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## SYMBOLS, TERMINOLOGY, CONVENTIONS

Beginning with data reported for January 1949, 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 Fifth Meeting of the International Radio Consultative Committee (C.C.I.R.) in Stockholm, 1948, and given in detail on pages 2 to 10 of the report CRPL-F53, "Ionospheric Data," issued January 1949.

For symbols and terminology used with data prior to January 1949, see report IRPL-C61, "Report of International Radio Propagation Conference, Washington, 17 April to 5 May, 1944," previous issues of the F series, in particular, IRPL-F5, CRPL-F24, F33, F50, and report CRPL-7-1, "Preliminary Instructions for Obtaining and Reducing Manual Ionospheric Records."

Following the recommendations of the Washington (1944) and Stockholm (1948) conferences, 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.

In addition to the conventions for the determination of medians given in Appendix 5 of Document No. 293 E of the Stockholm conference, which are listed on pages 9 and 10 of CRPL-F53, 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 on pages 2-9 of CRPL-F53 (Appendices 1-4 of Document No. 293 E referred to above).

### a. For all ionospheric characteristics:

Values missing because of A, B, C, F, L, M, N, Q, R, S, or T (see terminology referred to above) are omitted from the median count.

### b. For critical frequencies and virtual heights:

Values of foF2 (and foE near sunrise and sunset) missing because of E are counted as equal to or less than the lower limit of the recorder. Values of h'F2 (and h'E near sunrise and sunset) missing for this reason are counted as equal to or greater than the median. Other characteristics missing because of E are omitted from the median count.

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

Values missing because of G are counted:

1. For  $f_{oF2}$ , as equal to or less than  $f_{oF1}$ .
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 (no Es reflections observed, the equipment functioning normally otherwise) are counted as equal to or less than the median  $f_{oE}$ , or equal to or less than the lower frequency count of the recorder.

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

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

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

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

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

The same conventions are used by the CRPL in computing the medians from tabulations of daily and hourly data for stations other than Washington, beginning with the tables in 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 Zurich sunspot numbers were used in constructing the contour charts:

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

## WORLD - WIDE SOURCES OF IONOSPHERIC DATA

The ionospheric data given here in tables 1 to 49 and figures 1 to 95 were assembled by the Central Radio Propagation Laboratory for analysis and correlation, incidental to CRPL prediction of radio propagation conditions. The data are median values unless otherwise indicated. The following are the sources of the data in this issue:

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

Brisbane, Australia

Canberra, Australia

Hobart, Tasmania

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

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

Domont, France

Poitiers, France

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

Lindau/Harz, Germany

The Royal Netherlands Meteorological Institute:

De Bilt, Holland

All India Radio (Government of India), New Delhi, India:

Bombay, India

Delhi, India

Madras, India

Tiruchi (Tiruchirapalli), India

Radio Regulatory Commission, Tokyo, Japan:

Akita, Japan

Tokyo (Kokubunji), Japan

Wakkanai, Japan

Yamagawa, Japan

Radio Wave Research Laboratories, National Taiman University, Taipeh,

Formosa, China:

Formosa, China

Christchurch Geophysical Observatory, New Zealand Department of Scientific  
and Industrial Research:

Campbell I.

Christchurch, New Zealand

Rarotonga, Cook Is.

Norwegian Defense Research Establishment, Kjeller per Lillestrom, Norway:

Oslo, Norway

South African Council for Scientific and Industrial Research:

Capetown, Union of South Africa

Johannesburg, Union of South Africa

United States Army Signal Corps:

Okinawa I.

National Bureau of Standards (Central Radio Propagation Laboratory):

Baton Rouge, Louisiana (Louisiana State University)

Boston, Massachusetts (Harvard University)

Guam I.

Huancayo, Peru (Instituto Geofisico de Huancayo)

Maui, Hawaii

San Francisco, California (Stanford University)

San Juan, Puerto Rico (University of Puerto Rico)

Trinidad, British West Indies

Washington, D. C.

White Sands, New Mexico

## HOURLY IONOSPHERIC DATA AT WASHINGTON, D. C.

The data given in tables 50 to 61 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 62 presents ionosphere character figures for Washington, D. C., during January 1951, 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

Table 63 gives provisional radio propagation quality figures for the North Atlantic and North Pacific areas, for 01 to 12 and 13 to 24 GCT, December 1950, compared with the CRPL daily radio disturbance warnings, which are primarily for the North Atlantic paths, the CRPL weekly radio propagation forecasts of probable disturbed periods, and the half-day Cheltenham, Maryland, geomagnetic K-figures.

The radio propagation quality figures are prepared from radio traffic and ionospheric data reported to the CRPL, in a manner basically the same as that described in IRPL-R31, "North Atlantic Radio Propagation Disturbances, October 1943 through October 1945," issued February 1, 1946. The scale conversions for each report are revised for use with the data beginning January 1948, and statistical weighting replaces what was, in effect, subjective weighting. Separate master distribution curves of the type described in IRPL-R31 were derived for the part of 1946 covered by each report; data received only since 1946 are compared with the master curve for the period of the available data. A report whose distribution is the same as the master is thereby converted linearly to the Q-figure scale. Each report is given a statistical weight which is the reciprocal

of the departure from linearity. The half-daily radio propagation quality figure, beginning January 1948, is the weighted mean of the reports received for that period.

These radio propagation quality figures give a consensus of opinion of actual radio propagation conditions as reported by the half day over the two general areas. It should be borne in mind, however, that though the quality may be disturbed according to the CRPL scale, the cause of the disturbance is not necessarily known. There are many variables that must be considered. In addition to ionospheric storminess itself as the cause, conditions may be reported as disturbed because of seasonal characteristics such as are particularly evident in the pronounced day and night contrast over North Pacific paths during the winter months, or because of improper frequency usage for the path and time of day in question. Insofar as possible, frequency usage is included in rating the reports. Where the actual frequency is not shown in the report to the CRPL, it has been assumed that the report is made on the use of optimum working frequencies for the path and time of day in question. Since there is a possibility that all disturbance shown by the quality figures is not due to ionospheric storminess alone, care should be taken in using the quality figures in research correlations with solar, auroral, geomagnetic, or other data. Nevertheless, these quality figures do reflect a consensus of opinion of actual radio propagation conditions as found on any one half day in either of the two general areas.

#### RELATIVE SUNSPOT NUMBERS

Table 64 lists the daily provisional Zurich relative sunspot numbers,  $R_Z^*$ , as communicated by the Swiss Federal Observatory. The American sunspot numbers which in the past were included in this table are now being prepared on a slower schedule and therefore do not appear in this issue.

## OBSERVATIONS OF THE SOLAR CORONA

Table 65 through 67 give the observations of the solar corona during January 1951 obtained at Climax, Colorado, by the High Altitude Observatory of Harvard University and the University of Colorado. Tables 68 through 70 list the coronal observations obtained at Sacramento Peak, New Mexico, during January 1951, derived by the High Altitude Observatory from spectrograms taken by Harvard University as a part of its performance of an Air Materiel Command research and development contract administered by the Air Force Cambridge Research Laboratories. The data are listed separately for east and west limbs at 5-degree intervals of position angle north and south of the Solar Equator at the limb. The time of observation is given to the nearest tenth of a day, GCT.

Table 65 gives the intensities of the green (5303A) line of the emission spectrum of the solar corona; table 66 gives similarly the intensities of the first red (6374A) coronal line; and table 67, the intensities of the second red (6702A) coronal line; all observed at Climax in January 1951.

Table 68 gives the intensities of the green (5303A) coronal line; table 69, the intensities of the first red (6374A) coronal line; and table 70, the intensities of the second red (6702A) coronal line; all observed at Sacramento Peak in January 1951.

The following symbols are used in tables 65 through 70: a, observation of low weight; -, corona not visible; and X, position angle not included in plate estimates.

## OBSERVATIONS OF SOLAR FLARES

Table 71 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 Boulder, Colorado. The remainder report to Meudon (Paris), and the data are taken from the Paris URSGram broadcast, monitored fairly regularly by the CRPL. The data on solar flares reported from 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 72 lists various indices of geomagnetic activity based on data from magnetic observatories widely distributed throughout the world. The indices are: (1) preliminary mean 3-hourly K-indices,  $K_w$ ; (2) preliminary international character-figures, C; (3) geomagnetic planetary three-hour-range indices,  $K_p$ ; (4) magnetically selected quiet and disturbed days.

$K_w$  is the arithmetic mean of the K-indices from all reporting observatories for each three hours of the Greenwich day, on a scale 0 (very quiet) to 9 (extremely disturbed). 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.

K<sub>p</sub> is the mean standardized K-index from 11 observatories between geomagnetic latitudes 47 and 63 degrees. The scale is 0 to 9, expressed in thirds of a unit, e.g., 5- is 4 2/3, 50 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. Tables of K<sub>p</sub> for 1945-48 are in Bulletin 12b; for 1940-44 and 1949, in these CEPL-F reports, F65-67; for 1950, monthly in F68 and following issues. Current tables are also published quarterly in the Journal of Geophysical Research along with data on sudden commencements (sc) and solar flare effects (sfe).

The Committee on Characterization of Magnetic Disturbance, ATME, IUGG, has kindly supplied this table. The Meteorological Office, De Bilt, Holland, collects the data and compiles K<sub>w</sub>, C and selected days. The Chairman of the Committee computes the planetary index.

### SUDDEN IONOSPHERE DISTURBANCES

Tables 73, 74, and 75 list the sudden ionosphere disturbances observed at Fort Belvoir, Virginia, January 1951; at Riverhead, New York, January 1951; and Lindau/Harz, Germany, November 1950, respectively.

## TABLES OF IONOSPHERIC DATA

Table 1

Washington, D. C. (38.7°N, 77.1°W)		January 1951					
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs (M3000)F2
00	280	2.7				2.9	
01	290	2.7				2.9	
02	290	2.9				2.8	
03	280	3.0				2.9	
04	260	3.2				3.0	
05	250	3.0				3.0	
06	260	2.7				3.0	
07	250	3.1				3.1	
08	230	3.4	---	---	110	2.0	3.4
09	240	6.5	230	---	110	2.4	4.7
10	250	7.8	220	---	110	2.7	2.4
11	250	8.2	230	---	110	3.0	3.3
12	250	8.4	210	---	110	3.0	3.2
13	260	8.3	210	---	110	3.0	3.2
14	260	8.1	220	---	110	2.8	3.2
15	250	7.8	220	---	110	2.6	3.2
16	240	7.5	220	---	110	2.2	3.2
17	230	7.1	---	---			3.2
18	230	6.3					3.2
19	230	5.1					3.2
20	240	3.9					3.1
21	260	3.2					3.0
22	280	3.0					3.0
23	(280)	2.8					2.9

Time: 75.0°W.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 15 seconds.

Table 3

De Bilt, Holland (52.1°N, 5.2°E)		December 1950					
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs (M3000)F2
00	290	2.6				2.6	3.0
01	290	(2.8)				2.7	3.0
02	300	(2.5)				2.5	3.0
03	300	(2.3)				2.8	2.9
04	300	(2.2)				3.0	(2.9)
05	280	(2.0)				2.8	3.1
06	260	(2.0)				2.8	(3.0)
07	270	(2.6)	---	E	2.4	(3.1)	
08	220	4.5	140	1.9	2.5	3.4	
09	200	6.4	120	2.2	3.0	3.5	
10	210	7.0	---	110	2.4	3.0	3.6
11	220	7.3	200	3.3	120	2.5	3.5
12	---	7.6	210	---	120	2.5	3.1
13	210	7.2	---	120	2.4	3.0	3.5
14	210	6.9	120	2.3	3.0	3.5	
15	200	6.4	160	1.9	2.9	3.5	
16	200	5.5	---	E	2.8	3.4	
17	220	4.2			2.9	3.3	
18	200	3.3				3.3	
19	270	3.0				3.1	
20	220	2.6				3.0	
21	300	(2.5)				3.0	
22	300	(2.8)				2.0	2.9
23	300	(2.8)				2.4	2.8

Time: 0.0°.

Sweep: 1.4 Mc to 16.0 Mc in 7 minutes, automatic operation.

Table 5

San Francisco, California (37.4°N, 122.2°W)		December 1950					
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs (M3000)F2
00	280	(3.2)				2.8	3.1
01	280	3.0				2.8	3.1
02	300	2.9				2.3	3.0
03	290	3.0					3.0
04	280	3.0					3.0
05	280	3.0					3.0
06	280	(3.2)					3.1
07	240	(4.0)					3.1
08	220	6.6	120	(2.2)			3.5
09	230	7.4	---	3.9	120	(2.6)	2.8
10	230	7.6	210	4.3	120	(3.1)	3.4
11	230	8.5	(220)	4.2	120	(3.2)	3.3
12	240	9.4	210	---	110	---	3.3
13	240	8.7	---	---	120	---	3.3
14	240	8.6	---	---	110	(2.9)	3.3
15	230	8.0	---	---	110	2.7	3.4
16	220	7.6	110	---		2.8	3.4
17	220	6.2				3.0	3.4
18	220	4.3				3.0	3.4
19	240	3.0				2.8	3.3
20	260	2.7				2.7	3.4
21	280	(2.6)				2.8	3.2
22	290	(2.8)				2.8	3.0
23	300	3.1				2.9	3.0

Time: 120.0°W.

Sweep: 1.3 Mc to 18.0 Mc in 4 minutes.

Table 2

Oslo, Norway (60.0°N, 11.0°E)		December 1950					
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs (M3000)F2
00	360	(1.9)					
01	350	(1.8)					
02	330	(1.6)					
03	320	1.8					
04	320	1.7					
05	320	1.7					
06	300	1.7					
07	300	1.8					
08	250	(2.3)					
09	220	(4.3)					
10	220	5.4					
11	220	6.0	---	---	---		
12	220	6.6	---	---	---		
13	220	6.5	---	---	---		
14	220	6.2	---	---	---		
15	210	5.6	---	---	---		
16	220	(5.0)	---	---	---		
17	220	(4.2)	---	---	---		
18	220	2.8					
19	270	2.4					
20	300	1.9					
21	(350)	(1.6)					
22	340	1.8					
23	350	(1.7)					

Time: 15.0°E.

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

Table 4

Boston, Massachusetts (42.4°N, 71.3°W)		December 1950					
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'Fl	foFl	h'E	foE	fEs (M3000)F2
00	280	2.6					3.0
01	280	2.4					3.0
02	270	2.6					3.0
03	250	2.8					3.0
04	240	2.8					3.2
05	230	2.6					2.5
06	260	2.4					3.2
07	220	3.7					3.0
08	200	6.4	---	200	2.9	110	2.2
09	200	7.3	200	3.6	100	2.7	2.4
10	210	8.4	200	3.6	100	2.7	3.4
11	210	8.9	200	4.0	110	2.8	3.4
12	220	8.5	200	3.8	110	2.9	3.4
13	220	8.5	210	3.8	110	2.8	3.4
14	220	8.6	210	3.4	110	2.6	3.3
15	210	8.6	230	---	(110)	(3.0)	3.4
16	230	7.9	---	---	(110)	(2.3)	3.3
17	220	7.1	---	---	---	4.7	3.3
18	220	4.6	---	---	---	3.9	3.3
19	230	(3.6)	---	---	---	4.8	(3.2)
20	(250)	(3.0)	---	---	---	5.6	3.1
21	(270)	2.8	---	---	---	3.8	3.0
22	280	3.2	---	---	---	4.0	2.9
23	280	3.5	---	---	---	3.8	2.8

Time: 105.0°W.

Sweep: 0.8 Mc to 14.0 Mc in 2 minutes.

Table 7

Time	December 1950					
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE
						fEs (M3000)F2
00	(280)	3.1				2.9
01	(270)	3.2				3.0
02	(240)	3.3				3.1
03	(250)	(3.0)				(3.2)
04	(230)	3.0				3.0
05	(270)	(2.5)				(2.9)
06	(270)	(2.7)				3.0
07	230	5.7		(140)	(2.0)	3.3
08	240	7.4	230	---	110 (2.6)	3.4
09	250	9.0	230	---	100 2.9	2.9
10	240	10.7	220	---	(110) 3.1	3.4
11	260	10.3	220	---	(110) (3.2) 3.4	3.2
12	250	11.4	210	---	110 (3.3) 3.6	3.2
13	250	12.0	220	---	(110) (3.3) 3.7	3.2
14	250	12.0	220	---	(110) (3.2) 3.3	3.2
15	240	11.2	220	---	110 2.9	3.4
16	220	9.4	220	---	110 (2.4) 3.1	3.4
17	210	8.2		---	---	3.4
18	(200)	6.8			2.8	3.4
19	(220)	6.2				3.2
20	220	6.3				3.2
21	(220)	5.4				3.3
22	(220)	4.7				3.3
23	(240)	(3.2)				(3.0)

Time: 127.7°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 15 seconds, automatic operation.

Table 9

Time	December 1950					
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE
						fEs (M3000)F2
00	210	4.5				2.8
01	210	4.7				2.9
02	200	(4.7)				2.9
03	190	(4.6)				(3.0)
04	---	4.0				2.7
05	---	3.6				2.8
06	---	3.8				2.8
07	200	(5.8)				(3.3)
08	250	7.8	---	(3.0)		3.3
09	250	8.9	4.8	3.1		3.3
10	270	9.2	5.0	3.3		3.2
11	270	8.9	4.9	---		3.2
12	270	8.7	4.8	---	3.7	3.2
13	240	(9.0)	4.8	---		(3.2)
14	250	9.3	4.5	3.4	4.4	3.2
15	250	9.0	4.2	3.2	3.8	3.2
16	250	8.9	---	---	3.9	3.2
17	220	8.6				3.3
18	190	(6.9)				(3.4)
19	190	(5.5)				3.3
20	(180)	4.4				3.0
21	(200)	(4.0)				(2.8)
22	(220)	4.0				2.8
23	210	4.2				2.8

Time: 60.0°W.

Sweep: 2.8 Mc to 13.0 Mc in 9 minutes, automatic operation; supplemented by manual operation.

Table 11

Time	December 1950					
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE
						fEs (M3000)F2
00	250	4.4				3.2
01	240	4.2				3.3
02	240	3.9				3.4
03	240	3.6				3.4
04	260	3.1				3.1
05	260	3.4				3.2
06	250	3.6			2.2	3.2
07	220	6.3		120	2.2	3.6
08	240	8.0	220	4.1	120	2.8
09	250	9.0	220	4.5	120	3.2
10	260	9.0	210	4.8	120	3.4
11	260	9.0	210	4.9	120	3.5
12	280	9.0	210	5.0	120	3.6
13	270	9.8	210	4.9	120	3.7
14	270	9.4	200	4.8	120	3.4
15	260	9.2	220	4.6	120	3.3
16	250	8.8	230	4.0	120	2.9
17	230	8.8	---	---	110	2.3
18	220	7.6				3.7
19	220	6.4				3.4
20	230	4.8				3.2
21	260	4.2				3.1
22	270	4.0				2.5
23	270	4.0				3.0

Time: 60.0°W.

Sweep: 1.2 Mc to 19.5 Mc, manual operation.

Table 8

Time	December 1950						
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	
						fEs (M3000)F2	
00	260	3.6					2.8
01	250	4.1					3.0
02	230	4.0					3.3
03	220	3.0					3.4
04	240	(2.5)					1.9
05	280	(2.0)					2.7
06	300	2.2					2.4
07	260	4.6					2.9
08	240	7.3	230	---	110	2.4	3.1
09	270	9.7	220	---	110	2.9	3.2
10	260	11.3	220	4.5	110	3.1	3.3
11	270	11.2	210	4.9	100	3.3	4.8
12	260	11.4	210	4.8	110	3.4	3.1
13	270	12.2	200	4.7	(110)	3.4	4.7
14	260	12.4	220	4.6	110	3.2	4.5
15	250	11.8	230	4.3	(110)	3.0	4.2
16	240	10.8	230	---	110	2.7	4.8
17	220	8.5					4.0
18	210	6.0					4.8
19	210	4.8					4.5
20	230	4.2					3.8
21	220	4.7					3.2
22	230	4.6					3.2
23	240	4.0					1.5

Time: 150.0°W.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 15 seconds.

Table 10

Time	December 1950						
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	
						fEs (M3000)F2	
00	230	5.8					3.2
01	230	6.0					3.2
02	240	5.4					3.2
03	240	4.4					3.3
04	240	3.8					3.2
05	240	3.0					3.1
06	260	2.7					3.0
07	260	5.7					3.3
08	270	8.6	240	---	110	2.5	3.2
09	280	10.2	220	---	110	(2.9)	4.0
10	290	10.6	210	4.6	110	(3.1)	4.4
11	300	10.2	200	4.6	110	3.3	4.8
12	300	9.8	200	4.7	110	(3.3)	5.0
13	320	9.8	200	---	110	3.4	4.6
14	310	10.2	210	---	110	3.2	4.2
15	290	10.8	220	---	110	(3.1)	4.6
16	280	11.0	230	---	110	2.8	5.4
17	250	11.0	240	---	120	2.3	4.0
18	240	10.6					3.9
19	240	10.0					3.1
20	240	9.3					3.4
21	240	8.6					3.4
22	230	8.2					4.0
23	230	6.9					2.3

Time: 150.0°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 15 seconds.

Table 12

Time	December 1950						
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	
						fEs (M3000)F2	
00	320	---					4.8
01	310	(3.7)					4.8 (2.8)
02	300	(4.2)					4.7 (3.1)
03	280	(3.6)					4.8 (3.2)
04	260	(3.2)					4.8 3.2
05	270	(3.4)					4.8 (2.9)
06	250	6.4					3.1
07	280	8.5	230	---	110	2.8	3.1
08	300	9.4	220	4.7	110	3.1	10.7 2.9
09	310	10.2	210	4.8	110	3.4	12.0 2.6
10	330	10.3	210	4.9	110	(3.6)	12.1 2.4
11	360	10.1	210	4.9	110	---	12.2 2.4
12	360	9.3	200	4.9	110	---	12.2 2.4
13	360	9.5	200	4.8	110	---	12.0 2.4
14	340	9.6	200	4.7	110	---	11.4 2.5
15	320	10.0	210	4.7	110	3.2	10.6 2.5
16	300	10.6	210	---	110	2.9	8.4 2.6
17	250	10.6					11.0 2.5
18	280	10.6					11.0 1.6
19	290	10.2					3.2 2.6
20	300	(9.0)					3.2 2.6
21	320	(8.1)					3.2 (2.5)
22	360	(7.6)					3.2 (2.6)
23	320	(6.8)					3.4 (2.7)

Time: 75.0°W.

Sweep: 16.0 Mc to 0.5 Mc in 15 minutes, automatic operation.

Table 13

Time	November 1950						
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs (M3000)F2
00	300	2.9			2.7	2.7	
01	290	2.9			2.7	2.8	
02	300	2.8			2.8	2.8	
03	300	2.9			2.8	2.8	
04	280	2.5			2.8	2.9	
05	270	2.7			2.8	3.0	
06	260	2.0			2.7	3.1	
07	250	3.0			E	2.8	3.0
08	220	5.2			130	1.6	3.4
09	210	6.7			100	2.0	3.4
10	220	7.2			100	2.4	3.8
11	220	8.0			100	2.6	3.9
12	220	8.2			100	2.6	4.4
13	220	7.4			100	2.5	4.5
14	220	7.8			100	2.4	3.8
15	220	7.6			110	2.1	3.6
16	210	6.6			140	1.6	3.5
17	210	6.2			---	E	3.1
18	220	5.5					3.3
19	220	4.8					3.2
20	230	3.4					3.2
21	280	2.8					3.0
22	300	2.8					2.8
23	300	2.9					2.8

Time: 15.0°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 16.0 Mc in 8 minutes.

Table 15

Time	November 1950						
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs (M3000)F2
00	290	3.4				2.8	2.8
01	300	3.5				2.4	2.8
02	300	3.4				2.4	2.8
03	290	3.4				2.2	2.9
04	270	3.5				2.0	3.0
05	250	3.4				1.7	2.9
06	250	3.7				1.9	3.1
07	220	6.8	---	---	120	1.9	2.8
08	220	6.2	220	---	110	2.4	3.0
09	230	8.8	220	---	J10	2.6	3.4
10	230	9.0	220	---	110	2.9	3.3
11	250	10.4	220	---	110	3.0	3.3
12	250	9.7	220	---	110	3.0	3.4
13	240	8.8	230	---	110	2.9	3.3
14	240	8.7	230	---	J10	2.8	3.3
15	230	8.4	230	---	J10	2.4	3.4
16	220	7.2	210	---	---	1.9	3.3
17	220	5.3					3.2
18	230	4.3					3.1
19	250	3.7					3.0
20	260	3.6					3.1
21	270	3.4					3.0
22	300	3.4					2.8
23	300	3.4					2.8

Time: 135.0°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 17.0 Mc in 15 minutes, manual operation.

Table 17

Time	November 1950						
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs (M3000)F2
00	280	3.3				2.2	2.8
01	280	3.4				1.8	3.0
02	280	3.5				2.0	2.9
03	280	3.4				1.7	3.0
04	260	3.5				1.8	3.1
05	280	3.0				1.6	2.9
06	270	3.2				1.2	2.9
07	240	5.7			110	1.6	2.2
08	230	7.7	230	---	110	2.4	2.7
09	250	8.7	220	---	110	2.8	3.4
10	250	9.6	230	---	110	3.0	3.8
11	260	10.2	230	---	100	3.2	4.4
12	260	10.1	220	4.6	110	3.3	4.4
13	260	11.0	230	---	J10	3.2	4.4
14	260	11.2	240	---	J10	3.2	4.4
15	250	10.6	240	---	J10	3.0	4.0
16	250	9.6	230	---	J10	2.6	4.0
17	230	8.1	240	---	---	1.9	3.4
18	220	6.3					3.2
19	240	4.9					3.0
20	240	4.7					3.2
21	250	4.3					3.1
22	260	3.8					3.0
23	280	3.4					2.9

Time: 135.0°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 18.5 Mc in 15 minutes, manual operation.

Table 14

Time	November 1950						
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs (M3000)F2
00	310	3.5					2.7
01	310	3.4					2.7
02	320	3.4					2.6
03	310	3.4					2.7
04	300	3.4					2.9
05	280	3.4					2.9
06	280	3.6					3.0
07	240	6.3					3.2
08	230	7.7					3.2
09	250	8.8	240	---			3.2
10	270	9.1	240	---			3.2
11	250	9.2	250	---			3.2
12	250	8.9	240	---			3.2
13	250	8.6	230	---			3.3
14	260	8.0	250	---			3.3
15	240	7.8	---	---			3.3
16	220	6.6	---	---			3.2
17	240	5.2	---	---			3.1
18	260	4.3	---	---			3.1
19	280	3.6	---	---			3.0
20	280	3.5	---	---			2.9
21	300	3.4	---	---			2.8
22	320	3.5	---	---			2.7
23	310	3.4	---	---			2.7

Time: 135.0°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 14.0 Mc in 15 minutes, manual operation.

Table 18

Time	November 1950						
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs (M3000)F2
00	330	3.6					2.8
01	320	3.5					2.9
02	320	3.6					2.9
03	320	3.8					2.9
04	300	3.6					3.0
05	340	3.4					2.9
06	330	3.5					2.9
07	270	6.0					3.1
08	270	7.8	260	---	120	(2.7)	3.2
09	290	8.7	260	---	130	3.0	3.1
10	290	8.9	250	---	120	3.2	3.1
11	290	9.5	240	---	130	(3.4)	3.0
12	290	9.1	250	---	120	(3.4)	3.0
13	290	9.4	260	---	120	(3.4)	3.0
14	290	9.6	270	---	120	3.2	3.0
15	280	9.0	270	---	130	(3.0)	3.0
16	270	8.5	---	---	130	(2.6)	3.1
17	260	7.6					3.1
18	270	5.4					3.1
19	280	4.0					3.0
20	290	3.5					3.1
21	320	3.2					3.0
22	330	3.4					2.8
23	320	3.6					2.9

Time: 90.0°W.

Sweep: 2.05 Mc to 14.1 Mc in 5 minutes, automatic operation.

Table 19

Formosa, China (25.0°N, 121.0°E)								November 1950
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs (MHz)	(MHz) F2
00								
01								
02								
03								
04								
05								
06								
07								
08	200	9.0	180	3.9	100	3.0	3.3	3.9
09	200	9.4	180	4.3	100	3.0	3.4	3.9
10	240	10.8	190	4.8	100	3.2	3.9	3.8
11	240	12.5	200	4.6	100	3.3	4.2	3.6
12	240	12.8	180	4.7	100	3.2	4.2	3.7
13	240	12.6	200	4.6	100	3.2	4.2	3.7
14	240	13.5	200	4.7	100	3.1	4.3	3.7
15	230	13.7	200	4.6	100	3.2	4.2	3.7
16	200	13.8	---	---	100	3.0	3.8	3.9
17	200	12.0	---	---	---	3.4	4.0	
18	200	10.2	---	---	---	3.2	3.9	
19	200	8.6	---	---	---	2.7	3.7	
20								
21								
22								
23								

Time: 120.0°E.

Sweep: 2.5 Mc to 14.5 Mc in 15 minutes, manual operation.

Table 21

Cape Town, Union of S. Africa (34.2°S, 18.3°E)								November 1950
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs (MHz)	(MHz) F2
00	(290)	4.1					2.0	2.8
01	(290)	4.1					2.3	2.8
02	(290)	4.0					2.2	2.8
03	(270)	4.0					2.2	2.8
04	(260)	3.7					1.9	2.9
05	280	3.4					1.6	2.8
06	250	4.8	---	---	---	1.9		
07	280	6.0	240	---	120	(2.4)		
08	310	6.8	220	4.3	110	(2.9)		
09	320	7.8	220	4.6	110	(3.2)	3.5	2.8
10	320	8.2	210	4.8	110	(3.4)	3.8	2.8
11	340	8.6	210	4.9	110	(3.5)	4.0	2.7
12	330	8.8	220	5.0	110	(3.6)	4.0	2.7
13	340	9.2	210	5.0	110	---	3.6	2.8
14	320	9.4	220	4.9	110	(3.6)	3.6	2.8
15	310	9.2	220	4.8	110	(3.5)	3.2	2.8
16	310	9.2	220	4.5	110	(3.2)	3.3	2.9
17	290	8.8	220	4.1	110	3.0	2.6	2.9
18	270	8.5	240	---	110	2.5		
19	250	8.1	250	---	---	1.8	3.1	
20	230	7.0					1.4	
21	230	5.9						
22	(250)	4.9					1.6	3.0
23	(270)	4.4					2.0	2.8

Time: 30.0°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 15.0 Mc in 7 seconds.

Table 22

Watheroo, W. Australia (30.3°S, 115.9°E)								October 1950
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs (MHz)	(MHz) F2
00	270	4.5					2.5	2.8
01	260	4.4					2.5	2.9
02	260	4.2					2.5	2.9
03	260	3.9					2.5	2.8
04	280	3.5					2.6	2.9
05	280	3.6					2.4	2.9
06	260	4.9					2.2	3.3
07	260	5.9	240	3.8	2.5	2.7	3.3	
08	280	6.8	230	4.3	3.0	3.2	3.2	
09	310	6.8	220	4.7	3.2	3.6	3.1	
10	330	7.4	220	4.8	3.4	3.7	3.0	
11	320	7.8	220	4.9	3.5	4.0	3.0	
12	320	8.5	220	5.0	3.5	3.8	2.9	
13	320	8.6	220	4.8	3.4	3.6	3.0	
14	300	9.1	230	4.8	3.3	3.5	3.0	
15	290	8.0	230	4.6	3.3	3.3	3.0	
16	280	7.8	240	4.3	3.0	3.2	3.1	
17	260	7.2	240	3.7	2.4	2.8	2.8	
18	250	7.0				2.0	3.2	
19	240	7.0				2.4	3.0	
20	240	6.0				2.1	3.0	
21	260	5.3				2.4	2.9	
22	270	5.0				2.4	2.8	
23	270	4.9				2.4	2.8	

Time: 120.0°E.

Sweep: 16.0 Mc to 0.5 Mc in 15 minutes, automatic operation.

Table 20

Johannesburg, Union of S. Africa (26.2°S, 28.1°E)								November 1950
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs (MHz)	(MHz) F2
00	270	4.7						2.0
01	270	4.5						1.8
02	260	4.2						1.6
03	260	3.9						1.8
04	250	3.6						1.7
05	270	4.0						3.0
06	240	5.6	240	---	120	(2.1)		3.2
07	270	6.6	230	4.0	110	(2.7)	3.0	3.1
08	320	7.4	220	4.4	110	(3.1)	3.5	2.9
09	310	8.2	210	4.6	110	(3.4)	3.6	2.8
10	320	8.6	200	4.8	110	3.5	3.7	2.8
11	330	9.0	210	4.9	110	---	3.8	2.8
12	320	9.2	210	5.0	110	---		
13	330	9.4	210	4.9	110	(3.7)	3.8	2.8
14	320	9.4	220	4.8	110	(3.6)	2.8	
15	310	9.0	220	4.6	110	3.4	3.6	
16	300	8.9	220	4.4	110	3.0	3.3	
17	280	9.0	230	3.9	110	2.6	2.9	
18	250	9.2	250	---	120	(2.0)	2.1	3.1
19	230	8.3						
20	230	7.0						
21	240	5.8						1.8
22	260	5.0						2.9
23	240	4.7						1.9

Time: 30.0°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 15.0 Mc in 7 seconds.

