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# **Abstract**

The Prototype Repository Test consists of two sections. The installation of the first Section of Prototype Repository was made during summer and autumn 2001 and Section 2 was installed in spring and summer 2003.

This report presents data from measurements in the Prototype Repository during the period 010917-031201. The report is organized so that the actual measured results are shown in Appendix 1-10, where Appendix 8 deals with measurements of canister displacements (by AITEMIN), Appendix 9 deals with geo-electric measurements in the backfill (by GRS), Appendix 10 deals with stress and strain measurement in the rock (by BBK) and Appendix 11 deals with measurement of water pressure in the rock (by VBB/VIAK). The main report and Appendix 1-7 deal with the rest of the measurements.

## Section 1

The following measurements are made in the bentonite in each of the two instrumented deposition holes in Section 1 (1 and 3): Temperature is measured in 32 points, total pressure in 27 points, pore water pressure in 14 points and relative humidity in 37 points. Temperature is also measured by all relative humidity gauges. Every measuring point is related to a local coordinate system in the deposition hole.

The following measurements are made in the backfill in Section 1. Temperature is measured in 20 points, total pressure in 18 points, pore water pressure in 23 points and relative humidity in 45 points. Temperature is also measured by all relative humidity gauges. Furthermore, water content is measured by an electric chain in one section. Every measuring point is related to a local coordinate system in the tunnel.

The following measurements are made on the surface of the canisters in Section 1: Temperature is measured every meter along two fiber optic cables. Furthermore, displacements of the canister in hole 3 are measured with 6 gauges.

The following measurements are made in the rock in Section 1: Temperature is measured in 37 points in boreholes in the floor. Water pressure is measured in altogether 64 points in 17 boreholes all around the tunnel.

## Section 2

The following measurements are made in the bentonite in each of the two instrumented deposition holes in Section 2 (5 and 6): Temperature is measured in 29 points, total pressure in 27 points, pore water pressure in 14 points and relative humidity in 47 points deposition hole 5 and in 65 points in deposition hole 6. Temperature is also measured by all relative humidity gauges.

The following measurements are made in the backfill in Section 2. Temperature is measured in 16 points, total pressure in 16 points, pore water pressure in 18 points and relative humidity in 32 points. Temperature is also measured by all relative humidity gauges. Furthermore, water content is measured by an electric chain in one section. Every measuring point is related to a local coordinate system in the tunnel.

The following measurements are made on the surface of the canisters in Section 2: Temperature is measured every meter along two fiber optic cables. Additional to this temperature measurement three conventional thermocouples are placed on each canister. Furthermore, displacements of the canister in hole 6 are measured with 6 gauges.

The following measurements are made in the rock in Section 2: Temperature is measured in 24 points in boreholes close to the deposition holes. Relative humidity is also measured in 6 points in the rock close to deposition hole 6. Instruments for measuring the stress, strain and deformation of the rock mass around the deposition holes have also been installed. 15 transducers are measuring the strain and 16 transducers are measuring the stress in the rock. 17 transducers are measuring the deformations over single fractures and within fracture zones and 32 transducers are measuring the horizontal deformation perpendicular to the axis of the deposition holes.

### Conclusions

A general conclusion is that the measuring systems and transducers work well, but the number of sensors that has failed is increasing. 76 out of 363 sensors in Section 1 (excluding water pressure sensors in the rock, geo-electric measurements) are out of order, the majority (44) being RH-sensors that fail at water saturation. 40 out of 394 sensors in Section 2 (excluding water pressure sensors in the rock, geo-electric measurements, stress and strain in the rock and displacement of canister) are out of order, most of them due to problems with the data collection system. A new calibration of the fiber optic cables for temperature measurement on the surface of the canisters has been made but it is still preliminary, which means that adjustments of the results may be done afterwards.

The results show that the trends from the last report continue with a marked wetting going on in deposition hole 1, some wetting is taking place in the backfill, but the wetting in hole 3, 5 and 6 is slow. The wetting of the backfill seems to go fastest above hole 3. The maximum temperature of the canisters differs substantially. Following maximum temperatures have been measured on the 6 canisters; No 1 ca 75°C, No 2 ca 94°C, No 3 ca 99°C, No 4 ca 90°C, No 5 ca 86°C and No 6 ca 88°C.

# **Sammanfattning**

Prototypförvaret består av två sektioner. Den första sektionen installerades under sommaren och hösten 2001 och Sektion 2 installerades under våren och sommaren 2003.

I denna rapport presenteras data från mätningar i Prototypförvaret för perioden 010917-031201. Rapporten är uppdelad så att själva mätresultaten redovisas i Appendix 1-10, varvid Appendix 8 behandlar mätning av kapselförskjutningar (görs av AITEMIN), Appendix 9 behandlar geoelektriska mätningar i återfyllningen (görs av GRS), Appendix 10 behandlar mätningar av spänning och töjning i berget (handhas av BBK) och Appendix 11 behandlar vattentrycksmätningar i berget (handhas av VBB/VIAK). I själva huvudrapporten och Appendix 1-7 behandlas alla övriga mätningar.

## Sektion 1

Följande mätningar görs i bentoniten i vardera av de två instrumenterade deponeringshålen i Sektion 1 (1 och 3): Temperatur mäts i 32 punkter, totaltryck i 27 punkter, porvattentryck i 14 punkter och relativa fuktigheten i 37 punkter. Temperaturen mäts även i alla relativa fuktighetsmätare. Varje mätpunkt relateras till ett lokalt koordinatsystem i deponeringshålet.

Följande mätningar görs i återfyllningen i Sektion 1: Temperaturen mäts i 20 punkter, totaltryck i 18 punkter, porvattentryck i 23 punkter och relativa fuktigheten i 45 punkter. Temperaturen mäts även i alla relativa fuktighetsmätare. Varje mätpunkt relateras till ett lokalt koordinatsystem i tunneln. Dessutom mäts vatteninnehållet i en sektion med en geoelektrisk mätkedja.

Följande mätningar görs på ytan i kapselns kopparhölje i samtliga 4 kapslar i Sektion 1: Temperatur mäts varje meter längs två fiberoptiska kablar från två håll. Dessutom mäts förskjutningar av kapseln i hål 3 med 6 givare.

Följande mätningar görs i berget i Sektion 1: Temperatur mäts i borrhål i 37 punkter i golvet. Vattentryck mäts i sammanlagt 64 punkter i 17 borrhål runt hela tunneln.

## Sektion 2

Följande mätningar görs i bentoniten i vardera av de två instrumenterade deponeringshålen i Sektion 2 (5 och 6): Temperatur mäts i 29 punkter, totaltryck i 27 punkter, porvattentryck i 14 punkter och relativa fuktigheten i 47 punkter i deponeringshål 5 och 65 punkter i deponeringshål 6. Temperaturen mäts även i alla relativa fuktighetsmätare.

Följande mätningar görs i återfyllningen i Sektion 2: Temperaturen mäts i 16 punkter, totaltryck i 16 punkter, porvattentryck i 18 punkter och relativa fuktigheten i 32 punkter. Temperaturen mäts även i alla relativa fuktighetsmätare. Varje mätpunkt relateras till ett lokalt koordinatsystem i tunneln. Dessutom mäts vatteninnehållet i en sektion med en geoelektrisk mätkedja.

Följande mätningar görs på ytan i kapselns kopparhölje i de två kapslarna i Sektion 2: Temperaturen mäts varje meter längs två fiberoptiska kablar från två håll. Vidare mäts temperaturen i tre punkter på varje kapsel med konventionella termoelement. Även förskjutningen av kapseln i deponeringshål 6 mäts med 6 givare.

Temperatur mäts i 24 punkter i berget kring varje kapsel. Vidare mäts RH i berget kring deponeringshål 6 i 6 punkter.

### Slutsatser

En generell slutsats är att mätsystemen och givarna tycks fungera bra .76 av 363 givare i Sektion 1 (med undantag av vattentrycksmätare i berget och geoelektriska mätningar fungerar inte. Merparten av dessa (44 stycken) är RH-mätare som slutar fungera vid vattenmättnad. 40 av 394 givare i Sektion 2 (med undantag av vattentrycksmätare i berget geoelektriska mätningar, spänningar och töjningar i berget och förskjutningar av kapseln) fungerar inte, merparten av dessa p.g.a. datascanproblem. Ny kalibrering av de fiberoptiska kablarna för temperaturmätning på kapselytorna har gjorts men den är fortfarande preliminär varför nya efterjustering av resultaten kan bli aktuell.

Resultaten bekräftar trenderna från förra rapporten nämligen att en påtaglig bevätning pågår i deponeringshål 1, viss bevätning pågår i återfyllningen, men att bevätningen i hål 3,5 och 6 är mycket långsam. Bevätningen av återfyllningen tycks ha kommit längst ovanför hål 3. Maxtemperaturen hos kapslarna skiljer sig avsevärt åt. Följande maximala temperaturer har uppmättts på de sex kapslarna; Nr 1 ca 75°C, Nr 2 ca 94°C, Nr 3 ca 99°C, Nr 4 ca 90°C, Nr 5 ca 86°C och Nr 6 ca 88°C.

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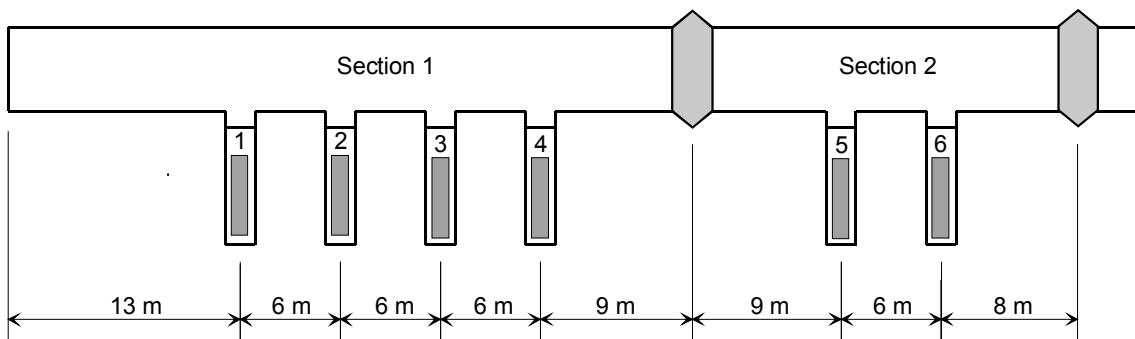
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# 1 Introduction

The Prototype Repository Test consists of two sections. The installation of the first Section of Prototype Repository was made during summer and autumn 2001 and Section 2 was installed in spring and summer 2003.

Section 1 consists of four full-scale deposition holes, copper canisters equipped with electrical heaters, bentonite blocks and a deposition tunnel backfilled with a mixture of bentonite and crushed rock and ends with a concrete plug as shown in Figure 1-1. Section 2 consists of two full-scale deposition holes with a backfilled tunnel section and ends also with a concrete plug.



**Figure 1-1.** Schematic view of the Prototype Repository.

The bentonite buffer in deposition holes 1, 3, 5 and 6, the backfill and the surrounding rock are instrumented with gauges for measuring temperature, water pressure, total pressure, relative humidity, resistivity and canister displacement. The instruments are connected to data collection systems by cables protected by tubes, which are led through the rock in watertight lead throughs.

In general the data for Section 1 in this report are presented in diagrams covering the time period 2001-09-17 to 2003-12-01. The time axis in the diagrams represent number of days from start 2001-09-17, which is the day the heating of the canister in hole 1 was started. For Section 2 the date are presented in diagrams covering the time period 2003-05-08 to 2003-12-01, where 2003-05-08 is the day when the heating of the canister in hole 5 was started.

This report consists of several parts. In chapters 2, 3, 4 and 6 a test overview with the positions of those measuring points and a brief description of the instruments are shown. In chapter 5 the measured results from all measurements in Section 1, except canister displacement, stress and strain and water pressure in the rock and resistivity in the backfill and buffer, are presented and commented. Corresponding presentations and comments for Section 2 are made in chapter 7. The diagrams of those measured results are attached in Appendix 1-7. The results and comments of the measurements of canister displacement, resistivity in the backfill, stress and strain in the rock and water pressure in the rock are presented separately in Attachments 8-11.

A quick guide to the positions of the instruments in the buffer and backfill is enclosed as the last page.

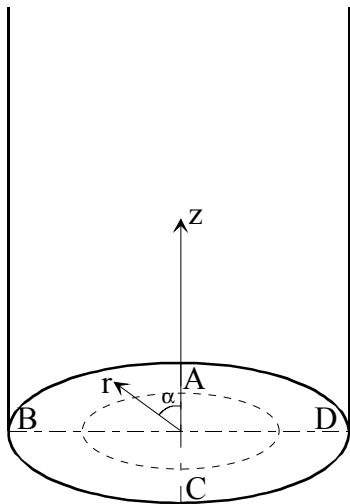


## 2 Geometry and coordinate systems

The Prototype Repository consists of two sections as shown in Figure 1-1. The geometry and the coordinate system for the sensors are different for the deposition holes and the tunnel. The temperature sensors in the rock are defined with the same coordinate system as the deposition holes.

### Deposition holes

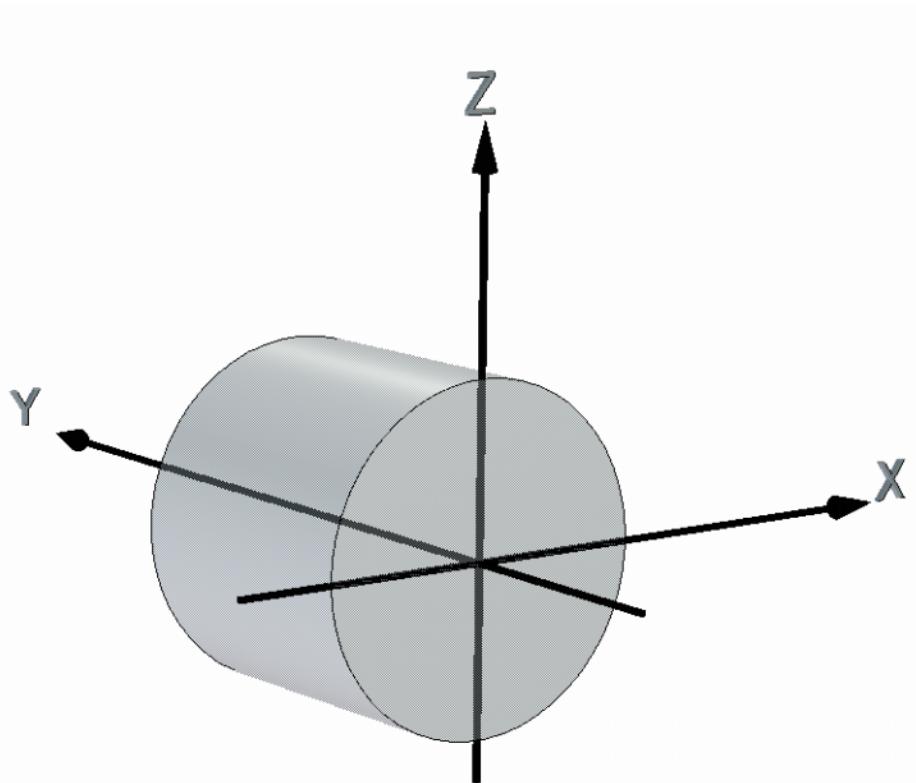
In Section 1 the deposition holes are termed 1-4 according to Figure 1-1 and in Section 2 the deposition holes are termed 5 and 6. The coordinate system for these holes is shown in Figure 2-1. With the  $z$ -axis starting from the cement casting and the angle  $\alpha$  counted anti-clockwise for direction A. Measurements are mainly made in four vertical sections A, B, C and D according to Figure 2-1. Direction A and C are placed in the tunnels axial direction with A headed against the end of the tunnel i.e. almost towards West.



**Figure 2-1.** Figure describing the instrument planes (A-D) and the coordinate system used when describing the instrument positions.

## Tunnel

The coordinate system of the backfill in the tunnel is shown in Figure 3-2. The coordinate  $y$  starts at the entrance on ground, which means that the tunnel ends at  $y = 3599,8$ . The  $y$ -axis runs in the center of the tunnel, which means that the tunnel walls intersect the  $z$  and  $x$ -axes at  $\pm 2,5$  m. The  $z$ -coordinate is determined positive upwards and the  $x$ -coordinate is determined positive to the right when facing the end of the tunnel.



**Figure 2-2.** Coordinate system of the tunnel.

### **3 Brief description of the instruments**

The different standard instruments that are used in the buffer, backfill and rock (temperature) are briefly described in this chapter.

#### **Measurements of temperature**

##### *Buffer, backfill and rock*

Thermocouples from Pentronic have been used to measure temperature. Measurements are done in 32 points in each instrumented hole (hole 1 and hole 3). In addition, temperature gauges are built into the capacitive relative humidity sensors and some of the other sensor types as well.

##### *Canister*

Temperature is measured on the surface of the canister with optical fiber cables. An optical measuring system called FTR (Fiber Temperature Laser Radar) is used. In Section 2 are also three thermocouples of type Pentronic installed on each canister.

#### **Measurement of total pressure in the buffer and backfill**

Total pressure is the sum of the swelling pressure and the pore water pressure. It is measured with the following instrument types:

- Geocon total pressure cells with vibrating wire transducers.
- Kulite total pressure cells with piezo resistive transducers.

#### **Measurement of pore water pressure in the buffer and backfill**

Pore water pressure is measured with the following instrument types:

- Geocon pore pressure cells with vibrating wire transducer.
- Kulite pore pressure cells with piezo resistive transducer.

#### **Measurement of the water saturation process in the buffer and backfill**

The water saturation process is recorded by measuring the relative humidity in the pore system, which can be converted to total suction (negative water pressure). The following techniques and devices are used:

- Vaisala relative humidity sensor of capacitive type. The measuring range is 0-100 % RH.
- Rotronic relative humidity sensors of capacitive type. The measuring range is 0-100 % RH.
- Wescor soil psychrometer. The sensor is measuring the dry and the wet temperature in the pore volume of the material. The measuring range is 95.5-99.6 % RH corresponding to the pore water pressure -0.5 to -6 MPa. Psychrometers are placed in the backfill in both sections and in the buffer in the two deposition holes in Section 2.



## 4 Location of instruments in Section 1

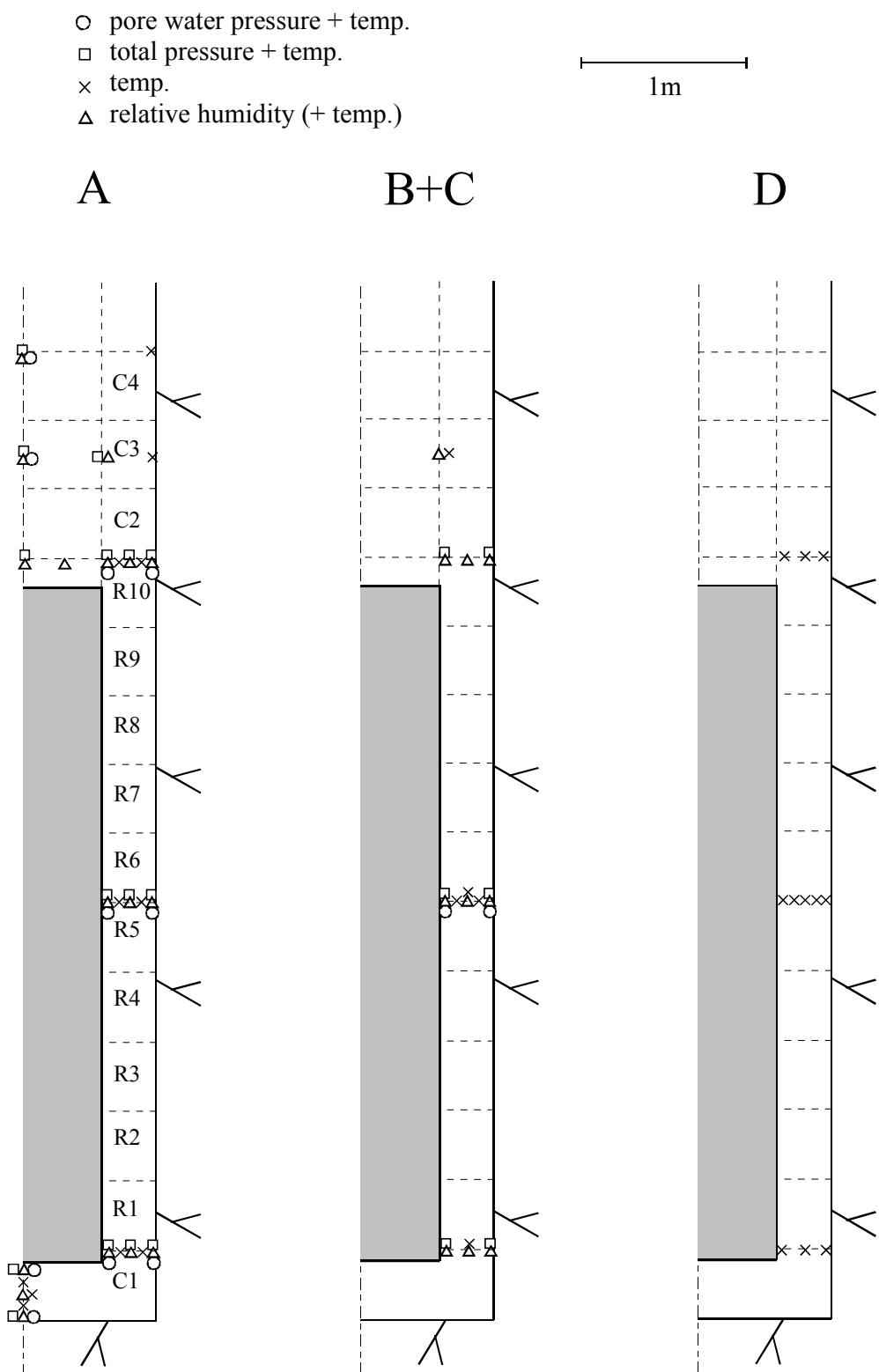
### 4.1 Strategy for describing the position of each device in the bentonite and rock in and around the deposition holes

The same principles are used for describing the position of all sensors in the bentonite inside the deposition holes as well as the thermocouples in the rock around the deposition holes. The principles are described in the quick guide inserted as a folded A3 page at the end of the report.

Every instrument is named with a unique name consisting of 1 letter describing the type of measurement, 2 letters describing where the measurement takes place (buffer, backfill, rock or canister), 1 figure denoting the deposition hole (1-4) and 4 figures specifying the instrument according to a separate list (see Table 2-1 to 2-10). Every instrument position is then described with three coordinates according to Figure 3-1.

The  $r$ -coordinate is the horizontal distance from the center of the hole and the  $z$ -coordinate is the height from the surface of the bottom casting of the hole (the block height is set to 500mm). The  $\alpha$ -coordinate is the angle from the vertical direction A (almost West).

Figure 4-1 shows an overview of the instruments in the buffer. The bentonite blocks are called cylinders and rings. The cylinders are numbered C1-C4 and the rings R1-R10 respectively.



**Figure 4-1** Schematic view over the instruments in four vertical sections and the block designation.

## 4.2 Position of each instrument in the bentonite in hole 1 (DA3587G01)

The instruments are located in three main levels in the blocks, 50 mm, 160 mm and 250 mm, from the upper surface. The thermocouples are mostly placed in the 50 mm level and the other gauges in the 160 mm level except for the Geokon type 1 pressure sensors and the Rotronic humidity sensors, which are placed in the 250 mm level depending on the size of the sensor house.

Exact positions of the sensors are described in Tables 4-1 to 4-4.

**Table 4-1 Numbering and position of instruments for measuring temperature (T) in the buffer in hole 1.**

Type and number	Block	Instrument position				Fabricate	Remark
		Direction	$\alpha$	r	Z		
		degree	m	m			
TBU10001	Cyl. 1	Center	270	0,050	0,054	Pentronic	
TBU10002	Cyl. 1	Center	270	0,050	0,254	Pentronic	
TBU10003	Cyl. 1	Center	270	0,050	0,454	Pentronic	
TBU10004	Cyl. 1	A	355	0,635	0,454	Pentronic	
TBU10005	Cyl. 1	A	355	0,735	0,454	Pentronic	
TBU10006	On top of the canister in hole 2					Pentronic	
TBU10007	Cyl. 1	C	175	0,685	0,454	Pentronic	
TBU10008	Cyl. 1	D	270	0,585	0,454	Pentronic	
TBU10009	Cyl. 1	D	270	0,685	0,454	Pentronic	
TBU10010	Cyl. 1	D	270	0,785	0,454	Pentronic	
TBU10011	Ring 5	A	0	0,635	2,980	Pentronic	
TBU10012	Ring 5	A	0	0,735	2,980	Pentronic	
TBU10013	Ring 5	B	90	0,585	2,980	Pentronic	
TBU10014	Ring 5	B	90	0,685	2,980	Pentronic	
TBU10015	Ring 5	B	90	0,785	2,980	Pentronic	
TBU10016	Ring 5	C	175	0,585	2,980	Pentronic	
TBU10017	Ring 5	C	175	0,685	2,980	Pentronic	
TBU10018	Ring 5	C	175	0,735	2,980	Pentronic	
TBU10019	Ring 5	D	270	0,585	2,980	Pentronic	
TBU10020	Ring 5	D	270	0,635	2,980	Pentronic	
TBU10021	Ring 5	D	270	0,685	2,980	Pentronic	
TBU10022	Ring 5	D	270	0,735	2,980	Pentronic	
TBU10023	Ring 5	D	270	0,785	2,980	Pentronic	
TBU10024	Ring 10	A	0	0,635	5,508	Pentronic	
TBU10025	Ring 10	A	0	0,735	5,508	Pentronic	
TBU10026	Ring 10	D	270	0,585	5,508	Pentronic	
TBU10027	Ring 10	D	270	0,685	5,508	Pentronic	
TBU10028	Ring 10	D	270	0,785	5,508	Pentronic	
TBU10029	Cyl. 3	A	0	0,785	6,317	Pentronic	
TBU10030	Cyl. 3	B	95	0,585	6,317	Pentronic	
TBU10031	Cyl. 3	C	185	0,585	6,317	Pentronic	
TBU10032	Cyl. 4	A	0	0,785	7,026	Pentronic	

**Table 4-2 Numbering and position of instruments for measuring total pressure (P) in the buffer in hole 1.**

Type and number	Block	Instrument position			Fabricate	Remark	
		Direction	$\alpha$	r	Z		
			degree	m	m		
PBU10001	Cyl. 1	Center	0	0,000	0,000	Geocon	In cement
PBU10002	Cyl. 1	Center	0	0,100	0,504	Geocon	
PBU10003	Cyl. 1	A	5	0,585	0,504	Kulite	Vertical
PBU10004	Cyl. 1	A	5	0,685	0,504	Kulite	Vertical
PBU10005	Cyl. 1	A	5	0,785	0,504	Kulite	Vertical
PBU10006	Cyl. 1	B	95	0,635	0,504	Geocon	
PBU10007	Cyl. 1	B	105	0,735	0,504	Geocon	
PBU10008	Cyl. 1	C	185	0,635	0,504	Geocon	
PBU10009	Cyl. 1	C	195	0,735	0,504	Geocon	
PBU10011	Ring 5	A	5	0,685	2,780	Geocon I	
PBU10012	Ring 5	A	5	0,785	3,030	Kulite	In the slot
PBU10013	Ring 5	B	95	0,585	2,780	Geocon I	
PBU10014	Ring 5	B	95	0,785	2,780	Geocon I	
PBU10015	Ring 5	C	185	0,535	3,030	Geocon I	In the slot
PBU10016	Ring 5	C	185	0,825	2,870	Kulite	In the slot
PBU10017	Ring 10	Center	0	0,050	5,558	Geocon	
PBU10019	Ring 10	A	5	0,685	5,558	Kulite	Vertical
PBU10020	Ring 10	A	5	0,785	5,558	Kulite	Vertical
PBU10021	Ring 10	B	90	0,635	5,558	Geocon	
PBU10022	Ring 10	B	100	0,735	5,558	Geocon	
PBU10023	Ring 10	C	190	0,735	5,558	Geocon	
PBU10024	Ring 10	C	180	0,635	5,558	Geocon	
PBU10025	Cyl. 3	Center	0	0,050	6,317	Kulite	Vertical
PBU10026	Cyl. 3	A	5	0,585	6,567	Geocon	
PBU10027	Cyl. 4	Center	0	0,050	7,076	Kulite	Vertical

**Table 4-3 Numbering and position of instruments for measuring pore water pressure (U) in the buffer in hole 1.**

Type and number	Block	Instrument position			Fabricate	Remark	
		Direction	$\alpha$	r	Z		
			degree	m	m		
UBU10001	Cyl. 1	Center	90	0,050	0,054	Kulite	
UBU10002	Cyl. 1	Center	90	0,050	0,254	Geocon	Horizontal
UBU10003	Cyl. 1	A	355	0,585	0,344	Geocon	
UBU10004	Cyl. 1	A	355	0,785	0,344	Kulite	
UBU10005	Ring 5	A	355	0,585	2,780	Geocon	
UBU10006	Ring 5	A	355	0,785	2,870	Kulite	
UBU10007	Ring 5	B	85	0,535	2,870	Kulite	In the slot
UBU10008	Ring 5	B	85	0,825	2,870	Kulite	In the slot
UBU10009	Ring 5	C	175	0,535	2,780	Geocon	In the slot
UBU10010	Ring 5	C	175	0,825	2,780	Geocon	In the slot
UBU10011	Ring 10	A	355	0,585	5,398	Kulite	
UBU10012	Ring 10	A	355	0,785	5,308	Geocon	
UBU10013	Cyl. 3	Center	90	0,050	6,317	Geocon	
UBU10014	Cyl. 4	Center	90	0,050	6,916	Geocon	

**Table 4-4 Numbering and position of instruments for measuring water content (W) in the buffer in hole 1.**

Type and number	Block	Instrument position				Remark	
		Direction	$\alpha$	r	Z		
		degree	m	m			
WBU10001	Cyl. 1	Center	180	0,050	0,054	Rotronic	
WBU10002	Cyl. 1	Center	0	0,400	0,254	Rotronic	
WBU10003	Cyl. 1	Center	180	0,100	0,254	Rotronic	
WBU10004	Cyl. 1	A	350	0,785	0,344	Vaisala	
WBU10005	Cyl. 1	A	350	0,685	0,344	Vaisala	
WBU10006	Cyl. 1	A	350	0,585	0,344	Vaisala	
WBU10007	Cyl. 1	B	80	0,585	0,344	Vaisala	
WBU10008	Cyl. 1	B	80	0,685	0,254	Rotronic	
WBU10009	Cyl. 1	B	80	0,785	0,254	Rotronic	
WBU10010	Cyl. 1	C	170	0,585	0,254	Rotronic	
WBU10011	Cyl. 1	C	170	0,685	0,254	Rotronic	
WBU10012	Cyl. 1	C	170	0,785	0,254	Rotronic	
WBU10013	Ring 5	A	350	0,585	2,870	Vaisala	
WBU10014	Ring 5	A	350	0,685	2,870	Vaisala	
WBU10015	Ring 5	A	350	0,785	2,870	Vaisala	
WBU10016	Ring 5	B	80	0,535	2,780	Rotronic	In the slot
WBU10017	Ring 5	B	80	0,685	2,780	Rotronic	
WBU10018	Ring 5	B	80	0,785	2,780	Rotronic	
WBU10019	Ring 5	C	180	0,535	2,870	Vaisala	In the slot
WBU10020	Ring 5	C	180	0,685	2,870	Vaisala	
WBU10021	Ring 5	C	180	0,785	2,780	Rotronic	
WBU10022	Ring 10	Center	0	0,050	5,418	Vaisala	
WBU10023	Ring 10	A	180	0,362	5,428	Vaisala	
WBU10024	Ring 10	A	350	0,585	5,398	Vaisala	
WBU10025	Ring 10	A	350	0,685	5,398	Vaisala	
WBU10026	Ring 10	A	350	0,785	5,398	Vaisala	
WBU10027	Ring 10	B	80	0,585	5,308	Rotronic	
WBU10028	Ring 10	B	80	0,685	5,308	Rotronic	
WBU10029	Ring 10	B	80	0,785	5,308	Rotronic	
WBU10030	Ring 10	C	170	0,585	5,398	Vaisala	
WBU10031	Ring 10	C	170	0,785	5,308	Rotronic	
WBU10032	Cyl. 3	Center	270	0,050	6,317	Vaisala	
WBU10033	Cyl. 3	A	350	0,585	6,317	Vaisala	
WBU10034	Cyl. 3	B	90	0,585	6,317	Vaisala	
WBU10035	Cyl. 3	C	180	0,585	6,317	Rotronic	
WBU10036	Cyl. 4	Center	180	0,050	6,916	Vaisala	
WBU10037	Cyl. 4	Center	270	0,050	6,756	Vaisala	

### 4.3 Position of each instrument in the bentonite in hole 3 (DA3575G01)

The instruments are located according to the same system as those in hole 1.

The positions of each instrument are described in Tables 4-6 to 4-10.

**Table 4-6 Numbering and position of instruments for measuring temperature (T) in the buffer in hole 3.**

Type and number	Block	Instrument position					Remark
		Direction	$\alpha$	r	Z	Fabricate	
		degree	m	m			
TBU30001	Cyl. 1	Center	270	0,050	0,095	Pentronic	
TBU30002	Cyl. 1	Center	270	0,050	0,295	Pentronic	
TBU30003	Cyl. 1	Center	270	0,050	0,445	Pentronic	
TBU30004	Cyl. 1	A	355	0,635	0,445	Pentronic	
TBU30005	Cyl. 1	A	355	0,735	0,445	Pentronic	
TBU30006	Cyl. 1	B	85	0,685	0,445	Pentronic	
TBU30007	Cyl. 1	C	175	0,685	0,445	Pentronic	
TBU30008	Cyl. 1	D	270	0,585	0,445	Pentronic	
TBU30009	Cyl. 1	D	270	0,685	0,445	Pentronic	
TBU30010	Cyl. 1	D	270	0,785	0,445	Pentronic	
TBU30011	Ring 5	A	0	0,635	2,971	Pentronic	
TBU30012	Ring 5	A	0	0,735	2,971	Pentronic	
TBU30013	Ring 5	B	90	0,585	2,971	Pentronic	
TBU30014	Ring 5	B	90	0,685	2,971	Pentronic	
TBU30015	Ring 5	B	90	0,785	2,971	Pentronic	
TBU30016	Ring 10	A	329	0,410	5,394	Pentronic	Just above canister lid
TBU30017	Ring 5	C	175	0,685	2,971	Pentronic	
TBU30018	Ring 5	C	175	0,735	2,971	Pentronic	
TBU30019	Ring 5	D	270	0,585	2,971	Pentronic	
TBU30020	Ring 5	D	270	0,635	2,971	Pentronic	
TBU30021	Ring 5	D	270	0,685	2,971	Pentronic	
TBU30022	Ring 5	D	270	0,735	2,971	Pentronic	
TBU30023	Ring 5	D	270	0,785	2,971	Pentronic	
TBU30024	Ring 10	A	0	0,635	5,504	Pentronic	
TBU30025	Ring 10	A	0	0,735	5,504	Pentronic	
TBU30026	Ring 10	D	270	0,585	5,504	Pentronic	
TBU30027	Ring 10	D	270	0,685	5,504	Pentronic	
TBU30028	Ring 10	D	270	0,785	5,504	Pentronic	
TBU30029	Cyl. 3	A	0	0,785	6,314	Pentronic	
TBU30030	Cyl. 3	B	95	0,585	6,314	Pentronic	
TBU30031	Cyl. 3	C	185	0,585	6,314	Pentronic	
TBU30032	Cyl. 4	A	0	0,785	7,015	Pentronic	

**Table 4-7 Numbering and position of instruments for measuring total pressure (P) in the buffer in hole 3.**

Type and number	Block	Instrument position				Fabricate	Remark
		Direction	$\alpha$	r	Z		
		degree	m	m			
PBU30001	Cyl. 1	Center	0	0,000	0,000	Geocon	In cement
PBU30002	Cyl. 1	Center	0	0,100	0,495	Geocon	
PBU30003	Cyl. 1	A	5	0,585	0,495	Kulite	Vertical
PBU30004	Cyl. 1	A	5	0,685	0,495	Kulite	Vertical
PBU30005	Cyl. 1	A	5	0,785	0,495	Kulite	Vertical
PBU30006	Cyl. 1	B	95	0,635	0,495	Geocon	
PBU30007	Cyl. 1	B	105	0,735	0,495	Geocon	
PBU30008	Cyl. 1	C	185	0,635	0,495	Geocon	
PBU30009	Cyl. 1	C	195	0,735	0,495	Geocon	
PBU30010	Ring 5	A	5	0,535	3,021	Kulite	In the slot
PBU30011	Ring 5	A	5	0,685	2,771	Geocon I	
PBU30012	Ring 5	A	5	0,825	3,021	Kulite	In the slot
PBU30013	Ring 5	B	95	0,585	2,771	Geocon I	
PBU30014	Ring 5	B	95	0,785	2,771	Geocon I	
PBU30015	Ring 5	C	185	0,535	3,021	Geocon I	In the slot
PBU30016	Ring 5	C	185	0,825	2,971	Kulite	In the slot
PBU30017	Ring 10	Center	0	0,050	5,556	Geocon	
PBU30018	Ring 10	A	5	0,585	5,556	Kulite	Vertical
PBU30019	Ring 10	A	5	0,685	5,556	Kulite	Vertical
PBU30020	Ring 10	A	5	0,785	5,556	Kulite	Vertical
PBU30021	Ring 10	B	90	0,635	5,556	Geocon	
PBU30022	Ring 10	B	100	0,735	5,556	Geocon	
PBU30023	Ring 10	C	180	0,735	5,556	Geocon	
PBU30024	Ring 10	C	190	0,635	5,556	Geocon	
PBU30025	Cyl. 3	Center	0	0,050	6,314	Kulite	Vertical
PBU30026	Cyl. 3	A	5	0,585	6,564	Geocon	
PBU30027	Cyl. 4	Center	0	0,050	7,065	Kulite	Vertical

**Table 4-8 Numbering and position of instruments for measuring pore water pressure (U) in the buffer in hole 3.**

Type and number	Block	Instrument position				Fabricate	Remark
		Direction	$\alpha$	r	Z		
		degree	m	m			
UBU30001	Cyl. 1	Center	90	0,050	0,045	Kulite	
UBU30002	Cyl. 1	Center	90	0,100	0,245	Geocon	Horizontal
UBU30003	Cyl. 1	A	355	0,585	0,335	Geocon	
UBU30004	Cyl. 1	A	355	0,785	0,335	Kulite	
UBU30005	Ring 5	A	355	0,585	2,771	Geocon	
UBU30006	Ring 5	A	355	0,785	2,861	Kulite	
UBU30007	Ring 5	B	85	0,535	2,861	Kulite	In the slot
UBU30008	Ring 5	B	85	0,825	2,861	Kulite	In the slot
UBU30009	Ring 5	C	175	0,535	2,771	Geocon	In the slot
UBU30010	Ring 5	C	175	0,825	2,771	Geocon	In the slot
UBU30011	Ring 10	A	355	0,585	5,396	Kulite	
UBU30012	Ring 10	A	355	0,785	5,306	Geocon	
UBU30013	Cyl. 3	Center	90	0,050	6,314	Geocon	
UBU30014	Cyl. 4	Center	90	0,050	6,910	Geocon	

**Table 4-9 Numbering and position of instruments for measuring water content (W) in the buffer in hole 3**

Type and number	Block	Instrument position				Fabricate	Remark
		Direction	$\alpha$	r	Z		
		degree		m	m		
WBU30001	Cyl. 1	Center	180	0,050	0,045	Rotronic	
WBU30002	Cyl. 1	Center	0	0,400	0,215	Rotronic	
WBU30003	Cyl. 1	Center	180	0,100	0,245	Rotronic	Horizontal
WBU30004	Cyl. 1	A	350	0,785	0,335	Vaisala	
WBU30005	Cyl. 1	A	350	0,685	0,335	Vaisala	
WBU30006	Cyl. 1	A	350	0,585	0,335	Vaisala	
WBU30007	Cyl. 1	B	80	0,585	0,335	Vaisala	
WBU30008	Cyl. 1	B	80	0,685	0,245	Rotronic	
WBU30009	Cyl. 1	B	80	0,785	0,245	Rotronic	
WBU30010	Cyl. 1	C	170	0,585	0,245	Rotronic	
WBU30011	Cyl. 1	C	170	0,685	0,245	Rotronic	
WBU30012	Cyl. 1	C	170	0,785	0,245	Rotronic	
WBU30013	Ring 5	A	350	0,585	2,861	Vaisala	
WBU30014	Ring 5	A	350	0,685	2,861	Vaisala	
WBU30015	Ring 5	A	350	0,785	2,861	Vaisala	
WBU30016	Ring 5	B	80	0,535	2,771	Rotronic	In the slot
WBU30017	Ring 5	B	80	0,685	2,771	Rotronic	
WBU30018	Ring 5	B	80	0,785	2,771	Rotronic	
WBU30019	Ring 5	C	180	0,535	2,861	Vaisala	In the slot
WBU30020	Ring 5	C	180	0,685	2,861	Vaisala	
WBU30021	Ring 5	C	180	0,785	2,771	Rotronic	
WBU30022	Ring 10	Center	180	0,050	5,416	Vaisala	
WBU30023	Ring 10	A	352	0,262	5,396	Vaisala	
WBU30024	Ring 10	A	350	0,585	5,396	Vaisala	
WBU30025	Ring 10	A	350	0,785	5,396	Vaisala	
WBU30026	Ring 10	A	350	0,685	5,396	Vaisala	
WBU30027	Ring 10	B	80	0,585	5,306	Rotronic	
WBU30028	Ring 10	B	80	0,685	5,306	Rotronic	
WBU30029	Ring 10	B	80	0,785	5,306	Rotronic	
WBU30030	Ring 10	C	170	0,585	5,396	Vaisala	
WBU30031	Ring 10	C	170	0,785	5,306	Rotronic	
WBU30032	Cyl. 3	Center	180	0,050	6,314	Vaisala	
WBU30033	Cyl. 3	A	350	0,585	6,314	Vaisala	
WBU30034	Cyl. 3	B	90	0,585	6,314	Vaisala	
WBU30035	Cyl. 3	C	180	0,585	6,314	Rotronic	
WBU30036	Cyl. 4	Center	180	0,050	6,910	Vaisala	
WBU30037	Cyl. 4	Center	270	0,050	6,750	Vaisala	

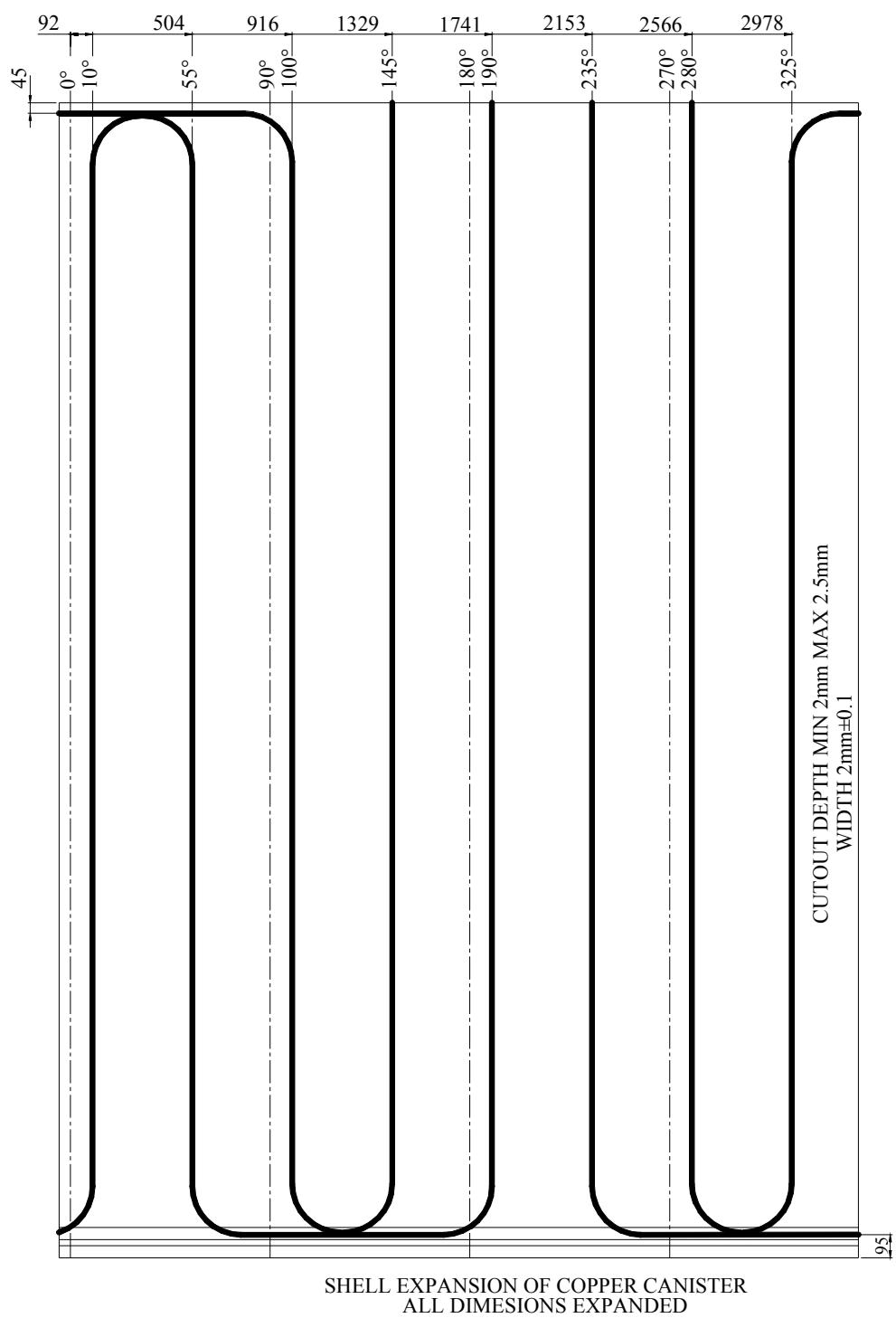
#### **4.4 Instruments on the canister surface in holes 1-4**

The canisters are instrumented with optical fiber cables on the copper surface.

Figure 4-2 shows how two optical fiber cables are placed on the canister surface. Both ends of a cable are used for measurements. This means that the two cables are used for four measurements.

With this laying the cables will enter and exit the surface at almost the same position. Curvatures are shaped as a quarter circle with a radius of 20 cm. The cables are placed in a milled out channels on the surface. The channels have a width and a depth of just above 2 mm

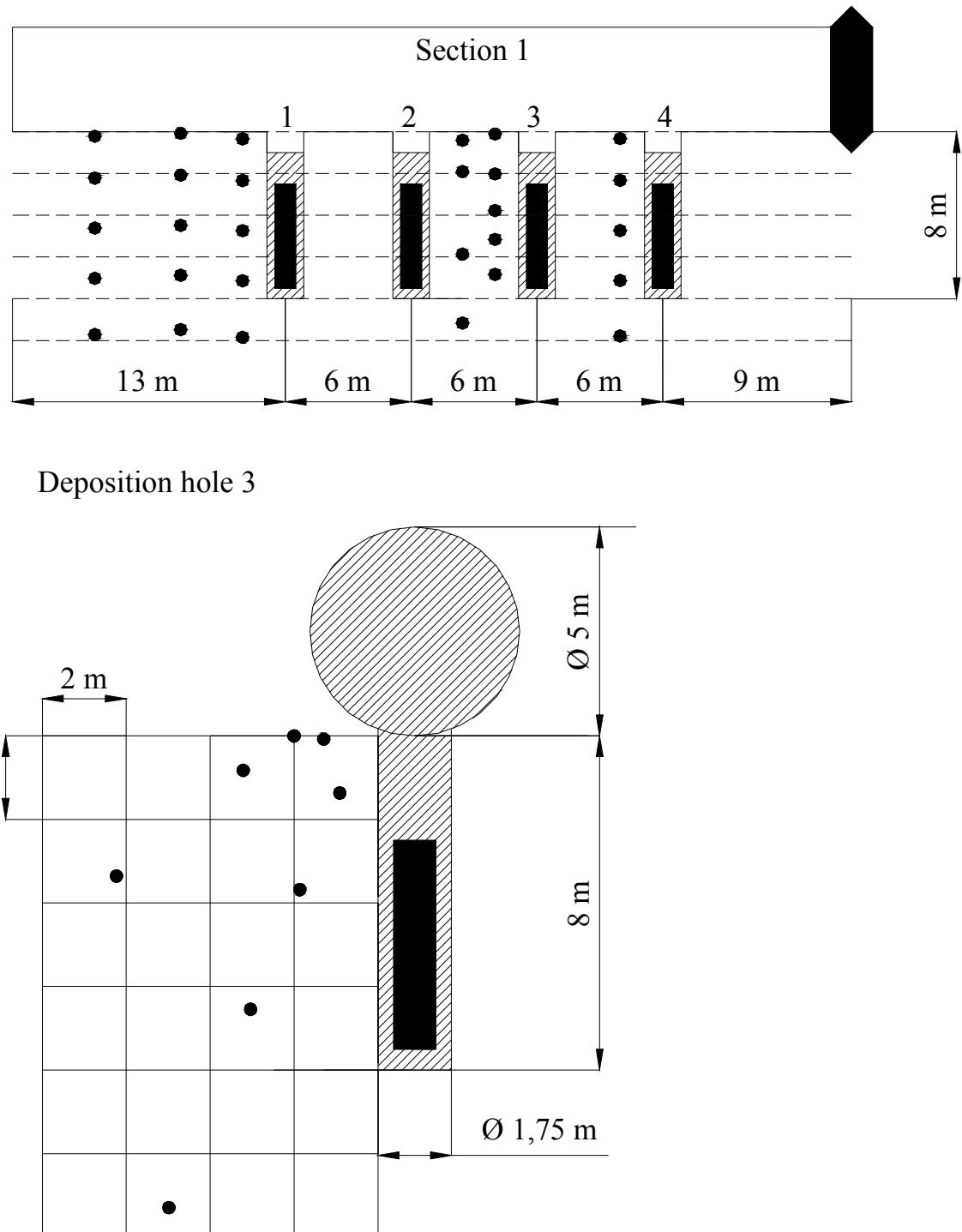
In addition to the optical cables one thermocouple (TBU 10006) is fixed to the lid of the canister in deposition hole 2 (see Table 4-1).



**Figure 4-2.** Laying of the optical fiber cables with protection tube of Inconel 625 (outer diameter 2 mm) for measurement of the canister surface temperature (surface unfolded)

## 4.5 Position of temperature sensors in the rock

The positions of the temperature sensors in the rock are termed in the same way as the sensors in the buffer in the deposition holes. Figure 4-3 shows an overview of the temperature sensors placed in the rock. The sensors are assigned to the closest deposition hole. The positions are described in Table 4-10.



**Figure 4-3.** Overview of the temperature sensors in the rock. Length section (upper) and cross section (towards the end of the tunnel)

**Table 4-10. Numbering and position of temperature sensors in the rock**

Instrument position in rock				
Type and number	$\alpha$ degree	r m	Z m	Fabricate
Measured from DA3587G01 (Hole 1)				
TROA0350	360°	9,086	7,784	
TROA0340	360°	9,086	5,784	
TROA0330	0°	9,086	3,384	
TROA0320	0°	9,087	0,985	
TROA0310	0°	9,086	-1,715	
TROA0650	360°	4,996	7,921	
TROA0640	360°	4,988	5,921	
TROA0630	360°	4,978	3,521	
TROA0620	360°	4,968	1,121	
TROA0610	360°	4,956	-1,479	
TROA1050	359°	2,02	7,662	
TROA1040	359°	2,028	5,662	
TROA1030	359°	2,038	3,262	
TROA1020	359°	2,048	0,862	
TROA1010	359°	2,059	-1,838	
Measured from DA3581G01(Hole 2)				
TROA1840	180°	2,404	7,5868	
TROA1830	180°	2,427	6,0868	
TROA1820	179°	2,49	2,1378	
TROA1810	179°	2,542	-1,1622	
Measured from DA3575G01(Hole 3)				
TROA2150	134°	3,284	7,958	
TROA2140	1°	1,999	5,979	
TROA2130	2°	1,981	4,23	
TROA2120	2°	1,967	2,84	
TROA2110	3°	1,95	1,17	
TROA1850	0°	2,019	7,889	
TROA2330	90°	2,169	7,924	
TROA2320	90°	1,787	6,632	
TROA2310	109°	7,111	4,64	
TROA2440	124°	4,088	7,174	
TROA2430	90°	2,737	4,319	
TROA2420	89°	3,914	1,451	
TROA2410	89°	5,861	-3,295	
Measured from DA3569G01 (Hole 4)				
TROA3050	360°	2,017	7,671	
TROA3040	359°	2,025	5,671	
TROA3030	358°	2,034	3,271	
TROA3020	358°	2,045	0,871	
TROA3010	357°	2,056	-1,778	

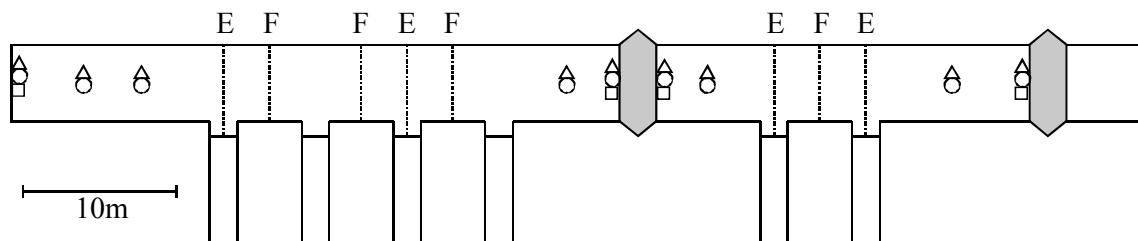
## 4.6 Strategy for describing the position of each device in the backfill in section 1

The principles of terming the instruments are described in the quick guide inserted as a folded A3 page at the end of the report.

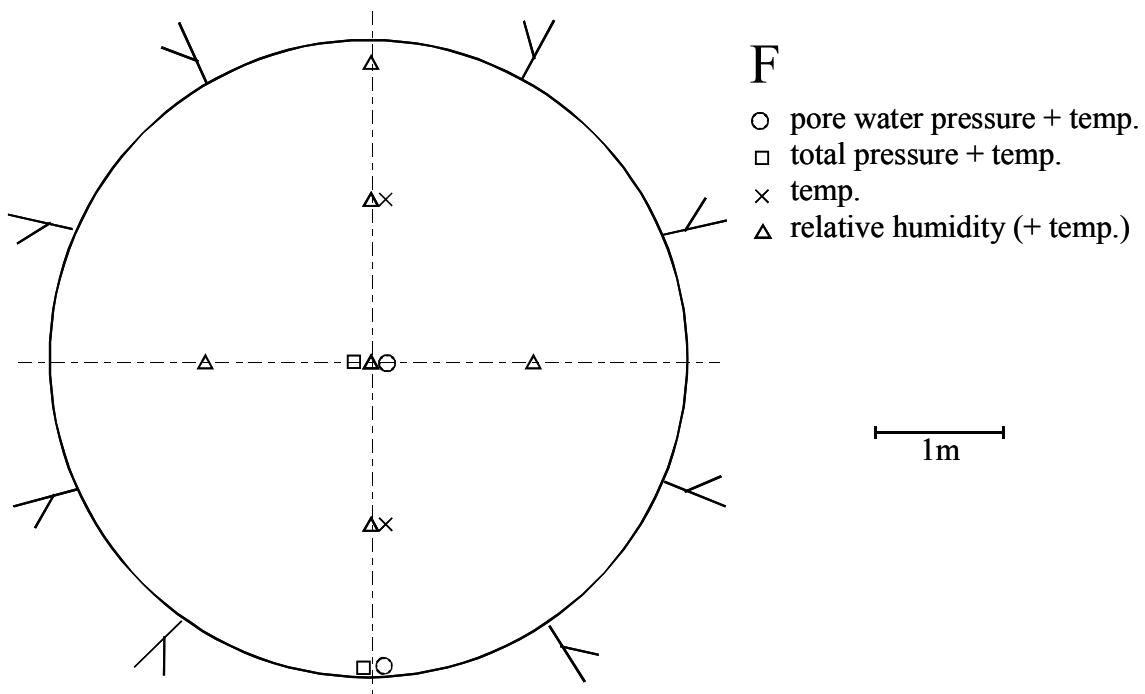
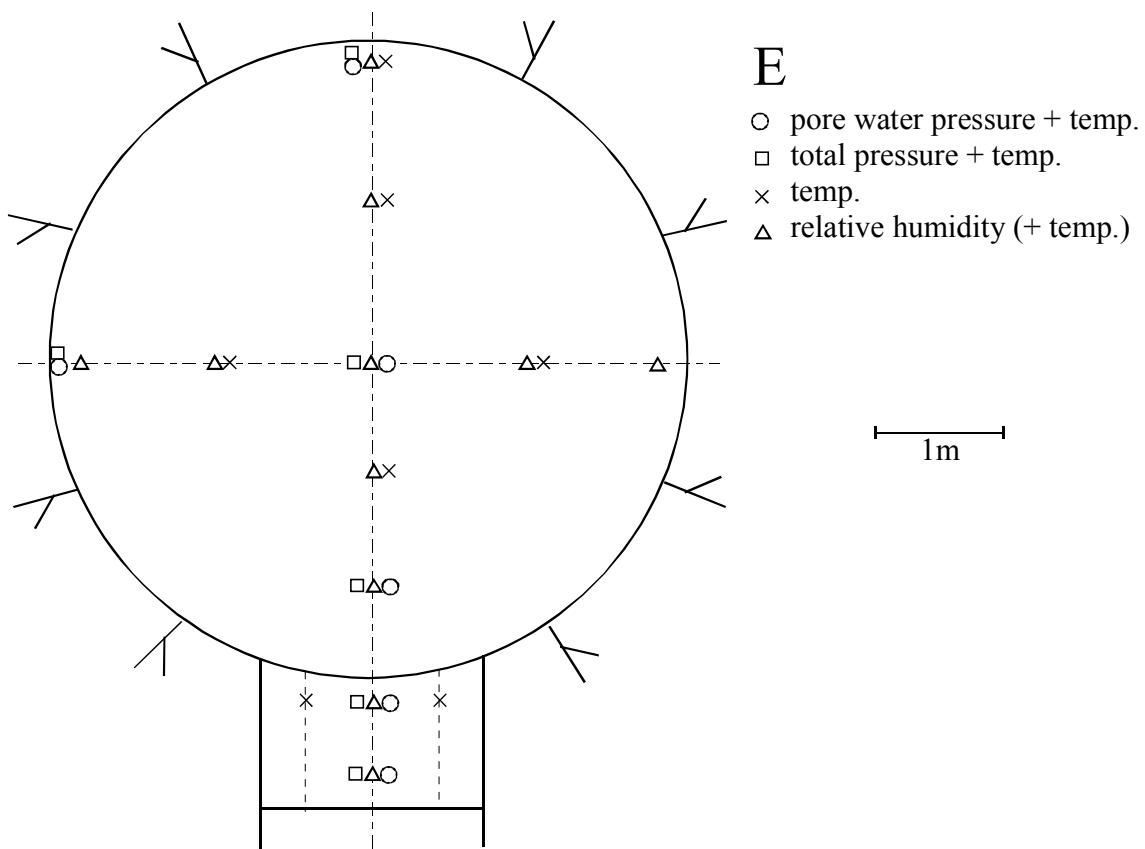
Every instrument is named with a unique name consisting of 1 letter describing the type of measurement, 2 letters describing where the measurement takes place (buffer, backfill, rock or canister) and 5 figures specifying the instrument according to separate lists (see Tables 4-11 to 4-14). Every instrument position is then described with three coordinates according to Figure 2-2. The  $x$ -coordinate is the horizontal distance from the center of the tunnel and the  $z$ -coordinate is the vertical distance from the center of the tunnel. The  $y$ -coordinate is the same as in the tunnel coordinate system, i.e.  $y=3599$  corresponds to the end of the tunnel.

The backfill is mainly instrumented in vertical sections straight above and between the deposition holes (Figures 4-4 and 4-5).

- pore water pressure + temp.
- total pressure + temp.
- ×
- △ relative humidity (+ temp.)
- E, F measuring sections



**Figure 4-4** Schematic view over the instrumentation of the backfill



**Figure 4-5** Schematic view over the sensors positions in the different sections.

## 4.7 Position of each instrument in the backfill

The positions of each instrument are described in Tables 4-11 to 4-14.

**Table 4-11 Numbering and position of instruments for measuring temperature (T) in the backfill.**

Type and number	Instrument position				Fabricate	Remark
	Section	x m	z m	y m		
TBA10001	E, over dep.hole 1	-1,3	-0,1	3 587	Pentronic	
TBA10002	E, over dep.hole 1	0,1	1,3	3 587	Pentronic	
TBA10003	E, over dep.hole 1	0,0	-0,8	3 587	Pentronic	
TBA10004	E, over dep.hole 1	-0,5	-2,6	3 587	Pentronic	
TBA10005	E, over dep.hole 1	0,5	-2,6	3 587	Pentronic	
TBA10006	E, over dep.hole 1	-0,1	2,3	3 587	Pentronic	
TBA10007	E, over dep.hole 1	1,3	-0,1	3 587	Pentronic	
TBA10008	F, between dep.hole 1 and 2	0,0	1,3	3 584	Pentronic	
TBA10009	F, between dep.hole 1 and 2	-0,1	-1,3	3 584	Pentronic	
TBA10010	F, between dep.hole 2 and 3	0,0	1,2	3 578	Pentronic	
TBA10011	F, between dep.hole 2 and 3	0,0	-1,2	3 578	Pentronic	
TBA10012	E, over dep.hole 3	-0,1	2,3	3 575	Pentronic	
TBA10013	E, over dep.hole 3	0,0	1,3	3 575	Pentronic	
TBA10014	E, over dep.hole 3	0,0	-0,9	3 575	Pentronic	
TBA10015	E, over dep.hole 3	-0,5	-2,6	3 575	Pentronic	
TBA10016	E, over dep.hole 3	0,5	-2,6	3 575	Pentronic	
TBA10017	E, over dep.hole 3	-1,3	0,0	3 575	Pentronic	
TBA10018	E, over dep.hole 3	1,3	0,0	3 575	Pentronic	
TBA10019	F, between dep.hole 3 and 4	0,0	1,2	3 572	Pentronic	
TBA10020	F, between dep.hole 3 and 4	0,0	-1,3	3 572	Pentronic	

**Table 4-12 Numbering and position of instruments for measuring total pressure (P) in the backfill.**

Type and number	Instrument position				Fabricate	Remark
	Section	x m	z m	y m		
PBA10001	Inner part	0,2	0,1	3589	Kulite	
PBA10002	E, over dep.hole 1	0,0	0,0	3587	Geokon	
PBA10003	E, over dep.hole 1	0,0	-1,8	3587	Geokon	
PBA10004	E, over dep.hole 1	0,0	-2,6	3587	Geokon	
PBA10005	E, over dep.hole 1	0,0	-3,1	3587	Kulite	
PBA10006	E, over dep.hole 1	-2,3	0,1	3587	Kulite	
PBA10007	E, over dep.hole 1	0,2	2,3	3587	Kulite	
PBA10008	F, between dep.hole 1 and 2	0,0	0,0	3584	Geokon	
PBA10009	F, between dep.hole 1 and 2	-0,1	-1,8	3584	Geokon	
PBA10010	F, between dep.hole 2 and 3	0,0	-0,2	3578	Kulite	
PBA10011	F, between dep.hole 2 and 3	0,0	-2,3	3578	Kulite	
PBA10013	E, over dep.hole 3	0,0	-1,8	3575	Kulite	
PBA10015	E, over dep.hole 3	0,0	-3,1	3575	Geokon	
PBA10016	E, over dep.hole 3	-2,3	0,0	3575	Geokon	
PBA10017	E, over dep.hole 3	0,0	0,0	3575	Geokon	
PBA10018	F, between dep.hole 3 and 4	0,0	0,0	3572	Geokon	
PBA10019	F, between dep.hole 3 and 4	0,0	-2,3	3572	Geokon	
PBA10020	In front of plug	0,0	0,0	3561	Kulite	

**Table 4-13 Numbering and position of instruments for measuring pore water pressure (U) in the backfill.**

Type and number	Instrument position				Fabricate	Remark
	Section	x m	z m	y m		
UBA10001	Inner part	-0,2	-0,1	3589	Kulite	
UBA10002	Inner part	0,0	0,0	3592	Geokon	
UBA10003	Inner part	-0,2	-0,1	3590	Geokon	
UBA10004	E, over dep.hole 1	0,0	-0,1	3587	Geokon	
UBA10005	E, over dep.hole 1	-0,2	-1,8	3587	Kulite	
UBA10006	E, over dep.hole 1	0,1	-2,6	3587	Kulite	
UBA10007	E, over dep.hole 1	0,4	-3,2	3587	Kulite	
UBA10008	E, over dep.hole 1	-2,3	0,0	3587	Geokon	
UBA10009	E, over dep.hole 1	0,0	2,3	3587	Geokon	
UBA10010	F, between dep.hole 1 and 2	0,0	0,0	3584	Kulite	
UBA10011	F, between dep.hole 1 and 2	0,1	-1,8	3584	Kulite	
UBA10012	F, between dep.hole 2 and 3	0,0	-0,2	3578	Kulite	
UBA10013	F, between dep.hole 2 and 3	0,0	-2,3	3578	Kulite	
UBA10014	E, over dep.hole 3	0,0	0,0	3575	Kulite	
UBA10015	E, over dep.hole 3	0,0	-1,8	3575	Geokon	
UBA10016	E, over dep.hole 3	0,3	-2,6	3575	Geokon	
UBA10017	E, over dep.hole 3	-0,1	-3,1	3575	Geokon	
UBA10018	E, over dep.hole 3	-2,3	0,0	3575	Geokon	
UBA10019	E, over dep.hole 3	0,0	0,0	3575	Geokon	
UBA10020	F, between dep.hole 3 and 4	0,0	0,0	3572	Kulite	
UBA10021	F, between dep.hole 3 and 4	0,0	-2,3	3572	Kulite	
UBA10022	In front of plug	0,0	0,0	3565	Kulite	
UBA10023	In front of plug	0,1	0,0	3562	Kulite	

**Table 4-14 Numbering and position of instruments for measuring relative humidity (W) in the backfill.**

Type and number	Instrument position				Fabricate	Remark
	Section	x m	z m	y m		
WBA10001	Inner part	0,0	0,0	3589	Wescor	
WBA10002	Inner part	0,0	0,0	3592	Wescor	
WBA10003	Inner part	0,1	-0,1	3590	Wescor	
WBA10004	E, over dep.hole 1	0,3	2,3	3587	Wescor	
WBA10005	E, over dep.hole 1	0,0	1,3	3587	Wescor	
WBA10006	E, over dep.hole 1	0,0	0,1	3587	Wescor	
WBA10007	E, over dep.hole 1	0,1	-0,8	3587	Wescor	
WBA10008	E, over dep.hole 1	0,0	-1,7	3587	Wescor	
WBA10009	E, over dep.hole 1	-0,1	-2,6	3587	Wescor	
WBA10010	E, over dep.hole 1	-0,5	-3,1	3587	Wescor	
WBA10011	E, over dep.hole 1	-2,3	-0,1	3587	Wescor	
WBA10012	E, over dep.hole 1	-1,3	0,0	3587	Wescor	
WBA10013	E, over dep.hole 1	1,3	0,0	3587	Wescor	
WBA10014	E, over dep.hole 1	2,3	0,0	3587	Wescor	
WBA10015	F, between dep.hole 1 and 2	0,0	1,3	3584	Wescor	
WBA10016	F, between dep.hole 1 and 2	0,0	2,3	3584	Wescor	
WBA10017	F, between dep.hole 1 and 2	0,0	0,0	3584	Wescor	
WBA10018	F, between dep.hole 1 and 2	0,0	-1,3	3584	Wescor	
WBA10019	F, between dep.hole 1 and 2	-1,3	0,0	3584	Wescor	
WBA10020	F, between dep.hole 1 and 2	1,3	0,0	3584	Wescor	
WBA10021	F, between dep.hole 2 and 3	0,0	2,3	3578	Wescor	
WBA10022	F, between dep.hole 2 and 3	0,0	1,2	3578	Wescor	
WBA10023	F, between dep.hole 2 and 3	0,0	-0,2	3578	Wescor	
WBA10024	F, between dep.hole 2 and 3	0,0	-1,2	3578	Wescor	
WBA10025	F, between dep.hole 2 and 3	-1,3	0,0	3578	Wescor	
WBA10026	F, between dep.hole 2 and 3	1,3	0,0	3578	Wescor	
WBA10027	E, over dep.hole 3	0,0	2,5	3575	Wescor	
WBA10028	E, over dep.hole 3	0,0	1,3	3575	Wescor	
WBA10029	E, over dep.hole 3	0,0	0,0	3575	Wescor	
WBA10030	E, over dep.hole 3	0,0	-0,9	3575	Wescor	
WBA10031	E, over dep.hole 3	0,0	-1,6	3575	Wescor	
WBA10032	E, over dep.hole 3	-0,3	-2,6	3575	Wescor	
WBA10033	E, over dep.hole 3	0,1	-3,1	3575	Wescor	
WBA10034	E, over dep.hole 3	-2,3	0,0	3575	Wescor	
WBA10035	E, over dep.hole 3	-1,3	0,0	3575	Wescor	
WBA10036	E, over dep.hole 3	1,3	0,0	3575	Wescor	
WBA10037	E, over dep.hole 3	2,3	0,0	3575	Wescor	
WBA10038	F, between dep.hole 3 and 4	0,0	2,3	3572	Wescor	
WBA10039	F, between dep.hole 3 and 4	0,0	1,2	3572	Wescor	
WBA10040	F, between dep.hole 3 and 4	0,0	0,0	3572	Wescor	
WBA10041	F, between dep.hole 3 and 4	0,0	-1,3	3572	Wescor	
WBA10042	F, between dep.hole 3 and 4	-1,3	0,0	3572	Wescor	
WBA10043	F, between dep.hole 3 and 4	1,3	0,0	3572	Wescor	
WBA10044	In front of plug	0,0	0,0	3565	Wescor	
WBA10045	In front of plug	-0,1	0,0	3562	Wescor	

## 5 Results and comments for Section 1

### 5.1 General

In this chapter short comments on general trends in the measurements are given. Sensors that are not delivering reliable data or no data at all are noted and comments on the data collection in general are given.

The heating of the canister in hole1 started with an applied constant power of 1800 W at 010917. This date is also marked as start date. The backfilling started 010903 and was finished 011120 and the plug was cast at 011214. In order to simulate the radioactive decay, the power was decreased 20 W one year after start of the first heater. In the beginning of this measuring period the power was decreased with about 40 W to 1740 W in deposition hole1-4.

Table 5-1 shows some important dates for section 1.

**Table 5-1. Key dates for section 1**

Activity	Date	
Start backfilling	3/9	2001
Start heating canister 1	17/9	2001
Start heating canister 2	24/9	2001
Start heating canister 3	11/10	2001
Start heating canister 4	22/10	2001
Finish backfilling	20/11	2001
Plug casting	14/12	2001
Decreased power (-20 W)	17/9	2002
Decreased power (-40 W)	5/9	2003

Beside the above reported power reductions a change in power was made June 23 2003 due to additional calculations of the power from measurement of the energy. The power of the canisters was adjusted to 1800 W. The most significant change was made for canister 2 (See section 5.4.1 and Appendix 3 page 136).

About 76 out of 363 sensors (excluding water pressure sensors in the rock and the displacement sensors for the canister) are out of order, the majority (44) being RH-sensors that fail at water saturation.

The processes are now very slow. Very small changes have occurred since the previous report.

So far hole 1 has been strongly wetted but very little wetting is observed in hole 3. A slow but obvious wetting of the backfill is noted. The maximum temperature of the canisters differ substantially (C1: 75°C, C2: 94°C, C3: 99°C, C4: 90°C).

## **5.2 Deposition hole 1**

### **5.2.1 Total pressure**

#### **Geokon (App. 1\pages 73-75)**

The measured pressure range is from 0.28 to 8.5 MPa. The highest pressure is indicated from the peripheral transducers in the bottom block (C1). The pressure has not changed very much during the last 3 months.

Five transducers are out of order.

#### **Kulite (App. 1\page 76)**

The highest pressure 6.2 MPa was indicated from the peripheral transducers in Ring 5 after about 570 days.

Four transducers are out of order.

### **5.2.2 Relative humidity**

#### **Vaisala (App. 1\pages 77-80)**

Since temperature is also measured with all relative humidity sensors, the diagrams include those measured temperatures. The temperature measurements start at about 16 degrees while the RH measurements start at about 70 %RH.

The relative humidity has not changed very much during the last 3 months.

Twelve transducers are out of order most of them due to water saturation.

#### **Rotronic (App. 1\pages 81-85)**

All Rotronic transducers placed between the canister and the rock show RH higher than 90%.

Two of the transducers placed in block C1 are indicating a drying of the bentonite (decreasing in RH from about 75%)

Twelve transducers are out of order most of them due to water saturation.

### **5.2.3 Pore water pressure**

#### **Geokon (App. 1\page 86)**

Two sensor UBU10005 and UBU10009 yield strong increase during this measuring period. The highest pressures 300-1070 kPa are measured near the canister surface in ring R5 (UBU10005, UBU10009) and in the periphery of ring R5 (UBU10010).

#### **Kulite (App. 1\page 87)**

A rather high water pressure is noted from three sensors located in ring R5 (1200 – 2200 kPa).

Two sensors are out of order.

### **5.2.4 Temperature in the buffer (App. 1\pages 88-92)**

The latest measured temperature ranges from 29.5 °C (in the periphery of the upper bentonite cylinder C4) to 71,0 °C in the center close to the canister. The highest temperature gradient is 0.65 degrees/cm (ring R5).

One sensor is out of order.

### **5.2.5 Canister power in dep. hole 1 (App. 1\page 96)**

The power of the canister in hole 1 has been kept constant during one year at 1800 W since the start 010917. After one year the power was decreased with about 20 W. In the beginning of this measuring period the power was decreased with about 40 W to 1740 W.

The power of the canister is determined in two ways. The first determination is made by direct measuring of the power, while the second one is determined from measurement of the energy used for heating the canister. For this canister yield the two ways of determine the power similar results.

### **5.2.6 Temperature on the canister surface (App. 1\pages 97-98)**

The first diagram shows the maximum temperature measured in each of the four optical cables placed on the surface of the canister plotted as a function of time. The present maximum measured temperature on the canister surface is about 75 degrees. The second diagram shows the distribution of the temperature along the cables at the end of the period. The length of the cable on the canister surface is only about 20 m. The waves of a few degrees are caused by the difference in temperature in the center and ends of the canister. The change in temperature after 600 days is caused by a recent calibration, which will be updated later on. The curves may thus be further corrected after completed calibration.

## **5.3 Deposition hole 3**

### **5.3.1 Total pressure**

#### **Geokon (App. 2\pages 101-103)**

Much lower pressure is registered from hole 3 with maximum pressure 2.2 MPa reached by two transducers. Six out of 16 show a pressure higher than 300 kPa. Only small changes of pressure have occurred during this measuring period with one exception. Transducer PBU30007 show a decreasing in pressure from a relatively high level.

#### **Kulite (App. 2\pages 104-105)**

The highest pressure, 1.4 MPa, is indicated from the peripheral transducers in Ring 10. The sudden change in pressure that occurs after about 180 days was probably caused by early data logger problems.

Two transducers are out of order since earlier.

### **5.3.2 Relative humidity**

#### **Vaisala (App. 2\pages 106-109)**

A significant drying of the bentonite close to the top of the canister is observed by the two transducers WBU30022 and WBU30023. The only increased wetting that can be observed takes place in ring 10 between the canister and the rock. The changes in the relative humidity measured by the rest of the transducers are very small.

Five transducers are out of order.

#### **Rotronic (App. 2\pages 110-114)**

Many Rotronic transducers in hole 3 have failed or increased the measured RH to 100%. The reason for this is unclear. Since there are no other signs of strong wetting malfunction is more probable than strong wetting. Investigation is going on. One transducer (WBU30016) placed close to the canister in block R5 is indicating a drying of the bentonite.

Fifteen transducers are at present out of order.

### **5.3.3 Pore water pressure.**

#### **Geokon (App. 2\page 115)**

All sensors yield very low pressure except for one sensor below the heater that yields a sudden increase to 220 kPa (questionable).

### **Kulite (App. 2\page 116)**

UBU30004 yields a pressure of 380 kPa and this sensor is placed near the rock surface at the bottom of the deposition hole. The other sensors yield very low pressures.

### **5.3.4 Temperature in the buffer (App. 2\pages 117-121 and 124)**

The latest measured temperature ranges from 37.6 °C (in the periphery of the upper bentonite cylinder C4) to a temperature of 83.2 °C in the center close to the canister. The highest temperature gradient is 0.57 degrees/cm (ring R5). There have appeared some problems with some data scan units, which explains the noise in some curves.

TBU30016 placed on top of the canister almost in contact with the canister that failed earlier has been revived. The transducer shows a maximum temperature of about 84 °C

One transducer is out of order.

### **5.3.5 Canister power (App. 2\page 125)**

The power of the canister in hole 3 has been kept constant at 1800 W from the start 011011 until 020917, when the power was decreased with about 20 W. Some initial problems have been overcome.

In the beginning of this measuring period the power was decreased with about 40 W to 1740 W.

For this canister yield the two ways of determine the power similar results, see also section 2.1.15.

### **5.3.6 Temperature on the canister surface (App. 2\pages 126-127)**

The first diagram shows the maximum temperature plotted as a function of time. The maximum measured temperature on the canister surface is about 99 degrees. The second diagram shows the distribution of the temperature along the cables. See also chapter 5.2.6.

## **5.4 Deposition hole 2**

### **5.4.1 Canister power (App. 3\page 132)**

The power of the canister in hole 2 has been kept constant at 1800 W from the start 010924 until 020917, when the power was decreased with about 20 W. In the beginning of this measuring period the power was decreased with about 40 W to 1740 W. The interruption in the curve between days 409 and 456 is caused by data collection problems.

For this canister the two ways of determine the power did not yield similar results from day 440 to day 650. The power determined from energy measurements indicated an about 150 W higher value than the direct measurement. When this was found out the power was adjusted. After this adjustment the two ways of determine the power gave similar results.

### **5.4.2 Temperature on the canister surface. (App. 3\pages 133-135)**

See chapter 5.2.6. The maximum measured temperature on the canister surface is at present 94 degrees. The reason for the unexpected increase in temperature after 450 days is the difficulties with the measurement of the power (see chapter 5.2.5). The actual power at that time was probably higher than 1800 W.

TBU10006 is placed on the lid of the canister.

## **5.5 Deposition hole 4**

### **5.5.1 Canister power (App. 3\page 137)**

The power of the canister in hole 4 has been kept constant at 1800 W from the start 011022 until 020917, when the power was decreased with about 20 W. In the beginning of this measuring period the power was decreased with about 40 W to 1740 W.

For this canister the two ways of determine the power did not yield similar results from day 140 to day 440. The power determined from energy measurement indicates an about 100 W higher value than the direct measurement. After day 440 the two measurements give similar results.

### **5.5.2 Temperature on the canister surface. (App. 3\pages 138-139)**

See chapter 5.2.6. The maximum measured temperature on the canister surface is 90 degrees. The plot is indicating that the optical cables might be broken. A further investigation will be made to find out if this is the case.

## **5.6 Backfill in Section1**

### **5.6.1 Total pressure in the backfill.**

#### **Geokon (App. 4\pages 143-144)**

Small and irregular total pressure is measured in the backfill. Only one transducer shows a relevant pressure increase (420 kPa) measured 0.4 m above the bentonite surface in deposition hole 3 (PBA10015).

#### **Kulite (App.4 \pages 145-146)**

Also these measurements yield rather small increase in total pressure. Transducer PBA10013 is placed 1.7 m above the bentonite surface in hole 3 and measures a clearly increasing pressure with the value 300 kPa at the end of the measuring period.

Four transducers are out of order.

### **5.6.2 Suction in the backfill (App. 4\pages 147-153)**

The suction in the backfill is measured with Wescor psychrometers. The steady but slow wetting (decrease in suction) observed in about 50% of the sensors continues. 7 sensors close to the roof and walls of the tunnel and one sensor just above the buffer in hole 1 indicate fast wetting that has gone close to water saturation (less than 1000 kPa suction). Also the transducer placed just inside the plug has reached a suction value that indicates saturation

Seven transducers are out of order due to water saturation.

### **5.6.3 Pore water pressure in the backfill.**

#### **Geokon (App. 4\pages 154-155)**

No increase in water pressure is noticed in any of these sensors.

#### **Kulite (App. 4\pages 156-157)**

All sensors of this type yield very low pressure but a slight increase has started to appear in 3 of them. Four transducers are out of order.

### **5.6.4 Temperature in the backfill (App. 4\pages 158-162)**

The temperature in the backfill ranges from 17.4 to 33.9 degrees. The highest temperature is as expected measured above the buffer in hole 3.

## **5.7 Temperature in the rock**

### **5.7.1 Near hole 1 (App. 1\pages 93-95)**

The maximum temperature measured in the rock is 37.6 degrees (TROA1030). The sensor is located 2.038 m from the center of the canister in deposition hole 1. Note that this temperature is about 7 degrees lower than in the rock around the other holes.

### **5.7.2 Near hole 2 (App. 3\page 131)**

The maximum temperature in the rock (45.6 degrees) is measured by TROA1820 located 2.138 m from the center of the canister in deposition hole 2.

### **5.7.3 Near hole 3 (App. 2\pages 122-123)**

The maximum temperature in the rock (47.7 degrees) is measured by TROA2120 located 1.967 m from the center of the canister in deposition hole 3.

### **5.7.4 Near hole 4 (App. 3\page 136)**

The maximum temperature in the rock (45.3 degrees) is measured by TROA3030 located 2.038 m from the center of the canister in deposition hole 4.

## **6      Location of instruments in Section 2**

### **6.1    Strategy for describing the position of each device in the bentonite and rock in and around the deposition holes**

The deposition holes in Section 2 are termed DA3551G01 and DA3545G01, hole number 5 and 6 respectively according to Figure 1-1.

Deposition hole 5 has been instrumented in the same way as the two inner deposition holes, 1 and 3 i.e. measurements have been done in four vertical sections A, B, C and D according to Figure 4-1. (See chapter 4-1)

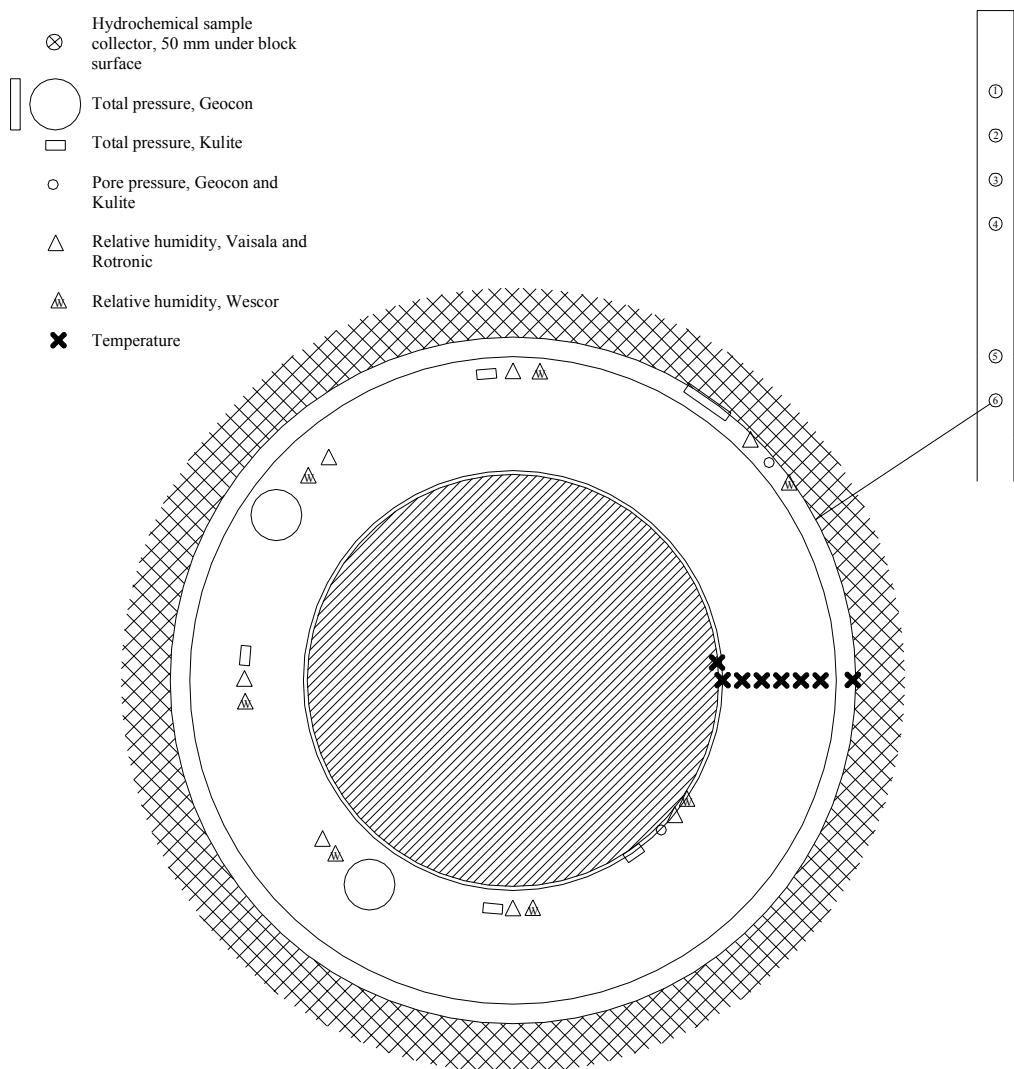
Deposition hole 6 has, however, been instrumented according to another strategy. The instruments have been placed in eight directions, where four directions are represented in each instrumented block, see Figure 6-1.

Direction A and C are placed in the tunnels axial direction with A headed against the end of the tunnel i.e. almost to the West, see Figure 2-1.

Every instrument placed in the buffer is named with a unique name consisting of 1 letter describing the type of measurement, 1 letter describing where the measurement takes place (buffer, rock), 1 figure denoting the deposition hole (5-6) and 2 figures specifying the instrument according to separate lists (see Table 6-1 to 6-11). Every instrument position is then described with three coordinates according to Figure 2-1.

The bentonite blocks are called cylinders and rings. The cylinders are numbered C1-C4 and the rings R1-R10 respectively, see Figure 4-1.

Thermocouples in the rock are placed on 3 levels in each deposition hole (bottom, 3 m and 6 m level). Thermocouples are placed in the bottom of the deposition holes in a vertical hole at the center of the deposition hole. On level 3 m and 6 m the thermocouples are placed in two vertical directions perpendicular to each other.



**Figure 6-1** Schematic view over the instruments positions in deposition hole 6. The instruments are placed in eight vertical sections, where four sections are represented in each instrumented block.

## **6.2 Position of each instrument in the bentonite in hole 5 (DA3551G01)**

The instruments are located according to the same system as those in hole 1 and hole 3.

The positions of each instrument are described in Tables 6-1 to 6-4. These tables have been updated since the last data report (Sensors data report No 7).

The positions of 10 Wescor psychrometer sensors were determined after inflow measurement on the wall of the deposition hole. The position of these sensors are described in Table 6-5

**Table 6-1 Numbering and position of instruments for measuring temperature (T) in the buffer in hole 5.**

Typ and number	Block	Instrument position in block			<b>z</b>	Fabricate	Remark
		Direction	<b>α</b>	<b>r</b>			
		degree	m	m			
TB501	Cyl. 1	Center	270	0,050	0,080	Pentronic	
TB502	Cyl. 1	Center	270	0,060	0,250	Pentronic	
TB503	Cyl. 1	Center	270	0,070	0,450	Pentronic	
TB504	Cyl. 1	A	355	0,525	0,450	Pentronic	On canister
TB505	Cyl. 1	A	355	0,685	0,450	Pentronic	
TB506	Cyl. 1	B	85	0,685	0,450	Pentronic	
TB507	Cyl. 1	C	175	0,685	0,450	Pentronic	
TB508	Cyl. 1	D	270	0,585	0,450	Pentronic	
TB509	Cyl. 1	D	270	0,685	0,450	Pentronic	
TB510	Cyl. 1	D	270	0,785	0,450	Pentronic	
TB511	Ring 5	A	0	0,525	2,950	Pentronic	On canister
TB512	Ring 5	A	0	0,685	2,986	Pentronic	
TB513	Ring 5	B	85	0,585	2,986	Pentronic	
TB514	Ring 5	B	85	0,685	2,986	Pentronic	
TB515	Ring 5	B	85	0,785	2,986	Pentronic	
TB516	Ring 5	C	175	0,585	2,986	Pentronic	
TB517	Ring 5	C	175	0,685	2,986	Pentronic	
TB518	Ring 5	C	175	0,735	2,986	Pentronic	
TB519	Ring 5	D	270	0,585	2,986	Pentronic	
TB520	Ring 5	D	270	0,635	2,986	Pentronic	
TB521	Ring 5	D	270	0,685	2,986	Pentronic	
TB522	Ring 5	D	270	0,735	2,986	Pentronic	
TB523	Ring 5	D	270	0,785	2,986	Pentronic	
TB524	Ring 10	A	0	0,525	5,150	Pentronic	On canister
TB525	Ring 10	A	0	0,685	5,543	Pentronic	
TB526	Ring 10	D	270	0,585	5,543	Pentronic	
TB527	Ring 10	D	270	0,685	5,543	Pentronic	
TB528	Ring 10	D	270	0,785	5,543	Pentronic	
TB529	Cyl. 3	A	0	0,785	6,353	Pentronic	
TB530	Cyl. 3	B	95	0,585	6,353	Pentronic	
TB531	Cyl. 3	C	185	0,585	6,353	Pentronic	
TB532	Cyl. 4	A	0	0,785	7,060	Pentronic	

**Table 6-2 Numbering and position of instruments for measuring total pressure (P) in the buffer in hole 5.**

Typ and number	Block	Instrument position in block				Fabricate	Remark
		Direction	$\alpha$	r	z		
		degree	m	m			
PB501	Cyl. 1	Center	0	0,000	0,000	Geokon	Bottom
PB502	Cyl. 1	Center	0	0,100	0,500	Geokon	
PB503	Cyl. 1	A	5	0,585	0,340	Kulite	Vertical
PB504	Cyl. 1	A	5	0,685	0,340	Kulite	Vertical
PB505	Cyl. 1	A	5	0,785	0,340	Kulite	Vertical
PB506	Cyl. 1	B	95	0,635	0,500	Geokon	
PB507	Cyl. 1	B	105	0,735	0,500	Geokon	
PB508	Cyl. 1	C	185	0,635	0,500	Geokon	
PB509	Cyl. 1	C	195	0,735	0,500	Geokon	
PB510	Ring 5	A	10	0,535	2,876	Kulite	In the slot
PB511	Ring 5	A	10	0,685	3,036	Geokon	
PB512	Ring 5	A	5	0,825	2,876	Kulite	In the slot
PB513	Ring 5	B	95	0,635	3,036	Geokon	
PB514	Ring 5	B	105	0,785	3,036	Geokon	
PB515	Ring 5	C	190	0,635	3,036	Geokon	
PB516	Ring 5	C	190	0,825	2,876	Kulite	In the slot
PB517	Ring 10	Center	0	0,050	5,593	Geokon	
PB518	Ring 10	A	10	0,585	5,433	Kulite	Vertical
PB519	Ring 10	A	10	0,685	5,433	Kulite	Vertical
PB520	Ring 10	A	10	0,785	5,433	Kulite	Vertical
PB521	Ring 10	B	95	0,635	5,593	Geokon	
PB522	Ring 10	B	105	0,735	5,593	Geokon	
PB523	Ring 10	C	180	0,635	5,593	Geokon	
PB524	Ring 10	C	190	0,735	5,593	Geokon	
PB525	Cyl. 3	Center	0	0,100	6,603	Geokon	
PB526	Cyl. 3	A	5	0,585	6,603	Geokon	
PB527	Cyl. 4	Center	0	0,100	7,110	Geokon	

**Table 6-3 Numbering and position of instruments for measuring pore water pressure (U) in the buffer in hole 5.**

Typ and number	Block	Instrument position in block					
		Direction	$\alpha$	r	z	Fabricate	Remark
			degree	m	m		
UB501	Cyl. 1	Center	90	0,050	0,250	Kulite	
UB502	Cyl. 1	Center	90	0,100	0,050	Geokon	
UB503	Cyl. 1	A	355	0,585	0,250	Geokon	
UB504	Cyl. 1	A	355	0,785	0,340	Kulite	
UB505	Ring 5	A	355	0,585	2,786	Geokon	
UB506	Ring 5	A	355	0,785	2,876	Kulite	
UB507	Ring 5	B	85	0,535	2,876	Kulite	In the slot
UB508	Ring 5	B					Not installed
UB509	Ring 5	C	175	0,535	2,786	Geokon	In the slot
UB510	Ring 5	C	175	0,825	2,786	Geokon	In the slot
UB511	Ring 10	A	355	0,585	5,433	Kulite	
UB512	Ring 10	A	355	0,785	5,433	Kulite	
UB513	Cyl. 3	Center					Not installed
UB514	Cyl. 4	Center	90	0,100	6,860	Geokon	

**Table 6-4 Numbering and position of instruments for measuring water content (W) in the buffer in hole 5.**

Mark	Block	Instrument position in block			Z	Fabricate	Remark
		Direction	$\alpha$	r			
		degree	m	m			
WB501	Cyl. 1	Center	180	0,050	0,250	Rotronic	
WB502	Cyl. 1	Center	180	0,100	0,050	Rotronic	
WB503	Cyl. 1	Center	0	0,400	0,250	Rotronic	
WB504	Cyl. 1	A	350	0,585	0,340	Vaisala	
WB505	Cyl. 1	A	350	0,685	0,340	Vaisala	
WB506	Cyl. 1	A	350	0,785	0,340	Vaisala	
WB507	Cyl. 1	B	80	0,585	0,340	Vaisala	
WB508	Cyl. 1	B	80	0,685	0,250	Rotronic	
WB509	Cyl. 1	B	80	0,785	0,250	Rotronic	
WB510	Cyl. 1	C	170	0,585	0,250	Rotronic	
WB511	Cyl. 1	C	170	0,685	0,250	Rotronic	
WB512	Cyl. 1	C	170	0,785	0,250	Rotronic	
WB513	Ring 5	A	350	0,585	2,876	Vaisala	
WB514	Ring 5	A	350	0,685	2,876	Vaisala	
WB515	Ring 5	A	350	0,785	2,876	Vaisala	
WB516	Ring 5	B	80	0,535	2,786	Rotronic	In the slot
WB517	Ring 5	B	80	0,685	2,786	Rotronic	
WB518	Ring 5	B	80	0,785	2,786	Rotronic	
WB519	Ring 5	C	180	0,535	2,876	Vaisala	In the slot
WB520	Ring 5	C	180	0,685	2,876	Vaisala	
WB521	Ring 5	C	180	0,785	2,786	Rotronic	
WB522	Ring 10	Center	180	0,050	5,433	Vaisala	
WB523	Ring 10	A	0	0,262	5,433	Vaisala	
WB524	Ring 10	A	350	0,585	5,433	Vaisala	
WB525	Ring 10	A	350	0,685	5,433	Vaisala	
WB526	Ring 10	A	350	0,785	5,433	Vaisala	
WB527	Ring 10	B	80	0,585	5,343	Rotronic	
WB528	Ring 10	B	80	0,685	5,343	Rotronic	
WB529	Ring 10	B	80	0,785	5,343	Rotronic	
WB530	Ring 10	C	170	0,585	5,433	Vaisala	
WB531	Ring 10	C	170	0,785	5,343	Rotronic	
WB532	Cyl. 3	Center	270	0,100	6,353	Vaisala	
WB533	Cyl. 3	A	350	0,585	6,353	Vaisala	
WB534	Cyl. 3	B	90	0,585	6,353	Vaisala	
WB535	Cyl. 3	C	180	0,585	6,353	Rotronic	
WB536	Cyl. 4	Center	180	0,100	6,790	Vaisala	
WB537	Cyl. 4	Center	270	0,100	6,950	Vaisala	

**Table 6-5 Numbering and position of instruments for measuring water content (W) in the buffer in hole 5. The positions were determined after inflow measurements.**

Mark	Block	Instrument position in block			z	Fabricate	Remark
		Direction	$\alpha$	r			
			degree	m	m		
WB538	Ring 3	C-D	225	0,775	1,624	Wescor	
WB539	Ring 3	C-D	235	0,68	1,624	Wescor	
WB540	Ring 3	C-D	245	0,585	1,624	Wescor	
WB541	Ring 3	C-D	255	0,68	1,624	Wescor	
WB542	Ring 3	C-D	265	0,775	1,624	Wescor	
WB543	Ring 8	C-D	225	0,775	4,173	Wescor	
WB544	Ring 8	C-D	235	0,68	4,173	Wescor	
WB545	Ring 8	C-D	245	0,585	4,173	Wescor	
WB546	Ring 8	C-D	255	0,68	4,173	Wescor	
WB547	Ring 8	C-D	265	0,775	4,173	Wescor	

### **6.3 Position of each instrument in the bentonite in hole 6 (DA3545G01)**

The instruments are located in one main level in the blocks, 250 mm, from the upper surface. The upper blocks, C2, C3 and C4 are instrumented in the same way as those in deposition hole 5. The positions of each instrument are described in Tables 6-6 to 6-9. These tables have been updated since the last data report (Sensors data report No 7).

The position of 10 Wescor psychrometers and 5 Vaisala relative humidity sensors were determined after inflow measurement. The positions of these transducers are described in Table 6-10.

**Table 6-6 Numbering and position of instruments for measuring temperature (T) in the buffer in hole 6.**

Typ and number	Block	Instrument position in block				Fabricate	Remark
		Direction	$\alpha$	r	z		
		degree	m	m			
TB601	Cyl. 1	Center	45	0,050	0,385	Pentronic	
TB602	Cyl. 1	Center	315	0,050	0,260	Pentronic	
TB603	Cyl. 1	Center	0	0,050	0,135	Pentronic	
TB604	Ring 1	D	270	0,535	0,770	Pentronic	
TB605	Ring 1	D	270	0,585	0,770	Pentronic	
TB606	Ring 1	D	270	0,635	0,770	Pentronic	
TB607	Ring 1	D	270	0,685	0,770	Pentronic	
TB608	Ring 1	D	270	0,735	0,770	Pentronic	
TB609	Ring 1	D	270	0,785	0,770	Pentronic	
TB610	Ring 1	D	270	0,825	0,753	Pentronic	On rock
TB611	Ring 1	D	0	0,525	0,753	Pentronic	On canister
TB612	Ring 5	D	270	0,535	2,795	Pentronic	
TB613	Ring 5	D	270	0,585	2,795	Pentronic	
TB614	Ring 5	D	270	0,635	2,795	Pentronic	
TB615	Ring 5	D	270	0,685	2,795	Pentronic	
TB616	Ring 5	D	270	0,735	2,795	Pentronic	
TB617	Ring 5	D	270	0,785	2,795	Pentronic	
TB618	Ring 5	D	270	0,825	2,753	Pentronic	On rock
TB619	Ring 5	D	0	0,525	2,753	Pentronic	On canister
TB620	Ring 8	D	270	0,535	4,324	Pentronic	
TB621	Ring 8	D	270	0,585	4,324	Pentronic	
TB622	Ring 8	D	270	0,635	4,324	Pentronic	
TB623	Ring 8	D	270	0,685	4,324	Pentronic	
TB624	Ring 8	D	270	0,735	4,324	Pentronic	
TB625	Ring 8	D	270	0,785	4,324	Pentronic	
TB626	Ring 8	D	270	0,825	4,253	Pentronic	On rock
TB627	Ring 8	D	0	0,525	4,253	Pentronic	On canister
TB628	Cyl. 3	A	0	0,785	6,366	Pentronic	
TB629	Cyl. 3	B	95	0,585	6,366	Pentronic	
TB630	Cyl. 3	C	185	0,585	6,366	Pentronic	
TB631	Cyl. 4	Center	225	0,100	7,071	Pentronic	
TB632	Cyl. 4	A	0	0,785	7,071	Pentronic	

**Table 6-7 Numbering and position of instruments for measuring total pressure (P) in the buffer in hole 6.**

Typ and number	Block	Instrument position in block				Fabricate	Remark
		Direction	$\alpha$	r	Z		
		degree	m	m			
PB601	Cyl. 1	Center	315	0,210	0,510	Geokon	
PB602	Cyl. 1	B	80	0,685	0,260	Kulite	Vertical
PB603	Ring 1	A	10	0,785	0,770	Kulite	Vertical
PB604	Ring 1	B	80	0,685	0,770	Kulite	Vertical
PB605	Ring 1	C	170	0,585	0,770	Kulite	Vertical
PB606	Ring 2	AB	55	0,735	1,534	Geokon	
PB607	Ring 2	BC	145	0,635	1,534	Geokon	
PB608	Ring 2	CD	215	0,535	1,284	Kulite	In the slot
PB609	Ring 2	DA	325	0,875	1,253	Geokon	At rock
PB610	Ring 5	A	10	0,785	2,795	Kulite	Vertical
PB611	Ring 5	B	80	0,685	2,795	Kulite	Vertical
PB612	Ring 5	C	170	0,585	2,795	Kulite	Vertical
PB613	Ring 6	AB	55	0,785	3,550	Geokon	
PB614	Ring 6	BC	145	0,635	3,550	Geokon	
PB615	Ring 6	CD	215	0,535	3,300	Kulite	In the slot
PB616	Ring 6	DA	325	0,875	3,253	Geokon	At rock
PB617	Ring 8	A	10	0,785	4,324	Kulite	Vertical
PB618	Ring 8	B	80	0,685	4,324	Kulite	Vertical
PB619	Ring 8	C	170	0,585	4,324	Kulite	Vertical
PB620	Ring 9	AB	55	0,735	5,084	Geokon	
PB621	Ring 9	BC	145	0,635	5,084	Geokon	
PB622	Ring 9	CD	215	0,535	4,834	Kulite	In the slot
PB623	Ring 9	DA	325	0,875	4,753	Geokon	At rock
PB624	Cyl. 4	Center	135	0,585	7,121	Kulite	
PB625	Cyl. 3	Center	0	0,100	6,616	Geokon	
PB626	Cyl. 3	A	5	0,585	6,616	Geokon	
PB627	Cyl. 4	Center	0	0,100	7,121	Geokon	

**Table 6-8 Numbering and position of instruments for measuring pore water pressure (U) in the buffer in hole 6.**

Typ and number	Block	Instrument position in block				Fabricate	Remark
		Direction	$\alpha$	r	z		
		degree	m	m			
UB601	Cyl. 1	Center	280	0,210	0,260	Kulite	
UB602	Cyl. 1	B	95	0,685	0,260	Geokon	
UB603	Ring 2	CD	225	0,535	1,284	Geokon	In the slot
UB604	Ring 2	DA	310	0,875	1,253	Kulite	At the rock
UB605	Ring 5	C	190	0,585	2,795	Geokon	
UB606	Ring 5	A	350	0,785	2,795	Kulite	
UB607	Ring 6	AB	35	0,735	3,300	Kulite	
UB608	Ring 6	BC	125	0,635	3,300	Kulite	
UB609	Ring 6	CD	225	0,535	3,300	Geokon	In the slot
UB610	Ring 6	DA	310	0,875	3,253	Geokon	At the rock
UB611	Ring 9	CD	225	0,535	4,834	Geokon	In the slot
UB612	Ring 9	DA	310	0,875	4,753	Kulite	At the rock
UB613	Cyl. 3	Center	135	0,100	6,366	Kulite	
UB614	Cyl. 4	Center	90	0,100	6,961	Kulite	

**Table 6-9 Numbering and position of instruments for measuring water content (W) in the buffer in hole 6.**

Typ and number	Block	Instrument position in block				Fabricate	Remark
		Direction	$\alpha$	r	z		
		degree	m	m			
WB601	Cyl. 1	Center	135	0,050	0,260	Rotronic	
WB602	Cyl. 1	Center	225	0,050	0,260	Wescor	
WB603	Cyl. 1	Center	260	0,210	0,260	Wescor	
WB604	Cyl. 1	Center	270	0,210	0,260	Rotronic	
WB605	Cyl. 1	B	90	0,685	0,260	Wescor	
WB606	Cyl. 1	B	100	0,685	0,260	Rotronic	
WB607	Ring 1	B	90	0,685	0,770	Vaisala	
WB608	Ring 1	B	95	0,685	0,770	Wescor	
WB609	Ring 1	C	180	0,585	0,770	Vaisala	
WB610	Ring 1	C	185	0,585	0,770	Wescor	
WB611	Ring 1	A	355	0,785	0,770	Wescor	
WB612	Ring 1	A	360	0,785	0,770	Vaisala	
WB613	Ring 2	AB	40	0,735	1,284	Rotronic	
WB614	Ring 2	AB	45	0,735	1,284	Wescor	
WB615	Ring 2	BC	130	0,635	1,284	Rotronic	
WB616	Ring 2	BC	135	0,635	1,284	Wescor	
WB617	Ring 2	CD	230	0,535	1,284	Rotronic	In the slot
WB618	Ring 2	CD	235	0,535	1,284	Wescor	In the slot
WB619	Ring 2	DA	305	0,875	1,253	Wescor	At rock
WB620	Ring 2	DA	315	0,875	1,253	Rotronic	At rock
WB621	Ring 5	B	90	0,685	2,795	Rotronic	
WB622	Ring 5	B	95	0,685	2,795	Wescor	
WB623	Ring 5	C	180	0,585	2,795	Rotronic	
WB624	Ring 5	C	185	0,585	2,795	Wescor	
WB625	Ring 5	A	355	0,785	2,795	Wescor	
WB626	Ring 5	A	360	0,785	2,795	Rotronic	
WB627	Ring 6	AB	40	0,735	3,300	Vaisala	
WB628	Ring 6	AB	45	0,735	3,300	Wescor	
WB629	Ring 6	BC	130	0,635	3,300	Vaisala	
WB630	Ring 6	BC	135	0,635	3,300	Wescor	
WB631	Ring 6	CD	230	0,535	3,300	Vaisala	In the slot
WB632	Ring 6	CD	235	0,535	3,300	Wescor	In the slot
WB633	Ring 6	DA	305	0,875	3,253	Wescor	At rock
WB634	Ring 6	DA	315	0,875	3,253	Vaisala	At rock
WB635	Ring 8	B	90	0,685	4,324	Rotronic	
WB636	Ring 8	B	95	0,685	4,324	Wescor	
WB637	Ring 8	C	180	0,585	4,324	Rotronic	
WB638	Ring 8	C	185	0,585	4,324	Wescor	
WB639	Ring 8	A	355	0,785	4,324	Wescor	
WB640	Ring 8	A	360	0,785	4,324	Rotronic	
WB641	Ring 9	AB	40	0,735	4,834	Rotronic	
WB642	Ring 9	AB	45	0,735	4,834	Wescor	
WB643	Ring 9	BC	130	0,635	4,834	Vaisala	
WB644	Ring 9	BC	135	0,635	4,834	Wescor	
WB645	Ring 9	CD	230	0,535	4,834	Vaisala	In the slot
WB646	Ring 9	CD	235	0,535	4,834	Wescor	In the slot
WB647	Ring 9	DA	305	0,875	4,753	Wescor	At rock
WB648	Ring 9	DA	315	0,875	4,753	Vaisala	At rock
WB649	Ring 10	Center	90	0,050	5,439	Vaisala	
WB650	Ring 10	Center	270	0,210	5,439	Vaisala	
WB651	Cyl. 3	Center	225	0,100	6,366	Rotronic	
WB652	Cyl. 3	B	90	0,585	6,366	Vaisala	
WB653	Cyl. 3	C	180	0,585	6,366	Rotronic	
WB654	Cyl. 3	A	350	0,585	6,366	Vaisala	
WB655	Cyl. 4	Center	180	0,100	6,801	Rotronic	
WB656	Cyl. 4	Center	270	0,100	6,961	Vaisala	

**Table 6-10 Numbering and position of instruments for measuring water content (W) in the buffer in hole 6. The positions were determined after inflow measurements.**

Typ and number	Block	Instrument position in block					Remark
		Direction	$\alpha$	r	z	Fabricate	
		degree		m	m		
WB657	Ring 6	C	190	0,625	3,300	Wescor	
WB658	Ring 6	C	190	0,725	3,300	Wescor	
WB659	Rock	C	190	0,900	3,100	Wescor	
WB660	Rock	C	190	0,925	3,250	Wescor	
WB661	Rock	C	190	0,975	3,400	Wescor	
WB662	Ring 8	D	280	0,625	4,324	Wescor	
WB663	Ring 8	D	280	0,725	4,324	Wescor	
WB664	Rock	D	280	0,900	4,100	Wescor	
WB665	Rock	D	280	0,925	4,250	Wescor	
WB666	Rock	D	280	0,975	4,400	Wescor	
WB667	Cyl.1	D	280	0,685	0,260	Vaisala	
WB668	Ring 6	C	200	0,625	3,300	Vaisala	
WB669	Ring 6	C	200	0,725	3,300	Vaisala	
WB670	Ring 8	D	290	0,625	4,324	Vaisala	
WB671	Ring 8	D	290	0,725	4,324	Vaisala	

## 6.4 Instruments on the canister surface in holes 5-6

A system for measuring the temperature with optical cables on the surface of the canisters is used in the same way as for the canisters in Section 1. The system is described in chapter 4.4.

In addition to the optical cables three thermocouples (TB504, TB511 and TB524) in deposition hole 5 and three thermocouples (TB611, TB619 and TB627) in deposition hole 6 are fixed to the surface of the canister (see Table 6-1 and 6-6).

## 6.5 Position of temperature sensors in the rock

Thermocouples are placed on 3 levels in each deposition hole (bottom, 3 m and 6 m level). On level 3 m and 6 m the thermocouples are placed in two directions perpendicular to each other.

The positions are described in Table 6-11.

**Table 6-11. Numbering and position of temperature sensors in the rock.**

Type and number		α	r	z	Remark
	Depth from rock surface(m)	degree	m	m	
<b>Measured from DA3551G01(Hole 5)</b>					
TR5011	1,000	0°	0,000	-1,000	Bottom
TR5012	0,500	0°	0,000	-0,500	Bottom
TR5013	0,200	0°	0,000	-0,200	Bottom
TR5014	0,000	0°	0,000	0,000	Bottom
TR5021	2,200	180°	3,950	6,000	East
TR5022	1,100	180°	2,850	6,000	East
TR5023	0,600	180°	2,350	6,000	East
TR5024	0,200	180°	1,950	6,000	East
TR5025	0,000	180°	1,750	6,000	East
TR5031	2,200	90°	3,950	6,000	South
TR5032	1,100	90°	2,850	6,000	South
TR5033	0,600	90°	2,350	6,000	South
TR5034	0,200	90°	1,950	6,000	South
TR5035	0,000	90°	1,750	6,000	South
TR5041	2,200	180°	3,950	3,000	East
TR5042	1,100	180°	2,850	3,000	East
TR5043	0,600	180°	2,350	3,000	East
TR5044	0,200	180°	1,950	3,000	East
TR5045	0,000	180°	1,750	3,000	East
TR5051	2,200	90°	3,950	3,000	South
TR5052	1,100	90°	2,850	3,000	South
TR5053	0,600	90°	2,350	3,000	South
TR5054	0,200	90°	1,950	3,000	South
TR5055	0,000	90°	1,750	3,000	South
<b>Measured from DA3545G01(Hole 6)</b>					
TR6011	1,000	0	0,000	-1,000	Bottom
TR6012	0,500	0	0,000	-0,500	Bottom
TR6013	0,200	0	0,000	-0,200	Bottom
TR6014	0,000	0	0,000	0,000	Bottom
TR6021	2,200	90°	3,950	6,000	South
TR6022	1,100	90°	2,850	6,000	South
TR6023	0,600	90°	2,350	6,000	South
TR6024	0,200	90°	1,950	6,000	South
TR6025	0,000	90°	1,750	6,000	South
TR6031	2,200	360°	3,950	6,000	West
TR6032	1,100	360°	2,850	6,000	West
TR6033	0,600	360°	2,350	6,000	West
TR6034	0,200	360°	1,950	6,000	West
TR6035	0,000	360°	1,750	6,000	West
TR6041	2,200	90°	3,950	3,000	South
TR6042	1,100	90°	2,850	3,000	South
TR6043	0,600	90°	2,350	3,000	South
TR6044	0,200	90°	1,950	3,000	South
TR6045	0,000	90°	1,750	3,000	South
TR6051	2,200	360°	3,950	3,000	West
TR6052	1,100	360°	2,850	3,000	West
TR6053	0,600	360°	2,350	3,000	West
TR6054	0,200	360°	1,950	3,000	West
TR6055	0,000	360°	1,750	3,000	West

## **6.6 Strategy for describing the position of each device in the backfill in section 2**

The strategy for instrumentation of the backfill in Section 2 is the same as in Section 1 and is described in chapter 4.6.

## **6.7 Position of each instrument in the backfill in Section 2**

The positions of each instrument are described in Tables 6-12 to 6-15. These tables have been updated since the last data report (Sensors data report No 7).

**Table 6-12 Numbering and position of instruments for measuring temperature (T) in the backfill in section 2.**

Type and number	Instrument position				Fabricate	Remark
	Section	x	z	y		
		m	m	m		
TFA01	E, over dep.hole 5	0,0	2,3	3551,0	Pentronic	
TFA02	E, over dep.hole 5	0,0	1,25	3551,0	Pentronic	
TFA03	E, over dep.hole 5	0,0	-0,8	3551,0	Pentronic	
TFA04	E, over dep.hole 5	-0,5	-2,6	3551,0	Pentronic	
TFA05	E, over dep.hole 5	0,5	-2,6	3551,0	Pentronic	
TFA06	E, over dep.hole 5	-1,25	0,0	3551,0	Pentronic	
TFA07	E, over dep.hole 5	1,25	0,0	3551,0	Pentronic	
TFA08	F, between dep.hole 5 and 6	0,0	1,0	3548,0	Pentronic	
TFA09	F, between dep.hole 5 and 6	0,0	-1,25	3548,0	Pentronic	
TFA10	E, over dep.hole 6	0,0	2,3	3545,0	Pentronic	
TFA11	E, over dep.hole 6	0,0	1,25	3545,0	Pentronic	
TFA12	E, over dep.hole 6	0,0	-0,8	3545,0	Pentronic	
TFA13	E, over dep.hole 6	-0,5	-2,6	3545,0	Pentronic	
TFA14	E, over dep.hole 6	0,5	-2,6	3545,0	Pentronic	
TFA15	E, over dep.hole 6	-1,25	0,0	3545,0	Pentronic	
TFA16	E, over dep.hole 6	1,25	0,0	3545,0	Pentronic	

**Table 6-13 Numbering and position of instruments for measuring total pressure (P) in the backfill in section 2.**

Type and number	Instrument position				Fabricate	Remark
	Section	x m	z m	y m		
PFA01	Inner part	0,0	0,0	3555,8	Kulite	
PFA02	E, over dep.hole 5	0,0	0,0	3551,0	Geokon	
PFA03	E, over dep.hole 5	0,0	-1,75	3551,0	Geokon	
PFA04	E, over dep.hole 5	0,0	-2,6	3551,0	Geokon	
PFA05	E, over dep.hole 5	0,0	-3,15	3551,0	Kulite	
PFA06	E, over dep.hole 5	-2,3	0,0	3551,0	Kulite	
PFA07	E, over dep.hole 5	0,0	2,3	3551,0	Kulite	
PFA08	F, between dep.hole 5 and 6	0,0	0,0	3548,0	Geokon	
PFA09	F, between dep.hole 5 and 6	0,0	-2	3548,0	Geokon	
PFA10	E, over dep.hole 6	0,0	0,0	3545,0	Kulite	
PFA11	E, over dep.hole 6	0,0	-1,75	3545,0	Kulite	
PFA12	E, over dep.hole 6	0,0	-2,6	3545,0	Kulite	
PFA13	E, over dep.hole 6	0,0	-3,15	3545,0	Geokon	
PFA14	E, over dep.hole 6	-2,3	0,0	3545,0	Geokon	
PFA15	E, over dep.hole 6	0,0	2,3	3545,0	Geokon	
PFA16	In front of plug	0,0	0,0	3539,0	Kulite	

**Table 6-14 Numbering and position of instruments for measuring pore water pressure (U) in the backfill in section 2.**

Type and number	Instrument position				Fabricate	Remark
	Section	x m	z m	y m		
UFA01	Inner part	0,0	0,0	3555,8	Kulite	
UFA02	Inner part	0,0	0,0	3554,1	Geokon	
UFA03	E, over dep.hole 5	0,0	0,0	3551,0	Geokon	
UFA04	E, over dep.hole 5	0,0	-1,75	3551,0	Kulite	
UFA05	E, over dep.hole 5	0,0	-2,6	3551,1	Kulite	
UFA06	E, over dep.hole 5	0,0	-3,15	3551,0	Kulite	
UFA07	E, over dep.hole 5	0,0	-1,75	3551,0	Geokon	
UFA08	E, over dep.hole 5	0,0	2,3	3551,0	Geokon	
UFA09	F, between dep.hole 5 and 6	0,0	0,0	3548,0	Geokon	
UFA10	F, between dep.hole 5 and 6	0,0	-2,0	3548,0	Geokon	
UFA11	E, over dep.hole 6	0,0	0,0	3545,0	Geokon	
UFA12	E, over dep.hole 6	0,0	-1,75	3545,0	Geokon	
UFA13	E, over dep.hole 6	0,0	-2,6	3545,0	Geokon	
UFA14	E, over dep.hole 6	0,0	-3,15	3545,0	Geokon	
UFA15	E, over dep.hole 6	-2,3	0,0	3545,0	Geokon	
UFA16	E, over dep.hole 6	0,0	2,3	3545,0	Geokon	
UFA17	In front of plug	-2,3	0,0	3551,0	Geokon	
UFA18	In front of plug	0,0	0,0	3539,0	Geokon	

**Table 6-15 Numbering and position of instruments for measuring relative humidity (W) in the backfill in section 2.**

Type and number	Instrument position				Fabricate	Remark
	Section	x m	z m	y m		
WFA01	Inner part	0,0	0,0	3555,8	Wescor	
WFA02	Inner part	0,0	0,0	3554,1	Wescor	
WFA03	E, over dep.hole 5	0,0	2,3	3551,0	Wescor	
WFA04	E, over dep.hole 5	0,0	1,25	3551,0	Wescor	
WFA05	E, over dep.hole 5	0,0	0,0	3551,0	Wescor	
WFA06	E, over dep.hole 5	0,0	-0,8	3551,0	Wescor	
WFA07	E, over dep.hole 5	2,3	0,0	3545,0	Wescor	
WFA08	E, over dep.hole 5	0,0	-2,6	3550,9	Wescor	
WFA09	E, over dep.hole 5	0,0	-3,15	3551,0	Wescor	
WFA10	E, over dep.hole 5	-2,3	0,0	3551,0	Wescor	
WFA11	E, over dep.hole 5	-1,25	0,0	3551,0	Wescor	
WFA12	E, over dep.hole 5	1,25	0,0	3551,0	Wescor	
WFA13	E, over dep.hole 5	2,3	0,0	3551,0	Wescor	
WFA14	F, between dep.hole 5 and 6				Wescor	Not clear
WFA15	F, between dep.hole 5 and 6	0,0	1,0	3548,0	Wescor	
WFA16	F, between dep.hole 5 and 6	0,0	0,0	3548,0	Wescor	
WFA17	F, between dep.hole 5 and 6	0,0	-0,55	3548,0	Wescor	
WFA18	F, between dep.hole 5 and 6	-1,25	0,0	3548,0	Wescor	
WFA19	F, between dep.hole 5 and 6	1,25	0,0	3548,0	Wescor	
WFA20	E, over dep.hole 6	0,0	2,3	3545,0	Wescor	
WFA21	E, over dep.hole 6	0,0	1,25	3545,0	Wescor	
WFA22	E, over dep.hole 6	0,0	0,0	3545,0	Wescor	
WFA23	E, over dep.hole 6	0,0	-0,8	3545,0	Wescor	
WFA24	E, over dep.hole 6	0,0	-1,75	3545,0	Wescor	
WFA25	E, over dep.hole 6	0,0	-2,6	3545,0	Wescor	
WFA26	E, over dep.hole 6	0,0	-3,15	3545,0	Wescor	
WFA27	E, over dep.hole 6	-2,3	0,0	3545,0	Wescor	
WFA28	E, over dep.hole 6	-1,25	0,0	3545,0	Wescor	
WFA29	E, over dep.hole 6	1,25	0,0	3545,0	Wescor	
WFA30	E, over dep.hole 6	0,0	2,3	3548,0	Wescor	
WFA31	In front of plug	0,0	0,0	3540,0	Wescor	
WFA32	In front of plug	0,0	0,0	3539,0	Wescor	

## **7 Results and comments for Section 2**

### **7.1 General**

In this chapter short comments on general trends in the measurements are given. Sensors that are not delivering reliable data or no data at all are noted and comments on the data collection in general are given.

The heating of the canister in hole 1 started with an applied constant power of 1800 W at 030508. This date is also marked as start date. The backfilling started 030429 and was finished 030625 and the plug was cast at 030911. Table 7-1 shows some important dates for section 2.

**Table 7-1. Key dates for section 2**

Activity	Date
Start backfilling	29/4 2003
Start heating canister 5	8/5 2003
Start heating canister 6	23/5 2003
Finished backfilling	25/6 2003
Plug casting	11/9 2003

40 out of 394 sensors (excluding water pressure sensors in the rock, geo-electric measurements, stress and strain in the rock and displacement of canister) are out of order, the majority of them temporary due to data logger problem.

The maximum measured temperature on the canister in deposition hole 5 is about 86 °C. For the canister in deposition hole 6 the maximum temperature is about 88 °C.

### **7.2 Deposition hole 5**

#### **7.2.1 Total pressure**

##### **Geokon (App. 5\pages 165-168)**

The measured pressure range is from 0 to 2.9 MPa. The highest pressures are indicated by peripheral placed transducers in Ring 5 and Ring 10.

##### **Kulite (App. 5\page 169)**

The highest pressure 0.2 MPa is indicated from one peripheral transducer in the bottom (C1). Also a transducer placed in the peripheral in block R10 shows a total pressure close to 0.20 MPa.

## **7.2.2 Relative humidity/suction in dep. hole 5.**

### **Vaisala (App. 5\pages 170-173)**

Since temperature is also measured with all relative humidity sensors, the diagrams include those measured temperatures. The temperature measurements start at about 16 degrees while the RH measurements start at about 70 %RH.

The sensors placed in the bottom block C1 show very small changes in RH with the time.

One sensor placed in block R5 close to the canister (WB519) is indicating a very strong drying of the bentonite. Sensor WB520 placed in the middle of block R5 is also indicating a drying of the bentonite while the rest of the transducers in block R5 show very small changes in RH.

Two sensors in block R10 placed close to the top of the canister (WB522, WB523) indicate a drying of the bentonite while two sensors (WB524, WB530) indicate a wetting of the bentonite at least for the first 60 days.

The sensors placed in block C3 and C4, show very small changes in RH with the time.

Two sensors are out of order.

### **Rotronic (App. 5\pages 174-178)**

Six of the sensors placed in the bottom block C1 show very small changes in RH with the time, while two transducers (WB508, WB509) indicates a slow wetting of the bentonite.

One sensor placed in block R5 close to the canister (WB516) is indicating a very strong drying of the bentonite for the first 60 days. The sensor indicates a wetting for the next 60 days. Sensor WB518 placed at the peripheries of block R5 is indicating a wetting of the bentonite. One sensor in block R5 is out of order.

The four sensors placed in block R10 are out of order due to problems with the data collecting system.

One sensor placed in block C3 is indicating a slowly wetting of the bentonite.

### **Wescor Psychrometers**

The Wescor sensors can measure suction between 6000 and 200 kPa. The suction in the bentonite has not yet reached such low values.

### **7.2.3 Pore water pressure**

#### **Geokon (App. 5\page 179)**

All sensors yield very low pressures.

#### **Kulite (App. 5\page 180)**

Sensors UB508 was out of order from start and it is not plotted in this report.

The rest of the sensors yield very low pressure.

### **7.2.4 Temperature in the buffer (App. 5\pages 181-185 and 192)**

Three thermocouples (TB504, TB511 and TB524) are placed on the surface of the canister. TB504 placed closed to the bottom of the canister is showing a maximum temperature of about 69 °C , TB511 placed at the middle of canister about 82 °C and TB524 placed close to the top of the canister is showing a maximum temperature of about 76 °C.

The maximum temperature in the buffer recorded so far is 74 °C. It is measured in block C1, 50 mm under the canister (TB503). The temperature gradient over block R5 is 0.57 °C/cm

### **7.2.5 Canister power (App. 5\page 189)**

The power of the canister in hole 5 has been kept constant at 1800 W from the start 2003-05-08.

Due to problems with the data collection system, data is missing for the first 45 days of the heating.

### **7.2.6 Temperature on the canister surface (App. 5\pages 190-191)**

The first diagram shows the maximum temperature measured in each of the four optical cables placed on the surface of the canister plotted as a function of time. The present maximum measured temperature on the canister surface is about 84 °C. The second diagram shows the distribution of the temperature along the cables at the end of the period. The length of the cable on the canister surface is only about 20 m. The waves of a few degrees are caused by the difference in temperature in the center and ends of the canister. The curves may thus be further corrected after completed calibration.

## **7.3 Deposition hole 6**

### **7.3.1 Total pressure**

#### **Geokon and Kulite (App. 6\pages 195-198)**

The results from two types of transducers are presented in the same plot.

The measured pressure range is from 0 to 0.95 MPa. The highest pressures are indicated from transducers placed in the periphery of block R1 and R9.

One sensor (Kulite) is out of order.

### **7.3.2 Relative humidity/suction**

#### **Vaisala and Rotronic (App. 6\pages 199-205)**

The results from two types of transducers are presented in the same plot.

The sensors placed in the bottom block C1 show very small changes in RH with the time.

The sensors placed in blocks R1, R2, R5, R6, R8 and R9 show very small changes in RH with the time.

Two sensors (WB649, WB650) placed in block R10 and at the top of the canister are indicating an initial wetting of the bentonite and then a continuing drying.

The sensors placed in block C3 and C4 show very small changes in RH with the time.

Sensors WB606, WB634 and WB648 were out of order at the start of the heating phase and are not plotted in this report.

15 of the initial 37 installed sensors are out of order at the time, some of them due to data logger problems.

### **7.3.3 Wescore Psychrometers (App. 6\page 206)**

Three of totally six sensors installed in the rock wall of the deposition hole are beginning to measure a decreasing in suction of the rock mass.

### **7.3.4 Pore water pressure**

#### **Geokon and Kulite (App. 6\pages 207-209)**

All sensors yield very low pressures.

Two sensors (UB604 and UB614 Kulite) are out of order.

### **7.3.5 Temperature in the buffer (App. 6\pages 210-213 and 220)**

Three thermocouples (TB611, TB619 and TB627) are placed on the surface of the canister. TB611 placed closed to the bottom of the canister shows a maximum temperature of about 75 °C while TB619 placed at the middle of canister shows a maximum temperature of 81 °C. TB627 placed close to the top of the canister is showing a maxim temperature of 80 °C.

The maximum temperature in the buffer recorded so far is 80 °C. It is measured in block R5, close to the canister (TB612). The temperature plot for this transducer indicates that it is in contact with the canister. When this transducer is excluded the maximum temperature gradient over block R5 is about 0.50 °C/cm.

### **7.3.6 Canister power (App. 6\page 217)**

The power of the canister in hole 6 has been kept constant at 1800 W from the start 2003-05-23.

Due to problems with the data collection system, data is missing for the first 30 days of the heating.

### **7.3.7 Temperature on the canister surface (App. 6\pages 218-219)**

The first diagram shows the maximum temperature plotted as a function of time. The average maximum measured temperature on the canister surface is about 88 °C. The second diagram shows the distribution of the temperature along the optical cables. Compared to the measurements of the canister temperature with conventional thermo couples (see chapter 7.3.4) the optical cables yield a higher maximum temperature. The temperature curves from the optical cables may be corrected after final calibration.

## **7.4 Backfill in Section 2**

### **7.4.1 Total pressure**

#### **Geokon (App. 7\page 223)**

Two transducers (PFA04, PFA13) are indicating an increasing total pressure (390-400 kPa). Both of the transducers are placed just above the bentonite surface in the two deposition holes 5 and 6. The rest of the total pressure transducers are measuring very small pressures.

#### **Kulite (App.7 \page 224)**

Two transducers (PFA05, PFA12) are indicating an increasing total pressure (310-340 kPa). Both of the transducers are placed just above the bentonite surface in the two deposition holes 5 and 6. The rest of the total pressure transducers are measuring very small pressures.

#### **7.4.2 Suction (App. 7 \pages 225-231)**

The suction in the backfill is measured with Wescor psychrometers. Most psychrometers yield suction values between 2500 and 3500 kPa, which correspond to the initial suction at a water ratio in the backfill of 12%. Some sensors have clearly being wetted to almost full saturation (suction below 1500 kPa). The sensors (WFA12, WFA20, WFA25, WFA27) are placed close the rock surface. A slight decrease in suction and thus a wetting of the backfill is noted by a few more sensors.

The position of WFA14 is not clear and the sensor is not plotted in this report.

Three sensors, which have not indicated full saturation (WFA03, WFA21 and WFA22,) are at present out of order.

#### **7.4.3 Pore water pressure**

##### **Geokon (App. 7\pages 232-234)**

No increase in water pressure in the backfill is noticed by any of these sensors.

##### **Kulite (App. 7\page 235)**

No increase in water pressure in the backfill is noticed by any of these sensors.

#### **7.4.4 Temperature (App. 7\pages 236-238)**

The temperature in the backfill ranges from 16 to 25 °C. The highest temperatures are as expected measured above the buffer in hole 5 and hole 6.

### **7.5 Temperature in the rock**

#### **7.5.1 Near hole 5 (App. 5\pages 186-188)**

The maximum temperature in the rock (49 °C) is measured by TROA5045 located at rock surface near the center of the canister in deposition hole 5.

Four transducers are temporary out of order and additional six transducers show suddenly increase in temperature with (2 degree) due to data logger problems.

#### **7.5.2 Near hole 6 (App. 7\pages 214-216)**

The maximum temperature in the rock (47 °C) is measured by TROA6045 located at rock surface near the center of the canister in deposition hole 6.

