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Conventional Main Ring Magnet Quality as a Function of Time

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This paper is concerned with the quality of Main Ring conventional magnets as a function of time. The data set contains recent magnets and some of the early magnets, and has been provided by the Magnetic Measurements Group at the Magnet Facility (especially Dean Krause).

The plotting program was set to automatically find the upper and lower boundaries from the data. Only keypunch errors have been weeded out, i.e., errors in transcription from the raw data to the data sheets have not been checked. Since the purpose of this paper is to check the general trend of the magnets with time and not to find any specific bad magnet, the status of the data is adequate for this purpose. A short explanation of this data is contained in the list of figure captions. On several of the figures, lines are drawn which indicate an acceptance criteria which the Main Ring Group uses in deciding to accept or reject a particular magnet. If a figure contains only one line, then the other line is off scale.

Each horizontal step represents one month and the start of the plots is January, 1971.

The measured quantities for the 4' quadrupoles are quite good. Figure 4 indicates that a few of the recent quads have a slight problem for the gradient at high excitation currents, while figure 8 shows a larger spread for the recent magnets as opposed to a small sample of earlier magnets.

The results for the 7' quads are not quite as nice as the 4' quads. Figures 10 and 11 indicate a slight problem with the gradient at the edges of the

quadrupoles. Also the Q values (figures 14 & 16) show a wider spread for some of the recent magnets.

For the B1 dipoles we have good results in general. The inductance at 1 KHZ (figure 17) shows a trend for the later magnets which is increasing, but this is not disturbing yet. Figures 21 and 22 are quite interesting, however the most likely explanation for the trend shown in that the measuring procedure simply stabilized and not that there were such gross changes in the magnets.

We see that the B2 results are quite good except for some of the Q values. Figures 31 and 32 show the same trend as figures 21 and 22.

The overall conclusion of this study is that the recent magnets have not deteriorated in quality from the earlier magnets.

FIGURE OPTIONSQ4 QUADRUPOLES

- Figure 1 Percentage difference of the integrated gradient $(\int B'dl)$ with respect to a standard reference magnet at an excitation current of 2000 amps.
- Figure 2 Percentage difference of the integrated gradient $(\int B'dl)$ with respect to a standard reference magnet at an excitation current of 5000 amps.
- Figure 3 The percentage difference, of the difference between the reference magnet and the quad, at two different transverse distances: $X=0''$ and $X=+2''$. The excitation current is 2000 amps.
- Figure 4 The same quantity in figure 3 for an excitation current of 5000 amps.
- Figure 5 The inductance in millihenrys measured at a frequency of 1 kilohertz.
- Figure 6 The quality ratio, Q , measured at 1 kilohertz.
- Figure 7 The inductance in millihenrys measured at 50 hertz.
- Figure 8 The quality ratio, Q , measured at 50 hertz.

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- Figure 9 Percentage difference of the integrated gradient $(\int B'dl)$ with respect to a standard reference magnet at an excitation current of 2000 amps.
- Figure 10 Percentage difference of the integrated gradient $(\int B'dl)$ with respect to a standard reference magnet at an excitation current of 5000 amps.
- Figure 11 The percentage difference, of the difference between the reference magnet and the quad, at two different transverse distances: $X=0$ " and $X=\underline{+2}$." The excitation current is 2000 amps.
- Figure 12 The same quantity in figure 11 for an excitation current of 5000 amps.
- Figure 13 The inductance in millihenrys measured at a frequency of 1 kilohertz.
- Figure 14 The quality ratio, Q, measured at 1 kilohertz.
- Figure 15 The inductance in millihenrys measured at 50 hertz.
- Figure 16 The quality ratio, Q, measured at 50 hertz.

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- Figure 17 The inductance in millihenrys measured at 1 kilohertz.
- Figure 18 The quality ratio, Q, measured at 1 kilohertz.
- Figure 19 The percentage difference of the $\int Bdl$, measured with a stretched wire coil, from a standard reference magnet. The value is determined via an interpolation method to obtain the value of this difference at 9 kilogauss as measured by a third coil in the dipole. The value plotted is $(A-B)/C$ where
 $A = \int Bdl$ from the stretched wire
 $B = \int Bdl$ from the reference
 $C = A$ value determined by the third coil
- Figure 20 The same quantity as in figure 19 but at a value of 18 KG.
- Figure 21 The average magnitude of the magnetic field, calculated by assuming a magnetic length L of 239," at an excitation current of 2000 amps.
- Figure 22 The same quantity as in figure 21 at an excitation current of 5000 amps.
- Figure 23 This data is similar to the data in figure 19. The difference is that this is ramped data and no interpolation is done, i.e., the system is set to record the value when a current of 2000 amps is reached. Another difference is that here the quantity is $(A-B)/A$.
- Figure 24 The same quantity as in figure 23 but at a current of 5000 amps.

- Figure 25 The maximum percentage difference, of the difference between the reference magnet and the dipole, at two different transverse distances: $X=0$," and $X=+2$." The excitation current is 2000 amps.
- Figure 26 The same quantity as in figure 25 at an excitation current of 5000 amps.

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- Figure 27 The inductance in millihenrys measured at 1 kilohertz.
- Figure 28 The quality ratio, Q, measured at 1 kilohertz.
- Figure 29 The percentage difference of the $\int B dl$, measured with a stretched wire coil, from a standard reference magnet. The value is determined via an interpolation method to obtain the value of this difference at 9 kilogauss as measured by a third coil in the dipole. The value plotted is $(A-B)/C$ where
 $A = \int B dl$ from the stretched wire
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- Figure 30 The same quantity as in figure 19 but at a value of 18 KG.
- Figure 31 The average magnitude of the magnetic field, calculated by assuming a magnetic length L of 239," at an excitation current of 2000 amps.
- Figure 32 The same quantity as in figure 21 at an excitation current of 5000 amps.
- Figure 33 This data is similar to the data in figure 29. The difference is that this is ramped data and no interpolation is done, i.e., the system is set to record the value when a current of 2000 amps is reached. Another difference is that here the quantity is $(A-B)/A$.
- Figure 34 The same quantity as in figure 33 but at a current of 5000 amps.

Figure 35 The maximum percentage difference, of the difference between the reference magnet and the dipole, at two different transverse distances: $X=0,$ " and $X=+2.$ " The excitation current is 2000 amps.

Figure 36 The same quantity as in figure 35 at an excitation current of 5000 amps.

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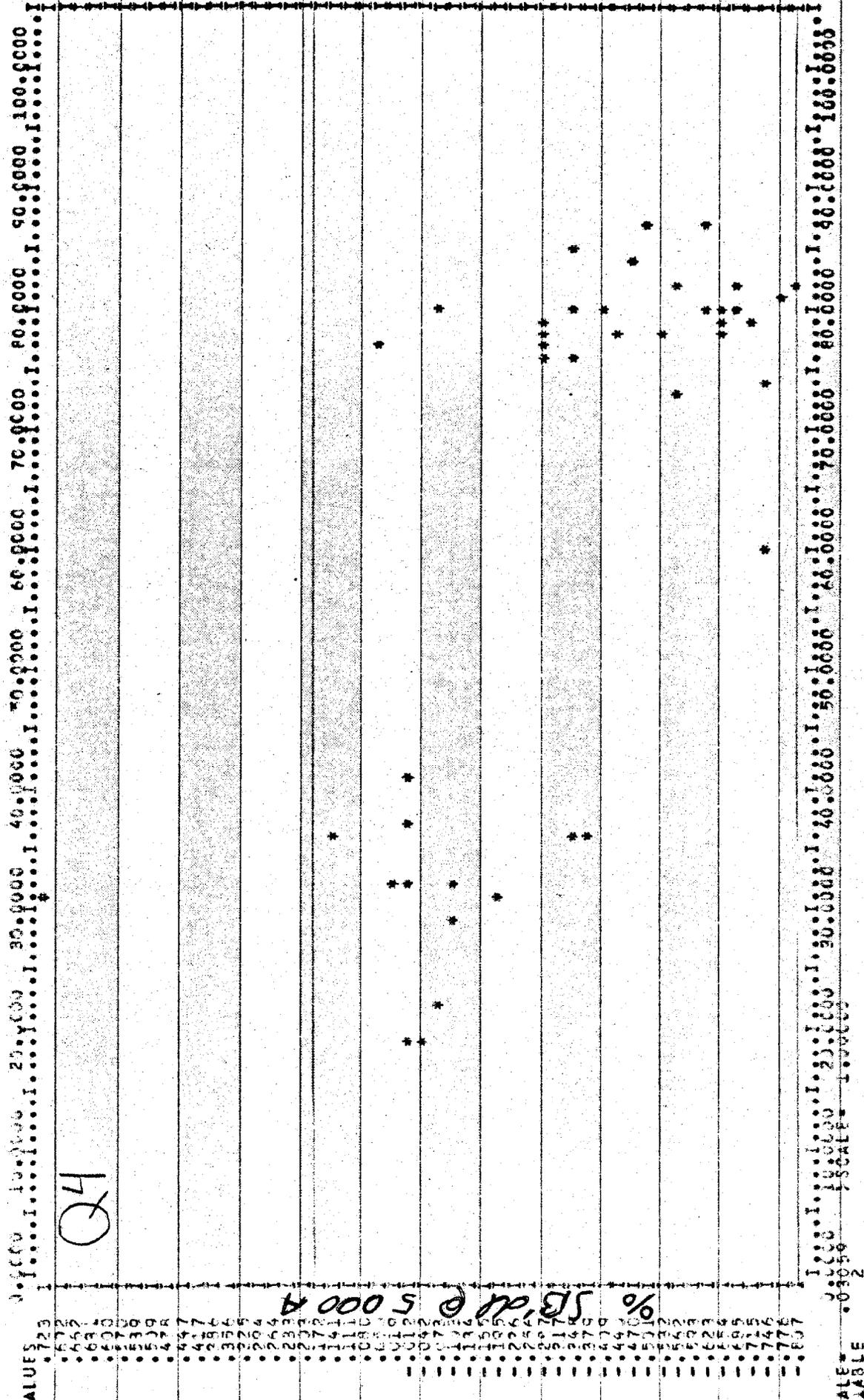


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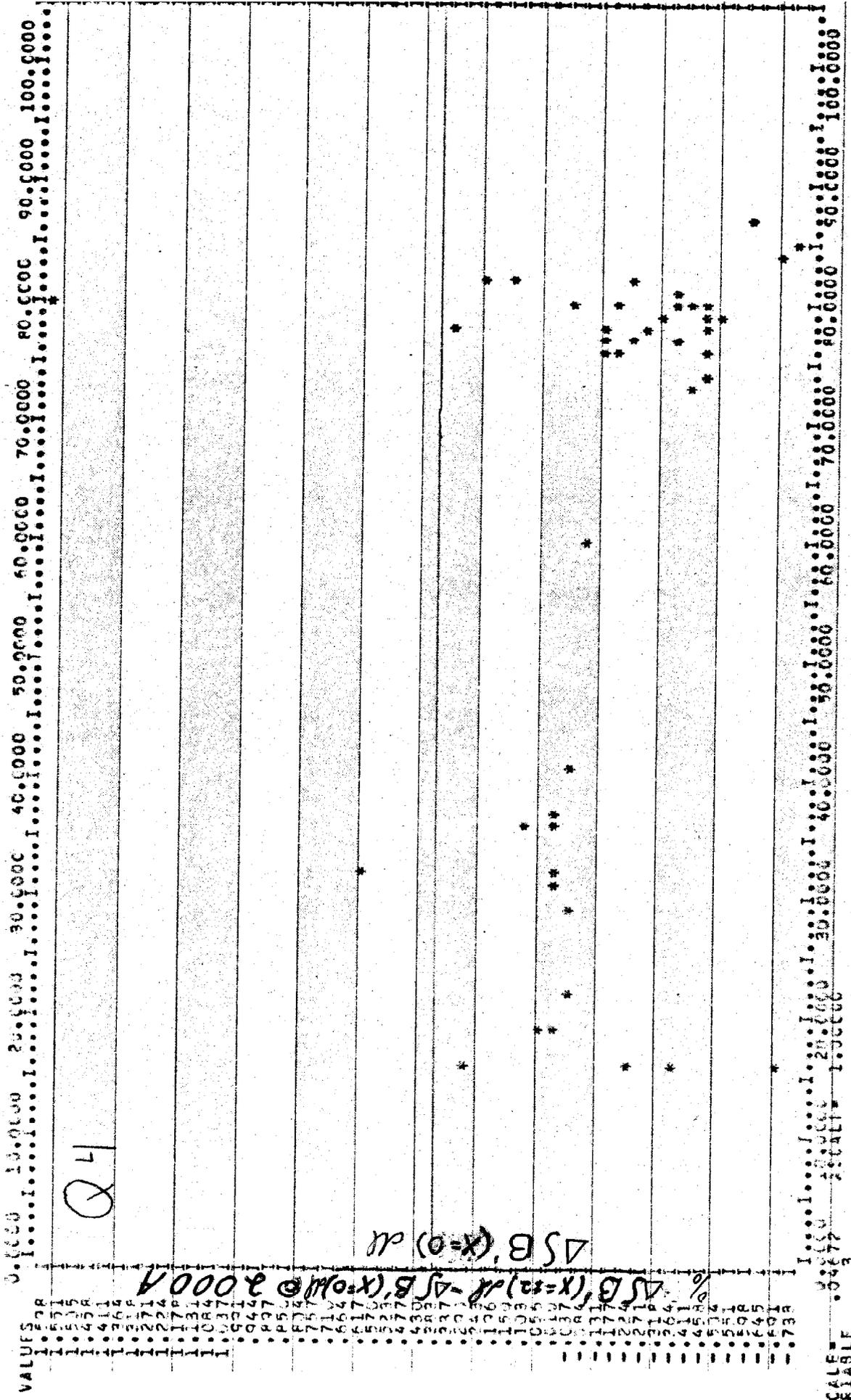


