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Results:

Selection of the final building and exhaust stack configuration for the Boston-Edison Ventilator building will be based upon the consideration of its visual appearance within the Boston historic district, zoning regulations, and minimization of environmental impact. The environmental effects of exhaust from the ventilator stacks will depend upon tunnel traffic volume, ventilator flow rates, state and federal ambient airquality regulations, building and plume aerodynamics, and local meteorology. This study evaluates through fluid modeling the influence of building and plume aerodynamics on plume dilution. Data is reported in terms of normalized concentrations (K coefficients) to permit concentration estimates for alternative traffic, exhaust and wind speed conditions. Concentrations can be estimated for alternative configurations, but acceptability must depend upon current air-quality standards.

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A,B,C	Constants
BR	Blockage ratio
Cp	Specific heat capacity at constant pressure
E	Hot wire voltage output
h	Height of the obstacle
g	Gravitational acceleration
k	Roughness length
L	Length
Q	Flow rate
S	Distance downstream of the obstacle
Т	Temperature
U	Wind velocity
u*	Friction velocity
Х	Concentration
x	Distance
Z	Height above ground
zo	Roughness length
Greek C	haracters
ò	Air density
Г	Abiabatic potential temperature lapse rate
κ	Thermal conductivity
μ	Dynamic viscosity
ν	Kinematic viscosity
ρ	Density
x	Fraction of a gas component
Ω	Angular velocity of earth - $0.726*10^{-4}$ rad/s
Dimensi	onless Parameters
Ec	Eckert number
Ma	Mach number
Re	Reynolds number
Ri	Bulk Richardson number
Ro	Rossby number
Pr	Prandtl number
V	Volume flux ratio $(Q/U_{H}L^{2})$

1. INTRODUCTION

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts, in cooperation with the Department of Transportation, Federal Highway Administration, proposes to depress and widen the Central Artery through central Boston. The Bechtel/Parsons Brinkerhoff (B/PB) joint venture has been selected by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to manage the Central Artery and Third Harbor Tunnel Project. The work performed by B/PB is under the direction of the Massachusetts Department of Public Works (MADPW).

The underground sections of the Central Artery and the Third Harbor Tunnel will be ventilated. Seven ventilation buildings are planned for the project. Two of the building sites, Parcel 7 and Boston Edison, are located in congested, heavily populated areas within the confines of downtown Boston. The complicated flow patterns associated with these sites clearly indicate the need for physical modeling of vent building air quality impacts.

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- To provide visual information and concentration data on the environmental impact of several proposed vent building, stack height specifications, and
- Summarize this information and data into a convenient format then discuss the advantages and disadvantages of the different vent building-stack specifications.

These objectives will be separately carried out for a Phase 1 series of tests oriented on the Parcel 7 building region and a Phase 2 series of tests oriented on the Boston Edison building region. This report deals only with the Phase 2 study.

Section 2.0 discusses the physics of modeling plumes at reduced length scales. Section 3.0 describes the data acquisition techniques used to perform this study. Section 4.0 lists the test program results. Section 5.0 is a discussion of selected data.

2. MODELING OF PLUME DISPERSION FROM TUNNEL VENTILATOR SITES

The Appendix describes in general terms the scaling laws that cover a large class of fluid modeling applications. The intent of this section is to specifically address the modeling techniques used in the present study.

The exhaust air released from the tunnel ventilators will exit at ambient temperatures and densities; hence, the source gas used in the model was primarily nitrogen released at room temperatures (specific gravity ≈ 1.0). Thus the plume mass flux, momentum flux and volume flux are essentially equivalent ratios, and the plume Froude number is not a relevant parameter.

The wind approaches the Boston city center over either suburban roughness or the harbor sea surface. The Boston-Edison site is located between downtown Boston and the Boston Inlet Harbor. Replicas (at reduced scale of 1:384) of all buildings within 2,300 feet of the Boston-Edison vent building were constructed and placed on the downwind turntable in the wind tunnel. The wind characteristics approaching the Boston-Edison site, for all wind directions excluding the NE to SE sector, were simulated with a generic suburban roughness constructed from one-inch cubes. The upwind fetch approaching the Boston-Edison site, for winds out of the NE to SE sector, is predominately over the harbor or the lower buildings in east Boston. Thus, for the wind tunnel simulations of these wind directions the upwind generic roughness was removed.

The modeling parameter decision process yielded the following conclusions:

- Maximum field dispersion distance of interest and size of the FDDL Environmental Wind Tunnel facility resulted in the selection of a 1:384 model length scale ratio.
- 2. Neutral stratification in the laboratory was used to reproduce the dispersion dynamics of the windy Boston area.
- 3. Wind-tunnel floor roughness was adjusted to produce properly scaled wind shear and turbulent structure.
- 4. Model wind speed and stack exit velocity were set at large enough magnitudes to assure Reynolds number independence of approach flow and stack flow.
- 5. Model wind velocity to plume velocity ratios were set equal to the field values; thus assuring similarity of plume trajectories.

3. DATA ACQUISITION AND ANALYSIS TECHNIQUES

Laboratory measurement techniques are discussed in this section, along with conversion methods used to convert measured model quantities to their meaningful field equivalents. Some of the methods used are conventional and need little elaboration.

3.1. WIND-TUNNEL FACILITIES

The experiments were performed in the Environmental Wind Tunnel (EWT) shown in Figure 1. This wind tunnel, especially designed to study atmospheric flow phenomena, incorporates special features such as an adjustable ceiling, a rotating turntable and a long test section to permit adequate reproduction of micrometeorological behavior. Mean wind speeds of 0.1 to 15 m/sec in the EWT can be obtained. Boundary-layer thickness up to 1.2 m can be developed "naturally" over the downstream 6 m of the EWT test section by using vortex generators at the test section entrance and surface roughness on the floor. The flexible test section on the EWT roof is adjustable in height to permit the longitudinal pressure gradient to be set at zero.

3.2. WIND PROFILE MEASUREMENTS

Velocity measurements were made with single-hot-film probes and anemometry equipment manufactured by Thermo-System, Inc. (TSI).

Velocity Standard

The velocity standard used in the present study consisted of a Matheson Model 8116-0154 mass flowmeter and a profile conditioning section designed and calibrated by the Fluid Dynamics and Diffusion (FDDL) staff at Colorado State Universty (CSU). The mass flowmeter measures mass flow rate independent of temperature and pressure. The profile conditioning section forms a flat velocity profile of very low turbulence at the position where the hot-film-probe is located. Incorporating a measurement of the ambient atmospheric pressure, temperature and a profile correction factor permits the calibration of velocity at the measurement station from 0.15-2.2 m/s to within ± 5 percent.

Single-Hot-Film Probe Measurements

Single-hot-film (TSI 1210 Sensor) measurements were used to document the longitudinal turbulence levels for the approach flow conditions. During calibration the probe voltages were recorded at several velocities covering the range of interest. These voltage-velocity (E,U) pairs were then regressed to the equation $E^2 = A + BU^c$ via a least squares approach for various assumed values of the exponent c. Convergence to the minimum residual error was accelerated by using the secant method to find the best new estimate for the exponent c.

The hot-flim-probe was mounted on a vertical traverse and postioned over the measurement location in the wind 'tunnel. The anemometer's output voltage was digitized and stored within an IBM AT computer. This voltage time series was converted to a velocity time series using the inverse of the calibration equation; $U = [(E^2 - A)/B]^{1/c}$. The velocity time series was then analyzed for pertinent statistical quantities, such as mean velocity and root-mean-square turbulent velocity fluctuations. The computer system would move the velocity probe to a vertical position, acquire the data, then move on to the next vertical positions, thus obtaining an entire vertical velocity profile automatically.

Error Statement

The calibration curve yielded hot film anemometer velocities that were always within 2 percent of the known calibrator velocity. Considering the accumulative effect of calibrator, calibration curve fit and other errors the model velocity time series should be accurate to within 10 percent.

3.3. FLOW VISUALIZATION TECHNIQUES

A visible plume was produced by passing the metered simulant gas through a smoke generator (Fog/Smoke Machine manufactured by Roscolab, Ltd.) and then out of the modeled stack. The visible plumes for each test were recorded on VHS video cassettes with a Panasonic Omnivision II camera/recorder system. Run number titles were placed on the video cassette with a title generator.

3.4. CONCENTRATION MEASUREMENTS

The experimental measurements of concentration were performed using a Hewlett Packard gas-chromatograph and sampling systems designed by Fluid Dynamics and Diffusion Laboratory staff.

3.4.1. Gas Chromatograph

A gas chromatograph (Hewlett-Packard Model 5710A) (GC) with flame ionization detector (FID) operates on the principle that the electrical conductivity of a gas is directly proportional to the concentration of charged particles within the gas. The ions in this case are formed by the burning a mixture of hydrogen and the sample gas in the FID. The ions and electrons formed pass between an electrode gap and decrease the gap The resulting voltage drop is amplified by an electrometer resistance. and passed to a Hewlett-Packard Model 3390A integrator. When no effluent gas is flowing, a carrier gas (nitrogen) flows through the FID. Due to certain impurities in the carrier, some ions and electrons are formed creating a background voltage or zero shift. When the effluent gas enters the FID, the voltage increase above this zero shift is proportional to the degree of ionization or correspondingly the amount of tracer gas present. Since the chromatograph used in this study features a temperature control on the flame and electrometer, there is very low drift of the zero shift. Even given any zero drift, the HP 3390A, which integrates the effluent peak, also subtracts out the zero drift.

The lower limit of measurement is imposed by the instrument sensitivity and the background concentration of tracer within the air in the wind tunnel. Background concentrations were measured and subtracted from all data quoted herein.

3.4.2. Sampling System

The tracer gas sampling system consists of a series of fifty 30 cc syringes mounted between two circular aluminum plates. A variable-speed motor raises a third plate, which lifts the plunger on all 50 syringes, simultaneously. Computer controlled valves and tubing are connected such that airflow from each tunnel sampling point passes over the top of each designated syringe. When the syringe plunger is raised, a sample from the tunnel is drawn into the syringe container. The sampling procedure consists of flushing (taking and expending a sample) the syringe three times after which the test sample is taken. The draw rate is variable and generally set to be approximately 6 cc/min.

The sampling system was periodically calibrated to insure proper function of each of the valves and tubing assemblies. To calibrate the sampler each intake was connected to a manifold. The manifold, in turn, was connected to a gas cylinder having a known concentration of tracer gas. The gas was turned on, and a valve on the manifold was opened to release the pressure produced in the manifold. The manifold was allowed to flush for about one minute. Normal sampling procedures were carried out during calibration to insure exactly the same procedure is reproduced as when taking a sample from the tunnel. Each sample was then analyzed for tracer gas concentration. Percent error was calculated, and "bad" syringe/tube systems (error > 2 percent) were not used or repaired.

3.4.3. Test Procedure

The test procedure consisted of:

- 1) Setting the proper tunnel wind speed,
- Releasing the metered mixtures of source gas from the plant stack,
- Withdrawing samples of air from the tunnel designated locations, and
- 4) Analyzing the samples with a FID.

The samples were drawn into each syringe over a 200 s (approximate) time period and then consecutively injected into the GC.

The procedure for analyzing the samples from the tunnel is:

- 1) Introduce the sample into the GC which separates the ethane tracer gas from other hydrocarbons,
- 2) The voltage output from the chromatograph FID electrometer is sent to the HP 3390A Integrator,
- 3) the HP 3390A communicates the measured concentration in ppm to an IBM computer for storage, and

4) These values, χ_{mea} , along with the response levels for the background χ_{bg} and source χ_{source} are converted into source normalized model concentration by the equation:

$$\chi_{\rm m} = \frac{\chi_{\rm mea} - \chi_{\rm bg}}{\chi_{\rm source} - \chi_{\rm bg}}$$

5) Field equivalent concentration values are related to model values by the equation:

$$\chi_{p} = \frac{\chi_{m}}{\chi_{m} + (1-\chi_{m}) \left[\left(\frac{T_{a}}{T_{s}}\right)V\right]_{m} / \left[\left(\frac{T_{a}}{T_{s}}\right)V\right]_{p}} , \text{ where } V = Q/U_{H}L^{2},$$

and L is the characteristic length scale. When there is no distortion in the model-field volume flux ratio, V, and the plumes are isothermal this equation reduces to $\chi_p = \chi_m$.