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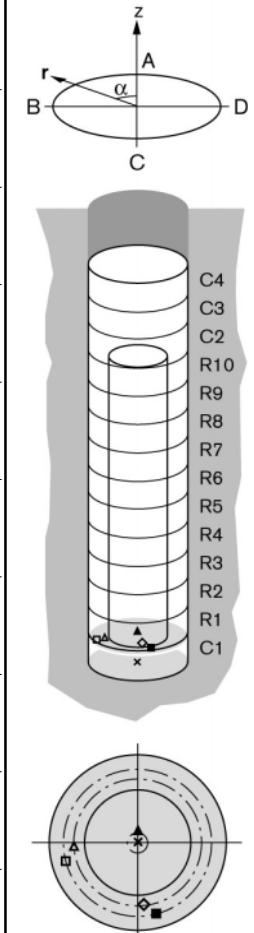
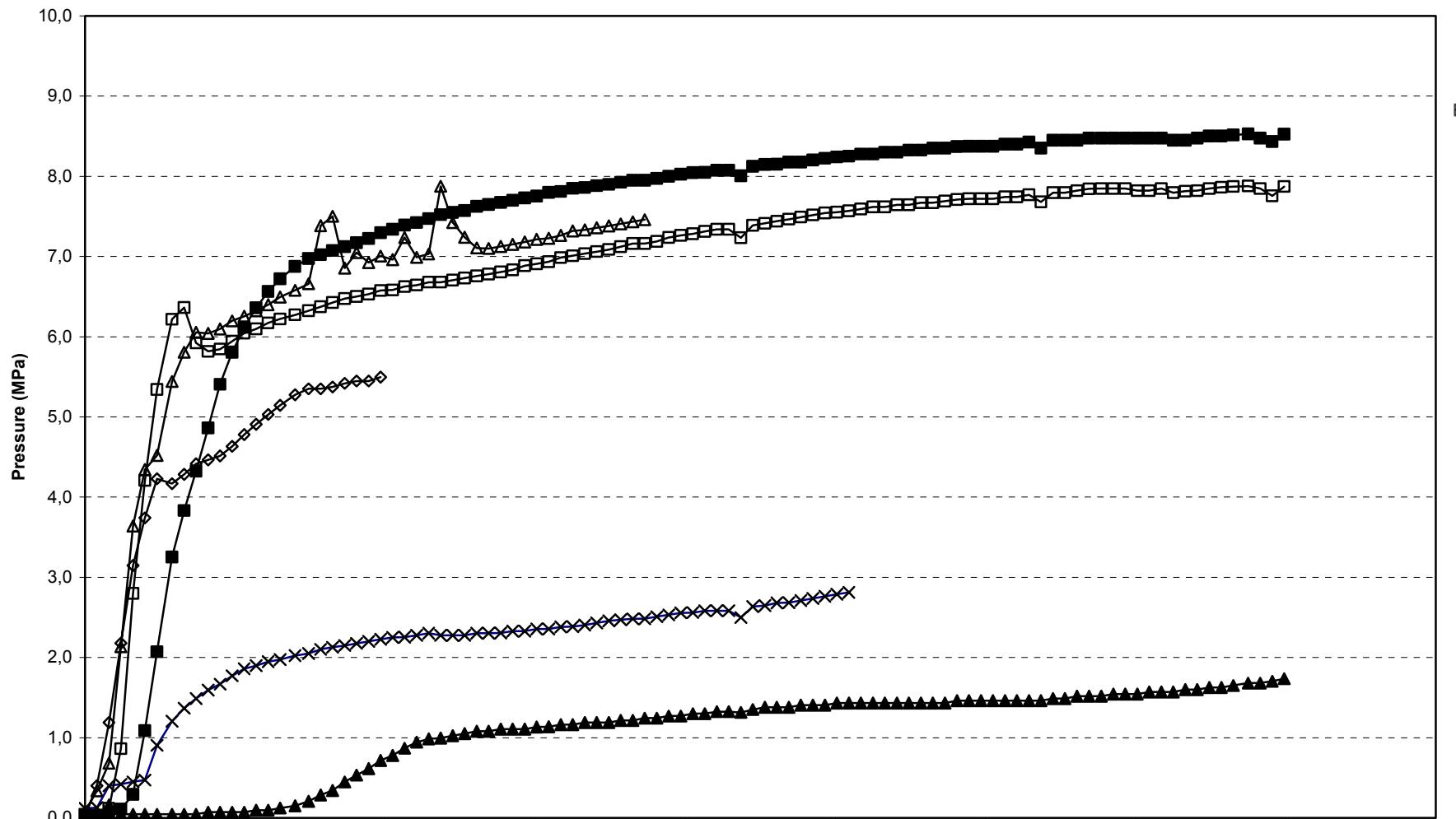


# **Appendix 1**

## **Dep. hole 1**

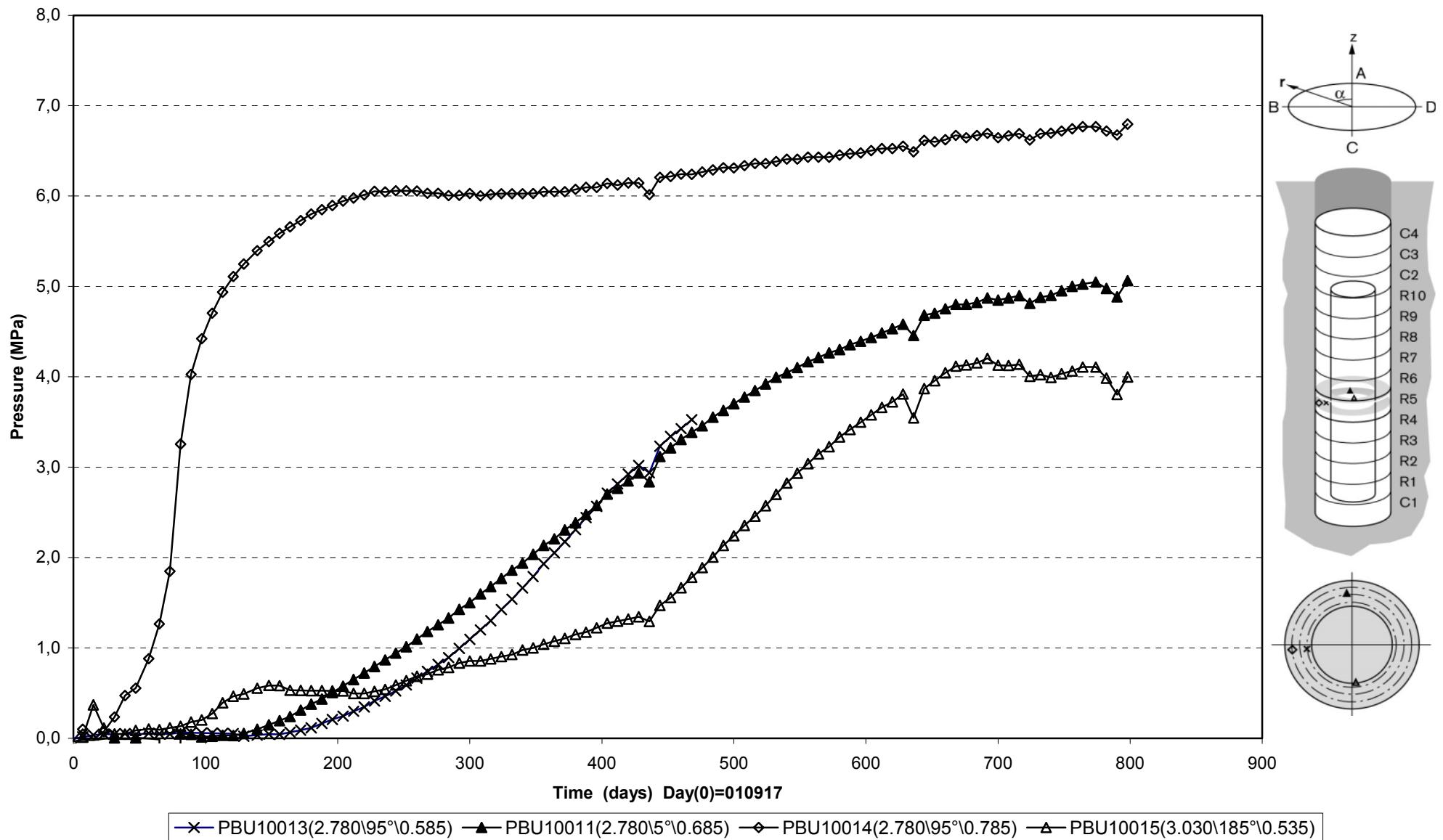


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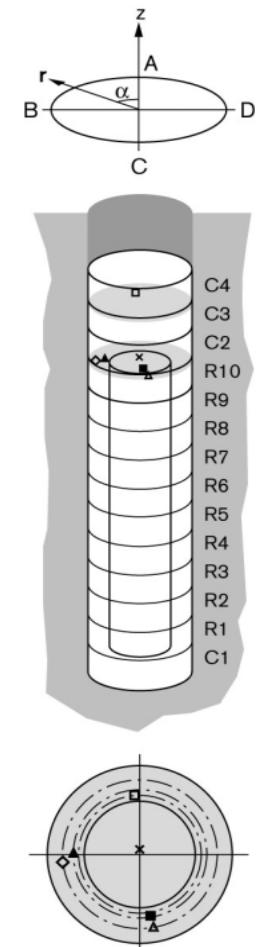
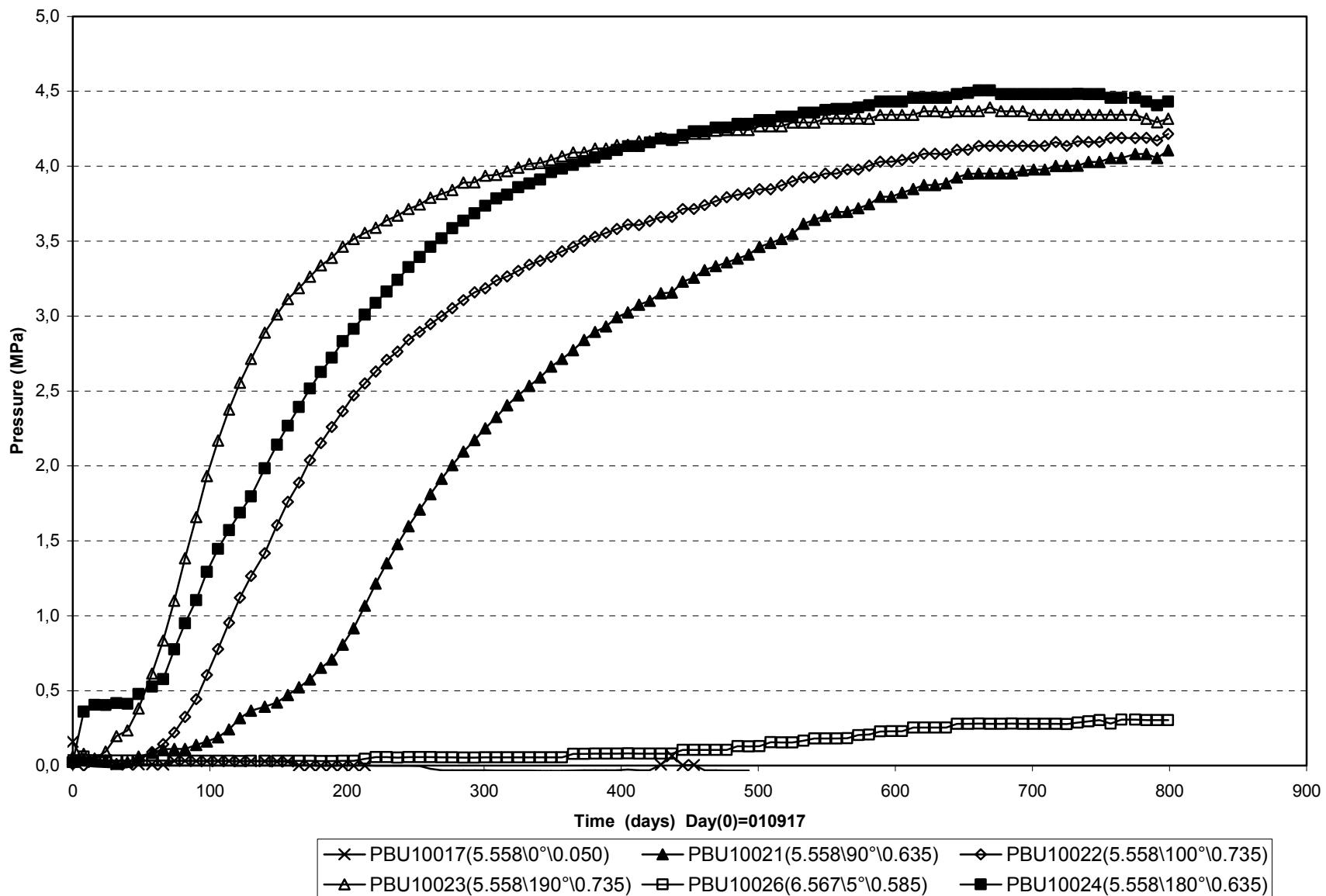


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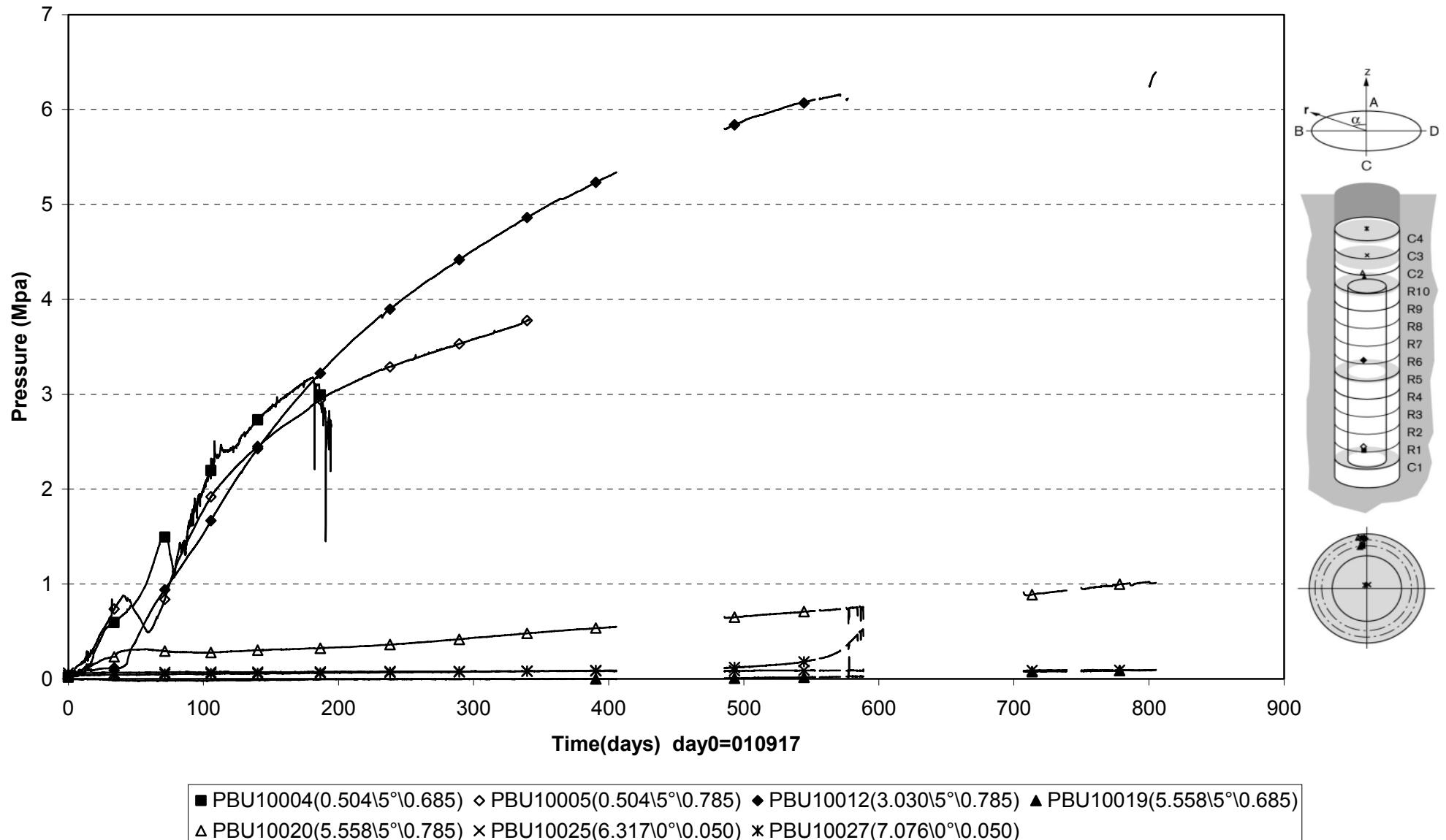
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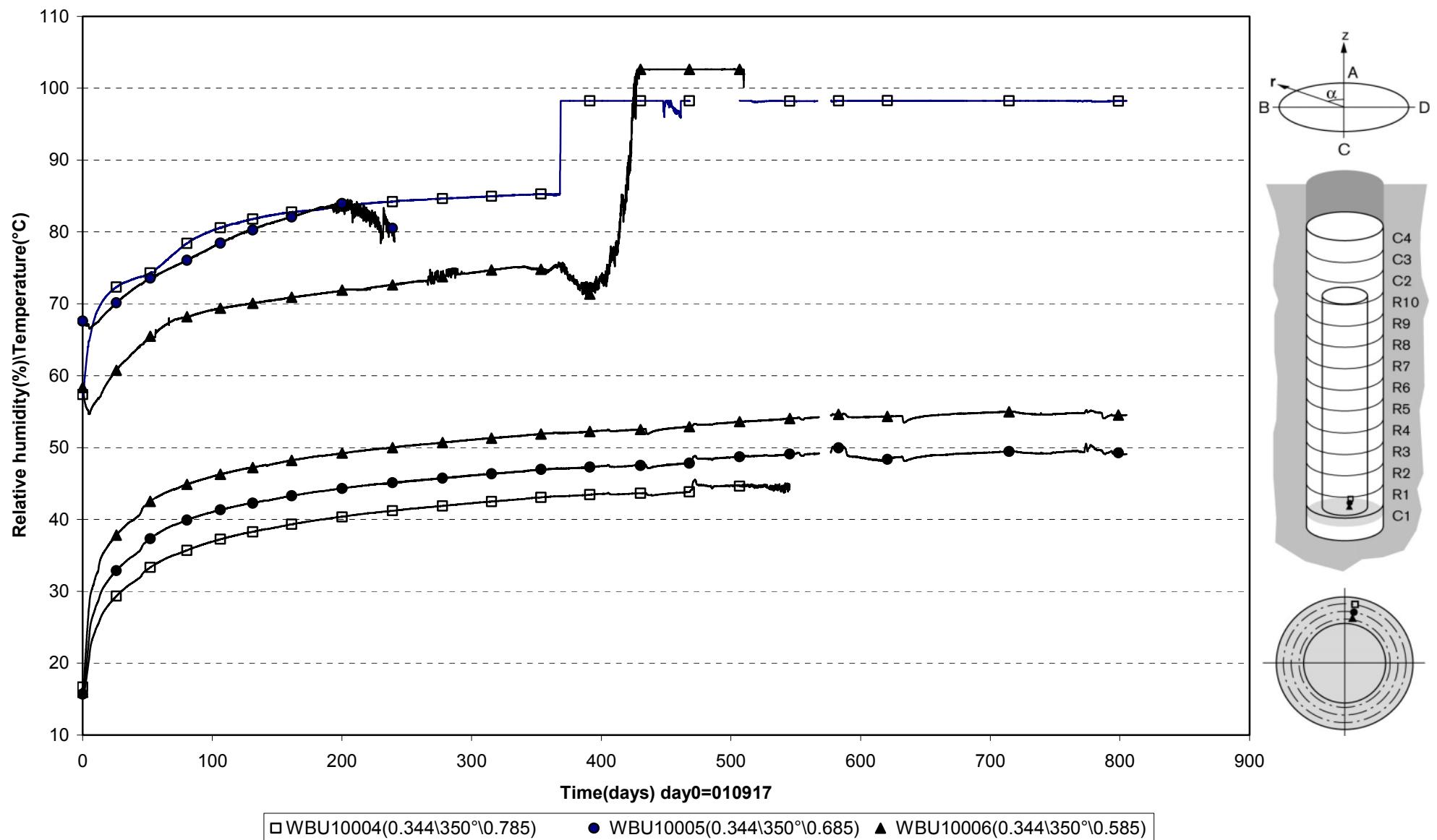
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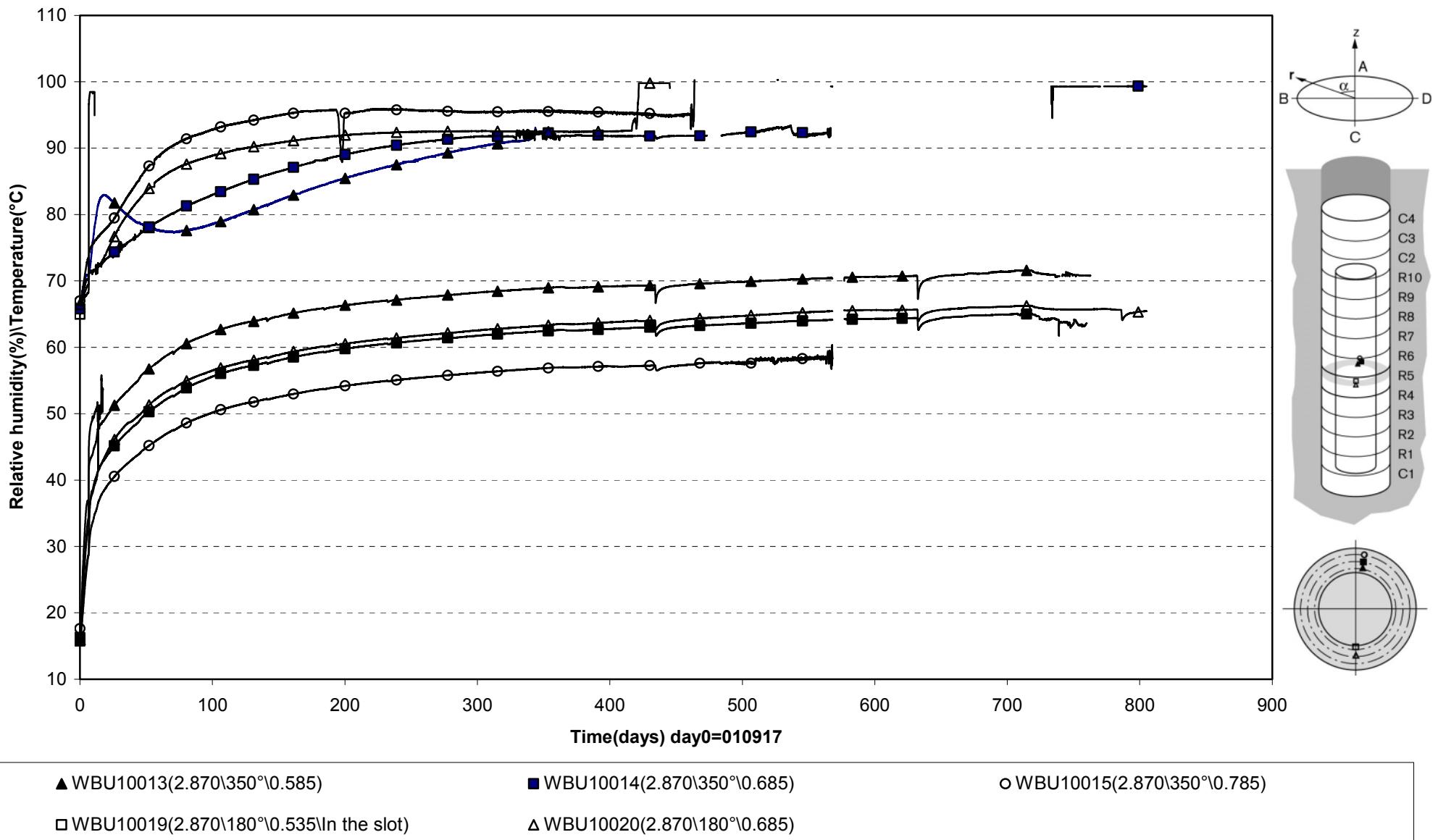
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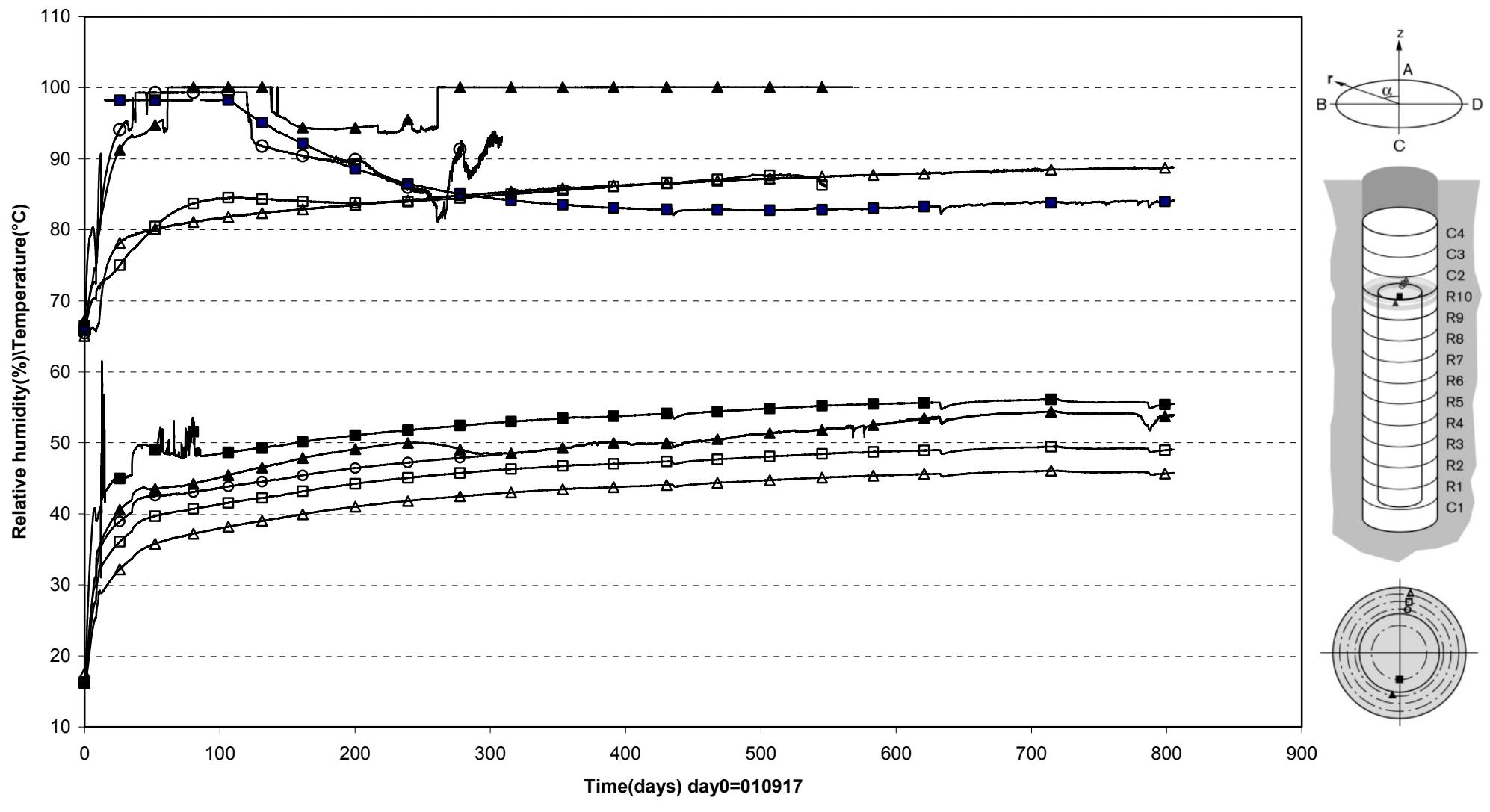
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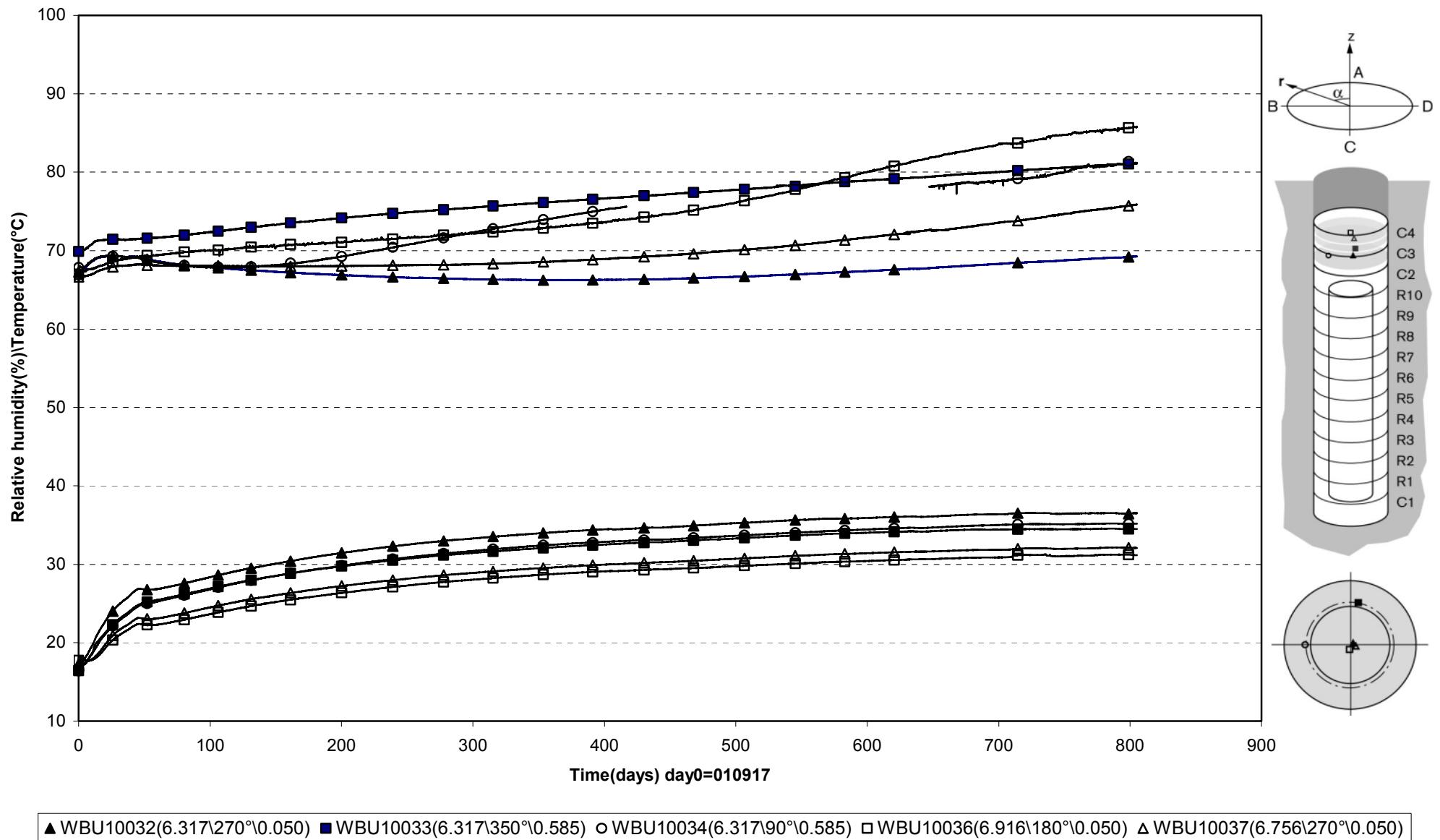


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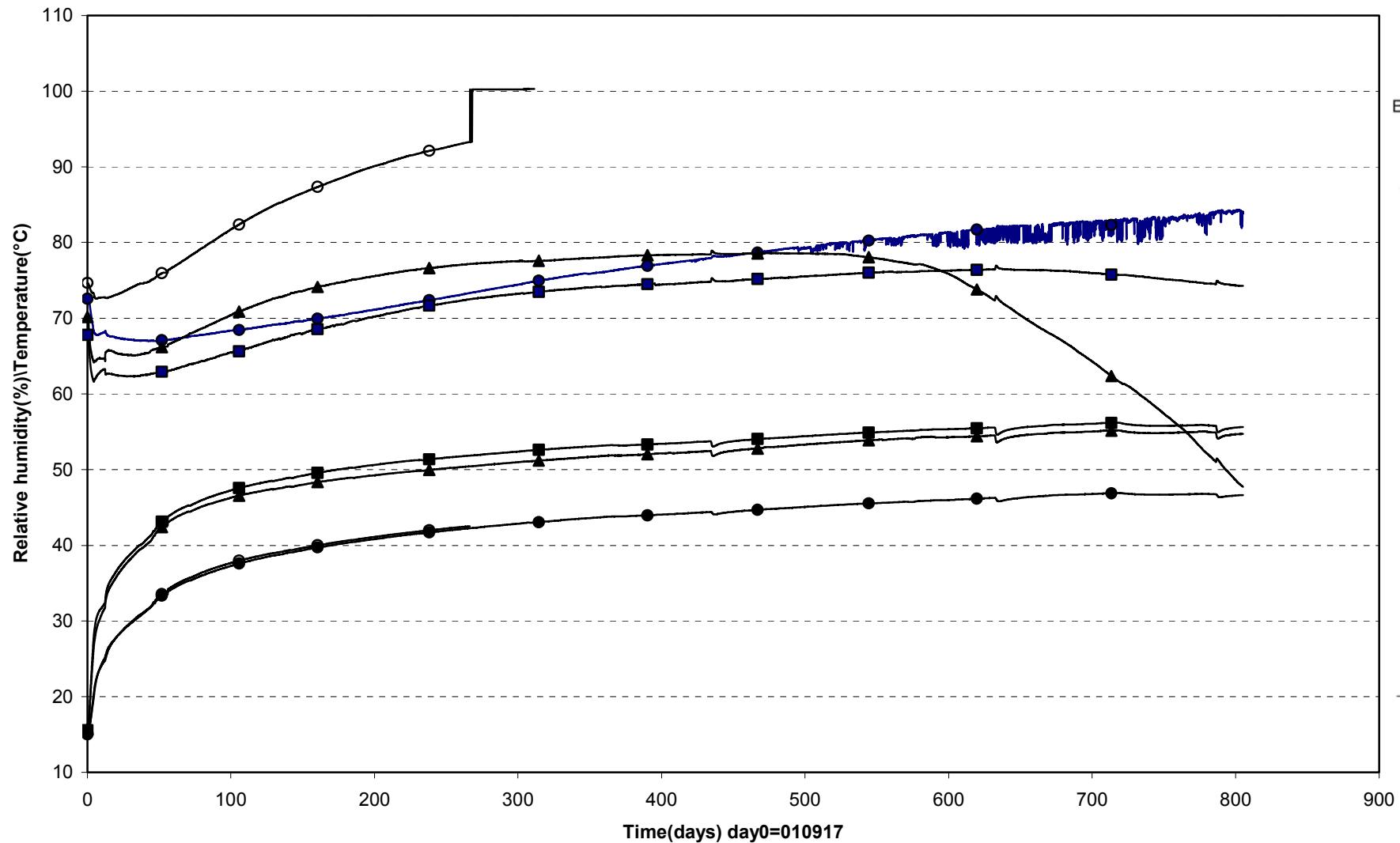


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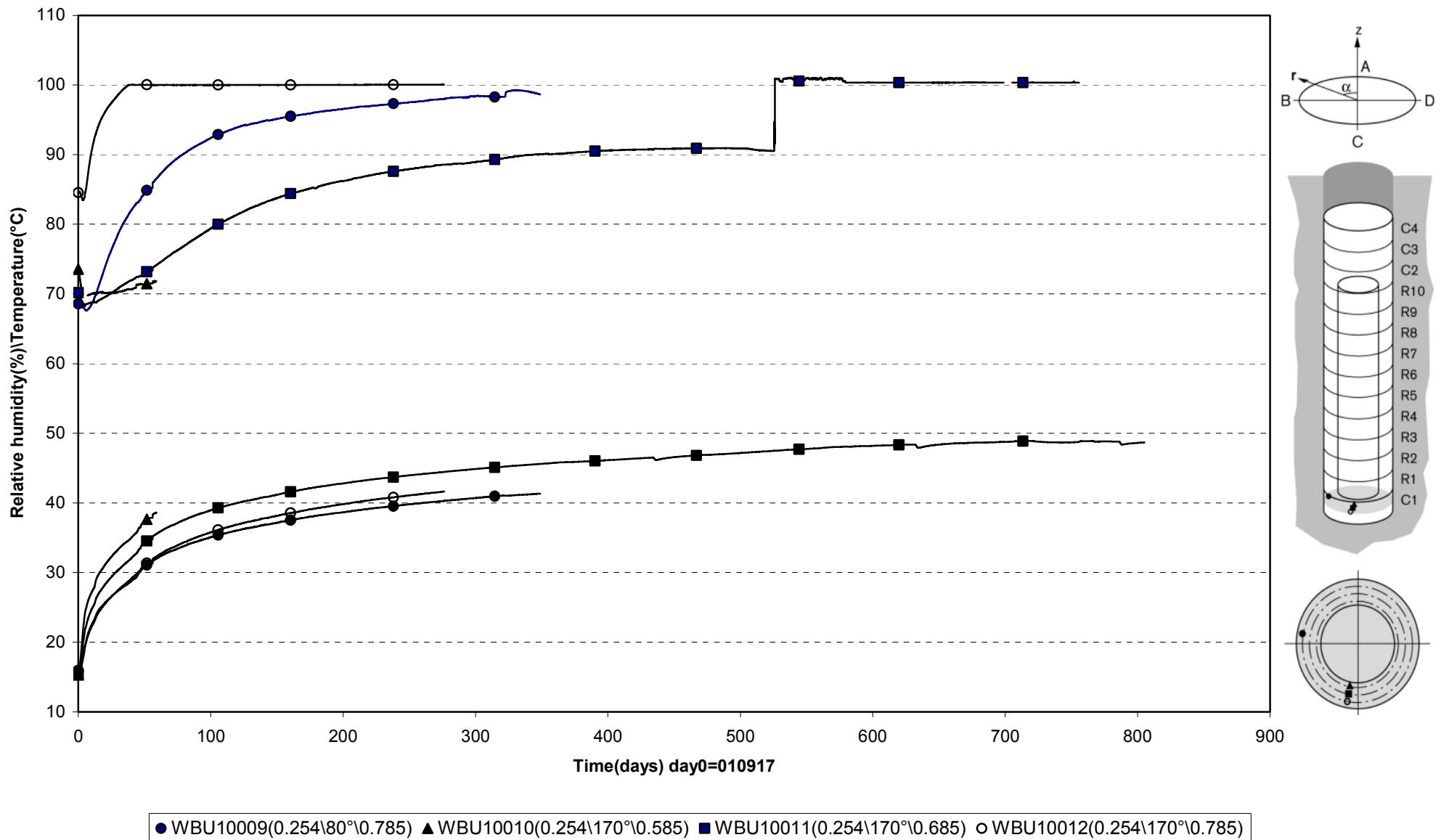


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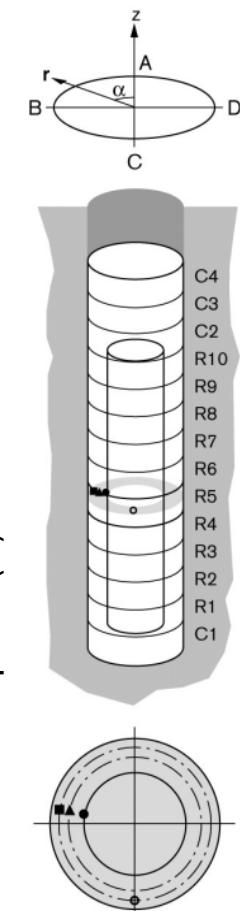
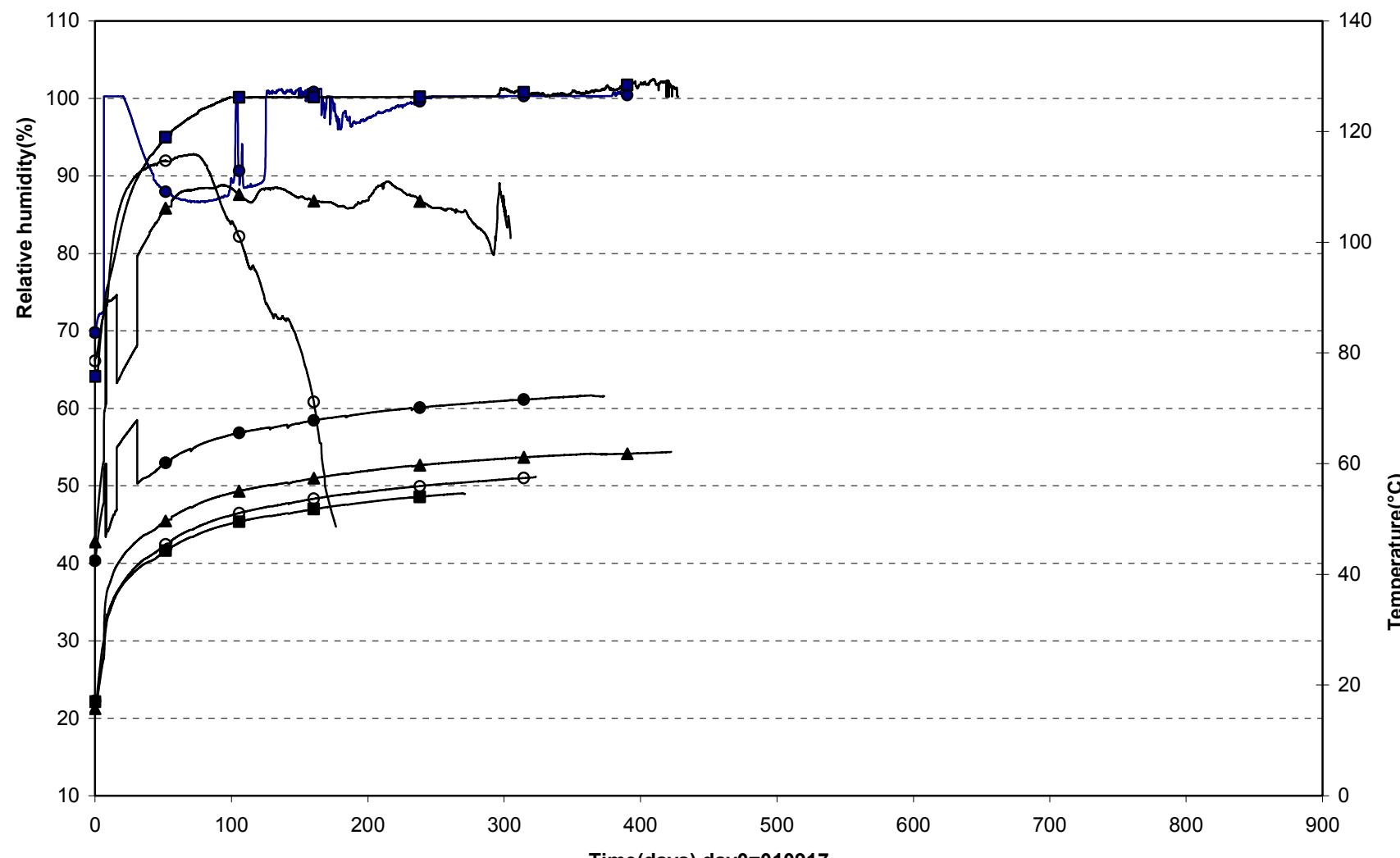


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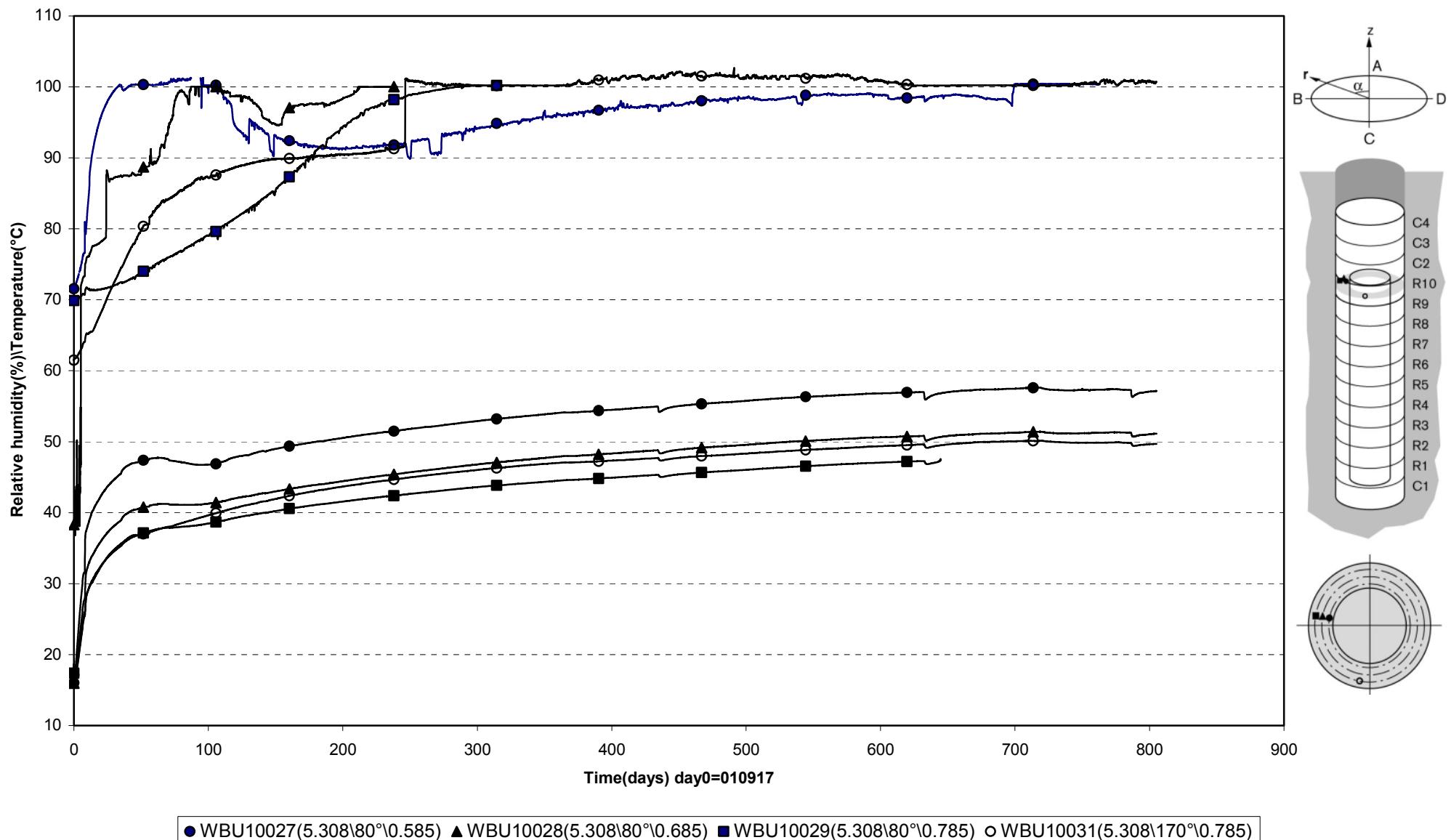
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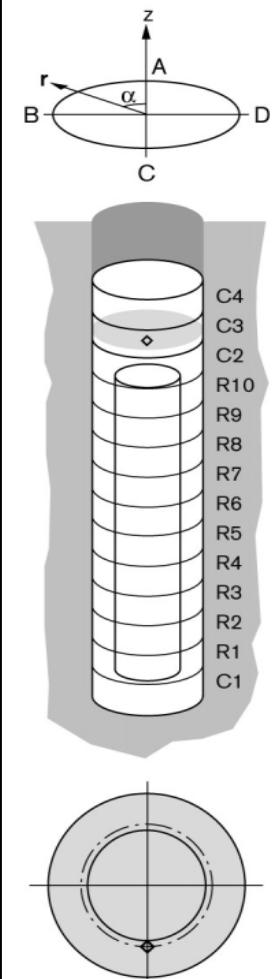
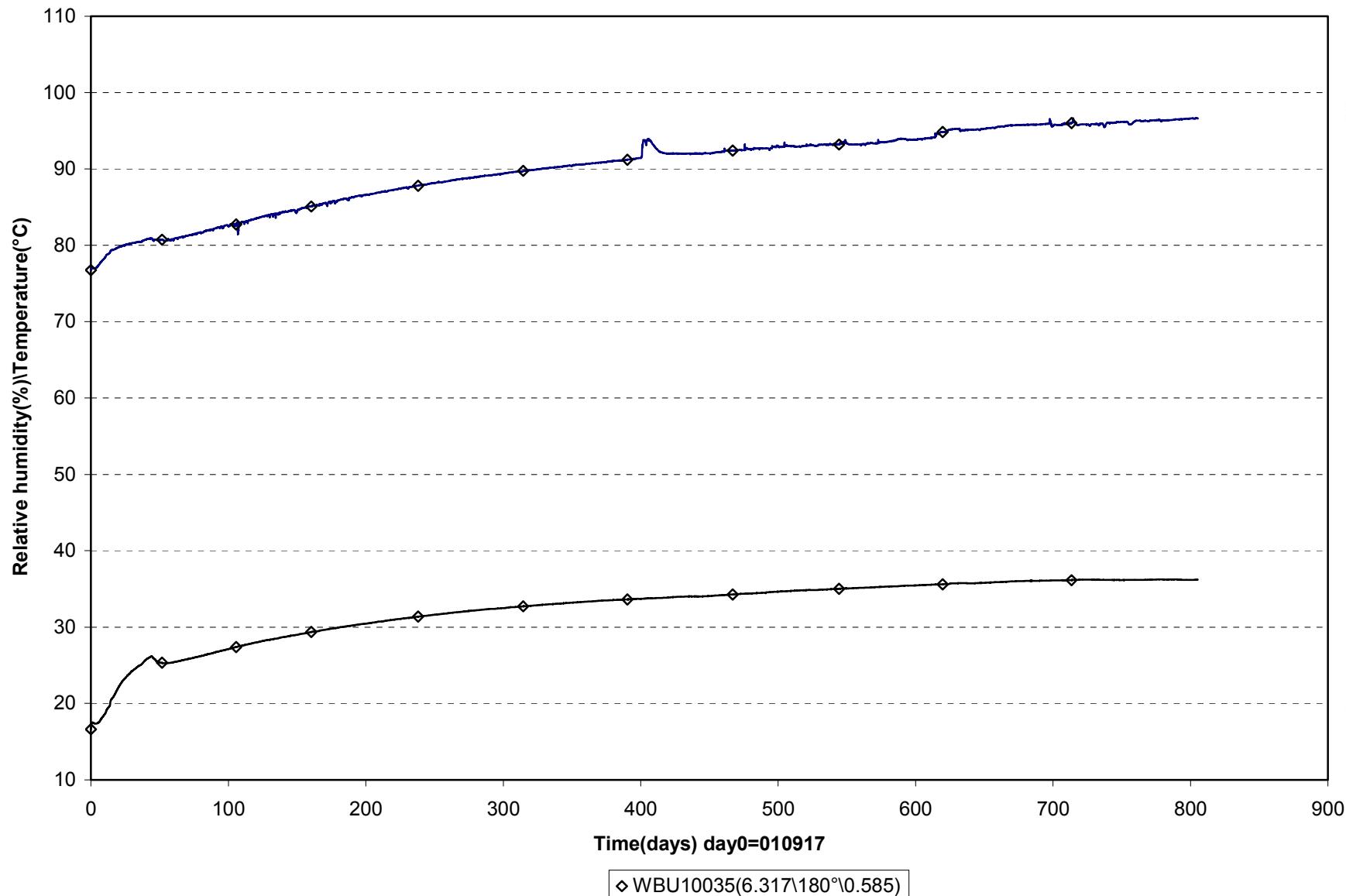
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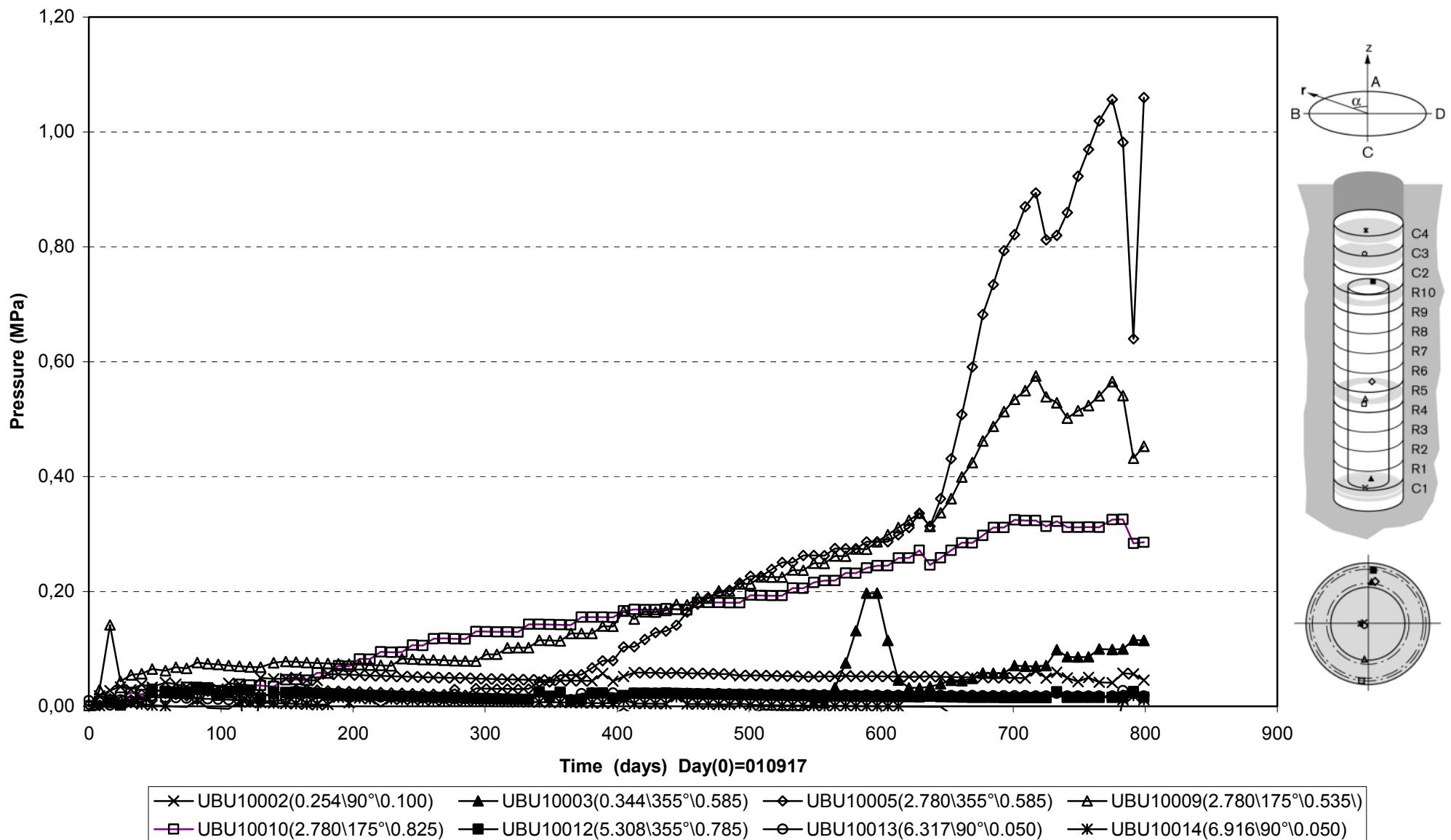
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 Relative humidity - Rotronic



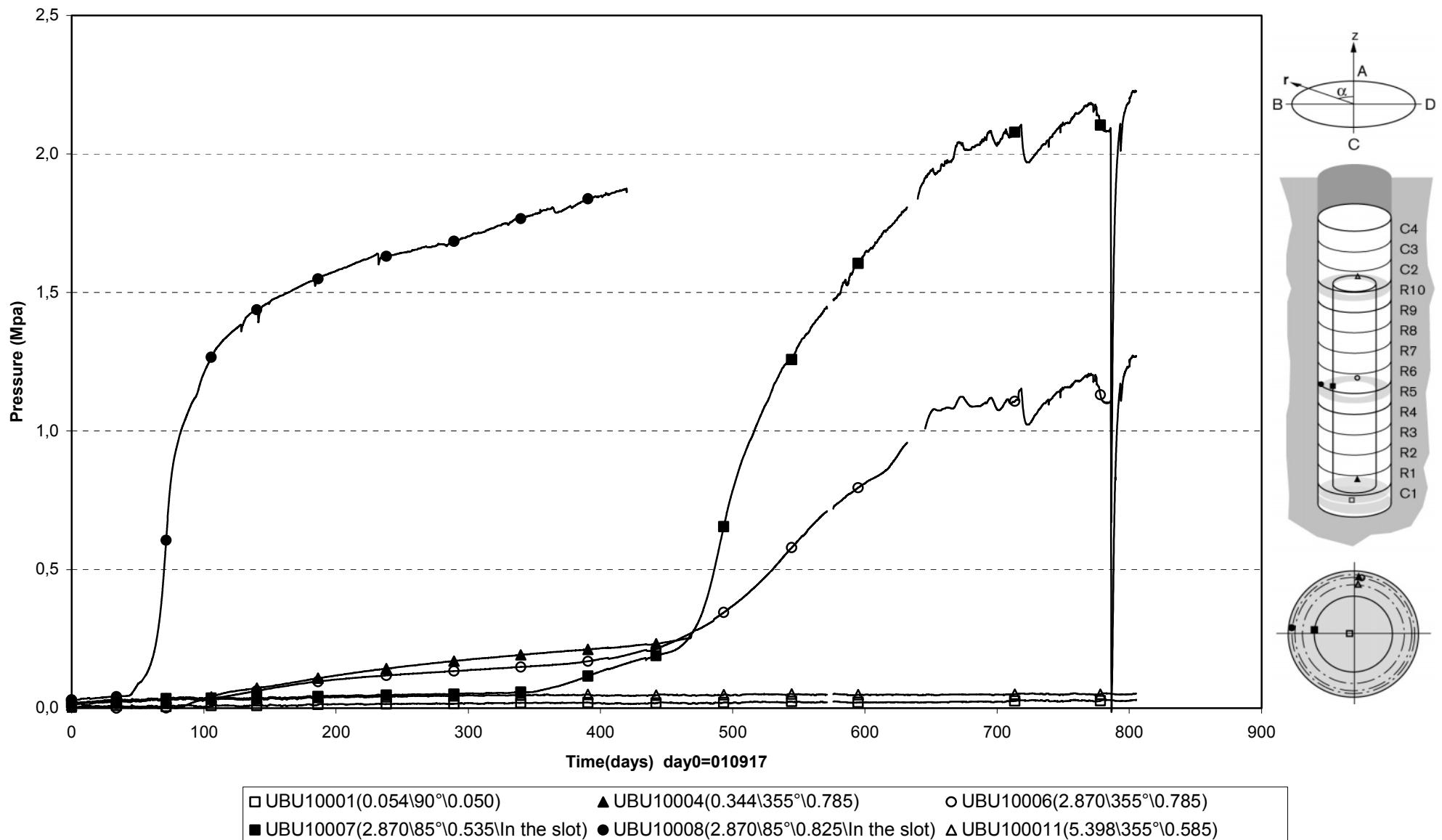
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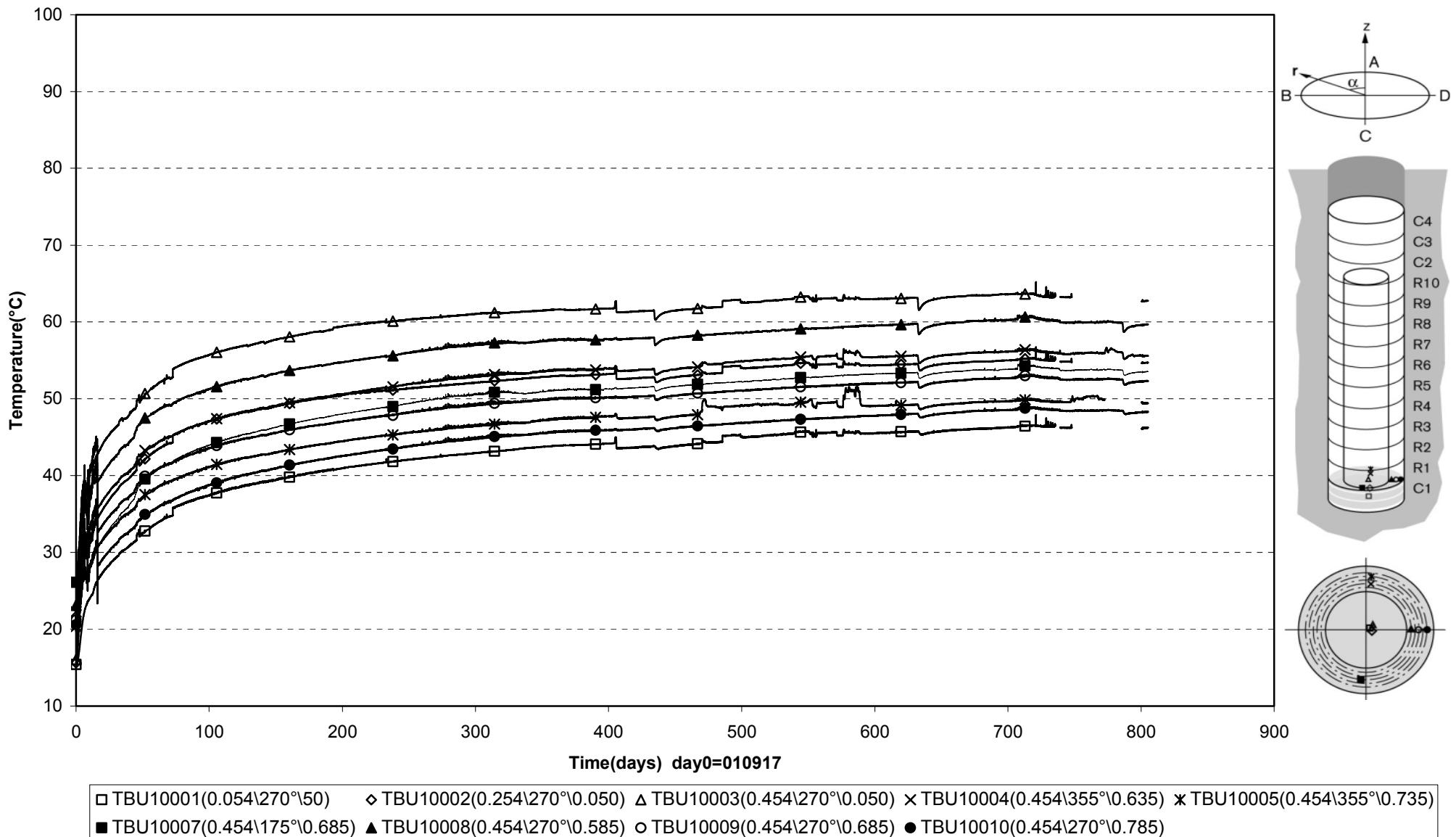
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**Pore pressure - Geokon**



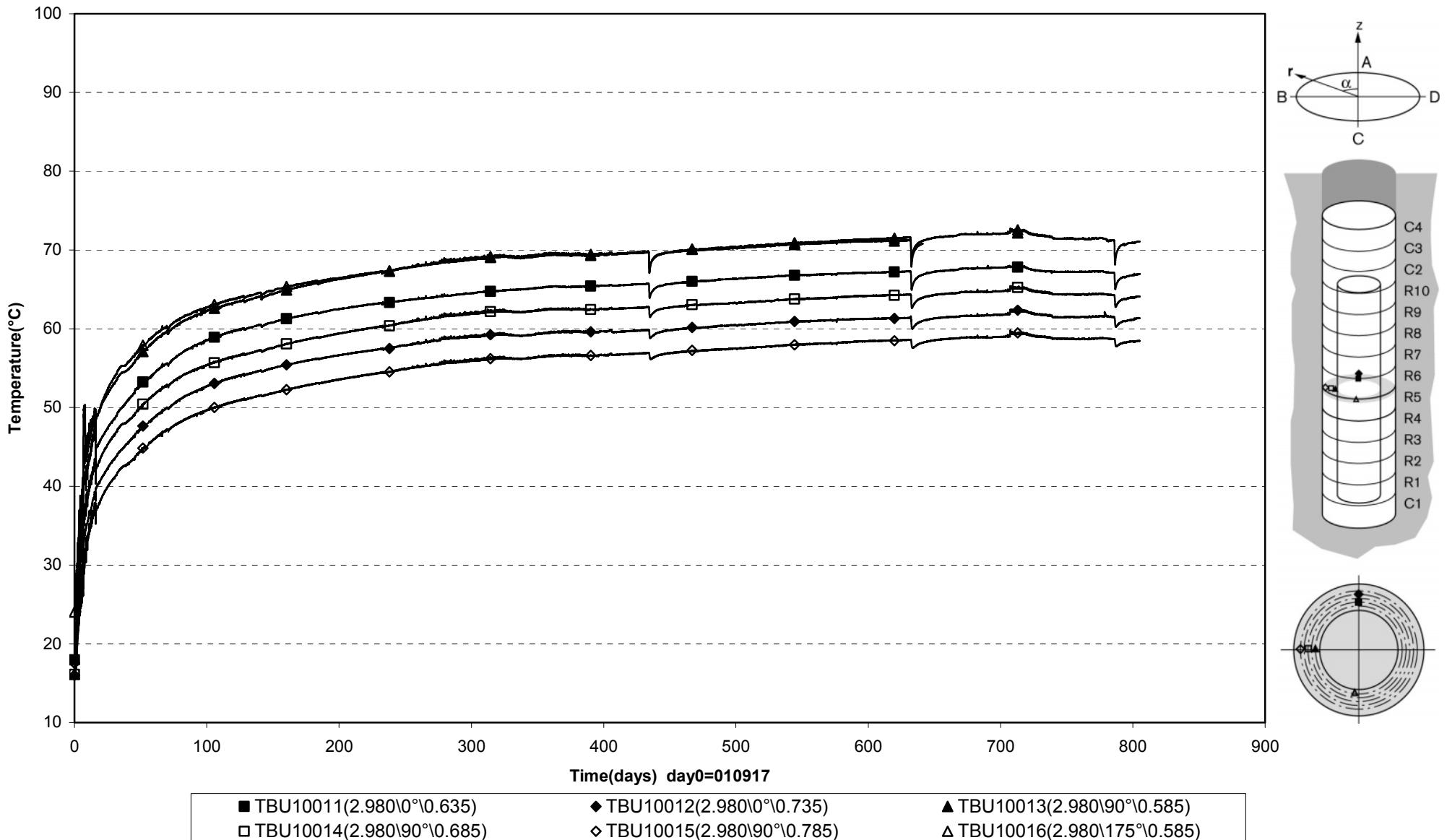
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**Pore pressure - Kulite**



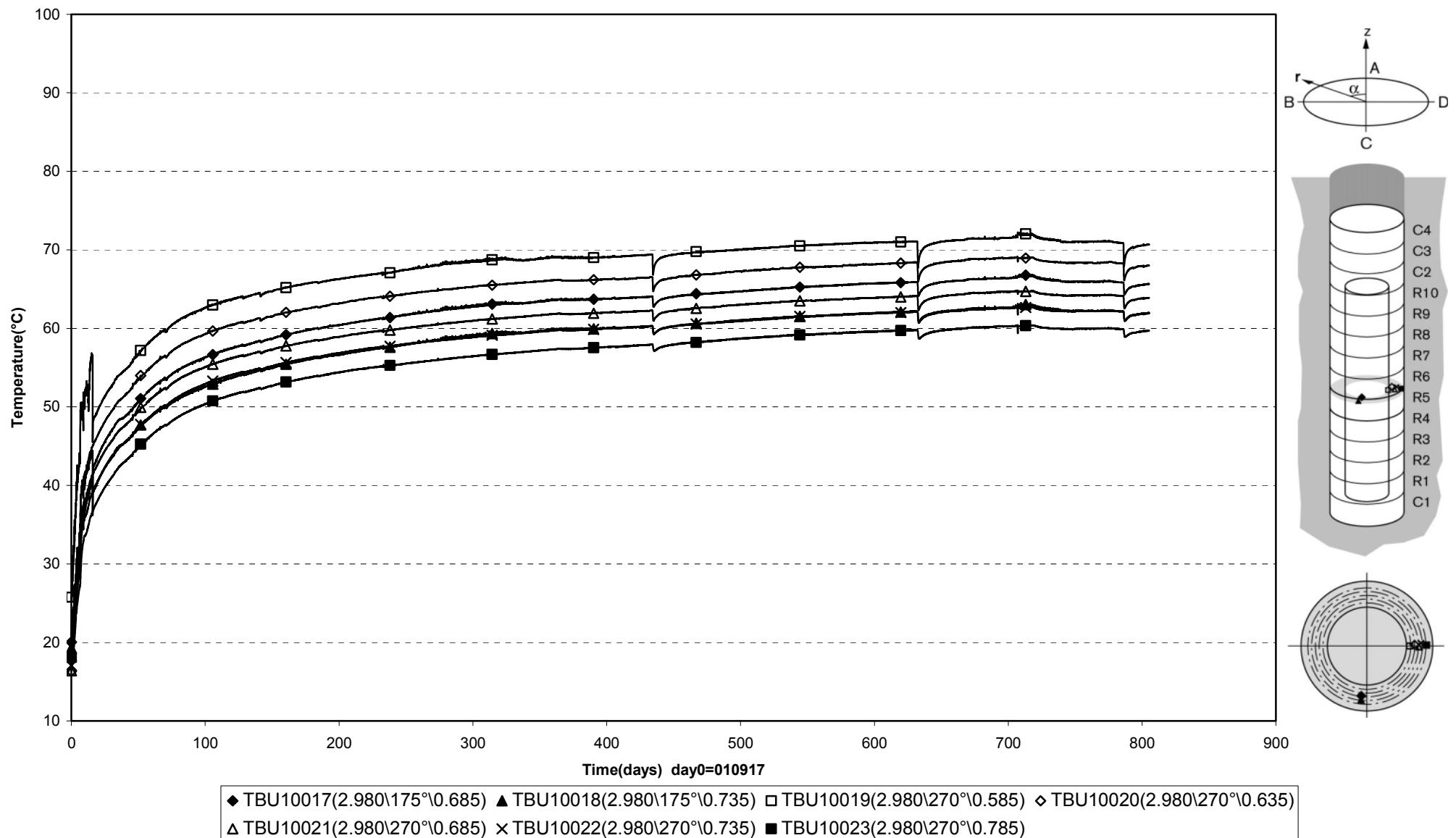
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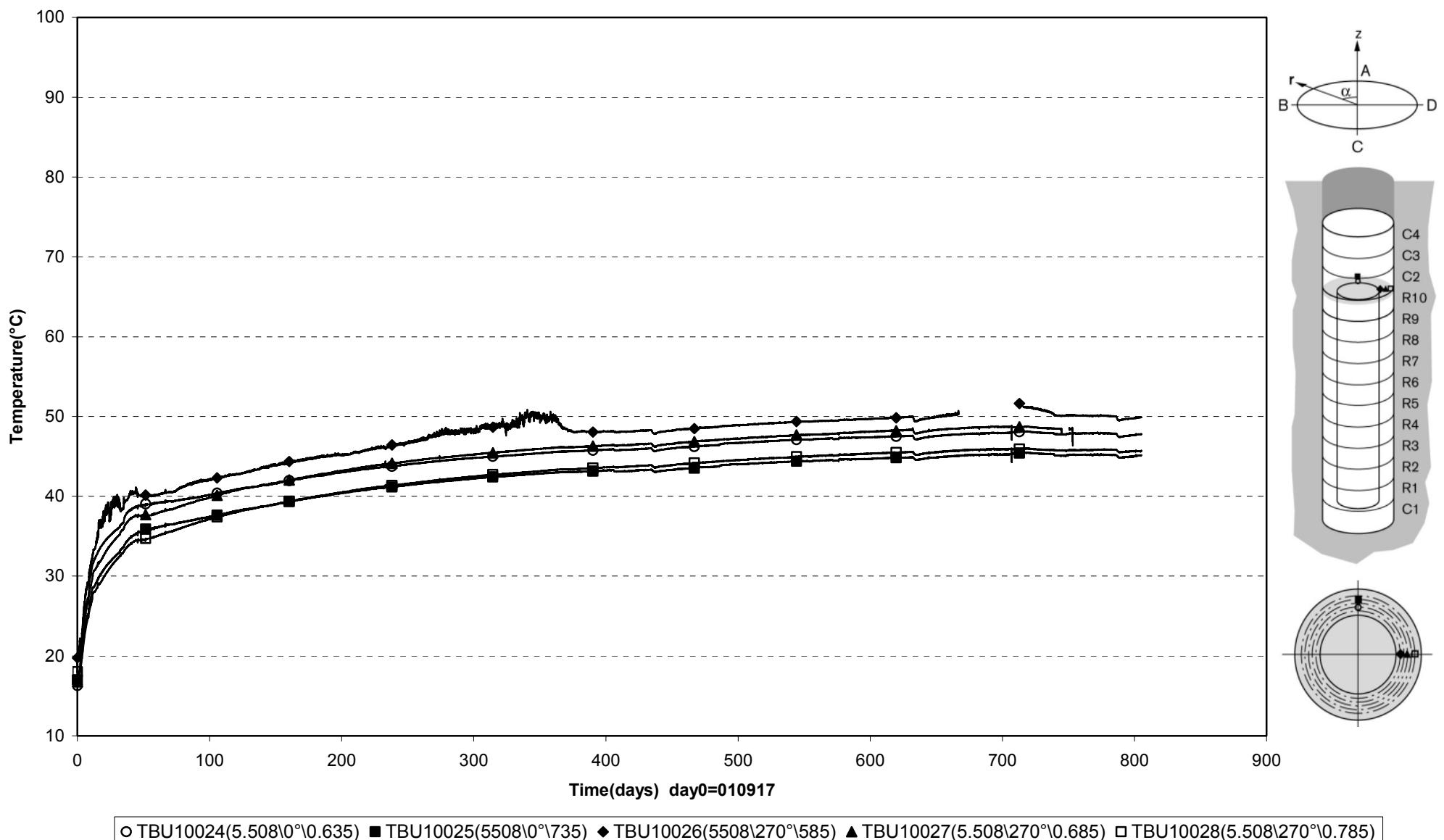
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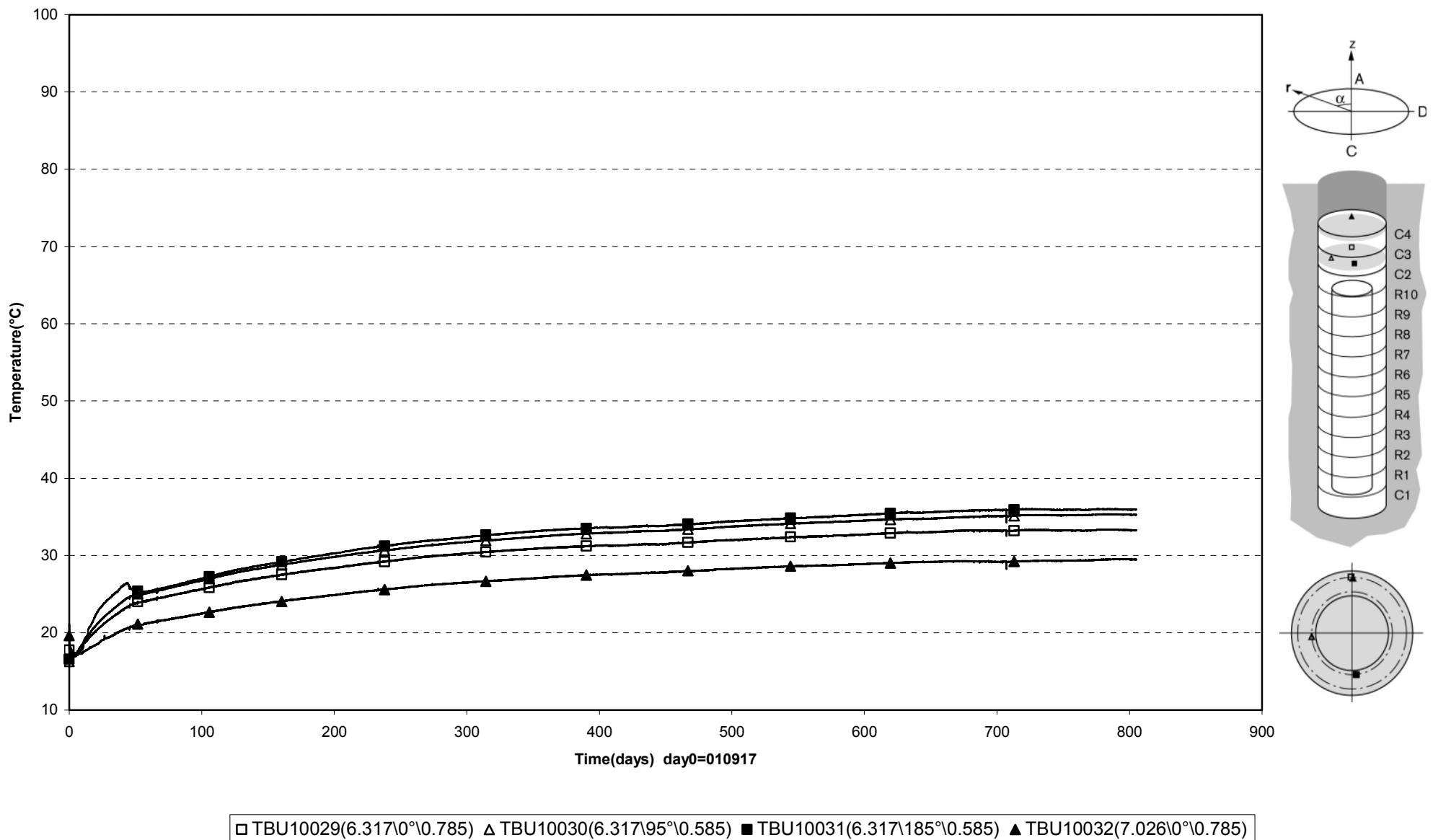
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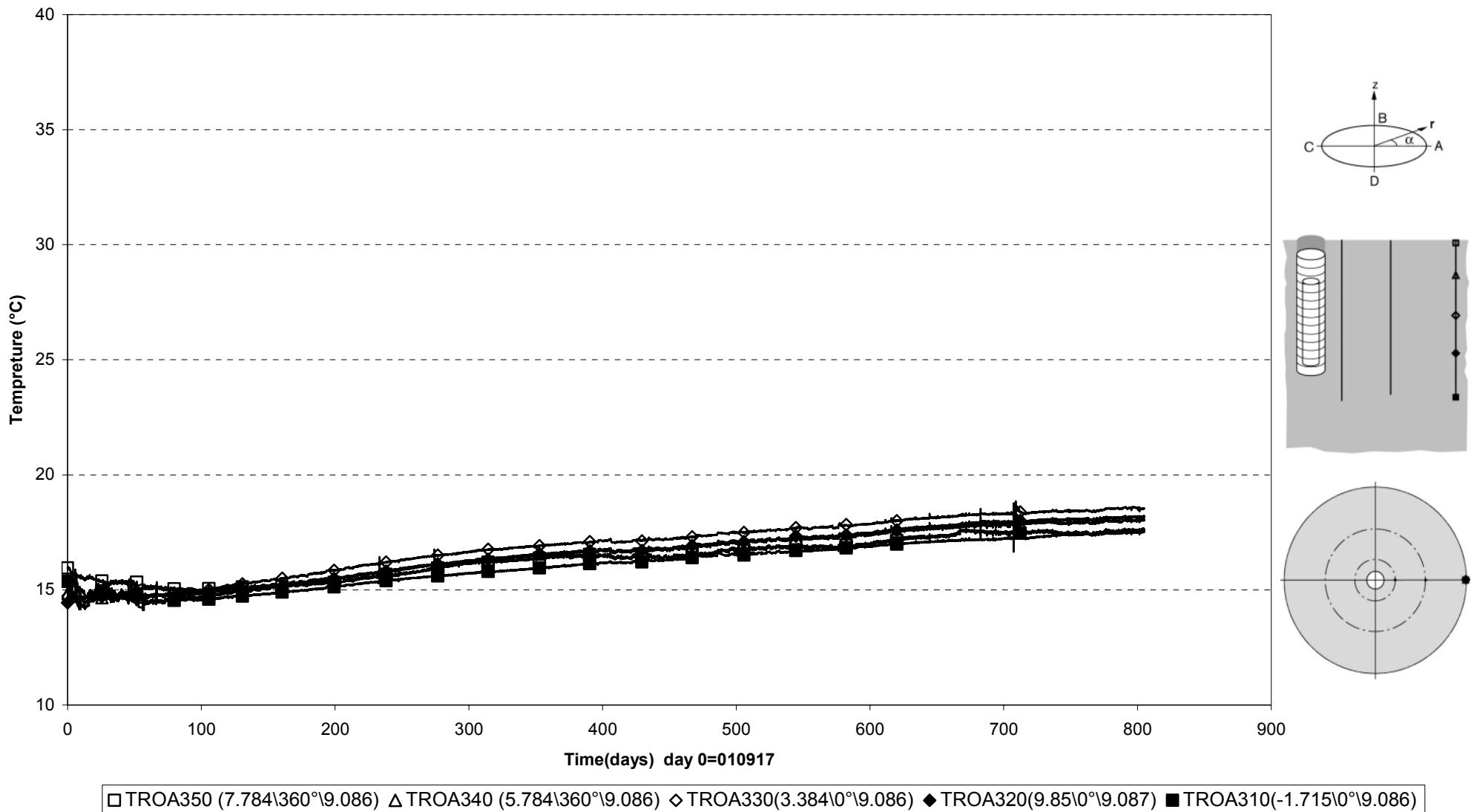
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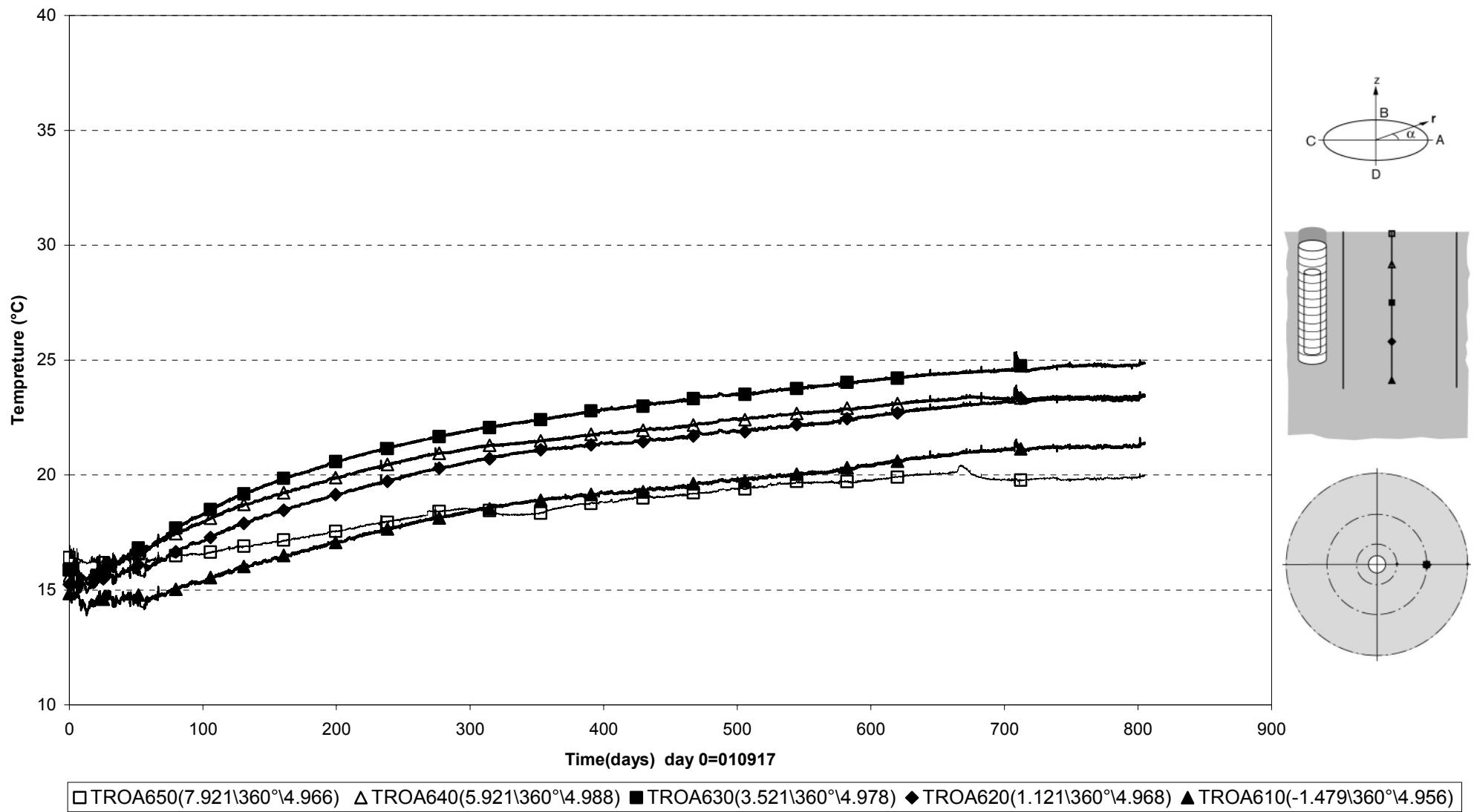
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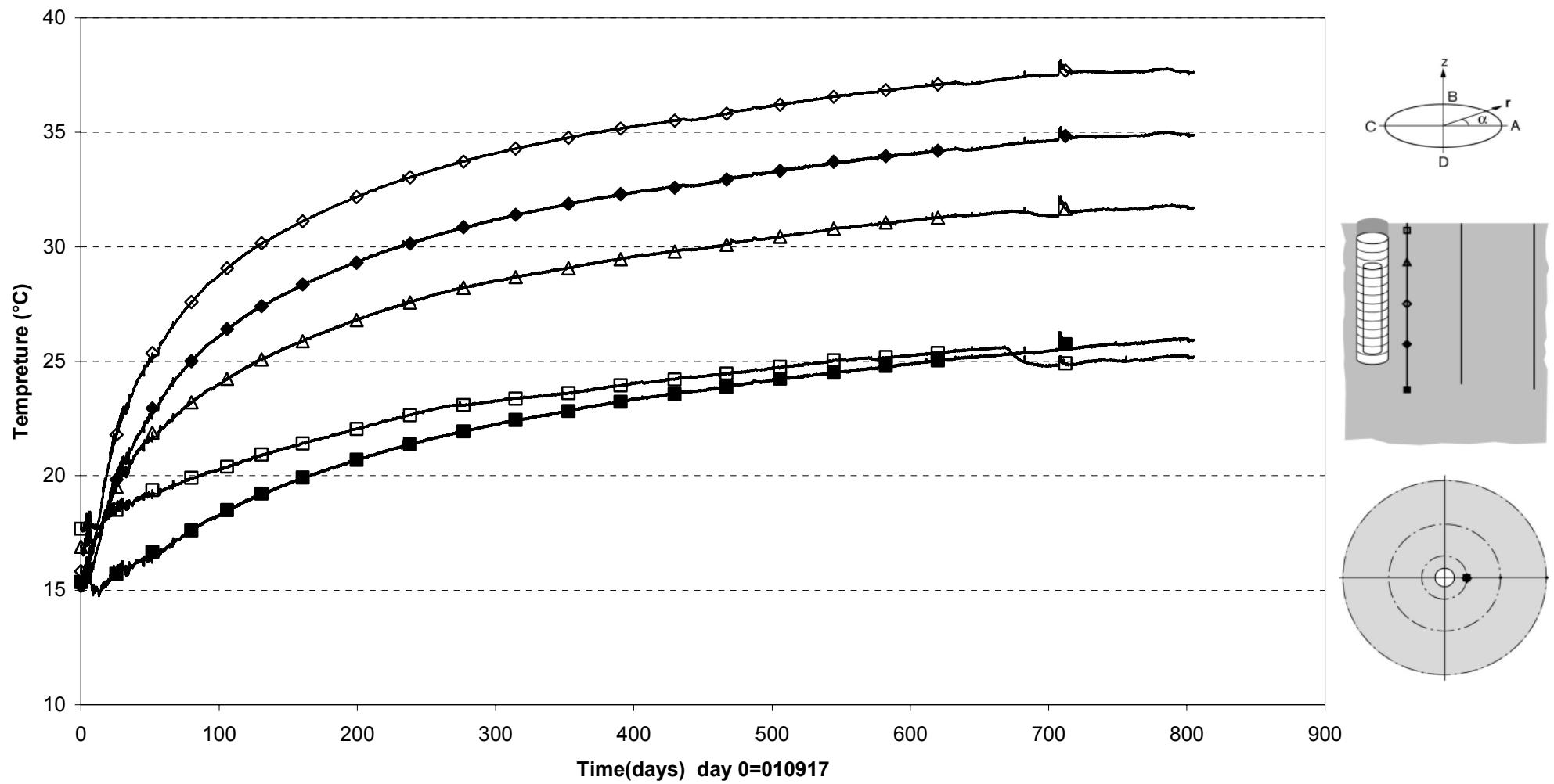
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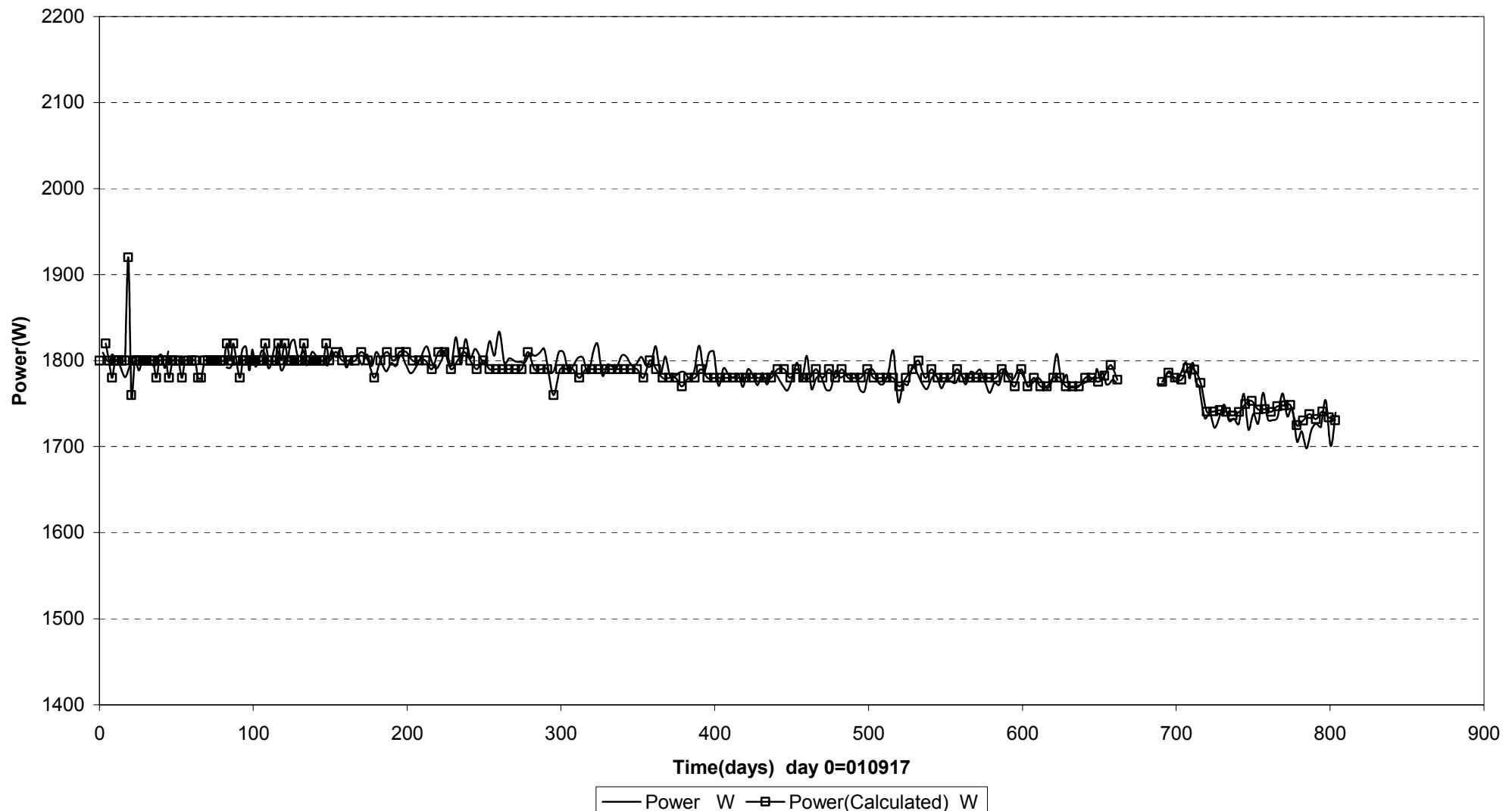
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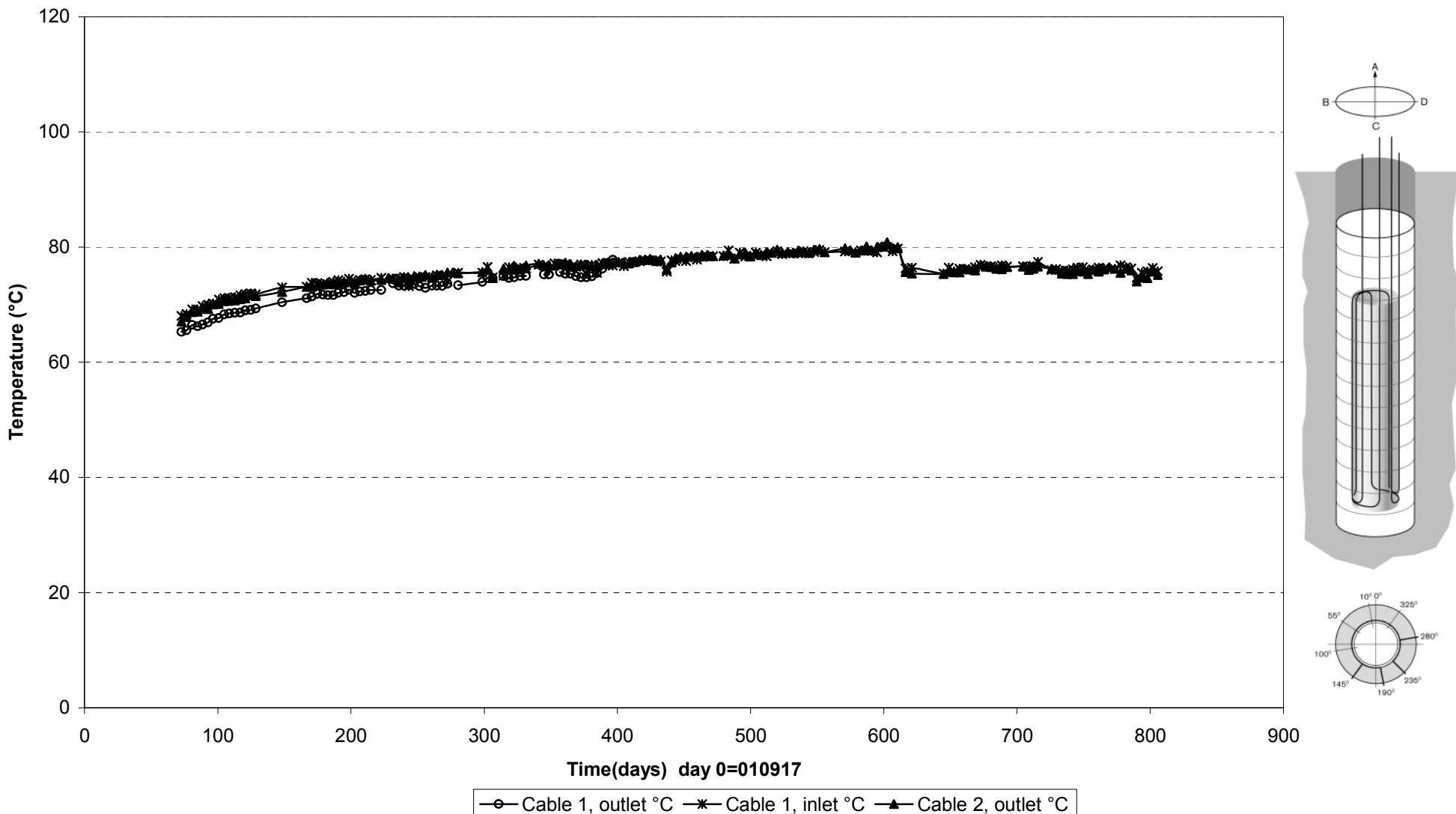
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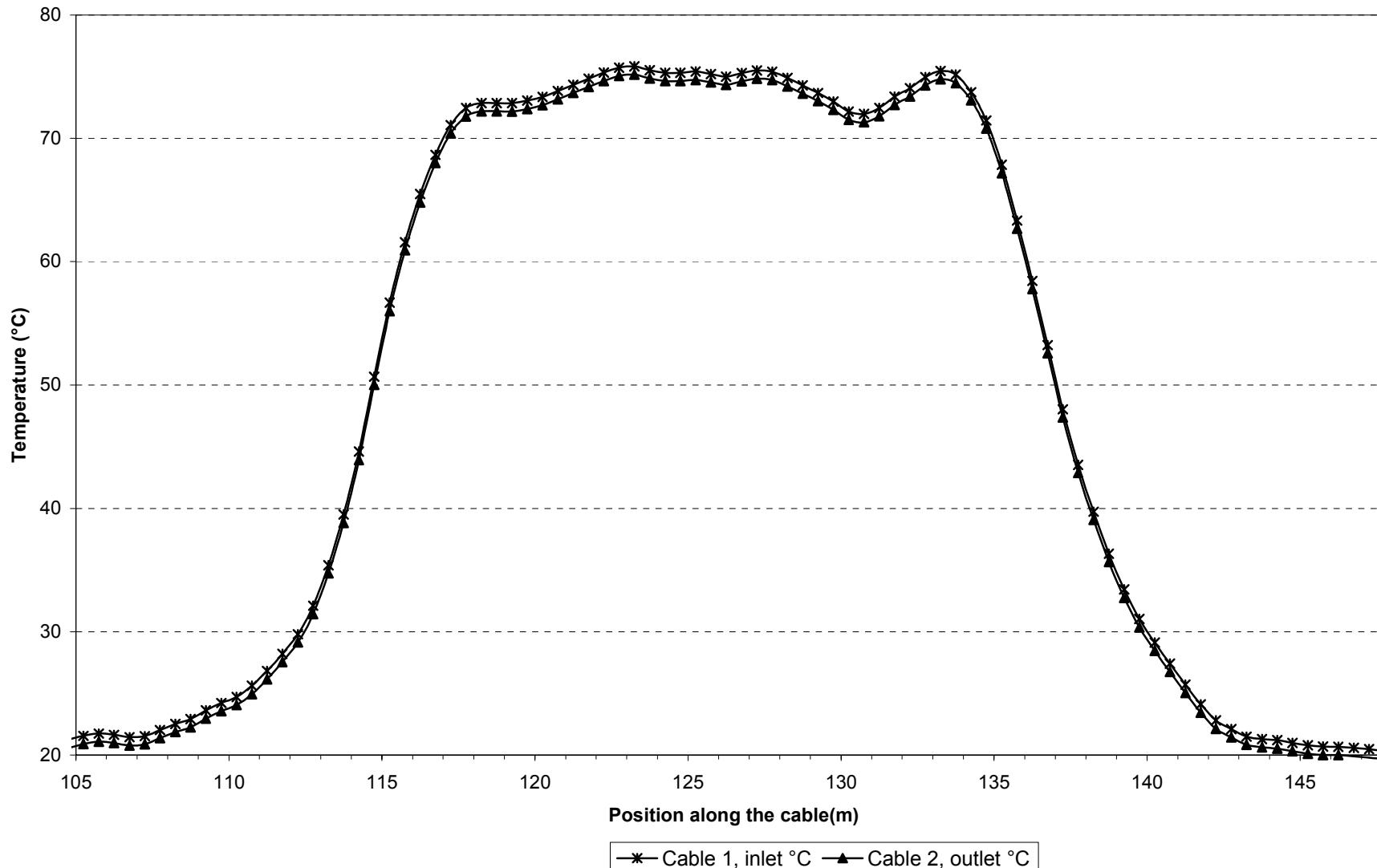
**Prototype\ Hole 1 (010917-031201)**  
**Canister power**



**Prototype\ Hole 1 \Canister (010917-031201)**  
**Max. temperature on the canister surface - Optical fiber cables**



**Prototype\ Hole 1 \ Canister (031201)**  
**Temperature profile on the canister surface - Optical fiber cables**

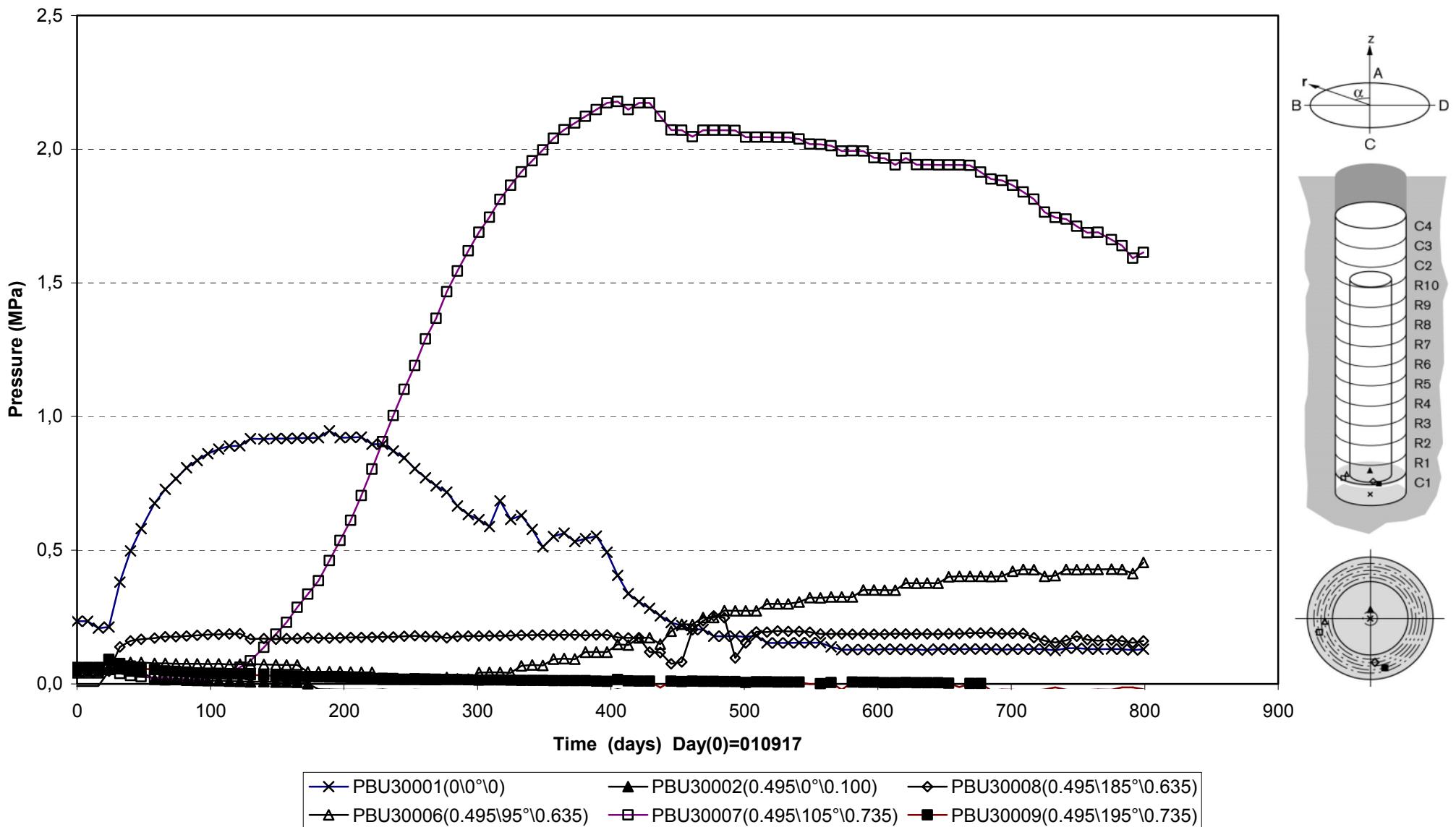


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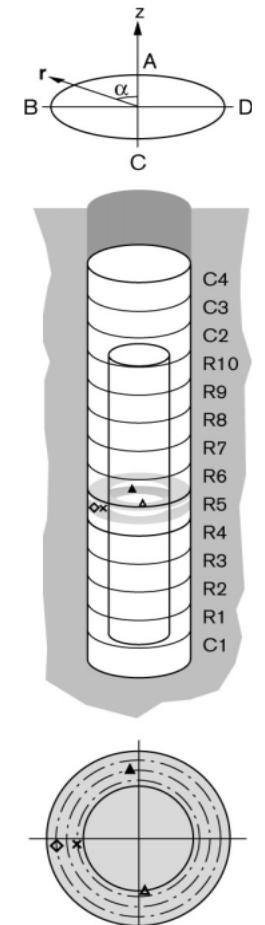
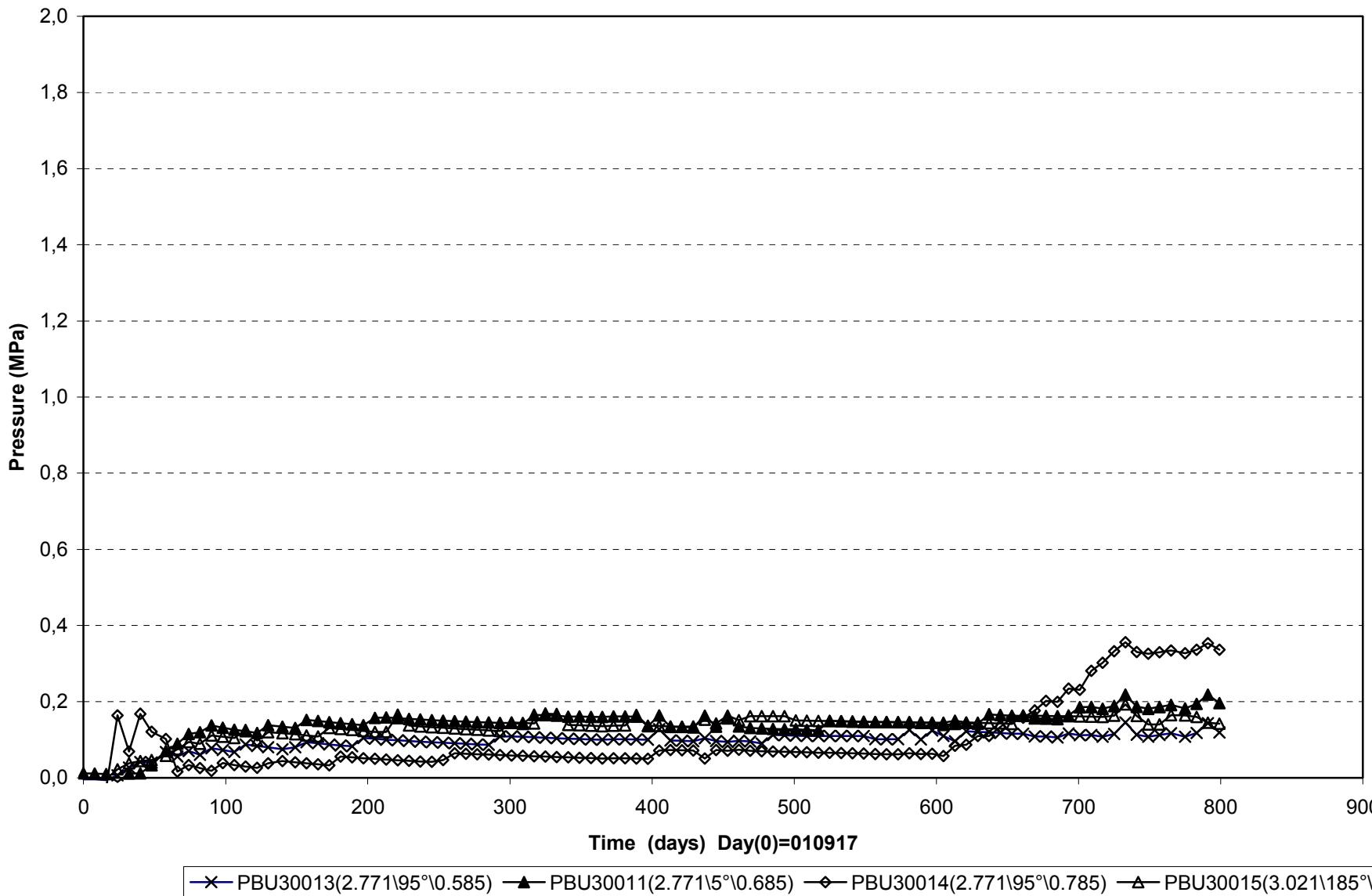
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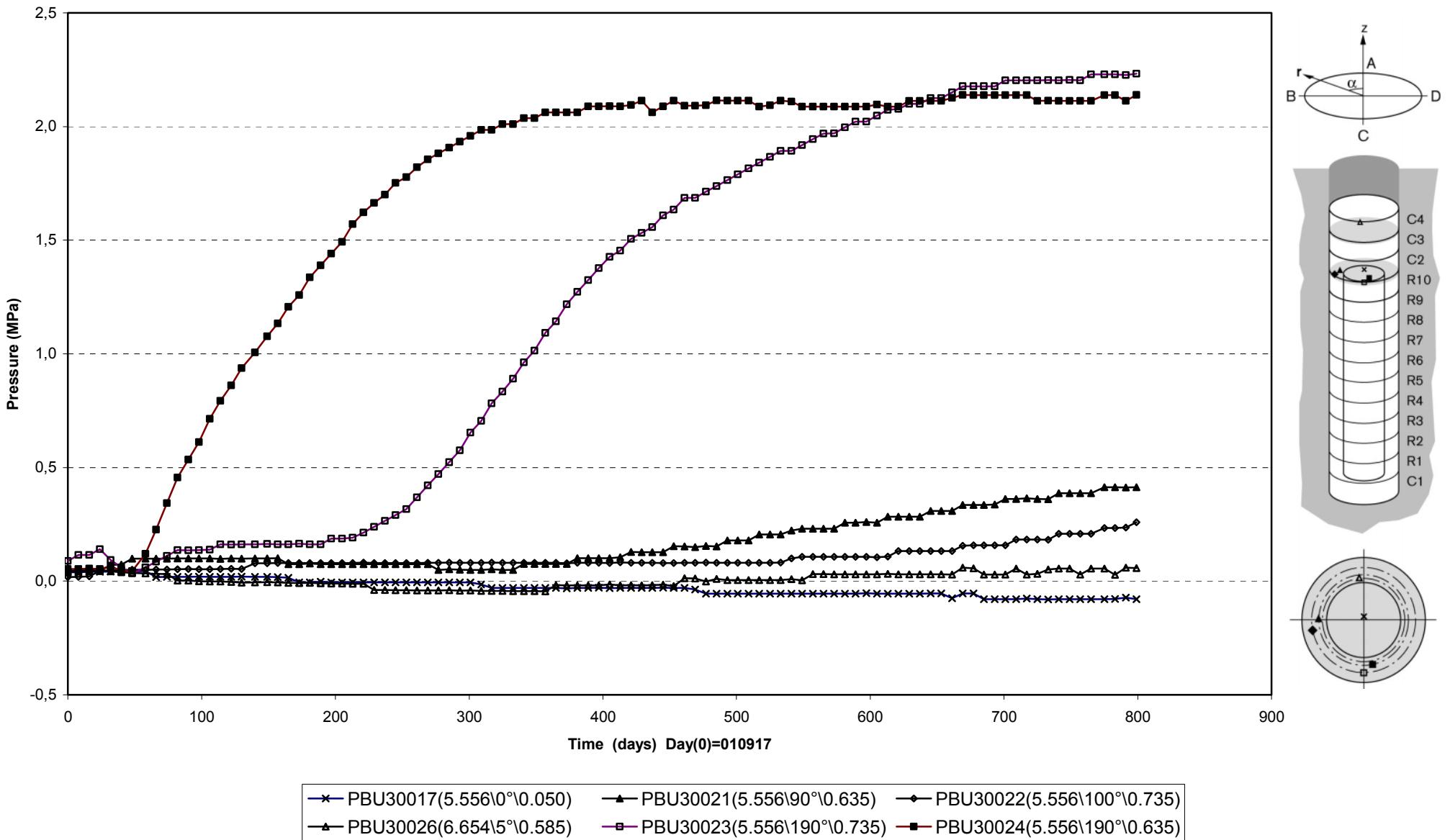
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 Total pressure - Geokon



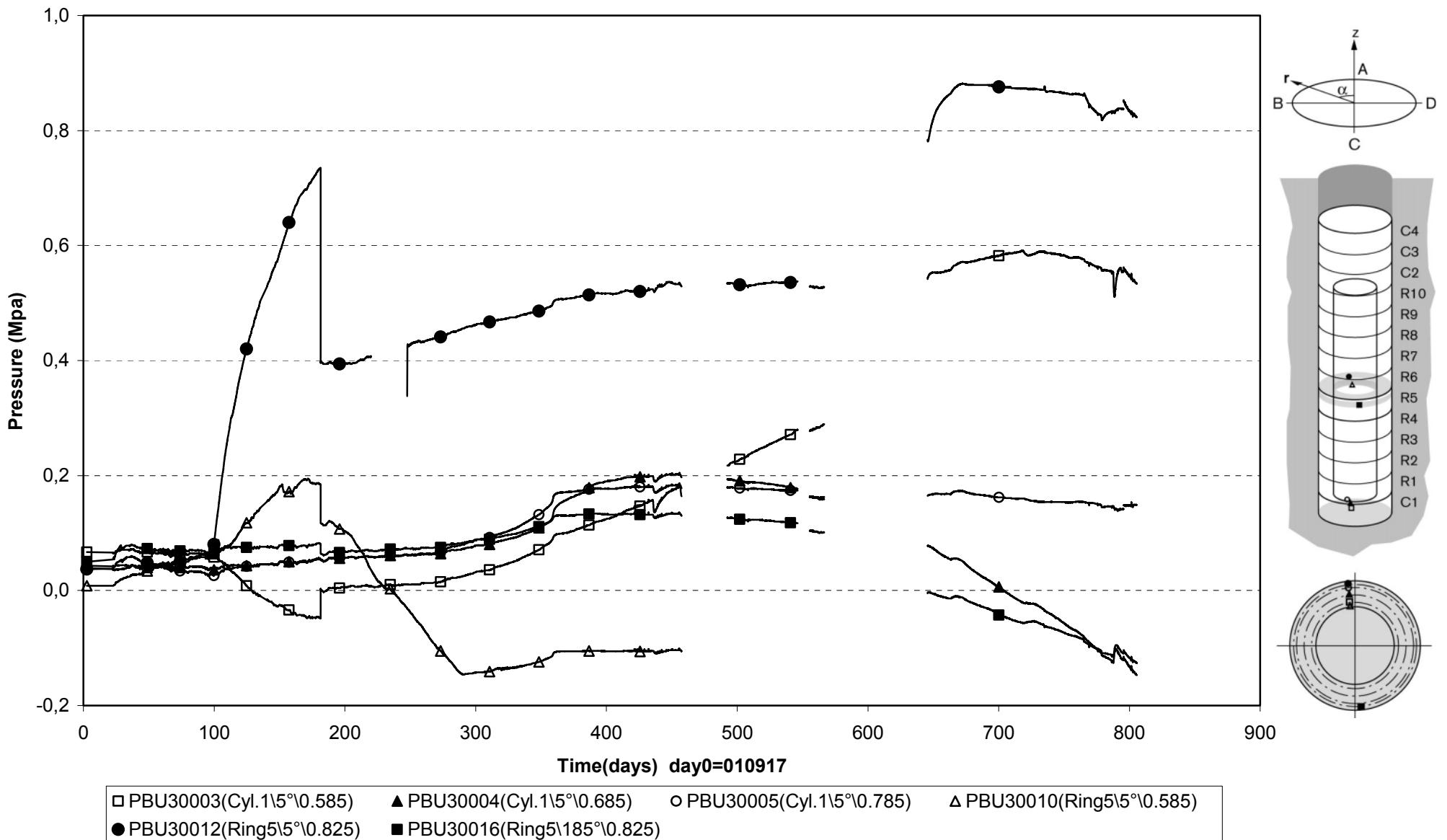
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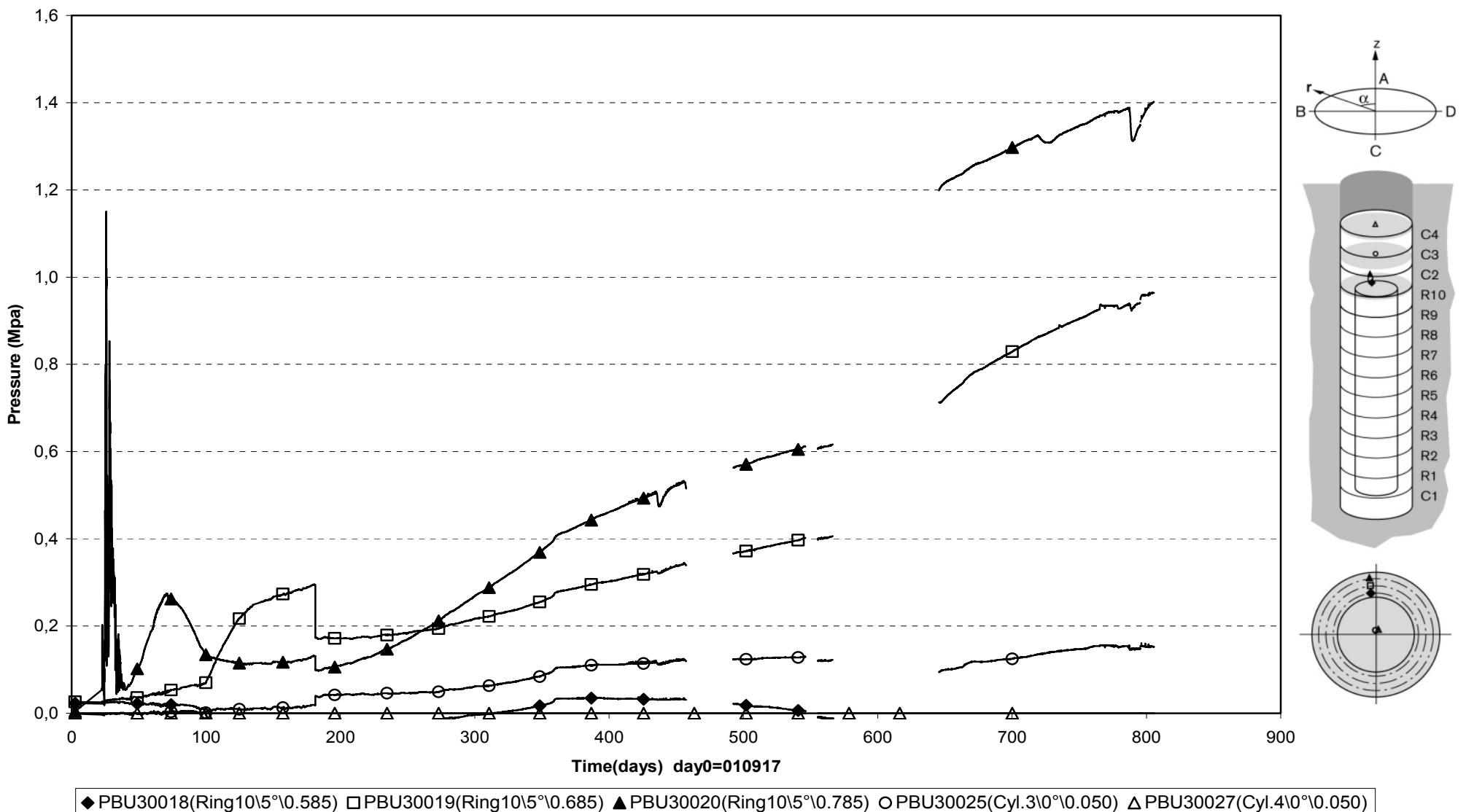
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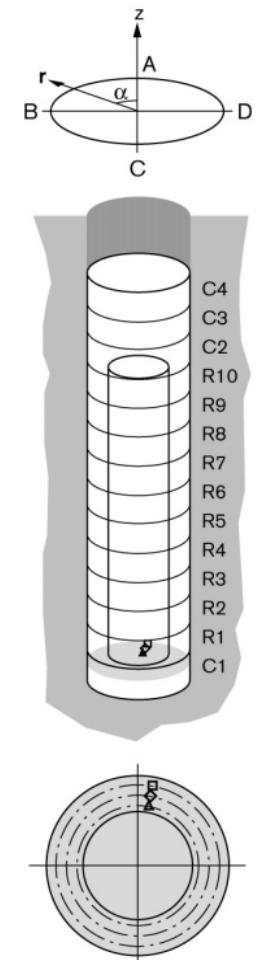
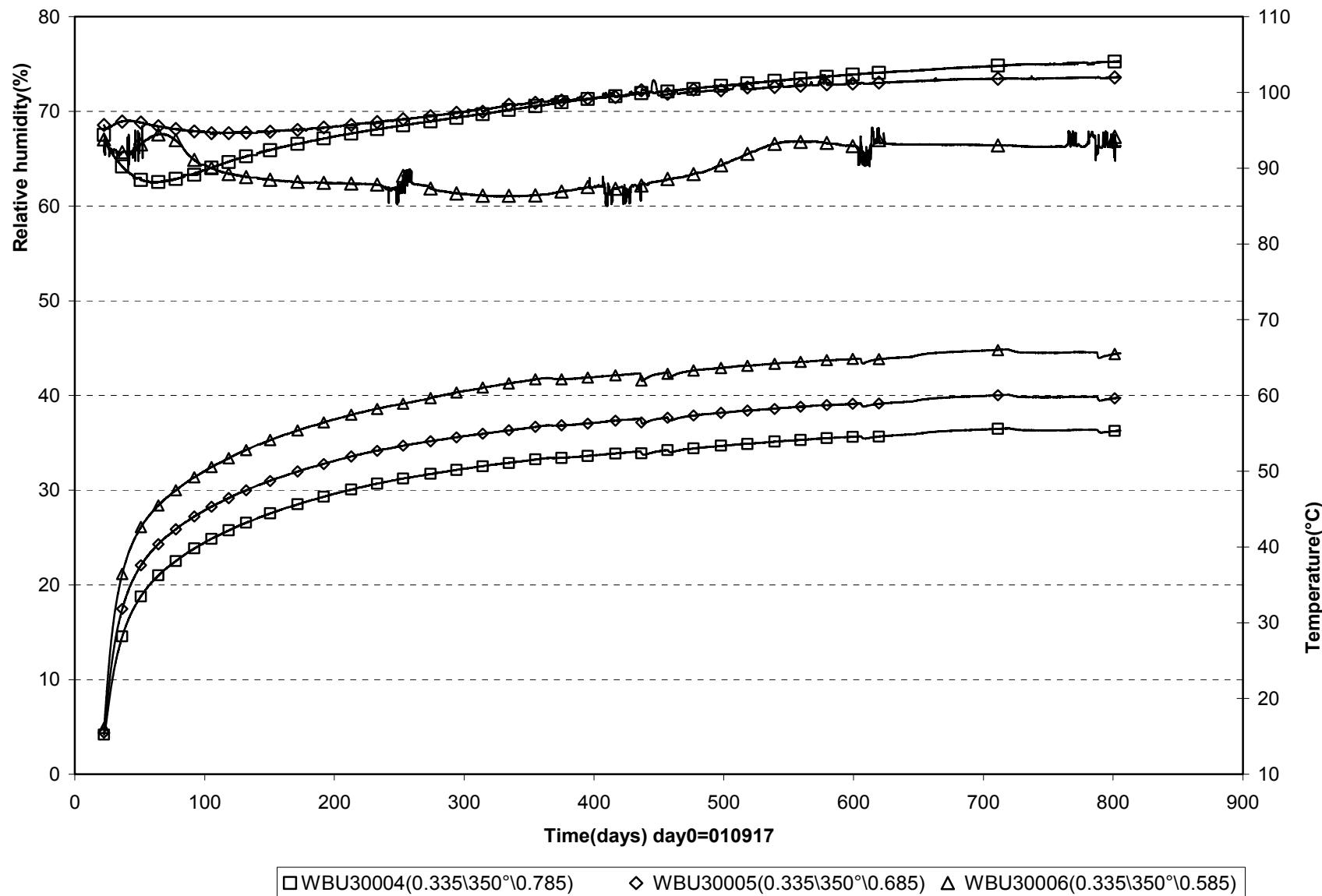
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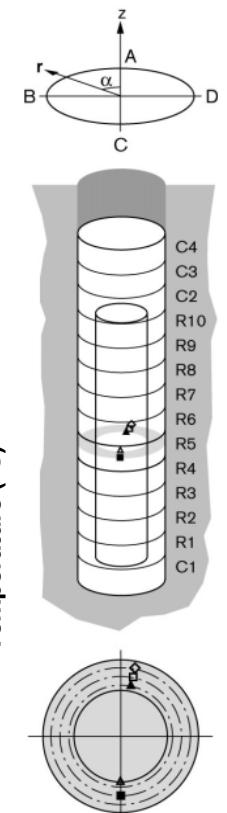
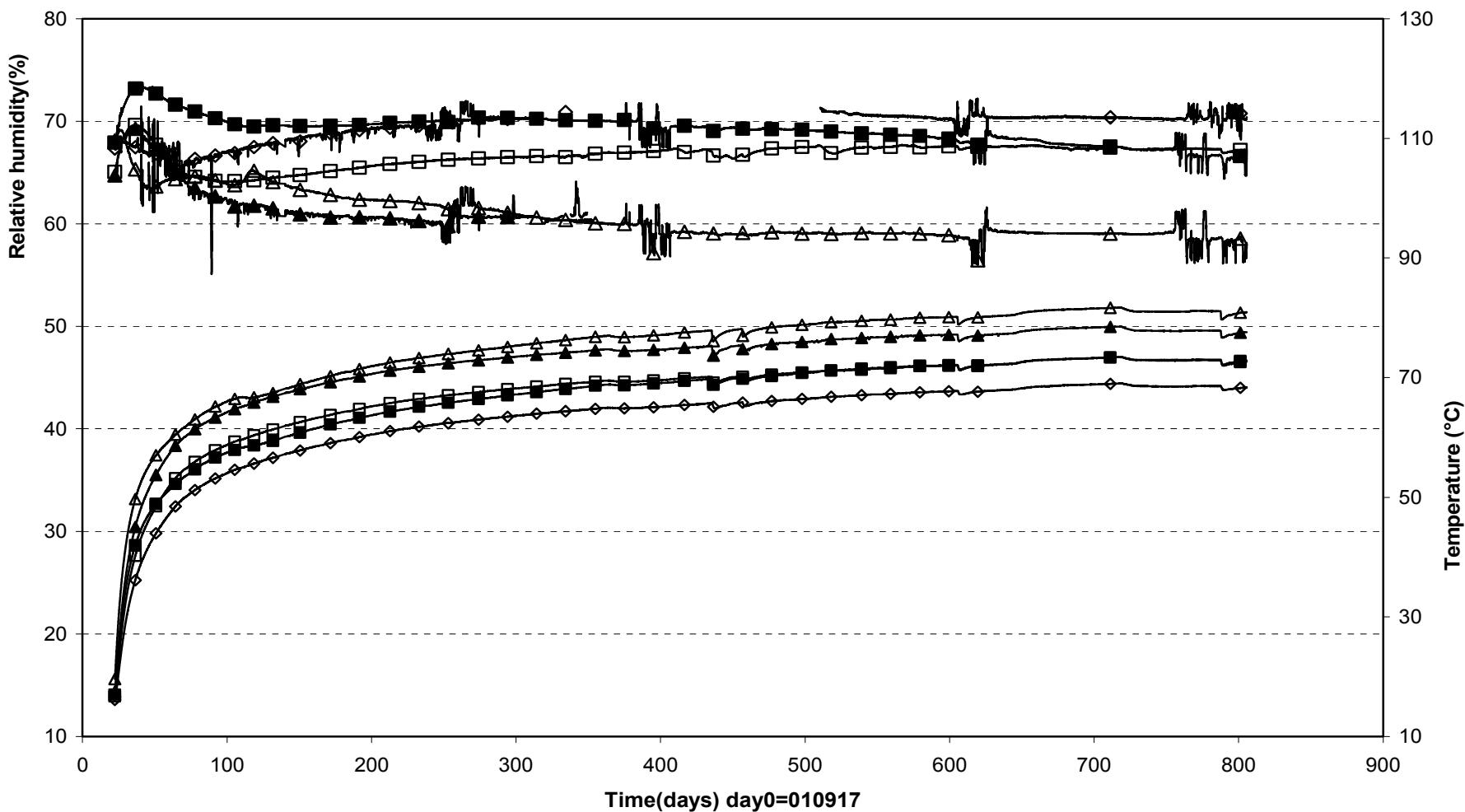
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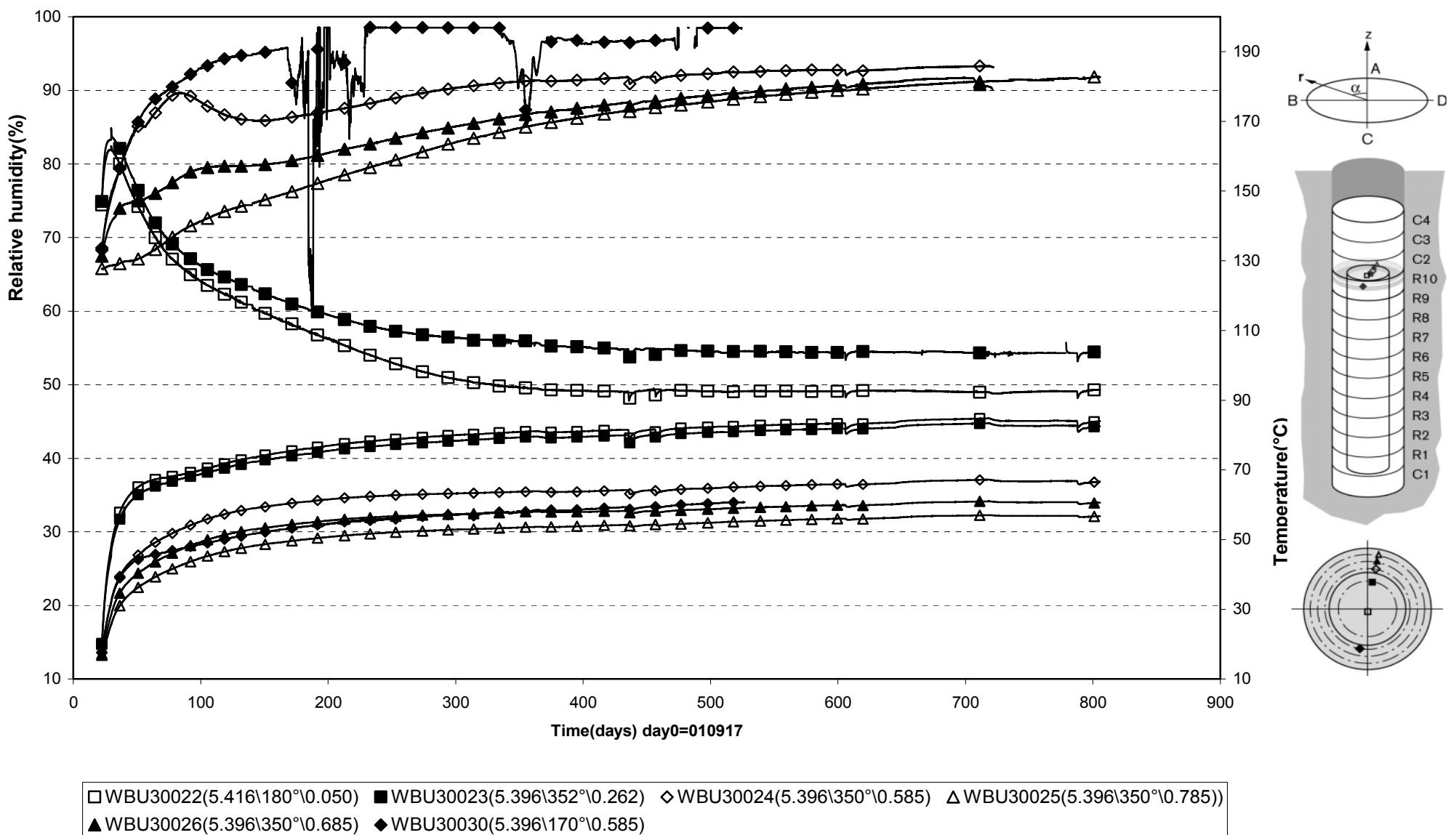
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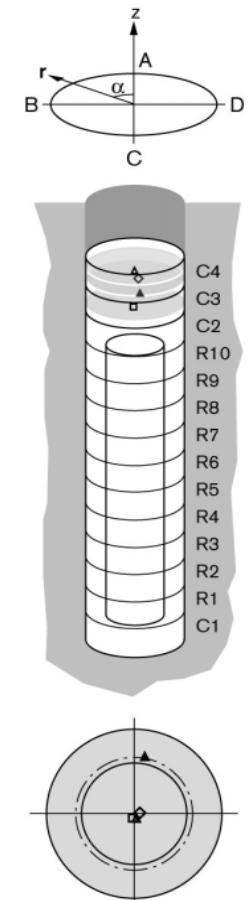
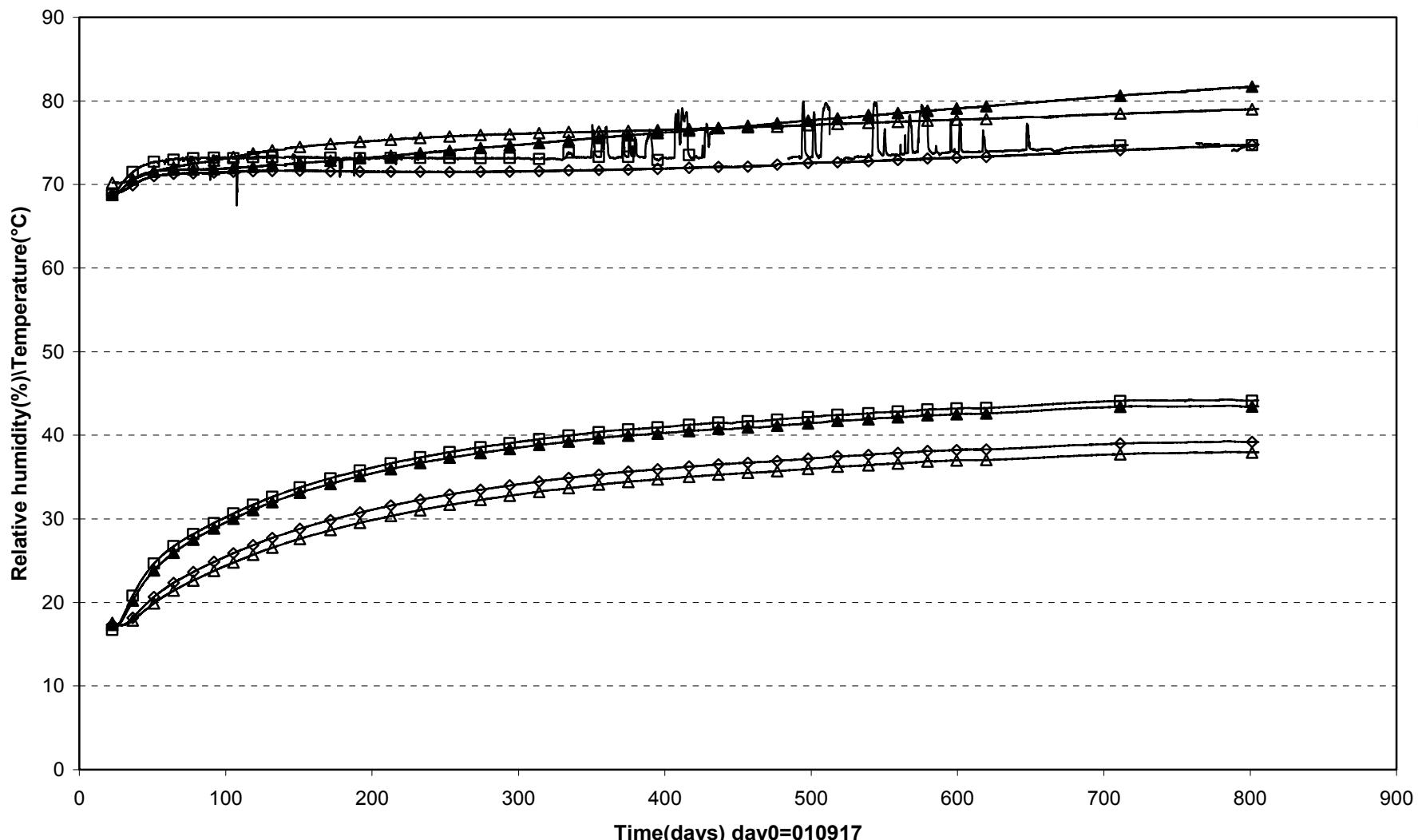
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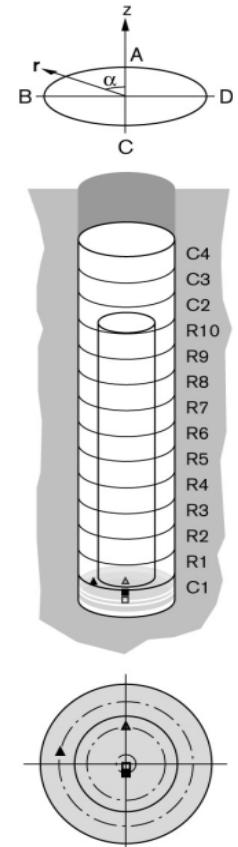
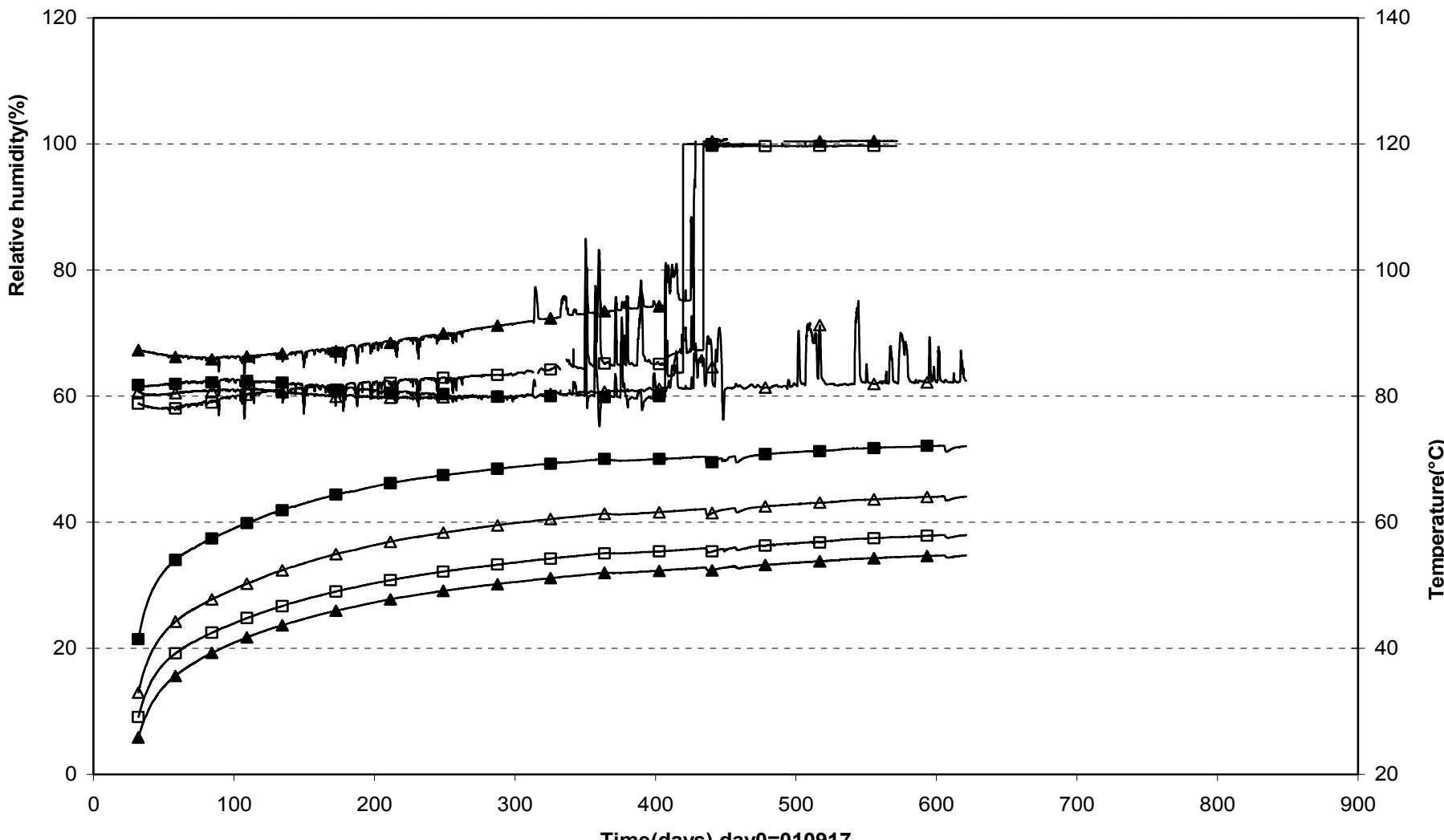
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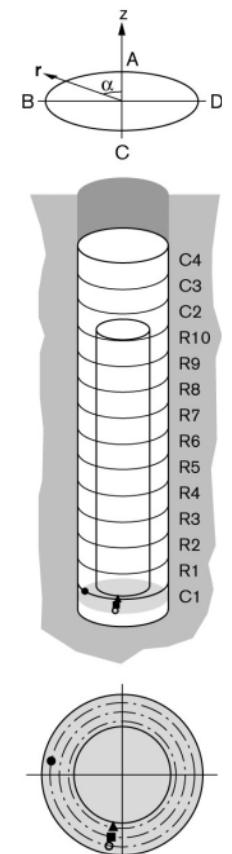
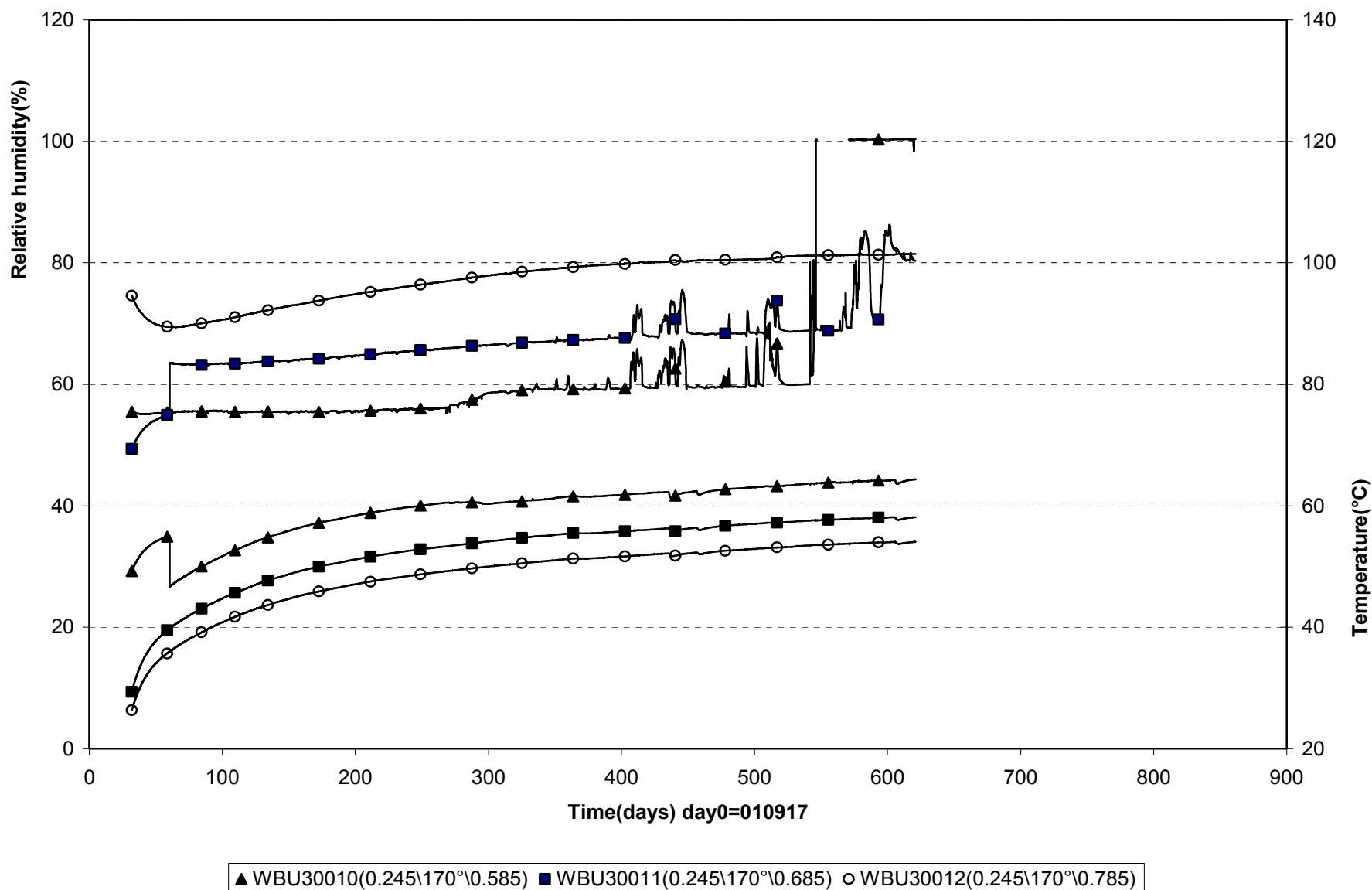
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 Relative humidity - Vaisala