Table 23

Barotonga I. (21.3°S, 159.8°W)								September 1950
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs (MHz)	(MHz) F2
00	280	6.0						3.0
01	260	6.0						3.1
02	270	5.7						3.0
03	260	5.0						3.0
04	300	4.1						3.0
05	300	4.2						2.9
06	300	4.2						3.0
07	250	7.1	230	4.1	110	2.3	3.5	3.2
08	280	8.8	240	4.8	110	2.9	4.0	3.1
09	280	9.4	220	5.0	110	3.2	4.5	3.1
10	280	10.9	220	5.1	110	3.4	4.7	3.2
11	280	10.2	230	5.0	110	3.5	4.6	3.2
12	270	9.8	210	5.0	110	3.6	4.5	3.2
13	300	9.4	210	5.0	100	3.6	4.6	3.1
14	280	9.1	230	5.0	110	3.4	4.6	3.1
15	300	9.2	230	5.0	110	3.3	4.4	3.0
16	300	8.6	240	4.5	110	3.4	4.3	3.1
17	260	8.5	250	5.2	---	---	4.0	3.0
18	280	7.9	---	---	---	---	3.8	3.2
19	250	7.8	---	---	---	---	3.4	3.1
20	250	7.6	---	---	---	---	3.2	3.2
21	260	6.8	---	---	---	---	3.1	3.1
22	280	6.0	---	---	---	---	3.0	
23	290	5.4	---	---	---	---		3.0

Time: 157.5°W.

Sweep: 2.0 Mc to 16.0 Mc, manual operation.

Table 25

Brisbane, Australia (27.5°S, 153.0°E)								September 1950	
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2	
00	250	4.8					3.0		
01	240	4.6					3.1		
02	230	4.2					3.2		
03	230	3.6					2.9		
04	260	3.5					2.8		
05	280	3.5					2.8		
06	250	4.7					3.2		
07	250	6.6	240	4.0	110	2.5	3.3		
08	270	7.5	230	4.3	100	2.9	3.3		
09	270	8.2	220	4.5	100	3.2	3.3		
10	280	8.2	210	4.7	100	3.4	3.2		
11	280	8.4	200	4.8	100	3.5	3.2		
12	270	8.1	200	4.7	100	3.5	3.2		
13	280	7.6	200	4.6	100	3.5	3.2		
14	260	7.4	200	4.5	100	3.4	3.2		
15	260	7.0	200	4.3	100	3.1	3.2		
16	250	6.7	210	3.8	100	2.8	3.2		
17	240	6.5	---	---	130	2.2	3.2		
18	230	6.3					3.1		
19	240	6.3					2.9		
20	260	5.8					2.9		
21	280	6.5					2.9		
22	260	5.5					2.9		
23	250	5.2					3.0		

Time: 150.0°E.

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

Table 27

Hobart, Tasmania (42.8°S, 147.4°E)								September 1950	
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2	
00	250	3.0					3.0		
01	250	2.6					3.0		
02	260	2.4					3.0		
03	250	2.3					3.0		
04	240	2.0					3.1		
05	260	1.8					3.0		
06	260	2.6					3.1		
07	230	4.3	---	---	110	2.0	3.4		
08	230	6.0	210	4.0	100	2.5	3.4		
09	260	5.5	200	4.3	100	2.8	3.4		
10	280	6.2	200	4.4	100	3.0	3.3		
11	280	6.7	200	4.6	100	3.1	3.2		
12	290	6.8	200	4.5	100	3.2	3.3		
13	270	7.1	200	4.5	100	3.2	3.3		
14	270	6.9	200	4.4	100	3.1	3.3		
15	250	6.8	200	4.2	100	3.0	3.4		
16	250	6.5	200	3.8	100	2.6	3.4		
17	220	6.0	220	3.0	110	2.1	3.3		
18	230	6.0	---	---	E		3.2		
19	220	5.7					3.1		
20	230	5.0					3.0		
21	240	4.5					3.1		
22	250	3.8					3.0		
23	250	3.2					3.0		

Time: 150.0°E.

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

Table 29

Delhi, India (28.6°N, 77.1°E)								August 1950	
Time	*	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2	
00	320	5.9					3.3		
01	320	5.8							
02	---								
03	---								
04	280	5.0					3.2		
05	280	5.0							
06	280	5.9							
07	280	7.0							
08	280	7.7					3.3		
09	300	8.0							
10	320	8.5							
11	340	9.5							
12	340	10.5					2.3		
13	340	11.3							
14	320	11.6							
15	320	11.9							
16	320	11.0					3.0		
17	300	10.7							
18	300	10.3							
19	280	9.3							
20	280	8.4					3.2		
21	300	7.4							
22	320	6.5							
23	320	6.2							

Time: Local.

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

\*Height at 0.83 foF2.

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

Table 26

Canberra, Australia (35.3°S, 149.0°E)								September 1950	
Time	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2	
00	260	(4.1)						2.0	(3.0)
01	250	(4.0)						2.4	(3.0)
02	240	(4.0)						2.2	3.0
03	240	(3.6)						2.5	3.0
04	250	(3.3)						2.3	3.0
05	260	(3.1)						2.9	
06	250	3.5							
07	240	5.4	---	---	110	2.1	2.6	3.4	
08	275	6.0	225	4.0	100	2.6		3.3	
09	280	6.6	210	4.5	100	3.1		3.2	
10	290	7.0	200	4.5	100	3.3		3.2	
11	290	7.6	200	4.5	100	3.4		3.2	
12	280	7.9	200	4.5	100	3.4	3.3	3.2	
13	270	7.7	200	4.6	100	3.4	3.1	3.3	
14	270	7.0	200	4.1	100	3.1		3.2	
15	250	6.6	210	3.6	110	2.8		3.2	
16	250	6.2	216	---	110	2.2	2.5	3.2	
17	230	6.2	---	---	(1.5)			3.1	
18	230	6.2	---	---	(1.5)			3.1	
19	240	5.6						3.0	
20	250	5.4						3.0	
21	250	(5.1)						2.9	
22	250	(4.8)						2.1	(2.9)
23	260	(4.2)						2.1	(2.9)

Time: 150.0°E.

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

Table 29

Bombay, India (19.0°N, 73.0°E)								August 1950	
Time	*	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2	
00									
01									
02									
03									
04									
05									
06									
07		270	7.6						
08		330	8.9						3.0
09		360	9.3						
10		420	10.2						
11		420	10.8						
12		450	11.6						2.6
13		460	12.2						
14		480	12.6						
15		480	12.8						
16		480	13.0						2.5
17		480	13.0						
18		480	12.8						
19		460	12.0						
20		420	10.6						2.6
21		420	9.3						
22		420	8.2						2.7
23		420	7.8						

Time: Local.

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

\*Height at 0.83 foF2.

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



Table 37

Time	*	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00								
01								
02								
03								
04								
05								
06								
07	360	7.9						
08	420	9.4						
09	450	9.6						
10	480	9.4						
11	480	9.4						
12	480	9.3						
13	480	9.6						
14	510	9.5						
15	540	10.2						
16	480	10.8						
17	480	11.0						
18	480	11.0						
19	450	10.7						
20	420	9.6						
21	420	9.0						
22	390	8.6						
23								

Time: Local.

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

\*Height at 0.83 foF2.

Table 39

Time	April 1950						
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs
	(M3000)F2						
00	330	6.6					2.6
01	320	6.4					2.6
02	300	6.0					2.6
03	300	5.5					2.6
04	300	5.3					2.7
05	280	5.0					2.8
06	260	6.1	---	---			3.1
07	260	6.8	230	---			3.1
08	280	7.6	230	4.5			2.9
09	280	8.5	220	4.6			2.9
10	300	9.0	220	4.8			2.8
11	300	9.0	220	4.9			2.8
12	300	9.2	220	5.0			2.8
13	310	9.6	230	---			2.8
14	300	9.4	230	(5.3)			2.8
15	280	9.6	230	---			2.9
16	280	9.5	230	---			2.8
17	270	9.6	240	---			3.0
18	260	9.5	240	---			3.0
19	250	8.8					3.0
20	260	7.5					2.8
21	280	7.2					2.7
22	300	6.7					2.6
23	330	6.6					2.5

Time: 0.0°E.

Sweep: 3.1 Mc to 11.8 Mc in 1 minute 15 seconds.

Table 41\*

Time	June 1949						
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs
	(M3000)F2						
00							
01							
02							
03							
04							
05	270	(2.9)					
06							
07	(260)	3.2					
08	230	5.4	---	1.8	2.5	3.2	
09	230	7.0	---	120	2.2	2.5	3.3
10	230	7.9	---	110	2.4	2.8	3.3
11	230	8.7	---	110	2.6	3.4	3.2
12	230	9.1	---	110	2.7	3.8	3.2
13	230	9.3	---	120	2.7	3.5	3.2
14	240	9.1	---	120	2.4	3.0	3.2
15	230	9.0	---	140	2.0	2.7	3.2
16	220	7.6	---	---	1.6	2.1	3.1
17	220	6.6	---	---	2.1	3.1	
18	230	5.8	---	---	2.1	3.0	
19	250	4.7	---	---	2.2	(3.0)	
20							
21	(280)	(3.7)					
22							
23	(320)	(4.2)					

Time: 165.0°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 15.0 Mc, manual operation.

\*Observations taken on a 16-hour working schedule.

Table 37

Time	*	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00								
01								
02								
03								
04								
05								
06								
07	360	7.9						
08	420	9.4						
09	450	9.6						
10	480	9.4						
11	480	9.4						
12	480	9.3						
13	480	9.6						
14	510	9.5						
15	540	10.2						
16	480	10.8						
17	480	11.0						
18	480	11.0						
19	450	10.7						
20	420	9.6						
21	420	9.0						
22	390	8.6						
23								

July 1950

Table 38

Time	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00	300	6.2						2.6
01	300	6.0						2.7
02	300	6.4						2.7
03	(300)	5.0						2.6
04	290	4.7						2.7
05	250	4.8	280	(1.8)	---	E		2.9
06	230	6.0	220	(3.3)	100	2.2		3.1
07	250	6.8	220	3.6	100	2.8		3.0
08	290	7.6	200	---	100	3.1		3.0
09	280	8.3	200	---	100	3.3		2.9
10	290	8.6	200	---	100	3.4		2.9
11	300	9.6	200	---	100	3.4		2.9
12	290	9.8	200	---	100	3.4		2.9
13	300	9.6	200	---	100	3.4		2.9
14	300	9.6	200	---	100	3.4		2.9
15	280	9.6	210	---	100	3.3		2.9
16	(280)	9.6	220	---	100	3.1		3.0
17	240	9.7	220	---	100	2.7		3.0
18	230	9.4	240	---	100	2.1		3.0
19	230	8.6	---	---	100	2.1		3.0
20	220	7.6	---	---	100	2.1		3.0
21	220	6.9	---	---	100	2.1		2.7
22	230	6.9	---	---	100	2.1		2.7
23	260	6.4	---	---	100	2.1		2.6

Table 38

April 1950

Time: 0.0°E.

Sweep: 1.5 Mc to 16.0 Mc in 1 minute 30 seconds.

Table 39

Time: 150.0°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 15 seconds.

Table 40

(supersedes Table 10, CRPL-F68)

February 1950

Time	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00	220	(10.4)						4.0
01	230	10.4						4.0
02	220	(10.0)						(3.2)
03	210	6.6						(3.2)
04	230	5.5						3.1
05	230	4.8						2.0
06	240	4.1						3.1
07	260	6.4						3.1
08	240	9.2	---	---	110	2.8	4.7	3.0
09	260	11.3	220	---	100	3.3	5.4	2.8
10	270	12.0	210	---	100	3.6	4.8	2.6
11	280	12.5	200	4.8	110	3.8	4.6	2.5
12	280	11.8	200	4.9	110	3.9	4.5	2.4
13	290	11.9	200	4.8	100	3.9	4.6	2.4
14	300	(12.0)	200	---	100	3.6	4.7	2.4
15	300	(12.4)	210	---	110	3.6	4.4	(2.4)
16	(280)	(13.1)	220	---	110	3.2	4.7	(2.5)
17	240	(13.5)	240	---	110	2.9	4.2	(2.6)
18	260	(13.3)	---	---	---	---	5.0	(2.7)
19	290	(13.0)	---	---	---	---	3.4	2.5
20	310	(12.6)	---	---	---	---	---	(2.4)
21	280	(12.2)	---	---	---	---	---	(2.6)
22	250	(11.9)	---	---	---	---	2.2	(2.7)
23	240	(11.0)	---	---	---	---	4.2	(2.9)

Table 41\*

Time: 165.0°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 16.0 Mc, manual operation.

\*Observations taken on a 16-hour working schedule.

Table 42\*

Time: 165.0°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 16.0 Mc, manual operation.

\*Observations taken on a 16-hour working schedule.

Time	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'E	foE	fEs	(M3000)F2
00								
01								
02					</			

Table 43\*

Time	(M3000)F2							
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'X	foX	fEs	
00								
01								
02								
03								
04								
05	260	---				2.9	---	
06								
07	250	(4.2)				2.8	(2.8)	
08	240	6.5				3.1	3.0	
09	240	9.2				2.3	2.9	3.1
10	230	10.4				2.6	2.9	3.1
11	230	11.8				2.8	3.1	3.1
12	240	12.0				2.8	2.9	3.1
13	240	12.3				2.8	3.0	
14	240	12.3				2.6	2.9	3.1
15	230	11.8				2.1	2.9	3.1
16	230	10.5				E	2.2	3.0
17	230	9.0					2.9	
18	250	7.4					2.4	2.8
19	250	(7.1)					2.2	(2.8)
20								
21	260	(5.8)					2.9	(2.8)
22								
23	300	---					2.9	---

Time: 165.0°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 15.0 Mc, manual operation.

\*Observations taken on a 16-hour working schedule.

Table 45\*

Time	(M3000)F2							
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'X	foX	fEs	
00								
01								
02								
03								
04								
05	250	5.2	---	---	120	2.2	2.5	3.0
06								
07	300	6.1	220	4.4	110	2.8	3.0	3.0
08	315	6.6	225	4.5	115	3.0	3.2	3.0
09	315	7.1	220	4.7	110	3.2	3.3	3.0
10	315	7.1	215	4.8	110	3.2	3.4	2.9
11	310	7.2	220	4.8	115	3.2	3.3	2.9
12	320	7.2	210	4.9	115	3.3	3.6	2.9
13	315	7.4	215	4.8	115	3.2	3.2	2.9
14	320	7.2	220	4.8	110	3.2	2.9	
15	315	7.3	225	4.5	115	3.0	3.0	2.9
16	305	7.2	230	4.2	120	2.8	2.9	2.9
17	285	7.6	245	4.0	120	2.5	2.9	2.8
18	255	8.0	250	3.5	135	2.0	2.8	2.8
19	255	8.0	---	---			2.8	2.8
20								
21	260	7.6				2.4	2.7	
22								
23	270	5.7				2.8	2.7	

Time: 165.0°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 15.0 Mc, manual operation.

\*Observations taken on a 16-hour working schedule.

Table 47\*

Time	(M3000)F2							
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'X	foX	fEs	
00								
01								
02								
03								
04								
05	(300)	2.6					2.8	
06								
07	230	4.5	---	---	110	2.0	2.0	3.3
08	240	5.2	200	3.6	105	2.4		3.2
09	265	5.5	200	4.0	105	2.6		3.3
10	280	5.8	200	4.1	100	2.8		3.2
11	290	5.9	200	4.2	100	2.8		3.2
12	280	6.1	200	4.2	105	3.0		3.2
13	275	6.2	200	4.2	105	2.9		3.3
14	270	6.1	205	4.0	105	2.8		3.2
15	260	6.1	205	3.7	105	2.6		3.2
16	235	6.1	210	3.3	110	2.1		3.2
17	230	5.8	---	---	---	1.8	1.8	3.2
18	220	5.4					3.1	
19	235	5.1					2.9	
20								
21	255	(4.2)					2.9	
22								
23	280	(3.1)					2.8	

Time: 165.0°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 15.0 Mc, manual operation.

\*Observations taken on a 16-hour working schedule.

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Table 43\*

Campbell I. (52.5°S, 169.2°E)	June 1947							
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'X	foX	fEs	(M3000)F2

Table 44\*

Campbell I. (52.5°S, 169.2°E)	June 1946							
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'X	foX	fEs	(M3000)F2

Time: 165.0°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 15.0 Mc, manual operation.

\*Observations taken on a 16-hour working schedule.

Table 45\*

Campbell I. (52.5°S, 169.2°E)	November 1945							
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'X	foX	fEs	(M3000)F2

Time	(M3000)F2							
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'X	foX	fEs	
00								
01								
02								
03								
04								
05	250	4.0					1.8	1.8
06								
07	260	5.4	230	4.0	110	2.5	2.4	3.0
08	300	6.0	220	4.2	110	2.8		3.1
09	300	6.4	215	4.5	105	3.0		3.0
10	305	6.6	210	4.5	110	3.0		3.0
11	305	6.7	210	4.6	110	3.1		2.9
12	310	7.1	220	4.6	110	3.2		3.0
13	310	6.8	220	4.5	110	3.1		3.0
14	305	6.6	220	4.4	110	3.0		3.0
15	300	6.8	230	4.2	110	2.8		3.0
16	275	7.0	235	4.0	110	2.6		3.0
17	250	6.7	240	3.4	120	2.2		3.0
18	250	6.8					1.8	1.9
19	250	7.3						2.9
20								
21	260	(6.2)						(2.8)
22								
23	280	(5.0)						2.2

Time: 165.0°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 15.0 Mc, manual operation.

\*Observations taken on a 16-hour working schedule.

Table 46\*

Campbell I. (52.5°S, 169.2°E)	October 1945							
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'X	foX	fEs	(M3000)F2

Time	(M3000)F2							
	h'F2	foF2	h'F1	foF1	h'X	foX	fEs	
00								
01								
02								
03								
04								
05	370	---					3.1	---
06								
07	(350)	---					3.1	---
08	230	4.2					2.4	3.3
09	220	5.3					2.9	3.4
10	230	6.0	205	3.1	130	2.3	3.0	3.4
11	235	6.4	220	3.4	125	2.5	3.0	3.4
12	240	6.3	225	3.5	125	2.5	3.1	3.4
13	230	5.9	220	3.4	125	2.4	3.0	3.4
14	235	6.4	220	2.9	130	2.2	2.5	3.3
15	225	6.2					2.1	3.4
16	225	5.4						3.3
17	240	4.6						3.2
18	255	3.9						3.0
19	280	3.2						2.8
20								
21	330	(2.8)					3.0	(2.7)
22								
23	370	---					3.3	---

Time: 165.0°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 15.0 Mc, manual operation.

\*Observations taken on a 16-hour working schedule.

Table 42\*  
Hourly Monthly Medians of foF2 and (M3000)F2

Guam I, (13.6°N, 144.9°E)		1949		
	October 1949	November 1949	December 1949	
TIME	f <sup>o</sup> F2	(M3000)F2	f <sup>o</sup> F2	(M3000)F2
00	(12.8)	(2.9)	11.3	3.0
01	13.2	(3.0)	10.5	3.1
02	10.8	3.2	9.1	3.2
03	8.4	3.1	7.2	3.2
04	7.3	3.0	5.8	3.1
05	6.2	3.0	5.1	3.0
06	6.3	3.0	5.1	3.0
07	10.3	3.0	9.2	3.1
08	12.8	2.9	12.4	3.0
09	(14.0)	(2.6)	14.3	2.9
10	(14.0)	(2.4)	14.8	2.5
11	(13.2)	(2.3)	14.4	2.3
12	12.9	2.3	13.0	2.2
13	(13.6)	(2.4)	13.0	2.2
14	(14.4)	(2.5)	13.3	2.3
15	(15.3)	(2.5)	13.8	2.3
16	(>15.5)	(2.5)	14.4	2.4
17	(>15.0)	(2.5)	14.4	2.4
18	(15.2)	(2.4)	14.3	2.4
19	(>14.4)	(2.2)	13.6	2.4
20	(>14.0)	(2.4)	(13.0)	(2.3)
21	(>13.5)	(2.4)	(12.9)	(2.5)
22	(13.1)	(2.7)	12.9	2.7
23	(12.9)	(2.8)	12.2	2.8

Time: 150.0°E.

Sweep: 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 15 seconds.

\* Corrections to previously published values in CRPL-F64 through 66.  
In these issues, corresponding changes should be made in the graphs  
of these data.

Form adopted June 1946

**TABLE 50**  
**IONOSPHERIC DATA**  
 Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D.C.

**hF2**, Km  
 (Characteristic)  
**Washington, D.C.**

**January, 1951**  
 (Month)

**Lat 38°7'N, Long 77.1°W**

Observed at **1950** (Institution)  
 Calculated by: **L.H.E., B.E.B., M.C.C., H.Y., M.C.C.**

**NATIONAL BUREAU OF STANDARDS**

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
1	(280) S (280)	300	300	280	280	230	220	210	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200
2	280	290	300	280	260	230	200	180	160	140	120	100	80	60	40	20	0	20	40	60	80	100	120
3	(300) S (300)	300	280	270	260	220	200	180	160	140	120	100	80	60	40	20	0	20	40	60	80	100	120
4	S (300) S (290)	300	280	270	260	220	200	180	160	140	120	100	80	60	40	20	0	20	40	60	80	100	120
5	S S A A	290	250	240	240	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230
6	A S (320) A A	290	240	240	240	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230	230
7	(300) S (290) S (280)	300	280	270	260	230	200	180	160	140	120	100	80	60	40	20	0	20	40	60	80	100	120
8	S (280) A A	280	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290
9	S S	290	270	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250
10	+	300	290	280	270	250	220	200	180	160	140	120	100	80	60	40	20	0	20	40	60	80	100
11	A A	300	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290
12	+	290	280	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290
13	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290
14	300	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290
15	280	300	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290
16	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300
17	(300) S (300) S (300)	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300	300
18	S S	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290
19	(300) S (280) C C	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290
20	260	270	270	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260
21	S S S S	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250
22	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250	250
23	S S	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280
24	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280	280
25	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290
26	S S (270) S (270) S (270)	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290
27	(270) S (270) S (270) S (270)	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290
28	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270
29	270 S C C	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270
30	(270) S (260) A	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260
31	330 340 340	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290	290
Median	280	290	290	280	260	260	230	240	250	250	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260	260
Count	21	22	24	26	26	26	26	26	26	26	26	26	26	26	26	26	26	26	26	26	26	26	26

Manual  Automatic

Sweep 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 0.25 min

TABLE 51  
IONOSPHERIC DATA  
Lat 38.7°N, Long 77.1°W

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

foF<sub>2</sub>, Mc January, 1951

(Unit) (Month)

Observed at Washington, D.C.

Lat 38.7°N, Long 77.1°W

IONOSPHERIC DATA

75°W Mean Time

National Bureau of Standards  
(Institution)

Scaled by: L.H.E., B.E.B., M.G., By H.

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	(3.5) <sup>s</sup>	(3.9) <sup>s</sup>	3.3F	3.5F	(3.9) <sup>s</sup>	[4.4] <sup>s</sup>	(4.2) <sup>s</sup>	3.9	(5.9) <sup>H</sup>	6.5H	7.8	8.2	8.0	8.7	8.8	8.0	7.7	7.9	6.8	(5.1) <sup>s</sup>	4.3	4.2	3.8	
2	3.8F	4.3F	4.4F	4.8F	5.4	4.9	4.0F	3.6F	6.6 <sup>2</sup>	8.2	10.0F	8.5	8.4	8.3	8.7	8.1	7.4	6.8	5.6	5.0	3.9	(3.3) <sup>J</sup>	3.2J	
3	(3.2) <sup>J</sup>	3.3	3.8	3.8F	4.3F	4.3F	3.5F	3.1 <sup>J</sup>	5.5	6.9	9.3	9.6	8.6	8.3	7.6	7.7	7.0	6.8	6.4	5.5	3.9	[3.4] <sup>J</sup>	[3.7] <sup>J</sup>	[2.8] <sup>J</sup>
4	2.5	[2.5] <sup>J</sup>	(3.0) <sup>J</sup>	2.5	(3.5) <sup>J</sup>	3.2	[2.8] <sup>J</sup>	2.5F	5.5	7.0F	8.4	8.0	7.5F	7.8F	7.9	7.6	7.0	(7.4) <sup>s</sup>	6.0F	4.4F	3.2F	2.7F	(2.7) <sup>J</sup>	2.2F
5	2.2F	2.2J	[2.2] <sup>J</sup>	[2.4] <sup>J</sup>	2.8F	3.0F	2.6F	2.5F	5.2F	6.4F	2.4F	(8.9) <sup>s</sup>	8.2F	7.2F	7.6F	8.1	6.9F	8.4	7.3	4.7	3.4	2.9	(2.4) <sup>J</sup>	2.3
6	(2.2) <sup>J</sup>	2.2 <sup>J</sup>	2.3F	[2.8] <sup>J</sup>	(3.3) <sup>J</sup>	3.3	2.9 <sup>J</sup>	3.1	5.7	7.2	8.0	7.6F	8.6	8.6	8.2	7.6	6.8	6.2	(6.0) <sup>s</sup>	5.7F	3.4	2.6J	(2.4) <sup>J</sup>	
7	2.7F	3.0F	3.2F	3.1F	3.5	(2.8) <sup>A</sup>	(2.1) <sup>A</sup>	2.6	5.4F	6.0F	(7.8) <sup>F</sup>	8.2F	8.1	7.2F	7.2F	7.4	7.2	6.8	5.4	4.6F	(3.0) <sup>s</sup>	(2.9) <sup>s</sup>	(3.0) <sup>s</sup>	
8	3.3	3.1	2.9F	2.7F	2.7F	3.2	3.5F	3.3F	6.0F	7.8	8.4F	8.8	9.4	9.6	9.62	9.4	7.8F	(7.0) <sup>s</sup>	(5.6) <sup>s</sup>	3.9F	3.2F	(3.9) <sup>s</sup>	2.6J	
9	(2.6) <sup>s</sup>	(2.6) <sup>s</sup>	3.3F	4.2F	3.6F	3.0F	2.7F	3.1F	(5.6) <sup>F</sup>	7.2	8.1	9.0	8.92	7.4	7.3	7.6	7.5	7.4	6.2F	4.7F	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.3
10	3.4F	3.2F	3.4F	3.8	3.9V	3.9	3.5	3.1	6.2	6.9	8.1	9.9	8.7	8.5	8.9	9.0	10.0	8.1	6.2	5.5	4.8	4.7	4.8	5.2
11	5.0	3.2	3.8	3.9F	4.5F	4.1F	3.9	3.5	5.1V	7.0	7.6	8.2	9.2	9.6	8.3	9.3	9.5	7.6	6.6	4.5	4.7F	4.7F	4.5F	
12	4.2F	(3.8) <sup>F</sup>	3.9F	(4.2) <sup>F</sup>	4.2F	3.6F	3.0F	2.8F	4.7	6.5	7.4	8.0	8.6	8.4	8.1	7.6	7.3	6.5	5.7F	4.7F	3.0	3.2	3.45	3.2F
13	3.3F	3.5F	3.6F	3.6F	2.8F	2.7F	3.2V	5.0	7.1	7.5	8.0	7.5	7.5	7.9	7.9	7.5	6.4	6.3	4.7	3.5T	2.9	2.6J	2.4F	
14	2.6J	3.0F	2.5F	2.4F	3.1F	2.8F	2.2F	2.4F	5.0F	6.0F	7.7F	8.0	7.7	7.2F	7.8	7.5	6.6	7.1S	6.5	5.6F	4.3F	3.9J	3.1F	3.3J
15	2.9F	2.7F	2.8F	3.1F	3.4F	5.6F	3.2F	2.6F	5.0F	6.0F	7.0	7.5	7.4	6.7V	7.4	7.2	6.3	6.6	7.2	5.1	4.0S	3.6	[2.9] <sup>J</sup>	2.8J
16	2.8F	2.3F	(2.3) <sup>F</sup>	(1.8) <sup>J</sup>	2.3F	3.1	2.7F	2.1F	2.6F	4.6	5.3F	6.4F	7.3	7.4F	6.6F	7.5	7.8	(6.2) <sup>s</sup>	6.0	5.4	3.8	2.7J	(2.2) <sup>J</sup>	2.2
17	(2.3) <sup>J</sup>	2.3F	2.5F	3.5	3.7	3.0 <sup>J</sup>	3.2	3.8	1.3	6.0	7.3	[6.8] <sup>J</sup>	6.7	5.9	6.0	6.5	5.5S	4.1	4.3S	2.9	2.9	2.3	2.1	2.2
18	2.3F	1.9F	2.0 <sup>s</sup>	2.1	2.3F	2.5F	2.7F	2.8F	4.7	5.3H	5.8H	7.2	7.3	6.6	6.4	5.5	5.8	5.7	(5.2) <sup>S</sup>	4.1	3.0	2.1	2.2	2.5F
19	2.2F	2.7F	C	C	[2.2] <sup>C</sup>	2.4F	2.6F	3.0F	(4.8) <sup>s</sup>	5.1V	6.6	7.4H	6.4F	6.8F	6.6	6.4	(5.8) <sup>S</sup>	6.6F	(6.6) <sup>s</sup>	4.8	4.2	3.1	(2.8) <sup>J</sup>	
20	2.8	3.1	3.2	3.2J	3.1J	3.0	2.5J	3.0J	3.0J	5.2	5.8	6.4	7.6	7.4	8.0	7.6	7.0	6.2	5.2S	5.1	3.2J	2.1	2.4	
21	2.3	2.2	2.2	2.1F	2.2F	2.6F	2.6F	2.3	5.2	5.6	7.5K	8.5K	10.0K	10.4K	10.2K	8.6K	7.1K	6.0	5.2	4.5	4.1	4.4	4.7	4.2
22	4.0F	3.7	2.9V	2.7F	2.7F	2.6F	2.5F	3.2	4.7	C	C	6.6	7.0	7.3	7.4	7.3	6.3	7.1	6.3	5.8S	4.3	3.1F	3.0F	2.2F
23	1.8F	1.9F	2.3J	2.4F	2.4F	2.3F	2.1F	2.6F	5.1F	[5.9] <sup>H</sup>	(7.4) <sup>F</sup>	8.6F	8.4F	8.8	8.5	8.1	7.0	6.1	4.7F	[3.0] <sup>A</sup>	(2.7) <sup>J</sup>	2.8	2.7	
24	2.5S	2.4	2.6F	2.8F	2.6F	2.1F	2.8F	5.4F	5.7V	8.0F	8.0	7.5F	7.8F	8.4F	7.6	8.1	6.9	5.4F	4.6F	3.7F	2.5F	2.3F	2.4F	
25	2.5F	2.6F	2.6F	2.8F	2.6F	2.4F	2.7F	3.4F	5.8	6.5S	7.8F	8.0	8.6	8.1	8.0	(8.1) <sup>s</sup>	(7.0) <sup>J</sup>	6.2	4.9S	3.7F	3.0F	2.8S	2.7F	
26	2.4F	2.3F	2.6S	3.0F	3.0F	2.0F	2.8F	3.4F	5.1	7.0	7.7	8.9	9.4	9.43	10.2	10.6S	10.3	8.8	5.7	4.1F	3.6F	3.3	(3.3) <sup>A</sup>	
27	3.2V	2.4F	2.5F	(2.7) <sup>F</sup>	3.2F	3.2F	3.2F	3.5F	6.1	7.0	8.4	10.0	9.7	9.6	9.2	9.4	8.7	7.7	6.6	5.7	4.7F	3.8F		
28	3.8F	4.0F	3.9F	(3.3) <sup>F</sup>	3.1F	2.7F	3.4F	6.2F	6.8F	8.1F	9.9	9.1	9.2	9.0	9.0	7.8J	5.8	4.0F	3.1	2.8	2.7			
29	2.7F	2.4F	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	7.0	8.4	9.7	9.2	9.2	9.0	8.8S	7.2	4.2F	3.3F	3.0F	3.0F		
30	2.7F	2.5F	2.8F	2.6F	2.5F	3.7F	6.1F	7.3F	8.3F	10.1F	[6.0] <sup>F</sup>	[10.0] <sup>E</sup>	10.5S	10.5S	9.9S	9.2S	9.0	8.7	4.6F	4.4F	4.4F	3.9J		
31	3.5F	2.8F	3.0F	[3.4] <sup>F</sup>	[3.8] <sup>F</sup>	[2.6] <sup>F</sup>	3.4F	5.6F	6.7	8.0	9.0F	9.1	8.5F	8.6F	8.5S	9.0F	7.5F	7.4F	6.1F	4.9F	3.7F	4.2F	4.7	
Median	2.7	2.7	2.9	3.0	3.2	3.0	2.7	3.1	5.4	6.5	7.8	8.2	8.4	8.3	8.1	7.8	7.5	7.1	6.3	5.1	3.9	3.2	3.0	
Count	31	31	29	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	

Sweep 10 Mc to 250 Mc in 0.25 min  
Manual □ Automatic ☒

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TABLE 52  
Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D.C.  
IONOSPHERIC DATA

foF2 Mc January 1951  
(Characteristic) (Unit)  
Observed at Washington, D.C.

Lat. 38°7'N, Long. 77.1°W

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

National Bureau of Standards  
Calculated by: L.H.E., B.E.B., L.H.E., By H., McC., By H.

