

A STUDY OF DIFFRACTION CHANNELS

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ABSTRACT

A diffraction channel is a series of identical confocal lenses equipped with opaque diaphragms which have light transmitting annuli. The work in this thesis is a study of the properties of diffraction channels and an investigation into their possible use by a scanning process for "hyperresolution" - resolution beyond the Rayleigh limit. Since the object to be resolved can be considered as an infinite set of point sources, the problem was studied by investigating how diffraction patterns are formed through the system for a point source on axis and off axis. Analytical expressions, numerical calculations and photographs of diffraction patterns obtained experimentally are presented to illustrate certain properties of diffraction channels. Two systems were designed, constructed and studied both theoretically and experimentally for their hyperresolving properties.

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CHAPTER 1

1.1 Introduction

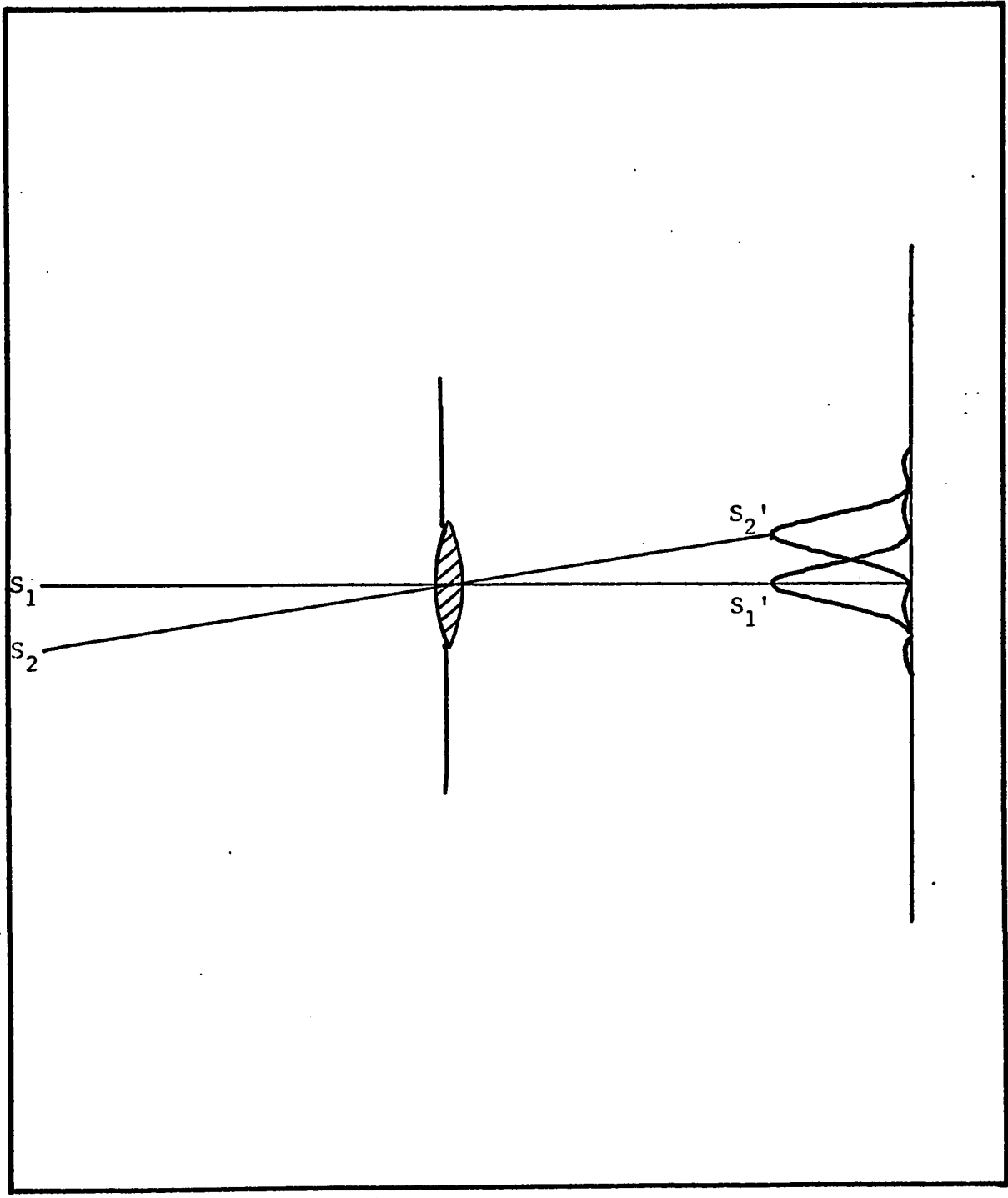
Whenever coherent light is transmitted through any diaphragm, it cannot be focused to a point but instead gives a diffraction pattern in which the central spot has a certain finite size inversely proportional to the size of the diaphragm. For the special case of an aberration free lens limited by a circular diaphragm, the image of a point source is a diffraction pattern known as the "Airy pattern". The Airy patterns of two point sources will not be resolved if the distance separating them is less than the radius of the central spot. Lord Rayleigh stated that two equally bright point sources could just be resolved by an optical system if the centre of one Airy pattern coincided with the first dark ring of the other. This condition is illustrated in figure 1.1

For quite some time it was widely accepted that this condition represented a fundamental limit to the resolution of an optical system and to resolve beyond the classical limit was a hopeless task. Recently, certain authors have found that it is in principle possible to surpass the limit of resolution set by the Rayleigh criterion. Toraldo di Francia (1952) stated, "... the classical limit of $1.22 \lambda/D$, which has always been accepted as a theoretical limit, proved to be instead only a practical limit. Theoretically an optical instrument with a pupil of a given size can attain as high a resolving power as desired. The only limitation, if any, is set by the amount of luminous flux that we have at our disposal."

Other authors, for example Harris (1963), Barnes (1965), and Goodman (1968), have also shown that diffraction imposes a resolution limit determined by the noise of the system. Thus, the Rayleigh limit of resolution is of a practical, rather than a theoretical nature.

Some authors have had some success in the practical aspects of the problem by altering the transmission properties of the pupil. Using a series of light transmitting annuli, Toraldo di Francia (1952) was able to make the radius of the first dark ring of the image of a point source arbitrarily small and simultaneously, the dark ring zone arbitrarily large. However, this improvement was accompanied by an increase in the luminous energy outside this dark zone. Furthermore, for any substantial improvement in the resolution, the efficiency of the superresolving pupil would be poor and the tolerances on the radii would be severe. Boivin (1969) have used flux selectors to suppress the outer rings of the Airy pattern at the sacrifice of a slight increase in the size of the central spot. This resulted in a very noticeable improvement in the resolving power for point sources as objects. A similar result was also obtained by Lansraux (1965) with the use of amplitude filters instead of flux selectors.

Part of the work in this thesis is an investigation into "hyper-resolution" - resolution beyond the classical limit. The method is new in its approach and it is necessary to present a brief description of the optical system before explaining its operation. The image formed by a conventional optical system is transmitted through an optical system called a Diffraction Channel consisting of identical confocal lenses (i.e. lenses spaced a distance equal to twice their focal length) limited by circular diaphragms or light transmitting annuli as illustrated in figure 1.2.



INTENSITY DISTRIBUTIONS OF THE POINT SOURCES S_1 and S_2

figure 1.1 Lord Rayleigh Criterion of Resolution.

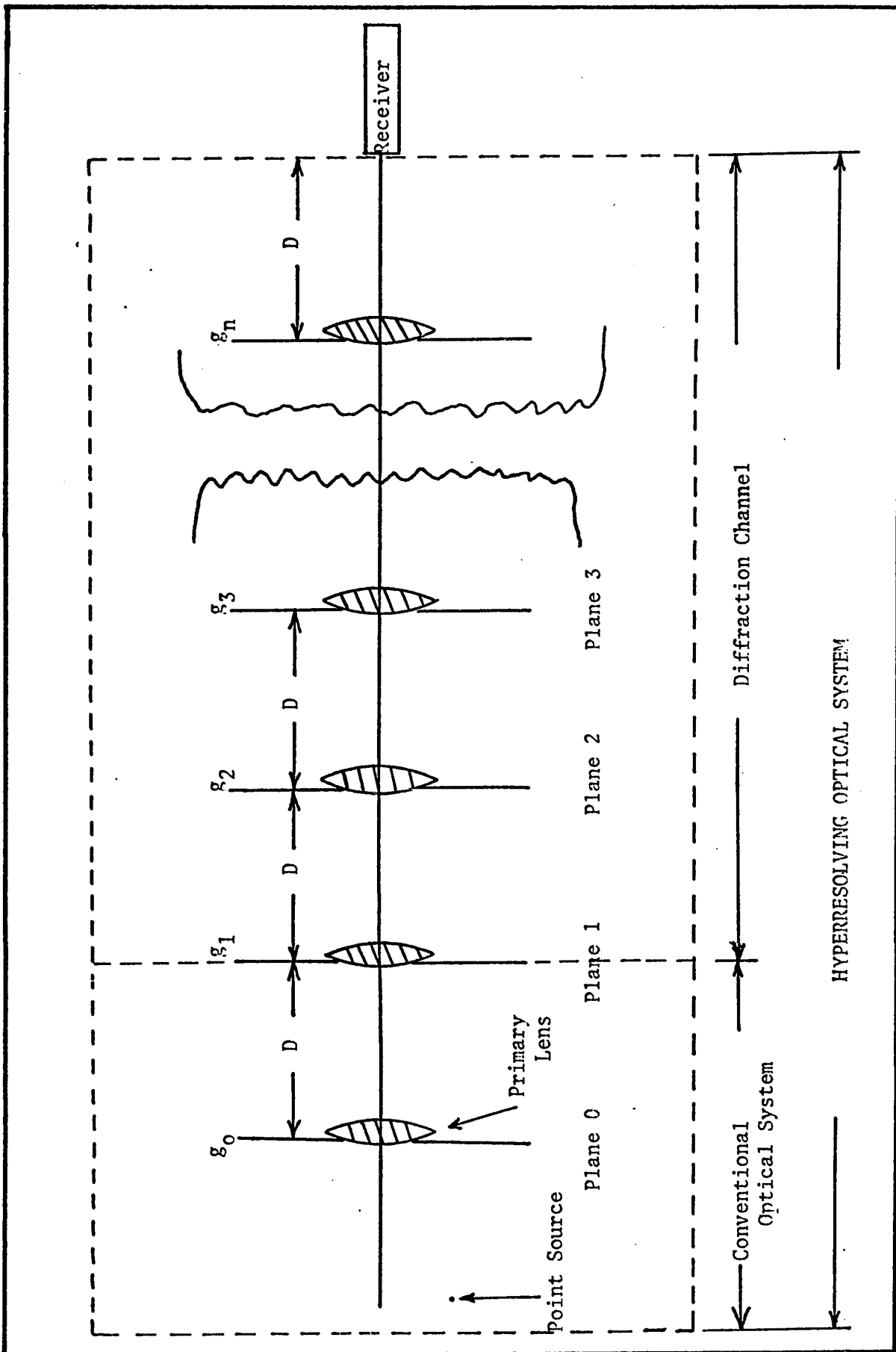


figure 1.2 A hyperresolving optical system.

The conventional optical system may be of any type, for example, the primary mirror of a telescope or the objective of a microscope, but for the purpose of this investigation will be represented by a lens limited by a circular diaphragm. A "hyperresolving optical system" is formed by combining a conventional optical system with a diffraction channel in such a way that their axes are collinear and the conventional image is formed in the plane of the first channel lens as indicated in figure 1.2. The lens representing the conventional optical system then becomes the "primary lens" of the hyperresolving optical system.

To understand the process by which an image is constructed with a hyperresolving optical system, consider the region of the object plane inside a circle centered on the axis, of given radius much smaller than the Rayleigh limit of resolution. Suppose that the luminous energy emitted by this region is transmitted through the channel with a much lower loss than the luminous energy outside the region. In this case, the luminous energy received will be proportional to the luminous energy emitted from this region. If a hyperresolving optical system having a diffraction channel with such a characteristic is used to scan an object, a recording can be made of the output luminous energy at each position of the object and this information can then be used to construct an image of the object. In the scanning process, each position of the object is associated with three recorded parameters which together contain the necessary information - the two positional coordinates and the output luminous energy. In the image construction process, luminous spots may

be placed on a photosensitive screen such that their energy and positional coordinates are directly proportional to those recorded. This construction process is commonly used in modern technology, for example, in television. Since each region recorded is well within that defined by the Rayleigh limit, the constructed image will have a resolution beyond this limit.

The resolution of the constructed image depends on the energy characteristics of the hyperresolving system. These characteristics may be studied by considering the object as an infinite set of point sources. The transmission loss through the diffraction channel for each of these object point sources depends on the distance of the point source from the axis. Thus information on the performance of the hyperresolving system may be obtained by comparing the energy received from a point source on the optical axis to the energy received from the same point source at various positions off the axis. An ideal hyperresolving system would only transmit energy when the point source is exactly on the axis. In the design of a hyperresolving system attempts must be made to approach as closely as possible this ideal. However, in view of the fact that hyperresolution was for some time considered impossible, a demonstration of its possibility could be considered of major importance. The minimum requirement for a hyperresolving system may be stated in terms of the normalized energy - the ratio of the energy received from a point source off the axis to the energy received from the same point source on the axis. A hyperresolving optical system must at least satisfy the requirement that the normalized energy is negligible when the point source is at a greater distance from the axis than a chosen distance which must be smaller than the Rayleigh limit of resolution.

The work reported in this thesis is an investigation into diffraction channels. It consists of a broad study of the general properties of diffraction channels as well as a study of their possible use for hyperresolution.

1.2 Introductory theory.

This introductory theory will be restricted to the case of a diffraction channel equipped with diaphragms. The theory will be extended later to the more general case where annuli or diaphragms may be used.

To design a diffraction channel it is necessary to choose the diaphragm radii so as to obtain the greatest possible decrease in output energy when the point source is moved off the axis. This choice must be based upon the distribution of the complex amplitude at each pupil for each position of the point source. To understand how these diffraction patterns may be calculated, suppose the complex amplitude distribution bounded by a diaphragm or radius a_n on the spherical surface Σ_n is represented by $g_n(X, \phi)$ (see figure 1.3). It can be shown that the complex

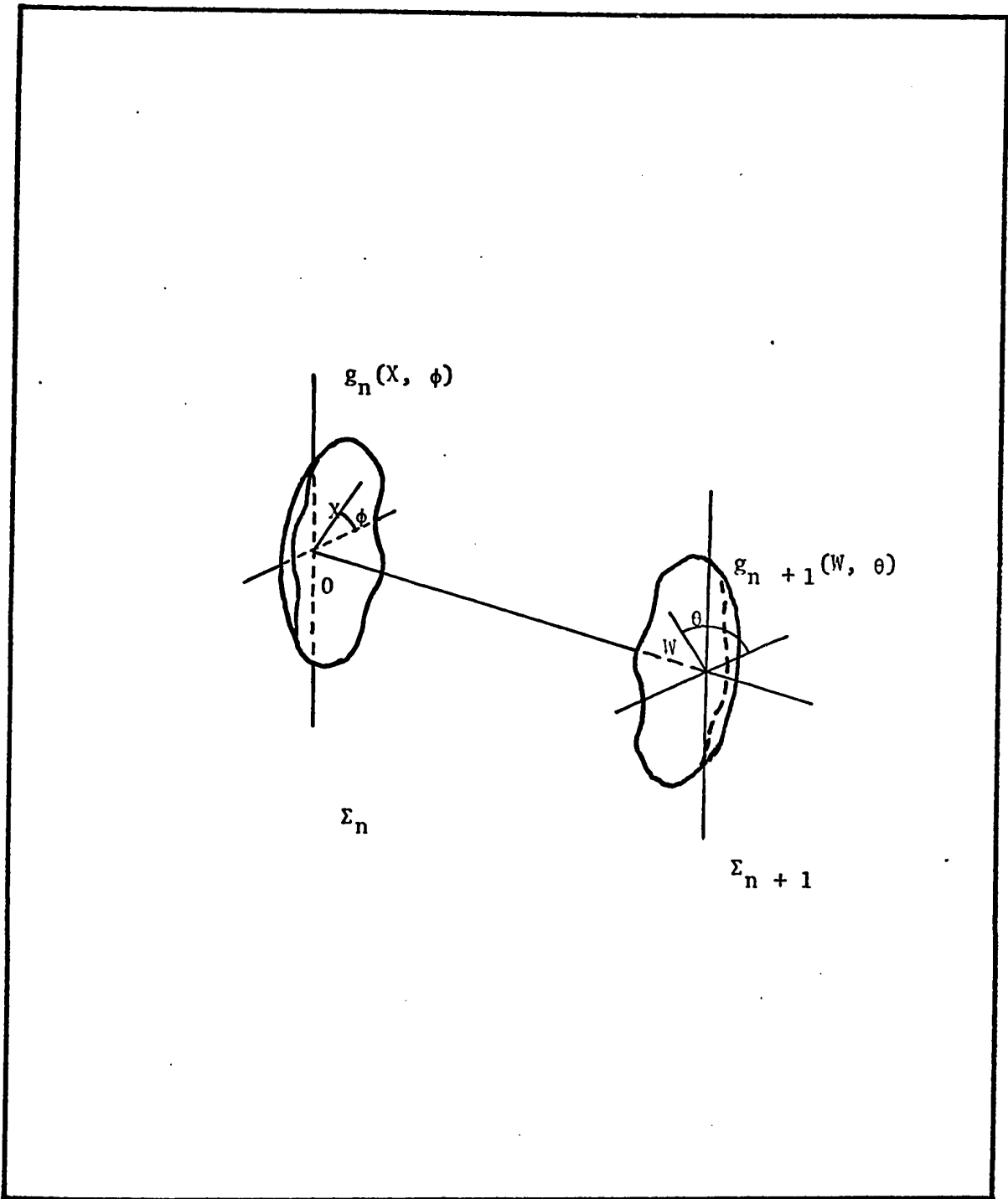


figure 1.3 Confocal spherical surfaces Σ_n and Σ_{n+1}

amplitude distribution on the spherical surface Σ_{n+1} which is confocal to Σ_n is given by the Fourier Transform.

$$g_{n+1}(W, \theta) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{A_n} \int_0^{2\pi} g_n(X, \phi) e^{iWX} \cos(\phi - \theta) X dX d\phi \quad 1.1$$

where

$$X = \rho \sqrt{\frac{2\pi}{D\lambda}}$$

$$W = r \sqrt{\frac{2\pi}{D\lambda}}$$

$$A_n = a_n \sqrt{\frac{2\pi}{D\lambda}}$$

ρ is the radial coordinate on surface Σ_n

r is the radial coordinate on surface Σ_{n+1}

ϕ is the angular coordinate on surface Σ_n

θ is the angular coordinate on surface Σ_{n+1}

D is the radius of curvature of the confocal spheres Σ_n and Σ_{n+1} .

a_n is the radius of the diaphragm at Σ_n

λ is the wavelength of the light

The amplitude distributions are expressed in terms of W and X instead of the radial coordinates r and ρ because of dependency on the parameters D and λ . The chosen definitions of W and X ensure a scaling of r and ρ by the same constant making interpretation simpler.

The distribution on the spherical surface Σ_{n+1} can be transformed by a lens of focal length D into the same distribution on the plane surface π_{n+1} as shown in figure 1.4. Similarly, the distribution on the surface Σ_n can be considered as resulting from a transformation by a lens of the same distribution on a plane surface π_n . Hence the distribution $g_n(X, \phi)$ on the plane π_n gives a corresponding distribution $g_{n+1}(W, \theta)$ on the plane π_{n+1} . That is, there exists a process, which may be called iteration, for transferring optical information from one plane to another plane. The optical system from the reference plane π_n to the reference plane π_{n+1} will be considered as a basic unit called a "cell". A linear succession of such cells constitute a Diffraction Channel as indicated in figure 1.5A. As indicated in figure 1.5B, the channel becomes effectively, then, a series of identical confocal lenses of focal length $D/2$. The complex amplitude distribution $g_n(X, \phi)$ on the plane π_n can be considered as an extended coherent source for the complex amplitude distribution $g_{n+1}(W, \theta)$ on the plane π_{n+1} . Hence by repeated use of the equation 1.1 the diffraction pattern in any plane of the channel may be obtained. To do this, it is necessary to know the hyperresolving optical system input function, which is the complex amplitude distribution in the plane of the primary lens. For a point source as object, this distribution is given by,

$$g_o(X, \phi, S) = e^{iSX \cos \phi} \quad 1.2$$

where $S = d \sqrt{\frac{2\pi}{D\lambda}}$

d is the distance of the point source from the axis.

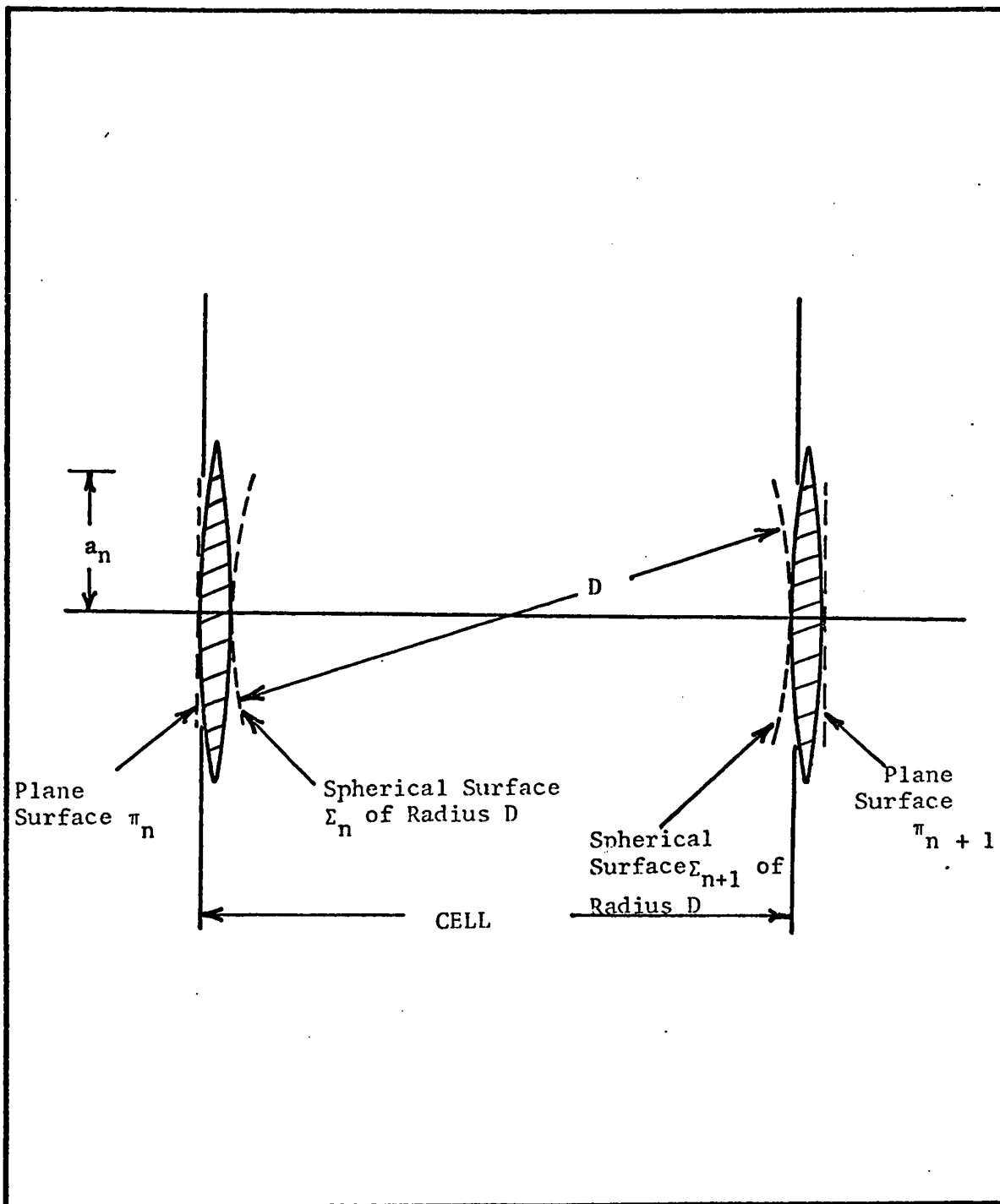


figure 1.4 Plane and confocal spherical surfaces for calculating iterated diffraction patterns.

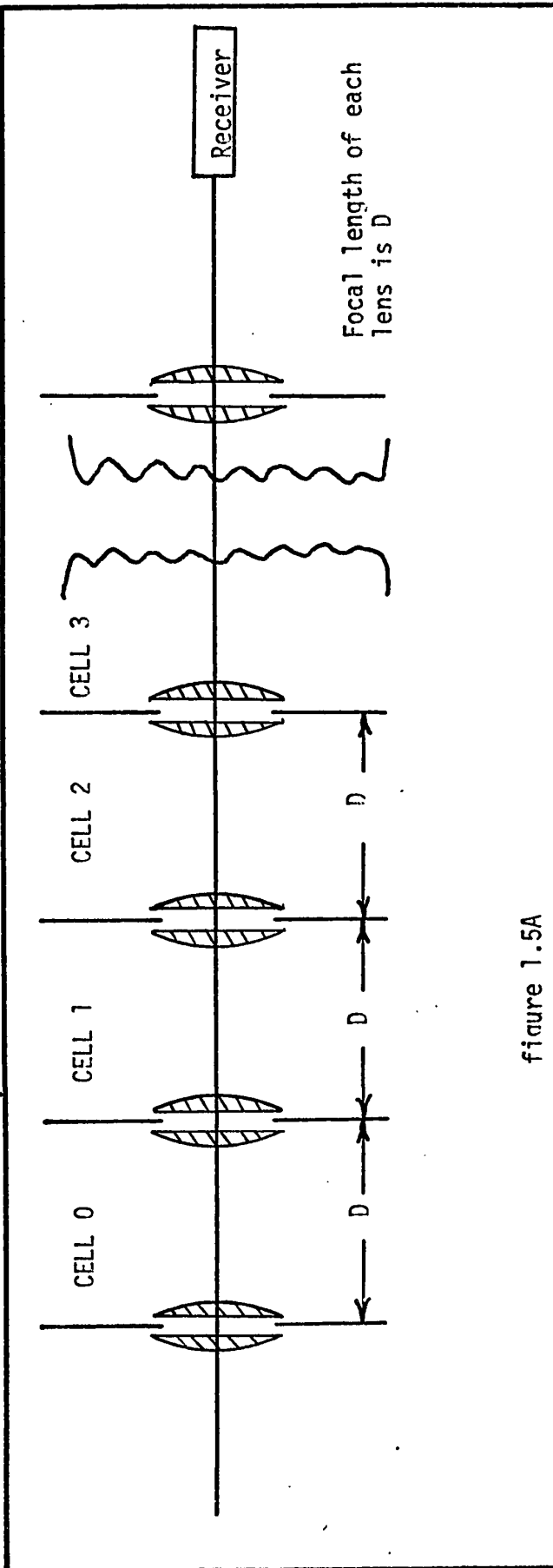


figure 1.5A

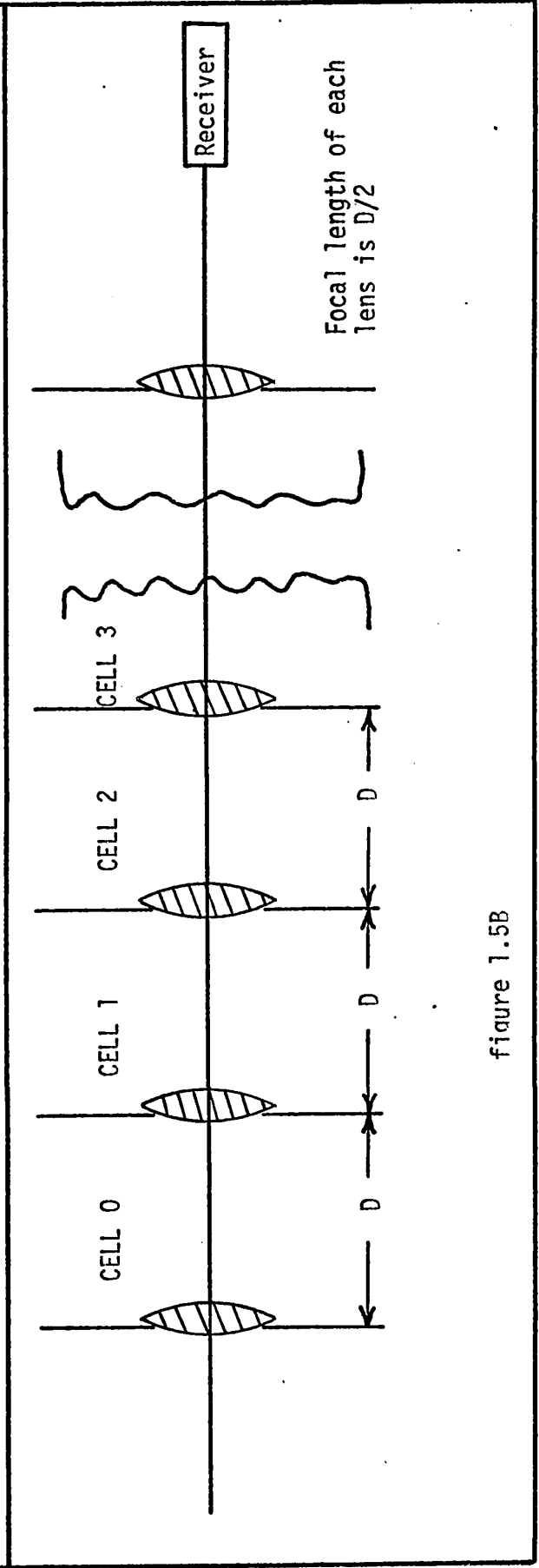


figure 1.5B

For convenience, the complex amplitude distributions will be expressed in terms of the independent variable W on the even planes and the independent variable X on the odd planes. This ensures that the results of one calculation can be immediately applied to the next calculation without a change of variable.

Thus we have,

$$g_{n+1}(W, \theta, S) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_n} g_n(X, \phi, S) e^{iWX \cos(\phi - \theta)} X dX d\phi \quad n \text{ even} \quad 1.3$$

$$g_{n+1}(X, \phi, S) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_n} g_n(W, \theta, S) e^{iWX \cos(\phi - \theta)} W dW d\theta \quad n \text{ odd}$$

Corresponding to each of these functions, it is useful to define a normalized function given by,

$$G_n(W, \theta, S) = \frac{g_n(W, \theta, S)}{g_n(0, 0, 0)} \quad n \text{ odd}$$

$$G_n(X, \phi, S) = \frac{g_n(X, \phi, S)}{g_n(0, 0, 0)} \quad n \text{ even}$$

In the course of the research work, it was found necessary to modify the original concept of diffraction channels having only central diaphragms to diffraction channels with annuli. Diffraction channels with up to two annuli were studied. The notation chosen for the parameters and radii of these annuli are:

$$A_n = a_n \sqrt{\frac{2\pi}{D\lambda}} \quad \text{where } a_n \text{ is the outer radius of the largest annulus.}$$

$$B_n = b_n \sqrt{\frac{2\pi}{D\lambda}} \quad \text{where } b_n \text{ is the inner radius of the largest annulus.}$$

$$C_n = c_n \sqrt{\frac{2\pi}{D\lambda}} \quad \text{where } c_n \text{ is the outer radius of the smallest annulus}$$

$$D_n = d_n \sqrt{\frac{2\pi}{D\lambda}} \quad \text{where } d_n \text{ is the inner radius of the smallest annulus.}$$

When only one annulus was studied, the notation for the largest annulus was chosen.

CHAPTER 2.

PROPERTIES OF ITERATED DIFFRACTION PATTERNS.

Several mathematical expressions have been found which show explicitly certain properties of iterated diffraction patterns, thereby providing greater insight into the study of diffraction channels. We were obliged to derive most of these expressions since it was not possible to find them in the literature.

2.1 Calculation of Diffraction Patterns for the special case of Axial Symmetry and Identical Diaphragms.

A diffraction channel with identical radii and with the point source on the axis has special significance because of its simplicity and similarity with other systems (i.e. the beam waveguide, and the confocal resonator which is essential to certain types of CW lasers). Since the point source is on the axis, $g_n(X, \phi)$ of equation 1.1 is independent of ϕ . The equation then becomes.

$$g_{n+1}(W) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_n} g_n(X) e^{iWX \cos(\phi-\theta)} X dX d\phi \quad 2.1$$

It is well known that,

$$\int_0^{2\pi} e^{iWX \cos(\phi-\theta)} d\phi = 2\pi J_0(WX) \quad 2.2$$

where $J_0(WX)$ is a Bessel Function of the first kind and of zero order.

Thus, equation 2.1 simplifies to,

$$g_{n+1}(W) = \int_0^{A_n} g_n(X) J_0(WX) X dX \quad 2.3$$

This equation, which reduces considerably the time needed to calculate a diffraction pattern having axial symmetry, has been used in this investigation to calculate iterated diffraction patterns.

In the special case where $n = 0$, $A_0 = 1$, $g_0(X) = 1$ for $0 \leq X \leq 1$ this becomes,

$$g_1(W) = \int_0^1 J_0(WX) X dX = \frac{J_1(W)}{W} \quad 2.4$$

This function represents the well known Airy pattern and has been used as an input distribution to the Diffraction Channel in this study. A picture of this pattern is shown in figure 2.1

2.2 Modes.

A diffraction channel with identical diaphragms has the same amplitude distributions as both the Beam Waveguide and the Confocal Resonator. The Beam Waveguide* is identical to a diffraction channel having identical diaphragms and is used for transmitting with low loss, high frequency electromagnetic radiation from one point in space to another point in space. The confocal resonator (which is sometimes used in lasers) consists of two confocal mirrors similar to the surfaces Σ_n and Σ_{n+1} in figure 1.3. Suppose a point source at 0 on the surface Σ_n illuminates the surface Σ_{n+1} . Then Σ_{n+1} can be considered as

* (Goubau and Schwering, 1961 and Christian and Goubau, 1961)

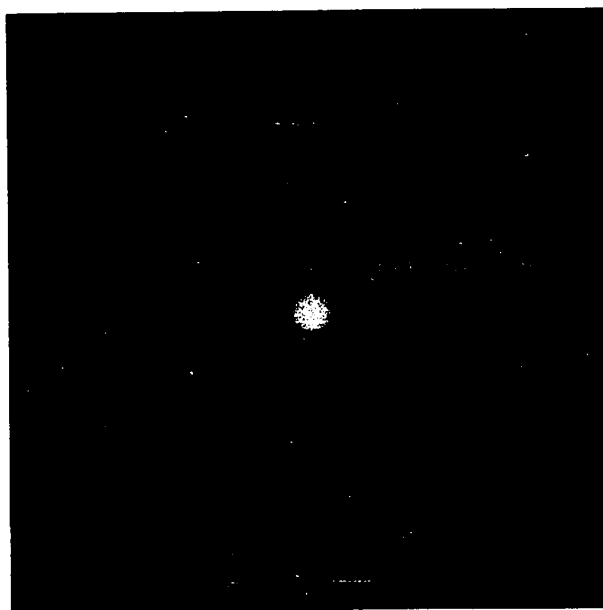


Figure 2.1 Photograph of Airy pattern.

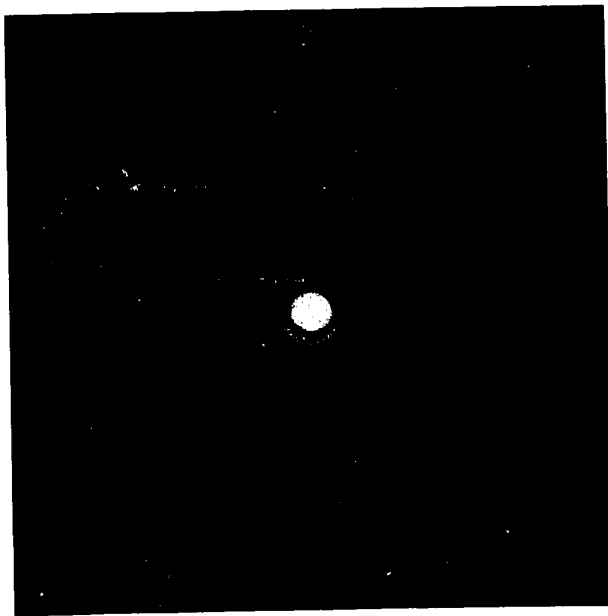


Figure 2.1 Photograph of Airy pattern.

an extended coherent source for Σ_n . The surface Σ_n in turn serves as a source for Σ_{n+1} and so on. Thus, the complex amplitude associated with each reflection may be calculated from repeated use of equation 1.1; they are therefore identical to those in a diffraction channel having identical diaphragms. Hence, any theoretical or experimental work performed on one system can be applied to the other system.

Much experimental and theoretical work has been performed on the Beam Waveguide and Confocal Resonator because of their important applications. One important characteristic found by several authors is that certain amplitude distributions on Σ_n will give identical distributions on Σ_{n+1} . If $f_{p,q}(X,\phi)$ is such a distribution, it must satisfy the relation,

$$K_{p,q} f_{p,q}(W,\theta) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^A f_{p,q}(X,\phi) e^{iWX \cos(\phi-\theta)} X dX d\phi \quad 2.5$$

There exist many distributions which will satisfy this equation and which will therefore be identical on the planes Σ_n and Σ_{n+1} . Each particular amplitude distribution is usually referred to as a mode, is designated by two mode numbers (p,q) and has its characteristic eigenvalue $K_{p,q}$ giving its associated diffraction loss. The mode having the lowest loss, the $(0,0)$ mode is called the dominant mode; it is the only one which will exist after many iterations, the others becoming damped at a much higher rate.

2.3 Homothetic Hyperresolving Systems.

Consider a circular pupil of radius a_n with complex amplitude distribution $g_n(X, \phi)$. The amplitude distribution of the corresponding diffraction pattern is given by,

$$g_{n+1}(W, \theta) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_n} g_n(X, \phi) e^{iWX \cos(\phi-\theta)} X dX d\phi \quad 2.6$$

where

$$A_n = \sqrt{\frac{2\pi}{D\lambda}} a_n$$

Suppose that the pupil undergoes the transformation $X' = kX$, $a'_n = k a_n$ giving a new pupil having a radius a'_n and complex amplitude distribution given by $g'_n(X', \phi) = g_n(kX, \phi)$. This transformation is called a homothetic transformation and the constant k is called the ratio of similitude. If k is less than one, the transformation contracts the pupil; if it is greater than one, the transformation expands the pupil. The corresponding new diffraction pattern is given by,

$$\begin{aligned} g'_{n+1}(W', \theta) &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A'_n} g'_n(X', \phi) e^{iWX' \cos(\phi-\theta)} X' dX' d\phi \\ &= \frac{1}{k^2} g_{n+1}\left(\frac{W}{k}, \theta\right) \end{aligned} \quad 2.7$$

where

$$A'_n = \sqrt{\frac{2\pi}{D\lambda}} a'_n$$

Thus, apart from a constant factor $1/k^2$, a homothetic transformation of the pupil results in an "inverse" homothetic transformation of the corresponding diffraction pattern. If the pupil is contracted by a factor k , the corresponding diffraction pattern is expanded by the same factor k , and vice versa.

This result can be applied to a hyperresolving system. An expansion of the input function, g_0 , results in a contraction of the function g_1 which in turn results in an expansion of g_2 and so on. Of course the expansion of the input function g_0 by the ratio of similitude, corresponds to the transformation of S given by $S' = S/k$ with k less than one. The consequence of this for hyperresolving systems is that experimental or theoretical results obtained for a particular system may be applied to an infinite set of homothetic systems.

For the special case of a point source on the axis of a hyperresolving system having identical diaphragms of radii a , a homothetic system is obtained by performing a homothetic transformation on the diaphragms in the even planes and an inverse homothetic transformation on the diaphragms in the odd planes. Thus, a system having diaphragms with identical radii $a_e = ka$ in the even planes and identical radii $a_o = a/k$ in the odd planes is homothetic to a system having all identical diaphragms of radii $a = \sqrt{a_e a_o}$.

2.4 Symmetry of the Amplitude Functions.

An analysis was made of the symmetry of the functions $g_n(X, \phi)$ and $g_{n+1}(W, \theta)$. Any symmetry depends on the symmetry of the complex amplitude

$$\text{i.e. } g_o(X, \phi, S) = e^{i SX \cos \phi} \quad 2.8$$

The definitions for these variables are given in equation 1.2. $g_o(X, \phi, S)$ may be expressed explicitly in its real and imaginary forms:

$$g_o(X, \phi, S) = g_{oe}(X, \phi, S) + i g_{oo}(X, \phi, S) \quad 2.9$$

where

$$g_{oe} = \cos (SX \cos \phi)$$

$$g_{oo} = \sin (SX \cos \phi)$$

The first subscript refers to the cell number and the second subscript is e or o (even or odd) depending on whether or not the function changes sign under the transformation $\phi \rightarrow \pi - \phi$. This latter subscript indicates the state of symmetry about the $\phi = 90^\circ$ axis. Another property of these two functions is that they are both even about the axis $\phi = 0$ since the

transformation $\phi \rightarrow -\phi$ does not change the sign or value. It will be shown next that the output function of cell 0 (or equivalently the input function of cell 1) $g_1(X, \phi, S)$ can also be expressed in terms of functions having the same symmetry properties.

By expressing the exponential term $e^{iWX \cos(\phi-\theta)}$ of equation 1.1 in its real and imaginary parts, $g_1(W, \theta, S)$ becomes,

$$g_1(W, \theta, S) = I1 + I2 + I3 + I4 + i (I5 + I6 + I7 + I8) \quad 2.10$$

where

$$I1 = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_1} g_{oe}(X, \phi, S) [\cos(WX \cos \phi \cos \theta)] [\cos(WX \sin \phi \sin \theta)] X dX d\phi$$

$$I2 = -\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_1} g_{oe}(X, \phi, S) [\sin(WX \cos \phi \cos \theta)] [\sin(WX \sin \phi \sin \theta)] X dX d\phi$$

$$I3 = -\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_1} g_{oo}(X, \phi, S) [\sin(WX \cos \phi \cos \theta)] [\cos(WX \sin \phi \sin \theta)] X dX d\phi$$

$$I4 = -\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_1} g_{oo}(X, \phi, S) [\cos(WX \cos \phi \cos \theta)] [\sin(WX \sin \phi \sin \theta)] X dX d\phi$$

$$I5 = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_1} g_{oe}(X, \phi, S) [\sin(WX \cos \phi \cos \theta)] [\cos(WX \sin \phi \sin \theta)] X dX d\phi$$

$$I_6 = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_1} g_{oe}(X, \phi, S) [\cos(WX \cos \phi \cos \theta)] [\sin(WX \sin \phi \sin \theta)] X dX d\phi$$

$$I_7 = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_1} g_{oo}(X, \phi, S) [\cos(WX \cos \phi \cos \theta)] [\cos(WX \sin \phi \sin \theta)] X dX d\phi$$

$$I_8 = -\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_1} g_{oo}(X, \phi, S) [\sin(WX \cos \phi \cos \theta)] [\sin(WX \sin \phi \sin \theta)] X dX d\phi$$

Some of these integrals are equal to zero:

- (1) $I_2 = 0$ These have integrands which are odd about the axis $\phi = 0$
 $I_4 = 0$ i.e. the integrands change sign under the transformation
 $I_6 = 0$ $\phi \rightarrow -\phi$.
 $I_8 = 0$
- (2) $I_5 = 0$ These have integrands odd about the axis $\phi = \pi/2$
 $I_7 = 0$ i.e. the integrands change sign under the transformation
 $\phi \rightarrow \pi - \phi$.

The remaining integrals, I_1 and I_3 , have integrands which are even about both the axis $\phi = 0$ and $\phi = \pi/2$.

$g_1(W, \theta, S)$ is thus given by

$$g_1(W, \theta, S) = g_{1e}(W, \theta, S) - g_{1o}(W, \theta, S) \quad 2.11$$

where,

$$g_{1e}(W, \theta, S) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_1} g_{oe}(X, \phi, S) [\cos(WX \cos \phi \cos \theta)] [\cos(WX \sin \phi \sin \theta)] \\ XdXd\phi$$

$$g_{1o}(W, \theta, S) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_1} g_{oo}(X, \phi, S) [\sin(WX \cos \phi \cos \theta)] [\cos(WX \sin \phi \sin \theta)] \\ XdXd\phi$$

The functions $g_{1e}(W, \theta, S)$ and $g_{1o}(W, \theta, S)$ have identical symmetry properties to the functions $g_{oe}(X, \phi, S)$ and $g_{oo}(X, \phi, S)$. That is, an even function transforms into another even function and an odd function transforms into another odd function. The process of transforming the input functions into output functions may be shown as follows:

$$g_{oe}(X, \phi, S) \rightarrow g_{1e}(W, \theta, S)$$

$$i g_{oo}(X, \phi, S) \rightarrow -g_{1o}(W, \theta, S)$$

This transformation process may be repeated for successive iterations.

It is thus clear that,

(1) For any even value of $n \geq 0$

$$g_{n+1}(W, \theta, S) = g_{n+1e}(W, \theta, S) + i^{n+2} g_{n+1o}(W, \theta, S) \quad 2.12$$

where

$$g_{n+1e}(W, \theta, S) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_n} g_{ne}(X, \phi, S) [\cos(WX \cos \phi \cos \theta)]$$

$$[\cos(WX \sin \phi \sin \theta)] XdXd\phi$$

$$g_{n+1o}(W, \theta, S) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_n} g_{no}(X, \phi, S) [\sin(WX \cos \phi \cos \theta)]$$

$$[\cos(WX \sin \phi \sin \theta)] XdXd\phi$$

$g_{oe}(X, \phi, S)$ and $g_{oo}(X, \phi, S)$ are defined by equation 2.9

(2) For any odd value of $n > 0$

$$g_{n+1}(X, \phi, S) = g_{n+1e}(X, \phi, S) + i^{n+2} g_{n+1o}(X, \phi, S) \quad 2.13$$

where

$$g_{n+1e}(X, \phi, S) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_n} g_{ne}(W, \theta, S) [\cos(WX \cos \phi \cos \theta)]$$

$$[\cos(WX \sin \phi \sin \theta)] WdWd\theta$$

$$g_{n+1o}(X, \phi, S) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_n} g_{no}(W, \theta, S) [\sin(WX \cos \phi \cos \theta)]$$

$$[\cos(WX \sin \phi \sin \theta)] WdWd\theta$$

2.5 Generation of Even and Odd Functions

The even function defined in section 2.4 can be expressed as two components:

$$\begin{aligned} g_{oe}(X, \phi, S) &= \cos(SX \cos \phi) \\ &= \frac{1}{2}(e^{iSX \cos \phi} + e^{-iSX \cos \phi}) \\ &= \frac{1}{2}[g_o(X, \phi, S) + g_o(X, \phi, -S)] \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} g_{1e}(W, \theta, S) &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_{B_1}^{A_1} g_{oe}(X, \phi, S) e^{iWX \cos(\phi - \theta)} X dX d\phi \\ &= \frac{1}{4\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_{B_1}^{A_1} g_o(X, \phi, S) e^{iWX \cos(\phi - \theta)} X dX d\phi \\ &\quad + \frac{1}{4\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_{B_1}^{A_1} g_o(X, \phi, -S) e^{iWX \cos(\phi - \theta)} X dX d\phi \\ &= \frac{1}{2}[g_1(W, \theta, S) + g_1(W, \theta, -S)] \end{aligned}$$

Similarly,

$$\text{for } n \text{ even} \quad g_{n+1,e}(W, \theta, S) = \frac{1}{2} [g_{n+1}(W, \theta, S) + g_{n+1}(W, \theta, -S)]$$

$$\text{for } n \text{ odd} \quad g_{n+1,e}(X, \phi, S) = \frac{1}{2} [g_{n+1}(X, \phi, S) + g_{n+1}(X, \phi, -S)]$$

Thus, the even function can be generated at each plane by using as input to the hyperresolving system, two point sources coherent with each other and situated equal distances S on opposite sides of the optical axis.

In a similar way, by setting

$$\begin{aligned} g_{00}(X, \phi, S) &= \sin(SX \cos \phi) = \frac{1}{2}i(e^{iSX \cos \phi} - e^{-iSX \cos \phi}) \\ &= -\frac{1}{2}i [g_0(X, \phi, S) - g_0(X, \phi, -S)] \end{aligned}$$

we can show that the odd function, apart from a constant phase factor $-i$, can be generated at each plane by using as input to the hyperresolving system two point sources, coherent with each other, out of phase with each other by π , and situated equal distances S on opposite sides of the optical axis.

2.6 Symmetry of the Function of Luminous Intensity I_n .

The symmetry of the intensity function I_n can be obtained from the symmetry properties of the even and odd functions. The amplitude function given by equations 2.12 and 2.13 may be rewritten as:

$$\begin{aligned} g_n(W, \theta, S) &= g_{ne}(W, \theta, S) + (-1)^{\frac{n+1}{2}} g_{no}(W, \theta, S) \quad n \text{ odd} \\ g_n(X, \phi, S) &= g_{ne}(X, \phi, S) + (-1)^{\frac{n}{2}} i g_{no}(X, \phi, S) \quad n \text{ even} \end{aligned} \quad 2.14$$

where the even and odd functions satisfy the following symmetry relations:

$$\begin{aligned}
 g_{ne}(W, \theta, S) &= g_{ne}(W, -\theta, S) = g_{ne}(W, \pi - \theta, S) & 2.15 \\
 g_{no}(W, \theta, S) &= g_{no}(W, -\theta, S) = -g_{no}(W, \pi - \theta, S) & n \text{ odd} \\
 g_{ne}(X, \phi, S) &= g_{ne}(X, -\phi, S) = g_{ne}(X, \pi - \phi, S) & n \text{ even} \\
 g_{no}(X, \phi, S) &= g_{no}(X, -\phi, S) = -g_{no}(X, \pi - \phi, S)
 \end{aligned}$$

The equations 2.14 show explicitly that the amplitude is always real in the odd planes and always complex in the even planes. This is associated with the symmetry of the intensity function I_n defined as,

$$\begin{aligned}
 I_n(W, \theta, S) &= |g_n(W, \theta, S)|^2 \\
 &= g_{ne}^2(W, \theta, S) + g_{no}^2(W, \theta, S) + 2(-1)^{\frac{n+1}{2}} g_{ne}(W, \theta, S) g_{no}(W, \theta, S) \quad n \text{ odd} \\
 I_n(X, \phi, S) &= |g_n(X, \phi, S)|^2 & 2.16 \\
 &= g_{ne}^2(X, \phi, S) + g_{no}^2(X, \phi, S) \quad n \text{ even}
 \end{aligned}$$

Applying the symmetry relations of the even and odd functions (equations 2.15), we easily obtain,

$$\begin{aligned}
 I_n(W, \theta, S) &= I_n(W, -\theta, S) \neq I_n(W, \pi - \theta, S) \quad n \text{ odd} \\
 &\quad \text{unless } g_{ne}(W, \theta, S) \equiv 0 \\
 &\quad \text{or } g_{no}(W, \theta, S) \equiv 0 & 2.17
 \end{aligned}$$

$$I_n(X, \phi, S) = I_n(X, -\phi, S) = I_n(X, \pi - \phi, S) \quad n \text{ even}$$

Thus, the intensity function is symmetrical about the axis $\phi = 0$ for n even and $\theta = 0$ for n odd. Although it is also symmetrical about the axis $\phi = \frac{\pi}{2}$ for n even, it is not symmetrical in general about the axis $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$ for n odd. As a result, the intensity function has a center of symmetry about the origin for the even planes only.

2.7 Effect of Point Source Displacement S on the Airy pattern.

$$\begin{aligned}
 g_1(W, \theta, S) &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 e^{iSX \cos \phi} e^{iWX \cos(\phi - \theta)} X dX d\phi \\
 &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 e^{iX [(W \cos \theta + S) \cos \phi + W \sin \phi \sin \theta]} X dX d\phi \\
 &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 e^{iW' X \cos(\phi - \theta')} X dX d\phi \\
 &= \frac{J_1(W')}{W'}
 \end{aligned} \tag{2.18}$$

where W' and θ' satisfy the relations,

$$\begin{aligned}
 W \cos \theta + S &= W' \cos \theta' \\
 W \sin \theta &= W' \sin \theta'
 \end{aligned}$$

Consequently,
$$W' = \sqrt{W^2 + 2WS \cos \theta + S^2}$$
 2.19

$$\cos \theta' = \frac{W \cos \theta + S}{\sqrt{W^2 + 2WS \cos \theta + S^2}}$$

Using the law of cosines for a plane triangle, we may interpret W' as a radial coordinate with center at $W = -S, \theta = 0$. As a result, $g_1(W, \theta, S)$ is an Airy pattern with center at $W = -S, \theta = 0$. Thus, moving the point

source by S , simply moves the Airy pattern by an equal and opposite amount, $-S$.

2.8 Amplitude in Plane 2 for large S .

We were able to derive a mathematical expression for the amplitude $g_2(X, \phi, S)$ in the case when S is large:

$$g_2(X, \phi, S) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_1} g_1(W, \theta, S) e^{iWX \cos(\phi - \theta)} W dW d\theta \quad 2.20$$

We have shown in section 2.7 that,

$$g_1(W, \theta, S) = \frac{J_1(W')}{W'} \quad \text{with } W' = \sqrt{W^2 + 2WS \cos \theta + S^2} \quad 2.21$$

Since for large S , W' is large, the Bessel function may be expressed in its asymptotic form,

$$\frac{J_1(W')}{W'} \sim \frac{1}{(W')^{3/2}} \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \cos(W' - \frac{3\pi}{4}) \quad 2.22$$

$$\text{Now } W' = S \left(1 + \frac{2W}{S} \cos \theta + \frac{W^2}{S^2} \right)^{1/2}$$

$$\approx S + W \cos \theta + \frac{1}{2} \frac{W^2}{S}$$

$$W' \approx S + W \cos \theta \quad 2.23$$

Similarly,

$$\frac{1}{(W')^{3/2}} \approx \frac{1}{S^{3/2}} - \frac{3}{2} \frac{W}{S^{5/2}} \cos \theta \quad 2.24$$

Since $W \cos \theta$ is the x coordinate of a rectangular coordinate system, the contours of equal amplitude of the function $g_1(W, \theta, S)$ are straight lines perpendicular to the direction of movement of the point source. In the photographs these will appear vertical since the point source was moved horizontally.

From equations 2.21, 2.22, 2.23 and 2.24,

$$\begin{aligned} g_1(W, \theta, S) &= \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \left(\frac{1}{S^{3/2}} - \frac{3}{2} \frac{W \cos \theta}{S^{5/2}} \right) \cos \left(S + W \cos \theta - \frac{3\pi}{4} \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \left(\frac{1}{S^{3/2}} - \frac{3}{2} \frac{W \cos \theta}{S^{5/2}} \right) \left[e^{i(S+W \cos \theta - \frac{3\pi}{4})} + e^{-i(S+W \cos \theta - \frac{3\pi}{4})} \right] \end{aligned} \quad 2.25$$

Substituting 2.25 in 2.20,

$$\begin{aligned} g_2(X, \phi, S) &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \frac{1}{2\pi S^{3/2}} e^{i(S - \frac{3\pi}{4})} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_1} e^{iW \cos \theta} e^{iWX \cos(\phi - \theta)} W dW d\theta \\ &+ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \frac{1}{2\pi S^{3/2}} e^{-i(S - \frac{3\pi}{4})} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_1} e^{-iW \cos \theta} e^{iWX \cos(\phi - \theta)} W dW d\theta \end{aligned} \quad 2.26$$

$$-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \frac{3}{4\pi S^{5/2}} e^{i(S - \frac{3\pi}{4})} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_1} W \cos \theta e^{iW \cos \theta} e^{iWX \cos(\phi - \theta)} W dW d\theta$$

$$-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \frac{3}{4\pi S^{5/2}} e^{-i(S - \frac{3\pi}{4})} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_1} W \cos \theta e^{-iW \cos \theta} e^{iWX \cos(\phi - \theta)} W dW d\theta$$

Consider the exponential terms in these integrands:

$$\begin{aligned} e^{i[W \cos \theta + WX \cos(\phi - \theta)]} &= e^{iW [(X \cos \phi + 1) \cos \theta + X \sin \phi \sin \theta]} \\ &= e^{iWX_1' \cos(\phi_1' - \theta)} \end{aligned}$$

where

$$X \cos \phi + 1 = X_1' \cos \phi_1'$$

$$X \sin \phi = X_1' \sin \phi_1'$$

Consequently,

$$X_1' = \sqrt{X^2 + 2X \cos \phi + 1}$$

$$\cos \phi_1' = \frac{X \cos \phi + 1}{\sqrt{X^2 + 2X \cos \phi + 1}}$$

Similarly,

$$e^{i[-W \cos \theta + WX \cos (\phi - \theta)]} = e^{iWX_2' \cos (\phi_2' - \theta)}$$

$$\text{with } X_2' = \sqrt{X^2 - 2X \cos \phi + 1}$$

$$\cos \phi_2' = \frac{X \cos \phi + 1}{\sqrt{X^2 - 2X \cos \phi + 1}}$$

Therefore equation 2.26 becomes

$$\begin{aligned} g_2(X, \phi, S) &= \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \frac{1}{2\pi S^{3/2}} e^{i(S - \frac{3\pi}{4})} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_1} e^{iWX_1' \cos (\phi_1' - \theta)} W dW d\theta \\ &+ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \frac{1}{2\pi S^{3/2}} e^{-i(S - \frac{3\pi}{4})} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_1} e^{iWX_2' \cos (\phi_2' - \theta)} W dW d\theta \\ &- \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \frac{3}{4\pi S^{5/2}} e^{i(S - \frac{3\pi}{4})} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_1} W \cos \theta e^{iWX_1' \cos (\phi_1' - \theta)} dW d\theta \\ &- \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \frac{3}{4\pi S^{5/2}} e^{-i(S - \frac{3\pi}{4})} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_1} W \cos \theta e^{iWX_2' \cos (\phi_2' - \theta)} dW d\theta \end{aligned}$$

2.27

The integrals may now be integrated with the use of equations A3 and A5 of appendix A to give,

$$\begin{aligned}
 g_2(X, \phi, S) = & \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \frac{A_1^2}{S^{3/2}} e^{i(S - \frac{3\pi}{4})} \frac{J_1(A_1 X'_1)}{A_1 X'_1} \\
 & + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \frac{A_1^2}{S^{3/2}} e^{-i(S - \frac{3\pi}{4})} \frac{J_1(A_1 X'_2)}{A_1 X'_2} \\
 & - \frac{3i}{2\sqrt{2\pi}} \frac{A_1^3}{S^{5/2}} e^{i(S - \frac{3\pi}{4})} \frac{J_2(A_1 X'_1)}{A_1 X'_1} \cos \phi'_1 \\
 & - \frac{3i}{2\sqrt{2\pi}} \frac{A_1^3}{S^{5/2}} e^{-i(S - \frac{3\pi}{4})} \frac{J_2(A_1 X'_2)}{A_1 X'_2} \cos \phi'_2
 \end{aligned} \tag{2.28}$$

where,

$$\begin{aligned}
 X'_1 &= \sqrt{X^2 + 2X \cos \phi + 1} & \cos \phi'_1 &= \frac{X \cos \phi + 1}{\sqrt{X^2 + 2X \cos \phi + 1}} \\
 X'_2 &= \sqrt{X^2 - 2X \cos \phi + 1} & \cos \phi'_2 &= \frac{X \cos \phi + 1}{\sqrt{X^2 - 2X \cos \phi + 1}}
 \end{aligned}$$

Using the law of cosines for a plane triangle, we may interpret X'_1 and X'_2 as radial coordinates with centers at $(X = -1, \phi = 0)$ and $(X = +1, \phi = 0)$ respectively. Therefore, the first two terms, which are the dominant terms for large S , are Airy patterns with these centers. The last two terms also have these centers but are not symmetrical. The resultant pattern therefore consists of the superposition of two

Airy patterns separated by $\Delta X = 2$, each Airy pattern being perturbed by an asymmetrical pattern.

2.9 Intensity in the far region of the diffraction pattern.

It is known that the intensity in the far region of a Fraunhofer diffraction pattern essentially depends on the luminous amplitude of the light in the close vicinity of the diffracting edge. The greater the amplitude at the diffracting edge, the greater the intensity of the strongly diffracted light irrespective of the distribution far from the diffracting edge.

a) In the special case where $S = 0$, we have derived a mathematical expression illustrating this principle. We use for convenience, the notation with n odd. From equations 2.1 and 2.2,

$$g_{n+1}(X) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_{B_n}^{A_n} g_n(W) e^{iWX \cos(\phi-\theta)} W dW d\theta$$

$$= \int_{B_n}^{A_n} g_n(W) J_0(WX) W dW$$

This may be integrated by parts using equation A10 of appendix A

$$g_n(X) = \frac{1}{X} \int_{B_n}^{A_n} g_n(W) \frac{d}{dW} [WJ_1(WX)] dW$$

$$= \frac{1}{X} [A_n g_n(A_n) J_1(A_n X) - B_n g_n(B_n) J_1(B_n X) - \int_{B_n}^{A_n} g_n'(W) J_1(WX) W dW]$$

By repeated integration by parts, the following expansion may be obtained for $g_{n+1}(X)$,

$$g_{n+1}(X) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} (-1)^k \frac{A_n^{k+1} g_n^k(A_n) J_{k+1}(A_n X) - B_n^{k+1} g_n^k(B_n) J_{k+1}(B_n X)}{X^{k+1}} \quad 2.29$$

It is clear from this expression that as $X \rightarrow \infty$,

$$g_{n+1}(X) \rightarrow \frac{1}{X} [A_n g_n(A_n) J_1(A_n X) - B_n g_n(B_n) J_1(B_n X)] \quad 2.30$$

provided $g_n(A_n)$ and $g_n(B_n)$ are both not zero.

$$g_{n+1}(X) \rightarrow \frac{1}{X^2} [A_n^2 g_n'(A_n) J_2(A_n X) - B_n^2 g_n'(B_n) J_2(B_n X)]$$

if $g_n(A_n) = g_n(B_n) = 0$ and provided that $g_n'(A_n)$ and $g_n'(B_n)$ are both not zero.

In the case of a central diaphragm of radius A_n , $g_{n+1}(X)$ becomes:

$$g_{n+1}(X) = A_n^2 g_n(A_n) \frac{J_1(A_n X)}{A_n X} \quad 2.31$$

In this case the strongly diffracted light varies as an Airy pattern, the amplitude of which depends directly on $g_n(A_n)$ at the circular diffracting edge.

b) A similar result can be derived for the case where g_n depends on $\cos 2\theta$.

If $g_n(W, \theta, S) = g_n(W, S) \cos 2\theta$,

$$g_{n+1}(X, \phi, S) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_{B_n}^{A_n} g_n(W, S) \cos 2\theta e^{iWX \cos(\phi-\theta)} W dW d\theta$$

Using equation A3 of appendix A to integrate over the angle θ ,

$$g_{n+1}(X, \phi, S) = -\cos 2\phi \int_{B_n}^{A_n} g_n(W, S) J_2(WX) W dW$$

Integrating by parts,

$$\begin{aligned} g_{n+1}(X, \phi, S) &= \frac{\cos 2\phi}{X} \int_{B_n}^{A_n} \frac{g_n(W, S)}{W^2} \frac{d}{dW} [W^3 J_3(WX)] dW \\ &= \frac{\cos 2\phi}{X} [A_n g_n(A_n, S) J_3(A_n X) - B_n g_n(B_n, S) J_3(B_n X)] \\ &\quad - \frac{\cos 2\phi}{X} \int_{B_n}^{A_n} [W g_n'(W, S) - 2 g_n(W, S)] J_3(WX) dW \end{aligned}$$

By repeating the integration by parts, it can be shown that the last integral varies as X^{-1} . Therefore, as $X \rightarrow \infty$,

$$g_{n+1}(X, \theta, S) \rightarrow \frac{\cos 2\phi}{X} [A_n g_n(A_n, S) J_3(A_n X) - B_n g_n(B_n, S) J_3(B_n X)] \quad 2.32$$

In this case, the strongly diffracted light still depends on the amplitude at the circular diffracting edge and it retains its cosine dependency on the angular coordinate.

2.10 Analytical Approach to Iterated Diffraction

An attempt was made to solve the problem of iterated diffraction by performing each successive iteration analytically.

From equation A9 of appendix A, the input function $e^{iSX \cos \phi}$ can be expressed as,

$$e^{iSX \cos \phi} = J_0(SX) + 2 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} i^n J_n(SX) \cos n \phi$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} g_1(W, \theta, S) &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 e^{iSX \cos \phi} e^{iWX \cos(\phi - \theta)} X dX d\phi \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 [J_0(SX) + 2 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} i^n J_n(SX) \cos n \phi] e^{iWX \cos(\phi - \theta)} X dX d\phi \end{aligned}$$

By equation A3 of appendix A, this becomes,

$$g_1(W, \theta, S) = \int_0^1 J_0(SX) J_0(WX) X dX + 2 \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \cos n \theta \int_0^1 J_n(SX) J_n(WX) X dX$$

From equation A7 of appendix A,

$$\begin{aligned} g_1(W, \theta, S) &= \frac{1}{S^2 - W^2} [S J_0(W) J_1(S) - W J_0(S) J_1(W)] \\ &+ \frac{2}{S^2 - W^2} \left[\sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \cos n \theta [S J_n(W) J_{n+1}(S) - W J_n(S) J_{n+1}(W)] \right] \quad W \neq S \\ &= \frac{1}{2} [J_0^2(W) + J_1^2(W)] + \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} (-1)^n \cos n \theta [J_n^2(W) - J_{n-1}(W) J_{n+1}(W)] \quad S = W \end{aligned}$$

Unfortunately, these expressions are very complicated and no process has been found to calculate another iteration.

2.11 Fourier Transform Inverse Theorem.

The Fourier transform has a well known property, the inverse theorem, which will not be proved here but simply stated in terms of the Fourier transform notation of equations 1.3 with n even:

$$\text{If } g_{n+1}(W, \theta, S) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\infty} g_n(X, \phi, S) e^{iWX \cos(\phi - \theta)} X dX d\phi \quad 2.33$$

Then

$$g_n(X, \phi, S) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^\infty g_{n+1}(W, \theta, S) e^{-iWX \cos(\phi-\theta)} W dW d\theta \quad 2.34$$

Since

$$g_{n+2}(X, \phi, S) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_{B_{n+1}}^{A_{n+1}} g_{n+1}(W, \theta, S) e^{iWX \cos(\phi-\theta)} W dW d\theta$$

this theorem has the consequence that,

$$g_{n+2}(X, \phi, S) = g_n(-X, \phi, S) = g_n(X, \phi, -S) \text{ if } A_{n+1} \rightarrow \infty \text{ and } B_{n+1} = 0$$

Example

Consider the case where $n = 0$:

$$(1) \quad g_0(X, \phi, S) = e^{iXS \cos \phi} \quad X \leq 1$$

$$= 0 \quad X > 1$$

(2) Equation 2.33 becomes,

$$g_1(W, \theta, S) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 e^{iXS \cos \phi} e^{iWX \cos(\phi-\theta)} X dX d\phi$$

(3) If $A_1 \rightarrow \infty$ and $B_1 = 0$,

$$g_2(X, \phi, S) = e^{-iXS \cos \phi} \quad X \leq 1$$

$$= 0 \quad X > 0$$

$$= g_0(X, \phi, -S)$$

These equations may be interpreted as follows:

(1) The point source with displacement S from the axis illuminates in plane 0 a lens limited by a diaphragm or radius given by $A_0 = 1$. Consequently the amplitude distribution in plane 0 is the function $g_0(X, \phi, S)$ stated above.

