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APPENDIX II

Sooting/Fracture Diagrams

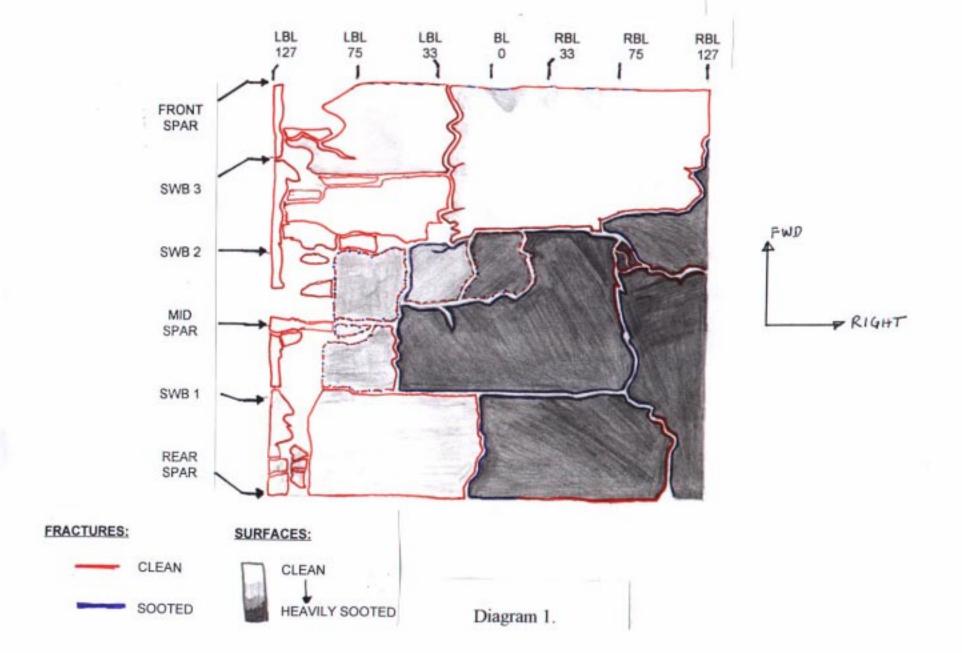
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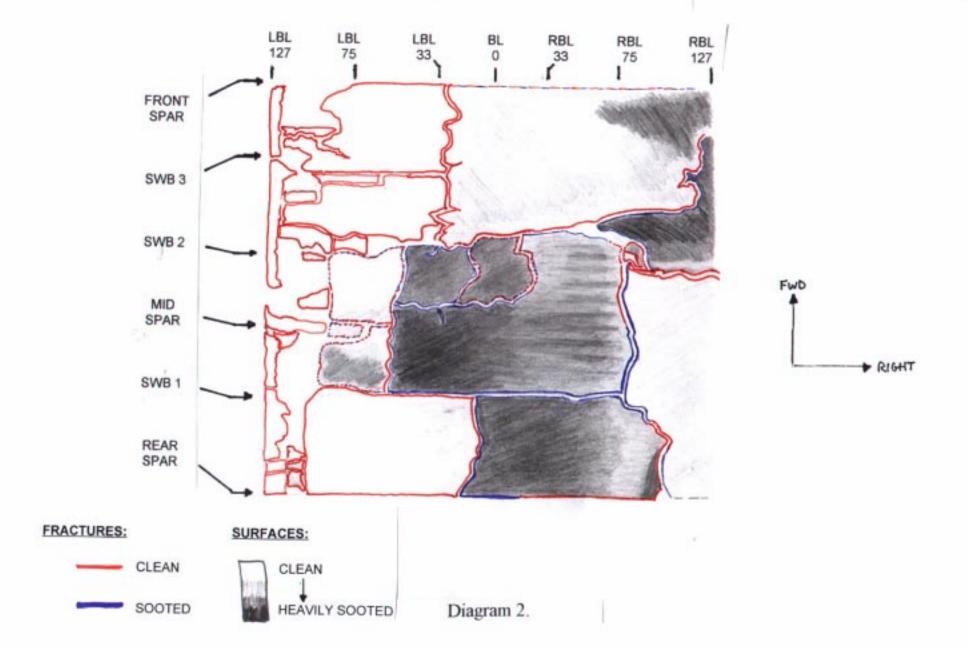
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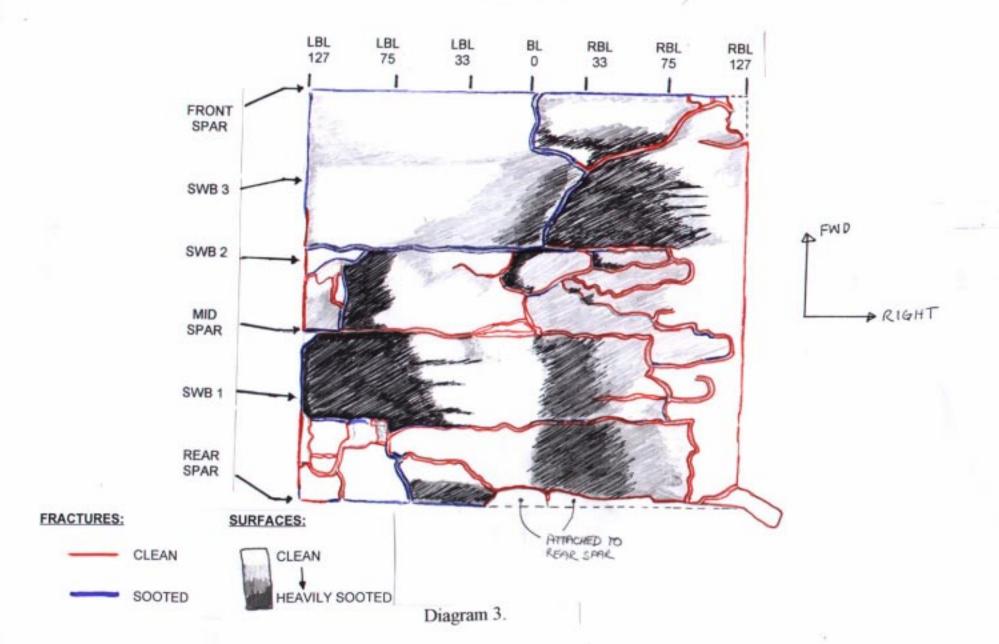
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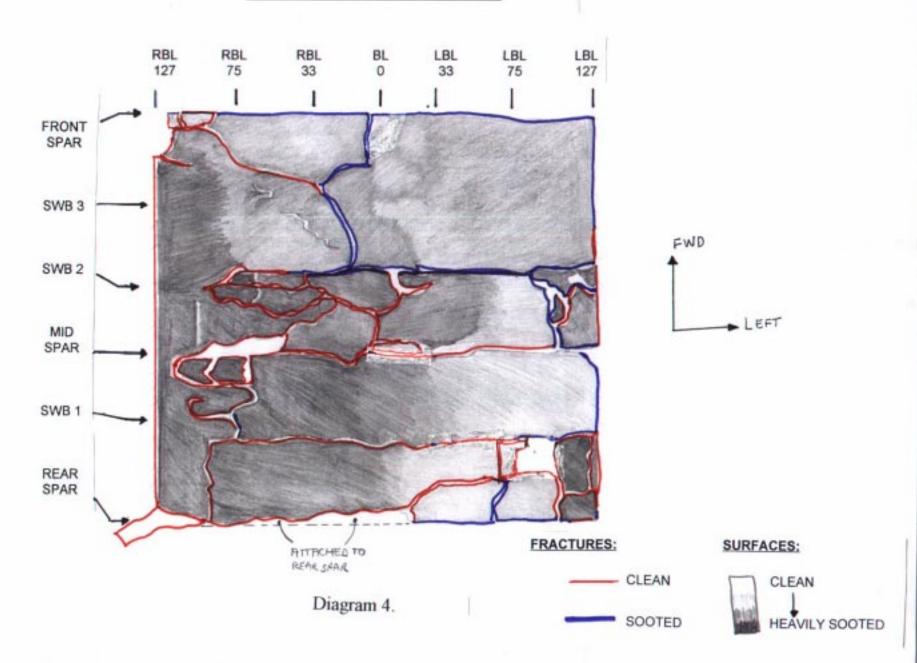
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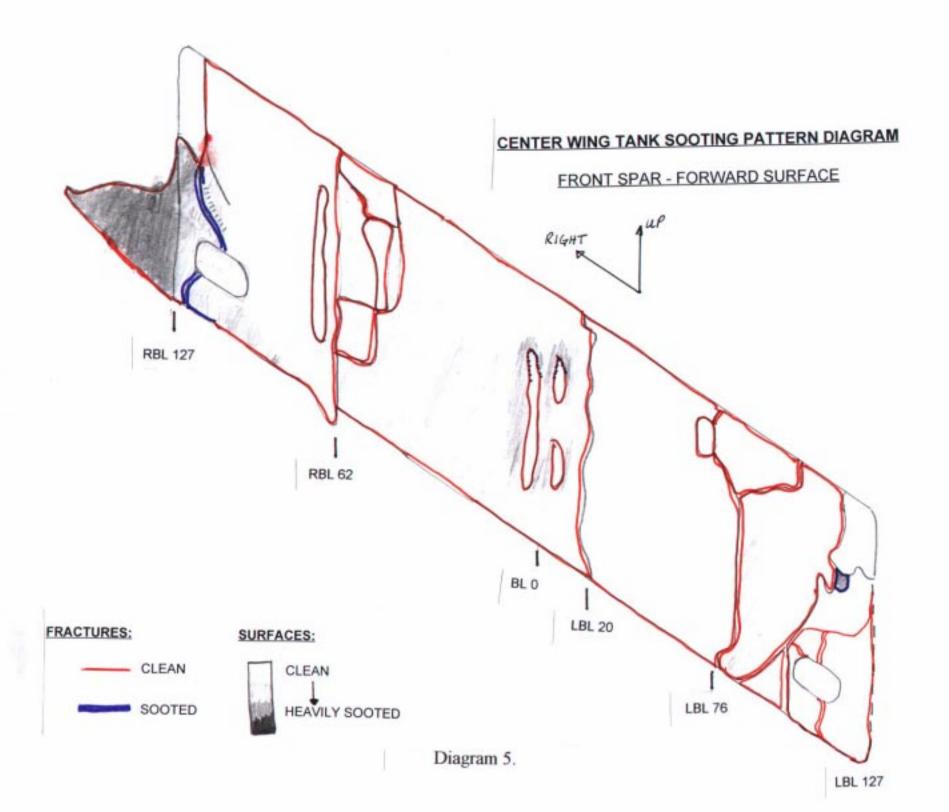