Day	75°W												Mean Time												
	0030	0130	0230	0330	0430	0530	0630	0730	0830	0930	1030	1130	1230	1330	1430	1530	1630	1730	1830	1930	2030	2130	2230	2330	
1 (3.4) S	3.5 F	3.2 F	3.8 F	4.0 F	(4.8) S	4.8 H	4.8 N	4.8 H	4.0 S	7.4	7.8	8.1	8.2	9.2	8.3	7.8	(8.0) S	7.4	6.0	4.6	4.1	4.0	3.8	3.8	
2 4.1 F	4.5 F	4.9 F	5.2 F	5.3 F	4.4 F	3.6 F	4.7 F	7.1	9.9	8.9	8.5	7.8	8.4	8.3	8.1	8.0	7.2	(4.2) S	4.5	4.5	4.2	3.2	3.0		
3 (3.3) J	3.7 F	3.9 F	4.0 F	4.3 F	2.9 J	4.4	6.5	7.8	9.8	8.8	9.0	8.0	7.4	7.6	7.0	6.8	6.0	4.9	[3.6] B	(3.3) P	(3.0) P	(3.0) P	(2.7) G		
4 2.4 F	3.0 F	2.2 J	2.7 J	(3.2) A	A	A	4.2 F	6.4	7.9 Z	8.0	8.1 F	7.8 F	8.1	8.2	(6.8) S	(7.2) S	6.8 F	5.1	4.0 S	(2.9) A	2.5	2.3	2.3	2.2	
5 2.3 J	2.0 F	2.3 J A	2.6 F	3.1 F	3.0 F	2.6 F	3.2 F	3.0	(1.9) S	5.5	6.4	8.2 F	8.5 F	8.1	7.6	8.0 F	7.4	8.0	(7.4) S	5.6	3.8	3.8	2.8	2.2	
6 [2.2] J	2.2 F	2.5	(3.2) A	3.4 F	3.0	2.7 J	4.4	6.4	7.8	8.0 F	7.8 F	8.8	8.8	8.2	6.8	(6.6) S	5.8 S	(6.2) S	4.2 F	2.8	(2.6) S	2.3	2.4 F		
7 2.9 F	3.2 F	2.8 F	3.6 F	2.6	2.1 F	4.4 F	(6.0) F	8.3	7.6	8.2	7.6	7.4	7.6	7.0 F	6.0 F	6.0 F	(6.2) S	4.5 F	(4.0) S	[3.0] S	[3.0] S	[3.0] S	3.0		
8 3.3 J	3.1	(3.0) F	3.0 F	2.8 F	(3.6) E	(3.6) S	5.0 F	[6.9] M	8.8	8.2	9.2 F	9.6	9.6	8.6	8.6	(7.2) S	(7.3) S	(6.8) S	4.6 F	3.0 S	[2.9] S	[2.4] F			
9 [2.6] S	2.7 S	3.8 F	3.7 F	3.3 F	2.8 J	2.7 F	4.5 F	6.6 F	7.6	9.1	8.8 F	8.2	7.9	7.6	7.5	7.3	7.0	5.7 F	4.0 F	3.5	3.5	3.4	3.3		
10 3.1 J	3.3 F	3.6	(3.9) S	4.0	3.9 S	3.0 S	4.6	6.3	7.0	9.6	9.7	8.0	9.0	9.1	10.0	9.4	6.5	6.2	4.9	4.7	4.7	4.7	5.0		
11 4.1 F	3.4	3.6 F	4.5 F	4.7 F	4.0 F	3.3 F	4.0	5.7	6.8	8.3	8.7	9.5	9.1	9.0	8.7	9.7	9.1	7.5	5.7	4.6	4.8 F	5.0 S	4.7 V		
12 4.1 F	3.9 F	(4.0) F	4.7 V	3.8 F	3.5 F	2.7	3.5	5.6	7.0	8.6	8.8	8.7	8.2	8.0	7.5	6.9	6.0 S	5.5 F	3.4 F	3.0	3.4 J	3.5 J	3.5 J	3.2 F	
13 (3.5) S	3.8 F	3.3 F	3.6	(3.9) S	4.0	3.9 S	3.0 S	4.6	6.3	7.0	9.6	9.7	8.0	9.0	9.1	10.0	9.4	6.5	6.2	4.9	4.7	4.7	4.7	5.0	
14 2.7 F	2.5 F	2.2 F	(2.5) F	3.0 F	2.5 F	2.0 F	4.7 F	4.0 F	5.7	6.8	8.3	8.7	9.5	9.1	9.0	8.7	9.7	9.1	7.5	5.7	4.6	4.8 F	5.0 S	4.7 V	
15 2.5 F	2.8 F	2.9 F	3.3 F	3.3 F	3.3 F	2.7 F	3.5 F	4.8	6.4	7.5	7.2	6.9	6.8	6.9	6.9	7.0 S	6.3	6.3	5.9	4.0 S	3.2	2.6 F	2.8 J		
16 2.6 F	[2.0] F	1.9 F	(2.0) F	3.1 F	2.5 F	F	3.8 F	5.0	5.8 F	6.7	7.8	7.3	7.5	7.7	6.6	5.8	5.2	4.4 F	2.9 J	2.2 F					
17 (2.1) F	2.1 F	2.9 F	3.6 F	3.1 F	3.1 F	2.8 F	4.2 F	5.6	6.2	7.0	7.2	6.5	6.2	7.2	6.0	5.6	4.2 F	3.0 S	2.6 J	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.8 F		
18 2.1 F	1.9	(2.0) S	2.1 F	2.4 F	2.5 F	(2.6) S	4.0 S	5.3	5.1 H	6.6 J	7.4	6.6 H	6.6	6.6	6.6	(6.0) S	(5.2) S	5.9	5.4	(4.7) S	(3.7) S	2.3	1.9	2.2 F	
19 2.4 F	C	C	C	2.2 J	2.3 J	2.3 J	2.5 F	2.8 F	4.1 F	5.0	6.6	7.1 F	6.9	6.8	6.8	6.5	6.4	(6.1) S	6.4	6.4	5.7	4.4	3.9 J	(2.8) G	(2.9) B
20 3.0	3.2	3.2 J	3.2 J	3.1 J	3.1 J	2.8	2.5 F	4.2 F	5.5	6.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	8.0	8.2	7.2	6.7	6.3	6.1	5.3	4.5	(2.5) P	
21 2.2 F	2.1 F	2.2 F	2.1 F	2.4 F	2.5 F	2.7 F	4.3	5.7	6.4	8.1 K	8.4 K	10.4 K	10.1 K	9.7 K	8.0 K	7.0 K	5.8	4.7 F	4.2 F	4.3	4.7 S	4.9	4.0 S		
22 3.7	3.4 F	2.5 F	2.8 F	2.7 F	2.5 F	3.9 S	C	6.7	7.1	7.1	7.4	6.7	6.8 S	6.7	5.7	4.9	3.8 F	2.7 F	2.5 F	2.1 F					
23 1.9 F	2.3 F	2.2 F	2.4 F	2.4 F	2.4 F	2.0 F	3.9 E	[5.6] M	6.2 F	7.2 F	8.8 F	8.1	9.0	8.2	8.5	4.6	6.7 S	6.0 S	5.8 F	(2.7) A	3.7 S	2.9	2.5		
24 2.3 F	2.4 F	2.6 F	2.8 F	2.9 F	2.1 F	2.2 F	4.3 F	5.7 S	(7.0) S	8.6 F	8.0 F	7.3 F	8.2	7.5 F	7.9	7.4 F	6.4	5.2 F	4.6 F	3.0 S	2.3 F	2.4 F	2.4 F		
25 2.5 F	2.7 F	2.7 F	2.4 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.7 F	4.7	6.0	6.6	7.7 F	8.6 F	8.2 F	8.1 Z	8.2	(7.6) S	(7.6) S	7.2 S	5.3 S	4.3 S	3.5 S	3.5 S	3.5 S	2.7 F		
26 2.3 F	2.5 F	2.5 F	2.8 F	3.1 F	3.0 F	2.8 F	4.7 F	6.5	7.2	8.5	8.5	9.0	8.6	(10.2) S	(10.0) S	6.8 S	4.4 F	3.5 F	3.5 F	3.2 F	3.2 F	[3.5] E			
27 3.2 F	2.6 F	2.5 F	3.4 F	3.1 F	3.0 V	5.1 F	7.3	7.0	9.4	8.9	9.8	9.7	9.2	9.8	8.2	8.6	6.6	4.3 F	3.8 F						
28 4.0 F	(3.9) J	(3.2) F	(3.3) F	3.1 F	3.8 F	2.5 F	5.0 F	6.5 F	7.2 F	9.7	9.4	9.3	10.0	10.4	(9.4) S	6.4	5.0 F	3.4 S	2.9 J	2.8 A	2.6	2.4 F			
29 2.4 F	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	C	7.8 J	9.2 F	9.1	9.1 F	9.3 Z	10.0	9.2 S	9.1 S	7.8 S	5.7 F	(3.5) F	3.2 F	(3.1) F	2.9 F		
30 2.5 F	2.7 F	2.6 F	2.6 F	2.5 F	2.6 F	2.6 F	2.6 F	6.8 F	8.0 F	9.0	10.0	9.8	10.5	10.7 J	10.8	10.0	10.0 S	8.0 S	6.8 S	4.9 F	4.5 F	3.8 F	3.8 F		
31 3.6 F	2.5 F	2.7 F	3.27 F	2.6 F	2.6 F	2.7 F	2.6 F	4.9 F	6.2	7.0 F	8.4 Z	9.1	8.9	9.0	9.5 F	9.0 S	8.5 F	7.2 F	6.5 F	5.7 F	3.6	3.8 F	4.6 F	4.9 F	
Median	2.6	2.7	2.8	3.2	3.1	2.8	2.7	6.4	6.0	7.0	8.1	8.4	8.1	8.2	8.2	7.8	7.2	6.9	6.0	5.4	3.4	3.2	2.9	2.8	
Count	31	29	30	30	29	28	30	29	30	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	

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Swept 1.0 Mc 10<sup>-25.0</sup> Mc in 0.25 min  
Manual □ Automatic □

**TABLE 53**  
**IONOSPHERIC DATA**

h'F1      Km      January, 1951  
(Characteristic)      (Unit)      (Month)  
Observed at      Washington, D. C.  
Lat 38.7°N, Long 77.1°W

Day	75°W      Mean Time																							
	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
1										Q	23.0	24.0	200 <sup>H</sup>	23.0	23.0	(23.0) <sup>S</sup>								
2										24.0	210 <sup>H</sup>	[210]A	210	200	(25.0) <sup>A</sup>	Q								
3										Q	22.0	21.0	200	23.0	23.0	Q								
4										Q	B	A	A	23.0	23.0	25.0								
5										Q	(24.0)A	[24.0]A	(23.0) <sup>A</sup>	23.0	A	B								
6										24.0	23.0	23.0	21.0	24.0	24.0	24.0								
7										Q	22.0	(24.0) <sup>A</sup>	25.0	[24.0] <sup>B</sup>	22.0	(26.0) <sup>B</sup>								
8										24.0	23.0	23.0	21.0	200 <sup>H</sup>	23.0	B								
9										23.0	200 <sup>H</sup>	23.0	21.0	200 <sup>H</sup>	22.0	25.0								
10										Q	210 <sup>H</sup>	24.0	21.0	200	23.0	24.0	24.0							
11										24.0	22.0	22.0	24.0	24.0	24.0	25.0								
12										Q	23.0	24.0	220 <sup>H</sup>	23.0	22.0	22.0								
13										24.0	23.0	21.0	23.0	21.0	21.0	24.0								
14										200 <sup>H</sup>	[20.0]B	21.0	20.0	21.0	21.0	24.0								
15										22.0	23.0	23.0	21.0	22.0	23.0	23.0								
16										Q	23.0	22.0	23.0	21.0	21.0	21.0	23.0							
17										23.0	21.0	21.0	[21.0] <sup>C</sup>	21.0	21.0	200								
18										Q	22.0	200 <sup>H</sup>	22.0	21.0	22.0	21.0	21.0							
19										(22.0) <sup>B</sup>	19.0	20.0	23.0	20.0	20.0	21.0	(20.0) <sup>A</sup>							
20										22.0	21.0	A	A	A	A	B								
21										Q	240 <sup>H</sup>	220 <sup>K</sup>	220 <sup>K</sup>	210 <sup>K</sup>	200 <sup>K</sup>	220 <sup>K</sup>								
22										C	C	190 <sup>H</sup>	[200] <sup>B</sup>	21.0	21.0	22.0	22.0							
23										M	23.0	200 <sup>H</sup>	200 <sup>H</sup>	210 <sup>H</sup>	23.0	21.0								
24										Q	210 <sup>H</sup>	21.0	200	200 <sup>H</sup>	200	22.0	22.0							
25										Q	21.0	22.0	20.0	200 <sup>H</sup>	21.0	21.0								
26										2.00	200 <sup>H</sup>	23.0	130 <sup>H</sup>	20.0	210 <sup>H</sup>	220 <sup>H</sup>	24.0							
27										21.0	20.0	23.0	20.0	200 <sup>H</sup>	22.0 <sup>H</sup>	(23.0) <sup>A</sup>								
28										B	22.0	23.0	20.0	20.0	23.0	23.0	A							
29										Q	21.0	23.0	21.0	20.0	21.0	21.0								
30										Q	21.0	21.0	20.0	21.0	22.0	22.0								
31										24.0	220 <sup>H</sup>	24.0	22.0	22.0	22.0	24.0								
Median	—	23.0	22.0	23.0	21.0	22.0	22.0	22.0	22.0	22.0	22.0	22.0	22.0	22.0	22.0	22.0	22.0	22.0	22.0	22.0	22.0	22.0		
Count	1	14	28	29	29	30	29	30	29	29	29	29	29	29	29	29	29	29	29	29	29	29	29	

Sweep 1.0—Mc 10.250 Mc in 0.25 min  
Manual  Automatic



**TABLE 55  
IONOSPHERIC DATA**

 hE, Km  
(Characteristic)  
Observed at Washington, D.C.  
(Unit)

 National Bureau of Standards  
(Institution)

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 January, 1951  
(Month)  
Lat. 38.7°N, Long. 77.1°W

75°W Mean Time

Calculated by: L.H.E., B.E.B., McC., By H.

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

 Sweep 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 0.25 min  
Manual  Automatic

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**TABLE 56**  
**IONOSPHERIC DATA**  
 Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D.C.

foE — Mc  
 (Characteristic) — (Unit)  
January, 1951  
 (Month)

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

Day	75°W Mean Time												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									S	B	B	B	B	B	A													
2									2.7	B	A	A	A	A	2.9	[2.6]A	2.4	(2.1)S										
3									1.8	(2.4)A	A	A	A	A	3.0	3.0	2.6	2.3										
4									B	B	2.8	A	A	A	2.5	A	A											
5									A	A	A	A	A	A	B	A	B	A										
6									B	(2.2)S	[2.4]A	2.6	3.0	B	B	B	B	B										
7									A	A	5	B	B	B	B	B	B	B										
8									2.6	2.7	3.0	(3.0)S	(2.8)S	[2.5]B	2.2													
9									A	(2.7)S	3.0	(3.0)A	(3.1)S	S	A	A	A	A										
10									2.1	2.5 S	2.9	3.1	3.1	3.0	2.9	2.5	(2.2)S											
11									A	1.8 S	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.0	3.0	2.8	2.2											
12									B	2.5	2.8	3.0	3.1	3.3	2.8 P	2.6 P	2.0											
13									A	2.4 H	2.8	2.9	3.0	3.0	2.8	2.4	2.0											
14									S	2.2	B	B	(2.9)S	2.8	2.6	(2.4)P	[2.0]A											
15									A	2.4	2.8	2.9	3.0	2.9	2.8	2.4	2.1 H											
16									A	2.5	2.6	2.8	3.0	2.8	2.6	2.3	2.0 H											
17									A	2.5	2.7	2.9	[2.9]C	2.9	2.6	[2.4]B	2.1 H											
18									A	2.3	2.5	2.8	3.0	2.8	2.6	2.4	2.0											
19									A	2.5	2.6	2.9	3.0	3.0	2.7	A	B											
20									A	2.4	2.6	2.7	[2.9]B	2.9	2.6	A	A											
21									1.9	2.3	2.7 K	2.8 K	3.0 K	2.9 K	2.8 K	2.4 K	2.2 K											
22									C	C	2.9 F	[2.9]B	2.9	2.8	2.7	2.3												
23									1.8	[2.3]M	2.9	[3.0]A	3.1	3.1	3.0	2.7 H	A											
24									A	2.5	2.8 F	3.1	3.2	3.1 H	3.0	2.8	2.2											
25									A	2.6 H	3.0	3.1	3.1	3.1	3.0	2.6	1.9											
26									A	2.7	3.0	3.1	3.2	3.2	3.0	2.5	2.0											
27									A	2.4	2.8	[3.0]A	3.1	3.1	3.0	[2.7]A	2.4											
28									C	2.4	2.6	2.9	3.1	3.1	3.1	2.7	A											
29									A	2.4	2.6	2.9	A	[3.0]C	3.0	2.6	1.9											
30									A	1.9	[2.4]A	2.9	3.0	3.1	3.1	2.9	2.7	2.4	1.9									
31									Median	2.0	2.4	2.7	3.0	3.0	3.0	2.8	2.2	—										
	Count	10	22	23	24	26	27	28	29	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	20

Sweep i.o.—Mc to 25.0 Mc in 0.25 min  
 Manual  Automatic

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Es Km  
 (Characteristic)      Mc. (Unit)  
 Observed at Washington, D.C.      January, 1951  
 (Month)

Lat. 38.7°N, Long. 77.1°W

Day	75°W Mean Time												
	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	
1	4.0/10	31/10	E	E	E	E	G	G	G	G	35/10	E	
2	E	E	E	E	28/10	E	E	32/10	G	G	E	E	
3	E	E	28/10	24/10	24/10	E	45/10	53/10	37/10	32/10	E	30/10	
4	E	E	37/10	40/20	40/20	48/10	73/100	E	20/10	64/10	G	E	
5	E	E	50/10	52/20	52/20	29/30	E	30/10	60/10	52/10	G	29/10	
6	47/10	51/10	51/10	50/20	50/20	68/10	60/10	E	27/10	27/10	G	56/10	
7	E	E	33/10	32/10	32/10	92/10	60/10	E	45/10	33/10	G	11/10	
8	31/10	30/10	30/10	37/20	37/20	35/10	52/10	80/10	40/20	36/10	G	80/10	
9	3.5/10	56/100	25/100	E	17/10	75/10	E	26/10	35/10	35/100	G	29/10	
10	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	G	G	G	G	31/10	
11	56/20	50/10	39/10	31/10	E	E	E	3/30	24/30	42/30	G	56/100	
12	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	G	G	G	G	E	
13	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	G	G	G	G	E	
14	E	E	30/Y/100	E	E	E	E	G	G	G	G	E	
15	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	G	G	G	G	E	
16	28/100	26/100	21/100	E	E	33/10	28/10	E	33/100	20/100	23/100	G	E
17	E	E	E	24/10	E	25/10	22/10	20/10	31/10	34/10	G	C	
18	E	E	E	E	E	E	28/Y/20	G	G	G	70/100	27/Y/100	
19	E	E	C	C	E	E	E	G	G	G	G	1.9/Y/100	
20	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	G	48/100	51/100	48/100	30/100	
21	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	G	G	G	G	E	
22	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	G	G	G	G	E	
23	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	G	32/30	21/100	G	E	
24	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	G	37/100	43/100	G	E	
25	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	G	23/100	18/100	G	E	
26	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	G	43/100	40/100	G	30/100	
27	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	G	35/Y/20	39/100	G	27/100	
28	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	G	37/100	22/100	G	27/100	
29	E	E	C	C	C	C	C	G	90/Y/20	G	G	E	
30	25/120	42/110	E	E	25/100	29/100	E	G	43/110	29/100	48/100	25/Y/100	
31	E	E	E	E	E	E	E	G	100	24/100	G	G	
Median	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	
Count	31	31	29	29	30	30	30	29	30	31	31	30	

 \*\* MEDIAN FEWER THAN MEDIAN fOE OR LESS  
 THAN LOWER FREQUENCY LIMIT OF RECORDER

 Sweep 1.0 Mc 10.25 Mc In 0.25 min  
 Manual □ Automatic ☒

**TABLE 58**  
 Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D.C.  
**IONOSPHERIC DATA**

(M1500)F2, (Unit)  
 (Characteristic) Observed at Washington, D.C.

January, 1951  
 (Month)

Lat 38.7°N, Long 77.1°W

1950, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D.C.

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Day	75°W Mean Time											
	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11
1	(2.0)S	(2.0)S	1.9 F	1.9 F	(1.9)S	S F	(2.0)S	2.2	(2.4)S	2.3 H	2.2	2.1
2	1.9 F	2.0 F	1.8 F	1.9 F	2.0	2.0 F	2.0 F	2.1 F	2.2	2.3	2.0	2.1
3	(1.9)S	1.8	1.9	1.9 F	1.9 F	2.0 F	(2.1)S	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.1
4	1.9	B	(2.0)S	1.9	(1.9)A	2.0 F	2.1 F	2.2	2.3 F	2.4 F	2.3	2.2
5	1.9 F	(1.8)J	A	A	1.9 F	2.0 F	2.0 F	1.9 F	2.3 F	2.3 F	(2.3)S	2.0 F
6	A	(1.9)S	1.8 F	A	(2.0)A	2.2	(2.1)S	2.0	2.3 F	2.3 F	2.1 F	2.1
7	1.7 F	1.9 F	2.0 F	1.9 F	2.0	A	(2.1)A	2.0	2.3 F	2.3 F	2.4 F	2.4 F
8	2.0	2.0	1.9 F	2.0 F	1.9 F	1.8	2.1 F	2.0 F	2.4 F	2.3 F	2.2 F	2.2 F
9	S	(1.8)S	1.9 F	2.0 F	2.0 F	2.1 F	2.0 F	1.9 F	(2.3)F	2.2	2.3	2.3
10	2.0 F	2.0 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 V	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.4	2.3	2.0	2.0
11	2.2	1.8	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	2.1 F	2.0 F	2.1 V	2.2	2.2	2.1	2.0
12	2.0 F	(1.9)F	1.9 F	(2.1)F	1.9 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	2.0 S	2.3 F	2.2	2.2	2.2
13	2.0 F	2.0 F	2.0 F	2.1 F	2.0 F	1.9 F	2.0 F	2.0 V	2.3	2.3	2.2	2.2
14	(1.9)J	2.0 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	2.1 F	2.0 F	2.1 F	2.5 F	2.3 F	2.3	2.0	2.0
15	1.9 F	1.9 F	2.0 F	1.9 F	2.0 F	2.3 F	2.3 F	2.4 F	2.3	2.2	2.3	2.3
16	1.9 F	F	(2.0)J	1.9 F	2.2 F	2.1 F	2.2 F	2.4 F	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.3 F
17	(1.9)S	2.0 F	(1.9)S	1.9	2.0	2.0 F	2.0 F	2.0 F	2.4	2.3	2.2	2.2
18	2.0 F	1.9 F	1.9 S	1.9 F	2.2 F	2.2 S	2.3 F	2.3 F	2.4 F	2.2	2.2	2.2
19	1.9 F	2.0 F	C	C	2.0 F	2.3 F	(2.0)S	2.3 V	2.3 H	2.4 F	2.1 F	1.9 S
20	2.1	2.1	2.0	(2.1)J	(2.1)J	2.3	(2.2)J	2.7	2.5	2.2	2.3	(2.1)J
21	2.1	2.0	2.1	2.2 F	2.2 F	2.2 F	2.2 F	2.4	2.1 F	2.0 X	2.4 X	2.1 V
22	(3.0)S	2.0	1.9 F	1.9 F	F	2.0 F	2.0 F	2.6 H	2.2 H	2.3	2.2	2.2
23	2.0 F	2.0 F	(1.9)S	1.9 F	2.1 F	2.1 F	(2.2)J	2.4 F	2.4 F	2.2 F	2.2 F	2.2 F
24	(3.0)S	2.0	2.0 F	2.0 F	2.3 F	2.0 F	2.9 F	2.5 F	2.4 F	2.3 F	2.3 F	2.3 F
25	1.9 F	(1.9)S	1.9 F	2.0 F	2.2 F	2.0 F	2.0 F	2.2 F	2.6	2.5	2.3	2.3
26	A	0 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	2.0 F	2.0 F	2.0 F	2.3	C	C	2.2	2.2
27	2.0	2.0	1.9 F	1.9 F	2.1 F	2.1 F	2.1 F	2.4 F	M	(2.3)F	2.2 F	2.2 F
28	1.9 F	(2.0)F	(2.0)S	(2.0)F	2.1 F	2.0 F	2.1 F	2.4 F	2.1 F	2.1 F	2.2 F	2.0 F
29	1.9 F	1.9 F	C	C	C	C	C	2.3	2.3	2.2 F	2.2 F	2.1 F
30	2.1 F	2.1 F	1.9 F	1.9 F	2.2 F	2.1 F	2.3 F	2.4 F	2.2 F	2.2 F	2.2 F	2.1 F
31	(1.7)J	1.6 F	1.6 F	1.6 F	F	(2.2)F	2.2 F	2.3 F	2.1 F	2.1 F	2.0 F	2.0 F
Median	2.0	2.0	1.9	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.2	2.2	2.2	2.0
Count	29	29	28	28	30	29	30	31	30	31	31	30

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

**TABLE 59**  
**IONOSPHERIC DATA**  
 Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D.C.

(M3000)F2, (Unit) Washington, D.C. January, 1951  
 (Characteristic) (Month)

Observed at Lot 38.7°N, Long 77.1°W

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 Calculated by: L.H.E., B.E.B., M.C.C., By H.

Day	75°W Mean Time												
	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	
1	(30)S	(30)F	28F	29F	(28)F	S	(31)F	32	(35)H	34H	33	32	31
2	29F	28F	28F	29F	30F	30	31F	32	34F	33	33	30	31
3	(28)J	27	2.8	2.9F	2.9F	30F	(32)F	(31)J	34	33	32	32	32
4	29	B	(30)F	2.9	(2.9)A	32	A	31F	32	33F	33	31	31
5	28F	(27)J	A	A	28F	30F	30F	29F	33F	34F	(34)S	33F	32
6	A	(28)J	28F	A	(30)A	33	(31)J	30	33	33F	32	32	31
7	28F	29F	29F	30	A	(31)A	2.9	35F	(33)F	34F	34	32F	35
8	29	3.0	2.9F	2.9F	30F	29F	28	31F	30F	34F	33F	32	32
9	5	(27)S	28F	31F	30F	31F	29F	29F	(33)F	34F	(34)S	33F	32F
10	30F	30F	2.9F	2.8	2.9V	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.5	3.3	3.3	3.0	3.1
11	32	27	29	29F	30F	29F	31	30F	31V	32	32	31	31
12	30F	(28)F	28F	(31)F	28F	28F	28F	28F	30.5	33	34	32	32
13	30F	2.9F	30F	31F	29F	29F	29F	30F	33	31	33	32	32
14	(29)J	29F	28F	28F	31F	31F	30F	32F	36Z	33F	34F	32F	32
15	28F	28F	2.9F	2.9F	30F	30F	33F	33F	34F	33	34	31V	31
16	29F	F	(2.9)F	27F	32F	32F	32F	33F	34	32F	32F	31	31
17	(28)J	30F	(22.8)J	2.9	30	30F	30F	32	35	33	33	32	31
18	30.0F	29F	2.8S	2.9	2.9F	32F	33F	(32)J	34	37H	31H	34	34
19	2.9F	2.9F	C	C	3.0F	3.0F	3.3F	(3.5)S	3.3V	3.3	3.4F	3.4F	3.6
20	31	3.0	(31)J	(30)J	(32)J	(32)J	3.4	(32)J	3.8	35	32	36	31
21	31	2.9	3.0	3.2F	32F	32F	32F	31F	36	34	33K	34K	34K
22	(30)J	30	2.9V	2.8F	F	30F	29F	29	34	C	34	32	32
23	30F	30F	(28)J	29F	31F	31F	31F	(32)F	34F	M	(33)F	32F	34F
24	(30)J	29	30F	30F	34F	2.9F	30F	32F	36Z	34Y	34Y	34F	34
25	2.9F	(2.9)F	(2.8)F	30F	32F	32F	32F	30F	32F	36S	35F	33	(34)S
26	30.0F	29F	2.8S	30F	31F	(32)F	33	36	36F	34	34	32	34
27	30V	2.9F	30F	(30)J	31F	31F	30F	31F	34	31	31	30	30
28	2.9F	(30)J	(2.9)F	(30)F	(31)F	(31)F	30F	31F	35F	34F	31F	(33)J	32F
29	2.8F	2.8F	C	C	C	C	C	C	3.3	33	34	32	32
30	31F	30F	2.8F	2.9F	32F	32F	31F	34F	36F	32F	31F	(31)J	31F
31	(26)J	25F	24F	F	(31)F	F	28F	28F	31F	32	31	30F	2.5F
Median	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.4	3.3	3.3	3.2	3.1
Count	29	29	28	26	28	27	29	30	30	29	30	31	30

Sweep 1.0 Mc 10.250 Mc in 0.25 min  
 Manual  Automatic

TABLE 60  
IONOSPHERIC DATA  
Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D. C.  
(Month) January, 1951  
Lat. 38°7'N., Long. 77°1'W.

(Characteristic)	(Unit)	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																												
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Median Count		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

Swept 1.0 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 0.25 min  
Manual  Automatic

TABLE 61  
IONOSPHERIC DATA  
Central Radio Propagation Laboratory, National Bureau of Standards, Washington 25, D.C.

(M1500)E, (Unit)  
(Characteristic)  
Observed at Washington, D.C.

January, 1951  
(Month)  
Lat. 38°7'N, Long. 77.1°W

Day	75°W												Mean Time																
	00	01	02	03	04	05	06	07	08	09	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23					
1										S	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	A	A										
2										4.1	B	A	A	A	A	A	A	4.3	(3.9) <sup>s</sup>										
3										4.3	(4.2) <sup>A</sup>	A	A	A	A	A	A	4.2	4.2	3.9	3.9								
4											B	B	4.3	A	A	A	A	4.2	A	A									
5											A	A	A	A	A	A	A	4.2	A	A									
6											B	(4.3) <sup>s</sup>	A	4.2	4.2	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B					
7											A	A	S	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B	B					
8												4.2	4.1	4.1	4.1	(3.9) <sup>s</sup>	B	B	4.0										
9											A	(4.0) <sup>s</sup>	3.9	(4.0) <sup>A</sup>	(4.2) <sup>s</sup>	S	S	A	A	A									
10											3.6	4.0 <sup>s</sup>	4.1	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1				
11											A	4.1 <sup>s</sup>	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1				
12											B	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2				
13											3.6 H	3.8	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2				
14											S	3.9	B	B	(4.2) <sup>B</sup>	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2			
15											A	4.0	3.8	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1				
16											3.4	3.9	4.1	4.1	4.0	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2				
17											A	3.6	3.9	4.1	C	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1				
18											A	4.1	4.1	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1				
19											A'	4.1	3.8	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2				
20											4.3	4.3	4.4	B	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3			
21											4.1	4.3	4.4 <sup>K</sup>	4.4 <sup>A</sup>	4.4 <sup>X</sup>	4.5 <sup>X</sup>	4.5 <sup>X</sup>	4.5 <sup>X</sup>	4.5 <sup>X</sup>	4.5 <sup>X</sup>	4.5 <sup>X</sup>	4.5 <sup>X</sup>	4.5 <sup>X</sup>	4.5 <sup>X</sup>	4.5 <sup>X</sup>				
22											4.3	C	C	4.3 <sup>F</sup>	B	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5			
23											S	M	4.0	A	4.0	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4			
24											4.0	4.3	4.2 <sup>F</sup>	4.2	4.3	4.4 <sup>H</sup>	4.4 <sup>H</sup>	4.4 <sup>H</sup>	4.4 <sup>H</sup>	4.4 <sup>H</sup>	4.4 <sup>H</sup>	4.4 <sup>H</sup>	4.4 <sup>H</sup>	4.4 <sup>H</sup>	4.4 <sup>H</sup>				
25											4.0 H	4.1 H	4.0	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.2			
26											A	4.5	4.1	4.6	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5			
27											4.1	A	4.3	A	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4	4.4		
28											A	B	4.3	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3		
29											C	4.4	4.5	4.3	4.1	4.2	4.4	4.4	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.3		
30											4.0	4.6	4.7	A	A	C	4.3	4.4	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A	A		
31											4.5	A	4.1	4.2	4.5	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.6	
Median											4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.2	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	4.1	
Count											9	19	21	22	21	25	25	20	19	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2

Sweep 10 Mc to 25.0 Mc in 0.25 min  
Manual  Automatic

Table 62Ionospheric Storminess at Washington, D. C.January 1951

Day	Ionospheric character*		Principal storms Beginning GCT      End GCT		Geomagnetic character** 00-12 GCT      12-24 GCT	
	00-12 GCT	12-24 GCT				
1	2	2			2	2
2	3	1			3	3
3	2	1			3	2
4	2	2			2	1
5	3	3			2	2
6	3	2			2	1
7	2	2			1	1
8	1	3			2	2
9	2	2			3	1
10	2	2			1	3
11	3	1			3	3
12	2	2			3	3
13	2	2			4	2
14	2	3			4	3
15	2	3			3	3
16	3	3			2	3
17	3	3			3	1
18	3	3			1	1
19	3	3			2	3
20	1	2			2	1
21	3	4	1500	---	1	4
22	4	4	---	2200	4	5
23	3	2			4	3
24	1	2			2	2
25	2	1			2	1
26	1	3			2	3
27	1	0			4	3
28	1	3			3	3
29	2	3			3	2
30	1	3			2	3
31	3	3			5	3

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

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

----Dashes indicate continuing storm.