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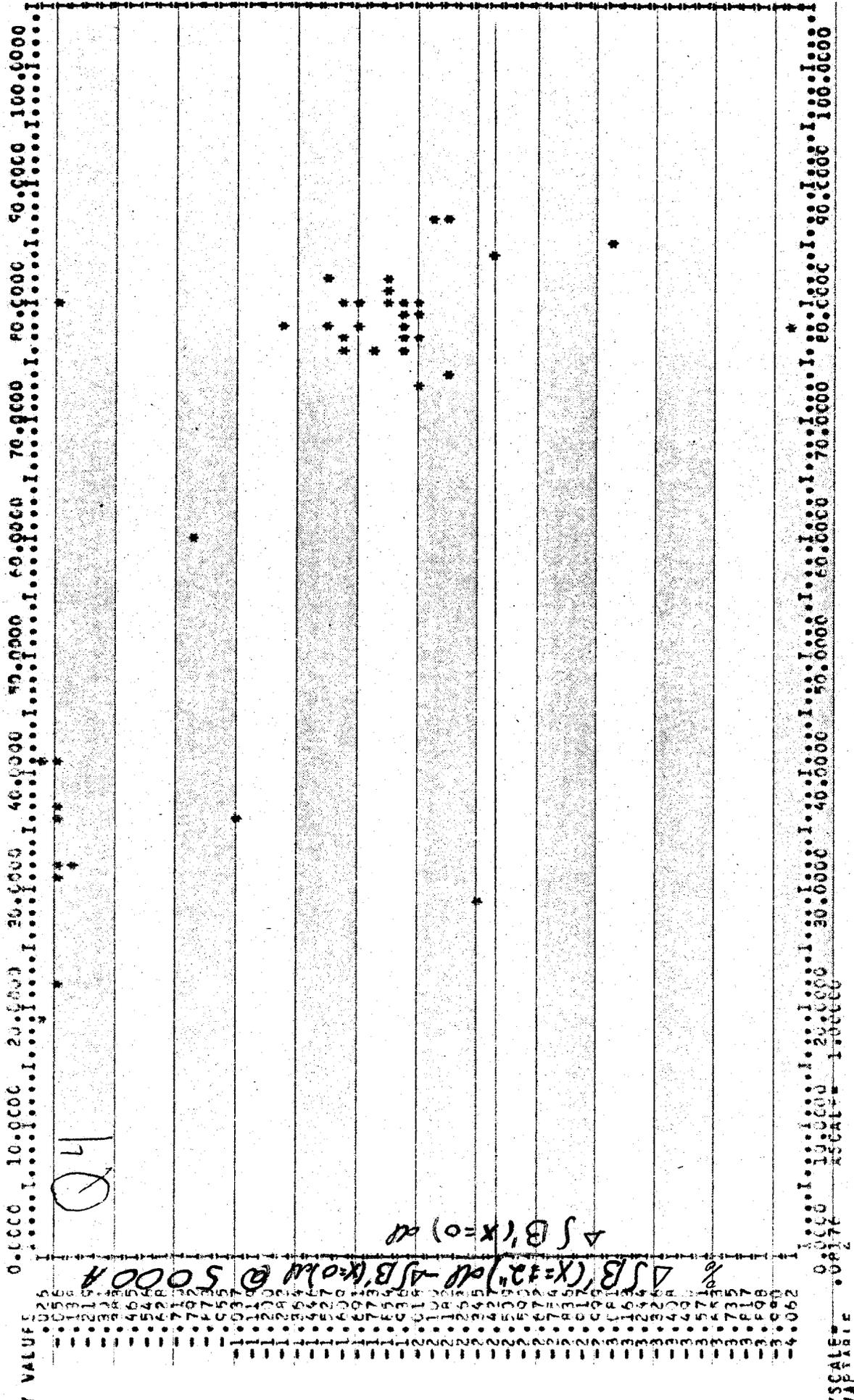


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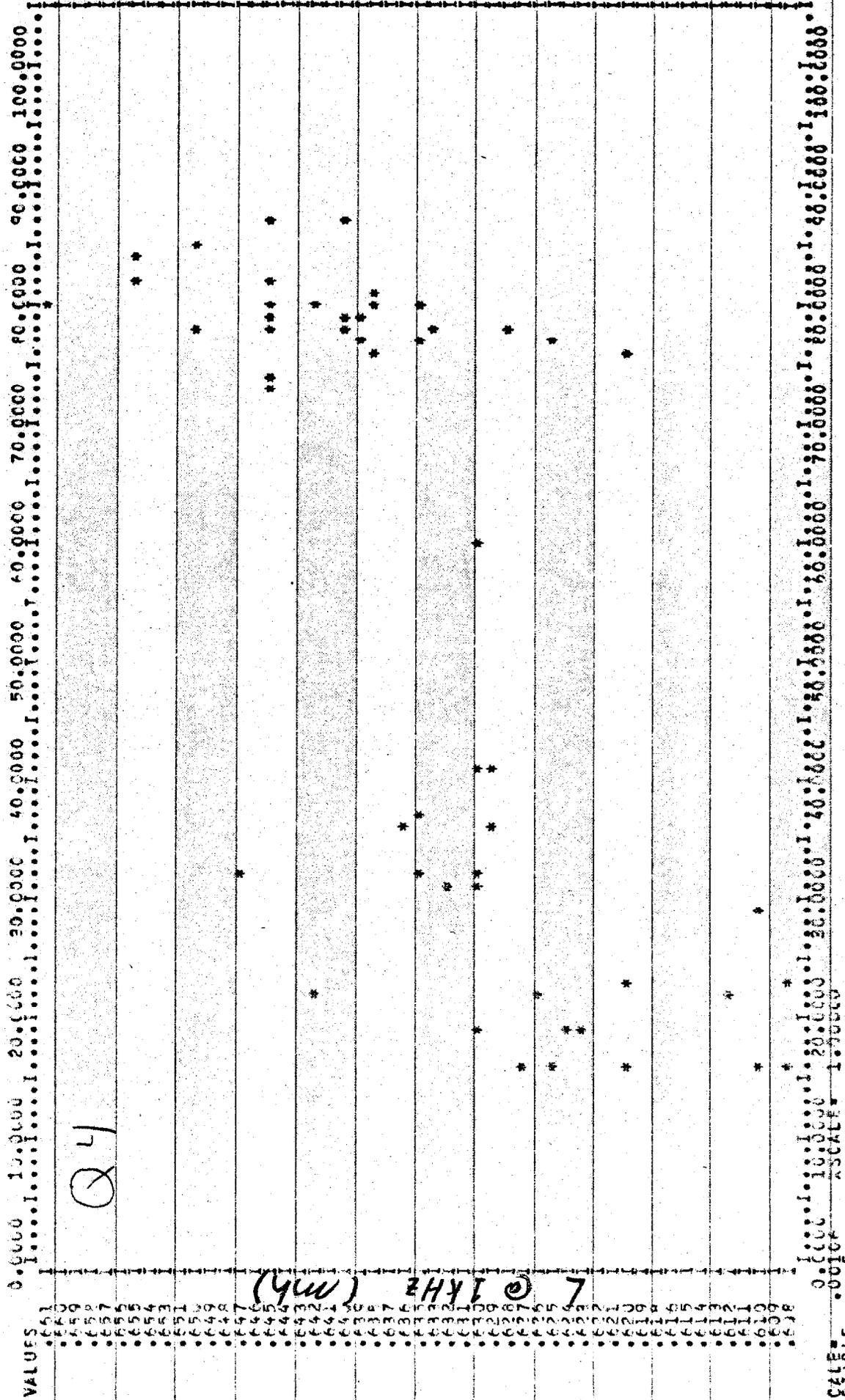


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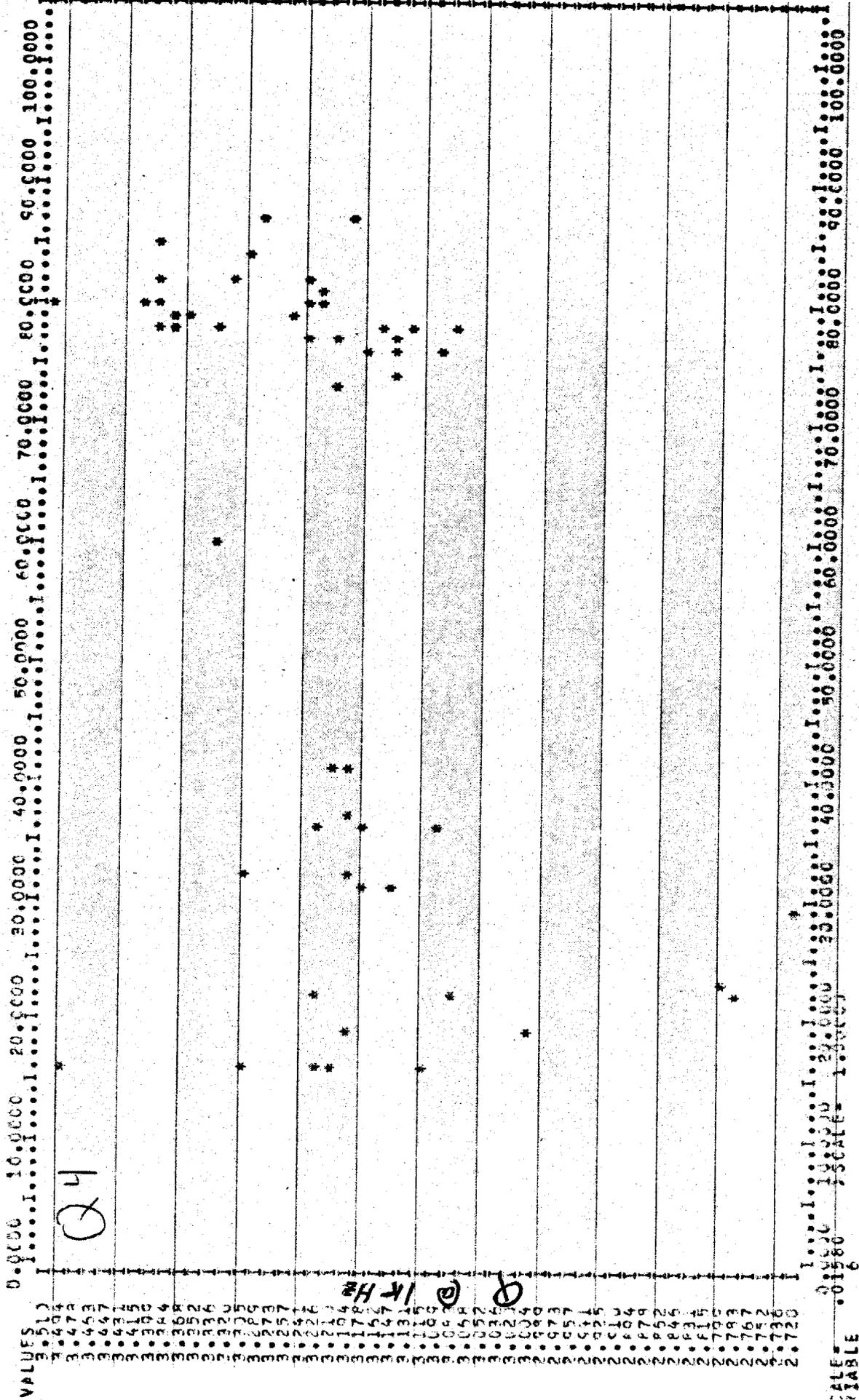


