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## I. INTRODUCTION

This report presents the data and briefly describes the oceanographic results of the cruise of USCGC BURTON ISLAND into the region of the sea-ice margin of the Chukchi Sea during the period 24 July to 6 August 1977 as part of the program designated MIZPAC 77. The primary objective of the cruise was to find and characterize finestructure in the vertical temperature profiles and to discover its horizontal distribution and causes. This is the fifth cruise devoted to this general problem. Other cruises in 1971, 1972, and 1974 were reported by Paquette and Bourke (1973, 1976) and MIZPAC 75 by Zuberbuhler and Roeder (1976).

## II. GENERAL DESCRIPTION

The scientific group boarded BURTON ISLAND at Nome, Alaska on the afternoon of 24 July, one day later than in initial planning. The scientists and their affiliations were:

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Mr. Peter Becker, Applied Physics Laboratory, University of Washington, Seattle.

The scientific group disembarked at NARL, Barrow, Alaska on the afternoon of 6 August.

The measurements made were salinity and temperature profiles throughout the entire water column at 157 stations, using the Applied Physics Laboratory portable, hand lowered CTD. The lowering rate of the CTD was about 1 m sec<sup>-1</sup> resulting in a data rate of approximately three points per meter. The latter was checked systematically with Nansen bottles lowered on a second wire. Prior to leaving each station, the temperature and salinity were plotted utilizing a Hewlett-Packard 9100 series computer/plotter system. These rough plots were used to make immediate assessments of the presence of finestructure and to aid in the decision of where to make the next few stations.

A current meter, which was intended to orient lines of closely spaced stations along the flow direction, was found to be of little utility because of the effects of the ship's iron on the magnetic compass. However, the failure to orient sampling lines along a presumed direction of propagation was at least partially overcome by running east-west lines as well as north-south lines in areas containing finestructure.

Because of the loss of one day of cruise time, no measurements were made in Bering Strait and the southern Chukchi Sea until the latitude of Pt. Hope was reached. Otherwise, we proceeded as in the general plan, exploring for finestructure along the ice margin from 70°N toward Barrow and studying it both in longitudinal and lateral sections when found. This resulted in much intensive study near Barrow followed, near the end of the cruise, by exploration near 71°N and, finally, a few more measurements near Barrow.

### III. DATA

The CTD was standardized by means of a Nansen bottle lowered on a second wire to a depth just above the sea floor. Forty-nine such comparisons were in sufficiently unchanging water for temperature standardization and 40 for salinity. The mean CTD temperature and salinity errors were 0.08°C and -0.021‰, respectively. The standard errors of these means were 0.0051°C and 0.005‰ and the standard deviations were 0.036°C and 0.025‰. A correction was applied to the depth data to account for the difference in density between fresh and salt water, as the CTD pressure sensor was calibrated in fresh water.

The CTD records its data on a cassette which is eventually transferred to a seven-track tape by APL-UW for data editing and analysis at NPS. A computerized editing routine was written to remove erroneous data, interpolate data where necessary, make temperature, salinity and depth corrections, and remove spurious salinity spikes. The despiking and editing procedures are described in some detail in Appendix A.

Heading data for each station are listed in Appendix C. These contain station position and number, date/time of CTD lowering, water depth, type of navigation, wind, wave, and air temperature data, etc. Appendix B is an explanation of the codes used in Appendix C.

Plotting routines were used to display property profiles for each station: temperature, salinity, sound speed, and density ( $\sigma_t$ ). These are compactly plotted four stations per page and displayed in Appendix D. Stations taken in the deep water of the Barrow Canyon are shown two per page.

### IV. RESULTS

The array of stations occupied is shown in Figure 1 together with an ice-margin position based principally upon observations made at the times stations were occupied. The ice-margin is thus not a single synoptic view, but a progressively distorted one which is more useful in describing ice-related phenomena. Synoptic views are also available.

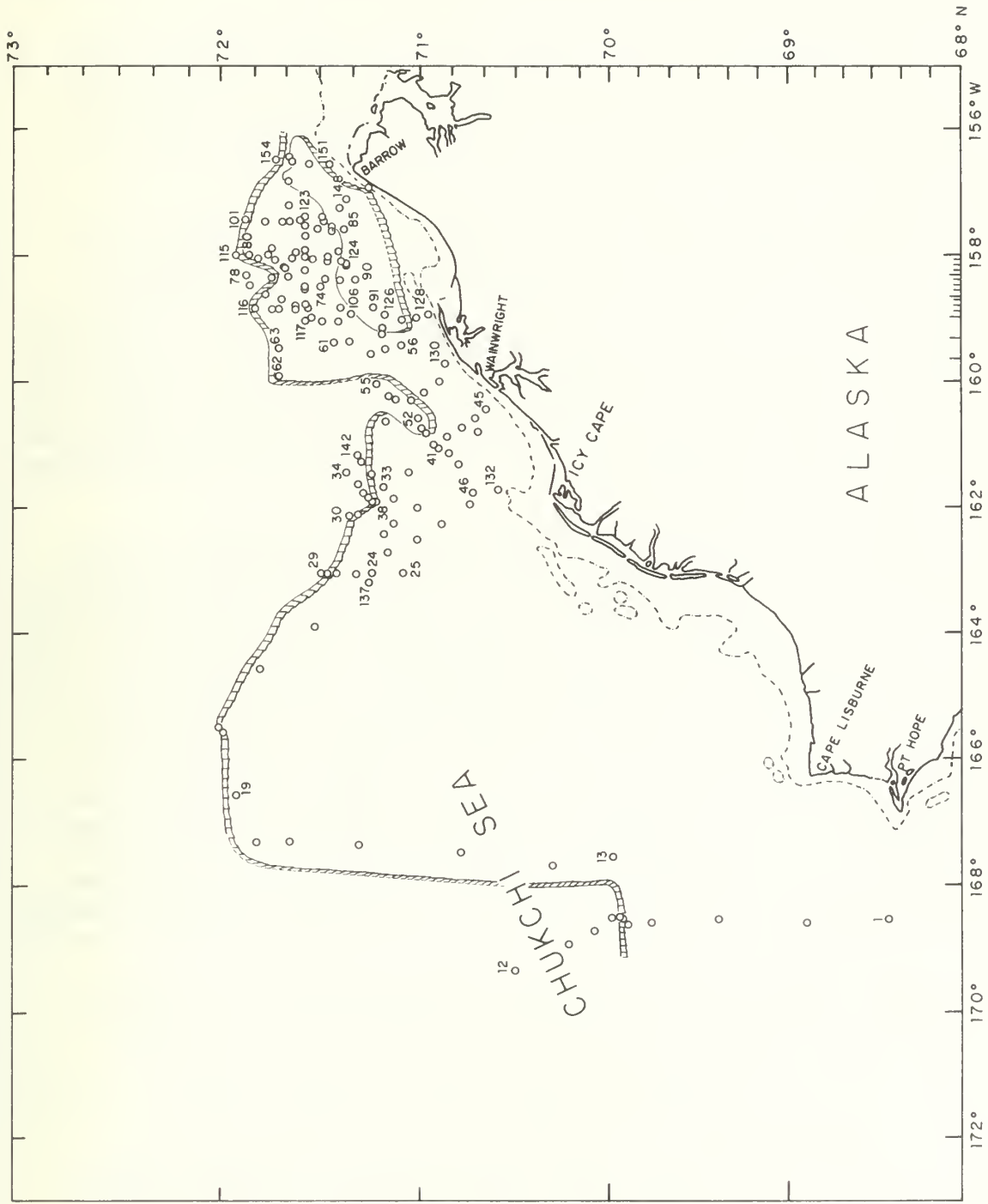


Figure 1. Station plot of MIZPAC 77 cruise. The position of the ice margin at the time of observation is also shown.

An interesting feature of the ice in the region of Pt. Barrow is the large embayment to the WNW. Most of the satellite-derived observations show the embayment more or less closed near Pt. Franklin but the ship found an open passage. A projection of ice toward Pt. Franklin is a feature which persisted for several weeks.

Two groups of measurements were made from a hovering helicopter, one extending about 40 nmi into the ice and another group of stations in more or less open water which supplemented the ship-based stations. Helicopter operations proved highly useful, but could not always be used where they were most desirable because of persistent poor visibility.

The distribution of finestructure is shown in Figure 2 together with isotherms of the maximum temperature in the water column. The intensity of the finestructure, measured from the maximum peak-to-peak temperature fluctuation in the profile, is categorized as weak, moderate or strong. Weak structure, with amplitude  $0.2^{\circ}$  to  $0.5^{\circ}\text{C}$ , is indicated by a circle with a central dot; medium structure, with amplitude  $0.5^{\circ}$  to  $1.0^{\circ}\text{C}$ , is indicated by a circle with a cross; strong structure, with amplitude greater than  $1^{\circ}\text{C}$ , is indicated by a solid circle. Finestructure, so classified, is construed as being in or below the thermocline, not in the usually shallow upper layer. An open circle indicates fluctuations of microstructure size or the absence of any notable structure at all.

We decided to include the "nose" classification this year, after the opposite decision in 1975, because of a feeling that it may be an intermediate step in forming some types of deeper finestructure. The phenomenon we have called a "nose" in the past, in its simplest form, is a near-surface temperature maximum presumably formed by the cooling of an upper, warm mixed layer by ice or the overriding of such a layer with cold, dilute ice-melt water from nearby ice. The noses this year differed from most past results in that they were sometimes as much as 30 meters thick instead of the customary 10-15 m. The nose may be complex, having various levels of finestructure within itself. This finestructure sometimes cuts into the usually sharp thermocline so as to make the depth of the thermocline doubtful and the nose can thus grade into a situation which we should classify as normal finestructure. Further, it seemed illogical to insist that the cooling be only at the surface since an initially cooled surface skin could be subsequently heated by solar radiation or overridden by warm dilute water. Therefore, a nose is recognized

- a. if there is a well-defined surface layer 5 or more meters thick with a cooling at the surface of at least  $0.5^{\circ}\text{C}$  as compared to the maximum temperature in the layer.
- b. if there is a well-defined surface layer in which there is moderate or strong finestructure.

The nose is indicated in Figure 2 by a tab on either side of the circle. If there is no structure in the nose, the tab is open; if there is medium or strong structure in the nose, the tab is filled solid.

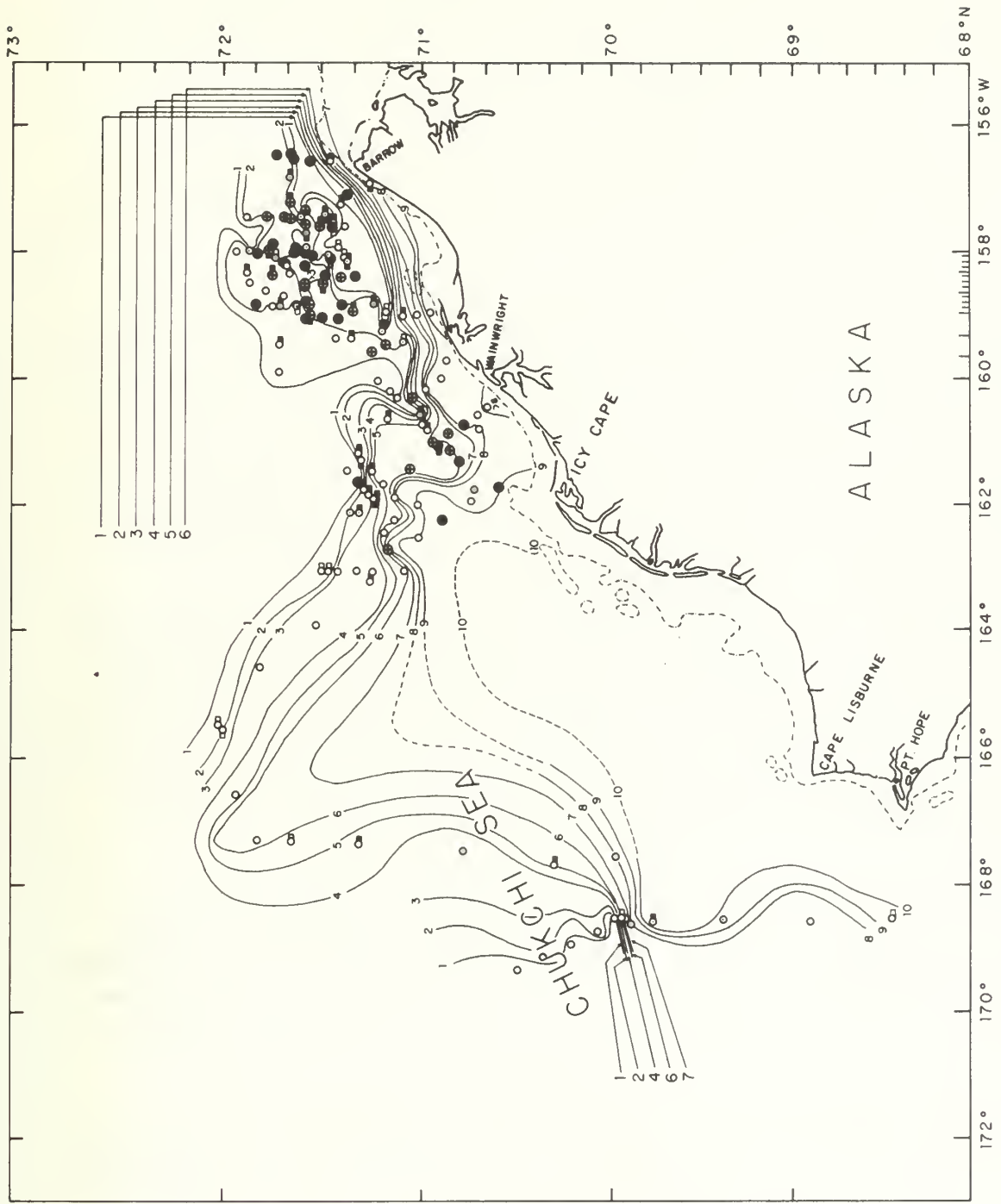


Figure 2. Distribution and intensity of fine structure during MIZPAC 77. Symbols are described in the text. Isotherms ( $^{\circ}\text{C}$ ) are the maximum temperature in the water column.

It will be noted that much of the finestructure is concentrated between the 2° and 4°C isotherms of maximum temperature in the water column, a conclusion reached in studying earlier data. However, this is far from being an absolute rule: there are regions with no structure between the 2° and 4°C isotherms and one instance of strong structure near the 9° isotherm. This conclusion therefore, requires closer examination.

The following general results are presently apparent.

1. The ice margin crossings in the vicinity of 167°W were surprisingly like the corresponding measurements of MIZPAC 72. This appears to be a region with little finestructure.

2. Much finestructure was found in an embayment in the ice roughly 40 nmi square WNW of Barrow, even under ice. This is in agreement with the findings of MIZPAC 71 which operated in much the same area, but with a poorer understanding of the ice distribution. In the Barrow Canyon, where the water is deeper, finestructure was found as deep as 50 m. This is 15 to 20 m deeper than found on previous cruises. The finestructure and the embayment probably were due to the warm water of the coastal current which, in this case, had spread westward near Pt. Barrow. It is interesting that the ice was fairly close to shore farther south, near Pt. Franklin, and not melted away as one might expect if a continuous warm current moved northward near the surface.

3. The coastal current was warmer than in the past, up to 8° to 10°C. It was close to the coast between Pt. Franklin and Pt. Barrow, but farther away farther south. This reinforces our feeling that the tendency of the current to be away from shore in the more southerly latitudes is a geographical rather than a temporal phenomenon. Five crossings of the coastal current, between Icy Cape and Pt. Barrow, were made during this cruise. Analysis of these crossings should provide insight into the route of the warm Alaskan Coastal Current as it flows northeastward from the shallow waters off Icy Cape to the deeper waters of Barrow Canyon.

4. The salinity of bottom water behind the ice edge was relatively high, 33.4-33.6‰, like in MIZPAC 71 and MIZPAC 72. What causes this large year-to-year variation in mean bottom water salinity, often greater than 0.5‰, has not been established. It could be controlled by the amount of brine rejection occurring in winter in the shallows of the Chukchi Sea, a phenomenon which is a function of the severity of the winter. However, the cause might also be in river flows into the Bering Sea during the previous summer.

At the extreme bottom of many casts it was noted there was an apparent increase in salinity in the last half meter above bottom. We are undecided about whether this increase is an instrument artifact or a real phenomenon.

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## APPENDIX A DESPIKING AND DATA EDITING

### Introduction

Salinity spikes appear to be considerably more serious in 1977 than they were in 1975. This must be due to the instrument modifications made in the interim. Some objective despiking routine obviously was required. In October 1974 we had tested a despiking program for an old model Plessey STD based entirely on the concept of a first-order response equation for temperature and some phase shift between salinity and temperature, which Scarlet reported using, without the phase shift, in 1975. The method did not work well on our data. Constants which would correct the top half of a spike would overcorrect the bottom half. The reasons may lie in second-order effects, perhaps complicated by the fact that we worked from the graphically recorded output rather than from digital data and thus included recorder response in the data. Or it may be that the technique which Scarlet found suitable for small spikes could not handle the very large spikes occurring in the Chukchi Sea data which were further exaggerated by the long thermometer time constant of the STD. Nevertheless, necessity prompted us to try again, with some success.

The data editing program to be described also is not completely new. We had one in MIZPAC 75. But the present program is considerably more versatile and automatic. It contains a "ratchet" or "latch" subroutine which prevents depth reversals similar to the one described by Scarlet. Our routine differs in that Scarlet threw out offending data whereas we replace offending points with interpolated points. This is necessary because we do not record time on the tape and must assume that the time step is uniform when despiking.

Despiking experiments have proceeded at the Applied Physics Laboratory, University of Washington (APL) and at the Naval Postgraduate School (NPS) with considerable general communication between the two laboratories. The method of handling the short time constant below is due mainly to G. Garrison of APL, the method of correcting temperature and the long time constant is due to R. G. Paquette of NPS. The details of implementation by APL and NPS are different and we have not intercompared results. The editing program described was evolved at NPS. APL uses a different technique.

### Facts about the Instrument

The CTD is a portable digital instrument with a conventional three-electrode conductivity cell and a thermistor as a temperature sensor. The cell constant of the cell is remarkably stable, judged by classical ideas about polarization phenomena in cells with unplatinized electrodes and relatively high electrode current densities. Perhaps this is due to the high operation frequency, ca 10 kHz, and the low electrode voltage, 13 mV. The three sensors of the instrument produce electrical frequencies which are counted in the instrument and the counts are recorded digitally on



cassette tape. The sensor data set is sampled about 3 times per second in the order conductivity, temperature, depth. The fact that the conductivity and temperature measurements are separated by about 30 ms is a factor in the generation of salinity spikes and their subsequent removal.

### Salinity Spikes-General

Spurious salinity spikes in a CTD record result from the lack of simultaneity between the conductivity and temperature measurement. The spikes are of consequence only when there are sharp temperature transients. A time lag may occur because of sampling lag, as above, or it may occur because of response lags in the sensors. The effect exists whether the salinity is computed digitally or by an analog circuit. When the temperature is retarded compared to the conductivity by either mechanism, the spike has the opposite sense from the first derivative of the temperature-time curve and conversely. If both measurements are effectively simultaneous but both are wrong because of sensor lag, the salinity, if slowly changing, may be correct.

### Sources of spikes

In our investigation of the cause of salinity spikes, which sometimes exceeded 1‰ in magnitude, we found several sensor response errors.

- A first-order lag in the temperature, with time constant 0.05 sec.
- A first-order lag in the flushing of the conductivity cell with length constant about 18 cm.
- An error due to non-simultaneous sampling of conductivity and temperature and to a physical vertical displacement between the conductivity cell and the temperature sensor.
- A long time constant in conductivity response apparently due to heat storage somewhere in the cell structure.

### Recognition and Evaluation of the Long Time Constant

It may be of interest to know how the long time constant came to be recognized and evaluated. It was found only because data were recorded on the upward traverse of the CTD as well as when it was going down. It was then noted that the down-going salinity curve often did not agree with the up-going curve in the region below the thermocline where the temperature was unusually constant. No temperature-induced salinity error should have been generated in situ. Obviously the error must have been a long-lasting effect of a salinity or temperature transient which occurred at a shallower level and affected the down trace. The upward-going trace must have been essentially correct (except for the neglected effect of salinity change on conductivity) so long as the temperature was constant because the sensors usually were held near bottom for perhaps 10 seconds before beginning to hoist. The phenomenon under discussion may be seen in Figure 3, which shows the down and up salinity traces in Station 80 as well as the down and up temperature traces and the corrected salinity trace. One may easily find a time constant of about 5 sec in the approach of the salinity down trace to the up trace below the thermocline, taking the lowering rate to be 1 m/sec.

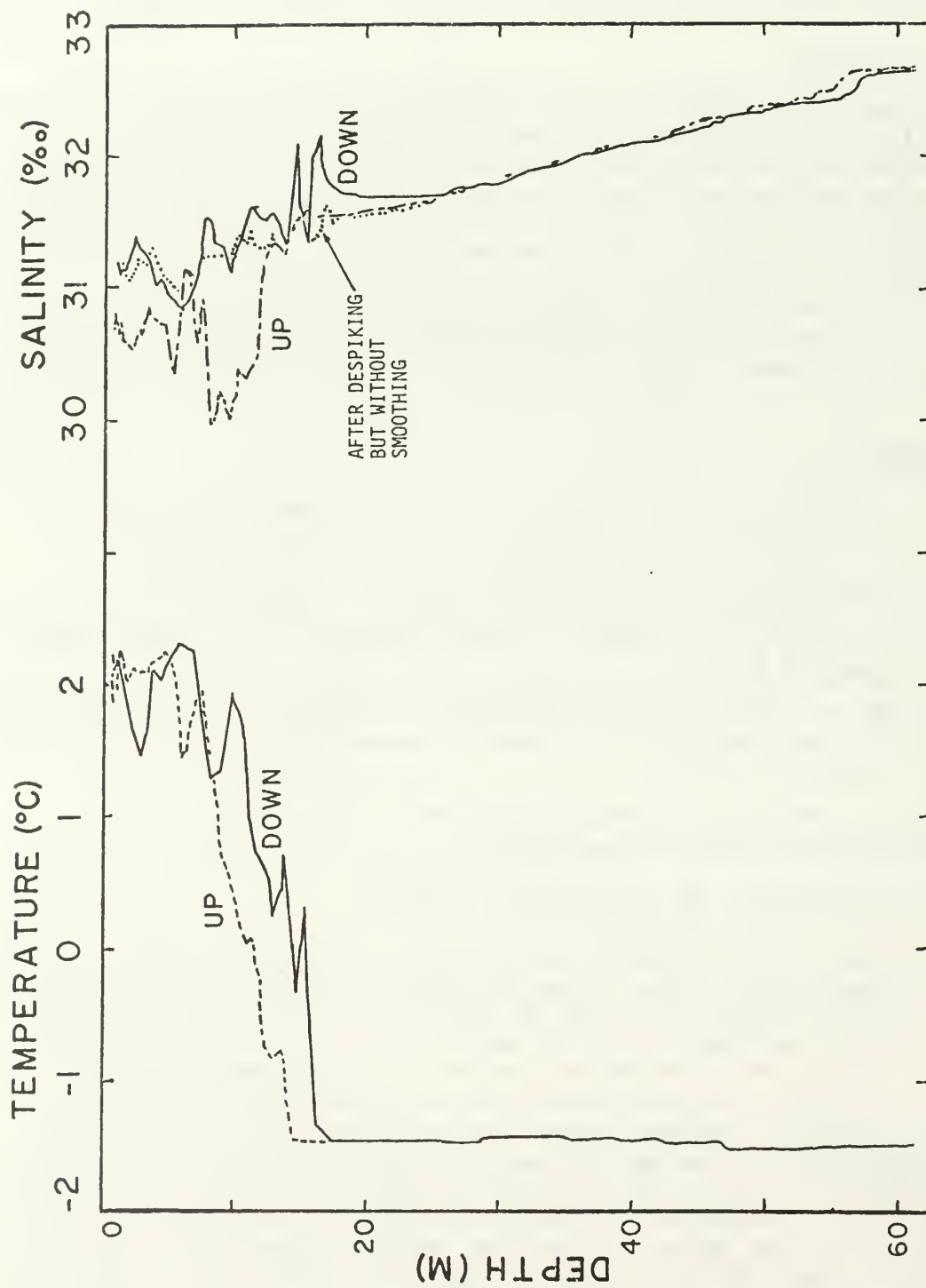


Figure 3. Station 80 salinity and temperature. The solid line was obtained while lowering, the dashed line while hoisting. The dotted line is the result of despiking the down trace but not smoothing. See Figure 4 for the smoothed curve.

If such a time constant exists in other STD's and CTD's, there must be difficulties in removing spikes by the use of a single time constant. This is because the short and long time constants contribute differently to narrow spikes than to broad spikes; the short time constant influences the former more than it does the latter and conversely for the long time constant.

### The Possibility of Second-Order Effects

All of the discussion of spike correction below will assume the simple first-order response equation for sensors. It should be kept in mind, however, that substantial second-order components may be present. Whenever there are two thermal masses in series with two thermal resistances involved in the transfer of heat from the water to the interior of the sensor, a second-order term enters the response equation. The temperature and salinity sensors must have had these characteristics to some extent, but it was not possible to find the multiplier of the second-order term. A second-order corrector basically takes out curvatures. It was found that the second-order constant could be adjusted to take out anomalies in the curves beautifully, but there was no way to tell whether the corrections corresponded to reality. Therefore, after a few experiments, the refinement was abandoned. It may be possible to revive it at some later date when more is known about the causes of variability of the sensor response constants.

### Lack of Constancy of the "Constants"

A major problem in devising a spike correction technique is the fact that the response constants of the sensors are not constant. They change with rate of lowering, wire angle and relative horizontal motion between the sensor head and the surrounding water. If the constants had been nicely fixed, there would have been straightforward techniques for evaluating several constants. As it was, there was little hope of evaluating the second-order constant and little justification for trying to compute the effect of the flushing constant of the cell upon the conductivity directly, a matter which will be discussed below when the methods of spike correction are related in detail.

### Theory and Algorithms for Correction of Spikes - Thermometer Correction

In the following paragraphs the nature, causes and method of correction of the several time constants are discussed.

We assumed that the thermometer followed a simple first-order law

$$T - T' = k_T \frac{dT'}{dt}$$

where  $T$  is the water temperature,  $T'$  the observed temperature,  $k_T$  the time constant of the thermistor and  $t$  the time. The bare thermistor had a nominal time constant of 0.03 sec. The protective shroud was expected to add to this. After a number of trials we picked 0.05 sec as the largest value which would not produce an overshoot at the bottom of the sharpest thermoclines.

The temperature derivative was obtained from the first central difference

$$\left(\frac{dT'}{dt}\right)_j = \frac{T'_{j+1} - T'_{j-1}}{2h}$$

where  $h$  is the time step between samples, 0.33 sec.

### The Time Lags and the Flushing Time Constant

The difference in sampling times of temperature and conductivity was 0.03 sec (temperature latest) plus an addendum of 0.01 sec because the thermometer was 1 cm deeper than the mouth of the cell. These were compensated by interpolating backward toward the previous temperature a fractional distance  $(0.01 + 0.03)/h$  or 0.012, using the equation

$$\Delta T_j = k_c T_{j-1} + (1-k_c) T_j - T'_j$$

where the constant  $k_c$  would be expected to be 0.12, from above, but was more effectively about 0.65. The extra 0.53 can be shown to approximate a correction for the flushing lag in the conductivity cell, which apparently has a time constant of 0.53 h or 0.18 sec. This corresponds to a length constant of 18 cm, or one cell length, which is reasonable.

There are some known theoretical weaknesses in treating the flushing time constant of the cell in this way. The method involves the assumption that there are no significantly large conductivity gradients that are not caused exclusively by temperature changes, which is the same as assuming that the true salinity always changes slowly. It also involves the assumption that the first backward temperature difference is proportional to  $\partial c/\partial t$ , where  $c$  is the conductivity. These are not always good assumptions. However, reasonable success with the techniques led us to postpone further refinements to a later date.

### The Long Time Constant

The long time constant in the cell was modeled successfully as a thermal mass coupled to true water temperature by a thermal resistance corresponding to a time constant  $k_L$ . This mass passes fraction  $F$  of the difference between its temperature and true water temperature to the cell. It is a fairly realistic model. The thermal mass might be the cell body itself or the surrounding protective shroud.

The temperature, TC, of the thermal mass is accumulated at each step, starting with  $TC_1 = T_1$  and assuming that the mean temperature difference between TC and  $T_1$  drives the temperature change in accordance with

$$TC_j = TC_{j-1} + \left[ \frac{T_j + T_{j-1}}{2} - \frac{TC_j + TC_{j-1}}{2} \right] \frac{h}{K_L},$$

which ultimately gives

$$TC_j = \left[ T_{j-1} + T_j + TC_{j-1} \frac{(2k_L - h)}{h} \right] \frac{h}{2K_L + h} .$$

Then the temperature addendum contributed to the cell is  $\Delta TC_j = (TC_j - T_j)F$ , where F is about 0.15.

### Difference Equation for Converting Temperature Error to Salinity Correction

At this point in the discussion, all the corrections have been computed in terms of their equivalent temperature corrections assuming  $C_j$  may be taken as the observed conductivity. The effects of  $k_c$  and  $k_L$  on salinity were then computed separately by a difference equation derived from the salinity temperature - conductivity tables of H.O. Pub. SP-68 in the vicinity of 2°C and 30‰. This equation is

$$S - S' = \frac{-11.0 \times 10^{-5} (T - T') - 2.28 \times 10^{-5} S' (T - T')}{76.8 \times 10^{-5} + 2.28 \times 10^{-5} T}$$

When the short time constant and the time lag were being corrected,  $T - T'$  was replaced by  $\Delta T_j$  above. When the long time constant was being corrected,  $T - T'$  was replaced by  $T_j + \Delta TC_j - T'_j$ .

### Example of Corrections

Figure 4 shows the original salinity curve from Station 80, the two components of the despiking correction and the resultant corrected curve. There were nearly always some small irregularities left after despiking. These were smoothed by means of a 9-point running mean. The corrected salinity curve before smoothing may be seen as the dotted curve in Figure 3.

### Method of Finding Despiking Constants

The constants for despiking were determined in the following way. The despiking program was used intensively on about ten different stations, including some of the up traces, to become familiar with the effects of the several constants. In this way the general range of the constants and their variability was found. The constants  $k_L$  and F were determined as those which would make the down trace and the up trace match, or be nearly parallel below the thermocline. The constant  $k_c$  was chosen to remove spikes as well as possible. Sometimes it was necessary to adjust F also to remove spikes which meant that perfect matching of up and down traces was not possible. However, perfect matching is not a requirement unless the salinity curve is nearly vertical near bottom because a salinity gradient causes a small error in cell response which is not corrected by  $k_c$ , as was explained previously. The despiking program was then incorporated into the general editing program. During the general editing, further adjustments of the despiking constants were made before writing the corrected values on a new tape. A description of the general editing program follows.