(2) The Airy pattern with displacement $-S$ from the axis is formed in plane 1 where there is a lens of large radius a_1 . The large radius of this lens satisfies the condition that $g_1(W, \theta, S)$ be integrated from zero to infinity.

(3) In plane 2, a pattern in practice identical to that in plane 0 is formed. For $X \leq 1$, the amplitude is a constant equal to 1 and the phase is $e^{-iSX \cos \phi}$. For $X > 1$, the amplitude is zero.

2.12 A Process Reducing the Normalized Even Energy Values.

Many types of objects to be resolved must be illuminated by an external light source. The light from the source may be collimated and then focussed by a lens in the plane of the object. We suppose that the focussing lens is aberration free and correctly focussed. As a result, the object is not uniformly illuminated as assumed previously in this thesis but illuminated by a diffraction pattern centered on the optical axis. Consequently, the signal transmitted through the hyperresolving system from a point of the object off axis, is not as intense as if the

object were uniformly illuminated. Moreover, we can assume that the focussing lens has the same numerical aperture as the primary lens of the hyperresolving system. In this case, the normalized even energy values associated with a point S of the object must be multiplied by $\left[\frac{J_1(S)}{S} \right]^2$. It has the effect of reducing substantially the normalized even energy values for intermediate and large values of S . The effective distribution of luminous intensity in the object plane produced by this particular type of illumination will be called the "Effective Object Distribution". It is the product of the distribution of luminous intensity in the object plane when it is uniformly illuminated by the function $\left[\frac{J_1(S)}{S} \right]^2$ which will be called in this thesis the modulation function (MF).

CHAPTER 3

Computational Procedure

A major difficulty that had to be overcome was to find a suitable method for integrating the equations 1.3. The method chosen must be very accurate since errors may accumulate upon successive calculations and furthermore, the method must be fast enough so that the calculations may be performed within a reasonable length of time using the IBM 360 (Model 40 or 65). The fact that the amplitude of diffraction patterns sometimes fluctuates very rapidly places severe limitations on the accuracy which can be achieved in a reasonable period of computation time. Nevertheless, in order to carry out a study of iterated diffraction, it is important that the computation time be as short as possible.

The first important step was to develop equations 1.3 analytically into a more efficient form for calculation. For this purpose, the special case $S = 0$ used in the study of mode formation was calculated separately with the equation 2.3 which is a simplified form of equation 1.3. For $S \neq 0$, the symmetry properties of the even and odd functions were used in calculating the amplitude function from equations 2.12 and 2.13

A complete description of all the numerical processes attempted to evaluate the integrals was given in the report presented for transferal from the M.Sc. status to the Ph.D. status. Only those numerical processes which were used are presented here.

3.1 Distribution of Integration Points.

One question was that of the most suitable distribution of points of integration. It might at first seem reasonable to choose the distribution such that the density of points per unit area is a constant, for example, the distribution $X_i = \sqrt{\frac{i}{N}}$, where $i = 1, 2 \dots N$. However, the distribution which gives the most accurate results must depend on the function g_n since in regions where the function varies greatly, the density of points should be high and vice versa. But because the function g_n is not known in general, it was decided to choose the simplest possible distribution of points, namely equidistant points.

3.2 Integration Formulas.

The Newton Cotes formulas of integration were chosen for the integration procedure because the distribution of points of integration may be chosen to be equidistant. The table below gives the Newton Cotes coefficients for the form:

$$\int_0^{Nh} f(x) dx = Ah [B_0 f(0) + B_1 f(h) + \dots + B_N f(Nh)] + k_N \quad 3.1$$

where

- $h =$ the interval.
- $N =$ number of intervals
- $k_N =$ error term
- $B_n =$ integration coefficient.

The coefficients B_n are symmetric and hence only part of the table need be given:

N	A	B_0	B_1	B_2	B_3	B_4	B_5	k_N
1	1/2	1	1					$-(\frac{1}{2})h^3 f^{iii}$
2	1/3	1	4	1				$-1/90h^5 f^{iv}$
3	3/8	1	3	3	1			$-3/80h^5 f^{iv}$
4	2/45	7	32	12	32	7		$-8/945h^7 f^{vi}$
5	5/288	19	75	50	50	75	19	$-275/12096h^7 f^{vi}$
6	4/140	41	216	27	272	27	216	$-9/1400h^9 f^{viii}$
7	7/17,280	751	3,577	1,323	2,989	2,989	1,325	$-8183/518400h^9 f^{viii}$
8	4/14,175	989	5,888	-928	10,496	-4,540	10,496	
9	9/89,600	2,857	15,741	1,080	19,344	5,778	5,778	
10	5/299376	16,067	106,300	-48,525	272,400	-260,500	427,368	

3.3 Number of Integration Points.

The region of integration was divided into 10 equal parts, each part consisting of 11 points of integration. The integration formula was applied successively to these 10 parts. Two factors were involved in the choice of N as 10:

- (1) The error term for most functions is lower for higher values of N. Moreover, it will be noticed that the order of the error term, k_N , jumps by 2 in going from an odd value of N to the next even value of N, which tends to favor the even order formulas. On this basis, it would appear reasonable to choose N to be highest for which the Newton Cotes coefficients are readily available, namely $N = 10$.

(2) Errors due to roundoff in calculation must also be considered.

According to Hamming (Numerical Methods for Scientists and Engineers, pg. 54), "Minimum roundoff occurs when $\sum_{i=1}^I w_i^2$ is a minimum". (w_i is the weight given to point i). Hence it is obvious that smaller roundoff errors occur for small values of N where the weights are small.

The question of errors is a very complicated one and it is seldom worth the effort to attempt a thorough analysis, especially if the results can be checked for particular cases.

3.4 Integration Procedure for $S = 0$

For the special case $S = 0$, g_{n+1} may be calculated from the simplified equation 2.3

$$g_{n+1}(W) = \int_0^{A_n} g_n(X) J_0(WX) X dX. \quad 3.2$$

For simplicity A_n was normalized so that $A_n = 1$, but calculations for any value of A_n may be obtained by similar processes.

This equation may be integrated numerically using the Newton Cotes equation 3.1 by dividing the region of integration into 10 equal sections, each section consisting of 11 points of integration. Applying equation 3.1 we obtain

$$\int_0^1 g_n(X) J_0(WX) X dX = \int_0^{0.1} g_n(X) J_0(WX) X dX + \dots + \int_{0.9}^{1.0} g_n(X) J_0(WX) X dX$$

3.3

$$\begin{aligned}
&= Ah[B_0 g_n(X_0) J_0(WX_0) X_0 + B_1 g_n(X_1) J_0(WX_1) X_1 + \dots + B_{10} g_n(X_{10}) J_0(WX_{10}) X_{10}] \\
&+ Ah[B_0 g_n(X_{10}) J_0(WX_{10}) X_{10} + B_1 g_n(X_{11}) J_0(WX_{11}) X_{11} + \dots + B_{20} g_n(X_{20}) J_0(WX_{20}) X_{20}] \\
&+ Ah[B_0 g_n(X_{90}) J_0(WX_{90}) X_{90} + B_1 g_n(X_{91}) J_0(WX_{91}) X_{91} + \dots + B_{100} g_n(X_{100}) J_0(WX_{100}) X_{100}] \\
&= \sum_{i=0}^{100} D_i g_n(X_i) J_0(WX_i) X_i
\end{aligned}$$

where the coefficients D_i satisfy the relations,

$$D_{10} = 2AhB_{10}$$

$$D_i = AhB_i \quad i = 0, 1, 2, \dots, 9$$

$$D_{i+10} = D_i \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, 90$$

Equation 3.3 may thus be expressed as,

$$g_{n+1}(W) = \sum_{i=0}^{100} g_n(X_i) C_i(W) \quad 3.4$$

where

$$C_i(W) = D_i J_0(WX_i) \approx D_i \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k \left(\frac{W}{2}\right)^{2k} X_i^{2k+1}}{(k!)^2}$$

Tables of values of $C_i(W)$ may be calculated and stored for subsequent use.

The method was tested on the IBM 360 models 40 and 65 computers for the special case $g_n(X) = 1$ in the range $0 \leq x \leq 1$. The values of $g_{n+1}(W)$ agreed to between 12 and 16 digits with the known values of the Airy pattern for values of W ranging from 0 to 10 in steps of 0.01. The accuracy decreased progressively for larger values of W . Since this method was accurate and efficient, it was used for the studies described in Chapter 4.

3.5 Integration Procedure for $S \neq 0$

As in section 3.4, this method involves the immediate application of the Newton-Cotes formula of integration. Consider first the integration of any function $f(X, \phi)$.

$$\int_0^{\phi_m} \int_0^{X_m} f(X, \phi) dX d\phi = \sum_{i=0}^I \sum_{j=0}^J f(X_i, \phi_j) D_i D_j \quad 3.5$$

where

$$D_{10} = 2AhB_{10}$$

$$D_i = AhB_i \quad i = 0, 1, \dots, 9$$

$$D_{i+10} = D_i \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, 90$$

A, h, B_i are defined by equation 3.1

If this is applied to equation 1.3, $f(X, \phi) = \frac{1}{2\pi} g_n(X, \phi) e^{iWX \cos(\phi - \theta)}$.

This function must be evaluated at many points throughout the region of integration. As in the special case of axial symmetry, the distribution of integration points was chosen for simplicity to be linear. i.e.

$$X_i = \frac{i}{I}, \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, I, \quad \phi_j = \frac{j}{J}, \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, J.$$

Before any calculations were attempted, a very rough estimate was made on the computer time which would be required for these calculations. In the special case of axial symmetry, the time taken to calculate each iteration was approximately 2 seconds on the IBM 360, model 65 computer and 60 seconds on the IBM 360 model 40 computer. In this case each iteration involved the calculation of 101 integrals each of which involves 101 terms. That is to say, each iteration involved roughly 10^4 terms. If for the case of non-axial symmetry it is assumed that $I = 50$ and $J = 200$, (corresponding to 10,000 points), each iteration involves 10^8 terms. That is, the case of non-axial symmetry requires the evaluation of 10^4 times more terms than for the case of axial symmetry. Assuming that the time required to process each term is the same for both cases, one iteration for non-axial symmetry would require approximately 5 hours on the IBM 360 model 65 and 170 hours on the IBM 360 model 40. Although these estimates are very rough, they do illustrate the difficulties involved in obtaining accurate results in a reasonable period of time. It should be emphasized that although reducing the values of I and J may reduce the computation time significantly, it may also reduce the accuracy significantly.

Since diffraction pattern quite often have rapid fluctuations, it is essential that the number of points of integration be high.

Fortunately, it was possible to reduce the computation time to 6.5 minutes on the IBM 360, model 65 without any decrease in accuracy by using the symmetry properties of equations 2.12 and 2.13. The special techniques for this are described in the following section.

3.5.1 Numerical Methods to Evaluate Equations 2.12 and 2.13.

In evaluating the integrals of equations 2.12 and 2.13, every possible use was made of the symmetry properties. To understand the method, it is first necessary to study two concepts which are now presented:

(1) Consider the particular case of equation 2.12 where $\theta = 0$. The integrals simplify to:

$$g_{n+1e}(W, 0, S) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_n} g_{ne}(X, \phi, S) [\cos(WX \cos \phi)] X dX d\phi \quad 3.6$$

$$g_{n+1o}(W, 0, S) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_n} g_{no}(X, \phi, S) [\sin(WX \cos \phi)] X dX d\phi$$

These functions may be calculated numerically according to equation 3.5 to obtain,

$$g_{n+1e}(W, O, S) = \sum_{i=0}^I \sum_{j=0}^J g_{ne}(X_i, \phi_j, S) C_{eij}(W)$$

3.7

$$g_{n+1o}(W, O, S) = \sum_{i=0}^I \sum_{j=0}^J g_{no}(X_i, \phi_j, S) C_{oij}(W)$$

where

$$C_{eij}(W) = [\cos(WX_i \cos \phi_j)] X_i D_i D_j$$

$$C_{oij}(W) = [\sin(WX_i \cos \phi_j)] X_i D_i D_j$$

The relationship between the values of $g_{ne}(X_i, \phi_j, S)$ and $g_{n+1}(W, O, S)$ depends on the coefficients $C_{eij}(W)$ which in turn are determined entirely by the geometric relationship between the points (W, O) on the surface $n+1$ and the point (X_i, ϕ_j) on the surface n . A similar statement can be made of the functions $g_{no}(X_i, \phi_j, S)$, $g_{n+1o}(W, O, S)$, and $C_{oij}(W)$.

(2). If the function $g_n(X, \phi, S)$ is rotated through an angle $\Delta\theta$, then the function $g_{n+1}(W, \theta, S)$ will be rotated through the same angle.

The new function $g'_{n+1}(W, \theta, S)$ is given by,

$$\begin{aligned}
 g'_{n+1}(W, \theta, S) &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_n} g_n(X, \phi + \Delta\theta, S) e^{iWX \cos(\phi - \theta)} X dX d\phi \\
 &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{A_n} g_n(X, \phi', S) e^{iWX \cos(\phi' - \theta - \Delta\theta)} X dX d\phi' \\
 &= g_{n+1}(W, \theta + \Delta\theta, S)
 \end{aligned} \tag{3.8}$$

It readily follows that the new even and odd functions are given by,

$$\begin{aligned}
 g'_{n+1e}(W, \theta, S) &= g_{n+1e}(W, \theta + \Delta\theta, S) \\
 g'_{n+1o}(W, \theta, S) &= g_{n+1o}(W, \theta + \Delta\theta, S)
 \end{aligned} \tag{3.9}$$

By rotating the functions $g_{ne}(X_i, \phi_j, S)$ and $g_{no}(X_i, \phi_j, S)$ through an angle ϕ_k , equations 3.7 become,

$$\begin{aligned}
 g_{n+1e}(W, \theta_k, S) &= \sum_{i=0}^I \sum_{j=0}^J g_{ne}(X_i, \phi_{j+k}, S) C_{eij}(W) \\
 g_{n+1o}(W, \theta_k, S) &= \sum_{i=0}^I \sum_{j=0}^J g_{no}(X_i, \phi_{j+k}, S) C_{oij}(W)
 \end{aligned} \tag{3.10}$$

Hence it becomes clear that the coefficients $C_{eij}(W)$ and $C_{oij}(W)$ may be used to calculate the functions $g_{n+1}(W, \theta, S)$ and $g_{n+1o}(W, \theta, S)$ not only for $\theta = 0$, but for any angle θ_k . The method therefore represents a considerable saving in computer time.

Furthermore, because of the symmetry properties of the functions $C_{eij}(W)$, $C_{oij}(W)$, $g_{ne}(X, \phi, S)$, $g_{no}(X, \phi, S)$, $g_{n+1e}(W, \theta, S)$ and $g_{n+1o}(W, \theta, S)$ about the axis $\phi = 0^\circ$ and $\phi = \pi/2$, calculations need only be performed over one quadrant - representing a further reduction in computer time.

The evaluation of the coefficients $C_{eij}(W)$ and $C_{oij}(W)$ involves the calculation of $\cos(WX \cos \phi)$ and $\sin(WX \cos \phi)$ for many values of W , X , and ϕ (assuming S is constant). Since the evaluation of each of these sine and cosine functions requires approximately 600μ seconds on the IBM 360, model 65, it would require in the order of 3 minutes to evaluate all the coefficients. This computation time may be reduced by the use of an iterative procedure: For constant ϕ and W , the argument of the sine and cosine functions increases by a constant amount as X changes from X_i to X_{i+1} .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Let } \Delta X &= X_{i+1} - X_i \\ A &= \cos(W\Delta X \cos \phi) \\ B &= \sin(W\Delta X \cos \phi) \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Then } \cos(WX_{i+1} \cos \phi) = A \cos(WX_i \cos \phi) - B \sin(WX_i \cos \phi) \quad 3.11$$

$$\sin(WX_{i+1} \cos \phi) = A \sin(WX_i \cos \phi) - B \cos(WX_i \cos \phi)$$

That is, the sine and cosine functions at the point X_{i+1} may be calculated in terms of the sine and cosine at the point X_i . For constant ϕ and W these functions need be evaluated only once - to obtain A and B . All other values may be obtained by repeated use of the equations 3.11.

3.6 Calculations Performed by the Computer Program

Using the equations 3.10, a computer program was developed to calculate the following functions which give detailed information for the design of channels.

(1) the normalized even function

$$\text{For } n \text{ even, } G_{ne}(X, \phi, S) = g_{ne}(X, \phi, S) / g_{ne}(0, 0, 0)$$

$$\text{For } n \text{ odd, } G_{ne}(W, \theta, S) = g_{ne}(W, \theta, S) / g_{ne}(0, 0, 0)$$

(2) the normalized odd function

$$\text{for } n \text{ even, } G_{no}(X, \phi, S) = g_{no}(X, \phi, S) / g_{no}(0, 0, 0)$$

$$\text{For } n \text{ odd, } G_{no}(W, \theta, S) = g_{no}(W, \theta, S) / g_{no}(\theta, 0, 0)$$

(3) the phase

$$\text{For } n \text{ even, } \psi_n = \tan^{-1} [g_{no}(X, \phi, S) / g_{ne}(X, \phi, S)]$$

(4) the normalized amplitude

$$\text{For } n \text{ even, } |G_n(X, \phi, S)| = \sqrt{[G_{ne}(X, \phi, S)]^2 + [G_{no}(X, \phi, S)]^2}$$

$$\text{For } n \text{ odd, } G_n(W, \theta, S) = G_{ne}(W, \theta, S) + i^{n+1} G_{no}(W, \theta, S)$$

(5) the even energy E_{ne} within a circle of radius W or X

$$\text{For } n \text{ even, } E_{ne}(X, S) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^X g_{ne}^2(X, \phi, S) X dX d\phi$$

$$\text{For } n \text{ odd, } E_{ne}(W, S) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^W g_{ne}^2(W, \theta, S) W dW d\theta$$

(6) the odd energy E_{oe} within a circle of radius W or X

$$\text{For } n \text{ even, } E_{no}(X, S) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^X g_{no}^2(X, \phi, S) X dX d\phi$$

$$\text{For } n \text{ odd, } E_{no}(W, S) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^W g_{no}^2(W, \theta, S) W dW d\theta$$

(7) the total energy E_t within a circle of radius W or X

$$\text{For } n \text{ even, } E_{nt}(X, S) = E_{no}(X, S) + E_{ne}(X, S)$$

$$\text{For } n \text{ odd, } E_{nt}(W, S) = E_{no}(W, S) + E_{ne}(W, S)$$

(8) the normalized even energy e_i within a circle of radius W or X

$$\text{For } n \text{ even, } e_{ne}(X, S) = \frac{E_{ne}(X, S)}{E_{nt}(0, 0)}$$

$$\text{For } n \text{ odd, } e_{ne}(W, S) = \frac{E_{ne}(W, S)}{E_{nt}(0, 0)}$$

(9) the normalized odd energy e_o within a circle of radius W or X

$$\text{For } n \text{ even, } e_{no}(X,S) = \frac{E_{no}(X,S)}{E_{nt}(0,0)}$$

$$\text{For } n \text{ odd, } e_{no}(W,S) = \frac{E_{no}(W,S)}{E_{nt}(0,0)}$$

(10) the normalized total energy e_t within a circle of radius W or X

$$\text{For } n \text{ even, } e_{nt}(X,S) = \frac{E_{nt}(X,S)}{E_{nt}(0,0)}$$

$$\text{For } n \text{ odd, } e_{nt}(W,S) = \frac{E_{nt}(W,S)}{E_{nt}(0,0)}$$

(11) the average angular even amplitude \bar{G}_e at radius W or X

$$\text{For } n \text{ even, } \bar{G}_{ne}(X,S) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} G_{ne}(X,\phi,S) d\phi$$

$$\text{For } n \text{ odd, } \bar{G}_{ne}(W,S) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} G_{ne}(W,\theta,S) d\theta$$

(12) the even function integral values EFI on the axis

$$\text{For } n \text{ even, } \text{EFI}(X,S) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^X g_{ne}(X,\phi,S) X dX d\phi$$

$$\text{For } n \text{ odd, } \text{EFI}(W,S) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^W g_{ne}(W,\theta,S) W dW d\theta$$

For convenience in analysis, a plot of each one dimensional distribution was made by the computer. The two dimensional functions G_e , G_o , ψ are evaluated at the points of a polar system having 51 equally spaced points on each of 51 radial lines which divide the quadrant into 50 equal angles. To aid in the analysis of these functions, it was decided to have the computer represent the calculations in three different ways:

- (1) the values for each radial line are tabulated with 16 digit accuracy.
- (2) plots of the distribution are made along every 10 radial line.
- (3) contour maps are constructed of each function as follows: The values are calculated for the points of a polar coordinate system and are normalized so that $g_n(0,0,0) = 100$. Each value is then approximated by the nearest integer. Thus for example, the Airy pattern would be presented by positive or negative integers ranging from 0 to 100. An approximate map of the values is then constructed by placing the appropriate integer at each point of a scaled coordinate system. This map then provides a display of the distribution. Since the values can not be placed by the computer on a polar coordinate system, they are placed on the closest corresponding points of a rectangular coordinate system. Each contour map is symmetrical about the axis $\theta = 0$ or $\phi = 0$. Therefore, only the half of each map from 0 to π is presented.

3.7 Accuracy check for the Computer Program.

In order to check the program for accuracy, we used a function which could be integrated analytically. From equation A6 of appendix A,

$$\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^1 g_o(X, \phi) e^{iWX \cos(\phi-\theta)} X dX d\phi = g_1(W, \theta) \quad 3.12$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} g_0(X, \phi) &= X^k \cos k \phi \\ g_1(W, \theta) &= i^k \cos k \theta \frac{J_{k+1}(W)}{W} \quad (W) \end{aligned}$$

The function $g_0(X, \phi)$ has the following symmetry properties:

$$\begin{aligned} g_0(X, \phi) &= g_0(X, -\phi) \\ g_0(X, \phi) &= g_0(X, \pi - \phi) \quad k \text{ even} \\ g_0(X, \phi) &= -g_0(X, \pi - \phi) \quad k \text{ odd} \end{aligned} \quad 3.13$$

Hence, by choosing k to be even or odd, functions which satisfy the same symmetry relations as the even and odd functions may be obtained.

We have

$$g_0(X, \phi) = g_{0e}(X, \phi) + g_{0o}(X, \phi) \quad 3.14$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} g_{0e}(X, \phi) &= X^m \cos m \phi \quad m \text{ even} \\ g_{0o}(X, \phi) &= X^n \cos n \phi \quad n \text{ odd} \end{aligned}$$

The result is a function $g_1(W, \theta)$ given by,

$$g_1(W, \theta) = g_{1e}(W, \theta) + g_{1o}(W, \theta) \quad 3.15$$

where

$$\begin{aligned} g_{1e}(W, \theta) &= \frac{i^m \cos m \theta J_{m+1}(W)}{W} \quad m \text{ even} \\ g_{1o}(W, \theta) &= \frac{i^n \cos n \theta J_{n+1}(W)}{W} \quad n \text{ odd} \end{aligned}$$

The general program was checked for the cases $(m = 2, n = 1)$, $(m = 4, n = 3)$, $(m = 6, n = 5)$ by comparing the results with values given by equation 3.15. The values of the Bessel functions of orders 1 and 2 were available to an accuracy greater than 16 digits from published tables but since the accuracy for orders higher than 2 was only 10 digits at most, a recursion relation was used for these orders:

$$J_{k+1}(W) = \frac{2k}{W} J_k(W) - J_{k-1}(W) \quad 3.16$$

For the case $n = 2, n = 1$, agreement between the two sets of results was found to vary from 9 digits at $W = 10$ to 14 digits at $W = 0$. For $m = 4, n = 3$ and for $m = 6, n = 5$ agreement varied from 2 digits at $W = 10$ to 4 digits at $W = 0$. The accuracy then appears to depend on how rapidly the input function varies with X and ϕ .

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Chapter 4

Mode Formation in a Diffraction Channel having Identical Circular Diaphragms.

It was stated in section 2.2 that there exist functions known as modes which have identical distributions on the reference surfaces Σ_n and Σ_{n+1} (figure 1.3) or equivalently on the planes n and $n+1$ in a diffraction channel having identical diaphragms. If an input function to a diffraction channel is iterated, there may be convergence to one of these modes. The transition of input functions to this steady state condition has been studied, iteration by iteration, in this investigation. Some insight is thus gained into the stability of the modes and the characteristics of the channel.

Although the study was performed on a hyperresolving system having identical diaphragms of radii defined by $A_n = 1$ for n even, and $A_n = W_m$ for n odd, the results may be readily applied to the homothetic channel with all identical diaphragms of radii defined by $A_n = \sqrt{W_m}$ as explained in section 2.3. This particular choice enables easy comparison of the final modes with those calculated by Lansraux; it has the disadvantage that iterated modes are alternately contracted and expanded so that the amplitude distributions in the odd planes must be defined by a new variable $w = W_m W$ to enable direct comparison of successive iterations.

Four different input distributions to the hyperresolving system were iterated - the uniform amplitude distribution of a point source on

the axis, the mode (0, 1), the mode (0, 2) and several sets of pseudo-random numbers. The modes (0, 1) and (0, 2), calculated by Lansraux are tabulated in figures 4.1 for $W_m = 1.0$ and are somewhat similar for other values of W_m .

With values of W_m ranging from .05 to 5 in steps of 0.5, each distribution was iterated until the amplitudes for two successive iterations agreed to 16 digits. The results of these calculations are described below:

4.1 Uniform Amplitude Input Function

For each value of W_m there was convergence toward the mode (0, 0) (dominant mode). The amplitude values of the final pattern agreed to within 12 digits of those calculated by Lansraux using a different process. As W_m was increased, more iterations were required for convergence to the dominant mode e.g. only 10 were required at $W_m = 0.5$ whereas 100 were required at $W_m = 5.0$. Sample patterns for several values of W_m are shown in figures 4.2 and 4.3.

In addition to calculating all the cases from $W_m = 0.05$ to $W_m = 5$ in steps of 0.5, the case $W_m = 10$ was attempted. However, the convergence is very slow for this case and after 40,000 iterations two successive iterations agreed to within only 2 digits. Because of the prohibitively high number of iterations required and the consequent long

computer time, no further iterations were performed for this case. An interesting feature of this case is that for the first few hundred iterations, each alternate diffraction pattern is almost identical and this situation is remarkably stable. Iterations 414, 415, 416, 417 in figure 4.4 illustrate this stability.

4.2 Mode (0, 1) Input Distribution

With the (0, 1) mode as input, the successive distributions were reasonably stable in the first few iterations, changing very little from iteration to iteration but progressively deviating from the (0, 1) mode. However, in a few further iterations there were rather spectacular changes in the distributions. For each value of W_m , the distributions changed dramatically from a distribution resembling the (0, 1) mode (which has positive and negative regions as shown in figures 4.1) to a distribution resembling the (0, 0) mode (which is always positive as shown in figures 4.1). This was followed by a gradual approach to the mode (0, 0). As W_m was increased the changes were slower. Figures 4.5 and 4.6 show the distributions for several cases. The conclusions obtained are that the mode (0, 1) is unstable for small values of W_m but that the stability increases with W_m .

4.3 Mode (0, 2) Input Distribution

The changes for this input distribution can be described in the same way as those for the mode (0, 1) above, except that they occur more rapidly. It is interesting to note that there was not convergence to the mode (0, 1) before convergence to the dominant mode. Figures 4.7 and 4.8 show that distributions for various cases.

4.4 Arbitrary Input Distributions

It was decided to check that several arbitrary distributions would also converge to the dominant mode. If a set of random numbers is iterated once by the computer program, the result is an arbitrary distribution suitable for further iterations since it has no discontinuities or rapid fluctuation. 5 different sets of pseudo-random numbers generated by an IBM subroutine (RANDU) were iterated once to give 5 different arbitrary distributions which were then iterated. There was convergence toward the dominant mode for each of these distributions.

4.5 Effect of Errors.

Some idea of the effect of errors on the calculations was obtained from two minor mistakes:

- (a) Many of the calculations were first performed with "single

precision" (8 digits). The calculations were then repeated with "double precision" (16 digits) and the two sets of amplitudes compared iteration by iteration. It was found that as the number of iterations increased, the difference between two corresponding amplitudes increased to a maximum and then decreased continuously as the distribution gradually converged to the dominant mode. In many cases the maximum difference was so great that none of the digits agreed. It was also found that for a given iteration the difference increased with W .

(b) For many of the calculations, each amplitude distribution was normalized to 1 at $W = 0$ and this normalized distribution was then printed and used as input for the next iteration. However, a process involving fewer operations and therefore more accuracy is to print values normalized to 1 at $W = 0$ but to use the unnormalized values as input for the next iteration. The calculations were repeated using this latter method and the two sets of amplitudes were compared iteration by iteration. The amplitudes showed the same type of changes as in (a).

4.6 Analysis of Calculations

All the distributions iterated converged to the dominant mode. It can be shown theoretically that any input distribution will in practice converge to the dominant mode. If we assume the set of modes $f_{pq}(X, \phi)$ is complete, any arbitrary input distribution can be expressed as a linear combination of these modes,

$$g_0(x, \phi) = \sum_p \sum_q C_{pq} f_{pq}(x, \phi) \quad 4.1$$

Substituting this into the right hand side of equation 1.1, the amplitude distribution after one iteration is obtained

$$g_1(W, \theta) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \sum_p \sum_q C_{pq} \int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} f_{pq}(x, \phi) e^{iWx \cos(\phi - \theta)} x dx d\phi \quad 4.2$$

By equation 2.5,

$$g_1(W, \theta) = \sum_p \sum_q C_{pq} K_{pq} f_{pq}(W, \theta) \quad 4.3$$

Using this distribution in the right hand side of 1.1 and repeating this iterative procedure, the distribution after I iterations can be obtained as,

$$g_I(W, \theta) = \sum_p \sum_q C_{pq} (K_{pq})^I f_{pq}(W, \theta) \quad 4.4$$

In the limit of large I, only the term belonging to the eigenvalue of largest magnitude will remain this being the dominant mode (0, 0). This then explains why each input function converges to the dominant mode. In the case where the input function is one of the higher modes, for example, the (0, 1) mode it may be expected that $C_{pq} = 0$ for $p \neq 0, q \neq 1$ and that this mode would remain stable since,

$$g_I(W, \theta) = C_{01} (K_{01})^I f_{01}(W, \theta) \quad 4.5$$

However, the condition that $C_{pq} = 0$ for $p \neq 0, q \neq 1$ can never be rigorously attained in practice since the calculations cannot be performed with perfect accuracy, the precision being limited by the number of digits available for each number (in the IBM 360, the number of digits is 16). Thus higher order modes will in practice converge to the dominant mode. This result has also been demonstrated by Lansraux using a different approach (unpublished work).

Mode (0, 1) WITH $W_m = 1.0$

W	Amplitude
0.0	0.9999999999999999 00
0.010	0.99975314533520850 00
0.020	0.99914939679872880 00
0.030	0.99808620119806600 00
0.040	0.99652783635788000 00
0.050	0.99448441130919590 00
0.060	0.99234606615231090 00
0.070	0.9895297214433050 00
0.080	0.98639533164670620 00
0.090	0.98278337809996720 00
0.100	0.97874737602553760 00
0.110	0.97428762099853310 00
0.120	0.96940443962516060 00
0.130	0.96409818951980970 00
0.140	0.95836925927821750 00
0.150	0.95221806844860740 00
0.160	0.94564506750052920 00
0.170	0.93865073779139720 00
0.180	0.93123559153074260 00
0.190	0.92340017174216530 00
0.200	0.91514505222300800 00
0.210	0.90647083750173420 00
0.220	0.89737816279303430 00
0.230	0.88786769395064420 00
0.240	0.87794012741789700 00
0.250	0.86759619017597600 00
0.260	0.85683663969002640 00
0.270	0.84566226385270110 00
0.280	0.83407388092584650 00
0.290	0.82207233947963800 00
0.300	0.80965851832958140 00
0.310	0.79683332647123080 00
0.320	0.78359770301278820 00
0.330	0.76995261710516620 00
0.340	0.7558905787022170 00
0.350	0.74143808432646600 00
0.360	0.72657072531267910 00
0.370	0.71125407940924420 00
0.380	0.69562126485752590 00
0.390	0.67954142947644030 00
0.400	0.66305975057703450 00
0.410	0.64617743487788050 00
0.420	0.62892571840952420 00
0.430	0.61121536042872650 00
0.440	0.59313917332153230 00
0.450	0.57460696250778460 00
0.460	0.55580058034288710 00
0.470	0.53654142601741720 00
0.480	0.51689089145460900 00
0.490	0.49685042120570630 00
0.500	0.47642148234319220 00
0.510	0.45560557035191190 00
0.520	0.43440420901808720 00
0.530	0.41281895031624000 00
0.540	0.39085137429402840 00
0.550	0.36850308895503430 00
0.560	0.34577573013931070 00
0.570	0.32267096140230570 00
0.580	0.29919047349115630 00
0.590	0.27533598621938000 00
0.600	0.25110924433936030 00
0.610	0.22651202141264700 00
0.620	0.20154611767942600 00
0.630	0.17621336032309480 00
0.640	0.15051560333659630 00
0.650	0.12445472738411180 00
0.660	0.98032639661738100-01
0.670	0.71251273756105900-01
0.680	0.44112589501043460-01
0.690	0.16818572832301740-01
0.700	-0.11228764359633580-01
0.710	-0.39427384378647320-01
0.720	-0.67975223873989400-01
0.730	-0.96870193493158100-01
0.740	-0.12611018053665480 00
0.750	-0.15569304411459640 00
0.760	-0.18561662030518030 00
0.770	-0.21587871981497470 00
0.780	-0.24647712864103980 00
0.790	-0.27740960823484910 00
0.800	-0.30867383566800920 00
0.810	-0.34026776379975980 00
0.820	-0.37219872144624020 00
0.830	-0.40443461355151020 00
0.840	-0.43700302135030820 00
0.850	-0.46989156259253740 00
0.860	-0.50309783161945800 00
0.870	-0.53661939964158110 00
0.880	-0.57045381400823600 00
0.890	-0.60455660269881140 00
0.900	-0.63905126590564300 00
0.910	-0.67380928481853610 00
0.920	-0.70887611751091240 00
0.930	-0.74423119493755010 00
0.940	-0.77988494637395150 00
0.950	-0.81584374910719480 00
0.960	-0.85203397712446700 00
0.970	-0.888462598007701400 00
0.980	-0.925144904343570270 00
0.990	-0.962057602377300930 00
1.000	-0.99914939679872880 00

FIGURE 4-1A

Mode (0, 2) WITH $W_m = 1.0$

W	Amplitude
0.0	0.999999999999999950 00
0.010	0.99938743390829330 00
0.020	0.99765050189050130 00
0.030	0.9949150262178370 00
0.040	0.99021426690478300 00
0.050	0.98472413718574760 00
0.060	0.97802806687724930 00
0.070	0.97013441948761040 00
0.080	0.96105316755723600 00
0.090	0.95079579140205390 00
0.100	0.93937529766431740 00
0.110	0.92680621767104700 00
0.120	0.91310460560044560 00
0.130	0.89828803645673580 00
0.140	0.88277560385361810 00
0.150	0.86538791760704660 00
0.160	0.84734710113763410 00
0.170	0.82827678868327090 00
0.180	0.80820212232251970 00
0.190	0.78714974880936880 00
0.200	0.76514781622000400 00
0.210	0.74222597041224000 00
0.220	0.71841535129839970 00
0.230	0.69374858893229360 00
0.240	0.66825979941118820 00
0.250	0.64198458059353770 00
0.260	0.61496000763337870 00
0.270	0.58722462833228370 00
0.280	0.55881845830982630 00
0.290	0.52978297599354480 00
0.300	0.50016111742943550 00
0.310	0.46995727091403560 00
0.320	0.43933727144418870 00
0.330	0.40822839502065840 00
0.340	0.37671935270176620 00
0.350	0.34486028458323840 00
0.360	0.31270275353057550 00
0.370	0.28029973877019750 00
0.380	0.24770567430572650 00
0.390	0.21497621716576560 00
0.400	0.18216869048459040 00
0.410	0.14934162641722450 00
0.420	0.11655498389035560 00
0.430	0.83870096190244400-01
0.440	0.51349663391997350-01
0.450	0.19057744623390800-C1
0.460	-0.12940249821082570-C1
0.470	-0.44577566528289700-C1
0.480	-0.75786117166507900-01
0.490	-0.10649648683849670 00
0.500	-0.13663794258539620 00
0.510	-0.16613844203960630 00
0.520	-0.19492464222477050 00
0.530	-0.22292190850094590 00
0.540	-0.25005432365301300 00
0.550	-0.27624469712031050 00
0.560	-0.30141457436548790 00
0.570	-0.32548424638049070 00
0.580	-0.34837275932756470 00
0.590	-0.36999792431313480 00
0.600	-0.39027632729237990 00
0.610	-0.40912333910225970 00
0.620	-0.42645312562074080 00
0.630	-0.44217865804991110 00
0.640	-0.456211172332065260 00
0.650	-0.46846293461647560 00
0.660	-0.47884174201409600 00
0.670	-0.48725644323831280 00
0.680	-0.49361419452867150 00
0.690	-0.49782102181538220 00
0.700	-0.49978183080192280 00
0.710	-0.49940042015170540 00
0.720	-0.49657949077616000 00
0.730	-0.49122065822153960 00
0.740	-0.48322446395172040 00
0.750	-0.47249038692423220 00
0.760	-0.45891685525669840 00
0.770	-0.44240125798085670 00
0.780	-0.42283995688125950 00
0.790	-0.40012829841574670 00
0.800	-0.37416062571471450 00
0.810	-0.34483029065619150 00
0.820	-0.31202966601367120 00
0.830	-0.27565015767362890 00
0.840	-0.23558221691961190 00
0.850	-0.19171535277973210 00
0.860	-0.14393414443438250 00
0.870	-0.92138253680924000-C1
0.880	-0.36202437452110130-01
0.890	0.23983439615119060-01
0.900	0.88534392563768200-01
0.910	0.15756630345726360 00
0.920	0.23119590867969170 00
0.930	0.30954078614926560 00
0.940	0.39271934279852200 00
0.950	0.48095040127480510 00
0.960	0.57405518761458200 00
0.970	0.67245231814526800 00
0.980	0.77616678666816160 00
0.990	0.88531795157623030 00
1.000	0.10000299229604960 C1

FIGURE 4.1 B

ITERATION 0 WITH $W_m = 1.0$, UNIFORM AMPLITUDE INPUT FUNCTION

W	Amplitude
0.0	0.99999999999999800 00
0.018	0.99998730005208300 00
0.020	0.99995000083332610 00
0.030	0.99988750421867050 00
0.040	0.99980001333288880 00
0.050	0.99968753255038790 00
0.060	0.99955006749493730 00
0.070	0.99938762503931760 00
0.080	0.99920021330489070 00
0.090	0.99898784166109060 00
0.100	0.99875052072483900 00
0.110	0.99848224235988560 00
0.120	0.99820107967605800 00
0.130	0.99788398702849100 00
0.140	0.99756200001652600 00
0.150	0.99719013548313510 00
0.160	0.99680341151347050 00
0.170	0.99639184743393520 00
0.180	0.99595546381093170 00
0.190	0.99549422244958070 00
0.200	0.99500832639235940 00
0.210	0.99449761991765840 00
0.220	0.99396218853826630 00
0.230	0.9934020589977730 00
0.240	0.99281725327892250 00
0.250	0.99220781858181520 00
0.260	0.99157374734213380 00
0.270	0.99091513721921950 00
0.280	0.99023196109609740 00
0.290	0.98952427307742420 00
0.300	0.98879210848735940 00
0.310	0.98803550380735070 00
0.320	0.98725449697384200 00
0.330	0.98644912677608950 00
0.340	0.98561943345330660 00
0.350	0.98476545839261550 00
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0.390	0.98110761063560890 00
0.400	0.98013284977659320 00
0.410	0.97913416071429510 00
0.420	0.97811147321330220 00
0.430	0.97706497822316780 00
0.440	0.97599442787523030 00
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0.460	0.97378217552066880 00
0.470	0.97264048365603840 00
0.480	0.97147515671073090 00
0.490	0.97028625267480030 00
0.500	0.96907383069949520 00
0.510	0.96783795109356720 00
0.520	0.96657867531795530 00
0.530	0.96529606598975800 00
0.540	0.96399018686272960 00
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0.560	0.96130887995679500 00
0.570	0.95993358538875890 00
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0.610	0.95428307315520310 00
0.620	0.952871346713295040 00
0.630	0.951420121603178790 00
0.640	0.94998663948407560 00
0.650	0.948510907964589190 00
0.660	0.947052534762926190 00
0.670	0.94562727706060570 00
0.680	0.944230294729334490 00
0.690	0.94285643876128170 00
0.700	0.941505783297159640 00
0.710	0.9401829721250078820 00
0.720	0.93888466098934060 00
0.730	0.937603026313653360 00
0.740	0.9363309410469517830 00
0.750	0.9350731827246629860 00
0.760	0.933825285429374040 00
0.770	0.932589593905872130 00
0.780	0.931365361667431830 00
0.790	0.930152997807989740 00
0.800	0.9289510511523542460 00
0.810	0.92775912111586730 00
0.820	0.92657720397032510 00
0.830	0.9254052411599125930 00
0.840	0.924243552959585960 00
0.850	0.92309172658377740 00
0.860	0.9219495550582875970 00
0.870	0.9208172473263494370 00
0.880	0.9196947350691704810 00
0.890	0.9185828192955693230 00
0.900	0.917481010239734630 00
0.910	0.916389312823563170 00
0.920	0.91530786611081736970 00
0.930	0.914236419482999740 00
0.940	0.9131750236584614340 00
0.950	0.91212365295056749490 00
0.960	0.9110823971631781510 00
0.970	0.9100511967153650320 00
0.980	0.90902902552187910 00
0.990	0.9080169847439310 00
1.000	0.907014945996690 00

FIGURE 4.2A

ITERATION 1 WITH $W_m = 1.0$ AND UNIFORM AMPLITUDE INPUT FUNCTION

W	Amplitude		
0.0	0.9999999999999800	00	:
0.010	0.99998776008992070	00	:
0.020	0.99995104098436770	00	:
0.030	0.99989884443735600	00	:
0.040	0.99980417353212010	00	:
0.050	0.99969403248092250	00	:
0.060	0.99955942672480550	00	:
0.070	0.999400034291322640	00	:
0.080	0.99921684890367250	00	:
0.090	0.99900089374115980	00	:
0.100	0.99877650775767440	00	:
0.110	0.99851970237153460	00	:
0.120	0.99823849028668010	00	:
0.130	0.99793288539184490	00	:
0.140	0.99760290277989620	00	:
0.150	0.99724855874649910	00	:
0.160	0.99686987078950600	00	:
0.170	0.99646685760767130	00	:
0.180	0.99603953909953330	00	:
0.190	0.99558793536217950	00	:
0.200	0.99511207168993950	00	:
0.210	0.99461196857300250	00	:
0.220	0.99408765169596240	00	:
0.230	0.99353914593628660	00	:
0.240	0.99296648136271230	00	:
0.250	0.99236968323357040	00	:
0.260	0.99174878199503210	00	:
0.270	0.99110380827928620	00	:
0.280	0.99043479390264000	00	:
0.290	0.98974177186354350	00	:
0.300	0.98902477634056970	00	:
0.310	0.98828384269024710	00	:
0.320	0.98751900744492020	00	:
0.330	0.98673030831046120	00	:
0.340	0.98591778416394010	00	:
0.350	0.985081747505121620	00	:
0.360	0.98422142218445890	00	:
0.370	0.98333764793959460	00	:
0.380	0.98243025585369100	00	:
0.390	0.98149923062224380	00	:
0.400	0.98054463807642930	00	:
0.410	0.97956652528025610	00	:
0.420	0.97856494032765770	00	:
0.430	0.97753993253951390	00	:
0.440	0.97649155236059900	00	:
0.450	0.97541985137646110	00	:
0.460	0.97432488231023080	00	:
0.470	0.97320669901936060	00	:
0.480	0.97206535649229250	00	:
0.490	0.97090091084505900	00	:
0.500	0.96971341931781180	00	:
0.510	0.96850294027128380	00	:
0.520	0.96726953318318080	00	:
0.530	0.96601323864750350	00	:
0.540	0.96473417835981270	00	:
0.550	0.96343235512339600	00	:
0.560	0.96210785285540870	00	:
0.570	0.96076073655791400	00	:
0.580	0.95939107233087090	00	:
0.590	0.95799892735405180	00	:
0.600	0.95658436993289350	00	:
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0.650	0.94917736091211260	00	:
0.660	0.94763032273684740	00	:
0.670	0.94606088006151840	00	:
0.680	0.94446930968960920	00	:
0.690	0.9428565894697540	00	:
0.700	0.94122189829204590	00	:
0.710	0.93956561608095880	00	:
0.720	0.93788782379263820	00	:
0.730	0.93618860340880440	00	:
0.740	0.934468803793192450	00	:
0.750	0.93272621138010000	00	:
0.760	0.93096320878189350	00	:
0.770	0.92917911617109290	00	:
0.780	0.92737402058141690	00	:
0.790	0.92554801004115850	00	:
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0.830	0.91803661344526810	00	:
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0.850	0.91415778636071950	00	:
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0.870	0.91019787475818090	00	:
0.880	0.90818775231261530	00	:
0.890	0.90615764868015120	00	:
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0.920	0.89994844126581220	00	:
0.930	0.89783940809433760	00	:
0.940	0.89571083592282960	00	:
0.950	0.89356300791648800	00	:
0.960	0.89139584813515760	00	:
0.970	0.88920952152695270	00	:
0.980	0.88700413392182410	00	:
0.990	0.88477979202508300	00	:
1.000	0.88253660341086120	00	:

FIGURE . 4.2B

ITERATION 29 WITH $W_m = 1.0$, UNIFORM AMPLITUDE INPUT FUNCTION

W	Amplitude
0.000	0.9999999999999999 00
0.010	0.99998776021847235 00
0.020	0.99995104148150380 00
0.030	0.99988984560410360 00
0.040	0.99980417561428010 00
0.050	0.99969403575025300 00
0.060	0.99955943146071160 00
0.070	0.9994003654047830 00
0.080	0.99921685745008480 00
0.090	0.99900890467530100 00
0.100	0.99877652136655580 00
0.110	0.99851971901830520 00
0.120	0.99823851033231700 00
0.130	0.99793290921688350 00
0.140	0.99760293078595570 00
0.150	0.99724859135820710 00
0.160	0.99687990845601900 00
0.170	0.99646690080439330 00
0.180	0.99603958832978940 00
0.190	0.99558799215886740 00
0.200	0.99511213461727750 00
0.210	0.99461203922807300 00
0.220	0.99408773071045050 00
0.230	0.99353923497811490 00
0.240	0.99296657913769330 00
0.250	0.99236979148704900 00
0.260	0.99174890151353010 00
0.270	0.99110393989213430 00
0.280	0.99043493848361100 00
0.290	0.98974193033248010 00
0.300	0.98902494966498310 00
0.310	0.98828403188676070 00
0.320	0.98751921358165660 00
0.330	0.98673053250744620 00
0.340	0.98591802759549680 00
0.350	0.98508173894735200 00
0.360	0.98422170763244460 00
0.370	0.98333797658554010 00
0.380	0.98243058910410140 00
0.390	0.98149954924558950 00
0.400	0.98054502482468690 00
0.410	0.979566694111045340 00
0.420	0.97855338092346090 00
0.430	0.97754041163253500 00
0.440	0.97649206575223800 00
0.450	0.97542043093919590 00
0.460	0.97432546599091790 00
0.470	0.97320732683374640 00
0.480	0.97206602653695400 00
0.490	0.97090162529190270 00
0.500	0.96971418041727700 00
0.510	0.96850375035379380 00
0.520	0.96727039466058000 00
0.530	0.96601417401150420 00
0.540	0.96473515019138470 00
0.550	0.96343338609220370 00
0.560	0.96210894570919660 00
0.570	0.96076189413684640 00
0.580	0.95939224756510810 00
0.590	0.95800022327481500 00
0.600	0.95658573963401640 00
0.610	0.95514891609350350 00
0.620	0.95368982318256210 00
0.630	0.95220353250461780 00
0.640	0.95070511573280660 00
0.650	0.94917964960548800 00
0.660	0.94763220592168610 00
0.670	0.94606286153647320 00
0.680	0.94447169335629100 00
0.690	0.94285877933415000 00
0.700	0.94122419846494310 00
0.710	0.93956803078041280 00
0.720	0.93789035734431950 00
0.730	0.93619126024740200 00
0.740	0.93447082260231700 00
0.750	0.93272912853851550 00
0.760	0.93098626319705140 00
0.770	0.92918231272533660 00
0.780	0.92737736427182630 00
0.790	0.92555150594806500 00
0.800	0.92370462698618070 00
0.810	0.92183741740754450 00
0.820	0.91994935834306310 00
0.830	0.91804077146466990 00
0.840	0.91611172101219330 00
0.850	0.91416230978767690 00
0.860	0.91219263314457860 00
0.870	0.91020278700916000 00
0.880	0.90819286821339770 00
0.890	0.90616297450140320 00
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0.920	0.89995443633241720 00
0.930	0.89784563473394150 00
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FIGURE 4.2C

ITERATION 0 WITH $W_m = 5.0$, UNIFORM AMPLITUDE INPUT FUNCTION

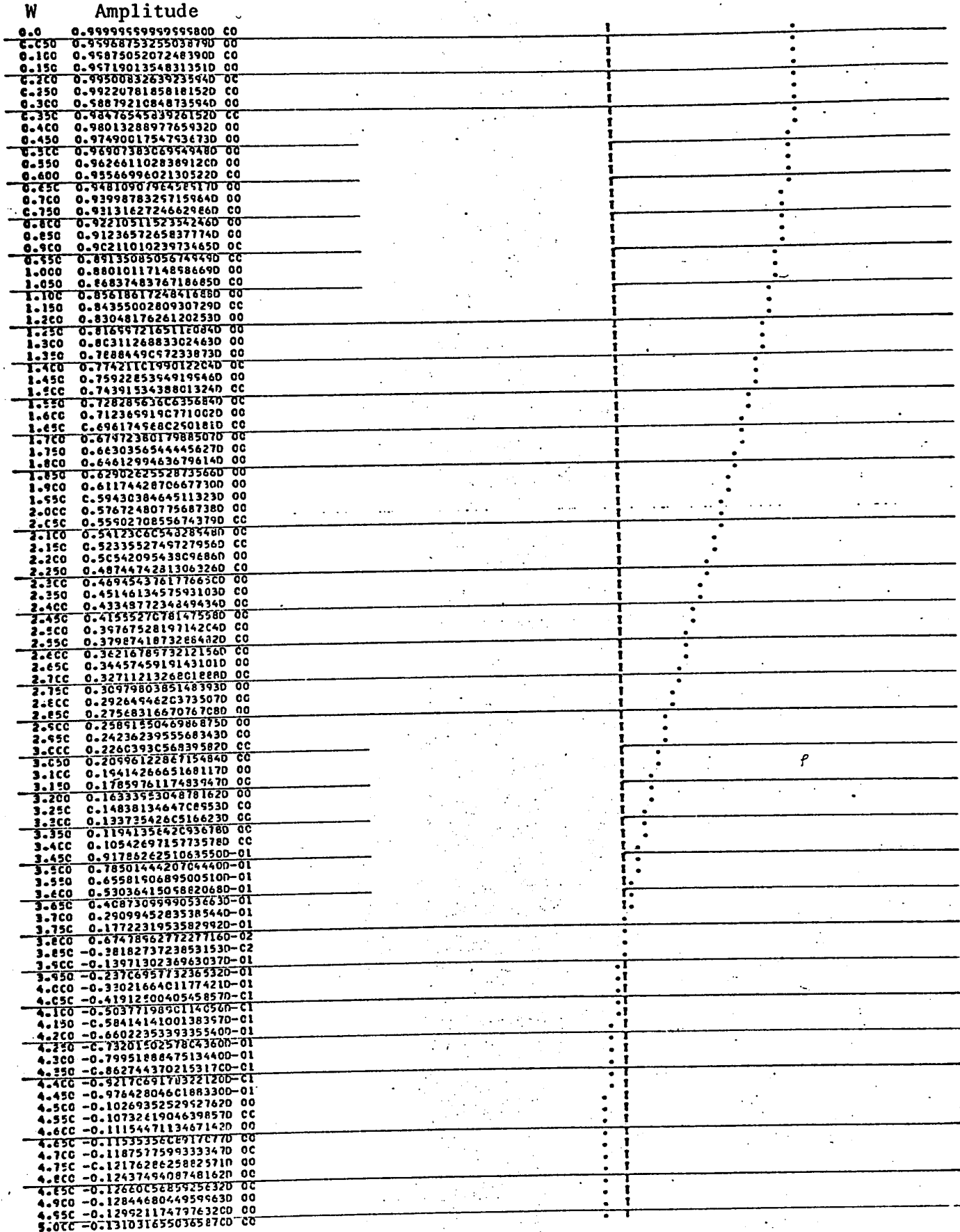


FIGURE 4.3A

ITERATION 1 WITH $W_m = 5.0$, UNIFORM AMPLITUDE INPUT FUNCTION

W	Amplitude				
0.0	0.99999999999999800	00			
0.050	0.99997527769978190	00			
0.100	0.99990101195677700	00			
0.150	0.99977690549010740	00			
0.200	0.99960246332843960	00			
0.250	0.99937700905082240	00			
0.300	0.99909964652162680	00			
0.350	0.99876930711466700	00			
0.400	0.99838472842198970	00			
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0.500	0.99744681923741980	00			
0.550	0.99689017106369390	00			
0.600	0.99627235654521600	00			
0.650	0.99559128770361170	00			
0.700	0.99484463141914620	00			
0.750	0.99402997931638130	00			
0.800	0.99314465208144520	00			
0.850	0.99218590645740140	00			
0.900	0.99115084252367810	00			
0.950	0.99003443094455190	00			
1.000	0.98883952087092630	00			
1.050	0.98755684805890380	00			
1.100	0.98618504332792040	00			
1.150	0.98472064132053020	00			
1.200	0.98316089545291400	00			
1.250	0.98149975748358950	00			
1.300	0.97973594714066560	00			
1.350	0.97786450082059900	00			
1.400	0.97588281310749600	00			
1.450	0.97378594001071040	00			
1.500	0.97157010951551020	00			
1.550	0.96923173201225290	00			
1.600	0.96676621088683590	00			
1.650	0.96417145318690230	00			
1.700	0.96144178036209310	00			
1.750	0.95857393905244850	00			
1.800	0.95556411190194570	00			
1.850	0.95240652837408660	00			
1.900	0.94910347554642070	00			
1.950	0.94564530826091400	00			
2.000	0.942030468280712650	00			
2.050	0.93825546151530460	00			
2.100	0.93431052923663290	00			
2.150	0.93021160068810580	00			
2.200	0.92593633123575140	00			
2.250	0.92148810652221530	00			
2.300	0.91686405423308430	00			
2.350	0.91206144972070370	00			
2.400	0.90707772932469360	00			
2.450	0.90191045745282980	00			
2.500	0.89655753577449450	00			
2.550	0.89101481171144200	00			
2.600	0.88528486507250900	00			
2.650	0.87936492355744380	00			
2.700	0.87325065488295170	00			
2.750	0.86694258923311900	00			
2.800	0.86043951828271340	00			
2.850	0.85374102306681110	00			
2.900	0.846846277984100430	00			
2.950	0.83975510555175600	00			
3.000	0.83246746284534400	00			
3.050	0.82498356423378400	00			
3.100	0.81730387813129390	00			
3.150	0.80942912856997610	00			
3.200	0.80136030222166580	00			
3.250	0.79309864908220400	00			
3.300	0.78464568499271280	00			
3.350	0.77600319326482960	00			
3.400	0.76717322579456670	00			
3.450	0.75815810366095300	00			
3.500	0.74898041720662720	00			
3.550	0.73958302555856660	00			
3.600	0.73002405586841480	00			
3.650	0.72030190143208170	00			
3.700	0.71040522009102150	00			
3.750	0.70034293151652050	00			
3.800	0.69011921422105720	00			
3.850	0.67973850209869000	00			
3.900	0.66920547999604330	00			
3.950	0.65852507995217930	00			
4.000	0.64770247539518890	00			
4.050	0.63674307602361030	00			
4.100	0.62565252175032880	00			
4.150	0.61443667626325020	00			
4.200	0.60310162013634230	00			
4.250	0.59165354750324460	00			
4.300	0.58009723830452150	00			
4.350	0.56844505013646880	00			
4.400	0.55669205967422330	00			
4.450	0.54486522375470150	00			
4.500	0.53295376606568150	00			
4.550	0.52097106749988990	00			
4.600	0.50892454617823430	00			
4.650	0.49682215716183930	00			
4.700	0.48467138187253960	00			
4.750	0.47248021724100670	00			
4.800	0.46025654602713200	00			
4.850	0.44800281836232360	00			
4.900	0.43574485444756540	00			
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5.000	0.41120161434283200	00			

FIGURE 4.3B

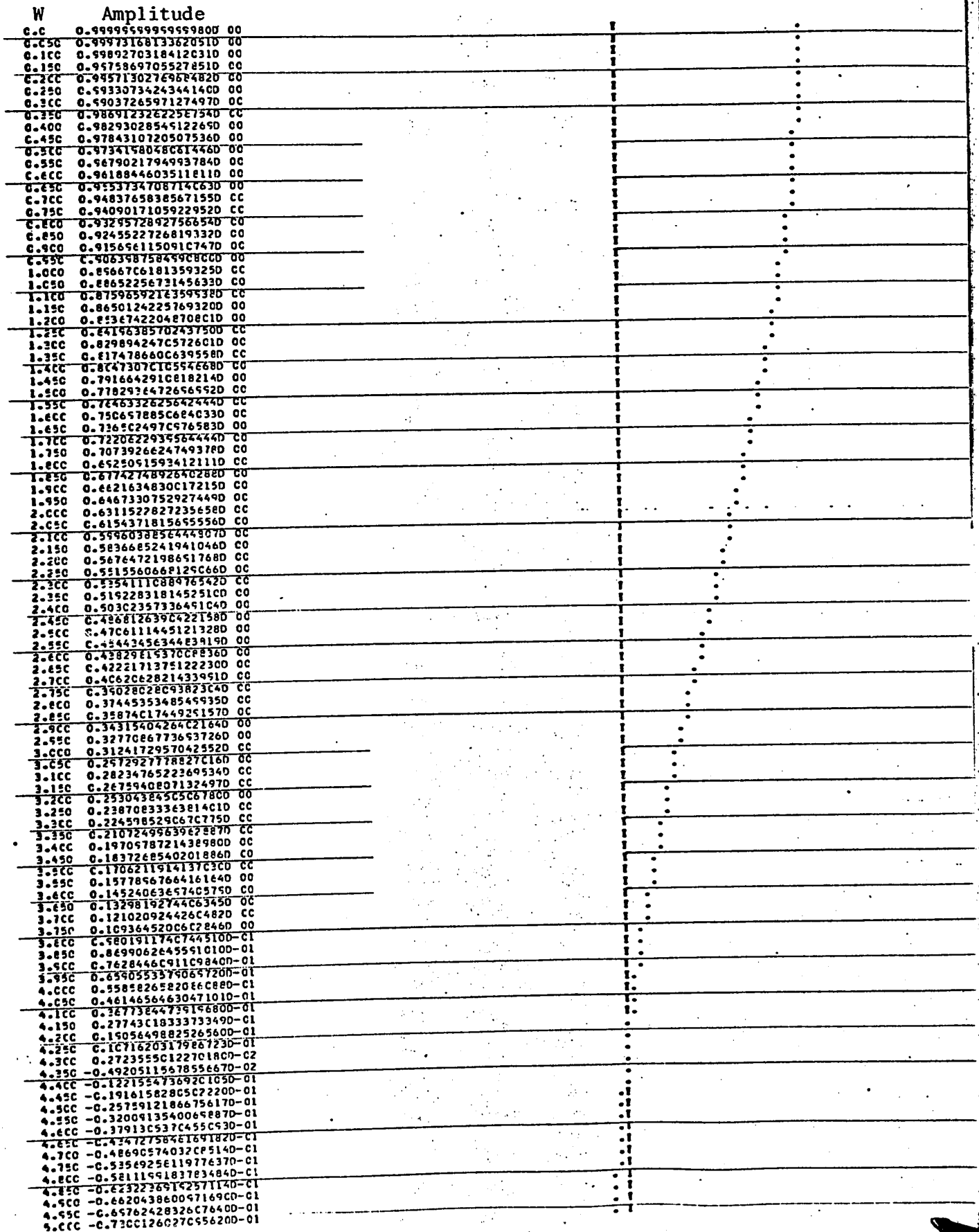
ITERATION 2 WITH $W_m = 5.0$, UNIFORM AMPLITUDE INPUT FUNCTION

FIGURE 4.3C

ITERATION 3 WITH $W_m = 5.0$, UNIFORM AMPLITUDE INPUT FUNCTION

W	Amplitude				
C.C	0.49999599959999800	CO			
0.050	0.99988852554129350	00			
0.100	0.99955414989028660	00			
C.150	0.99899700122714400	CO			
0.200	0.99821729920147610	00			
C.250	0.99721934995605980	00			
C.300	0.99599154715947970	00			
0.350	0.99454637204712280	00			
C.400	0.99288039346980000	00			
0.450	0.99099426794912430	00			
0.500	0.98888739738582100	00			
C.550	0.98656464088514950	00			
C.600	0.98402289131808660	00			
C.650	0.98126449897944450	00			
0.700	0.97829055943467000	00			
0.750	0.97510225692154590	00			
0.800	0.97170086341960110	00			
C.850	0.96808773920596600	00			
C.900	0.96426433282756660	00			
0.950	0.96023218110341420	00			
1.000	0.95599290919465430	00			
1.050	0.95154823059993850	00			
1.100	0.94689947157589800	00			
1.150	0.94204594902395590	00			
1.200	0.93700021462926100	00			
1.250	0.93175281060820800	00			
1.300	0.92630589170252160	00			
1.350	0.92067370063257440	00			
1.400	0.91484256743514910	00			
1.450	0.90883091176471240	00			
1.500	0.90262523765434360	00			
1.550	0.89624413823484910	00			
1.600	0.88967829290759920	00			
1.650	0.88293446746501510	00			
1.700	0.87601355136834280	00			
1.750	0.86892436880166920	00			
1.800	0.86166405502177350	00			
1.850	0.85423767889016550	00			
1.900	0.846644843063932200	00			
1.950	0.83889558345991260	00			
2.000	0.83099449270451780	00			
2.050	0.82293659502038750	00			
2.100	0.81472440740975450	00			
2.150	0.80637652620833280	00			
2.200	0.79788162600070460	00			
2.250	0.78924845843546860	00			
2.300	0.78048285087309930	00			
2.350	0.77158270554363390	00			
2.400	0.76255799711543310	00			
2.450	0.75341077220000000	00			
2.500	0.74414514721028860	00			
2.550	0.73476530680260450	00			
2.600	0.72527550207534670	00			
2.650	0.71568004869329900	00			
2.700	0.70599332491734060	00			
2.750	0.69618576954014170	00			
2.800	0.68630387972788500	00			
2.850	0.67633020876785480	00			
2.900	0.66627336372191370	00			
2.950	0.65613800258612630	00			
3.000	0.64592883375696060	00			
3.050	0.63565060940475000	00			
3.100	0.62530012675528620	00			
3.150	0.61490622328062560	00			
3.200	0.60444977420045730	00			
3.250	0.59394368949552180	00			
3.300	0.58339291083486740	00			
3.350	0.57280240841895910	00			
3.400	0.56217717774041200	00			
3.450	0.55152223626601430	00			
3.500	0.54084220040956750	00			
3.550	0.53014338021747570	00			
3.600	0.51942557951786760	00			
3.650	0.50870028882192550	00			
3.700	0.49797858249582150	00			
3.750	0.48725153665790820	00			
3.800	0.47653022338001530	00			
3.850	0.4658157078389740	00			
3.900	0.45512504436903710	00			
3.950	0.44444512721562180	00			
4.000	0.43380341167142460	00			
4.050	0.42318646044279660	00			
4.100	0.41260538905553670	00			
4.150	0.40206513710578340	00			
4.200	0.39157060907464310	00			
4.250	0.38112667026765560	00			
4.300	0.37073814268514100	00			
4.350	0.36040560912940300	00			
4.400	0.35014038011193100	00			
4.450	0.33995251141087540	00			
4.500	0.32983283892790200	00			
4.550	0.31976189417267000	00			
4.600	0.30983415354497330	00			
4.650	0.29996402118027450	00			
4.700	0.29018582549335420	00			
4.750	0.28050381514137100	00			
4.800	0.27092215514035860	00			
4.850	0.26144923037494600	00			
4.900	0.25207610514425010	00			
4.950	0.24281459783932000	00			
5.000	0.23367517893774160	00			

FIGURE 4.3D

ITERATION 4 WITH $W_m = 5.0$, UNIFORM AMPLITUDE INPUT FUNCTION

W	Amplitude
0.0	0.999959959999800 CO
0.050	0.99975829114800160 CO
0.100	0.99903342634795210 CO
0.150	0.99782619049420270 CO
0.200	0.995613789049567490 CC
0.250	0.99397035343151110 CO
0.300	0.99132592350527820 CO
0.350	0.98820746074200880 CC
0.400	0.98461833289356920 CO
0.450	0.98056241464305130 CO
0.500	0.97604408008808070 CO
0.550	0.97106819691607280 CO
0.600	0.96564011949168480 CO
0.650	0.95978502115779990 CO
0.700	0.95345118625252320 CO
0.750	0.94670340006657690 CO
0.800	0.93952554270008200 CO
0.850	0.931937272644137810 CO
0.900	0.92393468156634740 CO
0.950	0.91553028191416100 CO
1.000	0.90673299148124940 CO
1.050	0.89755212485858800 CO
1.100	0.88799737833210090 CC
1.150	0.87802816667433100 CO
1.200	0.86780685900125500 CC
1.250	0.85719225426201370 CO
1.300	0.84624611614378590 CO
1.350	0.83497980745757780 CO
1.400	0.82340502528506740 CC
1.450	0.81153373276036480 CO
1.500	0.79937815450604540 CO
1.550	0.78695075274496770 CO
1.600	0.77426424035018400 CO
1.650	0.76133150335540510 CC
1.700	0.74816564332898820 CC
1.750	0.73476929464688600 CO
1.800	0.72118778652271110 CC
1.850	0.70740277661480070 CO
1.900	0.69343858086729420 CO
1.950	0.67930052099117600 CO
2.000	0.66502784078824300 CC
2.050	0.65060908762251290 CC
2.100	0.6360669338597150 CC
2.150	0.62141465848765110 CO
2.200	0.606666558839518110 CO
2.250	0.59183768025670460 CO
2.300	0.57694070213301610 CO
2.350	0.56198997536673010 CO
2.400	0.54699935661717750 CO
2.450	0.53198262008825110 CO
2.500	0.51695343957630840 CC
2.550	0.50192537316473570 CC
2.600	0.48691164219126210 CC
2.650	0.47192611851358940 CO
2.700	0.45698130609816730 CO
2.750	0.44209032535659680 CO
2.800	0.42726585745308620 CO
2.850	0.41250529005967600 CO
2.900	0.39786449720537860 CO
2.950	0.38331583536345460 CO
3.000	0.36888031895255170 CC
3.050	0.35457145204616350 CC
3.100	0.34040045435628990 CC
3.150	0.32637824871010450 CC
3.200	0.31251544508783250 CC
3.250	0.29882234920273730 CO
3.300	0.28530891164316520 CC
3.350	0.27198475759053940 CO
3.400	0.25885915712617400 CO
3.450	0.24594102013870590 CC
3.500	0.2332388784289100 CO
3.550	0.22076092451938970 CO
3.600	0.20851491228409470 CO
3.650	0.19650824049442840 CO
3.700	0.18474790379891830 CO
3.750	0.17324049483523790 CO
3.800	0.16199216998077050 CO
3.850	0.15100879525867050 CO
3.900	0.14029564350086990 CO
3.950	0.12985769066973970 CO
4.000	0.11969946483621010 CO
4.050	0.10982507431452120 CO
4.100	0.10023820704984430 CO
4.150	0.90942130555491500-C1
4.200	0.81939692464374200-O1
4.250	0.73233521889465100-O1
4.300	0.64825031025576600-O1
4.350	0.56716417824837870-C1
4.400	0.48908669036685310-O1
4.450	0.41402563882336290-O1
4.500	0.34158478352730190-C1
4.550	0.27296390077979410-O1
4.600	0.20695683765430830-C1
4.650	0.14396157142547800-C1
4.700	0.083960277401367530-O2
4.750	0.24939394499593400-O2
4.800	-0.27170294087392600-O2
4.850	-0.78241582163050800-C2
4.900	-0.12645075767751530-C1
4.950	-0.17177750783138960-O1
5.000	-0.21425482837851410-O1