Error Statement

Finite background concentrations, χ_{bg} , resulted from previous tests within the laboratory, these low levels could be measured to accuracies of 20 percent. The larger measured concentrations, χ_{mea} , were accurate to 2 percent. The source gas concentration, χ_{source} , was known to within 10 percent. Thus the source normalized concentration for $\chi_{mea} >> \chi_{bg}$ was accurate to approximately 10 percent. For low concentration values, $\chi_{mea} > \chi_{bg}$, the errors are larger.

4. TEST PROGRAM AND DATA FOR BOSTON-EDISON (PHASE 2)

A physical modeling study of the Boston-Edison site vent buildings was performed to assist in predicting environmental impacts for several proposed stack-building configurations. This involved:

- The 1:384 reduced scale construction of the different potential Boston-Edison stack-building configurations along with the all buildings within 2300 feet of Boston-Edison site,
- 2) The placement of this model into a wind tunnel facility with the appropriate upwind roughness for this site,
- Acquisition of velocity and turbulence profiles approaching and at the modeled Boston-Edison site for each wind direction of interest,
- Video taping of the model plume for 31 different combinations of stack-building height and type, wind direction and stack exit velocities,
- 5) Concentration measurements at 45 different sampling locations for 134 different combinations of stack-building height and type, wind direction and stack exit velocities, and
- 6) The presentation of a final report that lists all data and discusses all experimental techniques used to acquire this data.

The following sub-sections discuss these topics in greater detail.

4.1. MODEL CONSTRUCTION

Based on atmospheric data over the Boston area, the size of the concentration grid, and modeling constraints discussed in Section 2 and the Appendix, a model scale of 1:384 was selected. Since the Environmental Wind Tunnel (see Figure 1) had a 12 foot turntable this allowed for the reduced scale construction of all significant buildings within a 2300 foot radius of the Boston-Edison vent building site. The location of the Boston-Edison site along with a circle demarking the portion of downtown Boston which was replicated is shown in Figure 2.

The buildings surrounding the vent structures were fabricated from styrafoam and were placed in their appropriate locations on a 12 foot diameter 1/4 inch masonite sheet. All roads and waterways were painted on this masonite sheet. The topography changes were modeled by layering the appropriate number of 1/4 inch sheets to match the land contours within the modeled area. Figure 3 is a picture of the entire 12 foot turntable model. The terrain upwind of the turntable area was modeled with either a smooth surface or a generic one inch roughness (field equivalent height of 32 feet), dependent on whether the winds were approaching over the harbor surface or not.

Four different ventilator buildings were constructed. The primary ventilator building, the Boston-Edison unit, had two different building designs, one designated as 2A the other as 2B. The Boston-Edison unit was located at the center of the 12 foot turntable model. The other three ventilator buildings were located at sites along the harbor shore adjacent to the Boston-Edison site. These were designated as the J. Hook, the Atlantic and the Appraiser vent buildings. Figure 4 through Figure 9 show pictures of these different vent buildings. The stacks on each of the four ventilator buildings were adjustable in height of 240 or 300 feet. The different buildings were construted of masonite, whereas the stacks were fabricated from tack board. Each building contained a manifold through which metered simulate gases were directed to the stacks. Each ventilator building used 14 vent fans to blow exhaust gases through 10 by 14 foot (inside measure) openings. These individual stacks were arranged into a different patterns for each of the vent buildings.

4.2. <u>VELOCITY PROFILES</u>

The techniques employed in the acquisition of velocity profiles are discussed in Section 3.2. The site model was located on a turntable, thus it could be rotated to simulate the different wind directions. An approach flow upwind of the turntable model, typical of a suburban environment, was created through the placement of vortex generators at the tunnel entrance followed by 30 feet of 1 inch cube roughness on the tunnel floor. An approach flow upwind of the turntable model, typical of a harbor-ocean environment, was created by removing 10 feet of the one inch cube roughness just upwind of the turntable.

Table 1 summarizes the conditions for all the velocity profiles obtained in this study. Table 2 through Table 4 present the data for each of these profiles. Figure 10 through Figure 17 display plots of these mean velocity and longitudinal turbulent intensity profiles. The height coordinate in these tables and figures has been normalized by a model reference height of 1 meter (equivalent field height of 1260 feet); thus, to obtain actual field heights multiply the normalized value by 1260. The velocity coordinate in these tables and figures has been normalized by the model velocity at 1 meter height. The model reference velocities used for each of the profiles are listed in Table 1. Since a neutral boundary layer's velocity is invariant with respect to wind speed the normalized profiles presented can be converted to any field velocity at a specific height by the appropriate multiplicative constant.

The crosswind uniformity of the flow approaching the model site inside the wind tunnel was established in the Phase I study, Neff et.al. (1988) (cite Pg.31) for the Parcel 7 ventilator site.

The first four profiles (numbers 1, 2, 3 and 4) tested the invariance of the mean and turbulent velocity profiles with respect to different wind tunnel reference wind speeds. The data for these profiles are tablulated in Table 2. The mean velocity profiles for an upwind fetch typical of a suburban environment are shown in Figure 10 and the turbulent intensity profiles are shown in Figure 11. The mean velocity profiles for an upwind fetch typical of a harbor-ocean environment are shown in Figure 12 and the turbulent intensity profiles are shown in Figure 13. These figures and table show that the wind tunnel approach flow was indeed invariant with respect to wind speed.

The approach mean velocity profiles for a suburban roughness condition (numbers 1 and 2) were regressed to find the best log-log and log-linear fit. The log-log regression produced a power law exponent, p. to 0.24; i.e. $U/U_r = (z/z_r)^p$. log-linear regression equal The $(U/u_* = 2.5ln\{(z-d)/z_o\})$ found a best fit roughness length, z_o , of 0.9 meters (field scale) and a displacement thickness, d, of 4.8 meters. These values of the power law exponent and the roughness length are appropiate for a suburban roughness condition. The approach mean velocity profiles for a harbor-ocean roughness condition (numbers 3 and 4) were also regressed to find the best log-log and log-linear fit. The log-log regression produced a power law exponent, p, equal to 0.17. The loglinear regression found a best fit roughness length, z_0 , of 0.2 meters (field scale) and a displacement thickness, d, of 0.0 meters. These values of the power law exponent and the roughness length are appropriate for a harbor-ocean roughness condition.

The next eight profiles (numbers 5 through 12) were obtained over the center of the model at the Boston-Edison ventilator site. Each profile was for a primary wind directions from 0° to 360° at 45° increments. The wind direction and roughness condition for each of these profiles is listed in Table 1. The profile data for wind directions 0° through 135° are tablulated in Table 3. The mean velocity profiles are shown in Figure 14 and the turbulent intensity profiles are shown in Figure 15. The profile data for wind directions 180° through 315° are tablulated in The mean velocity profiles are shown in Figure 16 and the Table 4. turbulent intensity profiles are shown in Figure 17. These two sets of figures show the influence of upwind structures on the local velocities over the Boston-Edison site. The most radical influence of upwind structures on the wind is seen in profile number 5 where the wind direction was from north (N).

4.3. VISUALIZATION TEST RESULTS

Techniques employed to obtain a visible plume are discussed in Section 3.3. Table 5 show the test conditions for 31 flow visualization tests over the Boston-Edison building region. The four different vent buildings at their proper site locations were investigated for two different stack exhaust flow rates and a variety of wind directions. The wind velocity for all these tests was 5 m/s at 30 meters height approaching the modeled area. The wind velocity at a certain height above the Boston-Edison site for a specific wind direction may be calculated by the following procedure:

1) The approach flow velocity profiles taken just upwind of the turntable model area indicate that when a 5 m/s (16.4 ft/s) velocity exists at a 30 meter height then the velocity at 384 meters is 5*(1/0.485) = 10.4 m/s (the normalized velocity on Profiles 1 and 2 at height 0.078 is roughly 0.485) for suburban roughness and is 5*(1/0.620) = 8.06 m/s (on Profiles 3 and 4) for harbor-ocean roughness, and

2) Multipling the normalized velocity values in the profile of interest (see section 4.2 above) by 10.4 m/s (34.1 ft/s) or 8.06 m/s (26.4 ft/s), depending on the appropriate approach flow condition will yield the velocity at the desired height.

Table 6 lists for each of the 31 visual test observations on stack downwash, building downwash, cavity mixing, plume descent, plume lofting, skyscraper impingement and other pertinent comments. Documentation on video cassettes of all visual tests have been provided to the sponsor prior to this report. Given a field to model wind speed ratio of 10 (= [5 m/s]/[0.5 m/s]) and a model to field length scale ratio of 384, then the time scale ratio between the model and the field is 1:38.4. Thus phenomena observed over the model in the wind tunnel will occur 38.4 times faster than observed at full scale. If the TV tapes were replayed in slow motion (38.4 times slower than the recorded speed), the observed plume trajectories and motions would appear realistic.

4.4. CONCENTRATION DATA RESULTS

Techniques employed to obtain the concentration data are discussed in Section 3.4. Table 7 describes the 45 sampling locations and provides the associated building code number, building description and distances from model center. Figure 18 shows all the concentration sampling locations marked on a map of the modeled area. Figure 19 shows a schematic of the manner simulant stack gases were introduced into the wind tunnel and subsequently sampled for concentration analysis. Table 8 and Table 9 summarize the concentration test conditions for all 134 runs performed. The field and model wind speeds indicated in this table were at heights of 30 meters and 7.9 cm, respectively. The conversion from these upwind velocity values to local values above the Boston-Edison site is the same as that described previously in Section 4.3 above.

Table 10 to Table 18 present the normalized concentration data, $(\chi U_{\rm H}/{\rm Q})*10^9$, for all tests. This normalized concentration has units of ft⁻². This normalized format is convenient because the concentration results, χ , from a test at one particular combination of wind speed, $U_{\rm H}$, and flow rate, Q, can be extrapolated to other $U_{\rm H}$, Q values provided that the ratio, $U_{\rm H}/{\rm Q}$, remains the same. Note that $U_{\rm H}$ is the wind speed at 30 meters height approaching the model area and not the value of wind speed above the vent site. The total flow rate, Q, out of the stacks is the exit velocity for a particular run times the total stack exit area. The stack exit velocities for each run are listed in Table 8. The total exit area for all the vent building stacks was always 1960 ft².

5. DISCUSSION AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Selection of the final building and exhaust stack configuration for the Boston-Edison site will be based upon the consideration of its visual appearance within the Boston historic district, zoning regulations, and minimization of environmental impact. The environmental effects of exhaust from the ventilator stacks will depend upon tunnel traffic volume, ventilator flow rates, state and federal ambient air-quality regulations, building and plume aerodynamics, and local meteorology. This study evaluates through fluid modeling the influence of building and plume aerodynamics on plume dilution. Data is reported in terms of normalized concentrations, K, where

$$K = \chi U/Q$$
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to permit concentration estimates for alternative traffic, exhaust and wind speed conditions. Concentrations can be estimated for alternative configurations, but acceptability must depend upon current air-quality standards.

The following discussion will focus upon evidence for reliability and consistency within the data set and advantages or disadvantages of different building and stack configurations.

