



SUMMARY OF

"State Equation of General Diffusion System Using Network Concepts and Theory of System Parameter Identification"

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Introduction

A general diffusion system consisting of conduction, transmission and advection can be systematically modelled in the form of a state-equation using this Network Concepts. In the previous paper,¹⁾ analytical time integration scheme by projective representation giving exact solutions for simulations was proposed, and it was proved that the eigenvalues of the system have negative real parts. In the present paper, the inverse problem or the system parameter identification problem are solved generally. The system parameters are estimated from observational data of state and input variables.

State equation

Extended conductance is defined, including not only conduction and transmission but also advections.

Then between nodes i and j , extended conductance $C_{ij} = C_{ji}$, and C_{ij} by advection has a property of asymmetry $C_{ij} = g$, $C_{ji} = 0$, when flow rate from node j to i is g . Capacity of node i is m_{ii} , x_i , x_j are states of nodes i and j respectively representing temperature or concentration in case of j th generator among n_g and it represents solar radiation component or gas generator, and γ_{ij} , is free input ratio from g_j to node i , then the i th node equilibrium equation can be written as $egn(1)$. In case of obtaining lumped parameter system by finite difference method or control volume method, this equation should be replaced by

$$\sum_{j=1}^n m_{ij} \cdot \dot{x}_j$$

Anyway, detailed explanation of uniting or standardizing theory of all lumped parametrization methods is



described in another paper²).

$$M_{ii} \cdot \dot{\chi}_i = \sum_{j=1}^{n+no} C_{ij} \cdot \chi_j - \sum_{j=1}^{n+no} C_{ji} \cdot \chi_i + \sum_{j=1}^{ng} \gamma_{ij} \cdot g_j \quad (1)$$

Above equation has somewhat unfamiliar form, but this can be rewritten into comprehensible form eqn(2), using the law of mass balance eqn (3).

$$M_{ii} \cdot \dot{\chi}_i = \sum_{j=1}^{n+no} C_{ij} \cdot (\chi_j - \chi_i) + \sum_{j=1}^{ng} \gamma_{ij} \cdot g_j \quad (2)$$

$$\sum_{j=1}^{n+no} C_{ij} = \sum_{j=1}^{n+no} C_{ji} \quad (3)$$

In which n is the order of the system and equals to number of state dependent nodes, no is exogenous state independent of the nodes number. The state equation can be constituted by eqn(1) automatically, defining state vector $\chi = {}^t(g_1, \dots, g_{ng})$.

$$M \cdot \dot{\chi} = \dot{C} \cdot \chi + C_0 \cdot \chi_0 + R \cdot g \quad (4)$$

Consequently, system parameters to be identified are above M_{ij} , C_{ij} , γ_{ij} , and the observational states and inputs are χ , χ_0 and g , where m_{ij} denotes the $i + h$ row and $j + h$ column element of capacity matrix of M .

Measured equation for system parameters

Vector m is defined that containing parameters M_{ij} in arbitrary element order, vector C for C_{ij} , and vector γ for γ_{ij} in a similar manner. The law of mass conservation (3), or constraints from the symmetry of conduction $C_{ij} = C_{ji}$ exists among the elements of vector C , therefore linear dependence

$$C = I_- \cdot C_m \quad (5)$$

can be made by partial vector C_m in C . Matrix I_- will be called reducing matrix of C . Elements of matrix I_- are $-1, 0$, or 1 , and this can be mathematically proved. Note that this constraint plays very important role, because characteristic of eigenvalue's negative real part is brought from it. Furthermore another reducing matrix can be defined to obtain more primal parameters such as con-



ductivity, and derived from known system parameters to the left side, eqn(6) can be obtained.

$$y(t) = -\tilde{M} \cdot \dot{\chi} + [\tilde{C}, \tilde{C}_0] \begin{matrix} \chi \\ \chi_0 \end{matrix} + \tilde{R} \cdot g \quad (6)$$

The equation can be transformed into the explicit form for M, C_m, γ as eqn(7).

$$y(t) = D(\chi_i) \cdot m + X(\chi_i) \cdot L \cdot C_m + G(g_j) \cdot \gamma \quad (7)$$

Above transformation can be implemented automatically by general algorithm on the basis of network formulation. Where \sim represents remaining matrix after known parameters leaving for left side. Thus some of all parameters are needed to be given for the identification. In the actual situation, there are many cases of given parameters, such as multi-cell's volume in measuring air flows³⁾.

Egn.(7) can be made simply reduced to eqn(8).

$$Y(t) = Z(t) \cdot a \quad (8)$$

Where definitions $Z(t) = [D(\chi_i), X(\chi_i) \cdot L, G(g_j)]$, and $t_a = (t_M, t_{C_m}, t_{\sim})$ are used. Now $y(t)$ will be called measurement vector, $X(t)$ will be called measurement matrix, and eqn.(8) will be called measurement equation for system parameters. Vector a will be called system parameters vector.

