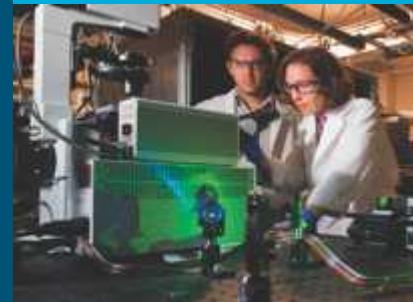


# MULTI-MODAL TRANSPORTATION TEST & ANALYSIS OF RESULTS TO DATE

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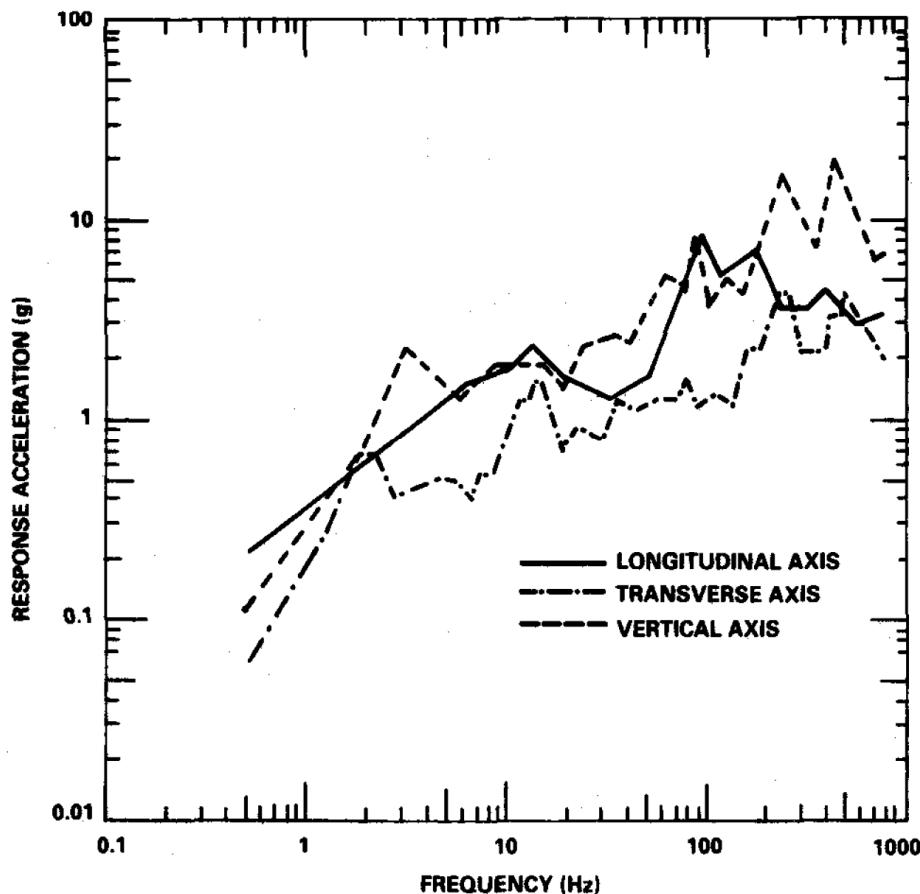
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## WHY WE NEED THIS TEST



### Our Current Data

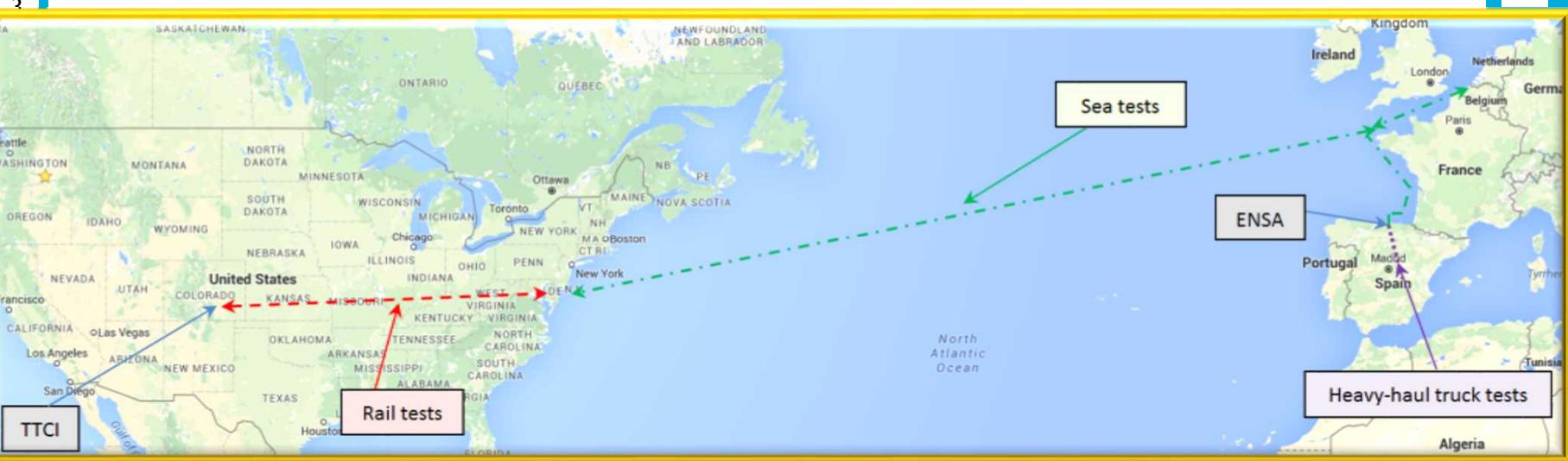
NUREG 766510 (SAND76-0427), 1978,  
“The Shock and Vibration Environments for Large  
Shipping Containers on Rail Cars and Trucks”.

10CFR71.71 requires an assessment of “Vibration - Vibration normally incident to transport” imposed on transport packages and contents during “normal conditions of transport”.

### ENSA/DOE Multi-Modal Transportation Test with ENSA ENUN 32P Cask

- 54 days data collection
- 8 terabytes of data
- 4 transport modes
- 9,458 miles
- 7 countries
- 12 states

# CASK TEST ROUTE



★ Cask handling tests at ENSA, Santander/Spain (JUN 2017, 1 day)

truck Heavy-haul truck tests in northern Spain (JUN 2017, 2 days, 245 miles)

ship ★ Ocean transport from Spain to Belgium (JUN 2017, 4 days, 939 miles)

ship ★ Ocean transport from Belgium to Baltimore (JUL 2017, 14 days, 4222 miles,)

train Rail shipment from Baltimore to Pueblo (AUG 2017, 6 days, 2000 miles)

★ Tests at Transportation Technology Center, Inc., Pueblo (AUG 2017, 9 test days; 125 types of tests; 125 tests)

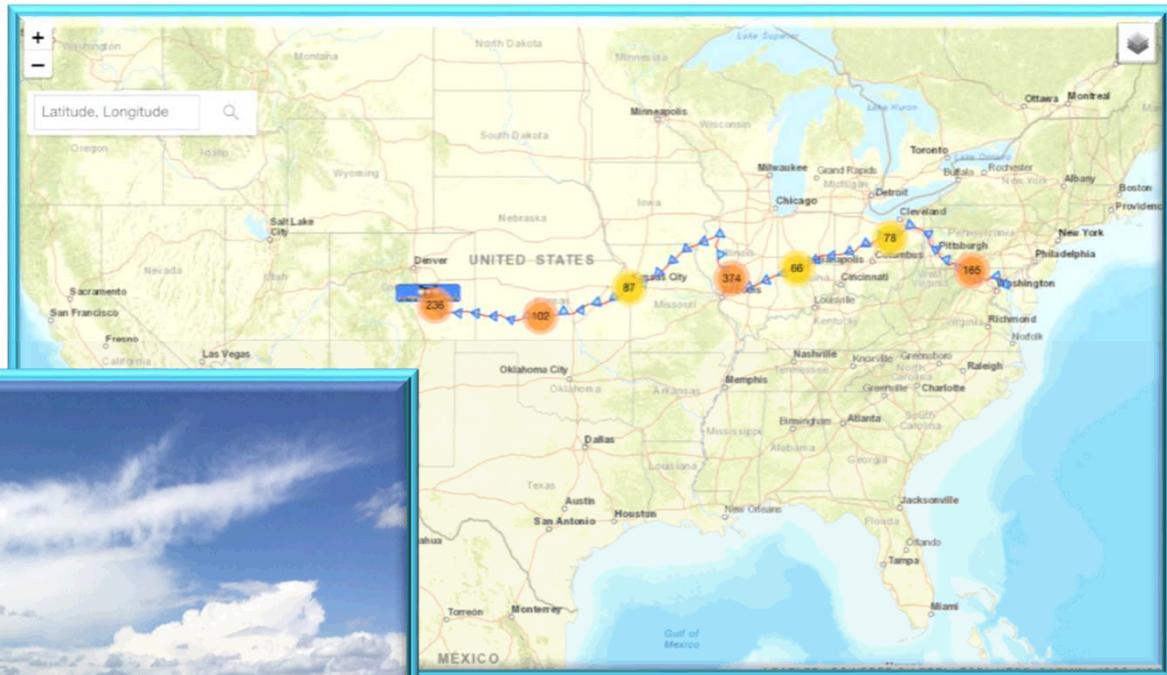
train Rail shipment from Pueblo to Baltimore (OCT 2017, 43 travel days, 18 test days, 1125 test miles)

ship Ocean transport from Baltimore to Spain (DEC 2017, no data collected)

# CASK TRANSPORTED BY RAIL TO TTCI FOR SERIES OF RAIL TESTS



## 8 Types of Tests



125 Separate Test Cases

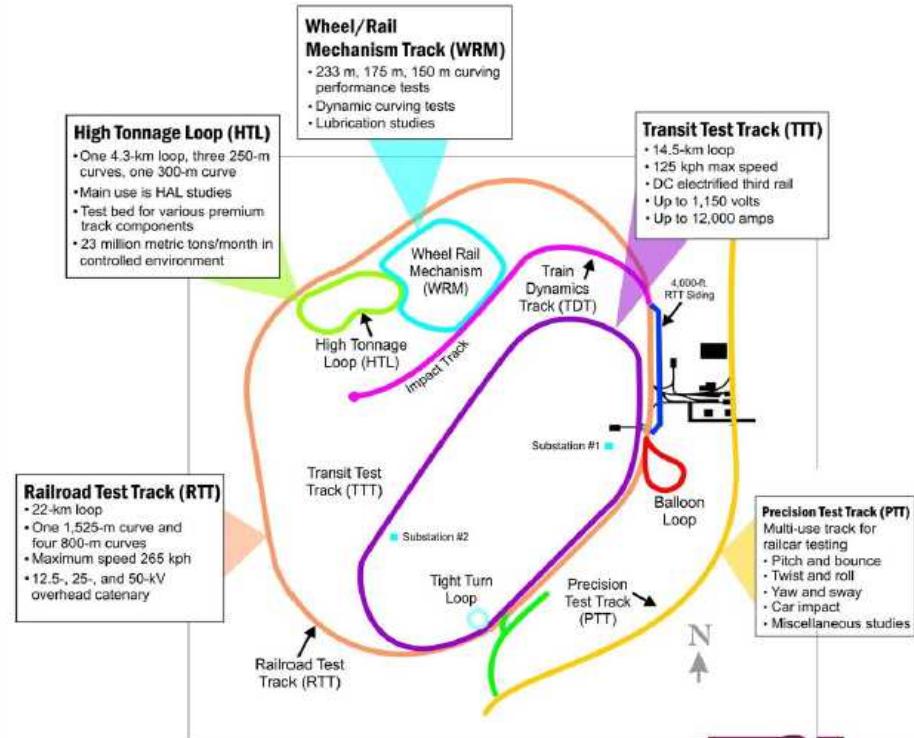
# TEST SETUP



## Kasgro 12-Axle Car with Cask at TTCI



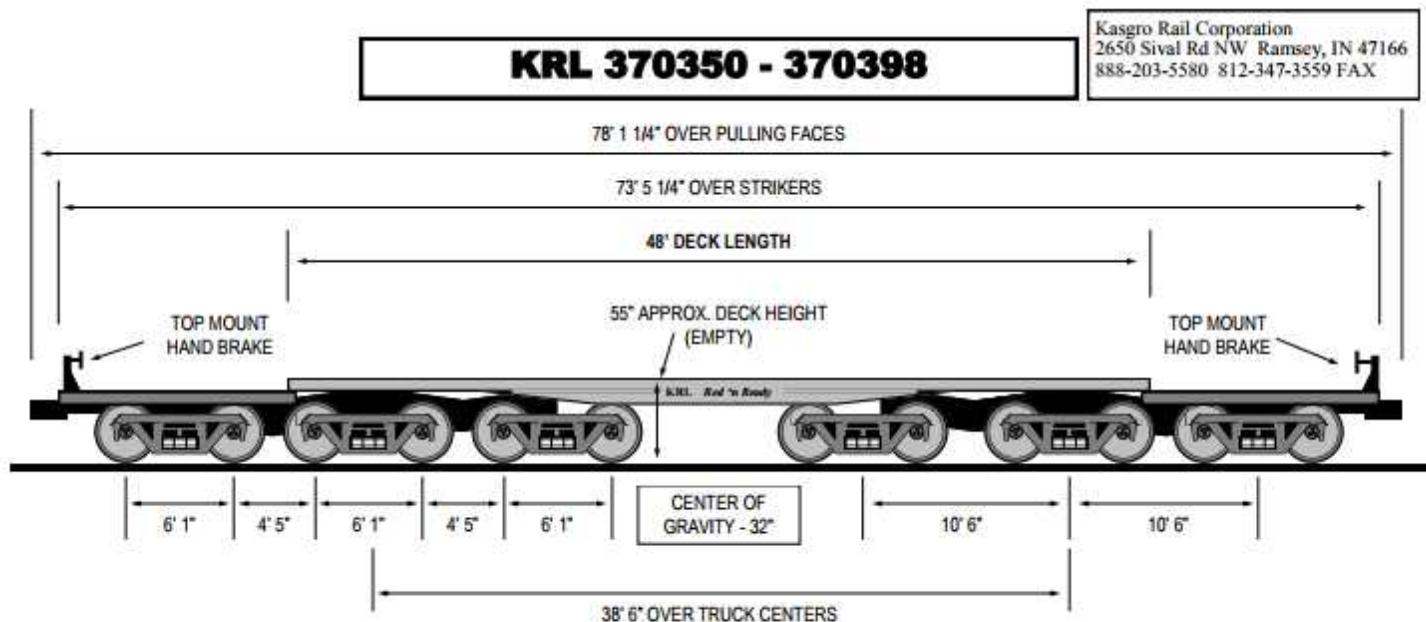
## TTCI Rail Track Map



## Consist Configuration



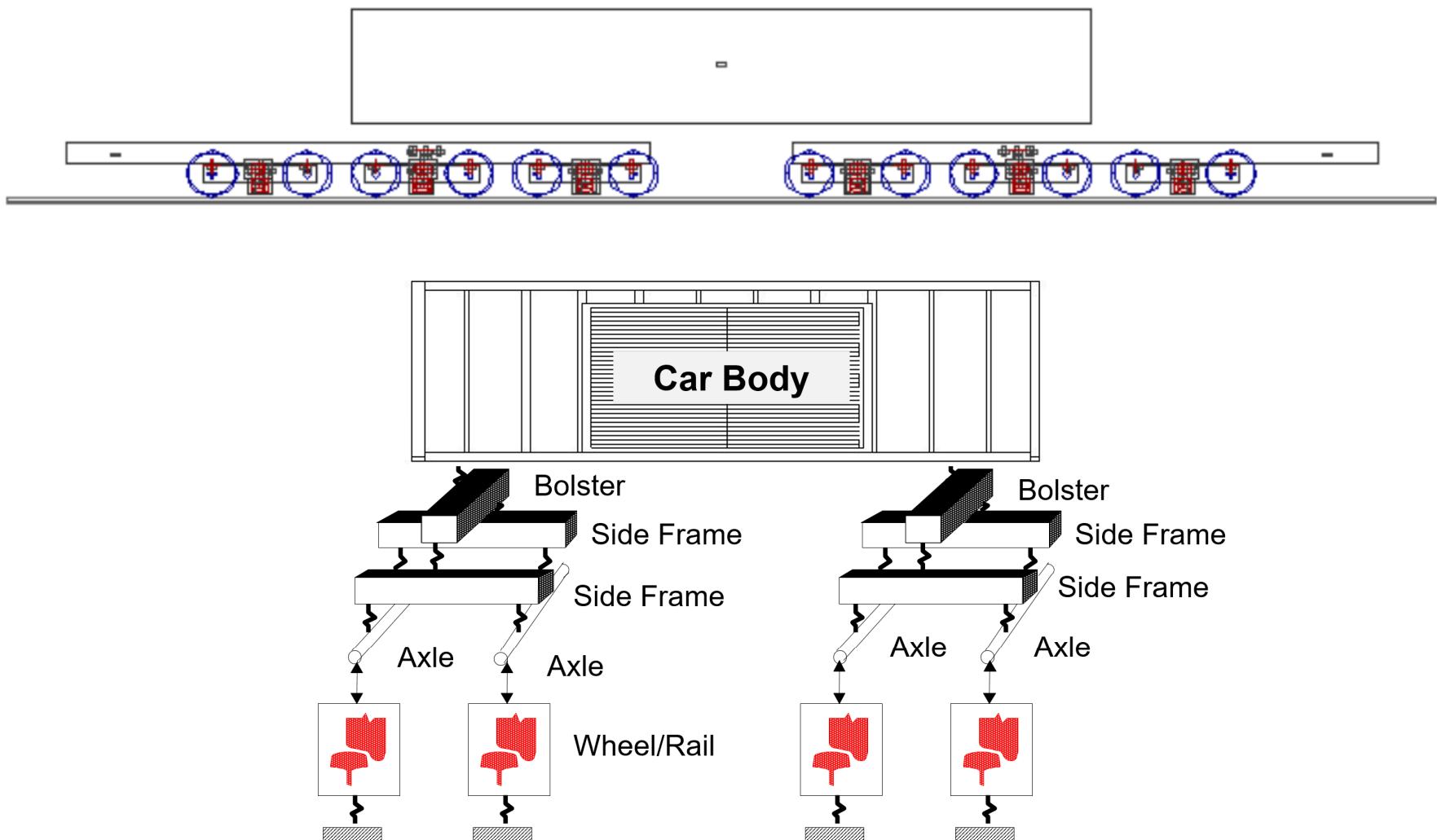
# KASGRO KRL 370350 SCETCH



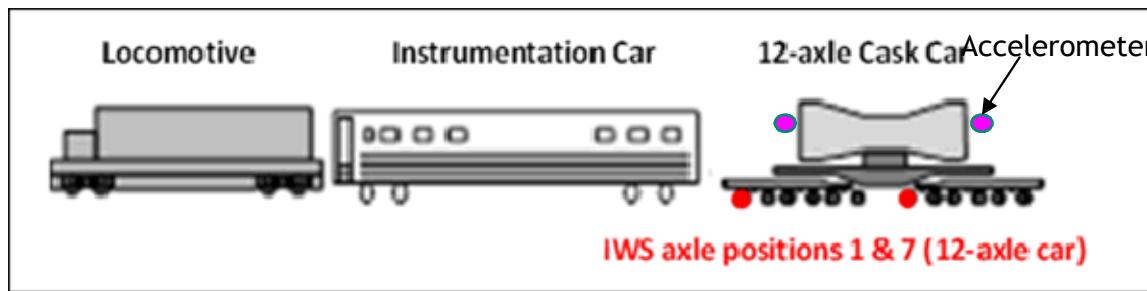
LENGTH OF LADING (ft)	LOAD LIMITS (lbs)	CAR NUMBERS	LOAD LIMITS (lbs)	LIGHT WEIGHTS (lbs)	MAXIMUM GROSS (lbs)	SPRING TRAVEL (in)	DECK LENGTH (ft-in)	DECK HEIGHT (ft-in)	JOURNAL SIZE BEARING TYPE
4' & OVER	744,000 MAX LOAD	370350-370398	744,000	201,000	945,000	4 1/4"	48' 0"	4' 7" EMPTY	7 X 12 ROLLER
						WHEEL DIAMETER (in)	DECK WIDTH (ft-in)	DRAFT GEAR	
						38"	10-8"	15" EOC	