Table 63

Provisional Radio Propagation Quality Figures  
 (Including Comparisons with CRPL Warnings and Forecasts)  
December 1950

Day	North Atlantic quality figure	CRPL* Warning	CRPL Forecasts (J-reports)	North Pacific quality figure	Geo- mag- netic K <sub>Ch</sub>	Scales: Quality Figures (1)- Useless (2)- Very poor (3)- Poor (4)- Poor to fair 5 - Fair 6 - Fair to good 7 - Good 8 - Very good 9 - Excellent
	Half day GCT (1) (2)	Half day GCT (1) (2)	Half day GCT (1) (2)	Half day GCT (1) (2)	Half day GCT (1) (2)	
1	(4) 5	W U		(3) 5	2 1	
2	(4) (4)	U		(3) 6	3 3	
3	(4) 5			(4) 6	2 2	
4	5 5			6 5	1 1	
5	5 5			5 5	2 2	
6	5 6			(4) 5	3 2	
7	5 6	W	X	(4) 5	3 2	
8	5 6		X	5 6	2 2	
9	5 7		X	5 7	2 1	
10	5 6			5 6	2 1	
11	6 5			(4) 5	2 1	
12	6 5			(4) (4)	3 (4)	
13	(4) (4)	U W		5 (3)	(4) 3	
14	5 (4)	W (U)	X	(3) (4)	3 (4)	N No disturbance expected
15	(3) 5	U U	X	(3) (4)	2 2	X Probable disturbed date
16	(4) 5	U U		(4) 6	3 2	
17	5 5			5 6	2 2	
18	5 (4)			(4) 5	2 2	
19	(4) (4)	U U		(4) 6	3 2	
20	5 5	U		5 6	2 3	M Storm missed
21	5 6			5 6	1 1	G Good day forecast
22	5 5	W	X	(4) (4)	2 (4)	O Overwarning
23	(3) 5	W W	X	(3) 5	(5) 3	
24	(3) (4)	W W	X	(3) (4)	(4) (4)	Scoring by half day according to following table:
25	(3) (4)	W W	X	(3) (4)	(4) 3	Quality Figure ≤3 4 5 >6
26	(3) (4)	W W	X	(4) 5	(5) 3	W H H O O
27	(3) (4)	W W	X	(4) 5	(4) 3	U (M) H H O
28	(4) (4)	W U		(4) 6	3 2	N M M G G
29	(4) (4)	U		5 6	3 1	X H H O O
30	6 5			5 6	2 2	
31	5 5	U		(4) 5	2 1	

Score:  
 H  
 (M)  
 M  
 G  
 O

Warning		Forecast	
N.A.	N.P.	N.A.	N.P.
25	22	11	14
1	2	0	0
4	7	14	13
28	25	26	27
4	6	11	8

\*Broadcast on WWV, Washington, D.C. Times of warnings recorded to nearest half day as broadcast.  
 ( ) broadcast for one-quarter day. Blanks signify N.

Table 64  
Zurich Provisional Relative Sunspot Numbers  
January 1951

Date	R <sub>Z</sub> *	Date	R <sub>Z</sub> *
1	32	17	20
2	22	18	25
3	32	19	43
4	42	20	39
5	42	21	38
6	64	22	38
7	71	23	60
8	75	24	80
9	60	25	100
10	57	26	104
11	54	27	101
12	25	28	106
13	17	29	112
14	26	30	124
15	12	31	111
16	14	Mean:	56.3

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

Note: The American sunspot numbers for January will appear in a later issue of this bulletin.

Table 65a

Coronal observations at Climax, Colorado (5303A), east limb

Date GCT	Degrees north of the solar equator															0°	Degrees south of the solar equator																								
	90	85	80	75	70	65	60	55	50	45	40	35	30	25	20	15	10	5	5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	65	70	75	80	85	90					
1951	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					
Jan. 2.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					
6.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	8	8	10	10	8	5	3	5	8	12	10	5	3	3	3	3	3					
7.7 <sup>a</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	8	8	10	10	8	5	5	5	8	5	3	3	3	3	3	3	3					
9.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-						
10.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	3	3	3	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					
12.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-					
13.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	5	8	8	8	8	10	12	12	8	3	-	-	-	-	-	-					
20.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	5	8	8	8	8	8	8	5	5	3	3	-	-	-	-	-					
21.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	3	8	17	15	15	25	15	15	17	25	31	22	15	12	3	3	-				
23.8 <sup>a</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	15	20	25	20	15	12	10	5	3	-					
25.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	3	5	8	8	15	20	18	15	12	8	5	25	31	28	25	15	10	5	3	3	3
26.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	3	5	15	12	10	10	5	3	5	10	15	15	20	10	5	3	-	-	-		

Table 66a

Coronal observations at Climax, Colorado (6374A), east limb

Date GCT	Degrees north of the solar equator															0°	Degrees south of the solar equator																						
	90	85	80	75	70	65	60	55	50	45	40	35	30	25	20	15	10	5	5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	65	70	75	80	85	90			
1951	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
Jan. 2.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	3
6.9	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	5	5	12	8	15	5	2	3	2	3	2	2	2	3	3	3	3			
7.7 <sup>a</sup>	5	3	3	5	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	8	14	14	15	10	8	5	3	3	5	8	5	3	3	3	3	3	3	3		
9.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	
10.7	3	2	2	3	2	3	3	5	3	3	5	5	5	3	5	5	10	12	12	12	10	10	8	8	10	5	5	3	8	8	5	5	3	3	3	3	3		
12.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2		
13.7	3	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	5	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	5	10	8	8	5	5	5	3	8	5	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3		
20.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	
21.7	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	5	10	3	15	12	10	5	5	10	8	5	5	10	5	3	3	3	3	3	3			
23.8 <sup>a</sup>	5	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	8	15	12	15	20	20	10	12	3	3	2	3	8	5	8	5	3	3	2	2	2		
25.7	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	-	-	-	12	25	8	10	8	10	5	8	12	10	8	3	2	3	3	3	3	8	5	3	3	3	3			
26.7	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	-	3	17	15	3	10	5	8	10	10	10	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	-	-	-	

Table 65b

Coronal observations at Climax, Colorado (5303A), west limb

Table 66b

Coronal observations at Climax, Colorado (6374A), west limb

Table 67a

Coronal observations at Climax, Colorado (67021), east limb

Date GCT	Degrees north of the solar equator															0°	Degrees south of the solar equator															
	90	85	80	75	70	65	60	55	50	45	40	35	30	25	20		5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	65	70	75	80
1951	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Jun. 2.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
6.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
7.7a	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
9.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
10.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
12.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
13.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
20.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
21.7	-	-	-	-	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	
23.8a	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
25.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	3	3	3	3	2	-	-	2	3	3	3	5	5	3	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	
26.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	5	3	3	2	2	-	-	

Table 68a

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

Date GCT	Degrees north of the solar equator															0°	Degrees south of the solar equator																
	90	85	80	75	70	65	60	55	50	45	40	35	30	25	20		5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	65	70	75	80	85
1951																																	
Jan. 4.8	-	-	-	-	-	3	5	8	8	8	5	8	8	10	20	15	13	12	10	8	8	10	17	20	3	3	-	-	-	-	-		
5.7	-	-	-	-	-	3	5	8	8	10	8	8	8	8	12	12	12	10	8	8	12	10	20	5	3	-	-	-	-	-	-		
6.8	-	-	-	-	-	3	5	8	8	8	5	8	8	5	5	8	10	8	8	8	8	10	12	3	3	3	-	-	-	-	-		
7.7	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	3	3	8	6	5	5	3	8	10	10	8	5	3	5	8	8	5	3	3	3	3	3	3	3		
8.7	-	-	-	-	-	3	5	8	5	5	5	5	5	8	8	5	5	3	3	3	3	5	8	3	3	3	3	-	-	-	-		
9.7	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
16.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	5	8	8	8	8	15	38	12	17	17	15	12	12	10	10	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
17.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	5	8	10	8	8	8	12	25	12	10	12	13	15	10	10	8	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
18.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	5	8	10	8	5	5	10	15	15	12	12	12	10	5	5	5	3	3	2	-	-	-	-	-		
19.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	5	8	5	5	5	8	10	17	15	15	10	10	12	10	8	8	5	5	2	2	-	-	-	-		
20.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	5	8	8	5	5	8	12	15	15	20	14	14	18	20	15	15	12	5	3	-	-	-	-	-		
21.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	3	3	5	8	8	10	15	17	20	15	17	20	22	15	12	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
23.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	5	12	15	25	28	22	20	22	28	28	18	12	8	3	3	3	3	-	-		
24.9e	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	8	10	15	12	5	5	8	12	15	15	15	13	3	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	
25.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	5	8	8	15	12	15	10	5	8	10	15	20	15	12	5	3	-	-	-	-	-	
26.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	8	8	12	15	12	8	8	10	15	20	25	18	12	5	3	-	-	-	-	-	
27.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	8	8	10	10	12	15	12	8	3	5	8	10	10	5	-	-	-	-	-		
29.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	5	8	8	10	12	15	20	35	15	8	8	5	5	8	8	5	5	3	-	-	

Table 67b

### Coronal observations at Climax, Colorado (6702<sub>A</sub>), west limb

Table 68b

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

Table 69a

Coronal Observations at Sacramento Peak, New Mexico (6374A), east limb

Table 70a

Coronal Observations at Sacramento Peak, New Mexico (6702A); east limb

Table 69b

Coronal Observations at Sacramento Peak, New Mexico (6374A), west limb

Date GCT	Degrees south of the solar equator															0°	Degrees north of the solar equator																								
	90	85	80	75	70	65	60	55	50	45	40	35	30	25	20	15	10	5	5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	65	70	75	80	85	90					
1951																																									
Jan. 4.8	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	2	10	5	2	2	10	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	3	3	2	2	3			
5.7	-	-	2	2	2	3	2	2	3	5	3	2	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	2	2	2	2	2				
6.8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	2	2	2	3	2	2	2	2	2	-	3	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	3	3	2	2	2					
7.7	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	3	3	1	1	3	10	8	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	-	3	-	-	-				
8.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	-	-	2	2	2	2	2	2	2					
9.7	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	3	2	2	2	12	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
16.8	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	8	2	8	5	3	1	1	1	12	3	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
17.7	2	2	2	2	2	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	8	5	3	3	3	3	3	5	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	1			
18.7	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	8	5	5	2	2	3	5	3	3	2	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	2	2	2	2			
19.7	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	5	8	2	2	3	3	3	2	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	2	2	2	2	2			
20.7	2	2	3	2	2	2	2	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	5	5	8	3	3	2	5	5	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	3	3	2	2	2			
21.7	2	2	2	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	3	3	3	5	5	3	5	3	3	3	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	2	2	2	2	2			
23.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	8	8	5	3	10	8	10	5	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	3	3	3	3	3				
24.9 <sup>b</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	12	15	8	10	3	2	2	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	3	3	3	3	3	10	10	8	5	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
26.7	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	3	3	5	10	10	8	8	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2		
27.9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	2	2	-	-	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
29.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	2	2	8	10	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	2	2	2	2	2				

Table 70b

Coronal Observations at Sacramento Peak, New Mexico (6702A), west limb

Table 71  
Outstanding Solar Flares, December 1950

Observatory	Date	Time Observed	Dura- tion	Area (Mill) (sq.)	Position Latit- ude	Time of Maxi- mum	Int.	Rela- tive	Import- ance	SID Obser- ved
		Begin- ning (GCT)	End- ing (GCT)	(Visible) (Hemisph)	Diff. (Deg)	(GCT)	(GCT)	Maxi- mum	Area of Maxi- mum	(Tenths)
Boulder	Dec. 5	1925	1950	25	40	W32	N17	1930	8	8
"	" 6	2005	2018	13	90	E48	S14	2010	8	7
"	" 8	2058	2123	25	340	E52	N21	2108	10	7
"	" 9	1710	1750	--	80	W34	N06	1711	6	8
"	" 14	1740	1800	--	250	W24	N16	1747	12	3

Table 72

## Indices of Geomagnetic Activity 10

Preliminary values of mean K-indices, Kw, from 35 observatories;

Preliminary values of international character-figures, C;

Geomagnetic planetary three-hour-range indices, Kp;

Magnetically selected quiet and disturbed days

Gr. Day 1950	Values Kw	Sum	C	Values Kp	Sum	Final Sel. Days
1	1.0 2.2 2.0 1.2 1.6 1.5 1.2 0.7	11.4	0.2	1o3o2+1+ 1+l+l+0+	12o	Five
2	1.1 2.4 1.6 1.6 1.7 3.5 2.7 2.1	16.7	0.7	2-3+2o2- 2o3+3-2+	19o	Quiet
3	1.6 1.5 1.3 1.9 1.7 1.4 2.3 2.9	14.6	0.5	2o2-2-2+ 2-1+l+3o	16o	
4	0.3 1.1 0.9 0.9 1.3 2.0 2.2 1.9	10.6	0.2	0o2-1o1- 1o2o2+2-	10+	1
5	1.8 0.7 1.5 1.6 1.9 3.0 3.1 2.0	15.6	0.7	2o0+2-2- 2+3o3o2-	16-	4
						11
6	2.2 1.9 3.3 4.1 3.1 2.6 1.9 2.1	21.2	0.9	2+2+4+4+ 3o3-2o2o	23o	21
7	3.1 2.4 1.9 1.5 2.1 1.9 3.0 2.7	18.6	0.6	4-3o2o1+ 2o2o3o3-	20-	31
8	1.1 1.3 1.3 2.9 2.6 3.3 2.8 3.0	18.3	0.8	1+l+l+3o 3o3+3o3o	19+	
9	2.6 2.6 2.3 1.6 2.0 1.1 1.4 1.5	15.1	0.4	3o3+3o2- 2o1+lolo	16+	
10	1.5 2.1 1.9 1.7 2.0 1.9 2.7 1.9	15.7	0.6	2o3o3-2o 2o2-3-2-	18-	
						22
11	1.3 1.3 0.8 1.1 0.8 0.9 1.1 0.5	7.8	0.0	1+2o1o1+ 1-l-1o0+	8+	Five
12	0.6 3.4 3.8 2.9 1.9 3.1 5.0 4.3	25.0	1.4	0+4-4+3o 2o3+5o4+	26o	Dist.
13	4.7 3.9 3.6 3.4 3.4 3.6 5.2 4.9	32.7	1.6	5+5-5-4- 4-4-5+5+	36+	
14	4.5 4.1 1.7 1.9 1.4 3.1 5.4 4.9	27.0	1.4	6-5o2-2o 1+3+6o6-	31-	13
15	2.0 1.7 2.1 2.3 2.2 2.2 3.4 2.7	18.6	0.7	2+3-3-2+ 3-2+4-3-	21+	14
						23
16	2.3 2.9 1.7 3.0 2.3 1.4 1.6 1.9	17.1	0.4	3-4-2+3+ 3-l+l+2o	19+	24
17	1.1 1.1 1.2 2.9 1.1 1.0 2.0 1.9	12.3	0.3	1+2-2-3+ 1olo2o2-	14-	
18	2.5 0.9 1.1 1.7 1.9 3.1 4.3 2.2	17.7	0.9	3ololo2- 2+3o4+2o	18+	
19	3.0 2.0 2.2 1.7 2.0 3.0 3.5 1.7	19.1	0.7	3+3-3-2o 2o3o4-2-	21o	
20	0.8 1.1 0.9 2.2 1.3 2.0 3.1 4.5	15.9	0.8	1o1+l03- 1o2+3+5o	18-	Ten
						Quiet
21	2.5 1.7 1.0 1.6 1.1 0.6 1.3 1.0	10.8	0.2	3+2o1+2o 1+0+l+1-	12+	
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23	4.4 3.9 4.4 3.8 3.5 3.7 2.8 3.6	30.1	1.3	5o5-6-4+ 4o4-3-4+	34+	1
24	3.3 3.0 3.3 3.7 3.4 5.8 4.3 3.6	30.4	1.5	4o4-4+4o 4-6+5-4o	35-	3
25	4.0 3.3 3.2 3.7 4.0 4.0 4.1 3.8	30.1	1.3	5-4o4+4+ 4+4+4+4o	34+	4
						9
26	3.8 3.1 3.7 4.2 3.3 3.8 3.6 2.9	28.4	1.2	4+4o5-5o 4-4o4-3o	32+	11
27	2.6 3.0 3.0 3.4 2.6 2.7 3.2 3.5	24.0	1.0	3o4-4+4- 3o3-3+4o	28-	17
28	2.6 2.0 2.3 2.4 2.5 2.5 2.0 1.7	18.0	0.5	3o3-3o3o 3-2+2+2-	21-	21
29	1.8 1.6 1.7 2.0 0.8 1.3 1.7 2.1	13.0	0.2	2+2+2+3- 1-1+l+2-2o	15+	29
30	2.0 0.7 1.2 1.6 1.6 2.4 2.6 2.6	14.7	0.5	2+o1o2o 2o2+3-3-	15o	30
31	0.7 0.5 1.2 0.9 0.7 1.0 0.9 2.0	7.9	0.1	1o0+2-1+ 1ololo2o	9+	31
Mean	2.17 2.03 2.13 2.90 2.08 2.32 2.53 2.62	2.35	0.75			

Table 73Sudden Ionosphere Disturbances Observed at Washington, D. C.January 1951

1951 Day	GCT		Location of transmitters	Relative intensity at minimum*	Other phenomena
	Beginning	End			
January 22	1620	1800	Ohio, D. C., Colombia, England, New Brunswick	0.0	Terr. mag. pulse** 1625-1705
23	1830	1920	Ohio, D. C., Colombia	0.1	
27	1928	2020	Ohio, D. C., Colombia	0.2	

\*Ratio of received field intensity during SID to average field intensity before and after, for station KQ2XAU (formerly W8XAL), 6080 kilocycles, 600 kilometers distant.

\*\*As observed on Cheltenham magnetogram of the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey.

Table 74Sudden Ionosphere Disturbances Reported by RCA Communications, Inc.,as Observed at Riverhead, New York

1951 Day	GCT		Location of transmitters
	Beginning	End	
January 22	1625	1715	Argentina, California, Canada, England, Italy, Morocco, Panama

Table 75

Sudden Ionosphere Disturbances Reported by Institut für Ionosphärenforschung,  
as Observed at Lindau, Harz, Germany, November 1950

Day	GCT		Location of transmitters	Relative intensity at minimum*
	Beginning	End		
November 28	1130	1145	München**, Frankfurt***	0.3

\*Ratio of received field intensity during SID to average field intensity before and after, for station München, 6161 kilocycles, 400 kilometers distant.

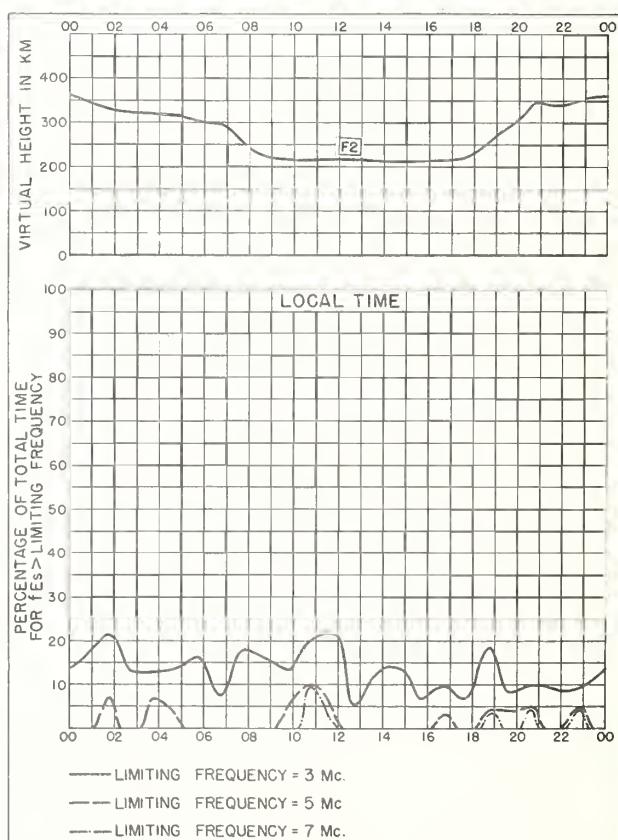
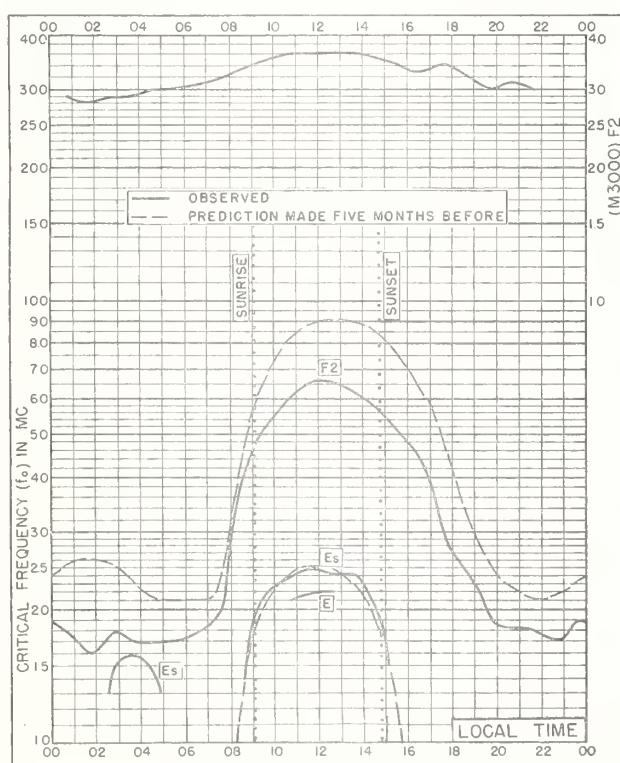
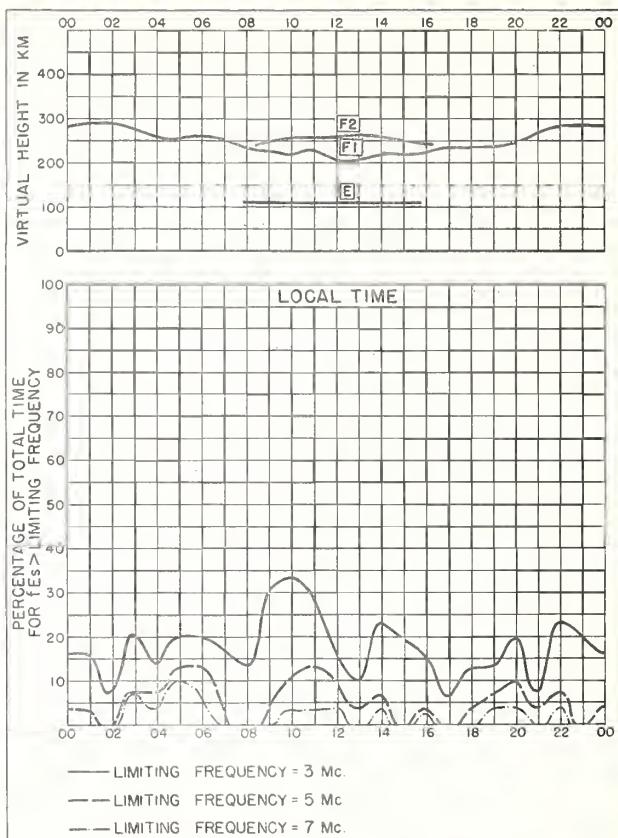
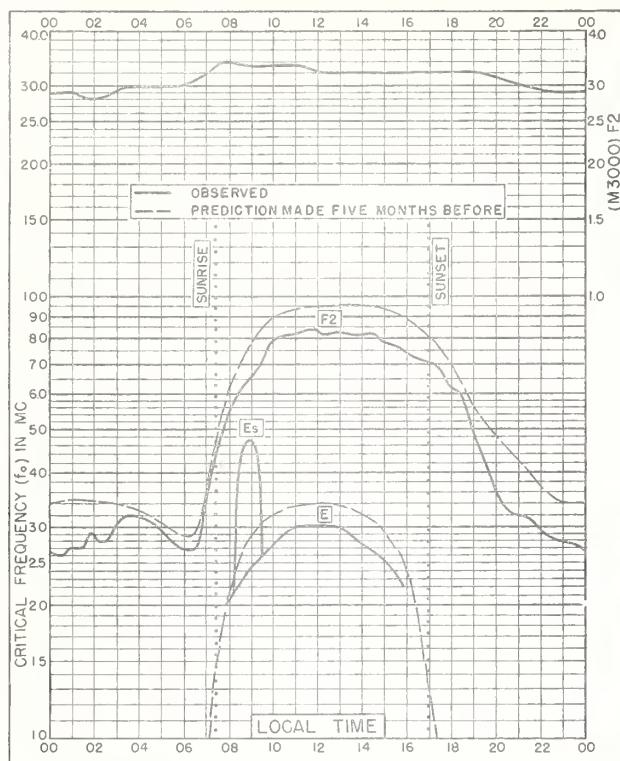
\*\*Station Bayern. Rundfunk 6161 kilocycles, 400 kilometers distant.

\*\*\*Station Hessen. Rundfunk 6190 kilocycles, 190 kilometers distant.

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

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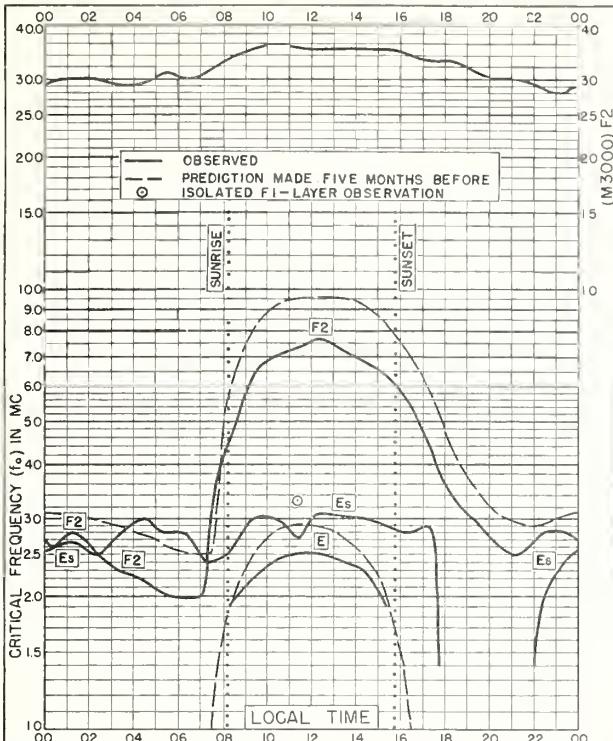


Fig. 5. De BILT, HOLLAND  
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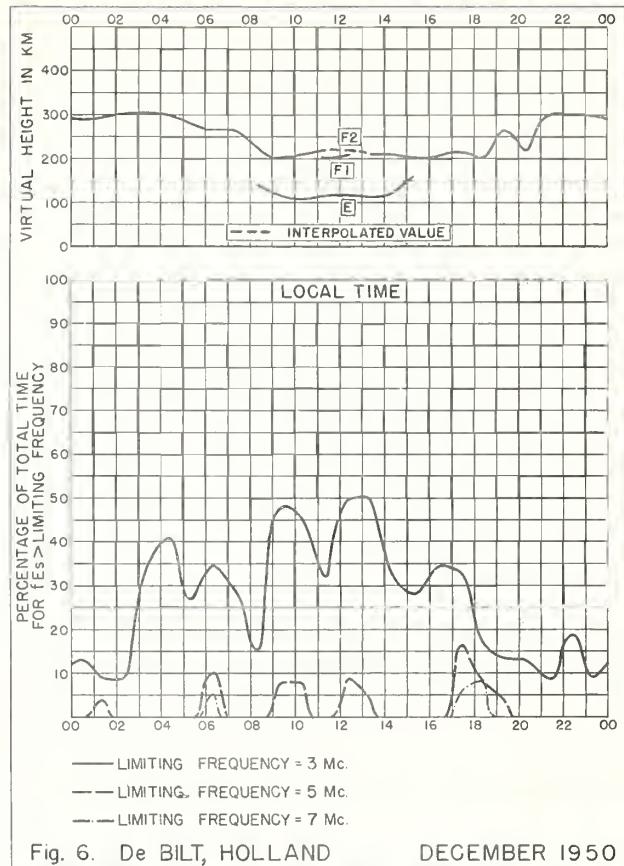


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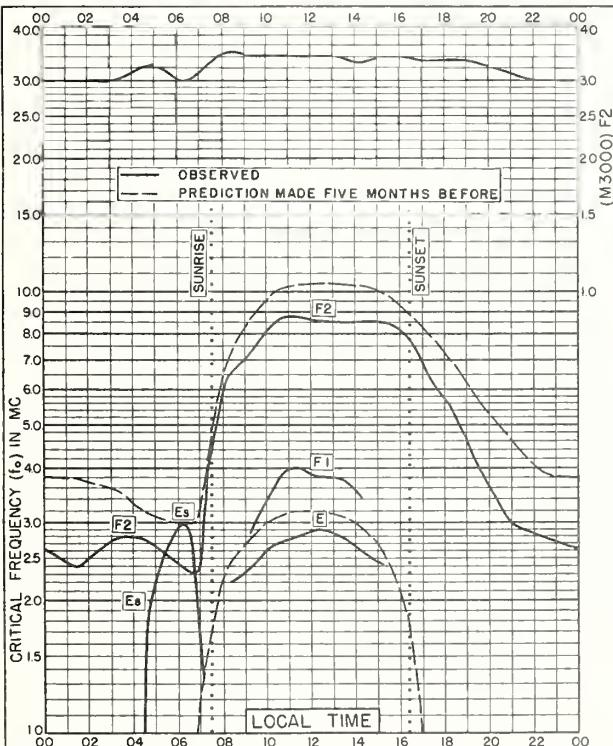


Fig. 7. BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS  
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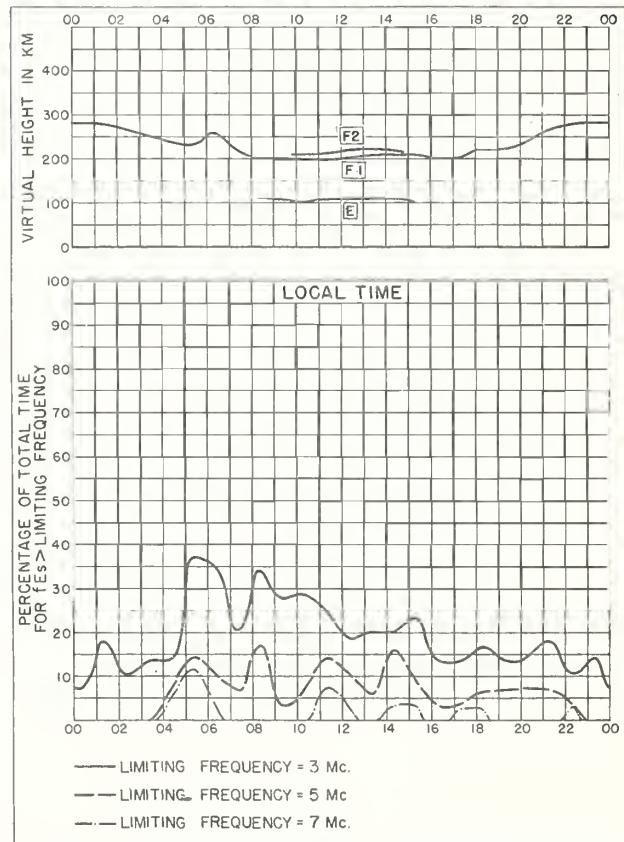


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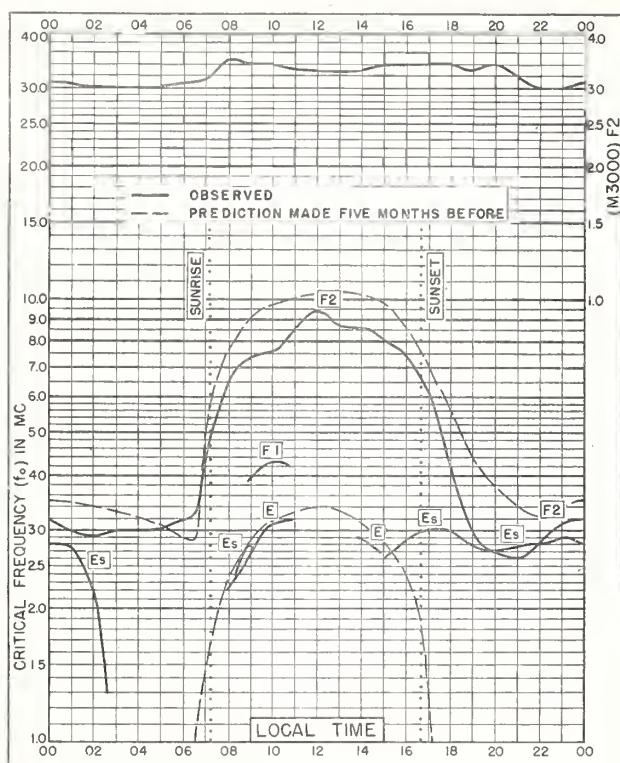


Fig. 9. SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA  
37.4°N, 122.2°W      DECEMBER 1950

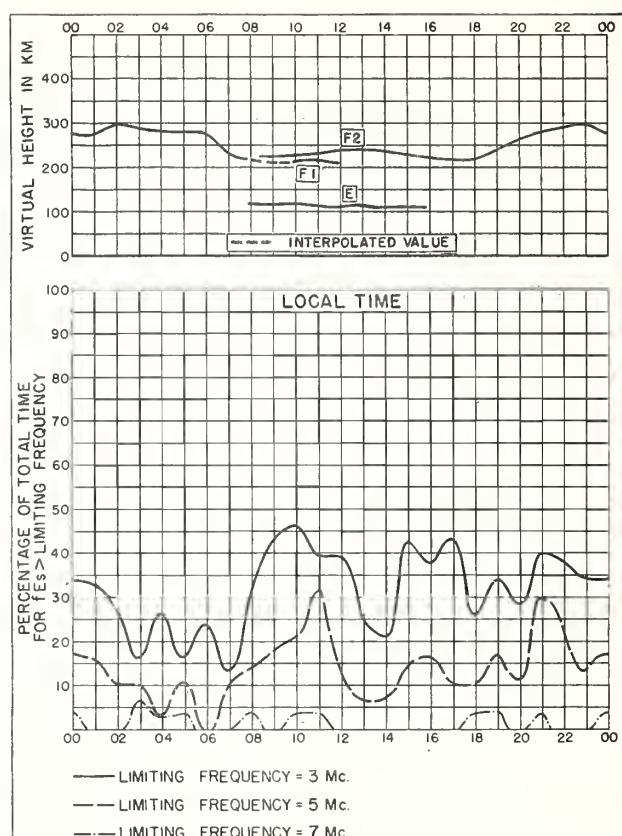


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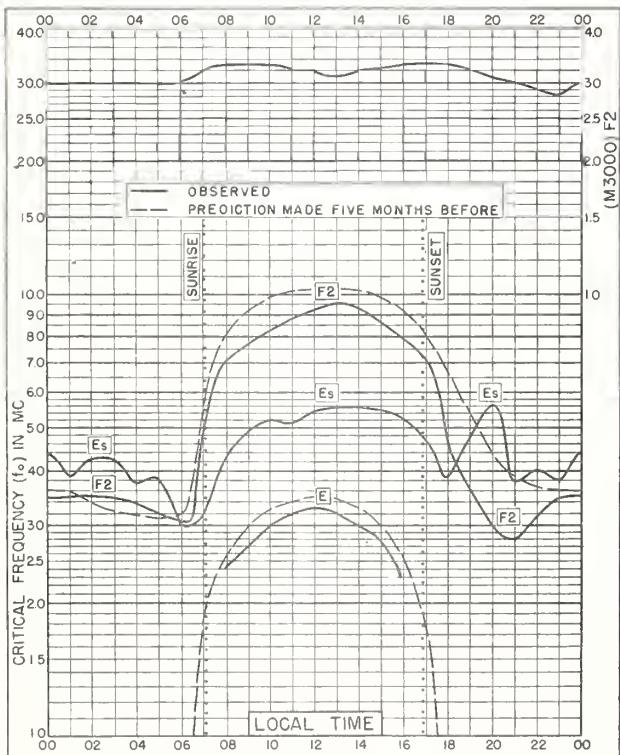