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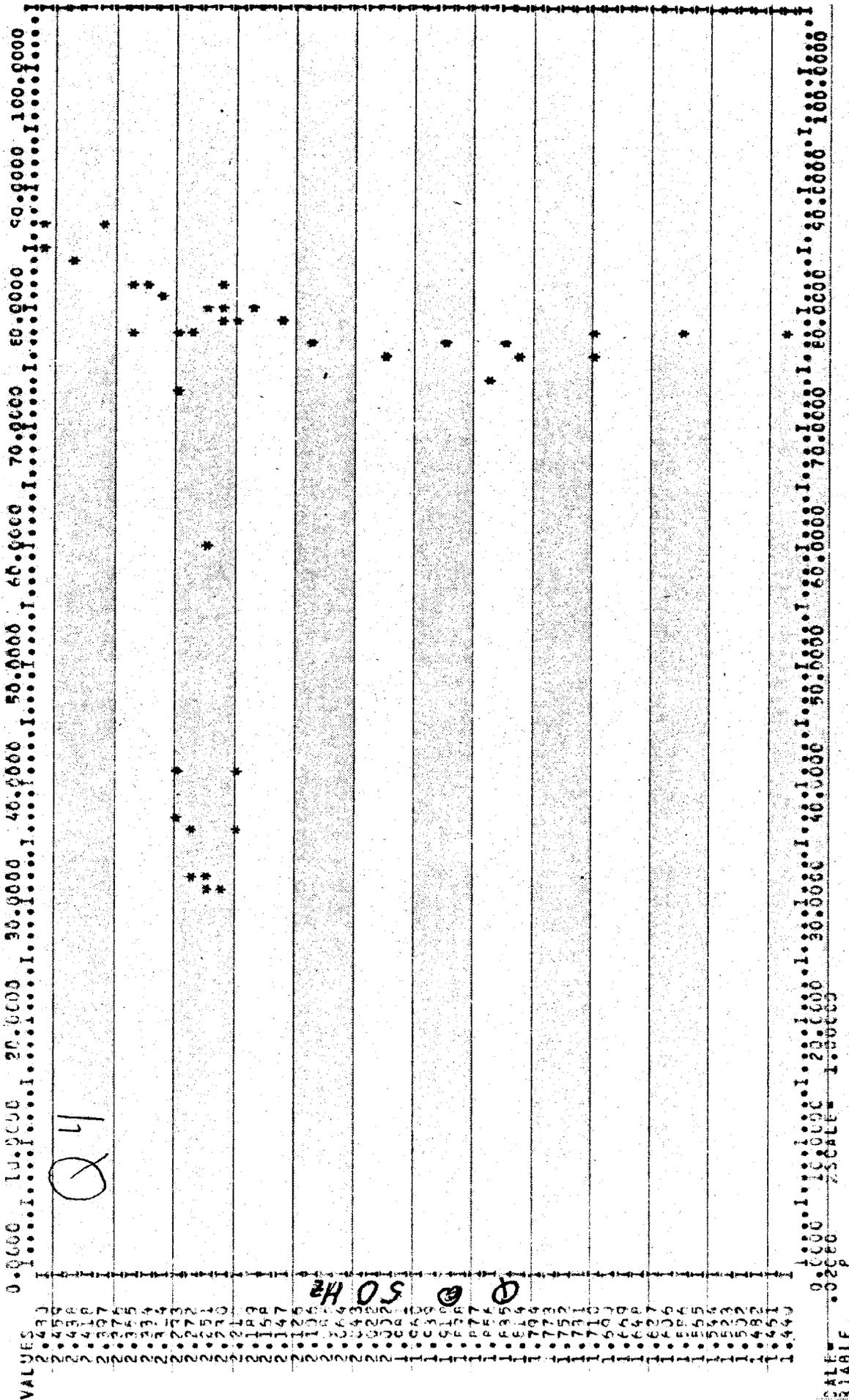
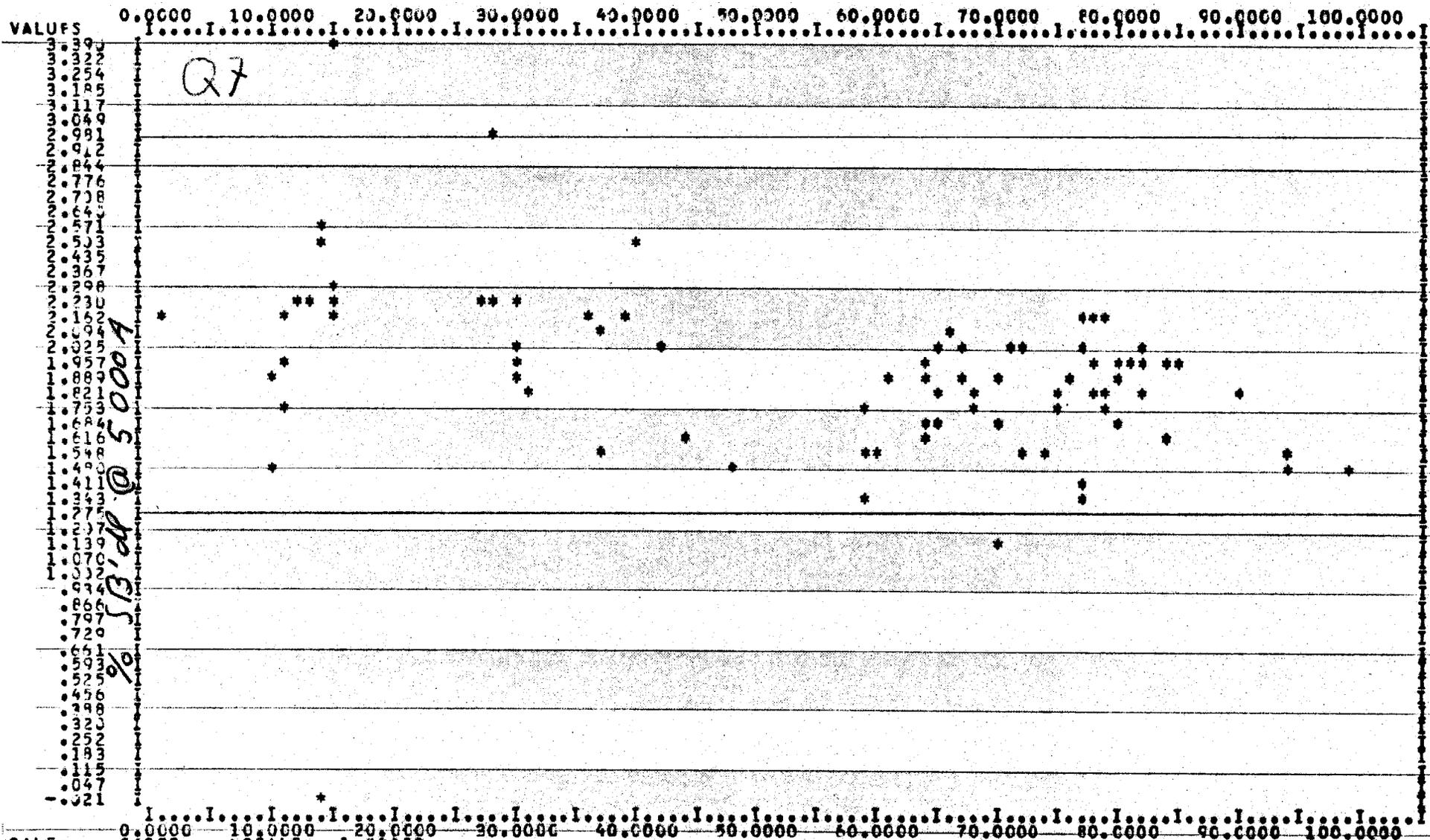


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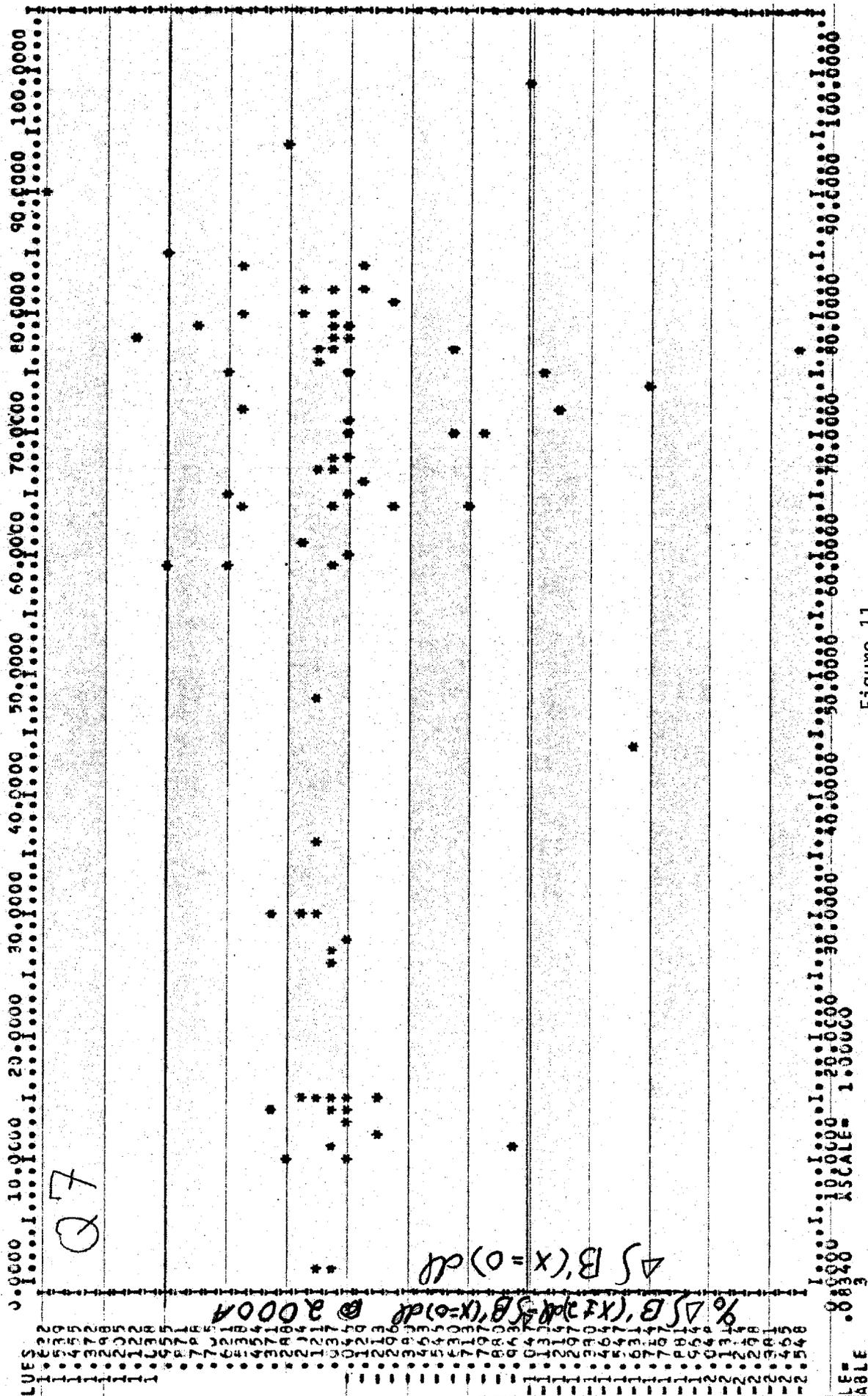
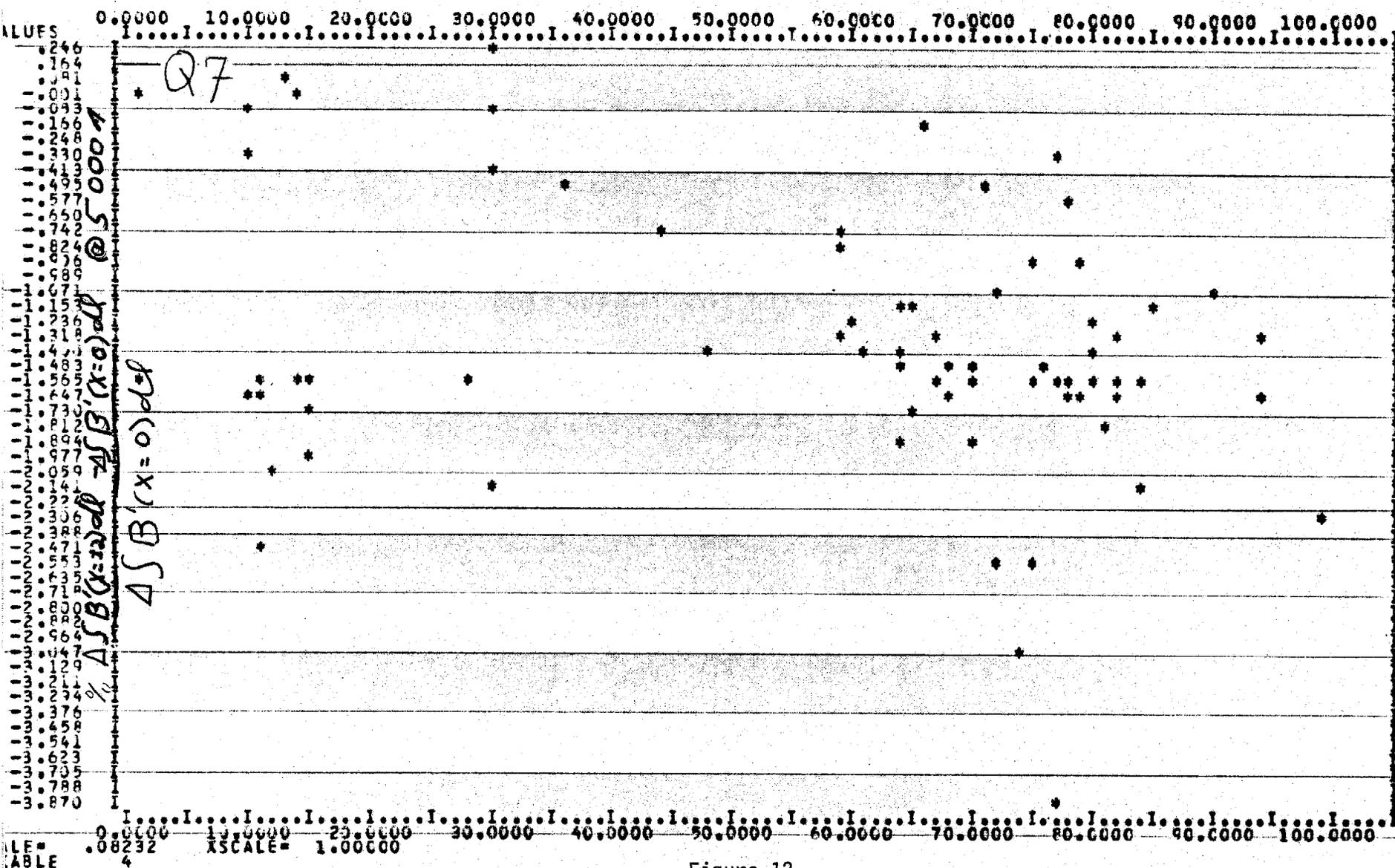