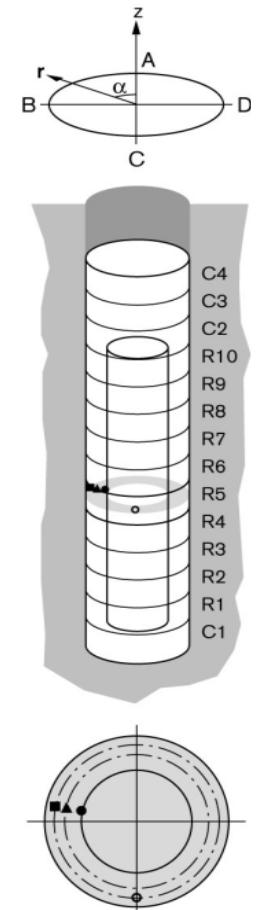
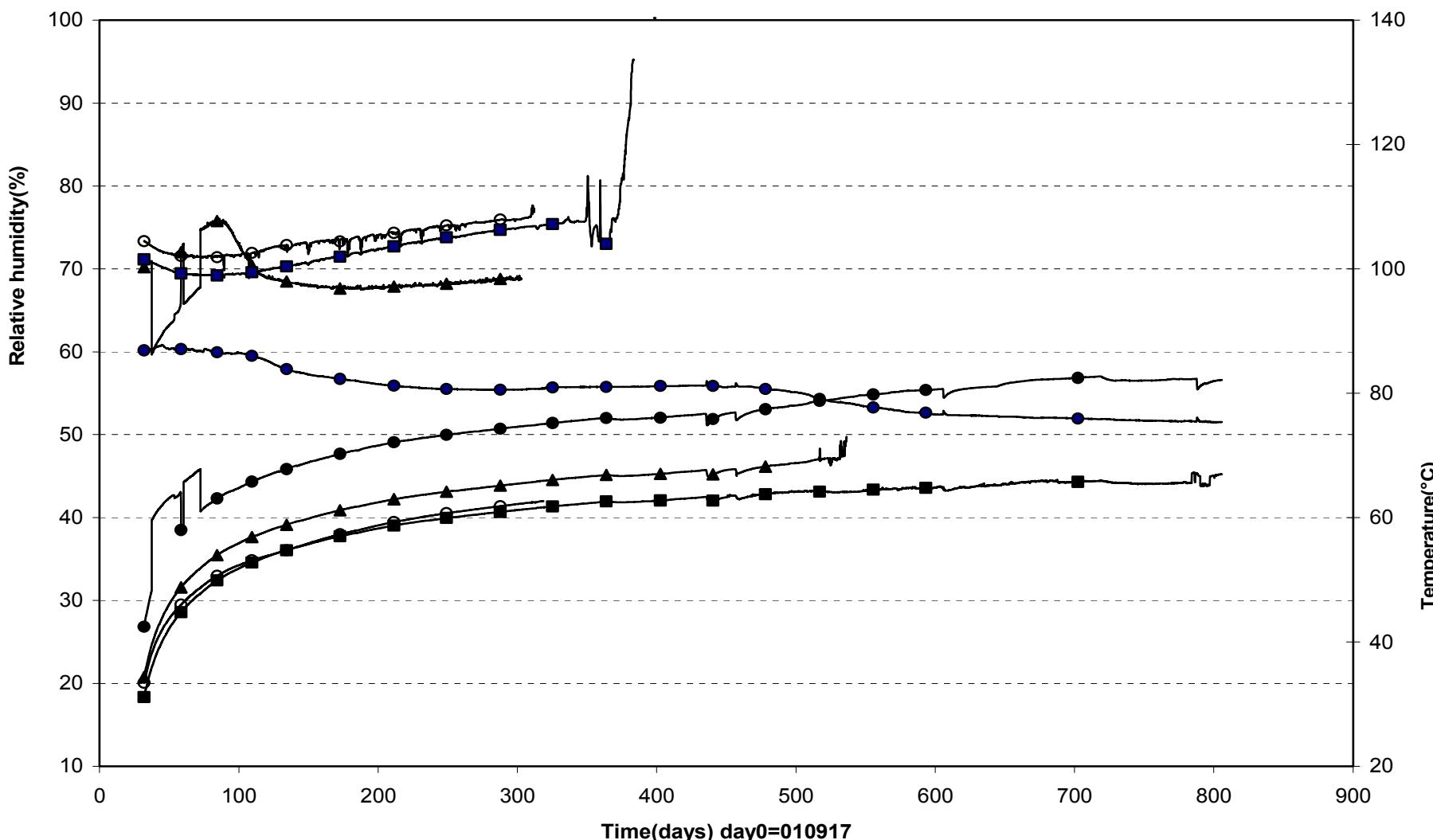
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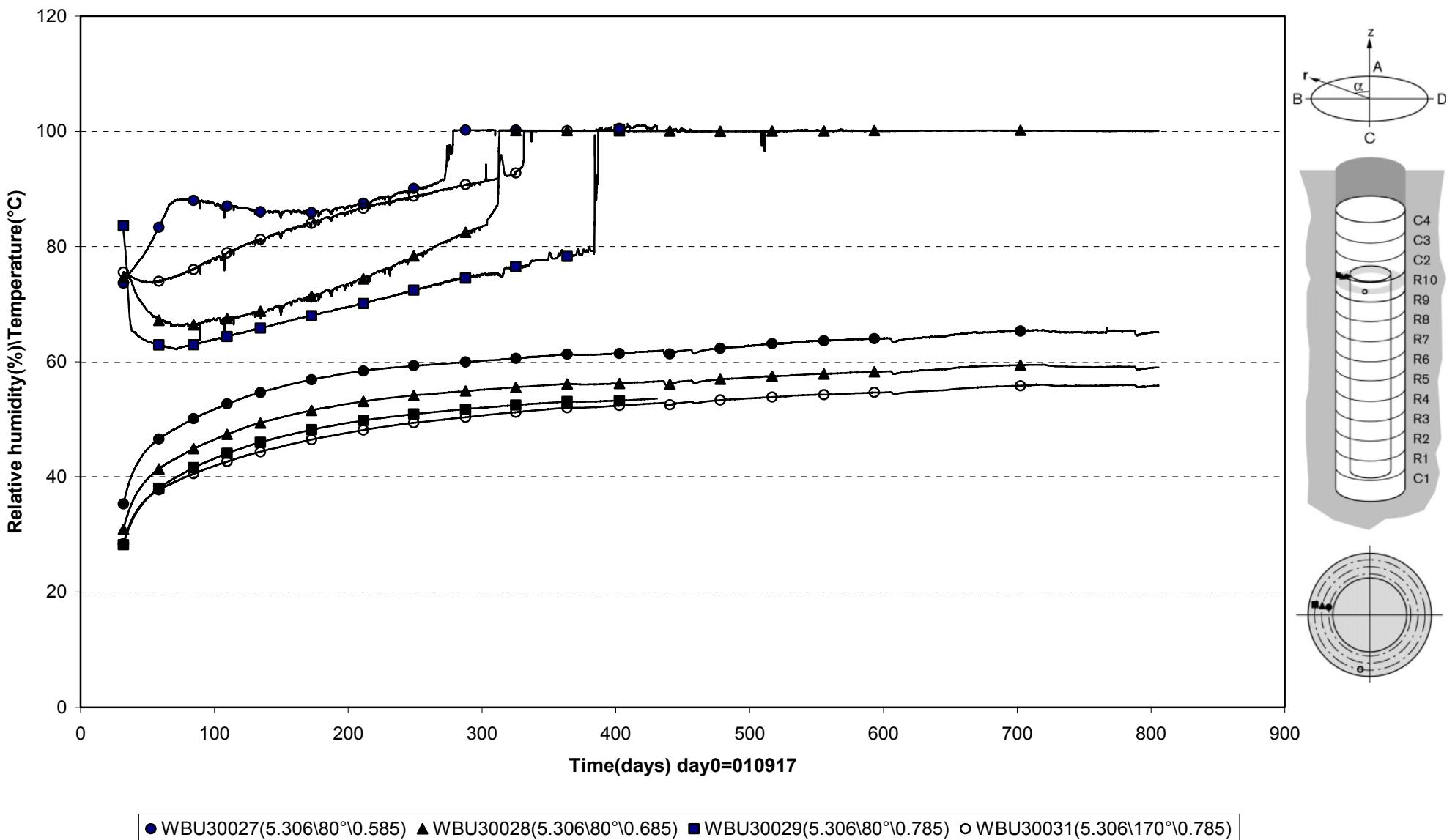
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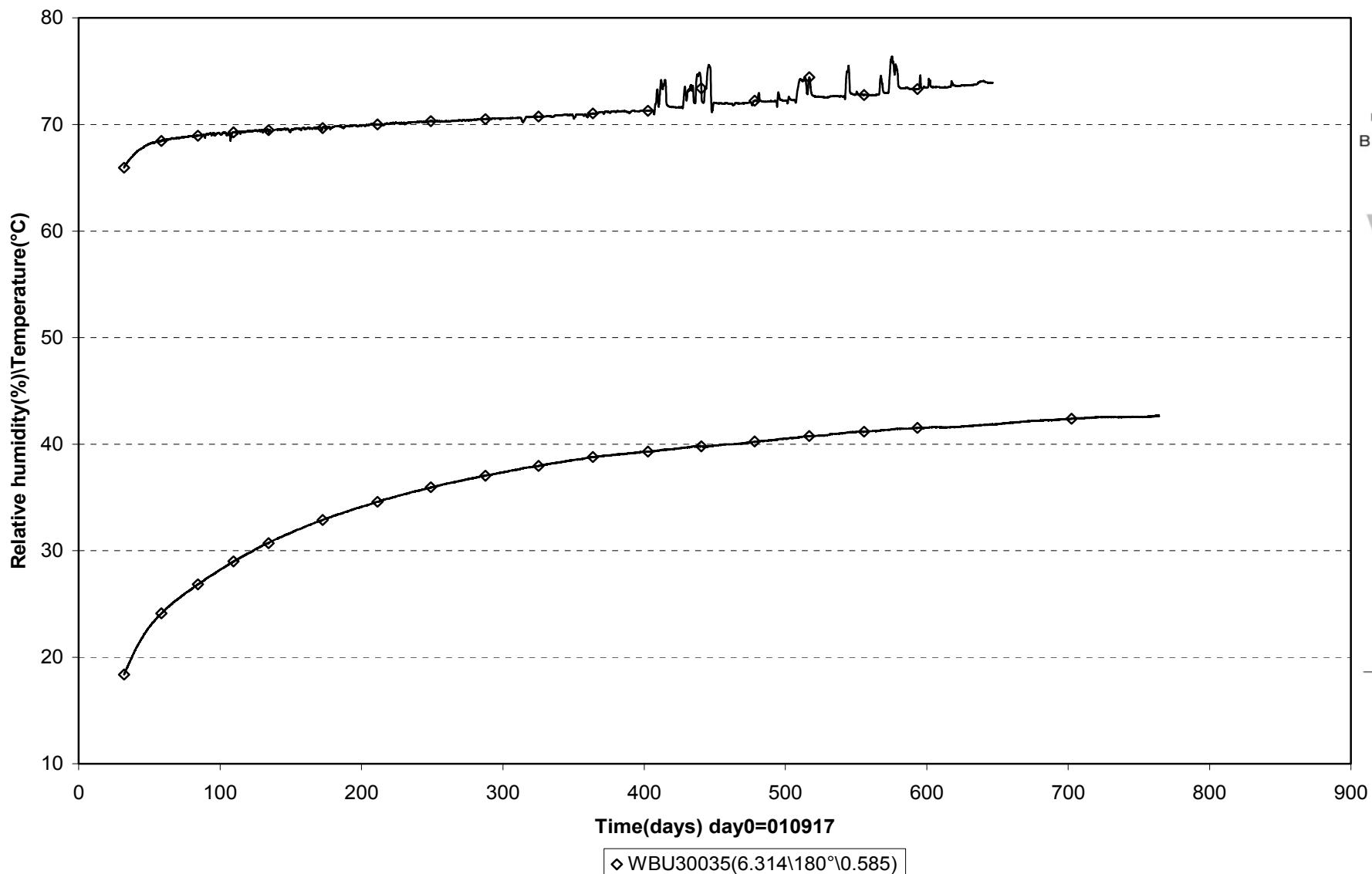
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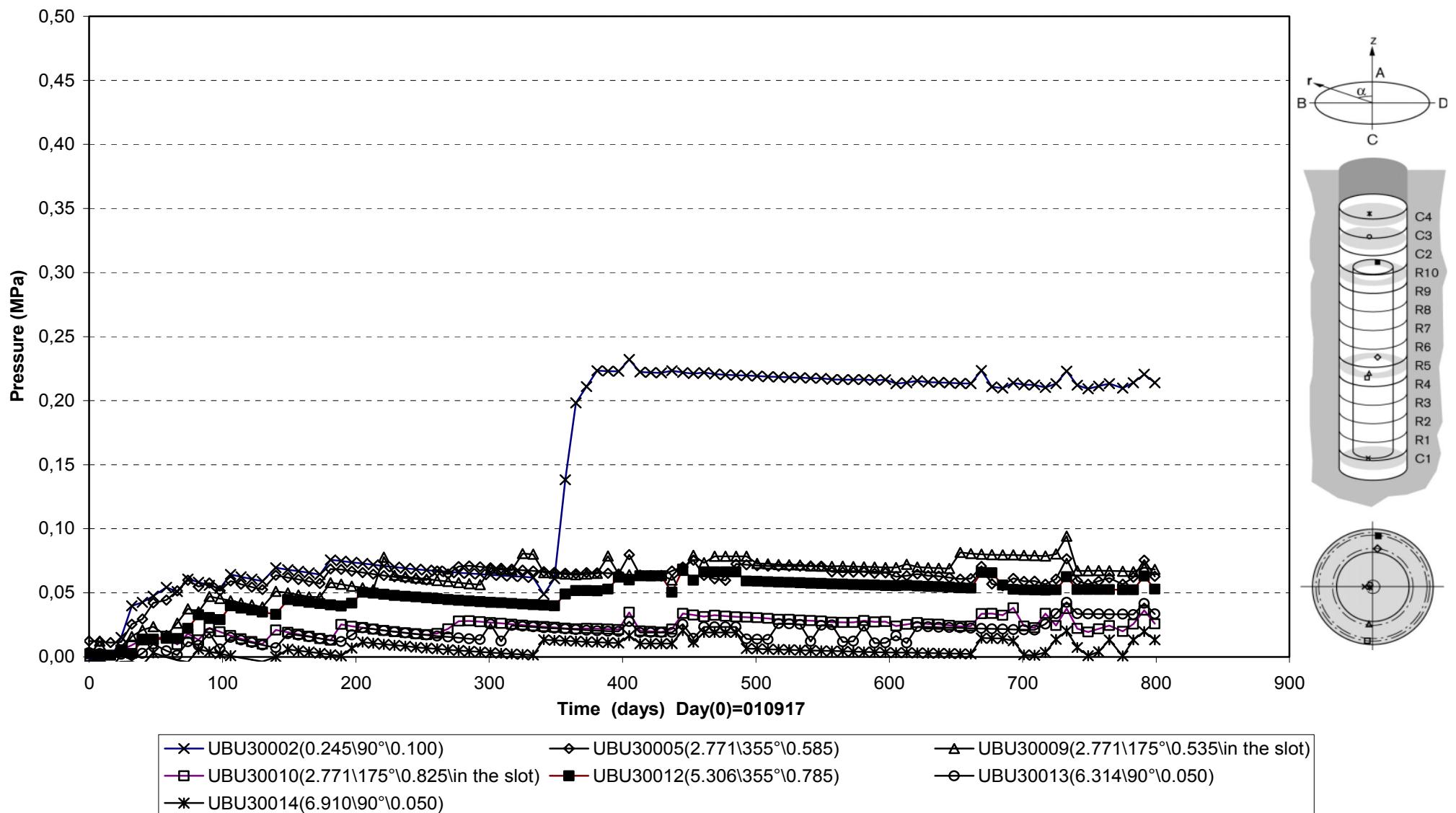
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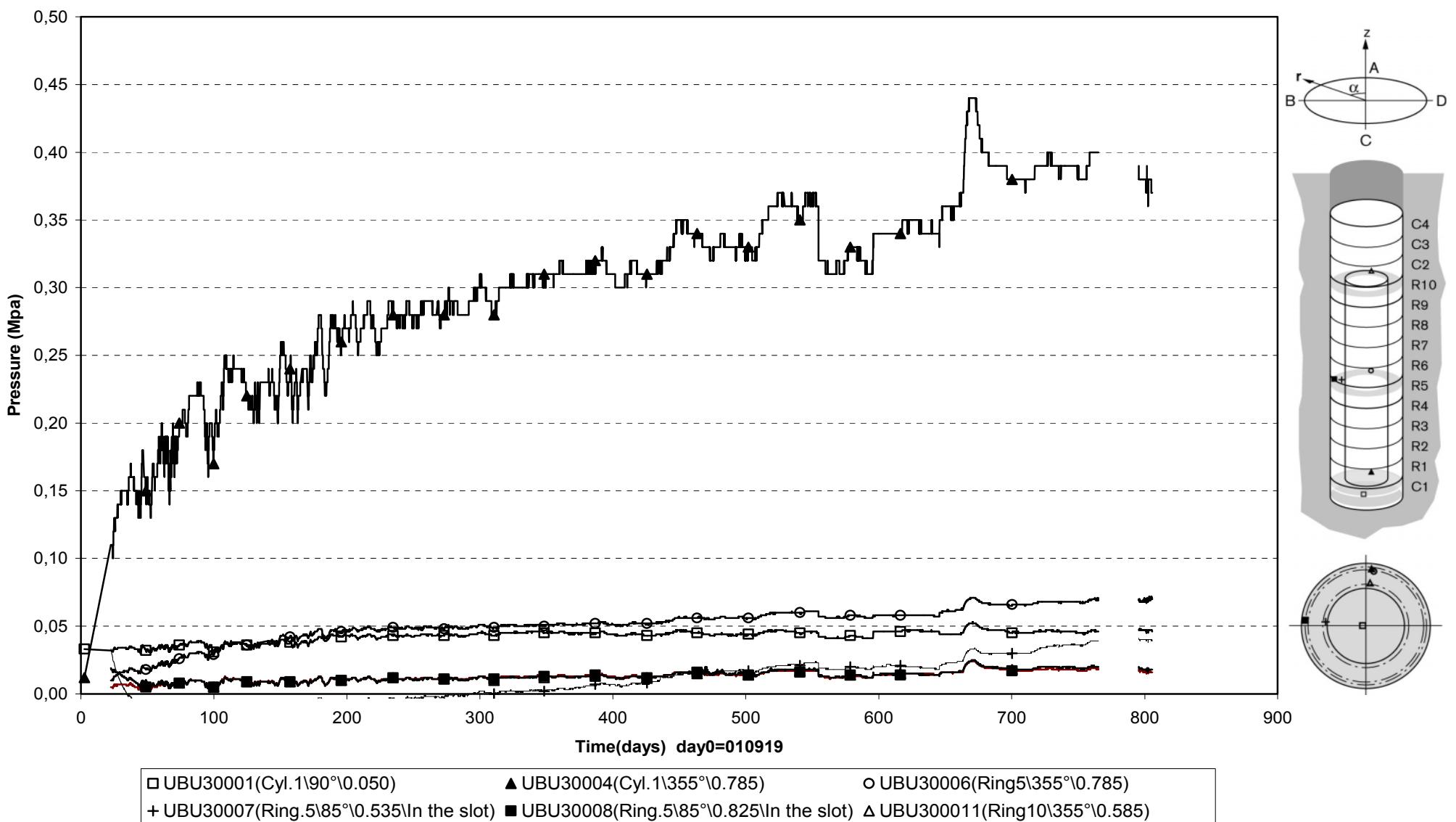
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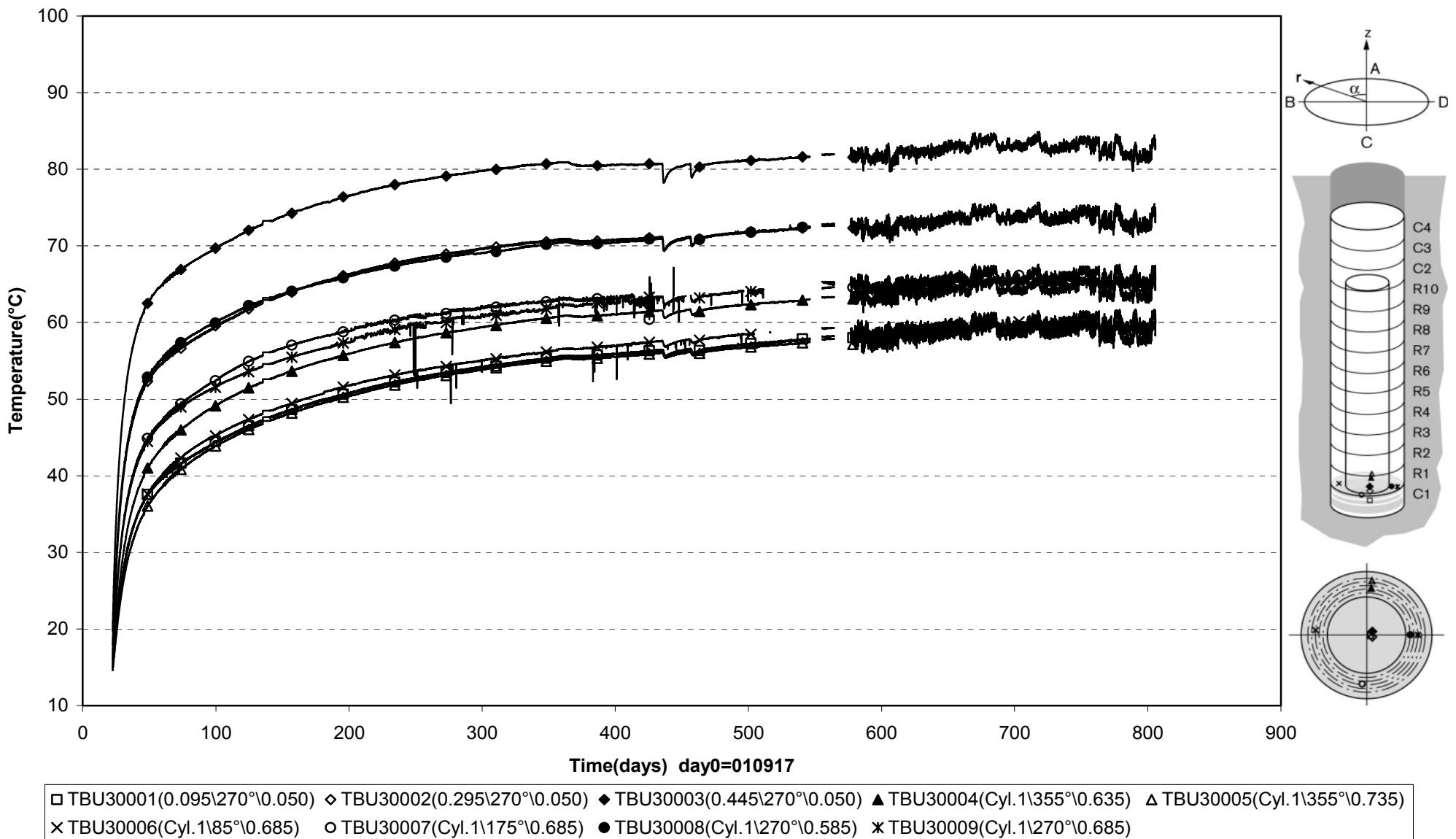
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Pore pressure - Geokon



Prototype\Hole 3 (010917-031201)  
Pore pressure - Kulite

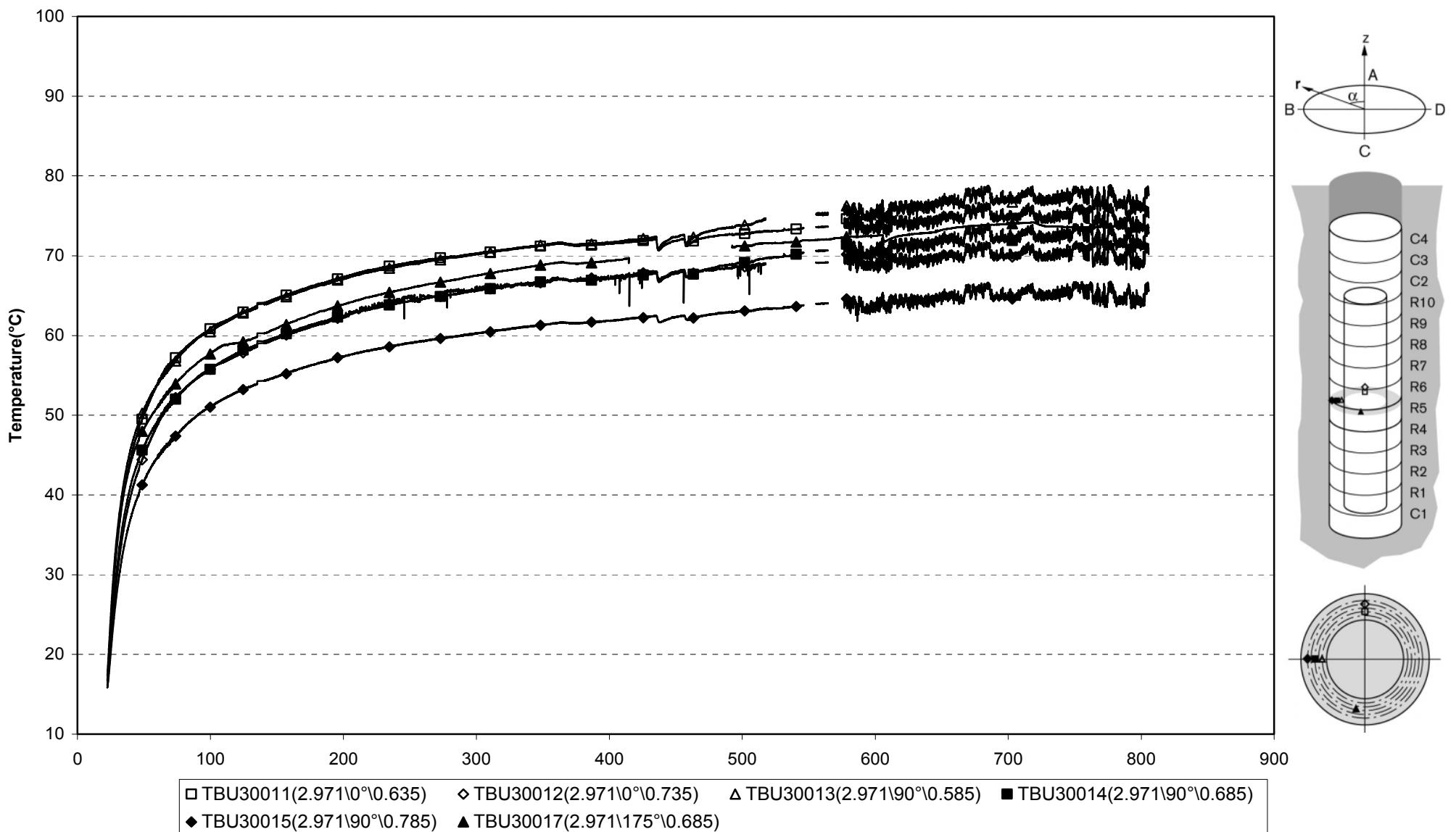


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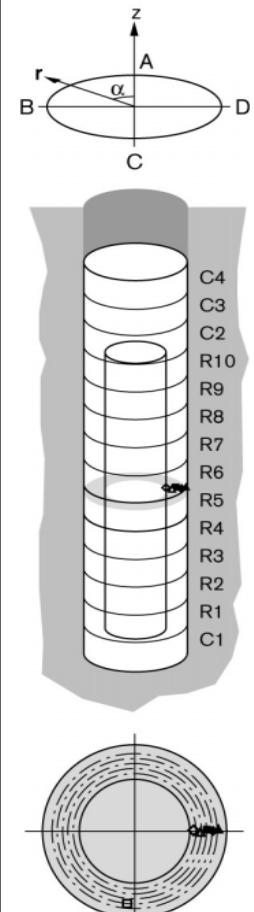
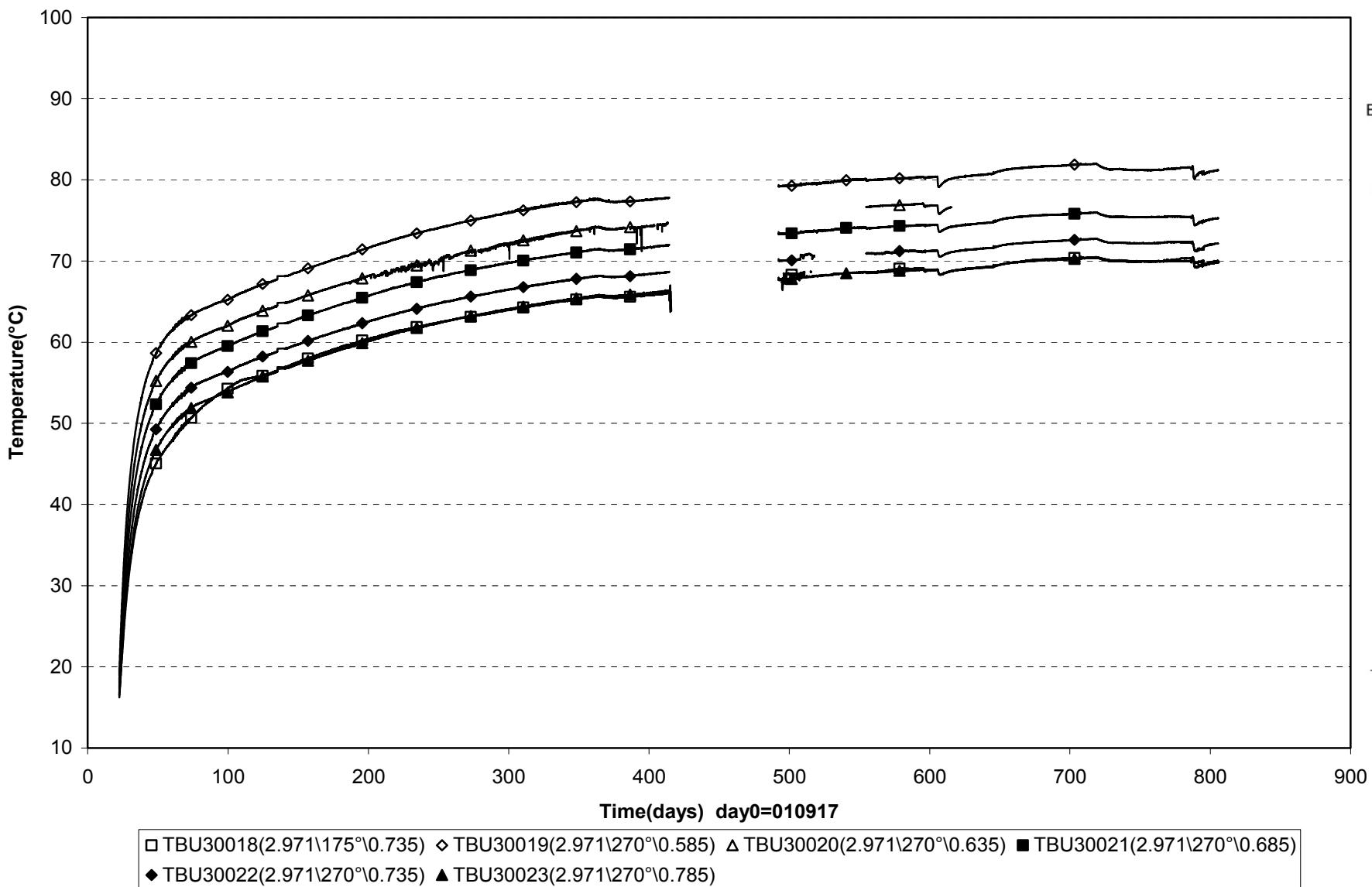


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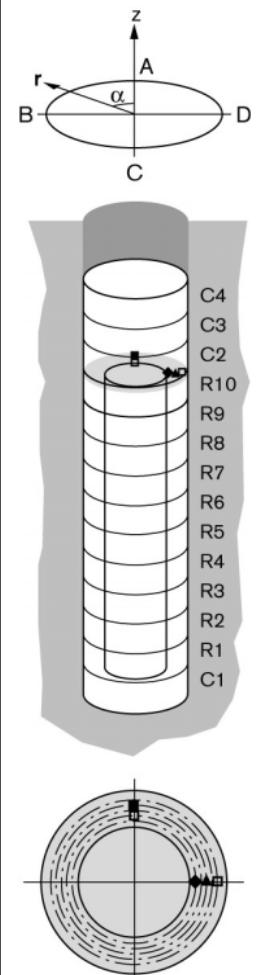
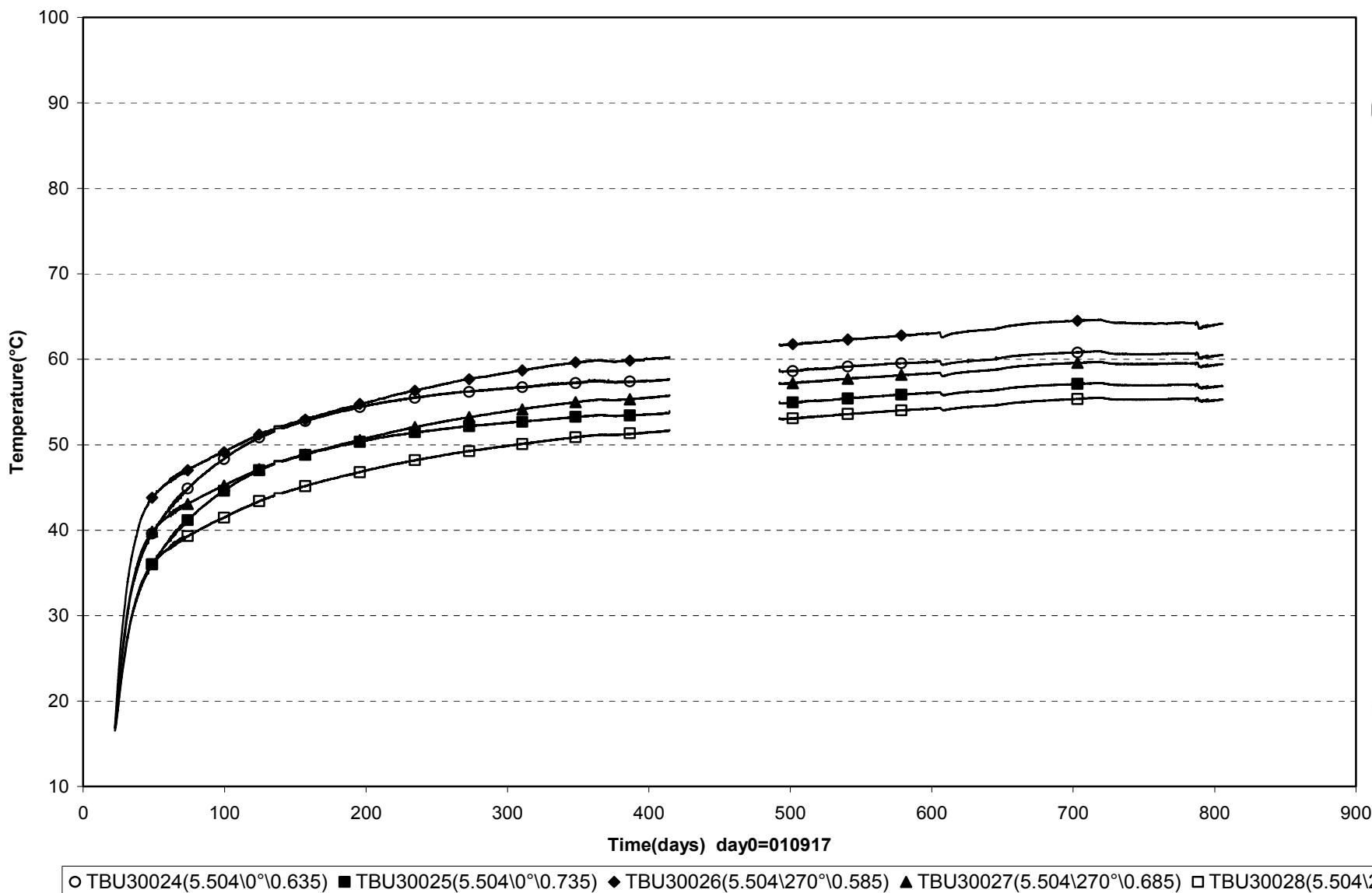
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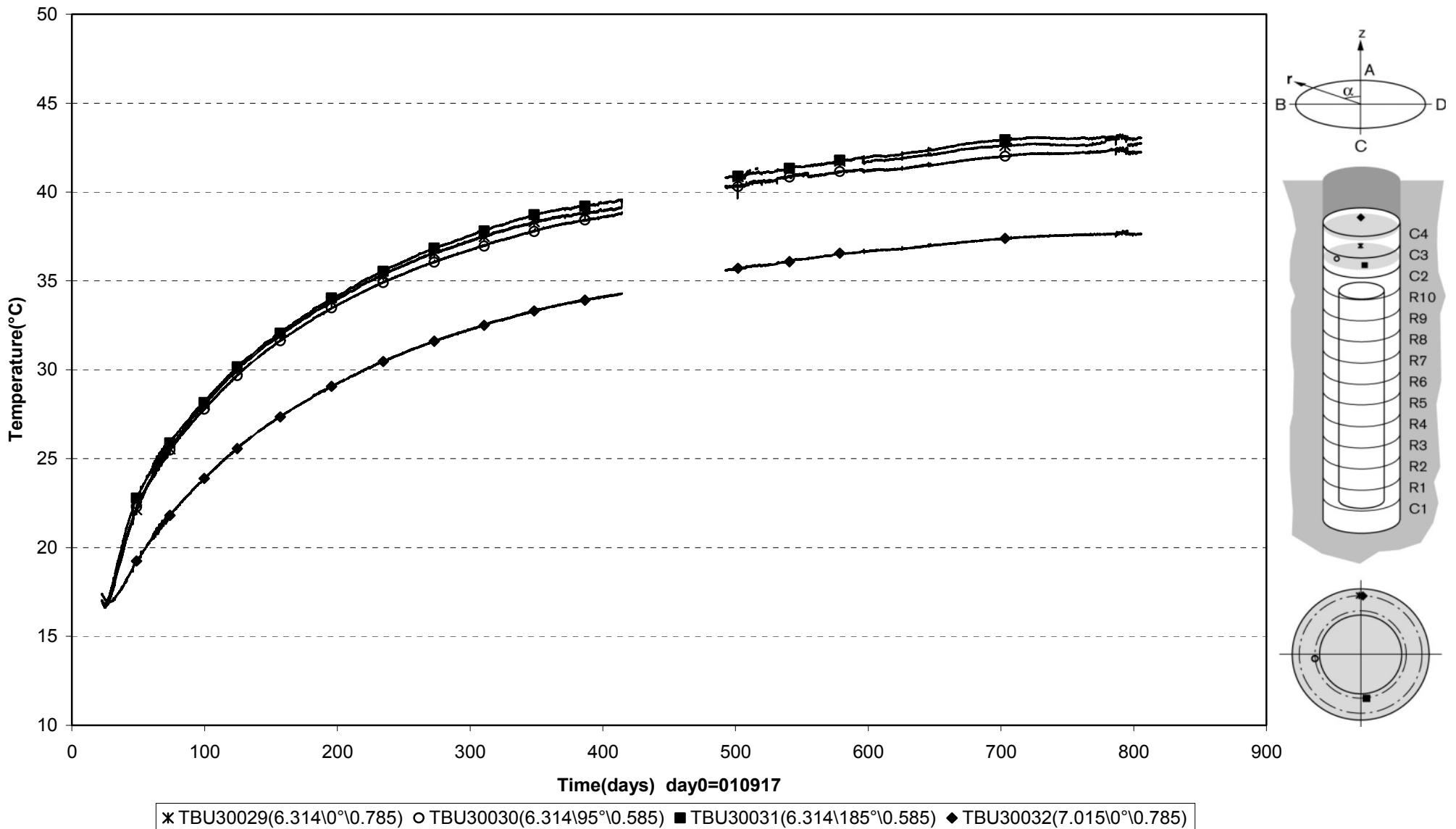
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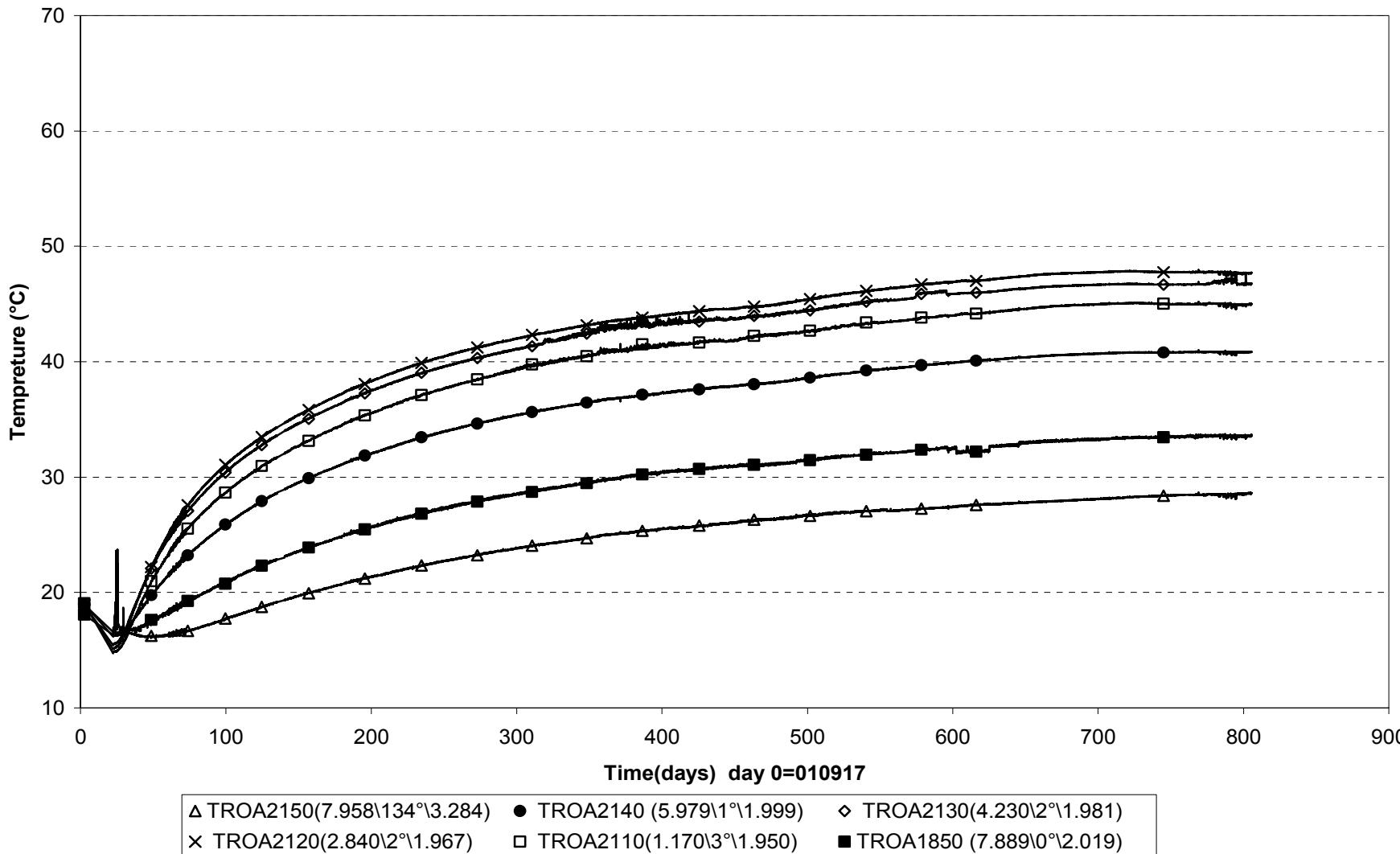
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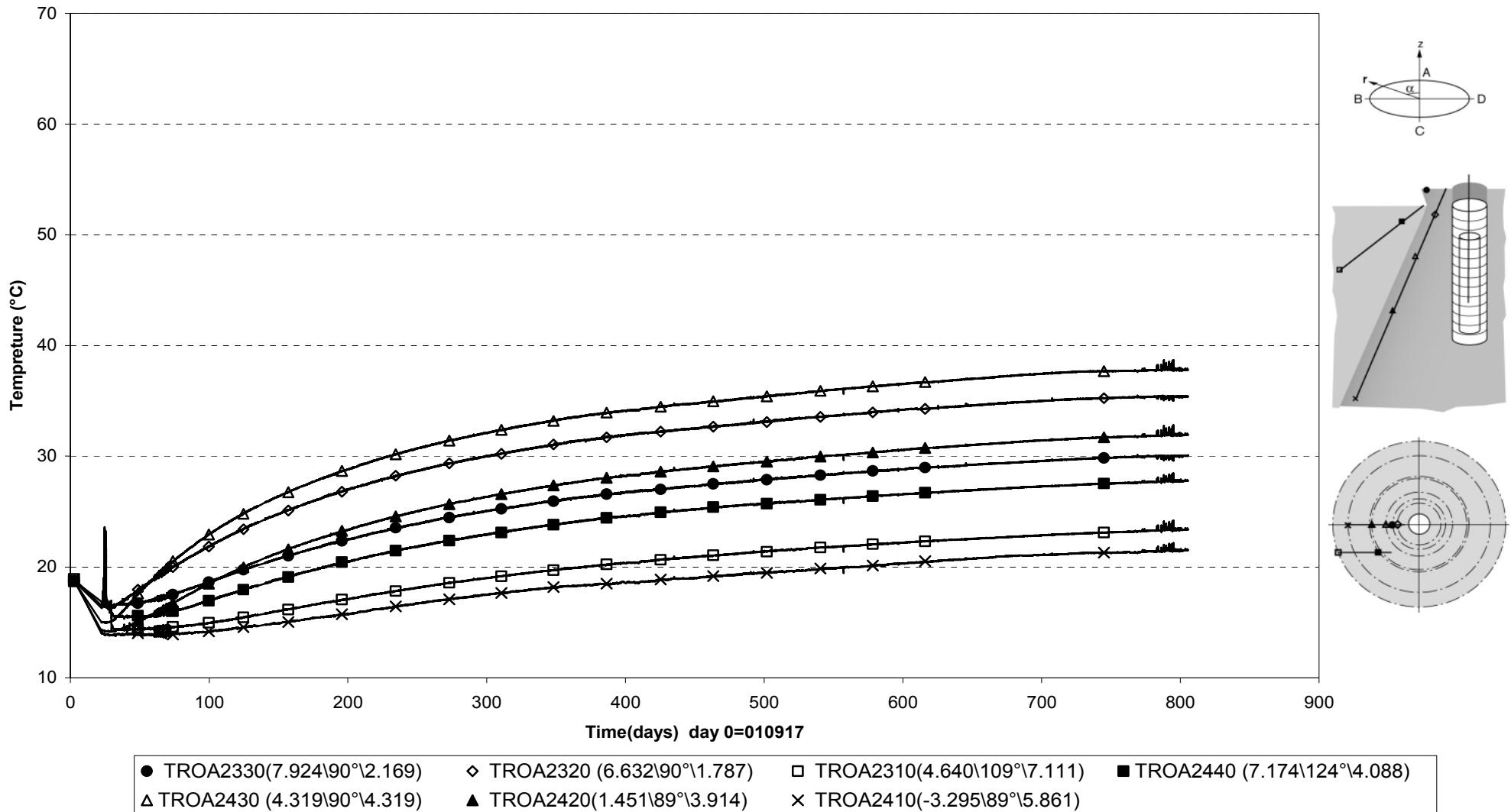
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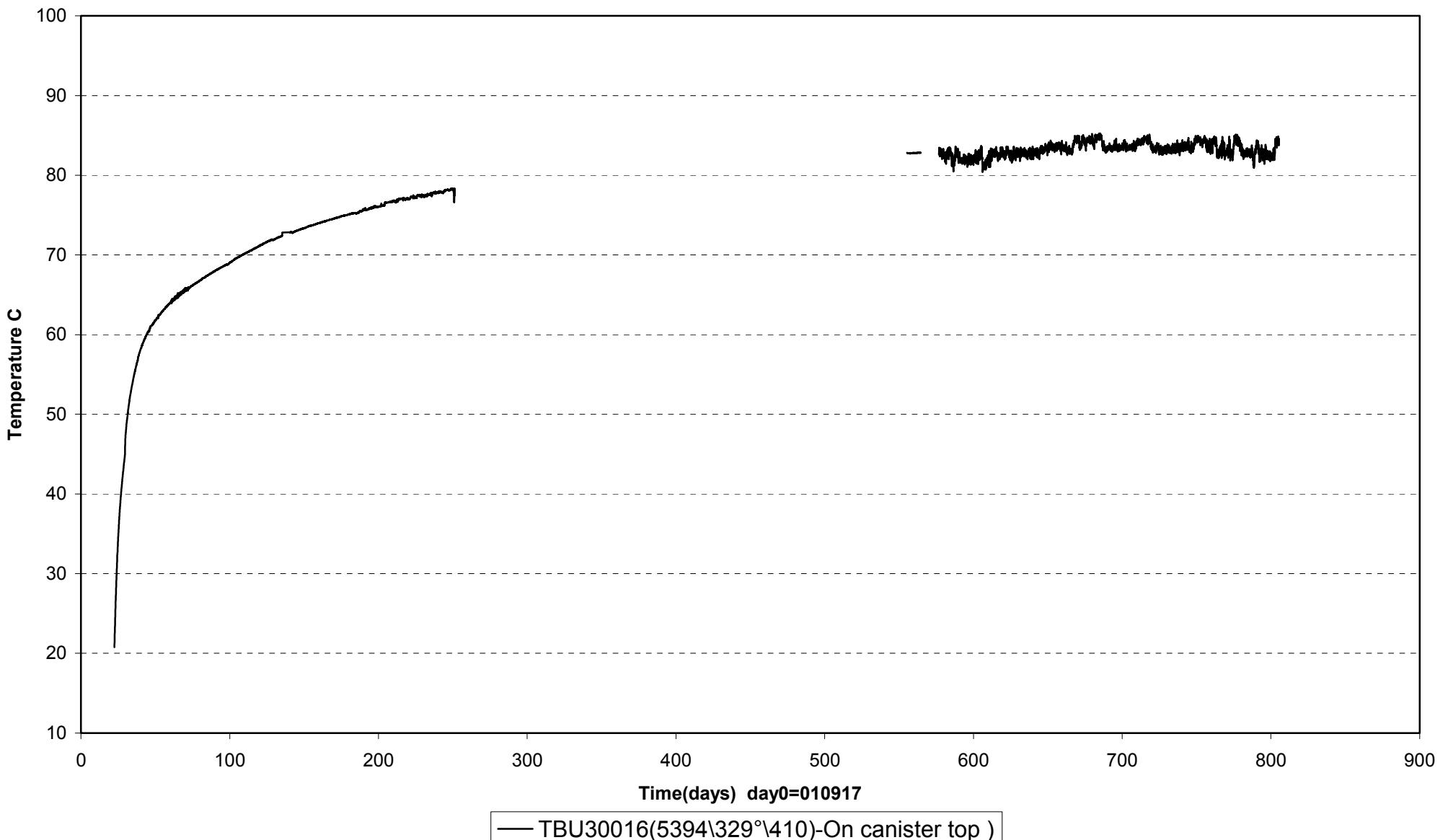
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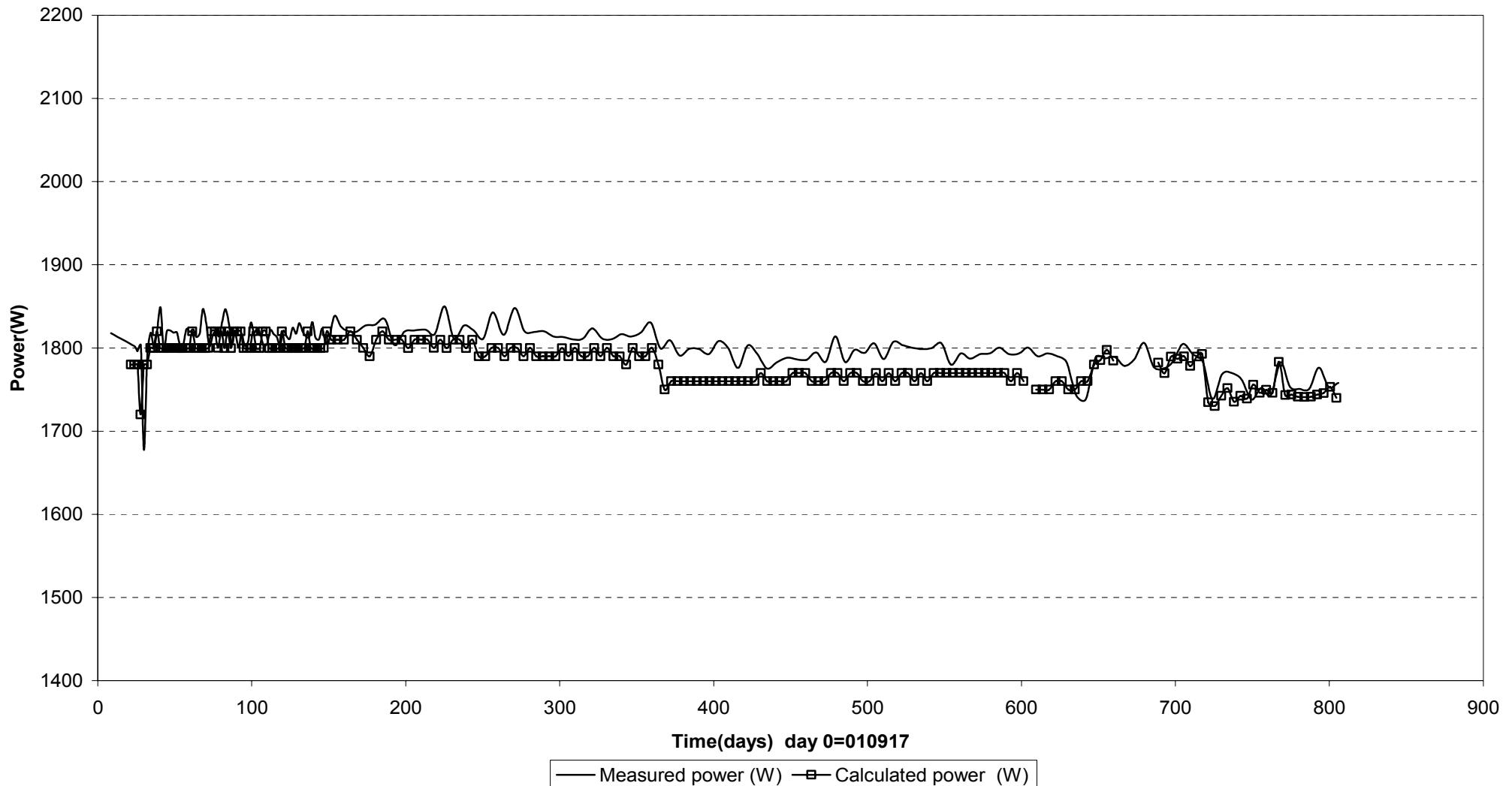
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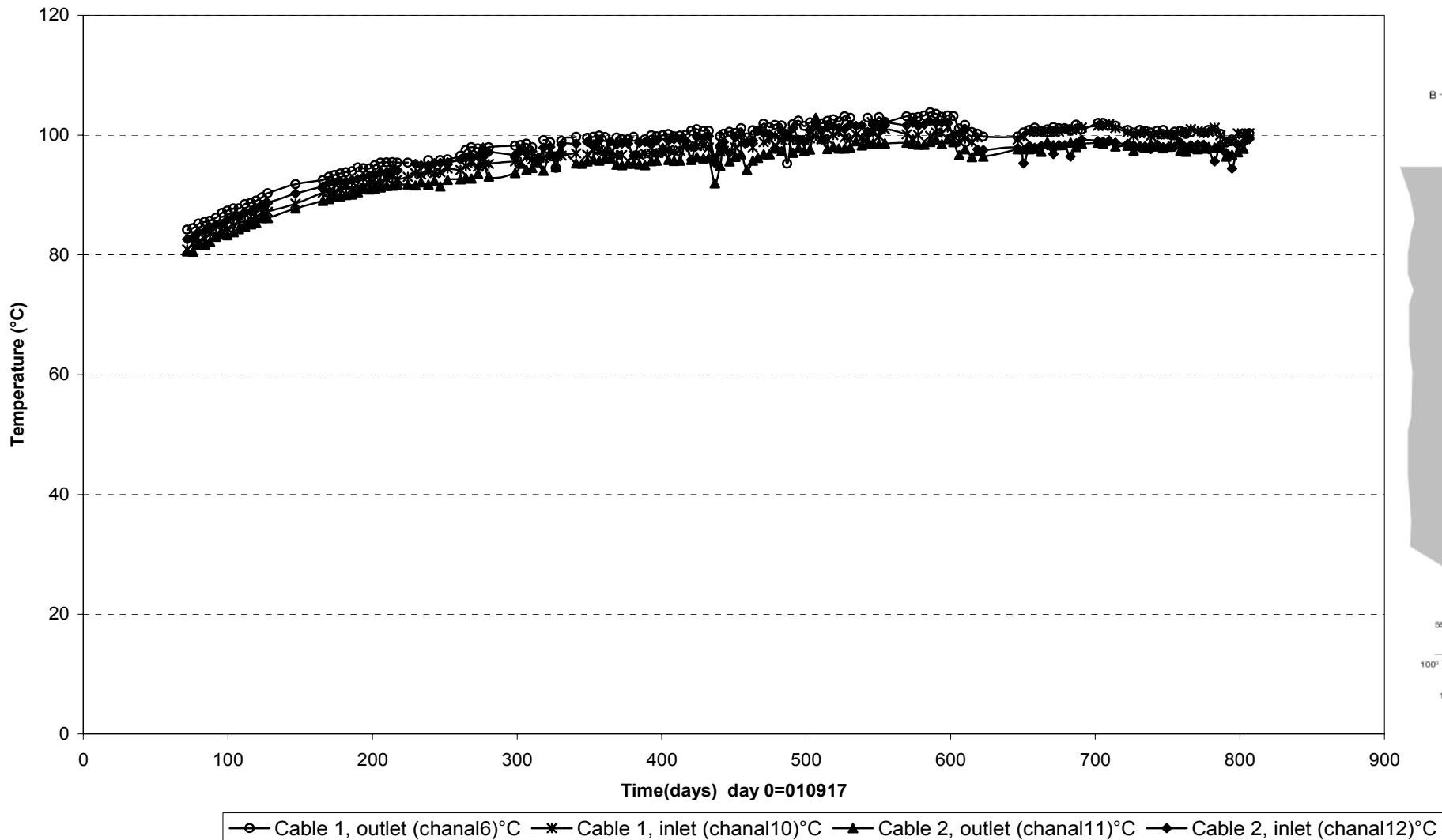
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Temperature - Pentronic



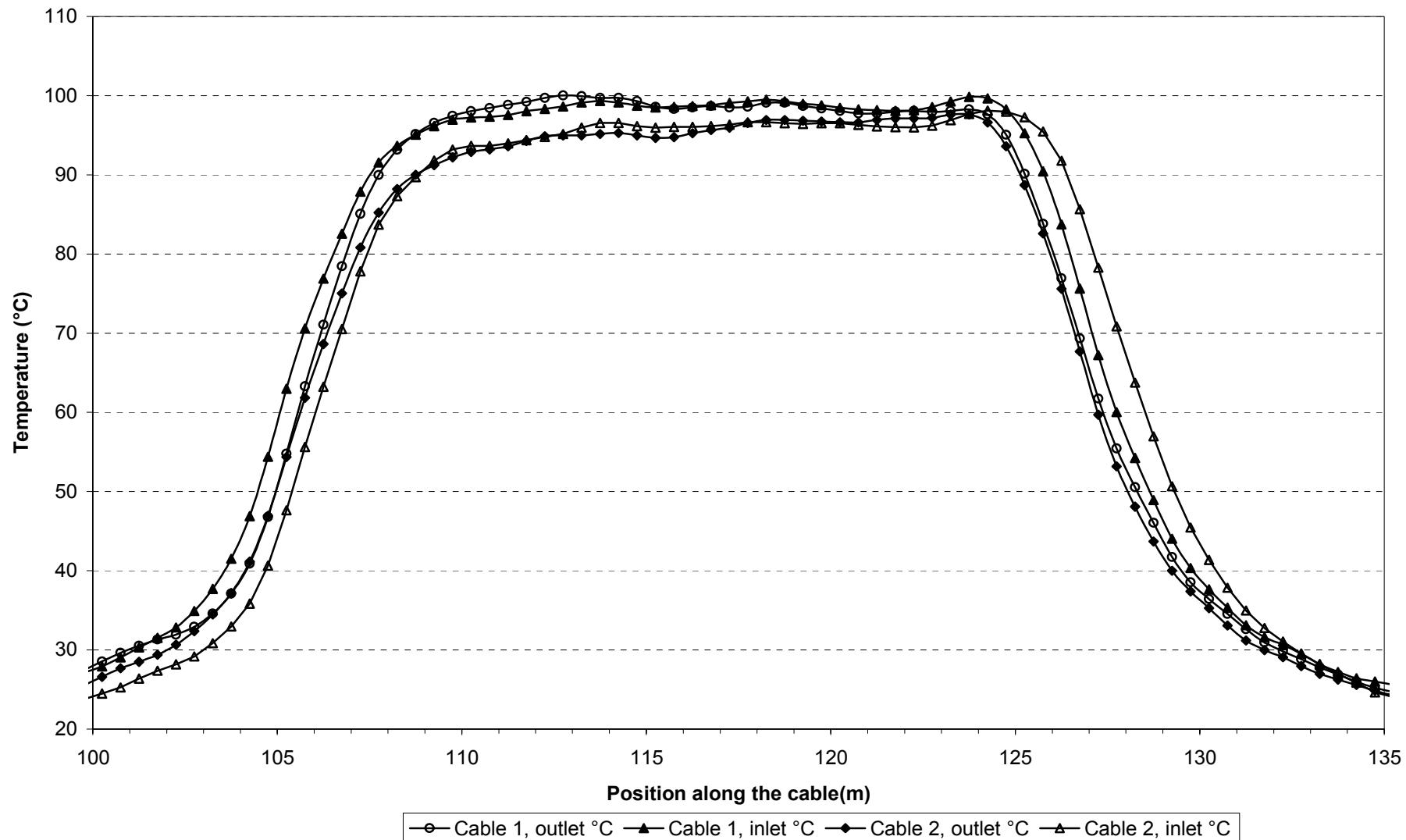
**Prototype\ Hole 3 (010917-031201)**  
**Canister power**



**Prototype\ Hole 3 \Canister (010917-031201)**  
**Max. temperature on the canister surface - Optical fiber cables**



**Prototype\ Hole 3 \Canister (031201)**  
**Temperature profile on the canister surface - Optical fiber cables**



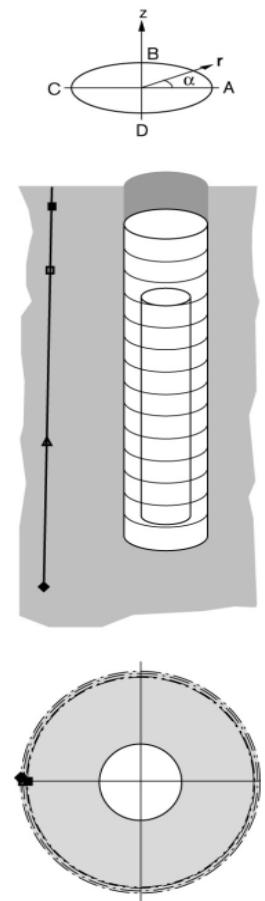
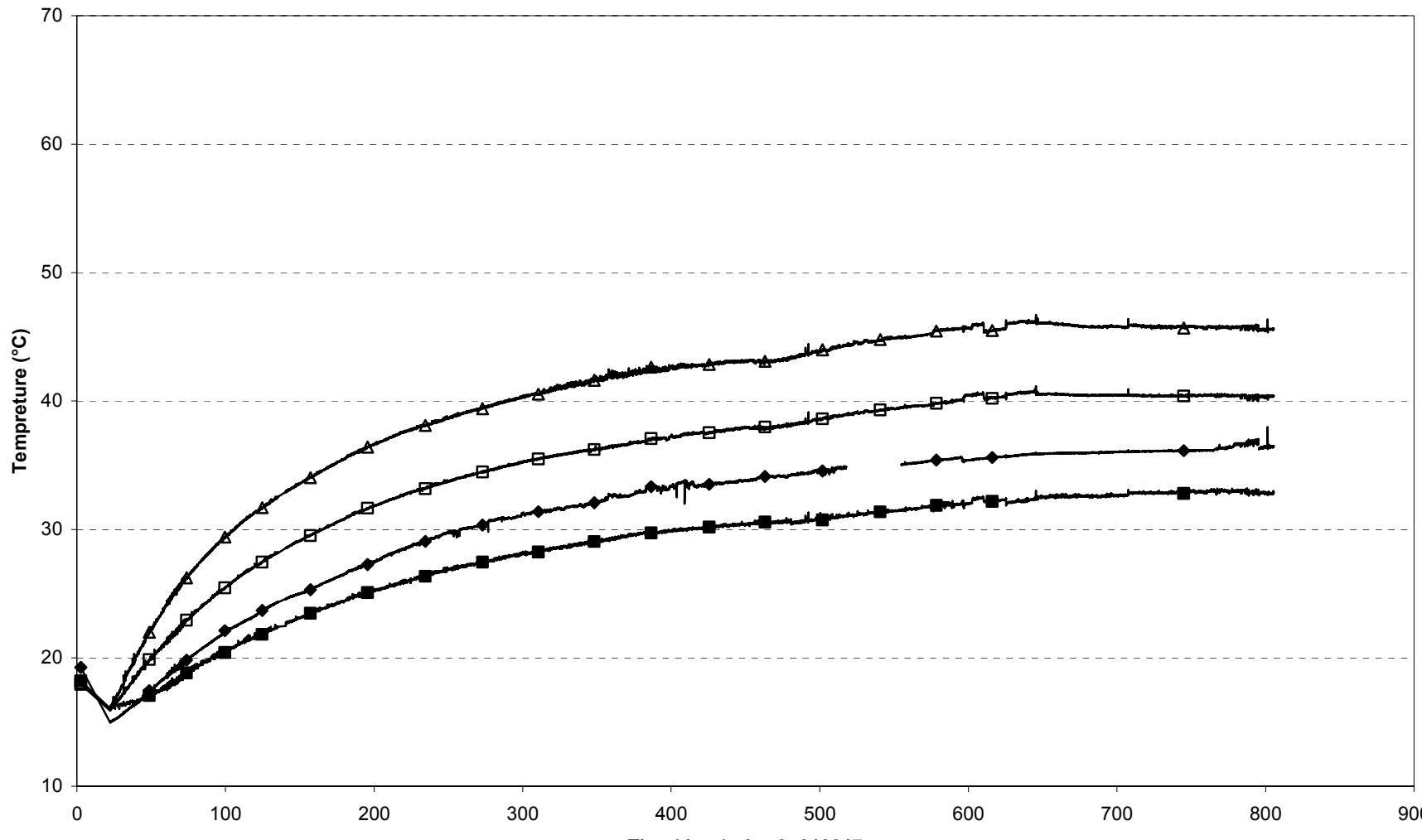


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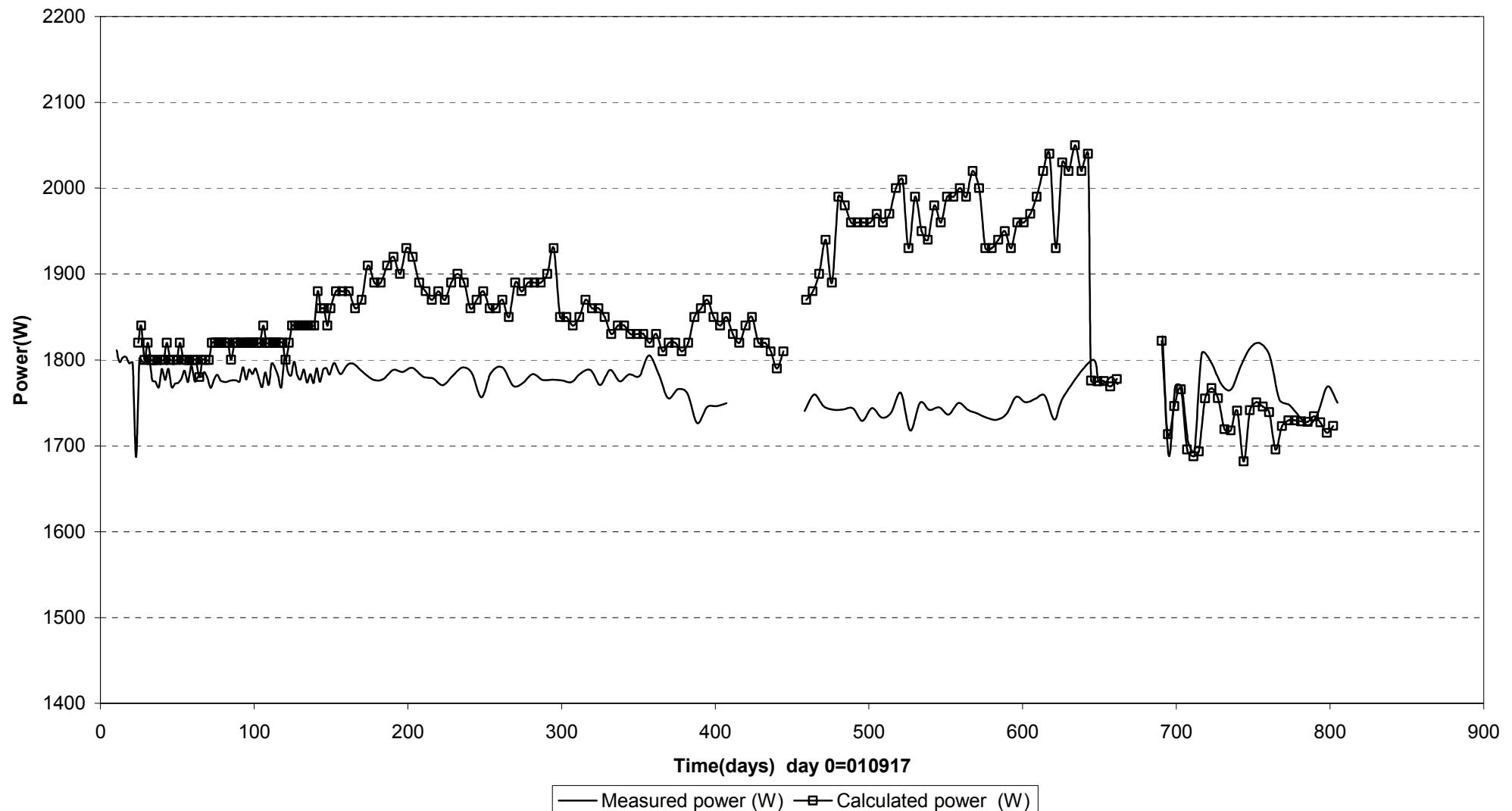
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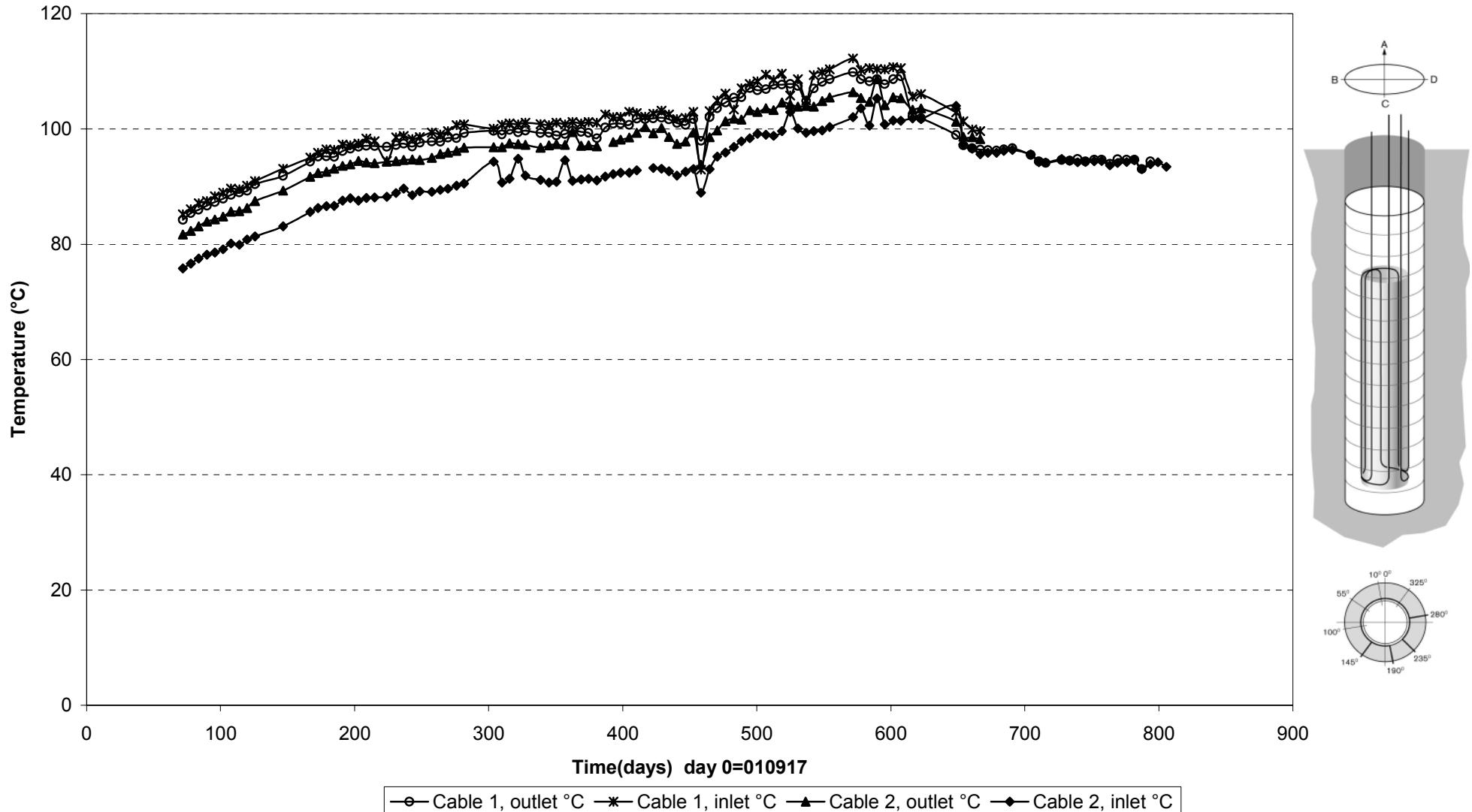
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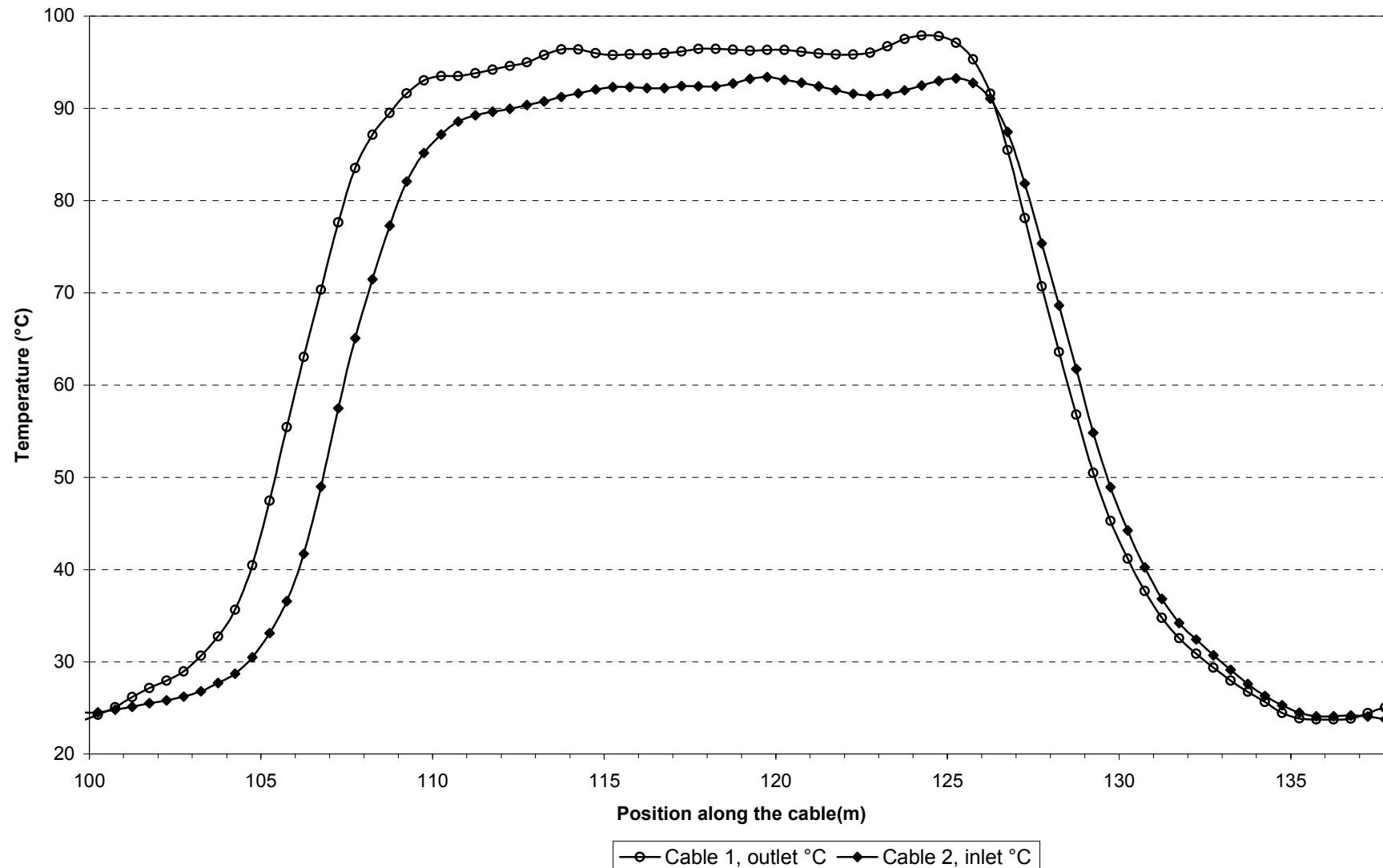
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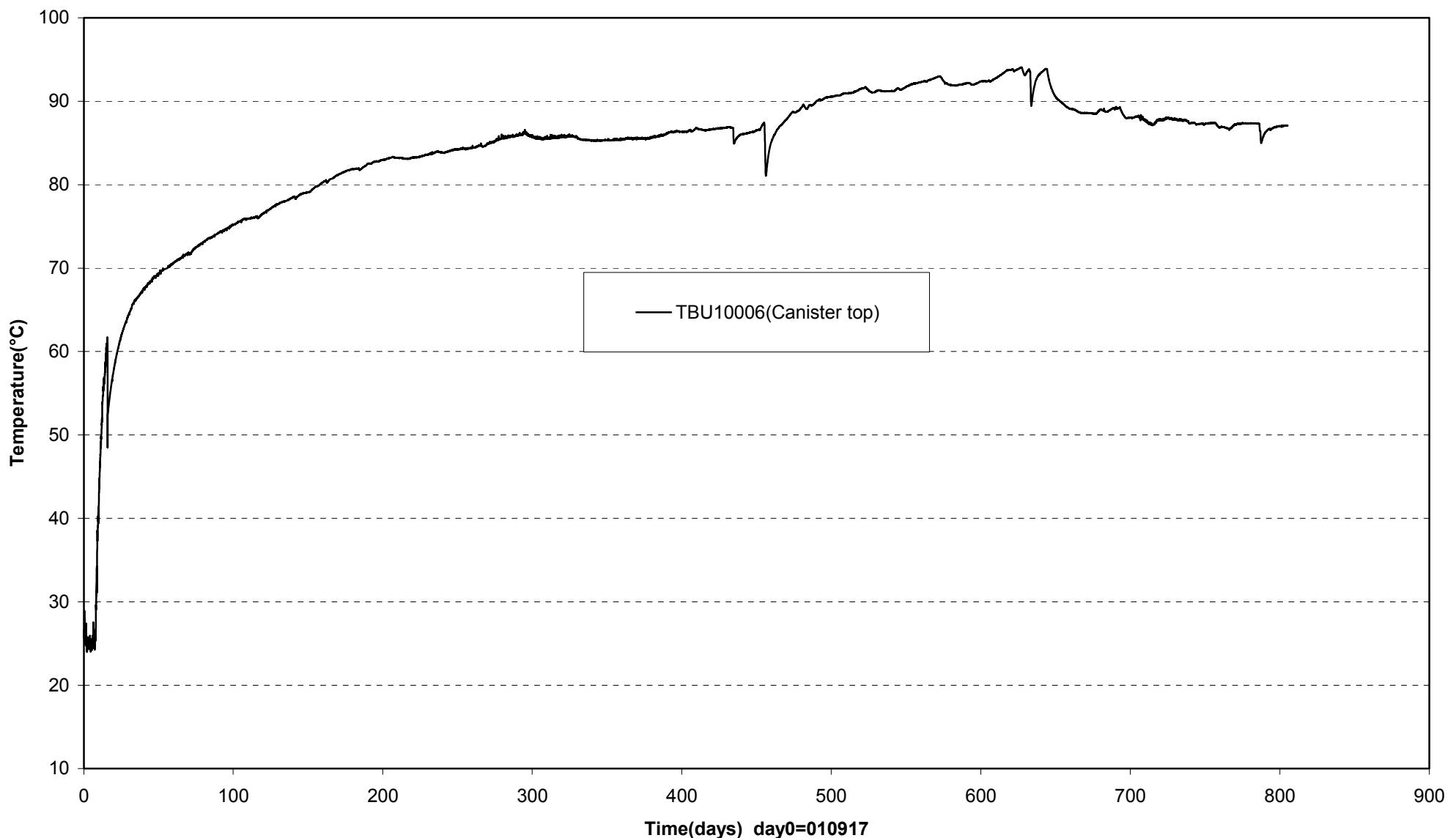
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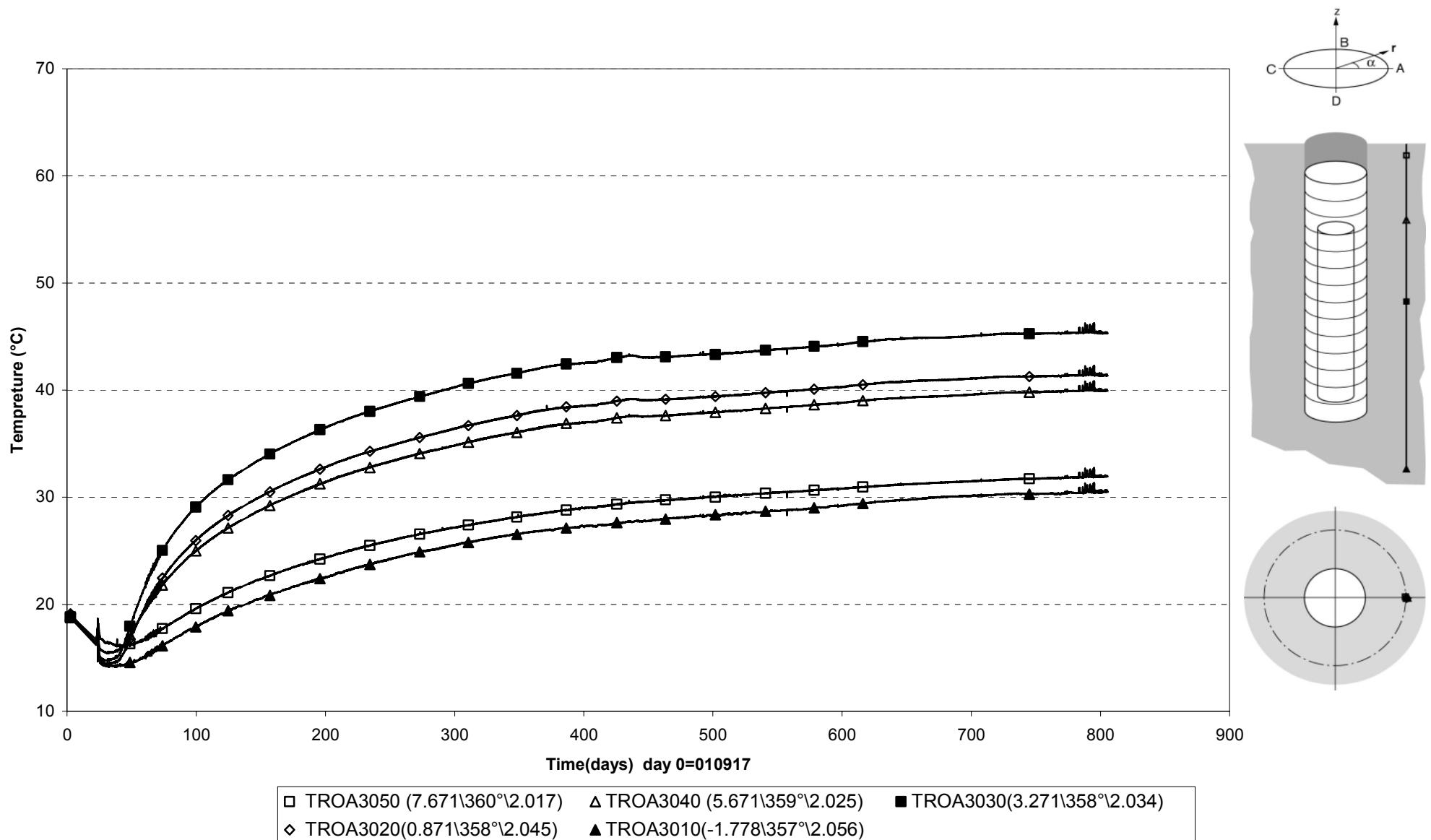
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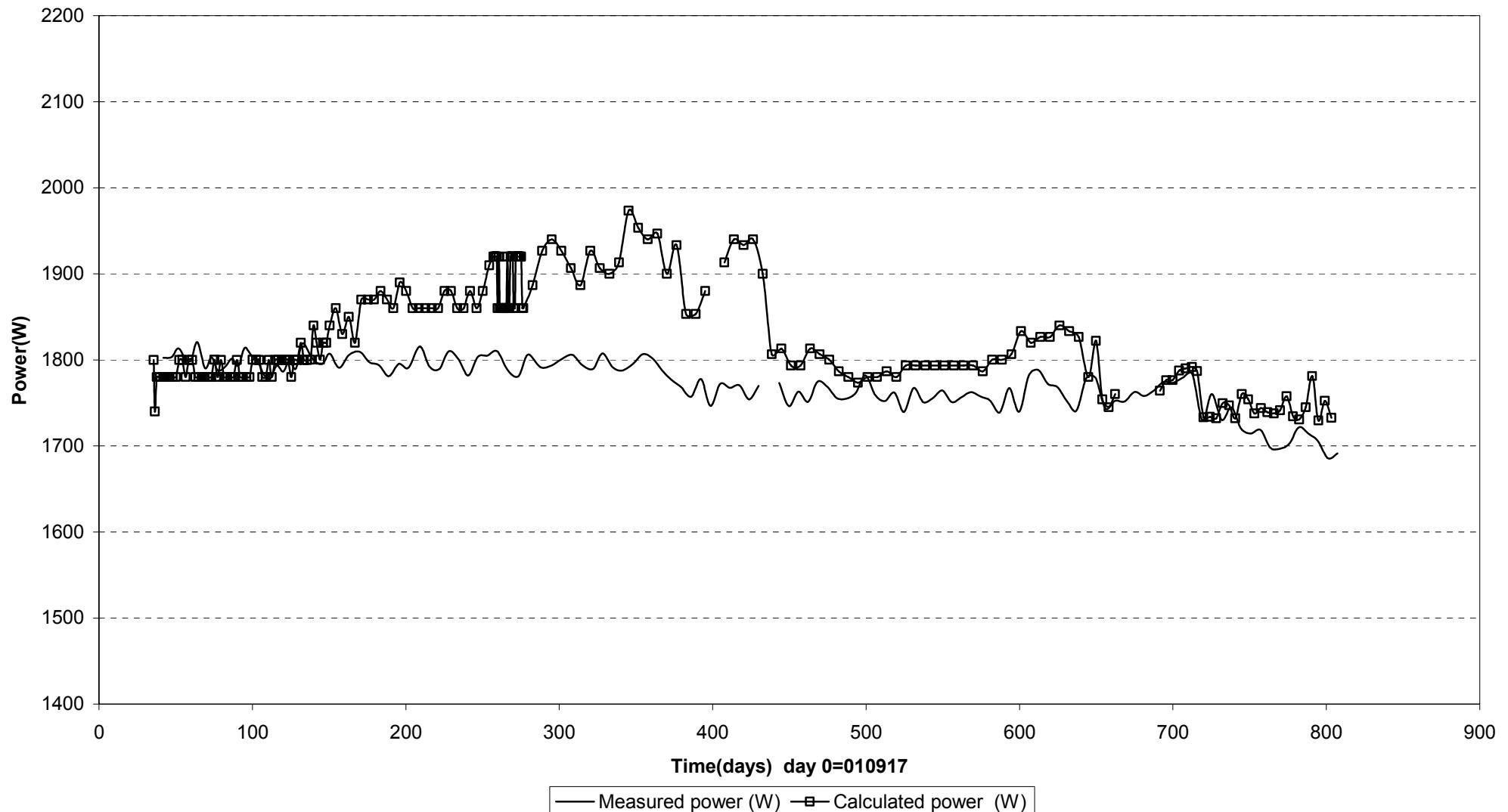
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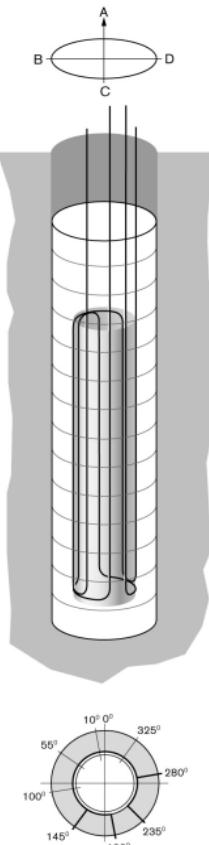
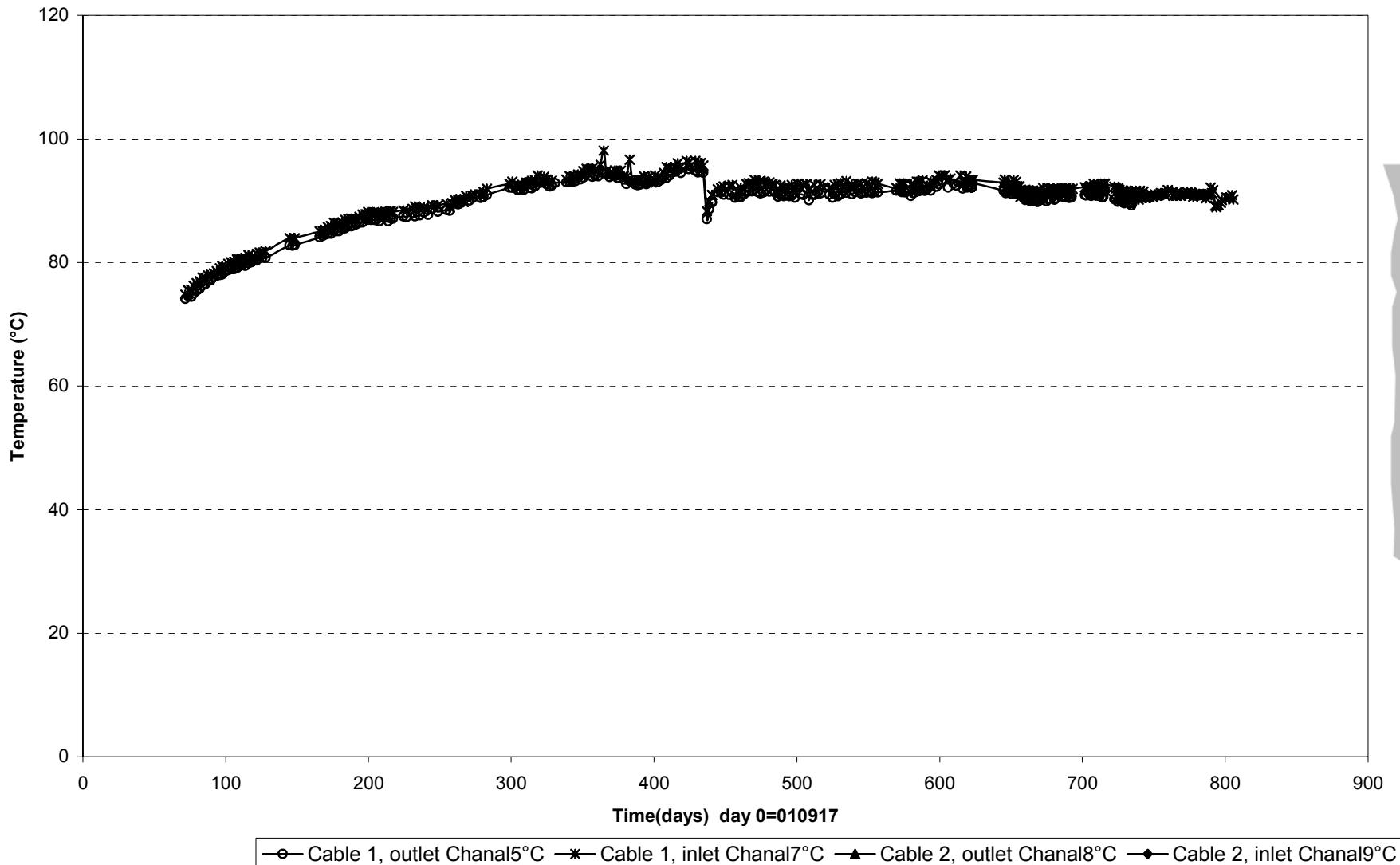
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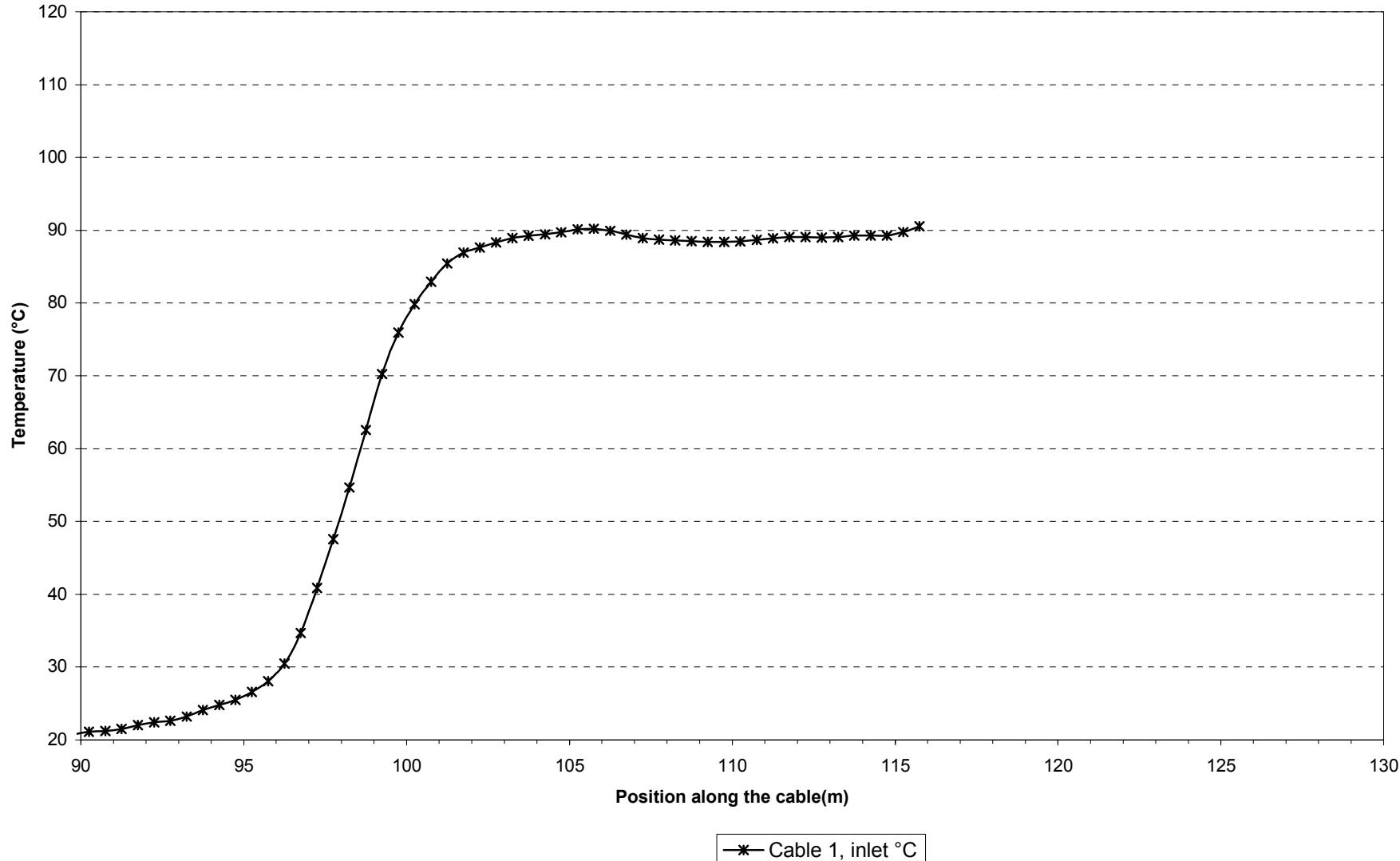
**Prototype\Hole 4 (010917-031201)**  
**Canister power**



**Prototype\ Hole 4 \Canister (010917-031201)**  
**Max. temperature on the canister surface - Optical fiber cables**



**Prototype\ Hole 4\Canister (031201)**  
**Temperature profile on the canister surface - Optical fiber cables**



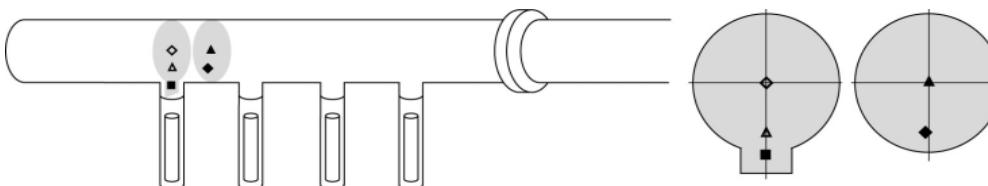
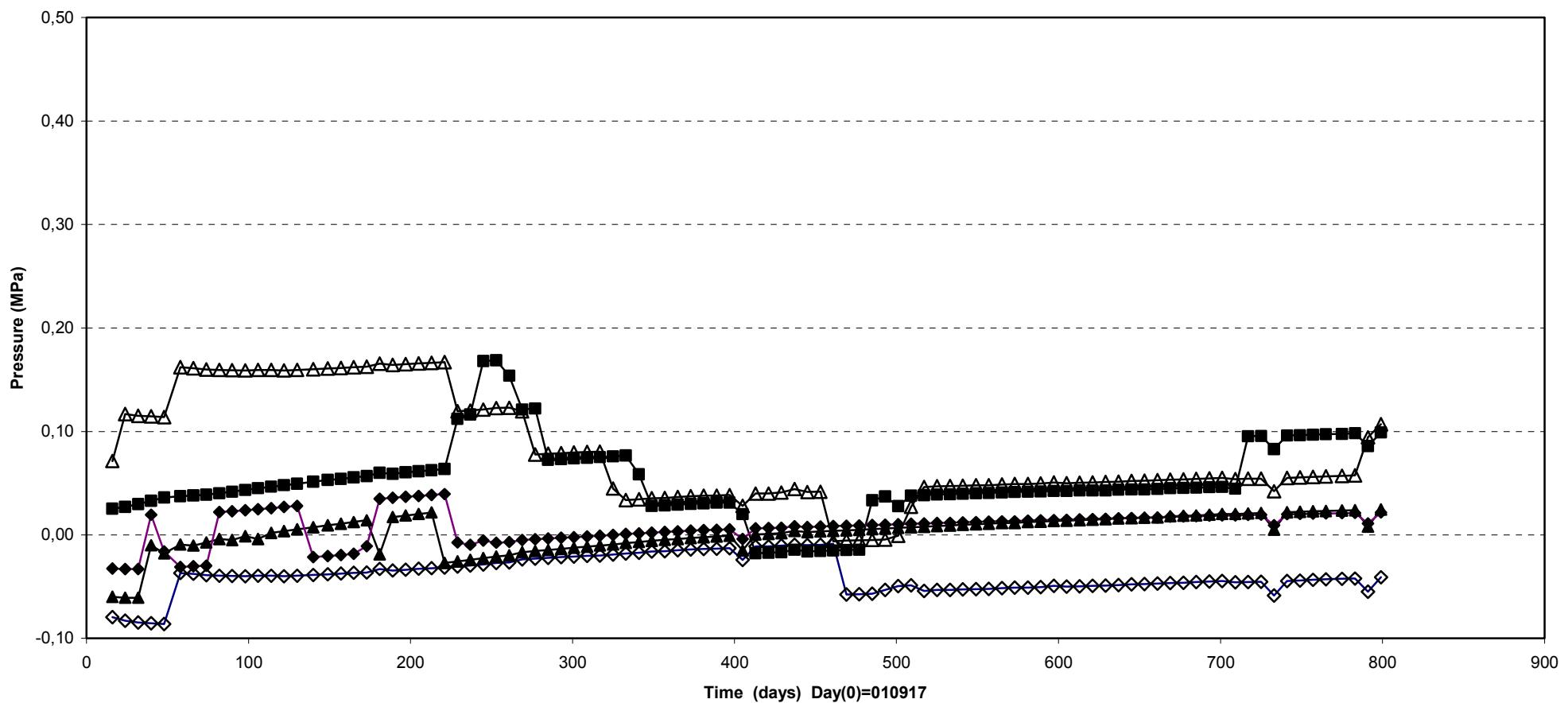


## **Appendix 4**

### **Backfill in section 1**

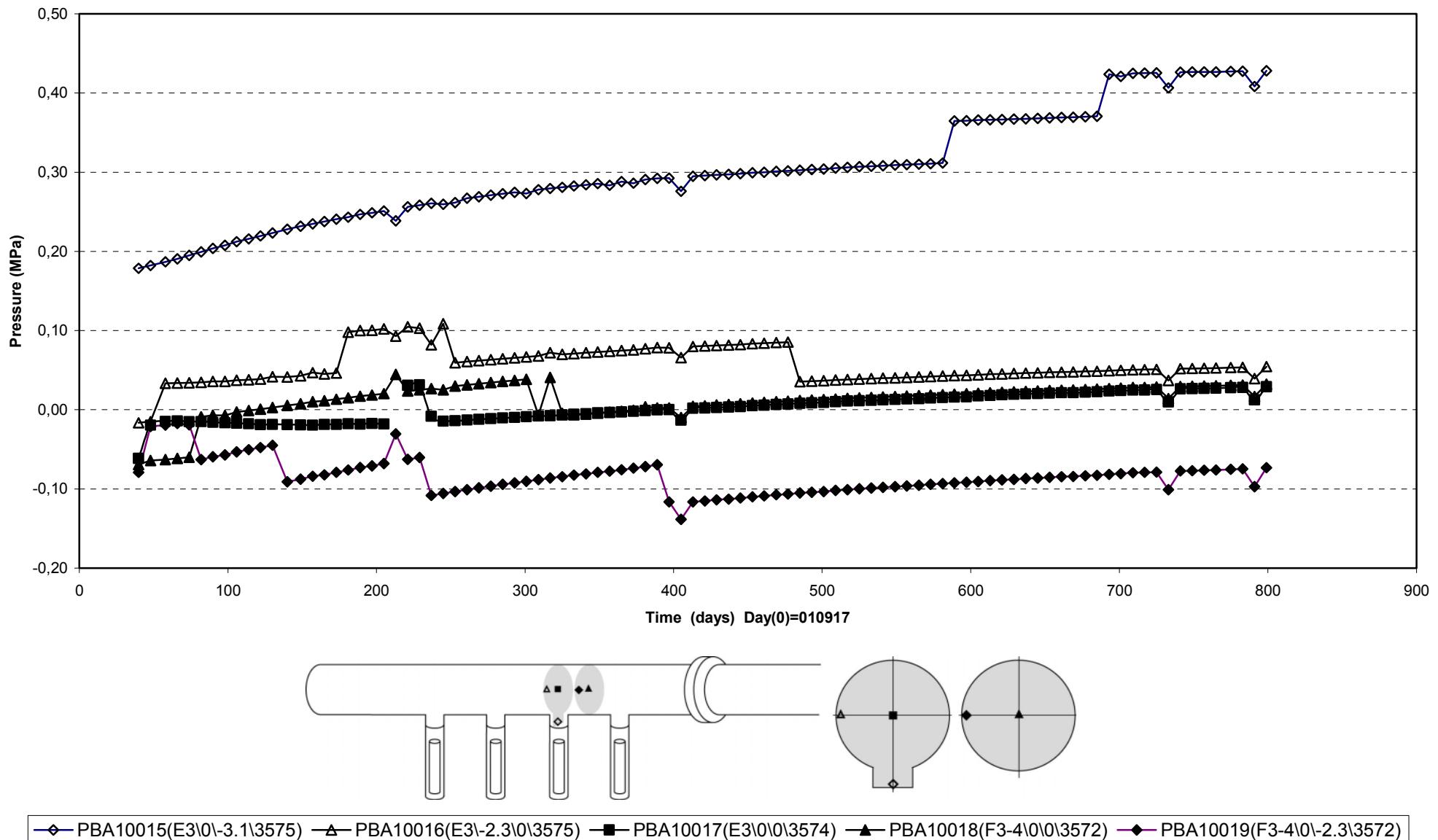


Prototype\Backfill\Section 1 (010917-031201)  
 Total pressure - Geokon

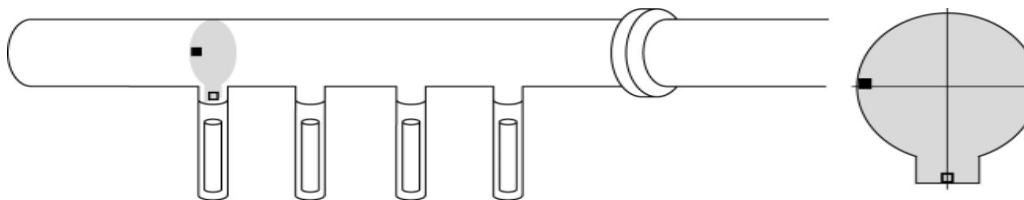
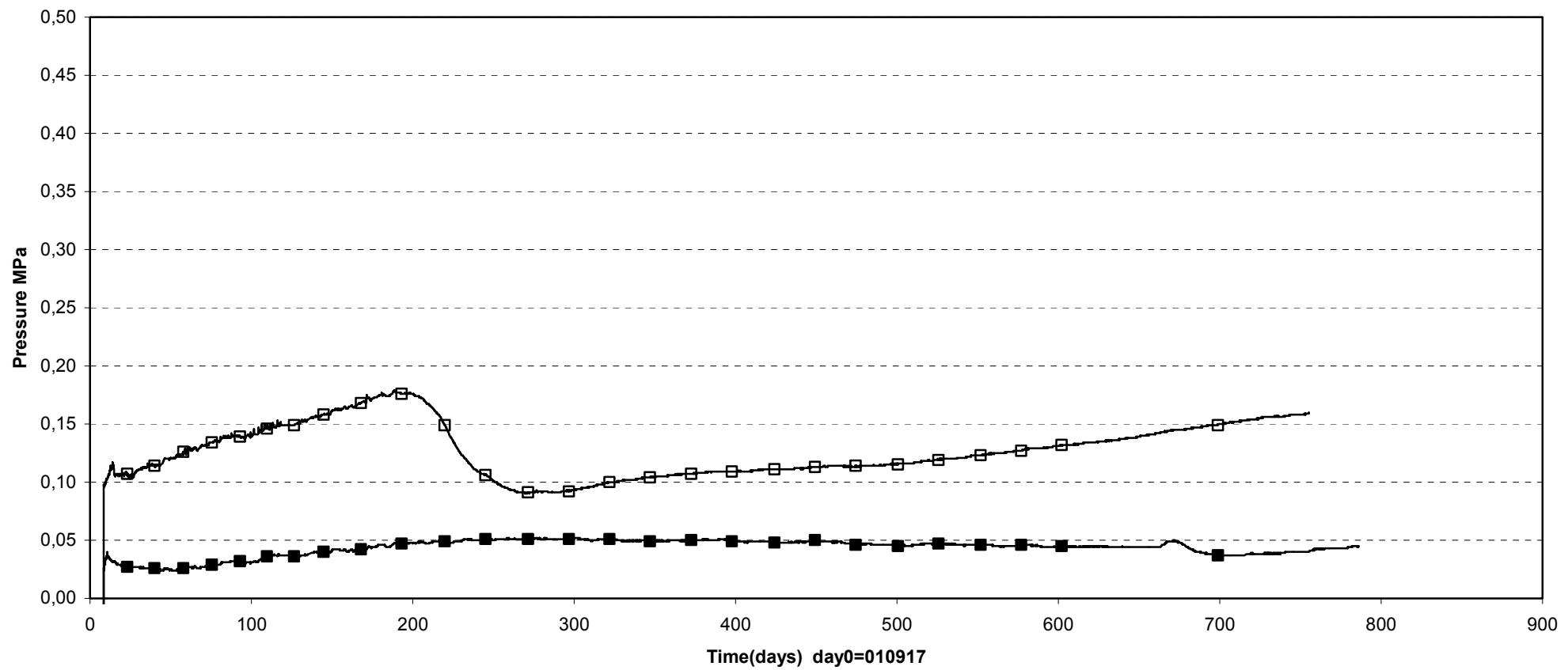


◆ PBA10002(E1\0\0\3587) ▲ PBA10003(E1\0 \-1,8\3587) ■ PBA10004(E1\0 \-2,6\3587) ▲ PBA10008(F1-2\0\0\3584) ♦ PBA10009(F1-2\0\1\‐1,8\3584)

Prototype\Backfill\ Section 1 (010917-031201)  
 Total pressure - Geokon

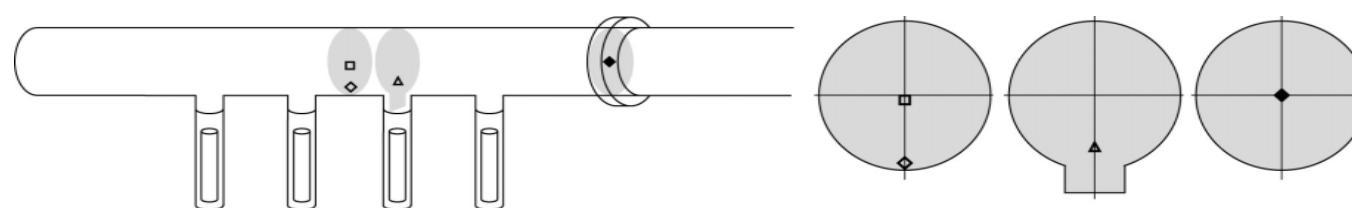
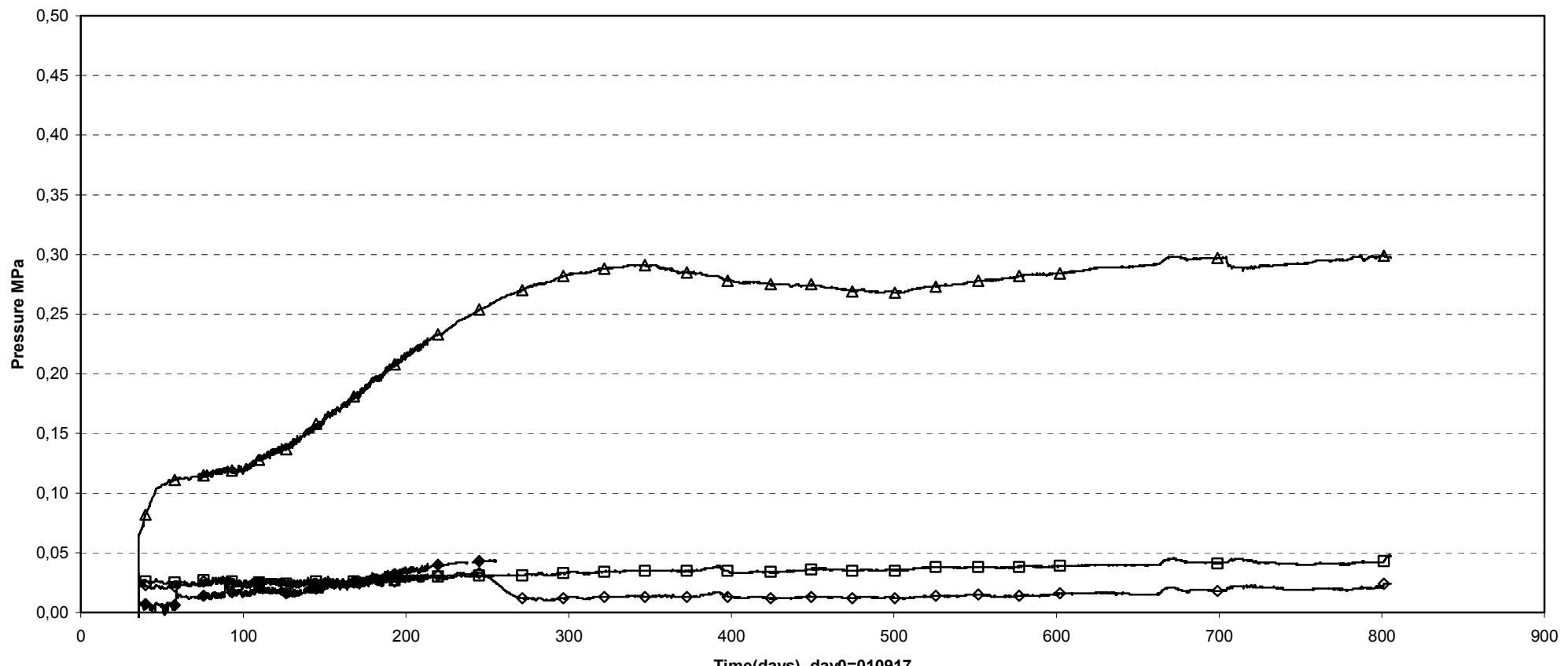


Prototype\Backfill\Section 1 (010917-031201)  
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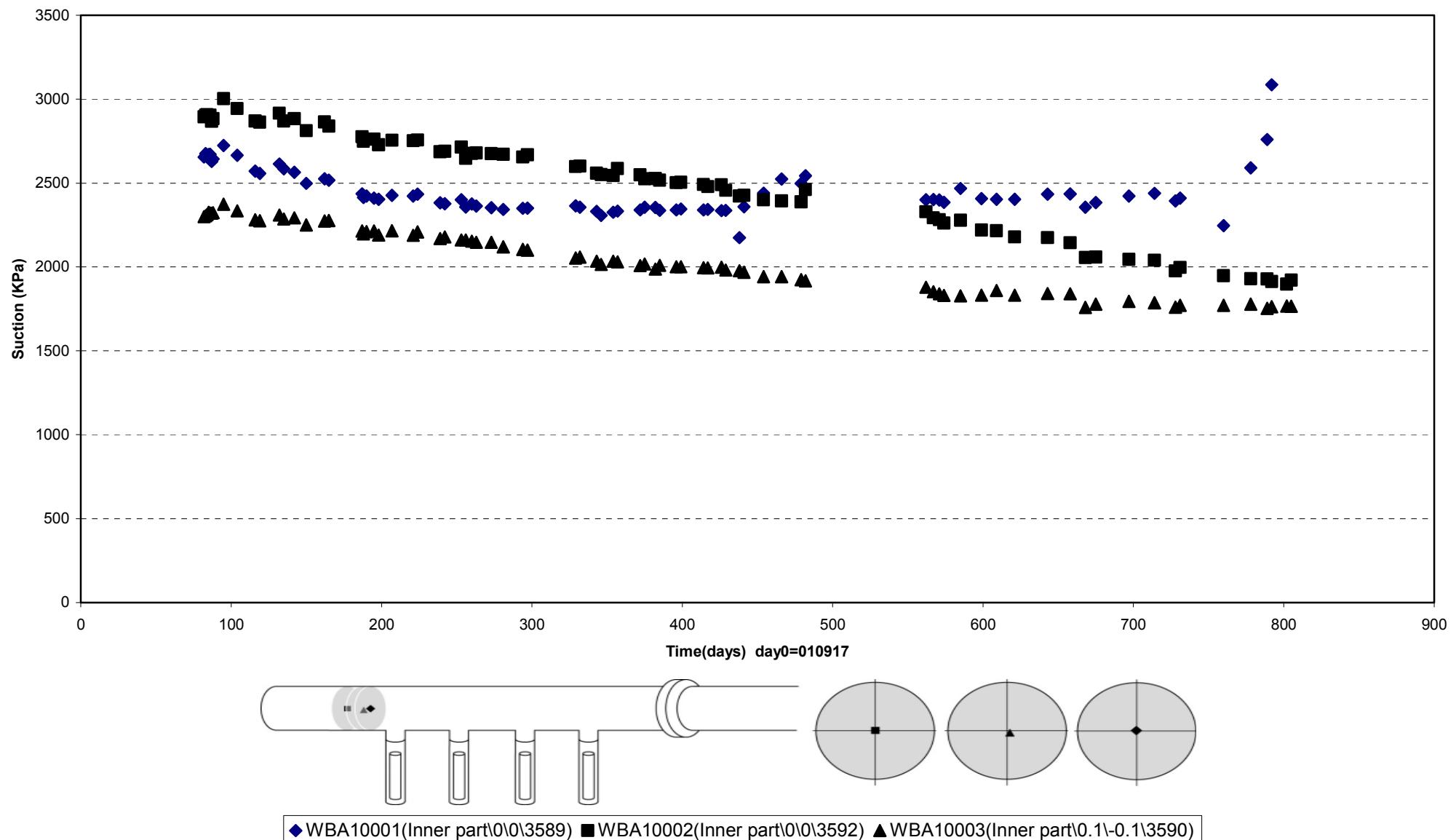
□ PBA10005(E1\0\3587) ■ PBA10006(E1\2.3\0.1\3587)

Prototype\Backfill\Section 1 (010917-031201)  
Total pressure - Kulite

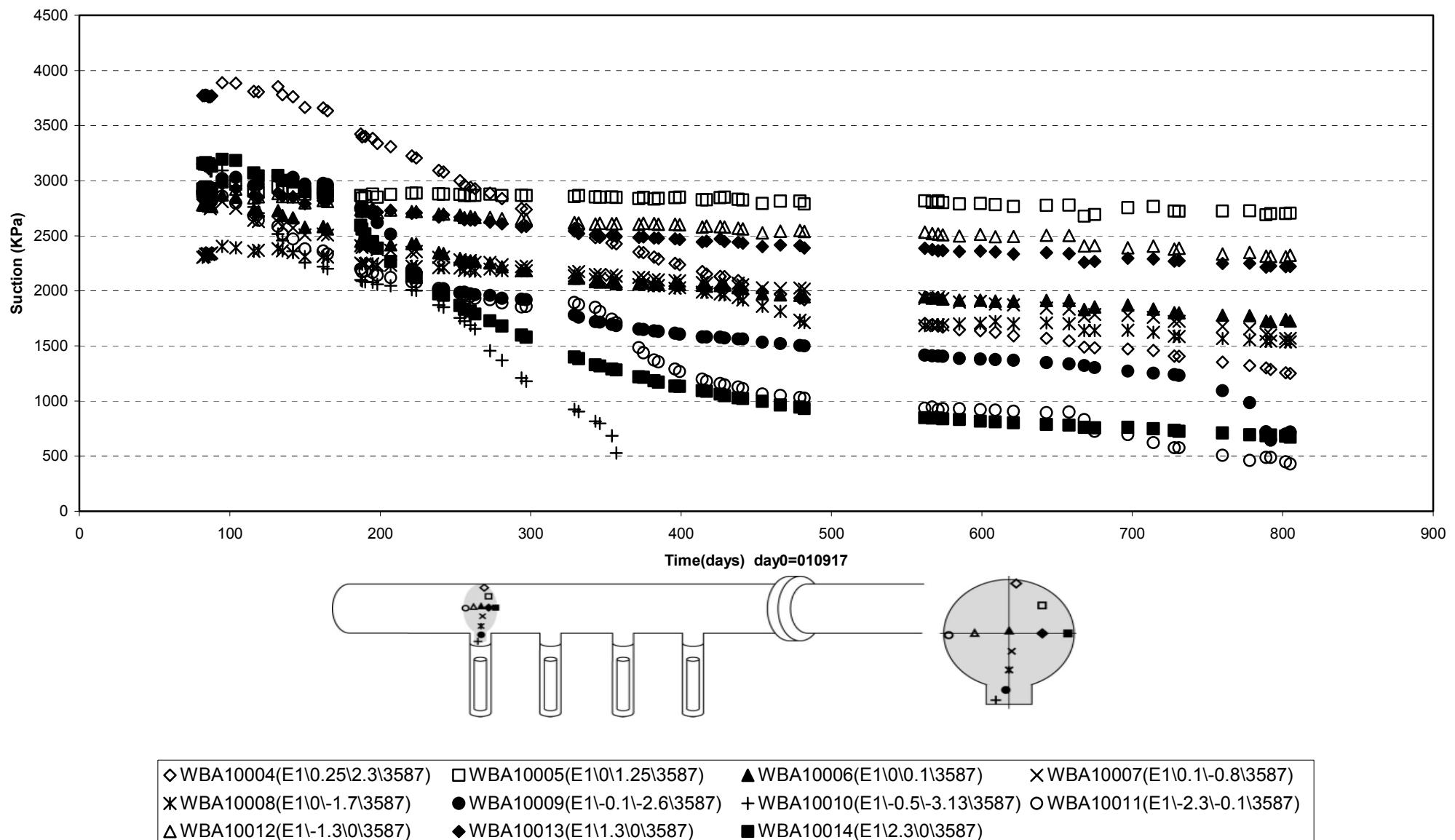


□ PBA10010(F1-2\0\0.2\3578) ◇ PBA10011(F1-2\0\2.3\3578) △ PBA10013(E3\0\1.82\3575) ◆ PBA10020(In front of plug\0\0\3561)

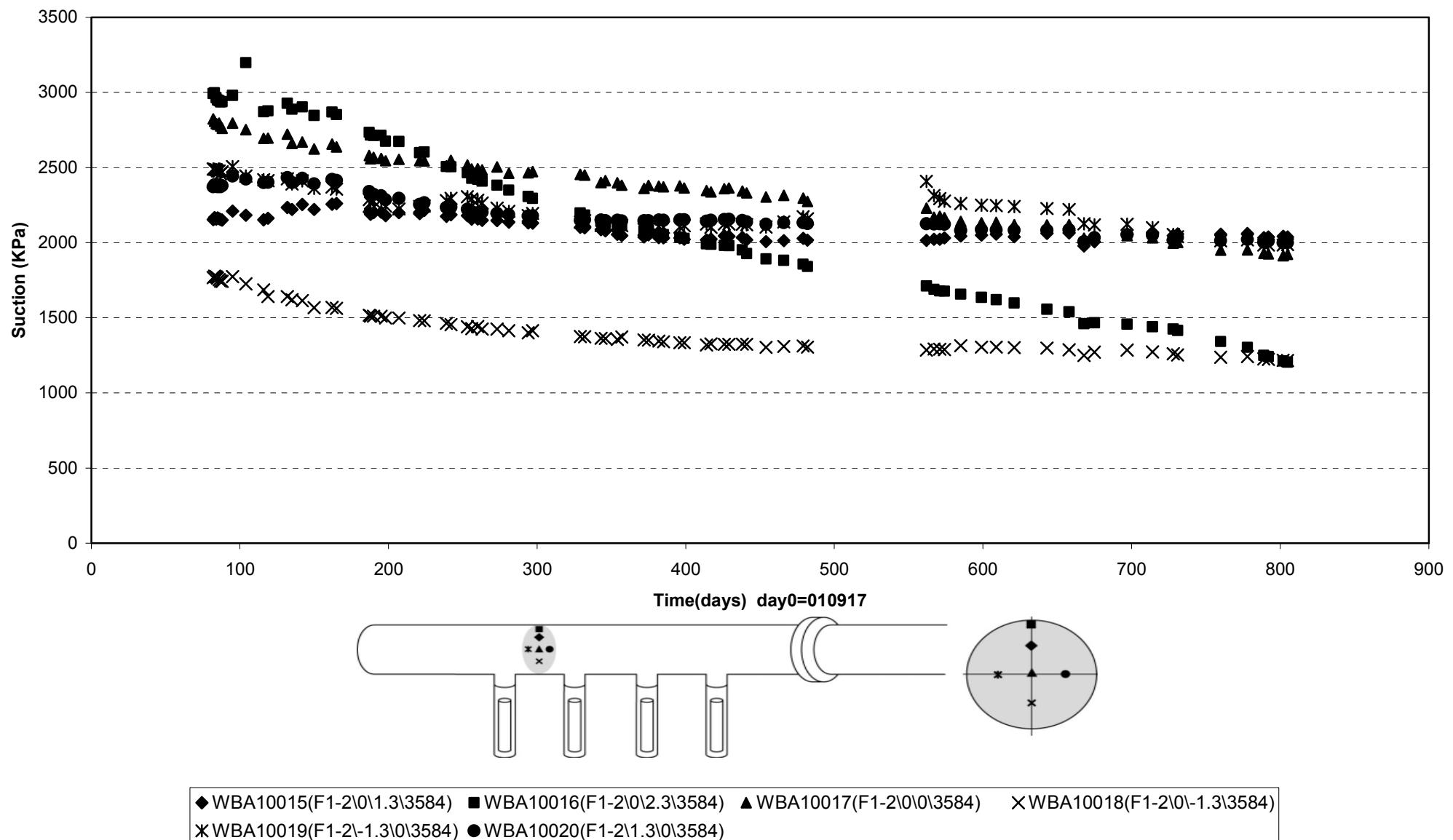
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**Suction - Wescor**



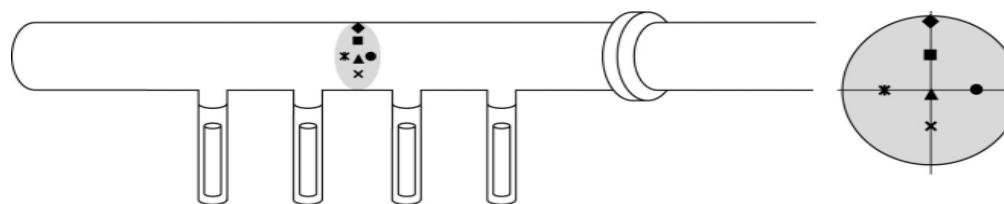
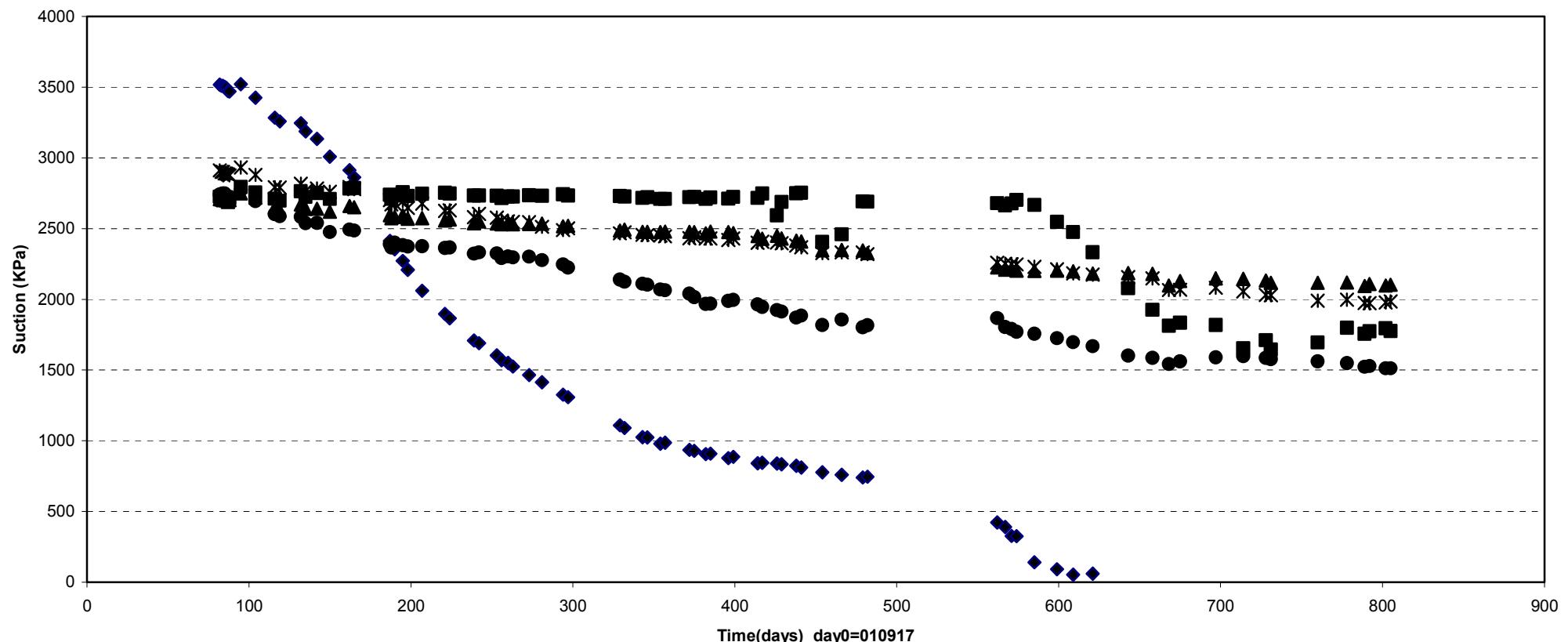
**Prototype\Backfill\ Above dep.hole 1 (010917-031201)**  
**Suction - Wescor**



**Prototype\Backfill \ Between dep.hole 1 and hole 2 (010917-031201)**  
**Suction - Wescor**

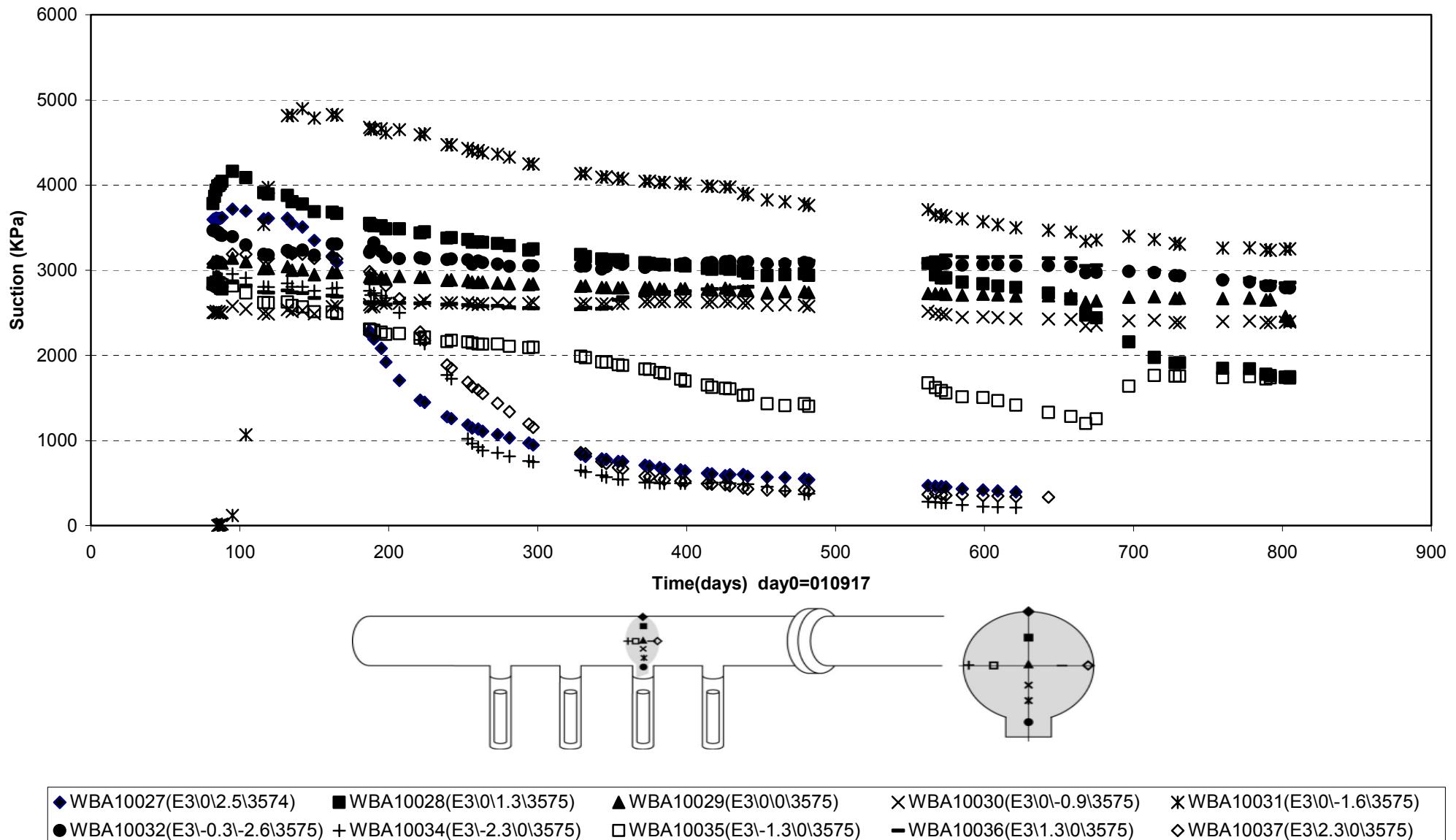


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**Suction - Wescor**

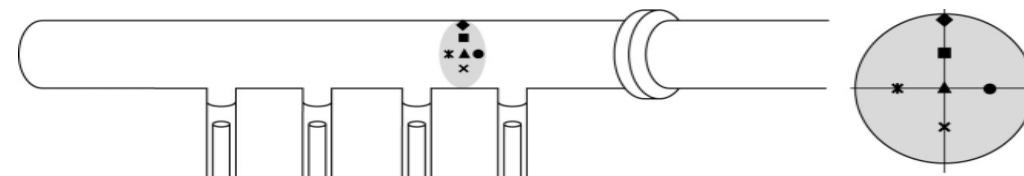
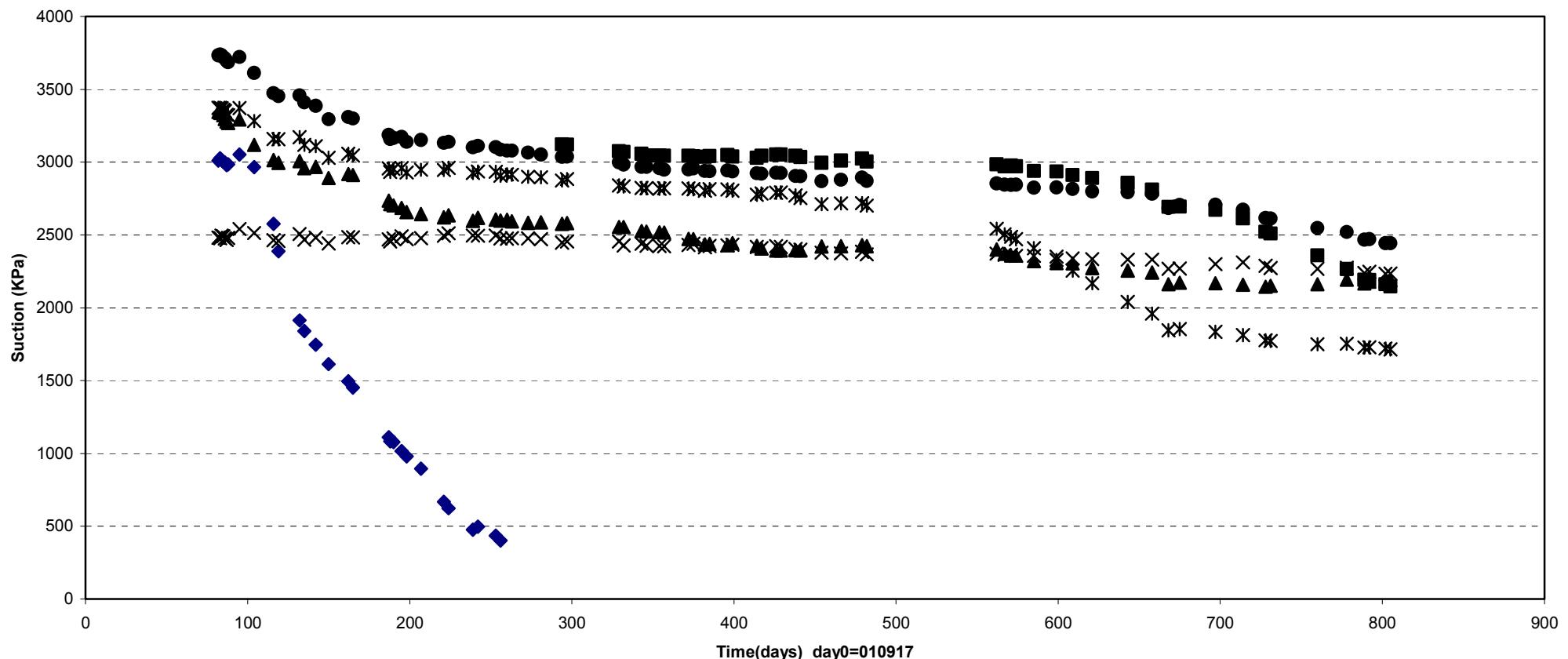


◆	WBA10021(F2-3\0\2.3\3578)
■	WBA10022(F2-3\0\1.2\3578)
▲	WBA10023(F2-3\0\~-0.2\3578)
*	WBA10025(F2-3\~-1.3\0\3578)
●	WBA10026(F2-3\1.3\0\3578)

Prototype\Backfill\ Above dep.hole 3 (010917-031201)  
 Suction - Wescor



**Prototype\Backfill \ Between dep.hole 3 and hole 4 (010917-031201)**  
**Suction - Wescor**



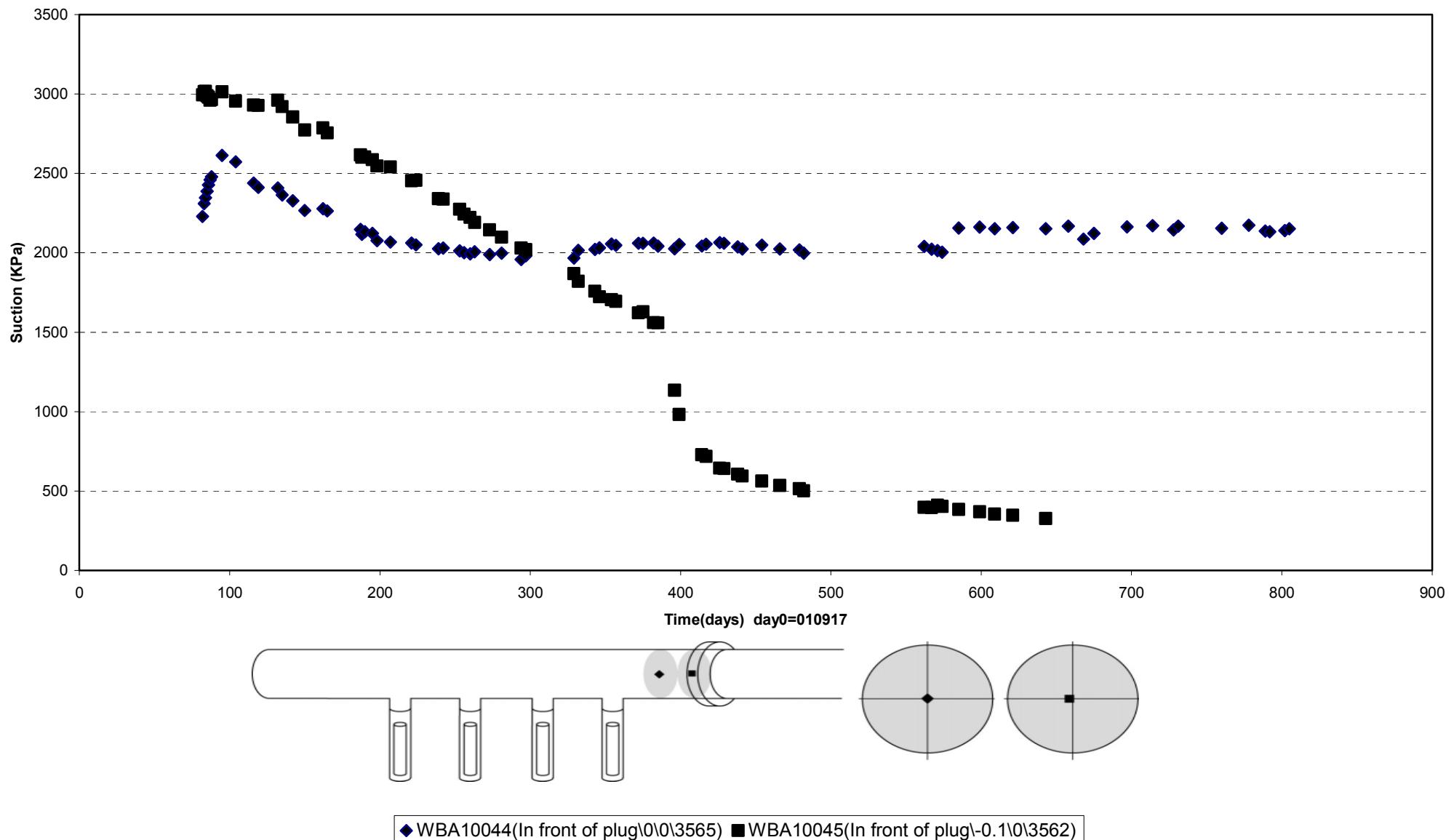
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■ WBA10039(F3- 4\0\1.2\3572)  
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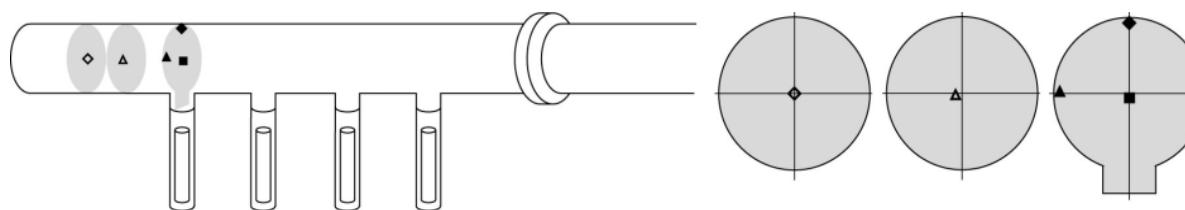
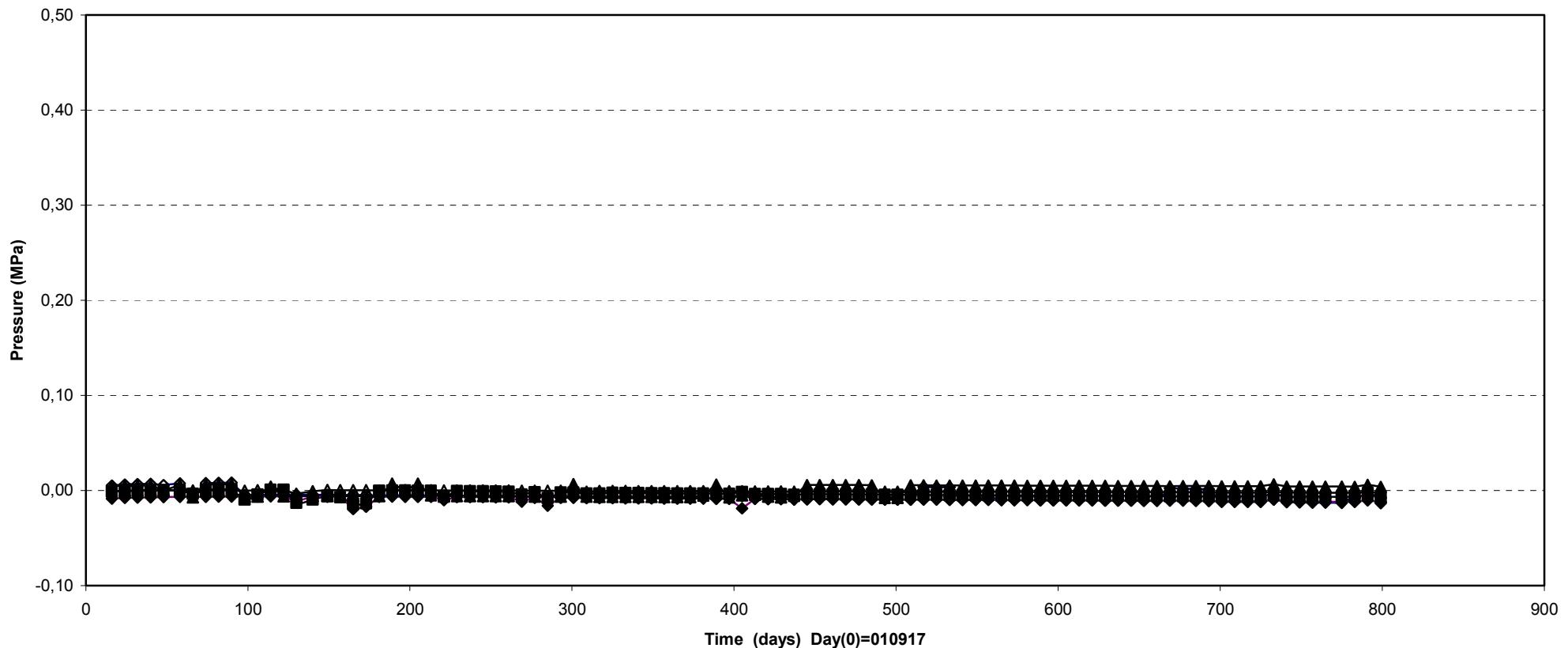
▲ WBA10040(F3- 4\0\0\3572)

✗ WBA10041(F3- 4\0\1.3\3572)

Prototype\Backfill \ In front of plug (010917-031201)  
Suction - Wescor



Prototype\Backfill\Section 1 (010917-031201)  
 Pore pressure - Geokon

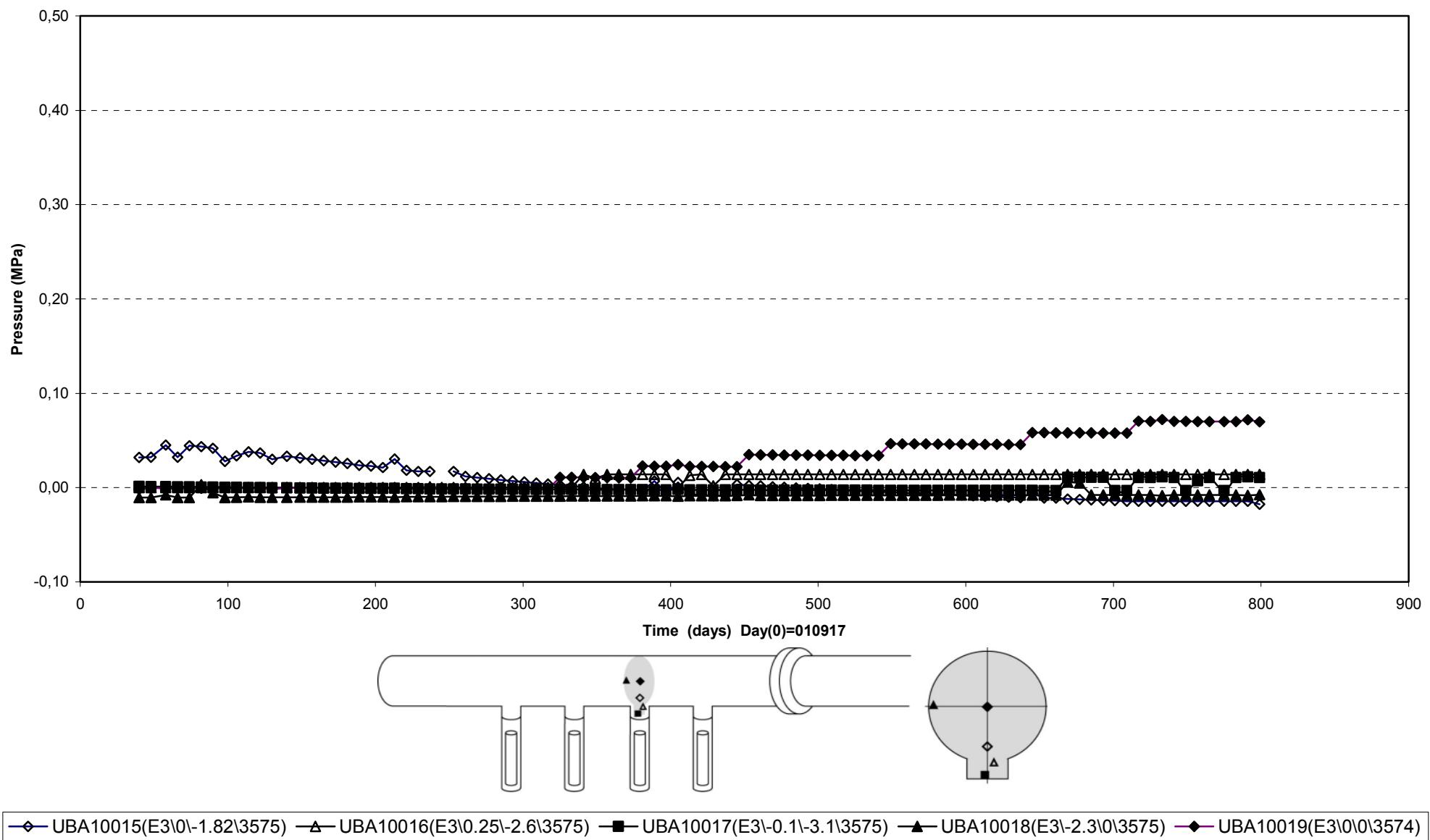


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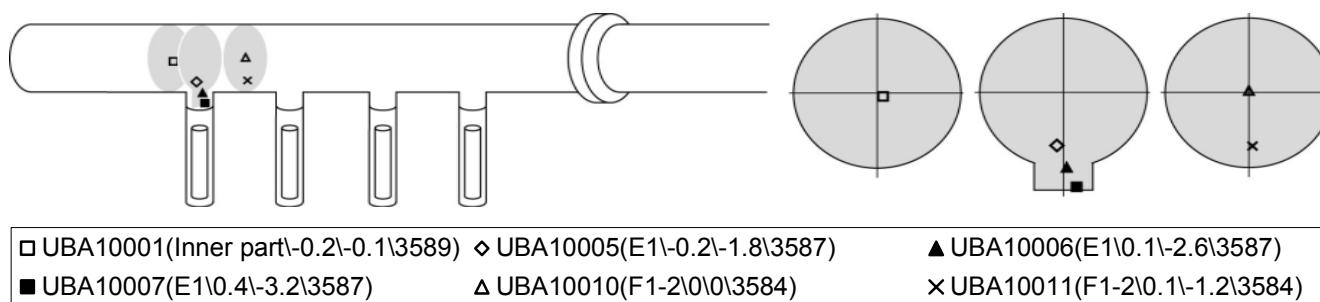
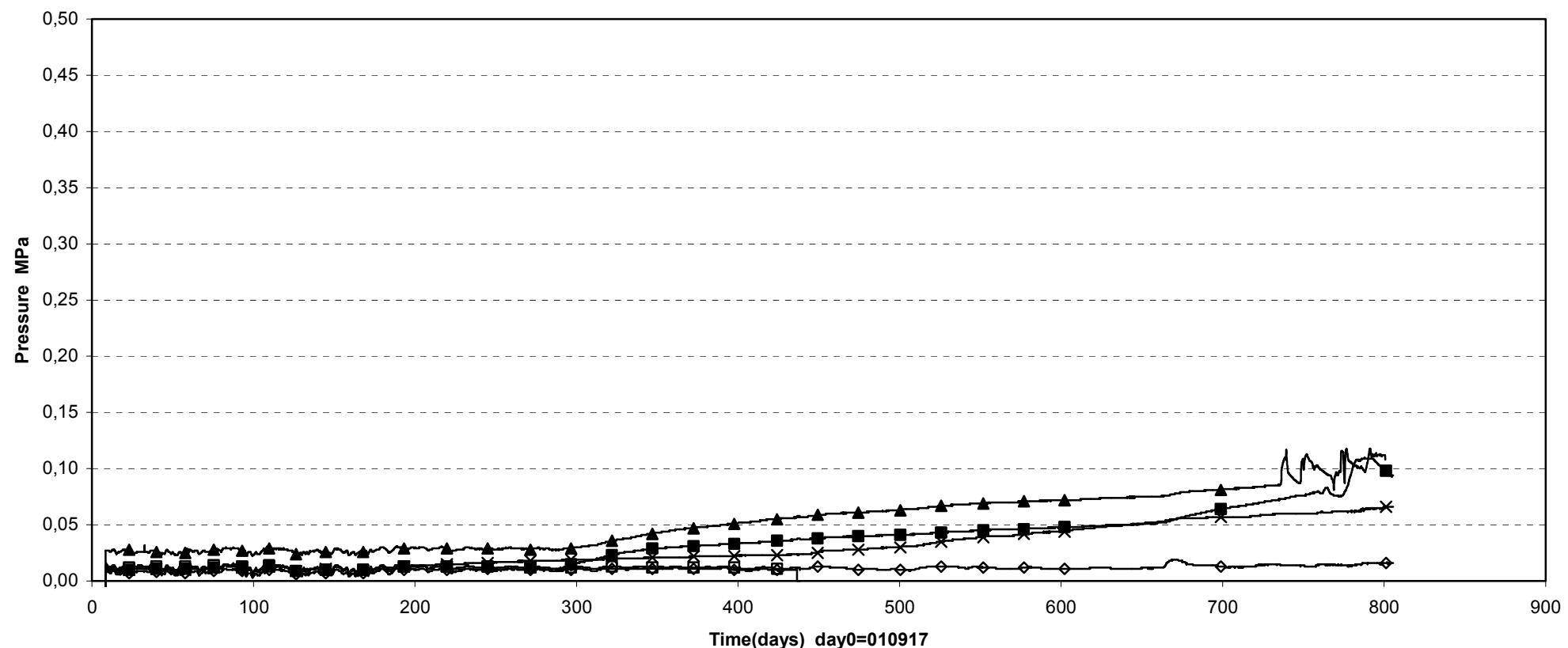
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 ♦ UBA10009(E1\0\2.3\0\3587)

