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F/5 SECONDARY SUPPORT

SYSTEM DESIGN

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SUMMARY

The support performance of the F5 secondary mirror cell is predicted and compared to specifications. Rms WF distortion is 0.0882 waves at 632 nm at zenith and 0.0936 waves rms at 632 nm in going from zenith to 60 degrees from zenith. Rms surface slope is 0.0233 arc-seconds at zenith and 0.0437 arc-seconds in going from zenith to 60 degrees from zenith as compared to a requirement of 0.091 arc-sec rms at zenith and 0.138 arc-sec at 60 degrees from zenith. Structure functions at zenith and 30, 45 and 60 degrees from zenith have been calculated and are below the allowable structure functions.

INTRODUCTION

The secondary support system consists of 24 lateral supports and 36 axial supports, three fixed axial positioners and three fixed tangential positioners. Loads are sensed at the fixed positioners and are held to a low value (0.25 lbs) by adjusting the pressures in three zones of axial and one zone of lateral supports. At each of the 66 locations on the mirror where a force or position constraint is applied, there is the possibility of inadvertently applying 5 force and moment components in addition to the intended force, and the intended force may vary from its ideal value. For example, at an axial support we wish only to apply a force parallel to the optical axis, Fz, but because of small misalignments, offsets, friction or stiffness in the axial support system, we can expect to obtain in addition Fx, Fy, Mx, My and Mz components. Much of the design of the supports is involved in minimizing the magnitude of these extraneous forces and in
making the intended force \((F_z\) in the example) sufficiently accurate to maintain good surface figure.

The magnitude of these error forces can be estimated and the effect of each individual component can be predicted. Since there are \(6\times66=396\) such components, and since most of them can be considered to be statistically independent of the others, the net effect of all these components can be obtained by RSS'ing the effects of each force.

Some of the error forces are not statistically independent. If the axial supports have stiffness, cell bending will result in a support force distribution that induces astigmatic bending of the mirror. With the finite number of axial supports we have, the probability of obtaining a random distribution of error forces having an astigmatic component is too high to ignore (astigmatic bending is the softest mode of deformation of the mirror and we must be particularly careful to keep force error small enough to prevent this deformation mode). The effects of systematic force sets are calculated by FEM analysis and RSS'd into the statistically independent results described above.

Gravity deflections are also included in the "support" term of the secondary error budget. Gravity deflections are calculated by FEM. Since the mirror is figured to meet its polishing budget when supported axial supports identical to those used in the telescope cell, the zenith pointing gravity sag attributable to the mirror support is zero (already included in the polishing). As the LOS moves away from zenith, the mirror distorts due to the change in gravity and the shift in support forces from the axial supports to the laterals. This is modeled by applying the gravity and support force changes that occur in moving from zenith to some elevation angle to the finite element model. These results are RSS'd in with the other sources of distortion to arrive at a net result for a particular telescope orientation.

Surface figure can be expressed as rms or P-V surface or wavefront distortion, FWHM, encircled energy or as a structure function. All these can be combined using the RSS operation although the details of combining structure functions may not be obvious and are described in Appendix A.

The calculations outlined above were performed on the MMT F5 Secondary Mirror using an initial set of estimated error forces. The initial results exceeded the distortion requirements and the component force effects were searched to find damaging terms. Once a particular component was identified as a major contributor to distortion, the design was changed to reduce the magnitude of that force component. The results of this operation are a performance prediction that meets the requirements for the support system and a large number of design constraints on the secondary support system components. Much of these design constraints are in the form of positional and alignment tolerances. These are identified in Appendix B.

This report describes the results of evaluating and combining a large number of finite element solution sets in accordance with the general procedures outlined above. Due to the large volume of data being processed, the compilations are performed by a computer program using data files
generated by other computer programs. Details of this procedure and of the results obtained are described in this report and its Appendices.

DISCUSSION

Secondary Support System Requirements

The F5 secondary support requirements are defined in Reference 1 section 6.2.1. The table lists a support allocation $r_s$ of 141 cm for the F5 secondary. The corresponding encircled energy requirement is 0.071 arc-sec FWHM. These requirements apply for zenith pointing. At angles, $\theta$, from zenith, the allowable structure function is $141 \cos(\theta)^{0.6}$ cm and the required encircled energy requirement is $0.091 / \cos(\theta)^{0.6}$ arc-sec rms ($0.071 / \cos(\theta)^{0.6}$ FWHM).

Table 1 Summary of F9 Secondary Support Requirements

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<th>Requirement</th>
<th>Value</th>
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<tr>
<td>Rms Surface Slope</td>
<td>$0.091 / \cos(\theta)^{3/5}$ arc-sec</td>
<td>Ref 1, Sections 6.2.1, 5.53 and 4.2</td>
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<tr>
<td>Structure Function, $r_s$, cm</td>
<td>$89 \cos(\theta)^{3/5}$ cm</td>
<td>Ref 1, Section 6.2.1</td>
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The encircled energy requirement for the secondary support is $0.017^4 4.13^4 1.28^4 \cos(\theta)^{0.6}$ FWHM

Cell Configuration

The cell configuration is shown in Appendix F. There are 36 pneumatic axial supports in three circles of 6, 12 and 18 supports. Each support in the outer circle provides 80% of the force of a support in the inner two rows. The axial supports are grouped into three zones of 120 degrees extent. There are 30 pneumatic lateral supports in two circles, an inner row of six and an outer row of 24. Each support in the inner circle provides 70% of the force of a support in the outer row. The position of the mirror is fixed by three axial rods attached to the back and three target rods attached to the OD. Pressures in the three axial zones and in the lateral supports are controlled to minimize reaction forces in the fixed locators. Secondary position is maintained by three fixed axial points and by three tangent constraints in the cg plane. Five of the fixed points are equipped with load cells (loading along the elevation axis and torque about the LOS are not controlled).
Analysis Procedure

An ANSYS finite element models of the f9 secondary was used as shown in Figure 1. This model is estimated to be accurate to better than 20% so the mass has been adjusted upward 20% to ensure conservatism in the gravity sag results. ANSYS displacement results were processed to remove translation tilt and power after which the rms and P-V deviations, the maximum slope deviation and the structure function was computed. Load cases considered are summarized in Table 2.