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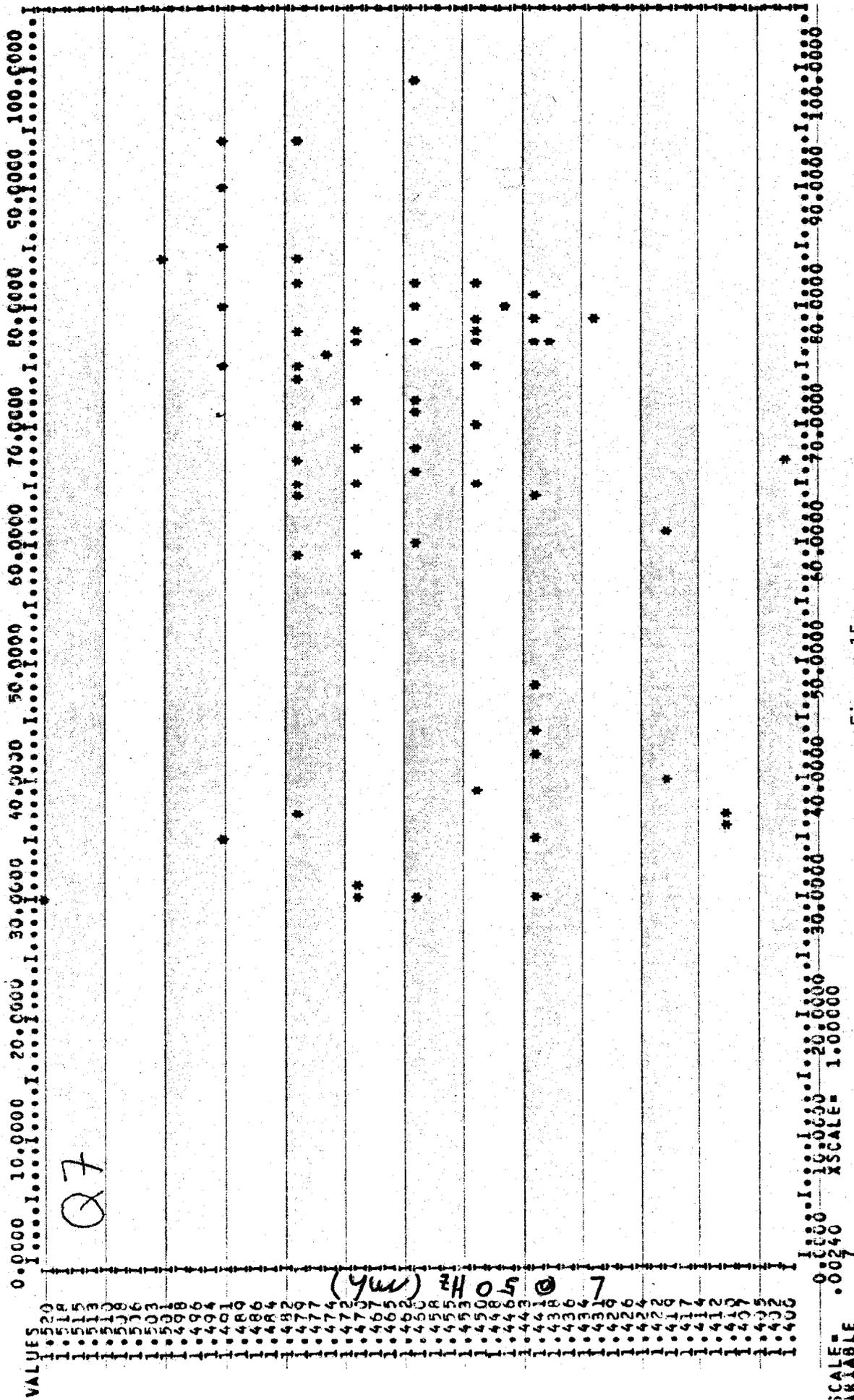


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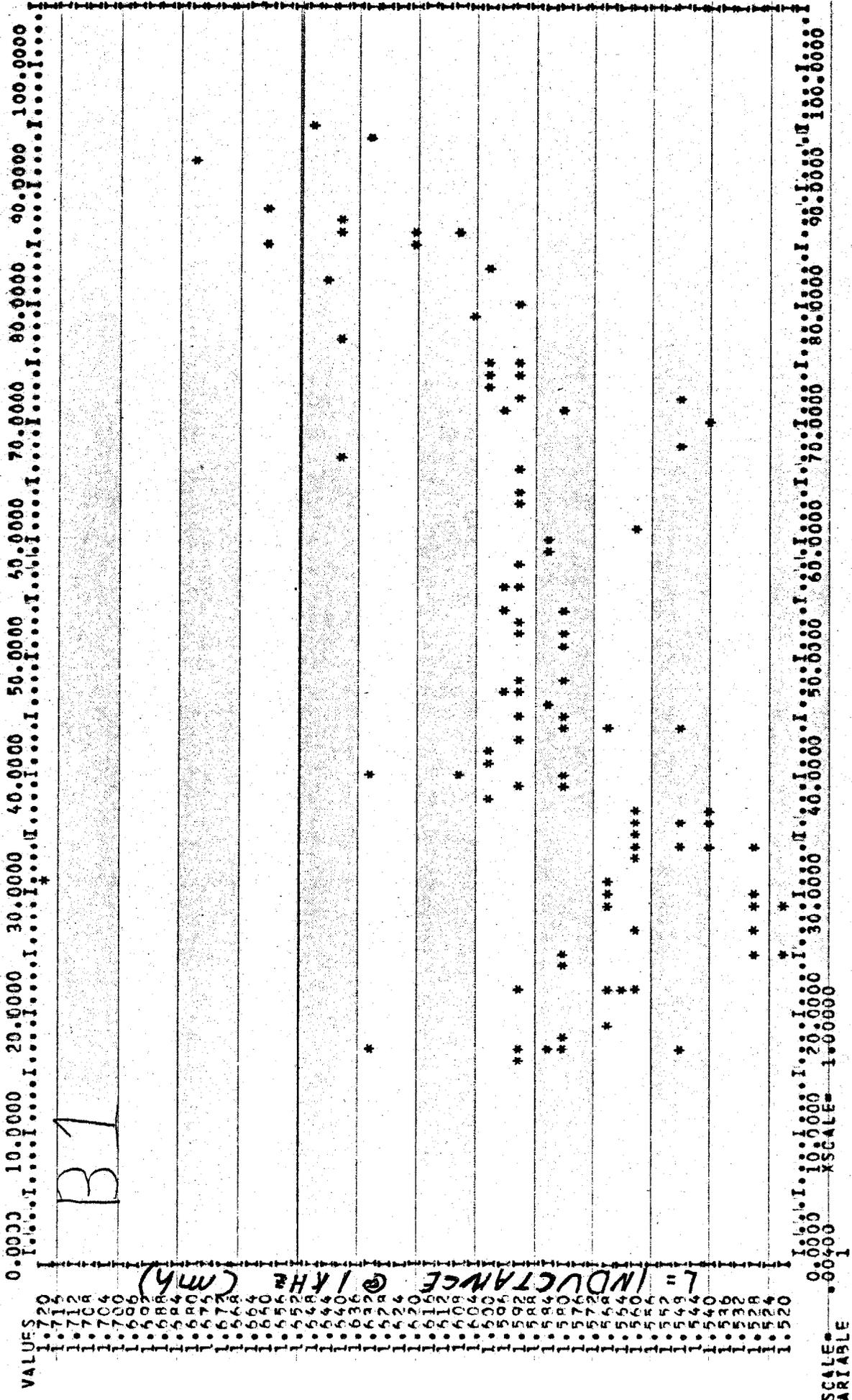


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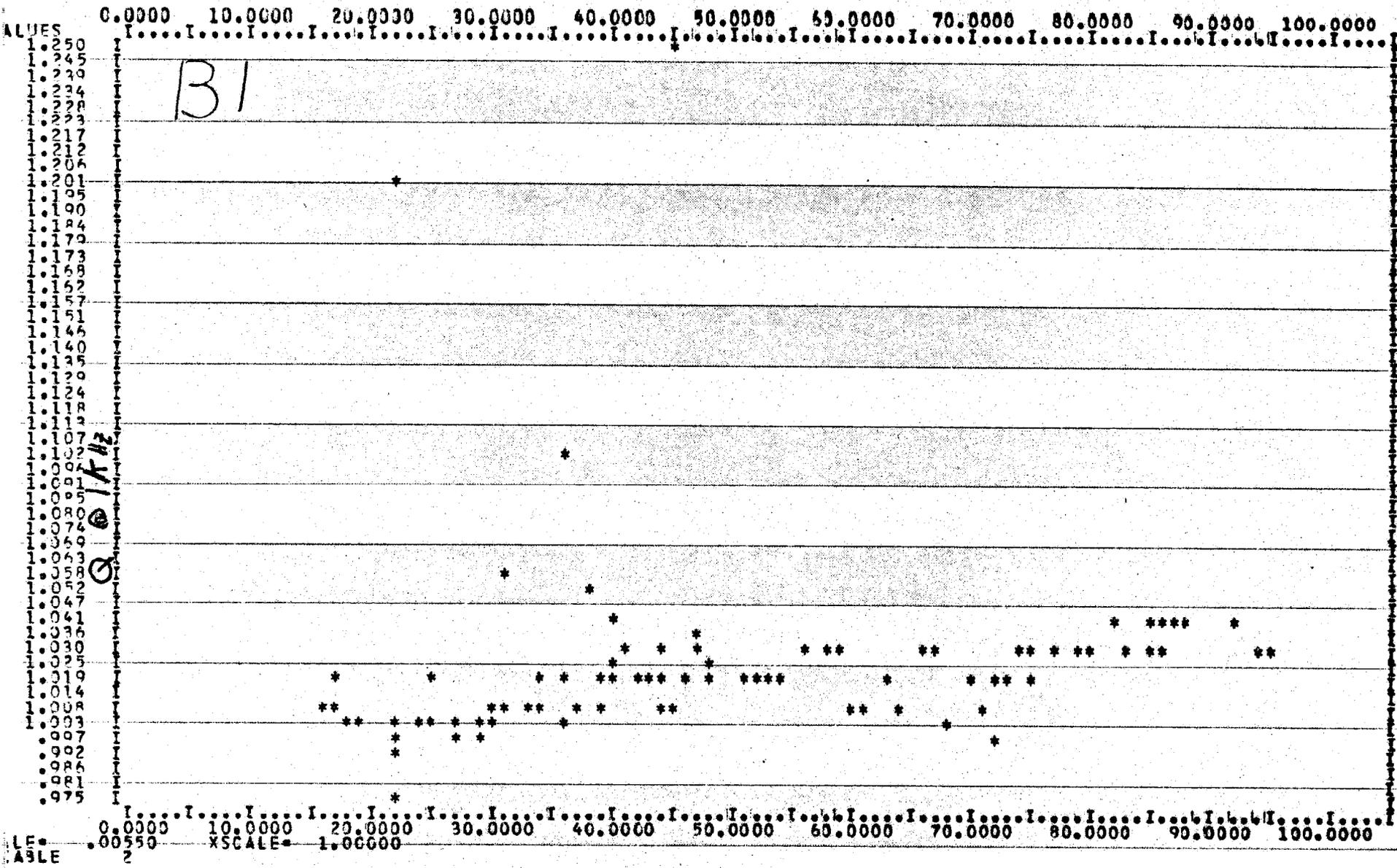


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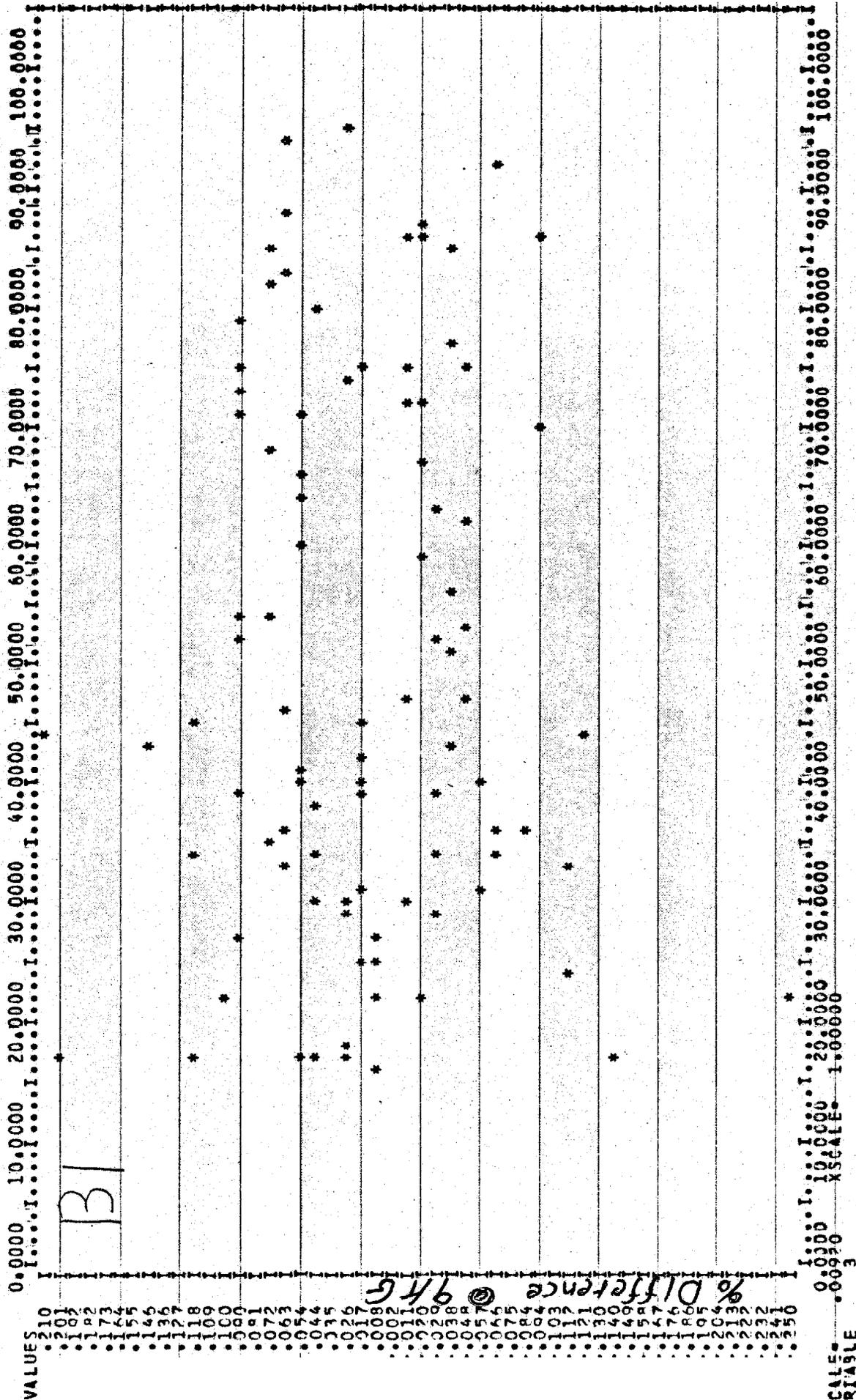