### Some Tests of Responses at Sea

Two stations were duplicated. In the first run of Station 46, the lowering was made by backing up 1/2 meter for each meter of lowering through half of the water column. The rest of the drop was made at normal speed, ca 1m/sec. In the second run the lowering was normal. It was expected that the response of the sensors would be notably different. The spiking was less serious

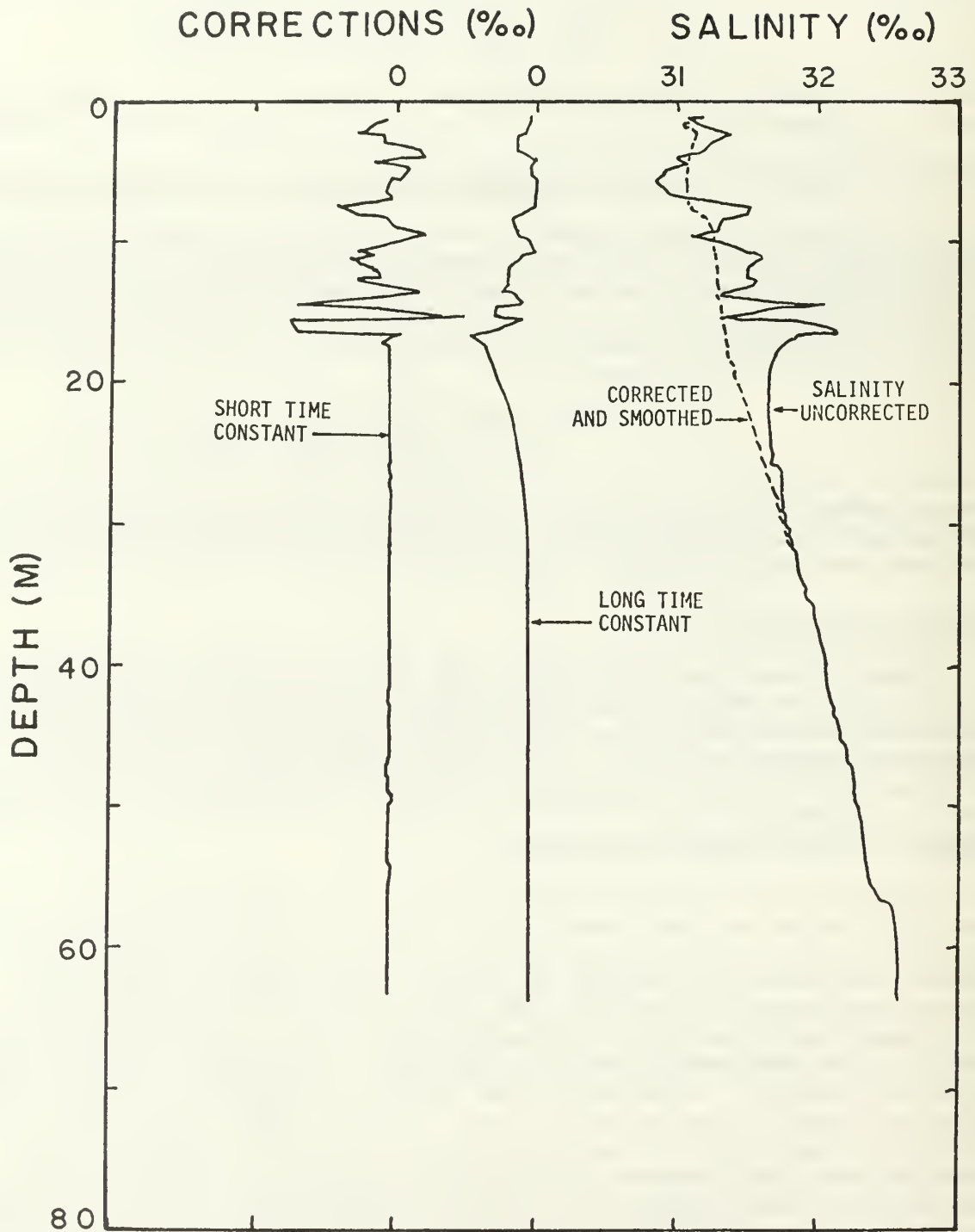


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in the first case. However, it is curious that the despiking constants required for the first were the normal ones,  $k_c=0.65$ ,  $F=0.15$  whereas, for the second,  $k_c=0.38$  and  $k_l=0.115$  were required. The corrected results are very similar except near the surface where rapid real changes in properties are common. In Station 107, the first drop is normal and the second was made with the thermistor taped onto the multiplexer housing facing upward. The smaller spikes of temperature and salinity were smoothed in the second case, presumably by the turbulence generated by the multiplexer housing. This is a station in which the temperature transients are moderate and, although there were differences in the original curves, they are not dramatic enough to interpret in terms of the different cell-to-thermistor distance. Both lowerings were corrected with the standard constants and, when corrected, looked very similar.

### Requirements for General Editing of Data

The CTD data require considerable editing besides the despiking, as will be noted below.

- Spurious high salinities frequently occur near the surface on the down trace, and the first one or more depths are occasionally very large. High apparent salinities are created by very low actual conductivities due either to melt water or to bubbles in the cell. The system records only four digits of a five-digit frequency count. Therefore, foldover occurs as a result of low values and the last four digits are at the top of the range and are read as high values.
- Occasionally an absurd single value may occur in any of the measured parameters. Sometimes the error is too small to be distinguished automatically from real fluctuations.
- Near the top of a lowering there are duplicate values generated during the "soaking" period and also while the sensors are waiting near bottom while buttons are pressed on deck. The shallowest depth may be interspersed among other depths near surface; a similar result occurs near bottom because, after striking bottom, the sensor was immediately raised one or two meters. A method is required to remove the unwanted records and to start as shallow as possible and end as deep as possible.
- Some lowerings were so full of noise as to require replacing them with the corresponding up trace. In such cases, special adaptations of the noise-removal and despiking routines were necessary and the data set was then inverted top-to-bottom.
- When the ship rolls, loops are generated in the recorded traces because of sensor response problems. Records distorted by such reversals in depth had to be adjusted before despiking.
- The several sensors have calibration errors, additive in the case of temperature and salinity, and a factor for converting from the

fresh-water to a salt-water calibration in the case of depth. A substantial depth discrepancy will be noted between down and up curves in Figure 3. The cause is only partly known and it was not corrected. The major contributions are a sampling lag of twice 255 ms and the probability that temperature features in the water were carried upward by the multiplexer housing of the CTD which preceded the sensors on the way up.

### Description of the General Editing Program

The complete data editing program is a group of routines which may be invoked in sequence by commands entered on a control card read immediately before the data to be edited were read from tape. The following functions could be performed.

- 1) Eliminate an entire "station". Here the word station means those data isolated on the tape by interrecord gaps. Usually it was the up trace which was to be eliminated.
- 2) Eliminate sequential data records in up to two places on any station, the places designated by beginning and ending serial numbers of the records. This served to remove faulty values frequently found at the beginning of a lowering and the repetitious values usually found where the sensor head was stopped on or near bottom.
- 3) Interpolate between two good records as many records as were previously present in a faulty intervening group. This could be done in two places on any station.
- 4) Replace up to three records with images punched on cards.
- 5) Remove single-point spikes in depth, temperature or salinity. A single-point spike found in one of these was almost certainly an artifact and was replaced by the median between the J-1-th and J+1-th measurement.
- 6) Apply a depth ratchet so that, after the first 20 points, the depth cannot decrease. Records in which the depth has decreased as compared to  $D_n$  are replaced by an equal number of records interpolated evenly between  $D_n$  and the next depth which is equal or greater. At the beginning, the routine automatically discards records prior to the minimum depth found in the first 20 records. Where this routine was to be applied to an up trace, a variable, UP, was set true which caused all the depths to be temporarily replaced by their negatives so that the ratchet routine would work.
- 7) Apply the despiking routine. The constants could be changed for each station.
- 8) Invert the sequence of records, putting the top at the bottom, this for a few cases in which the down trace was too faulty to be used.
- 9) Make additive corrections to salinity and temperature based upon the comparisons with Nansen bottles and correct depth for water density.



10) Recompute sound velocity and  $\sigma_t$  from the corrected salinity and temperature.

The program then wrote the corrected data on a new tape, produced a printer plot of the corrected and uncorrected salinities and the contributions of the long-time constant and lag corrections separately.

## APPENDIX B

### EXPLANATION OF HEADING CODES

The heading of the printed output uses the coding and format from NODC Publication M-2, August 1964, with a few exceptions. Heading entries which are not self-explanatory are as follows: MSQ is the Marsden Square, and DPTH is the water depth in meters. Wave source direction is in tens of degrees, but the direction 99 indicates no observation. The significant wave height is coded by Table 10 (Code  $\div 2 \sim$  height in meters) and the wave period is coded by Table 11 (Code  $\div 2 \sim$  period in sec); in each case X indicates no observation. Wind speed, V, is coded as Beaufort force, Table 17. The barometer is in millibars, less 1000 if more than 3 digits; wet and dry bulb temperature are in degrees C. The present weather is from Table 21 with cloud type and amount from Tables 25 and 26, respectively. The combination 4 X 9 indicates that clouds cannot be observed usually because of fog conditions. The visibility is from Table 27 which is roughly in powers of two with Code 4 = 1-2 km. The ice concentration, IC, is in oktas; amounts less than 1 okta are preceded by a minus sign and indicate concentrations in powers of ten, e.g.,  $10^{-4} = -4$ .

The entry, COD, is a code to identify the accuracy of each station position based upon the navigation system used. Code 1 indicates a position determined by visual sightings or radar, Code 2 a position determined by navigation satellite, and Code 3 a position determined by DR.

## APPENDIX C

### HEADING DATA FOR MIZPAC 77 STATIONS

Heading data are listed on the following pages for MIZPAC 77. The coding conventions are those described in Appendix B. Note that Stations 67H through 71H and 97 are missing. Other stations in the helicopter series have much of the heading information missing.

MIZPAC 77 CTD STATIONS

NAT SHIP	LAT	LONG	MSG	MO	CY	YR	HR	STA	DPTH	COD	IC	MVD	FT	PER	WIND	V	BAR	DRY	WET	WTHR	CL	AMT	VIS
31	BI 68-25.0	168-36.0	233	07	26	77	10.C	001	55	1	0	15	0	06	4	110	5.8	5.3	1	7	2	7	
31	BI 68-53.5	168-28.1	233	07	26	77	13.4	002	51	1	C	C6	0	06	4	106	10.7	5.8	1	3	4	7	
31	BI 69-23.C	168-30.0	233	07	26	77	17.0	003	44	2	0	06	0	07	3	106	10.1	5.1	1	3	1	7	
31	BI 69-47.0	168-30.0	233	07	26	77	15.7	004	45	2	C	C6	2	10	4	110	5.9	5.1	0		0	7	
31	BI 69-54.0	168-30.0	232	07	26	77	21.3	005	44	2	C	10	2	10	4	111	5.5	5.1	0		0	7	
31	BI 69-55.5	168-28.2	233	07	26	77	22.3	006	44	2	C	10	2	10	4	112	5.8	8.9	0		0	7	
31	BI 69-57.4	168-28.1	233	07	27	77	02.5	007	45	2	6	C6	2	10	3	104	5.0	4.3	0		0	8	
31	BI 69-55.3	168-30.0	233	07	27	77	04.5	008	42	2	6	00	0	08	3	102	4.1	3.8	1	0	2	6	
31	BI 70-C3.C	168-43.0	269	07	27	77	01.5	009H		2													
31	BI 70-12.0	168-54.0	269	07	27	77	01.3	010H		2													
31	BI 70-20.C	169-C5.0	269	07	27	77	01.0	011H		2													
31	BI 70-27.0	169-17.0	269	07	27	77	00.9	012H		2													
31	BI 69-55.0	167-25.7	233	07	27	77	07.6	013	45	3	0	08	2	08	5	100	5.0	6.2	1	4	1	7	
31	BI 70-15.7	167-38.3	269	07	27	77	09.7	014	45	2	0	05	2	07	4	101	7.0	6.8	1	4	2	7	
31	BI 70-47.5	167-25.5	269	07	27	77	13.7	015	53	2	0	08	4	08	5	105	4.8	4.6	4	X	9	3	
31	BI 71-15.5	167-18.0	269	07	27	77	17.1	016	48	2	0	08	4	08	4	115	3.7	3.5	4	X	9	2	
31	BI 71-38.0	167-18.0	269	07	27	77	20.4	017	45	3	C	09	3	08	5	115	4.0	3.7	1	7	1	3	
31	BI 72-00.0	167-18.0	269	07	27	77	22.3	018	48	3	0	09	2	09	5	115	3.8	3.2	1	C	4	7	
31	BI 71-56.C	166-30.0	269	07	28	77	01.1	019	46	3	C	C3	C	09	3	111	4.6	3.3	1	0	5	7	
31	BI 72-00.0	165-30.0	269	07	28	77	03.0	020	43	3	2	00	0	09	4	110	1.5	1.1	1	0	3	7	

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NAT	SHIP	LAT	LONG	MSQ	MO	CY	YR	HR	STA	DPTH	COD	IC	WVD	FT	PER	WNC	V	BAR	DRY	WET	WTHR	CL	AMT	VIS
31	BI	72-01.0	165-25.0	269	07	28	77	04.2	021	57	3	5	00	0	11	4	110	.9	.7	1	0	5	0	
31	BI	71-48.5	164-30.0	269	07	28	77	07.2	022	38	3	0	10	0	10	4	109	1.8	1.2	1	7	0	7	
31	BI	71-32.1	163-50.9	269	07	28	77	05.3	023	55	3	C	10	0	10	3	108	3.1	2.8	1	7	6	7	
31	BI	71-14.6	163-00.0	269	07	28	77	12.0	024	53	3	C	08	0	08	4	098	4.3	3.7	2	5	8	7	
31	BI	71-05.2	163-00.0	269	07	28	77	13.1	025	44	3	C	00	C	12	4	099	6.8	6.4	5	5	8	6	
31	BI	71-19.8	163-00.0	269	07	28	77	14.7	026	51	3	C	00	0	10	3	101	4.0	3.7	5	5	8	7	
31	BI	71-25.6	163-00.0	269	07	28	77	15.7	027	45	3	C	09	0	09	3	102	3.1	3.0	5	5	8	7	
31	BI	71-28.5	163-00.0	269	07	28	77	16.6	028	43	3	1	00	C	09	4	102	1.5	1.5	5	5	8	7	
31	BI	71-30.5	163-00.0	269	07	28	77	17.5	029	43	3	5	00	0	13	4	106	1.5	1.5	5	5	8	7	
31	BI	71-22.0	162-05.0	269	07	28	77	21.1	030	48	3	-3	00	0	18	4	119	5.0	5.0	4	X	9	1	
31	BI	71-19.0	162-04.0	269	07	28	77	22.4	031	47	3	1	00	0	19	3	114	5.1	4.6	4	X	9	1	
31	BI	71-16.0	161-47.5	269	07	28	77	23.4	032	46	1	-4	00	0	22	3	127	8.6	8.0	4	X	8	4	
31	BI	71-11.5	161-38.0	269	07	29	77	00.5	033	46	1	0	00	C	19	2	132	10.0	9.3	4	X	9	3	
31	BI	71-22.6	161-25.0	269	07	29	77	02.5	034	47	3	7	00	0	18	3	137	5.2	5.0	4	3	3	1	
31	BI	71-19.0	161-35.0	269	07	29	77	04.8	035	45	3	6	00	0	12	3	138	5.4	5.1	4	3	5	1	
31	BI	71-17.5	161-43.0	269	07	29	77	05.7	036	45	3	1	00	0	12	3	140	6.5	6.1	4	3	6	3	
31	BI	71-14.5	161-52.0	269	07	29	77	06.6	037	47	2	-3	00	0	13	4	145	5.5	5.5	4	4	6	3	
31	BI	71-13.2	161-52.0	269	07	29	77	08.1	038	44	1	-4	00	C	09	4	146	5.1	5.1	4	4	6	3	
31	BI	71-08.0	162-12.0	269	07	29	77	09.5	039	44	2	C	00	0	09	4	146	6.7	6.7	4	X	9	2	
31	BI	71-03.5	161-23.0	269	07	29	77	11.6	040	44	3	C	00	0	11	4	148	5.5	5.5	5	X	9	2	

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NAT	SHIP	LAT	LONG	MSQ	MO	DY	YR	HR	STA	DPTH	COD	IC	MVD	FT	PER	WNC	V	BAR	DRY	NET	WTHR	CL	AMT	VIS
31	BI	7C-54.3	161-01.0	269	07	29	77	13.3	041	44	3	-4	00	0	09	5	144	4.9	4.5	5	X	9	4	
31	BI	7C-51.5	160-50.0	269	07	29	77	14.6	042	45	1	C	C0	C	09	3	141	6.0	5.8	4	3	1	6	
31	BI	7C-46.5	160-41.5	269	07	29	77	15.3	043	46	1	0	00	0	11	3	140	10.8	10.2	4	2	6	6	
31	BI	7C-42.5	160-32.5	269	07	29	77	16.6	044	42	1	C	00	0	13	3	139	10.3	9.8	4	3	7	6	
31	BI	7C-39.0	160-24.0	269	07	29	77	17.6	045	23	1	C	00	0	11	3	142	11.4	10.7	4	3	7	3	
31	BI	7C-43.5	161-43.0	269	07	29	77	21.5	046	42	1	0	00	0	24	1	147	12.5	11.2	4	3	6	1	
31	BI	7C-48.0	161-17.0	269	07	29	77	23.0	047	41	1	C	00	C	06	1	152	11.8	10.8	4	3	6	6	
31	BI	7C-51.2	161-06.0	269	07	30	77	00.4	048	47	1	0	00	0	30	1	153	10.6	9.5	4	3	6	5	
31	BI	7C-56.0	160-58.0	269	07	30	77	01.3	049	50	3	-4	C0	0	03	2	154	8.1	7.1	4	4	3	6	
31	BI	7C-55.5	160-41.5	269	07	30	77	02.5	050	47	3	1	00	0	05	2	154	7.5	6.1	4	4	2	6	
31	BI	7C-58.0	160-46.0	269	07	30	77	03.2	051	46	3	-3	00	0	05	2	156	5.6	4.5	1	4	2	6	
31	BI	71-00.5	160-31.5	269	07	30	77	04.4	052	51	3	3	00	0	02	2	156	5.6	4.7	1	3	2	6	
31	BI	71-07.5	160-15.0	269	07	30	77	07.5	053	52	3	6	00	0	36	3	157	5.5	4.6	4	3	2	6	
31	BI	71-05.6	160-10.0	269	07	30	77	07.9	054	56	3	7	C0	0	06	4	162	2.9	2.3	1	3	2	6	
31	BI	71-13.6	160-00.1	269	07	30	77	08.8	055	52	3	1	C0	0	03	3	163	3.7	3.0	4	2	1	6	
31	BI	71-05.8	159-23.0	268	07	30	77	09.8	056	54	3	0	00	0	01	4	163	3.4	3.0	4	3	2	6	
31	BI	71-10.8	159-26.5	268	07	30	77	10.8	057	47	3	C	C0	C	02	4	161	3.7	3.1	4	3	2	6	
31	BI	71-15.2	159-31.0	268	07	30	77	11.6	058	45	1	C	00	0	04	3	166	3.0	2.5	1	3	2	6	
31	BI	71-12.2	159-12.0	268	07	30	77	13.0	059	48	3	0	03	0	03	4	167	4.6	4.0	4	3	4	6	
31	BI	71-21.8	159-15.3	268	07	30	77	14.6	060	47	3	C	00	0	02	4	168	3.0	2.7	1	3	5	7	

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NAT	SHIP	LAT	LONG	MSQ	MO	CY	YR	HR	STA	DPHT	COD	IC	MVD	HT	PER	WMD	V	BAR	DRY	WET	WTHR	CL	AMT	VIS						
31	81	71-26.5	159-20.1	268	07	30	77	15.7	061	50	3	C	00	C	03	4	169	2.2	2.6	4	2	4	6							
31	81	71-42.0	155-51.0	268	07	20	77	17.1	062	45	3	0	00	0	03	4	171	1.5	1.3	1	3	2	6							
31	81	71-42.0	159-25.0	268	07	20	77	18.6	063	50	3	C	00	C	03	4	173	2.8	2.2	2	7	6	6							
31	81	71-42.0	158-46.0	268	07	20	77	21.2	064	54	3	C	00	0	07	4	174	2.8	2.2	2	7	6	6							
31	81	71-30.0	155-00.0	268	07	30	77		065H		1																			
31	81	71-33.3	158-57.0	268	07	30	77		066H		1																			
31	81	71-38.0	158-45.0	268	07	30	77		067H		1																			
31	81	71-42.0	158-35.0	268	07	30	77		068H		1																			
31	81	71-47.2	158-34.0	268	07	30	77		069H		1																			
31	81	71-52.1	158-26.0	268	07	30	77		070H		1																			
31	81	71-41.0	158-10.0	268	07	30	77		071H		1																			
31	81	71-38.0	158-46.0	268	07	20	77	23.0	072	54	3	C	00	0	03	4	174	2.4	2.0	1	3	3	6	6						
31	81	71-33.6	158-46.2	268	07	31	77	00.6	073	54	3	C	00	0	04	4	172	4.4	3.8	1	3	5	6	6						
31	81	71-30.0	158-26.0	268	07	31	77	02.4	074	58	1	C	00	0	04	4	169	4.6	4.0	1	3	3	7	7						
31	81	71-35.0	158-26.0	268	07	31	77	03.5	075	57	3	0	00	0	04	5	171	5.0	4.0	1	8	3	7	7						
31	81	71-40.0	158-16.0	268	07	21	77	04.8	076	55	3	C	00	0	05	4	171	2.2	2.8	1	8	3	7	7						
31	81	71-45.0	158-16.0	268	07	31	77	06.1	077	55	3	1	00	0	04	4	171	2.3	2.8	1	8	3	6	6						
31	81	71-53.0	158-16.5	268	07	31	77	07.4	078	55	3	4	00	0	04	4	175	2.0	1.8	1	8	3	6	6						
31	81	71-52.0	157-56.0	268	07	21	77	10.0	079	61	3	1	00	0	05	5	174	2.3	1.8	1	8	2	6	6						
31	81	71-46.0	157-57.0	268	07	31	77	11.0	080	62	3	0	04	1	05	5	172	2.5	2.0	1	8	2	6	6						

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NAT	SHIP	LAT	LONG	MSQ	MO	CY	YR	HR	STA	DPTH	COD	IC	WVD	FT	PER	WIND	V	BAR	DRY	WET	WTHR	CL	AMT	VIS
31	81	71-35.0	158-00.0	268	07	31	77	12.3	081	65	3	C	C0	C	C4	5	165	2.6	2.0	1	8	2	6	
31	81	71-33.0	158-01.0	268	07	31	77	13.3	082	64	3	O	C5	1	05	5	168	2.0	2.7	1	3	1	6	
31	81	71-28.C	158-C3.C	268	07	31	77	14.3	083	112	3	C	C6	1	06	5	167	3.C	2.7	1	3	2	6	
31	81	71-22.5	158-C6.0	268	07	31	77	15.4	084	55	3	1	C0	C	C9	3	165	2.0	1.6	1	3	1	6	
31	81	71-23.1	157-22.4	268	07	31	77	17.C	085	117	3	1	C0	0	08	5	166	2.8	2.2	1	2	1	6	
31	81	71-27.2	157-23.5	268	07	31	77	18.1	086	55	1	C	C0	C	07	2	172	2.8	2.3	1	4	5	6	
31	81	71-31.5	157-22.5	268	07	31	77	19.0	087	72	3	C	C0	C	04	4	174	3.4	3.2	1	4	5	0	
31	81	71-35.0	157-25.0	268	07	31	77	23.C	088	75														
31	81	71-25.0	157-54.0	268	08	01	77	01.1	089H		1	1												
31	81	71-15.5	158-21.0	268	08	01	77	01.3	090H		1	1												
31	81	71-14.5	158-41.0	268	08	01	77	01.6	091H		1	1												
31	81	71-24.4	158-47.5	268	08	01	77	01.8	092H		1	1												
31	81	71-25.5	158-20.1	268	08	01	77	02.1	093H		1	1												
31	81	71-34.6	157-53.0	268	08	01	77	02.3	094H		1	1												
31	81	71-35.8	157-25.5	268	08	01	77	02.6	095H		1	1												
31	81	71-25.0	157-25.C	268	08	01	77	03.8	096	107	3	C	00	0	04	4	165	3.2	3.1	C			6	
31	81	71-25.0	157-25.0	268	08	01	77	05.7	097	107	3	C	00	C	04	4	165	3.2	3.1	0			6	
31	81	71-36.6	157-24.C	268	08	01	77	07.2	098	64	3	C	00	0	06	3	165	2.7	2.3	1	C	3	6	
31	81	71-42.C	157-24.8	268	08	01	77	08.0	099	62	3	C	00	C	C5	3	166	2.5	2.6	1	0	3	6	
31	81	71-47.0	157-24.5	268	08	01	77	09.1	100	66	3	0	00	0	05	3	167	2.5	2.2	1	0	3	6	



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NAT	SHIP	LAT	LONG	MSQ	MO	CY	YR	HR	STA	DPHM	CCD	IC	WVD	PT	PEF	WNC	V	BAR	DRY	WET	WTHR	CL	AMT	VIS
31	81	71-53.0	157-24.0	26E	08	01	77	10.0	101	72	3	2	00	0	05	3	167	2.0	1.5	1	0	3	6	
31	81	71-45.0	157-50.0	26E	08	01	77	12.4	102	62	3	C	CC	C	05	2	166	2.8	2.5	1	0	3	6	
21	81	71-45.0	158-18.0	26E	08	01	77	13.7	103	56	3	C	00	0	29	3	166	2.2	1.8	1	0	3	6	
21	81	71-45.0	158-45.0	26E	08	01	77	16.1	104	54	3	C	00	0	06	3	167	2.8	2.2	1	0	4	6	
21	81	71-25.0	159-01.0	26E	08	01	77	17.6	105	54	1	C	CC	C	07	3	170	5.3	4.5	1	0	1	6	
31	81	71-21.0	158-53.0	26E	08	01	77	19.1	106	54	1	-3	00	0	24	2	173	7.8	6.0	1	0	1	6	
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MIZPAC 77 CTD STATIONS

NAT SHIP	LAT	LONG	MSQ	MO	DY	YR	HR	STA	DPTH	COD	IC	WVD	FT	PER	WND	V	BAR	DRY	WET	WTHR	CL	AMT	VIS
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31	81	71-15.0	161-25.5	269	08	04	77	15.6	140	3	C	00	0		13	5	157	7.6	7.2	4	X	9	5

MIZPAC 77 CTD STATIONS

NAT	SHIP	LAT	LONG	MSQ	MO	DY	YR	HR	STA	DPHT	COD	IC	WVD	FT	PER	WNC	V	BAR	DRY	WET	WTHR	CL	AMT	VIS
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31	81	71-10.5	160-25.5	269	08	04	77	19.4	143	47	1	C	C0	0	17	4	162	7.0	6.6	4	X	9	6	
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31	81	71-16.0	156-52.0	268	08	05	77	05.8	147	32	1	-3	00	0	11	3	168	8.7	7.2	1	0	2	6	
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31	81	71-44.0	156-26.5	268	08	05	77	16.0	154	90	3	6	00	0	10	5	168	3.2	2.9	0			6	
31	81	71-40.0	156-23.0	268	08	05	77	16.3	155	108	3	1	C0	C	07	5	163	3.5	3.0	1	0	0	6	
31	81	71-40.0	156-46.9	268	08	05	77	17.5	156	91	3	-4	C0	C	08	5	160	5.1	4.0	1	0	2	6	
31	81	71-40.0	157-16.0	268	08	05	77	18.9	157	66	3	1	00	0	10	5	158	4.6	3.8	1	C	5	6	

TOTAL= 157

## APPENDIX D

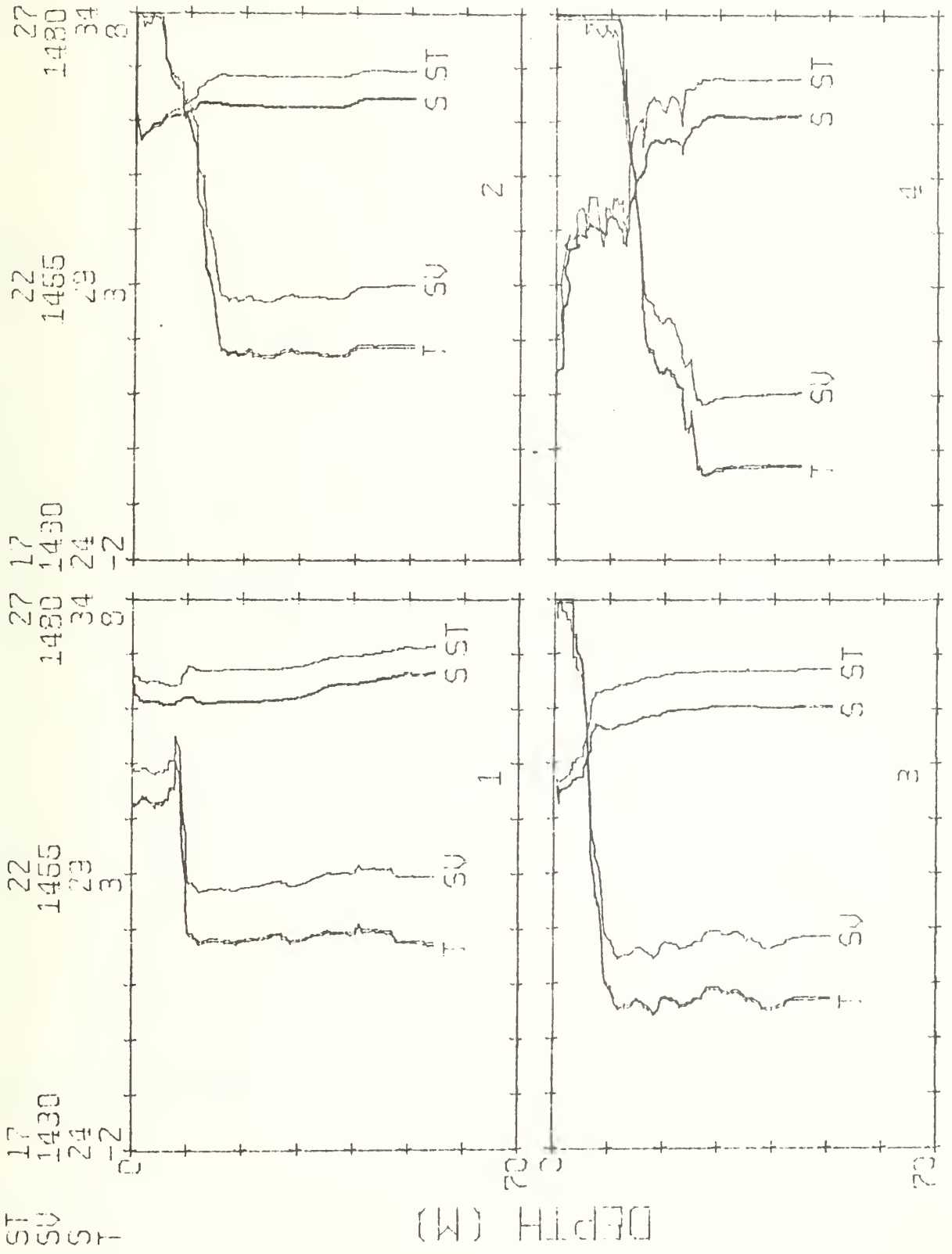
### PROPERTY PROFILES FOR MIZPAC 77 STATIONS

This section contains plots of temperature, salinity, sound velocity and sigma-t for all of the stations of MIZPAC 77 which were recovered from the cassette tapes successfully. Station 97 is missing and of the sequence 65H through 71H, allotted for a helicopter expedition, only the first two were successful. Other "H" suffixes also indicate helicopter stations. It will be noted that Stations 46 and 107 are duplicated. Explanations of the differences between duplicates are given in Appendix A.

The basic four-per-page plot has a maximum depth of 70 m. All the stations were plotted in this way. In addition, deeper stations were plotted on a 140-meter depth scale, two per page. These are interleaved with the smaller plots. To assist in distinguishing curves the salinity curve has been doubled with a line 0.01 inches to the left and the temperature has been treated similarly with 0.015 inch spacing. The curves are also labeled, T for temperature, S for salinity, SV for sound velocity and ST for sigma-t.