■ UBA10004(E1\0\0\3587)

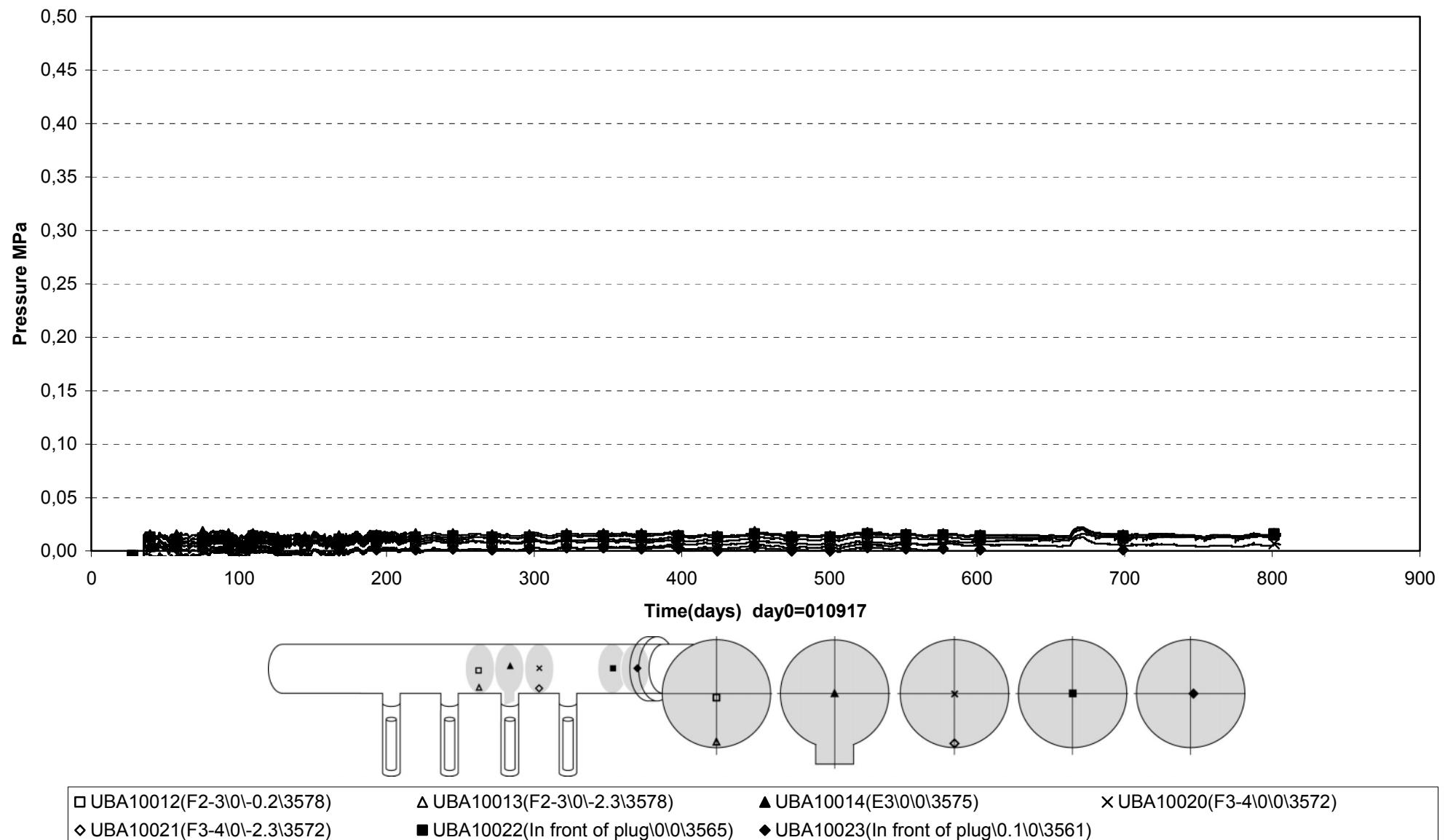
Prototype\Backfill \ Section 1 (010917-031201)  
 Pore pressure - Geokon



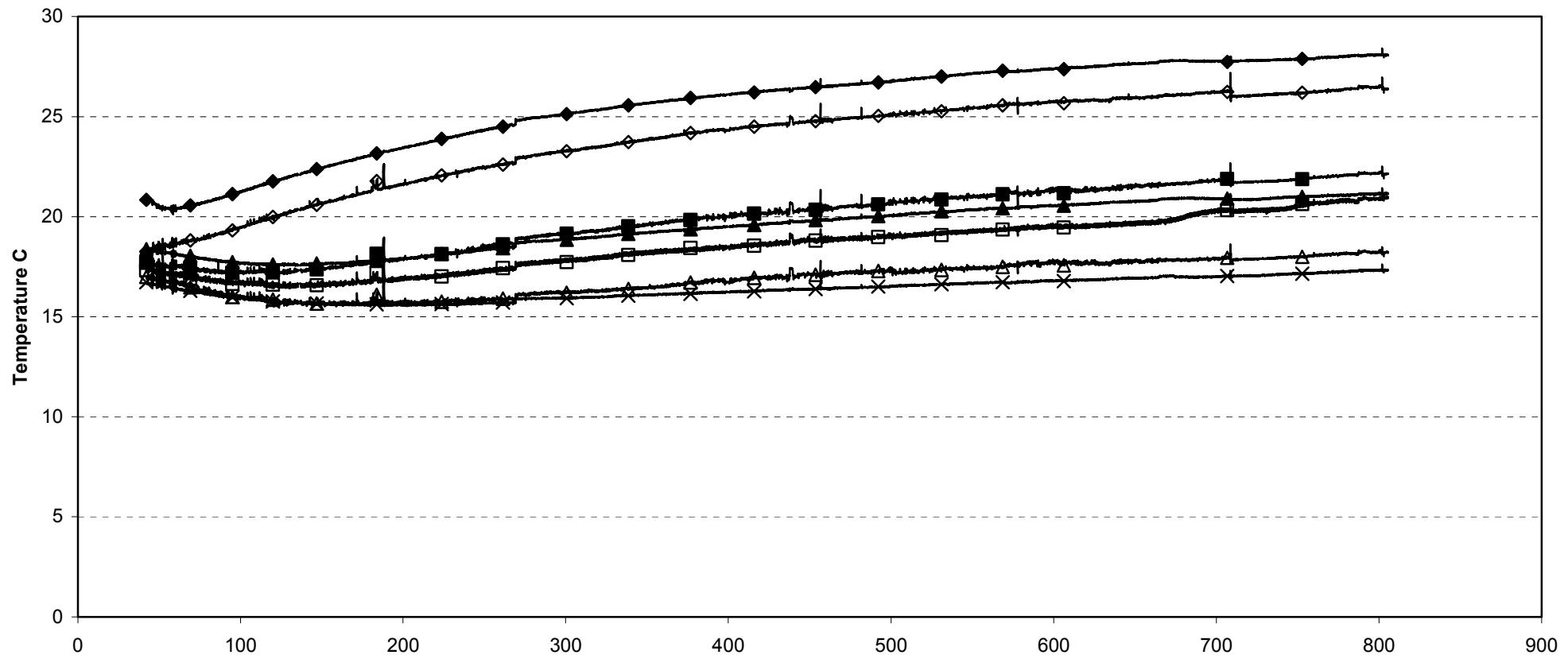
Prototype\Backfill\ Section 1 (010917-031201)  
 Pore pressure - Kulite



Prototype\Backfill \Section 1 (010917-031201)  
 Pore pressure - Kulite

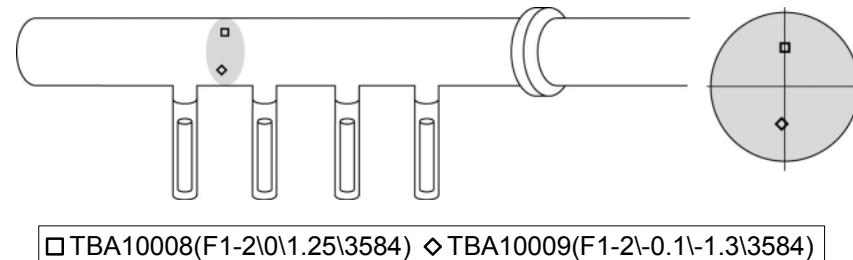
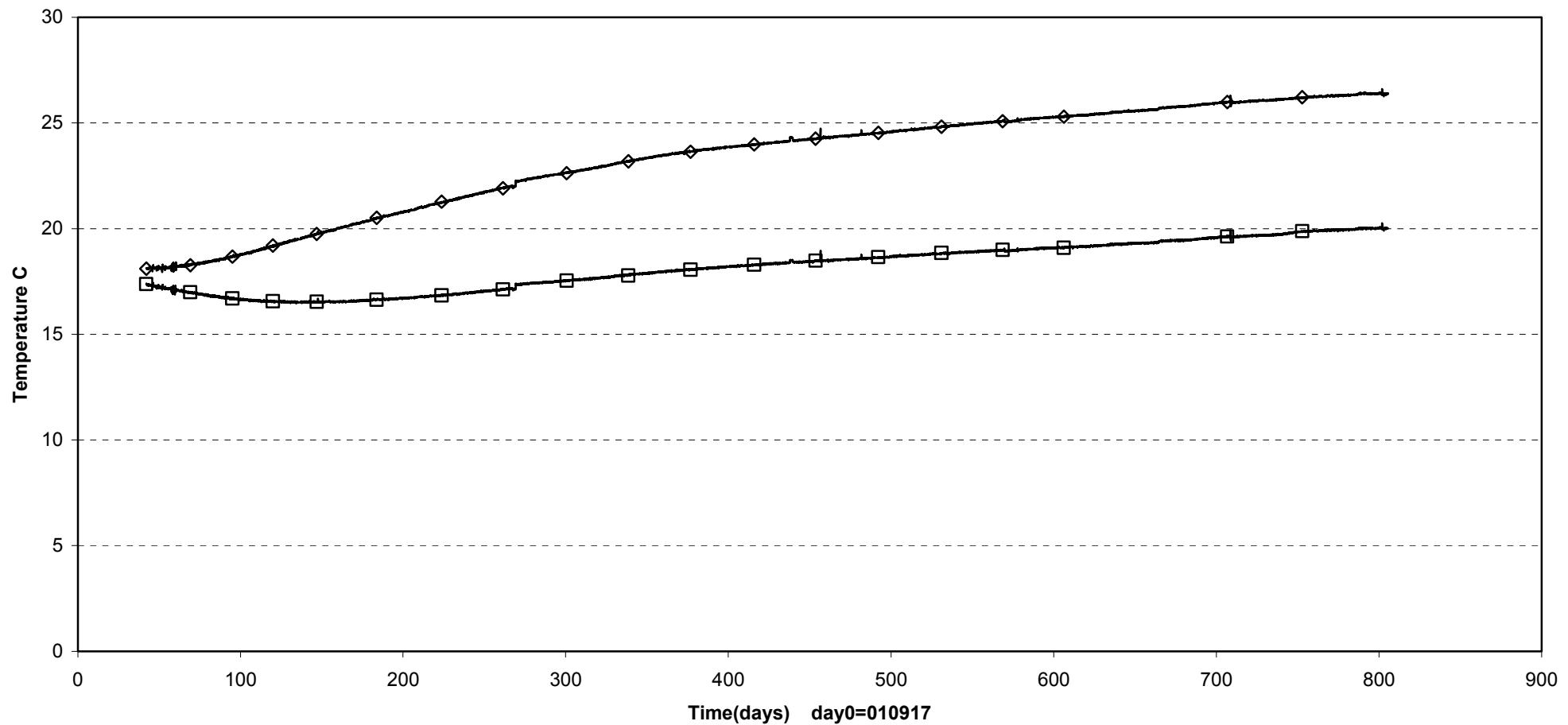


**Prototype\ Backfill \ Above dep.hole1 (010917-031201)**  
**Temperature - Pentronic**

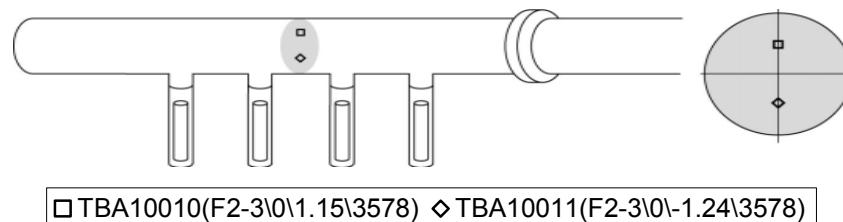
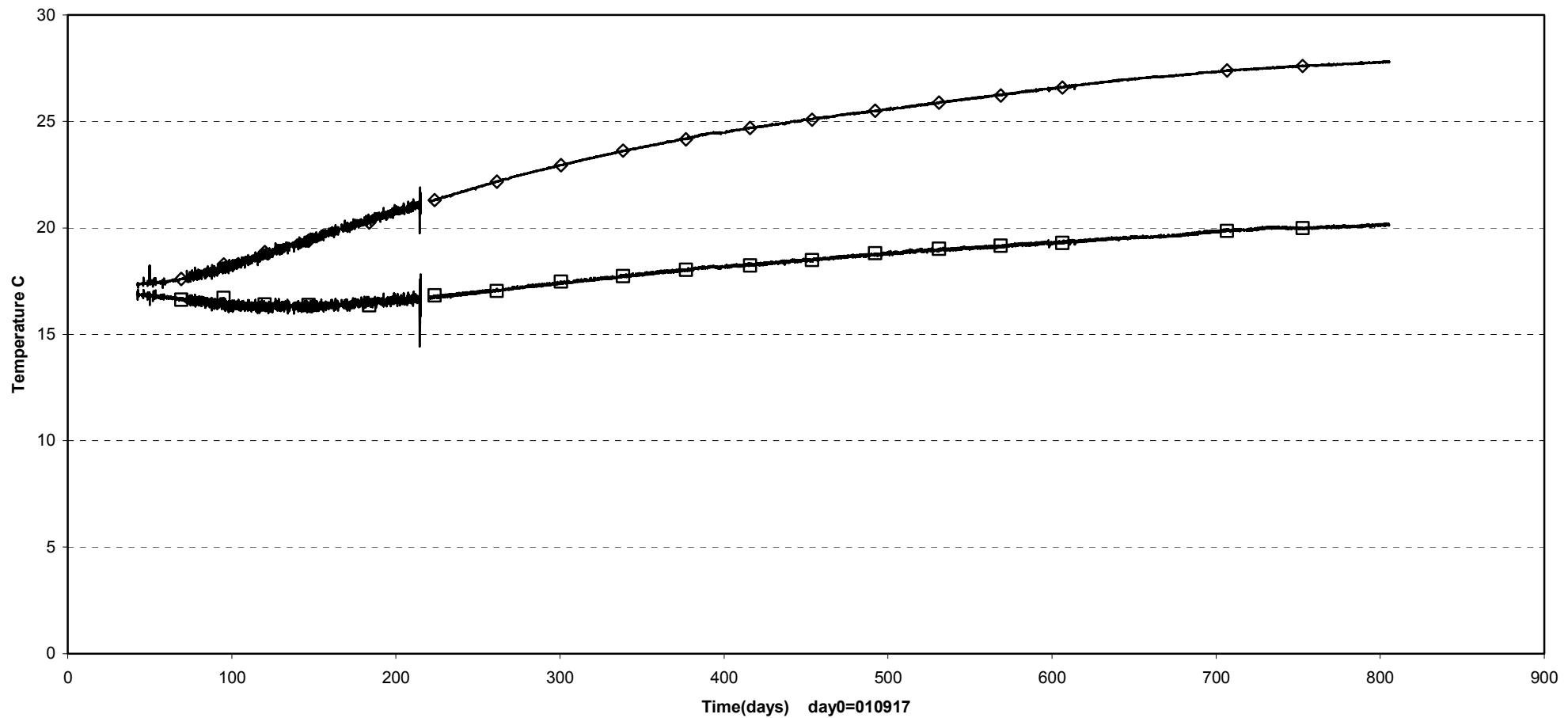


□ TBA10001(E1\ -1.25\ -0.1\ 3587)   △ TBA10002(E1\ 0.1\ 1.3\ 3587)   ■ TBA10003(E1\ 0\ -0.8\ 3587)   ◊ TBA10004(E1\ -0.5\ -2.6\ 3587)  
◆ TBA10005(E1\ 0.5\ -2.6\ 3587)   × TBA10006(E1\ -0.1\ 2.3\ 3587)   ▲ TBA10007(E1\ 1.25\ -0.1\ 3587)

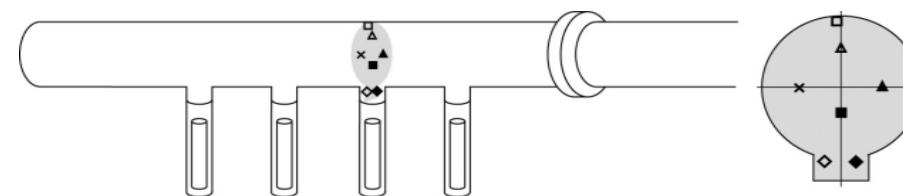
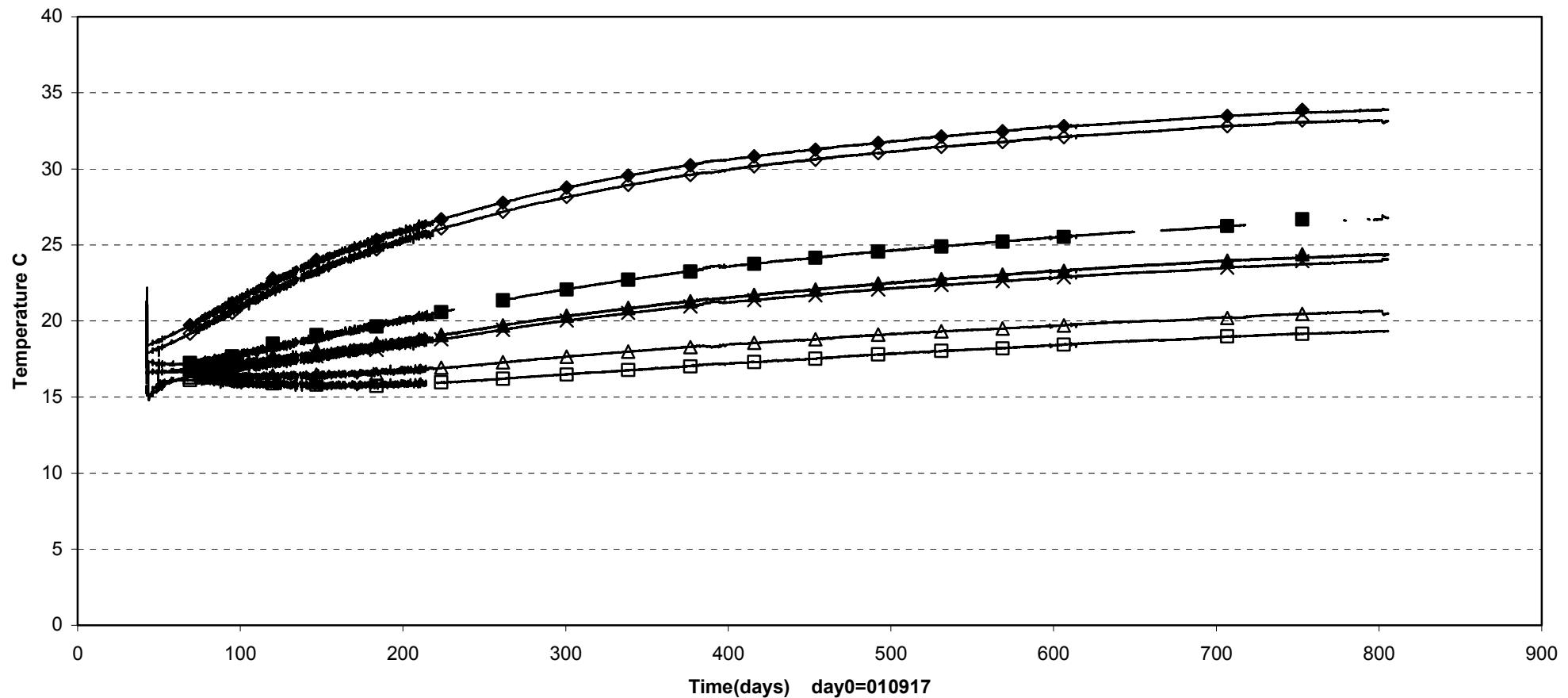
Prototype\ Backfill \ Between dep.hole 1-2 (010917-031201)  
Temperature - Pentronic



Prototype\ Backfill \ Between dep.hole 2-3 (010917-031201)  
Temperature -Pentronic

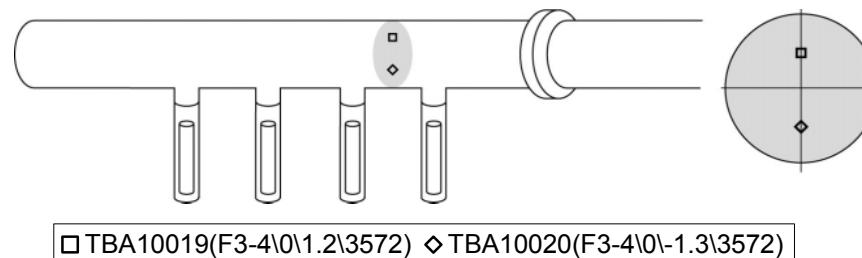
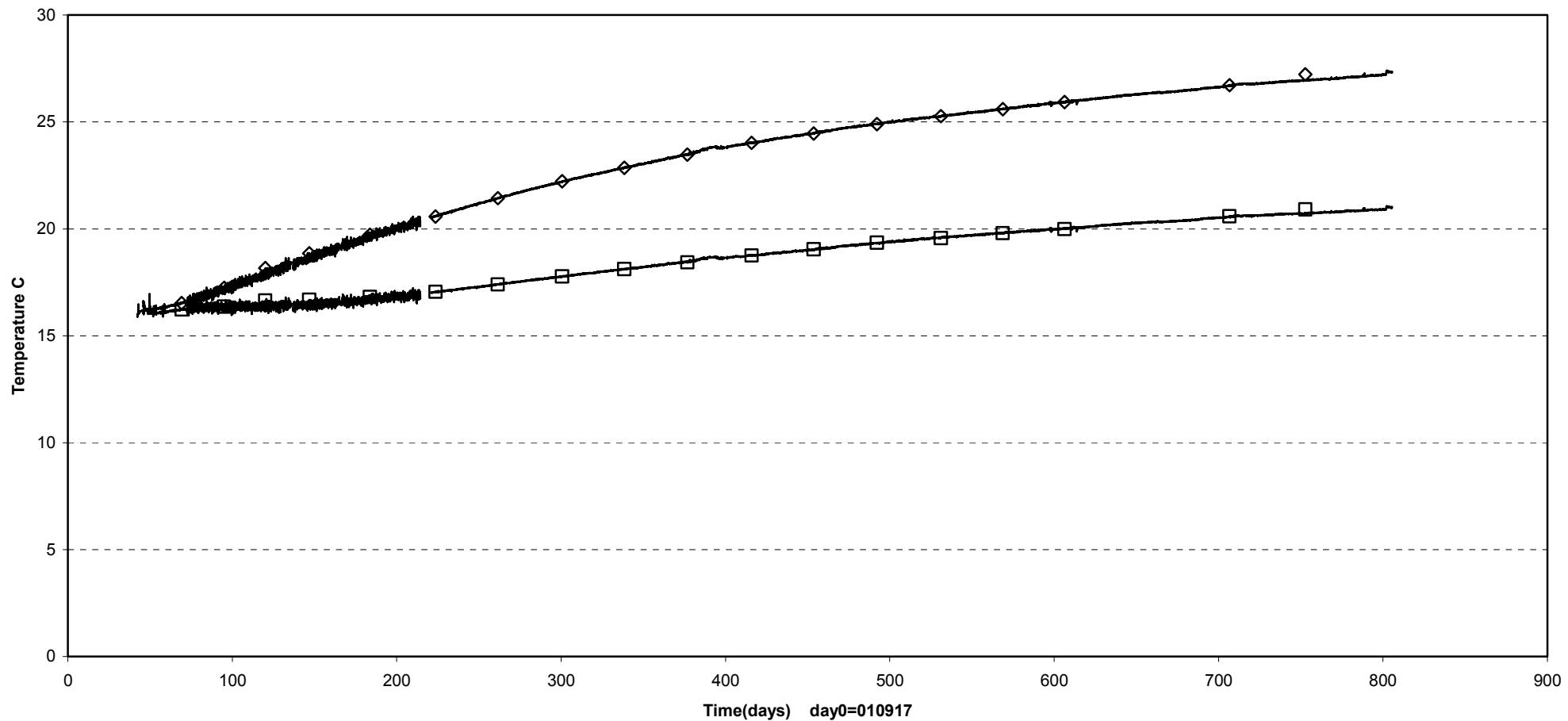


Prototype\ Backfill \ Above dep.hole3 (010917-031201)  
 Temperature - Pentronic



□ TBA10012(E3\0.1\2.3\3575)	△ TBA10013(E3\0\1.3\3575)	■ TBA10014(E3\0\0.9\3575)	◇ TBA10015(E3\0.5\2.6\3575)
◆ TBA10016(E3\0.5\2.6\3575)	× TBA10017(E3\1.3\0\3575)	▲ TBA10018(E3\1.3\0\3575)	

Prototype\ Backfill \ Between dep.hole 3-4 (010917-031201)  
Temperature - Pentronic

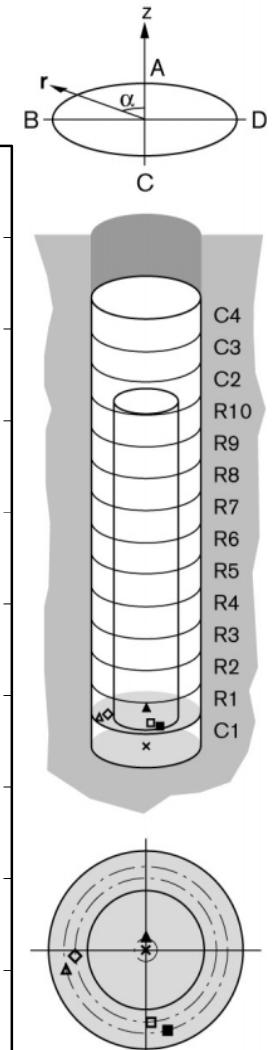
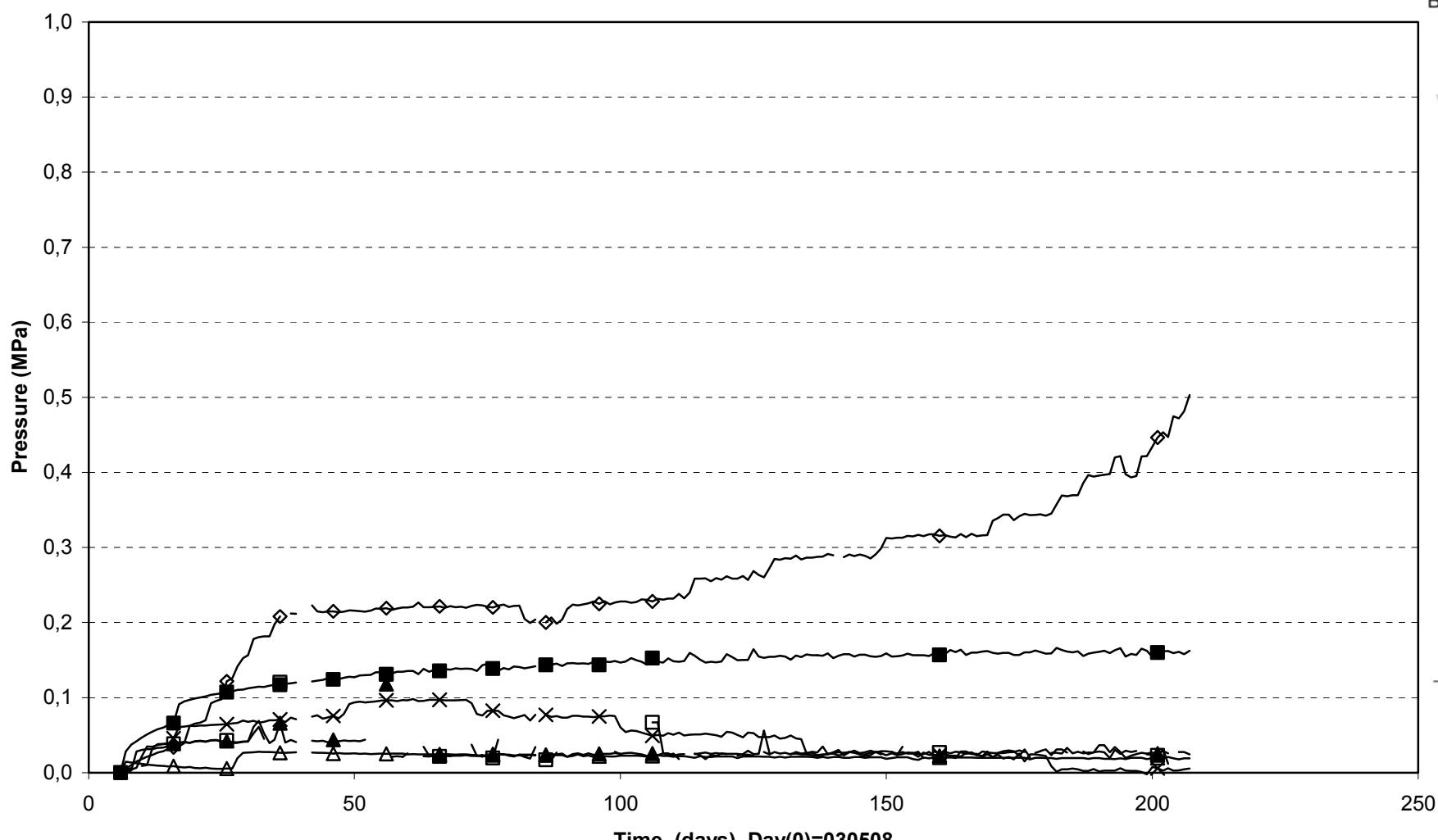


## **Appendix 5**

**Dep. hole 5**

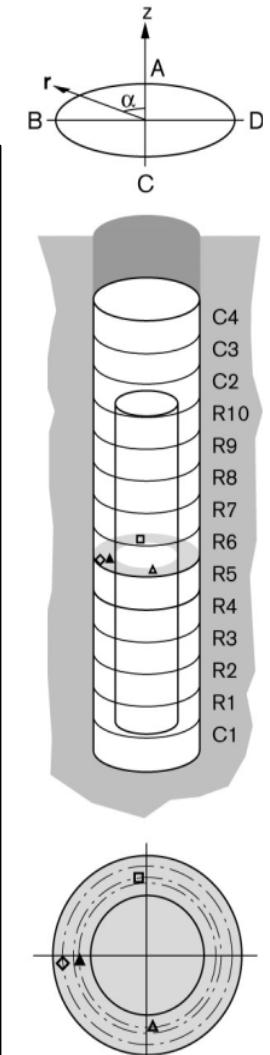
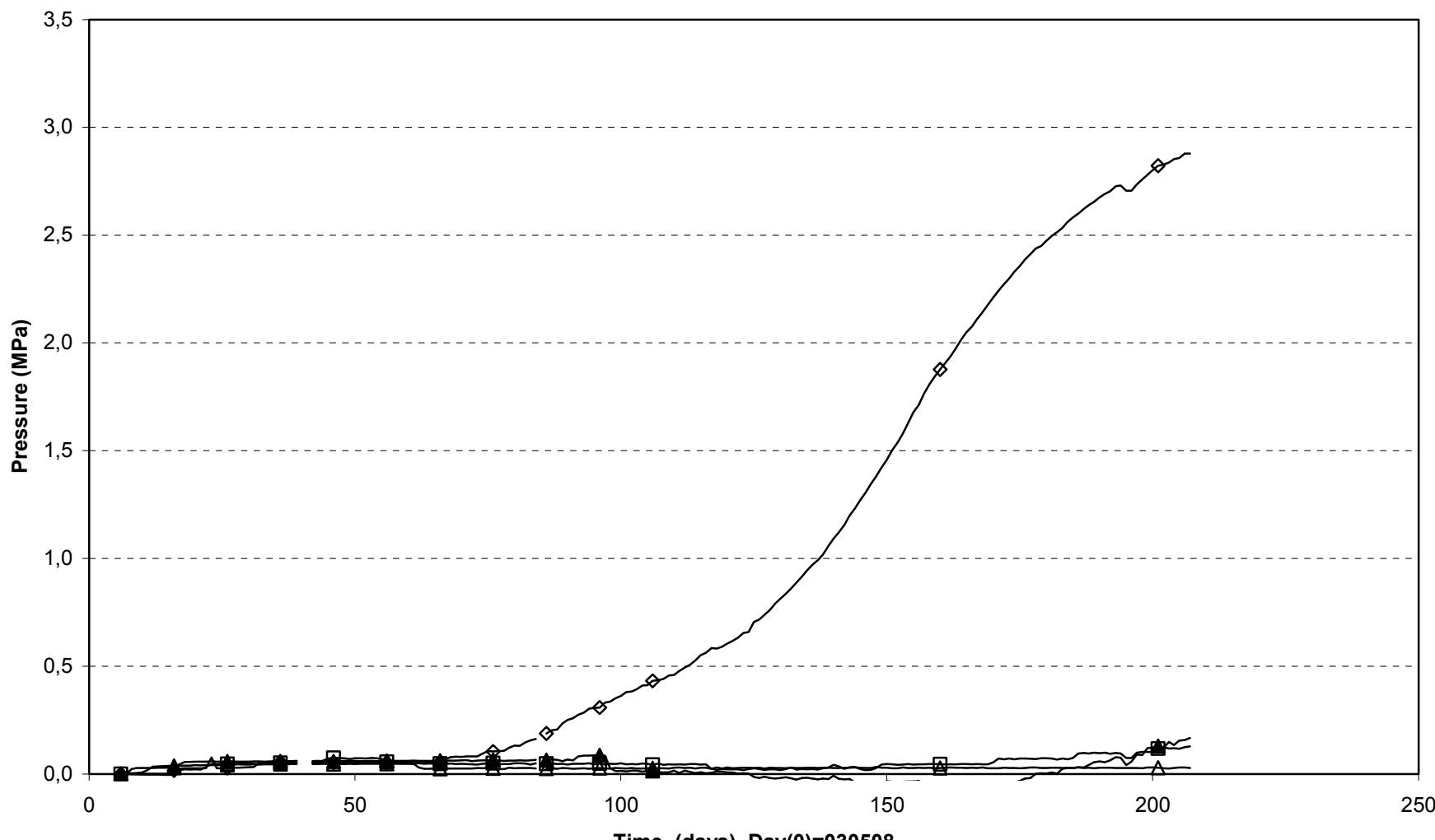


Prototype\Hole 5\Cyl.1 (030508-031201)  
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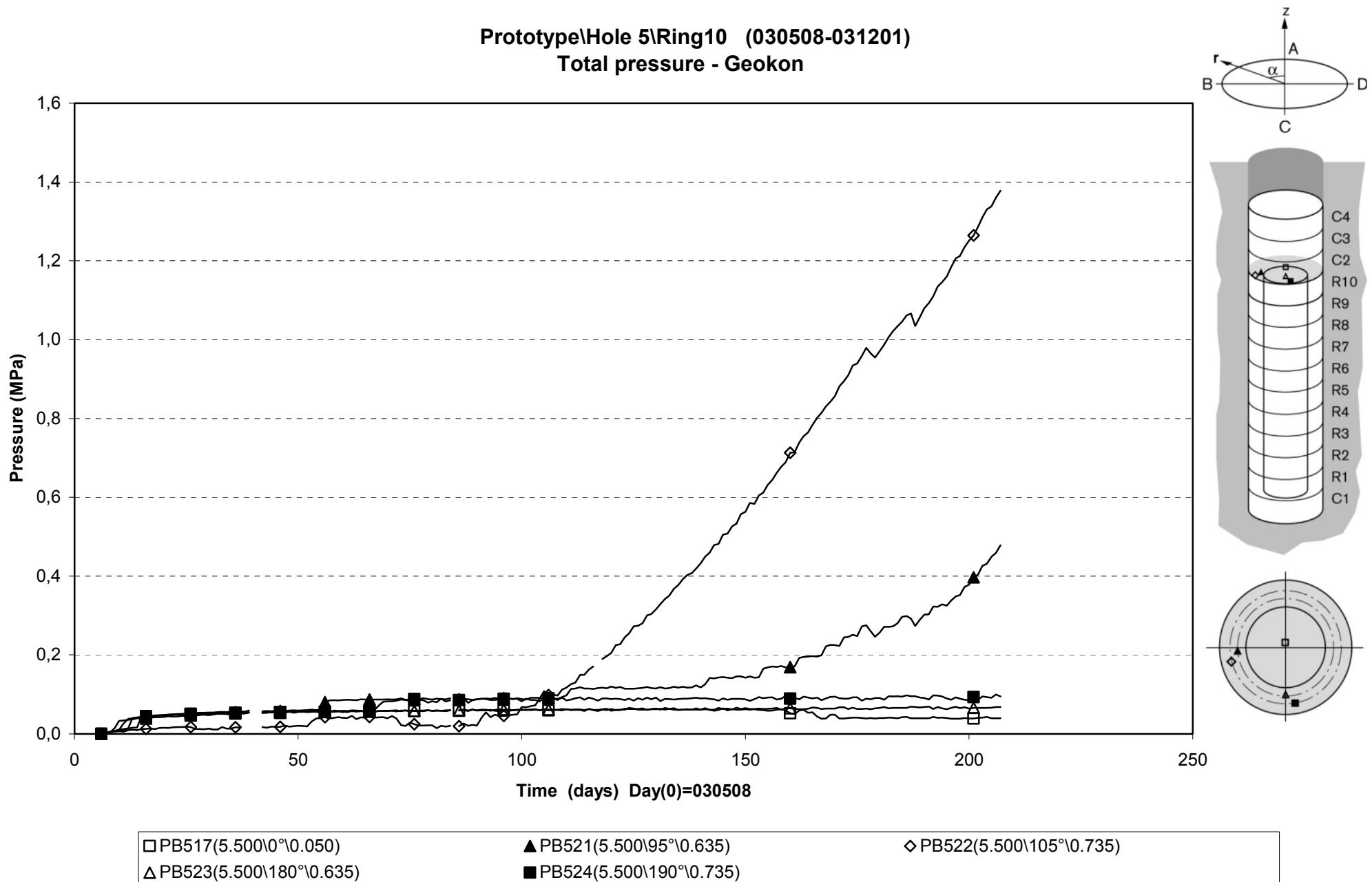


$\times$ PB501(0° 0° 0°)	$\blacktriangle$ PB502(0.500 0° 0.100)	$\diamond$ PB506(0.500 95° 0.635)
$\Delta$ PB507(0.500 105° 0.735)	$\square$ PB508(0.500 185° 0.635)	$\blacksquare$ PB509(0.500 195° 0.735)

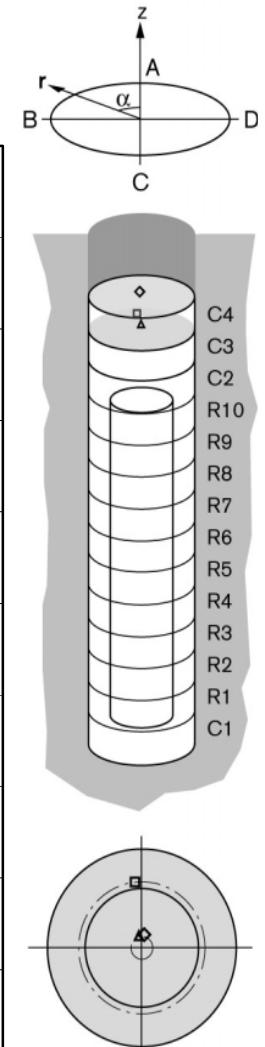
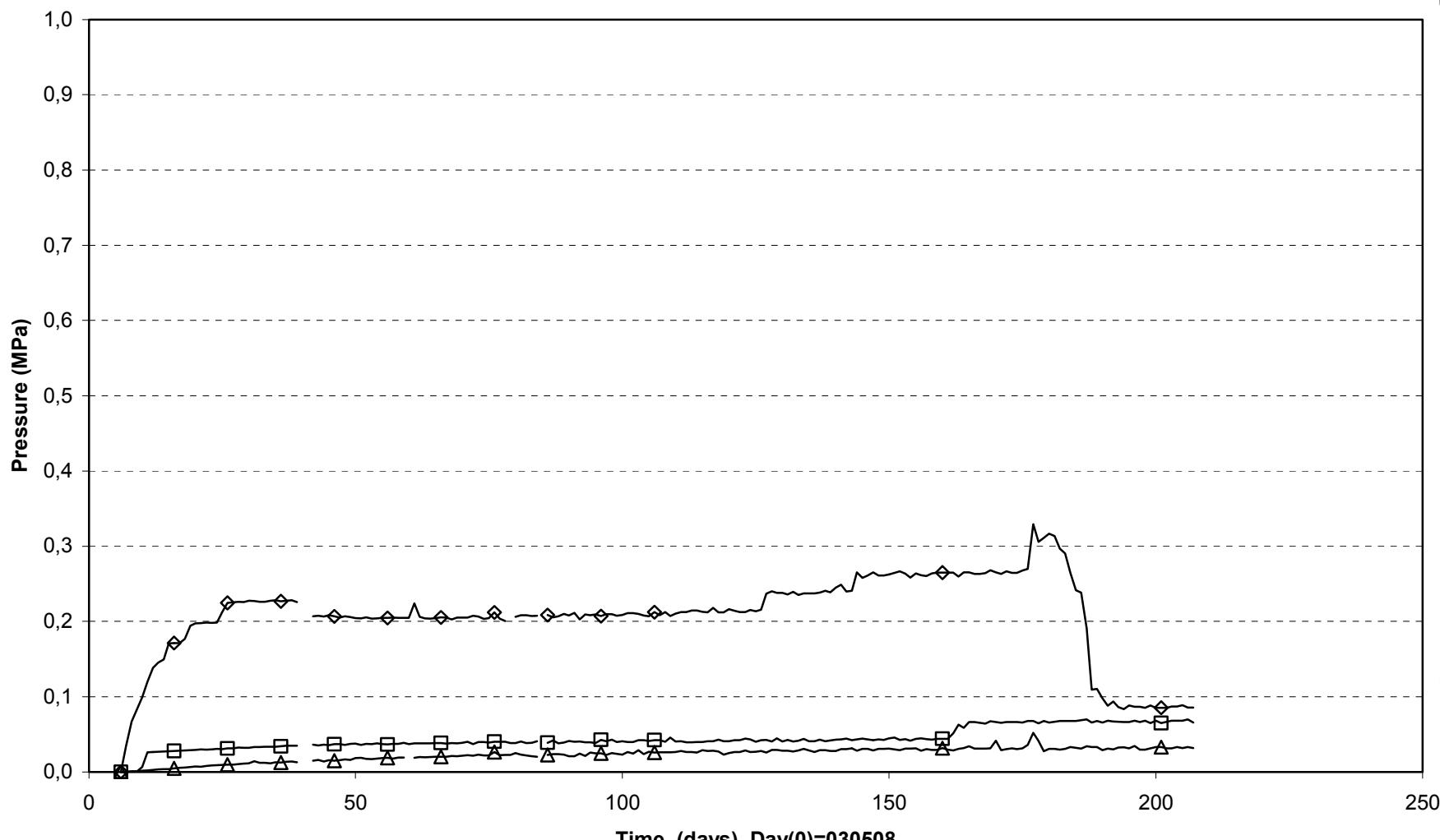
Prototype\Hole 5\Ring5 (030508-031201)  
Total pressure - Geokon



Prototype\Hole 5\Ring10 (030508-031201)  
Total pressure - Geokon



**Prototype\Hole 5\Cyl.3 and Cyl.4 (030508-031201)**  
**Total pressure - Geokon**

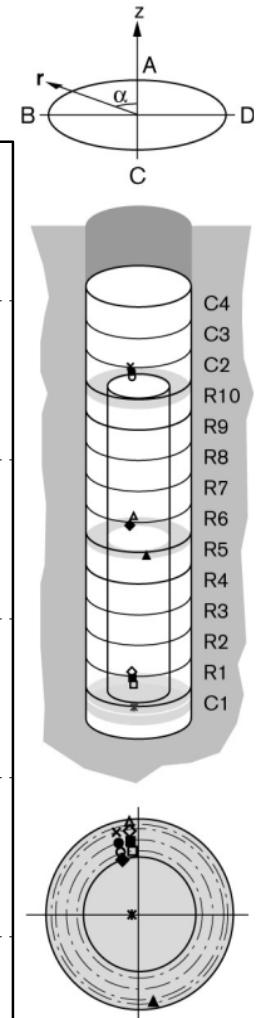
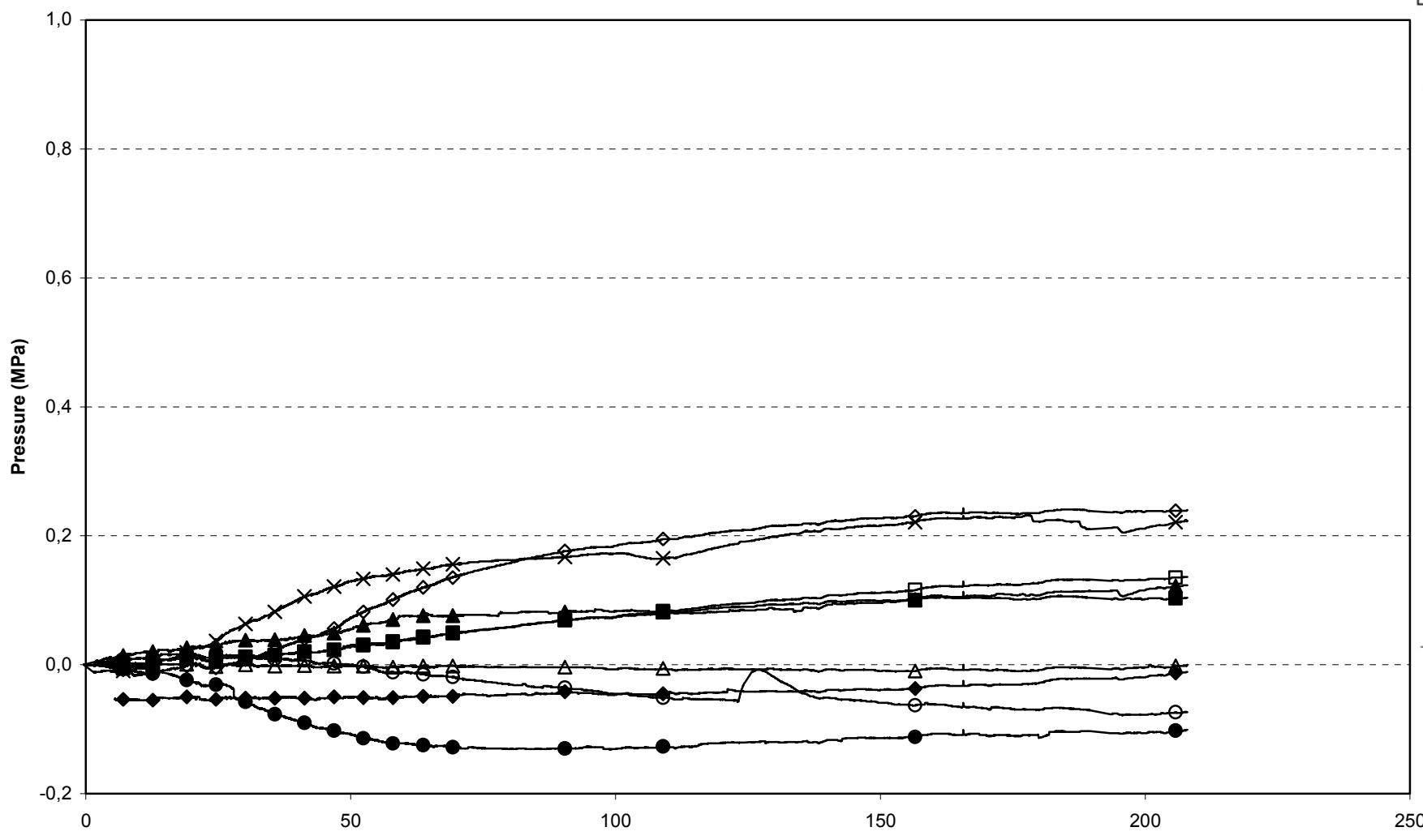


△ PB525(6.500\0°\0.100)

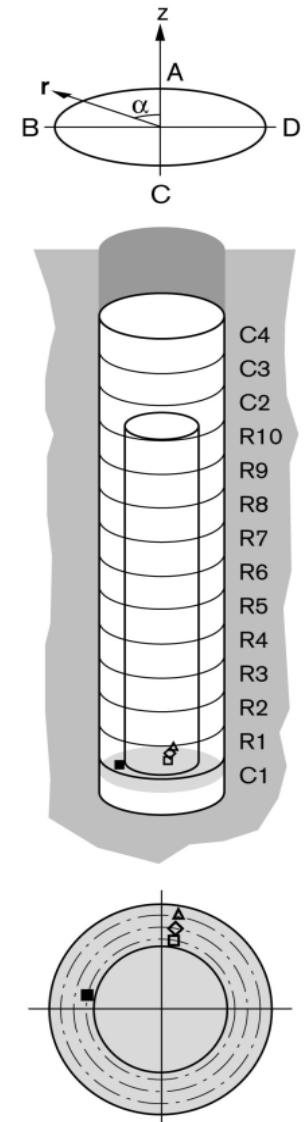
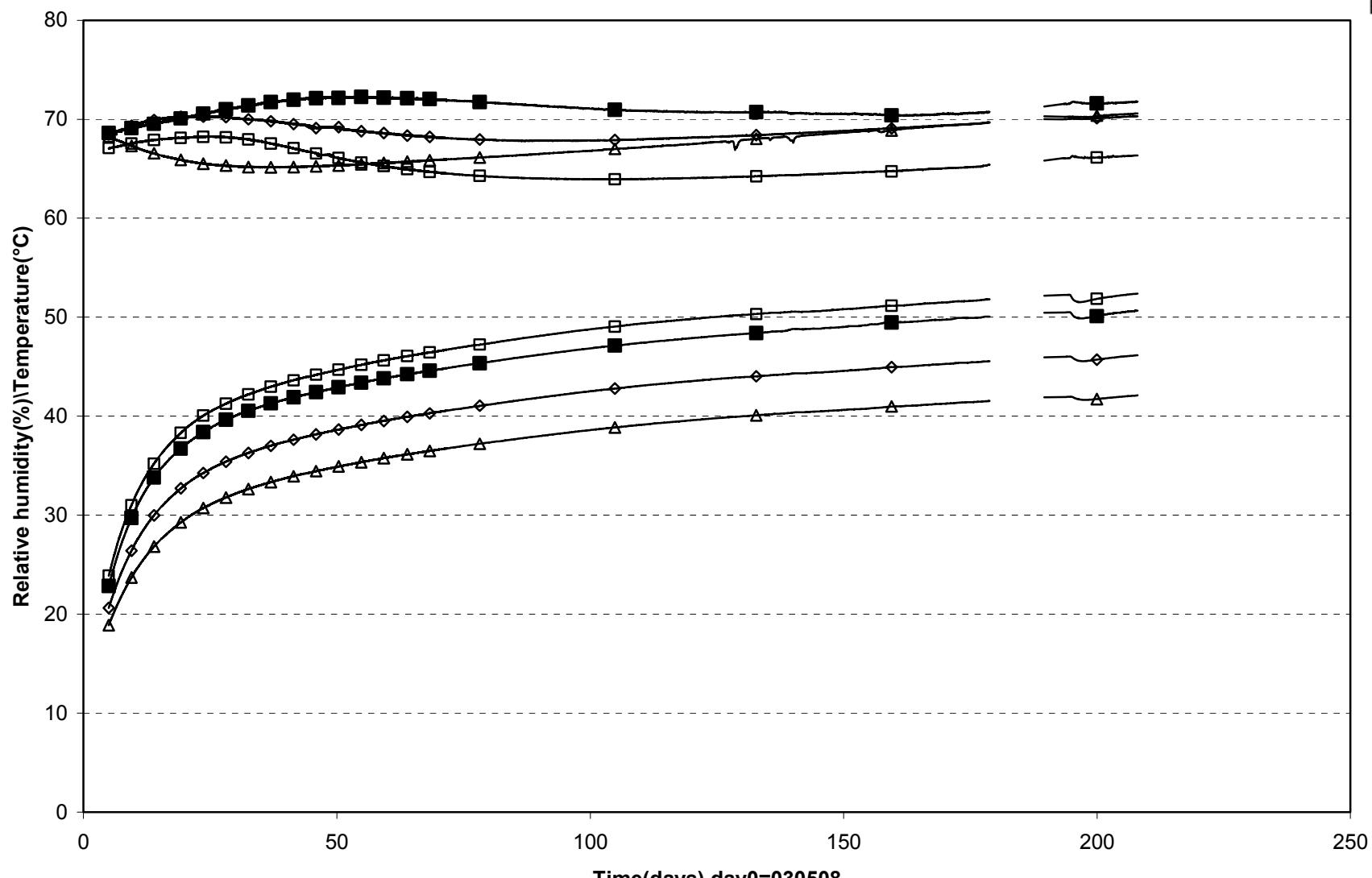
□ PB526(6.500\5°\0.585)

◇ PB527(7.000\0°\0.100)

**Prototype\ Hole 5 (030508-031201)**  
**Total pressure - Kulite**

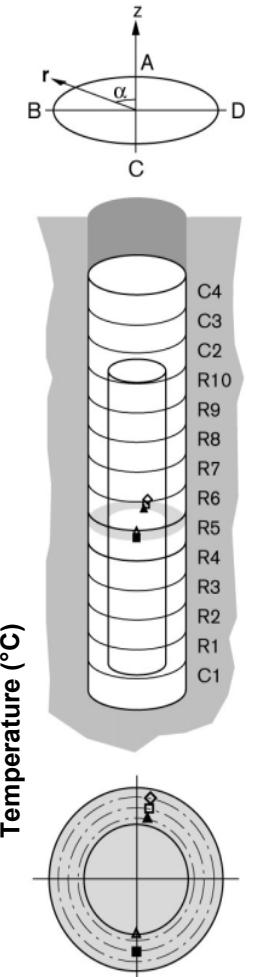
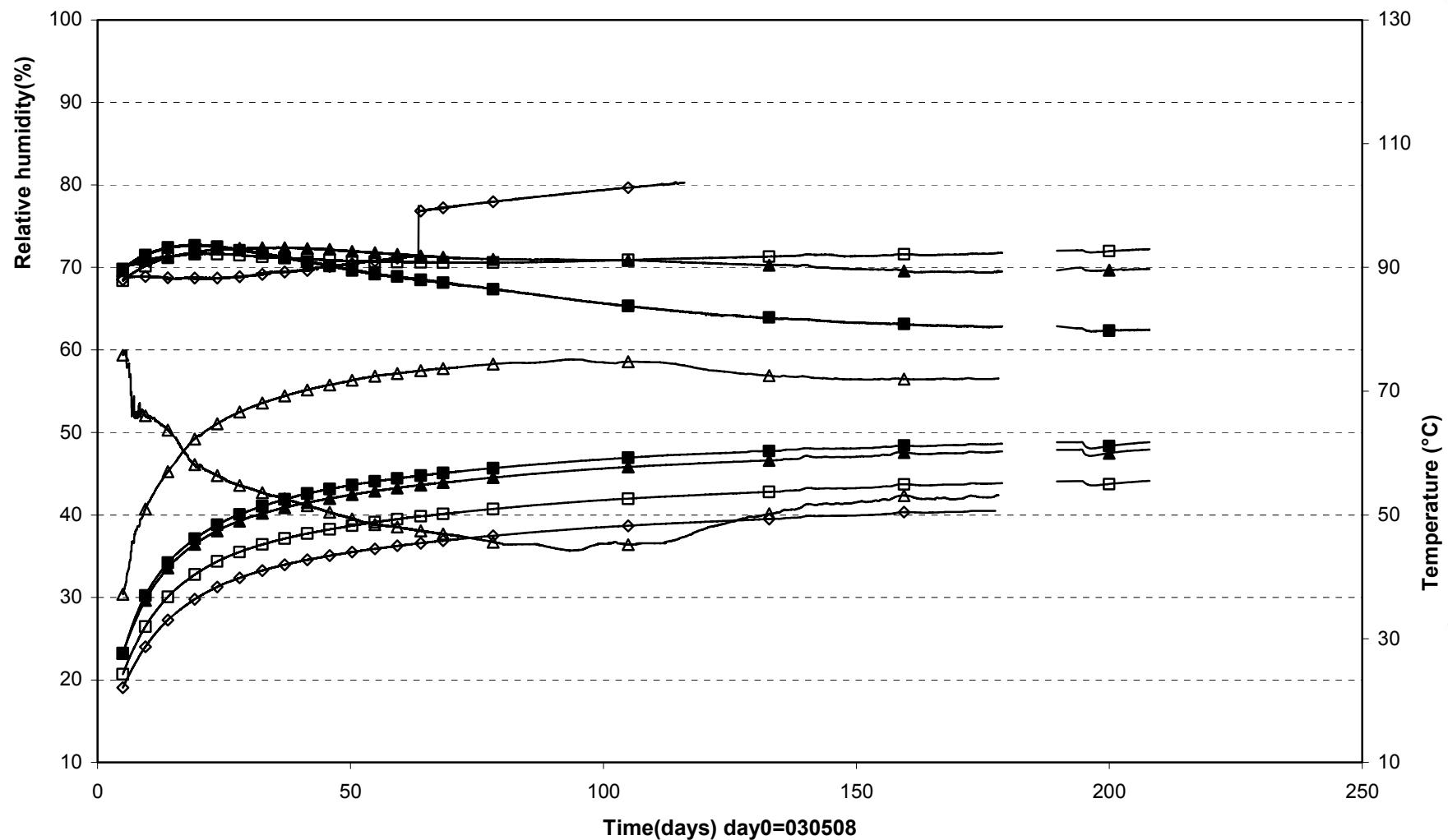


Prototype\Hole 5\Cyl.1 (030508-031201)  
 Relative humidity - Vaisala

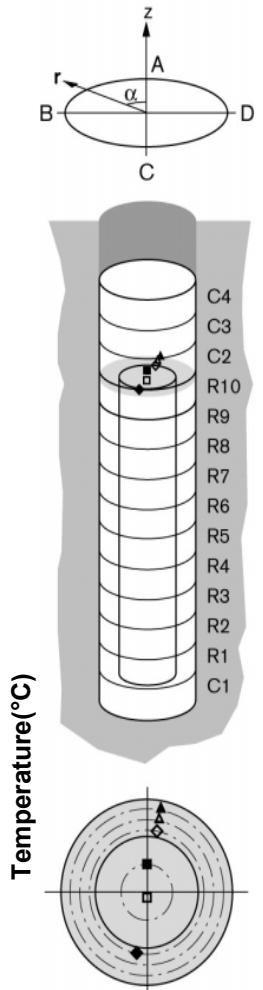
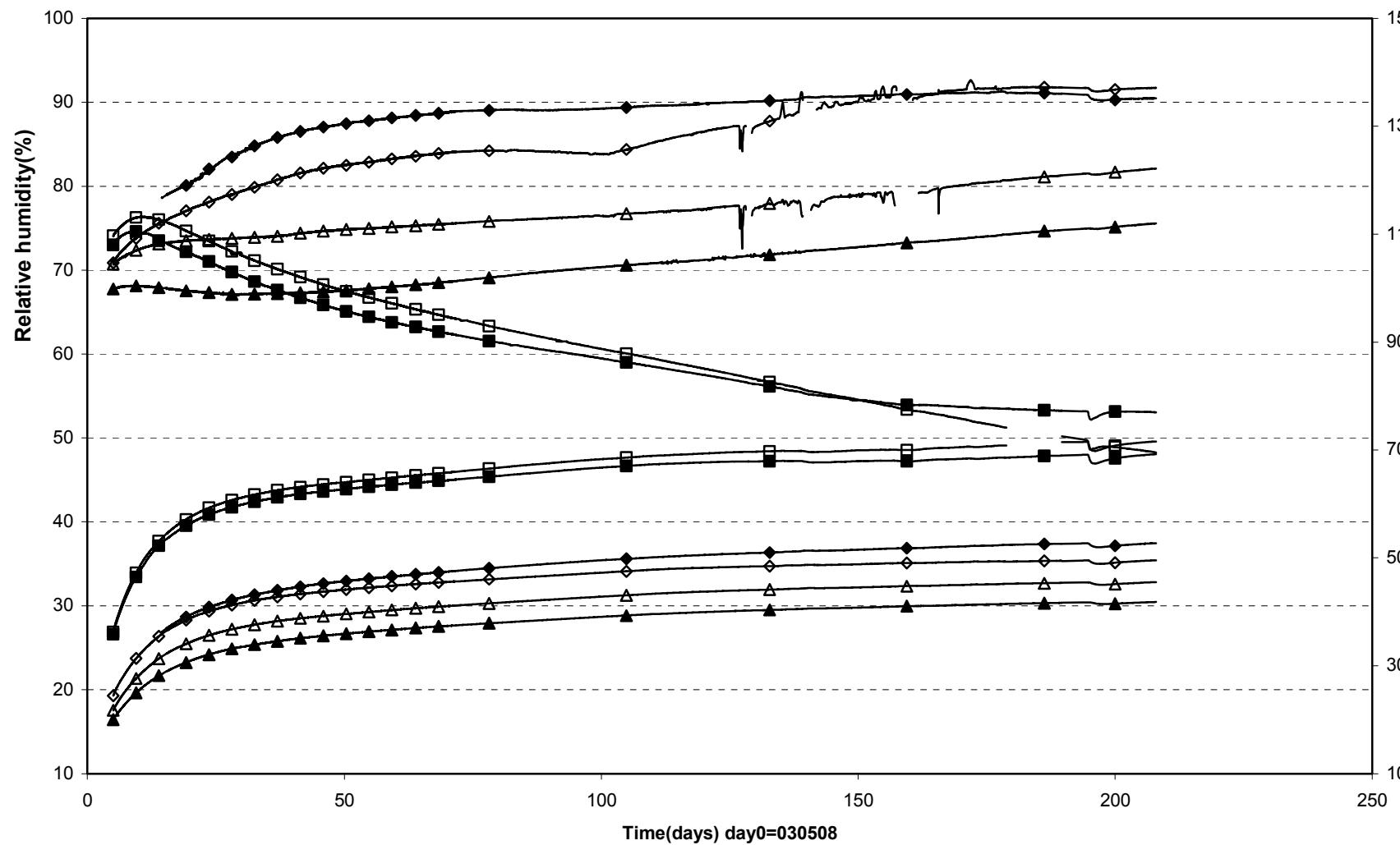


□ WB504(0.340\350\0.585)      ◇ WB505(0.340\350\0.685)      △ WB506(0.340\350\0.785)      ■ WB507(0.340\80\0.585)

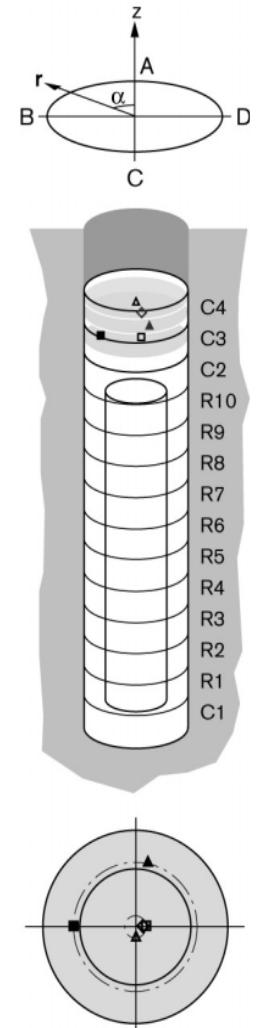
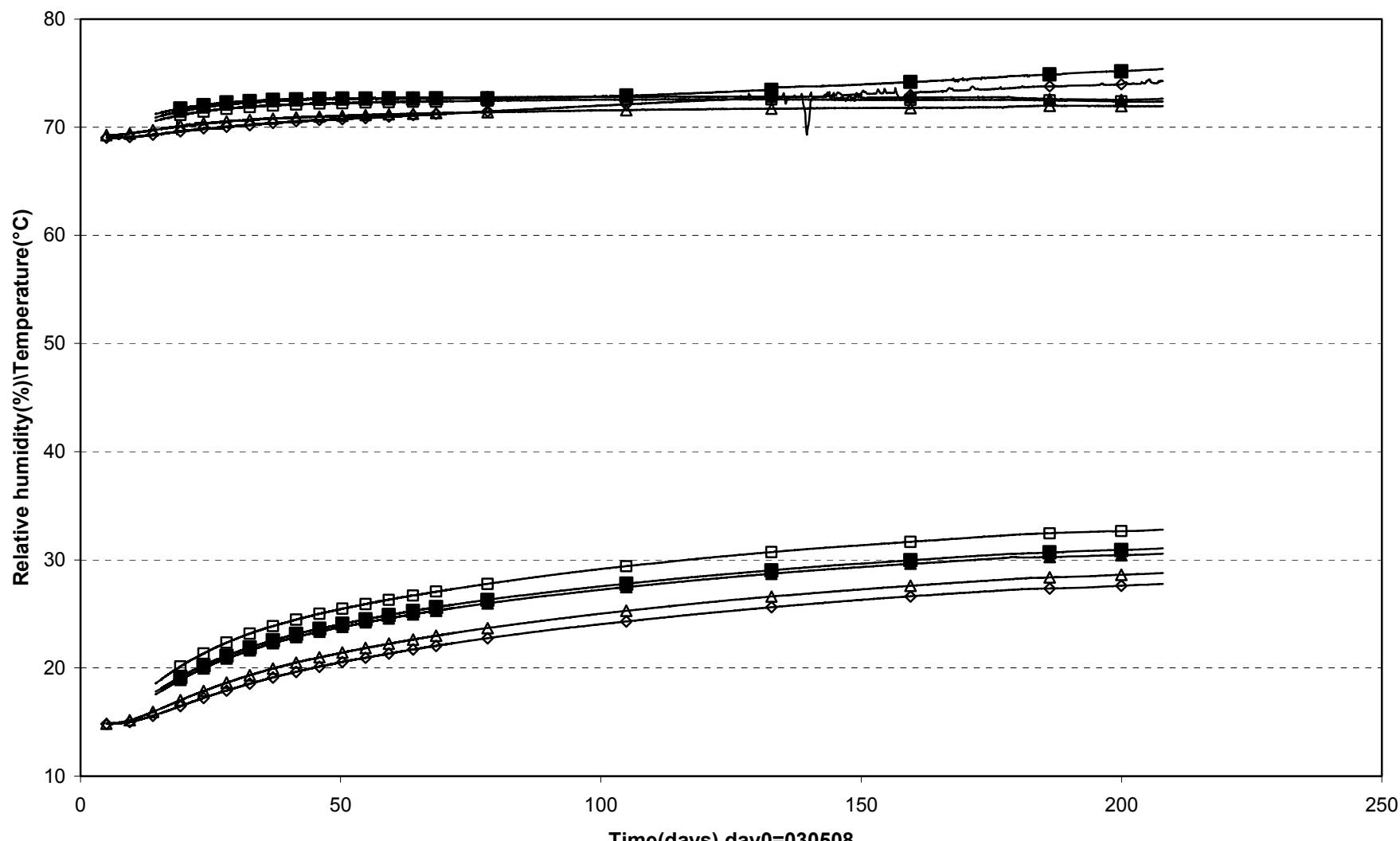
Prototype\Hole 5\Ring 5 (030508-031201)  
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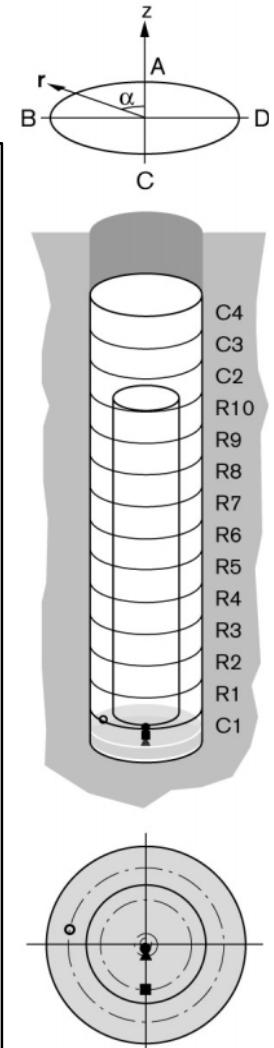
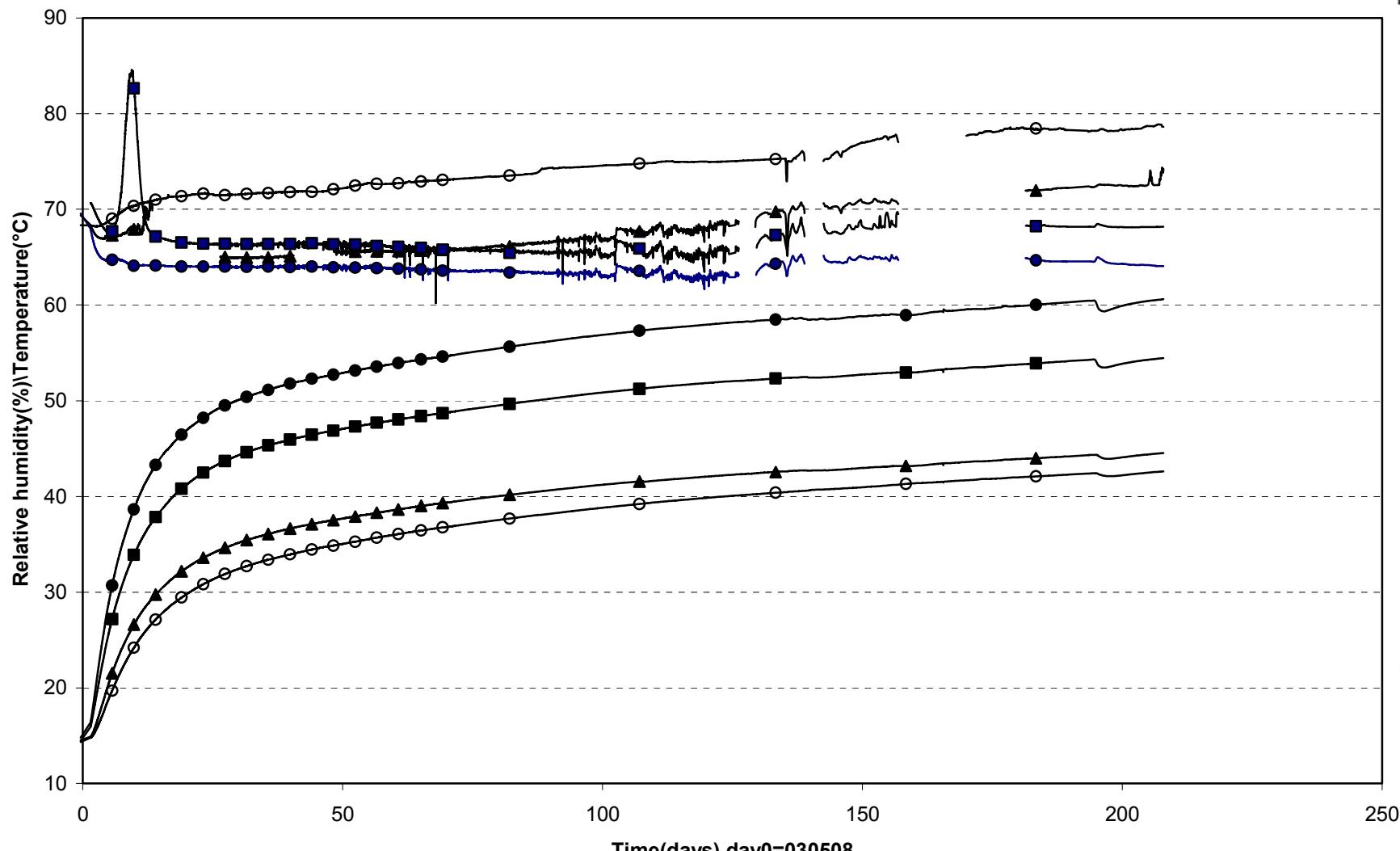
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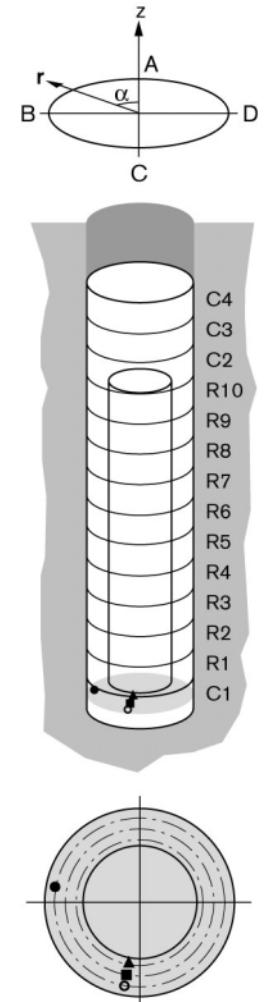
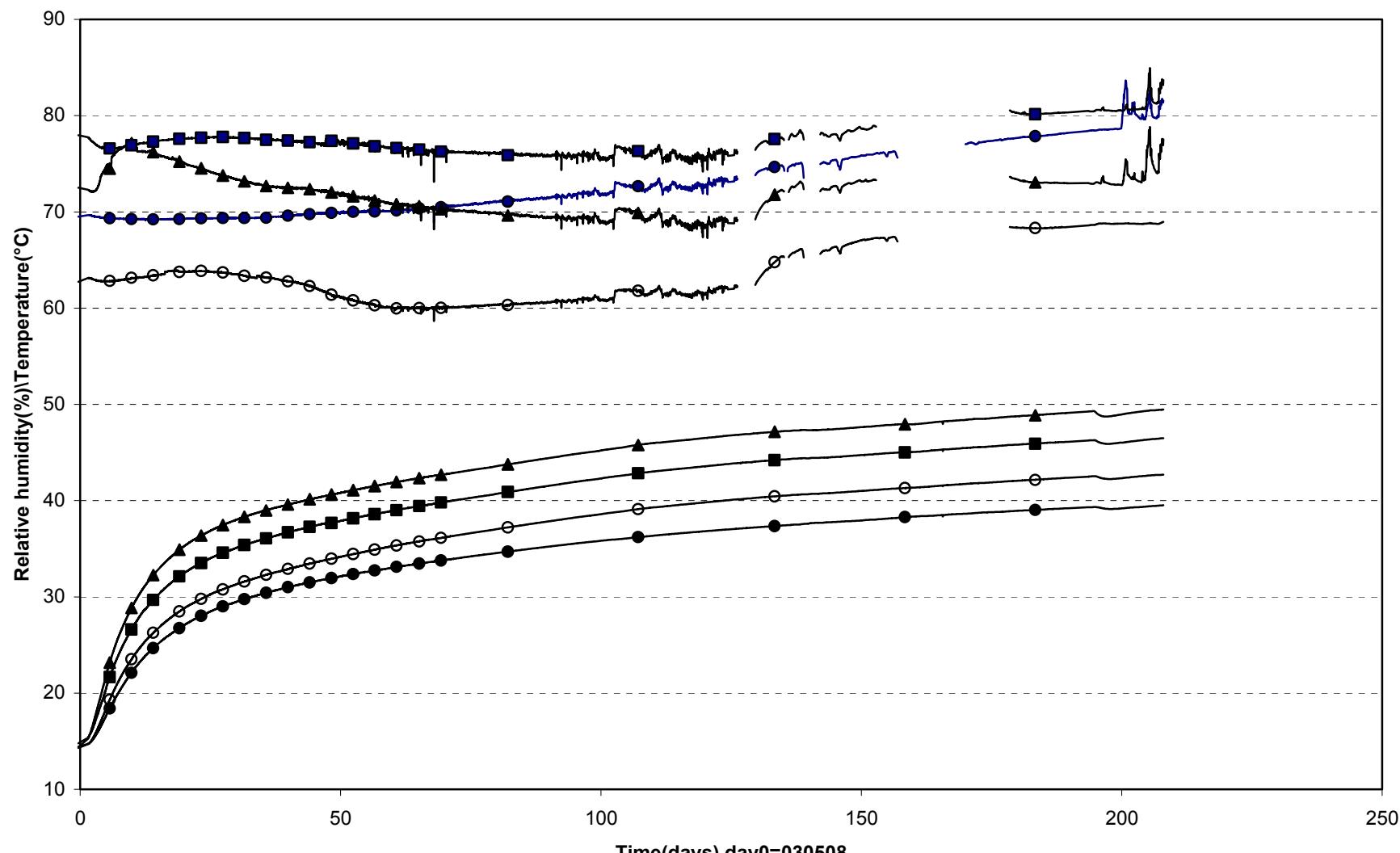
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 Relative humidity - Vaisala



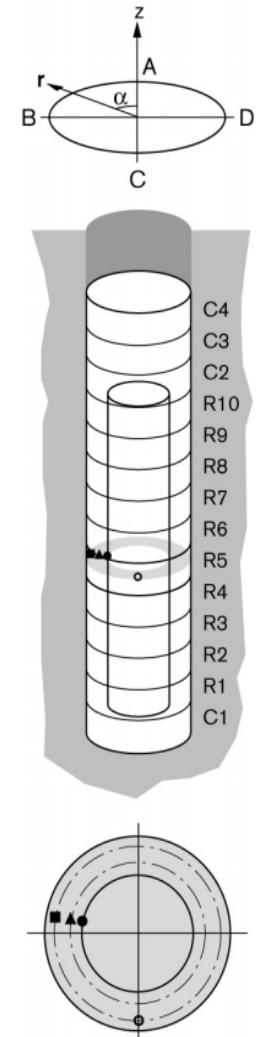
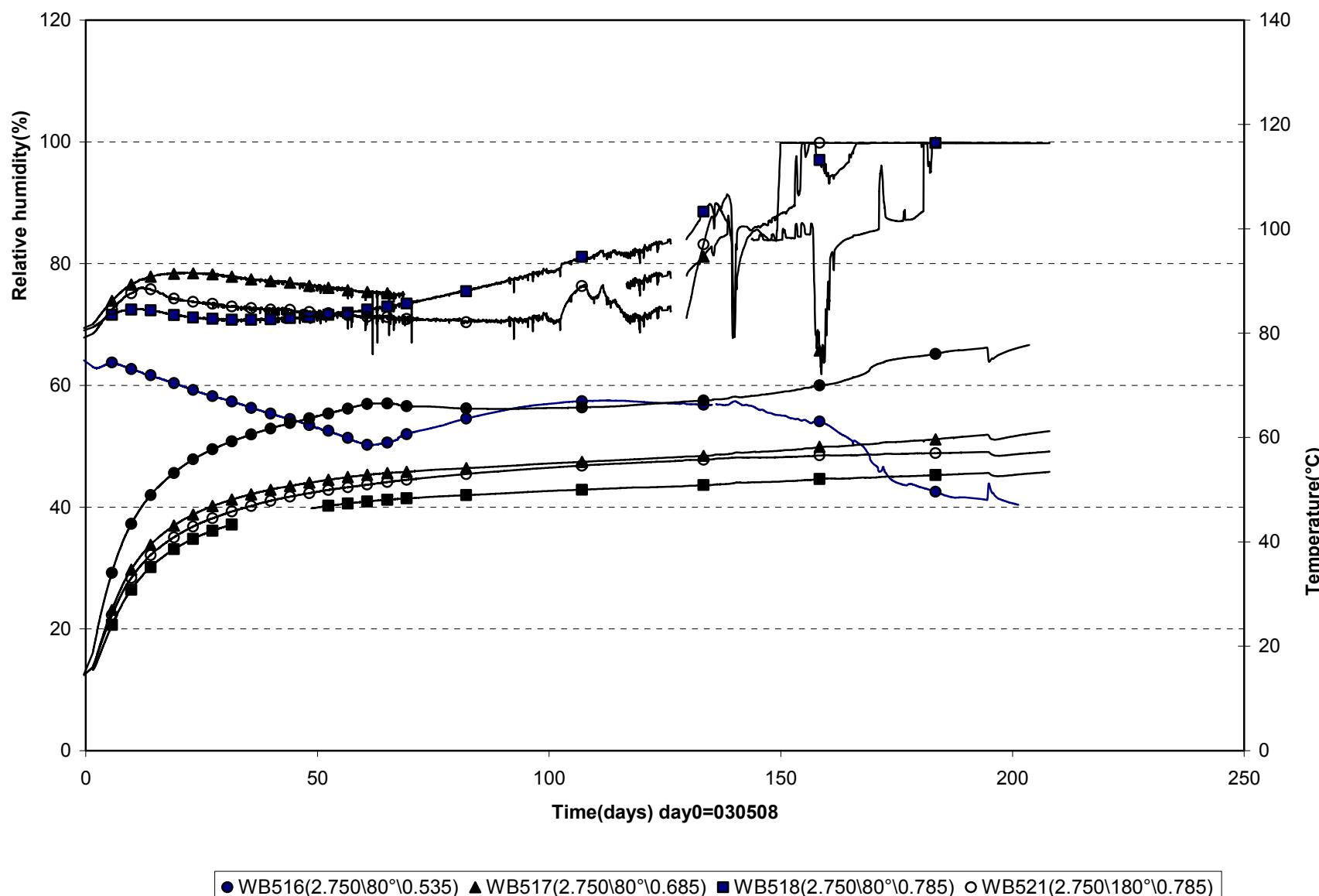
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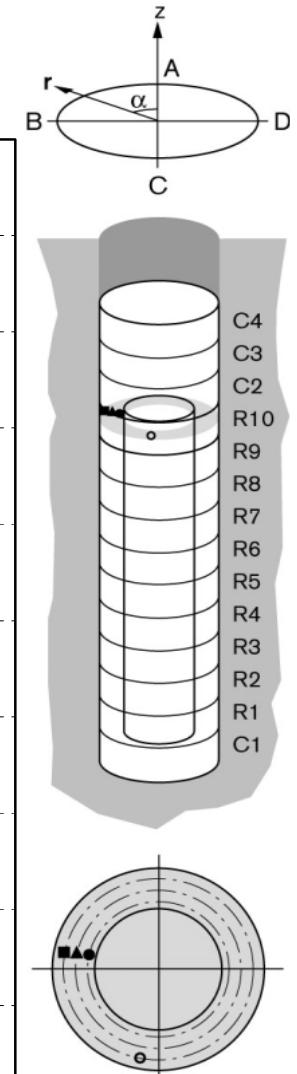
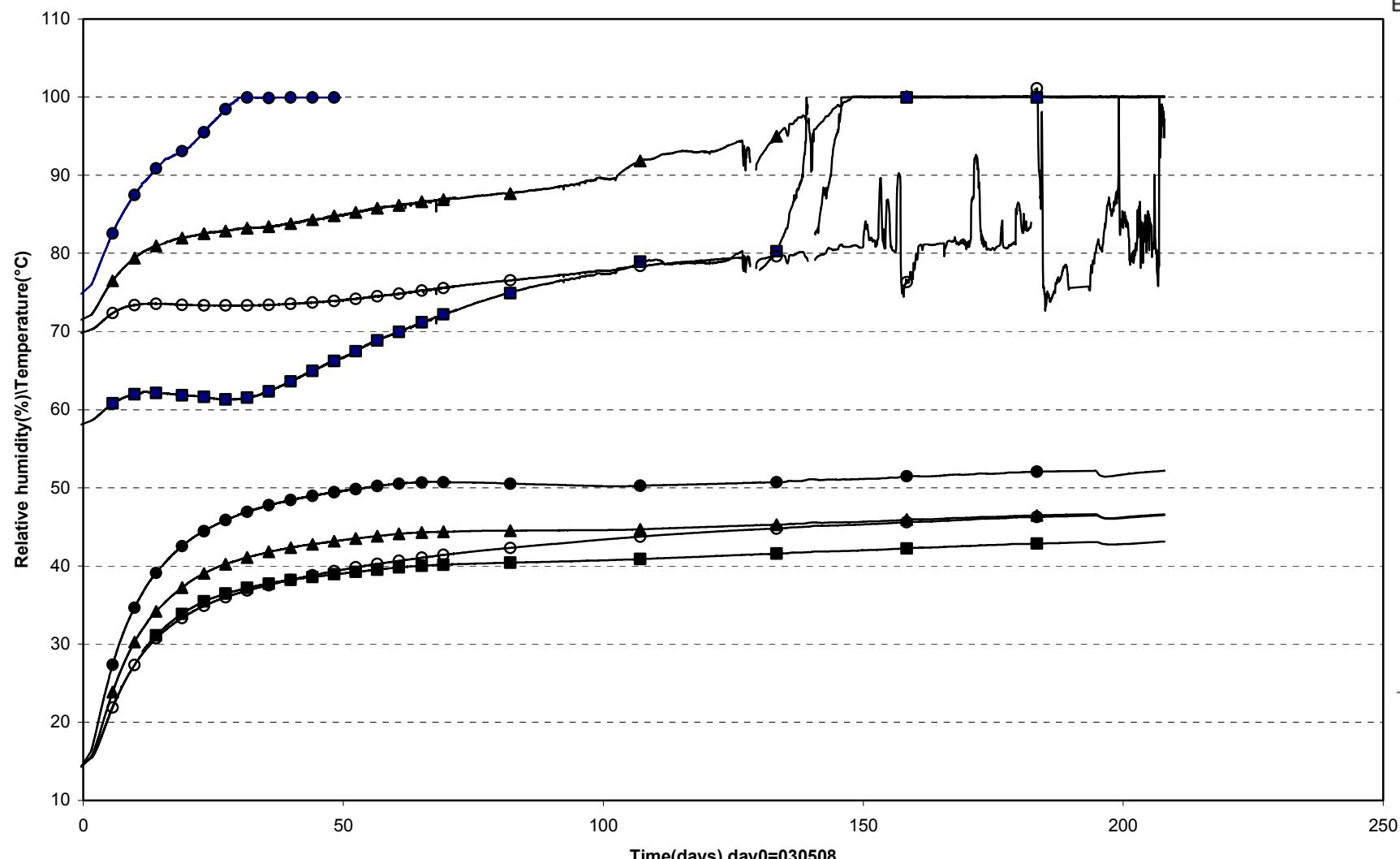
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Prototyp\Hole 5\Ring5 (030508-031201)  
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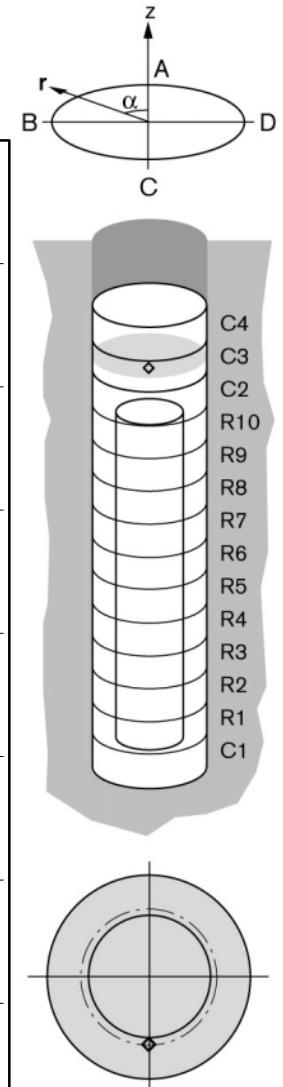
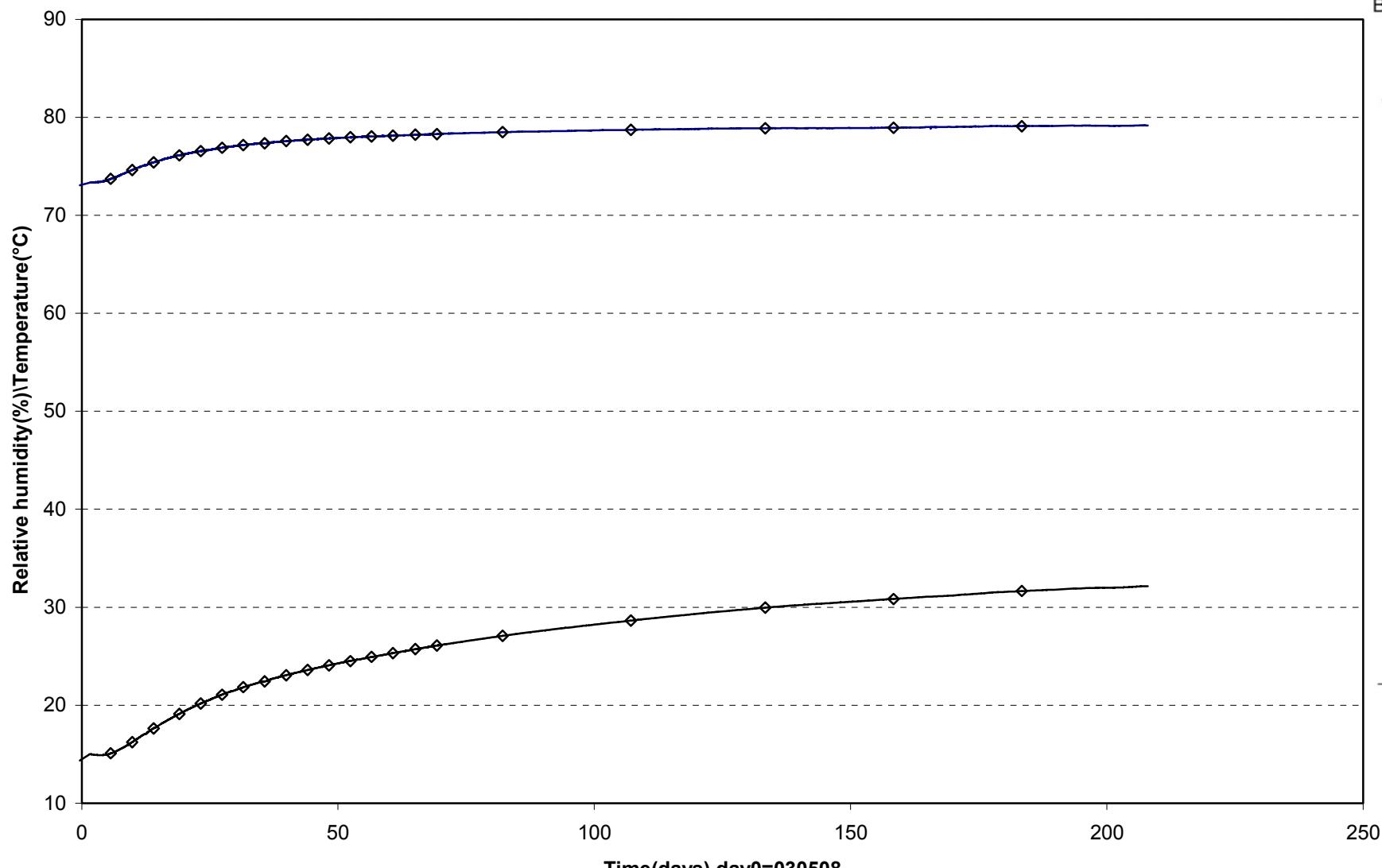


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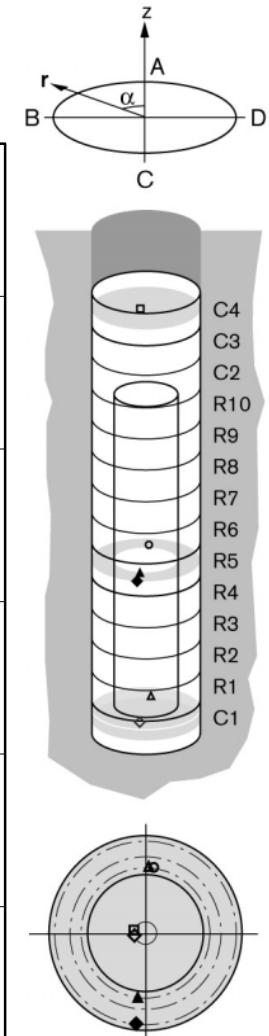
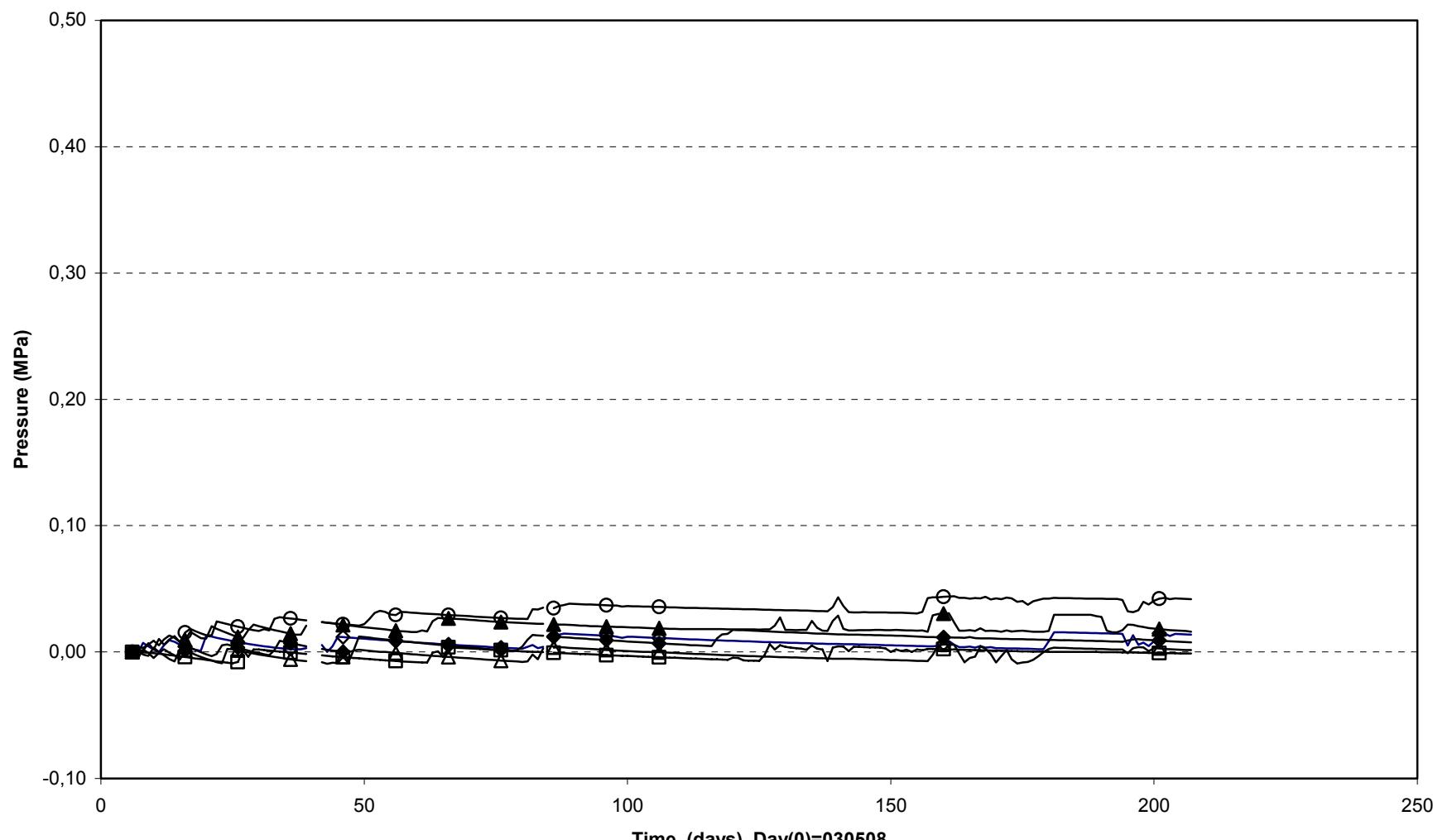


● WB527(5.250\80°\0.585) ▲ WB528(5.250\80°\0.685) ■ WB529(5.250\80°\0.785) ○ WB531(5.250\170°\0.785)

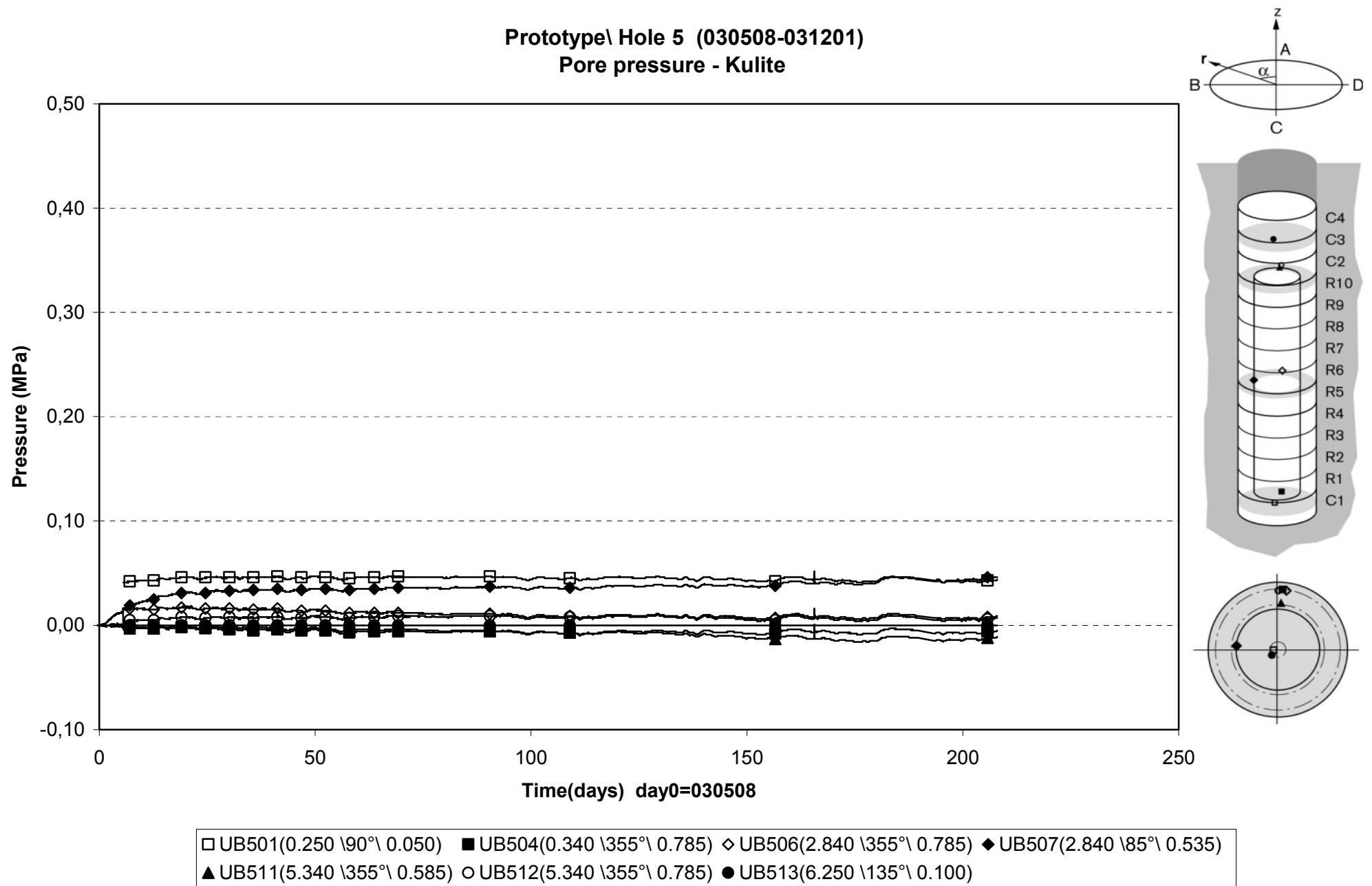
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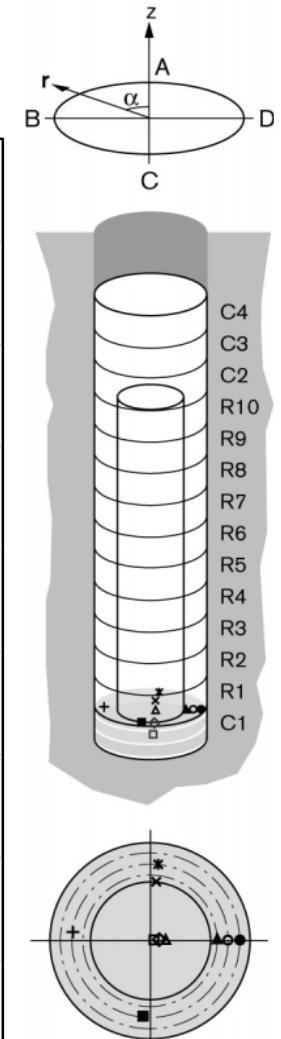
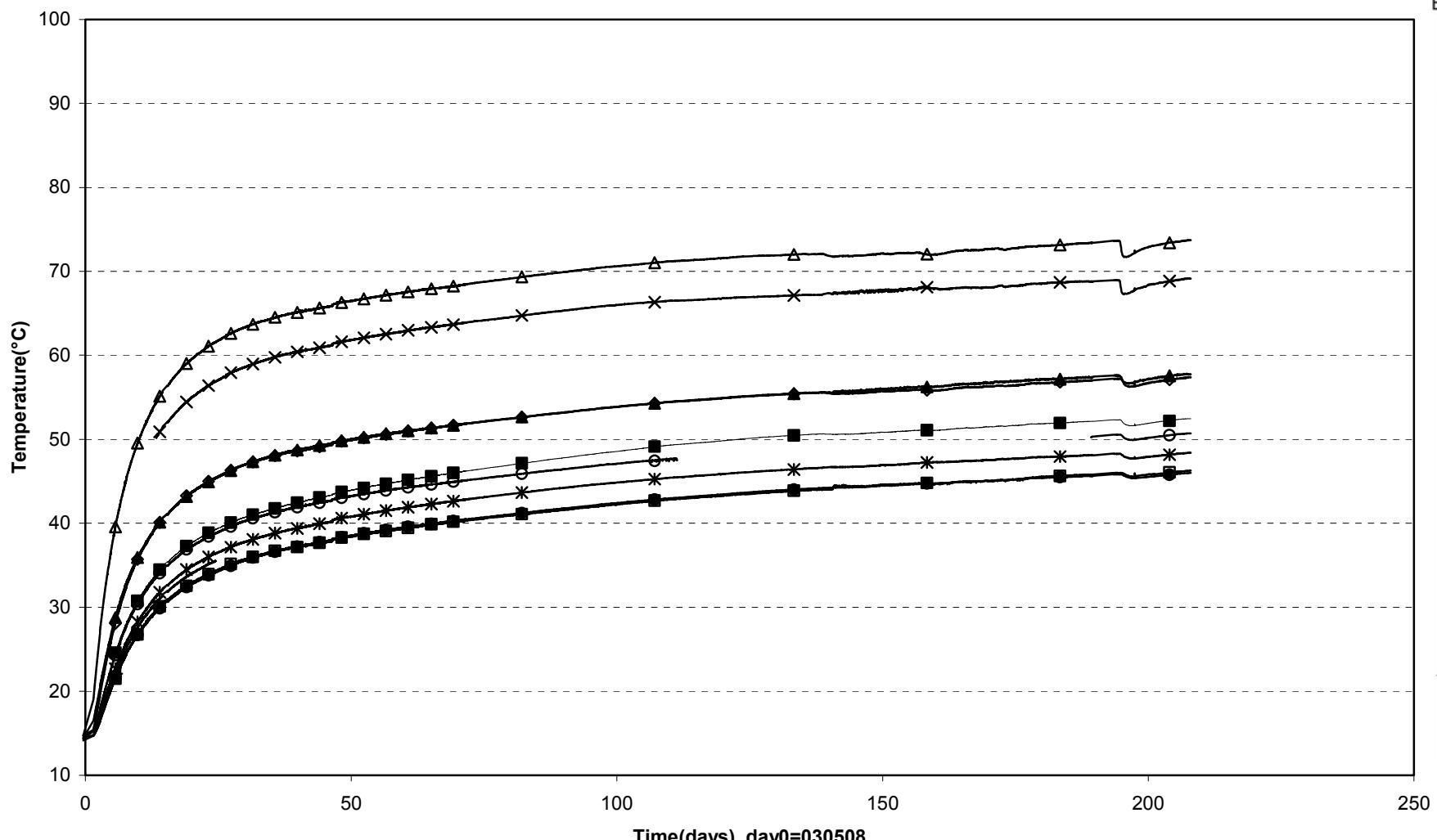
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Pore pressure - Geokon



Prototype\ Hole 5 (030508-031201)  
Pore pressure - Kulite

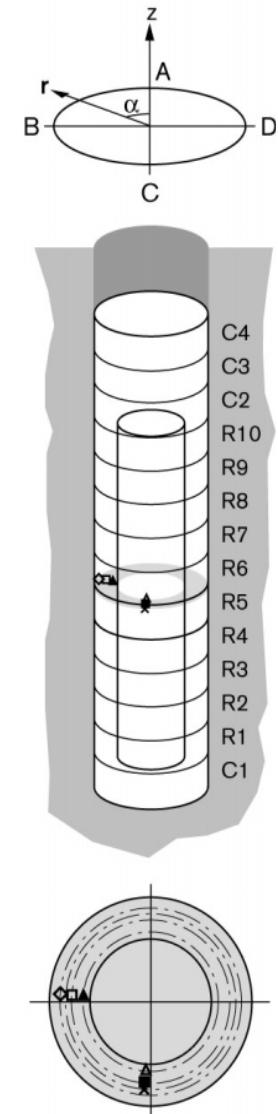
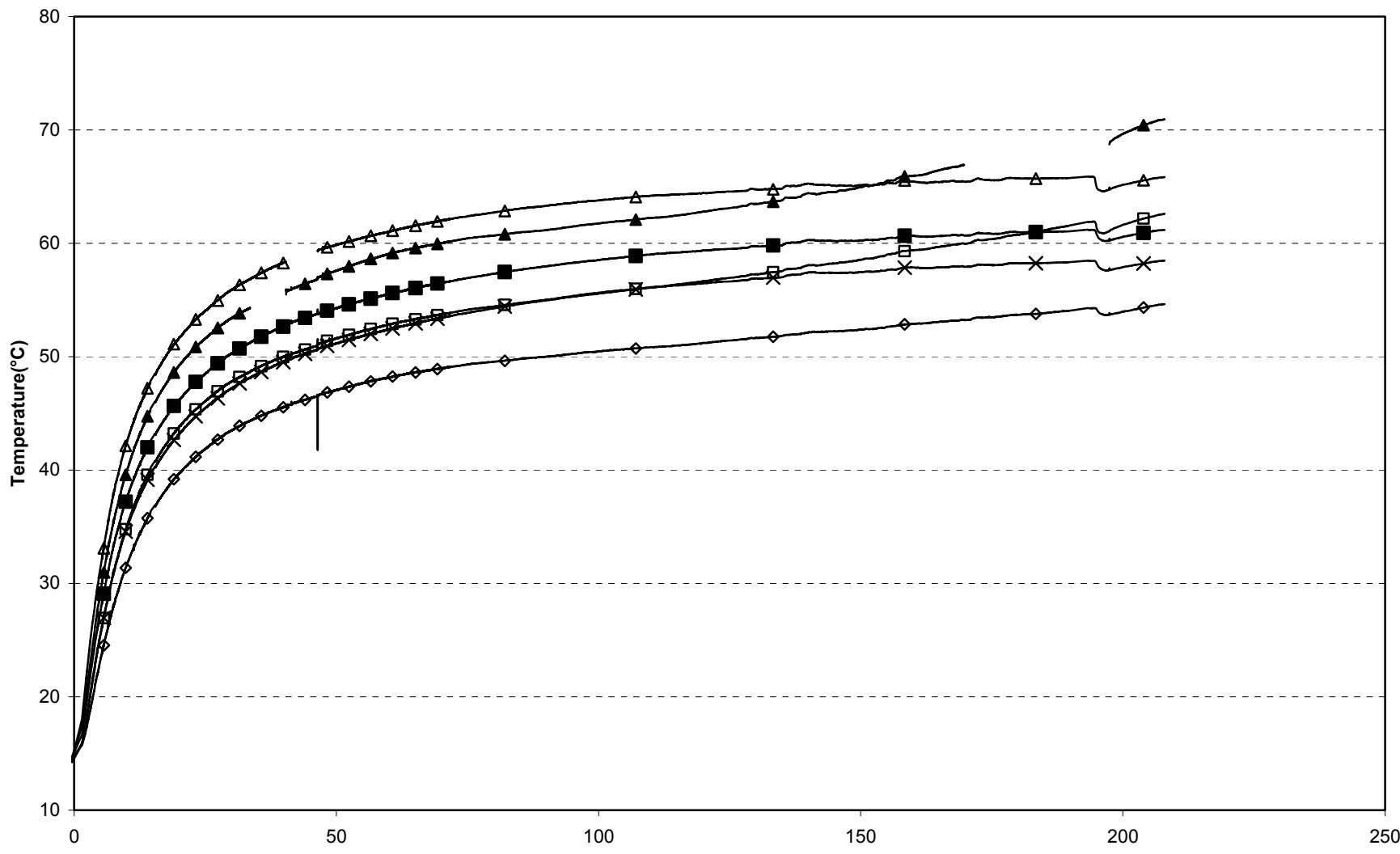


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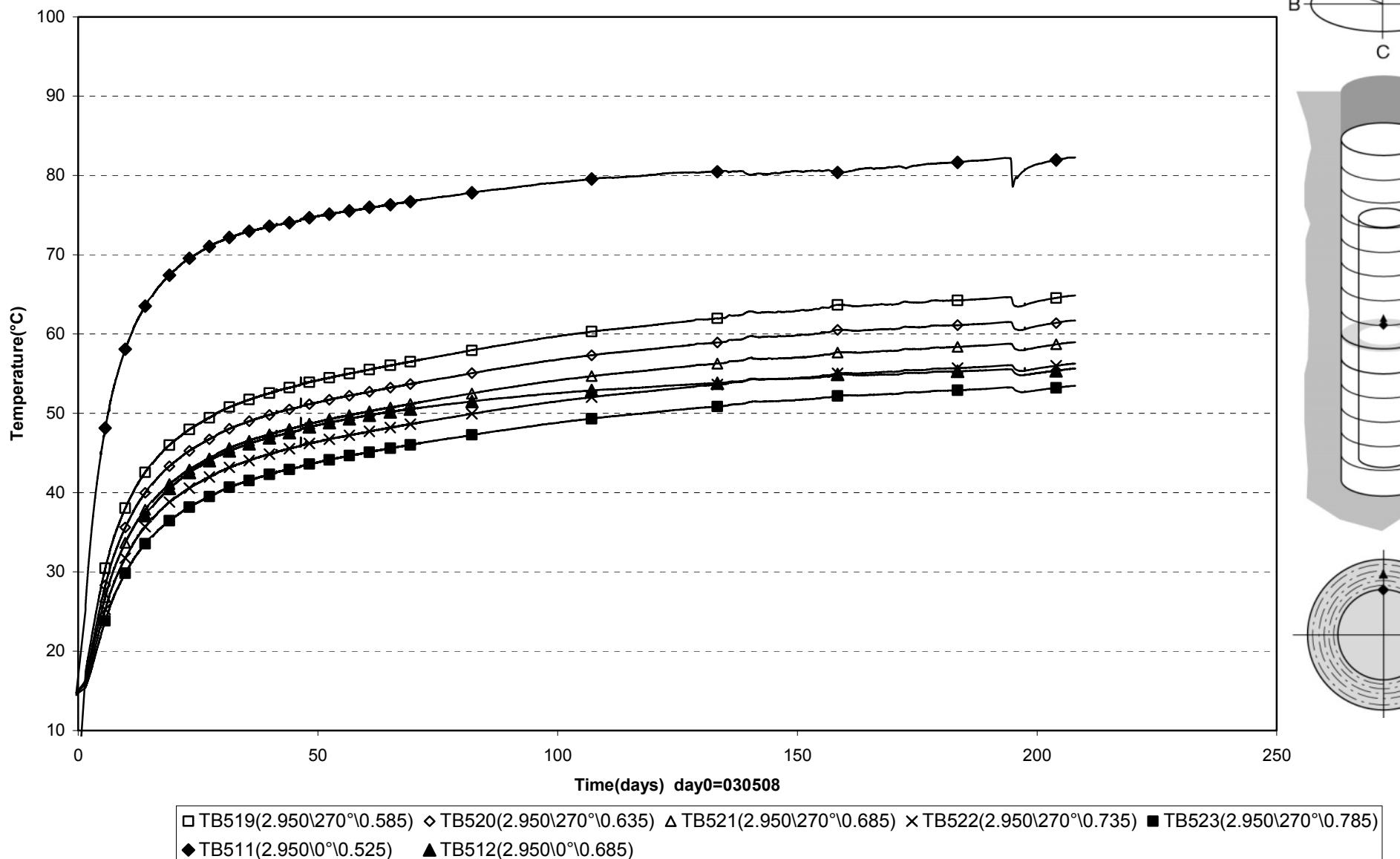


□ TB501(0.050\270°\0.050) ◊ TB502(0.250\270°\0.060) △ TB503(0.450\270°\0.070) × TB504(0.450\355°\0.525) \* TB505(0.450\355°\0.685)  
+ TB506(0.450\85°\0.685) ■ TB507(0.450\175°\0.685) ▲ TB508(0.450\270°\0.585) ○ TB509(0.450\270°\0.685) ● TB510(0.450\270°\0.785)

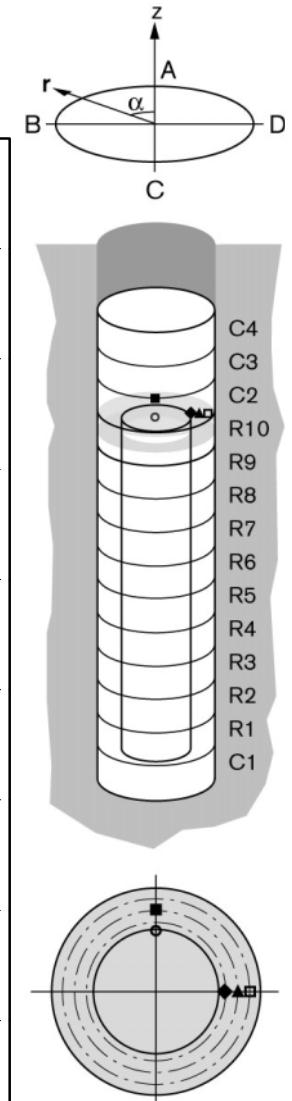
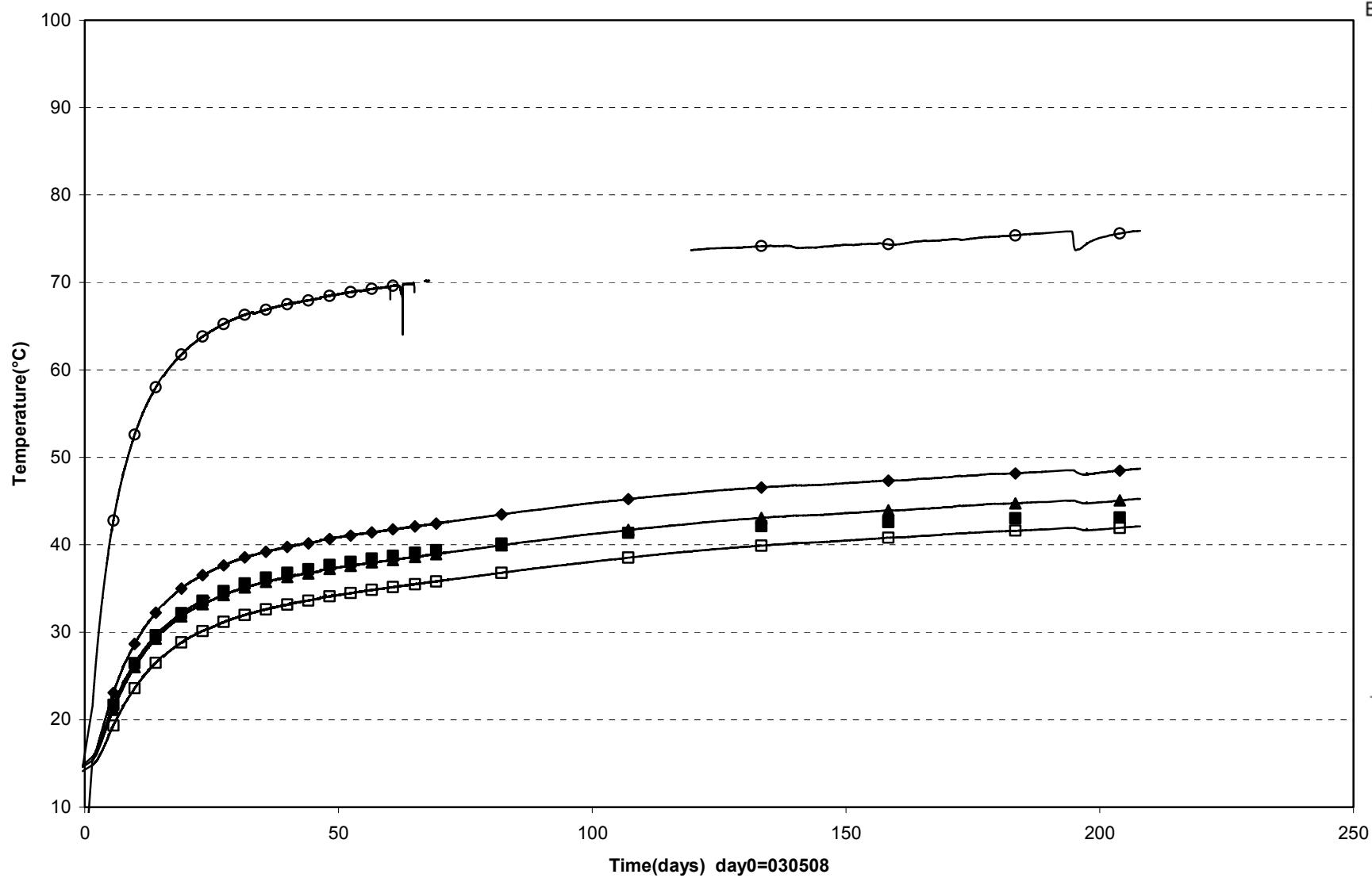
Prototype\Hole 5 \Ring5 (030508-031201)  
Temperature - Pentronic



Prototype\Hole 5 \Ring5 (030508-031201)  
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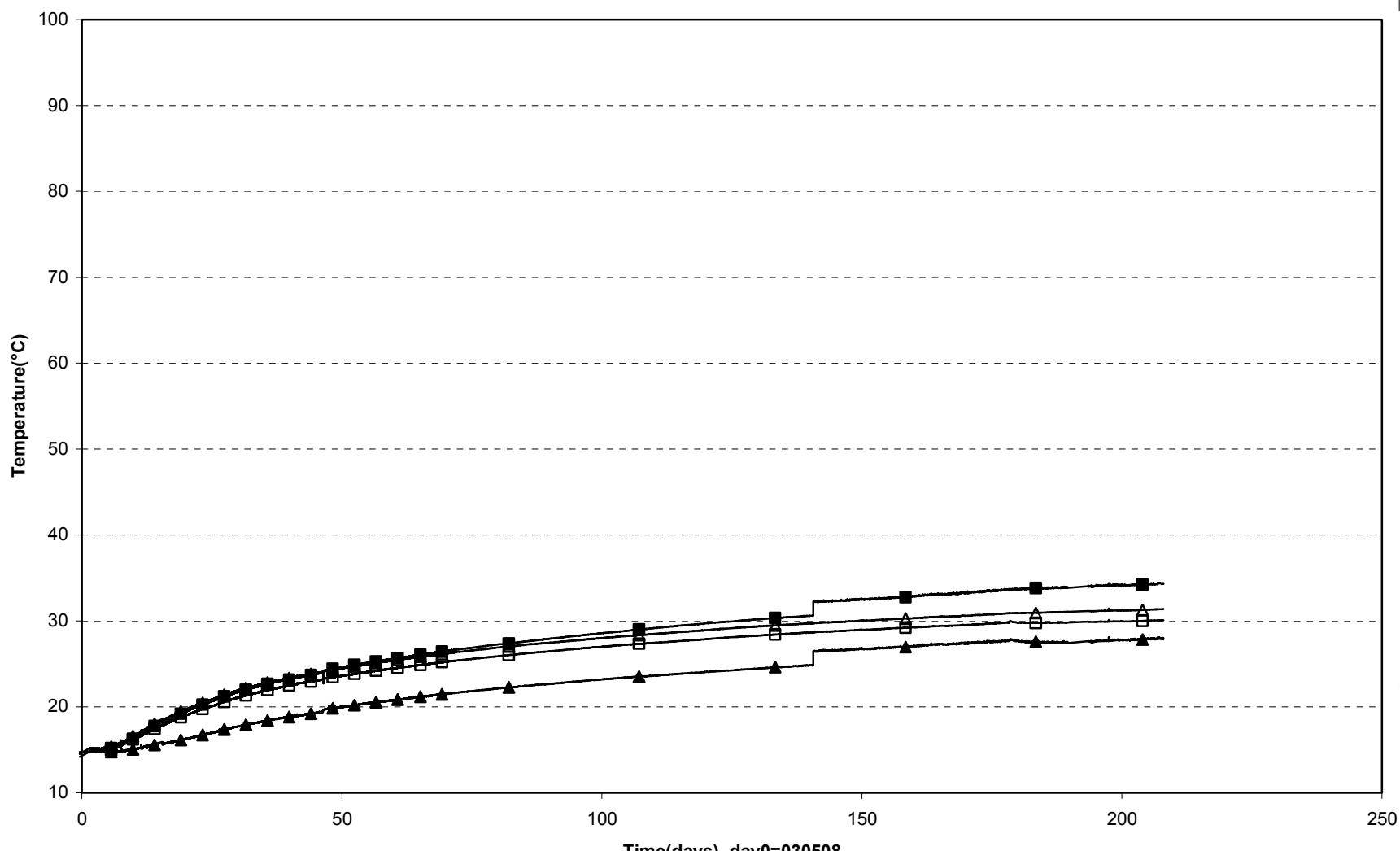


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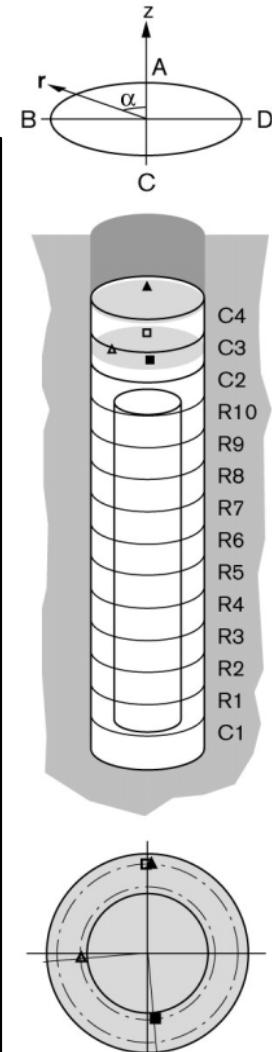


○ TB524(5.250\ 0°\ 0.525) ■ TB525(5.450\ 0°\ 0.685) ◆ TB526(5.450\ 270°\ 0.585) ▲ TB527(5.450\ 270°\ 0.685) □ TB528(5.450\ 270°\ 0.785)

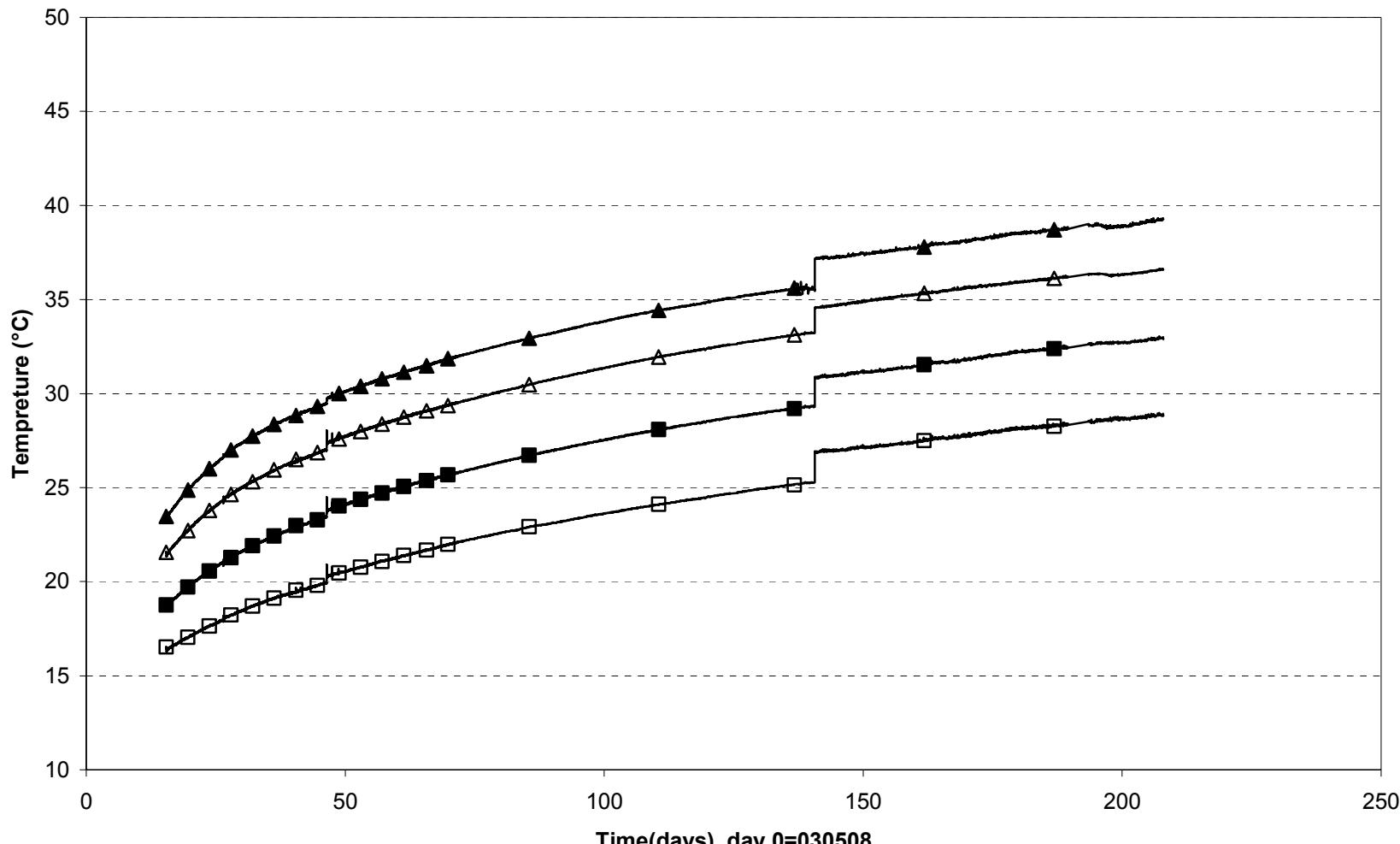
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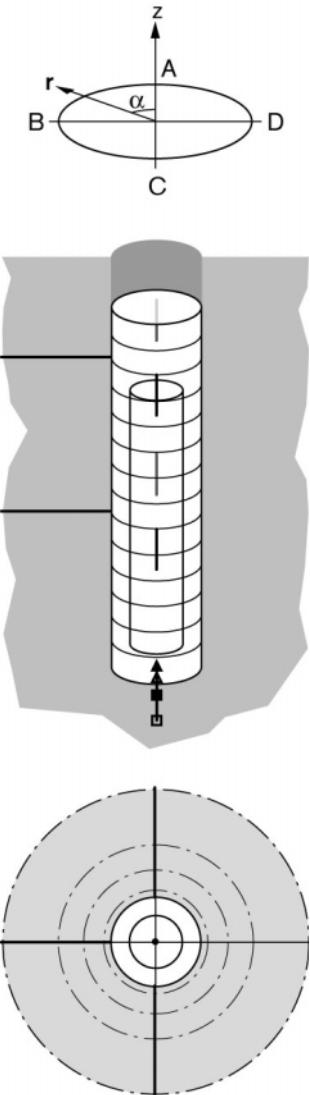
□ TB529(6.250\ 0°\ 0.785) △ TB530(6.250\ 95°\ 0.585) ■ TB531(6.250\ 185°\ 0.585) ▲ TB532(6.950\ 0°\ 0.785)



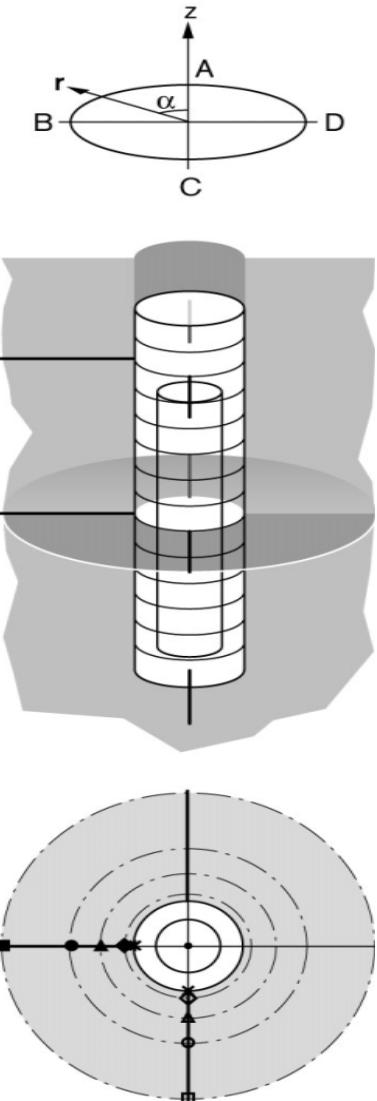
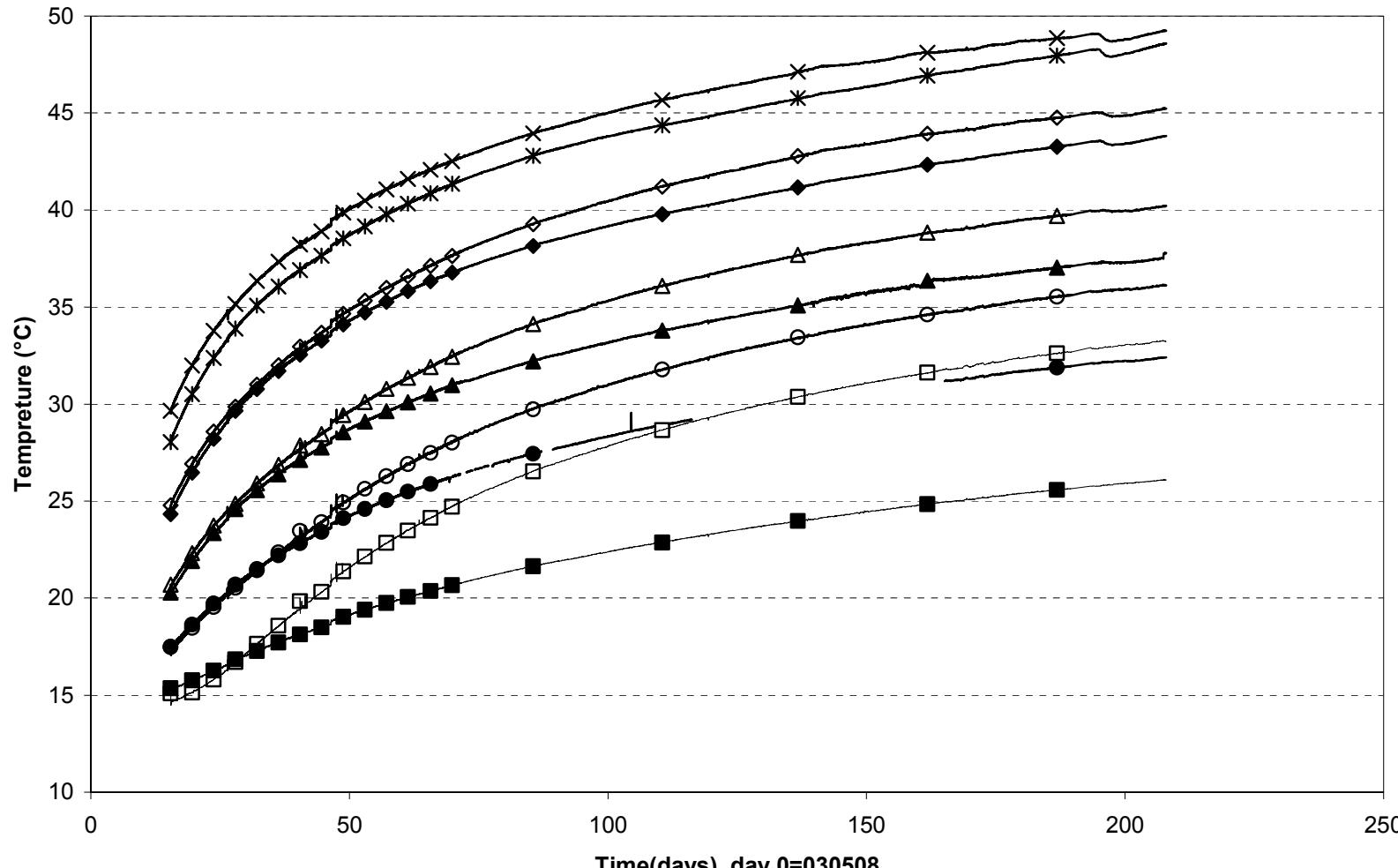
Prototype\Rock\Hole 5\ Bottom (030508-031201)  
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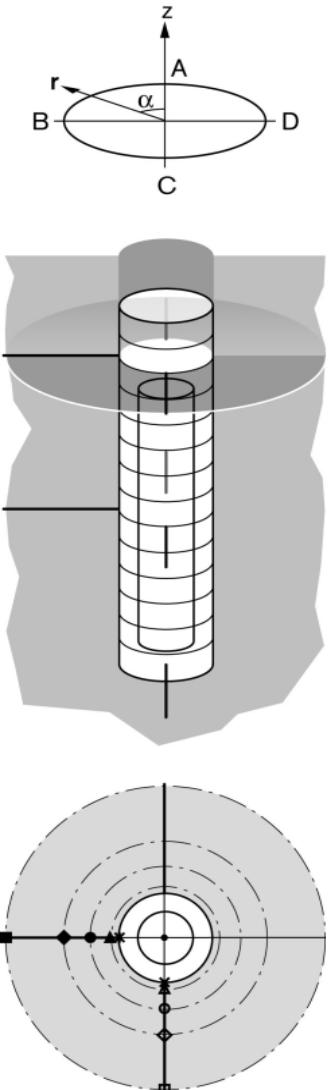
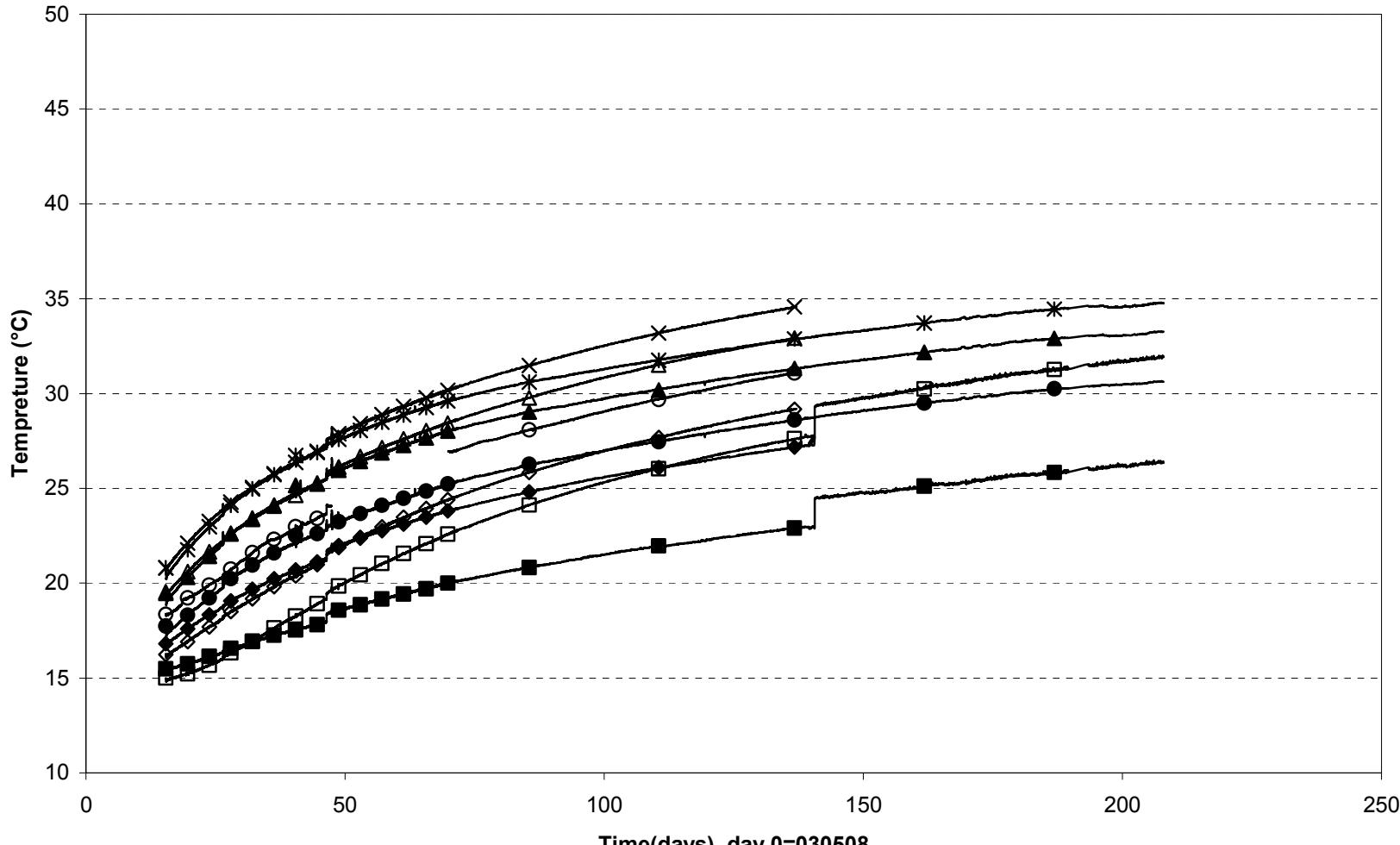
□ TR5011(-1.0°, 0.0°) ■ TR5012(-0.5°, 0.0°) △ TR5013(-0.2°, 0.0°) ▲ TR5014(0.0°, 0.0°)



Prototype\Rock\Hole 5 \Level 3,0 m (030508-031201)  
Temperature - Pentronic

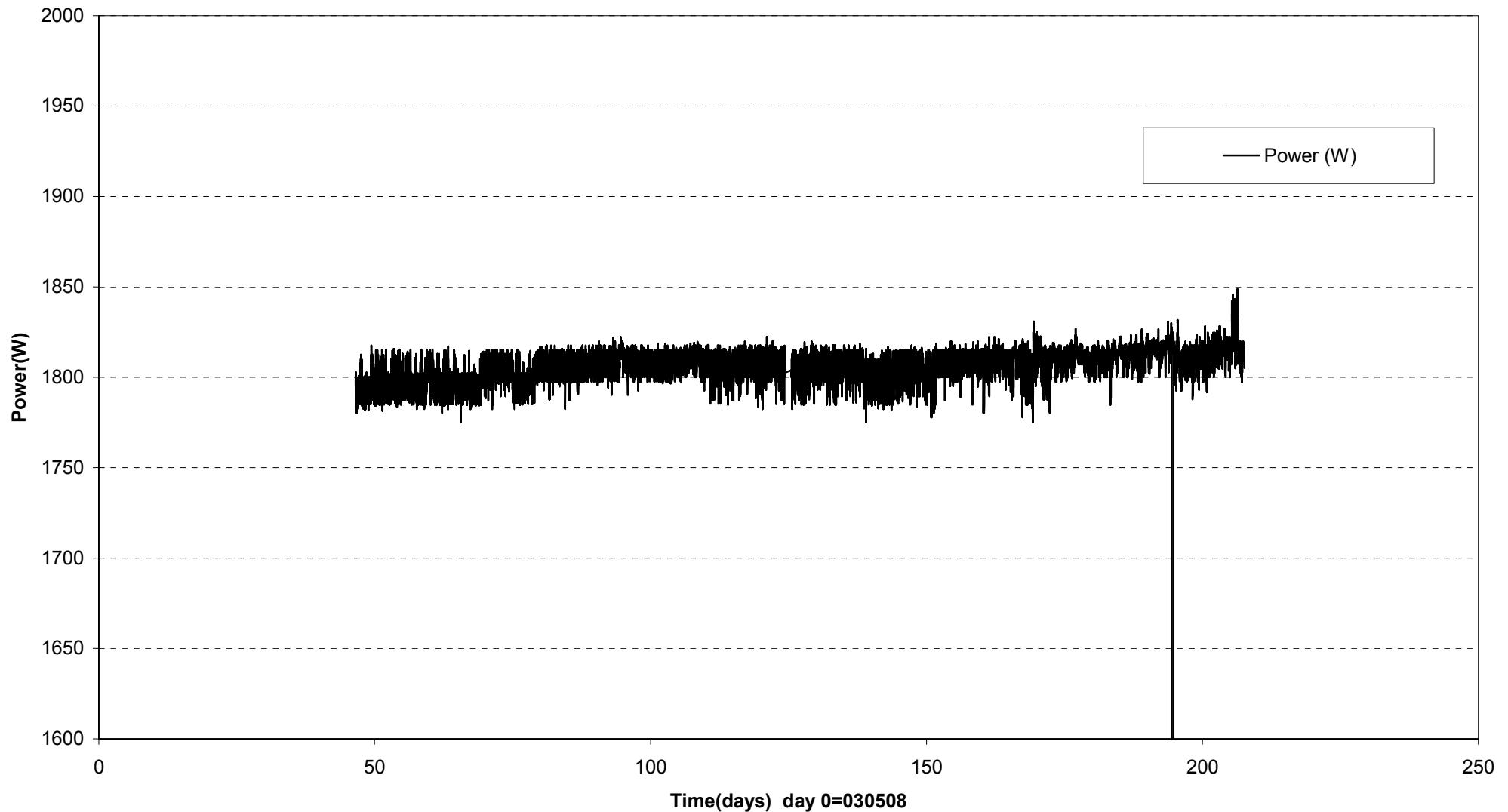


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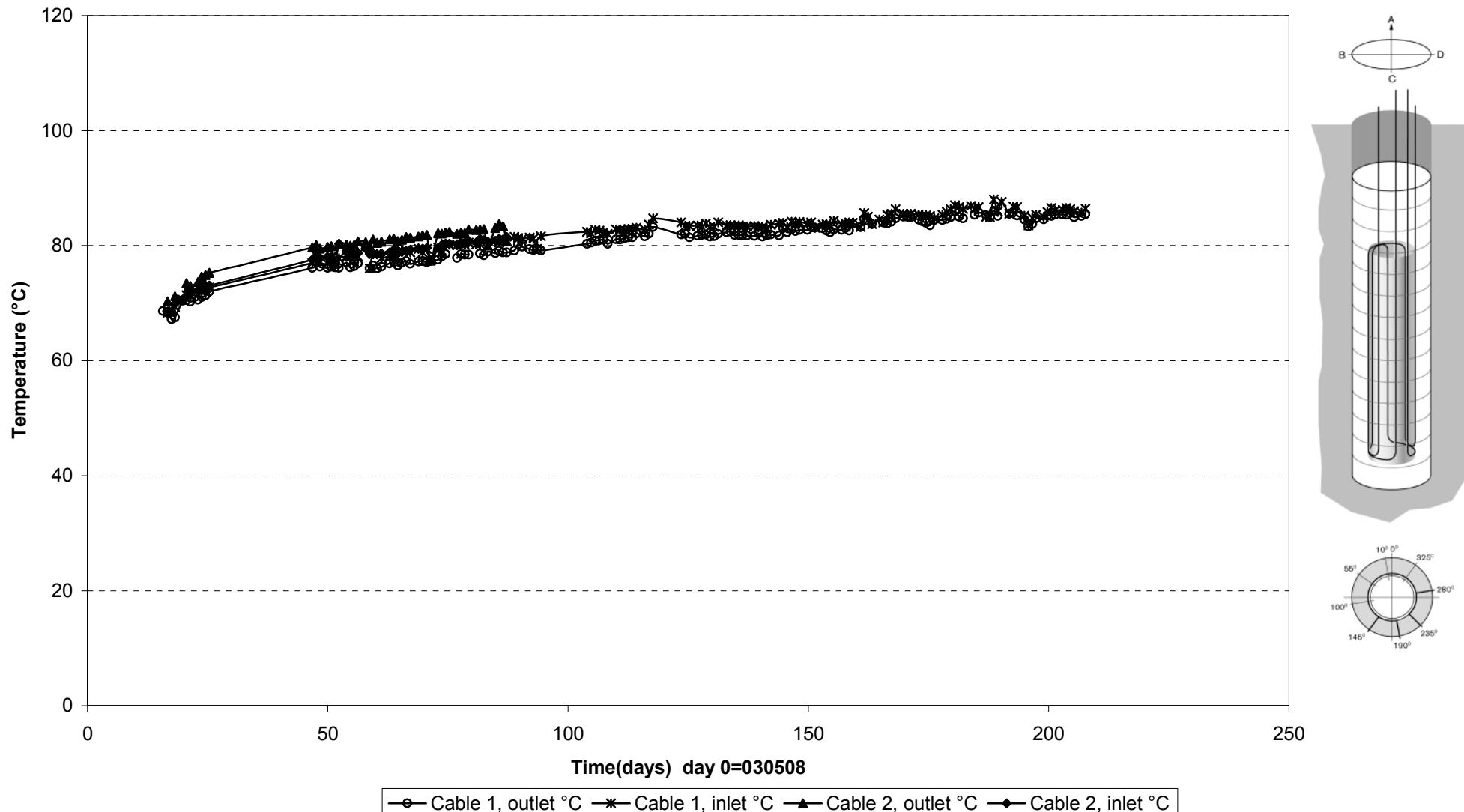