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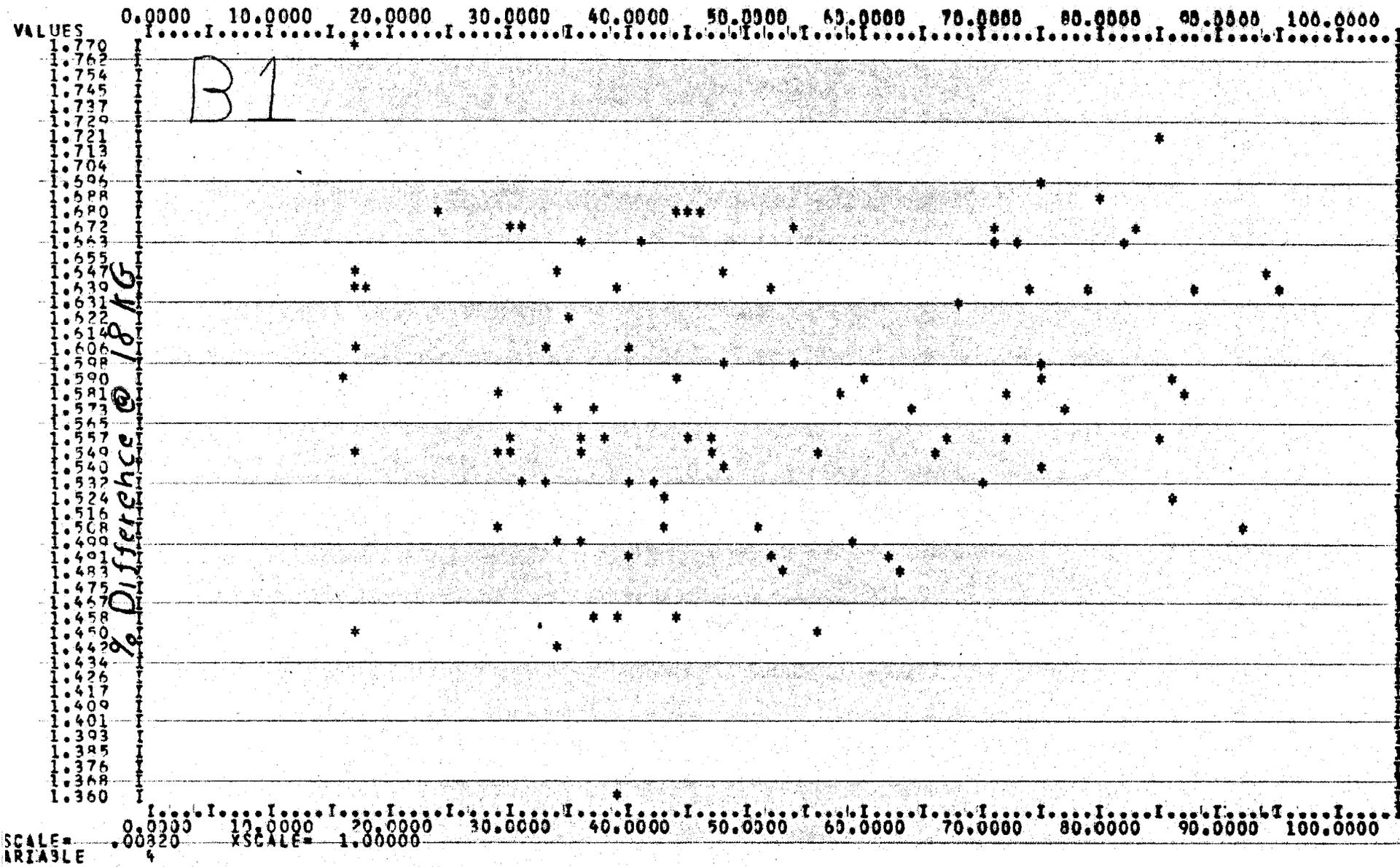


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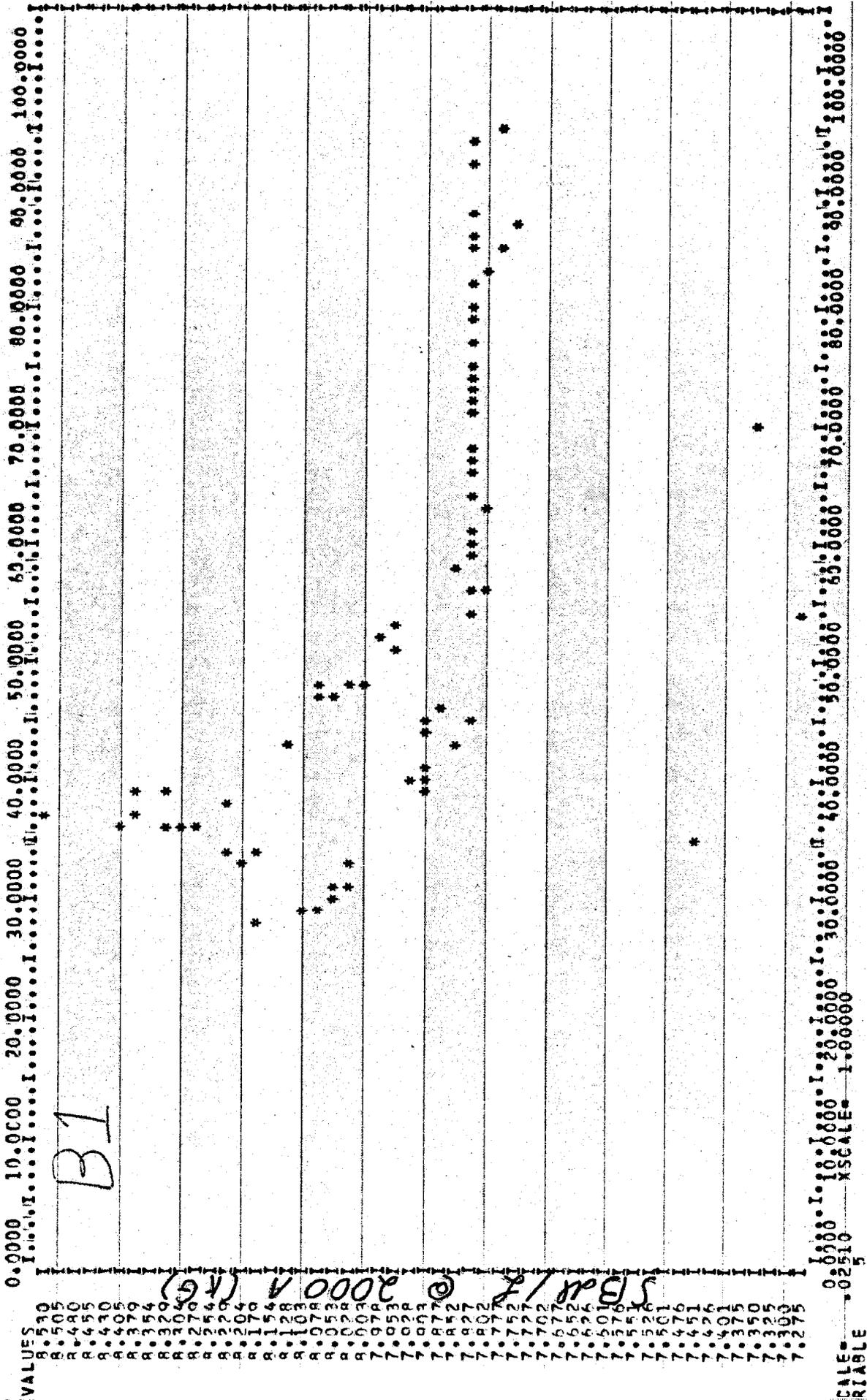


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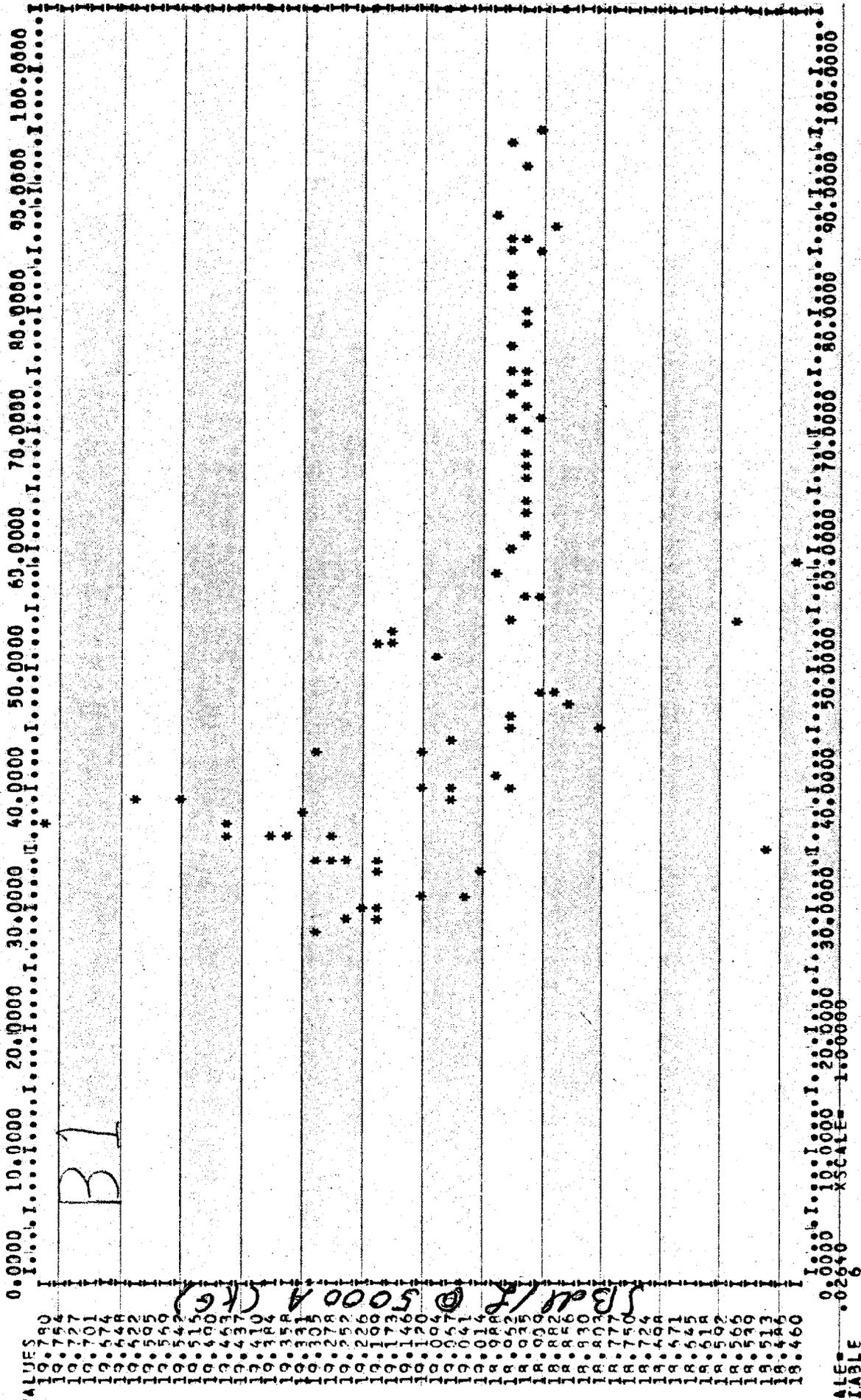


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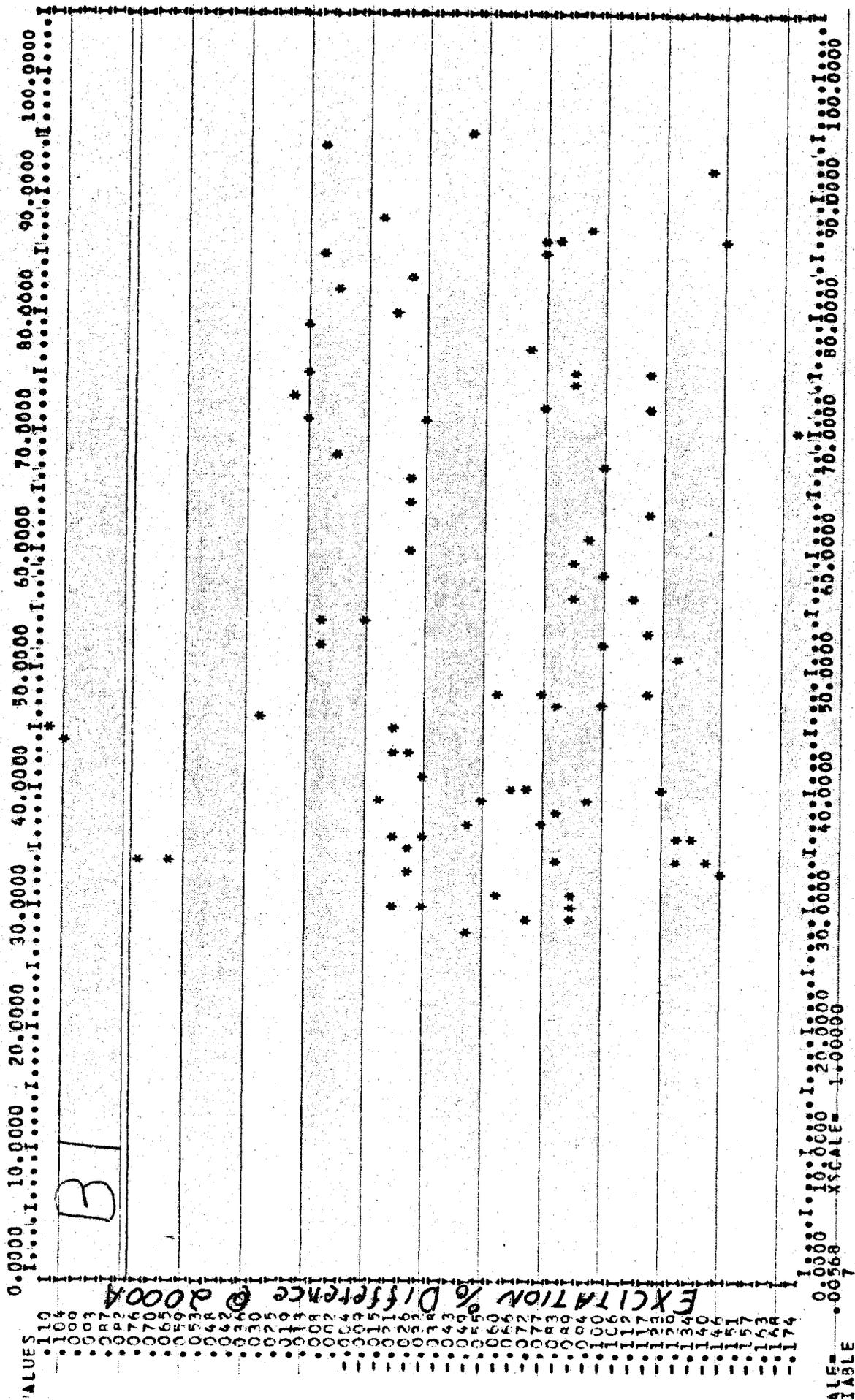