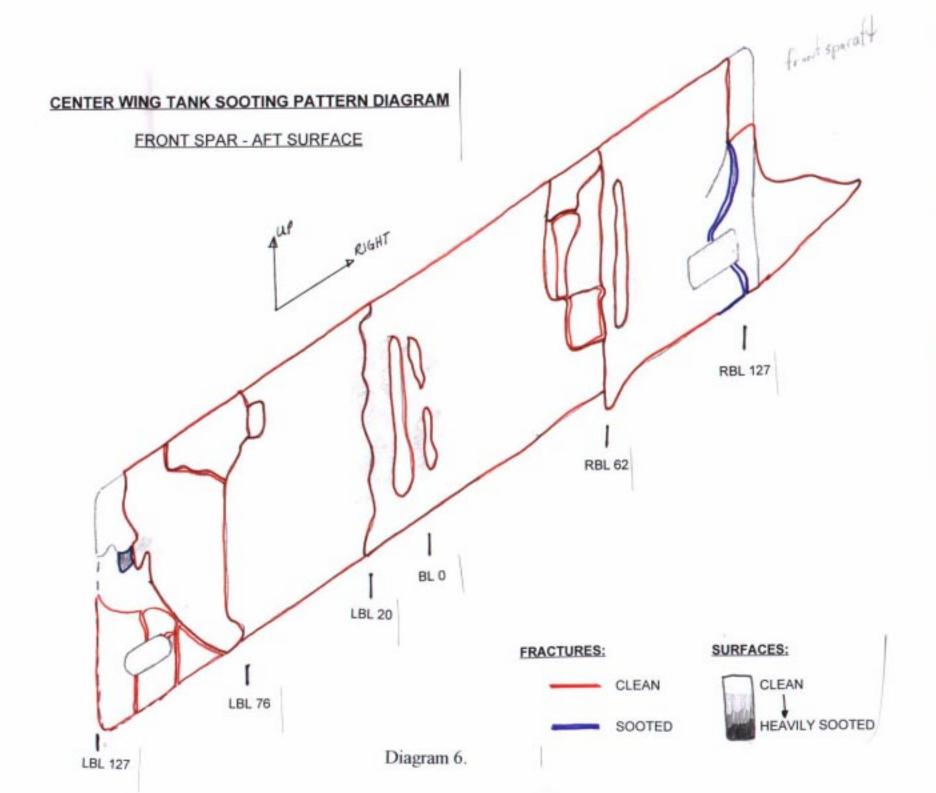
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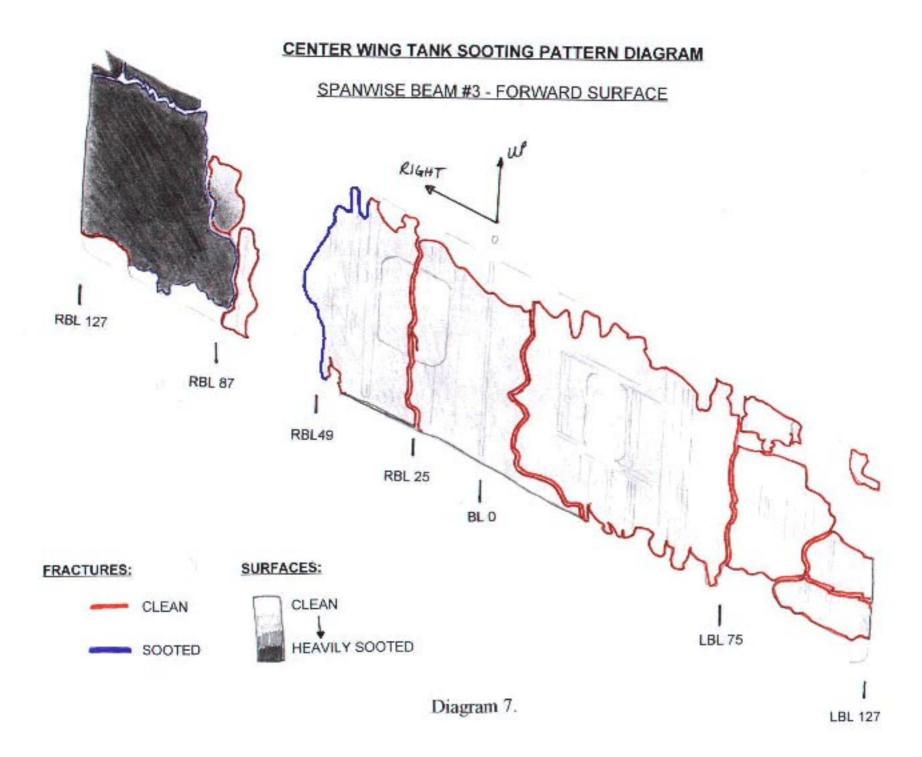