System parameters estimation

Error vector $e(t)$ of measurement equation is represented by eqn.(9). Then the evaluating function of $e(t)$ can be defined by a time integration of quadratic form for the period $[0, T]$ such as eqn.(10).

$$e(t) = Y(t) - Z(t) \cdot a \quad (9)$$

$$JJ_s(a) = \int_0^t e(t) \cdot W(t) \cdot e(t) dt = \sum_{j=1}^j \int_{(j-1)\Delta t}^{j\Delta t} e(t) \cdot W(t) \cdot e(t) dt \quad (10)$$

Where right side is eqn.(10), the integration for $[0, T]$ is divided into short periods of Δt , an $W(t)$ is providing unbiased estimate of Markov-Estimate, and the calculation of $W(t)$ will be described later. Finite differenti-



ating the egn.(10) for the purpose of digital computing availability, the approximated evaluating function becomes egn.(11).

$$J(a) = \sum_{j=1}^p \frac{1}{\Delta t^2} e_j \cdot W_j \cdot e_j = \sum_{j=1}^p \frac{1}{\Delta t^2} \cdot (y_j - z_j \cdot a) \cdot W_j \cdot (y_j - z_j \cdot a) \quad (11)$$

Minimizing condition of $J(a)$ by a is egn.(12), and after little manipulation, the estimation of a , can be solved as egn.(12).

$$\frac{\partial J}{\partial a} = 0 \quad (12)$$

$$a = \left(\sum_{j=1}^p z_j \cdot W_j \cdot z_j \right)^{-1} \cdot \left(\sum_{j=1}^p z_j \cdot W_j \cdot y_j \right) \quad (13)$$

Λ_0 is co-variance matrix of measurement equation's error caused by observational Gaussian Noise and is expressed by egn.(14). Weighting matrix W_j is therefore given by egn.(15).

$$\Lambda_0 = M \cdot \text{diag}(\tau_{\chi n} \cdot \tau_{\chi n}) \cdot {}^t M + [C, C_0] \cdot \text{diag}(\tau_{\chi n + n_0}) \cdot {}^t [C, C_0] + R \cdot \text{diag}(\tau_g \cdot \tau_g) \cdot {}^t R \quad (14)$$

$$W_j = \begin{bmatrix} j \Delta t & -1 \\ \int \Lambda_0 dt & \\ -(j-1)\Delta t & \end{bmatrix} \quad (15)$$

Where defining $\tau_{\chi i}$ as standard deviation of observational noise in χ_i , and $\tau_{g i}$ as in g_i , so the vectors $\tau_{\chi n}$, $\tau_{\chi n + n_0}$ and $\tau_g = {}^t(\tau_{g1}, \dots, \tau_{g_{ng}})$. Error transmission structure, described by egn.(14), is using egn.(13) requires iteration process to convergence, when Markov-Estimate should be implemented. But in many actual situations, those standard deviations of noise are unknown, best fit estimation could be used for practical use, substituting W_j as a mere unit matrix. In this case, no iterations is needed, and calculation can be completed in one step.



Recursive identification

Now matrix A_k is defined by egn.(16), employing Woodbury's matrix inversion lemma⁴), egn.(17) is obtained.

$$A_k^{-1} = \sum_{j=1}^k Z_j \cdot W_j \cdot Z_j^t = A_{k-1}^{-1} + Z_k \cdot W_k \cdot Z_k^t \quad (16)$$

$$A_k = A_{k-1} - A_{k-1} \cdot Z_k \cdot (W_k^{-1} + Z_k \cdot A_{k-1} \cdot Z_k^t)^{-1} \cdot Z_k \cdot A_{k-1} \quad (17)$$

The egn.(13) is transformed using egn.(17), the time discrete system for a can be deduced to egn.(18). This is a time varying system. Transition matrix Φ and driving matrix β of the system are represented by egn.(19) and egn.(20) respectively.

$$\alpha_k = \Phi_{k-1}^k + \beta_k \cdot Y_k \quad (18)$$

$$\Phi_k = E_a - A_{k-1} \cdot Z_k \cdot (W_k^{-1} + Z_k \cdot A_{k-1} \cdot Z_k^t)^{-1} \cdot Z_k^t \cdot A_{k-1}^{-1} \quad (19)$$