FIGURE 4.3E

ITERATION 5 WITH $w_m = 5.0$, UNIFORM AMPLITUDE INPUT FUNCTION

w	Amplitude
0.0	0.9999999999999800 CC
0.050	0.9998488888888697670 00
0.100	0.99939565664931600 00
0.150	0.998640640080099900 00
0.200	0.99758438669798070 00
0.250	0.99622766538762290 00
0.300	0.99457146339881180 00
0.350	0.99261696353536610 00
0.400	0.99036565204200760 00
0.450	0.98781509900000430 00
0.500	0.98497917487667780 00
0.550	0.98184793957619450 00
0.600	0.97842766222011350 00
0.650	0.97472081886203330 00
0.700	0.97073009002728570 00
0.750	0.96645835803859920 00
0.800	0.96190870414487010 00
0.850	0.95708440545442600 00
0.900	0.95198893167636960 00
0.950	0.94662594167386060 00
1.000	0.94099927983334590 00
1.050	0.93511297225403380 00
1.100	0.92897122276205650 00
1.150	0.92257840875399160 00
1.200	0.91593907687462910 00
1.250	0.90905753853400780 00
1.300	0.90193986526898450 00
1.350	0.89468588395473360 00
1.400	0.88701317187175080 00
1.450	0.87921505163431170 00
1.500	0.87120098598556670 00
1.550	0.86297657246660110 00
1.600	0.85454753756432190 00
1.650	0.84591973314529890 00
1.700	0.83709912478173780 00
1.750	0.82809179997616560 00
1.800	0.81890394029152030 00
1.850	0.8095418357537180 00
1.900	0.80001184901116030 00
1.950	0.79032051082536140 00
2.000	0.78047431428759890 00
2.050	0.77047590838076450 00
2.100	0.76034399172626900 00
2.150	0.75007332624560250 00
2.200	0.73967473078338920 00
2.250	0.72915507469918320 00
2.300	0.71852127143352240 00
2.350	0.70778027206760130 00
2.400	0.69685390586474890 00
2.450	0.68580046387470390 00
2.500	0.67468403697180540 00
2.550	0.66348842905805440 00
2.600	0.65221244199762480 00
2.650	0.64084755326469230 00
2.700	0.629380180596581230 00
2.750	0.61783463415851380 00
2.800	0.606144470576563750 00
2.850	0.5943596017255963630 00
2.900	0.58248665549043630 00
2.950	0.570530839884034250 00
3.000	0.55848301457247270 00
3.050	0.546350771120870250 00
3.100	0.534156884101540500 00
3.150	0.521906389424539040 00
3.200	0.5096155649347925730 00
3.250	0.497209218807190690 00
3.300	0.48470844871002080 00
3.350	0.47212468208209460 00
3.400	0.45948271256544680 00
3.450	0.44678204275461010 00
3.500	0.434048551726678220 00
3.550	0.421285435492049350 00
3.600	0.408496202985160810 00
3.650	0.395674673727032970 00
3.700	0.382830333158285360 00
3.750	0.370063735266635320 00
3.800	0.357275421218948770 00
3.850	0.344465919367604820 00
3.900	0.331645744678865710 00
3.950	0.318815398417280220 00
4.000	0.305975367807323450 00
4.050	0.293125712571255210 00
4.100	0.280274813033255740 00
4.150	0.26742249117873420 00
4.200	0.25456937503197860 00
4.250	0.24171580658945350 00
4.300	0.228862251261423030 00
4.350	0.215999130221711630 00
4.400	0.203135082593384320 00
4.450	0.19027356799155020 00
4.500	0.1774078965076525130 00
4.550	0.164542083042473730 00
4.600	0.151676549627213240 00
4.650	0.1388117027007290 00
4.700	0.125943100526025320 00
4.750	0.11307898537183720 00
4.800	0.100211872511900610 00
4.850	0.087345692562866730 00
4.900	0.074476459240221160 00
4.950	0.061603109240221160 00
5.000	0.0487263094696620 00

FIGURE 4.3F

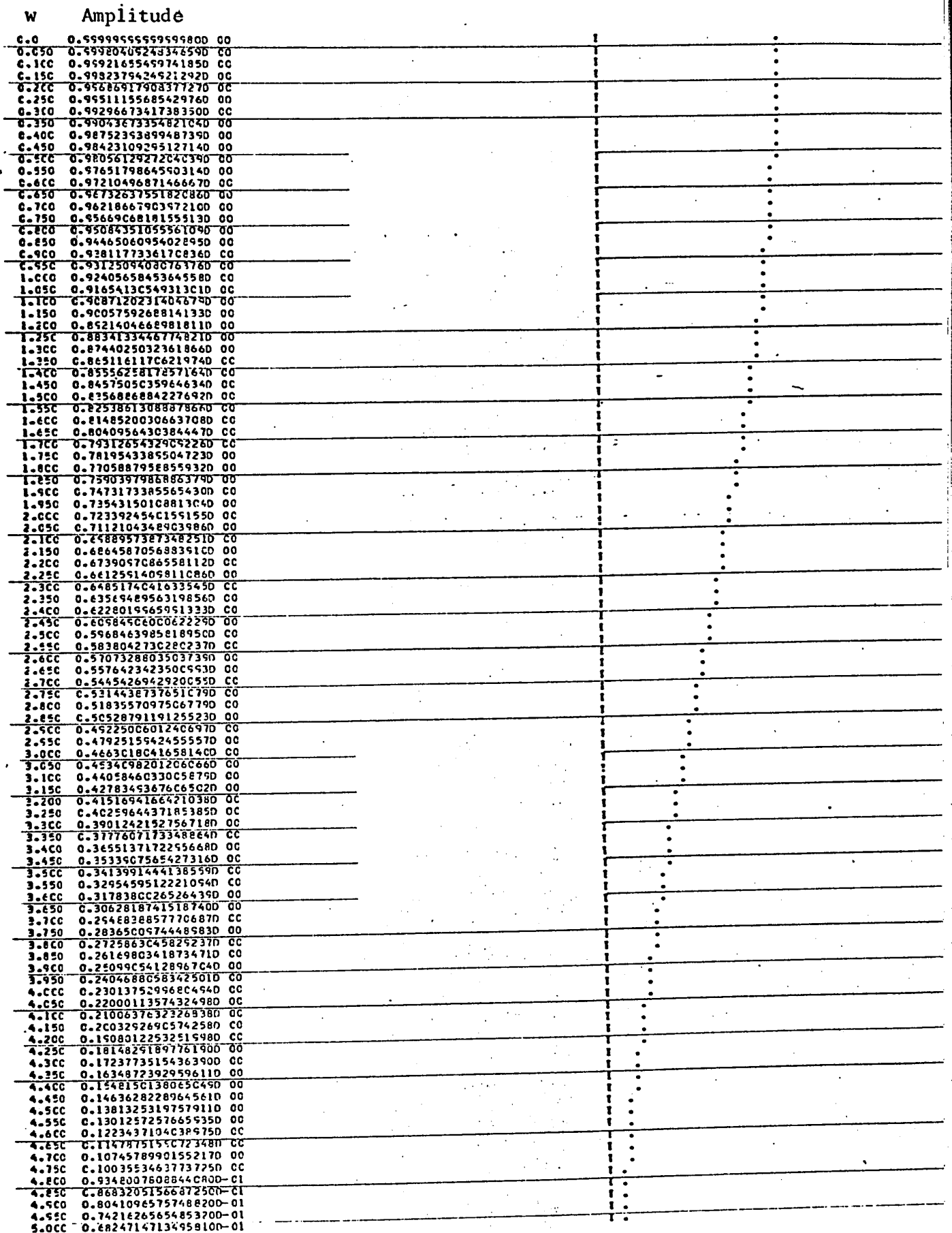
ITERATION 121 WITH $w_m = 5.0$, UNIFORM AMPLITUDE INPUT FUNCTION

FIGURE 4.3G

ITERATION 122 WITH $W_m = 5.0$, UNIFORM AMPLITUDE INPUT FUNCTION

W	Amplitude
0.0	0.9999999999999800 00
0.050	0.99920409248346590 00
0.100	0.99921655499741850 00
0.150	0.99823754249212920 00
0.200	0.99686917908377270 00
0.250	0.99511155685429760 00
0.300	0.99296673417383500 00
0.350	0.99073573354821040 00
0.400	0.98752353899487390 00
0.450	0.98423109295127140 00
0.500	0.98056129272040390 00
0.550	0.97651798645903140 00
0.600	0.97210496871466670 00
0.650	0.96732637551820860 00
0.700	0.96218667903972100 00
0.750	0.95669068181555130 00
0.800	0.95084351055561090 00
0.850	0.94465060954028950 00
0.900	0.93811773361708360 00
0.950	0.93125094080763760 00
1.000	0.92405658453645580 00
1.050	0.91654130549313010 00
1.100	0.90871202314046790 00
1.150	0.90057592688141330 00
1.200	0.89214046669818110 00
1.250	0.88341334467748210 00
1.300	0.87440250323618660 00
1.350	0.86511611706219740 00
1.400	0.85556238178571640 00
1.450	0.84575050359646340 00
1.500	0.83568668842276920 00
1.550	0.82538613098878670 00
1.600	0.81485200306637080 00
1.650	0.80409564303844470 00
1.700	0.79312654329092260 00
1.750	0.78195433855047230 00
1.800	0.77058879588559320 00
1.850	0.75903979868863790 00
1.900	0.74731733855654300 00
1.950	0.73543150108813040 00
2.000	0.72339245401551550 00
2.050	0.71121043489039860 00
2.100	0.69889573873482510 00
2.150	0.68645870568839100 00
2.200	0.67390970865581120 00
2.250	0.66125914059110860 00
2.300	0.64851740416335450 00
2.350	0.63569489563198560 00
2.400	0.62280195659513330 00
2.450	0.60984500060222600 00
2.500	0.59684639858189500 00
2.550	0.58380427302802370 00
2.600	0.57073288035037390 00
2.650	0.55764234235009430 00
2.700	0.54454269429200550 00
2.750	0.53144387376510790 00
2.800	0.51835570975067790 00
2.850	0.50528791191255230 00
2.900	0.49225006012406970 00
2.950	0.47925155424555570 00
3.000	0.46630180416581400 00
3.050	0.45340982012060660 00
3.100	0.44058460330058790 00
3.150	0.42783453676065020 00
3.200	0.41516941664210380 00
3.250	0.40259644371853850 00
3.300	0.39012421527567180 00
3.350	0.37776071733488640 00
3.400	0.36551371722556680 00
3.450	0.35339075654273160 00
3.500	0.34139914441385590 00
3.550	0.32954595122210940 00
3.600	0.31783800265264390 00
3.650	0.30628187415187400 00
3.700	0.2948838857706870 00
3.750	0.28365009744485830 00
3.800	0.27258630458252370 00
3.850	0.26169803418734710 00
3.900	0.25099054128967040 00
3.950	0.24046880583425010 00
4.000	0.23013752996804940 00
4.050	0.22000113574324980 00
4.100	0.21006376323268380 00
4.150	0.20032926905742580 00
4.200	0.19080122532515980 00
4.250	0.18148251897761900 00
4.300	0.17237735154363900 00
4.350	0.16348723929596110 00
4.400	0.15481501380050460 00
4.450	0.14636282289645610 00
4.500	0.13813253197579110 00
4.550	0.13012572576655350 00
4.600	0.122343710403895750 00
4.650	0.11478751540723480 00
4.700	0.10745789901552170 00
4.750	0.10035534637737250 00
4.800	0.9348007008844000-01
4.850	0.86832051566872500-01
4.900	0.80410945757488200-01
4.950	0.74216265654853200-01
5.000	0.68247147134958100-01

FIGURE 4.3H

ITERATION 414 WITH $W_m = 10.0$, UNIFORM AMPLITUDE INPUT FUNCTION

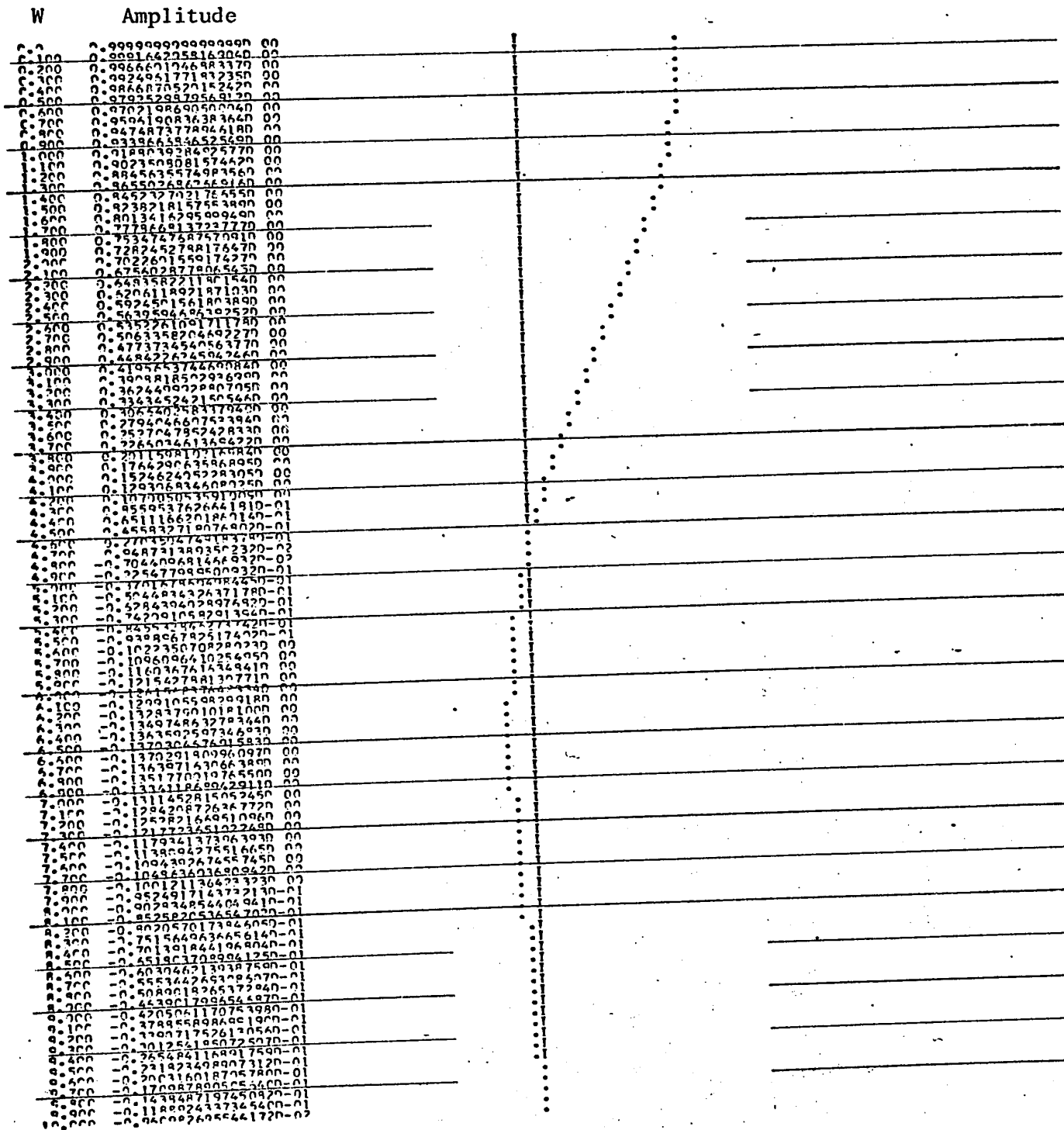


FIGURE 4.4A

ITERATION 415 WITH $w_m = 10.0$, UNIFORM AMPLITUDE INPUT FUNCTION

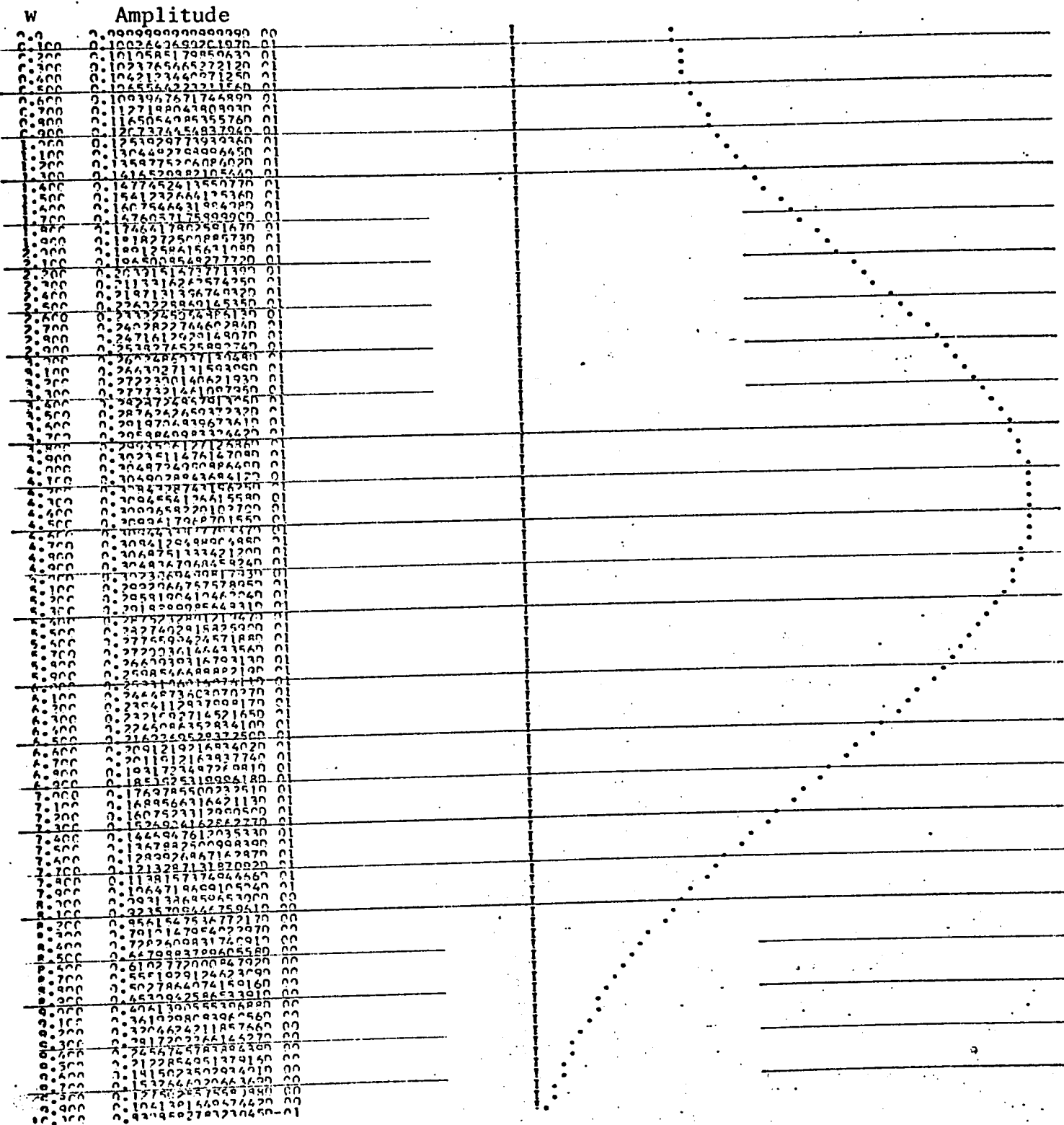


FIGURE 4.4B

ITERATION 416 WITH $W_m = 10.0$, UNIFORM AMPLITUDE INPUT FUNCTION

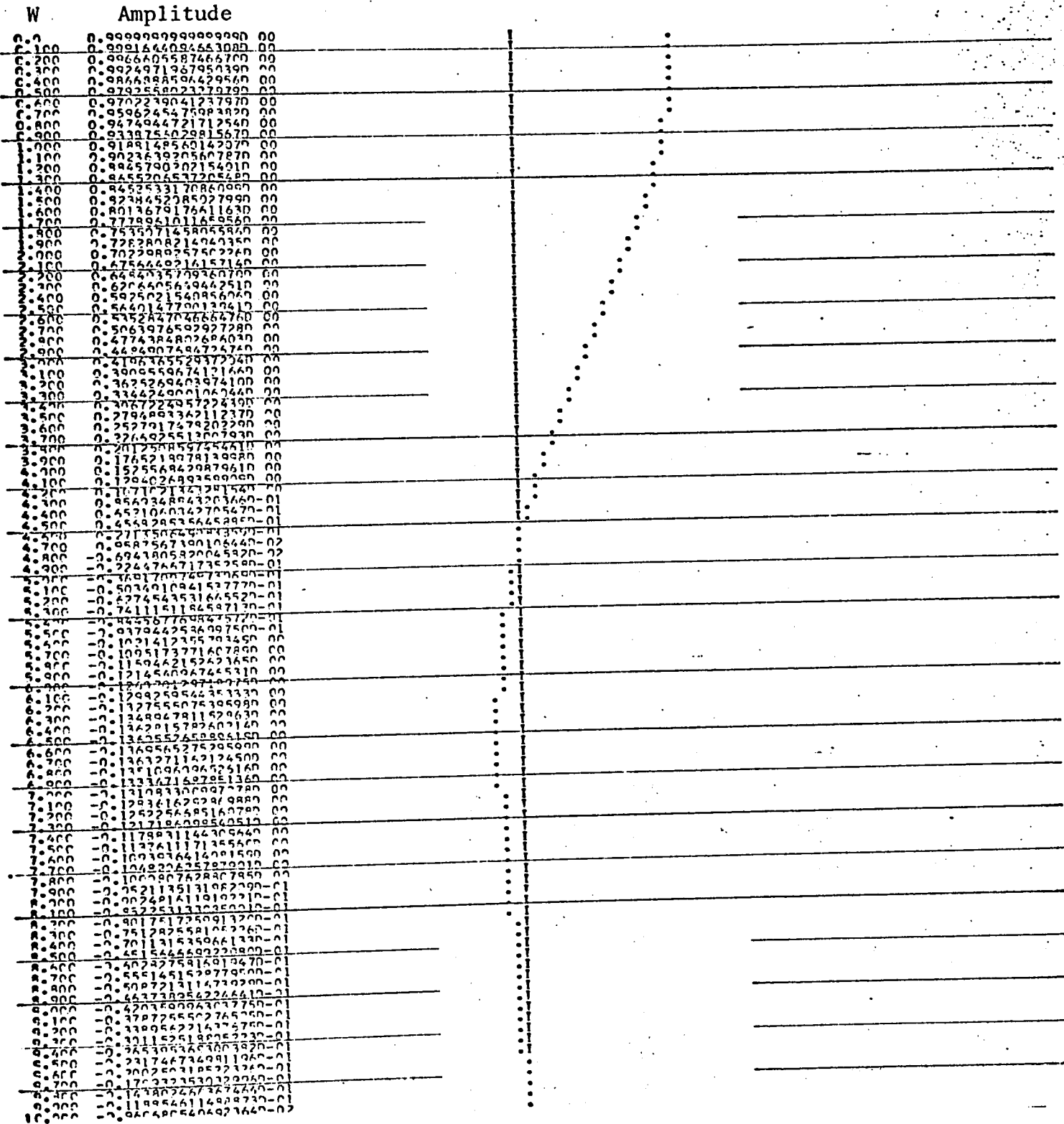


FIGURE 4.4C

ITERATION 417 WITH $w_m = 10.0$, UNIFORM AMPLITUDE INPUT FUNCTION

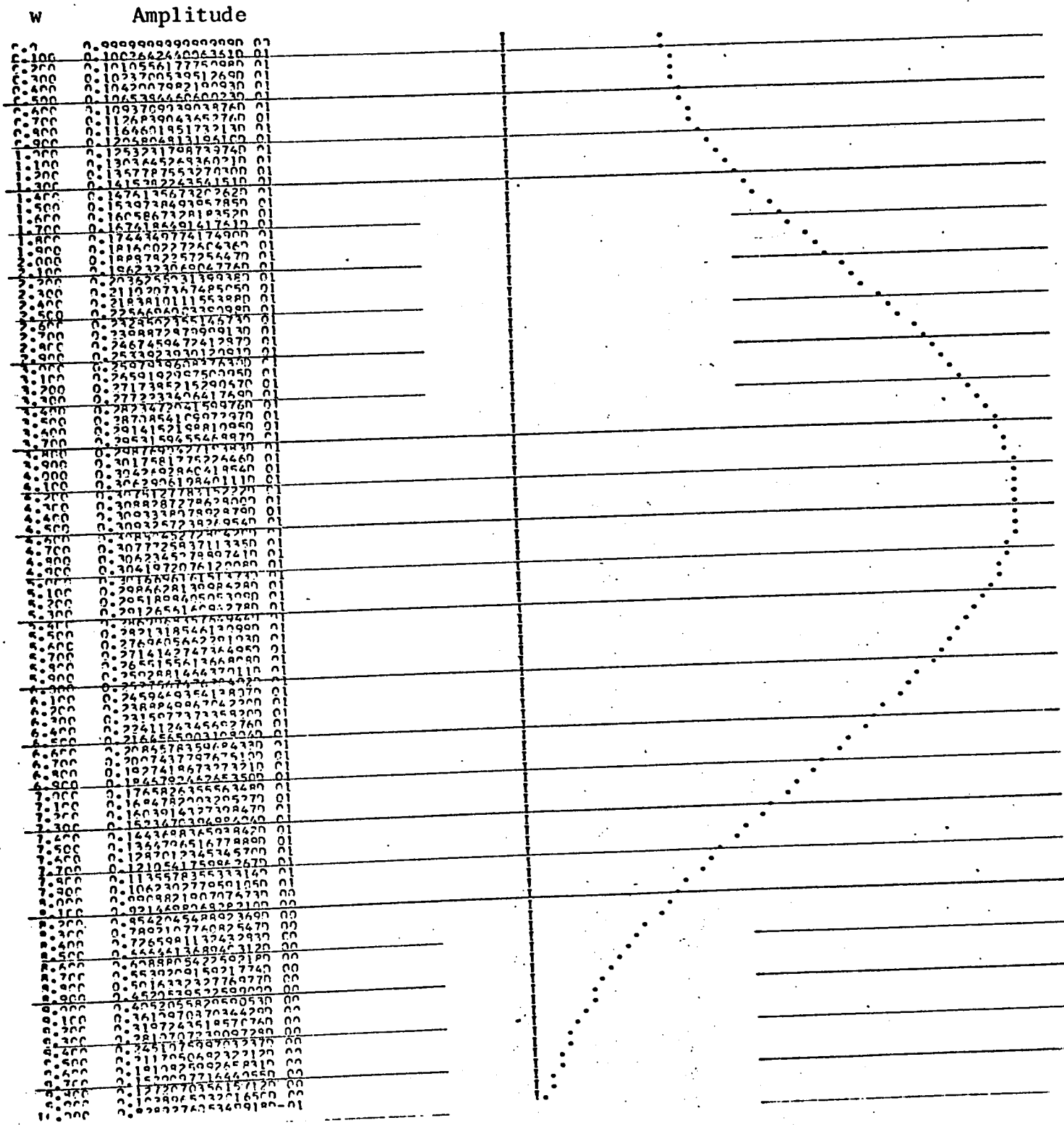


FIGURE 4.4D

ITERATION 0 WITH $W_m = 1.0$ AND (0, 1) MODE AS INPUT FUNCTION

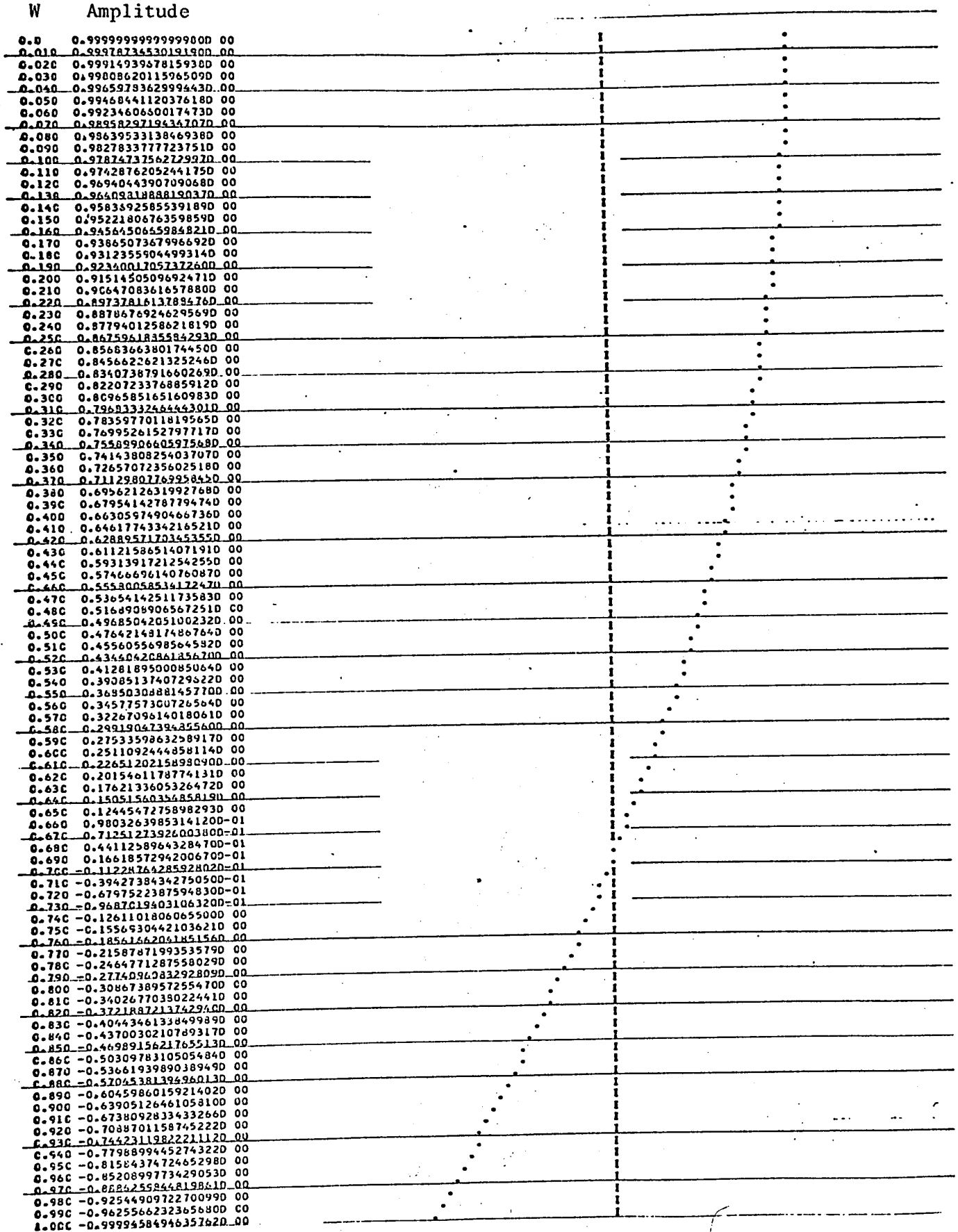


FIGURE 4.5A

ITERATION 1 WITH $W_m = 1.0$ and (0, 1) MODE AS INPUT FUNCTION

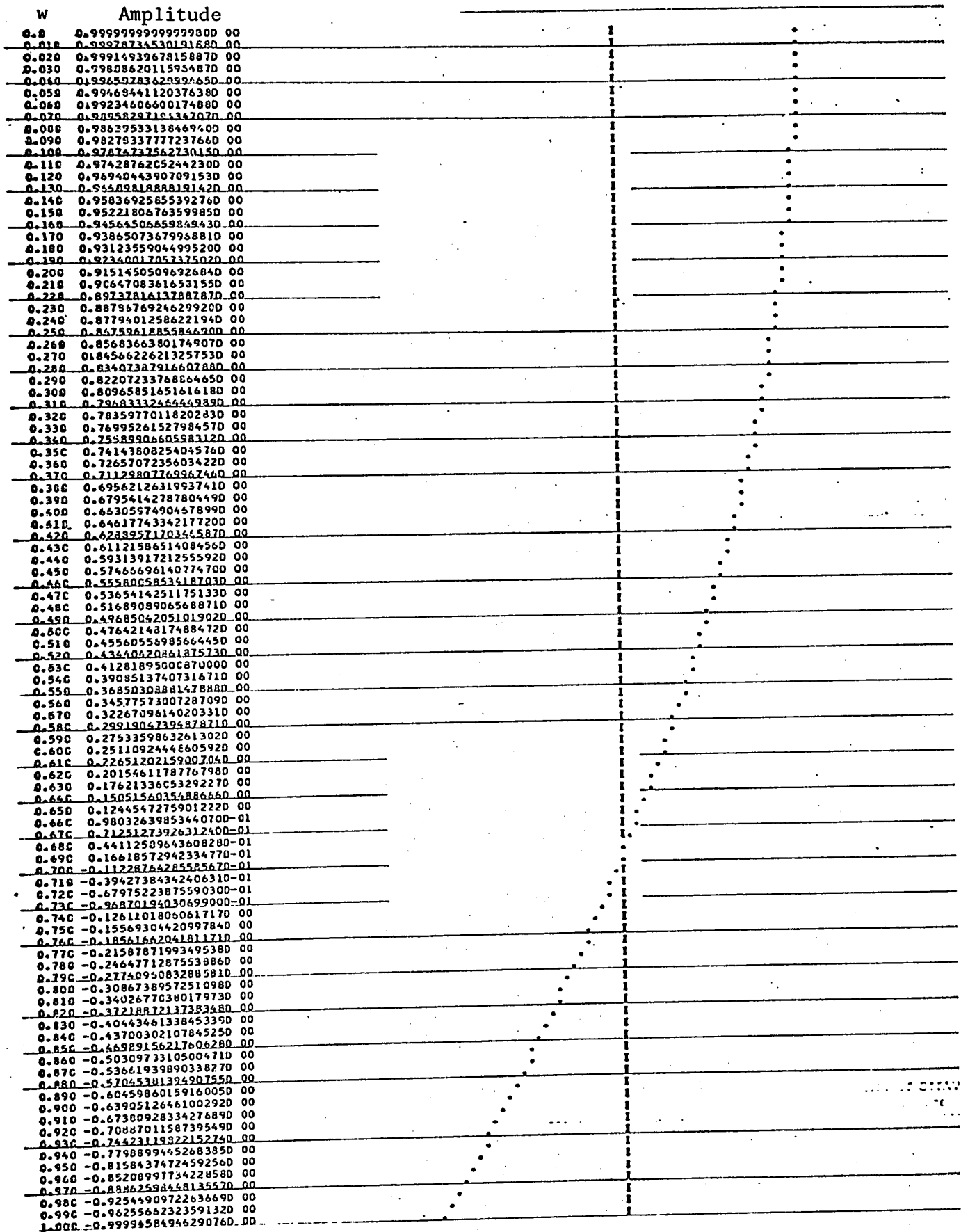


FIGURE 4.5B

ITERATION 2 WITH $W_m = 1.0$ AND (0, 1) MODE AS INPUT FUNCTION

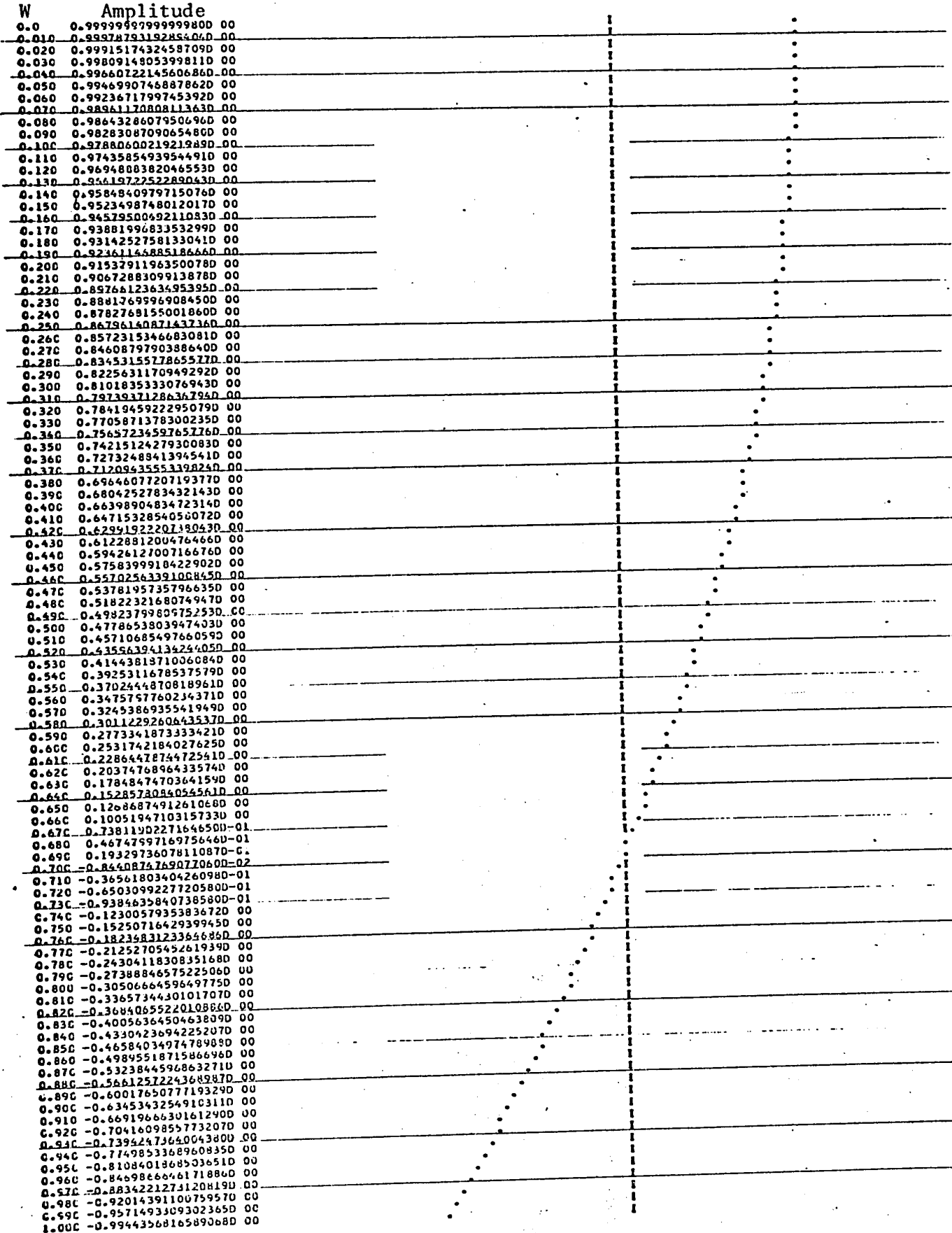


FIGURE 4.5C

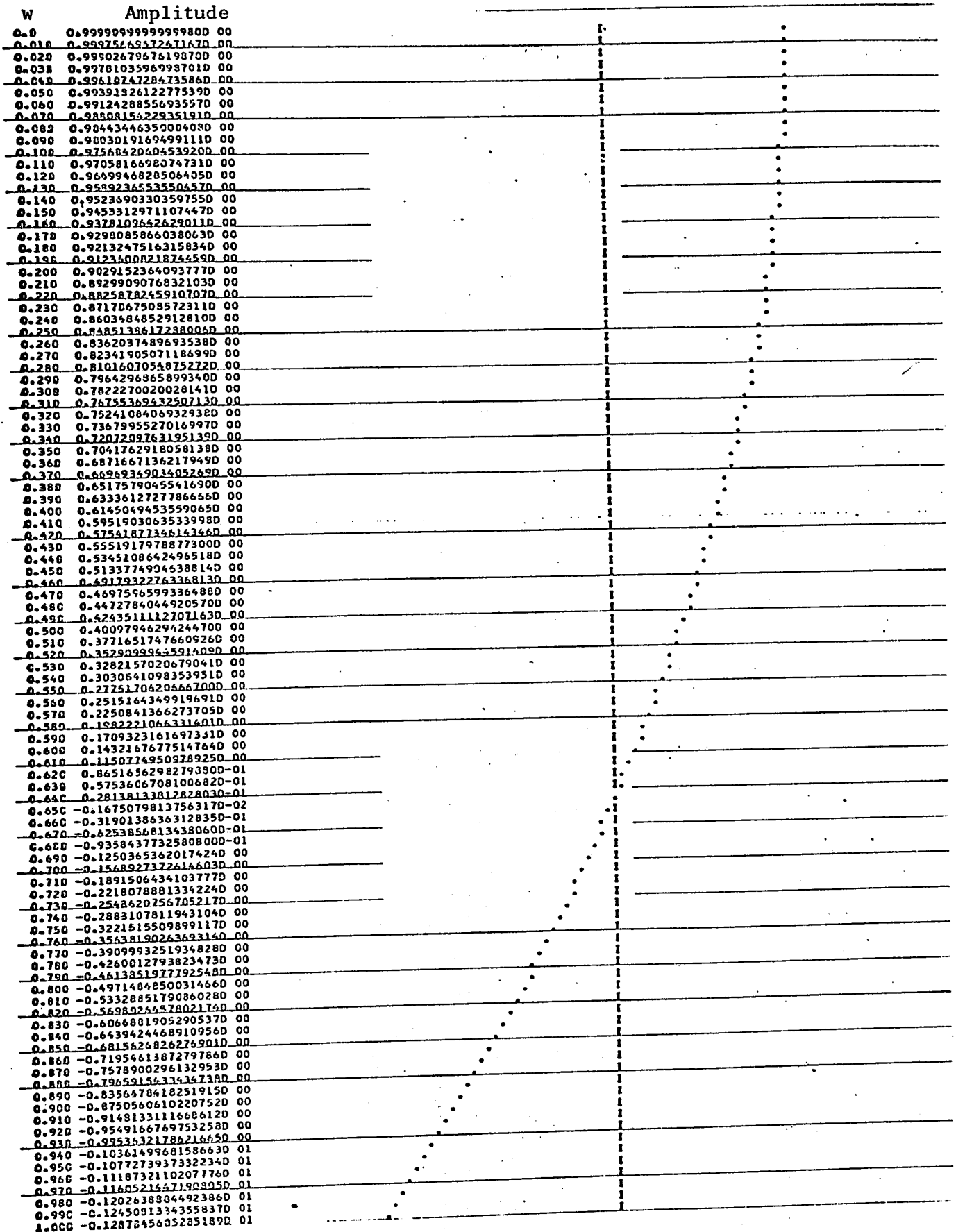
ITERATION 8 WITH $w_m = 1.0$ and (0, 1) MODE AS INPUT FUNCTION

FIGURE 4.5D

ITERATION 9 WITH $W_m = 1.0$ AND (0; 1) MODE AS INPUT FUNCTION

W	Amplitude		
0.0	0.9999999999999800 00	:	:
0.010	0.99925910612317090 00	:	:
0.020	0.99923641923845810 00	:	:
0.030	0.99963195358298330 00	:	:
0.040	0.99934572088462850 00	:	:
0.050	0.99897774036103730 00	:	:
0.060	0.99852803671824450 00	:	:
0.070	0.99799664014838840 00	:	:
0.080	0.99739358633003840 00	:	:
0.090	0.99668891642063110 00	:	:
0.100	0.99591267705850160 00	:	:
0.110	0.99505492035702770 00	:	:
0.120	0.99411570390136050 00	:	:
0.130	0.99309505074637620 00	:	:
0.140	0.99199314940194290 00	:	:
0.150	0.99080995384818200 00	:	:
0.160	0.98955558351004300 00	:	:
0.170	0.98820012326160950 00	:	:
0.180	0.98677366341799590 00	:	:
0.190	0.98526629972882970 00	:	:
0.200	0.98367813337137590 00	:	:
0.210	0.98200927094324460 00	:	:
0.220	0.98025982645473130 00	:	:
0.230	0.97842991132073550 00	:	:
0.240	0.97651965435232950 00	:	:
0.250	0.97452918174791130 00	:	:
0.260	0.97245862708397430 00	:	:
0.270	0.97030812930550510 00	:	:
0.280	0.96807783271592820 00	:	:
0.290	0.96576788696698320 00	:	:
0.300	0.96337844704742780 00	:	:
0.310	0.96090967327262640 00	:	:
0.320	0.95836173127172470 00	:	:
0.330	0.95573479197781890 00	:	:
0.340	0.95302903161364040 00	:	:
0.350	0.95024463167987730 00	:	:
0.360	0.94738177894191740 00	:	:
0.370	0.94444066561662850 00	:	:
0.380	0.94142148835752200 00	:	:
0.390	0.93832445024259090 00	:	:
0.400	0.93514975875772300 00	:	:
0.410	0.93189762678279020 00	:	:
0.420	0.92856827227611230 00	:	:
0.430	0.92516191875879620 00	:	:
0.440	0.92167879429867390 00	:	:
0.450	0.91811913249389390 00	:	:
0.460	0.91448317195611570 00	:	:
0.470	0.91077115639337040 00	:	:
0.480	0.90698333459253430 00	:	:
0.490	0.90311996040165160 00	:	:
0.500	0.89918129271067080 00	:	:
0.510	0.89516759543435700 00	:	:
0.520	0.89107913749381470 00	:	:
0.530	0.88691519279316120 00	:	:
0.540	0.88267904020485040 00	:	:
0.550	0.87836794354612610 00	:	:
0.560	0.87398325156113090 00	:	:
0.570	0.86952519789817300 00	:	:
0.580	0.86499410168941950 00	:	:
0.590	0.86039026453025560 00	:	:
0.600	0.85571399545549780 00	:	:
0.610	0.85096560991924190 00	:	:
0.620	0.84614542277140130 00	:	:
0.630	0.84125375763506840 00	:	:
0.640	0.83629084188335790 00	:	:
0.650	0.83125730761589280 00	:	:
0.660	0.82615319163497570 00	:	:
0.670	0.82097893542144030 00	:	:
0.680	0.81573484510996230 00	:	:
0.690	0.81042139146458540 00	:	:
0.700	0.80503880925317550 00	:	:
0.710	0.79958750022211880 00	:	:
0.720	0.79406782707044040 00	:	:
0.730	0.78848015952367630 00	:	:
0.740	0.78282487080733740 00	:	:
0.750	0.77710233922037370 00	:	:
0.760	0.77131296710756340 00	:	:
0.770	0.76545708133259530 00	:	:
0.780	0.75953513315006540 00	:	:
0.790	0.75355749817749210 00	:	:
0.800	0.74749457636694110 00	:	:
0.810	0.741376771497637120 00	:	:
0.820	0.73519549355106530 00	:	:
0.830	0.72894815384230230 00	:	:
0.840	0.72263816988188950 00	:	:
0.850	0.71626496284817520 00	:	:
0.860	0.70982895808792950 00	:	:
0.870	0.70333058507548290 00	:	:
0.880	0.69677027732195280 00	:	:
0.890	0.69014847264419790 00	:	:
0.900	0.68346561253349630 00	:	:
0.910	0.67672214272391310 00	:	:
0.920	0.66991851286041010 00	:	:
0.930	0.66305517452645810 00	:	:
0.940	0.65613259121258370 00	:	:
0.950	0.64915121828163580 00	:	:
0.960	0.64211152293777360 00	:	:
0.970	0.63501397419219840 00	:	:
0.980	0.62785904482981490 00	:	:
0.990	0.62064721137540570 00	:	:
1.000	0.61337895405958240 00	:	:

FIGURE 4.5E

ITERATION 10 WITH $W_m = 1.0$ AND (0, 1) MODE AS INPUT FUNCTION

W	Amplitude		
0.0	0.999999999999999900		
0.010	0.999999999999999900		
0.020	0.999995401238092560		
0.030	0.999789652991978340		
0.040	0.999531405832443300		
0.050	0.999712601444842700		
0.060	0.999258616423057010		
0.070	0.999243675273044030		
0.080	0.999264374092279900		
0.090	0.999064903656228090		
0.100	0.998850742424699800		
0.110	0.998609523301188600		
0.120	0.998345369550180400		
0.130	0.998068309846187600		
0.140	0.997748330979033300		
0.150	0.997415474713017200		
0.160	0.997059747986012800		
0.170	0.996661167803500300		
0.180	0.996279752282533400		
0.190	0.995855204006363000		
0.200	0.995409493044638200		
0.210	0.994938690984440400		
0.220	0.994446136876717200		
0.230	0.993930854263549800		
0.240	0.993392867770996600		
0.250	0.992832203107595100		
0.260	0.992240887062800700		
0.270	0.991642947505357100		
0.280	0.991014413381604700		
0.290	0.990363314713718900		
0.300	0.989689682597888400		
0.310	0.988993549202425100		
0.320	0.988274947765808500		
0.330	0.987533912594587000		
0.340	0.986770479041700600		
0.350	0.985984683603517300		
0.360	0.985176563718434800		
0.370	0.984346151794197600		
0.380	0.983493505955634800		
0.390	0.982618648362257100		
0.400	0.981721626905786000		
0.410	0.980802484357622800		
0.420	0.979861264536296900		
0.430	0.978898012304577300		
0.440	0.977912713567210300		
0.450	0.976905595267673700		
0.460	0.975874525385559200		
0.470	0.974825612933614800		
0.480	0.973752907954773300		
0.490	0.972658461519116200		
0.500	0.971542325720778000		
0.510	0.970404553674785900		
0.520	0.969245199513841100		
0.530	0.968064318385036800		
0.540	0.966861966446516900		
0.550	0.965638200864070700		
0.560	0.964393079807671400		
0.570	0.963126662447951200		
0.580	0.961839003952417100		
0.590	0.960530180482806500		
0.600	0.959200239189385200		
0.610	0.957849248209181800		
0.620	0.956477271661168600		
0.630	0.955084374642579400		
0.640	0.953670623224970000		
0.650	0.952236084450221100		
0.660	0.950780826326482000		
0.670	0.949304917424058200		
0.680	0.947808428871239800		
0.690	0.946291430350074000		
0.700	0.944753994092079700		
0.710	0.943196192873906300		
0.720	0.941618100412936400		
0.730	0.940019791362831800		
0.740	0.938401341309023500		
0.750	0.936762826764148300		
0.760	0.935104325163427600		
0.770	0.933425914859993700		
0.780	0.931727675120160100		
0.790	0.93000968861186401000		
0.800	0.928272028933707800		
0.810	0.926514785542308500		
0.820	0.924738038815116700		
0.830	0.922941872511537900		
0.840	0.921126371274661300		
0.850	0.919291620626158500		
0.860	0.917437706961132100		
0.870	0.915564717542910200		
0.880	0.913672740457793100		
0.890	0.911761864809747100		
0.900	0.909832130315045200		
0.910	0.907883777656379900		
0.920	0.905916748479870600		
0.930	0.903931145024596500		
0.940	0.901927130522024500		
0.950	0.899904628987911200		
0.960	0.897864229257153100		
0.970	0.895805464597308600		
0.980	0.893726644606754600		
0.990	0.891633001401092500		
1.000	0.889521213415112000		

FIGURE 4.5F

ITERATION 33 WITH $W_m = 1.0$ AND (0, 1) MODE AS INPUT FUNCTION

W	Amplitude
0.0	0.999999999999999900 00
0.010	0.999987730218991900 00
0.020	0.999951041481504000 00
0.030	0.999889845604103600 00
0.040	0.999804175614280100 00
0.050	0.999694035750252800 00
0.060	0.999559431460711400 00
0.070	0.999400369404376100 00
0.080	0.999226357450084300 00
0.090	0.999008904675301000 00
0.100	0.998776521366555500 00
0.110	0.998519719018304800 00
0.120	0.998238510332317000 00
0.130	0.997932909216883100 00
0.140	0.997602930785955700 00
0.150	0.997248591358207100 00
0.160	0.996869908456019000 00
0.170	0.996466900804392900 00
0.180	0.996039588329789200 00
0.190	0.995587992158382600 00
0.200	0.995112134617277700 00
0.210	0.994612039228073000 00
0.220	0.994087730710449900 00
0.230	0.993539234978114600 00
0.240	0.992966579137693100 00
0.250	0.992369791487048800 00
0.260	0.991748901513529600 00
0.270	0.991103939892134300 00
0.280	0.990434938481610800 00
0.290	0.989741930332480100 00
0.300	0.989024949664982500 00
0.310	0.988294031866960500 00
0.320	0.987519213581656300 00
0.330	0.986730532507446200 00
0.340	0.985918022595496600 00
0.350	0.985081738947351600 00
0.360	0.984221707832446600 00
0.370	0.983337976855401000 00
0.380	0.982430589104101400 00
0.390	0.981499589845589300 00
0.400	0.980545024824686900 00
0.410	0.979566941110453700 00
0.420	0.978565386923405700 00
0.430	0.977540411632534500 00
0.440	0.976492065752237500 00
0.450	0.975420400939197100 00
0.460	0.974325448989175600 00
0.470	0.973207326833746400 00
0.480	0.972066026536953800 00
0.490	0.970901625291932400 00
0.500	0.969714180417276800 00
0.510	0.968503750353793600 00
0.520	0.967270394660583300 00
0.530	0.966014174011504000 00
0.540	0.964735150191384700 00
0.550	0.963433386092220300 00
0.560	0.962108945709196400 00
0.570	0.960761894136896400 00
0.580	0.959392297565108300 00
0.590	0.958000223274814800 00
0.600	0.956585739634016400 00
0.610	0.955148916093501100 00
0.620	0.953689323182561900 00
0.630	0.952208532504617400 00
0.640	0.950705116732806600 00
0.650	0.949179649605487600 00
0.660	0.947632205921685900 00
0.670	0.946062841536472900 00
0.680	0.944471693356280800 00
0.690	0.942858779334156000 00
0.700	0.941224193454953100 00
0.710	0.939568030780412600 00
0.720	0.937890357344319100 00
0.730	0.936191260247401800 00
0.740	0.934470822602316800 00
0.750	0.932729128538514800 00
0.760	0.930966263157051600 00
0.770	0.929182312725337100 00
0.780	0.927377364271826300 00
0.790	0.925551505980549800 00
0.800	0.923704826986180200 00
0.810	0.921837417407544500 00
0.820	0.919959368343067700 00
0.830	0.918040771864669900 00
0.840	0.916111721012193300 00
0.850	0.914152309787678500 00
0.860	0.912192633149578400 00
0.870	0.910202787006916200 00
0.880	0.908192843213387200 00
0.890	0.906162974561403000 00
0.900	0.904113204776077500 00
0.910	0.902043658509161500 00
0.920	0.899954436332917400 00
0.930	0.897845639713941300 00
0.940	0.895717371106931400 00
0.950	0.893569733748397600 00
0.960	0.891402831850324500 00
0.970	0.889216770453710300 00
0.980	0.887011655642431200 00
0.990	0.884787594136130000 00
1.000	0.882544693684271500 00

FIGURE 4.5G

ITERATION 34 WITH $W_m = 1.0$ AND (0, 1) MODE AS INPUT FUNCTION

W	Amplitude			
0.0	0.999999999999999800	00		
0.010	0.99998776021899210	00		
0.020	0.99995104145150400	00		
0.030	0.99988984560410380	00		
0.040	0.99980417561427590	00		
0.050	0.99969403575025280	00		
0.060	0.99955943146071160	00		
0.070	0.99940036940447680	00		
0.080	0.99921685745008450	00		
0.090	0.99900890467530100	00		
0.100	0.99877652136655580	00		
0.110	0.99851571901830520	00		
0.120	0.99823851033231700	00		
0.130	0.99793290921688330	00		
0.140	0.99760243078595570	00		
0.150	0.99724859135820740	00		
0.160	0.99686790845601900	00		
0.170	0.99646690040439330	00		
0.180	0.99603958612976920	00		
0.190	0.99558799215688740	00		
0.200	0.99511213461727770	00		
0.210	0.99461203922807300	00		
0.220	0.99408773071045050	00		
0.230	0.99353923497611510	00		
0.240	0.99296657913769310	00		
0.250	0.99236979148704920	00		
0.260	0.99174890151352980	00		
0.270	0.99110393489213460	00		
0.280	0.99043493848361120	00		
0.290	0.98974193033247990	00		
0.300	0.98902494566498310	00		
0.310	0.98828403128696100	00		
0.320	0.98751721358165660	00		
0.330	0.98673053250744620	00		
0.340	0.98591832759545660	00		
0.350	0.98508173894735160	00		
0.360	0.98422173763244460	00		
0.370	0.98333797668554010	00		
0.380	0.98243058916410140	00		
0.390	0.98149958984558950	00		
0.400	0.98054502482466870	00		
0.410	0.97956694111045370	00		
0.420	0.97856533692340650	00		
0.430	0.97754041163253470	00		
0.440	0.97649206575223770	00		
0.450	0.97542040093919710	00		
0.460	0.97432546996917540	00		
0.470	0.97320732663374640	00		
0.480	0.97206662653695400	00		
0.490	0.97090162525190270	00		
0.500	0.96971416041727680	00		
0.510	0.96850375035379360	00		
0.520	0.96727039466056330	00		
0.530	0.96601417401150400	00		
0.540	0.96473515019138470	00		
0.550	0.9634333604220370	00		
0.560	0.96210894570919560	00		
0.570	0.96076189413689640	00		
0.580	0.95939229756510830	00		
0.590	0.95800022327481540	00		
0.600	0.95658573903401670	00		
0.610	0.95514891609350330	00		
0.620	0.95368762316250230	00		
0.630	0.95220853250461760	00		
0.640	0.95070911673200000	00		
0.650	0.9491796496056760	00		
0.660	0.94763229542166610	00		
0.670	0.946066286153647290	00		
0.680	0.944447167335026100	00		
0.690	0.94285877933415620	00		
0.700	0.94122414846444340	00		
0.710	0.93955803078061280	00		
0.720	0.937859035734431750	00		
0.730	0.93612612604760160	00		
0.740	0.934347002260291700	00		
0.750	0.9325272912603891530	00		
0.760	0.930669000315705160	00		
0.770	0.928778231272533660	00		
0.780	0.926851730427132610	00		
0.790	0.924885150556006490	00		
0.800	0.922870402648010070	00		
0.810	0.920813741740724490	00		
0.820	0.9187144336834306740	00		
0.830	0.91657041160406450	00		
0.840	0.914381172101213330	00		
0.850	0.91214623097676760	00		
0.860	0.9098653114757900	00		
0.870	0.907538211700691540	00		
0.880	0.905164200421338770	00		
0.890	0.902742179450145350	00		
0.900	0.900272116071160	00		
0.910	0.8977530359915130	00		
0.920	0.8951824303291740	00		
0.930	0.892560317334150	00		
0.940	0.88988711511009170	00		
0.950	0.88716213314531760	00		
0.960	0.884385313004170	00		
0.970	0.8815561134351050	00		
0.980	0.878674700426140	00		
0.990	0.87574091301420	00		
1.000	0.8727540000000000	00		