Fig. 11. WHITE SANDS, NEW MEXICO  
32.3°N, 106.5°W      DECEMBER 1950

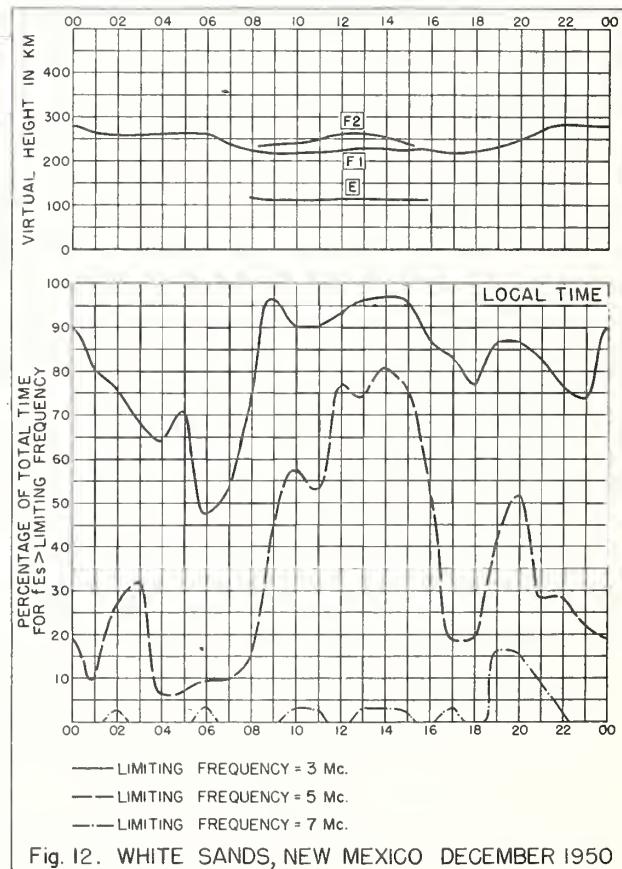


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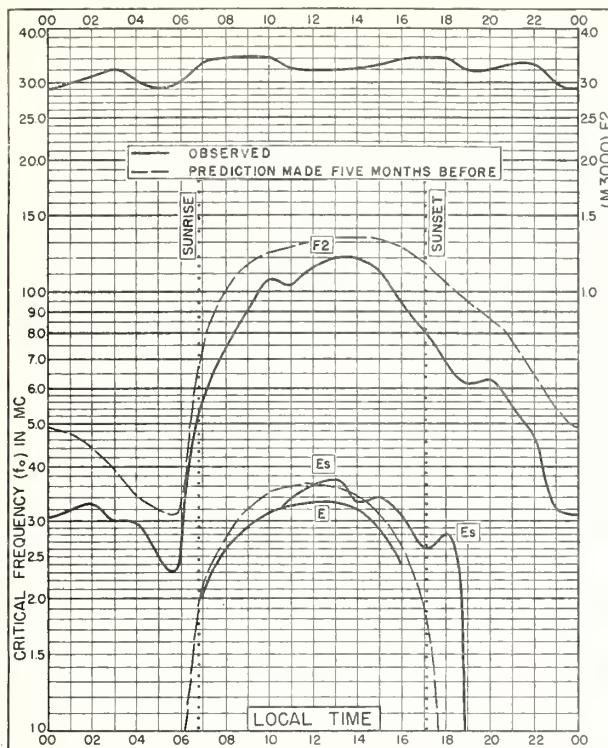


Fig. 13. OKINAWA I.  
26.3°N, 127.7°E

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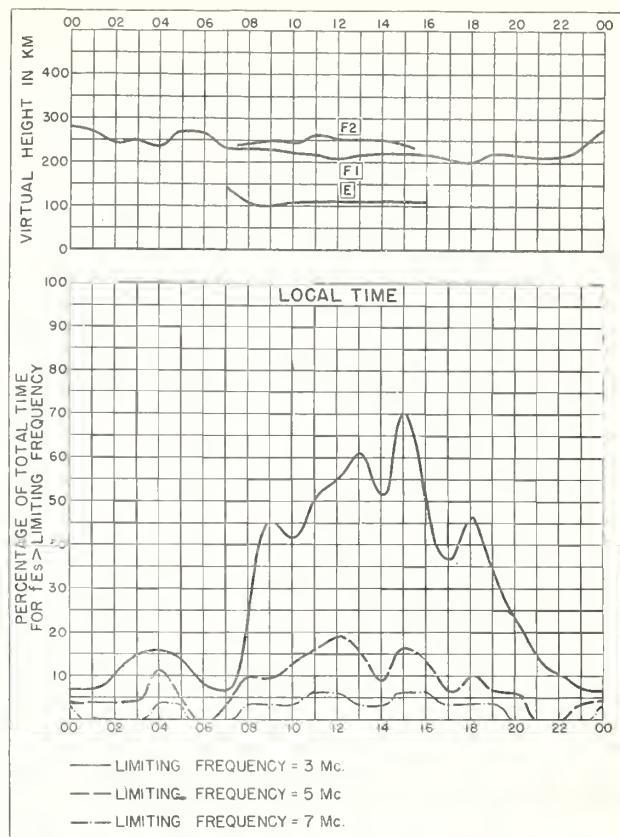


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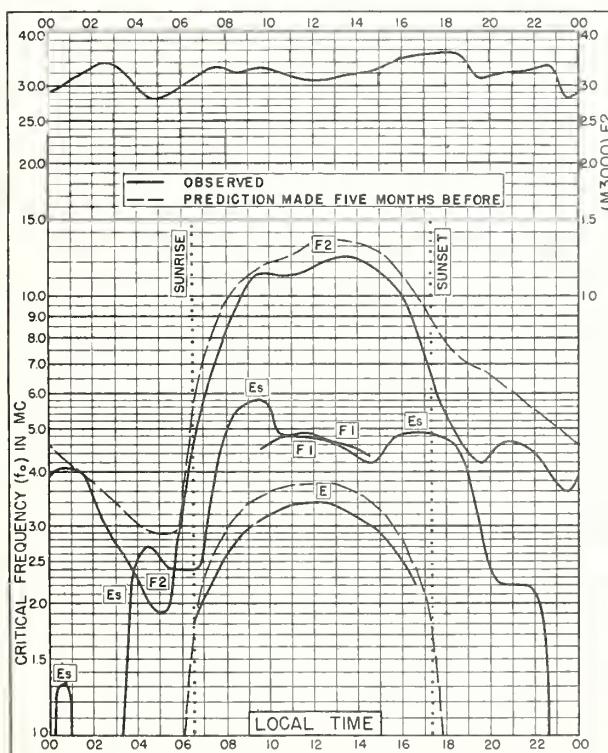


Fig. 15. MAUI, HAWAII  
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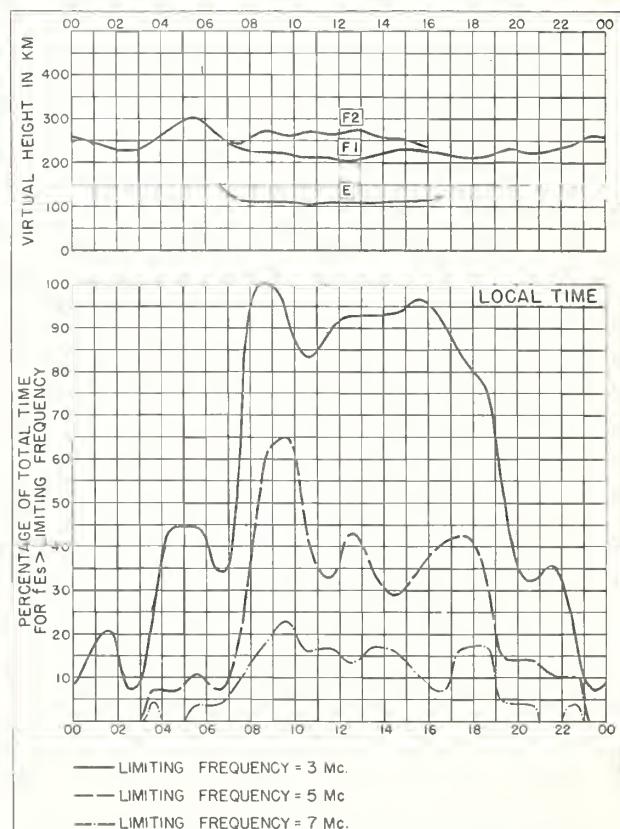


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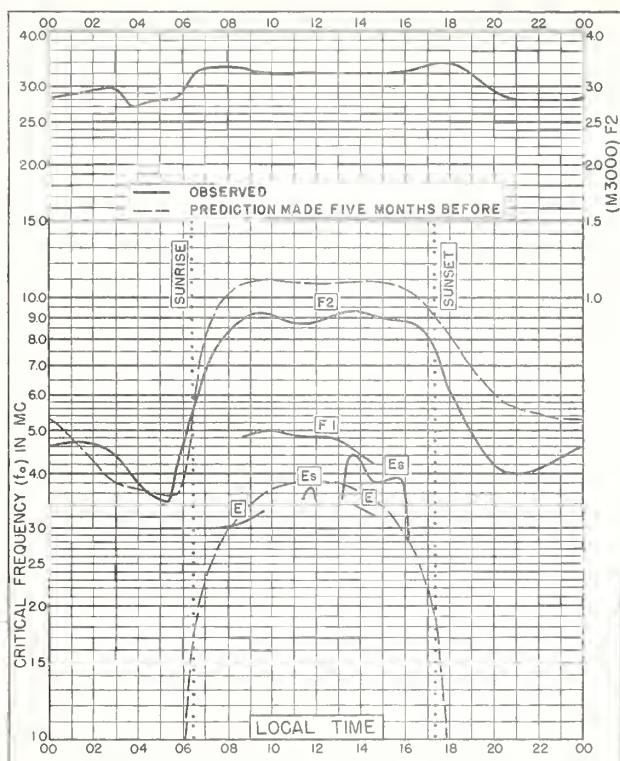


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18.4°N, 66.0°W DECEMBER 1950

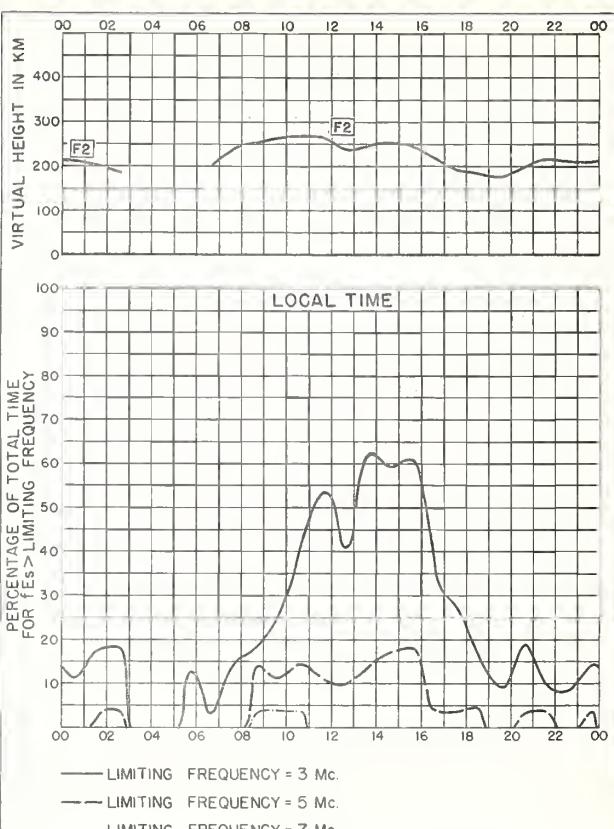


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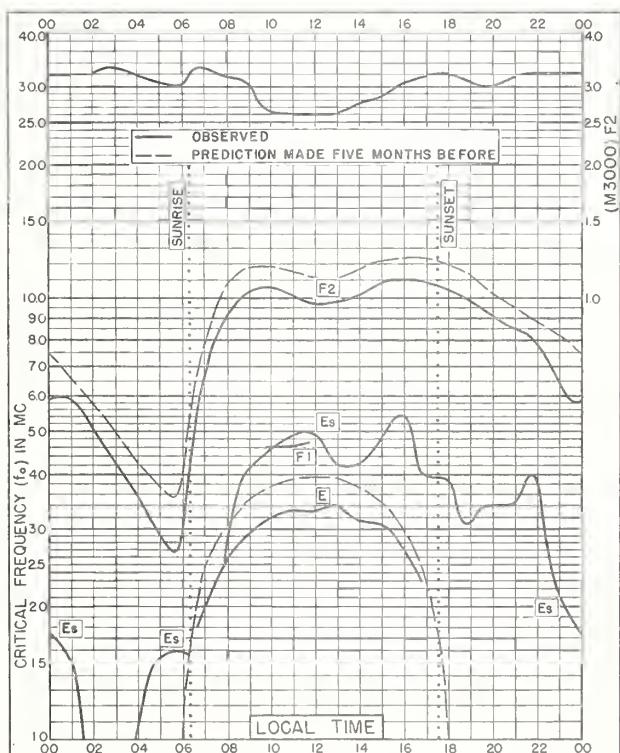


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13.6°N, 144.9°E DECEMBER 1950

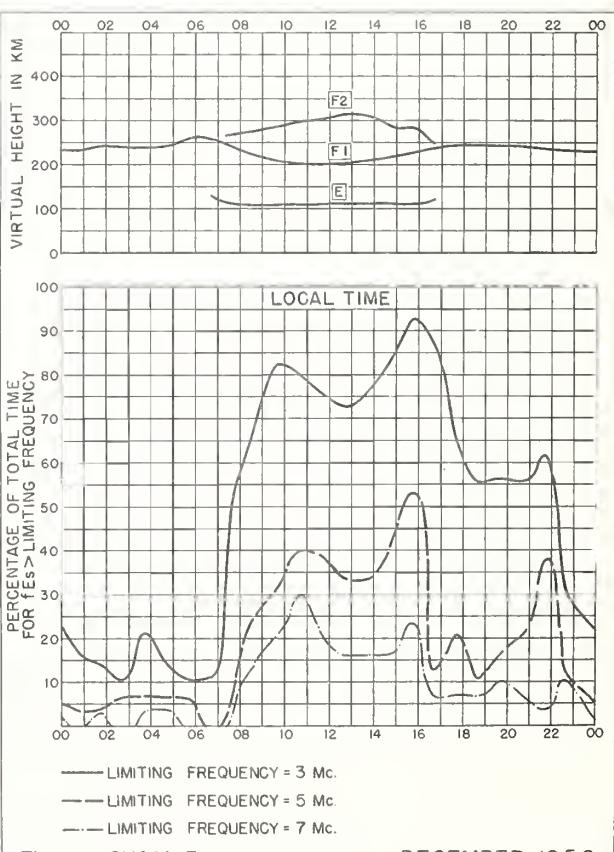


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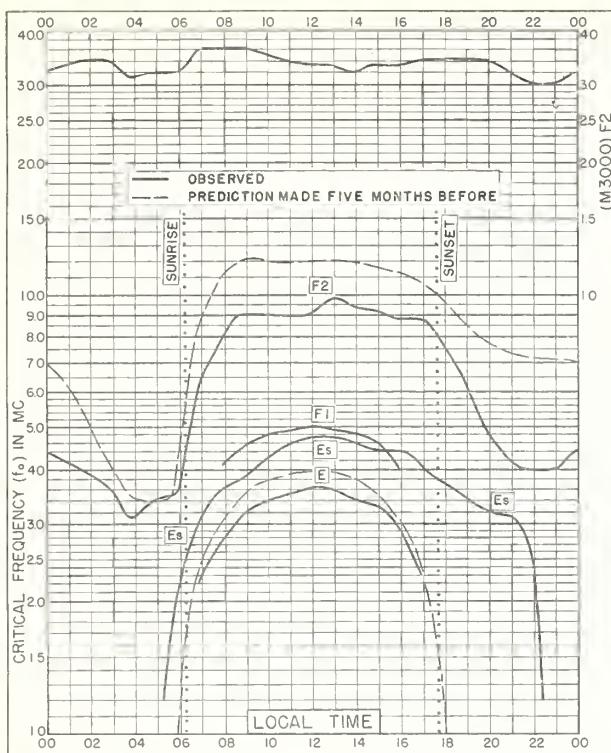


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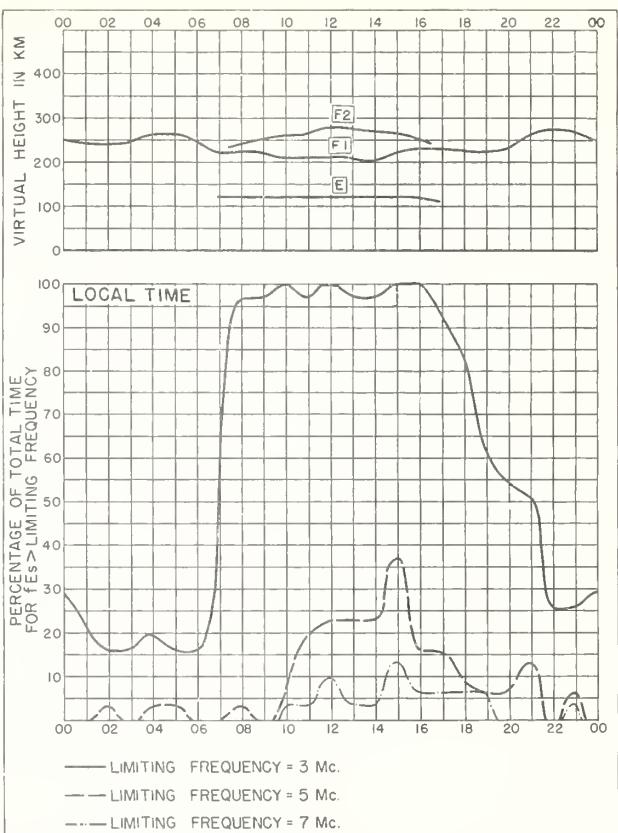


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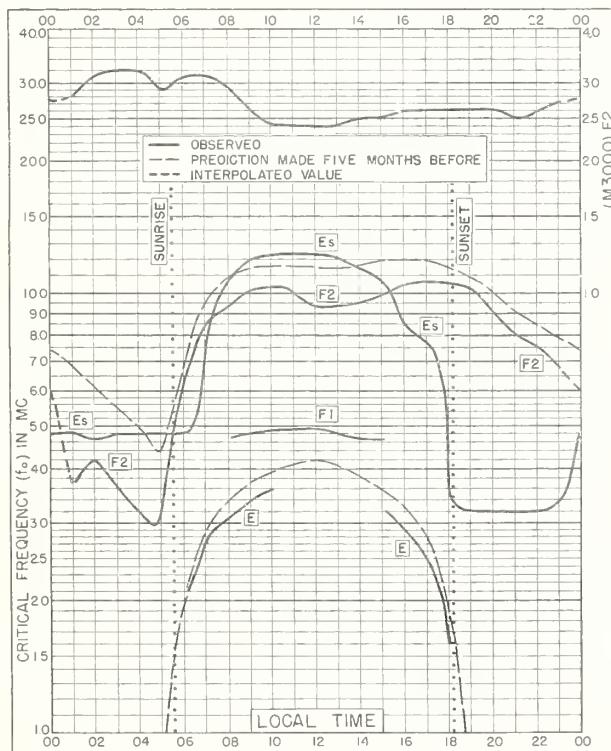


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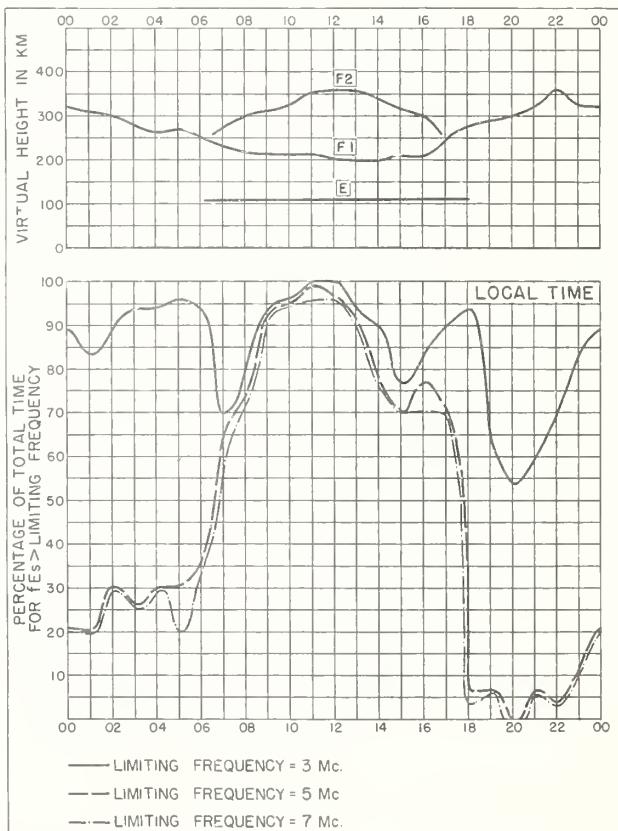


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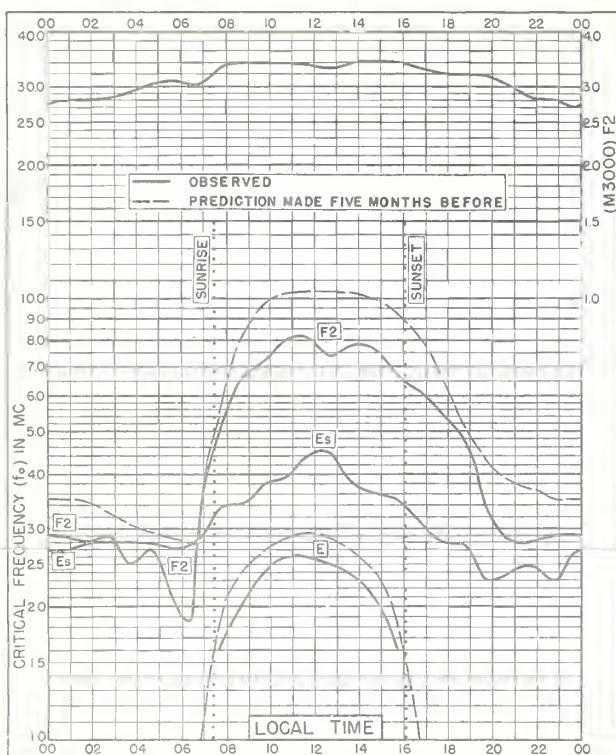


Fig. 25. LINDAU/HARZ, GERMANY  
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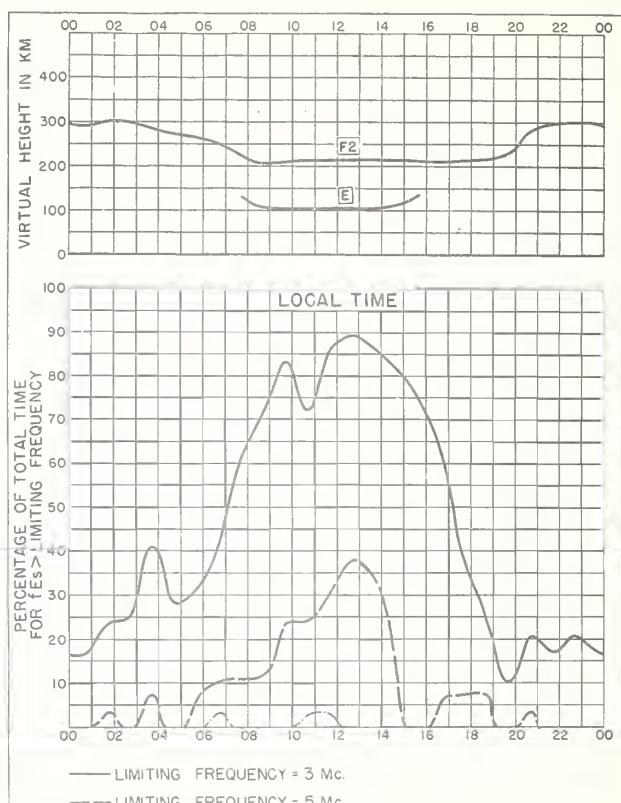


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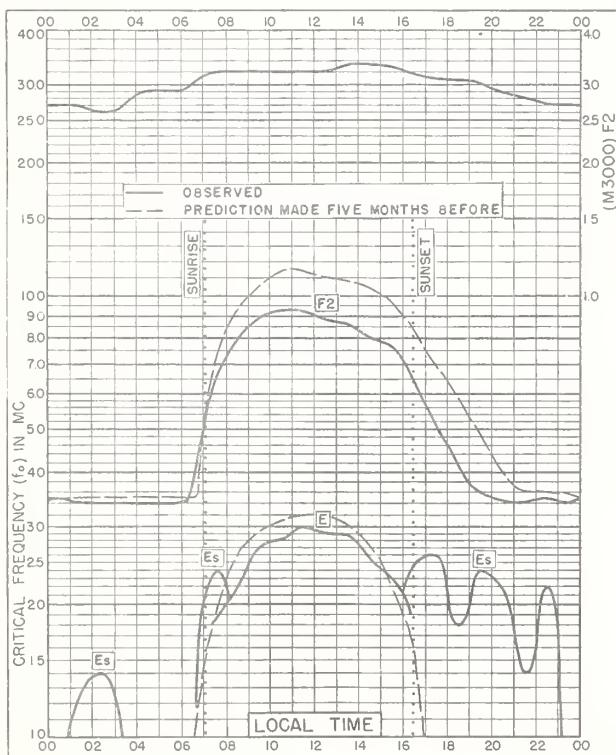


