



A COLLECTION OF CASIM CALCULATIONS

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Monte Carlo calculations of hadronic cascades at Fermilab have usually been done using the code CASIM written by A. Van Ginneken.^{1,2} These calculations are often performed to determine the quantity of shielding required for radiation protection purposes. A number of examples of such calculations are presented in Ref. 1. Several years of practical experience have led the author to develop the collection of additional cases included in the present report. It is hoped that these results along with those given in Ref. 1 will serve as a useful reference. No attempt was made here to consider "all" possibilities; rather, the purpose was to develop a useful set of examples. Exceptionally intricate cases should, of course, receive individualized attention as appropriate.

For these examples, the FORTRAN-V version of CASIM as modified for the Fermilab-CYBER system was used in all cases. As is customary with this version, elastic scattering (Coulomb and nuclear diffractive) were included in the calculations. The usual lower momentum cutoff of 0.3 GeV/c was employed so that all conversion factors used to convert stars/cm³ to mrad or mrem described in Ref. 1 and also by Peter Gollon³ would be valid. An additional feature of this version of the program used here is that the incident beam profile is a Gaussian. All calculations were made using protons as the incident beam. Experience indicates the choice of incident hadron makes little difference. Several different materials were used in the calculations presented here. As is described elsewhere,⁴ it appears that a density of 2.24 grams/cm² is appropriate for soil compacted into a berm. Concrete was chosen to have a density of 2.4 grams/cm² and the same average atomic number (11) and atomic weight (23) as the soil. Where no material is indicated, vacuum is assumed. These calculations were all performed using cylindrical symmetry in order to keep the geometry simple. The

results are shown as contour plots of equal star density per incident proton as a function of depth(Z) and radius(R) superimposed upon a scale drawing of the situation under consideration. It should be noted that both feet and cm scales are given and that the abscissa and ordinate scales are not the same. The figures hopefully have enough information on them to be largely self-explanatory. Descriptions of groups of figures follow below giving additional commentary where necessary. The author will maintain the original printouts on file if more detailed reference to them is desired.

Group I - Figures 1-8
Case of a Magnet in an Enclosure

Here a magnet very similar in cross section to a 10 ft long EPB dipole or Energy Saver dipole, was modeled having rectangular dimensions (3.8 x 12.7 cm aperture and 31.8 x 40.6 cm outside). No allowance was made for the vacuum can. The beam was brought in "head on" to the magnet one value of σ deep into one of the pole pieces. The beam was centered on the magnet and no magnetic field was used. These cases are useful to get worst case estimates since all situations involving "scraping" losses on the magnet would be somewhat lower. Scraping loss cases were not attempted here since they are so dependent upon individual beam profiles. Figures 5-8 show the effects of a 2 ft thick steel shield installed both downstream of the magnet and directly over it in order to show the effect of the placement of steel as it is used to gain economy of space in typical situations. The figures with pure soil shields show two different enclosure radii; 3 ft and 6 ft. If one does the calculation for a 20 ft long magnet, the contours do not move outward; rather the region of peak dose is merely extended.

Group II - Figures 9-12 -
Case of a Thin Beam Pipe in an Enclosure

In these four figures are shown contour plots for a 4-inch (outside) diameter aluminum beam pipe having 1/8 inch thick walls. The beam was modeled to be centered on the pipe one mm from the inner wall of the pipe. Again, scraping loss cases would be less severe so that this situation is again conservative. A beam as small as $\sigma = 2$ cm is also a rather severe assumption for normal beam transport lines. Again two different enclosure radii are used.