**KRL 370350 - 370398**  
**370 Ton - 48' Straight Deck Flat Car**  
**Drawing No. A19626 Rev. C**

# NUCARS VEHICLE DYNAMICS MODEL



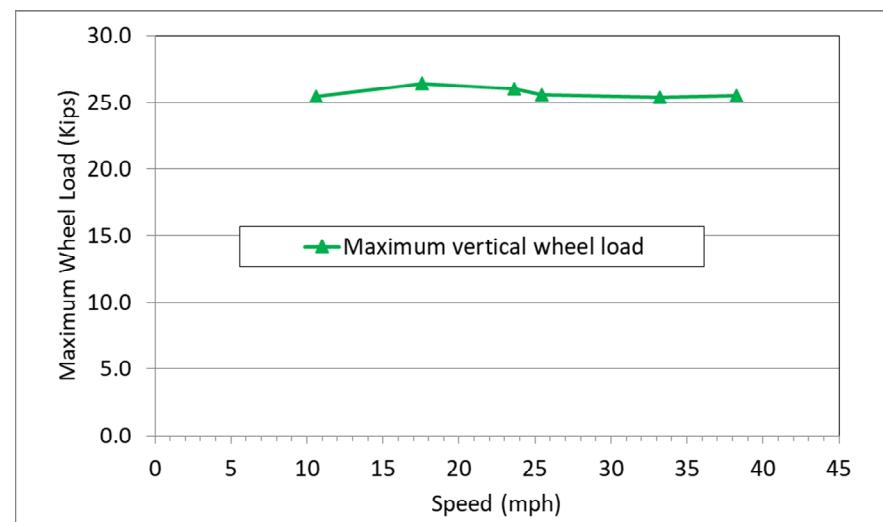
# DATA COLLECTED BY TTCI



Instrumented Wheel Set



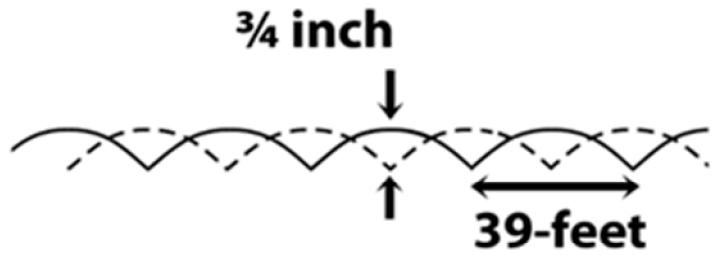
Maximum Wheel Load (Crossing Diamond)



8-11 strain gage bridges per wheel; signals are converted into wheel-rail forces

## TWIST AND ROLL (18 TESTS)

Car's ability to negotiate  
oscillatory cross-level  
perturbations



**400-Feet Tangent Track**



### Staggered Joints on a 39-foot Wavelength

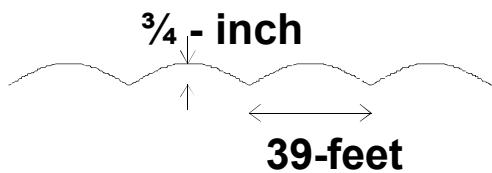
- 39-feet was the typical rail length
- “Rock off Derailments” were once a problem
- Continuously welded rail has reduced, but not eliminated this kind of behavior.

# PITCH AND BOUNCE (9 TESTS)

Car's ability to negotiate parallel vertical rail perturbations

## PITCH AND BOUNCE Parallel Jointed Track

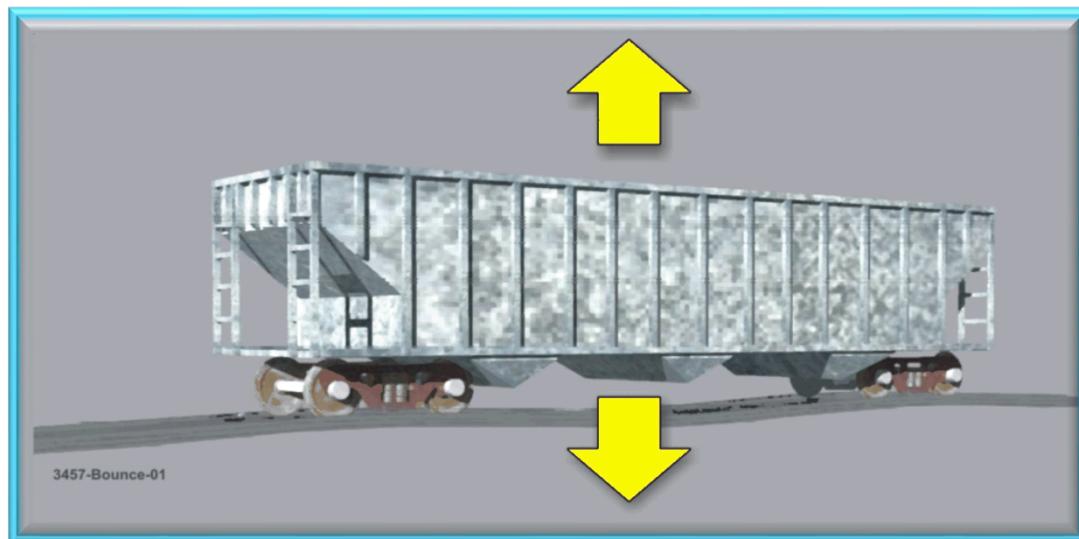
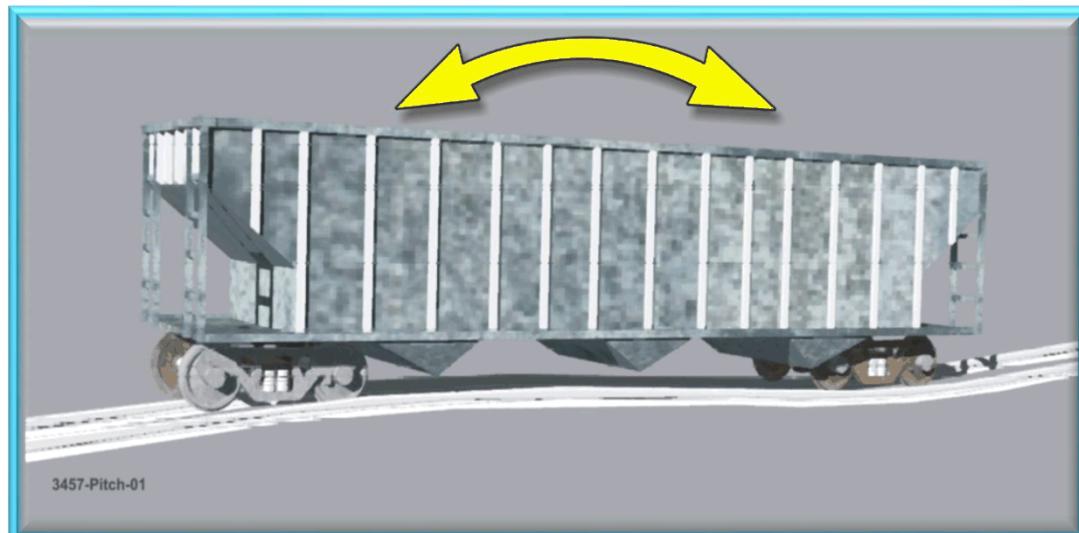
### PTT Track



### 400 feet Tangent Track

- 39-foot wavelength
- Parallel Joints

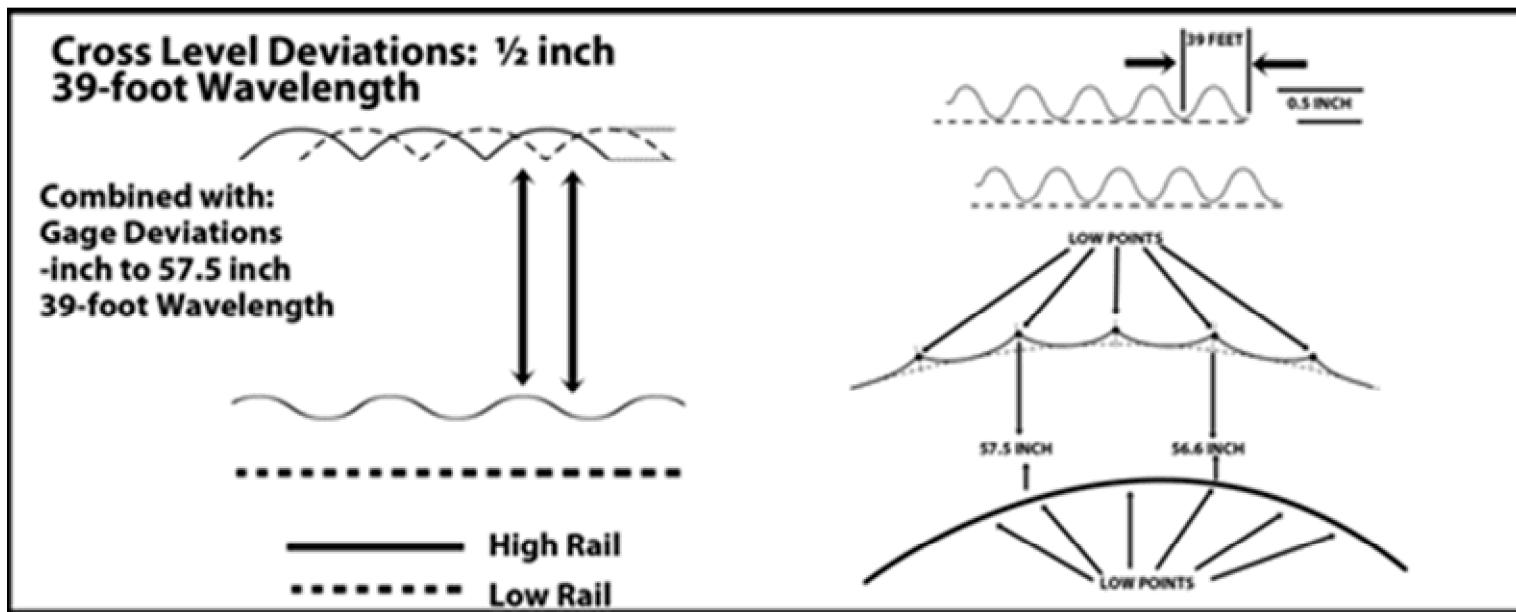
Pitch



# DYNAMIC CURVING (25 TESTS)

Car's ability to negotiate curving over jointed track with combination of lateral misalignment at outer rail joints and cross-level due to low joints on staggered rails.

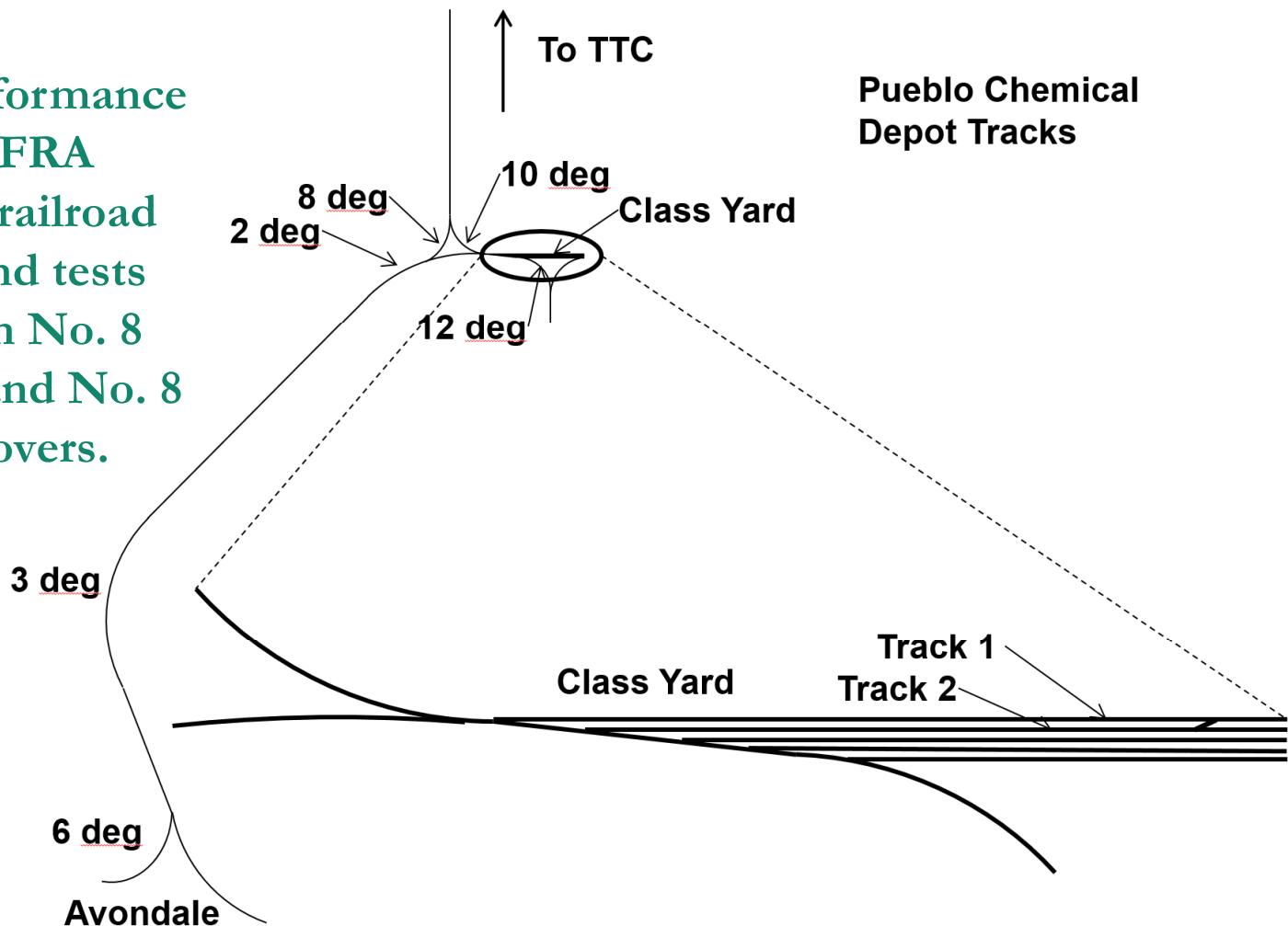
- 39-foot wavelength
- Crosslevel deviations
- Gage deviations that create a “down and out” perturbation
- 10-degree curve with 4-inch superelevation



# PUEBLO CHEMICAL DEPOT (17 TESTS)

Car's performance over FRA Class-2 railroad track and tests through No. 8 turnout and No. 8 crossovers.