5.1. SMOKE VISUALIZATION RESULTS

As noted in Section 4.3 a total of 31 smoke test cases were performed to evaluate the relative dispersion that occurs for various vent stack heights, exit flow velocities and site orientations. Tests were grouped to examine the relative effects of stack height, exit flow velocity, adjacent garage height, and site orientation. Table 6 summarizes observations of plume behavior for each visualization run. The observations note the presence or absence of

i)	Stack downwash	-	plume flagging or suction of smoke into stack wake
ii)	Building downwash	-	suction of plume downward into building cavity
iii)	Cavity mixing	-	mixing of plume throughout downwind building cavity
iv)	Plume descent	-	deflection of plume groundward over building cavity
v)	Plume lofting	-	plume little influenced by building, plume remains aloft.
vi)	Skyscraper		Ξ.
	impingement	-	Elevated plume stagnates against faces of downwind tall buildings

To select a most favorable site, the four potential vent building sites were judged on the following factors:

- a) Severity of downwash effects When air encounters an obstruction, a disturbed flow region results in the lee of the obstruction. The height and width of this region is dependent on the shape of the obstacle. If a plume is released at a height near this region, the plume can become entrained (downwash or cavity mixing) into the region and cause significantly higher concentrations close to the source. The smoke tests were used to judge whether or not the plume was entrained in the lee of the potential vent building and/or the nearby tall structures for various wind directions. The smoke tests also allowed the relative intensity of this entrainment to be judged between sites.
- b) Plume impaction on sensitive areas All four potential vent buildings were evaluated for direct plume impaction on sensitive areas. These areas, selected as being obvious points of human congregation, are: the boston Harbor Hotel, the Rowe's Wharf and Harbor Towers area, One Financial Plaza Building and South Station area, and the Boston Children's Museum and Victoria Station Restaurant area. Plume impaction on other nearby tall structures was assumed to be unavoidable between sites and was later analyzed quantitatively in the concentration tests.
- c) Other effects Any unusual flow effects for the four possible vent building sites that have the potential to cause large variations in pollutant concentrations were noted. These unusual flow effects are caused mostly by wind channelling between buildings for a particular wind direction.

The cases studied may be categorized and grouped to reveal data trends. Examination of the visual records of these experiments reveals:

a) Exit Flow Velocity (ft/min): 800, 1600.

The vent gases are expected to exhaust at near ambient temperatures; hence, the vent plume will have little or no thermal buoyancy. Thus, plume rise will occur only as a result of vertical momentum. Higher exit flow velocities will add effective height to the vent stack. In addition low exhaust velocities (W/U < 1.5) may permit local downwash behind the vent stack, reducing the effective stack height significantly. Tests show that the 800 ft/min exhaust velocity permits significant downwash of the plume down the side of the stack directly into the building cavity. A 1600 ft/min exhaust velocity in a 5 m/sec wind field (W/U = 1.6) minimizes local building downwash effects.

b) Vent Site:

Boston Edison Substation:

For most wind directions studied, plume entrainment in the vent building cavity and nearby building cavities was observed when the exit flow rate was 900 fpm. At 1600 fpm plume entrainment was minimized. The plume was observed to have direct impact on the Rowe's Wharf-Harbor Towers area, the Boston Harbor Hotel, and the Children's Museum. With a northwest wind the upwind buildings produced a noticeable flow blocking effect causing the plume to rise higher than normal and impact further downwind from the Childres's Museum.

470 Atlantic Avenue:

This site exhibited many of the same findings as the boston Edison Substation site except that the plume entrainment was more severe. Additionally, the plume also had direct impact on the South Station-One financial Plaza area.

J. Hook Co.:

At the lower exit flow velocity (800 fpm) some plume entrainment was observed in the lee of the vent building. However, at 1600 fpm this effect was minimized and slight entrainment was observed in the lee of nearby buildings. With a northwest wind the upwind buildings caused a noticeable flow blocking effect such that the wind speed in the region behind these buildings was lower than the oncoming undisturbed flow. Consequently, the plume rose to a greater than normal height and touched down well beyond the Children's Museum. With an east-northeast wind, the plume was channeled paralled to Atlantic Avenue and caused a direct impact on One Financial Plaza. The plume generally missed the Rowe's Wharf-Boston Harbor Hotel area.

Appraiser's Building:

For most wind directions only slight plume entrainment was noticed in the lee of the vent building. However, the plume became entrained in the lee of buildings to the south. Except for the low exit flow velocity (800 fpm) case, this site generally exhibited the least amount of direct plume impaction on the Rowe's Wharf-Boston Harbor Hotel area. Similarly to what was observed for the J. Hook Co. site, the plume became channeled parallel to Atlantic Avenue with an ENE wind and caused a direct impact on the South Station-One Financial Plaza area.

c) Site Orientation: NNE, NE, ENE, E, ESE, SE, SSE, S, SSW, NW, NNW.

The model was rotated to allow approach winds from the 16 major compass points. As the flow interacted with upwind buildings and the shape of the vent building the plume trajectory was modified by the variation in streamline patterns. Several patterns reoccurred no matter the building configuration examined. Winds over the Boston downtown from the W through N directions were blocked by the tall buildings, which produced a sheltered low-wind region at the Boston-Edison site. Plumes exhausting into this wind environment were lofted quite high by their initial momentum; hence, they rarely penetrated the local wake region, and the plume touched down farther downwind.

Winds from the SE direction passed over only low rise residential areas before reaching the Boston-Edison site. High wind speeds at stack height deflected the plume immediately; hence, downwash was often significant. Furthermore, even plumes which did not reach ground level quickly often impacted the tall skyscrapers which stand to the NW. Such conditions will result in maximum concentrations at elevated samplers located on roof tops.

Conclusions from Smoke Visualization Tests:

The visualization tests provided observations which provided focus for the concentration experiments. The major conclusions were:

- Vent exit velocities which exceeded 1.5 times the reference wind speed reduced building downwash. Consequently exit velocity 1600 ft/min was more desireable than the 800 ft/min flow velocity.
- 2. The smoke tests were first conducted with a vent building stack 240 feet high. This stack height exceeds the cavity height (234 ft) of the vent building which is 156 ft such that cavity effects can be minimized. During the smoke tests it was observed that a higher stack height could potentially mitigate some of the observed effects. Based on this observation a higher stack height of 300 feet was used in the concentration tests to determine, quantitatively, differences between these cases.
- 3. Among all sites, smoke visualization of direct plume impact varied widely with no clear choice between sites. Neither site could be conclusively selected as the best of the four sites. However, the Boston Edison Substation and J. Hook Company sites generally had less incidence of plume entrainment and direct plume imnpact on sensitive receptors than the other two sites.
- 4. The SE wind directions were identified as critical directions having the potential for high concentrations.

5.2. VERIFICATION OF FLUID MODEL RELIABILITY

Similarity of flow and dispersion of gas plumes over the Boston city complex must exist to obtain reliable estimates of concentrations. Appendix Section A.2.1 notes that equivalence is generally assured if the characteristic Reynolds number (or model velocity) is sufficiently large. Tests were performed during the Phase I study (cite Pg.31) over the Parcel 7 ventilator site (concentration test runs 15 through 19, in Neff, et.al.(1988)) to determine the minimum tunnel wind speed at which the K coefficients did not vary. Although runs were performed over a five-fold range in magnitude of wind speeds and ventilator flow rates, the ratio of exhaust velocity to wind speed was held constant at 0.81. Thus, sample point concentrations in terms of ppm or K coefficient should remain constant if similarity holds. In the Phase I study (cite Pg.31) displays the Reynolds number independence results. All values for prototype reference wind speeds greater than 5 m/s were equivalent; whereas the values were less for a prototype wind speed of 2.5 m/s. Since Reynolds number independence holds for wind speeds at 5 m/s and greater, all concentration and visualization test runs for both the Parcel 7 and Boston-Edison sites were performed at prototype wind speeds of 5 m/s.

5.3. INFLUENCE OF ALTERNATIVE STACK CONFIGURATIONS UPON CONCENTRATIONS

Given no other controlling factors (such as zoning regulations or cost) it is evident minimum surface concentrations will occur for maximum stack height, minimum building height, and maximum exhaust velocity. Figure 20 compares sampler concentrations for the SE wind direction for stack heights of 240 and 300 feet. The taller stack generally produce smaller sampler concentrations.

Greater improvement in sample point concentrations can be obtained by increasing stack velocity. Figure 21 compares sampler concentrations for the SE wind direction for exhaust velocities varying from 400 to 3200 fpm. A four-fold increase in stack velocity produces about a ten-fold decrease in concentration, whereas an eight-fold increase in stack velocity produces about a twenty-fold decrease in concentration. Stack downwash may occur for exhaust velocity to wind speed ratios less than 1.5. For the Boston-Edison complex a 5 m/sec wind speed the 400 and 800 fpm conditions permit significant stack downwash (W/U < 1); whereas, downwash is usually absent at large exhaust velocities (W/U > 1.6).

Wind direction combines with building orientation, building and stack downwash, exhaust velocity and sample location to produce a wide variance in sample concentrations. Figure 22, Figure 23 and Figure 24 consider sample location concentration variation for a 300 foot stack exhausting at 1600 fpm in a 5 m/sec wind. As expected most samples only show finite concentrations when the wind trajectory is from the ventilator building toward the sample location. Maximum K concentrations lie beween 4 to 5 x 10^{-6} . These concentrations can occur for winds from the ENE, ESE, SE and SSW. Maximum concentrations occur at elevated sample locations as a result of plume impingement on tall buildings.

5.4. INFLUENCE OF SITE LOCATION UPON CONCENTRATIONS

Two ventilation sites were selected according to the smoke visualization tests, the Boston Edison Substation and the J. Hook Co., for the intermediate concentration measurements. The intermediate concentration measurements were made for releases from each of the two stack heights (240 and 300 feet) at two exit flow velocities (400 and 1600 fpm) for each site. The 1600 fpm case was the design base case and the 400 fpm case was for plume downwash studies. Three wind directions (NE, ENE, SSW) were studied for each site at the specified exit flow velocity. This was done to study the impact resulting from each of these sites on One Financial Plaza, the Federal Reserve Building and Rowe's Wharf area.

Based on the results of the intermediate concentration tests, it was evident that releases from the J. Hook site resulted in higher concentration at most of the studied areas than releases from the Boston Edison site. Therefore, the Boston Edison site was selected as the proposed vent building location.

APPENDIX: MODELING OF PLUME DISPERSION

To obtain a predictive model for a specific plume dispersion problem, one must quantify the pertinent physical variables and parameters into a logical expression that determines their inter-relationships. This task is achieved implicitly for processes occurring in the atmospheric boundary layer by the formulation of the equations of conservation of mass, momentum and energy. These equations with site and source conditions and associated constitutive relations are highly descriptive of the actual physical interrelationship of the various independent variables (space and time) and dependent variables (velocity, temperature, pressure, density, concentration, etc.).

These generalized conservation statements subject to the typical boundary conditions of atmospheric flow are too complex to be solved by present analytical or numerical techniques. It is also unlikely that one could create a physical model for which exact similarity exists for all the dependent variables over all the scales of motion present in the atmosphere. Thus, one must resort to various degrees of approximation to obtain a predictive model. At present, purely analytical or numerical solutions of boundary layer, wake, and plume dispersion are unavailable because of the classical problem of turbulent closure (Hinze, 1975). However, boundary layer wind tunnels are capable of physically modeling plume processes in the atmosphere under certain restrictions. These restrictions are discussed in the next sections.

