.8        | 10                                   | 9   | 9   | 9    | 10                  | 9    | 9    | 8    | R    | Y     |             | 4.7                                  | 6   | 6   | 6    | 6                   | 6    | 6    | 6    | 5    | R     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 27.7        | 11                                   | 11  | 11  | 11   | 11                  | 11   | 11   | 11   | R    | Y     |             | 5.7                                  | 6   | 7   | 6    | 6                   | 6    | 6    | 6    | 5    | R     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| Aug. 1.7    | 9                                    | 9   | 9   | 9    | 9                   | 9    | 9    | 3    | S    | Y     |             | 6.0                                  | 4   | 5   | 5    | 5                   | 5    | 5    | 5    | 5    | 5     | 5 |   |  |  |  |
| 5.7         | 5                                    | 2   | 3   | 2    | 3                   | 3    | 3    | 3    | R    | Y     |             | 7.7                                  | 6   | 6   | 7    | 7                   | 7    | 7    | 6    | 7    | R     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 9.0         | 6                                    | 10  | 11  | 10   | 8                   | 7    | 6    | 5    | R    | Y     |             | 8.7                                  | 10  | 11  | 10   | 10                  | 10   | 9    | 9    | 8    | S     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 10.8        | 4                                    | 5   | 4   | 4    | 5                   | 4    | 5    | 5    | R    | Y     |             | 9.7                                  | 11  | 9   | 9    | 9                   | 9    | 8    | 9    | 10   | S     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 11.7        | 9                                    | 9   | 9   | 9    | 9                   | 9    | 7    | 8    | R    | Y     |             | 10.7                                 | 8   | 8   | 8    | 8                   | 8    | 9    | 9    | 8    | Deli  | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 12.9        | 1                                    | 11  | 11  | 11   | 11                  | 11   | 11   | 12   | R    | Y     |             | 12.7                                 | 3   | 3   | 3    | 3                   | 3    | 3    | 3    | 3    | Deli  | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 13.7        | 5                                    | 3   | 4   | 5    | 3                   | 3    | 2    | 2    | Deli | Y     |             | 13.8                                 | 10  | 9   | 8    | 8                   | 9    | 9    | 9    | 9    | S     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 14.8        | 9                                    | 9   | 8   | 8    | 9                   | 9    | 9    | 9    | R    | Y     |             | 15.7                                 | 5   | 5   | 5    | 5                   | 5    | 4    | 4    | 4    | R     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 16.6        | 8                                    | 8   | 8   | 8    | 8                   | 7    | 8    | 8    | Deli | Y     |             | 16.7                                 | 3   | 3   | 3    | 3                   | 3    | 3    | 3    | 3    | S     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 18.7        | 5                                    | 5   | 6   | 5    | 8                   | 8    | 7    | 5    | Deli | Y     |             | 17.7                                 | 7   | 6   | 6    | 6                   | 6    | 6    | 6    | 7    | S     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 20.6        | 10                                   | 10  | 10  | 11   | 10                  | 10   | 10   | 11   | A    | Y     |             | 18.7                                 | 6   | 7   | 5    | 5                   | 5    | 4    | 4    | 4    | S     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 25.9        | 5                                    | 5   | 5   | 5    | 2                   | 2    | 2    | 1    | Deli | Y     |             | 19.7                                 | 5   | 4   | 5    | 5                   | 5    | 4    | 4    | 4    | S     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 26.6        | 8                                    | 8   | 11  | 8    | 4                   | 4    | 5    | 5    | Deli | Y     |             | 20.7                                 | 3   | 3   | 3    | 3                   | 3    | 3    | 3    | 3    | Deli  | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 27.7        | 5                                    | 5   | 5   | 5    | 5                   | 5    | 5    | 5    | R    | Y     |             | 21.8                                 | -   | 5   | -    | 5                   | 10   | 11   | 9    | 5    | Deli  | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 28.7        | 7                                    | 6   | 7   | 6    | 5                   | 6    | 5    | 5    | R    | Y     |             | 22.7                                 | 4   | 4   | 4    | 4                   | 4    | 4    | 4    | 5    | Deli  | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 29.6        | 8                                    | 7   | 8   | 8    | 8                   | 8    | 8    | 8    | R    | Y     |             | 24.7                                 | 5   | 5   | 5    | 5                   | 5    | 4    | 4    | 4    | R     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 50.6        | 5                                    | 5   | 5   | 4    | 5                   | 5    | 4    | 4    | Deli | Y     |             | 25.8                                 | 3   | 4   | 5    | 5                   | 5    | 4    | 4    | 4    | S     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| Sep. 1.6    | 5                                    | 4   | 5   | 5    | 4                   | 4    | 5    | 4    | S    | Y     |             | 26.6                                 | 5   | 5   | 5    | 5                   | 5    | 5    | 5    | 5    | S     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 2.6         | 8                                    | 8   | 9   | 8    | 8                   | 8    | 8    | 8    | S    | Y     |             | 27.7                                 | 5   | 5   | 5    | 5                   | 5    | 5    | 5    | 5    | S     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 3.6         | 6                                    | 6   | 6   | 7    | 6                   | 6    | 7    | 6    | R    | Y     |             | 28.7                                 | 6   | 7   | 6    | 7                   | 6    | 6    | 6    | 5    | Deli  | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 4.6         | 6                                    | 6   | 6   | 7    | 6                   | 6    | 6    | 6    | R    | Y     |             | 29.7                                 | 5   | 5   | 5    | 5                   | 5    | 5    | 5    | 5    | S     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 5.7         | 7                                    | 6   | 6   | 8    | 8                   | 11   | 10   | 9    | Deli | Y     |             | 30.7                                 | 6   | 5   | 6    | 6                   | 5    | 5    | 5    | 5    | R     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 6.6         | 8                                    | 8   | 8   | 8    | 8                   | 8    | 8    | 8    | Deli | Y     |             | Dec.                                 | 1.8 | 4   | 4    | 4                   | 4    | 4    | 4    | 4    | 4     | S | Y |  |  |  |
| 7.7         | 7                                    | 7   | 8   | 8    | 8                   | 8    | 8    | 9    | S    | Y     |             | 2.8                                  | 5   | 5   | 4    | 4                   | 4    | 4    | 3    | 3    | R     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 8.7         | 10                                   | 9   | 9   | 10   | 10                  | 10   | 10   | 10   | S    | Y     |             | 5.7                                  | 2   | 2   | 2    | 2                   | 2    | 2    | 2    | 2    | R     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 9.6         | 10                                   | 10  | 10  | 11   | 11                  | 10   | 11   | 10   | R    | Y     |             | 6.7                                  | 4   | 4   | 5    | 5                   | 5    | 5    | 5    | 5    | R     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 11.7        | 10                                   | 9   | 9   | 10   | 10                  | 10   | 10   | 10   | Deli | Y     |             | 7.7                                  | 7   | 8   | 8    | 9                   | 9    | 8    | 9    | 10   | S     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 12.7        | 9                                    | 10  | 9   | 10   | 9                   | 10   | 9    | 9    | Deli | Y     |             | 8.7                                  | 5   | 4   | 5    | 5                   | 5    | 4    | 5    | 5    | Deli  | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 13.8        | 7                                    | 7   | 7   | 9    | 7                   | 7    | 7    | 7    | Deli | Y     |             | 12.7                                 | 3   | 3   | 4    | 3                   | 3    | 3    | 3    | 3    | Deli  | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 14.7        | 9                                    | 9   | 9   | 9    | 11                  | 10   | 11   | 10   | R    | Y     |             | 13.9                                 | 3   | 3   | 3    | 3                   | 3    | 3    | 3    | 3    | R     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 15.6        | 7                                    | 8   | 7   | 8    | 8                   | 8    | 8    | 8    | Deli | Y     |             | 14.7                                 | 2   | 2   | 2    | 2                   | 2    | 2    | 2    | 2    | R     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 16.7        | 8                                    | 7   | 8   | 9    | 7                   | 7    | 7    | 7    | R    | Y     |             | 15.7                                 | 3   | 3   | 3    | 3                   | 3    | 3    | 3    | 3    | R     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 17.7        | 8                                    | 7   | 8   | 9    | 7                   | 7    | 7    | 7    | R    | Y     |             | 17.7                                 | 5   | 4   | 4    | 4                   | 4    | 4    | 4    | 4    | S     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 18.7        | 10                                   | 9   | 9   | 10   | 11                  | 10   | 10   | 10   | R    | Y     |             | 18.7                                 | 2   | 2   | 2    | 2                   | 2    | 2    | 2    | 2    | Deli  | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 19.7        | 9                                    | 8   | 9   | 9    | 10                  | 8    | 9    | 9    | R    | Y     |             | 19.7                                 | 2   | 3   | 3    | 3                   | 3    | 3    | 3    | 3    | Deli  | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 20.7        | 11                                   | 11  | 12  | 15   | 14                  | 14   | 15   | 12   | Deli | Y     |             | 20.7                                 | 4   | 3   | 4    | 4                   | 4    | 4    | 4    | 4    | S     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 22.7        | 9                                    | 8   | 7   | 7    | 8                   | 7    | 8    | 8    | R    | Y     |             | 21.7                                 | 5   | 5   | 5    | 5                   | 5    | 5    | 5    | 5    | Deli  | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 27.7        | 8                                    | 8   | 8   | 8    | 8                   | 7    | 8    | 8    | R    | Y     |             | 22.7                                 | 3   | 3   | 3    | 3                   | 3    | 3    | 3    | 3    | R     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 28.7        | 5                                    | 5   | 5   | 5    | 5                   | 5    | 5    | 5    | S    | Y     |             | 23.8                                 | 4   | 3   | 4    | 4                   | 4    | 4    | 4    | 4    | R     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 29.7        | 8                                    | 9   | 9   | 8    | 9                   | 10   | 14   | 8    | S    | Y     |             | 24.7                                 | 2   | 2   | 2    | 2                   | 2    | 2    | 2    | 2    | R     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 30.6        | 5                                    | 5   | 5   | 5    | 5                   | 5    | 5    | 5    | Deli | Y     |             | 25.7                                 | 3   | 6   | 5    | 5                   | 5    | 5    | 5    | 5    | S     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| Oct. 1.7    | 7                                    | 7   | 6   | 7    | 6                   | 6    | 6    | 7    | Deli | Y     |             | 26.7                                 | 5   | 5   | 5    | 5                   | 5    | 5    | 5    | 5    | R     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 3.7         | 3                                    | 5   | 3   | 3    | 6                   | 5    | 6    | 6    | R    | Y     |             | 29.8                                 | 8   | 5   | 5    | 5                   | 6    | 6    | 7    | 5    | R     | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 9.7         | 5                                    | 5   | 5   | 5    | 5                   | 5    | 5    | 5    | S    | Y     |             | 30.7                                 | 4   | 3   | 5    | 4                   | 4    | 4    | 4    | 3    | Deli  | Y |   |  |  |  |
| 10.7        | 6                                    | 6   | 5   | 5    | 5                   | 6    | 6    | 6    | S    | Y     |             | 31.7                                 | 2   | 3   | 2    | 3                   | 2    | 3    | 3    | 3    | Deli  | Y |   |  |  |  |

- Intensity taken at position angle indicated.

Deli = Delmasius

M = Mitchell

R = Ramsey

S = Schimke

Y = Yet

Table 96

Zürich Provisional Relative Sunspot NumbersDecember 1954

| Date | R <sub>Z</sub> * | Date  | R <sub>Z</sub> * |
|------|------------------|-------|------------------|
| 1    | 0                | 17    | 17               |
| 2    | 0                | 18    | 14               |
| 3    | 0                | 19    | 19               |
| 4    | 0                | 20    | 19               |
| 5    | 0                | 21    | 14               |
| 6    | 0                | 22    | 7                |
| 7    | 0                | 23    | 7                |
| 8    | 0                | 24    | 15               |
| 9    | 0                | 25    | 10               |
| 10   | 0                | 26    | 7                |
| 11   | 0                | 27    | 0                |
| 12   | 0                | 28    | 0                |
| 13   | 0                | 29    | 13               |
| 14   | 0                | 30    | 29               |
| 15   | 11               | 31    | 25               |
| 16   | 18               | Mean: | 7.3              |

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

Table 97

American Relative Sunspot NumbersNovember 1954

| Date | $R_A'$ | Date  | $R_A'$ |
|------|--------|-------|--------|
| 1    | 1      | 17    | 0      |
| 2    | 1      | 18    | 0      |
| 3    | 0      | 19    | 2      |
| 4    | 0      | 20    | 0      |
| 5    | 5      | 21    | 0      |
| 6    | 7      | 22    | 0      |
| 7    | 8      | 23    | 0      |
| 8    | 7      | 24    | 0      |
| 9    | 24     | 25    | 2      |
| 10   | 40     | 26    | 0      |
| 11   | 35     | 27    | 0      |
| 12   | 42     | 28    | 0      |
| 13   | 32     | 29    | 0      |
| 14   | 19     | 30    | 0      |
| 15   | 12     | Mean: | 8.0    |
| 16   | 2      |       |        |

Table 98Solar Flares, December 1954

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No solar flares were reported for the month of December.

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Table 99

## Indices of Geomagnetic Activity for November 1954

Preliminary values of international character-figures, C;  
Geomagnetic planetary three-hour-range indices, K<sub>p</sub>;  
Magnetically selected quiet and disturbed days

Table 100Sudden Ionosphere Disturbances Observed at Washington, D. C.December 1954

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

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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, Boulder, Colorado; Attention: Mr. Vaughn Agy.

## GRAPHS OF IONOSPHERIC DATA

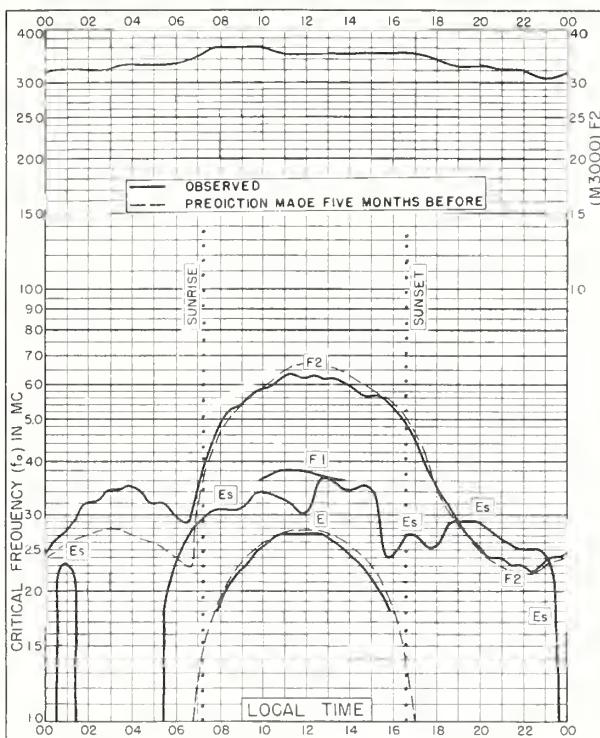


Fig. I. WASHINGTON, D. C.  
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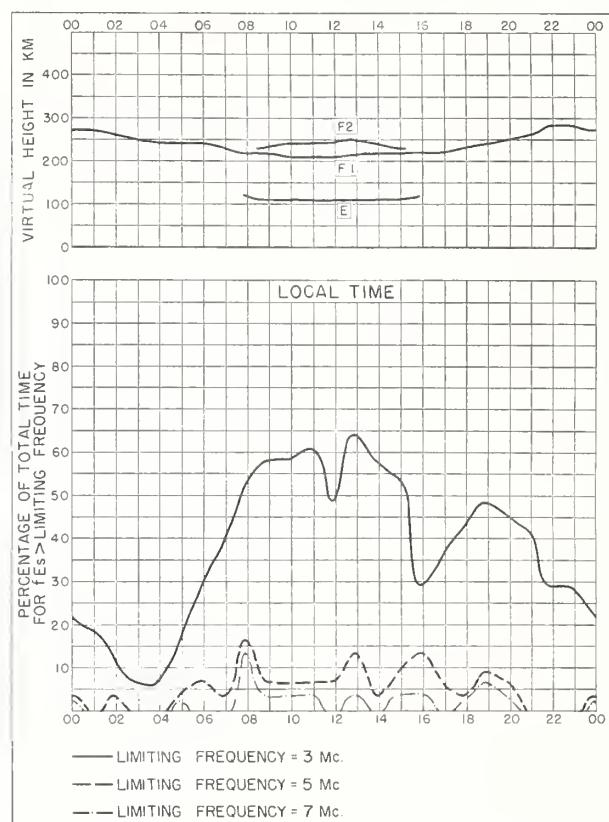


Fig. 2. WASHINGTON, D. C. DECEMBER 1954

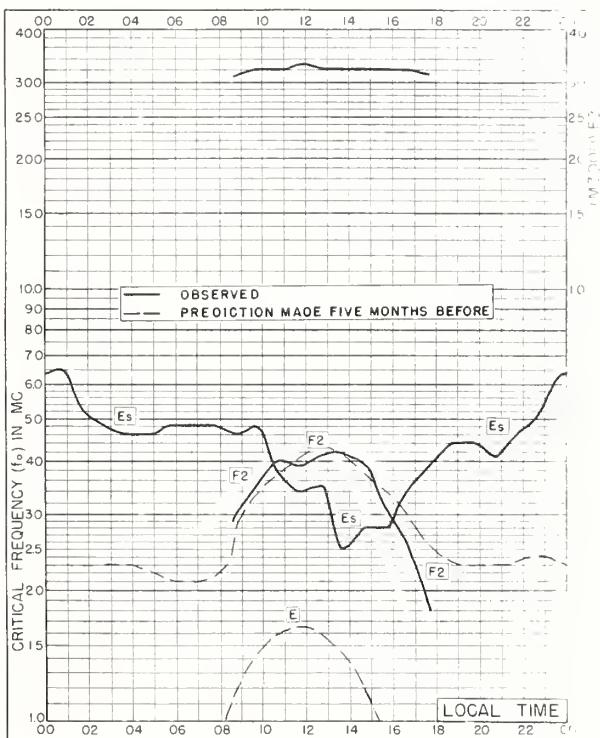
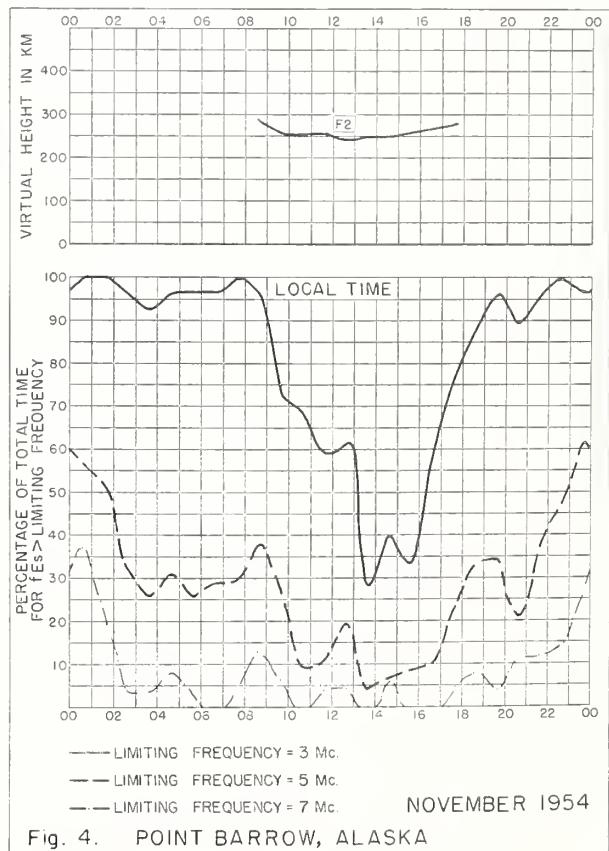
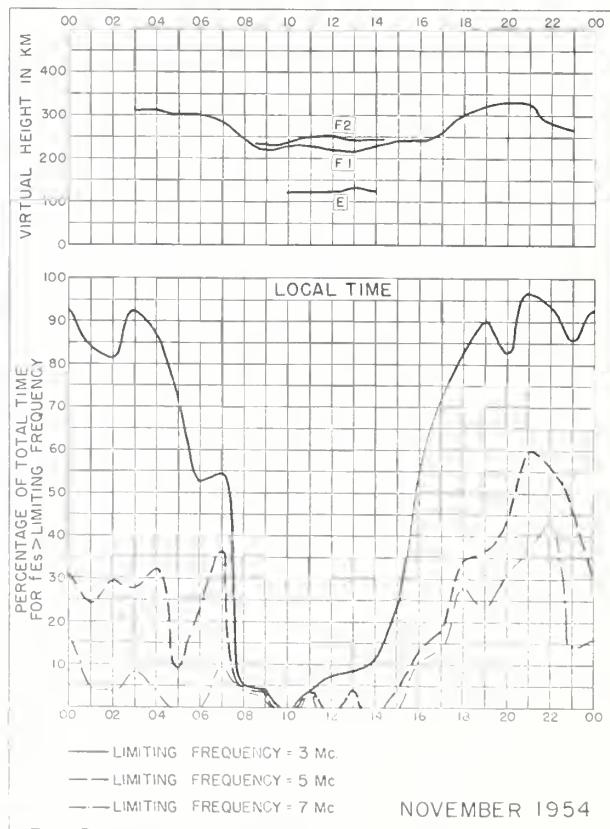
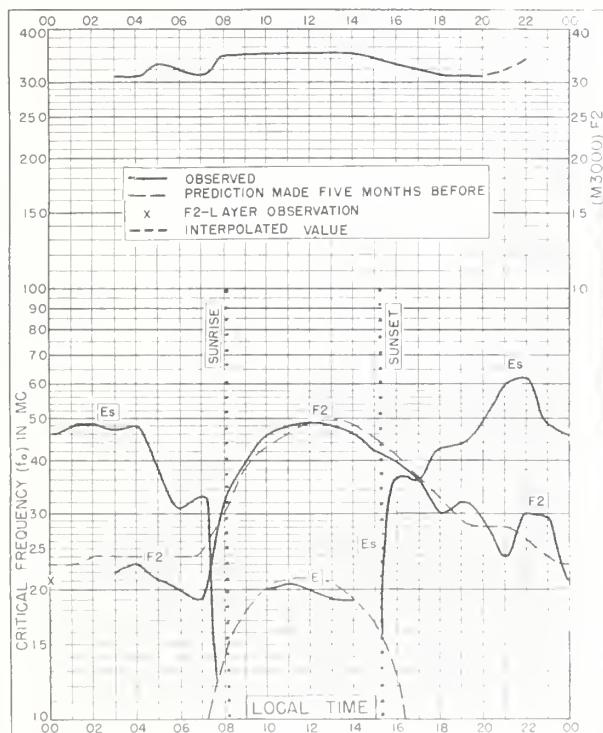
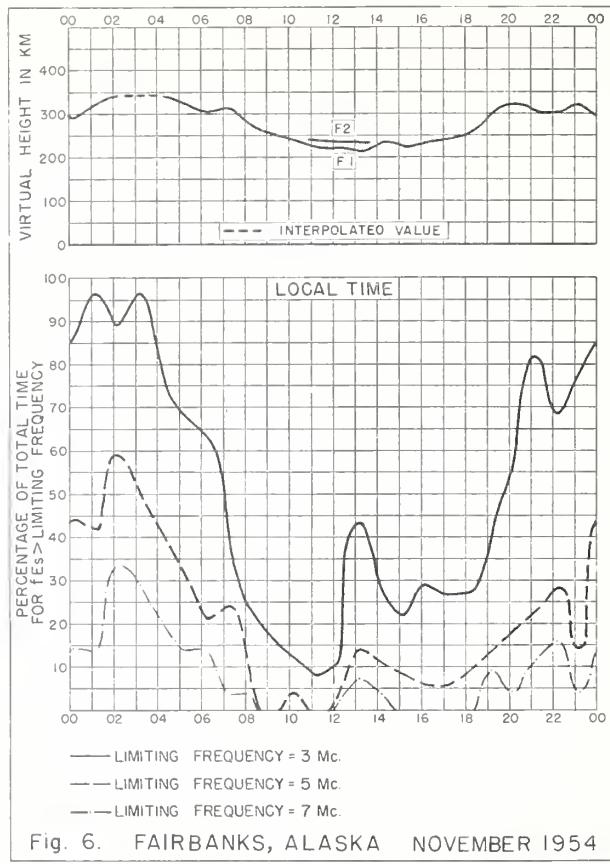
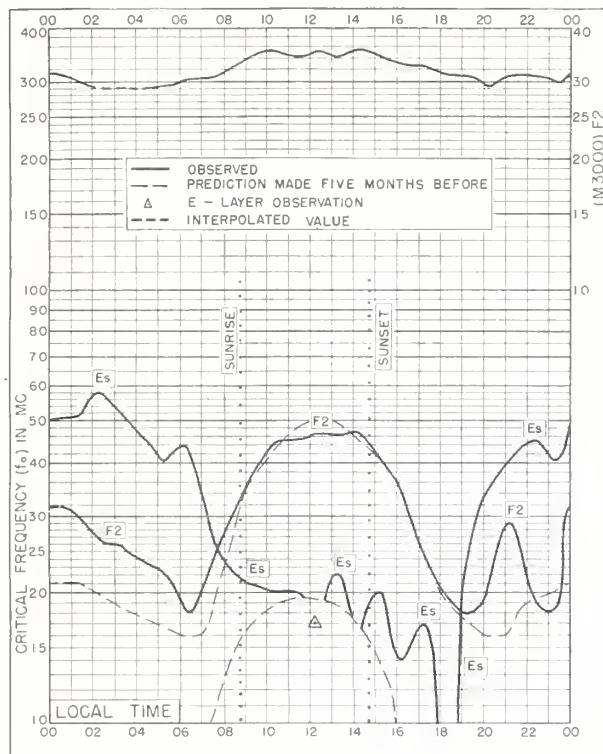
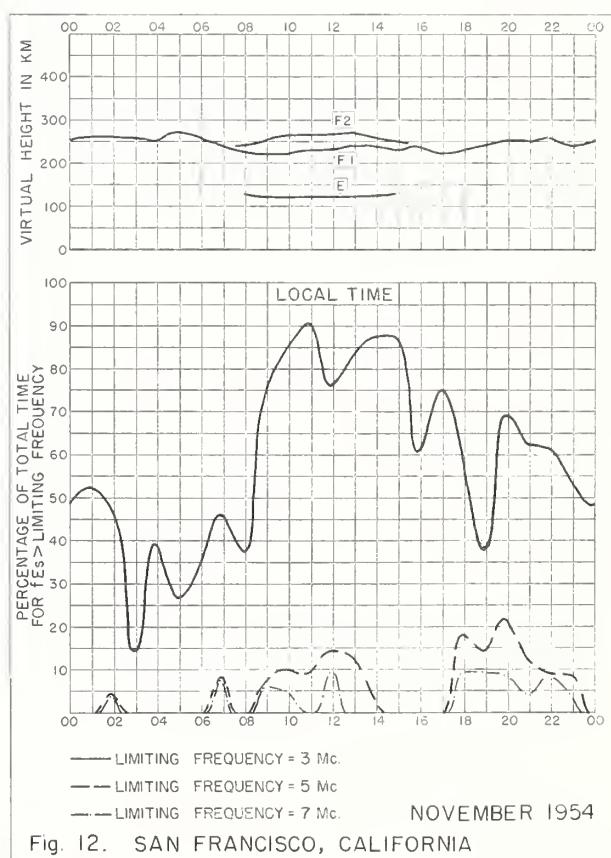
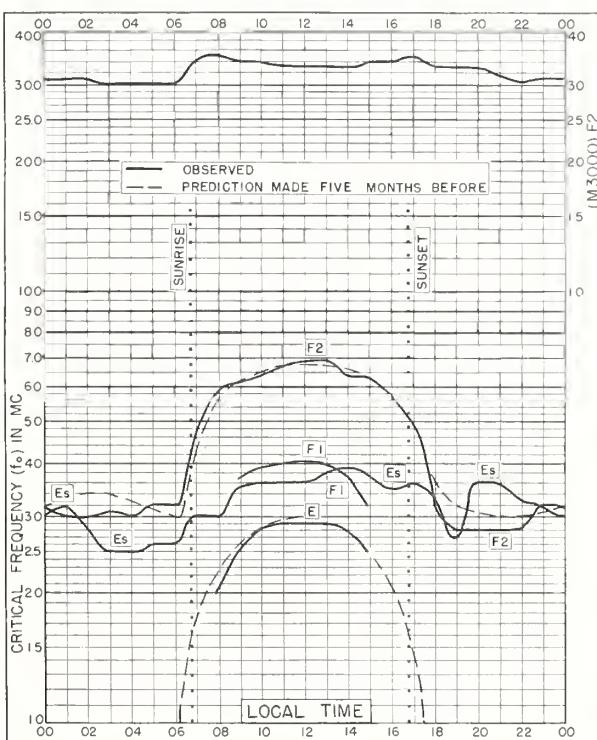
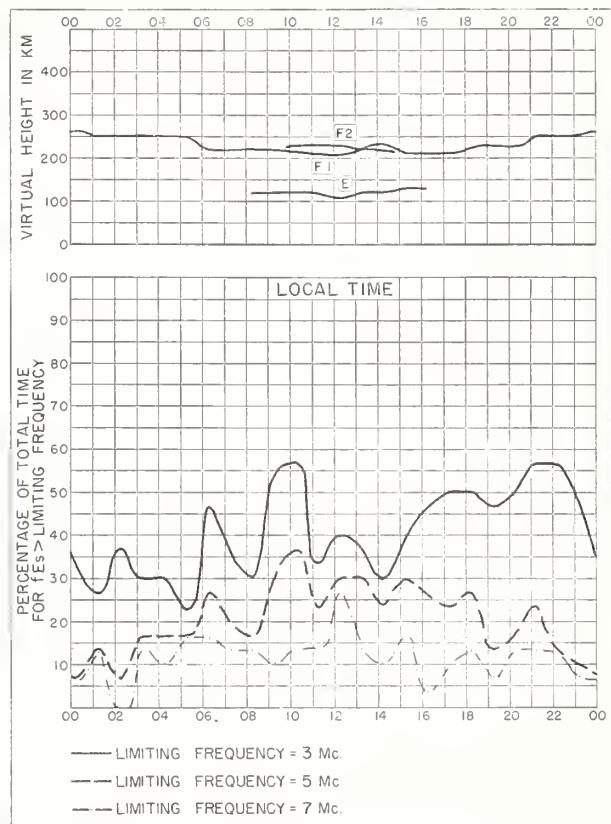
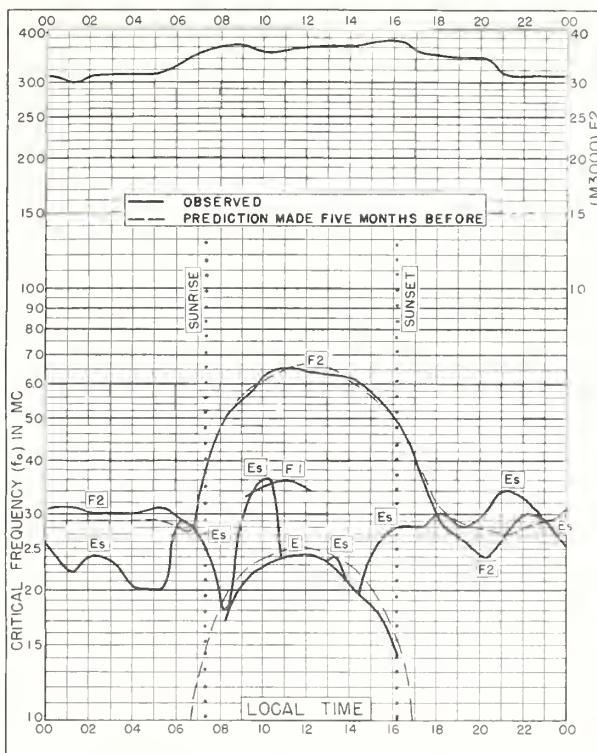


