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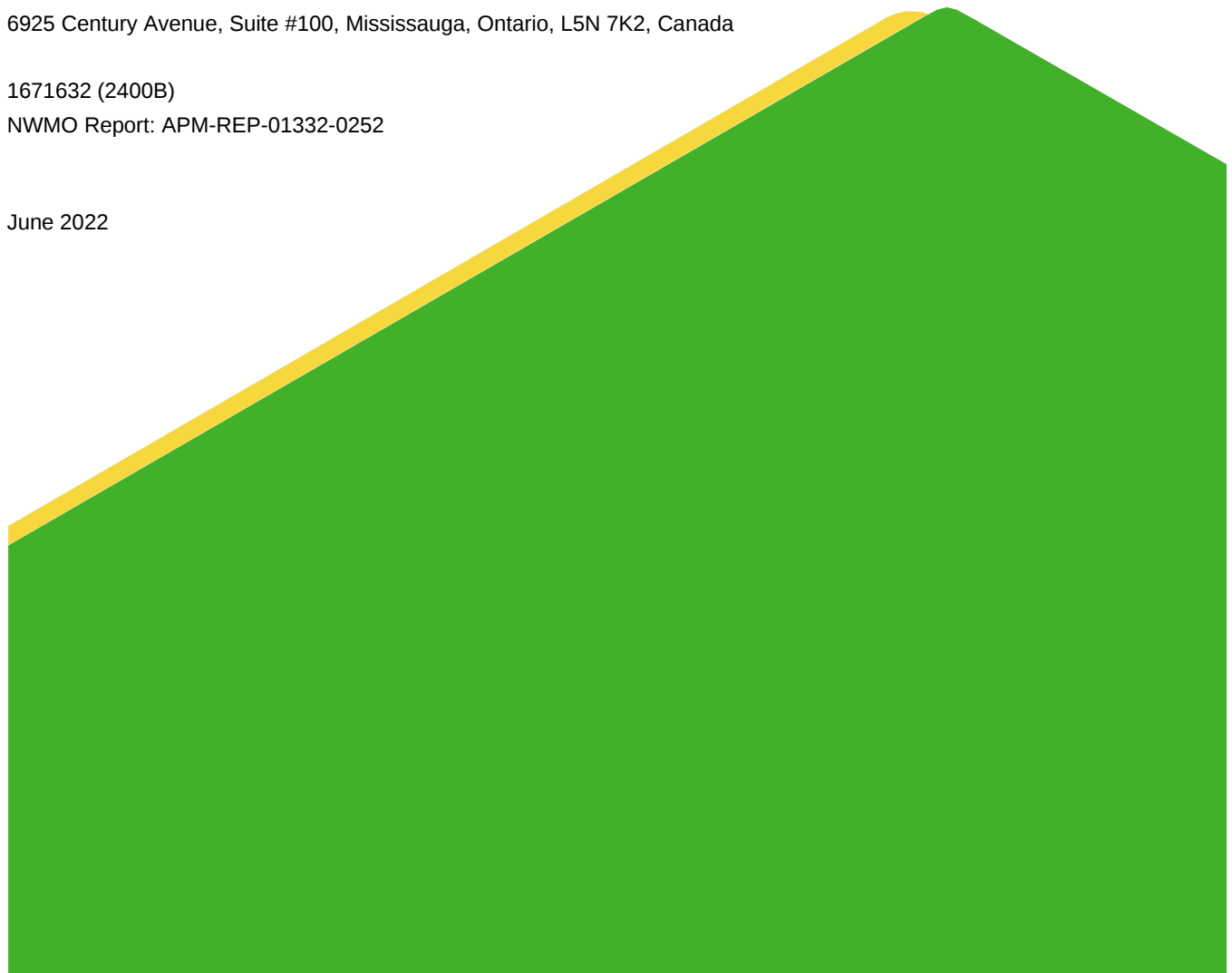
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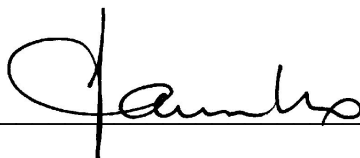
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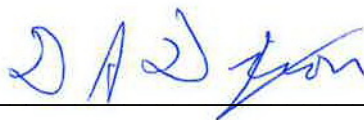
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1.0 INTRODUCTION

The Initial Borehole Drilling and Testing project in the Wabigoon and Ignace Area, Ontario is part of Phase 2 Geoscientific Preliminary Field Investigations of the NWMO's Adaptive Phased Management (APM) Site Selection Phase.

This project involves the drilling and testing of the first of three deep boreholes within the northern portion of the Revell batholith. The second drilled borehole, IG_BH03, is located a direct distance of approximately 21 km southeast of the Wabigoon Lake Ojibway Nation and a direct distance of 43 km northwest of the Town of Ignace. Access to the IG_BH03 drill site is via Highway 17 and primary logging roads, as shown on Figure 1.

The project was carried out by a team led by Golder Associates Ltd. (Golder) on behalf of the NWMO. The overall program is described in the Initial Borehole Characterization Plan (Golder 2018). This report describes the testing methodology and results for Work Package 4B (WP4B): Geomechanical Testing of Core for IG_BH03, which includes Uniaxial Compressive Strength tests (w/ elastic constants), Indirect Tensile (Brazilian) Strength tests, P-wave and S-wave ultrasonic pulse velocity, acoustic emissions (AE) measurements (on UCS tests) and Thermal testing comprising Thermal Conductivity, Thermal Diffusivity, Volumetric Heat Capacity, and Thermal Expansion. Wet and dry density and water content were measured for all tested samples.

2.0 BACKGROUND INFORMATION

2.1 Geological Setting

The approximately 2.7 billion year old Revell batholith is located in the western part of the Wabigoon Subprovince of the Archean Superior Province. The batholith is roughly elliptical in shape trending northwest, is approximately 40 km in length, 15 km in width, and covers an area of approximately 455 km². Based on geophysical modelling, the batholith is approximately 2 km to 3 km thick through the center of the northern portion (SGL 2015). The batholith is surrounded by supracrustal rocks of the Raleigh Lake (to the north and east) and Bending Lake (to the southwest) greenstone belts (Figure 2).

Borehole IG_BH03 is located within an investigation area of approximately 19 km² in size, situated in the northern portion of the Revell batholith. Bedrock exposure in the area is generally very good due to minimal overburden, few water bodies, and relatively recent logging activities. Ground elevations generally range from 400 to 450 m above sea level. The ground surface broadly slopes towards the northwest as indicated by the flow direction of the main rivers in the area. Local water courses tend to flow to the southwest towards Mennin Lake (Figure 1).

Four main rock units are identified in the supracrustal rock group: mafic metavolcanic rocks, intermediate to felsic metavolcanic rocks, metasedimentary rocks, and mafic intrusive rocks (Figure 2). Sedimentation within the supracrustal rock assemblage was largely synvolcanic, although sediment deposition in the Bending Lake area may have continued past the volcanic period (Stone 2009; Stone 2010a; Stone 2010b). All supracrustal rocks are affected, to varying degrees, by penetrative brittle-ductile to ductile deformation under greenschist- to amphibolite-facies metamorphic conditions (Blackburn and Hinz 1996; Stone et al. 1998). In some locations, primary features, such as pillow basalt or bedding in sedimentary rocks are preserved, in other locations, primary relationships are completely masked by penetrative deformation. Uranium-lead (U-Pb) geochronological analysis of the supracrustal rocks produced ages that range between 2734.6 $\pm$ 1.1 Ma and 2725 $\pm$ 5 Ma (Stone et al. 2010).

Three main suites of plutonic rock are recognized in the Revell batholith, including, from oldest to youngest: a Biotite Tonalite to Granodiorite suite, a Hornblende Tonalite to Granodiorite suite, and a Biotite Granite to Granodiorite suite (Figure 2). Plutonic rocks of the Biotite Tonalite to Granodiorite suite occur along the southwestern and northeastern margins of the Revell batholith. The principal type of rock within this suite is a white to grey, medium-grained, variably massive to foliated or weakly gneissic, biotite tonalite to granodiorite. One sample of foliated and medium-grained biotite tonalite produced a U-Pb age of 2734.2 ± 0.8 Ma (Stone et al. 2010). The Hornblende Tonalite to Granodiorite suite occurs in two irregularly-shaped zones surrounding the central core of the Revell batholith. Rocks of the Hornblende Tonalite to Granodiorite suite range compositionally from tonalite through granodiorite to granite and also include significant proportions of quartz diorite and quartz monzodiorite. One sample of coarse-grained grey mesocratic hornblende tonalite produced a U-Pb age of 2732.3 ± 0.8 Ma (Stone et al. 2010). Rocks of the Biotite Granite to Granodiorite suite underlie most of the northern, central and southern portions of the Revell batholith. Rocks of this suite are typically coarse-grained, massive to weakly foliated, and white to pink in colour. The Biotite Granite to Granodiorite suite ranges compositionally from granite through granodiorite to tonalite. A distinct potassium (K)-Feldspar Megacrystic Granite phase of the Biotite Granite to Granodiorite suite occurs as an oval-shaped body in the central portion of the Revell batholith (Figure 2). One sample of coarse-grained, pink, massive K-feldspar megacrystic biotite granite produced a U-Pb age of 2694.0 ± 0.9 Ma (Stone et al. 2010).

The bedrock surrounding IG_BH03 is composed mainly of massive to weakly foliated felsic intrusive rocks that vary in composition between granodiorite and tonalite, and together form a relatively homogeneous intrusive complex. Bedrock identified as tonalite transitions gradationally into granodiorite and no distinct contact relationships between these two rock types are typically observed (SRK and Golder 2015; Golder and PGW 2017). Massive to weakly foliated granite is identified at the ground surface to the northwest of the feldspar-megacrystic granite. The granite is observed to intrude into the granodiorite-tonalite bedrock, indicating it is distinct from, and younger than, the intrusive complex (Golder and PGW 2017).

West-northwest trending mafic dykes interpreted from aeromagnetic data extend across the northern portion of the Revell batholith and into the surrounding greenstone belts. One mafic dyke occurrence, located to the northwest of IG_BH01, is approximately 15-20 m wide (Figure 2). All of these mafic dykes have a similar character and are interpreted to be part of the Wabigoon dyke swarm. One sample from the same Wabigoon swarm produced a U-Pb age of 1887 ± 13 Ma (Stone et al. 2010), indicating that these mafic dykes are Proterozoic in age. It is assumed based on surface measurements that these mafic dykes are sub-vertical (Golder and PGW 2017).

Long, narrow valleys are located along the western and southern limits of the investigation area (Figure 1). These local valleys host creeks and small lakes that drain to the southwest and may represent the surface expression of structural features that extend into the bedrock. A broad valley is located along the eastern limits of the investigation area and hosts a more continuous, un-named water body that flows to the south. The linear and segmented nature of this waterbody's shorelines may also represent the surface expression of structural features that extend into the bedrock.

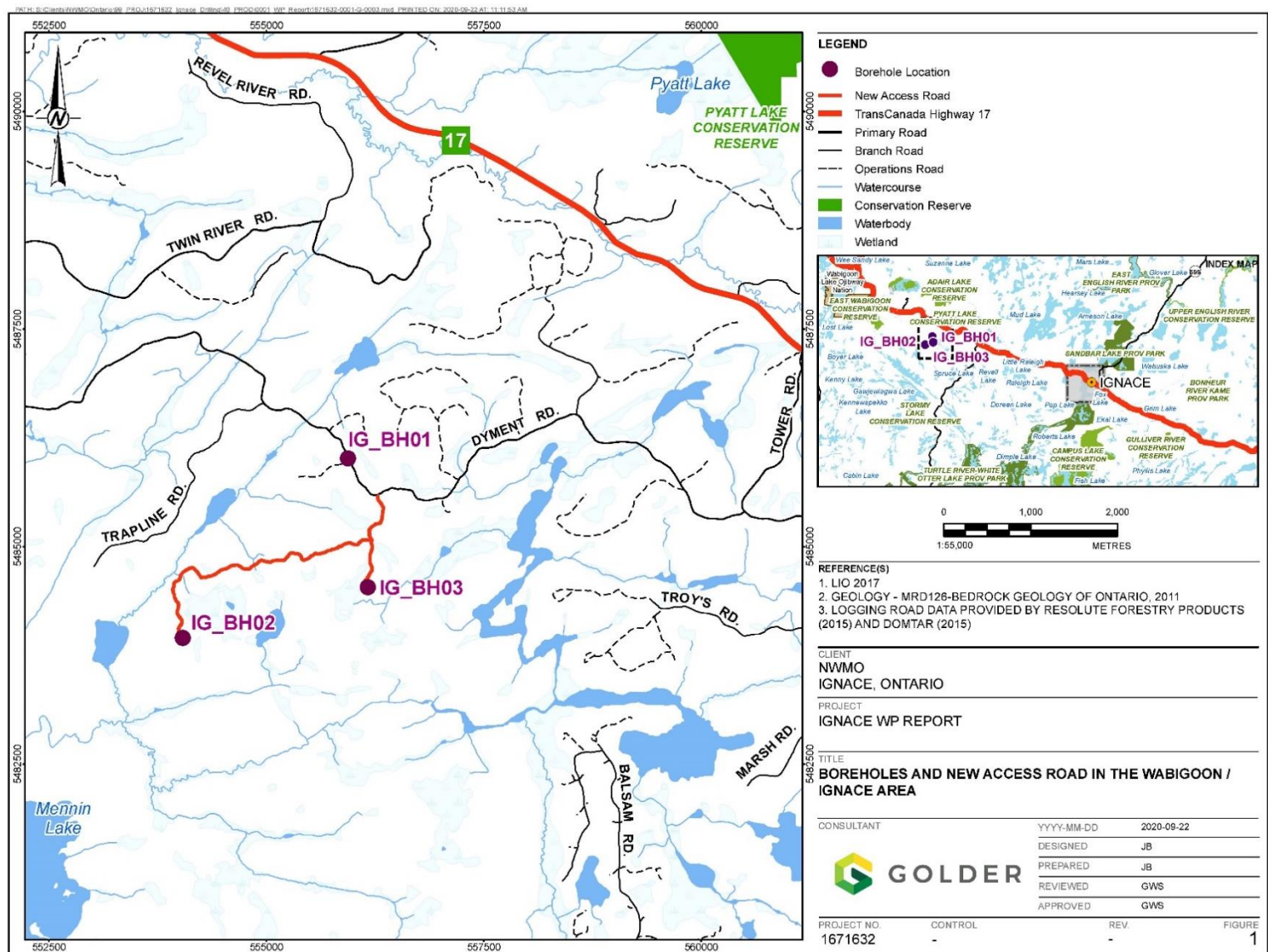


Figure 1: Location of IG_BH01, IG_BH02 and IG_BH03 in Relation to the Wabigoon / Ignace Area

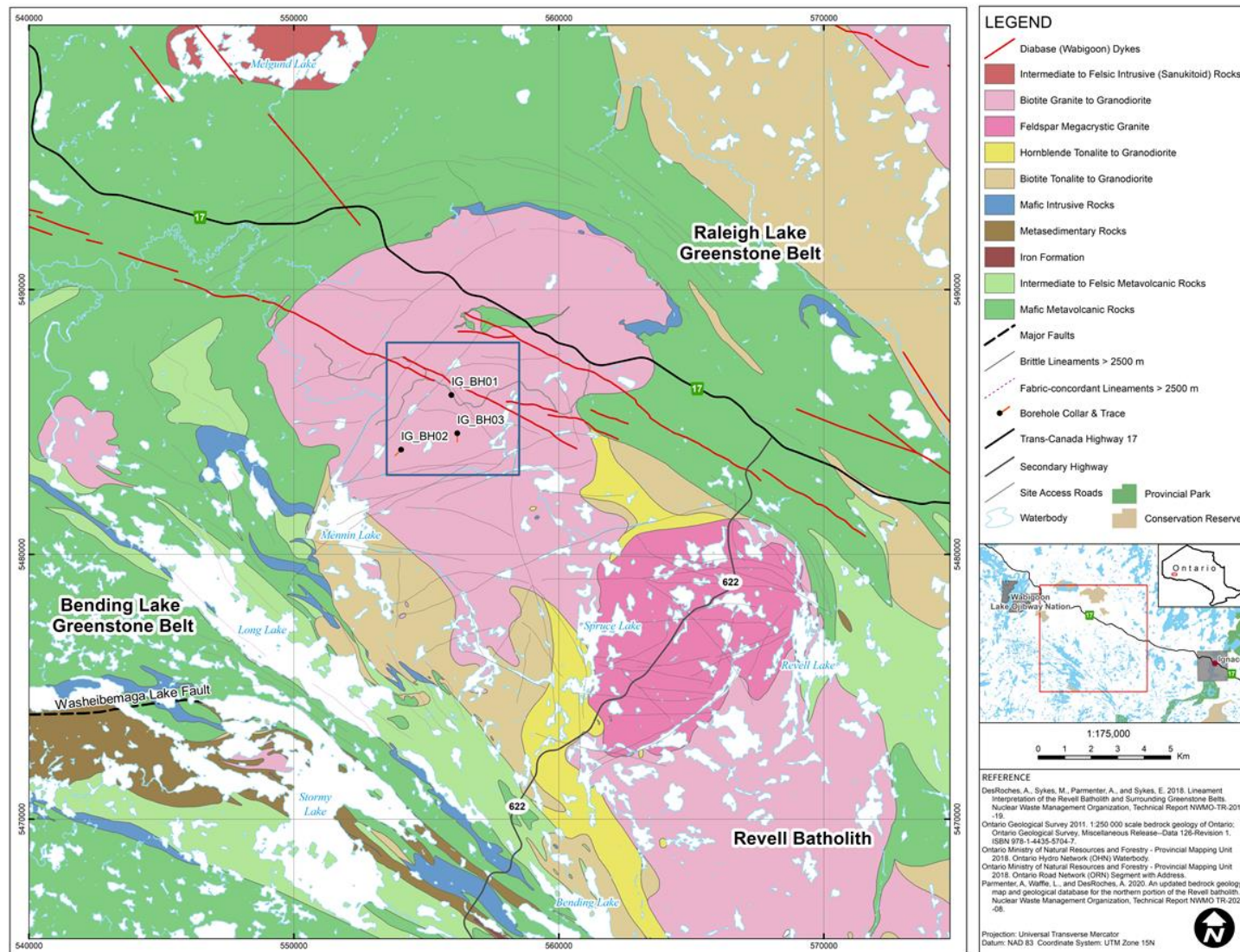


Figure 2: Geological setting and location of boreholes IG_BH01, IG_BH02 and IG_BH03 in the northern portion of the Revell batholith

Regional observations from mapping have indicated that structural features are widely spaced (typical 30 to 500 cm spacing range) and dominantly comprised of sub-vertical joints with two dominant orientations, northeast and northwest trending (Golder and PGW 2017). Interpreted bedrock lineaments generally follow these same dominant orientations in the northern portion of the Revell batholith (Figure 2; DesRoches et al. 2018). Minor sub-horizontal joints have been observed with minimal alteration, suggesting they are younger and perhaps related to glacial unloading. One mapped regional-scale fault, the Washeibemaga Lake fault, trends east and is located to the west of the Revell batholith (Figure 2). Additional details of the lithological units and structures found at surface within the investigation area are reported in Golder and PGW (2017).

2.2 Technical Objectives

The technical objective of the geomechanical laboratory testing and thermal testing program is to assess the key geomechanical and thermal properties of the crystalline host rock mainly within the repository horizon (presently assumed to be between depths of approximately 400 and 600 m) as well as a few samples from outside this horizon.

The testing was undertaken in more than one campaign, as follows:

- Campaign 1: During the drilling of IG_BH03, seven (7) samples were collected and preserved for UCS strength testing and were sent to the CANMET laboratory at the end of the drilling. Also, seven (7) samples were collected and preserved for Indirect Tensile (Brazilian) strength testing and were sent to the CAMNET laboratory for testing at the end of the drilling. Samples were tested in their natural water content state. Nine (9) samples were collected and preserved for thermal testing. Nine (9) thermal samples were tested for Thermal Conductivity, Thermal Diffusivity, and Volumetric Heat Capacity under as-received conditions. Thermal expansion tests deviated from the test plan and needed to be repeated. The thermal conductivity, thermal diffusivity and volumetric heat capacity samples were tested under as-received conditions when they should have been tested in dry conditions, according to the test plan. Therefore, a select few more samples would be also targeted for additional testing under dry conditions.
- Campaign 2: Due to unintentional deviations from the specifications set out in the test plan, that were identified following completion of the initial testing campaign, an additional nine (9) samples were selected for thermal testing. All nine (9) samples were tested for thermal expansion in re-saturated conditions, and a select five (5) samples were tested for thermal conductivity, thermal diffusivity and volumetric heat capacity in dry conditions.

Uniaxial Compressive Strength (UCS) testing of core samples were performed on seven (7) samples to determine the intact unconfined compressive strength and elastic properties (elastic moduli and Poisson's ratio) of the bedrock. Additional non-destructive testing/measurements for each UCS core sample included:

- Determination of water content and rock density;
- Determination of P-wave and S-wave ultrasonic pulse velocities and determination of ultrasonic elastic constants; and
- Monitoring and recording of incremental and cumulative acoustic emissions throughout each test.

Crack Initiation and Crack Damage stress levels were interpreted from the stress-strain curves for each test and compared to interpreted AE results for verification.

Indirect Tensile (Brazilian) Strength testing of core samples were performed on seven (7) samples (selected adjacent to the UCS samples) to determine the tensile strength of the rock.

Eighteen (18) samples were also selected for thermal property testing, including:

- Determination of volumetric heat capacity;
- Absolute thermal conductivity;
- Thermal diffusivity;
- Thermal expansion; and
- Determination of re-saturated water content, re-saturated and dry density

Initially (Campaign 1), the volumetric heat capacity, thermal conductivity and thermal diffusivity tests were completed on nine (9) samples under re-saturated conditions. An additional nine (9) samples were selected from the stored core; five (5) samples were tested under dry conditions for volumetric heat capacity, thermal conductivity and thermal diffusivity; all additional thirteen (9) samples were tested for thermal expansion under re-saturated conditions. Water content and rock density of test specimens sub-cored from all eighteen (18) samples were determined.

2.3 Description of Testing Procedures

The geomechanical testing program was carried out at the CANMET-MMSL rock mechanics testing facility located in Bells Corners (Ottawa), Ontario. Laboratory tests were carried out according to CANMET-MMSL's Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs), which follow ASTM standard test methods and ISRM suggested methods:

Preparation and Non-destructive Testing

- ASTM D4543-08 & ASTM D4543-19 Standard Practices for Preparing Rock Core as Cylindrical Test Specimens and Verifying Conformance to Dimensional and Shape Tolerances
- ASTM D2216-10 & ASTM D2216-19 Standard Test Methods for Laboratory Determination of Water (Moisture) Content of Soil and Rock by Mass
- ASTM D7263-09 (2018)^{e2}, Laboratory Determination of Density (Unit Weight) of Soil Specimens

UCS Testing and Elastic Parameters

- ASTM D7012-14^{e1} Standard Test Methods for Compressive Strength and Elastic Moduli of Intact Rock Core Specimens under Varying States of Stress and Temperatures
- ASTM D2845-08 Standard Test Method for Laboratory Determination of Pulse Velocities and Ultrasonic Elastic Constants of Rock. Note that ASTM D2845-08 has been withdrawn in 2017 without replacement. However, CANMET-MMSL methodology for this test still followed ASTM D2845-08 despite its withdrawal.

Indirect Tensile Strength Testing

- ASTM D3967-16 Standard Test Method for Splitting Tensile Strength of Intact Rock Core Specimens

The thermal testing program was carried out at the RESPEC testing facility located in Rapid City, South Dakota. Laboratory tests were carried out according to RESPEC's Standard Operating Procedures (SOPs), which follow ASTM standard test methods and ISO 22007 standard.

Preparation and Non-destructive Testing

RESPEC follows their internal Test Procedure 02 (TP-02, RSI Standard Procedure for Rock Specimen Preparation, Rev. 4) for sample preparation, which follow ASTM standard test methods:

- ASTM D2216-10 & ASTM D2216-19 Standard Test Methods for Laboratory Determination of Water (Moisture) Content of Soil and Rock by Mass
- ASTM D7263-09 (reapproved 2018)⁶², Laboratory Determination of Density (Unit Weight) of Soil

For the hot disk specimens which had to be stored between drying and testing, they were double bagged using Ziplock bags and were stored in a room subject to year-round air conditioning.

For the thermal expansion specimens which had to be stored between saturating and testing, they were placed in Ziplock bags with excess water. Specimens were periodically checked to ensure that moist surface conditions were maintained.

Thermal Conductivity, Specific Heat and Thermal Diffusivity

Thermal testing was conducted on full-diameter size core (61 mm). The ends of the specimens are either ground flat in the surface grinder or finished in the lathe depending on the type of rock. The following standard applies:

- ISO 22007-2: 2015(E) Determination of thermal conductivity and thermal diffusivity Part 2: Transient plane heat source (hot disc) method.

Thermal Expansion

Thermal expansion testing was conducted on samples sub-cored to 32 mm (1.25") diameter. Thermal expansion testing was conducted on saturated samples. Re-saturation for all non-preserved samples preceded thermal expansion testing.

- ASTM D4535-13⁶¹ & ASTM D4535-13⁶², Standard Test Methods for Measurement of Thermal Expansion of Rock Using Dilatometer – Method A (unconfined).

2.4 Test Apparatus and Procedures

2.4.1 Sample Preparation

Preparation of cylindrical specimens for UCS tests, and verification of conformance to dimensional and shape tolerances were done according to the ASTM D4543-19 standard test method. Fresh water was used for cutting and end preparation. Specimen ends were ground flat to within 0.025 mm and parallel to each other as specified by the ASTM standard test method for a loading system with fixed platens.

Specimen dimensions, i.e., average length and diameter, were measured to the nearest 0.01 mm. Cross-sectional area and volume were determined. Specimens were weighted to the nearest 0.1 g, and density was computed to the nearest 0.01 g/cm³ as well. Zero-pressure P- and S-wave velocities were also measured.

Specimens with a nominal thickness-to-diameter ratio of 0.66 were prepared to carry out splitting tensile (Brazilian) tests.

2.4.2 Uniaxial Compressive Strength (UCS) Tests

UCS tests were carried out using a computer-controlled, servo-hydraulic MTS Rock Mechanics Testing System, Model 815, consisting of a 2.6 MN rated capacity load cell, the load frame itself, the hydraulic power supply, and digital controllers and test software to control experiments. Displacements were converted into strains taking into account the specific dimensions of each test specimen. UCS test specimens were covered by a thin Teflon heat shrink jacket prior the beginning of the test to protect the instrumentation and avoid the projection of fragments, especially when testing brittle materials. Test specimens were loaded up to failure at constant axial displacement rate, e.g., controlled strain rate, equal to 0.0009 mm/sec for 60 mm (nominal) OD specimens, with failure expected between 5 and 10 minutes after the beginning of loading for UCS tests, in accordance with the requirements of the ASTM D7012 standard test method for UCS tests. All data, e.g., time, axial load, axial stress, and axial and circumferential displacements, were sampled and recorded every 0.2 second over the whole test duration, and converted into engineering units afterwards, i.e., conversion of loads and displacements into stresses and strains, respectively.

2.4.2.1 Acoustic Emissions (AE) Data Acquisition

Acoustic emissions were recorded during UCS tests. The system used was a Pocket AE-2™ system manufactured by Physical Acoustics Corporation (PAC). This system is a dual channel 18-bit system connected to Pico™ sensors with a frequency range of 200-750 kHz and a sampling rate of 20 Ms/sec.

Two sensors were fixed on opposite sides of UCS test specimens, at 180 degrees from each other, one sensor being fixed 3 cm above the specimen mid-section, and the second sensor 3 cm below the mid-section, so these were not interfering with the movement of the MTS chain extensometer. Acoustic emission data were recorded systematically. Main features recorded were the number of emissions (or hits) and the waveform signal.

2.4.3 Indirect Tensile Strength (Brazilian) Tests

Tests were performed on the same system used for the UCS testing, but with a smaller load cell for higher accuracy, e.g., a rated capacity of 500 kN. Test specimens were loaded diametrically at a constant load rate of 0.10 kN/sec, with breakage expected sometime between two and five minutes after the beginning of the test. Tests were carried out in conformity with the requirements of the ASTM D3967-16 standard test method for indirect tensile (Brazilian) strength tests. All test data, i.e., time, diametrical load, tensile stress and vertical displacement (Ram LVDT), were recorded every 0.2 seconds over the whole test duration.

2.4.4 Water Content and Density Measurements

The samples were measured and weighed before testing. After testing, they were weighed and placed in the oven to start the drying process. Because of the destructive nature of the UCS and Brazilian tests, there is a possibility that some of the sample material may be lost during testing, which will make it difficult to know the exact volume of the sample after the test. Due to the lower porosity of the rock samples from IG_BH03, any loss, however small, can have a significant effect in the determination of the water content and dry density. Therefore, the more

precise way to determine the dry density for samples undergoing destructive testing is using the bulk density and the measured water content.

The density of the bulk samples, as received, is calculated as follows:

Volume of the prepared sample = V

Mass of the prepared sample = M

$$\rho_{\text{bulk}} = \frac{M}{V}$$

The water content of the sample is calculated as follows:

Mass of the sample after testing (initial mass before drying) = M_{init}

Mass of the sample after drying = M_{dry}

$$w = \frac{M_{\text{init}} - M_{\text{dry}}}{M_{\text{dry}}}$$

Calculation of the sample dry density:

$$\rho_{\text{dry}} = \frac{\rho_{\text{bulk}}}{1 + w}$$

Note that when no material is lost, and the mass and volume after the test have not changed, the dry density reverts to

$$\rho_{\text{dry}} = \frac{M_{\text{dry}}}{V}$$

2.4.5 Thermal Conductivity, Volumetric Heat Capacity and Thermal Diffusivity

Thermal conductivity, volumetric heat capacity and thermal diffusivity were measured both in as-received (9 samples) and dry conditions (5 samples). Samples tested in the dry state were dried in temperatures not exceeding 80°C prior to testing; after testing, samples were further dried following the same procedure provided for water content measurements described above to a precision not less than 0.01% of the initial sample weight.

Testing was performed using a Thermtest TPS 1500 that heats and measures the thermal gradient across an area. The Transient Plane Source (TPS) sensor was placed between two pieces of material to be measured, each with plane surfaces facing the sensor. The solution to the thermal conductivity equation assumes the sensor is in an infinite medium, so the measurement and subsequent analysis of data must account for the limitation created by the outer boundaries of the material. The TPS sensor contains both a heating element and a temperature measuring sensor. A known amount of power is supplied to the heater for a set amount of time. The temperature gradient is measured as it spreads out from the heat source. From these data, the thermal analyzer can determine the thermal conductivity, volumetric heat capacity and thermal diffusivity.

Thermal conductivity, volumetric heat capacity and thermal diffusivity were measured between room temperature (25°C) and 300°C in 10 temperature intervals for the nine (9) samples tested under as-received water content conditions. The first temperature interval was 15°C and the subsequent intervals were 30°C (Campaign 1). For the five (5) samples tested under dry conditions, five (5) measurements were made between room temperature and 90°C during heating and a repeat measurement during cooling at 60°C followed the heating schedule shown in Table 1 (Campaign 2).

Table 1: Target Temperature Schedule for Hot Disk Tests

Data Point	Target Temperature	Comments
1	20 – 25°C	Room temperature
2	40°C	
3	60°C	
4	80°C	
5	90°C	
6	60°C	Repeat measurement during cooling

2.4.6 Thermal Expansion

Thermal expansion was measured using a Unitherm 1054L apparatus that has been updated to allow automatic control and temperatures ranging from 25°C to 300°C. Tests were performed using a push-rod dilatometer and heating element. The dilatometer system is capable of testing two specimens simultaneously. The test setup is described as unconfined and uniaxial because the specimen is subjected only to atmospheric pressure and deformation is only measured in the axial direction of the specimen.

Thermal expansion was measured between room temperature and 90°C, for the nine (9) re-saturated samples (Campaign 2) following the target temperature schedule shown in Table 2. Two heating-cooling paths were followed with five (5) measurements during heating and a measurement at 60°C during cooling. The rate of heating/cooling between target temperatures did not exceed 1°C/min. A target rate of heating/cooling of 0.5 °C/min was used to ensure that the maximum rate of 1°C/min was not exceeded due to temperature fluctuations. Compliance with this requirement has been demonstrated graphically by plotting temperature rate vs time and included in the metadata deliverable.

Table 2: Target Temperature Schedule for Thermal Expansion Tests

Data Point	Target Temperature	Comments
1	20 – 25°C (room temp)	1 st Heating Path
2	40°C	
3	60°C	
4	80°C	
5	90°C	
6	60°C	1 st Cooling Path
7	20 – 25°C (room temp)	
8	40°C	2 nd Heating Path
9	60°C	
10	80°C	
11	90°C	
12	60°C	2 nd Cooling Path
13	20 – 25°C (room temp)	

2.5 Analysis of Data

2.5.1 Zero Pressure P-S Wave Velocity Tests

P (compressive) and S (shear) wave velocities are determined from the time taken by a sinusoidal wave to travel across the test specimen along its longitudinal axis. P and S wave velocities were determined for all UCS specimens prepared for the test program. Dynamic elastic constants are calculated by the following expressions:

$$E_D = \frac{\rho V_S^2 (3V_P^2 - 4V_S^2)}{V_P^2 - V_S^2}$$

$$G_D = \rho V_S^2$$

$$\nu_D = \frac{V_P^2 - 2V_S^2}{2(V_P^2 - V_S^2)}$$

where:

E_D – dynamic Young’s modulus

G_D – dynamic shear modulus

ν_D – dynamic Poisson’s ratio

V_P – compressive (P) wave velocity

V_S – shear (S) wave velocity

ρ – density

2.5.2 Uniaxial Compressive Strength (UCS) Tests

Raw original data recorded during uniaxial compression tests consist of axial load, and axial and circumferential displacements. Axial displacements are corrected for the compression of steel platens, between which displacements are measured, and the circumferential displacement is corrected for the gap between the measuring chain-extensometer and the specimen side. Engineering stresses and strains are computed using the following formulas:

$$\sigma_1 = \frac{P}{A_0}$$

$$\varepsilon_A = \frac{\Delta L}{L_0}$$

$$\varepsilon_C = \frac{\Delta D}{D_0}$$

where:

σ_1 – axial stress

P – axial load

A_0 – initial cross-sectional area of the specimen

ε_A – axial strain

ε_C – circumferential strain

ΔL – change in specimen length

L_0 – specimen length

ΔD – change in specimen circumference

D_0 – specimen circumference

The volumetric strain (ε_V) is defined by the following expression:

$$\varepsilon_V = \varepsilon_A + 2\varepsilon_C$$

The uniaxial compressive strength (UCS) was determined for all UCS tests carried out during the test program. The Young's modulus (E_{40}) was determined at a nominal stress level of 40% of the UCS, as the slope of the linear regression line through axial stress-axial strain data points over 30-50% of the axial stress interval. The Poisson's ratio (ν_{40}) was determined as the negative of the slope of the linear regression line through circumferential strain-axial strain data points, averaged over the same axial stress interval. Strength is given by the following expression:

$$UCS = \frac{P_C}{A_0}$$

where:

UCS – uniaxial compressive strength

P_C – ultimate axial load on the specimen at failure

As mentioned, strain data are obtained from displacements measured with the mechanical sensors, e.g., axial LVDTs and MTS circumferential chain-extensometer.

The crack damage threshold, σ_{CD} , has been interpreted in this report as the stress level at which the volumetric strain, ε_V , reaches its maximum and starts reversing direction, i.e., the inflexion point on the σ_1 – ε_V graph, hence indicating dilation due to the formation and growth of unstable cracks. Theoretically, it is assumed that the progressive fracturing process starts above the crack damage threshold, leading to the failure of the rock material (Ghazvinian et al., 2012).

The crack initiation threshold, σ_{CI} , has been interpreted in this report as the stress level at which the crack volumetric strain, ε_{VC} , reaches its maximum and starts reversing direction, i.e., the inflection point on the σ_1 – ε_{VC} graph, hence indicating a departure from elasticity, and the development and growth of stable cracks. The crack volumetric strain, ε_{VC} , is determined by the difference between the volumetric strain, ε_V , and the elastic volumetric strain, ε_{VE} , recorded during UCS tests assuming a perfectly linear elastic material, following these expressions:

$$\varepsilon_{VC} = \varepsilon_V - \varepsilon_{VE}$$

$$\varepsilon_{VE} = \frac{1 - 2\nu_{40}}{E_{40}} \sigma_1$$

2.5.3 Acoustic Emissions Data

The counts per time period and cumulative counts per time period of AE hits for each specimen are provided in Appendix B. Recording of the acoustic emissions may not start at the same time as the recording of the strains; therefore, the two records (strains and AE) are time-matched at the peak stress in order to compare the time (and stress) of the crack initiation process. Crack initiation is defined at the time that systematic cracking develops (not the first crack) which can be identified as the change in the slope of the cumulative energy graph. Crack damage starts when individual cracks start to coalesce and create a localized feature; this threshold can be more difficult to identify in the AE data. The data was also provided in raw digital format, which allowed plotting the graphs for

cumulative energy vs axial stress in a log-log scale. Figure 3 shows the log-log plot of cumulative energy vs axial stress for sample IG_BH03_UC002.

The AE records seem to suggest different C_i values, although the interpretation can be somewhat subjective. For this reason, the interpretation from the UCS crack volumetric strain is more reliable. Plots of cumulative energy vs axial stress for all the samples are included in APPENDIX B.

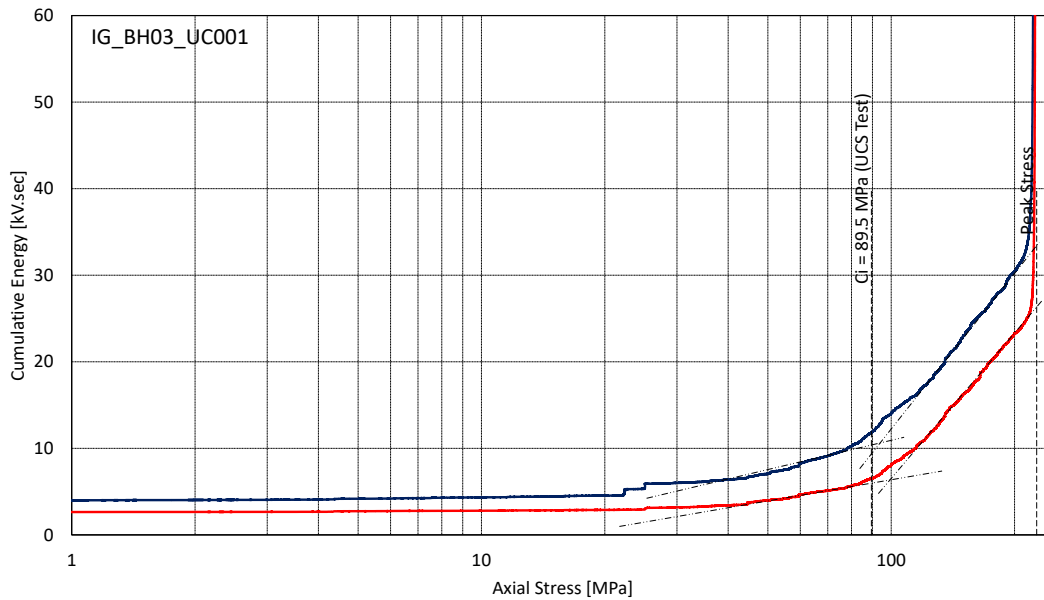


Figure 3: Cumulative energy (in kilovolt.sec) versus axial stress (MPa) measured during UCS testing of sample IG_BH03-UC001 in a log-log scale

2.5.4 Indirect Tensile (Brazilian) Strength Tests

The indirect tensile (Brazilian) strength of a test specimen at failure, σ_T , is given by the following expression:

$$\sigma_T = \frac{2P}{\pi DT}$$

where:

σ_T – tensile strength

P – diametrical load on the specimen at failure

D – diameter of the specimen

T – thickness of the specimen

2.5.5 Thermal Conductivity, Volumetric Heat Capacity and Thermal Diffusivity

The thermal conductivity, k , volumetric heat capacity, C_V , and thermal diffusivity, κ , for each sample were measured at the following 11 temperatures using a Thermtest TPS 1500 for the nine (9) samples tested under as-received water content conditions (Campaign 1):

25°C, 40°C, 70°C, 100°C, 129°C, 159°C, 188°C, 218°C, 247°C, 277°C, and 295°C.

The five (5) samples tested in a dry state were subjected to the heating cycle shown in Table 1.

The thermal diffusivity, κ , can be calculated at each temperature from the thermal conductivity, k , and the volumetric heat capacity, C_V , according to the following relationship:

$$\kappa = \frac{k}{C_V}$$

This relationship provides a check on the results reported by the Thermtest TPS 1500.

If the specific heat, c , is required, it can be obtained from the volumetric heat capacity by dividing it by the density, ρ :

$$c = \frac{C_V}{\rho}$$

2.5.6 Thermal Expansion

The coefficient of linear thermal expansion, α for the seven (7) samples tested in a dry state was measured throughout the heating cycles shown in Table 2.

The displacement measured by the LVDT includes the expansion of sample as well as the components of the apparatus; therefore, it needs to be corrected. Primary machine components that affect measurements are the push rods and the specimen holders. Displacement measurements are referenced to the top of the specimen holders (see Figure 4). The lengthening of the specimen holders is greater than the lengthening of the push rods because they are made from the same material, but the holders are longer; therefore, the LVDTs under-register the specimen displacement.

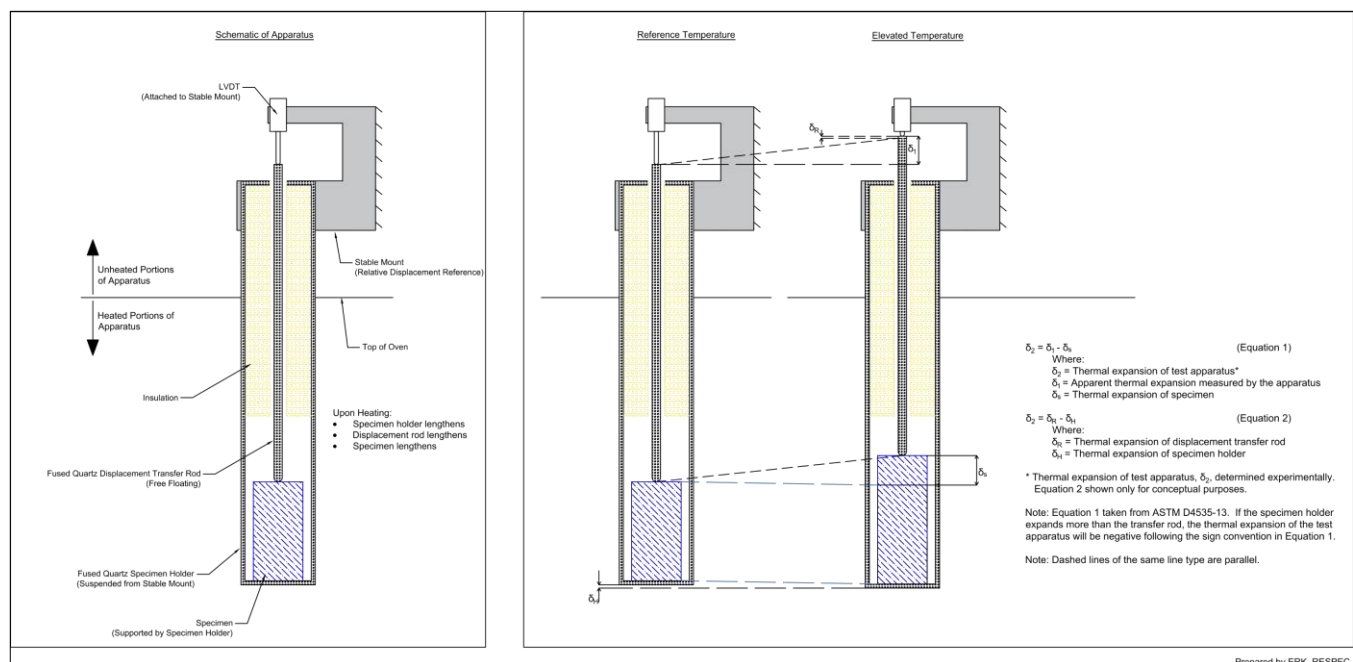


Figure 4: Schematic of the thermal expansion apparatus and components of the displacement correction.

3.0 LABORATORY RESULTS

3.1 Dimensions and Physical Properties of Specimens

The specimen number, top of specimen depth, rock type (according to terminology adopted in WP10 – Golder 2022), specimen dimensions, mass, bulk density (as received), dry density, and water content for all laboratory specimens are shown in Table 3.

Table 3: Dimensions and Physical Properties of Lab Specimens

Sample ID	Depth (mbgs) ¹	Rock Type	Testing Campaign	Diameter (mm)	Length (mm)	L:D Ratio	Mass (g)	Bulk Density ² (g/cm ³)	Dry Density (g/cm ³)	Water Content ² (%)
IG_BH03_UC001	415.99	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	1	60.78	137.00	2.25	1062.20	2.67	2.67	0.18
IG_BH03_UC002	455.15	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	1	60.79	137.01	2.25	1064.25	2.68	2.67	0.17
IG_BH03_UC003	494.50	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	1	60.65	137.00	2.26	1057.80	2.67	2.67	0.13
IG_BH03_UC004	540.19	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	1	60.72	137.01	2.26	1060.86	2.67	2.67	0.15
IG_BH03_UC005	552.67	Amphibolite	1	60.83	137.01	2.25	1189.68	2.99	2.99	0.04
IG_BH03_UC006	582.55	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	1	60.77	137.00	2.25	1065.21	2.68	2.68	0.14
IG_BH03_UC007	662.59	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	1	60.79	137.00	2.25	1064.85	2.68	2.68	0.12
IG_BH03_BR001	416.20	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	1	60.83	40.01	0.66	310.09	2.67	2.66	0.15
IG_BH03_BR002	455.42	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	1	60.82	40.01	0.66	310.90	2.67	2.67	0.12
IG_BH03_BR003	494.73	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	1	60.67	40.01	0.66	308.93	2.67	2.67	0.10
IG_BH03_BR004	540.42	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	1	60.72	39.98	0.66	309.74	2.68	2.67	0.13
IG_BH03_BR005	551.80	Amphibolite	1	60.89	39.97	0.66	345.90	2.97	2.97	0.08
IG_BH03_BR006	582.82	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	1	60.78	40.00	0.66	310.77	2.68	2.67	0.13

Sample ID	Depth (mbgs) ¹	Rock Type	Testing Campaign	Diameter (mm)	Length (mm)	L:D Ratio	Mass (g)	Bulk Density ² (g/cm ³)	Dry Density (g/cm ³)	Water Content ² (%)
IG_BH03_BR007	662.81	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	1	60.80	40.00	0.66	311.33	2.68	2.68	0.08
IG_BH03_TH001 ^{3,4,7}	304.71 304.75	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	1	60.92 60.92	37.19 37.99	N/A	288.23 294.35	2.66 2.66	2.65 2.65	0.16 0.17
IG_BH03_TH002 ^{3,4,7}	358.94 358.98	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	1	61.03 61.03	39.13 33.55	N/A	303.87 270.64	2.65 2.76	2.65 2.76	0.05 0.06
IG_BH03_TH003 ^{3,4,7}	416.43 416.47	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	1	60.94 60.93	37.64 37.00	N/A	291.57 286.38	2.66 2.65	2.65 2.65	0.11 0.11
IG_BH03_TH004 ^{3,4,7}	454.06 454.10	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	1	60.84 60.86	36.64 37.19	N/A	282.62 287.26	2.65 2.66	2.65 2.65	0.12 0.13
IG_BH03_TH005 ^{3,4,7}	495.01 495.05	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	1	60.81 60.80	38.02 36.87	N/A	293.45 284.72	2.66 2.66	2.65 2.66	0.14 0.13
IG_BH03_TH006 ^{3,4,7}	539.12 539.16	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	1	60.86 60.74	36.96 37.27	N/A	285.99 288.44	2.66 2.67	2.66 2.67	0.14 0.15
IG_BH03_TH007 ^{3,4,7}	548.19 548.23	Amphibolite	1	60.85 60.83	38.34 37.21	N/A	326.75 318.35	2.93 2.94	2.93 2.94	0.04 0.04
IG_BH03_TH008 ^{3,4,7}	581.86 581.90	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	1	60.94 60.95	34.58 37.36	N/A	267.97 289.50	2.66 2.66	2.65 2.65	0.08 0.09
IG_BH03_TH009 ^{3,4,7}	800.64 800.68	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	1	61.04 61.03	35.61 37.25	N/A	277.80 290.40	2.67 2.66	2.66 2.66	0.18 0.18
IG_BH03_TH011 ^{4,6}	359.31 359.35	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	2	61.03 61.03	34.20 34.01	N/A	265.25 ⁸ 264.43 ⁸	- 2.66	2.65 2.66	- -
IG_BH03_TH014 ^{4,6}	495.54 495.58	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	2	60.80 60.80	33.78 34.24	N/A	260.31 ⁸ 263.59 ⁸	- 2.65	2.65 2.65	- -
IG_BH03_TH016 ^{4,6}	548.79 548.83	Amphibolite	2	60.86 60.89	35.43 36.20	N/A	304.42 ⁸ 309.88 ⁸	- 2.94	2.95 2.94	- -

Sample ID	Depth (mbgs) ¹	Rock Type	Testing Campaign	Diameter (mm)	Length (mm)	L:D Ratio	Mass (g)	Bulk Density ² (g/cm ³)	Dry Density (g/cm ³)	Water Content ² (%)
IG_BH03_TH017 ^{4,6}	582.25 582.29	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	2	60.95 60.95	35.60 35.11	N/A	275.93 ⁸ 272.28 ⁸	-	2.66 2.66	-
IG_BH03_TH018 ^{4,6}	801.04 801.08	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	2	61.04 61.05	35.39 35.89	N/A	275.30 ⁸ 279.02 ⁸	-	2.66 2.66	-
IG_BH03_TH001 ³	304.79	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	1	30.11	79.26	N/A	150.18	2.66	2.66	0.21
IG_BH03_TH002 ³	359.04	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	1	29.90	79.02	N/A	147.19	2.65	2.65	0.17
IG_BH03_TH003 ³	416.51	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	1	29.91	79.38	N/A	147.63	2.65	2.64	0.22
IG_BH03_TH004 ³	454.14	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	1	29.97	79.64	N/A	149.40	2.66	2.65	0.19
IG_BH03_TH005 ³	495.09	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	1	30.00	79.53	N/A	149.84	2.67	2.66	0.31
IG_BH03_TH006 ³	539.20	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	1	29.63	79.46	N/A	144.37	2.63	2.63	0.11
IG_BH03_TH007 ³		Amphibolite	1	Broken during preparation						
IG_BH03_TH008 ³	581.95	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	1	30.08	79.33	N/A	150.03	2.66	2.66	0.20
IG_BH03_TH009 ³	800.72	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	1	30.01	79.51	N/A	149.44	2.66	2.65	0.09
IG_BH03_TH010 ^{5,6}	304.96	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	2	31.37	79.41	N/A	163.07	2.66	2.65	0.17
IG_BH03_TH011 ^{5,6}	359.20	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	2	31.48	79.42	N/A	164.36	2.66	2.65	0.14

Sample ID	Depth (mbgs) ¹	Rock Type	Testing Campaign	Diameter (mm)	Length (mm)	L:D Ratio	Mass (g)	Bulk Density ² (g/cm ³)	Dry Density (g/cm ³)	Water Content ² (%)
IG_BH03_TH012 ^{5,6}	416.93	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	2	31.53	79.28	N/A	164.59	2.66	2.65	0.17
IG_BH03_TH013 ^{5,6}	454.64	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	2	31.20	79.28	N/A	161.31	2.66	2.66	0.22
IG_BH03_TH014 ^{5,6}	495.43	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	2	31.38	79.20	N/A	162.59	2.66	2.65	0.17
IG_BH03_TH015 ^{5,6}	538.74	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	2	31.15	79.27	N/A	161.03	2.67	2.66	0.18
IG_BH03_TH016 ^{5,6}	548.68	Amphibolite	2	31.27	78.83	N/A	179.14	2.96	2.96	0.1
IG_BH03_TH017 ^{5,6}	582.14	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	2	31.58	79.35	N/A	165.84	2.67	2.66	0.18
IG_BH03_TH018 ^{5,6}	800.93	Biotite Granodiorite-tonalite	2	31.39	79.53	N/A	163.96	2.67	2.66	0.16

¹Top depth of prepared sub-sample (depth along borehole)

²Water Content and Bulk Density represent as-received conditions for preserved samples and re-saturated conditions for unpreserved samples. For water content measurement, specimens were oven-dried in accordance with ASTM D2216-19.

³Preserved samples tested under as-received water content conditions. (. Wet mass reported. Bulk density represents wet density. Water content represents as-received water content.

⁴Samples for thermal diffusivity, thermal conductivity, and heat capacity (two disks).

⁵Samples for thermal expansion.

⁶Unpreserved samples. Samples were dried at 80°C before testing and at 110°C after testing.

⁷Samples were heated to about 295°C during testing (the data corresponding to 99°C to 295°C are not presented here).

⁸Dry mass reported.

3.2 Laboratory Testing Results

3.2.1 Geomechanical Results

Table 4 shows a summary of the average strength properties for the Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite determined from the current testing program. Table 5 presents the results of the UCS testing. P and S wave velocities are shown in Table 6 along the derived dynamic elastic moduli. Table 7 presents the results of the Brazilian testing.

Table 4: Average strength properties and elastic moduli for Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite in the borehole

Rock Type	UCS (MPa)	σ_{CI} (MPa)	σ_{CD} (MPa)	σ_T (MPa)	E_{40} (GPa)	ν_{40}
Average	231.2	92.2	174.5	11.2	71.9	0.180
Std. Dev.	4.76	3.73	6.45	1.05	2.79	0.032

The results of the six UCS tests on Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite are very consistent and within the range of expected values. The average value for the UCS is 230 MPa (min = 226 MPa; max = 238 MPa). All specimens reached peak strength at an axial strain between 0.37% and 0.41%. Stress-strain graphs and photographs of intact and broken test specimens are shown in APPENDIX A.

Crack Damage (CD) and Crack Initiation (CI) thresholds, or stress levels, determined for all UCS tests carried out during the test program are shown in Table 5. Both crack initiation and crack damage thresholds (σ_{CI} and σ_{CD}) are well correlated with the UCS. Volumetric strain graphs were plotted against the axial stress, σ_1 . These are presented in APPENDIX A, adjacent to stress-strain graphs and photographs of all intact and broken test specimens.

The following average relationships were obtained for the Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite:

$$\sigma_{CI} = 0.40 \times UCS$$

$$\sigma_{CD} = 0.76 \times UCS$$

The results of the indirect tensile (Brazilian) strength tests on Biotite Tonalite are also quite consistent, with an average value for the tensile strength (σ_T) of 11.2 MPa. Load-time and stress-displacement graphs, and photographs of all intact and broken test specimens are shown in APPENDIX C. The relationship between the Brazilian tensile strength and the UCS is as follows:

$$\sigma_T = 0.049 \times UCS$$

The correlation observed between the Young's modulus (E_{40}) and the UCS, both expressed in MPa, is as follows:

$$E_{40} = 311 \times UCS$$

This relationship fits in well with the expected values for granitic rocks (Hoek and Diederichs, 2006). The estimates of elastic moduli from the bench top dynamic testing are about 20% lower than those obtained from the UCS testing. This can be explained by the fact that the samples are in a stress-free state and open micro cracks would yield slower velocities than under a compressed state.