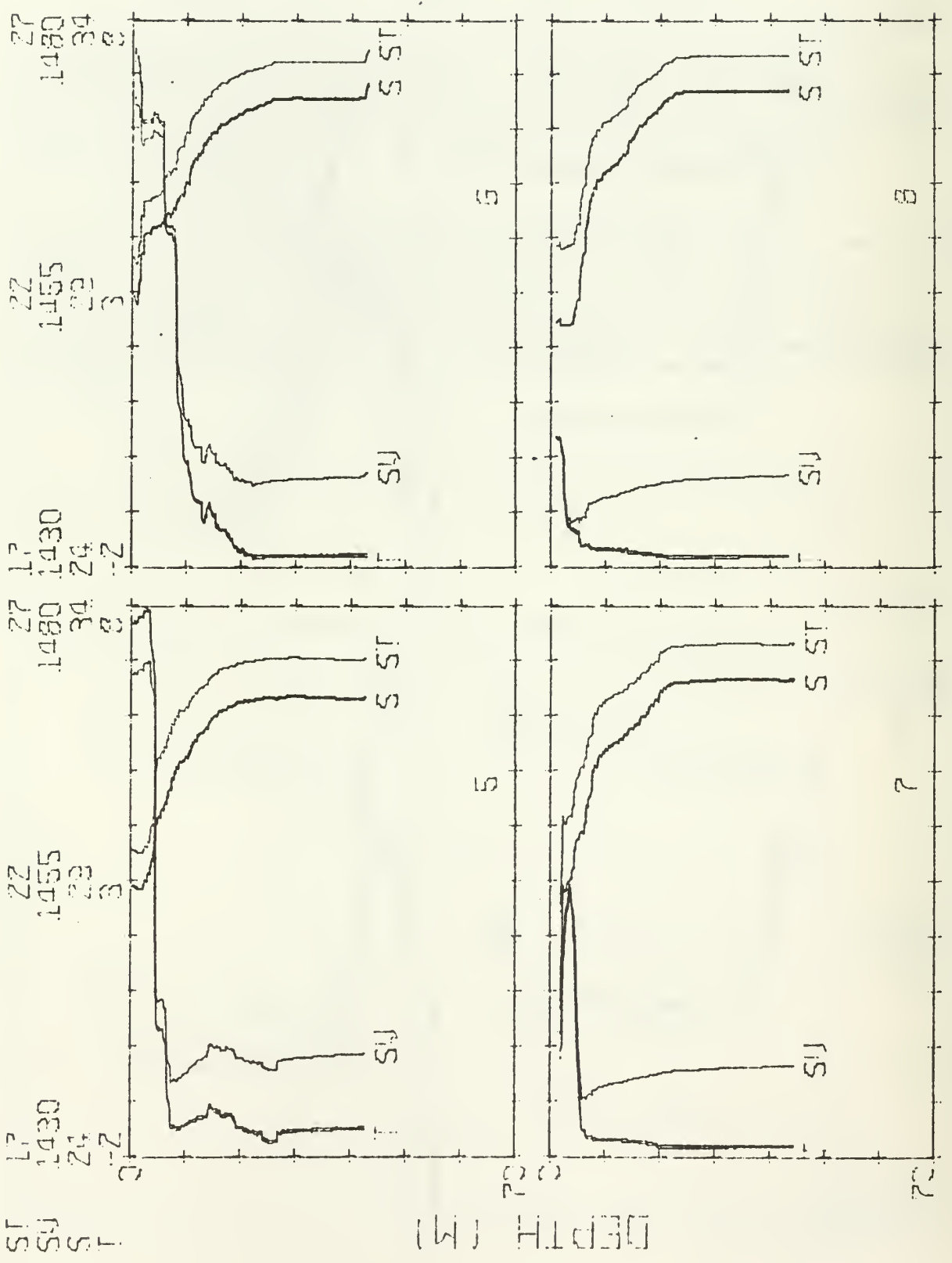
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 P. P. T.  
 DEG. C



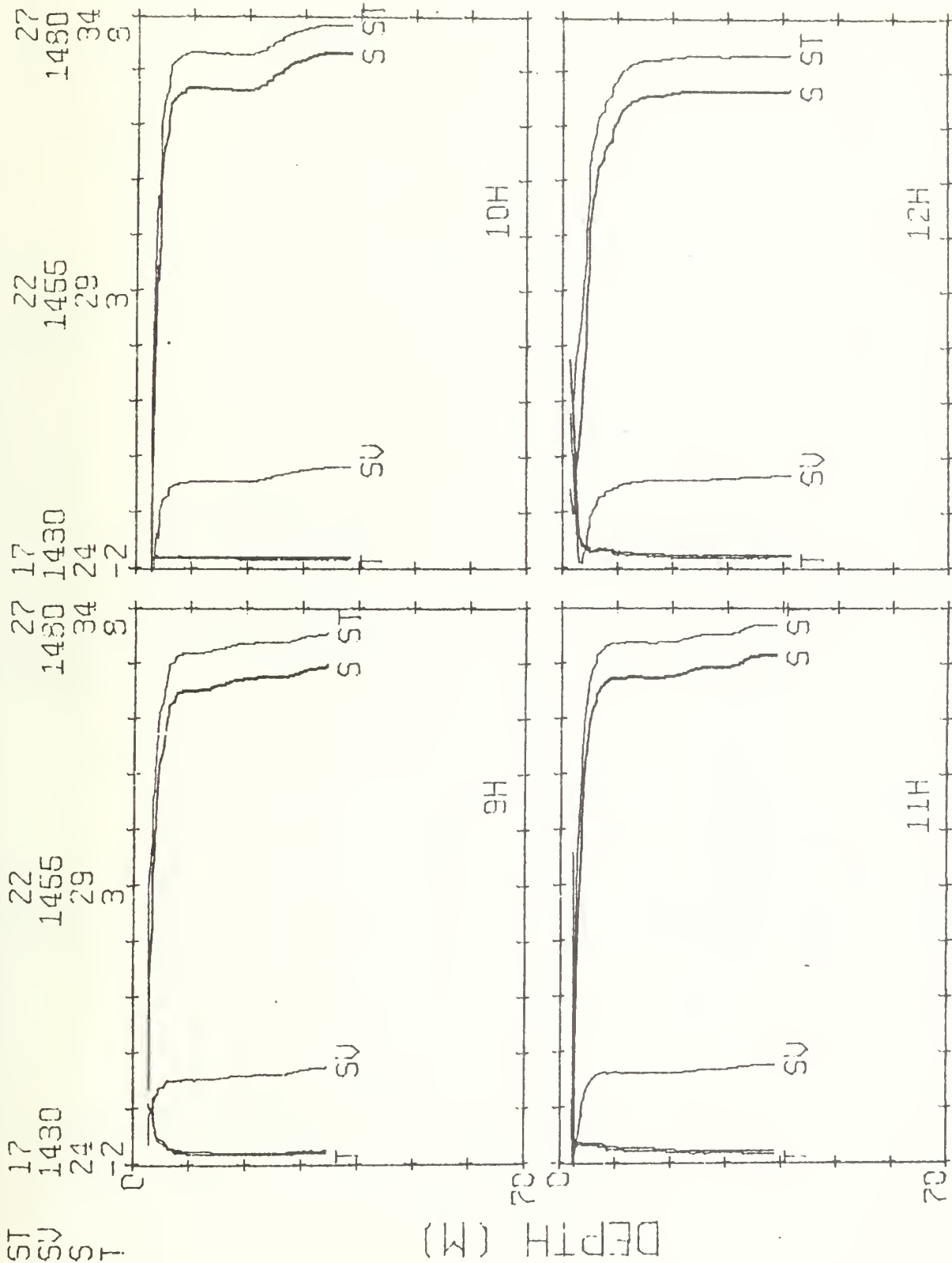
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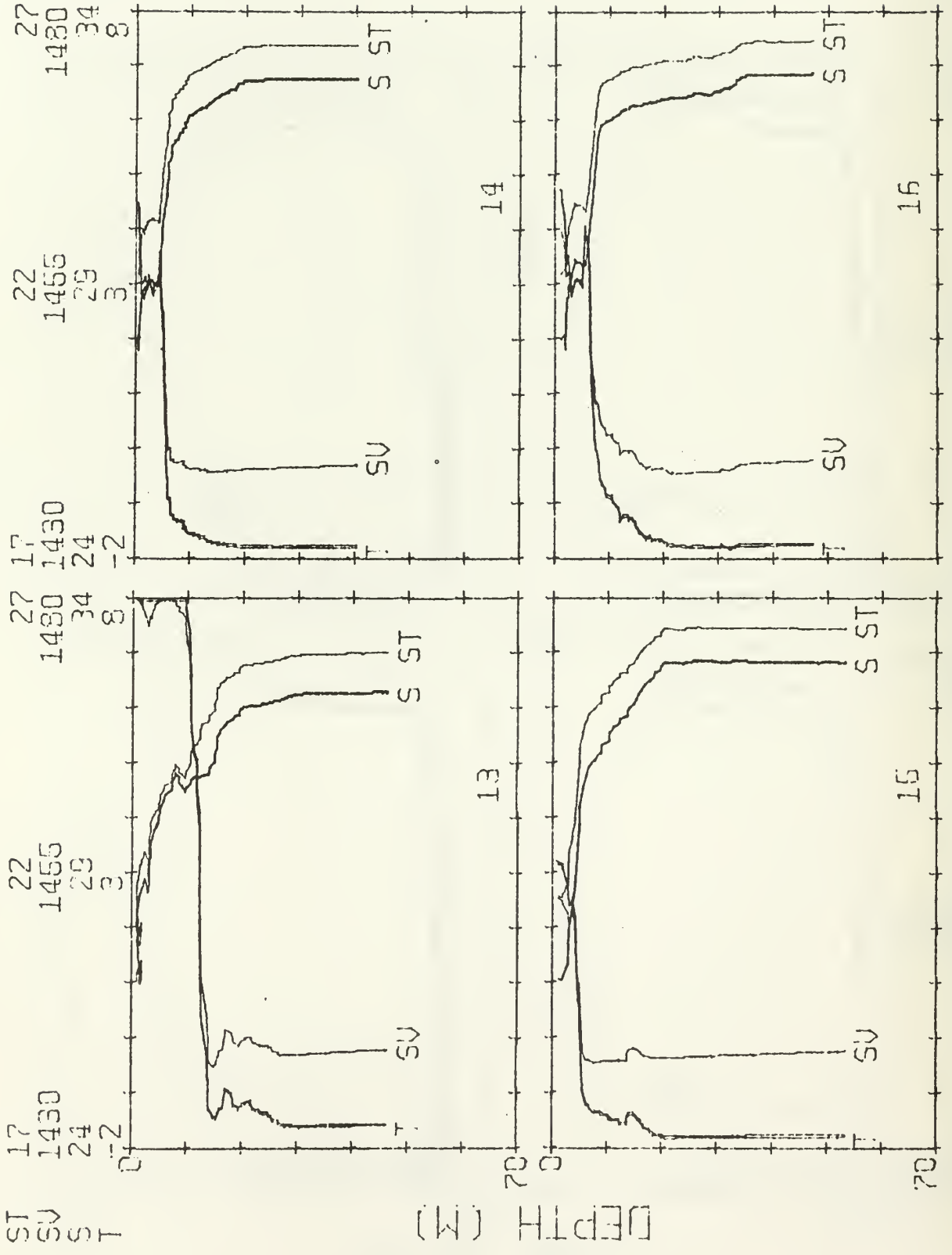
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DEG C

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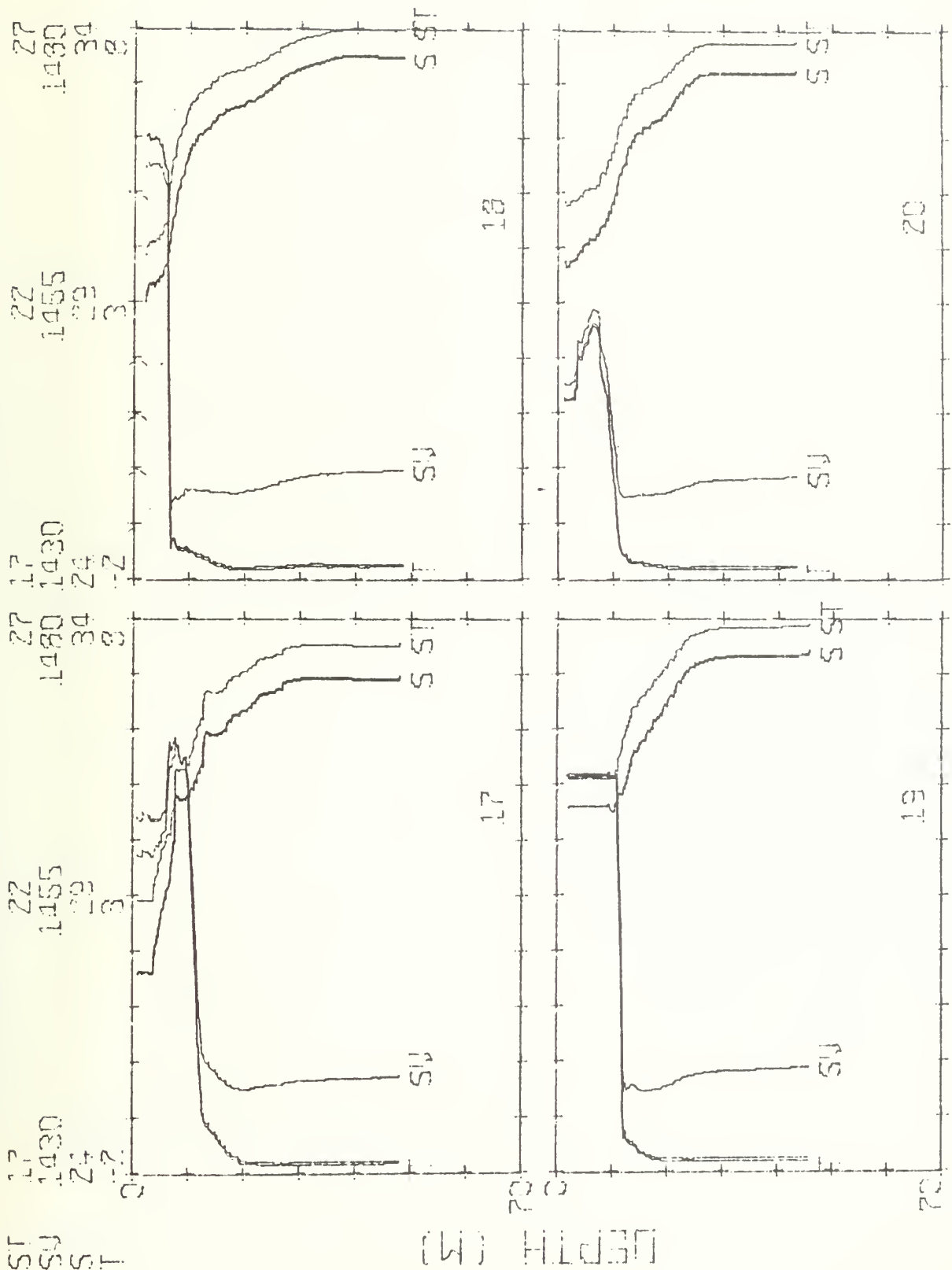
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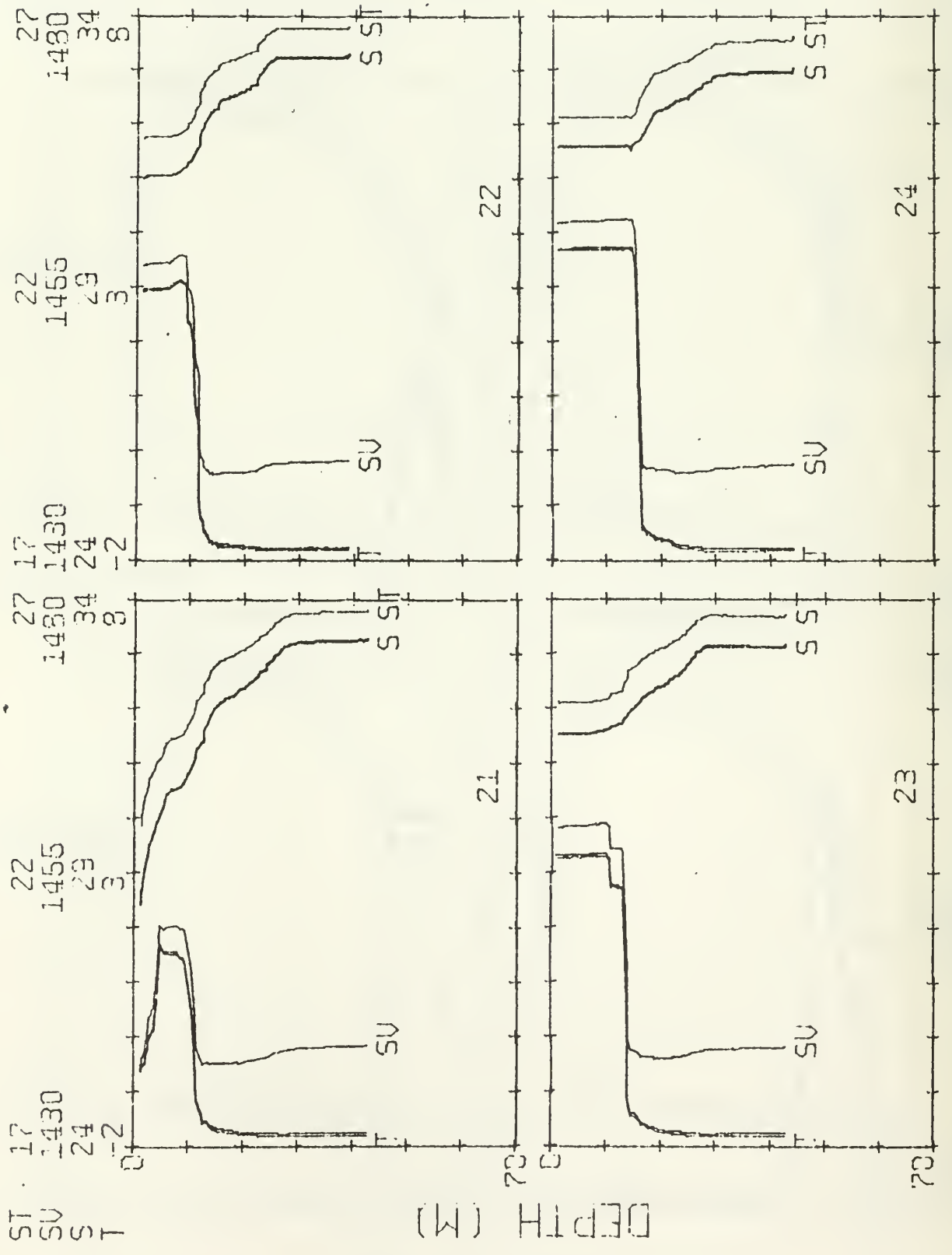
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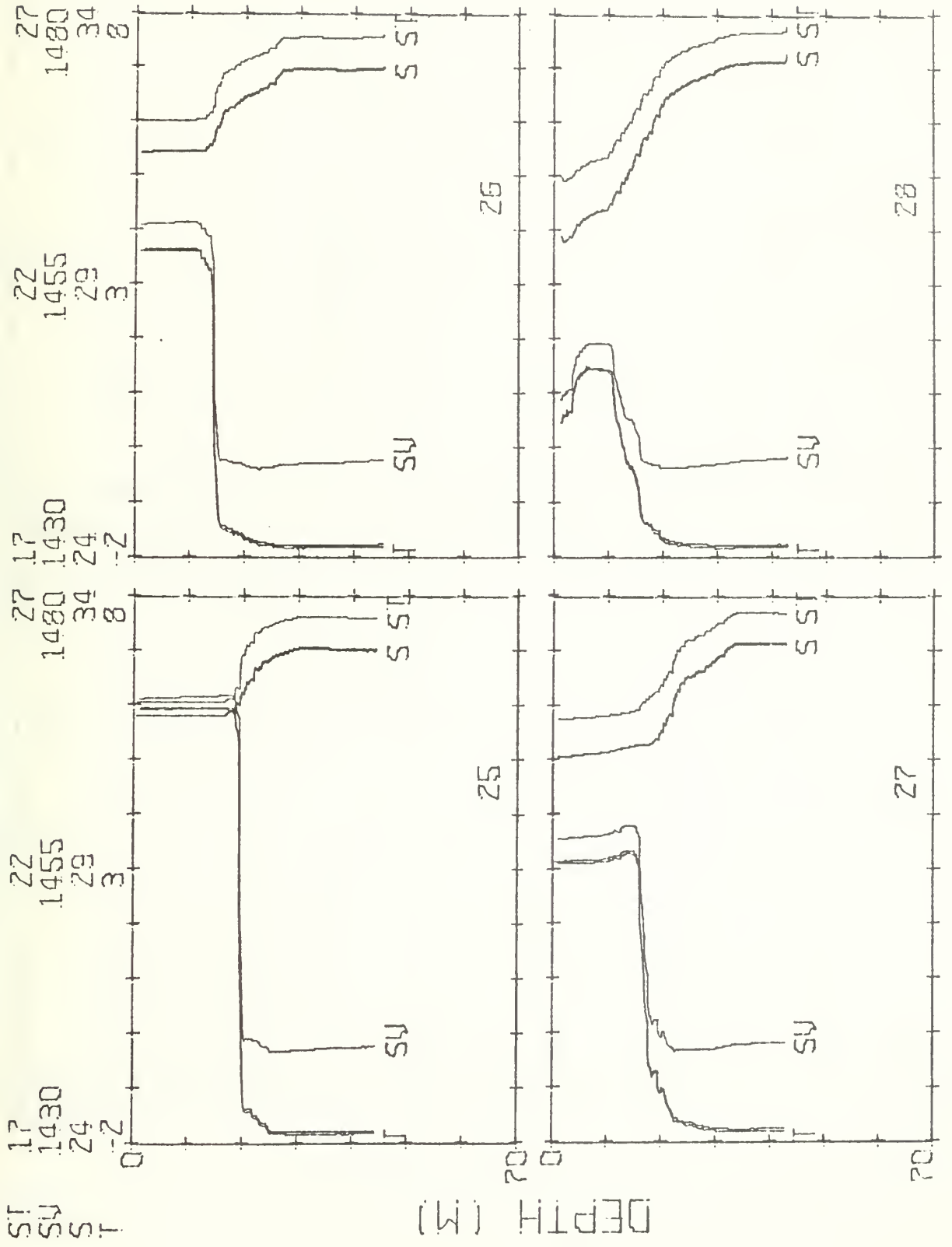
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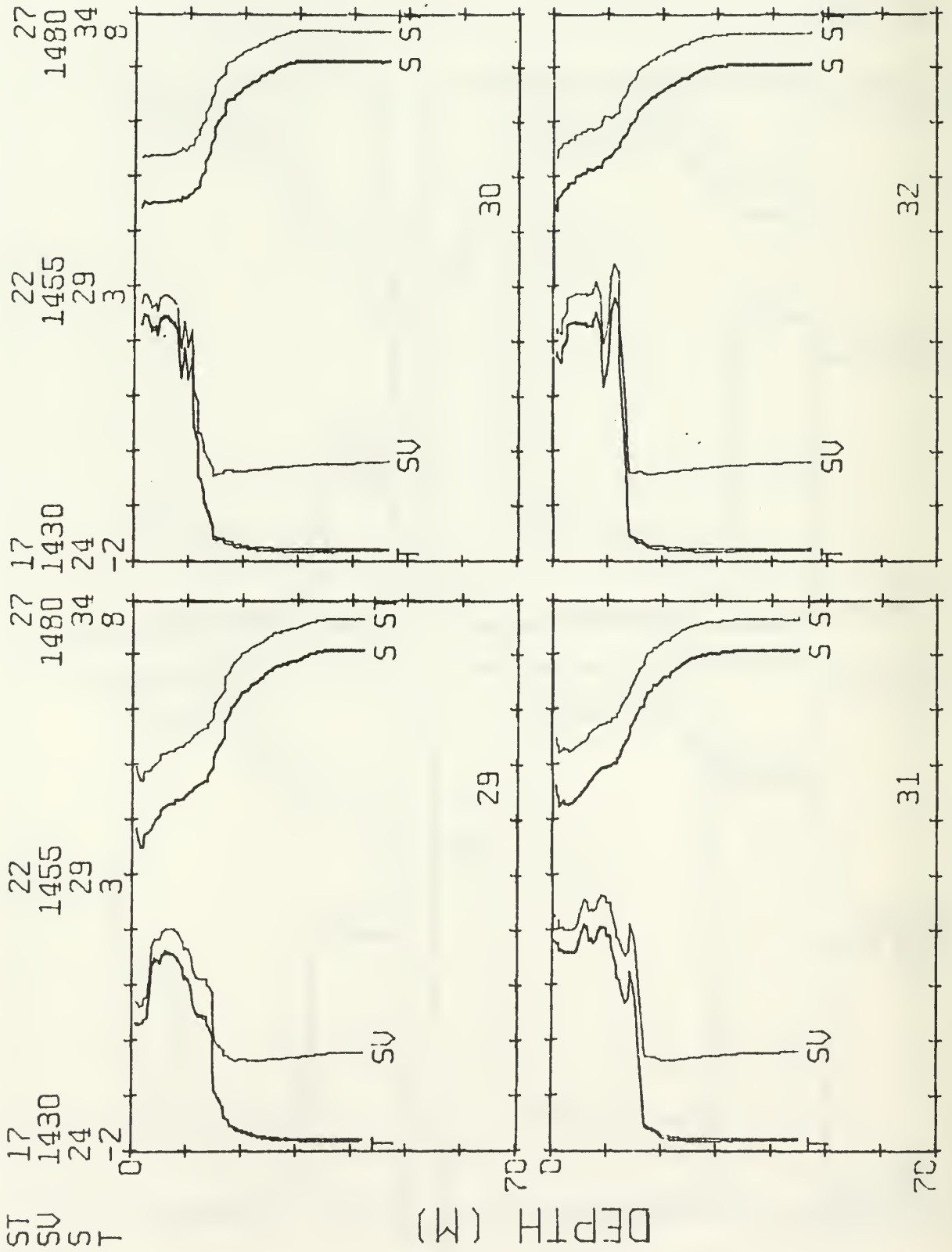
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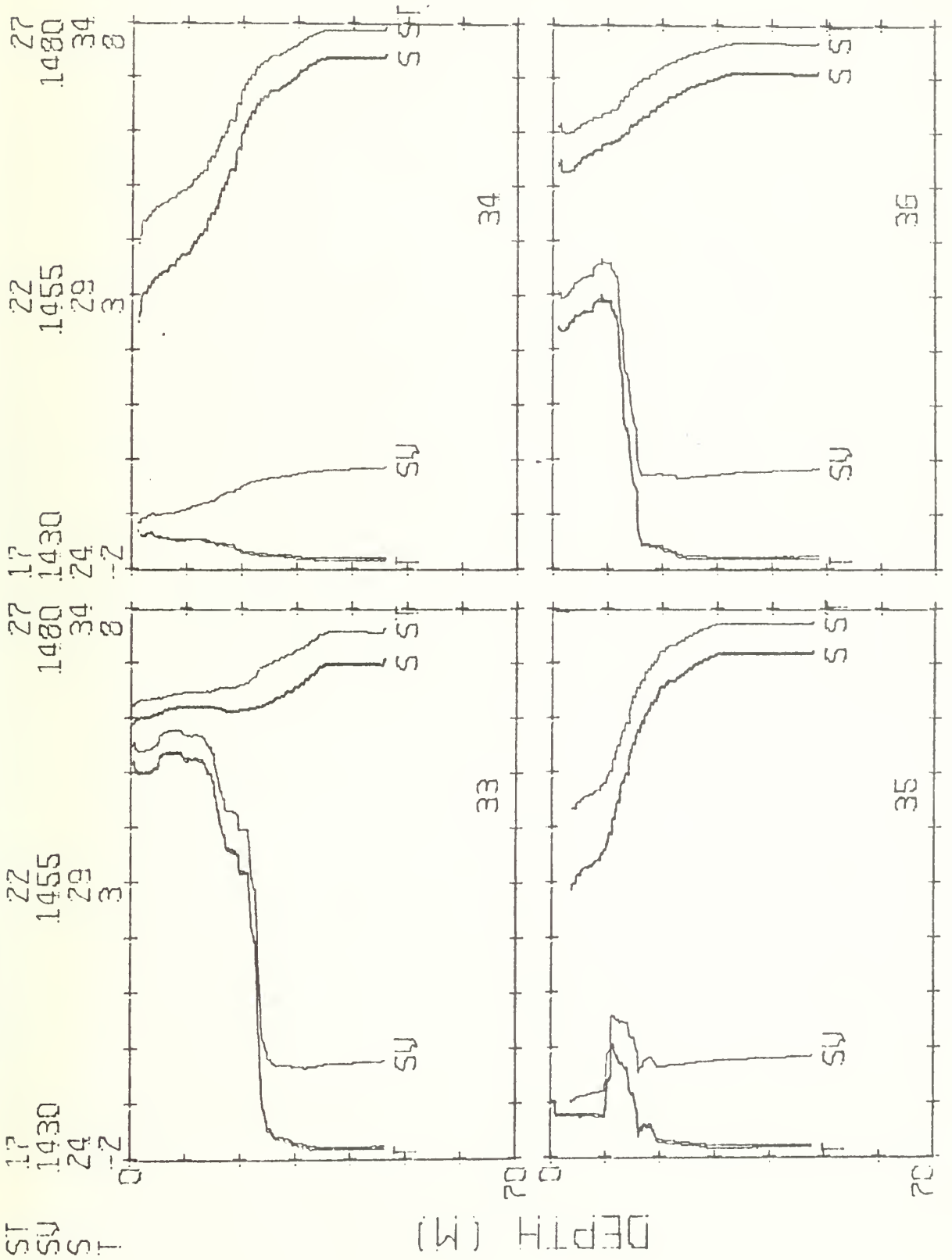
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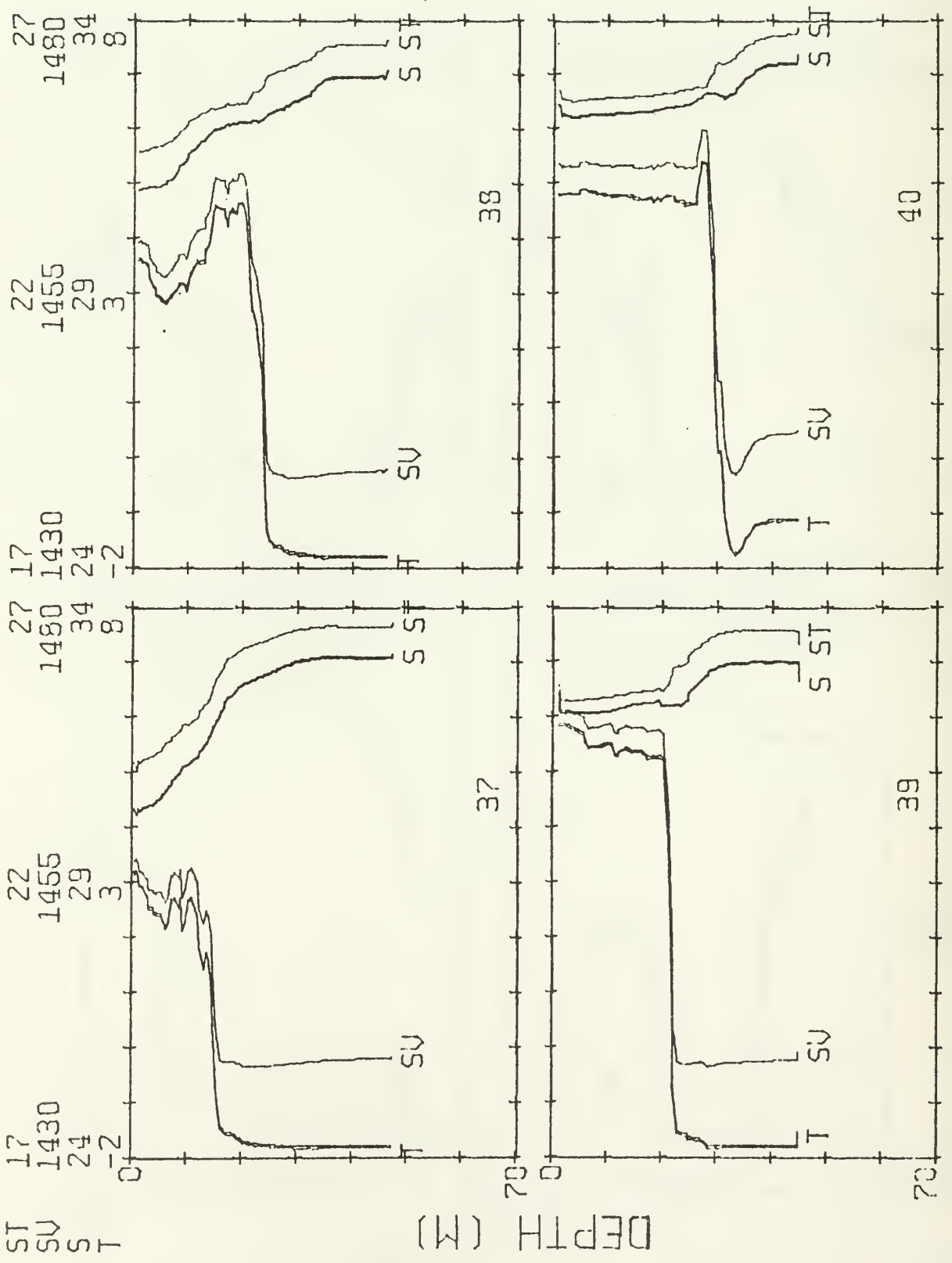
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 DEG. C