Table 2 Summary of Mirror Support Load Cases

<table>
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<th>Gravity</th>
<th>1 g, Zenith to 60° el, Zenith to 45°, zenith to 30° el and horizon pointing.</th>
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<td>Unit Load</td>
<td>Fx, Fy, ...Mz loads were applied to representative support locations. One location on the inner and outer axil support locations and one location on the OD (tangent supports/ lateral force actuator location). These results were used to compute the effects of random mounting force errors. Error forces are estimated in Appendix B. Effects of error forces is obtained by RSS’ing individual effects (see Appendix A, section 2.2.2).</td>
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<td>Other</td>
<td>The effects of non-random force distributions (see Appendix A, section 2.2.3 and Appendix B section B.7) were also investigated. Of primary concern is the effect of a sin(2θ) axial force distributions which generate more deflection than randomly distributed forces of the same magnitude.</td>
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A detailed description of the methods employed to evaluate and combine these load cases may be found in Appendix A. The magnitude of error forces are calculated in Appendix B.

RESULTS

In Tables 3 and 4 the total effect of gravity loading and spurious error forces is obtained by RSS’ing all effects. Table 3 is a summary of the net performance reported in Table 4a and 4b and Tables C2 and C3 in Appendix C. The random error effects are based on the error forces estimated in Appendix B. These error force estimates are in part based on the dimensional tolerances specified in Appendix B. Structure function plots are provided as Figures 2 to 5. In Appendix D structure function plots are provided that define the contribution to the total error of selected groups of error sources.
Table 3  MMT F/5 Secondary Support Performance, Various Orientations

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<tr>
<th>Orientation</th>
<th>WF Distortion, Waves at 0.632 μ-m</th>
<th>RMS Surface Slope arc-seconds rms</th>
<th>Reference Figure for Structure Function</th>
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<td>Zenith Pointing</td>
<td>0.0882</td>
<td>0.0233</td>
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<td>30° From Zenith</td>
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<td>0.0286</td>
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<td>45° From Zenith</td>
<td>0.0916</td>
<td>0.0351</td>
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<td>60° From Zenith</td>
<td>0.0936</td>
<td>0.0437</td>
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Table 4a  F5 Secondary Surface Performance Zenith Pointing

Waves are 0.632 μ-m
See Addendum 1 for error force estimates and backup data

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<td>Lateral and Axials Fz Astig. Cell Bend</td>
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<td>Random Force Errors</td>
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<td>RSS Total =</td>
<td>1.0982</td>
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Table 4b  F5 Secondary Surface Performance 60 Degrees From Zenith

Waves are 0.632 μ-m
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<td>RSS Total =</td>
<td>1.1654</td>
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A cell structure model has been developed and used to evaluate the cell bending deflection. Cell bending deflections are used in Appendix B, section B.7.2 in assessing the astigmatic loads applied to the mirror by cell deflections acting through the actuator stiffness.

Wind loadings and there effects on surface distortion are evaluated in Appendix G.

CONCLUSIONS

The secondary surface figure requirements have been met. Appendix B contains numerous requirements on the cell design that must be satisfied in order to achieve the desired level of support performance.
Figure 1a

MMT F5 Secondary
Figure 16
MMT F5 Secondary
Figure 1c
MMT F5 Secondary
Figure 3 Structure Function, MMT f/5
LOS 30 Degrees from Zenith
Figure 4 Structure Function, MMT f/5
LOS 45 Degrees from Zenith

WF Height Difference, Inches rms

Distance, Inches

→ tel45.in  ← Allowable
APPENDIX A  SUPPORT PERFORMANCE ANALYSIS METHODOLOGY

This Appendix discusses in a general way the procedures used to demonstrate that the support design can limit the optic’s surface deformation to less than that allowed by the specified structure function.

A.1.0 Structure Functions

A.1.1 The Allowable Structure Function


The surface of the optic is required to meet distortion limits specified as a "structure function" (see reference Section 1.0 to 1.4). The structure function allowable (for a secondary mirror) is:

$$\delta^2(x) = 2\sigma^2 + \frac{\lambda}{2\pi} * \lambda^2 * 6.88 \left( \frac{C_x}{r_0^5} \frac{5}{D^{1/3}} \right) \left[ 1 - 0.975 \left( \frac{C_x}{D} \right)^{1/3} \right]$$

Where:

- $\delta(x)$ is the permissible rms wavefront height difference of two points separated by distance, $x$ (the permissible surface height difference is half this for normal incidence).
- $\sigma$ is the rms deviation from the mean wavefront due to scattering.
- $\lambda$ is the reference wavelength.
- $C$ is the ratio of primary to secondary beam diameter.
- $x$ is the distance between points at which the height difference is computed.
- $r_0$ is the parameter that defines the allowable magnitude of the structure function. $r_0$ decreases away from zenith as $r_0(z) = r_0(0) \cos(z)^{0.6}$, $z$ is zenith angle, $0$ at zenith.
- $D$ is the telescope aperture diameter.

The $C$ in the term $(Cx/r_0)^{5/3}$ is the scaling factor for pupil size. This factor may be included in the secondary error budget in which case it must not be included again in this term.

Note that all these variables must have consistent units.
A.1.2 Calculation of the Structure Function of a Distorted Surface

Finite element results for the optical surface distortion consist of a set of displacements at discrete points (nodes) on the optical surface. The structure function is computed as the rms normal displacement difference between nodes that are approximately the same distance apart. Since the nodes may not be uniformly distributed, values are weighted with respect to area. Before calculating the structure function, displacements, tilts and power are removed from the surface normal displacement solution. The calculation of the structure function then proceeds as follows:

For two nodes, \(i,j\), separated by some distance, \(x\), and having associated areas, \(A_i\) and \(A_j\):

Compute the area weighted height difference, \(\delta_{ij}(x)\) and the average area, \(A_{ij}\):

\[
\delta_{ij}^2 = 4 \ast (U_{2i} - U_{2j})^2 \ast \frac{(A_i + A_j)}{2}
\]

Where the factor of 4 converts from surface height difference squared to wavefront height difference squared.

\[
A_{ij} = \frac{A_i + A_j}{2}
\]

Sum these values into bins depending on the distance between nodes, \(x_{ij}\), so that:

\[
\text{Sum}_k(\delta^2) = \Sigma \delta_{ij}^2 \quad \text{for} \quad L_k < x_{ij} \leq L_{k+1}
\]

\[
\text{Sum}_k(A) = \Sigma A_{ij} \quad \text{for} \quad L_k < x_{ij} \leq L_{k+1}
\]

Where \(L_k\) are reference lengths for 1% of the secondary diameter to the secondary diameter in 1% increments.

\[
\delta_k = \sqrt{\frac{\text{Sum}_k(\delta^2)}{\text{Sum}_k(A)}}
\]

\(\delta_k\) = the calculated value of the structure function for distance \(L_k\).
The \( \delta_n \) values are computed for all unique node pairs (\( \delta_n = 0 \) and is ignored and \( \delta_n = \delta_g \) and so need not be included).