$$\beta_k = A_k \cdot Z_k \cdot W_k^t \quad (20)$$

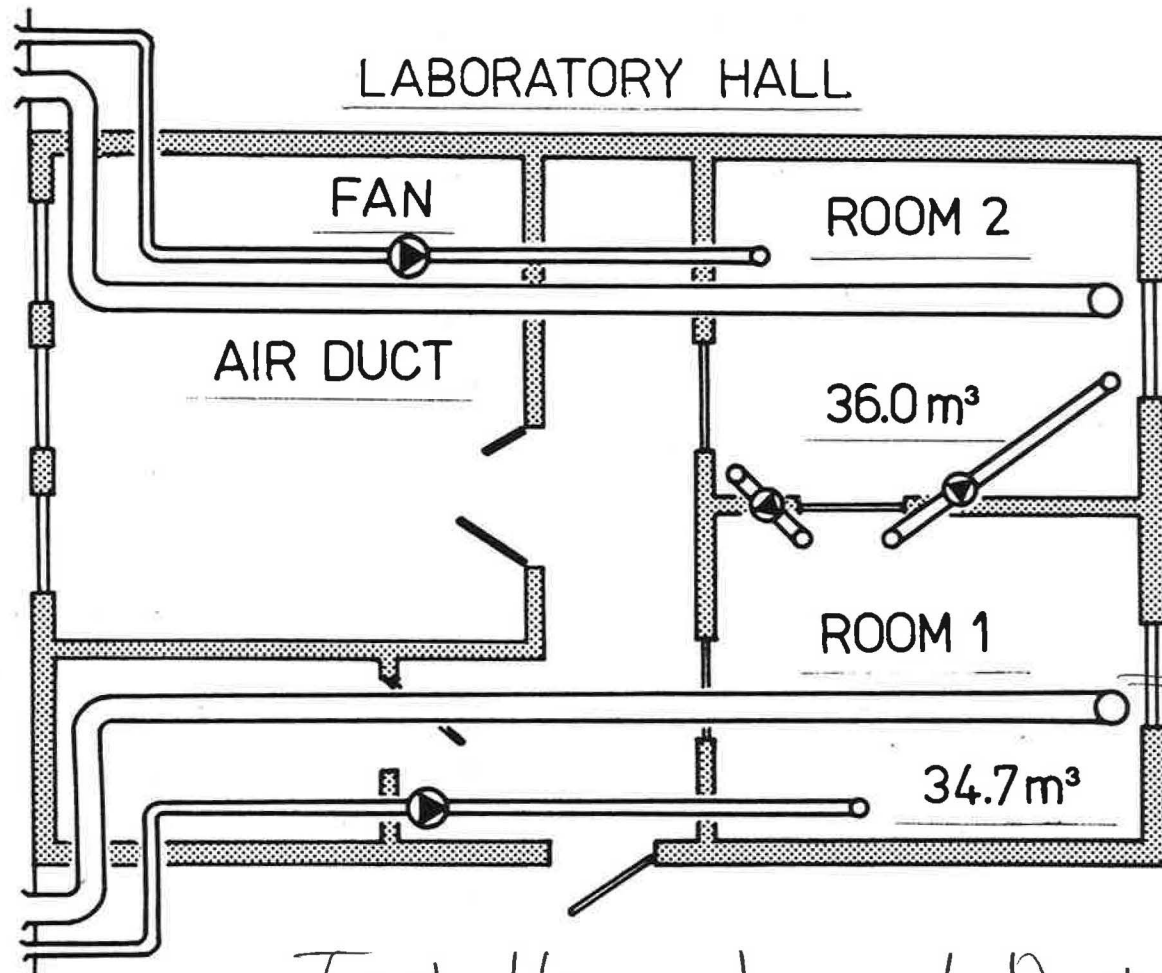
Where matrix E_a is a unit matrix sized a , and initial A_0 must be set to E_a . Matrix W_k always should be set to unit matrix E_n in the "Recursive identification" implementing process using eqns.(18), (17), (19) and (20).