FIGURE 4.5H

ITERATION 0 WITH $W_m = 3.5$, (0, 1) MODE AS INPUT FUNCTION

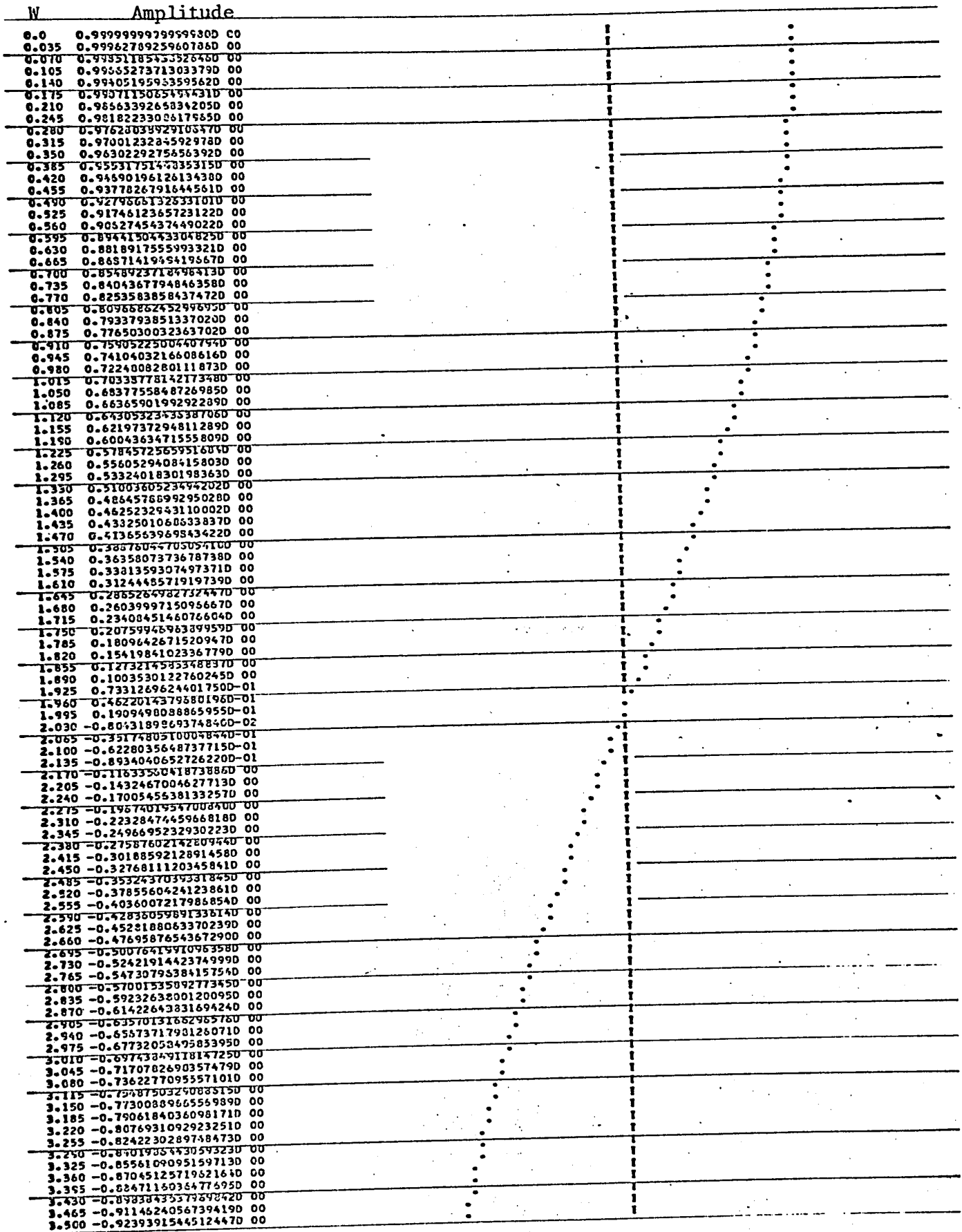


FIGURE 4.6A

ITERATION 1 WITH $W_m = 3.5$, (0, 1) MODE INPUT FUNCTION

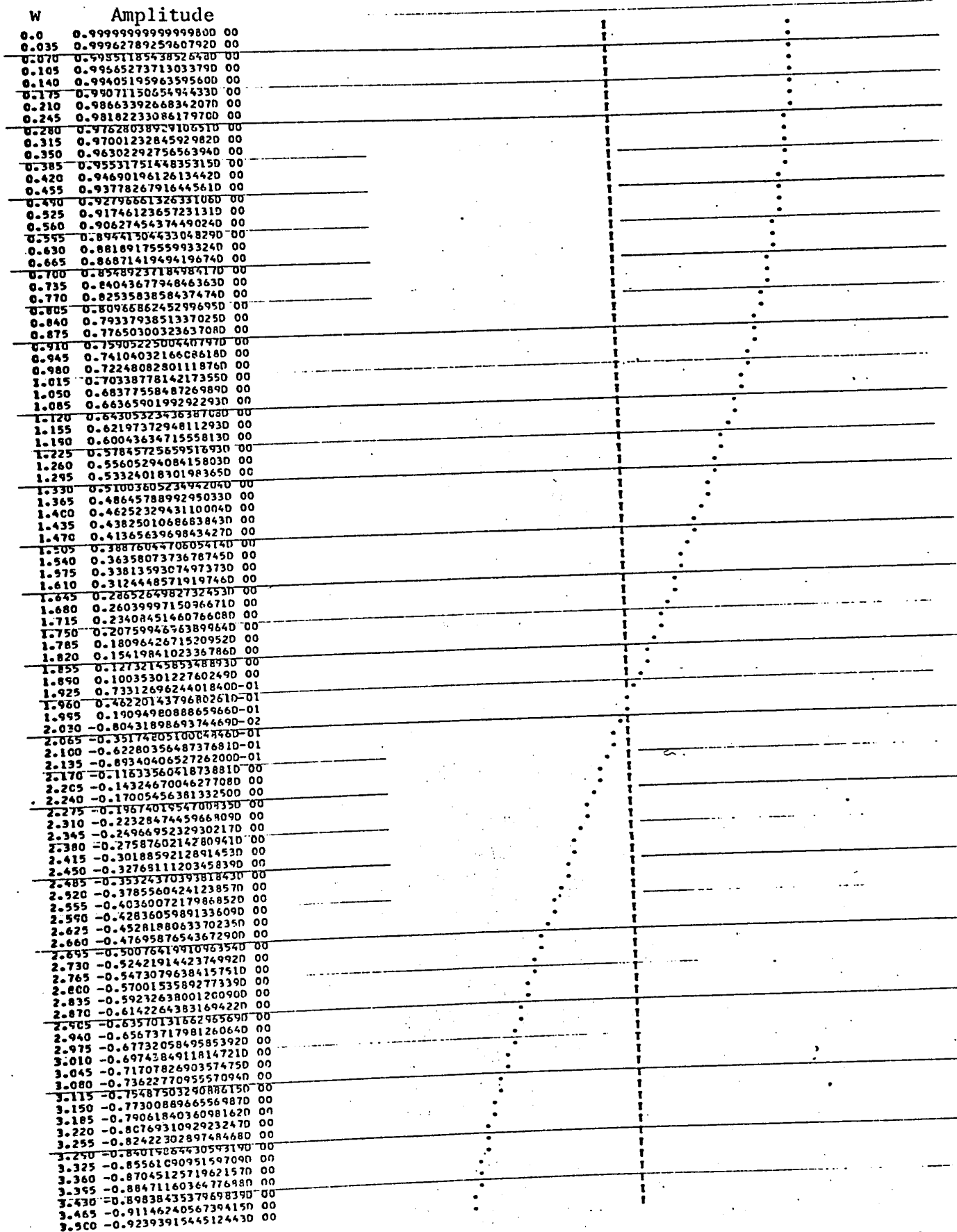


FIGURE 4.6B

ITERATION 36 WITH $W_m = 3.5$, (0, 1) MODE INPUT FUNCTION

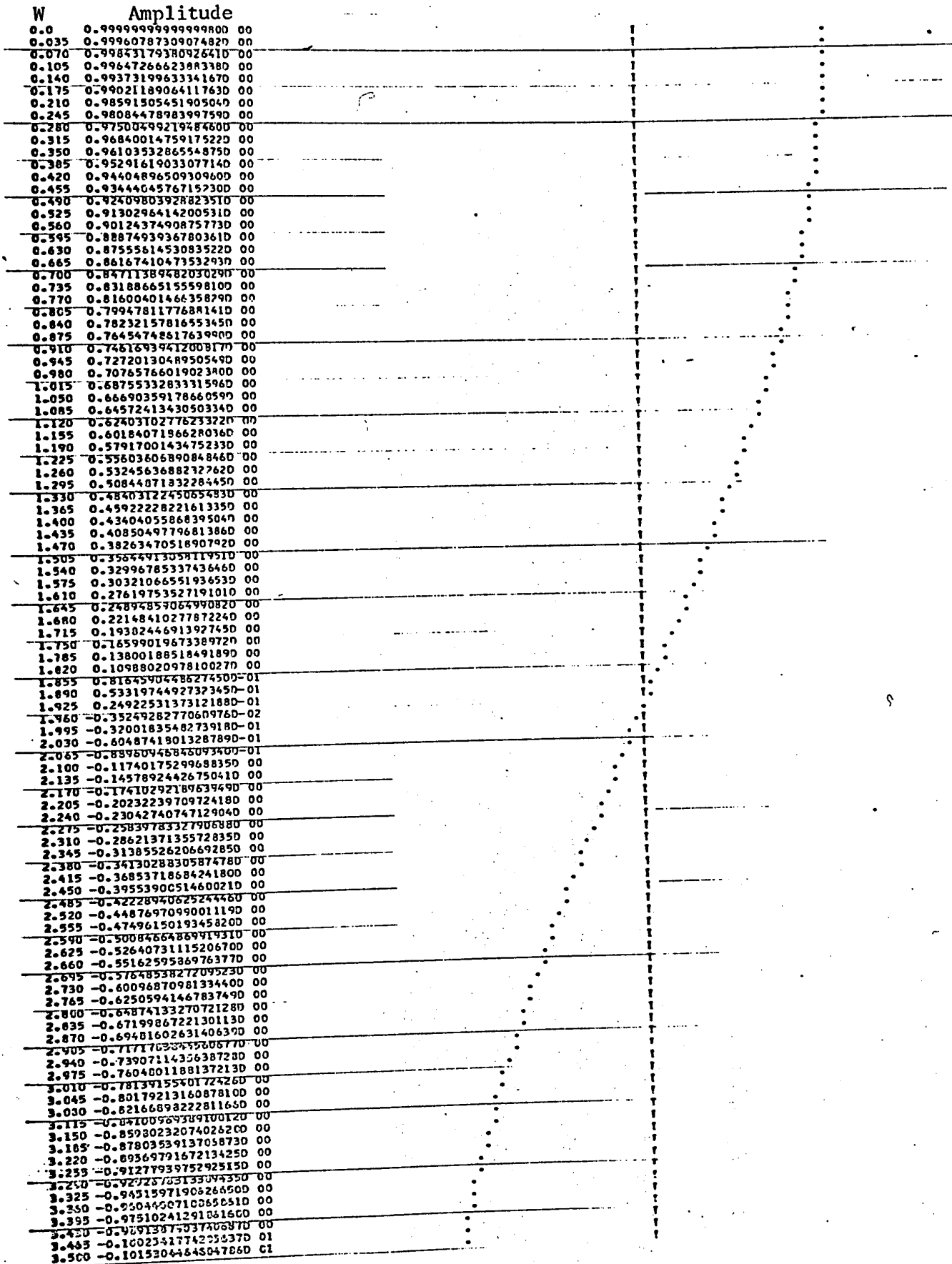


FIGURE 4.6C

ITERATION 37 WITH $W_m = 3.5$, (0, 1). MODE INPUT FUNCTION

W	Amplitude
0.0	0.9999999999999999 00
0.035	0.9996576691054181 00
0.070	0.9996709997685640 00
0.105	0.9970104368207721 00
0.140	0.9944875469500007 00
0.175	0.9917039626559917 00
0.210	0.9880619217830672 00
0.245	0.9837641556507530 00
0.280	0.9788139867524682 00
0.315	0.9732148760558182 00
0.350	0.9669711169889038 00
0.385	0.9600975964157071 00
0.420	0.9525692617210017 00
0.455	0.9444217954780298 00
0.490	0.9356512962331537 00
0.525	0.9262643262935457 00
0.560	0.9167679062285996 00
0.595	0.9056695089891537 00
0.630	0.8944770536498141 00
0.665	0.8826998987800421 00
0.700	0.8703438354499526 00
0.735	0.8574210798771459 00
0.770	0.8439402657211778 00
0.805	0.8299114760326242 00
0.840	0.8153450348639612 00
0.875	0.8002518985498319 00
0.910	0.7846472466645267 00
0.945	0.7685306776648142 00
0.980	0.7519261342265277 00
1.015	0.7348419432835872 00
1.050	0.7172907557784058 00
1.085	0.6992855611328691 00
1.120	0.6808396714493460 00
1.155	0.6619667104513975 00
1.190	0.6426906021741069 00
1.225	0.6229955594141502 00
1.260	0.6029260719499516 00
1.295	0.5824868945424581 00
1.330	0.5616930347272610 00
1.365	0.5405597404089692 00
1.400	0.5191024877689149 00
1.435	0.4973369659974182 00
1.470	0.4752790693670010 00
1.505	0.4529448791230670 00
1.540	0.4303506528086748 00
1.575	0.4075128103602376 00
1.610	0.3844479206608917 00
1.645	0.3611726879586312 00
1.680	0.3377039381961361 00
1.715	0.3140586052595051 00
1.750	0.2902537171579959 00
1.785	0.2663063821469755 00
1.820	0.2422337748065292 00
1.855	0.2180531220876660 00
1.890	0.1937816893387753 00
1.925	0.1694367663244062 00
1.960	0.1450356532487631 00
1.995	0.1205956467961479 00
2.030	0.9613402620060670 -01
2.065	0.7168803935696810 -01
2.100	0.4721489898543686 -01
2.135	0.2279171886177428 -01
2.170	-0.1584399874871440 -01
2.205	-0.2589648232464349 -01
2.240	-0.5012764332827364 -01
2.275	-0.7426111085537740 -01
2.310	-0.9828023926808720 -01
2.345	-1.2216852744862830 00
2.380	-1.4590960677949900 00
2.415	-1.6948730396509790 00
2.450	-1.9288560368382570 00
2.485	-2.1603886860598021 00
2.520	-2.3908093394358887 00
2.555	-2.6184694499145500 00
2.590	-2.8437154353292630 00
2.625	-3.0663979221650300 00
2.660	-3.2863700342441990 00
2.695	-3.5034875054473950 00
2.730	-3.7176087839495210 00
2.765	-3.9285951488447280 00
2.800	-4.1363108040925420 00
2.835	-4.3406229846926650 00
2.870	-4.5414020540055050 00
2.905	-4.7385215991391270 00
2.940	-4.9318585233236500 00
2.975	-5.1212931351991670 00
3.010	-5.3067092349454300 00
3.045	-5.4879941971841160 00
3.080	-5.6650390505882510 00
3.115	-5.8377385541365220 00
3.150	-6.0059912699526920 00
3.185	-6.1696996326742370 00
3.220	-6.3287700157977900 00
3.255	-6.4831127914512220 00
3.290	-6.6326623940470010 00
3.325	-6.7772773702736420 00
3.360	-6.9169404328865510 00
3.395	-7.0515585077619470 00
3.430	-7.1810627776817940 00
3.465	-7.3053887223225400 00
3.500	-7.4244761544178020 00

FIGURE 4.6D

ITERATION 38 WITH $W_m = 3.5$, (0, 1) MODE INPUT FUNCTION

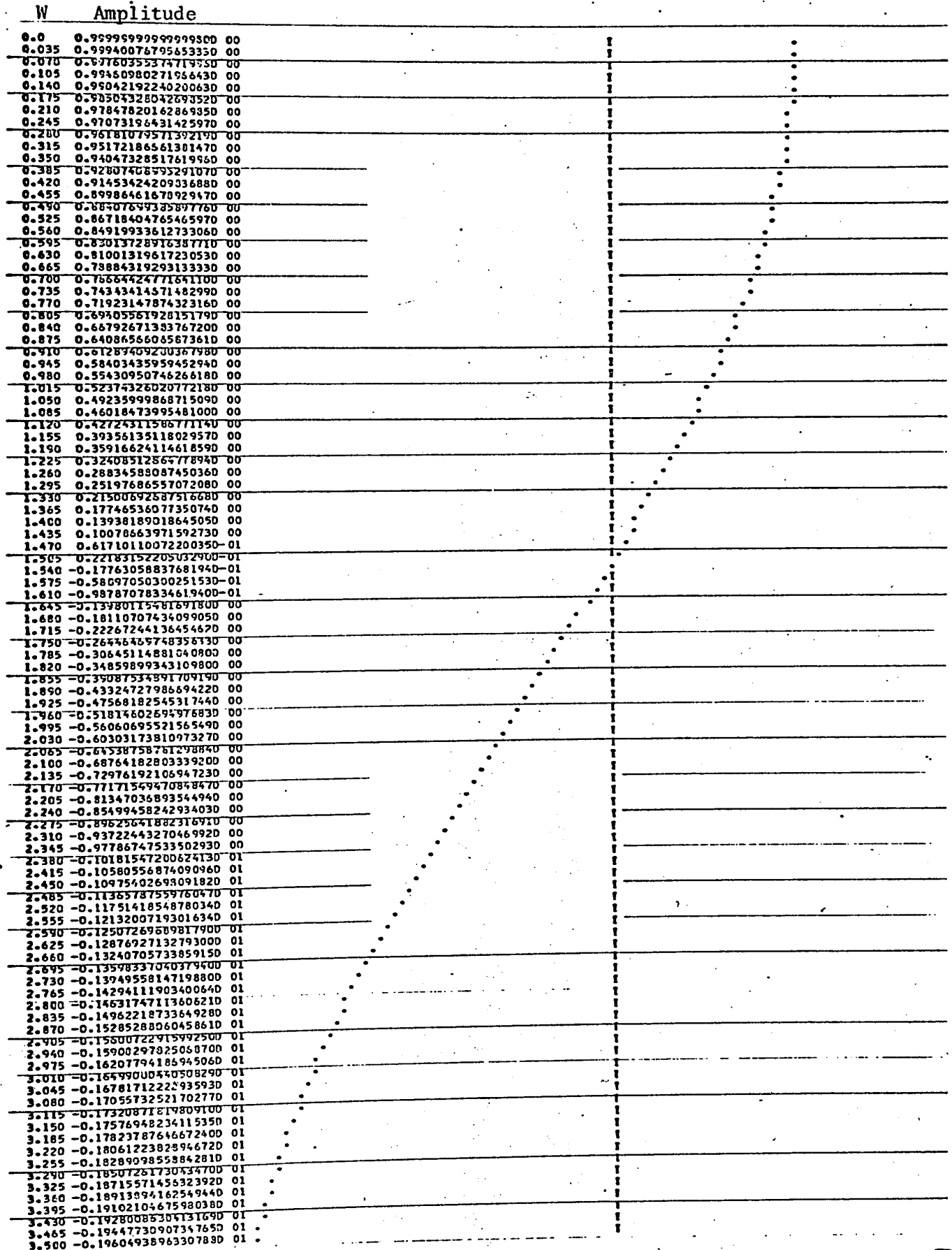


FIGURE 4.6E

ITERATION 39 WITH $W_m = 3.5, (0, 1)$ MODE INPUT FUNCTION

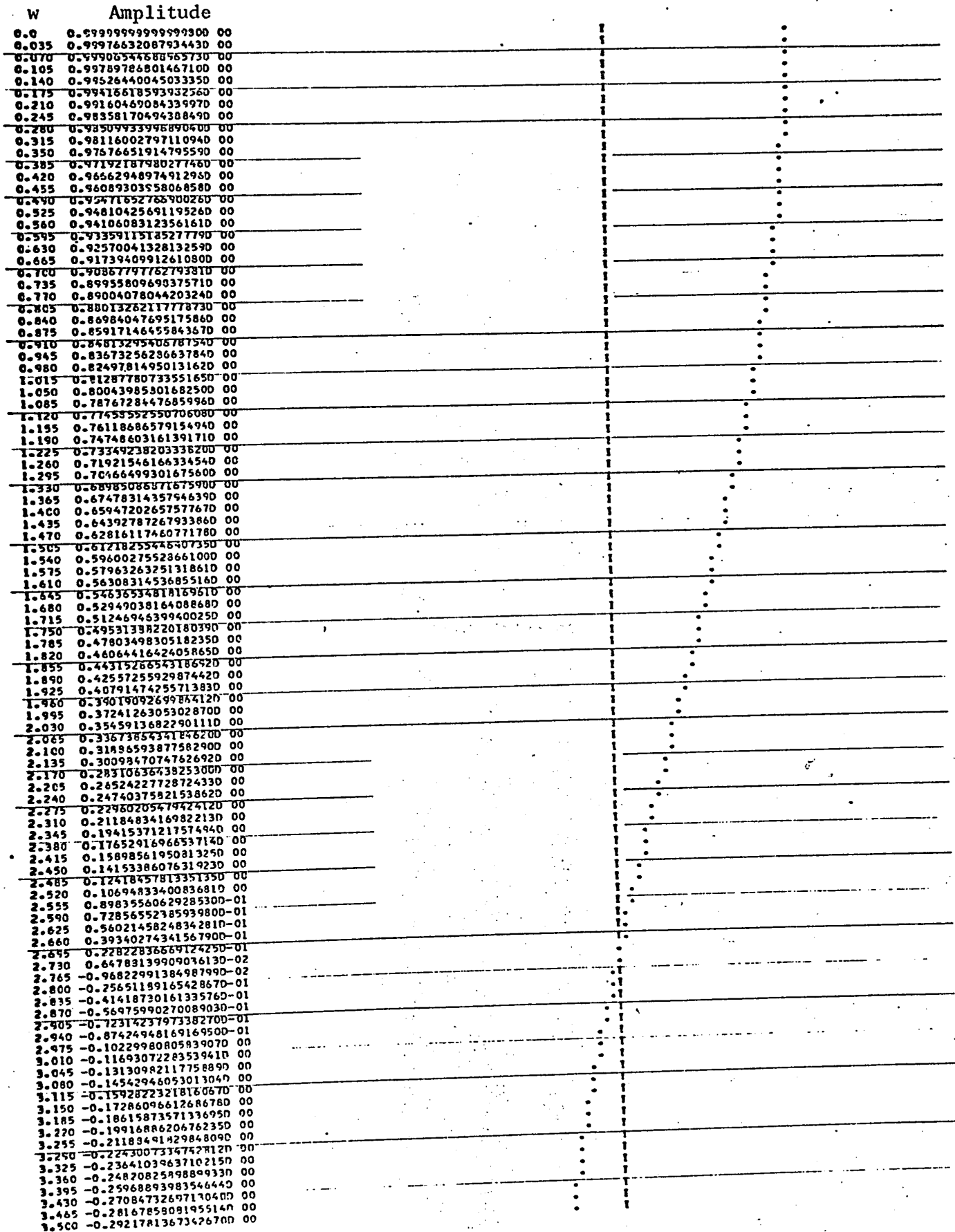


FIGURE 4.6F

ITERATION 40 WITH $W_m = 3.5$, (0, 1) MODE INPUT FUNCTION

W	Amplitude		
0.0	0.99999999999999800	00	.
0.035	0.1000053817675810	01	.
0.070	0.10000214321210550	01	.
0.105	0.10000481662641710	01	.
0.140	0.10000852097083320	01	.
0.175	0.10001322985302380	01	.
0.210	0.10001890297320920	01	.
0.245	0.10002549117041810	01	.
0.280	0.10003293647892070	01	.
0.315	0.10004117219479000	01	.
0.350	0.10005012255251470	01	.
0.385	0.10005970481158630	01	.
0.420	0.10006982535297570	01	.
0.455	0.10008038378539310	01	.
0.490	0.10009127106122360	01	.
0.525	0.10010237000202240	01	.
0.560	0.1001135543343550	01	.
0.595	0.10012489432940620	01	.
0.630	0.10013564596552240	01	.
0.665	0.10014626208134530	01	.
0.700	0.10015658705154620	01	.
0.735	0.10016585806568270	01	.
0.770	0.10017450531642310	01	.
0.805	0.10018215219602640	01	.
0.840	0.10018861550087590	01	.
0.875	0.10019370564385060	01	.
0.910	0.10019722687432050	01	.
0.945	0.10019897750553450	01	.
0.980	0.10019875014916900	01	.
1.015	0.10019633195678930	01	.
1.050	0.10019150486798170	01	.
1.085	0.10018404586489170	01	.
1.120	0.10017372723291260	01	.
1.155	0.10016031682724730	01	.
1.190	0.10014357834507560	01	.
1.225	0.10012327160303770	01	.
1.260	0.10009915281975140	01	.
1.295	0.10007097490306990	01	.
1.330	0.10003848774178160	01	.
1.365	0.10000143850145180	01	.
1.400	0.99959571924097270	00	.
1.435	0.99912630631384040	00	.
1.470	0.99860355431039370	00	.
1.505	0.99802485626151570	00	.
1.540	0.99738759327043300	00	.
1.575	0.99668913765394100	00	.
1.610	0.99592685610284770	00	.
1.645	0.99509811285837460	00	.
1.680	0.99420027290120980	00	.
1.715	0.99323070514991070	00	.
1.750	0.99218678566532790	00	.
1.785	0.9910659005773550	00	.
1.820	0.98986545069331970	00	.
1.855	0.98858285189671140	00	.
1.890	0.98721554114622220	00	.
1.925	0.98576097825846440	00	.
1.960	0.98421664935904220	00	.
1.995	0.98258007003601760	00	.
2.030	0.98084878847285670	00	.
2.065	0.97902038855760740	00	.
2.100	0.97709249296505700	00	.
2.135	0.97506276620865450	00	.
2.170	0.97292891765901980	00	.
2.205	0.97068870452588340	00	.
2.240	0.96833993480034220	00	.
2.275	0.96588047015434750	00	.
2.310	0.96330622879440670	00	.
2.345	0.96062118826648650	00	.
2.380	0.95781738820920330	00	.
2.415	0.95489493305238430	00	.
2.450	0.95185199465819150	00	.
2.485	0.94868681490200510	00	.
2.520	0.94539770819036970	00	.
2.555	0.94198306391333570	00	.
2.590	0.93844134882861110	00	.
2.625	0.93477110937500300	00	.
2.660	0.93097097391269600	00	.
2.695	0.92703965488799350	00	.
2.730	0.92297595092021240	00	.
2.765	0.91877874880851940	00	.
2.800	0.9144470254565370	00	.
2.835	0.90997984971278130	00	.
2.870	0.90537638412459630	00	.
2.905	0.90063588660429200	00	.
2.940	0.89575771200508210	00	.
2.975	0.89074131360546750	00	.
3.010	0.88558624450037640	00	.
3.045	0.88029215889725110	00	.
3.080	0.8748588131650620	00	.
3.115	0.86928606769360980	00	.
3.150	0.86357388630296270	00	.
3.185	0.85772233906157570	00	.
3.220	0.85173160153181080	00	.
3.255	0.84560195642718300	00	.
3.290	0.83937379378540940	00	.
3.325	0.83292761159294490	00	.
3.360	0.82639401612541050	00	.
3.395	0.81970372225834800	00	.
3.430	0.81288755364291180	00	.
3.465	0.80593644278116770	00	.
3.500	0.79885143099578610	00	.

FIGURE 4.6G

ITERATION 41 WITH $W_m = 3.5$, (0, 1) MODE INPUT FUNCTION

w	Amplitude
0.0	0.9999999999999999 00
0.035	0.99985265285898480 00
0.070	0.999740699957712330 00
0.105	0.99967440451156310 00
0.140	0.99964420803618370 00
0.175	0.999537072520930950 00
0.210	0.999470475031203900 00
0.245	0.999279724624716260 00
0.280	0.999059935331663770 00
0.315	0.98811238586073990 00
0.350	0.98533782727013310 00
0.385	0.98227733355818290 00
0.420	0.97993273116496240 00
0.455	0.97530601298400890 00
0.490	0.97139933945299320 00
0.525	0.96721503792956850 00
0.560	0.96275559615377560 00
0.595	0.95802366547848650 00
0.630	0.95302205632945820 00
0.665	0.94775373660669100 00
0.700	0.94222182945886650 00
0.735	0.93642961094274610 00
0.770	0.93038050756951100 00
0.805	0.92407809374011360 00
0.840	0.91752608907180260 00
0.875	0.91072835561907940 00
0.910	0.90368989498442920 00
0.945	0.89641184534225820 00
0.980	0.88890147834354960 00
1.015	0.88116219593883620 00
1.050	0.87319852710116920 00
1.085	0.86501512445684020 00
1.120	0.85661676083566550 00
1.155	0.848000832572976410 00
1.190	0.83919482164978100 00
1.225	0.83018136055159530 00
1.260	0.82097315953061840 00
1.295	0.81157553801285700 00
1.330	0.80199391275193390 00
1.365	0.79223379441937570 00
1.400	0.78230078341148140 00
1.435	0.77220056574415720 00
1.470	0.76193890888313910 00
1.505	0.75152165752108340 00
1.540	0.74095472930502730 00
1.575	0.73024411051777140 00
1.610	0.71939585171677150 00
1.645	0.70841605333414020 00
1.680	0.69731091124141610 00
1.715	0.68608661228275280 00
1.750	0.67474942978021810 00
1.785	0.66330566901491520 00
1.820	0.65176167268763380 00
1.855	0.64012381636276560 00
1.890	0.62839850309923070 00
1.925	0.61659216287213930 00
1.960	0.604711123993895580 00
1.995	0.59276219650388640 00
2.030	0.58075150363423910 00
2.065	0.56868563790248050 00
2.100	0.55657107696770760 00
2.135	0.54441429427022760 00
2.170	0.53222175529294110 00
2.205	0.51999991264317060 00
2.240	0.50775520163859640 00
2.275	0.49544403584087190 00
2.310	0.48322280262053220 00
2.345	0.47094785875670280 00
2.380	0.45867552607514050 00
2.415	0.44641208712804940 00
2.450	0.43416378091910610 00
2.485	0.42195679867705530 00
2.520	0.40973727968121370 00
2.555	0.39757130714212980 00
2.590	0.38544490414065150 00
2.625	0.37336402962852690 00
2.660	0.36133457449364910 00
2.695	0.34936235769298560 00
2.730	0.33745312245615090 00
2.765	0.32561253256252560 00
2.800	0.31384616069475620 00
2.835	0.30215952487138280 00
2.870	0.29055500496129760 00
2.905	0.2790691928259500 00
2.940	0.26763148128838860 00
2.975	0.25631680434200340 00
3.010	0.24510789858390360 00
3.045	0.23400966789264260 00
3.080	0.22302690694201160 00
3.115	0.21216429335547200 00
3.150	0.20142640996690000 00
3.185	0.19081769216852760 00
3.220	0.18034247538291410 00
3.255	0.17000496762567290 00
3.290	0.15980925218156010 00
3.325	0.14975928538847300 00
3.360	0.13985889453177050 00
3.395	0.13011177585026010 00
3.430	0.12052149265503100 00
3.465	0.11109147356243720 00
3.500	0.10182501084178990 00

FIGURE 4.6H

ITERATION 86 WITH $w_m = 3.5$, (0, 1) MODE INPUT FUNCTION

W	Amplitude
0.0	0.9999999999999999800 00
0.035	0.99968164237874900 00
0.070	0.99932663239424260 00
0.105	0.99893515864019330 00
0.140	0.99810753529274810 00
0.175	0.99704420189053490 00
0.210	0.99574572302701160 00
0.245	0.99421278795529320 00
0.280	0.99244221010587020 00
0.315	0.99044692651747680 00
0.350	0.98821599718173910 00
0.385	0.98575660430196330 00
0.420	0.98306405146667720 00
0.455	0.98014576273922730 00
0.490	0.97700128165210000 00
0.525	0.97363227018025080 00
0.560	0.97004050748081470 00
0.595	0.96622738375223010 00
0.630	0.96219642386307840 00
0.665	0.95794823596178540 00
0.700	0.95348555999835270 00
0.735	0.94881074116924010 00
0.770	0.943926233232671550 00
0.805	0.93883459707393820 00
0.840	0.93353849838716260 00
0.875	0.92804070636648080 00
0.910	0.92234409151659030 00
0.945	0.91645162371912200 00
0.980	0.91036637017812210 00
1.015	0.904091499330033050 00
1.050	0.89763024251194750 00
1.085	0.89098598201364200 00
1.120	0.88416212647558130 00
1.155	0.87716220867433240 00
1.190	0.86998982707351170 00
1.225	0.86264868935011360 00
1.260	0.85514249986848130 00
1.295	0.84747515910393700 00
1.330	0.83965056101810700 00
1.365	0.83167264038803150 00
1.400	0.82354560009117400 00
1.435	0.81527340834847980 00
1.470	0.80686029592766310 00
1.505	0.79831050330893390 00
1.540	0.78962832781539920 00
1.575	0.78081812071039900 00
1.610	0.77189428426406600 00
1.645	0.76283126379140800 00
1.680	0.75366356966424190 00
1.715	0.74438572429532010 00
1.750	0.73500230912500550 00
1.785	0.72551793652886390 00
1.820	0.71593725178555890 00
1.855	0.70626492998843110 00
1.890	0.69650567292417000 00
1.925	0.68666420599796770 00
1.960	0.67674527510656810 00
1.995	0.666753643524461390 00
2.030	0.65669408878569570 00
2.065	0.64657139958349870 00
2.100	0.63639037255545750 00
2.135	0.62615580937128730 00
2.170	0.61587251342878410 00
2.205	0.60554528685925830 00
2.240	0.59517892742495230 00
2.275	0.58477822545078160 00
2.310	0.57434796077272730 00
2.345	0.56389289970516550 00
2.380	0.55341779202943800 00
2.415	0.54292736800589810 00
2.450	0.53242633541168110 00
2.485	0.52191937680639600 00
2.520	0.51141114562791900 00
2.555	0.50090626532043340 00
2.590	0.49040932449683460 00
2.625	0.47992487513757460 00
2.660	0.46945742962799290 00
2.695	0.45901145803614480 00
2.730	0.44859138543309020 00
2.765	0.43820158925757050 00
2.800	0.42784639672696630 00
2.835	0.41753008229636690 00
2.870	0.40725686516756580 00
2.905	0.39703090684970530 00
2.940	0.38685630877330100 00
2.975	0.37673710995928710 00
3.010	0.3666728474467680 00
3.045	0.35668074055640490 00
3.080	0.34675131580484180 00
3.115	0.33689277768841930 00
3.150	0.32710882026076630 00
3.185	0.31740306241168250 00
3.220	0.30777904597321610 00
3.255	0.29824023388208260 00
3.290	0.2887900040955130 00
3.325	0.27943164945998230 00
3.360	0.27016843293883790 00
3.395	0.26100342919146820 00
3.430	0.25193970151332370 00
3.465	0.24298020473250570 00
3.500	0.23412780386551960 00

FIGURE 4.61

ITERATION 87 WITH $w_m = 3.5$, (0, 1) MODE INPUT FUNCTION

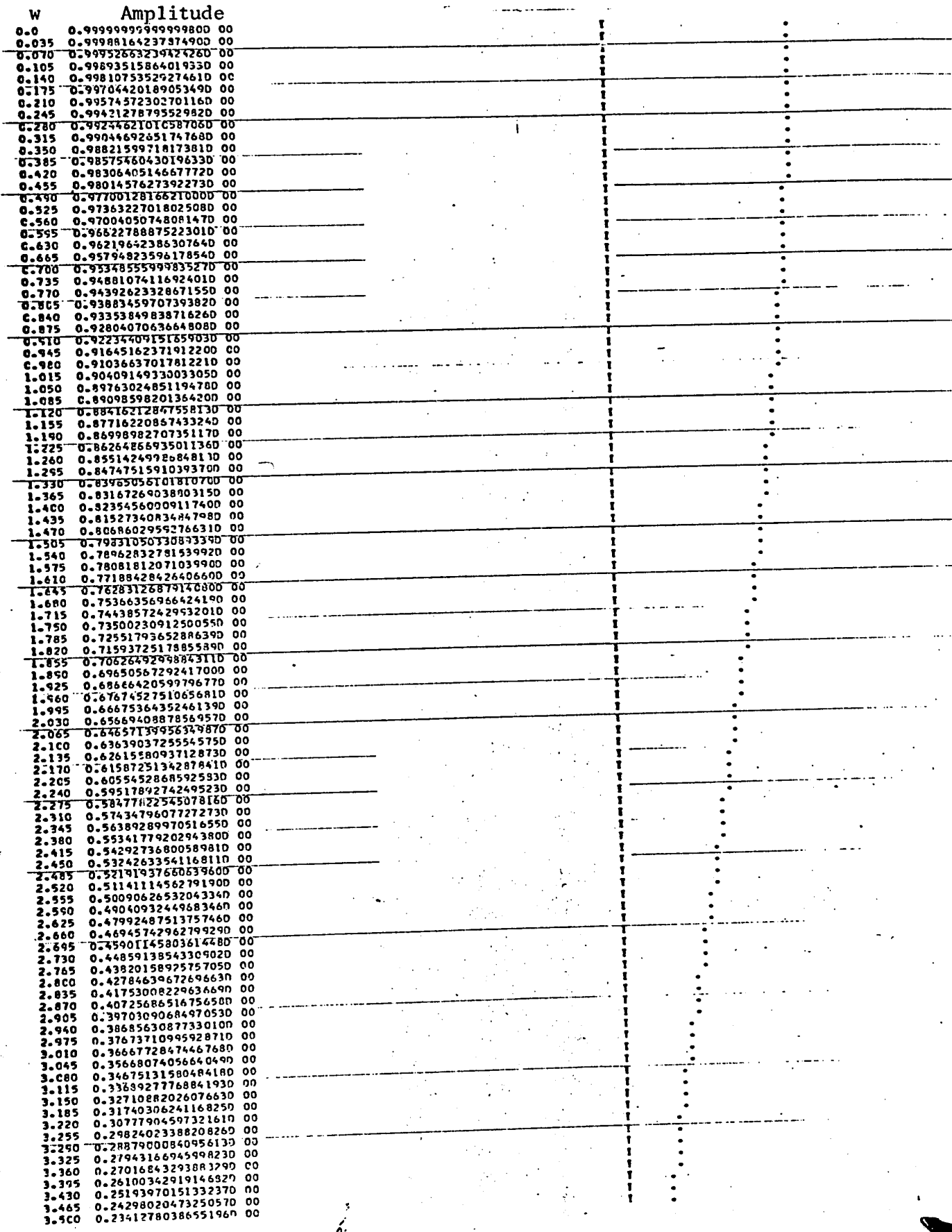


FIGURE 4.6J

ITERATION 0 WITH $W_m = 1.0$ AND (0, 2) MODE AS INPUT FUNCTION

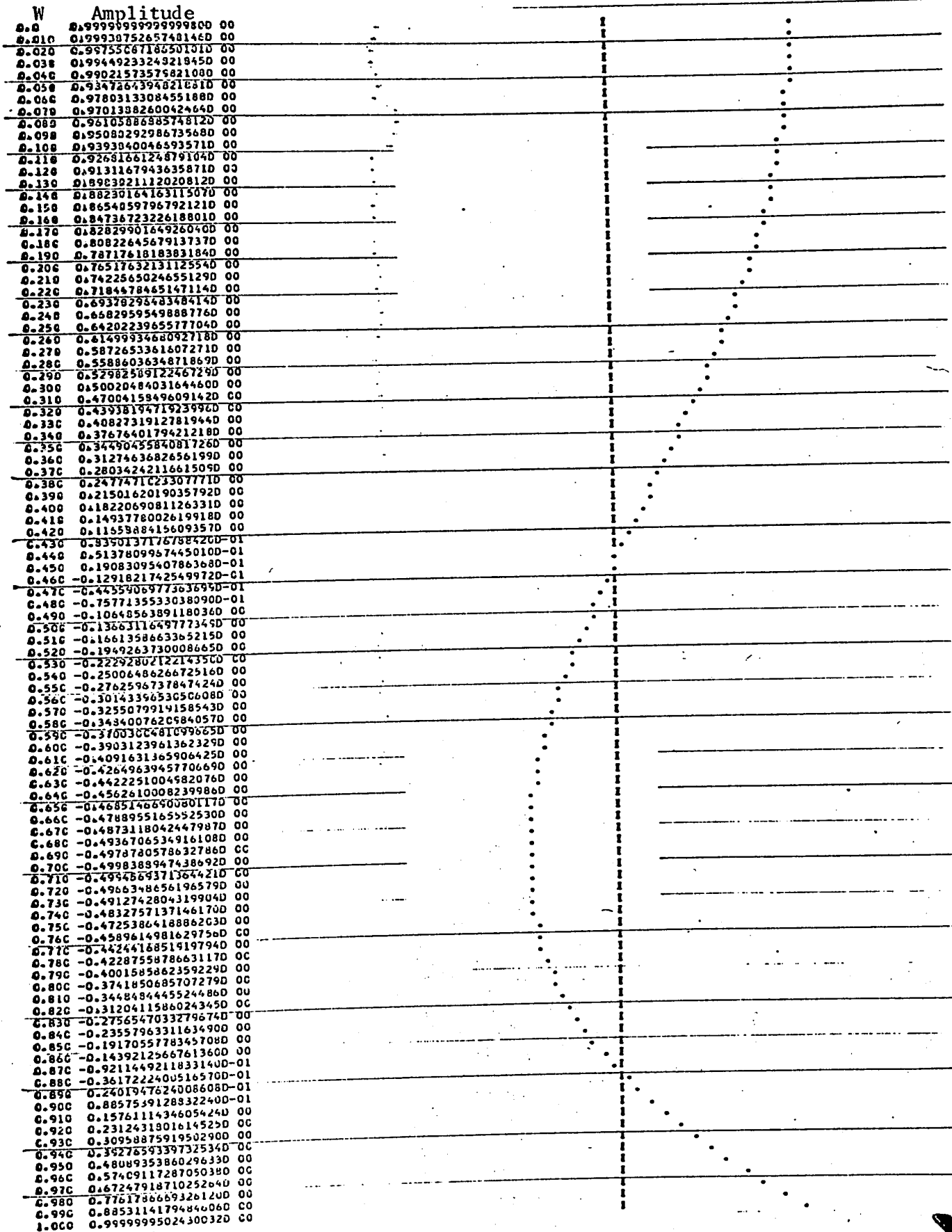


FIGURE 4.7A

ITERATION 1 WITH $W_m = 1.0$ AND (0, 2) MODE AS INPUT FUNCTION

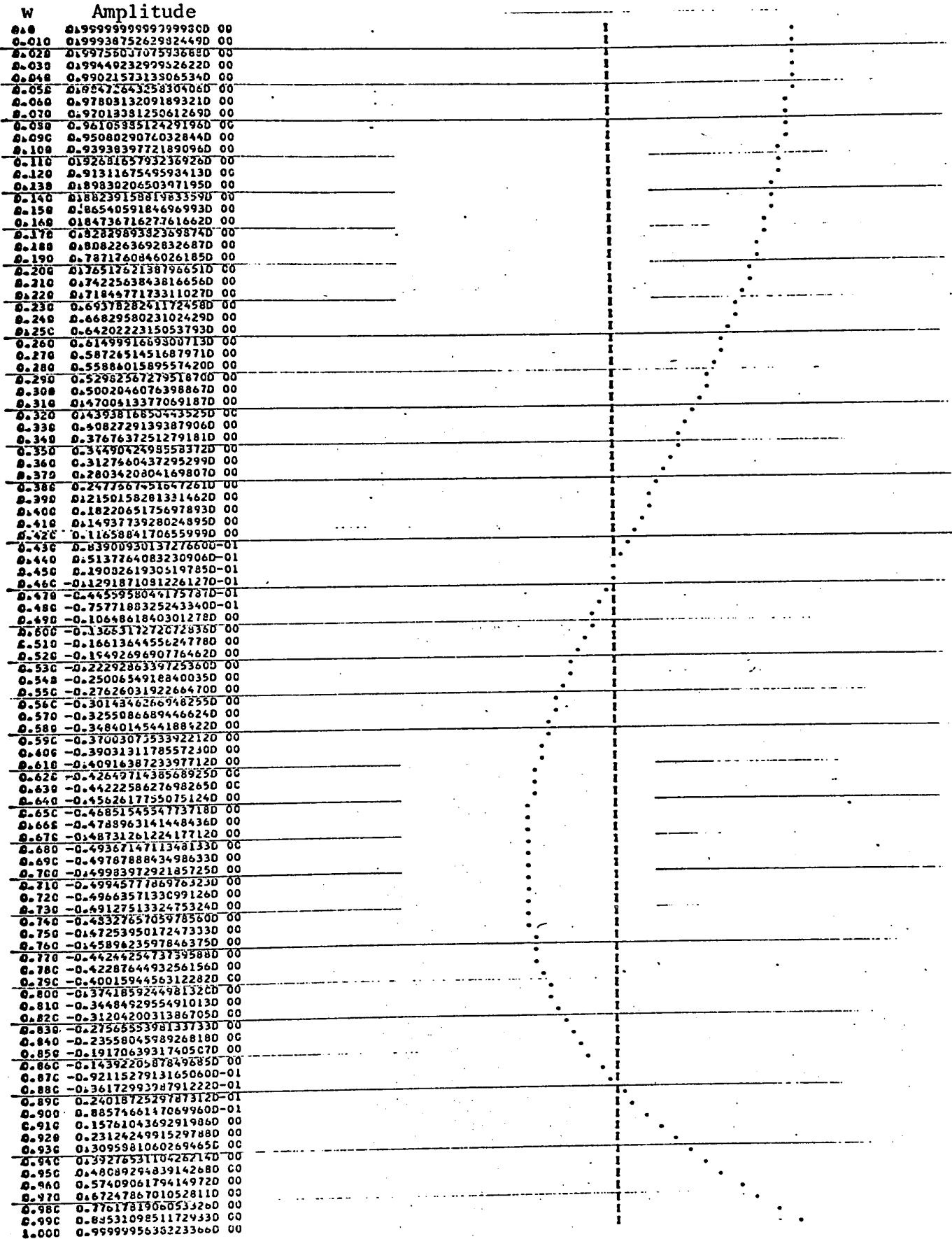


FIGURE 4.7B

ITERATION 2 WITH $W_m = 1.0$ AND (0, 2) MODE AS INPUT FUNCTION

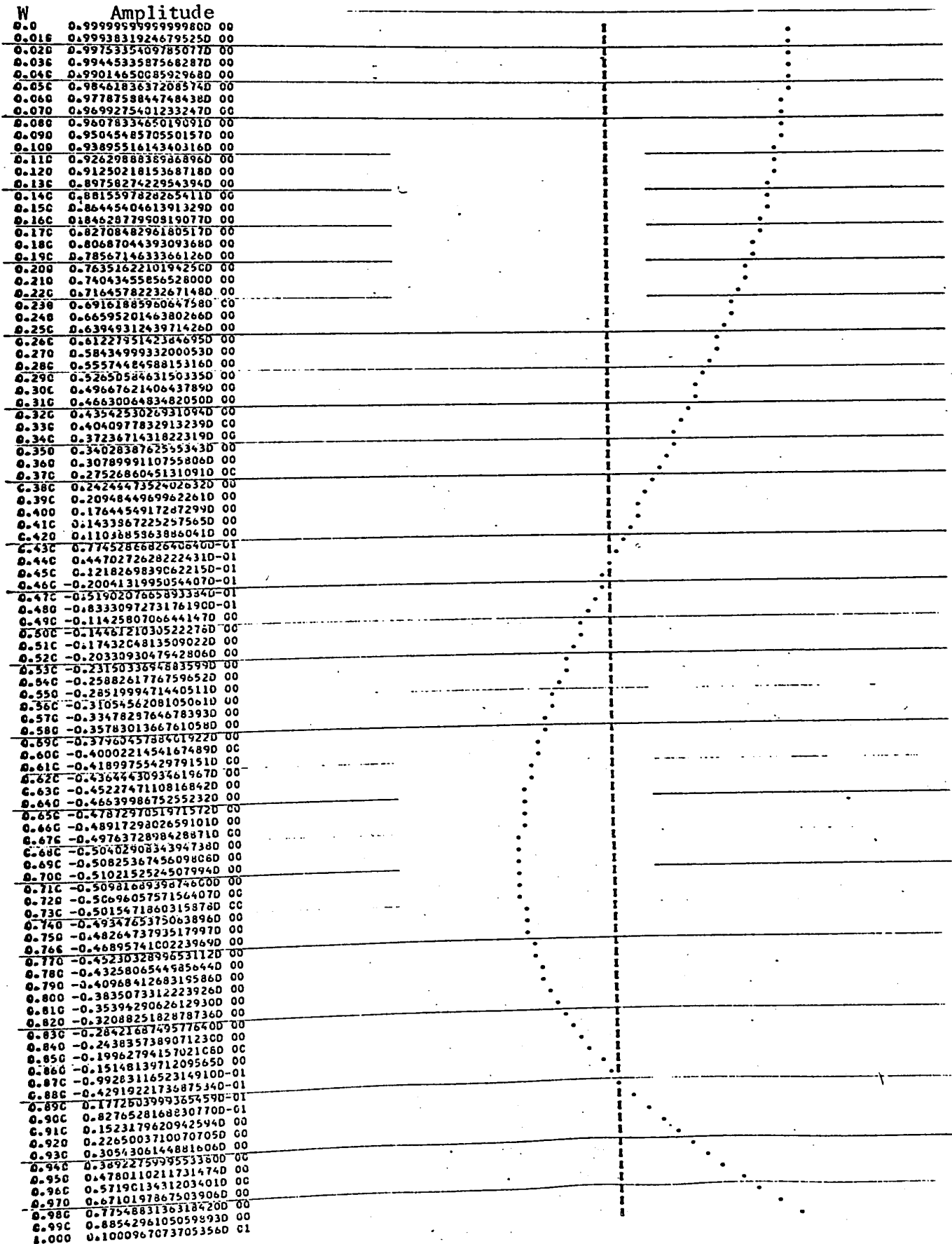


FIGURE 4.7C

ITERATION 3 WITH $w_m = 1.0$ AND (0, 2) MODE AS INPUT FUNCTION

W	Amplitude		
0.0	0.9999999999999999 00	I	.
0.010	0.9999955744034756D 00	I	.
0.020	0.99999336331737935D 00	I	.
0.030	0.9999910130277509D 00	I	.
0.040	0.99999006017625952D 00	I	.
0.050	0.99998913864220639D 00	I	.
0.060	0.99998432880745522D 00	I	.
0.070	0.99997861970298385D 00	I	.
0.080	0.99997199927521054D 00	I	.
0.090	0.99996445338953687D 00	I	.
0.100	0.99995596603211906D 00	I	.
0.110	0.99994651931188826D 00	I	.
0.120	0.99993609346279139D 00	I	.
0.130	0.99992466684628500D 00	I	.
0.140	0.9999121595405602D 00	I	.
0.150	0.9989871541093921D 00	I	.
0.160	0.9988913757819912D 00	I	.
0.170	0.9986845455686230D 00	I	.
0.180	0.9985153419142364D 00	I	.
0.190	0.9983364407373138D 00	I	.
0.200	0.9981444954712075D 00	I	.
0.210	0.9979401411076833D 00	I	.
0.220	0.9977229942429235D 00	I	.
0.230	0.9974926531257279D 00	I	.
0.240	0.9972486977032091D 00	I	.
0.250	0.9969906896985684D 00	I	.
0.260	0.9967181726163813D 00	I	.
0.270	0.9964306718501079D 00	I	.
0.280	0.9961276947168744D 00	I	.
0.290	0.9958087305246103D 00	I	.
0.300	0.9954732506363805D 00	I	.
0.310	0.9951207085371254D 00	I	.
0.320	0.9947505399025284D 00	I	.
0.330	0.9943621626702789D 00	I	.
0.340	0.9939549771134634D 00	I	.
0.350	0.9935283659163813D 00	I	.
0.360	0.9930816942523516D 00	I	.
0.370	0.9926143098640713D 00	I	.
0.380	0.9921255431459019D 00	I	.
0.390	0.9916147372285492D 00	I	.
0.400	0.9910910980659592D 00	I	.
0.410	0.9905239945242751D 00	I	.
0.420	0.9899424584731274D 00	I	.
0.430	0.9893363348791297D 00	I	.
0.440	0.9887042519013195D 00	I	.
0.450	0.9880456209890613D 00	I	.
0.460	0.9873596365818779D 00	I	.
0.470	0.9866454782116056D 00	I	.
0.480	0.9859023066065237D 00	I	.
0.490	0.9851292677976666D 00	I	.
0.500	0.9843254912273280D 00	I	.
0.510	0.9834900902595620D 00	I	.
0.520	0.9826221622928006D 00	I	.
0.530	0.9817207888745182D 00	I	.
0.540	0.9807850358184404D 00	I	.
0.550	0.9798139533224774D 00	I	.
0.560	0.9788065766905117D 00	I	.
0.570	0.9777619234549155D 00	I	.
0.580	0.9766789995014213D 00	I	.
0.590	0.9755567931983220D 00	I	.
0.600	0.9743942789152139D 00	I	.
0.610	0.9731904145739540D 00	I	.
0.620	0.9719441457616004D 00	I	.
0.630	0.9706544018752907D 00	I	.
0.640	0.9693200982569551D 00	I	.
0.650	0.9679401359320562D 00	I	.
0.660	0.9665134017502996D 00	I	.
0.670	0.9650387685280674D 00	I	.
0.680	0.9635150951929411D 00	I	.
0.690	0.9619412269299321D 00	I	.
0.700	0.9603159953296487D 00	I	.
0.710	0.9586332185383339D 00	I	.
0.720	0.9569067014096297D 00	I	.
0.730	0.9551202356582577D 00	I	.
0.740	0.9532776000154383D 00	I	.
0.750	0.9513775603860925D 00	I	.
0.760	0.9494188700078442D 00	I	.
0.770	0.9474002696117553D 00	I	.
0.780	0.9453204875847436D 00	I	.
0.790	0.9431782401338115D 00	I	.
0.800	0.9409722314518733D 00	I	.
0.810	0.9387011538853664D 00	I	.
0.820	0.9363636381034664D 00	I	.
0.830	0.9339585032699594D 00	I	.
0.840	0.9314842572107215D 00	I	.
0.850	0.9289395965979110D 00	I	.
0.860	0.9263231571156582D 00	I	.
0.870	0.9236335636423352D 00	I	.
0.880	0.9208694304265147D 00	I	.
0.890	0.9180293612772418D 00	I	.
0.900	0.9151119497260995D 00	I	.
0.910	0.9121157792309503D 00	I	.
0.920	0.9090394233489680D 00	I	.
0.930	0.9058814459269219D 00	I	.
0.940	0.9026430401245146D 00	I	.
0.950	0.8993148344337236D 00	I	.
0.960	0.8959032812078195D 00	I	.
0.970	0.8924042684984979D 00	I	.
0.980	0.8888163144547653D 00	I	.
0.990	0.8851379286501066D 00	I	.
1.000	0.8813676122969446D 00	I	.

FIGURE 4.7D

ITERATION 4 WITH $W_m = 1.0$ AND (0, 2) MODE AS INPUT FUNCTION

W	Amplitude		
C.C	0.9999999999999999 00		
C.01C	0.9999871600899207D 00		
C.02C	0.9999510409643677D 00		
C.03C	0.9998870444373500D 00		
C.04C	0.9998041735321201D 00		
C.05C	0.9996940324809251D 00		
C.06C	0.9995554267248055D 00		
C.07C	0.9994003629132244D 00		
C.08C	0.9992168489036725D 00		
C.09C	0.9990088937611598D 00		
C.10C	0.9987765077576744D 00		
C.11C	0.9985197023715340D 00		
C.12C	0.9982384902680801D 00		
C.13C	0.9979326853518645D 00		
C.14C	0.9976029027748962D 00		
C.15C	0.9972485587464991D 00		
C.16C	0.9968698707695060D 00		
C.17C	0.996468576076713D 00		
C.18C	0.9960395340995333D 00		
C.19C	0.9955874363621755D 00		
C.20C	0.9951120710839395D 00		
C.21C	0.9946119635750025D 00		
C.22C	0.9940876516959024D 00		
C.23C	0.9935371469302866D 00		
C.24C	0.9929664813627123D 00		
C.25C	0.9923696832335704D 00		
C.26C	0.991746731990321D 00		
C.27C	0.991108082792862D 00		
C.28C	0.990434793026400D 00		
C.29C	0.9897417718035435D 00		
C.30C	0.9890247763405697D 00		
C.31C	0.9882838426902471D 00		
C.32C	0.9875190374449202D 00		
C.33C	0.9867305083104612D 00		
C.34C	0.985917764639401D 00		
C.35C	0.9850814750512162D 00		
C.36C	0.984224218443895D 00		
C.37C	0.9833376679395906D 00		
C.38C	0.982430255536410D 00		
C.39C	0.981499230622438D 00		
C.40C	0.9805446380964293D 00		
C.41C	0.9795665252002501D 00		
C.42C	0.9785649403270977D 00		
C.43C	0.9775494325395134D 00		
C.44C	0.9764915423605990D 00		
C.45C	0.9754190511370461D 00		
C.46C	0.9743240823102308D 00		
C.47C	0.9732066940143606D 00		
C.48C	0.9720653904422925D 00		
C.49C	0.9709020910345054D 00		
C.50C	0.9697134193176118D 00		
C.51C	0.9685024402712030D 00		
C.52C	0.9672695331811008D 00		
C.53C	0.9660132086445055D 00		
C.54C	0.9647417035581270D 00		
C.55C	0.9634323551233950D 00		
C.56C	0.9621078228540670D 00		
C.57C	0.9607607365579140D 00		
C.58C	0.9593910723303705D 00		
C.59C	0.9579989273040518D 00		
C.60C	0.9565843699328435D 00		
C.61C	0.9551474693442809D 00		
C.62C	0.9536882901822074D 00		
C.63C	0.9522069218037203D 00		
C.64C	0.9507034180339376D 00		
C.65C	0.9491776609121126D 00		
C.66C	0.9476303227308474D 00		
C.67C	0.9460608300615184D 00		
C.68C	0.9444696096696020D 00		
C.69C	0.9428565894699750D 00		
C.70C	0.9412216482920454D 00		
C.71C	0.9395656163095860D 00		
C.72C	0.9378878237926382D 00		
C.73C	0.9361880034088044D 00		
C.74C	0.9344680379319245D 00		
C.75C	0.9327262113801300D 00		
C.76C	0.9309632087818935D 00		
C.77C	0.9291791161710942D 00		
C.78C	0.9273740205614104D 00		
C.79C	0.9255480100411505D 00		
C.80C	0.9237011735677670D 00		
C.81C	0.9218330011623777D 00		
C.82C	0.9199453030604267D 00		
C.83C	0.9180366134452681D 00		
C.84C	0.9161073850041121D 00		
C.85C	0.9141577063007195D 00		
C.86C	0.9121879103504305D 00		
C.87C	0.9101976747501804D 00		
C.88C	0.9081877523120153D 00		
C.89C	0.9061576486631512D 00		
C.90C	0.9041076024530810D 00		
C.91C	0.9020375043173023D 00		
C.92C	0.9000494120901220D 00		
C.93C	0.8980374030543700D 00		
C.94C	0.8960571005922896D 00		
C.95C	0.8940536007415450D 00		
C.96C	0.8920940004815170D 00		
C.97C	0.8901204921520492D 00		
C.98C	0.8881004133721024D 00		
C.99C	0.8860774722200300D 00		
1.00C	0.8840530003410401D 00		

FIGURE 4.7E

ITERATION 18 WITH $W_m = 1.0$ AND (0, 2) MODE AS INPUT FUNCTION

W	Amplitude
0.0	0.999999999999999800 00
0.010	0.99998776021899210 00
0.020	0.99995104148150450 00
0.030	0.99988984560410380 00
0.040	0.99980417561427950 00
0.050	0.99969403575025280 00
0.060	0.99955943146071180 00
0.070	0.99940036940447680 00
0.080	0.99921685745008450 00
0.090	0.99900890467530100 00
0.100	0.99877652136655600 00
0.110	0.99851911901830520 00
0.120	0.99823851033231720 00
0.130	0.99793290421638330 00
0.140	0.99760293078595590 00
0.150	0.99724859135820740 00
0.160	0.99686990845601920 00
0.170	0.99646690080439330 00
0.180	0.996039588832978920 00
0.190	0.99558799215888740 00
0.200	0.99511213461727790 00
0.210	0.99461203922807320 00
0.220	0.99408773071045050 00
0.230	0.99353423497811510 00
0.240	0.99296657913769310 00
0.250	0.99236979148704920 00
0.260	0.99174890151352980 00
0.270	0.99110393985213460 00
0.280	0.99043493848361120 00
0.290	0.98974193033247990 00
0.300	0.98902494960498250 00
0.310	0.98828403188696100 00
0.320	0.98751921358165680 00
0.330	0.98673053250744640 00
0.340	0.98591802759549660 00
0.350	0.98508173894735180 00
0.360	0.98422170783244660 00
0.370	0.98333797668554010 00
0.380	0.98243058910410140 00
0.390	0.98149958984558950 00
0.400	0.98054502482468730 00
0.410	0.97956694111045390 00
0.420	0.97856538692340570 00
0.430	0.97754041183253470 00
0.440	0.97649206575223770 00
0.450	0.97542040093919710 00
0.460	0.97432546998917560 00
0.470	0.97320732683374640 00
0.480	0.97206602653695420 00
0.490	0.97090162529190270 00
0.500	0.96971418041727700 00
0.510	0.96850375035379360 00
0.520	0.96727039466058330 00
0.530	0.96601417401150400 00
0.540	0.96473515019138470 00
0.550	0.96343338609220370 00
0.560	0.96210894570919660 00
0.570	0.96076189413689670 00
0.580	0.95939229756510830 00
0.590	0.95800022327481500 00
0.600	0.95658573963401670 00
0.610	0.95514891609350330 00
0.620	0.95368982318256230 00
0.630	0.95220853250461760 00
0.640	0.95070511673280680 00
0.650	0.94917924960548780 00
0.660	0.94763220592168610 00
0.670	0.94606286153647290 00
0.680	0.94447169335628130 00
0.690	0.94285877933415620 00
0.700	0.94122419846494340 00
0.710	0.93956803078041280 00
0.720	0.93789035734431950 00
0.730	0.93619126024740180 00
0.740	0.93447082260231700 00
0.750	0.93272912853851500 00
0.760	0.93096626315705160 00
0.770	0.92918231272533660 00
0.780	0.9273736427182610 00
0.790	0.92555150598064950 00
0.800	0.92370482698618070 00
0.810	0.92183741740754450 00
0.820	0.91994936834306790 00
0.830	0.91804077185666990 00
0.840	0.91611172101214360 00
0.850	0.91416230978767890 00
0.860	0.91219263314957840 00
0.870	0.91020278700691640 00
0.880	0.90819286021338770 00
0.890	0.90616297455140320 00
0.900	0.90411320477607780 00
0.910	0.90204365850916170 00
0.920	0.89995443633291720 00
0.930	0.89784563973394150 00
0.940	0.89571737110693140 00
0.950	0.89356973374839300 00
0.960	0.89140283185032370 00
0.970	0.88921677049377070 00
0.980	0.88701165564243140 00
0.990	0.88478757413613040 00
1.000	0.88254469368427200 00

FIGURE 4.7F

ITERATION 19 WITH $W_m = 1.0$ AND (0. 2) MODE AS INPUT FUNCTION

W	Amplitude			
0.00	0.9999899999999800	00		
0.010	0.99998776021899210	00		
0.020	0.99995104142150380	00		
0.030	0.99980984560410380	00		
0.040	0.99980417561625990	00		
0.050	0.99969403575025280	00		
0.060	0.99955943146071160	00		
0.070	0.99940016940647660	00		
0.080	0.99921685745008450	00		
0.090	0.99900890467530070	00		
0.100	0.99877652136655600	00		
0.110	0.99851971901830500	00		
0.120	0.99823851033231700	00		
0.130	0.99793290921688330	00		
0.140	0.99760293078595570	00		
0.150	0.99724859135820710	00		
0.160	0.99686290845601920	00		
0.170	0.99646690080439290	00		
0.180	0.99603958832978890	00		
0.190	0.99558792215888740	00		
0.200	0.9951121346172770	00		
0.210	0.99461203922807300	00		
0.220	0.99408772071095030	00		
0.230	0.99353923497811510	00		
0.240	0.99298657913769310	00		
0.250	0.99234979148704920	00		
0.260	0.99174890151352980	00		
0.270	0.99110393939213460	00		
0.280	0.99053493848361100	00		
0.290	0.9897419303247990	00		
0.300	0.98902494966498270	00		
0.310	0.98828403188696070	00		
0.320	0.98751921358165680	00		
0.330	0.98673053250744640	00		
0.340	0.98591802759549680	00		
0.350	0.98508173894735160	00		
0.360	0.98422170783244660	00		
0.370	0.98333797668553980	00		
0.380	0.98243058910410140	00		
0.390	0.98149958984558930	00		
0.400	0.98054502482468710	00		
0.410	0.97956694111045340	00		
0.420	0.9785653369240670	00		
0.430	0.97754041163253470	00		
0.440	0.97649206575223750	00		
0.450	0.97542040093919650	00		
0.460	0.97432564898817520	00		
0.470	0.97320732683374640	00		
0.480	0.97206602653695380	00		
0.490	0.97090162529190240	00		
0.500	0.96971418041727890	00		
0.510	0.96850375035379340	00		
0.520	0.96727049666058330	00		
0.530	0.96601417401150420	00		
0.540	0.96473515019138430	00		
0.550	0.96343338669220350	00		
0.560	0.96210894570919660	00		
0.570	0.96076189413689620	00		
0.580	0.95939229756510830	00		
0.590	0.95800022327481500	00		
0.600	0.95658573963401690	00		
0.610	0.95514891409350330	00		
0.620	0.95368982318256230	00		
0.630	0.95220853250461740	00		
0.640	0.95070511673280640	00		
0.650	0.94917964960548780	00		
0.660	0.94763220592168590	00		
0.670	0.94606286153667340	00		
0.680	0.94447169335028080	00		
0.690	0.94285877933415600	00		
0.700	0.94122419946694360	00		
0.710	0.93956803078041260	00		
0.720	0.93789035734431970	00		
0.730	0.93619126024740160	00		
0.740	0.93447082260231700	00		
0.750	0.93272912853851500	00		
0.760	0.93096626319205140	00		
0.770	0.92918231272533660	00		
0.780	0.92737736427182590	00		
0.790	0.92555150558064980	00		
0.800	0.92370482698618070	00		
0.810	0.92183741740754450	00		
0.820	0.91994936834306790	00		
0.830	0.91804077186466990	00		
0.840	0.91611172101219380	00		
0.850	0.9141623097878500	00		
0.860	0.91219263314957840	00		
0.870	0.91020278700059160	00		
0.880	0.90819286821332770	00		
0.890	0.90616297456140320	00		
0.900	0.90411320477607780	00		
0.910	0.90204365850916150	00		
0.920	0.89995443633291720	00		
0.930	0.89785563973394130	00		
0.940	0.89571737110693140	00		
0.950	0.89356973374839780	00		
0.960	0.89140283185032390	00		
0.970	0.88921677049377050	00		
0.980	0.88701165564243160	00		
0.990	0.88478759413613020	00		
1.000	0.88254469358427290	00		

FIGURE 4.7G

ITERATION 0 WITH $W_m = 3.5, (0, 2)$ MODE INPUT FUNCTION

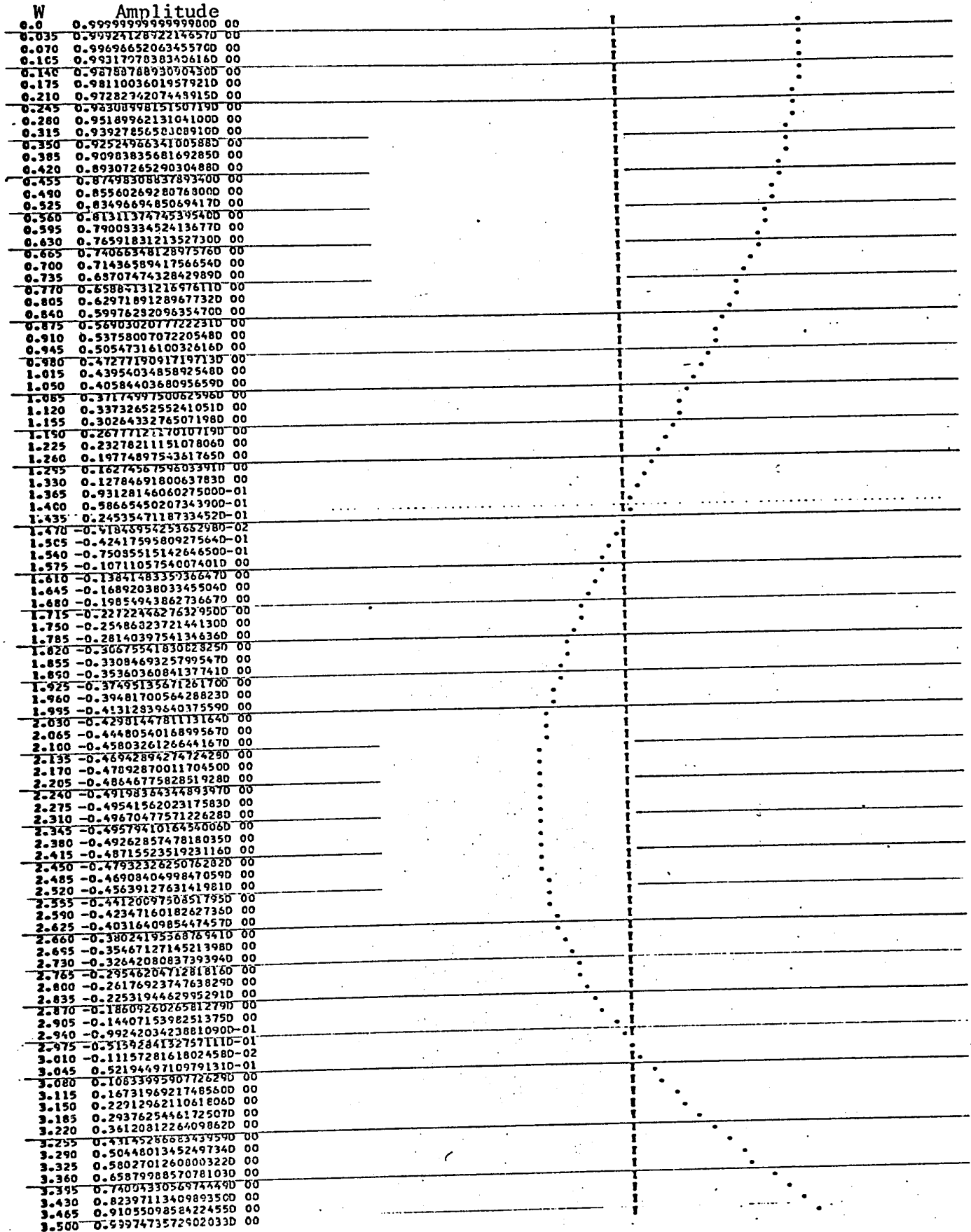


FIGURE 4.8A

ITERATION 1 WITH $w_m = 3.5$, (0, 2) MODE INPUT FUNCTION

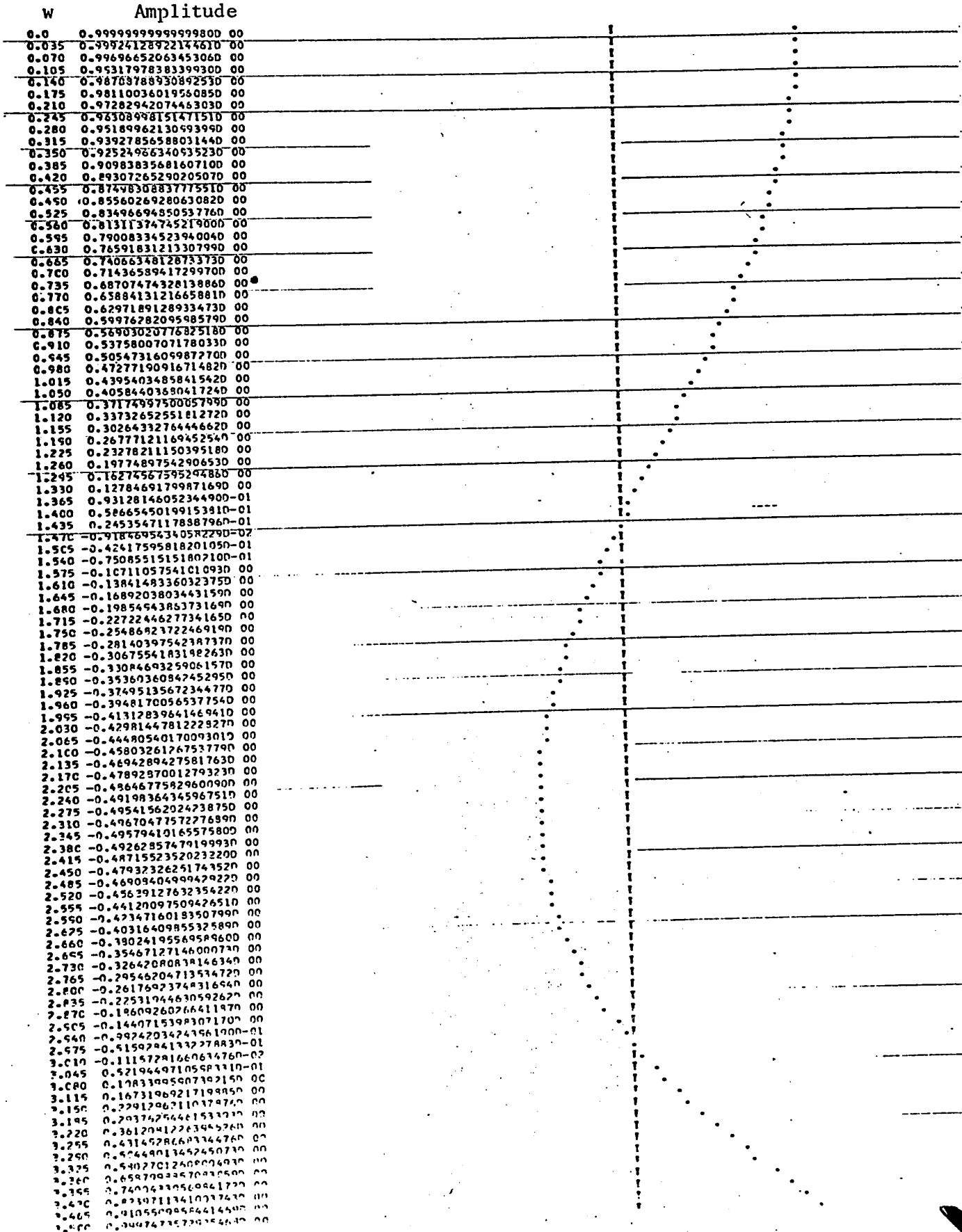


FIGURE 4.8B

ITERATION 6 WITH $W_m = 3.5$, (0, 2) MODE INPUT FUNCTION

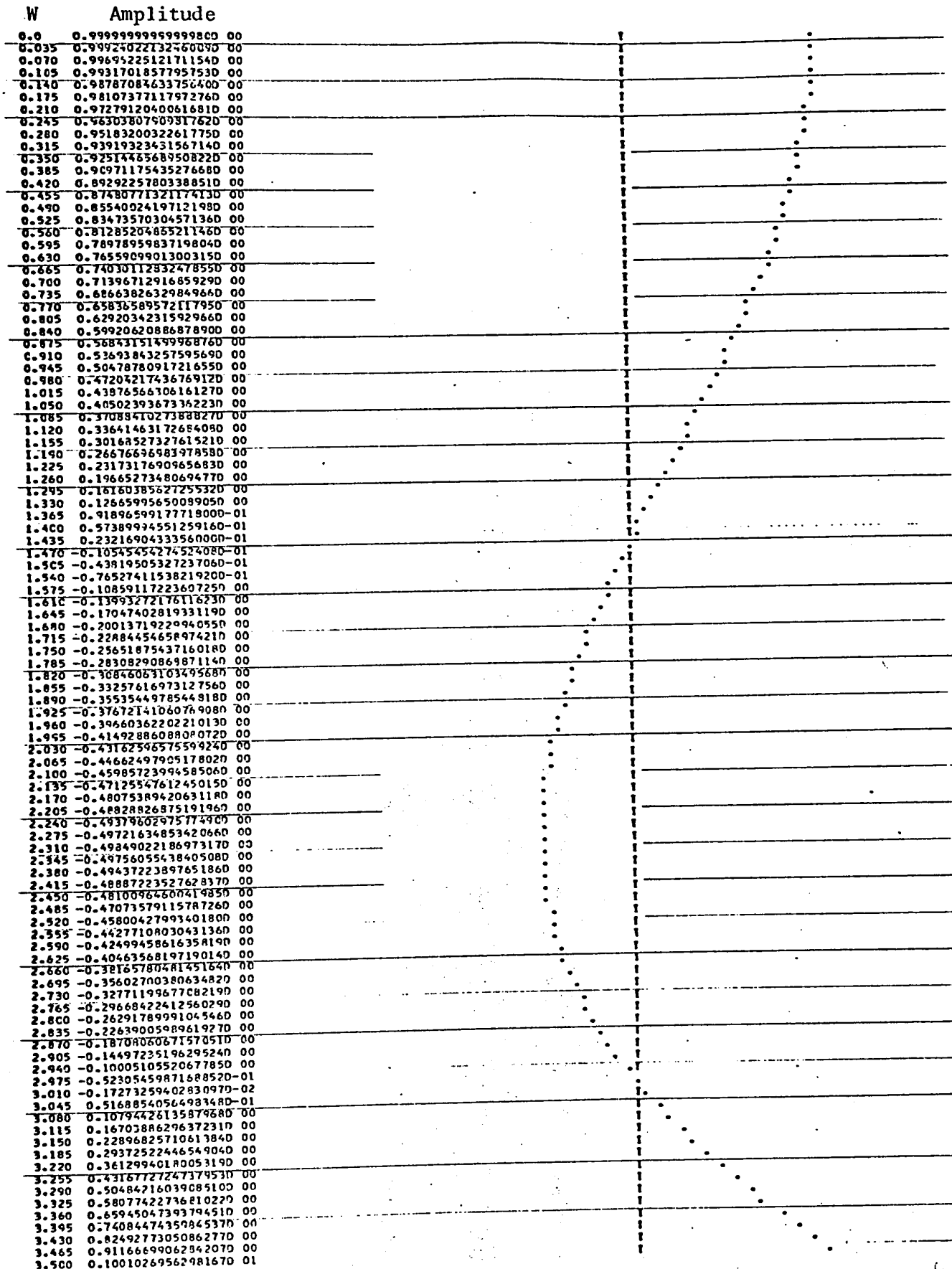


FIGURE 4.8C

ITERATION 7 WITH $W_m = 3.5$, (0, 2) MODE INPUT FUNCTION.