Fig. 3. POINT BARROW, ALASKA  
71.3°N, 156.8°W NOVEMBER 1954



NOVEMBER 1954  
Fig. 4. POINT BARROW, ALASKA





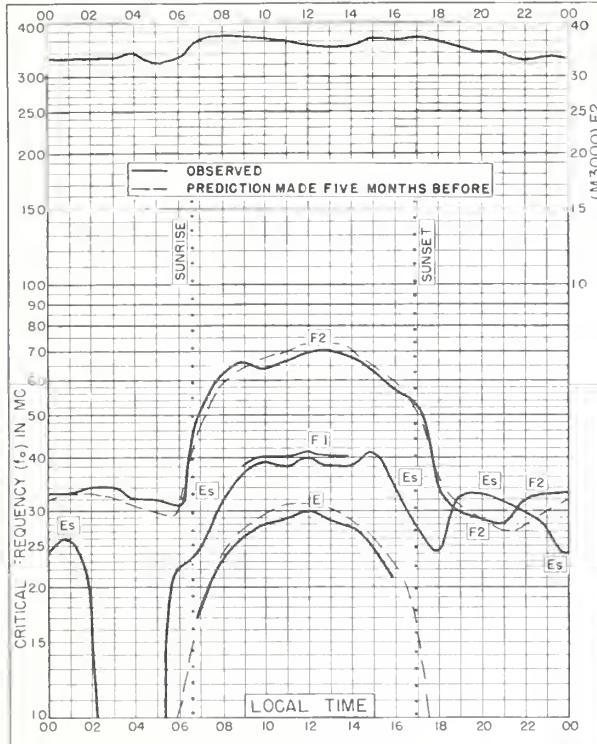


Fig. 13. WHITE SANDS, NEW MEXICO  
32.3°N, 106.5°W NOVEMBER 1954

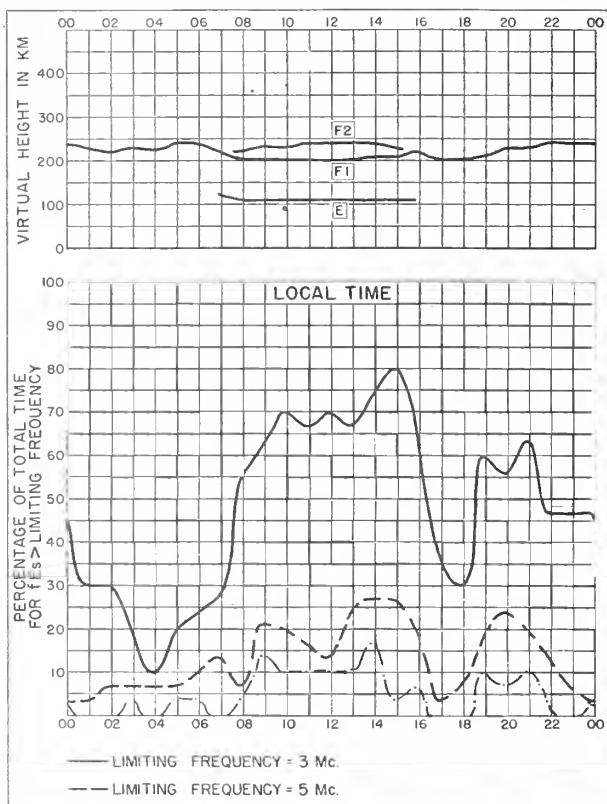


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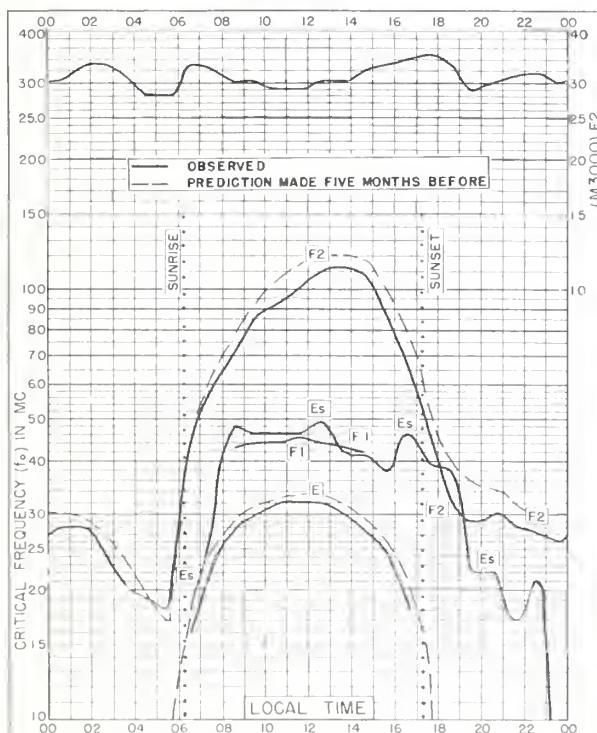


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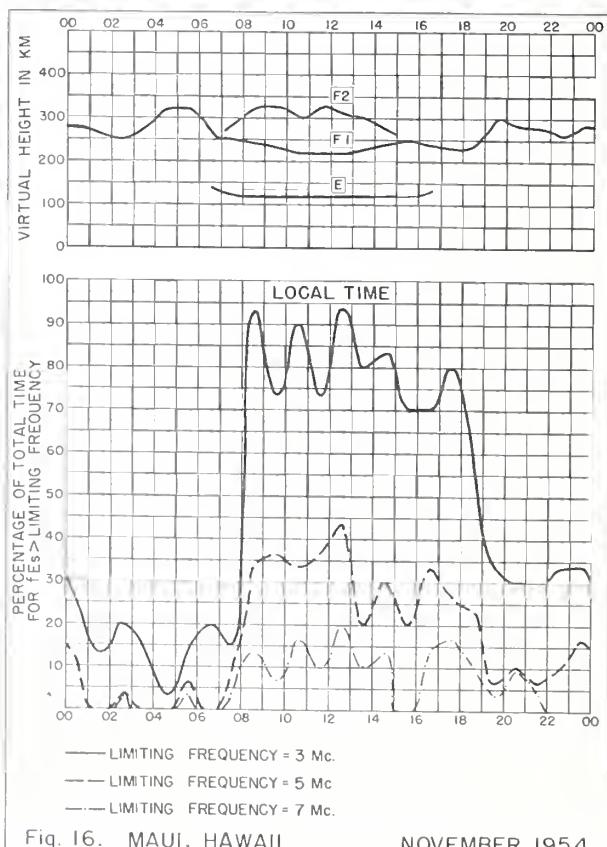
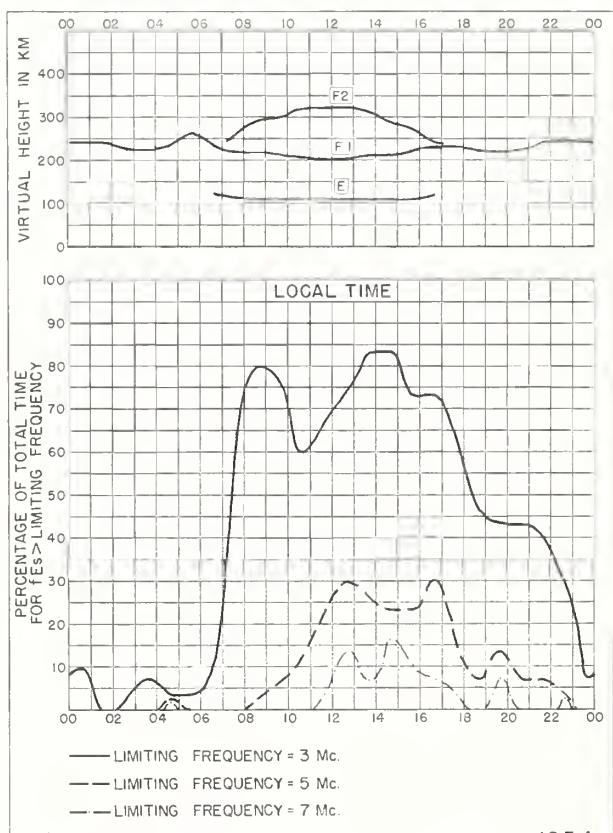
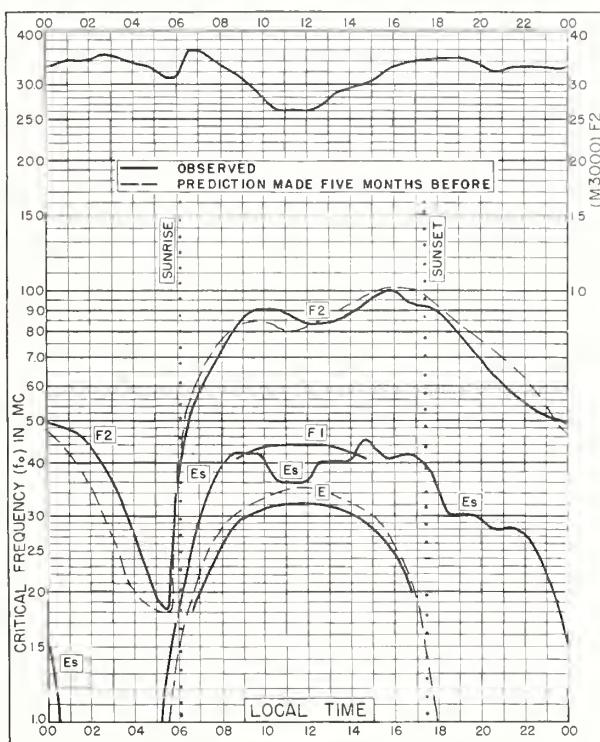
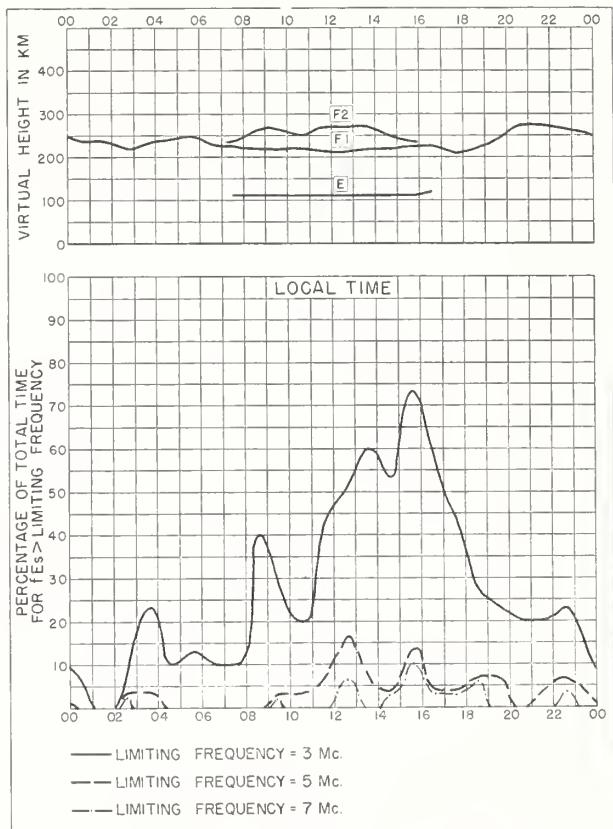
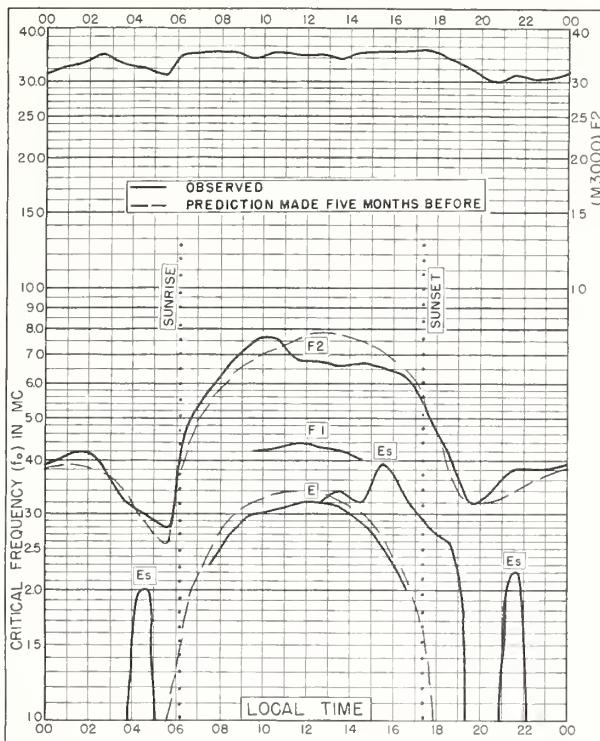
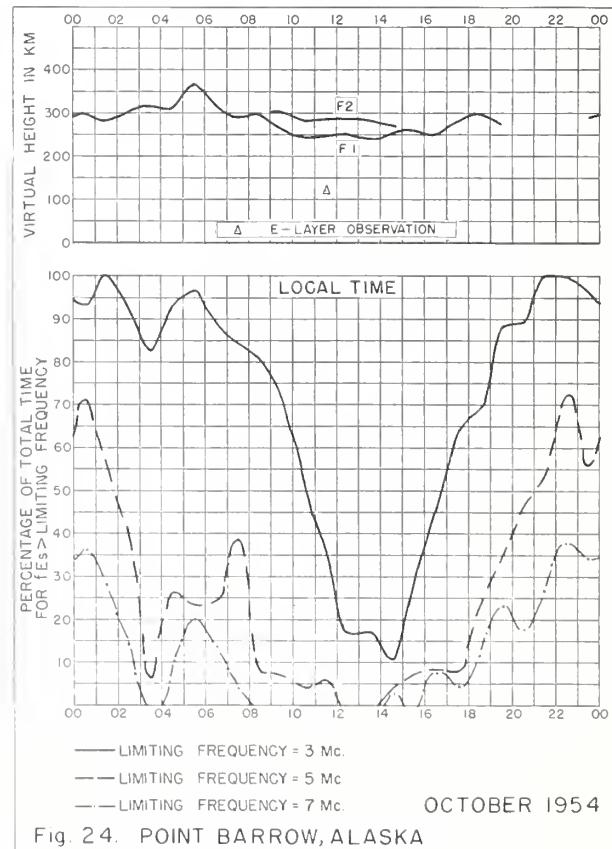
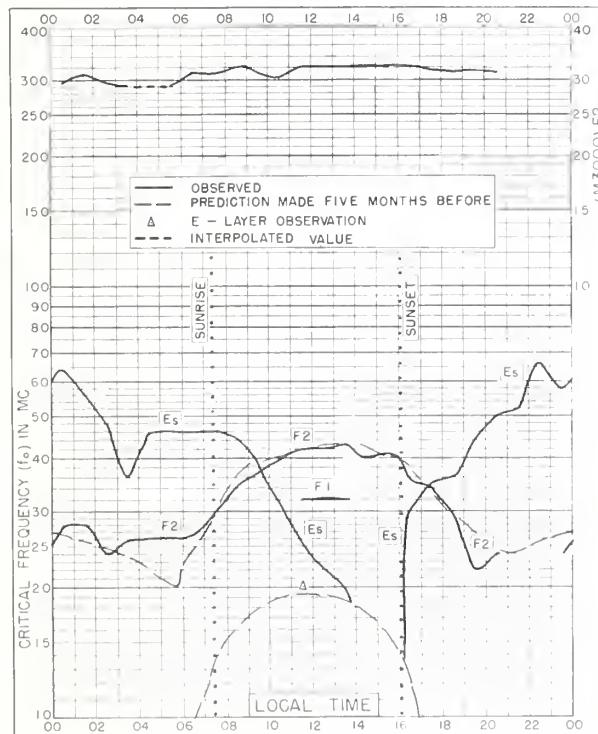
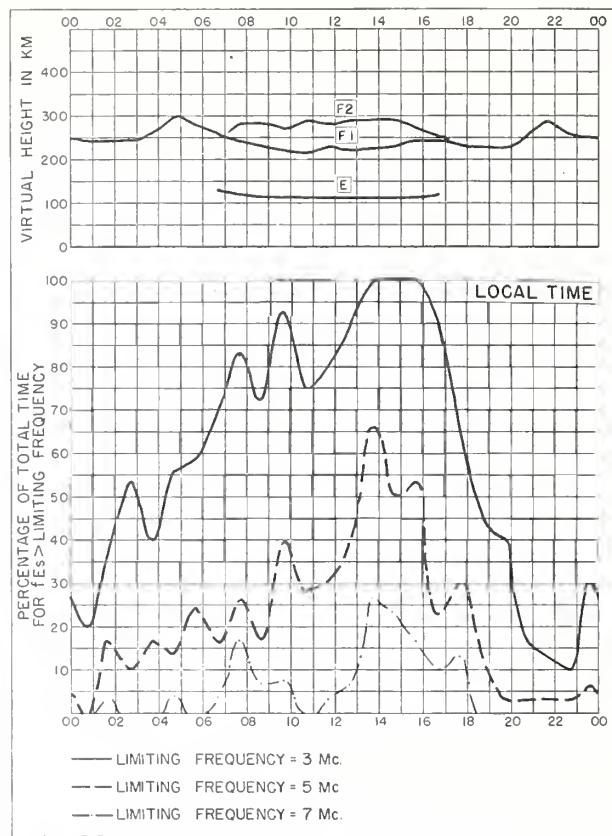
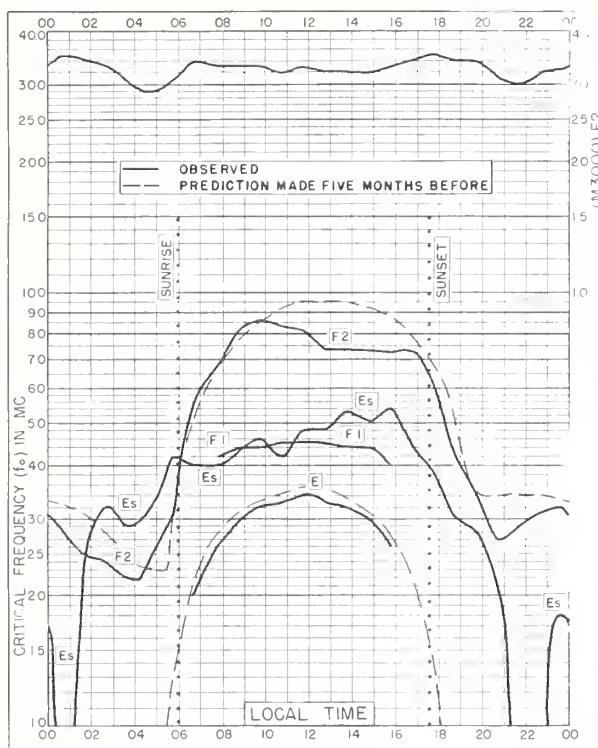


Fig. 16. MAUI, HAWAII NOVEMBER 1954





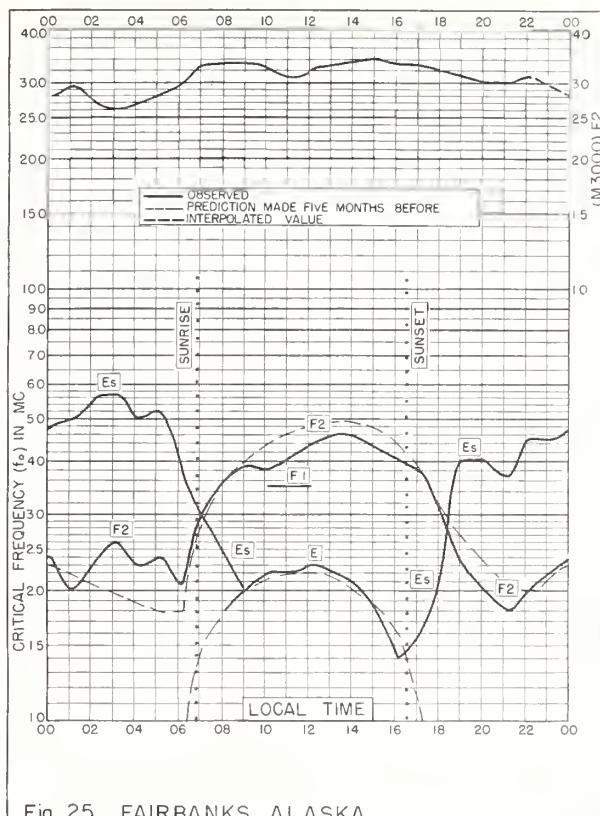


Fig. 25. FAIRBANKS, ALASKA

64.9°N, 147.8°W

OCTOBER 1954

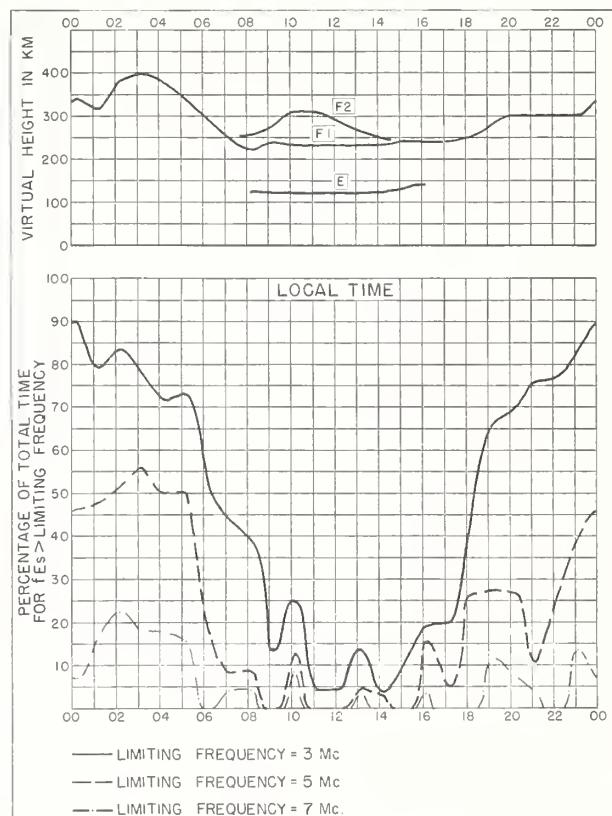


Fig. 26. FAIRBANKS, ALASKA OCTOBER 1954

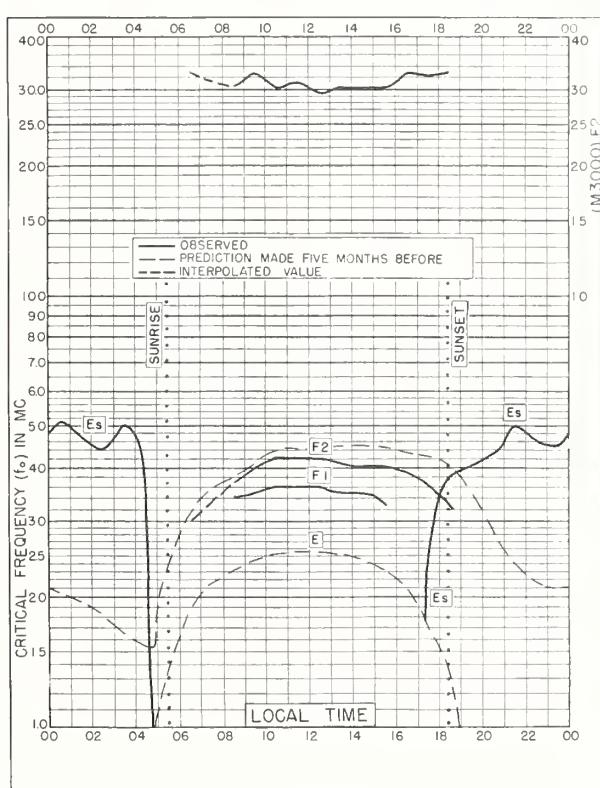


Fig. 27. REYKJAVIK, ICELAND

64.1°N, 21.8°W

SEPTEMBER 1954

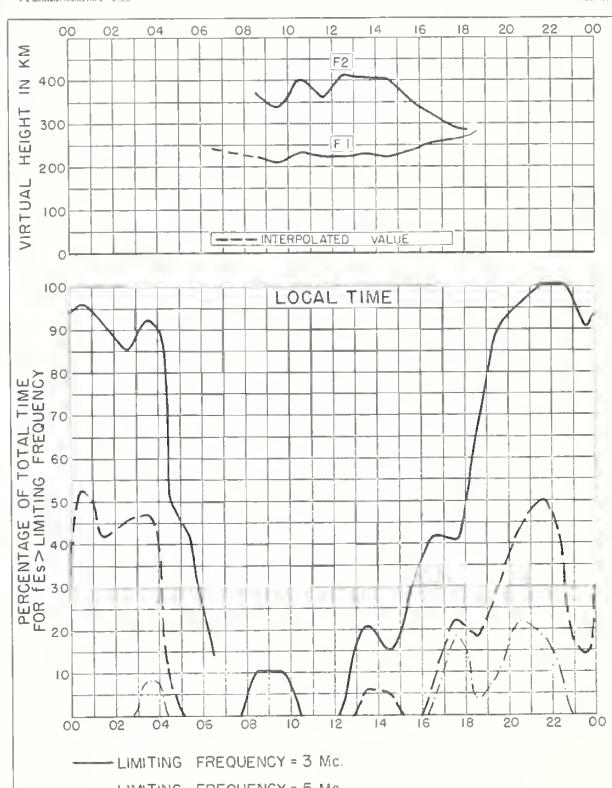


Fig. 28. REYKJAVIK, ICELAND SEPTEMBER 1954

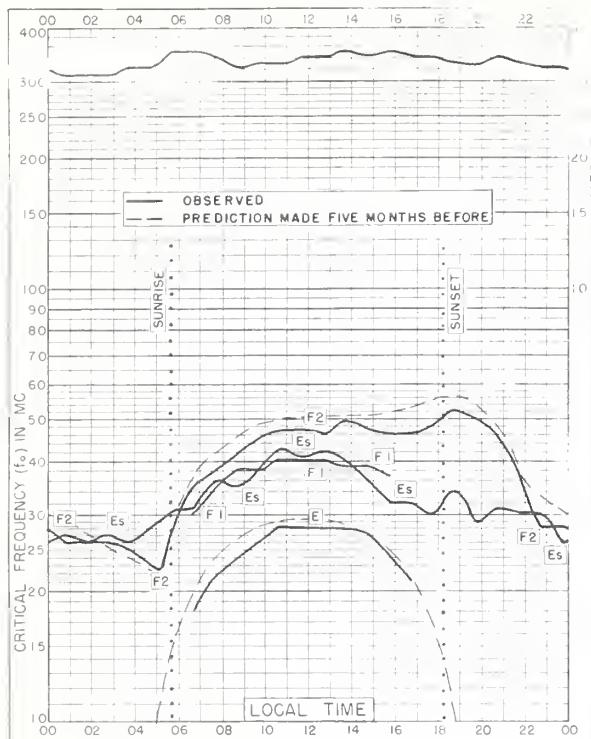


Fig. 29. LINDAU/HARZ, GERMANY  
51.6°N, 10.1°E SEPTEMBER 1954

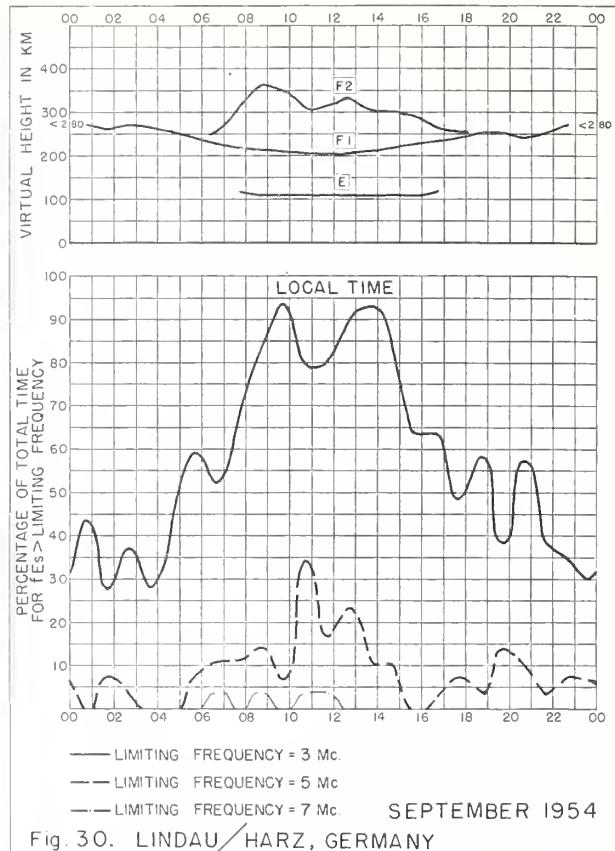


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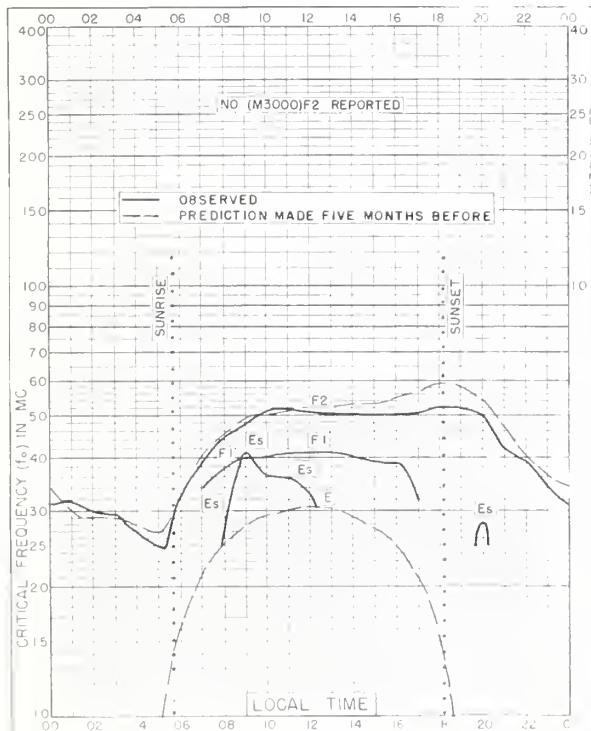