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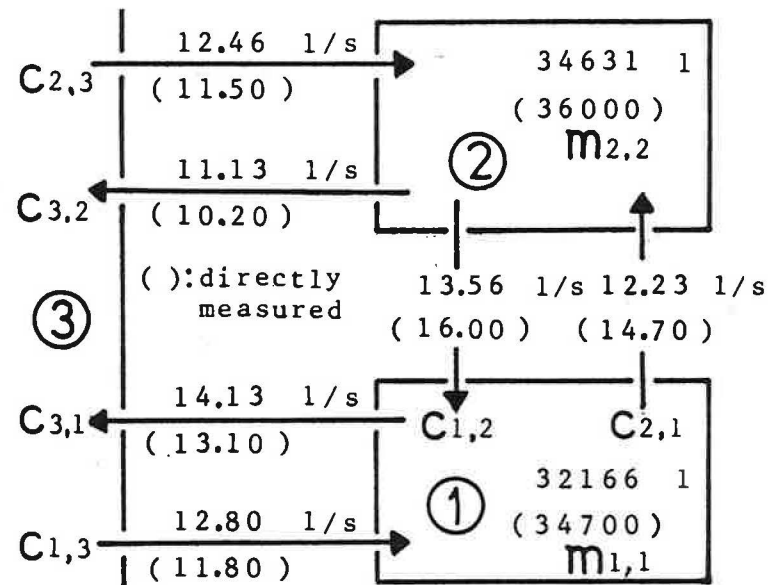
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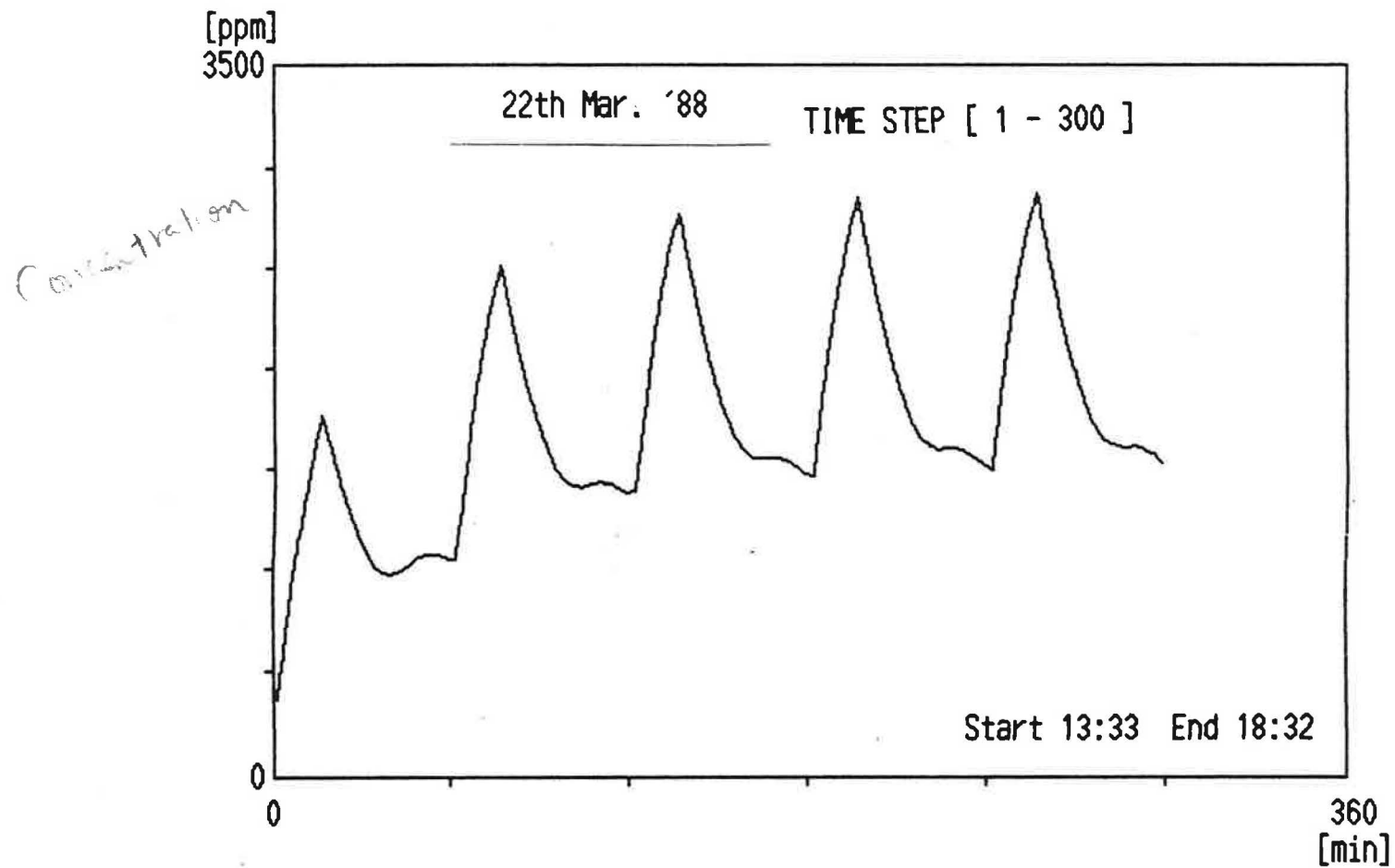
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Batch Identification Results