A.1 FLUID MODELING OF THE ATMOSPHERIC BOUNDARY LAYER

The atmospheric boundary layer is that portion of the atmosphere extending from ground level to a height of approximately 1000 meters within which the major exchanges of mass, momentum, and heat occur. This region of the atmosphere is described mathematically by statements of conservation of mass, momentum and energy (Cermak, 1975). The mathematical requirements for rigid laboratory/atmospheric-flow similarity may be obtained by fractional analysis of these governing equations (Kline, 1965). This methodology scales the pertinent dependent and independent variables by size and then casts the equations into dimensionless form by dividing by one of the coefficients (the inertial terms in this case). Performing these operations on such dimensional equations yields dimensionless parameters commonly known as:

Dermelde mucher		15220	Inertial Force			
Reynolds humber	$\text{Re} = (\text{OL}/\nu)_{\text{r}}$		Viscous Force			
Pulle Dichardson			Gravitational Force			
number	$KI = [(Lg\Delta I/I)/0^{-}]_{r}$	-	Inertial Force			
Pacchy number	$P_{0} = (II/IO)$		Inertial Force			
Rossby number	$RO = (0/LM)_r$		Coriolis Force			

Prandtl number $Pr = [\nu/(k/\rho C_p)]_r = \frac{VISCOUS DIFFUSIVITY}{Thermal Diffusivity}$

Eckert number $Ec = [U^2/C_p \Delta T]_r$

A.1.1 Exact Similiarity

For exact similarity between flows which are described by the same set of equations, each of these dimensionless parameters must be equal for both flow systems. There must also be similarity between the surfaceboundary conditions and the approach flow wind field. Surface-boundary condition similarity requires equivalence of the following features:

- a. Surface-roughness distributions,
- b. Topographic relief, and
- c. Surface-temperature distribution.

If all the foregoing requirements are met simultaneously, all atmospheric scales of motion ranging from micro- to mesoscale could be simulated within the same flow field. However, all of the requirements cannot be satisfied sim ltaneously by existing laboratory facilities; thus, a partial or approximate simulation must be used. This limitation requires that atmospheric simulation for plume dispersion must be designed to simulate most accurately those scales of motion which are of greatest significance for the transport and dispersion of plumes.

A.1.2 Partial Simulation of the Atmospheric Boundary Layer

For many fluid modeling situations several of the aforementioned parameters are unnecessarily restrictive and may be relaxed without causing a significant loss in similarity between model and field fluid flow. The Rossby number magnitude controls the extent to which the mean wind direction changes with height. The effect of Coriolis-force-driven lateral wind shear on wind flow is only significant when heights are of the same order of magnitude as the boundary layer height. The Eckert number (in air Ec = 0.4 Ma^2 ($T_r/\Delta T_r$), where Ma is the Mach number) is the ratio of energy dissipation to the convection of thermal energy. Both in the atmosphere and the laboratory flow, the wind velocities and temperature differences are such that the Eckert number is very small; hence, it is neglected. Prandtl number equality guarantees equivalent rates of momentum and heat transport. Since air is the working fluid in both the atmosphere and the laboratory, Prandtl number equality is always maintained.

The approach flow Richardson number (Ri) and Reynolds number (Re) determine the kinematic and dynamic structure of turbulent flow within a boundary layer. This influence is apparent in the variations that occur in the spectral distribution of turbulent kinetic energies with changing Ri and changing Re.

Viscous Diffusivity

The Reynolds Number

Re equality implies $U_m = (L_p/L_m)U_p$. Re equality at a significantly reduced length scale would cause the model's flow velocity to be above sonic; hence, its equality must be distorted. A reduced Re changes only the higher frequency portion of an Eulerian-type description of the spectral energy distribution. Unfortunately, there is no precise definition as to which portion of an Eulerian Spectrum is dominant in dispersing ground-level or elevated plumes over moderate travel distances.

Most investigators use a minimum Reynolds number requirement based on rough-walled pipe measurements; i.e., Re = $u_*z_o/\nu > 2.5$, where u_* , the friction velocity, and z_o , the roughness length, are derived from a loglinear fit to a measured mean velocity profile. The value 2.5 is an empirically determined constant. At Re below 2.5, it is observed that the mean velocity profiles in turbulent pipe flow lose similarity in shape and deviate from the universal curve of a rough wall turbulent boundary layer. For Re above 2.5, it is observed that the surface drag coefficient (and thus the normalized mean velocity profile) is invariant with respect to increasing Re. For Re between 0.11 and 2.5, the velocity profiles are characteristic of smooth wall turbulent boundary layers. For values below 0.11, the growth of a laminar sublayer on the wall is observed to increase with decreasing Re.

Extrapolation of results from pipe flow measurement to flat plate boundary layers may cause a shift in the magnitude of the minimum Re requirement, but it is generally felt that this shift is small. Precise similarity in the universal form of mean wind shear may be necessary for invariance with respect to the surface drag coefficient, but this does not necessitate that precise similarity must exist for the invariance of the wind field and dispersion. It is the distribution of turbulent velocities which has the greatest effect on the wind field and dispersion. It is the mean wind shear, however, which generates the turbulent velocities. It is possible that the specification of a minimum Re of 2.5 is overly conservative. The criteria, Re > 2.5, for example, is not applicable for flow over complex terrain or building clusters.

The Richardson Number

Although most wind-tunnel investigations are conducted with neutrally stratified boundary layers, there are circumstances when the stratification of the atmosphere must be considered. In particular, air pollution and dispersion problems are often critical during stratified conditions. Unstable stratification may be expected to mitigate hazards by accelerating plume dilution, whereas stable stratification may permit high concentrations to persist. The stability state of the atmosphere is typically characterized by the Richardson number.

The atmospheric gradient Richardson number can be computed from averaged quantities through the equation

 $Ri = g/T (\Gamma_d - \Gamma) [1 + 0.07/B] [(\partial u/\partial z)^2 + (\partial v/\partial z)^2]$

where Γ and Γ_d are the actual and dry adiabatic potential temperature lapse rates, and $B = [C_p(T_2-T_1)]/[(Z_2-Z_1)(Q_2-Q_1)]$ is the Bowen ratio of sensible to latent heat flux at the surface. The Ri number can be taken to represent the ratio of the relative importance of convective and mechanical turbulence. Negative Ri numbers of large value indicate strong convection and weak mechanical turbulence; zero Ri numbers imply purely mechanical turbulence. Positive Ri numbers less than some critical value, Ri_{critical}, suggest the presence of mechanical turbulence damped by the density-induced buoyancy forces; for larger positive Ri numbers, turbulence essentially disappears, since the stratification overpowers production by wind shear. The critical Richardson number has a value near 0.25.

A.1.3 Performance of Prior Fluid Modeling Experiments

Meroney et al. (1978) summarized experimental data available from field and laboratory studies for neutral airflow over hills, ridges, and escarpments. Wind-tunnel model measurements were performed to study the influence of topography profile, surface roughness and stratification on the suitability of various combinations of these variables. Detailed tables of velocity, turbulence intensity, pressure, spectra, etc., were prepared to guide numerical model design and experimental rule of thumb restrictions. Cases included hill slopes from 1:2 to 1:20, neutral and stratified flows, two- and three-dimensional symmetric ridges, six alternate hill and escarpment shapes, and a variety of windward versus leeward slope combinations to evaluate ridge separation characteristics. The laboratory data were validated by comparison with field measurements for flow in the Rakaia Gorge, New Zealand, and over Kahuku Point, Oahu, Hawaii, (Meroney et al., 1978; Chien, Meroney and Sandborn, 1979).

Local heating and cooling of coastline or hill surfaces are the driving mechanisms for sea-land breezes, and anabatic and katabatic winds which may inhibit or enhance airflow over the land surface. Early laboratory work includes simulations of urban heat islands by Yamada and Meroney (1971) and Sethuraman and Cermak (1973), simulation of flow and dispersion at shoreline sites by Meroney et al. (1975a), and simulation of dispersion effects of heat rejected from large industrial complexes by Meroney et al. (1975b).

Meroney (1980) compared three model/field investigations of flow over complex terrain, suggested performance envelopes for realizable modeling in complex terrain, and discussed recent laboratory studies which provide data for valley drainage flow situations. Not all of the model/field comparison experiments performed in the past were successful. Many early studies had model approach flow velocity exponents near zero, were modeled as neutral flows when the field observed strong stratification effects, or simulated unrealistic boundary layer depths, integral scales, or turbulence intensities which did not match their claimed unreasonable atmospheric counterpart. But few studies correlation, and some were strongly self-critical. Nonetheless, most studies accomplished their prestated limited objectives. It would appear

that the simulation hypothesis developed in the last few years is appropriate for physical modeling of flow over complex terrain when appropriate care is taken to simulate the approach flow conditions and to maintain simulation parameters equal between model and prototype.

Arya and Plate (1969), Arya (1975) performed velocity, temperature, and turbulence measurements in the lowest 15 percent of a 70 cm deep boundary layer over a smooth surface, where conditions ranged from unstable to moderately stable (- $0.3 < z/L_{mo} < 0.3$). Free stream flow speeds varied from 3 to 9 m/s, and temperature differences were about 40°C across the boundary layer. Cermak, Shrivastava and Poreh (1983) reported mean velocity and turbulence measurements made for a variety of simulated atmospheric boundary layers over different surface roughness. Free stream flow speeds varied from 2.4 to 3.0 m/s and temperature differences were from 150°C to -80°C across the boundary layer. Poreh and Cermak (1984) reproduced unstable lapse conditions including mixed layers and elevated inversions. They reproduced the characteristics of convective boundary layer turbulence measured in the atmosphere.

Diffusion studies made by Chaudhry and Meroney (1973) in stable boundary layers investigated previously by Arya (1969) have shown agreement of experimental results with Lagrangian similarity theory. Horst (1979) tested Lagrangian similarity predictions of crosswindintegrated ground concentration against the Prairie Grass diffusion experiment (Barad, 1958) and an experiment at Idaho Falls (Islitzer and Dumbauld, 1963). He reported good agreement for all stabilities at distances x/z_o out to $2*10^5$. Poreh and Cermak (1984, 1985) released plumes in their modeled mixing layer. Their plumes exhibited the plume lofting typical of ground sources and the descent typical of elevated sources, predicted from water tank experiments by Willis and Deardorff (1974, 1976, 1978) and numerically by Lamb (1982).

Staff at the Fluid Mechanics Laboratory at the Ecole Centrale de Lyon have studied unstable wind-tunnel boundary layers and compared them with the atmospheric boundary layer (Schon and Mery, 1971). Flow speeds were typically 2 to 4 m/s and the floor temperature was maintained 50° C above ambient. Comparisons with the Kansas data (Haugen et al., 1971) were quite satisfactory, but longitudinal turbulence intensities exhibited a slight Reynolds number dependence, and spectral energy was too low in the high frequency portions of the spectra. The most unstable flow they studied had a Monin-Obukhov scale length of about -1 m at model scales, or -500 to -1000 when scaled to the atmosphere.

A.2 PHYSICAL MODELING OF BLUFF BODY AERODYNAMICS

The interaction of an approach wind field with bluff bodies or structures constructed on the earth's surface is broadly termed "Building Aerodynamics." In a review article on this subject, Meroney (1982) discusses the character of bluff body flow about rectangular buildings and cylindrical cooling towers. Defects in velocity profiles can easily persist from 10 to 15 building heights downwind. Field and laboratory measurements of plume dispersion about the Rancho Seco Nuclear Power Station in Sacramento, California, confirm that cooling tower wake effects persist for significant downwind distances under a variety of stratification conditions (Allwine, Meroney and Peterka, 1978; Kothari, Meroney and Bouwmeester, 1981).

A.2.1 Simulation Criteria

Often atmospheric turbulence may cause only weak effects compared to the turbulence generated by buildings, obstacles, and terrain. Yet the magnitude of the perturbations depends upon the incident flow turbulence scale and intensity, details of the obstacle shape and surface roughness, and size of the obstacle compared to the boundary layer depth. Geometrical scaling implies that the ratio of the building height to length scale must be matched and, of course, that all other building length scales be reduced to this same ratio.

Several questions should be considered when modeling flows which include surface obstacles:

- a. What size obstacles should be disregarded?
- b. What detail or roughness on an obstacle need be included?
- c. To what upwind distance should all obstacles be included?
- d. At what point does the size of a modeled obstacle become too big for the wind tunnel (i.e., blockage effects)?
- e. What is the effect on the flow field of mismatching obstacle and approach flow length scales?
- f. What is the minimum allowable model obstruction Reynolds number?