### A.1.3 Combining Structure Functions

Calculated structure functions on the same surface are combined by RSS'ing the \( \delta_k \) values for the various cases being combined to yield a new set of \( \delta_k \) values.

### A.2.0 Calculation of Net Mirror Distortion Attributable to the Support System

The section above describes how the structure function is calculated from a finite element displacement solution, how results from multiple solutions can be combined, and how to calculate the maximum allowable value of the structure function.

In this section, the load cases that must be included in the total solution are discussed as are methods for reducing the number of cases requiring evaluation by taking advantage of symmetry.

#### A.2.1 Gravitational Deflection

The support system is required to meet its requirements for all operational orientations of the mirror. For secondaries tested nadir pointing on their operational supports gravity sag for this orientation is polished out. As the horizon pointing condition is approached, the mirror surface will exhibit both the lateral gravity distortion and the nadir pointing distortion. The finite element case that models this effect is obtained by applying the following gravitational accelerations:

\[
\begin{align*}
\text{Surface normal gravity} & = (\cos(\theta_d) - 1)g \\
\text{Lateral gravity} & = \sin(\theta_d)g \\
\text{Where:} & \\
\theta_d & = \text{the elevation angle (zero at the horizon)} \\
g & = \text{gravitational acceleration}
\end{align*}
\]

The structure function for various orientations of the telescope must be evaluated using separate finite element load cases.

#### A.2.2 Support Force Errors

Mirrors are generally supported on a kinematic support with auxiliary forces applied to reduce surface distortion. The kinematic support often takes the form of six rods each preventing
motion along a particular direction and positioned to constrain each of the six rigid body
degrees of freedom. One example of this is three axial supports on the back and three tangent
rods on the OD of the mirror. Another example is three bipods on the back of the mirror
(Stuart platform). The rod elements are required to constrain motion only along their length
but they also introduce small error forces normal to the rod axis and moments about and
normal to the rod axis. These error forces may result from frictional or elastic effects depending
on the rod construction. Elastic error forces are more likely to be constant or at least
predictable than frictional forces which is an advantage in an actively corrected optical system.
Friction error forces can be smaller than elastic forces, particularly if rolling element bearings
are employed.

The auxiliary forces are usually intended to be a single force component acting in a particular
direction at a particular location. The method of interfacing the force actuator to the mirror
results in small error forces and moments in addition to the intended force. In addition, the
magnitude of the applied force will differ from the intended value by some small amount.

A.2.2.1 Estimating Support Force Errors

No general procedure for estimating error forces can be given since each case is different. Some
special purpose programs are available for flex rod analysis and there is same data for Bellafram
diaphragms (spring rate and hysteresis). However the error forces are calculated, all six possible
force components at each mirror attachment should be evaluated.

A.2.2.2 Random Support Force Errors

Random support force errors are those which are not correlated. Error forces resulting from
differential thermal growth of the cell and mirror will not usually be random but errors resulting
from installation position errors of individual supports could well be random.

Random support force errors can be evaluated by sampling the effects at one location and using
those results at all similar locations. For example, if a mirror is supported at three points on
the OD, the structure functions resulting from Fx, Fy, ..., Mz can be obtained at one of the
locations and the net effect at all three locations obtained by RSS’ing the structure function
values at each distance for each force component at each location, i.e.,

$$\delta_i^2 = N(\delta_i^2(F_x) + \delta_i^2(F_y) + \ldots + \delta_i^2(M_z))$$

Where:

- $\delta_i$ is the $i$th value of the structure function (corresponding to the $i$th distance)
- $N$ is the number of similar locations (including the first location in the count)
- $\delta_i(F_x)$ is the $i$th value of the structure function due to $Fx$ being applied
  at the representative location.
A.2.2.3 Non-Random Errors

These are sets of forces acting on the mirror that are correlated in some way. Examples are forces that result from differential thermal growth or a displacement of the mirror relative to the supports. These effects tend to produce force sets that have net radial, lateral or astigmatic components. Force sets that generate the low order flexural modes of the mirror can yield deflections that are much larger than would be predicted using the random support force analysis procedure above. Non-random force sets must therefore be evaluated by estimating the magnitude and distribution of the non-random sets and applying them as separate load cases to the finite element model. Section B.7 includes a discussion of the probability of getting an astigmatic force distribution of a given magnitude in a finite set of supports.

A.2.2.4 Totalling the Effects of all Error Sources

Gravity, random and non-random structure function errors are combined by RSS'ing the results of sections 2.2.1, 2.2.2 and 2.2.3. Specifically;

$$\delta_{Total} = \sqrt{\delta_g^2 + \delta_{Random}^2 + \delta_A^2 + \delta_B^2 + \ldots}$$

Where:
- $\delta_{Total}$ is the net support system structure function
- $\delta_g$ is the structure function for gravity at a particular elevation angle (ref. 2.2.1).
- $\delta_{Random}$ is the net random error force structure function (ref. 2.2.2)
- $\delta_A, \delta_B, \text{etc}$ are the non-random cases (ref 2.2.3)
APPENDIX B  Error Force Estimates

Mirror Mass Properties (As Modeled using 1.2\textsuperscript{nd} nominal material density)

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Mass Moments of Inertia

B.1 Elastomeric Diaphragm Characteristics

The supports are built around a Bellofram class 4 diaphragm 1.37 x 1.19 x 1.37 height, "C" sidewall thickness, and an .090" convolution (as slightly smaller unit is used for the outer row of axial supports). Prototype actuators containing these diaphragms were tested to measure their stiffness and hysteresis properties.

B.1.1 Test Method

Axial stiffness (and other support parameters) were measured by hydraulically connecting two of the 1.37" cylinder diameter units. Weights were applied to each support producing a hydraulic seesaw where pushing down on one support causes the other support to rise. A micrometer head pushing through a 25 lb load cell was used to displace one of the supports enabling a precise measurement of the force required to displace the loaded support.

B.1.2 Hysteresis Measurements

Displacing the pair of supports 0.005" produces a force change that starts at about 0.2 lbs (0.1 lb/support) and decays down to 0.152 lbs (0.076 lbs/support) after 6 minutes. This behavior is exhibited in Figure B1. The force change has been reported to continue to decay over many hours but this effect has not been quantified on these supports.