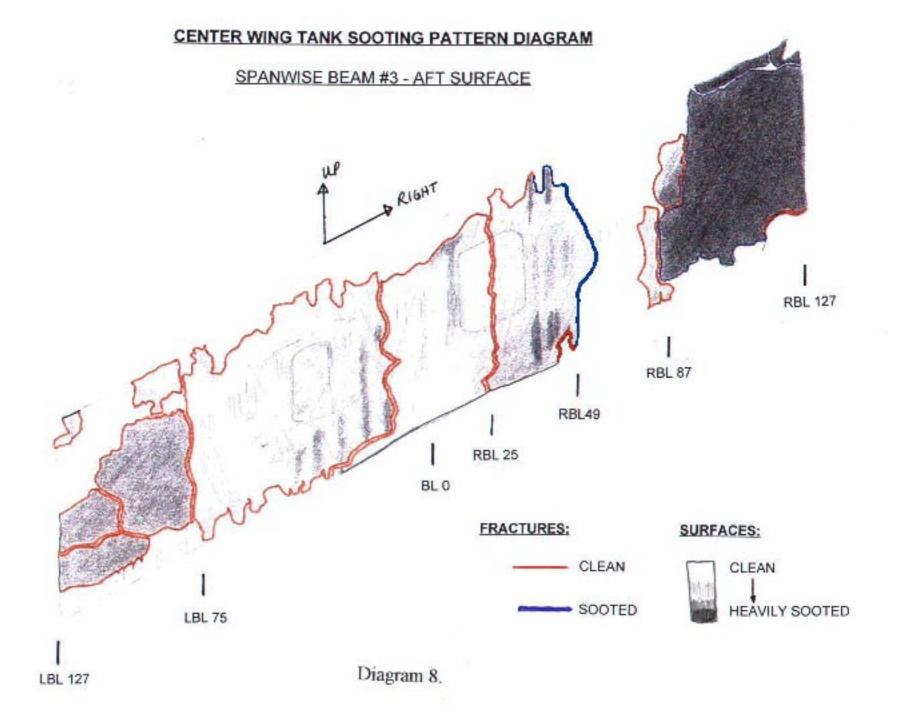
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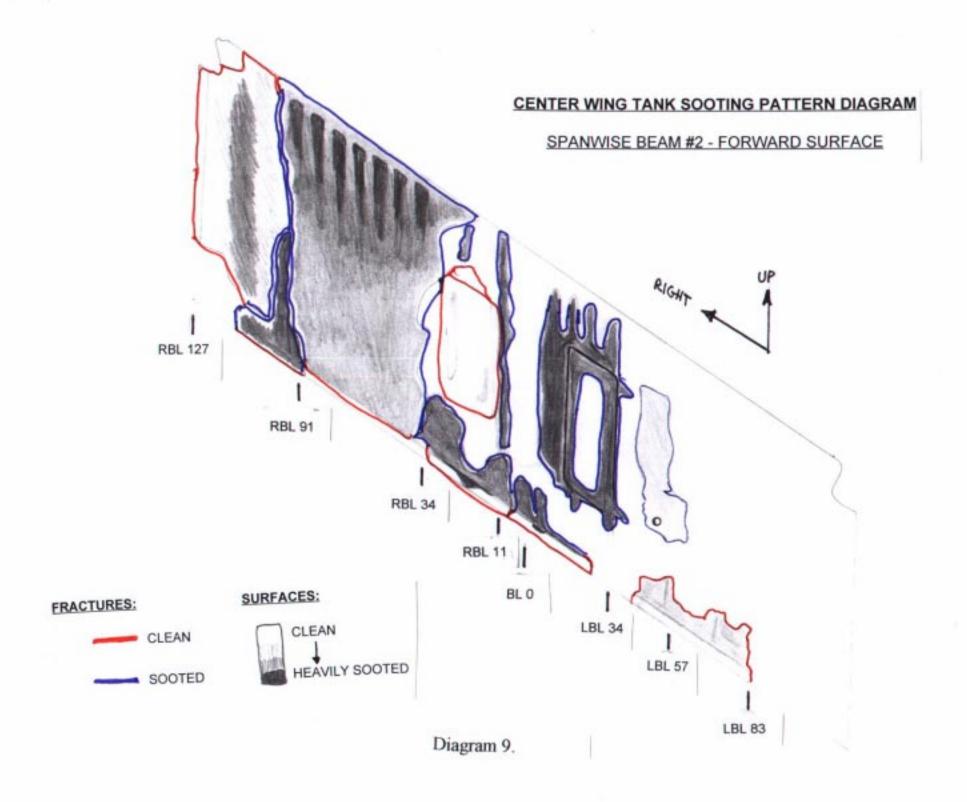