Obstacle sizes to be disregarded:

Boundary layer studies of rough surfaces reveal that if protuberances are of a size k, such that $u_*k/\nu < 5$, they will have little effect on the flow in a turbulent boundary layer. Thus, assuming a laboratory wind speed of 1 m/s and a typical friction coefficient $C_f/2 = (u_*/u)^2 = 0.0025$, obstacles of size less than 2 mm would go unnoticed.

Required obstacle surface detail or roughness:

Another question that always arises is "How much detail is required for the building or obstacle model? The answer is, of course, dependent upon the size of the protuberance compared to the plume and the dominant eddies of mixing. If the obstruction is large enough to modify the separated wake over the main obstacle, then it must be included. Often an equivalent obstacle surface roughness suffices. Snyder (1981) concludes a generic surface roughness criterion might be $u_*k/\nu > 20$. For a 1 m/s laboratory flow this results in model roughness elements equal to about 6 mm. But since the exterior flow is usually highly turbulent, the body typically includes a highly unsteady wake, and the u_* value to be used should be that acting on the building surface, rather than that of the approach flow. Hence, even this roughness may be unnecessarily large. Upstream fetch to be modeled:

Suppose there is another building, tree line, fence, cooling tower, or obstacle some distance, s, upstream of a meteorological measurement location; is it necessary to include this obstacle in the wind-tunnel model? Hunt (1974) showed that the velocity deficit in the wakes of cubes and cylinders is given approximately by:

$$DU_{mx}/U(h) = A (s/h) - 3/2$$

downwind of the separation bubble, where DU_{mx} is the maximum mean velocity deficit created by the obstacle, h is the height of the obstacle, S is the distance downstream of the obstacle, and A is a constant dependent upon the obstacle shape, orientation, boundary layer thickness, etc. Typically, A = 2.5, but it may range from 1.5 to 5.0. If we desire that the velocity at the spill site be within 3 percent of its undisturbed value, Snyder (1981) recommends that any upstream obstacle as high as s/20 be included upstream in the model of the spill site. If the obstacle's width is much greater than its height (for example, a fence or ridge), one should include it in the physical model if its height is greater than s/100.

Blockage effects:

Because of the influence of wind-tunnel walls on the behavior of the flow past models, it is desirable to use small models or big tunnels, or both. On the other hand, larger models are not only easier to work with, but they may be needed for similarity reasons to achieve large enough Reynolds numbers. It is possible to identify three different types of The first is the simple "solid effects of wind-tunnel constraints. blockage" effect which arises because the fluid stream is unable to expand laterally as it normally would in unconfined flow. The second effect, called "wake blockage", results because the accelerated flow between an obstacle and the tunnel walls continues to "pinch" the wake flow region and reduce its normal lateral rate of growth. The third effect is produced by the growth of boundary layers on the tunnel walls which produce "wall boundary interference." Tunnel blockage can cause separation and reattachment locations to vary, produce higher velocities, larger wake turbulence, and modify the dispersion patterns in the vicinity of obstructions.

The ratio of the cross-sectional area of a model obstacle to that of the tunnel is called the "blockage ratio", BR. Mass continuity produces an average velocity speed-up of S = BR/(1-BR). Although wind tunnels with adjustable ceilings can compensate to some extent by raising the roof locally; this is not a perfect solution to the problem. Measurements on building and cooling tower models placed in different size wind-tunnel test sections reveal major changes in the character of pressure distributions, separation, and wake growth in the presence of flow restricted by wind-tunnel side walls (Farell et al., 1977). Blockage corrections, which are conventionally applied in aeronautical tunnels, cannot usually be applied to the typical asymmetric model configuration placed against the wall of a meteorological wind tunnel (Ranga Raju and Singh, 1976). Conventional wisdom now suggests the "rule of thumb" that blockage ratios greater than five percent should be avoided.

Simulation of the flow over sharp-edged obstacles:

A number of authors have discussed flow studies about simple cubical or rectangular sharp-edged obstacles. An extensive review about such flow fields and the subsequent character of diffusion near obstacles has been provided by Hosker (1984). Peterka, Meroney and Kothari (1985) describe typical flow deviations which result from the presence of a sharp-edged building.

Consider the main features of the flow around a sharp-edged Typically, when the approach flow is normal to the building building. face, the flow separates from the ground upwind of the building and produces a "horseshoe"-shaped vortex which wraps around the base of the building. The surface streamline reattaches on the front of the building. and fluid parcels move up and down the building's forward face. An elevated streamline flows over the obstacle, dips down behind, and stagnates on the surface at the end of the recirculating cavity immediately downwind of the building. Sometimes separation streamlines from the forward building edges reattach to the same face, yet in other cases the streamlines enter the downwind cavity and mingle with the other Air which enters the cavity departs through recirculating fluid. turbulent mixing across the dividing streamlines, mingles with downwindpointing vortices and is ejected laterally out of the cavity, or leaves suddenly during an exhalation when the entire cavity appears to collapse and then reform.

When a building is oriented obliquely to the wind, flow over the front side walls does not separate, but strong recirculation occurs on the downwind faces. Flow over the roof often produces counter-rotating "delta-wing" vortices which increase mixing over the top and in the wake of the building. These vortices can cause reattachment of the flow in the middle of the roof and serious plume downwash in the near wake. Other features of the flow near the building include vertical vortices produced by the vertical corners of the building.

Golden (1961) measured the concentration patterns above the roof of model cubes in a wind tunnel. Two sizes of cubes were used to vary the Reynolds number from 1000 to 94,000. The concentration isopleths in the fluid above the cube roof showed only slight variations over the entire range of Reynolds numbers studied. The maximum concentration on the roof itself was found to vary strongly with Reynolds numbers less than 11,000, but to be invariant with Reynolds numbers between 11,000 and 94,000. Frequently, modelers quote Golden's experiments as justification for presuming dispersion invariance when obstacle Reynolds numbers exceed 11,000. However, Golden's "11,000 rule" is limited to the measurement of concentrations at only one point on the roof of smooth-walled cubes placed in a uniform approach flow of very low turbulent intensity. It is probably quite conservative because the shear and high turbulence in a simulated atmospheric boundary layer are likely to further reduce the critical Reynolds number. Indeed, Halitsky (1968) observed that for dispersion in the wake region, no change in isoconcentration isopleths from passive gas releases was found to occur for values of Reynolds number as low as 3300.

Flow around sharp-edged obstacles will remain kinematically similar at very low Reynolds numbers. Wake width variation will be minimal, and obstacle generated turbulence scales and intensity will only vary slowly as Reynolds number decreases. Gas clouds dispersing in this environment will remain similar at very low model speeds.

Simulation of flow over rounded obstacles:

Flow around a smooth cylinder is Reynolds number dependent. This dependence reflects changes in the nature of the boundary layer that forms over the cylinder and its behavior in the vicinity of the flow separation. At low Reynolds numbers, the boundary layer is laminar, and separation occurs easily under the influence of even modest positive pressure At higher Reynolds numbers, the boundary layer becomes gradients. turbulent and flow separation is delayed; i.e., the flow can move farther along a curved surface without separation. At prototype scales, obstacles are large enough that only turbulent separation occurs. However, model flows are usually at such low Reynolds numbers that the local boundary layer growing over a curved surface would be laminar. Most modelers attempt the reproduction of full- scale similarity around curved surfaces by artificially roughening the model surface to force transition to turbulence in these laminar boundary layers. This can be done by providing the surface with special (or artificial) roughness elements, for example, sandpaper, thin wires, or grooves. The height of the roughness, k, should be such that $Uk/\nu > 400$ and k/R < 0.01, where U is the mean wind speed at obstacle height, and R is the characteristic obstacle radius of curvature. Szechenyi (1975) studied flows about rough circular cylinders and determined that as Reynolds number decreases, roughening the surface becomes less effective. Fage and Warsap (1929) considered the effect of increasing the surface roughness of cylinders on their drag Eventually, even ridiculously large roughness coefficient. is ineffective.

Niemann and Ruhwedel (1980) compared pressures and forces about a 1:333 scale model to a full-scale hyperbolic cooling tower shell. They roughened their model with vertical ribs of height 0.09 mm and width 0.77 mm, producing a roughness coefficient of k/2R = 0.0006 and roughness Reynolds number, $Re_k > 270$. They found meridional forces on the cooling tower model and prototype were similar. Model Reynolds numbers were between 4.5×10^5 and 6.0×10^5 , and this corresponding to $U_m > 45$ m/s. But again these speeds are much higher than is appropriate for current measurements.

Halitsky et al. (1963) examined dispersion about a smooth-model nuclear reactor containment building (a hemisphere fitted on a vertical cylinder) and found a critical Reynolds number greater than 79,000. (Yet this critical Reynolds number was for flow very close to the vessel wall. The behavior of concentration isopleths further downwind is likely to be less Reynolds number dependent.)

Although the details of fluid motions around rounded obstacles vary significantly with Reynolds number, the gross features of the flow do not change. Even small models at low wind speeds will produce horseshoeshaped ground vortices, elevated pairs, and regular vortex shedding. If the internal boundary layer over the obstacle is laminar, then the wake region will be broader and less intense.

A.2.2 Performance of Prior Fluid Modeling Experiments

A number of studies have been performed in the Colorado State University Fluid Dynamics and Diffusion Laboratory to establish the effect of buildings and meteorological masts on flow fields. Hatcher et al. (1977) examined flow and dispersion in stratified flow downwind of the Experimental Organic Cooled Reactor, Idaho Falls; Allwine et al. (1978) studied the Rancho Seco Reactor, Sacramento; Kothari et al. (1981) studied the Duane Arnold Energy Center, Iowa. In each case field measurements were compared to laboratory measurements with good agreement. Specific effects of the structure of a meteorological mast on instrumentation response were reported by Hsi and Cermak (1965).

A.3 PHYSICAL MODEL OF PLUME MOTION

In addition to modeling the turbulent structure of the atmosphere in the vicinity of a test site it is necessary to properly scale the plume source conditions. One approach would be to follow the methodology used in Section 2.1; i.e., writing the conservation statements for the combined flow system followed by fractional analysis to find the governing parameters. An alternative approach, the one which will be used here, is that of similitude (Kline, 1965). The method of similitude obtains scaling parameters by reasoning that the mass ratios, force ratios, energy ratios, and property ratios should be equal for both model and prototype. When one considers the dynamics of gaseous plume behavior the following nondimensional parameters of importance are identified.¹

Mass Flux Ratio

mass flow of plume effective mass flow of air

¹ The scaling of plume Reynolds number is also a significant parameter. Its effects are invariant over a large range. This makes it possible to accurately model its influence by maintaining model tests above a minimum plume Reynolds number requirement.

Momentum Flux Ratio	_	inertia of plume				
Homonicum IIun Radio		effective inertia of air				
Densimetric Froude No. (relative to the inertia of the air)	-	effective inertia of air buoyancy of plume				
Densimetric Froude No. (relative to the inertia of the plume)	-	inertia of plume buoyancy of plume				
Flux Froude No.	-	momentum flux of air buoyancy momentum flux of plume				
Volume Flux Ratio	=	volume flow of plume effective volume flow of air				

It is necessary to maintain equality of the plume's specific gravity, $\rho_{\rm g}/\rho_{\rm a}$, over the plume's entire lifetime to obtain simultaneous simulation of all of these parameters. Unfortunately a requirement for equality of the plume gas specific gravity for plume with significant buoyancy differences (i.e. $\rho_{\rm g}$ not equal $\rho_{\rm a}$) leads to several complications in practice. These are:

- 1) Equality of the source gas specific gravity between a model and its atmospheric equivalent leads to a wind speed scaling from $(U_m/U_p)^2 = L_m/L_p$. For a significant range of atmospheric wind speeds this relationship leads to wind- tunnel speeds at which there is a possible loss of the Reynolds number invariance in the approach flow.
- 2) A thermal plume in the atmosphere is frequently simulated in the laboratory by an isothermal plume formed from a gas of appropriate molecular weight. Under certain situations of specific heat capacity mismatch, this practice will lead to a variation of the equality of plume density as the plume mixes with air.