Diaphragm supports exhibit stiffness and hysteresis. The hysteresis is shown in Figure B2. The supports were displaced from +.475 to .45 to .43 to .45 to .47 continuing with decreasing amplitude to ±0.005" amplitude cycles. Previous work had indicated that a decreasing amplitude displacement cycle of this type would erase the effects of hysteresis giving a force at a position that was independent of the displacement history. This was found to be only partially true. Figure B3 shows the results of performing the
Figure B1 Step Response, 0.005" STEP

Figure B2 Initial Shakedown
Decreasing Amplitude Cycles
Figure B3  Stiffness Measurement

[Graph showing force in lbs against position in inches. The graph includes lines indicating measured force and interpolated force, with a note mentioning the average of positive and negative displacement direction results.]
decreasing amplitude "shake-down" cycle at 0.25", 0.2", 0.15", 0.2" .... to 0.35", 0.3", 0.25" etc.

The resulting hysteresis at 0.25" amounts to about ±0.045 lbs/support (fig. B3) but the hysteresis for +/-0.02" motions from figure B2 is about 0.143 lbs/support. As used in the secondary mirror cell, the supports are displaced on startup by at most 0.08 inch and subsequently displace an amount equal to the elastic deflection of the secondary cell (about ±0.005°). Since in general all supports will be displaced equally on startup, startup hysteresis will tend to be equal for all supports. It is assumed that the variation in startup hysteresis will be 10% of that for 0.08" of motion. Extrapolation of the envelope of points in Figure B2 gives a value of 0.9 lbs for ±0.04 inches of motion (0.45 lbs/support). 10% of this is 0.045 lbs/support.

The effect of cell deflection of ±0.005" was measured by examining the effect of ±0.005" steps on the test apparatus. The measured force change was ±0.066 lbs allowing a minute for the force measurement to stabilize.

B.1.3 Stiffness Measurements

The stiffness of a support is determined from the data plotted in Figure A3. The maximum measured slope (stiffness) is 2.77 lbs/inch. Allowing 0.03" for installed height variations, the expected error force is 0.03'2.77 = 0.083 lbs.

Letting k be the diaphragm stiffness per unit circumference:

\[
\text{Axial Stiffness} = \pi D k = 2.77 \text{ lb/inch so } k=0.69 \text{ lb/inch}
\]
\[
\text{Moment Stiffness} = \pi D^3 k/8 = 0.57 \text{ in-lb/radian}
\]

The moment stiffness is obtained as follows:

\[
I = \pi R^3 t
\]
\[
f = MR/(It) \text{ from which } M = fRt/R = \pi fR^2
\]
\[
\delta = f/k \text{ and } \theta = \delta/R \text{ so } M/\theta = \pi R^2 k = \pi D^3 k/8
\]

- R = D/2
- I = the moment of inertia of an annulus of thickness t and radius R
- f = the maximum load per unit circumference
- M = the net applied moment
- δ = the maximum axial deflection at a point at radius R
- θ = the rotation of the piston
B.2 Axial Support Error Forces

Results: 
\[ Fr = Ft = 0.007 \text{ Fax} = 0.16 \text{ lbs max} \]
\[ Mr = Mt = 0.372 \text{ in lbs} = 0.016 \text{ Fax} \]
\[ Fax = 23.2 \pm 0.14 \text{ lbs} \]
\[ Mz = 0.4 \text{ in-lb} \]

Axial Supports

The axial supports are defined by drawing #?????? . These actuators are built around a Bellofram class 4 diaphragm 1.37 x 1.19 x 1.37 height, "C" sidewall thickness, and an .090" convolution and a similar diaphragm 1.25 x 1.06 x 1.25 and an 0.095" convolution (for supports in the outer row).

Effective pressure diameter, \( D \), of the selected diaphragms = 1.28" and 1.155" .

Effective pressure areas are 1.28 in\(^2\) and 1.04 in\(^2\) resp. giving a force ratio of 1 : 0.813 .

The axial support system consists of 36 pneumatic supports in three zones and three hard points equipped with load cells with growth potential to add pzt position adjustment. The load cells limit axial force at each hard point to 0.25 lbs.

The axial support assemblies, Figure B.4, contain a Bellofram diaphragm and a wire connection from a point 1.5 to 1.75 inches below the diaphragm convolution to the mirror back connection which is at least 2.547 above the glass surface. Allowing 1.0 inch for interfaces leaves a minimum of 1.5 inches of wire from a point at least 1.45 inches below the diaphragm convolution to a point 0.86 inches (max) above the glass.

Axial Support design parameters: convolution to wire 1.5 to 1.75"
free wire length = 1.5" min
glass to free wire = 0.86" max
positioning (relative) = \( \pm 0.020" \)

Special Considerations for Uniform Axial Force:

Adjust wire ends (interface to support) to be reference height \( \pm 0.021" \)
Allowance for diaphragm to diaphragm variation = 0.021"
Total effective height variance = \( \sqrt{0.021^2 + 0.021^2} = 0.03" \)
Estimated axial force variation = 0.03" * 2.77 lb/inch
\[ = 0.083 \text{ lbs} \]
B.2.1 Axial Force Error

The axial force error consists of the hysteresis forces (ref B.1.2) of 0.045 lbs and 0.066 lbs and a force related to the axial spring rate of the support and the uniformity with which the axial positions of the supports are placed. The procedure described above limits the installed axial force error to 0.083 lbs. The RSS of these values is 0.115 lbs. The design is based on an axial error force of 0.14 lbs.