Fig. 31. GRAZ, AUSTRIA  
47.1°N, 15.5°E SEPTEMBER 1954

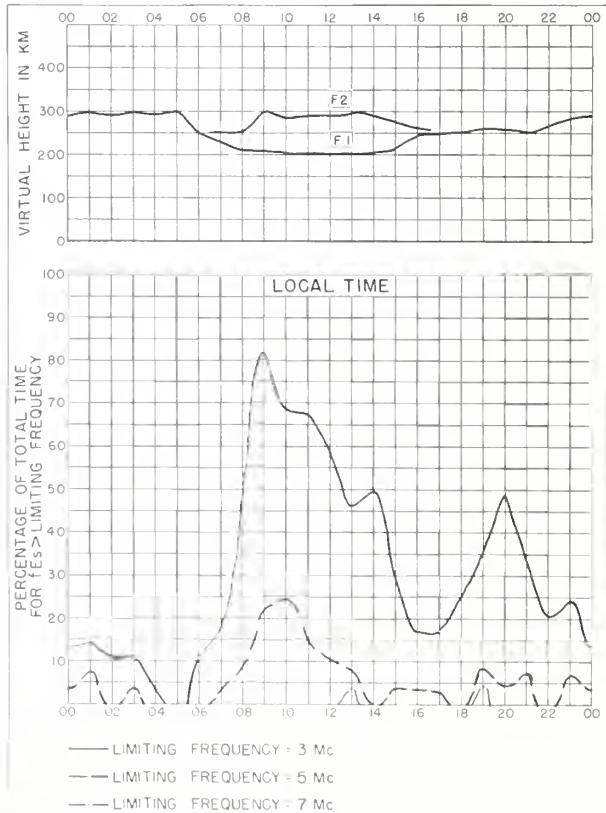


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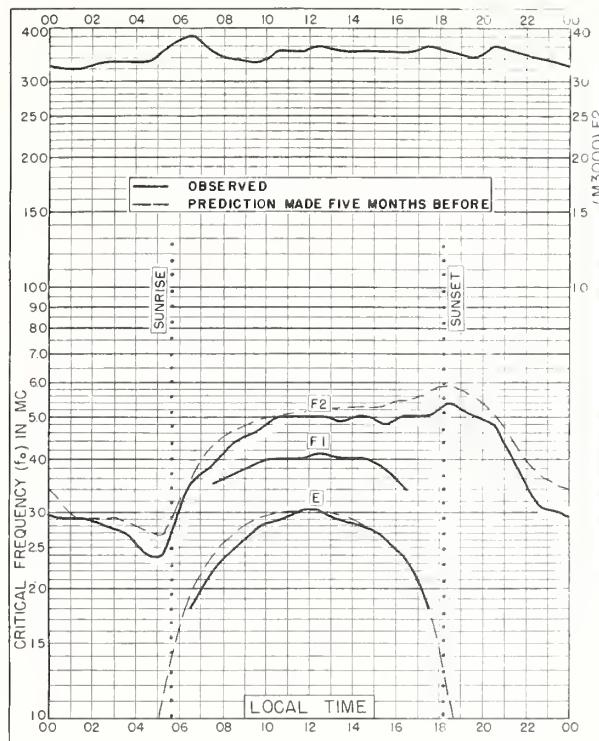


Fig. 33. SCHWARZENBURG, SWITZERLAND  
46.8°N, 7.3°E SEPTEMBER 1954

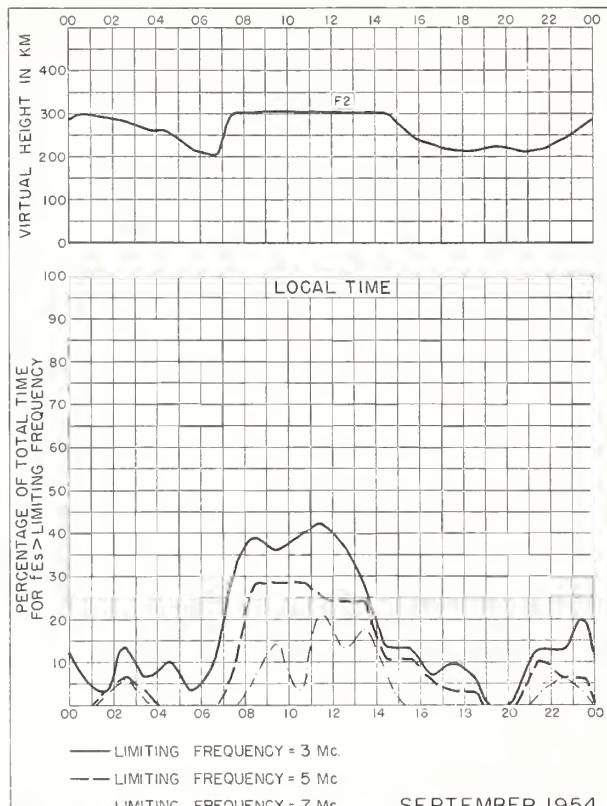


Fig. 34. SCHWARZENBURG, SWITZERLAND SEPTEMBER 1954

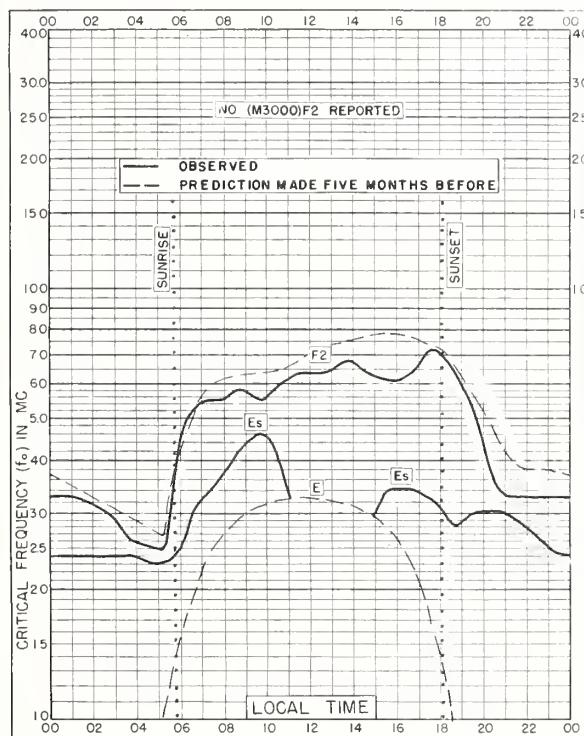


Fig. 35. YAMAGAWA, JAPAN  
31.2°N, 130.6°E SEPTEMBER 1954

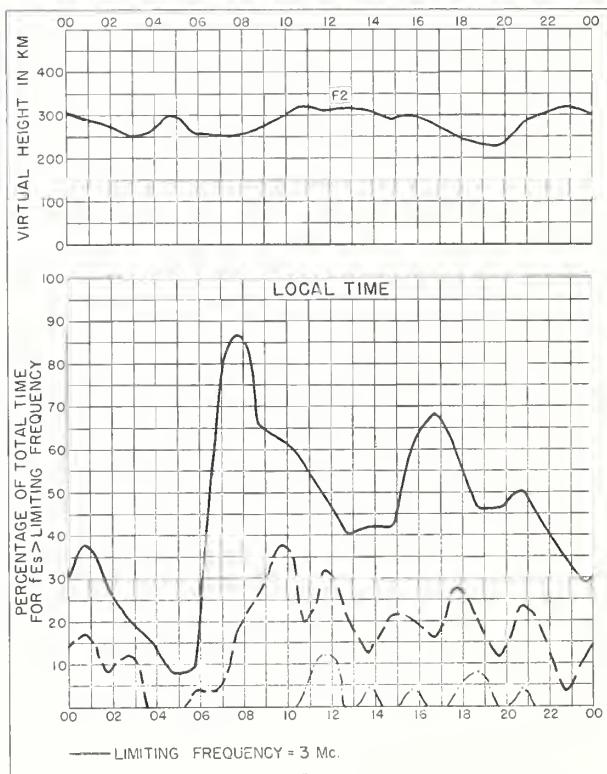
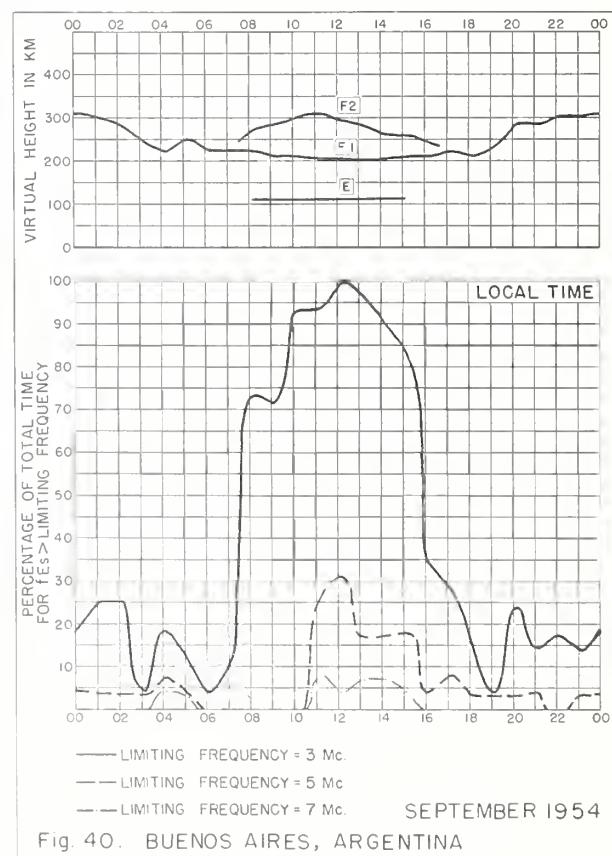
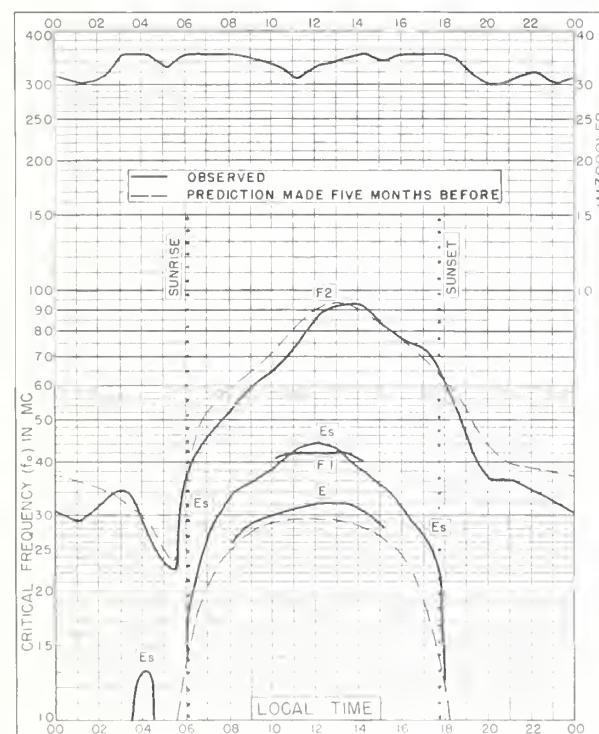
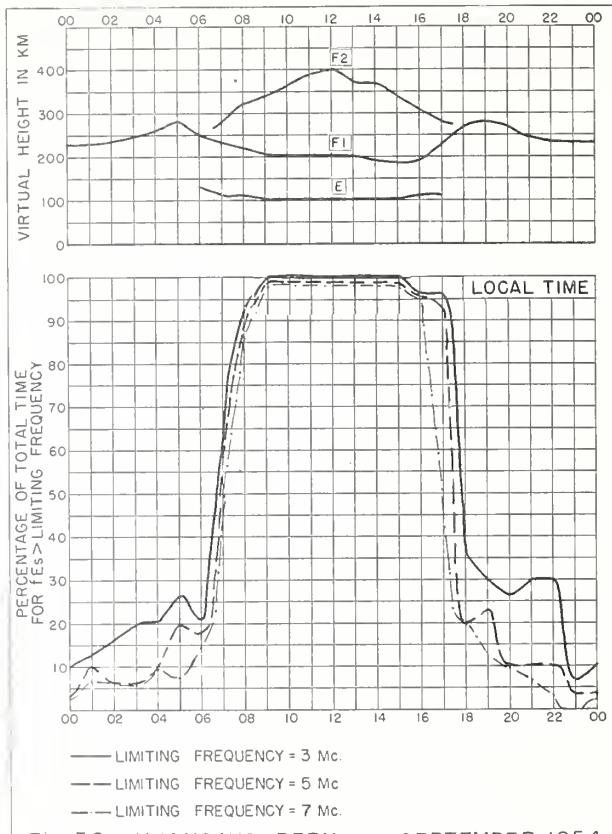
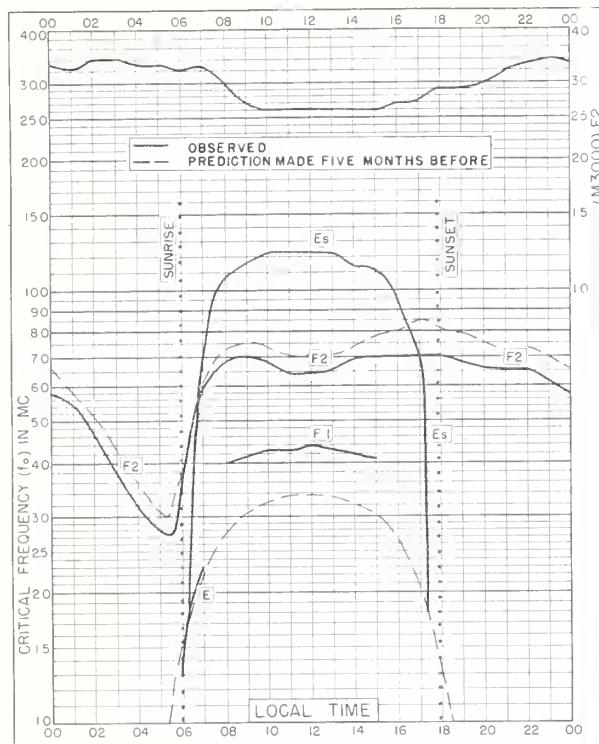


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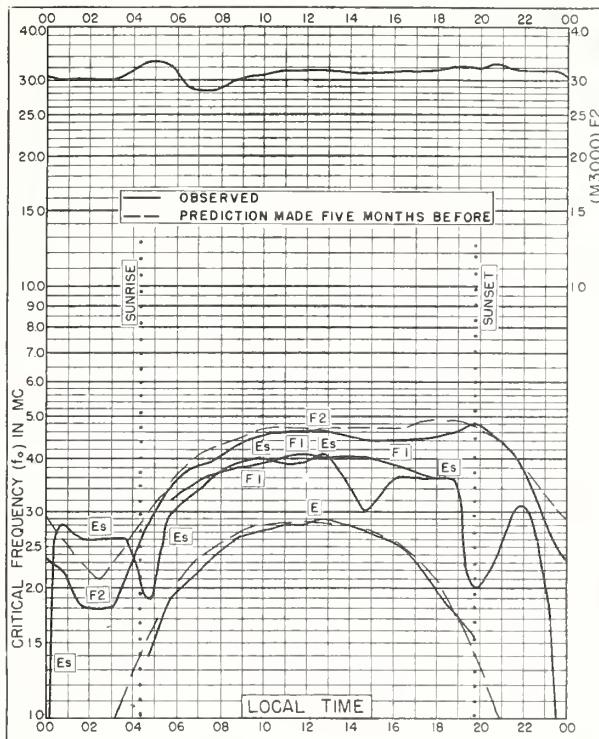


Fig. 41. OSLO, NORWAY  
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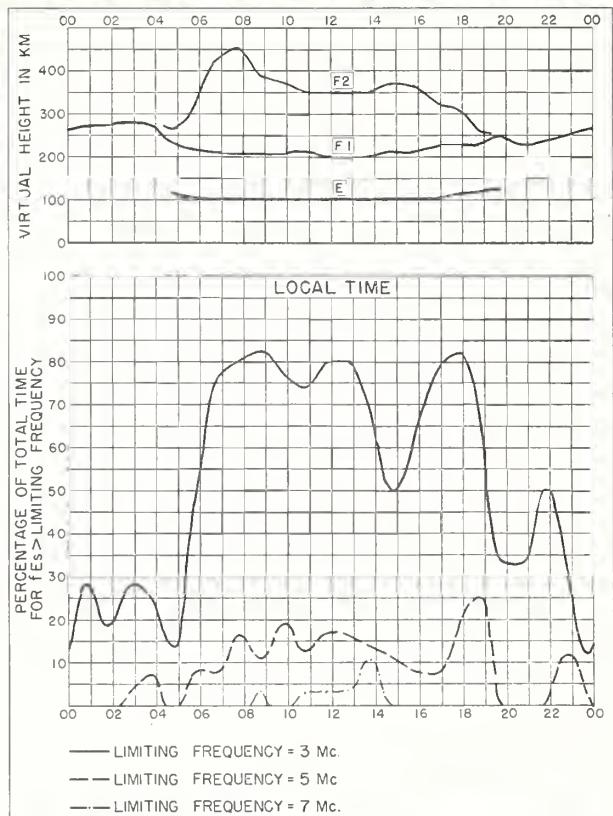


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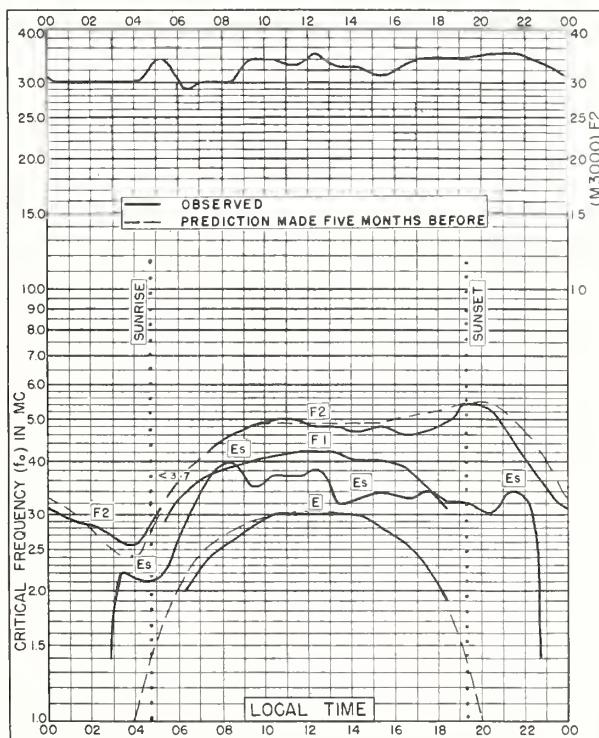


Fig. 43. De BILT, HOLLAND  
52. 1°N, 5. 2°E AUGUST 1954

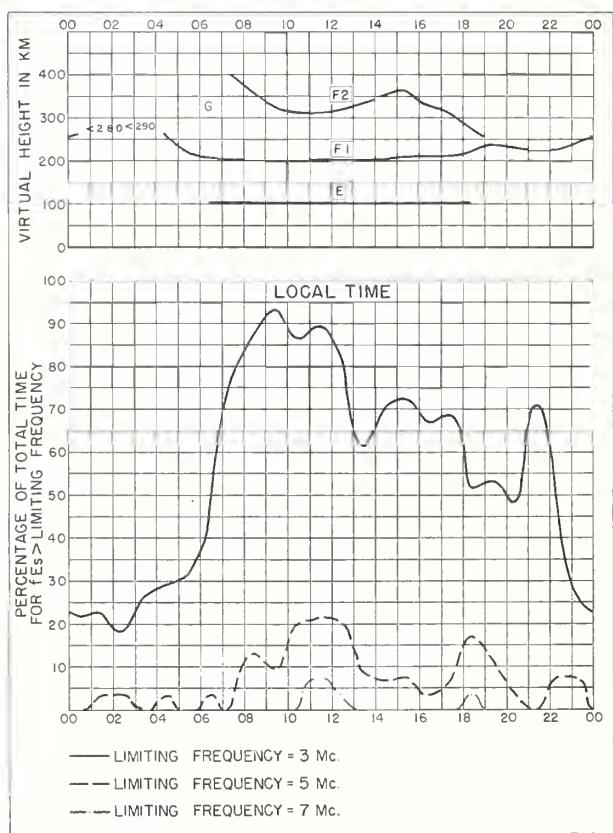


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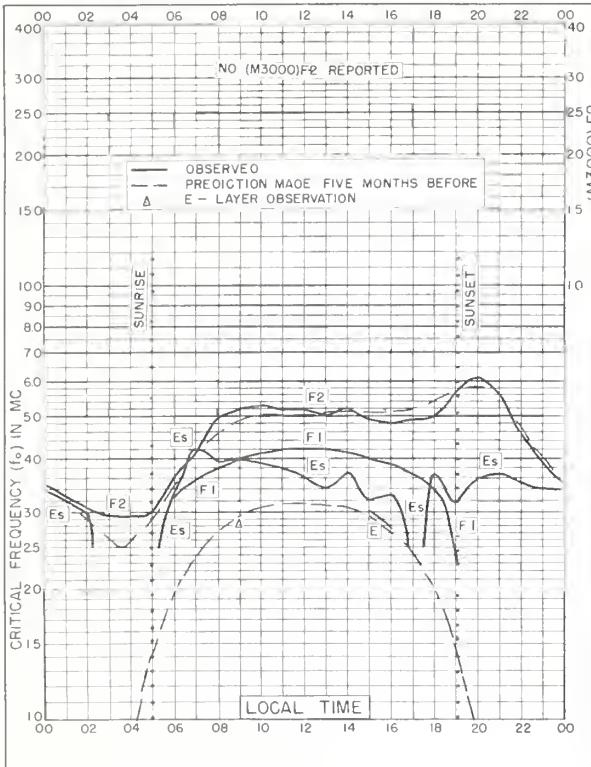


Fig. 45. GRAZ, AUSTRIA

47.1°N, 15.5°E

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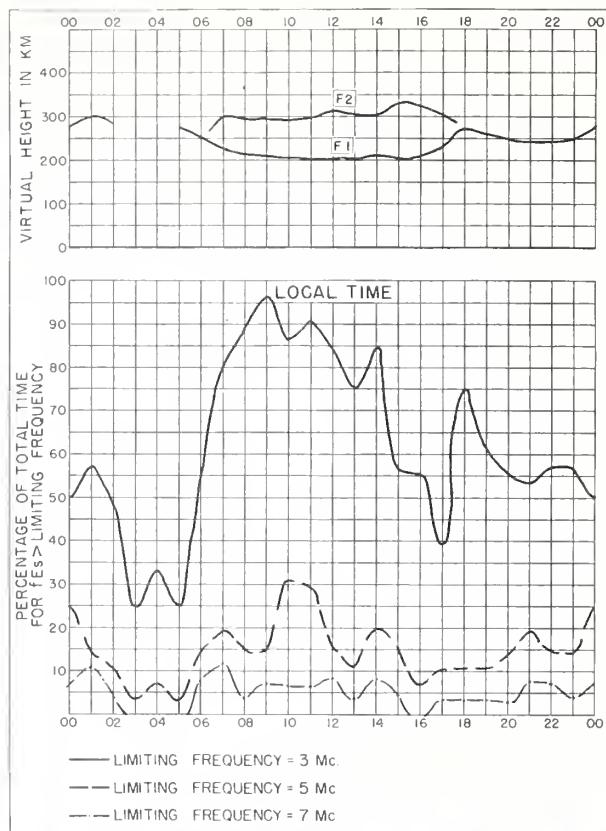
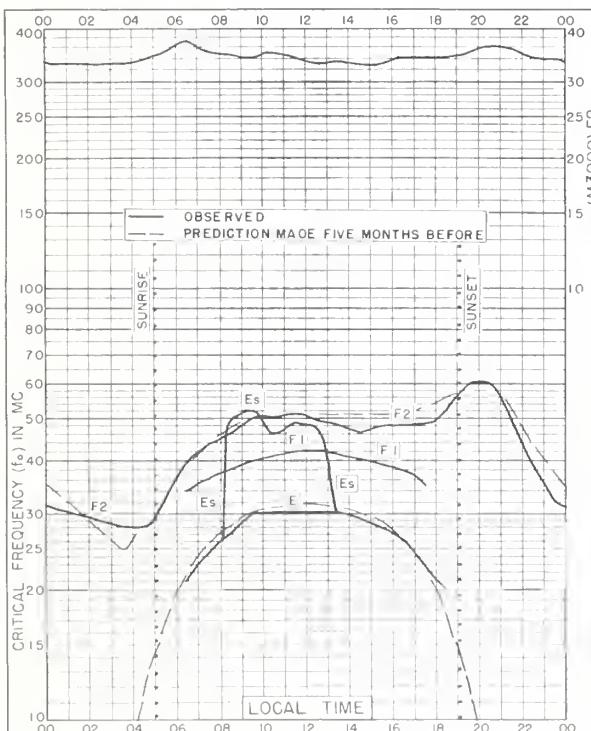