It is important to examine each modeling situation and decide if an approximation to complete plume behavior may be employed without a significant loss in the similarity of the modeled plume structure.

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Profile ∦	X Position	Y Position	Model Wind Direction	Reference Velocity
"			(from N)	mps @ 1m
1	Upwind (Land)	Tunnel Center	180	0.9
2	Upwind (Land)	Tunnel Center	180	1.6
3	Upwind (Sea)	Tunnel Center	45	1.2
4	Upwind (Sea)	Tunnel Center	45	0.8
5	Model Center	Model Center	0	1.6
6	Model Center	Model Center	45	1.3
7	Model Center	Model Center	90	1.2
8	Model Center	Model Center	135	1.6
9	Model Center	Model Center	180	1.6
10	Model Center	Model Center	225	1.7
11	Model Center	Model Center	270	1.7
12	Model Center	Model Center	315	1.7

Table 1 Velocity Profile Conditions

note: Model values for distance and velocity are used here.

Table 2 Velocity Profile Data for Profiles 1, 2, 3 and 4

	Profile	· No. 1	Profile	No.2	Profile	. No.3	Profile	: No. 4
Normalized	Normalized	Turbulent	Normalized	Turbulent	Normalized	Turbulent	Normalized	Turbulent
Height	Velocity	Intensity	Velocity	Intensity	Velocity	Intensity	Velocity	Intensity
		(%)		(%)		(%)		(7)
0.025	0.310	32.6	0.285	34.7	0.544	17.2	0.529	17.4
0.032	0.356	33.7	0.319	33.5	0.527	20.5	0.588	15.6
0.040	0.358	29.2	0.365	32.4	0.546	17.3	0.611	16.8
0.050	0.413	28.0	0.393	32.8	0.591	17.7	0.658	14.3
0.060	0.475	29.6	0.395	31.2	0.609	17.0	0.643	14.6
0.080	0.491	26.9	0.481	22.8	0.635	16.2	0.689	13.9
0.097	0.568	24.3	0.532	23.5	0.648	16.7	0.686	15.1
0.122	0.601	20.9	0.565	21.9	0.679	13.7	0.682	16.0
0.150	0.680	16.8	0.631	17.3	0.703	12.8	0.754	10.8
0.177	0.709	16.3	0.698	16.1	0.747	13.2	0.751	11.4
0.197	0.768	11.8	0.690	14.3	0.743	13.8	0.781	9.8
0.252	0.806	10.8	0.779	12.2	0.778	14.1	0.766	12.5
0.297	0.846	10.7	0.776	11.4	0.808	12.0	0.841	9.7
0.400	0.892	8.5	0.858	8.6	0.887	9.1	0.860	7.8
0.500	0.921	6.9	0.884	6.9	0.924	7.3	0.926	5.9
0.600	0.934	6.7	0.913	6.1	0.938	6.4	0.932	4.6
0.800	0.993	4.8	0.945	5.7	0.966	5.1	0.943	4.1
1.000	1.000	5.4	0.999	5.4	1.002	4.6	0.999	4.1
1.200	1.024	4.9	1.030	5.4	1.035	5.2	1.036	5.6

Reference Height = 1260 ft.

	Profile	: No.5	Profile	: No.6	Profile	: No.7	Profile	: No.8
Normalized	Normalized	Turbulent	Normalized	Turbulent	Normalized	Turbulent	Normalized	Turbulent
Height	Velocity	Intensity	Velocity	Intensity	Velocity	Intensity	Velocity	Intensity
	2	(%)		(%)		(%)		(%)
0.025	0.437	30.4	0.467	25.6	0.608	13.8	0.168	45.8
0.032	0.454	30.1	0.473	27.0	0.624	14.0	0.190	62.6
0.040	0.409	34.8	0.502	23.6	0.620	14.2	0.187	48.1
0.050	0.426	31.4	0.490	22.8	0.646	12.7	0.203	51.7
0.060	0.414	32.0	0.524	20.4	0.672	14.1	0.212	56.0
0.080	0.368	38.3	0.500	20.7	0.693	13.6	0.226	48.7
0.097	0.362	38.3	0.494	19.4	0.729	11.0	0.314	46.7
0.122	0.298	40.3	0.503	22.0	0.759	13.0	0.430	35.7
0.150	0.303	40.4	0.544	23.6	0.748	11.5	0.454	35.8
0.177	0.282	40.9	0.621	24.4	0.763	11.6	0.553	24.7
0.197	0.249	37.7	0.699	22.0	0.767	12.4	0.593	21.3
0.252	0.245	38.8	0.843	12.8	0.815	10.6	0.646	21.8
0.297	0.232	40.1	0.935	8.5	0.831	10.4	0.699	16.1
0.400	0.268	54.0	0.909	8.8	0.886	8.5	0.798	10.6
0.500	0.574	42.2	0.925	7.3	0.913	7.5	0.860	8.3
0.600	0.979	10.0	0.984	4.8	0.950	5.7	0.876	7.7
0.800	1.009	5.4	0.983	4.2	0.990	4.4	0.943	5.5
1.000	0.999	4.2	0.999	4.1	1.002	4.7	1.001	4.6
1.200	1.046	5.2	0.992	4.2	1.053	5.0	1.013	4.9

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Reference Height = 1260 ft.

Table 4 Velocity Profile Data for Profiles 9, 10, 11 and 12

	Profile	: No.9	Profile:	No.10	Profile:	No.11	Profile:	No.12
Normalized	Normalized	Turbulent	Normalized	Turbulent	Normalized	Turbulent	Normalized	Turbulent
Height	Velocity	Intensity	Velocity	Intensity	Velocity	Intensity	Velocity	Intensity
		(%)		(%)		(%)		(%)
0.025	0,286	43.2	0.124	31.4	0.198	43.5	0.121	30.2
0.032	0.323	36.3	0.130	32.4	0.198	47.1	0.125	30.5
0.040	0.353	34.5	0.150	38.9	0.186	46.2	0.135	34.1
0.050	0.357	32.2	0.167	46.4	0.206	44.0	0.148	30.3
0.060	0.383	29.6	0.223	44.5	0.222	39.8	0.164	35.5
0.080	0.460	27.4	0.344	34.7	0.234	35.5	0.185	31.7
0.097	0.481	23.1	0.439	29.4	0.267	31.6	0.205	28.5
0.122	0.538	18.4	0.533	27.0	0.243	36.3	0.218	32.6
0.150	0.537	17.8	0.575	26.6	0.211	39.2	0.254	30.5
0.177	0.566	20.8	0.568	25.8	0.187	42.8	0.290	37.0
0.197	0.625	18.9	0.613	24.7	0.204	42.7	0.324	34.0
0.252	0.719	13.8	0.622	23.5	0.245	48.1	0.459	28.7
0.297	0.749	14.8	0.704	21.4	0.399	42.0	0.522	27.2
0.400	0.822	9.5	0.869	11.7	0.697	26.6	0.721	18.2
0.500	0.879	9.1	0.931	7.2	0.885	13.4	0.878	14.9
0.600	0.917	7.0	0.945	5.7	0.910	8.9	0.999	6.3
0.800	0.961	5.0	0.979	5.0	0.994	4.5	1.004	4.8
.1.000	0.998	4.2	0.998	4.4	1.000	4.0	0.997	4.0
1.200	1.050	5.0	1.026	4.1	1.022	4.5	1.043	4.6

Reference Height = 1260 ft.

Run No.	Vent Site	Building Height (ft) _p	Stack Height (ft) _p	Exit Velocity (fpm) _p	Wind Dir. (from)	
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		1.5.6				
1	Bos-Ed (2B)	156	240	800	SSE	
2	Bos-Ed (2B)	156	240	800	S	
3	Bos-Ed (2B)	156	240	800	SSW	
4	Bos-Ed (2B)	156	240	1600	SSW	
5	Bos-Ed (2B)	156	240	800	NW	
6	Bos-Ed (2B)	156	240	1600	NW	
/	Atlantic (3)	156	240	800	SSE	
8	Atlantic (3)	156	240	800	SSW	
9	J. Hook (4)	156	240	800	SSW	
10	J. Hook (4)	156	240	1600	SSW	
11	J. Hook (4)	156	240	1600	NW	
12	J. Hook (4)	156	240	800	NNW	
13	Appraiser(5)	156	240	800	SSW	
14	Appraiser(5)	156	240	1600	SSW	
15	Bos-Ed (2B)	156	240	800	NNE	
16	Bos-Ed (2B)	156	240	800	NE	
17	Bos-Ed (2B)	156	240	1600	NE	
18	Bos-Ed (2B)	156	240	800	E	
19	Bos-Ed (2B)	156	240	800	SE	
20	Bos-Ed (2B)	156	240	1600	SE	
21	Atlantic (3)	156	240	800	NE	
22	Atlantic (3)	156	240	800	Е	
23	Atlantic (3)	156	240	800	SE	
24	J. Hook (4)	156	240	800	NE	
25	J. Hook (4)	156	240	1600	NE	
26	J. Hook (4)	156	240	800	ENE	
27	J. Hook (4)	156	240	800	ESE	
28	J. Hook (4)	156	240	800	SE	
29	Appraiser(5)	156	240	800	NE	
30	Appraiser(5)	156	240	800	Е	
31	Appraiser(5)	156	240	800	ESE	

Table 5 Visualization Test Conditions

Skyscp Imping	Plume Lofting	Plume Descent	Cavity Mixing	Building Downwash	Stack Downwash	Wind Dir (from)	Exit Velocity (fpm)	Stack Height (ft)	Bldg Height (ft)	Vent Site	Run No.
X	1	X I	1	X I	X	SSE	800	240	156	2B	1
		X	1	x	x	S	800	240	156	2B	2
1		X	1	X	X	SSW	800	240	156	2B	3
		1 2		1	x	SSW	1600	240	156	2B	4
1		X	X	X	x	NW	800	240	156	2B	5
1			X	X	X	NW	1600	240	156	2B	6
X		X	1	X	х	SSE	800	240	156	3	7
1		X	1	X	х	SSW	800	240	156	3	8
		X	1	X	х	SSW	800	240	156	4	9
1	X			1	Х	SSW	1600	240	156	4	10
1		1	X		х	NW	1600	240	156	4	11
1		X	X	X	х	NNW	800	240	156	4	12
1		X			Х	SSW	800	240	156	5	13
1	X		1		Х	SSW	1600	240	156	5	14
1		X	X	X	X	NNE	800	240	156	2B	15
1		X	X	X	Х	NE	800	240	156	2B	16
	1		-	X	Х	NE	1600	240	156	2B	17
X		X	X	X	X	E	800	240	156	2B	18
X	1) X	X X	X	SE	800	240	156	2B	19
X	X		1	X	х	SE	1600	240	156	2B	20
	1	X	1	X	X	NE	800	240	156	з	21
X		X	X	X	X	E	800	240	156	з	22
X	1		X	X	х	SE	800	240	156	3	23
		X		X	х	NE	800	240	156	4	24
1	1	X	1		Х	NE	1600	240	156	4	25
X		X	1	X	x	·ENE	800	240	156	4	26
X		X	X	X	X	ESE	800	240	156	4	27
X	[X	X	X	х	SE	800	240	156	4	28
		X	-		Х	NE	800	240	156	5	29
X		X		X	х	E	800	240	156	5	30
X		X	X	X	X	ESE	800	240	156	5	31