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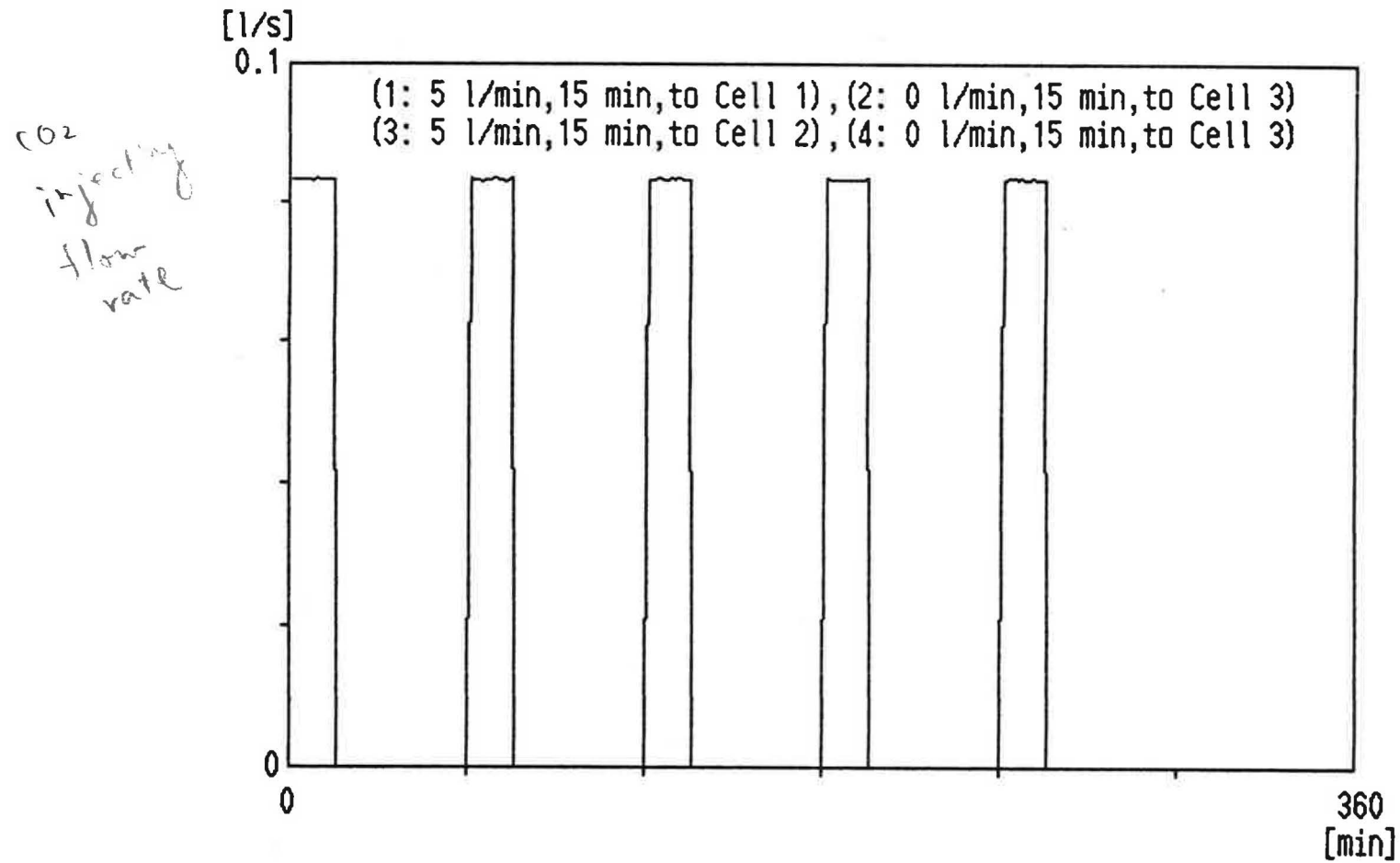
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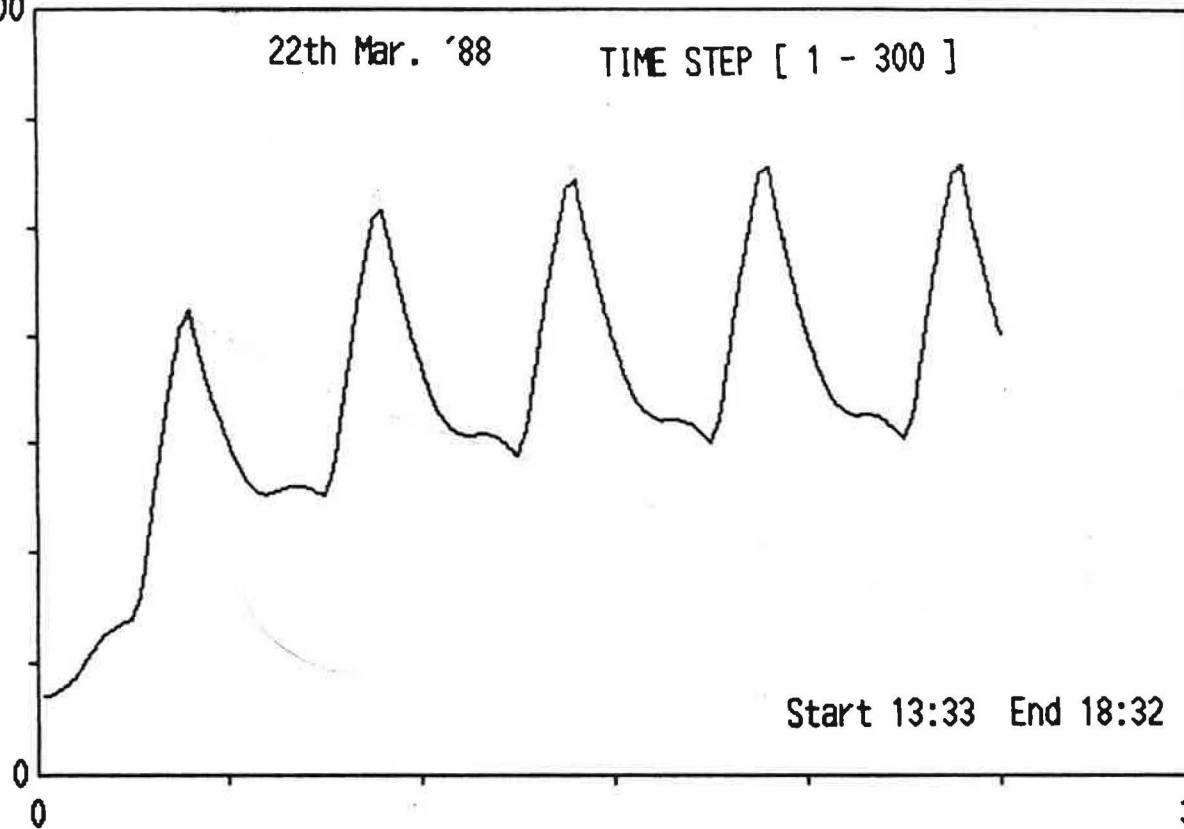
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m 2,2	2432.1 l
c 3,2	3.464 1/s
c 3,1	3.489 1/s
c 2,3	1.494 1/s
c 2,1	2.939 1/s
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c 1,2	1.773 1/s