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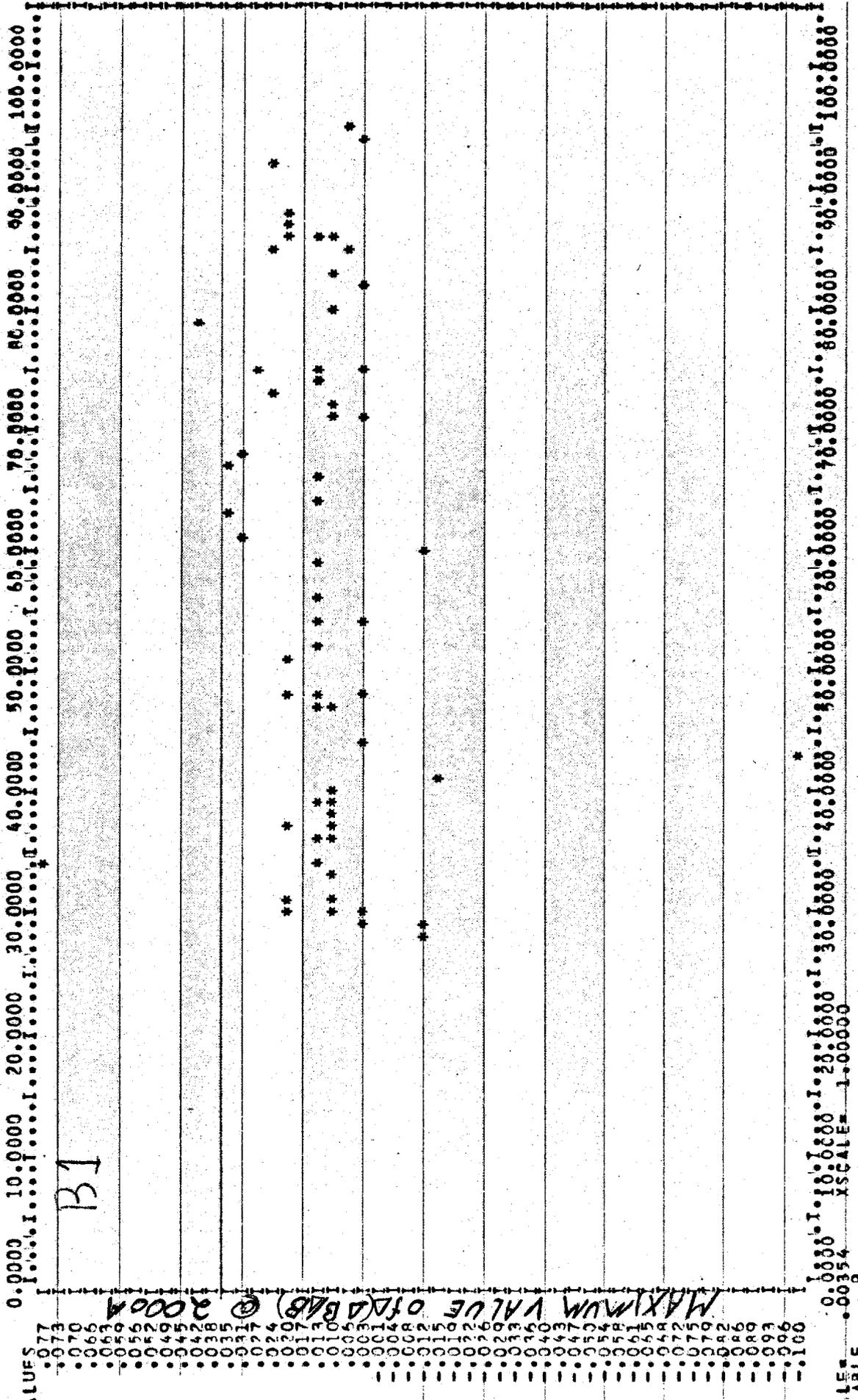


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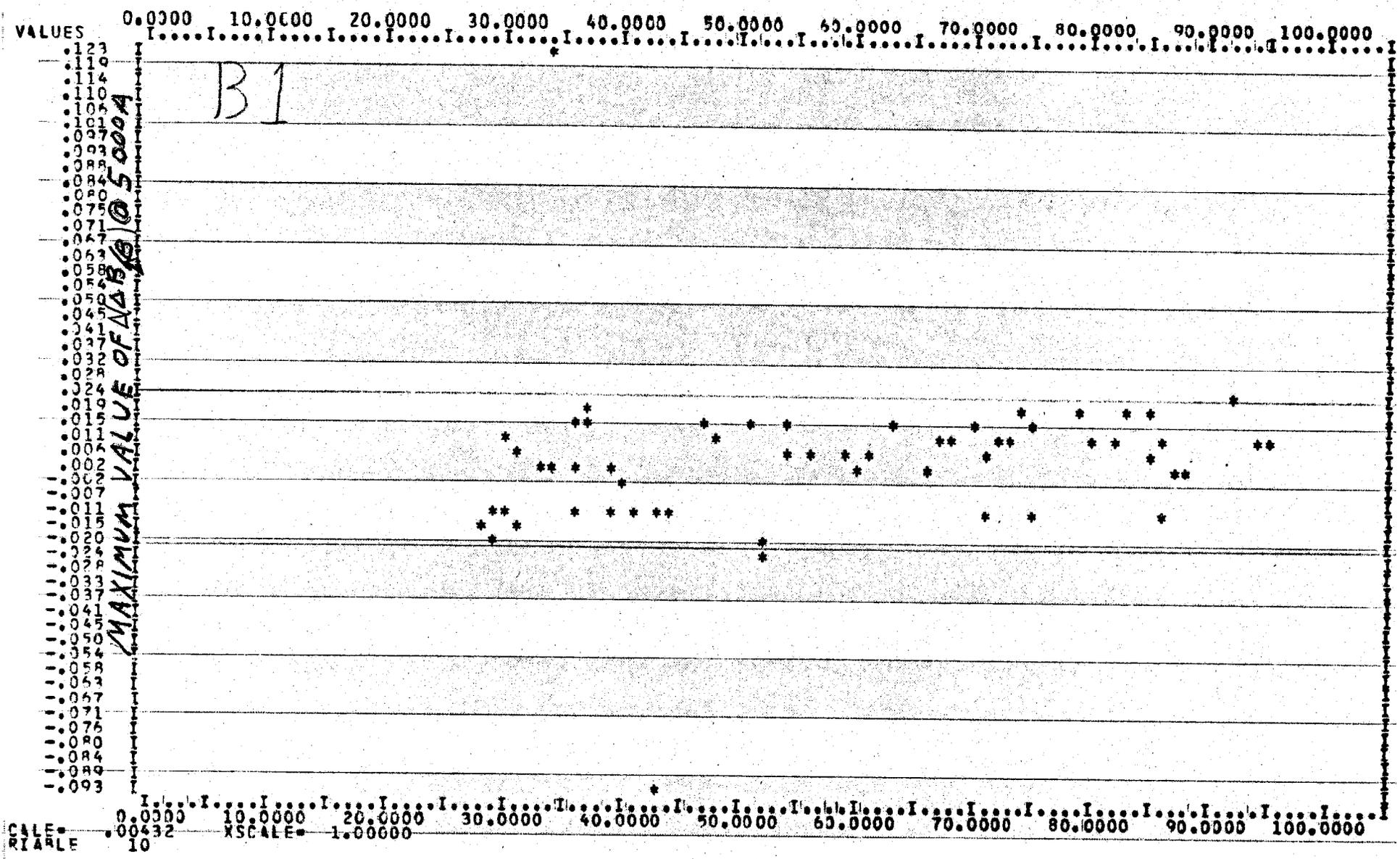


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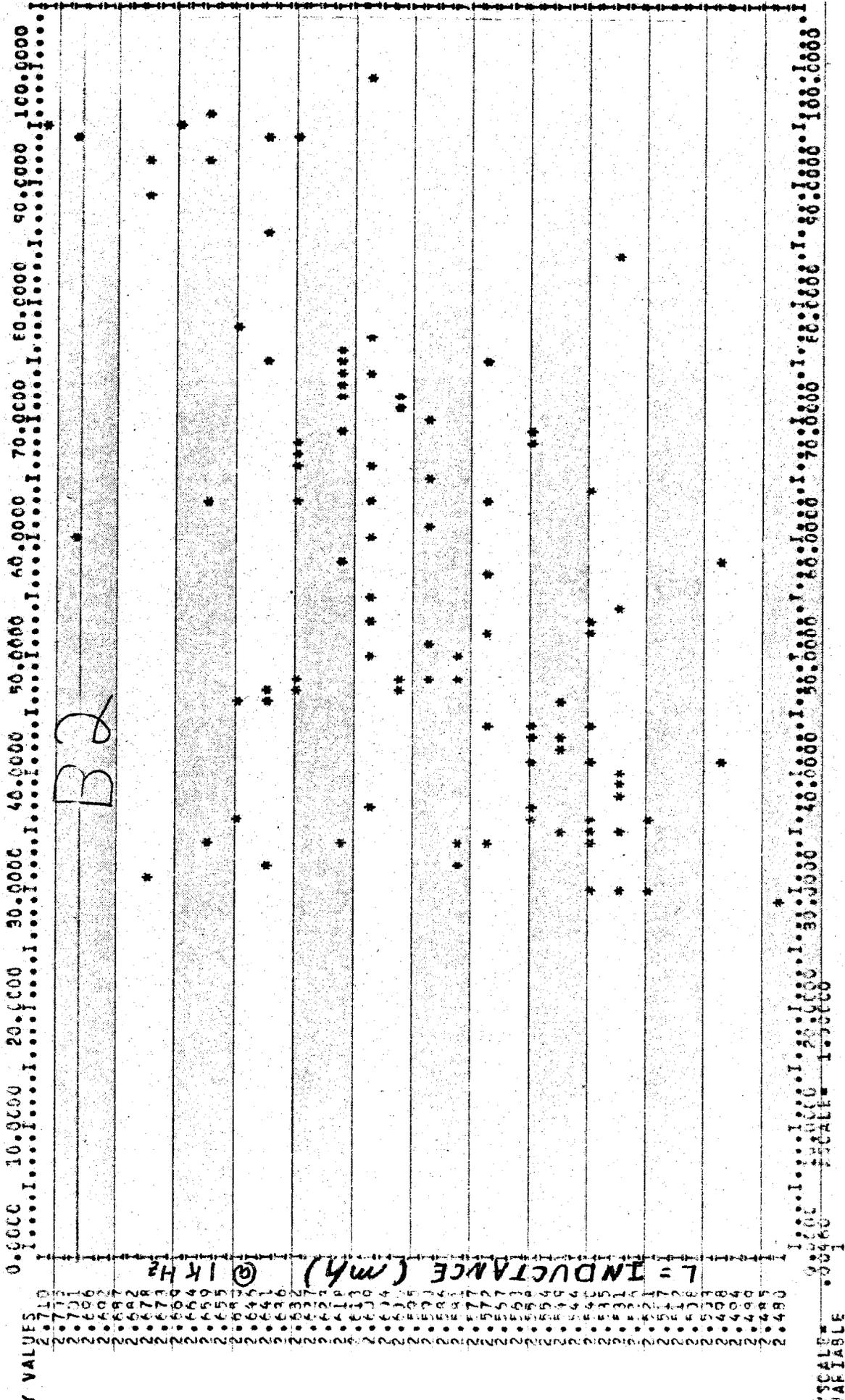


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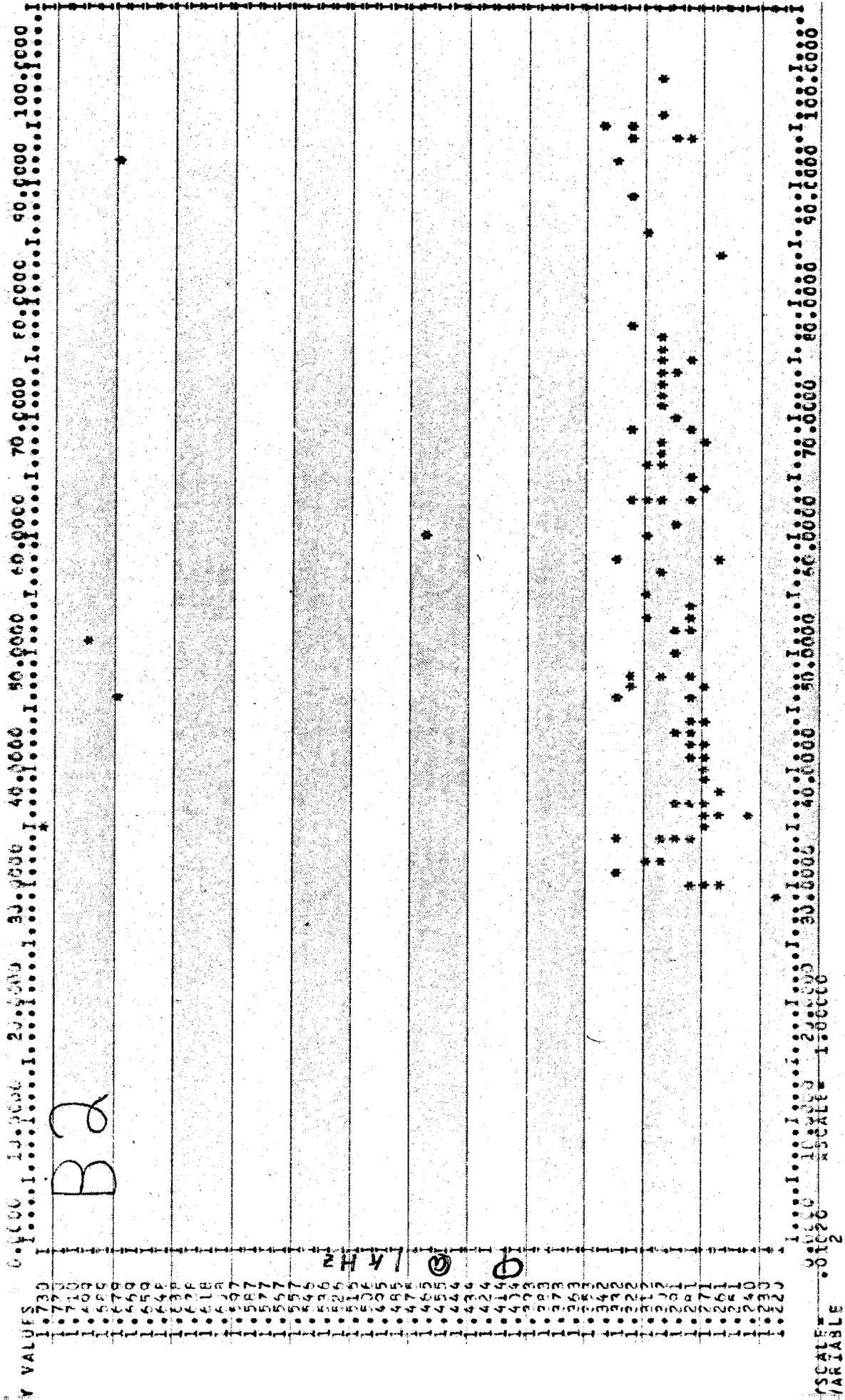