Group III - Figures 13-16
Thick Steel Pipes in an Enclosure

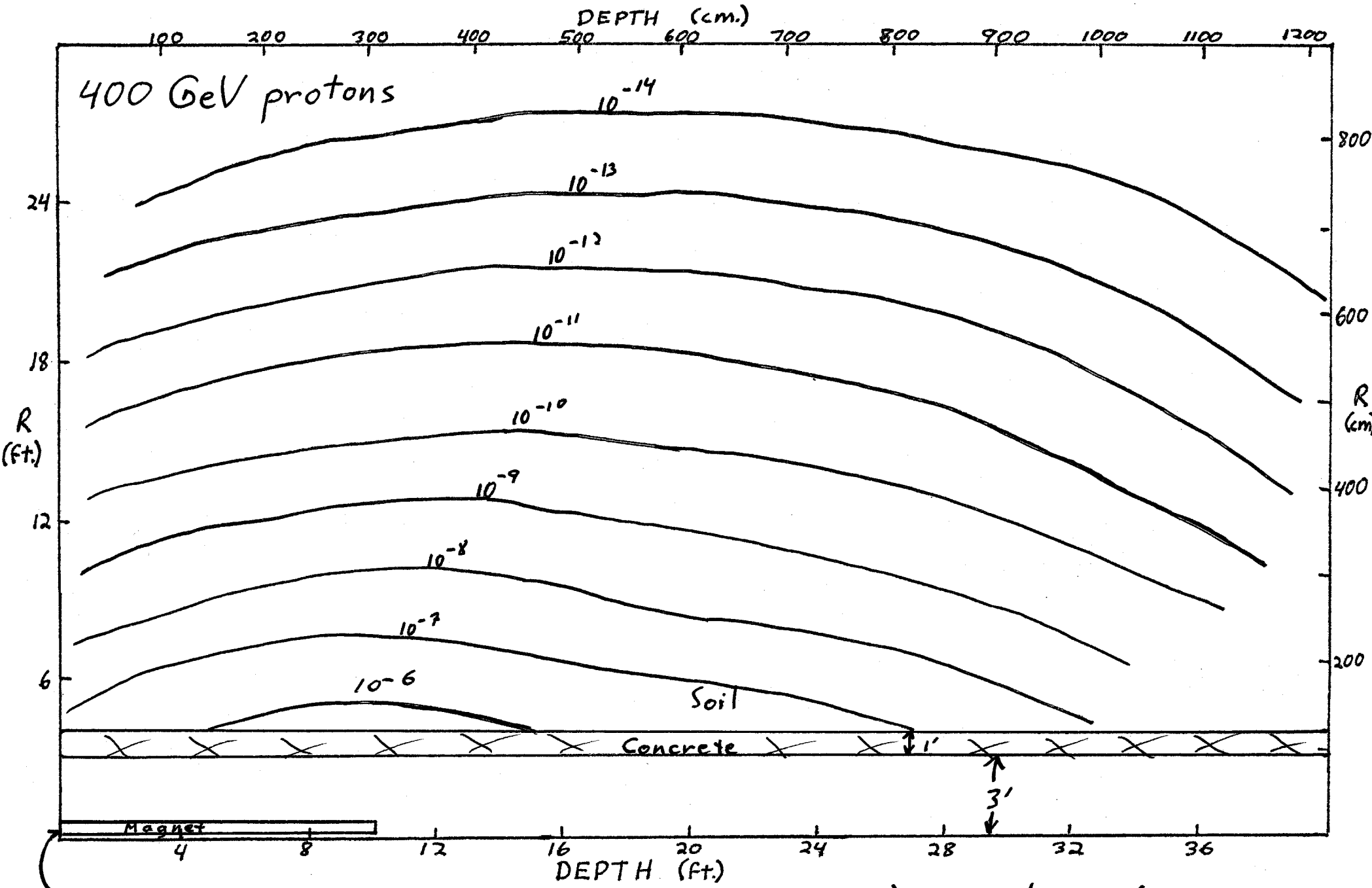
These are similar to the situation of Group II except that a one ft diameter steel pipe with 1/2 inch thick walls is the target. The beam hits the pipe head-on one value of sigma from the inner wall.

Group IV - Figures 17-20
Steel Pipe Buried in Soil

The same pipe considered as the target in Group III is now buried in soil. The targeting conditions are the same as before. Figures 19 and 20 show the effect of 3 ft of steel shielding over the pipe. If one considers scraping losses, the same peak star density is obtained at a given value of R but the value of Z for the shower maximum is a function of the details of the targeting conditions as long as most of the beam eventually interacts in the soil. Of course, for short runs of beam pipe, very small scraping angle, and large beam sizes, this may be important. Such cases should be individually treated.