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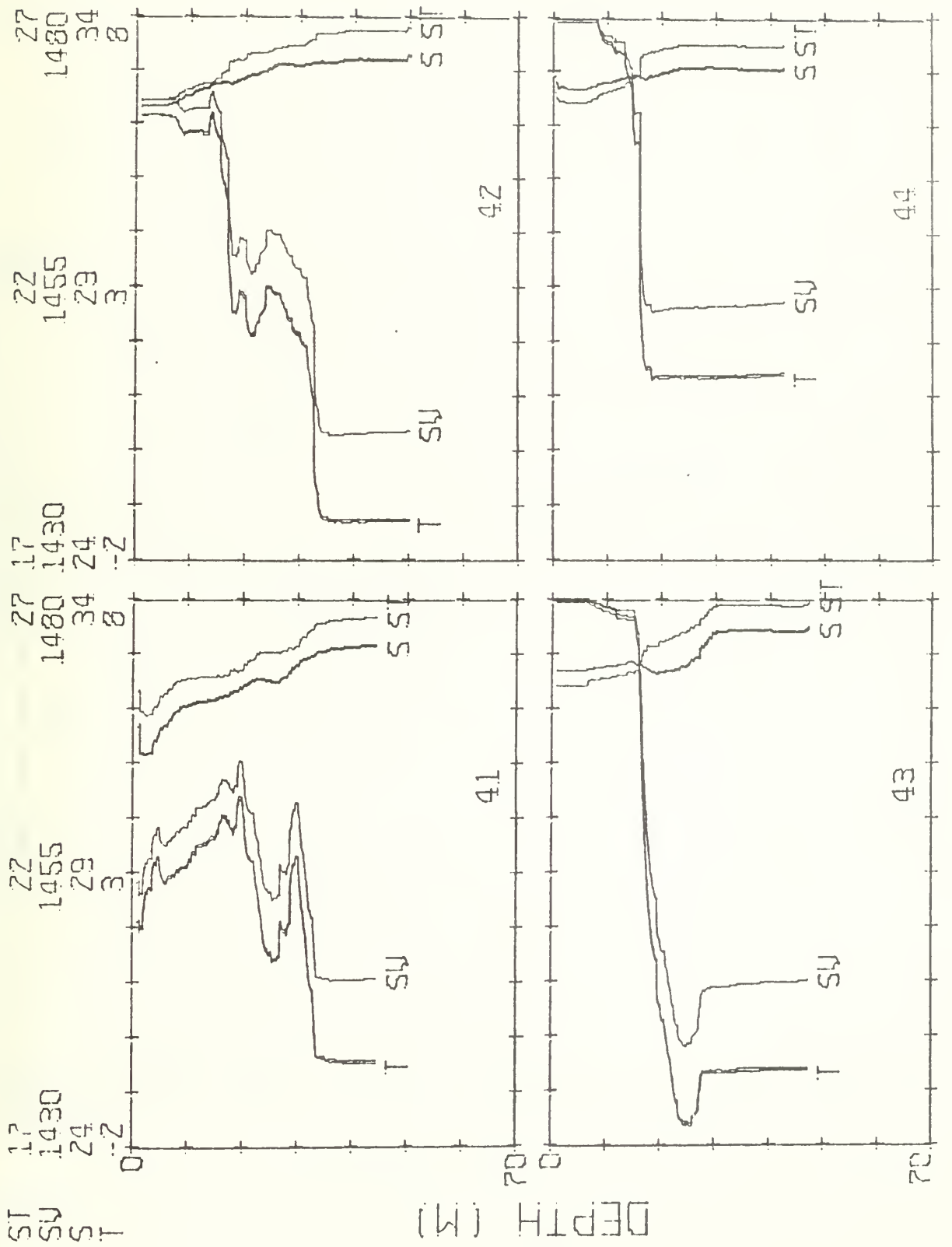
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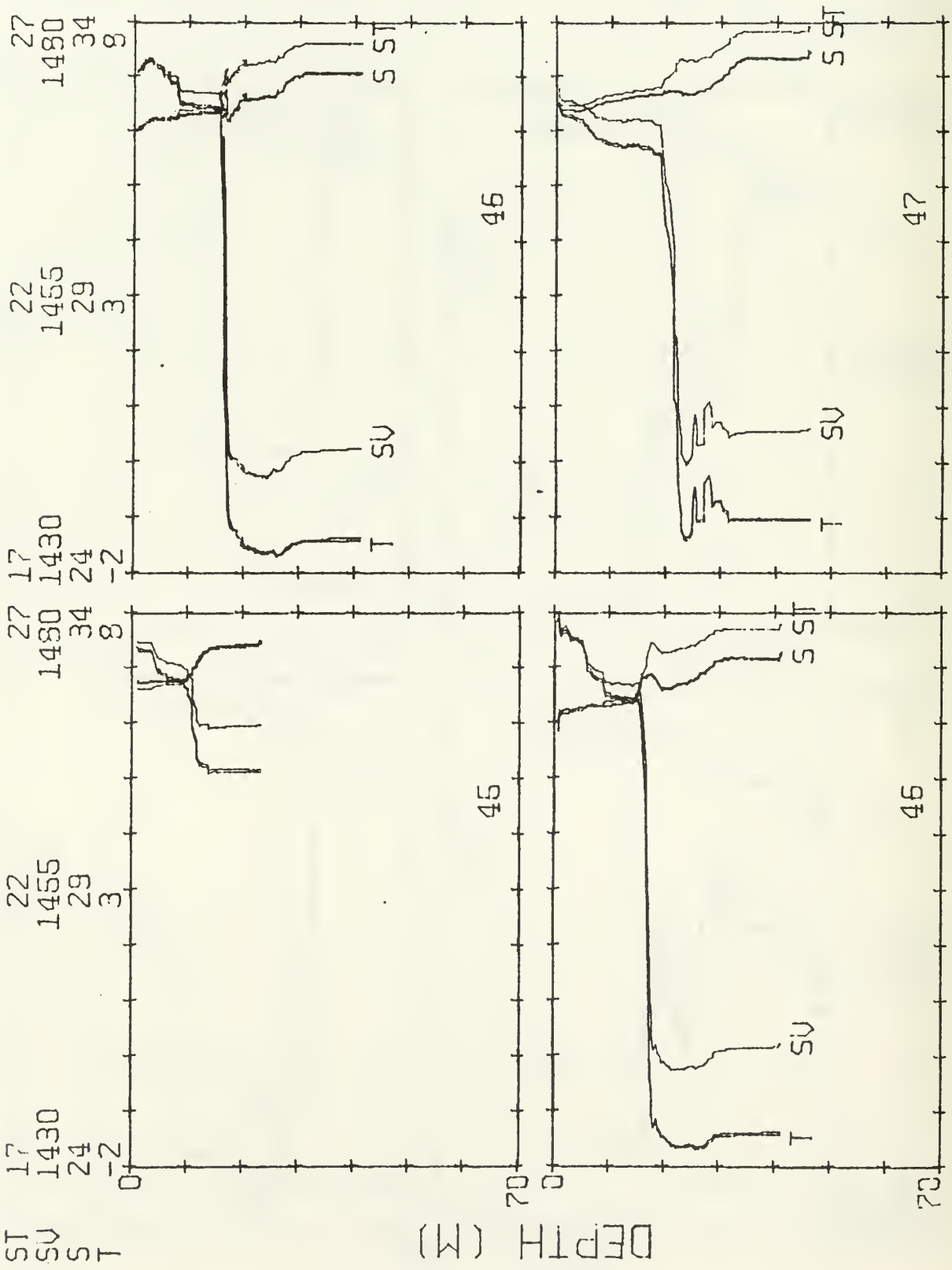
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DES C

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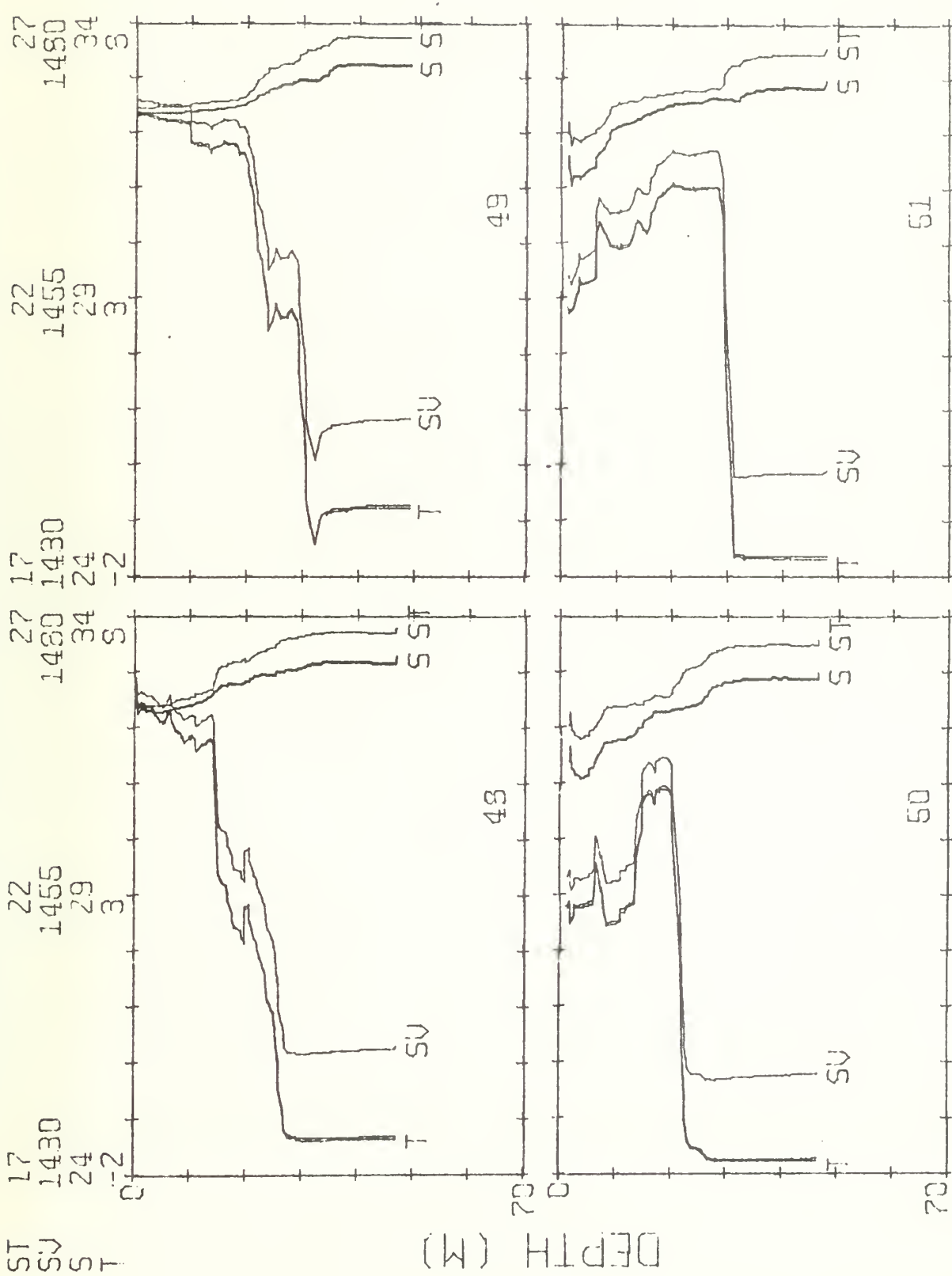
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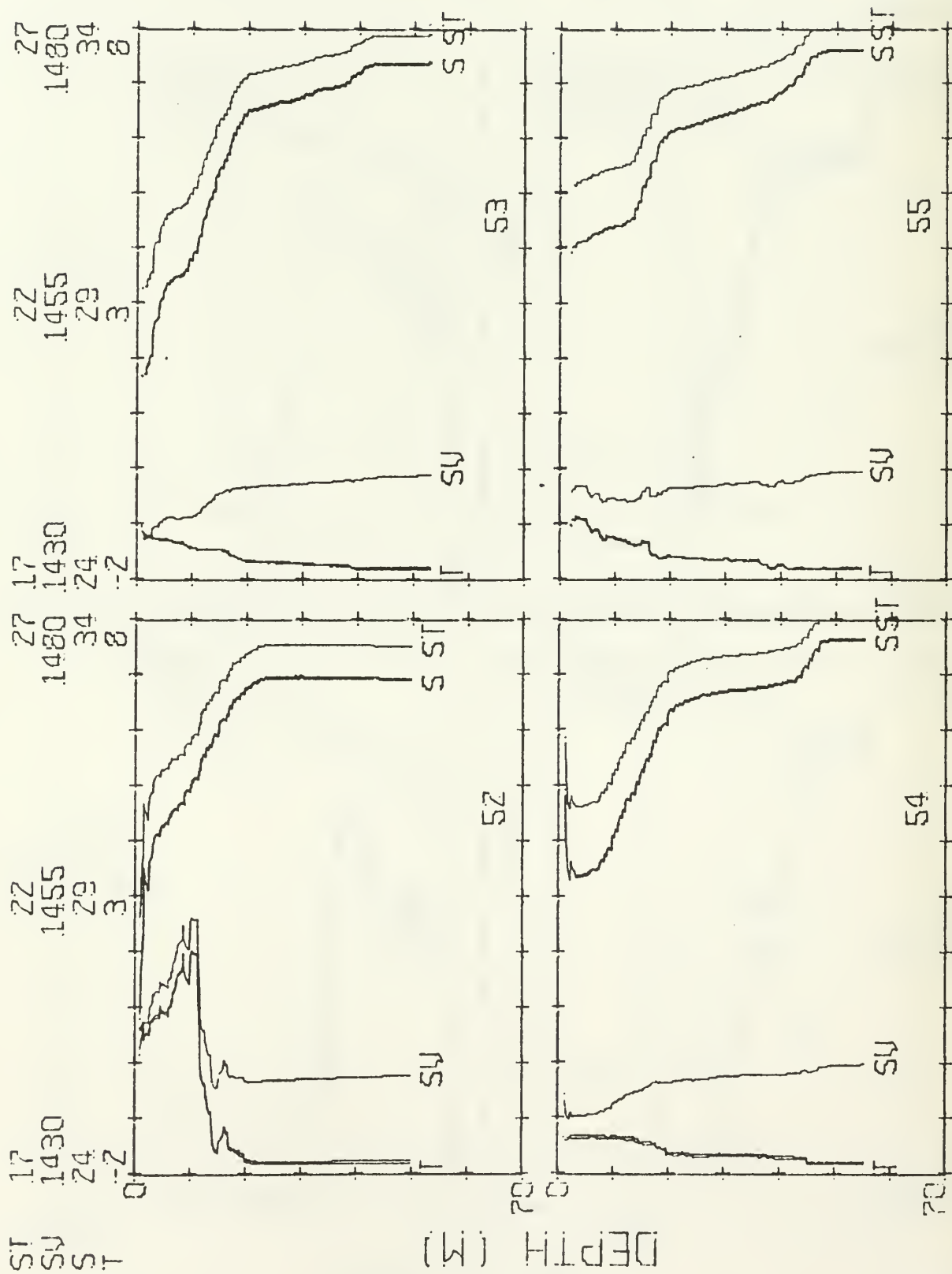
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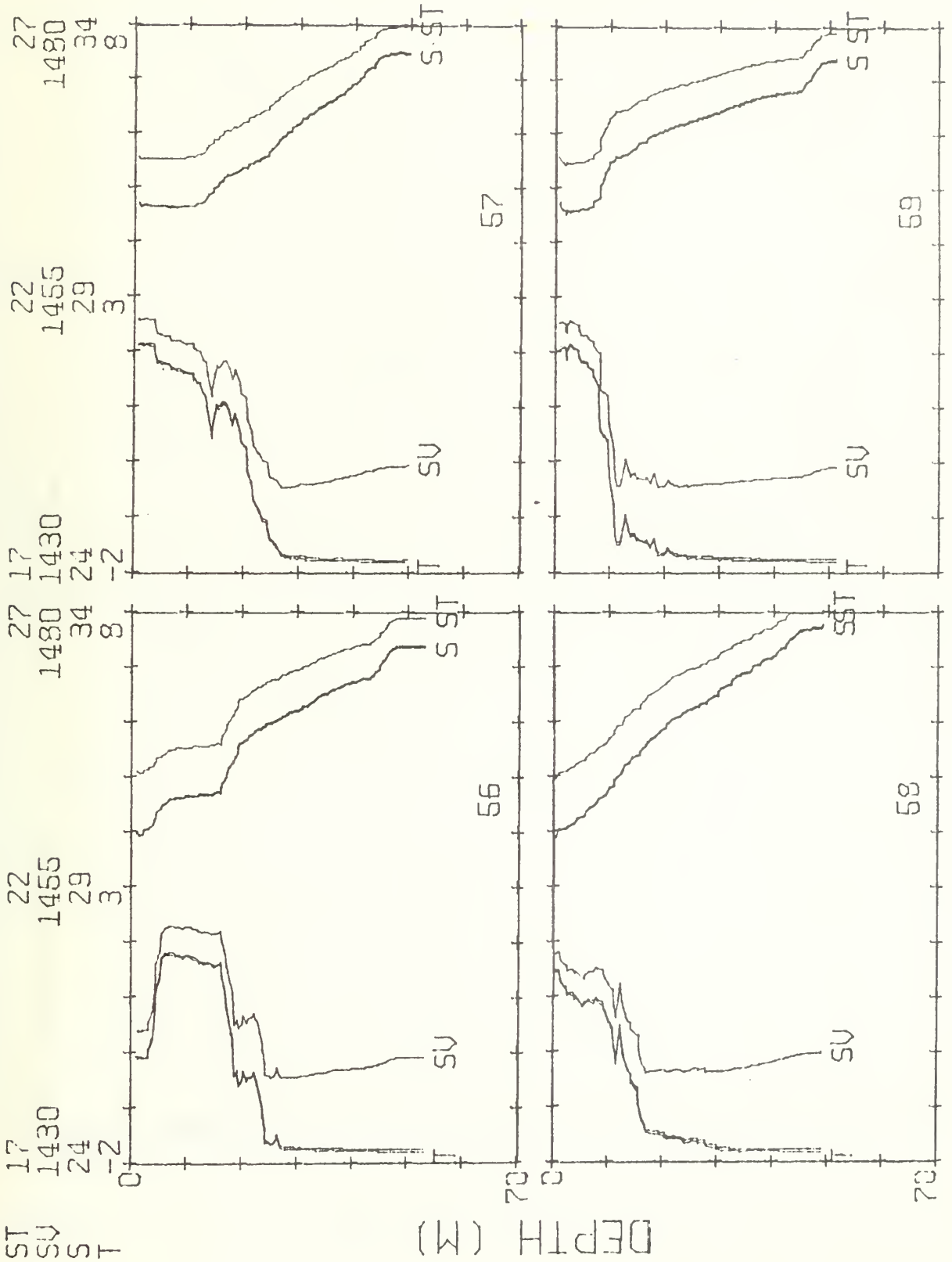
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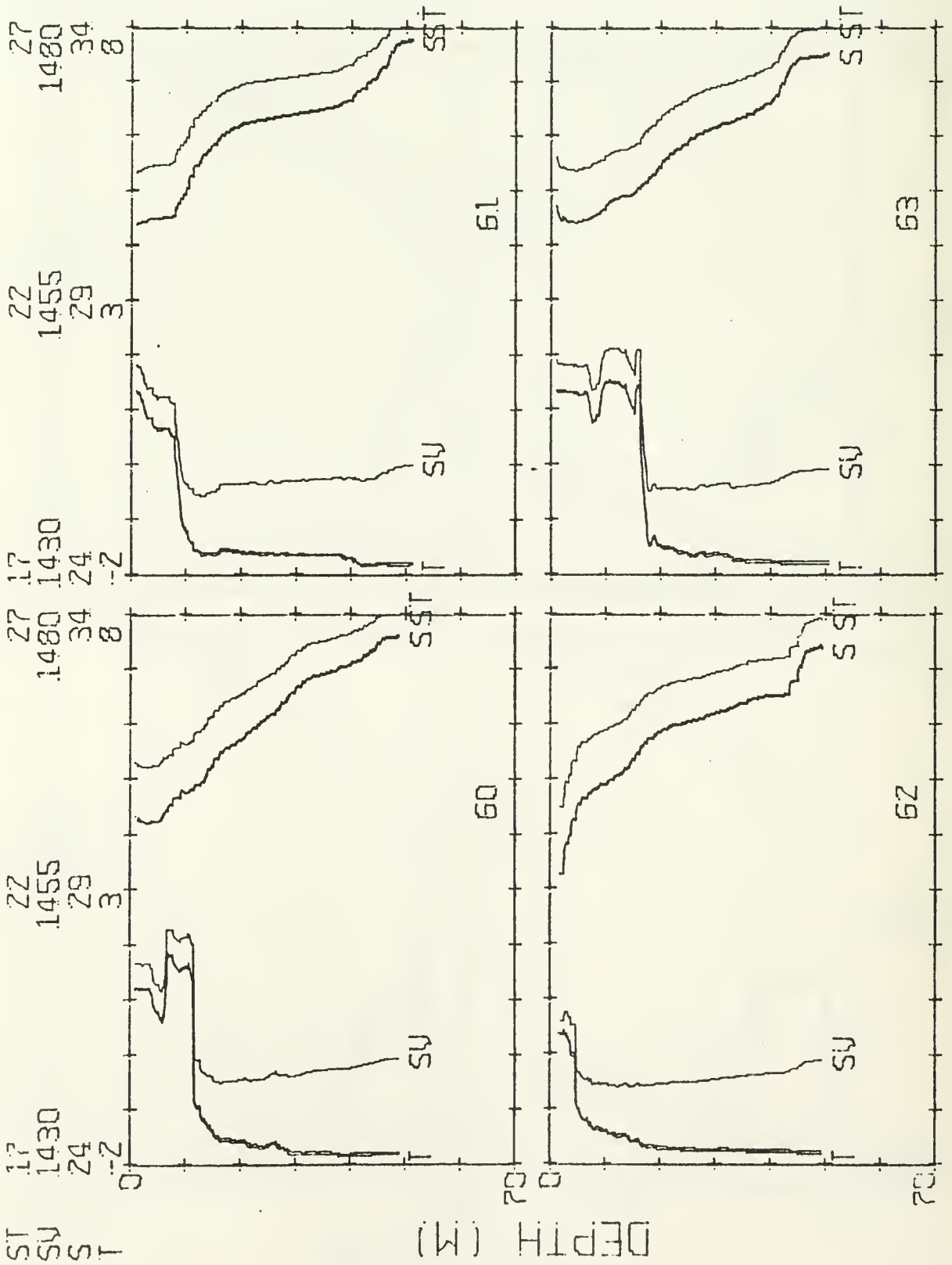
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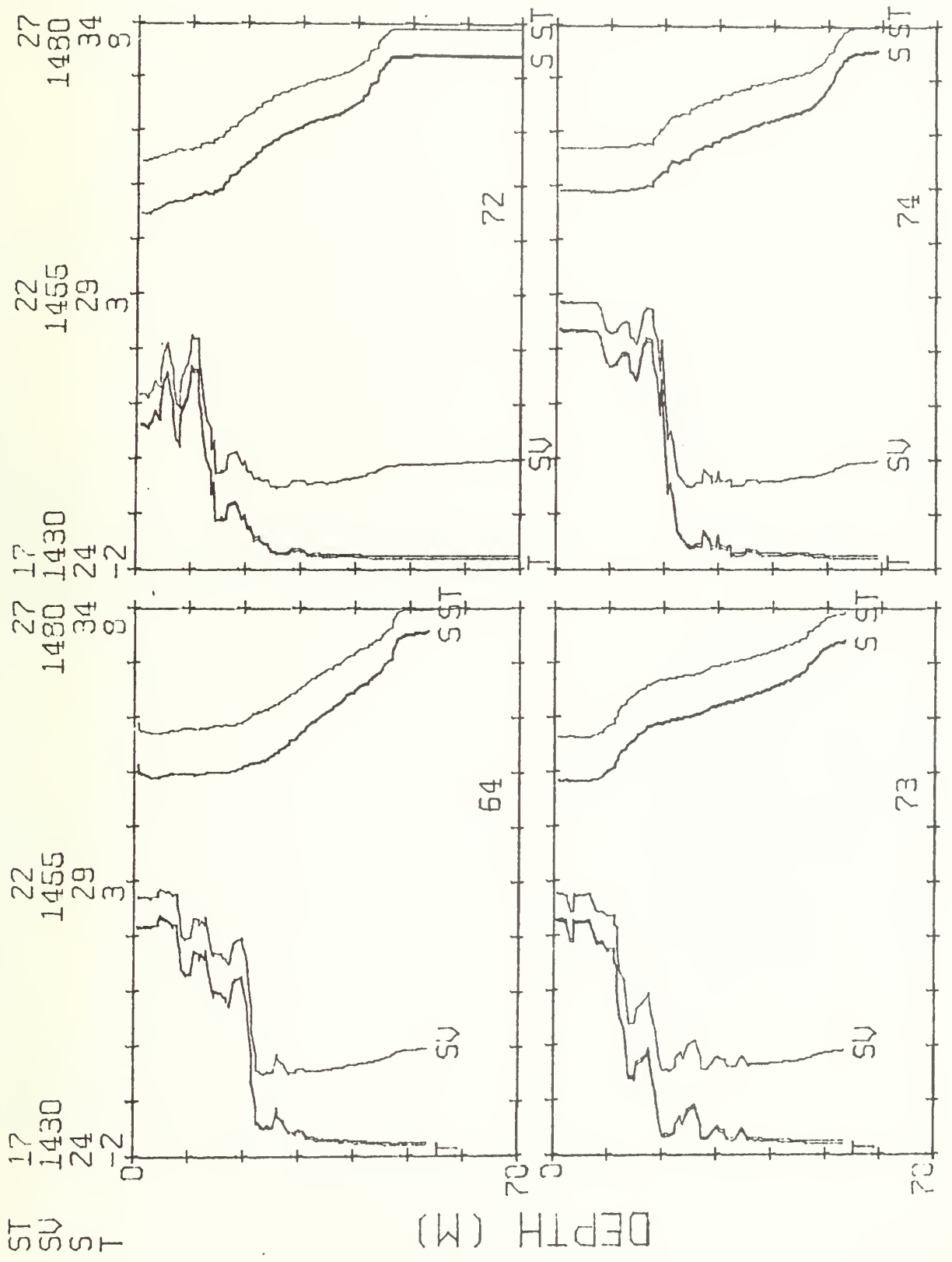
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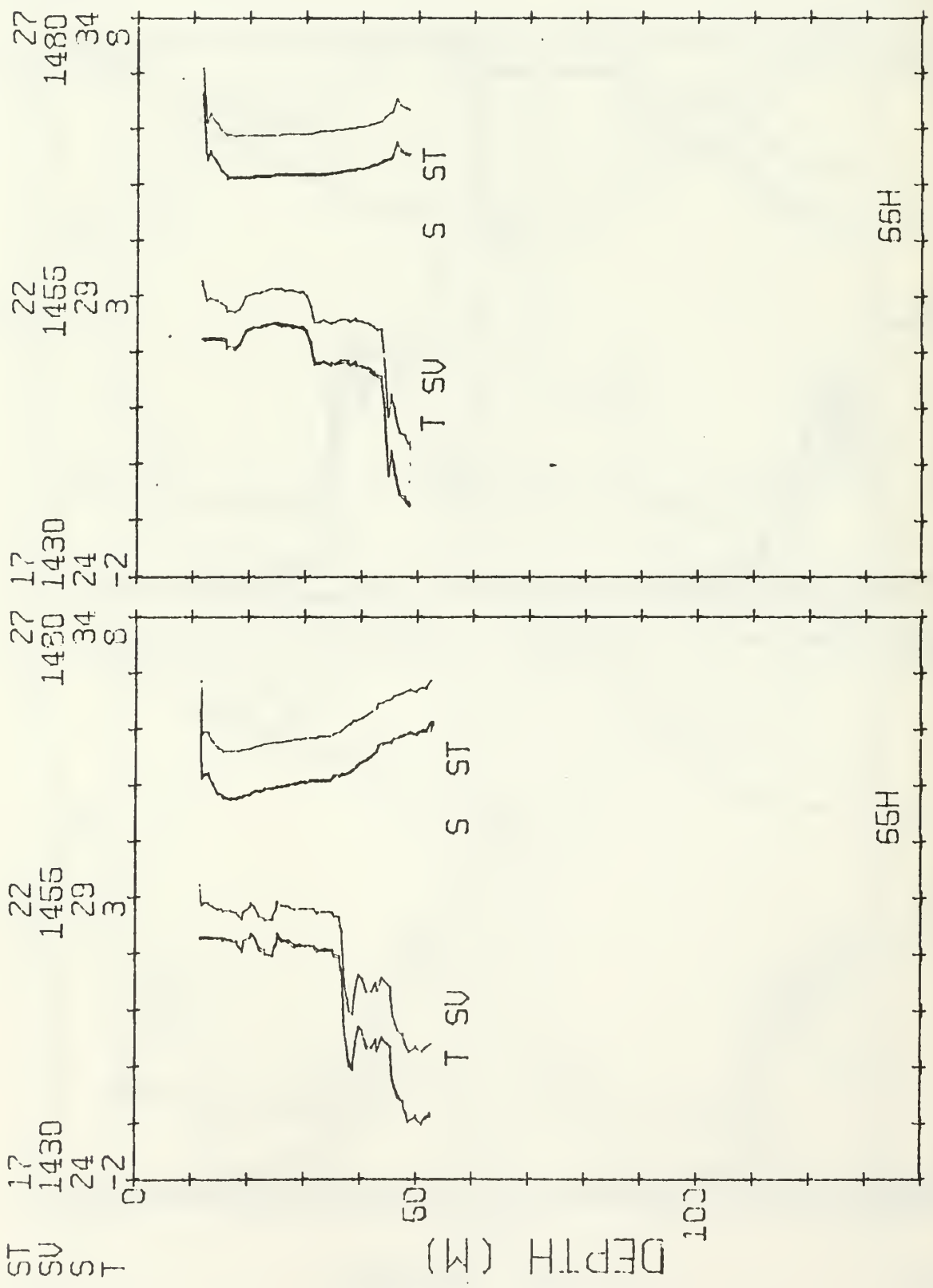
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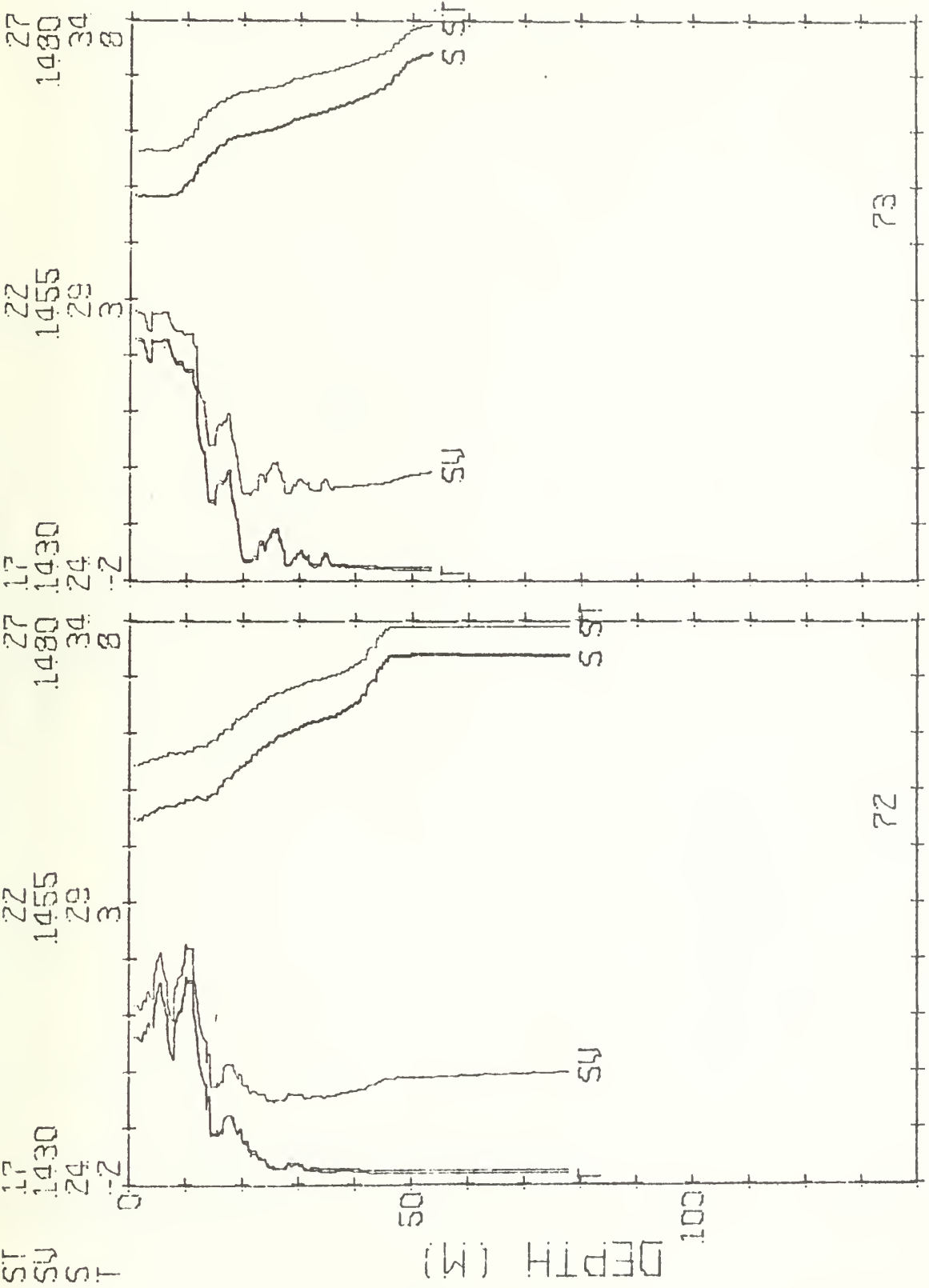
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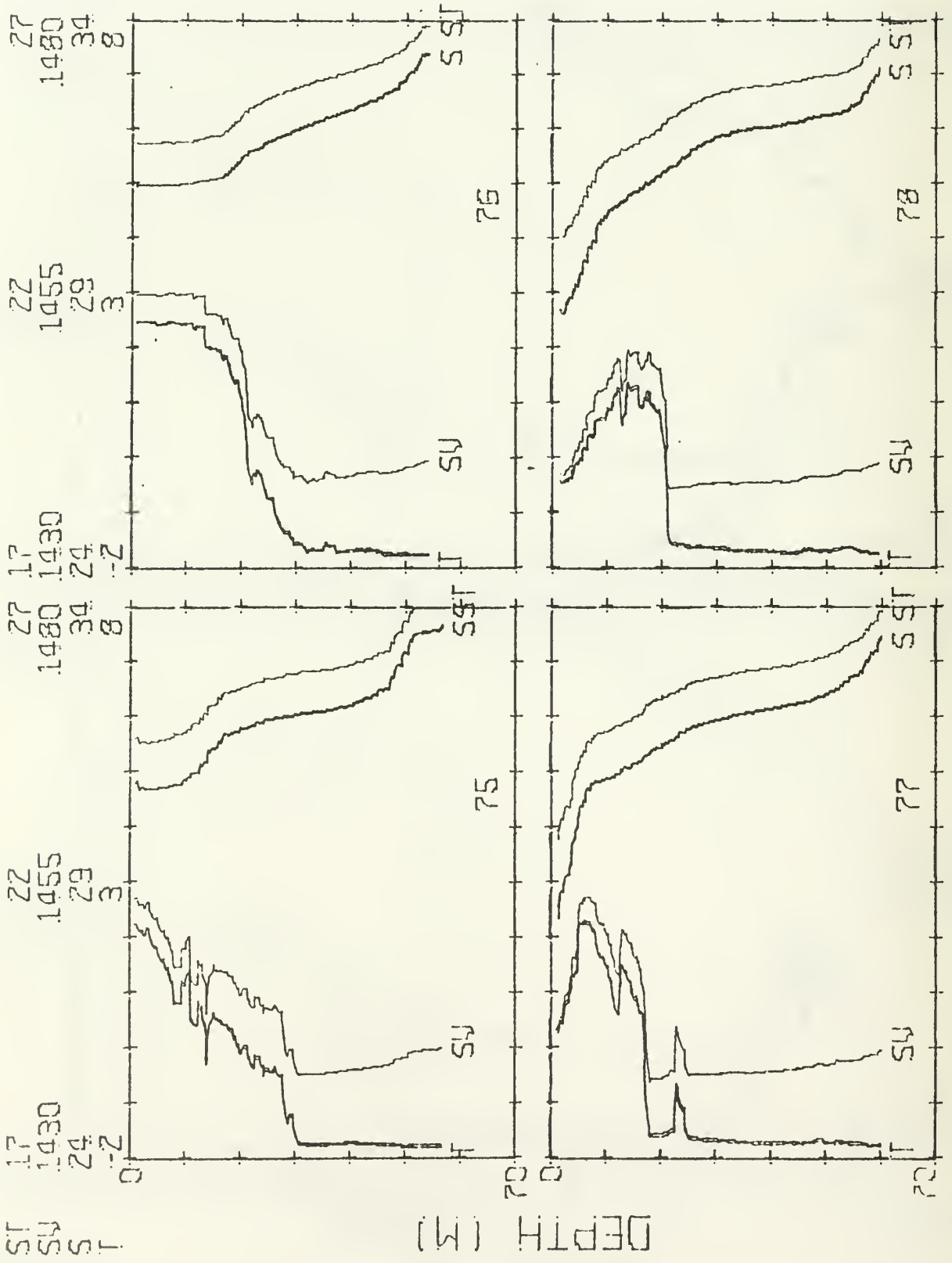
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P.P.T.  
DEG C



