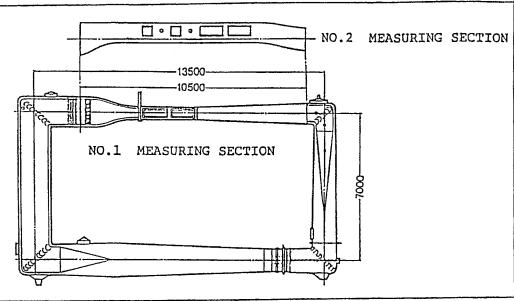
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CAVITATION TUNNEL (1984)



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DESCRIPTION OF FACILITY: Vertical closed recirculation

No.1 measuring section: 600mm x 600mm No.2 measuring section: 850mm x 1,200mm

TYPE OF DRIVE SYSTEM: 4-bladed axial flow impeller with

thyrister leonard control

TOTAL MOTOR POWER:

120 kW, +380 ~ -190 rpm

WORKING SECTION MAX. VELOCITY: No. 1 measuring section 14 m/s

No. 2 measuring section 5 m/s

MAX. & MIN. ABS. PRESSURES: 200 kPa, 10 kPa

CAVITATION NUMBER: d > 0.2

INSTRUMENTATION: No.1 propeller dynamometer

strain gauge/downstream-type, positions and shaft rake

angle controllable

max. thrust ±1961 N, max. torque ±98 Nm

No.2 propeller dynamometer

strain gauge/inboard-type

max. thrust ±1177 N, max. torque ±39 Nm

Traverse system for wake survey Underwater noise measuring system

Laser doppler velocimeter Mini. computer system

for the control of test condition, data processing and

measuring devices

PROPELLER SIZE: Standard 250 mm diameter

DUMMY MODEL SIZE: Standard length 3 m

TEST PERFORMED: Cavitation tests in uniform and non-uniform flow.

Measurements of propeller forces, velocity field, hull

surface pressure, underwater noise and gas content.

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