Table 5: Strength and Strain properties determined from UCS tests

Sample ID	Depth (m) ¹	Date Tested	UCS (MPa)	Young's Modulus (GPa)	Poisson's ratio	Axial Strain @ peak (%)	Max. Vol. Strain (%)	Crack Initiation Threshold (MPa)	Crack Damage Threshold (MPa)	Description of Failure Mode ²
IG_BH03_UC001	415.99	12/11/2019	226.5	70.4	0.133	0.398	0.102	-	176.2	Massive axial splitting
IG_BH03_UC002	455.15	13/11/2019	225.6	75.8	0.210	0.374	0.173	87.0	178.4	Multiple massive shear
IG_BH03_UC003	494.50	13/11/2019	238.0	75.0	0.163	0.404	0.198	96.7	180.3	Massive axial splitting
IG_BH03_UC004	540.19	13/11/2019	229.9	69.3	0.191	0.399	0.191	91.7	172.0	Axial splitting
IG_BH03_UC005	552.67	13/11/2019	214.3	87.8	0.171	0.303	0.138	83.5	185.1	Multiple fractures
IG_BH03_UC006	582.55	14/11/2019	233.1	71.3	0.169	0.408	0.201	94.6	177.5	Multiple massive shear
IG_BH03_UC007	662.59	14/11/2019	234.1	69.8	0.217	0.412	0.181	90.7	162.6	Massive axial splitting

¹Top depth of prepared sub-sample (depth along borehole)²Massive Failure indicates failure through intact rock**Table 6: Dynamic properties determined from UCS samples**

Sample ID	Depth (m) ¹	Date Tested	P-wave Velocity (km/sec)	S-wave Velocity (km/sec)	Dynamic Young's Modulus (GPa)	Dynamic Shear Modulus (GPa)	Dynamic Poisson's ratio
IG_BH03_UC001	415.99	12/11/2019	4.84	2.95	55.9	23.2	0.206
IG_BH03_UC002	455.15	13/11/2019	5.13	3.14	63.3	26.3	0.202
IG_BH03_UC003	494.50	13/11/2019	4.74	2.90	53.9	22.4	0.202
IG_BH03_UC004	540.19	13/11/2019	4.74	2.90	53.9	22.4	0.202
IG_BH03_UC005	552.67	13/11/2019	6.20	3.56	94.9	37.8	0.254

Sample ID	Depth (m) ¹	Date Tested	P-wave Velocity (km/sec)	S-wave Velocity (km/sec)	Dynamic Young's Modulus (GPa)	Dynamic Shear Modulus (GPa)	Dynamic Poisson's ratio
IG_BH03_UC006	582.55	14/11/2019	4.91	2.97	57.3	23.7	0.211
IG_BH03_UC007	662.59	14/11/2019	4.68	2.92	53.9	22.9	0.180

¹Top depth of prepared sub-sample (depth along borehole)

Table 7: Tensile strength determined from Brazilian tests

Sample ID	Depth (m) ¹	Date Tested	Failure Load (kN)	Tensile Strength (MPa)	Description of Failure Mode
IG_BH03_BR001	416.20	18/11/2019	42.377	11.1	Diametral (central) splitting
IG_BH03_BR002	455.42	18/11/2019	48.266	12.6	Diametral (central) splitting
IG_BH03_BR003	494.73	18/11/2019	35.878	9.4	Diametral (central) splitting
IG_BH03_BR004	540.42	18/11/2019	44.738	11.7	Diametral (central) splitting
IG_BH03_BR005	551.80	18/11/2019	60.219	15.8	Diametral (central) splitting
IG_BH03_BR006	582.82	18/11/2019	42.642	11.2	Diametral (central) splitting
IG_BH03_BR007	662.81	18/11/2019	42.834	11.2	Diametral (central) splitting

¹Top depth of prepared sub-sample (depth along borehole)

3.2.2 Thermal Results

Table 8 shows a summary of the average thermal properties between room temperature and 90°C or 100°C for each sample measured in the Hot Disk ThermTest TPS 1500, determined from all testing programs. Data for the individual tests and the full range of temperatures are included in APPENDIX D. Figure 5 through Figure 16 Figure show plots of the results for the samples grouped by Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite and Amphibolite. Results from the Hot Disk ThermTest TPS 1500 tests are within the ranges expected for the tested rock types and follow the expected trends with temperature (Robertson, 1988).

Table 8: Thermal properties determined from the Hot Disk ThermTest TPS 1500

Sample ID	Depth (m) ¹	Date Tested	Average Temperature (°C)	Average Volumetric Heat Capacity (MJ/m ³ °K)	Average Thermal Conductivity (W/m°K)	Average Thermal Diffusivity (mm ² /sec)
IG_BH03_TH001 ²	304.71	23/01/2020 to 27/01/2020	26.70	2.13	3.49	1.64
			40.17	2.29	3.45	1.51
			69.78	2.68	3.31	1.24
			99.37	2.68	3.18	1.18
IG_BH03_TH002 ²	358.94	17/01/2020 to 20/01/2020	26.37	1.91	3.02	1.58
			40.17	1.98	3.00	1.52
			69.76	2.17	3.01	1.39
			99.37	2.27	2.96	1.30
IG_BH03_TH003 ²	416.43	15/01/2020 to 16/01/2020	26.37	1.77	2.83	1.60
			40.15	1.86	2.82	1.52
			69.75	2.02	2.82	1.39
			99.35	2.16	2.79	1.29
IG_BH03_TH004 ²	454.06	07/01/2020 to 08/01/2020	26.36	2.13	3.25	1.52
			40.16	2.22	3.23	1.46
			69.77	2.34	3.17	1.35
			99.38	2.49	3.08	1.24
IG_BH03_TH005 ²	495.01	28/01/2020 to 29/01/2020	26.36	2.27	3.39	1.50
			40.17	2.29	3.28	1.43
			69.77	2.60	3.13	1.21
			99.36	2.57	3.04	1.18
IG_BH03_TH006 ²	539.12	21/01/2020 to 22/01/2020	26.44	2.49	3.70	1.48
			40.17	2.55	3.59	1.41
			69.77	2.78	3.45	1.24
			99.36	2.77	3.30	1.19
IG_BH03_TH007 ²	548.19	09/01/2020	26.20	2.43	2.78	1.14

Sample ID	Depth (m) ¹	Date Tested	Average Temperature (°C)	Average Volumetric Heat Capacity (MJ/m ³ °K)	Average Thermal Conductivity (W/m°K)	Average Thermal Diffusivity (mm ² /sec)
		to 10/01/2020	40.19	2.50	2.77	1.11
			69.78	2.73	2.78	1.02
			99.37	2.90	2.76	0.95
IG_BH03_TH008 ²	581.86	13/01/2020 to 14/01/2020	26.39	1.70	2.95	1.73
			40.17	1.78	2.93	1.65
			69.76	1.96	2.92	1.49
			99.38	2.04	2.89	1.41
IG_BH03_TH009 ²	800.64	30/01/2020 to 31/01/2020	26.38	1.92	3.04	1.59
			40.16	1.98	2.95	1.49
			69.76	2.16	2.85	1.32
			99.36	2.26	2.71	1.20
IG_BH03_TH011 ³	359.31	26/05/2021	20.00	2.05	3.38	1.65
			40.00	2.13	3.31	1.56
			60.06	2.26	3.29	1.46
			79.94	2.33	3.24	1.39
			90.04	2.36	3.21	1.36
			60.05 ⁴	2.21	3.28	1.49
IG_BH03_TH014 ³	495.54	27/05/2021	20.00	2.10	3.16	1.50
			40.01	2.14	3.11	1.45
			60.05	2.26	3.10	1.37
			79.96	2.34	3.06	1.31
			90.05	2.40	3.04	1.27
			60.03 ⁴	2.27	3.08	1.36
IG_BH03_TH016 ³	548.79	01/06/2021	20.00	2.49	2.76	1.11
			40.00	2.62	2.75	1.05
			60.04	2.81	2.74	0.98
			79.94	2.82	2.73	0.97
			90.04	2.99	2.71	0.91
			60.04 ⁴	2.76	2.75	1.00
IG_BH03_TH017 ³	582.25	02/06/2021	20.00	2.31	3.56	1.54
			39.99	2.39	3.50	1.47
			60.04	2.53	3.45	1.37

Sample ID	Depth (m) ¹	Date Tested	Average Temperature (°C)	Average Volumetric Heat Capacity (MJ/m ³ °K)	Average Thermal Conductivity (W/m°K)	Average Thermal Diffusivity (mm ² /sec)
			79.93	2.59	3.40	1.31
			90.03	2.59	3.36	1.30
			60.03 ⁴	2.47	3.46	1.40
IG_BH03_TH018 ³	801.04	03/06/2021	20.00	2.15	3.11	1.45
			40.00	2.27	3.06	1.35
			60.05	2.32	3.05	1.32
			79.92	2.43	3.01	1.24
			90.03	2.46	2.99	1.22
			60.05 ⁴	2.34	3.05	1.31

¹Top depth of prepared top sub-sample (depth along borehole)

²Preserved samples. Samples were tested under as-received water content conditions. Test temperature reached 295°C (the data corresponding to 99°C to 295°C are not presented here)

³Unpreserved samples. Samples were dried at 80°C before testing

⁴Measurement to check hysteresis taken at 60°C while cooling; not used for the curve fitting of individual tests.

In general, it is observed that:

- The Volumetric Heat Capacity (C_v) data show that the values increase with an increase in temperature but not in a purely linear manner. There appears to be a slightly decreasing rate of change in C_v with increasing temperature, but the data can be described reasonably using a simple linear regression plot.
- The Thermal Conductivity (k) data shows that the values decrease with an increase in temperature, also not in a purely linear fashion. For the purpose of predicting thermal behaviour a linear fit, which provides a reasonable approximation, can be used for this temperature range.
- The Thermal Diffusivity (κ) shows that the values decrease with an increase in temperature, which is a result of a combination of the trends in the conductivity and heat capacity. A linear fit, which provides a reasonable approximation for this temperature range, can be used.

Best fits for the measurements grouped by rock type included measurement at 60°C while cooling.

Specifically for the Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite rock:

The Volumetric Heat Capacity (C_v) data collected for 8 water-saturated and 4 dry specimens all show that C_v values increase with an increase in temperature (θ) but not in a purely linear manner (Figure 5 and Figure 6), There appears to be a slightly decreasing rate of change in C_v with increasing temperature, but the data can be described reasonably using a simple linear regression plot. Tests completed on preserved samples containing as-received water content shown in Figure 5 show very consistent C_v versus temperature results and can be described to within approximately 20% by a single regression line. The data for dry specimens was essentially

identical to that obtained for the preserved specimens, but with a tighter distribution (within 10% of the regression line).

The Thermal Conductivity (k) data for the eight preserved specimens (Figure 7) shows that the values decrease with an increase in temperature, also not in a purely linear fashion. Dry specimens show a similar trend and exhibit slightly higher k values than observed for preserved materials (Figure 8) but have a tighter distribution. For the purpose of predicting thermal behaviour a linear fit, which provides a reasonable approximation, is provided in the graphs.

The Thermal Diffusivity (κ) for Biotite Tonalite rock is a parameter measured concurrent with the conductivity and heat capacity data presented in Figure 5 through Figure 8. The κ values show a decrease with an increase in temperature, which is a result of a combination of the trends in the conductivity and heat capacity. A linear fit is shown in the graphs, which provides a reasonable approximation for this temperature range.

Note that the sample depths in the graph legends refer to the depth of the original sample as collected (part of the id), not the depth of the sub-samples.

A summary of the equations describing C_v , k and κ are provided in Table 9.

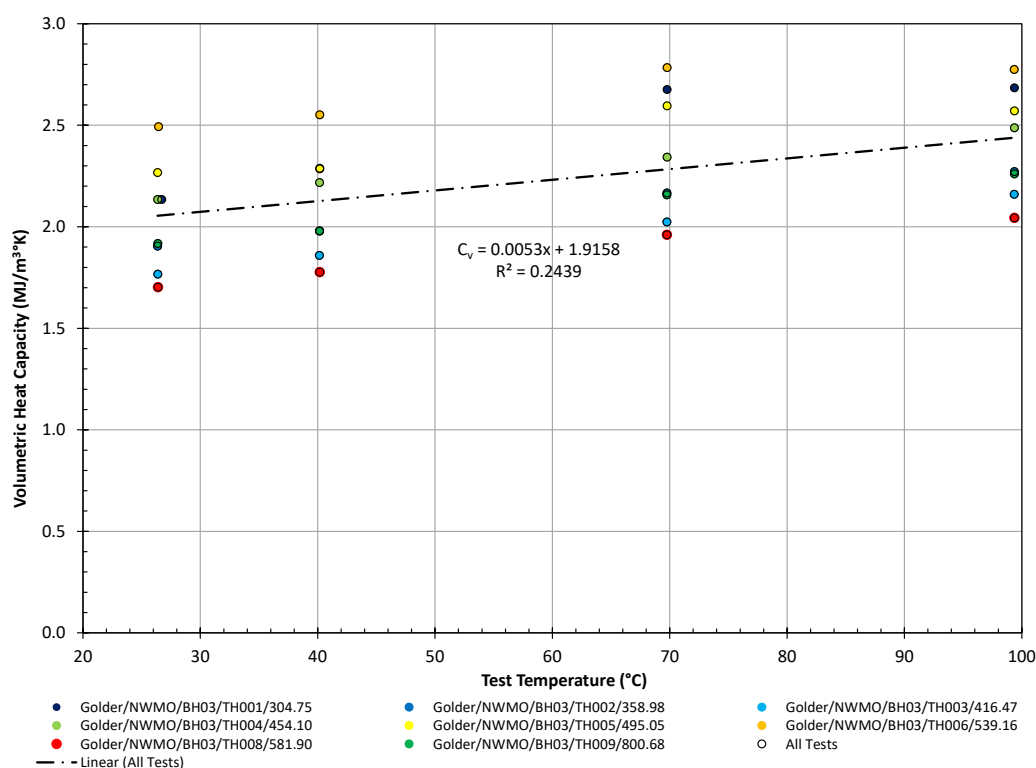


Figure 5: Volumetric heat capacity for preserved samples of Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite under as-received water content conditions as a function of temperature.

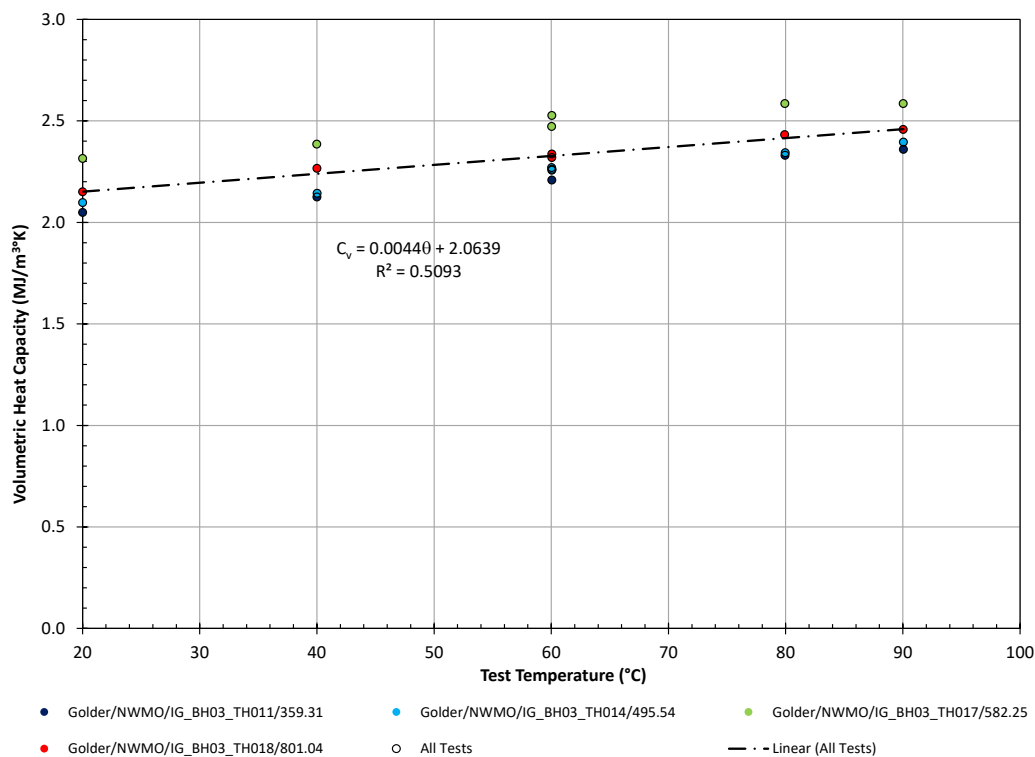


Figure 6: Volumetric heat capacity for dry samples of Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite as a function of temperature.

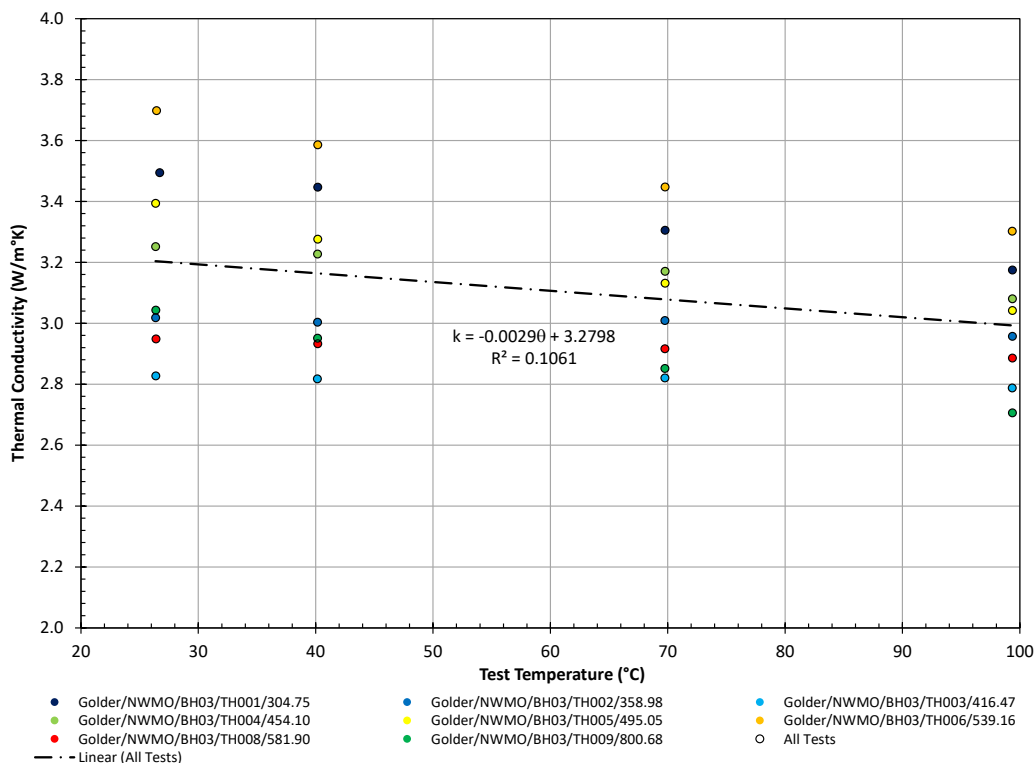


Figure 7: Thermal conductivity for preserved samples of Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite under as-received water content conditions as a function of temperature

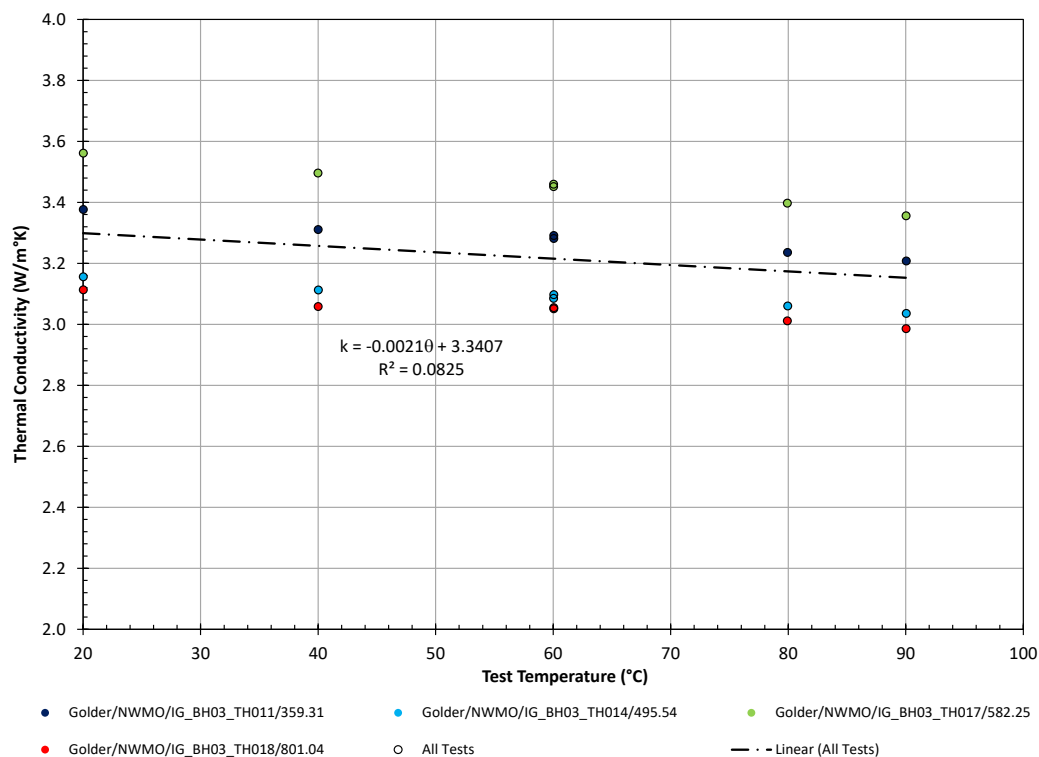


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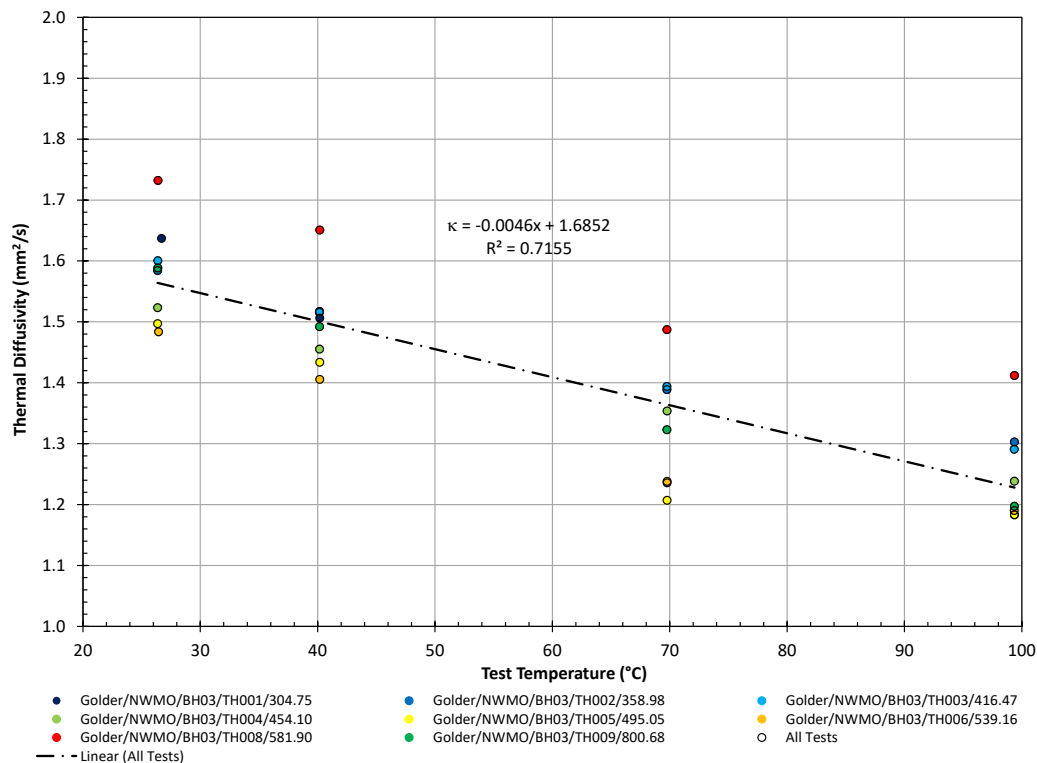


Figure 9: Thermal diffusivity for preserved samples of Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite under as-received water content conditions as a function of temperature

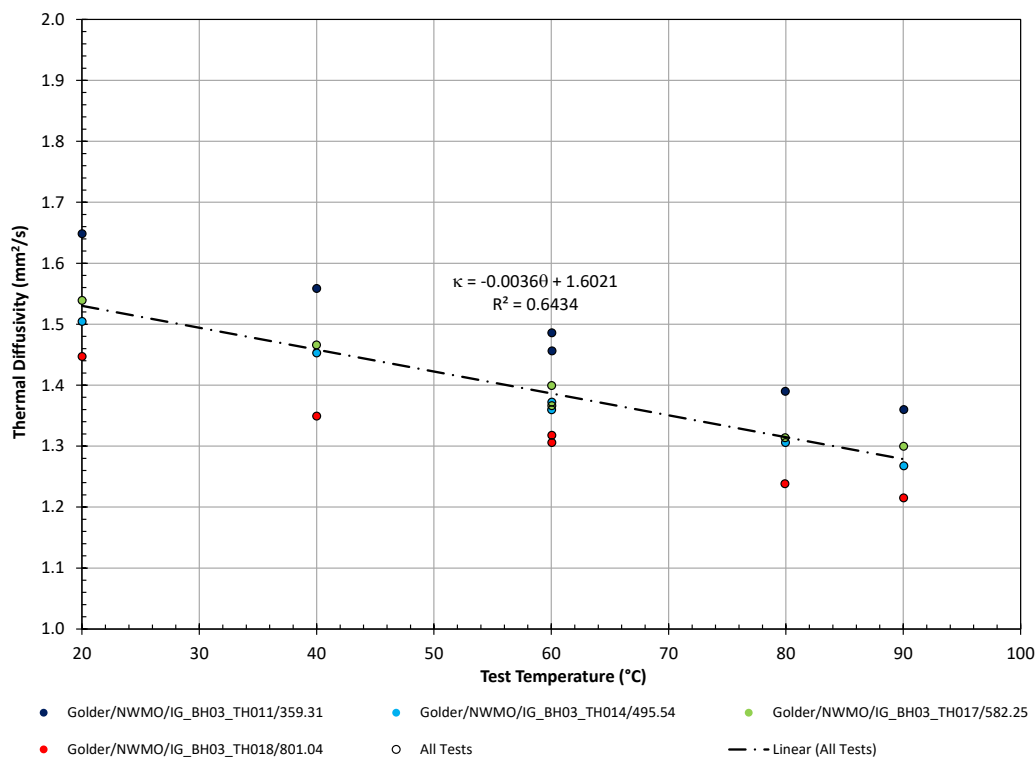


Figure 10: Thermal diffusivity for dry samples of Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite as a function of temperature

Specifically for Amphibolite

The rock termed Amphibolite is described in the WP3 Data Report – Geological and Geotechnical Core Logging, Photography and Sampling for IG_BH03 (Golder, 2018). One preserved and one dry sample of the Amphibolite rock were tested to determine the thermal properties of this material.

The Volumetric Heat Capacity (C_v) of the preserved and dry samples are presented in Figure 11 and Figure 12, respectively.

The Thermal Conductivity (λ) of the preserved and dry samples are presented in Figure 13 and Figure 14, respectively.

The Thermal Diffusivity (κ) of the preserved and dry samples are presented in Figure 15 and Figure 16, respectively.

Note that the sample depths in the graph legends refer to the depth of the original sample as collected (part of the id), not the depth of the sub-samples.

The equations describing the thermal properties of the Amphibolite are summarized in Table 9.

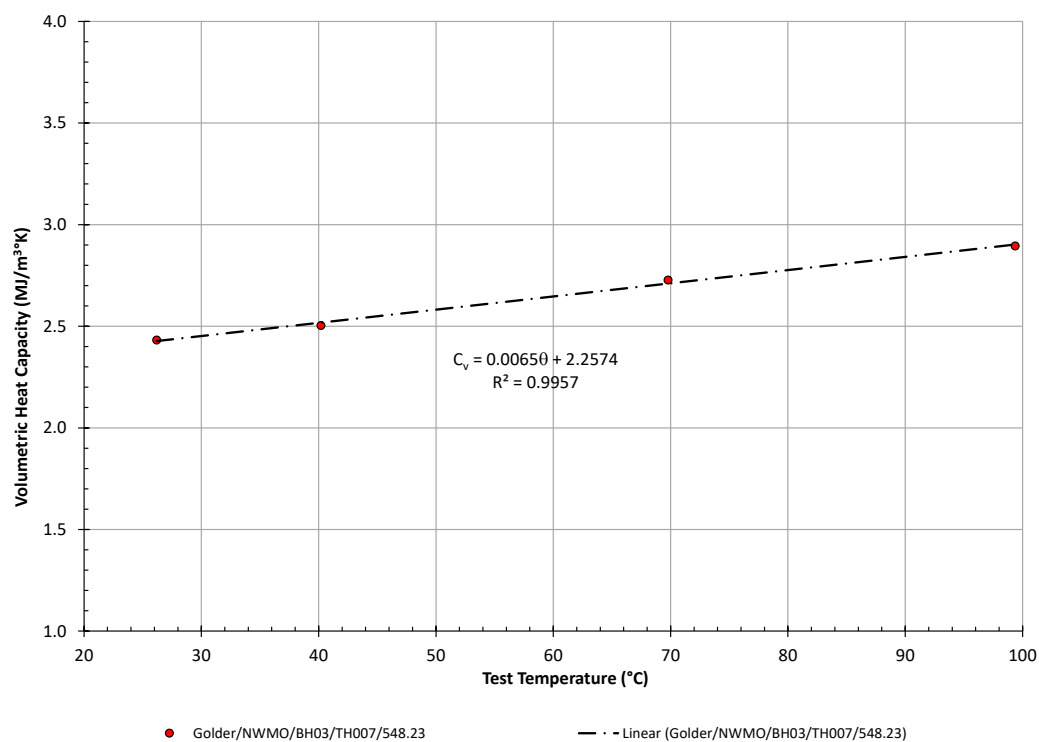


Figure 11: Volumetric heat capacity for preserved sample of Amphibolite as a function of temperature

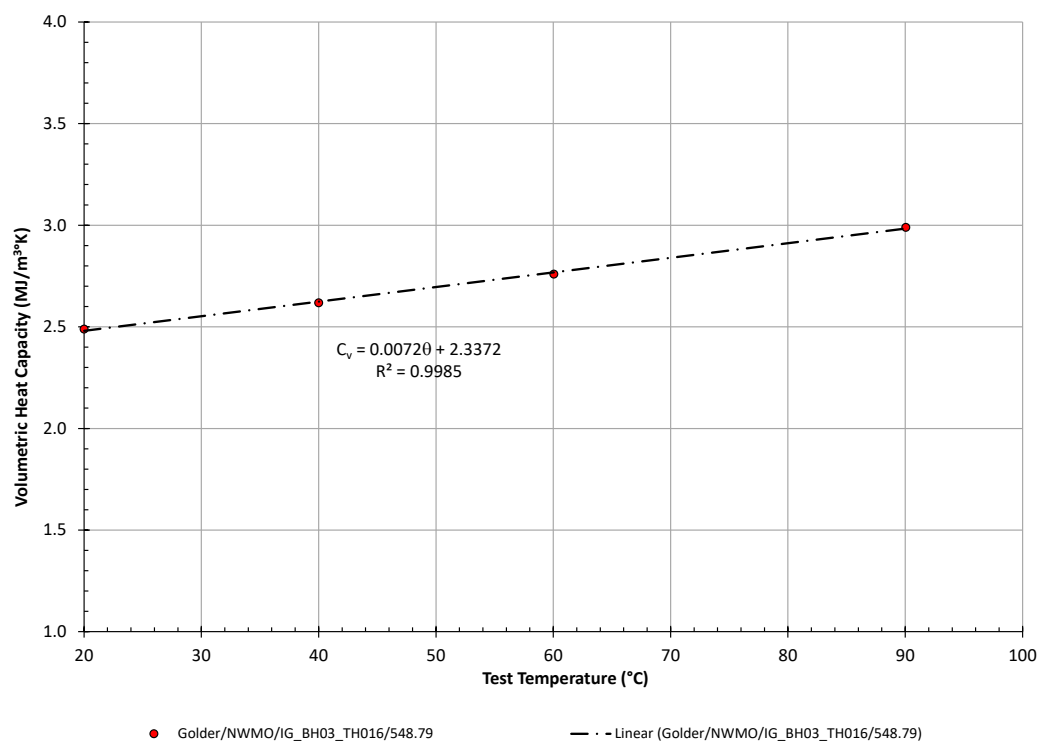


Figure 12: Volumetric heat capacity for dry sample of Amphibolite as a function of temperature

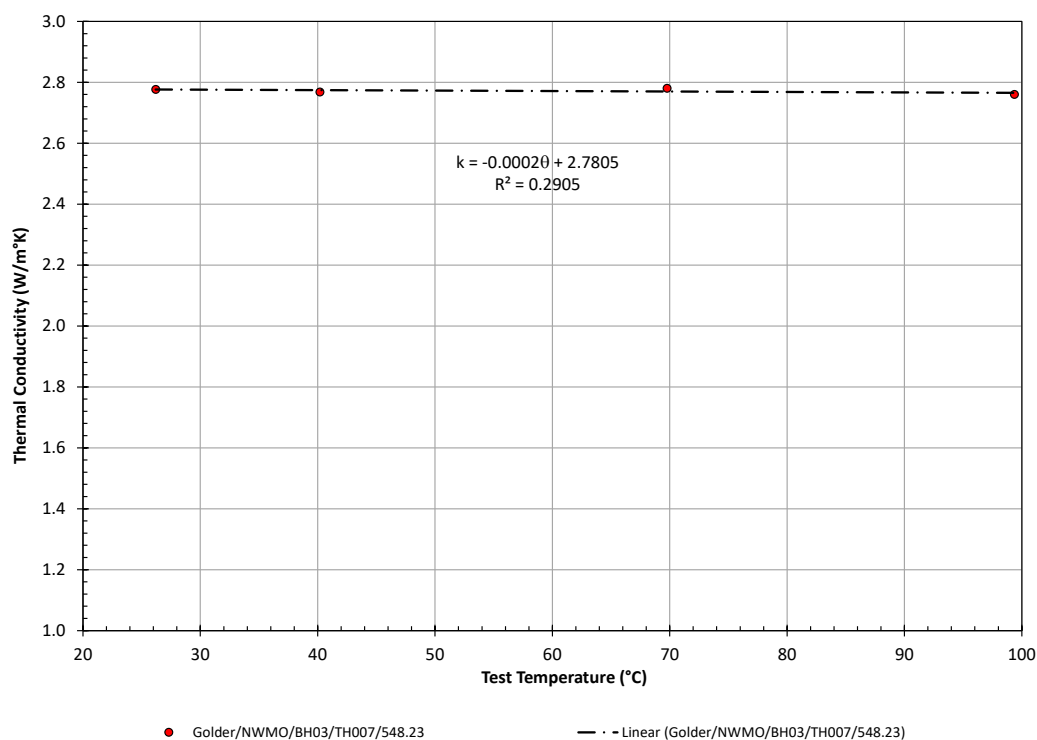


Figure 13: Thermal conductivity for preserved sample of Amphibolite as a function of temperature

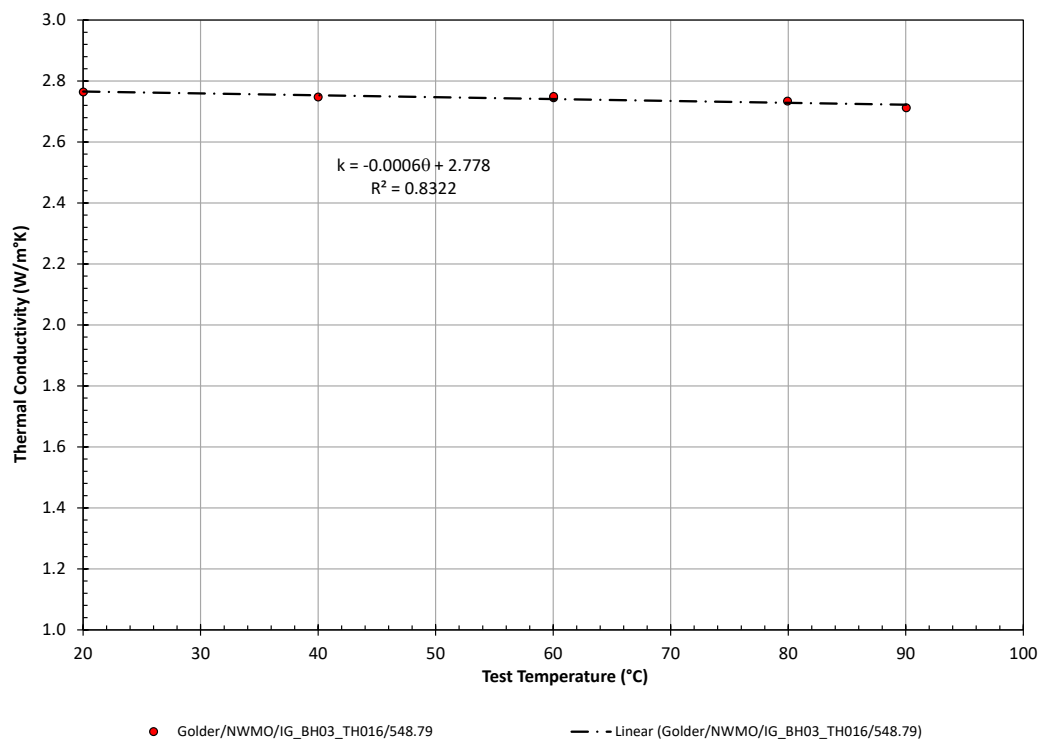


Figure 14: Thermal conductivity for dry sample of Amphibolite as a function of temperature

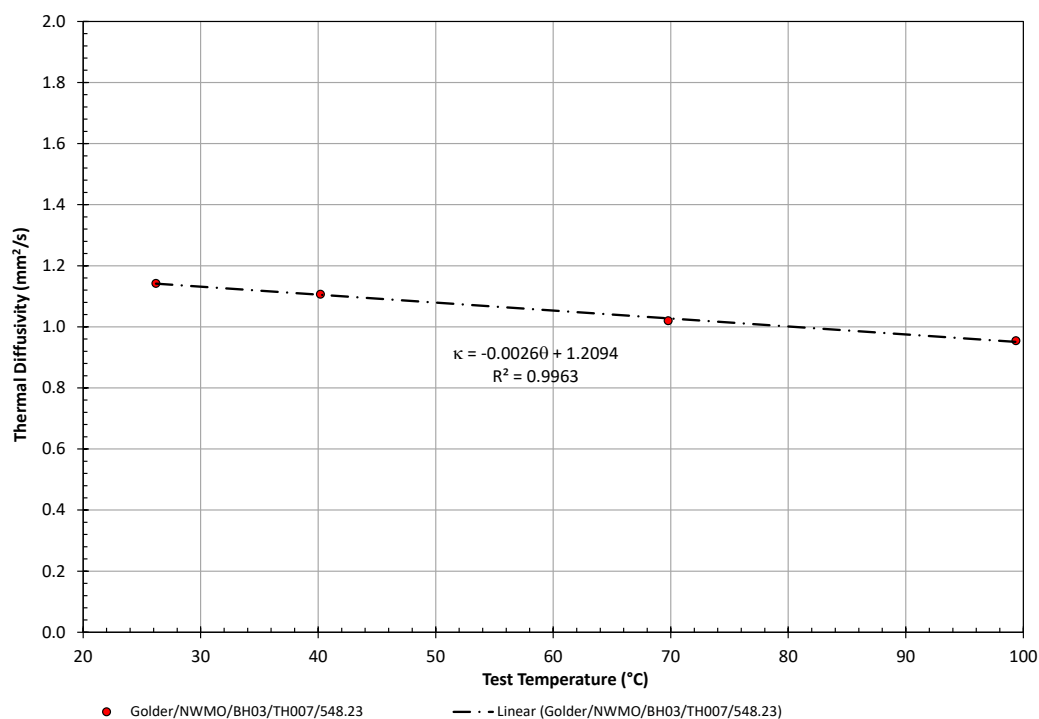


Figure 15: Thermal diffusivity for preserved sample of Amphibolite as a function of temperature

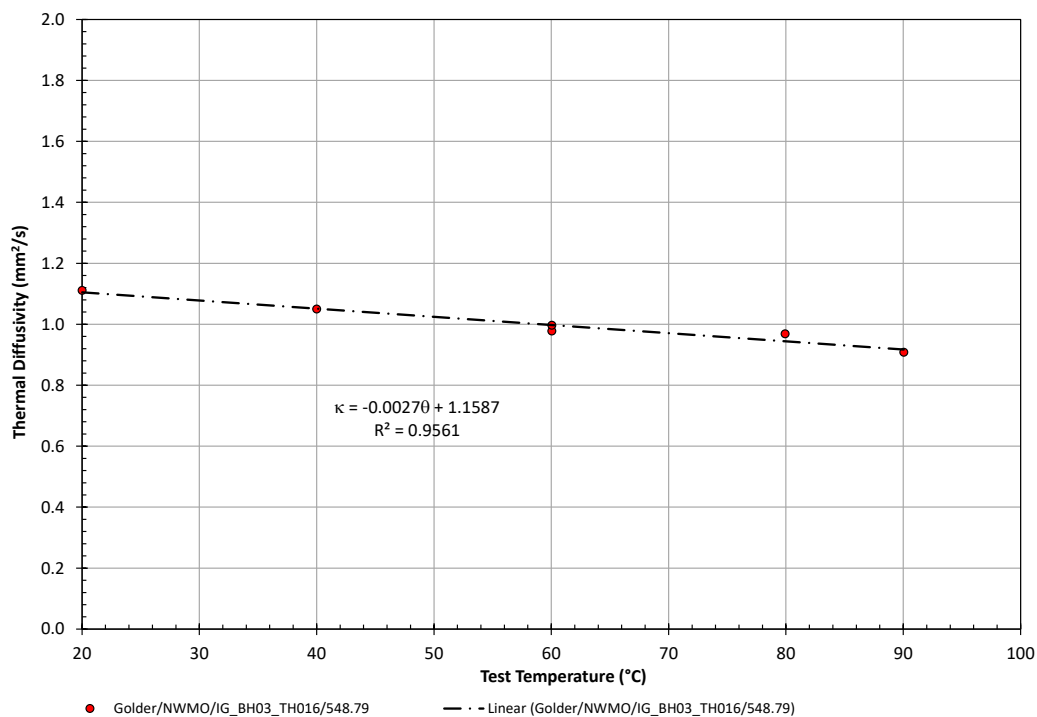


Figure 16: Thermal diffusivity for dry sample of Amphibolite as a function of temperature

The equations describing volumetric heat capacity, thermal conductivity and thermal diffusivity as a function of temperature for different rock types and for wet and dry conditions are provided in Table 9.

Table 9: Summary of equations describing thermal properties C_v , k and κ as a function of temperature for the range -20°C to 100°C

Rock Type	No. of Samples	C_v (wet) [MJ/(m ³ .°K)]	C_v (dry) [MJ/(m ³ .°K)]	k (wet) [W/(m.°K)]	k (dry) [W/(m.°K)]	κ (wet) [mm ² /sec]	κ (dry) [mm ² /sec]
Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite	8(wet)/4(dry)	$C_v = 0.0053 \theta + 1.93$	$C_v = 0.0044 \theta + 2.06$	$k = -0.0029 \theta + 3.28$	$k = -0.0021 \theta + 3.34$	$\kappa = -0.0045 \theta + 1.68$	$\kappa = -0.0036 \theta + 1.60$
Amphibolite	1(wet)/1(dry)	$C_v = 0.0065 \theta + 2.26$	$C_v = 0.0072 \theta + 2.34$	$k = -0.0002 \theta + 2.78$	$k = -0.0006 \theta + 2.78$	$\kappa = -0.0026 \theta + 1.21$	$\kappa = -0.0027 \theta + 1.16$

θ – temperature in $^{\circ}\text{C}$

Coefficient of linear thermal expansion

Table 10 shows a summary of the coefficient of linear thermal expansion between room temperature and 90°C for each sample measured in the Unitherm 1054L dilatometer, determined from Campaign 2 testing program. The coefficient of linear thermal expansion was calculated from thermal strain vs temperature data points by two methods: 1) as the slope of the linear regression line through the data points and 2) fitting a second order polynomial to the same data and deriving the slope of the polynomial at the target temperatures. Determining coefficient of linear thermal expansion from the linear regression (α_L) seems sufficient given the near linear trend of the data points for the tested temperature range (Table 10). However, the temperature-dependent coefficients of linear thermal expansion ($\alpha_L(\theta)$) were also determined from approach 2 and are summarized in Table 10. Data for the individual tests are included in APPENDIX E. Figure 17 shows plots of the variation of the coefficient of linear thermal expansion, from quadratic fit, with temperature for the re-saturated samples of Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite and Amphibolite. Results from the Unitherm 1054L dilatometer tests are within the ranges for the tested rock types and follow the expected trends with temperature. The average α_L values as well as the equations describing the coefficient of linear thermal expansion versus temperature ($\alpha_L(\theta)$) are provided for the first and second heating cycles, by rock type, in Table 11.

Table 10: Coefficient of linear thermal expansion determined from the first and second heating cycles and as a function of temperature (from quadratic fit) for the first heating cycle

Sample ID	Depth (m) ¹	Date Tested	Linear fit (range: 20°C - 90°C)		Quadratic fit (range: 20°C - 90°C)	
			α_L (1 st heating cycle) (1/°K)	α_L (2 nd heating cycle) (1/°K)	Temperature (°C)	$\alpha_L(\theta)$ (1 st heating cycle) [1/°K] (1/°K)
IG_BH03_TH010 ²	304.96	01/06/2021 to 04/06/2021	7.96E-06	7.63E-06	20	5.92E-06
					40	7.05E-06
					60	8.18E-06
					80	9.31E-06
					90	9.87E-06
IG_BH03_TH011 ²	359.20	01/06/2021 to 04/06/2021	7.10E-06	7.00E-06	20	5.37E-06
					40	6.33E-06
					60	7.28E-06
					80	8.24E-06
					90	8.72E-06
IG_BH03_TH012 ²	416.93	06/06/2021 to 09/06/2021	7.81E-06	7.64E-06	20	5.80E-06
					40	6.92E-06
					60	8.04E-06
					80	9.16E-06
					90	9.72E-06
IG_BH03_TH013 ²	454.64	06/06/2021	7.54E-06	7.62E-06	20	5.80E-06

Sample ID	Depth (m) ¹	Date Tested	Linear fit (range: 20°C - 90°C)		Quadratic fit (range: 20°C - 90°C)	
			α_L (1 st heating cycle) (1/°K)	α_L (2 nd heating cycle) (1/°K)	Temperature (°C)	$\alpha_L(\theta)$ (1 st heating cycle) [1/°K] (1/°K)
		to 09/06/2021			40	6.77E-06
					60	7.74E-06
					80	8.70E-06
					90	9.18E-06
IG_BH03_TH014 ²	495.43	10/06/2021 to 13/06/2021	6.13E-06	5.99E-06	20	4.21E-06
					40	5.27E-06
					60	6.33E-06
					80	7.39E-06
					90	7.92E-06
IG_BH03_TH015 ²	538.74	10/06/2021 to 13/06/2021	7.31E-06	7.31E-06	20	5.32E-06
					40	6.42E-06
					60	7.52E-06
					80	8.61E-06
					90	9.16E-06
IG_BH03_TH016 ²	548.68	14/06/2021 to 17/06/2021	7.40E-06	8.17E-06	20	6.51E-06
					40	7.00E-06
					60	7.48E-06
					80	7.97E-06
					90	8.21E-06
IG_BH03_TH017 ²	582.14	14/06/2021 to 17/06/2021	8.04E-06	7.95E-06	20	6.35E-06
					40	7.27E-06
					60	8.20E-06
					80	9.12E-06
					90	9.59E-06
IG_BH03_TH018 ²	800.93	18/06/2021 to 21/06/2021	6.47E-06	6.50E-06	20	5.59E-06
					40	6.07E-06
					60	6.55E-06
					80	7.03E-06
					90	7.27E-06

¹Top depth of prepared sub-sample

²Unpreserved samples. Samples were saturated before testing.

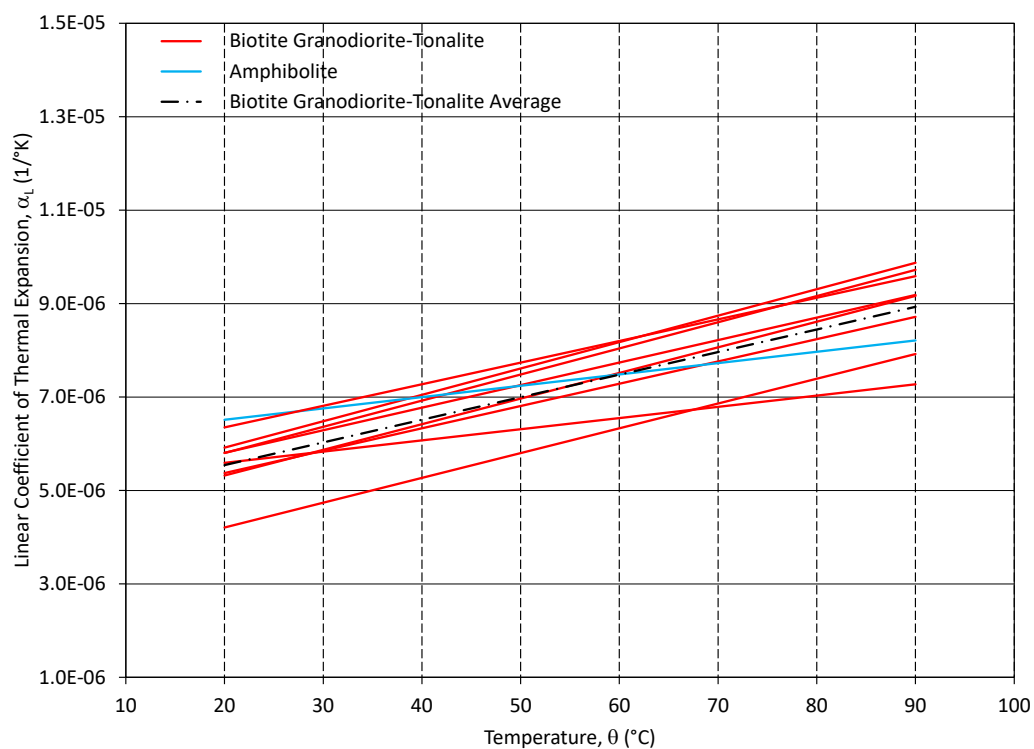


Figure 17: Coefficient of linear thermal expansion, from quadratic fit, as a function of temperature for eight (8) re-saturated samples of Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite along with the average values as well as the data of one (1) re-saturated sample of Amphibolite

Table 11: Summary of the coefficient of linear thermal expansion, α , average and as a function of temperature for the range ~20°C to 90°C

Rock Type	Average α_L (1 st heating cycle) [1/°K]	$\alpha_L(\theta)$ (1 st cycle) [1/°K]	α_L (2 nd cycle) [1/°K]	$\alpha_L(\theta)$ (2 nd cycle) [1/°K]
Biotite <u>Granodiorite</u> -Tonalite	7.30E-06	$\alpha_L = 4.84\text{E-}08 \theta + 4.58\text{E-}06$	7.22E-06	$\alpha_L = 2.96\text{E-}08 \theta + 5.54\text{E-}06$
Amphibolite	7.40E-06	$\alpha_L = 2.42\text{E-}08 \theta + 6.03\text{E-}06$	8.17E-06	$\alpha_L = 9.53\text{E-}09 \theta + 7.63\text{E-}06$

θ – temperature in °C

4.0 DATA QUALITY

All samples sent to the CANMET laboratory were accounted for and raw testing data were sent back in digital format. The results were checked against expected values and were deemed reasonable. In addition, ratios of moduli to UCS and tensile strength to UCS were within the expected ranges for this rock type. Photographs of the samples before and after testing were also delivered (APPENDIX A). The failure mode is used to determine when the UCS values are representative of the intact rock strength.

The water content for the Brazilian samples is noticeably higher than for the UCS samples. It is conceivable that for rocks with very low and poorly connected porosity, such as the Biotite Tonalite, the drying process will only eliminate surface or near-surface water and the results are affected by the surface area to volume ratios. The surface area to volume ratio for the Brazilian samples is higher than that for the UCS samples, thus resulting in higher water content measurements.

All samples sent to the RESPEC laboratory were accounted for and raw testing data were sent back in digital format. The results were checked against expected values and were deemed reasonable. The Biotite Tonalite saturated samples seem to have a slightly lower thermal conductivity than the dry samples, although there is some overlap between the two sets of data. The volumetric heat capacity does not seem to be affected by the degree of saturation, although it should be noted that the porosities of all tested rocks are very low.

4.1 Uncertainties and Limitations

At this point in the program, the number of samples tested is limited. Although the results of the UCS tests and the Brazilian tests for Biotite Tonalite were very consistent, the sample population is too small to establish statistical data and confidence limits. The number of samples for the other rock types encountered in the borehole is even more limited than that of the Biotite Tonalite. As the program evolves and data from all boreholes becomes available, statistical analyses of the data will provide more information on the degree of confidence.

In the measurement of water content, the samples were weighed before testing and placed in the oven after completion of the test to start the drying process. It has been observed that because of the destructive nature of the UCS and Brazilian tests, some of the sample material may have been lost during testing. Due to the lower porosity of the tonalite, any loss, however small, can have a significant effect in the determination of the water content and dry density.

In this report, the interpretation of Crack Initiation (CI) and Crack Damage (CD) stresses have been based on the maximum crack volumetric strain and the volumetric strain reversal, respectively. A better reported method of interpreting the crack initiation is to follow the Tangent Lateral Stiffness method (Ghazvinian et al., 2012), which considers the same raw data but amplifies the change in lateral strain making identification of systematic diversion more defined. It is recommended this method be used in future work.

Crack damage (CD) is defined as the onset of significant and sustained deviation from linear axial stress vs axial strain behaviour preceding sample failure (Diederichs et al 2004). Volumetric strain reversal may or may not correspond to CD in uniaxial conditions depending on the internal damage mechanisms; therefore, it is recommended that the deviation from the linear section of the stress strain curve be determined by plotting the tangent modulus (slope of the stress strain curve) to identify the onset of the deviation. Alternatively, similarly to the method to determine CI, the Tangent Axial Stiffness can be used to interpret CD. It is recommended that one of these two methods be used in future work.

The number of samples in the thermal testing program are also limited at this time. Samples of Biotite Tonalite were grouped to establish preliminary trends with temperature, while the other rock types were reported by individual tests. As the program evolves and data from all boreholes becomes available, statistical analyses of the data will provide more information on the degree of confidence.