Table 6 Visual Test Results Summary

		×		Field -		Mo	del
Point	Code	Description	Distance	Direction	Height	Distance	Height
No.	No.	of Receptor Site	(ft)	(Degrees)	(ft)	(in)	(in)
1	A7	Sheraton Bldg (roof)	0	0	203.0	0.0	6.3
2	Al	Harbor Towers (plume ht.)	1250	12	240.0	39.1	7.5
3	AZ	Harbor Towers (pool)	1175	5 15	0.0	36.7	0.0
4	A3	Boston Harbor Hotel	760	21	167.0	23.8	5.2
5	A4	US Customs Bldg (Street)	390	22	0.0	12.2	0.0
6	A5	Rowe's Wharf	1075	31	89.1	33.6	2.8
7.	A6	US Customs Bldg (roof)	450	32	139.6	14.1	4.4
8	B1	Northern Ave. & Sleeper St.	840	96	0.0	26.3	0.0
9	B2	Victoria Station Rest.	760	123	0.0	23.8	0.0
10	B 3	Farnsworth Street	1250	135	0.0	39.1	0.0
11	B4	SE	1970	135	0.0	61.6	0.0
12	B5	Children's Museum	920	141	0.0	28.8	0.0
13	B6	Congress Street	1400	152	0.0	43.8	0.0
14	B7	Boston Tea Party Museum	640	172	0.0	20.0	0.0
15	B8	S (Necco St.)	1970	180	0.0	61.6	0.0
16	C1	Congress ST. & Dorchester Ave	e 710	200	0.0	22.2	0.0
17	C2	Dorchester Ave. & Summer ST.	1025	5 202	0.0	32.0	0.0
18	C3	Stone & Webster Bldg.	1140	213	226.0	35.6	7.1
19	C5	Fed Reserve intake # 3	920	230	537.5	28.8	16.8
20	C6	Stearns Perry & Smith Co.	440	233	99.7	13.8	3.1
21	C7	South Station	1225	235	93.1	38.3	2.9
22	C8	Fed Reserve Intake # 2	960	236	97.5	30.0	3.0
23	C9	South Station (Street)	1200	240	0.0	37.5	0.0
24	C4	Dewey Square (roof)	1536	247	610.0	48.0	19.1
25	C10	Dewey Square (Street	1250	247	0.0	39.1	0.0
26	C11	Fed Reserve (Street)	630	248	0.0	19.7	0.0
27	C12	Keystone Bldg (Intake)	775	269	191.7	24.2	6.0
28	C13	Keystone Bldg. (Street)	780	269	0.0	24 4	0 0
29	D1	Bldg betw High St. & Matthews	970	275	411 7	30 3	12 9
30	D2	Western Union Bldg	640	277	187 0	20.0	5.8
31	D3	Road House	600	281	40.0	18.8	1 3
32	D4	125 High Street Bldg	630	201	226 0	10.0	7 1
33	D5	New England T & T	1075	207	364 5	33 6	11 4
34	DE	New Fire House	450	307	24.0	14 1	0.9
35	DB	NW (Mille ST)	1550	308	24.0	4.1	0.0
36	D0	State Street Bank Bldg	1550	315	443 3	20.4	13.0
30	DO	Oliver St. 6 Franklin St	1125	310	443.3	20.1	13.9
37	D9	Oliver St. & Flanklin St.	550	320	220.0	35.2	0.0
30	DIU	21 Story lower	050	324	230.0	20.3	7.2
39	DII	Oliver St. & high St.	0.50	324	0.0	20.0	0.0
40	DIZ	Shops on Furchase & Olive	450	329	/0./	14.1	2.2
41	DI	Bidg on India & Milk (Roof)	1625	340	164.2	50.8	5.1
42	D13	International Place (Street)	510	348	0.0	15.9	0.0
43	D14	International Place (Intake)	600	350	42.0	18.8	1.3
44	D16	Blag. on Broad & High (Roof)	975	353	82.2	30.5	2.6
45	D15	N (Atlantic Ave.)	1970	358	0.0	.61.6	0.0

Table 7Concentration Sampling Locations

Table 8 Concentratio	on Test Conditions
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Run No.	Vent Site	Stack Height (ft)	Exit Speed (fpm)	FIELD VA Wind Speed mps@30m	LUES Wind Dir. (from)	Approach Roughness	MODEL V Wind Speed cm/s@7.8	ALUES - Exhaust Flow (ccs)
Run No. 12345678901112345678901123456789011234567890112345678901123345678901122222222222222222222222222222222222	Vent Site Bos-Ed. Bos-Ed. Bos-Ed. Bos-Ed. Bos-Ed. Bos-Ed. Bos-Ed. J. Hookk J. Hookk Bos-Ed. B	Stack Height (ft) 240 240 240 240 240 240 240 240 240 240	Exit Speed (fpm) 400 1600 400 800 800 800 800 800 800 800 800 8	FIELD VA Wind Speed mpse 5.000000000000000000000000000000000000	 IDES ind .) NIT NEELENSWEELENSWEELENSWEELEN 0000000000000000000000000000000000	Approach Roughness Sea Sea Sea Land Land Land Land Land Sea Sea Sea Land Land Land Sea Sea Sea Land Land Land Land Land Land Land Lan	MODEL V Wind Speed cm/s@7.8 50 50 50 50 50 50 50 50 50 50 50 50 50	<pre>/ALUES - Exhaust Flow (ccs) 196 786 196 786 196 786 196 786 196 786 196 786 196 786 196 786 196 196 196 196 196 196 196 196 196 19</pre>
55 56 57 59 60 61 63 63 64 65 66 67	Bos-Ed. Bos-Ed. Bos-Ed. Bos-Ed. Bos-Ed. Bos-Ed. Bos-Ed. Bos-Ed. Bos-Ed. Bos-Ed. Bos-Ed. Bos-Ed. Bos-Ed.	300 300 300 300 300 300 300 300 300 300	800 800 1600 1600 1600 1600 1600 1600 16	5.00 5.00 5.00 5.00 5.00 5.00 5.00 5.00	NW NNE NNE ENE ESE SSE SSW SSW	Land Land Sea Sea Sea Sea Sea Land Land Land	50 50 50 50 50 50 50 50 50 50 50	393 393 786 786 786 786 786 786 786 786 786 786

					FTELD VA	I UFS		MODEL	VALUES -	
Ru	n	Vent	Stack	Exit	Wind	Wind	Approach	Wind	Exhaust	
No		Site	Height	Speed	Speed	Dir.	Roughness	Speed	Flow	
			(ft)	(fpm)	mps@30m	(from)		cm/s@7.8	(ccs)	
	68	Bos-Fd	300	1600	5 0	WSW	Land	50	786	
	69	Bos-Ed.	300	1600	5.0	W	Land	50	786	
	70	Bos-Ed.	300	1600	5.0	WNW	Land	50	786	
	71	Bos-Ed.	300	1600	5.0	NW	Land	50	786	
	72	Bos-Ed.	300	1600	5.0	NNW	Land	50	786	
	73	Bos-Ed.	300	3200	5.0	NNE	Sea	50	1572	
	74	Bos-Ed.	300	3200	5.0	NE	Sea	50	15/2	
	15	Bos-Ed.	300	3200	5.0	ENE	Sea	50	1572	
	70	Bos-Ed.	300	3200	5.0		Sea	50	1572	
	78	Bos-Ed	300	3200	5.0	SE	Sea	50	1572	
	79	Bos-Ed.	300	3200	5.0	SSE	Land	50	1572	
	80	Bos-Ed.	300	3200	5.0	S	Land	50	1572	
	81	Bos-Ed.	300	3200	5.0	SSW	Land	50	1572	
	82	Bos-Ed.	300	3200	5.0	SW	Land	50	1572	
	83	Bos-Ed.	240	400	5.0	N	Land	50	196	
	84	Bos-Ed.	240	400	5.0	NNE	Sea	50	196	
	80	BOS-Ed.	240	400	5.0	FCF	Sea	50	190	
	87	Bos-Ed.	240	400	5.0	SE	Sea	50	196	
	88	Bos-Ed	240	400	5.0	SSE	Land	50	196	
	89	Bos-Ed.	240	400	5.0	S	Land	50	196	
	90	Bos-Ed.	240	400	5.0	SW	Land	50	196	
	91	Bos-Ed.	240	400	5.0	WSW	Land	50	196	
	92	Bos-Ed.	240	400	5.0	W	Land	50	196	
	93	Bos-Ed.	240	400	5.0	WNW	Land	50	196	
	94	Bos-Ed.	240	400	5.0	NW	Land	50	196	
	95	Bos-Ld.	240	400	5.0	NUM	Land	50	190	
	90	Bos-Ed.	240	800	5.0	NNE	Sea	50	393	
	98	Bos-Ed.	240	800	5.0	NE	Sea	50	393	
	99	Bos-Ed.	240	800	5.0	ENE	Sea	50	393	
1	00	Bos-Ed.	240	800	5.0	E	Sea	50	393	
1	01	Bos-Ed.	240	800	5.0	ESE	Sea	50	393	
1	02	Bos-Ed.	240	800	5.0	SE	Sea	- 50	393	
1	03	Bos-Ed.	240	800	5.0	SSE	Land	50	393	
1	04	Bos-Ed.	240	800	5.0	2 C C L	Land	50	393	
1	05	Bos-Ed.	240	800	5.0	SW	Land	50	393	
ī	07	Bos-Ed.	240	800	5.0	WSW	Land	50	393	
ī	08	Bos-Ed.	240	800	5.0	W	Land	50	393	
1	09	Bos-Ed.	240	800	5.0	WNW	Land	50	393	
1	10	Bos-Ed.	240	800	5.0	NW	Land	50	393	
1	11	Bos-Ed.	240	800	5.0	NNW	Land	50	393	
1	12	Bos-Ed.	240	1600	5.0	NNE	Land	50	785	970
1	1.5	Bos-Ed.	240	1600	5.0	NNE	Sea	50	786	
1	15	Bos-Ed	240	1600	5.0	ESE	Sea	50	786	
ī	16	Bos-Ed.	240	1600	5.0	SE	Sea	50	786	
ī	17	Bos-Ed.	240	1600	5.0	SSE	Land	50	786	
1	18	Bos-Ed.	240	1600	5.0	S	Land	50	786	
1	19	Bos-Ed.	240	1600	5.0	SW	Land	50	786	
1	20	Bos-Ed.	240	1600	5.0	WSW	Land	50	786	
1	21	Bos-Ed.	240	1600	5.0	W	Land	50	786	
1	22	Bos-Ed.	240	1600	5.0	NIL	Land	50	786	
1	23	Bos-Ed.	240	1600	5.0	NNW	Land	50	786	
1	25	Bos-Ed	240	3200	5.0	NNE	Sea	50	1572	
ī	26	Bos-Ed.	240	3200	5.0	NE	Sea	50	1572	
1	27	Bos-Ed.	240	3200	5.0	ENE	Sea	50	1572	
1	28	Bos-Ed.	240	3200	5.0	E	Sea	50	1572	
1	29	Bos-Ed.	240	3200	5.0	ESE	Sea	50	1572	
1	30	Bos-Ed.	240	3200	5.0	SE	Sea	50	1572	
1	31	Bos-Ed.	240	3200	5.0	SSE	Land	50	15/2	
1	33	Bos-Ed.	240	3200	5.0	200	Land	50	1572	
1	34	Bos-Ed	240	3200	5.0	SW	Land	50	1572	
-		200 Du.	240	5200	5.0	2.11	June	20		

Table 9 Concentration Test Conditions (continued)