W	Amplitude
0.0	0.9999999999999800 00
0.035	0.999191650380 00
0.070	0.99676806610034610 00
0.105	0.99273363912136210 00
0.140	0.98709568346154070 00
0.175	0.97986442632667040 00
0.210	0.97105299570719780 00
0.245	0.96067740445310270 00
0.280	0.94875653085845480 00
0.315	0.93531209573523760 00
0.350	0.92036863607183190 00
0.385	0.90395347523560280 00
0.420	0.88609668979460450 00
0.455	0.86683107298138500 00
0.490	0.84619209484156500 00
0.525	0.82421785911139330 00
0.560	0.80094905682738620 00
0.595	0.77642891703463230 00
0.630	0.75070315170373650 00
0.665	0.72381991049015480 00
0.700	0.69582970182277610 00
0.735	0.66678535133223300 00
0.770	0.63674192737240660 00
0.805	0.60575667575207950 00
0.840	0.57388894975156910 00
0.875	0.54120013750240620 00
0.910	0.50775358681089880 00
0.945	0.47361452750447930 00
0.980	0.43884999142231560 00
1.015	0.40352873003451360 00
1.050	0.36772112995675190 00
1.085	0.33149912627954380 00
1.120	0.29493611391410490 00
1.155	0.25810685701847410 00
1.190	0.22108739661038290 00
1.225	0.18395495646972750 00
1.260	0.14678784743625220 00
1.295	0.10966537020893140 00
1.330	0.72667716756149100-01
1.365	0.35875870446875340-01
1.400	-0.62849498550075460-03
1.435	-0.36763117533350280-01
1.470	-0.72445249944747400-01
1.505	-0.10759176357763130 00
1.540	-0.14211925296174720 00
1.575	-0.17594414095101340 00
1.610	-0.20898278434830110 00
1.645	-0.24115157988391270 00
1.680	-0.27236707042870590 00
1.715	-0.30254605132235650 00
1.750	-0.33160567669704710 00
1.785	-0.35946356567692070 00
1.820	-0.38603790833351190 00
1.855	-0.41124757127762640 00
1.890	-0.4350122027684920 00
1.925	-0.45725233722145200 00
1.960	-0.47789949899575240 00
1.995	-0.49684630534529070 00
2.030	-0.51404656841531190 00
2.065	-0.52941539616950220 00
2.100	-0.54287929213273430 00
2.135	-0.55436625383617420 00
2.170	-0.56380586985233180 00
2.205	-0.57112941530988510 00
2.240	-0.5762694577854630 00
2.275	-0.57916238941721370 00
2.310	-0.57974363727954130 00
2.345	-0.57795263167241770 00
2.380	-0.57373045246845800 00
2.415	-0.56702040126878020 00
2.450	-0.55776808332289980 00
2.485	-0.54592148710840570 00
2.520	-0.53143106147907330 00
2.555	-0.51424979029121040 00
2.590	-0.49433326442115880 00
2.625	-0.47163975108970720 00
2.660	-0.44613026041176270 00
2.695	-0.41776860909258420 00
2.730	-0.38652148119521770 00
2.765	-0.35235848590672520 00
2.800	-0.31525221223364910 00
2.835	-0.27517828056121040 00
2.870	-0.23211539101291410 00
2.905	-0.18604536855245160 00
2.940	-0.13695320477089540 00
2.975	-0.84827096307771200-01
3.010	-0.29658479857500270-01
3.045	0.28557936284348170-01
3.080	0.89824144175716500-01
3.115	0.15413881172125910 00
3.150	0.22149726173771190 00
3.185	0.24189145462717010 00
3.220	0.36530997464522280 00
3.255	0.44173801990169020 00
3.290	0.52115739592016310 00
3.325	0.60354651296249920 00
3.360	0.68888038701287980 00
3.395	0.7771306446729440 00
3.430	0.86826553052406250 00
3.465	0.96224992127445500 00
3.500	0.10590453394875850 01

FIGURE 4.8D

ITERATION 8 WITH $W_m = 3.5$, (0, 2) MODE INPUT FUNCTION

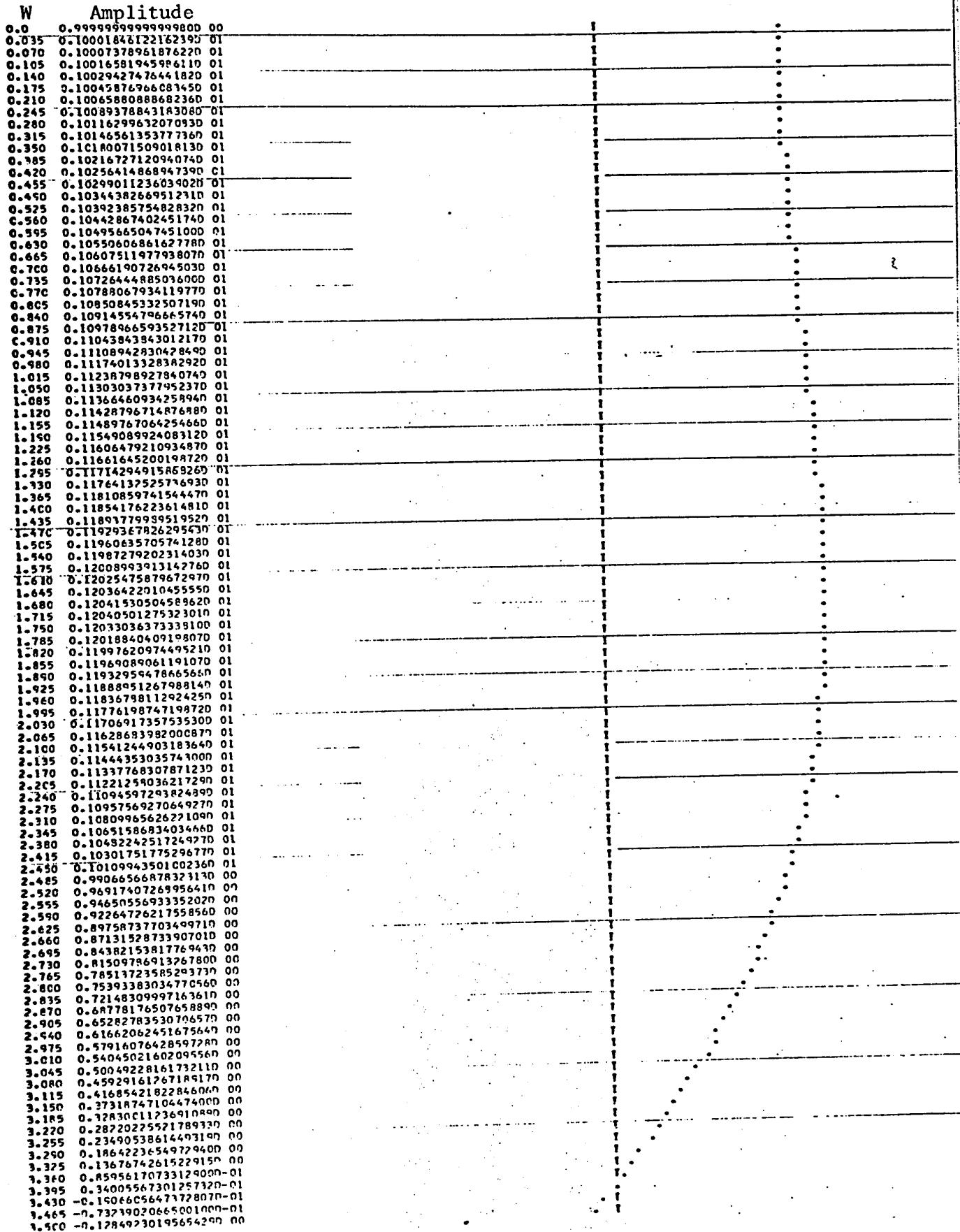


FIGURE 4.8E

ITERATION 9 WITH $W_m = 3.5$, (0, 2) MODE INPUT FUNCTION

W	Amplitude
0.0	0.999999999999999900 00
0.035	0.999888645265624050 00
0.070	0.99954586377313440 00
0.105	0.99897839273247200 00
0.140	0.99818430495428360 00
0.175	0.99716397193679480 00
0.210	0.99591787084291030 00
0.245	0.99447658433303330 00
0.280	0.99275080016450770 00
0.315	0.99083131078778660 00
0.350	0.98868901286987210 00
0.385	0.98632490675504700 00
0.420	0.98374009586350160 00
0.455	0.98093578502816280 00
0.490	0.97791328477020740 00
0.525	0.974674000051375570 00
0.560	0.97121944174028990 00
0.595	0.96755121608336740 00
0.630	0.96367102936426870 00
0.665	0.95958058458422270 00
0.700	0.95528208076893170 00
0.735	0.95077721199112100 00
0.770	0.94606816597690250 00
0.805	0.94115712303177540 00
0.840	0.93604635462210890 00
0.875	0.93073822206801400 00
0.910	0.92523517512351830 00
0.945	0.91953975051502990 00
0.980	0.91365457042907190 00
1.015	0.90758234095033160 00
1.050	0.9013258045109360 00
1.085	0.89488796793315310 00
1.120	0.88827164132334420 00
1.155	0.88147989572384400 00
1.190	0.87451583161845260 00
1.225	0.86738262303606320 00
1.260	0.86008351587257760 00
1.295	0.85262782497254700 00
1.330	0.84500093417184870 00
1.365	0.83722429230266090 00
1.400	0.82929541216230120 00
1.435	0.82121786824699210 00
1.470	0.81299524665203170 00
1.505	0.80463138294041210 00
1.540	0.79612987958005890 00
1.575	0.78749458575716400 00
1.610	0.77872935113237270 00
1.645	0.76983807564474020 00
1.680	0.76082470519178440 00
1.715	0.75169322976105830 00
1.750	0.74244768111013920 00
1.785	0.73309213043155270 00
1.820	0.72363068599918070 00
1.855	0.71406749079740870 00
1.890	0.70440672013691260 00
1.925	0.69465257925171060 00
1.960	0.68480930089069980 00
1.995	0.6748811428935820 00
2.030	0.66487238576079800 00
2.065	0.65478733021165460 00
2.100	0.64463029474576780 00
2.135	0.63440561318925560 00
2.170	0.62411763224641100 00
2.205	0.61377070904742730 00
2.240	0.60336920869737000 00
2.275	0.59291750182749390 00
2.310	0.58241996215052300 00
2.345	0.57189096402148990 00
2.380	0.56130488000560970 00
2.415	0.55069607845516550 00
2.450	0.54005892109629780 00
2.485	0.52939776062794200 00
2.520	0.51871693833405770 00
2.555	0.50802078171021730 00
2.590	0.49731360211026170 00
2.625	0.48659969240194040 00
2.660	0.47588332465398550 00
2.695	0.46516874783517060 00
2.730	0.45446018553933100 00
2.765	0.44376183373364260 00
2.800	0.43307785853212440 00
2.835	0.42241239399582780 00
2.870	0.41176953996094790 00
2.905	0.40115335989667940 00
2.940	0.39056787879293230 00
2.975	0.38001708108111960 00
3.010	0.36950490858743800 00
3.045	0.35903525852098740 00
3.080	0.34861198149756520 00
3.115	0.33823897960045310 00
3.150	0.32791970447973720 00
3.185	0.31765815548792310 00
3.220	0.30745787786336200 00
3.255	0.29732246009451040 00
3.290	0.28725543643765620 00
3.325	0.27726027671643710 00
3.360	0.26734039317757260 00
3.395	0.25749913463385260 00
3.430	0.24773978575638230 00
3.465	0.2380655656350350 00
3.500	0.22847967505794020 00

FIGURE 4.8F

ITERATION 39 WITH $w_m = 3.5$, (0, 2) MODE INPUT FUNCTION

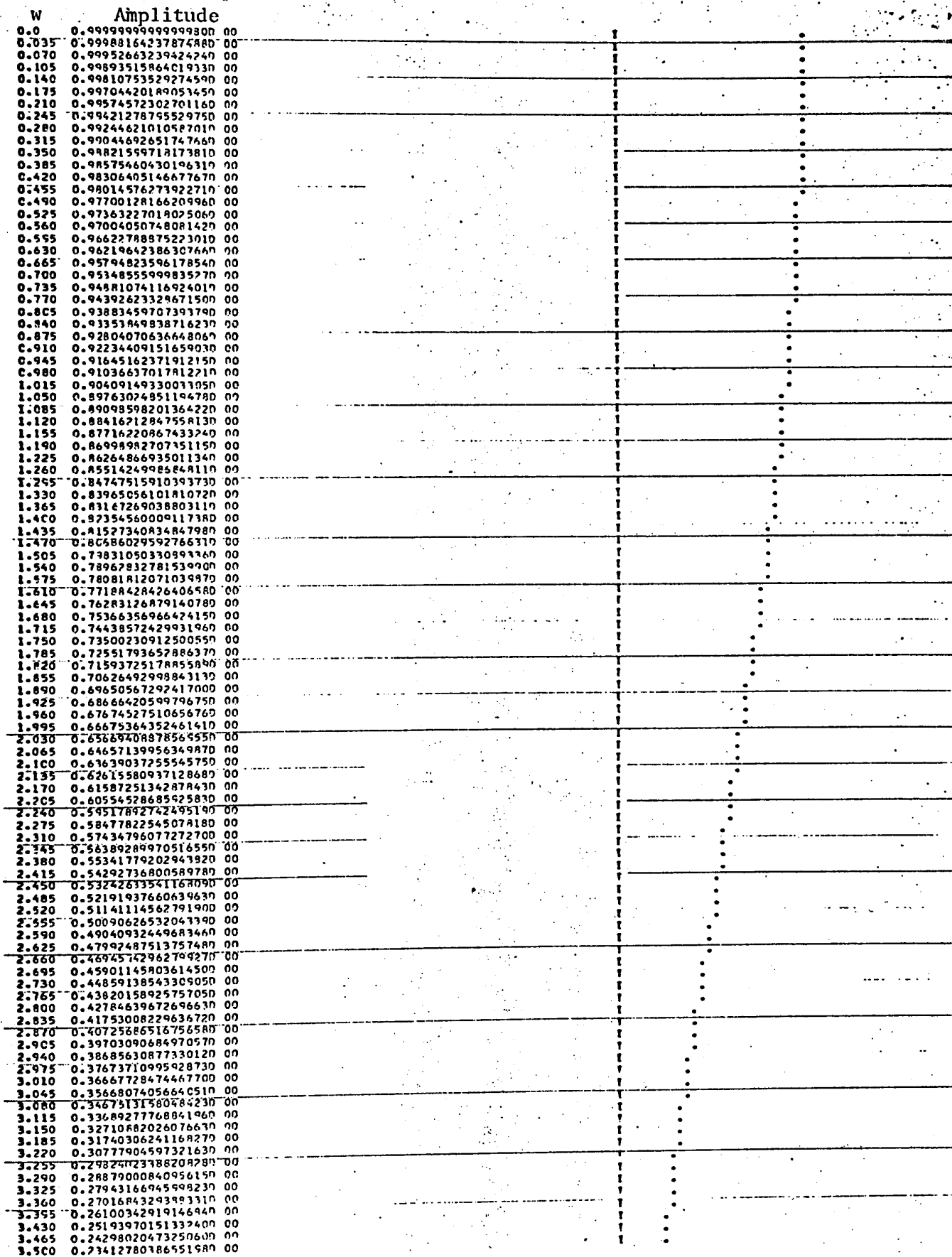


FIGURE 4.8G

ITERATION 40 WITH $W_m = 3.5$, (0, 2) MODE INPUT FUNCTION

W	Amplitude		
0.0	0.999999999999999900	00	.
0.010	0.99993776021899210	00	.
0.020	0.99995104148150380	00	.
0.030	0.99988984560410380	00	.
0.040	0.99980412561427990	00	.
0.050	0.99969403575025280	00	.
0.060	0.99955943146071160	00	.
0.070	0.99940036240547650	00	.
0.080	0.99921685745008450	00	.
0.090	0.99900890467530070	00	.
0.100	0.99877652136655660	00	.
0.110	0.99851971901830500	00	.
0.120	0.99823851033231700	00	.
0.130	0.99793290921688330	00	.
0.140	0.99760293078595570	00	.
0.150	0.99724859135820710	00	.
0.160	0.99686990845601920	00	.
0.170	0.99646690808439290	00	.
0.180	0.99603958832978890	00	.
0.190	0.99558799215388740	00	.
0.200	0.99511213461727770	00	.
0.210	0.99461203922807300	00	.
0.220	0.9940873071045030	00	.
0.230	0.99353923497811510	00	.
0.240	0.99296657913769310	00	.
0.250	0.99236979144705920	00	.
0.260	0.99174890151352980	00	.
0.270	0.99110393989213460	00	.
0.280	0.99043493848361100	00	.
0.290	0.98974193033247990	00	.
0.300	0.98902494966498270	00	.
0.310	0.98828503188694070	00	.
0.320	0.98751921358165680	00	.
0.330	0.98673053250744640	00	.
0.340	0.98591802759542680	00	.
0.350	0.98508173894735160	00	.
0.360	0.98422170783244660	00	.
0.370	0.98333797668553980	00	.
0.380	0.98243058910410140	00	.
0.390	0.98149958984558930	00	.
0.400	0.98054502482466870	00	.
0.410	0.97956669411045340	00	.
0.420	0.9785653869246070	00	.
0.430	0.97754041163253470	00	.
0.440	0.97649206575223750	00	.
0.450	0.97542040093919690	00	.
0.460	0.97432566998917520	00	.
0.470	0.97320732683374640	00	.
0.480	0.97206602653695380	00	.
0.490	0.97090162529190240	00	.
0.500	0.96971418041727680	00	.
0.510	0.96850375035379340	00	.
0.520	0.96727039646058330	00	.
0.530	0.96601417401150420	00	.
0.540	0.96473515019138430	00	.
0.550	0.96343333609220350	00	.
0.560	0.96210894570919660	00	.
0.570	0.96076189413689520	00	.
0.580	0.959393229756510430	00	.
0.590	0.95800022327481500	00	.
0.600	0.95658573963401690	00	.
0.610	0.95514891609350330	00	.
0.620	0.95368982318256230	00	.
0.630	0.95220853250461740	00	.
0.640	0.95070511673280640	00	.
0.650	0.94917964960548780	00	.
0.660	0.94763220592168590	00	.
0.670	0.94606286153647340	00	.
0.680	0.94447169335628080	00	.
0.690	0.94285877933415600	00	.
0.700	0.9412241984494340	00	.
0.710	0.93956803078041260	00	.
0.720	0.93789035734431970	00	.
0.730	0.93619126024740160	00	.
0.740	0.93447082260231700	00	.
0.750	0.93272912853851500	00	.
0.760	0.93096626319705140	00	.
0.770	0.92918231272533660	00	.
0.780	0.92737736427182590	00	.
0.790	0.92555150598064980	00	.
0.800	0.92370482698618070	00	.
0.810	0.92183741740754450	00	.
0.820	0.91994936834306790	00	.
0.830	0.91804077186466990	00	.
0.840	0.91611172101219380	00	.
0.850	0.91416230978767850	00	.
0.860	0.91219263314957840	00	.
0.870	0.91020278700691620	00	.
0.880	0.90819286821338770	00	.
0.890	0.90616297456140320	00	.
0.900	0.90411320477607780	00	.
0.910	0.90204365850916150	00	.
0.920	0.89995443633291720	00	.
0.930	0.89784543973394130	00	.
0.940	0.89571737110693140	00	.
0.950	0.89356973374839780	00	.
0.960	0.89140243185032390	00	.
0.970	0.88921672049377050	00	.
0.980	0.88701165564243160	00	.
0.990	0.88478759413613020	00	.
1.000	0.88254469368427200	00	.

FIGURE 4.8H

CHAPTER 5

STUDIES ON THE PROBLEM OF HYPERRESOLUTION

Using the computer program mentioned in section 3.6, an investigation has been conducted into the design of hyperresolving channels. The distributions at each plane of the channels were calculated for positions S of the point source ranging from 0 to 10 in steps of 1. These distributions were then analyzed to determine the radius of the annulus or diaphragm of the next iteration.

To design a single channel consisting of N lenses, it is necessary to calculate N times 11 distributions. Many different approaches to the problem have been attempted, corresponding to the calculation of more than eight thousand distributions. A picture of some of the computer output is shown in figure 5.1. Obviously, it would be impossible to discuss all of this work within the space of this thesis. Therefore, only two of the most successful cases are illustrated and explained fully in this chapter. First however, some of the principles used to study many of the cases are explained, and a list of some of the more important cases are given.

In order to establish the principle of hyperresolution, it is necessary that the normalized total energy on the axis $e_{nt}(0,S)$ as defined in section 3.6, be negligible for $S \geq S_M$ where $S_M \leq 3.832$ (the Rayleigh limit of resolution). This can be expressed mathematically as $e_{nt}(0,S) \leq e_M$ for $S > S_M$. The smaller the chosen value of S_M within

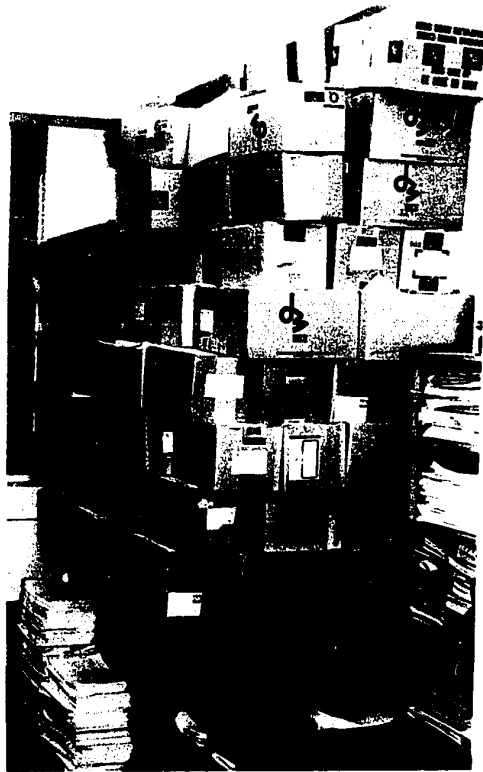


Figure 5.1 Photograph of portion of the computer output

the Rayleigh limit and the smaller the value of e_M , the better the resolution of the hyperresolving system. We chose $S_M = 2.0$ and $e_M = 0.05$. We consider this a reasonable goal for the definite establishment of hyperresolution. $S_M = 2.0$ corresponds approximately to one half of the Rayleigh limit; the arbitrary choice $e_M = 0.05$, corresponds to a level which although slightly detectable, will not substantially affect the resolution. Furthermore, the diffraction channel was expected to have the characteristic that any additional cells would further improve this energy condition, thus enabling the attainment of any desired degree of resolution. The work reported here is an explanation of the attempts to achieve this goal.

5.1 Comments on Calculated Distributions

After studying many cases, a number of observations were made:

(1) It was soon realized that on the optical axis the normalized total energy is independent of the odd function since the odd function is always zero on the axis. This simplified the problem considerably since the odd function and the phase did not have to be considered. The criterion for hyperresolution simplifies then, to making the normalized even energy, $e_{ne}(0,S) \leq e_M$ for $S \geq S_M$.

(2) After a number of attempts, it was soon realized that it would be much more difficult than originally thought to satisfy the requirements for hyperresolution. It was found quite easy to make $e_{ne}(0,S) \leq 0.05$

for certain chosen domains of S , but to satisfy this condition for all $S \geq 2.0$ seemed very difficult. Indeed, it has not been possible to find a solution using the original concept of a diffraction channel. For the purpose of explanation, the domain of S may be divided arbitrarily into three regions:

$0 \leq S \leq 2.0$	small values of S
$2.0 < S \leq 6.0$	intermediate values of S
$S > 6.0$	large values of S

This division, although arbitrary, is associated with certain practical aspects of hyperresolution. The value $S = 2.0$, which divides the regions of small and intermediate values of S , represents one half of the Rayleigh limit of resolution. The region from $S = 2.0$ to $S = 6.0$ containing the Rayleigh limit of resolution $S = 3.832$, can be subdivided into two subregions. The subregion from $S = 2.0$ to $S = 3.832$ cannot be resolved by conventional optics, while the subregion from $S = 3.832$ to $S = 6.0$ can only be resolved by extremely good optical instruments. Thus, any improvement of the resolution in this region of intermediate values of S is especially important. Finally, most optical instruments have good resolution in the region of large value of S , $S > 6.0$.

(3) It was found that in every case, although the addition of the first few cells might give an improvement in the energy characteristic

of the channel, eventually the addition of further cells gave a deterioration of this characteristic.

(4) It was noticed that for small S , low ratios of $e_{ne}(0,S)$ were generally associated with a high degree of asymmetry of the patterns. This seemed to be reasonable because it is known from the theory of modes (section 2.2), that the asymmetrical modes have a much higher diffraction loss than the symmetrical modes.

After a most exhaustive study revealed no change in observation 2, it was decided to find a suitable solution for small values of S only, since the modulation function (MF) explained in section 2.12 may be used to satisfy the required energy condition for other values of S . The theory and concepts used to find this type of solution are now presented.

5.2 Iterated diffraction pattern with small S .

Suppose that for very small S , with n even, $g_{ne}(X,\phi,S)$ may be expressed as,

$$g_{ne}(X,\phi,S) = \Gamma_{ne}(X,S) - \cos 2\phi \Gamma'_{ne}(X,S) \quad 5.1$$

Then

$$g_{n+1,e}(W,\theta,S) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{A_n} \int_{B_n}^{2\pi} g_{ne}(X,\phi,S) e^{iWX \cos(\phi-\theta)} X dX d\phi \quad 5.2$$

$$= \int_{B_n}^{A_n} \Gamma_{ne}(X,S) \left[\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} e^{iWX \cos(\phi-\theta)} d\phi \right] X dX \quad 5.3$$

$$- \int_{B_n}^{A_n} \Gamma'_{ne}(X,S) \left[\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \cos 2\phi e^{iWX \cos(\phi-\theta)} d\phi \right] X dX$$

By equations A3 and A4 of appendix A, equation 5.3 becomes,

$$g_{n+1,e}(W,\theta,S) = \Gamma_{n+1,e}(W,S) + \cos 2\theta \Gamma'_{n+1,e}(W,S)$$

$$\text{where } \Gamma_{n+1,e}(W,S) = \int_{B_n}^{A_n} \Gamma_{ne}(X,S) J_0(WX) X dX \quad 5.4$$

$$\Gamma'_{n+1,e}(W,S) = \int_{B_n}^{A_n} \Gamma'_{ne}(X,S) J_2(WX) X dX$$

Similarly for n odd,

$$\text{If } g_{ne}(W,\theta,S) = \Gamma_{ne}(W,S) + \cos 2\theta \Gamma'_{ne}(W,S) \quad 5.5$$

$$\text{Then } g_{n+1,e}(X,\phi,S) = \Gamma_{n+1,e}(X,S) - \cos 2\phi \Gamma'_{n+1,e}(X,S)$$

where

$$\Gamma_{n+1,e}(X,S) = \int_{B_n}^{A_n} \Gamma_{ne}(W,S) J_0(WX) WdW \quad 5.6$$

$$\Gamma'_{n+1,e}(X,S) = \int_{B_n}^{A_n} \Gamma'_{n+1,e}(W,S) J_2(WX) WdW$$

In the plane of the lens,

$$g_{oe}(X,S) = \cos(XS \cos \phi) \quad 5.7$$

For very small S this becomes,

$$g_{oe}(X,\phi,S) = 1 - \frac{X^2 S^2 \cos^2 \phi}{2} = 1 - \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2 X^2 - \cos 2\phi \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2 X^2 \quad 5.8$$

Therefore,

$$\Gamma_{oe}(X,S) = 1 - \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2 X^2$$

$$\Gamma'_{oe}(X,S) = \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2 X^2$$

Thus, upon successive iteration for small S, the even and odd functions retain their same functional form. They always have a cosine of twice the angular coordinate dependency which is separated from the X and S dependency. This form allows easier analysis of the

problem since,

(1) Separation of the X, ϕ , and S variables allows a solution independent of S for small S .

(2) Any process used for hyperresolution in one plane can then be applied to the next plane in a similar way.

The general equations 5.4, 5.5 and 5.6 can be applied to plane 1. Using equations A5 and A11 of appendix A, and B1 of appendix B we obtain,

$$\Gamma_{1e}(W, S) = \int_0^1 [1 - (\frac{S}{2})^2 x^2] J_0(WX) X dx$$

$$\Gamma_{1e}(W, S) = \frac{1}{2} \{L_1(W) - (\frac{S}{2})^2 [L_1(W) - \frac{1}{2} L_2(W)]\} \quad 5.9$$

$$\Gamma'_{1e}(W, S) = \int_0^1 (\frac{S}{2})^2 x^2 J_2(WX) X dx$$

$$\Gamma'_{1e}(W, S) = -\frac{1}{2} (\frac{S}{2})^2 [L_1(W) - L_2(W)] \quad 5.10$$

where the function $L_n(W)$ is defined by equation B1 of appendix B.

These equations can also be derived by another process:

$$g_{1e}(W, \theta, S) = \frac{1}{2} [g_1(W, \theta, S) + g_1(W, \theta, -S)] \quad \text{from section 2.5}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \left[\frac{J_1(W_1)}{W_1} + \frac{J_1(W_2)}{W_2} \right] \quad \text{from section 2.7}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4} \left[L_1(W_1) + L_1(W_2) \right] \quad \text{from equation B1 of appendix B}$$

where $W_1 = \sqrt{W^2 + S^2 + 2WS \cos \theta}$

$$W_2 = \sqrt{W^2 + S^2 - 2WS \cos \theta}$$

Using the Taylor expansion, we have,

$$g_{1e}(W, \theta, S) = A_e(W^2 + \Delta(W_i)^2) = \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \frac{[\Delta(W_i)^2]^n}{n!} \frac{d^n A_e(W^2)}{d(W^2)^n} \quad 5.11$$

where

$$\Delta(W_1^2) = S^2 + 2WS \cos \theta$$

$$\Delta(W_2^2) = S^2 - 2WS \cos \theta$$

The result is,

$$\begin{aligned} g_{1e}(W, \theta, S) &= \frac{1}{2} L_1(W) - \frac{1}{4} [4 \cos^2 \theta L_1(W) - (4 \cos^2 \theta - 1) L_2(W)] \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2 \\ &+ \frac{1}{24} [8 \cos^4 \theta L_1(W) - 12 \cos^2 \theta (2 \cos^2 \theta - 1) L_2(W) + (16 \cos^4 \theta - 12 \cos^2 \theta + 1) L_3(W)] \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^4 \\ &+ \dots \end{aligned} \quad 5.12$$

$$\begin{aligned}
g_{1e}(W, \theta, S) &= \frac{1}{2} \{L_1(W) - \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2 [L_1(W) - \frac{1}{2} L_2(W)]\} - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2 \cos 2\theta [L_1(W) - L_2(W)] \\
&+ \frac{1}{24} \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^4 \{ \cos 4\theta [L_1(W) - 3L_2(W) + 2L_3(W) + 2L_3(W)] + \cos 2\theta [4L_1(W) - 6L_2(W) + 2L_3(W)] \\
&+ 3L_1(W) - 3L_2(W) + L_3(W) \}
\end{aligned} \tag{5.13}$$

Thus again we obtain,

$$\Gamma_{1e}(W, S) = \frac{1}{2} \{L_1(W) - \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2 [L_1(W) - \frac{1}{2} L_2(W)]\} \tag{5.14}$$

$$\Gamma'_{1e}(W, S) = -\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2 [L_1(W) - L_2(W)]$$

Equations 5.4, 5.5, 5.6, 5.8, 5.13 and 5.14 are the fundamental equations used to search for a solution to the problem of hyperresolution for small S . A few of the various criteria applied to these equations are described in the next section.

5.3 Criteria for the radii of diaphragms or annuli.

Most of the criteria are applied only to $g_{1e}(X, \phi, S)$ and $g_{2e}(W, \theta, S)$, since equations 5.4 and 5.5 permit a given process to be applied to successive iterations. An explanation of the inapplicability of criteria

1, 2 and 3 is given at the beginning of criterion 4. No cases are discussed for criterions 1, 2 and 3 because of this inapplicability.

Criterion 1

Due to observation 4, the asymmetry of the diffraction patterns for small S was considered to be very important. To improve the ratio $e_{ne}(0,S)$ for successive iterations, it is essential that there be at each plane a difference between the diffraction patterns for small S and for $S = 0$. The degree of asymmetry for small S is a definite indication of this difference since the pattern for $S = 0$ is symmetrical. Therefore, attempts were made to enhance this symmetry iteration by iteration. In this way, it was hoped that it would become easier, at each successive iteration, to improve the energy characteristic.

A measure of this asymmetry is the difference between the even amplitude for $\theta = 0$, n odd or $\phi = 0$, n even and for $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$, n odd or $\phi = \frac{\pi}{2}$, n even:
For small S ,

$$\frac{1}{2} [g_{ne}(W,0,S) - g_{ne}(W, \frac{\pi}{2}, S)] = \Gamma'_{ne}(W,S) \quad n \text{ odd}$$

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$$\frac{1}{2} [g_{ne}(X,0,S) - g_{ne}(X, \frac{\pi}{2}, S)] = -\Gamma'_{ne}(X,S) \quad n \text{ even}$$

The function Γ'_{ne} may be defined as the variation of angular even amplitude for small S .

As stated in section 2.9, the strongly diffracted light depends on the amplitude at the diffracting edge. The criterion used was based on the maximum variation of angular even amplitude at the circular diffracting edge. The criterion corresponds to the maximum variation of strongly diffracted light and also to angular deformation of the iterated diffraction pattern even at short distances from the optical axis.

$$\Gamma'_{1e}(W,S) = -\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2 [L_1(W) - L_2(W)]$$

is a maximum for many values of W , for example, $W = 3.611$.

That is, a diaphragm in plane 1 or radius $A_1 = 3.611$ would give strongly diffracted light having a maximum of variation.

Criterion 2

This condition was based on the variation of even amplitude with S when $\theta = 0$, n odd or $\phi = 0$, n even. The variation is given by the differences,

$$\begin{aligned} g_{ne}(X,0,0) - g_{ne}(X,0,S) & \quad n \text{ even} \\ g_{ne}(W,0,0) - g_{ne}(W,0,S) & \quad n \text{ odd} \end{aligned} \tag{5.16}$$

The difference is always proportional to $(\frac{S}{2})^2$ as shown in the following example.

$$\begin{aligned} g_{1e}(W,0,0) - g_{1e}(W,0,S) &= \frac{1}{2} \{ L_1(W) - L_1(W) + \frac{1}{2} (\frac{S}{2})^2 [4L_1(W) - 3L_2(W)] \} \\ &= \frac{1}{4} (\frac{S}{2})^2 [4L_1(W) - 3L_2(W)] \end{aligned}$$

As in criterion 1, attempts were made to make this variation a maximum in order to enhance the difference between the pattern for $S = 0$ and for small S . There are many values of W which will make this function have a maximum variation and also many values of W which will make the function have zero variation. Two of the maximum variations are given by $W = 4.202$ and $W = 8.157$. Two of the zero variations are given by $W = 2.300$ and $W = 6.541$

Criterion 3

This criterion, similar to criterion 2, was based on the variation of even amplitude with S when $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$, n odd or $\phi = \frac{\pi}{2}$, n even. The variation is given by the difference,

$$g_{ne}(X, \frac{\pi}{2}, 0) - g_{ne}(X, \frac{\pi}{2}, S) \quad n \text{ even}$$

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$$g_{ne}(W, \frac{\pi}{2}, 0) - g_{ne}(W, \frac{\pi}{2}, S) \quad n \text{ odd}$$

For example,

$$g_{1e}(W, \frac{\pi}{2}, 0) - g_{1e}(W, \frac{\pi}{2}, S) = \frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2 L_2(W)$$

Two of the zero variations are given by $W = 5.136$ and $W = 8.417$, one of the maximum variations is given by $W = 6.380$.

Criterion 4

It was discovered that the angular even amplitude Γ'_n is zero on the axis for all values of n and S since,

$$\Gamma'_{n+1,e}(0,S) = \int_{B_n}^{A_n} \Gamma'_{ne}(X,S) J_2(0) X dX = 0 \quad n \text{ even} \quad 5.18$$

$$\Gamma'_{n+1,e}(0,S) = \int_{B_n}^{A_n} \Gamma'_{ne}(W,S) J_2(0) W dW = 0 \quad n \text{ odd}$$

Therefore, the function Γ'_{ne} plays no role in determining the energy characteristic on the axis; the energy characteristic depends entirely on the function Γ_{ne} under the conditions defined. This function is equal to the average angular even amplitude \bar{g}_{ne} as defined by,

$$\begin{aligned} g_{ne}(X, \phi, S) &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \bar{g}_{ne}(X, \phi, S) d\phi \\ &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} [\Gamma_{ne}(X, S) - \cos 2\phi \Gamma'_{ne}(X, S)] d\phi \\ &= \Gamma_{ne}(X, S) \quad n \text{ even} \end{aligned} \quad 5.19$$

Similarly,

$$\bar{g}_{ne}(W, \theta, S) = \Gamma_{ne}(W, S) \quad n \text{ odd.}$$

Thus, although criteria 1, 2, and 3 can be useful solutions at points off axis, they cannot be successful solutions under the conditions defined.

One method of obtaining low values of $e_{ne}(0, S)$ is to ensure that the transmitted amplitude is everywhere smaller for small S than for $S = 0$. That is, the parameters A_n and B_n are chosen such that,

$$g_n(W, S) < g_n(W, 0) \quad \text{for } B_n \leq W \leq A_n \quad S \text{ small.}$$

The criterion described here optimizes this method. It is optimized when the average angular even amplitude \bar{g}_n on the circular diffracting edge of the diaphragm or annulus is a stationary function of S . This may be seen in the following example: In plane 1,

$$g_{1e}(W, S) = \frac{1}{2} L_1(W) - \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2 [L_1(W) - \frac{1}{2} L_2(W)]$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial S} \bar{g}_{1e}(W, S) = - \left(\frac{S}{2}\right) [L_1(W) - \frac{1}{2} L_2(W)] = 0 \quad 5.20$$

There are many values of W which satisfy this equation: 3.054, 6.706, 9.969.... At these values, $\bar{g}_{1e}(W, S)$ does not change with a small

change in S as illustrated by figure 5.2. It can easily be seen from this figure that,

$$\bar{g}_{1e}(W,S) \leq \bar{g}_{1e}(W,0) \quad \text{in the domain } 0 \leq W < 3.054$$

$$\bar{g}_{1e}(W,S) \geq \bar{g}_{1e}(W,0) \quad \text{in the domain } 3.054 \leq W < 6.706$$

$$\bar{g}_{1e}(W,S) \leq \bar{g}_{1e}(W,0) \quad \text{in the domain } 6.706 \leq W < 9.969$$

Thus, the stationary points define domains satisfying the conditions

$$\bar{g}_{1e}(W,S) \leq \bar{g}_{1e}(W,0) \quad \text{and} \quad \bar{g}_{1e}(W,S) \geq \bar{g}_{1e}(W,0) .$$

This criterion is associated with the maximum gradient of the amplitude on the optical axis for diffraction pattern 2. As indicated in figure 5.2, there are maximum differences between the two functions $g_{2e}(0,S)$ and $g_{2e}(0,0)$ for $W = 3.054$ and 9.969 ; there is a minimum difference for $W = 6.706$. This may be shown mathematically:

$$g_{2e}(0,S) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_{B_1}^{A_1} g_{1e}(W,\theta,S) W dW d\theta = \int_{B_1}^{A_1} \bar{g}_{1e}(W,S) W dW$$

$$g_{2e}(0,S) = \frac{1}{2} \int_{B_1}^{A_1} \left\{ L_1(W) - \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2 \left[L_1(W) - \frac{1}{2} L_2(W) \right] \right\} W dW$$

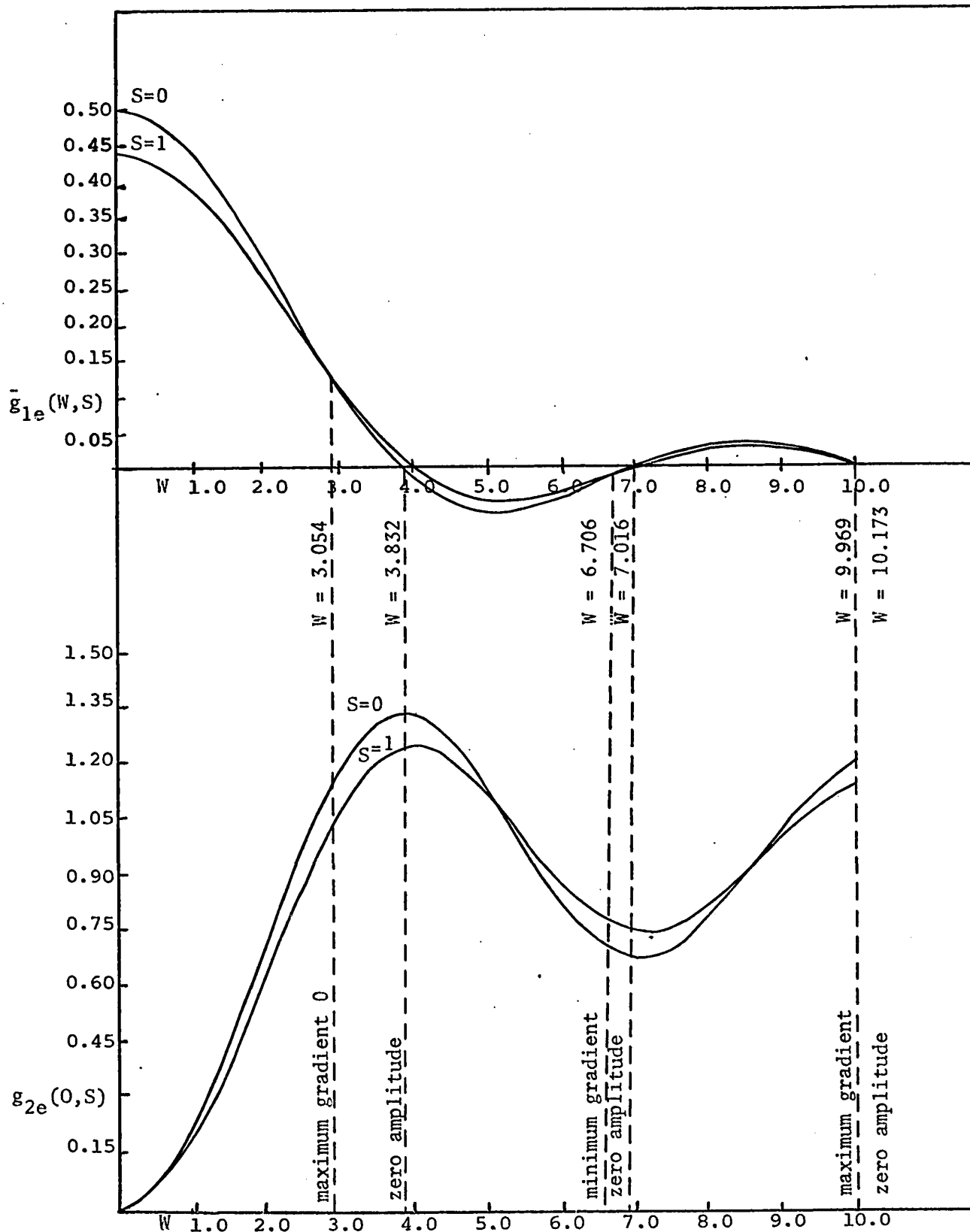


Figure 5.2 Abscissae for extrema of the gradient of $g_{2e}(0, S)$

By equation B4 of appendix B this becomes,

$$g_{2e}(O,S) = \left\{ -L_0(W) + \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2 [L_0(W) - L_1(W)] \right\}_{B_1}^{A_1} \quad 5.22$$

The gradient of $g_{2e}(O,S)$ is given by,

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial S} g_{2e}(O,S) = S [L_0(W) - L_1(W)]_{B_1}^{A_1} \quad 5.23$$

The maximum gradient is given by the values $W = A_1$ and $W = B_1$ which makes $L_0(W) - L_1(W)$ a stationary function of W .

i.e.

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial W} [L_0(W) - L_1(W)] = 0$$

By equation B3 of appendix B this becomes,

$$-L_1(W) + \frac{1}{2} L_2(W) = 0 \quad 5.24$$

This equation is identical to equation 5.20 which is the condition that $\bar{g}_{1e}(W,S)$ be a stationary function of S . Thus when $\bar{g}_{1e}(W,S)$ is a stationary function of S , the gradient of $g_{2e}(O,S)$ is an extremum.

It will now be shown for any order n , that the gradient of $g_{n+1e}(O,S)$ is an extremum when \bar{g}_{ne} is a stationary function of S . This theorem will be proved using the notation for n even.

For n even, the gradient of $g_{n+1e}(O,S)$ is given by,

$$\frac{\partial g_{n+1e}(O,S)}{\partial S} = \int_{B_1}^{A_1} \frac{\partial \bar{g}_{ne}(W,S)}{\partial S} W dW \quad 5.25$$

The maximum or minimum gradient is given by,

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial A_1} \left[\frac{\partial g_{n+1e}(O,S)}{\partial S} \right] = \frac{\partial}{\partial A_1} \int_{B_1}^{A_1} \frac{\partial \bar{g}_{ne}(W,S)}{\partial S} W dW = 0$$

5.26

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial B_1} \left[\frac{\partial g_{n+1e}(OMS)}{\partial S} \right] = \frac{\partial}{\partial B_1} \int_{B_1}^{A_1} \frac{\partial \bar{g}_{ne}(W,S)}{\partial S} W dW = 0$$

Using Leibniz's formula for differentiating under the integral sign, we obtain the same result for both of equations 5.26,

$$\frac{\partial \bar{g}_{ne}(W,S)}{\partial S} = 0 \quad \text{at } W = A_1 \text{ and } B_1$$

That is, \bar{g}_{ne} is a stationary function of S at the circular diffracting edge.

It is desirable to not only have a process which can be applied repeatedly, but one which will also reduce the ratios $e_{ne}(O,S)$ repeatedly. The criterion: A_n and B_n chosen to maximize $g_{ne}(O,S)$, is not a sufficient condition to ensure that $e_{n+1,e}(O,S) < e_{ne}(O,S)$. Thus it is important to also consider the even energy transmitted through the diaphragm or annulus in plane 1.

The criterion: $\bar{g}_{1e}(W,S)$ is a stationary function of S , is associated with the maximum gradient of even energy transmitted through the diaphragm

or annulus defined by A_1 and B_1 . This is shown as follows:

The even energy $E_{1e}(W,S)$ may be calculated from the function of luminous intensity $I_{1e}(W,S)$ defined by,

$$I_{1e}(W,S) = |g_{1e}(W,S)|^2 = \frac{1}{4} L_1^2(W) - \frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2 L_1(W) \left[L_1(W) - \frac{1}{2} L_2(W) \right]$$

5.27

The even energy $E_{1e}(W,S)$ within a circle of radius W is,

$$E_{1e}(W,S) = \frac{1}{4} \int_0^W L_1^2(W) W dW - \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2 \left[L_1^2(W) - \frac{1}{2} L_1(W) L_2(W) \right] W dW.$$

By equation B5 of appendix B this becomes,

$$E_{1e}(W,S) = \frac{1}{4} \left\{ 2 - 2L_0^2(W) - \frac{W^2}{2} L_1^2(W) - \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2 \left[1 - L_0^2(W) - \left(\frac{W^2}{4} - 1\right) L_1^2(W) \right] \right\}$$

5.28

This function is shown in figure 5.3 for $S = 0$ and $S = 1$, and for W from 0 to 10. The extrema indicated for this function are given by values of W satisfying the equations,

$$L_1(W) = 0 \quad 5.29$$

$$L_1(W) - \frac{1}{2} L_2(W) = 0 \quad 5.30$$

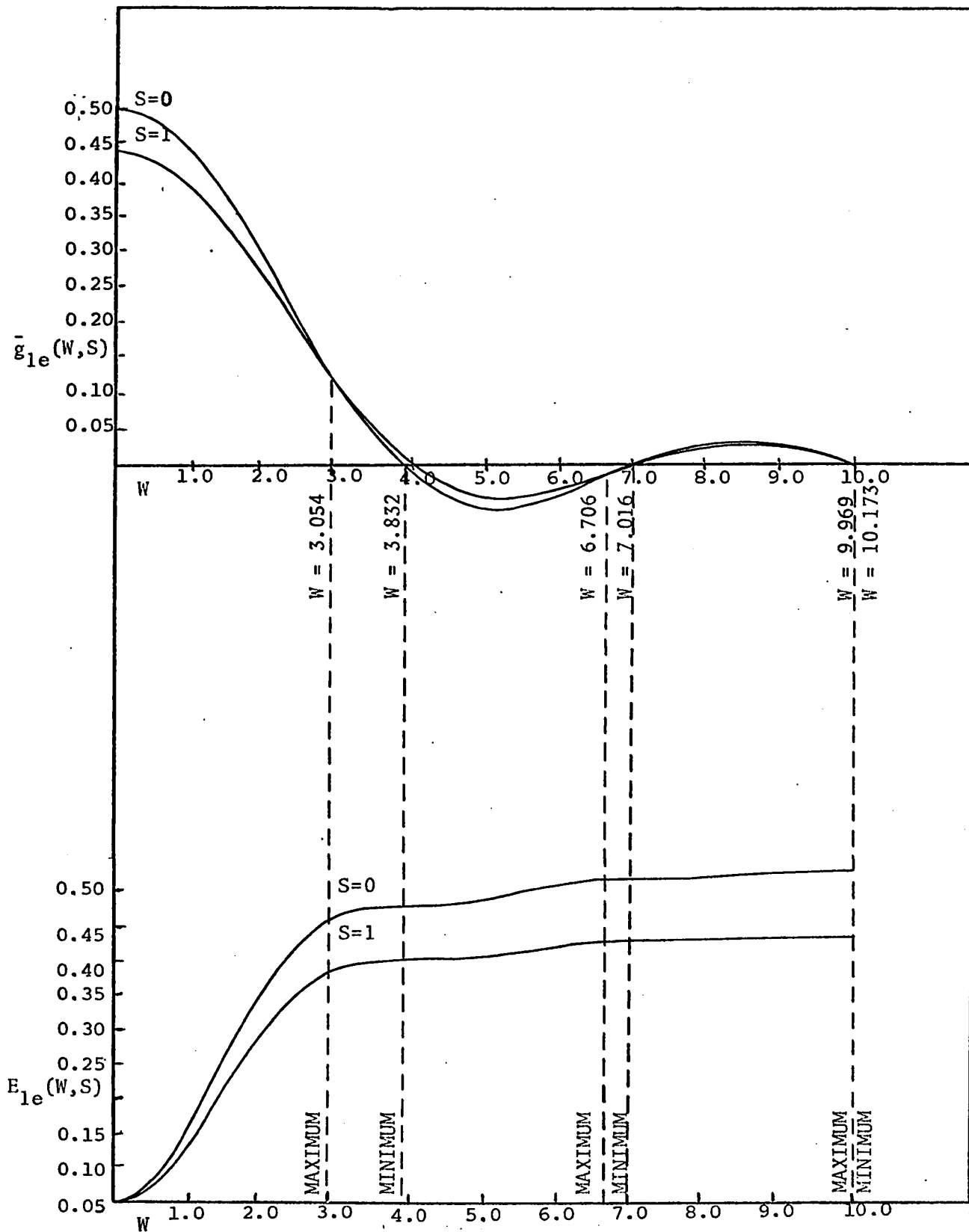


Figure 5.3 Abscissae for extrema of $E_{1e}(W, S)$

Equation 5.29 gives the minima; they are the abscissae which give the zeros of the Airy pattern: 3.832, 7.016, 10.173... Equation 5.30 which is identical to equation 5.20, defines the abscissae for the maxima of $E_{1e}(W,S)$. Thus, the criteria for the maximum gradient of $g_{2e}(0,S)$ and for the maximum gradient of even energy transmitted through the diaphragm or annulus are associated through this equation. The abscissae satisfying this equation were given previously and are: 3.054, 6.701, 9.969... Maximum energy, $E_{1e}(W,S)$ is transmitted through a diaphragm or annulus defined by A_1 and B_1 when two conditions are simultaneously satisfied:

- (1) When A_1 is an abscissae which gives a maximum for $E_{1e}(W,S)$
- (2) When B_1 is an abscissae which gives a minimum for $E_{1e}(W,S)$

The following combinations of A_1 and B_1 satisfy these two conditions:

A_1	3.054	6.706	6.706	9.969	9.969	9.969
B_1	0.000	3.832	0.000	7.016	3.832	0.000

Strongly diffracted light for criterion 4

As stated in section 2.9, the strongly diffracted light depends essentially on the amplitude of the light in the vicinity of the diffracting edge. Since the average even amplitude $\bar{g}_{1e}(W,S)$ is independent of θ , equation 2.30 gives for the strongly diffracted light,

$$g_{2e}(X,S) = \frac{1}{X} [W \bar{g}_{1e}(W,S) J_1(WX)]_{B_1}^{A_1} \quad 5.31$$

$$= \frac{1}{2X} \{W [L_1(W) - (\frac{S}{2})^2 (L_1(W) - \frac{1}{2} L_2(W))] J_1(WX)\}_{B_1}^{A_1}$$

The criterion for the maximum gradient of $g_{2e}(0,S)$ is given by equation 5.20 as,

$$[L_1(W) - \frac{1}{2} L_2(W)]_{B_1}^{A_1} = 0 \quad 5.32$$

Applying this criterion to equation 5.31 for the strongly diffracted light,

$$g_{2e}(X,S) = [\frac{W}{X} L_1(W) J_1(WX)]_{B_1}^{A_1} \quad 5.33$$

Thus the amplitude of the strongly diffracted light has a minimum dependency on S ($\sim S^4$) for small S when the amplitude of the light on the axis has a maximum dependency on S .

It is desirable that this strongly diffracted light, with little dependency on S , be eliminated with an appropriate annulus in plane 2.

The criterion of maximum gradient of even energy through the diaphragm of an annulus in plane 1 with radii A_1 and B_1 gives the additional condition,

$$[L_1(W)]_{B_1}^{A_1} = 0 \quad 5.34$$

Substituting equation 5.34 in equation 5.31, we obtain for the strongly diffracted light,

$$g_{2e}(X, S) = \left[\frac{1}{4X} \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2 W L_2(W) J_1(WX) \right]_{B_1}^{A_1} \quad 5.35$$

In this case, the strongly diffracted light has no component independent of S . There is no strongly diffracted light for $S = 0$ as expected since there is a zero of amplitude at the circular diffracting edge. Since the strongly diffracted light increases as S^2 , it is desirable that it be eliminated in plane 2 with an appropriate annulus.

Criterion 5

This criterion is based on choosing A_1 and B_1 so that the average even amplitude on the axis is zero for $S = 0$ and an extremum for small S . If the plane 2 contains an annulus with inner radius B_2 of appropriate

size, the central disc will cut out more light for $S \neq 0$ than for $S = 0$.

If

$$g_{2e}'(0,0) = \frac{1}{2} \int_{B_1}^{A_1} L_1(W) W dW = - [J_0(W)]_{B_1}^{A_1} = 0 \quad 5.36$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} g_{2e}(0,S) &= \frac{1}{2} \int_{B_1}^{A_1} \{L_1(W) - \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2 [L_1(W) - \frac{1}{2} L_2(W)]\} W dW \\ &= \frac{1}{4} \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2 \int_{B_1}^{A_1} L_2(W) W dW = - \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2 [L_1(W)]_{B_1}^{A_1} \end{aligned} \quad 5.37$$

Then, B_1 and A_1 are chosen to satisfy two conditions:

$$J_0(A_1) - J_0(B_1) = 0 \quad 5.38$$

$$L_1(A_1) - L_1(B_1) = \text{an extremum}$$

5.4 The investigation for a hyperresolving system when S is small.

The criteria developed for hyperresolving systems when S is small were the optimum conditions for one step of iteration. Unfortunately, using the original concept of a diffraction channel, one step of iteration is not sufficient to meet the goal of hyperresolution stated in the introductory paragraphs of this chapter. Furthermore, repeating the criteria step

by step, does not necessarily give the optimum conditions necessary to meet this goal. For example, the gradient of $g_{n+1}(0,S)$ depends not only on A_n and B_n but also on all the preceding parameters. Since no simple mathematical expression could be developed for $g_{n+1}(0,S)$ in terms of the parameters $A_n, A_{n-1} \dots A_1$ and $B_n, B_{n-1} \dots B_1$, the criterion of maximum gradient could not be applied directly to plane n. It could only be applied successively to each plane, a process which is clearly different. Furthermore, contemporary computers are slower than would be necessary to find the parameters by a random trial process.

The problem is a complex one which cannot be easily solved.

It was found for example, that if the simple central diaphragm in plane 1 is small, the amplitude distribution $g_{2e}(X,\phi,S)$ in plane 2 varies relatively little with small S. This effect can readily be seen in the limiting case where $A_1 \rightarrow 0$. In this case, the function $g_{1e}(W,\theta,S) \rightarrow \frac{J_1(S)}{S}$ and $g_{2e}(X,\phi,S) \rightarrow \frac{J_1(S)}{S} \times \frac{J_1(W)}{W}$.

Consequently $e_{2e}(0,S) \rightarrow \left[\frac{J_1(S)}{S} \right]^2$

The result is a distribution with a magnitude dependent on S but with a functional form independent of S. Thus, although the values of $e_{2e}(0,S)$ may be favorable for one step of iteration, they do not satisfy the necessary conditions for hyperresolution, and there is no possibility to improve these values in further steps of iteration. This illustrates that a parameter which gives low values for $e_{2e}(0,S)$ is not necessarily the optimum parameter for several steps of iteration.

Nevertheless, the criteria developed for one step of iteration were the most powerful tools available to study the problem. The parameters generated by these criteria were therefore accepted as fundamentally important in the investigation for a hyperresolving system. For plane 1, these parameters shall be called special points and are given in table 5.1 together with the values of the associated functions. Since these points cover the most significant range of the Airy pattern, namely the range from $W = 0$ to 10, any study involving all these points is quite comprehensive. Therefore, it was decided to use the computer program mentioned in section 3.6 to calculate $g_{1e}(W, \theta, S)$ with various combinations of the special points for A_1 and B_1 . For each calculation, an associated criterion was applied to plane 2 to determine the parameters A_2 and B_2 . For calculations which were encouraging, the process was repeated for further steps of iteration. Generally, with the addition of more cells, the system approached the stable condition in which two successive amplitude distributions of even order were almost identical and two successive distributions of odd order were almost identical but with the distributions of even and odd order quite different from each other. To evaluate the improvement in the energy characteristic, it became necessary not to compare two successive iterations but two successive iterations of even order or two successive iterations of odd order. As the stable condition was approached, the improvement in the energy characteristic decreased and became either negligible or worse.

TABLE 5.1 Table of special points and associated functions. Values of associated functions are underlined.

W	$L_1(W)$	$L_2(W)$	$4L_1(W) - 3L_2(W)$	$2L_1(W) - L_2(W)$	$L_2(W) - L_1(W)$
0	+1.0000	+1.0000	+1.0000	+1.0000	<u>0.0000</u>
2.300	+0.4695	+0.6260	<u>0.0000</u>	+0.3130	0.1565
3.054	+0.2068	+0.4156	-0.4204	<u>0.0000</u>	0.2088
3.611	+0.0506	+0.2722	-0.6142	-0.1710	<u>0.2216</u>
3.832	<u>+0.0000</u>	+0.2199	-0.6597	-0.2199	+0.2199
4.202	-0.0660	+0.1408	<u>-0.6864</u>	-0.2728	+0.2068
4.613	-0.1131	+0.0667	-0.6525	<u>-0.2929</u>	+0.4798
5.136	-0.1323	<u>0.0000</u>	-0.5292	-0.1323	+0.1323
6.380	-0.0586	<u>-0.0586</u>	-0.0586	-0.0586	<u>0.0000</u>
6.541	-0.0436	-0.0579	<u>0.0000</u>	-0.0293	-0.0143
6.706	-0.0285	-0.0559	+0.0537	<u>0.0000</u>	-0.0274
7.016	<u>0.0000</u>	-0.0487	+0.1460	+0.0486	-0.0487
8.157	+0.0622	-0.0085	<u>+0.2746</u>	+0.1330	-0.0707
8.417	+0.0645	<u>0.0000</u>	+0.2579	+0.1289	-0.0645
9.969	+0.0102	+0.0205	-0.0207	<u>0.0000</u>	+0.0103
10.173	<u>0.0000</u>	+0.0203	-0.0609	-0.0203	+0.0203

5.5 Discussion of calculations and photographs of various systems.

Since it is not possible to present all of the calculated distributions, the following has been selected:

5.5.1 $g_2(X, \phi, S)$ for a central diaphragm of radius A_1 equal to abscissae of several special points.

A study of $g_2(X, \phi, S)$ was made with $B_1 = 0$ and A_1 equal to the abscissae of the special points 3.054, 3.832, 5.136, 7.016. Figures 5.4 to 5.7 show the amplitude functions $g_2(X)$ of these diffraction patterns for the special case $S = 0$. Tables 5.2 to 5.5 show the average even amplitude for integer values of S from 0 to 10 in steps of 1. Photographs of the corresponding diffraction patterns are shown in figures 5.8 to 5.11. For the special point 7.016, the range of S is extended to 23.

These calculations and photographs illustrate the theory of strongly diffracted light presented in section 2.9: when the amplitude near the diffracting edge is low, as in the cases $A_1 = 3.832$ and $A_1 = 7.016$, there is very little strongly diffracted light for $S = 0$. But when S increases, the amplitude near the diffracting edge increases and causes an increase in the strongly diffracted light. On the contrary, when the amplitude near the diffracting edge is high as in the case $A_1 = 5.136$, the strongly diffracted light is high for small S . When $A_1 = 3.054$, $g_1(W, \theta, S)$ is a stationary function of S , and therefore there is little

change in the strongly diffracted light for small values of S .

For all cases, it can be seen from the photographs that as S becomes large, the diffraction patterns tend toward a steady pattern with two small spots. In section 2.8 we have derived a mathematical expression which approximates this steady pattern. The expression shows that the pattern is a superposition of two Airy patterns and two asymmetrical patterns.

5.5.2. Parameters for various systems

a) Central diaphragm for each plane

When this project was initiated, it was considered that each lens of the diffraction channel would have a central diaphragm only. Table 5.7 shows a list of the parameters for a few such systems.

b) One annulus for each plane

It was realized that the original concept of a diffraction channel would have to be revised. It was found very advantageous in some cases to block the central region with an annulus of inner radius B_n . Table 5.8 shows a list of parameters for a few such systems.

c) Two annuli for each plane

Since there was greater success with one annulus than with a central diaphragm, the case of two annuli at each plane was investigated. The parameters for a few cases are shown in Table 5.9.