□ TR5021 (6.0\180°\3.95) ◇ TR5022 (6.0\180°\2.85) ○ TR5023 (6.0\180°\2.35) △ TR5024 (6.0\180°\1.95) × TR5025 (6.0\180°\1.75)  
■ TR5031 (6.0\90°\3.95) ◆ TR5032 (6.0\90°\2.85) ● TR5033 (6.0\90°\2.35) ▲ TR5034 (6.0\90°\1.95) \* TR5035 (6.0\90°\1.75)

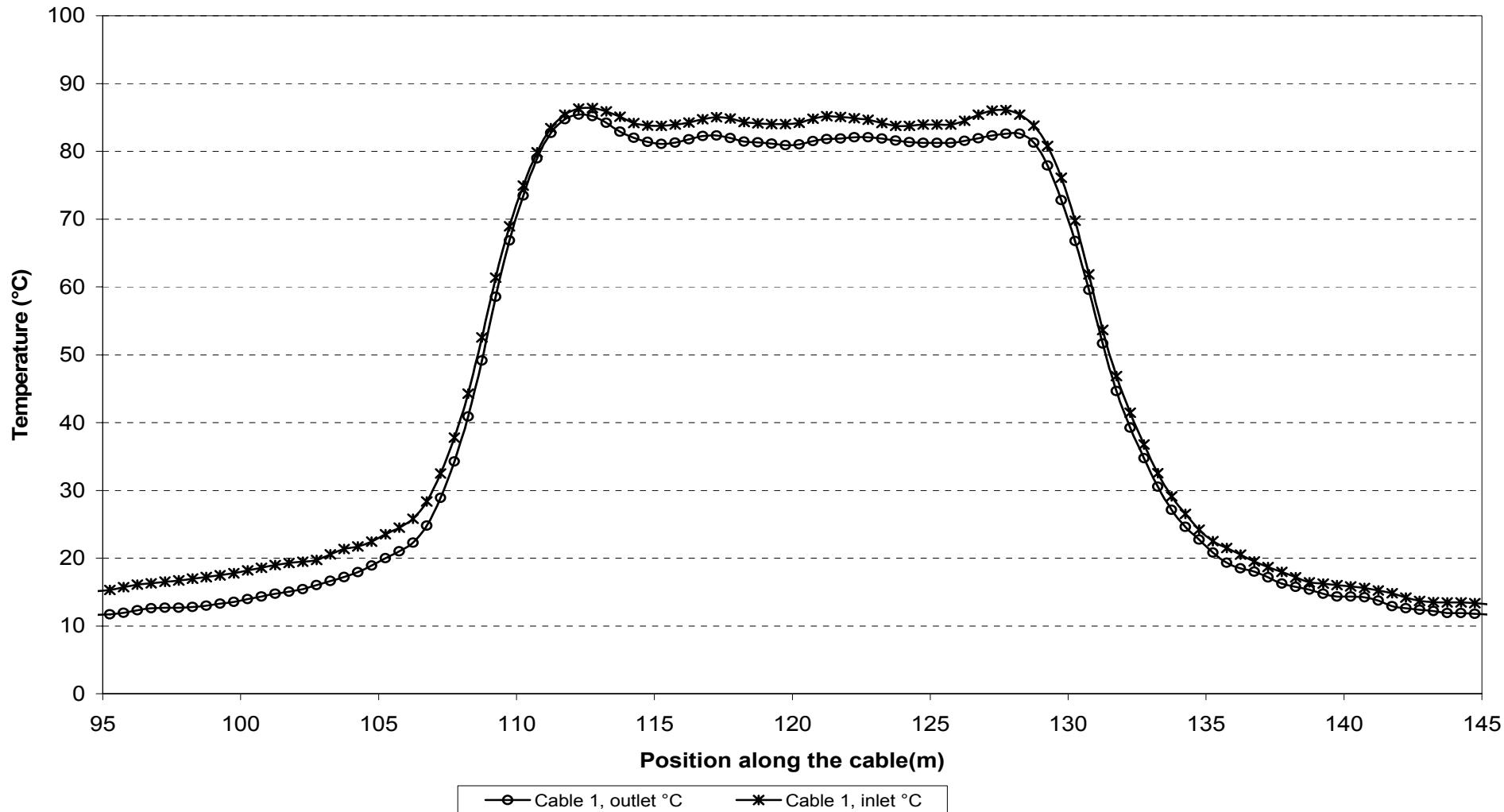
**Prototype\Hole 5 (030508-031201)**  
**Canister power**



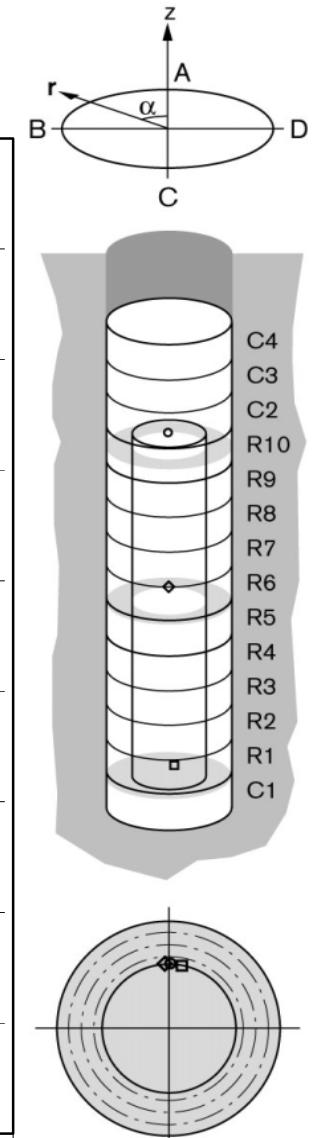
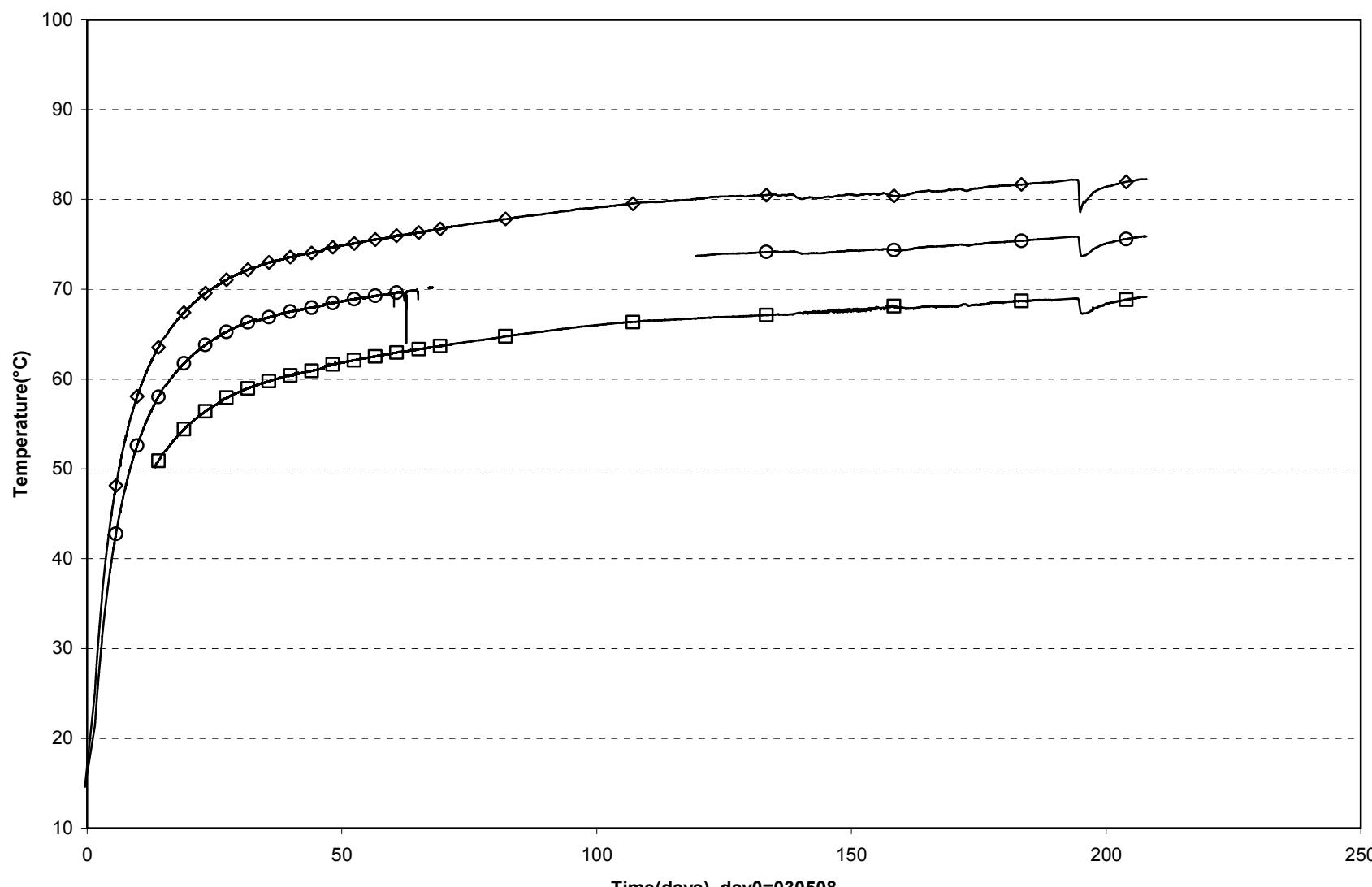
**Prototype\ Hole 5 \Canister (030508-031201)**  
**Max. temperature on the canister surface - Optical fiber cables**



**Temperature profile on the canister surface-No5 (031201)**  
**Optical fiber cables**



Prototype\Hole 5 \On the canister surface (030508-031201)  
 Temperature - Pentronic

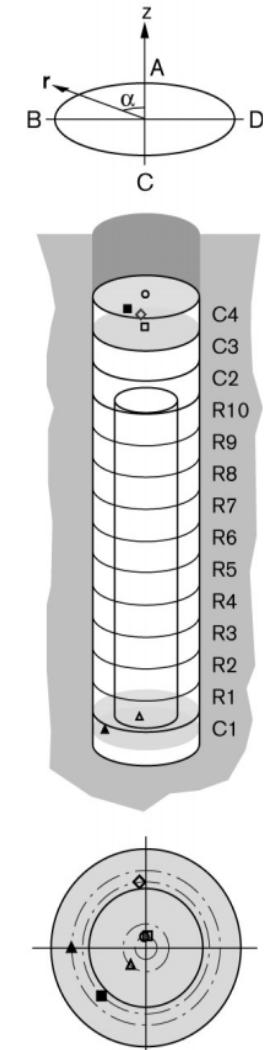
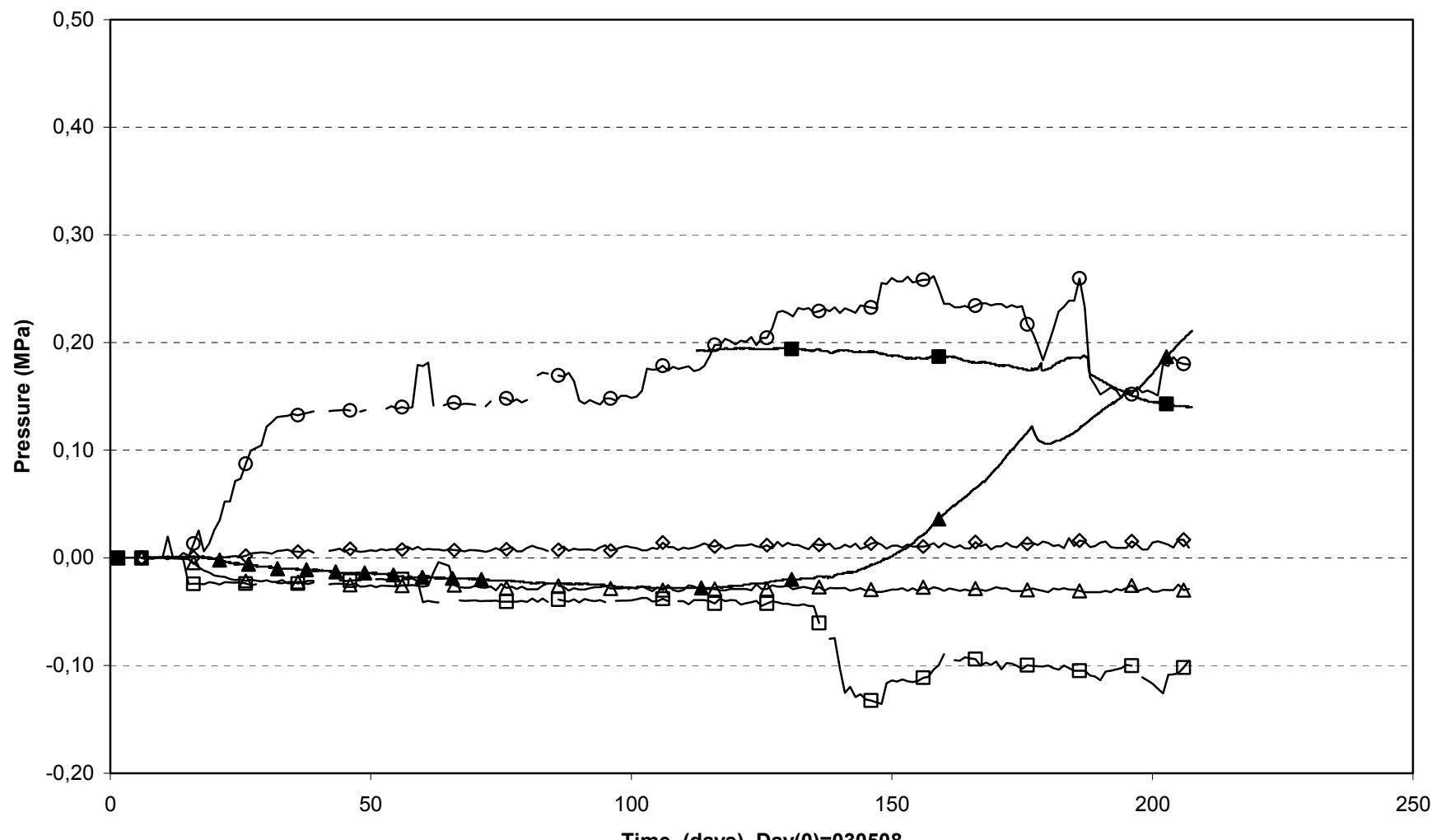


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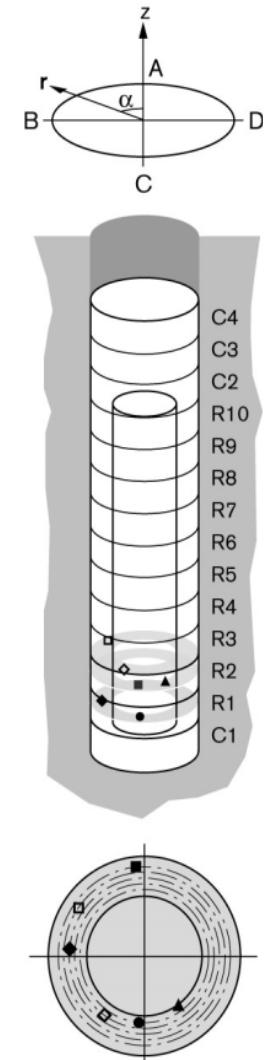
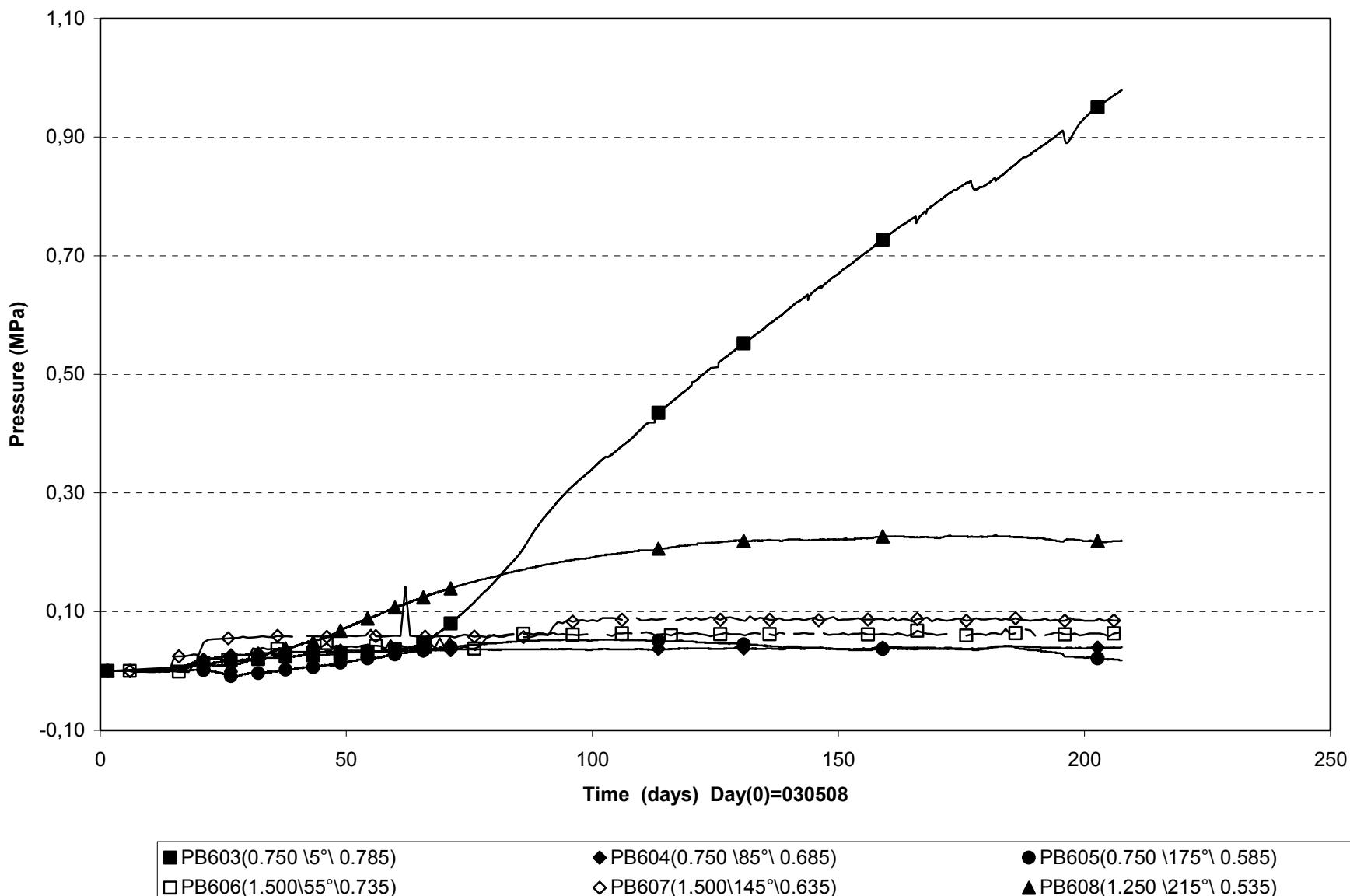
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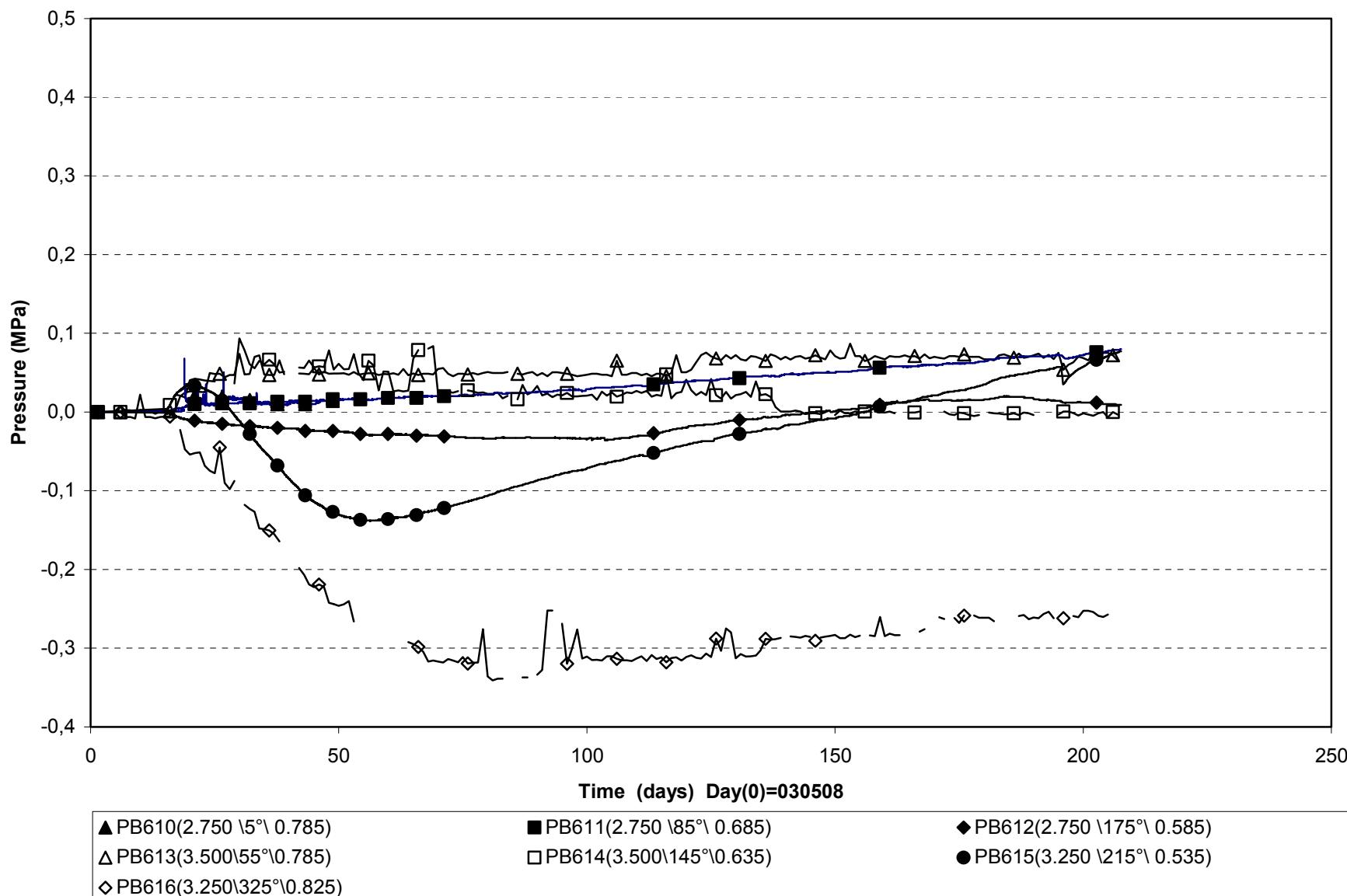
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**Total pressure**



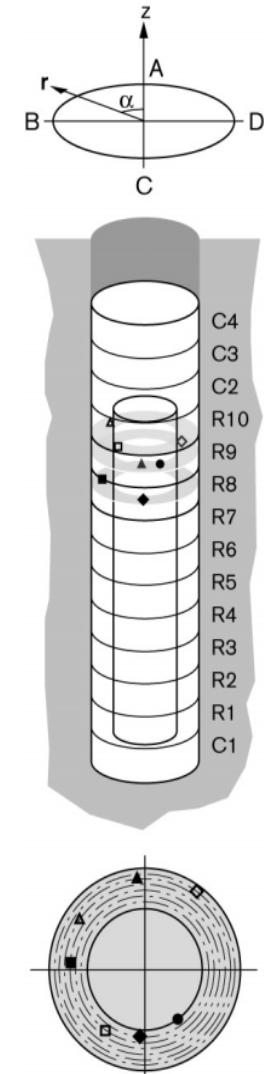
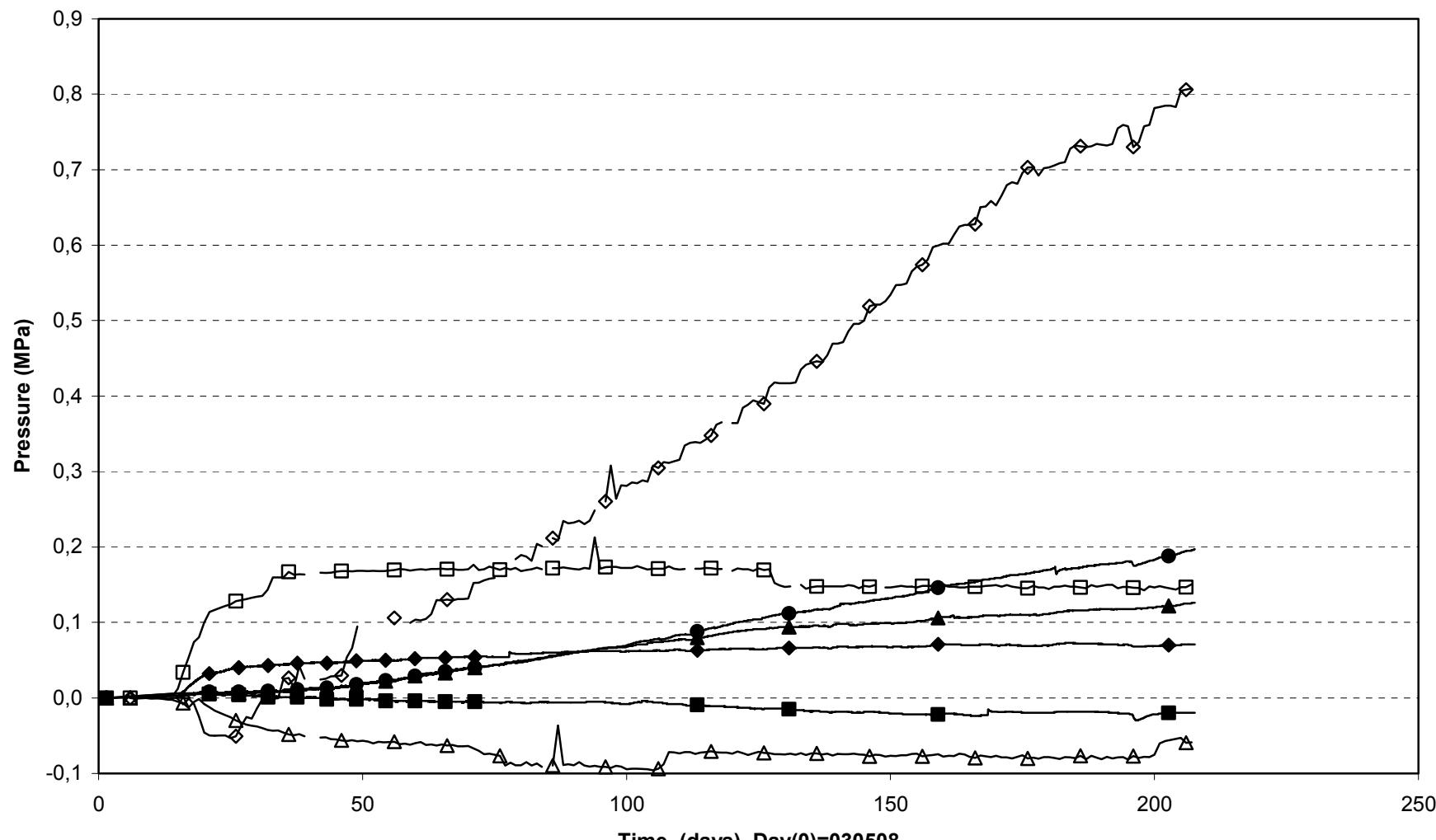
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**Total pressure**



**Prototype\Hole 6\ Ring 5 and Ring 6 (030508-031201)**  
**Total pressure**

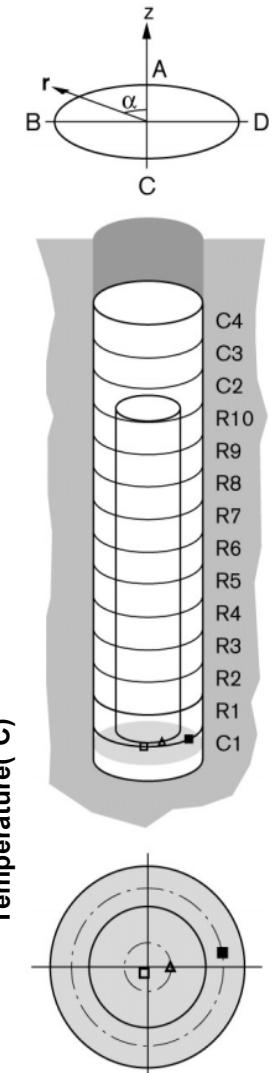
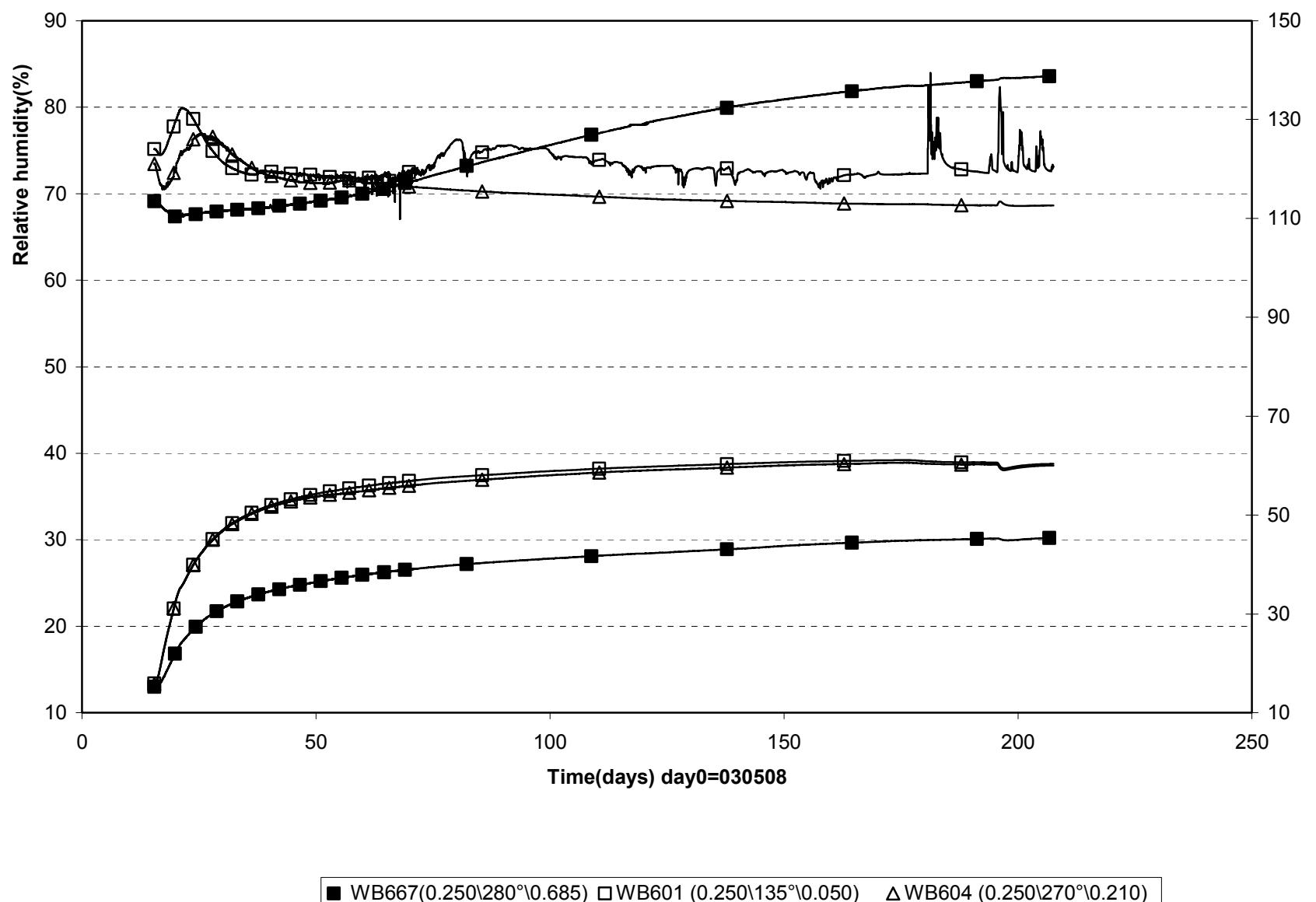


Prototype\Hole 6\ Ring 8 and Ring 9 (030508-031201)  
Total pressure

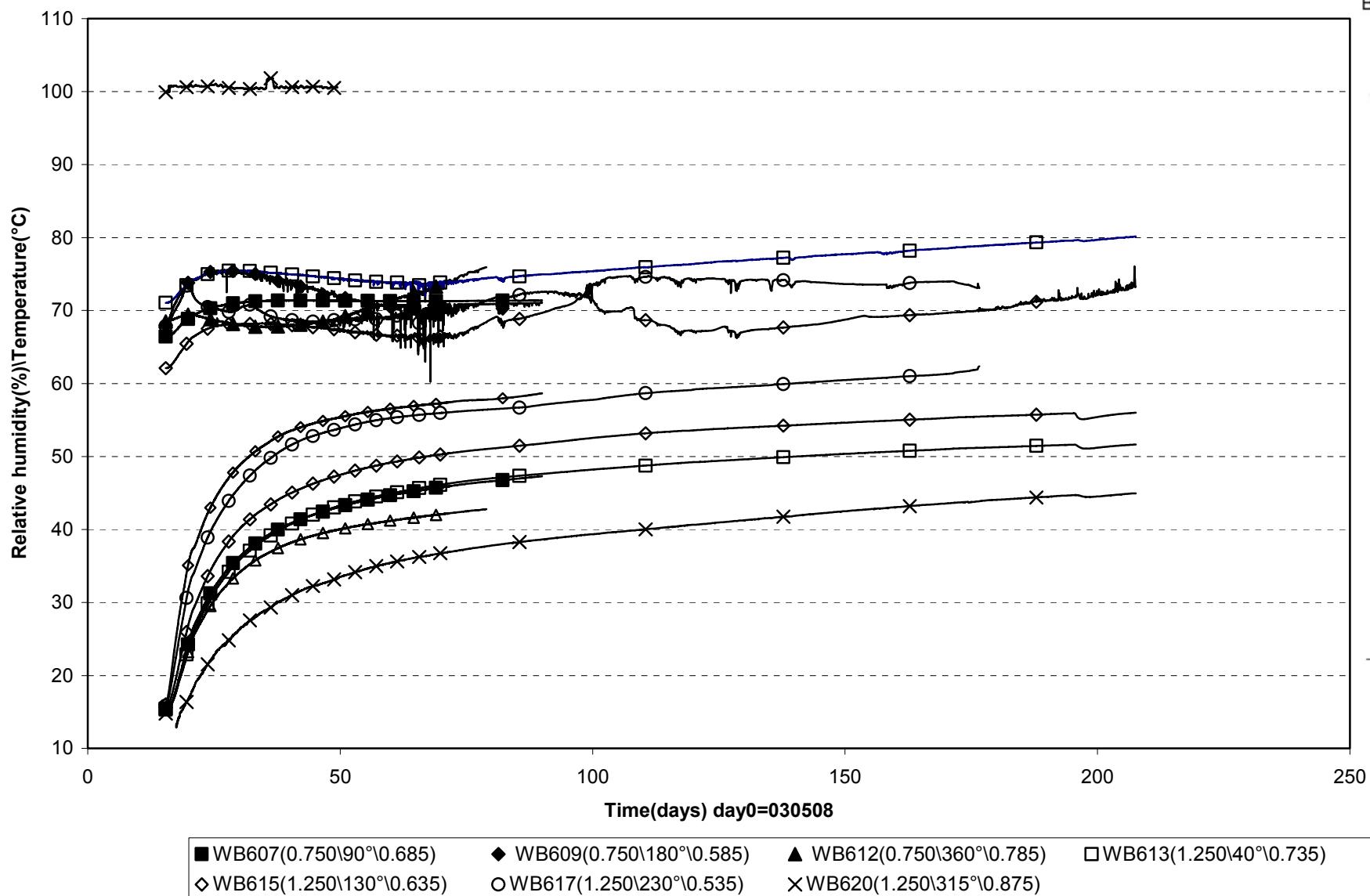


▲ PB617(4.250 \ 5°\ 0.785)	■ PB618(4.250 \ 85°\ 0.685)	◆ PB619(4.250 \ 175°\ 0.585)
△ PB620(5.000\ 55°\ 0.735)	□ PB621(5.000\ 145°\ 0.635)	● PB622(4.750 \ 215°\ 0.535)
◇ PB623(4.750\ 325°\ 0.825)		

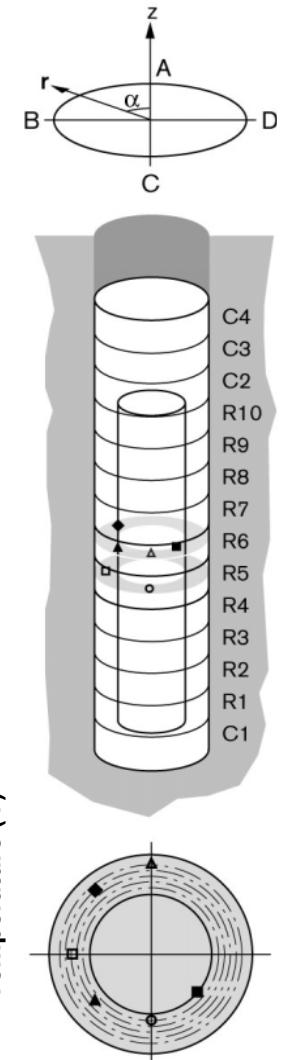
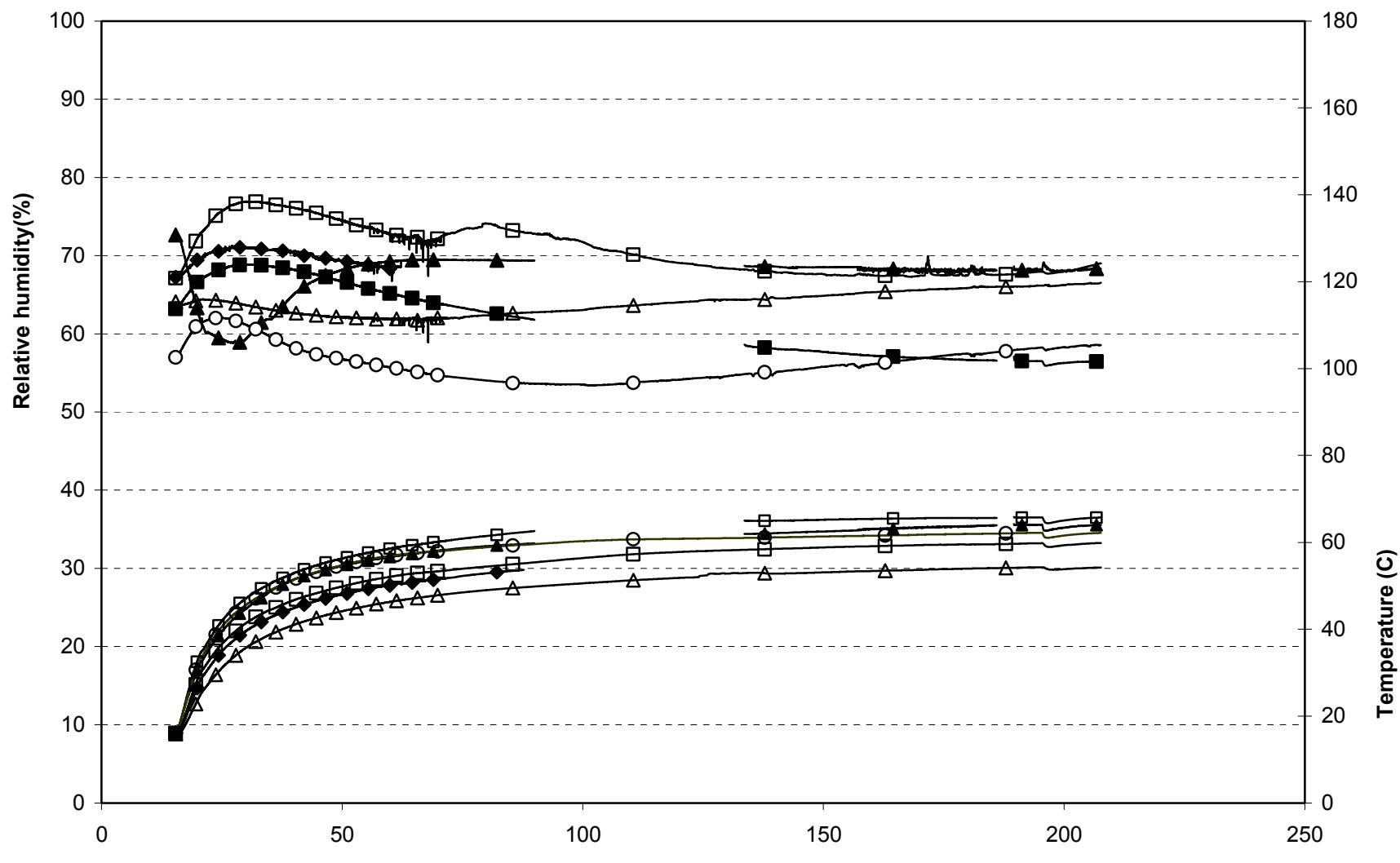
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Relative humidity



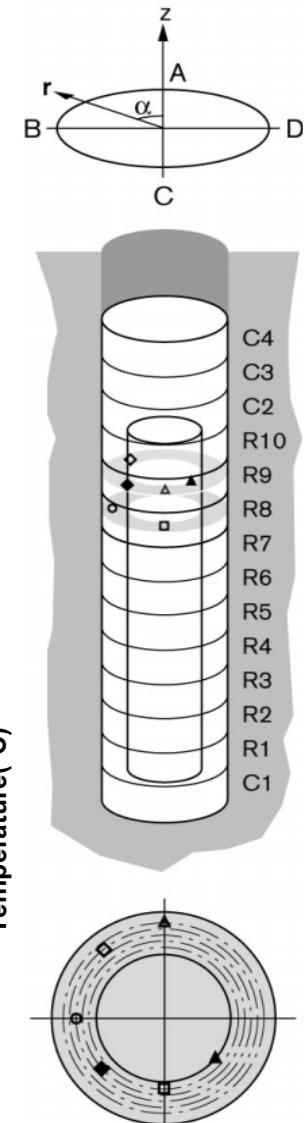
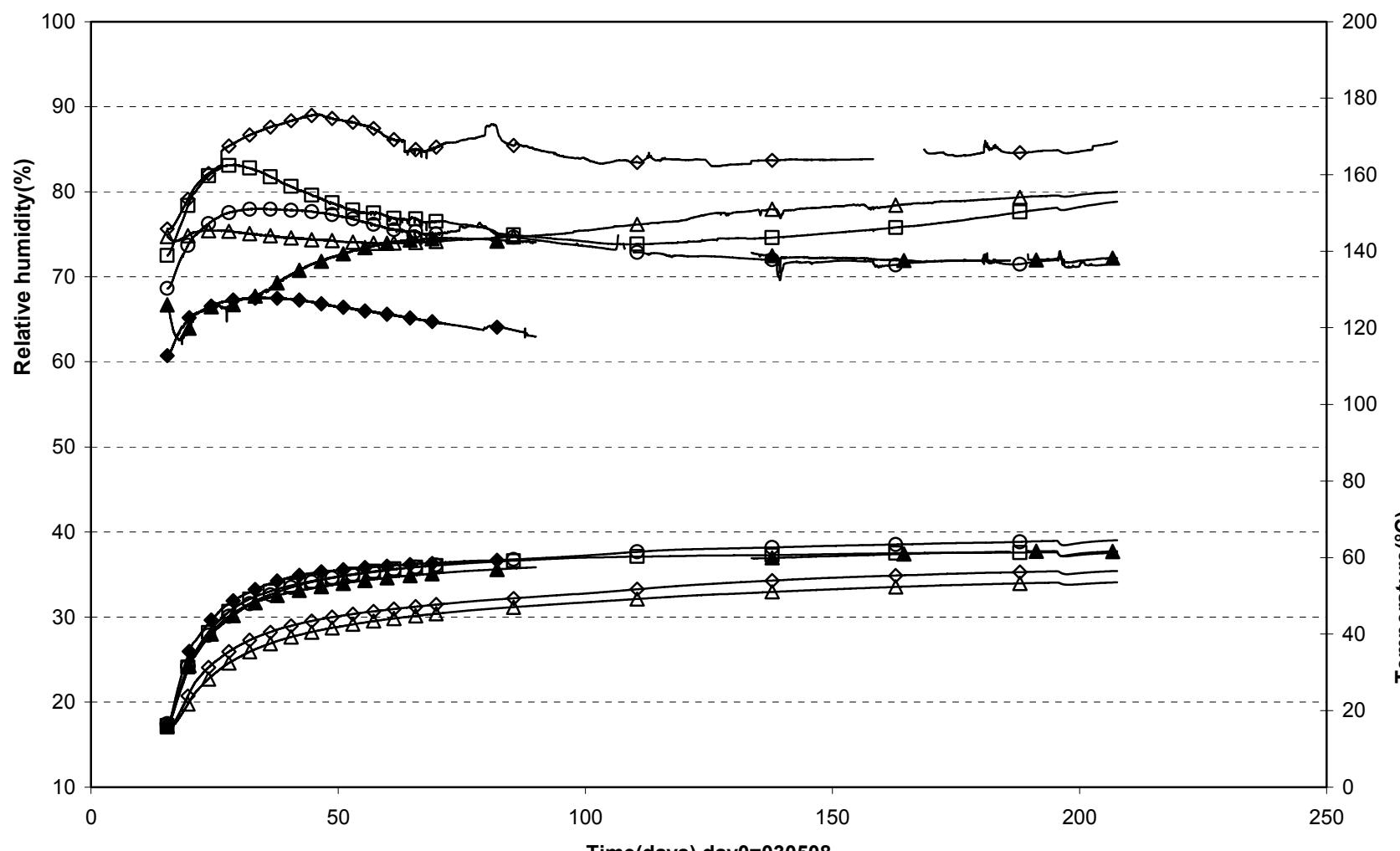
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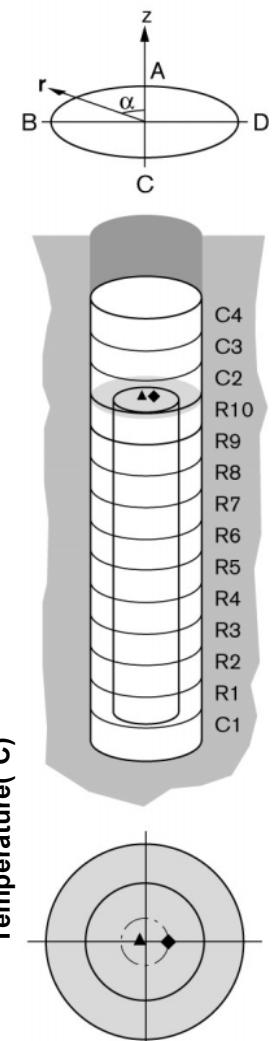
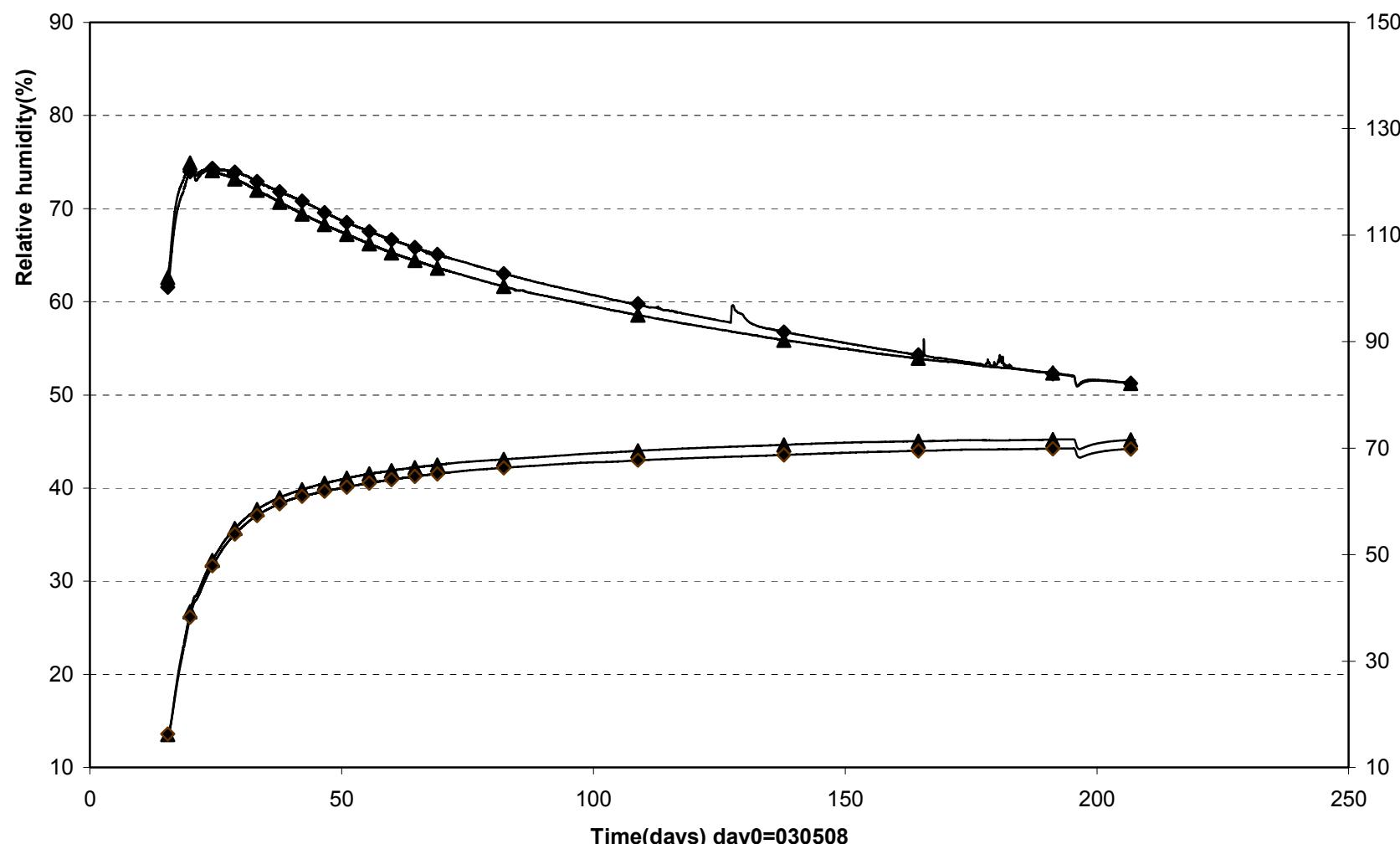
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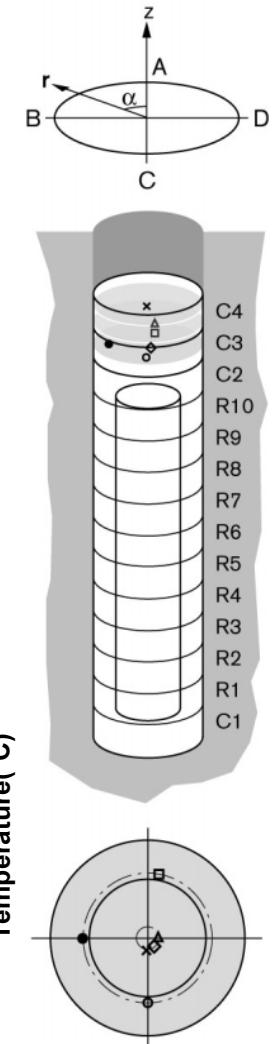
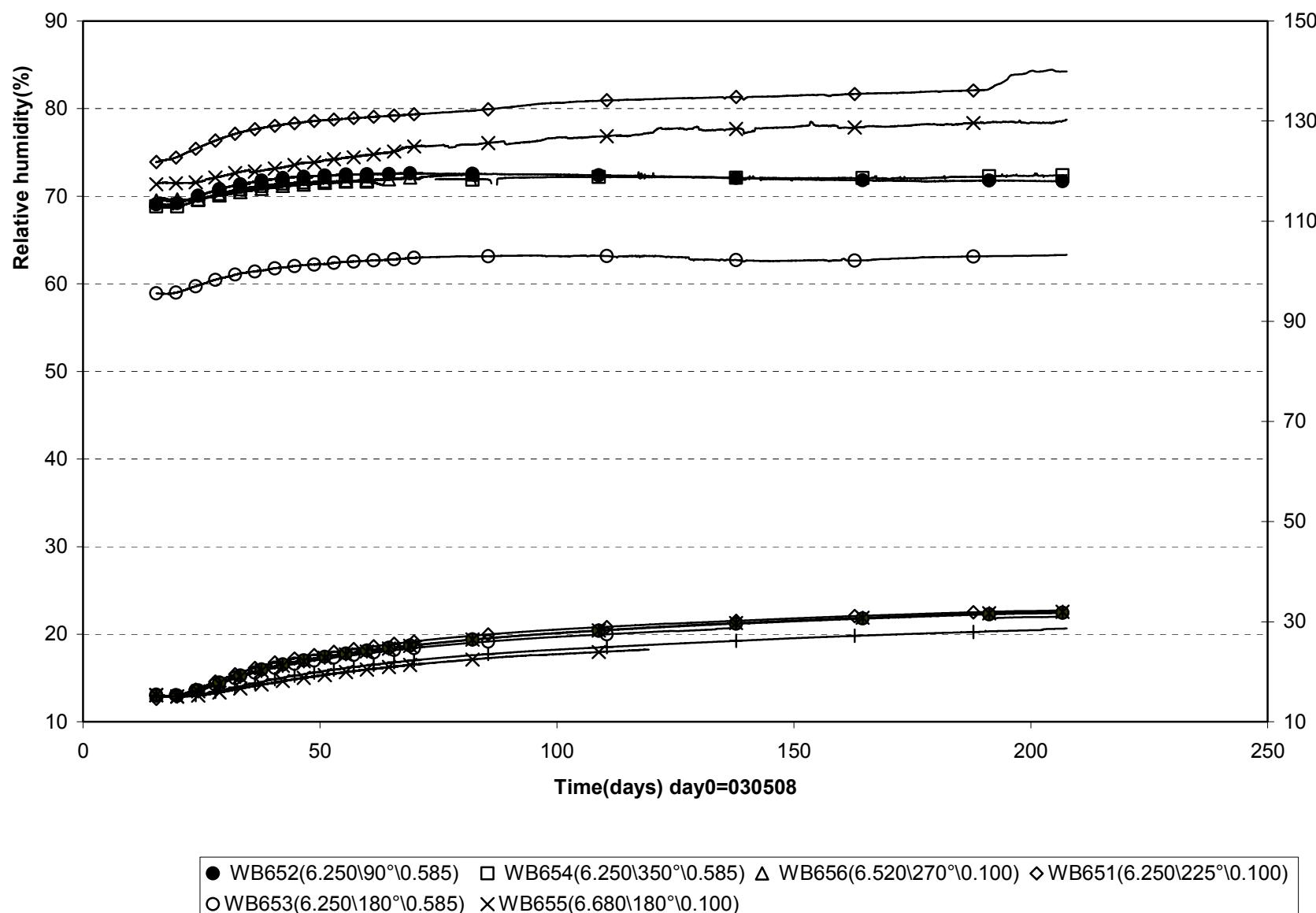
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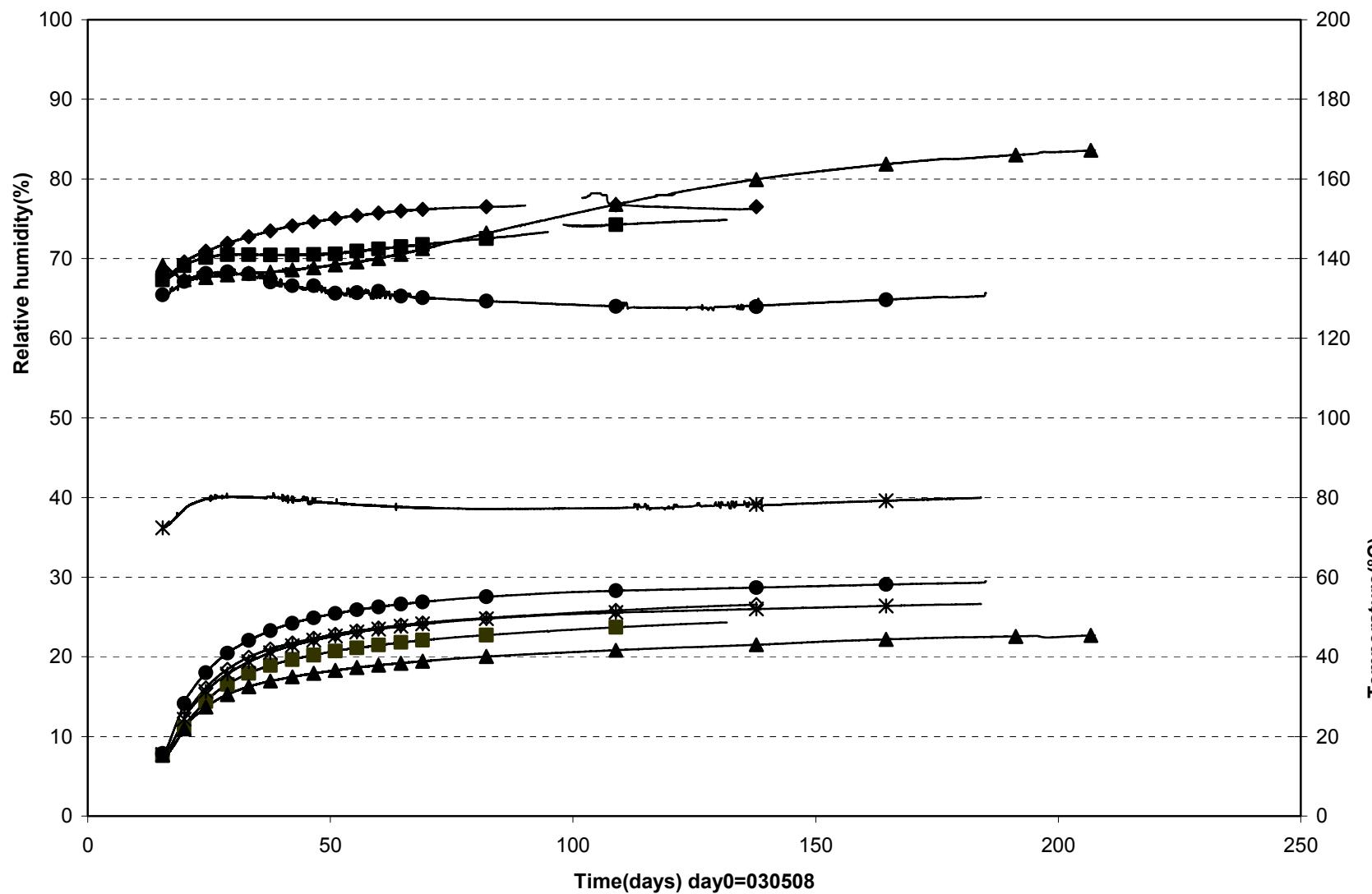
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**Relative humidity**



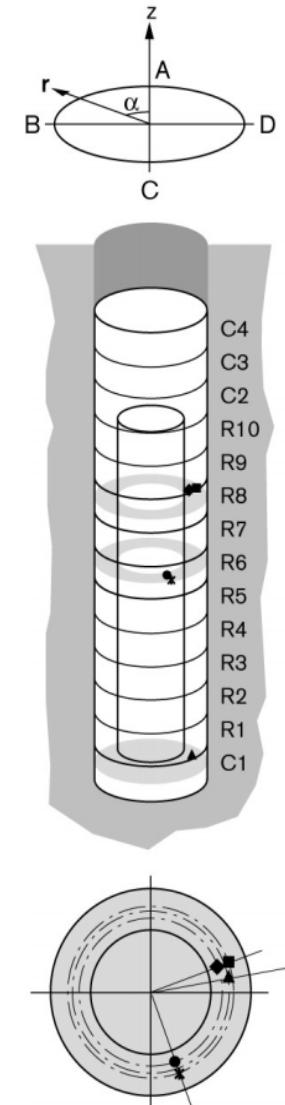
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**Relative humidity**



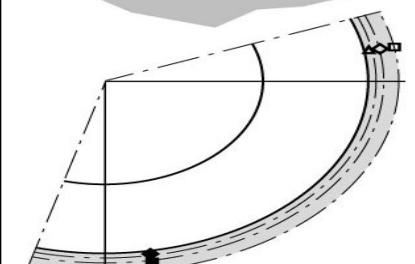
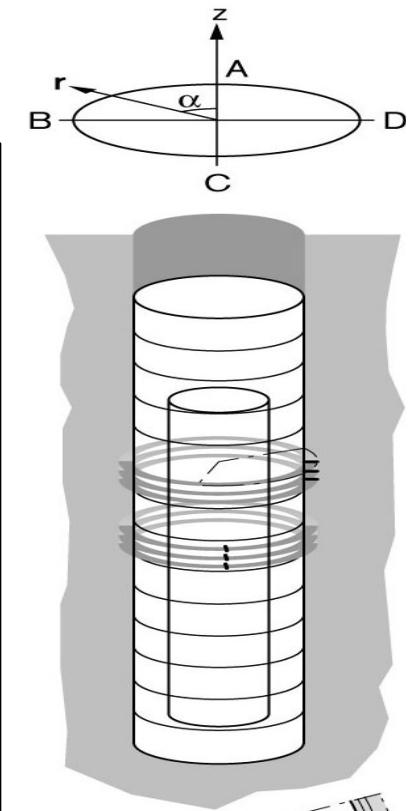
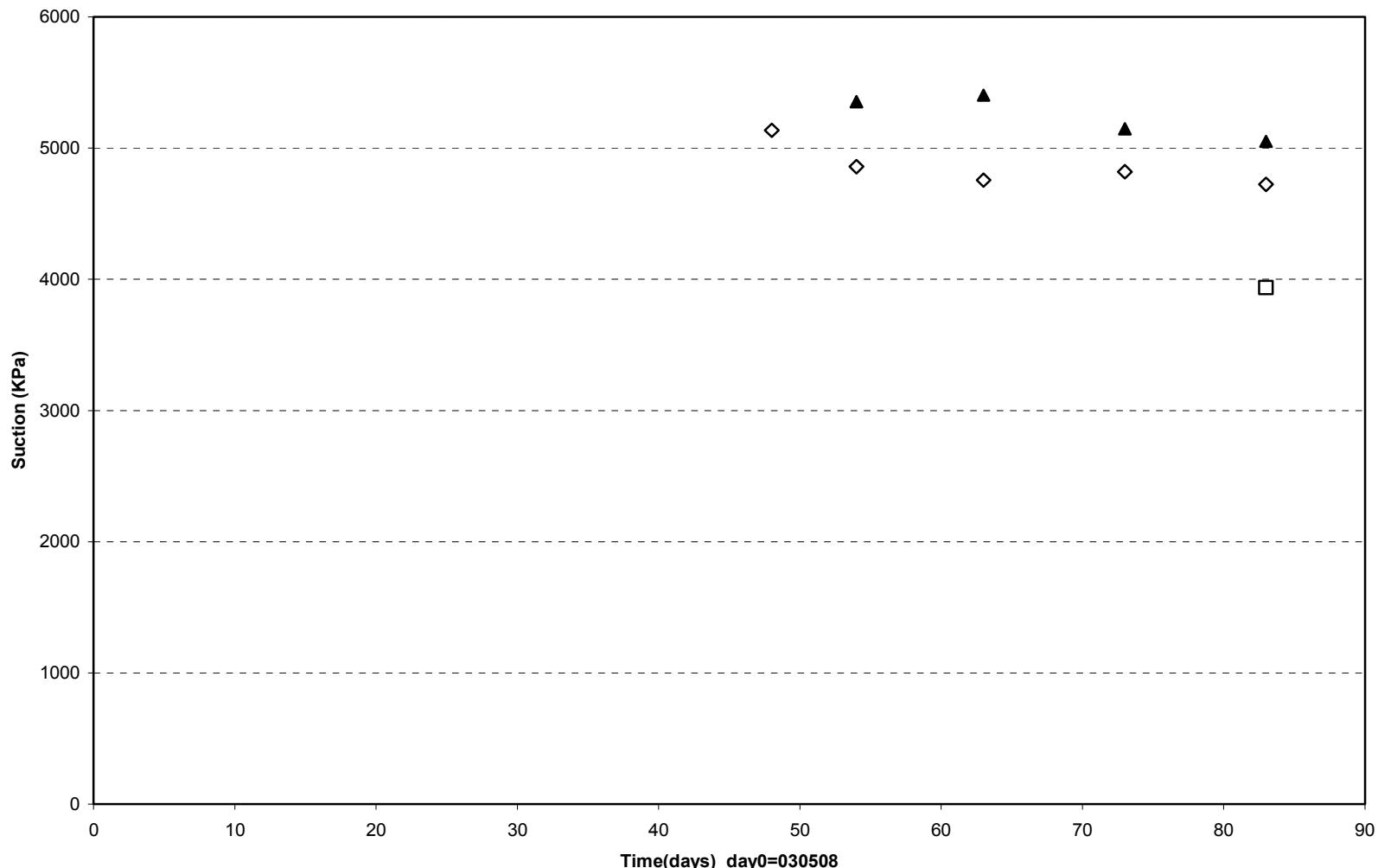
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**Relative humidity**



▲ WB667(0.250\280°\0.685) ● WB668(3.250\200°\0.625) ✕ WB669(3.250\200°\0.725) ◆ WB670(4.250\290°\0.625) ■ WB671(4.250\290°\0.725)

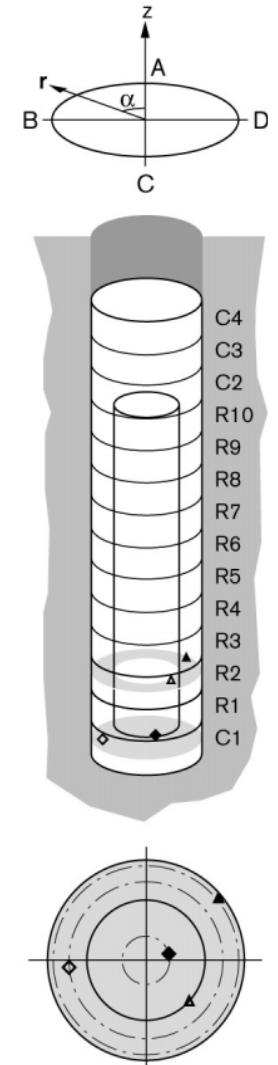
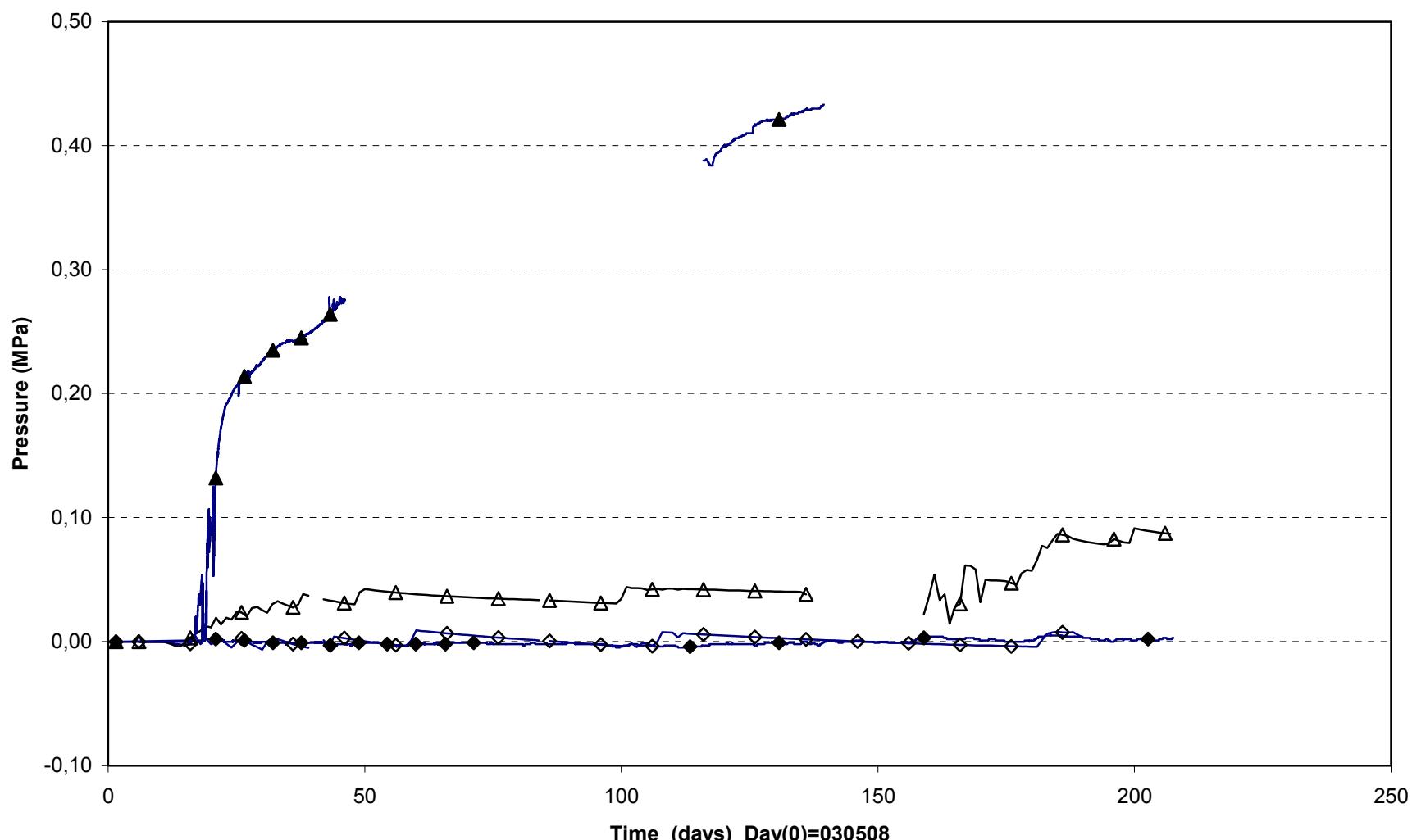


**Prototype\ Hole 6 \Rock (030508-030901)**  
**Suction - Wescor**



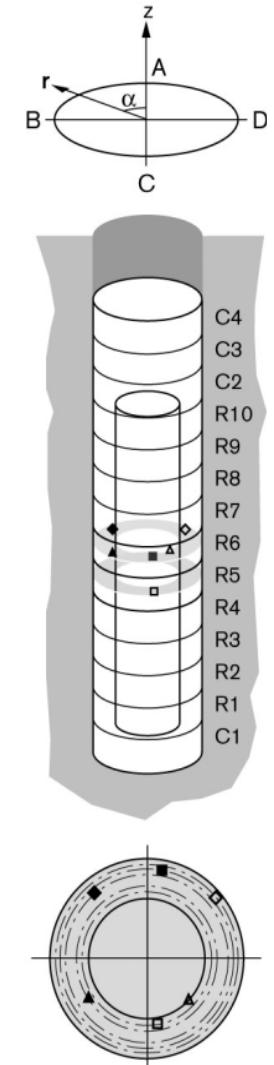
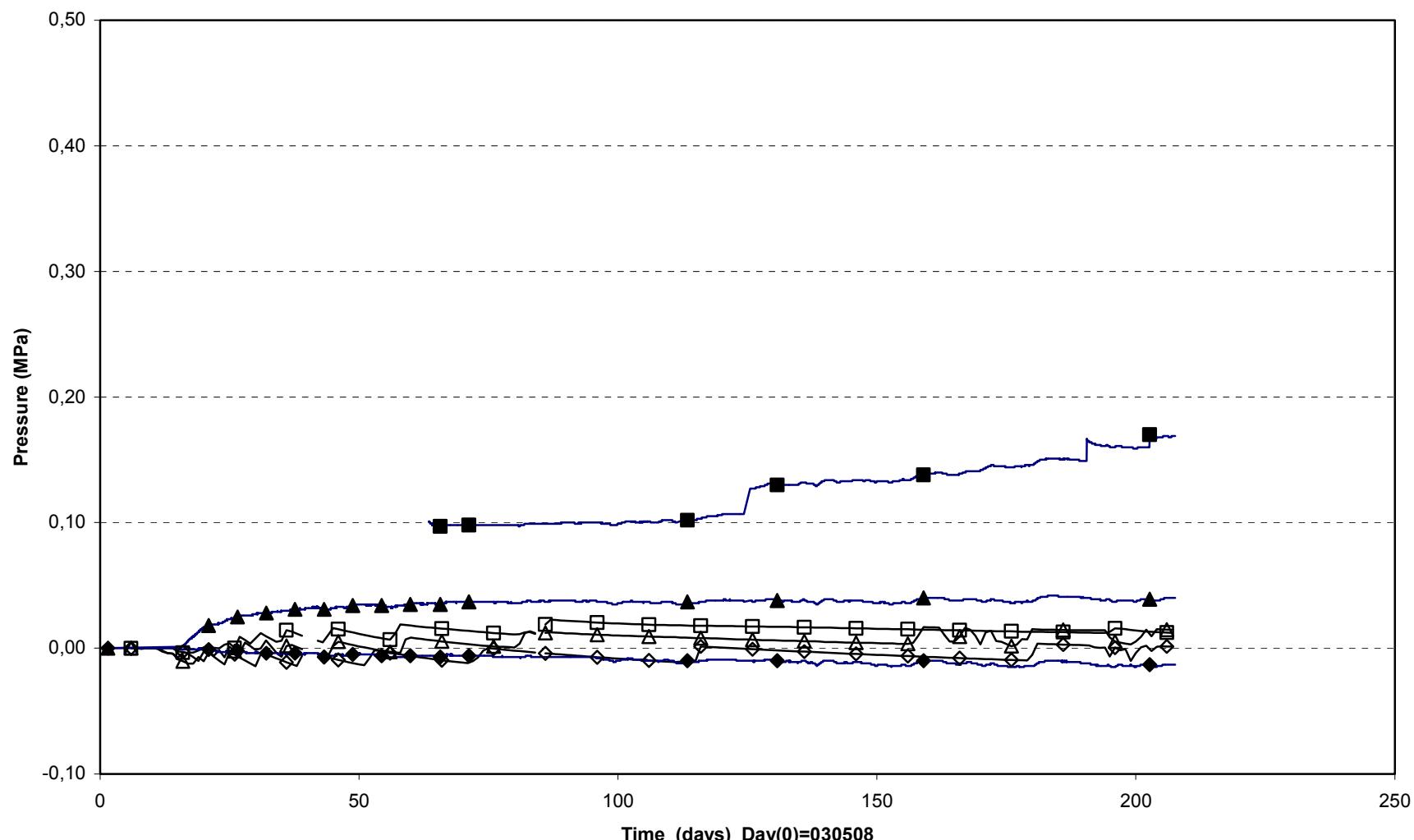
◆ WB659(3100\190°\900\Rock) ■ WB660(3250\190°\925\Rock) ▲ WB661(3400\190°\975\Rock) △ WB664(4100\280°\900\Rock)  
 □ WB665(4250\280°\925\Rock) ◇ WB666(4400\280°\975\Rock)

Prototype\Hole6\Cyl.1 and Ring2 (030508-031201)  
Pore pressure

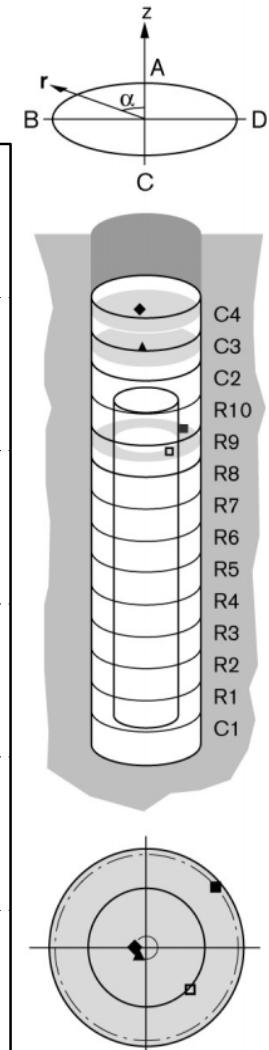
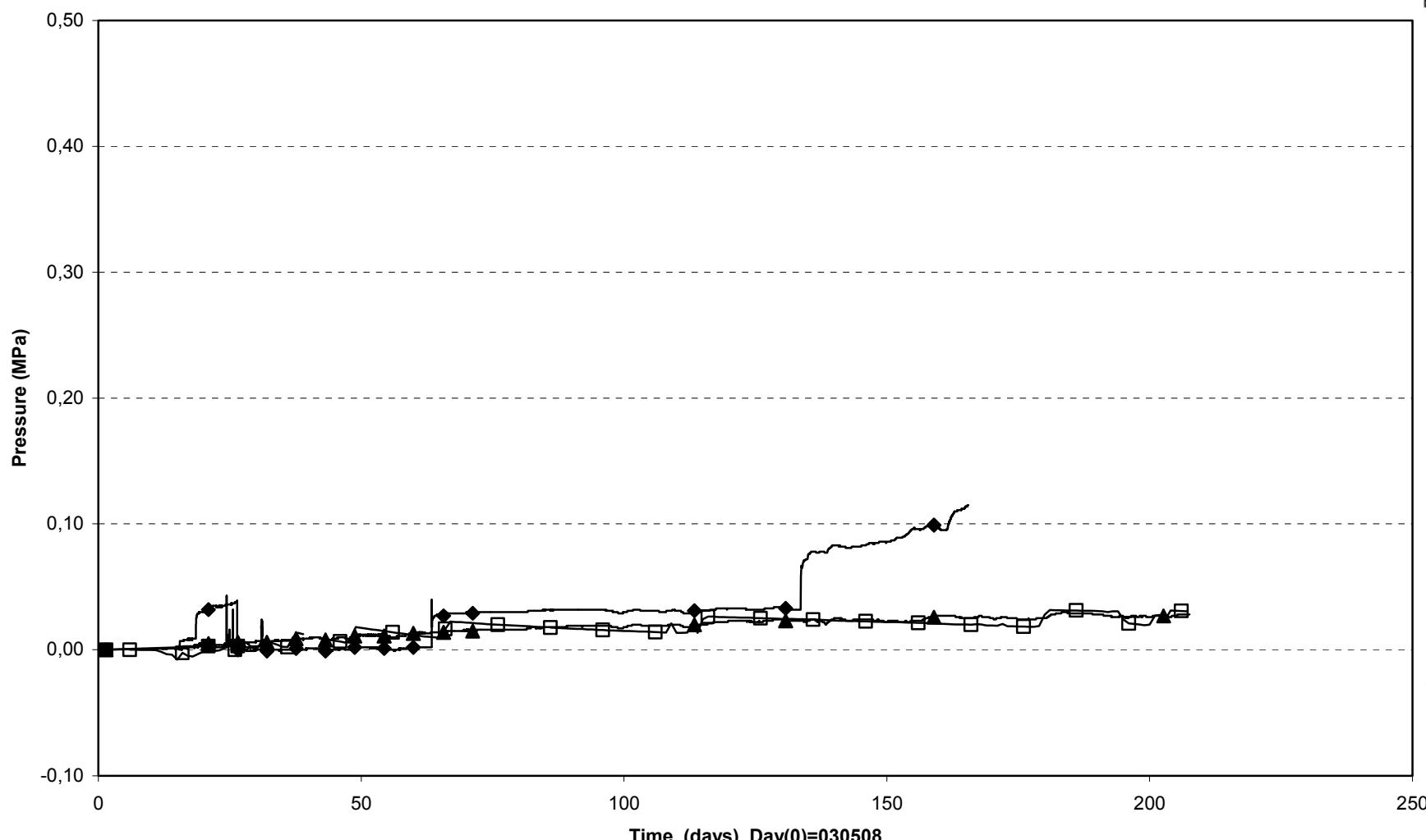


◆ UB601(0.250 \280° 0.210) ◇ UB602(0.250\95° 0.685) △ UB603(1.250\225° 0.535) ▲ UB604(1.250 \310° 0.825)

Prototype\Hole6 \ Ring 5 and Ring 6 (030508-031201)  
Pore pressure

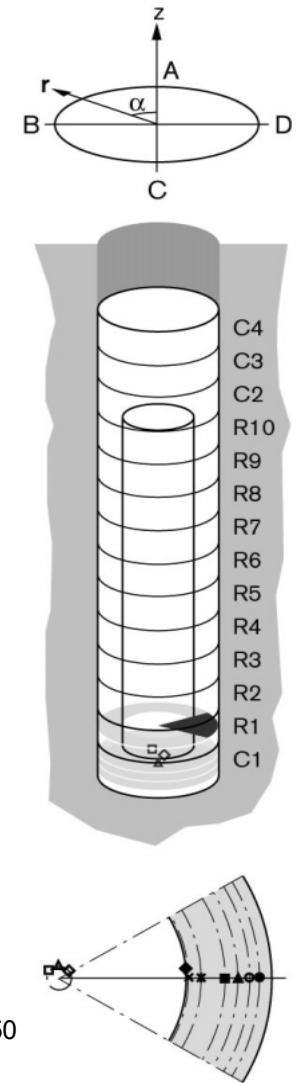
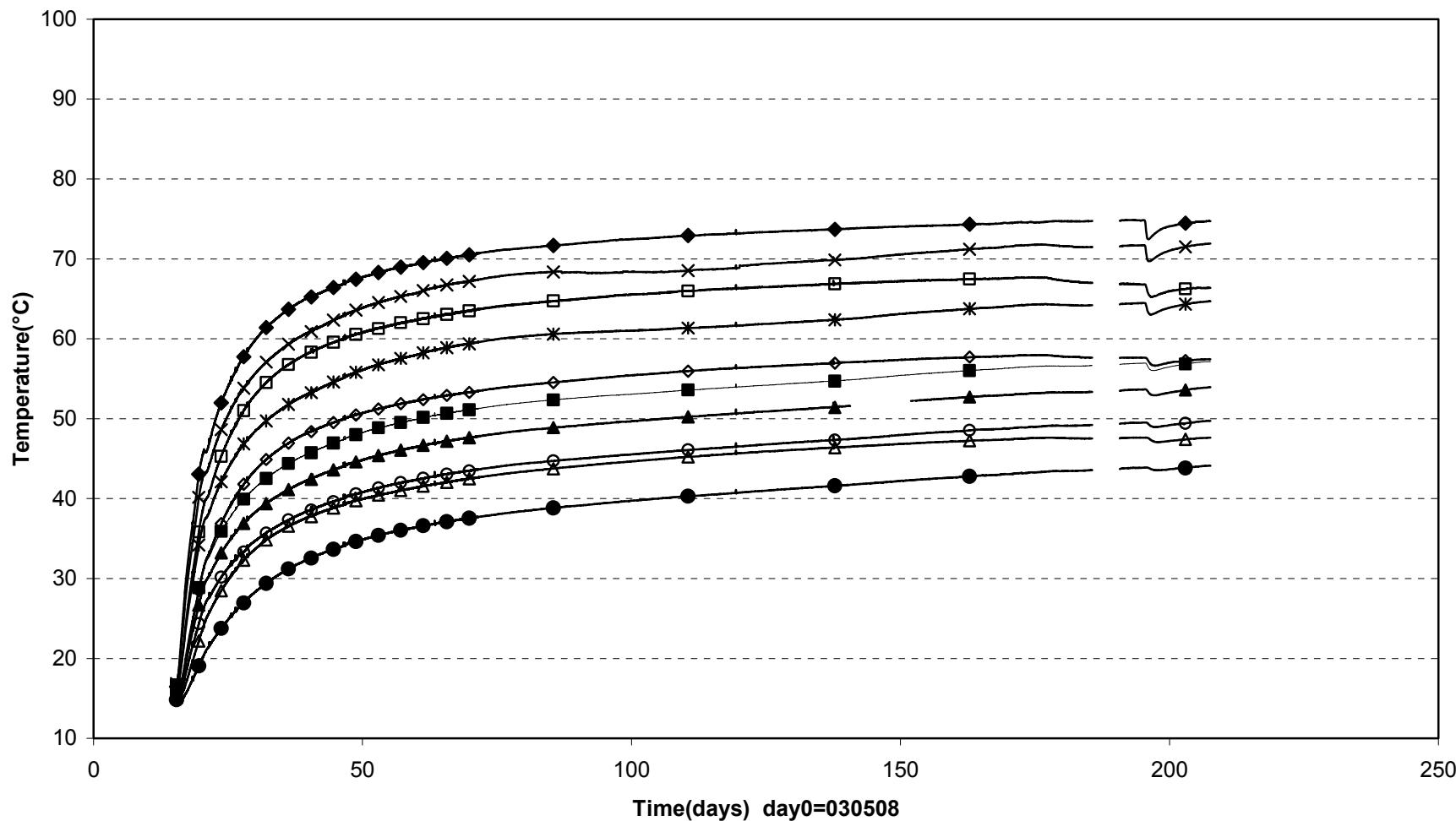


Prototype\Hole6\Ring 9 , Cyl.3 and Cyl.4 (030508-031201)  
Pore pressure

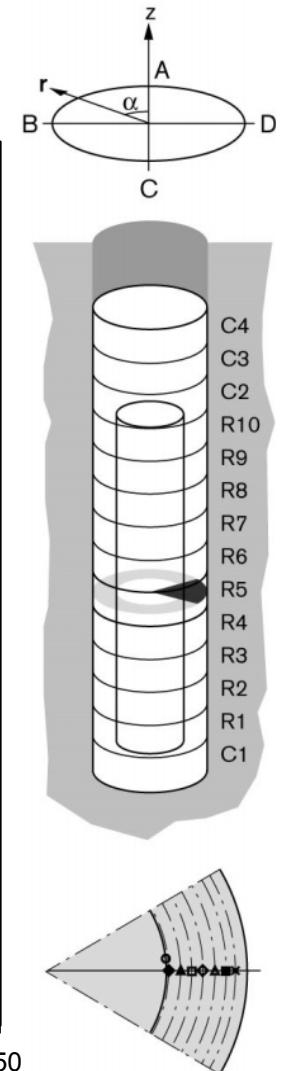
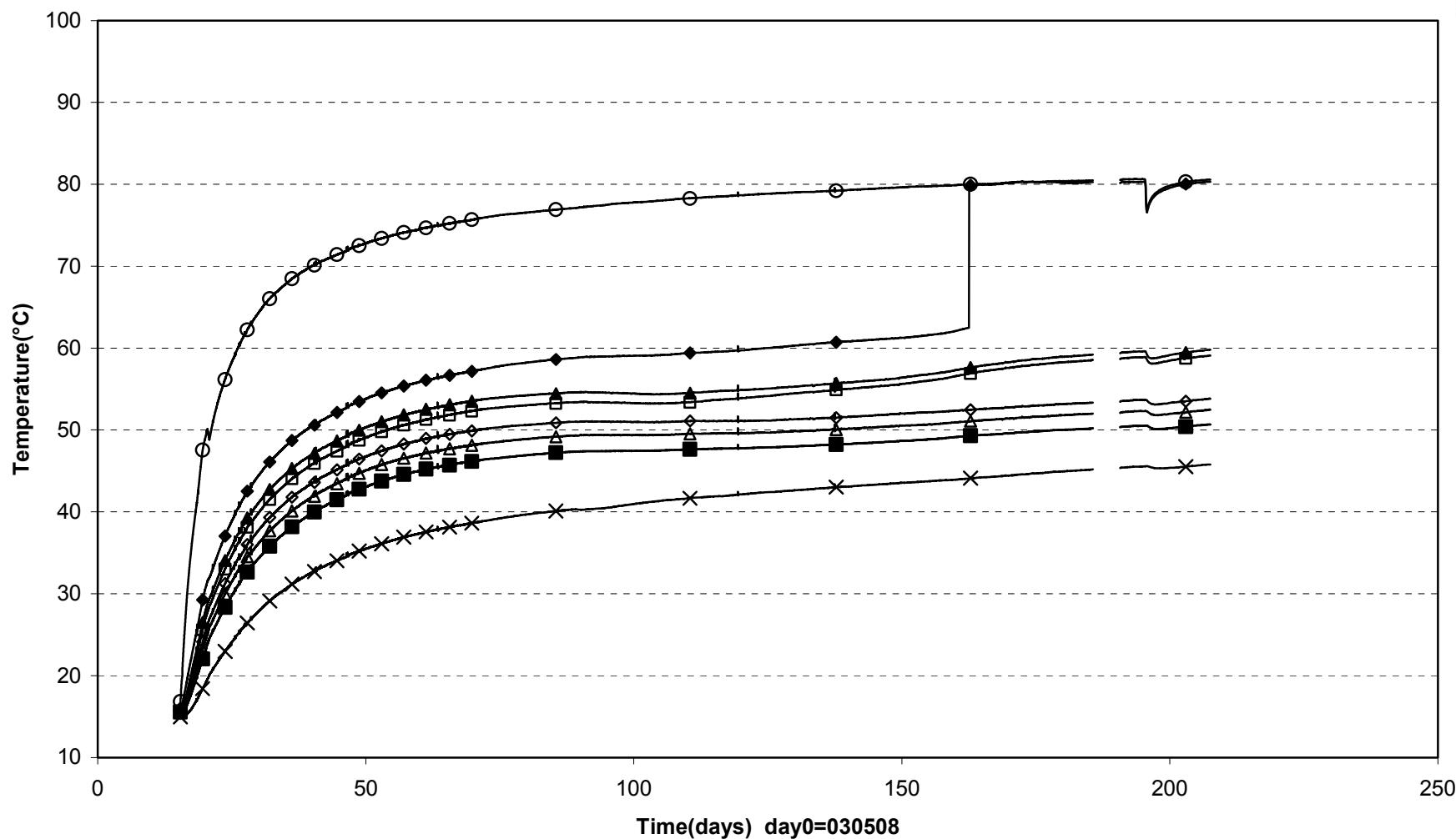


□ UB611(4.750\225°\0.535) ■ UB612(4.750 \310°\ 0.825) ▲ UB613(6.250 \135°\ 0.100) ◆ UB614(6.750 \90°\ 0.100)

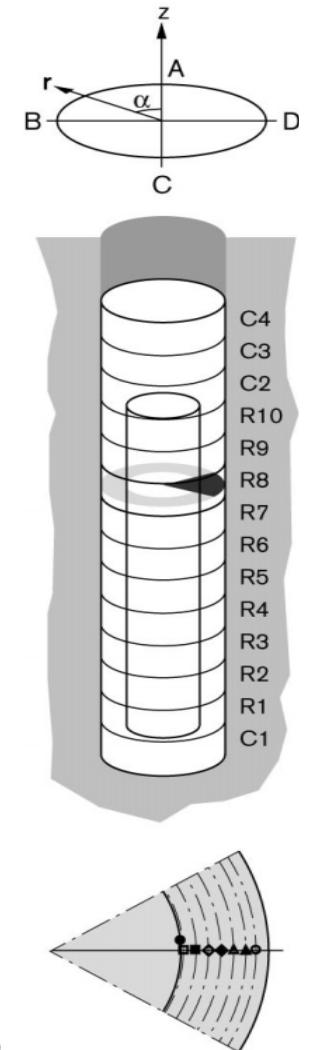
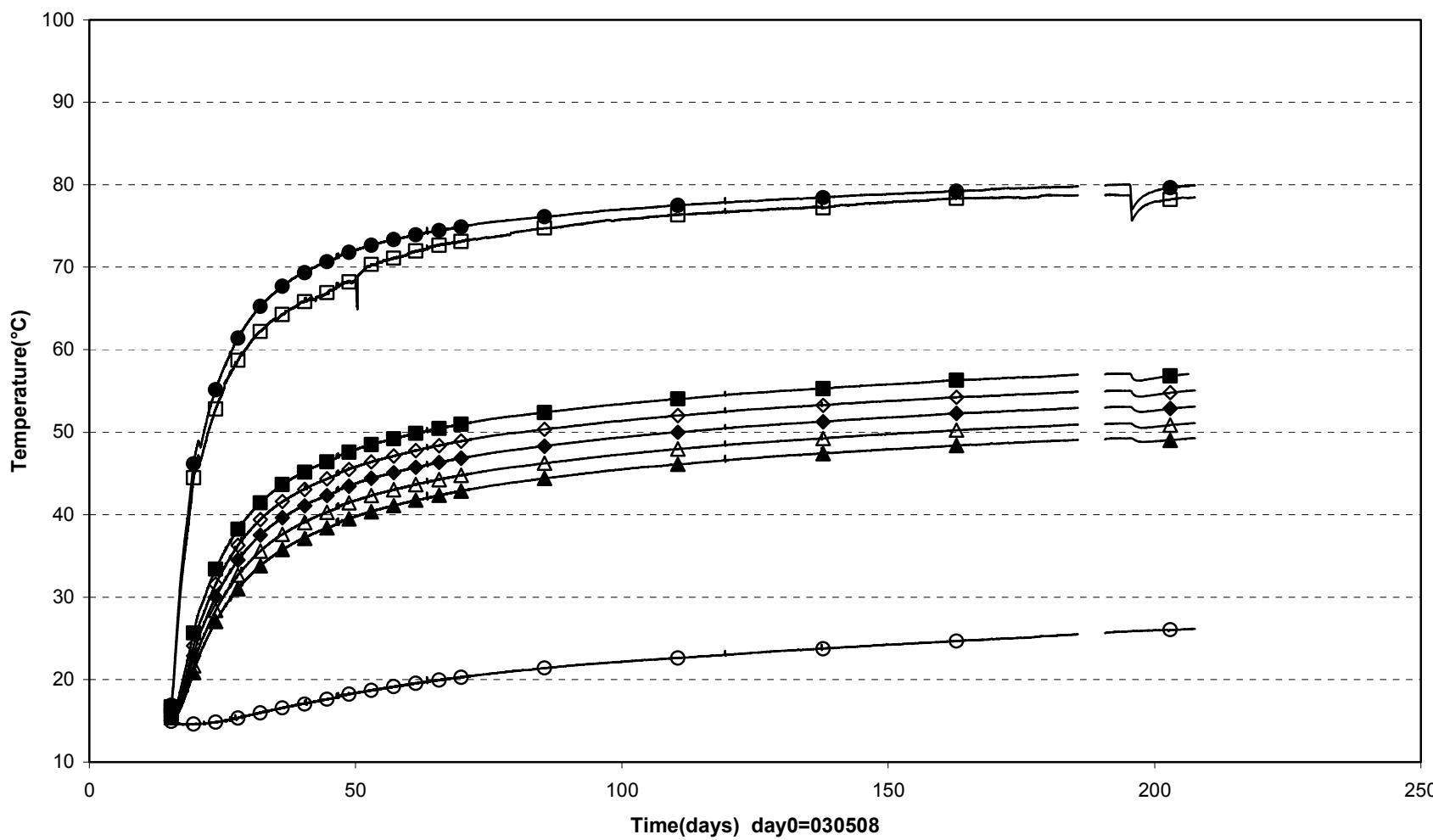
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**Temperature - Pentronic**



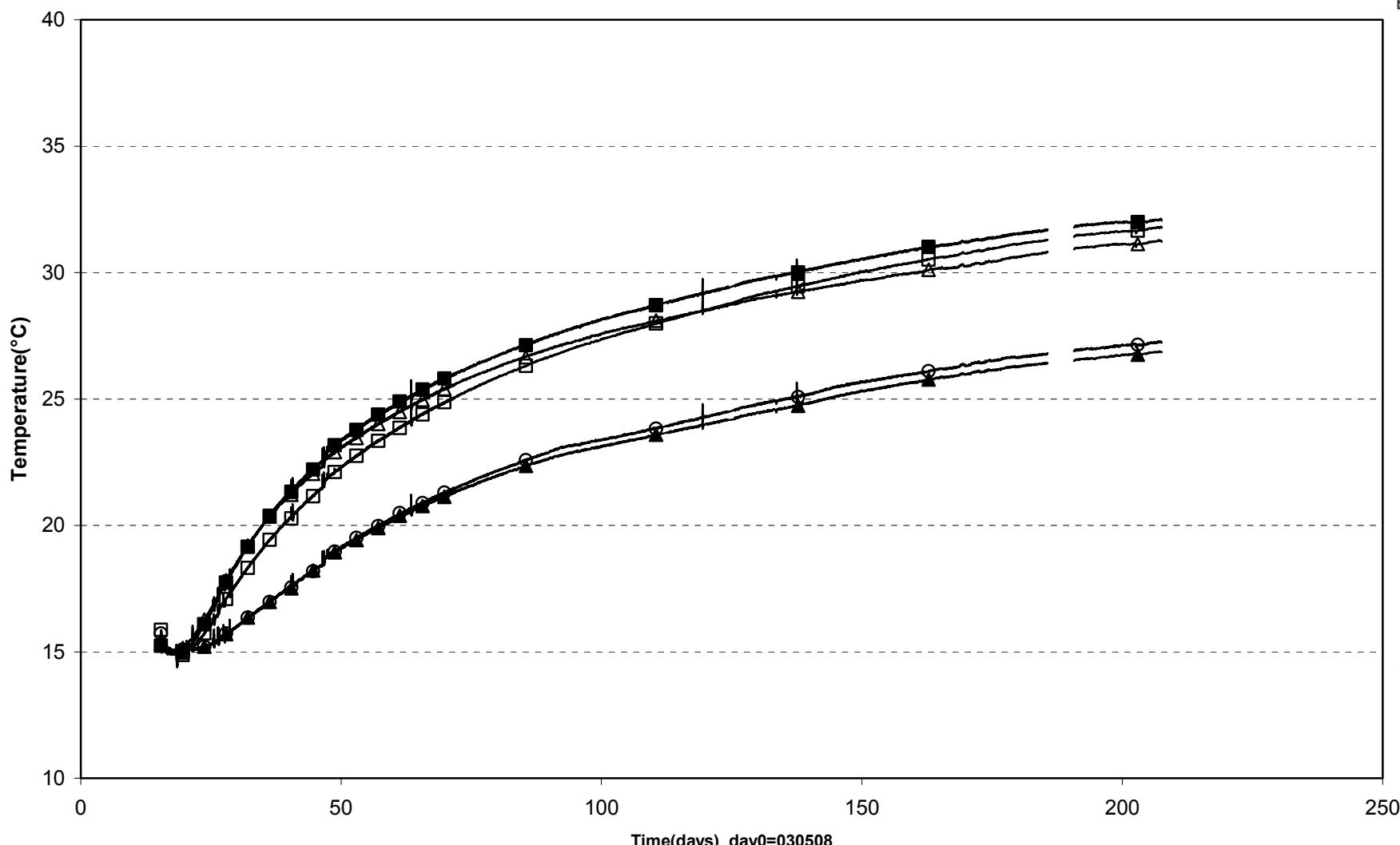
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Temperature - Pentronic



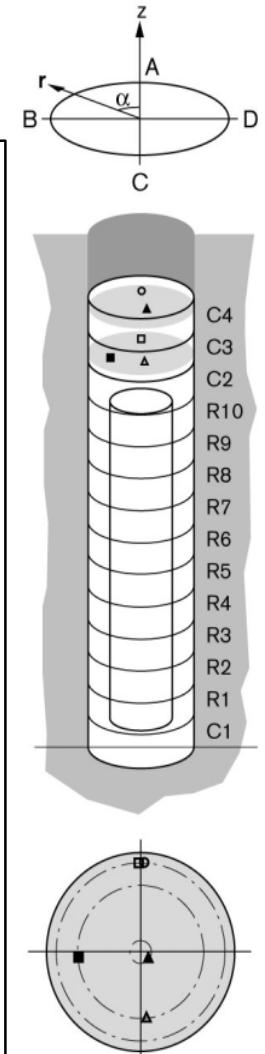
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Temperature - Pentronic



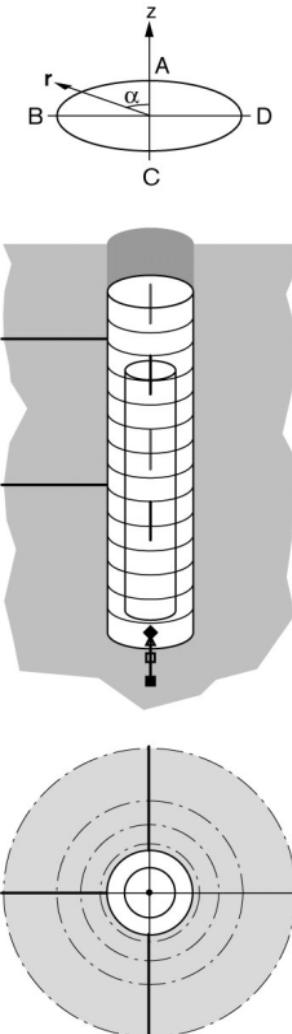
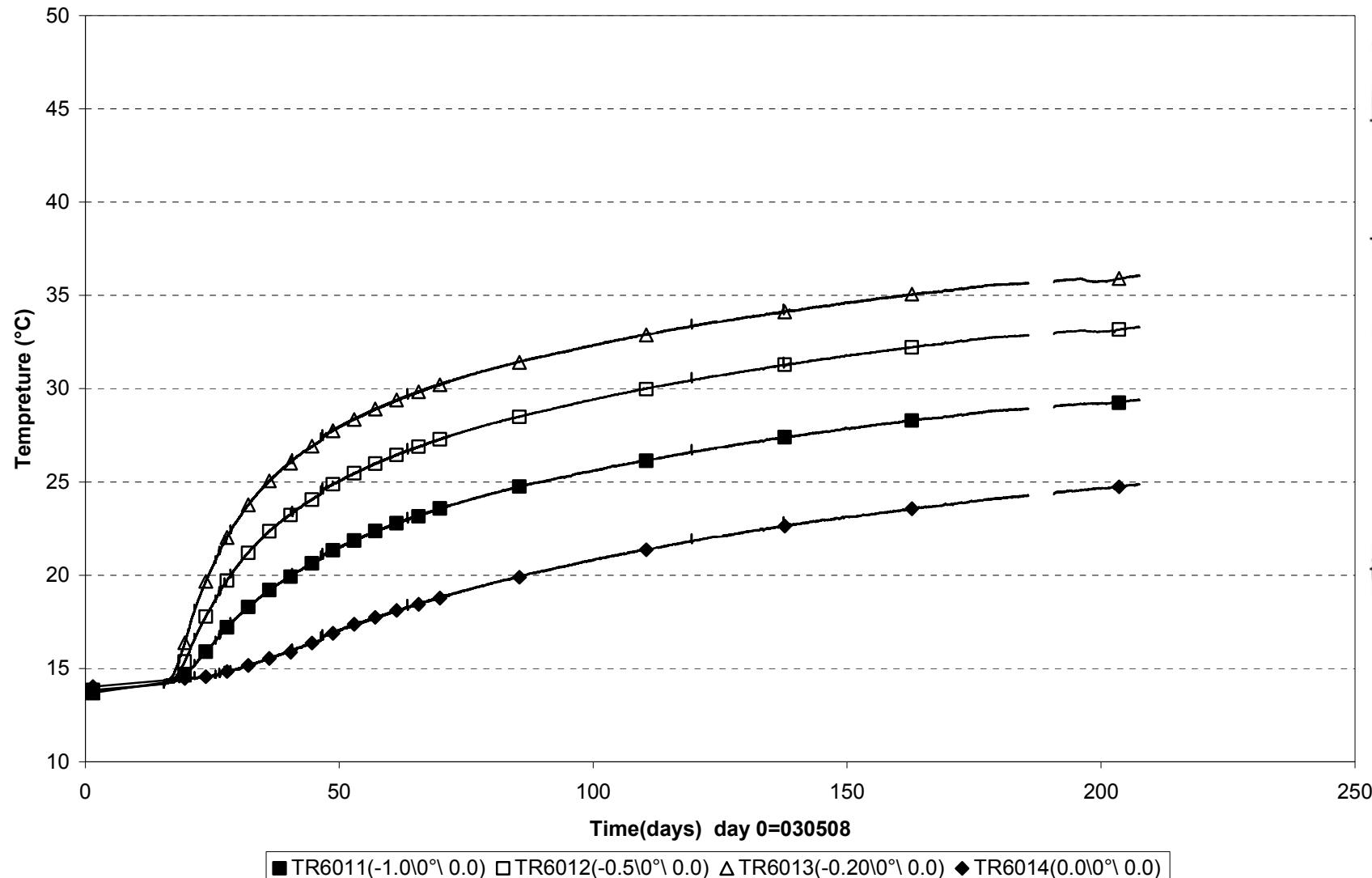
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Temperature - Pentronic



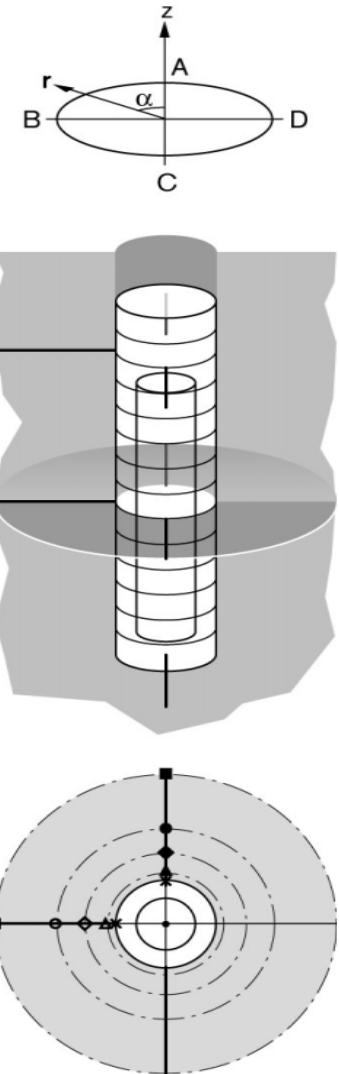
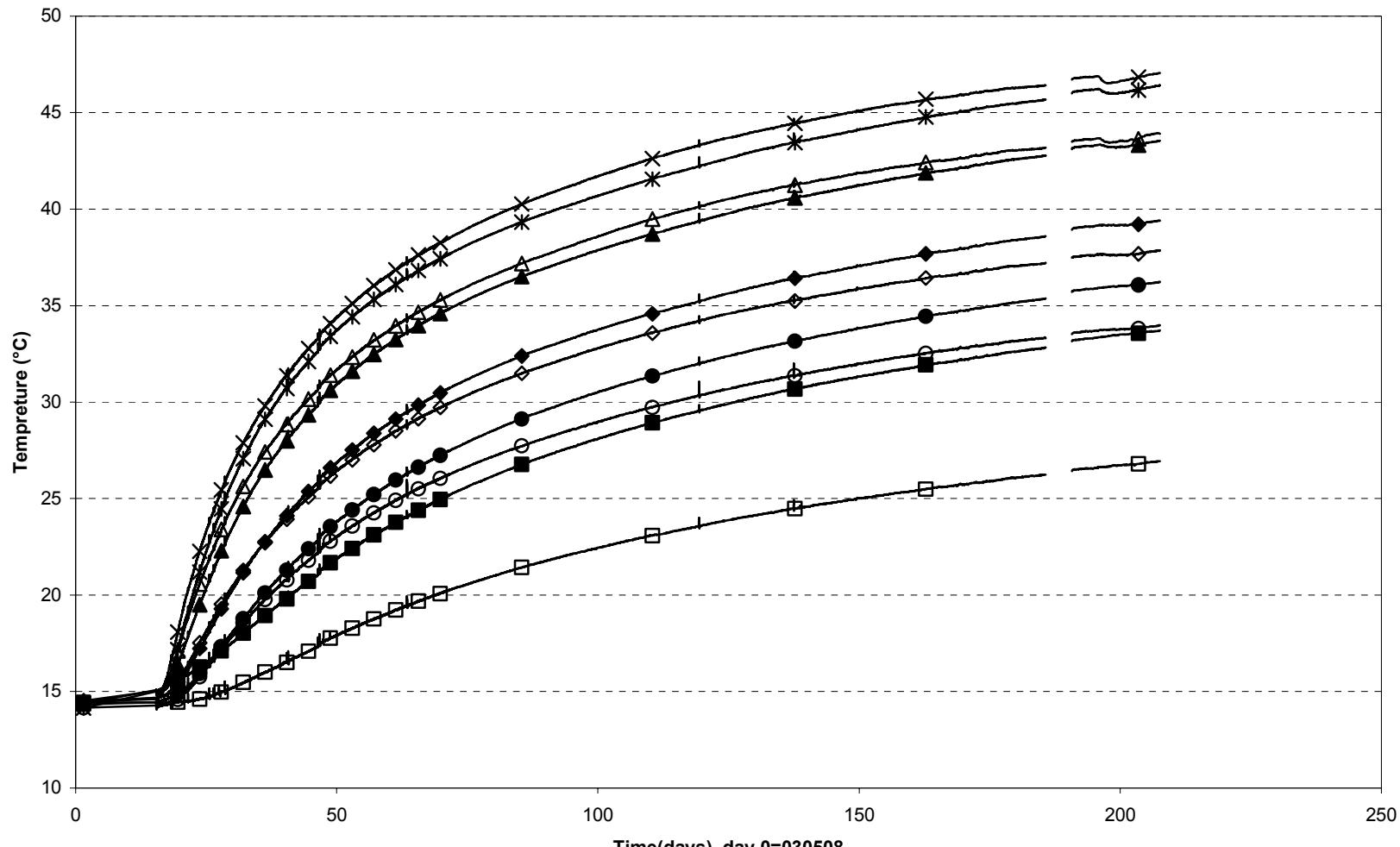
□ TB628(6.250\0°\0.785) ■ TB629(6.250\95°\0.585) △ TB630(6.250\185°\0.585) ▲ TB631(6.950\100°\0.225) ○ TB632(6.950\0°\0.785)



Prototype\Rock\Hole 6\ Level bottom (030508-031201)  
 Temperature - Pentronic

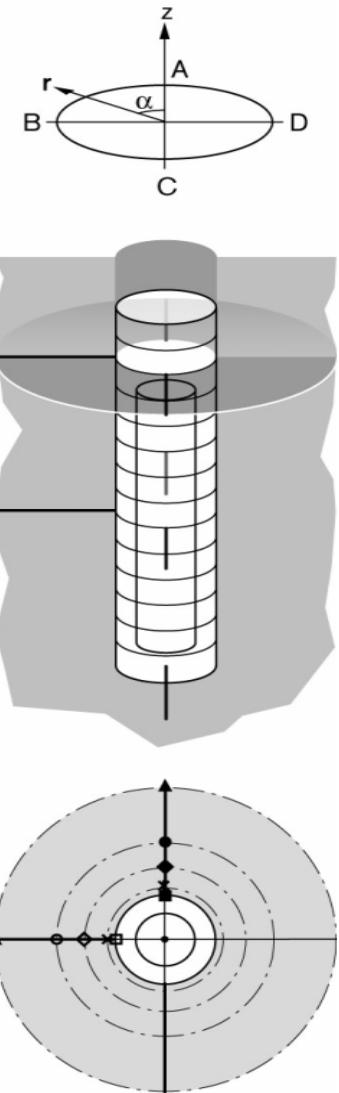
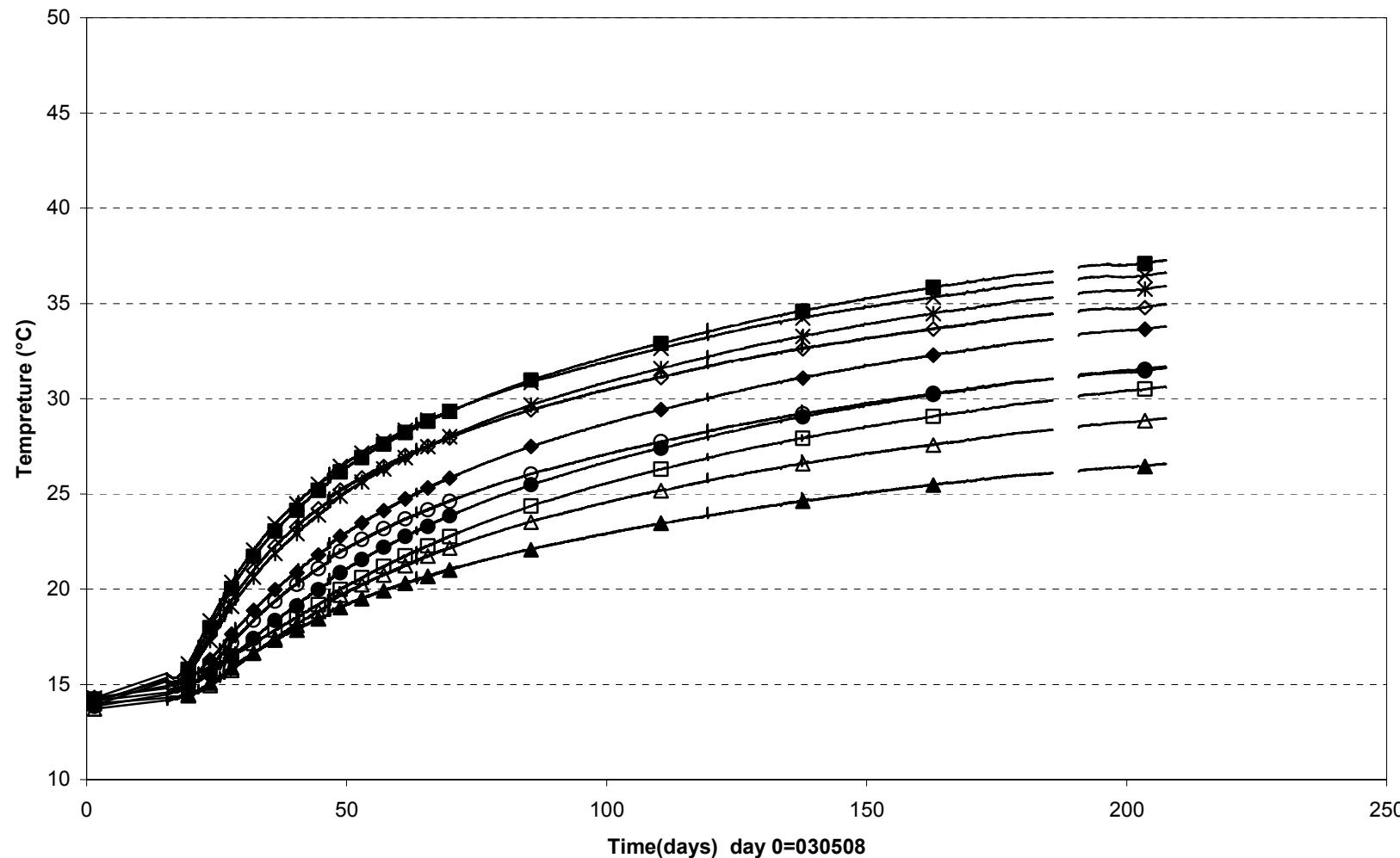


Prototype\Rock\Hole 6 \ Level 3,0 m (030508-031201)  
 Temperature - Pentronic

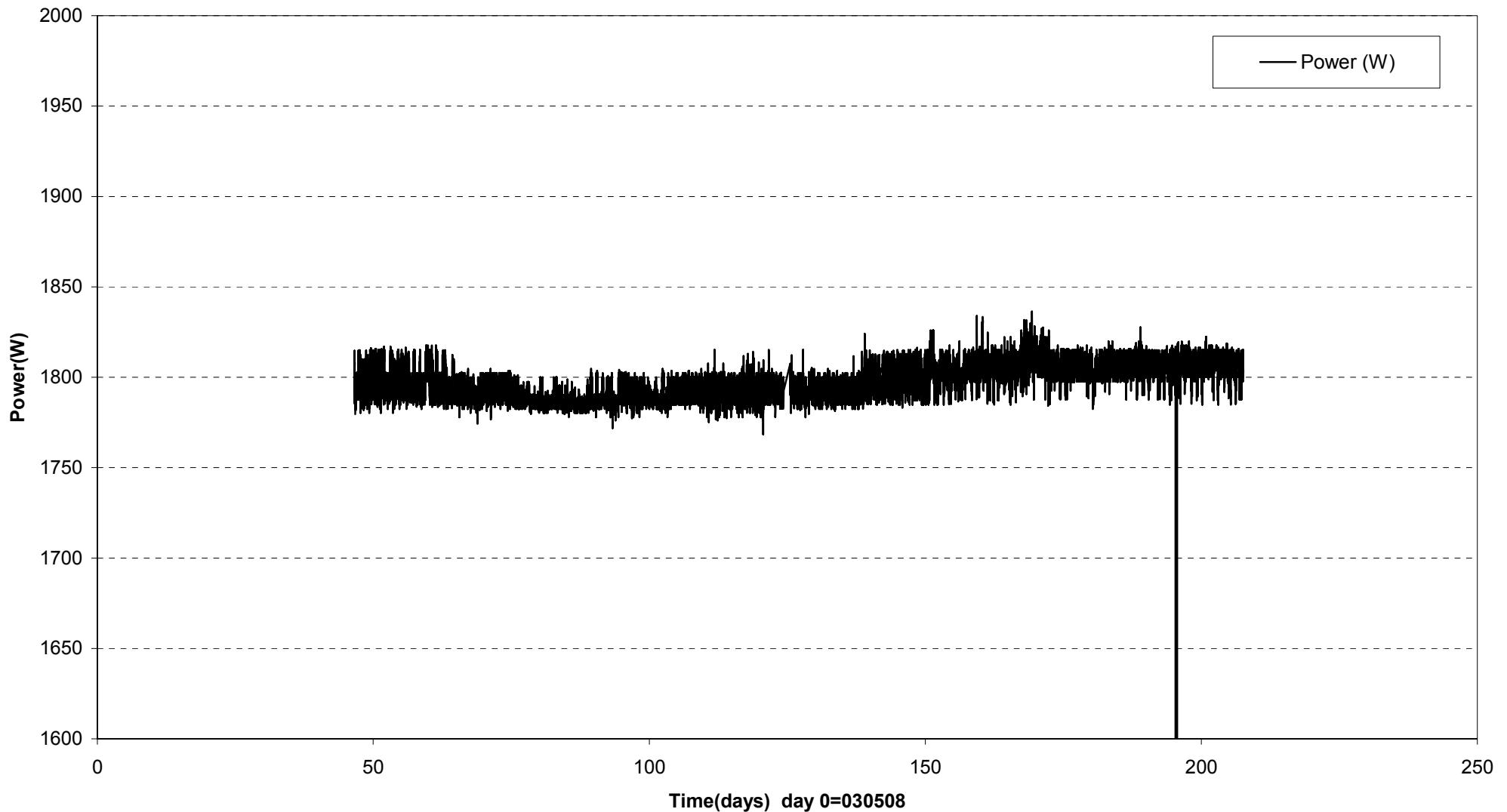


□ TR6041(3.0\90°\ 3.95) ○ TR6042(3.0\90°\ 2.85) ◇ TR6043(3.0\90°\ 2.35) △ TR6044(3.0\90°\ 1.95) × TR6045(3.0\90°\ 1.75)  
 ■ TR6051(3.0\360°\3.95) ● TR6052(3.0\360°\2.85) ◆ TR6053(3.0\360°\2.35) ▲ TR6054(3.0\360°\1.95) \* TR6055(3.0\360°\1.75)

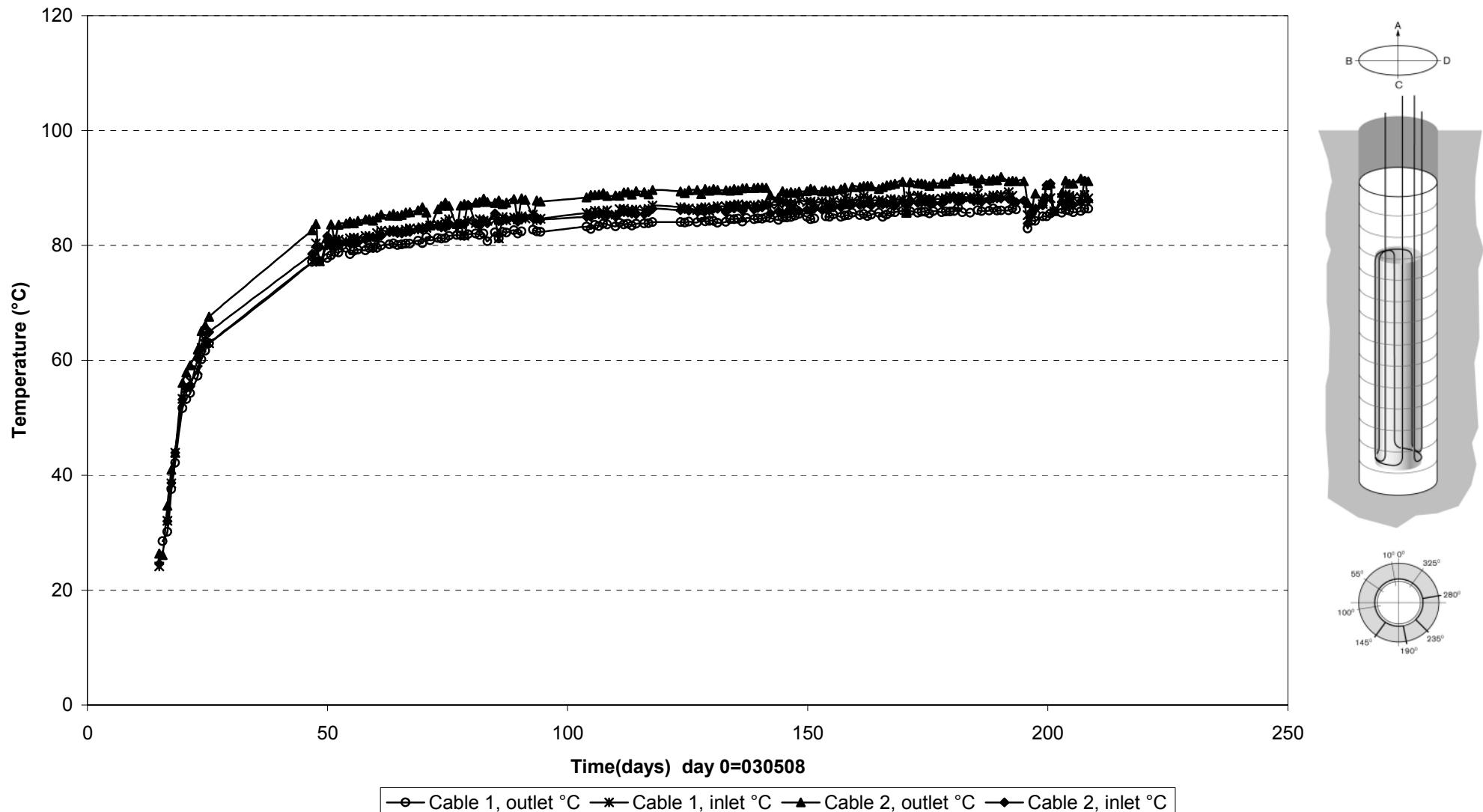
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Temperature - Pentronic



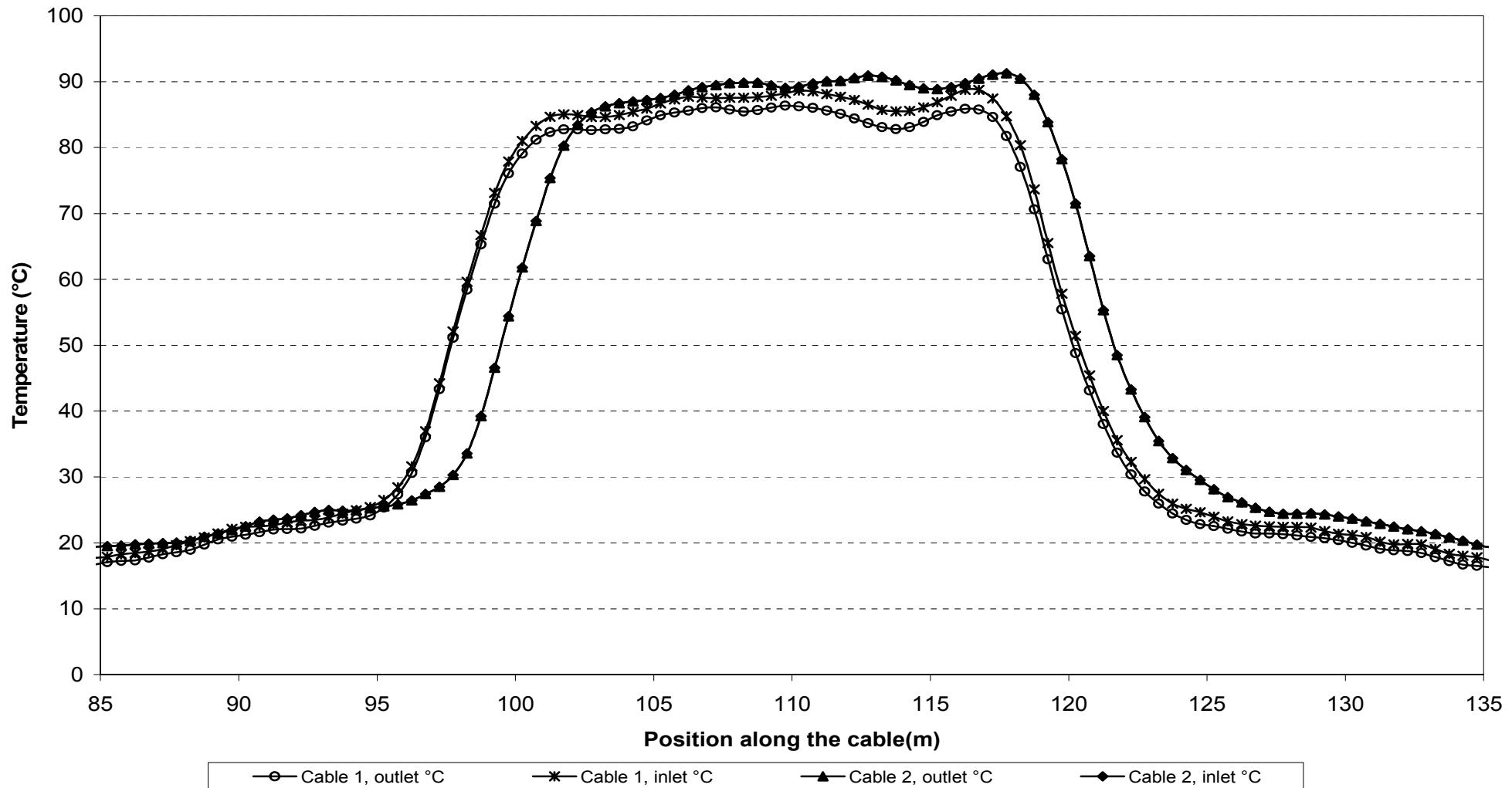
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**Canister power**



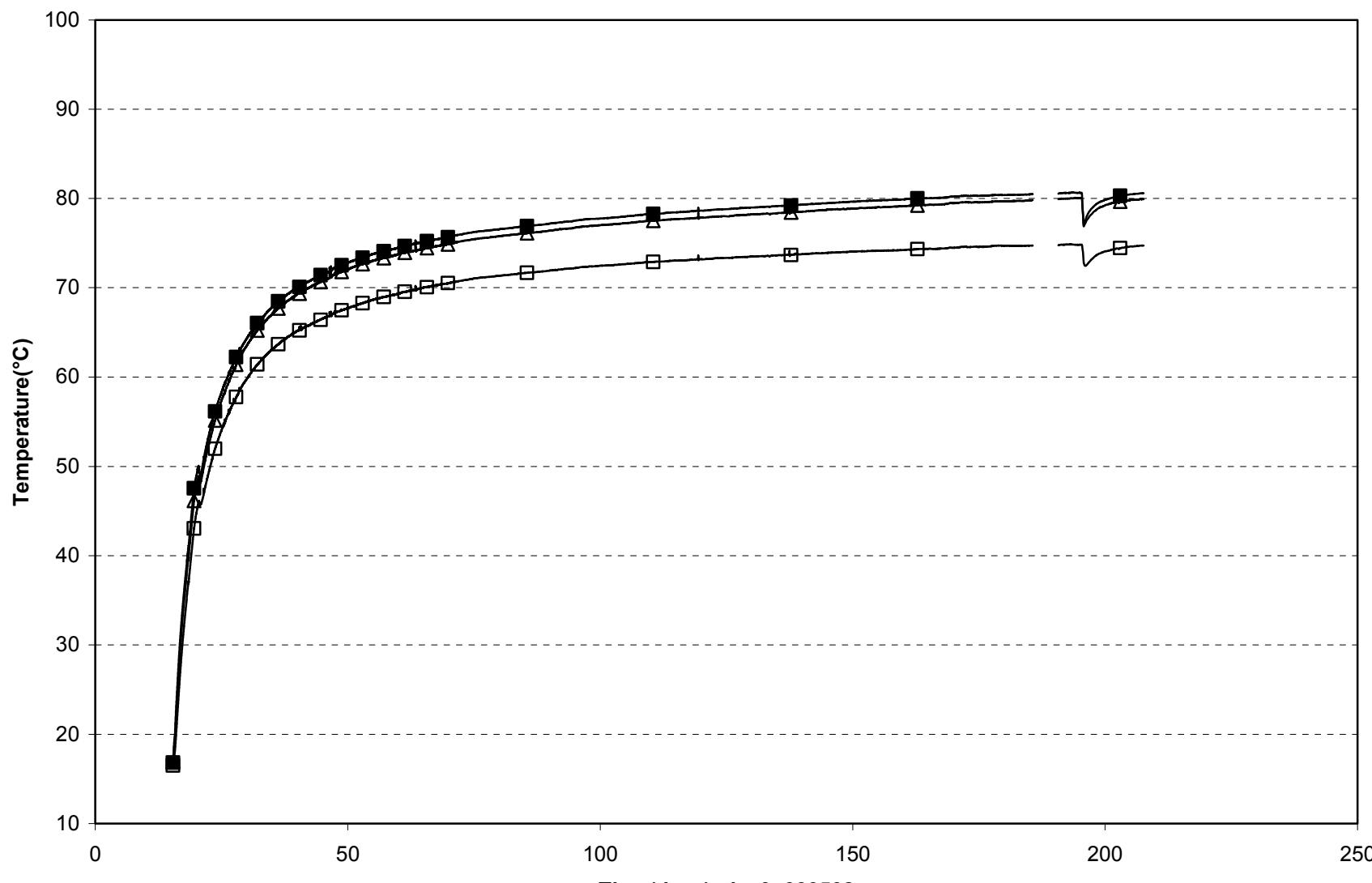
Prototype\ Hole 6 \Canister (030508-031201)  
Max. temperature on the canister surface - Optical fiber cables



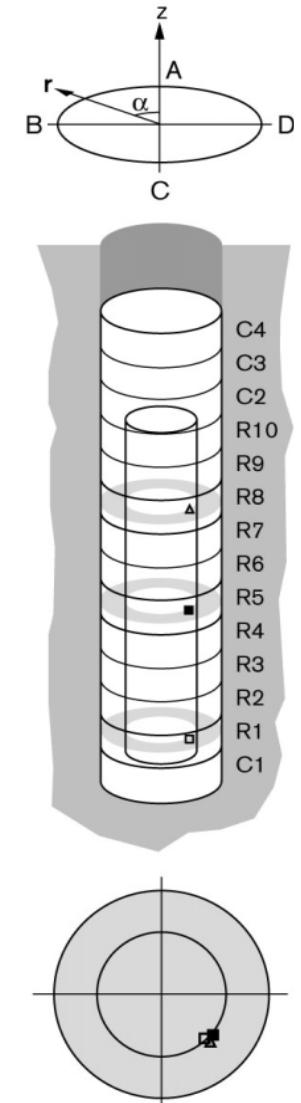
**Temperature profile on the canister surface-No6 (031201)**  
**Optical fiber cables**



Prototype\Hole 6 \On the canister surface (030508-031201)  
 Temperature - Pentronic



□ TB611(0.750\275°\0.525\Canister surface) ■ TB619(2.750\275°\0.525\Canister surface) △ TB627(4.250\275°\0.525\Canister surface)

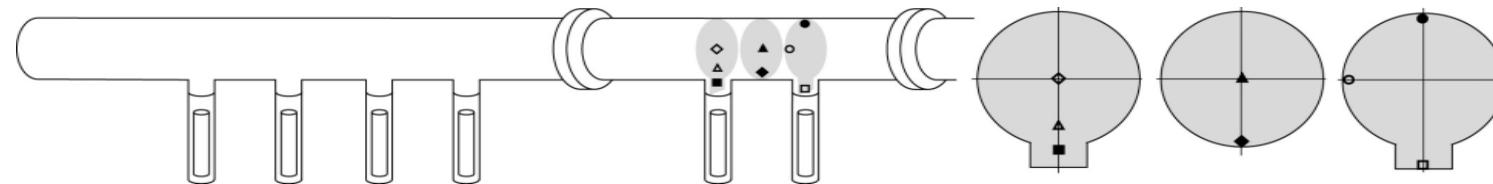
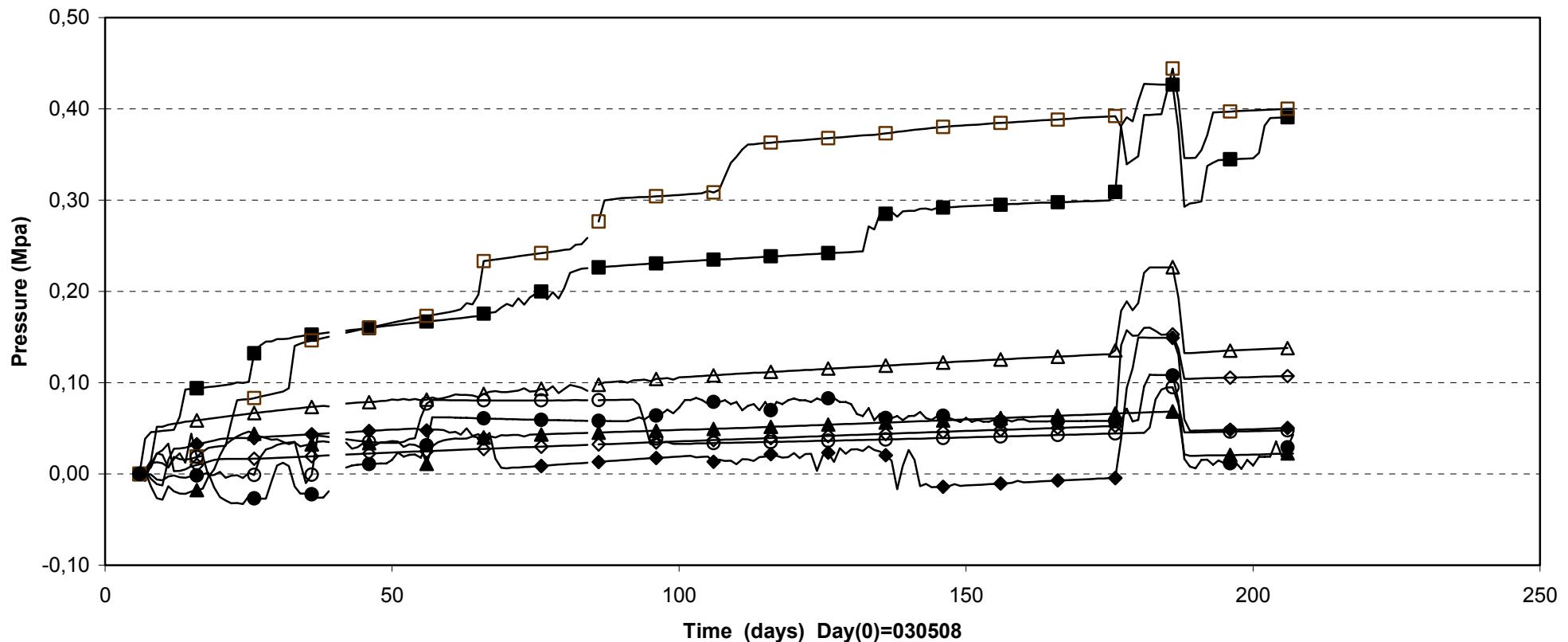


## **Appendix 7**

### **Backfill in section 2**

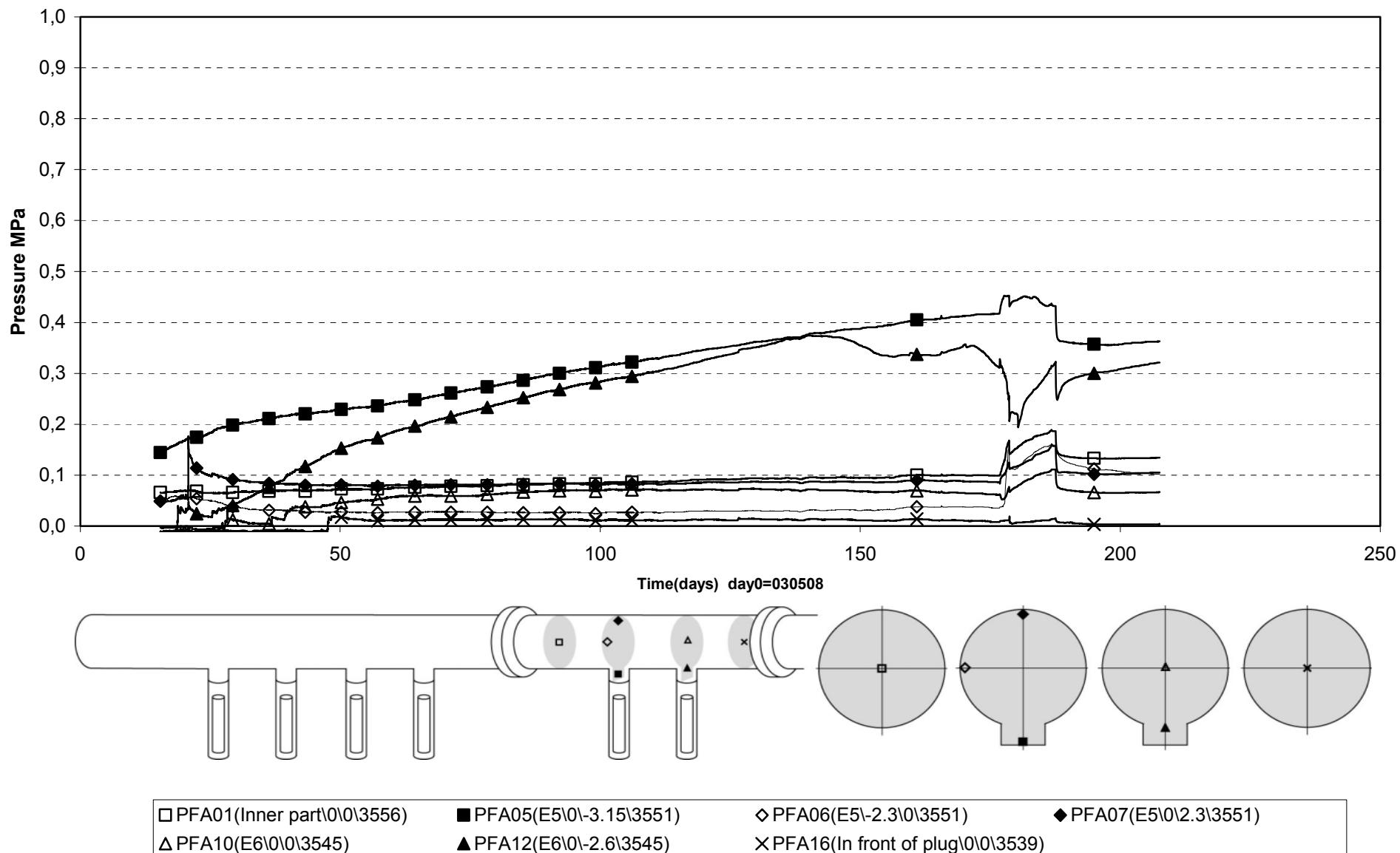


**Total pressure\ Backfill \ Section 2 (030508-031201)**  
**Geokon**

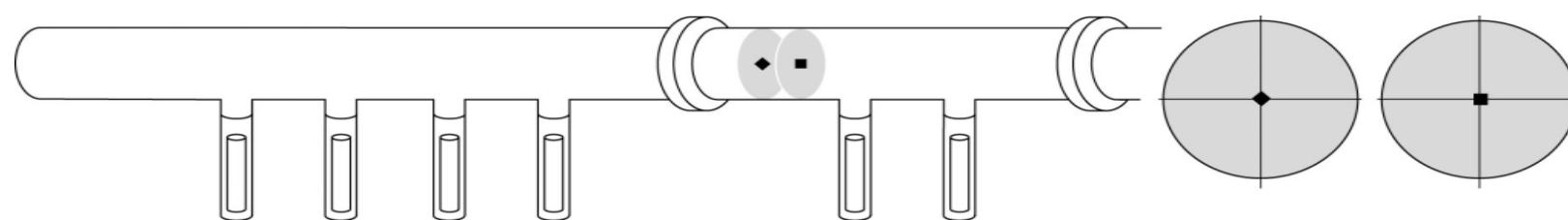
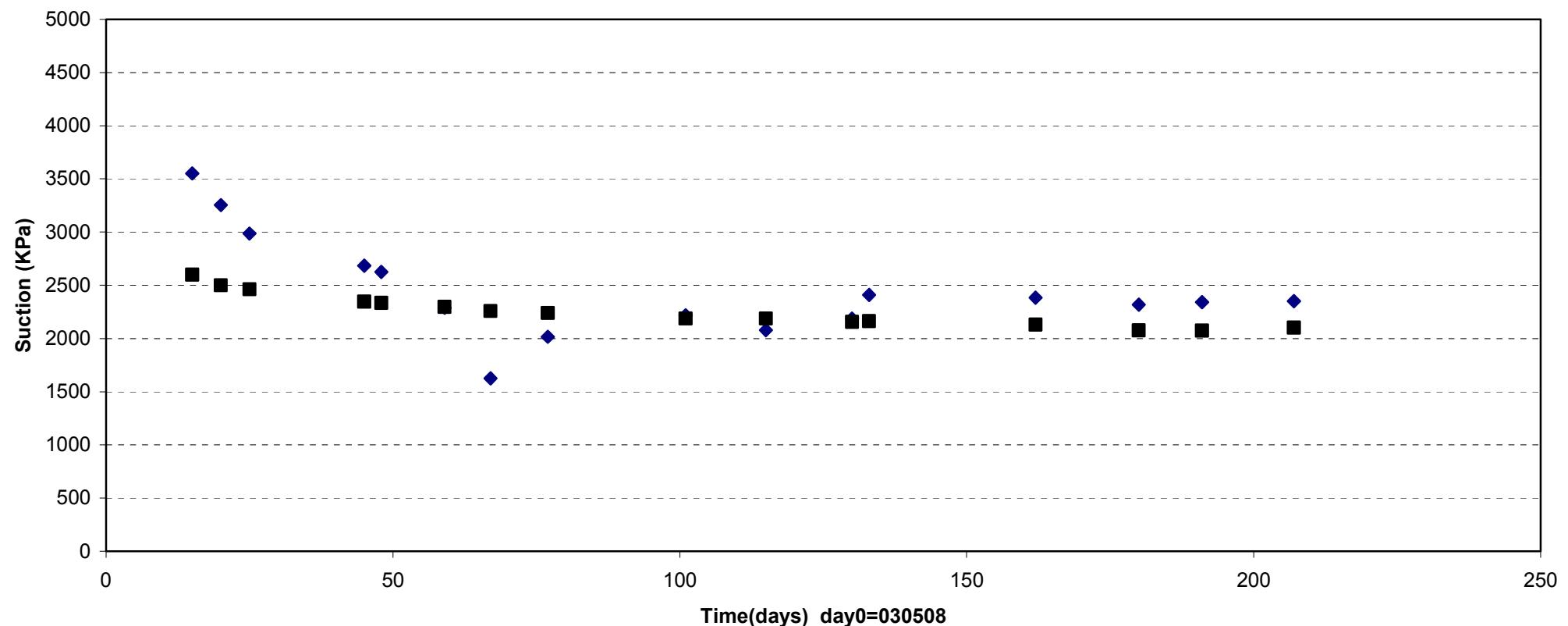


