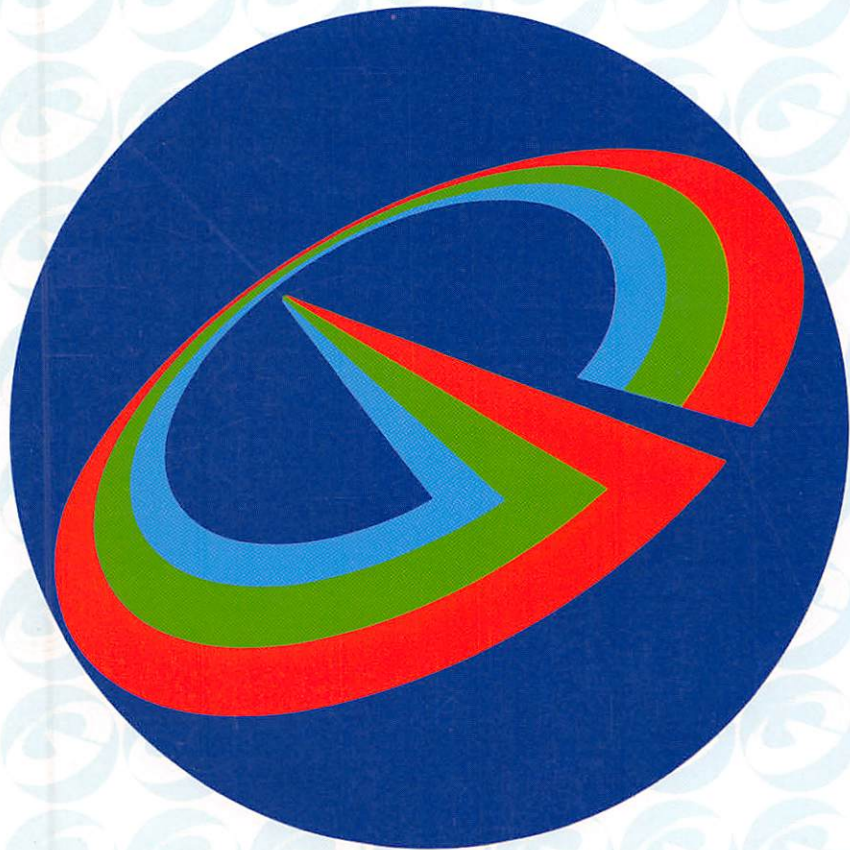


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## Seminar

Dec.2(Fri.)	9:30 a.m.   12:30 p.m.	<b>A-1</b> Computer Architecture for Computer Graphics SC/P • Dennis Allison P • Koichi Omura P • Masatsugu Kidode P • Tsutomu Temma	<b>B-1</b> Digital Arts SC/S • John Strawn S • David Em S • Masahiko Inakage	<b>C-1</b> Object-based Iconic Environments SC • Asao Ishizuka S • William T. Coleman III S • George Fanucci, Jr. S •	<b>D-1</b> European Developments in Computer Graphics: Part 1 SC/S • Reijo Sulonen S • Paul ten Hagen S • Torsten Kjellberg S • Martti Mantyla S • Markku Tamminen
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	2:00 p.m.   5:00 p.m.	<b>A-4</b> Electronic Learning: Part 2 SC • Asao Ishizuka S • George M. White Video presentation by Xerox PARC	<b>B-4</b> Three Dimensional Computer Animation SC/S • Garland Stern S • Lance J. Williams	<b>C-4</b> Graphic Workstations and Workstation Architecture SC/S • Dennis Allison S • Robert D. Chew	<b>D-4</b> Japanese CAE Technologies SC • Shinshiro Matsuoka P • Hirohiko Aya P • Takashi Tohyama P • Norio Okino

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# Seminar B-1

DIGITAL ARTS

(Session Chairman: John Strawn)

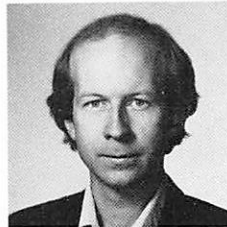
**David Em (U.S.A.): Aesthetics and Computer Techniques**