B.2.2 Lateral Force Errors (Shears and Moments)

Position error effects (Fr, Ft, Mr, Mt)

The position error is accommodated by rotation of the actuator piston and deflection of the wire. This calculation considers a 2.6 in-lb/radian diaphragm (ref. B.1), a 1.5 inch offset to the top of the wire (L_d) and 1.5 inches of wire (L_w).

\[ M_d = L_d \cdot V - Fax \cdot \delta_1 \]
\[ \delta_1 = L_d \cdot M_d / K_0 \]
\[ V = (\delta - \delta_1) \cdot Fax / L_w \]

Where: \( M_d, K_0 = \) the diaphragm moment and stiffness,
\( K_0 = 2.6 \)
\( L_d = \) the distance from convolution to wire, 1.5" min.
\( L_w = \) the free length of the wire, 1.5" min
\( V = \) the shear force
\( \delta, \delta_1 = \) the total deflection and the deflection at the top of the wire, \( \delta = 0.02 \)
\( Fax = \) the axial force per support = 23.2 lb max

Combining equations gives:

\[ V = \delta^*/(L_w/Fax+L_d^2/(K_0+L_d^*Fax)) = 0.16 \text{ lbs} = \approx 0.007*Fax \]

The moment referenced to the midplane of the back sheet is:

\[ M_{\text{mid-plane}} = V^*(0.86 + .256) = 0.18 \text{ in-lb.} \]

\( (.86" = \text{the distance from the back of the mirror to the wire} \)
\( .256" = \text{half the thickness of the mirror back}) \)

There is also a position error moment. Assuming the 0.020 relative error is split (RSS) between mirror and cell (.014" each), the position error moment is:
\[ \text{Mpos} = .014 \times \text{Fax} = .325 \text{ in-lb} \]

The RSS net moment is:

\[ \text{Mr} = \text{Mt} = \sqrt{0.18^2 + 0.325^2} = 0.372 \text{ in-lb} \]
\[ = 0.016 \times \text{Fax} \]

**B.2.3 Torsion (Mz)**

Assuming 0.060" wire with a strand angle of 20 degrees. The torsion is estimated as:

\[ \text{Mz} = 0.4 \times D_{\text{wire}} \times \sin(20) \times \text{Fax} = .19 \text{ in-lb} \]
This is doubled for design, \( \text{Mz} = 0.4 \text{ in-lb} \)

**B.3 Axial Locator Force Errors**

\( F_r = F_t = 0.19 \text{ lbs} \)
\( \text{Mr} = \text{Mt} = 0.90 \text{ in-lbs} \)
\( \text{Fax} = 0.25 \text{ lbs} \)
\( \text{Mz} = 1 \text{ in-lb} \)

**B.3.1 Flex rod**:

Distance between extreme flexures = 5"
Midplane of back to middle of nearest flexure = 1.0"
Flexures: 0.25 wide by 0.04 thick by 0.5 inches long, 0.03 radii at ends
Rod: 0.25 dia., 0.25" of rod between flexures (steel, \( E=28\text{e6} \))
Installation (relative) 0.01" and 0.25 degrees
Maximum axial force = 0.25 lbs

Flexrod input: 7,1,1.75,.25,.04,.43,28e6,.01,.25,.25 \( \text{ (f9flex.in) } \)

Results:

\[ 1/5 \text{ Fcr} = 398 \text{ lbs} \text{ (max allowable axial load)} \]
Flexure stress at 0.25 lbs = 13,525 psi
Flexure stress at 1g = 24,781 psi
\( V = 0.19 \text{ lbs} \)
\( M = 0.90 \text{ in-lbs} \)
B.3.2 Axial Force Error and Torsion

The axial error force is limited by the load cell to 0.25 lbs.

Torsion must be limited to 1 in-lb by careful assembly.

B.4 Lateral Support System, Pneumatic Lever Arm Supports

Support characteristics (ref Figure B.5)

Lever Arm
  Lever arm mechanical advantage: 1:1 matched to 0.01"
  Lever arm length: greater than 3"
  Lever arm pivot bearing: .5" Dia anti-friction ($\mu = 0.005$)
  Lever arm balance: imbalance < 0.4 in-lbs

Connecting Link
  Length: more than 2.0"
  Parallel to back plate: 0.008"
  Link tolerance contribution 0.008"
  Pivot bearing (each end) $\mu = 0.2$
  Pin Dia = 0.19
  Flexure (free section) .625x.010x2"

Performance, Net:

\[
\begin{align*}
F_x &= 0.559 = 0.559\sin(\theta) \\
F_y &= 0.152 = 0.1268 + 0.028\sin(\theta) \\
F_z &= 0.148 = 0.043 + 0.1044\sin(\theta) \\
M_x &= 0.057 \\
M_y &= 0.056 \\
M_z &= 0.50 = 0.5\sin(\theta)
\end{align*}
\]

The lateral support system consists of 30 pneumatic supports in two rows of 6 and 24 and three tangent rods. The pneumatic supports, Figure B.2, act in the N/S direction with all forces being applied at the CG plane or up to 0.050" toward the back of the secondary from the CG plane. Supports consist of a rolling diaphragm pneumatic cylinder acting on a balanced lever that transfers the load to the cg plane. The connection to the mirror is by a thin strip of stainless steel, reinforced at the ends for a
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SEE DWG. # XXXX FOR PLACEMENT.

FIGURE 15

LATERAL ACTUATOR

[Ref. path]

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pin connection. Lateral forces must act parallel to the backplate to within 0.14 degrees (8.5 minutes or 2.5 m-rad).

B.4.1 Connecting Link, \[ F_x = 0.559 \text{ lbs}, \quad F_z = 0.148 \]
\[ M_x = 0.057 \text{ in-lbs}, \quad M_y = 0.056 \text{ in-lbs}, \quad M_z = 0.5 \]

Pin Friction Loads:
\[ \text{Dia} = 0.19, \quad \mu = 0.2, \quad F = 25 \text{ lbs/spt} \]
\[ M = 0.2^*0.5^*19^*25 = 0.475 \text{ in-lb} \]

Axial location of link ends is 1 lb (wave spring of 0.25 OD) on teflon washers:
\[ M = 2^*(0.5^*.25^*.1^*1) = 0.025 \text{ in-lb} \]

Net friction moment, \( M_z = 0.5 \text{ in-lb} \)
Shear reaction, \( F_x = 2.5/2 = 0.5 \text{ lbs} \)

Alignment:

Z alignment errors: 0.008" installation error, 0.008" fabrication error
\[ F_z = 0.0113^*25/2" = 0.141 \text{ lbs} \]

X alignment error: 0.020"
\[ F_x = 0.020^*25/2" = 0.25 \text{ lbs} \]

End pitch and tilt:

Link twist of 2 degrees per end (= 1.414^*0.035 = 0.05 rad):
\[ M_y = 0.05^*G^*t^*width/(3^*L) = 0.056 \]
\[ t, \text{ width, L} = \text{link thickness, width and length} \]
\[ = 0.010", 0.625" \text{ and } 2" \]
\[ G = \text{shear modulus} (10.76\text{E6}) \]

Link end pitch of 1 deg/end: (Ref. Roark, IV ed. III.29)
\[ \theta = 0.25^*ML/EI \quad F_y = 1.5^*M/L \]
\[ M = 2.92\theta = 0.051 \text{ in-lb} \]
M from tilt at opposite end = 0.0255 in-lb