X	$g_2(X)$
0.0	0.1000000000000000 01
0.100	0.9911511235824280 00
0.200	0.9649561006324200 00
0.300	0.9227451937460894 00
0.400	0.8653954000622720 00
0.500	0.7957281633156370 00
0.600	0.7167613230000040 00
0.700	0.6301414833540000 00
0.800	0.5401576664089500 00
0.900	0.4494804479233100 00
1.000	0.3610559189503530 00
1.100	0.2775326225754020 00
1.200	0.2011689052280200 00
1.300	0.1337421348603320 00
1.400	0.7649217351246540 -01
1.500	0.3079695442707540 -01
1.600	-0.5319759916175770 -02
1.700	-0.3915043355585220 -01
1.800	-0.4523940882231A60 -01
1.900	-0.5179742485576990 -01
2.000	-0.5130136155484160 -01
2.100	-0.4579620134609190 -01
2.200	-0.3573673485676360 -01
2.300	-0.2398300992918620 -01
2.400	-0.1161394616791500 -01
2.500	0.1000110321184630 -01
2.600	0.1015772424563070 -01
2.700	0.178582299421550 -01
2.800	0.278029922328020 -01
2.900	0.2490963510133600 -01
3.000	0.2432408571206490 -01
3.100	0.214329089225260 -01
3.200	0.1676877861252740 -01
3.300	0.1096243943239910 -01
3.400	0.4674796371635080 -02
3.500	-0.1461192161855470 -02
3.600	-0.6891243363664920 -02
3.700	-0.1117906656081930 -01
3.800	-0.1403227417502650 -01
3.900	-0.1531431919226640 -01
4.000	-0.1504067544163330 -01
4.100	-0.1336690478299240 -01
4.200	-0.1056036105914480 -01
4.300	-0.6968923302354620 -02
4.400	-0.298738268858720 -02
4.500	0.9985457306422510 -03
4.600	0.4611144464649160 -02
4.700	0.7547311883080790 -02
4.800	0.4583148046879360 -02
4.900	0.1059162069337330 -01
5.000	0.1054720349462860 -01

Figure 5.4 $g_2(X)$ for $A_1 = 3.054$ and $S = 0$

X	$g_2(X)$
0.0	0.1000000000000000 01
0.100	0.9895052157492400 00
0.200	0.9585429854133370 00
0.300	0.9086440574114380 00
0.400	0.8422438323318320 00
0.500	0.7625184221844800 00
0.600	0.6731738818795200 00
0.700	0.5782053273470650 00
0.800	0.4814447463596620 00
0.900	0.3873167506136370 00
1.000	0.2986203021487300 00
1.100	0.2183517201810130 00
1.200	0.1485803207182770 00
1.300	0.9058325372188540 -01
1.400	0.4484094126316070 -01
1.500	0.1108946623755270 -01
1.600	-0.1157823056034580 -01
1.700	-0.2457403207060570 -01
1.800	-0.2965321073386310 -01
1.900	-0.2874482466808430 -01
2.000	-0.2378844132969740 -01
2.100	-0.1658996775096670 -01
2.200	-0.8706616870822120 -02
2.300	-0.1367582400703620 -02
2.400	0.4566795510230620 -02
2.500	0.860833021471300 -02
2.600	0.1061104209815260 -01
2.700	0.1071488599601230 -01
2.800	0.9271802915998370 -02
2.900	0.6763476372488180 -02
3.000	0.3719913225037070 -02
3.100	0.6468285692512940 -03
3.200	-0.2032013784035280 -02
3.300	-0.4013620730548840 -02
3.400	-0.5134295960549180 -02
3.500	-0.5368745166590290 -02
3.600	-0.4812616539161630 -02
3.700	-0.3652794529999770 -02
3.800	-0.2130596575793430 -02
3.900	-0.5031939939066580 -03
4.000	0.9918651759069960 -03
4.100	0.2165102333126070 -02
4.200	0.2893891744631910 -02
4.300	0.3130413097040310 -02
4.400	0.2289049781458930 -02
4.500	0.2284768871067450 -02
4.600	0.1414962524404360 -02
4.700	0.4377769854340370 -03
4.800	-0.4999231928377510 -03
4.900	-0.1272086001941680 -02
5.000	-0.1788234871107190 -02

Figure 5.5 $g_2(X)$ for $A_1 = 3.832$ and $S = 0$

X	$g_2(X)$	
0.0	0.1000000000000000 01	I
0.100	0.9998740449174480 00	I
0.200	0.9980323012362930 00	I
0.300	0.9904290366957630 00	I
0.400	0.9714012557789980 00	I
0.500	0.9350479972633540 00	I
0.600	0.8767323452142100 00	I
0.700	0.7943873505661850 00	I
0.800	0.6893468195246850 00	I
0.900	0.5665195589206740 00	I
1.000	0.4338603748734610 00	I
1.100	0.3012345130548820 00	I
1.200	0.1788944363141850 00	I
1.300	0.7586384805549110-01	I
1.400	-0.1461247483331410-02	I
1.500	-0.5023278408186310-01	I
1.600	-0.7143033156987620-01	I
1.700	-0.6946810899488290-01	I
1.800	-0.512292659422270-01	I
1.900	-0.2473472032851270-01	I
2.000	0.2284709972792330-02	I
2.100	0.2363939137733150-01	I
2.200	0.3553218474976650-01	I
2.300	0.3687980034047830-01	I
2.400	0.2908787974852590-01	I
2.500	0.1537370452900610-01	I
2.600	-0.185734011193530-03	I
2.700	-0.1366108356992230-01	I
2.800	-0.2212123676791260-01	I
2.900	-0.2416597624643460-01	I
3.000	-0.2006067803263500-01	I
3.100	-0.1148509640877640-01	I
3.200	-0.9904979743742790-03	I
3.300	0.8685307575597030-02	I
3.400	0.1527736508593730-01	I
3.500	0.1748010435929700-01	I
3.600	0.1516532284114570-01	I
3.700	0.9305026325280390-02	I
3.800	0.1642303666555910-02	I
3.900	-0.5791981889775440-02	I
4.000	-0.1119083645360120-01	I
4.100	-0.1338832922400490-01	I
4.200	-0.120909008273130-01	I
4.300	-0.7881810743496400-02	I
4.400	-0.2014300217370960-02	I
4.500	0.3941928394790960-02	I
4.600	0.8505837878900300-02	I
4.700	0.1064078166576440-01	I
4.800	0.9978308409053870-02	I
4.900	0.6864538084415740-02	I
5.000	0.2229211291224900-02	I

Figure 5.6 $g_2(X)$ for $A_1 = 5.136$ and $S = 0$

X	$g_2(X)$	
0.0	0.1000000000000000 01	I
0.100	0.1051416929699110 01	I
0.200	0.1190126397934620 01	I
0.300	0.1373880465404710 01	I
0.400	0.1545547711713330 01	I
0.500	0.1648881243104240 01	I
0.600	0.1643632737982040 01	I
0.700	0.1515742469929930 01	I
0.800	0.1279948900972750 01	I
0.900	0.9745110743129060 00	I
1.000	0.6500578762649440 00	I
1.100	0.3561486388586810 00	I
1.200	0.1295058370889100 00	I
1.300	-0.1297165472689080-01	I
1.400	-0.7502502811713210-01	I
1.500	-0.7626364577609810-01	I
1.600	-0.4396677058146810-01	I
1.700	-0.4349695712370670-02	I
1.800	0.2407542836989140-01	I
1.900	0.3346325160041750-01	I
2.000	0.2574267894306610-01	I
2.100	0.8934427136032010-02	I
2.200	-0.7551963876576090-02	I
2.300	-0.1686995513581250-01	I
2.400	-0.1675957760510050-01	I
2.500	-0.9360977027540220-02	I
2.600	0.6271282270708240-03	I
2.700	0.8399074369338550-02	I
2.800	0.1103540732960370-01	I
2.900	0.8345795909724590-02	I
3.000	0.2441936999901850-02	I
3.100	-0.3559165351656560-02	I
3.200	-0.7023870643488470-02	I
3.300	-0.6840153064019980-02	I
3.400	-0.3649300927493520-02	I
3.500	0.6991569050402540-03	I
3.600	0.4123357042982430-02	I
3.700	0.5241549961209510-02	I
3.800	0.3872518127503470-02	I
3.900	0.9508740903847660-03	I
4.000	-0.2027896201972580-02	I
4.100	-0.3733110592159810-02	I
4.200	-0.3561163655906840-02	I
4.300	-0.1811803335790550-02	I
4.400	0.5512829250017830-03	I
4.500	0.2402486951226380-02	I
4.600	0.2969907299710660-02	I
4.700	0.2137800631517210-02	I
4.800	0.4268491368122960-03	I
4.900	-0.1304465922311390-02	I
5.000	-0.2276725282426720-02	I

Figure 5.7 $g_2(X)$ for $A_1 = 7.016$ and $S = 0$

$X \backslash S$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
0.0	1.000	.908	.670	.376	.128	-.016	-.052	-.025	.012	.025	.013
0.1	.991	.900	.663	.372	.126	-.016	-.052	-.025	.012	.025	.012
0.2	.964	.875	.644	.359	.119	-.018	-.051	-.024	.012	.025	.012
0.3	.922	.836	.613	.339	.109	-.020	-.050	-.022	.013	.024	.011
0.4	.865	.783	.571	.312	.097	-.024	-.049	-.020	.014	.024	.010
0.5	.795	.719	.521	.280	.081	-.028	-.047	-.017	.015	.024	.009
0.6	.716	.645	.463	.243	.064	-.032	-.045	-.015	.016	.023	.009
0.7	.630	.566	.402	.204	.045	-.036	-.042	-.011	.017	.022	.007
0.8	.540	.483	.338	.164	.027	-.039	-.040	-.008	.018	.021	.006
0.9	.449	.400	.273	.124	.009	-.042	-.037	-.005	.018	.020	.005
1.0	.361	.319	.211	.087	-.006	-.044	-.033	-.003	.019	.018	.004
1.1	.277	.242	.154	.053	-.020	-.045	-.029	.000	.019	.017	.003
1.2	.201	.172	.102	.023	-.031	-.044	-.026	.002	.018	.015	.002
1.3	.033	.111	.058	-.001	-.039	-.043	-.022	.004	.017	.014	.001
1.4	.076	.060	.027	-.021	-.043	-.040	-.018	.005	.016	.011	.000
1.5	.030	.019	-.008	-.034	-.045	-.036	-.014	.006	.014	.009	.000
1.6	-.005	-.012	-.028	-.042	-.044	-.031	-.011	.006	.012	.008	-.001
1.7	-.030	-.034	-.041	-.045	-.399	-.025	-.008	.006	.010	.006	-.001
1.8	-.045	-.046	-.047	-.043	-.034	-.020	-.005	.005	.008	.004	-.001
1.9	-.052	-.051	-.046	-.038	-.027	-.013	-.002	.005	.006	.002	-.001
2.0	-.051	-.049	-.042	-.031	-.019	-.008	.000	.004	.003	.001	-.001
2.1	-.045	-.042	-.033	-.022	-.010	-.002	.002	.003	.001	.000	-.001
2.2	-.036	-.032	-.023	-.011	-.003	.002	.003	.002	-.000	-.001	-.001
2.3	-.024	-.026	-.012	-.002	.004	.006	.004	.000	-.002	-.002	-.001
2.4	-.011	-.009	-.001	.006	.010	.009	.004	.000	-.003	-.002	.000
2.5	.010	.002	.008	.013	.014	.011	.004	-.001	-.003	-.002	.000
2.6	.010	.012	.015	.018	.016	.011	.004	-.001	-.004	-.002	.000
2.7	.018	.019	.021	.021	.018	.011	.004	-.002	-.004	-.002	.000
2.8	.023	.023	.023	.021	.017	.010	.003	-.002	-.003	-.002	.000
2.9	.025	.024	.023	.020	.015	.008	.002	-.002	-.003	-.001	.000
3.0	.024	.023	.021	.017	.011	.006	.001	-.002	-.002	.001	.000
3.1	.021	.020	.017	.013	.008	.003	.000	-.001	-.001	.000	.000
3.2	.017	.016	.012	.008	.004	.001	-.001	.000	.000	.000	.000
3.3	.011	.009	.006	.003	.000	-.002	-.001	.000	.000	.000	.000
3.4	.004	.004	.000	-.002	-.004	-.004	-.002	.000	.001	.000	.000
3.5	-.001	-.002	-.005	-.007	-.007	-.005	-.002	.004	.001	.001	.000
3.6	-.007	-.007	-.009	-.010	-.009	-.006	-.002	.000	.002	.001	.000
3.7	-.011	-.012	-.012	-.012	-.010	-.006	-.002	.001	.002	.001	.000
3.8	-.014	-.014	-.014	-.013	-.010	-.006	-.002	.001	.002	.001	.000
3.9	-.015	-.015	-.015	-.013	-.009	-.005	-.001	.001	.002	.001	.000
4.0	-.015	-.015	-.014	-.011	-.008	-.004	.000	.001	.001	.001	.000
4.1	-.013	-.013	-.011	-.009	-.006	-.003	.000	.001	.001	.000	.000
4.2	-.011	-.010	-.008	-.006	-.004	-.001	.000	.001	.000	.000	.000
4.3	-.007	-.006	-.005	-.003	-.001	.000	.000	.000	.000	.000	.000
4.4	-.003	-.002	-.001	.000	.001	.002	.000	.000	.000	.000	.000
4.5	.000	.001	.003	.004	.004	.003	.001	.000	.000	.000	.000
4.6	.005	.005	.006	.006	.006	.004	.001	.000	-.001	.000	.000
4.7	.008	.008	.008	.008	.007	.004	.001	.000	-.001	.000	.000
4.8	.009	.009	.010	.009	.007	.004	.001	.000	-.001	.000	.000
4.9	.011	.011	.010	.009	.007	.004	.001	.000	-.001	.000	.000
5.0	.011	.010	.010	.008	.006	.003	.001	.000	-.001	.000	.000

Table 5.2 Numerical values of the average even amplitude $g_{1e}(X,S)$ in iterated diffraction patterns formed in plane 1 for $A_1 = 3.054$ and for different values of X and S . These values are normalized so that $g_{1e}(0,0) = 1.000$

X \ S	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
0.0	.100	.930	.743	.498	.262	.088	-.005	-.030	-.018	.002	.011
0.1	.989	.919	.733	.489	.255	.084	-.006	-.030	-.017	.002	.011
0.2	.958	.889	.705	.464	.237	.074	-.009	-.028	-.014	.004	.010
0.3	.908	.840	.659	.425	.208	.058	-.014	-.026	-.009	.007	.009
0.4	.842	.775	.599	.374	.171	.037	-.021	-.023	-.003	.010	.009
0.5	.762	.697	.527	.315	.128	.013	-.028	-.019	.003	.014	.009
0.6	.673	.610	.449	.251	.084	-.011	-.034	-.015	.009	.017	.008
0.7	.578	.519	.368	.186	.040	-.034	-.040	-.011	.016	.020	.007
0.8	.481	.427	.287	.124	-.000	-.054	-.044	-.007	.021	.023	.006
0.9	.387	.337	.212	.069	-.034	-.068	-.046	-.003	.025	.024	.005
1.0	.298	.254	.145	.023	-.059	-.078	-.046	.000	.027	.025	.004
1.1	.218	.180	.088	-.012	-.075	-.081	-.044	.003	.028	.024	.003
1.2	.148	.117	.042	.036	-.082	-.078	-.039	.005	.027	.022	.002
1.3	.090	.066	.009	.050	-.080	-.070	-.033	.006	.024	.019	.000
1.4	.044	.027	-.013	-.054	-.071	-.058	-.025	.007	.020	.015	.000
1.5	.011	.001	-.025	-.050	-.056	-.043	-.017	.006	.016	.011	-.000
1.6	-.011	-.017	-.029	-.039	-.039	-.027	-.009	.006	.011	.007	-.001
1.7	-.024	-.025	-.026	-.026	-.020	-.011	-.001	.005	.006	.003	-.001
1.8	-.029	-.027	-.020	-.011	-.003	.003	.005	.004	.007	.000	-.001
1.9	-.028	-.023	-.013	-.007	.012	.014	.009	.003	-.002	-.003	-.001
2.0	-.023	-.017	-.002	.013	.022	.021	.012	.002	-.005	-.005	-.001
2.1	-.016	-.010	.005	.021	.028	.024	.013	.000	-.006	-.006	-.001
2.2	-.008	.002	.011	.024	.029	.024	.012	-.000	-.007	-.006	-.000
2.3	-.001	.003	.014	.024	.027	.021	.009	-.001	-.006	-.005	-.000
2.4	-.004	.007	.014	.020	.021	.015	.006	-.001	-.005	-.004	-.000
2.5	-.008	.009	.013	.014	.013	.008	.003	-.002	-.003	-.002	-.000
2.6	-.010	.010	.009	.007	.004	.001	-.000	-.001	-.001	.000	.000
2.7	-.017	.008	.004	-.000	-.004	-.005	-.004	-.001	.000	.001	.000
2.8	-.009	.006	-.000	-.007	-.011	-.010	-.006	-.000	.002	.002	.000
2.9	-.006	.003	-.004	-.012	-.015	-.013	-.007	-.000	.003	.003	.000
3.0	-.003	.004	-.007	-.014	-.017	-.014	-.007	-.000	.004	.003	.000
3.1	-.000	-.002	-.009	-.015	-.017	-.013	-.006	.000	.004	.003	.000
3.2	-.002	-.004	-.009	-.013	-.014	-.011	-.005	.000	.003	.002	.000
3.3	-.004	-.005	-.008	-.009	-.009	-.007	-.003	.000	.002	.001	.000
3.4	-.005	-.004	-.005	-.005	-.004	-.002	-.000	.000	.001	.000	.000
3.5	-.005	-.004	-.003	-.000	.001	.002	.016	.000	.000	.000	.000
3.6	-.004	-.003	.000	.004	.006	.006	.033	.000	-.001	-.001	.000
3.7	-.003	-.001	.003	.008	.010	.008	.044	.000	-.002	-.002	.000
3.8	-.002	.000	.005	.009	.012	.010	.048	.000	-.002	-.002	.000
3.9	.005	.001	.006	.010	.012	.009	.046	.000	-.002	-.002	.000
4.0	.000	.002	.006	.009	.010	.008	.037	.000	-.002	-.002	.000
4.1	.002	.003	.005	.007	.007	.005	.024	.000	-.002	-.001	.000
4.2	.002	.003	.004	.004	.004	.002	.000	.000	-.000	.000	.000
4.3	.003	.002	.002	.000	.000	-.000	-.000	.000	.000	.000	.000
4.4	.002	.001	-.000	-.003	-.004	-.004	-.020	.000	.000	.000	.000
4.5	.001	.000	-.002	-.005	-.007	-.006	-.030	.000	.001	.001	.000
4.6	.004	-.000	-.004	-.007	-.009	-.007	-.035	.000	.002	.001	.000
4.7	-.004	-.001	-.004	-.008	-.009	-.007	-.035	.000	.002	.002	.000
4.8	-.001	-.001	-.005	-.007	-.008	-.006	-.029	.000	.002	.001	.000
4.9	-.001	-.002	-.004	-.006	-.006	-.005	-.021	.000	.001	.001	.000
5.0	-.001	-.002	-.003	-.004	-.004	-.002	-.001	.000	.001	.000	.000

Table 5.3 Numerical values of the average even amplitude $\overline{g_{1e}}(X,S)$ in iterated diffraction patterns formed in plane 1 for $A_1 = 3.832$, and for different values of X and S. These values are normalized so that $\overline{g_{1e}}(0,0) = 1.0000$

X/S	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
0.0	1.000	.998	.974	.887	.713	.469	.216	.024	-.065	-.061	-.012
0.1	.999	.994	.960	.863	.686	.446	.203	.021	-.062	-.057	-.010
0.2	.998	.980	.918	.795	.608	.381	.166	.013	-.053	-.046	-.007
0.3	.990	.955	.852	.690	.489	.283	.111	.002	-.039	-.030	-.002
0.4	.971	.916	.766	.560	.345	.166	.466	-.010	-.021	-.009	.004
0.5	.935	.861	.666	.418	.194	.045	-.019	-.022	-.002	.011	.009
0.6	.876	.787	.557	.279	.053	-.064	-.076	-.030	.016	.029	.014
0.7	.794	.696	.446	.154	-.063	-.149	-.117	-.034	.031	.044	.016
0.8	.689	.590	.339	.055	-.145	-.201	-.138	-.032	.042	.052	.017
0.9	.566	.473	.242	-.016	-.187	-.218	-.139	-.026	.048	.054	.015
1.0	.433	.355	.158	-.056	-.091	-.203	-.121	-.015	.049	.050	.011
1.1	.301	.240	.090	-.070	-.165	-.163	-.090	-.003	.046	.042	.007
1.2	.178	.138	.039	-.064	-.120	-.109	-.052	.008	.039	.030	.002
1.3	.075	.055	.005	-.044	-.066	-.051	-.015	.018	.029	.018	-.002
1.4	-.001	-.006	-.014	-.020	-.015	-.001	.015	.023	.019	.007	-.006
1.5	-.050	-.043	-.023	.002	.024	.036	.035	.024	.000	-.002	-.007
1.6	-.071	-.057	-.032	.018	.047	.055	.043	.021	.002	-.008	-.007
1.7	-.070	-.054	-.016	.026	.053	.057	.039	.015	-.004	-.010	-.006
1.8	-.051	-.039	-.008	.025	.045	.044	.028	.007	-.007	-.009	-.004
1.9	-.025	-.017	.000	.018	.027	.024	.011	-.011	-.008	-.006	-.001
2.0	.002	.004	.006	.007	.005	.000	-.005	-.008	-.007	-.003	.001
2.1	.002	.020	.009	-.004	-.014	-.019	-.018	-.011	-.005	.001	.003
2.2	.004	.029	.009	-.011	-.027	-.031	-.024	-.012	-.002	.003	.004
2.3	.004	.029	.008	-.016	-.031	-.033	-.024	-.010	.001	.005	.003
2.4	.003	.021	.004	-.015	-.027	-.027	-.018	-.006	.002	.005	.002
2.5	.001	.011	.000	-.011	-.017	-.016	-.009	-.013	.003	.003	.001
2.6	.000	-.001	-.003	-.004	-.004	-.001	.001	.003	.003	.002	.000
2.7	-.001	-.011	-.005	.003	.009	.011	.010	.007	.003	.000	-.001
2.8	-.002	-.017	-.006	.008	.018	.020	.016	.008	.001	-.002	-.002
2.9	-.002	-.019	-.005	.011	.021	.023	.017	.008	.000	-.003	-.002
3.0	-.002	-.015	-.003	.011	.019	.020	.014	.005	-.001	-.003	-.002
3.1	-.001	-.008	-.001	.008	.012	.012	.007	.002	-.002	-.002	-.001
3.2	-.001	.000	.001	.003	.003	.002	.000	-.001	-.002	-.001	.000
3.3	.001	.007	.003	-.002	-.006	-.007	-.007	-.004	-.002	.000	.001
3.4	.015	.012	.004	-.006	-.013	-.014	-.011	-.006	-.001	.001	.002
3.5	.017	.013	.003	-.008	-.016	-.016	-.012	-.006	.000	.002	.002
3.6	.015	.011	.002	-.008	-.014	-.015	-.011	-.004	.000	.002	.001
3.7	.009	.007	.001	-.006	-.009	-.009	-.006	-.002	.001	.002	.001
3.8	.002	.001	-.001	-.002	-.003	-.002	-.001	-.001	.001	.001	.000
3.9	-.006	-.005	-.002	.001	.004	.005	.004	.003	.001	.000	-.001
4.0	-.011	-.009	-.003	.004	.009	.011	.008	.004	.001	-.001	-.001
4.1	-.013	-.010	-.002	.006	.012	.013	.009	.005	.000	-.002	-.001
4.2	-.012	-.009	-.002	.006	.018	.012	.009	.004	.000	-.002	-.001
4.3	-.005	-.006	.001	.005	.008	.008	.006	.002	.000	-.001	-.001
4.4	-.002	-.001	.000	.002	.003	.002	.001	.000	.000	-.001	.001
4.5	.004	.003	.001	-.001	-.003	-.003	-.003	-.002	.000	.000	.000
4.6	.008	.007	.002	-.003	-.007	-.008	-.006	-.003	.000	.001	.001
4.7	.011	.008	.002	-.005	-.009	-.010	-.008	-.004	.000	.001	.001
4.8	.009	.008	.001	-.005	-.009	-.010	-.007	-.003	.000	.001	.001
4.9	.007	.025	.001	-.004	-.007	-.007	-.005	-.002	.000	.001	.001
5.0	.002	.001	.001	-.002	-.003	-.003	-.001	-.000	.000	.001	.000

Table 5.4 Numerical values of average even amplitude $g_{1e}(X,S)$ in iterated diffraction patterns formed in plane 1 for $A_1 = 5.136$ and for different values of X and S . These values are normalized so that $g_{1e}(0,0) = 1.000$.

$x \setminus S$	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
0.0	1.000	1.101	1.346	1.583	1.658	1.491	1.117	.657	.255	.005	-.008
0.1	1.051	1.138	1.344	1.534	1.572	1.391	1.026	.594	.224	.000	-.073
0.2	1.190	1.235	1.333	1.394	1.331	1.110	.777	.422	.142	-.014	-.054
0.3	1.374	1.359	1.303	1.182	.980	.713	.431	.191	.036	-.028	-.027
0.4	1.545	1.465	1.241	.925	.582	.281	.069	-.040	-.060	-.033	.002
0.5	1.649	1.509	1.137	.654	.205	-.103	-.229	-.209	-.115	-.022	.028
0.6	1.643	1.461	.988	.401	-.097	-.374	-.410	-.284	-.115	.005	.045
0.7	1.515	1.315	.802	.190	-.291	-.504	-.454	-.260	-.063	.043	.050
0.8	1.280	1.086	.598	.036	-.370	-.500	-.383	-.160	.019	.081	.045
0.9	.974	.809	.397	-.057	-.352	-.396	-.241	-.030	.102	.108	.032
1.0	.650	.526	.223	-.094	-.271	-.247	-.086	-.083	.158	.115	.015
1.1	.356	.277	.091	-.090	-.163	-.102	.035	.148	.170	.099	-.002
1.2	.129	.092	.008	-.062	-.064	.003	.095	.152	.138	.066	-.013
1.3	-.013	-.019	-.030	-.026	.004	.053	.095	.104	.076	.025	-.019
1.4	-.075	-.063	-.034	.004	.038	.055	.052	.033	.008	-.011	-.018
1.5	-.076	-.059	-.019	.021	.039	.028	-.003	-.032	-.043	-.034	-.012
1.6	-.044	-.030	.000	.024	.023	-.001	-.044	-.069	-.066	-.038	-.005
1.7	-.004	-.002	.013	.016	.015	-.028	-.057	-.069	-.057	-.028	.002
1.8	-.024	.022	.016	.004	-.014	-.032	-.042	-.040	-.027	-.008	.006
1.9	.033	.027	.011	-.007	-.018	-.019	-.011	-.001	.009	.011	.007
2.0	.026	.018	.001	-.012	-.014	.000	.020	.084	.035	.022	.005
2.1	.009	.004	-.006	-.012	-.004	.016	.037	.048	.042	.023	.002
2.2	-.008	-.009	-.009	-.006	.005	.022	.035	.039	.030	.014	-.002
2.3	-.017	-.014	-.008	-.001	.010	.016	.017	.014	.007	.000	-.004
2.4	-.017	-.012	-.003	.007	.009	.004	-.006	-.014	-.016	-.011	-.004
2.5	-.009	-.005	-.003	.008	.004	-.009	-.023	-.032	-.029	-.017	-.003
2.6	.001	.003	.006	.006	-.001	-.015	-.028	-.033	-.028	-.014	.000
2.7	.008	.008	.006	.002	-.006	-.014	-.020	-.020	-.014	-.006	.001
2.8	.011	.009	.003	-.003	-.006	-.006	-.003	.001	.004	.004	.003
2.9	.008	.005	-.001	-.006	-.004	.003	.013	.019	.018	.011	.002
3.0	.002	.000	-.004	-.006	.000	.010	.022	.027	.023	.013	.001
3.1	-.003	-.004	-.005	-.003	.003	.012	.020	.022	.017	.008	.000
3.2	-.007	-.006	-.004	.000	.004	.008	.009	.007	.004	.001	-.001
3.3	-.007	-.005	-.001	.003	.004	.000	-.005	-.009	-.009	-.006	-.002
3.4	-.004	-.002	-.002	.004	.001	-.007	-.015	-.020	-.017	-.010	-.002
3.5	.001	-.002	.004	.003	-.001	-.010	-.018	-.020	-.017	-.009	-.001
3.6	.004	.004	.003	.001	-.003	-.008	-.012	-.012	-.009	-.004	.001
3.7	.005	.004	.001	-.001	-.003	-.003	-.001	.001	-.002	.002	.001
3.8	.004	.002	-.001	-.003	-.002	.003	-.001	.012	.012	.007	.001
3.9	.001	.000	-.003	-.003	.000	.007	.015	.018	.015	.008	.001
4.0	-.002	-.002	-.003	-.002	.002	.008	.013	.014	.012	.006	.000
4.1	-.004	-.003	-.002	.000	.002	.004	.005	.005	.003	.001	-.001
4.2	-.004	-.002	.000	.002	.002	-.001	-.004	-.006	-.007	-.004	-.001
4.3	-.002	-.001	.002	.003	.000	-.005	-.011	-.014	-.012	-.007	-.001
4.4	.001	.001	.003	.002	-.001	-.007	-.012	-.014	-.012	-.006	-.001
4.5	.002	.002	.002	.001	-.002	-.005	-.008	-.008	-.006	-.003	.000
4.6	.003	.002	.001	-.001	-.002	-.001	.000	.011	.002	.001	.001
4.7	.002	.001	-.001	-.002	-.001	.003	.007	.009	.009	.005	.001
4.8	.000	.000	-.002	-.002	-.000	.006	.010	.013	.011	.006	.000
4.9	.001	-.002	-.002	-.001	.001	.006	.009	.010	.008	.004	.000
5.0	.002	-.002	-.001	.000	.002	.003	.003	.003	.002	.001	.000

Table 5.5 numerical values of average even amplitude $g_{1e}(X,S)$ in iterated diffraction patterns formed in plane 1 for $A_1 = 7.016$ and for different values of X and S . These values are normalized so that $g_{1e}(0,0) = 1.000$.

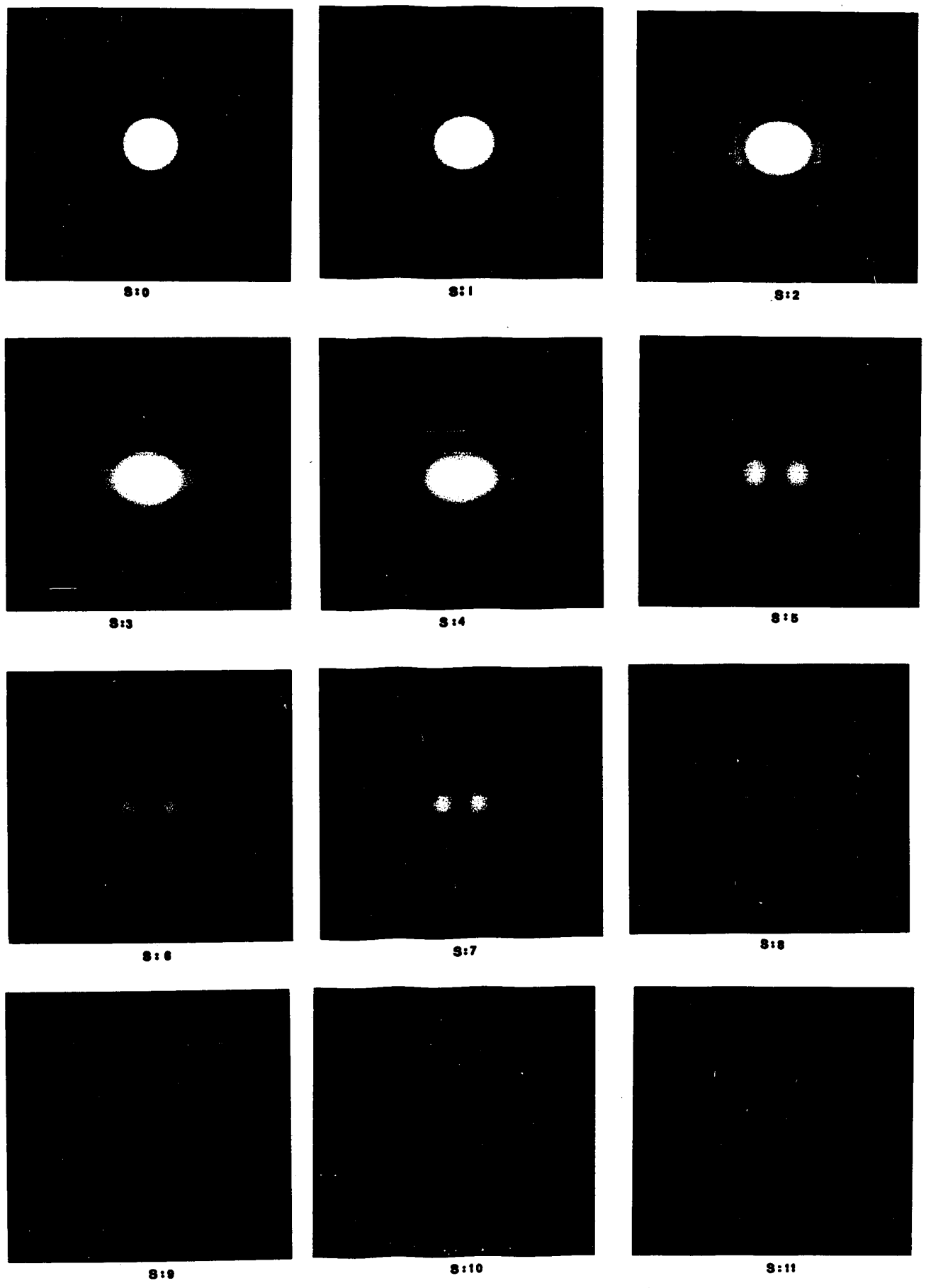


Figure 5.8 Photographs of iterated diffraction patterns in plane 2 for $A_1 = 3.054$ and for different values of S .

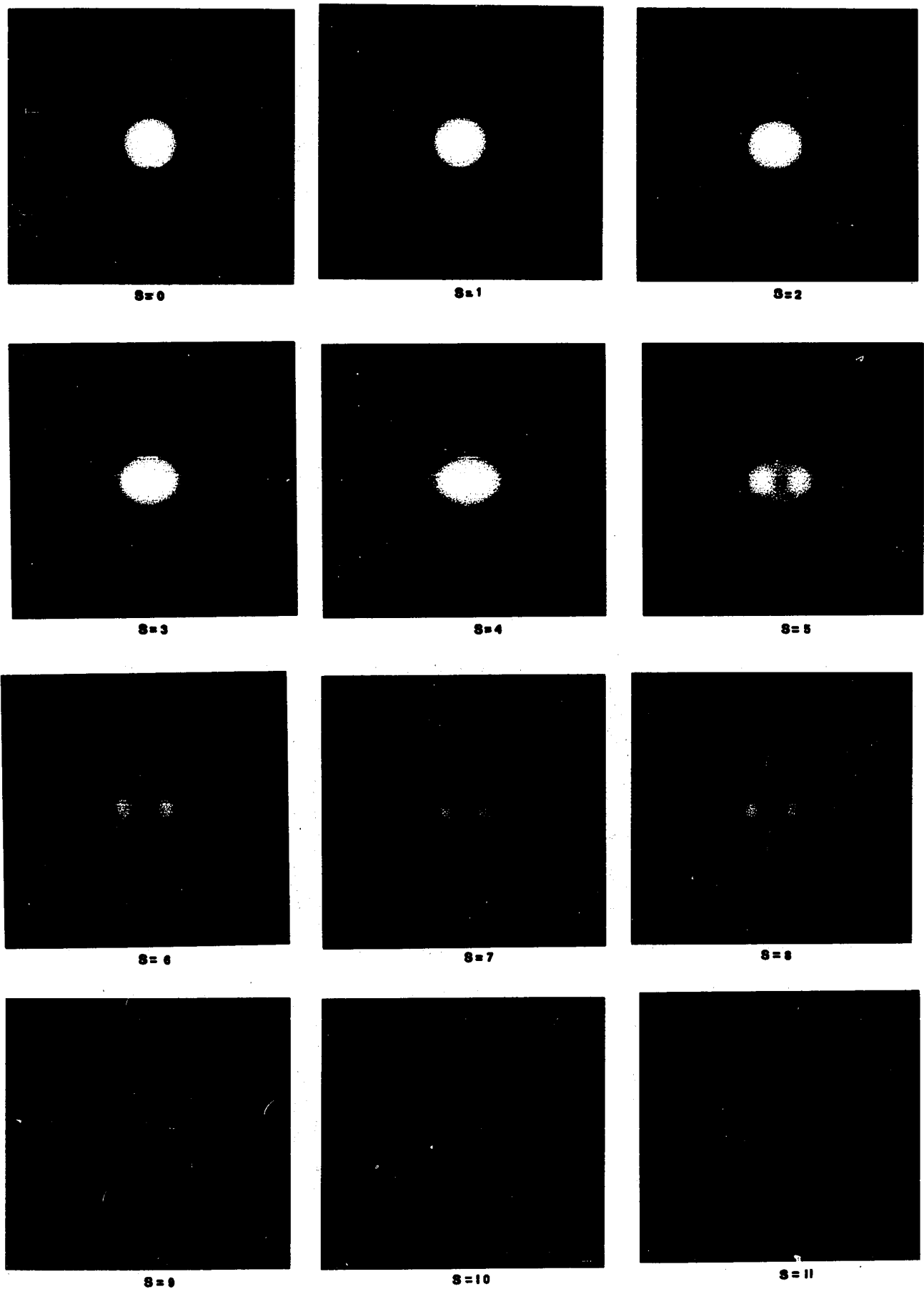


Figure 5.9 Photographs of iterated diffraction patterns in plane 2 for $A_1 = 3.832$ and for different values of S.

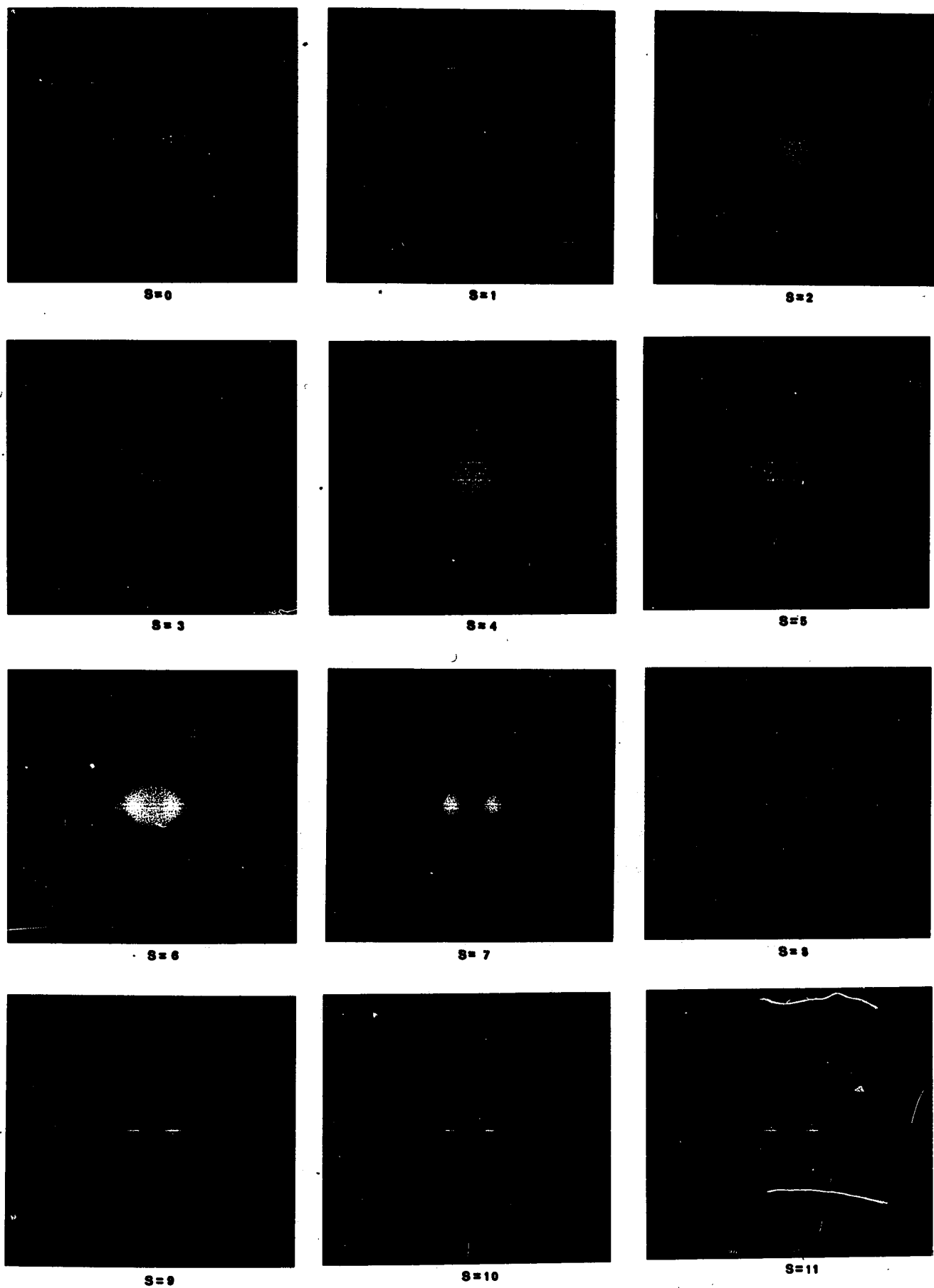


Figure 5.10 Photographs of iterated diffraction patterns in plane 2 for $A_1 = 5.136$ and for different values of S .

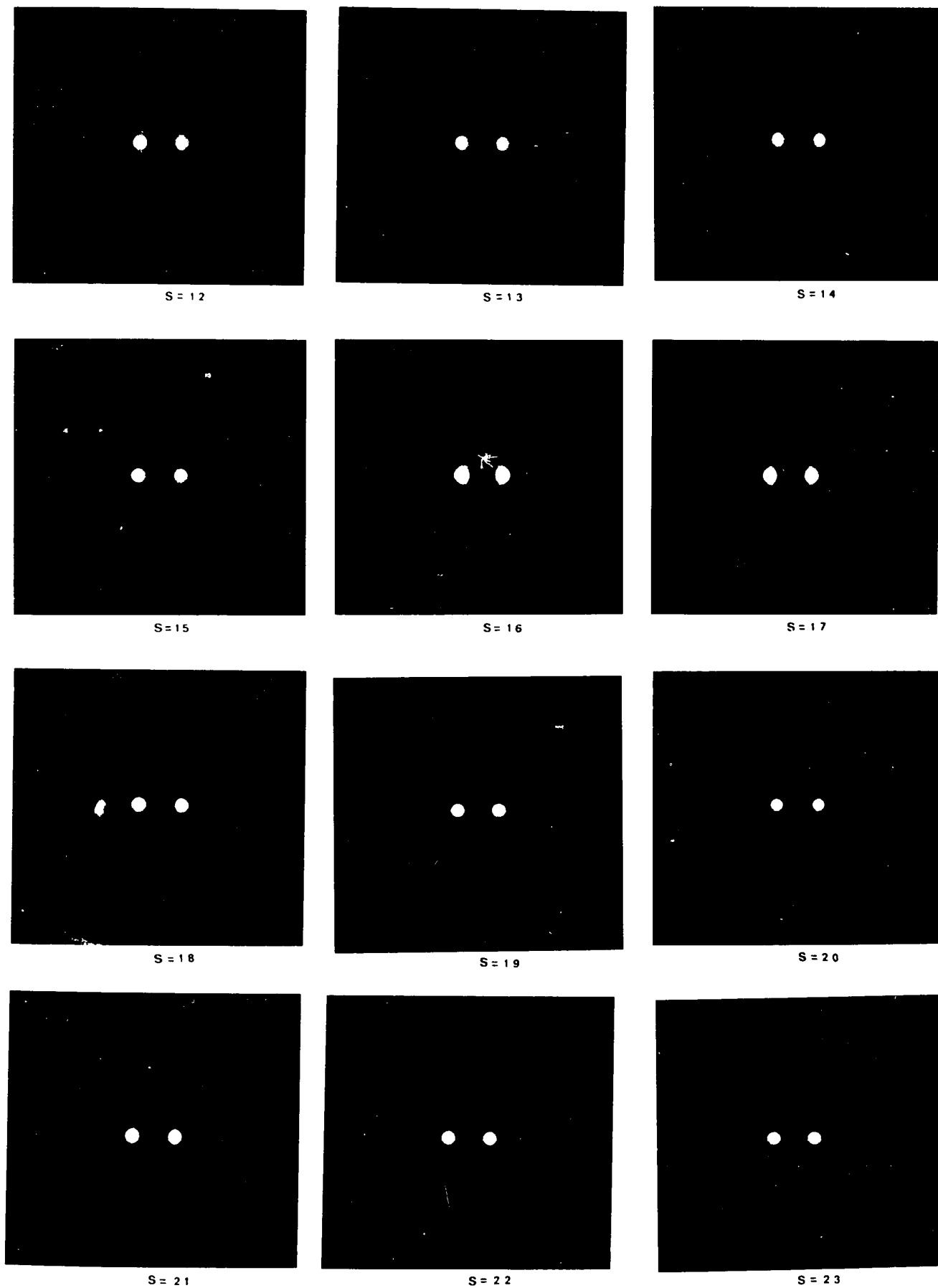


Figure 5.11 Photographs of iterated diffraction patterns in plane 2 for $\lambda_1 = 7.016$ and for different values of S .

TABLE 5.7 Parameters of systems with a central diaphragm.

plane n	System 1 A_n	System 2 A_n
1	6.706	3.054
2	1.333	1.841
3	7.378	3.570
4	1.405	1.998
5	7.654	3.763
6	1.442	2.075
7	7.816	3.874
8	1.466	2.124
9	7.928	3.949
10	1.484	2.159

TABLE 5.8 Parameters of systems with one annulus

plane n	system 3		system 4	
	A_n	B_n	A_n	B_n
1	6.706	0.000	4.612	0.000
2	1.334	0.282	1.531	0.752
3	7.090	0.000	3.610	0.000
4	1.407	0.238	1.961	1.006
5	7.230	0.000	2.773	0.000
6	1.447	0.208	2.550	1.319
7	7.322	0.000	2.125	0.000
8	1.474	0.188	3.325	1.724
9	7.392	0.000	1.628	0.000
10	1.495	0.172	4.343	2.250

	system 5		system 6	
	A_n	B_n	A_n	B_n
	8.158	0.000	7.015	0.000
	1.421	0.790	2.151	0.546
	7.306	0.000	6.984	0.000
	0.937	0.245	2.237	0.711
	8.700	0.000	6.063	0.000
	0.787	0.112	2.492	0.801

Plane n	system 7		system 8	
	A_n	B_n	A_n	B_n
1	6.706	3.832	3.054	0.000
2	0.453	0.000	2.499	1.841
3	18.082	12.275	1.085	0.000
4			7.541	5.098

TABLE 5.9 Parameters of systems with two annuli

<u>System 9</u>				
Plane n	A_n	B_n	C_n	D_n
1	6.541	4.201	2.299	0.000
2	2.383	1.655	1.200	0.392
3	6.493	4.931	3.597	0.000

<u>System 10</u>				
Plane n	A_n	B_n	C_n	D_n
1	6.706	4.612	3.054	0.000
2	2.162	1.505	1.294	0.646
3	6.468	4.912	2.617	0.000

<u>System 11</u>				
Plane n	A_n	B_n	C_n	D_n
1	8.158	4.612	3.054	0.000
2	3.307	2.297	1.220	0.000
3	8.174	5.066	3.179	0.000
4	3.103	2.282	1.966	0.000

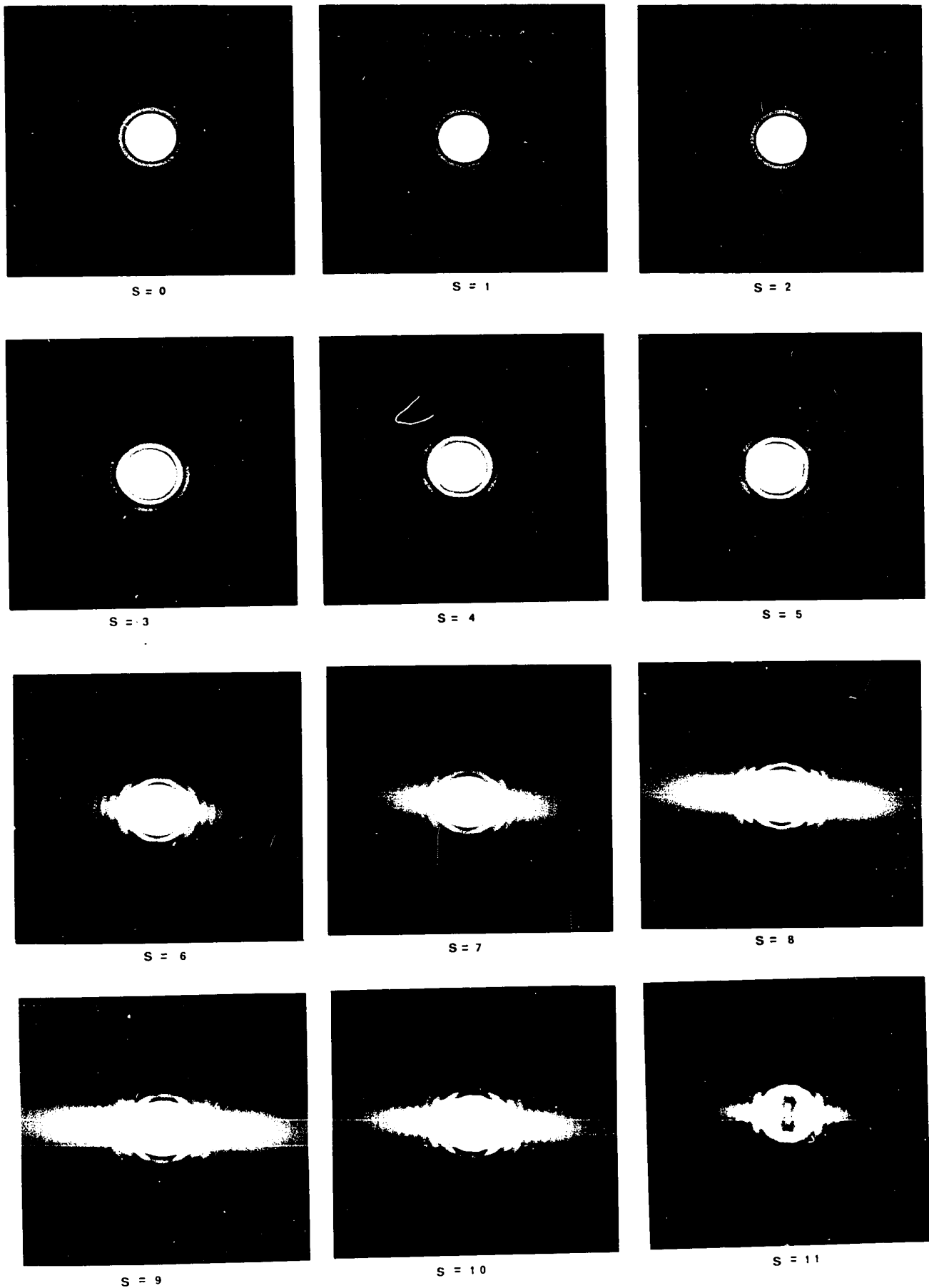


Figure 5.12 Photographs of iterated diffraction patterns formed by the selected system in plane 2 for $A_1 = 8.157$ and for different values of S .

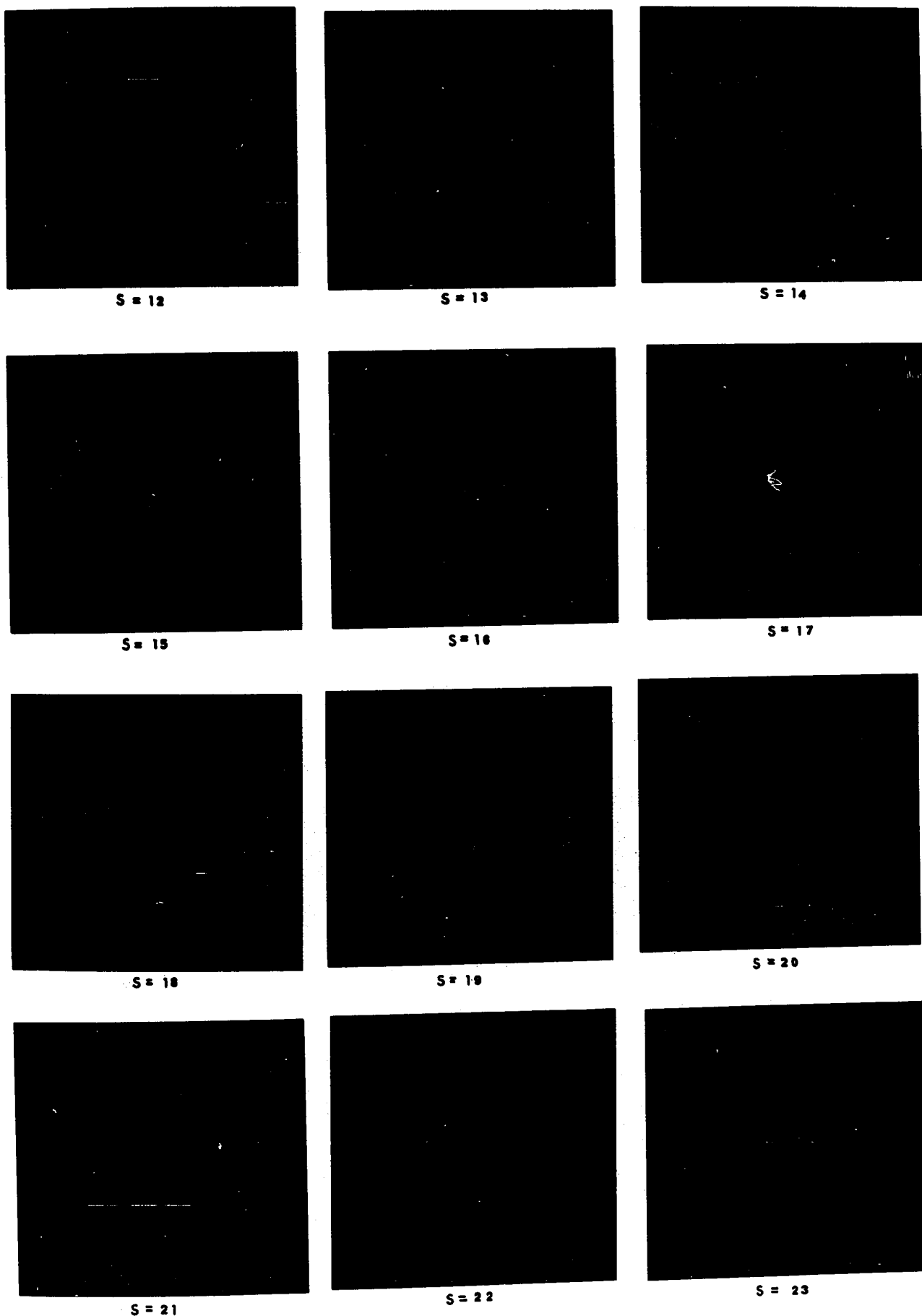


Figure 5.12 Photographs of iterated diffraction patterns formed by the selected system in plane 2 for $A_1 = 8.157$ and for different values of S.

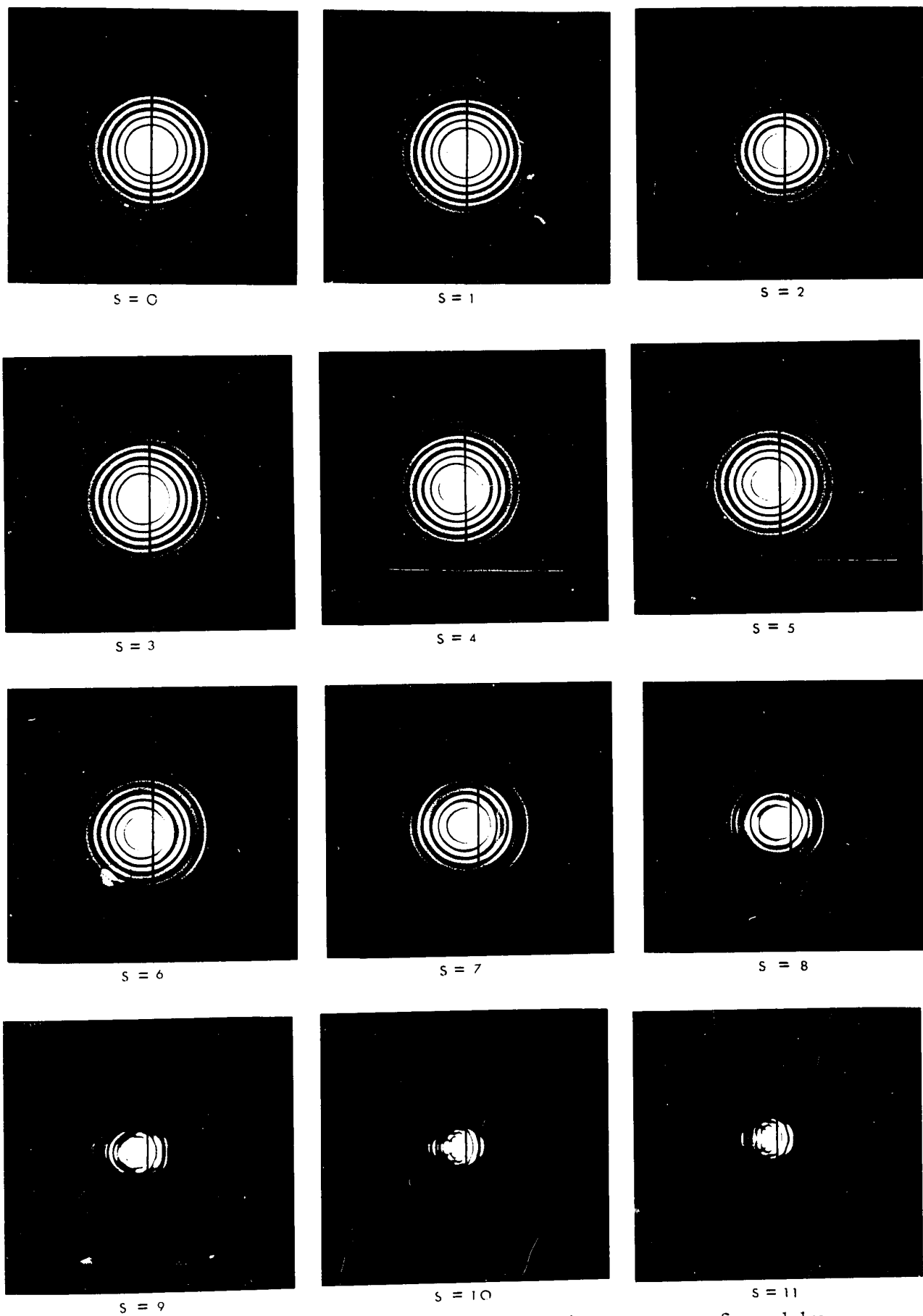


Figure 5.13 Photographs of iterated diffraction patterns formed by the selected system in plane 5 for $A_1 = 8.157$, $B_1 = 0$, $A_2 = 1.421$, $B_2 = 0.790$ and for different values of S .

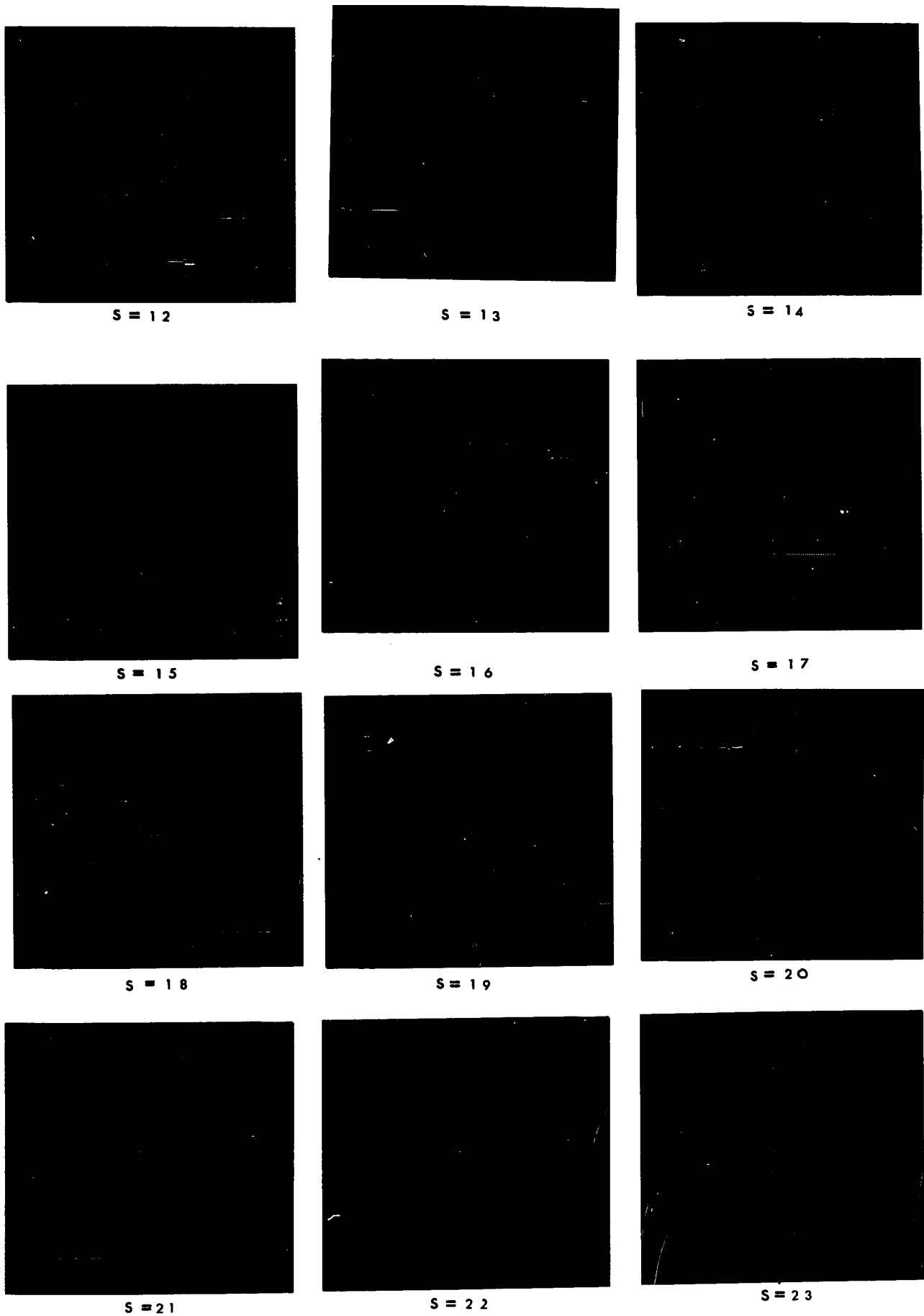


Figure 5.13 Photographs of iterated diffraction patterns formed by the selected system in plane 3 for $A_1 = 8.157$, $B_1 = 0$, $A_2 = 1.421$, $B_2 = 0.790$ and for different values of S .

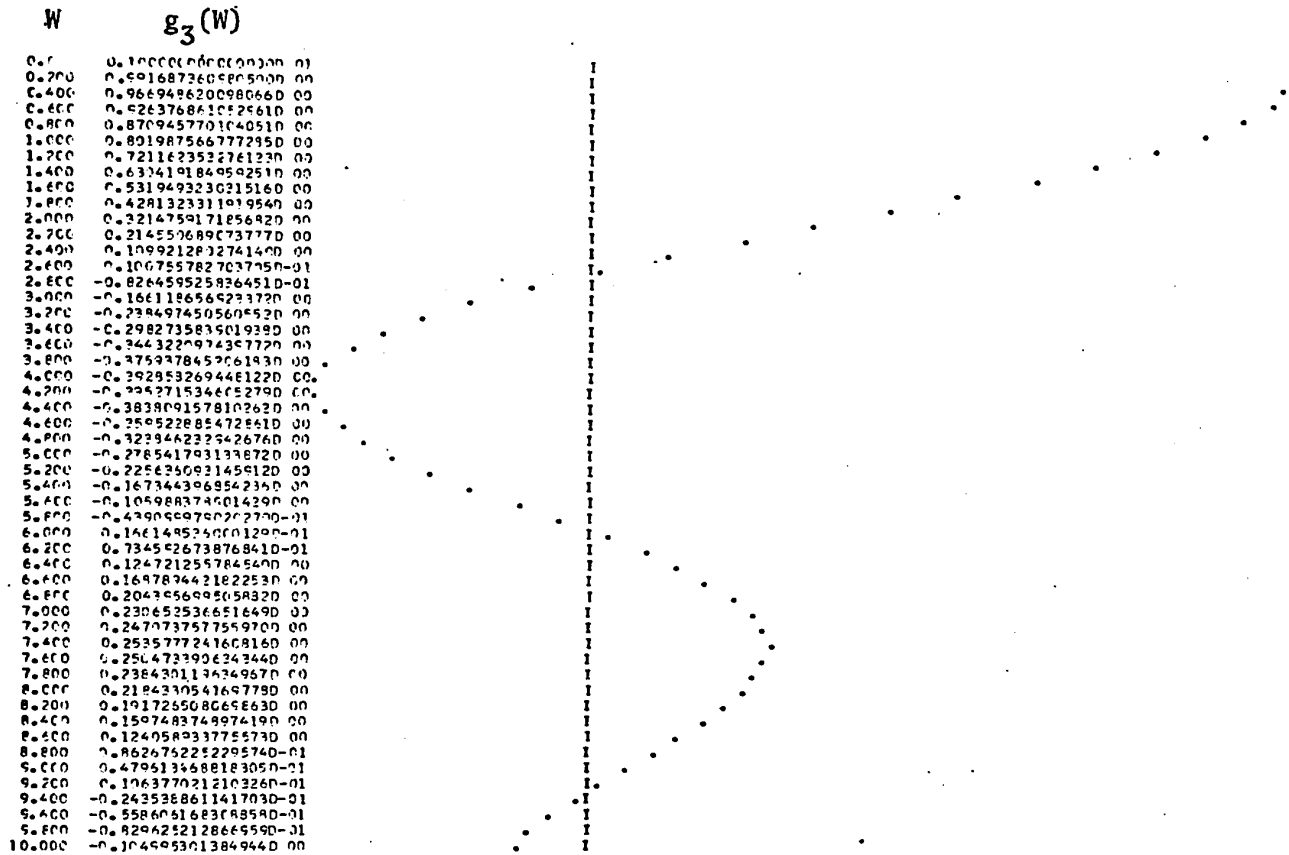


Figure 5.15 Calculation of $g_3(W)$ for the selected system $A_1 = 8.157$, $C_1 = 1.421$, $D_1 = 0.000$ and for $S = 0$.