Fig. 46. GRAZ, AUSTRIA

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Fig. 47. SCHWARZENBURG, SWITZERLAND  
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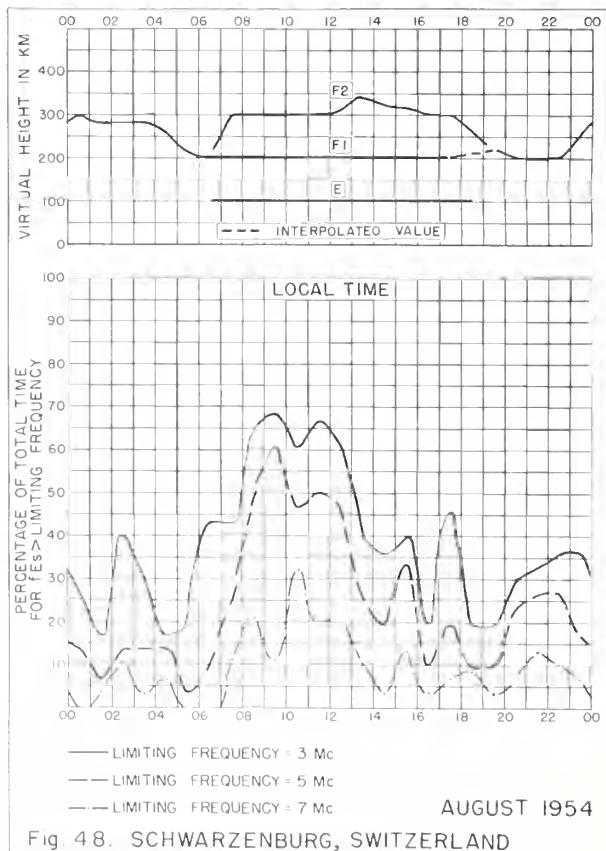
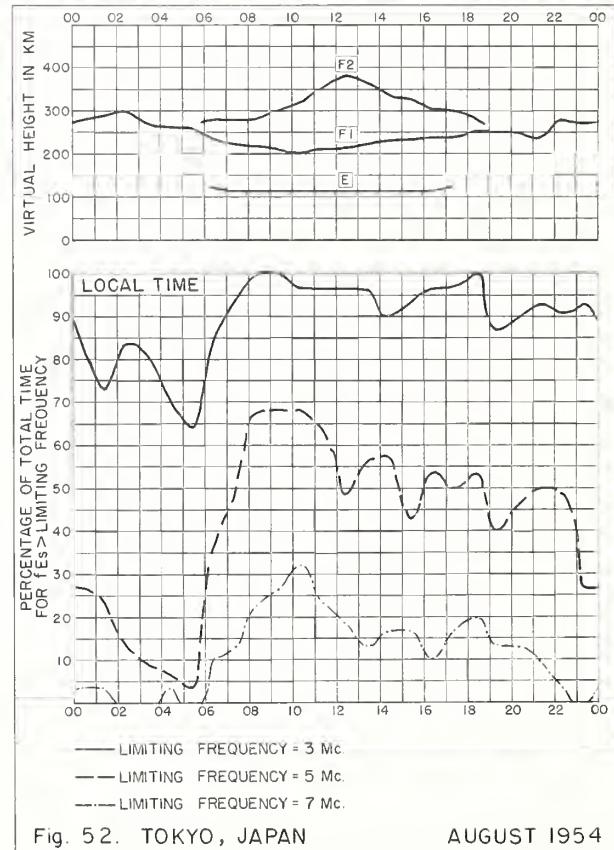
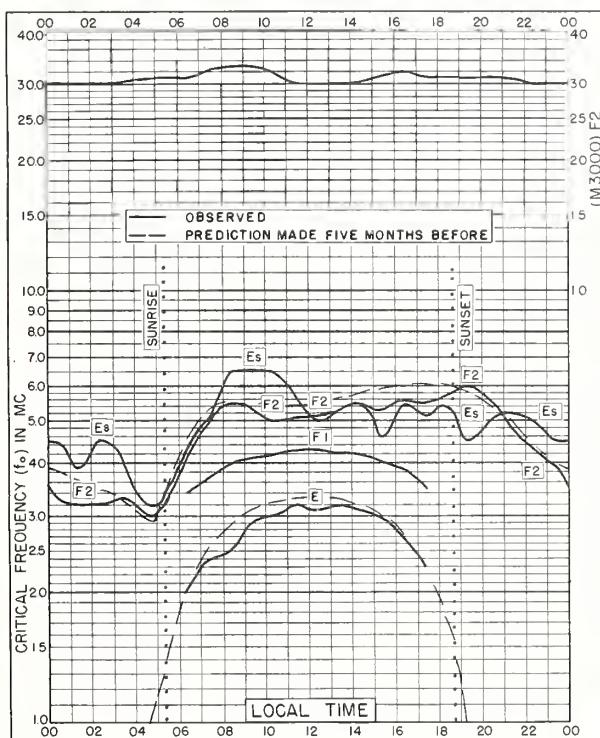
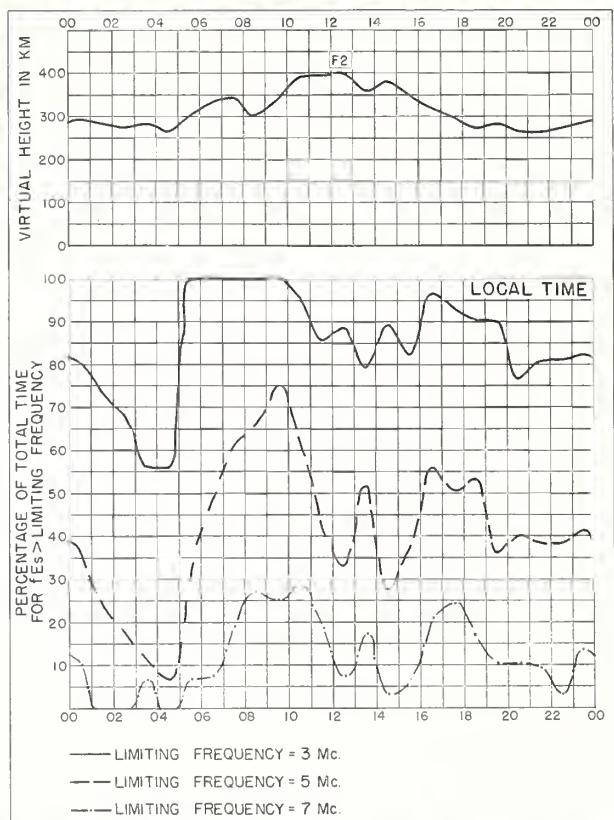
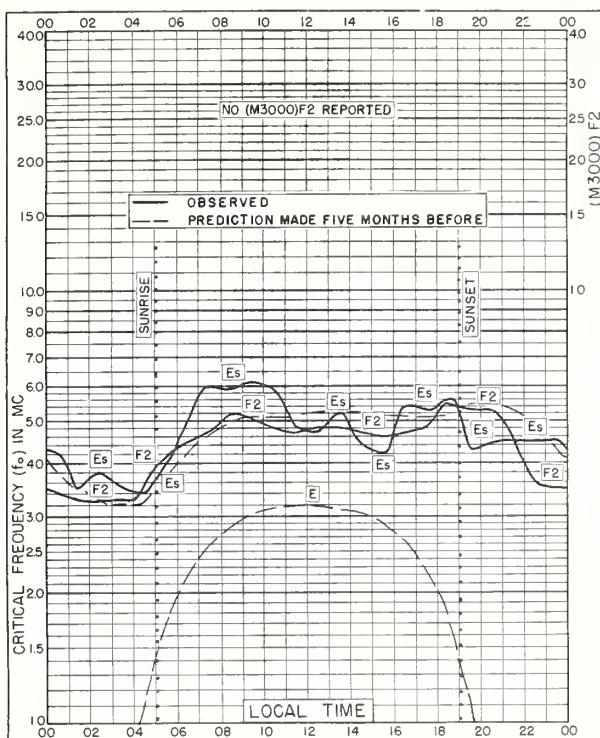


Fig. 48. SCHWARZENBURG, SWITZERLAND

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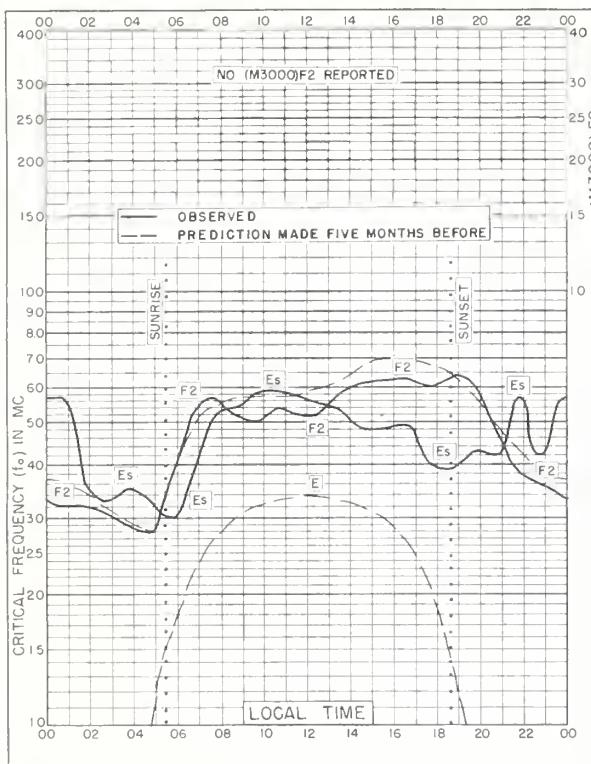


Fig. 53. YAMAGAWA, JAPAN  
31.2°N, 130.6°E AUGUST 1954

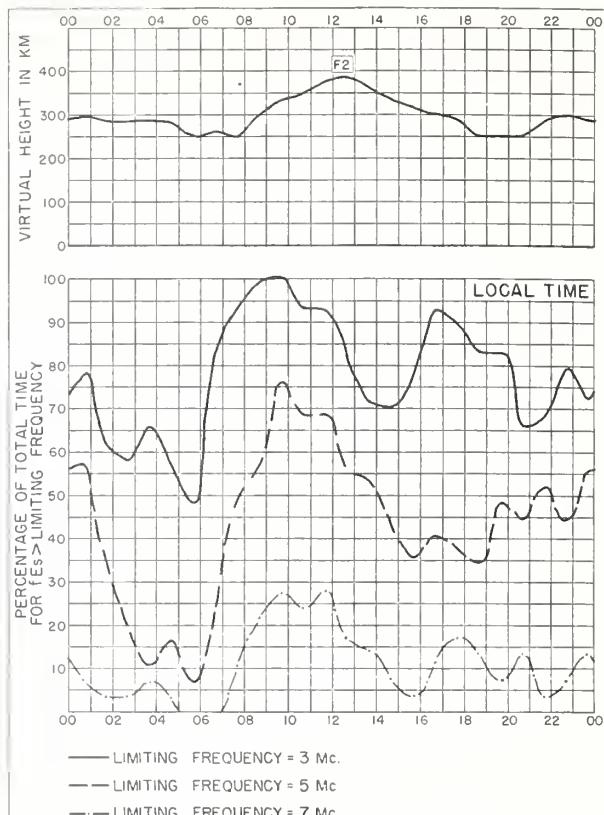


Fig. 54. YAMAGAWA, JAPAN AUGUST 1954

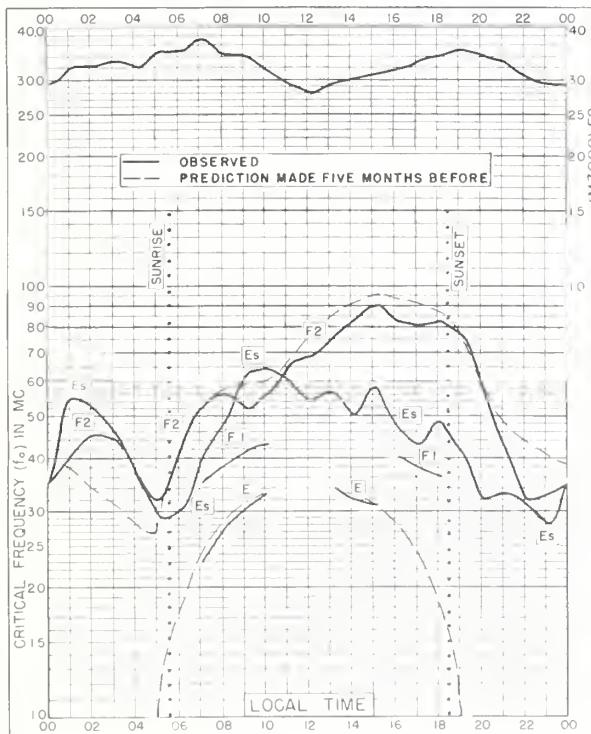


Fig. 55. FORMOSA, CHINA  
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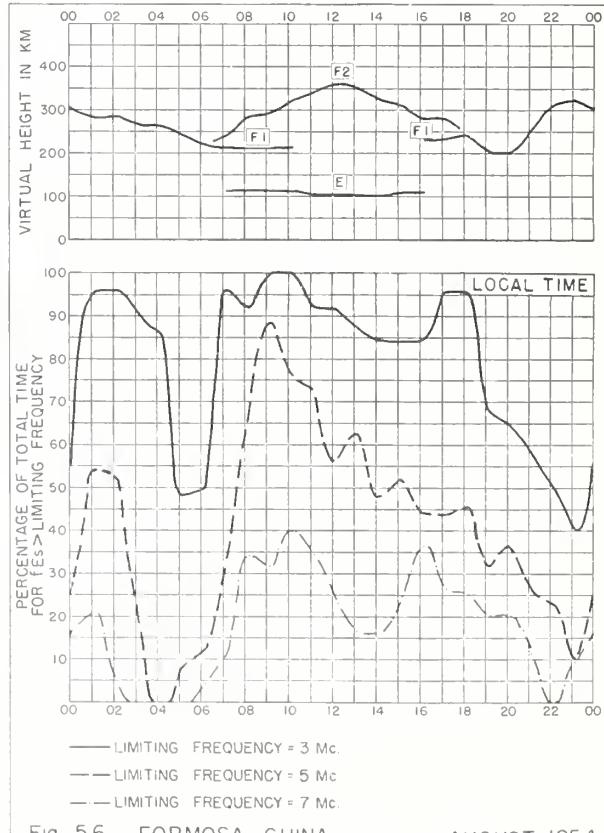


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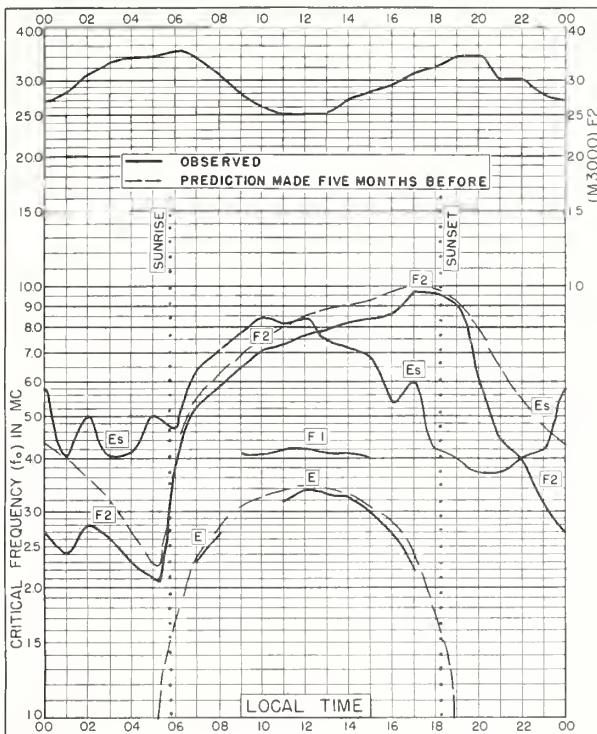


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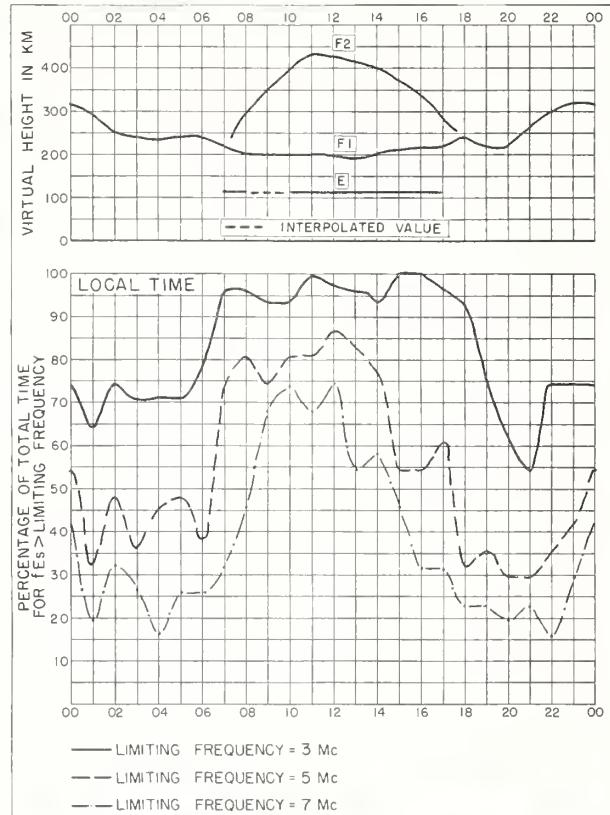


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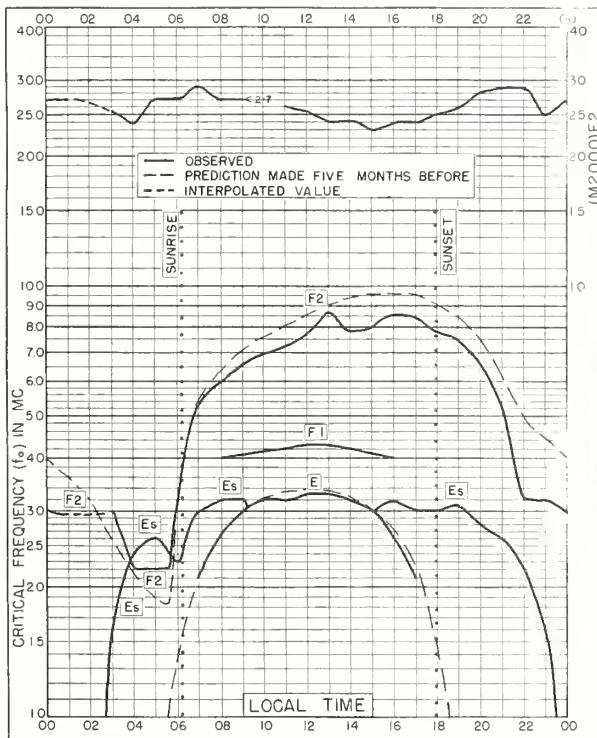
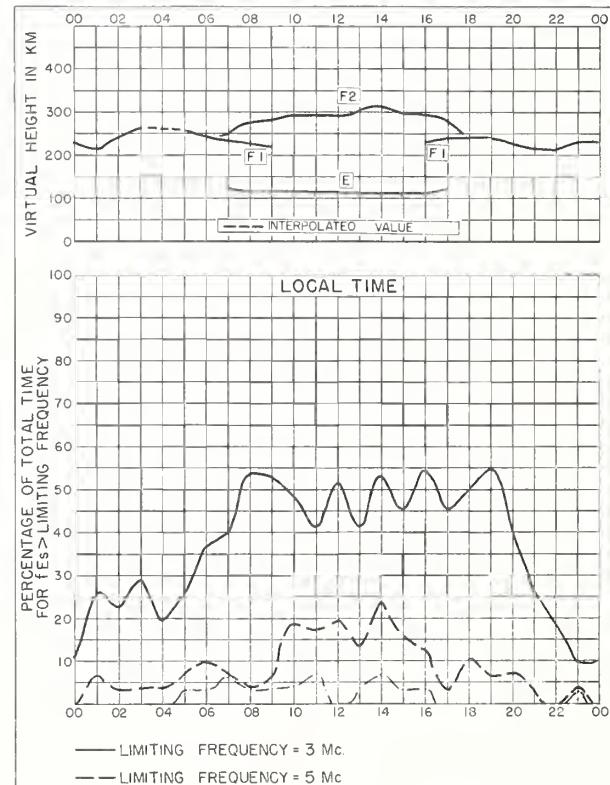


Fig. 59. LEOPOLDVILLE, BELGIAN CONGO  
4.3°S, 15.3°E AUGUST 1954



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Fig. 60. LEOPOLDVILLE, BELGIAN CONGO

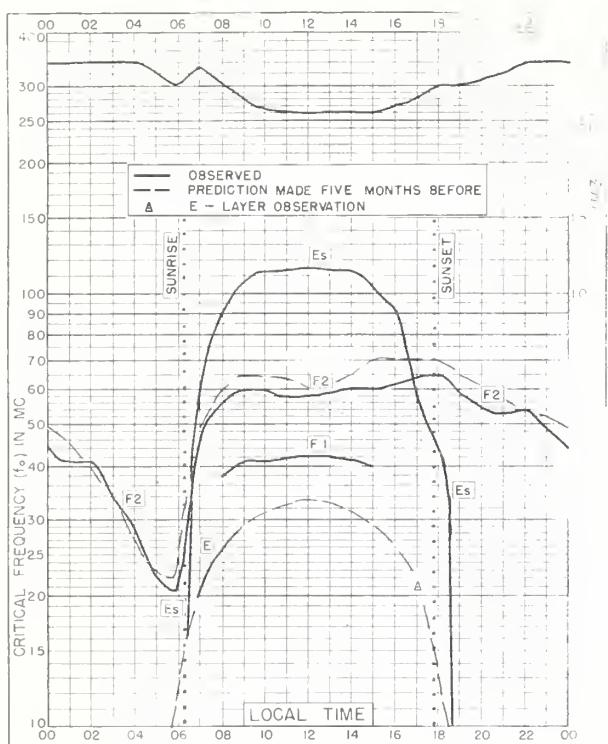


Fig. 61. HUANCAYO, PERU  
12.0°S, 75.3°W AUGUST 1954

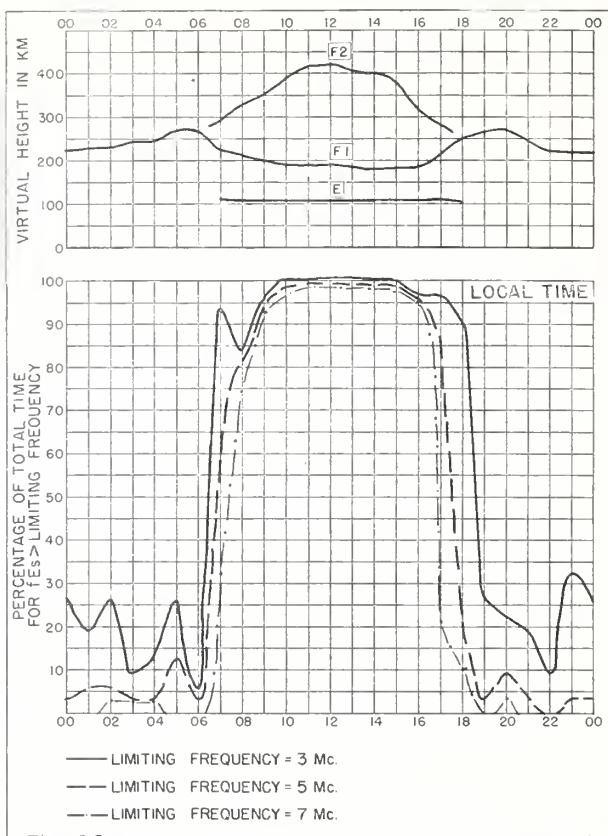


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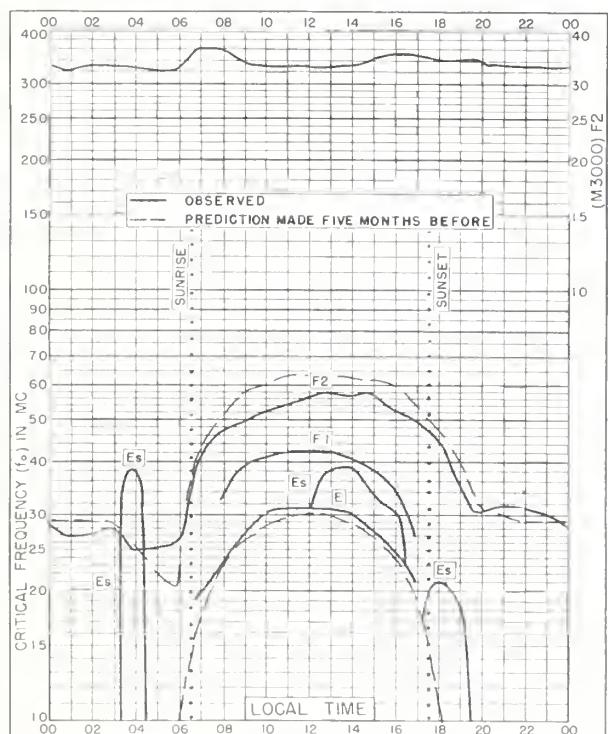
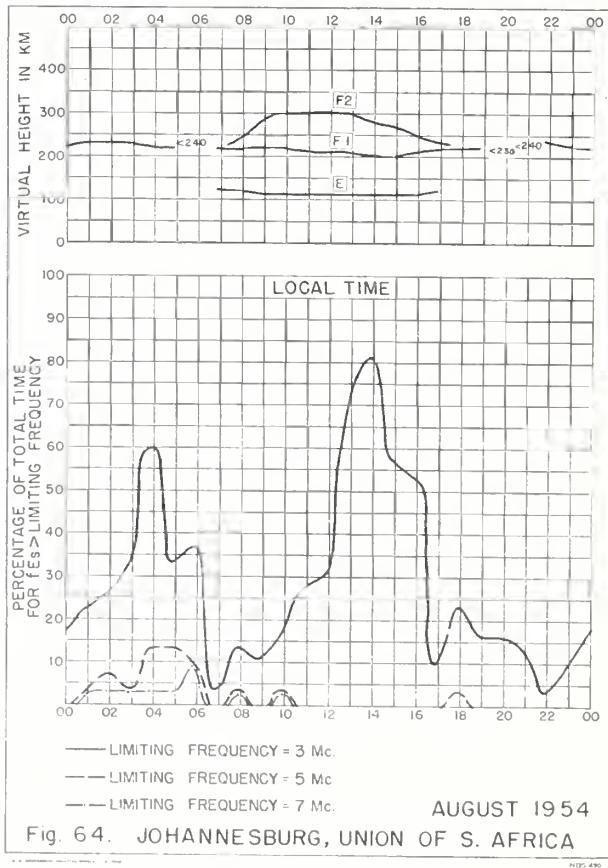


Fig. 63. JOHANNESBURG, UNION OF S. AFRICA  
26.2°S, 28.1°E AUGUST 1954



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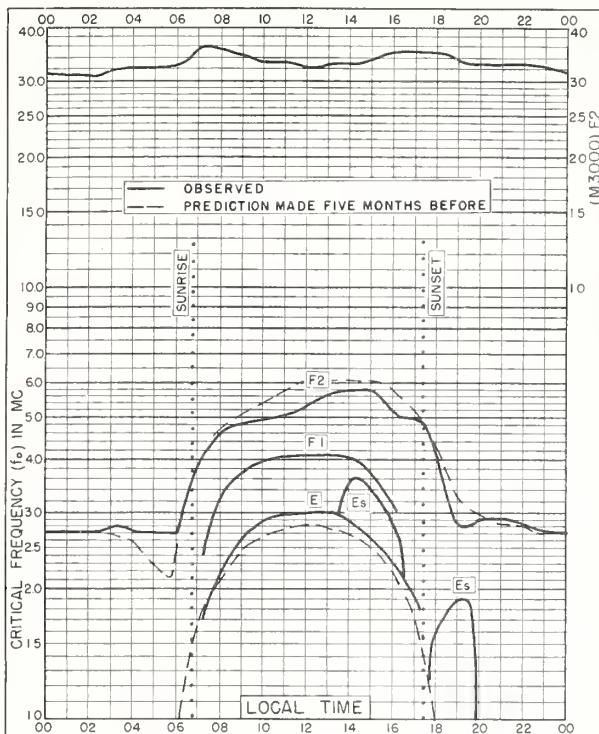


Fig. 65. CAPE TOWN, UNION OF S. AFRICA  
34.2°S, 18.3°E AUGUST 1954

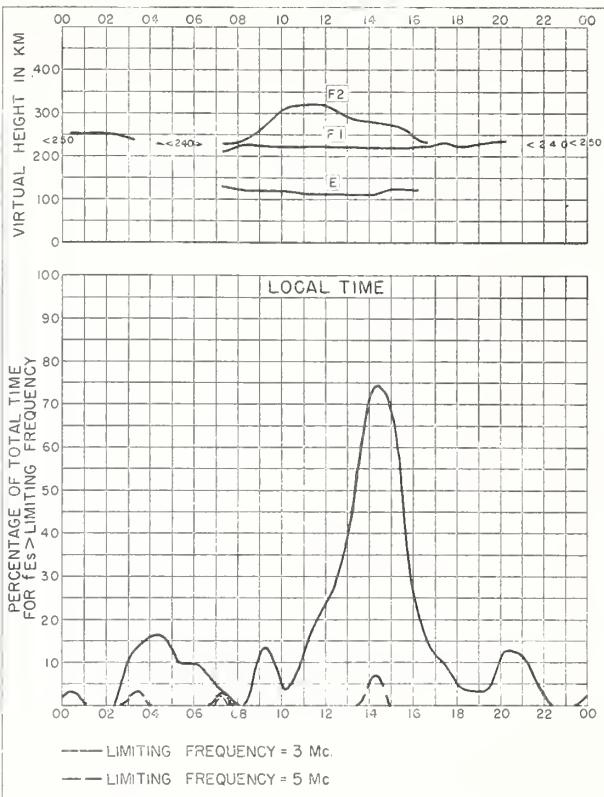


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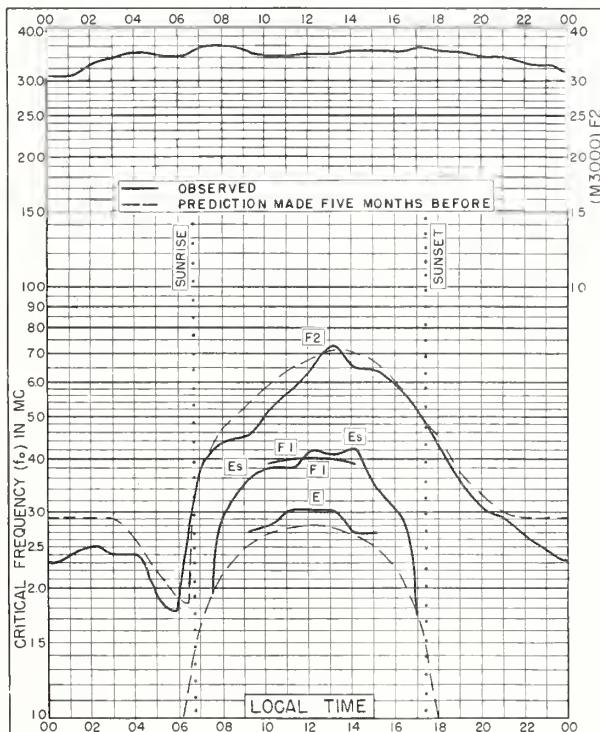


Fig. 67. BUENOS AIRES, ARGENTINA  
34.5°S, 58.5°W AUGUST 1954

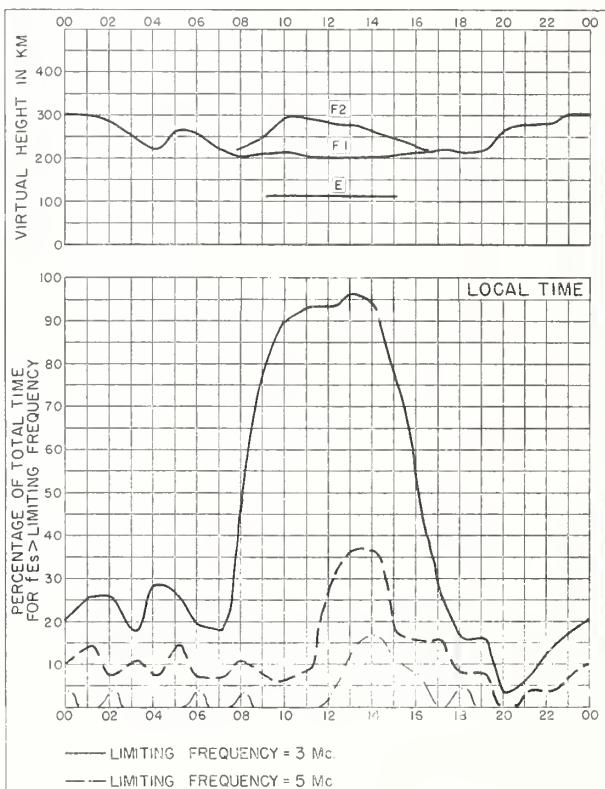


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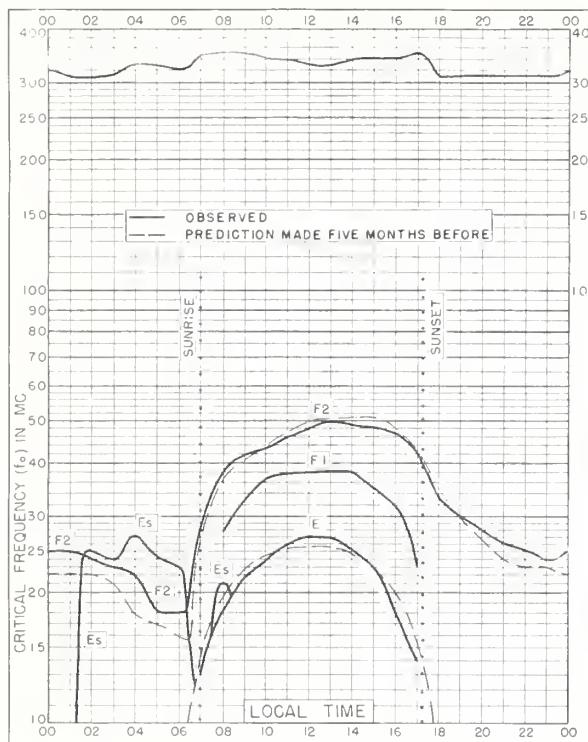