**Masahiko Inakage (California College of Arts and Crafts, U.S.A.)  
: Sound and Visual Interaction**



**John Strawn (Stanford University, U.S.A.)  
: Graphics-based Methods in Digital Sound Editing**



## Graphics-based Methods in Digital Sound Editing

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Sound, as in music and speech, is often represented in two domains. One, the *time domain*, shows the sound as it changes in time, much as a sound waveform might appear on an oscilloscope. The *frequency domain* shows sound broken into its spectral components, much as a prism breaks light into its composite spectrum. Precise control over the time domain is necessary for splicing sound and performing other operations in sound editing and mixing. Control over the spectral domain is useful for modifying sound and for research into auditory perception. In the past few years, sophisticated systems based on computer graphics have been developed to make editing in the time and spectral domains easier.

A generalized editor allowing access to both time- and frequency-domain representations has been developed for the Lisp machine by David Shipman of the Speech Voice Processing Group, Cambridge, Massachusetts. It combines the sophisticated window and menu systems available on the Lisp machine with the computational power of a Floating Point Systems FPS-100 array processor to provide a work station environment aimed at speech processing.

A number of time-domain editors have been developed at the Center for Computer Research in Music and Acoustics (CCRMA), Stanford. The first, by Loren Rush, is called EdSnd, and allows for detailed editing and control of a single sound recording. A more recent system, dpySnd by W. Schottstaedt, allows for multiple recordings to be manipulated at the same time. These editors are being used in research and especially in composition.

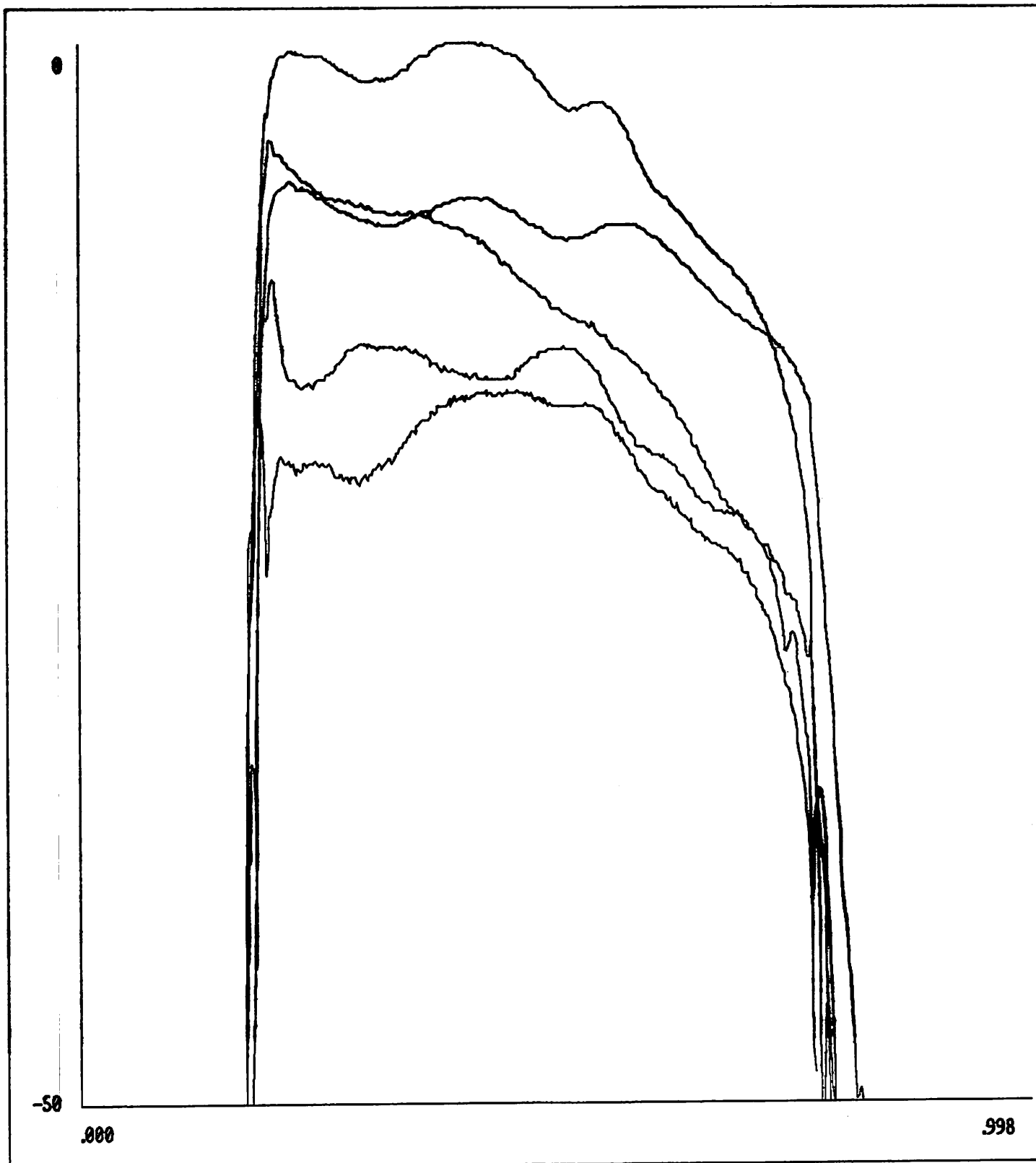
In the commercial world, the SynClavier synthesizer designed and built by New England Digital has an optional analysis/synthesis package which features a sophisticated menu-driven, graphics-based sound editor.