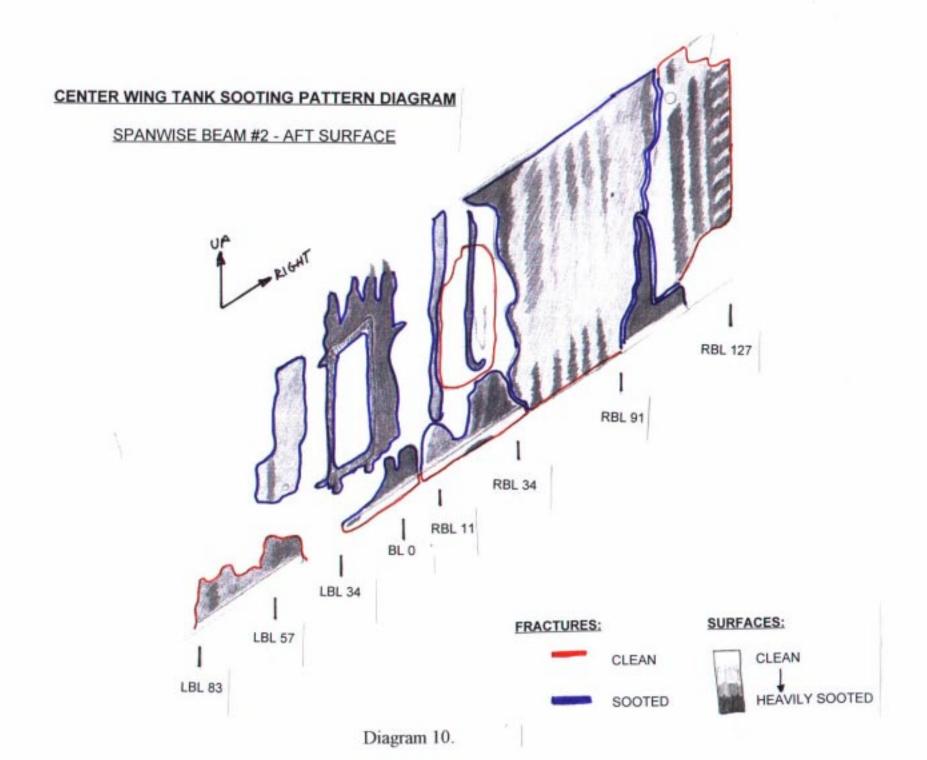


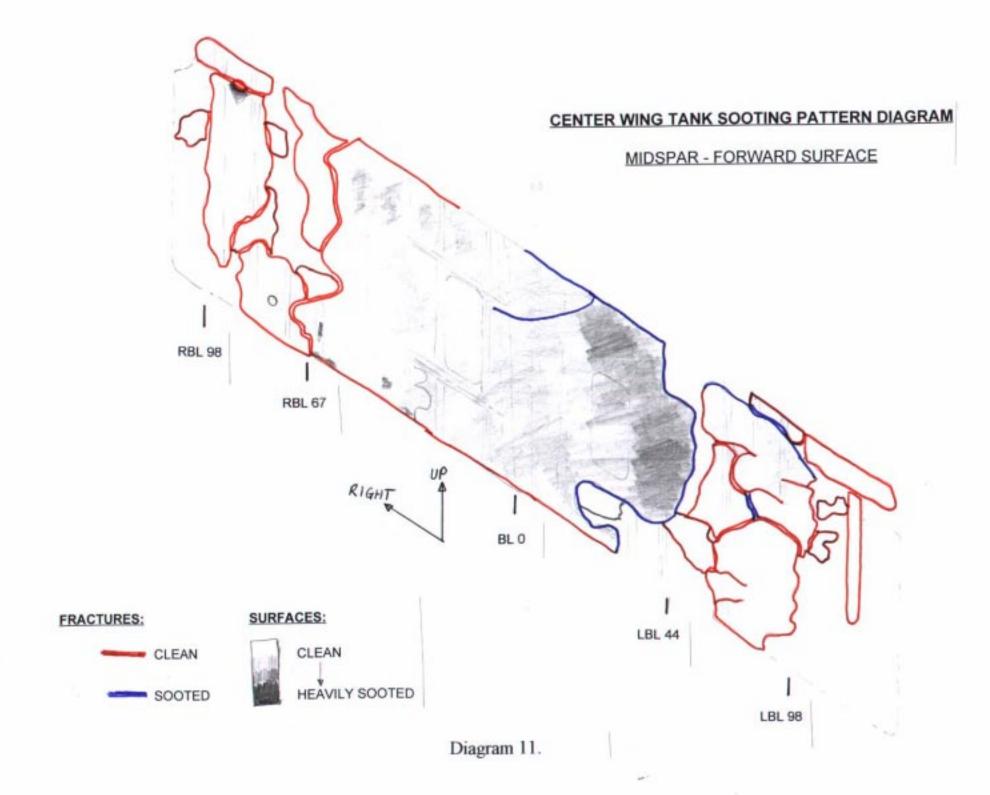


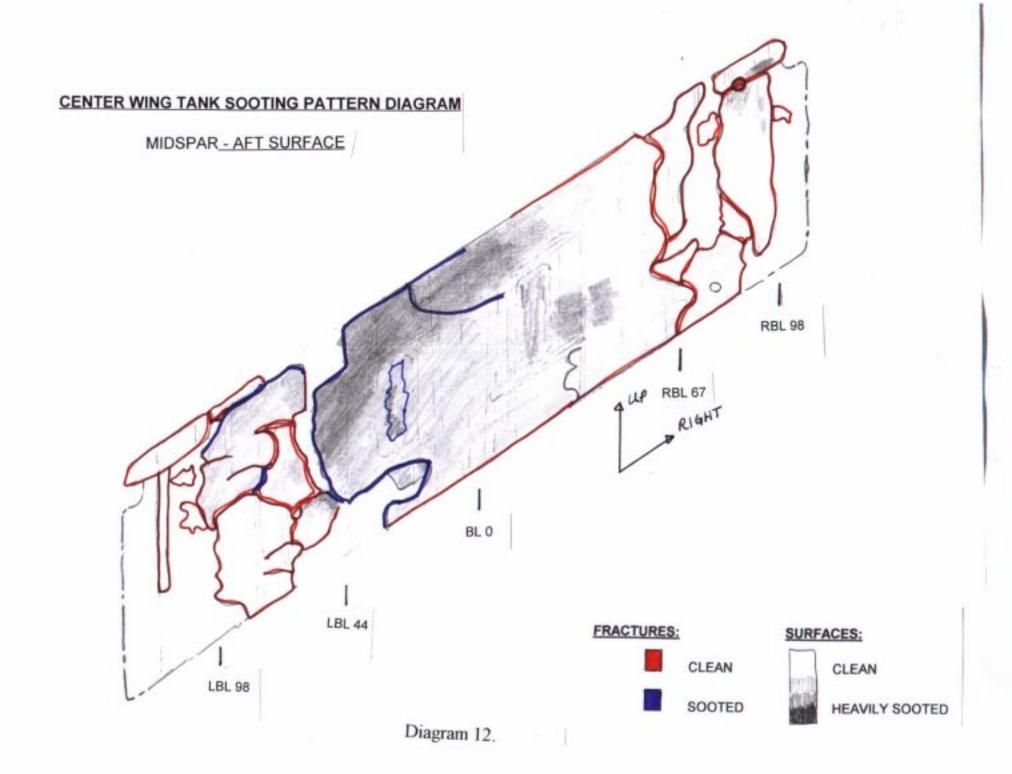


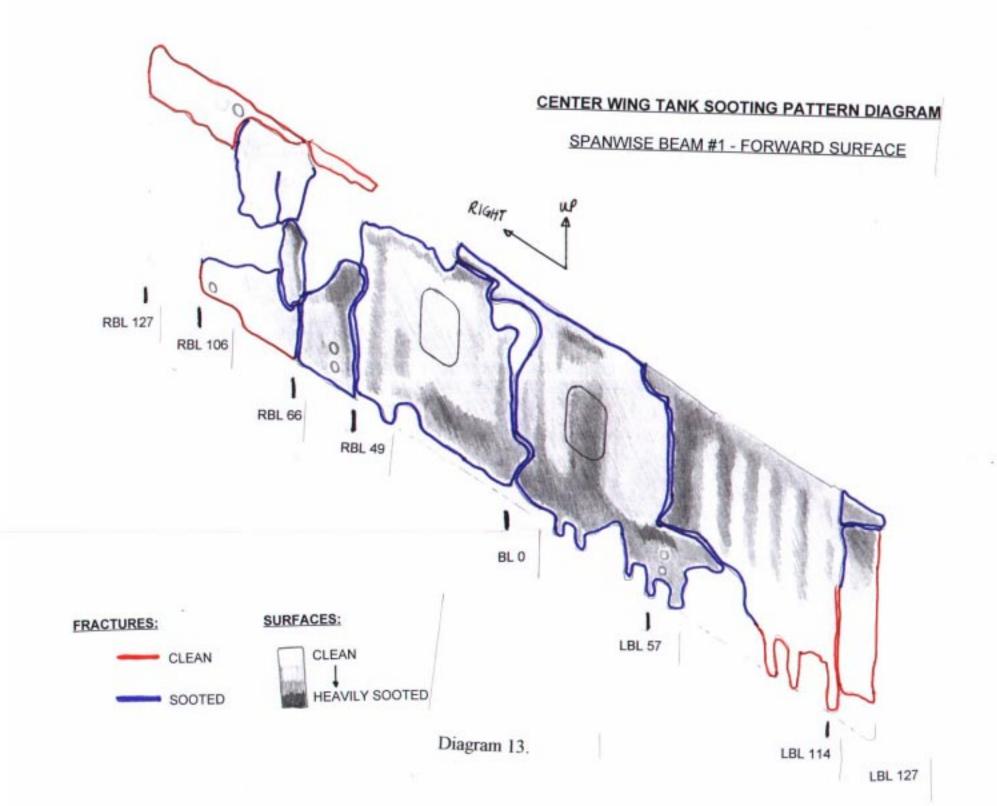


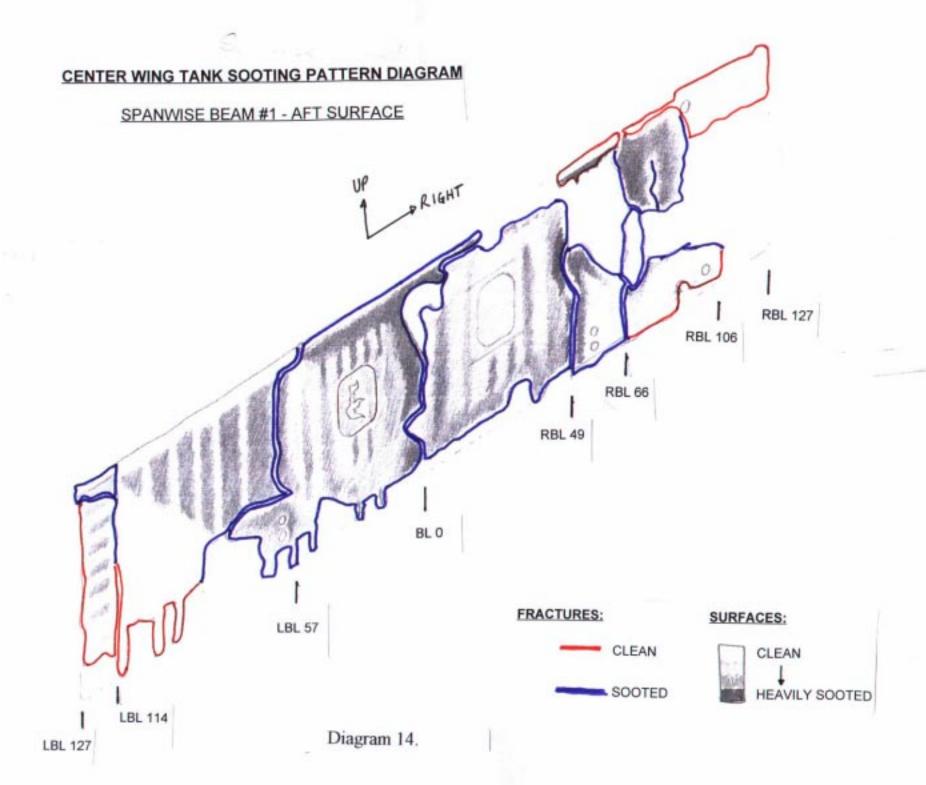


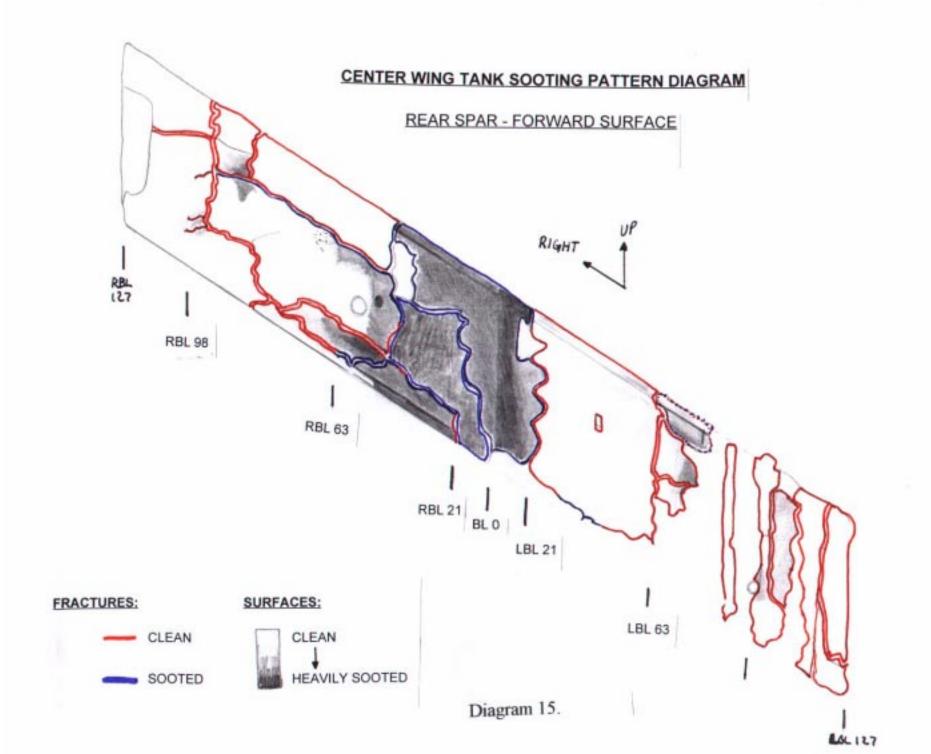