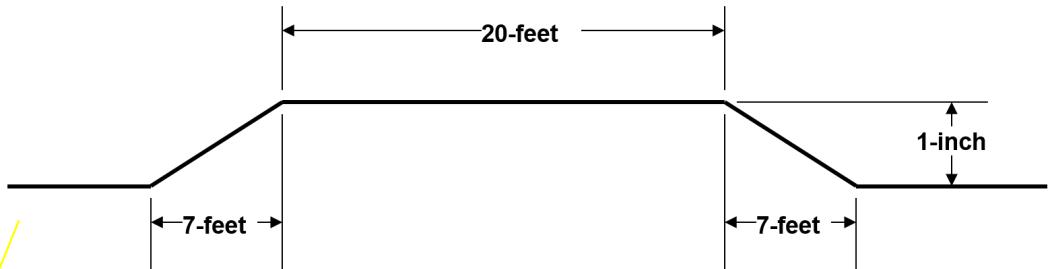
Pueblo Chemical Depot Tracks



# SINGLE BUMP (12 TESTS)



## Car's performance at grade crossings



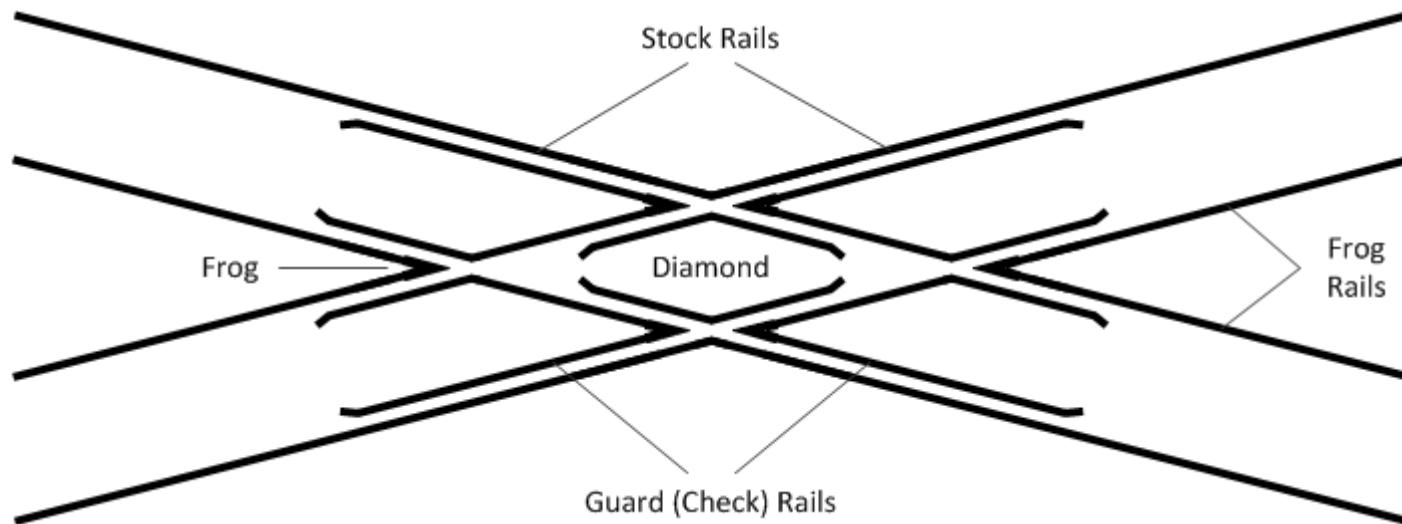
# CONDUCTING SINGLE BUMP TEST



## CROSSING DIAMOND (6 TESTS)

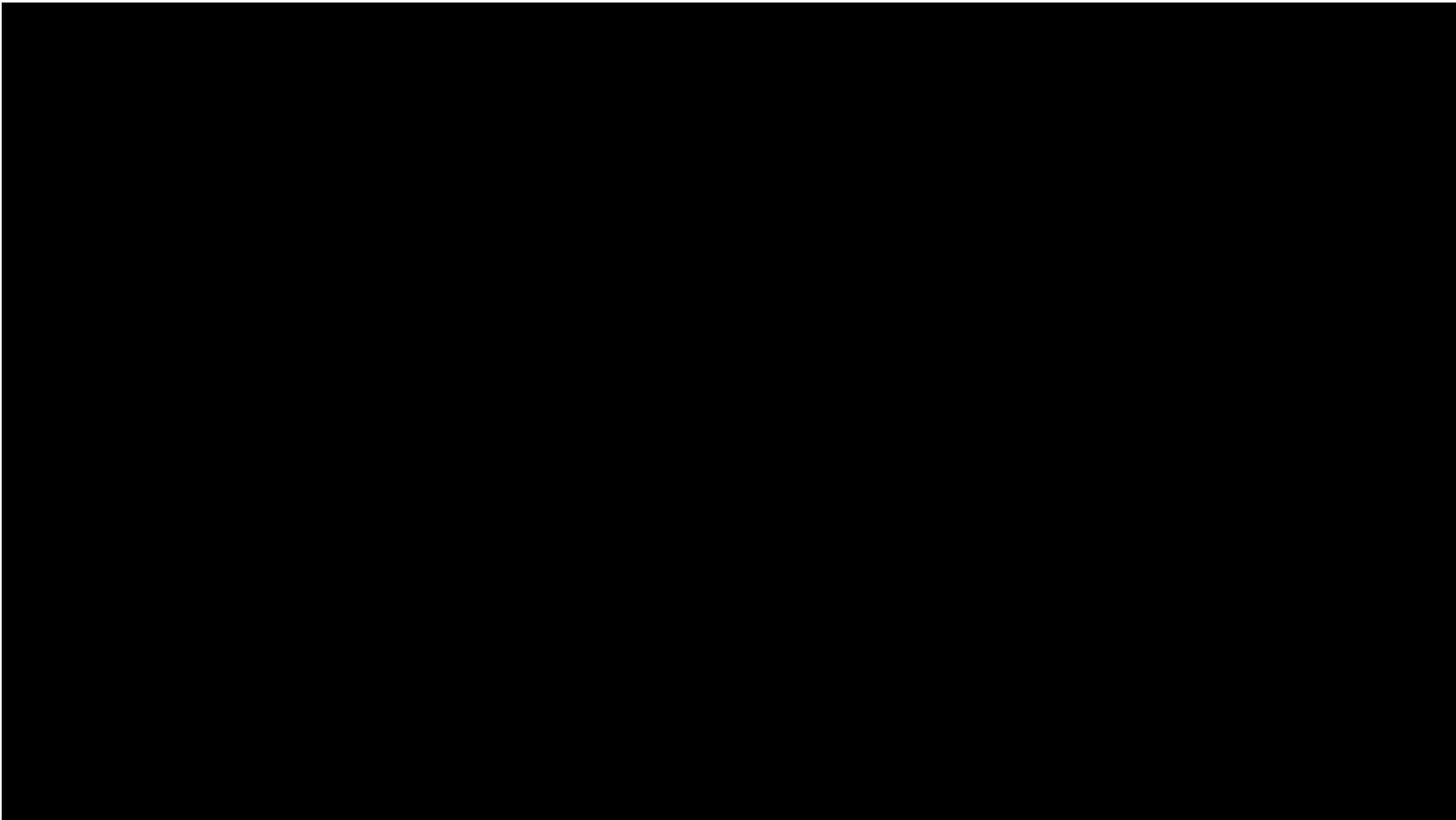
**Car's behavior when crossing diamonds (or "frogs"),  
a leading cause of derailments.**

Vertical impacts resulting from the wheels traversing gaps in the rails where tracks intersect.



The **crossing diamond** was simulated by **cutting gaps** in the rails matching the dimensions of those that would be present on an actual crossing diamond.

# CONDUCTING CROSSING DIAMOND TEST

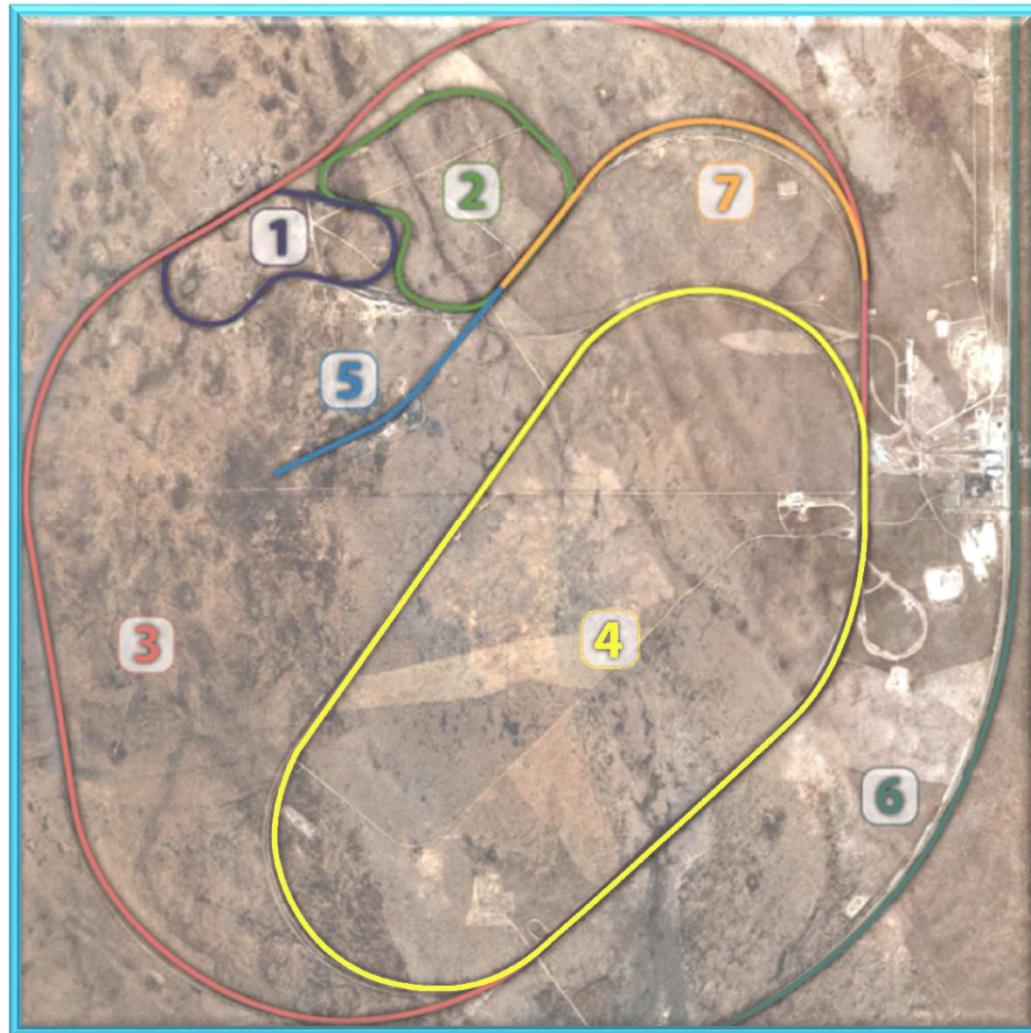


# HUNTING HIGH SPEED STABILITY (30 TESTS)



Car's stability at 30, 40,  
50-75 mph at 5 mph  
increments

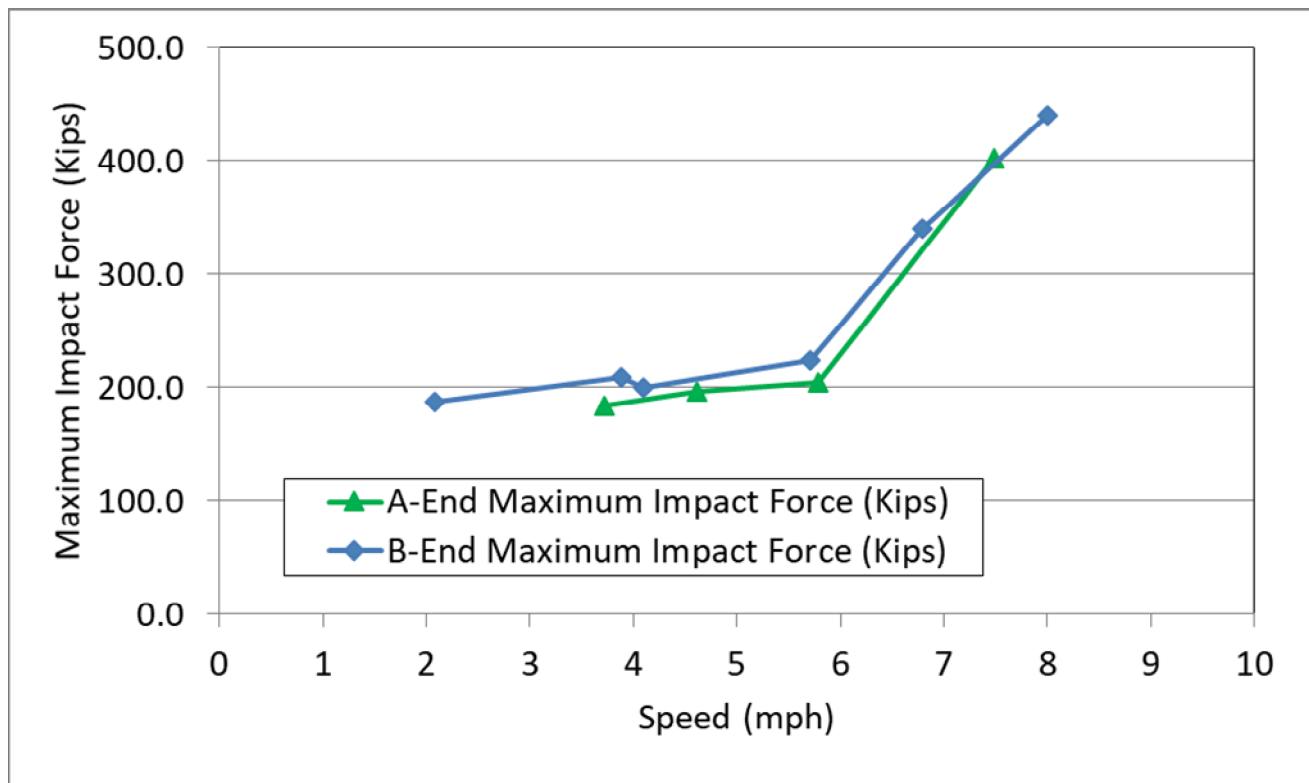
- Transit Test Track (TTT), Number 4
- Railroad Test Track (RTT), Number 3



# COUPLING IMPACTS (10 TESTS)

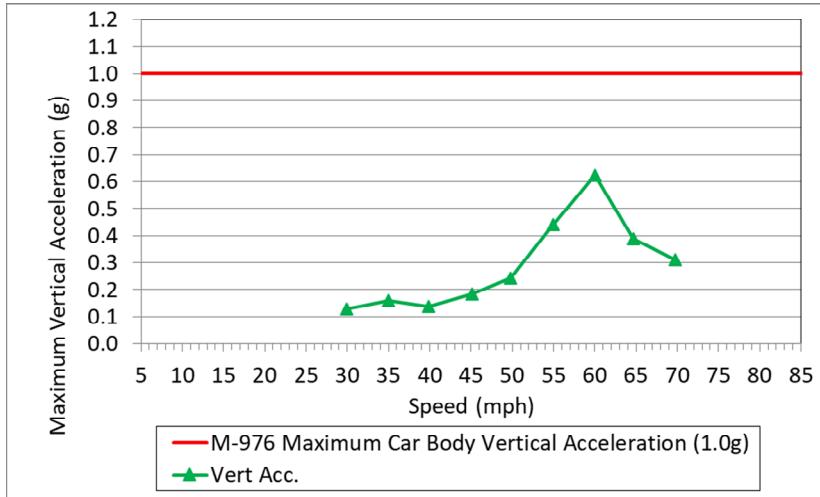
Evaluate longitudinal inputs from coupling at higher than normal speeds