◊ PFA02 (E5\0\0\3551)	△ PFA03 (E5\0\1.75\3551)	■ PFA04 (E5\0\2.6\3551)
▲ PFA08 (F5-6\0\0\3548)	◆ PFA09 (F5-6\0\2.3\3548)	□ PFA13 (E6\0\3.15\3545)
○ PFA14 (E6\0\2.3\0\3545)	● PFA15 (E6\0\2.3\3545)	

**Prototype\ Backfill \ Section 2 (030508-031201)**  
**Total pressure - Kulite**

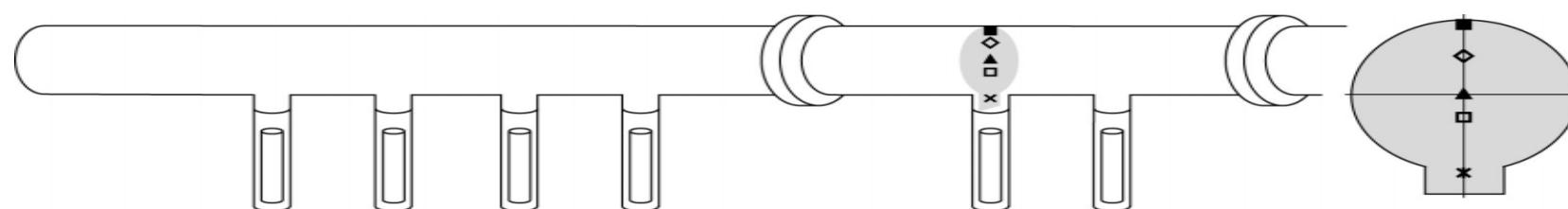
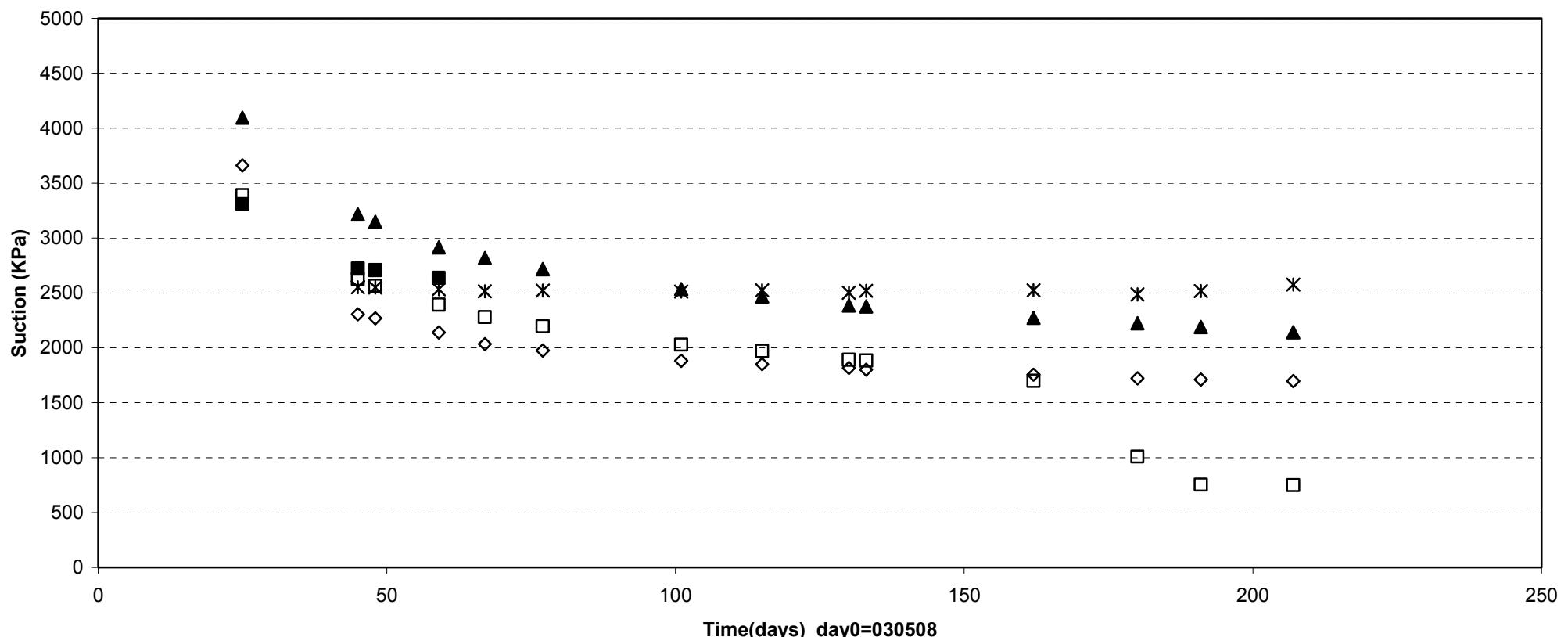


Prototype\Backfill \Section2\ Inner part (030508-031201)  
Suction - Wescor



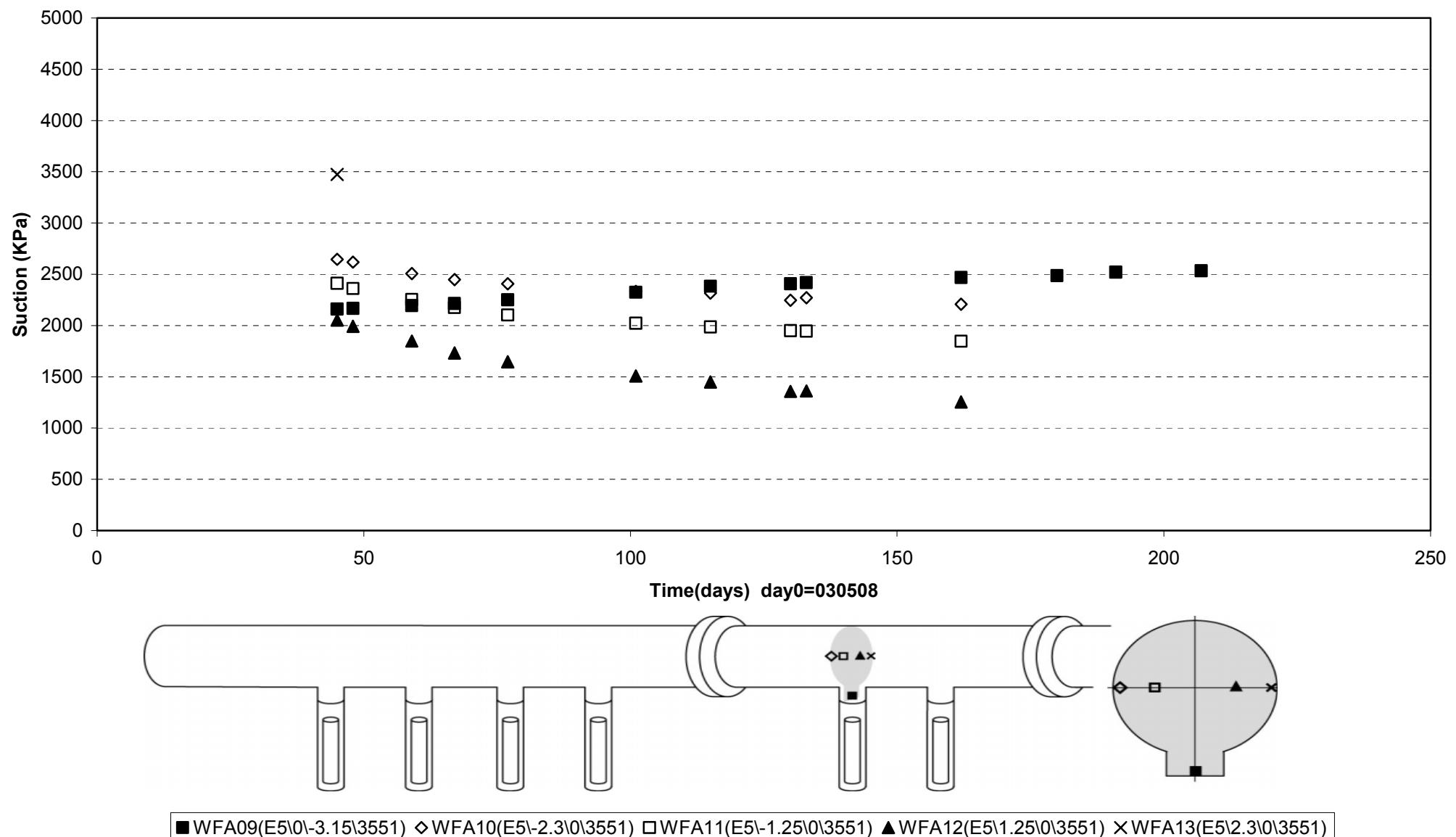
◆ WFA01(Inner part\0\0\3556) ■ WFA02(Inner part\0\0\3554)

**Prototype\Backfill\ Above dep.hole 5 (030508-031201)**  
**Suction - Wescor**

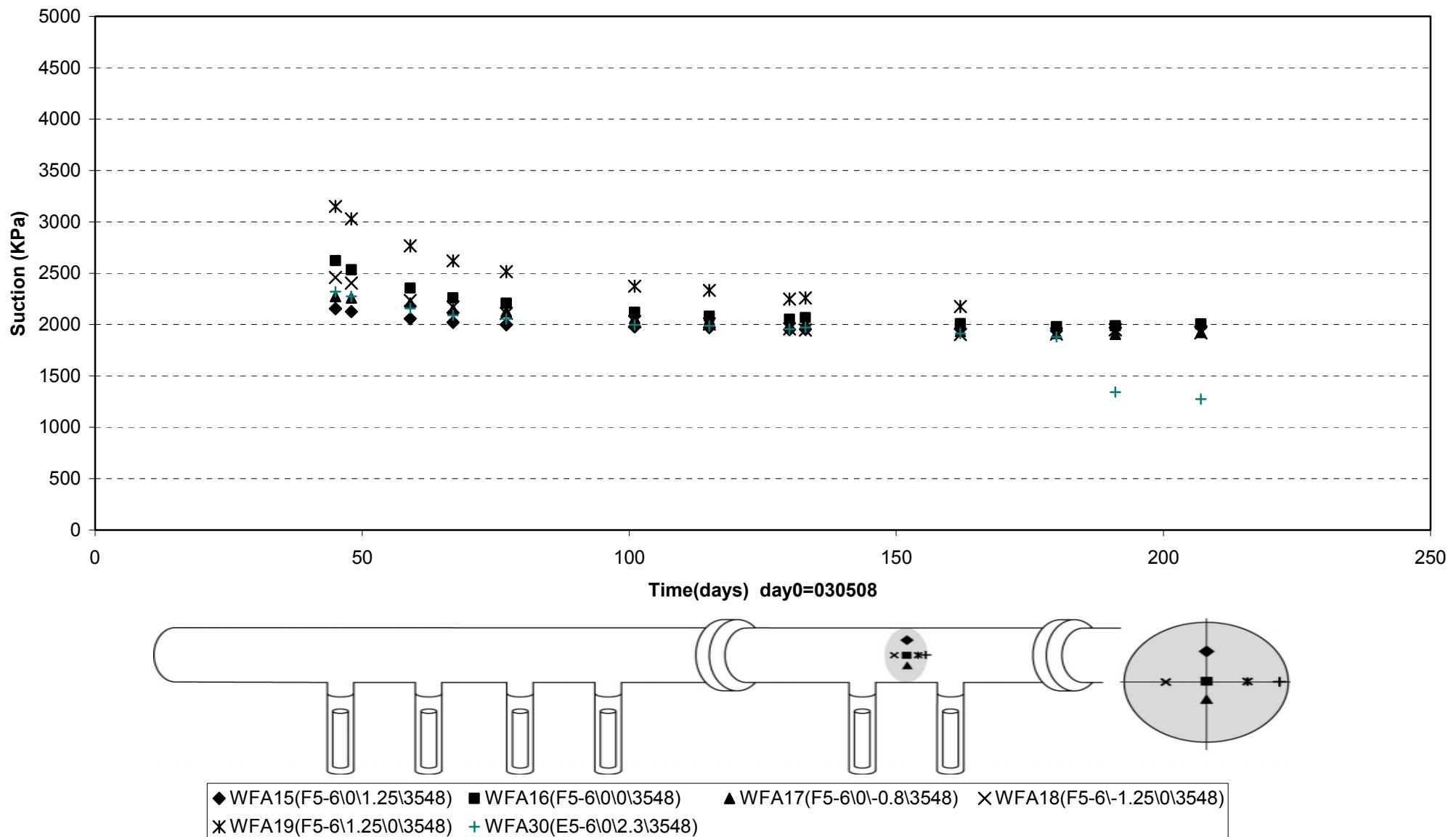


■ WFA03(E5\0\2.3\3551) ◊ WFA04(E5\0\1.25\3551) ▲ WFA05(E5\0\0\3551) □ WFA06(E5\0\0\3551) ✕ WFA08(E5\0\0\3551)

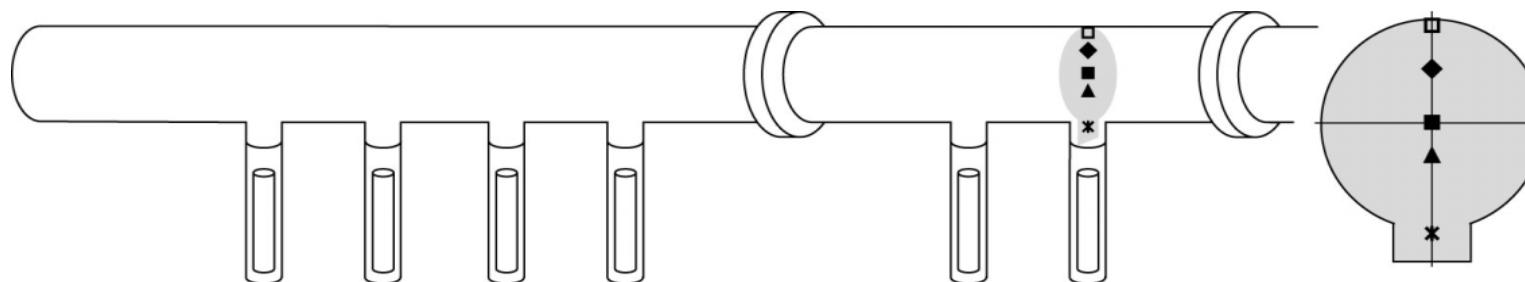
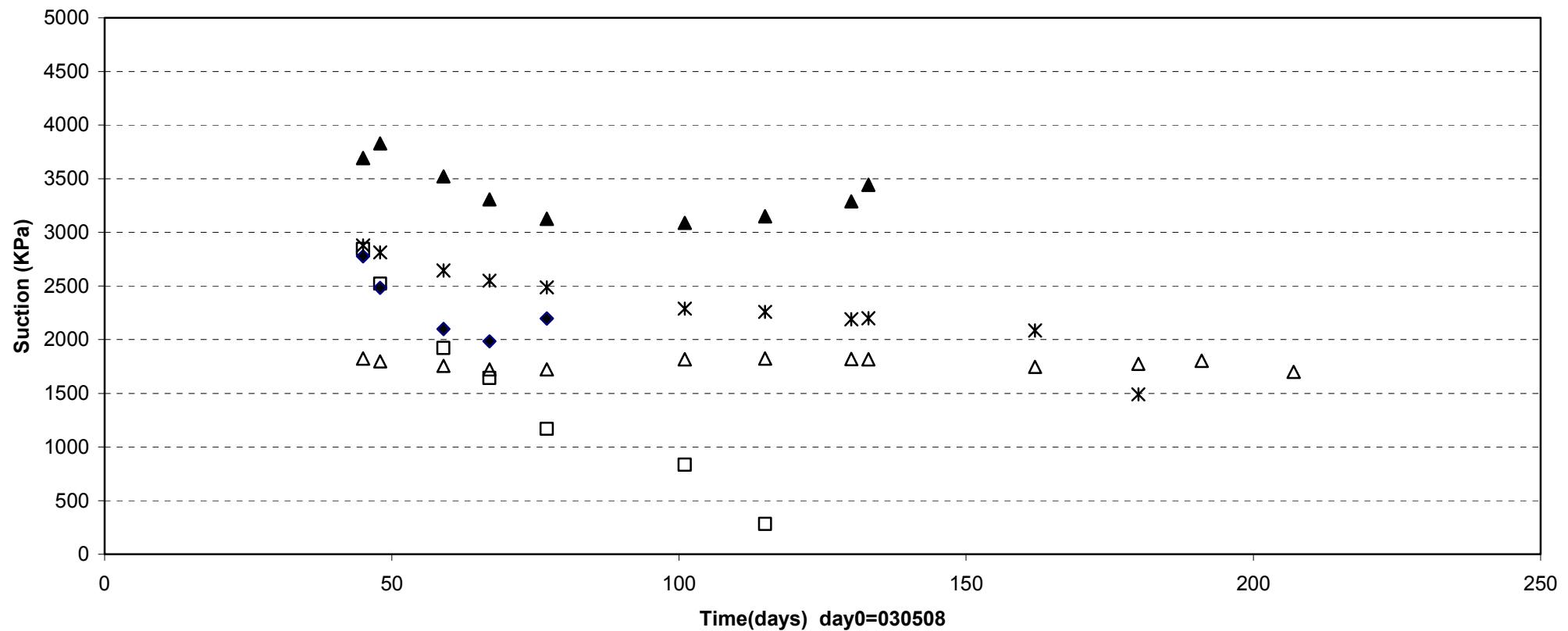
Prototype\Backfill\ Above dep.hole 5 (030508-031201)  
 Suction - Wescor



**Prototype\Backfill \ Between dep.hole 5 and hole 6 (030508-031201)**  
**Suction - Wescor**

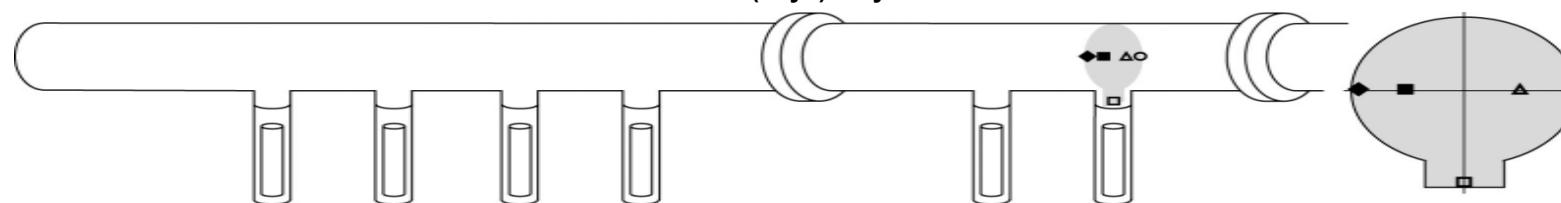
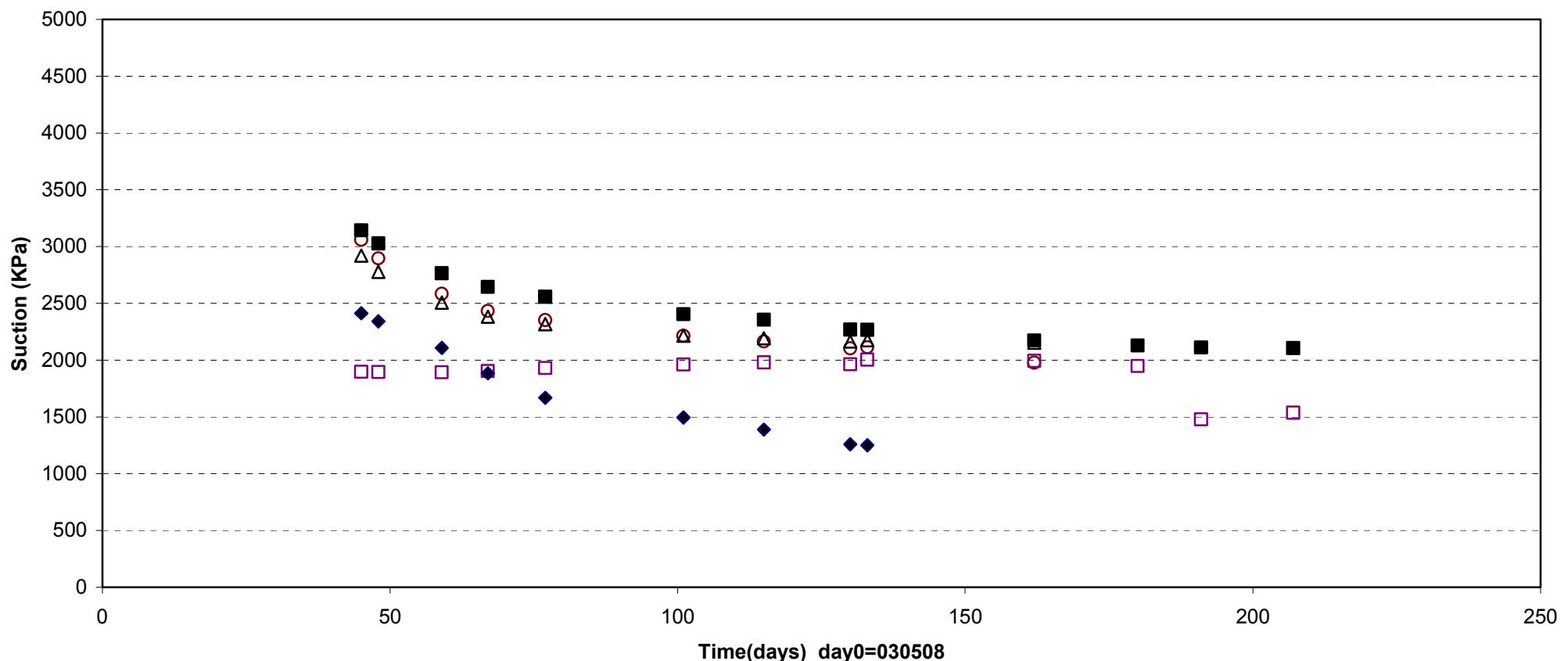


Prototype\Backfill \Section2\ Above dep.hole 6 (030508-031201)  
 Suction - Wescor



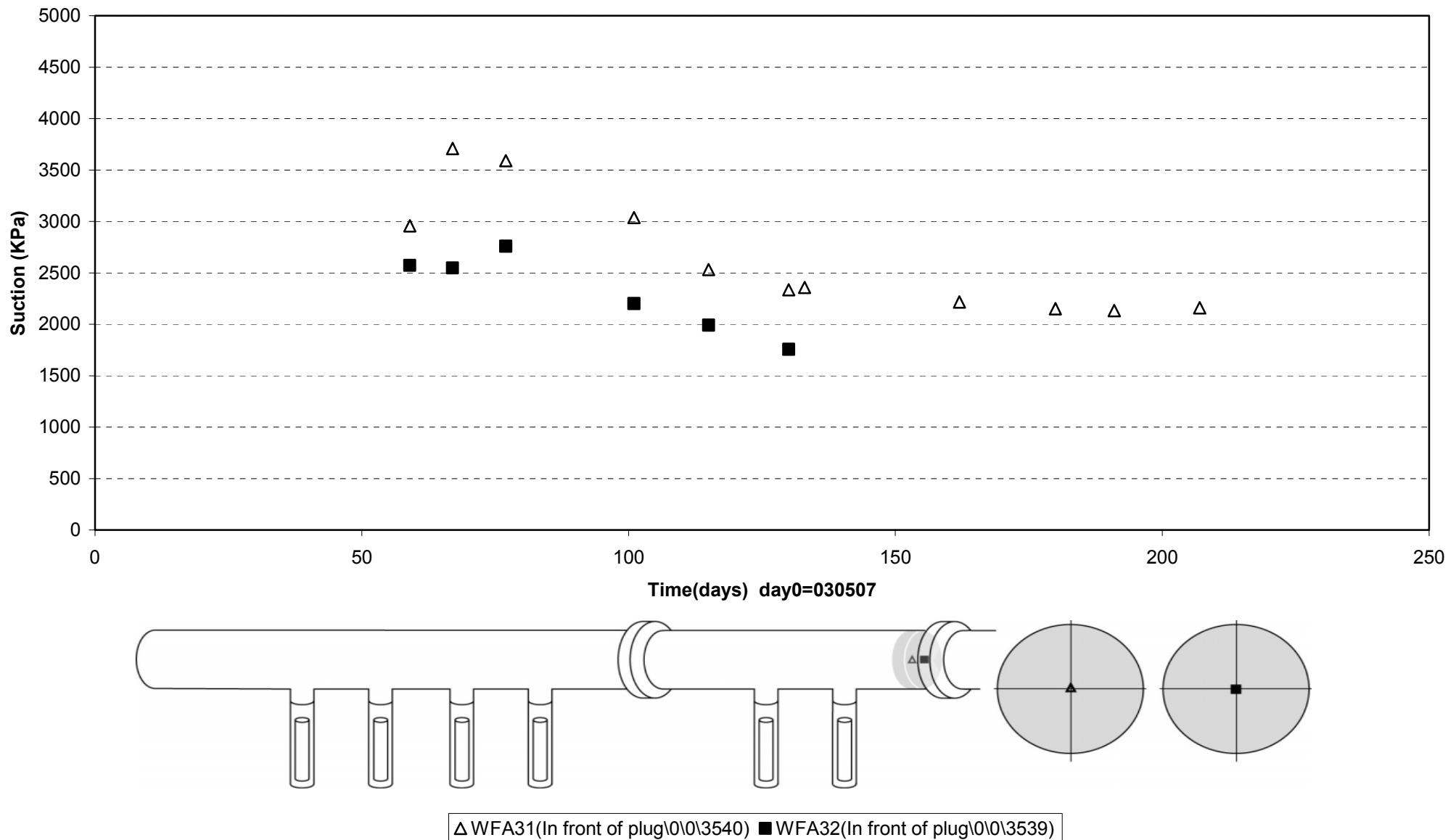
□ WFA20(E6\0\2.3\3545) ◆ WFA21(E6\0\1.25\3545) ■ WFA22(E6\0\0\3545) ▲ WFA23(E6\0\0\3545) \* WFA25(E6\0\0\3545) Δ WFA24(E6\0\1.75\3545)

Prototype\Backfill\Section2\ Above dep.hole 6 (030508-0301201)  
 Suction - Wescor

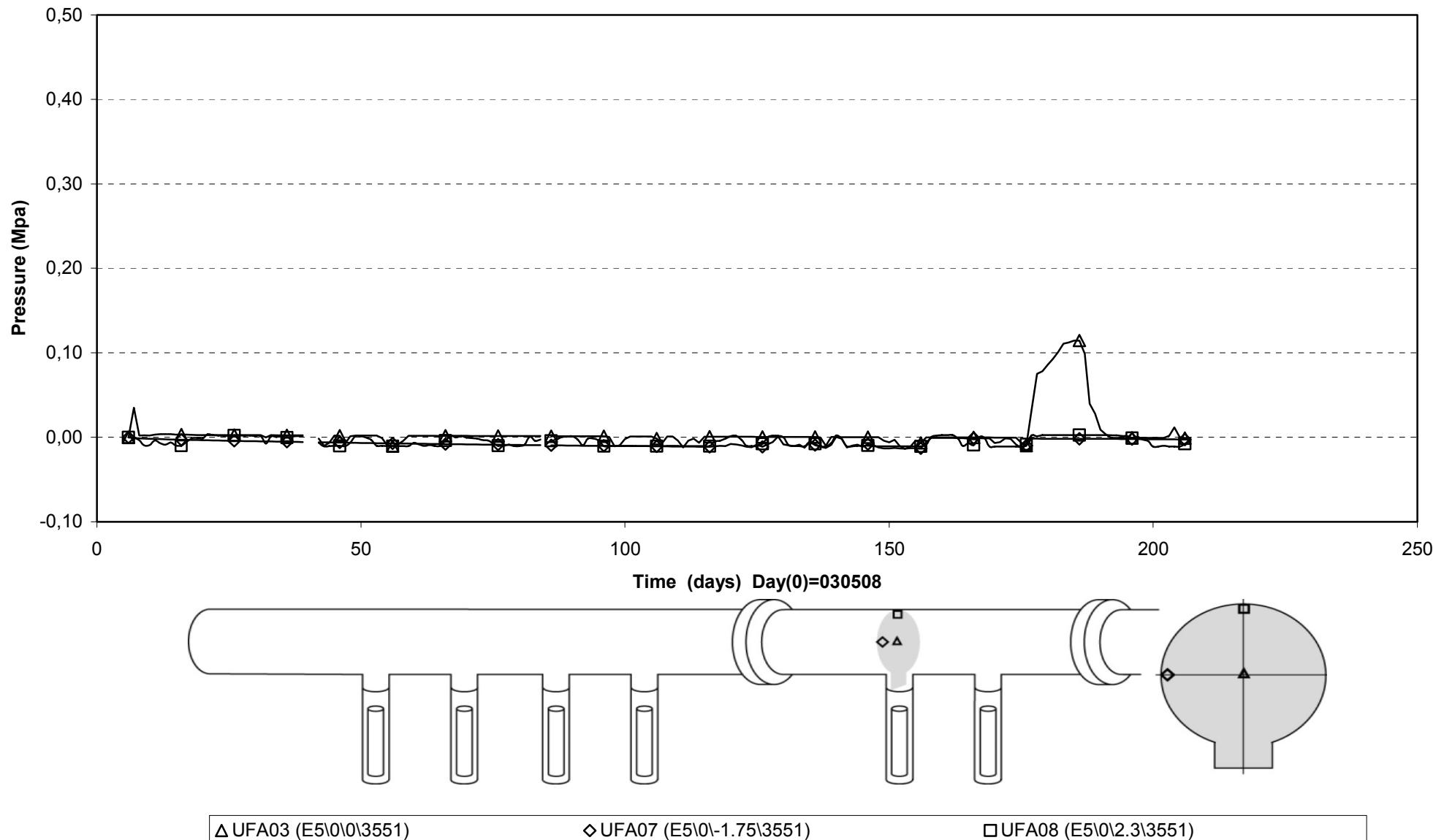


○ WFA07(E6|2.3|0|3545) □ WFA26(E6|0|-3.15|3545) ◆ WFA27(E6|-2.3|0|3545) ■ WFA28(E6|-1.25|0|3545) △ WFA29(E6|1.25|0|3545)

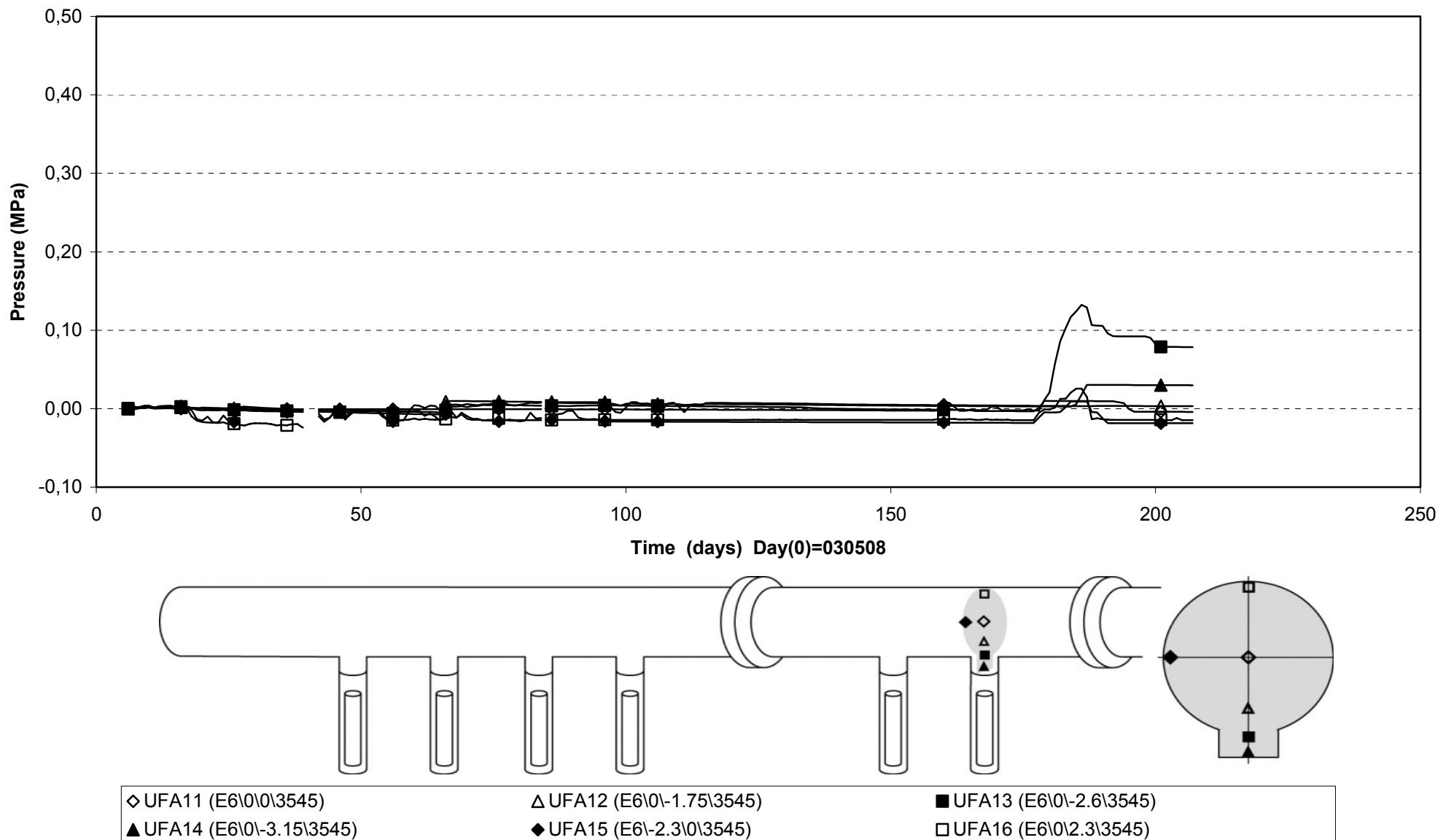
Prototype\Backfill \Section2 \ In front of plug (030508-031201)  
Suction - Wescor



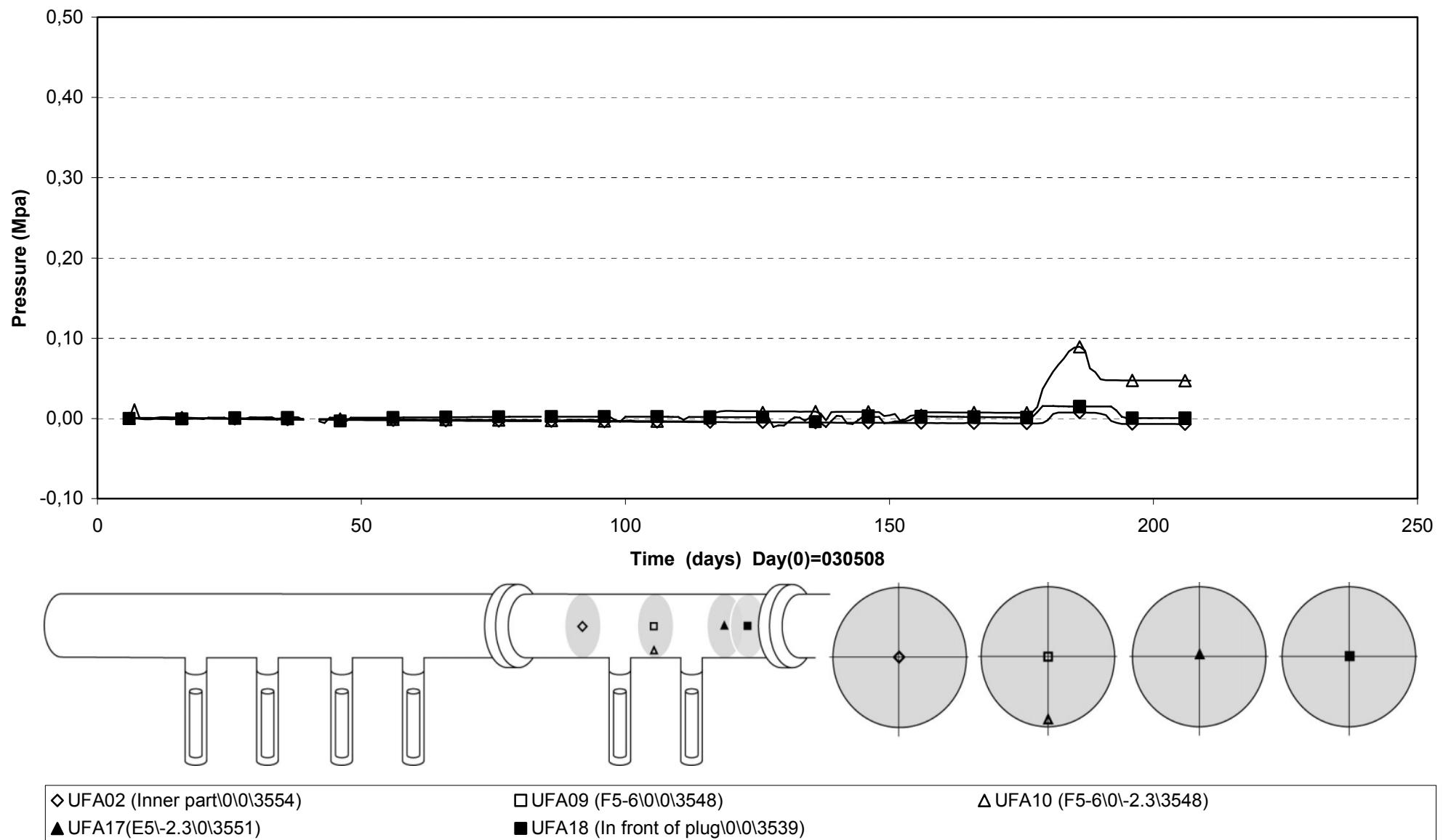
Prototype\Backfill \Over hole 5 (030508-031201)  
Pore pressure - Geokon



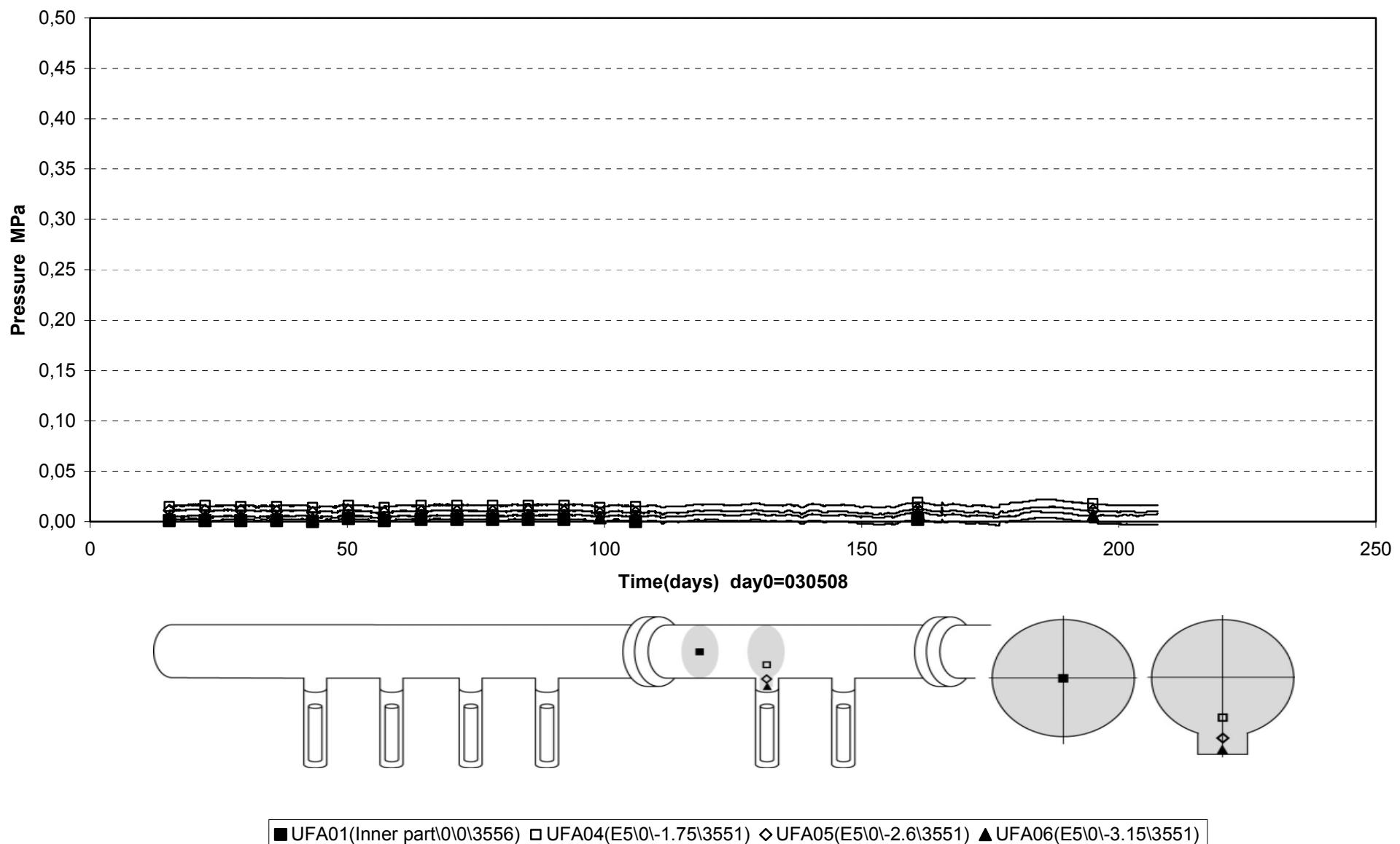
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**Pore pressure - Geokon**



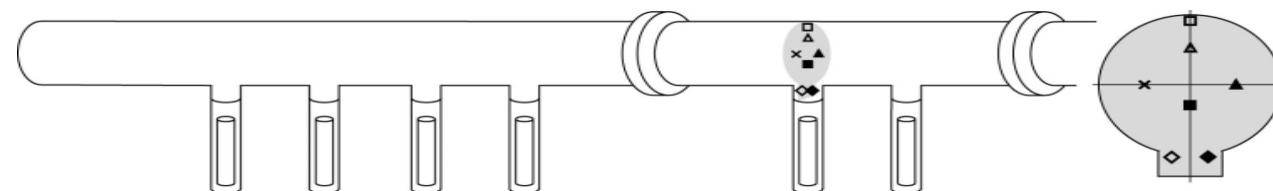
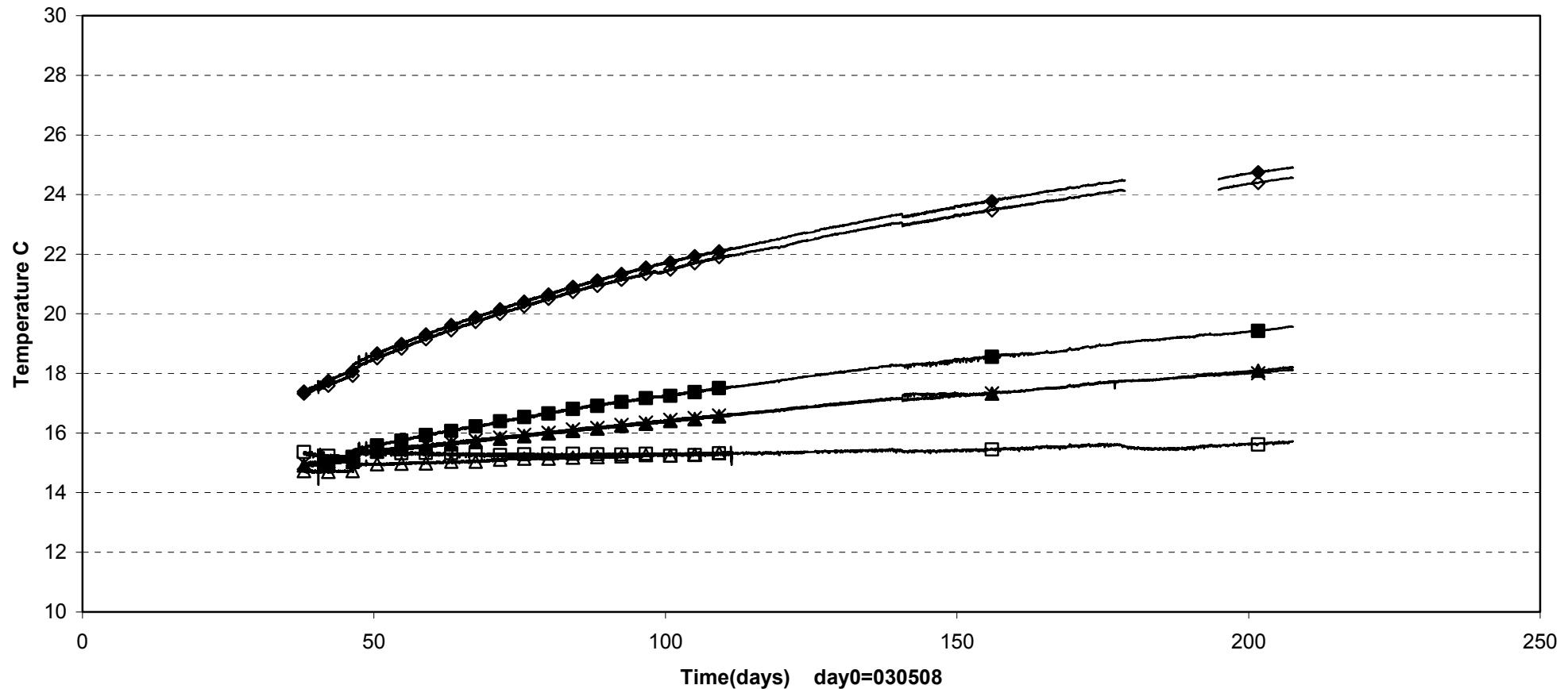
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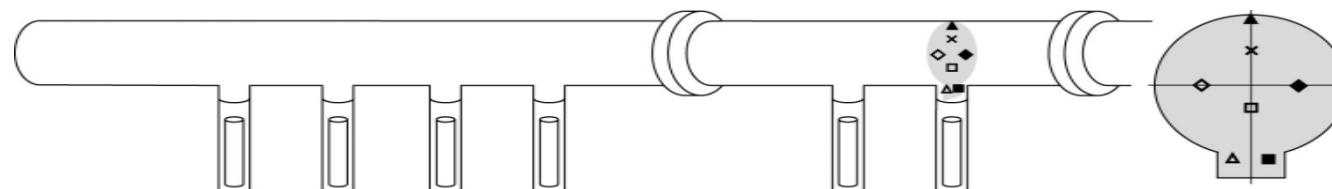
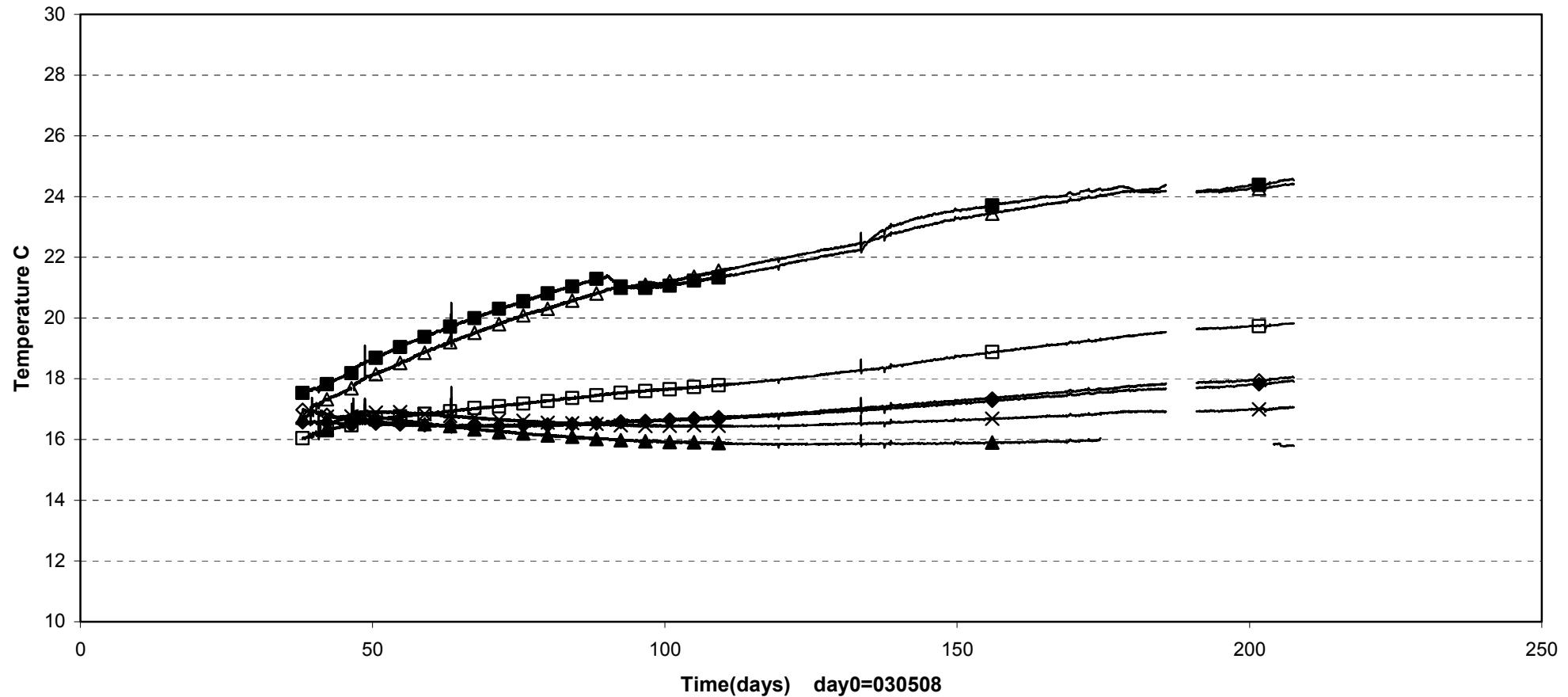


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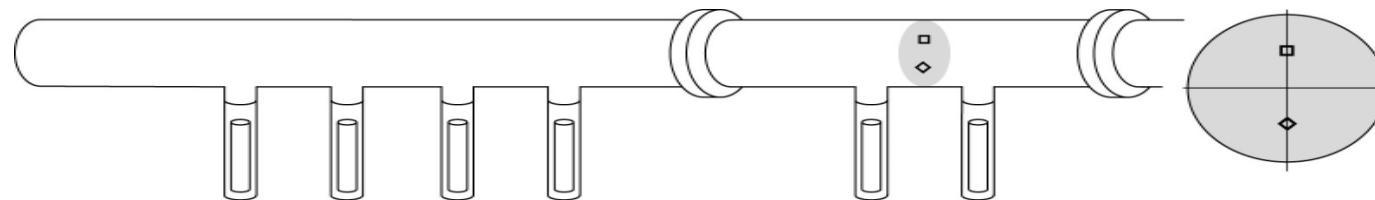
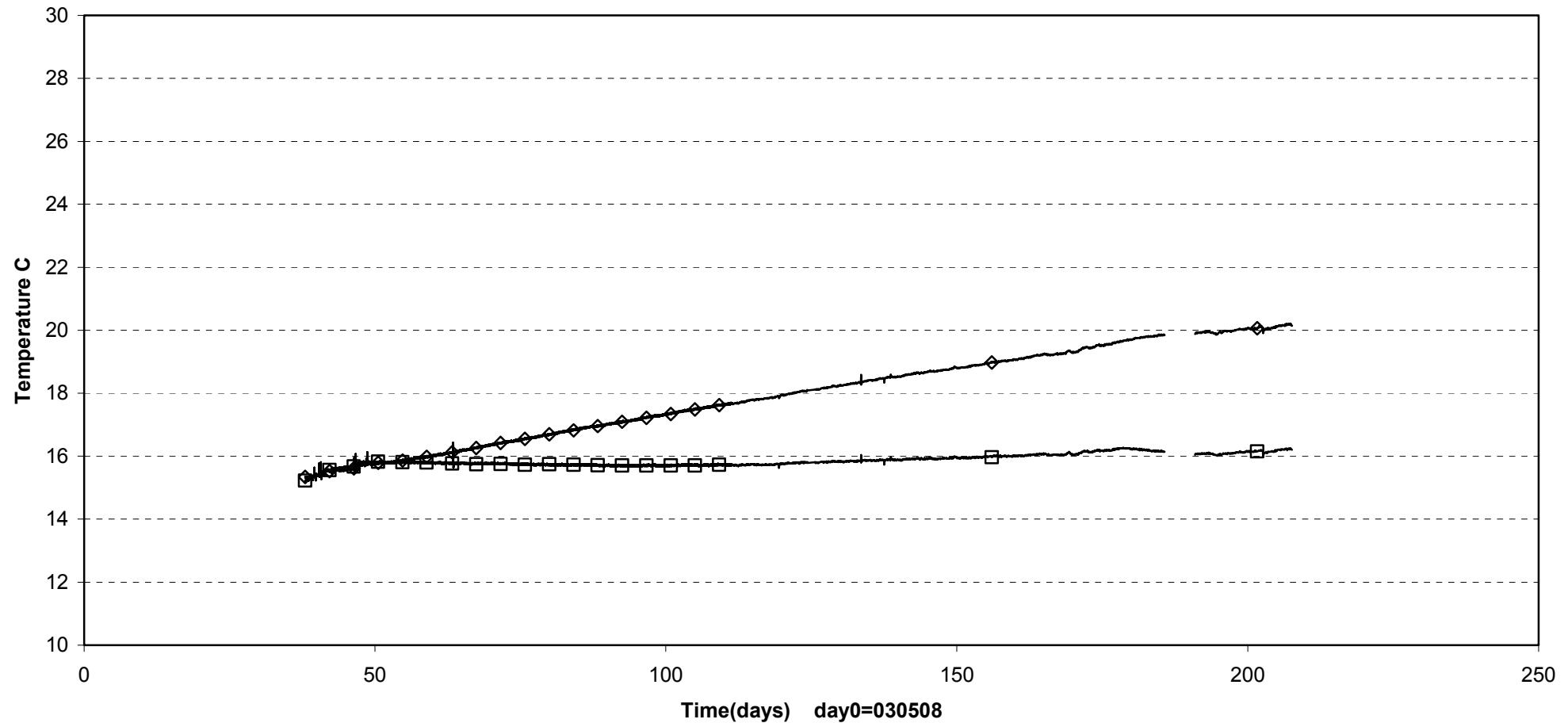
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Temperature - Pentronic



□ TFA08(F5-6\0\1.25\3548) ◇ TFA09(F5-6\0\1.25\3548)

## **Appendix 8**

### **Canister displacements**

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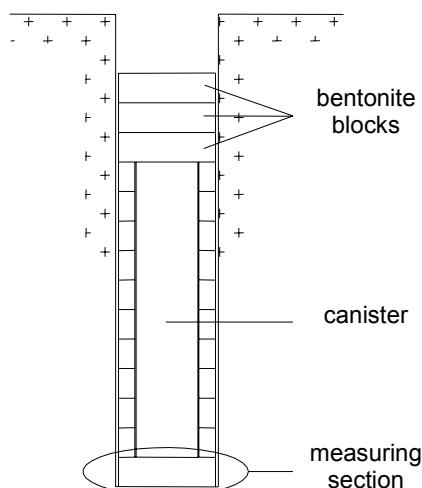
# Canister displacements

The measurements of canister displacements are made by AITEMIN. The technique is described in the report:

Bárcena, I., García-Siñeriz, J.L. (2001) Prototype Repository. System for canister displacement tracking.

## Layout

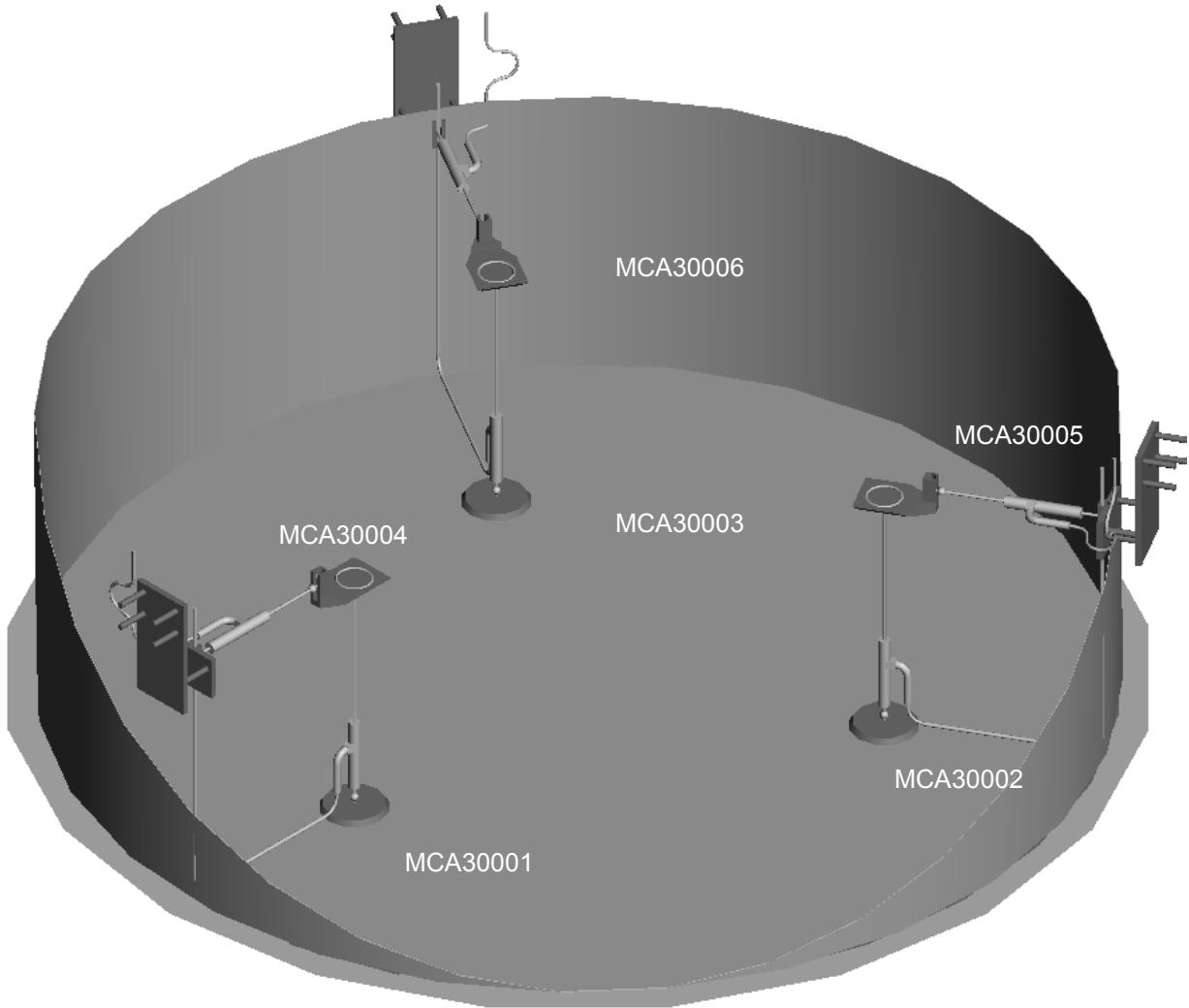
The measurements in Section 1 are made on the canister in deposition hole 3. For this deposition hole, six displacement sensors have been installed, all grouped into one measuring section, placed at the bottom of the canister, as shown in Figure 1. Three of those sensors, named MCA30001 to MCA30003 have been vertically placed into holes drilled into the bentonite block. These three sensors determine the vertical displacement of the canister, as well as any possible tilt. The points where the sensors are attached to the canister are the same as for the horizontal sensors. Figure 2 illustrates the position of the six sensors for deposition hole No. 3.



*Figure 1. Location of measuring section in the deposition hole*

The other three displacement sensors, named MCA30004 to MCA30006 are placed horizontally at the top of the lower bentonite block, close to the lower lid of the canister and attached to it, in a 120° radial disposition. The sensors will always be in a horizontal position, so that the horizontal displacement of the canister can be measured. The sensors have been placed so as to avoid interfering with other sensors.

6 sensors are also used for determine the displacement of the canister in deposition hole 6 (Section 2). The 3 sensors for measuring the vertical displacement are placed in block C1 (MCA60001-to MCA60003) while the sensors for measuring the horizontal displacement are placed in Ring 10 and attached to the upper lid of the canister (MCA60004 to MCA60006).



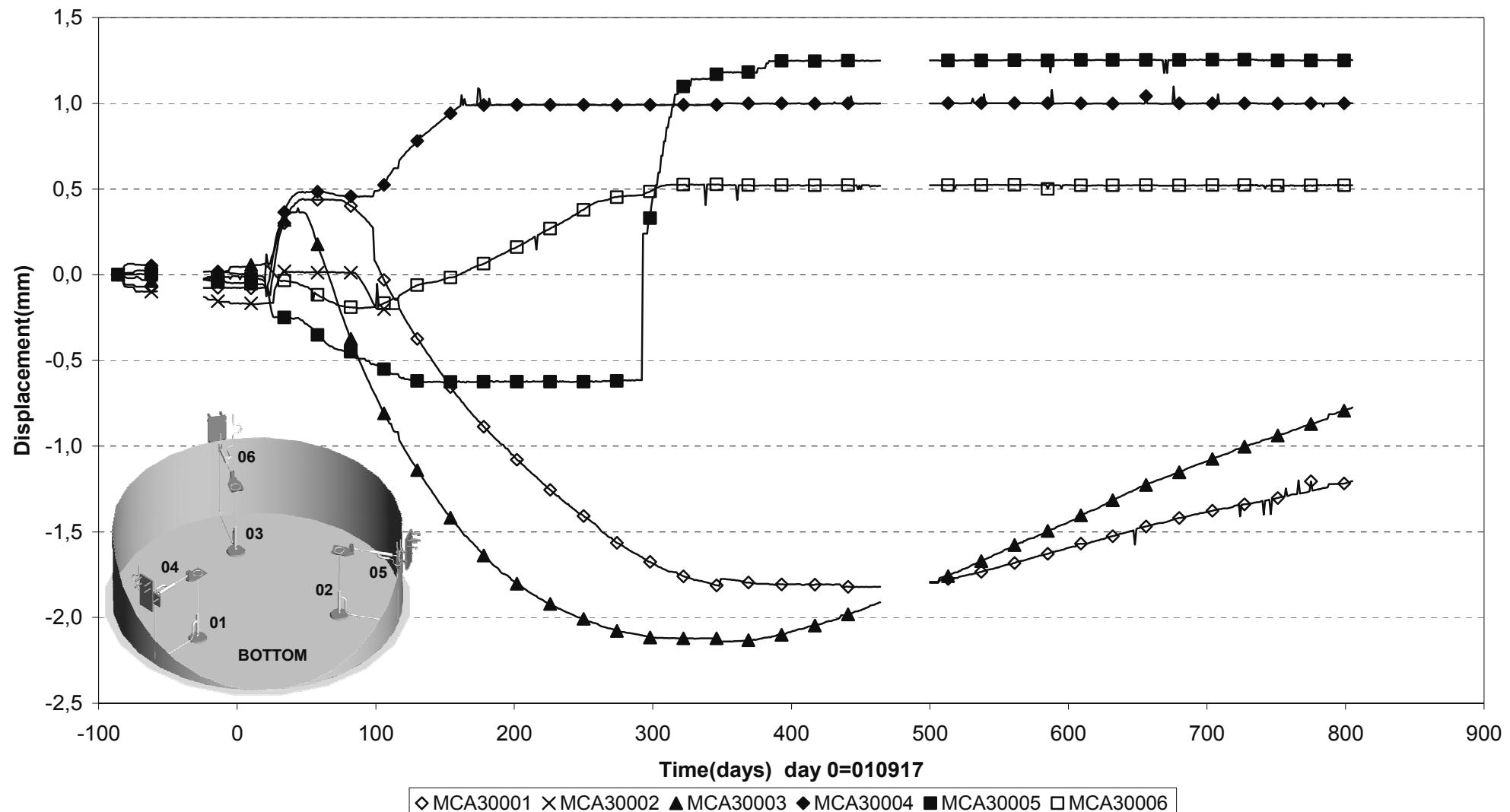
**Figure 2.** General view of sensors in deposition hole No. 3

## Results

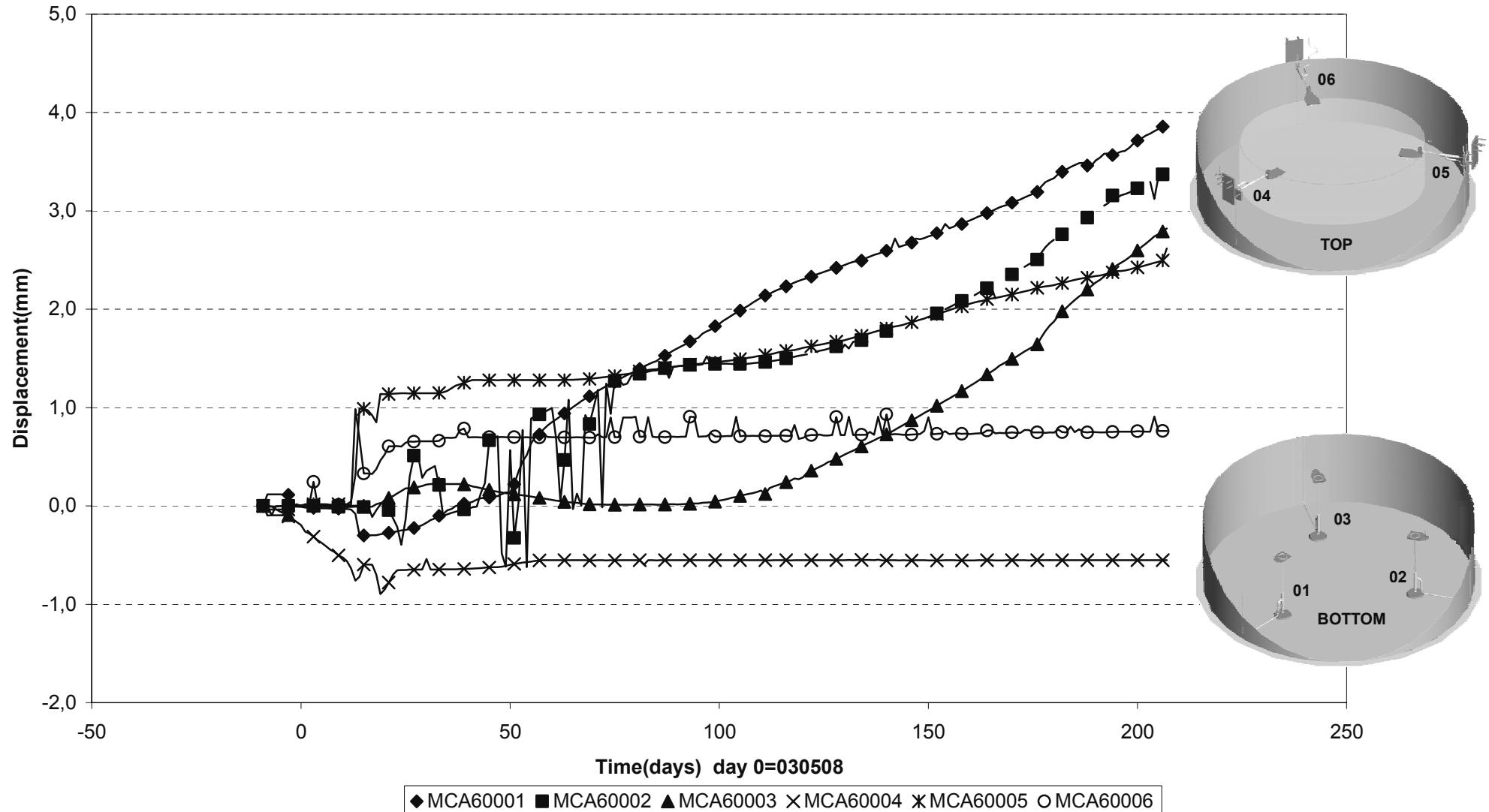
The measured displacements of the canister in deposition hole 3 are shown in Figure 3 as a function of time from 010623 to 031201. Minus corresponds to reduction in length of the transducers, which means vertical sinking (MCA30001 to MCA30003) and horizontal approaching the rock surface (MCA30004 to MCA30006). The measurements show that there was a clear continuous sinking of the canister after an initial heave. The new trend with a slow heaving that started in the last period seems to continue and increase in rate.

The measured displacements of the canister in deposition hole 6 are shown in Figure 4 as a function of time from 030508 to 031201. Transducers MCA60001, MCA60002 and MCA60003 indicate a heave of the canister. The vertical sensors indicate a tilting of the canister towards the rock surface in direction of transducer MCA60004.

### Displacement of canister 3 (010623-031201)



### Displacement of canister 6 (030508-031201)



## **Appendix 9**

### **Geoelectric monitoring**

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# Prototype Repository Project

**Data Report  
Geoelectric Monitoring**

Status as of 18 December 2003

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# **1 Introduction**

Within the frame of research activities in the prototype repository at Äspö GRS employs measurements of electrical resistivity to monitor water uptake in the drift backfill, the borehole buffer, and desaturation effects around one of the deposition boreholes.

The electrical resistivities in the buffer, the backfill, and around the boreholes are determined by use of multi-electrode arrays. The arrays consist of electrode chains. The resistivity distribution in the areas between the chains is determined by means of tomographic dipole-dipole measurements. The recording unit for these arrays is controlled remotely from Braunschweig / Germany through a telephone connection, which allows daily measurements of the in-situ resistivity distribution. From the measured apparent resistivity values the "true" resistivity distributions in the different parts are computed applying the latest inversion software.

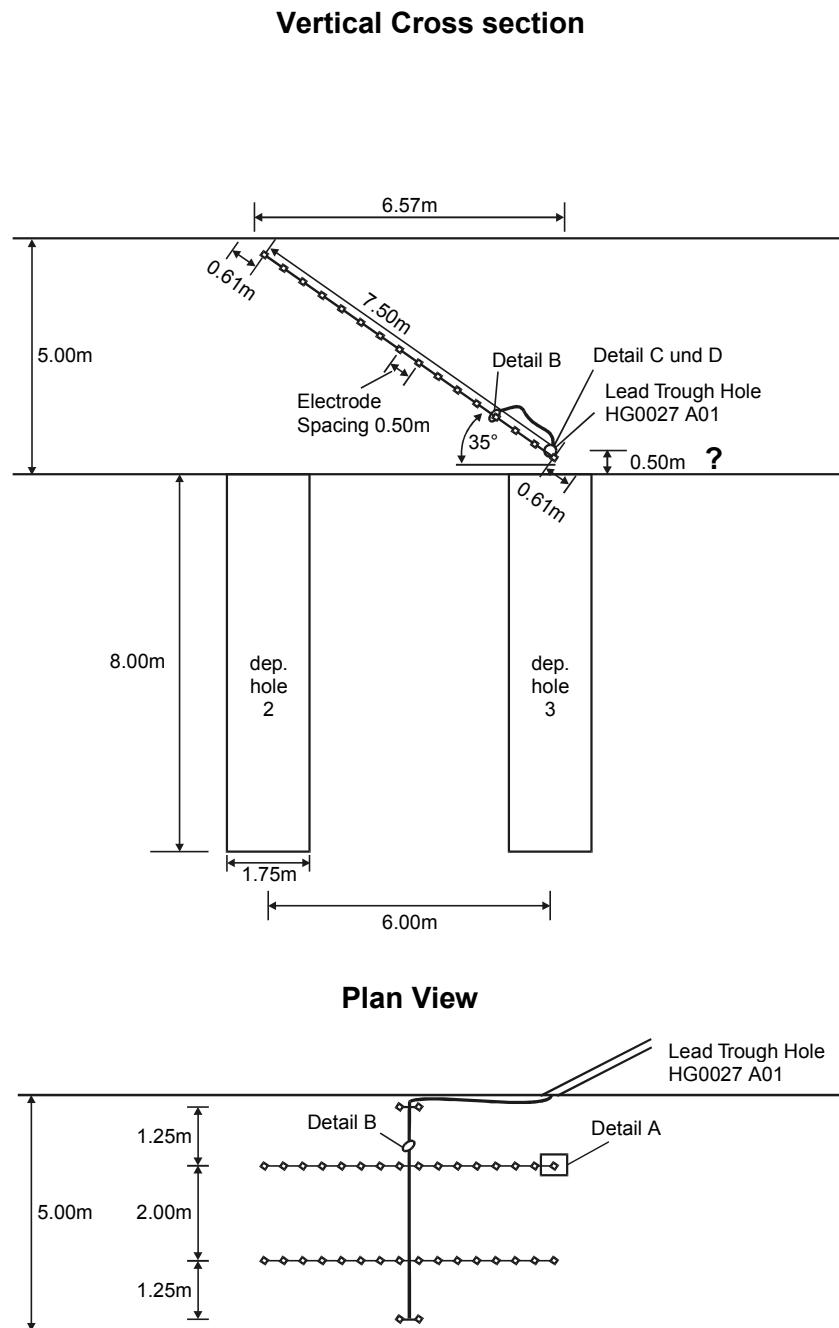
In the geoelectric measurements advantage is taken of the dependence of the electrical resistivity in materials on the water (solution) content. In order to interpret the resistivity values in terms of water content the data are to be compared with laboratory calibration results which are available for the different materials.

In the following, quarterly (Backfill Section 1 and Rock Section 2) or monthly (Backfill Section 2 and Buffer) calculated inversion data for the different arrays are provided in the form of tomograms. Additional data for smaller time periods can be made available on demand.



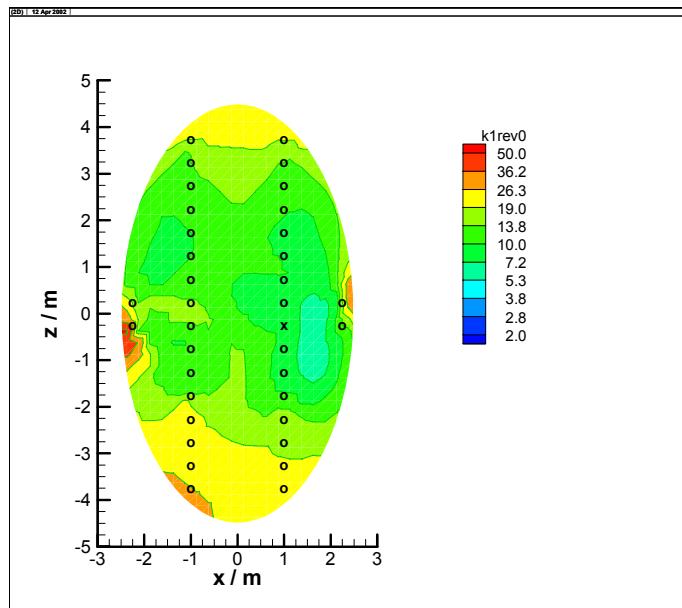
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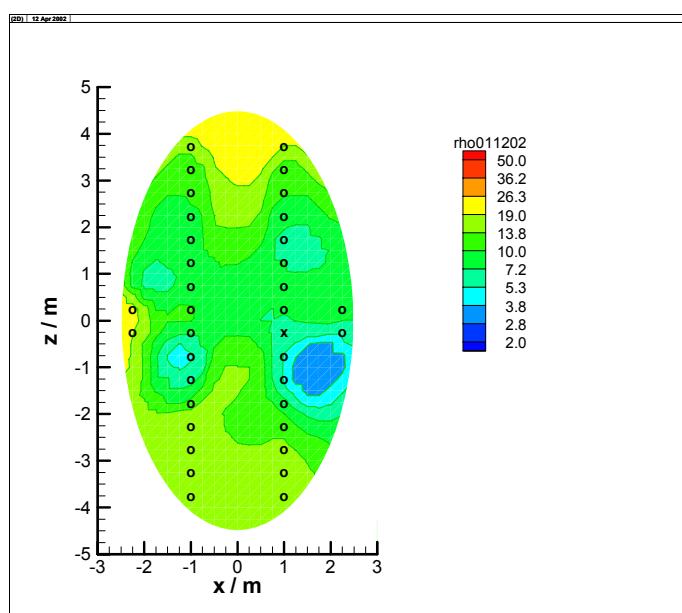


*Figure 2-1: Electrode array in the backfill in section 1.*

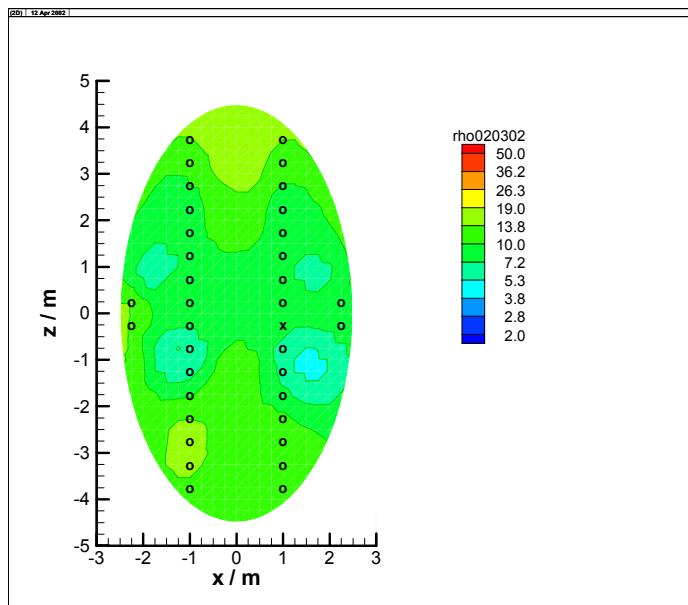
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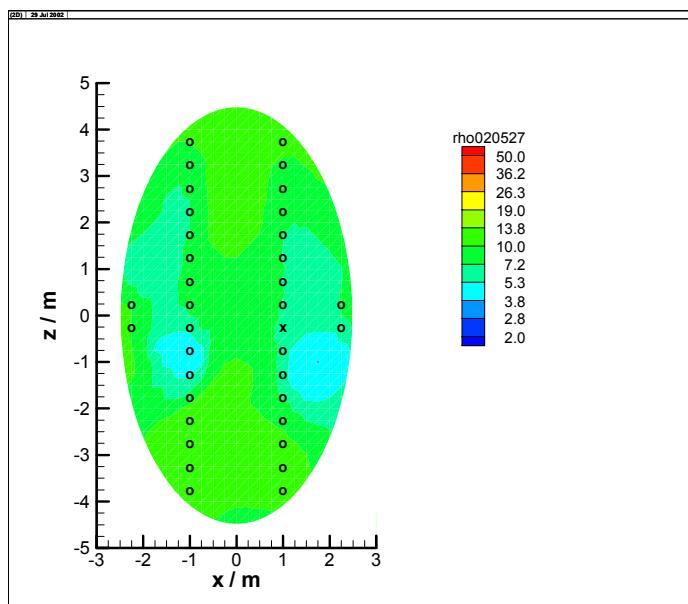
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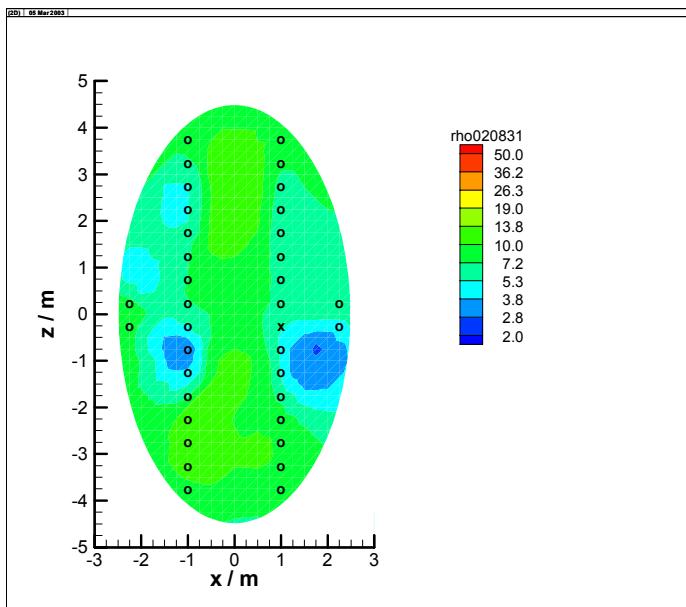
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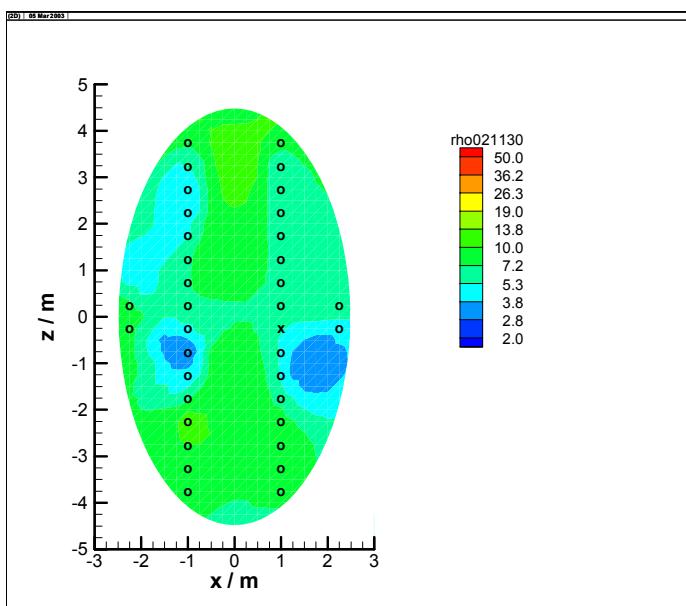
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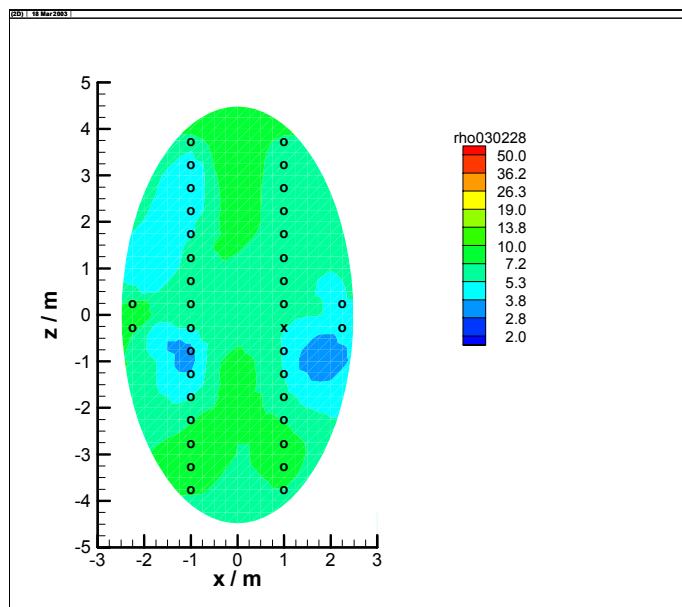
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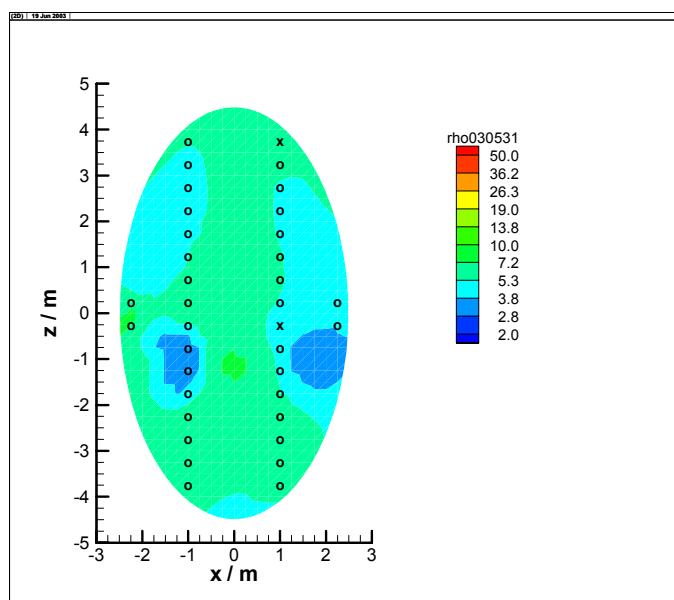
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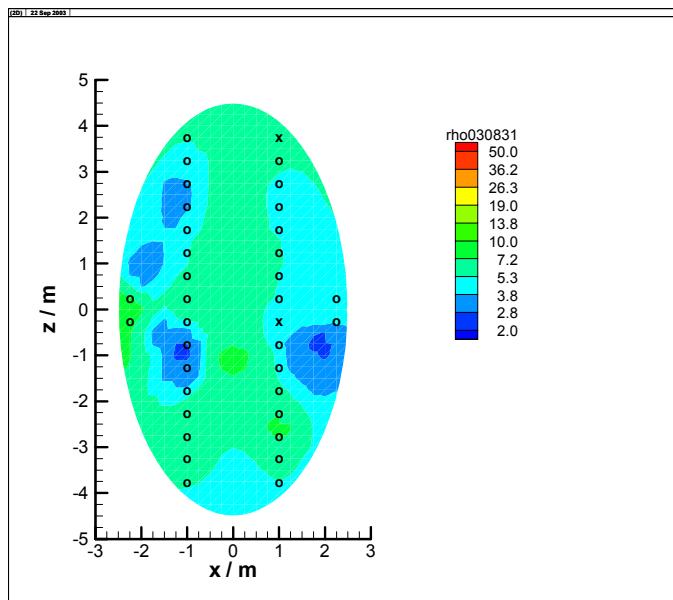
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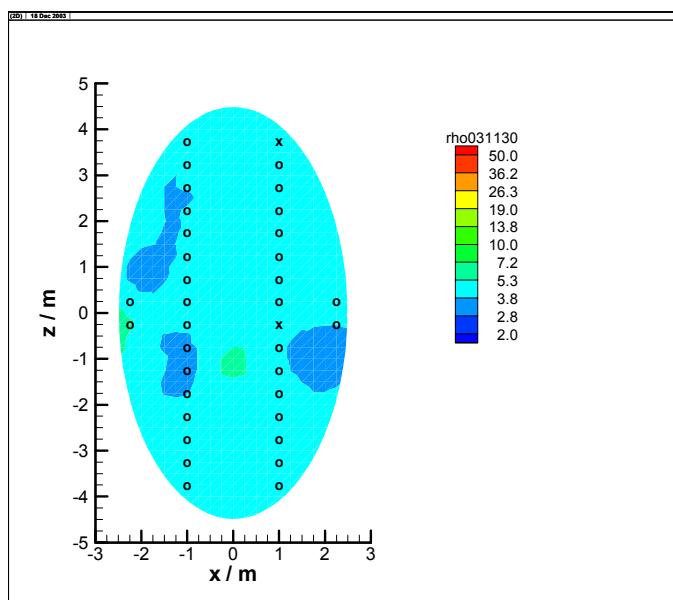
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## 2.3 Actual Interpretation

The initial resistivity value of the backfill in October 2001 is about 10 to 14  $\Omega\text{m}$  corresponding to a water content of 13 to 14%. In the following month the resistivity seems to reduce to about 7 to 10  $\Omega\text{m}$  which corresponds to a water content of about 14 to 16%. However, this reduction in resistivity is most likely generated by the wet (light blue) areas close to the electrode chains. These wet areas are the consequence of moistened backfill used during installation of the electrodes for better covering of the electrode chains. From then on, the resistivity decreases continuously, starting near the drift walls and progressing into the drift centre. In November 2003, a very homogeneous resistivity distribution is reached; with a value of 3 to 5  $\Omega\text{m}$  corresponding to a water content around 20 %.

Besides this overall trend, minor changes in the tomograms from month to month are visible near the edges of the gallery, especially a light blue area on the right side of the tomograms is more or less pronounced. These are no real anomalies, but are caused by the fact that inaccuracies in the measurements can lead to the accumulation of "ghost" anomalies in areas of lower sensitivity. The areas of lower sensitivity are typically the edges of the model. In case of the blue area on the right side of the tomograms, the sensitivity is more reduced because one of the electrodes (marked with an "x" in the tomograms) is not active, as its cable broke after installation during backfilling. According to the calibrations, full saturation ranging around 2  $\square\text{m}$  has not yet been achieved.

The resistivity is also slightly decreased by the temperature increase in the backfill. Backfill temperature amounted to maximal 32 °C in March 2003. The temperature increase can result in a resistivity reduction by not more than 1  $\Omega\text{m}$ .

On May 2, 2003, the upper right electrode (also marked with an "x" in the tomogram from May 31, 2003) was lost. The reason is probably a cable failure. It is not clear whether this is already a corrosion effect.

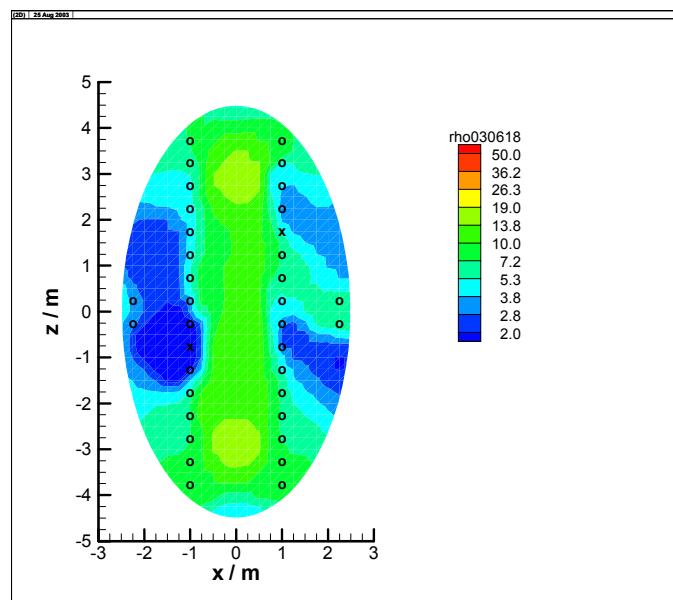


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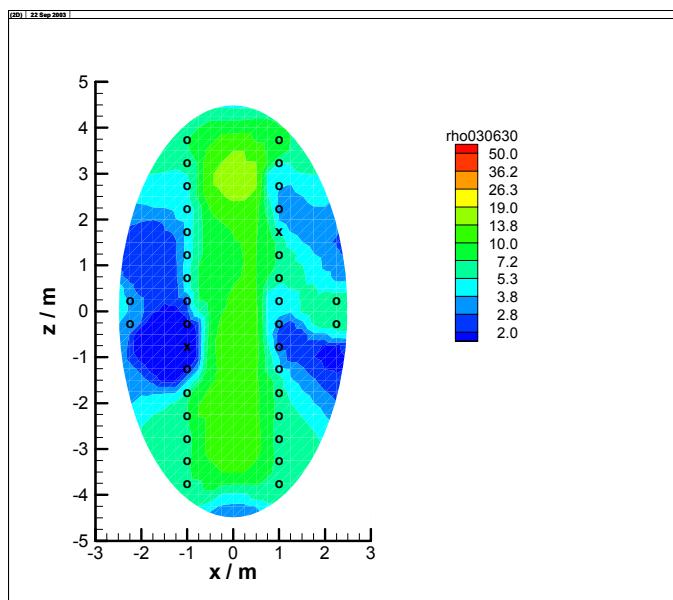
#### 3.1 Layout of electrode array in the backfill of section 2

The array layout in the backfill of section 2 is identical to that located in section 1, except for the fact that the array has been placed above deposition borehole #6 instead of #3.

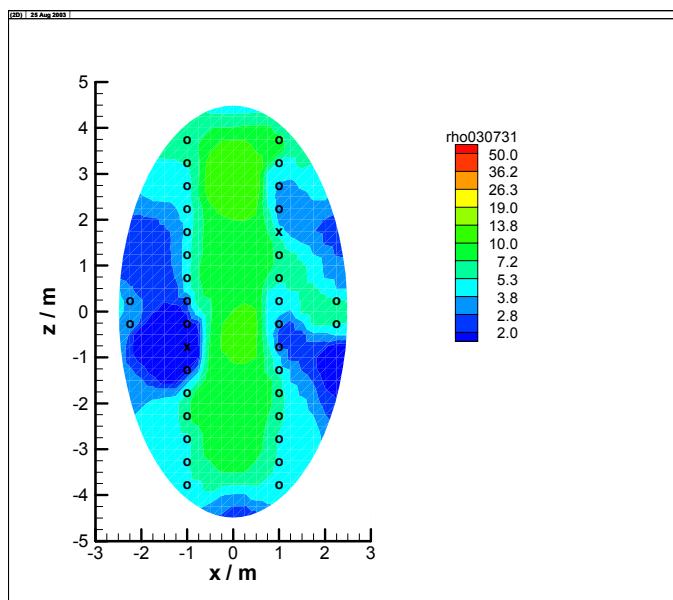
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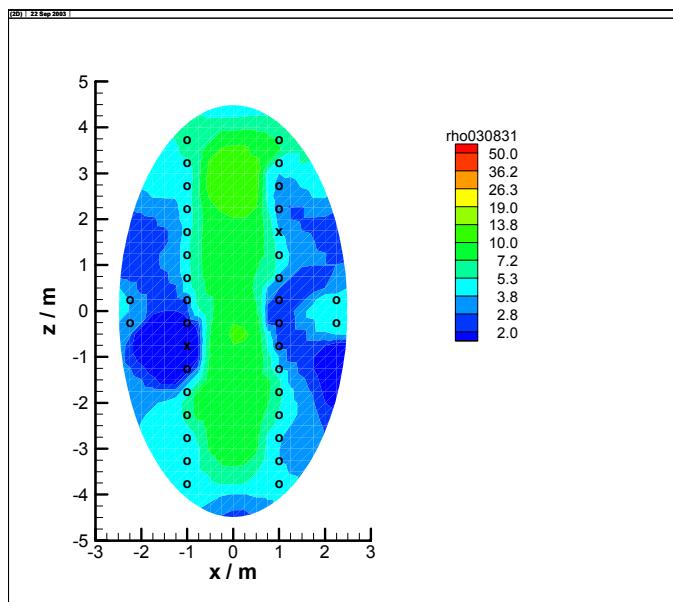
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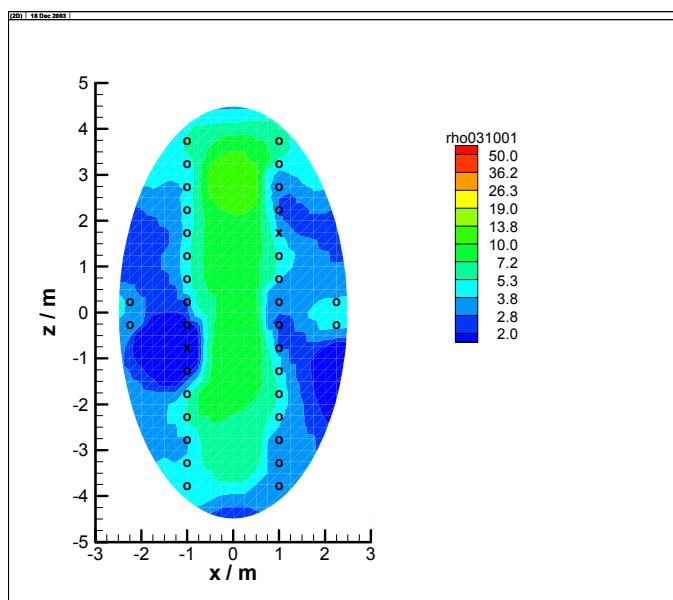
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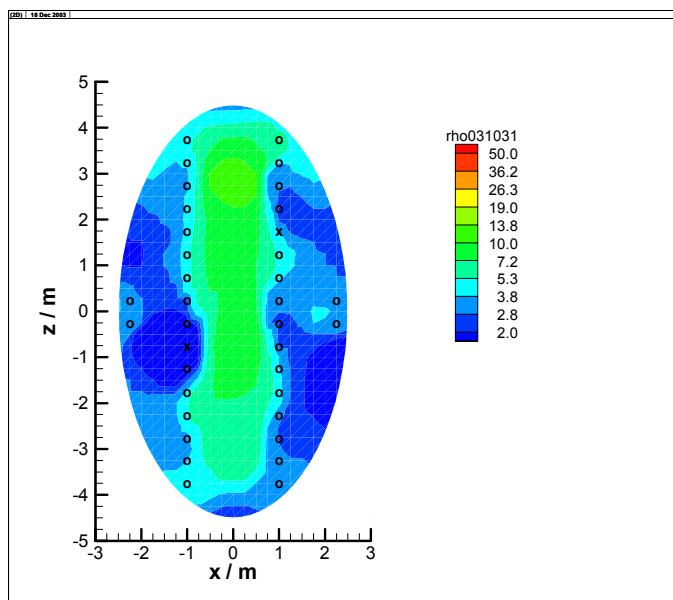
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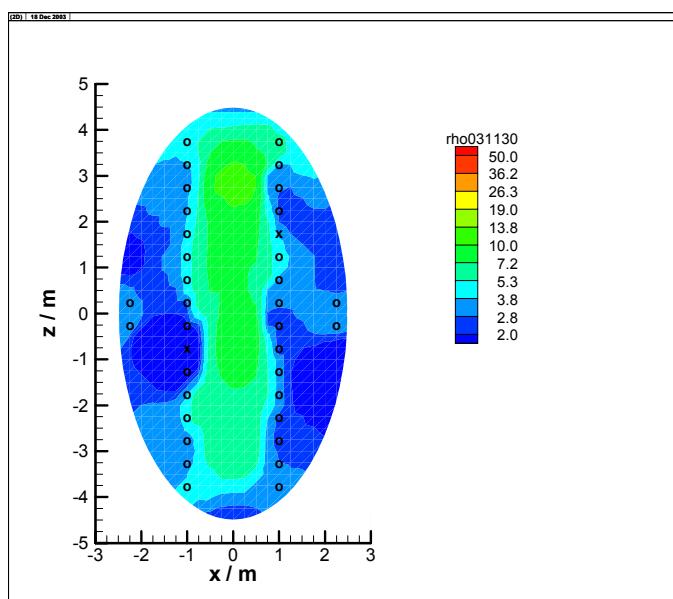
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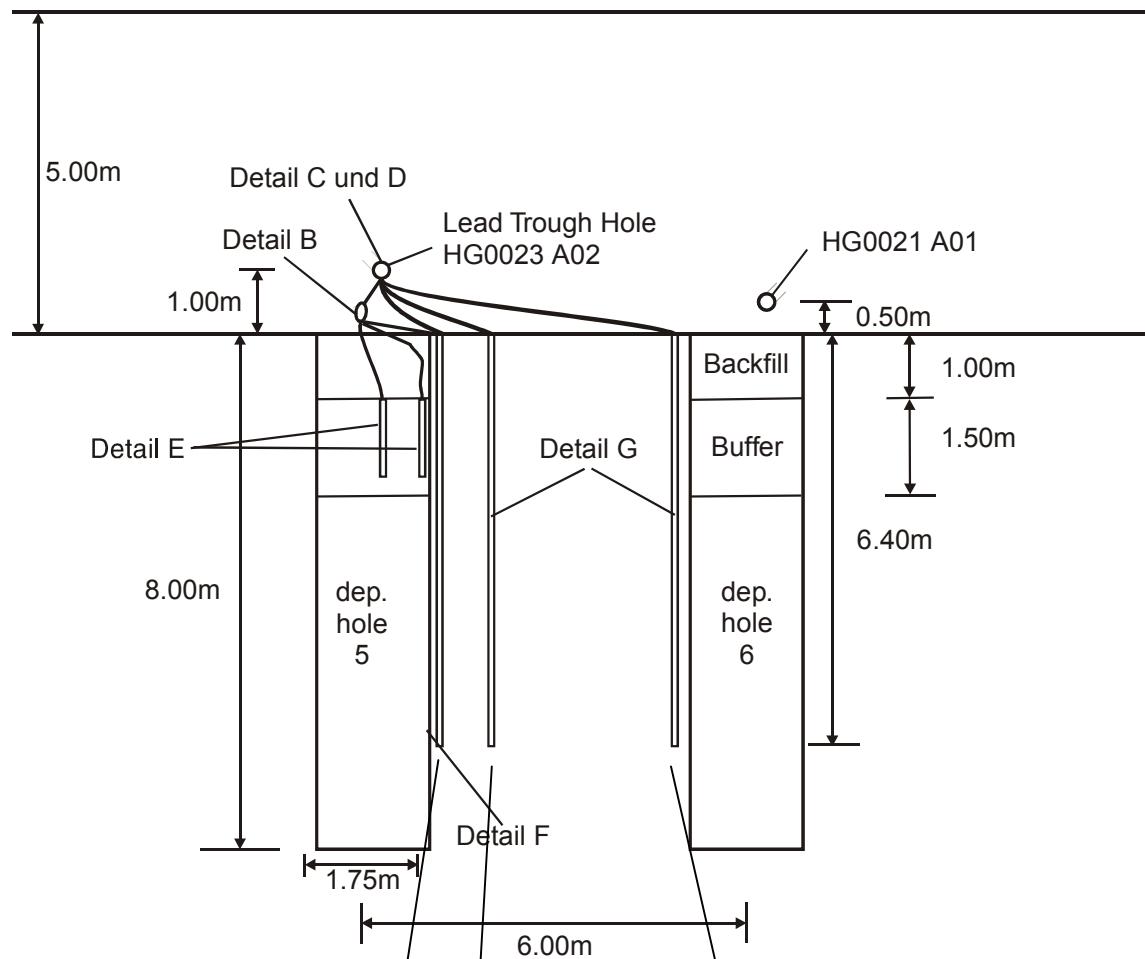
### 3.3 Actual Interpretation

The first measurement performed on June 18, 2003 in section 2 shows a much lower resistivity than the early measurements in section 1. Obviously, the backfill had a considerably higher water content already during installation. This observation was also made during instrumentation. Resistivity is decreasing further from the drift walls. Close to the walls it ranges below 3  $\square\text{m}$ ; the backfill is therefore not far from full saturation. In the centre resistivity has decreased to values between 5 and 8  $\square\text{m}$  corresponding to a water content of about 15 to 18%.

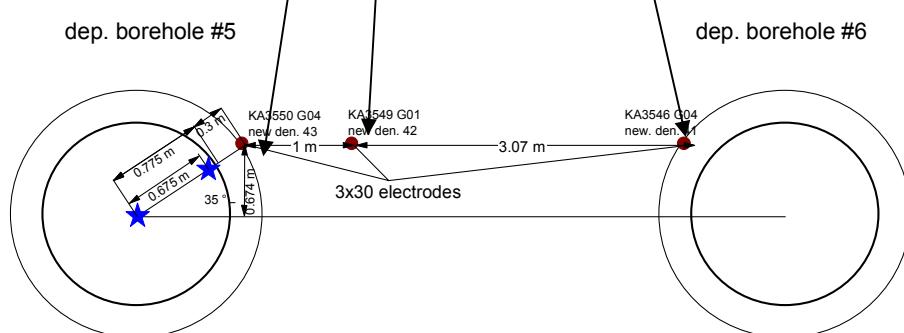
## 4 Rock Section 2

### 4.1 Layout of electrode array in the rock between deposition boreholes 5 and 6

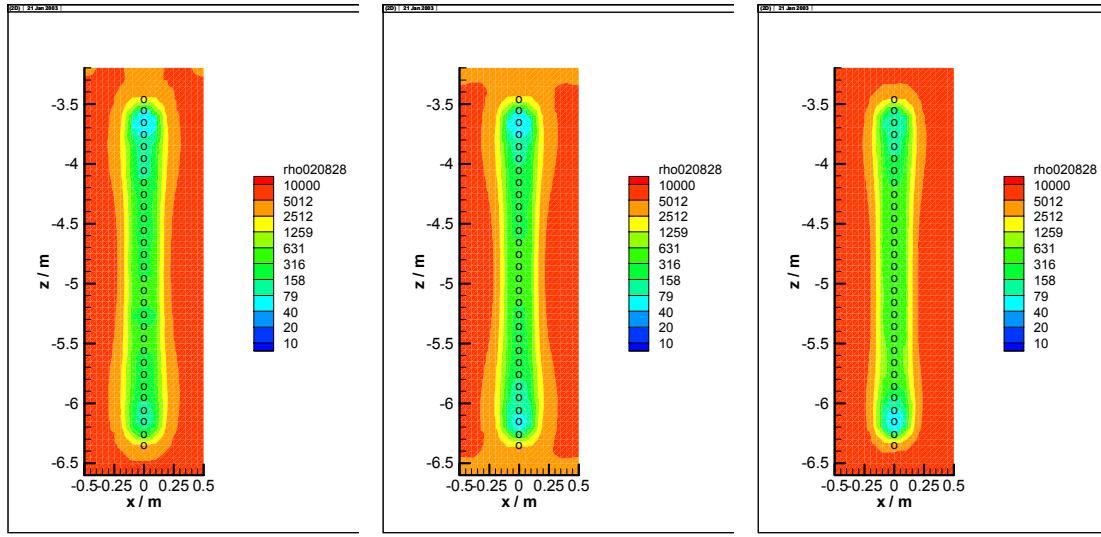
A) Vertical cross section



B) Plan view



## 4.2 Tomograms of electrode arrays in the rock

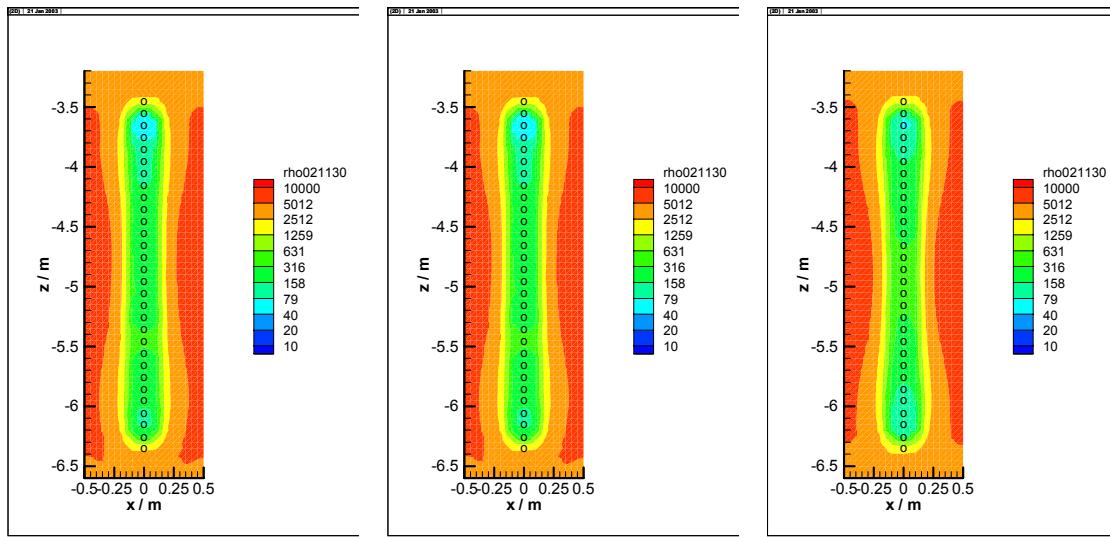


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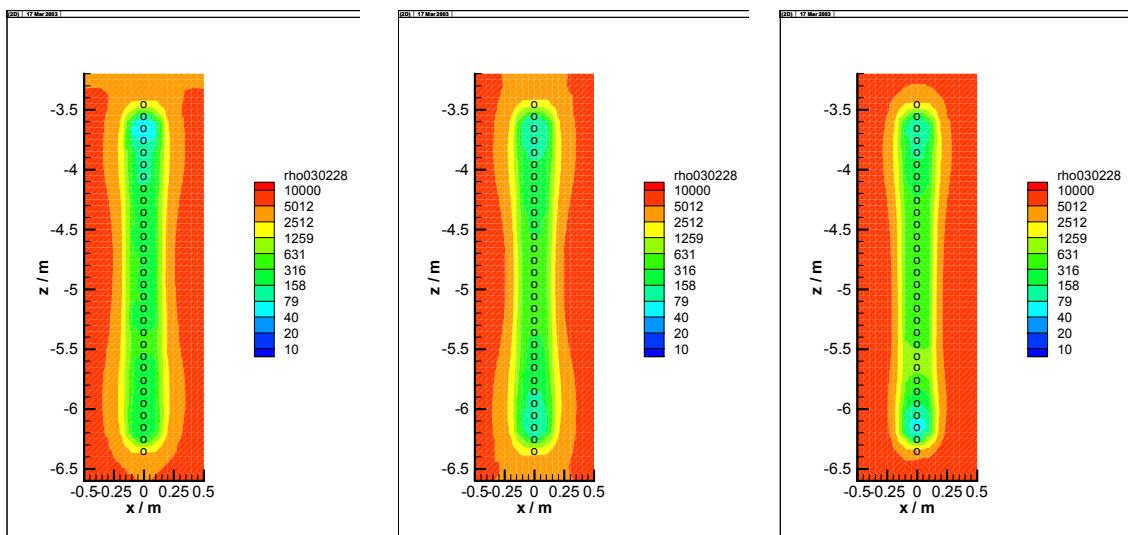


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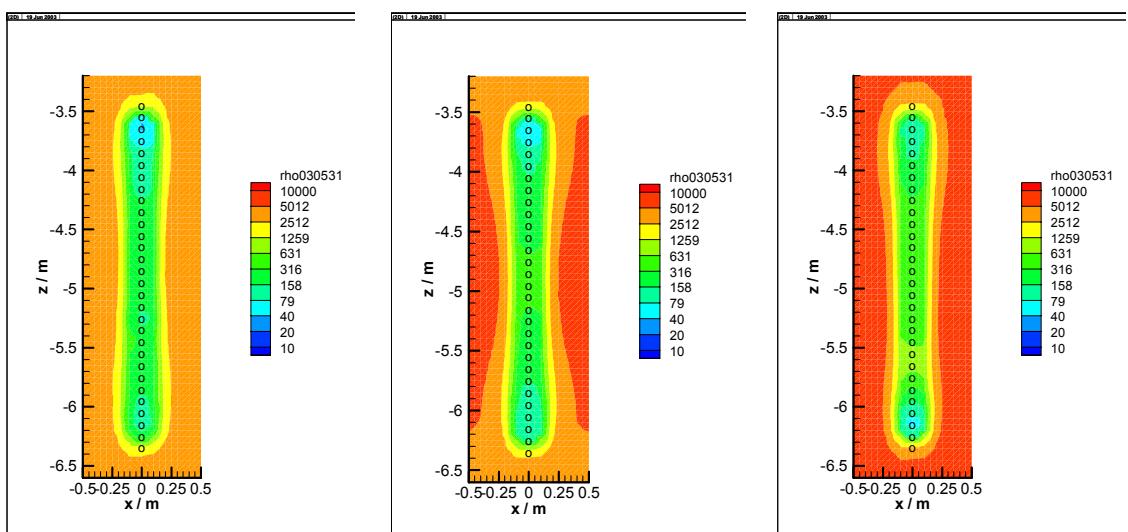
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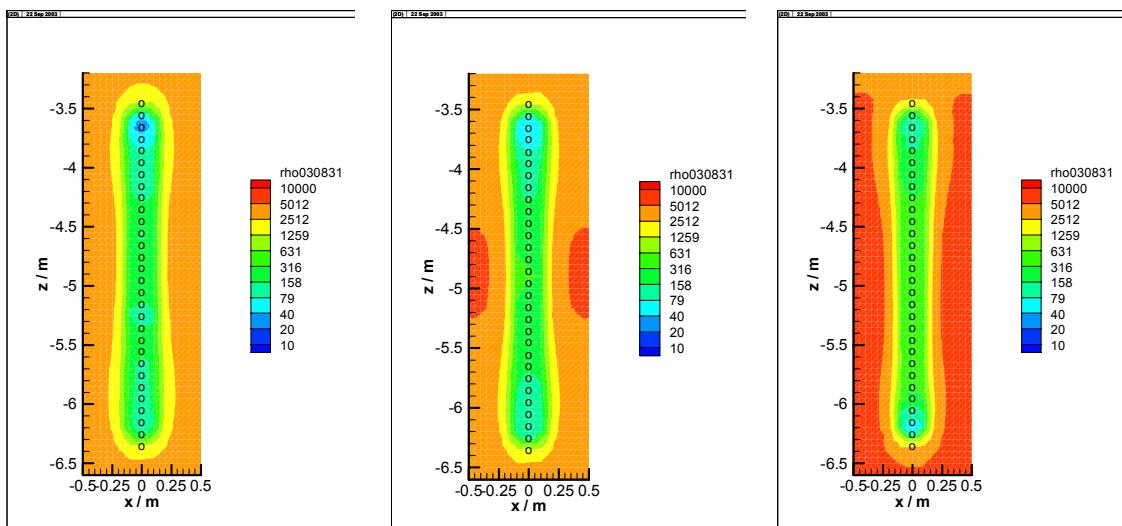
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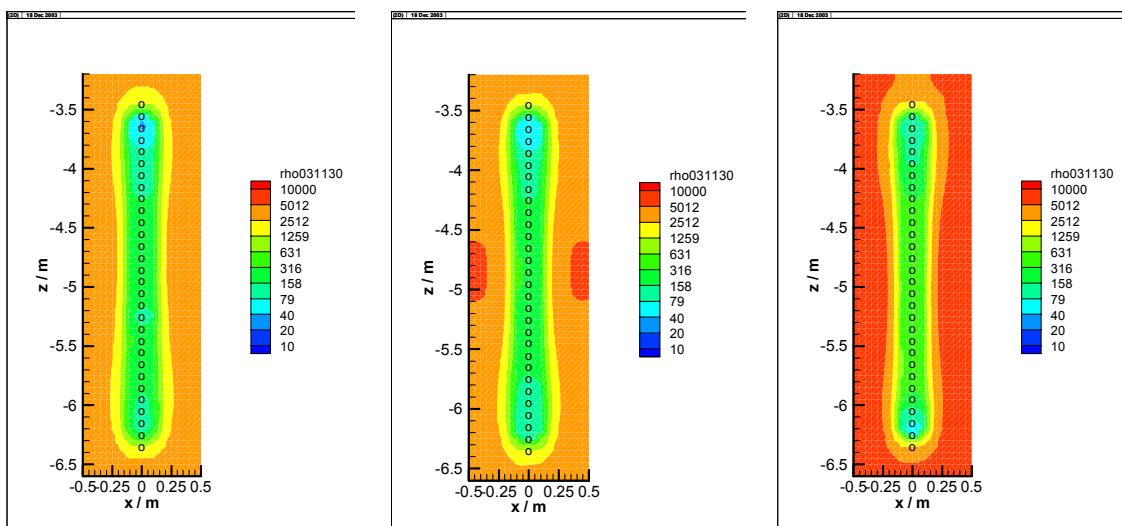


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### **4.3 Actual Interpretation**

The resistivity distributions along the three electrode chains installed in the rock are quite similar to each other and show no significant variation in time until April 2003. Close to the electrodes, the resistivity ranges around 200  $\Omega\text{m}$ . This value characterizes the water-saturated concrete used for backfilling the electrode boreholes. Further away from the boreholes, the resistivity rises to values of 2000 to 7000  $\Omega\text{m}$  which is characteristic for water-saturated granite.

From April 2003 on, there is a slight decrease in resistivity in the rock near deposition hole #5. This coincides with installation of the buffer which also stopped the pumping of water from the open deposition hole. Apparently, this had caused a slight desaturation of the rock which has now recovered. Near the deposition hole #6, no such effect was detected.

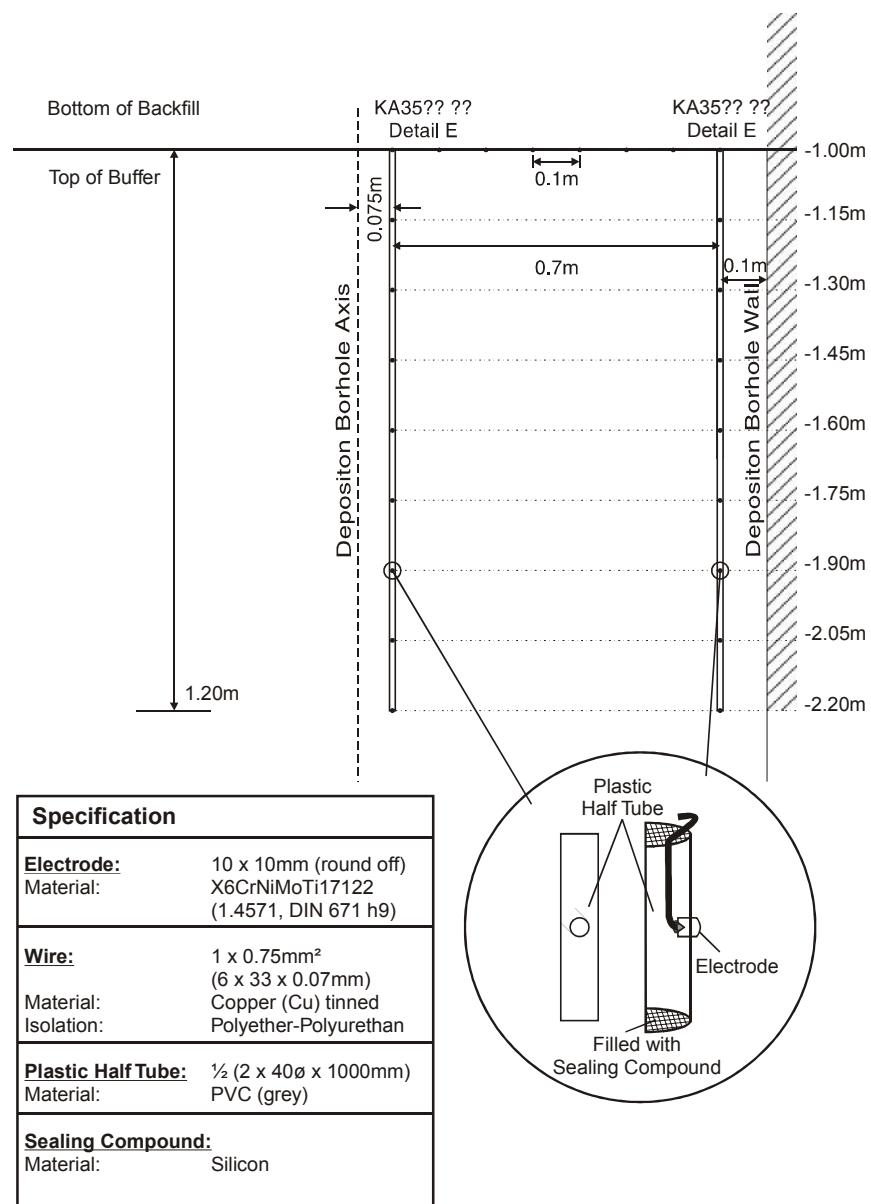
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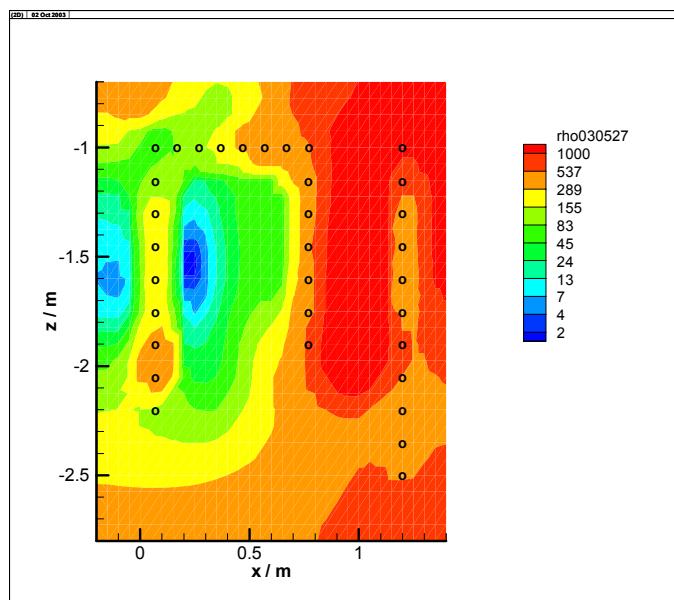
## 5 Buffer in Borehole 5 in Section 2

### 5.1 Layout of electrode array in the buffer of deposition boreholes 5

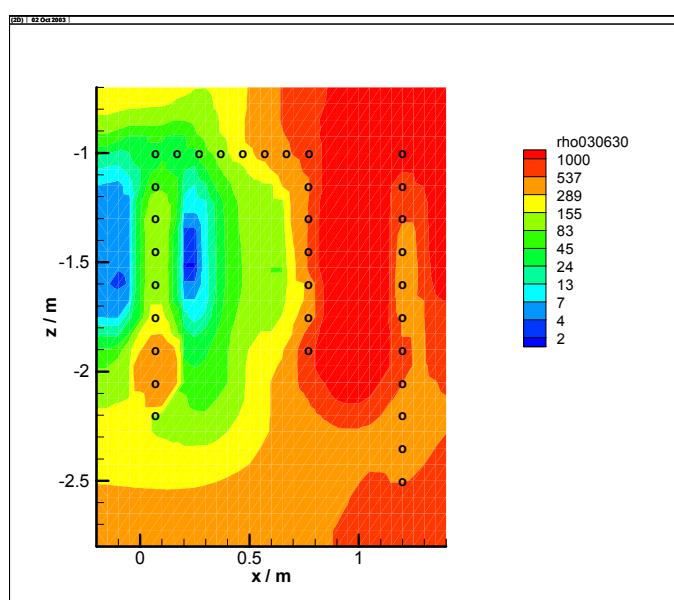
The array is made up of the electrodes located in the buffer at the top of deposition hole #5 (see figure) and of the electrodes in the upper part of borehole KA 3550 G04 in the rock (see figure in section 4.1).



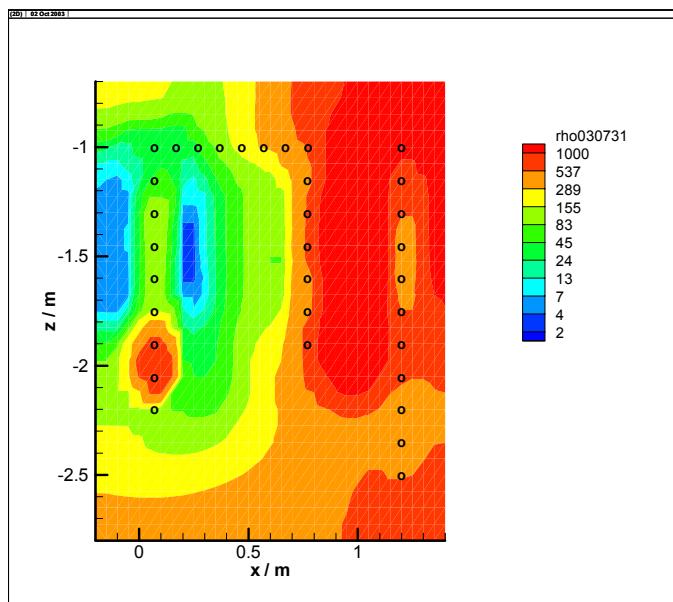
## 5.2 Tomograms of electrode array in the buffer



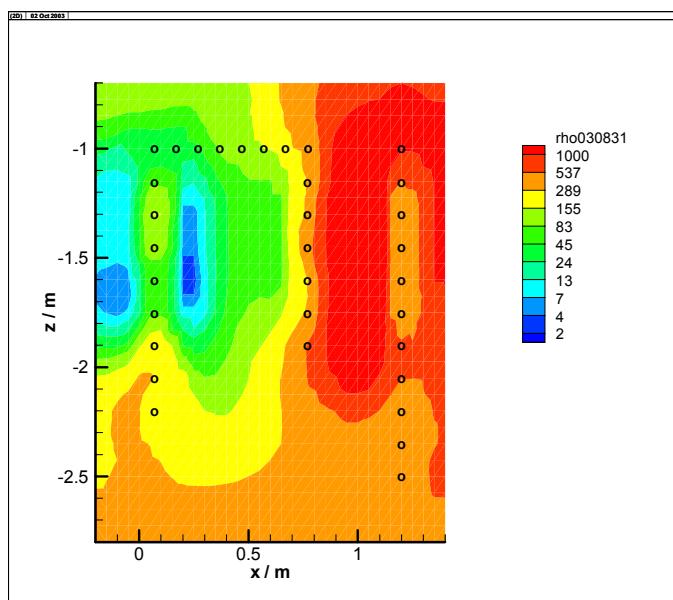
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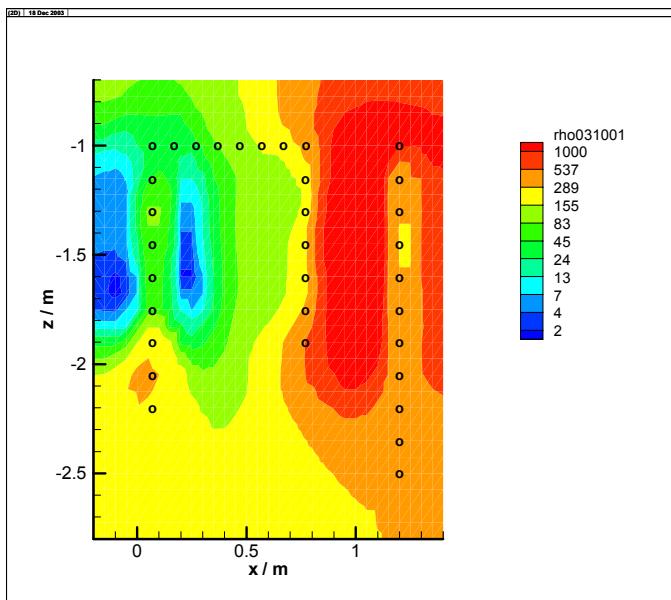
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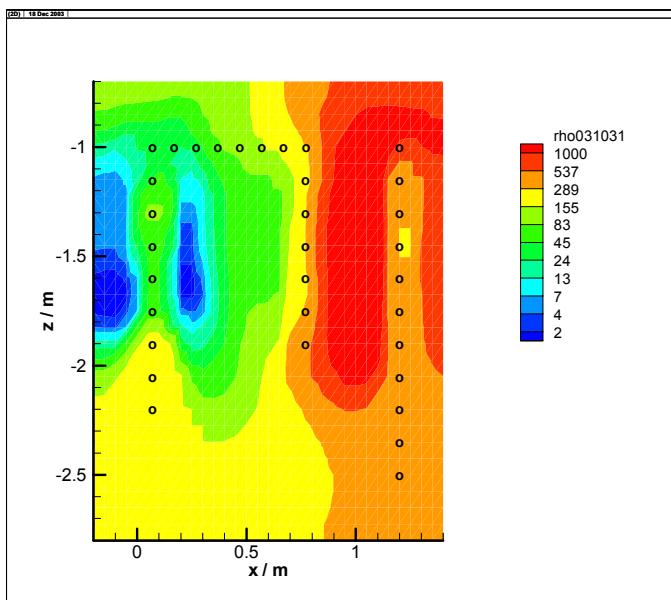
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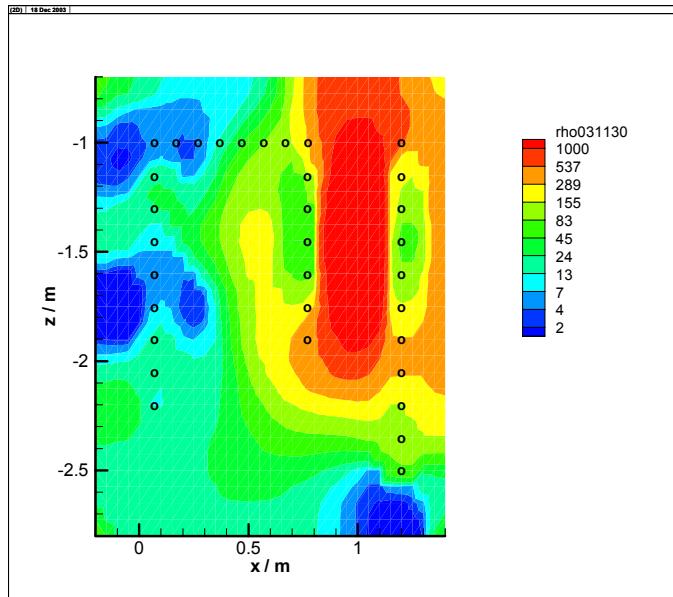
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### 5.3 Actual Interpretation

The tomogram of May 2003 (first measurement) shows the high resistivity (above  $1000 \Omega\text{m}$ ) of the rock on the right side and the low resistivity of the buffer (below  $80 \Omega\text{m}$ ). The picture is somewhat distorted by the fact that along the electrode chains the resistivity is increased compared to the undisturbed buffer. The increased resistivity along the electrode chains can be attributed to the refilling of the electrode boreholes with bentonite powder produced during borehole drilling. It was, however, expected that the difference will diminish with time, especially if the buffer takes up water. The tomograms of the following months show a progressing decrease of resistivity in the buffer. This becomes particularly clear in the tomogram from November 30, 2003. It can be seen that the resistivity near the electrode chains is no longer higher than in the surrounding buffer. While the overall behaviour is rather clear, it is difficult to interpret buffer resistivity in terms of water content. Near the electrode chain in the centre of the buffer (left of the tomogram) the resistivity ranges between 4 and  $24 \Omega\text{m}$ .



## **Appendix 10**

### **Stress and strain in the rock**



# **BBK**

## **STRESS AND STRAIN MEASUREMENT OF THE ROCK MASS PROTOTYPE TEST AT ÄSPÖ**

Measuring period

2003-09-01 – 2003-11-30

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# **1      Extent**

BBK AB and NCC Teknik have, on commission of SKB, ÄSPÖ Hard Rock Laboratory, performed rock mechanical measurements in the Prototype tunnel at Äspö. The measurement program comprises registration of the stress and strain response around the two deposition holes during drilling and heating of the rock mass.

In the first phase, the response of the rock mass was monitored during the drilling of the two canister holes. The second phase, which is the subject of this report, includes the response registered during a heating phase. The heating experiment started on 2003-05-08 and will continue for about five years.

The goal of the instrumentation is to monitor the stress, strain and deformation changes due to heating of the rock mass surrounding the deposition holes. Instrumentation has been installed to monitor the relative changes in intact rock as well as across fractures.

The commission extends over field measurement and evaluation.

BBK AB is responsible for measuring equipment, the mobilization, field measurement, the computer processing. BBK AB and NCC Teknik are responsible for the interpretation and reporting of the measurements.

This report presents the measurement results during the period of the heating phase from 2003-09-01 to 2003-11-30.



## 2 Technical background

### 2.1 Summary of instruments installed

The instrumentation for monitoring rock mechanical response was installed in two stages. The instruments used to monitor the drilling phase of the canister boreholes were installed within vertically drilled boreholes located 0.3m from the periphery of the deposition hole. These instruments are referred to as primary instruments in the following section. Following drilling of the deposition holes, complementary instruments were then installed within boreholes drilled from within the deposition holes.

The following numbers and types of instruments were selected for installation to allow monitoring of stresses and strains within the host rock surrounding the deposition holes.

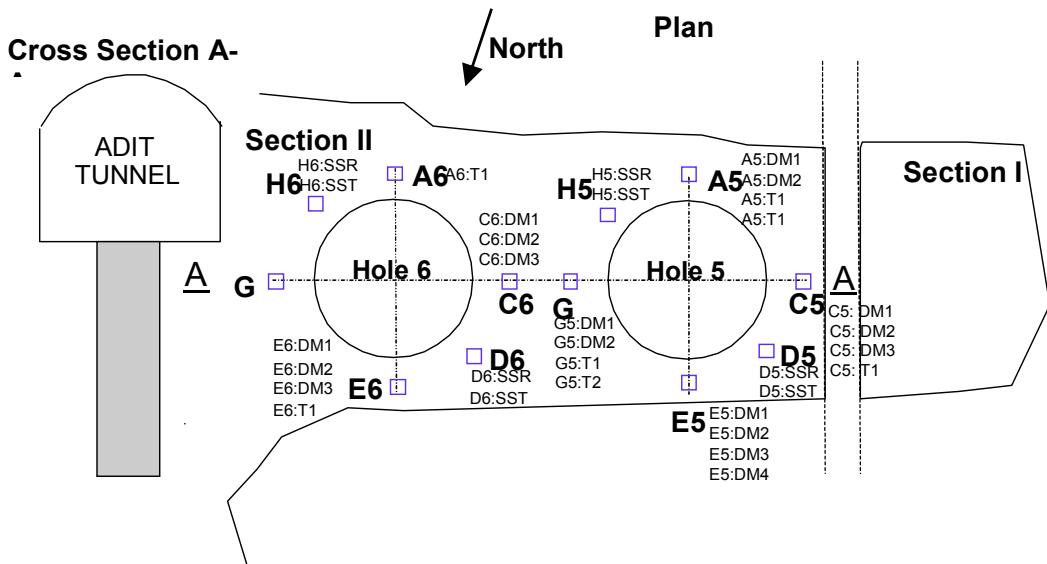
**Table 2.1. Summary of primary instruments**

Parameter measured	Instrument type	Total number installed
Compressive stress change in intact rock	Geokon model 4350 biaxial stressmeter	8
Compressive and tensile stress change in intact rock	Geokon model 4360-1 Soft stress cell	8
Vertical movements in intact rock, over single fractures and within fracture zones	Geokon model 4430 deformation meter	17
Vertical strain measurements in intact rock and over single fractures	Geokon model 4200 strain gauge	7

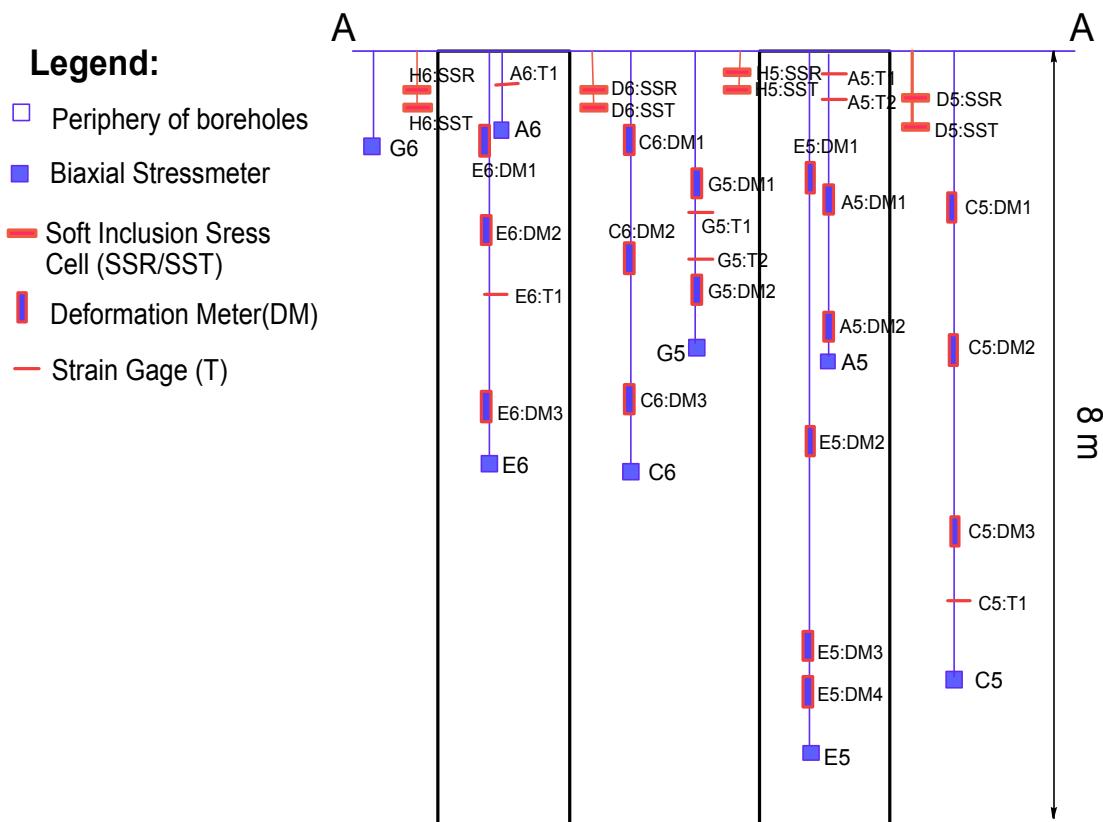
**Table 2.2. Summary of complementary instruments**

Parameter measured	Instrument type	Total number installed
Horizontal deformation perpendicular to the axis of the deposition hole	Geokon model 4430 displacement transducer	32
Vertical strains beneath the deposition hole	Geokon model 4200 strain gauge	8

The layout of the primary instruments around the deposition holes is shown in Figures 2.1 and 2.2. A total of eight 60mm diameter boreholes (four around each of the two deposition holes) were drilled. The majority of the instruments were installed within these boreholes. These holes are designated as A, C, E and G- 5 and 6. In addition, a total of four 76mm diameter boreholes (two at each deposition hole) were drilled to shallower depths to allow installation of the soft stress cell meters. These larger diameter holes are designated as H and D-5 and 6.

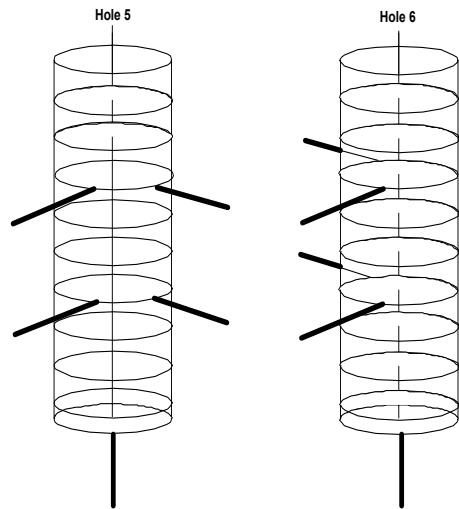


**Figure 2.1** Primary instrument locations in plan view

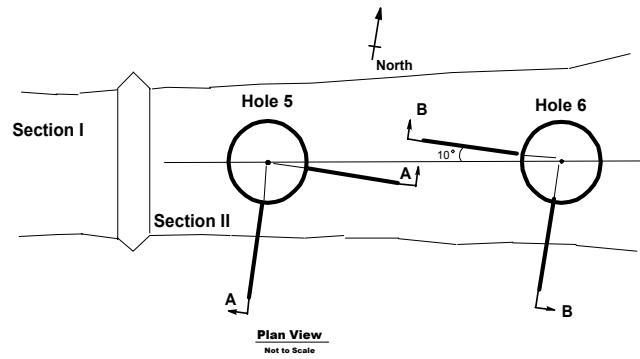


**Figure 2.2** Primary instrument locations in elevation view

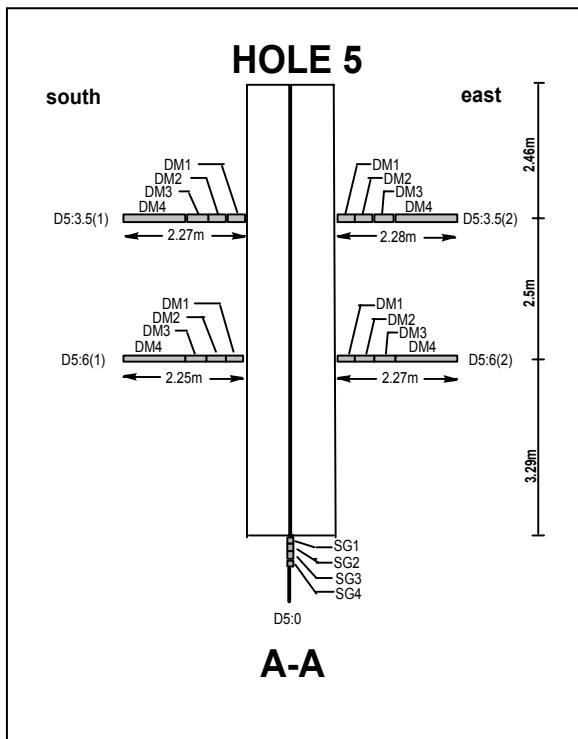
Installation of the complementary instruments took place following drilling of ten boreholes having about a 75mm diameter from within the two deposition boreholes. The locations of these ten boreholes are shown schematically as well as in plan and elevation in Figures 2.3 to 2.6. The instruments installed within these boreholes consisted of displacement transducers ranging in length from 0.3m to 1.2m, and strain gauges which were 0.15m in length.