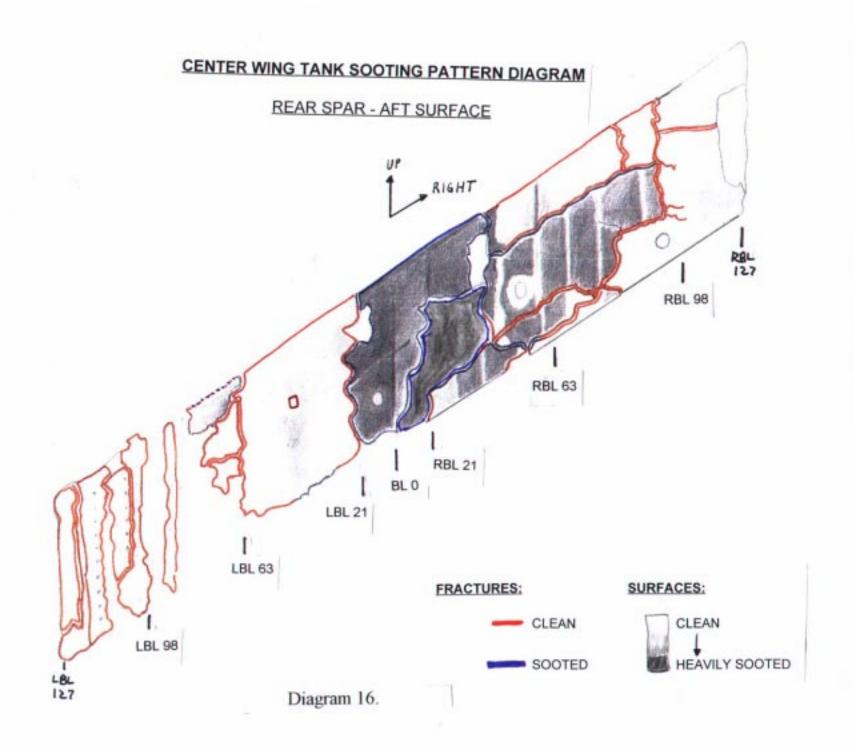












BL 0 RIB - LEFT SURFACE

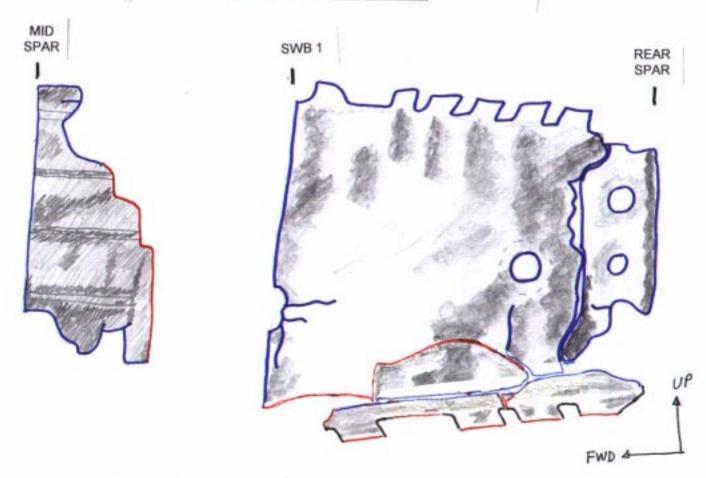




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BL 0 RIB - RIGHT SURFACE

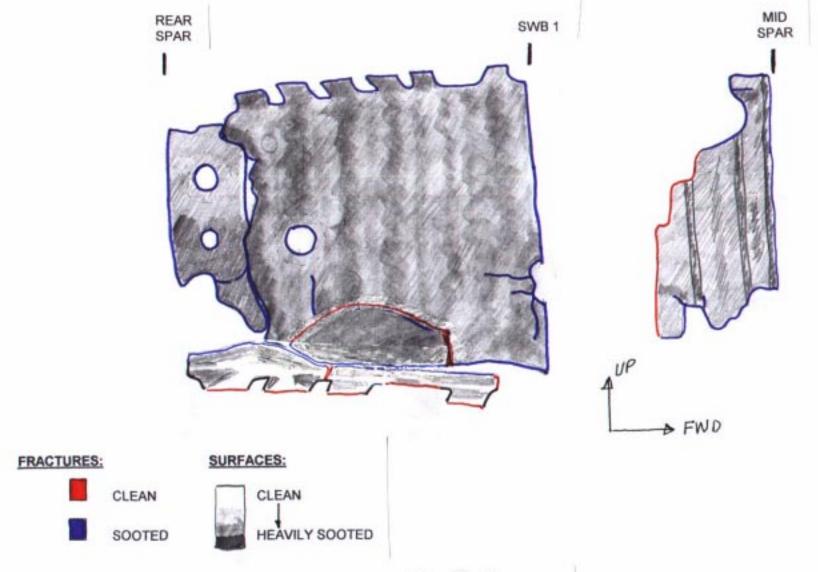