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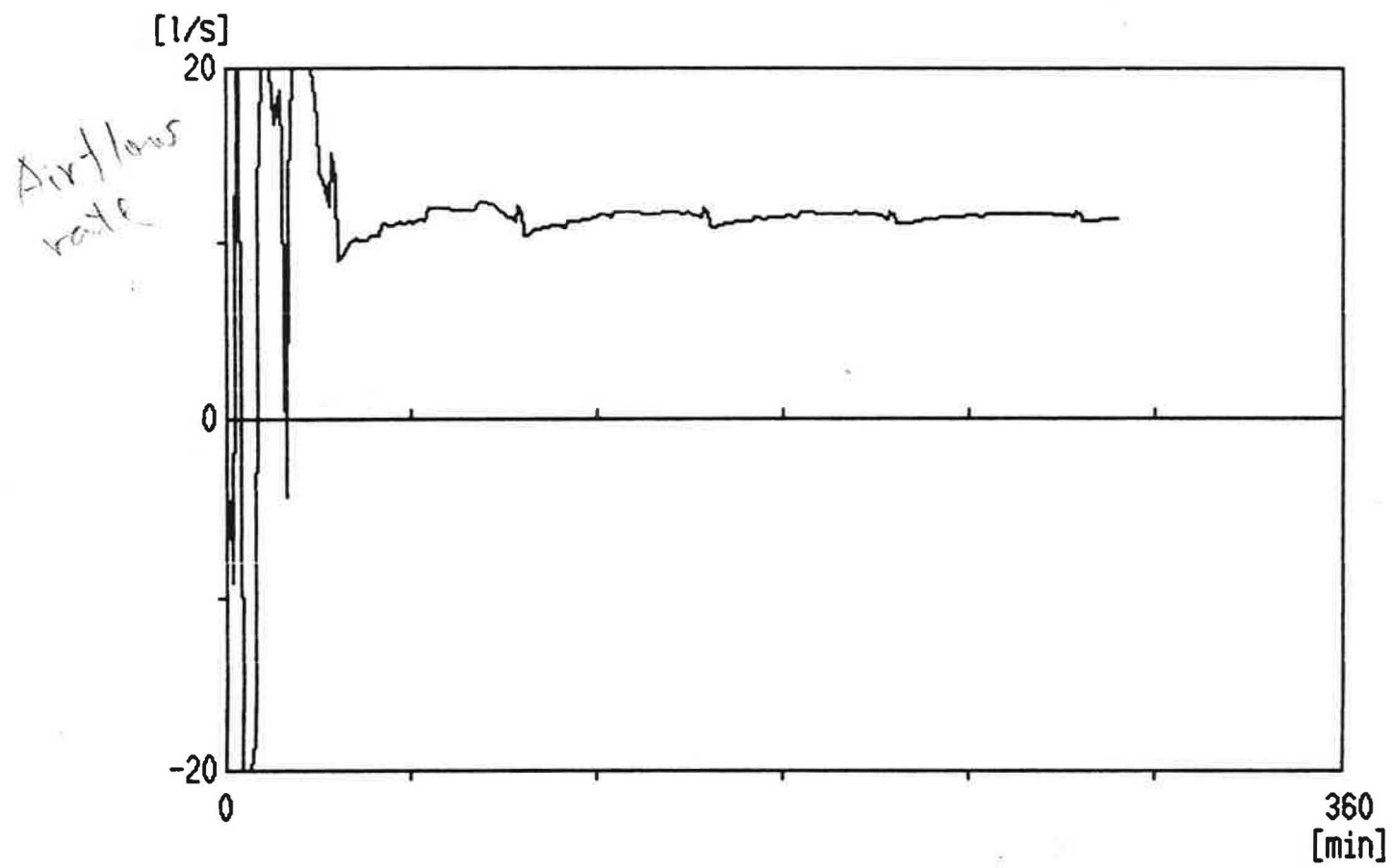
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