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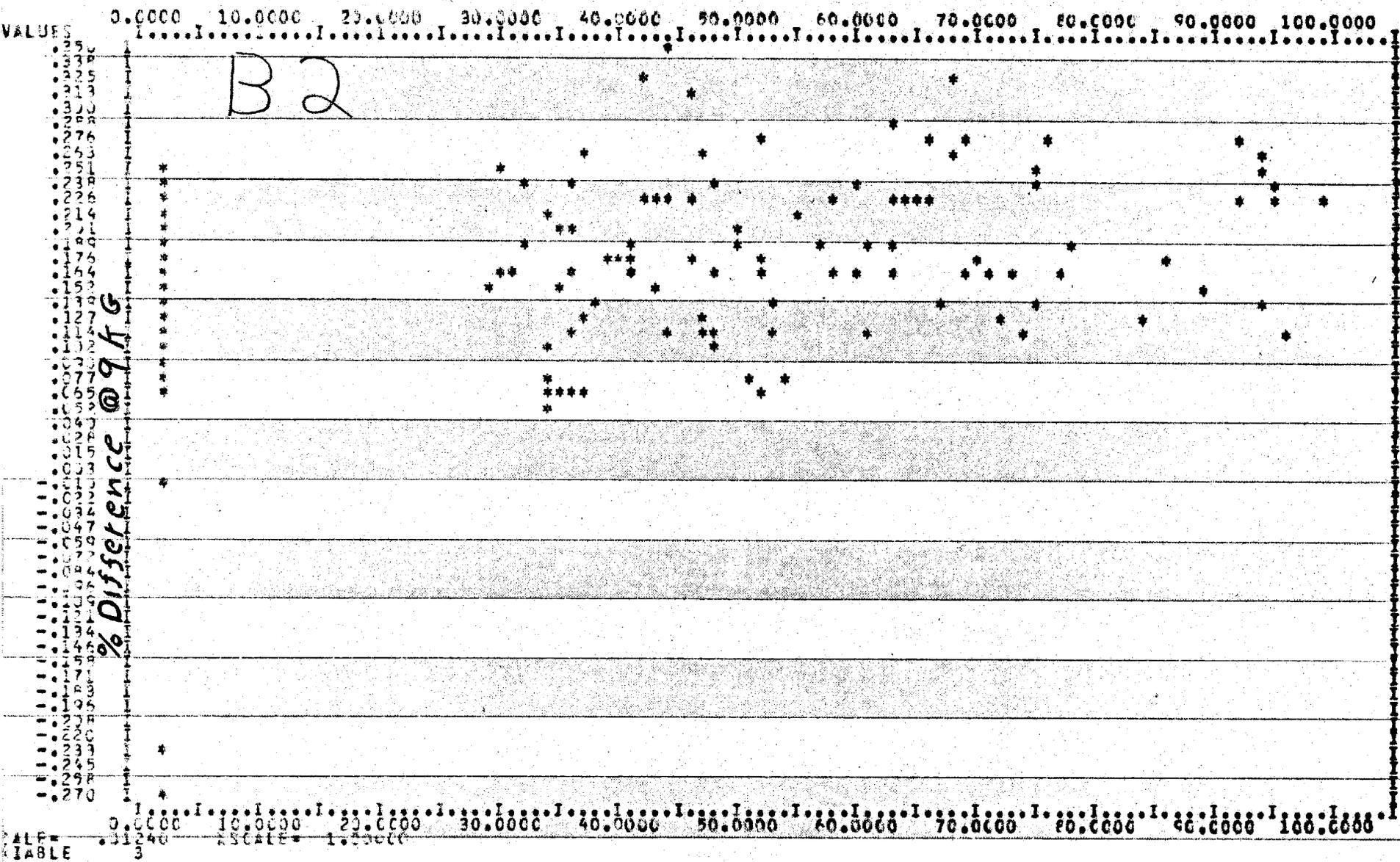


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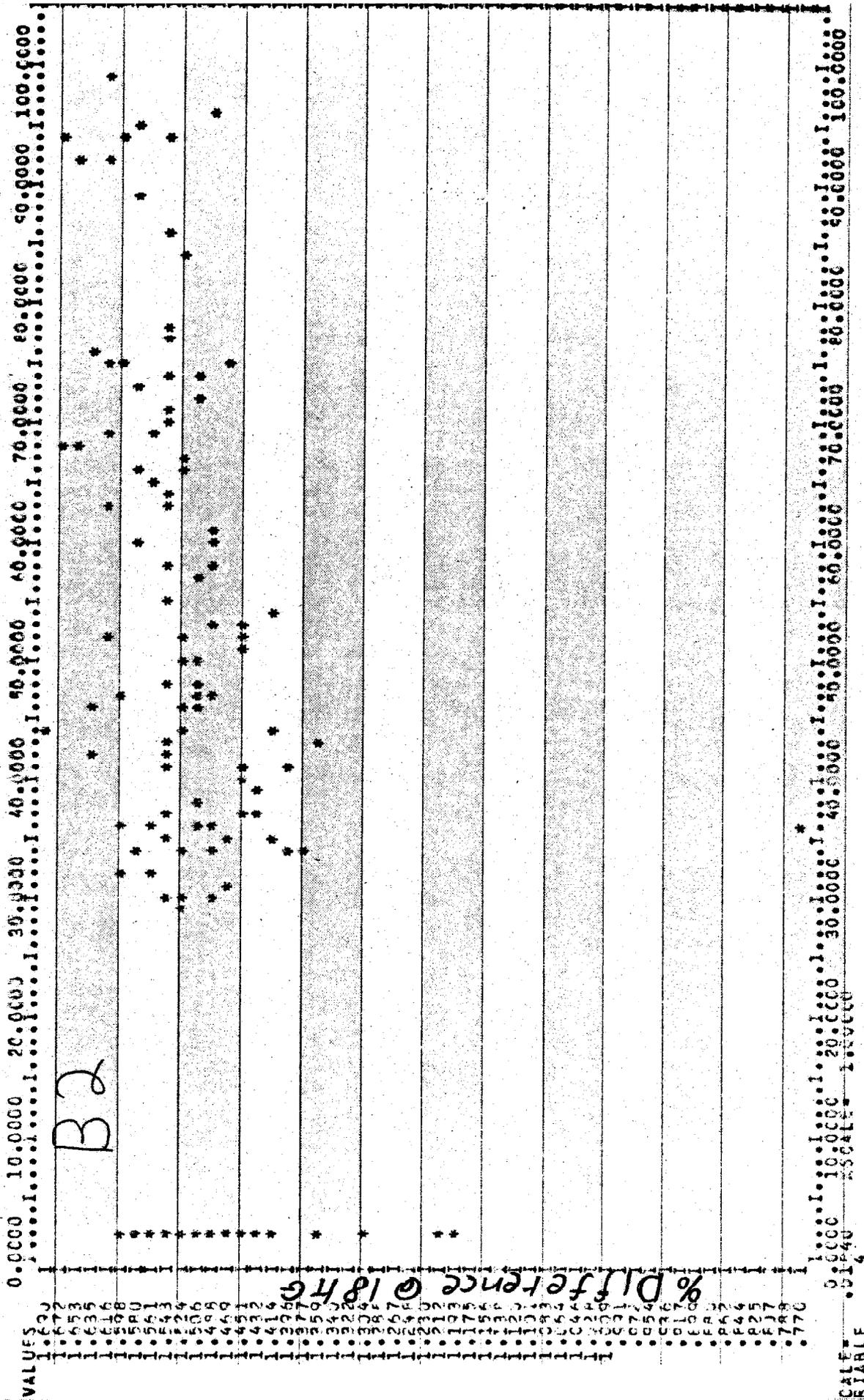


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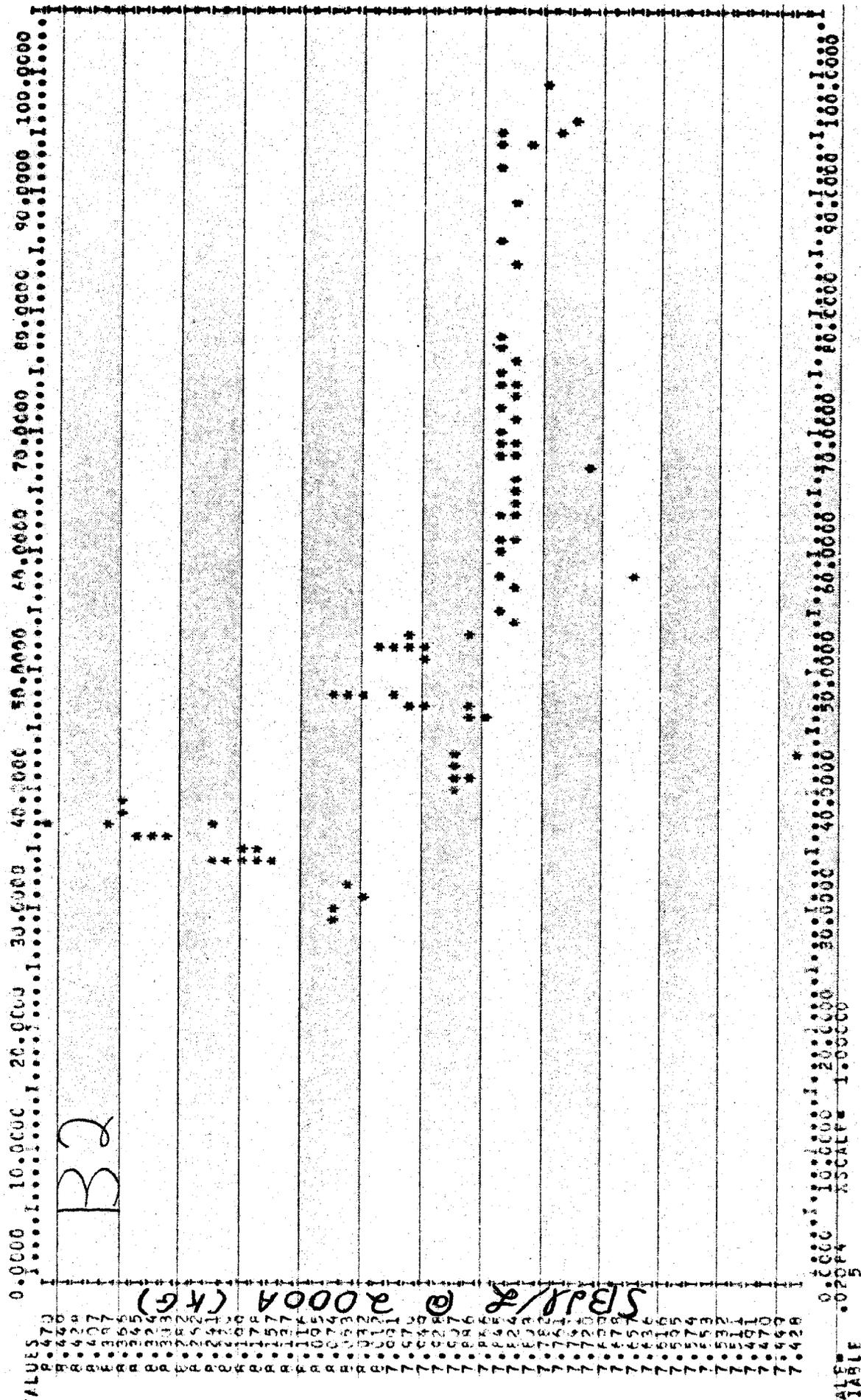