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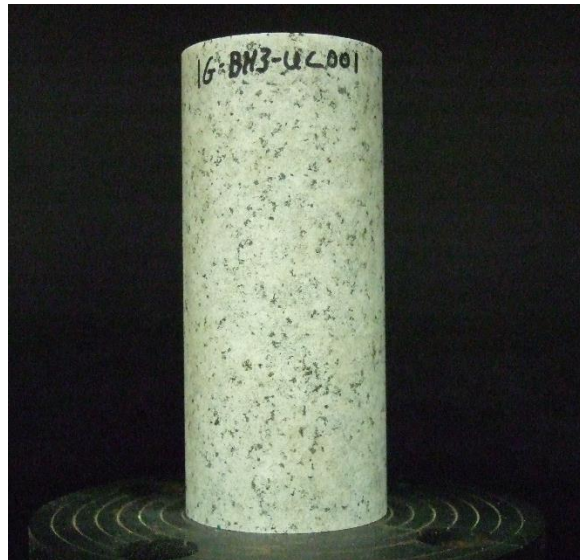
APPENDIX A

**UCS Tests: Stress-Strain Graphs
and Photographs of Intact and
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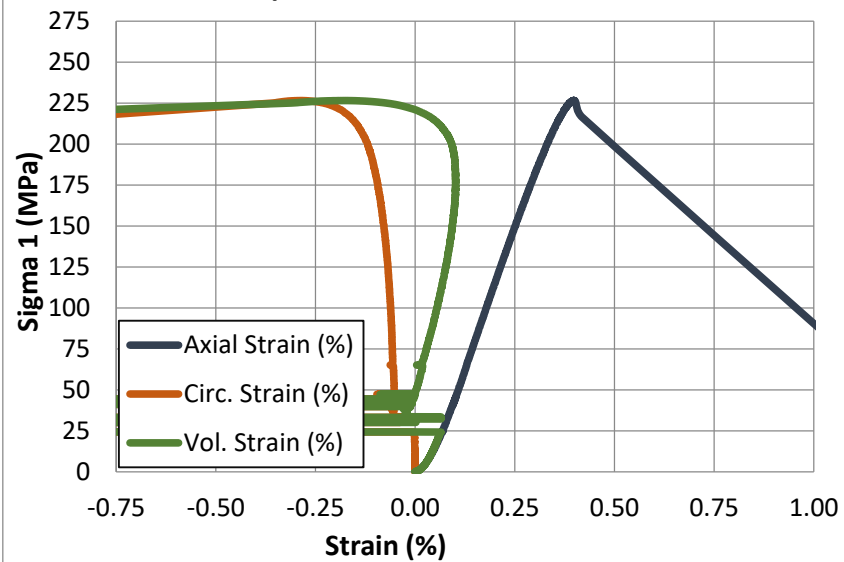
Table A-1: List of uniaxial compression test specimens

Specimen No.	Depth (m)¹	Rock Type	Page
IG_BH03_UC001	415.99	Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite	A-2
IG_BH03_UC002	455.15	Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite	A-3
IG_BH03_UC003	494.50	Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite	A-4
IG_BH03_UC004	540.19	Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite	A-5
IG_BH03_UC005	552.67	Amphibolite	A-6
IG_BH03_UC006	582.55	Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite	A-7
IG_BH03_UC007	662.59	Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite	A-8

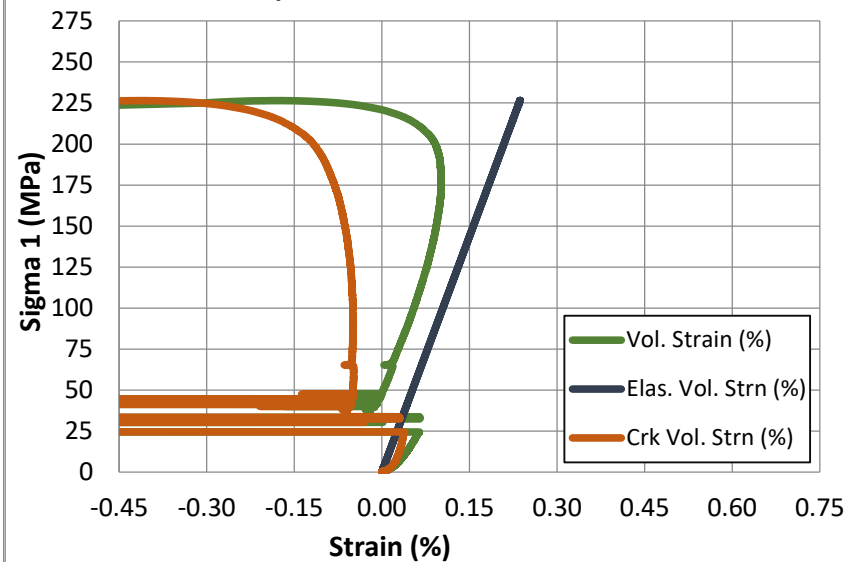
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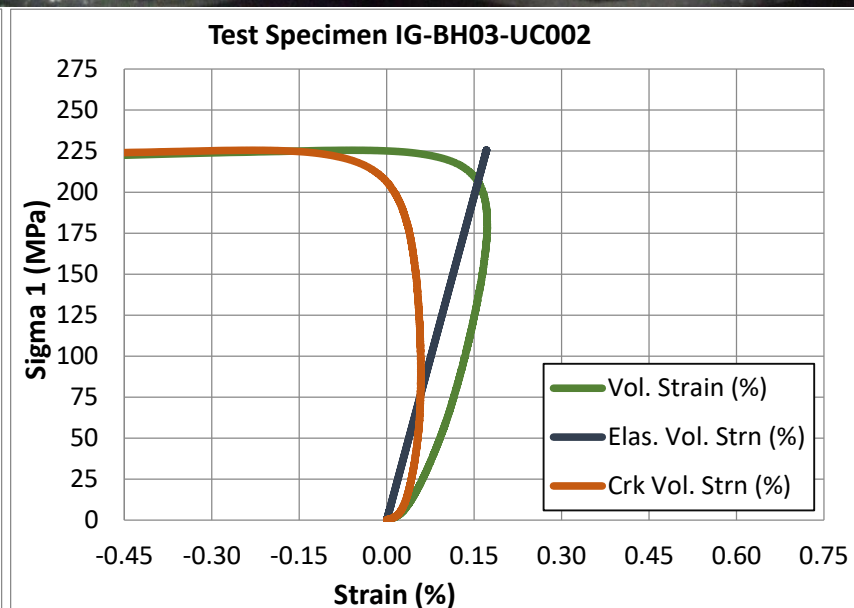
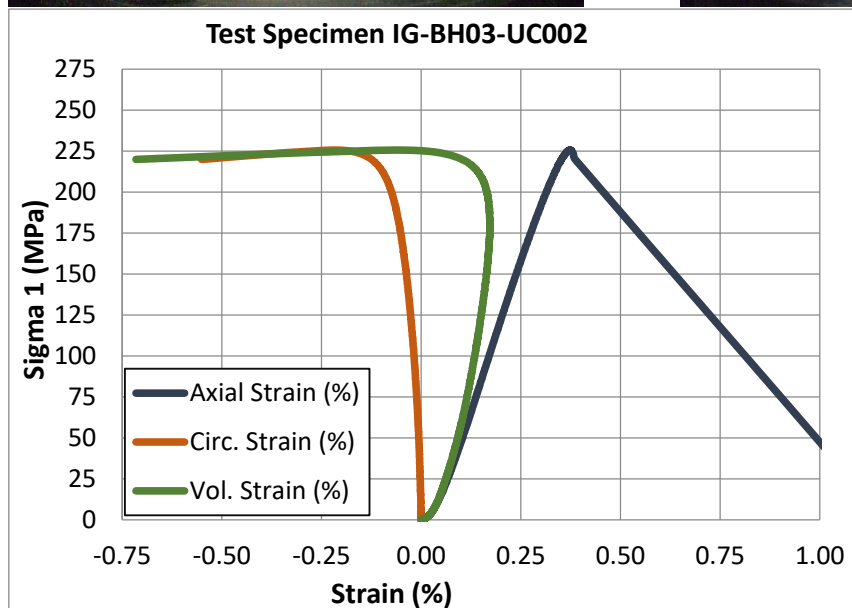
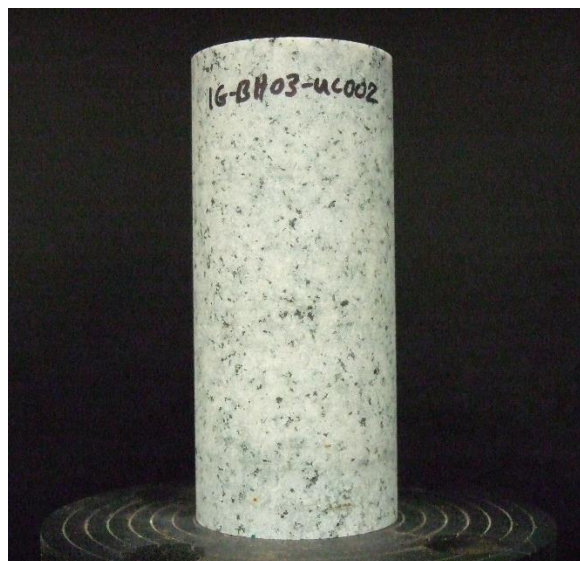
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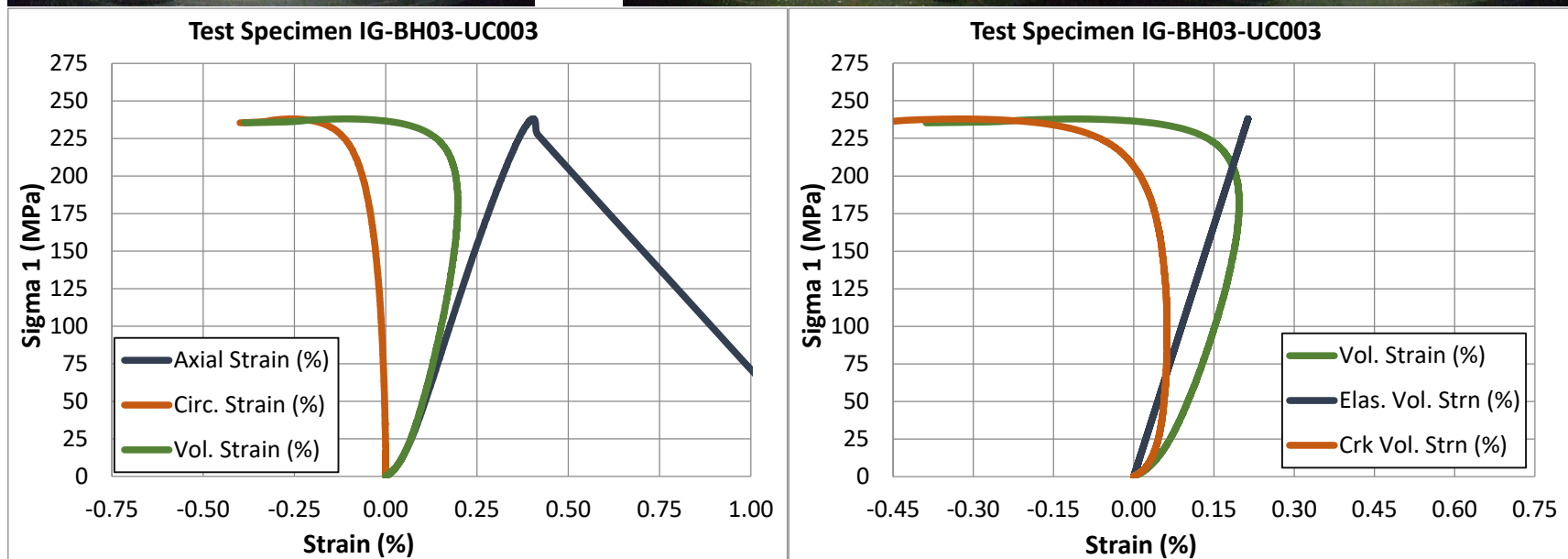
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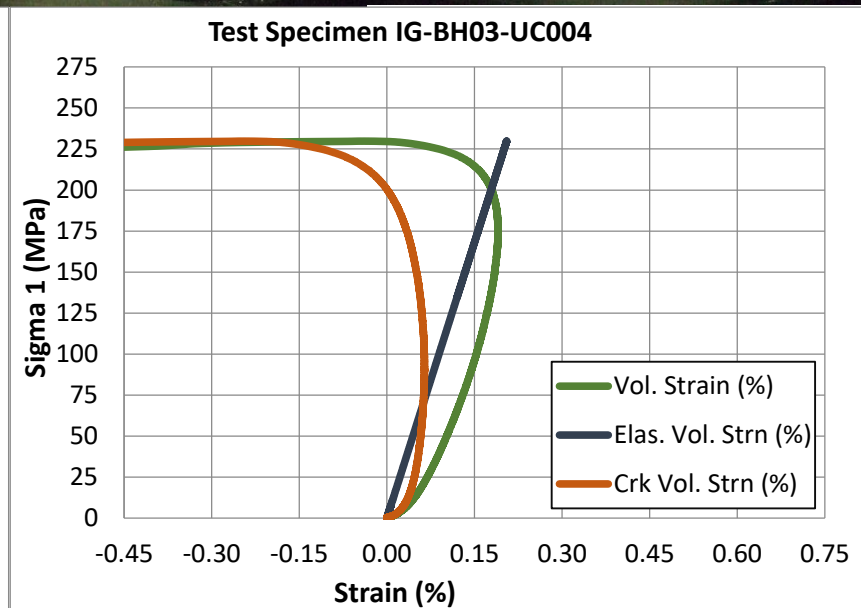
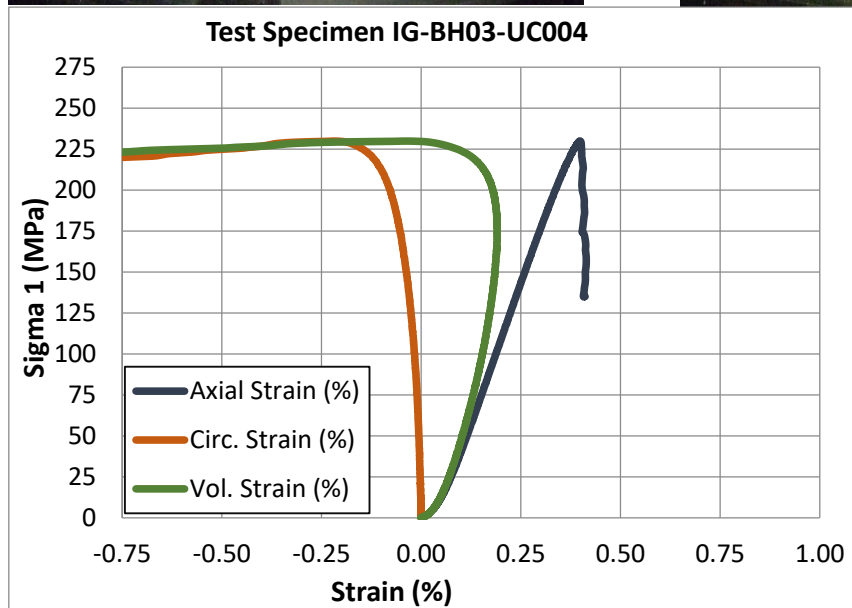
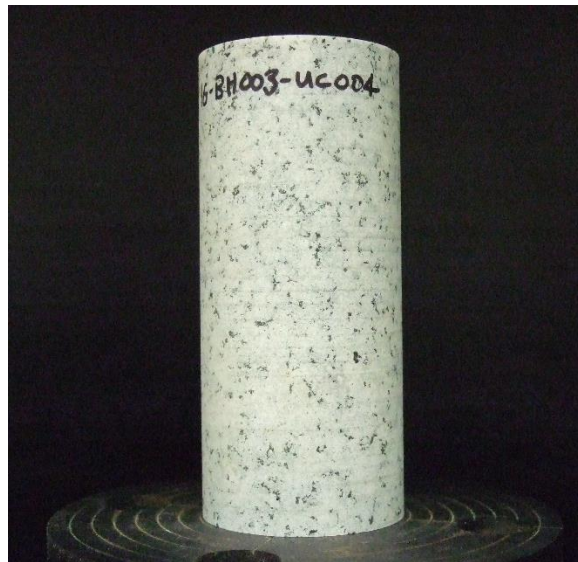
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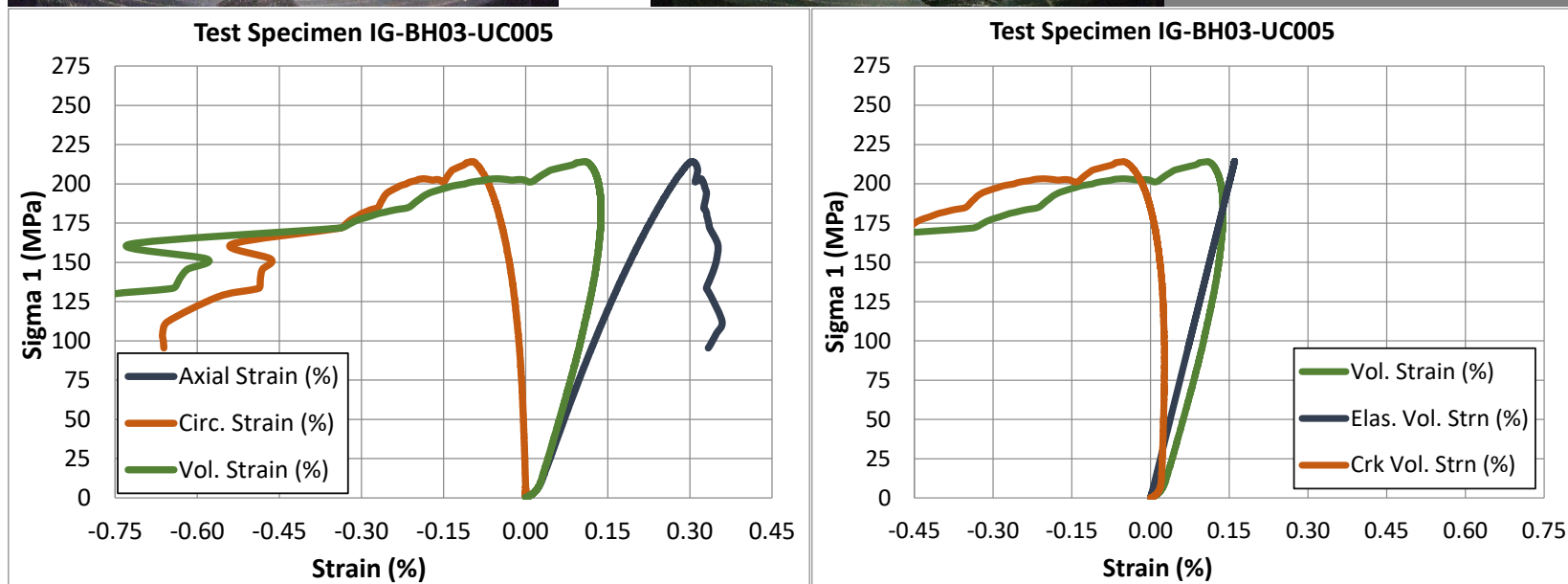
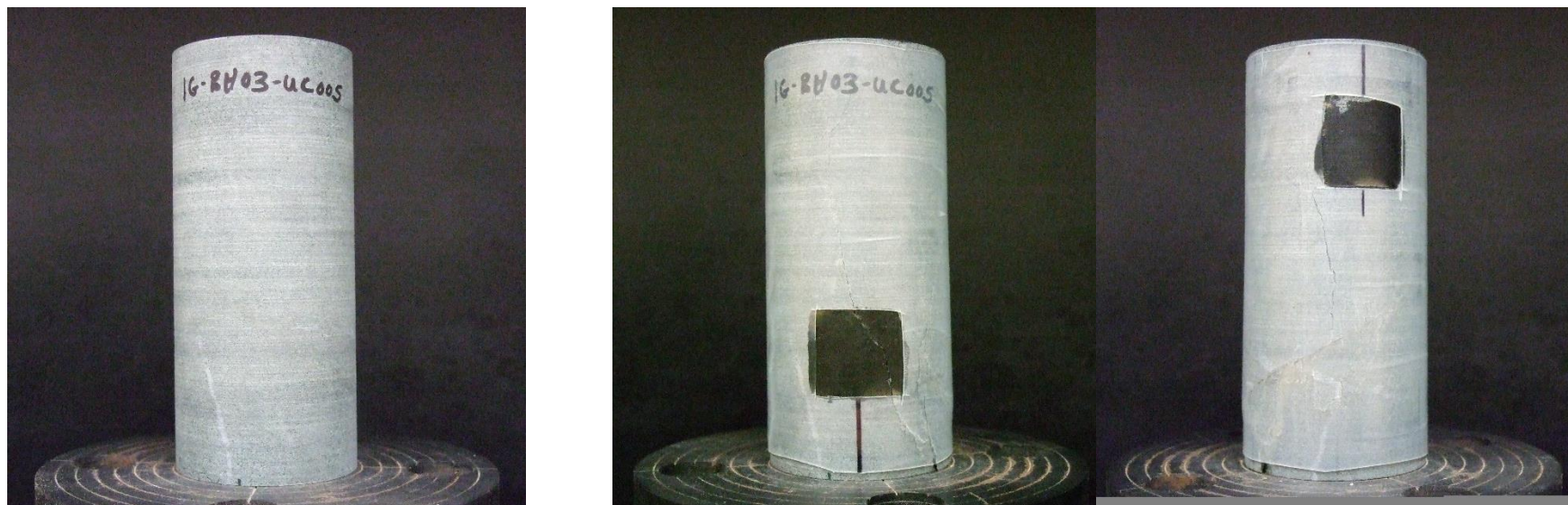
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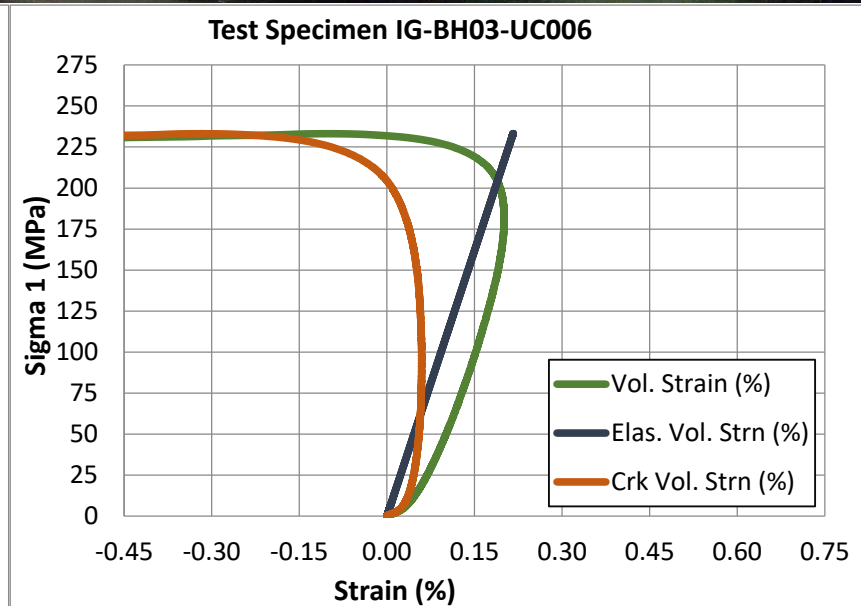
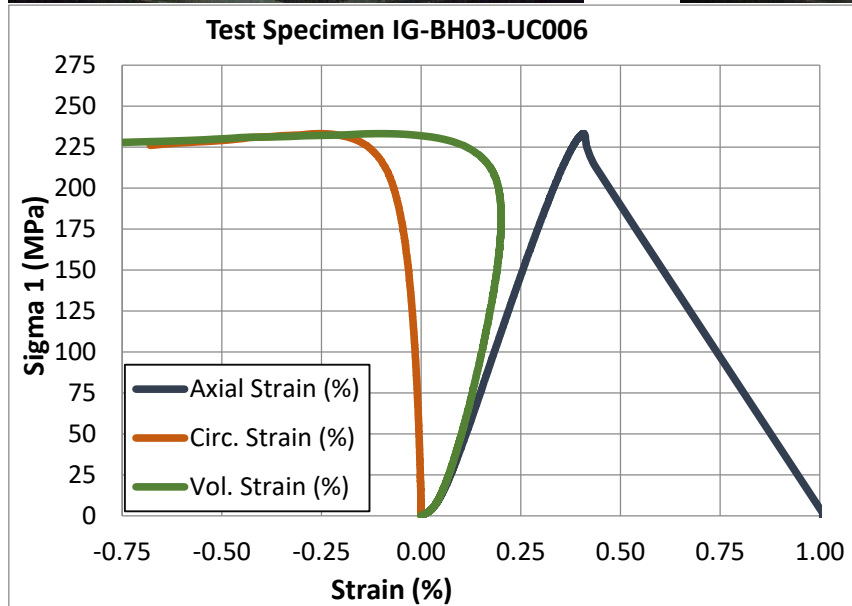
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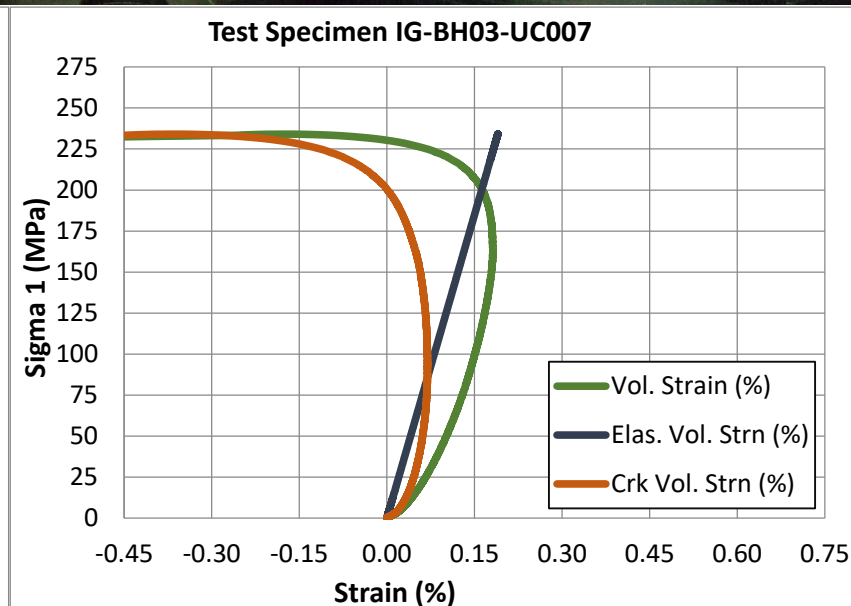
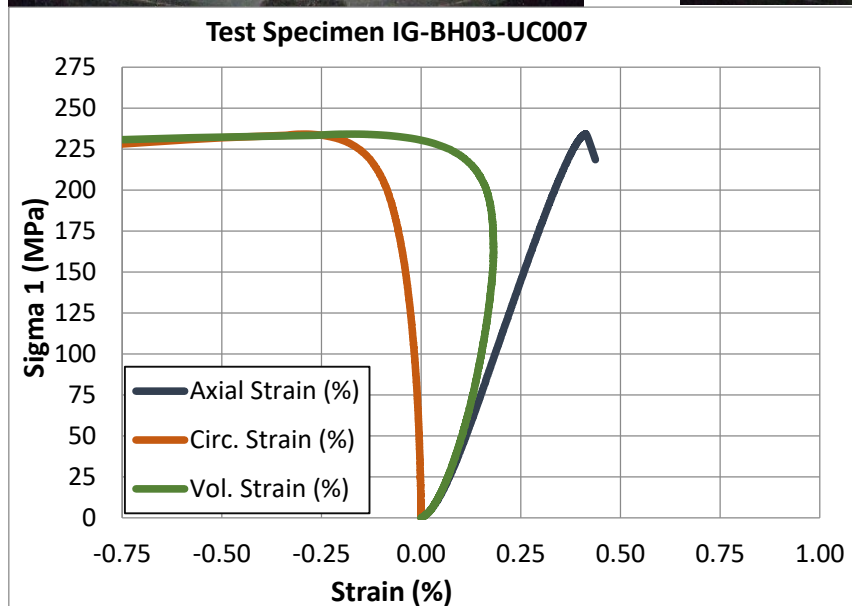
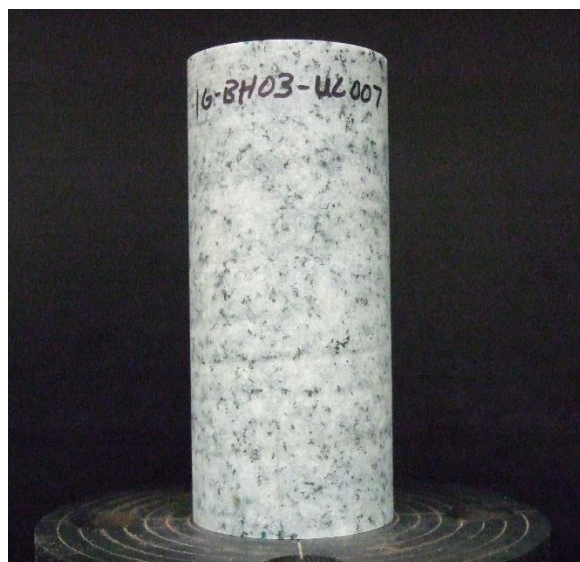
Test Specimen IG_BH03_UC004 – Depth = 540.19 m: Intact and broken specimen photographs and stress-strain curves



Test Specimen IG_BH03_UC005 – Depth = 552.67 m: Intact and broken specimen photographs and stress-strain curves



Test Specimen IG_BH03_UC006 – Depth = 582.55 m: Intact and broken specimen photographs and stress-strain curves



Test Specimen IG_BH03_UC007 – Depth = 662.59 m: Intact and broken specimen photographs and stress-strain curves

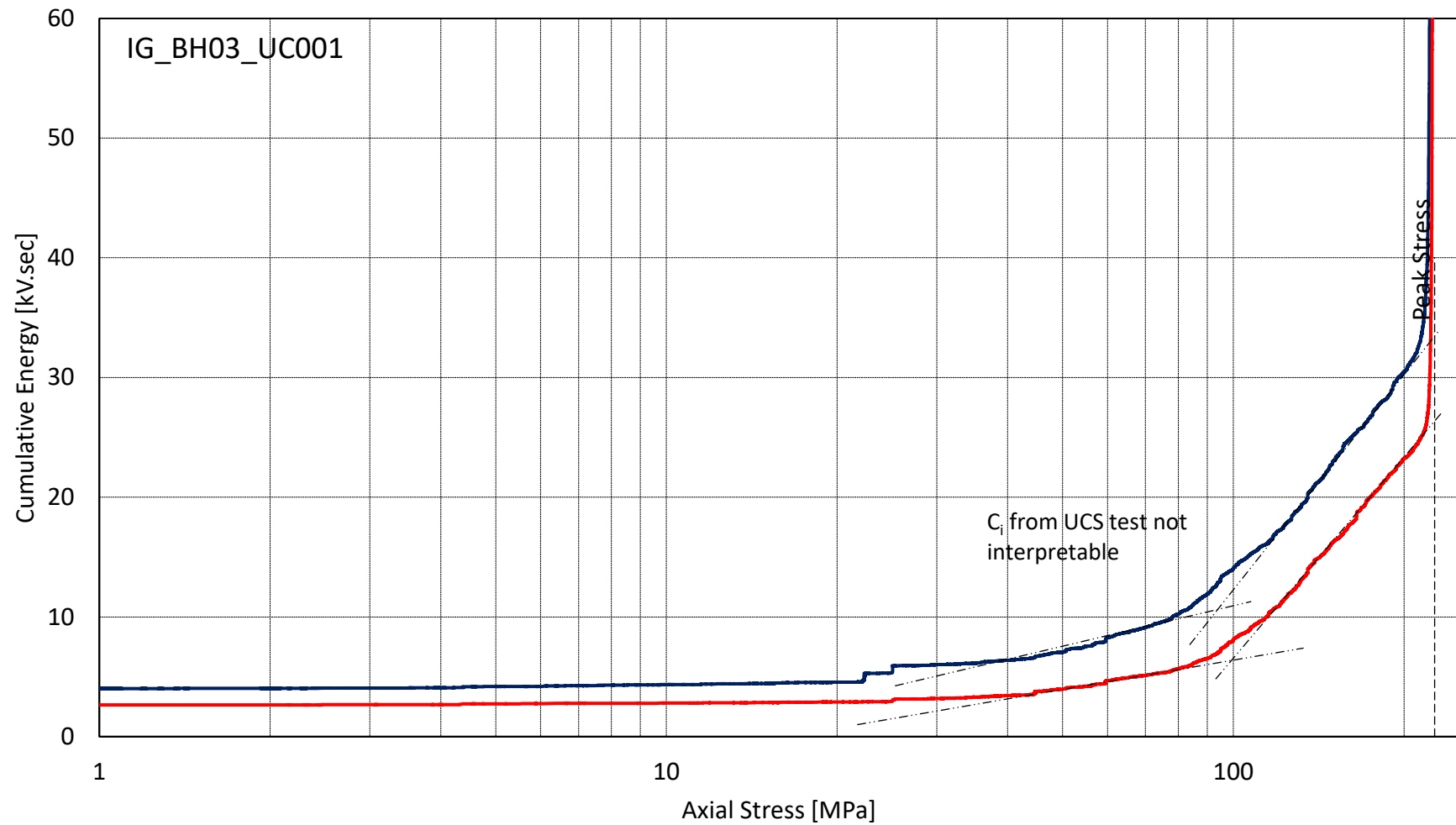
APPENDIX B

Acoustic Emission Data and Graph Report

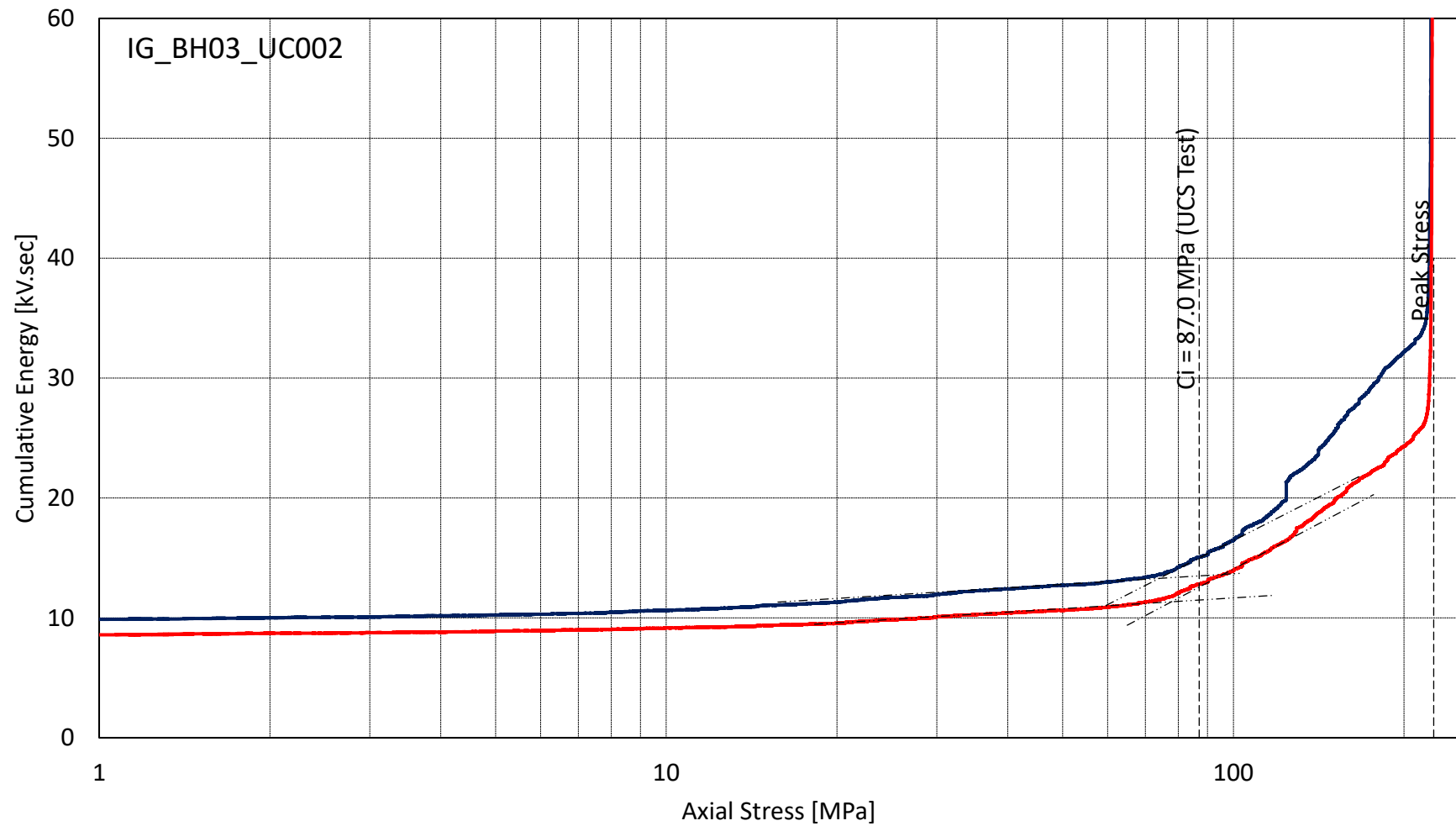
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IG_BH03_UC004	540.19	Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite	B-5
IG_BH03_UC005	552.67	Amphibolite	B-6
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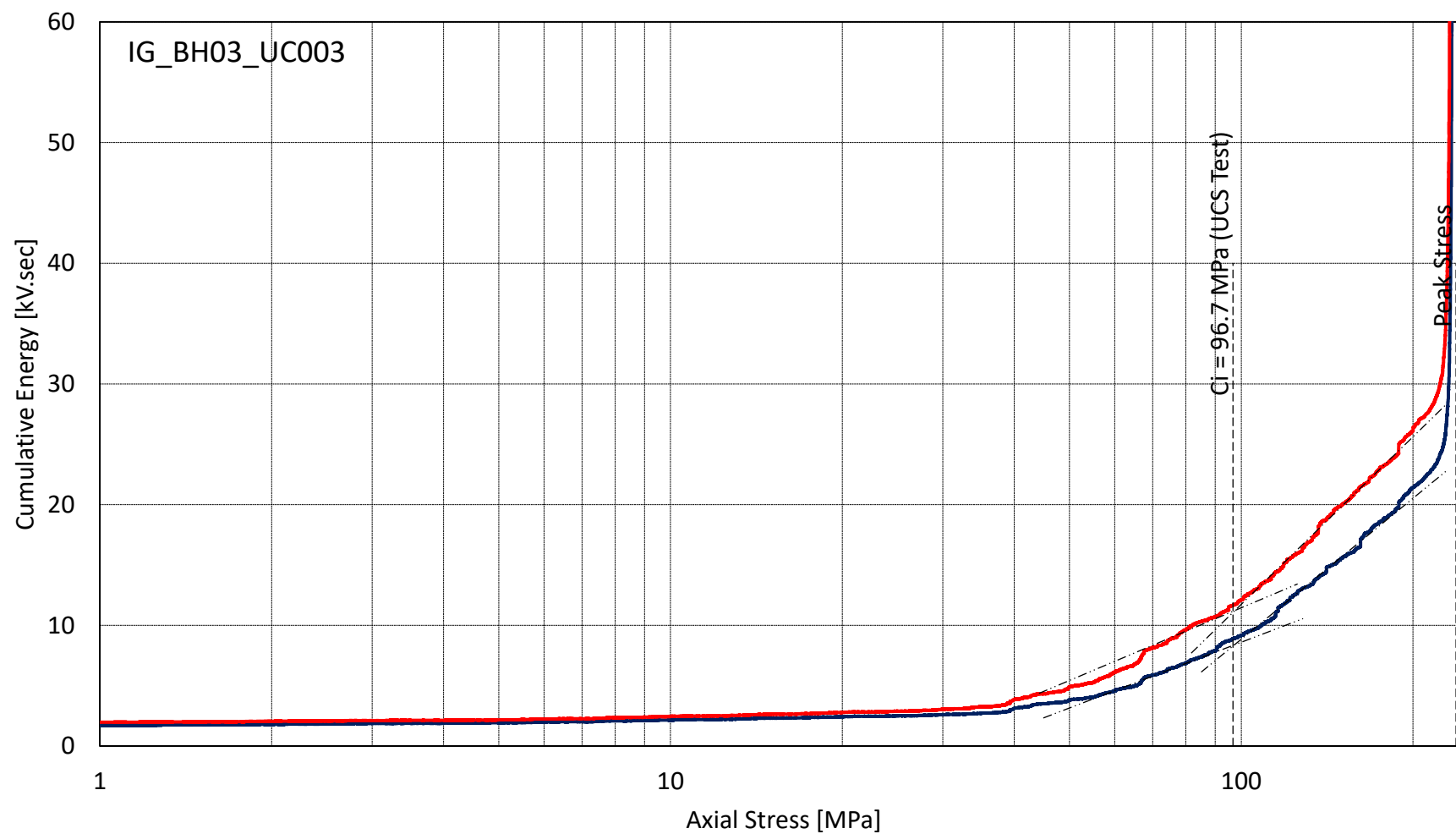
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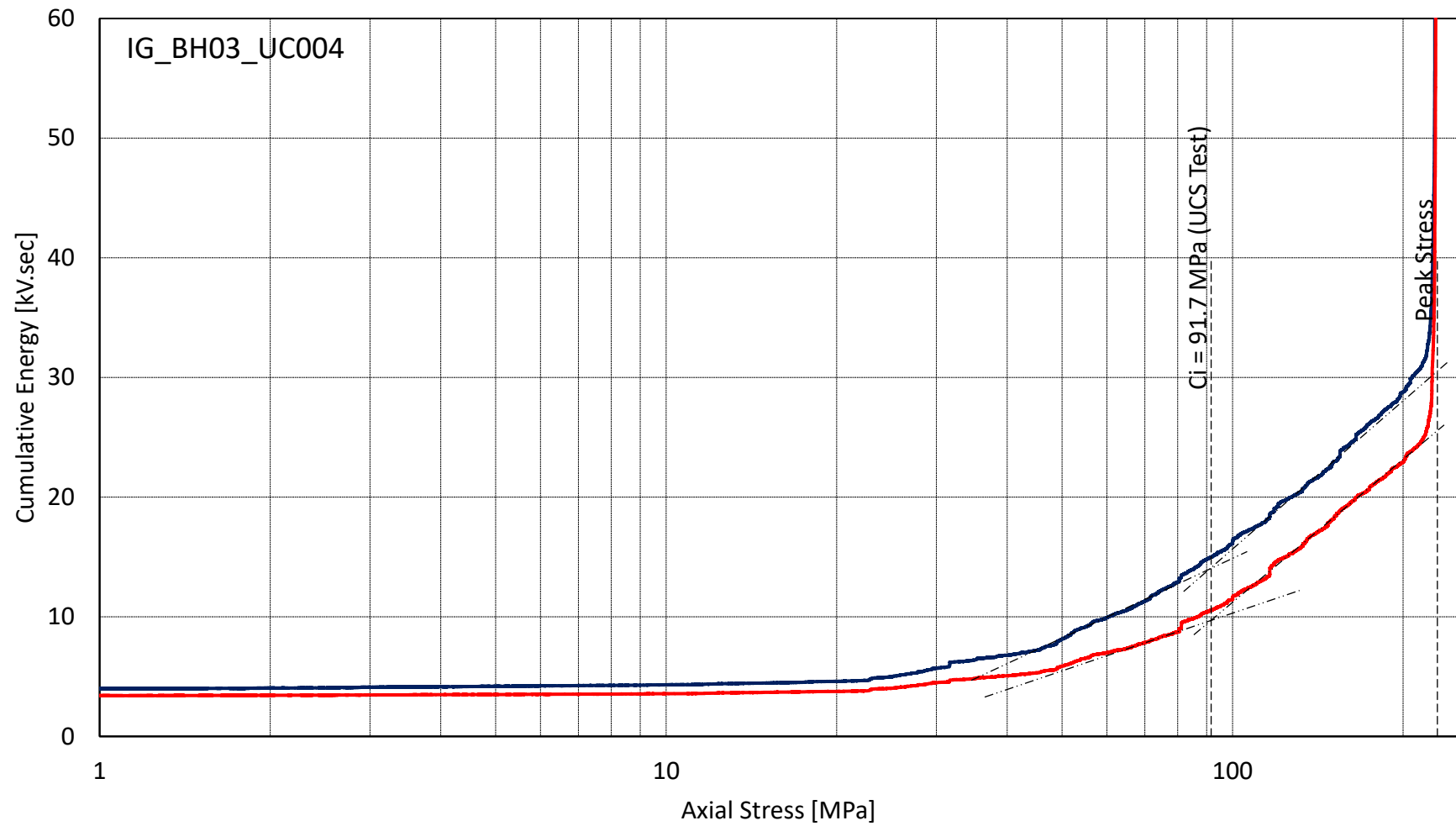
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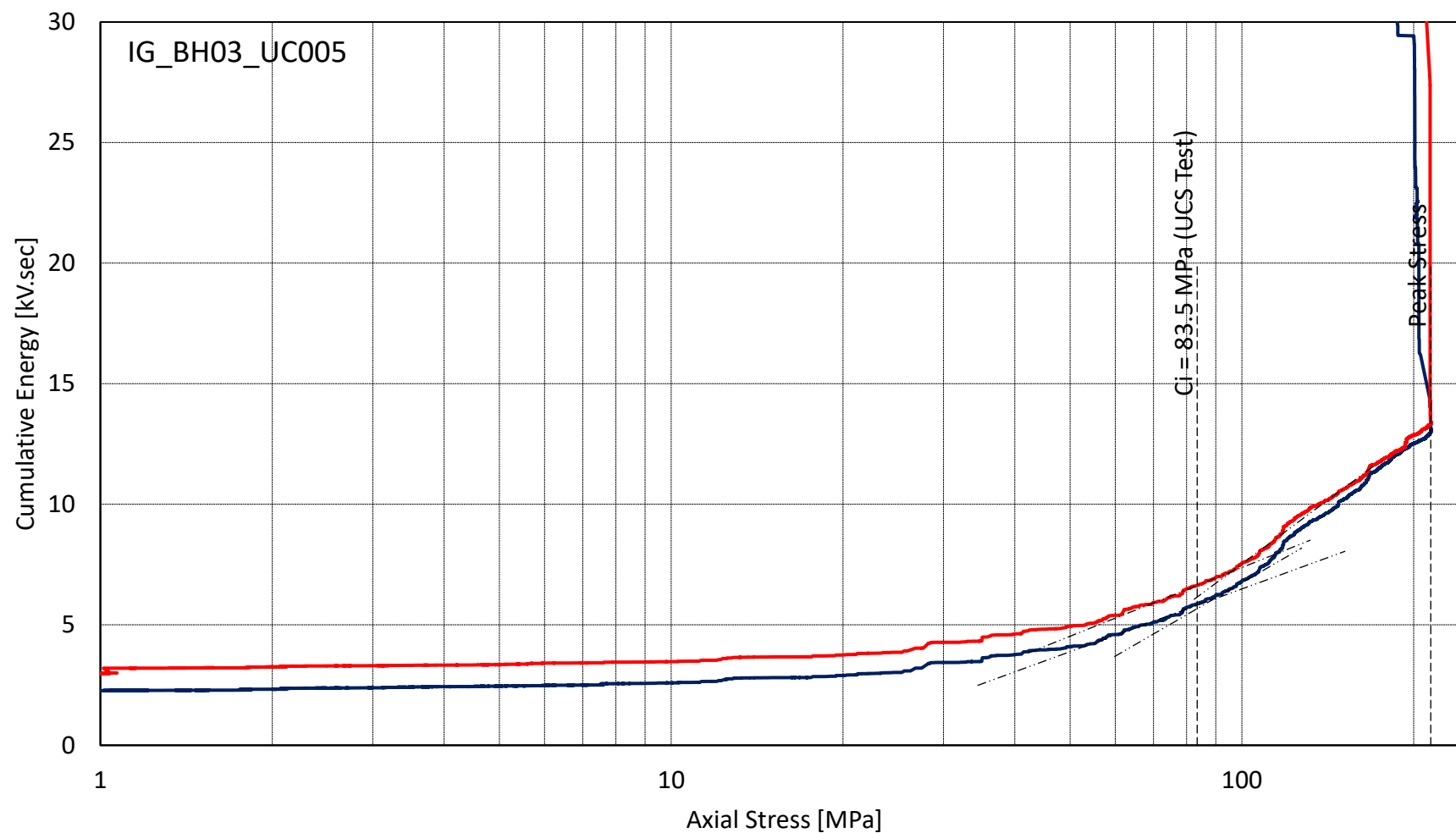
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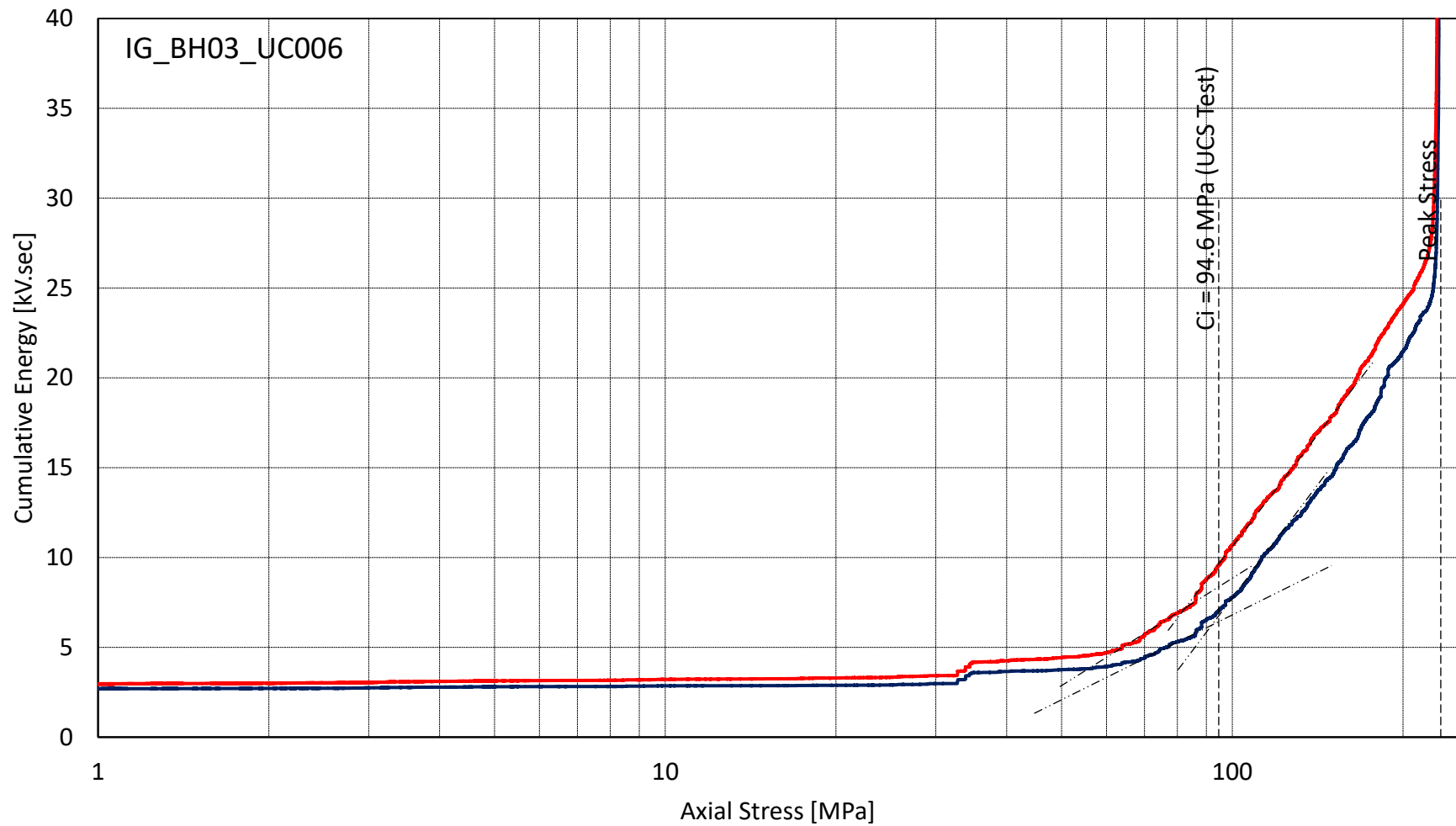
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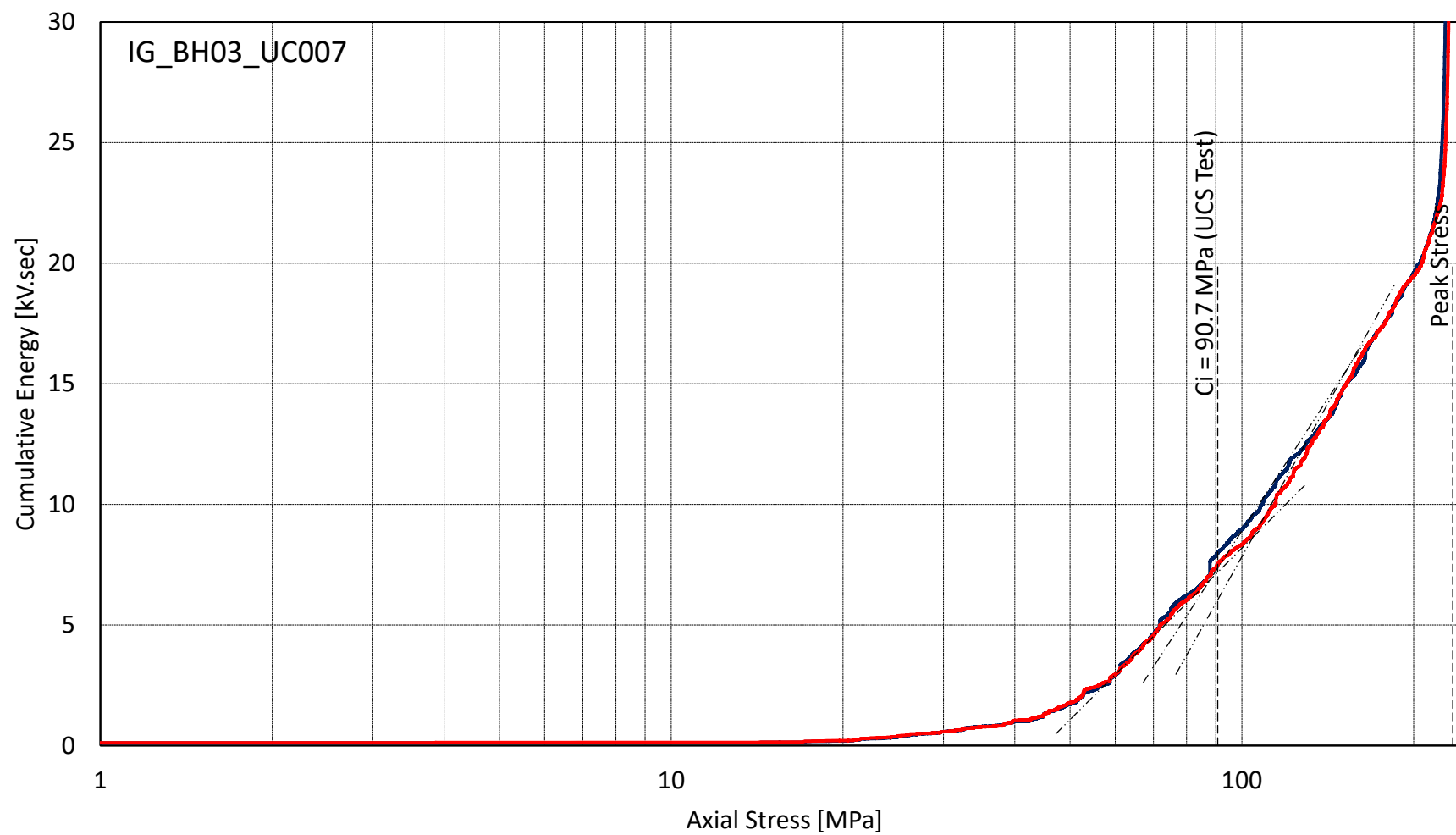
Test Specimen IG_BH03_UC004 – Depth = 540.19 m: Cumulative Energy vs Axial Stress



Test Specimen IG_BH03_UC005 – Depth = 552.67 m: Cumulative Energy vs Axial Stress



Test Specimen IG_BH03_UC006 – Depth = 582.55 m: Cumulative Energy vs Axial Stress



Test Specimen IG_BH03_UC007 – Depth = 662.59 m: Cumulative Energy vs Axial Stress