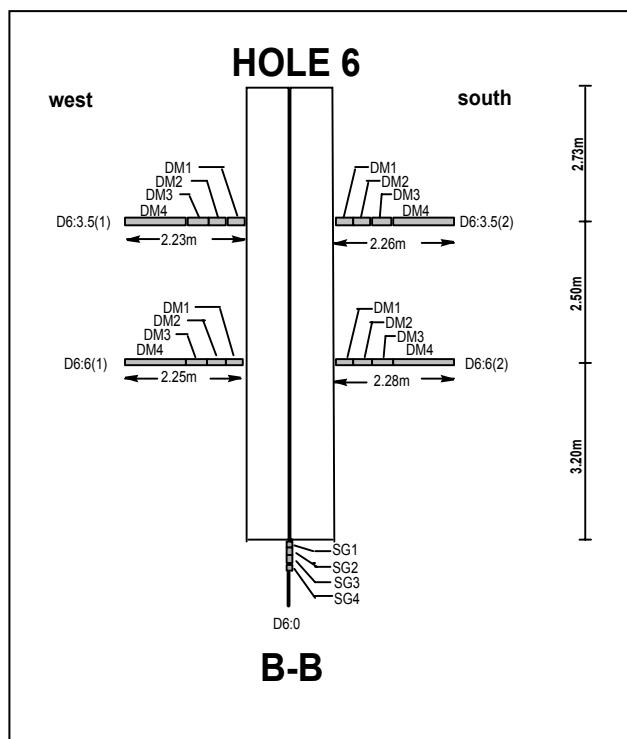
**Figure 2.3** Schematic view of complementary boreholes



**Figure 2.4** Plan view of complementary boreholes



**Figure 2.5** Elevation view of complementary instruments in Deposition Hole 5

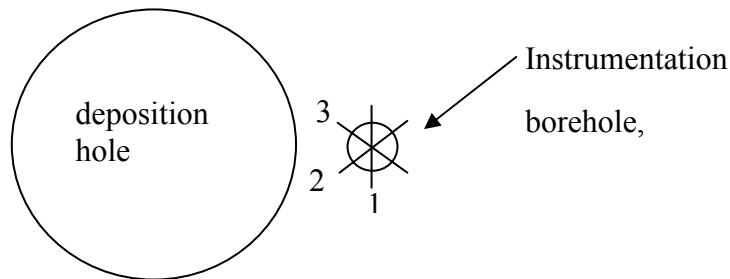


**Figure 2.6** Elevation view of complementary instruments in Deposition Hole 6

## 2.2 Stress measurements

### 2.2.1 Vibrating wire embedment biaxial stressmeters

The Geokon model 4350 vibrating wire biaxial stressmeter was installed for monitoring stress changes. This instrument was designed to measure compressive stress changes in rock, salt, concrete or ice. The instrument consists of a stiff high-strength steel cylinder, which is grouted into a BX (60 mm) size borehole. Stress changes in the host material cause the cylinder to deform, and the deformations in the plane perpendicular to the borehole are measured by means of two sets of three vibrating wire sensors spaced at 60° intervals (measurements are made at two levels within the cylinder). The gauges also include two longitudinal strain sensors and temperature sensors. The deformation of the steel cylinder, and resulting changes in resonate frequency of the vibrating wires, are used to determine both the magnitude and orientation of the change in stress in the host material.



Installation of the stressmeter gage is accomplished by inserting the gage into a grout-filled borehole using a setting tool and self-aligning setting rod. The stress cell is orientated so that the first vibrating wire is orientated tangentially to the canister hole. The second wire is orientated 60° from tangential direction and the third wire is orientated 120° from tangential direction.

### 2.2.2 Vibrating wire soft inclusion stress cell

The Geokon model 4360 soft inclusion stress cell is designed to measure changes in borehole diameters caused by changes in stress in rock and concrete. In use, an instrumented steel ring is installed in a borehole and pre-stressed in place by forcing platens into contact with the borehole walls. A vibrating wire strain gage measures the deformation of the ring, which is also the deformation of the borehole. Both compressive and tensile measurements can be made. Unlike the biaxial stressmeters that contain sets of 3 vibrating wires, the soft stress cells measure deformation changes in only one direction. For this reason the soft stress cells are installed in pairs to measure stress changes tangential and radial to the deposition holes.

## **2.3 Deformation gages**

Deformations around the deposition holes are measured with deformation gages installed both within the same boreholes used for the biaxial stressmeters, as well as in the horizontal complementary boreholes.

The Geokon model 4430 Deformation gage is designed to measure longitudinal deformations in boreholes. The deformation meter consists of a tube with an anchor at each end. Within the tube a beam of graphite will transfer any distance changes between the two anchors to a vibrating wire sensor. In each deformation meter a temperature sensor is included for temperature corrections.

## **2.4 Embedded strain gages**

At some particular locations, Geokon model 4200 strain gages have been installed over single fractures. This model gauge is designed for direct embedment in cast concrete and for installation in grouted boreholes. A steel wire is tensioned between two end blocks and the strain of the wire is measured using the vibrating wire principle.

Deformations in the rock mass induced movements of the hard cement causing the two end blocks to move in relation to each other across a joint, thereby altering the tension in the wire. The tension in the wire is measured by plucking the wire and measuring its resonant frequency of vibration using an electromagnetic coil.

## **2.5 Cement**

Special expansive grout was used to insure that the gage is in complete contact with the surrounding rock. The instruments are grouted in special cement from Denmark named Densitop T2. This cement is chosen to have as similar properties as the rock as possible. The compression strength is 150 MPa. The coefficient of expansion is approximately 8.5 microstrain/C° that is similar to the valves in hard rock as granite and as 85 % of common concrete.

## **2.6 Registration**

A datalogger type Campbell CR10X has recorded the measurements, which have typically been recorded once every four hours during the period 2003-09-01 to 2003-11-30.



### **3 Computer processing of field data**

#### **3.1 Evaluation of stresses from biaxial stressmeters**

The stress changes are evaluated from the measured deformations registered by the vibrating wires.

#### **3.2 Radial deformations**

Radial deformation for each of the vibrating wires is calculated with the equation:

$$V_r = (R_1 - R_0) * \text{Gagefactor} \quad (\text{mm/ digit})$$

$V_r$  = Radial deformation for each of the vibrating wires

$R_1$  = Deformation reading in digits (= frequency<sup>2</sup> / 1000)

$R_0$  = Deformation zero reading in digits (= frequency<sup>2</sup> / 1000)

#### **3.3 Calculation of deformation to stresses**

The magnitude and the direction of the stress changes are determined from the measured radial deformation of the sensor in three directions.

The equations below give the magnitude and the direction of the maximum stress increase and reduction in a plane perpendicular to the borehole axes:

##### Maximal stress increase

$$p = \frac{1}{2} \left[ \frac{1}{3B} \left( (2V_{r_1} - V_{r_2} - V_{r_3})^2 + 3(V_{r_2} - V_{r_3})^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} + \frac{1}{3A} (V_{r_1} + V_{r_2} + V_{r_3}) \right]$$

$V_{r_1}$  = Radial deformation for vibrating wire 1

$V_{r_2}$  = Radial deformation for vibrating wire 2

$V_{r_3}$  = Radial deformation for vibrating wire 3

$A, B$  = Coefficients depending on the sensor geometry and the material properties

##### Maximal stress reduction

$$q = \left[ \frac{1}{3A} (V_{r_1} + V_{r_2} + V_{r_3}) - p \right]$$

### The angle of the maximal stress increase

The angle in the plane perpendicular to the borehole axes is measured clockwise from the tangential direction of the canister hole.

$$\theta = \frac{1}{2} \cos^{-1} \left[ \frac{V_{r_1} - A(p+q)}{B(p-q)} \right]$$

### **3.4 Evaluation of stress from soft inclusion stress cells**

The eight soft inclusion stress cells each contain one vibrating wire which is mounted at a 90° angle from measured direction of stress. Therefore an increase in the readings in digits indicates a reduction on borehole diameter.

The change in the diameter of the borehole is calculated as follows:

$$D = (R_1 - R_0) * G$$

Where  $R_1$  and  $R_0$  are the current and initial readings respectively, in units of digits (frequency<sup>2</sup> / 1000), and

$G$  is the gage factor in units of (mm/digit)

### **3.5 Evaluation of deformation**

Deformation measurements taken with the Geokon Model 4430 deformation meters were calculated as temperature compensated deformation with the following equations:

$$\text{Deformation}_{\text{corr}} = ((R_1 - R_0) * C) + ((T_1 - T_0) * K) + L_c$$

Where  $R_1$  and  $R_0$  are the current and initial readings respectively, in units of digits (frequency<sup>2</sup> / 1000),

$T_1$  and  $T_0$  are the current and initial temperatures respectively in C°,

$C$  is the gage specific calibration factor

$K$  is the thermal coefficient based on the following equation:

$$K = ((R_1 * M) + B) * C$$

Where  $M = 0.000295$ , and  $B = 1.724$

$L_c$  is the gage length correction based on the following equation:

$$L_c = (17.3 * 10^{-6}) * (\text{Length of the deformation meter} - \text{transducer length}) * (T_1 - T_0)$$

For the gages installed at the Prototype project the transducer length is 267 mm

### **3.6 Evaluation of strain**

Strain measurements taken with the Geokon Model 4200 gages were calculated as temperature compensated strain with the following equation:

$$\mu\epsilon_{true} = (R_1 - R_0) * GF * B + (T_1 - T_0)(C_1 - C_2)$$

$\mu\epsilon_{true}$  = temperature compensated microstrain

$R_1$  and  $R_0$  = Digits reading

$GF$  = theoretical gage factor

$B$  = batch calibration factor

$C_1$  and  $C_2$  are the coefficients of expansion of steel and concrete, 12.2 microstrain/ $^{\circ}\text{C}$  and 8.5 microstrain/ $^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

### **3.7 Material parameters**

Material parameters used in the calculations are as the following:

- Young's modulus of intact rock 69 Gpa
- Poisson's ratio of intact rock 0.25
- Coefficients of expansion of steel 12.2 microstrain/  $^{\circ}\text{C}$
- Coefficients of expansion of concrete 8.5 microstrain/ $^{\circ}\text{C}$

### **3.8 Processing**

The raw data which have been collected using Multilogger software have been processed using Microsoft Excel software.



## **4 Results**

### **4.1 Overview and comments**

The measurement results are presented graphically for each of the sensor in the following sections for the primary and complementary instruments.

During the presented measuring period a lot of efforts were made to remove the electric disturbances, which have resulted in extremely unstable readings.

The remedial measures made during the period have given good positive results. Data logger 1 was exchanged to a logger with a digital signal processor (DSP) at 2003-10-07. This upgrading did have any significant effect on the signal output, except for biaxial stressmeters. The search for the problem continued together with the supplier of the logger system. It was found that the new DSP unit could not operate together with the 32-channel multiplexers that are connected to the biaxial stressmeters without some modifications. A new connector was developed and placed in those multiplexers between the circuit board and the multi cable, which resulted in stable readings. The connectors were installed 2003-11-20.

#### **4.1.1 Biaxial stressmeter results**

Data are over range during the period 2003-09-09 to 2003-11-20. After the installation of the upgraded system all output values became stable except for biaxial stress meter C6. The temperature signal is also over ranged for this instrument. Control of the function indicates that the instrument is not reliable.

#### **4.1.2 Soft inclusion stress cell results**

During the measuring period 2003-09-09 to 2003-10-07 the multiplexer cable from the soft inclusion stress cells was not permanently connected to the logger system, as the cable was temporary used for the new multiplexer 4 for the instruments in the concrete plug. All soft stress sensors are now in operation.

#### **4.1.3 Deformation measurements in vertical primary boreholes**

The readings became worse up to 2003-10-03 until the logger was complemented with a DSP-unit. There are however some scattered data between 2003-10-07 and 2003-10-22. The cause of that is not understood but might be due to that the sensors were temporary disconnected from the logger as there were problems with the biaxial stress meters. All installed instruments are now working.

#### **4.1.4 Strain measurements in vertical primary boreholes**

The data from these sensors have behaved in the same way as described for the deformation sensors in chapter 4.1.3. All instruments are working after 2003-10-22. Strain gage in borehole E6 shows some unstable readings.

#### **4.1.5 Deformation measurements in D5 horizontal complementary boreholes**

The lack of data from 2003-09-09 to 2003-10-07 depends on that the cable from the multiplexer to the logger was disconnected. That cable was used for monitoring of the sensors in the concrete plug during that period. The instable readings in mid November are caused by that data logger 2 did not have a DSP-unit. The readings are stable after the DSP was installed in the logger and all sensors are now working properly.

#### **4.1.6 Deformation measurements in D6 horizontal complementary boreholes**

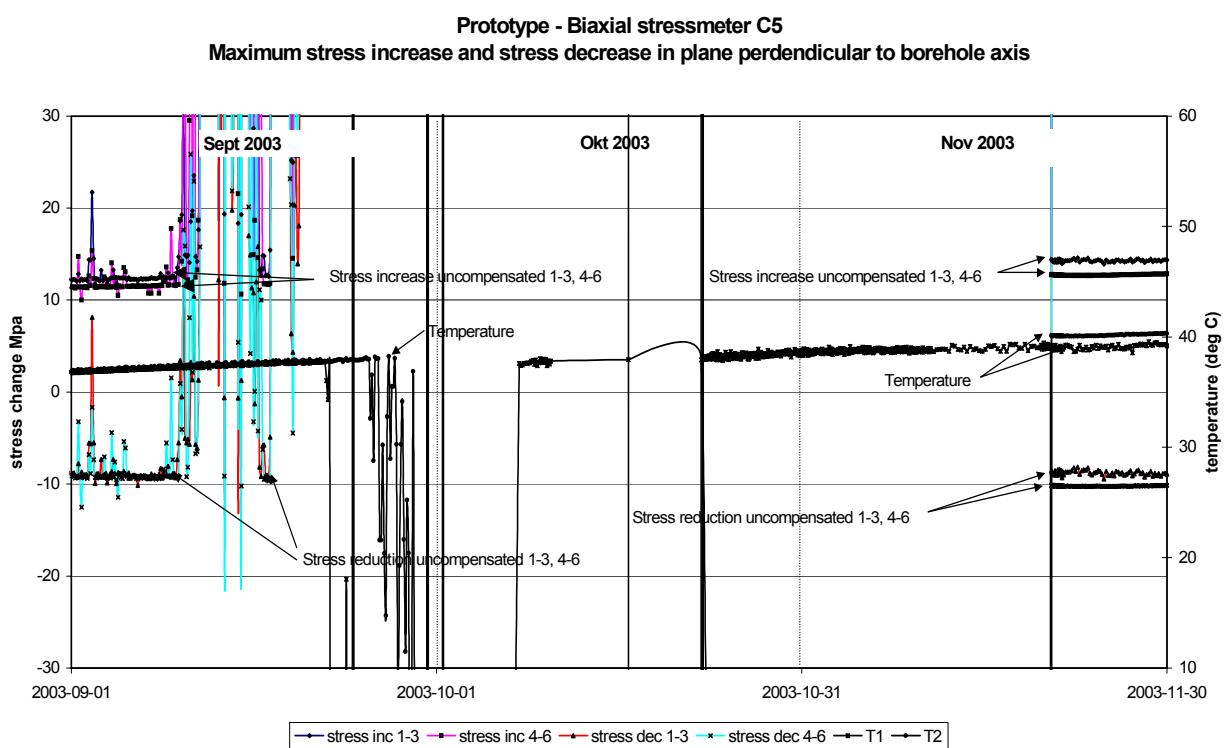
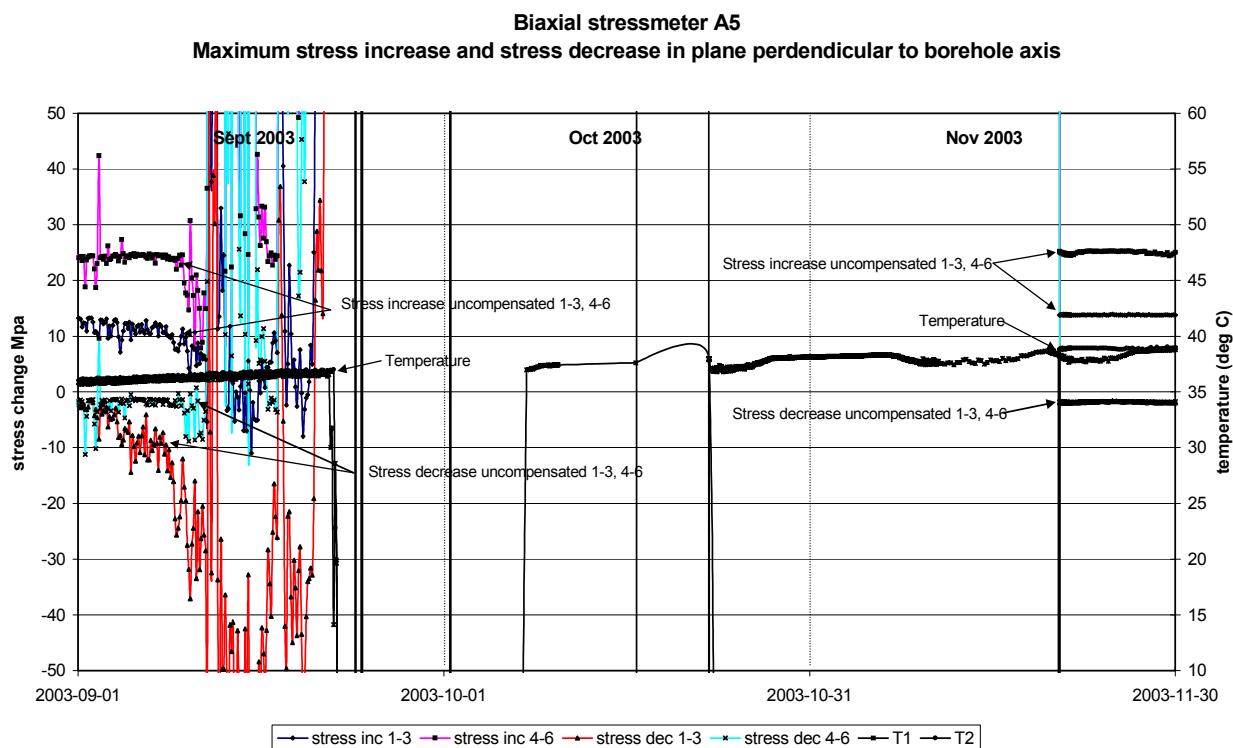
The behaviour of the instruments is the same as for boreholes D5 chapter 4.1.5. The readings are stable from mid of November 2003 except of DM 4 in borehole D6:6(2). Some unstable readings are due to that datalogger 2 did not have a DSP-unit installed.

#### **4.1.7 Strain measurements in complementary boreholes**

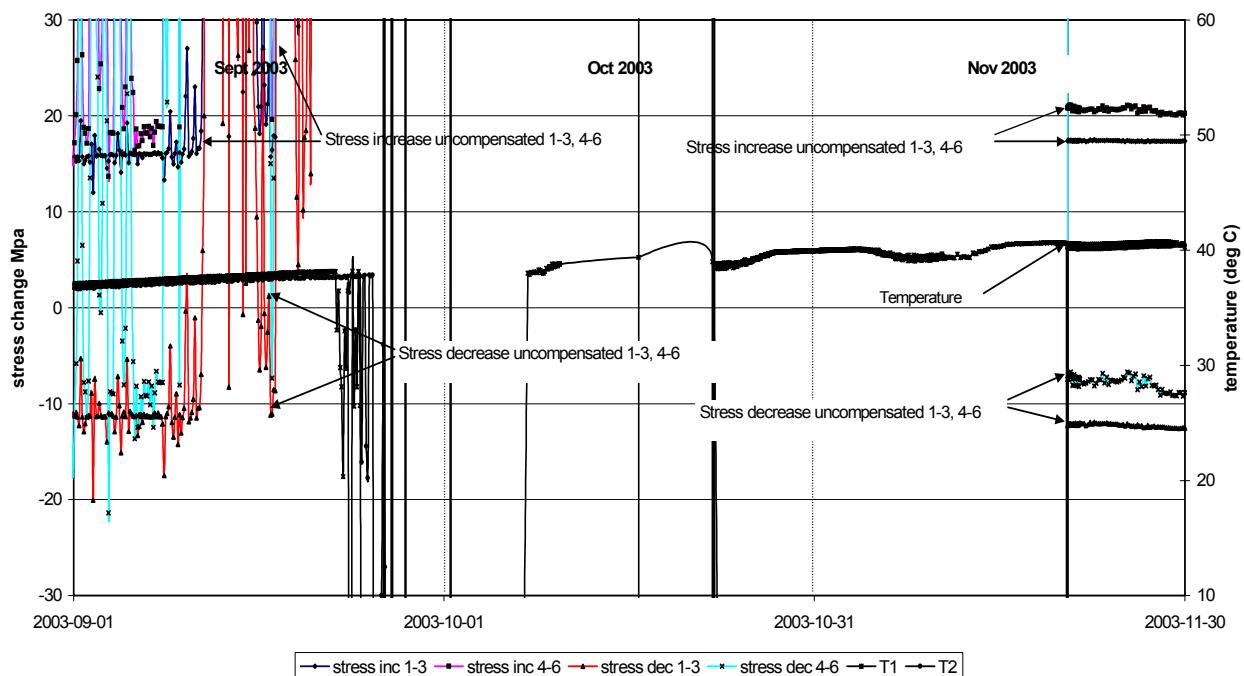
The instruments were disconnected between 2003-09-09 and 2003-10-07. The instable readings for the instruments is due to that data logger 2 did not have a DSP-unit during the measuring period.

## 4.2 Graphical presentation of results

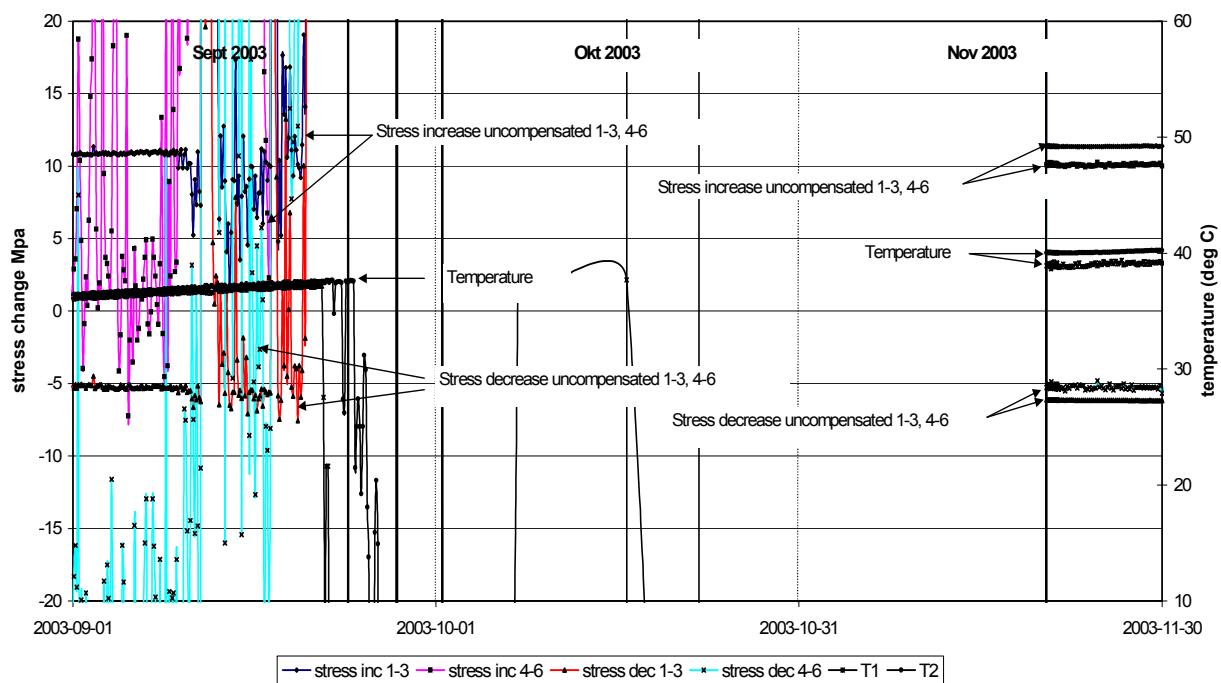
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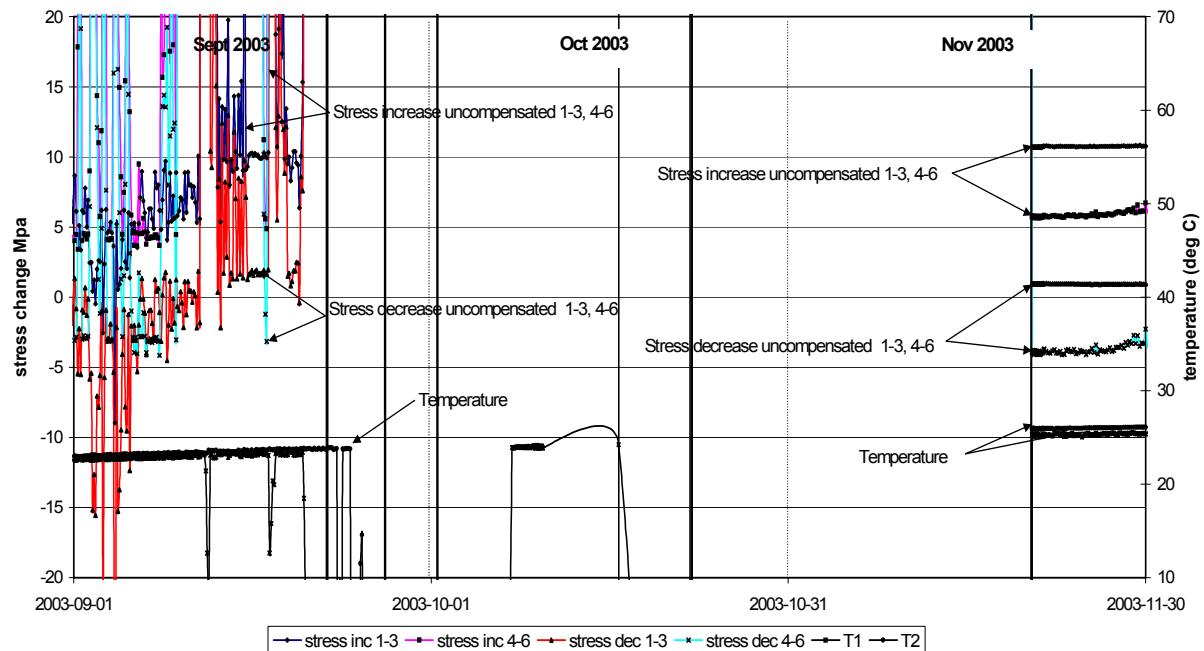
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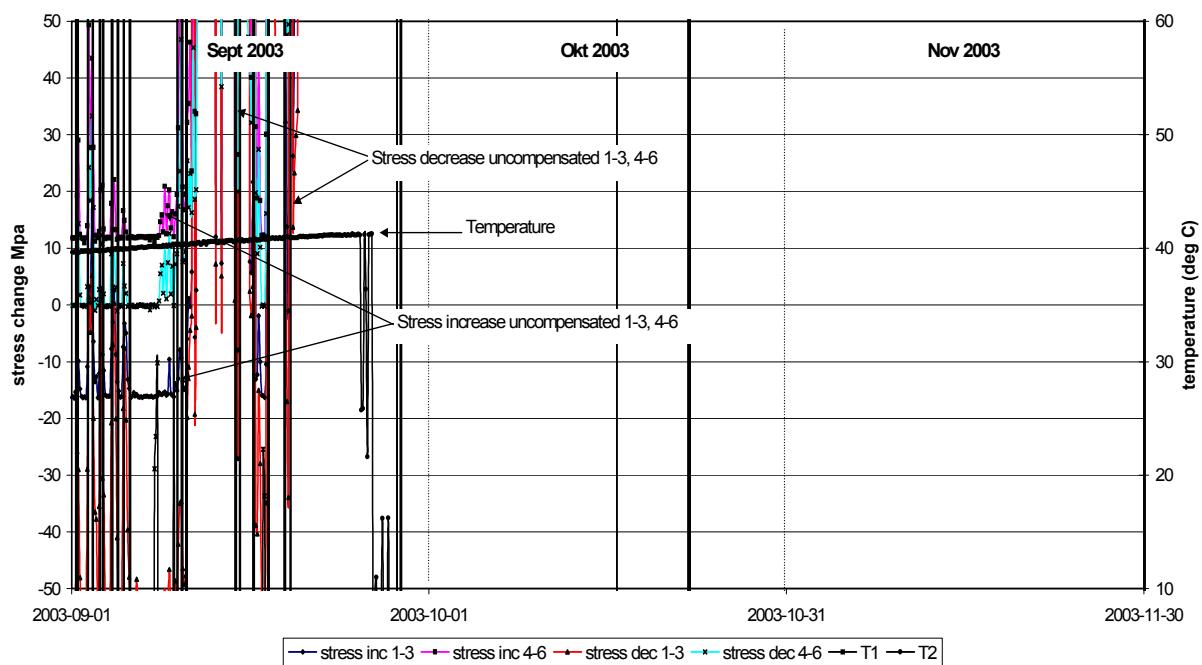
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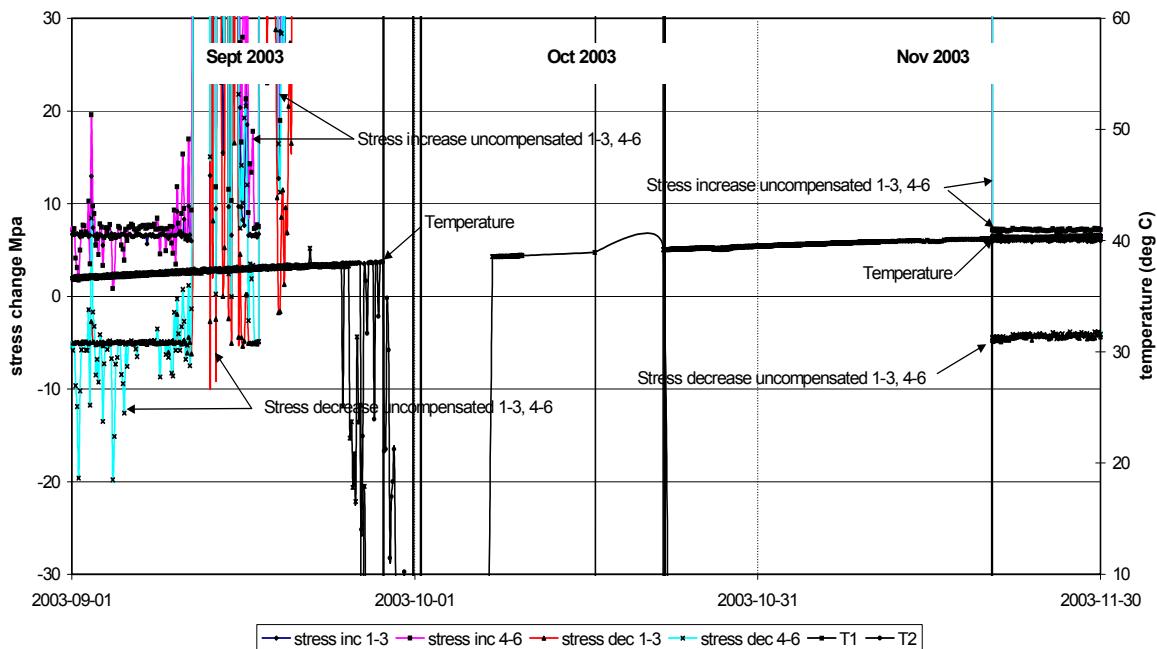
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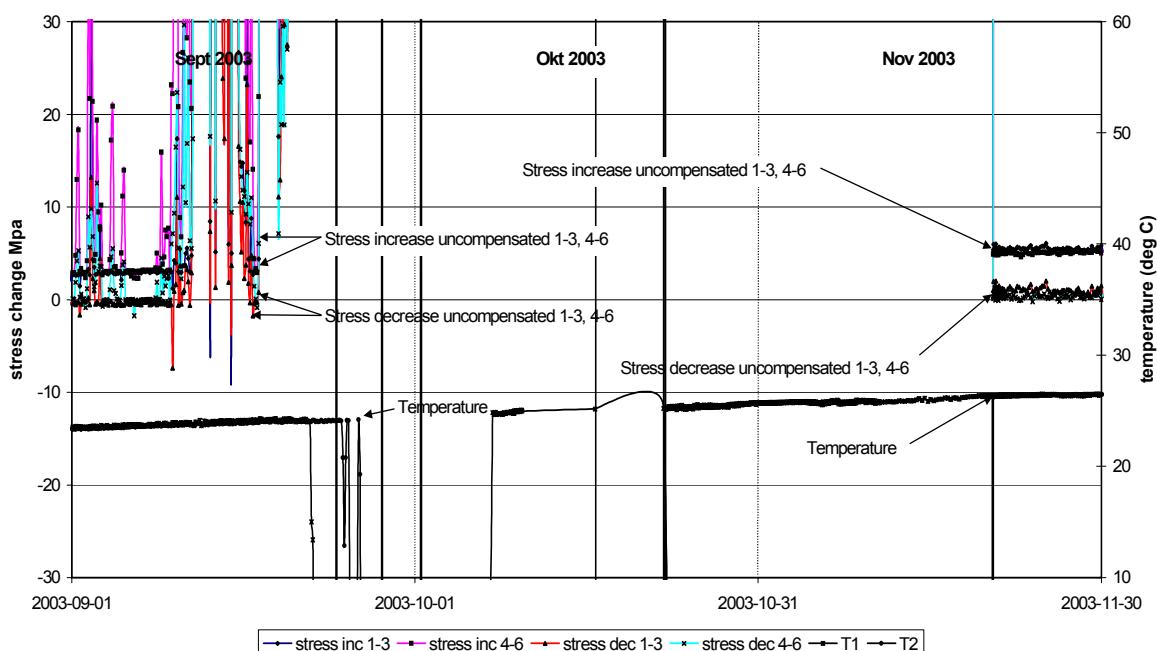
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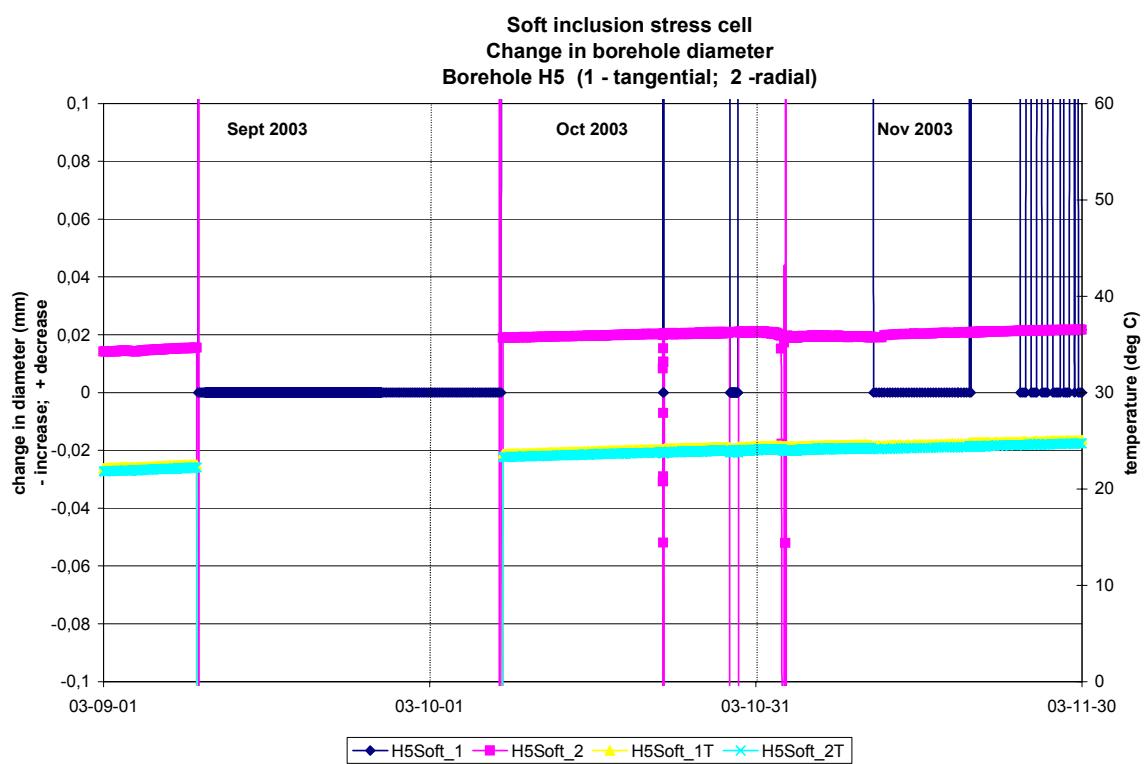
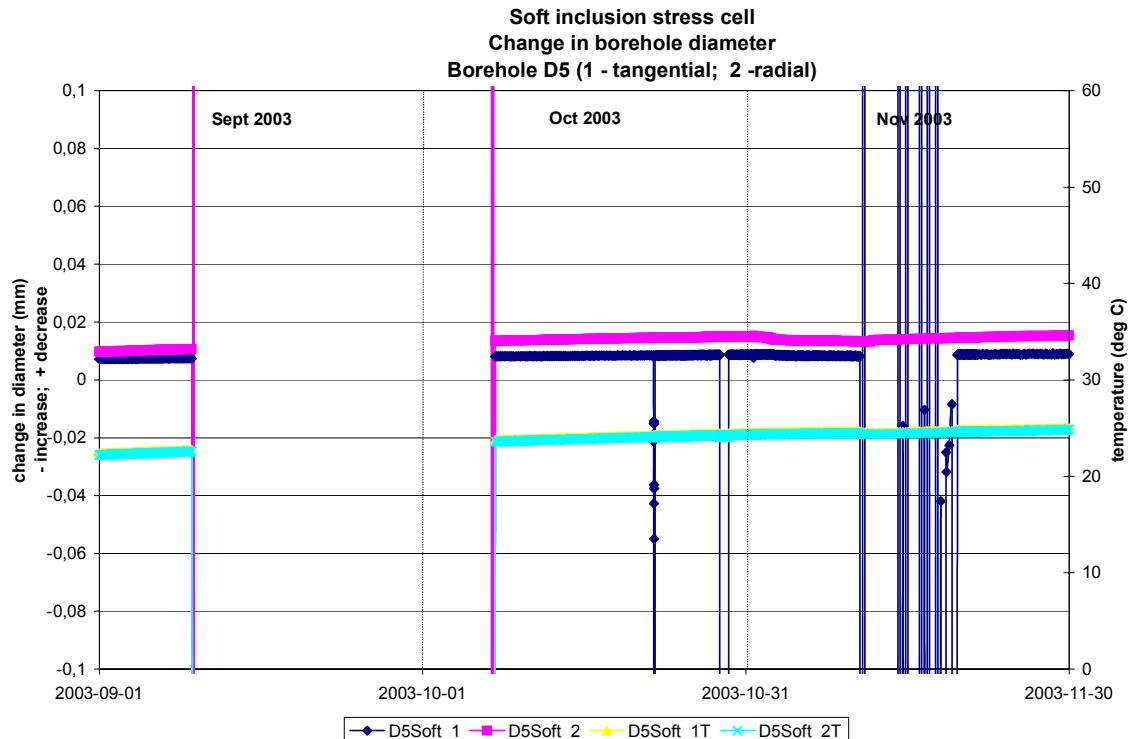
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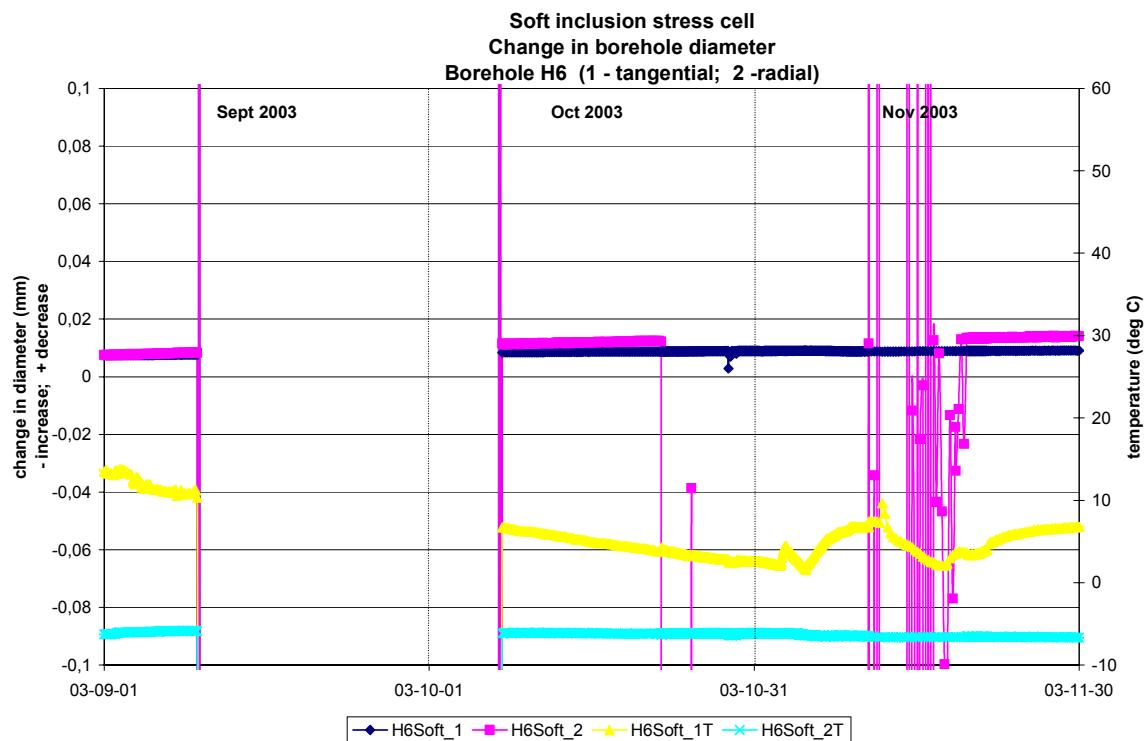
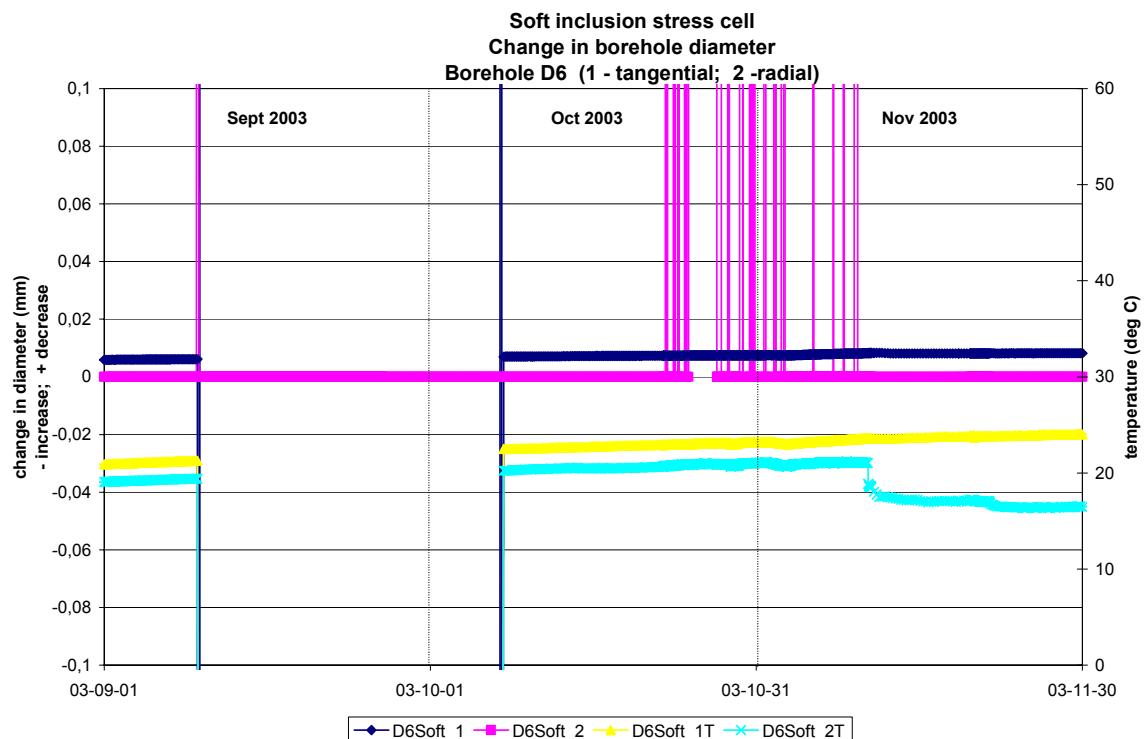


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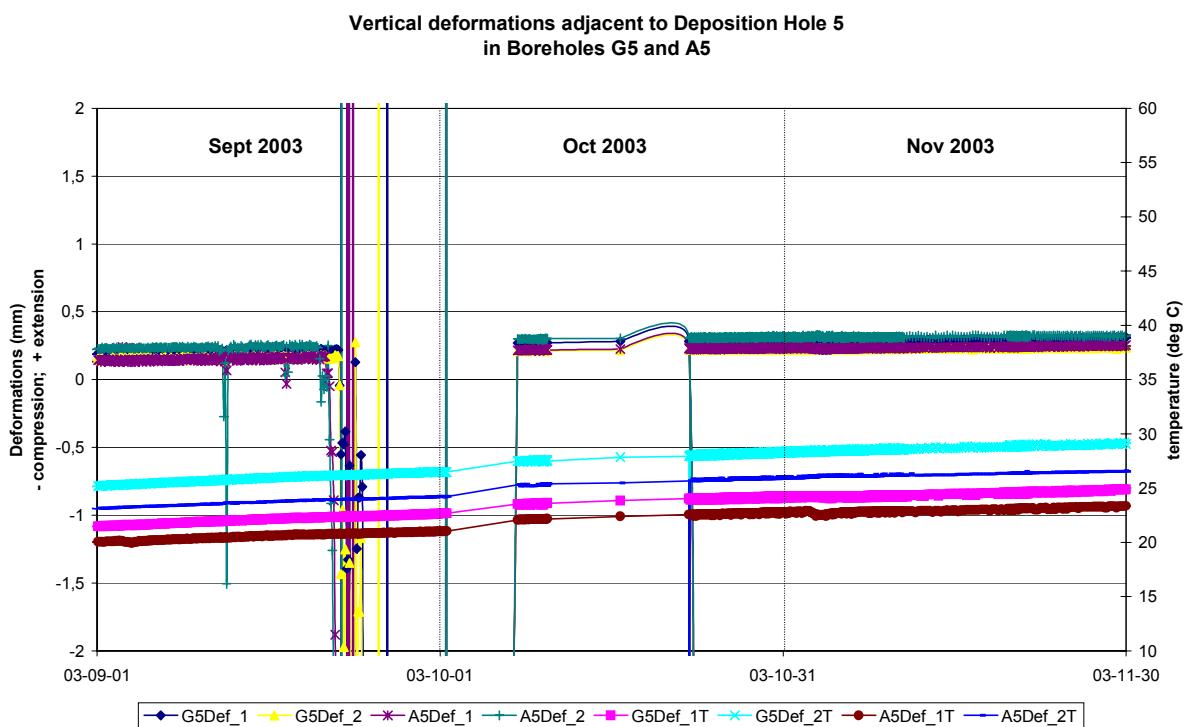
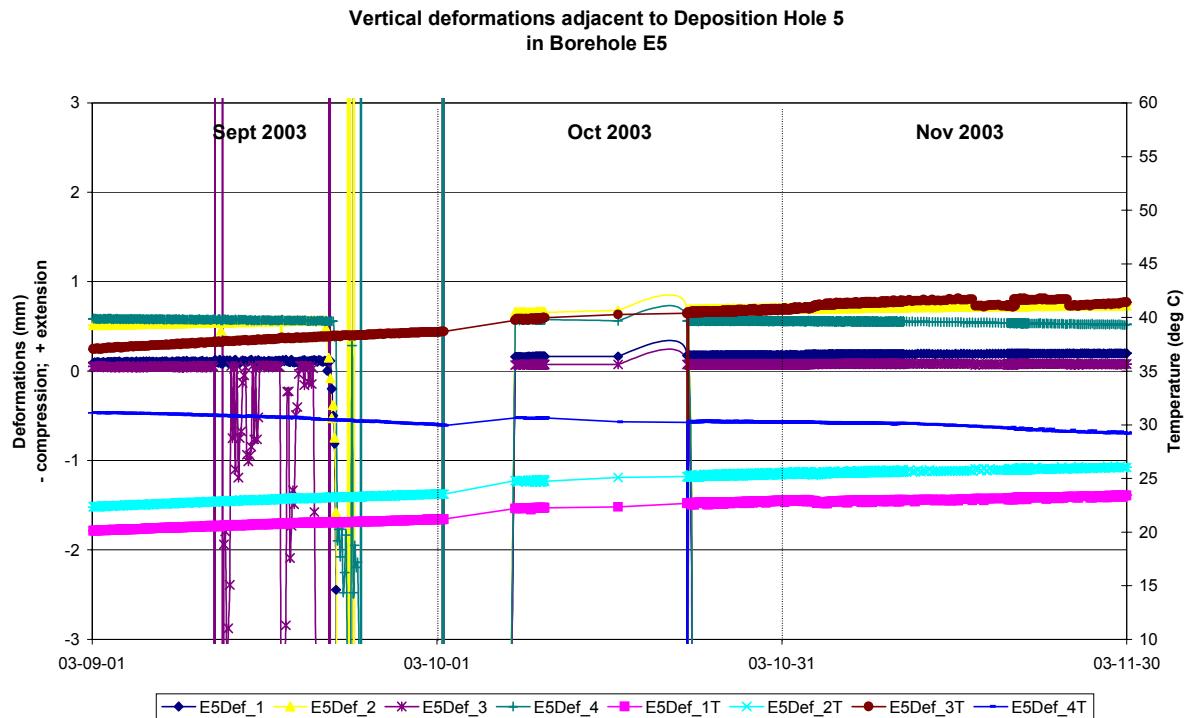


#### 4.2.2 Soft inclusion stress cell results

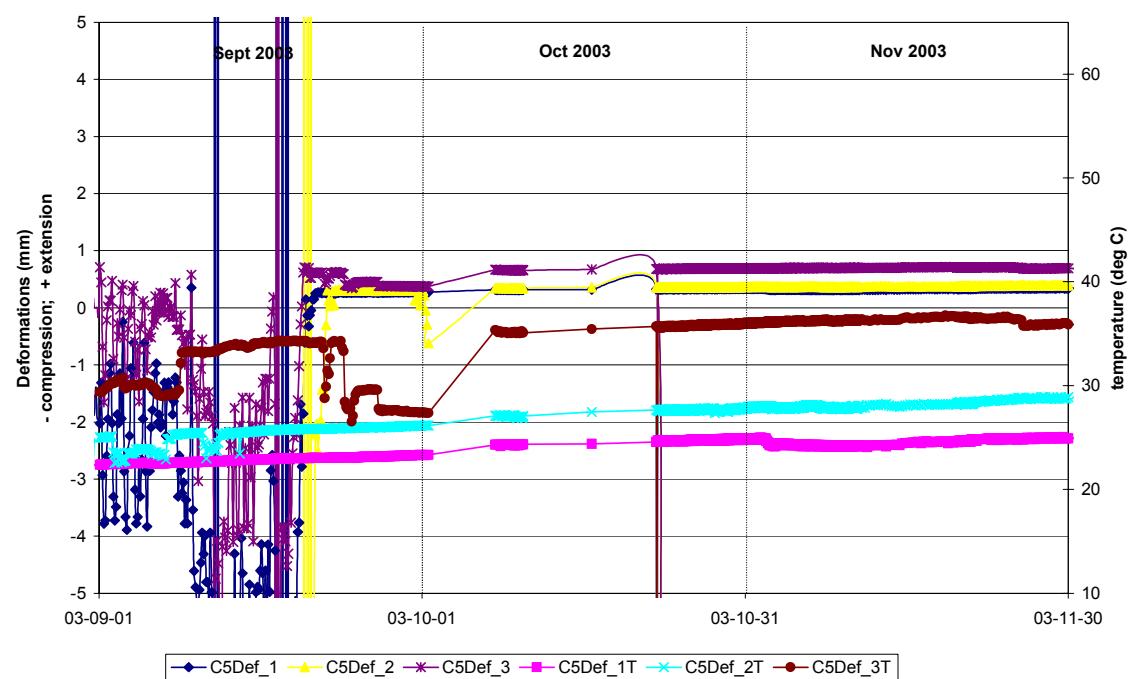




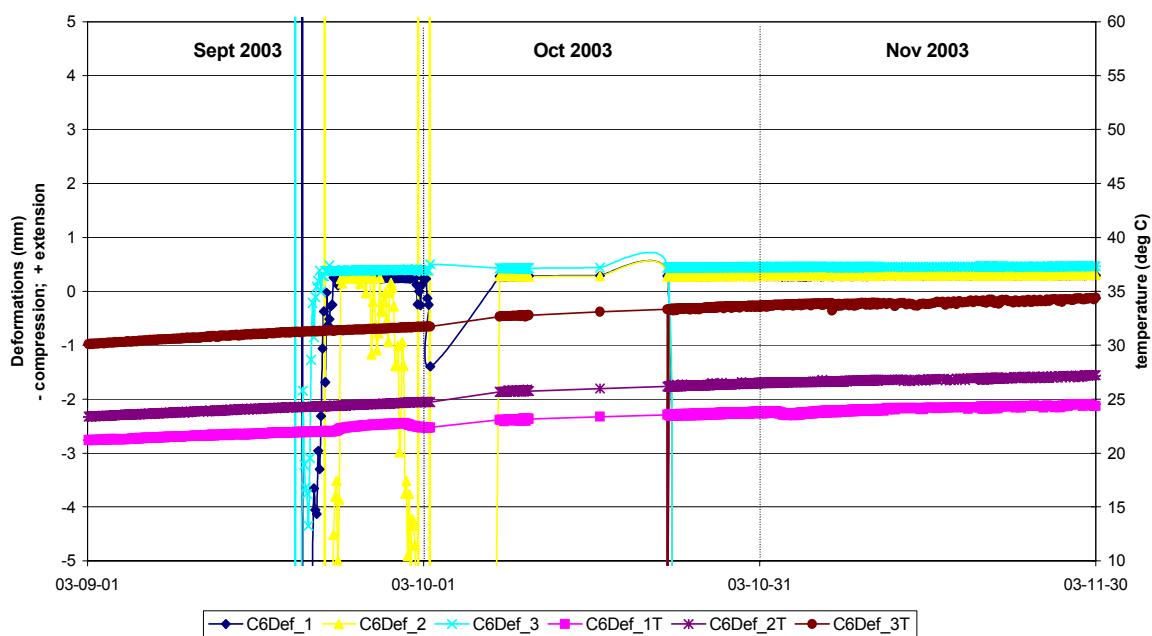
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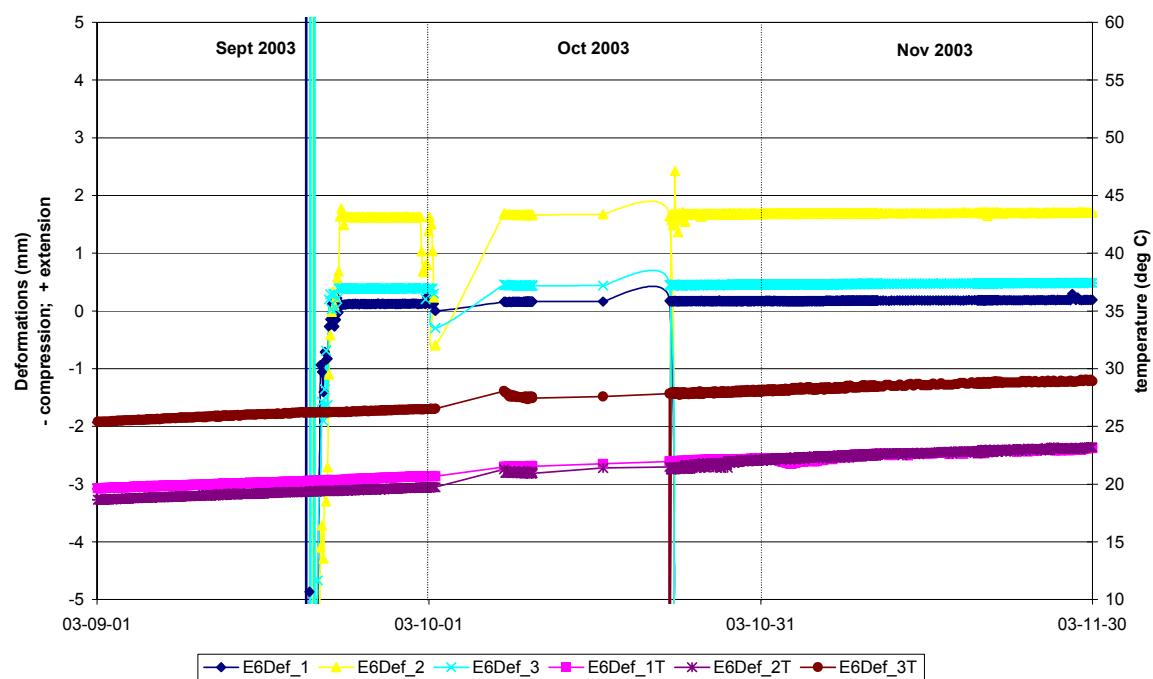
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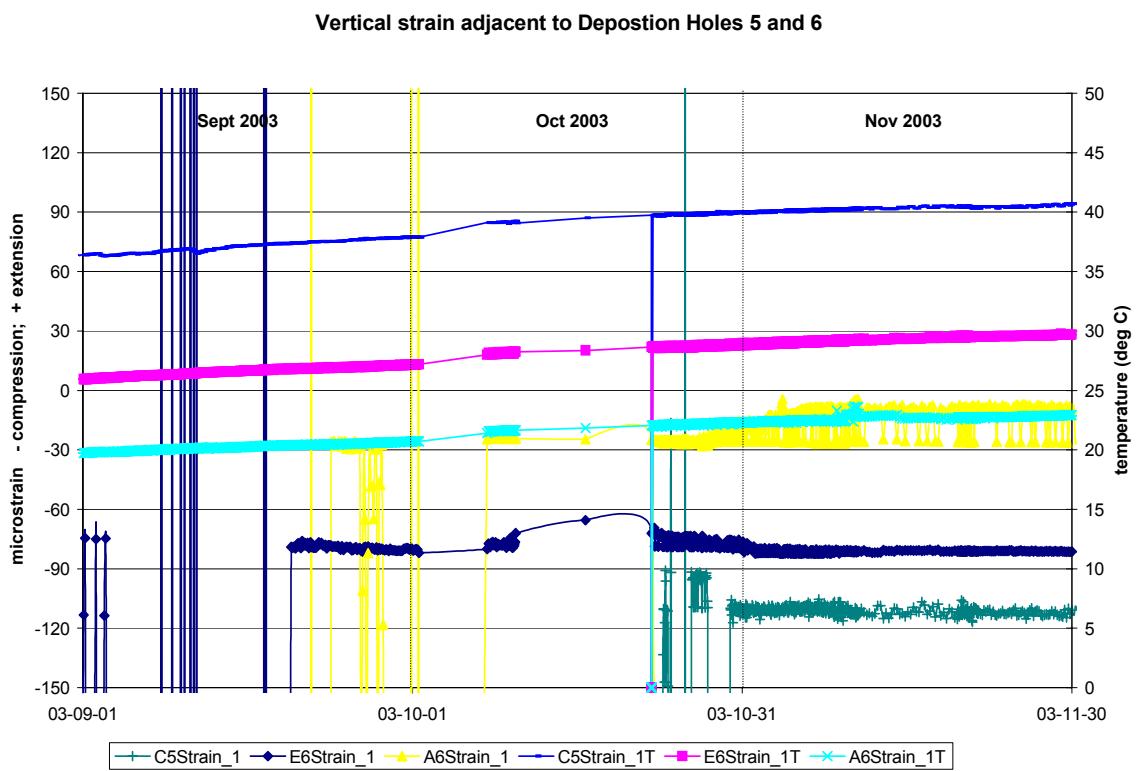
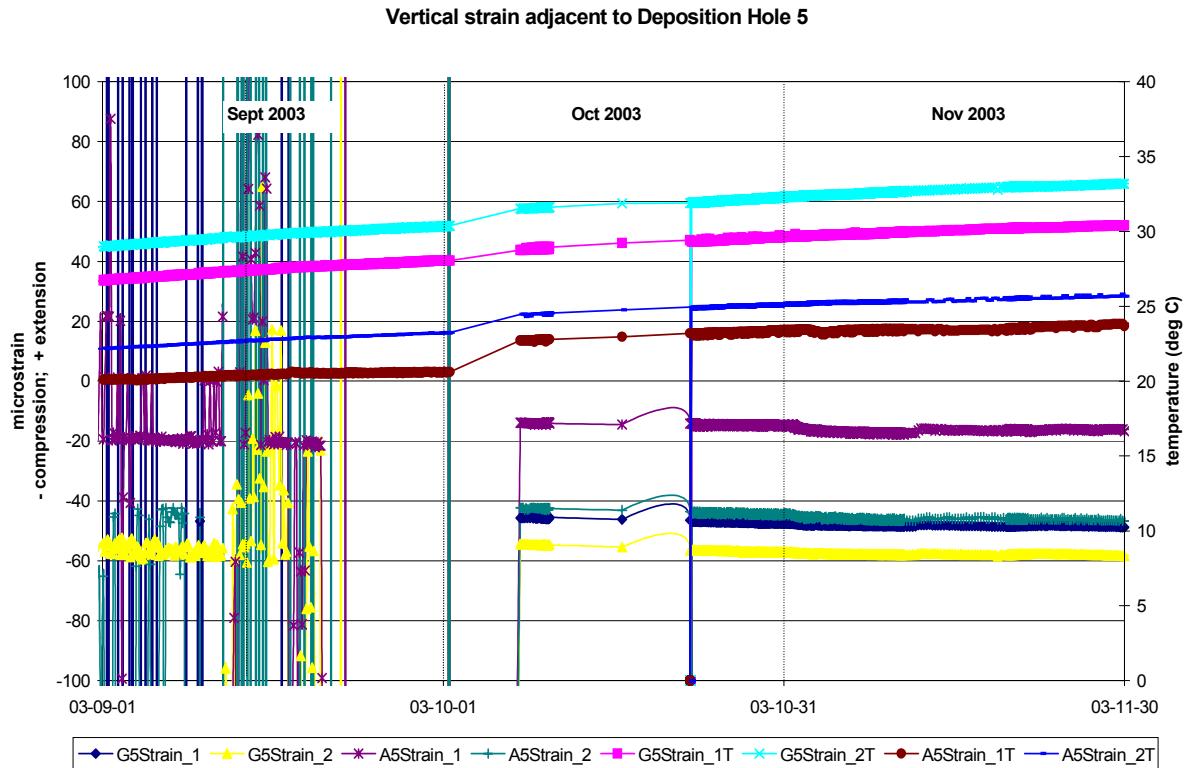
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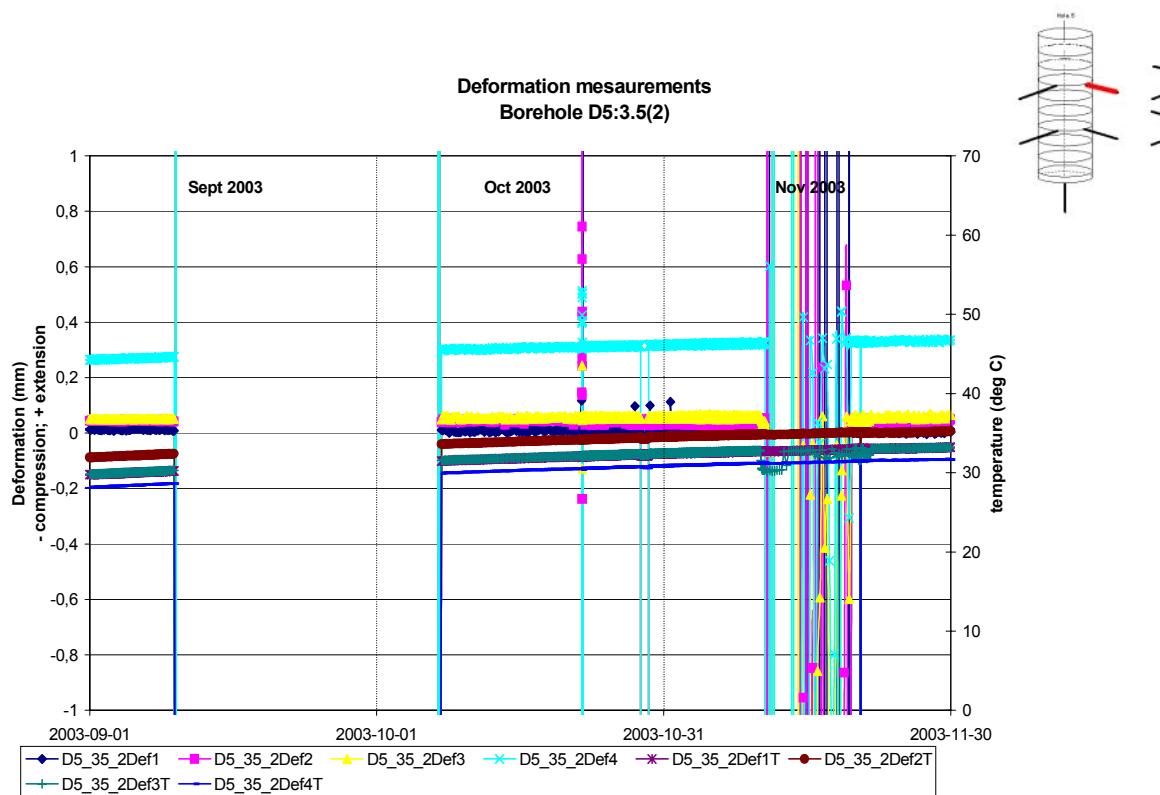
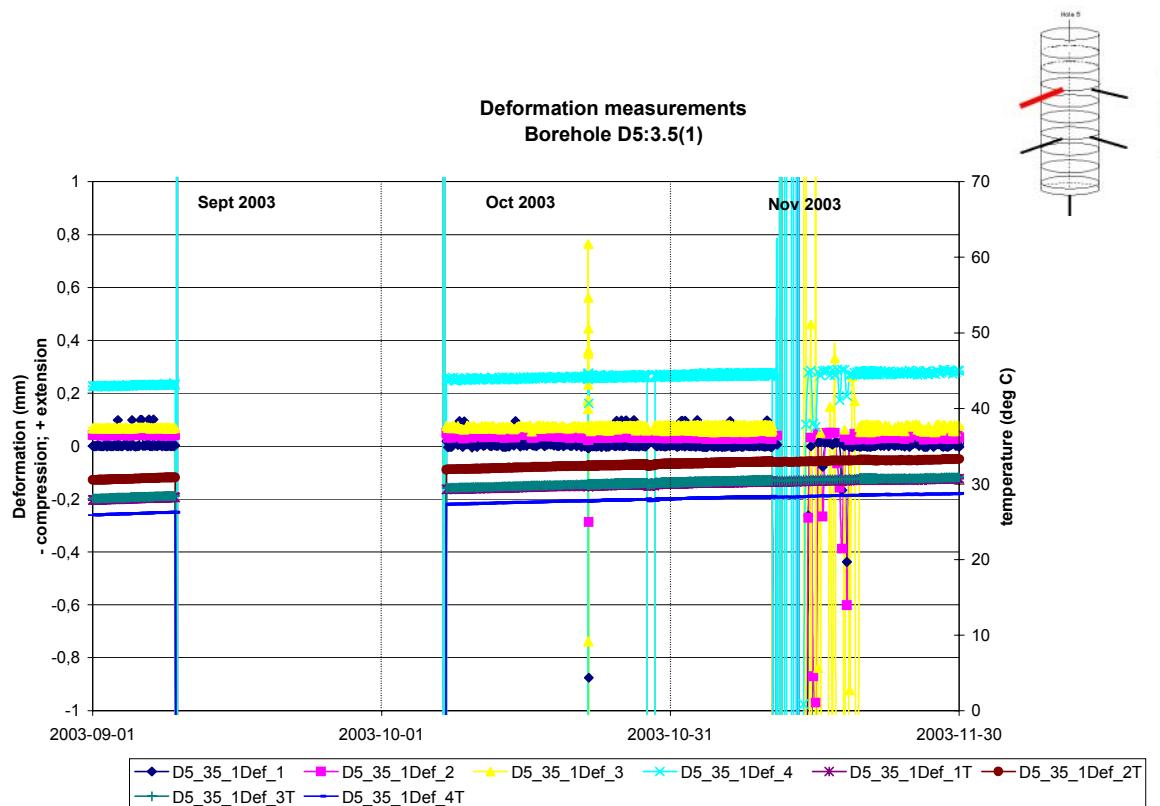
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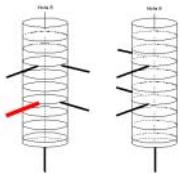
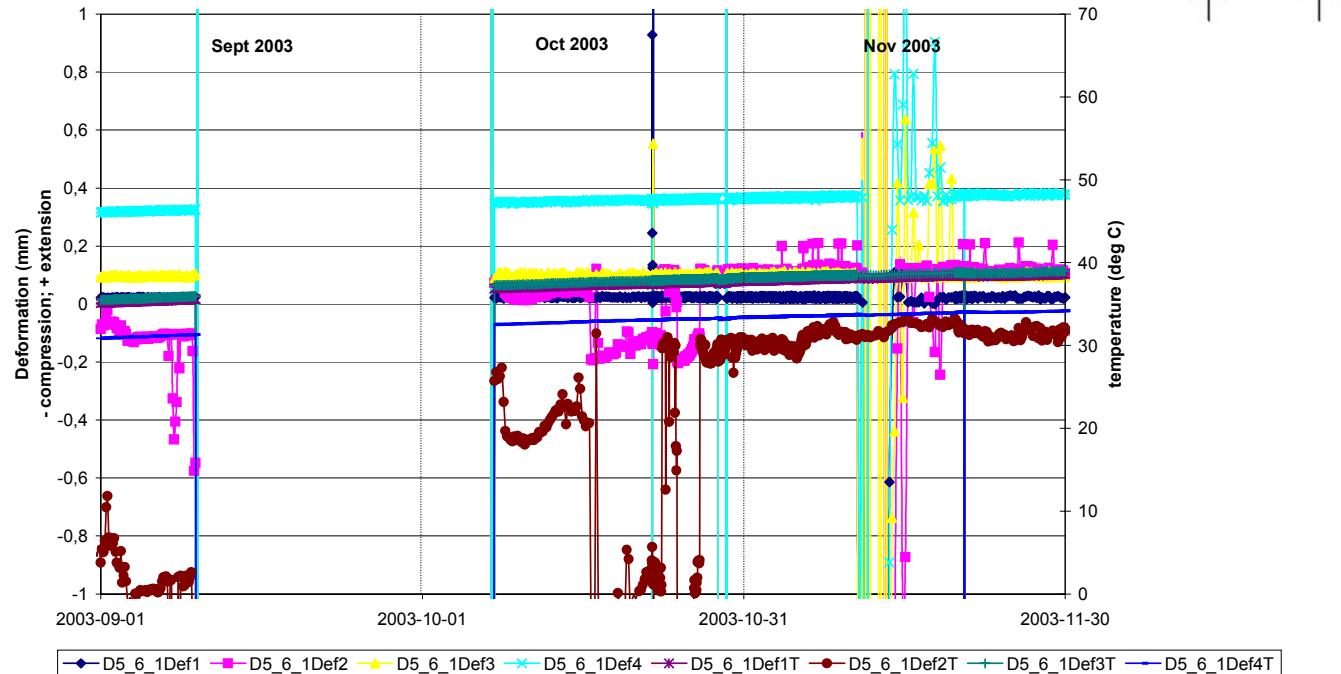
#### 4.2.4 Strain measurements in vertical primary boreholes



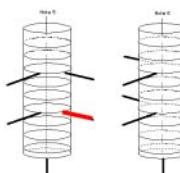
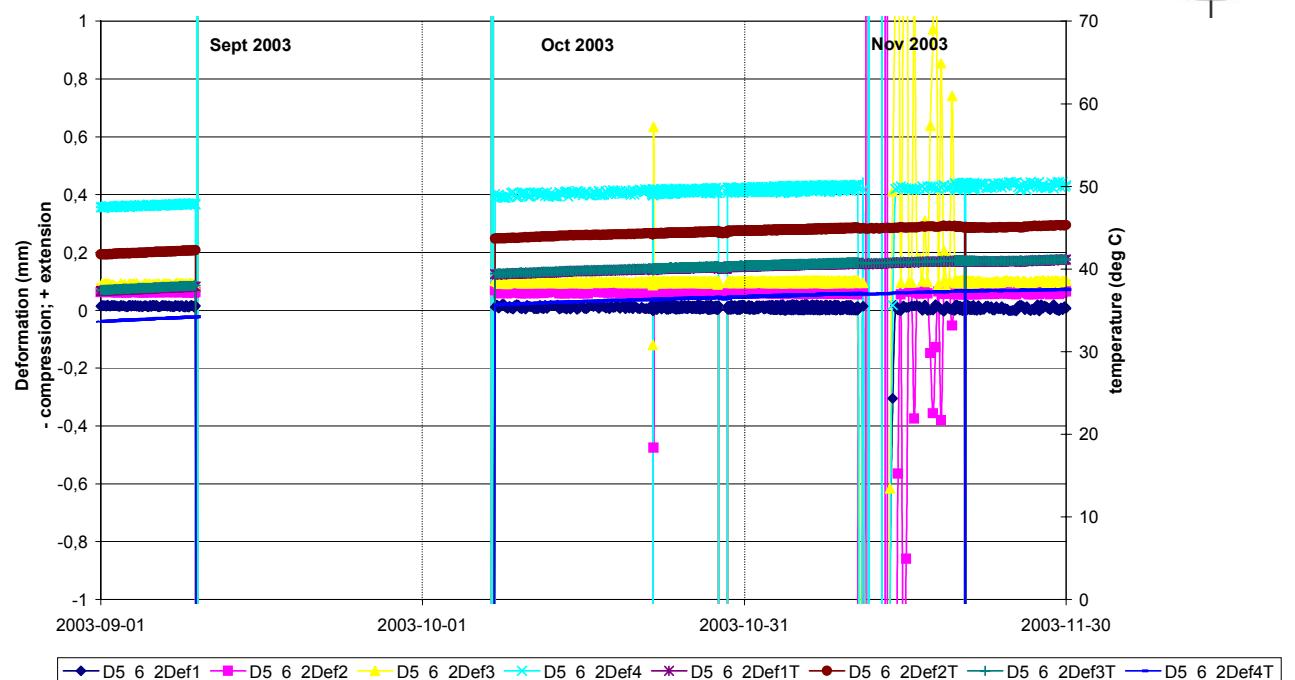
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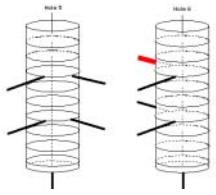


### Deformation measurements Borehole D5:6(1)

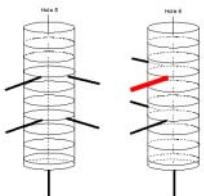
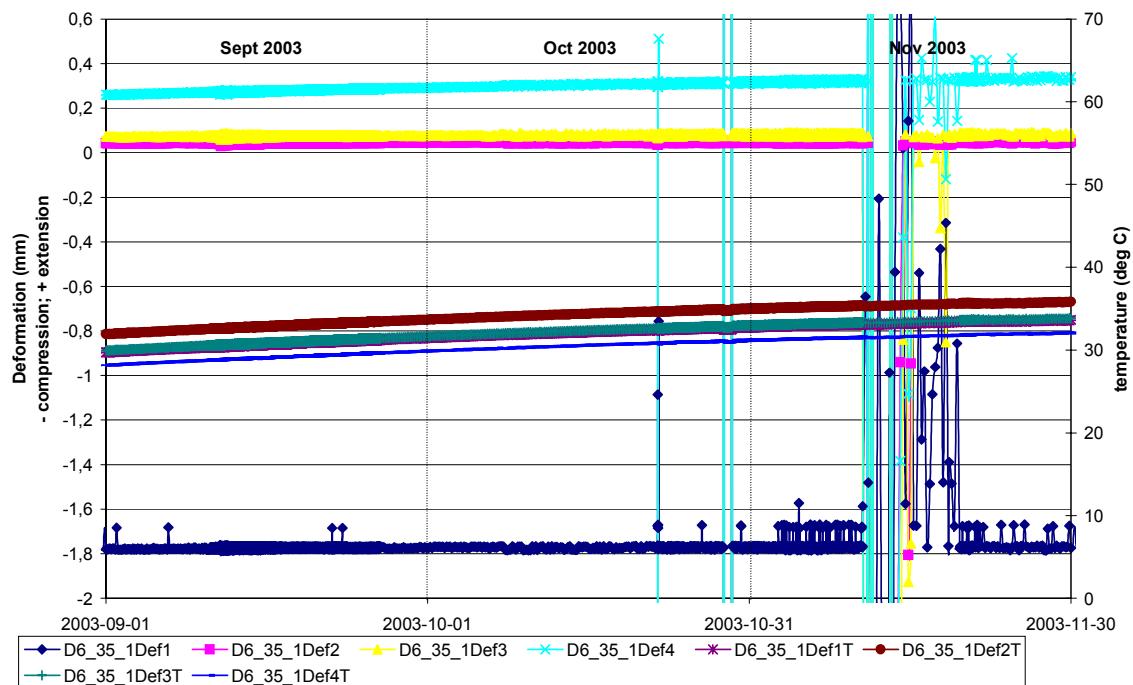


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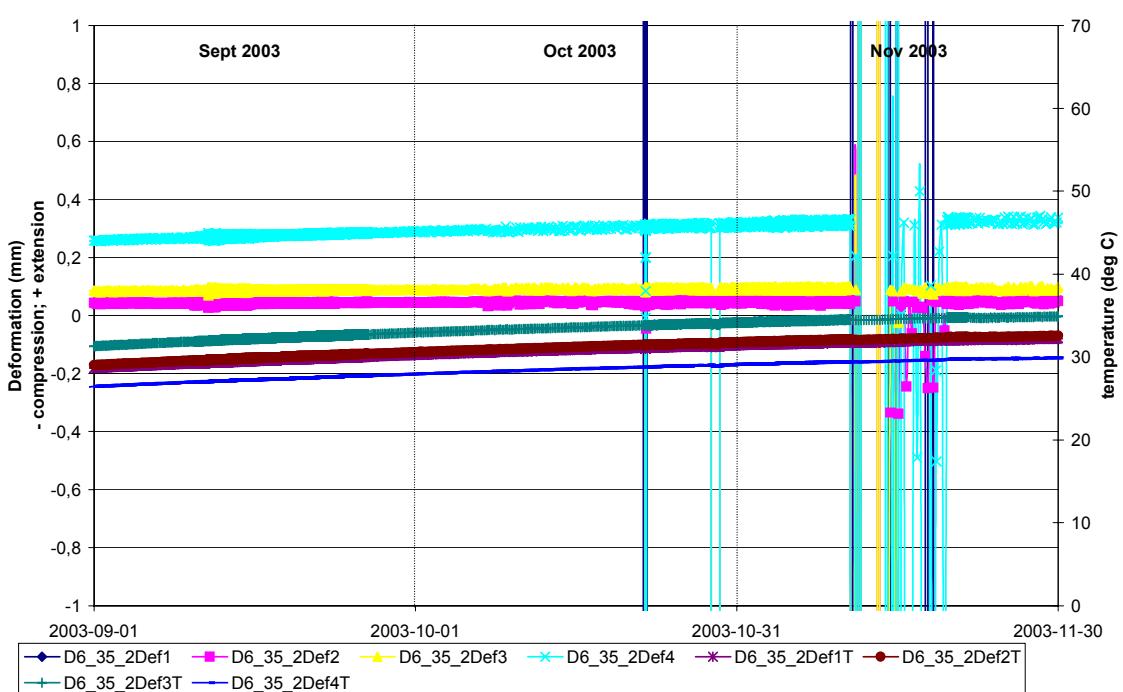


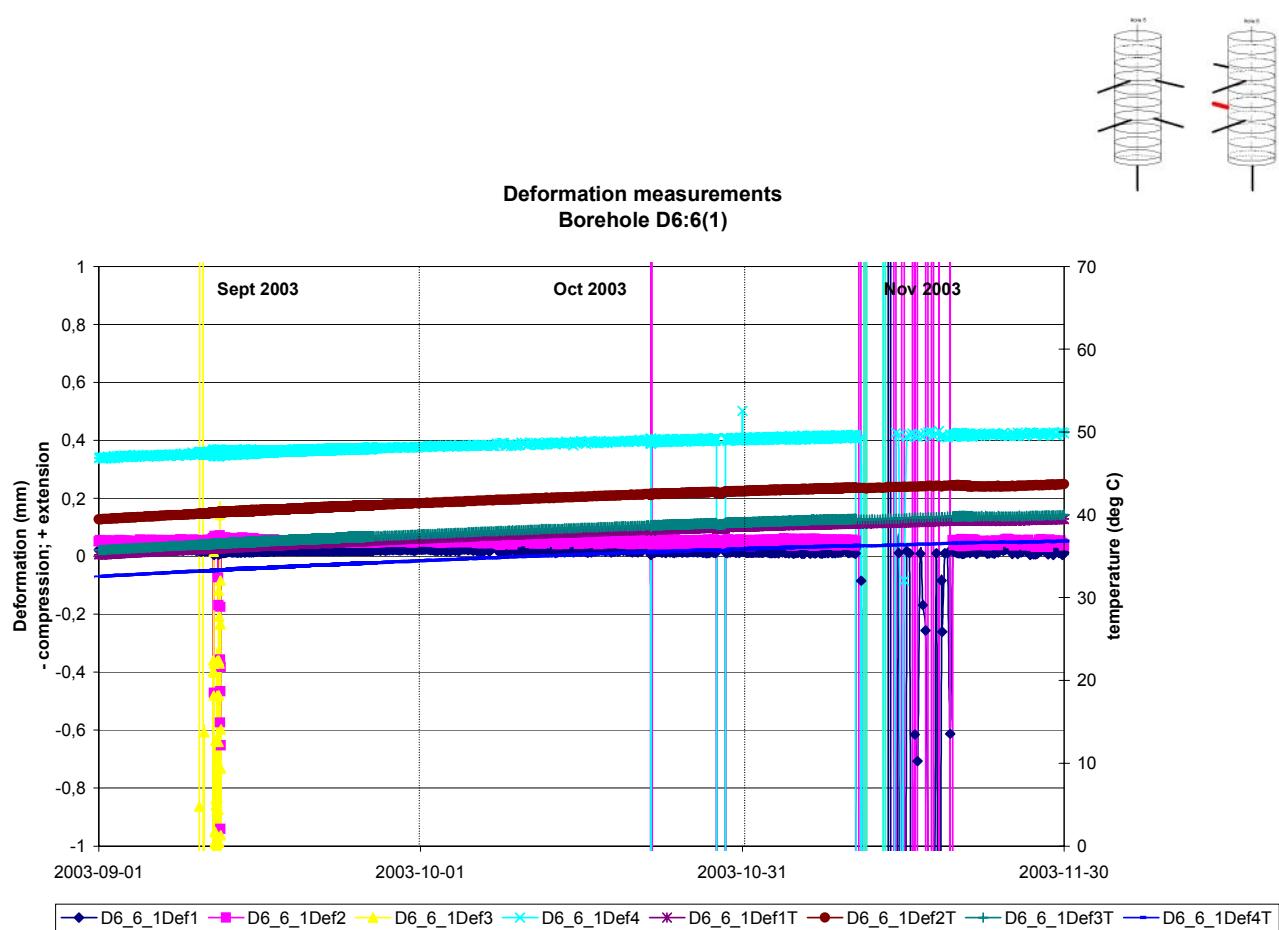
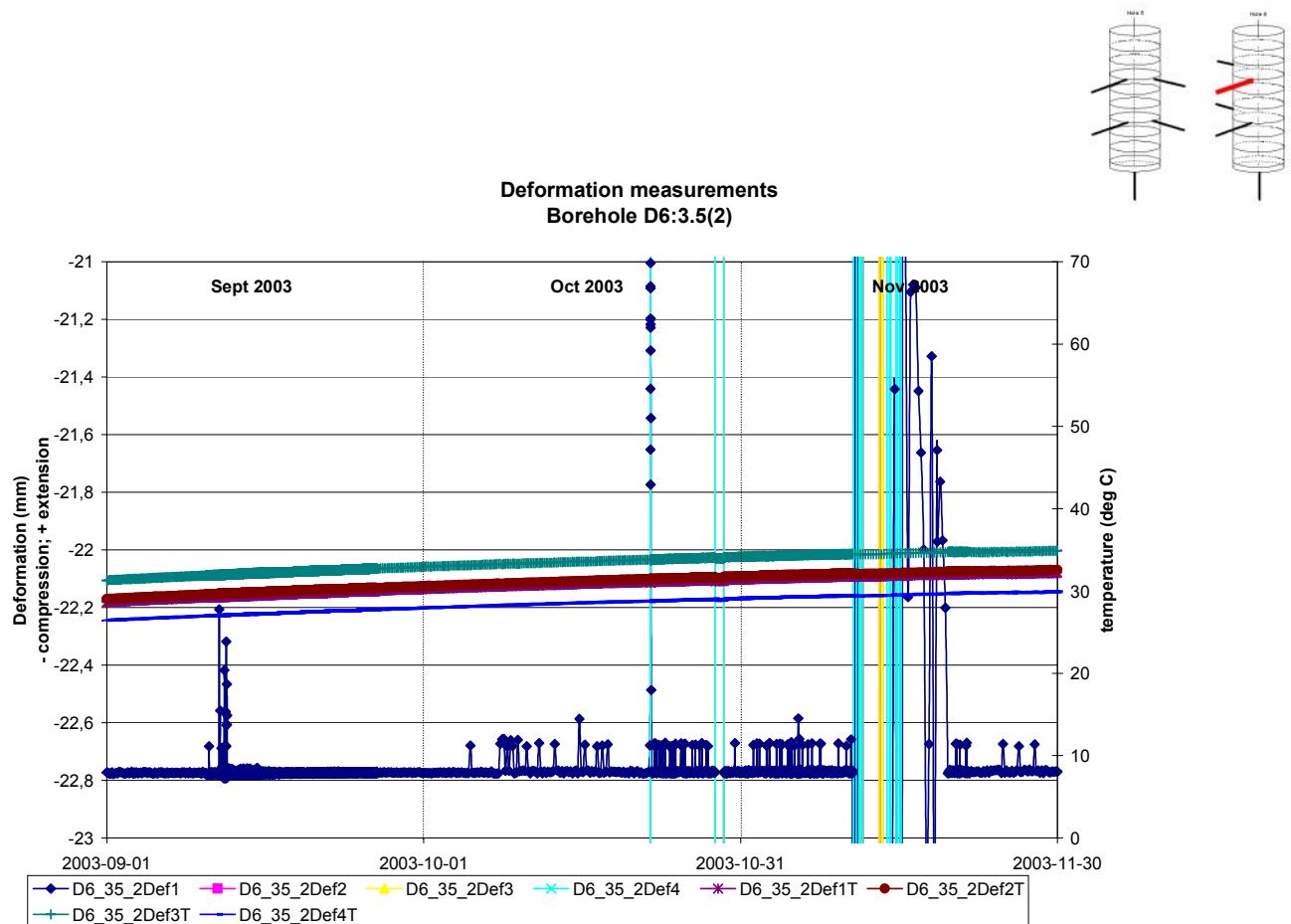


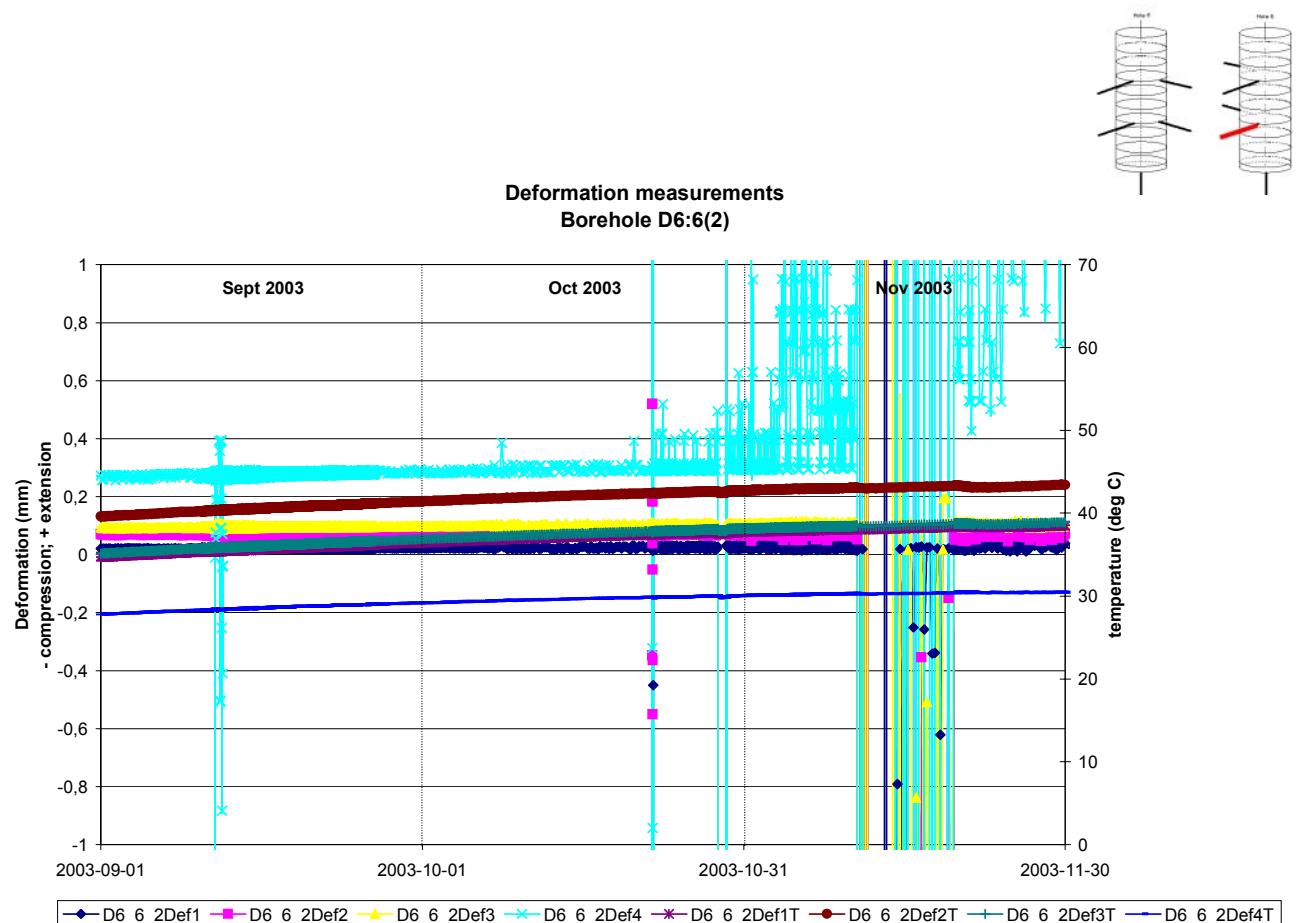
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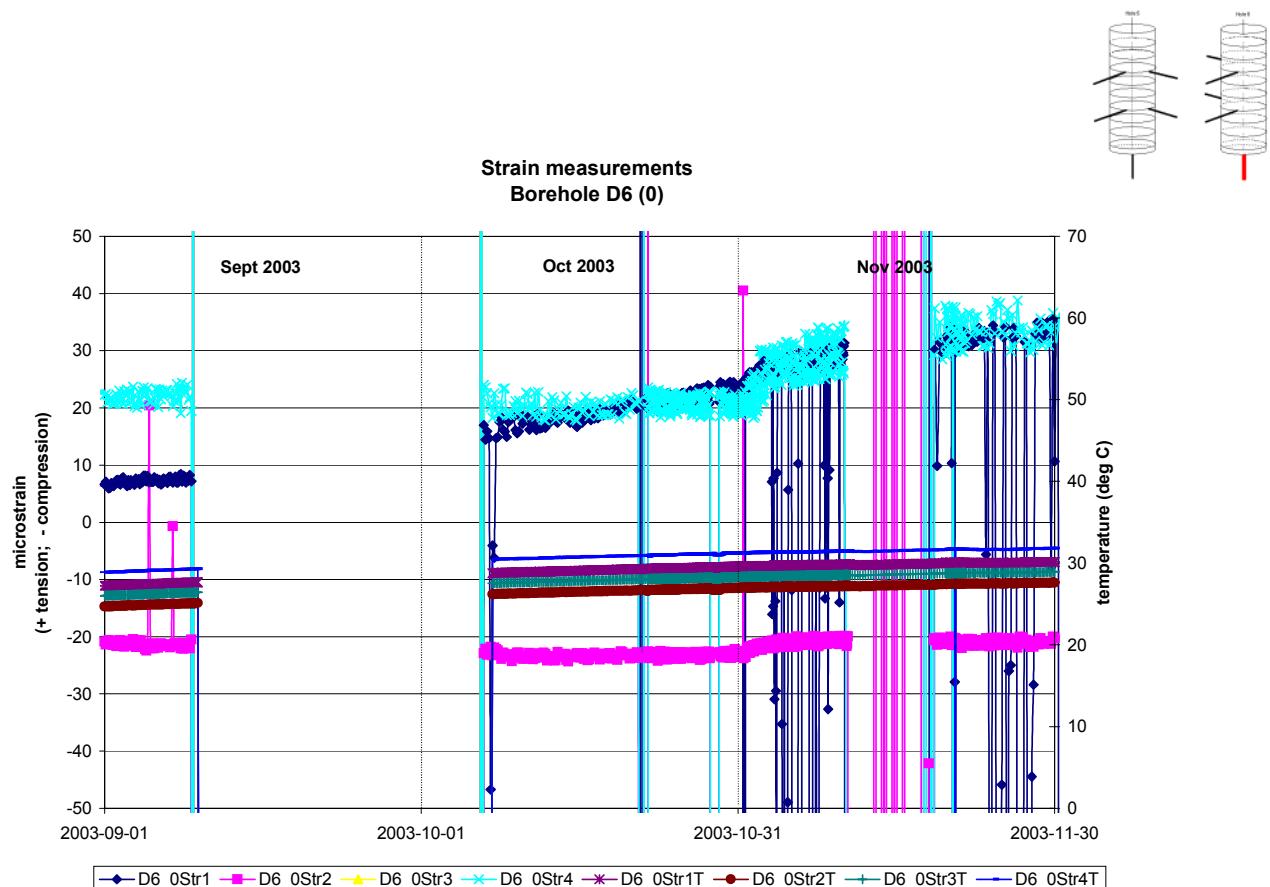
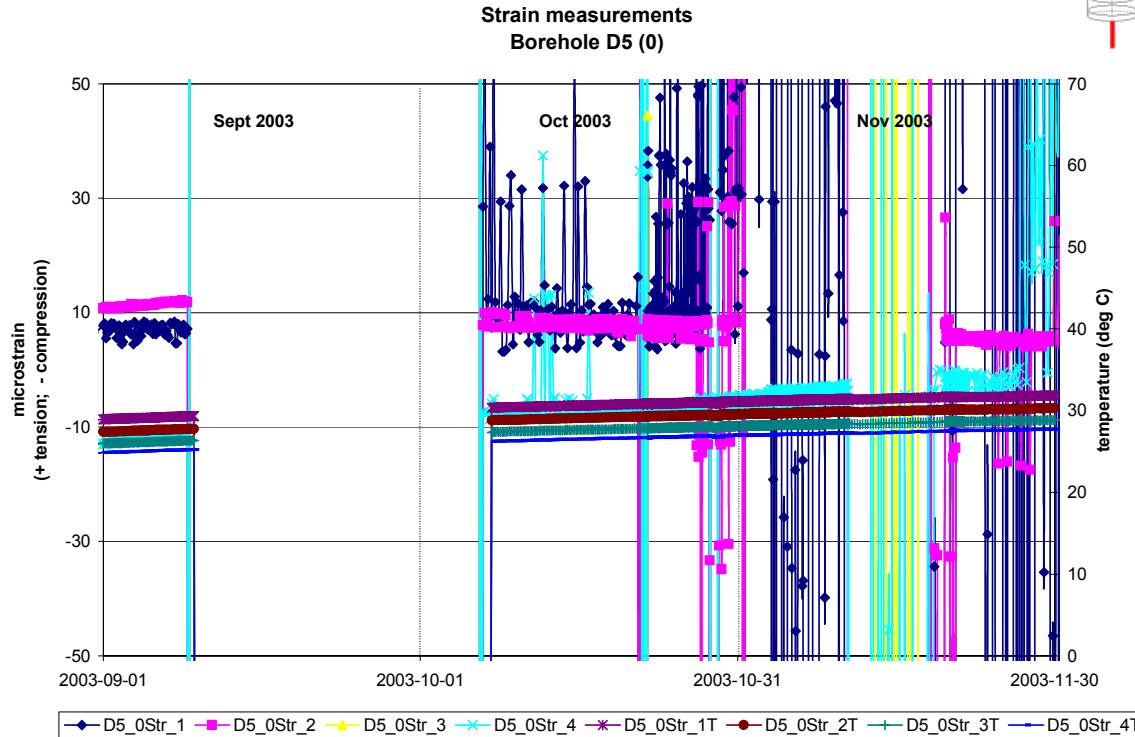
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#### 4.2.6 Strain measurements in complementary boreholes



## **Appendix 11**

**Water pressure in the rock and flow measurements**

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# Water pressure measurements in the rock mass

## Introduction

The hydraulic properties of the rock, geometry of tunnels and depositions holes, water pressure far away from the tunnels and the hydro-mechanical properties of the backfill and buffer govern the saturation of the buffer and backfill. It is important to measure the water pressure in the rock for the interpretation of the measurements in the buffer and backfill and to sample data useful for the modelling of the saturation process.

A short summary of the instrumentation follows below. For more details see (*Rhén et al, 2001*).

## Measurements in the boreholes

A large number of boreholes have been instrumented with one or several packers. In all packed-off sections, the water pressure will be measured. Each borehole section is connected to a tube of polyamide that via lead-through holes ends in the G-tunnel. All pressure transducers are placed in the G-tunnel to facilitate easy calibration and exchange of transducers that are out of order. The transducers were connected to the HMS system at Äspö Laboratory and it is a flexible system for changing the logging frequency. The maximum scan frequency is 1/second. During periods with no hydraulic tests, preliminary the logging (storing a value in the data base) frequency will be 2/hour with an automatic increase of the sampling frequency if the pressure change since last registration is larger than 2kPa. During hydraulic tests, the sampling frequency may be up to 1 logging every 3<sup>rd</sup> second (maximum logging rate possible).

## Instrumentation with bentonite packers in Section I

Section I will be in operation for a long time, possibly up to 20 years, and there will be no access to the instruments in the boreholes for a long period. It was decided to develop a new type of packer that was not dependent of an external pressure to seal-off the borehole sections. These packers were made of compacted bentonite with rubber coverage. For chemical reasons the bentonite is not allowed to be in contact with the surrounding water in the rock mass and therefore the packers have a cover made of polyurethane (PUR-rubber). This rubber also protected the packers against unwanted wetting during transport and installation. After installing all packers in a borehole, the compacted bentonite was wetted to make it swell and expanded against the borehole wall. This packer system was used in 14 boreholes with a length between 12 and 50 meters in the tunnel floor and the walls, see (*Rhén et al, 2001*).

Due to the expected high temperature near the deposition holes two boreholes (KA3574A and KA3576A) were equipped with stainless steel pipes instead of polyamide tubes.

In some sections used for circulation or hydrochemistry sampling purposes in Section I, a dummy was installed to reduce the water-filled volume of the section. Depending on the purpose the dummies were made either by high-density polyethylene (circulation sections) or PEEK (hydrochemistry sections) material. The dummy consists of two parts, to be positioned around the centre rod.

The packers were inserted into the borehole with Ø 20 mm massive stainless steel rods. A special designed manual-hoisting rig was used to insert the equipment into the boreholes. When the packers were at their correct position the equipment was attached to a locking device mounted on the tunnel wall at the borehole collar. Before insertion, the equipment was cleaned with a cleaner delivering hot steam (100 °C) at high pressure.

The instrument configuration for the boreholes provided with bentonite packers is summarised in Table 1-1 and illustrated in Figures 1-1 and 1-2.

**Table 1 Instrumentation configuration in Section I. “Lead-through”: pipes between the packers.**

Borehole:sec	Sec. length (m)	Type of section	Type of dummy	Packer length	Lead-through (no:diameter:type)
KA3563G:1	15 – 30.01	P		2 m	1:6/4:PA
KA3563G:2	10 – 13	P		2 m	2:6/4:PA
KA3563G:3	4 – 8	P		1 m	3:6/4:PA
KA3563G:4	1.5 – 3	P, C	HD	1 m	6:6/4:PA
KA3566G01:1	23.5 – 30.01	P		2 m	1:6/4:PA
KA3566G01:2	20 – 21.5	P, C	HD	2 m	4:6/4:PA
KA3566G01:3	12 – 18	P		2 m	5:6/4:PA
KA3566G01:4	7.3 – 10	P		1 m	6:6/4:PA
KA3566G01:5	1.5 – 6.3	P, F		1 m	8:6/4:PA
KA3566G02:1	19 – 30.1	P		1 m	1:6/4:PA
KA3566G02:2	16 – 18	P, C	HD	2 m	4:6/4:PA
KA3566G02:3	12 – 14	P		1 m	5:6/4:PA
KA3566G02:4	8 – 11	P		2 m	6:6/4:PA
KA3566G02:5	1.3 – 6	P, F		1 m	8:6/4:PA
KA3572G01:1	7.3 – 12.03	P		2 m	1:6/4:PA
KA3572G01:2	2.7 – 5.3	P, C	HD	2 m	4:6/4:PA
KA3573A:1	26 – 40.07	P		2 m	1:6/4:PA
KA3573A:2	21 – 24	P, F		2 m	3:6/4:PA
KA3573A:3	14.5 – 19	P		2 m	4:6/4:PA
KA3573A:4	10.5 – 12.5	P, F		2 m	6:6/4:PA
KA3573A:5	1.3 – 8.5	P		1 m	7:6/4:PA
KA3574G01:1	8 – 12.03	P		1 m	1:6/4:ST
KA3574G01:2	5.1 – 7	P		1 m	2:6/4:ST
KA3574G01:3	1.8 – 4.1	P, C	HD	1 m	5:6/4:ST
KA3576G01:1	8 – 12.01	P		2 m	1:6/4:ST
KA3576G01:2	4 – 6	P, HC	PE	1 m	2:6/4:ST, 1:1/8"/2:PE
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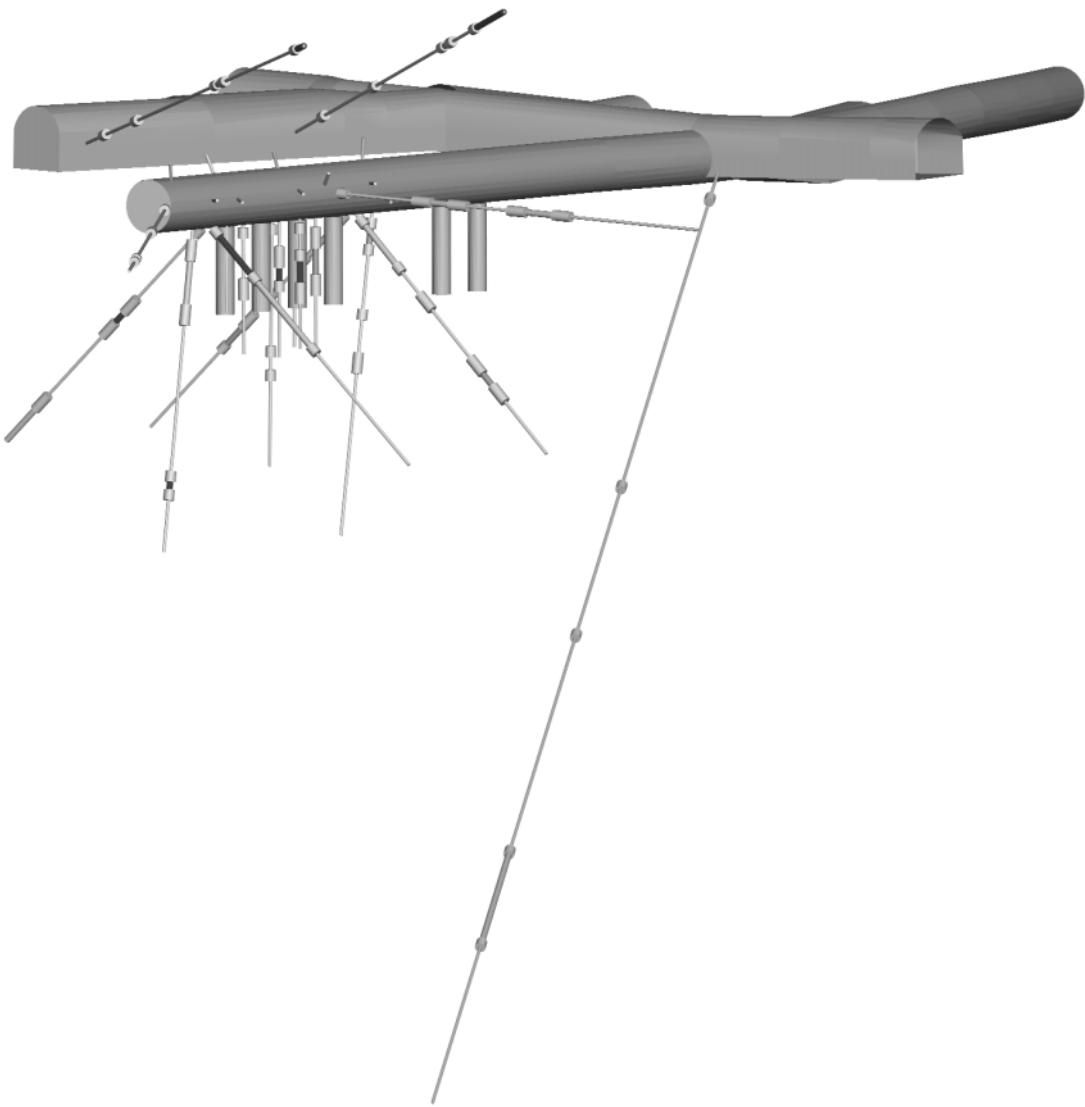
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KA3578G01:2	4.3 – 5.5	P, HC	PE	2 m	2:6/4:PA, 1:1/8"/2:PE
KA3579G:1	14.7 – 22.65	P		1 m	1:6/4:PA
KA3579G:2	12.5 – 13.7	P		1 m	2:6/4:PA
KA3579G:3	2.3 – 11.5	P		2 m	3:6/4:PA
KA3584G01:1	7 – 12	P		2 m	1:6/4:PA
KA3584G01:2	1.3 – 5	P		1 m	2:6/4:PA
KA3590G01:1	16 – 30	P		1 m	1:6/4:PA
KA3590G01:2	7 – 15	P, F, F		1 m	4:6/4:PA
KA3590G01:3	1.3 – 6	P, HC		1 m	5:6/4:PA, 1:1/8"/2:PE
KA3590G02:1	25.5 – 30.01	P, F		2 m	2:6/4:PA
KA3590G02:2	15.2 – 23.5	P		2 m	3:6/4:PA
KA3590G02:3	11.9 – 13.2	P, HC	PE	2 m	4:6/4:PA, 1:1/8"/2:PE
KA3590G02:4	1.3 – 9.9	P		1 m	5:6/4:PA, 1:1/8"/2:PE
KA3593G:1	25.2 – 30.02	P		1 m	1:6/4:PA
KA3593G:2	23.5 – 24.2	P, HC	PE	1 m	2:6/4:PA, 1:1/8"/2:PE
KA3593G:3	9 – 22.5	P		2 m	3:6/4:PA, 1:1/8"/2:PE
KA3593G:4	3 – 7	P, F		2 m	5:6/4:PA, 1:1/8"/2:PE
KA3600F:1	43 – 50.1	P		1 m	1:6/4:PA
KA3600F:2	40.5 – 42	P, HC	PE	1 m	2:6/4:PA, 1:1/8"/2:PE
KA3600F:3	20 – 39.5	P		2 m	3:6/4:PA, 1:1/8"/2:PE
KA3600F:4	1.3 – 18	P		1 m	4:6/4:PA, 1:1/8"/2:PE
KA3510A:1	125 – 150	P		1 m	1:6/4:PA
KA3510A:2	110 – 124	P, F		1 m	3:6/4:PA
KA3510A:3	75 - 109	P		1 m	4:6/4:PA
KA3510A:4	51 - 74	P		1 m	5:6/4:PA
KA3510A:5	4.5 - 50	P		1 m	6:6/4:PA
KG0021A01:1	42.5 – 48.82	P, HC		1 m	1:6/4:ST, 1:1/8"/2:PE
KG0021A01:2	37 – 41.5	P		1 m	2:6/4:PA, 1:1/8"/2:PE
KG0021A01:3	35 - 36	P, C	HD	1 m	5:6/4:PA, 1:1/8"/2:PE
KG0021A01:4	19 - 34	P		1 m	6:6/4:PA, 1:1/8"/2:PE
KG0021A01:5	5 - 18	P		1 m	7:6/4:PA, 1:1/8"/2:PE
KG0048A01:1	49 – 54.69	P, HC		1 m	1:6/4:ST, 1:1/8"/2:PE
KG0048A01:2	34.8 – 48	P		1 m	2:6/4:PA, 1:1/8"/2:PE
KG0048A01:3	32.8 – 33.8	P, C	HD	1 m	5:6/4:PA, 1:1/8"/2:PE
KG0048A01:4	13 – 31.8	P		1 m	6:6/4:PA, 1:1/8"/2:PE
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Type of section:

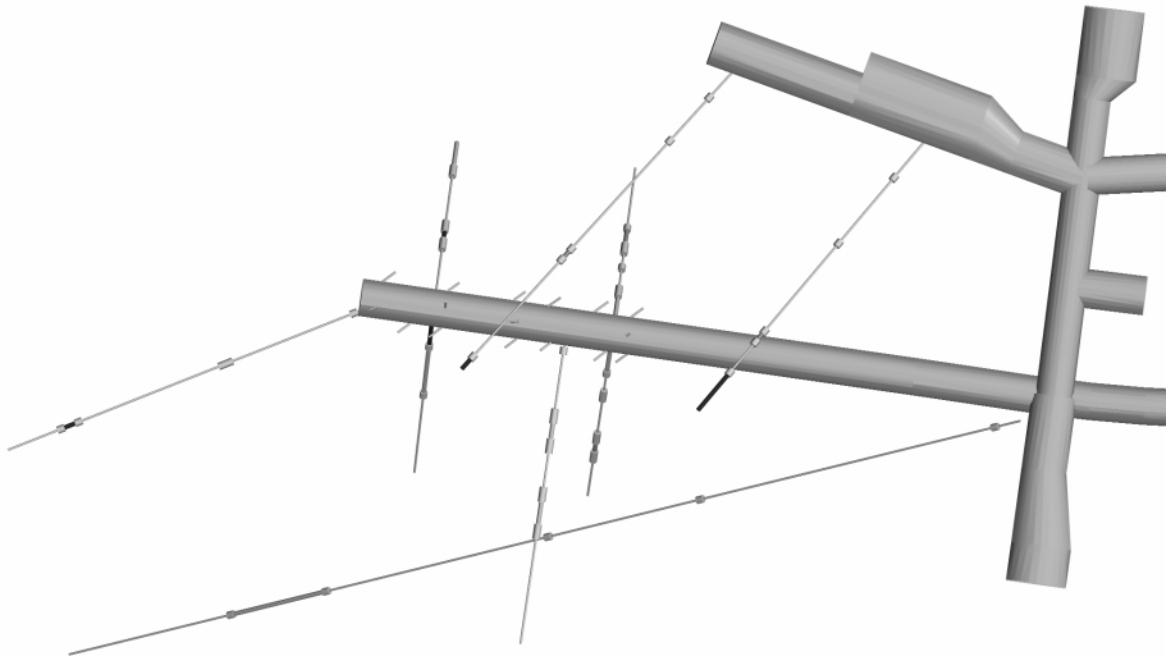
P Pressure measurement  
C Circulation possible  
HC Hydrochemistry sampling  
F Flow

Materials:

PA Polyamide  
ST Steel  
PE PEEK  
HD HD1000 (High Density Polyethylene)



**Figure 1.** View of the drilled core holes in the Prototype Repository Section I. The length from the I-tunnel to the end of the TBM-tunnel is 90 m. The diameter of the TBM tunnel is 5m and the diameter of the deposition holes is 1.75 m. The depth of the deposition holes is holes is 8.37 m in the centre and 8.15 m along the deposition hole wall. The diameter of the core holes is 76 mm except for the short core holes in the roof of the TBM tunnel that have a diameter of 56 mm. The monitoring boreholes used in the presentation in this report are located in the inner part of the tunnel surrounding the area with the four innermost canister holes. Also included are two holes drilled from the G-tunnel and the long hole KA3510A drilled from the main tunnel.



**Figure 2.** Overview of Sektion I in Prototype Repository

## Instrumentation with hydraulic packers in Section II

Fifteen boreholes were equipped with hydraulically expanded packers of one meters length to seal off at most five sections in one borehole. In ten of these boreholes one section also were instrumented with hydro-mechanical equipment adapted to measure small deformations in the solid rock and over selected fractures. Another borehole in the G-tunnel was instrumented with HM equipment as a reference. The borehole was drilled in the north tunnel wall and is not expected to be influenced by the stress changes around the Prototype tunnel.

**Table 2 Instrumentation configuration in Section II. “Lead-through”: pipes between the packers.**

Borehole:sec	Sec. length (m)	Type of section	Tubes/pipes (no:diameter:type)
KA3539G:1	18.6 – 30	P	1:4/2:PA, 1:6/4:PA
KA3539G:2	15.85 – 17.6	P, HM, C	2:4/2:PA, 3:6/4:PA, 3:4/2:ST, 2:8/6:ST
KA3539G:3	10 – 14.85	P, F	3:4/2:PA, 4:6/4:PA, 3:4/2:ST, 2:8/6:ST
KA3539G:4	4 – 9	P	4:4/2:PA, 4:6/4:PA, 3:4/2:ST, 2:8/6:ST
KA3542G01:1	27 – 30	P	1:4/2:PA, 1:6/4:PA
KA3542G01:2	21.3 – 26	P	2:4/2:PA, 1:6/4:PA
KA3542G01:3	18.6 – 20.3	P, HM,C	3:4/2:PA, 3:6/4:PA, 3:4/2:ST, 2:8/6:ST
KA3542G01:4	10.5 – 17.6	P	4:4/2:PA, 3:6/4:PA, 3:4/2:ST, 2:8/6:ST
KA3542G01:5	3.5 – 9.5	P	5:4/2:PA, 3:6/4:PA, 3:4/2:ST, 2:8/6:ST
KA3542G02:1	28.2 – 30.01	P	1:4/2:PA, 1:6/4:PA
KA3542G02:2	25.6 – 27.2	P, HM, C	2:4/2:PA, 3:6/4:PA, 3:4/2:ST, 2:8/6:ST
KA3542G02:3	21.5 – 24.6	P	3:4/2:PA, 3:6/4:PA, 3:4/2:ST, 2:8/6:ST
KA3542G02:4	9 – 20.5	P	4:4/2:PA, 3:6/4:PA, 3:4/2:ST, 2:8/6:ST
KA3542G02:5	2 – 8	P, F	5:4/2:PA, 4:6/4:PA, 3:4/2:ST, 2:8/6:ST
KA3544G01:1	11.65 – 12	P	1:4/2:ST, 1:6/4:ST
KA3544G01:2	8.9 – 10.65	P, HM, C	5:4/2:ST, 3:6/4:ST, 2:8/6:ST
KA3544G01:3	3.5 – 7.9	P	6:4/2:ST, 3:6/4:ST, 2:8/6:ST
KA3546G01:1	9.3 – 12	P	1:4/2:ST, 1:6/4:ST
KA3546G01:2	6.75 – 8.3	P, HM, C	5:4/2:ST, 3:6/4:ST, 2:8/6:ST
KA3546G01:3	1.5 – 5.75	P	6:4/2:ST, 3:6/4:ST, 2:8/6:ST
KA3548A01:1	21.5 – 30	P	1:4/2:PA, 1:6/4:PA
KA3548A01:2	11.75 – 20.5	P, F	2:4/2:PA, 2:6/4:PA
KA3548A01:3	8.8 – 10.75	P, HM, C	3:4/2:PA, 4:6/4:PA, 3:4/2:ST, 2:8/6:ST
KA3548A01:4	3 – 7.8	P	4:4/2:PA, 4:6/4:PA, 3:4/2:ST, 2:8/6:ST
KA3548G01:1	6-12	P	2:6/4:PA
KA3548G01:2	2-5	P	3:6/4:PA
KA3550G01:1	8.3 – 12.03	P	1:4/2:ST, 1:6/4:ST
KA3550G01:2	5.2 – 7.3	P, HM, C	5:4/2:ST, 3:6/4:ST, 2:8/6:ST
KA3550G01:3	1.8 – 4.2	P	6:4/2:ST, 3:6/4:ST, 2:8/6:ST
KA3550G05:1	1.5 – 3	P	1:4/2:ST, 1:6/4:ST
KA3551G05:1	1.5 – 3.1	P	1:4/2:ST, 1:6/4:ST
KA3552G01:1	7.05 – 12	P	1:4/2:ST, 1:6/4:ST
KA3552G01:2	4.35 – 6.05	P, HM, C	5:4/2:ST, 3:6/4:ST, 2:8/6:ST
KA3552G01:3	1.5 – 3.35	P	6:4/2:ST, 3:6/4:ST, 2:8/6:ST
KA3554G01:1	25.15 – 30.01	P	1:4/2:PA, 1:6/4:PA
KA3554G01:2	22.6 – 24.15	P, HM, C	2:4/2:PA, 3:6/4:PA, 3:4/2:ST, 2:8/6:ST
KA3554G01:3	14 – 21.6	P	3:4/2:PA, 3:6/4:PA, 3:4/2:ST, 2:8/6:ST
KA3554G01:4	5 – 13	P	4:4/2:PA, 3:6/4:PA, 3:4/2:ST, 2:8/6:ST
KA3554G01:5	1.5 – 4	P	5:4/2:PA, 3:6/4:PA, 3:4/2:ST, 2:8/6:ST
KA3554G02:1	22 – 30.01	P	1:4/2:PA, 1:6/4:PA
KA3554G02:2	15.9 – 21	P	2:4/2:PA, 1:6/4:PA

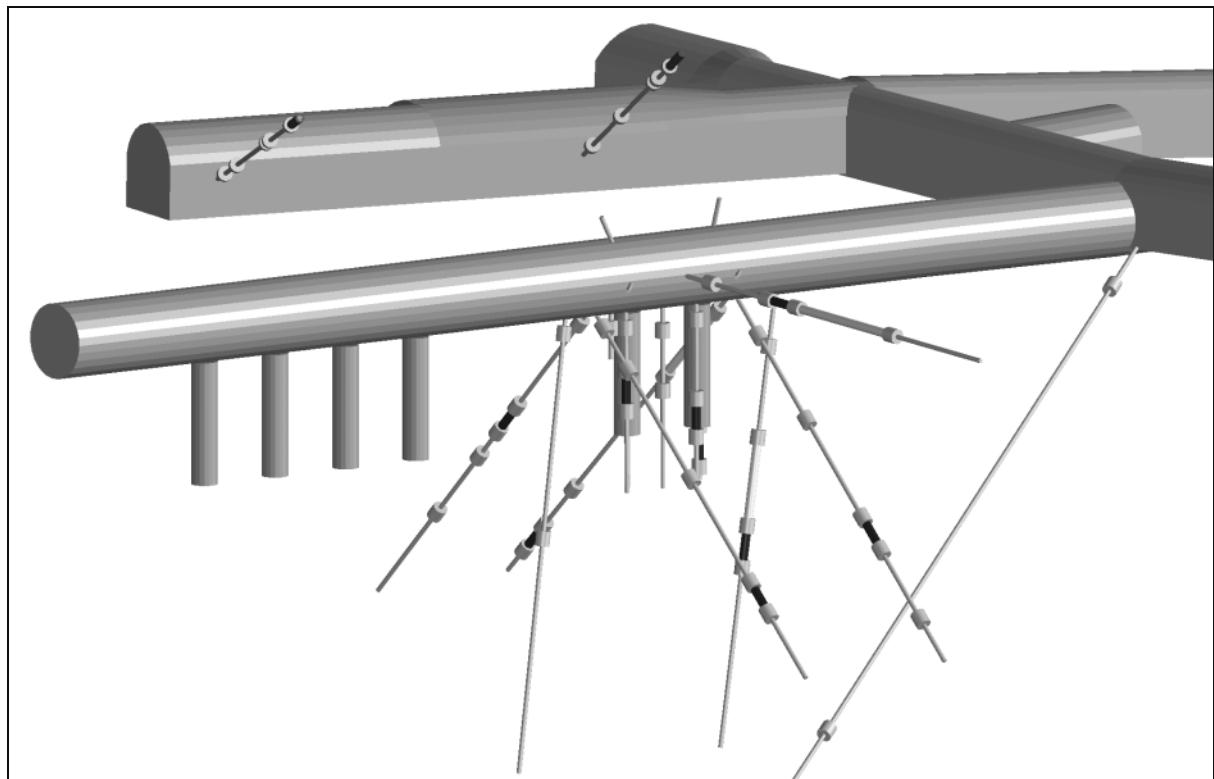
Borehole:sec	Sec. length (m)	Type of section	Tubes/pipes (no:diameter:type)
KA3554G02:3	13.2 – 14.9	P	3:4/2:PA, 1:6/4:PA
KA3554G02:4	10.5 – 12.2	P, HM, C	4:4/2:PA, 3:6/4:PA, 3:4/2:ST, 2:8/6:ST
KA3554G02:5	1.5 – 9.5	P	5:4/2:PA, 3:6/4:PA, 3:4/2:ST, 2:8/6:ST
KA3557G:1	15 – 30.04	P	1:4/2:PA, 1:6/4:PA
KA3557G:2	1.5 – 14	P	2:4/2:PA, 1:6/4:PA
KG0010B01:1	2.8 – 4.35	HM	3:4/2:ST, 2:8/6:ST

Type of section:

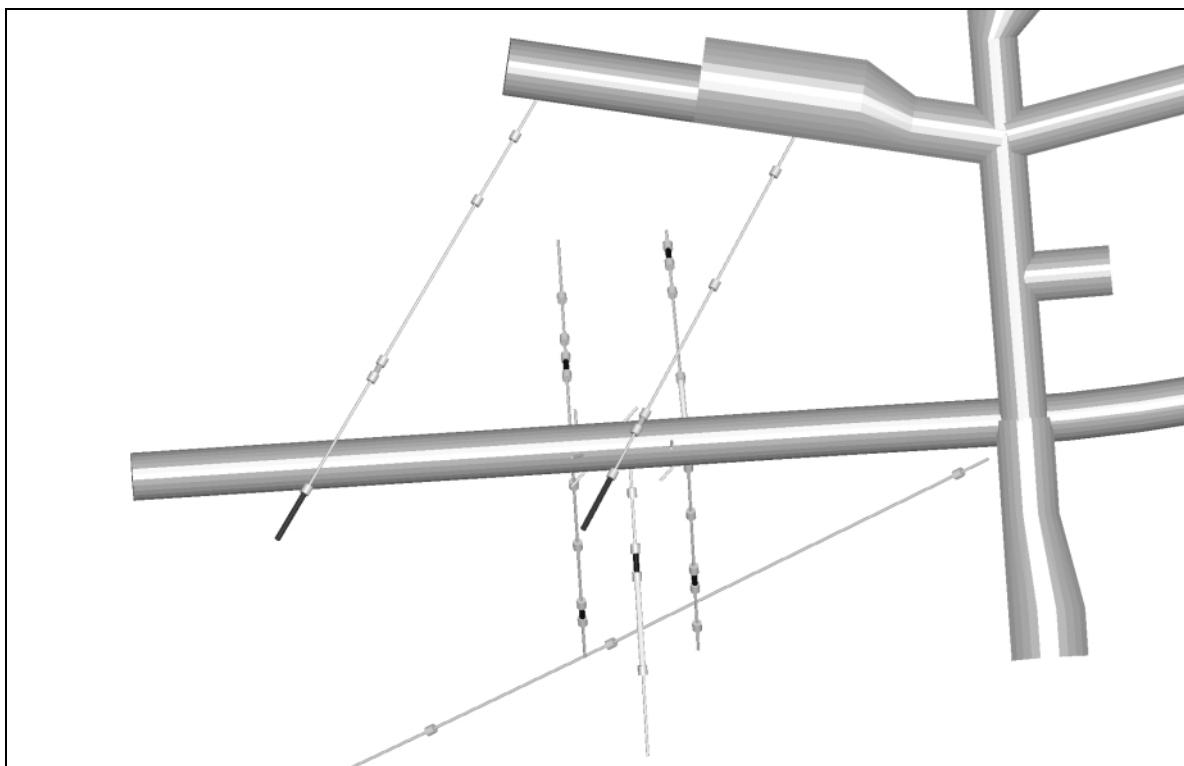
P Pressure measurement  
C Circulation possible  
HM Hydro-mechanical measurements

Materials:

PA Polyamide tube  
ST Stainless steel pipe  
F Flow



**Figure 3** View of the drilled core holes in the Prototype Repository Section II. The length from the I-tunnel to the end of the TBM-tunnel is 90 m. The diameter of the TBM tunnel is 5m and the diameter of the deposition holes is 1.75 m. The depth of the deposition holes is holes is 8.37 m in the centre and 8.15 m along the deposition hole wall. The diameter of the core holes is 76 mm except for the short core holes in the roof of the TBM tunnel that have a diameter of 56 mm. The monitoring boreholes used in the presentation in this report are located in the inner part of the tunnel surrounding the area with the four innermost canister holes. Also included are two holes drilled from the G-tunnel and the long hole KA3510A drilled from the main tunnel.



**Figure 4** Overview of Sektion II in Prototype Repository

## Instrumentation with mechanical packers

Twenty-two short boreholes (2 m) in the tunnel roof and walls were equipped with mechanical packers, see Table 2. After insertion into the hole, the pulling of a nut on the centre pipe expanded the packer. Since these holes were directed upwards, the deaeration required an extra lead-through connected to a tube ending in the innermost part of the borehole. The deaeration was made during the backfilling and in boreholes with very little flow the deaeration was made by filling water through the outer tube.

**Table 2 Boreholes instrumented with mechanical packers (“Inclination”: inclination of the borehole.).**

Borehole	Borehole length (m)	Inclination (°)
KA3543A01	2.06	-0.8
KA3543I01	2.06	70.5
KA3548D01	2.06	2.7
KA3552A01	2.06	-2.8
KA3552H01	2.1	58.2
KA3553B01	2.02	-37.7
KA3563A01	2.06	-7.7
KA3563D01	approx. 2	2.8
KA3563I01	2.15	73
KA3566C01	2.1	3.5
KA3568D01	2.3	-2.3
KA3573C01	2.05	34.9
KA3574D01	2.05	12.6
KA3578C01	2.09	-5.4
KA3578H01	1.9	59.1
KA3579D01	2	-1
KA3588C01	2.04	-4
KA3588D01	1.9	-1.8
KA3588I01	1.96	65.6
KA3592C01	2.1	4.4
KA3597D01	2.22	3.1
KA3597H01	2.06	55.1

## Calibration intervals

Recalibration of pressure transducers are made a couple of times every year. In Table 3 the calibration dates this far are shown

**Table 3 Calibration dates**

Calibration dates
2002-01-04
2002-04-12
2002-08-15
2002-12-16
2003-04-03
2003-08-13 – 2003-08-18

## Pressure measurements

Below pressure measurements of all monitored holes in the Prototype Repository are shown in plots. The pressure values plotted are daily mean values. The definition of day 0 is the day the heating of canister 1 started, i.e. 2001-09-17. In Table 4 the dates of the starting of the heaters in all canisters are presented.

**Table 4 Starting of heaters in canisters**

Canister in deposition hole	Date
1 (DA3593G)	2001-09-17
2 (DA3587G)	2001-09-24
3 (DA3575G)	2001-11-10
4 (DA3569G)	2001-11-24
5 (DA3551G)	2003-05-08
6 (DA3545G)	2003-05-23

The position of pressure measurement is indicated for all observation sections.

In general sections close to the prototype rock wall indicate lower pressure head than further away from the prototype. Of the 22 short 2 meters holes 5 show pressure heads above 1000 kPa with a maximum in KA3573C01 of approximately 3500 kPa.

In the longer holes the section closest to the wall has a lower head than sections deeper into the rock mass. The exceptions from this are noted in KA3566G01, KA3579G and KA3593G.

A pressure drop 2002-05-07 for most of the observation sections are shown in the plots. The most major pressure change happens in the lowest section of KA3566G02 (approx. 70 m) but are also clearly visible for section 2-4 of the same borehole. The pressure recovered during the evening of 2002-12-02. The cause for the pressure change is unknown.

Several sections have a slight decreasing trend since the summer of 2002.

The instrumentation of boreholes in Section II started 2002-11-06 and continued until the beginning of December 2002. Several sections indicate a pressure drop around 2002-11-11 which probably is caused by the installation work.

The sections of KA3510A show a drop of pressure during the first week of December 2002. The pressure is quickly re-established. Probably the cause for this was the on-going monitoring work in Section II.

During the period 2003-05-08 until 2003-05-15 a total of 19 hydraulic tests were done in several of the boreholes in Section I and II. The tests caused groundwater pressure interference in the whole of the prototype repository area. Since the tests were mostly short-time tests it is only shown in some of the borehole section plots.

During the summer 2003 (2003-07-13 to 2003-08-05) no pressure data was recorded. In some of the long boreholes inclined to the south of the prototype show a pressure drop in mid-August.

The packers in KA3550G01 were deflated 2003-08-18 and have not been possible to reinflate again. The reason is probably a tube leakage.

Hydraulic single hole tests were done in nine boreholes during 2003-10-21 – 10-23. The tests caused groundwater pressure interference in the whole of the prototype repository area. Since the tests were mostly short-time tests it is only shown in some of the borehole section plots.

The packers in five boreholes were deflated around Oct 30 – Nov 1, 2003. This was probably generated by a tube leakage which in its turn emptied the water in the pressure vessel and finally emptied the gas tube connected to it. The boreholes whose packers were deflated were KA3542G01, KA3542G02, KA3544G01 and KA3548A01. It was possible to inflate the packers in three of the four boreholes on 2003-11-10. It was not possible to restore the status of KA3544G01. This pressure drop is observed in several other borehole observation sections.

## **Drainage of Section I**

The drainage system in Section I is still in operation, which can be connected to the lack of pressure increase in most borehole sections. The pumped amount is approximately 2.5 L/min.

## **Packer function status**

The packers are of the type PU53 or PU72. All packers have an inflation length of one meter and the minimum and maximum packer expansion pressure is 6.5 bar and 65 bar respectively. They are expanded by means of water, pressurised by nitrogen gas in a pressure vessel. A regulator controls the magnitude of the inflation pressure. The stainless steel pressure vessel is connected to the packers by a high-pressure 6/4-mm polyamide tube, type Tecalan. A check valve unit with a manometer is mounted on the packer inflation line. In order to avoid accidental deflation the check valve unit also includes a stop valve.

In the table below are listed the borehole packers that have ceased to function for some reason.

**Table 5 Packer functionality status**

Packer tube label	Borehole	Status 2003-12-01	Date of earlier inflation pressure failure	Date of re-inflation pressure
XRA1100	KA3539G	OK		
XRA1200	KA3542G01	OK	2003-10-30	2003-11-10
XRA1300	KA3542G02	OK	2003-10-30	2003-11-10
XRA1600	KA3544G01	Not functioning due to tube leakage	2003-10-30	-
XRA1700	KA3546G01	OK		
XRA1800	KA3548A01	OK	2003-10-30	2003-11-10
XRA2000	KA3548G01	OK		
XRA2100	KA3550G01	Not functioning due to tube leakage	2003-08-18	-
XRA2200	KA3550G05	OK		
XRA2300	KA3551G05	OK		
XRA2500	KA3552G01	OK		
XRA2800	KA3554G01	OK		
XRA2900	KA3554G02	OK		
XRA3000	KA3557G	OK		

## **Deformation measurements**

Deformation measurements of fractures in borehole sections with Hydro-Mechanical anchors in Section II are on-going but no results are available yet.

## **Flow measurements**

Earlier estimations and measurements of in-leaking ground water amounts to the tunnel system are presented in (*Forsmark T, Rhén I, 2001*) and (*Rhén I, Forsmark T, 2001*). Data from three flow weirs are presented in this data report.

A newly constructed weir at the tunnel G opening measures the in-leaking amounts from this tunnel. The weir is named MG0004G. The pumped water amounts from Section I mentioned above is included in the rates from this weir station.

The weir MF0061G halfway down tunnel F measures the in-leaking amounts from the north part of tunnel J (J+) and the first half of tunnel F, see plot of this weir. Early in the presented period, autumn 2001, in-leaking water from tunnel G was led to tunnel F and weir MF0061G thereby to some extent explaining the high flow rate during that period.

The weir MA3426G measures the flow rates from the south part of tunnel J, tunnel I and tunnel A chainage 3426 – 3600 m.