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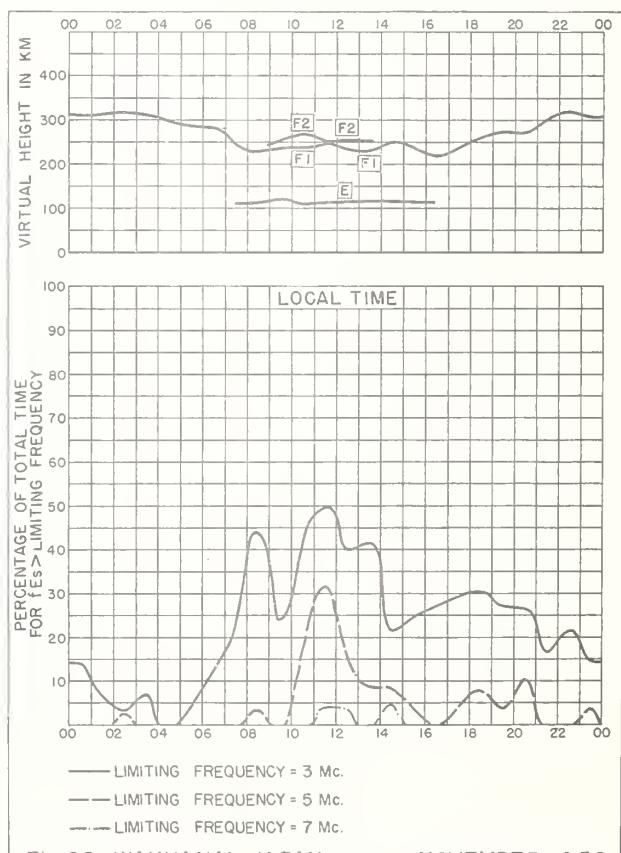
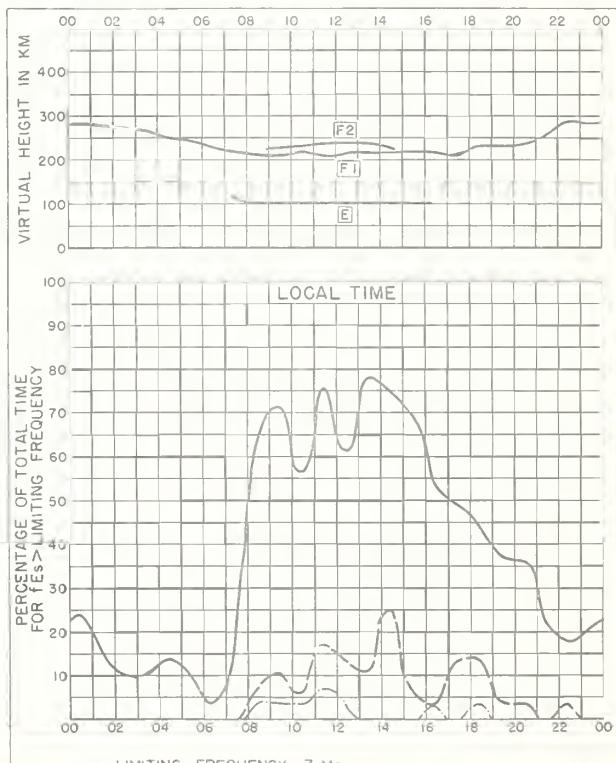
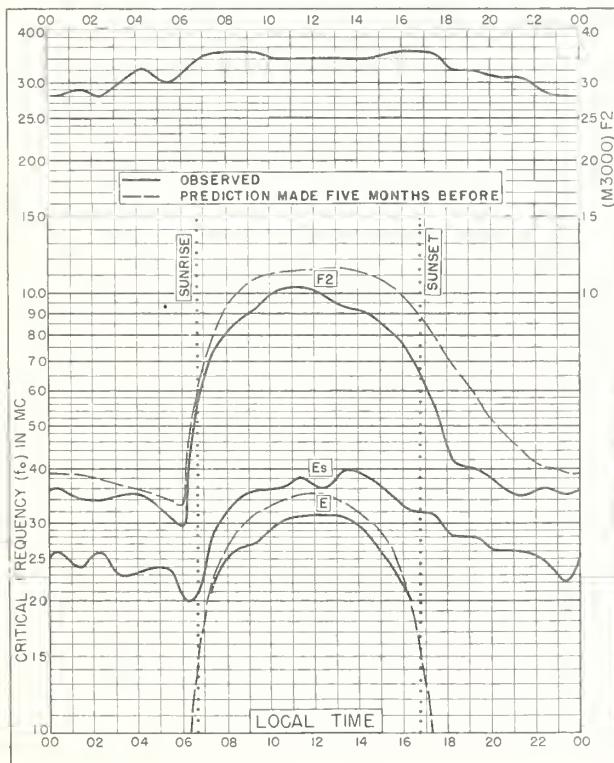
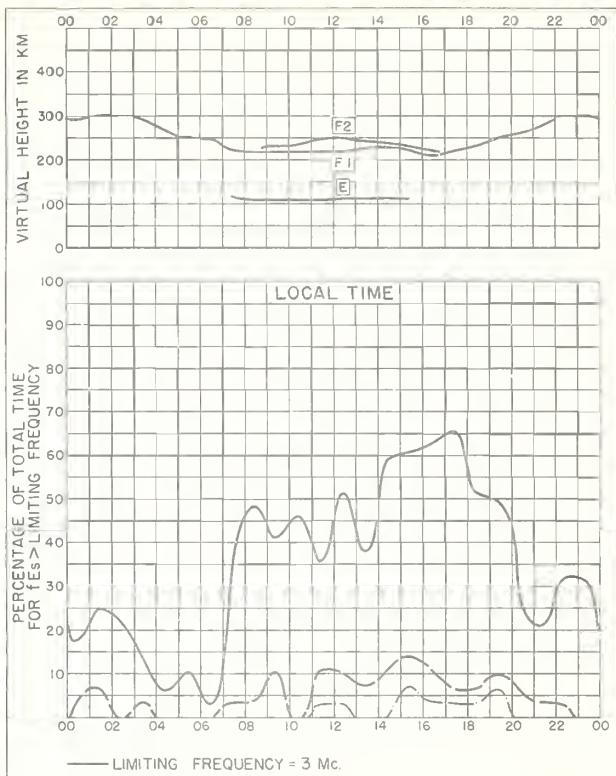
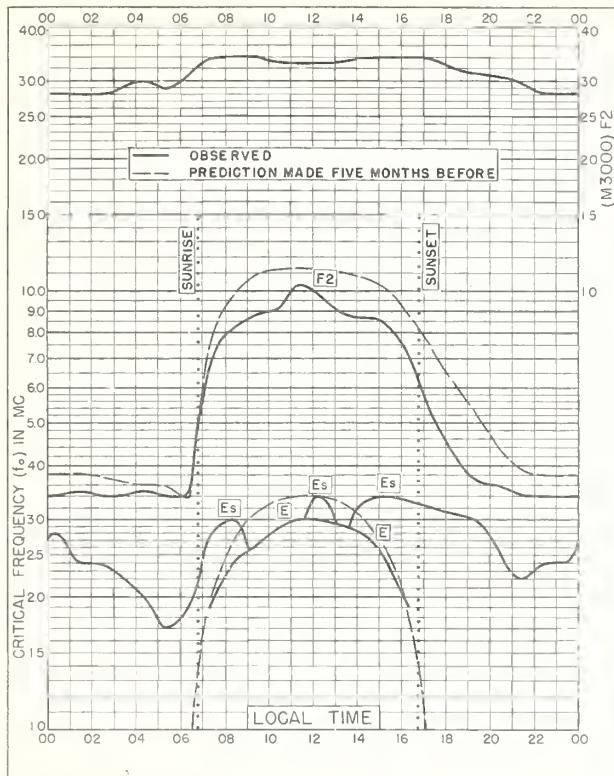
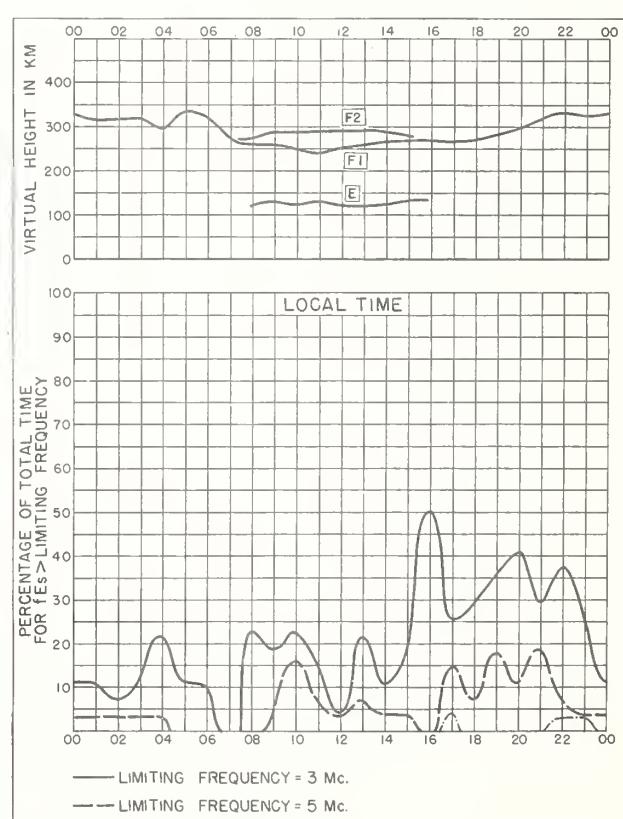
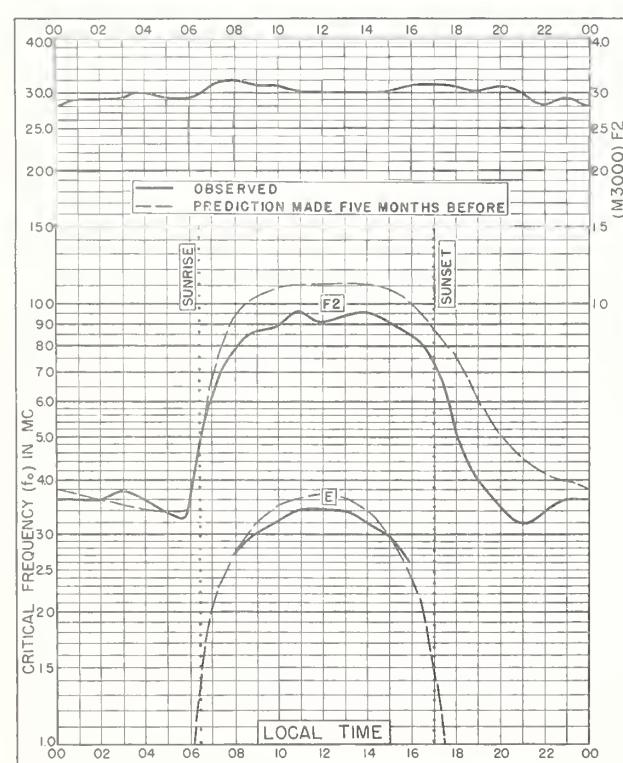
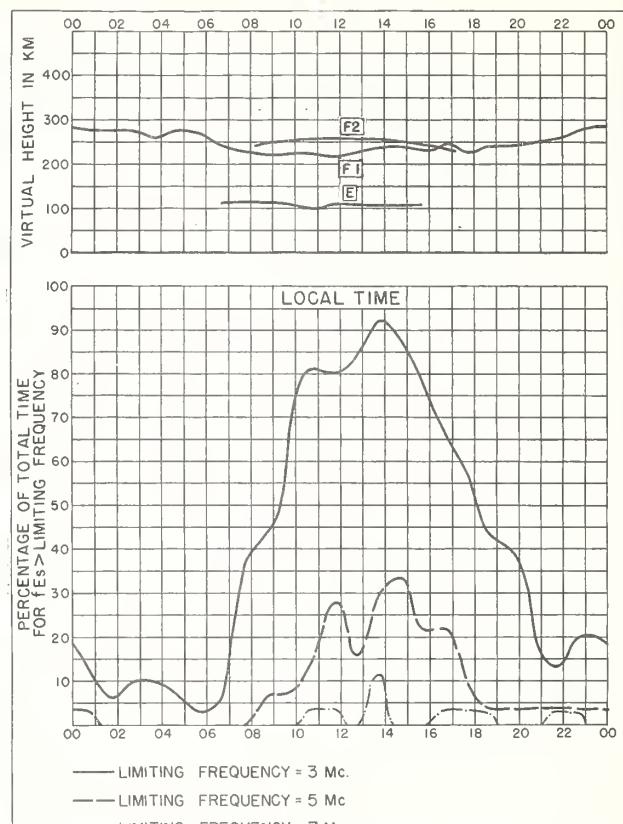
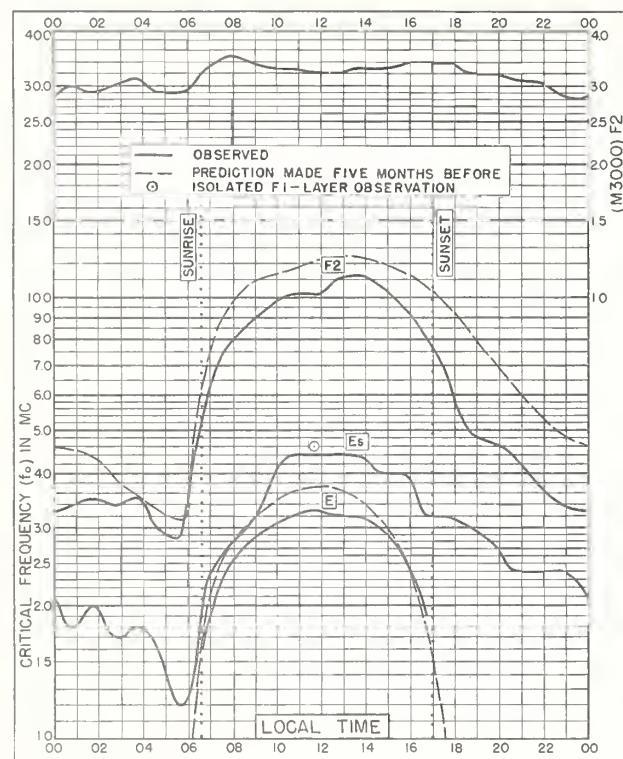


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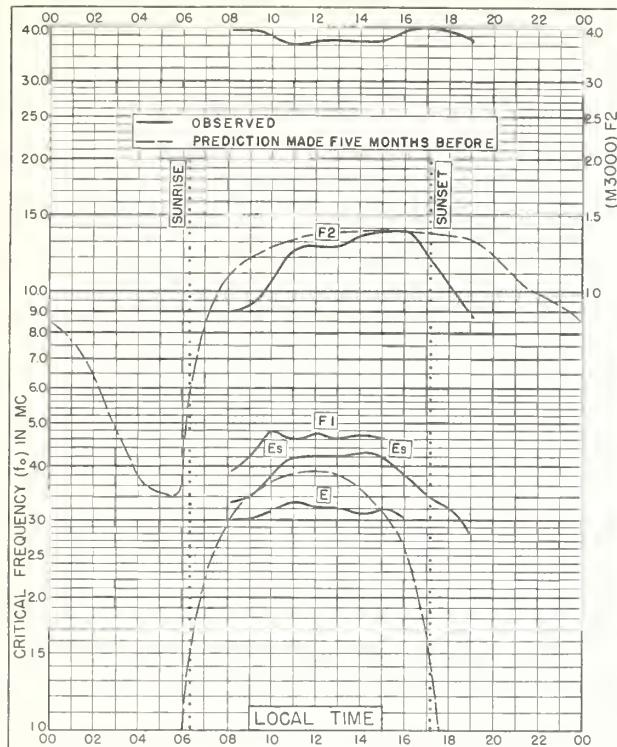


Fig. 37. FORMOSA, CHINA

25.0°N, 121.0°E

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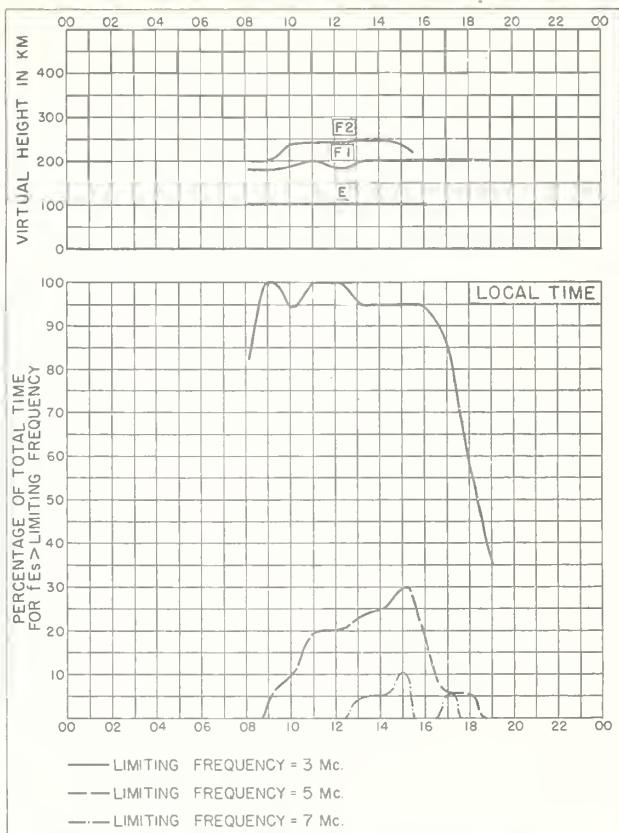


Fig. 38. FORMOSA, CHINA

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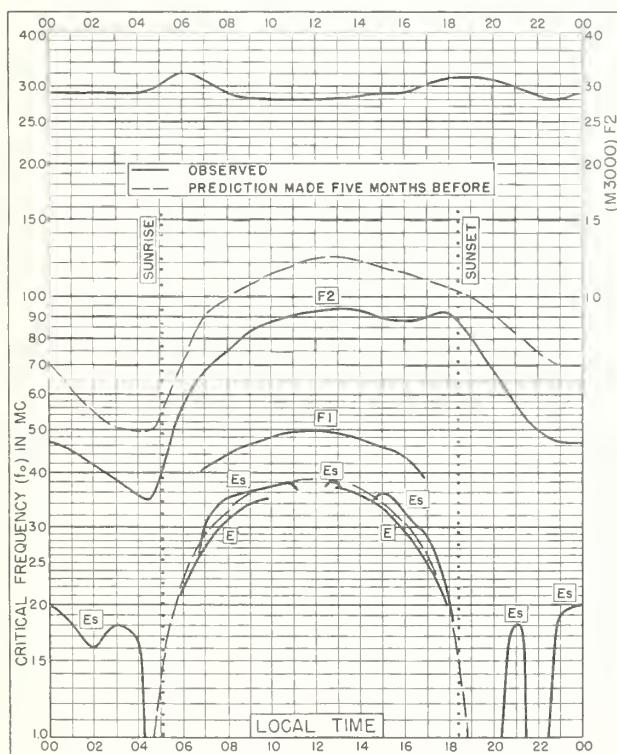


Fig. 39. JOHANNESBURG, U. OF S. AFRICA

26. 2°S, 28. 1°E

NOVEMBER 1950

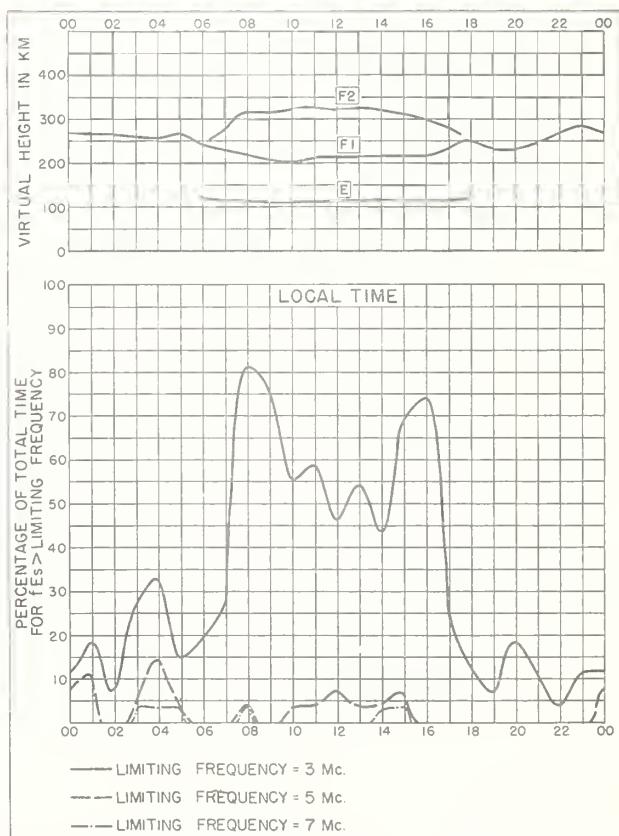


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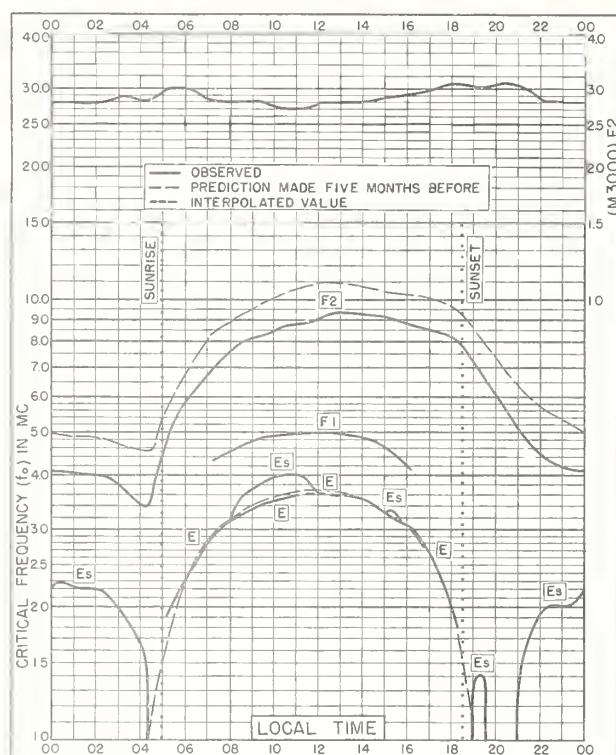


Fig. 41. CAPETOWN, U. OF S. AFRICA  
34. 2°S, 18. 3°E NOVEMBER 1950

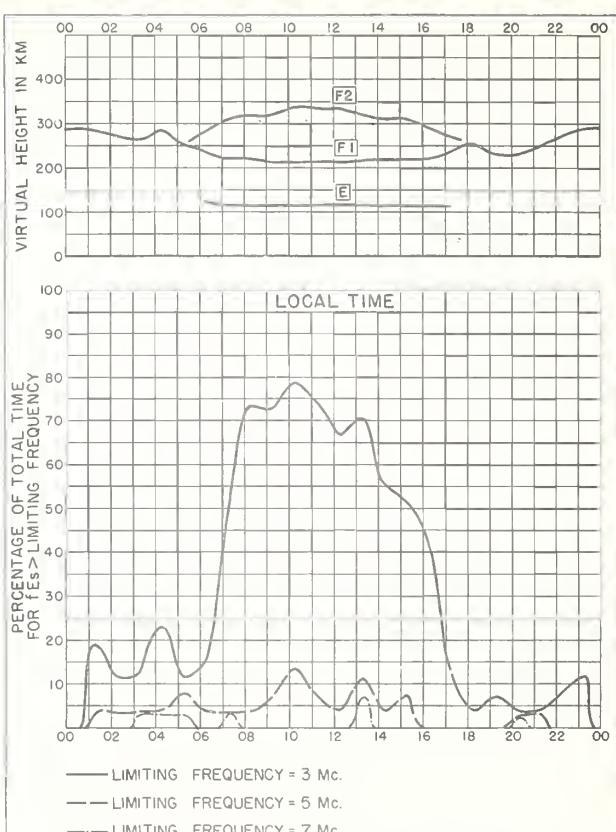


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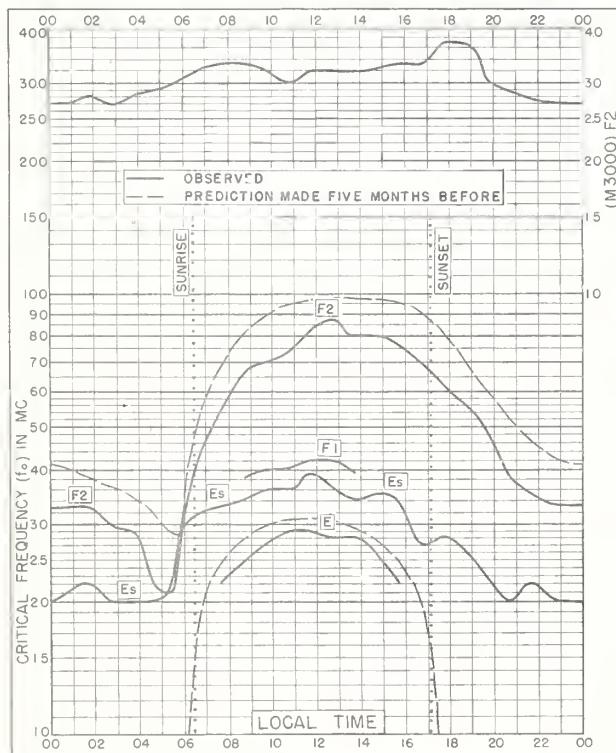


Fig. 43. LINDAU/HARZ, GERMANY  
51. 6°N, 10. 1°E OCTOBER 1950

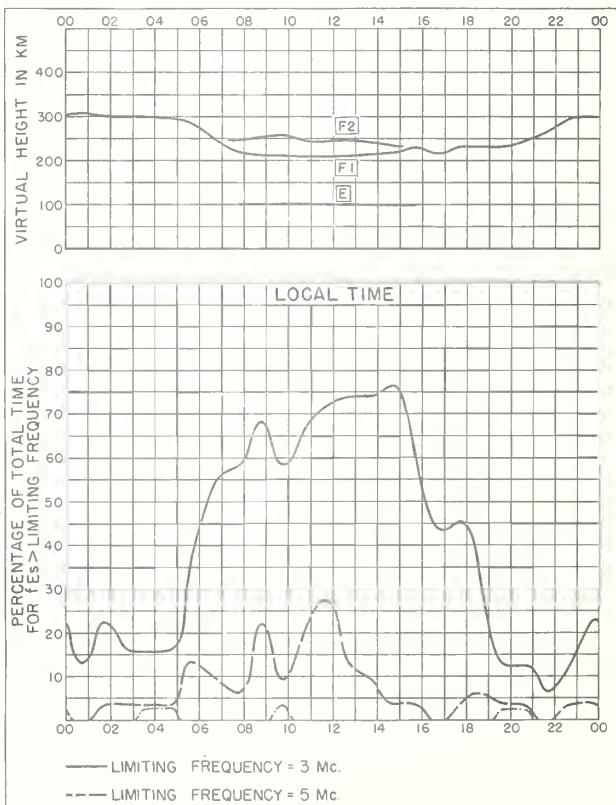
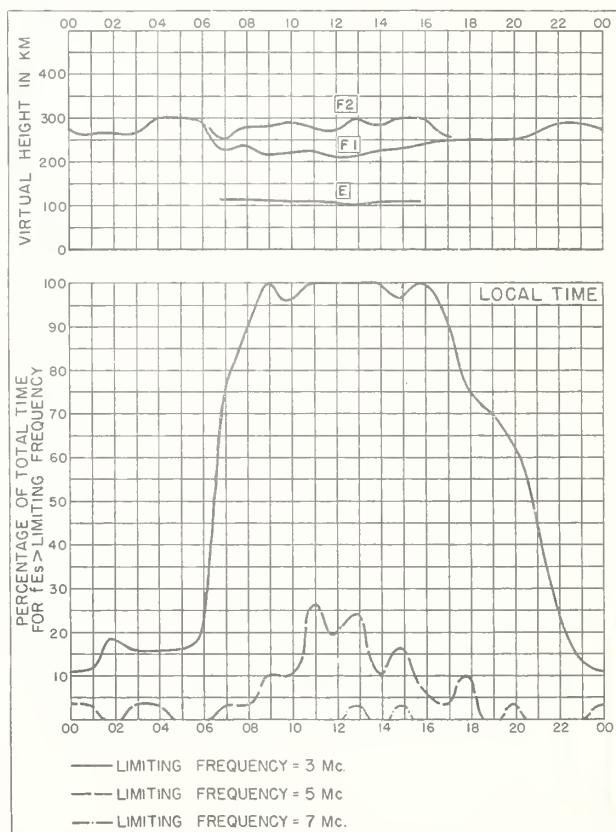
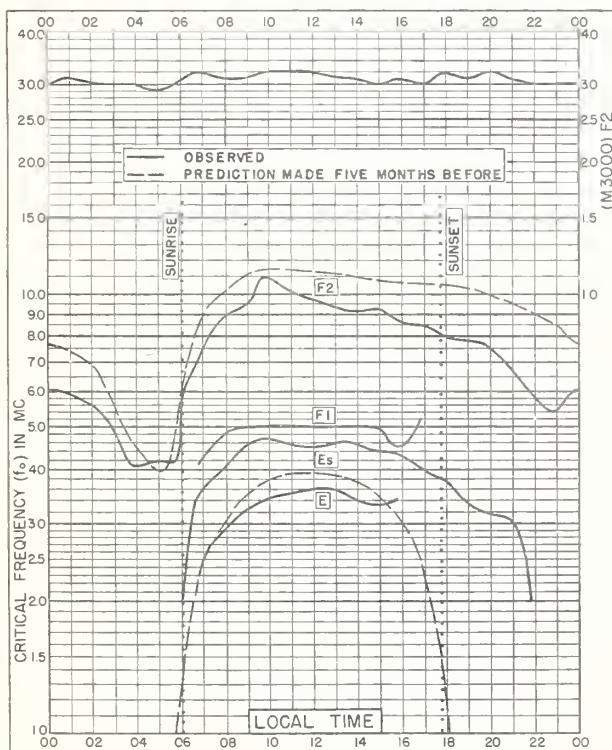
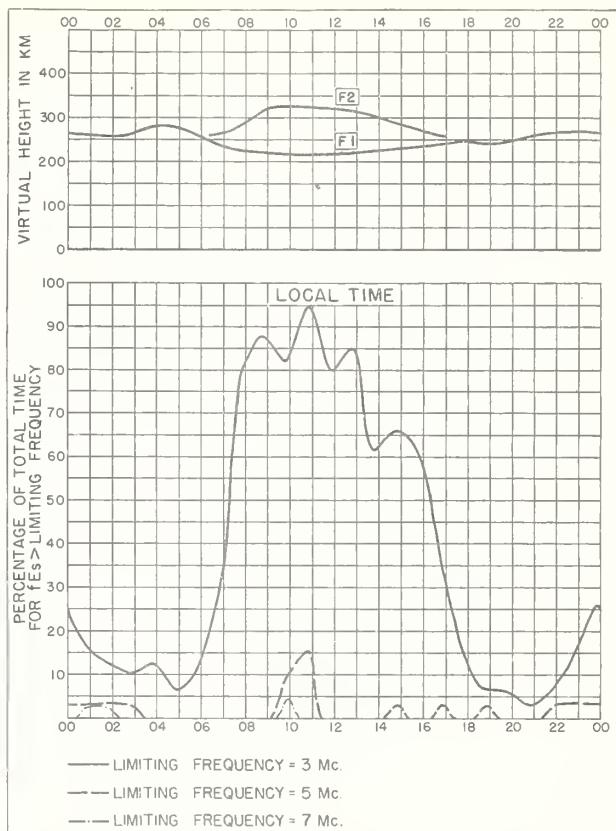
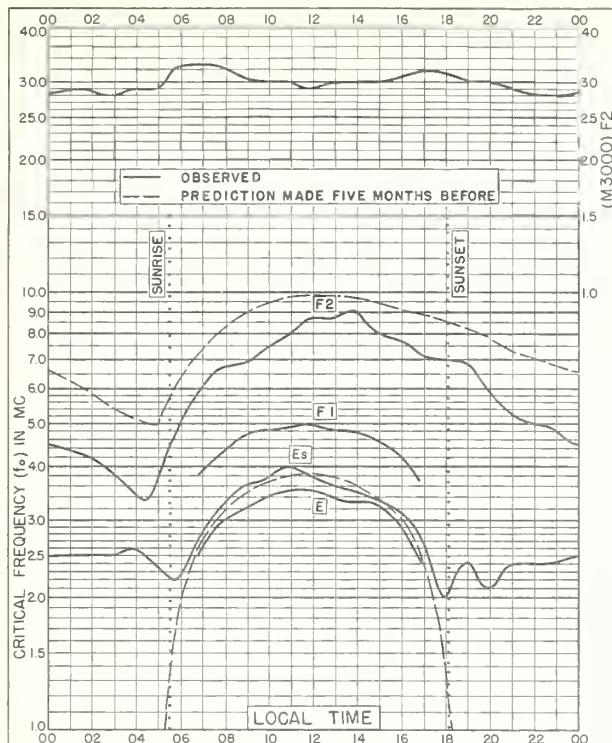
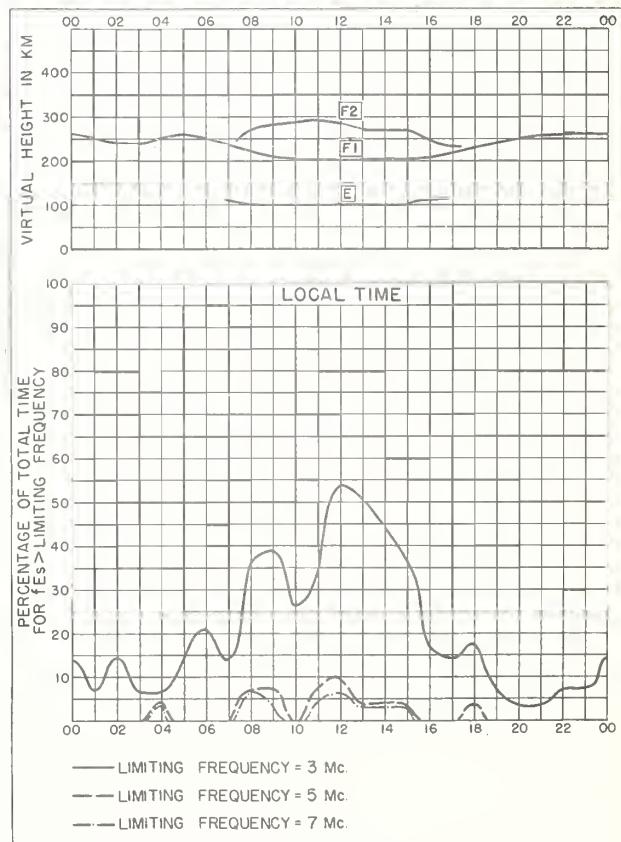
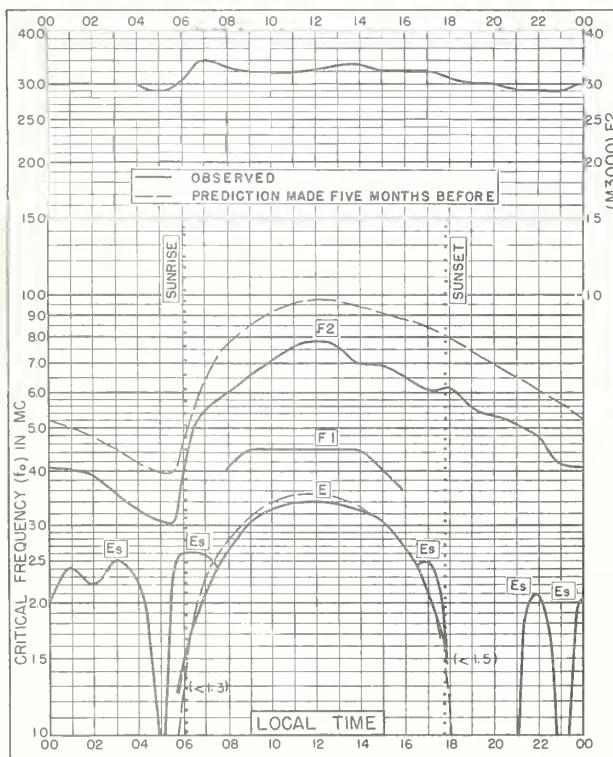
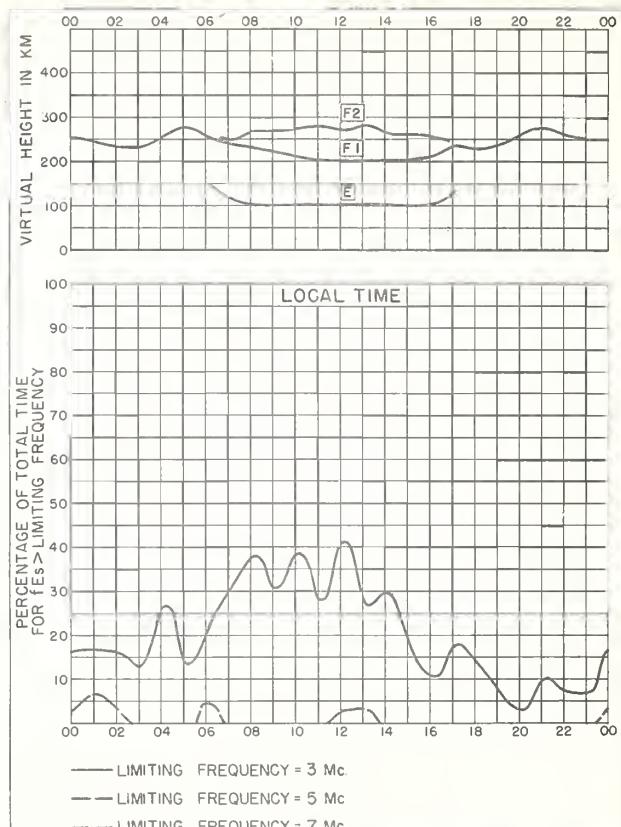
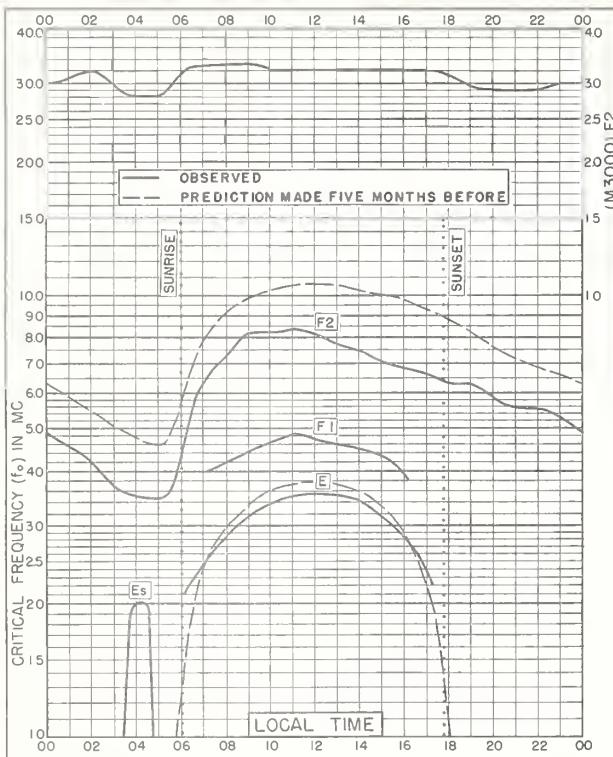
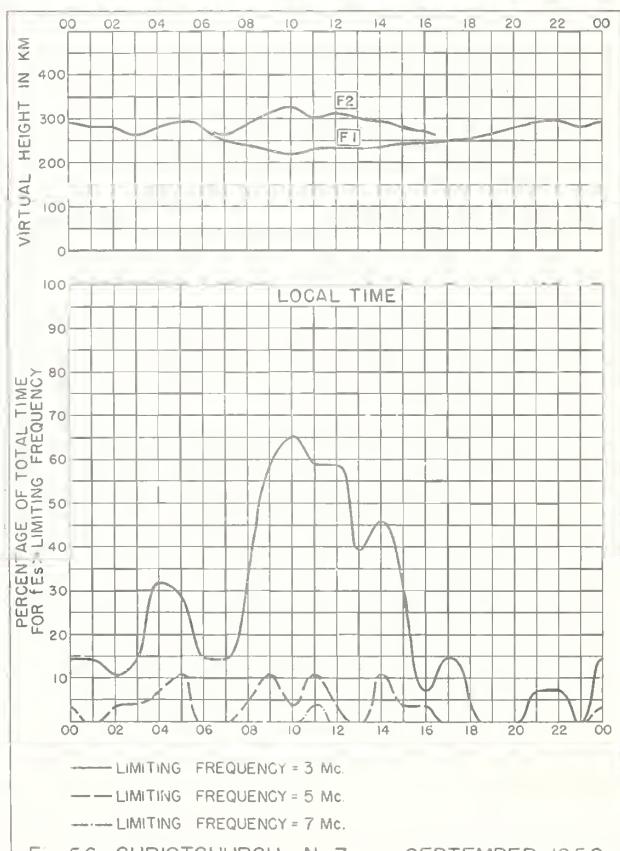
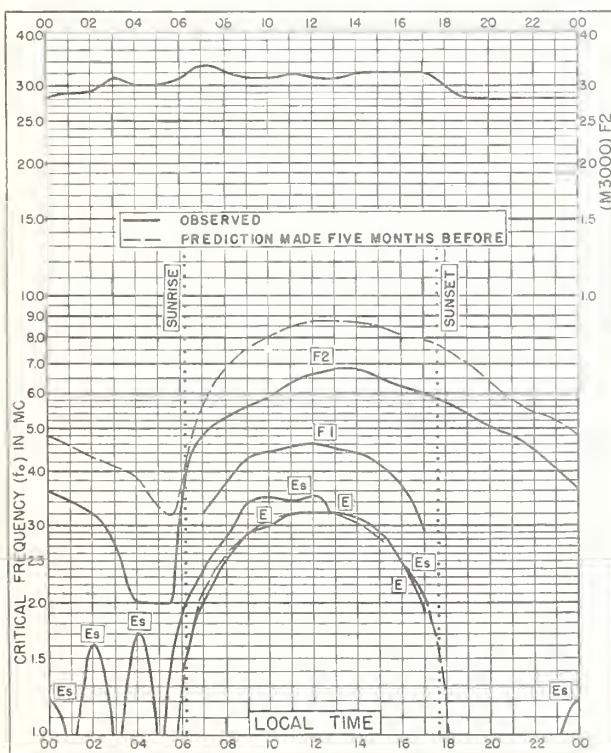
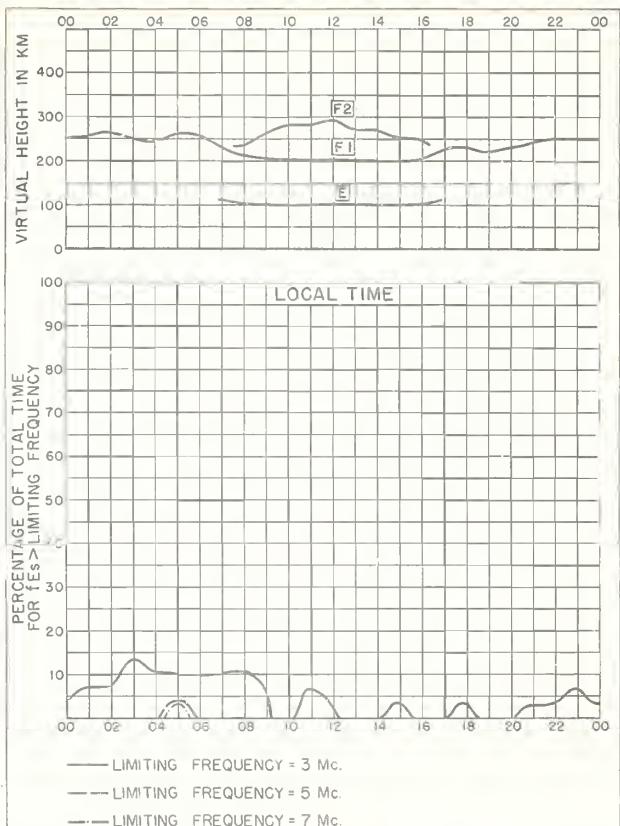
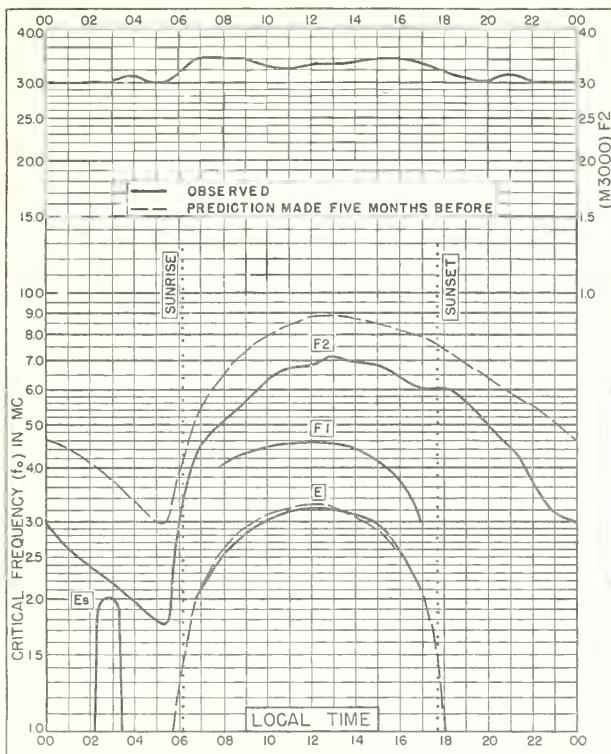
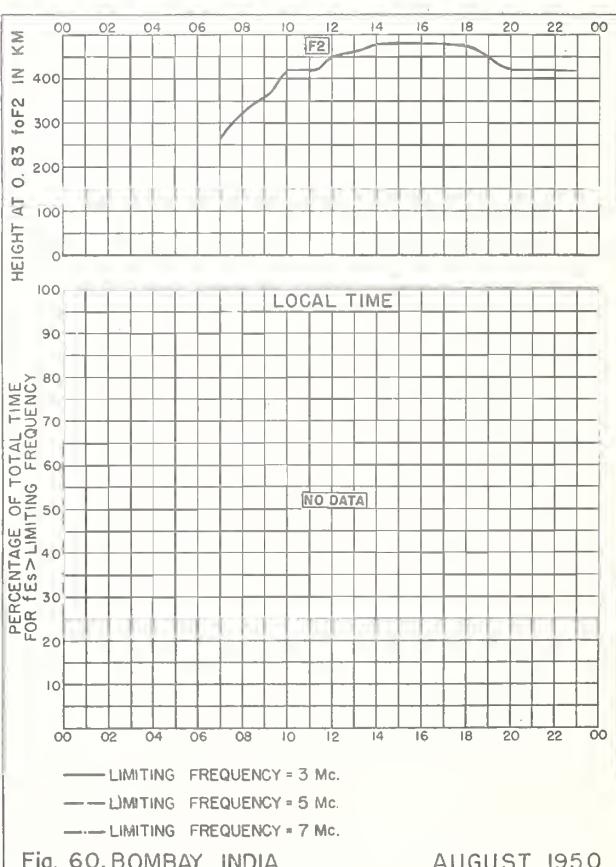
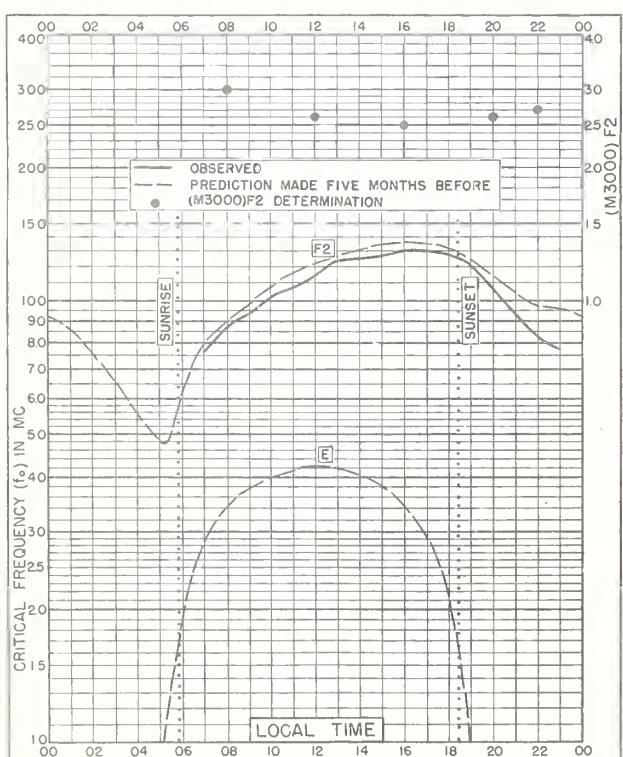
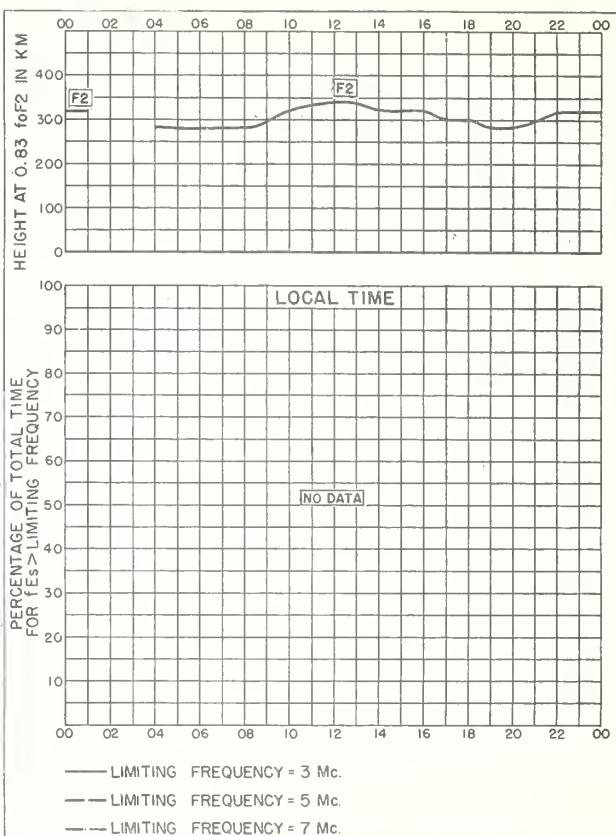
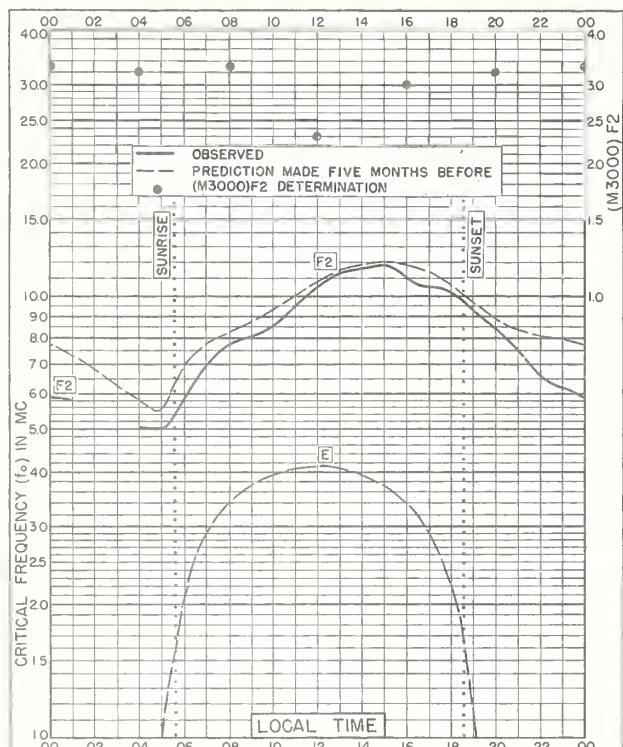


