

FIG.1 ARIANE 5. LAUNCHER MAIN CHARACTERISTICS

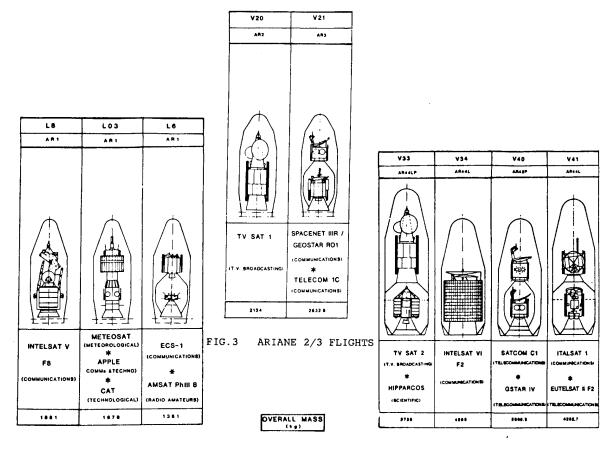


FIG. 2 ARIANE 1 FLIGHTS

FIG.4 ARIANE 4 FLIGHTS

TRIPLE LAUNCH

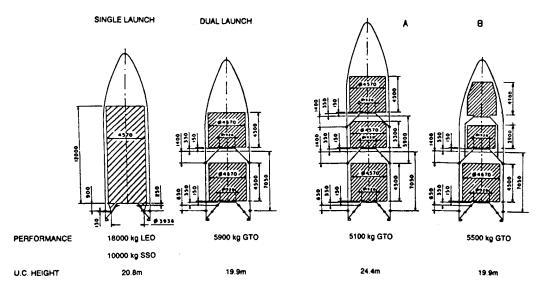


FIG.5 ARIANE 5. UPPER PART CONFIGURATIONS

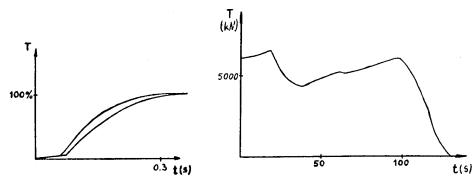


FIG.6 BOOSTER THRUST BUILD-UP & GLOBAL PROFILE

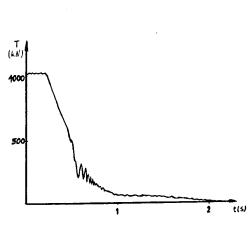


FIG.7 ENGINE SHUT-DOWN

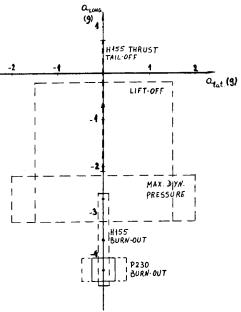


FIG.8 QUASI-STATIC LOADS (PAYLOAD LEVEL)