Test Summary

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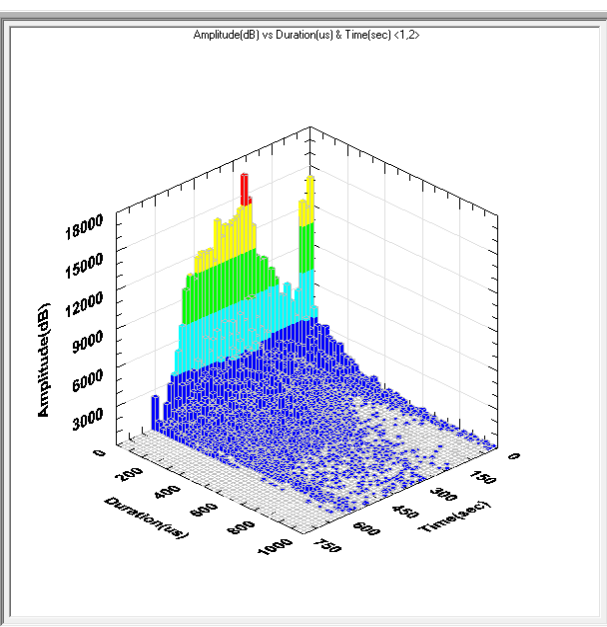
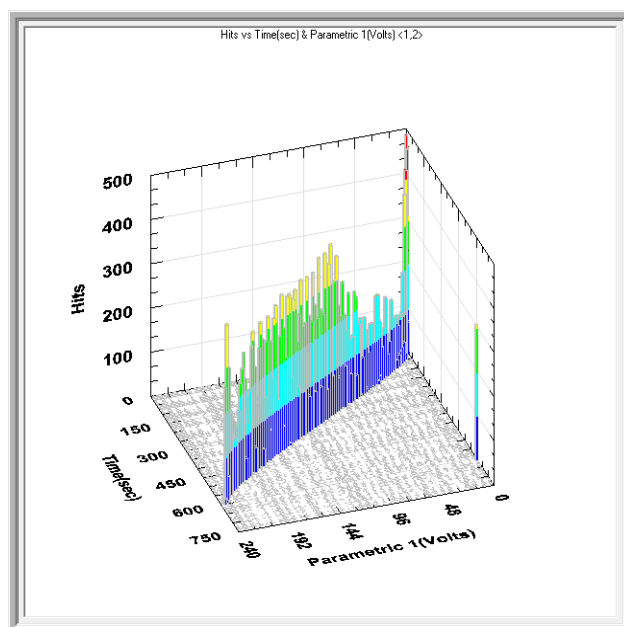
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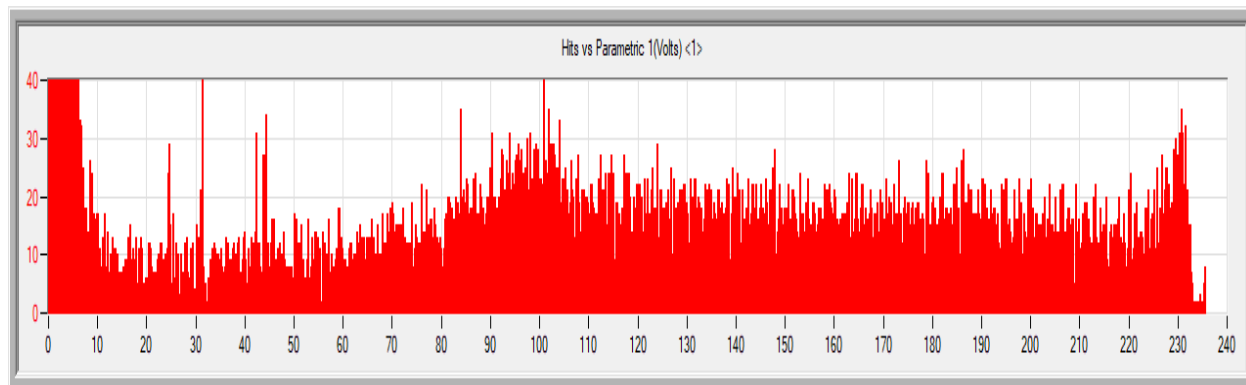
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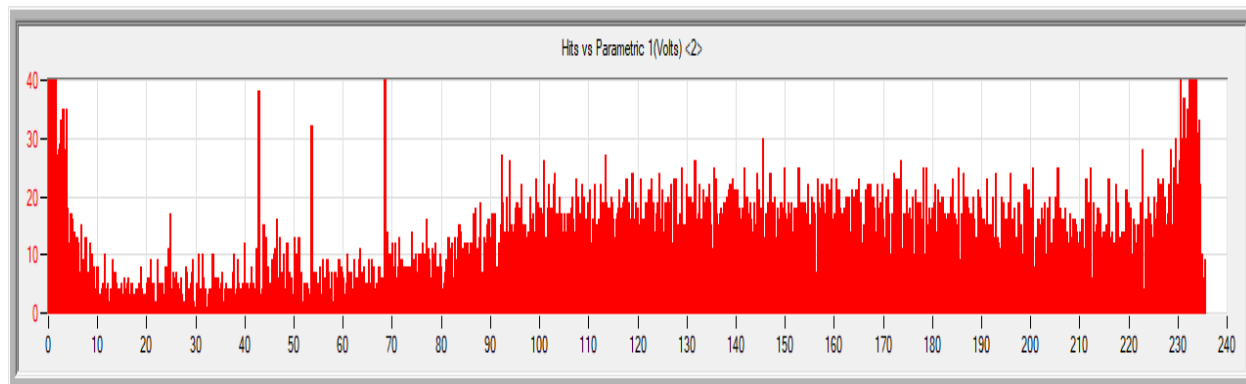
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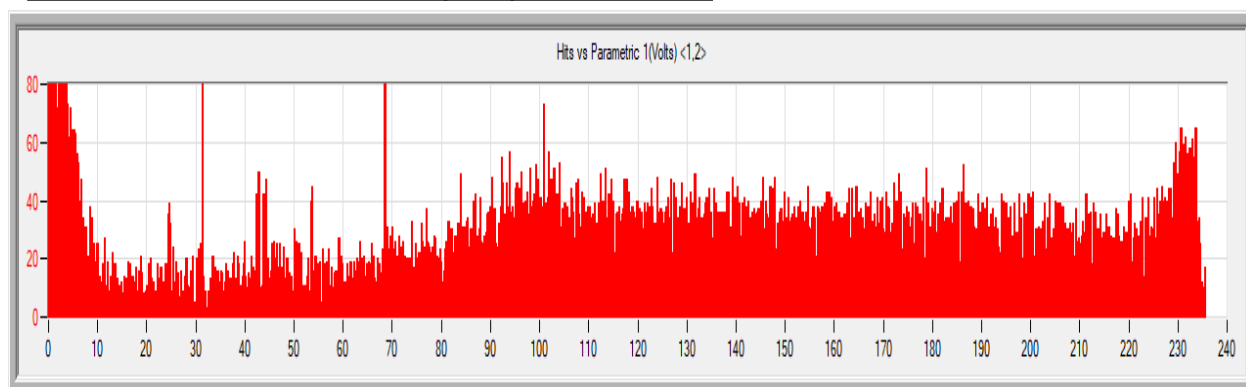
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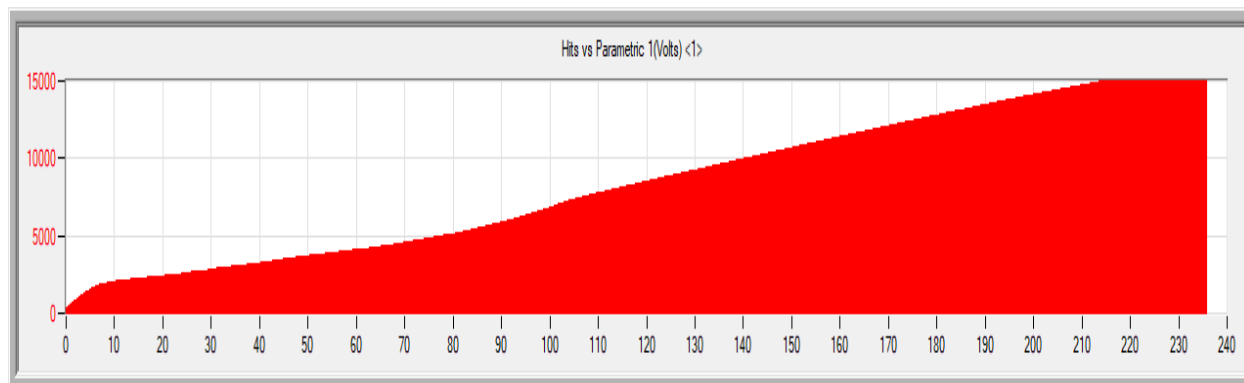
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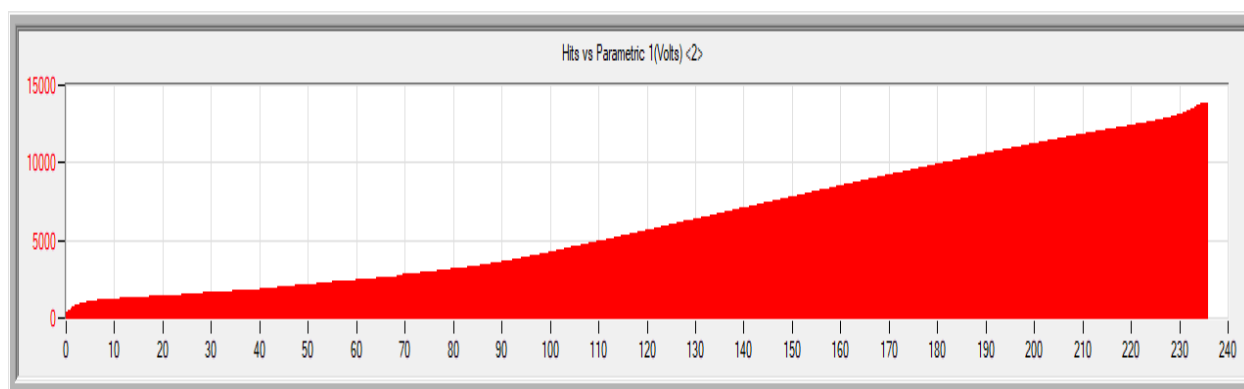
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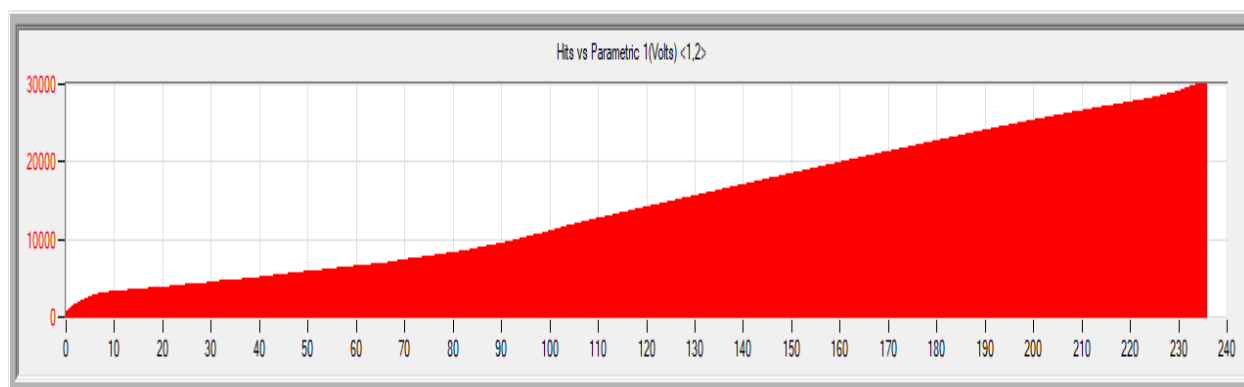
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Cumulative Number of Hits vs. Axial Stress (MPa): Channels 1+2



Test Summary

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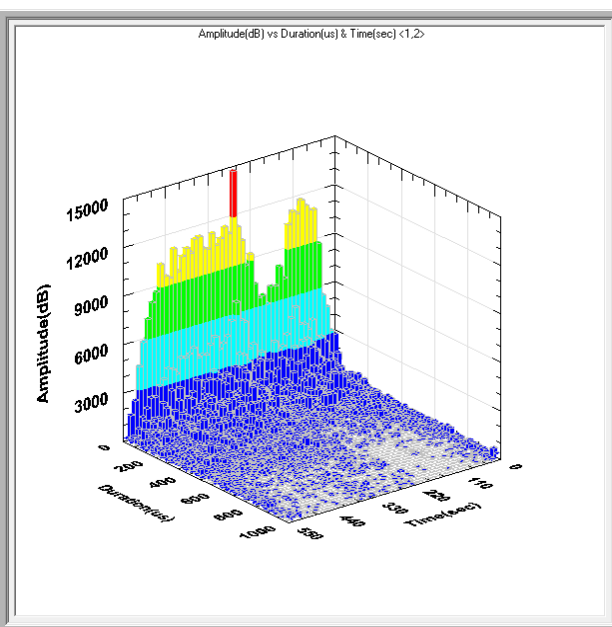
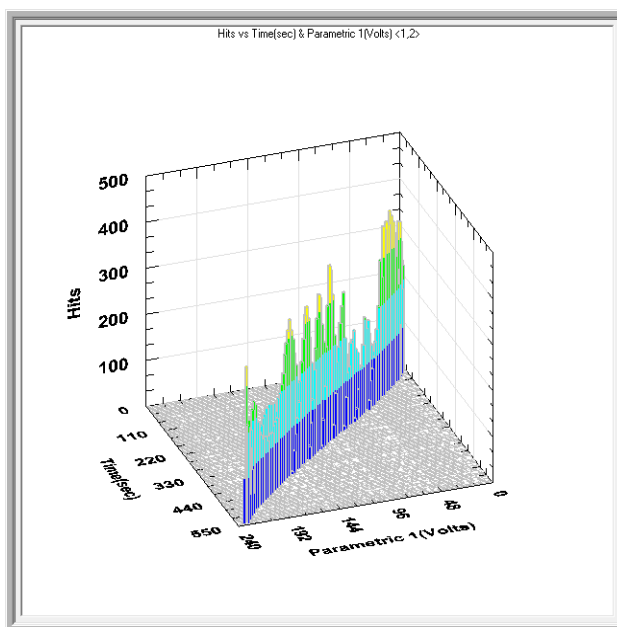
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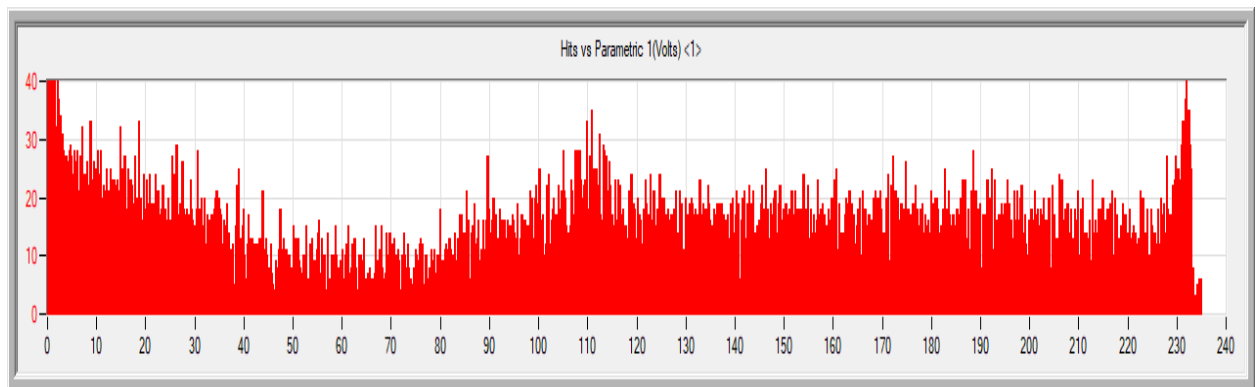
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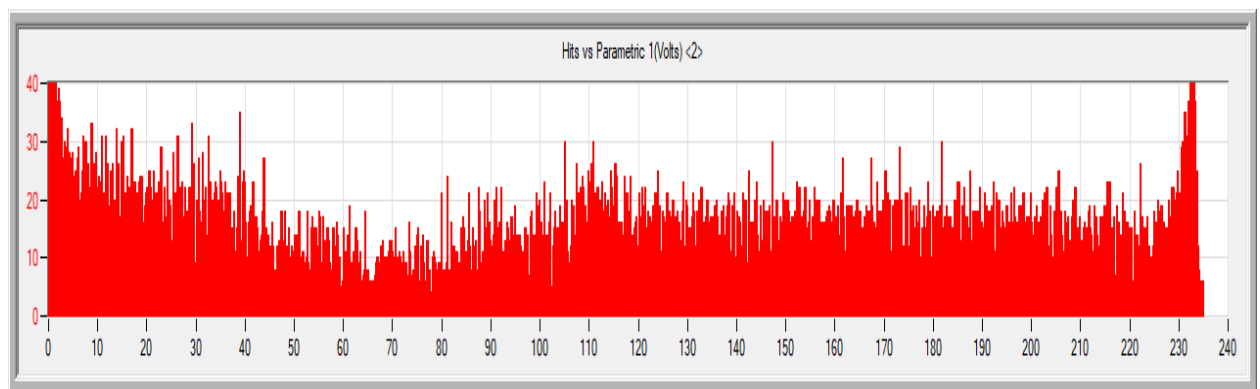
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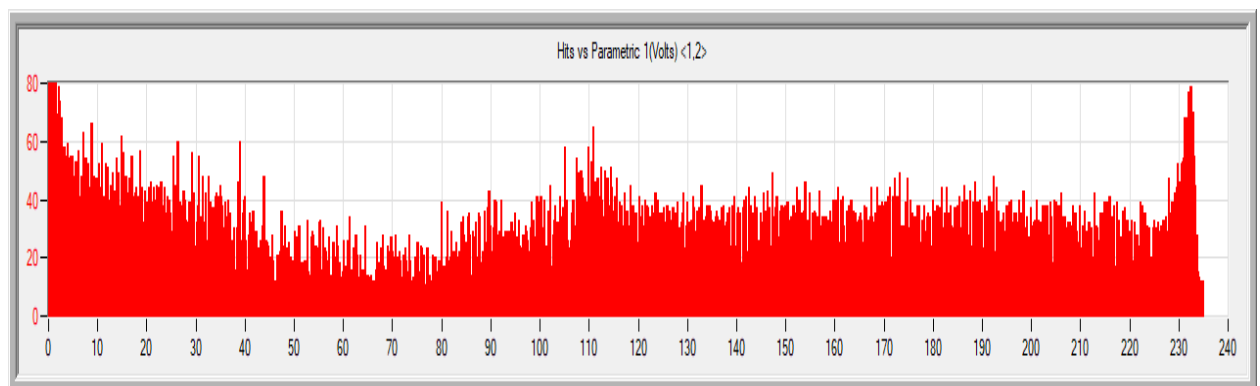
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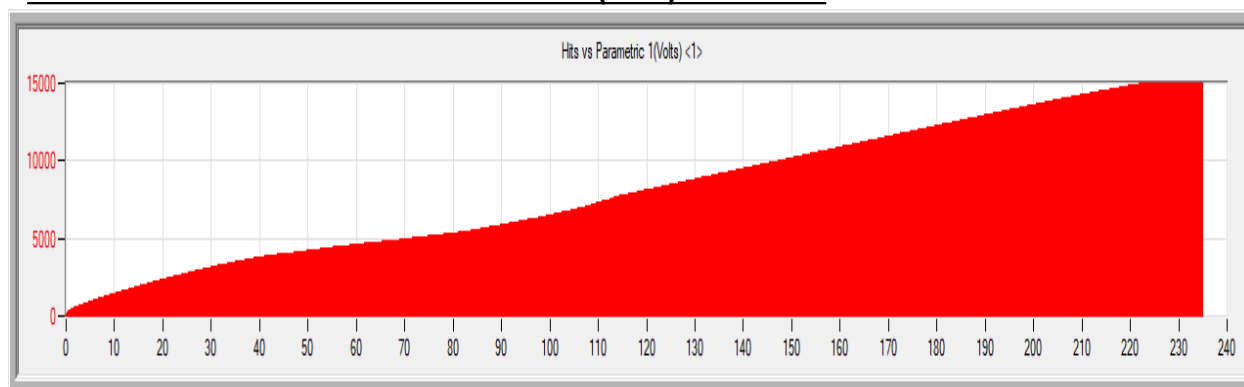
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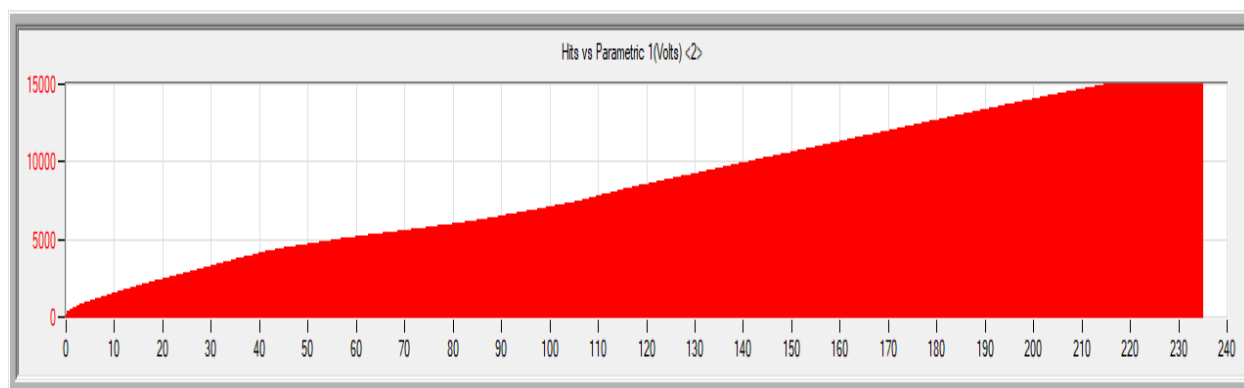
Number of Hits vs. Axial Stress (MPa): Channels 1+2



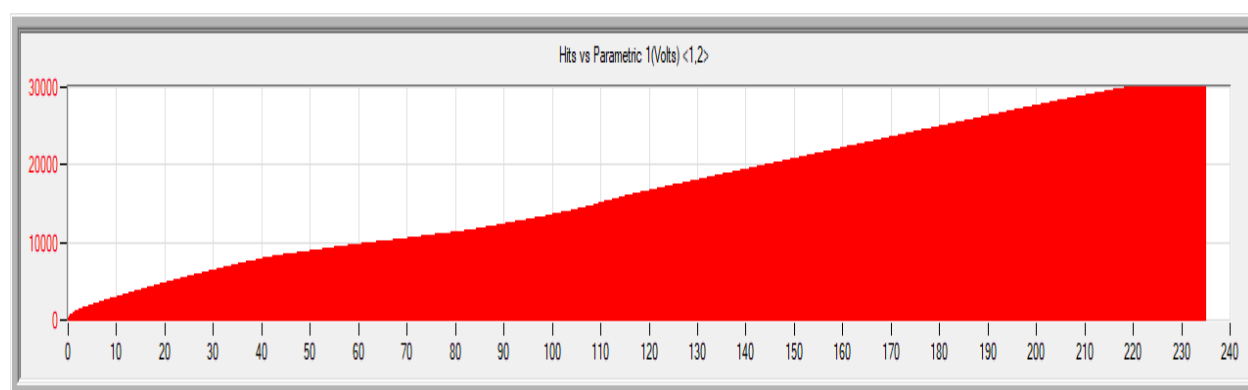
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Cumulative Number of Hits vs. Axial Stress (MPa): Channel 2



Cumulative Number of Hits vs. Axial Stress (MPa): Channels 1+2



Test Summary

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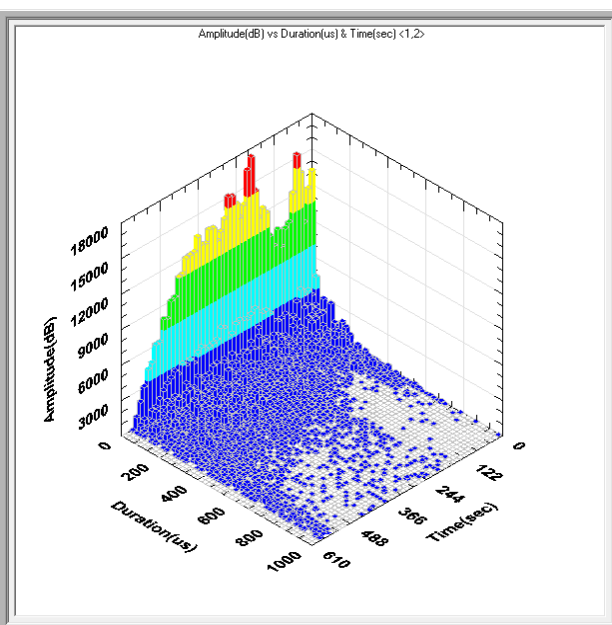
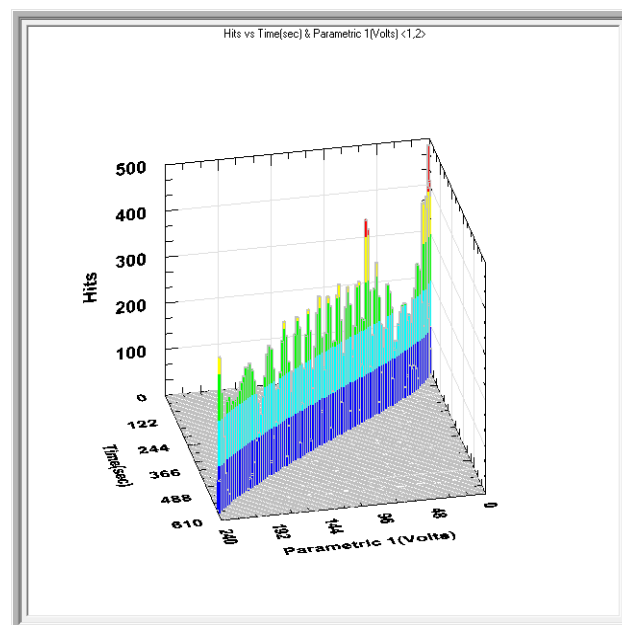
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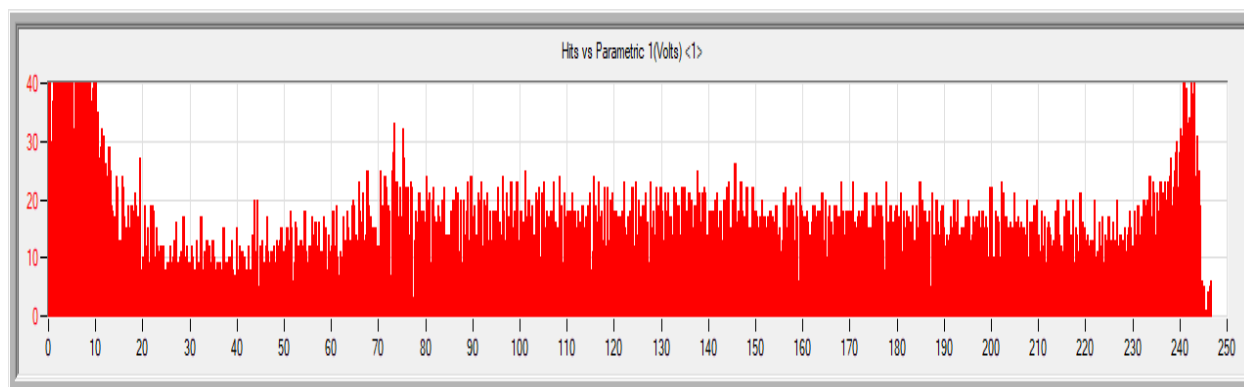
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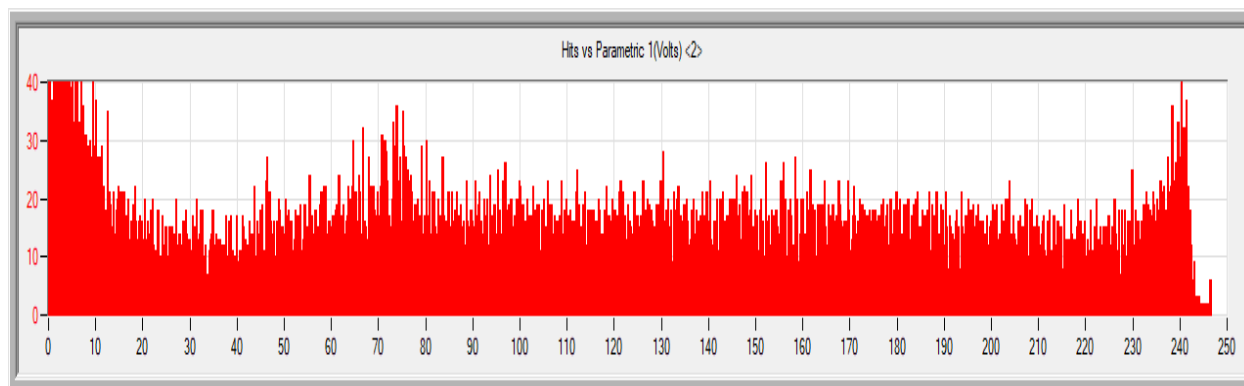
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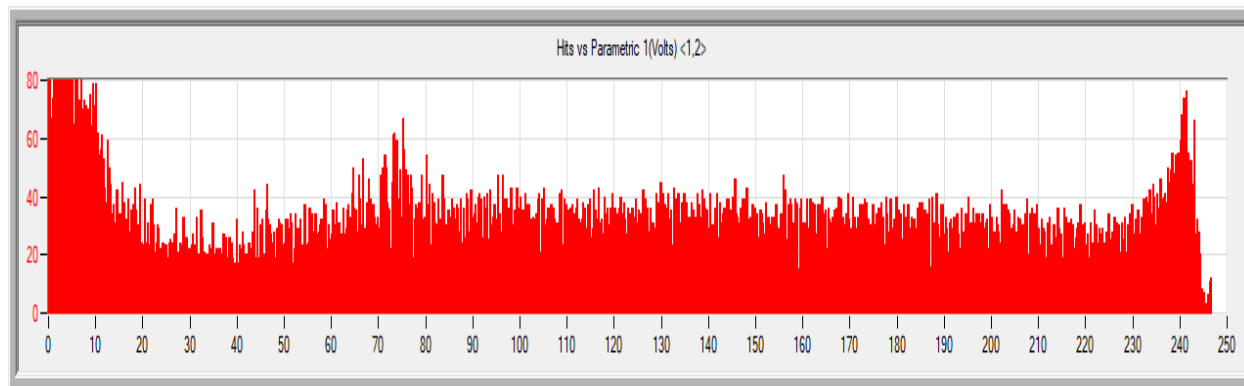
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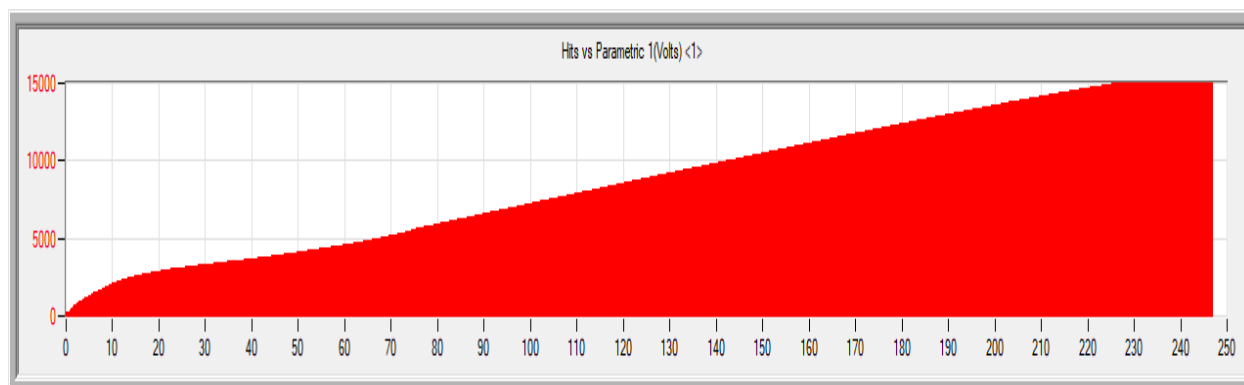
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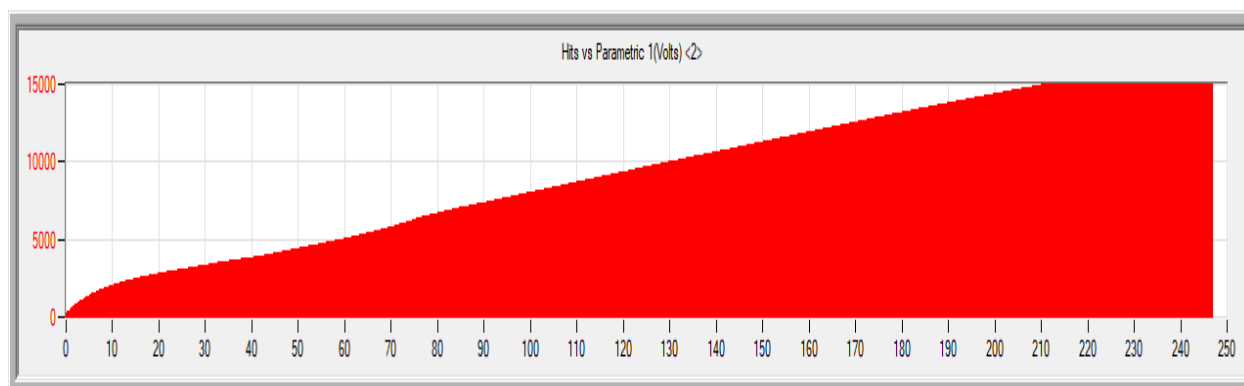
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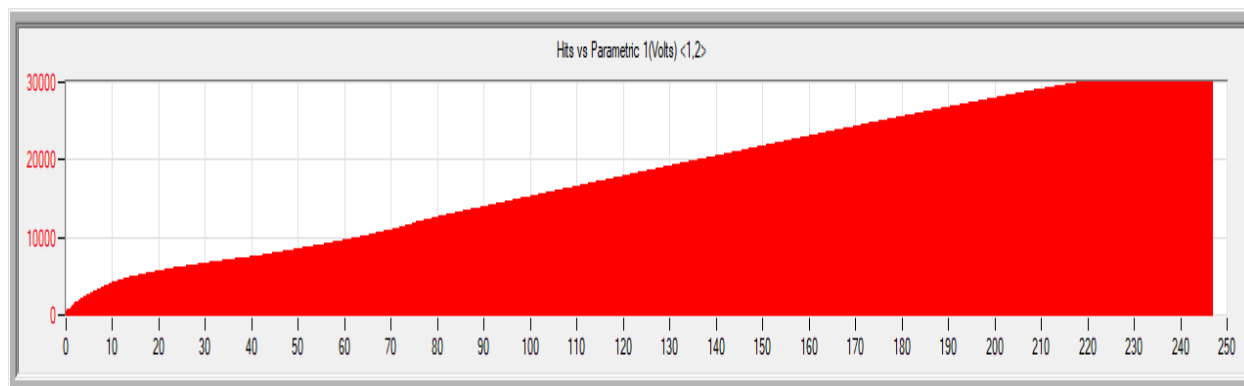
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Cumulative Number of Hits vs. Axial Stress (MPa): Channel 2



Cumulative Number of Hits vs. Axial Stress (MPa): Channels 1+2



Test Summary

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Total Resumes : 1
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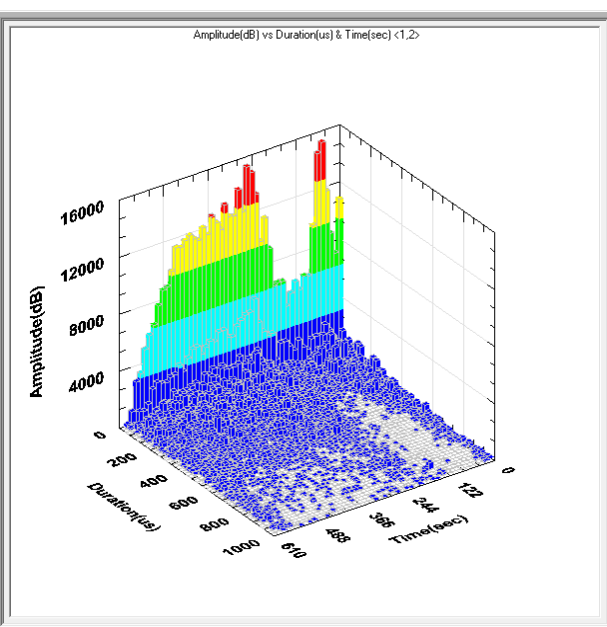
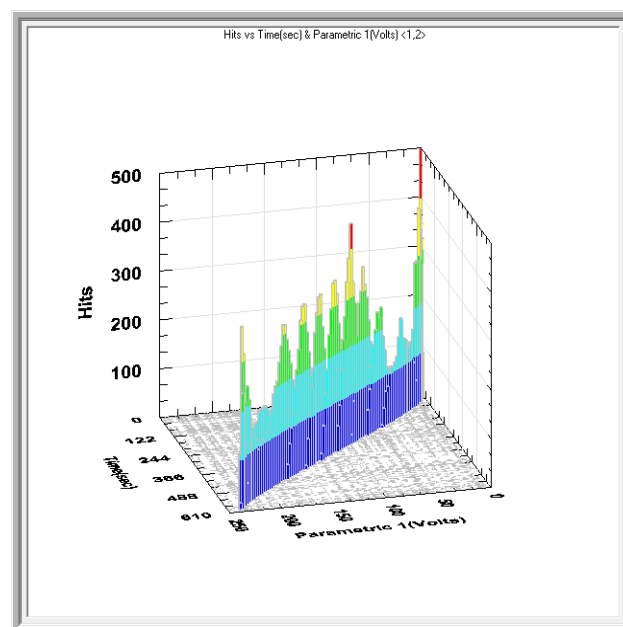
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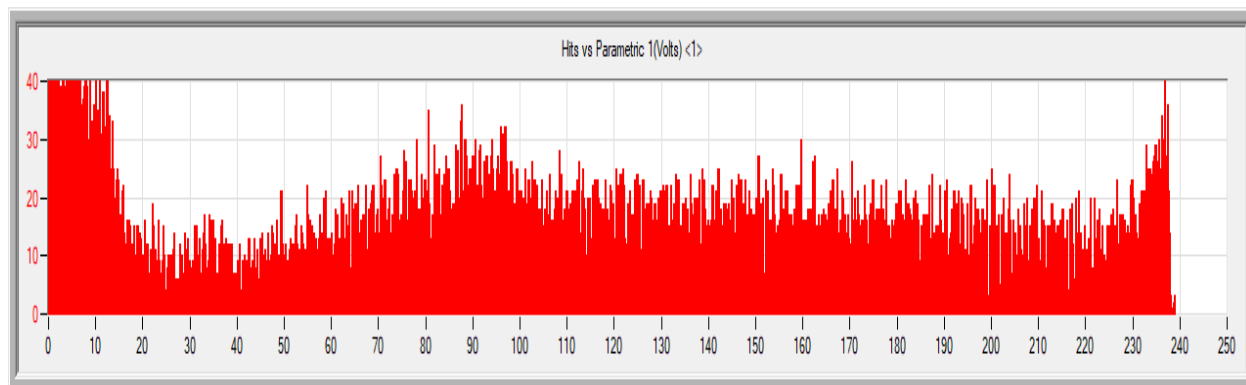
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Amplitude	2	40.0000	100.0000	46.1692	7.3452
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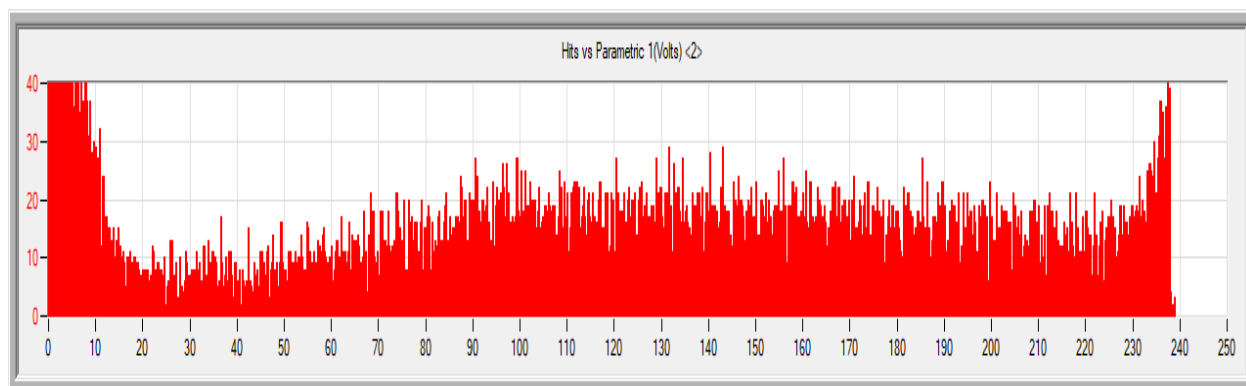
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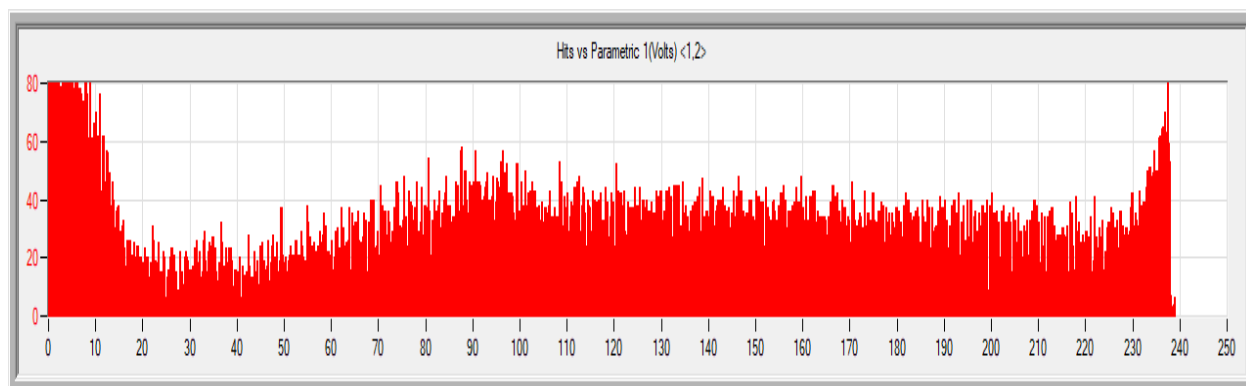
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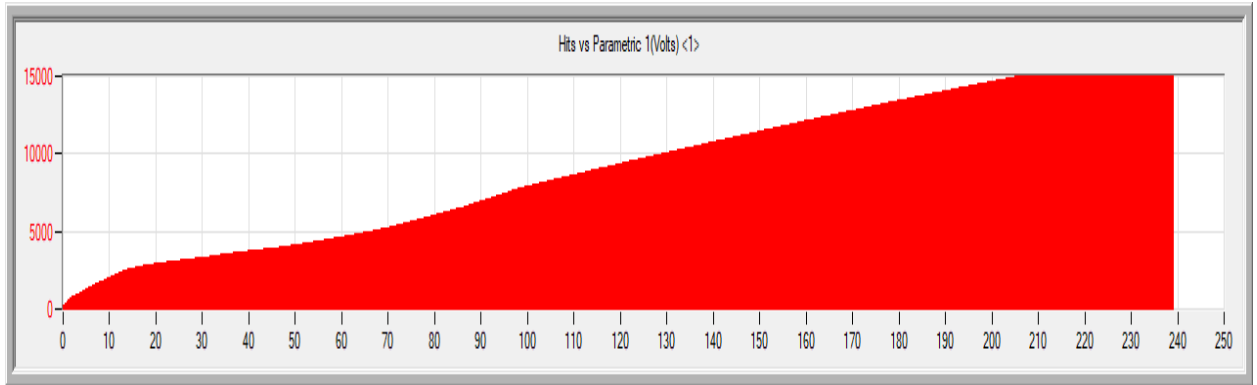
Number of Hits vs. Axial Stress (MPa): Channels 1+2



Acoustic Emission Data Analysis: Specimen IG-BH03-UC004

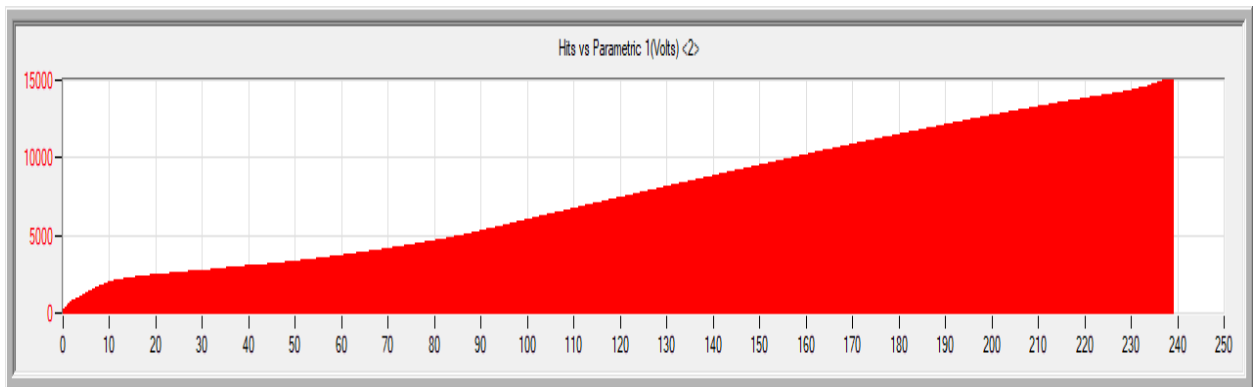
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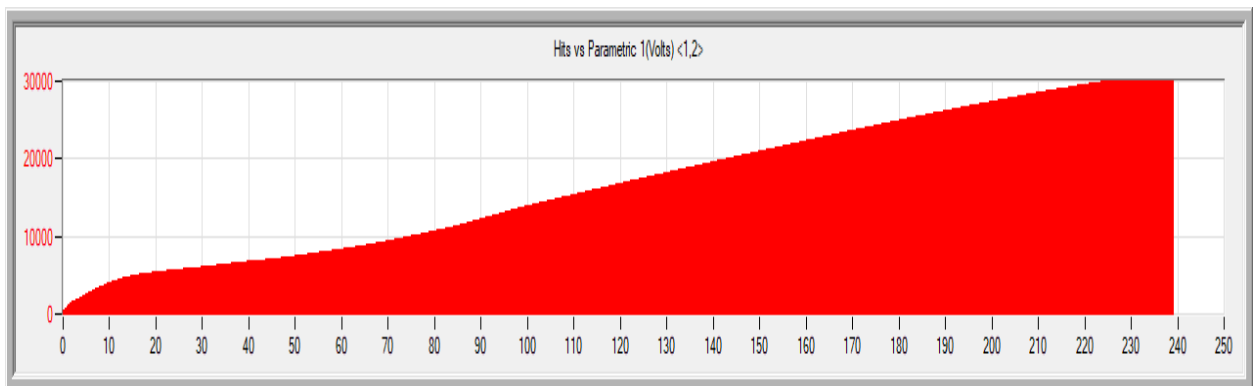
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Cumulative Number of Hits vs. Axial Stress (MPa): Channel 2



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Cumulative Number of Hits vs. Axial Stress (MPa): Channels 1+2



Test Summary

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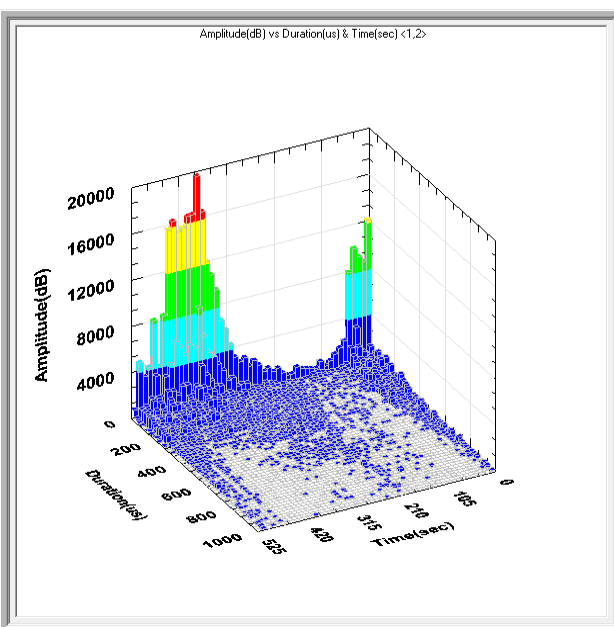
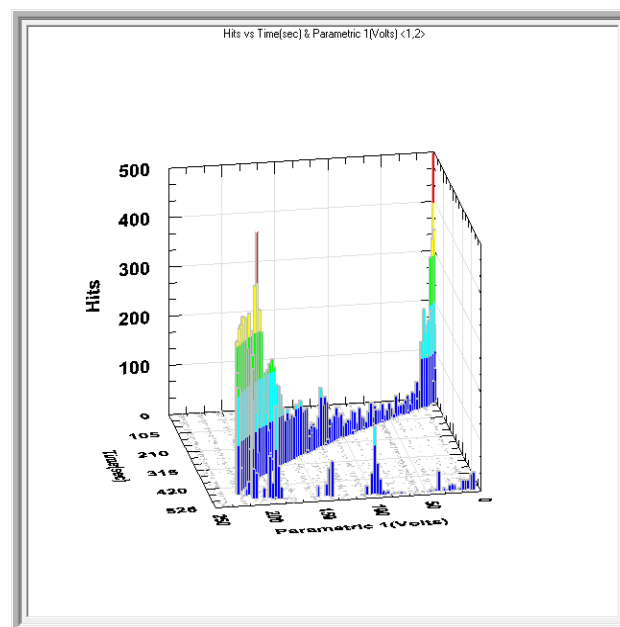
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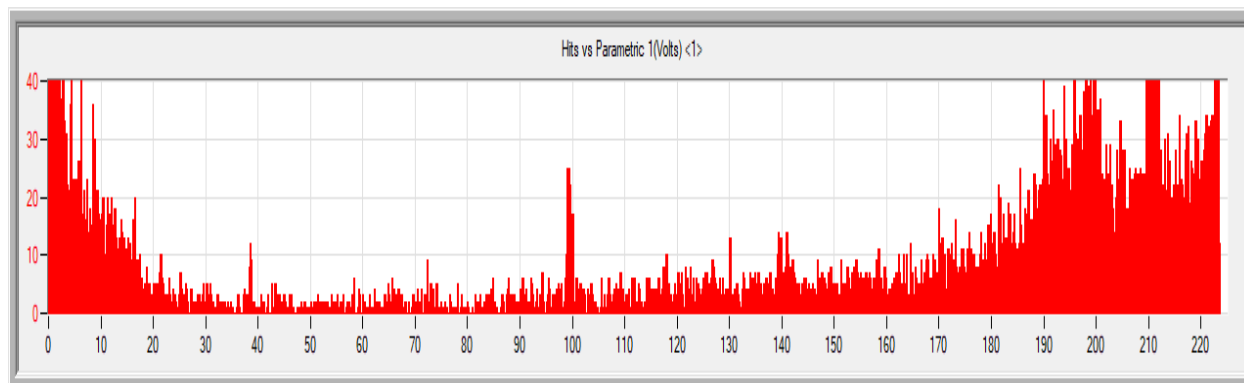
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Parametric1	1	0.0000	223.5071	142.4773	80.8508
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Threshold	2	40.0000	40.0000	40.0000	0.0009
SigStrength	2	0.0000	817433088.0000	246497.0625	12014555.5591
AbsEnergy	2	0.0000	3495696896.0000	809330.9375	44671743.0565
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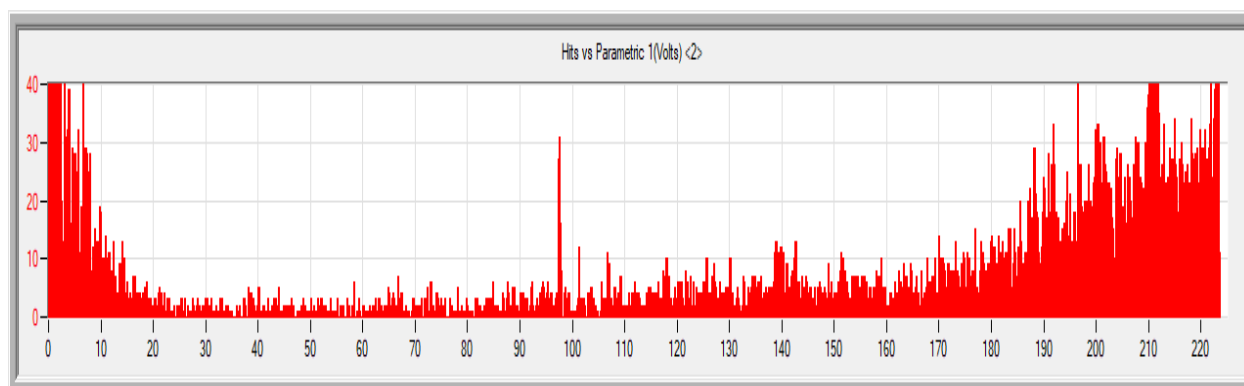
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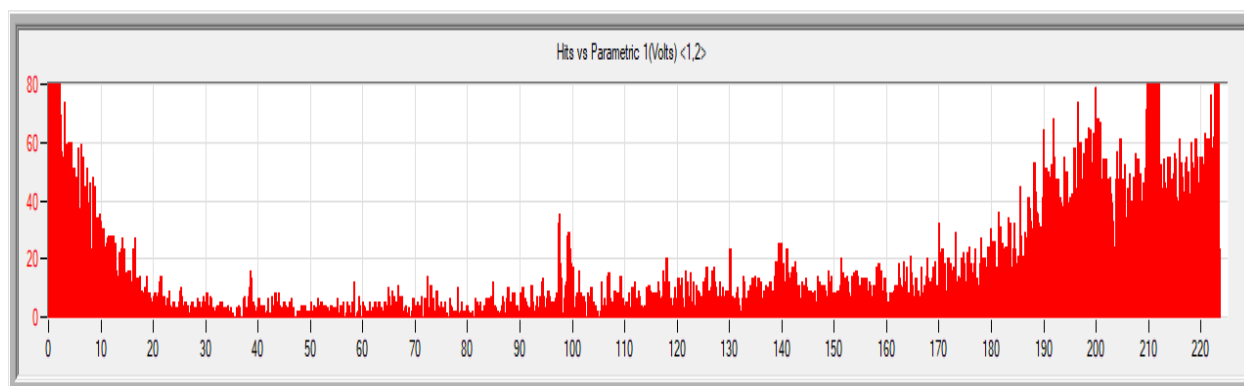
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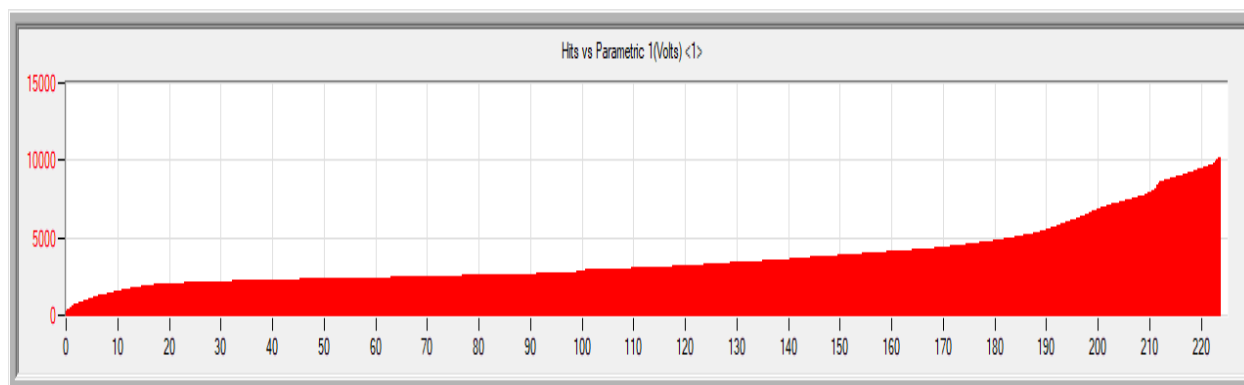
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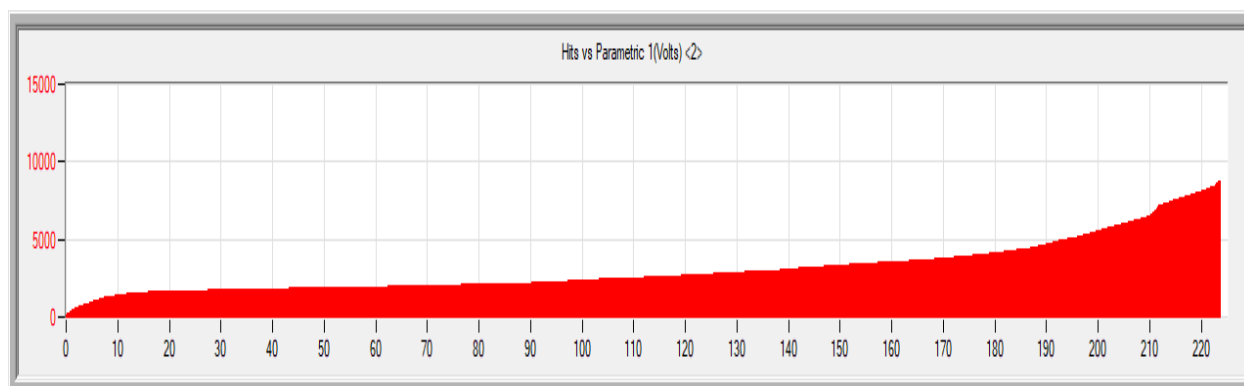
Number of Hits vs. Axial Stress (MPa): Channels 1+2



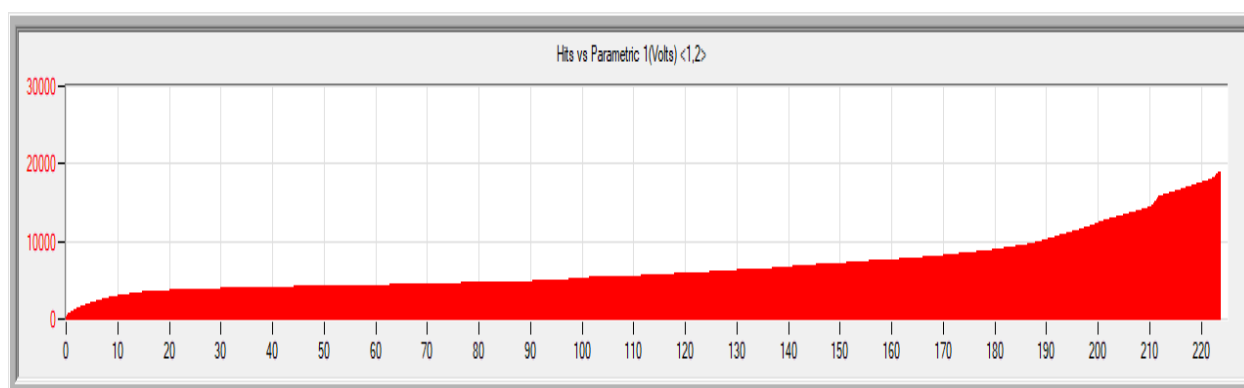
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Cumulative Number of Hits vs. Axial Stress (MPa): Channels 1+2