## Maximum Longitudinal Coupler Loads

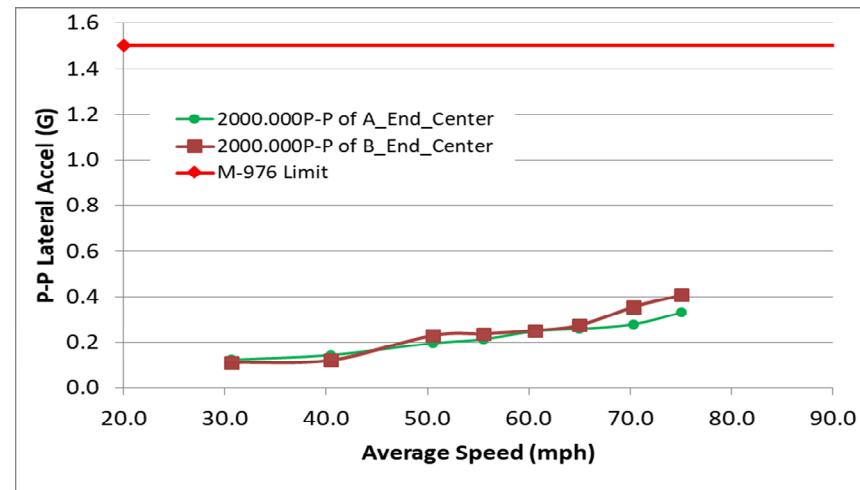


# TTCI DATA SUPPORT THE AAR REQUIREMENTS

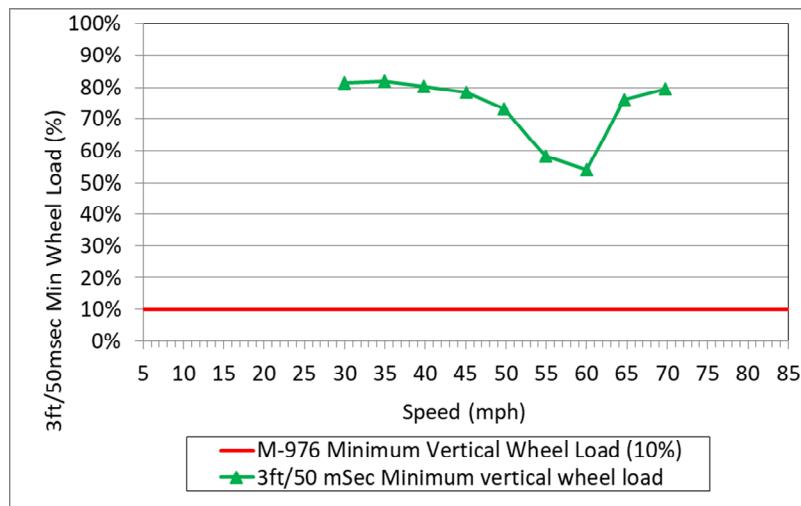
## Maximum Carbody Acceleration



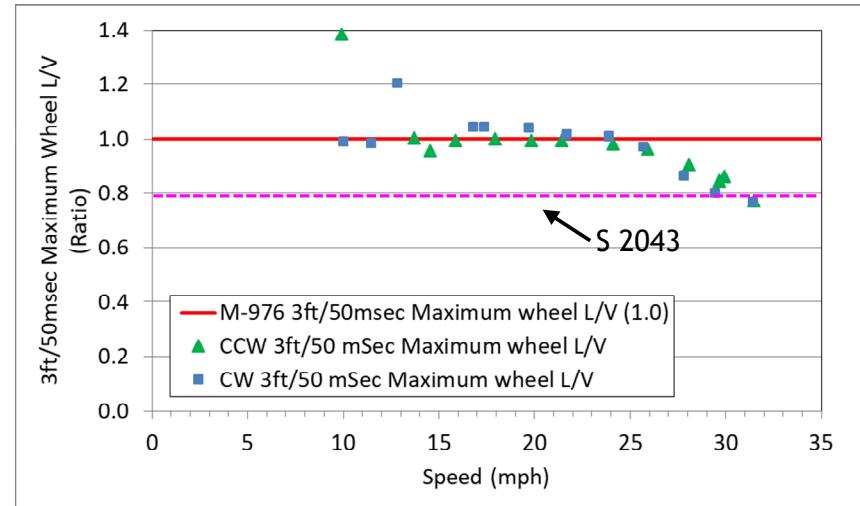
## Peak to Peak Lateral Acceleration



## Minimum Vertical Wheel Load

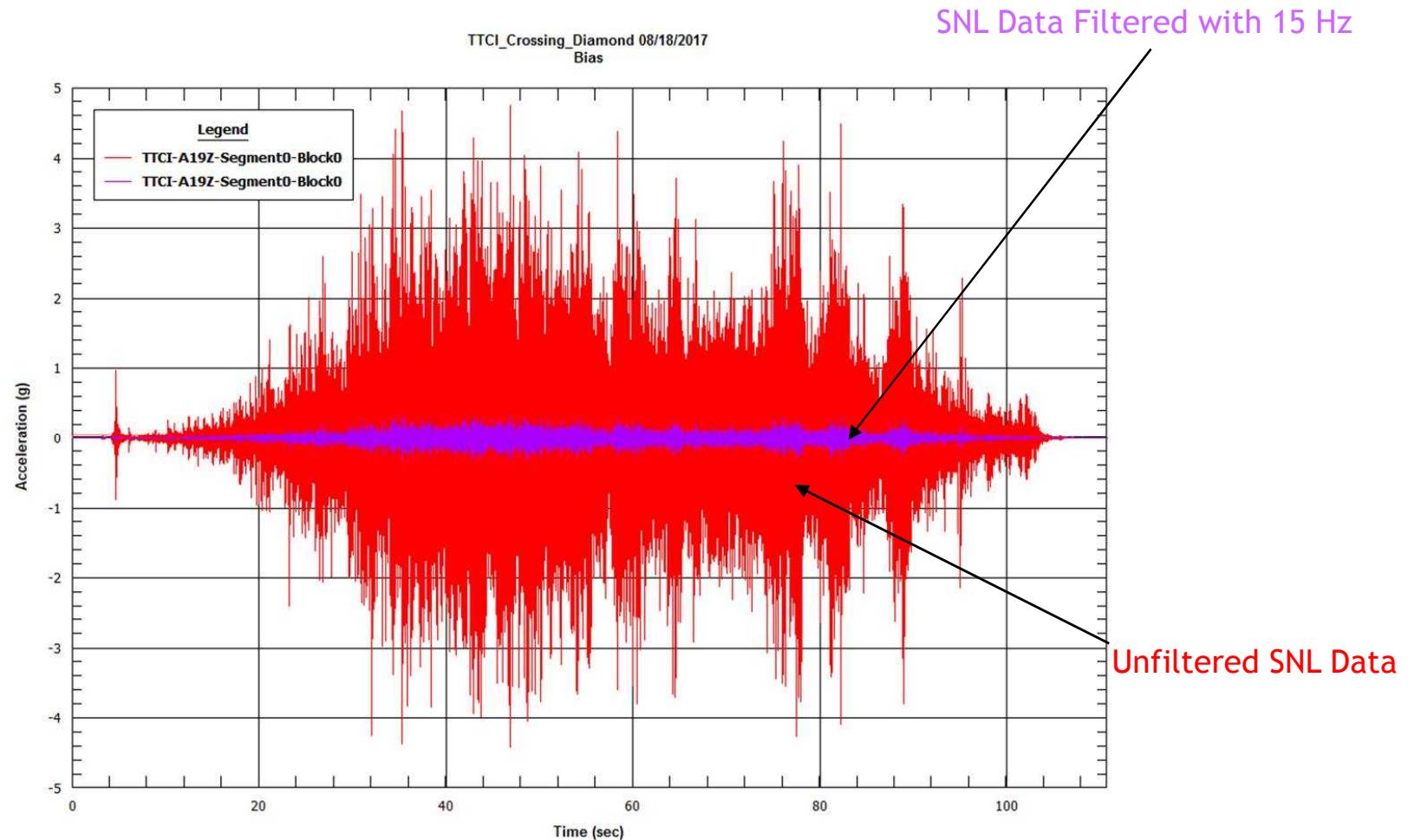


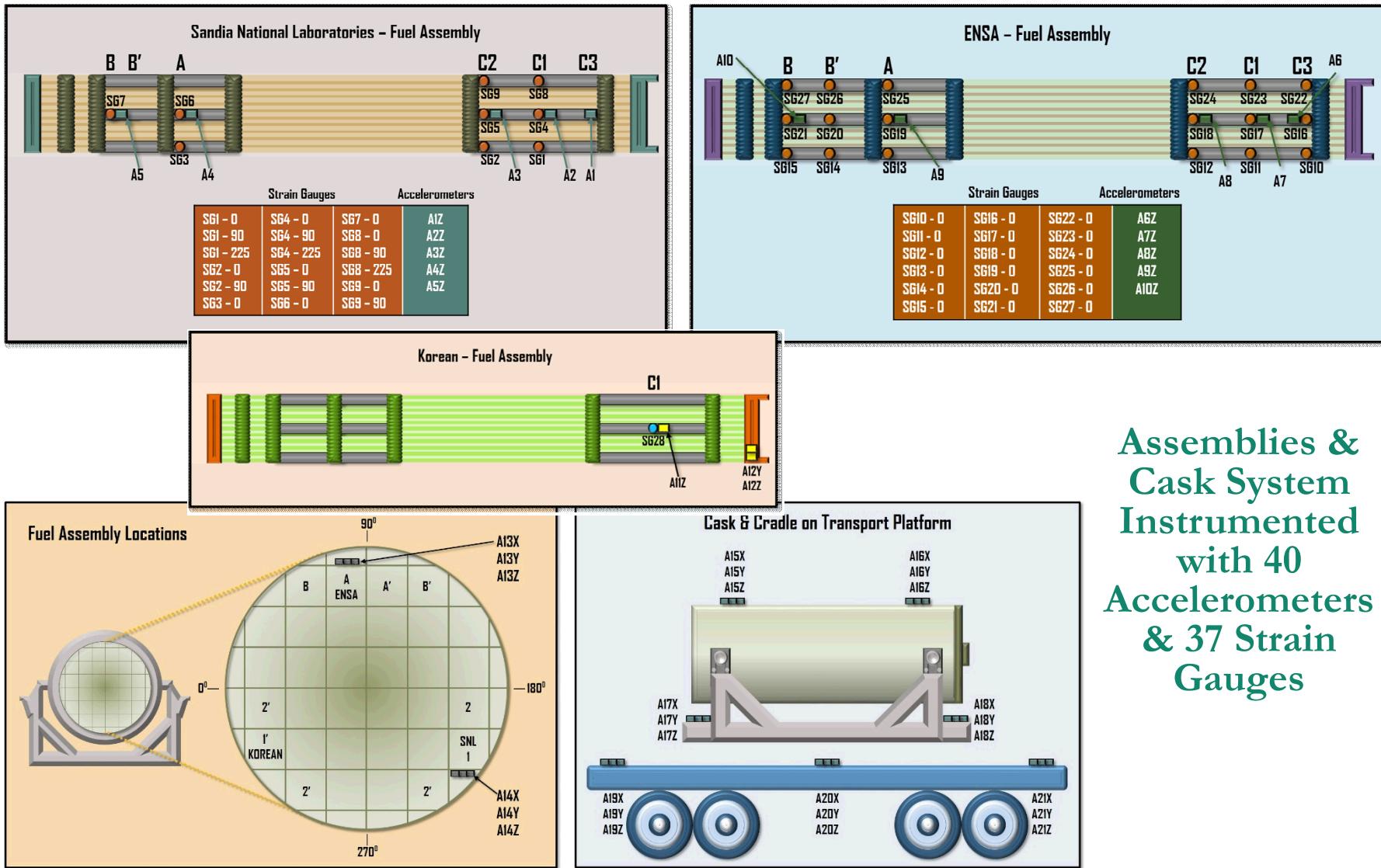
## Maximum Wheel Lateral to Vertical Ratio





## Acceleration Time History Comparison





# Assemblies & Cask System Instrumented with 40 Accelerometers & 37 Strain Gauges

## ANALYSIS METHOD

- Analyze time history (*corrected for bias*) of each sensor
- Define all shock events
- Calculate min and max acceleration and strain for each shock event
- Perform multiple comparisons of time histories and SRSs to define relationships between different systems (*transportation platform, cradle, basket, cask, assemblies*)
- Frequency analysis: FFT and PSD
- Attenuation and amplification in the system
- Develop conclusions regarding system behavior

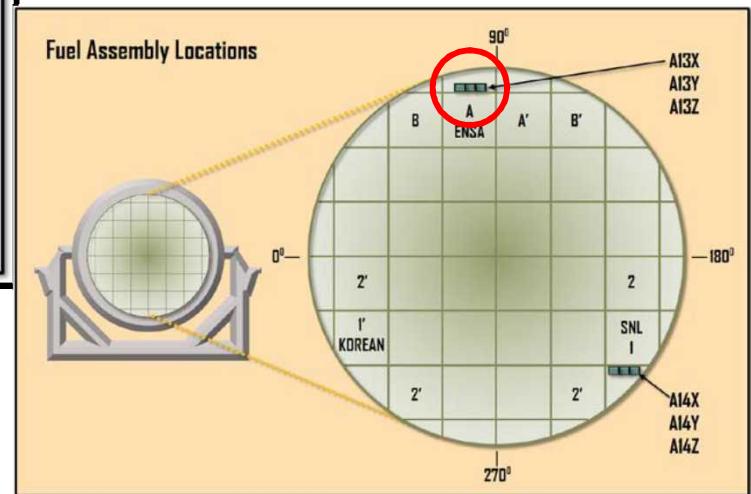
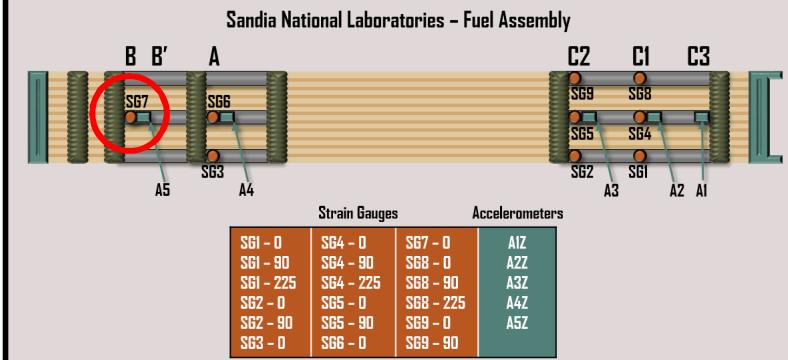
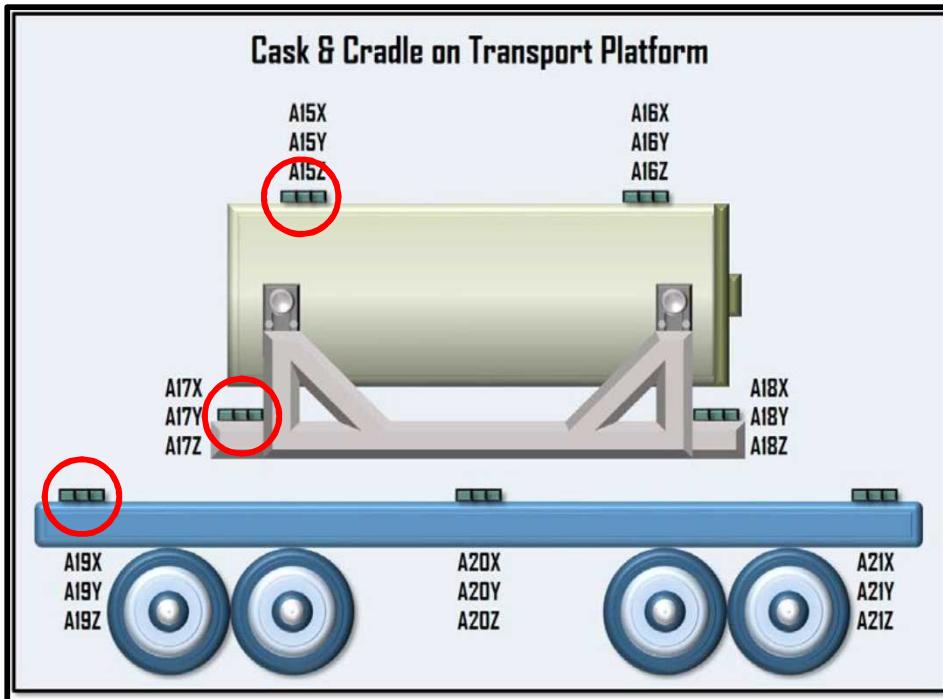
## SNL Software Package K2

- Processing of very large data arrays
- Infinite Impulse Response (IIR) filters
- Finite Impulse Response (FIR) filters
- Fast Fourier Transforms (**FFTs**),
- Integration, Differentiation, Force, Displacement
- Power Spectral Density (**PSD**)
- Shock Response Spectrum (**SRS**)
- Convolution

# BACK END OF THE TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM



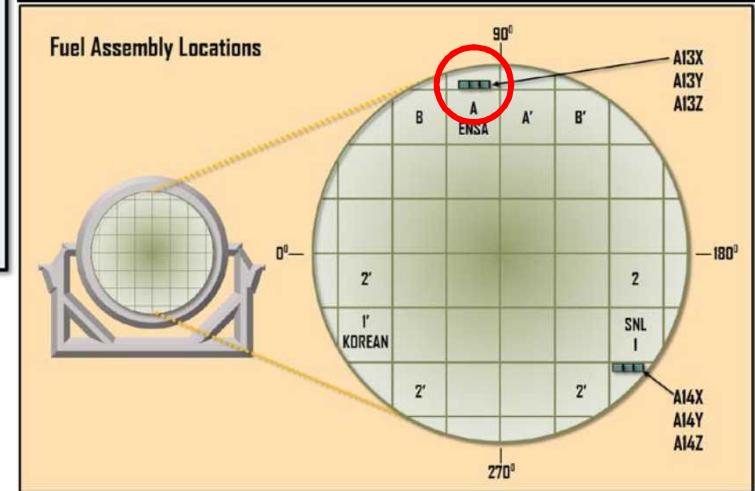
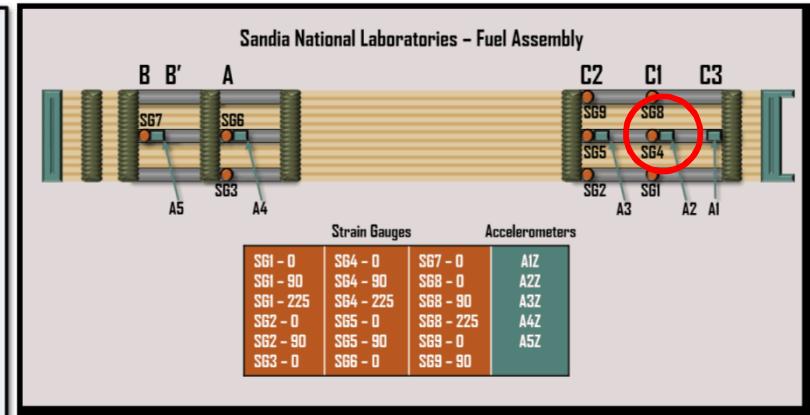
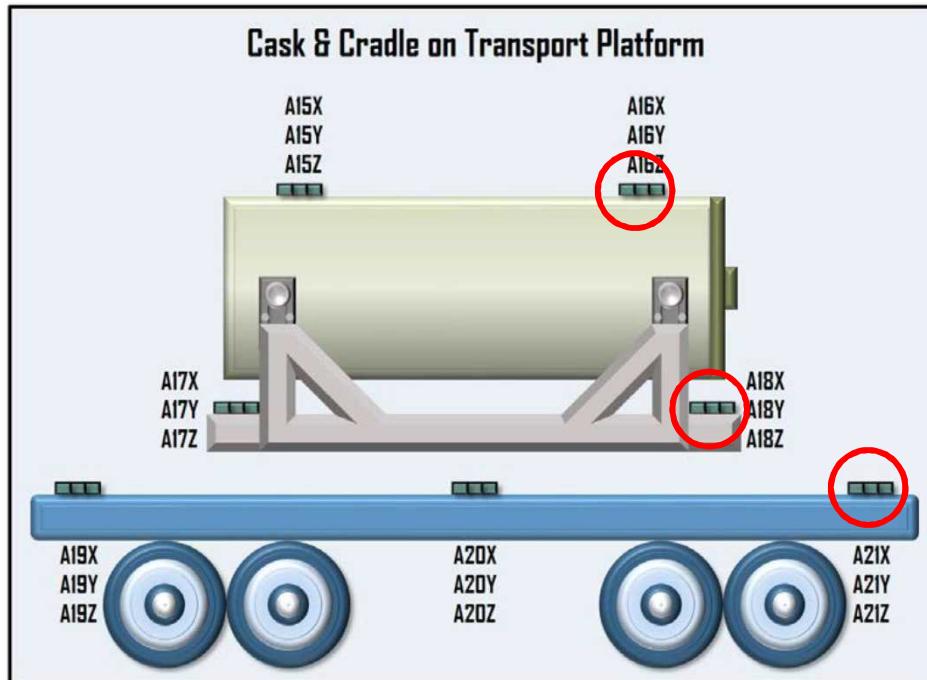
## Components Compared – A5Z, A13Z, A15Z, A17Z, A19Z



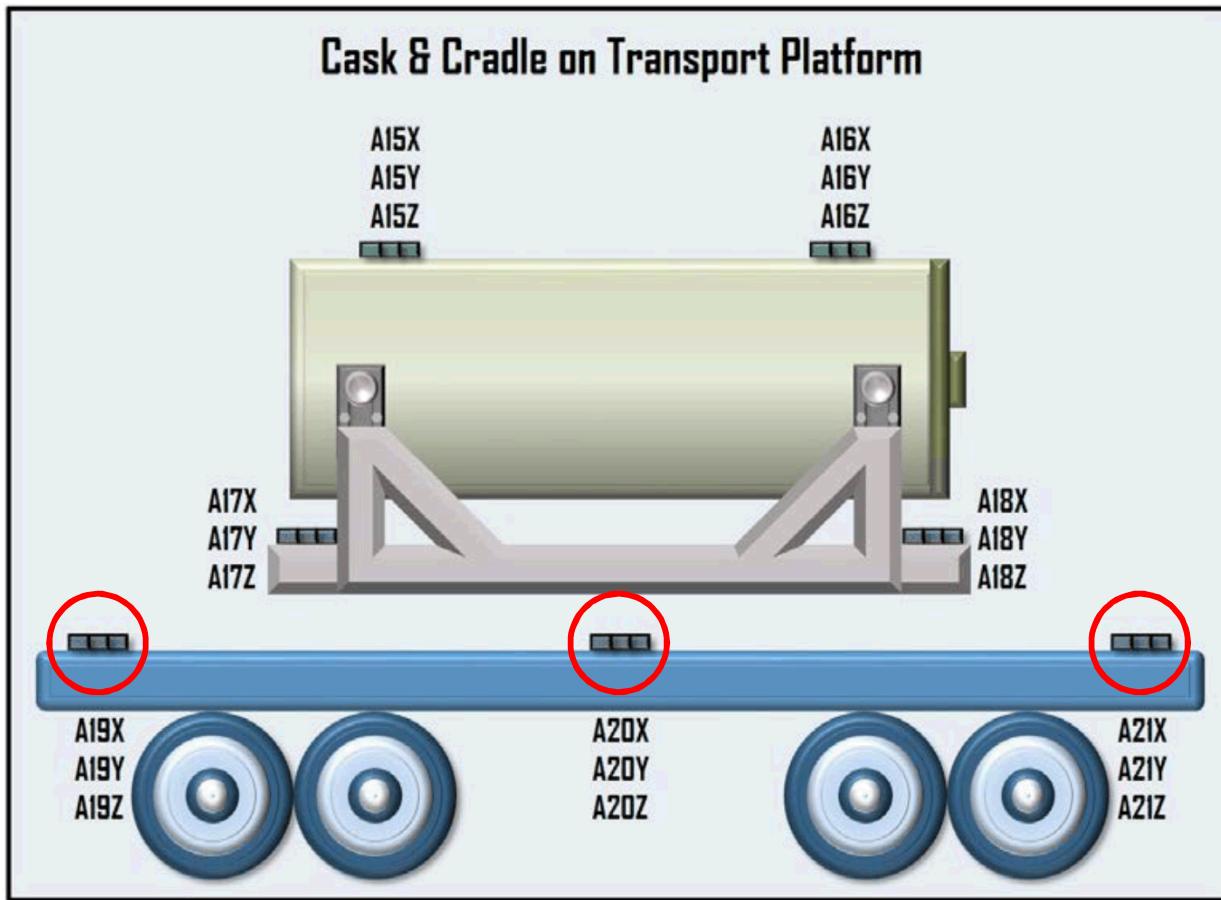
# FRONT END OF THE TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM