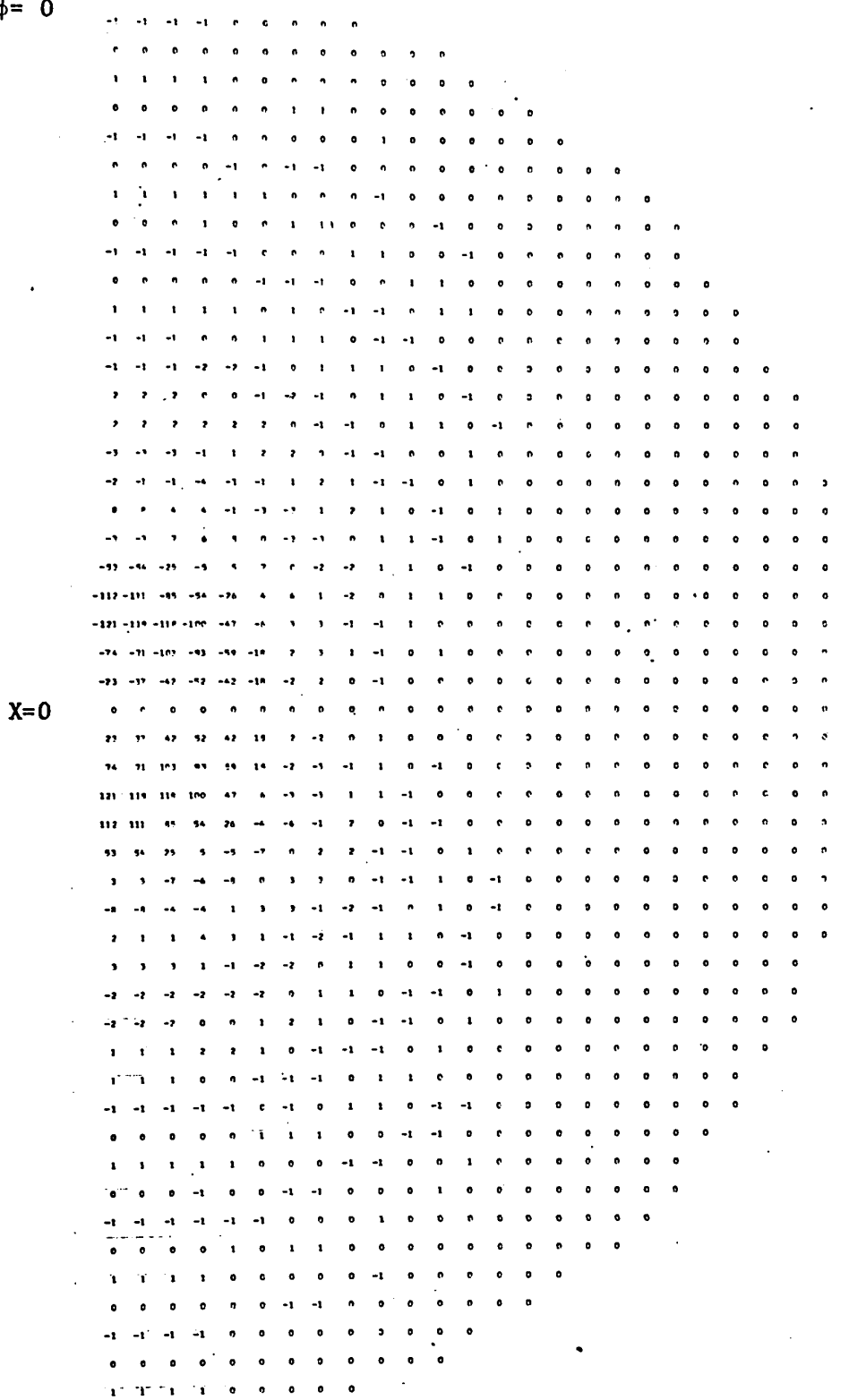
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X = 0

X = 5, φ = π/2

X = 5, φ = π

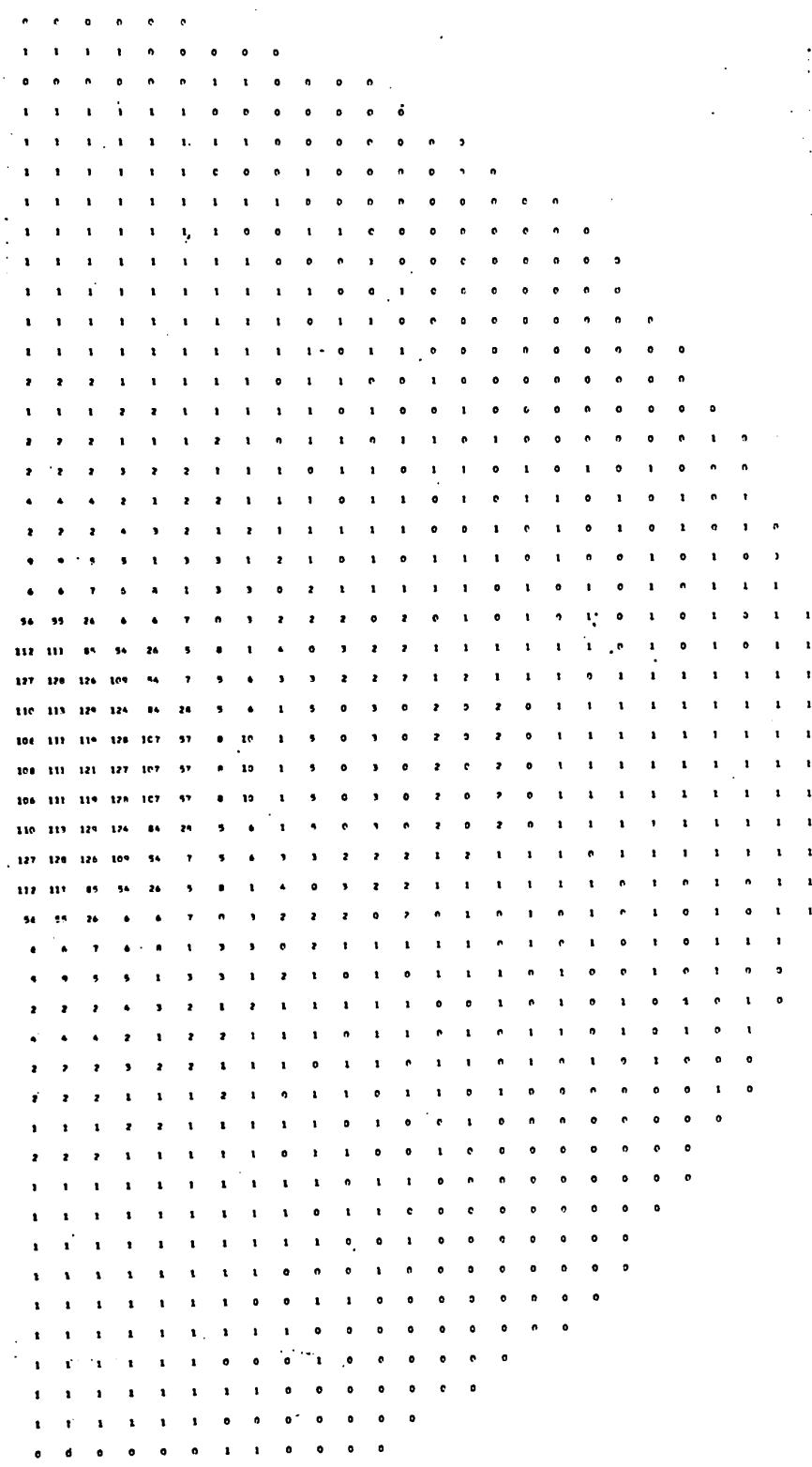
Figure 5.16 Contour map of even amplitude in plane 2 for the selected system $A_1 = 8.157$, $B_1 = 0.000$, $A_2 = 1.421$, $B_2 = 0.790$ for $S = 2$, for X from 0 to 5 and for ϕ from 0 to π . The values of even amplitude are normalized so that $g_2(0,0,0)=100$. The construction of contour maps is explained in section 3.6.



X = 5, $\phi = \pi$
Figure 5.17

Contour map of odd amplitude in plane 2 for the selected system $A_1 = 8.157$, $B_1 = 0.000$, $A_2 = 1.421$, $B_2 = 0.790$, for $S = 2$, for X from 0 to 5 and for ϕ from 0 to π . The values of odd amplitude are normalized so that $g_2(0,0,0) = 100$. The construction of contour maps is explained in section 3.6.

X = 5, $\phi = 0$



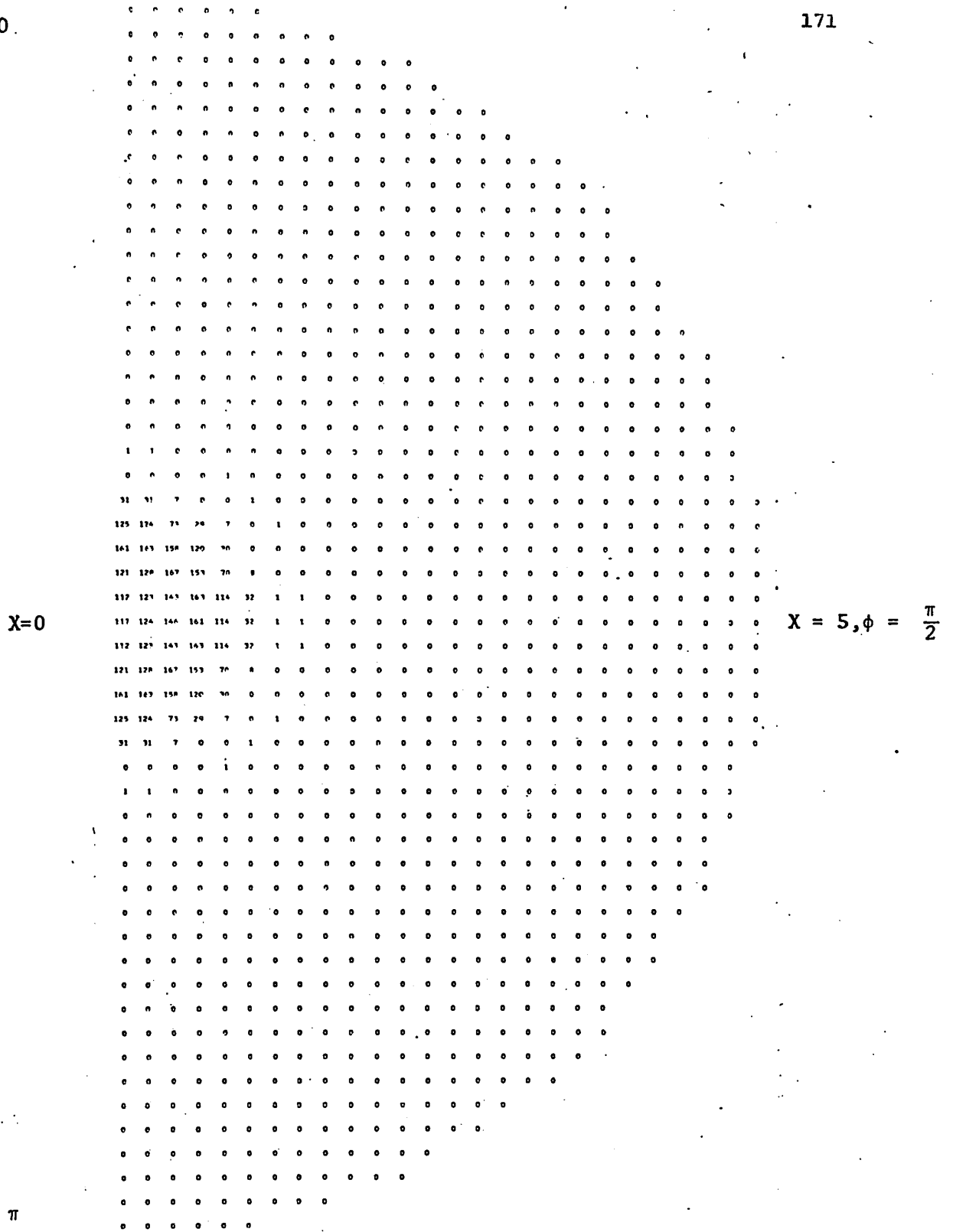
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X = 5, $\phi = \frac{\pi}{2}$

X = 5, $\phi = \pi$

Figure 5.18 Contour map of amplitude in plane 2 for the selected system $A_1 = 8.157$, $B_1 = 0.000$, $A_2 = 1.421$, $B_2 = 0.790$, for $S = 2$, for X from 0 to 5 and for ϕ from 0 to π . The values of amplitude are normalized so that $g_2(0,0,0) = 100$. The construction of contour maps is explained in section 3.6.

X = 5, $\phi = 0$.



X = 5, $\phi = \pi$

Figure 5.19 Contour map of luminous intensity in plane 2 for the selected system $A_1 = 8.157$, $B_1 = 0.000$, $A_2 = 1.421$, $B_2 = 0.790$, for $S = 2$, for X from 0 to 5 and for ϕ from 0 to π . The values are normalized so that $g_2(0,0,0) = 100$. The construction of contour maps is explained in section 3.6.

X = 5, $\phi = 0$

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X = 5, $\phi = \frac{\pi}{2}$

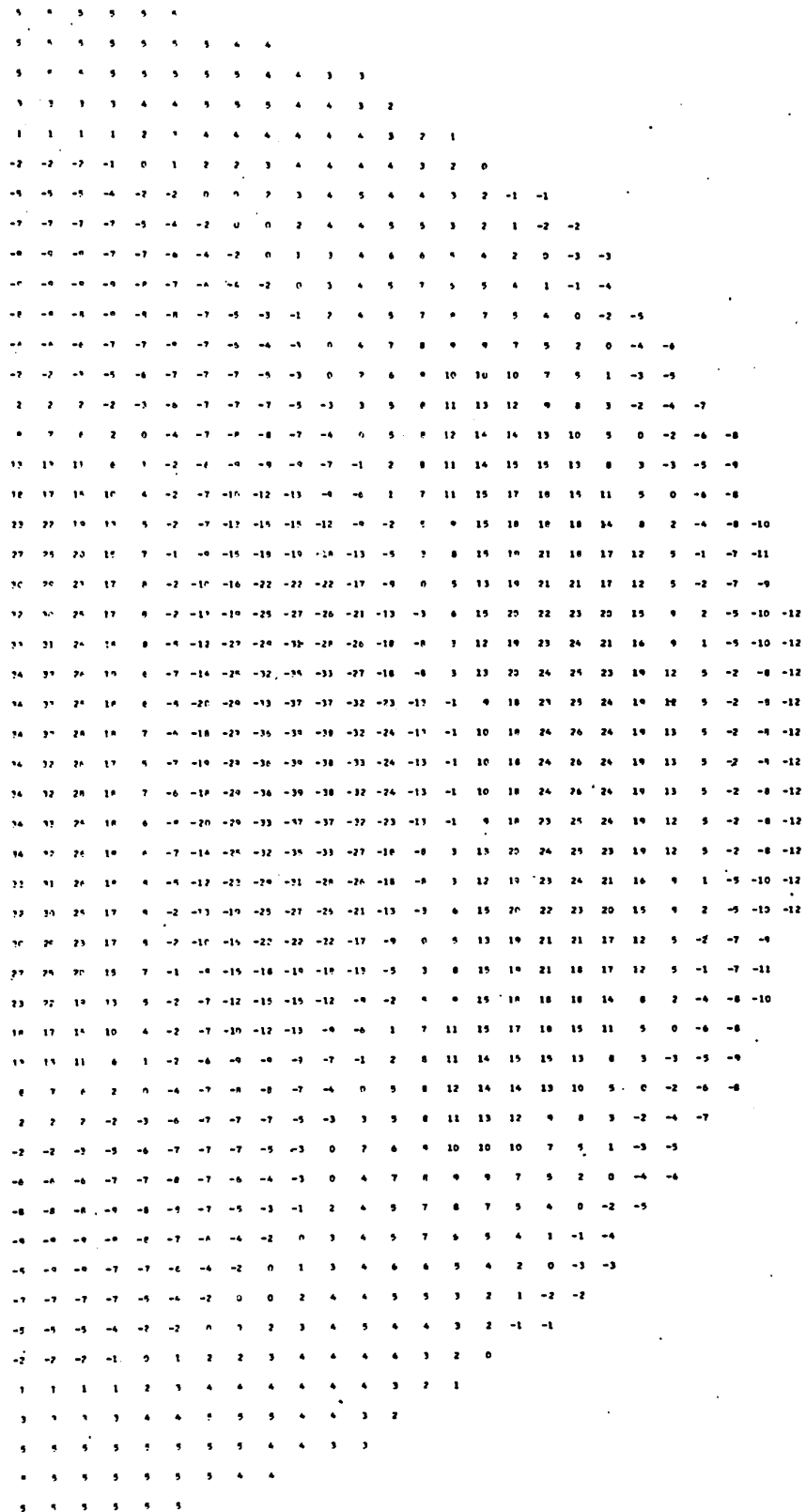
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Figure 5.20 Contour map of phase in plane 2 for the selected system $A_1 = 8.157, B_1 = 0,000, A_2 = 1.421, B_2 = 0.790$ for $S = 2$, for X from 0 to 5 and for ϕ from 0 to π . The values are multiplied by 100. The construction of contour maps is explained in section 3.6.

W = 10, $\theta = 0$

W = 0

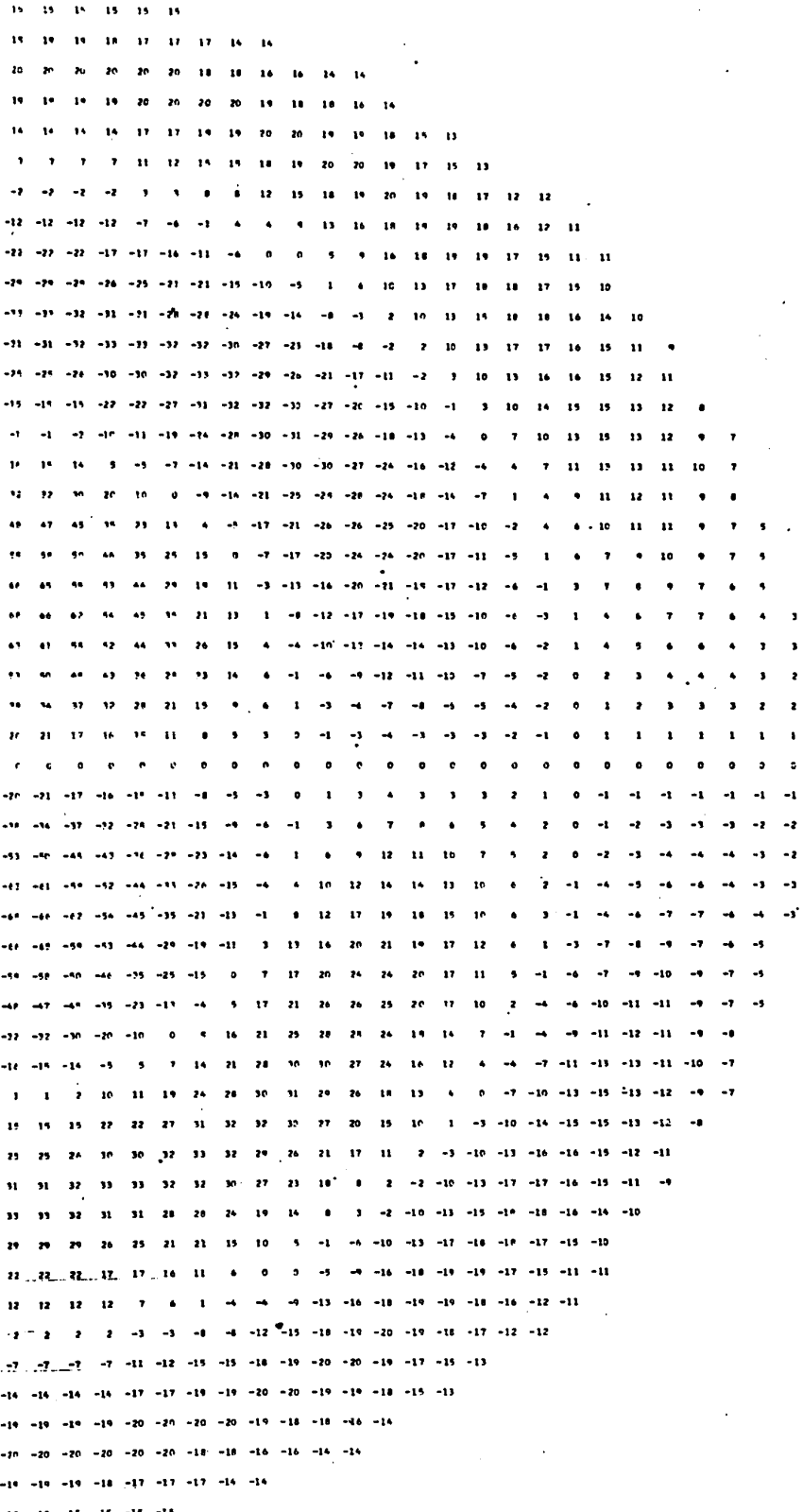
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W = 10, $\theta = \pi$

Figure 5.21 Contour map of even amplitude in plane 3 for the selected system $A_1 = 8.157$, $B_1 = 0.000$, $A_2 = 1.421$, $B_2 = 0.790$ for $S = 2$, for W from 0 to 10 and for θ from 0 to π . The values are normalized so that $g_3(0,0,0) = 100$. The construction of contour maps is explained in section 3.6.

W = 10, $\theta = 0$



W = 0

W = 10, $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$

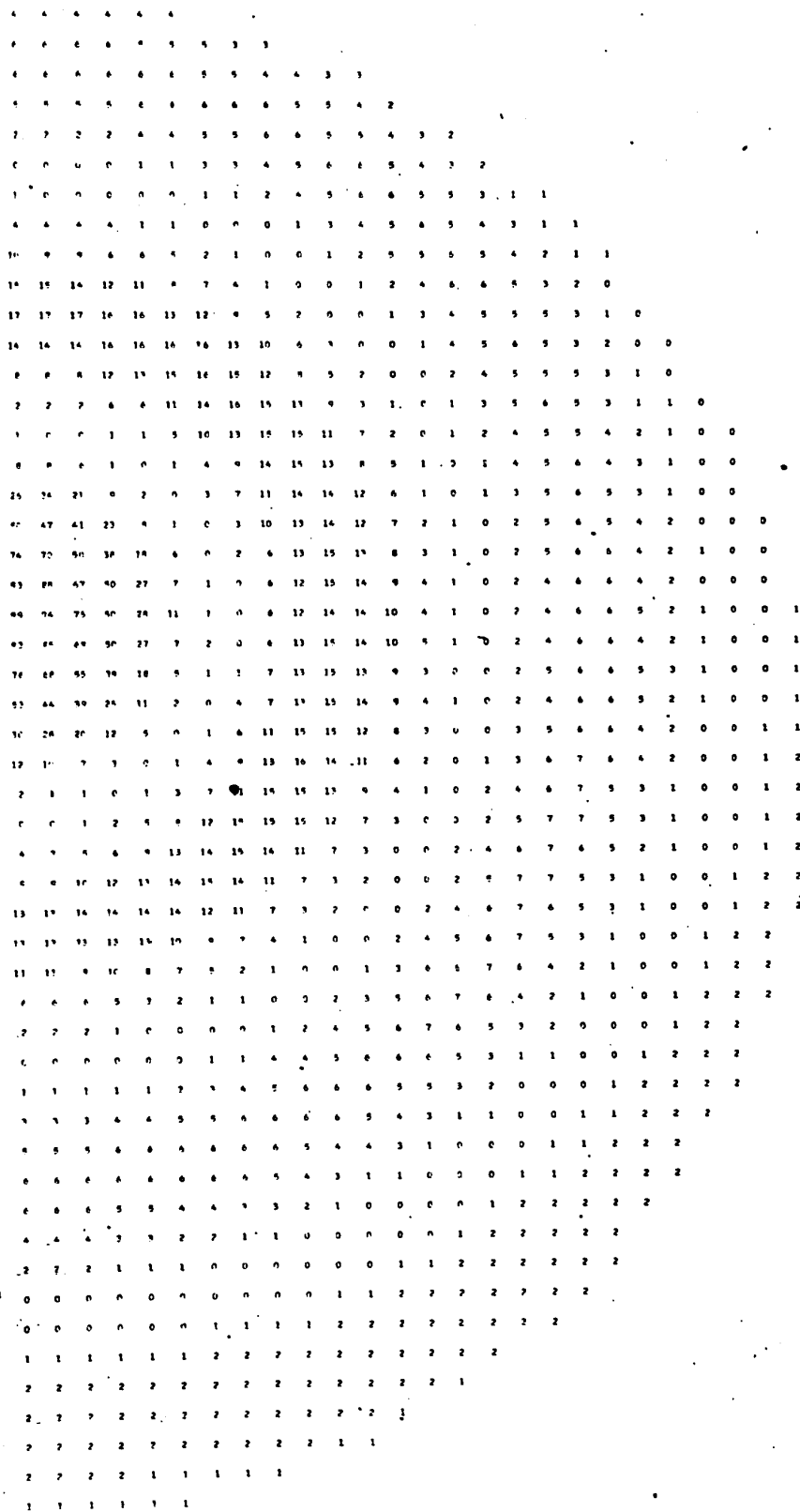
W = 10, $\theta = \pi$

Figure 5.22 Contour map of odd amplitude in plane 3 for the selected system $A_1 = 8.157$, $B_1 = 0.000$, $A_2 = 1.421$, $B_2 = 0.790$ for $S = 2$, for W from 0 to 10 and for θ from 0 to π . The values are normalized so that $g_3(0,0,0) = 100$. The construction of contour maps is explained in section 3.6.

W = 10, $\theta = 0$

W = 0

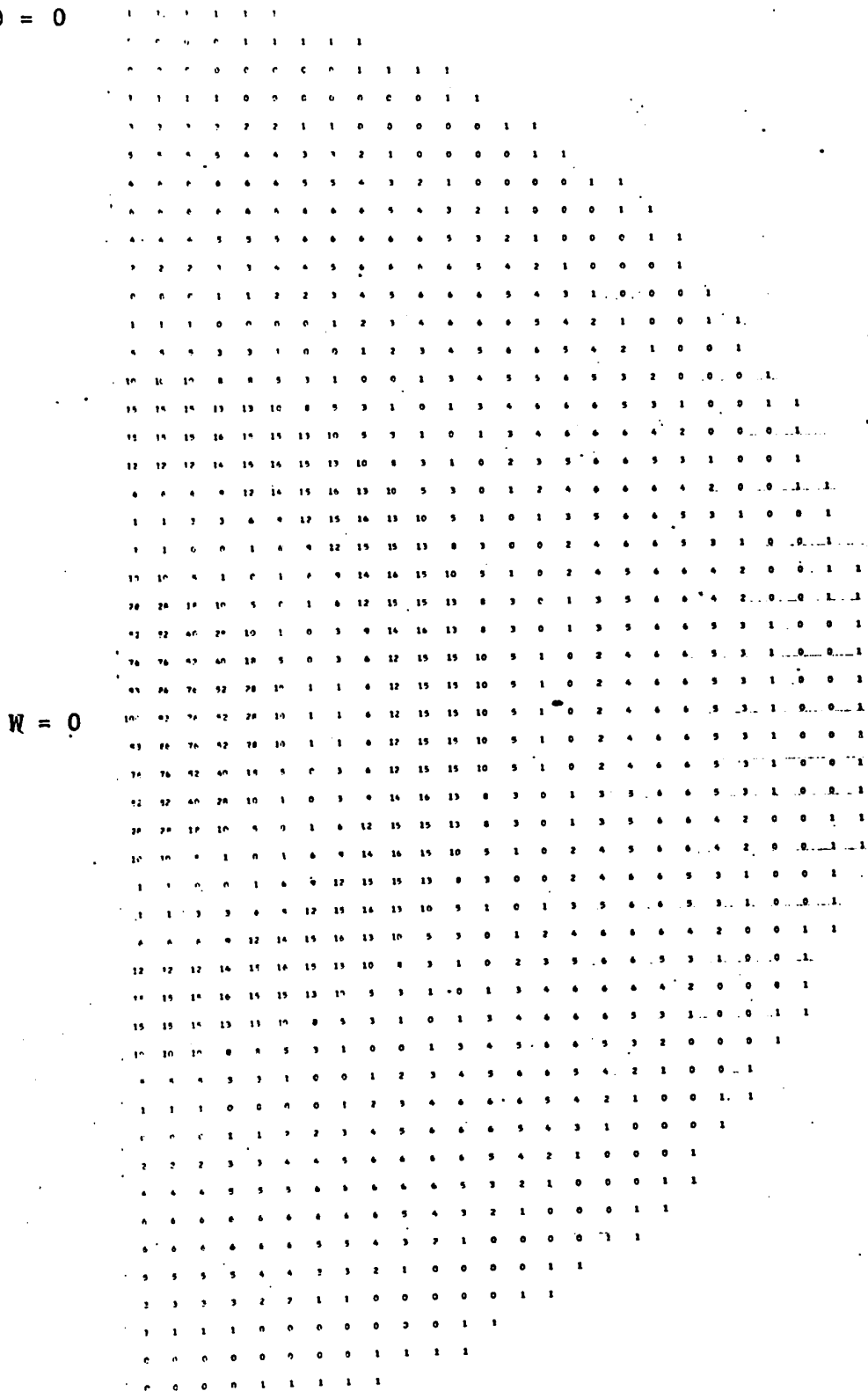
W = 10, $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$



W = 10, $\theta = \pi$

Figure 5.24 Contour map of luminous intensity in plane 3 for the selected system $A_1 = 8.157$, $B_1 = 0.000$, $A_2 = 1.421$, $B_2 = 0.790$ for $S = 2$, for W from 0 to 10, and for θ from 0 to π . The values are normalized so that $g_3(0,0,0) = 100$. The construction of contour maps is explained in section 3.6.

W = 10, $\theta = 0$



W = 0

W = 10, $\theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$

W = 10, $\theta = \pi$

Figure 5.25 Contour map of luminous intensity in plane 3 for the selected system $A_1 = 8.157$, $B_1 = 0.000$, $A_2 = 1.421$, $B_2 = 0.790$ for $S = 0$, for W from 0 to 10 and for θ from 0 to π . The values are normalized so that $g_3(0,0,0) = 100$. The construction of contour maps is explained in section 3.6.

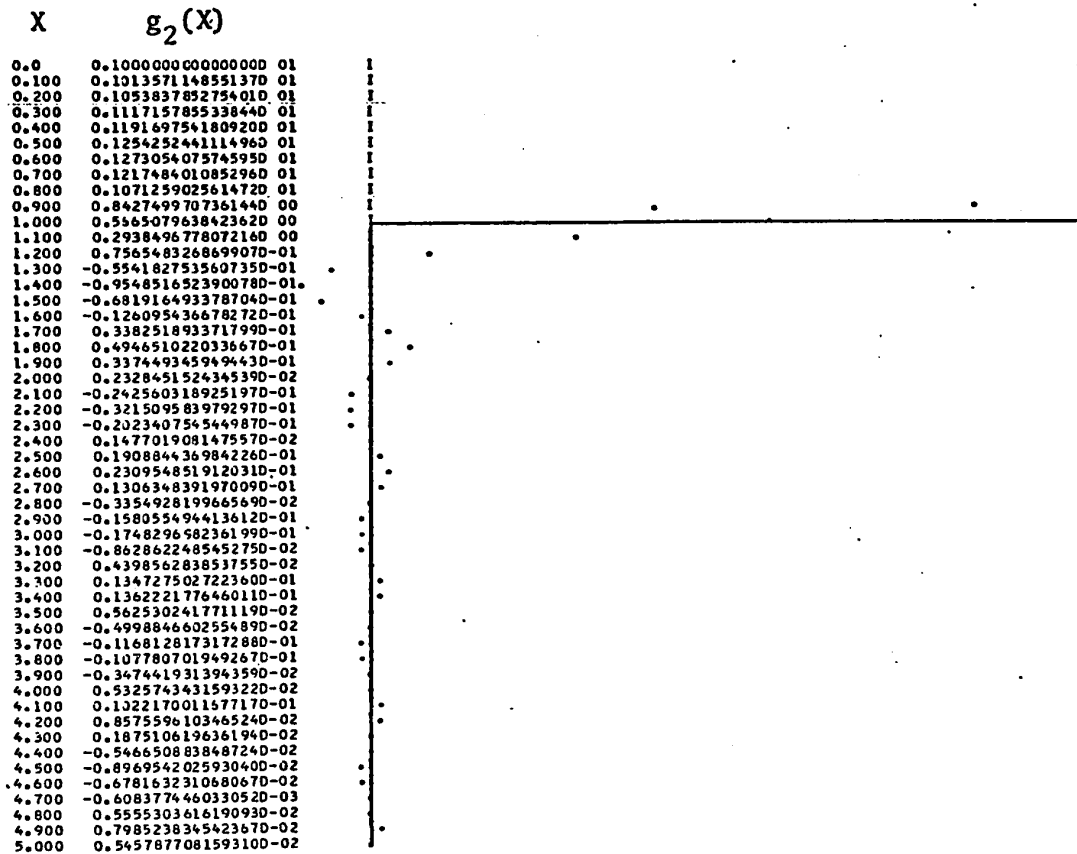


Figure 5.26 Comparison of $g_2(X)$ for the selected system $A_1 = 8.157$,
 & Figure 5.14 $C_1 = 1.421$, $D_1 = 0.000$ and for $S = 0$ with the approximating
 function given by equation 5.40. The solid curve is the
 approximating function and the dotted curve is the exact
 function.

5.5.3 The selected system

One of the most successful cases calculated has been selected for illustration both theoretically and experimentally. The system was not extended beyond iteration 2 because there was no further improvement of the energy characteristic for further iterations. However, the system is much better than many which have been extended further. The parameters of the system are:

$A_1 = 8.157$ the abscissa for the second extremum of $4L_1(W) - 3L_2(W)$. This function determines the variation of even amplitude with S as discussed in criterion 2.

$B_1 = 0.000$

$A_2 = 1.421$ the abscissa for the second extremum of $g_2(X, \phi, 0)$.

$B_2 = 0.790$ the abscissa for the second extremum of $g_2(X, \phi, 0)$.

Photographs of diffraction patterns for this system are shown for plane 2 in figure 5.12 and for plane 3 in figure 5.13. They are shown for integer values of S from 0 to 23 in steps of 1.

For comparison with the photographs, in the special case $S = 0$, the amplitude function $g_2(X)$ is shown for plane 2 in figure 5.14 of p. 178 and the amplitude function $g_3(W)$ is shown for

plane 3 in figure 5.15. In figures 5.16 to 5.24 contour maps, as explained in section 3.6, are shown of the even function, the odd function, the amplitude, the function of luminous intensity, and the phase for $S = 2.0$ and for planes 2 and 3. In figure 5.25 a contour map of luminous intensity for $S = 0$ is shown.

(a) $g_2(X, \phi, S)$ for small S .

Since the chosen value of A_1 is quite large, it encloses about 92% of the total energy of the Airy pattern for small S . Moreover, for $W \geq A_1$, $|g_1(W, \theta, S)| \leq 0.058$, a reasonably small value. As a result, an approximate expression for $g_2(X, \phi, S)$ can be obtained for small S .

That is, when A_1 is very large,

$$g_2(X, \phi, S) \approx \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_0^{\infty} g_1(W, \theta, S) e^{iWX \cos(\phi - \theta)} W dW d\theta \quad 5.39$$

Applying the inverse Fourier transform theorem stated in section 2.11,

$$\begin{aligned} g_2(X, \phi, S) &\approx g_0(X, \phi, -S) = e^{-iSX \cos \phi} & X \leq 1 \\ &= 0 & X > 1 \end{aligned} \quad 5.40$$

For $S = 0$, this result may be compared to the exact computer calculation shown in figure 5.26, and to the corresponding photograph in figure 5.13. In figure 5.26, the approximate distribution is superimposed in the calculated one for easy comparison. Although the approximate distribution is not very close to the calculated one, it is sufficiently close to extend

the analysis to plane 3 for the purpose of gaining greater understanding of the system.

b) $g_2(X, \phi, S)$ for intermediate values of S .

For intermediate values of S , equation 5.39 certainly cannot be used for quantitative analysis since much of the energy is lost outside the diaphragm in plane 1. Furthermore, no other exact or approximate expressions could be found.

However, a useful qualitative analysis suggested by the photographs of figure 5.12 can be given. As stated in section 2.9, the amplitude of the light at the diffracting edge has a particularly great influence on the strongly diffracted light; it also has an influence on the light closer to the optical axis. For values of S approximately equal to 8.157, the central spot of the Airy pattern is centered on a small region of the circular diffracting edge. The light emitted from this arc can be compared to the light which would be emitted by a continuous distribution of point sources on a very small arc of the diffracting edge. The light from each point source located at $(A_1, \Delta\theta)$ has in plane 2 at (X, ϕ) , a phase given by $e^{iA_1 X \cos(\Delta\theta - \phi)}$. At the point (X, ϕ) in plane 2, the phase difference between the light received from point sources located sufficiently close to each other will be less than π . Under these circumstances there is very little interference and the distribution never reaches zero amplitude. The amplitude distribution appears relatively

uniform although the phase distribution may vary considerably (note that a point source off axis at S gives in plane O a uniform amplitude of 1 and a phase which varies as $e^{iSX \cos \phi}$).

The actual situation does not correspond exactly to this idealized case. Since the angle $\Delta\theta$ limiting the most significant part of the illuminated edge is not extremely small, some interference can be expected. Furthermore, the light inside the diffracting edge is still very significant. But the highest amplitude of the light is relatively concentrated over a small angle $\Delta\theta$ located at the diffracting edge where it has the greatest effect on the diffraction pattern. Therefore, it can be expected that the resultant pattern consists of a relatively uniform amplitude upon which is superimposed an interference pattern. This effect is observable on the photographs of figure 5.12. The effect is highest for $S = 8$ but it is also quite prominent for $S = 7$ and $S = 9$.

c) $g_2(X, \phi, S)$ for large values of S .

The approximate expression for $g_2(X, \phi, S)$ for large S has been derived in section 2.8 (equation 2.28). This equation and its given interpretation agree well with the photographs of figure 5.12

d) Strongly diffracted light for $g_2(X, \phi, S)$ with small S

The light at the circular diffracting edge not only determines the strongly diffracted light but also has a strong influence on the light diffracted nearer the axis. This is readily seen from equation 2.29.

The equation for $g_1(W, \theta, S)$ is given by equation 2.11:

$$g_1(W, \theta, S) = g_{1e}(W, \theta, S) - g_{10}(W, \theta, S)$$

According to the demonstration in section 5.2, when S is small this can be expressed as,

$$g_1(W, \theta, S) = \Gamma_{1e}(W, S) + \cos 2\theta \Gamma'_{1e}(W, S) - g_{10}(W, \theta, S) \quad 5.41$$

where

$$\Gamma_{1e}(W, S) = \bar{g}_{1e}(W, \theta, S) = \frac{1}{2} \{L_1(W) - \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2 [L_1(W) - \frac{1}{2} L_2(W)]\}$$

$$\Gamma'_{1e}(W, S) = -\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2 [L_1(W) - L_2(W)]$$

$$g_{10}(W, \theta, S) = -\frac{WS \cos \theta L_2(W)}{4}$$

At the diffracting edge where $X = A_1 = 8.157$, $L_2(A_1) = 0.0085$ which is negligible. Therefore these equations become,

$$g_1(A_1, \theta, S) = \Gamma_{1e}(A_1, S) + \cos 2\theta \Gamma'_{1e}(A_1, S) \quad 5.42$$

where

$$\Gamma_{1e}(A_1, S) = \frac{1}{2} L_1(A_1) [1 - \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2]$$

$$\Gamma'_{1e}(A_1, S) = -\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2 L_1(A_1)$$

$$g_{10}(A_1, \theta, S) = 0$$

$$g_{1e}(A_1, \theta, S) = g_1(A_1, \theta, S)$$

Therefore, from equations 2.30, 2.32 and 5.42, the strongly diffracted light in plane 2 is given by,

$$g_{2(X, \phi, S)}^{(\text{far})} = \frac{A_1 L_1(A_1)}{2X} \left\{ \left[1 - \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2 \right] J_1(A_1 X) - \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2 \cos 2\phi J_3(A_1 X) \right\} \quad 5.43$$

$$= \Gamma_{2e}(X, S) - \Gamma'_{2e}(X, S) \cdot \cos 2\phi$$

where

$$\Gamma_{2e}(X, S) = \frac{A_1}{2} L_1(A_1) \left[1 - \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2 \right] \frac{J_1(A_1 X)}{X}$$

$$\Gamma'_{2e}(X, S) = \frac{A_1 L_1(A_1)}{2} \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2 \frac{J_3(A_1 X)}{X}$$

This equation for $g_{2(X, \phi, X)}^{(\text{far})}$ is of the form of equation 5.5 as expected. For $S = 0$; $g_{2(X, \phi, S)}^{(\text{far})}$ simplifies to the distribution of an Airy pattern

$$g_{2(X)}^{(\text{far})} = A_1^2 L_1(A_1) L_1(A_1 X) \quad 5.44$$

A comparison can now be made between the amplitude distribution of the far diffracted light for $S = 0$ as calculated from equation 5.44 and as calculated from the exact equation 2.13. Table 5.10 shows that

Table 5.10 Comparison of $g_2(X)$ as calculated from equation 5.44 and from equation 2.13 with $S = 0$, $A_1 = 8.157$.

X	$A_1^2 L_1(A_1) L_1(A_1 X)$	Fourier transform
	equation 5.44	equation 2.13.
0.8	- 0.2209	+ 0.5356
0.9	- 0.1056	0.4213
1.0	+ 0.2580	0.2832
1.1	+ 0.2298	0.1469
1.2	+ 0.0806	0.0378
1.3	- 0.0200	- 0.0277
1.4	- 0.0406	- 0.0477
1.5	- 0.0340	- 0.0340

there is agreement for higher values of X only.

As S increases from 0 to 2, $\Gamma_{2e}(X,S)$ decreases and becomes zero at $S = 2$. This is a characteristic of the far diffracted light at all values of X . The far diffracted light might therefore contribute to improving the ratios $e_{3e}(O,S)$, particularly at $S = 2$

(e) $g_3(W,\theta,S)$ for small S .

An approximate expression for $g_3(W,\theta,S)$ may be obtained with S small using the approximating expression 5.40:

$$g_3(W,\theta,S) = \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_{B_2}^{A_2} g_2(X,\phi,S) e^{iWX \cos(\phi-\theta)} X dX d\phi$$

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$$\approx \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_{B_2}^1 e^{-iS \cos \phi} e^{iWX \cos(\phi-\theta)} X dX d\phi$$

By equation 2.18,

$$g_3(W,\theta,S) = \frac{J_1(W')}{W'} - B_2^2 \frac{J_1(B_2 W')}{B_2 W'} \quad 5.46$$

where

$$W' = \sqrt{W^2 - 2WS \cos \theta + S^2}$$

The result is the superposition of two Airy patterns, each having the same center, $W = +S$, $\theta = 0$ (see section 2.7). Consequently, the

distribution moves a displacement + S when the point source moves a displacement + S. The photographs in figure 5.13 clearly show this displacement with respect to the dark vertical line, a reference for the position S = 0.

The luminous intensity of the second Airy pattern is 0.38 times the luminous intensity of the first Airy pattern. The abscissae giving the extrema of $\frac{J_1(W')}{W'}$ are 0.000, 5.136, 8.157... whereas the abscissae giving the extrema of $\frac{J_1(B_2W')}{B_2W'}$ are 0.000, 6.501, 10.325... Thus, the extrema of the first diffraction pattern are interlaced with those of the second diffraction pattern which has a lower luminous intensity. The two Airy patterns can therefore be easily distinguished on the photographs of figure 5.13.

(f) $g_3(W, \theta, S)$ for intermediate values of S.

As S increases, the diffraction patterns become progressively more distorted; they eventually change to a stable pattern which is strikingly different from the symmetrical patterns for small S.

(g) $g_3(W, \theta, S)$ for large values of S.

The photographs of figure 5.13 show well localized curved fringes very similar to the distribution $g_1(W, \theta, S)$ for large S given by the approximating equation 2.25:

$$g_1(W, \theta, S) = \sqrt{\frac{2}{\pi}} \left(\frac{1}{S^{3/2}} - \frac{3}{2} \frac{W \cos \theta}{S^{5/2}} \right) \cos \left(S + W \cos \theta - \frac{3\pi}{4} \right) \begin{matrix} W \leq A_1 \\ W > A_1 \end{matrix} \quad 5.47$$

Since the phase term $\frac{1}{2} \frac{W^2}{S}$ was omitted in the cosine argument, this equation describes straight fringes rather than circular fringes.

$g_3(X, \phi, S)$ and $g_1(X, \phi, S)$ will be equal if the Fourier transform inverse theorem explained in section 2.11 can be applied. Therefore it is useful to investigate how closely the integration of $g_2(X, \phi, S)$ from B_2 to A_2 approximates the same integration from 0 to ∞ . This depends on the function $g_2(X, \phi, S)$ which, as explained in section 2.8, consists predominantly of two Airy patterns centered at $X = +1$ and $X = -1$. The first zero of these Airy patterns is defined by,

$$X'_1 = X'_2 = \frac{3.832}{A_1} = 0.469$$

where

$$X'_1 = \sqrt{X^2 + 2X \cos \phi + 1} \quad \text{and} \quad X'_2 = \sqrt{X^2 - 2X \cos \phi + 1}$$

For $\phi = 0$, this corresponds to $X = \pm 1.4697$ and $X = \pm 0.5303$. Thus both the inner radius $B_2 = 0.790$ and the outer radius $A_2 = 1.421$ of the annulus in plane 2 cut a small section of these spots. Therefore, the integration from B_2 to A_2 is not a good approximation of the integration from 0 to ∞ . Nevertheless, the principle of the Fourier transform inverse theorem is quite evident qualitatively. The complete absence of any apparent light outside the defined fringe region is quite striking.

(h) Effect of the far diffracted light in plane 2 on $g_3(0,S)$

Since the far diffracted light in plane 2 is weighted by large values of X , it is useful to investigate its possible effect on $g_3(0,S)$. As shown by table 5.10, equation 5.44 is not a good representation of $g_2(X,\phi,S)$ in the range of $0.790 \leq X \leq 1$. Therefore, this range is excluded from the expression below. The component of $g_3(0,S)$ due to the far diffracted light is given by,

$$\begin{aligned}
 g_{3(\text{far})}(0,S) &\approx \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_1^{A_2} g_{2(\text{far})}(X,\phi,S) X dX d\phi \\
 &\approx A_1^2 L_1(A_1) \left[1 - \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2\right] \int_1^{A_2} L_1(A_1 X) X dX
 \end{aligned} \tag{5.48}$$

From equation B_4 of appendix B,

$$\begin{aligned}
 g_{3(\text{far})}(0,S) &\approx -2 L_1(A_1) \left[1 - \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2\right] [L_0(A_1 A_2) - L_0(A_1)] \\
 &\approx 0.02256 \left[1 - \left(\frac{S}{2}\right)^2\right]
 \end{aligned} \tag{5.49}$$

(i) Normalized even energy in plane 3.

Table 5.11 shows for integer values of S from 0 to 10, a comparison of the normalized even energy values, $e_{3e}(0,S)$ as calculated from:

(1) The approximating expression of equation 5.46 which is valid for small values of S .

(2) The Fourier transform (FT).

In addition, a table of $e_{3e}(0,S)$ times the modulation function (MF) as defined in section 2.12 is given.

The normalized even energy values calculated by (1) and (2) agree well for values of S from 0 to 5. The normalized even energy values are not within our goal for hyperresolution discussed in the introductory paragraphs of this chapter: $e_{3e}(0,S) \leq 0.05$ for $S \geq 2$. For this system, $e_{3e}(0,S) \leq 0.144$ for $S \geq 2$. However, the values of $e_{3e}(0,S) \times \text{MF}$ are within this goal: $e_{3e}(0,S) \times \text{MF} \leq 0.039$ for $S \geq 2$.

A comparison of the normalized energy values in plane 3 to the normalized energy values of the Airy pattern, $e_{1e}(0,S)$, gives a direct indication of the improvement of the hyperresolving characteristic. Table 5.11 shows that there is a slight improvement since $e_{3e}(0,S) < e_{1e}(0,S)$ for $S \leq 2$. For higher values of S , this inequality does not hold in general. However, the normalized even energy values are negligible in this region.

Table 5.11 Normalized even energy values, $e_{3e}(0,S)$ of the selected system for integer values of S.

S	$e_1(0,S)$	$e_{3e}(0,S)$ from equation 5.46	$e_{3e}(0,S)$ from Fourier transform (FT)	$e_{3e}(0,S) \times MF$ From (FT)
0	1.000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
1	0.7746	0.6449	0.6532	0.5060
2	0.3326	0.1245	0.1181	0.0392
3	0.0511	0.0141	0.0178	0.0009
4	0.0011	0.1437	0.1435	0.0002
5	0.0171	0.0955	0.0931	0.0016
6	0.0085	0.0442	0.0021	0.0000
7	0.0000	0.0402	0.0438	0.0000
8	0.0034	0.0666	0.0852	0.0000
9	0.0030	0.0174	0.0342	0.0001
10	0.0001	0.0047	0.0000	0.0000

CONSOLIDATION OF THE ANALYSIS

In the theoretical and experimental investigation of this system, analyses were made which led to a greater understanding of the system. As a result, these analyses can now be consolidated and examined for understanding of the normalized even energy values $e_3(0,S)$ of table 5.11.

For small values of S , results predicted by equation 5.46 agree well with both the numerical calculations of $e_3(0,S)$ and photographs of the diffraction patterns. Equation 5.44 for the strongly diffracted light in plane 2 is reasonably accurate in the range $1 < x < 1.42$. But the effect of the strongly diffracted light on $g_3(0,S)$ with small S is not large enough compared with the error in equation 5.46 to warrant much consideration.

When the point source is moved to a position S , the center of the distribution $g_3(W,\theta,S)$ is moved to a position $+S$. The amplitude at $W = +S$ of the symmetrical distribution $g_3(W)$ is moved to the channel axis where $W = 0$. Thus the distribution $g_3(0,0,S)$ at the channel axis is the symmetrical amplitude distribution $g_3(W)$ with $W = +S$. As a result, the unnormalized even energy function $E_{3e}(0,S)$ varies as the function of luminous intensity $I_3(W)$ with $W = +S$. This result can be used to understand the decrease in the normalized even energy values for small S . Since the function $I_3(W)$ is the result of the superposition of two Airy patterns, it decreases rapidly to zero for small values of W . Consequently, $e_{3e}(0,S)$, which varies as $I_3(+S)$, also decreases in the same way.

Although the large diaphragm $A_1 = 8.157$ does not eliminate much energy from the system for small S , it does eliminate much of it for intermediate and larger values of S . For intermediate values of S , there are two principle effects when the central Airy spot reaches the circular diffracting edge:

- (1) The part of the spot beyond the edge is eliminated from the system.
- (2) The part of the spot at the diffracting edge contributes to a high component of uniform light well spread out in plane 2. Much of this light is eliminated from the system by the annulus in plane 2.

As a result of these two effects, there are relatively low normalized even energy values in plane 3 for intermediate values of S .

At large values of S , a small part of the energy of the two spots formed in plane 2 is eliminated from the system by the annulus. But the low energy is mostly due to the low amplitude of that part of the Airy pattern within the diaphragm.

In conclusion, the system behaves as expected. Although the normalized even energy values are not within our goal for hyperresolution, the modulation function has brought these values within this goal.

5.6 A system with narrow annuli

The main difficulty in the design of a hyperresolving system is that the Fourier transform does not lend itself to the development of a simple mathematical expression for the diffraction pattern in any plane

for any values of S . This difficulty can be overcome if the annuli are sufficiently narrow so that the integrand of the Fourier transform can be considered constant as the radial coordinate varies over the width of the annulus. It was decided to attempt such a solution with two annuli, this being the simplest nontrivial system. Each annulus is characterized by its radius and by its width relative to other annuli. It is reasonable to expect that these parameters can be used to specify that the axis amplitude of the diffraction patterns is zero for at least two chosen values of S . Hopefully, the values of S close to these chosen values, will also have low axis amplitudes. The theory and experimental results for the solution are explained in this chapter.

5.6.1 Role of the average even amplitude

In criterion 4 of section 5.3, it was shown for small values of S that the energy characteristic on the axis depended only on the average even amplitude. This result will now be shown for all values of S .

Suppose that for any value of S with n even, $g_{ne}(X, \phi, S)$ may be expressed as,

$$g_{ne}(X, \phi, S) = \Gamma_{ne}(X, S) - \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \Gamma'_{nek}(X, S) \cos 2k\phi \quad 5.50$$

Then

$$\begin{aligned}
 g_{n+1}(W, \theta, S) &= \frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \int_{B_n}^{A_n} g_{ne}(X, \phi, S) e^{iWX \cos(\phi - \theta)} X dX d\phi & 5.51 \\
 &= \int_{B_n}^{A_n} \Gamma_{ne}(X, S) \left[\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} e^{iWX \cos(\phi - \theta)} d\phi \right] X dX \\
 &\quad - \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \int_{B_n}^{A_n} \Gamma'_{nek}(X, S) \left[\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \cos 2k\phi e^{iWX \cos(\phi - \theta)} d\phi \right] X dX
 \end{aligned}$$

From equation A3 of appendix A, this becomes,

$$g_{n+1,e}(W, \theta, S) = \Gamma_{n+1,e}(W, S) + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \Gamma'_{n+1,ek}(X, S) \cos 2k\theta \quad 5.52$$

$$\text{where } \Gamma_{n+1,e}(W, S) = \int_{B_n}^{A_n} \Gamma_{ne}(X, S) J_0(WX) X dX$$

$$\Gamma'_{n+1,ek}(W, S) = (-1)^k \int_{B_n}^{A_n} \Gamma'_{nek}(X, S) J_{2k}(WX) X dX$$

Similarly for n odd,

$$\text{if } g_{ne}(W, \theta, S) = \Gamma_{ne}(W, S) + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \Gamma'_{nek}(W, S) \cos 2k\phi \quad 5.53$$

then,

$$g_{n+1,e}(X,\phi,S) = \Gamma_{n+1,e}(X,S) + \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \Gamma'_{n+1,e}(X,S) \cos 2k\phi \quad 5.54$$

where

$$\Gamma_{n+1,e}(X,S) = \int_{B_n}^{A_n} \Gamma_{ne}(W,S) J_0(WX) W dW$$

$$\Gamma'_{n+1,ek}(X,S) = (-1)^k \int_{B_n}^{A_n} \Gamma'_{nek}(W,S) J_{2k}(WX) W dW$$

In the plane of the lens, from equation A8 of appendix A,

$$g_{oe}(X,\phi) = \cos(XS \cos \phi) = J_0(SX) + 2 \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} J_{2k}(XS) \cos 2k\phi \quad 5.55$$

Therefore,

$$\Gamma_{oe}(X,S) = J_0(SX) \quad 5.56$$

$$\Gamma_{oek}(X,S) = 2J_{2k}(SX) \quad 5.57$$

Thus $g_{ne}(X,\phi,S)$ can be expressed in the form given by equation 5.50

As in the case of small S ,

$$\Gamma'_{n+1,ek}(0,S) = (-1)^k \int_{B_n}^A \Gamma'_{nek}(W,S) J_{2k}(0) W dW = 0 \quad \begin{matrix} n \text{ odd} \\ k \geq 1 \end{matrix} \quad 5.58$$

$$\Gamma'_{n+1,ek}(0,S) = (-1)^k \int_{B_n}^A \Gamma'_{nek}(X,S) J_{2k}(0) X dX = 0 \quad \begin{matrix} n \text{ even} \\ k \geq 1 \end{matrix} \quad 5.59$$

Therefore, the function Γ'_{ne} plays no role in determining the energy characteristic on the channel axis, the energy characteristic depends entirely on the function Γ_{ne} , which is the average even amplitude \bar{g}_{ne} (see criterion 4).

5.6.2 The function $\Gamma_{2e}(X,S)$ with two annuli.

If the annuli in plane 1 have radii defined by W_1 and W_2 with widths ΔW_1 and ΔW_2 respectively, the function $\Gamma_{2e}(X,S)$ is given by,

$$\Gamma_{2e}(X,S) = \Gamma_{1e}(W,S) J_0(W_1 X) W_1 \Delta W_1 + \Gamma_{1e}(W_2,S) J_0(W_2 X) W_2 \Delta W_2 \quad 5.60$$

For two values of S , S_1 and S_2 we require that

$$\Gamma_{2e}(X,S) = 0$$

That is,

$$\Gamma_{1e}(W_1, S_1) J_0(W_1 X) W_1 \Delta W_1 + \Gamma_{1e}(W_2, S_1) J_0(W_2 X) W_2 \Delta W_2 = 0 \quad 5.61$$

$$\Gamma_{1e}(W_1, S_2) J_0(W_1 X) W_1 \Delta W_1 + \Gamma_{1e}(W_2, S_2) J_0(W_2 X) W_2 \Delta W_2 = 0$$

A solution of this Cramer system will exist only if,

$$\begin{vmatrix} \Gamma_{1e}(W_1, S_1) & \Gamma_{1e}(W_2, S_1) \\ \Gamma_{1e}(W_1, S_2) & \Gamma_{1e}(W_2, S_2) \end{vmatrix} = 0 \quad 5.62$$

That is, W_1 and W_2 must be chosen to satisfy the equation,

$$\Gamma_{1e}(W_1, S_1) \Gamma_{1e}(W_2, S_2) = \Gamma_{1e}(W_2, S_1) \Gamma_{1e}(W_1, S_2) \quad 5.63$$

Assuming equation 5.63 can be satisfied, equations 5.61 have the solution,

$$\frac{J_0(W_1 X) W_1 \Delta W_1}{J_0(W_2 X) W_2 \Delta W_2} = - \frac{\Gamma_{1e}(W_2, S_2)}{\Gamma_{1e}(W_1, S_2)} \quad 5.64$$

This equation must be satisfied by the proper choice of X and the ratio $\Delta W_1 / \Delta W_2$.

Substituting equation 5.64 in equation 5.60,

$$\Gamma_{2e}(X,S) = \left[\Gamma_1(W_2,S) - \frac{\Gamma_1(W_1,S)\Gamma_1(W_2,S_2)}{\Gamma_1(W_1,S_2)} \right] J_0(W_2X) W_2 \Delta W_2 \quad 5.65$$

This equation is valid only for the chosen values of X satisfying equation 5.64.

The normalized even energy is given by,

$$\begin{aligned} e_{2e}(X,S) &= \left[\frac{\Gamma_{2e}(X,S)}{\Gamma_{2e}(X,0)} \right]^2 = \left[\frac{\Gamma_1(W_2,S)\Gamma_1(W_1,S_2) - \Gamma_1(W_1,S)\Gamma_1(W_2,S_2)}{\Gamma_1(W_2,0)\Gamma_1(W_1,S) - \Gamma_1(W_1,0)\Gamma_1(W_2,S_2)} \right]^2 \\ &= 0 \text{ for } S = S_1 \text{ and } S = S_2 \end{aligned} \quad 5.66$$

To repeat the process in another iteration, it is necessary to have in plane 2, two annuli located at values X_1 and X_2 which satisfy equation 5.64. At these values of X , $\Gamma_{2e}(X,S) = 0$ for $S = S_1$ and S_2 . However, since the ratio $e_{2e}(X,S)$ is identical for the annulus at $X = X_1$ and the annulus at $X = X_2$, there is no possibility to change the normalized even energy values by repeating the process. The analysis was therefore restricted to plane 2.

The analysis was aided by the fact that there is an analytical expression for $\Gamma_{1e}(W,S)$:

From equation A7 of appendix A,

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Gamma_{1e}(W,S) &= \int_0^1 J_0(SX) J_0(WX) X dX & 5.67 \\
 &= \frac{1}{S^2 - W^2} [S J_0(W) J_1(S) - W J_0(S) J_1(W)] \quad S \neq W \\
 &= \frac{1}{2} [J_0^2(W) + J_1^2(W)] \quad S = W
 \end{aligned}$$

5.6.3 System parameters

Using the analytical expression 5.67 for $\Gamma_{1e}(W,S)$, the computer was used to calculate the sets of values W_1 and W_2 satisfying equation 5.63 for various chosen values of S_1 and S_2 . For each pair of values S_1 and S_2 , domains of solutions for W_1 and W_2 were found. Of these solutions, it was decided to choose $W_1 = 0$ and an associated value of W_2 which maximizes the bracket quantity in equation 5.65. The choice $W = 0$ makes easier the construction of the two annuli, and the choice of W_2 enables easier detection of the signal. Since the ratio $\frac{\Gamma_1(W_2, S_2)}{\Gamma_1(0, S_2)}$ in equation 5.64 is negative for this solution, it is possible to choose $X = 0$. With this choice the signal can be received on the axis of plane 2, eliminating the necessity to make a special annulus for this purpose. In addition, the function $\Gamma_{2e}(X,S)$ is maximized.

For the solution with $W_1 = 0$, equations 5.64 and 5.65 must be modified:

$$\text{As } W_1 \rightarrow 0 \int_0^{\Delta W_1} J_0(W_1 X) W_1 dW_1 \rightarrow \frac{\Delta W_1^2}{2} L_1(\Delta W_1 X) \quad 5.69$$

With $W_1 = 0$, $X = 0$, equations 5.63, 5.64 and 5.65 becomes, respectively,

$$\Gamma_{1e}(0, S_1) \Gamma_{1e}(W_2, S_2) = \Gamma_{1e}(W_2, S_1) \Gamma_{1e}(0, S_2) \quad 5.69$$

$$\frac{\Delta W_1^2}{2W_2 \Delta W_2} = - \frac{\Gamma_1(W_2, S_2)}{\Gamma_1(0, S_2)} \quad 5.70$$

$$\Gamma_{2e}(0, S) = \left[\Gamma_1(W_2, S) - \frac{\Gamma_1(0, S) \Gamma_1(W_2, S_2)}{\Gamma_1(0, S_2)} \right] W_2 \Delta W_2 \quad 5.71$$

Choice of S_1 and S_2

Table 5.12 shows a comparison of the normalized even energy values of systems designed according to equations 5.69, 5.70 and 5.71 for various values of S_1 and S_2 . At least one value of S_1 or S_2 was always chosen close or equal to the chosen limit for hyperresolution, $S = 2$.

For low values of S_1 and S_2 (for example $S_1 = 1.0$, $S_2 = 2.0$), the normalized even energy is low for narrow domains of S close to S_1 and S_2 ; and it is prohibitively high for certain large values of S .

Table 5.12 Normalized even energy values of two narrow light transmitting annuli in plane 1 for various values of S_1 and S_2 and for values of S from 0 to 20.

S_1	1.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.5	2.5
S_2	2.0	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.0	4.5
W_1	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
W_2	6.5199	6.7550	6.8906	7.0941	7.0807	7.3469
ΔW_2	0.1×10^{-5}	0.1×10^{-5}	0.1×10^{-5}	0.1×10^{-5}	0.1×10^{-5}	0.1×10^{-5}
S	Normalized even energy					
0	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
0.5	0.4852	0.8155	0.8280	0.8363	0.8769	0.8830
1.0	0.0000	0.4126	0.4407	0.4596	0.5765	0.5934
1.5	0.2523	0.0910	0.1080	0.1199	0.2565	0.2752
2.0	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0543	0.0625
2.5	50.062	0.0000	0.0559	0.1533	0.0190	0.0309
3.5	208.32	0.2176	0.0000	0.0934	0.0202	0.0583
4.0	578.80	1.5856	0.2482	0.0000	0.0000	0.0326
4.5	1230.5	5.3185	1.4715	0.2484	0.0754	0.0000
5.0	2134.6	12.094	4.2188	1.2649	0.4122	0.0741
5.5	3127.0	21.231	8.4092	3.1909	1.0909	0.3501
6.0	3940.3	30.508	13.1107	5.6864	2.0064	0.8202
6.5	4305.1	36.921	16.823	7.9674	2.8787	1.3519
7.0	4074.4	38.062	18.1647	9.1939	3.3806	1.7471
7.5	3303.7	33.359	16.5799	8.8814	3.3086	1.8461
8.0	2235.8	24.430	12.6414	7.1578	2.6920	1.6129
8.5	1190.2	14.318	7.7680	4.6896	1.7748	1.1499
9.0	432.02	6.0478	3.5232	2.3347	0.8855	0.6382
9.5	61.353	1.3140	0.9055	0.7314	0.2757	0.2426
10.0	8.1726	0.0001	0.0173	0.0571	0.0202	0.0392
10.5	104.71	0.6778	0.2386	0.0606	0.0256	0.0021
11.0	191.09	1.6559	0.7285	0.3060	0.1232	0.0453
11.5	190.28	1.8993	0.9125	0.4470	0.1784	0.0851
12.0	117.99	1.3352	0.6875	0.3749	0.1488	0.0826
12.5	37.552	0.5210	0.2961	0.1851	0.0729	0.0477
13.0	0.71678	0.0408	0.0349	0.0336	0.1290	0.0126
13.5	14.522	0.0793	0.0242	0.0042	0.0019	0.0000
14.0	48.476	0.3994	0.1702	0.0678	0.0279	0.0096
14.5	66.397	0.6207	0.2922	0.1358	0.0553	0.0247
15.0	54.330	0.5685	0.2800	0.1426	0.0577	0.0294
15.5	25.413	0.3019	0.1589	0.0892	0.0359	0.0207
16.0	3.4254	0.0596	0.0370	0.0257	0.0102	0.0074
16.5	1.9652	0.0068	0.0012	0.0000	0.0000	0.0002
17.0	15.921	0.1262	0.0524	0.0200	0.0083	0.0027
17.5	29.230	0.2687	0.1228	0.0554	0.0228	0.0099
18.0	29.708	0.2981	0.1434	0.0703	0.0288	0.0140
18.5	18.008	0.1980	0.1000	0.0529	0.0215	0.0116
19.0	4.7257	0.0627	0.0347	0.0209	0.0084	0.0053
19.5	0.0452	0.0002	0.0006	0.0011	0.0004	0.0006
20.0	5.5036	0.0414	0.0166	0.0059	0.0025	0.0007

Table 5.12 Normalized even energy values of two narrow light transmitting annuli in plane 1 for various values of S_1 and S_2 and for values of S from 0 to 20.

S_1	1.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.5	2.5
S_2	2.0	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.0	4.5
W_1	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
W_2	6.5199	6.7550	6.8906	7.0941	7.0807	7.3469
ΔW_2	0.1×10^{-5}	0.1×10^{-5}	0.1×10^{-5}	0.1×10^{-5}	0.1×10^{-5}	0.1×10^{-5}
S	Normalized even energy					
0	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
0.5	0.4852	0.8155	0.8280	0.8363	0.8769	0.8830
1.0	0.0000	0.4126	0.4407	0.4596	0.5765	0.5934
1.5	0.2523	0.0910	0.1080	0.1199	0.2565	0.2752
2.0	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0543	0.0625
2.5	50.062	0.0000	0.0559	0.1533	0.0190	0.0309
3.5	208.32	0.2176	0.0000	0.0934	0.0202	0.0583
4.0	578.80	1.5856	0.2482	0.0000	0.0000	0.0326
4.5	1230.5	5.3185	1.4715	0.2484	0.0754	0.0000
5.0	2134.6	12.094	4.2188	1.2649	0.4122	0.0741
5.5	3127.0	21.231	8.4092	3.1909	1.0909	0.3501
6.0	3940.3	30.508	13.1107	5.6864	2.0064	0.8202
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7.0	4074.4	38.062	18.1647	9.1939	3.3806	1.7471
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8.0	2235.8	24.430	12.6414	7.1578	2.6920	1.6129
8.5	1190.2	14.318	7.7680	4.6896	1.7748	1.1499
9.0	432.02	6.0478	3.5232	2.3347	0.8855	0.6382
9.5	61.353	1.3140	0.9055	0.7314	0.2757	0.2426
10.0	8.1726	0.0001	0.0173	0.0571	0.0202	0.0392
10.5	104.71	0.6778	0.2386	0.0606	0.0256	0.0021
11.0	191.09	1.6559	0.7285	0.3060	0.1232	0.0453
11.5	190.28	1.8993	0.9125	0.4470	0.1784	0.0851
12.0	117.99	1.3352	0.6875	0.3749	0.1488	0.0826
12.5	37.552	0.5210	0.2961	0.1851	0.0729	0.0477
13.0	0.71678	0.0408	0.0349	0.0336	0.1290	0.0126
13.5	14.522	0.0793	0.0242	0.0042	0.0019	0.0000
14.0	48.476	0.3994	0.1702	0.0678	0.0279	0.0096
14.5	66.397	0.6207	0.2922	0.1358	0.0553	0.0247
15.0	54.330	0.5685	0.2800	0.1426	0.0577	0.0294
15.5	25.413	0.3019	0.1589	0.0892	0.0359	0.0207
16.0	3.4254	0.0596	0.0370	0.0257	0.0102	0.0074
16.5	1.9652	0.0068	0.0012	0.0000	0.0000	0.0002
17.0	15.921	0.1262	0.0524	0.0200	0.0083	0.0027
17.5	29.230	0.2687	0.1228	0.0554	0.0228	0.0099
18.0	29.708	0.2981	0.1434	0.0703	0.0288	0.0140
18.5	18.008	0.1980	0.1000	0.0529	0.0215	0.0116
19.0	4.7257	0.0627	0.0347	0.0209	0.0084	0.0053
19.5	0.0452	0.0002	0.0006	0.0011	0.0004	0.0006
20.0	5.5036	0.0414	0.0166	0.0059	0.0025	0.0007

As S_1 and S_2 increase, the domains broaden and the values of normalized even energy decrease substantially for larger values of S . For these reasons, the system with $S_1 = 2.5$ and $S_2 = 4.5$ was chosen for experimental investigation. The domain of S which has low values of normalized even energy is broad. It extends from slightly less than S_1 to slightly more than S_2 : $2.0 \leq S \leq 5.0$. For the domain $5 \leq S \leq 10$, the values of normalized even energy are high but not so prohibitively high as for the other systems. The modulation function (MF) described in section 2.12 may reduce these to acceptable values.