Handling and interpreting time-varying spectral representations of musical sound has until quite recently been complicated by the large amount of data: perhaps 100,000 floating-point numbers for each second of the original recording. At CCRMA, I have designed and implemented a window-based, menu-driven, graphics package for editing time-varying sound spectra. Some of the capabilities of the system are shown in the figures.

These systems will be discussed in this presentation; I will present as many graphics examples as possible. With experience gained using these systems, it is now possible to start to think about designing intelligent graphics-based editors for music. Such systems will have artistic application for composers and performers, and commercial applications in the completely digital audio recording studio of the not-too-distant future.

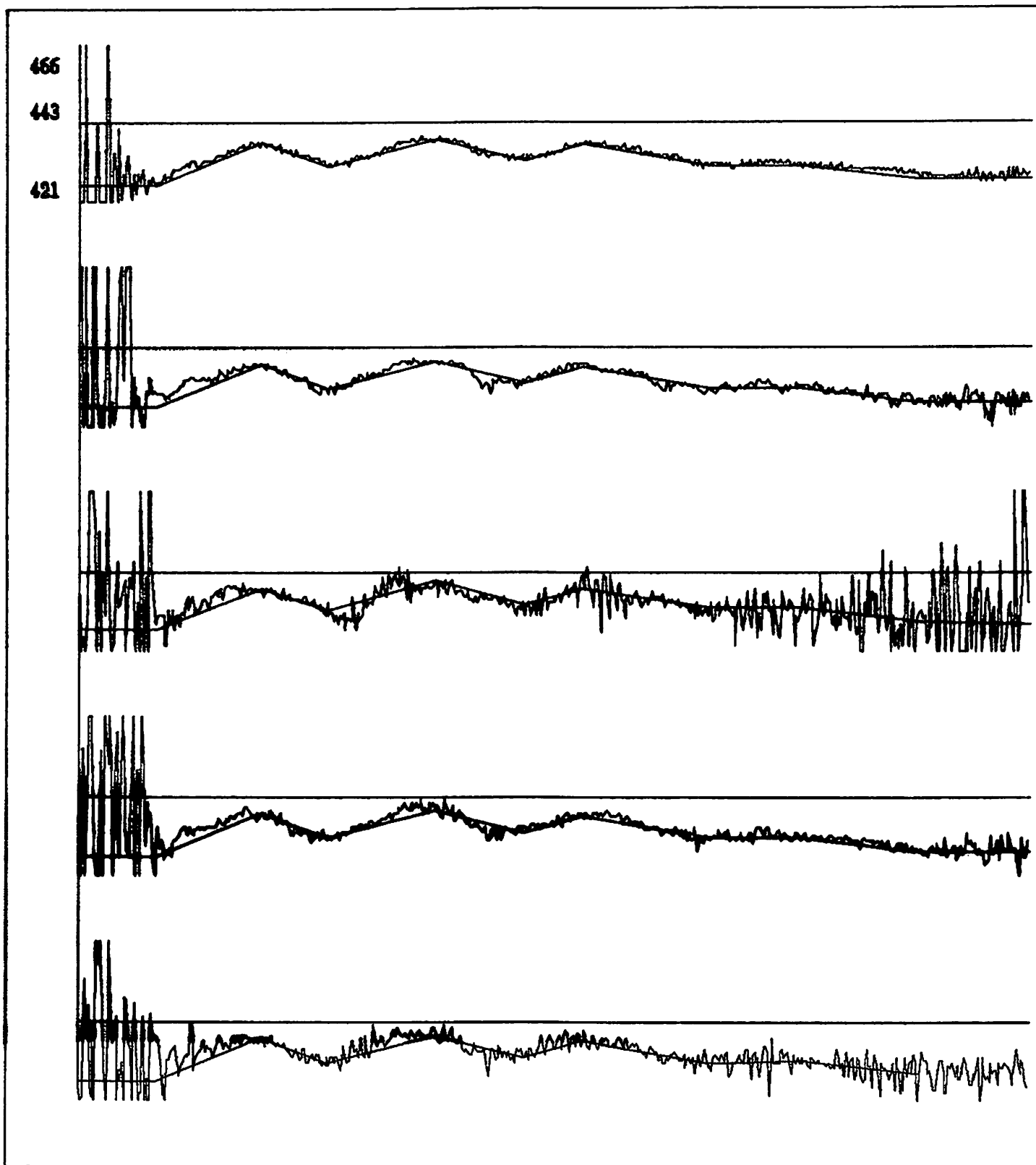
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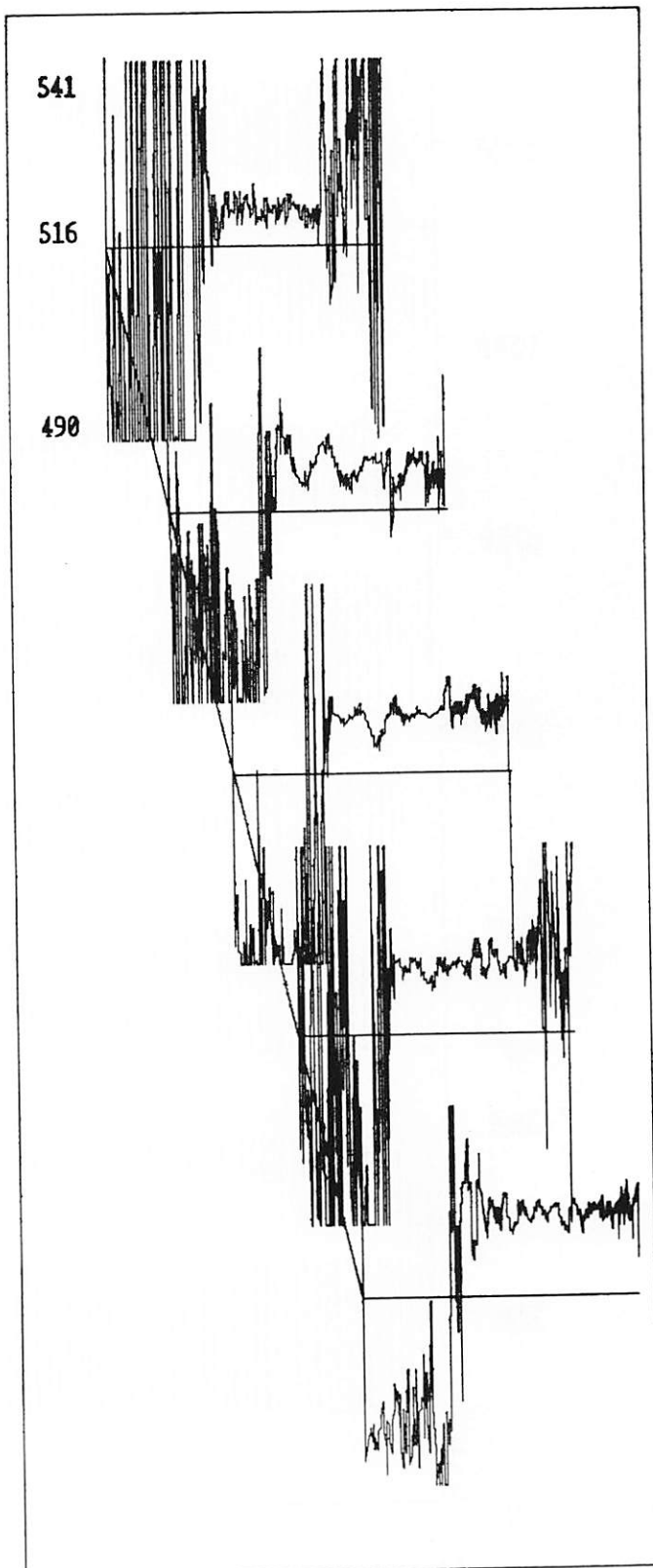
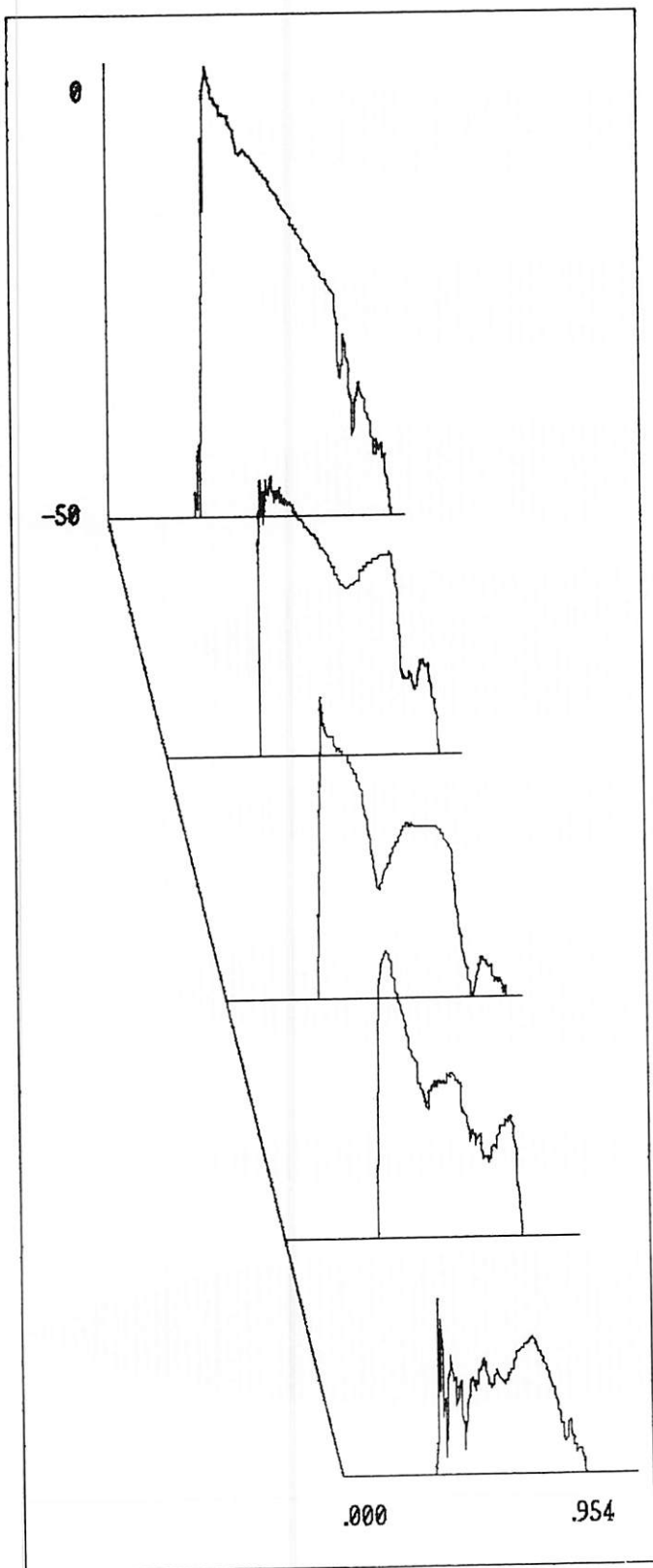