Test Summary

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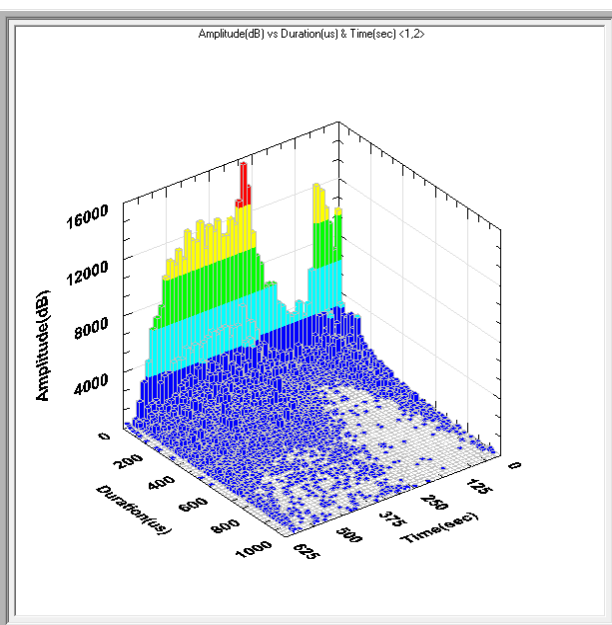
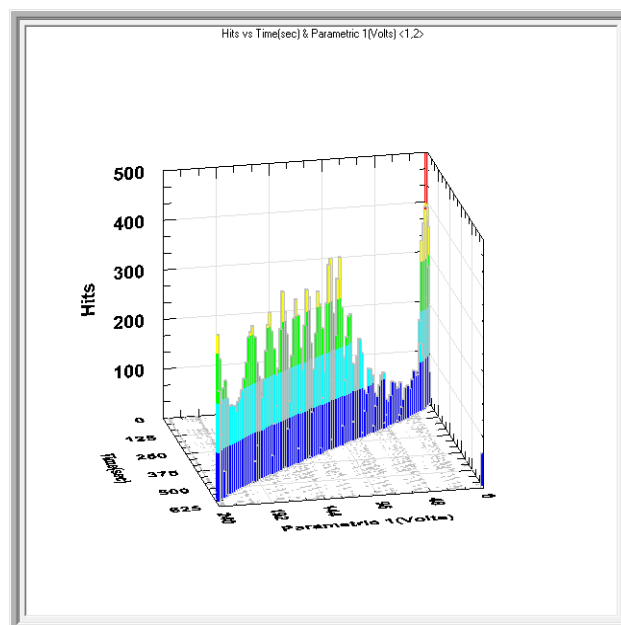
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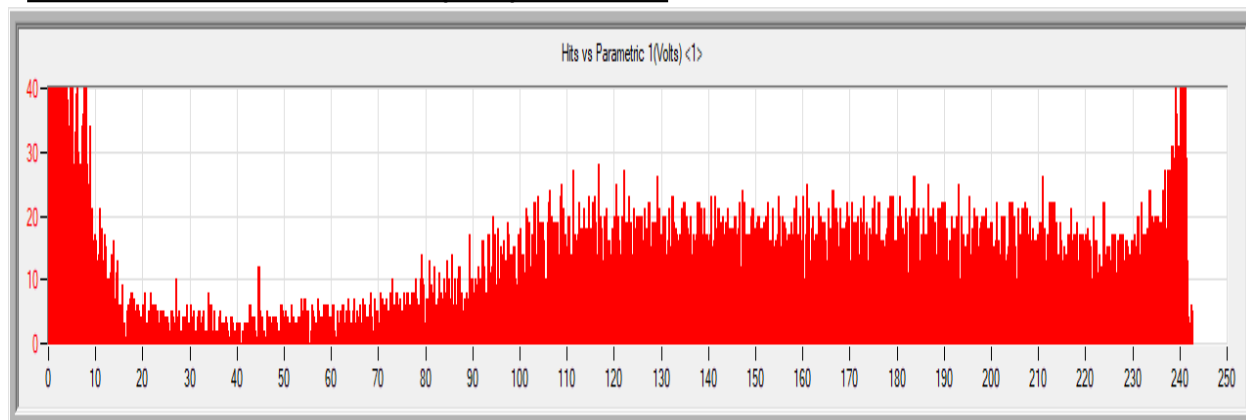
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Duration	2	0.0000	1000000.0000	1779.7452	29872.2294
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Threshold	2	40.0000	40.0000	40.0000	-1.#IND
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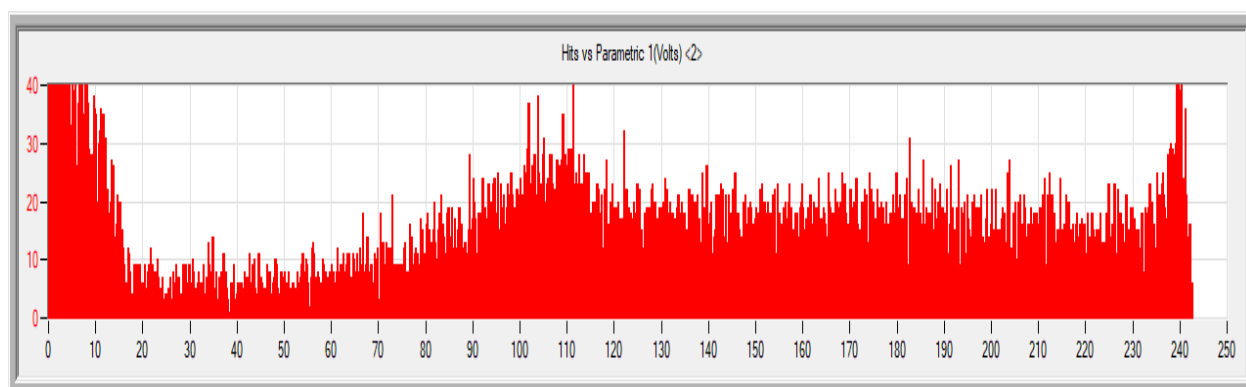
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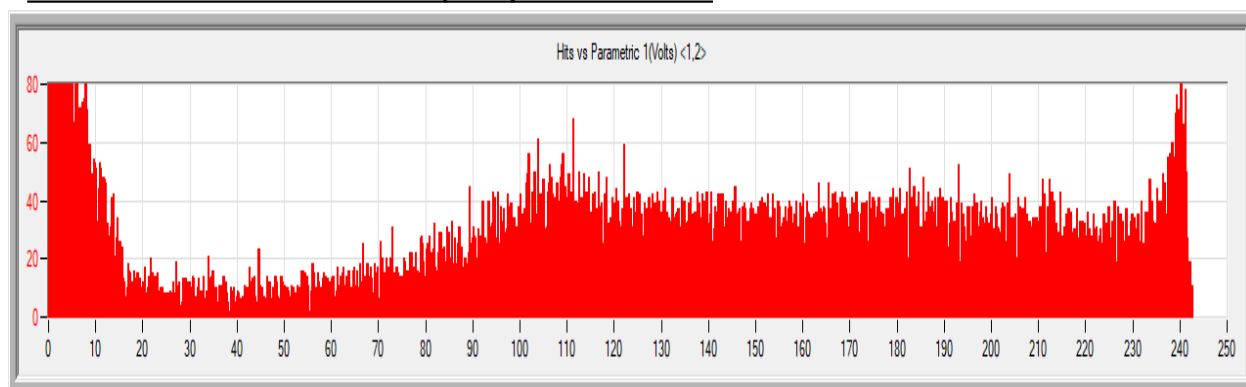
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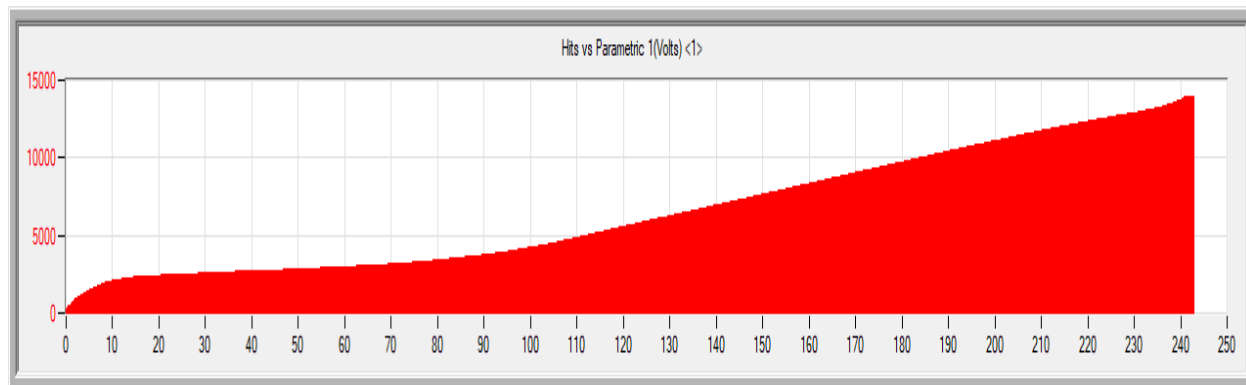
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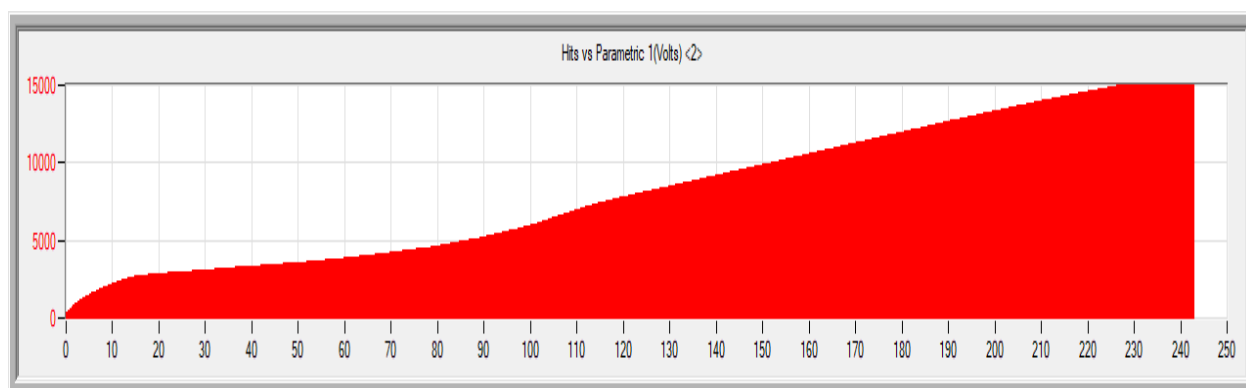
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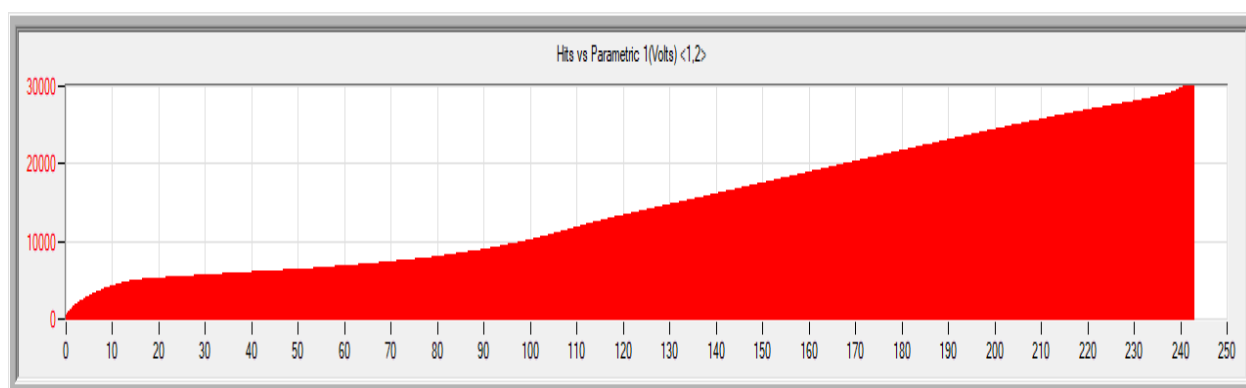
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Cumulative Number of Hits vs. Axial Stress (MPa): Channel 2



Cumulative Number of Hits vs. Axial Stress (MPa): Channels 1+2



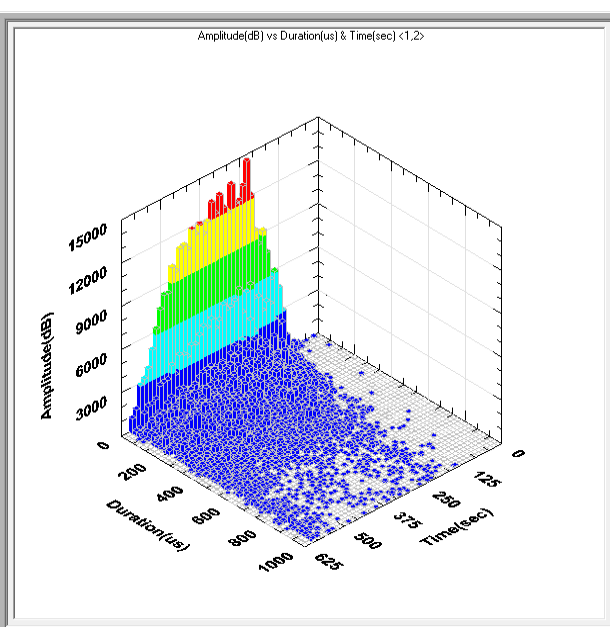
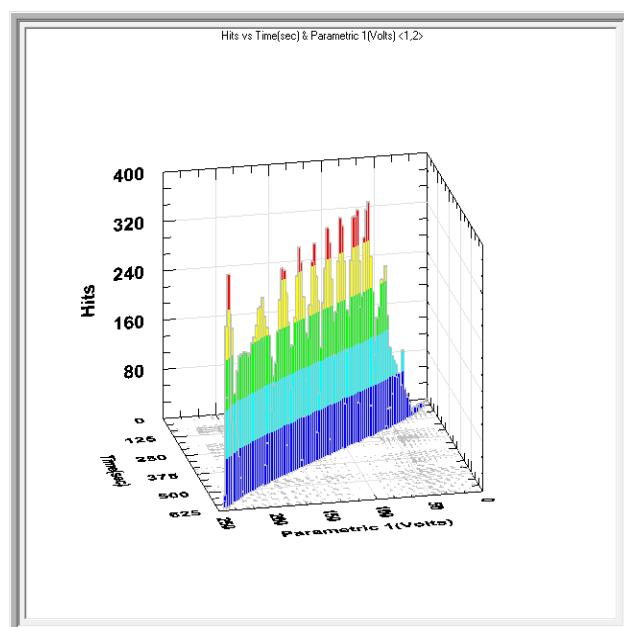
Test Summary

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Total Pauses :      1
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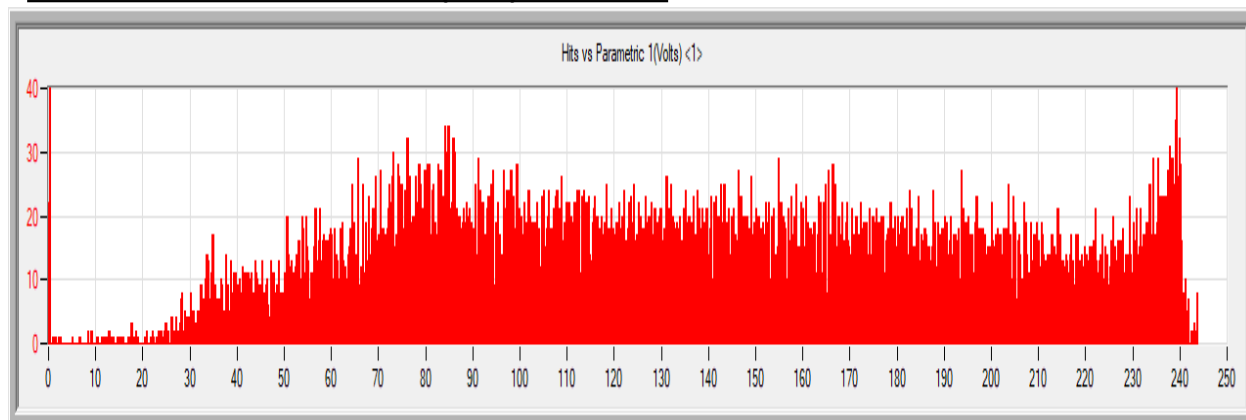
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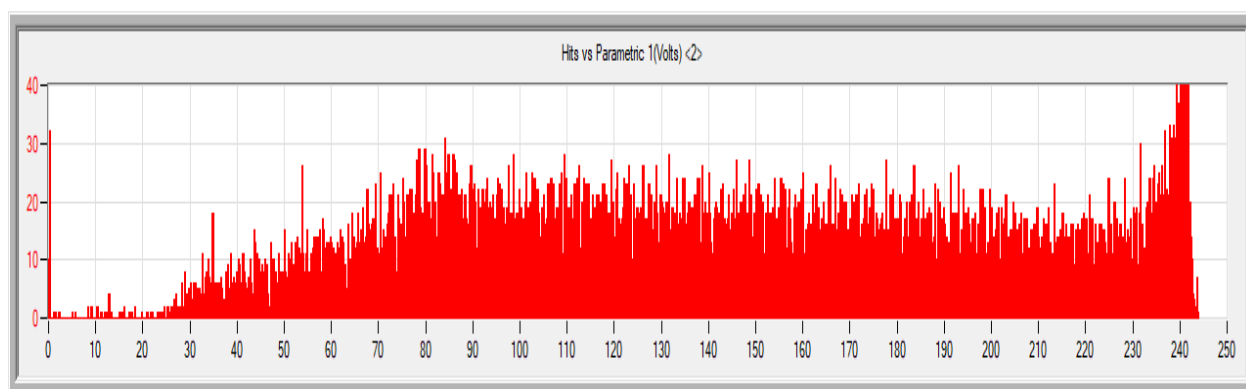
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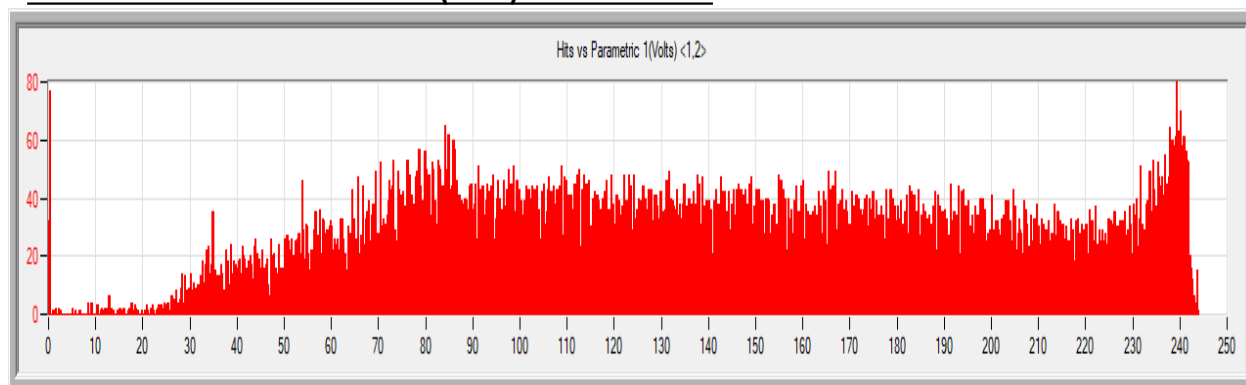
Number of Hits vs. Axial Stress (MPa): Channel 1



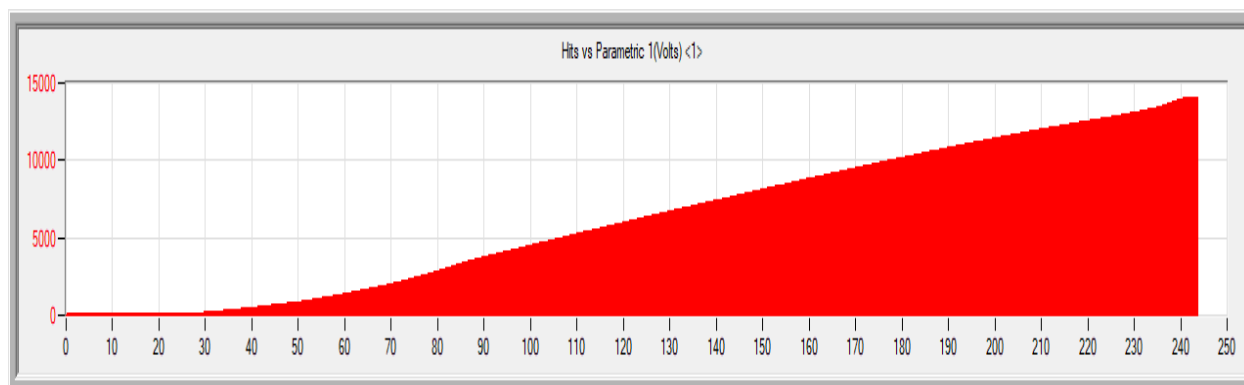
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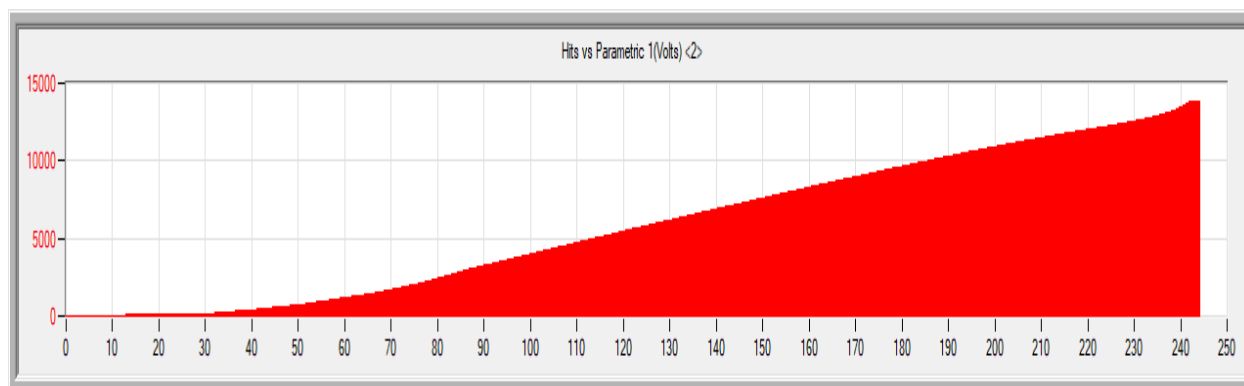
Number of Hits vs. Axial Stress (MPa): Channels 1+2



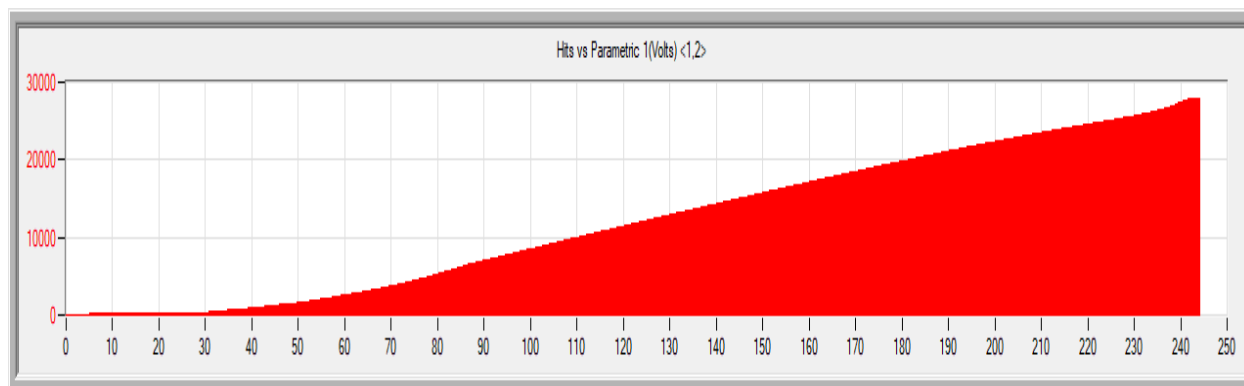
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Cumulative Number of Hits vs. Axial Stress (MPa): Channel 2



Cumulative Number of Hits vs. Axial Stress (MPa): Channels 1+2



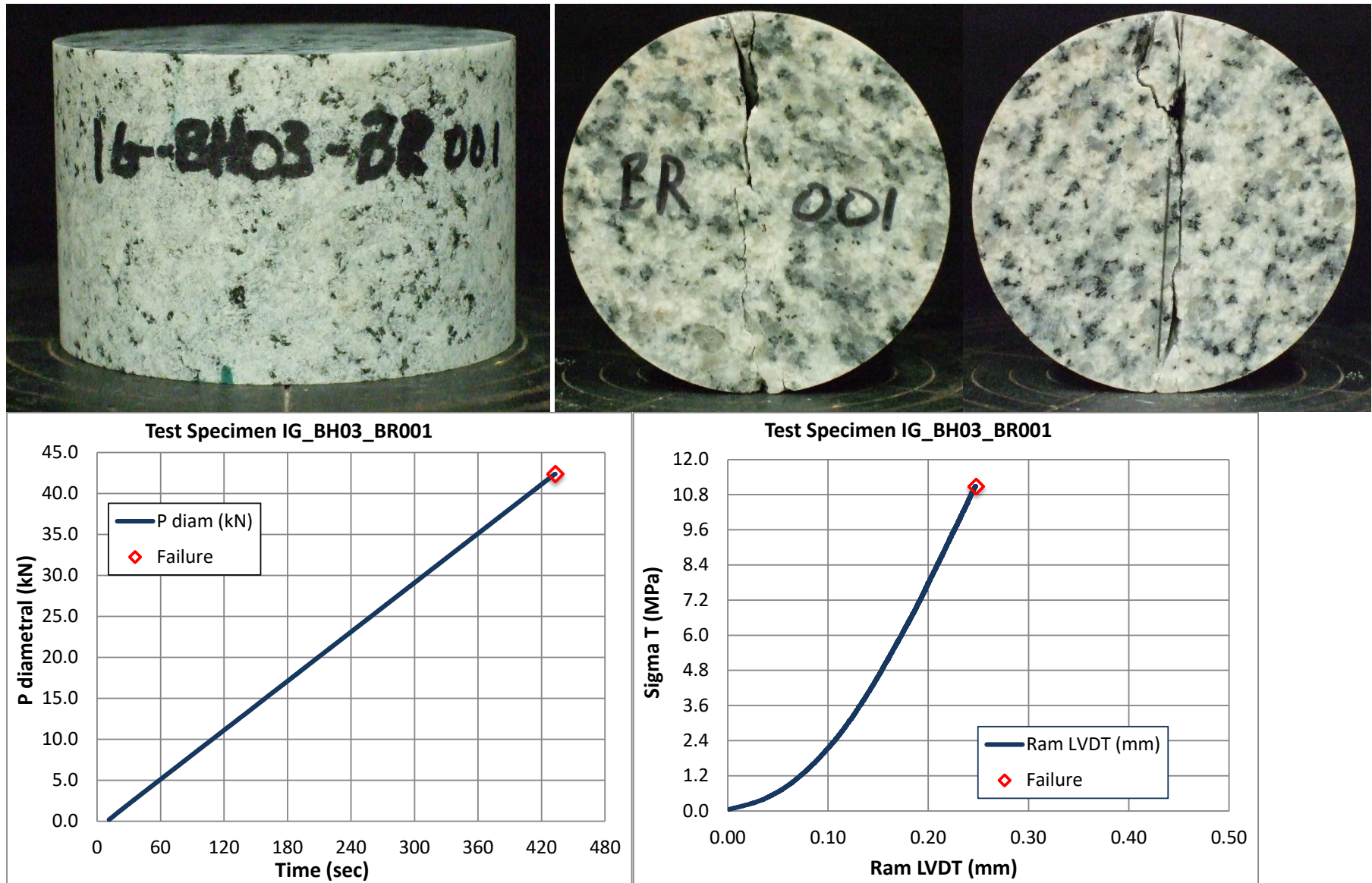
APPENDIX C

Indirect Tensile (Brazilian) Strength
Tests: Load-Time and Stress-
Displacement Graphs and
Photographs of Intact and Broken
Test Specimens

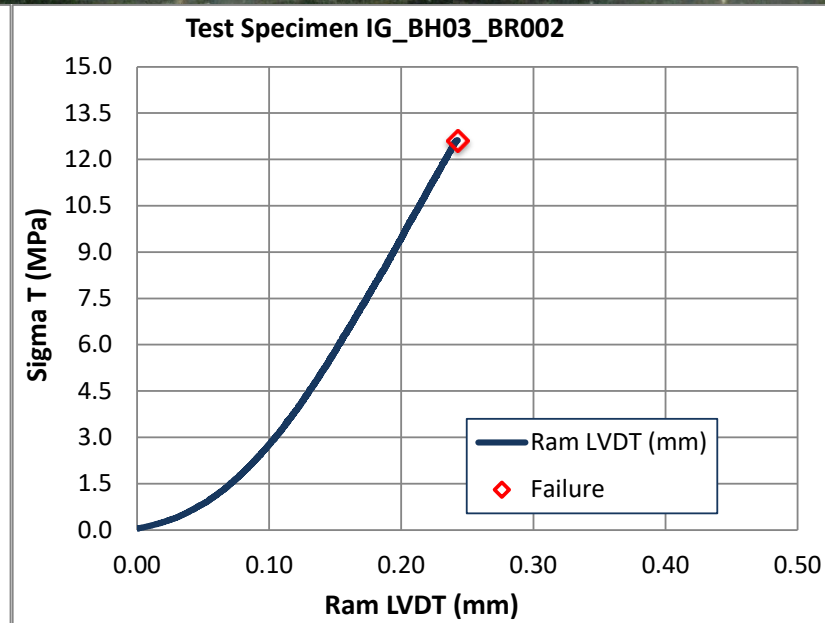
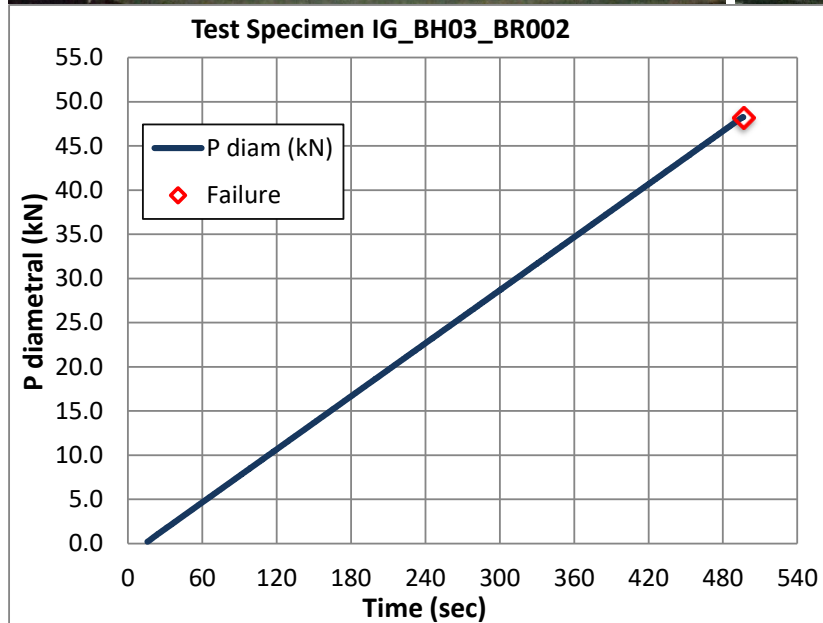
Table C-1: List of indirect tensile (Brazilian) test specimens

Specimen No.	Depth (m)¹	Rock Type	Page
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IG_BH01_BR002	455.42	Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite	C-3
IG_BH01_BR003	494.73	Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite	C-4
IG_BH01_BR004	540.42	Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite	C-5
IG_BH01_BR005	551.80	Amphibolite	C-6
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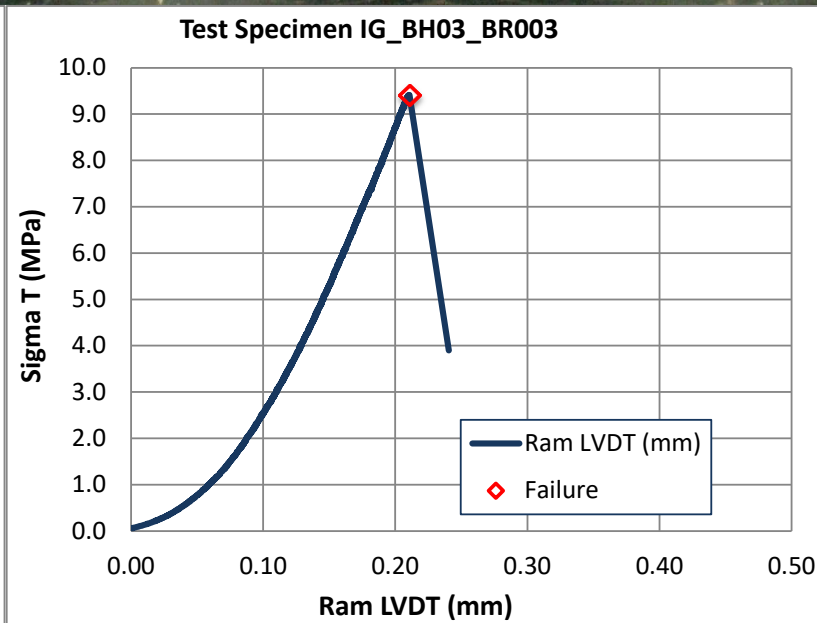
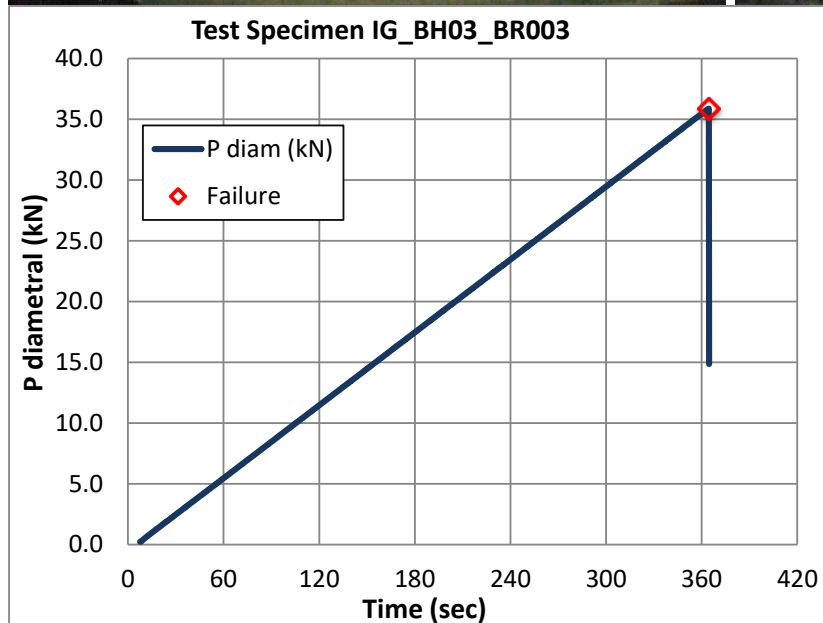
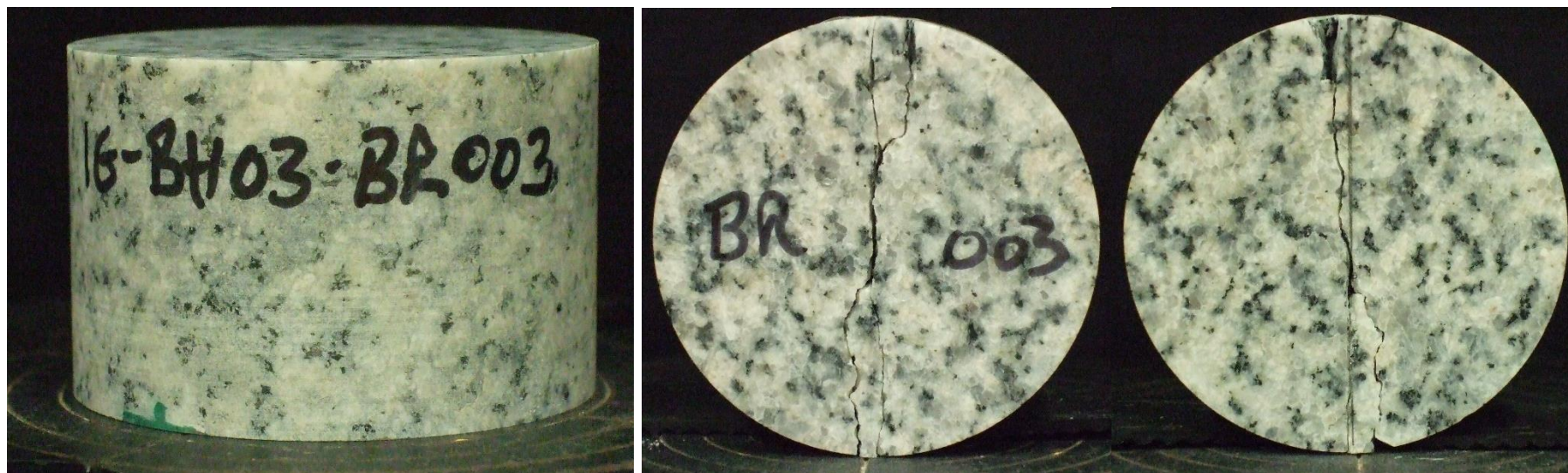
¹Top depth of prepared sub-sample (depth along borehole)



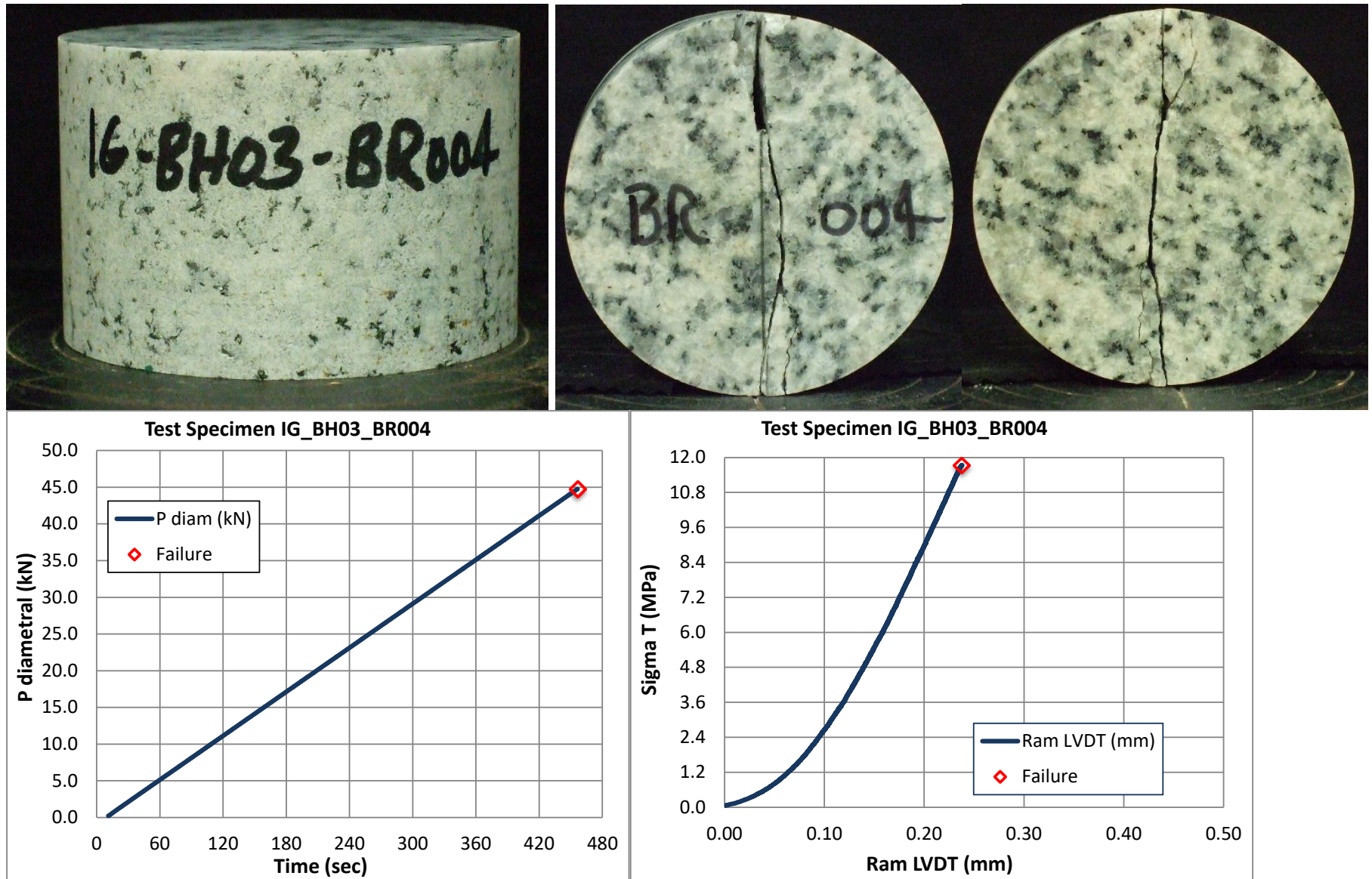
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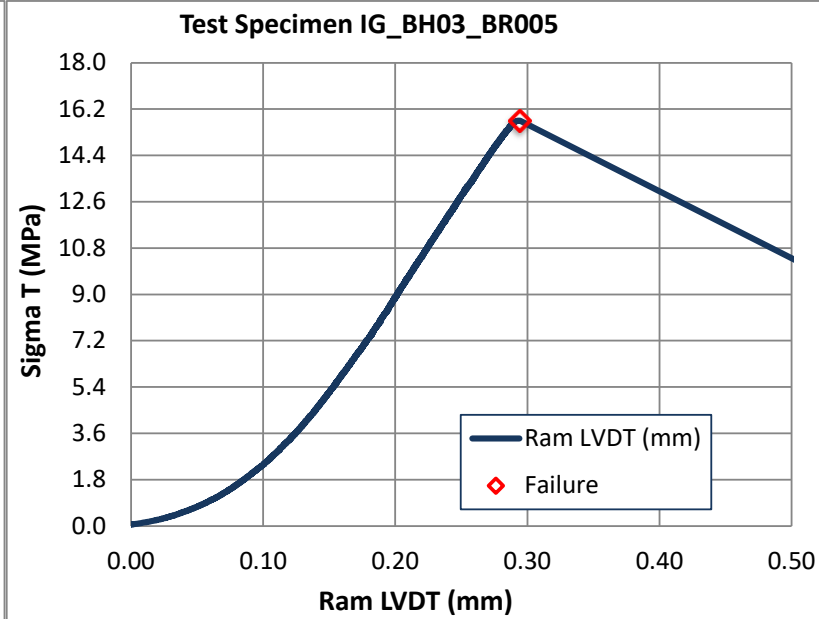
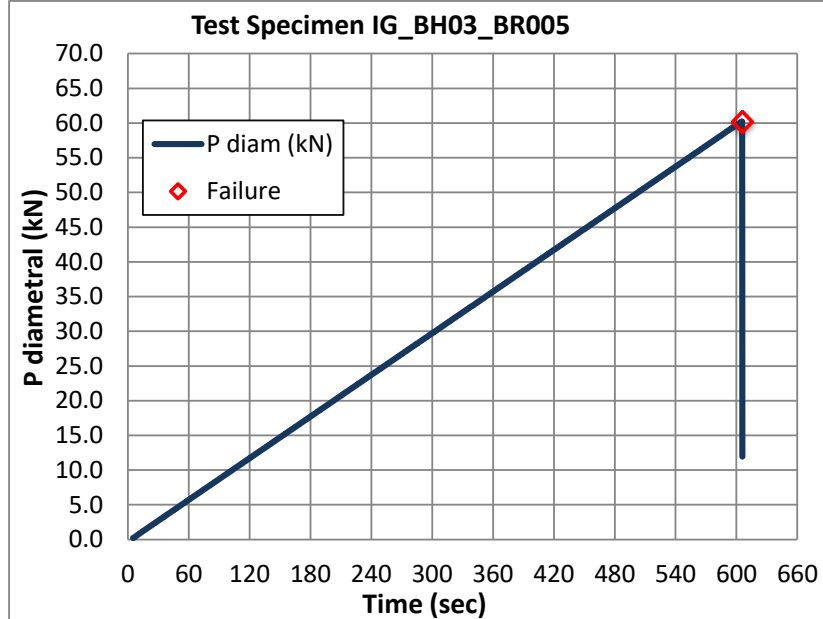
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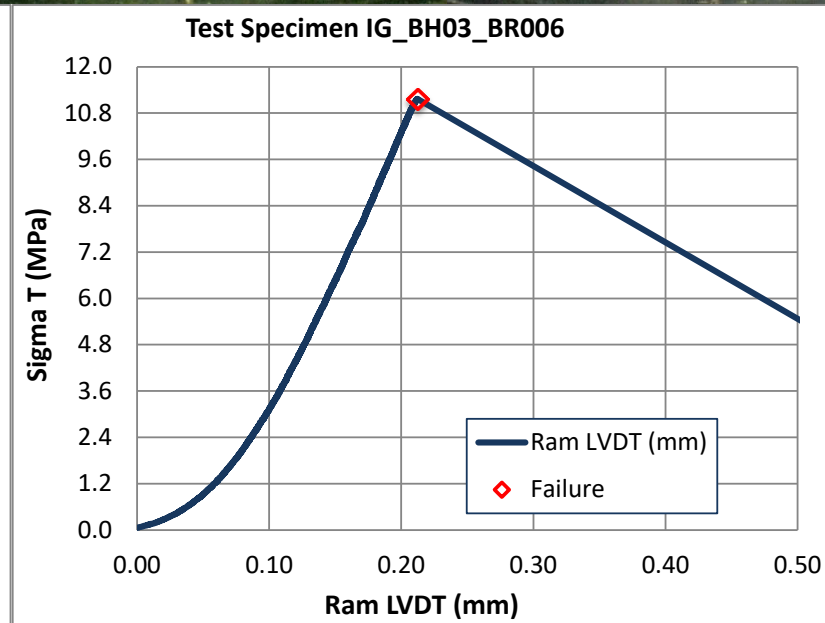
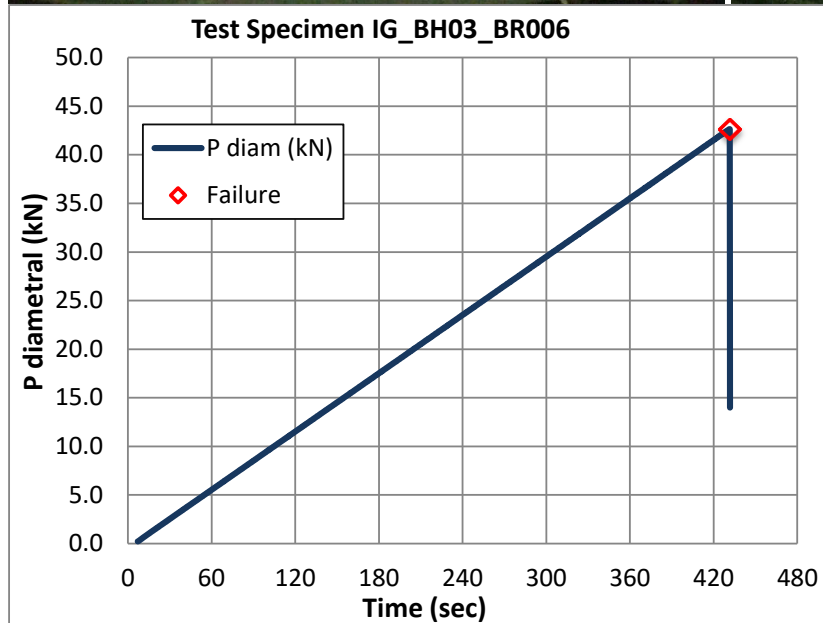
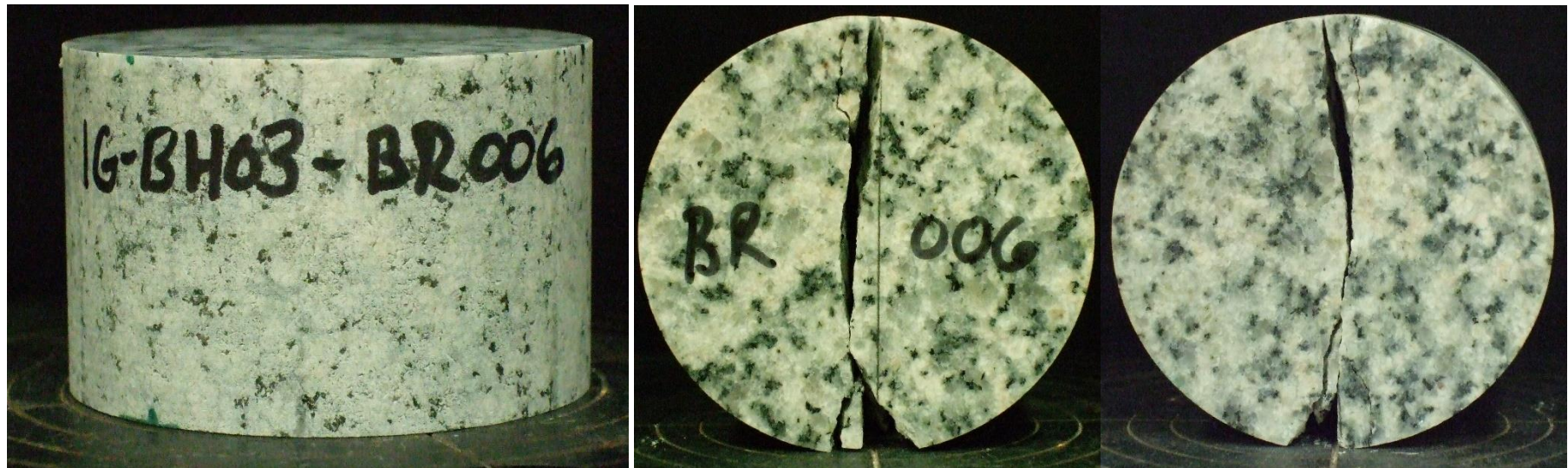
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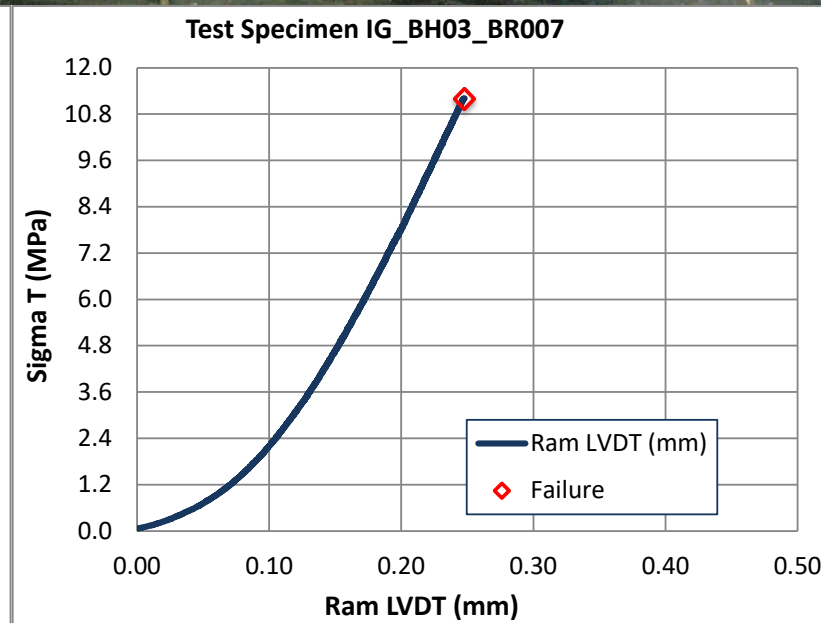
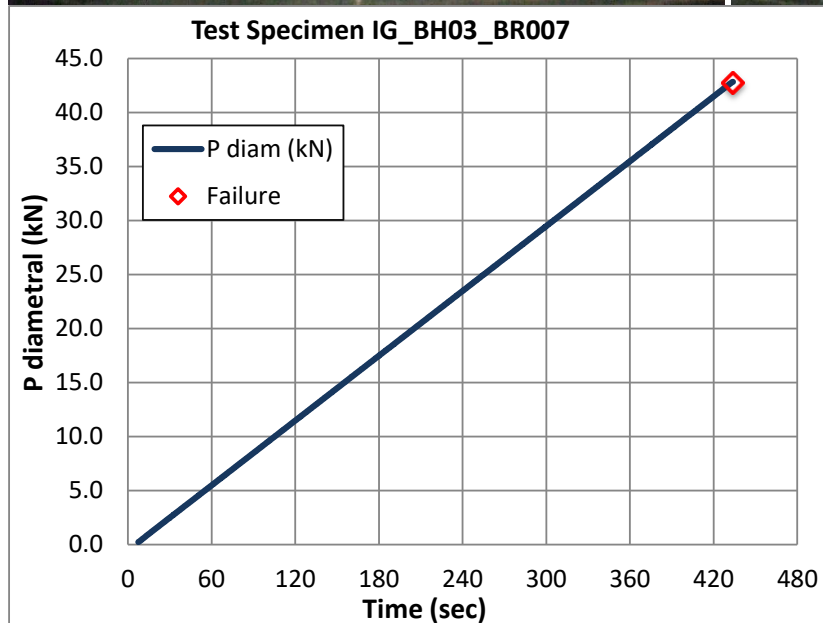
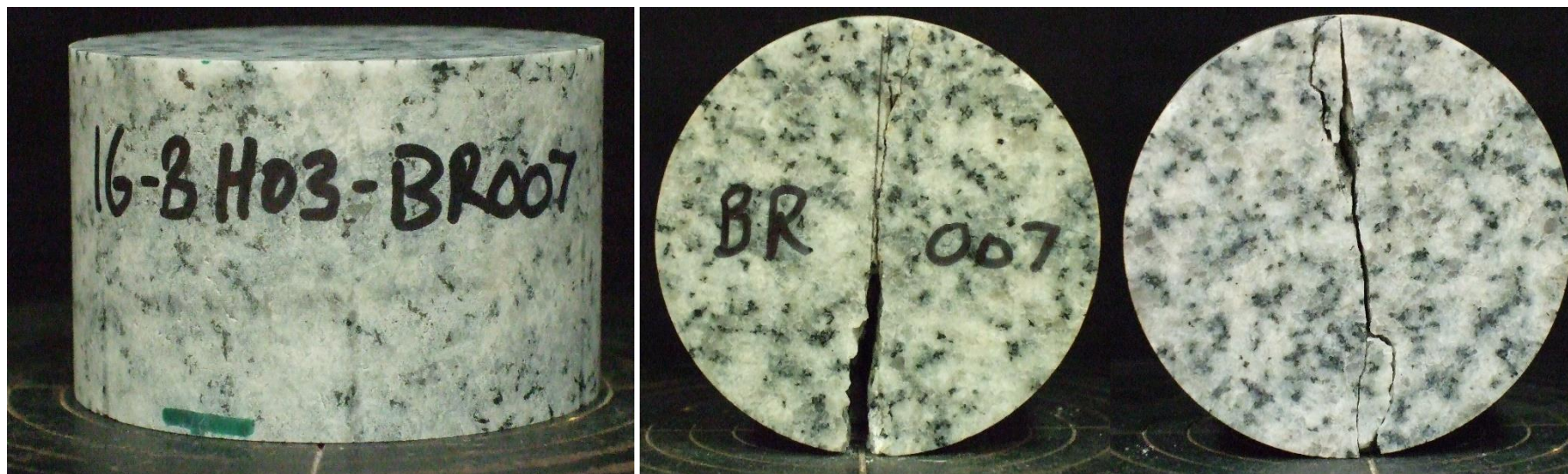
Test Specimen IG_BH03_BR004 – Depth = 540.42 m: Intact and broken specimen photographs; load-time and stress-displacement curves



Test Specimen IG_BH03_BR005 – Depth = 551.80 m: Intact and broken specimen photographs; load-time and stress-displacement curves



Test Specimen IG_BH03_BR006 – Depth = 582.82 m: Intact and broken specimen photographs; load-time and stress-displacement curves



Test Specimen IG_BH03_BR007 – Depth = 662.81 m: Intact and broken specimen photographs; load-time and stress-displacement curves

APPENDIX D

Thermal Conductivity, Volumetric
Heat Capacity and Thermal
Diffusion Tests: Test Data and
Graphs

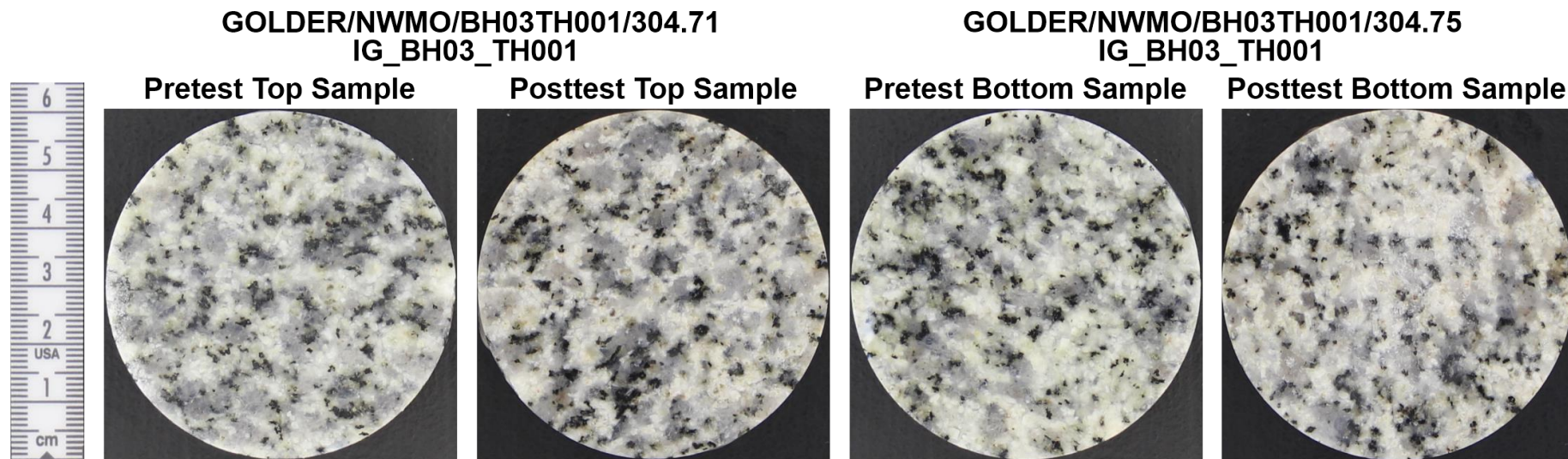
Table D-1: List of thermal test specimens

Specimen No.	Depth (m)¹	Rock Type	Page
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IG_BH03_TH002 ²	358.94	Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite	D-4
IG_BH03_TH003 ²	416.43	Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite	D-6
IG_BH03_TH004 ²	454.06	Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite	D-8
IG_BH03_TH005 ²	495.01	Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite	D-10
IG_BH03_TH006 ²	539.12	Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite	D-12
IG_BH03_TH007 ²	548.19	Amphibolite	D-14
IG_BH03_TH008 ²	581.86	Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite	D-16
IG_BH03_TH009 ²	800.64	Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite	D-18
IG_BH03_TH011 ³	359.31	Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite	D-20
IG_BH03_TH014 ³	495.54	Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite	D-23
IG_BH03_TH016 ³	548.79	Amphibolite	D-26
IG_BH03_TH017 ³	582.25	Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite	D-29
IG_BH03_TH018 ³	801.04	Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite	D-32

¹ Top depth of prepared top sub-sample (depth along borehole).

² Preserved sample tested under as-received water content conditions. Sample was tested to temperatures beyond those specified in the Test Plan.