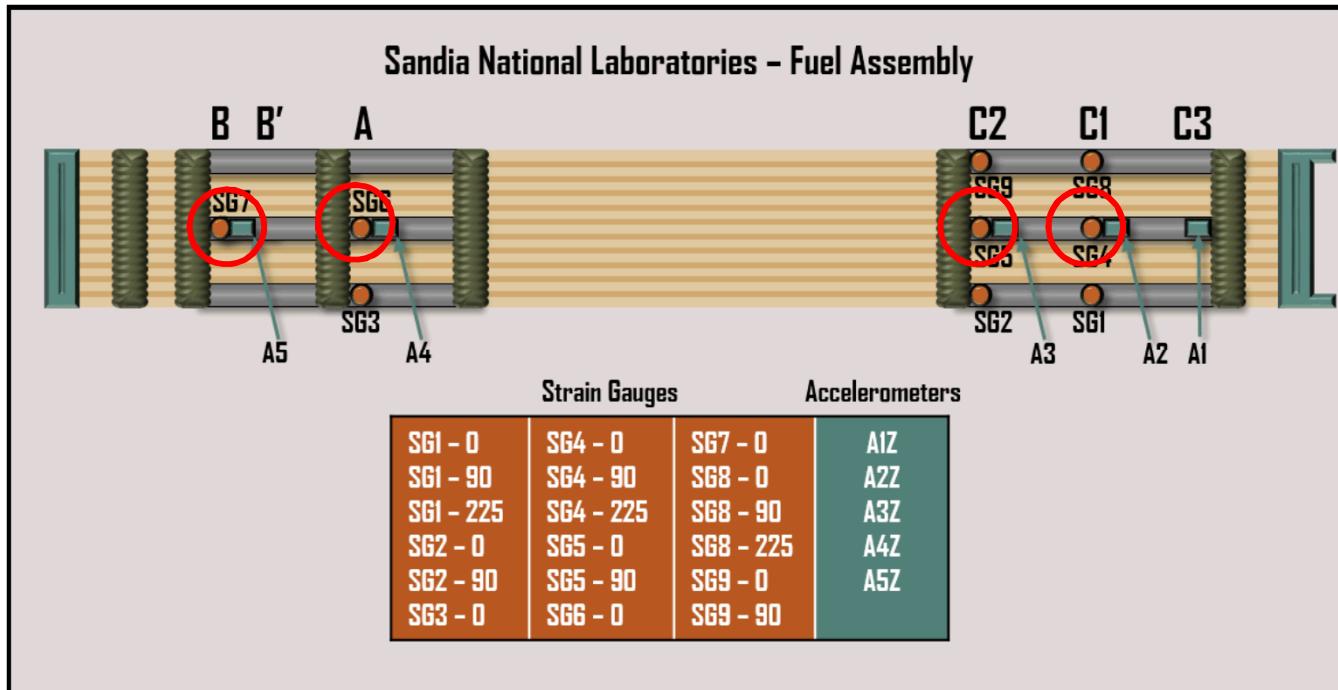
## Components Compared – A21Z, A18Z, A16Z, A13Z, A2Z



## Components Compared – A19Z, A20Z, A21Z

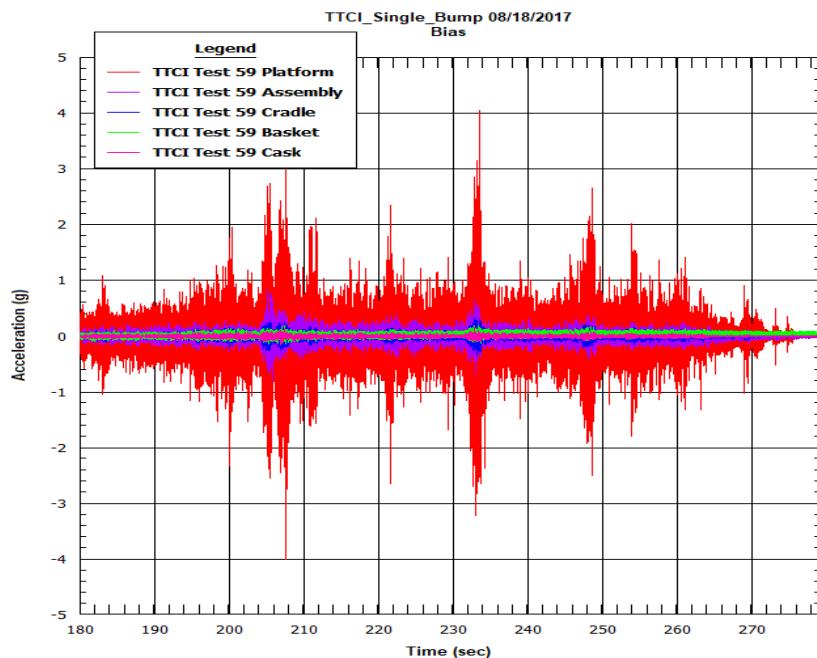


## Components Compared – SG 4-0, SG 5-0, SG 6-0, SG 7-0

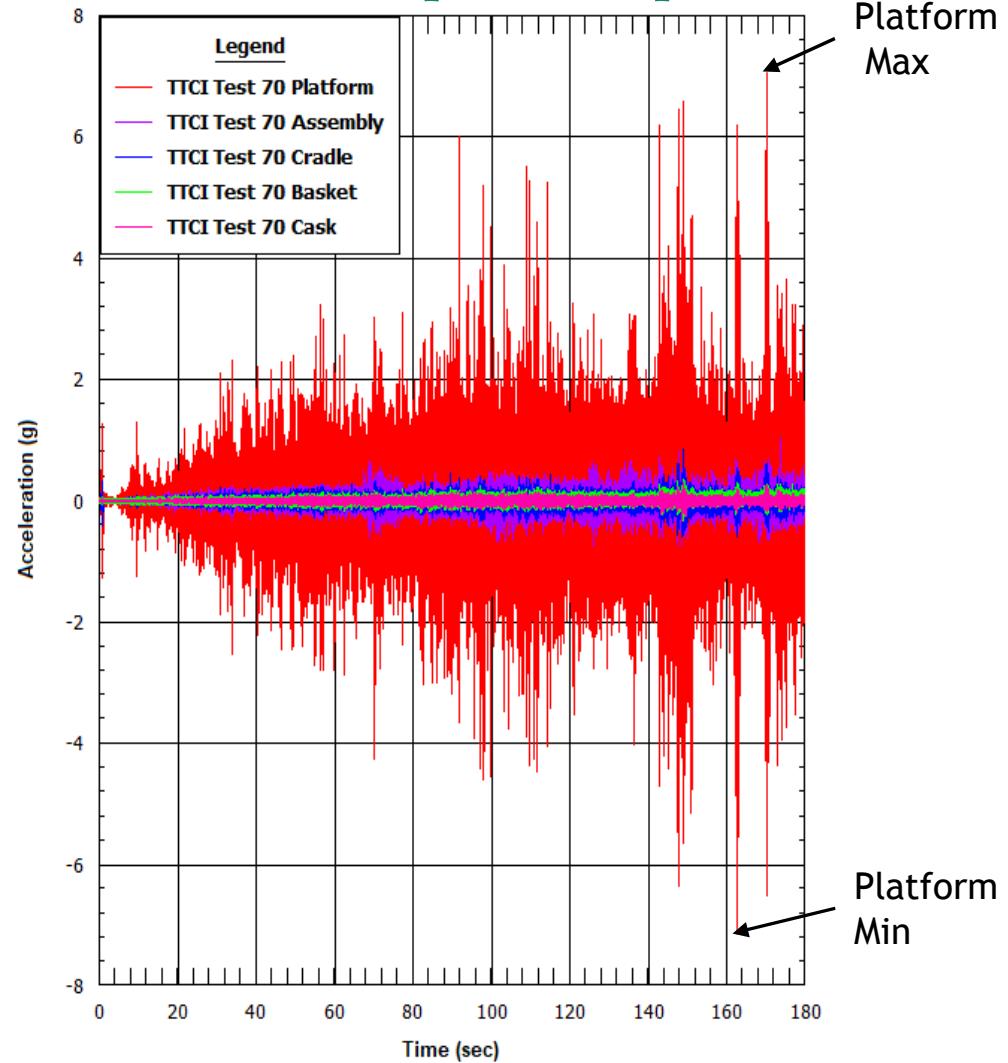


# SINGLE BUMP BIASED TIME HISTORIES

Test 59: Speed 40 mph

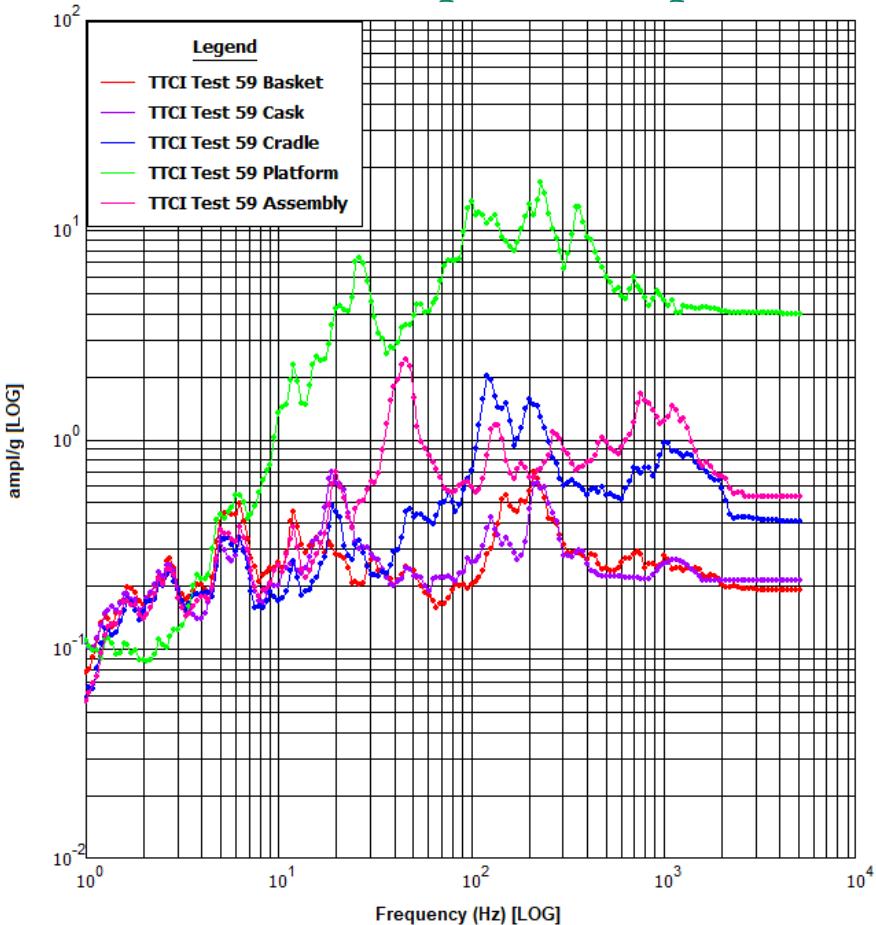


Test 70: Speed 75 mph

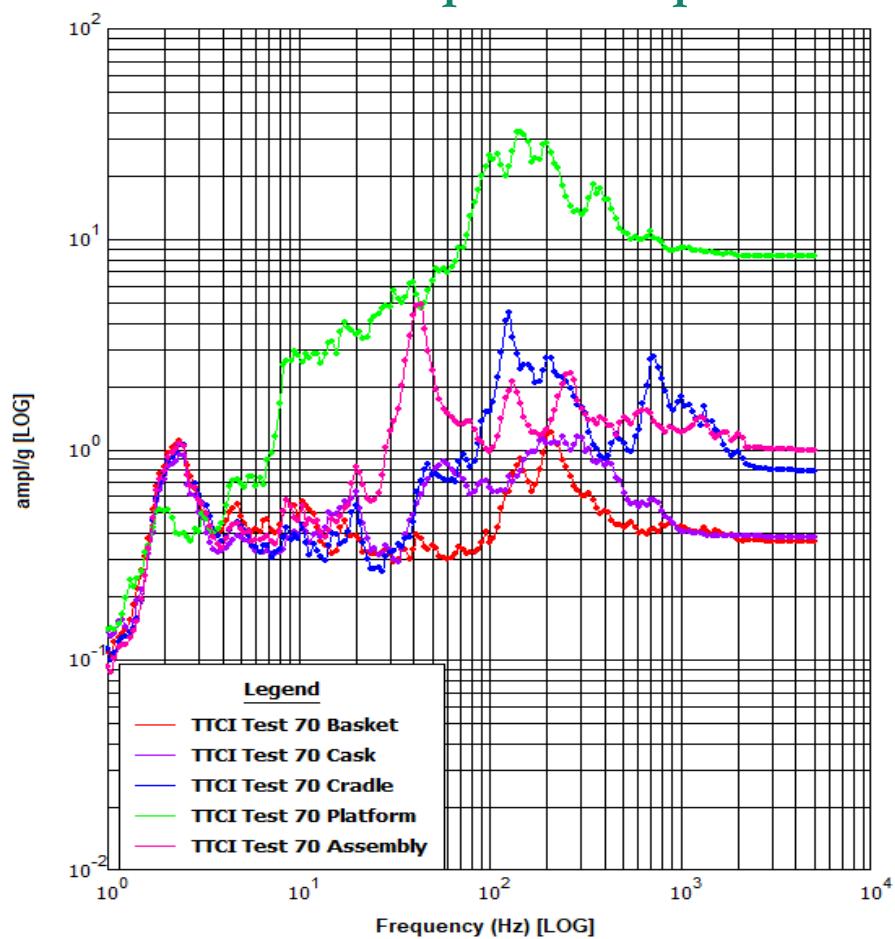


# VERTICAL ACCELERATIONS IN THE SYSTEM

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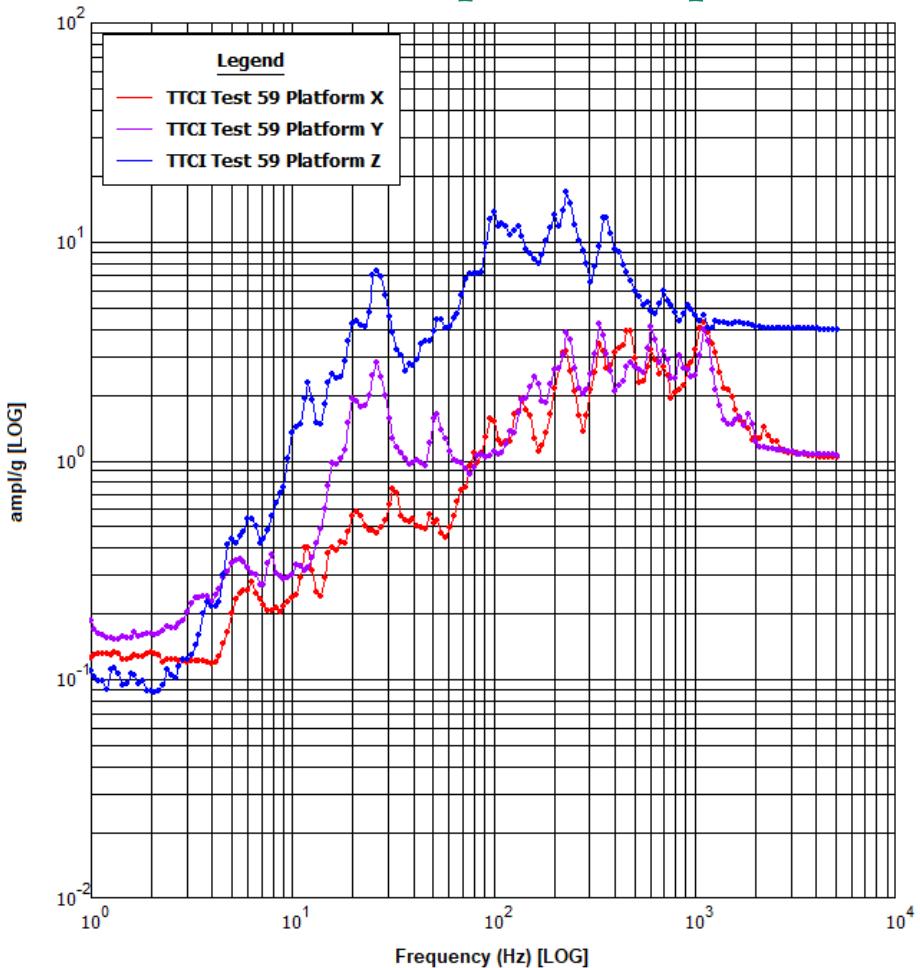