Mx net = 0.057 in-lb
Fz = 0.043 lbs

B.4.2 Lever Arm and Pneumatic Cylinder, Fy = 0.152 lbs

Lever arm pivot friction:

Moment = 0.5*0.5"*0.005*50 lbs = 0.0625 in=-lbs

Fy error = 0.0625 lbs/3 inches = 0.021 lbs

Lever arm length tolerance of 0.010"

Fy = (3.01/3-1)*25 = 0.0833 lbs

Pneumatic Cylinder (0.125 lbs force error used for design, 0.10 lbs predicted)

Stiffness Effects:

Install to within 0.021" of nominal stroke at nominal position.
Allowance for sample to sample height variation = 0.021"
Net height variation = 0.030"
Using the stiffness of 2.77 lb/inch (ref. B.1.3)

Fy stiffness = 2.77 lb/in*0.030" = 0.083 lbs

Hysteresis Effects:

Startup height change of 0.080" maximum:

Fy = 0.045 lbs (ref. B.1.2)

Cell deflections (less than ±0.0025" lateral support height change)

Fy = 0.033 lbs (half the value in section B.1.2 for 0.005" deflection).

Net hysteresis Fy = 0.056 lbs

Net cylinder error force predicted = 0.10 lbs (Use 0.125 lbs for design).
B.5 Lateral Locator Force Errors (Tangent Rods)

\[ F_r = F_z = 0.19 \text{ lbs} \]
\[ M_r = M_z = 0.90 \text{ in-lbs} \]
\[ F_t = 0.25 \text{ lbs} \]
\[ M_t = 1 \text{ in-lb} \]

B.5.1 Flex rod:

Distance between extreme flexures = 5"
Center of rod to middle of nearest flexure = 1.0"
Flexures: .25 wide by 0.04 thick by 0.5 inches long, 0.03 radii at ends
Rod: 0.25 dia., 0.25" of rod between flexures (steel, E=28e6)
Installation (relative) 0.01" and 0.25 degrees
Maximum axial force = 0.25 lbs

Flexrod input: 7,1,1.75,.25,.04,43,2.8e6,.01,.25,.25 \ (f9flex.in)

Results:
\[ \frac{1}{5} F_{crit} = 398 \text{ lbs} \text{ (max allowable axial load)} \]
Flexure stress at 0.25 lbs = 13,525 psi
Flexure stress at 1g = 24,781 psi
\[ V = 0.19 \text{ lbs} \]
\[ M = 0.90 \text{ in-lbs} \]

B.5.2 Axial Force Error and Torsion

The axial error force is limited by the load cell to 0.25 lbs.

Torsion must be limited to 1 in-lb by careful assembly.

B.6 Location of Lateral Support Plane Relative to CG

The Lateral Supports are nominally applied in the CG plane. The accuracy with which the support plane must be established is considered in this section. In Table B.6.1, results for different support plane locations are compared.
Table B.6.1 Comparison of Different Support Plane Locations

Tabulated Values are the maximum value (in millionths of an inch) of the structure function (typically at or near the maximum distance)
Lateral Support is 24 near the OD and 6 at 70% near the center

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th></th>
<th>Support Plane Relative to CG, + is Toward Face</th>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td>+.020&quot;</td>
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<tr>
<td>lg X</td>
<td>1.148</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Zen. to 30</td>
<td>0.679</td>
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<tr>
<td>Zen. to 45</td>
<td>1.155</td>
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<tr>
<td>Zen. to 60</td>
<td>1.699</td>
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<tr>
<td>Zen. to Horiz.</td>
<td>2.855</td>
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</table>

The Zenith to 60 degree combined structure function was computed with the cg at the extremes indicated in Table B.6.1. Results indicate that the support plane must lie between the cg plane and 0.050" behind (toward the secondary back plate) the cg plane.

B.7 Astigmatism

Astigmatism is the softest deformation mode of the mirror. Error force distributions that could generate astigmatic deformations must be identified and accounted for. Two sources of astigmatic distortion are considered here, cell bending and random chance.

B.7.1 Randomly Generated Astigmatic Force Distributions

When the 36 axial supports are installed, the axial error force of each support is estimated to be 0.115 lbs (see B.2.1). By random chance, the error forces will occasionally include a sin(20) component. The magnitude of this component was established using a Basic program to generate multiple sets of random numbers from which the sin(20) component was extracted. By using 1000 or more sets of 36 values, the mean coefficient of the sin(20) term was driven close to zero, but the standard deviation of the values of the coefficient was 0.135 (for force errors between -1 and +1). For future reference, the standard deviation for the random astigmatic coefficient was compiled for different numbers of supports with the results included in Table B.7.1.
We want to obtain an estimate for the randomly introduced astigmatism that we won't exceed more than 10\% of the time so we need to design to a random astigmatic coefficient that is 1.65 times the standard deviation. Since there are sine and cosine astigmatic terms, the design value for random astigmatism becomes $1.65\sqrt{2}\sigma$ ($\sigma$ = the standard deviation). These design values are listed in Table B.7.1 for unit (±) error forces.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th># of Forces</th>
<th># Data Sets</th>
<th>Mean Coef</th>
<th>$\sigma$</th>
<th>Design Coef./F</th>
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<tr>
<td>6</td>
<td>1000</td>
<td>-0.004</td>
<td>0.345</td>
<td>0.805</td>
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<tr>
<td>8</td>
<td>1000</td>
<td>-0.0003</td>
<td>0.298</td>
<td>0.695</td>
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<td>12</td>
<td>2000</td>
<td>0.0005</td>
<td>0.236</td>
<td>0.551</td>
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<tr>
<td>18</td>
<td>2000</td>
<td>-0.0063</td>
<td>0.189</td>
<td>0.441</td>
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<td>24</td>
<td>1000</td>
<td>0.0045</td>
<td>0.167</td>
<td>0.390</td>
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<tr>
<td>36</td>
<td>2000</td>
<td>0.0023</td>
<td>0.135</td>
<td>0.315</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>54</td>
<td>1000</td>
<td>0.0006</td>
<td>0.105</td>
<td>0.245</td>
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B.7.2 Astigmatic Forces Generated by Cell Sag

Static analysis of the f5 telescope cell gives astigmatic deflection coefficients of 0.000518 at zenith and 0.00213 at the horizon. Taking the net cell sag to be the sum of twice the axial plus the lateral (assumes face up alignment of the axial supports) gives a deflection of ±0.0032". Acting through the axial actuator stiffness of 2.77 lb/in (ref B.1.3) this amounts to an astigmatic force coefficient of 0.009 lbs. The laterals respond to the 0.0032" deflection as $(0.0032/2.0) \times 25 \text{ lbs} = 0.04 \text{ lbs}$.