Table 10 Concentration Results

Run No. = Point Description No.	X Y (ft) (Deg) (ft	к ¹	к ²	х ³	к ⁴	5 К^	б К^	7 K^	<mark>8</mark> К^	9 К^	10 K^	11 K^	12 K^	13 K^	14 K^	15 K^
 Sheraton Bldg (roof) Harbor Towers (plume ht.) Harbor Towers (pool) Boston Harbor Hotel US Customs Bldg (Street) Rowe's Wharf US Customs Bldg (roof) Northern Ave. & Sleeper St. Victoria Station Rest. Farnsworth Street SE Children's Museum Congress Street Boston Tea Party Museum S (Necco St.) Congress ST. & Dorchester Ave Dorchester Ave. & Summer ST. Stone & Webster Bldg. Fed Reserve intake # 3 O Stearns Perry & Smith Co. South Station Fed Reserve (Street) Dewey Square (roof) Dewey Square (Street) Keystone Bldg (Intake) Bedg betw High St. & Matthews Western Union Bldg Road House 125 High Street Bldg. New Fire House New Fire House Mik ST.) State Street Bank Bldg. 	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	45 107 1019 20876 7787 16594 7755 0 0 5597 123 0 0 0 5597	0 4 385 136 935 2646 965 15 405 4 15 405 4 1 6	2 10 8 1623 1803 2128 1310 5926 137 8842 2155 6 0 0 0 0 0	2 4 1031 25 401 119 631 739 841 50 1 0 0 0 0	278 909 1701 861 5233 5347 9297	28 2560 250 58 218 640 702	11 56 296 227 1805 3533 11 1741 30 0 3	0 6 15 240 20 256 127 0 48 0 1 0	2 0 1013 169 866 265 1962 248 3241 391 0 0 0 0 0 0	0 0 380 9 43 2 47 1553 8 4 7 1553 8 4 7 0 0 0 0 0	50 776 751 920 2267 2284 4843	11 2521 202 1436 22 231 135	21 0 155 185 631 883 1642 3398 5402 3398 5402 3342 10 1471 46 8 8 8 0 0 29 3	12 0 28 70 2064 229 1161 1998 1133 10 473 17 0 0 0 0 2 6	0 0 529 2486 1847 1200 2308 233 1992 893 1105 200 193 121 0
38 21 Story Tower 39 Oliver St. & High St. 40 Shops on Purchase & Olive 41 Bldg on India & Milk (Roof) 42 International Place (Street) 43 International Place (Intake) 44 Bldg. on Broad & High (Roof) 45 N (Atlantic Ave.)	650 324 23 850 324 329 7 1625 340 16 510 348 600 350 4 975 353 8 1970 358 1970 358 1970 358	2 2 2 2 2				2 18 5 0 5 171	1 6 2 0 7 109					0 14 3 0 5 104	0 14 8 0 5 346			

note $K^{*} = (\chi U/Q) * 10^{9} [ft^{-2}]$

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Table	11	Concentration	Results	(continued)
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Run No. = Point Description No.	X (ft)	Y (Deg)	Z (ft)	16 K^	17 K^	18 K^	19 K^	20 K^	21 K^	22 K^	23 K^	24 K^	25 K^	26 K^	27 K^	28 K^	29 K^	30 K^
 Sheraton Bldg (roof) Harbor Towers (plume ht.) Harbor Towers (pool) Boston Harbor Hotel US Customs Bldg (Street) Rowe's Wharf US Customs Bldg (roof) Northern Ave. & Sleeper St. Victoria Station Rest. Farnsworth Street SE Children's Museum Congress Street Boston Tea Party Museum S (Necco St.) Congress ST. & Dorchester Ave Dorchester Ave. & Summer ST. Stone & Webster Bldg. 	0 1250 1175 760 390 1075 450 840 760 1250 1250 1250 1250 1400 640 640 1970 710 1025 1140	0 12 15 21 22 31 32 96 123 135 135 135 141 152 172 180 200 202 213	203 240 0 89 140 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0		0 4192 9367 16694 4620 607 1629	12 7764 416 108 77 16 42	8 2 8 24 30 227	6 2 0 3 16	5 30 0 0	4 0 1 0	0 7660 4188 7394 519 181 101	0 5745 40 21 24 0 13	29 0 0 0 0 0 2 24 1022 1227 2117 583	18 32 51 100 113 1826 9751	19 2 24 51 227	16 2 14 24 16	24 27 0	34 3
<pre>19 Fed Reserve intake # 3 20 Stearns Perry & Smith Co. 21 South Station 22 Fed Reserve Intake # 2 23 South Station (Street) 24 Dewey Square (roof) 25 Dewey Square (Street) 26 Fed Reserve (Street) 27 Keystone Bldg (Intake) 28 Keystone Bldg (Street) 29 Bldg betw High St. & Matthews 30 Western Union Bldg 31 Road House 32 125 High Street Bldg 33 New England T & T 34 New Fire House 35 NW (Milk ST.) 36 State Street Bank Bldg. 37 Oliver St. & Franklin St. 38 21 Story Tower 39 Oliver St. & High St. 40 Shops on Purchase & Olive 41 Bldg on India & Milk (Roof) 42 International Place (Street) 43 International Place (Intake)</pre>	920 440 1225 960 1200 1536 1220 630 775 780 970 640 630 1075 450 1125 650 850 450 1625 510 600	230 233 235 240 247 247 248 269 275 277 281 294 297 307 308 315 320 324 329 340 340 350	538 100 93 98 0 610 0 192 0 412 187 40 226 365 24 365 24 0 230 0 71 164 0 22 24	266 238 371 232 508 1345 417 29 272 4	0 482 0 0	0 11 0	1631 321 1784 3270 1751 46 744 6 8 2 0 2 8 0 0	6159 25 466 647 383 58 115 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	441 399 703 335 732 6155 756 94 754 35 10 112 34 3 3	186 14 71 38 56 27211 57 2 23 4 0 1 0 1	3 153 0	0 0 0 0	0 45 38 0 0 0	5 1067 1765 855 1743 316 16 37 158 8 11 30 13	296 1787 4340 8358 3177 1526 18 5 34 2 6 27 6	720 371 863 152 1821 257 2902 682 682 682 65 5 6 10 8	29 18 26 16 73 933 1065 70 292 24 21 18 0 16 0 96 0 0	14 5 8 10 89 447 454 3578 580 4714 6815 3355 1794 10 5979 35 2355 10 3 3 3 0 5 0
44 Bldg. on Broad & High (Roof) 45 N (Atlantic Ave.)	975	353 358	82 0		272 2450	1 524					86 1259	0 228						2 11

Table	12	Concentration	Results	(continued)

Run No. = Point Description No.	X Y Z (ft) (Deg) (ft)	31 K^	32 K^	33 K^	34 K^	35 K^	36 K^	37 K^	38 K^	39 K^	40 K^	41 K^	42 K^	43 K^	44 K^	45 K^
<pre>1 Sheraton Bldg (roof) 2 Harbor Towers (plume ht.) 3 Harbor Towers (pool) 4 Boston Harbor Hotel 5 US Customs Bldg (Street) 6 Rowe's Wharf 7 US Customs Bldg (roof) 8 Northern Ave. & Sleeper St. 9 Victoria Station Rest. 10 Farnsworth Street 11 SE 12 Children's Museum 13 Congress Street 14 Boston Tea Party Museum 15 S (Necco.St.) 16 Congress ST. & Dorchester Ave 17 Dorchester Ave. & Summer ST. 18 Stone & Webster Bldg. 19 Fed Reserve intake # 3 20 Stearns Perry & Smith Co. 21 South Station 22 Fed Reserve Intake # 2 23 South Station (Street) 24 Dewey Square (roof) 25 Dewey Square (Street) 26 Fed Reserve (Street) 27 Keystone Bldg (Intake) 28 Keystone Bldg (Street) 29 Bldg betw High St. & Matthews 30 Western Union Bldg 31 Road House 32 125 High Street Bldg 33 New England T & T 34 New Fire House 35 NW (Milk ST.) 36 State Street Bank Bldg. 37 Oliver St. & Franklin St. 38 21 Story Tower 39 Oliver St. & High St. 40 Shops on Purchase & Olive 41 Bldg on India & Milk (Roof) 42 International Place (Intake) 44 Bldg. on Broad & High (Roof) 45 N (Atlantic Ave.)</pre>	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\begin{array}{c} 2\\ 0\\ 0\\ 0\\ 2\\ 0\\ 2\\ 0\\ 2\\ 0\\ 11\\ 2\\ 0\\ 3\\ 21\\ 101\\ 59\\ 1150\\ 97\\ 1165\\ 2958\\ 7364\\ 4655\\ 2233\\ 3300\\ 1257\\ 166\\ 1193\\ 5\\ 16\\ 2\\ 0\\ 0\\ 0\\ 0\\ 0\\ 0\\ 0\\ 0\\ 0\\ 0\\ 0\\ 0\\ 0\\$	19 0 24 5 0 0 13 13 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	163 2538 1310 1292 67 18 275 18 275 11 16 14 15 24 18 19 13 65 43 27 267 35 125 2917	193 1816 580 1252 1748 1907 3307 80 19 10 10 13 14 214 14 30 222 18 35 147	267 19 113 131 305 1361 903 86 35 26 6 5 11 10 27 14 11 27 24 26	2040 5 18 48 70 165 54 11 0 11 8 13 5 3 6 5 5 10 18 18 13 5 10 10 11 8 10 5 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10	1355 0 0 21 137 19 2610 109 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	78 59 0 16 377 361 149 27 120 0 0	54 10 45 1136 1602 748 2182 1589 8 9 494 19	35 0 19 21 1310 1712 105 0 62 0	15 4 5 4 26 12117 581 181 3 6 4 13 3 3 3 3 3	1 7 111 0 161 3268 5 114 546 153 442 13 112 6 1 5 61 3 10 18 25	10 0 8 22 228 351 192 1340 1919 720 0 373 2 38 0 4 4 12 7	7006 137559 3178446 11551115 11552 2	2 3 0 6 2 15 97 103 1533 9 409 1 1 1 1 0 116 0 0

Table	13	Concentration	Results	(continued)
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Run No. = Point Description No.	X Y (ft) (Deg) (f	Z K^	47 K^	48 K^	49 K^	50 K^	51 K^	52 K^	53 K^	54 K^	55 K^	56 K^	57 K^	58 K^	59 K^	60 K^
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FIGURES



Figure 1 Environmental Wind Tunnel



Figure 2 Boston-Edison model site on a map of Boston



Figure 3 Boston-Edison Model Site Picture



Figure 4 Boston-Edison Vent Building, Configuration 2B with 240 foot high stacks



Figure 5 Boston-Edison Vent Building, Configuration 2B with 300 high stacks



Figure 6 J. Hook Vent Building with 240 High Stacks



Figure 7 J. Hook Vent Building with 300 foot High Stacks

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Figure 8 Atlantic Vent Building with 240 foot High Stacks



Figure 9 Appraiser Vent Building with 240 foot High Stacks



Figure 10 Mean Velocity Profiles for Profiles 1 and 2



Figure 11 Turbulent Intensity Profiles for Profiles 1 and 2



Figure 12 Mean Velocity Profiles for Profiles 3 and 4



Figure 13 Turbulent Intensity Profiles for Profiles 3 and 4



Figure 14 Mean Velocity Profiles for Profiles 5, 6, 7 and 8



Figure 15 Turbulent Intensity Profiles for Profiles 5, 6, 7 and $\boldsymbol{8}$



Figure 16 Mean Velocity Profiles for Profiles 9, 10, 11 and 12



Figure 17 Turbulent Intensity Profiles for Profiles 9, 10, 11 and 12



Figure 18 Concentration Sample Location on a Site Map of the City of Boston



Figure 19 Wind Tunnel Gas Release and Sampling Schematic



Figure 20 Influence of stack height on sampler concentrations



Figure 21 Influence of stack exhaust velocity on sampler concentrations



Figure 22 Influence of wind direction on sampler concentrations, N through $\ensuremath{\mathsf{ESE}}$



Figure 23 Influence of wind direction on sampler concentrations, SE through WSW $\,$


Figure 24 Influence of wind direction on sampler concentrations, $\ensuremath{\mathbb{W}}$ through NNW