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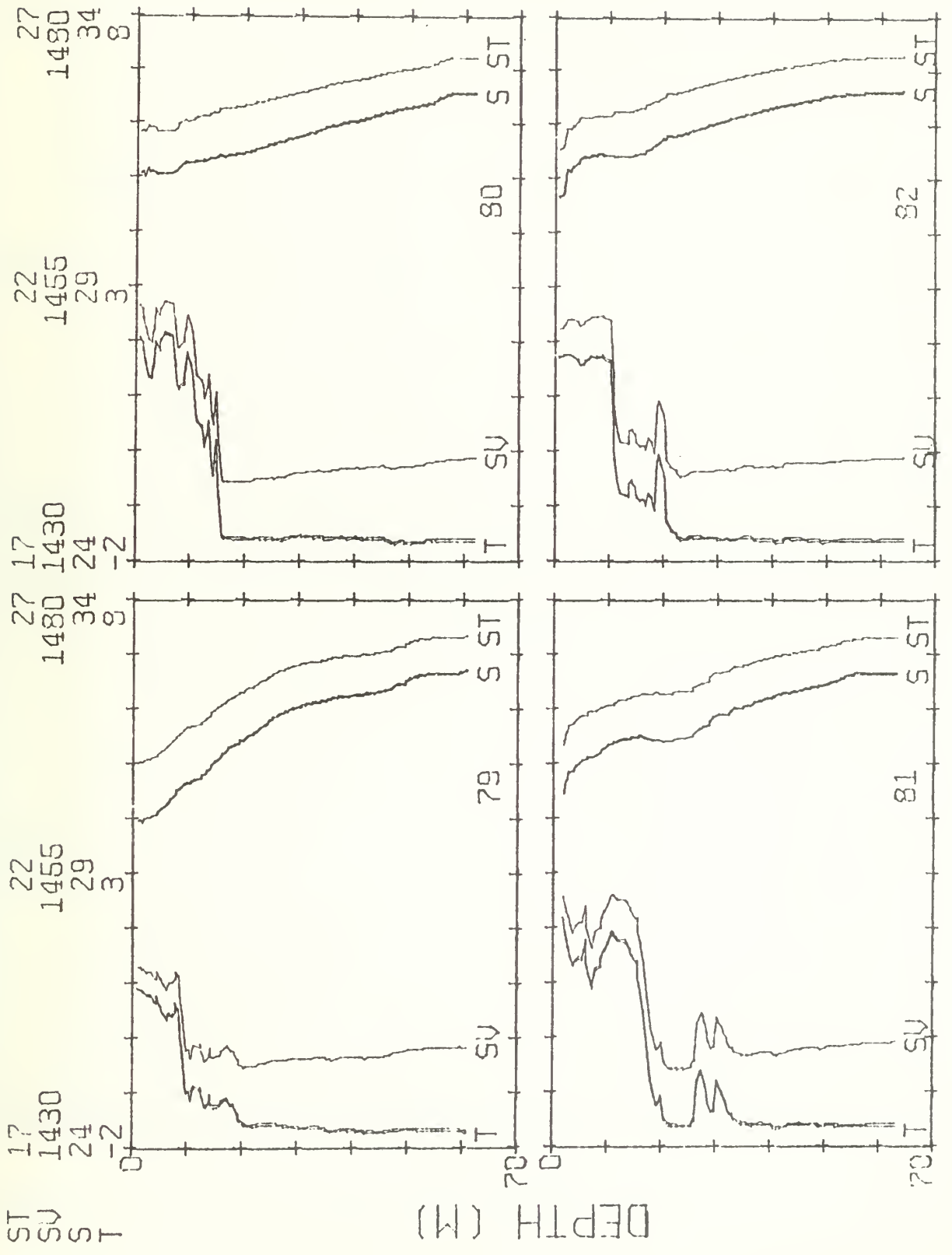
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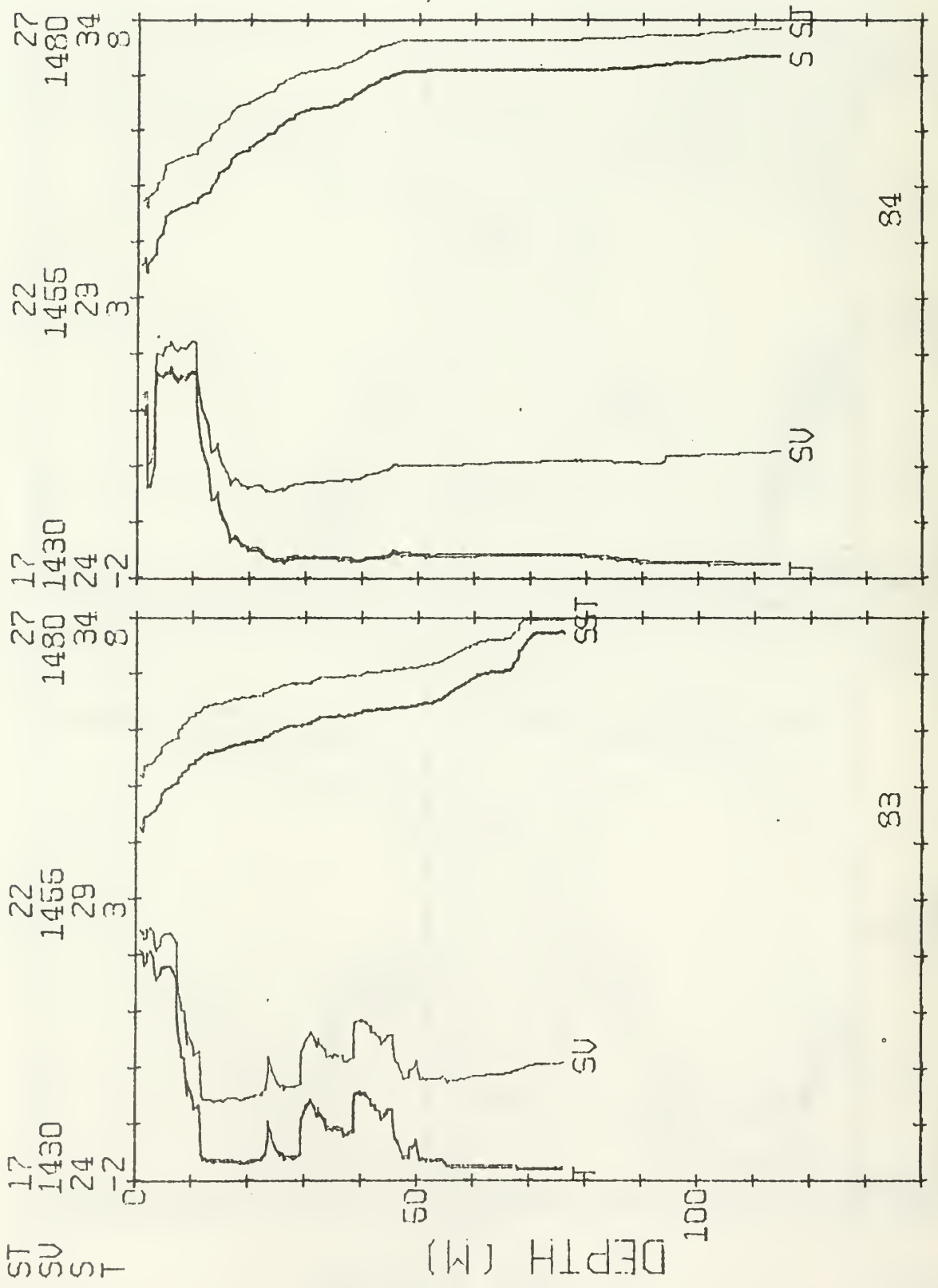
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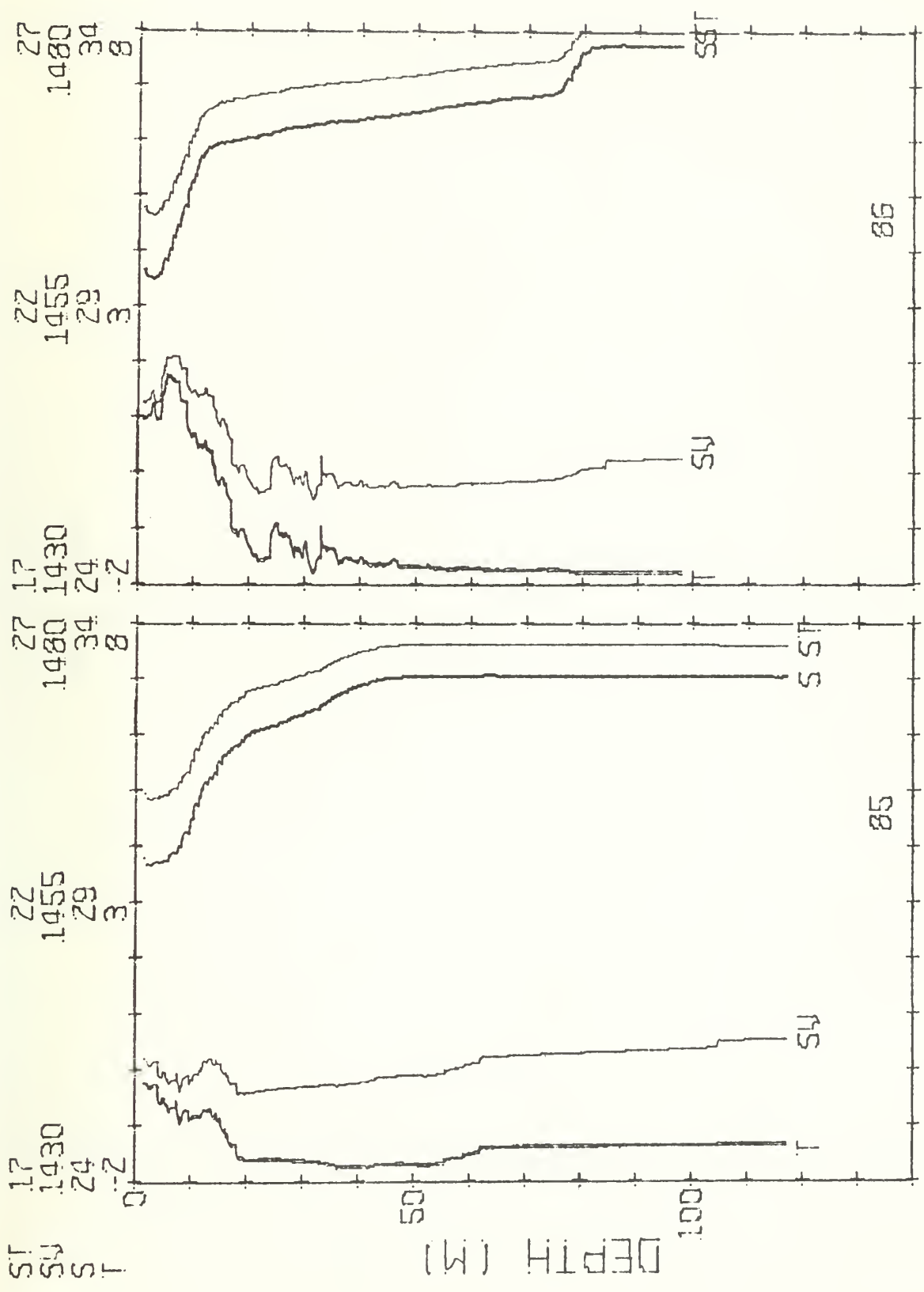
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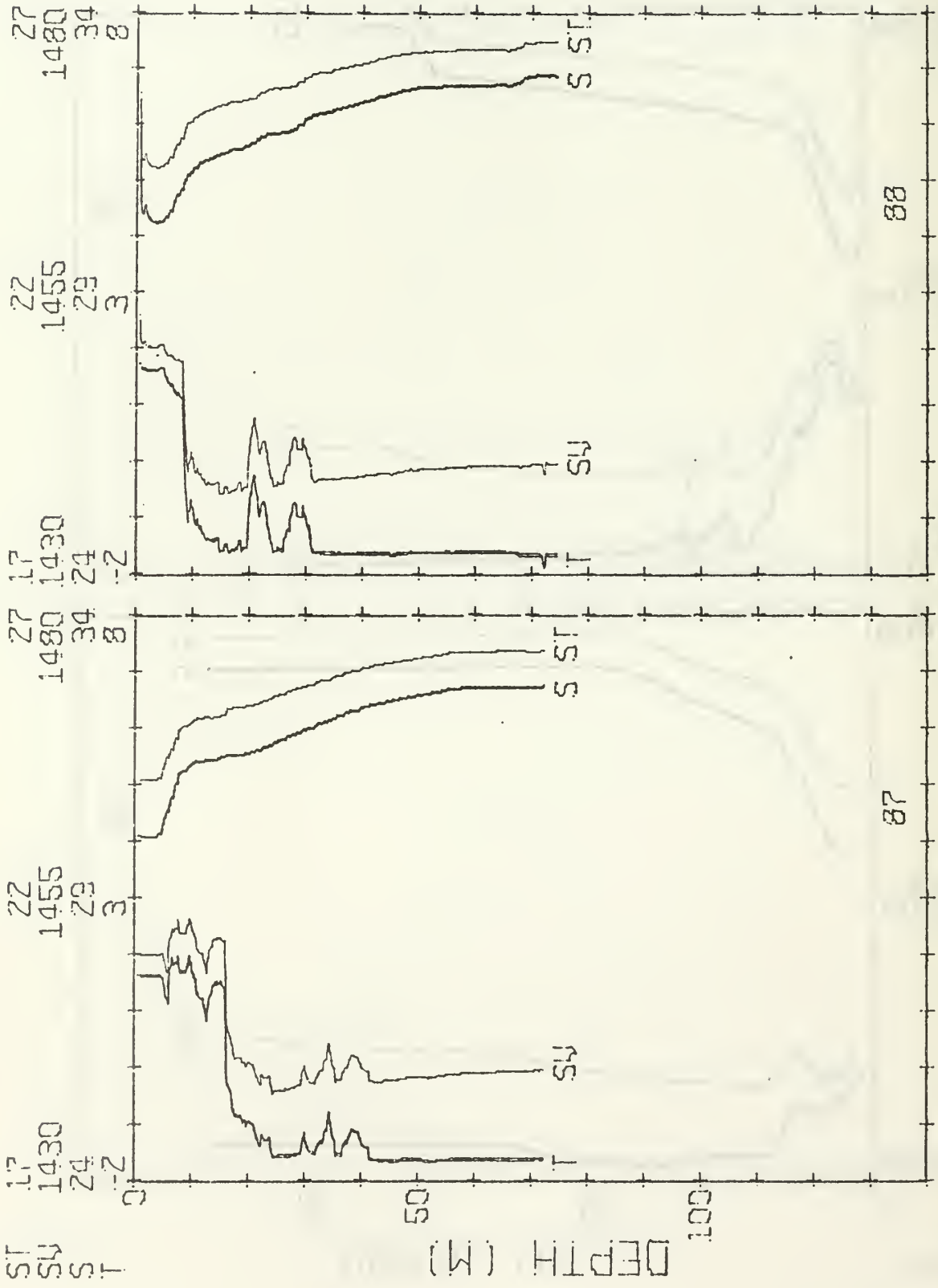
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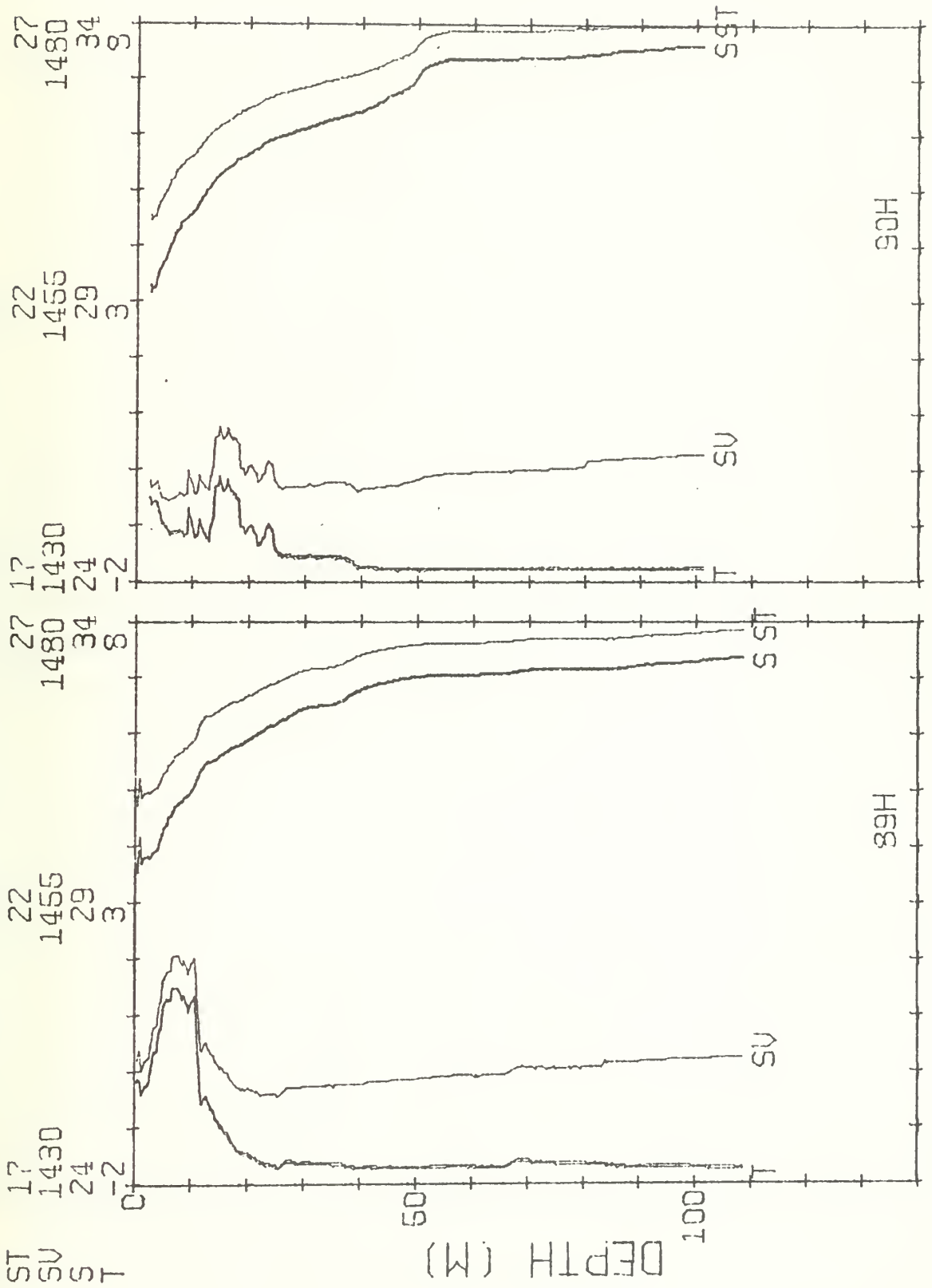
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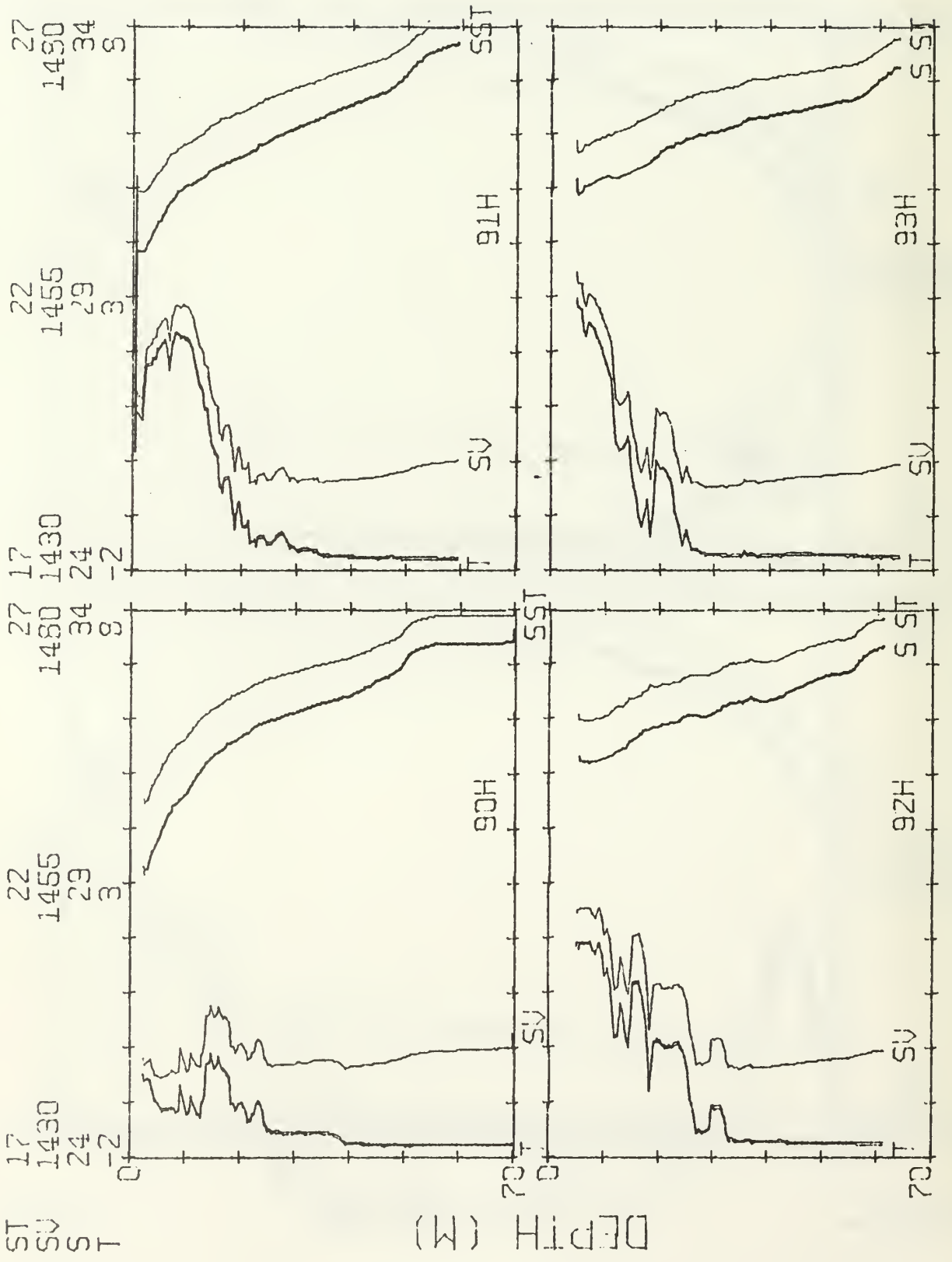
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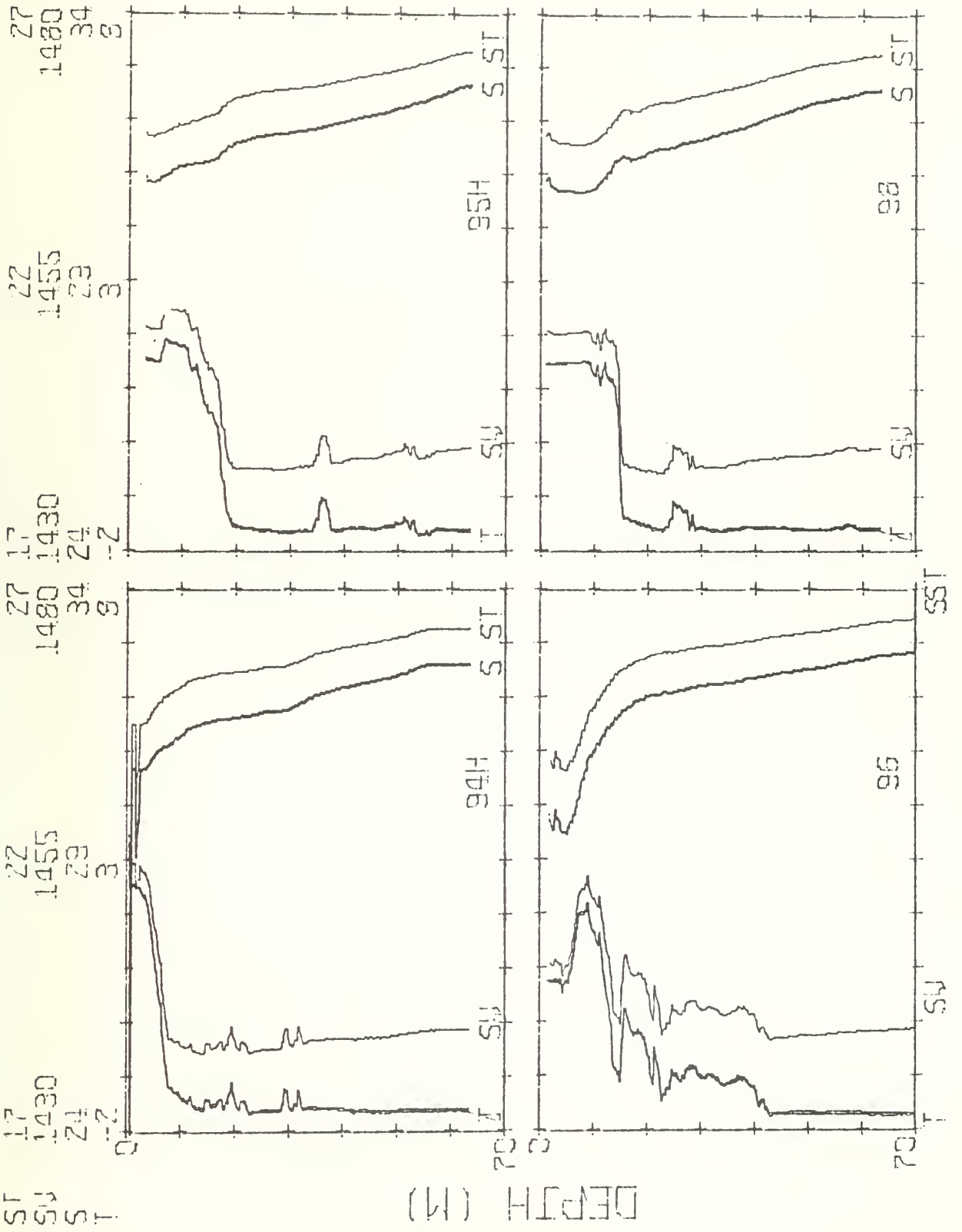
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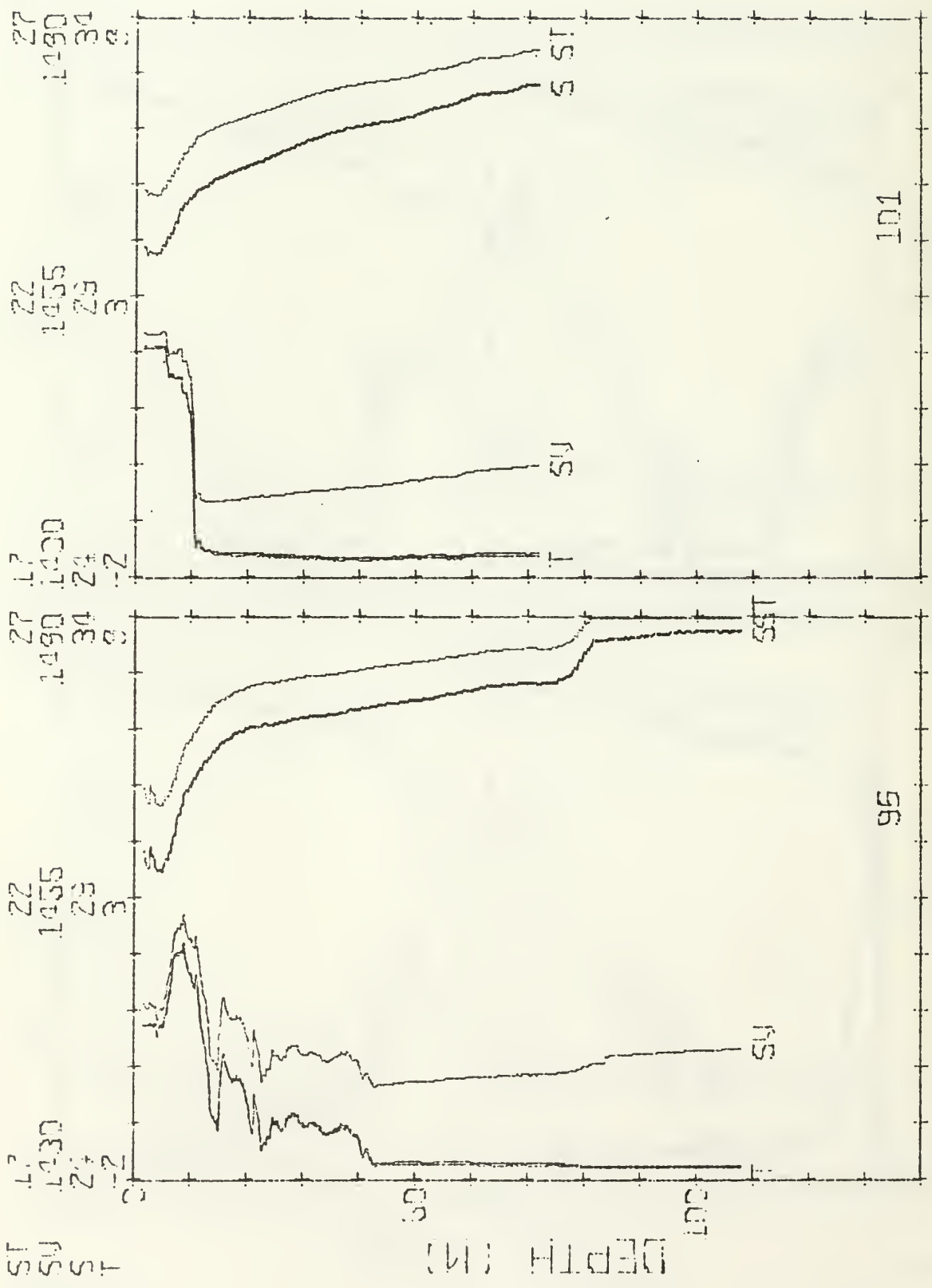