Hysteresis forces for the ±0.0032" astigmatic deflection is 64\% of that for 0.005" reported in section B.1.2 or 0.042 lbs. Combining this with the stiffness effect of 0.009 lbs gives 0.043 lbs.
Cell plate deflection summary:

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<th>1g Zenith</th>
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<td>Rotx</td>
<td>µ-rad</td>
<td>1310</td>
<td>367</td>
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<td>Roty</td>
<td>µ-rad</td>
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<td>2</td>
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<td>P-V</td>
<td>milli-Inches</td>
<td>4.174</td>
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<tr>
<td>Zernike Coefficients</td>
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<tr>
<td>Sin Astigmatism</td>
<td>milli-Inches</td>
<td>0.038</td>
<td>0.002</td>
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<tr>
<td>Cos Astigmatism</td>
<td>milli-Inches</td>
<td>2.13</td>
<td>0.518</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Power</td>
<td>milli-Inches</td>
<td>0.012</td>
<td>-0.471</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Spherical</td>
<td>milli-Inches</td>
<td>0.003</td>
<td>-0.049</td>
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</table>

Cell deflection will effect lateral and axial supports simultaneously. Lateral and axial print-through forces are added and applied to the axial astigmatic force result.

Axials:
- Cell print-through astigmatic force $= 0.043 \text{ lbs}$
- Random force (36 spts ... 0.315'0.115) $= 0.036$

Laterals:
- Cell print-through astigmatic force $= 0.04 \text{ lbs}$
- Random force (30 spts ... 0.353'0.15) $= 0.053$

Loading Applied to Model:

- Add print-through forces and apply to axials: $0.083 \text{ lbs}$
- Axial random astigmatic force (max) $0.036 \text{ lbs}$
- Laterals random force (max) $0.053 \text{ lbs}$
### Table C1  F5 Secondary Surface Performance Zenith Pointing

Waves are 0.632 μ-m  
See Addendum 1 for error force estimates and backup data

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<td>Lateral and Axials Fz Astig. Cell Bend</td>
<td>0.284</td>
<td>0.0228</td>
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<td>0.164</td>
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<td>RSS Total =</td>
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### Table C2  F5 Secondary Surface Performance 30 Degrees From Zenith

Waves are 0.632 μ-m  
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<td><strong>RSS Total =</strong></td>
<td><strong>1.1408</strong></td>
<td><strong>0.0916</strong></td>
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### Table C4  F5 Secondary Surface Performance 60 Degrees From Zenith

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APPENDIX D  Breakdown of Contributions to Net Mounting Error

This Appendix contains structure function plots which include selected sets of contributing factors. Similar plots were used to determine which design parameters had to be tightened to obtain acceptable performance. These plots may prove useful during the detail design and checkout phases.

The following lists define the specific content of the plotted curves. Unless otherwise noted, the curve can be regenerated by running /home/bcuerden/programs/comb which will ask for a jobname which is the name of the .in file. Output is written to the jobname.spd file which can be loaded into works to be plotted and to the jobname.prt file which includes a line printer plot. The files used to generate the plots in this Appendix currently reside in /home/bcuerden/mmt/f5sec/comb. The files which generate the net performance plots at zenith, 30 45 and 60 degrees from zenith are the telz.in, tel30.in, tel45.in and tel60.in files.

Plot D1  Zenith Pointing

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<th>BC1</th>
<th>This consists of the three astigmatic force sets (ref. B.7.2)</th>
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<td>BC2</td>
<td>The contribution of the 36 axial supports less the axial force components.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>BC4</td>
<td>The contribution of the three fixed axial locators.</td>
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<td>This is the Zenith Pointing allowable.</td>
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Plot D2  Zenith Pointing

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<td>BC5</td>
<td>The contribution of the lateral and tangent supports less the Fz components.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>BC6</td>
<td>The contribution of the lateral and tangent support axial force components.</td>
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Plot D3  Gravity Sag

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<tr>
<td>Horizon gravity</td>
<td>The theoretical deformation due to lateral gravity.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Zenith to Horizon</td>
<td>This is the change in mirror figure in rotating from zenith to the horizon.</td>
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Figure D1 Structure Function Components
Zenith Pointing Error Sources

Distance, Inches

RMS Height Difference, Inches

bc1.in
bc2.in
bc4.in
Allowable
Figure D2 Structure Function Components
Zenith Pointing Error Sources

![Graph showing RMS height difference in inches against distance in inches with different lines representing bc3.in, bc5.in, bc6.in, and Allowable.]
Appendix E  Notes on Generating Net Structure Function Plots

Generating the structure function plots used in this report was a four step process. Intermediate files have been saved to enable revised plots (different error force levels) to be generated with relative ease.

The complete process starts with several ANSYS runs to develop the surface distortion results for various load cases. The program slps is then run to remove translation tilt and power from the ANSYS surface normal displacement results and to generate a file containing the structure function for each load case. Each structure function consists of 100 sets of distance, height difference values. Structure functions are saved to a filename.stf file which have been preserved.

To generate a structure function which is a combination of several available load cases, one simply runs comb. Input parameters to comb contain the definition of the allowable structure function and the names of the files containing the load cases, the load case number of the desired case in a given file, and the scale factor for the load case. Comb combines the specified load cases and generates a crude printer plot and a tabular listing of the result. It also writes a filename.spd file which can be loaded into a works spreadsheet for plotting.