Fig. 69. CHRISTCHURCH, NEW ZEALAND  
43.6°S, 172.8°E AUGUST 1954

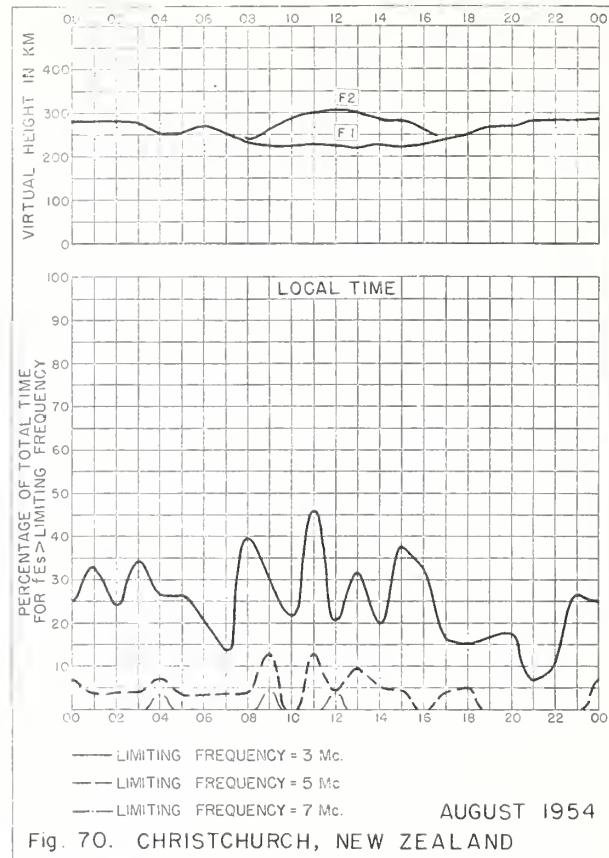


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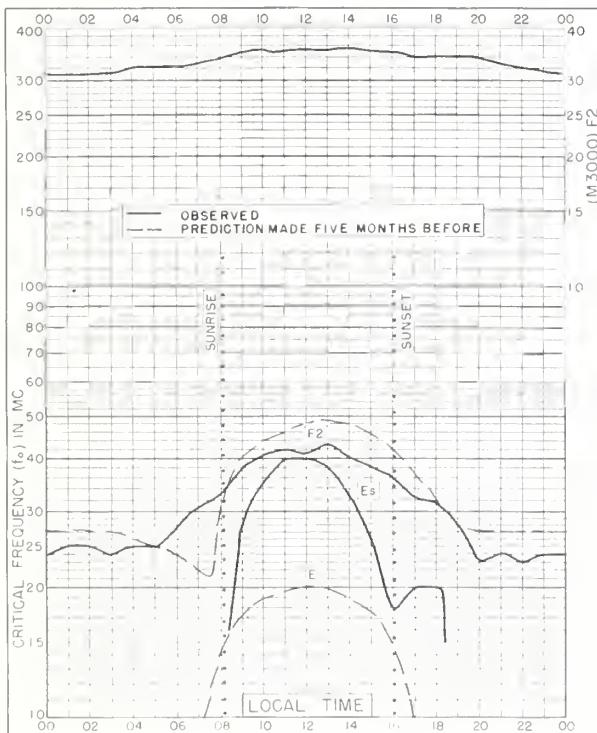


Fig. 71. DECEPTION I.  
63.0°S, 60.7°W AUGUST 1954

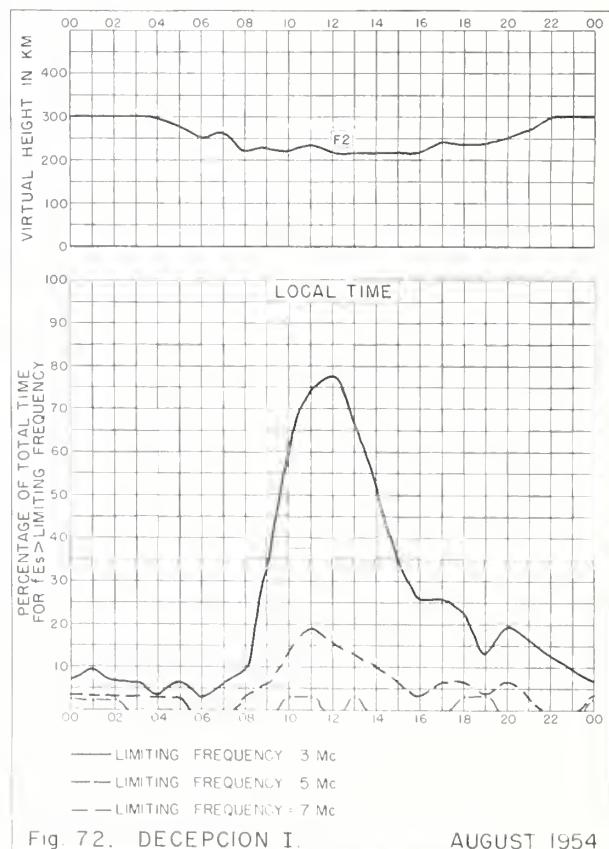
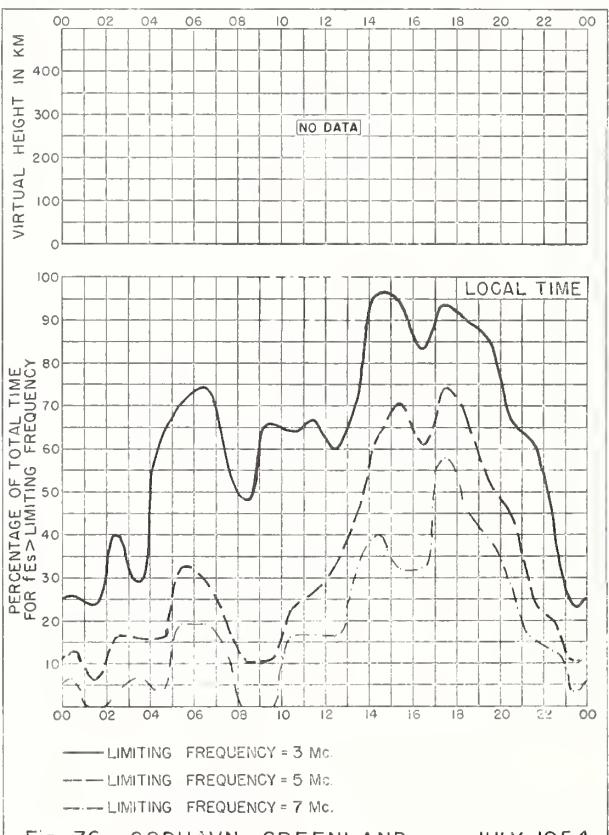
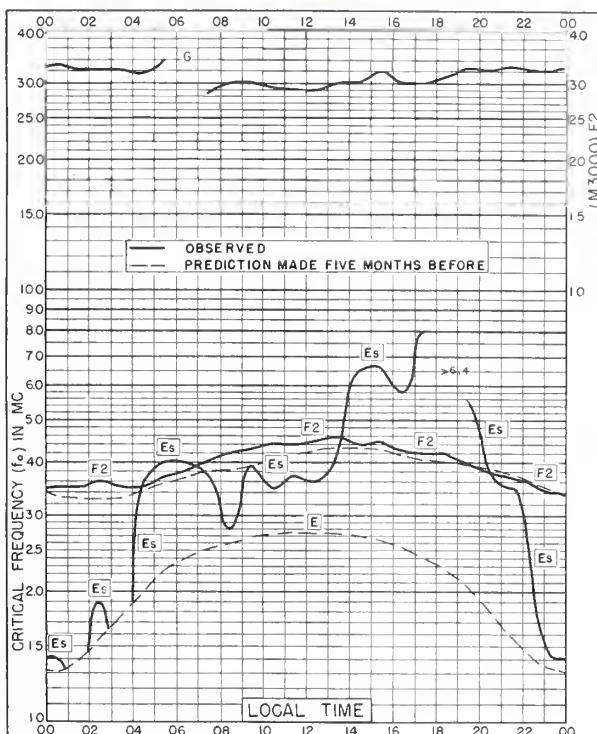
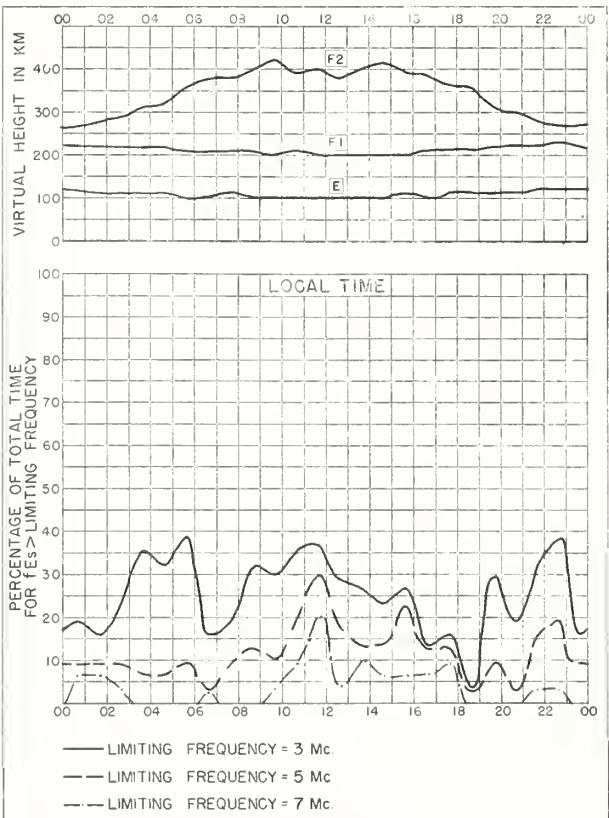
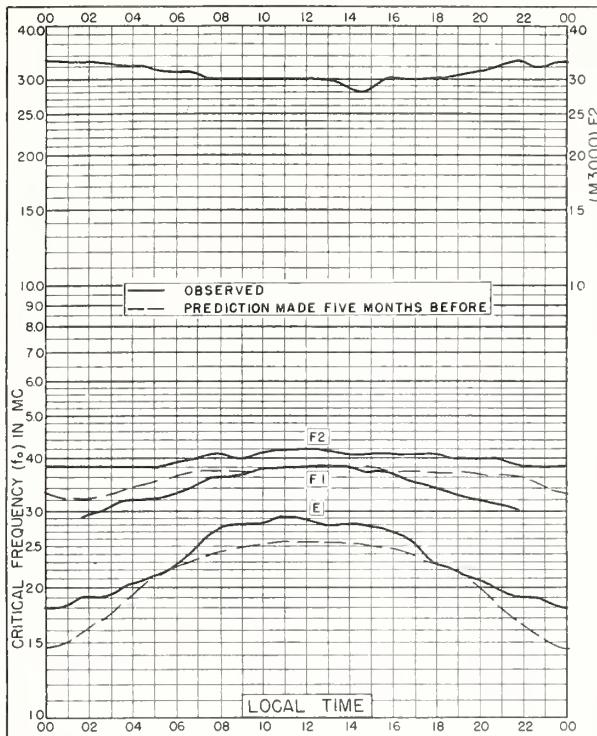


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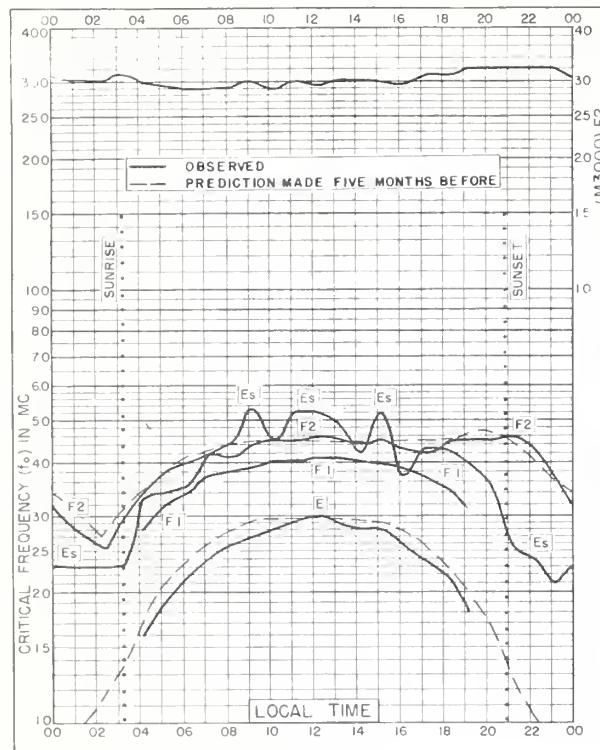


Fig. 77. UPSALA, SWEDEN  
59.8°N, 17.6°E JULY 1954

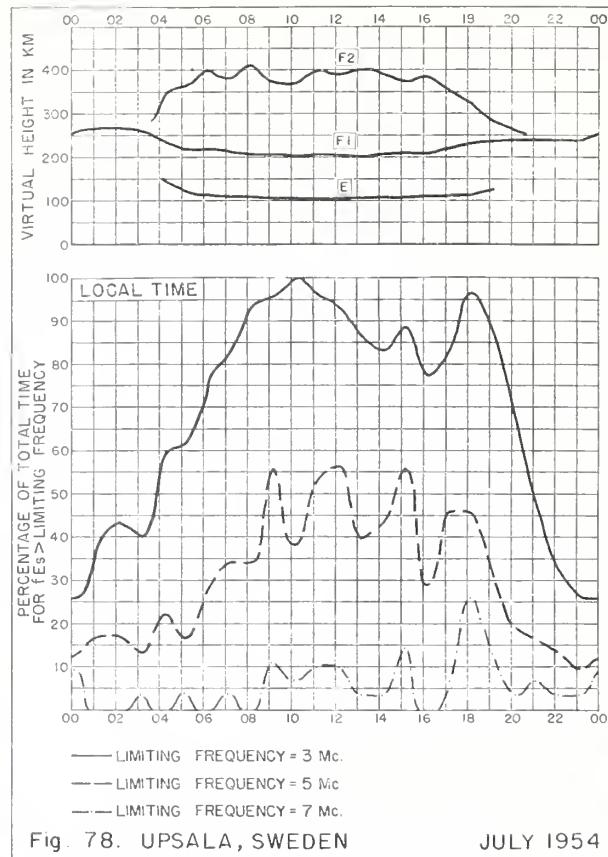


Fig. 78. UPSALA, SWEDEN JULY 1954

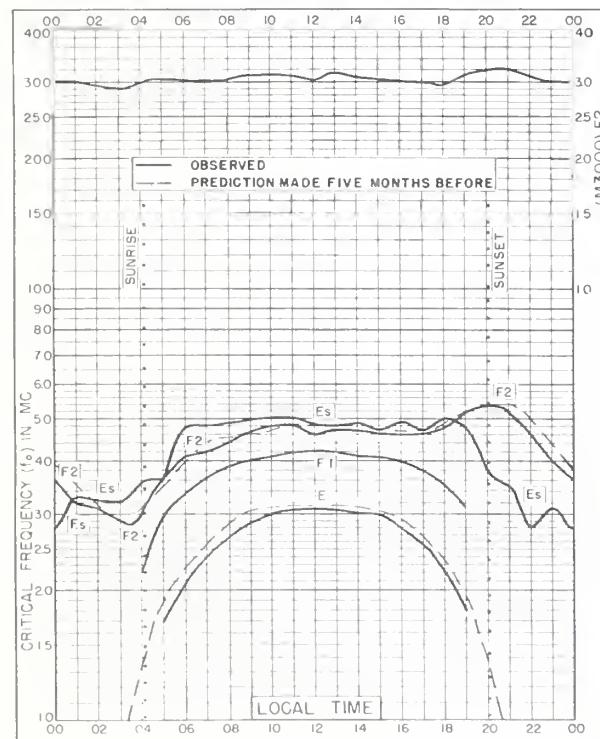


Fig. 79. SLOUGH, ENGLAND  
51.5°N, 0.6°W JULY 1954

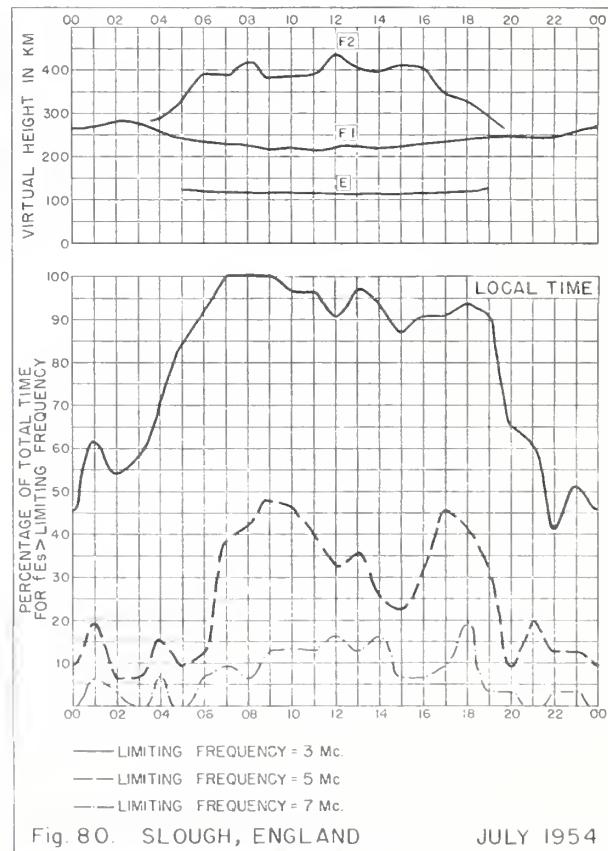


Fig. 80. SLOUGH, ENGLAND JULY 1954

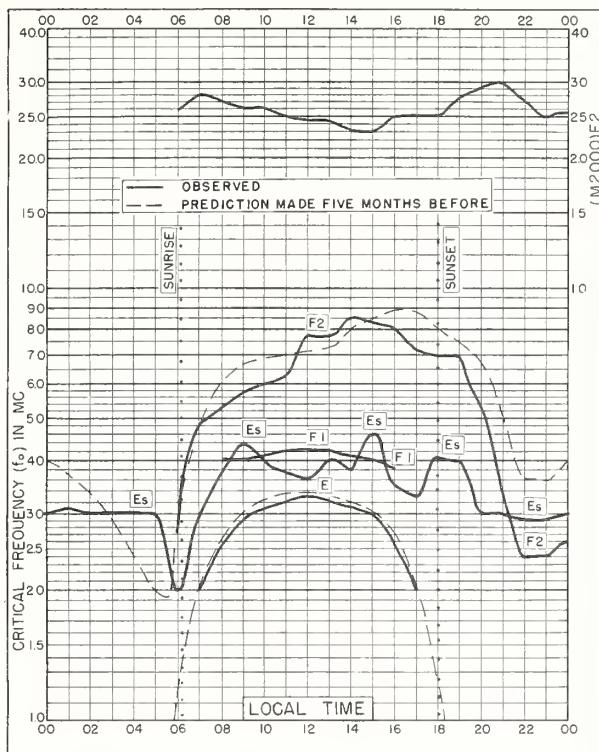


Fig. 81. LEOPOLDVILLE, BELGIAN CONGO  
4.3°S, 15.3°E  
JULY 1954

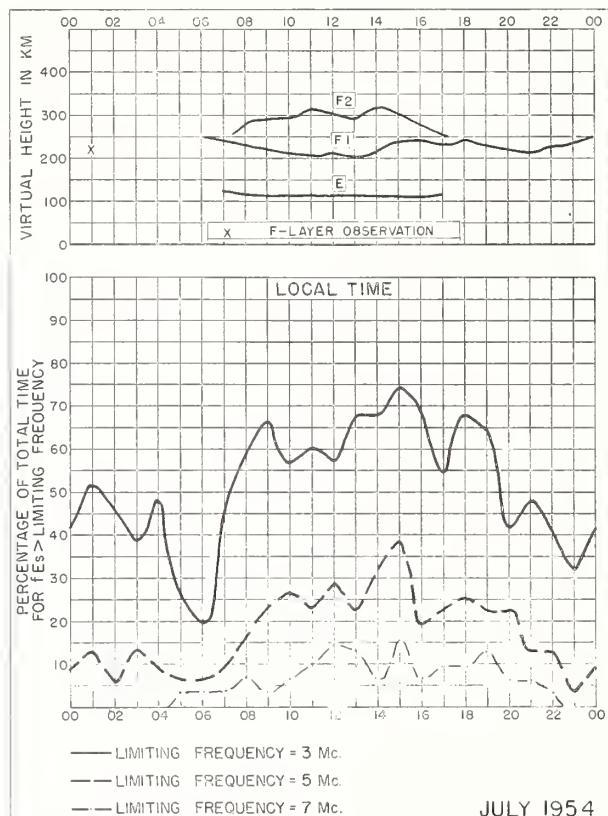


Fig. 82. LEOPOLDVILLE, BELGIAN CONGO

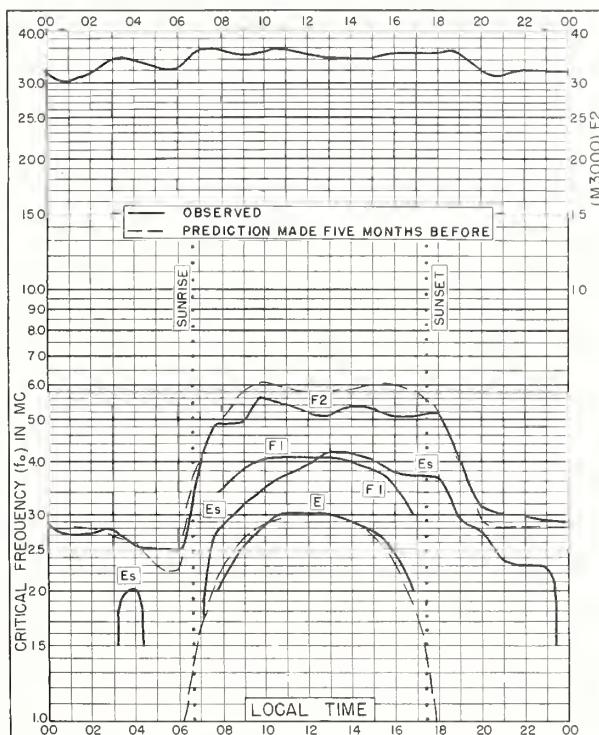


Fig. 83. RAROTONGA I.  
21.3°S, 159.8°W  
JULY 1954

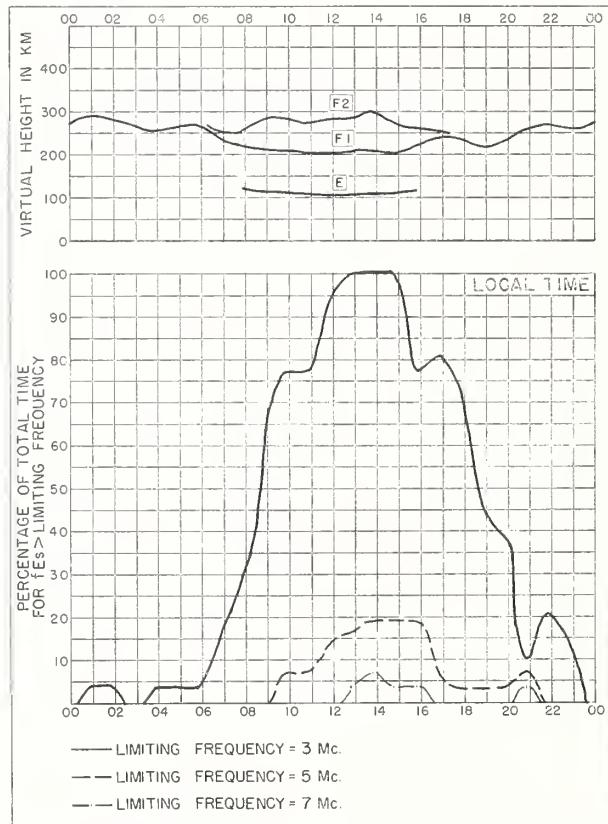


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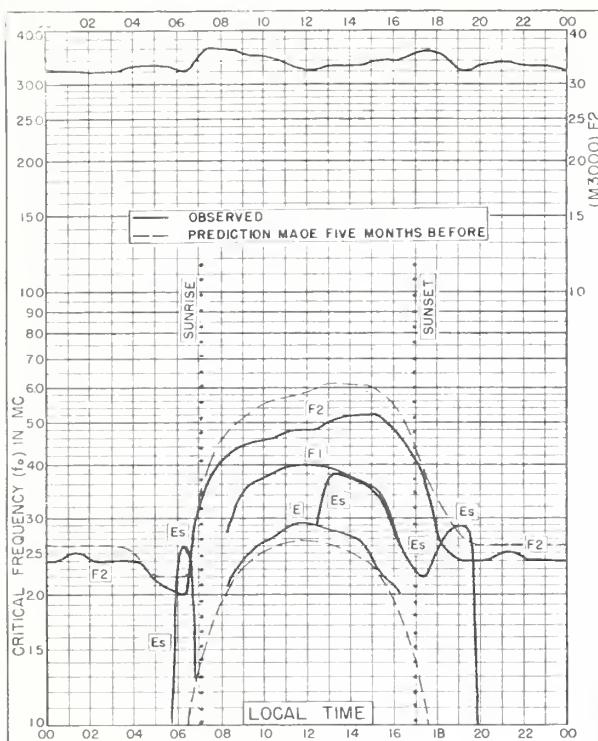


Fig. 85. CAPETOWN, UNION OF S. AFRICA  
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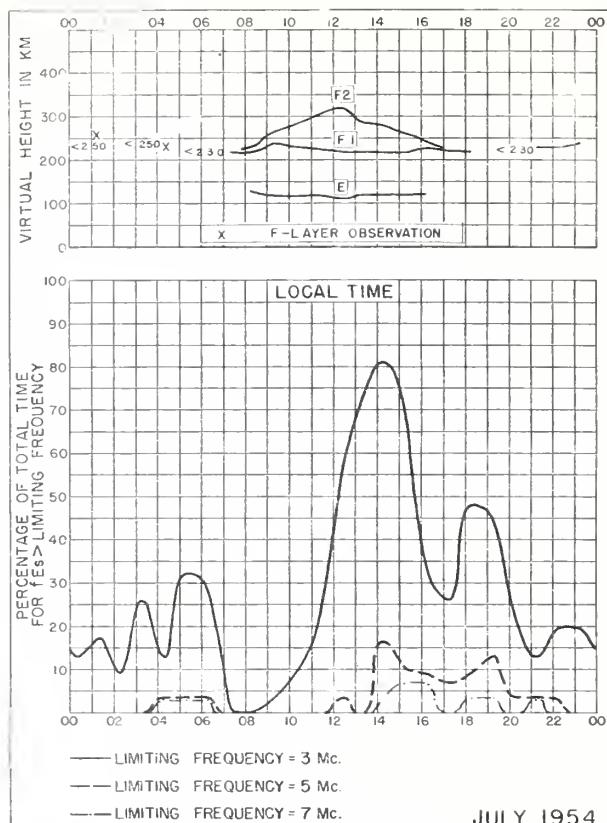


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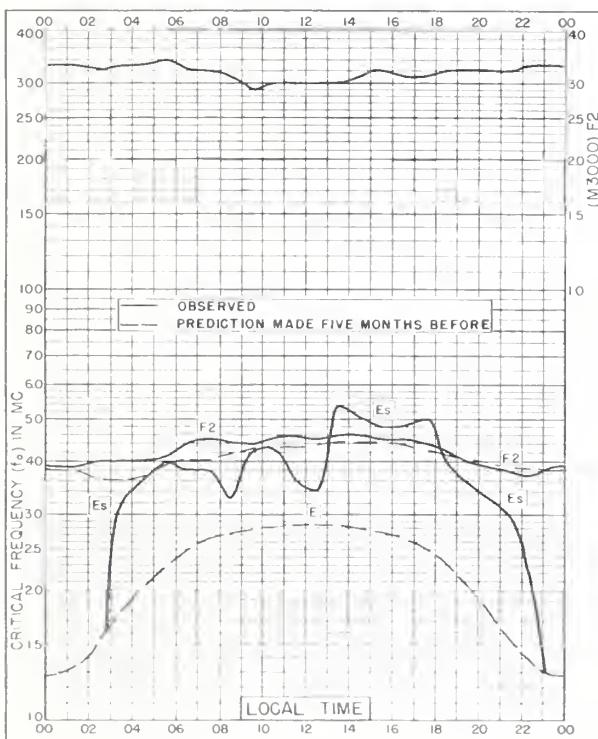