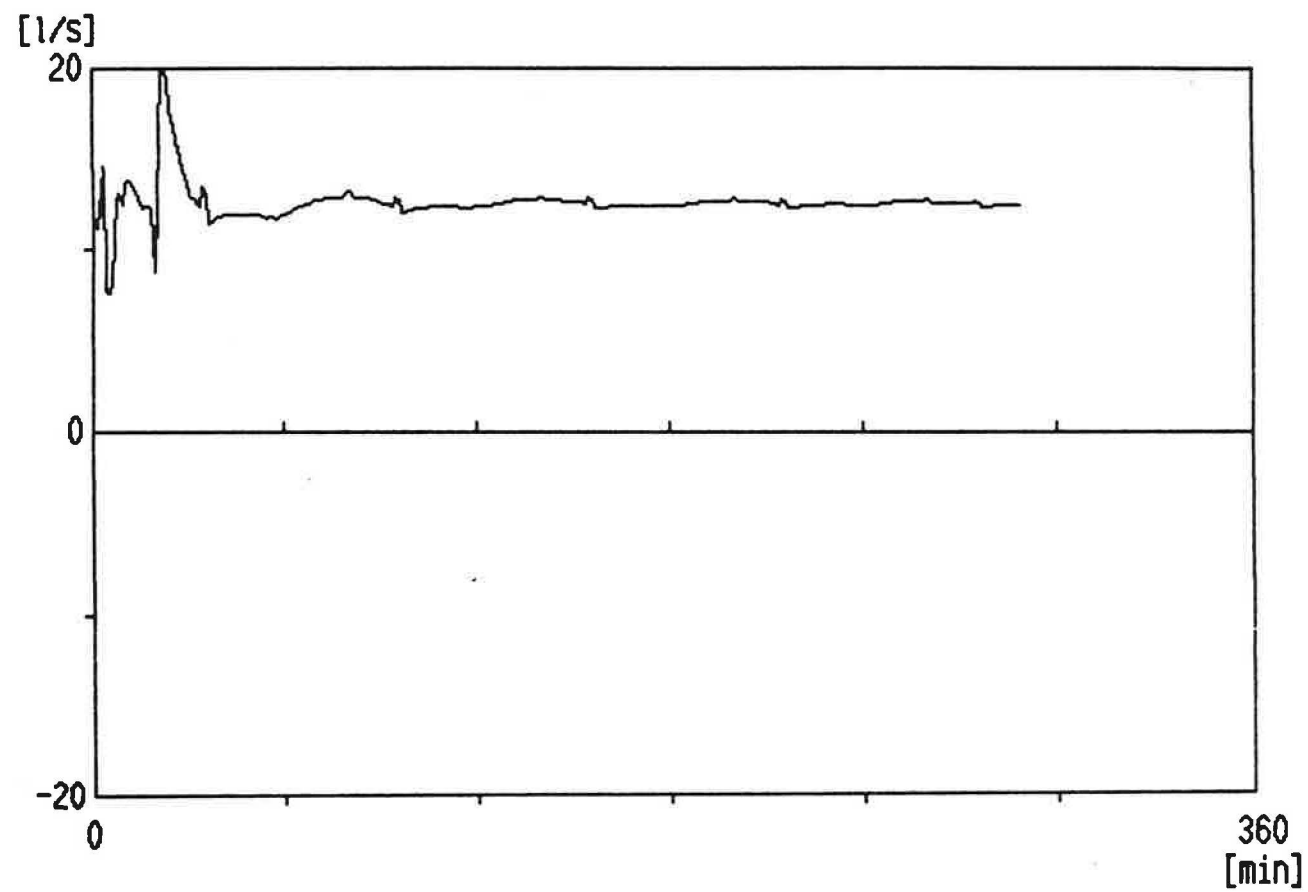
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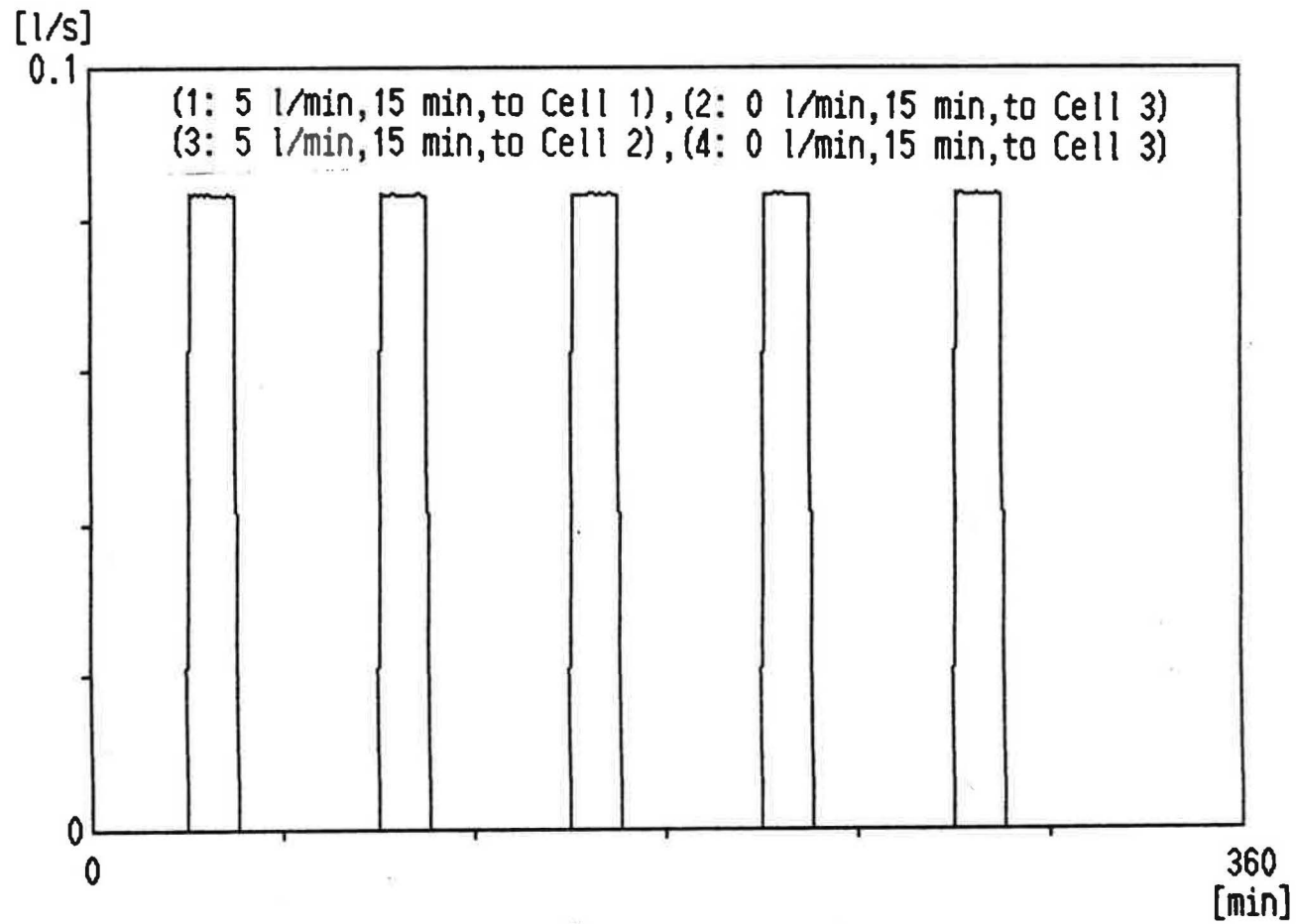