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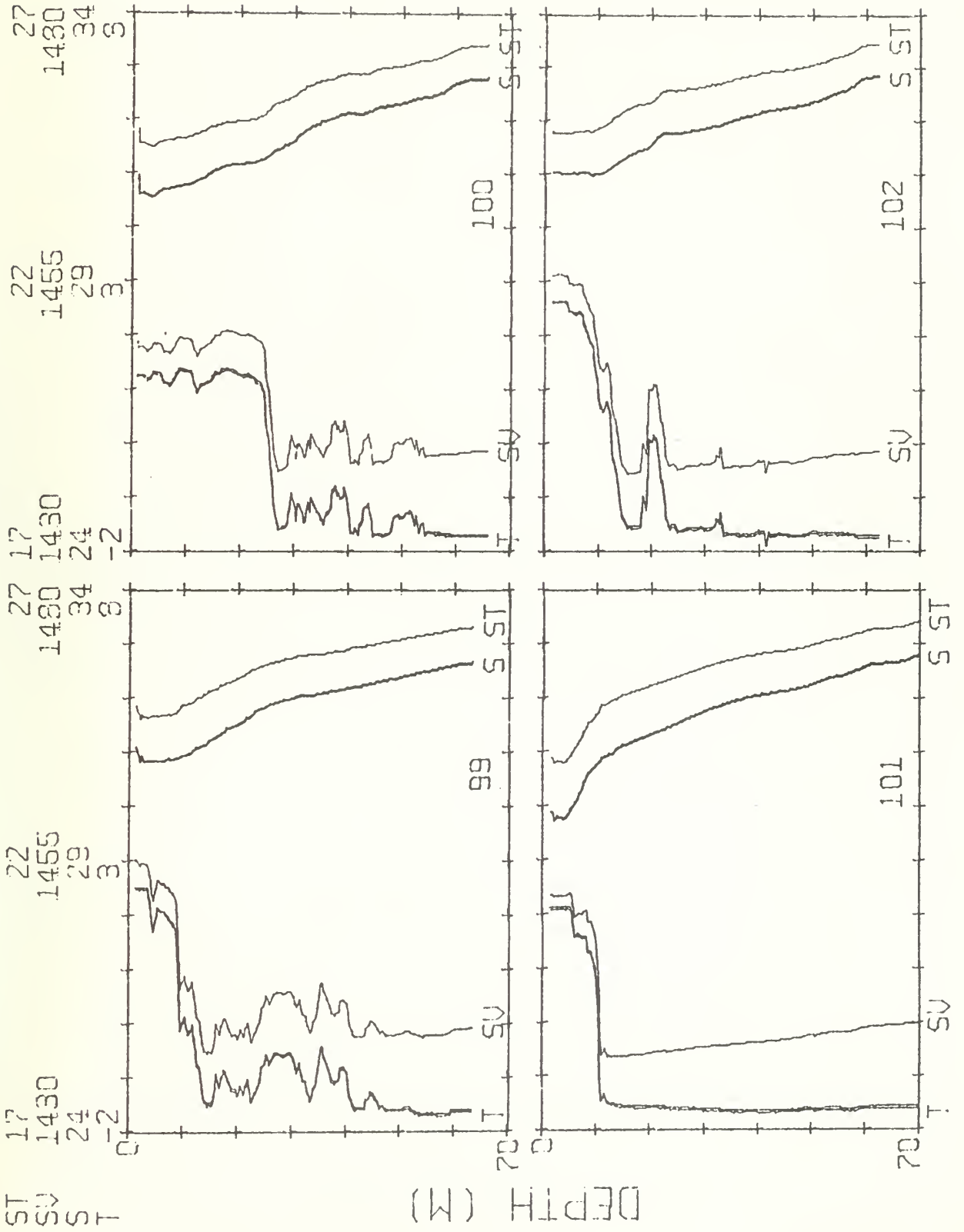
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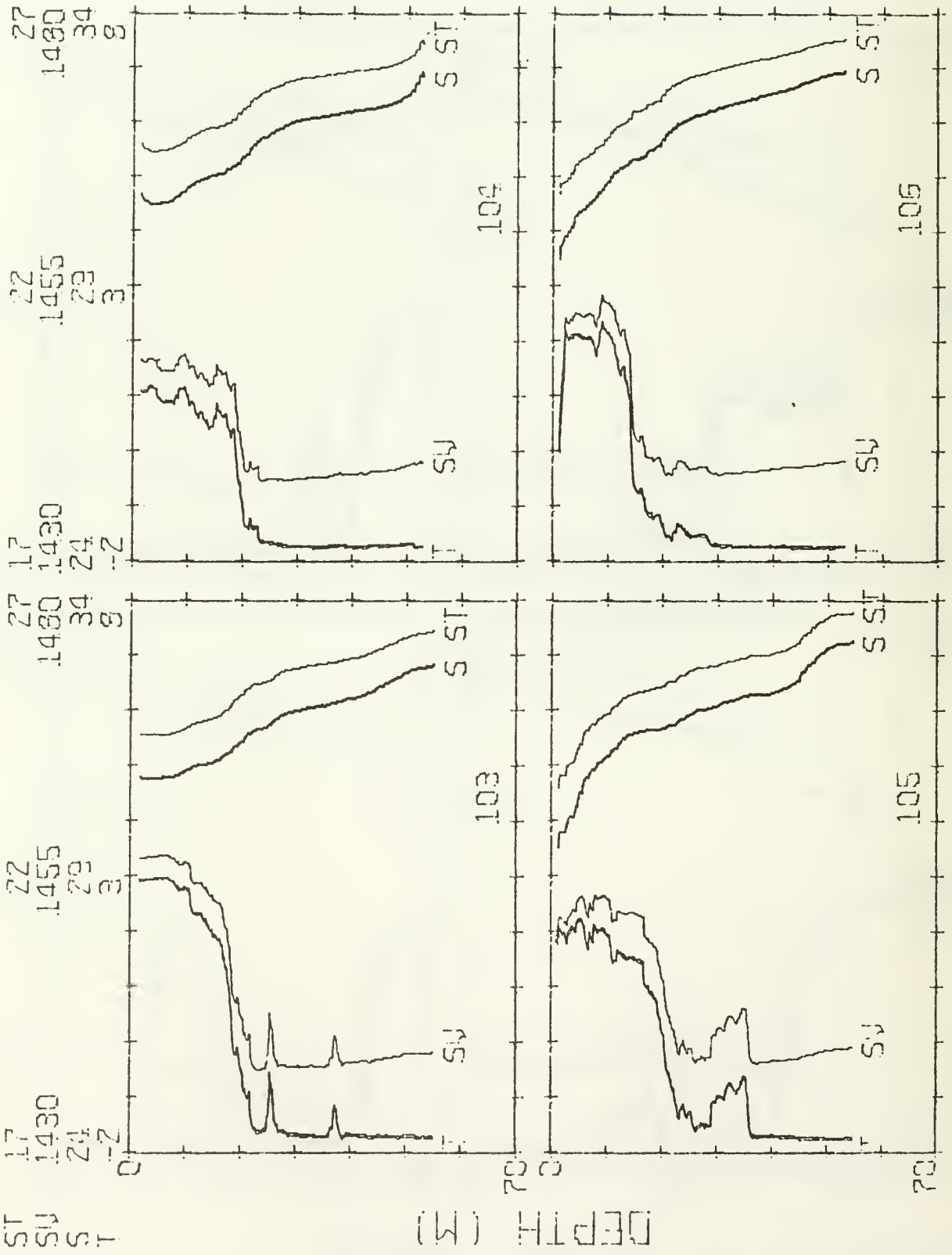
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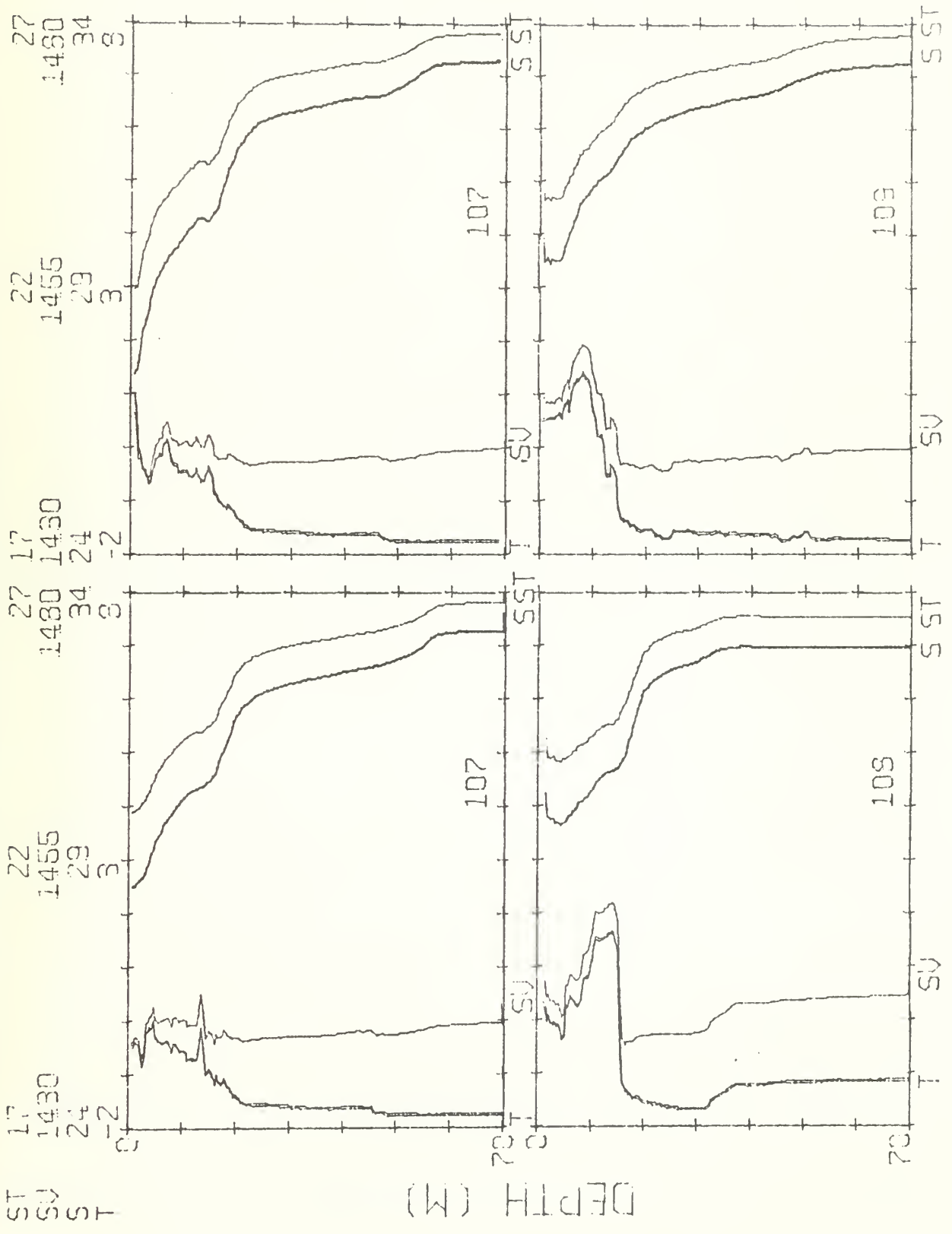
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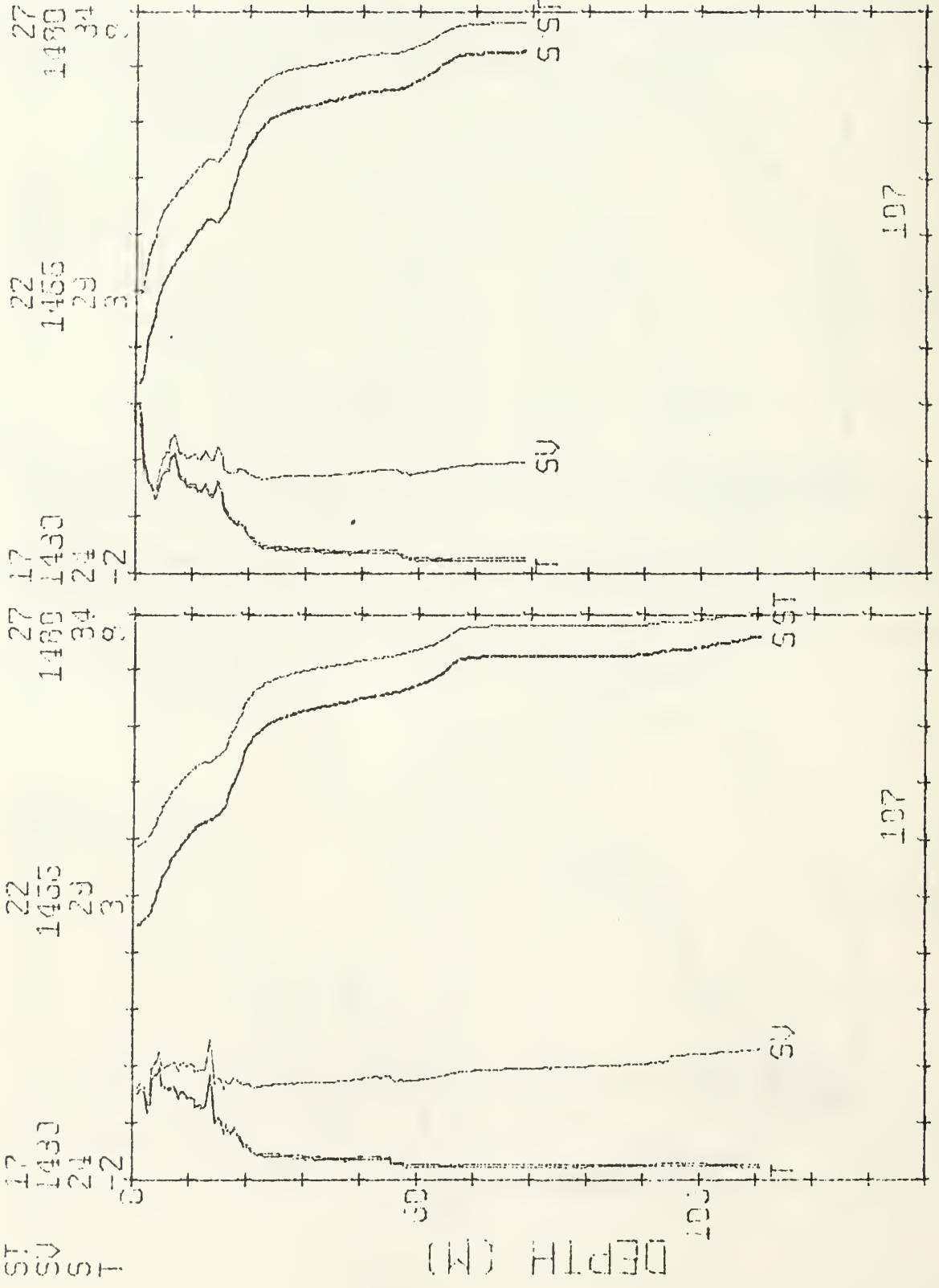
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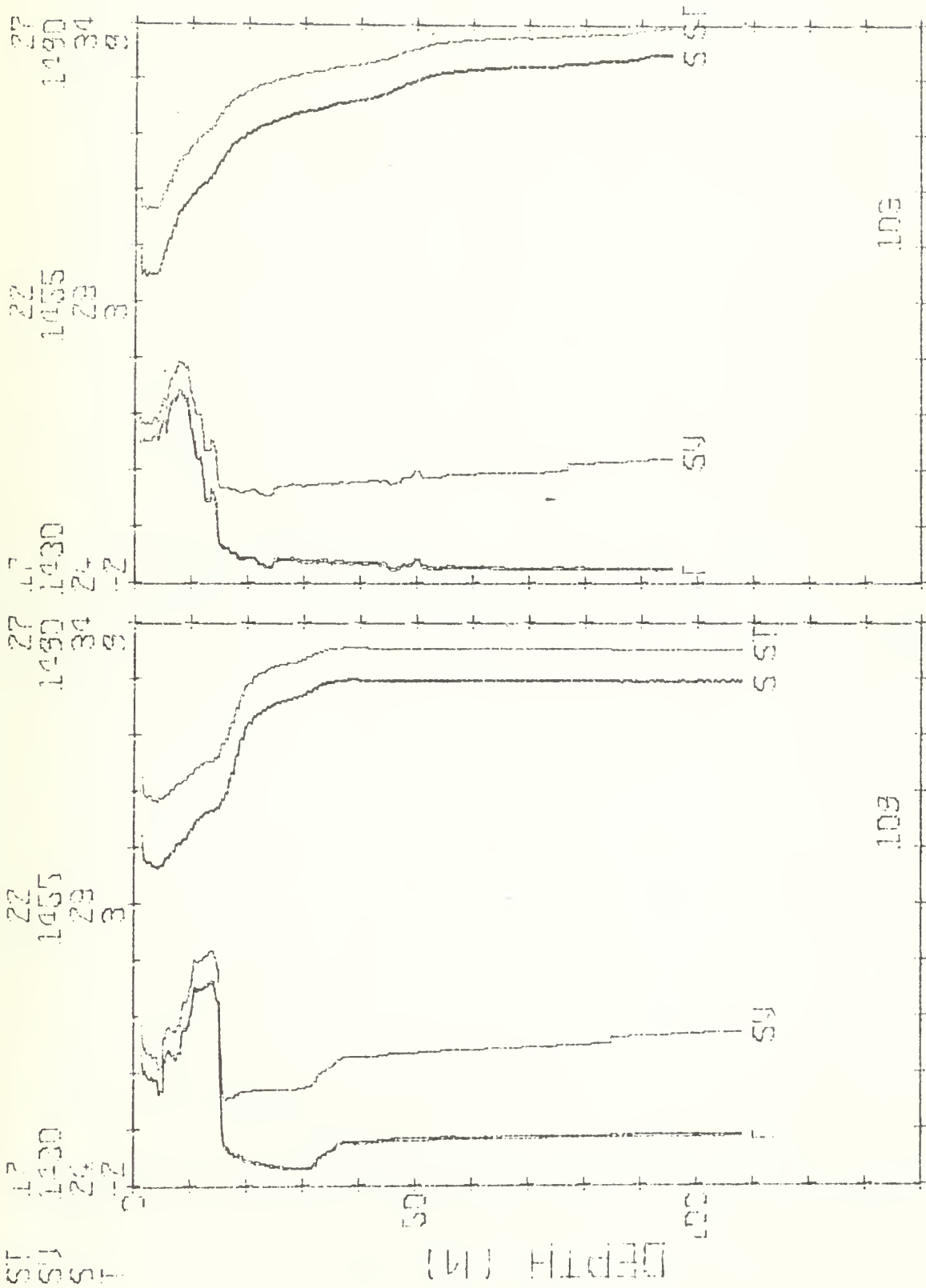
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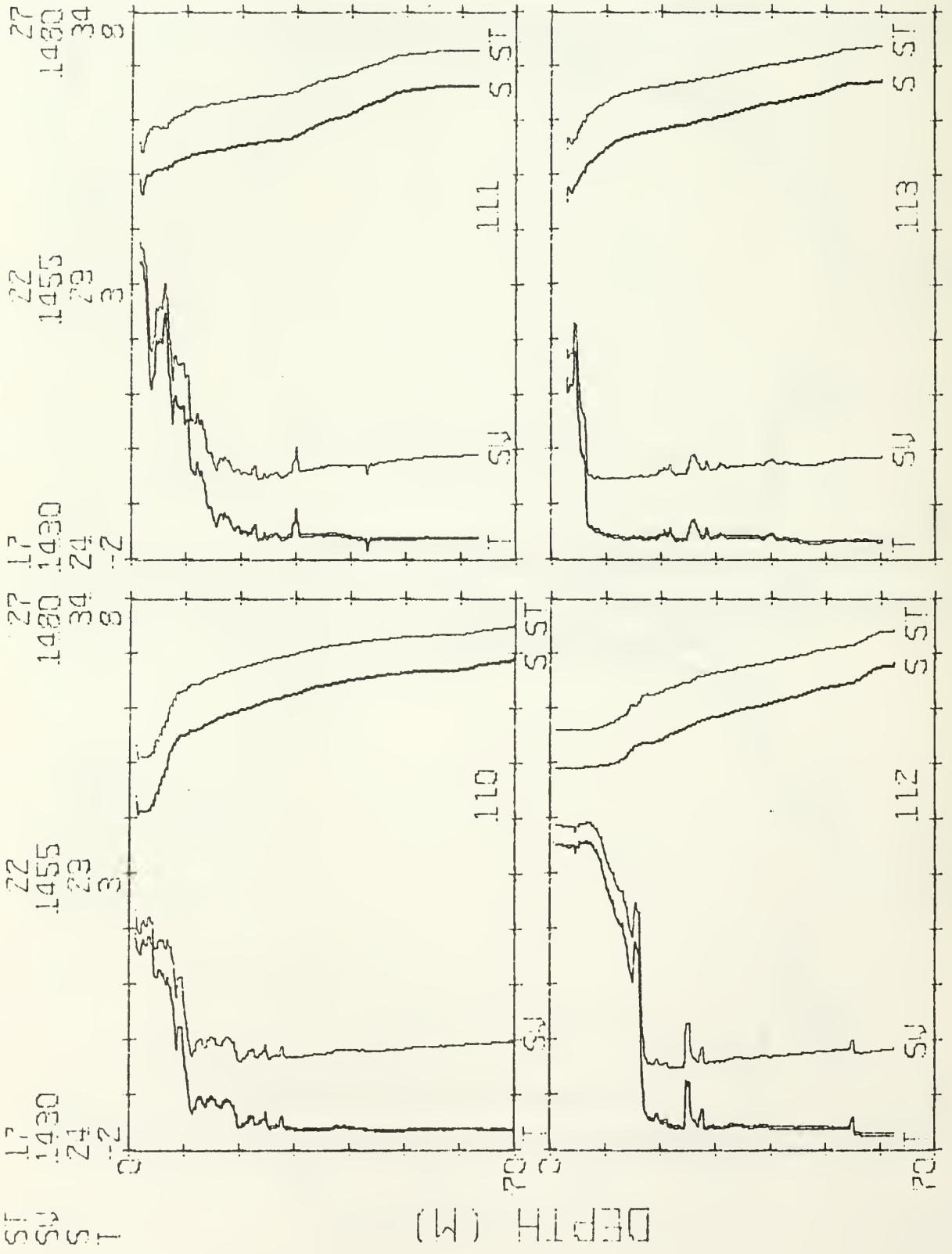
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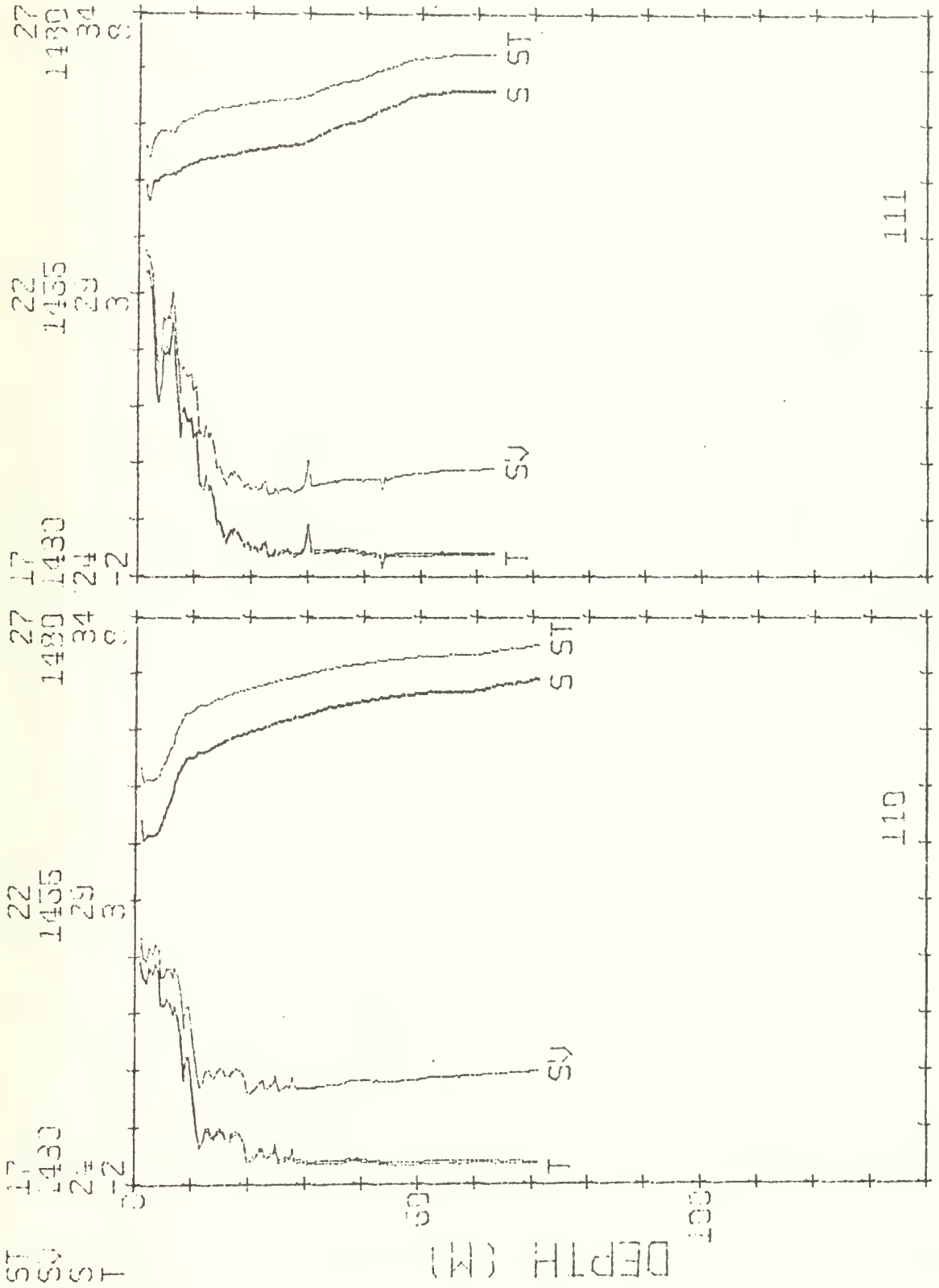
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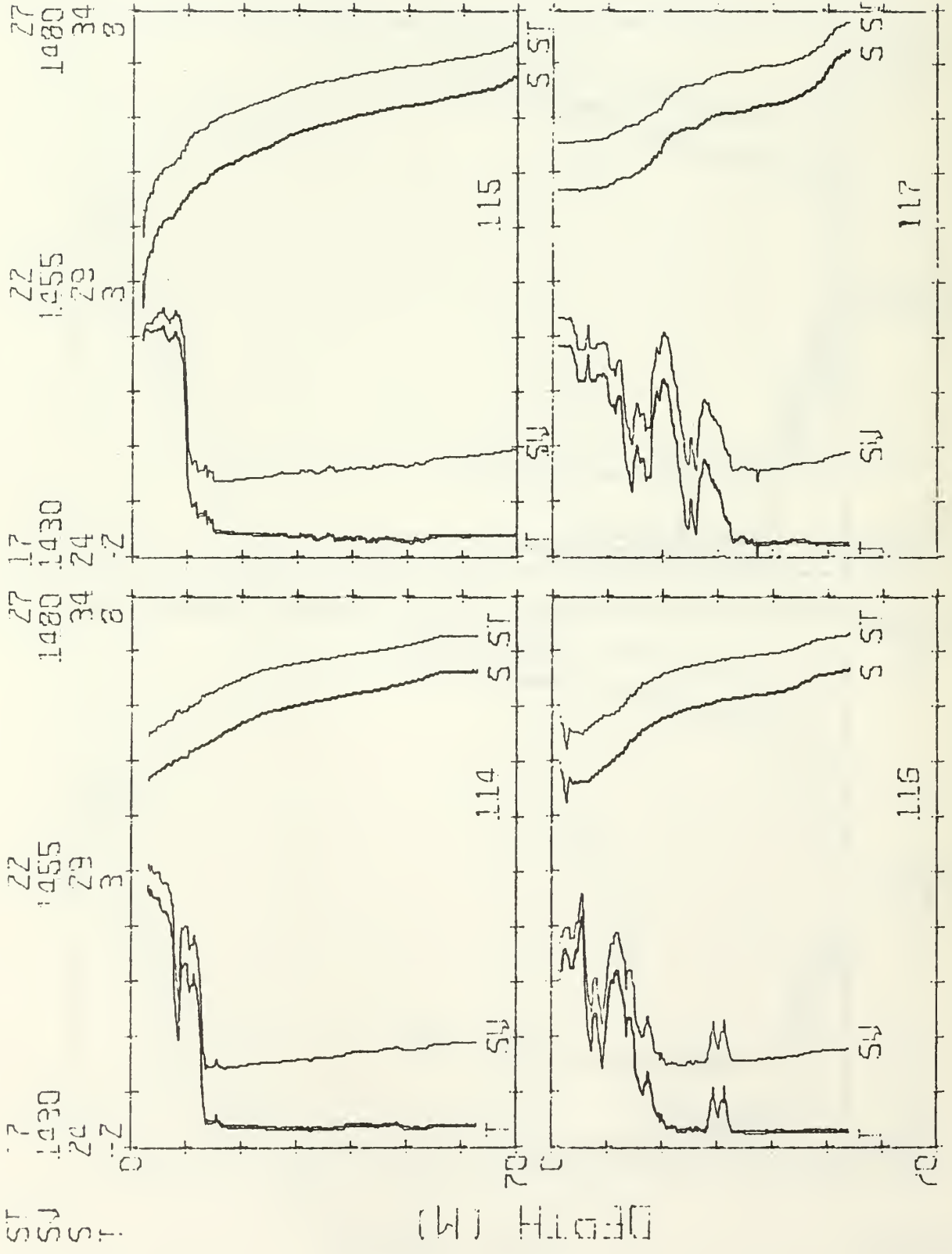
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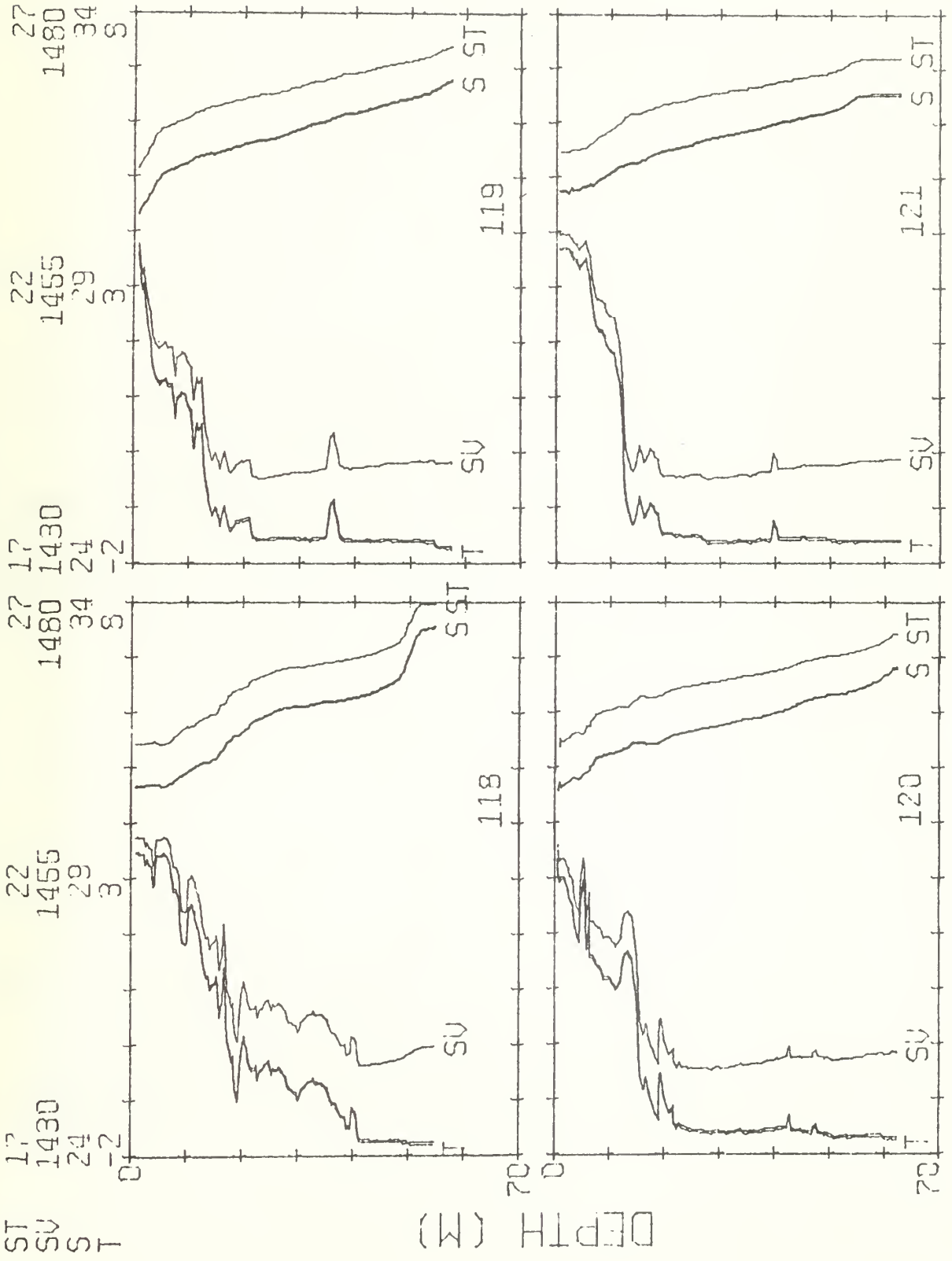