All f5 secondary .stf files are in /home/bcuerden/mmt/f5sec/comb . Numerous sample input files (filename.in) are included.
APPENDIX F  Cell Configuration

The cell configuration is shown in Figure F.1. The lateral and axial support concepts are shown in Figures F.2 and F.3. The cell structure is aluminum for reduced weight. Thicknesses and all up cell weight are listed below.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Item</th>
<th>Thickness</th>
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<tr>
<td>Cell Webs (4 inches deep)</td>
<td>0.5&quot;</td>
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<tr>
<td>Cell Disk</td>
<td>0.75&quot;</td>
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</table>

Weight (including mirror) = 1350 lbs

Inertias:

\[ I_{xx} = I_{yy} = 950 \text{ in-lb-sec}^2 \]
\[ I_{zz} = 1900 \text{ in-lb-sec}^2 \]

CG = 0,0,-7.37 (z=0 is the hexapod interface plane)
Figure F1  MMt f/5 Cell Layout
Figure F.3  Axial Actuator Concept
/home/bcuerden/mmt/f9sec/dwgs/axial-spt.dwg
APPENDIX G  Wind Loading Effects

References:

1. My memo to S. West dated: 24-May-97, Subject: Wind Distortion of the MMT Primary and f/9 Secondary Mirrors


Reference 2 defines a method of calculating the dynamic wind force acting on the mirror and reacted by the fixed support points. In reference 1, the distortions resulting from these support point reactions were calculated for the primary mirror and the f/9 secondary. This same procedure has been used to obtain wind induced reaction forces and the resulting distortion for the f/5 secondary. The reaction forces for various bandwidths of the control system (fixed point force to pneumatic pressure loop) are listed in Table G.1.

Table G.1  Fixed Point Reactions Verses Wind Speed and Control System Bandwidth

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Control System Bandwidth</th>
<th>Wind V = 6.7 m/sec</th>
<th>Wind V = 22 m/sec</th>
<th>Net Reaction Force, Lbs</th>
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<td>No Control</td>
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The 3 Hz bandwidth forces with no decorrelation were applied to the f/5 secondary model resulting in the structure function shown in Figure G1 for fixed axial supports located on a 26" radius circle. The structure function for fixed axial supports located on a 30" radius circle is shown in Figure G2.
Figure G1 Structure Function, MMT f/5
Wind Loading, Spts @ 28" Radius

Distance, Inches

WF Height Difference, Inches rms

22 m/sec  6.7 m/sec  Allowable
Figure G1. Structure Function, MMT f/5
Wind Loading, Spts @30° Radius

Distance, Inches

WF Height Difference, Inches rms

- 22 m/sec  - 6.7 m/sec  - Allowable
APPENDIX H LOAD CASE LISTINGS

Secondary Characteristics Employed:

Best fit Radius (Rsph) = -206.57 inches
Clear Aperture = 0.335 inches

Available load cases are listed in this Appendix. Structure function files (.stf) have been copied into /home/bcuerden/mmt/f5sec/comb. The origination directory of these files is listed below.

chamfer/bcuerden/mmt/f5sec/f5sec

f5n36m xx symmetry, node file = f5sec.m15, Axials at 9.438, 19.594 and 30.8727

1. 1 g Z, 36 axials, uniform loads
2. 1 g Z, 36 axials, Fouter = 0.9*rest
3. 1 g Z, 36 axials, Fouter = 0.8*rest
4. 1 g Z, 36 axials, Fouter = 0.7*rest
5. 1 g Z, 36 axials, Fouter = 0.8*middle, Finner = 0.9* middle
6. 1 g Z, 36 axials, Fouter = 0.8*middle, Finner = 1.1* middle
7. 1 g Z, 36 axials, Fouter = 0.8*middle, Finner = 1.2* middle

dimension/d1/bcuerden/f5sec

f5sec full model, node file = f5sec.m15, Axials at 9.438, 19.594 and 30.11

1-6 1000 lb or in-lb Fr-Mz at 8322, Outer row of axials
7-12 1000 lb or in-lb Fr-Mz at 8551, Middle row of axials
13-18 1000 lb or in-lb Fr-Mz at 8778, Inner row of axials

f5secl full model, node file = f5sec.m15, Axials at 9.438, 19.594 and 30.11

1-6 1000 lb or in-lb Fx-Mz at 5134, Lateral Support
7-12 1000 lb or in-lb Fx-Mz at 5434, Lateral Support
13-18 1000 lb or in-lb Fr-Mz at 5363, Tangent Rods
19-24 1000 lb or in-lb Fx-Mz at 5126, Inner Row Lateral Support
dimension/d3/bcuerden/f5sec

f5latp  yz symmetry, node file = f5sec.m15, Axials at 9.438,19.594,30.8727
        Lateral supports displaced 0.050 toward face

1.  1 g Z on three fixed points at 30 R
2.  Zenith to 30 degrees, 24 lateral supports
3.  Zenith to 45 degrees, 24 lateral supports
4.  Zenith to 60 degrees, 24 lateral supports
5.  Zenith to 90 degrees, 24 lateral supports
6.  Zenith pointing
7.  Horizon pointing

f5latn  Lateral supports at cg plane
        y-z symmetry, node file = f5sec.m15, Axials at 9.438,19.594,30.8727

1.  1 g Z on three fixed points at 30 R
2.  Zenith to 30 degrees, 24 lateral supports
3.  Zenith to 45 degrees, 24 lateral supports
4.  Zenith to 60 degrees, 24 lateral supports
5.  Zenith to 90 degrees, 24 lateral supports
6.  Zenith pointing
7.  Horizon pointing

f5latm  yz symmetry, node file = f5sec.m15, Axials at 9.438,19.594,30.8727
        Lateral supports displaced 0.050 toward back

1.  1 g Z on 3 fixed points at 30 R
2.  Zenith to 30 degrees, 24 lateral supports
3.  Zenith to 45 degrees, 24 lateral supports
4.  Zenith to 60 degrees, 24 lateral supports
5.  Zenith to 90 degrees, 24 lateral supports
6.  Zenith pointing
7.  Horizon pointing
Astigmatic load cases

x-z symmetry, node file = f5sec.m15, Axials at 9.438, 19.594, 30.11

1. 1g Z on three fixed supports at 26 R
2. Unit astigmatic load on back supports
3. Unit astigmatic load on lateral supports
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APPENDIX I  Lateral Support Interface to Mirror FEM

The stresses in the mirror and in the lateral support components were evaluated using the finite element model shown in Figures I.1 to I.4. Stress results for the maximum 25 lb lateral force and for a 70 deg F temperature change are summarized in Table I.1.

Table I.1  Summary of Stress Results, Lateral Support

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Allowable Stresses:

Glass: 500 psi  
Adhesive: 90 psi  
Metal Parts: 8660 psi

Metal fatigue:

ASME BPVC for low strength carbon and low alloy steel = 13,000 psi alternating stress for $10^6$ cycles.

Allow a Kt of 3.0 and correct for non-reversing load:

Metal stress allowable = $(2/3) \times 13,000 = 8660$ psi
Figure 1.3

MMT F5 Secondary Lateral Glass Interface Detail
Figure 1.4

MMT F5 Secondary Lateral Glass Interface Detail