Fig. 44. LINDAU/HARZ, GERMANY OCTOBER 1950









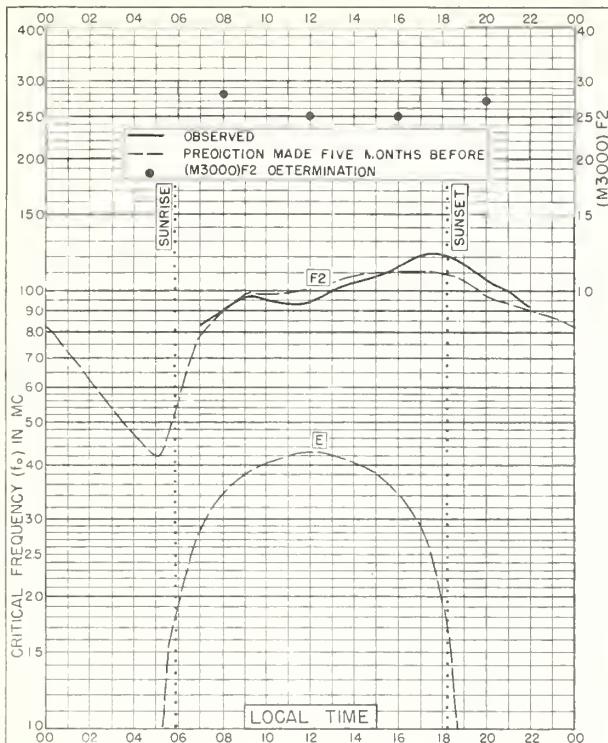


Fig. 61. MADRAS, INDIA  
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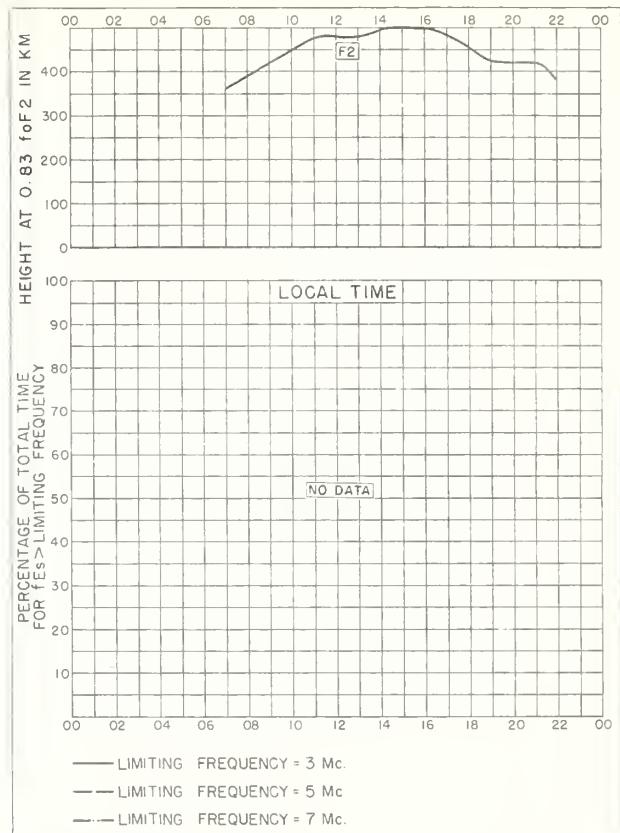


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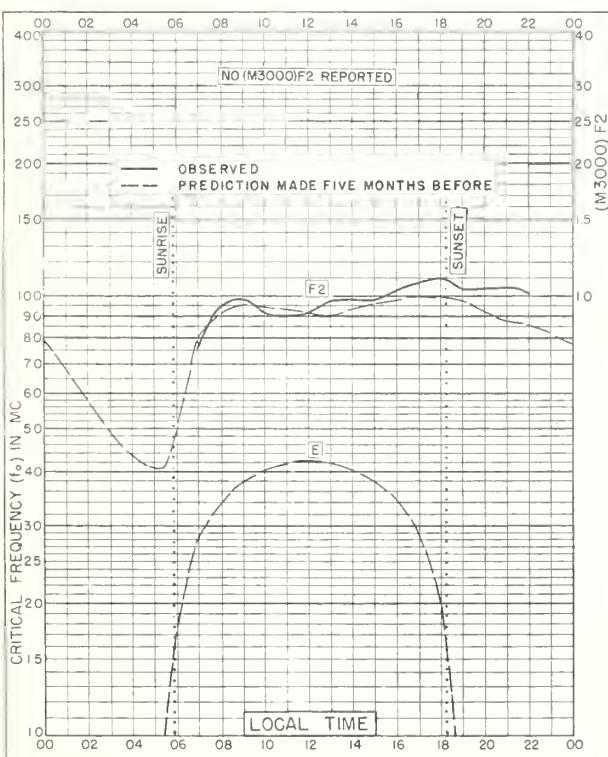


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10.8°N, 78.8°E

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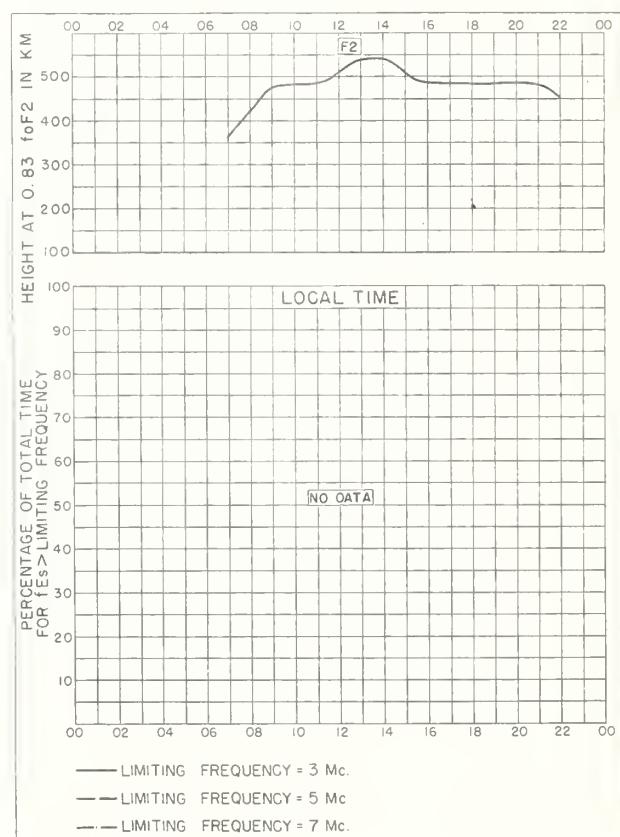


Fig. 64. TIRUCHY, INDIA

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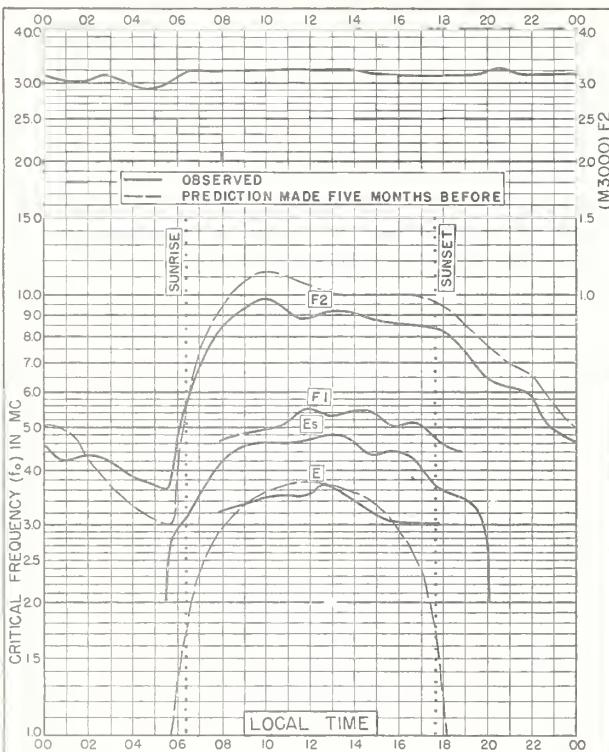


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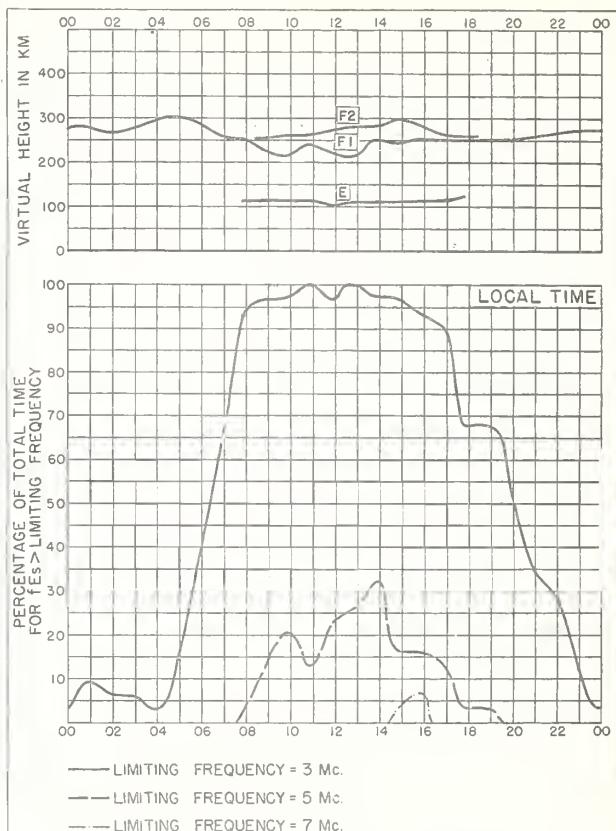


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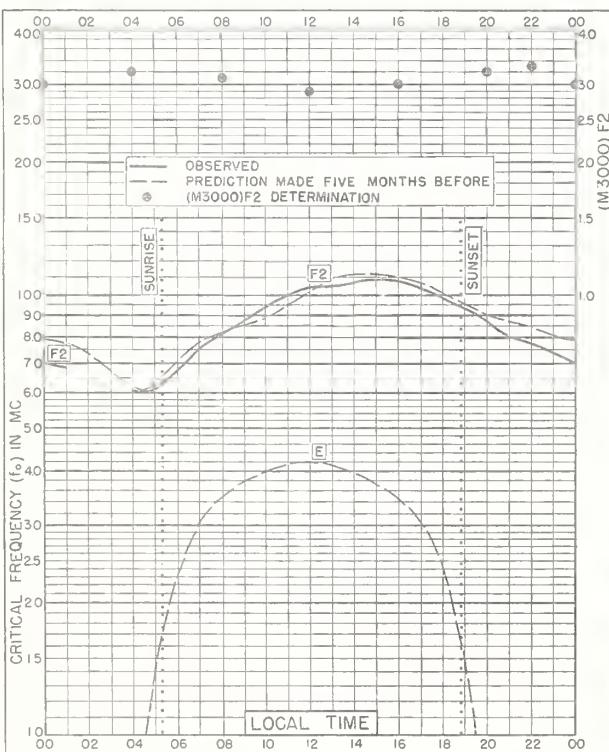


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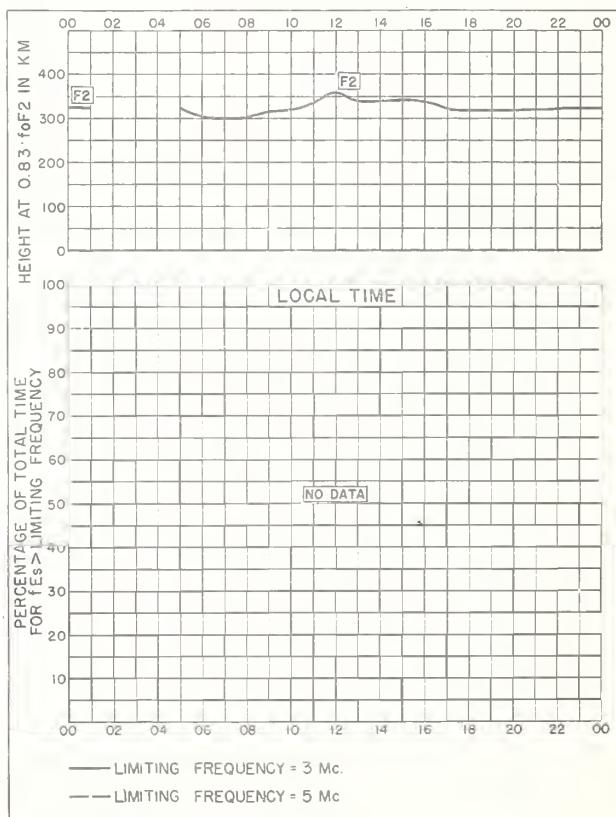


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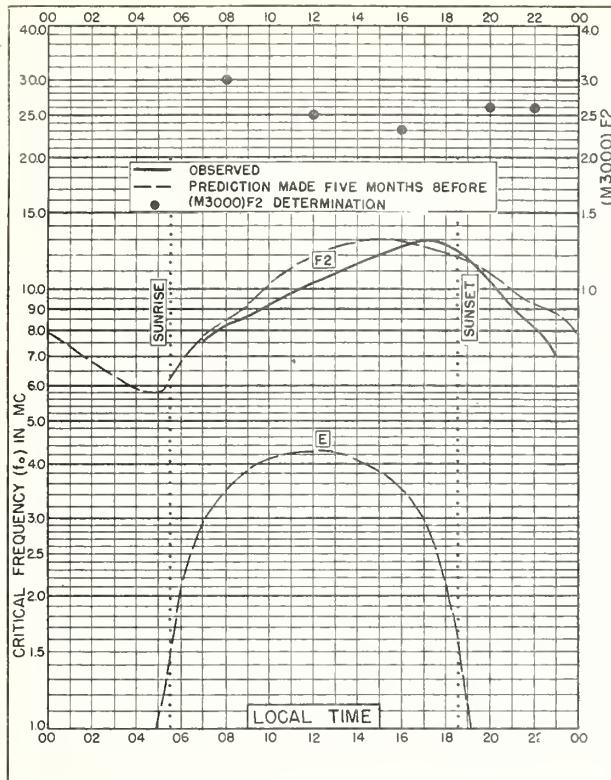


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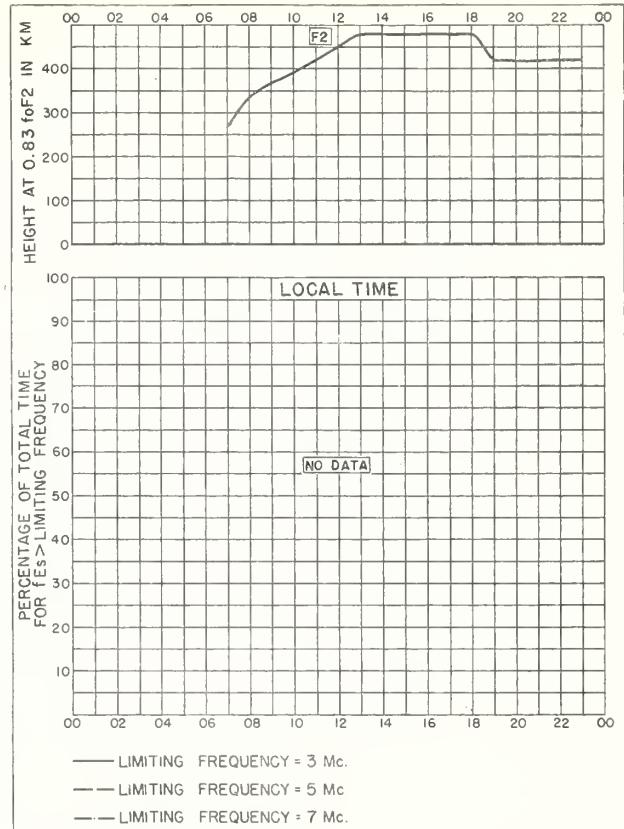


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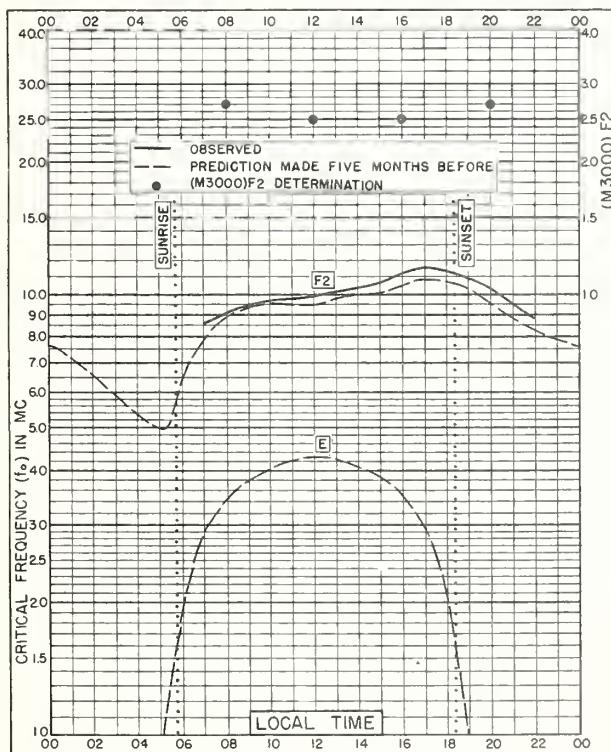


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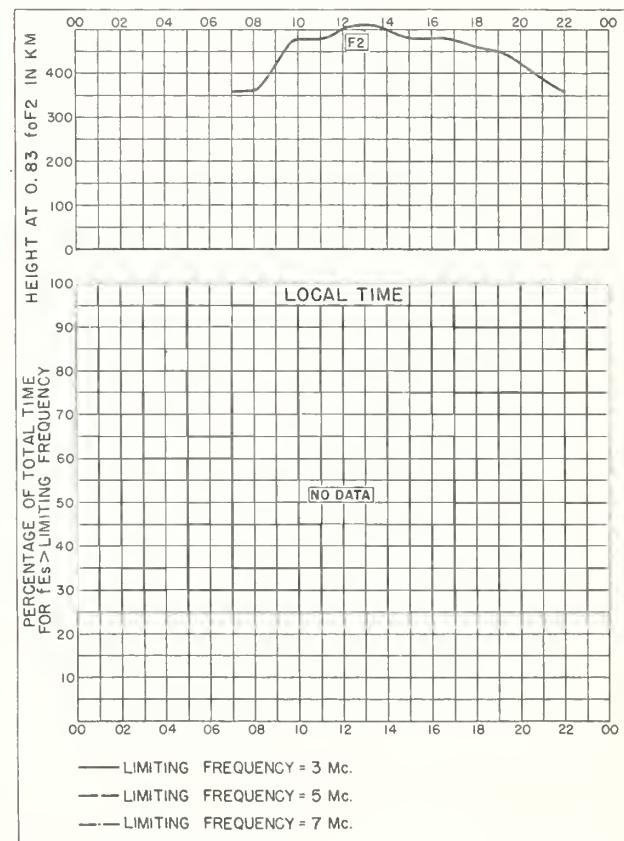


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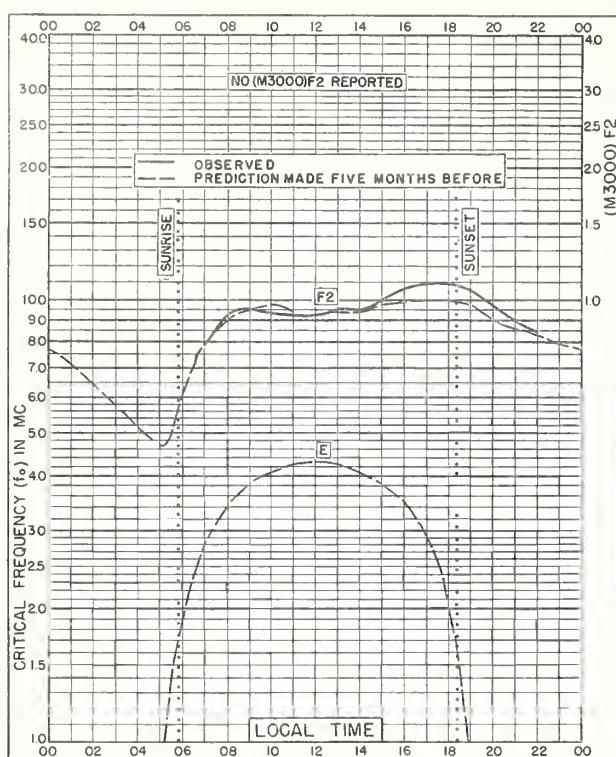


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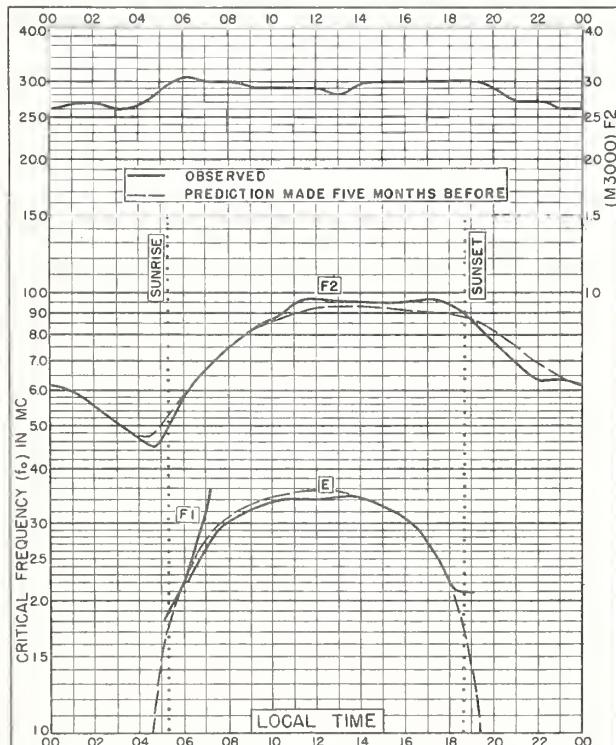
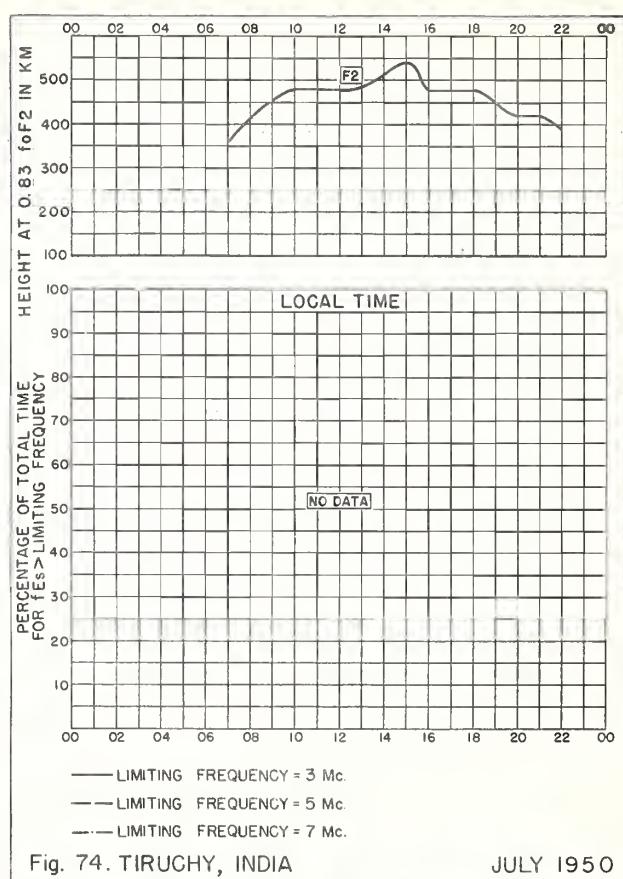