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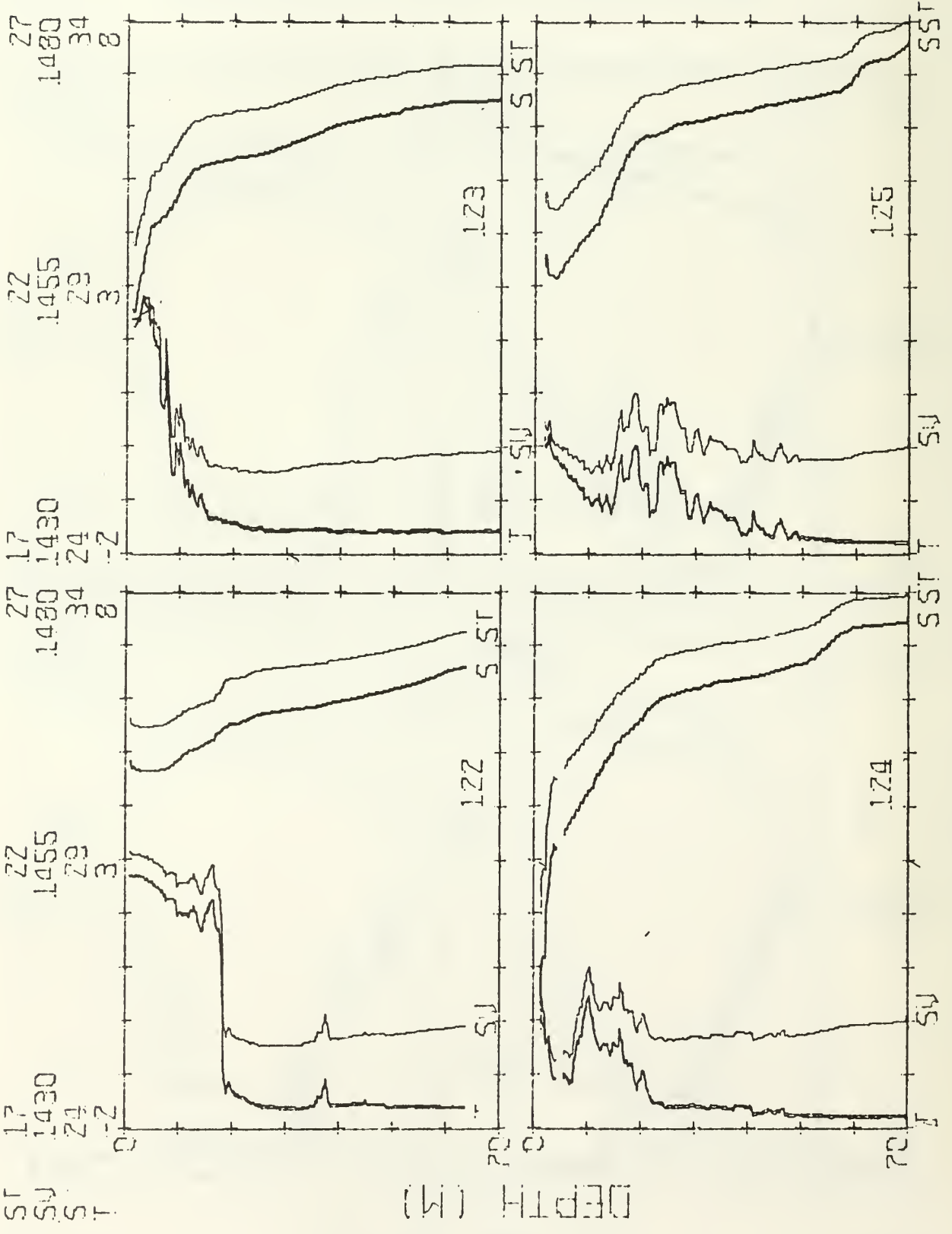
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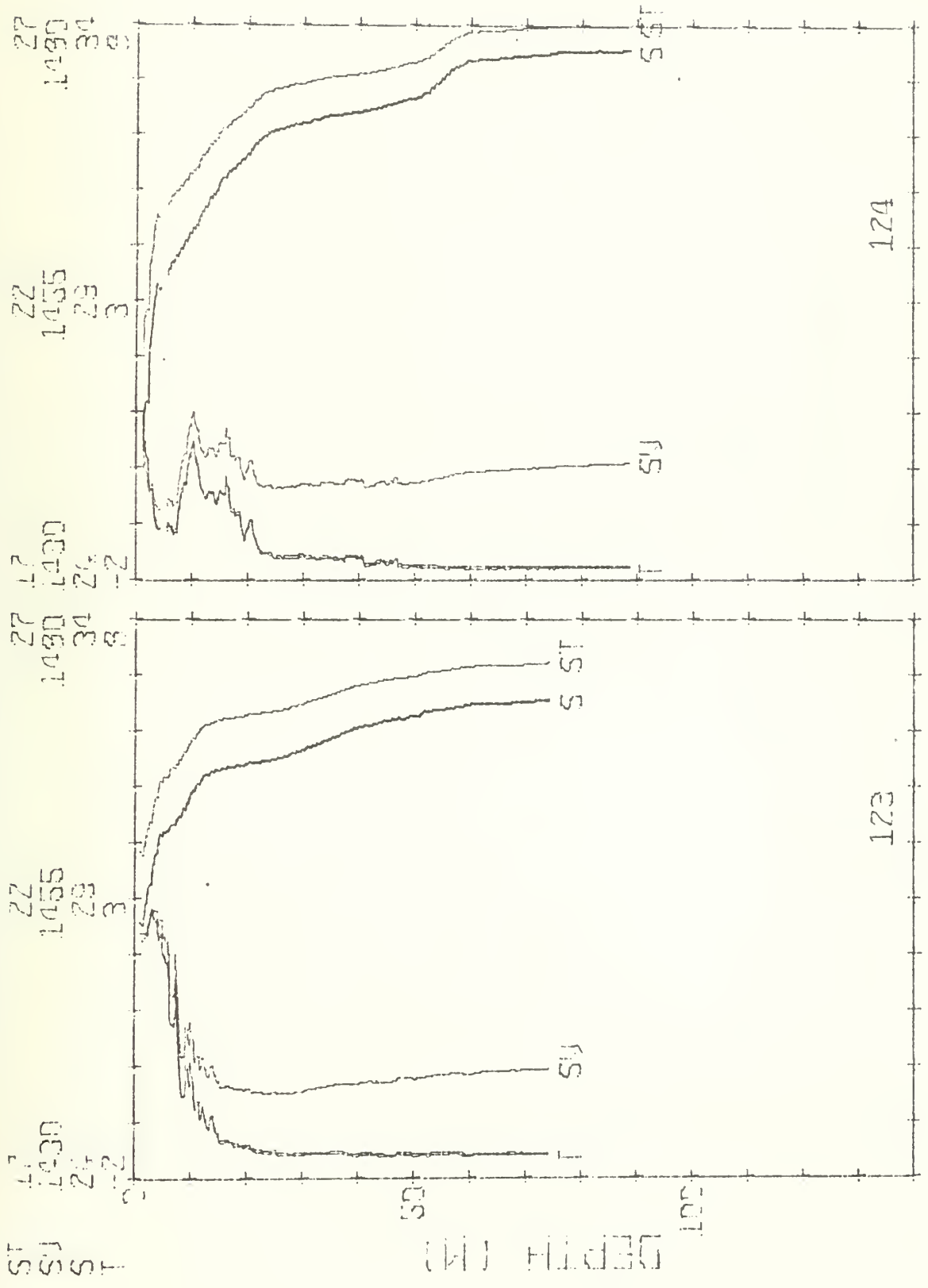
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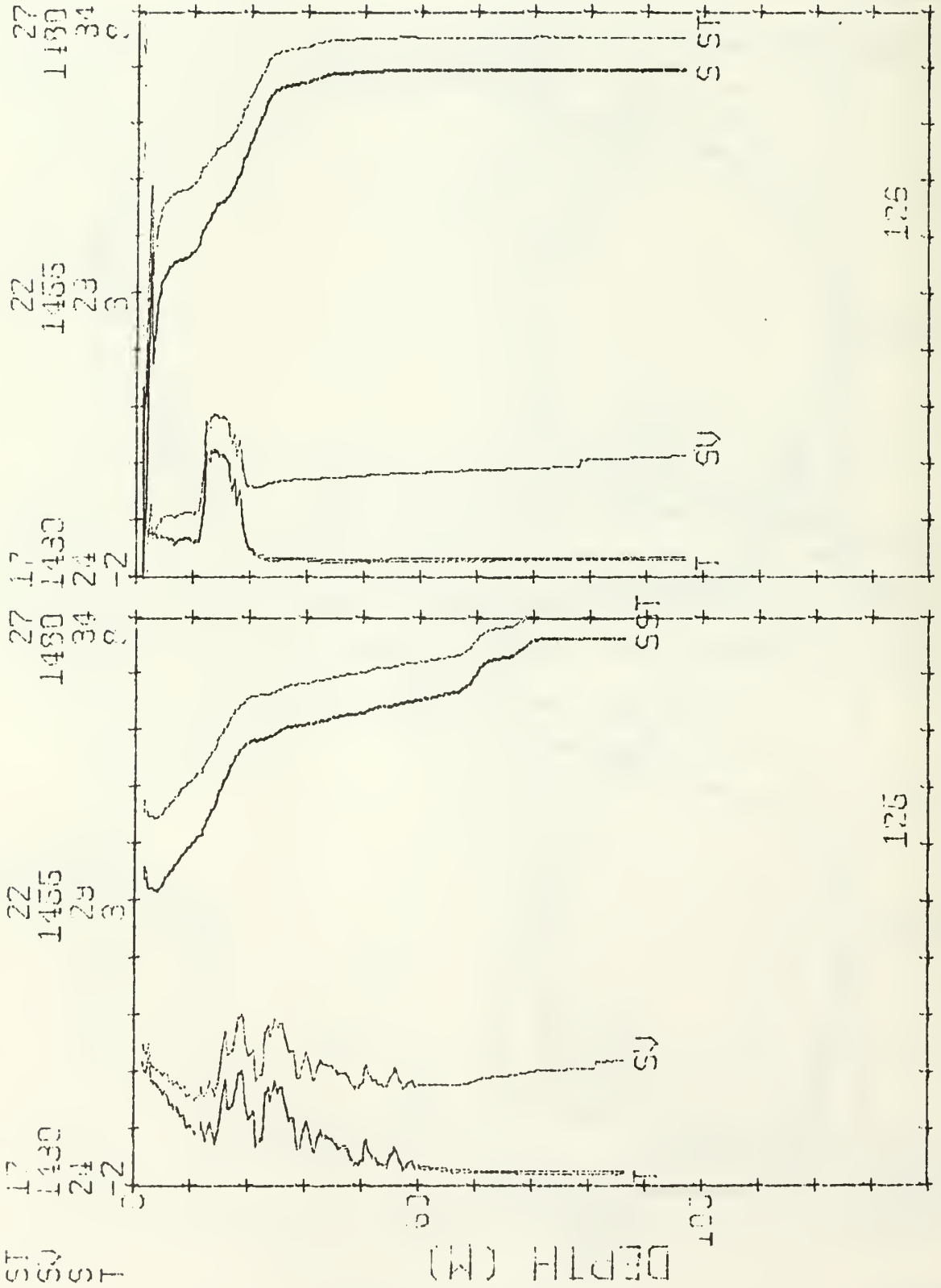
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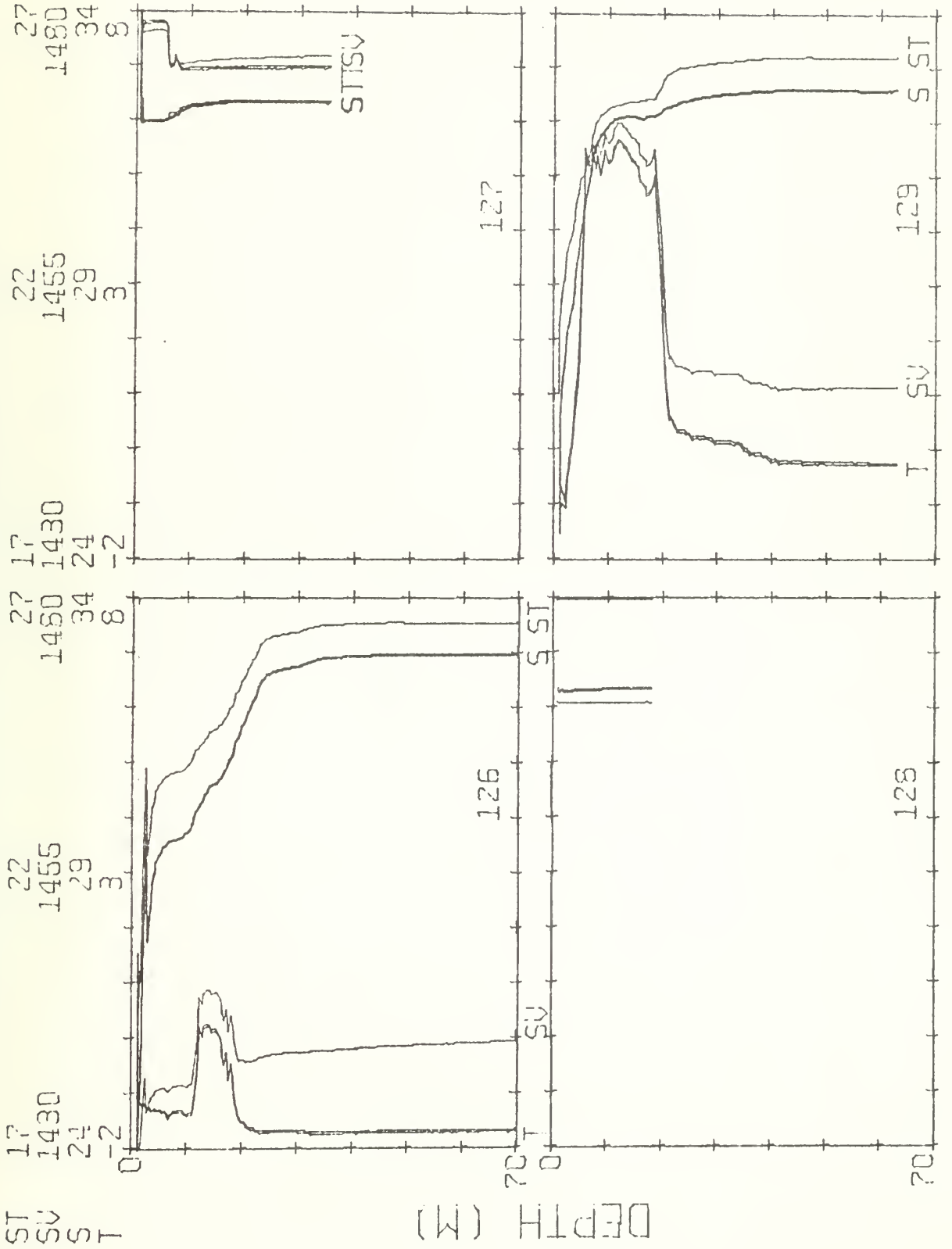
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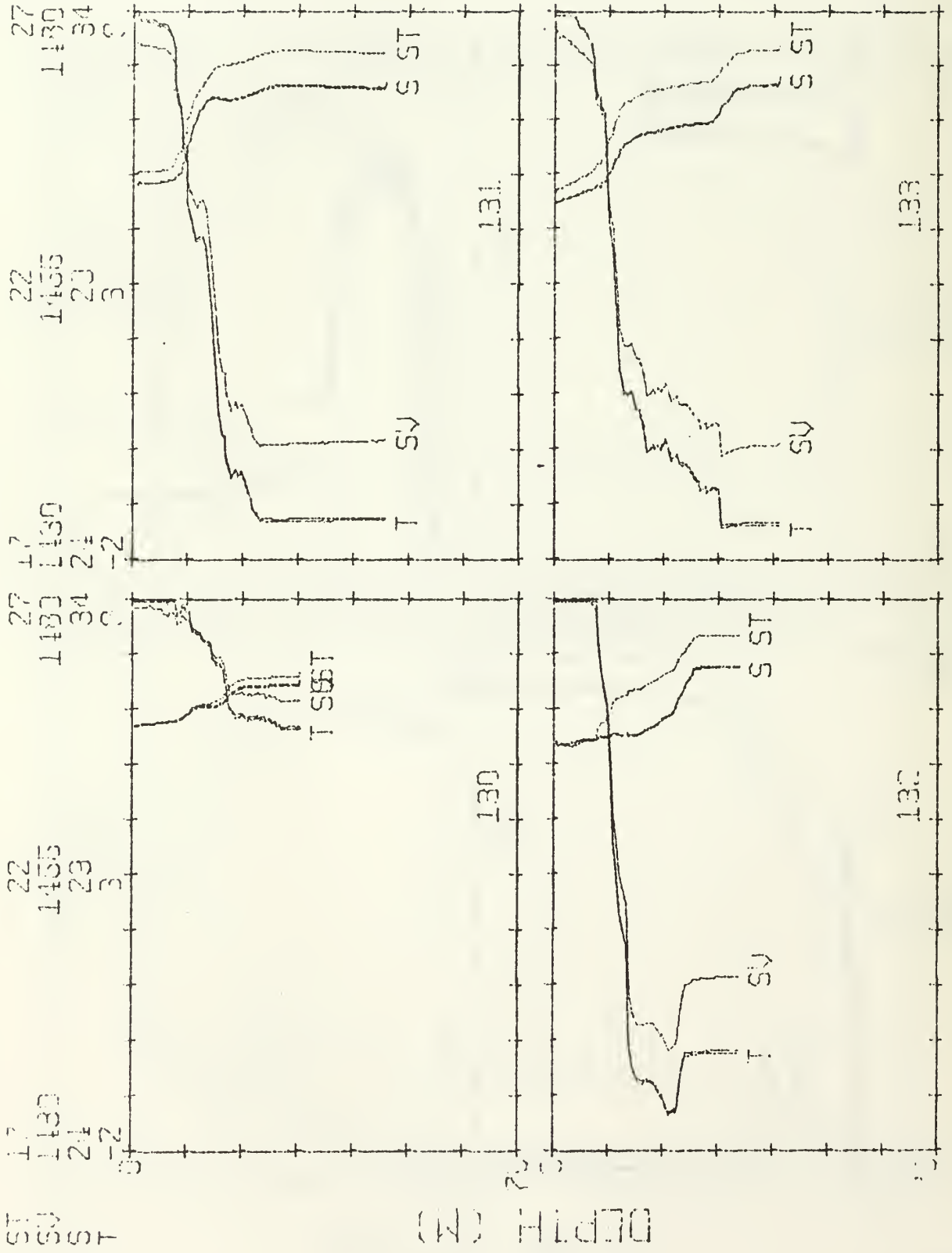
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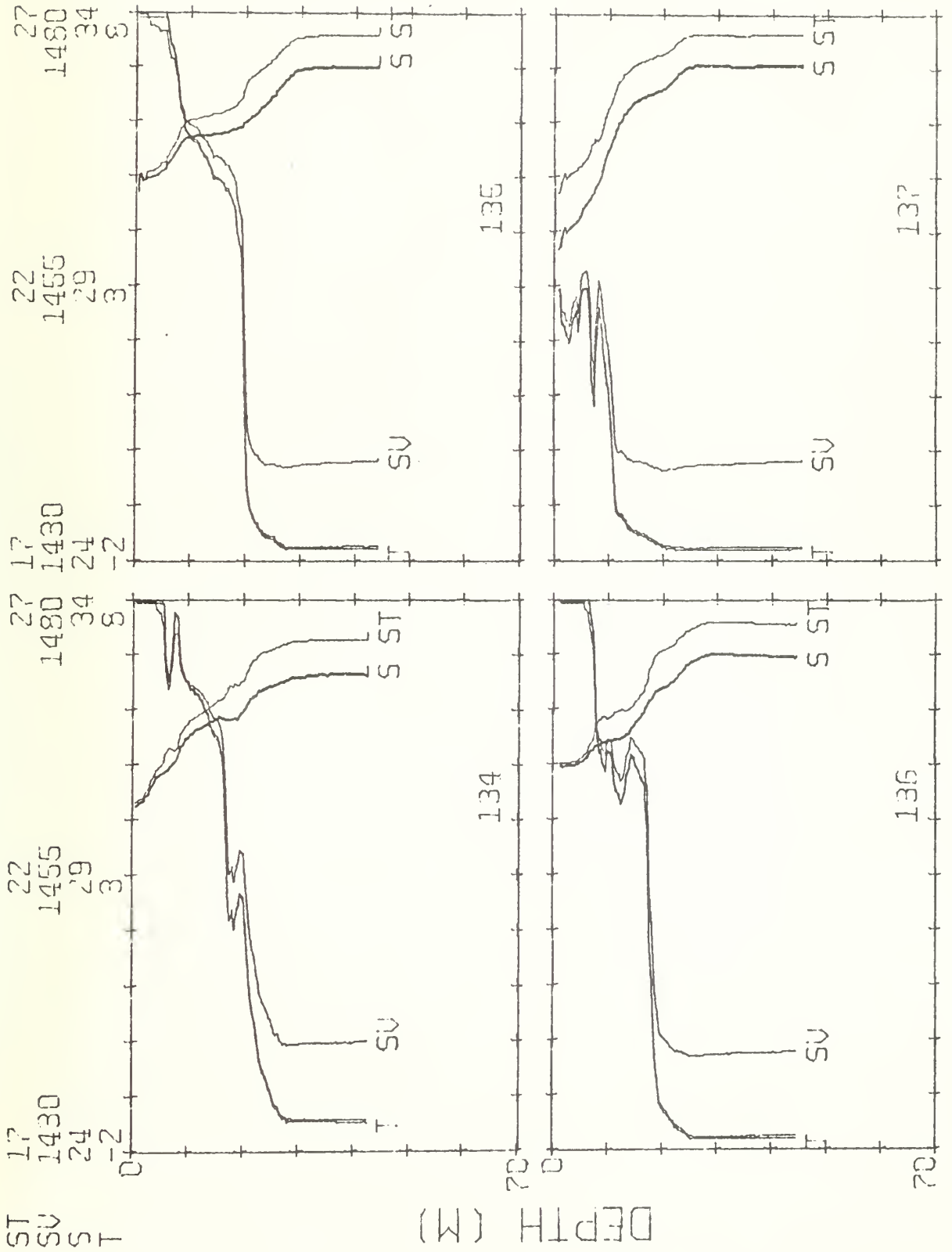
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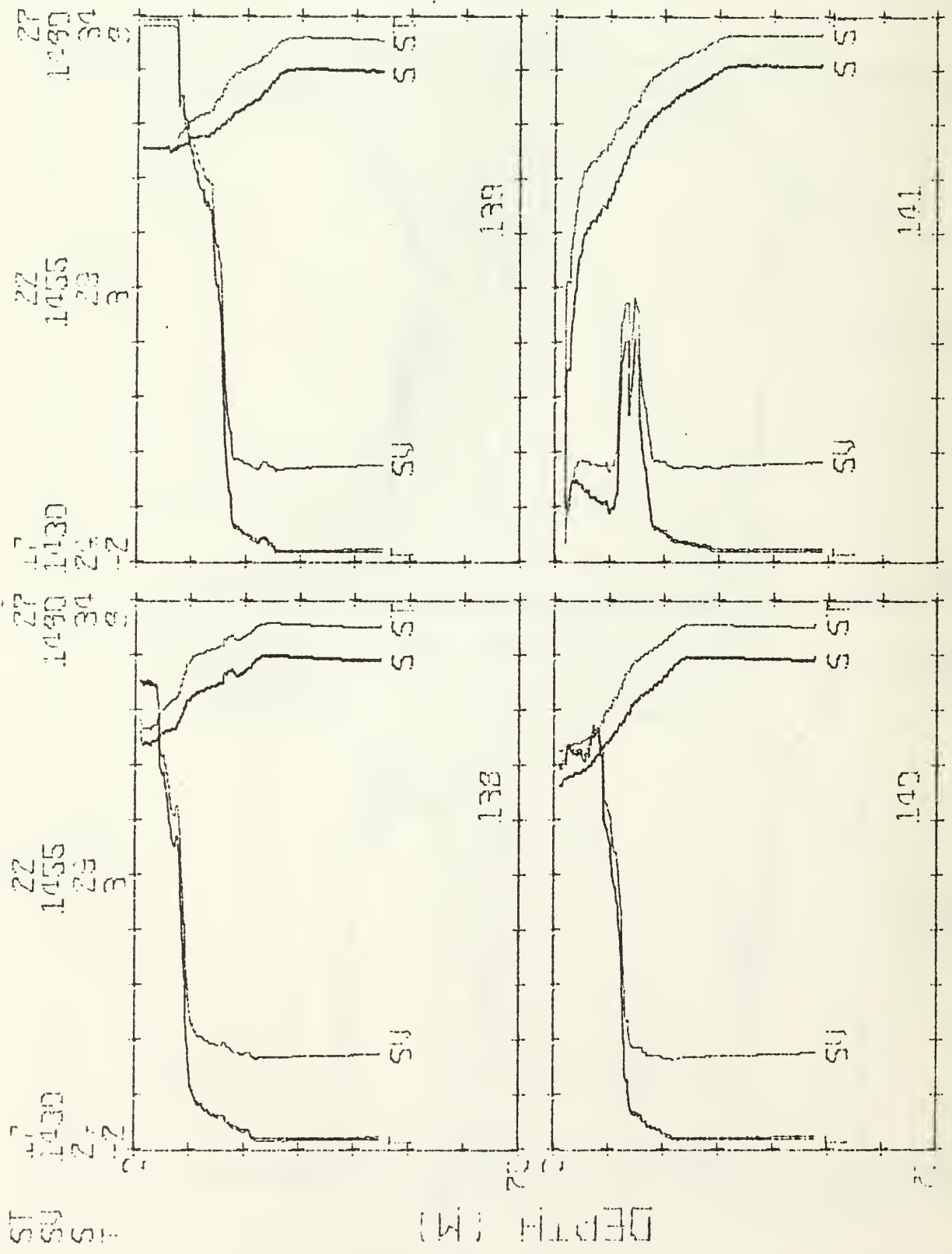
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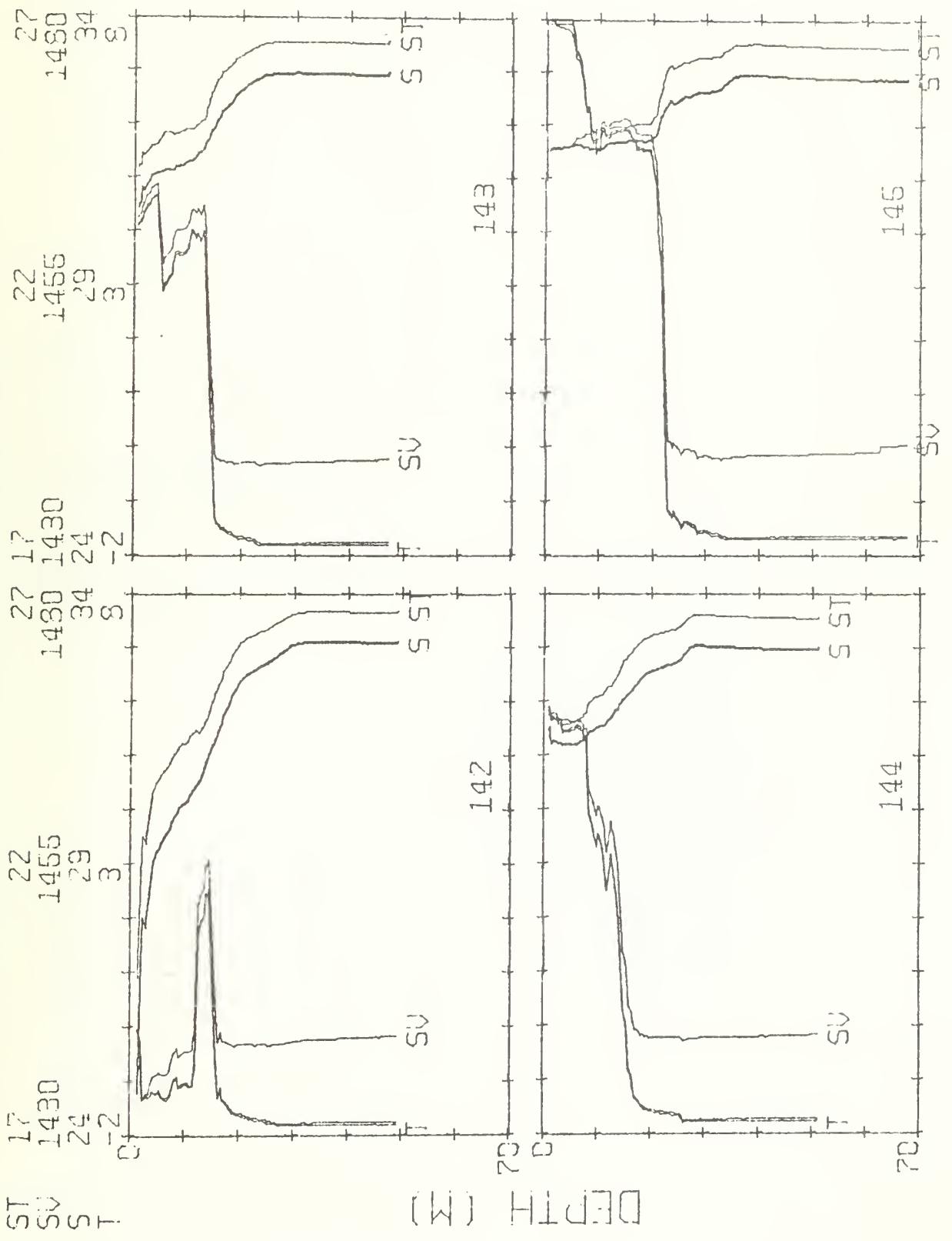