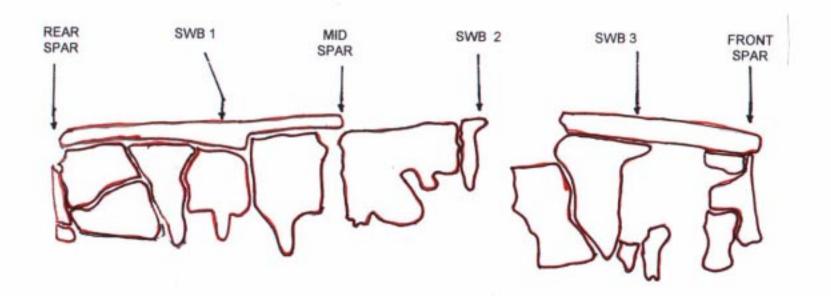


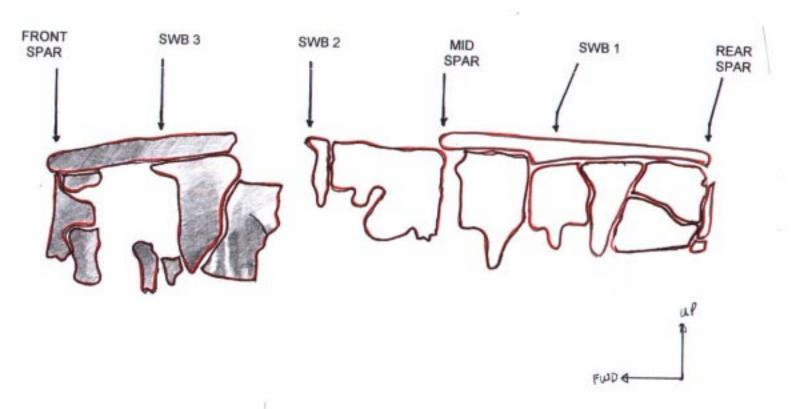
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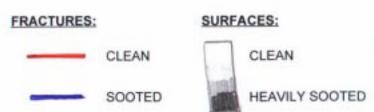
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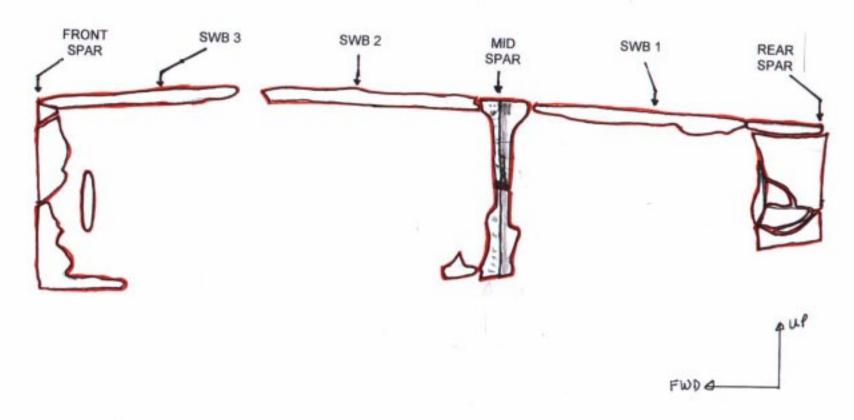