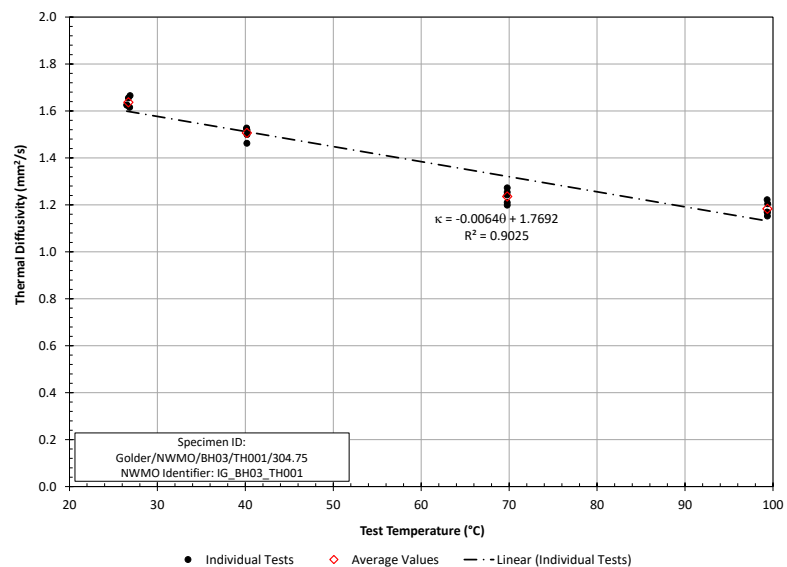
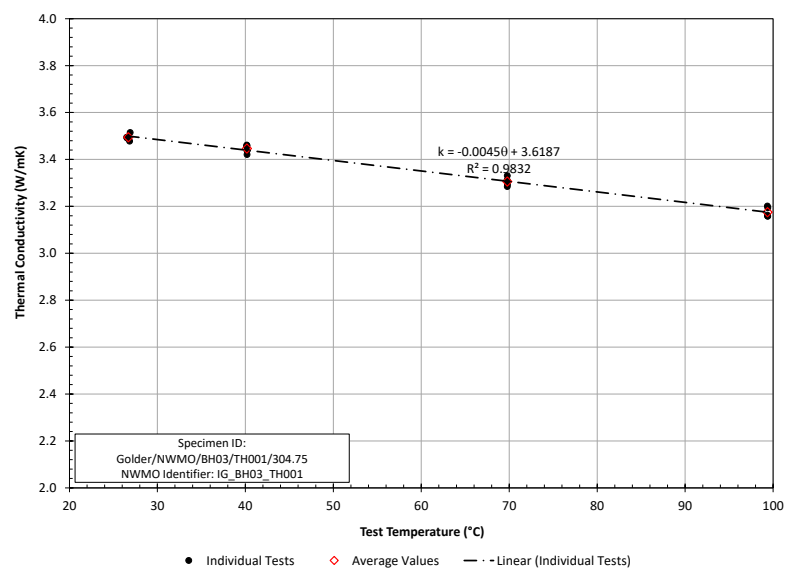
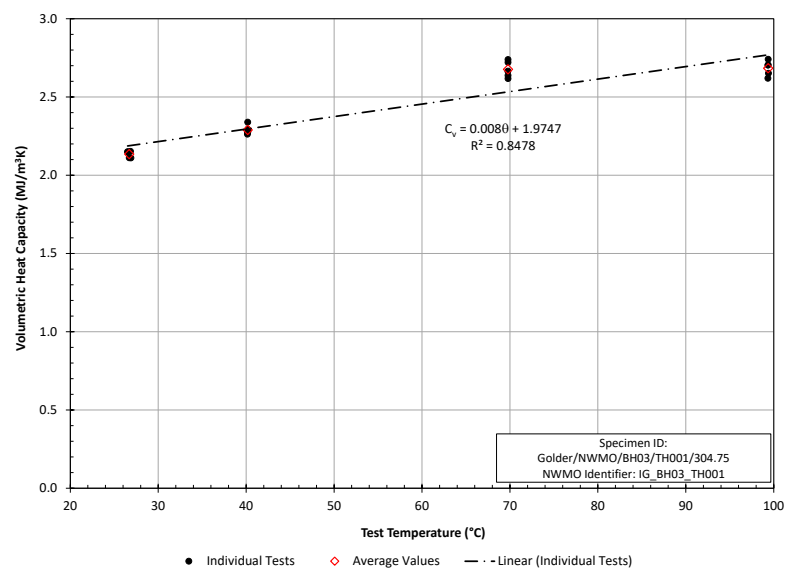
³ Unpreserved samples. Sample was dried at 80°C before testing and at 110°C after testing.



Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH001 – Depth = 304.71 m: specimen photographs

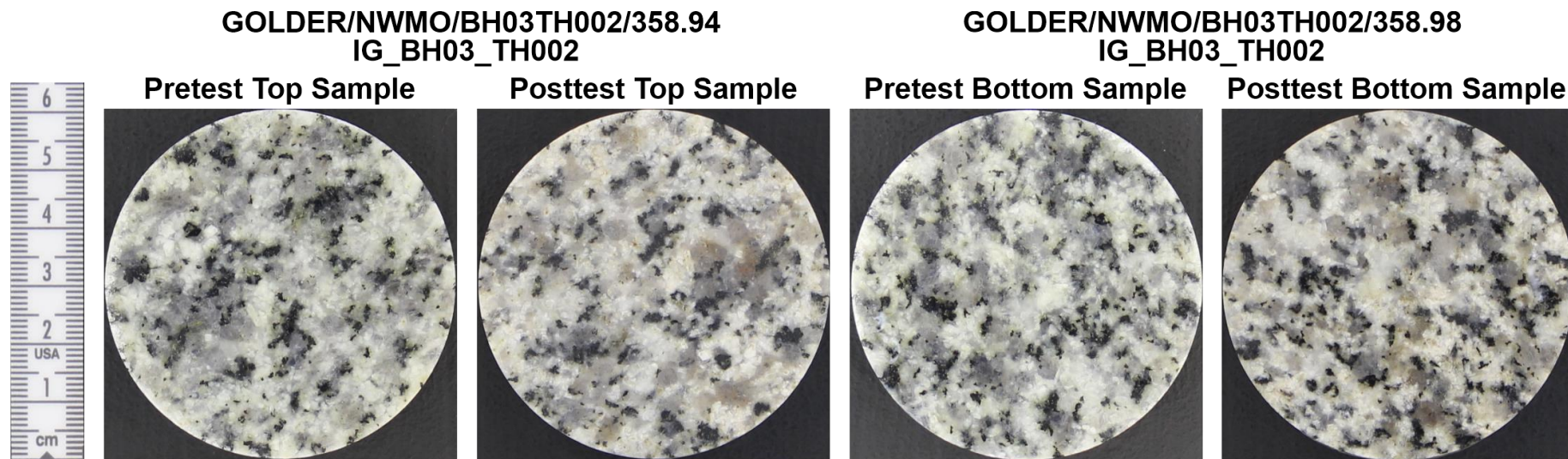
Table D-2: Hot Disk Results – Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH001 – Depth = 304.71 m

Average Temperature (°C)	Average Volumetric Specific Heat (MJ/m ³ °K)	Average Thermal Conductivity (W/m°K)	Average Thermal Diffusivity (mm ² /s)
26.70	2.13	3.49	1.64
40.17	2.29	3.45	1.51
69.78	2.68	3.31	1.24
99.37	2.68	3.18	1.18
128.95	2.73	3.06	1.12
158.57	2.83	2.91	1.03
188.16	2.90	2.75	0.95
217.80	2.93	2.66	0.91
247.39	2.97	2.52	0.85
276.75	3.06	2.40	0.78
294.67	2.95	2.31	0.79



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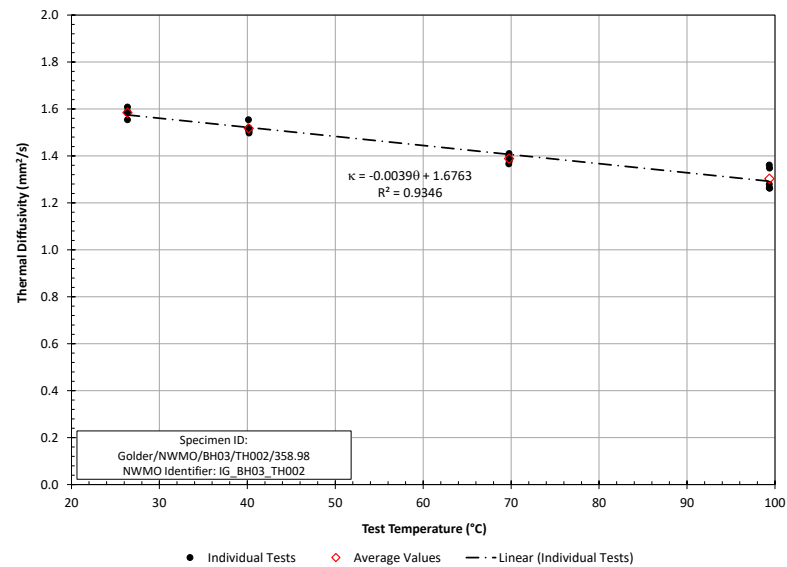
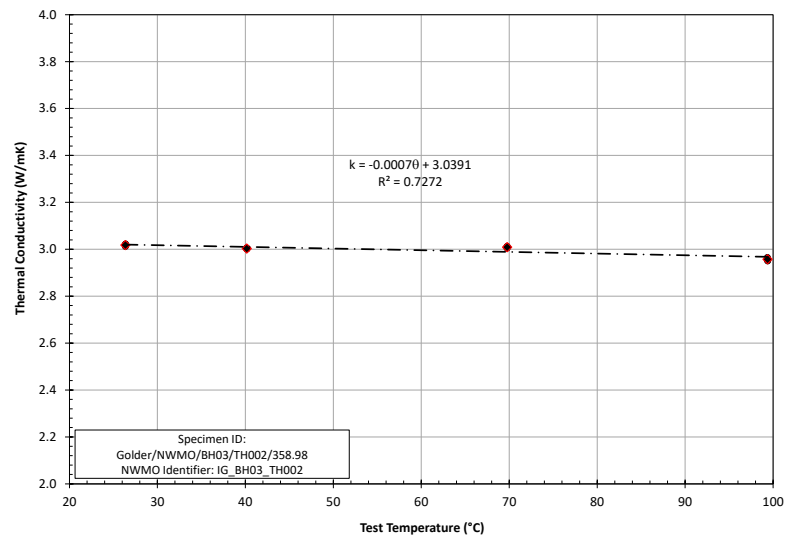
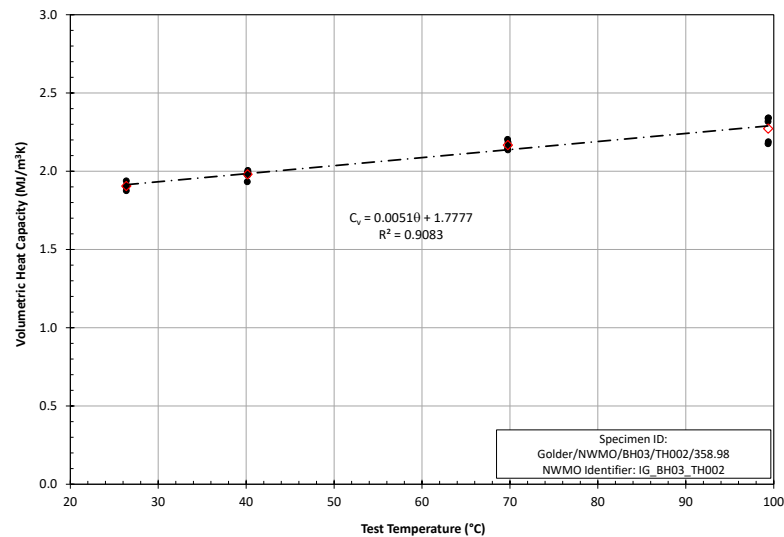
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Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH002 – Depth = 358.94 m: specimen photographs

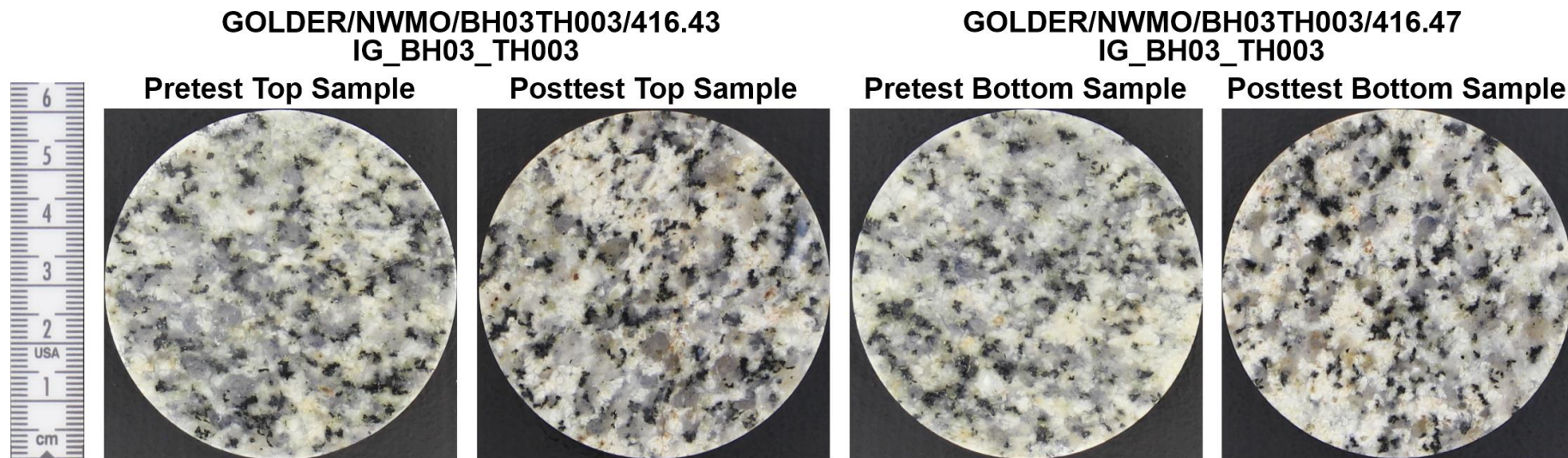
Table D-3: Hot Disk Results – Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH002 – Depth = 358.94 m

Average Temperature (°C)	Average Volumetric Specific Heat (MJ/m ³ °K)	Average Thermal Conductivity (W/m°K)	Average Thermal Diffusivity (mm ² /s)
26.37	1.91	3.02	1.58
40.17	1.98	3.00	1.52
69.76	2.17	3.01	1.39
99.37	2.27	2.96	1.30
128.98	2.44	2.87	1.18
158.54	2.50	2.75	1.10
188.16	2.59	2.62	1.01
217.75	2.68	2.52	0.94
247.37	2.77	2.42	0.88
277.00	2.80	2.31	0.83
294.69	2.73	2.25	0.83



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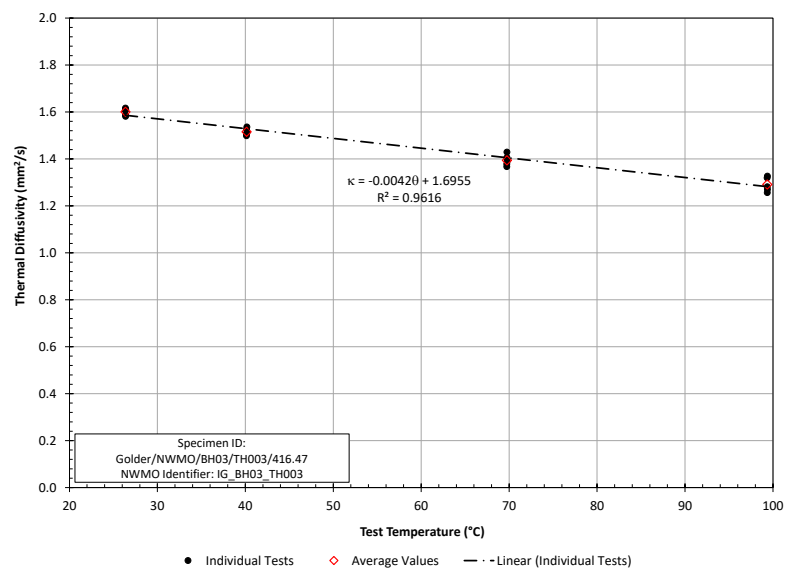
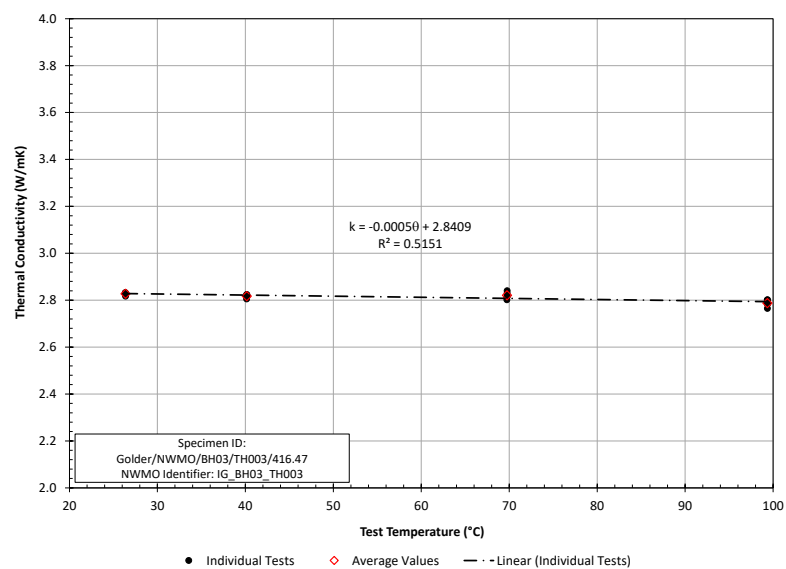
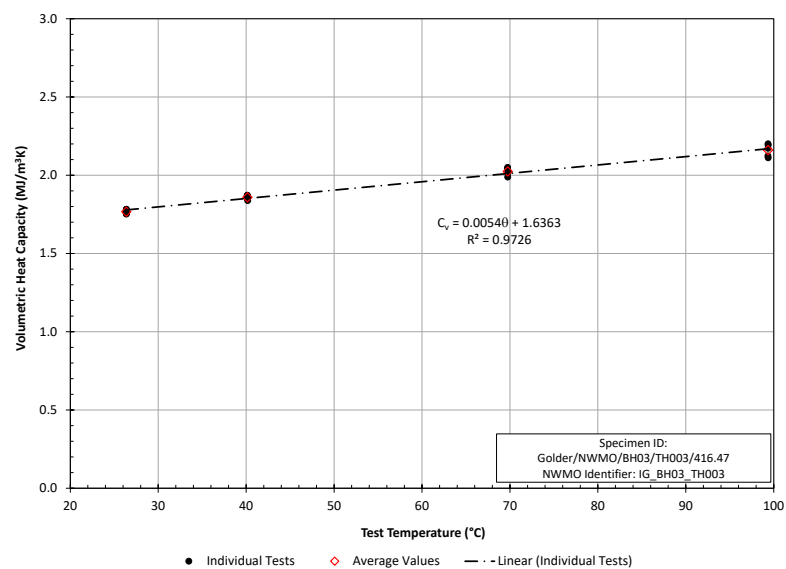
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Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH003 – Depth = 416.43 m: specimen photographs

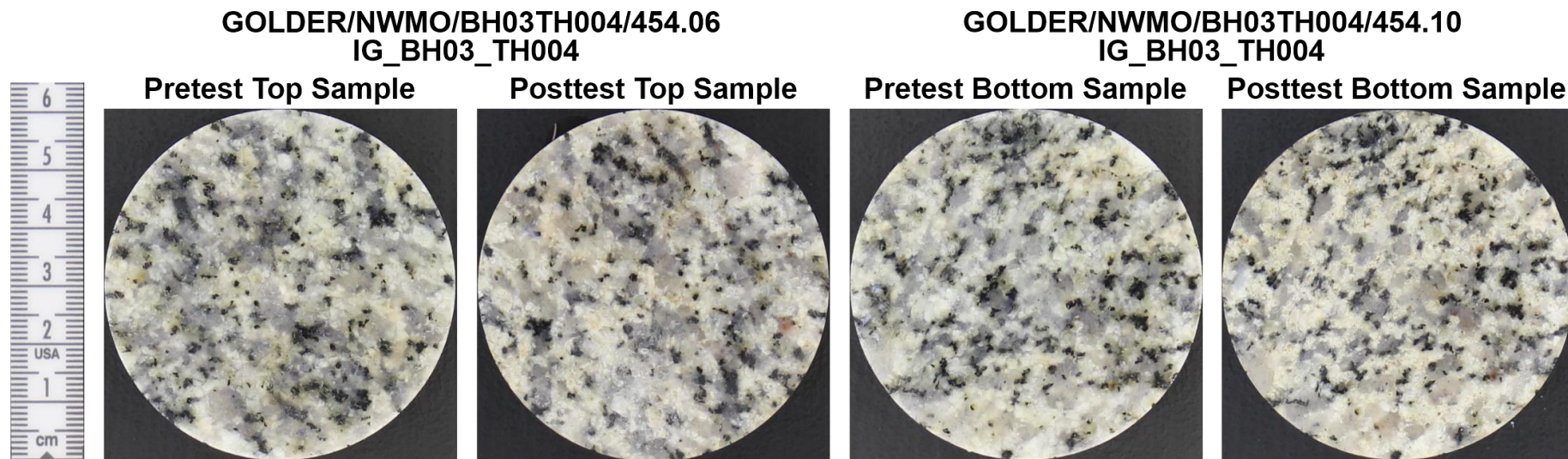
Table D-4: Hot Disk Results – Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH003 – Depth = 416.43 m

Average Temperature (°C)	Average Volumetric Specific Heat (MJ/m ³ °K)	Average Thermal Conductivity (W/m°K)	Average Thermal Diffusivity (mm ² /s)
26.37	1.77	2.83	1.60
40.15	1.86	2.82	1.52
69.75	2.02	2.82	1.39
99.35	2.16	2.79	1.29
128.96	2.29	2.71	1.18
158.57	2.42	2.59	1.07
188.17	2.49	2.48	1.00
217.77	2.60	2.40	0.92
247.35	2.65	2.33	0.88
276.97	2.76	2.22	0.80
294.74	2.73	2.16	0.79



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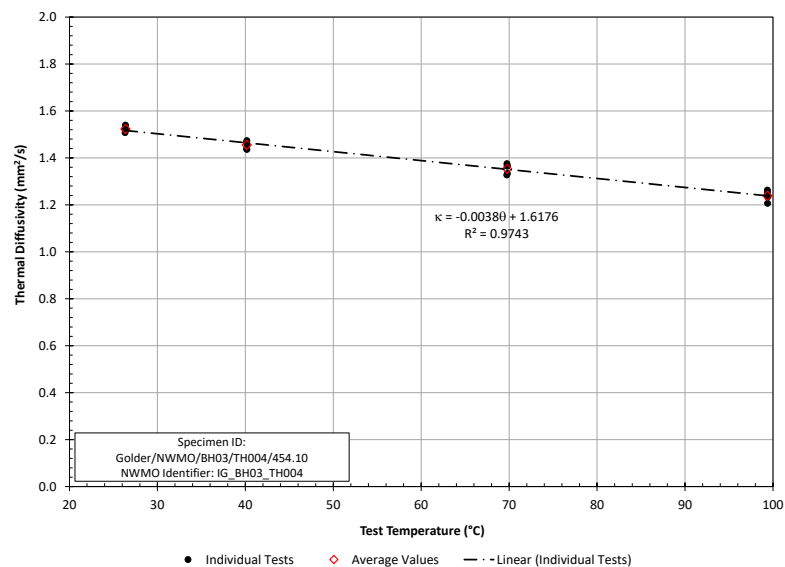
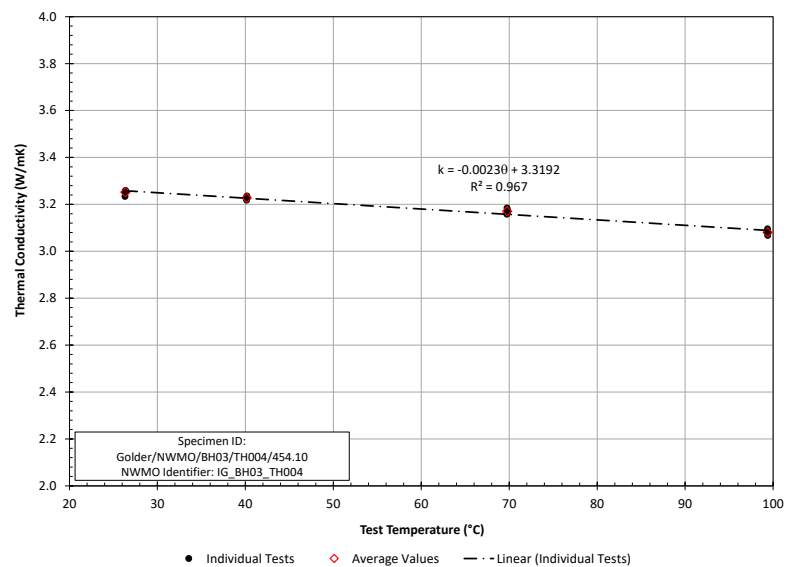
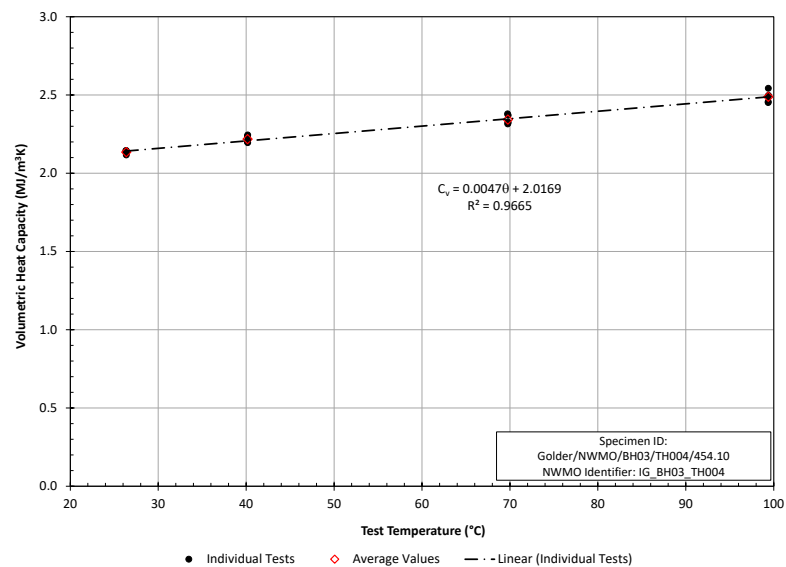
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Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH004 – Depth = 454.06 m: specimen photographs

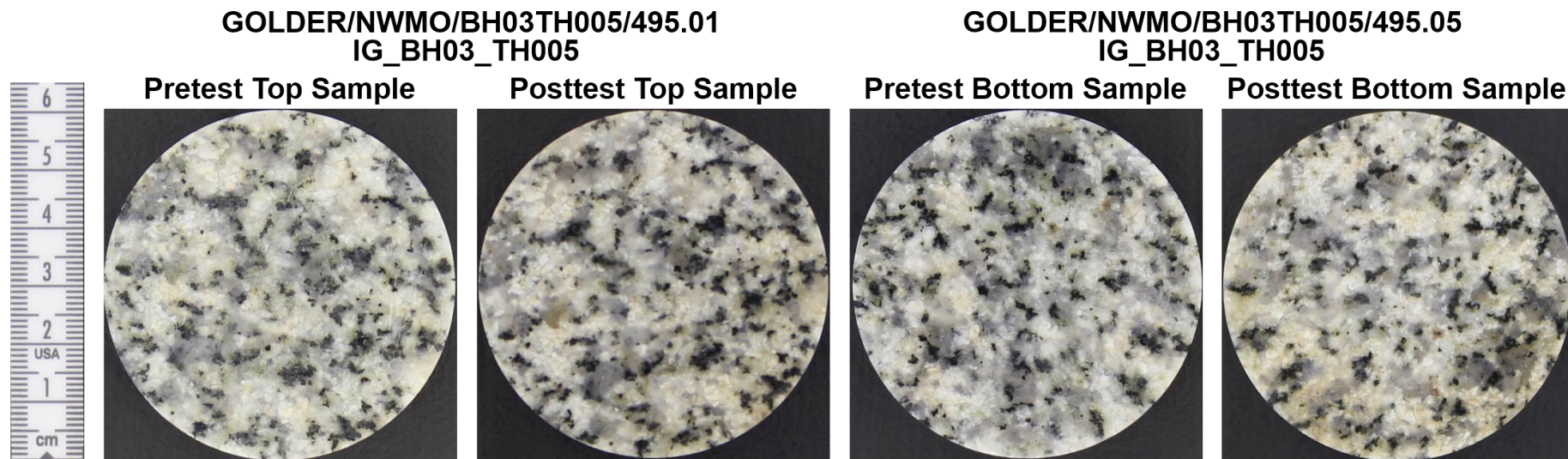
Table D-5: Hot Disk Results – Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH004 – Depth = 454.06 m

Average Temperature (°C)	Average Volumetric Specific Heat (MJ/m ³ °K)	Average Thermal Conductivity (W/m°K)	Average Thermal Diffusivity (mm ² /s)
26.36	2.13	3.25	1.52
40.16	2.22	3.23	1.46
69.77	2.34	3.17	1.35
99.38	2.49	3.08	1.24
128.96	2.60	2.95	1.14
158.55	2.67	2.84	1.07
188.16	2.75	2.68	0.98
217.74	2.89	2.56	0.89
247.37	2.96	2.44	0.82
276.99	3.01	2.33	0.77
294.73	3.02	2.25	0.75



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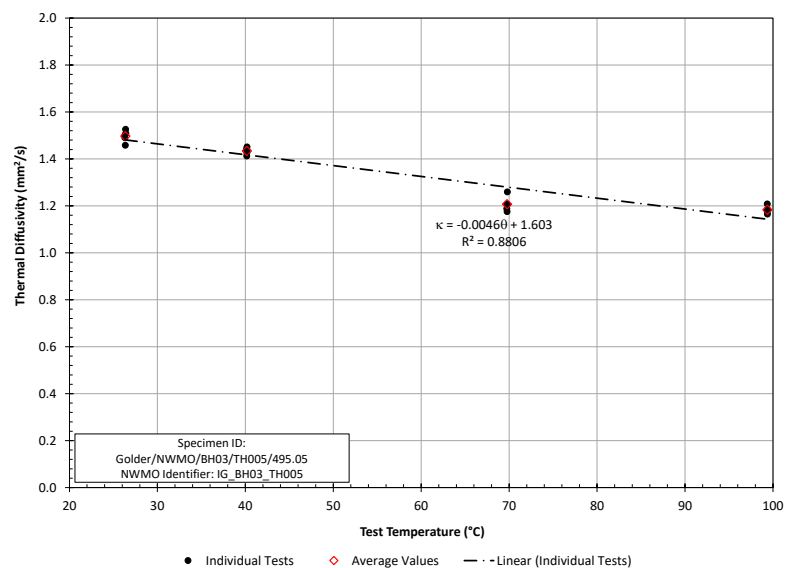
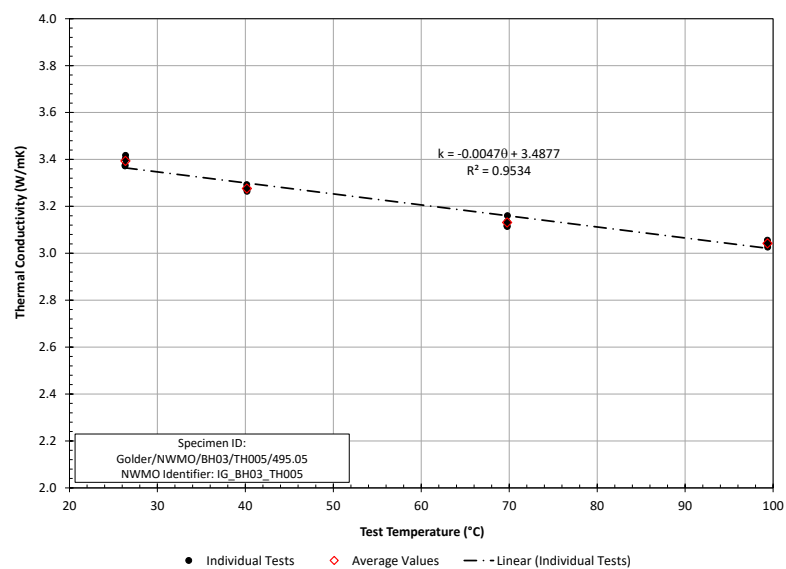
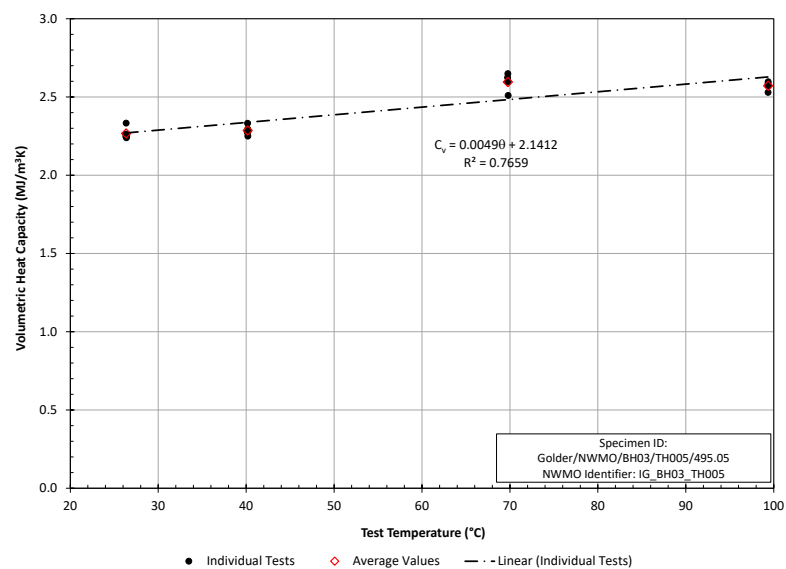
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Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH005 – Depth = 495.01 m: specimen photographs

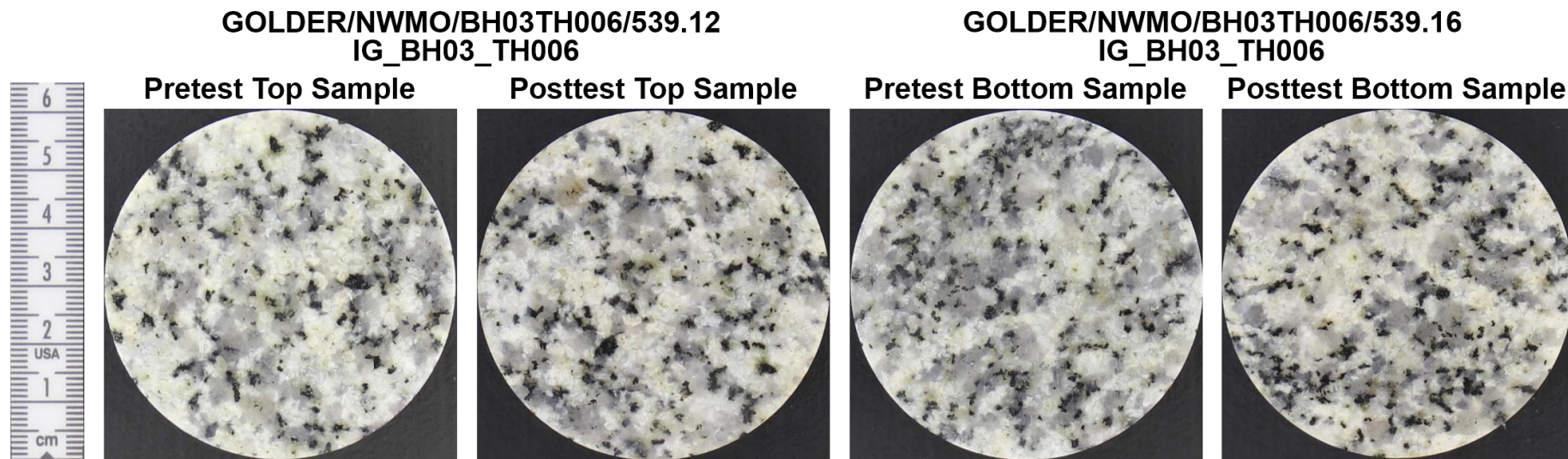
Table D-6: Hot Disk Results – Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH005 – Depth = 495.01 m

Average Temperature (°C)	Average Volumetric Specific Heat (MJ/m ³ °K)	Average Thermal Conductivity (W/m°K)	Average Thermal Diffusivity (mm ² /s)
26.36	2.27	3.39	1.50
40.17	2.29	3.28	1.43
69.77	2.60	3.13	1.21
99.36	2.57	3.04	1.18
128.97	2.66	2.94	1.11
158.56	2.71	2.82	1.04
188.18	2.81	2.67	0.95
217.78	2.87	2.57	0.90
247.35	2.99	2.45	0.82
276.93	2.95	2.36	0.80
294.71	2.92	2.27	0.78



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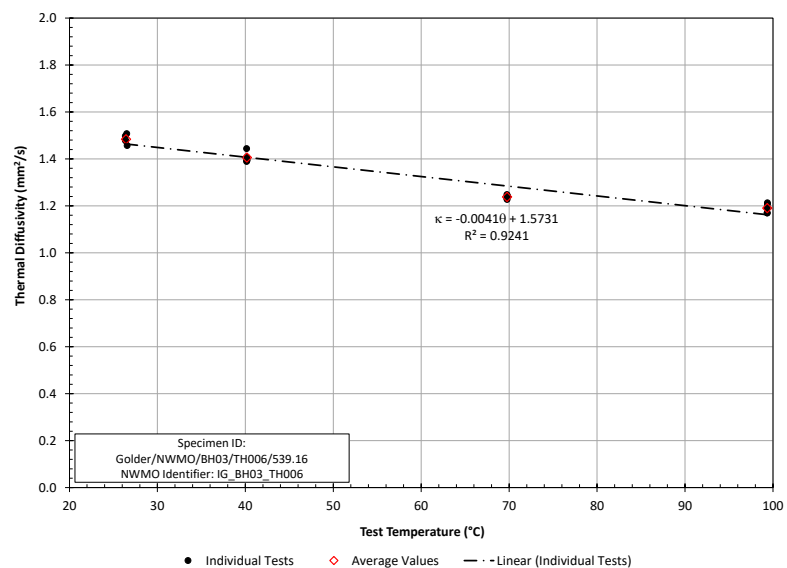
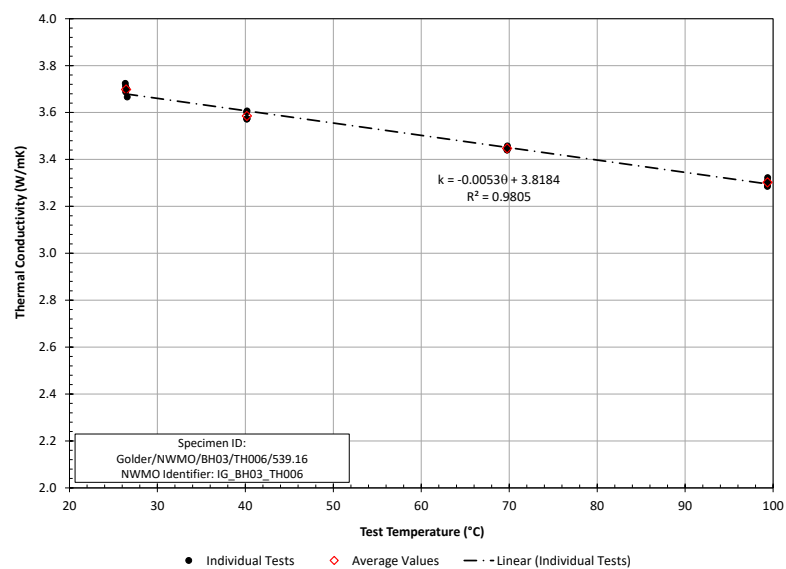
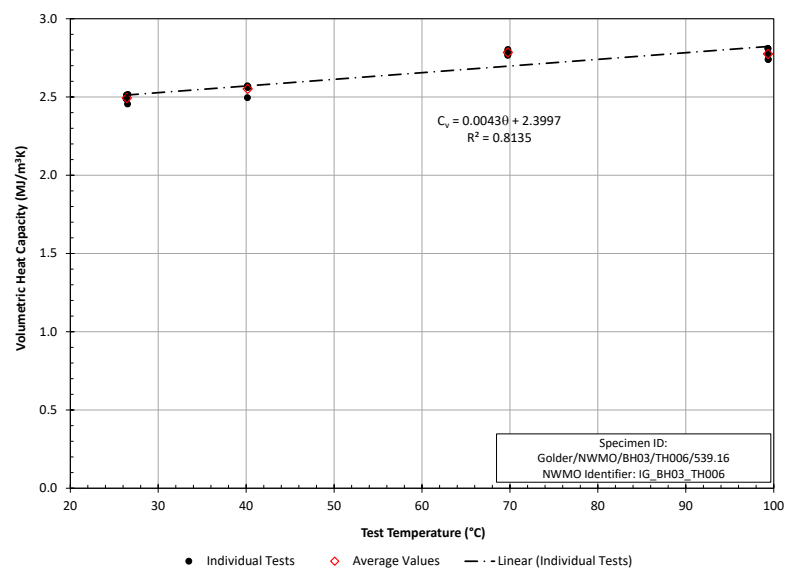
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Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH006 – Depth = 539.12 m: specimen photographs

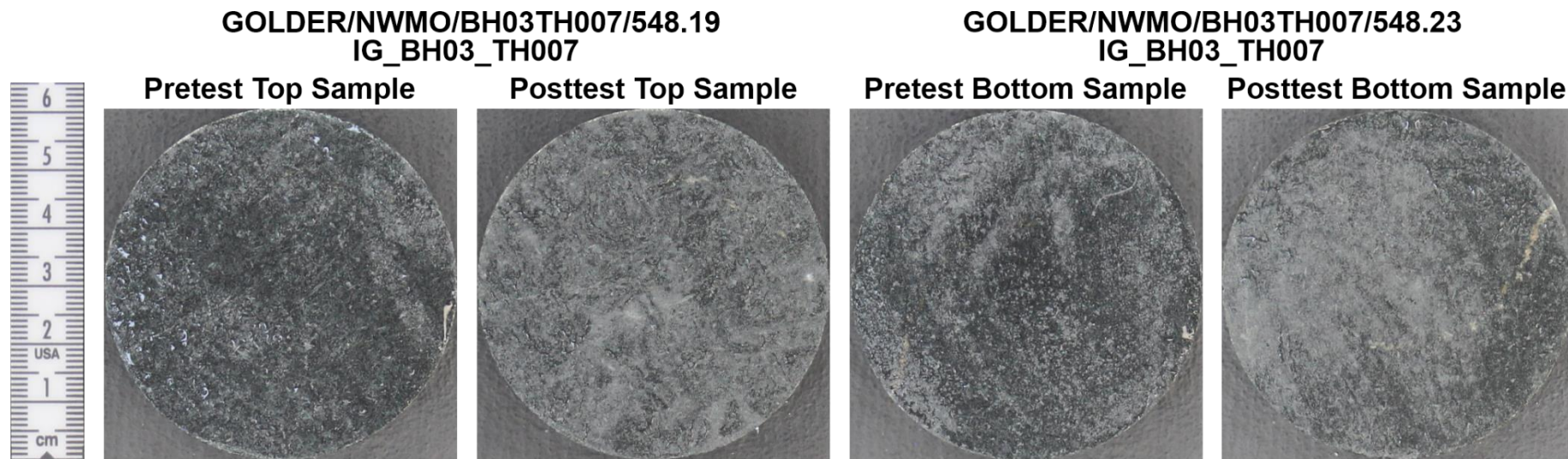
Table D-7: Hot Disk Results – Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH006 – Depth = 539.12 m

Average Temperature (°C)	Average Volumetric Specific Heat (MJ/m ³ °K)	Average Thermal Conductivity (W/m°K)	Average Thermal Diffusivity (mm ² /s)
26.44	2.49	3.70	1.48
40.17	2.55	3.59	1.41
69.77	2.78	3.45	1.24
99.36	2.77	3.30	1.19
128.96	2.89	3.15	1.09
158.57	3.01	2.99	0.99
188.15	3.09	2.82	0.91
217.75	3.11	2.72	0.87
247.35	3.23	2.57	0.80
276.97	3.21	2.46	0.77
294.75	3.15	2.38	0.76



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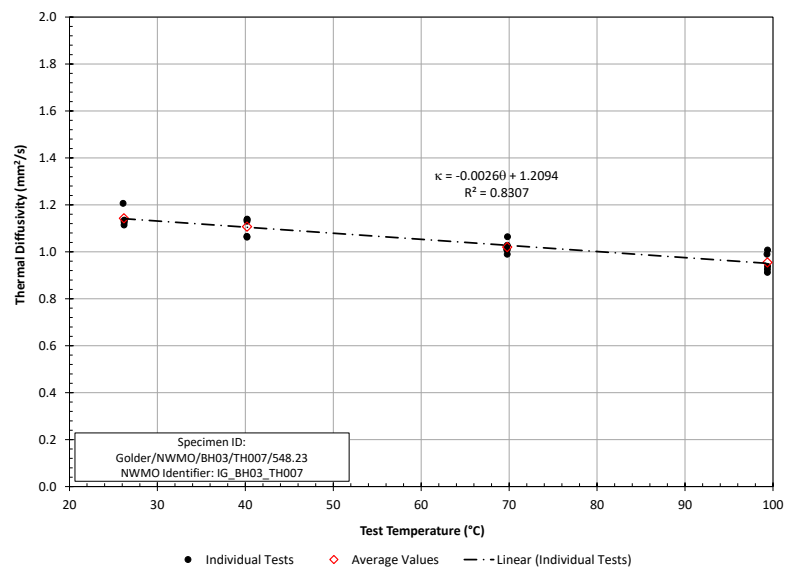
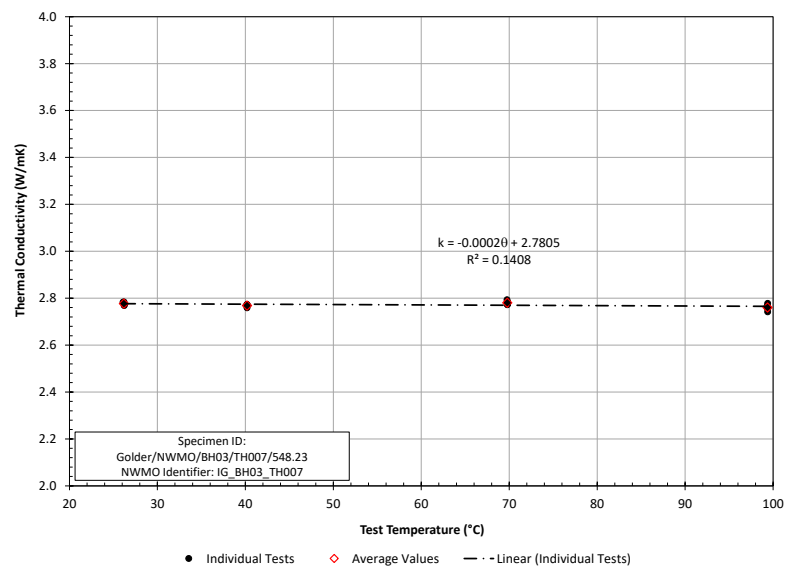
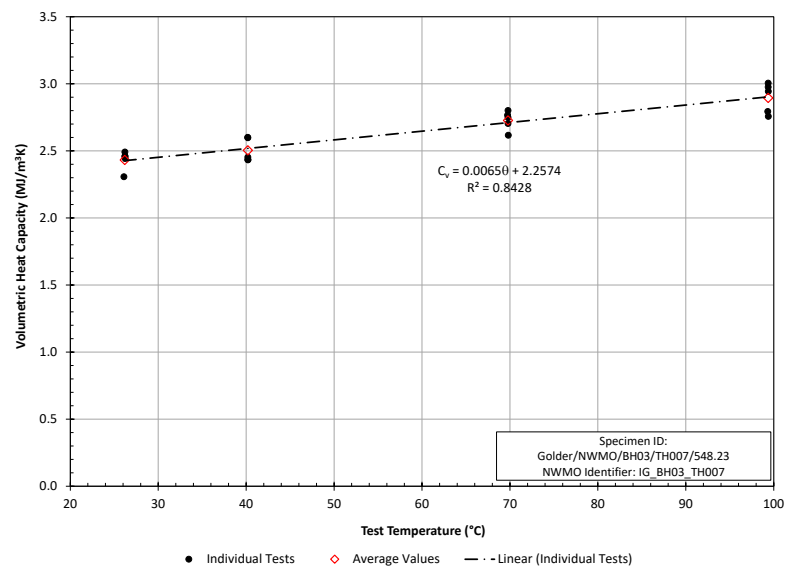
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Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH007 – Depth = 548.19 m: specimen photographs

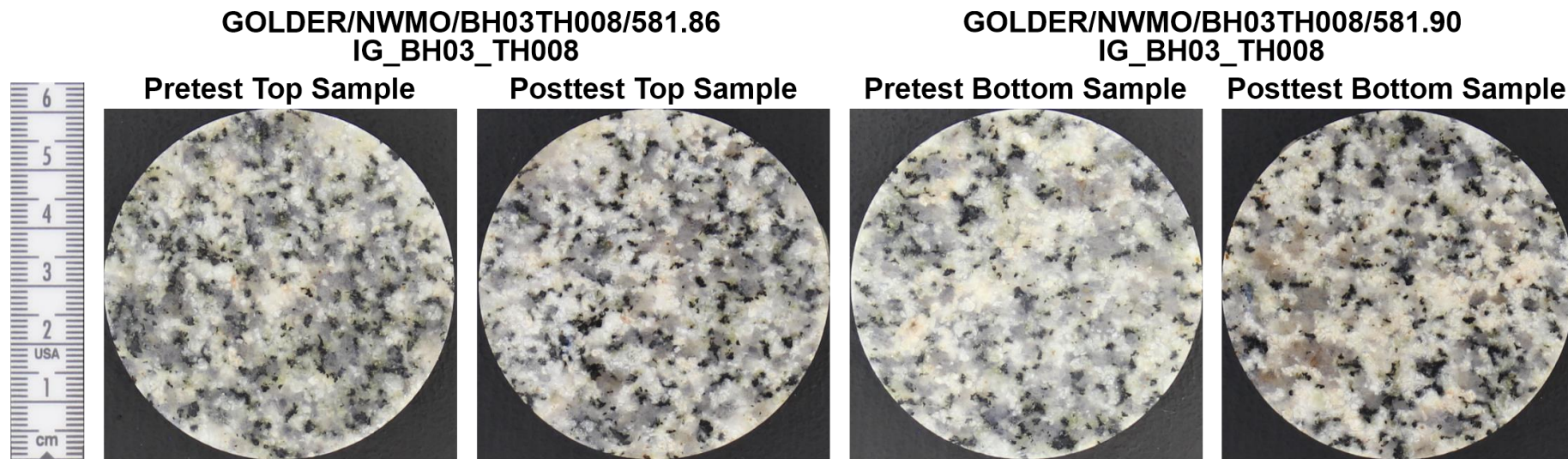
Table D-8: Hot Disk Results – Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH007 – Depth = 548.19 m

Average Temperature (°C)	Average Volumetric Specific Heat (MJ/m ³ K)	Average Thermal Conductivity (W/m°K)	Average Thermal Diffusivity (mm ² /s)
26.20	2.43	2.78	1.14
40.19	2.50	2.77	1.11
69.78	2.73	2.78	1.02
99.37	2.90	2.76	0.95
128.98	3.00	2.71	0.90
158.56	3.07	2.68	0.87
188.15	3.12	2.63	0.84
217.76	3.28	2.60	0.79
247.40	3.29	2.56	0.78
276.96	3.34	2.50	0.75
294.69	3.33	2.45	0.74



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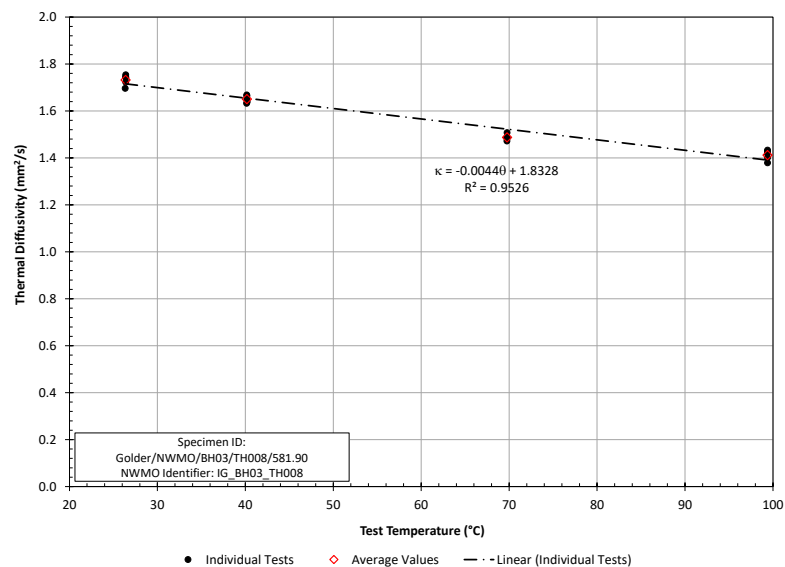
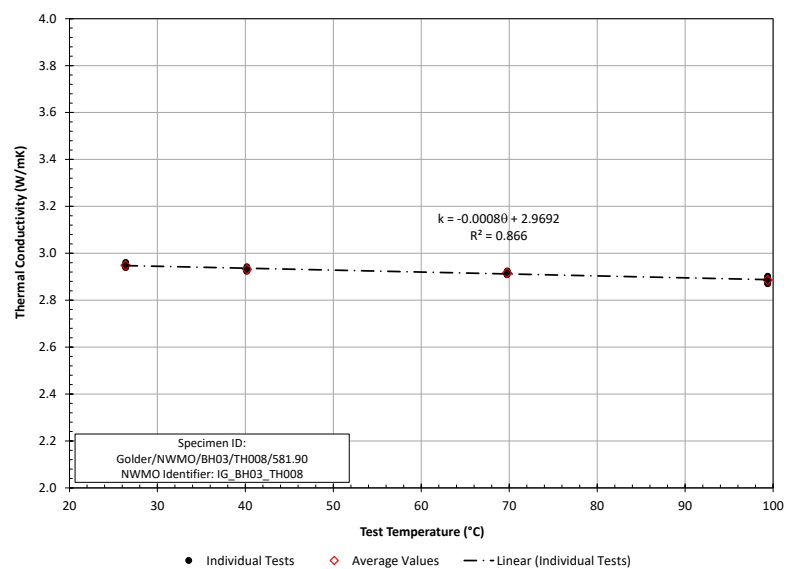
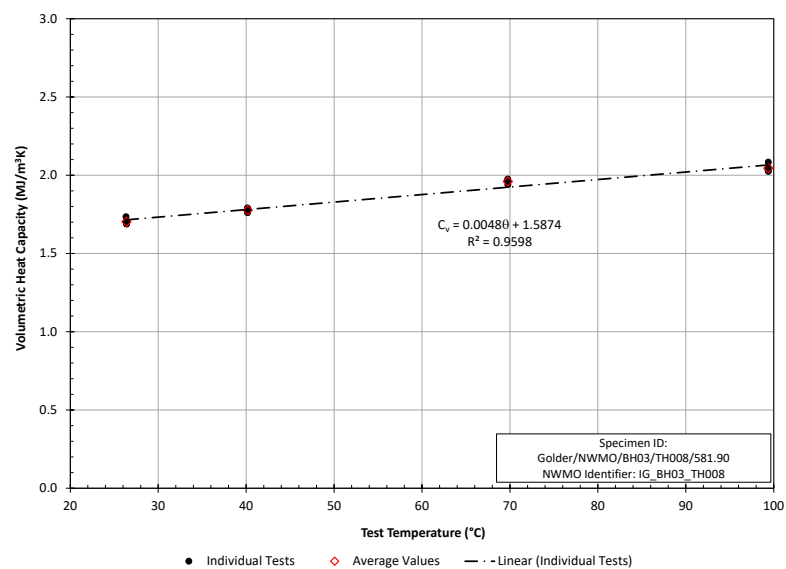
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Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH008 – Depth = 581.86 m: specimen photographs

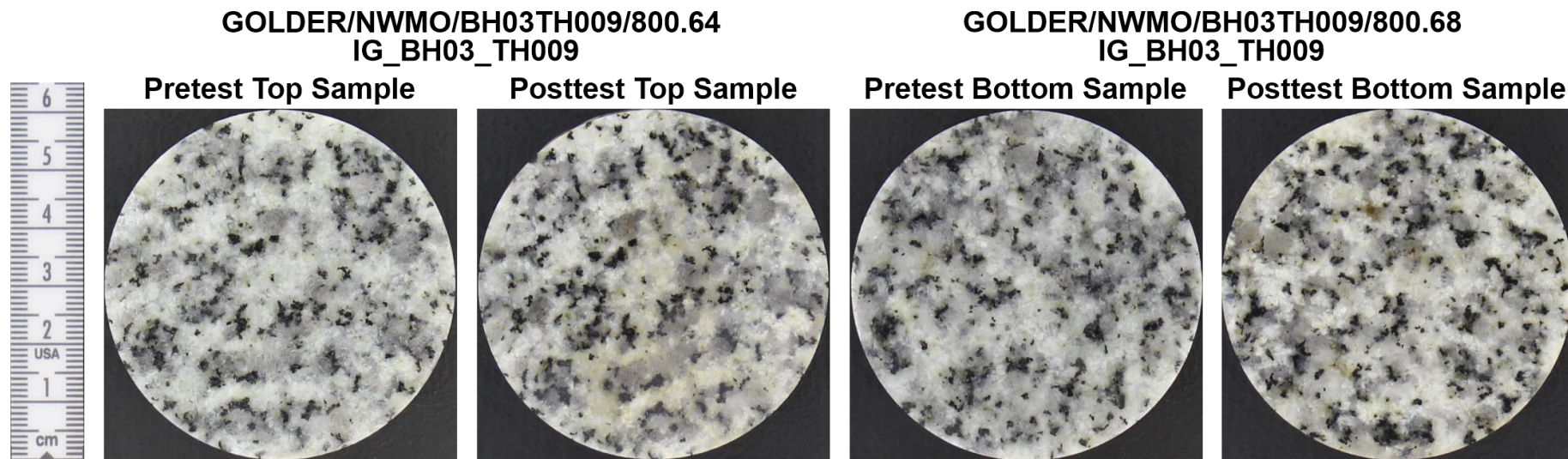
Table D-9: Hot Disk Results – Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH008 – Depth = 581.86 m