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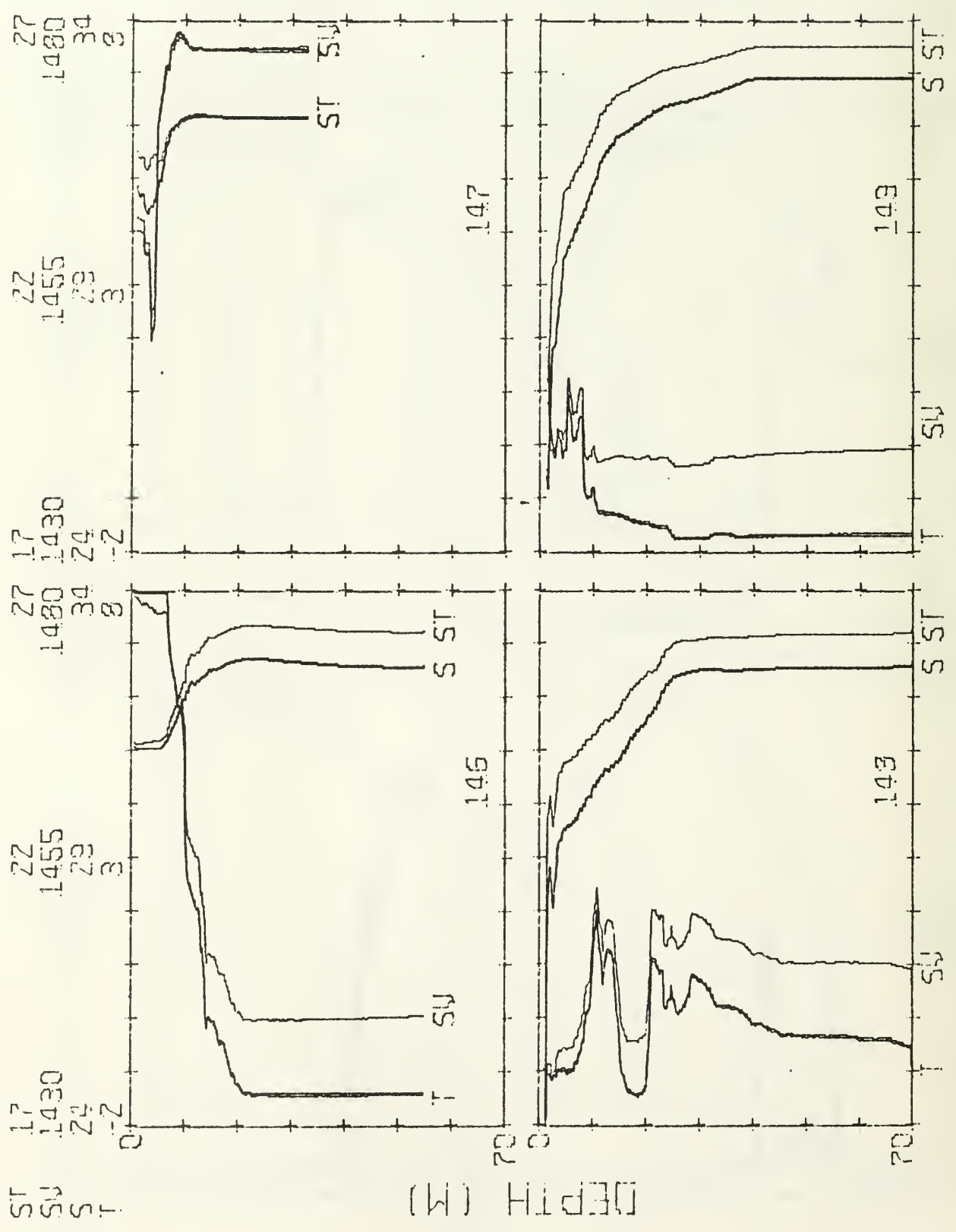
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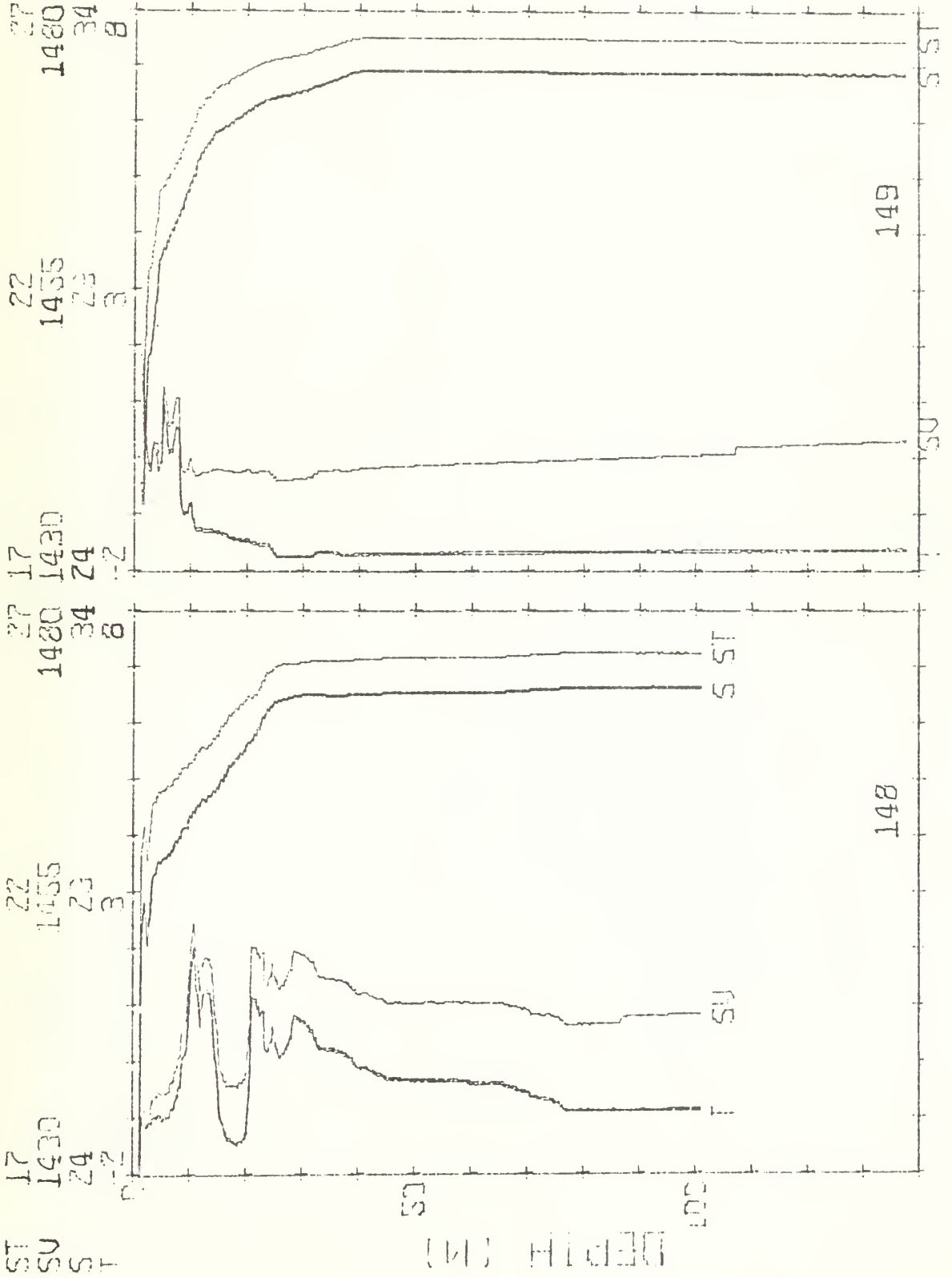
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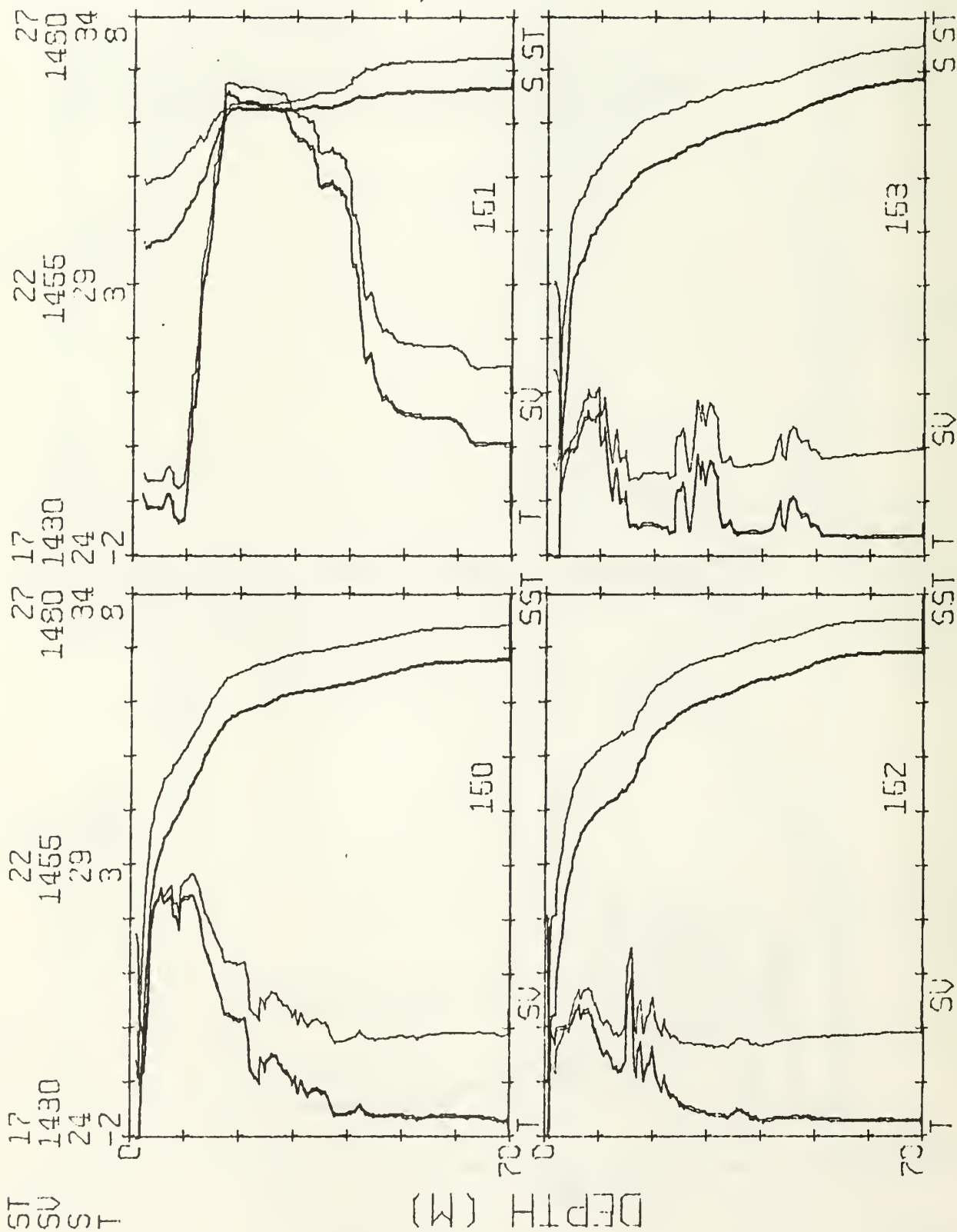
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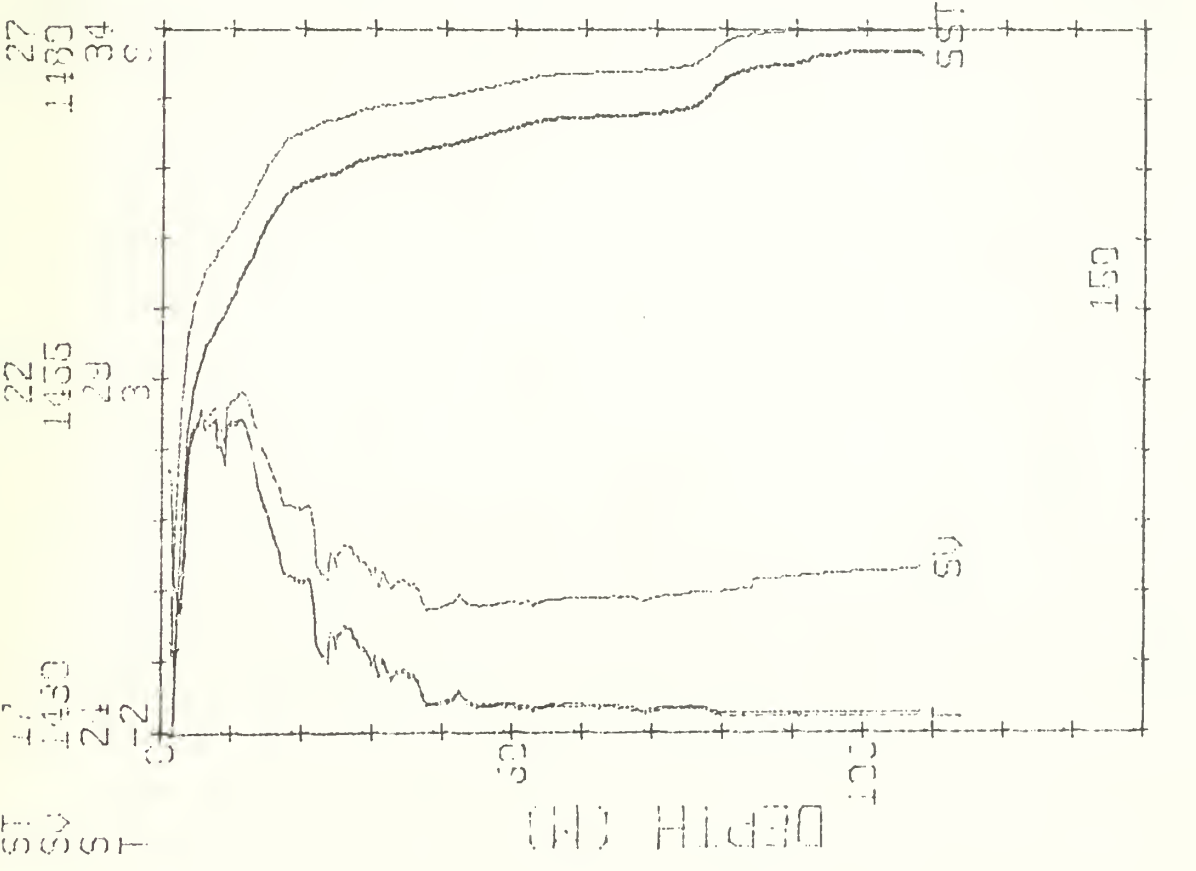
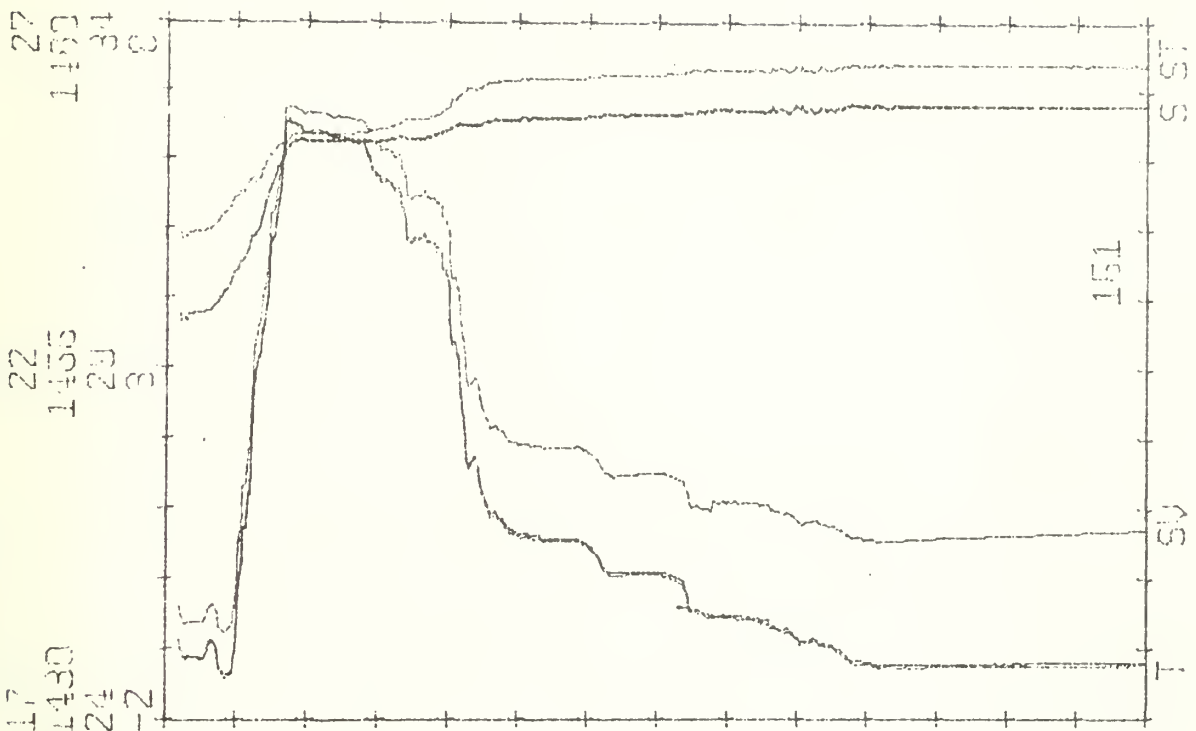
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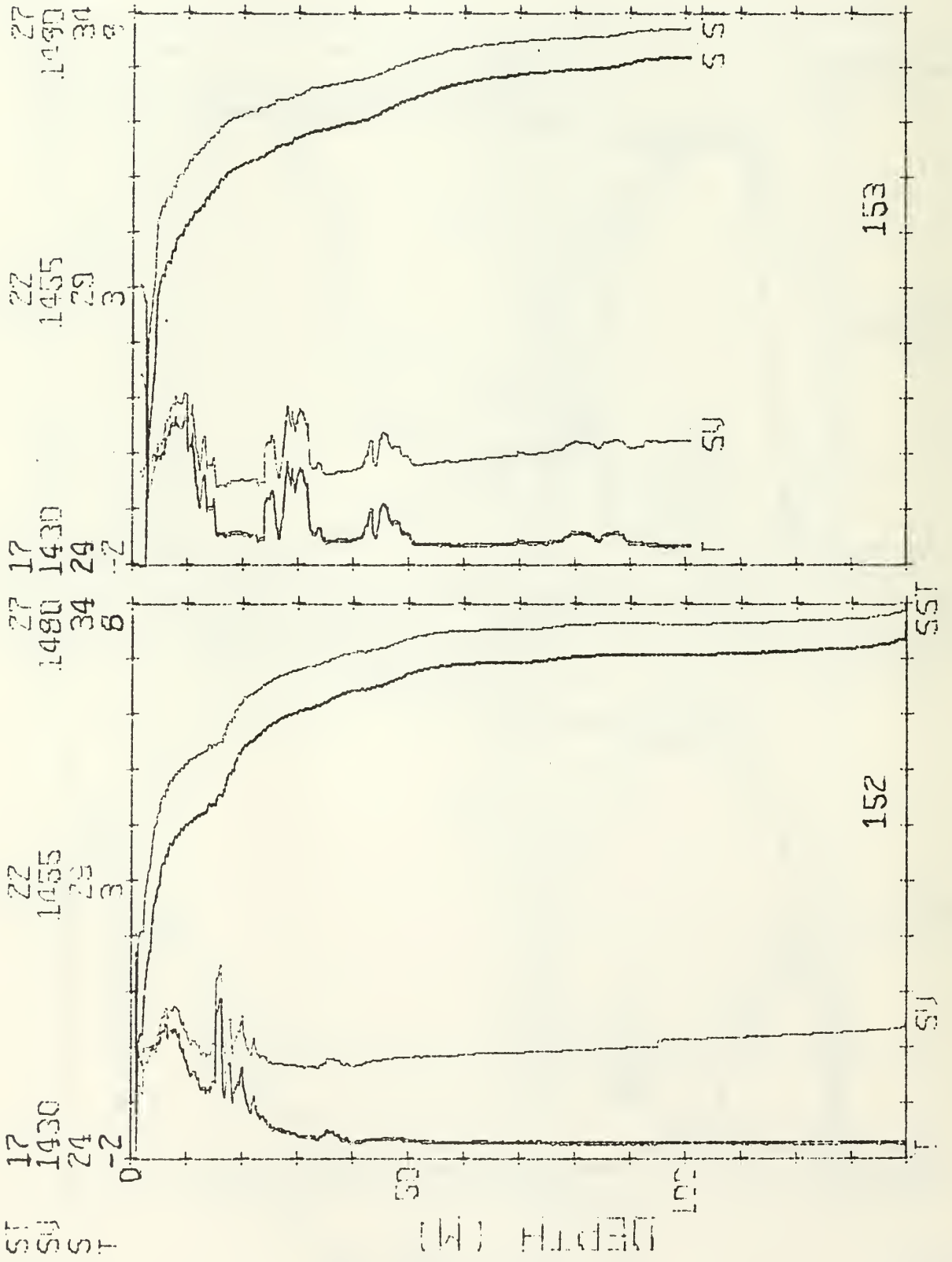
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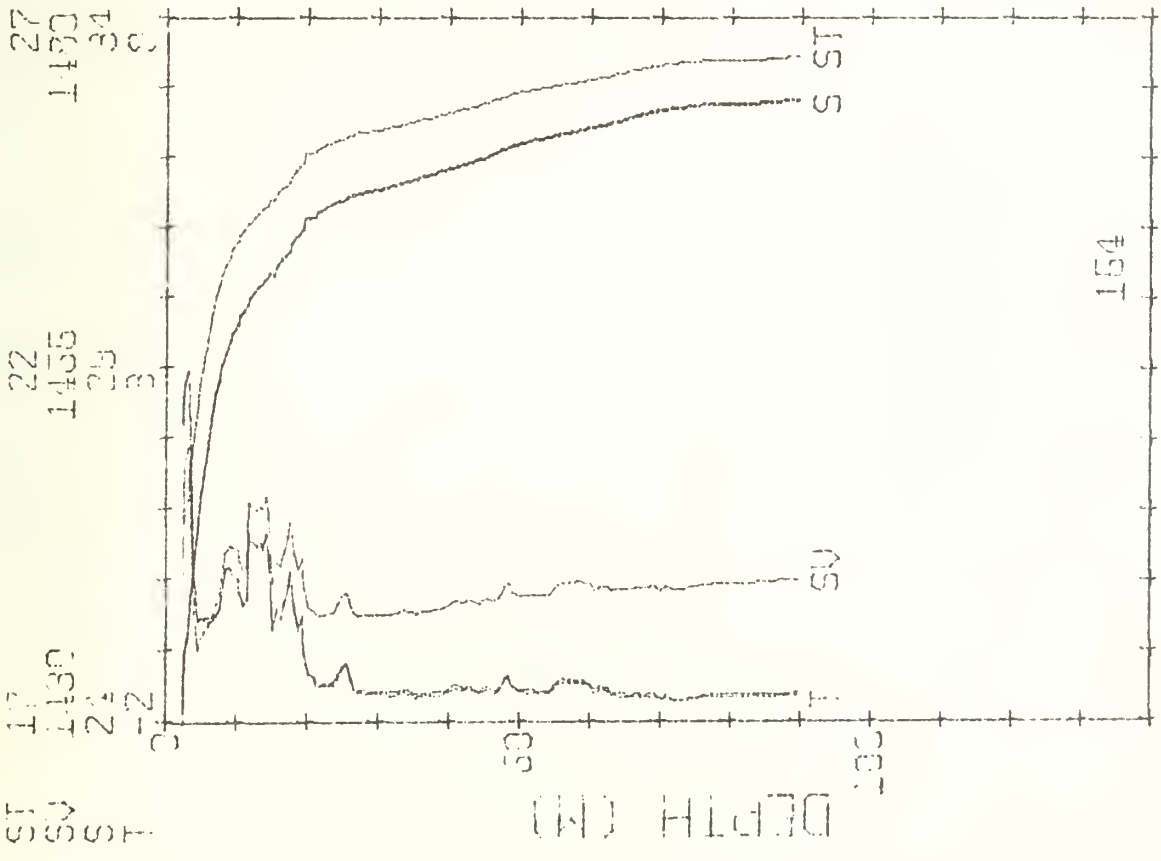
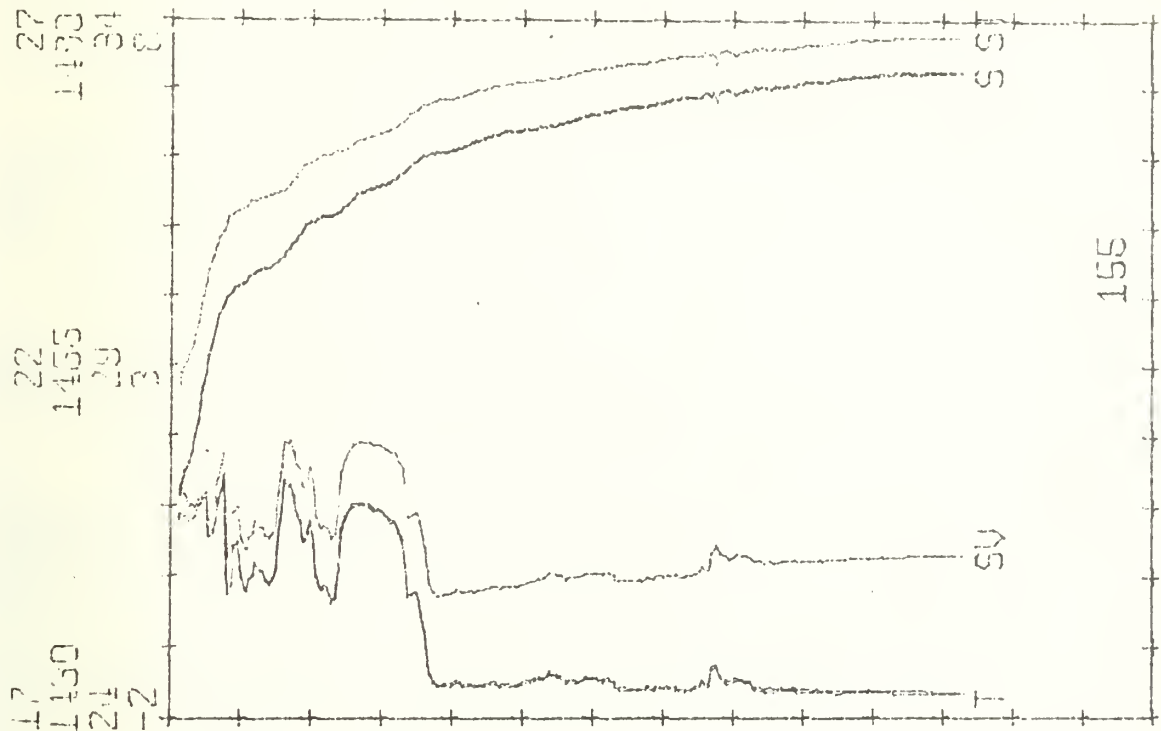
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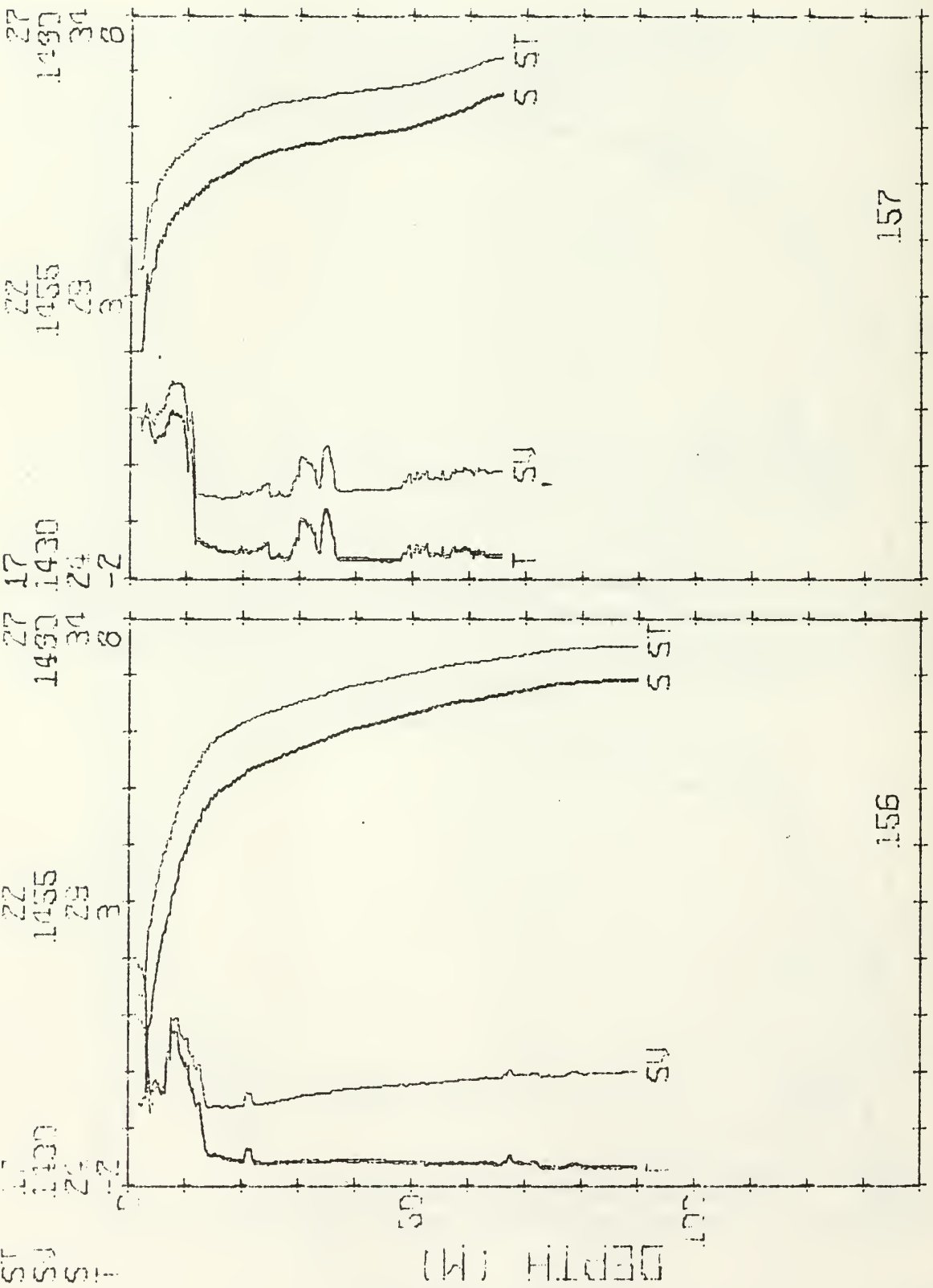
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