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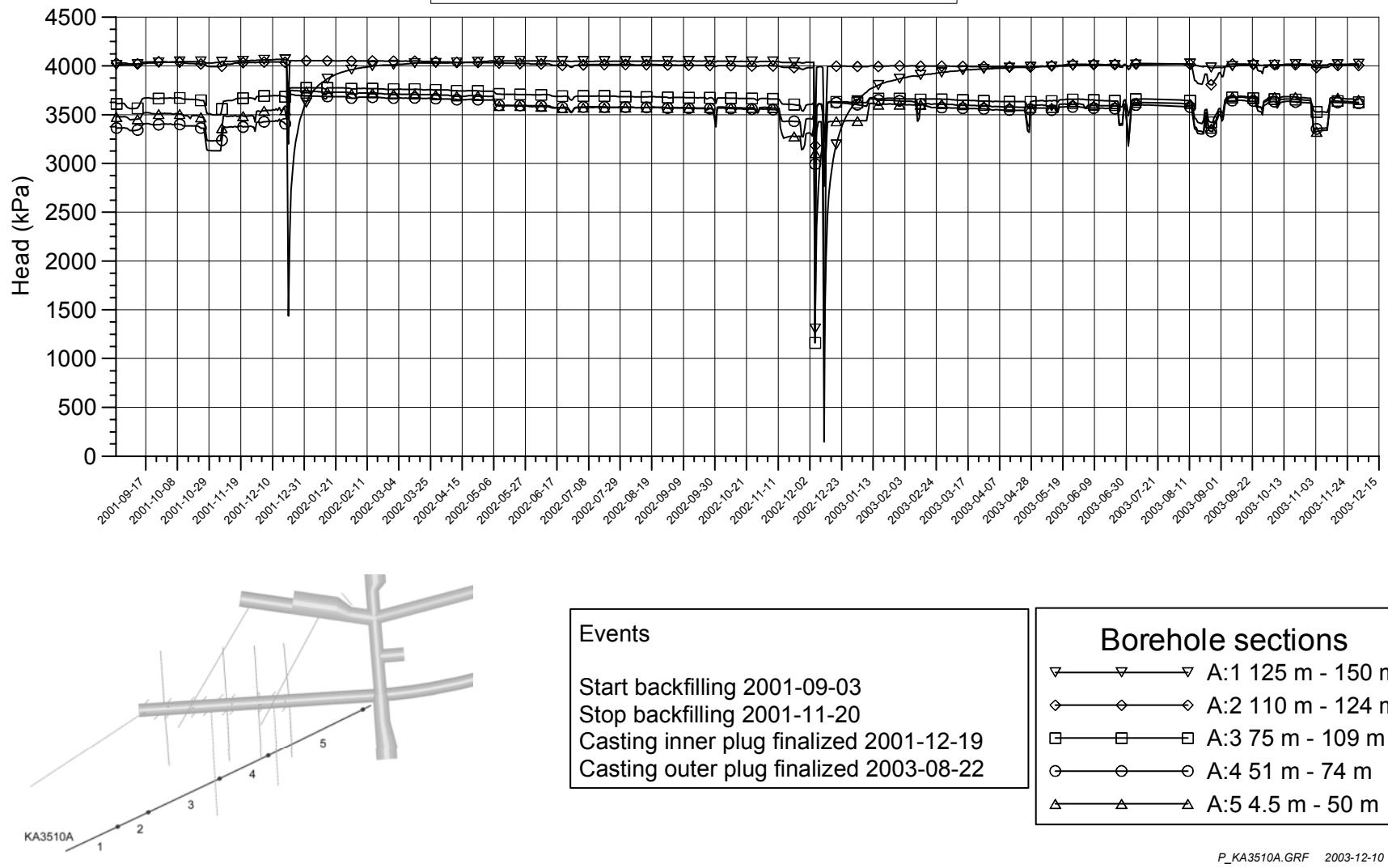
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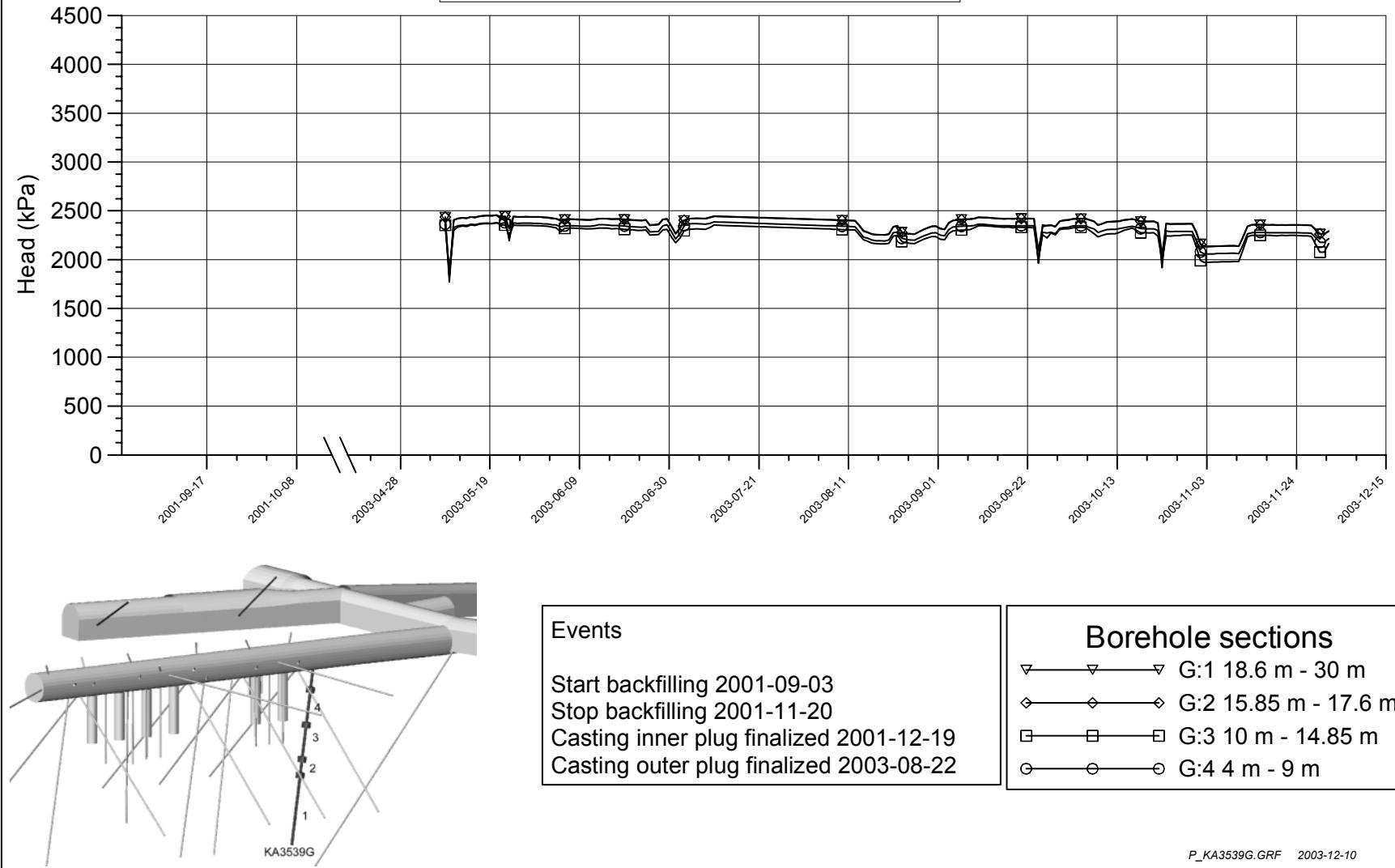
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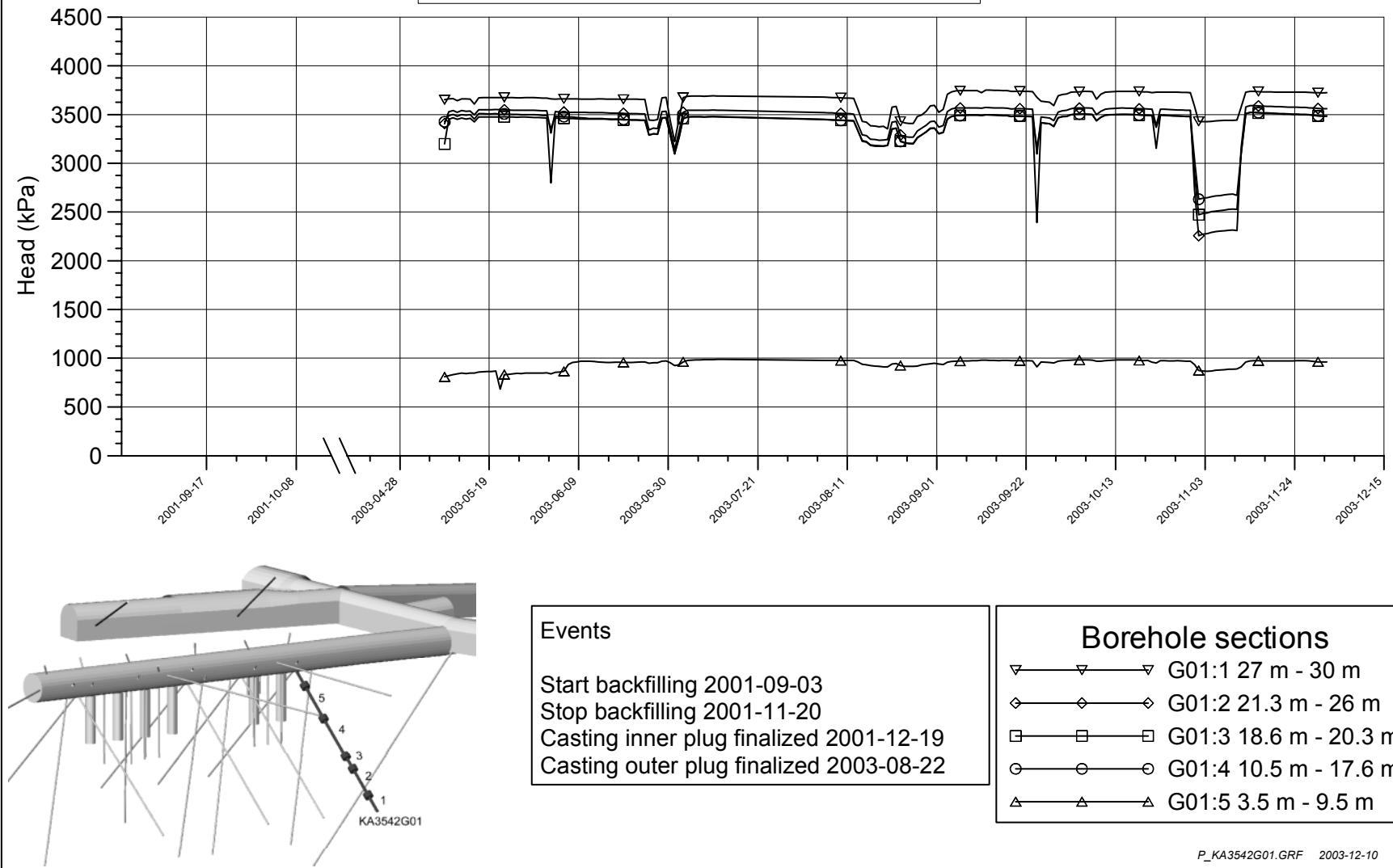
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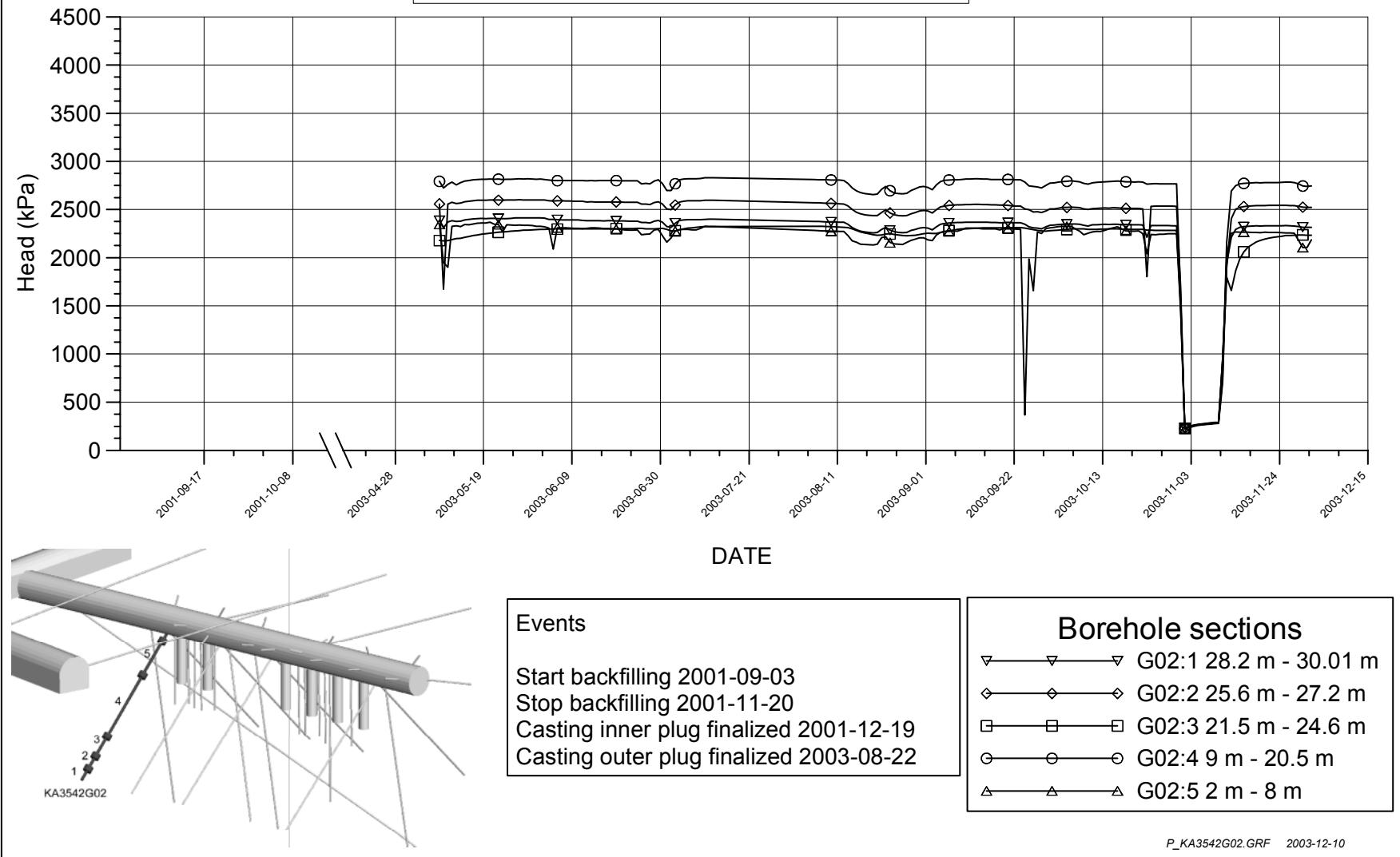
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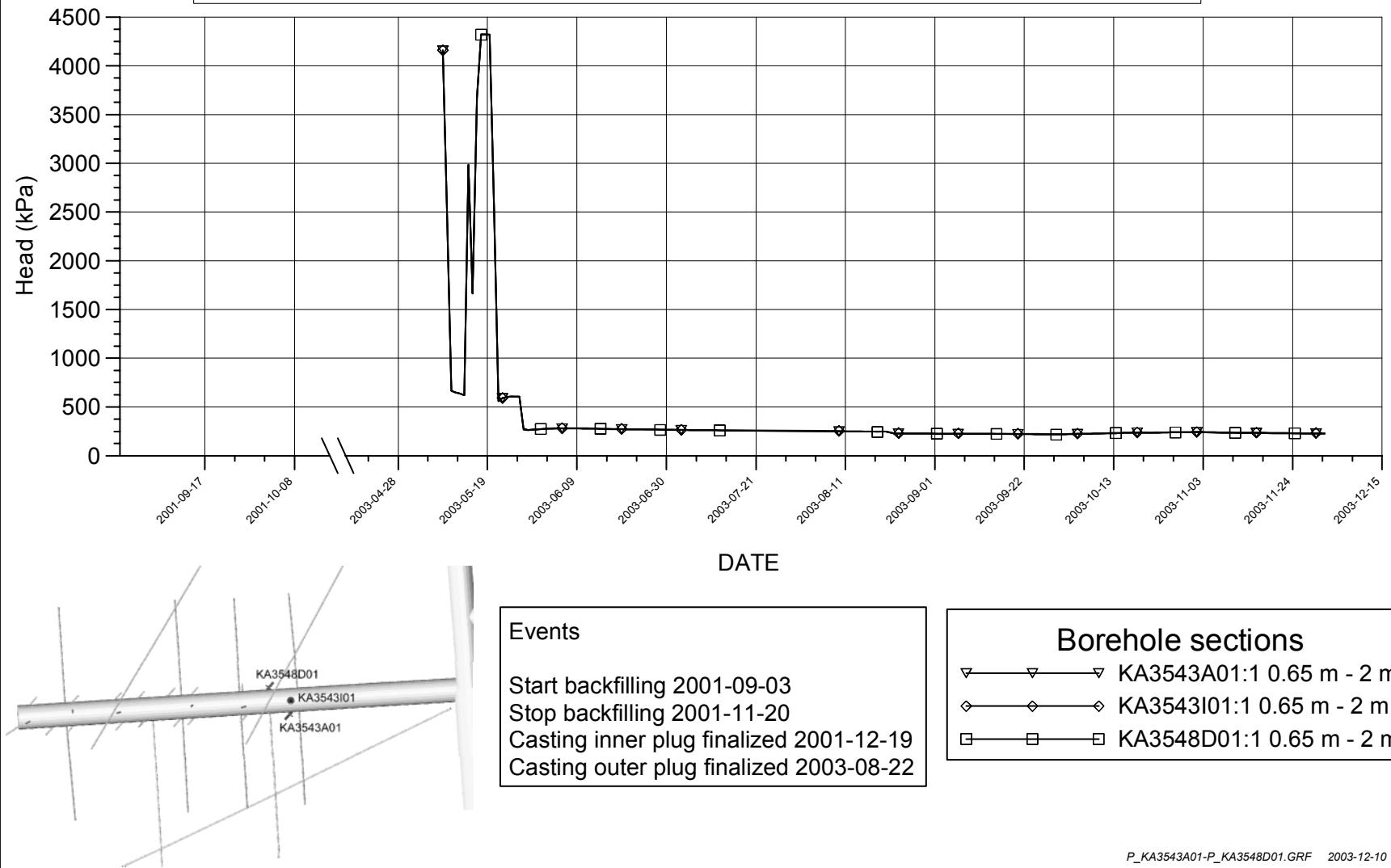
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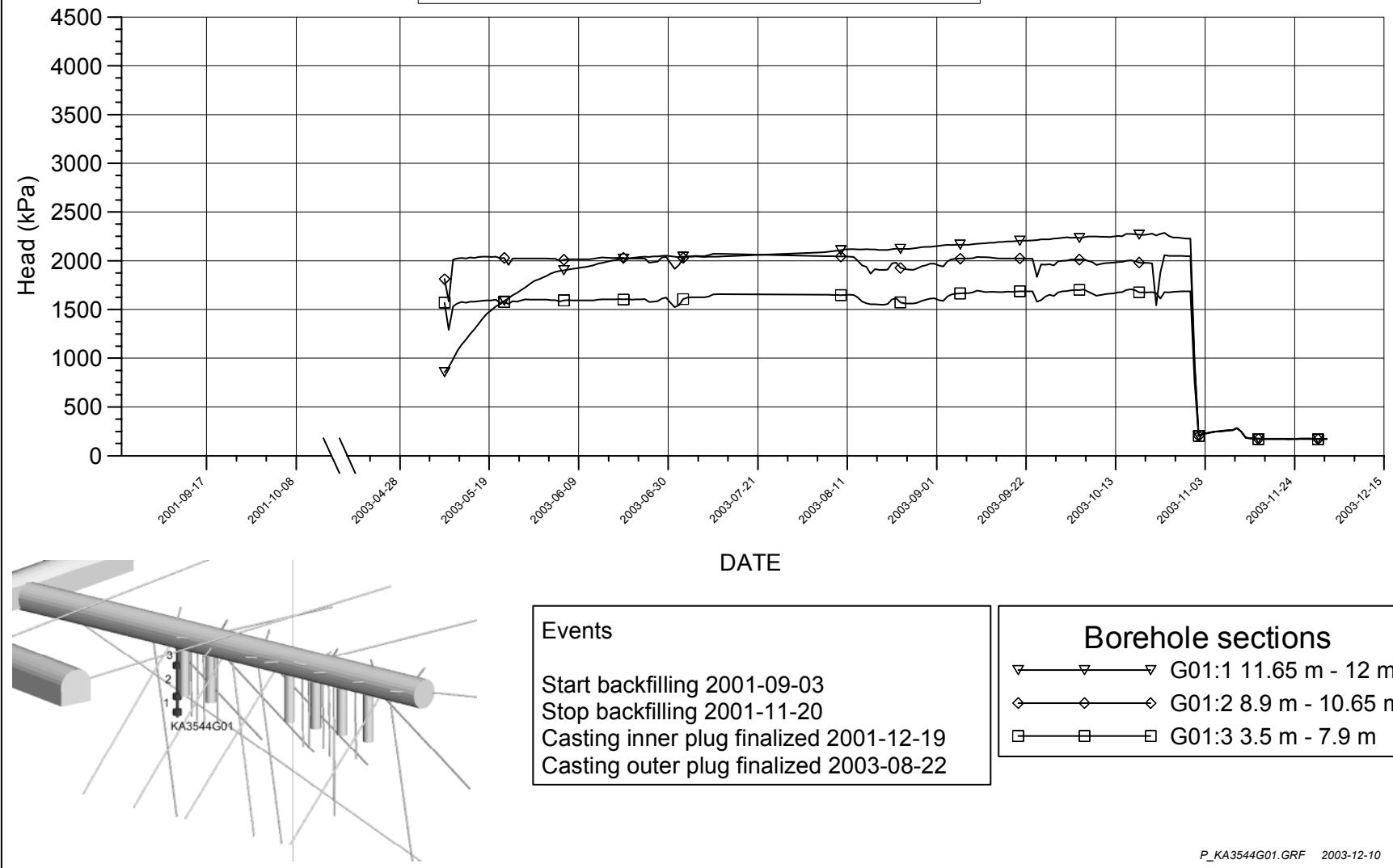
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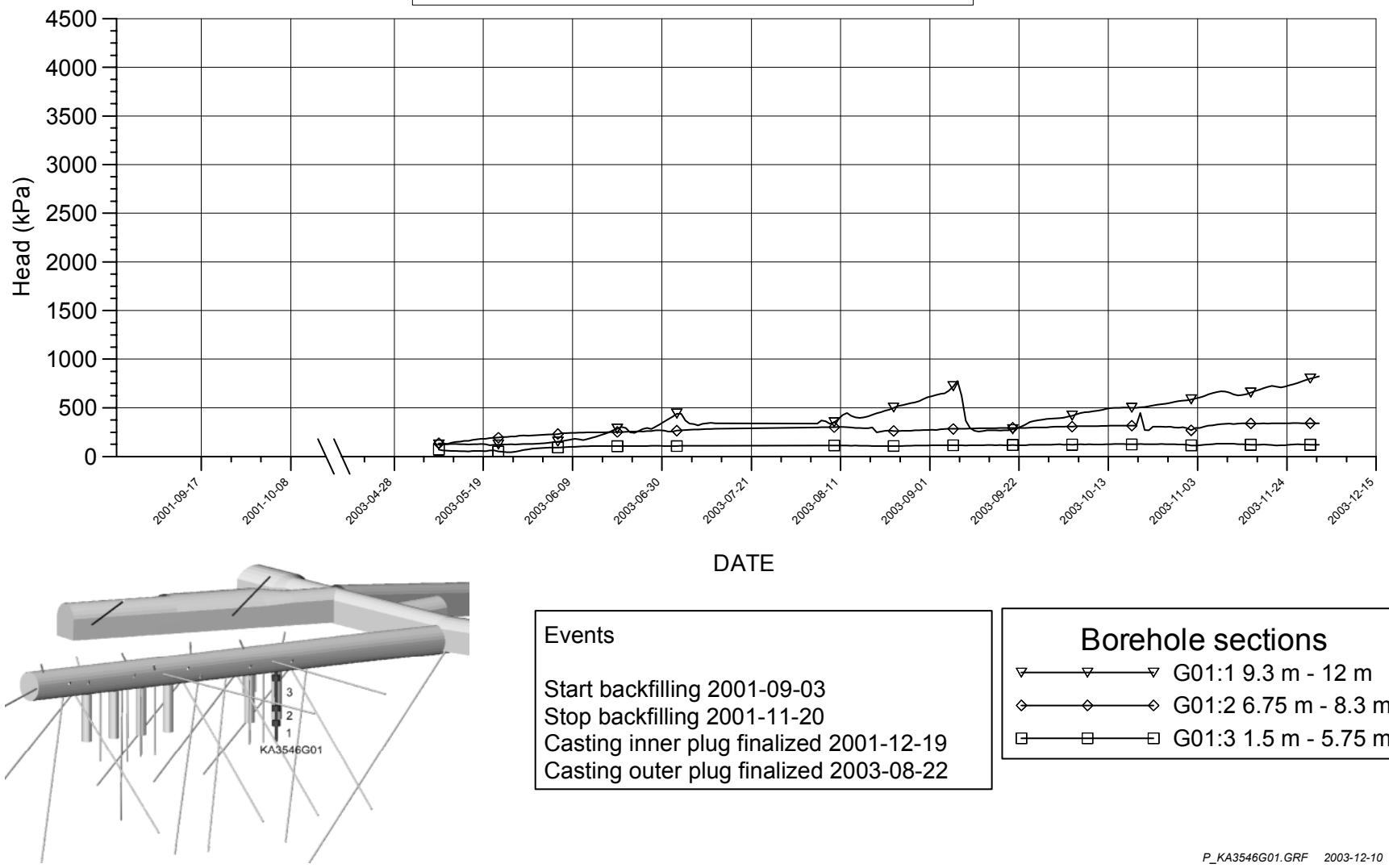
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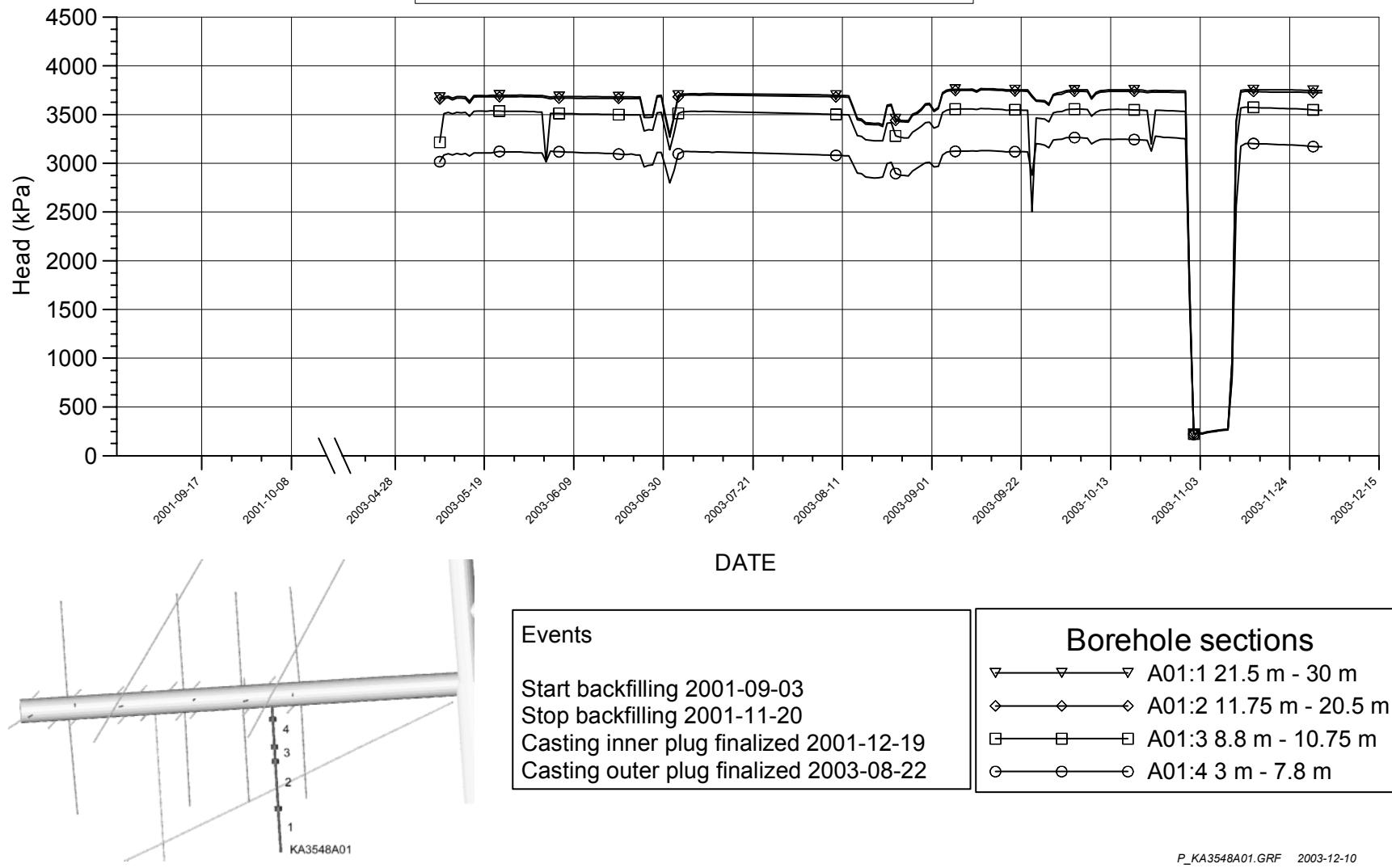
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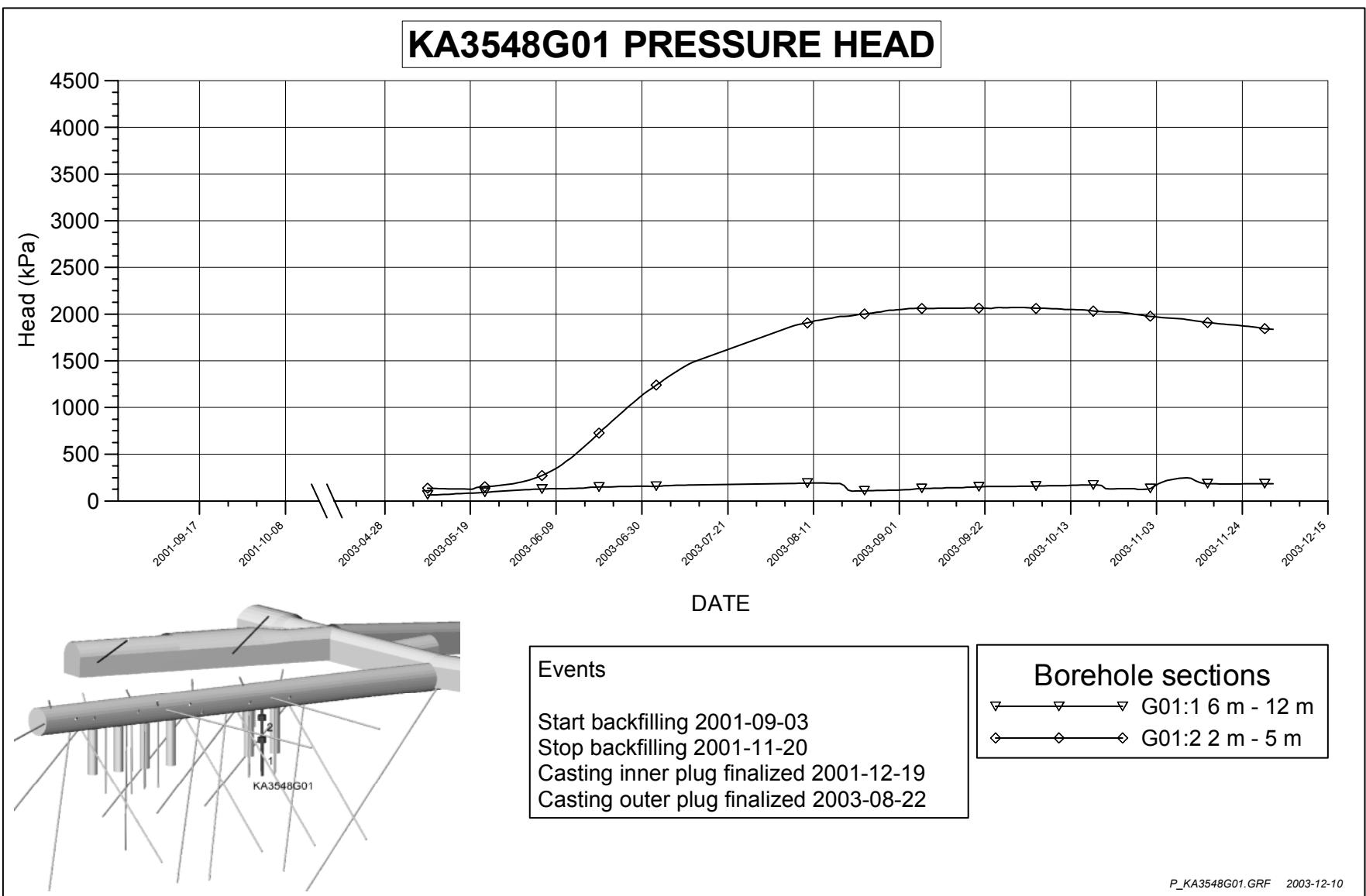


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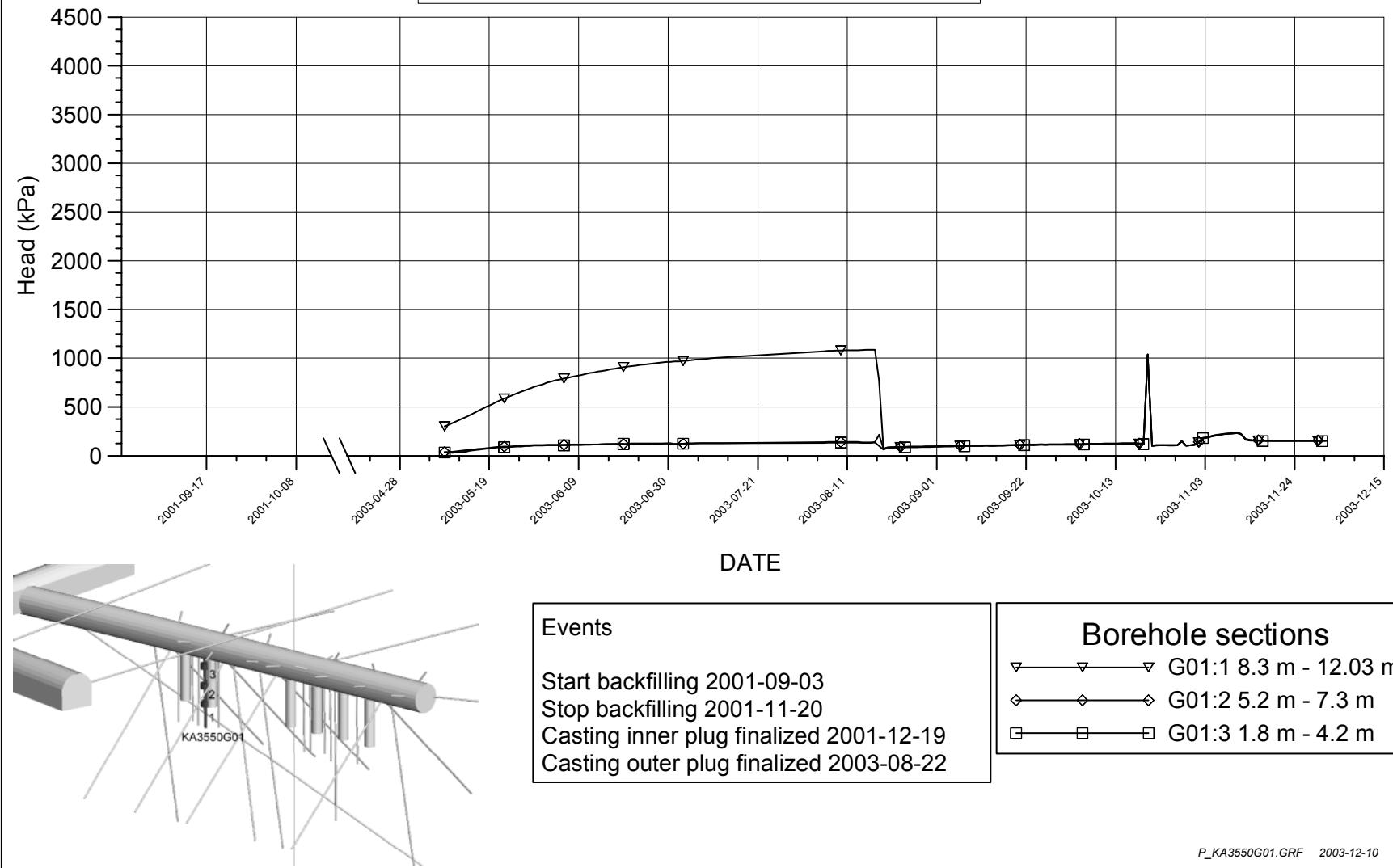


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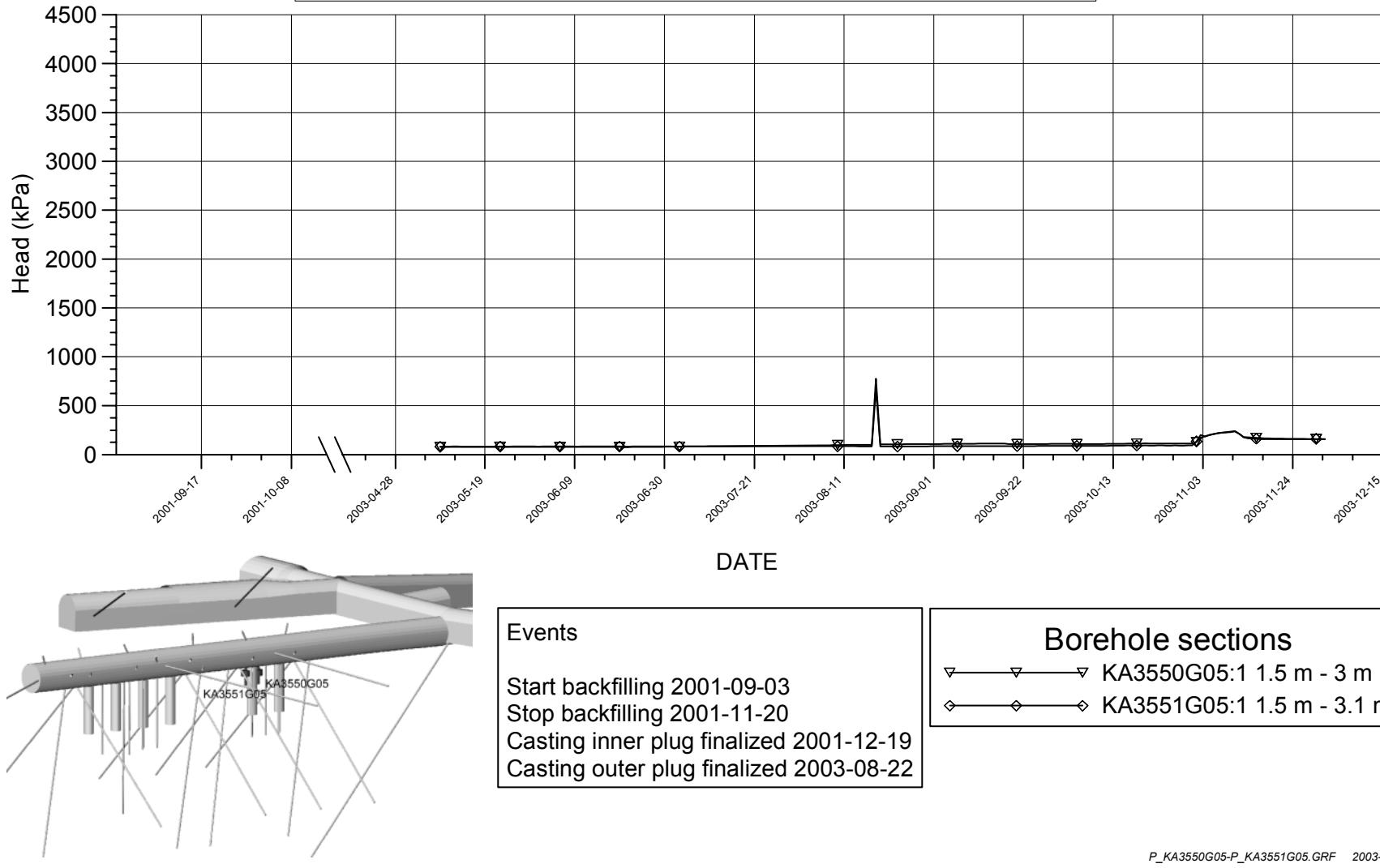




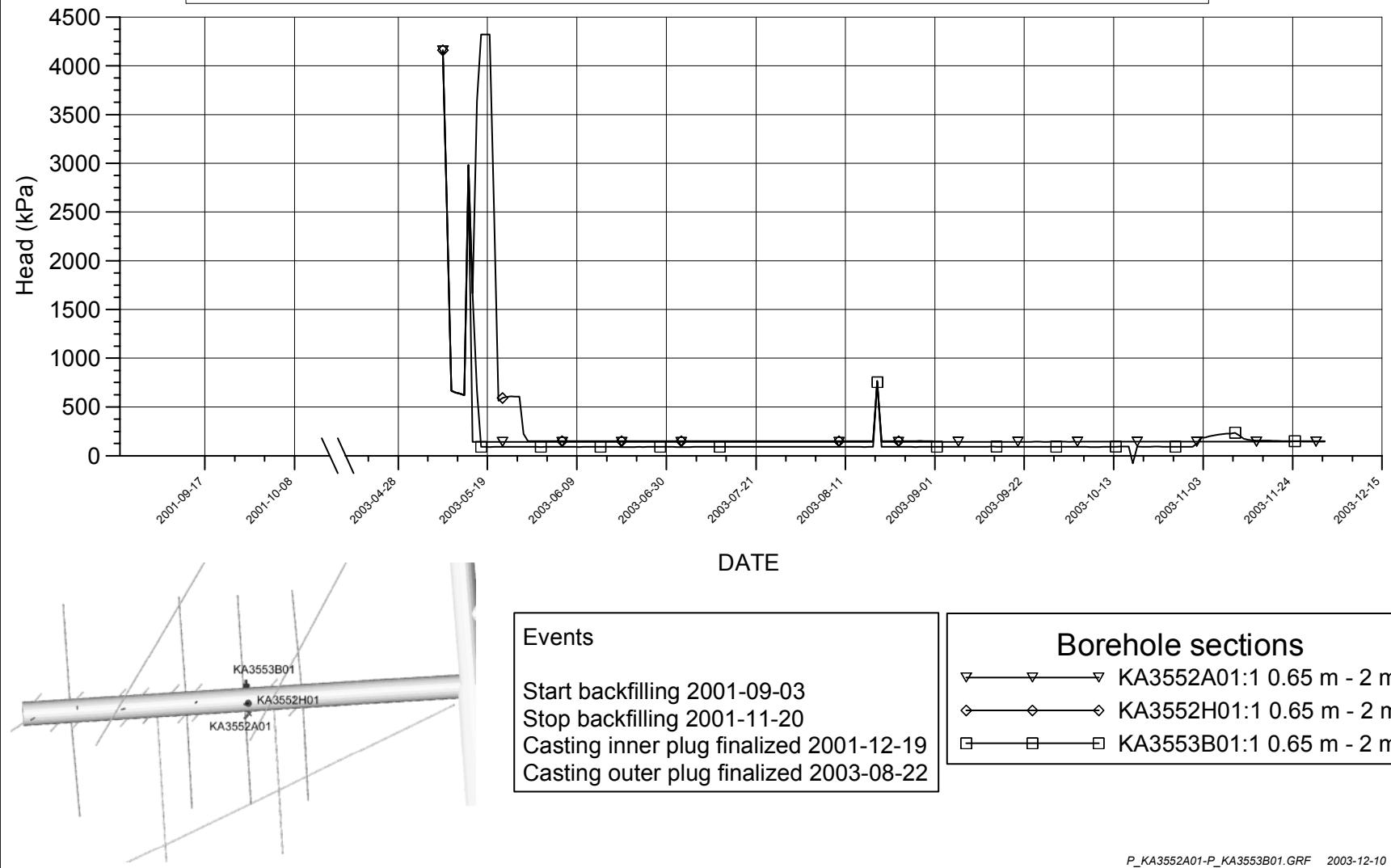
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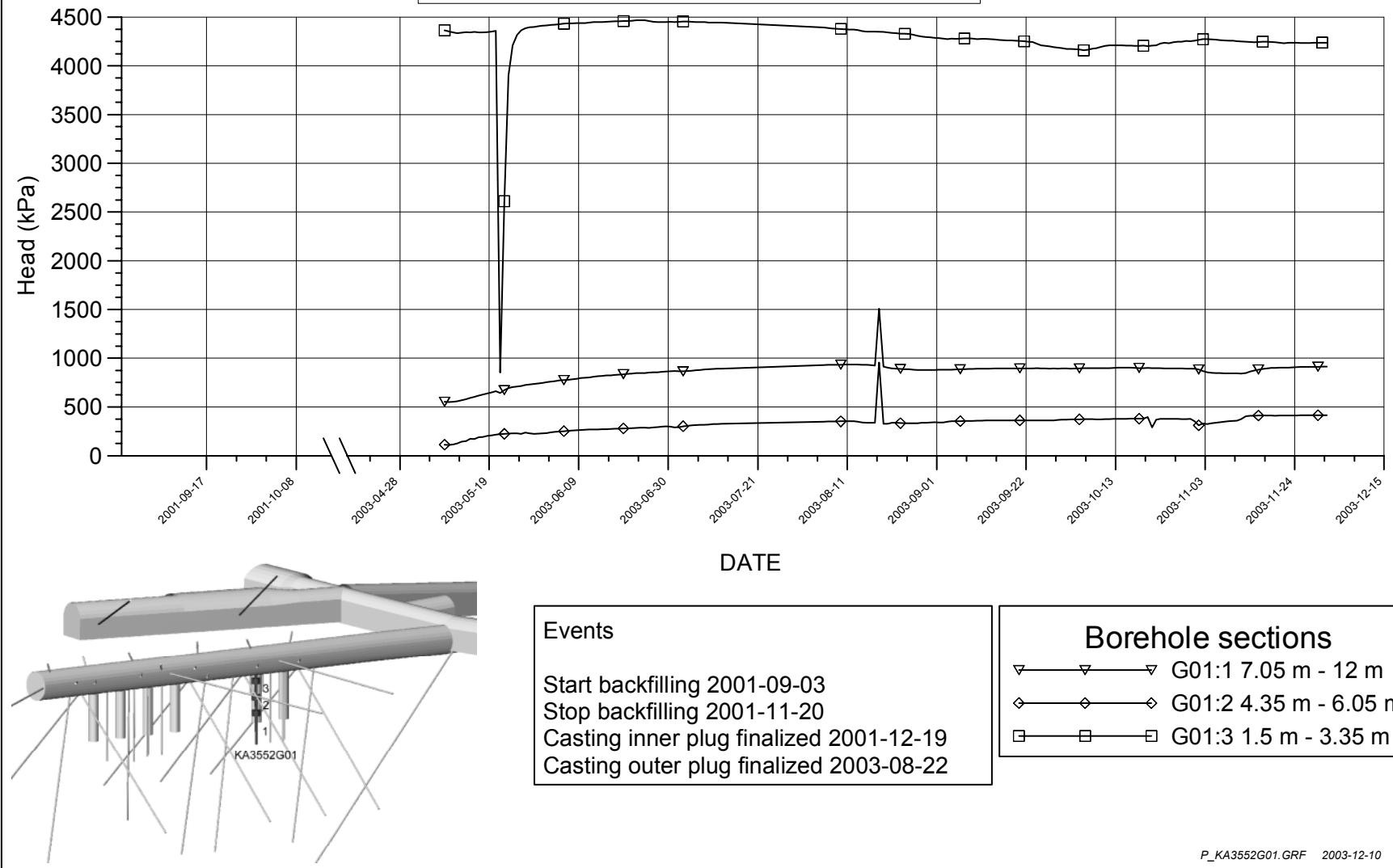
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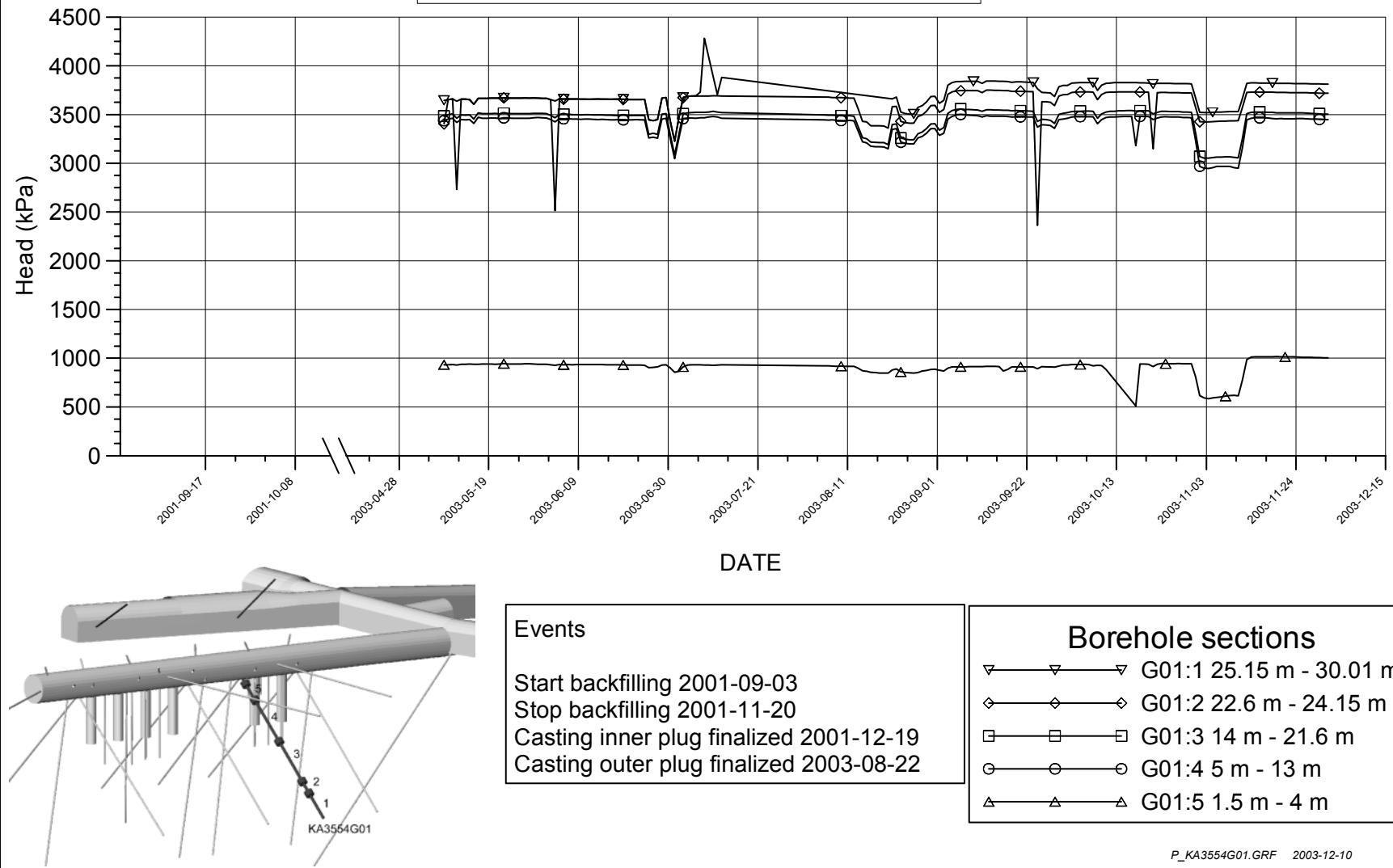
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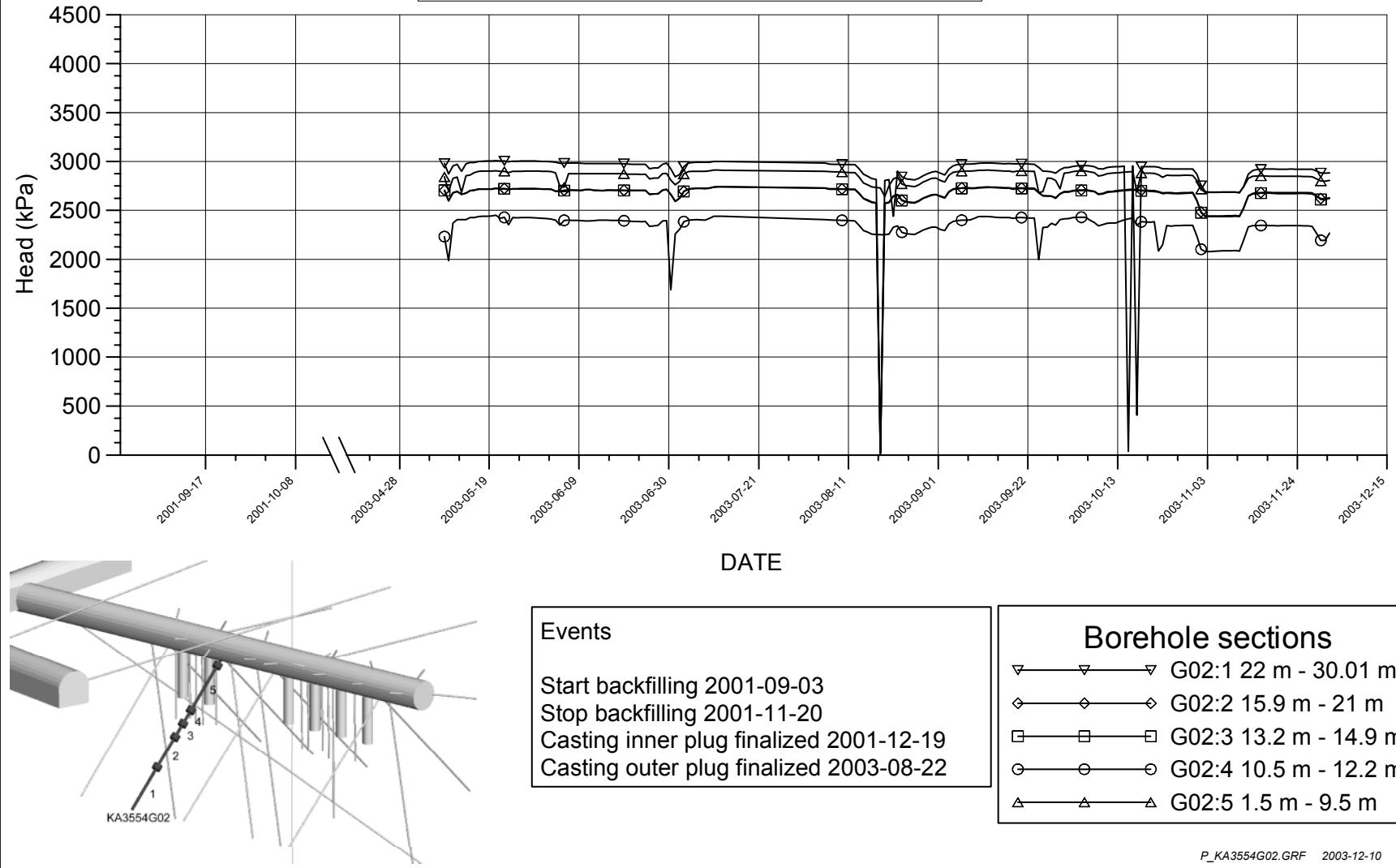
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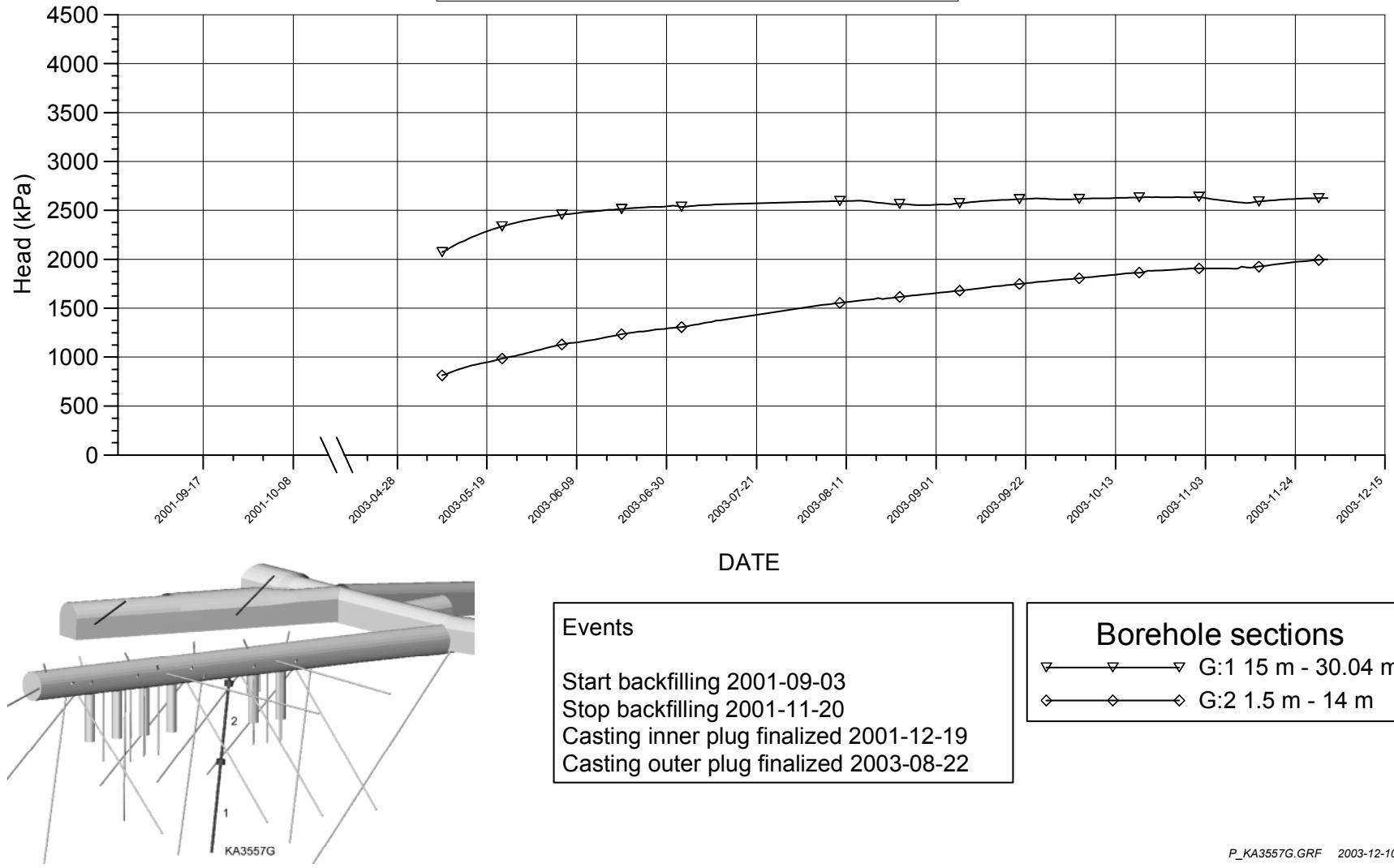
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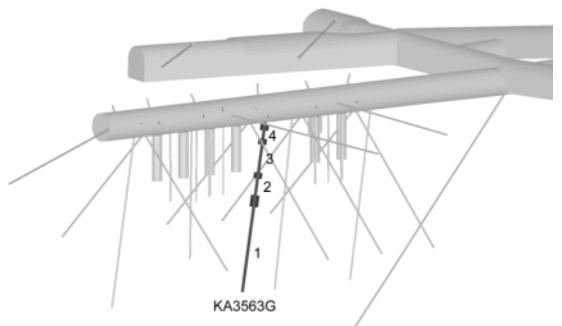
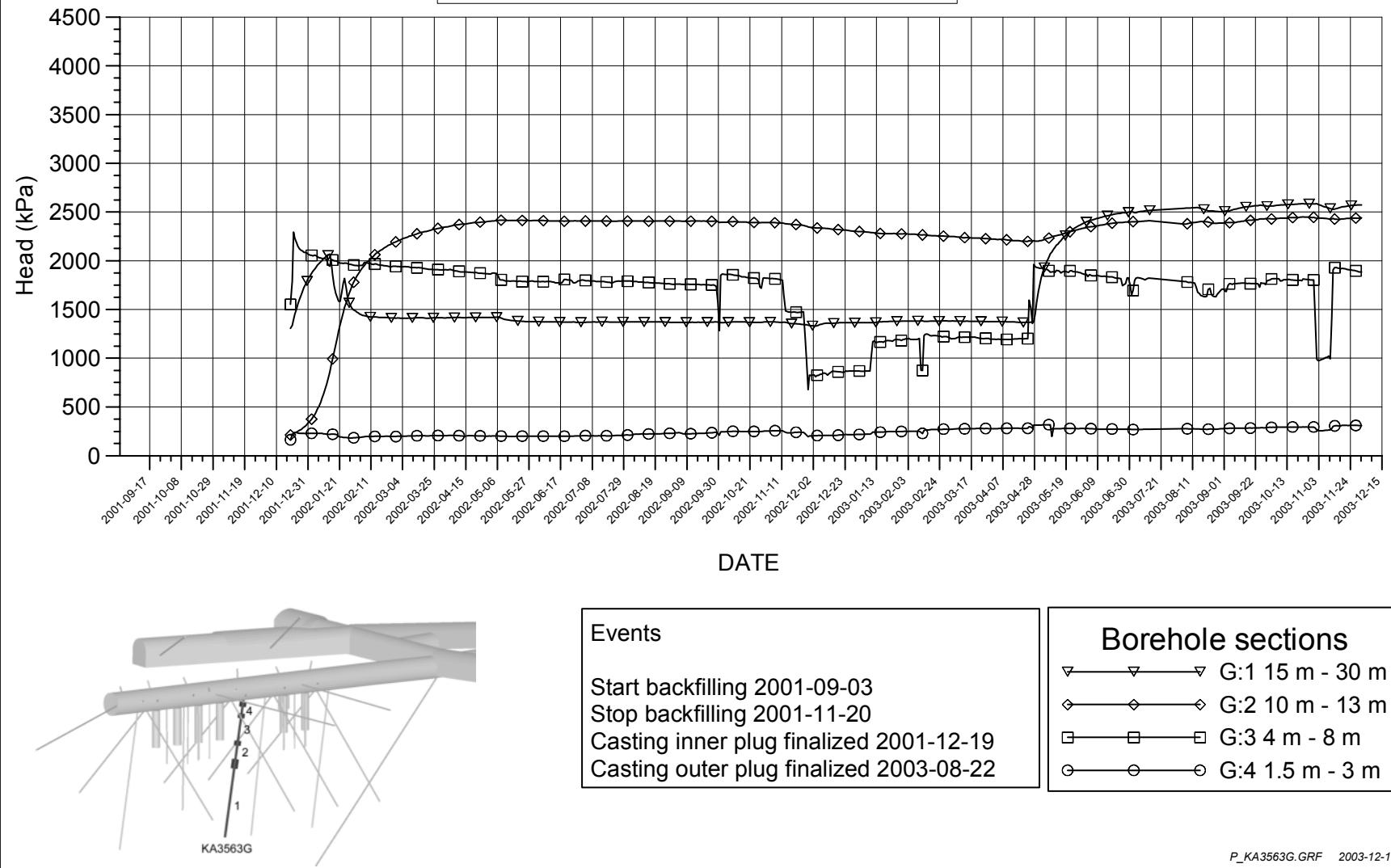
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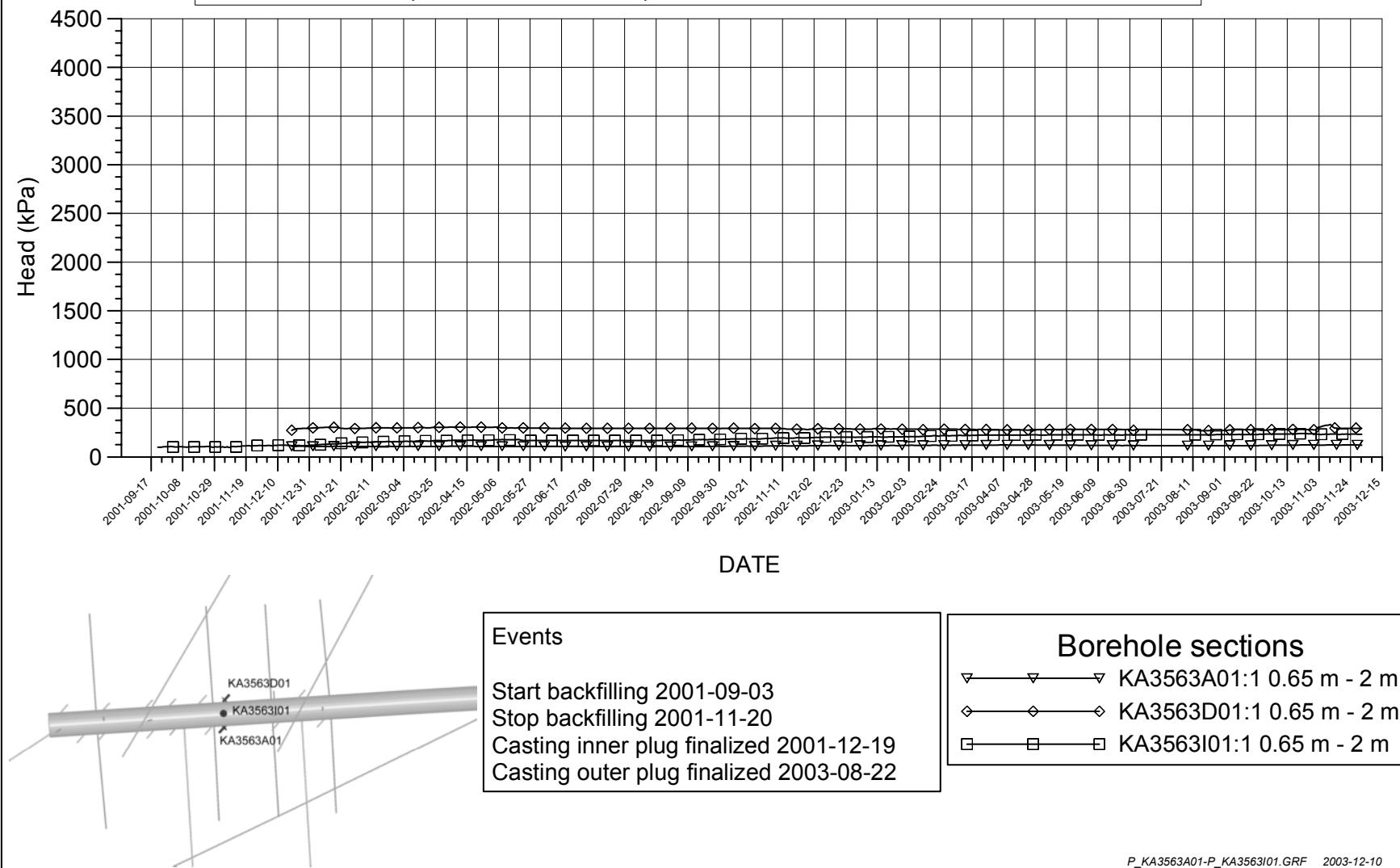
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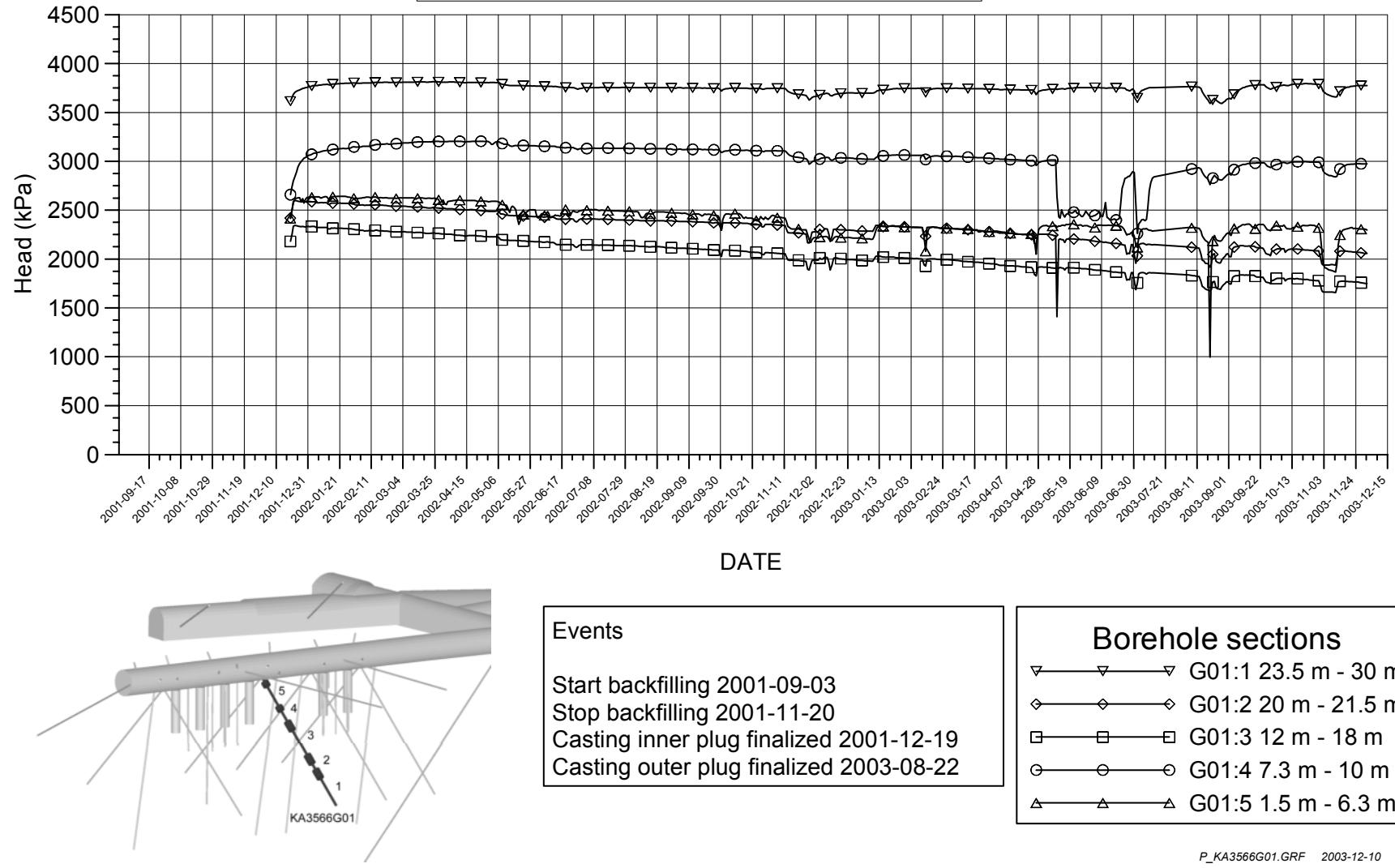
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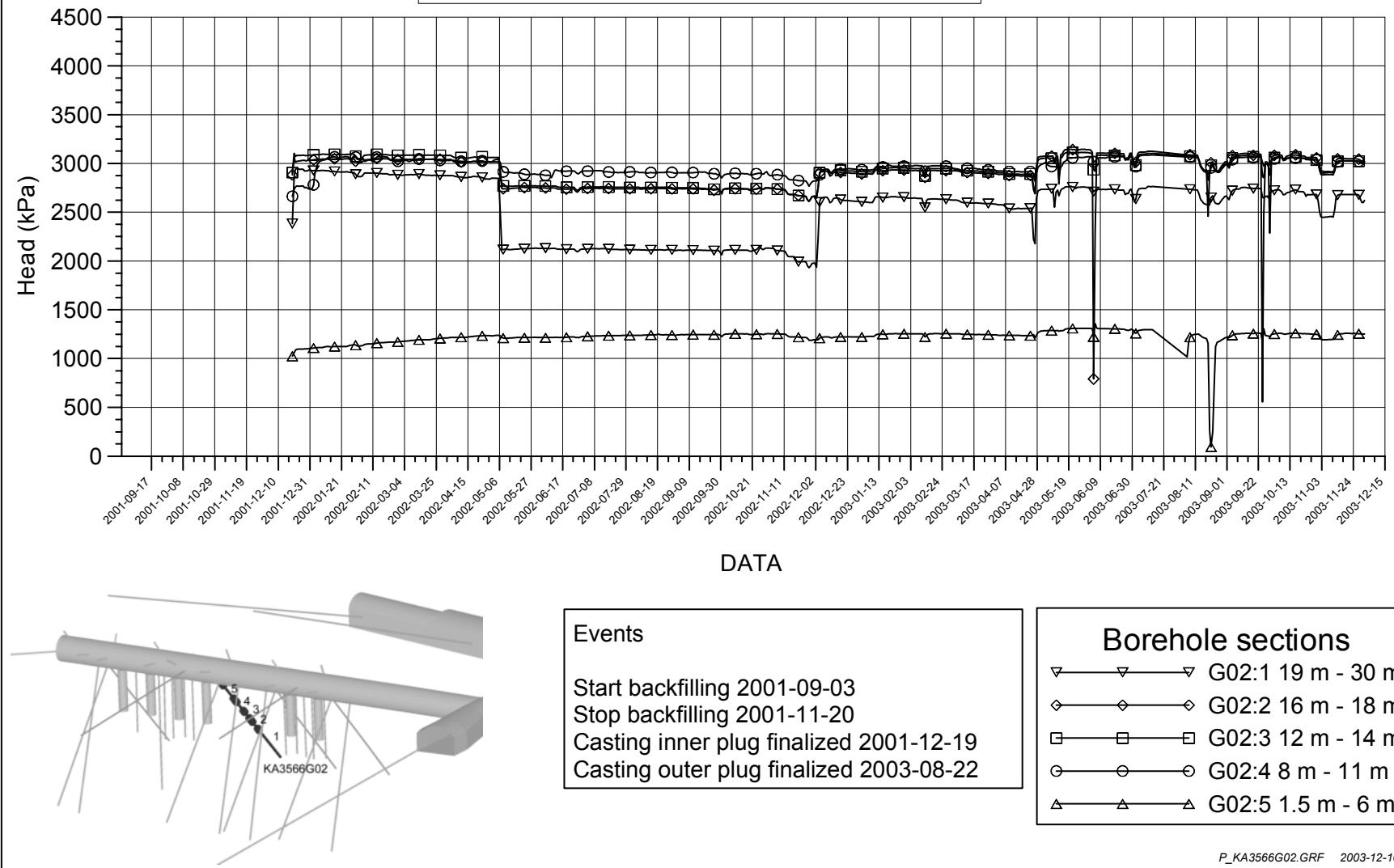
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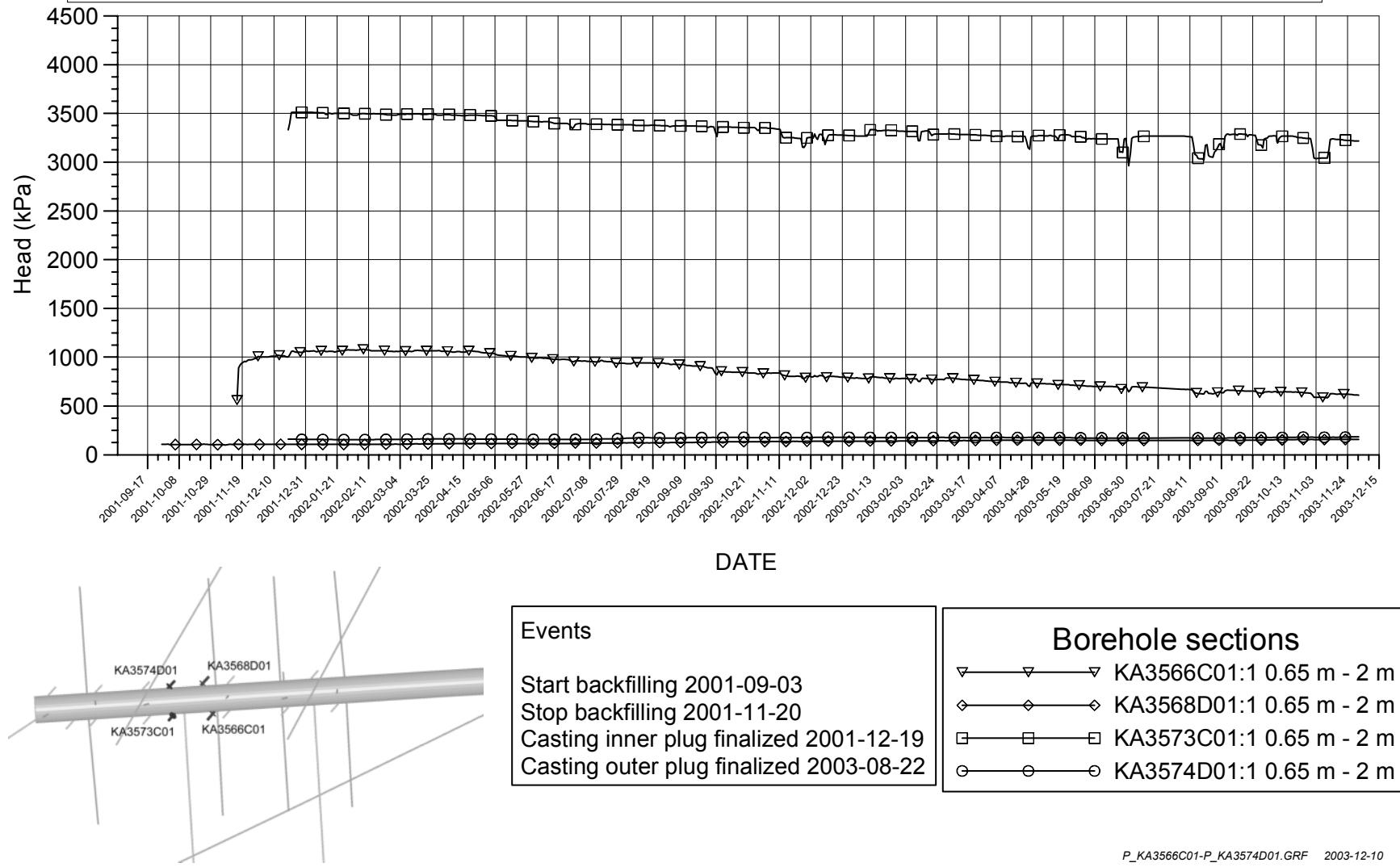
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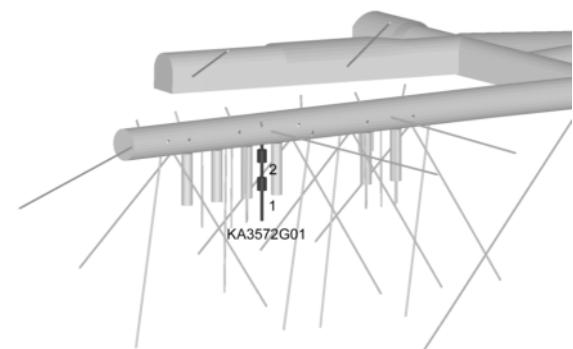
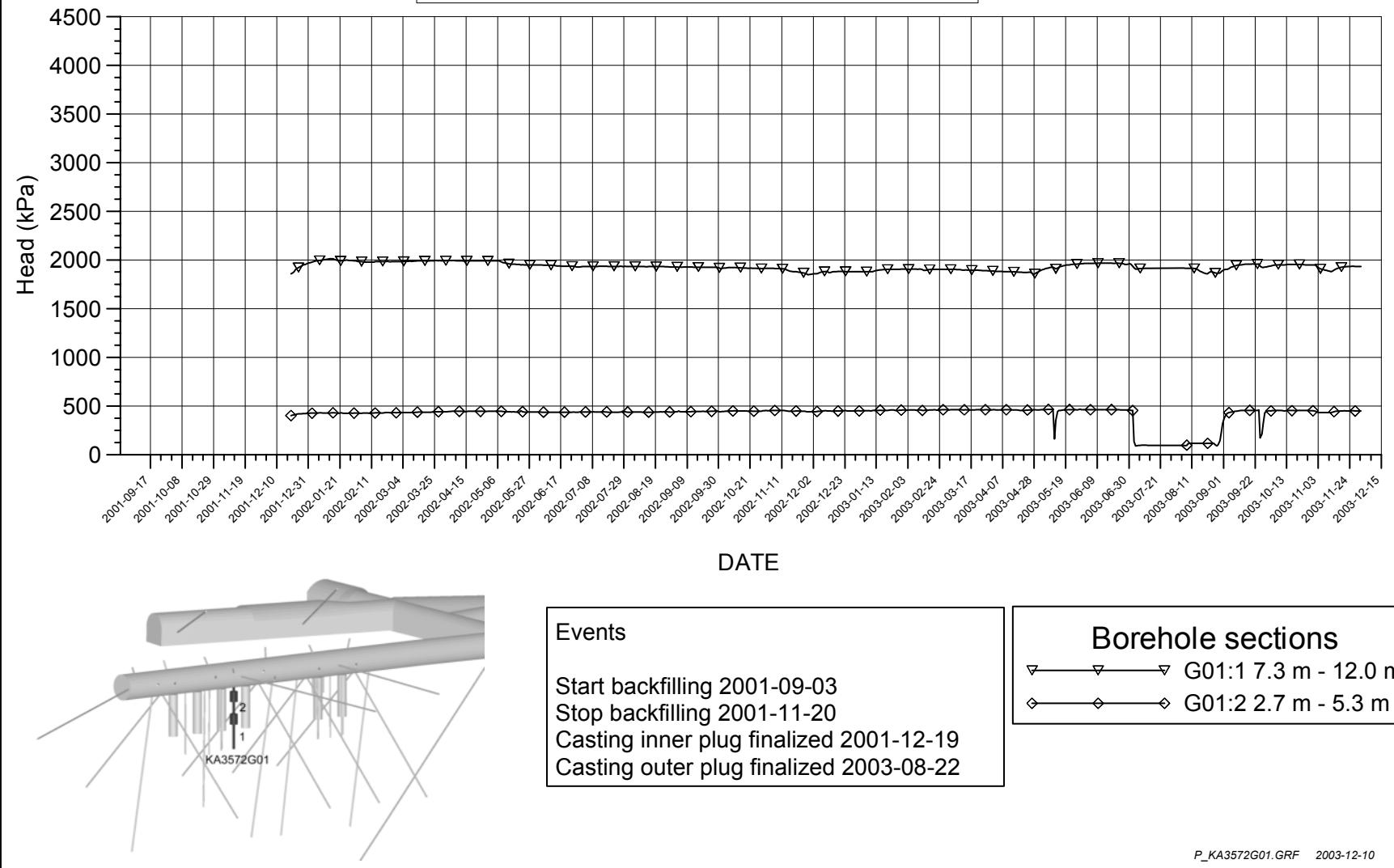
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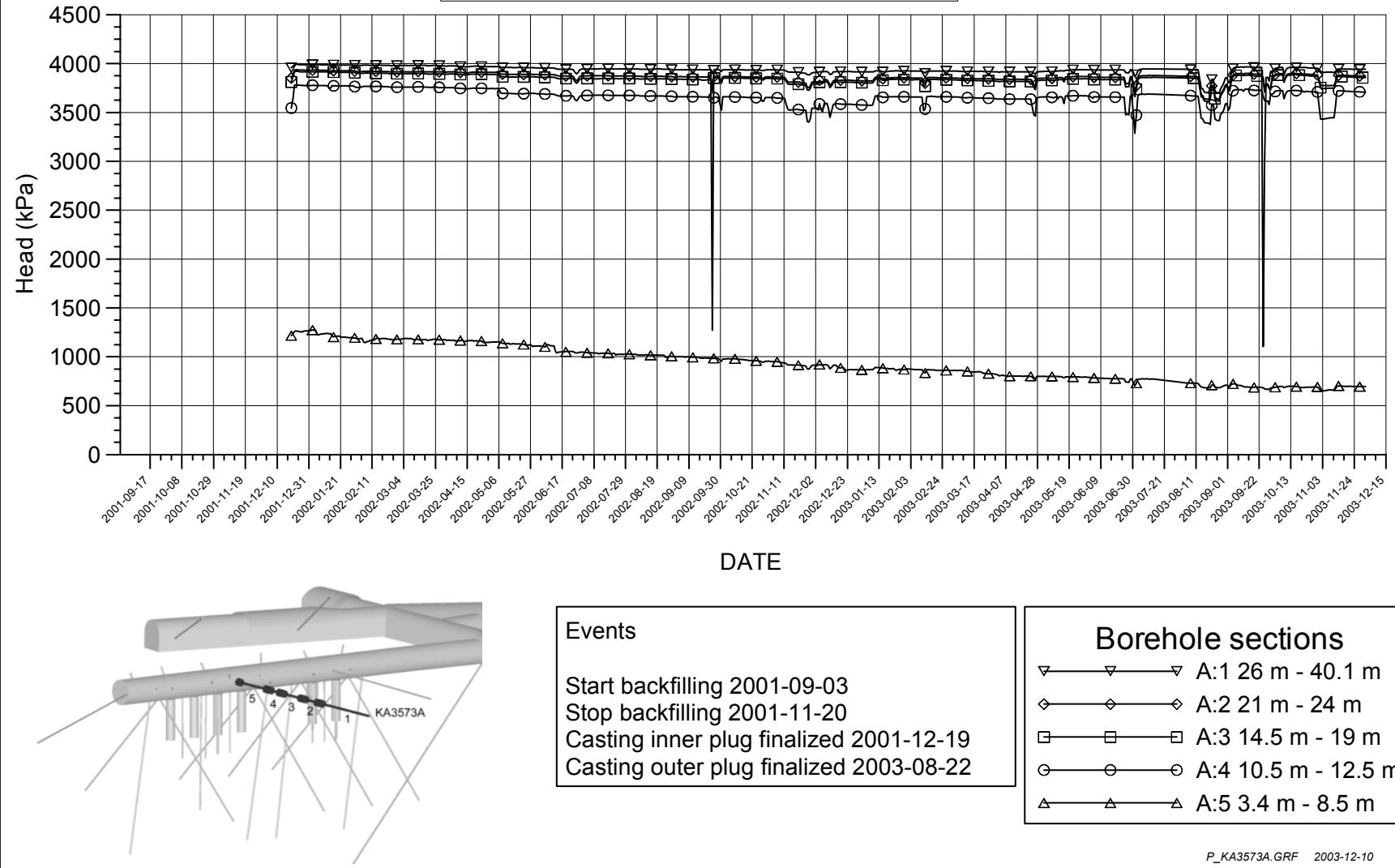
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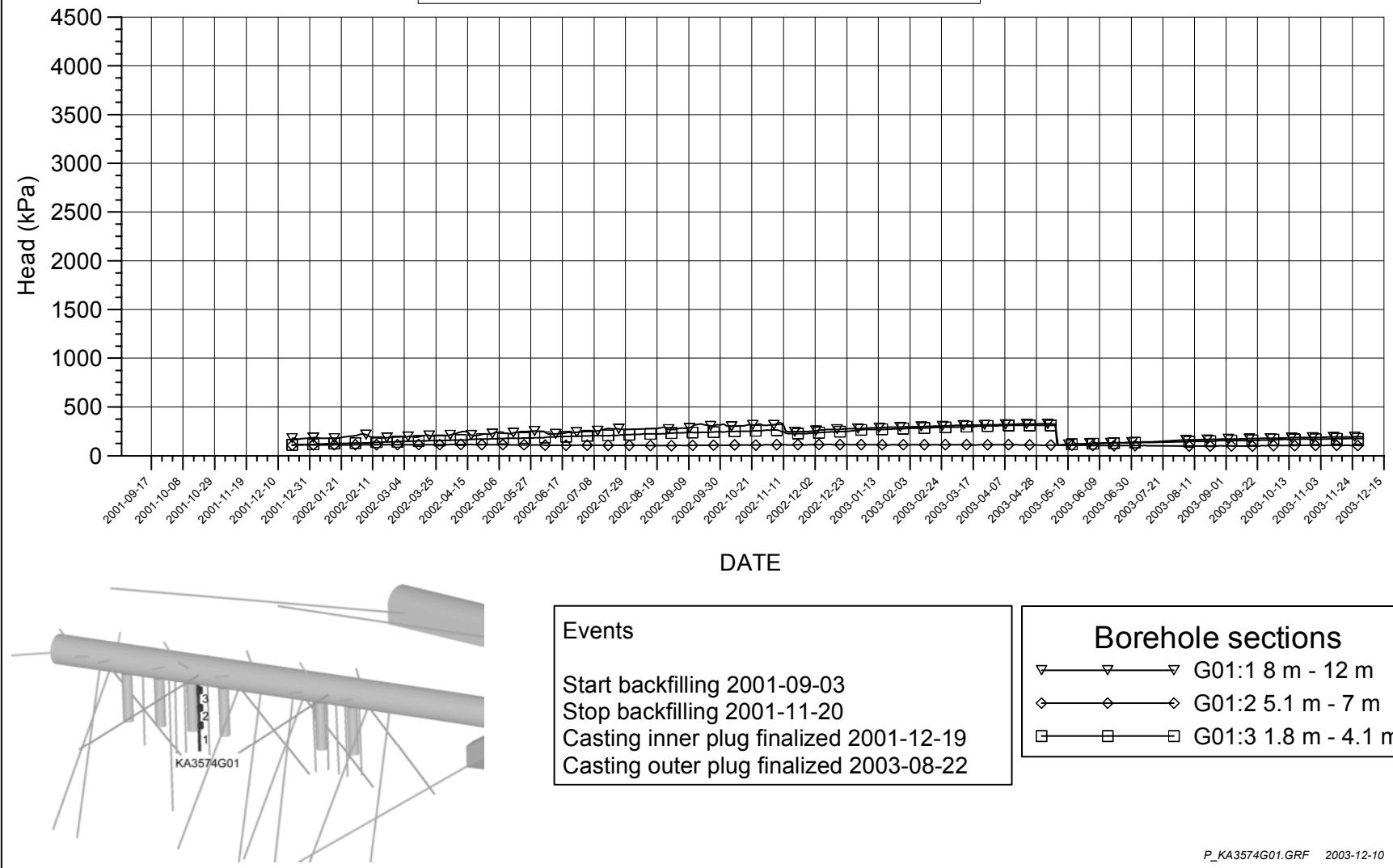
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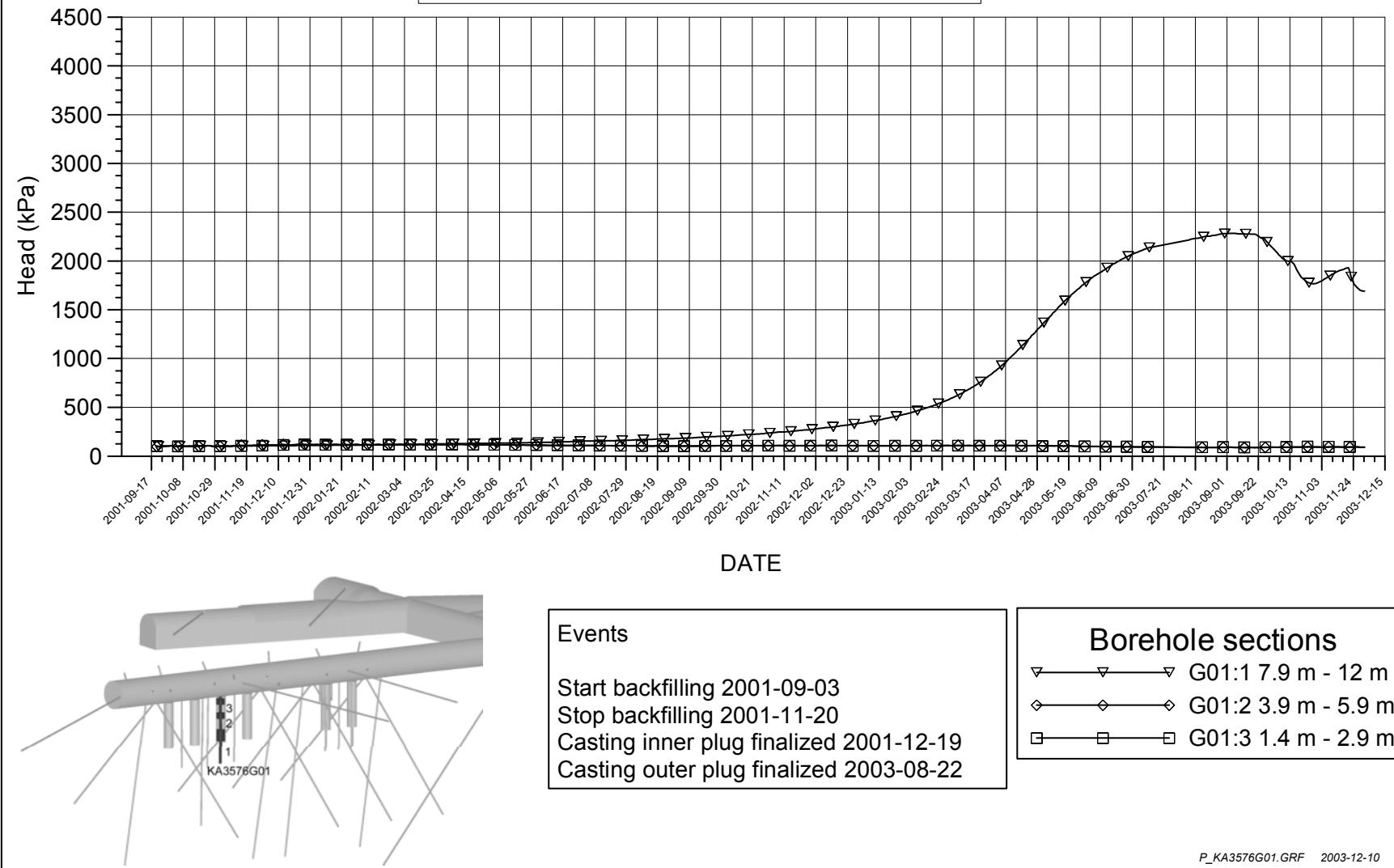
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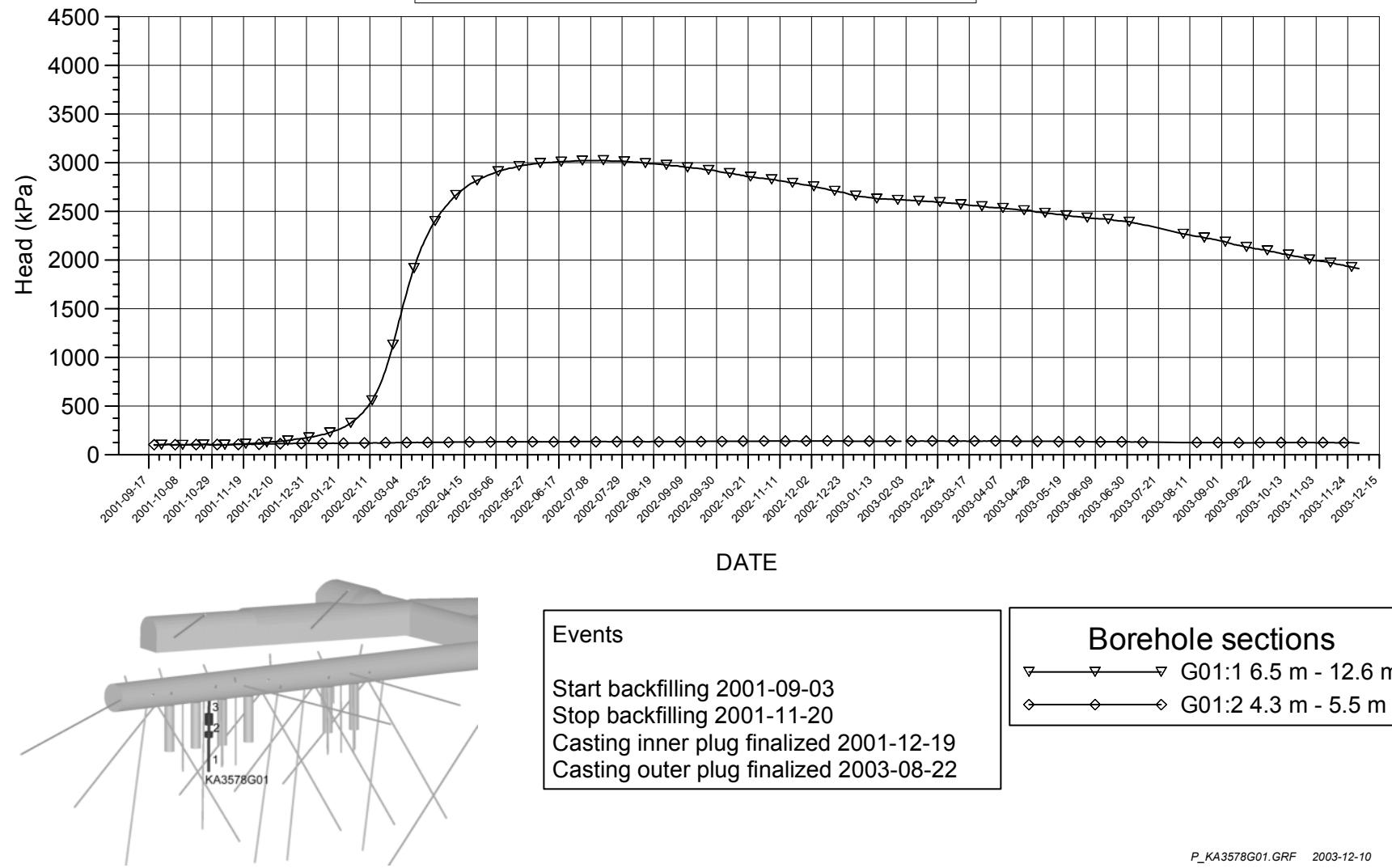
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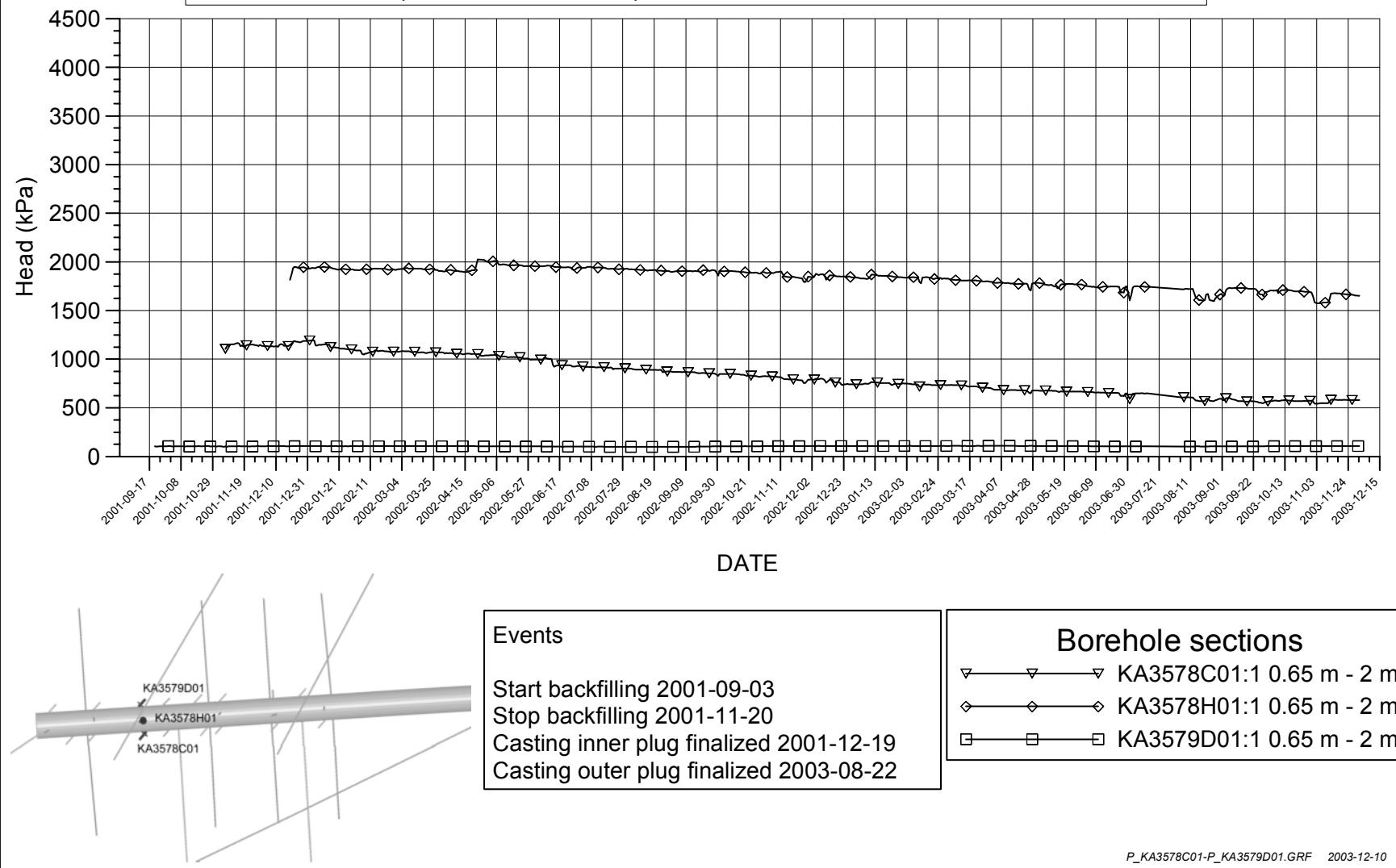
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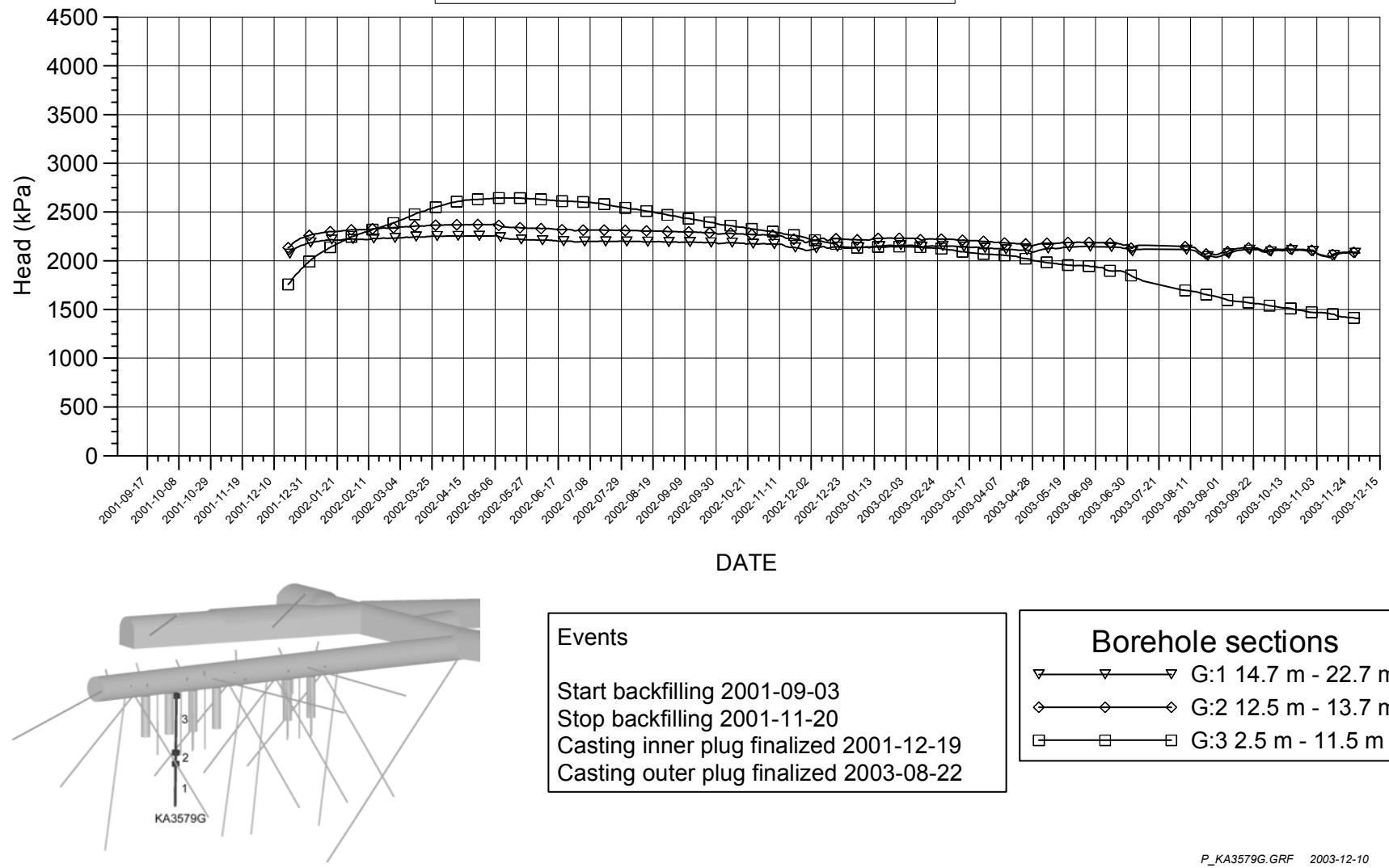
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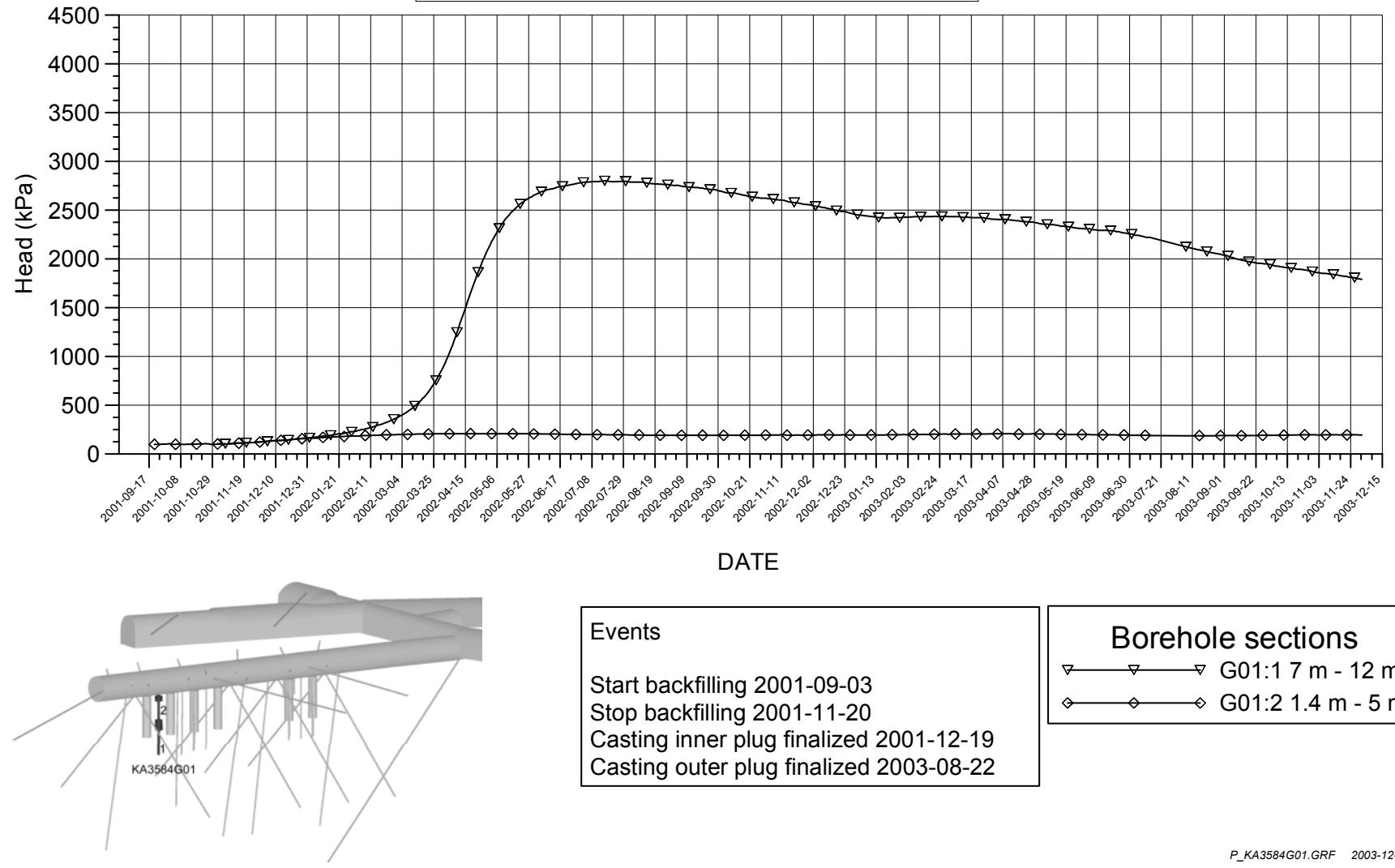
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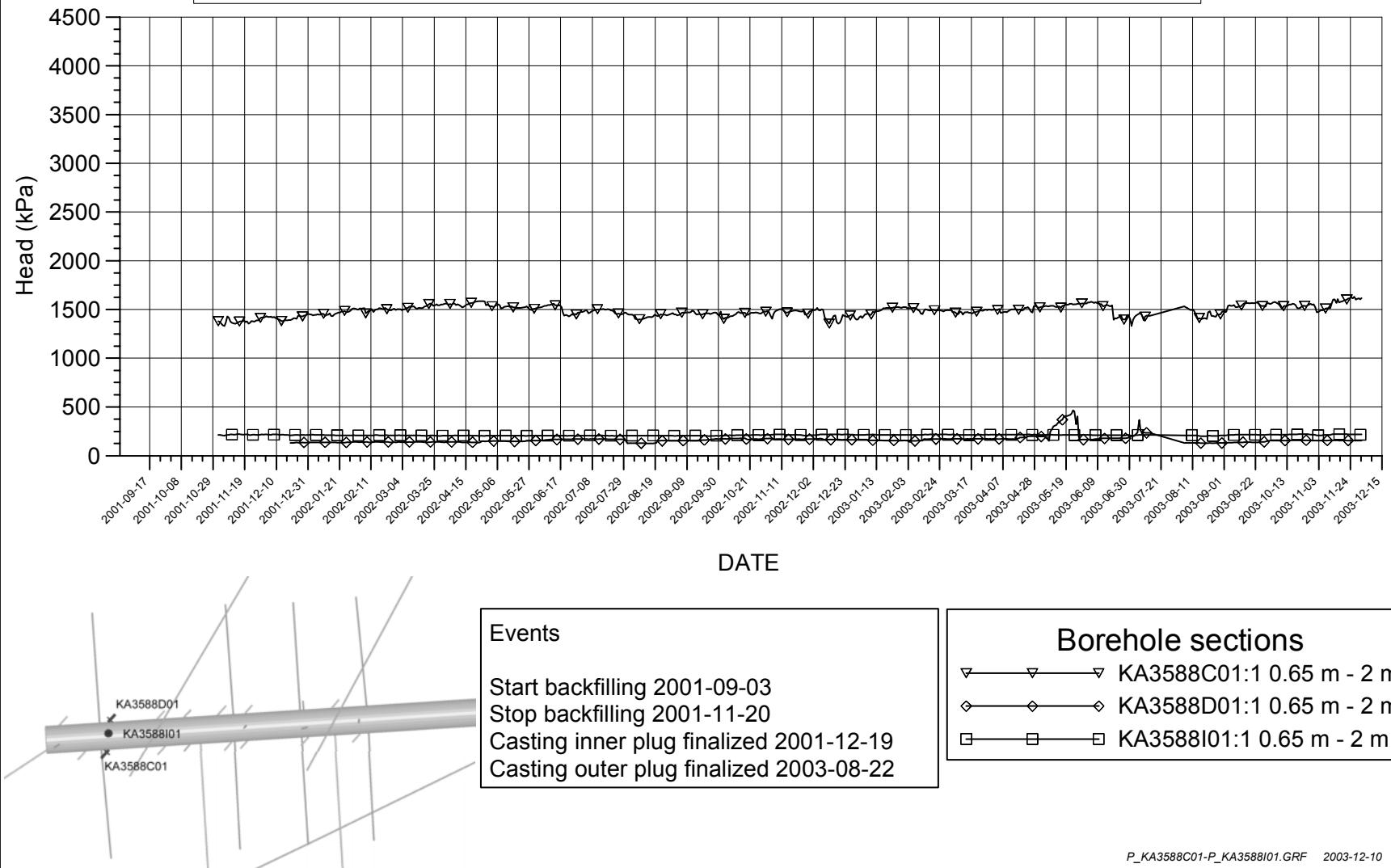
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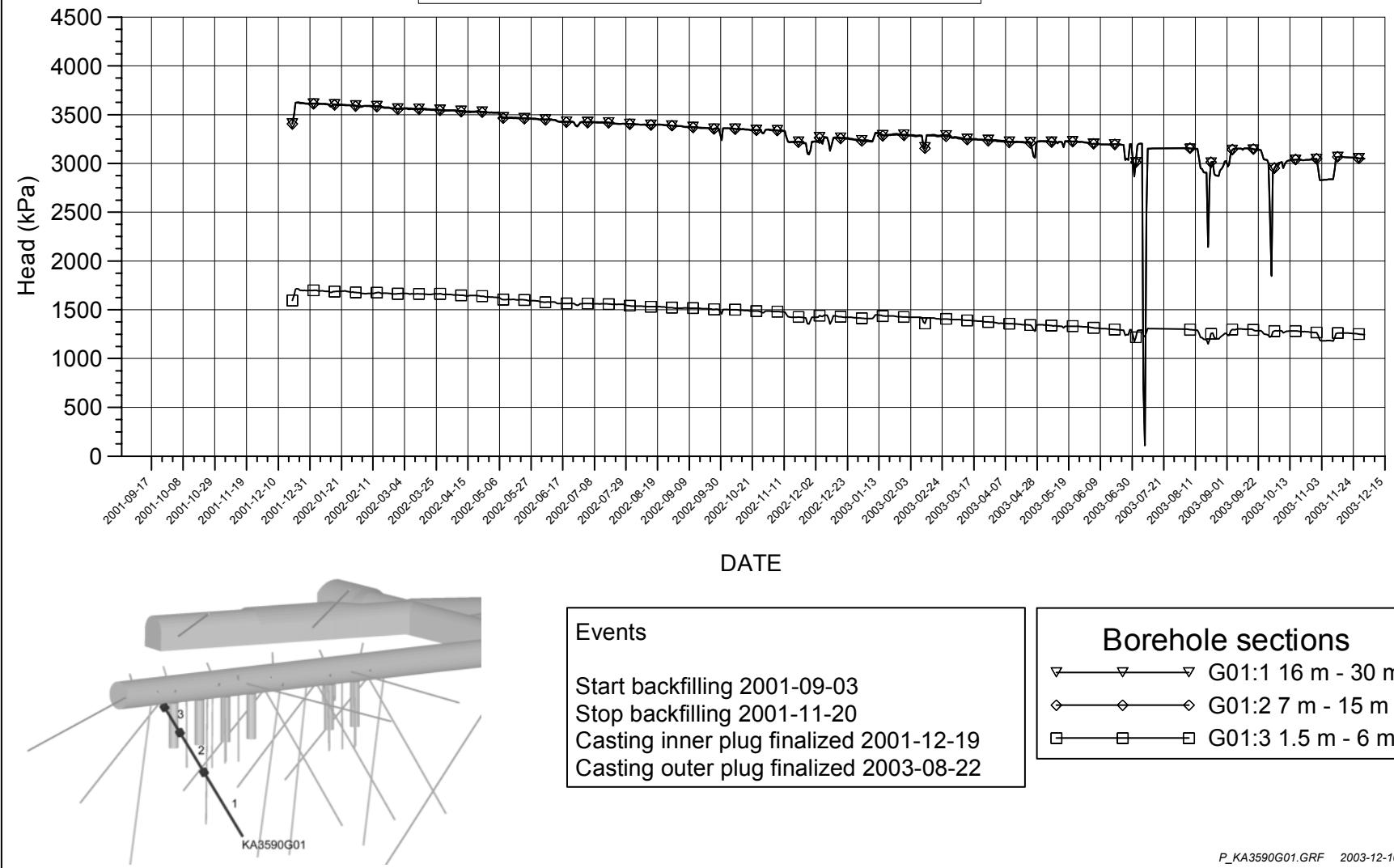
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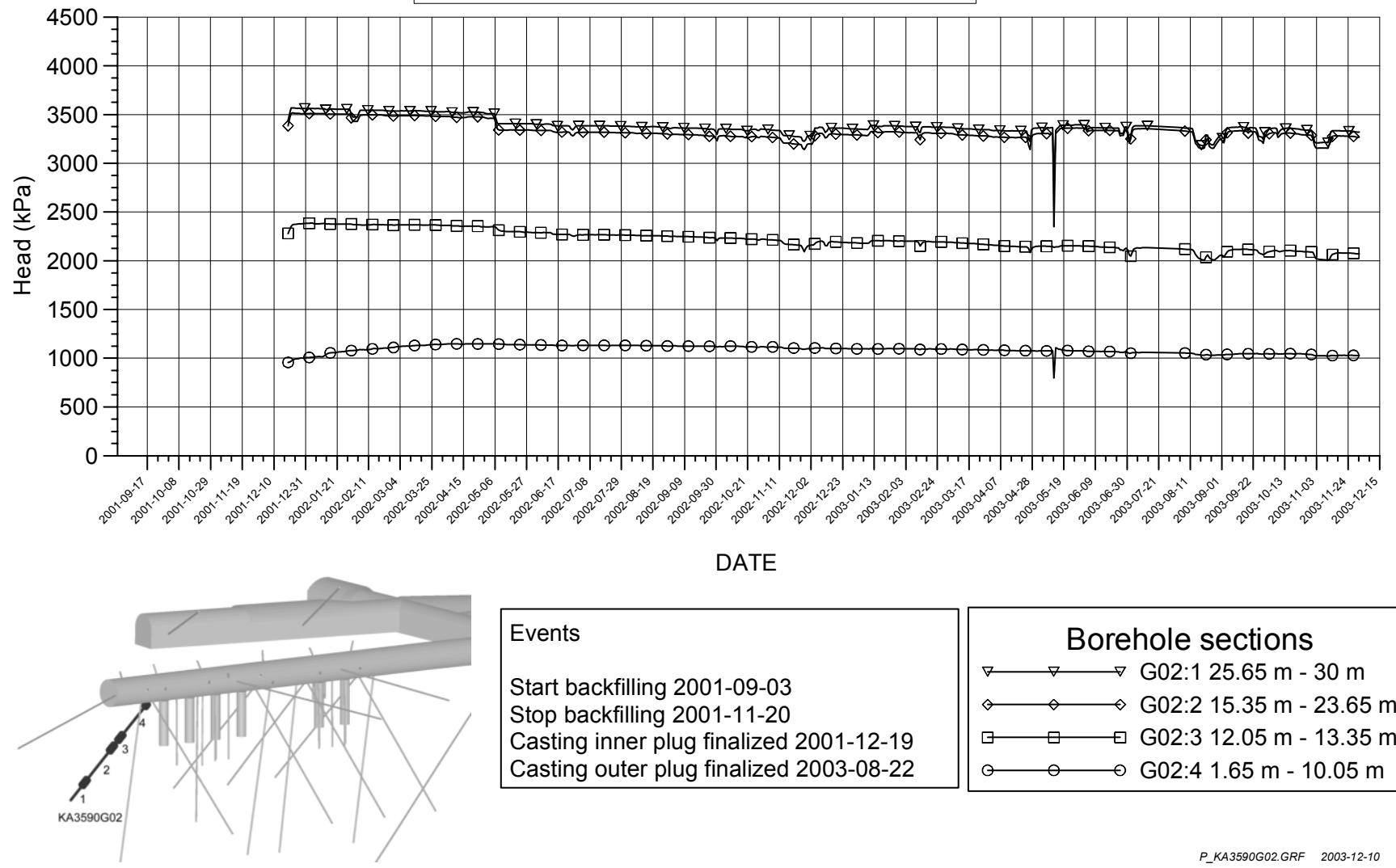
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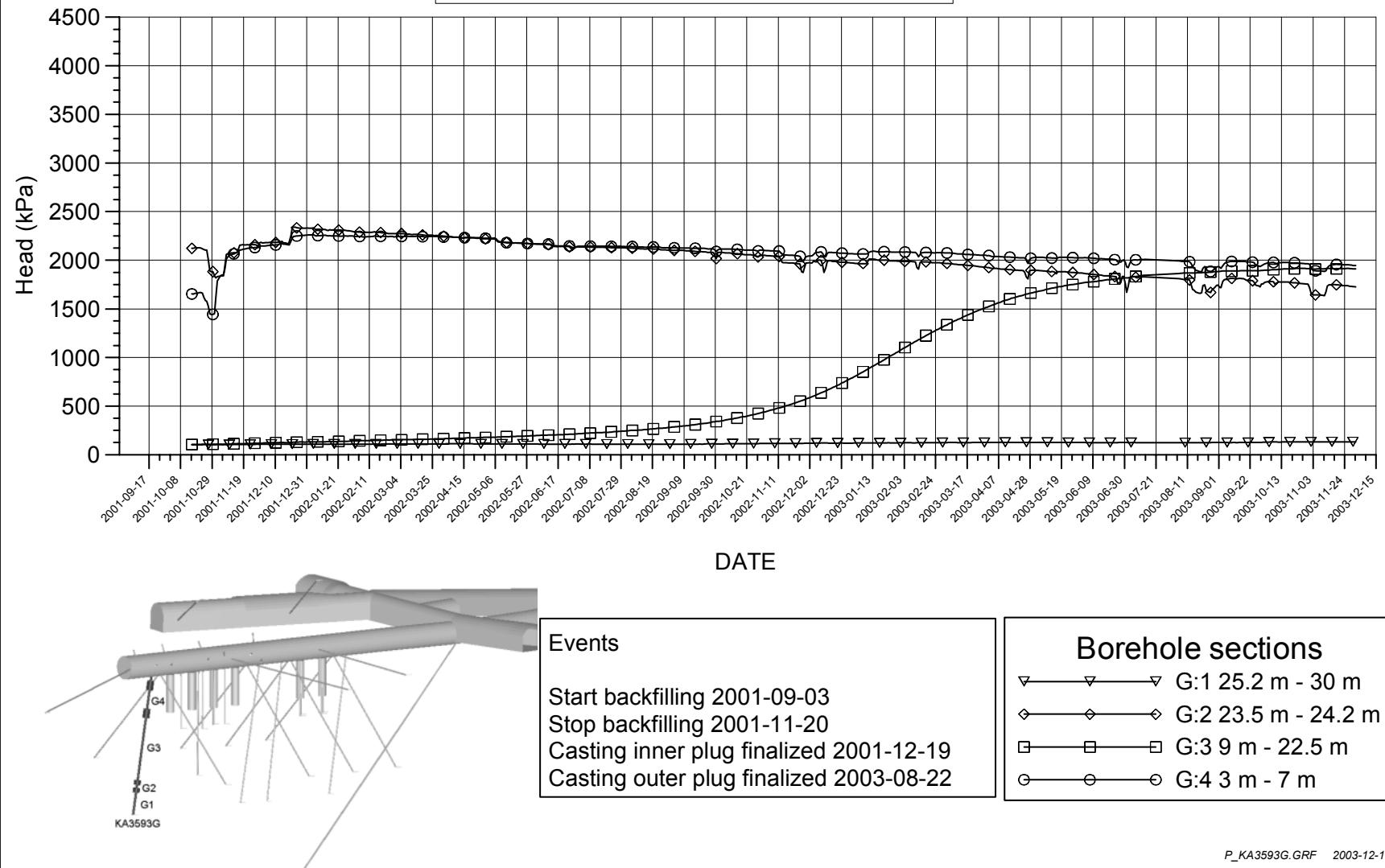
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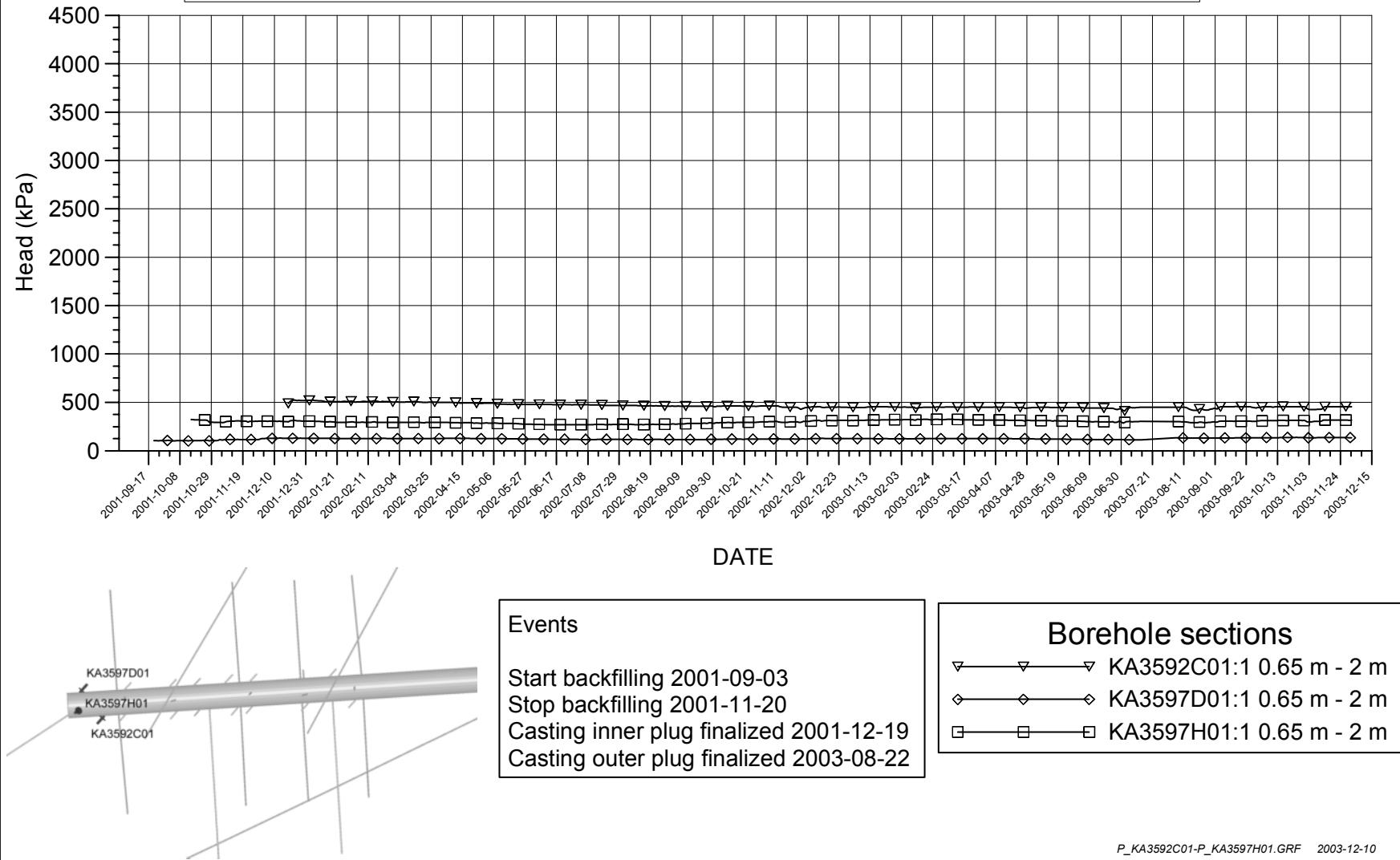
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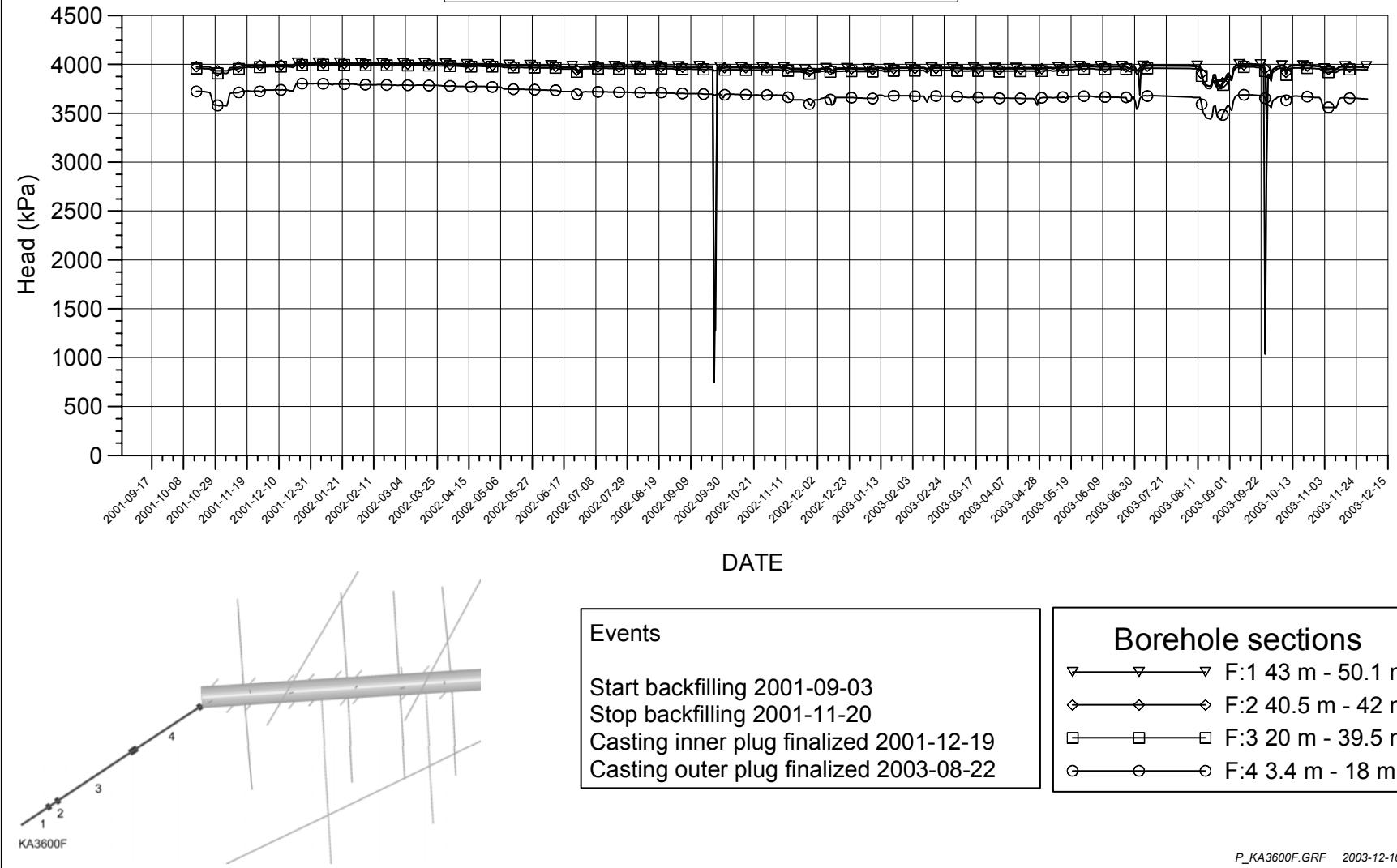
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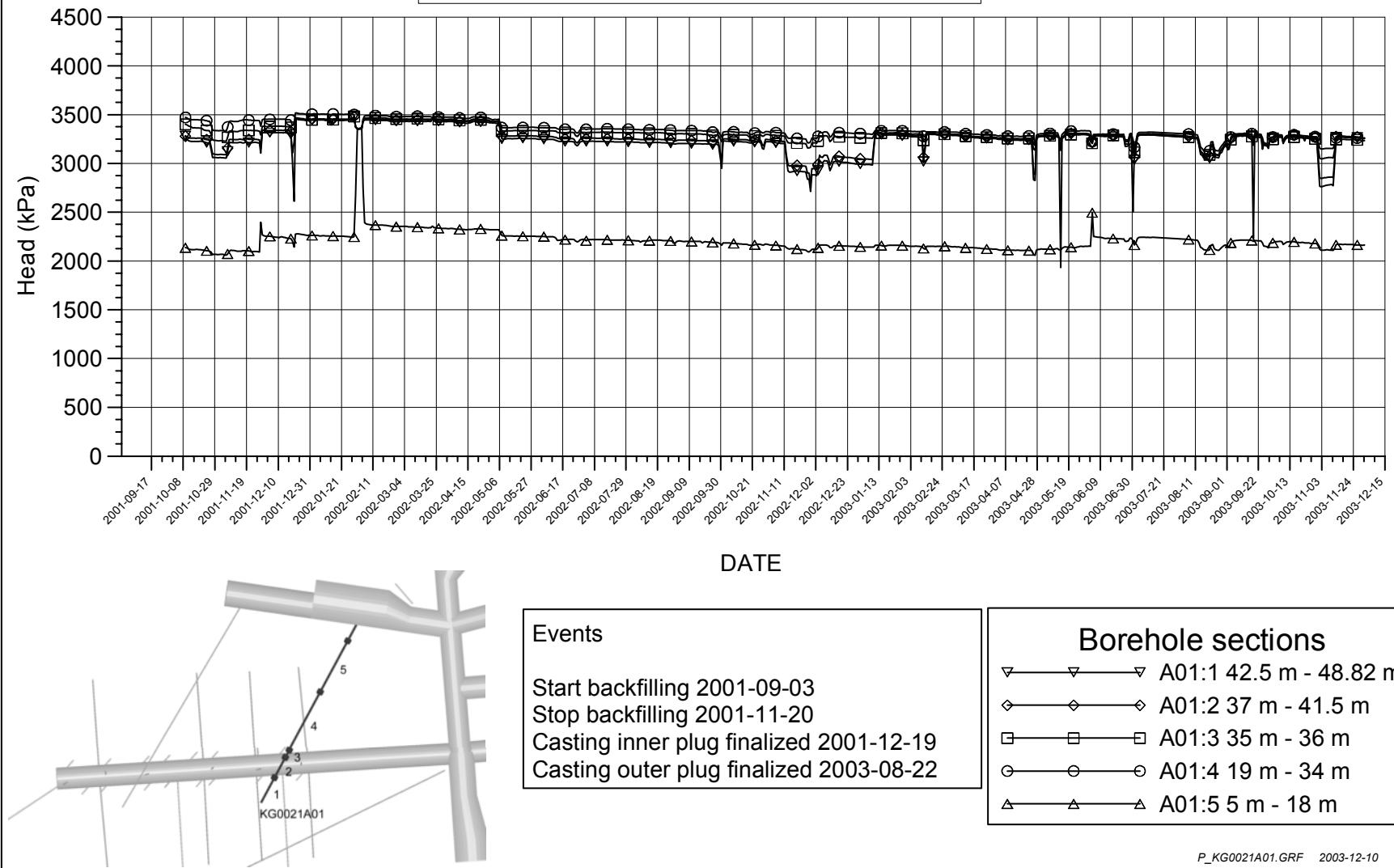
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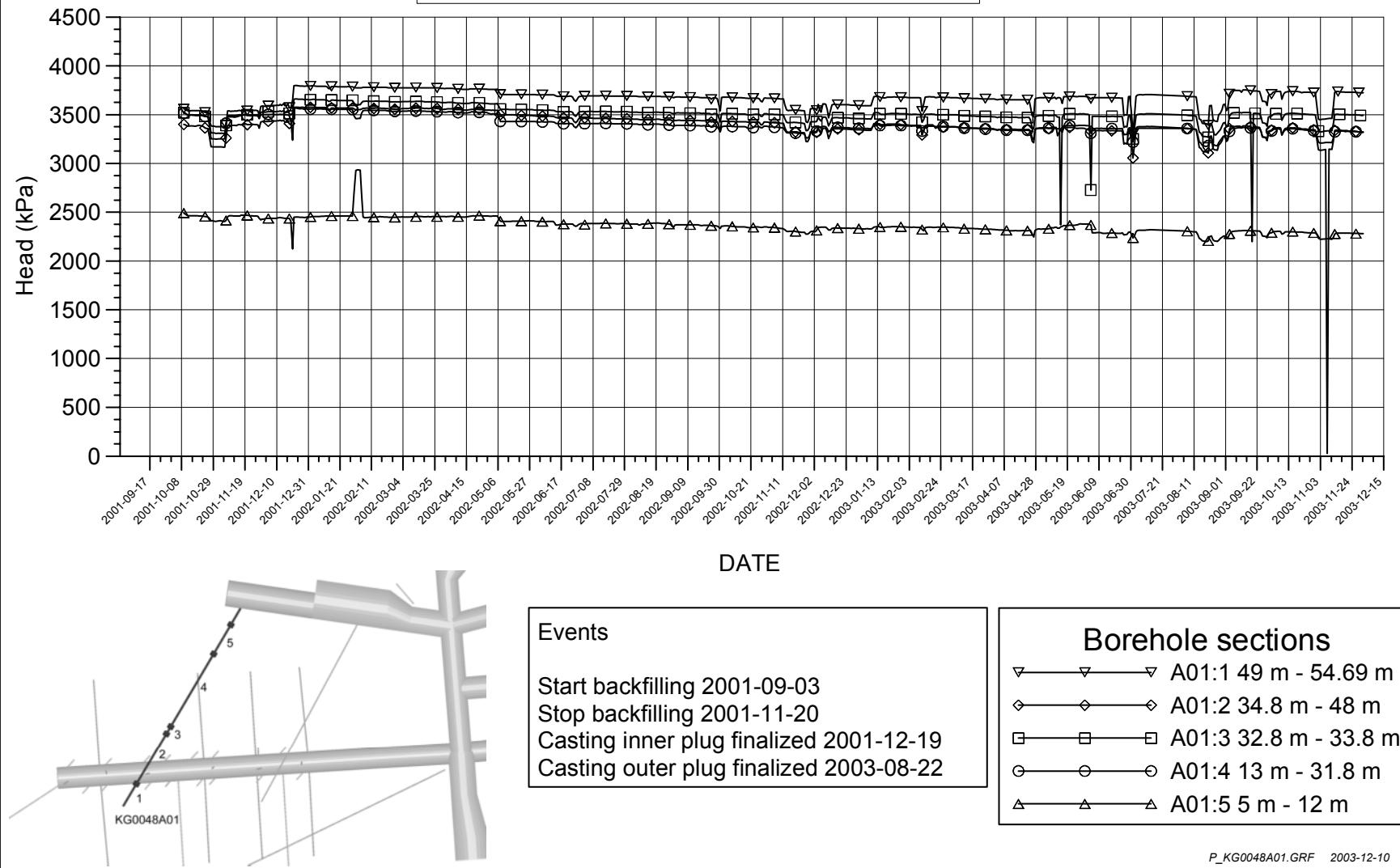
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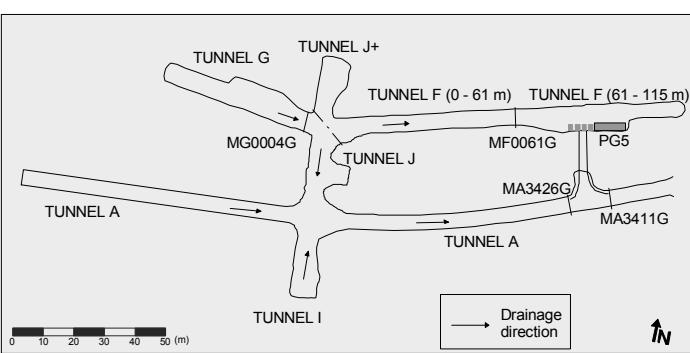
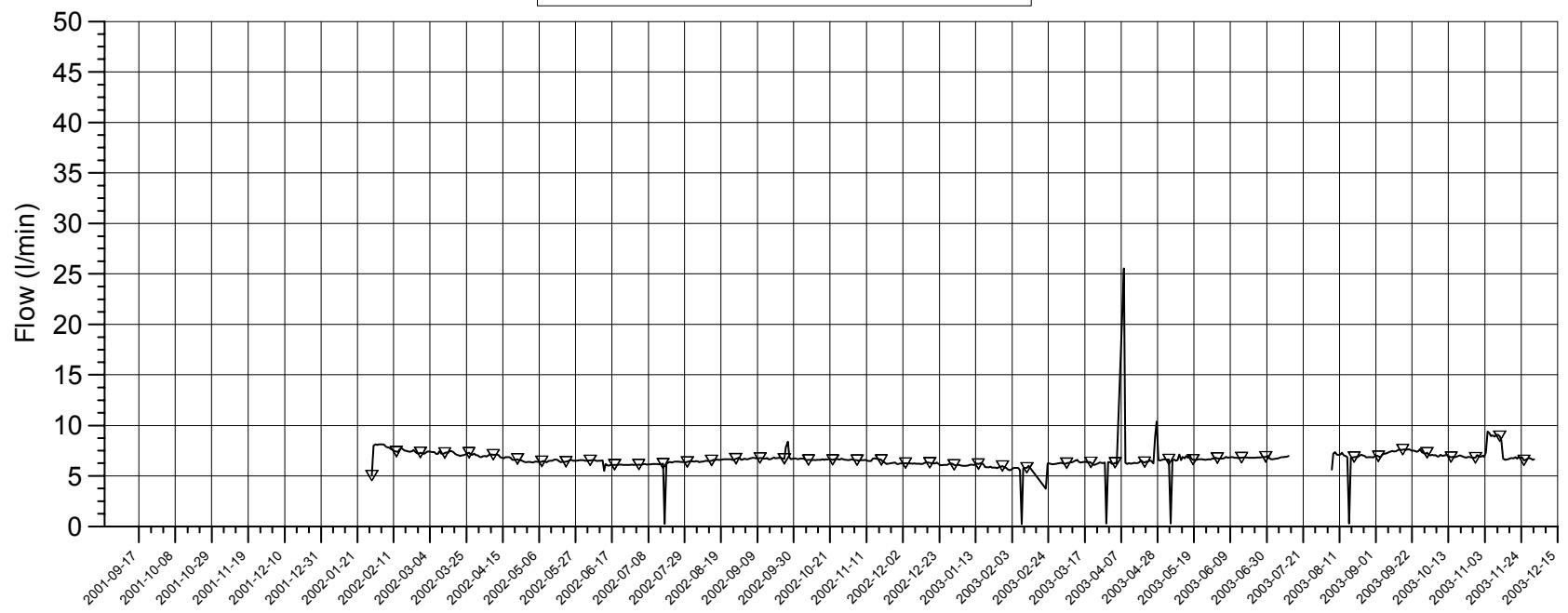
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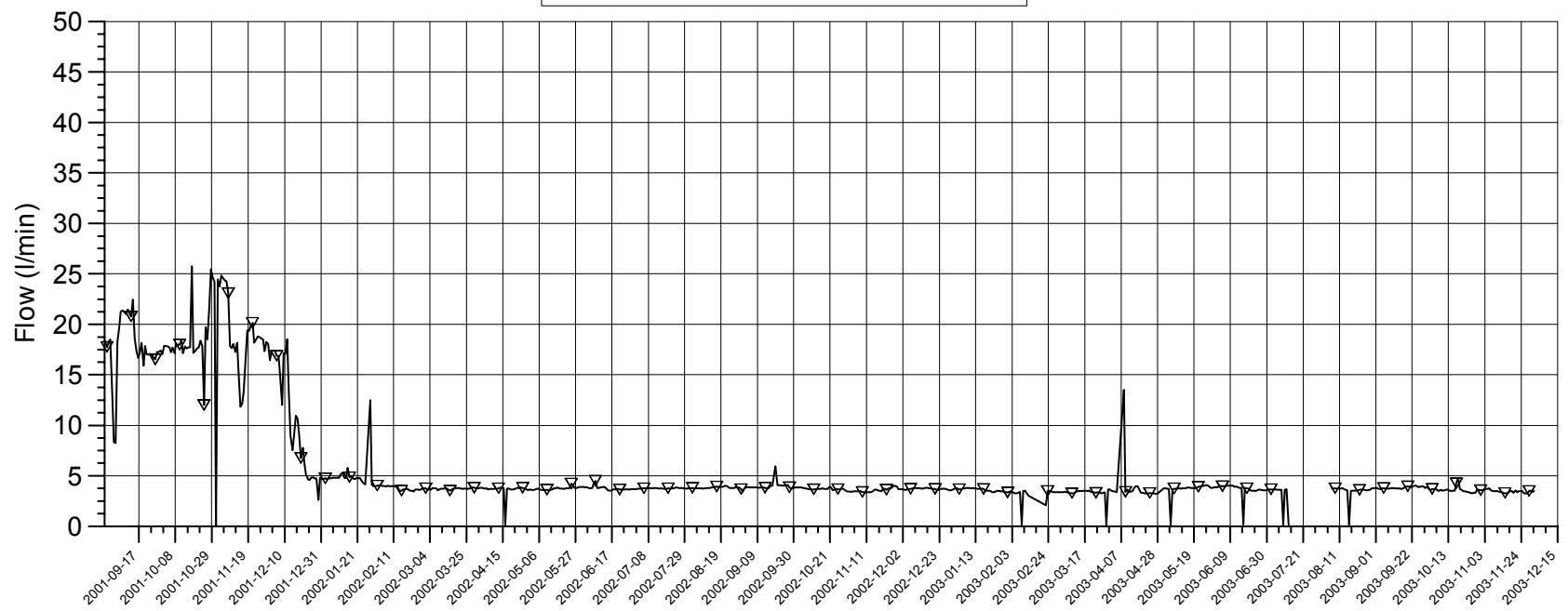
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Start backfilling 2001-09-03  
 Stop backfilling 2001-11-20  
 Casting inner plug finalized 2001-12-19  
 Casting outer plug finalized 2003-08-22

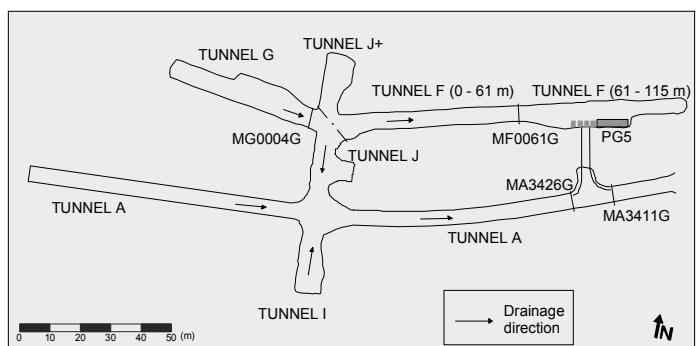
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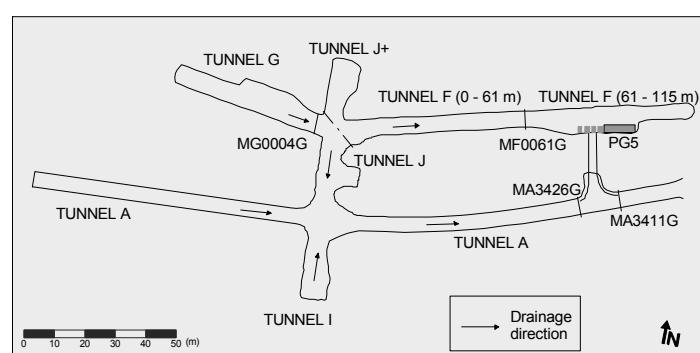
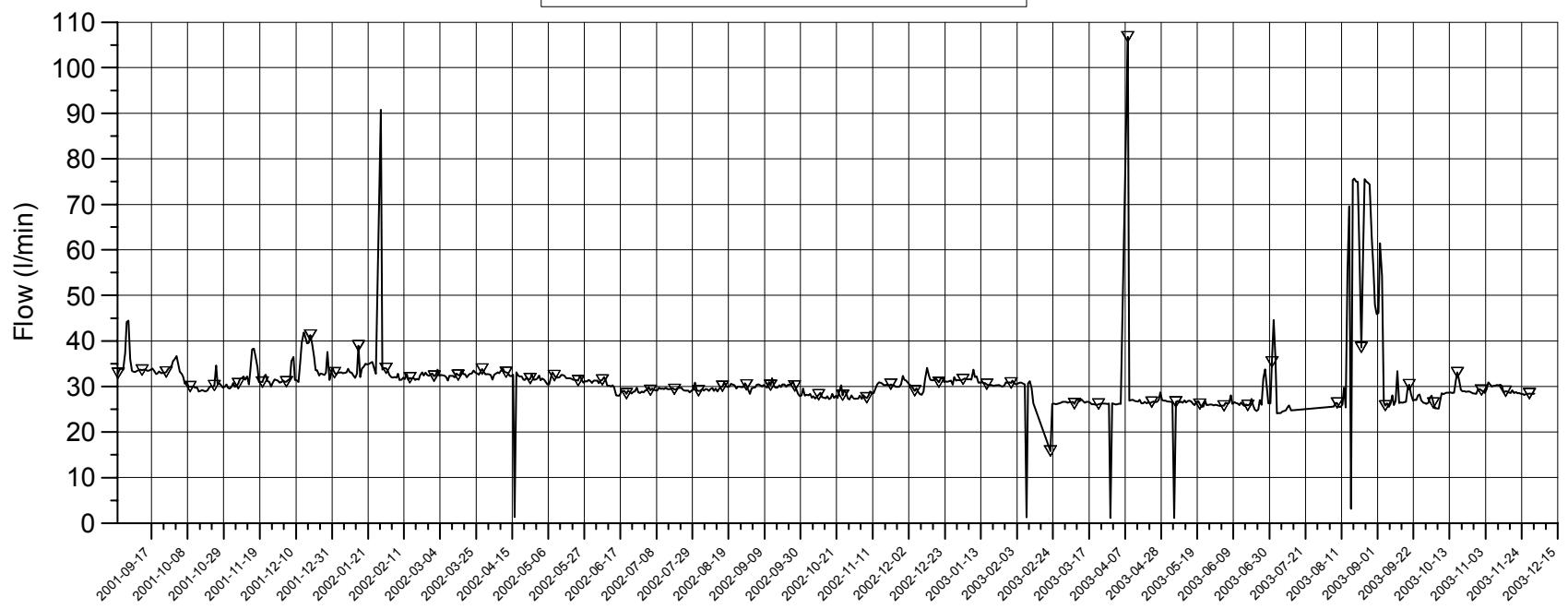
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- Start backfilling 2001-09-03
- Stop backfilling 2001-11-20
- Casting inner plug finalized 2001-12-19
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## MA3426G WEIR FLOW



### Events

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## Quick guide

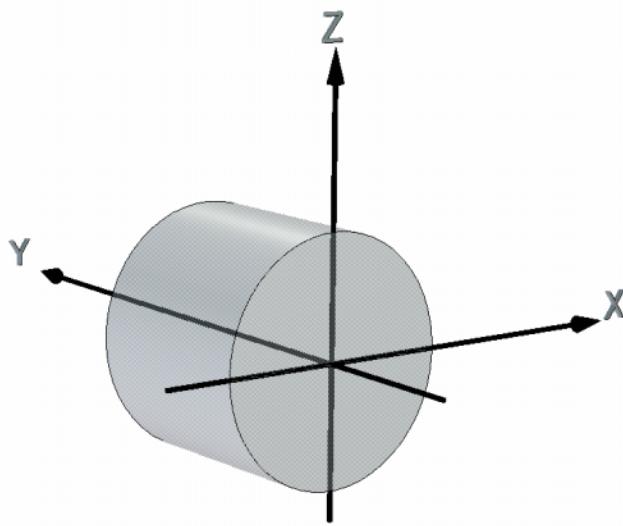
### Transducers in the backfill

Gauge type	WBA 10008 (E2 / -0.5 / -0.3 /3566)
Gauge number	
Section (E=above dep. hole F=Between dep. hole)	
x coordinate (m)	
z coordinate (m)	
y coordinate (m)	

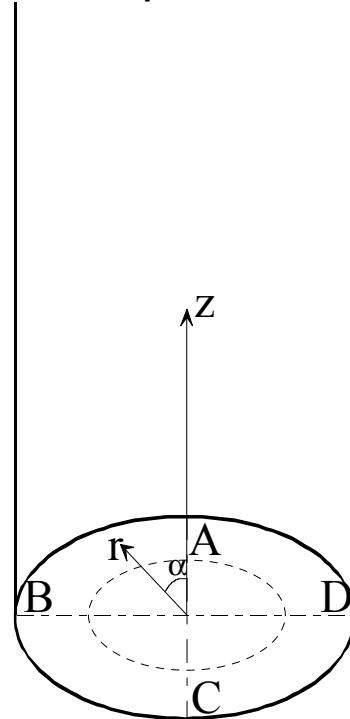
### Transducers in dep. holes 1, 3,5 and 6 and in the rock

Gauge type	TBU 10004 ( 2.75\ 270°2.0)
Gauge number	
z coordinate (m)	
α coordinate(degrees)	
r coordinate (m)	

### **Coordinate system in backfill**



### **Coordinate system in dep. holes**



End of tunnel at       $Y = 3599.8 \text{ m}$   
 Center dep.hole 1.at    $Y = 3587 \text{ m}$   
 Center dep.hole 2 at    $Y = 3581 \text{ m}$   
 Center dep.hole 3 at    $Y = 3575 \text{ m}$   
 Center dep.hole 4 at    $Y = 3569 \text{ m}$   
 Inner plug surface at  $Y=3561.4 \text{ m}$   
 Center dep.hole 5 at    $Y = 3551 \text{ m}$   
 Center dep.hole 6 at    $Y=3545 \text{ m}$   
 Outer plug surface at  $Y=3538.6 \text{ m}$   
 Tunnel radius             $Z=X = 2.5 \text{ m}$

Tunnel direction	C-A
Bottom of hole	$Z=0$
Bottom of canister	$Z=0.5$
Top of canister	$Z=5.400$
Upper buffer surface	$Z=7.125$
Dep. hole radius	$r=0.875$
Canister radius	$r=0.525$