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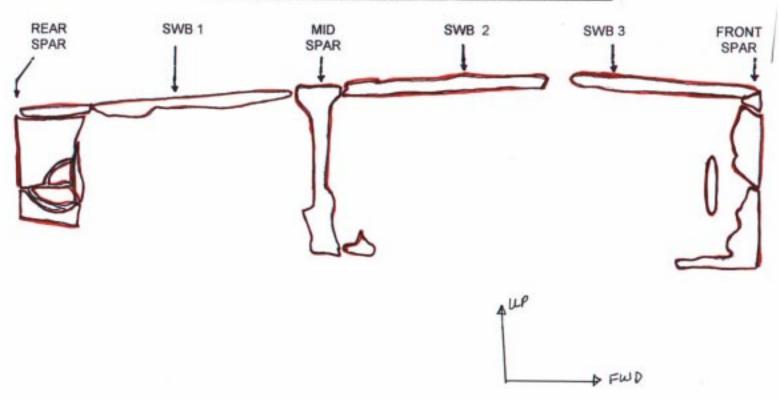


LEFTHAND SIDE OF BODY RIB - OUTBOARD SURFACE





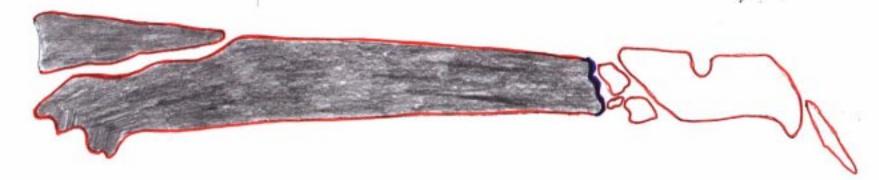
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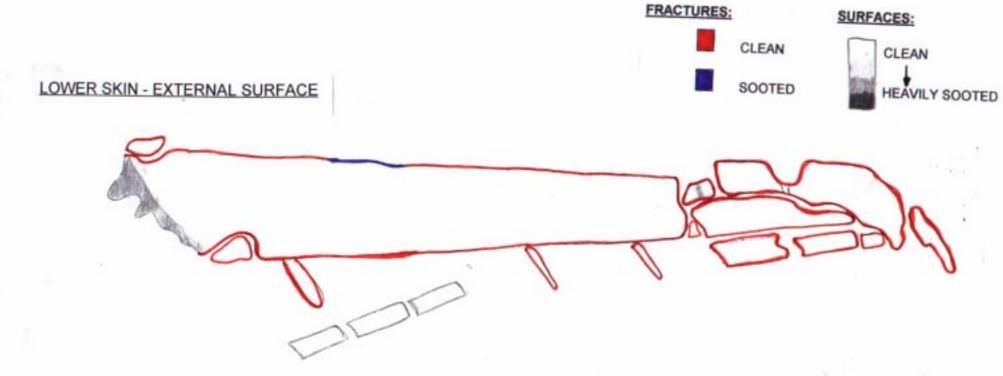




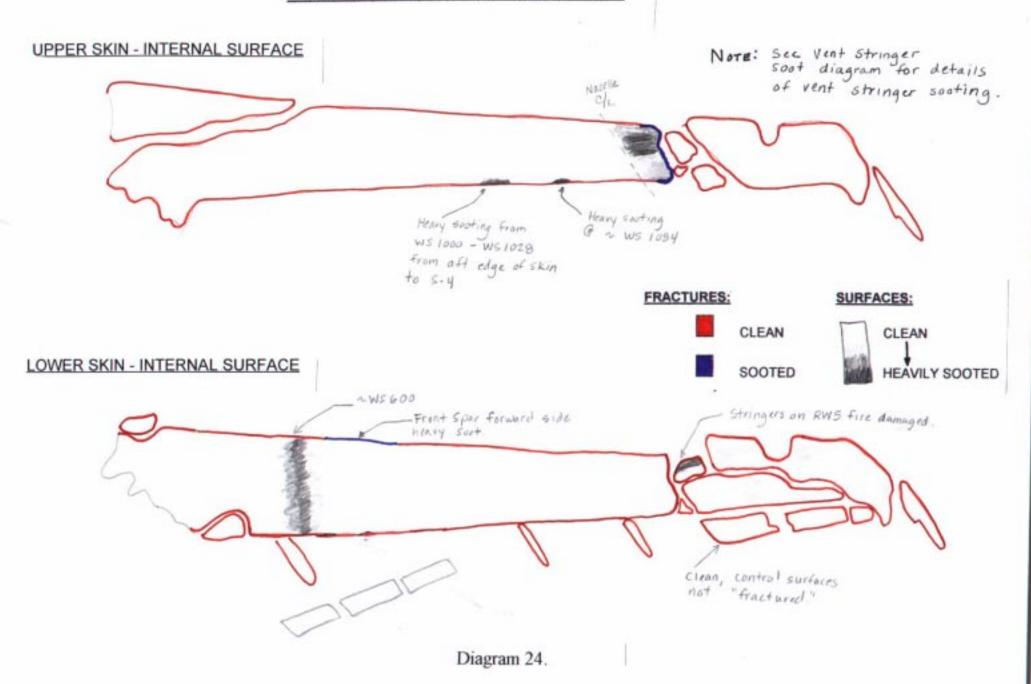
RIGHT WING SOOTING PATTERN DIAGRAM

UPPER SKIN - EXTERNAL SURFACE





RIGHT WING SOOTING PATTERN DIAGRAM



LEFT WING SOOTING PATTERN DIAGRAM

UPPER SKIN - EXTERNAL SURFACE

NOTE: Many small pieces of the upper skin are not shown on the diagram.

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Note: With the exception of the piece noted, the external surface of the upper skin is clean. The control surfaces do show sooting and fire damage to the composite parts.

LOWER SKIN - EXTERNAL SURFACE

FRACTURES:

CLEAN

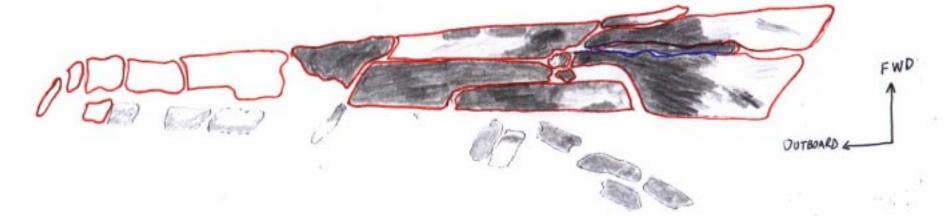
SOOTED



SURFACES:

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HEAVILY SOOTED



LEFT WING SOOTING PATTERN DIAGRAM

UPPER SKIN - INTERNAL SURFACE

NOTE: Many small pieces of the upper skin are not shown on the diagram.