Choice of Annulus Widths

Although smaller widths more accurately satisfy the design equations, defects of the physical annuli are more prominent and difficulties in detecting the signal are greater. Therefore, it is useful to consider the variation of the normalized even energy with a change in width ΔW_2 and its associated width ΔW_1 . Table 5.13 shows that the normalized even energy values for this system do not change much with a change in parameter widths, especially for low values of S . The normalized even energy values for larger values of S can be reduced to acceptable levels by the modulation function (MF) as defined in section 2.12. Therefore, in the choice of width of S , the widths ΔW_1 and ΔW_2 which are chosen for the experimental system, are not very critical.

Table 5.13 Normalized even energy values of two narrow annuli in plane 1 for $S_1 = 2.5$, $S_2 = 4.5$, for various width ΔW_2 of annuli and for various values of S . The parameters A_1 and B_1 are given by $A_1 = W_2 + \frac{\Delta W_2}{2}$, $B_1 = W_2 - \frac{\Delta W_2}{2}$, $C_1 = \Delta W_1$ where $W_2 = 7.3469$, and $W_1 = 7.5969$

ΔW_2	0.1×10^{-5}	0.5000	1.0000	2.0000	2.2125	3.0000
A_1	7.5969	7.5969	7.8469	8.3469	8.4097	8.8469
B_1	7.3469	7.0969	6.8469	6.3469	6.1972	5.8469
C_1	0.0000	0.5473	0.7740	1.0946	1.1411	0.0000
S	Normalized even energy					
0	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
0.5	0.8830	0.8828	0.8831	0.8853	0.8847	0.8903
1.0	0.5934	0.5928	0.5938	0.6008	0.5992	0.6168
1.5	0.2752	0.2745	0.2760	0.2862	0.2849	0.3099
2.0	0.0625	0.0621	0.0634	0.0718	0.0718	0.0920
2.5	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0007	0.0010	0.0058
3.0	0.0309	0.0308	0.0288	0.0194	0.0163	0.0059
3.5	0.0583	0.0574	0.0537	0.0046	0.0295	0.0147
4.0	0.0326	0.0312	0.0277	0.0152	0.0074	0.0018
4.5	0.0000	0.0000	0.0004	0.0046	0.0148	0.0236
5.0	0.0741	0.0793	0.0882	0.1222	0.1773	0.1918
5.5	0.3501	0.3645	0.3865	0.4597	0.5853	0.5887
6.0	0.8202	0.8466	0.8839	0.9993	1.2066	1.1871
6.5	1.3519	1.3899	1.4416	1.5948	1.8712	1.8323
7.0	1.7471	1.7927	1.8539	2.0331	2.3430	2.3062
7.5	1.8461	1.8927	1.9561	2.1437	2.4400	2.4319
8.0	1.6129	1.6536	1.7111	1.8871	2.1281	2.1656
8.5	1.1499	1.1800	1.2254	1.3715	1.5351	1.6140
9.0	0.6382	0.6565	0.6867	0.7911	0.8796	0.9760
9.5	0.2426	0.2510	0.2668	0.3270	0.3610	0.4437
10.0	0.0392	0.0414	0.0466	0.0695	0.0759	0.1222
10.5	0.0021	0.0019	0.0012	0.0000	0.0000	0.0061
11.0	0.0453	0.0450	0.0426	0.0316	0.0353	0.0143
11.5	0.0851	0.0855	0.0838	0.0736	0.0812	0.0533
12.0	0.0826	0.0835	0.0831	0.0784	0.0858	0.0663
12.5	0.0417	0.0485	0.0490	0.0489	0.0531	0.0463
13.0	0.0126	0.0129	0.0134	0.0148	0.0157	0.0166
13.5	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.0001	0.0001	0.0007
14.0	0.0096	0.0096	0.0092	0.0073	0.0083	0.0043
14.5	0.0247	0.0248	0.0243	0.0215	0.0239	0.0163
15.0	0.0294	0.0297	0.0294	0.0272	0.0300	0.0225
15.5	0.0207	0.0209	0.0209	0.0210	0.0219	0.0178
16.0	0.0074	0.0075	0.0076	0.0078	0.0083	0.0076
16.5	0.0002	0.0002	0.0003	0.0004	0.0004	0.0007
17.0	0.0027	0.0027	0.0026	0.0020	0.0024	0.0012
17.5	0.0099	0.0099	0.0097	0.0086	0.0096	0.0065
18.0	0.0140	0.0141	0.0139	0.0128	0.0142	0.0105
18.5	0.0116	0.0117	0.0116	0.0110	0.0120	0.0095
19.0	0.0053	0.0053	0.0053	0.0052	0.0057	0.0048
19.5	0.0006	0.0006	0.0006	0.0007	0.0007	0.0008
20.0	0.0007	0.0007	0.0007	0.0005	0.0006	0.0003

Table 5.14 Effect of the modulation function (MF) defined in section 2.12 on the normalized even energy values of two narrow annuli in plane 1 with $A_1 = 8.4097$, $B_1 = 6.1972$, $C_1 = 1.1411$, $D_1 = 0.0000$

S	$e_2(0,S)$	$e_2(0,S) \times \text{MF}$	$e_1(0,S)$
0	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000
0.5	0.8847	0.8308	0.9391
1.0	0.5992	0.4641	0.7746
1.5	0.2849	0.1577	0.5534
2.0	0.0718	0.0239	0.3326
2.5	0.0010	0.0002	0.1581
3.0	0.0163	0.0008	0.0511
3.5	0.0295	0.0002	0.0062
4.0	0.0074	0.0000	0.0011
4.5	0.0148	0.0002	0.0105
5.0	0.1773	0.0030	0.0172
5.5	0.5853	0.0090	0.0154
6.0	1.2066	0.0103	0.0085
6.5	1.8712	0.0042	0.0022
7.0	2.3430	0.0000	0.0000
7.5	2.4400	0.0032	0.0013
8.0	2.1281	0.0073	0.0034
8.5	1.5351	0.0063	0.0041
9.0	0.8796	0.0026	0.0030
9.5	0.3610	0.0004	0.0011
10.0	0.0759	0.0000	0.0000
10.5	0.0000	0.0000	0.0002
11.0	0.0353	0.0000	0.0010
11.5	0.0812	0.0001	0.0016
12.0	0.0858	0.0001	0.0014
12.5	0.0531	0.0000	0.0007
13.0	0.0157	0.0000	0.0002
13.5	0.0001	0.0000	0.0000
14.0	0.0083	0.0000	0.0004
14.5	0.0239	0.0000	0.0007
15.0	0.0300	0.0000	0.0007
15.5	0.0219	0.0000	0.0005
16.0	0.0083	0.0000	0.0001
16.5	0.0004	0.0000	0.0000
17.0	0.0024	0.0000	0.0001
17.5	0.0096	0.0000	0.0003
18.0	0.0142	0.0000	0.0004
18.5	0.0120	0.0000	0.0003
19.0	0.0057	0.0000	0.0001
19.5	0.0007	0.0000	0.0000
20.0	0.0006	0.0000	0.0000

This is within the goal for hyperresolution discussed in the introductory paragraphs to Chapter 5. For the purposes of direct comparison, to the Airy pattern, the values of $e_1(0,S)$ are also shown. It will be noticed that for $S \leq 3$, $e_2(0,S) < e_1(0,S)$. However, for $3 < S \leq 10$, $e_2(0,S) > e_1(0,S)$. Thus, without the effect of the modulation function, there is an improvement in the energy characteristic for values of S greater than 3 and a deterioration for values of S between 3 and 10.

5.6.4 Photographs taken with the narrow annuli system.

Three series of photographs were taken - with the central diaphragm separately, with the annulus separately, and with the composite system of the central diaphragm and the annulus:

(1) For $S = 0, 0.5, 1.5, 2.5, 3.5, 4.5$, photographs of diffraction patterns taken with the annulus separately are shown in figure 5.27. For $S = 0$, there is a maximum of luminous intensity in the center of a rapidly varying pattern. As S increases, this central region becomes deformed and its amplitude decreases to zero at $S = 2.5$. This is followed by greater deformation in the outer regions, especially for $S = 3.5$ and 4.5 .

(2) For $S = 0, 0.5, 1.5, 2.5, 3.5, 4.5$, photographs of diffraction patterns with the central diaphragm separately are shown in figure 5.28. It can be expected that for most values of S , the amplitude within the domain of this small diaphragm is approximately uniform. As a result most of the diffraction patterns are Airy patterns given by,

$$g_1(W, \theta, S) = \frac{J_1(S)}{S} \times \frac{J_1(W')}{W'} \quad 5.72$$

where from section 2.7, $W' = \sqrt{W^2 + S^2 + 2WS \cos \phi}$

All the photographs except $S = 3.5$, appear to be Airy patterns which gradually decrease in intensity with S . Since at $S = 3.5$, the amplitude at the central diaphragm changes from positive to negative, it cannot give an Airy pattern.

(3) For values of S from 0 to 22.5, photographs of diffraction patterns taken with the composite system of the central diaphragm and the annulus are shown in figure 5.29. From $S = 0$ to 4.5, these diffraction patterns may be considered as the superposition of two diffraction patterns - one due to the central diaphragm and the other due to the annulus. Except for this superposition, the interesting features of the diffraction patterns in this range of S are the same as for the diffraction patterns taken with the annulus separately. The discussion of these features is therefore not repeated.

From $S = 6.5$ to $S = 8.5$, the central spot of the Airy pattern is located at the circular diffracting edges of the annulus. The coherent light emitted from these two edges interfere, giving slowly varying interference fringes.

For large values of S , the diffraction patterns do not change very much and tend toward a steady pattern having two small spots. The mathematical analysis in section 2.8 can easily be used to deduce the approximating expression for this diffraction pattern.

For comparison with the photographs, contour maps of even amplitude, odd amplitude, amplitude, phase and luminous intensity are shown for $S = 2.5$ in figures 5.30 to 5.34. In addition, the contour map of luminous intensity for $S = 0$ is shown in figure 5.35 and the amplitude function $g_2(X)$ for $S = 0$ is shown in figure 5.36

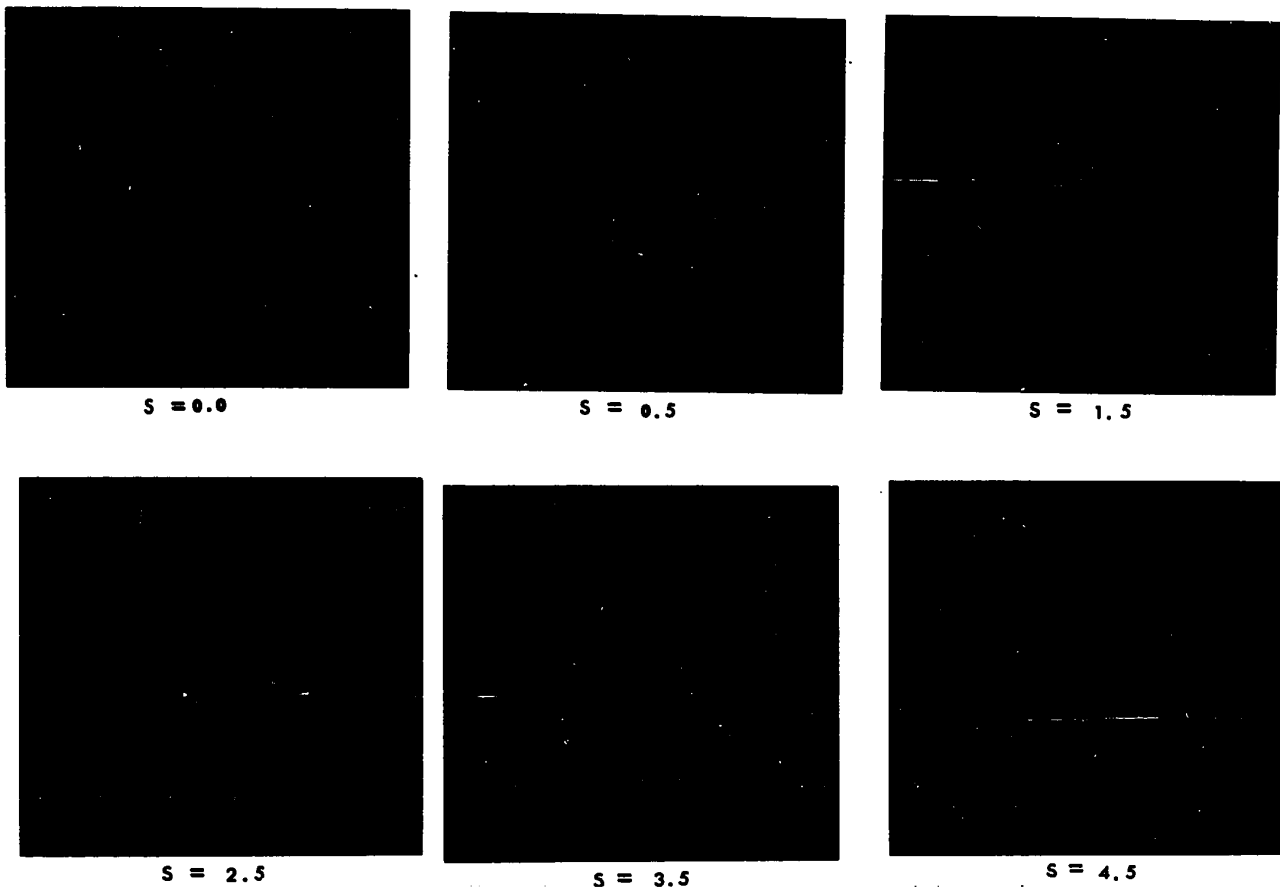


Fig. 5.27 Photographs of iterated diffraction patterns formed in plane 2 by a narrow annulus in plane 1 for $A_1 = 8.4097$, $B_1 = 6.1972$ and for different values of S .

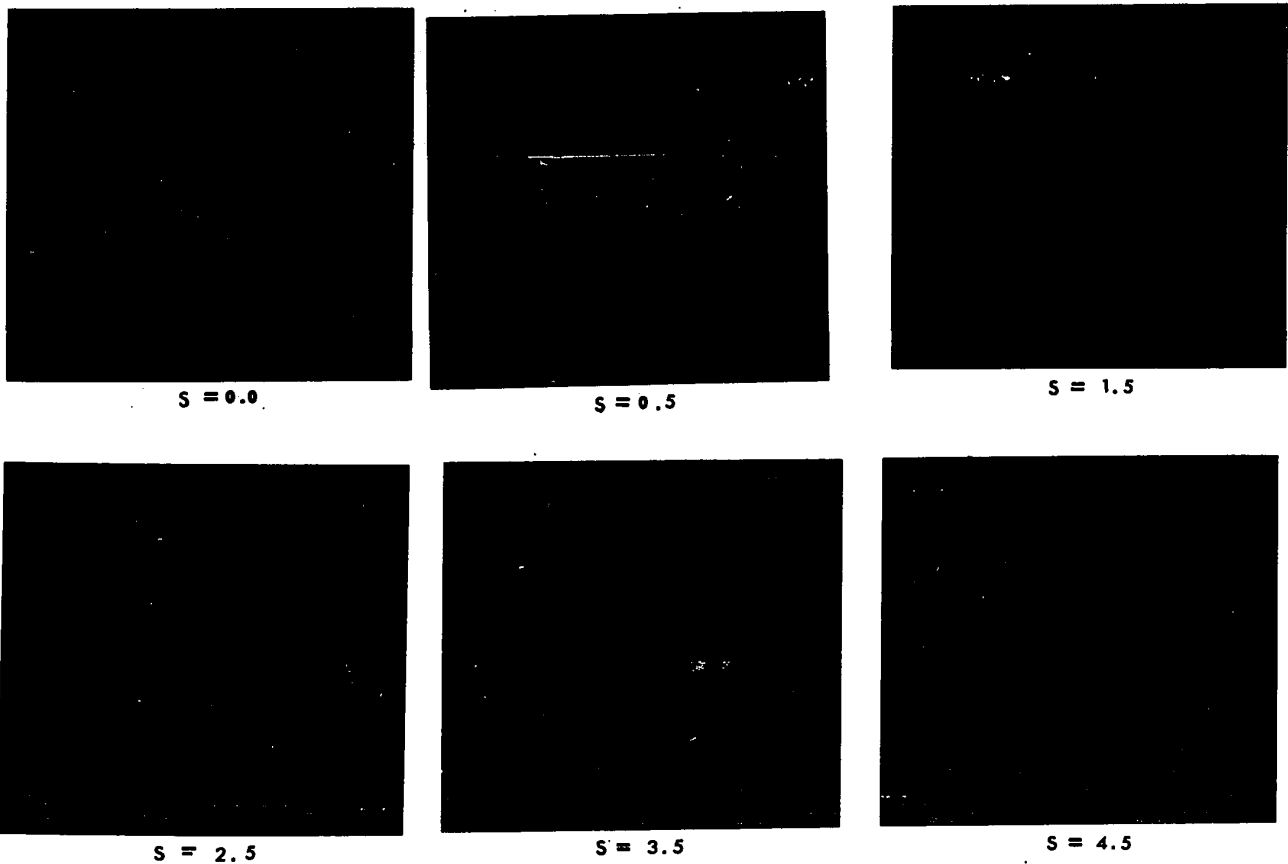


Figure 5.28 Photographs of iterated diffraction patterns formed in plane 2 by a central diaphragm in plane 1 for $A_1 = 1.1411$ and for different values of S .

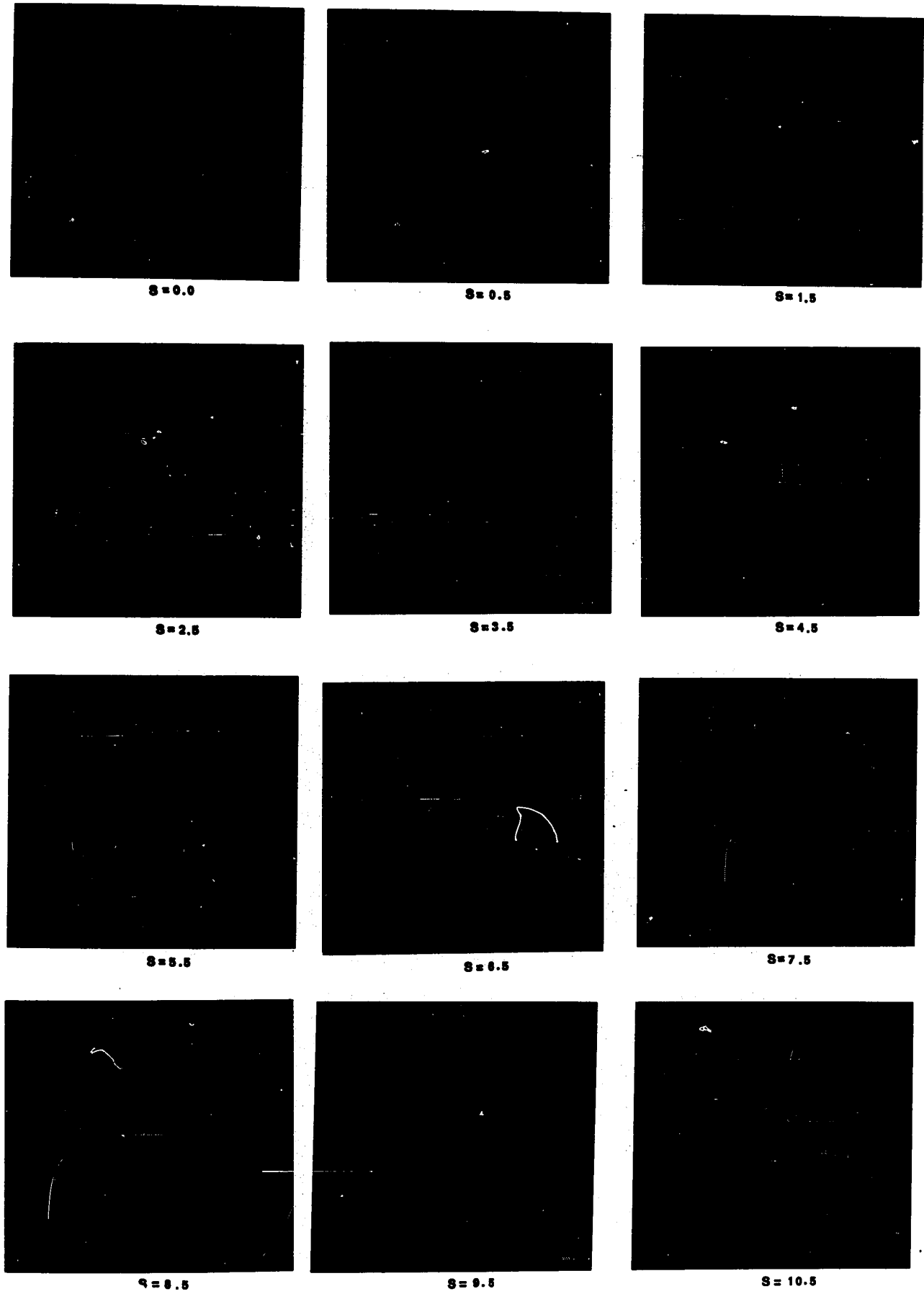


Figure 5.29 Photographs of iterated diffraction patterns formed in plane 2 by the narrow annuli system for $A_1 = 8.4097$, $B_1 = 6.1972$, $C_1 = 1.411$, $D_1 = 0.0000$ and for different values of S.

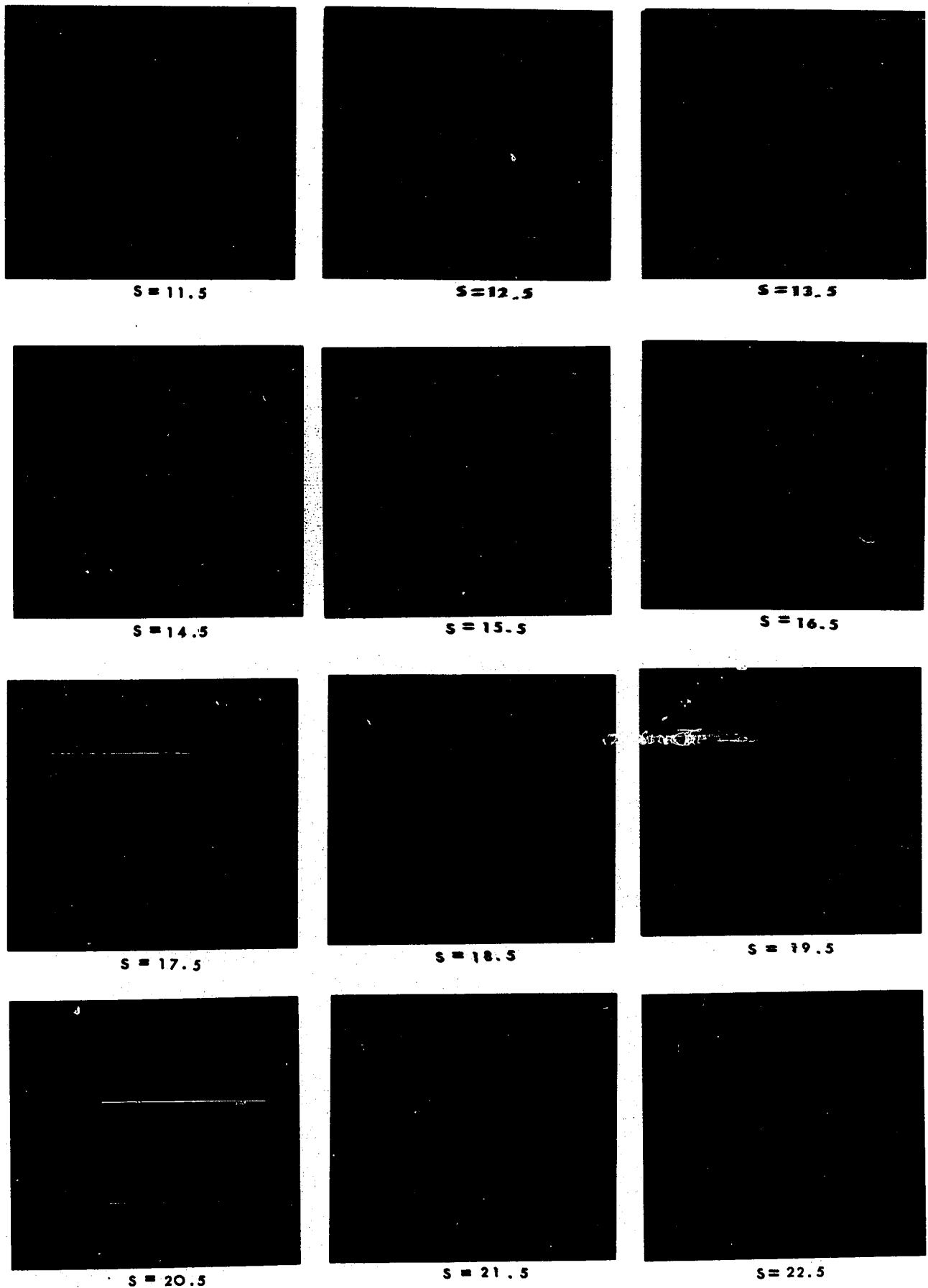


Figure 5.29 Photographs of iterated diffraction patterns formed in plane 2 by the narrow annuli system for $A_1 = 8.4097$, $B_1 = 6.1972$, $C_1 = 1.411$, $D_1 = 0.0000$ and for different values of S .

X=0

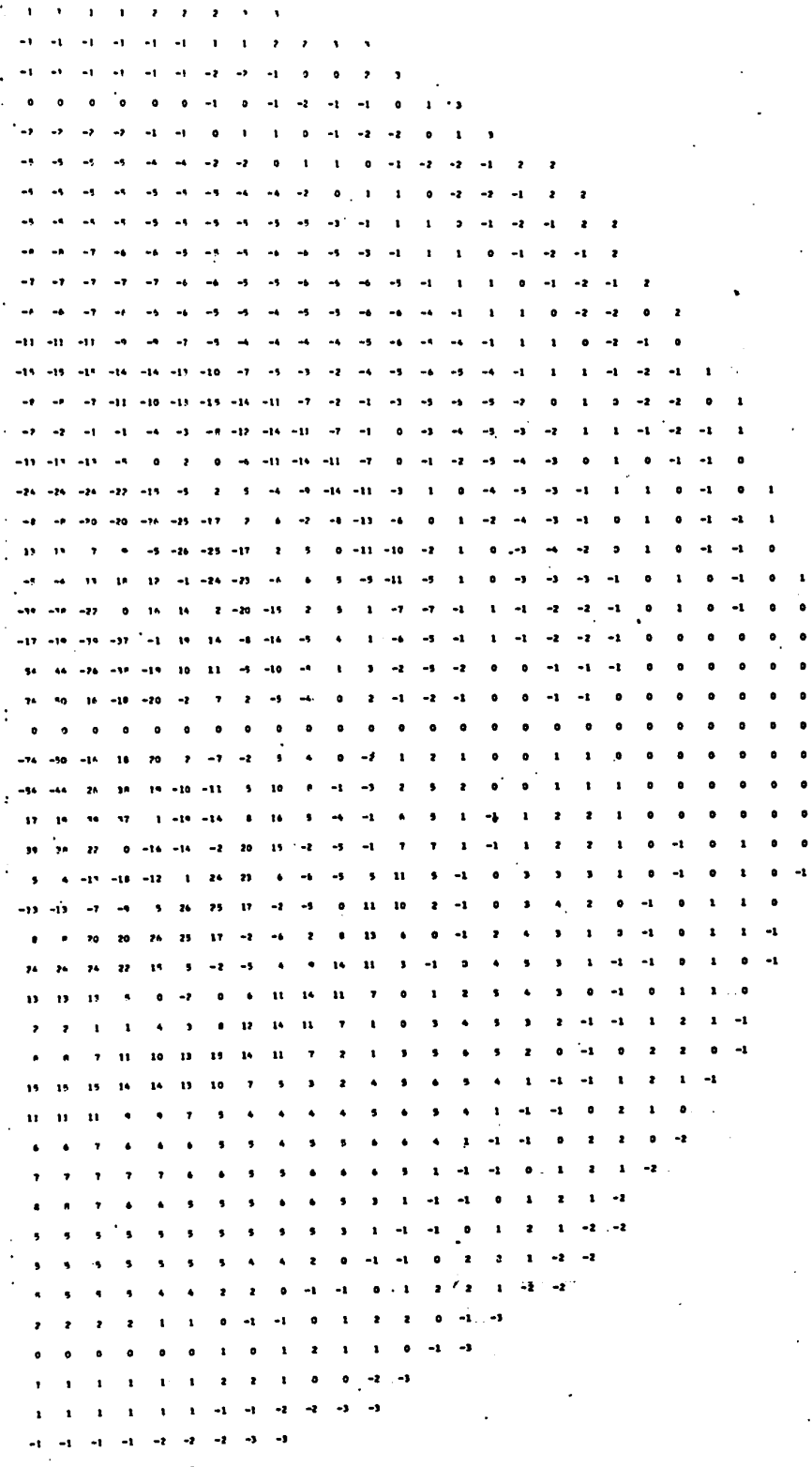
X = 5, $\phi = \frac{\pi}{2}$

X = 5, $\phi = \pi$

Figure 5.30 Contour map of even amplitude in plane 2 for the narrow annuli system $A_1 = 8.410$, $B_1 = 6.197$, $C_1 = 1.141$, $D_1 = 0.000$ for $S = 2.5$, for X from 0 to 5 and for ϕ from 0 to π . The values of even amplitude are normalized so that $g_2(0,0,0) = 100$. The construction of contour maps is explained in section 3.6.

X = 0

X = 5, $\phi = \frac{\pi}{2}$



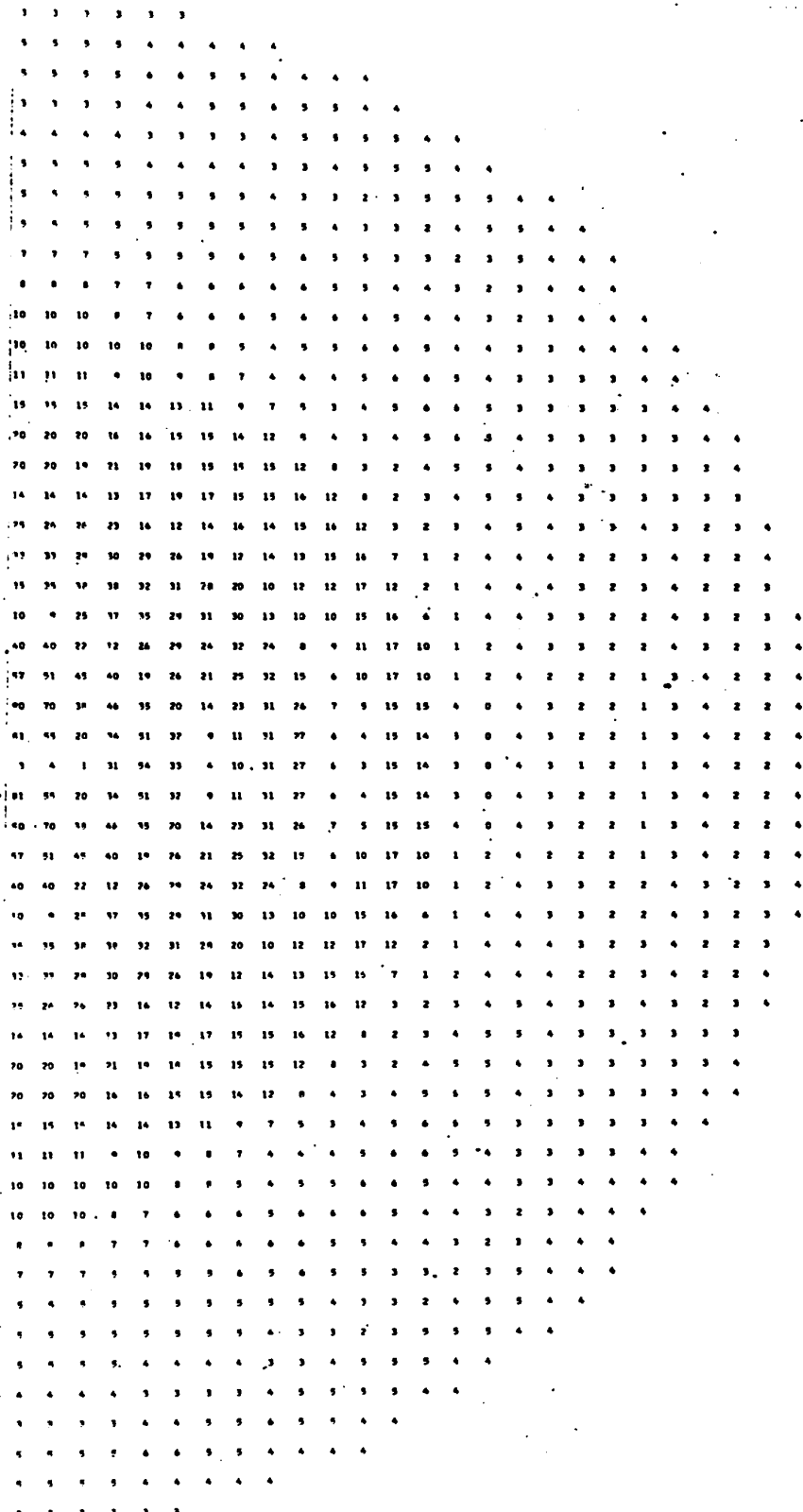
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Figure 5.31 Contour map of odd amplitude in plane 2 for the narrow annuli system $A_1 = 8.410, B_1 = 6.197, C_1 = 1.141, D_1 = 0.000$ for $S = 2.5$, for X from 0 to 5 and for ϕ from 0 to π . The values of odd amplitude are normalized so that $g_2(0,0,0) = 100$. The construction of contour maps is explained in section 3.6.

X = 5, $\phi = 0$

X = 0

X = 5, $\phi = \frac{\pi}{2}$



X = 5, $\phi = \pi$

Figure 5.32 Contour map of amplitude in plane 2 for the narrow annuli system $A_1 = 8.410$, $B_1 = 6.197$, $C_1 = 1.141$, $D_1 = 0.000$ for $S = 2.5$, for X from 0 to 5 and for ϕ from 0 to π . The values of amplitude are normalized so that $g_2(0,0,0) = 100$. The construction of contour maps is explained in section 3.6.

X = 5, $\phi = 0$

X = 0

X = 5, $\phi = \frac{\pi}{2}$

X = 5, $\phi = \pi$

Figure 5.35 Contour map of luminous intensity in plane 2 for the narrow annuli system $A_1 = 8.410$, $B_1 = 6.197$, $C_1 = 1.141$, $D_1 = 0.000$, for $S = 0$, for X from 0 to 5 and for ϕ from 0 to π . The values of intensity are normalized so that $g_2(0,0,0) = 100$. The construction of contour maps is explained in section 3.6.

X	$g_2(X)$	
0.0	0.1000000000000000 01	I
0.100	0.9412898539035550 00	I
0.200	0.7944845058051380 00	I
0.300	0.6316798357634190 00	I
0.400	0.5289349323788590 00	I
0.500	0.5260366947842190 00	I
0.600	0.6068890327659410 00	I
0.700	0.7108052661770400 00	I
0.800	0.7676599389162180 00	I
0.900	0.7368160505065380 00	I
1.000	0.6282245444101290 00	I
1.100	0.4946780696761350 00	I
1.200	0.4006182163339100 00	I
1.300	0.3857483236537300 00	I
1.400	0.4438893634235750 00	I
1.500	0.5281890462068150 00	I
1.600	0.5786378574384040 00	I
1.700	0.5556140470875740 00	I
1.800	0.4606103151890080 00	I
1.900	0.3333729425459960 00	I
2.000	0.2283415509925760 00	I
2.100	0.1845585816032770 00	I
2.200	0.2059273947866100 00	I
2.300	0.2619347463079670 00	I
2.400	0.3067176771775820 00	I
2.500	0.3048909475597080 00	I
2.600	0.2492302488131500 00	I
2.700	0.1615427388358340 00	I
2.800	0.7789048946820850-01	I
2.900	0.2788801437019620-01	I
3.000	0.2004575921720840-01	I
3.100	0.4039263678761930-01	I
3.200	0.8342985839279490-01	I
3.300	0.6765945724087500-01	I
3.400	0.4540243906499200-01	I
3.500	0.8562557320597420-02	I
3.600	-0.2948364401574610-01	I
3.700	-0.5471551419808100-01	I
3.800	-0.6418830355467670-01	I
3.900	-0.6432347078328230-01	I
4.000	-0.6450156164925660-01	I
4.100	-0.7000272357545900-01	I
4.200	-0.7925107087811730-01	I
4.300	-0.8540867760188450-01	I
4.400	-0.8406501975654530-01	I
4.500	-0.7566513365392660-01	I
4.600	-0.664984393592210-01	I
4.700	-0.6413129405574010-01	I
4.800	-0.7181567140171900-01	I
4.900	-0.8563319761826270-01	I
5.000	-0.9642779901322310-01	I

Figure 5.36 Calculation of $g_2(X)$ for the narrow annuli system $A_1 = 8.4097$, $B_1 = 6.1972$, $C_1 = 1.141$, $D_1 = 0.000$, for $S = 0$, and for X from 0 to 5.

CHAPTER 6
EXPERIMENTAL INVESTIGATION

6.1 Photographs

Diffraction patterns have been observed experimentally up to plane 4. Three series of photographs are presented:

- (1) Figures 5.8 to 5.11 show the diffraction patterns formed in plane 2 with diaphragms in plane 1 having radii equal to the abscissae of the special points 3.054, 3.832, 5.136, 7.016. For the special points 3.054, 3.832 and 5.136, the diffraction patterns are shown for values of S from 0 to 11 in steps of 1. For the special point 7.016, the diffraction patterns are shown for values of S from 0 to 23 in steps of 1.
- (2) Figures 5.12 and 5.13 show the diffraction patterns of planes 2 and 3 for the selected system defined in section 5.6.3. The diffraction patterns are shown for values of S from 0 to 23 in steps of 1.
- (3) Figures 5.29 show the diffraction patterns of plane 2 for the narrow annulus system as defined in section 5.5. The diffraction patterns are shown for values of S from 0.5 to 22.5 in steps of 1 and for $S = 0$. The corresponding diffraction patterns in plane 2 for the first annulus separately are shown in figure 5.28 and for the second annulus separately in figure 5.27. These diffraction patterns are shown for values of S from 0.5 to 4.5 in steps of 1 and for $S = 0$.

6.2 Experimental Optical System

The introductory theory of hyperresolving systems is given in Chapter 1 where a schematic diagram of a hyperresolving system is given by figure 1.2. The point source and lenses equipped with diaphragms or annuli were aligned on stands and spaced a distance D equal to twice the focal length of the lenses. In this experimental investigation, D was chosen to be 200 cm corresponding to a focal length of 100 cm. A general view of the system as described below is shown in figure 6.1.

6.2.1 Light Source

We could have chosen for the experimental work a mercury arc lamp or a laser. The advantage of a laser is that it has a much higher luminance than the mercury lamp. This would permit easier observation of the diffraction patterns and shorter exposure times when photographs are taken. However, the high coherence of laser light has a serious disadvantage in optical systems. Internal reflections of highly coherent light in lenses often result in spurious diffraction and interference patterns. Taking into account the advantage and disadvantage of each light source, we chose a mercury lamp. The lamp was an Osram HBO 100 watt mercury super pressure lamp which was the brightest mercury source available.

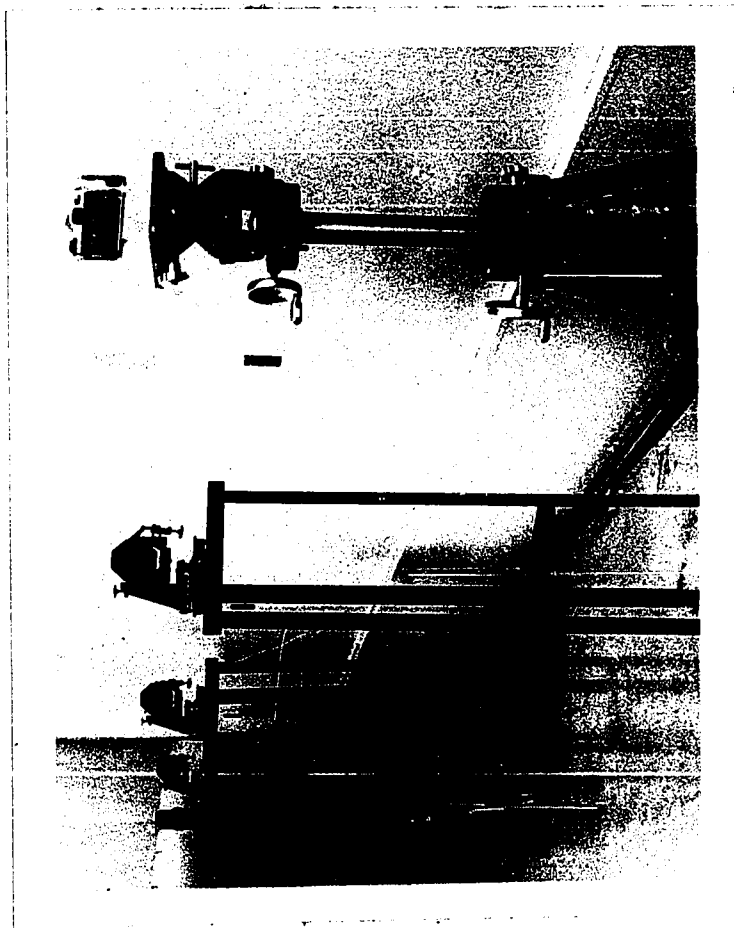


Figure 6.1 A general view of the experimental system.

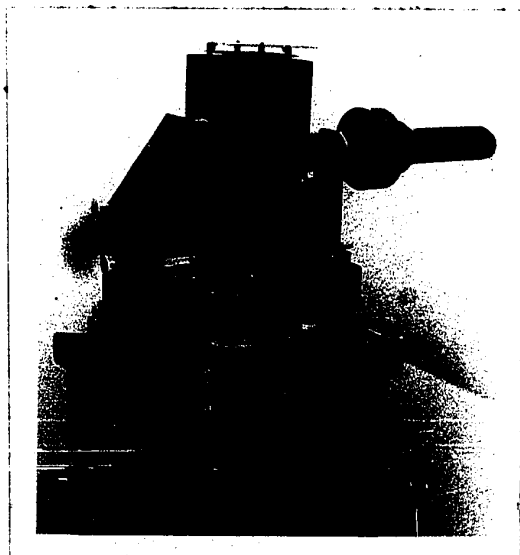


Figure 6.2 Photograph of point source

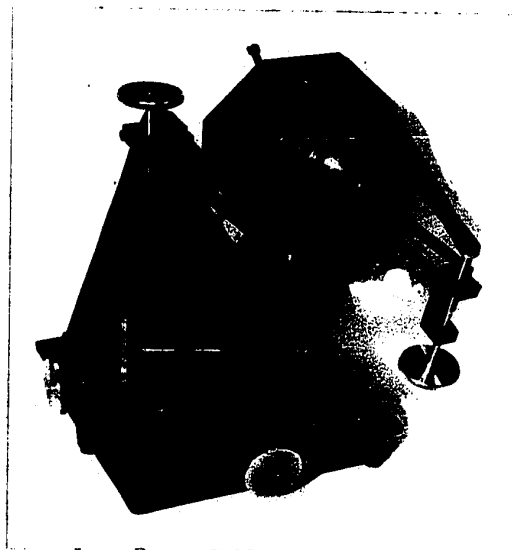


Figure 6.3 Photograph of lens holder

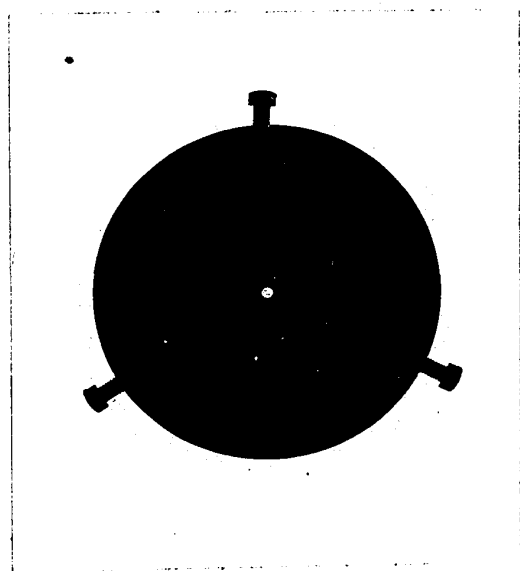


Figure 6.4 Photograph of cup holder with cup and diaphragm

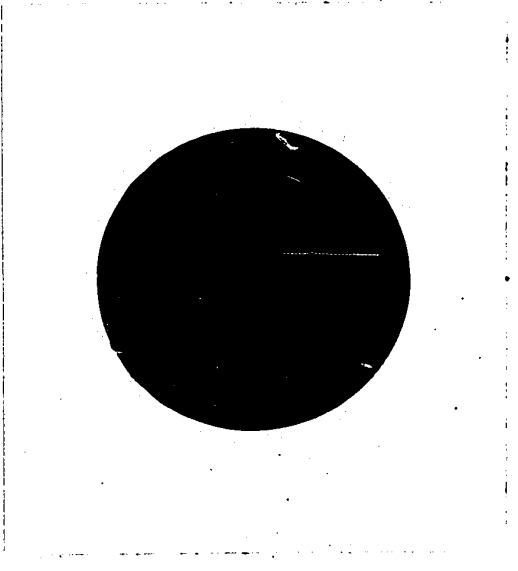


Figure 6.5 Photograph of lens cell with lens, and one annulus for the selected system.

A photograph of the light source, which was designed and constructed at N.R.C. for the mercury arc lamp, is shown in figure 6.2. It is mounted on a platform in such a way that its angular position can be changed by three levelling screws. The light source consists of:

- (1) a light cavity which contains the lamp.
- (2) a mechanism for positioning the light cavity.
- (3) a collimating tube with a lens.
- (4) an interference filter and a diaphragm
- (5) a focussing tube with a lens.
- (6) a pinhole.

The lamp is housed inside a parallelepiped light cavity. The cavity has at the top and bottom a series of baffles which permit circulation of air to cool the lamp and at the same time the cavity remains light tight.

Diverging light emitted by the lamp is collimated by the lens of the collimating tube and then filtered by an interference filter located inside a disc shaped filter housing. The interference filter isolates the strongest line of the mercury spectrum - the green line of wavelength 5461A. The light is then focussed by a lens on the pinhole which serves as a point source for the system. An iris diaphragm mounted in front of the focussing lens is used to limit the angle of the conical beam emerging from the pinhole.

It is also important that the image of the mercury lamp be properly centered on the pinhole. The mercury lamp has two conical electrodes spaced a distance of approximately 0.3 mm. The image of the arc across these electrodes should be correctly focussed and exactly positioned on the pinhole. However, since the arc is not absolutely steady, it may move with respect to the electrodes of the lamp. In this case, the pinhole is no longer strongly illuminated. Thus, either the pinhole or the lamp must be moved so that the image of the arc is recentred on the pinhole. Unfortunately, if the pinhole is moved, the S coordinates of the optical system are changed. Therefore, the light source was designed so that the lamp could be accurately positioned while the pinhole remained fixed. The cavity with the lamp can be moved in the x, y, z directions of a rectangular coordinate system by means of three dovetails. Accurate positioning is obtained by means of threaded rods, gears and positioning knobs.

The size of the pinhole was based on considerations of brightness and image quality of the Airy pattern. When the pinhole is larger, the source is brighter and consequently, the diffraction pattern is easier to detect. However, a large pinhole is not a very good approximation to a point source. Consider a pinhole centered on the axis of the hyperresolving system as a very small extended source consisting of an infinite set of point sources. As explained in section 2.7, each of these point sources gives an Airy pattern displaced from the axis by an amount equal and opposite to the displacement of the point source. The resultant diffraction pattern

therefore is a superposition of Airy patterns with various displacements from the axis. Thus, the image quality of the resultant diffraction pattern depends on the pinhole radius since it determines the maximum displacement. The image quality also depends on the radius of the diaphragm limiting the pupil of the lens which forms this diffraction pattern. The size of this diffraction pattern is inversely proportional to the radius of the diaphragm. Therefore, for a given size of the pinhole, the displaced Airy patterns forming the resultant diffraction patterns will considerably overlap if the radius of the diaphragm increases. In conclusion, when the pinhole and the radius of the diaphragm are both smaller, the image quality of the resultant diffraction pattern is higher.

The radius of the pinhole was chosen to be the largest for which there was no observable deterioration of the Airy pattern. A pinhole of radius 99 microns was used for all the experimental work except the study of the selected system defined in section 5.4.1. Since a larger diaphragm was used in plane 0 for the selected system, a smaller pinhole was necessary in this case. A pinhole of radius 33 microns was used. The pinholes were drilled in brass foil 0.005" thick and mounted on cups which were placed at the end of the focussing tube.

The light source is mounted on a platform which can move with roller bearings along two parallel rods made of hardened steel. The direction of these rods is perpendicular to the optical axis of the hyperresolving system. The platform is moved by a motor driven screw

controlled remotely. In this way, the point source could be moved to any desired position while observing the diffraction patterns. Two types of switches are placed near the end of travel of the platform - reversing switches for reversing the direction of travel and safety switches which would stop the motor in case the reversing switches failed to operate properly. The distance d of the point source is measured by a dial indicator to an accuracy of 1 micron. The value of S can be calculated from d by equation 1.2.

6.2.2. Lenses and Diaphragms

Identical lenses having a cross sectional diameter of three inches and a focal length of 1 meter were used for the optical system. Each lens was mounted in a ring shaped cell and then placed in a lens holder as shown in figure 6.3. The lens holders, which were designed and constructed at N.R.C., were securely fastened to triangular stands welded out of steel angle. Each holder can move its lens in the x , y , z directions of a rectangular coordinate system by means of three dovetails. Accurate positioning is obtained by means of threaded rods and positioning knobs. It can also swivel the lens in two angular motions by means of two lever arms controlled by threaded rods.

The lens holders enabled good control on the positioning of the lenses with respect to an optical axis defined as follows. The light beam emitted by the point source is a conical divergent beam having a symmetry of revolution. The axis of revolution of this light beam

was used as a reference optical axis and all optical parts of the system were positioned with respect to this axis. The lenses were aligned as follows:

a) Each lens was adjusted so that the light reflected from its front surface was collinear with the axis of the conical beam emitted by the point source. For the first or primary lens, this was done by swivelling the lens so that the reflected light received on a white screen surrounding the point source was centered with respect to the pinhole. For the other lenses, the adjustment was made with the aid of a white screen in front of one quadrant of the lens. In this way both the incident and reflected beams could be observed simultaneously.

b) The positions of the lenses were adjusted to make the system confocal. That is, the lenses were spaced a distance of twice their focal length. The distance between the point source and the first lens was adjusted with the aid of a meter stick to be 200 cm, twice the focal length of the lens. At this stage, two experimental processes described below were tried to adjust the other lenses of the system.

Plane 1 of the hyperresolving system is the plane where the image of the point source is formed by the primary lens. The next lens, which has to be placed in plane 1, was moved by means of its lens holder so that the previous image was sharply focussed on the front surface of the lens. A similar procedure was used to adjust the distance between the lenses for planes 2 and 3. However, in this case it was necessary to place a small diaphragm (described later), about one millimeter in diameter, on the primary

lens in plane 0. The diaphragm, illuminated by the point source, served as an object for the lens in plane 1.

In the second experimental process, the lenses were positioned with only the aid of a meter stick. In practice, this procedure was at least as accurate as the first one, as explained below: The depth of focus of a lens is associated with the angle Ω subtended by the lens in the image plane. The smaller the angle Ω , the greater the depth of focus. In the experimental system, the cross sectional diameter of the lens was 7.62 cm and the distance from the lens to the image plane was 200 cm. Therefore, the angle subtended by the lens was 0.0361 radians. Because of this small value of Ω , the image formed by the lens did not change very much in the vicinity of the image plane. As a result, it was not possible to focus the lenses to a precision better than a few millimeters. Since this precision could easily be obtained with a meter stick, we preferred the second method which is much simpler.

c) A microscope was used to aid in adjusting the position of each lens so that its diaphragm (described later) was centered with respect to the symmetrical diffraction pattern for $S = 0$.

The radii a_n of the diaphragms were determined by the parameters A_n used to design the system, the focal length f of the lenses and the wavelength λ : $a_n = A_n \sqrt{\frac{f\lambda}{\pi}}$.

In principle, any focal length may be used for a given system but a long focal length has the advantage that the diaphragms are large, thus simplifying their construction. It has the disadvantage

that the hyperresolving system will be long; consequently it may be affected by mechanical stability and air turbulence along the optical path. Taking into account various characteristics of the tunnel at N.R.C. where the experiment was carried out: total length, stability of the floor, constant temperature well within 1°C , reduced air turbulence....., it was decided to use a focal length of 1 meter with diaphragm radii in the order of millimeters or tenths of millimeters.

The diaphragms were made with brass foil 0.001 inch thick, to obtain very sharp edges of the circular holes. During the drilling process, the foil was clamped tightly between two sheets of steel. After the hole was drilled, it was carefully polished with a needle to eliminate the remaining burrs. Each diaphragm was observed with a travelling microscope to check the quality of the hole and to measure its diameter. It was then mounted on a specially designed cup which could easily be inserted and held in the central hole of a disc shaped cup holder. This cup holder was mounted to the lens cell by means of three screws. A cup and its holder are shown in figure 6.4.

A different procedure was used in the case of two annuli consisting of a central circular aperture and a concentric light transmitting annulus. In this case, a hole was drilled in the foil as described above giving the central circular aperture. This diaphragm was then machined on a lathe so as to make an opaque annulus having an outer radius equal to the required inner radius of the light transmitting annulus. It was then accurately positioned by a method described later

and cemented with glyptol on the front surface of the lens.

Separately, a circular hole was drilled in a large disc which could be positioned accurately just inside the inner radius of the lens cell. The radius of the hole was equal to the required outer radius of the light transmitting annulus. By construction, the disc was accurately centered with respect to the opaque annulus described above, so as to form the composite light transmitting pupil. It was held against the front surface of the lens by a large "O" ring. A photograph of the lens with the two annuli and the lens cell is shown in figure 6.5.

A "centering guide", for centering the opaque circular annulus to be cemented on the lens, was designed and made. It consisted of two parts: The first, a circular disc of brass with a radius of 7.62 cm, exactly equal to the inner radius of the lens cell. This disc could be accurately positioned on the lens cell. The second part was a cylindrical rod, having the diameter of the outer edge of the opaque annulus. It could be inserted through a hole of the same size at the center of the large disc described above.

The procedure was as follows: The cylindrical rod was inserted through the central hole of the large disc so that its end was slightly recessed with respect to the surface. The assembly then formed a circular cavity in which the opaque annulus could be exactly inserted. A small drop of glyptol was deposited on the surface of the opaque annulus.

The centering guide was mounted on the lens cell, and, as a result of the design, the cylindrical rod and the opaque annulus were then positioned so as to be concentric with the optical axis of the lens. By construction, a small clearance distance was allowed between the opaque annulus and the lens. The circular rod was then pushed so as to move the opaque annulus towards the lens and to maintain it against the front surface of the lens while the cement was drying. Finally, the centering guide was removed.

Experimental determination of the composite light transmitting pupil

For plane n , the parameters A_n , B_n , C_n , D_n and their corresponding radii a_n , b_n , c_n , d_n are given by equation 1.4:

$$A_n = a_n \sqrt{\frac{2\pi}{D\lambda}} \quad \text{where } a_n \text{ is the outer radius of the largest annulus}$$

$$B_n = b_n \sqrt{\frac{2\pi}{D\lambda}} \quad \text{where } b_n \text{ is the inner radius of the largest annulus}$$

$$C_n = c_n \sqrt{\frac{2\pi}{D\lambda}} \quad \text{where } c_n \text{ is the outer radius of the smallest annulus.}$$

$$D_n = d_n \sqrt{\frac{2\pi}{D\lambda}} \quad \text{where } d_n \text{ is the inner radius of the smallest annulus.}$$

$$D = 200 \text{ cm.}$$

$$\lambda = 5460.74 \times 10^{-8} \text{ cm.}$$

For convenience of calculations, A_0 was normalized to 1 corresponding to a central diaphragm of radius $a_0 = \sqrt{\frac{D\lambda}{2\pi}} = 0.0417$ cm. However, since this radius is not convenient experimentally, a homothetic system, which merely changes the magnification and intensity of the diffraction pattern as indicated in section 2.3, was constructed. If the actual radius of the diaphragm in plane 0 is a'_0 , the system is transformed homothetically according to a ratio of similitude given by,

$$k = \frac{a'_0}{a_0}$$

The selection of a'_0 was based on the following considerations:

- (1) It is more difficult to make small holes free of defects.
- (2) Since the size of the Airy pattern is inversely proportional to the size of a'_0 , a large value of a'_0 will result in a small Airy pattern. Consequently, annuli in the planes of odd order will be small.
- (3) Since the energy entering the system is proportional to $(a'_0)^2$, a small hole will form diffraction patterns having a low illumination. Consequently it may be difficult to observe and photograph such diffraction patterns.
- (4) The possible radii are dictated by the available drill sizes.

After considering all these factors, the value chosen was $a'_0 = 0.0701$ cm giving a ratio of similitude $k = 1.68$. Consequently, the theoretical radii in plane 1 are determined by equations of the type,

$$a'_1 = A_1 \sqrt{\frac{D\lambda}{2\pi}} \frac{a_0}{a'_0} = \frac{A_1 D\lambda}{2\pi a'_0} = 0.02480 A_1 \text{ cm} \quad 6.2$$

Pupils based on the special points

For diaphragms in plane 1 having radii equal to the abscissae of special points, the theoretical and experimental radii and parameters are:

theoretical parameter	experimental parameter	theoretical radius a'_1 (cm)	experimental radius a'_1 (cm)
3.054	3.105	0.0758	0.0770
3.832	3.729	0.0950	0.0924
5.135	5.135	0.1273	0.1273
7.016	7.019	0.1740	0.1741
8.158	8.220	0.4046	0.4077

Radii of the narrow annuli system

In the case of a narrow annuli system, a much greater experimental precision is required in the width of each annulus than on its average radius. The parameter widths ΔW_1 and ΔW_2 are related by equation 5.70 which for $W_1 = 0$ and $W_2 = 7.3469$ becomes,

$$\Delta W_1 = \sqrt{0.5991 \Delta W_2} \quad 6.3$$

From equation 6.2, the corresponding radii widths are given by,

$$a'_1 - b'_1 = 0.02480 \Delta W_2 \quad 6.4$$

$$c'_1 = 0.02480 \sqrt{0.5991 \Delta W_2}$$

To achieve the maximum accuracy in the widths, holes with radii c'_1 and a'_1 were first drilled with available drill sizes and measured (the method was given previously). b'_1 was then machined to a diameter which would accurately satisfy equation 6.3. The theoretical and experimental radii and parameters are:

radii	theoretical radii (cm)	experimental radii (cm)
a'_1	0.2068	0.2085
b'_1	0.1537	0.1537
c'_1	0.0271	0.0283
d'_1	0	0

parameter	theoretical parameter	experimental parameter
A_1	8.3469	8.4097
B_1	6.1972	6.1972
C_1	1.0946	1.1411
D_1	0	0

Radii of the selected system

radii	theoretical radii (cm)	experimental radii (cm)
a'_0	0.1946	0.1942
a'_1	0.0729	0.0733
a'_2	0.2766	0.2776
b'_2	0.1537	0.1537

CONCLUSIONS.

As a result of the analytical and experimental study of diffraction channels, we have obtained various properties of mode formation and of iterated diffraction. This has led to the investigation of two systems of iterated diffraction.

In the study of mode formation, we have shown the successive structural modifications of iterated diffraction patterns when they tend towards the dominant mode, iteration by iteration.

The study of diffraction channels for hyperresolution was approached analytically, numerically and computationally: A significant step in our analytical study of hyperresolution was to point out the fundamental role of the even function and of the average even amplitude. We established certain properties of iterated diffraction patterns which were useful tools for a complete understanding of these optical systems. For example, the development of the analytical expression for the diffraction pattern in plane 2 when S is large. Also, the expression developed for strongly diffracted light. The concept of a homothetic diffraction channel was developed, and used in our experimental systems.

The work reported in this thesis gives very little indication of the extensiveness of the computational investigation, which resulted literally in tons of computer output.

The numerical study and experimental work gave complementary information. For example, we obtained numerically some information that the experimental work could not give on phase and therefore functions associated with amplitude. On the contrary, visual observation and photography were far superior to computation for the study of energy distribution in the diffraction patterns. Photographs were particularly useful in the analysis of the experimental systems. For example, the selected systems were studied by means of analytical equations suggested by certain photographs.

To the best of our knowledge, the work in this thesis is the first broad study of diffraction channels; we were not able to find any literature which can be used as a starting point. Therefore, the analytical, numerical and experimental investigations in this thesis are a first step to further progress in this area. In this work, various properties of diffraction channels have been found and an investigation has been made into the possible use of diffraction channels for hyperresolution. As a result, two systems were designed, constructed and studied both theoretically and experimentally for their hyperresolving properties.

The selected system gave some improvement in the energy characteristic for plane 3 over that in plane 1 but the improvement was slight and it did not satisfy the goal set for hyperresolution. This goal was only achieved with the use of the modulation function. For the narrow

annuli system, the improvement in the energy characteristic for low values of S was associated with a deterioration of the characteristic for higher values of S . This can be compared with the work by Toraldo di Francia 1952 mentioned in Chapter 1: The narrowing of the central spot was associated with an increase of the luminous energy in the outer rings.

Based on the comparison of the energy characteristic for the selected system in planes 3 and 1, it may be said that hyperresolution has been achieved theoretically to a certain degree. However, it has not been achieved to the extent that a practical hyperresolving system should be constructed.

The prospects for achieving a practical hyperresolving system by this method do not appear great. Nevertheless, one cannot overlook the possibility that an approach different from those studied would lead to a practical system. It would seem however, that before other approaches are attempted, it is necessary to consider the fundamental requirements for hyperresolution. Since information theory has been used by various authors to prove the principle of hyperresolution, this theory might also give useful information on how a practical diffraction channel can be designed for hyperresolution.

APPENDIX A

Bessel function formulas.

The following equations involving Bessel functions are used in this thesis. The derivations for these equations may be obtained from standard references, one of which is given in each case. In many cases, a simple algebraic substitution is necessary to obtain the form given here from the equation given in the reference.

The Bessel function of order n can be defined in its series form as,

$$J_n(Z) = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k \left(\frac{Z}{2}\right)^{n+2k}}{k! (k+n)!} \quad \text{A1}$$

A. Watson, pg. 15, eq. 1

Integrals

$$\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} e^{iWX \cos(\phi-\theta) - im\phi} d\phi = e^{im\left(\frac{\pi}{2} - \theta\right)} J_m(WX) \quad \text{A2}$$

Stratton, pg. 372, eq. 59

$$\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} \cos m\phi e^{iWX \cos(\phi-\theta)} d\phi = i^m \cos m\theta J_m(WX) \quad \text{A3}$$

derived from eq. A2

$$\frac{1}{2\pi} \int_0^{2\pi} e^{iWX \cos(\phi-\theta)} d\phi = J_0(WX) \quad \text{A4}$$

derived from eq. A2

$$\int_0^1 x^{m+1} J_m(WX) dx = \frac{J_{m+1}(W)}{W} \quad \text{A5}$$

McLachlan, pg. 192, eq. 30

$$\int_0^1 \int_0^{2\pi} x^{m+1} \cos m\phi e^{iWX \cos(\phi-\theta)} dx d\phi = i^m \cos m\theta \frac{J_{m+1}(W)}{W} \quad \text{A6}$$

derived from eq. A3 and A5.

$$\int_0^1 J_n(SX) J_n(WX) x dx = \frac{1}{S^2 - W^2} [SJ_n(W)J_{n+1}(S) - WJ_n(S)J_{n+1}(W)] \quad S \neq W$$

A7

$$= \frac{1}{2} [J_n^2(W) - J_{n-1}(W)J_{n+1}(W)] \quad S=W$$

McLachlan, pg. 195, eq. 79 & 80.

Series Formula

$$\cos(SX \cos \phi) = J_0(SX) + 2 \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} J_{2k}(SX) \cos 2k\phi \quad \text{A8}$$

Watson, pg. 22, eq. 1

$$e^{iSX \cos \phi} = J_0(SX) + 2 \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} i^k J_k(SX) \cos k\phi \quad \text{A9}$$

McLachlan, pg. 57, eq. 12

Differential equation

$$\frac{1}{x} \frac{d}{dx} [w^k J_k(wx)] = w^k J_{k-1}(wx) \quad \text{A10}$$

McLachlan, pg. 192, eq. 32

Recursion formula

$$\frac{2n}{z} J_n(z) = J_{n+1}(z) + J_{n-1}(z) \quad \text{A11}$$

McLachlan, pg. 191, eq. 29

APPENDIX B

Formulas involving the function $L_n(W)$

The following formulas involving the function $L_n(W)$ are used in this thesis. The equations are easily derived from the Bessel function equations indicated. Tables of values for the functions $L_n(W)$ are available in Jahnke, Emde, Losch.

The function $L_n(W)$ is defined by,

$$L_n(W) = 2^n n! \frac{J_n(W)}{W^n} = \sum_{k=0}^{\infty} \frac{(-1)^k n!}{k! (n+k)!} \left(\frac{W}{2}\right)^{2k} \quad \text{B1}$$

Recursion formula

$$L_{n-1}(W) = L_n(W) - \frac{W^2}{4n(n+1)} L_{n+1}(W) \quad \text{B2}$$

derived from A10 and B1

Derivative

$$\frac{dL_n(W)}{dW} = - \frac{WL_{n+1}(W)}{2(n+1)} \quad \text{B3}$$

derived from A9 and B1

Integrals

$$\int_0^W L_n(W) W dW = -2nL_{n-1}(W)$$

B4

derived from A5 and B1

$$\int_0^W L_n(W) L_m(W) W dW = \left[\frac{2nm}{n+m-1} \right] [1 - L_{n-1}(W) L_{m-1}(W) - \frac{W^2}{4nm} L_n(W) L_m(W)]$$

B5

derived from eq. 11.105, 11.107

of Wheelon and eq. B1

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ERRATA

The word "diaphram" throughout the whole thesis should be spelled "diaphragm".