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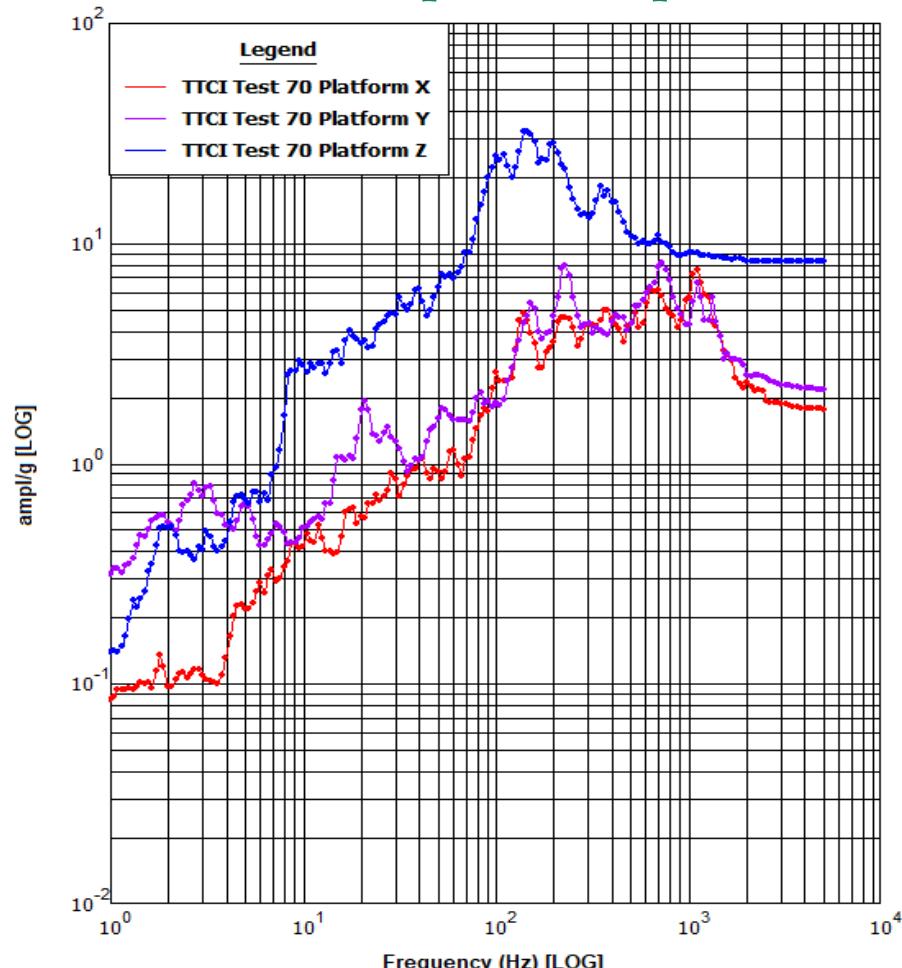


## PLATFORM X, Y, Z ACCELERATIONS

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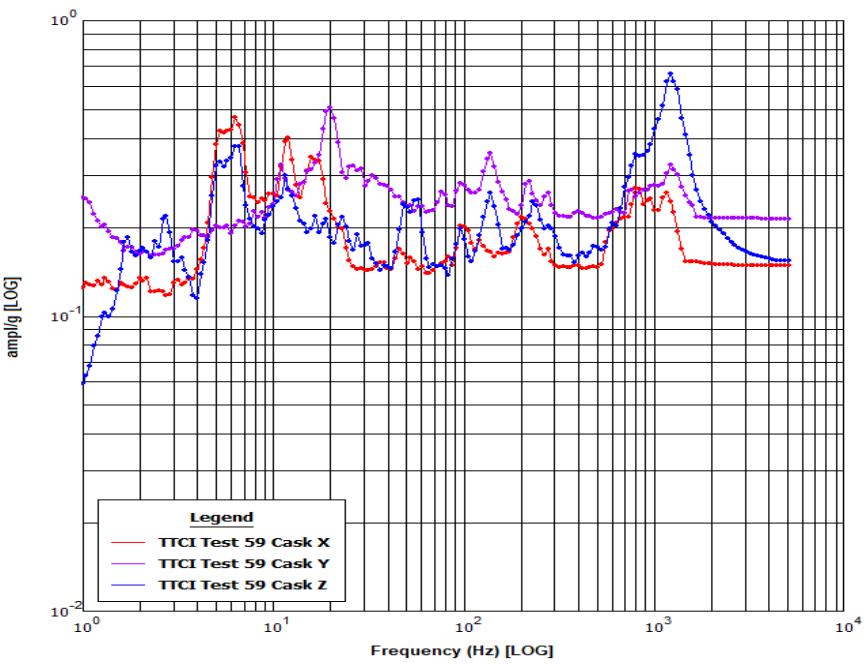


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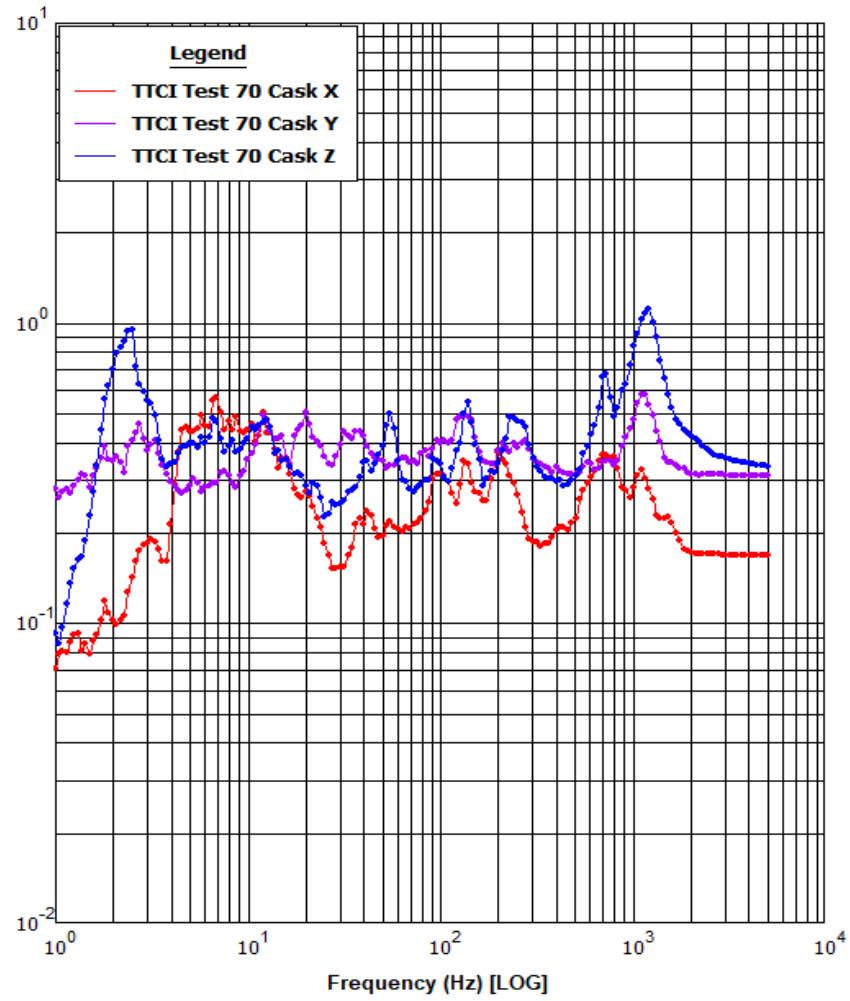


# CASK X, Y, Z ACCELERATIONS

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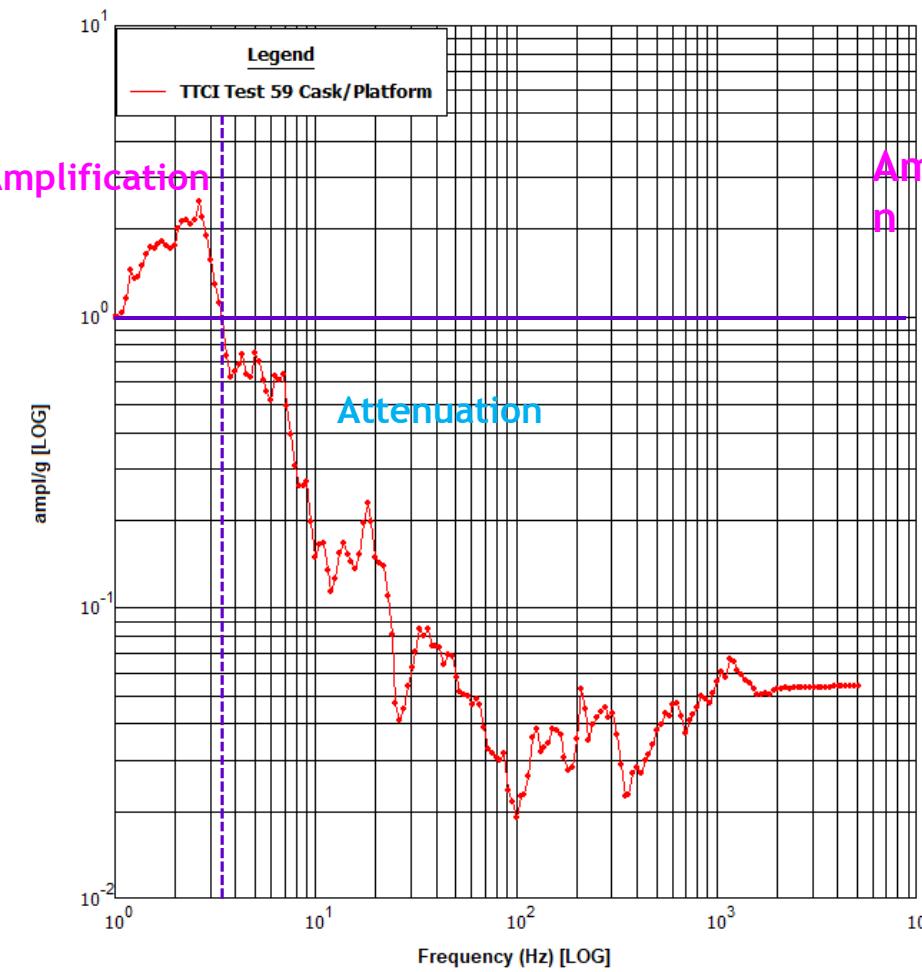


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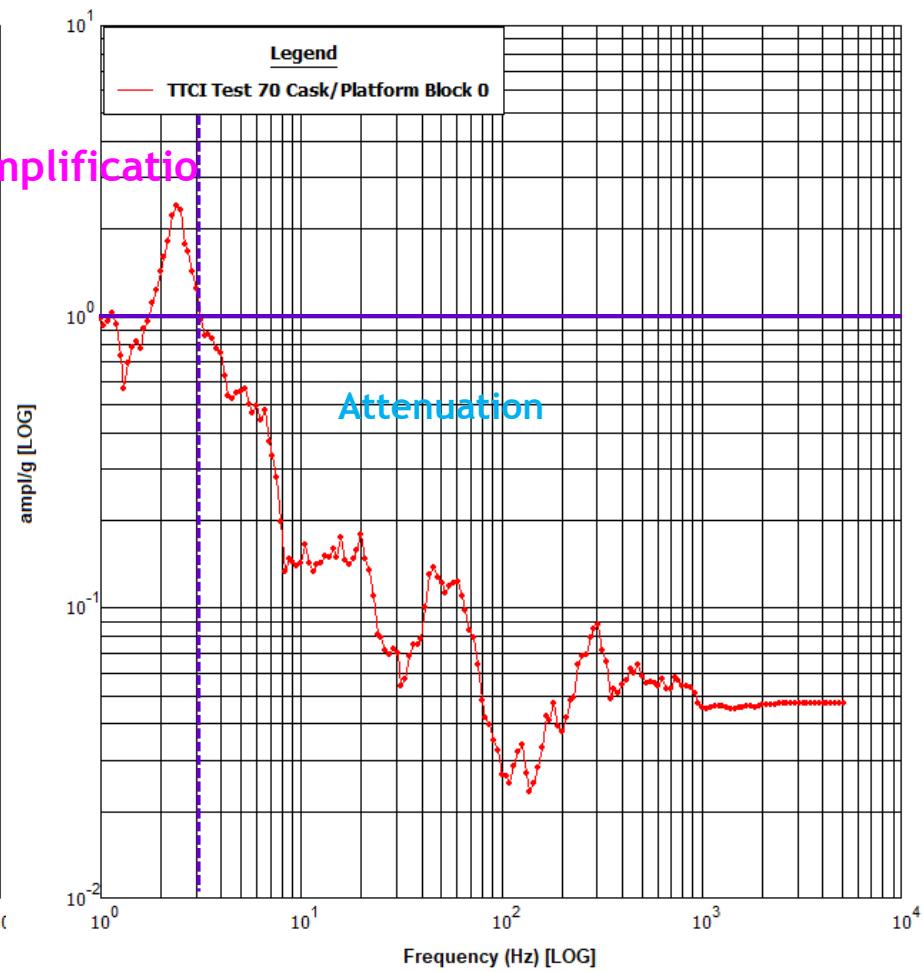