Fig. 87. GODHAVN, GREENLAND  
69.2°N, 53.5°W JUNE 1954

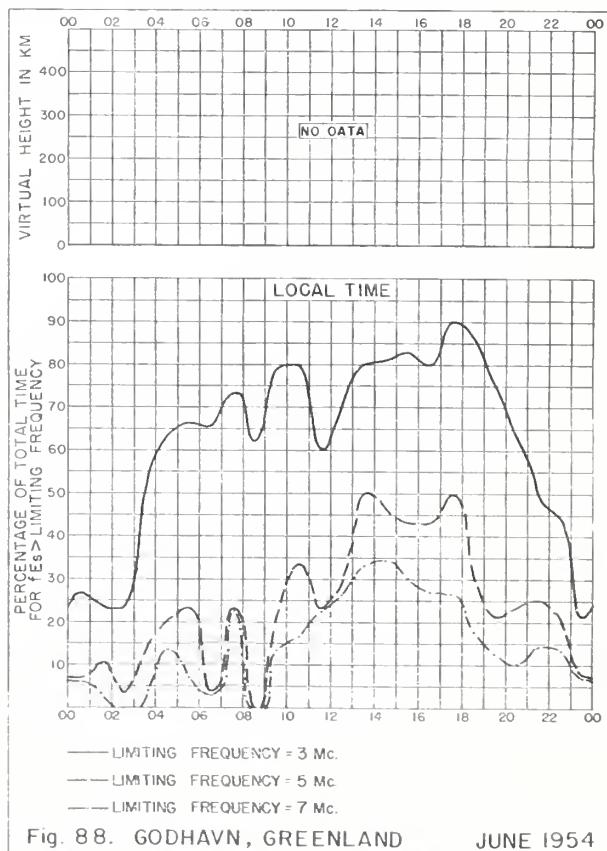


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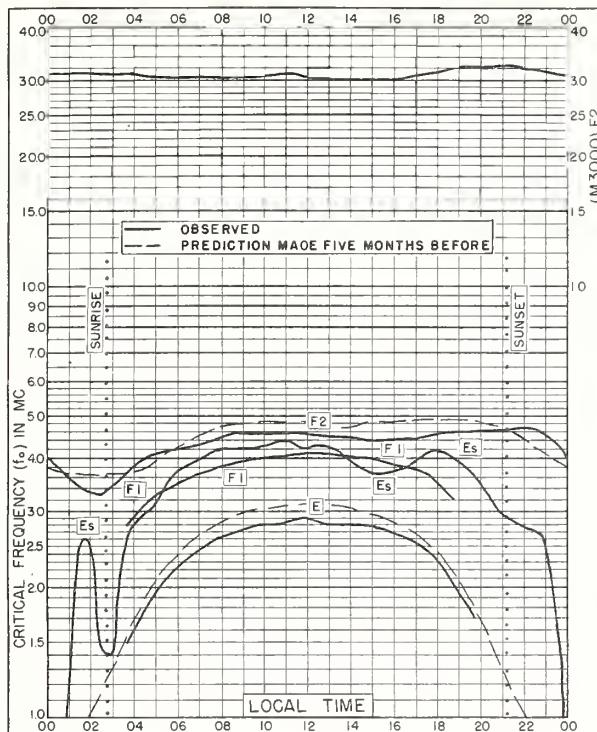


Fig. 89. OSLO, NORWAY  
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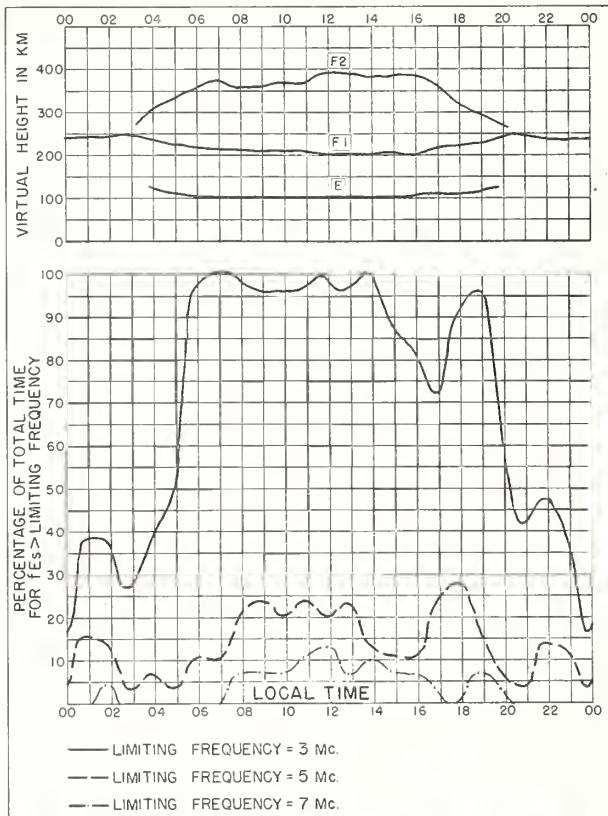


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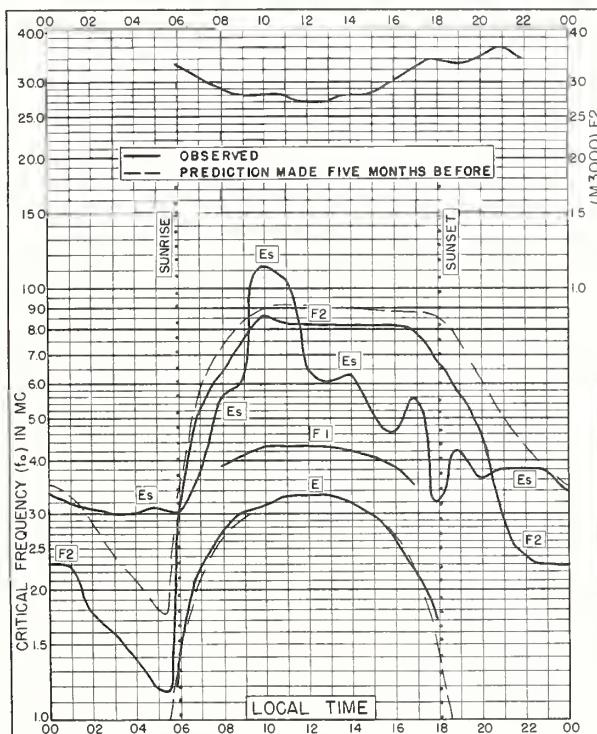


Fig. 91. SINGAPORE, BRITISH MALAYA  
1.3°N, 103.8°E JUNE 1954

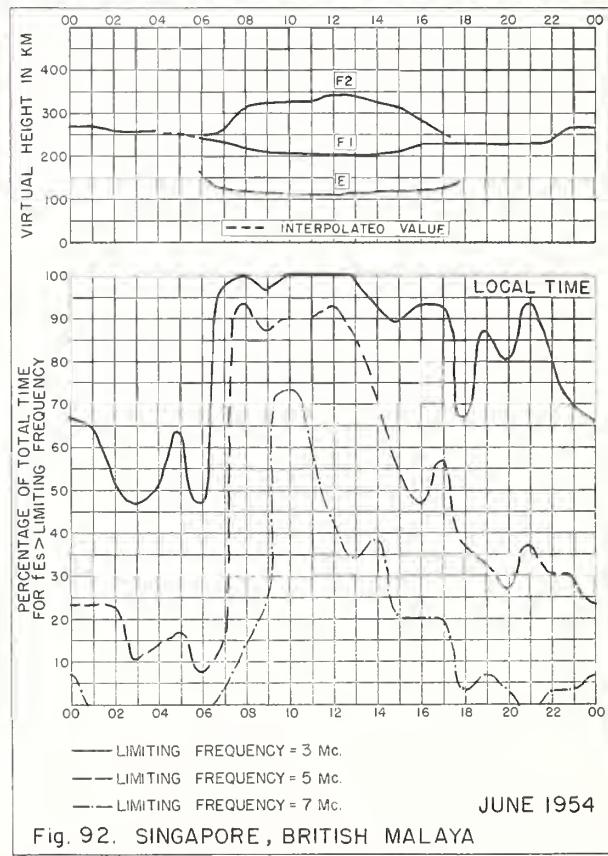


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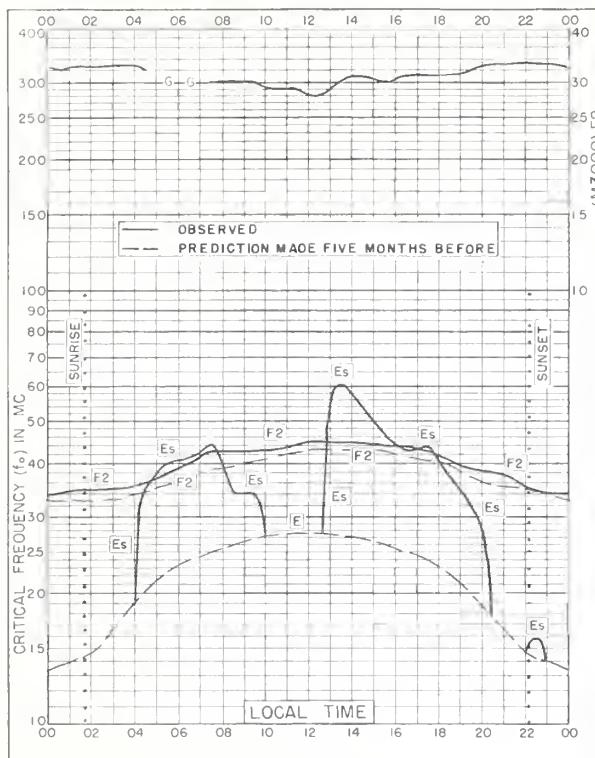


Fig. 93. GODHAVN, GREENLAND

69.2°N, 53.5°W

MAY 1954

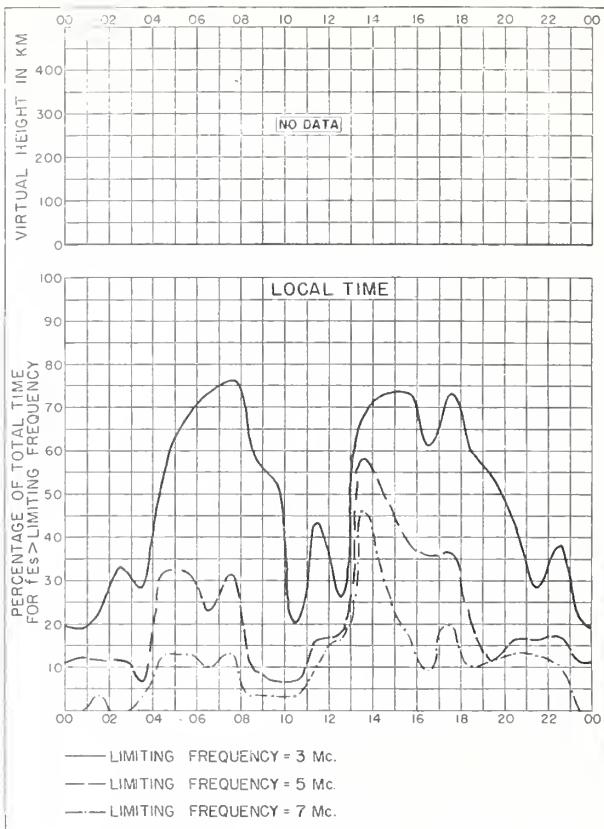


Fig. 94. GODHAVN, GREENLAND

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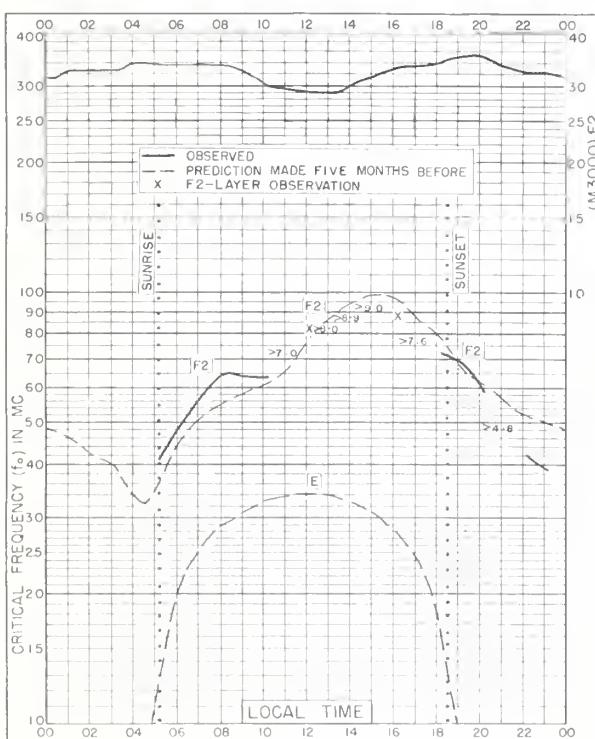


Fig. 95. DELHI, INDIA

28.6°N, 77.1°E

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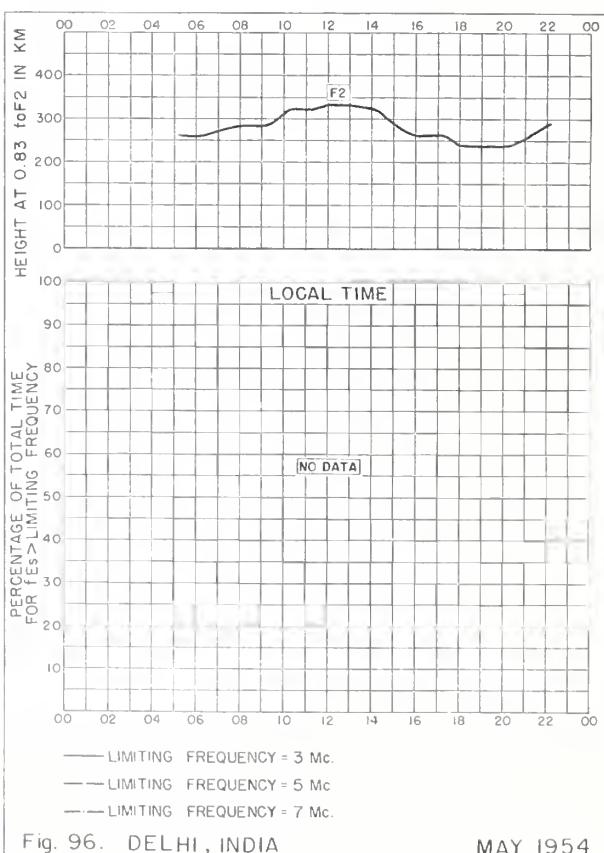


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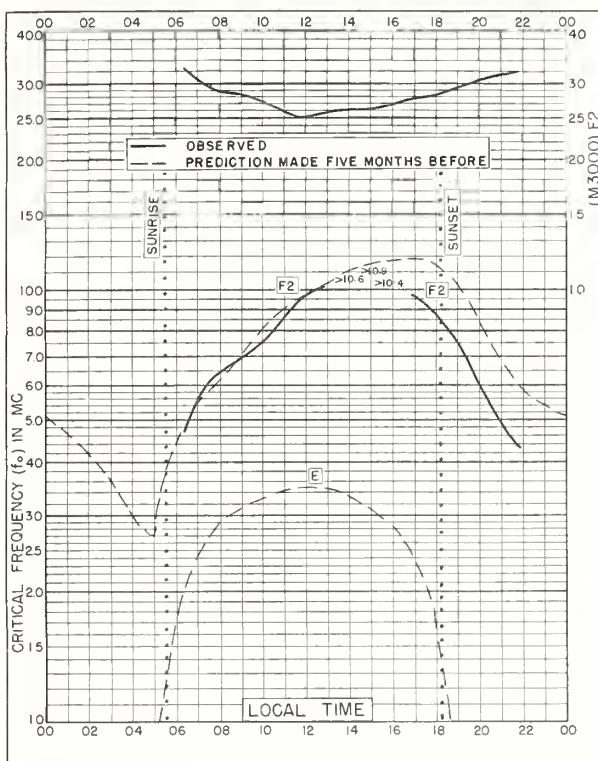


Fig. 97. BOMBAY, INDIA  
19.0°N, 73.0°E MAY 1954

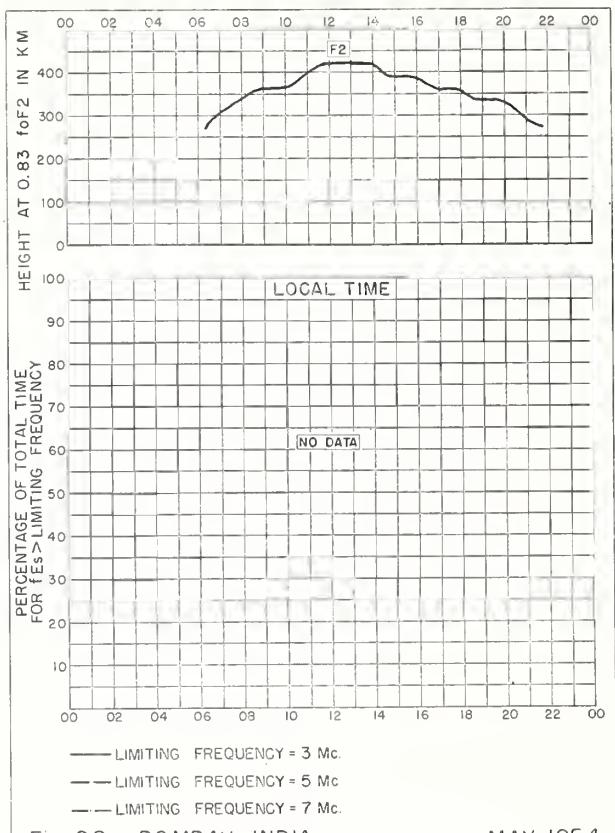


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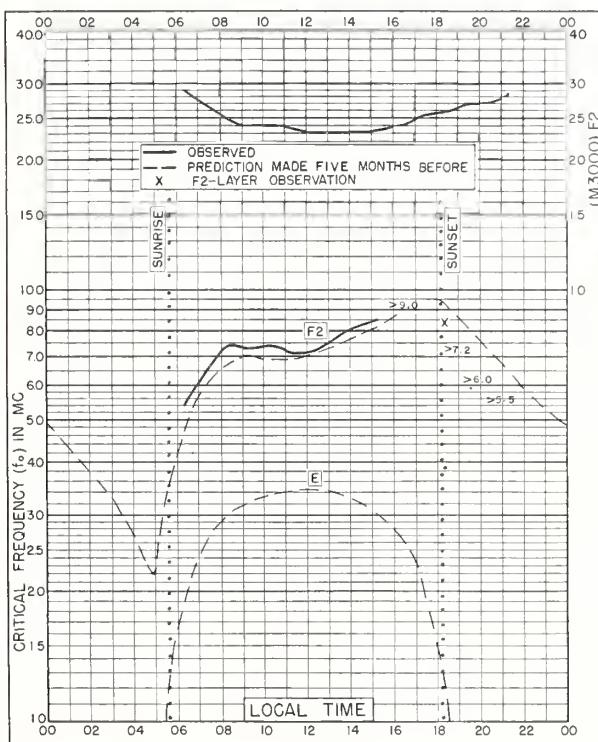


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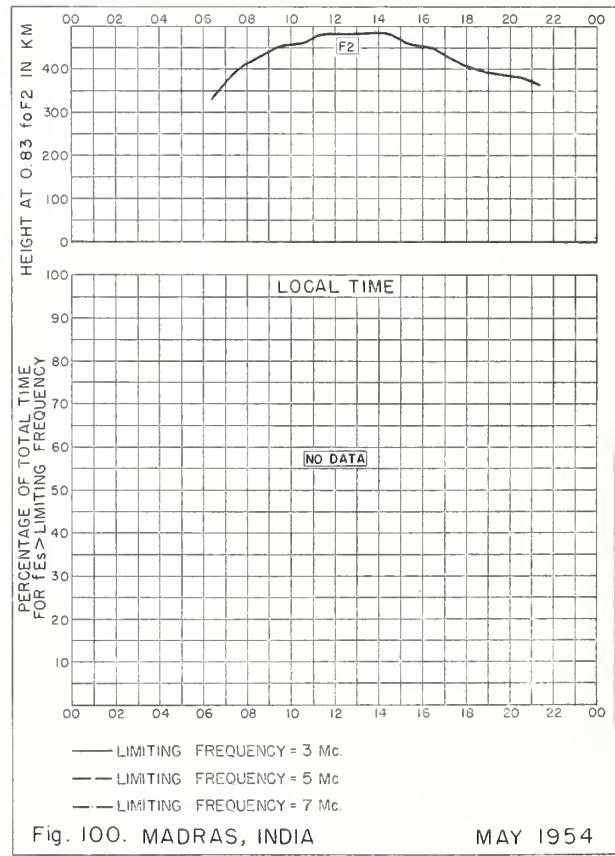


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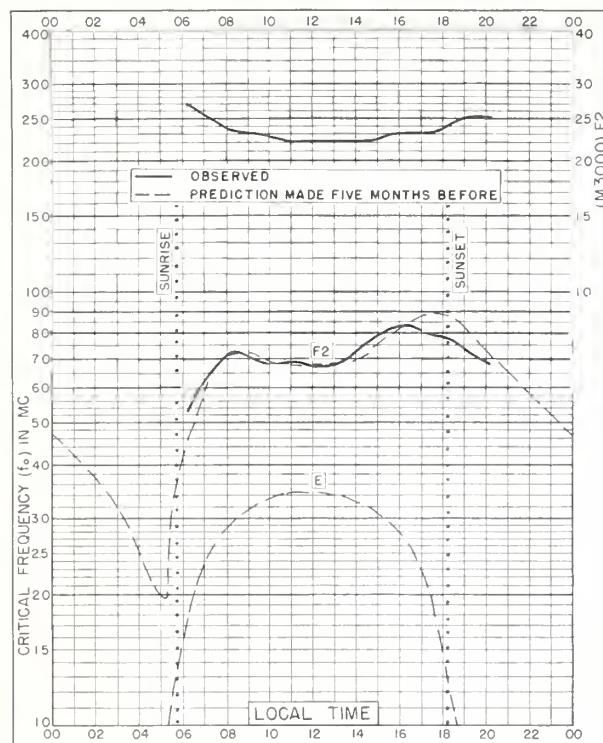


Fig. 101. TIRUCHY, INDIA  
10. 8°N, 78. 8°E

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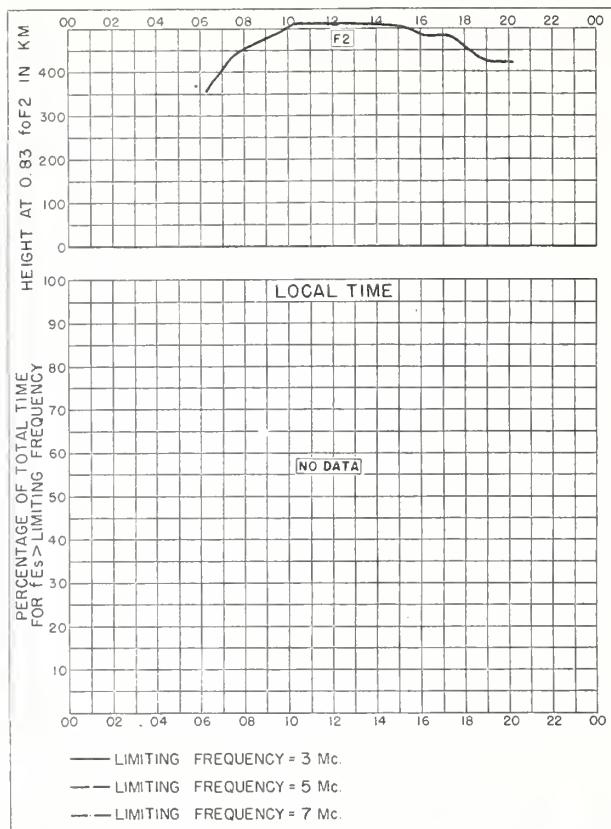


Fig. 102. TIRUCHY, INDIA

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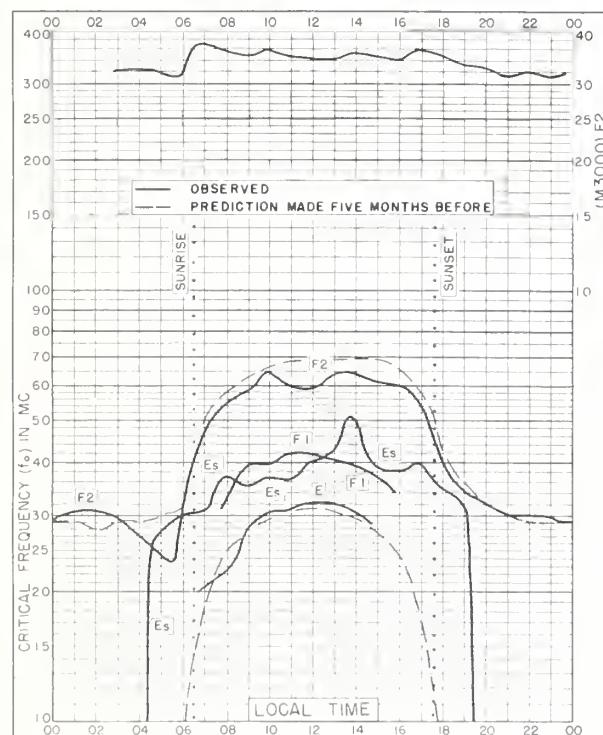


Fig. 103. TOWNSVILLE, AUSTRALIA

19. 3°S, 146. 7°E

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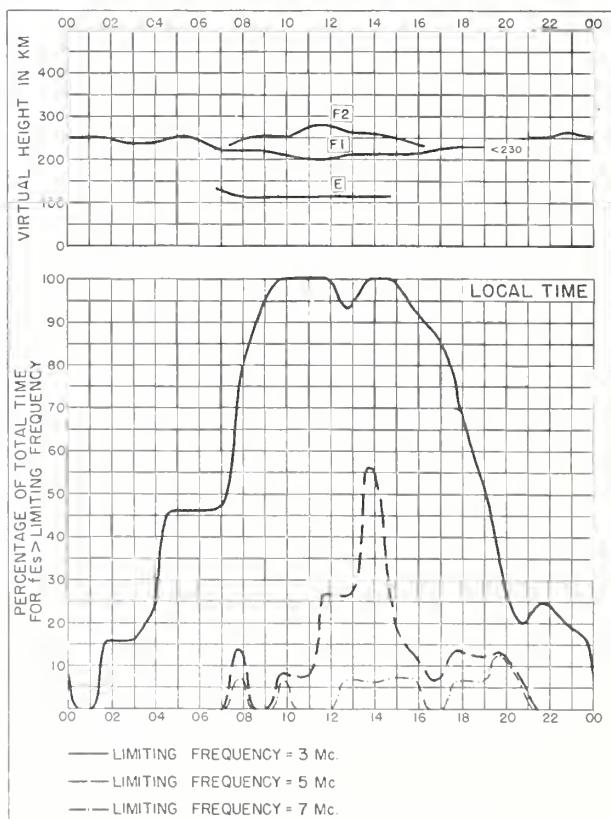


Fig. 104. TOWNSVILLE, AUSTRALIA

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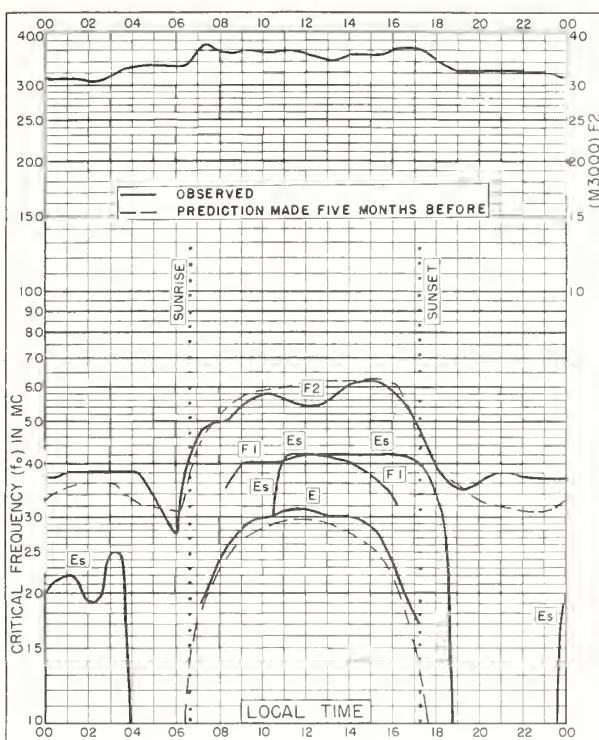