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FRACTURES:

CLEAN

SOOTED

SURFACES:

CLEAN

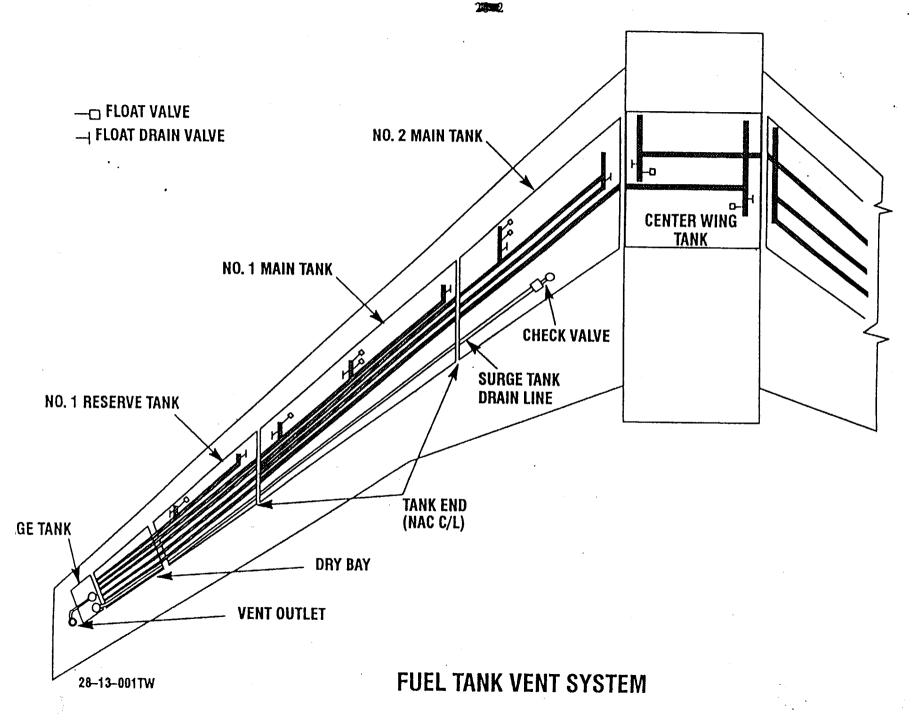
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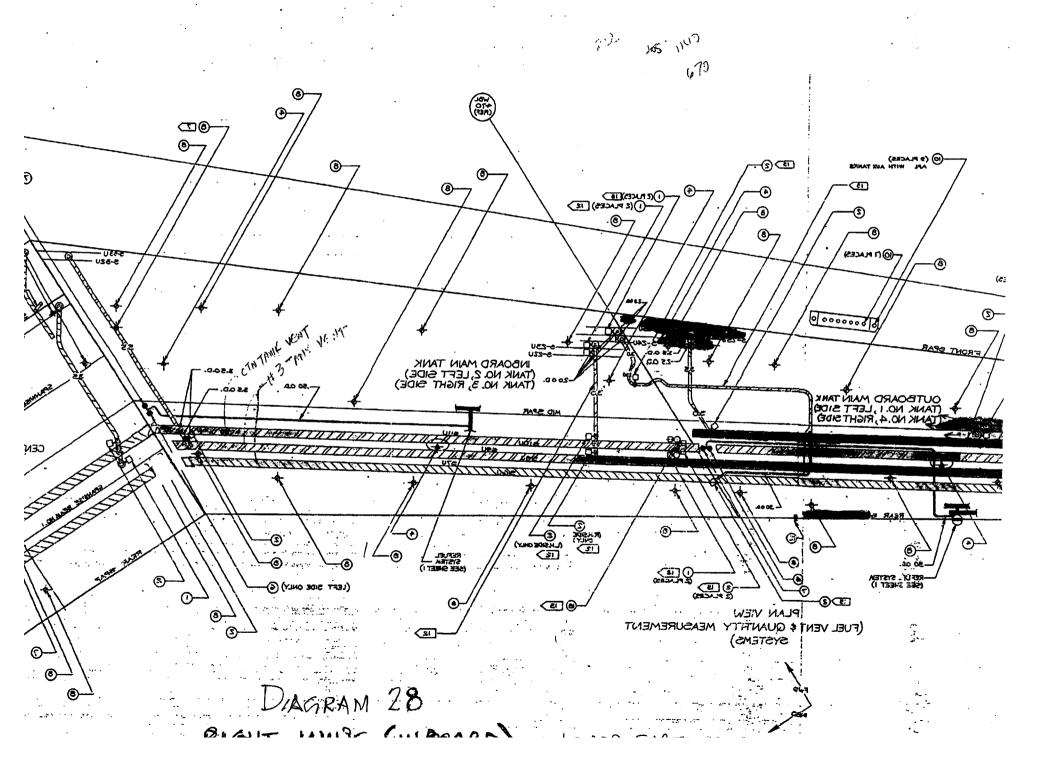
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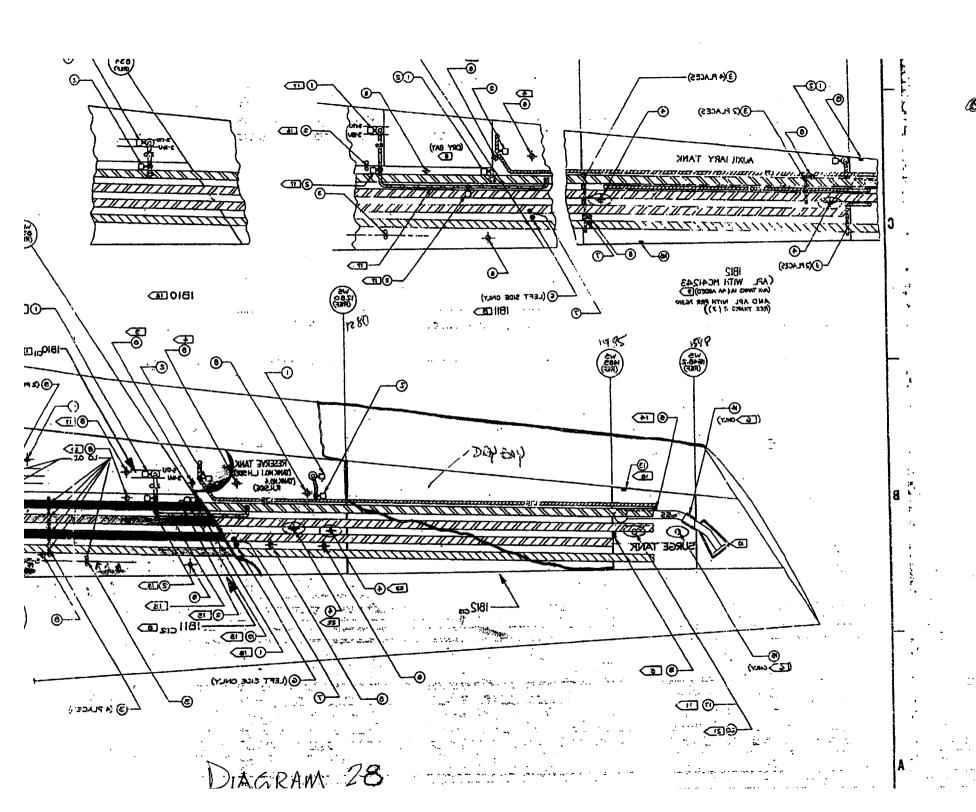
NOTE: SEE vent stringer soot diagram for details of vent stringer sooting.

LOWER SKIN - INTERNAL SURFACE

OUTOSARD A







Seat Damage Center Wing Tank Area Data gathered by Fire and Explosion Group

Diagram 29

Fire Damage and/or Soot

Not Recovered/Identified