## PLATFORM SRS/CASK SRS

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Test 70: Speed 75 mph



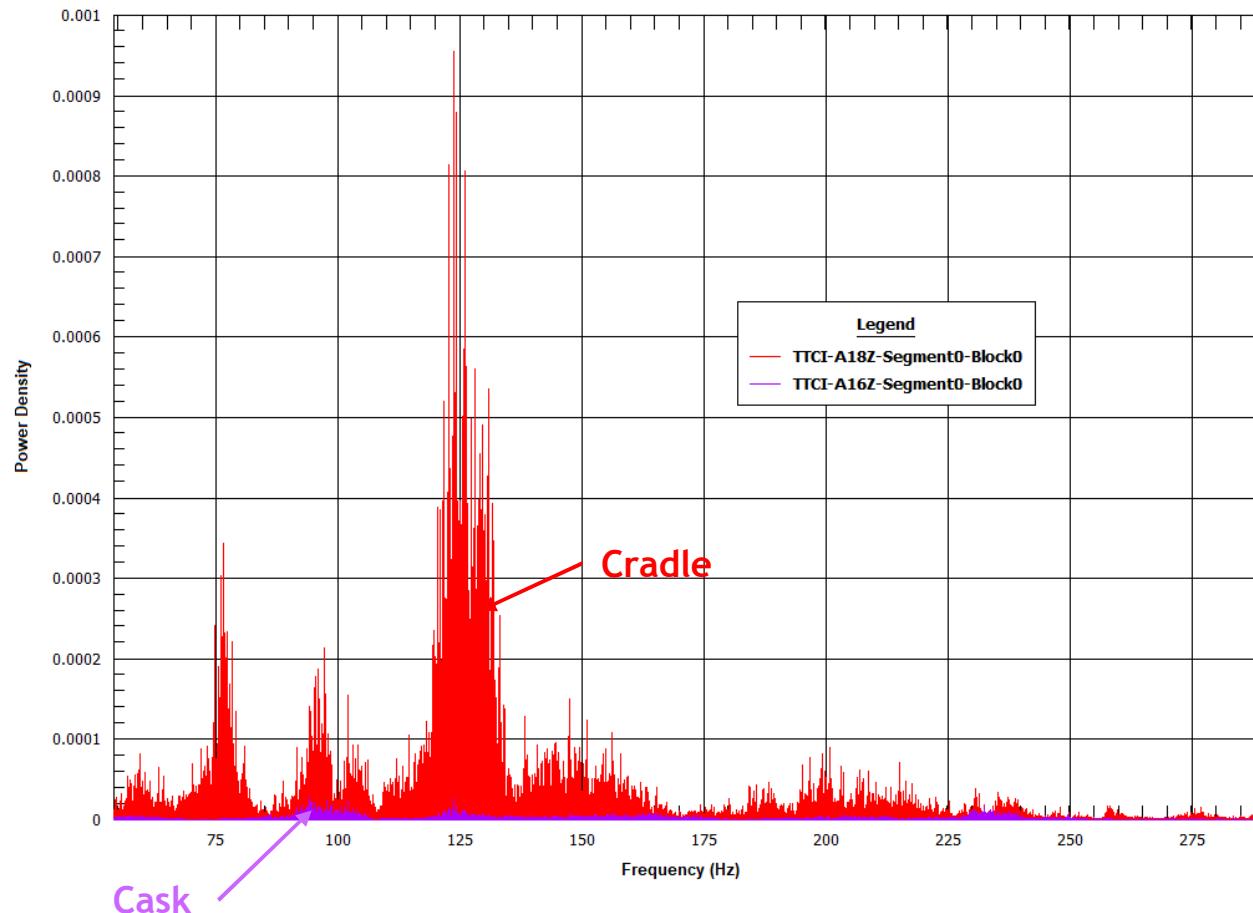
# ACCELERATION CORRELATION MATRIX

	A1Z	A2Z	A3Z	A4Z	A5Z
A1Z	1.00	0.57	0.29	0.16	-0.10
A2Z	0.57	1.00	0.41	0.15	-0.20
A3Z	0.29	0.41	1.00	-0.04	-0.06
A4Z	0.16	0.15	-0.04	1.00	0.10
A5Z	-0.10	-0.20	-0.06	0.10	1.00
A6Z	0.29	0.40	0.27	0.07	-0.05
A7Z	0.26	0.46	0.28	0.10	-0.14
A8Z	0.40	0.49	0.36	0.10	-0.17
A9Z	-0.00	-0.01	0.00	0.02	-0.20
A10Z	0.00	0.05	0.05	0.07	-0.21
A11Z	0.15	0.10	0.12	-0.02	-0.09
A12Y	-0.03	0.01	-0.03	-0.02	0.10
A12Z	-0.31	-0.11	-0.07	0.05	0.13
A13X	-0.40	-0.15	-0.22	0.04	0.06
A13Y	-0.08	-0.02	-0.00	0.04	-0.06
A13Z	0.49	0.19	0.29	0.02	-0.02
A14X	-0.09	-0.04	-0.06	-0.00	-0.00
A14Y	0.06	0.06	0.04	0.05	0.05
A14Z	0.00	-0.02	-0.00	-0.01	-0.00
A15X	-0.47	-0.19	-0.26	0.07	0.11
A15Y	0.04	0.01	0.06	0.06	0.05
A15Z	-0.24	-0.11	-0.12	0.12	0.18
A16X	-0.45	-0.17	-0.25	0.06	0.08
A16Y	-0.01	0.01	0.02	0.02	-0.00
A16Z	0.43	0.15	0.26	0.04	0.02
A17X	0.09	0.05	0.07	-0.02	-0.02
A17Y	0.00	-0.03	-0.03	-0.02	-0.00
A17Z	-0.13	-0.09	-0.05	0.06	0.09
A18X	0.11	0.06	0.07	0.03	-0.03
A18Y	0.02	-0.04	0.00	-0.03	-0.01
A18Z	0.26	0.23	0.24	0.03	-0.01
A19X	0.06	0.03	0.04	-0.02	-0.03
A19Y	0.03	0.04	0.04	0.03	0.01
A19Z	-0.03	-0.01	0.01	-0.02	-0.03
A20X	0.08	0.02	0.02	-0.04	-0.03
A20Y	0.02	-0.01	0.00	-0.01	0.02
A20Z	0.08	0.09	0.07	0.05	-0.00
A21X	-0.08	-0.07	-0.08	0.01	0.02
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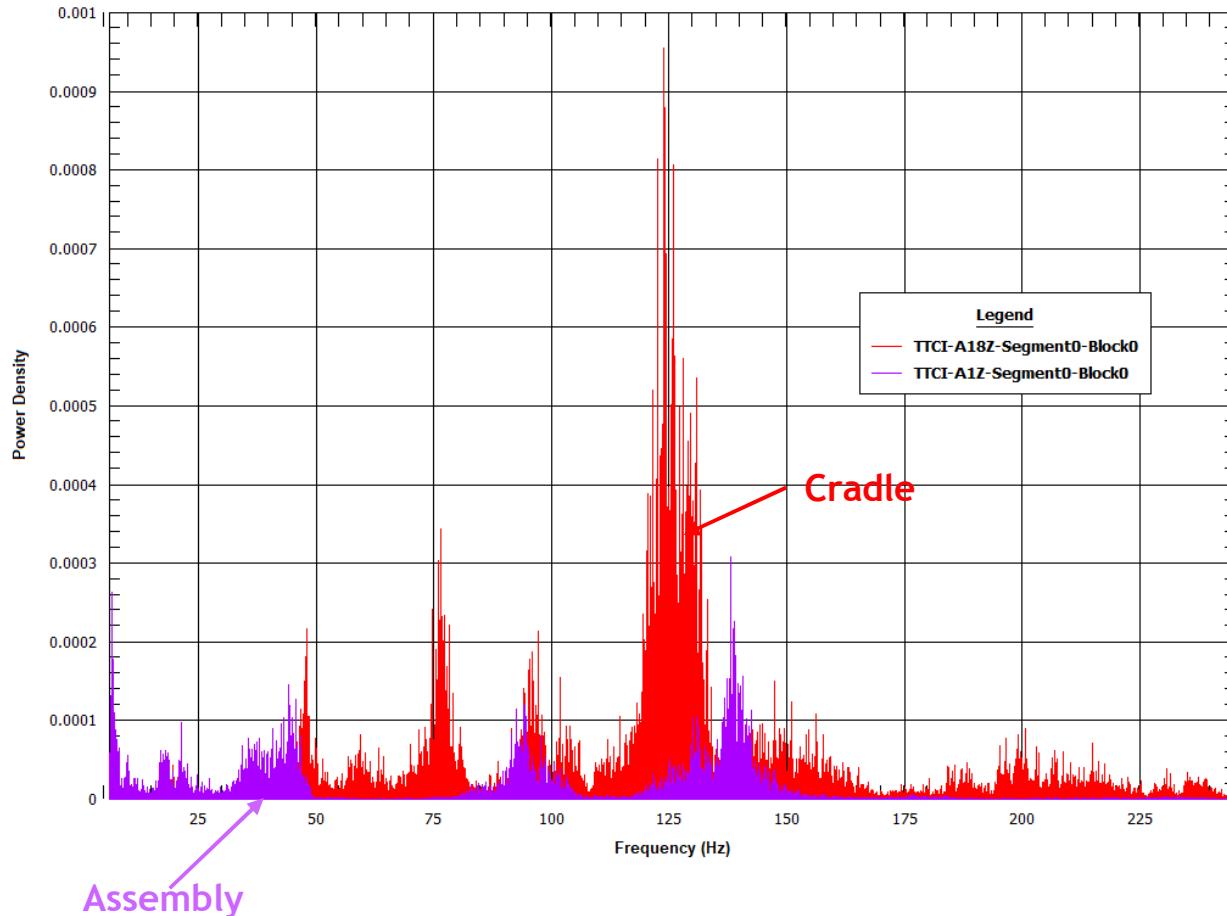
Correlation between front end of the cradle and front end of SNL assembly



## CRADLE AND CASK PDS



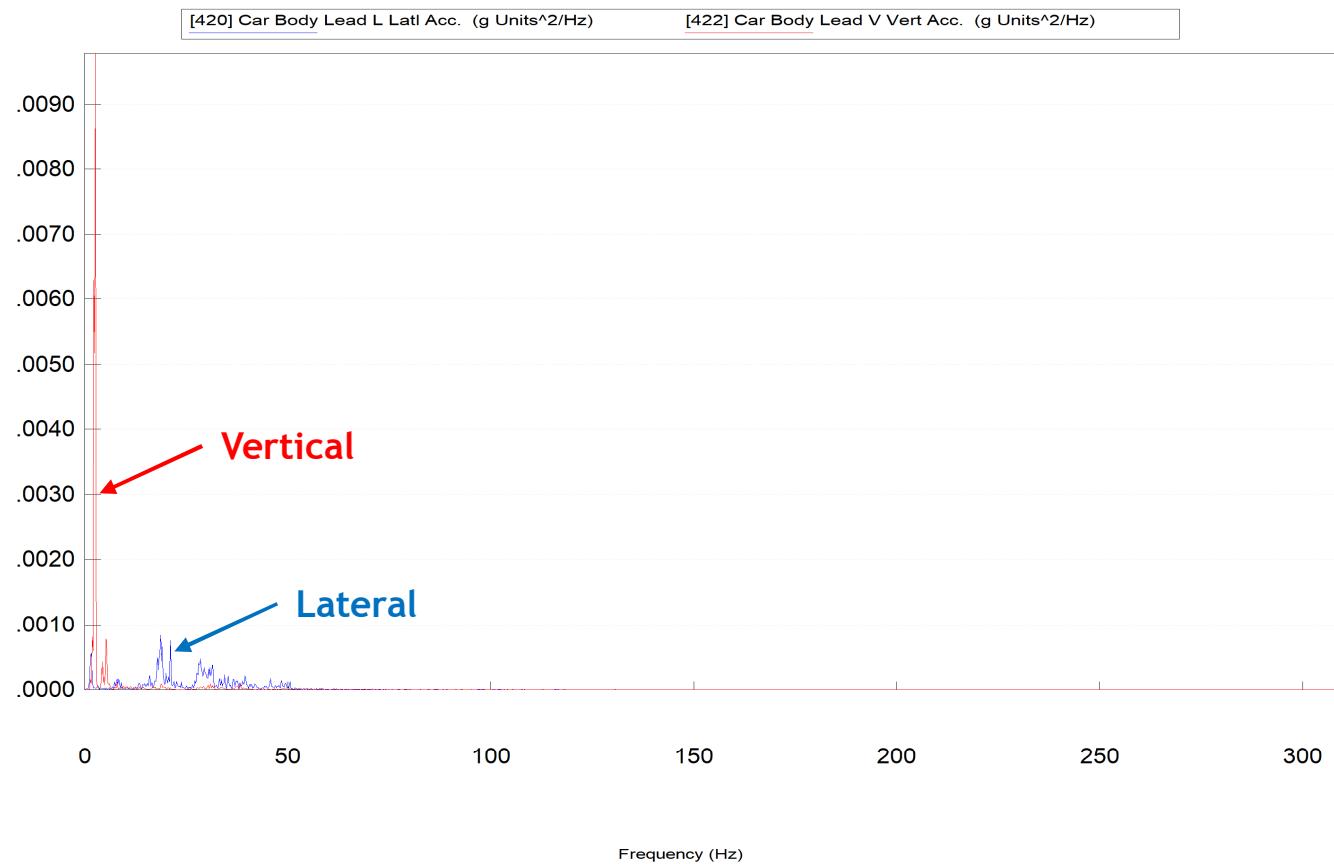
## CRADLE AND SNL ASSEMBLY PDS



## PLATFORM ACCELERATION PDS FROM NUCARS MODEL

12axle car, METRIC units, with surr impact limiters, 112.7 kph (70 mph) on

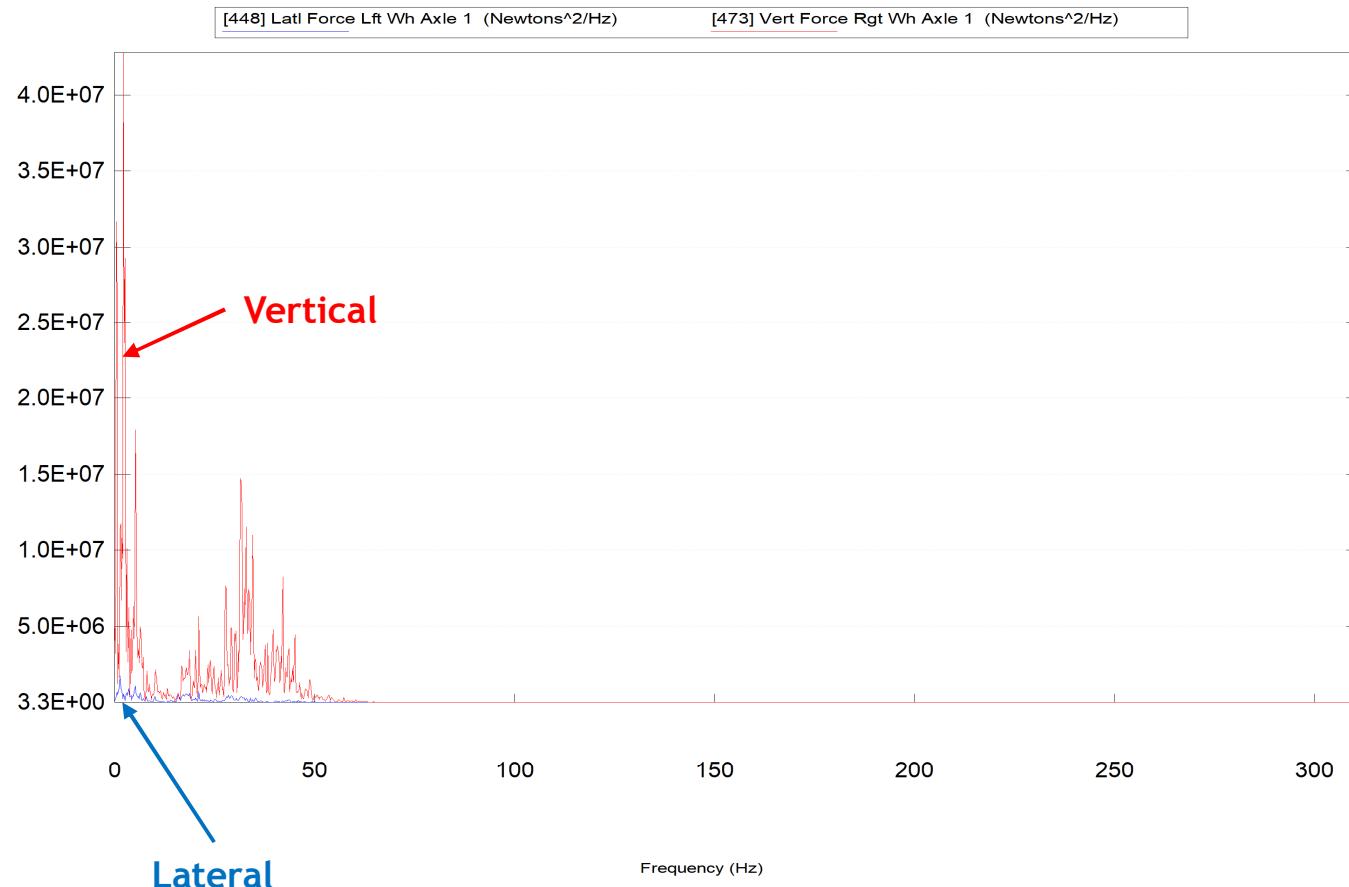
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# WHEEL FORCE PDS FROM NUCARS MODEL

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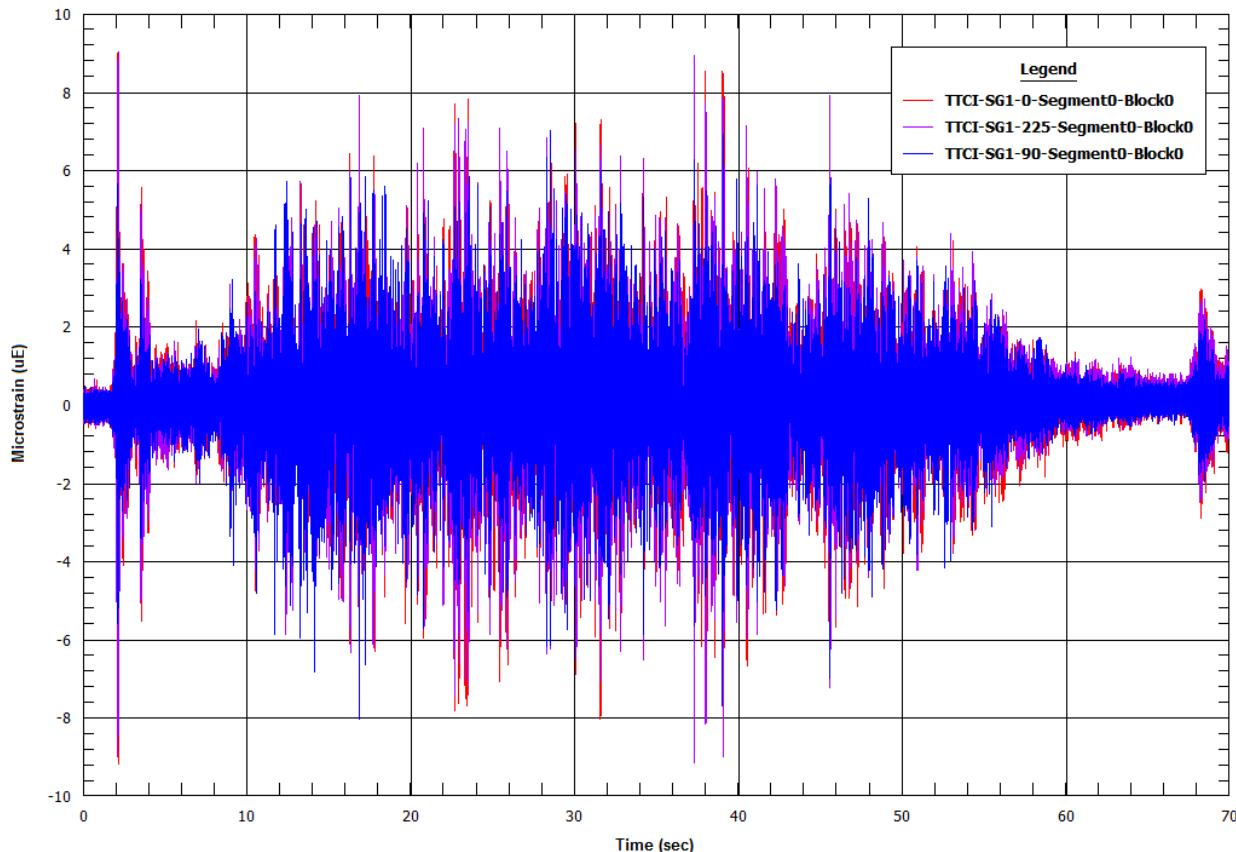
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## STRAINS AT 0, 90, AND 225 DEGREES