Average Temperature (°C)	Average Volumetric Specific Heat (MJ/m ³ K)	Average Thermal Conductivity (W/m°K)	Average Thermal Diffusivity (mm ² /s)
26.39	1.70	2.95	1.73
40.17	1.78	2.93	1.65
69.76	1.96	2.92	1.49
99.38	2.04	2.89	1.41
128.97	2.19	2.79	1.27
158.57	2.28	2.69	1.18
188.17	2.33	2.57	1.10
217.76	2.51	2.45	0.98
247.36	2.54	2.36	0.93
276.97	2.58	2.28	0.88
294.72	2.58	2.20	0.85



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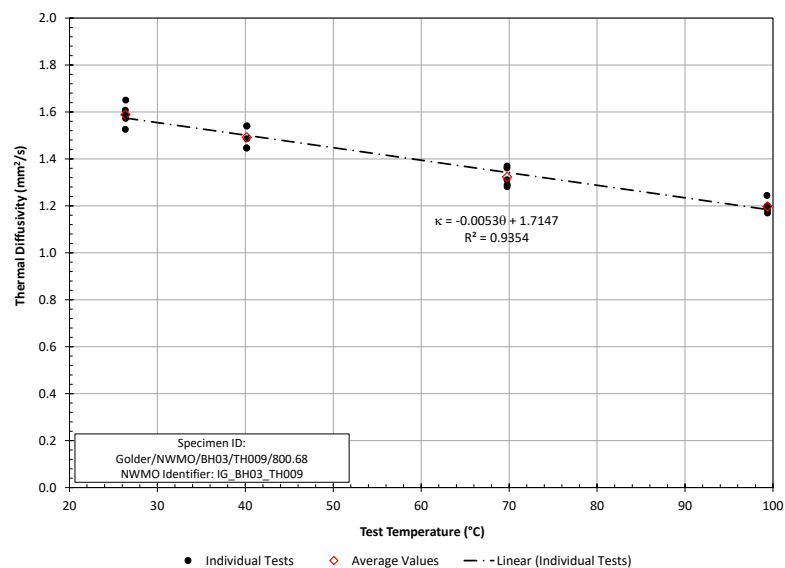
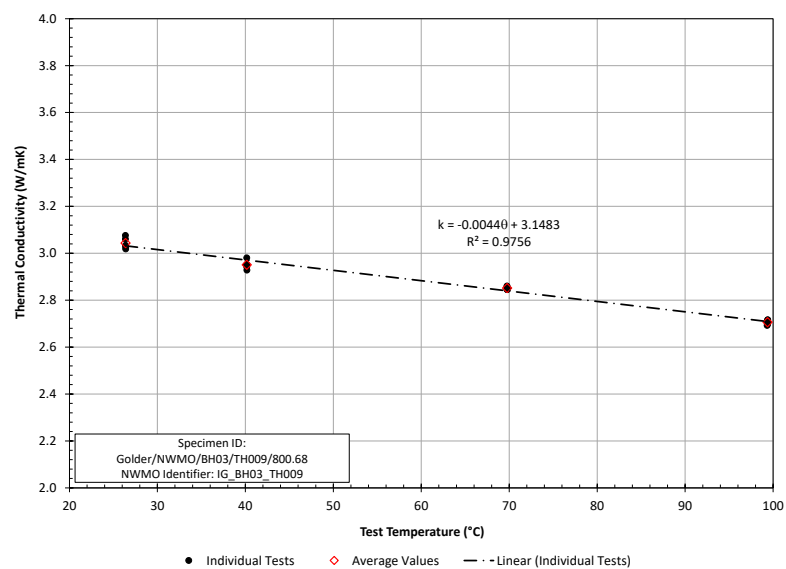
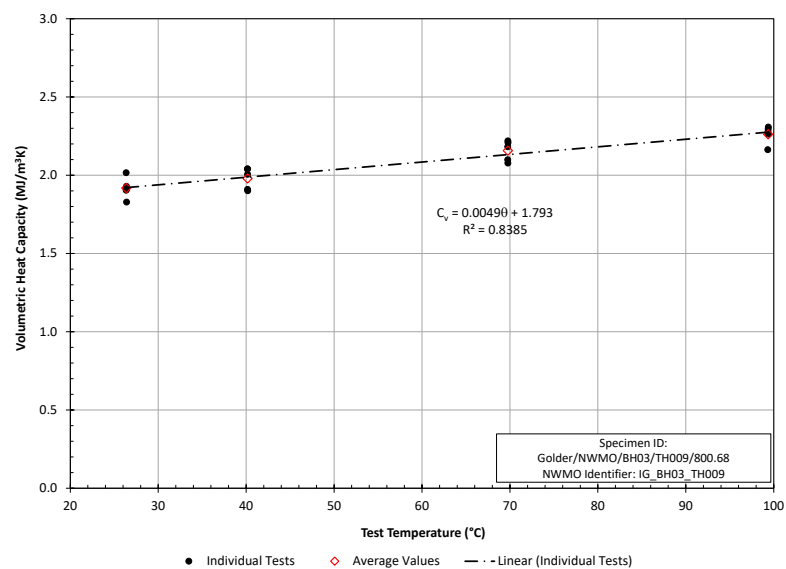
Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH008 – Depth = 581.86 m: Volumetric Heat Capacity, Thermal Conductivity and Thermal Diffusivity



Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH009 – Depth = 800.64 m: specimen photographs

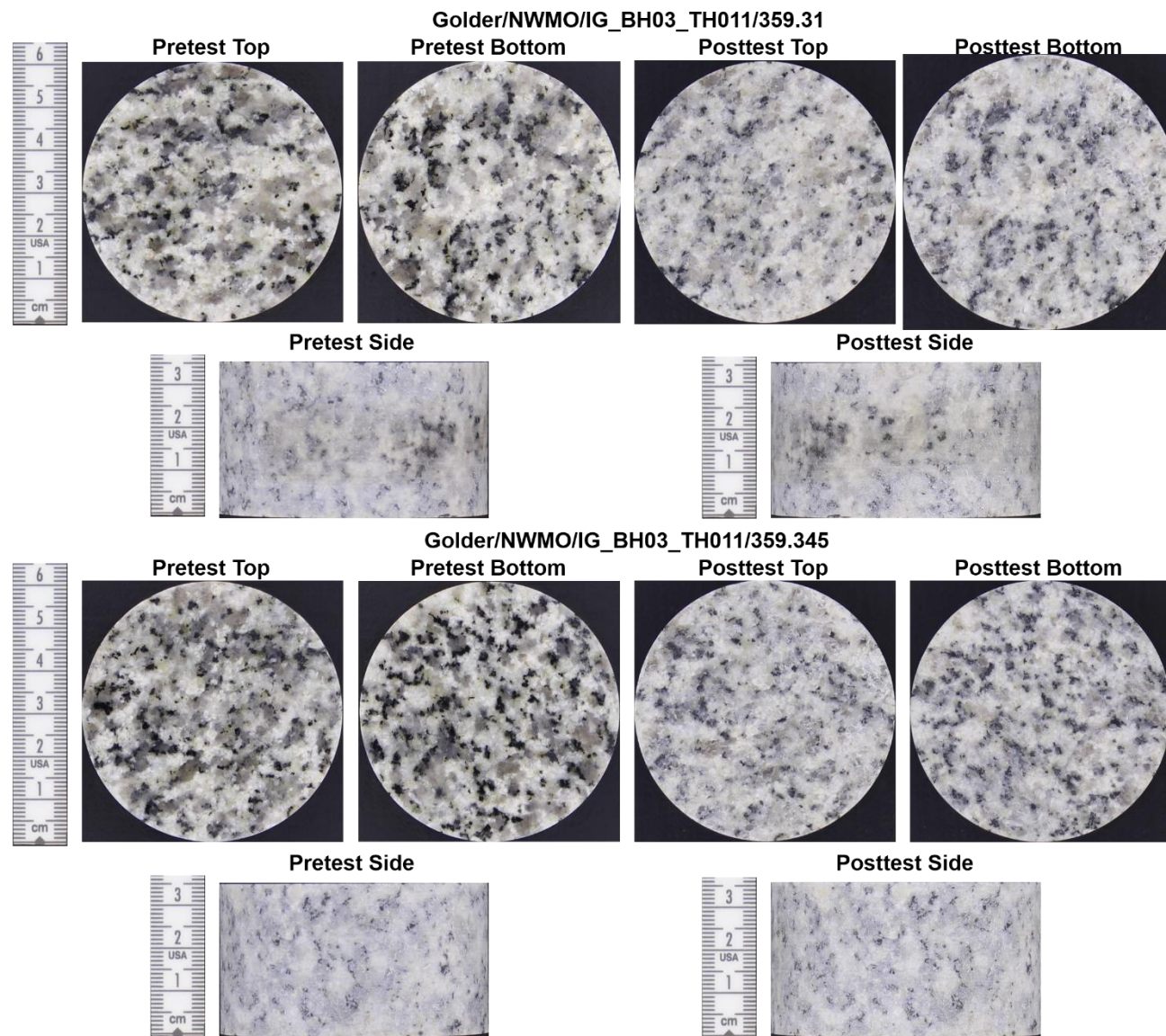
Table D-10: Hot Disk Results – Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH009 – Depth = 800.64 m

Average Temperature (°C)	Average Volumetric Specific Heat (MJ/m ³ °K)	Average Thermal Conductivity (W/m°K)	Average Thermal Diffusivity (mm ² /s)
26.38	1.92	3.04	1.59
40.16	1.98	2.95	1.49
69.76	2.16	2.85	1.32
99.36	2.26	2.71	1.20
128.97	2.36	2.64	1.12
158.58	2.35	2.62	1.12
188.16	2.48	2.46	0.99
217.77	2.63	2.38	0.91
247.36	2.60	2.31	0.89
276.92	2.68	2.21	0.83
294.69	2.65	2.14	0.81



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Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH009 – Depth = 800.64 m: Volumetric Heat Capacity, Thermal Conductivity and Thermal Diffusivity

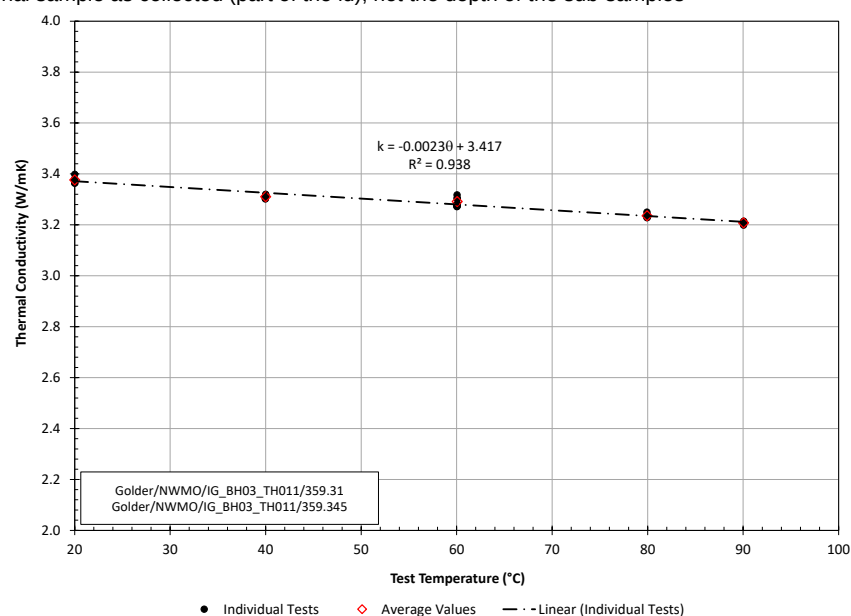
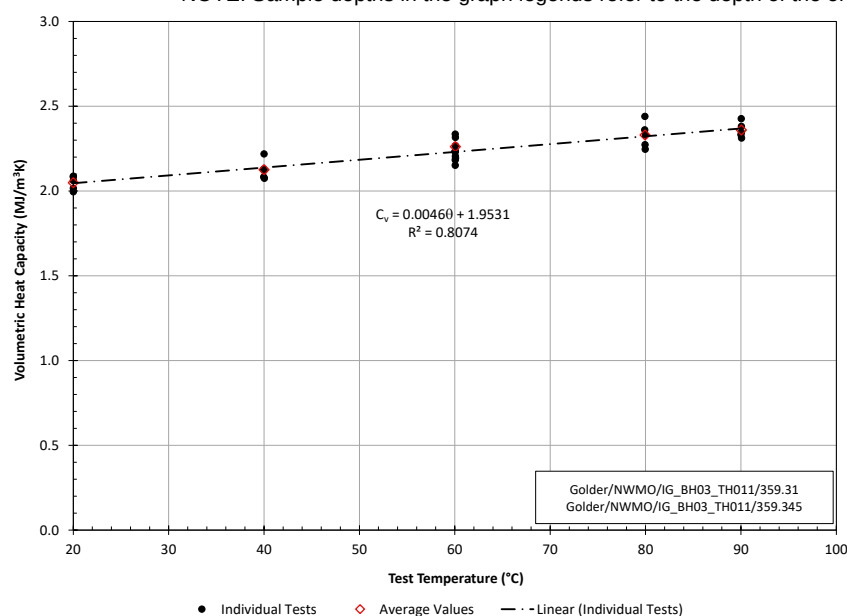


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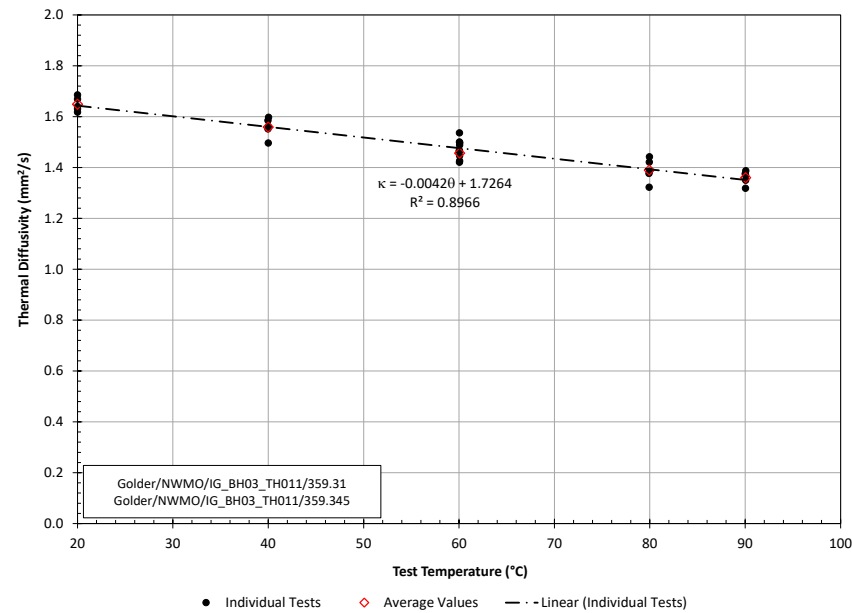
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Average Temperature (°C)	Average Volumetric Specific Heat (MJ/m ³ °K)	Average Thermal Conductivity (W/m°K)	Average Thermal Diffusivity (mm ² /s)
20.01	2.05	3.38	1.65
40.00	2.13	3.31	1.56
60.06	2.26	3.29	1.46
79.94	2.33	3.24	1.39
90.04	2.36	3.21	1.36
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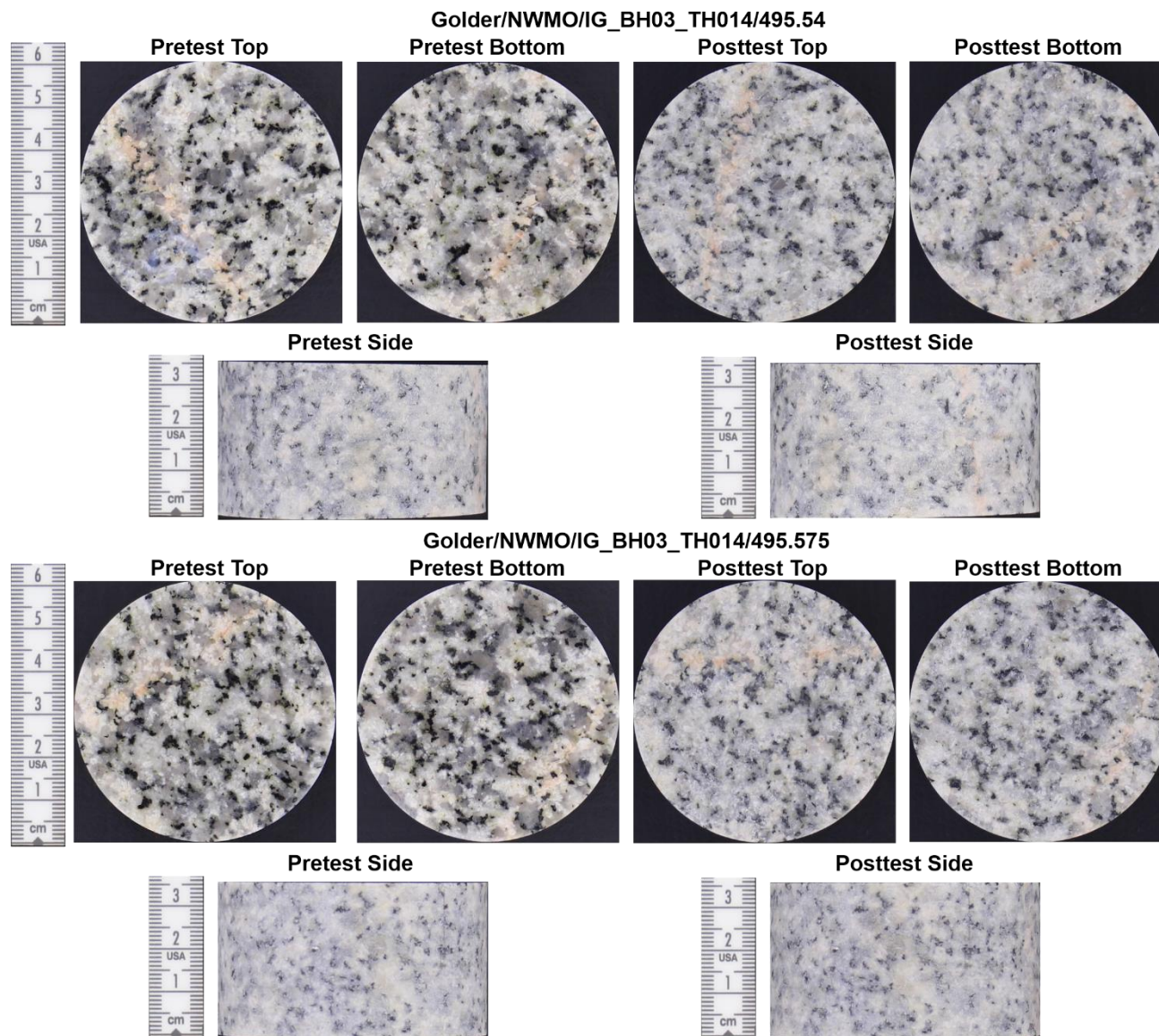
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Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH011 – Depth = 359.31 m: Volumetric Heat Capacity and Thermal Conductivity



Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH011 – Depth = 359.31 m: Thermal Diffusivity

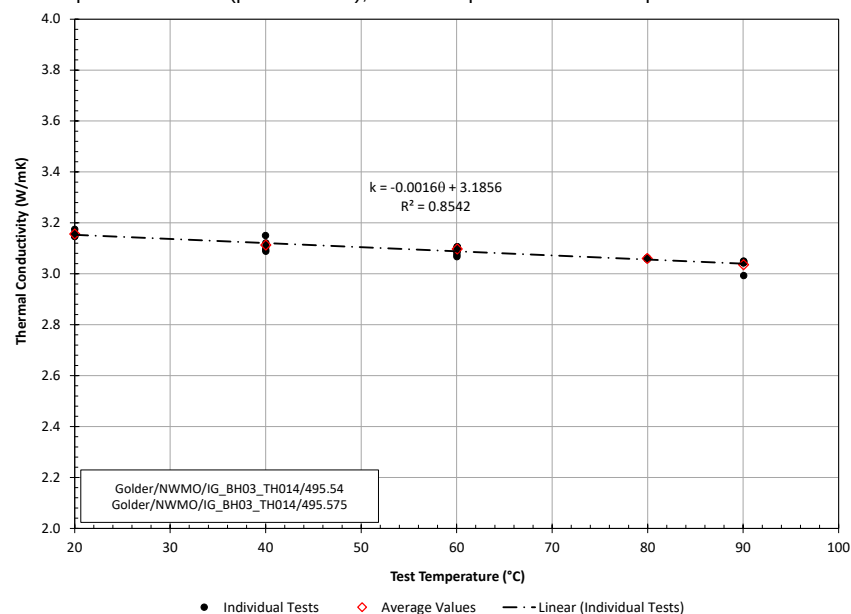
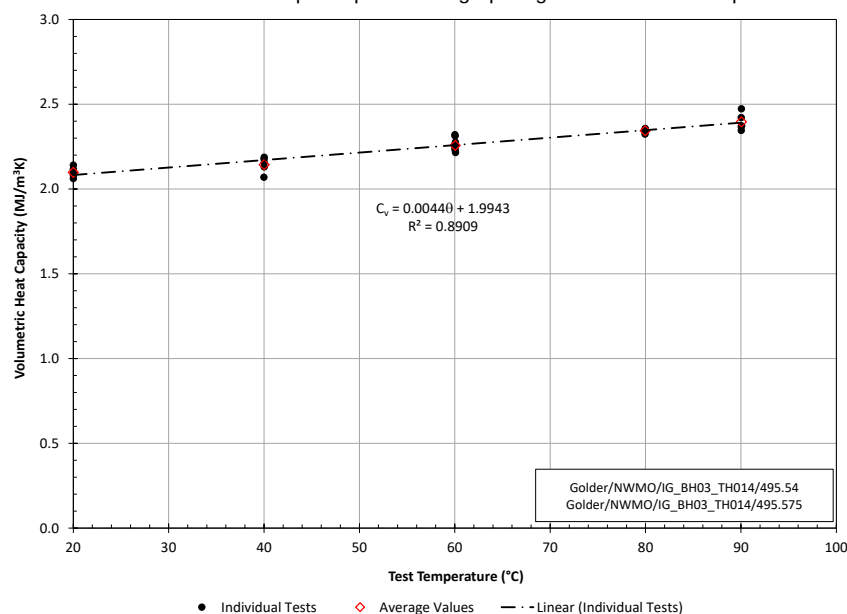


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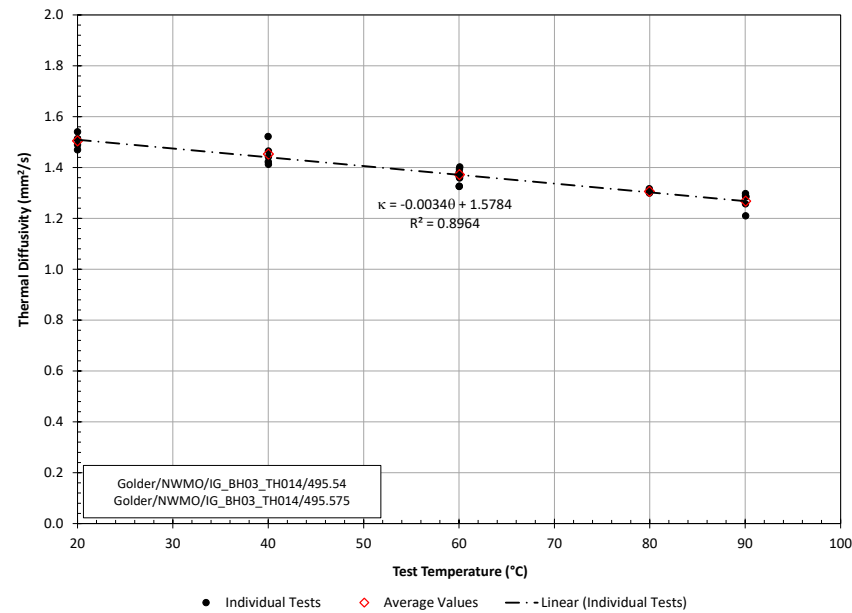
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Average Temperature (°C)	Average Volumetric Specific Heat (MJ/m ³ °K)	Average Thermal Conductivity (W/m°K)	Average Thermal Diffusivity (mm ² /s)
20.01	2.10	3.16	1.50
40.01	2.14	3.11	1.45
60.05	2.26	3.10	1.37
79.96	2.34	3.06	1.31
90.05	2.40	3.04	1.27
60.03	2.27	3.08	1.36

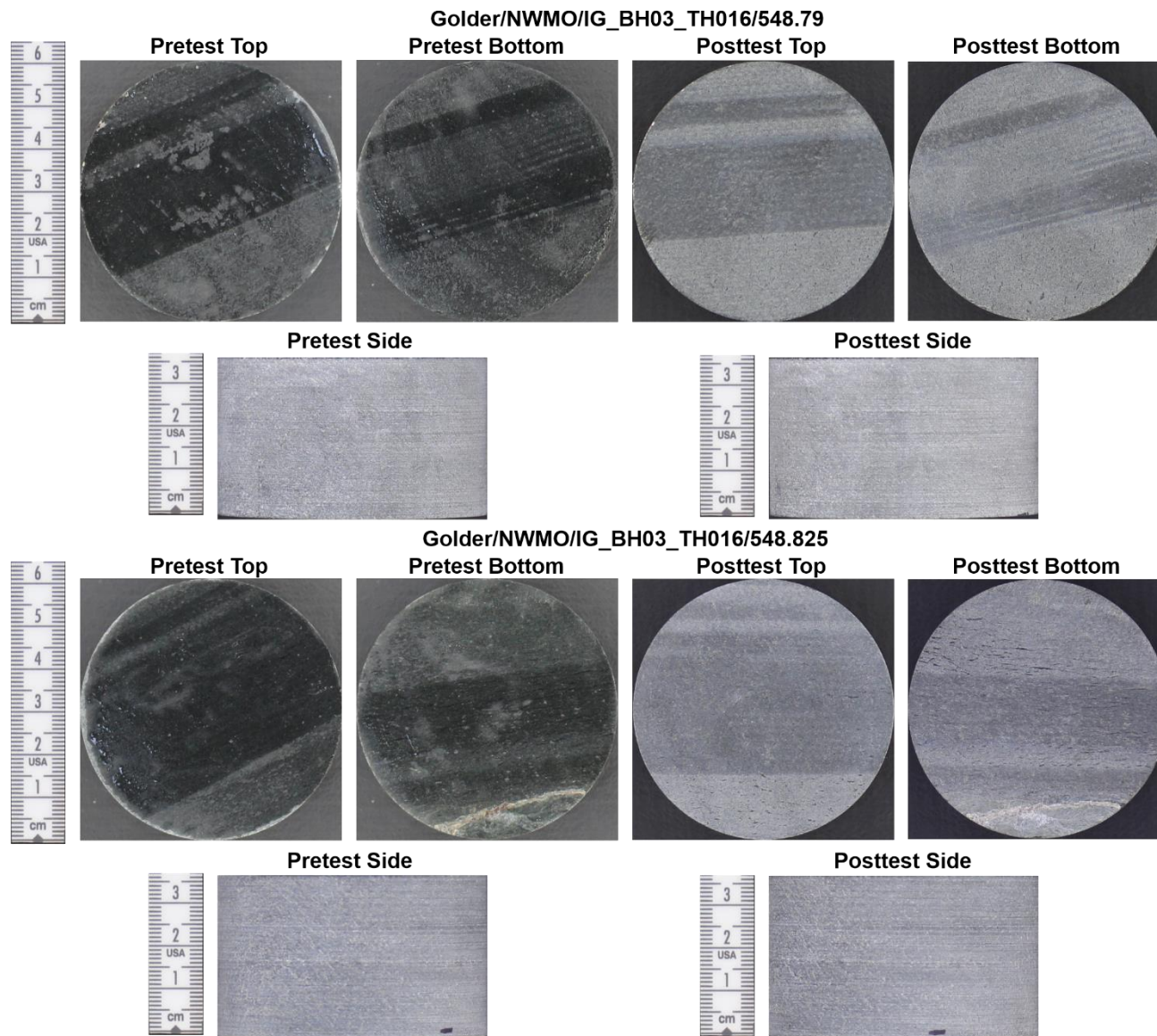
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Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH014 – Depth = 495.54 m: Volumetric Heat Capacity and Thermal Conductivity



Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH014 – Depth = 495.54 m: Thermal Diffusivity

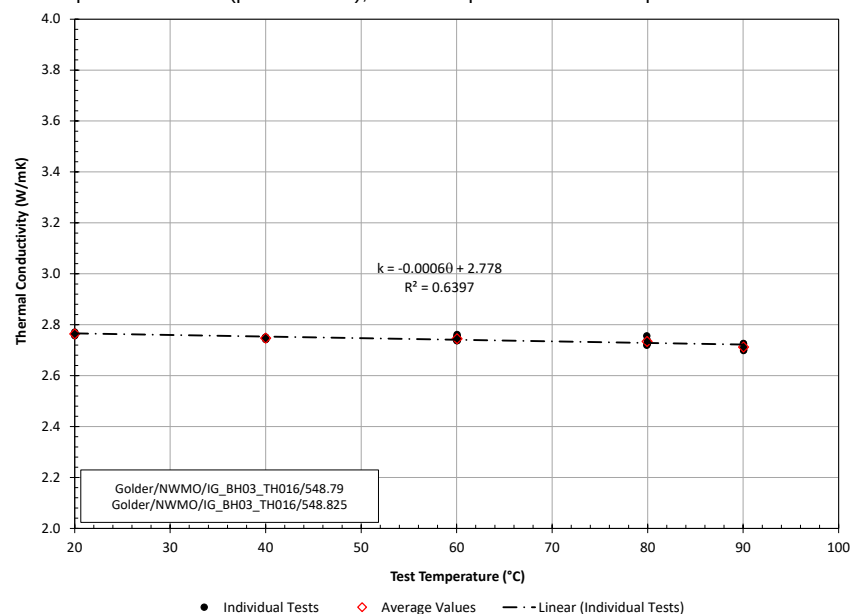
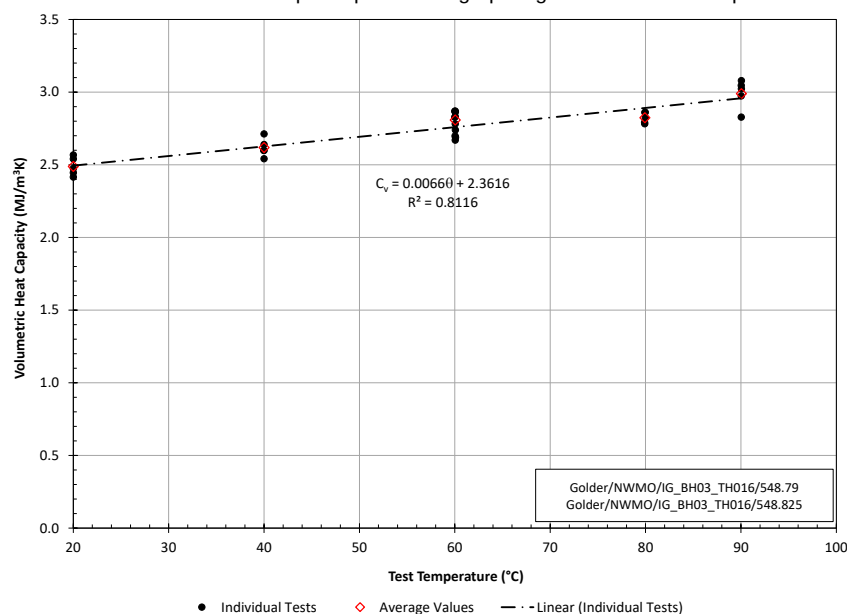


Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH016 – Depth = 548.79 m: specimen photographs

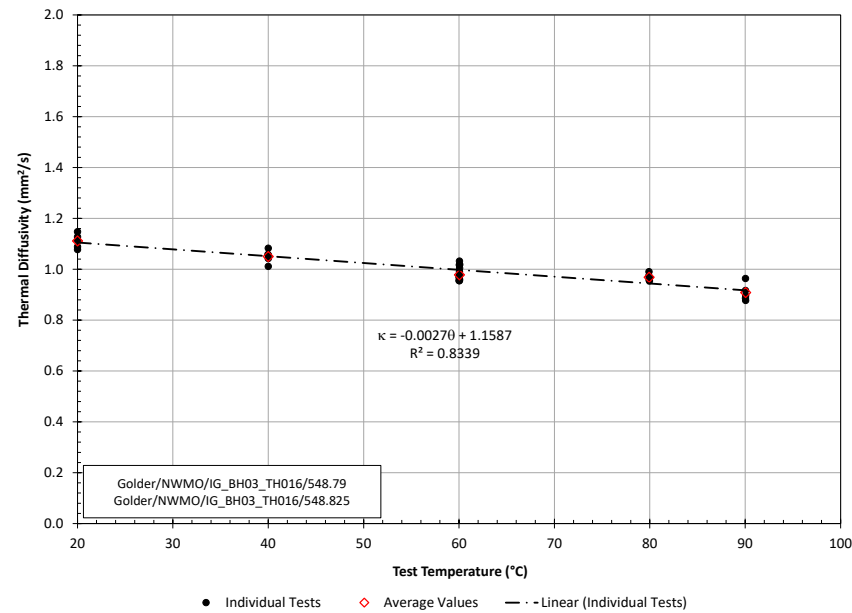
Table D-13: Hot Disk Results – Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH016 – Depth = 548.79 m

Average Temperature (°C)	Average Volumetric Specific Heat (MJ/m ³ K)	Average Thermal Conductivity (W/m°K)	Average Thermal Diffusivity (mm ² /s)
20.01	2.49	2.76	1.11
40.00	2.62	2.75	1.05
60.04	2.81	2.74	0.98
79.94	2.82	2.73	0.97
90.04	2.99	2.71	0.91
60.04	2.76	2.75	1.00

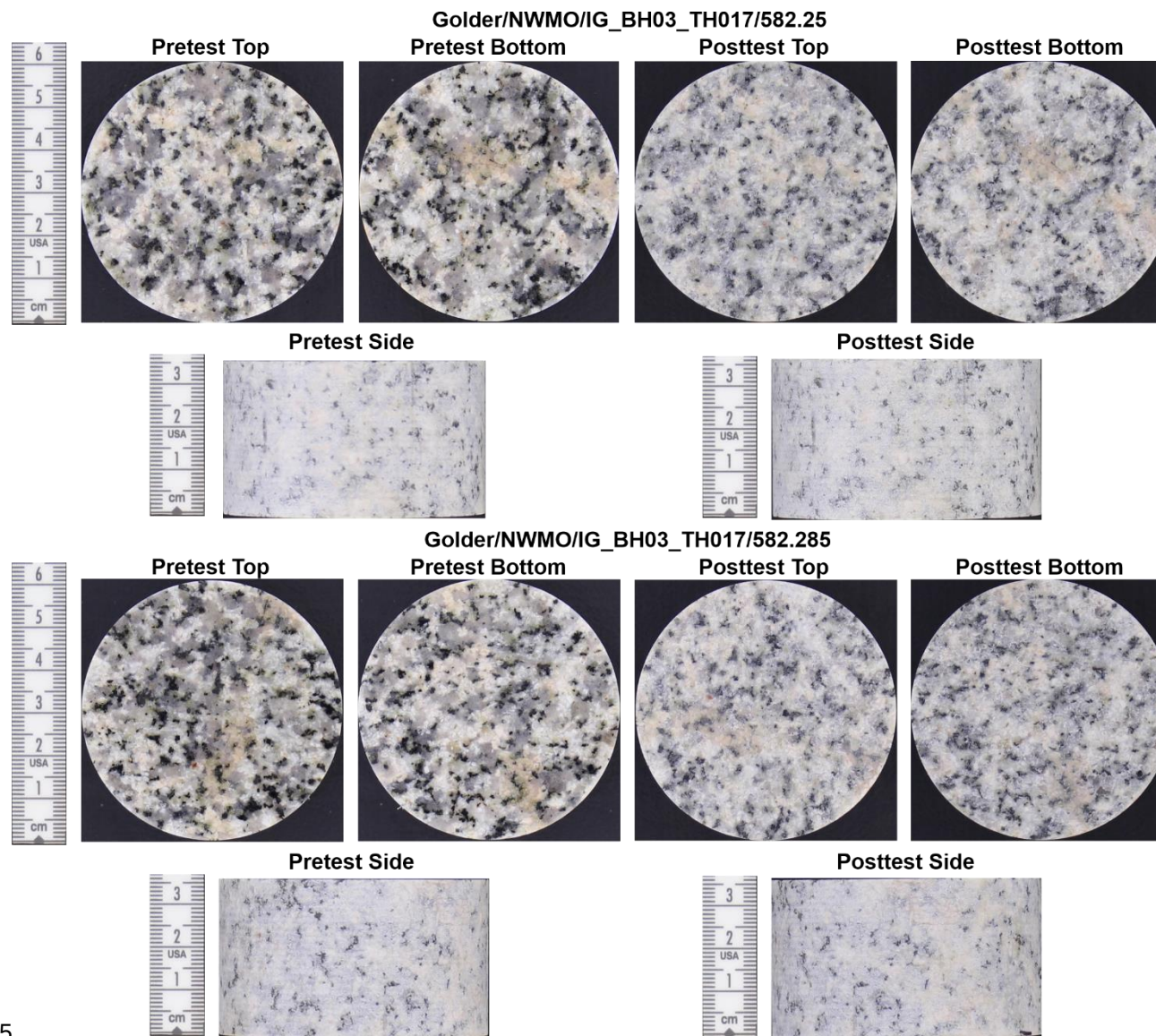
NOTE: Sample depths in the graph legends refer to the depth of the original sample as collected (part of the id), not the depth of the sub-samples



Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH016 – Depth = 548.79 m: Volumetric Heat Capacity and Thermal Conductivity



Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH016 – Depth = 548.79 m: Thermal Diffusivity



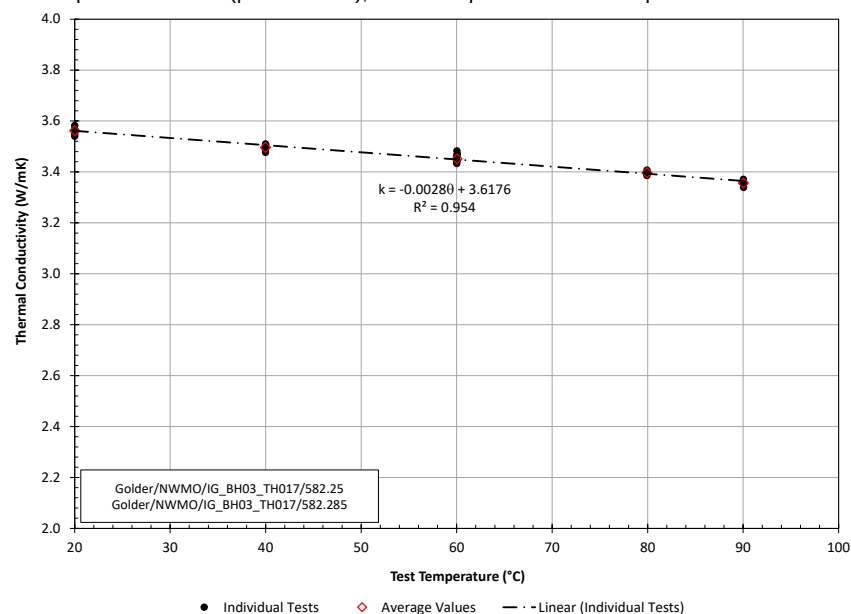
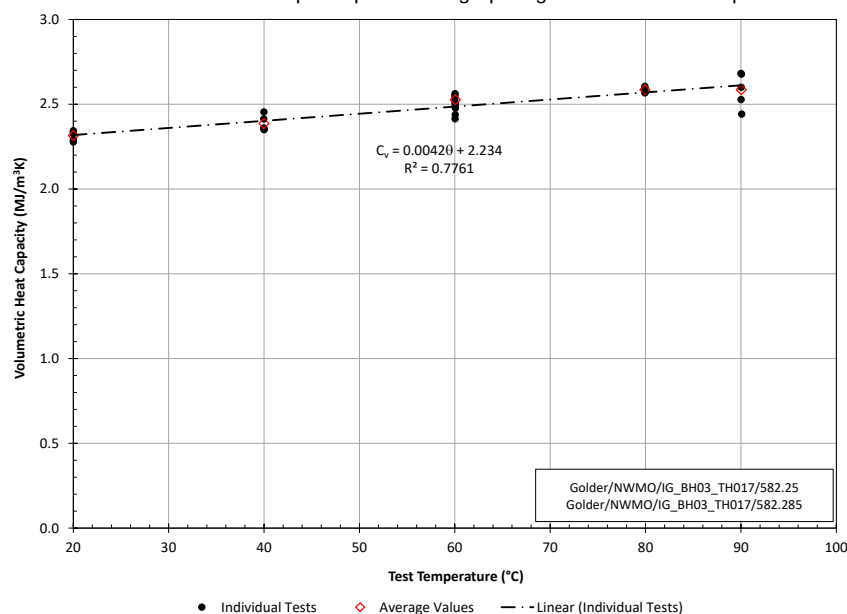
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Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH017 – Depth = 582.25 m: specimen photographs

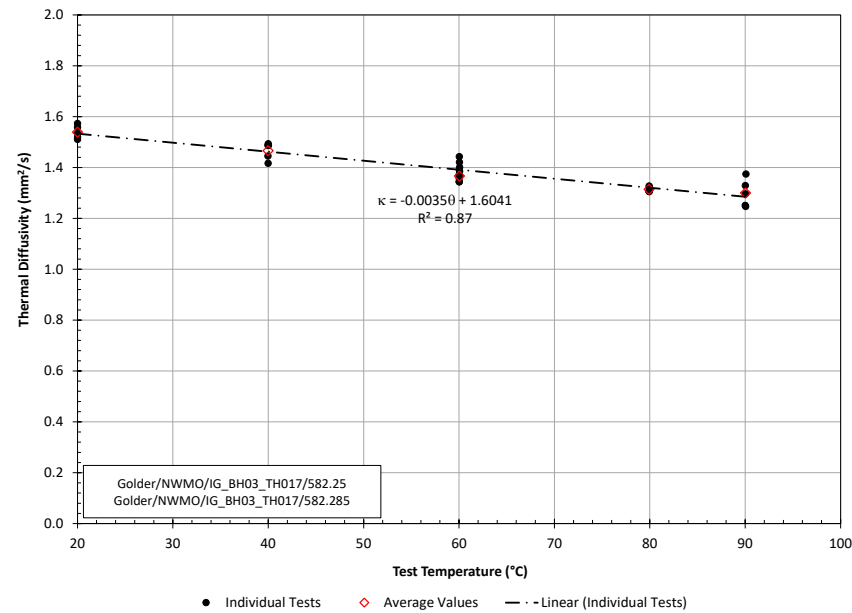
Table D-14: Hot Disk Results – Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH017 – Depth = 582.25 m

Average Temperature (°C)	Average Volumetric Specific Heat (MJ/m ³ K)	Average Thermal Conductivity (W/m°K)	Average Thermal Diffusivity (mm ² /s)
20.01	2.31	3.56	1.54
39.99	2.39	3.50	1.47
60.04	2.53	3.45	1.37
79.93	2.59	3.40	1.31
90.03	2.59	3.36	1.30
60.03	2.47	3.46	1.40

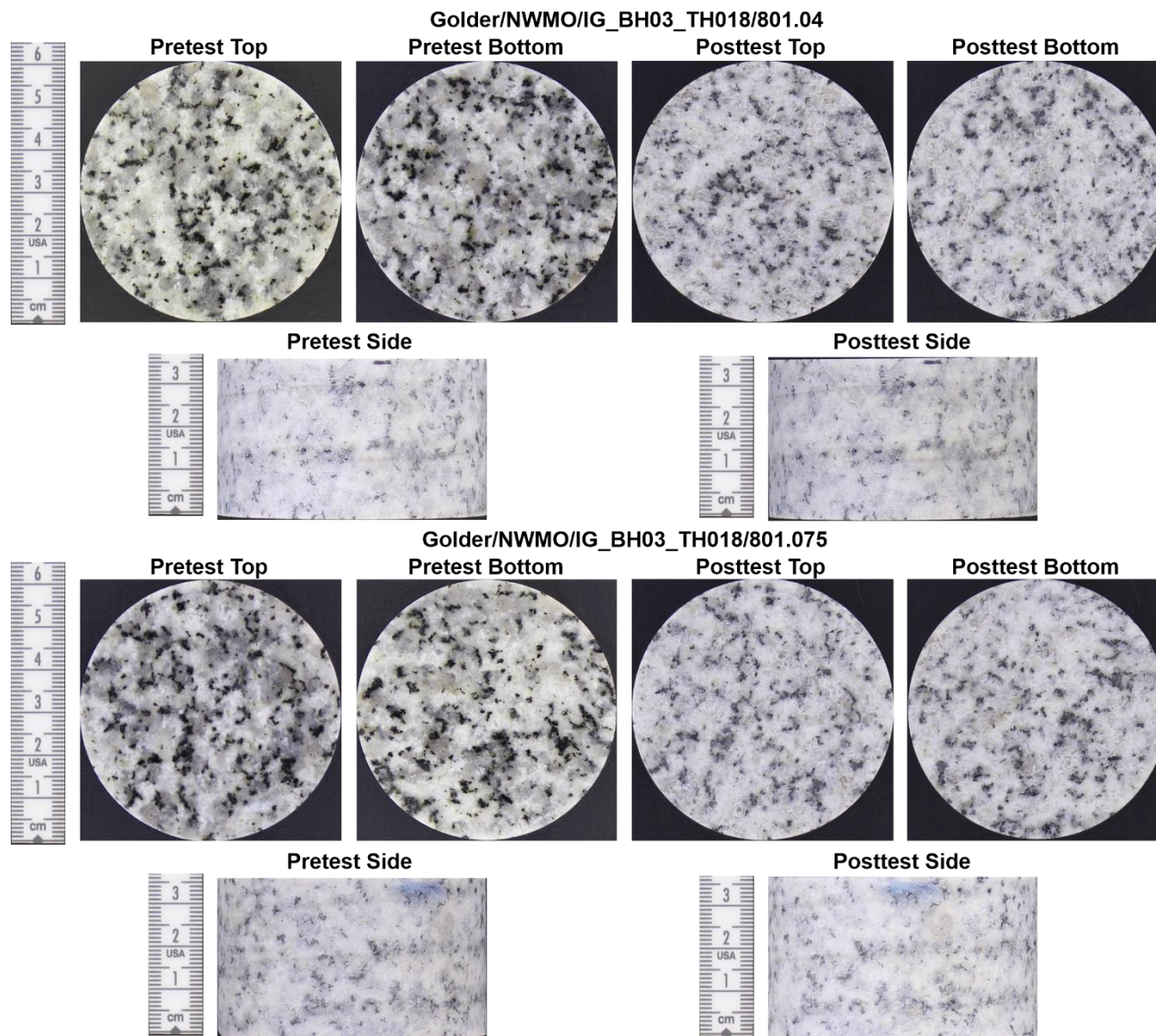
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Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH017 – Depth = 582.25 m: Volumetric Heat Capacity and Thermal Conductivity



Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH017 – Depth = 582.25 m: Thermal Diffusivity

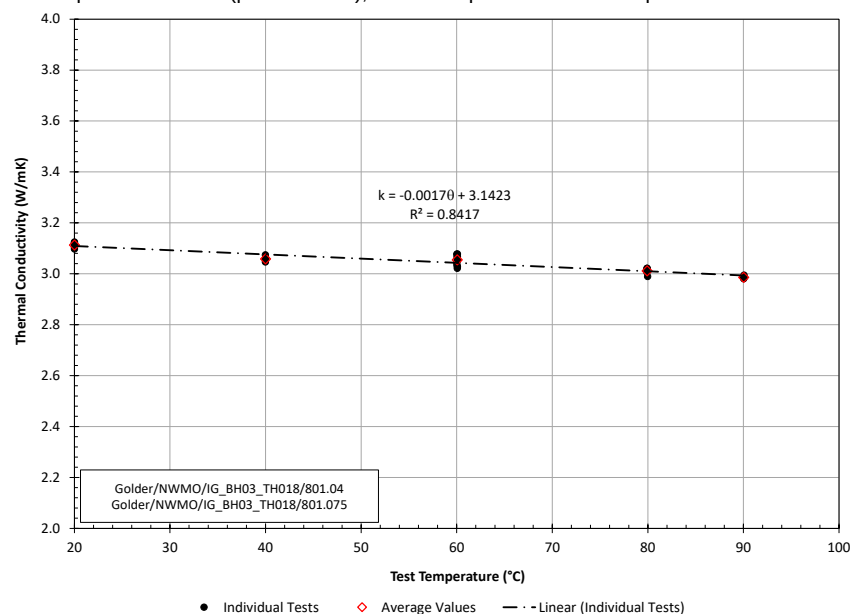
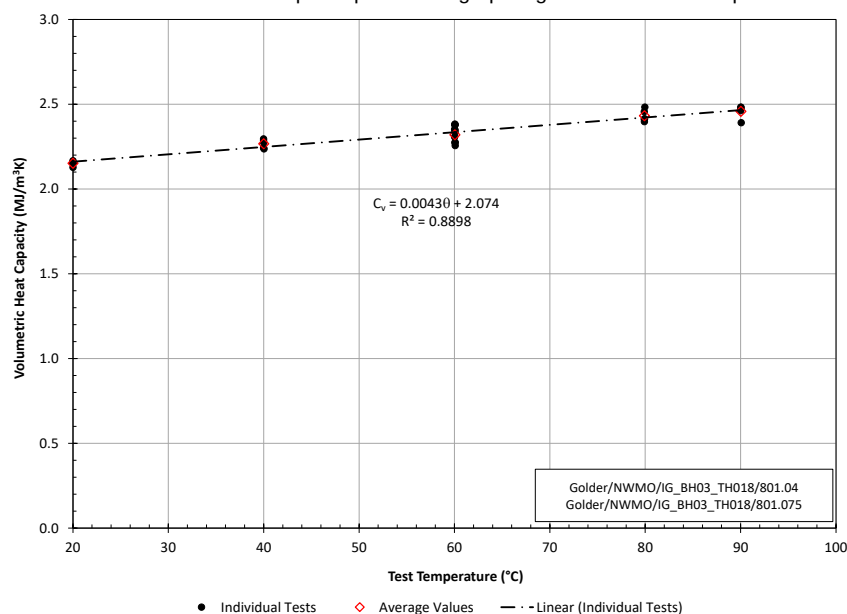


Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH018 – Depth = 801.04 m: specimen photographs

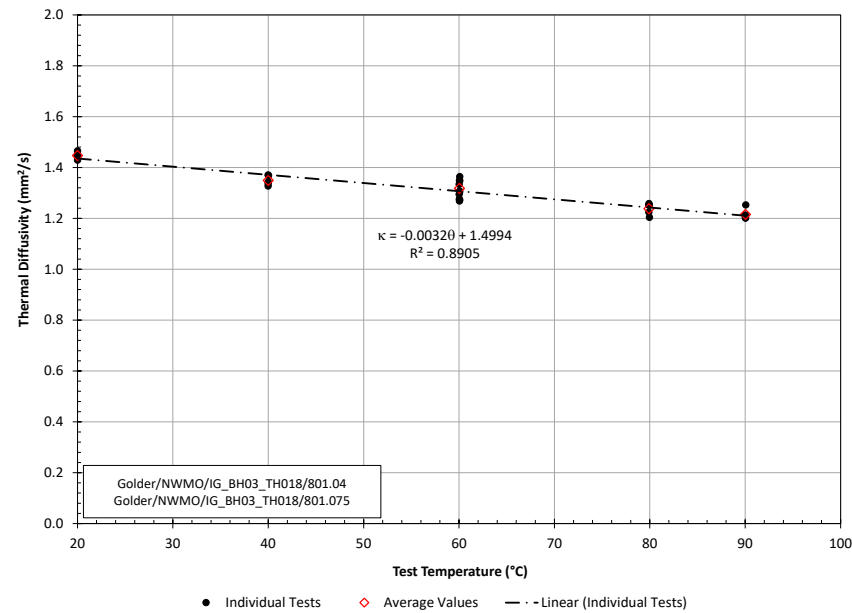
Table D-15: Hot Disk Results – Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH018 – Depth = 801.04 m

Average Temperature (°C)	Average Volumetric Specific Heat (MJ/m ³ K)	Average Thermal Conductivity (W/m°K)	Average Thermal Diffusivity (mm ² /s)
20.01	2.15	3.11	1.45
40.00	2.27	3.06	1.35
60.05	2.32	3.05	1.32
79.92	2.43	3.01	1.24
90.03	2.46	2.99	1.22
60.05	2.34	3.05	1.31

NOTE: Sample depths in the graph legends refer to the depth of the original sample as collected (part of the id), not the depth of the sub-samples



Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH018 – Depth = 801.04 m: Volumetric Heat Capacity and Thermal Conductivity



Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH018 – Depth = 801.04 m: Thermal Diffusivity

APPENDIX E

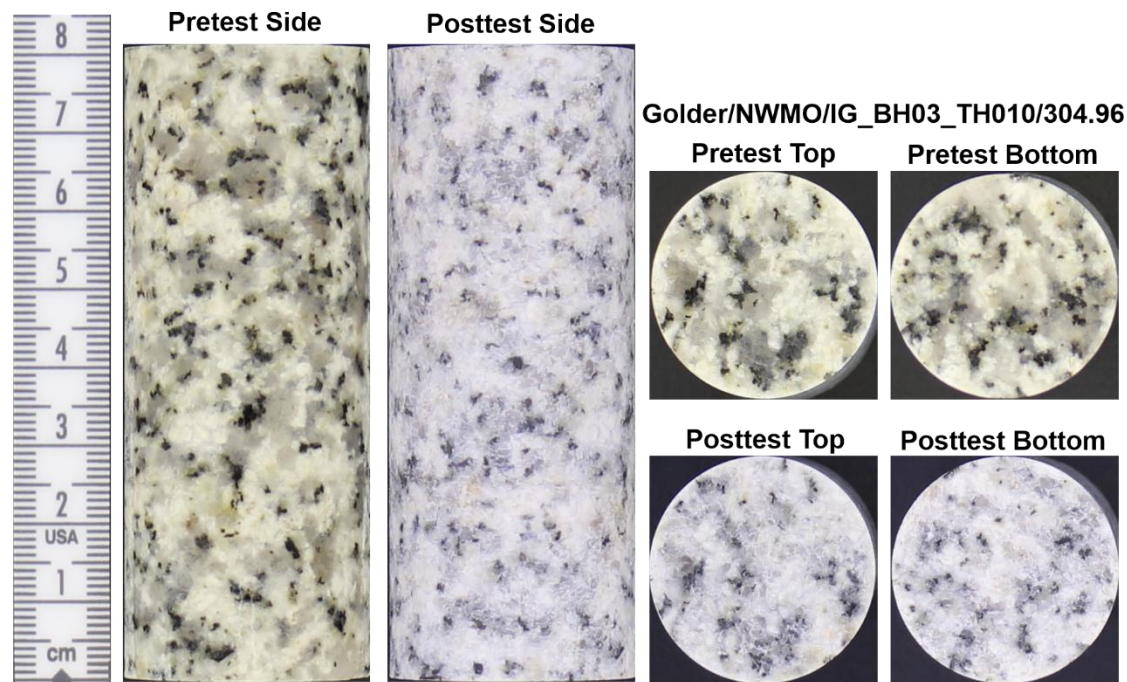
Thermal Expansion Tests: Test Data and Graphs

Table E-1: List of thermal test specimens

Specimen No.	Depth (m)¹	Rock Type	Page
IG_BH03_TH010 ²	304.96	Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite	E-2
IG_BH03_TH011 ²	359.20	Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite	E-4
IG_BH03_TH012 ²	416.93	Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite	E-6
IG_BH03_TH013 ²	454.64	Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite	E-8
IG_BH03_TH014 ²	495.43	Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite	E-10
IG_BH03_TH015 ²	538.74	Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite	E-12
IG_BH03_TH016 ²	548.68	Amphibolite	E-14
IG_BH03_TH017 ²	582.14	Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite	E-16
IG_BH03_TH018 ²	800.93	Biotite Granodiorite-Tonalite	E-18

¹ Top depth of prepared sub-sample (depth along borehole).