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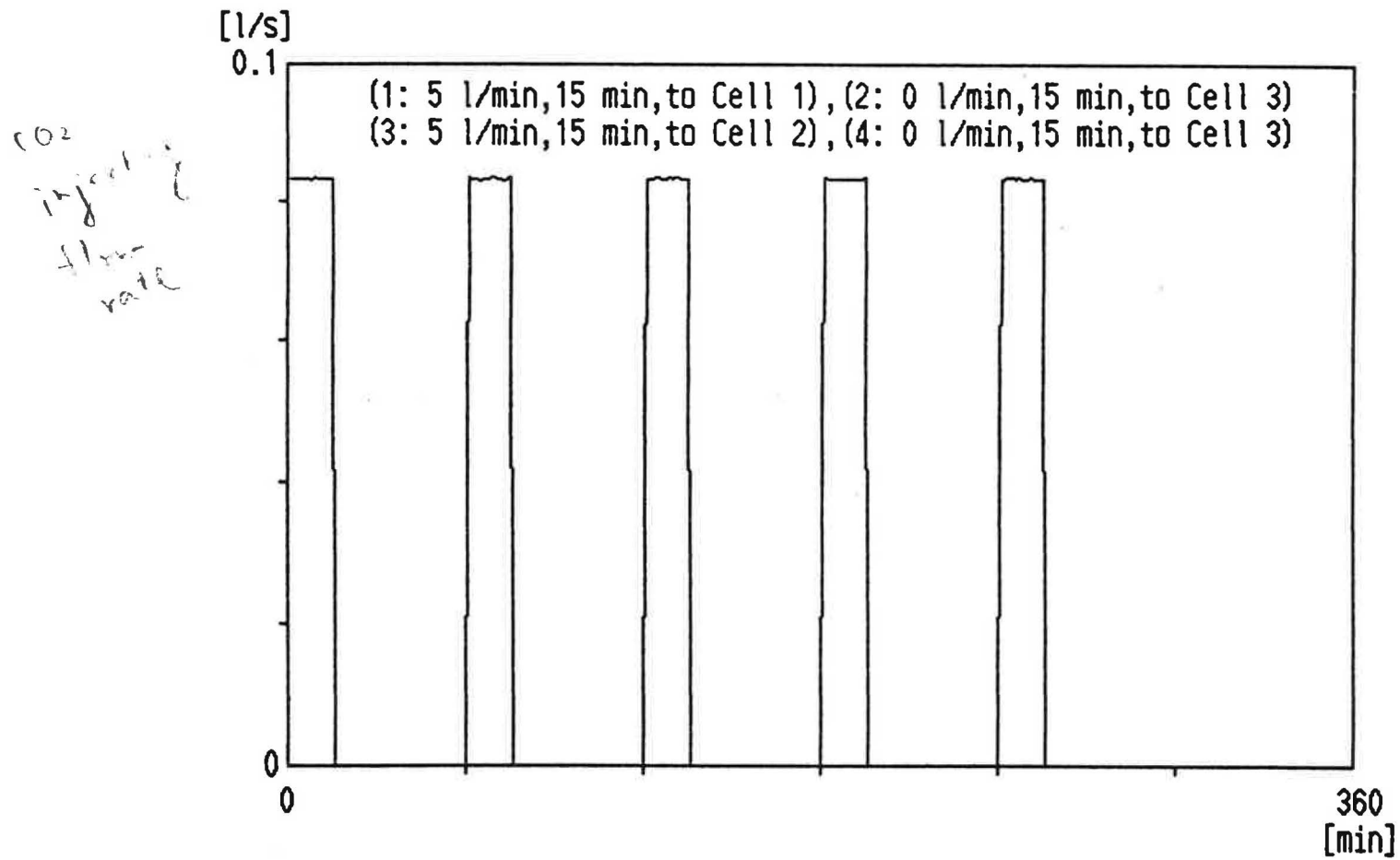
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