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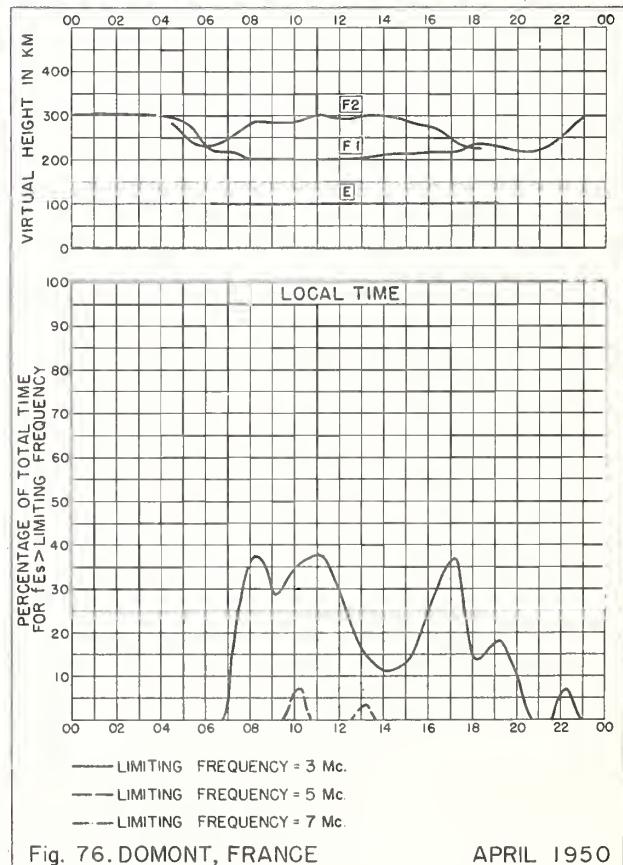


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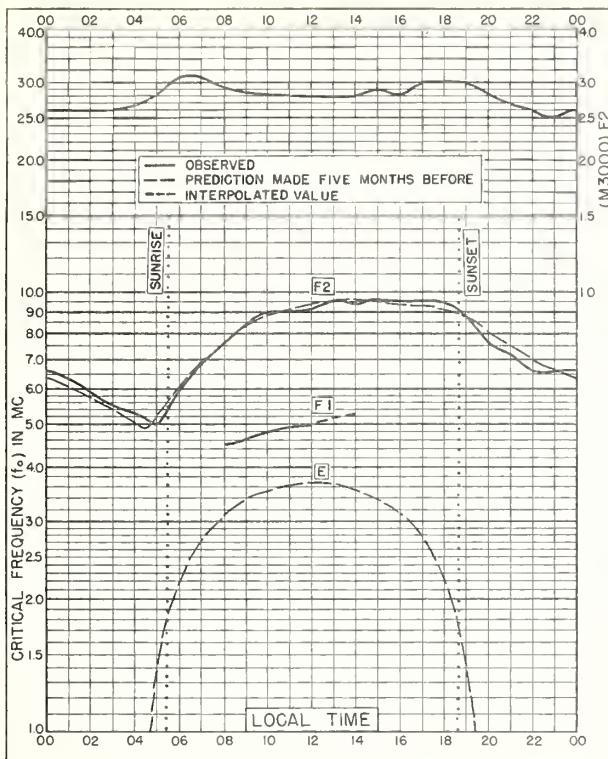


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46.6°N, 0.3°E

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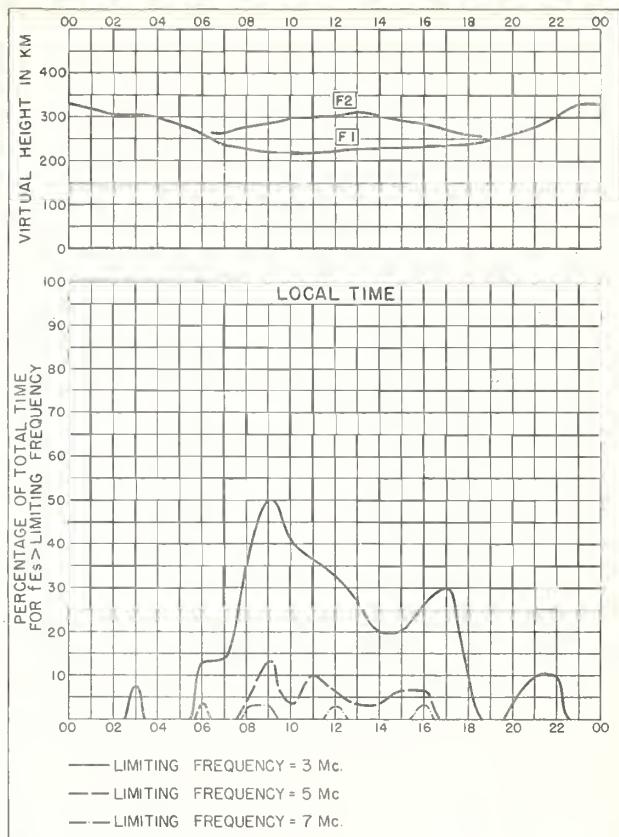


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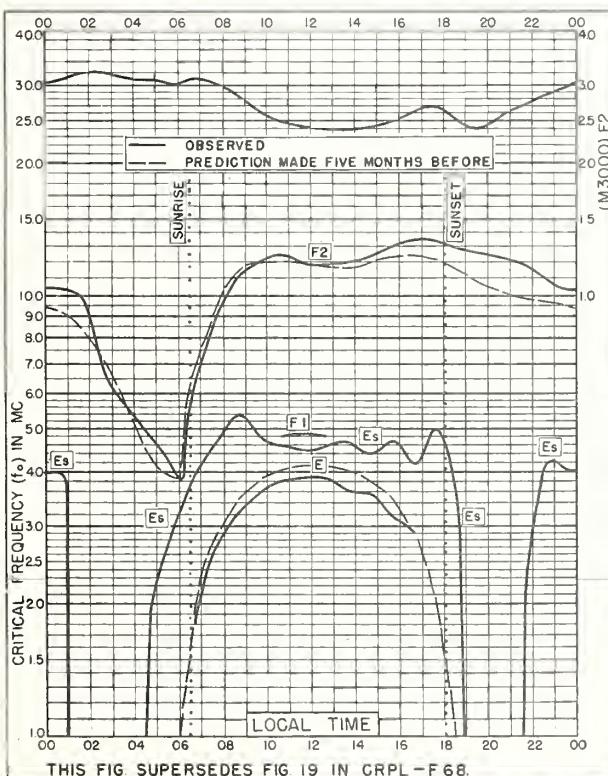


Fig. 79. GUAM I.

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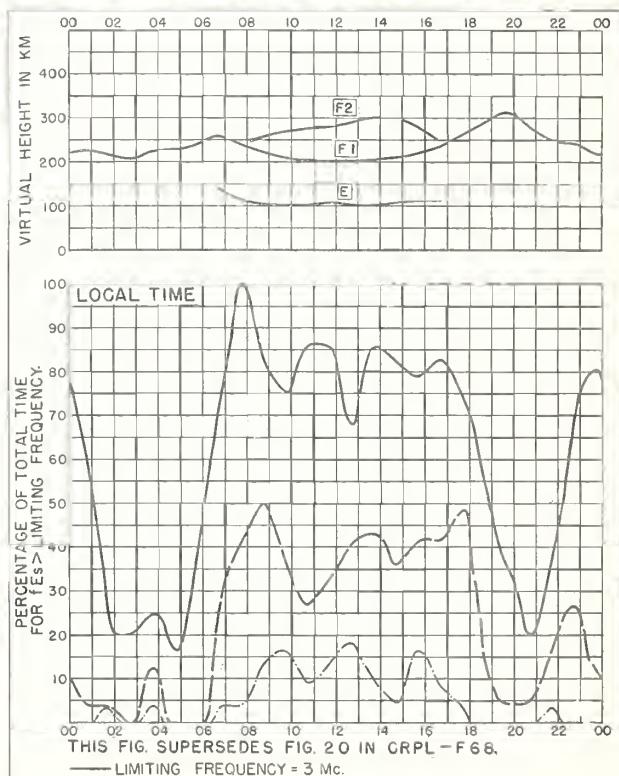
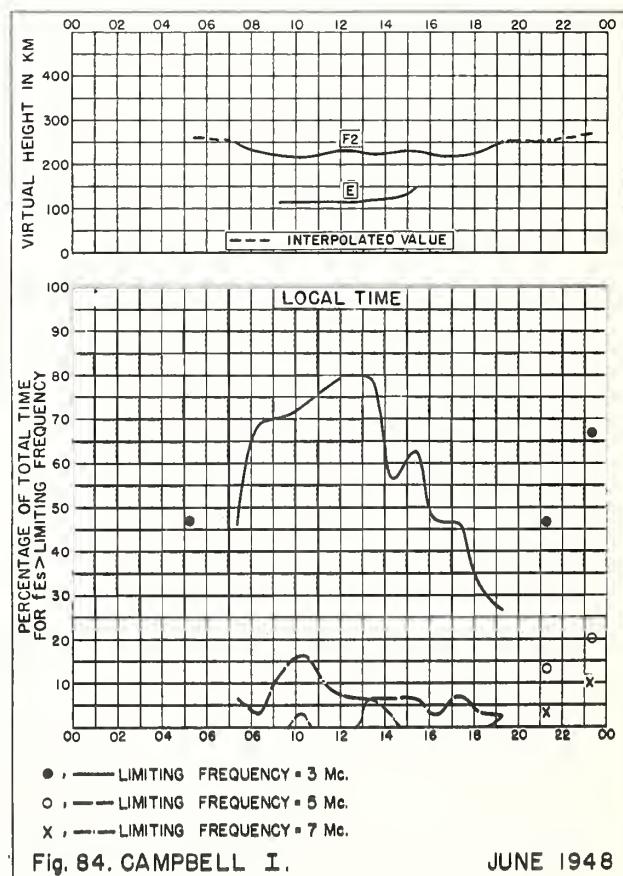
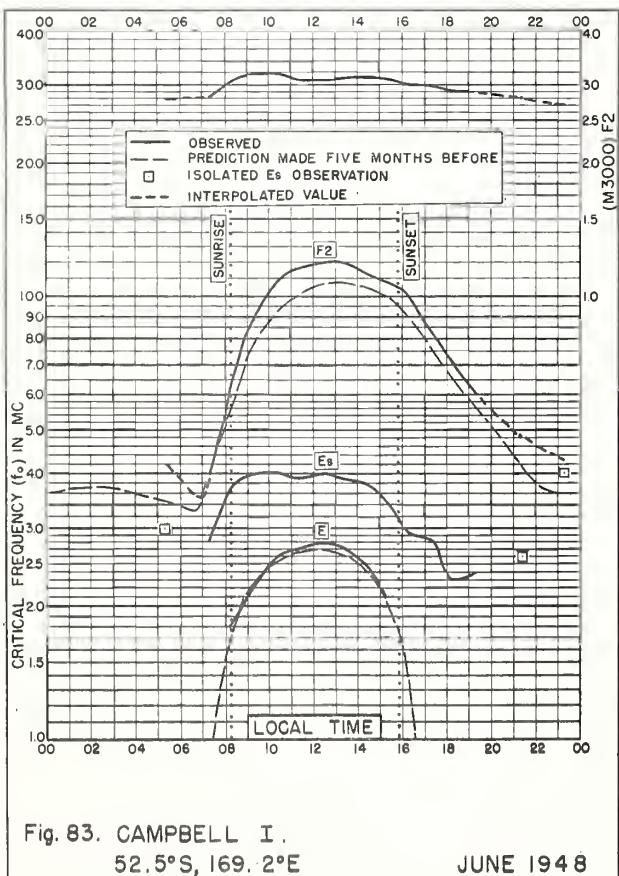
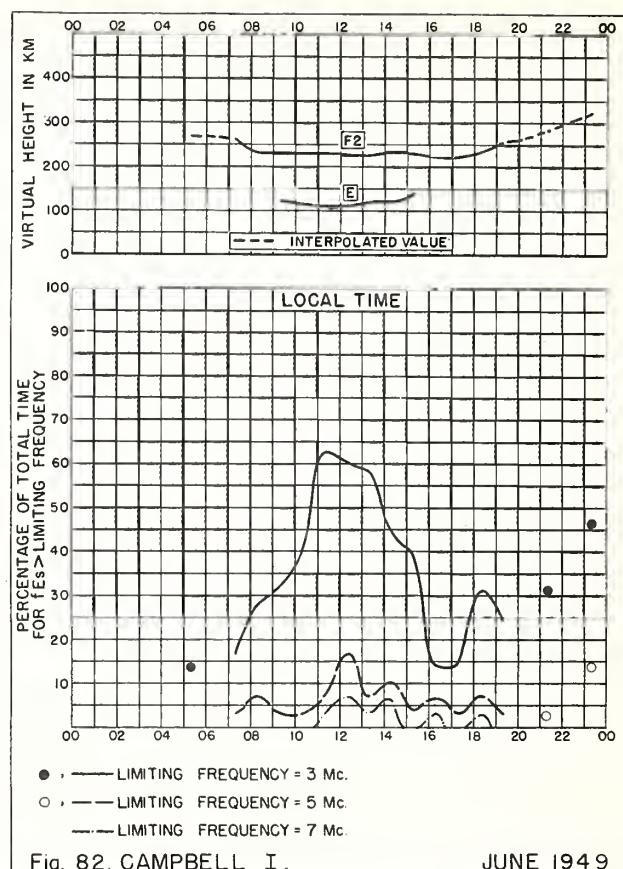
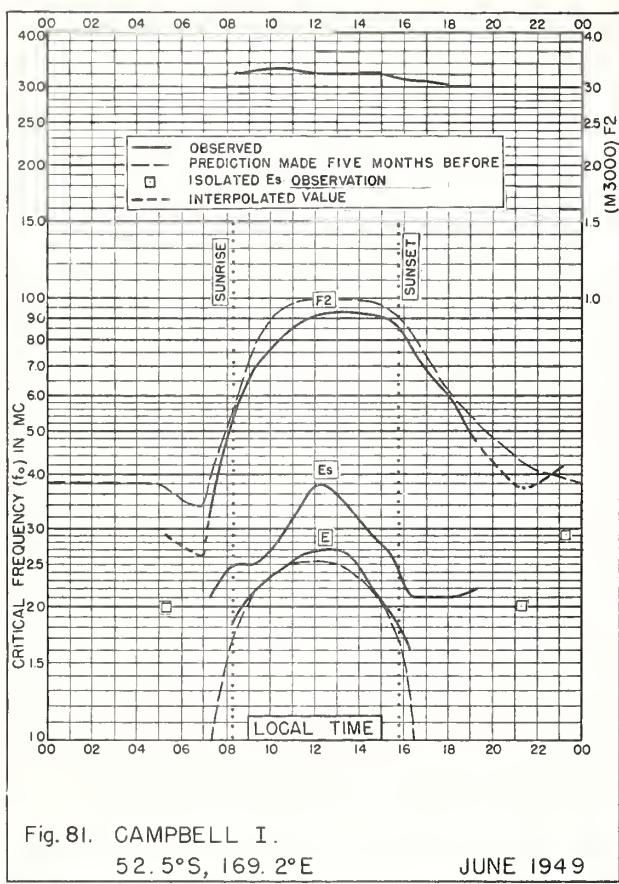
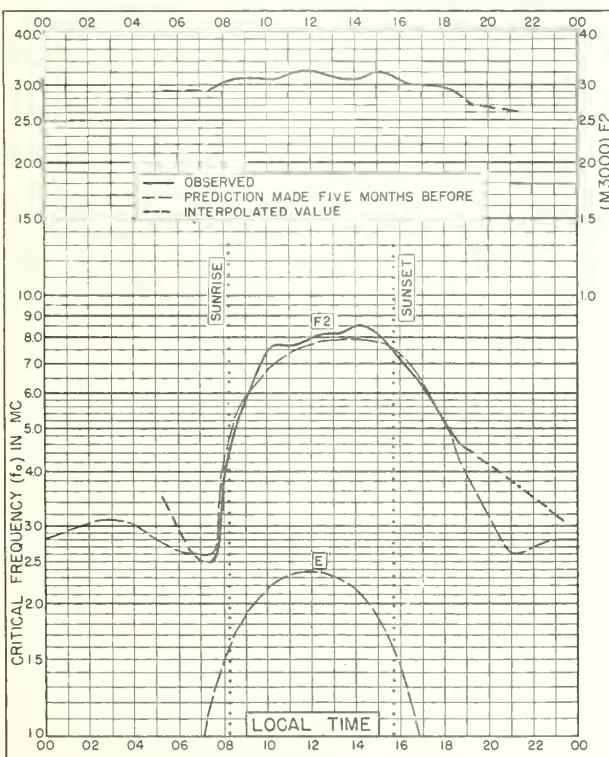
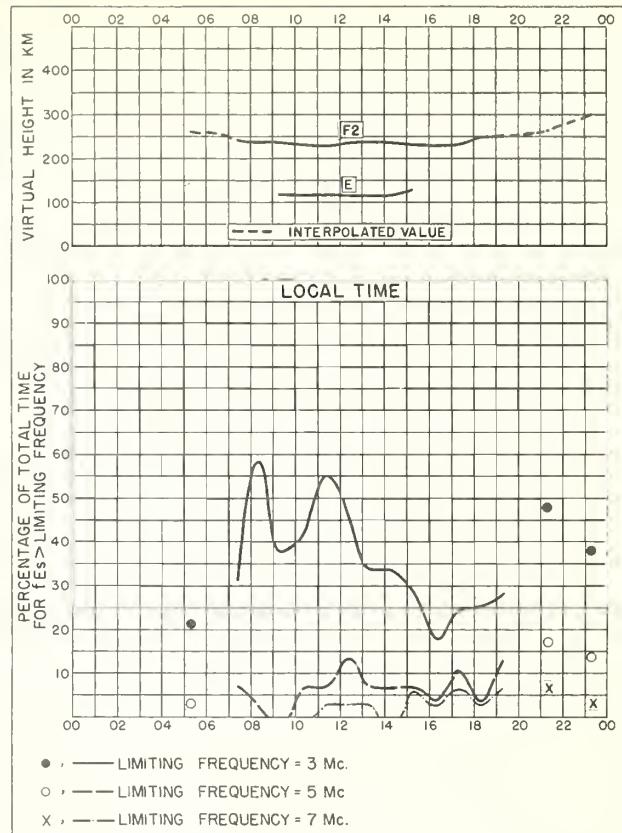
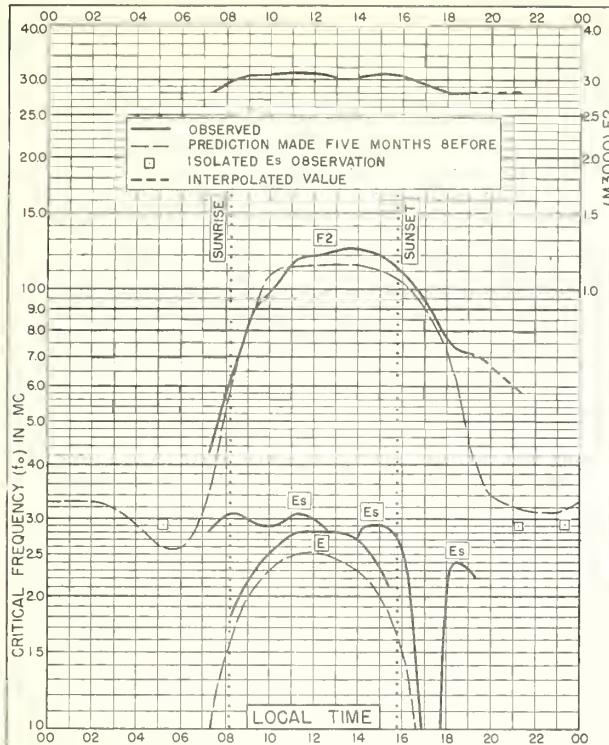
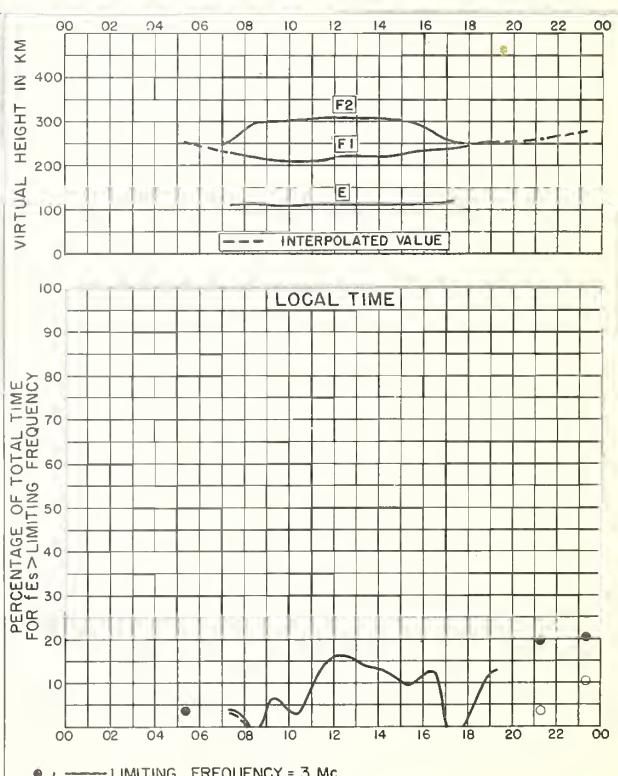
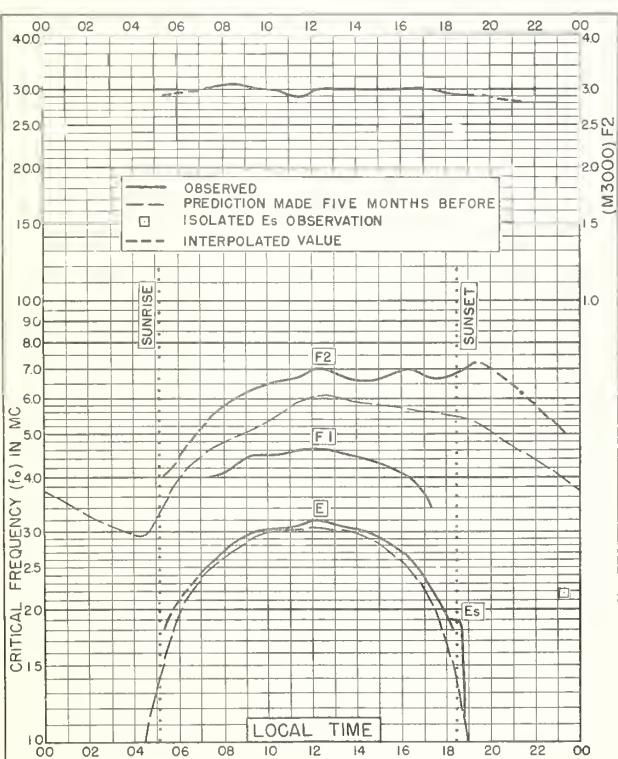
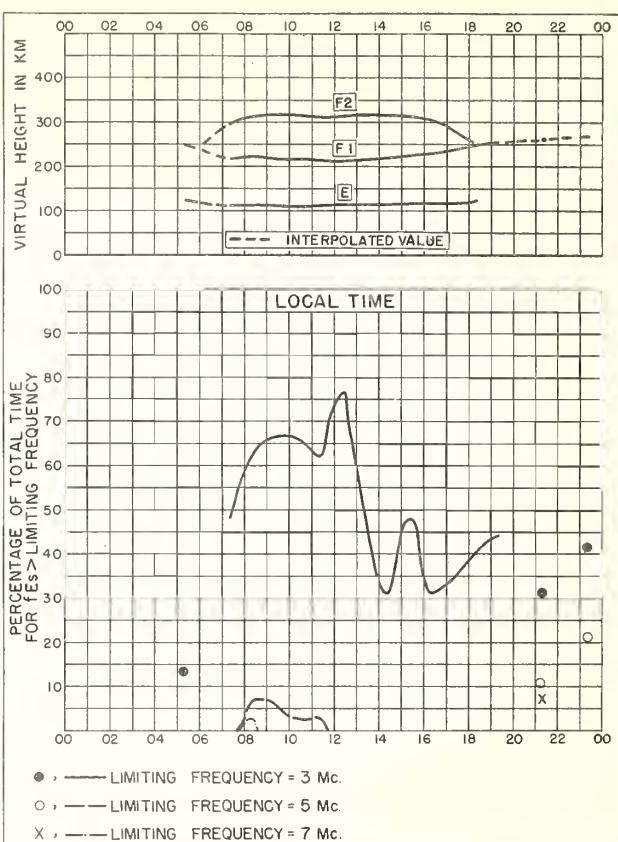
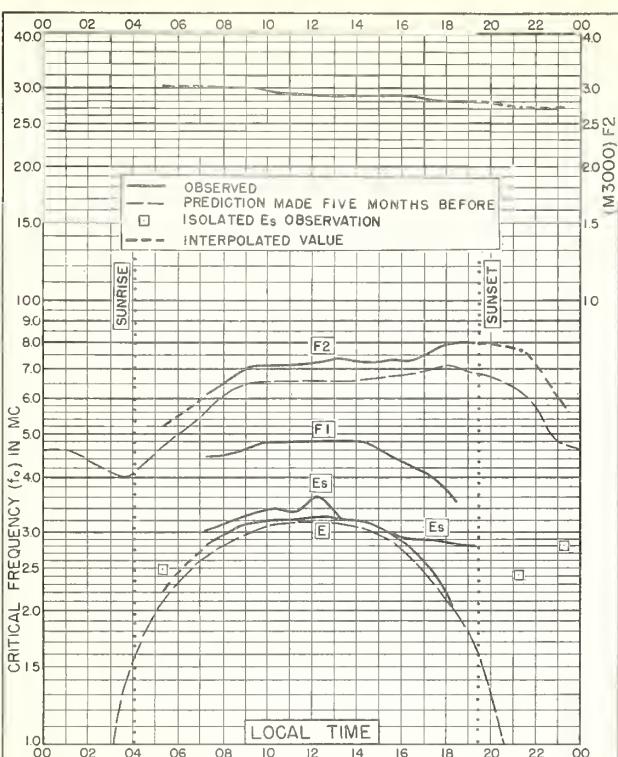


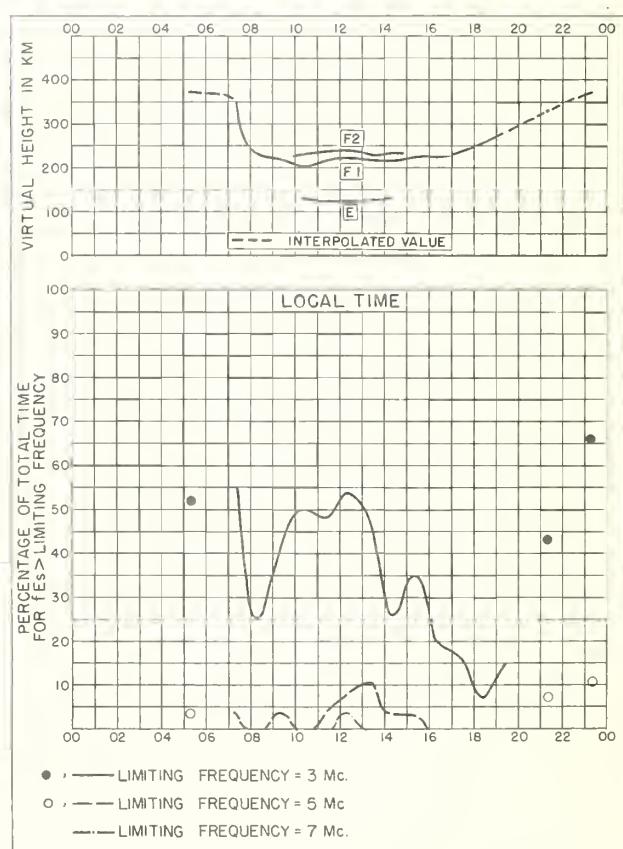
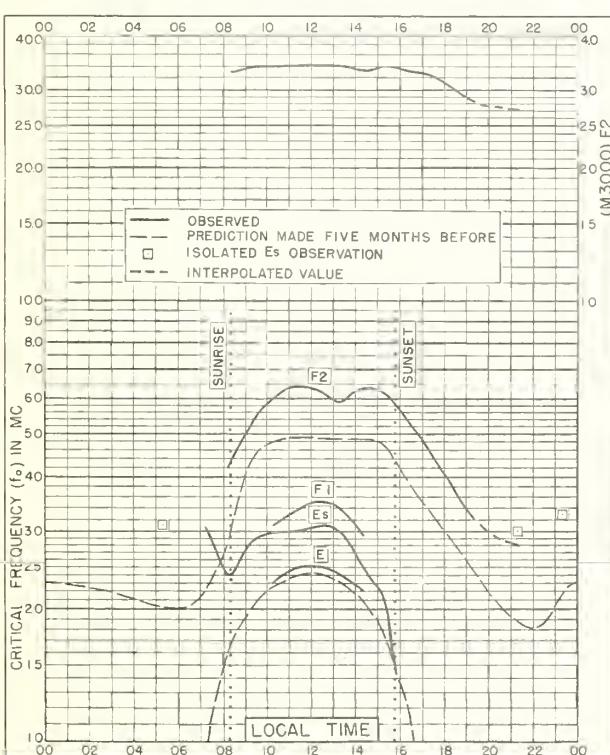
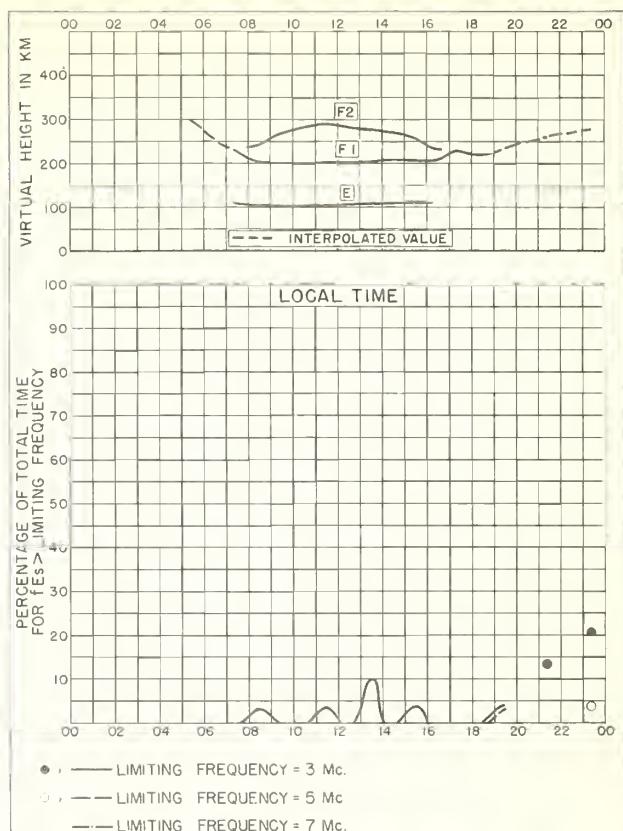
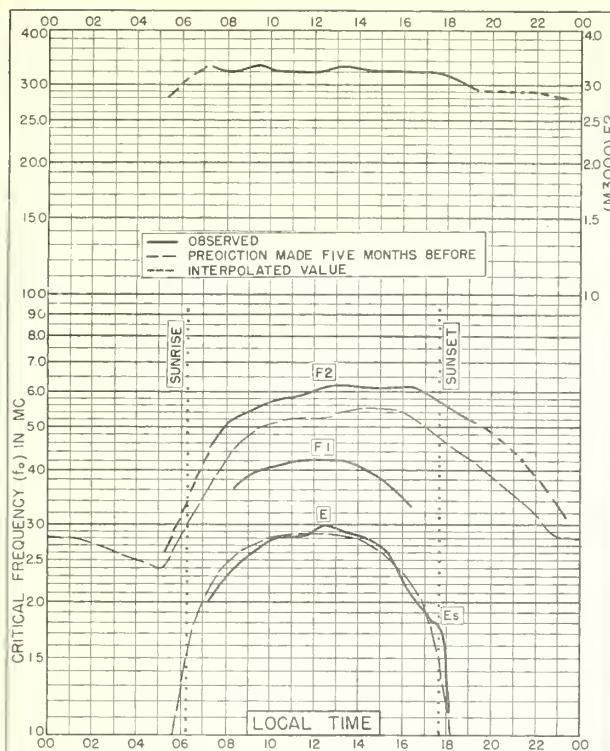
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