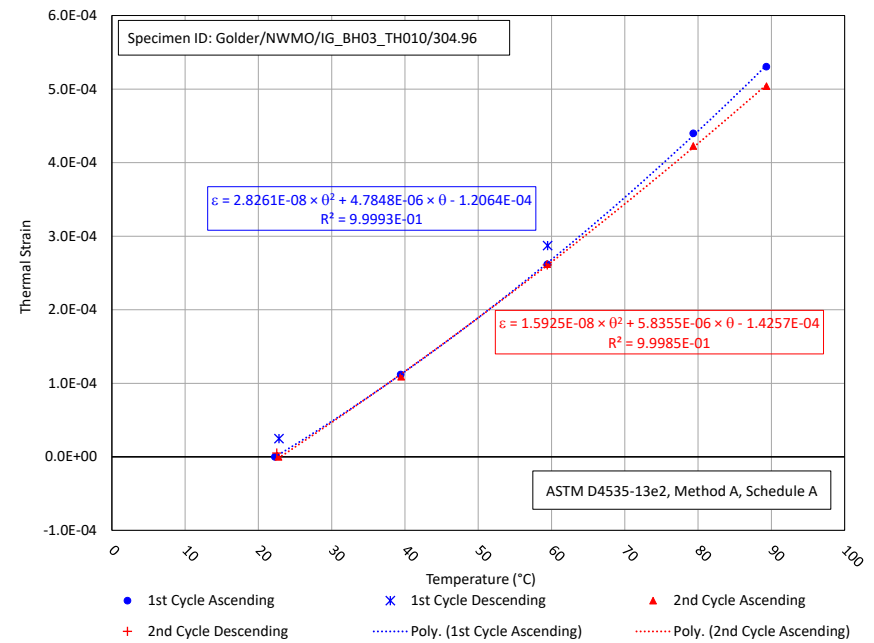
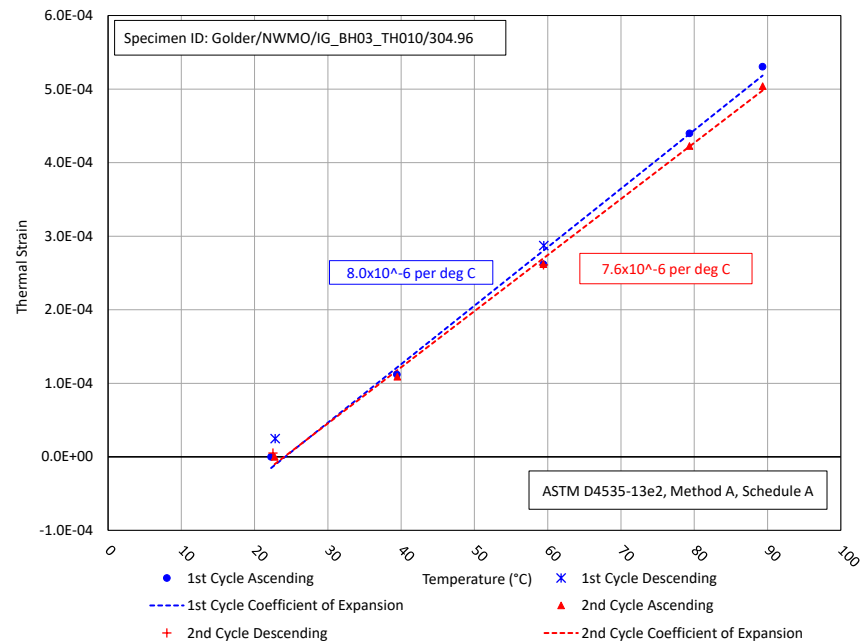
² Sample was saturated before testing.



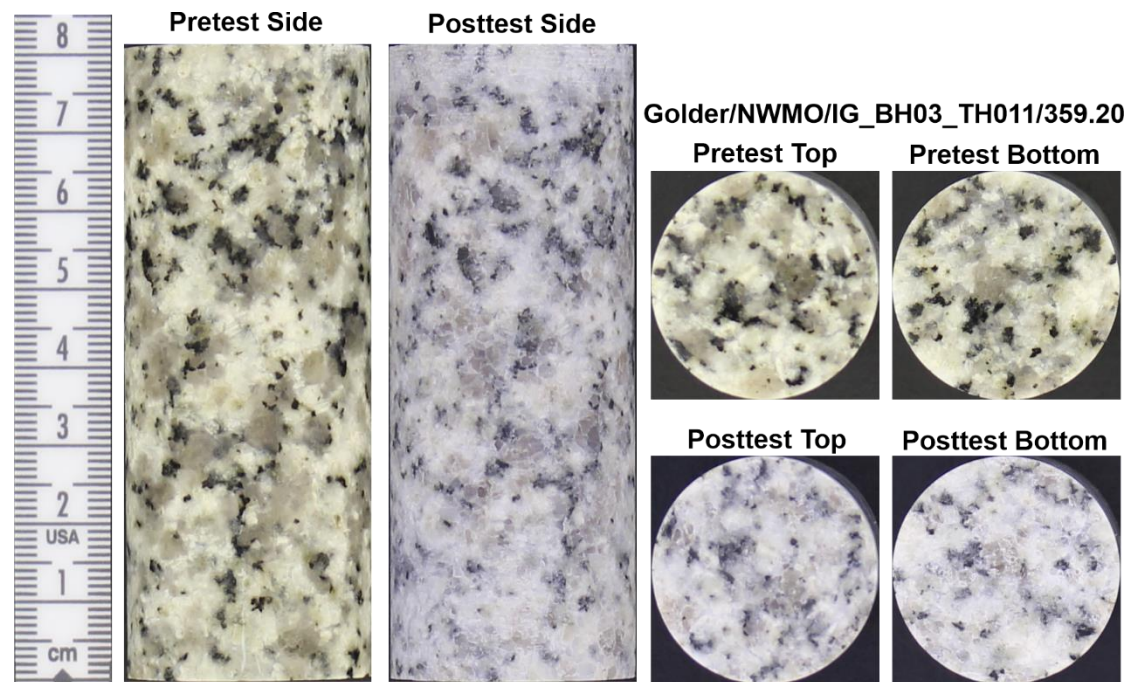
Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH010 – Depth = 304.96 m: specimen photographs

Table E-2: Thermal Expansion Results – Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH010 – Depth = 304.96 m

Average Temperature (°C)	Average Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Linear (1/°K)	Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Quadratic (1/°K)	Average Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Linear (1/°K)	Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Quadratic (1/°K)
	1 st Temperature Cycle		2 nd Temperature Cycle	
20	7.96E-06	5.92E-06	7.63E-06	6.47E-06
40		7.05E-06		7.11E-06
60		8.18E-06		7.75E-06
80		9.31E-06		8.38E-06
90		9.87E-06		8.70E-06



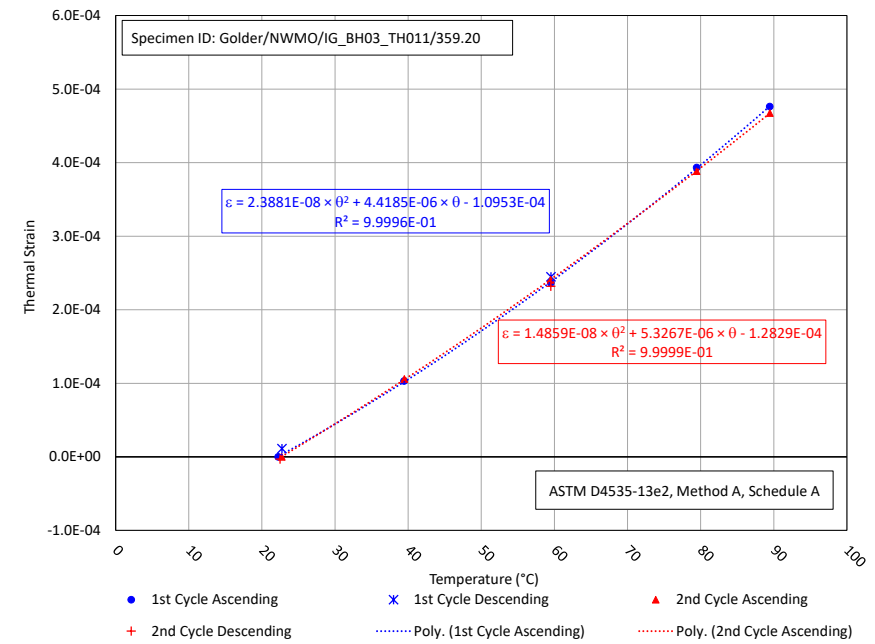
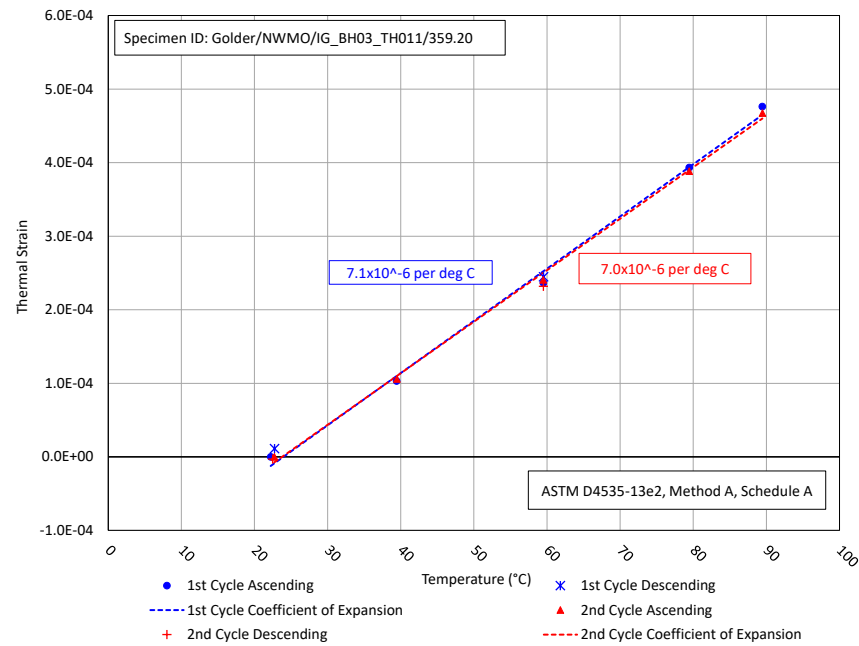
Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH010 – Depth = 304.96 m: Linear fit and quadratic fit for the thermal expansion data



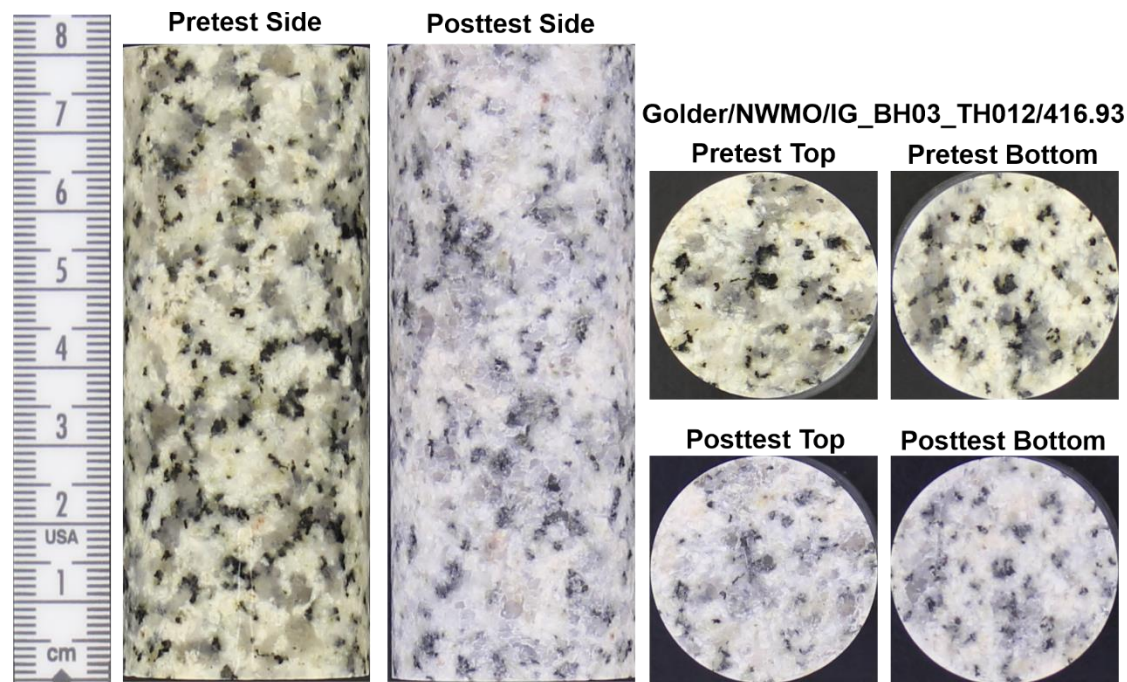
Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH011 – Depth = 359.20 m: specimen photographs

Table E-3: Thermal Expansion Results – Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH011 – Depth = 359.20 m

Average Temperature (°C)	Average Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Linear (1/°K)	Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Quadratic (1/°K)	Average Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Linear (1/°K)	Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Quadratic (1/°K)
	1 st Temperature Cycle		2 nd Temperature Cycle	
20	7.10E-06	5.37E-06	7.00E-06	5.92E-06
40		6.33E-06		6.52E-06
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90		8.72E-06		8.00E-06



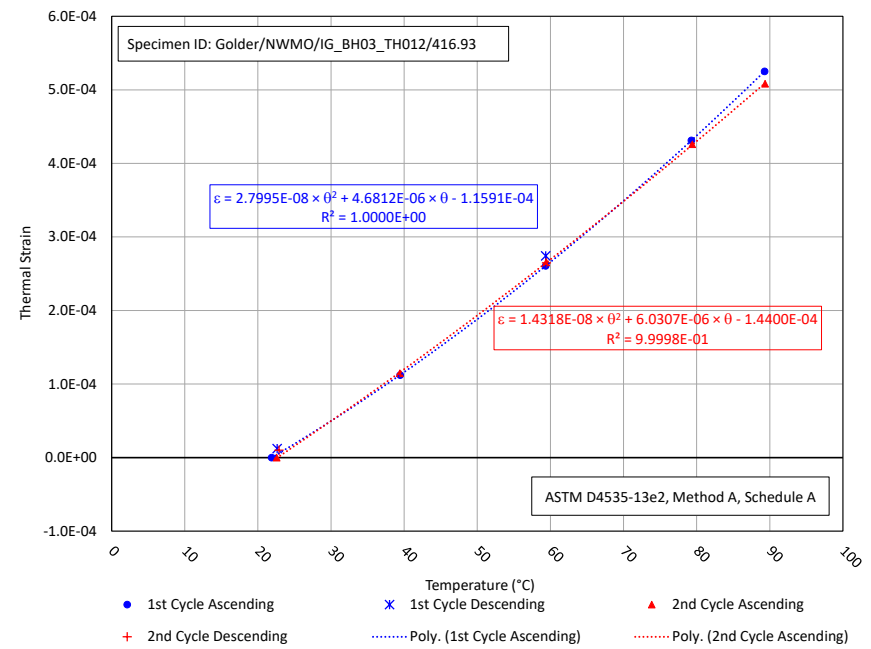
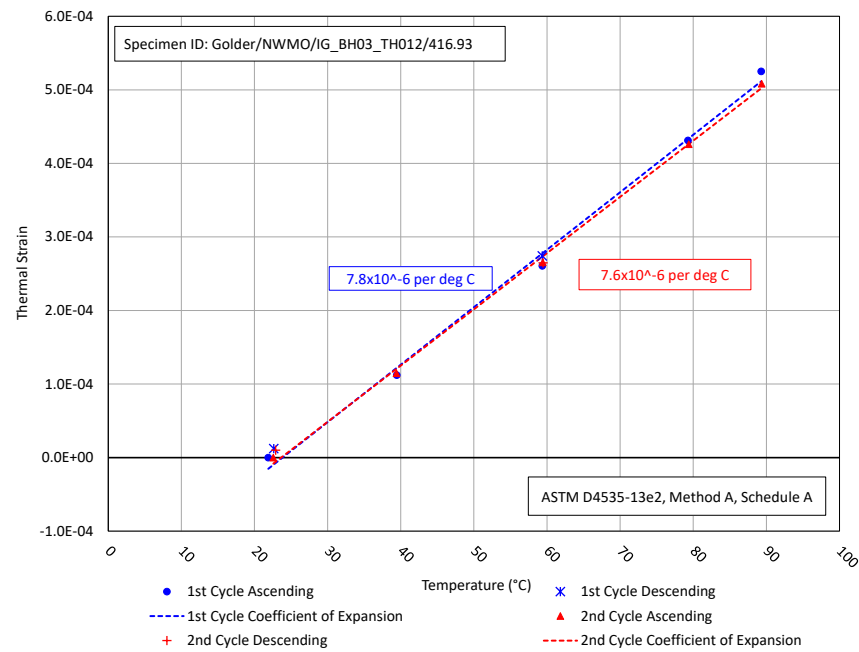
Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH011 – Depth = 359.20 m: Linear fit and quadratic fit for the thermal expansion data



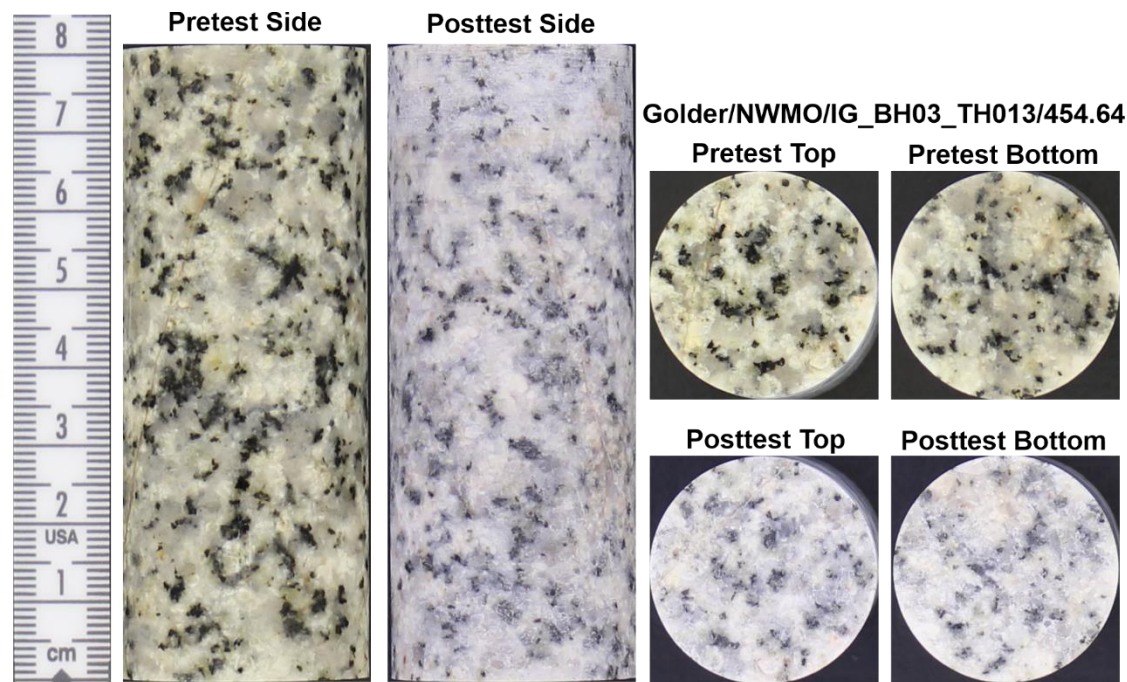
Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH012 – Depth = 416.93 m: specimen photographs

Table E-4: Thermal Expansion Results – Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH012 – Depth = 416.93 m

Average Temperature (°C)	Average Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Linear (1/°K)	Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Quadratic (1/°K)	Average Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Linear (1/°K)	Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Quadratic (1/°K)
	1 st Temperature Cycle		2 nd Temperature Cycle	
20	7.81E-06	5.80E-06	7.64E-06	6.60E-06
40		6.92E-06		7.18E-06
60		8.04E-06		7.75E-06
80		9.16E-06		8.32E-06
90		9.72E-06		8.61E-06



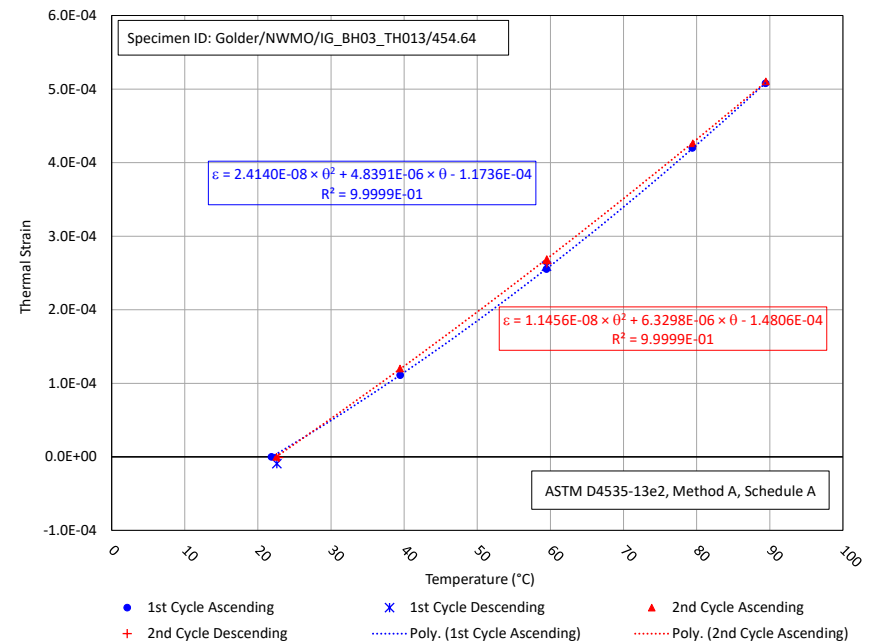
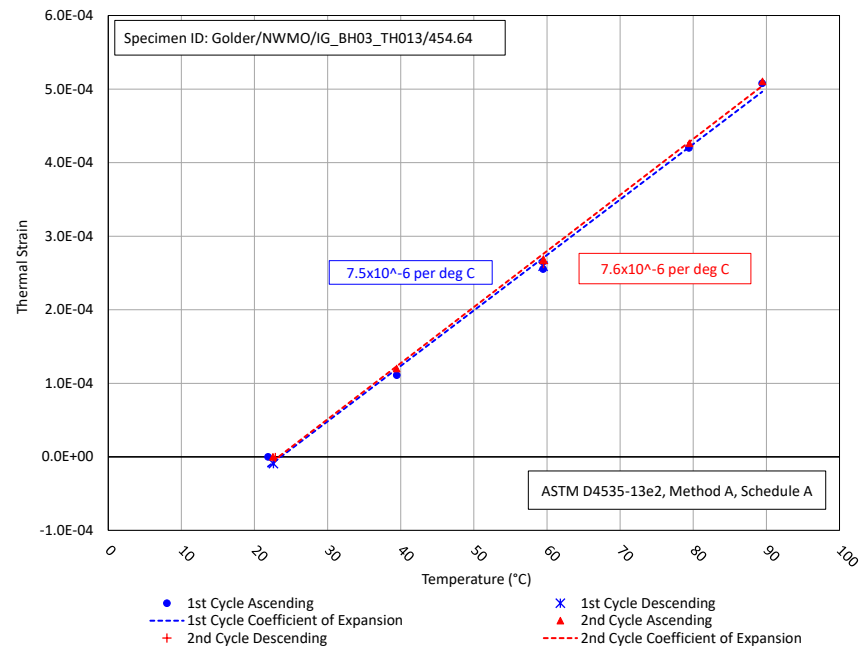
Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH012 – Depth = 416.93 m: Linear fit and quadratic fit for the thermal expansion data



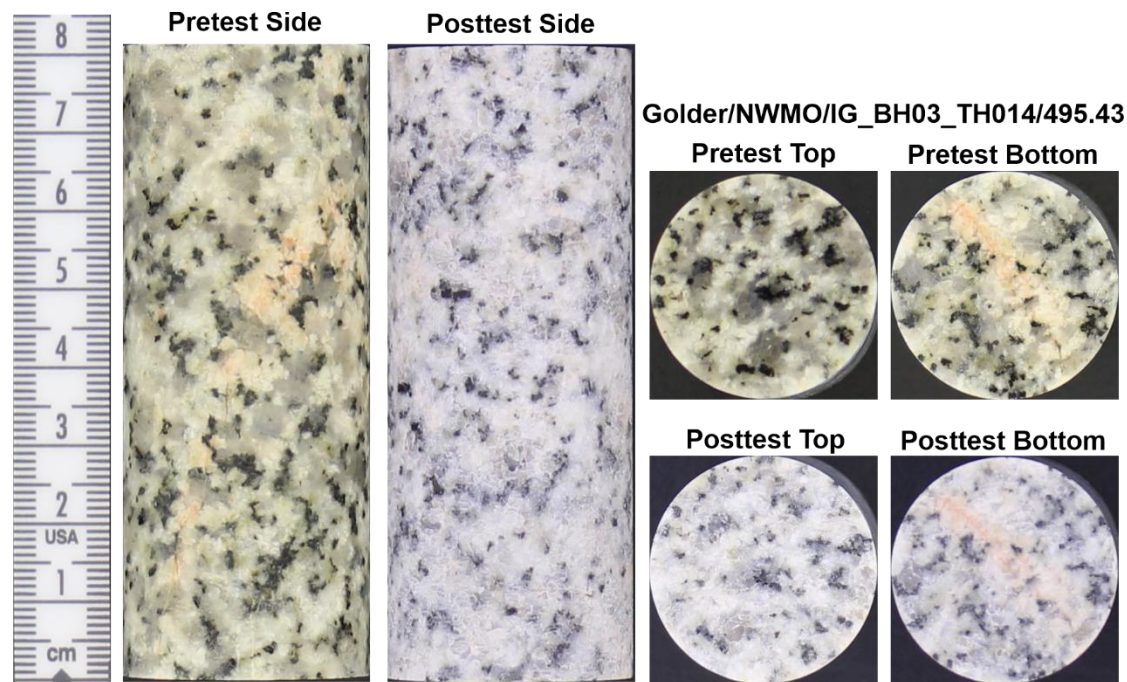
Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH013 – Depth = 454.64 m: specimen photographs

Table E-5: Thermal Expansion Results – Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH013 – Depth = 454.64 m

Average Temperature (°C)	Average Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Linear (1/°K)	Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Quadratic (1/°K)	Average Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Linear (1/°K)	Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Quadratic (1/°K)
	1 st Temperature Cycle		2 nd Temperature Cycle	
20	7.54E-06	5.80E-06	7.62E-06	6.79E-06
40		6.77E-06		7.25E-06
60		7.74E-06		7.70E-06
80		8.70E-06		8.16E-06
90		9.18E-06		8.39E-06



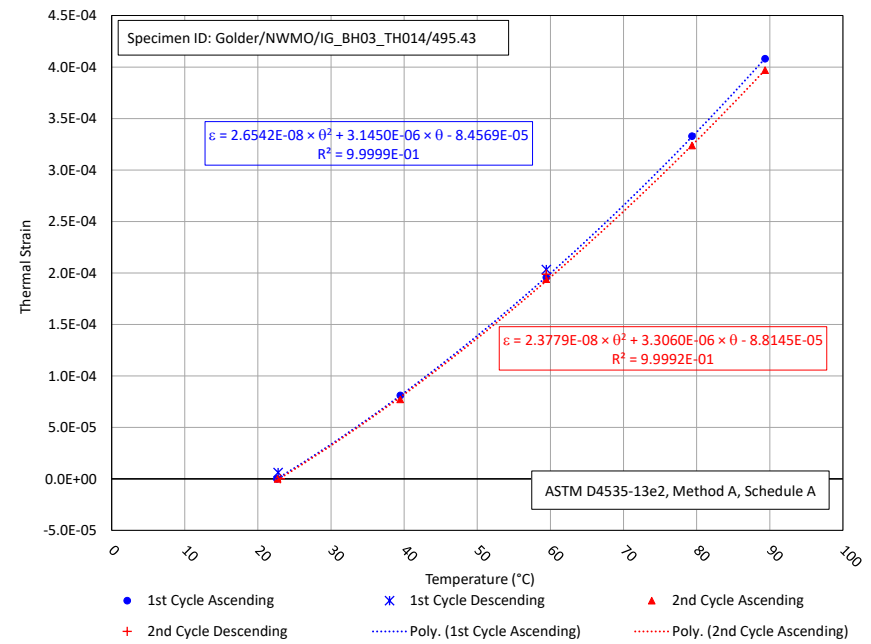
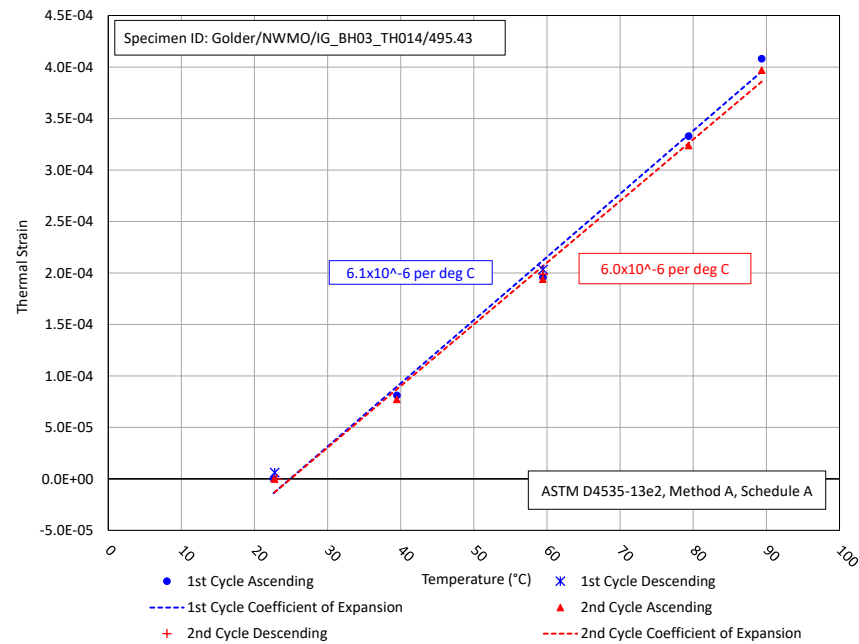
Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH013 – Depth = 454.64 m: Linear fit and quadratic fit for the thermal expansion data



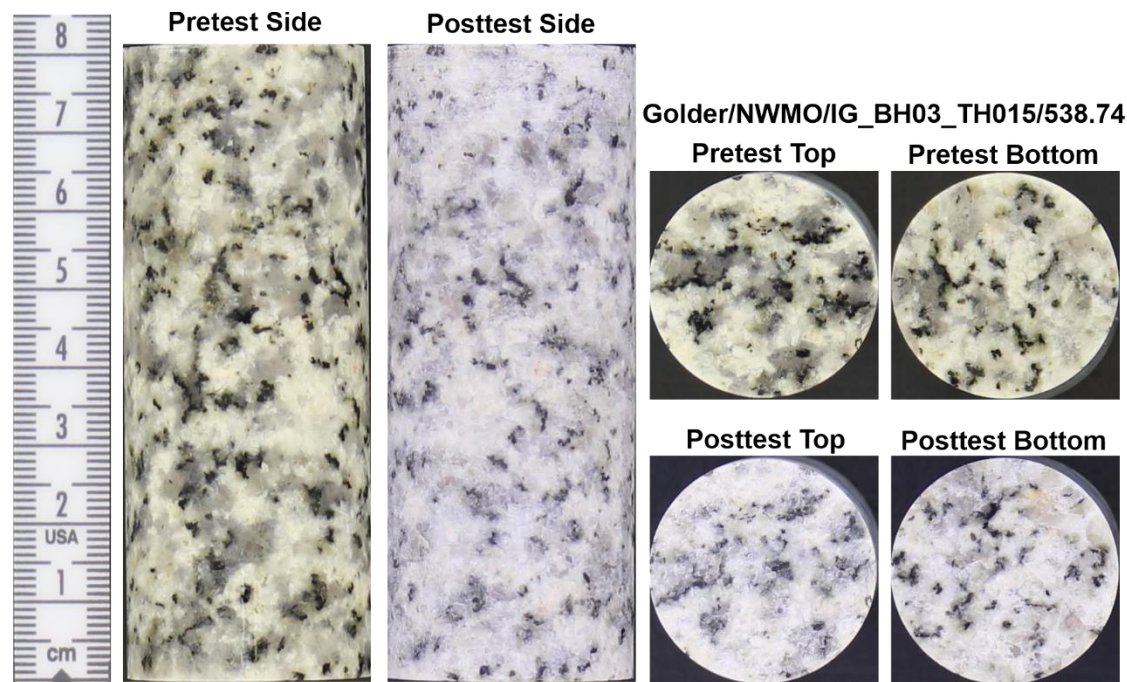
Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH014 – Depth = 495.43 m: specimen photographs

Table E-6: Thermal Expansion Results – Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH014 – Depth = 495.43 m

Average Temperature (°C)	Average Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Linear (1/°K)	Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Quadratic (1/°K)	Average Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Linear (1/°K)	Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Quadratic (1/°K)
	1 st Temperature Cycle		2 nd Temperature Cycle	
20	6.13E-06	4.21E-06	5.99E-06	4.26E-06
40		5.27E-06		5.21E-06
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90		7.92E-06		7.59E-06



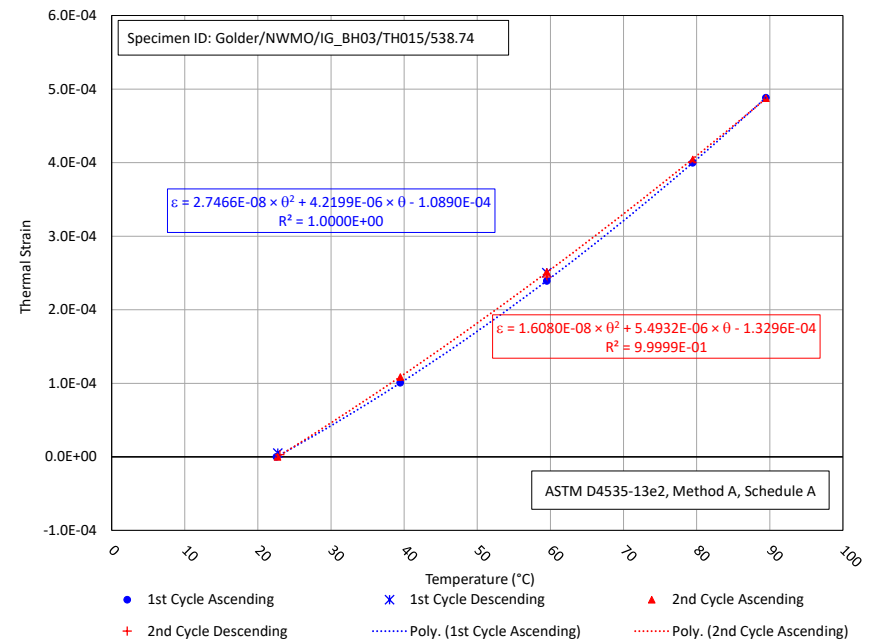
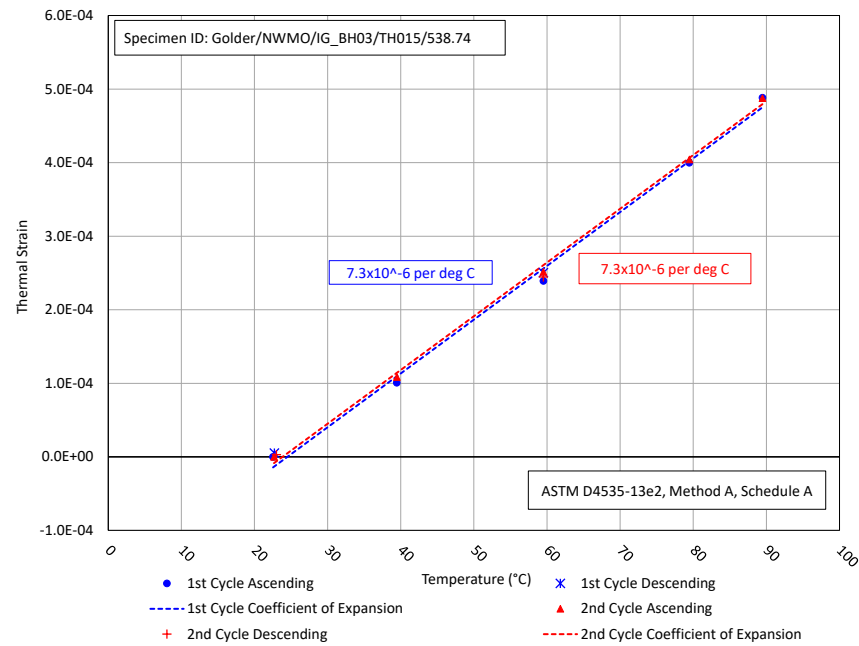
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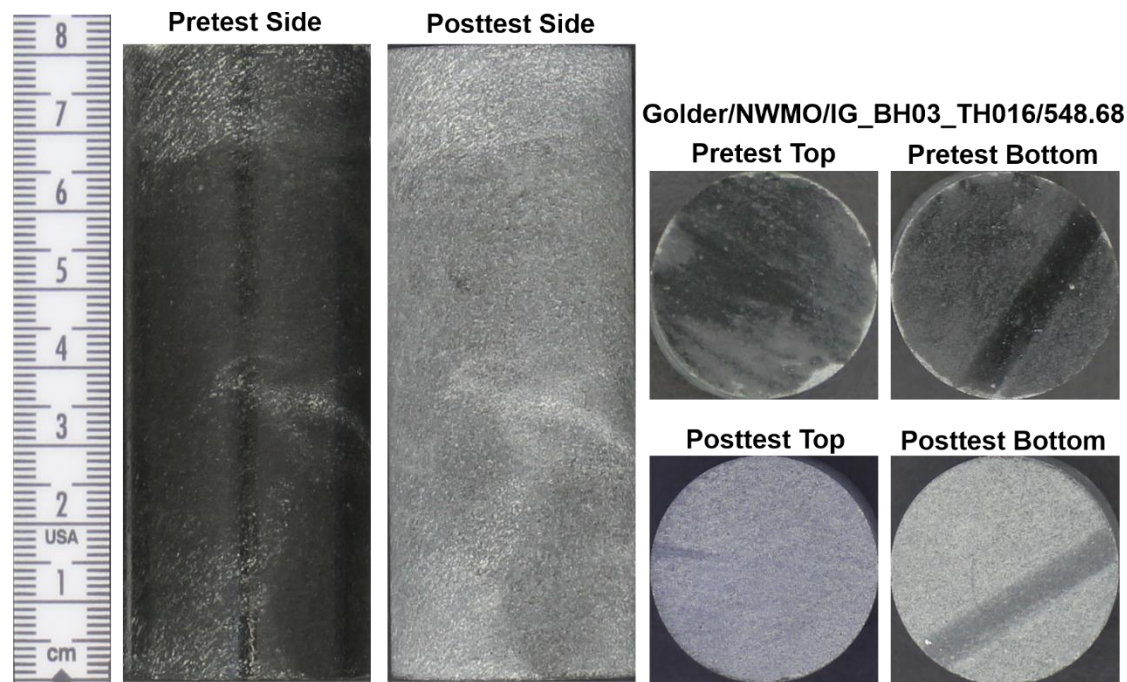
Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH015 – Depth = 538.74 m: specimen photographs

Table E-7: Thermal Expansion Results – Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH015 – Depth = 538.74 m

Average Temperature (°C)	Average Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Linear (1/°K)	Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Quadratic (1/°K)	Average Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Linear (1/°K)	Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Quadratic (1/°K)
	1 st Temperature Cycle		2 nd Temperature Cycle	
20	7.31E-06	5.32E-06	7.31E-06	6.14E-06
40		6.42E-06		6.78E-06
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90		9.16E-06		8.39E-06



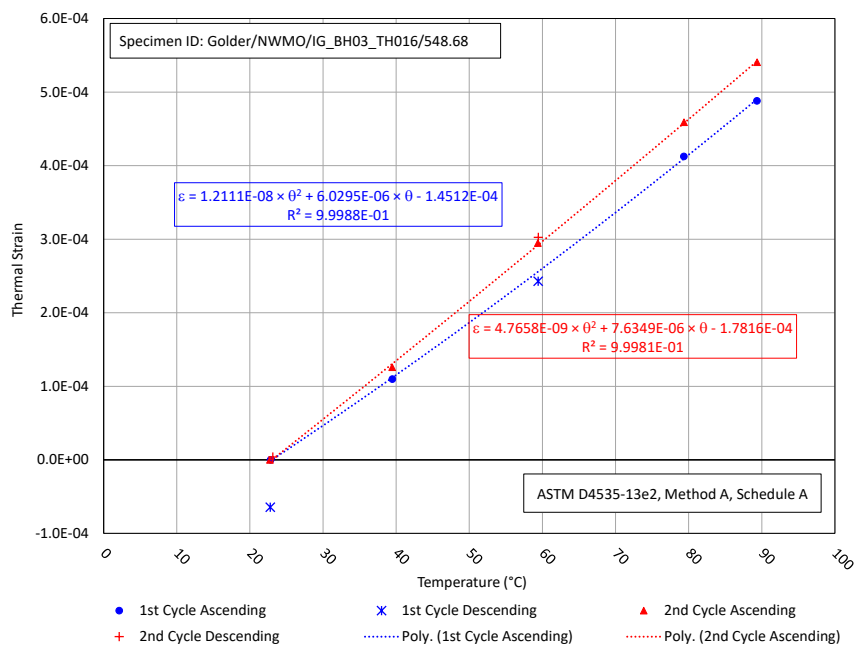
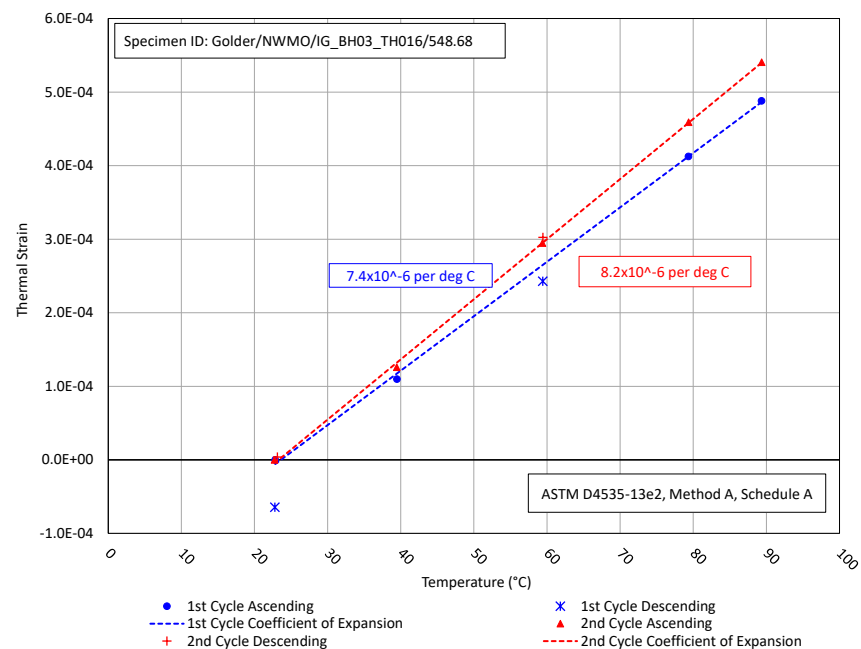
Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH015 – Depth = 538.74 m: Linear fit and quadratic fit for the thermal expansion data



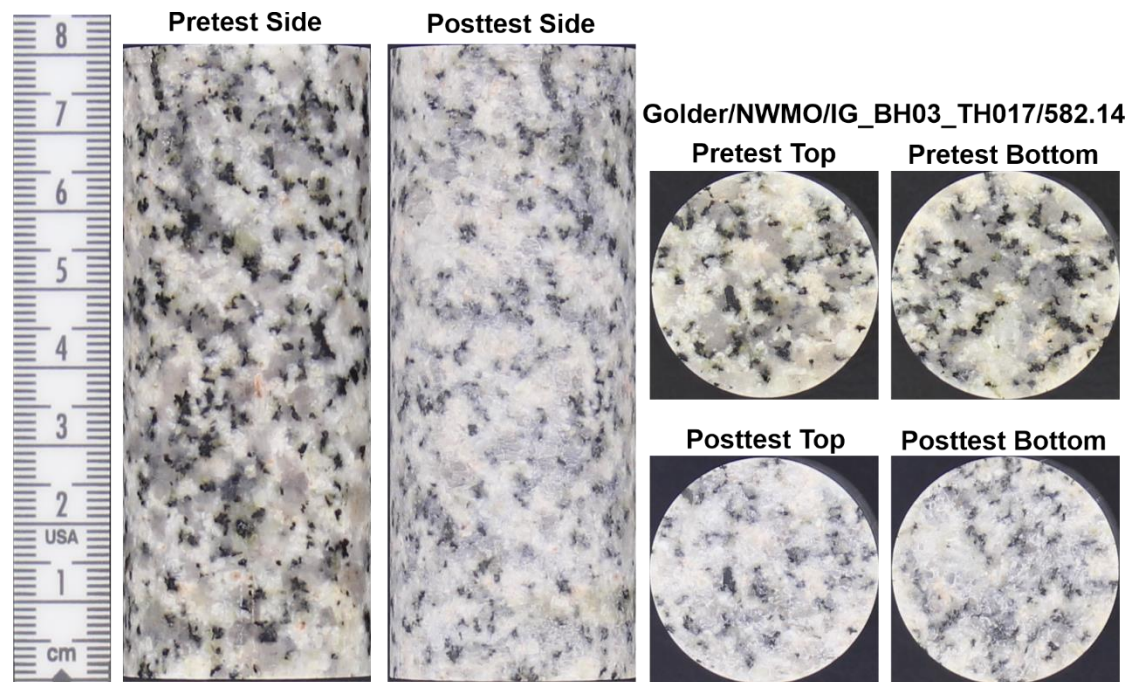
Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH016 – Depth = 548.68 m: specimen photographs

Table E-8: Thermal Expansion Results – Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH016 – Depth = 548.68 m

Average Temperature (°C)	Average Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Linear (1/°K)	Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Quadratic (1/°K)	Average Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Linear (1/°K)	Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Quadratic (1/°K)
	1 st Temperature Cycle		2 nd Temperature Cycle	
20	7.40E-06	6.51E-06	8.17E-06	7.83E-06
40		7.00E-06		8.02E-06
60		7.48E-06		8.21E-06
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90		8.21E-06		8.49E-06



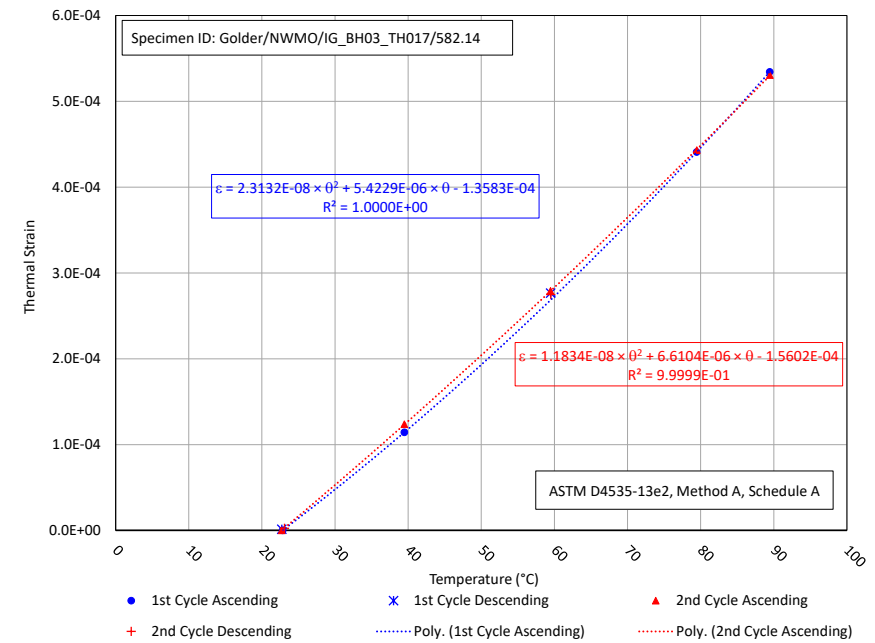
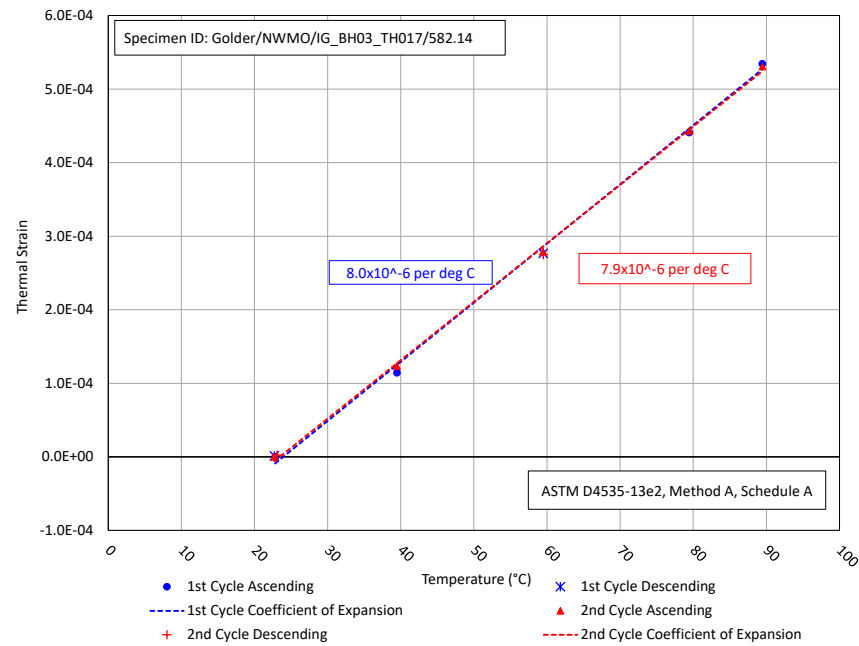
Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH016 – Depth = 548.68 m: Linear fit and quadratic fit for the thermal expansion data



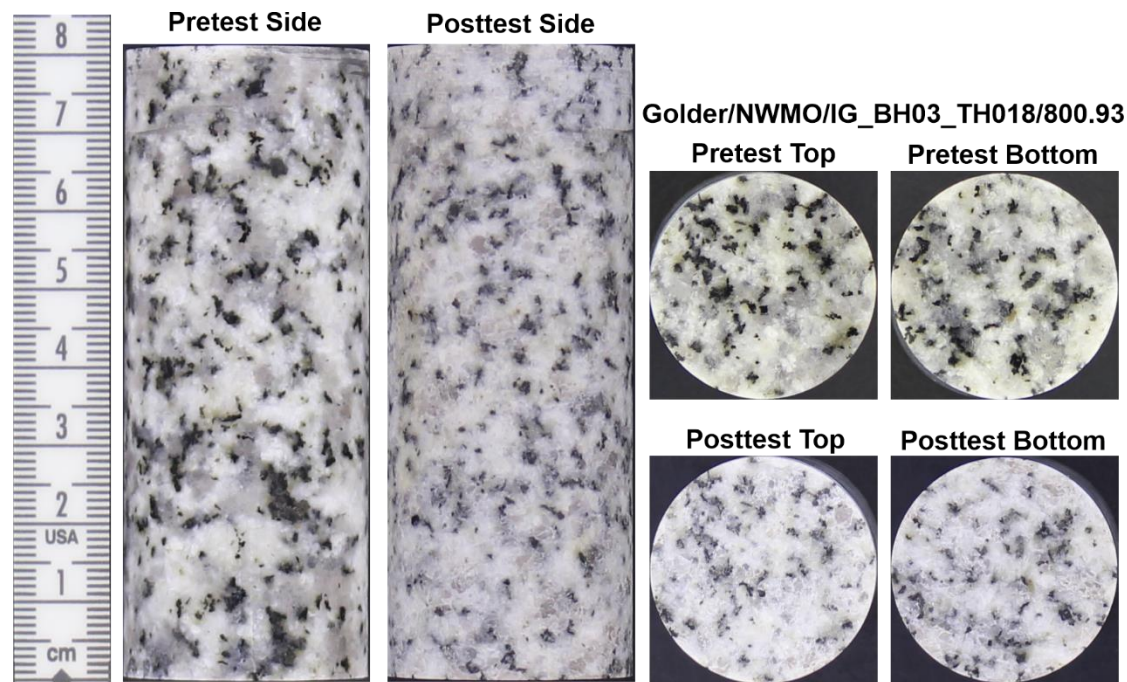
Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH017 – Depth = 582.14 m: specimen photographs

Table E-9: Thermal Expansion Results – Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH017 – Depth = 582.14 m

Average Temperature (°C)	Average Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Linear (1/°K)	Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Quadratic (1/°K)	Average Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Linear (1/°K)	Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Quadratic (1/°K)
	1 st Temperature Cycle		2 nd Temperature Cycle	
20	8.04E-06	6.35E-06	7.95E-06	7.08E-06
40		7.27E-06		7.56E-06
60		8.20E-06		8.03E-06
80		9.12E-06		8.50E-06
90		9.59E-06		8.74E-06



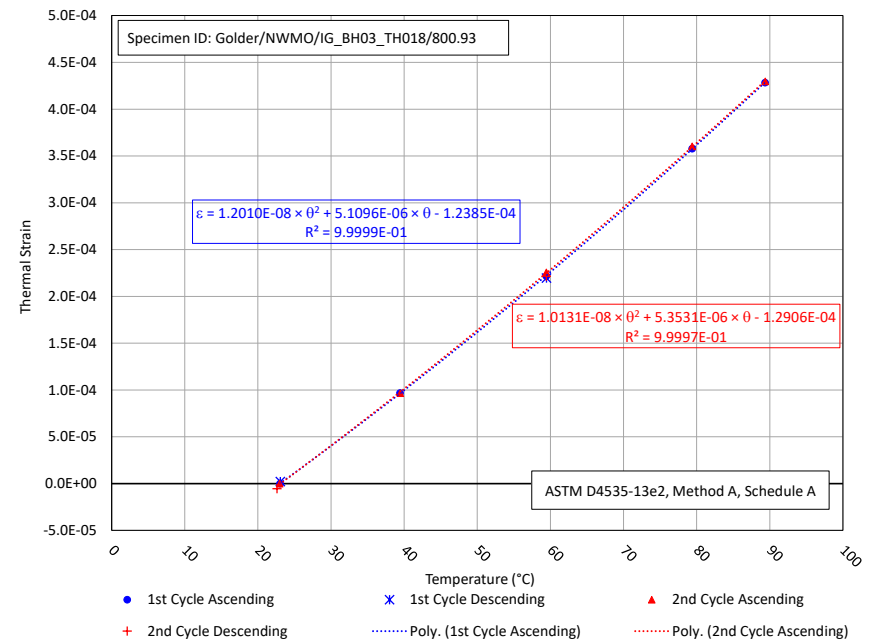
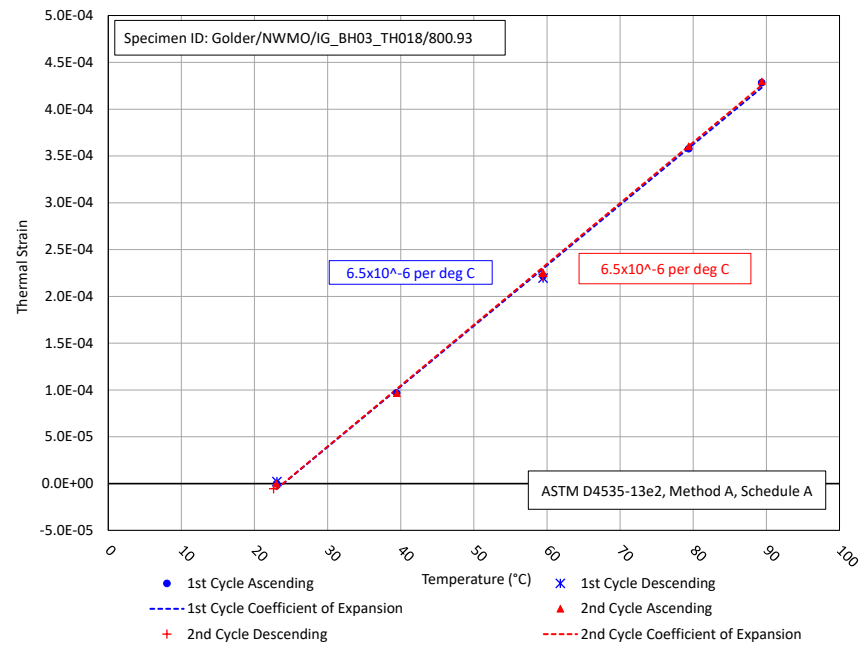
Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH017 – Depth = 582.14 m: Linear fit and quadratic fit for the thermal expansion data



Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH018 – Depth = 800.93 m: specimen photographs

Table E-10: Thermal Expansion Results – Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH018 – Depth = 800.93 m

Average Temperature (°C)	Average Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Linear (1/°K)	Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Quadratic (1/°K)	Average Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Linear (1/°K)	Coeff. Linear Thermal Expansion – Quadratic (1/°K)
	1 st Temperature Cycle		2 nd Temperature Cycle	
20	6.47E-06	5.59E-06	6.50E-06	5.76E-06
40		6.07E-06		6.16E-06
60		6.55E-06		6.57E-06
80		7.03E-06		6.97E-06
90		7.27E-06		7.18E-06



Test Specimen IG_BH03_TH018 – Depth = 800.93 m: Linear fit and quadratic fit for the thermal expansion data



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