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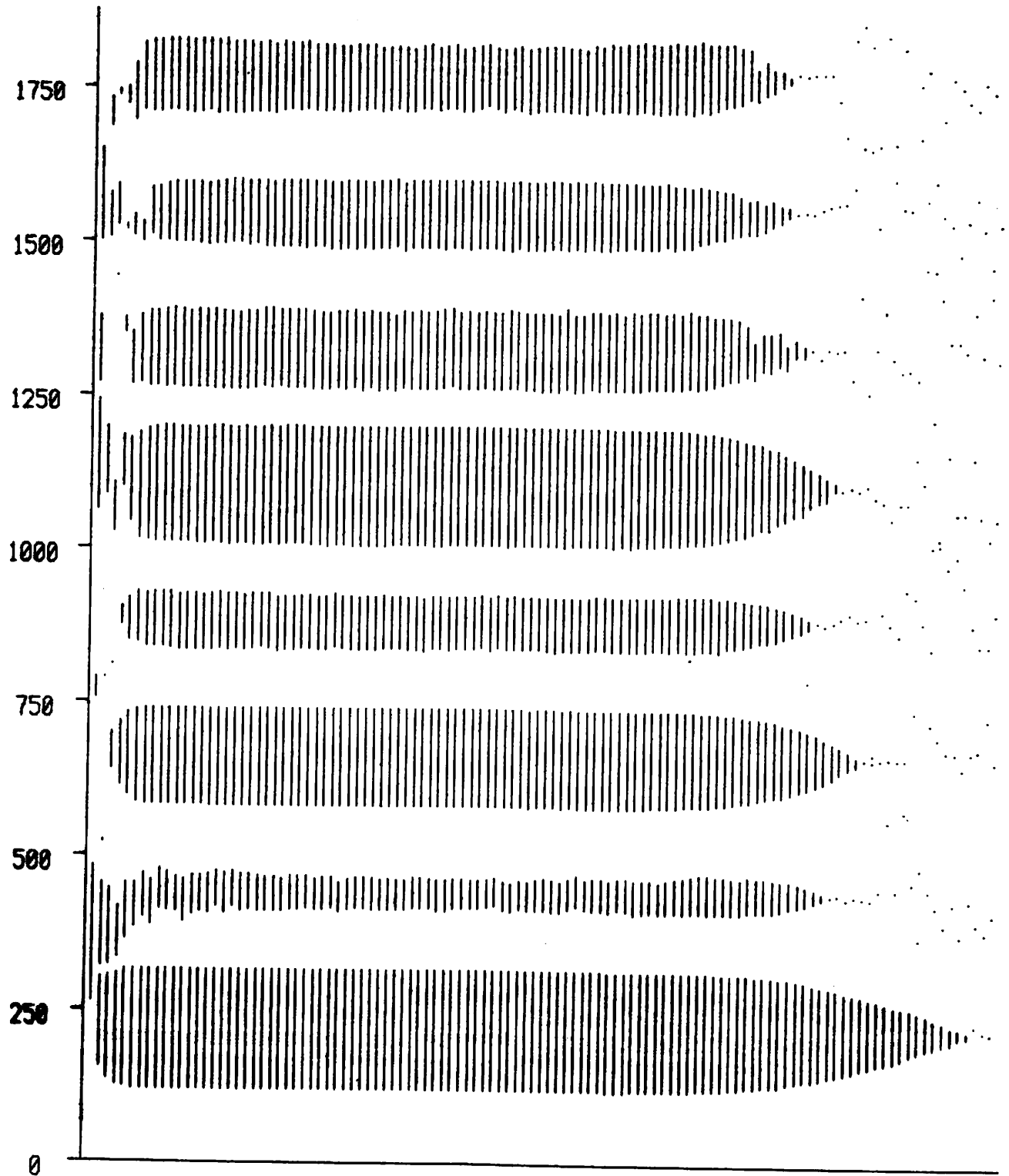




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