Fig. 105. BRISBANE, AUSTRALIA  
27.5°S, 153.0°E MAY 1954

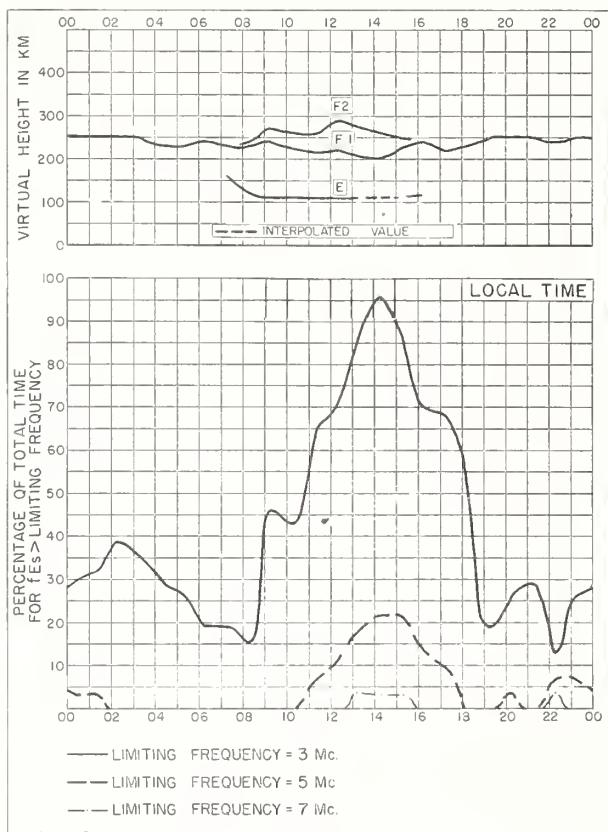


Fig. 106. BRISBANE, AUSTRALIA MAY 1954

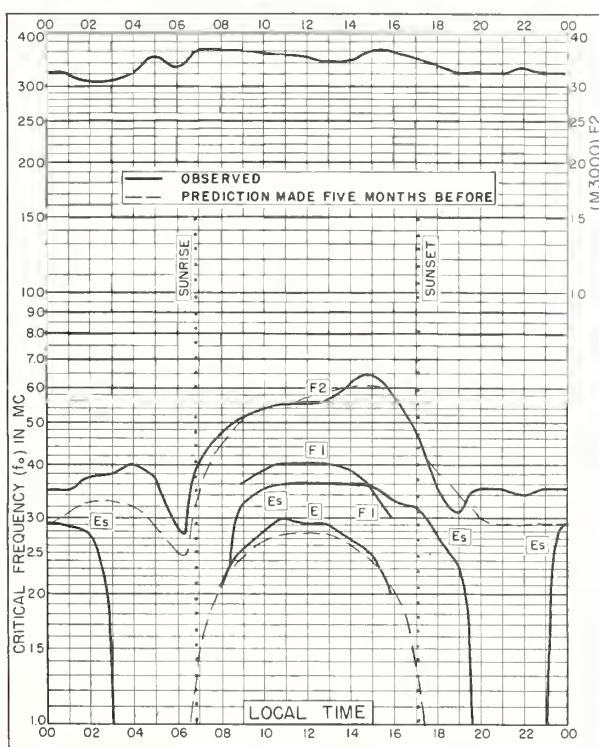


Fig. 107. CANBERRA, AUSTRALIA  
35.3°S, 149.0°E MAY 1954

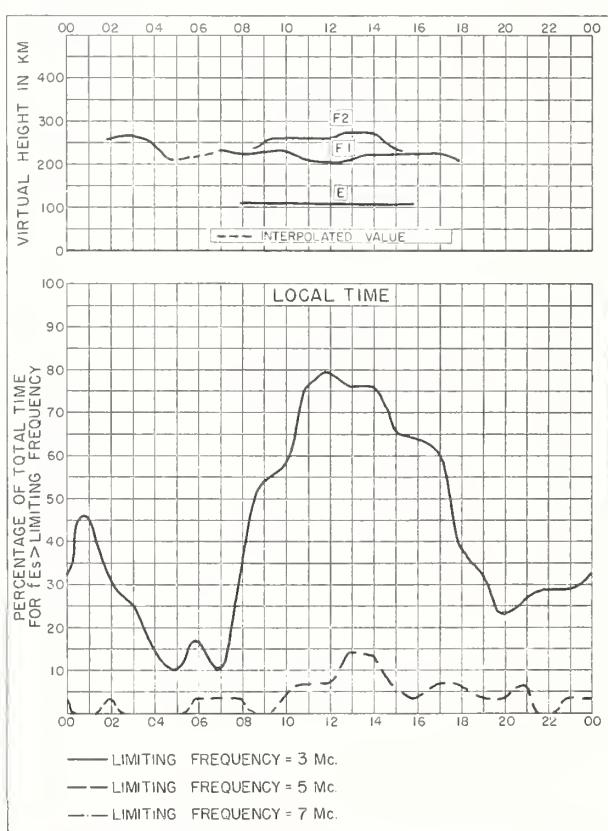


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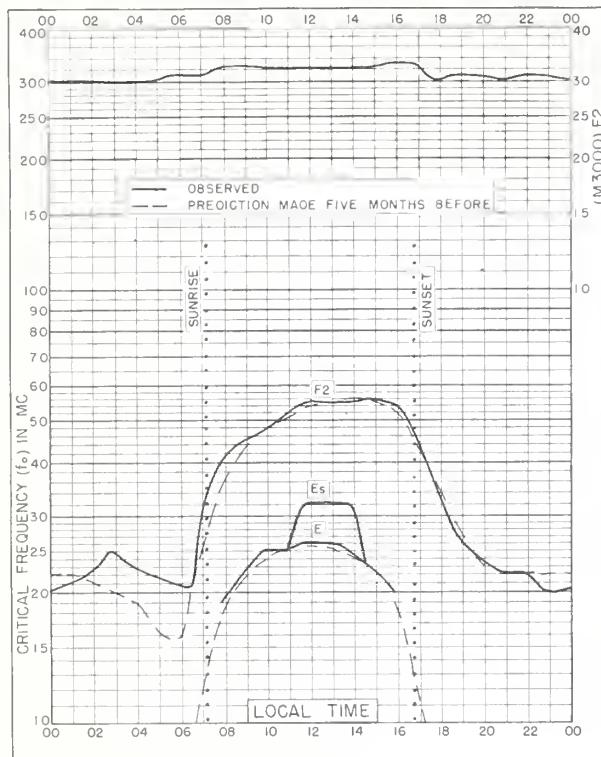


Fig. 109. HOBART, TASMANIA  
42.9°S, 147.3°E MAY 1954

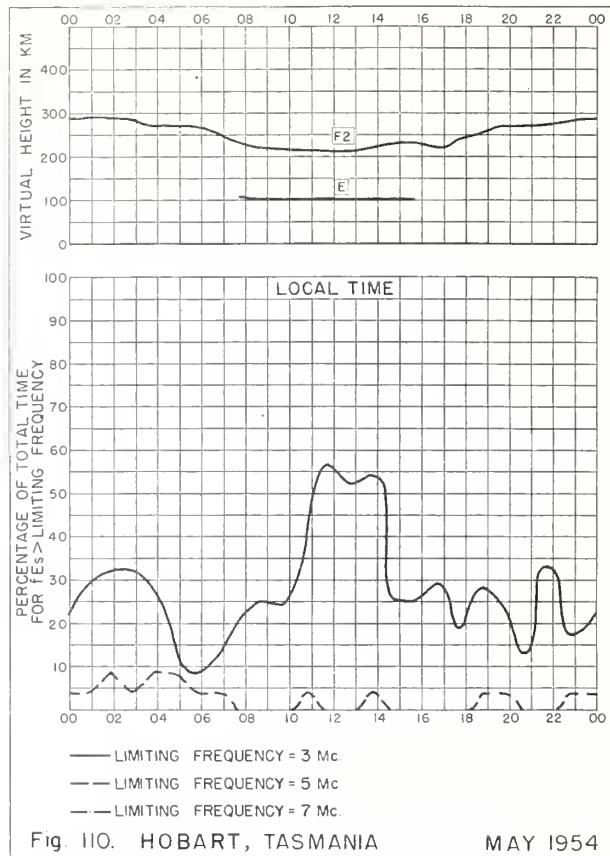


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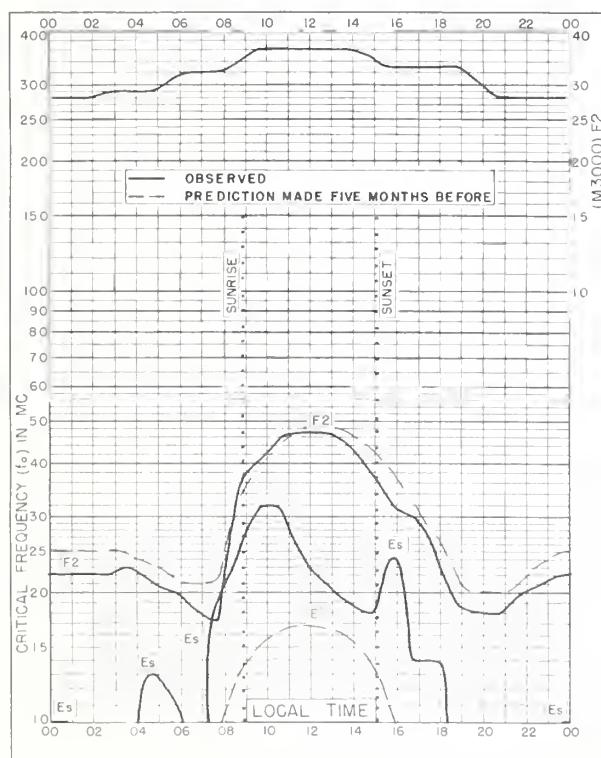


Fig. 111. PORT LOCKROY  
64.8°S, 63.5°W MAY 1954

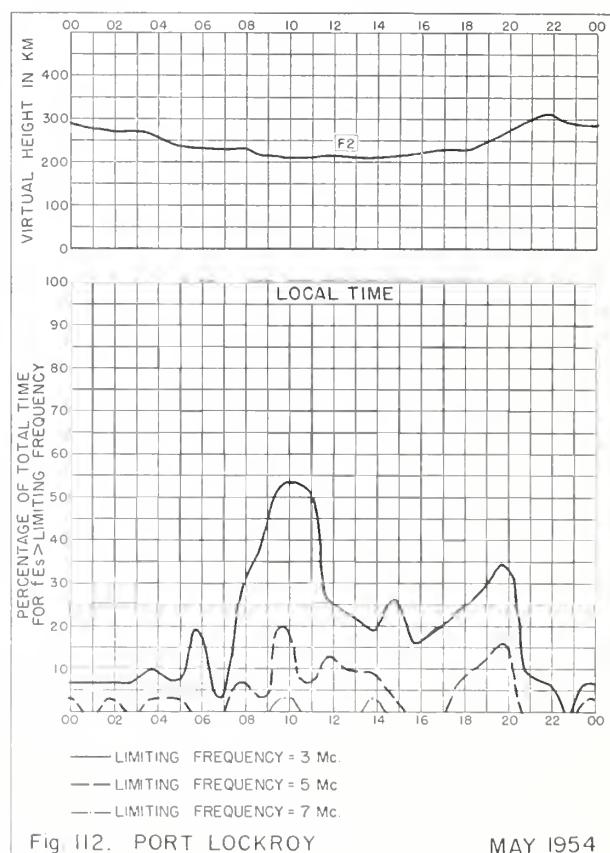


Fig. 112. PORT LOCKROY MAY 1954

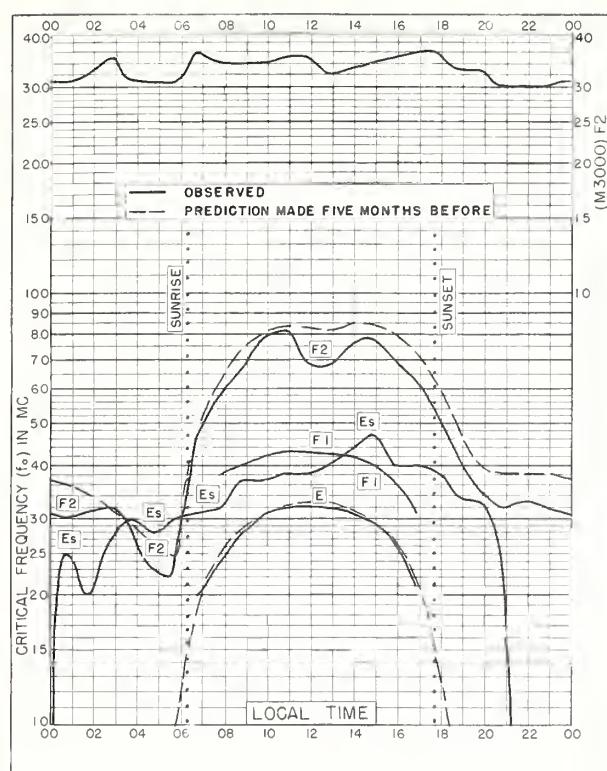


Fig. 113. TOWNSVILLE, AUSTRALIA  
19.3°S, 146.7°E APRIL 1954

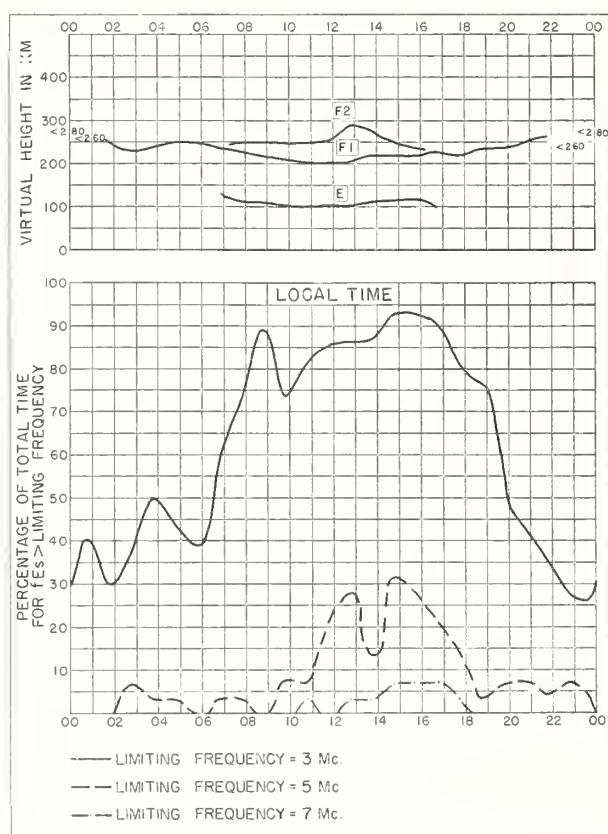


Fig. 114. TOWNSVILLE, AUSTRALIA APRIL 1954

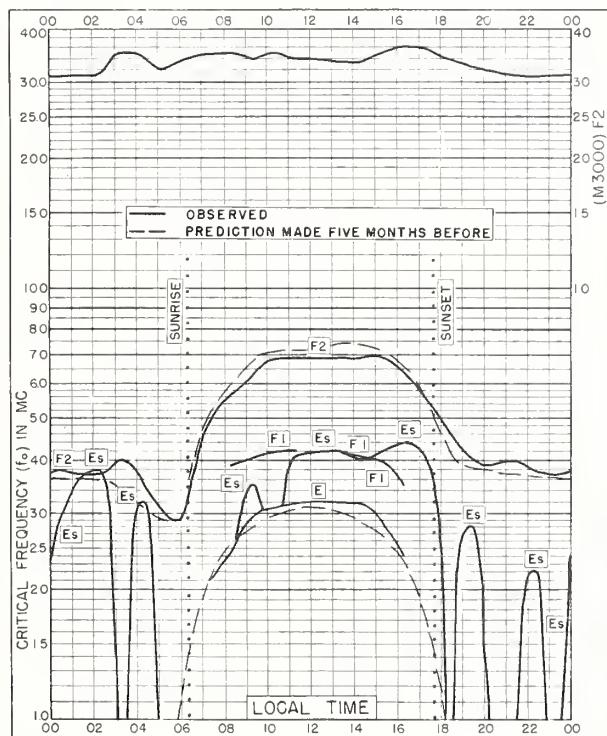


Fig. 115. BRISBANE, AUSTRALIA  
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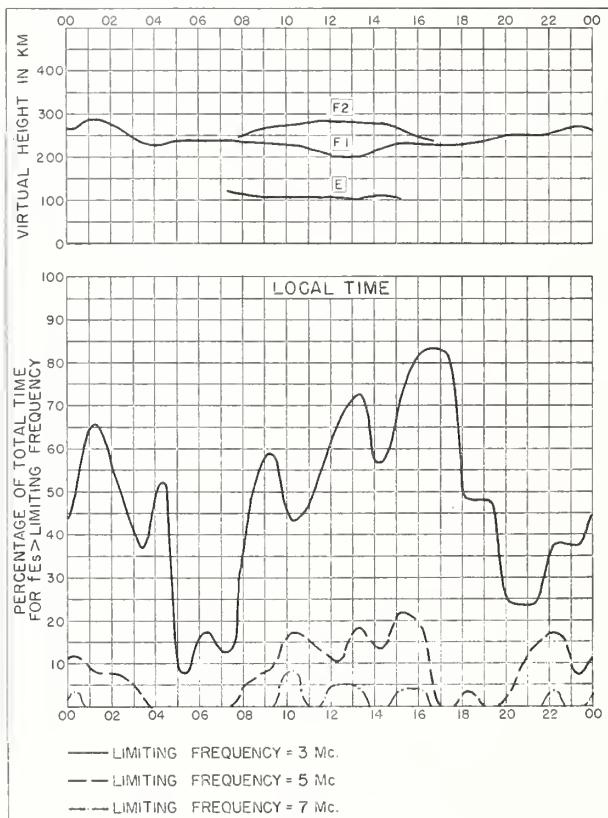


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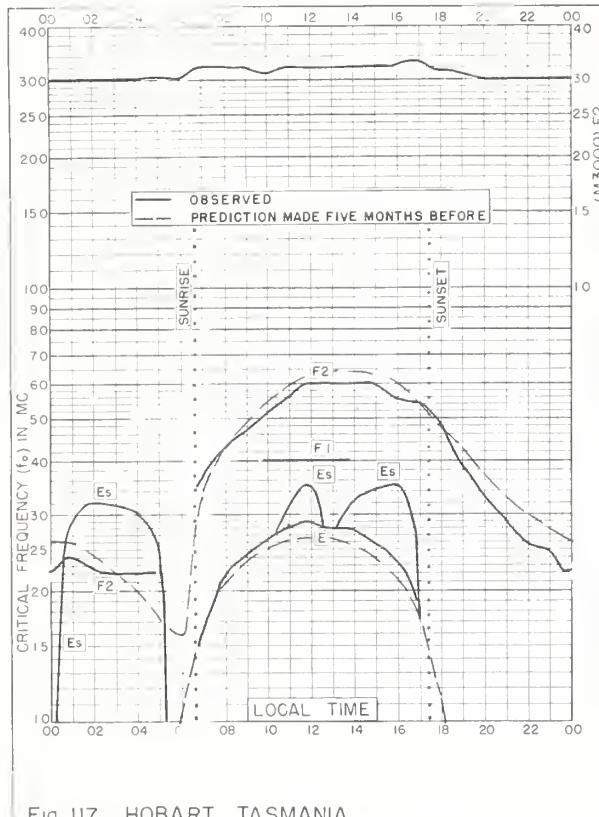


Fig. 117. HOBART, TASMANIA  
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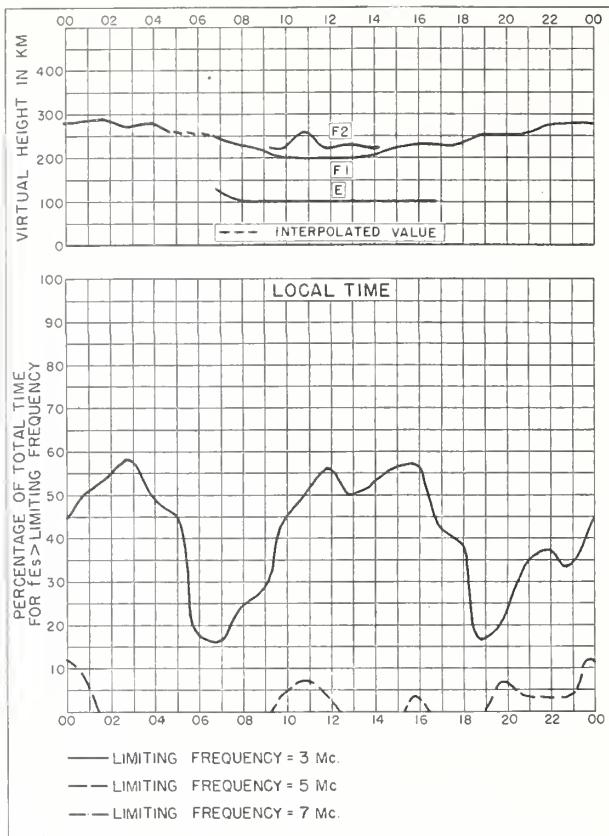


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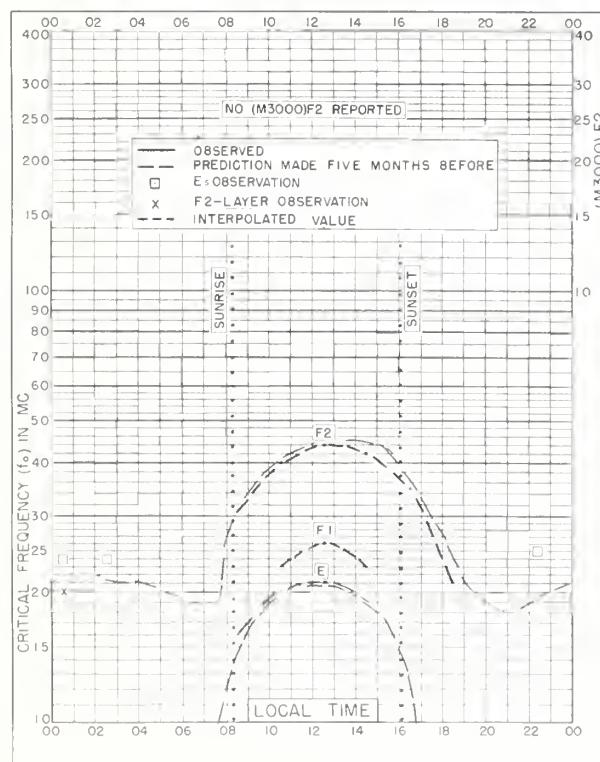


Fig. 119. LULEA, SWEDEN  
65.6°N, 22.1°E      FEBRUARY 1954

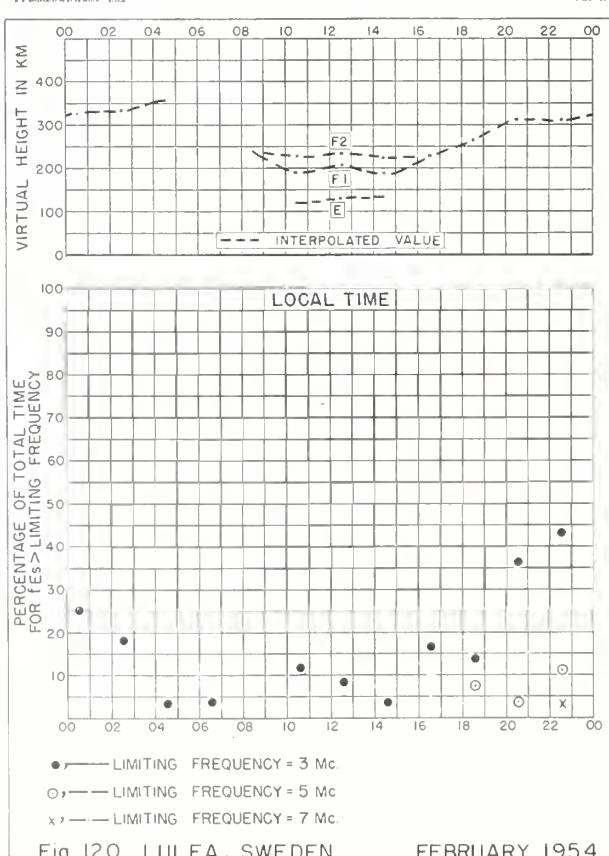


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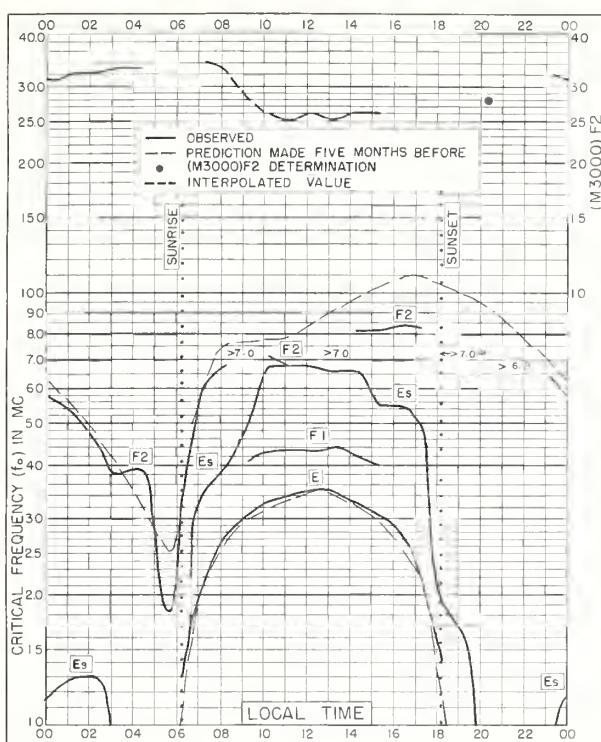


Fig. 121. IBADAN, NIGERIA  
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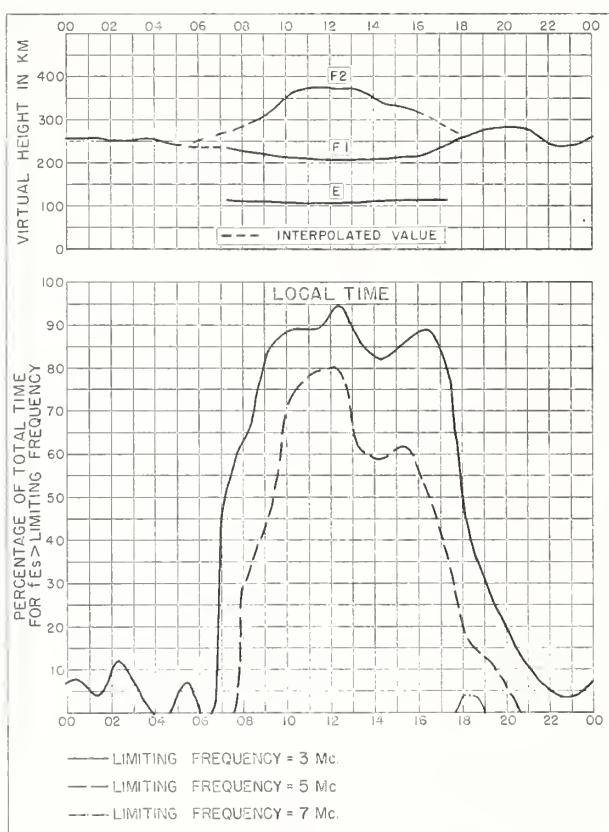


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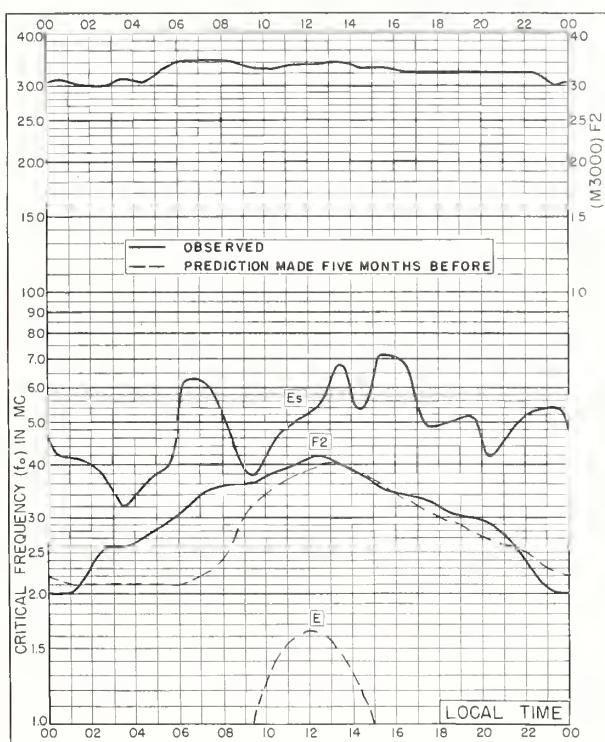


Fig. 123. GODHAVN, GREENLAND  
69.2°N, 53.5°W JANUARY 1954

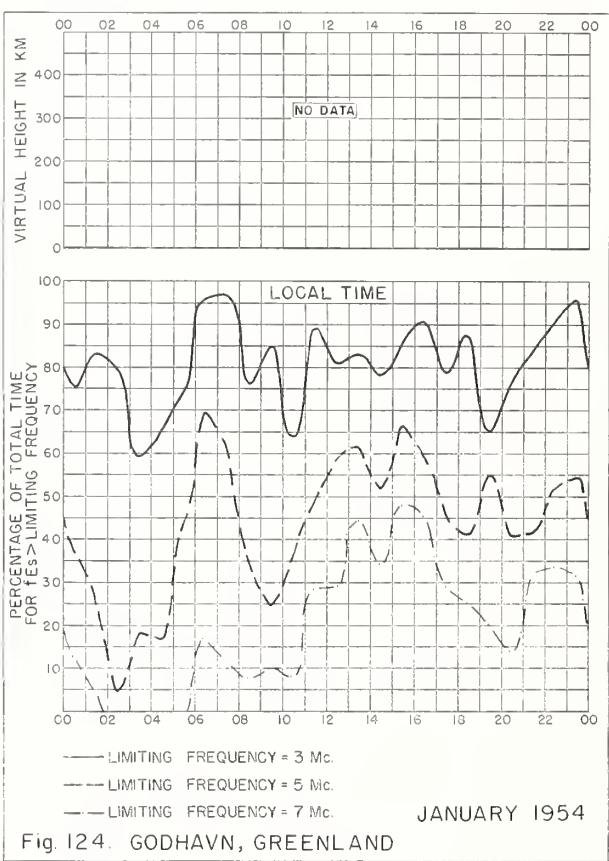


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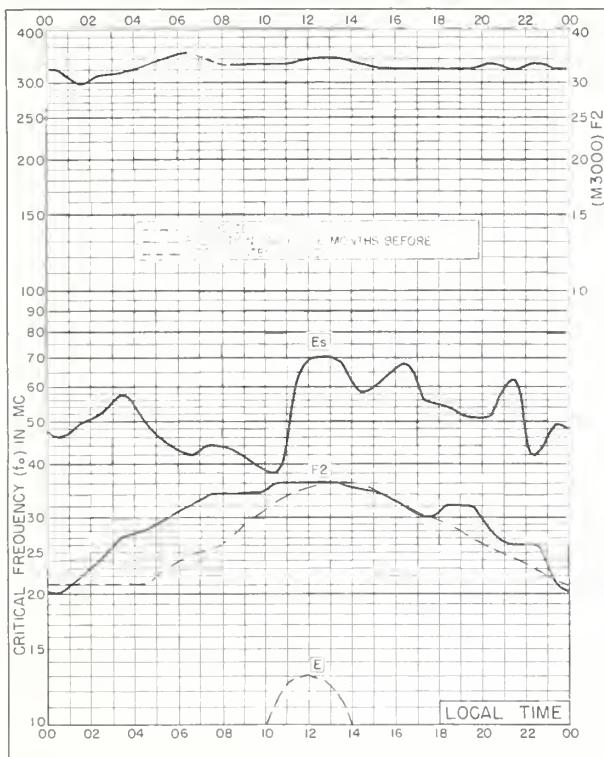