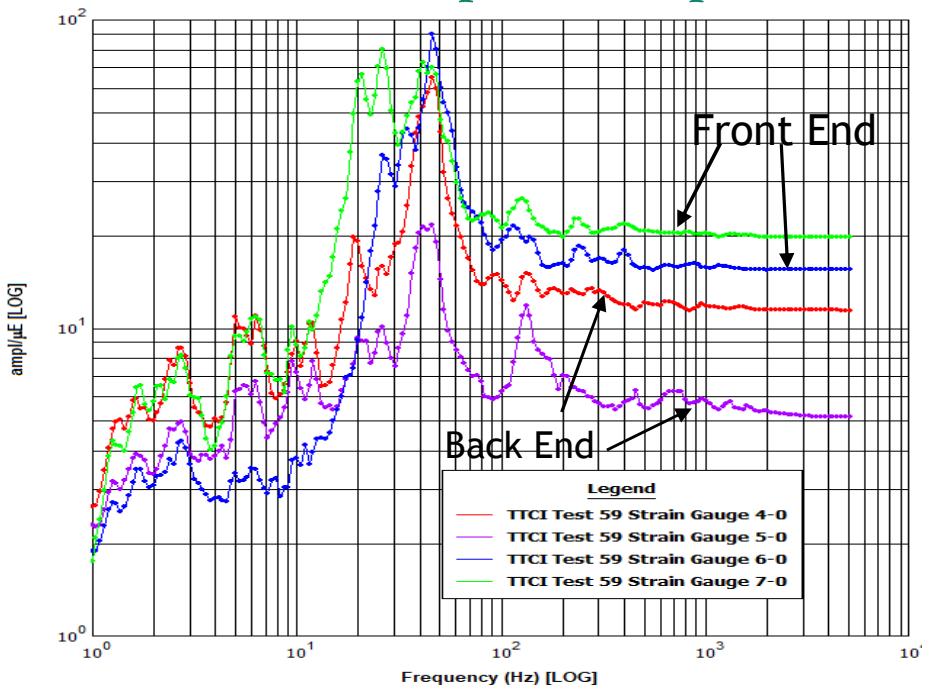


## SG1-0; SG1-90, and SG1-225

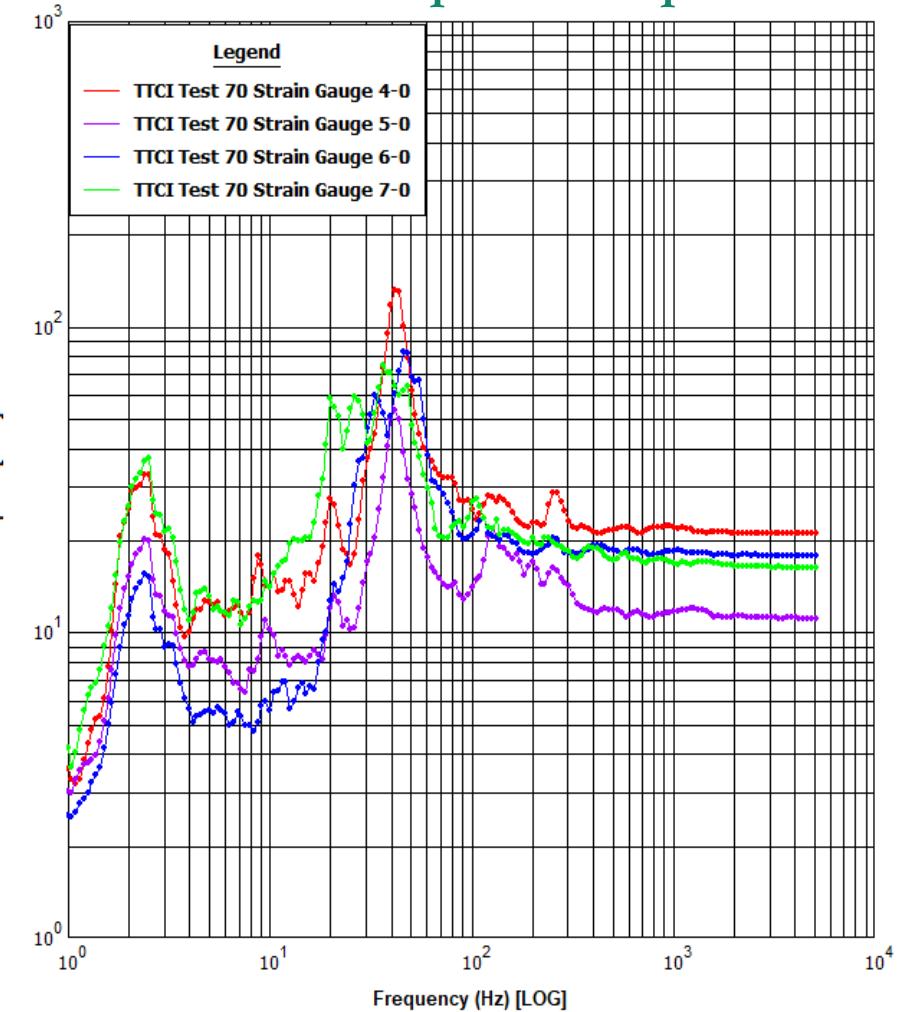




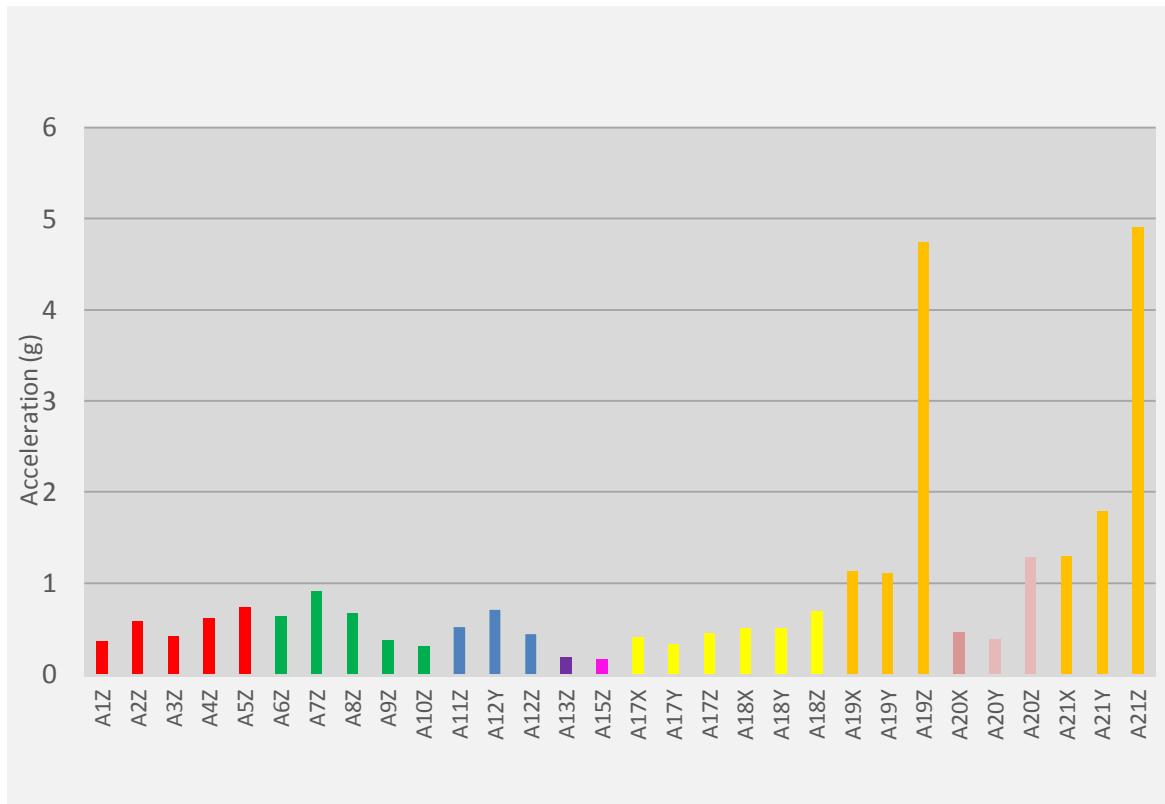
Test 59: Speed 40 mph



Test 70: Speed 75 mph



## MAXIMUM ACCELERATIONS



SNL Assembly

ENSA Assembly

Korean Assembly

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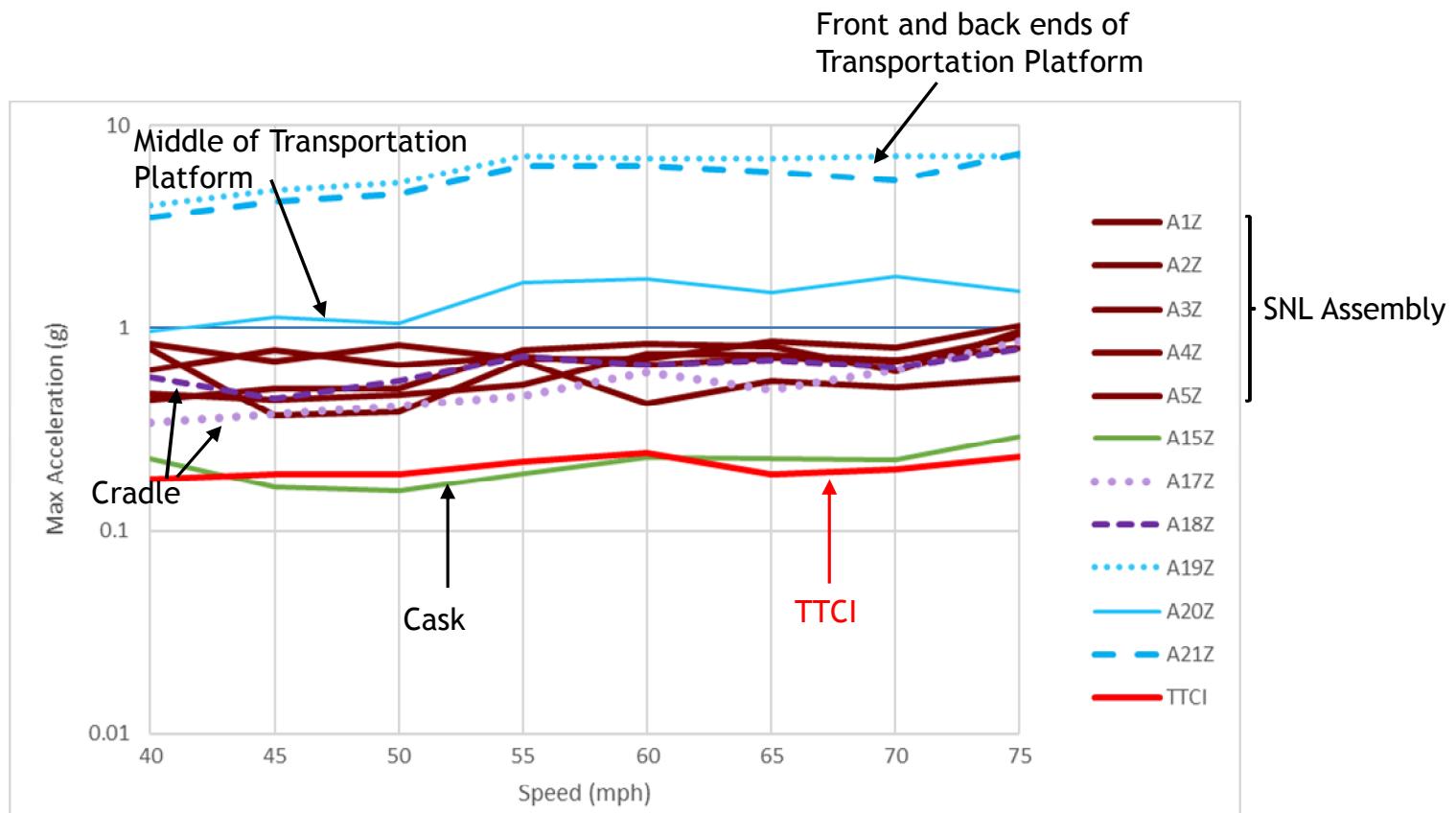
Cask

Cradle

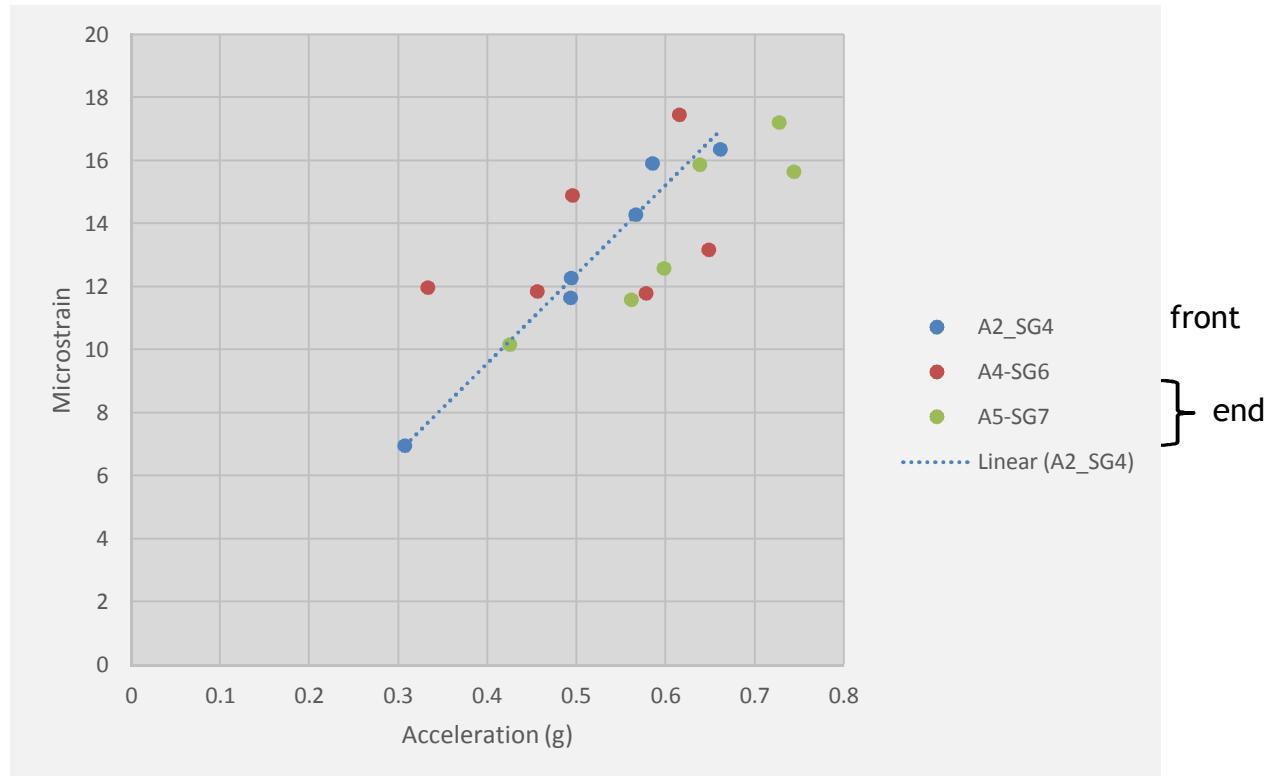
Transportation Platform Ends

Transportation Platform Middle

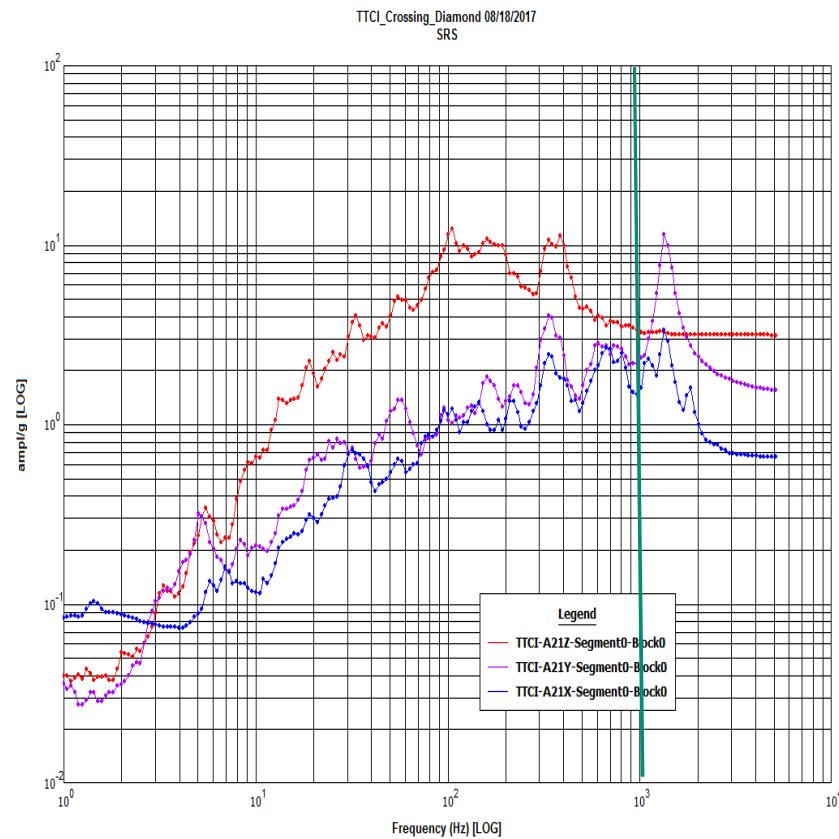
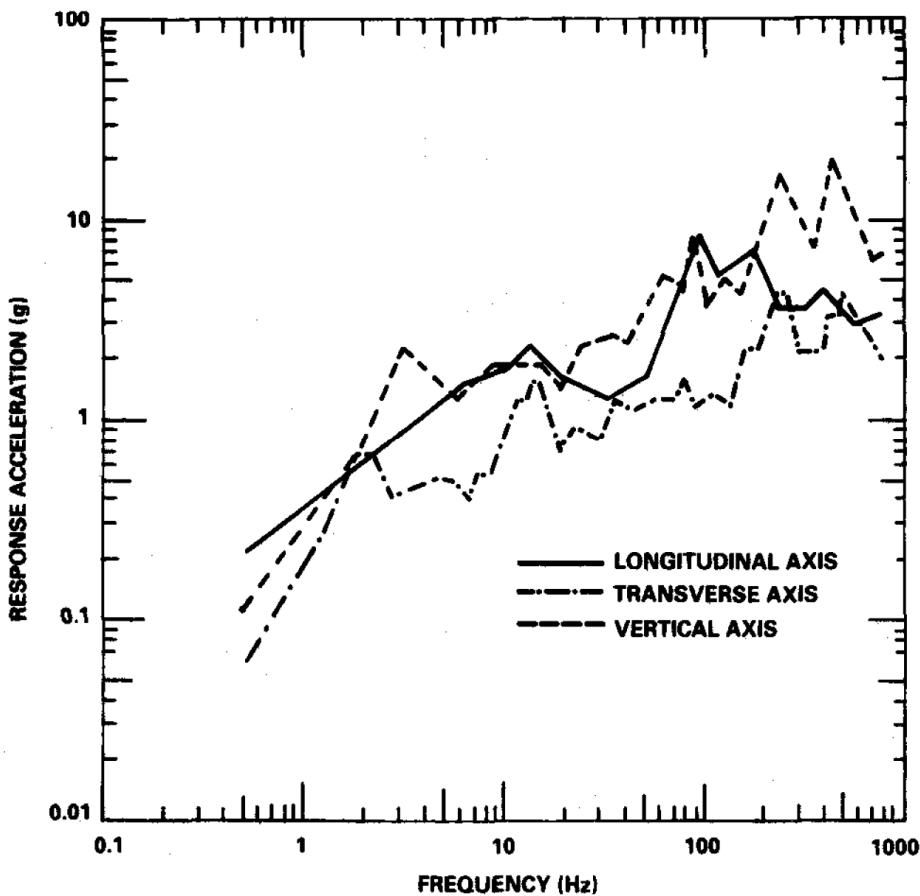
# MAXIMUM VERTICAL ACCELERATIONS FOR DIFFERENT SPEEDS



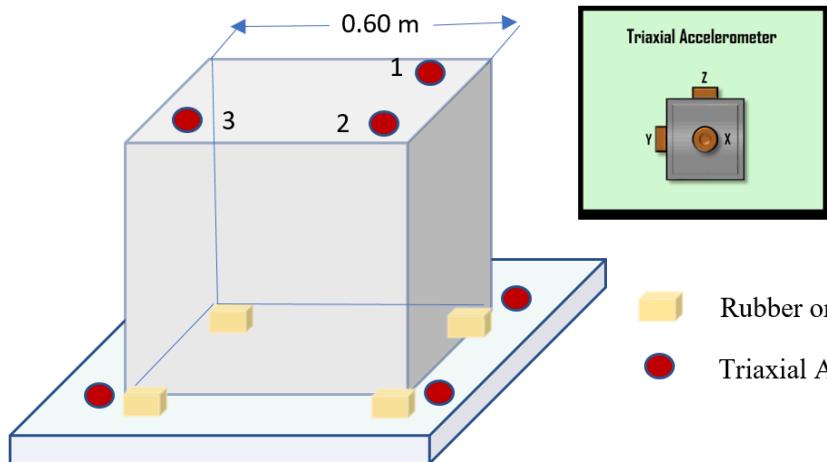
## ACCELERATION-STRAIN FOR THE MO ROD, SNL ASSEMBLY



# NUREG VERSUS NEW DATA



# SHAKER TABLE EXPERIMENT



- 2 tests with block on shaker table
- 2 tests with block on 4 rubber legs
- 2 tests with block on 4 plywood legs

## Steel Block

- Weight: 3,800 lb (1,723.65 kg)
- Dimensions:  
0.60m x 0.60m x 0.60m

## Legs

- Size: 5.16 cm x 5.16 cm,  
thickness 1.27 cm
- Material: rubber and plywood

## Frequency

- 2 g frequency sweep 1-100 Hz

## Leg Size Calculated From

- Transportation system weight: 149,000 kg (loaded cask, impact limiters, cradle and instrumentation box)
- Leg area in transportation test: 48cm x 48cm

## Approach

- Maintain same volume of compressed rubber/plywood in experiment as in transportation test