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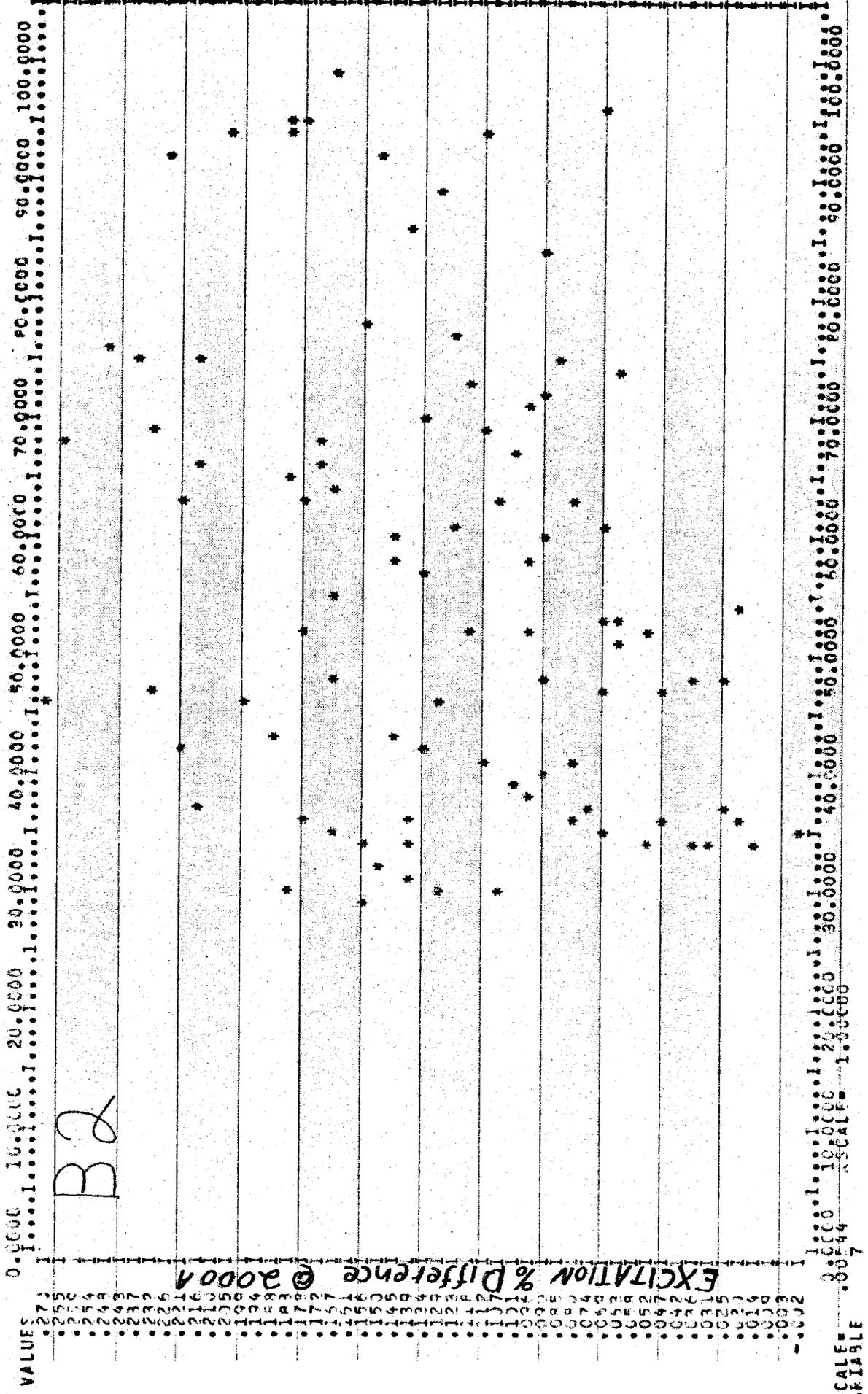


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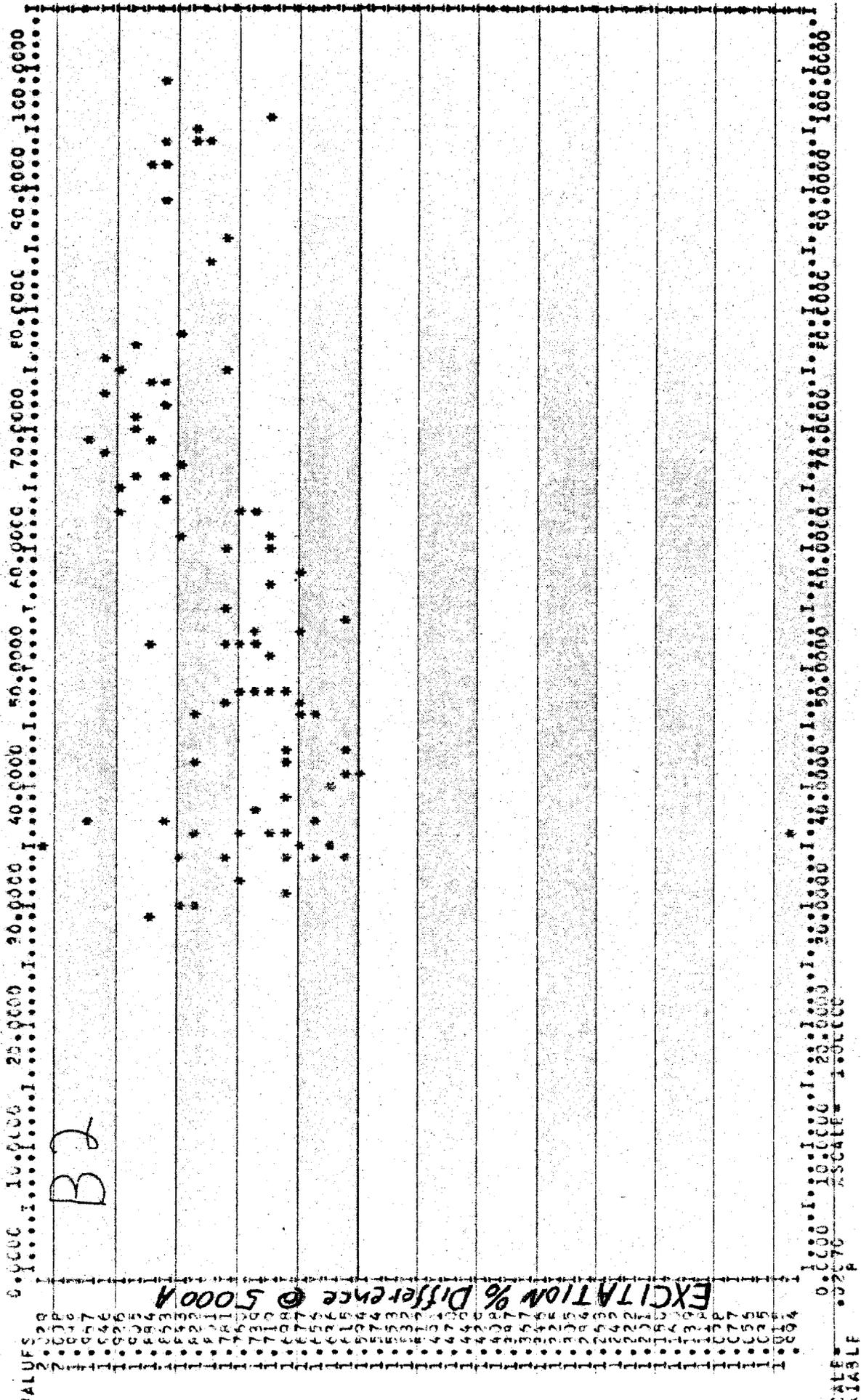


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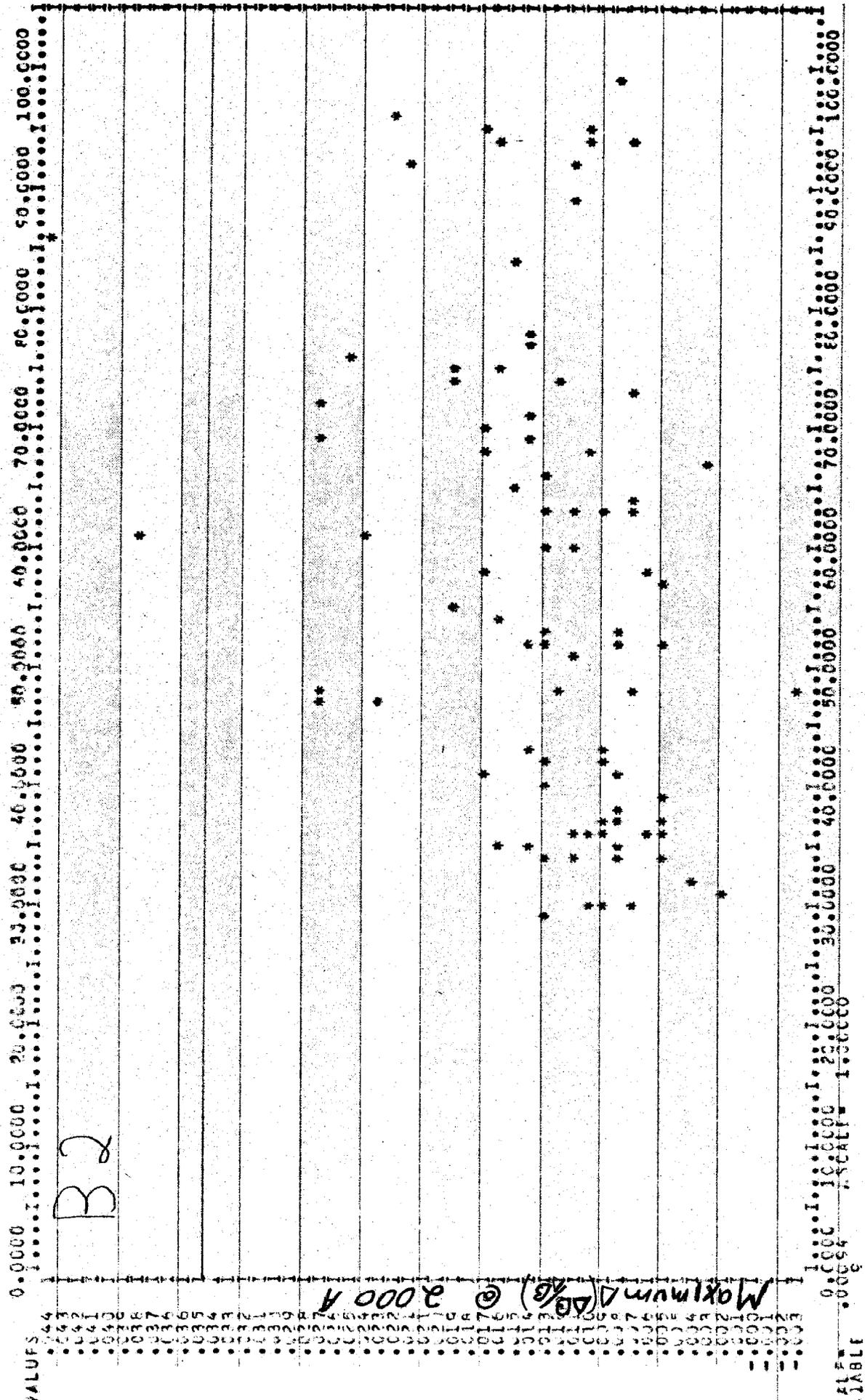


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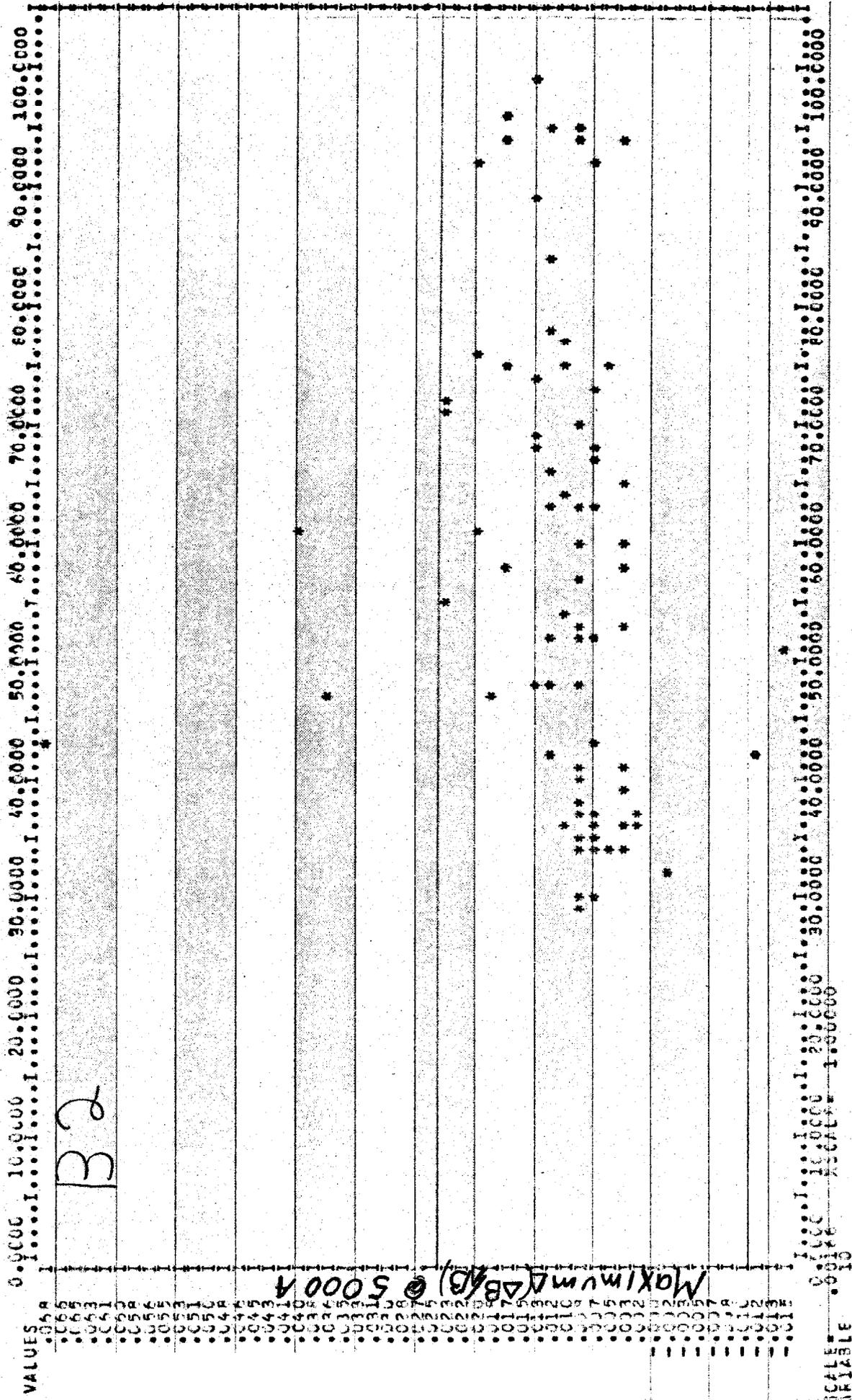


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