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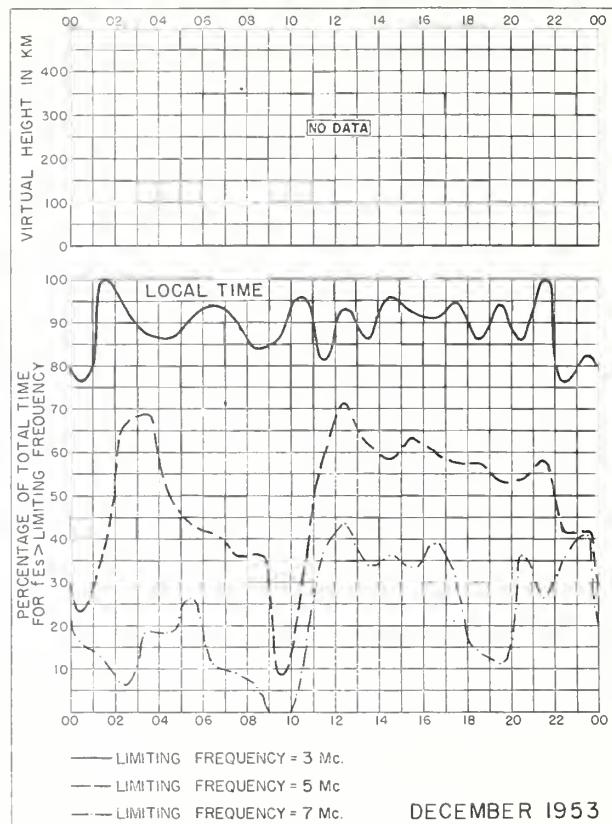


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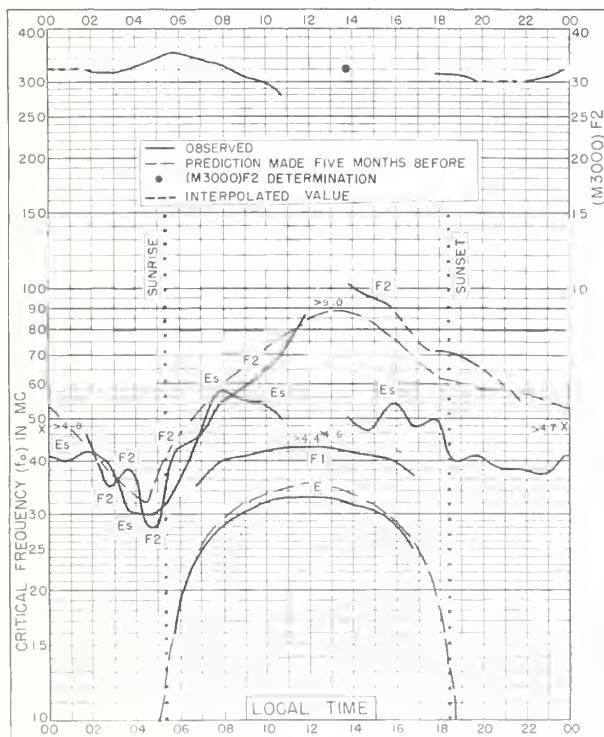


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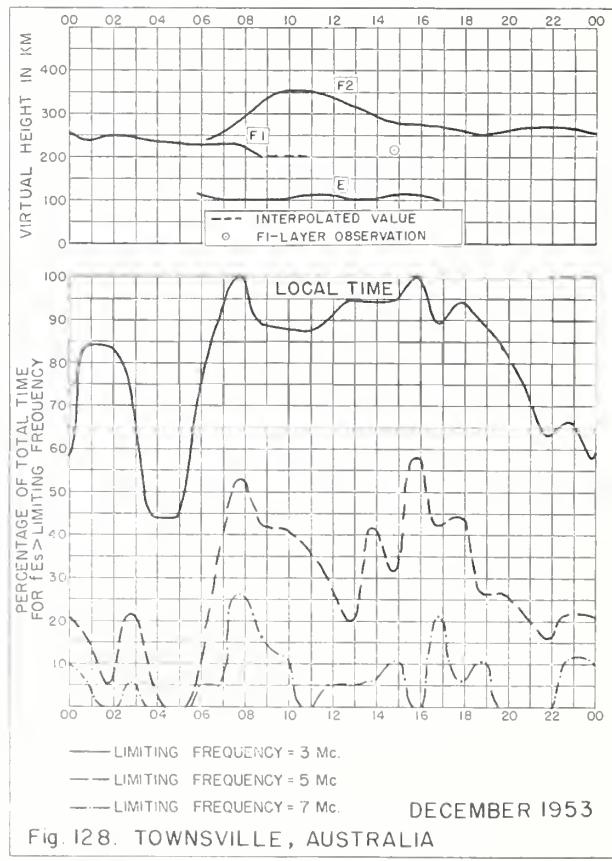


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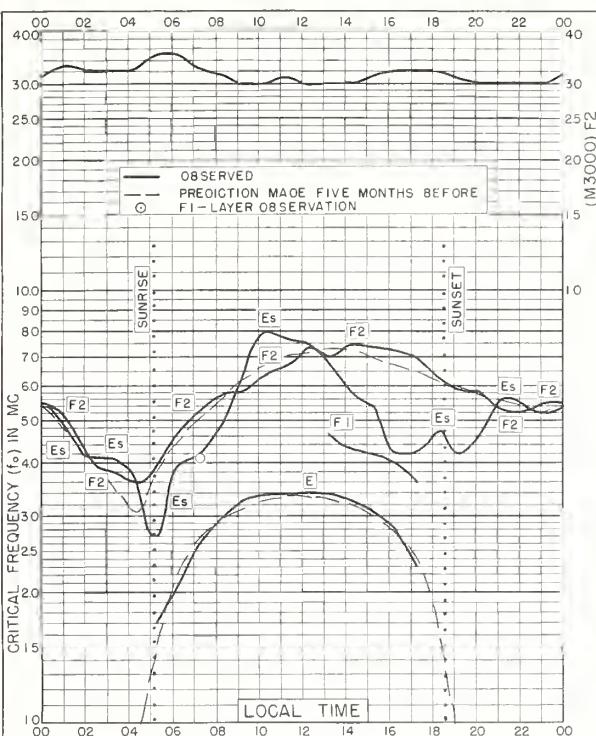


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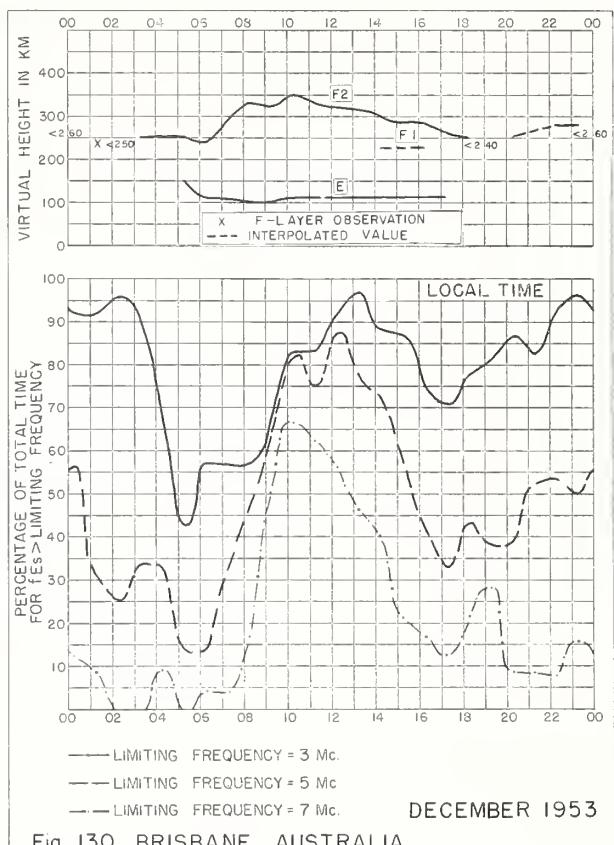


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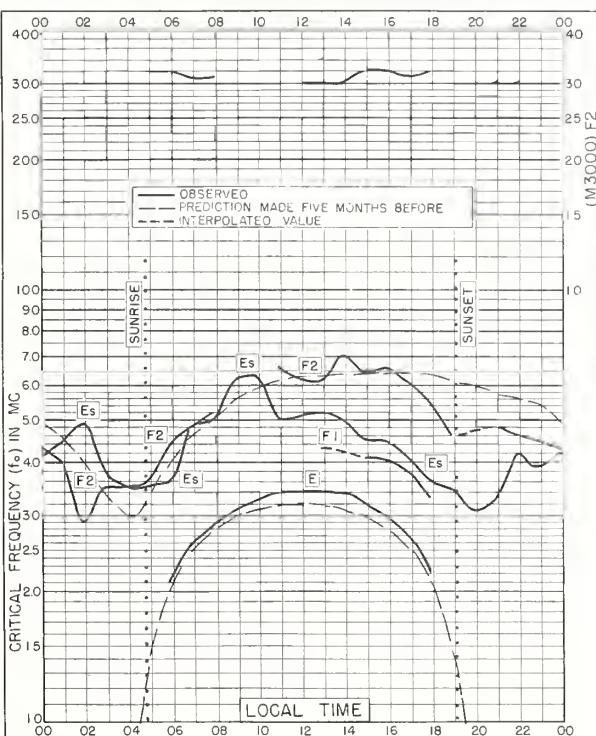


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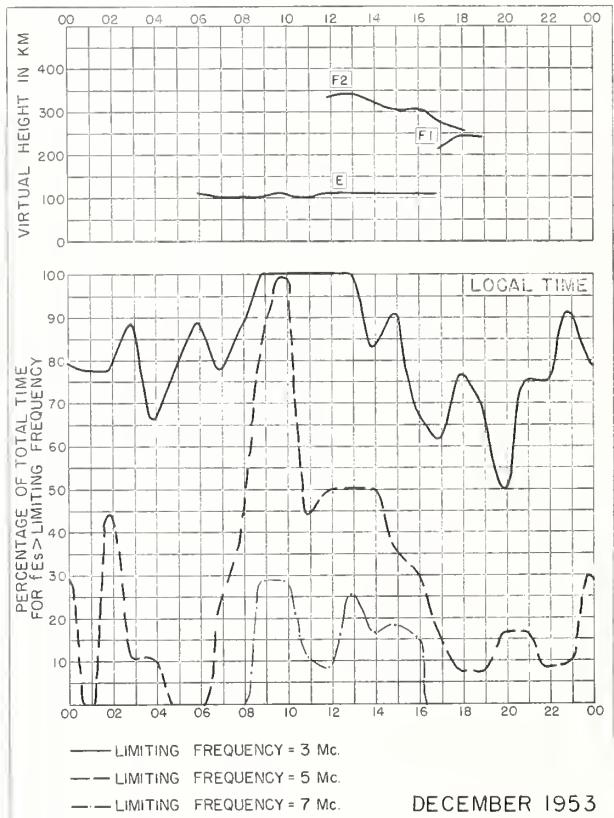
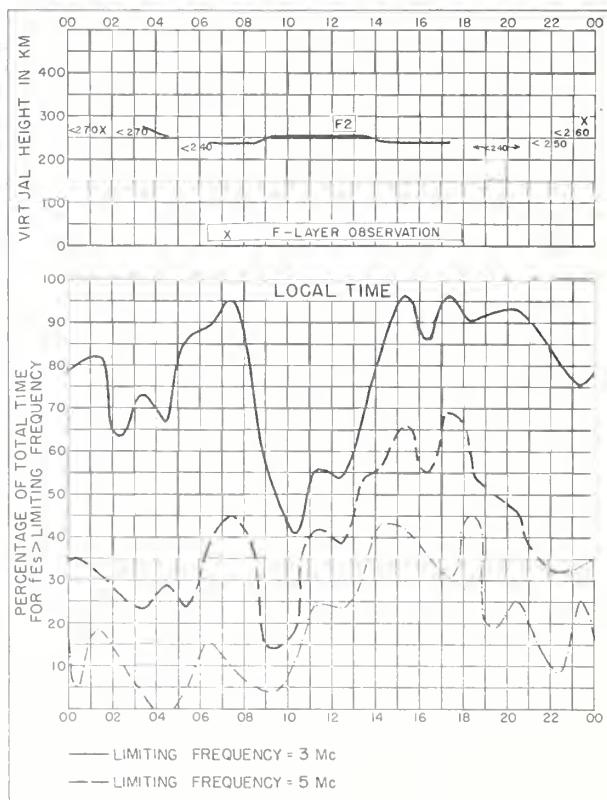
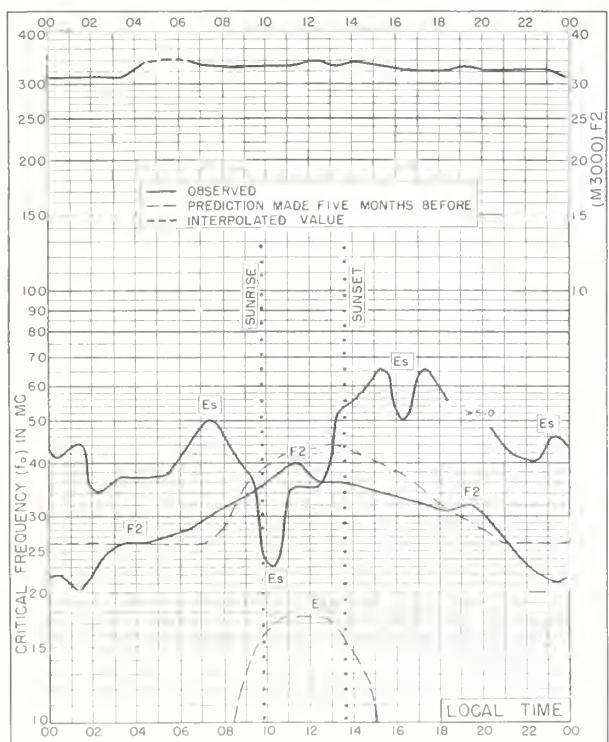
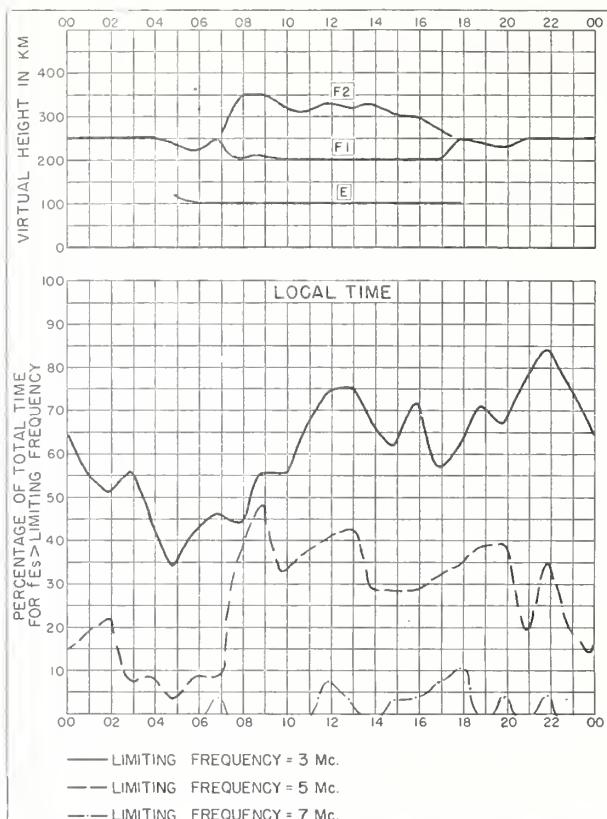
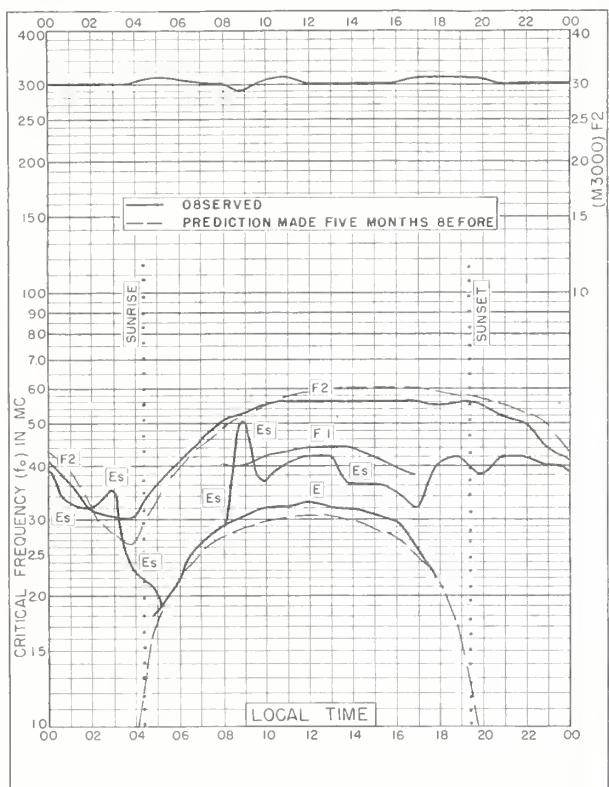


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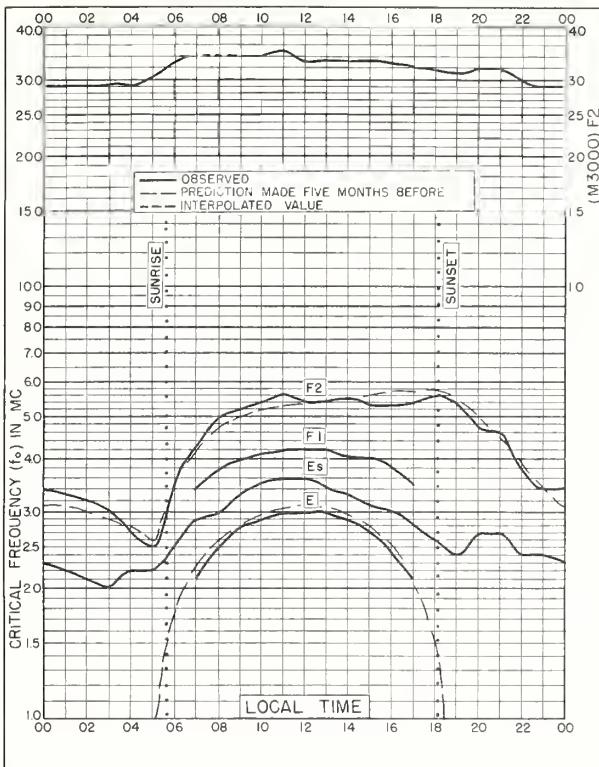


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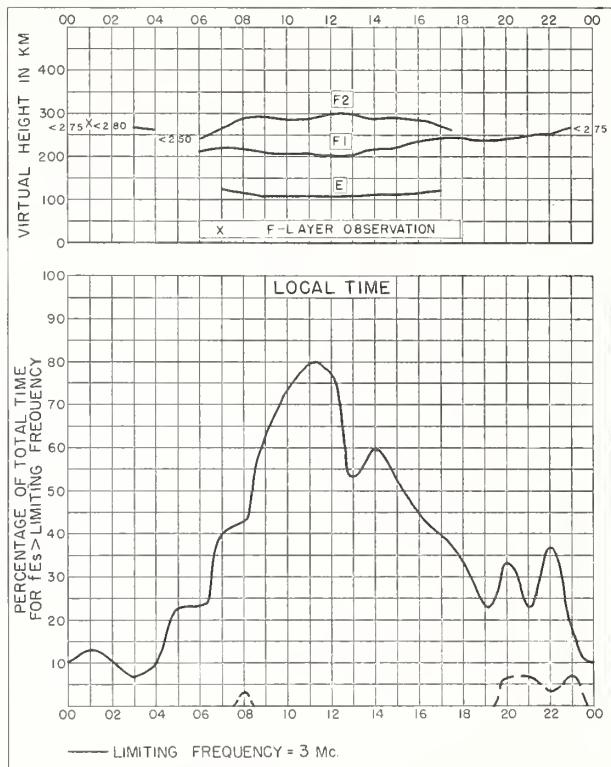


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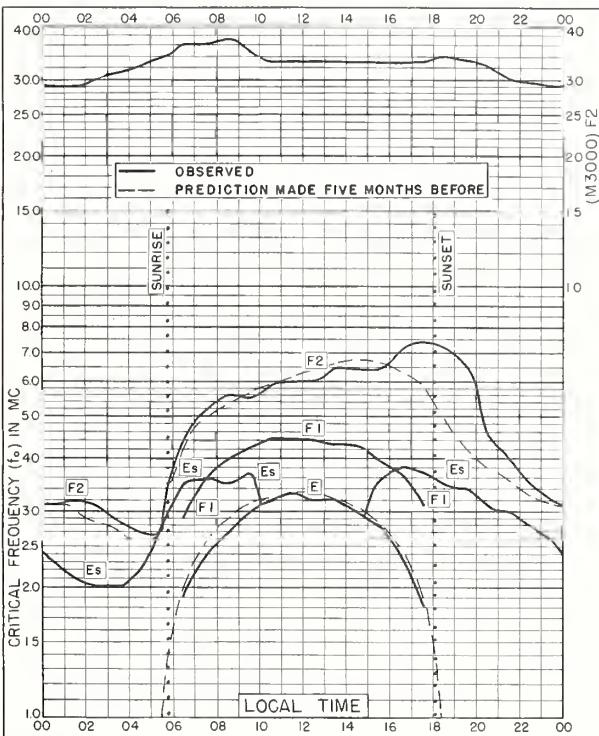


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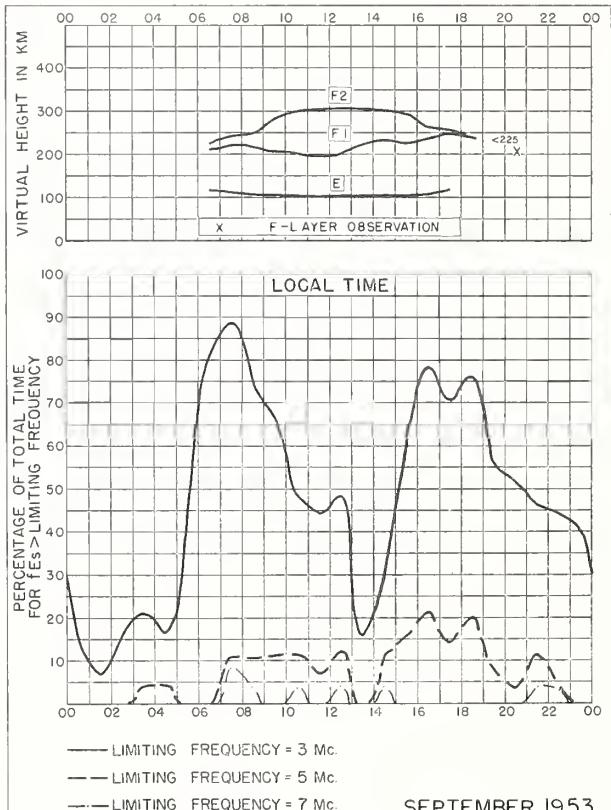


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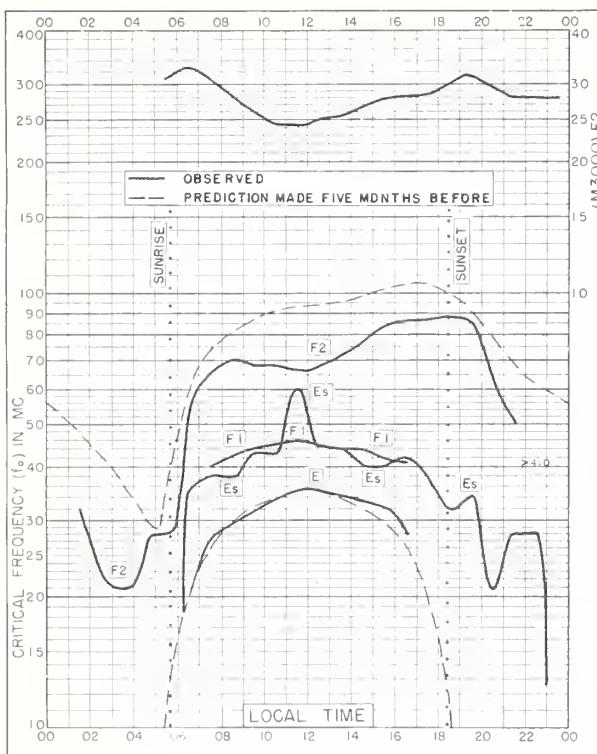
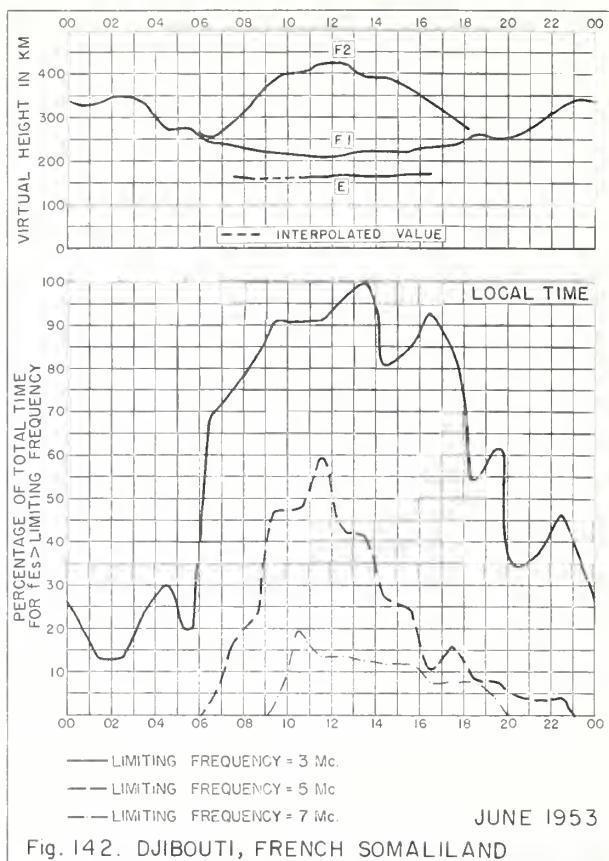


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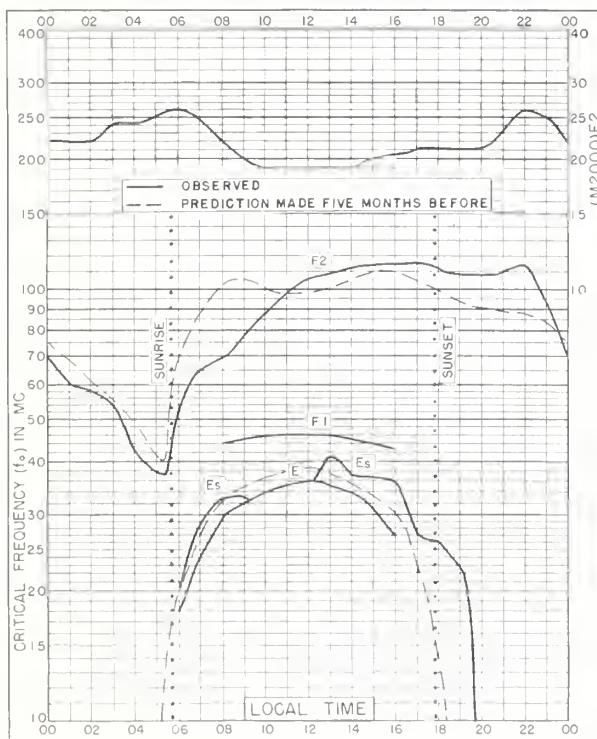
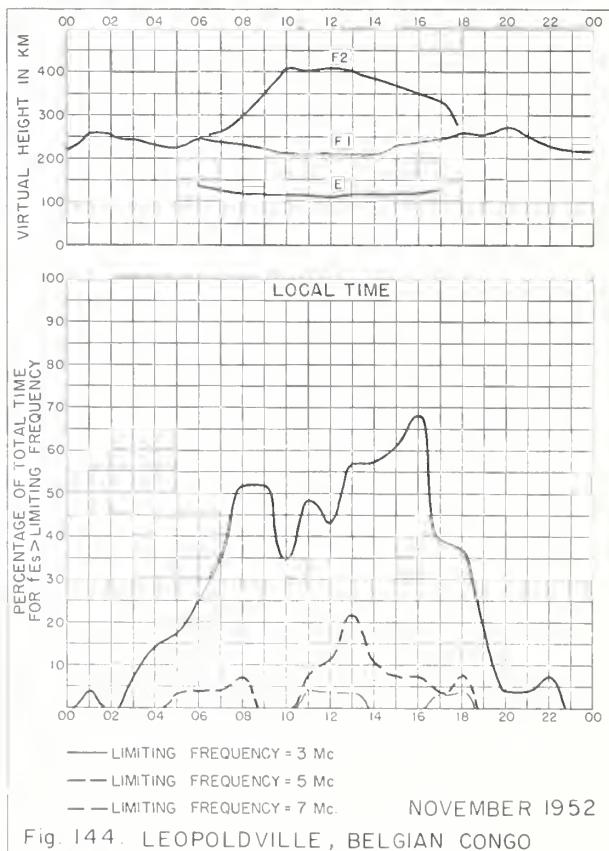


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