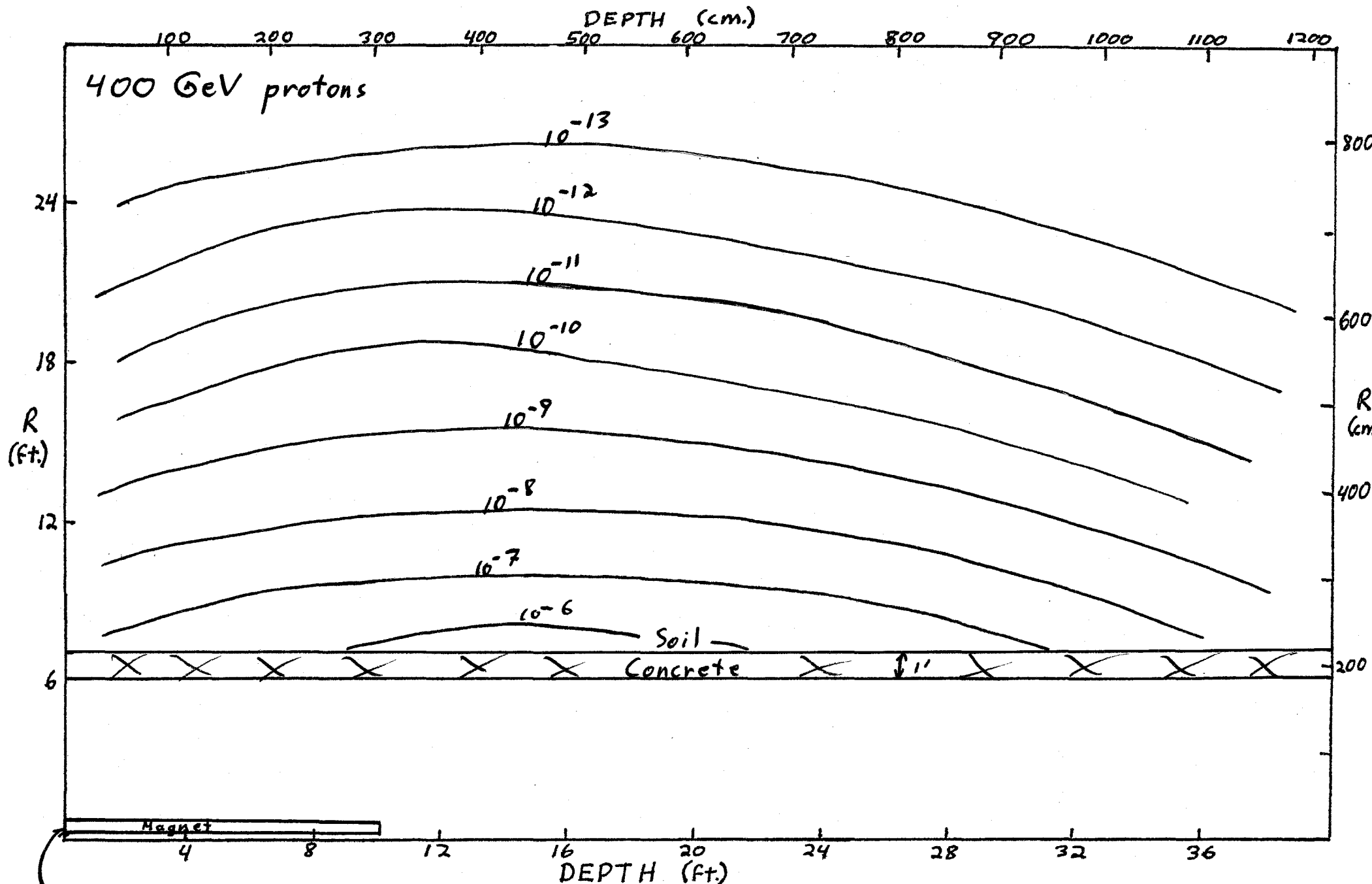
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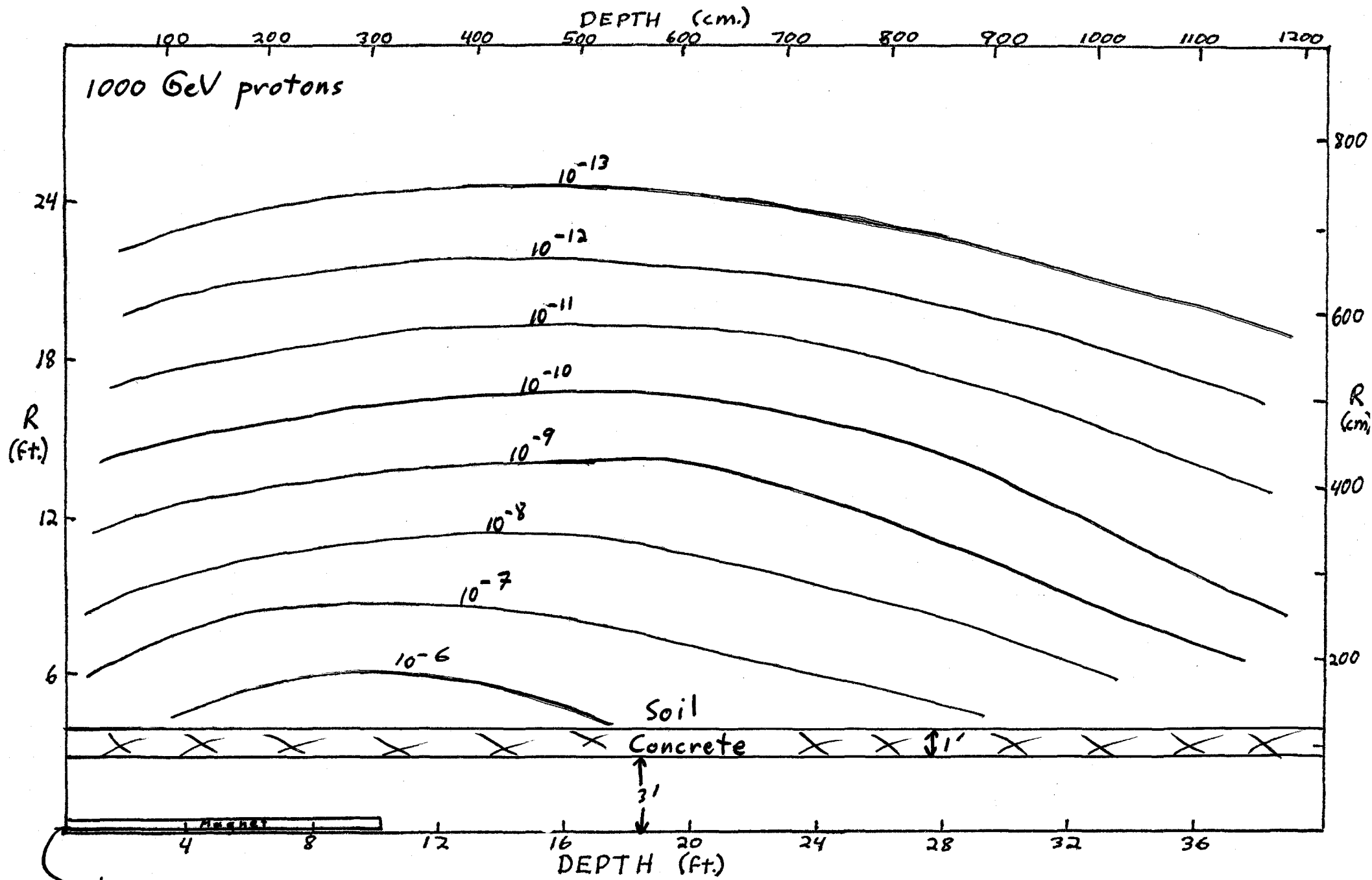


beam in a $\sigma = 2\text{mm}$ spot strikes a magnet (see text) in an enclosure of 3' radius,
Contours of stars/cm³ per incident proton

Fig. 1

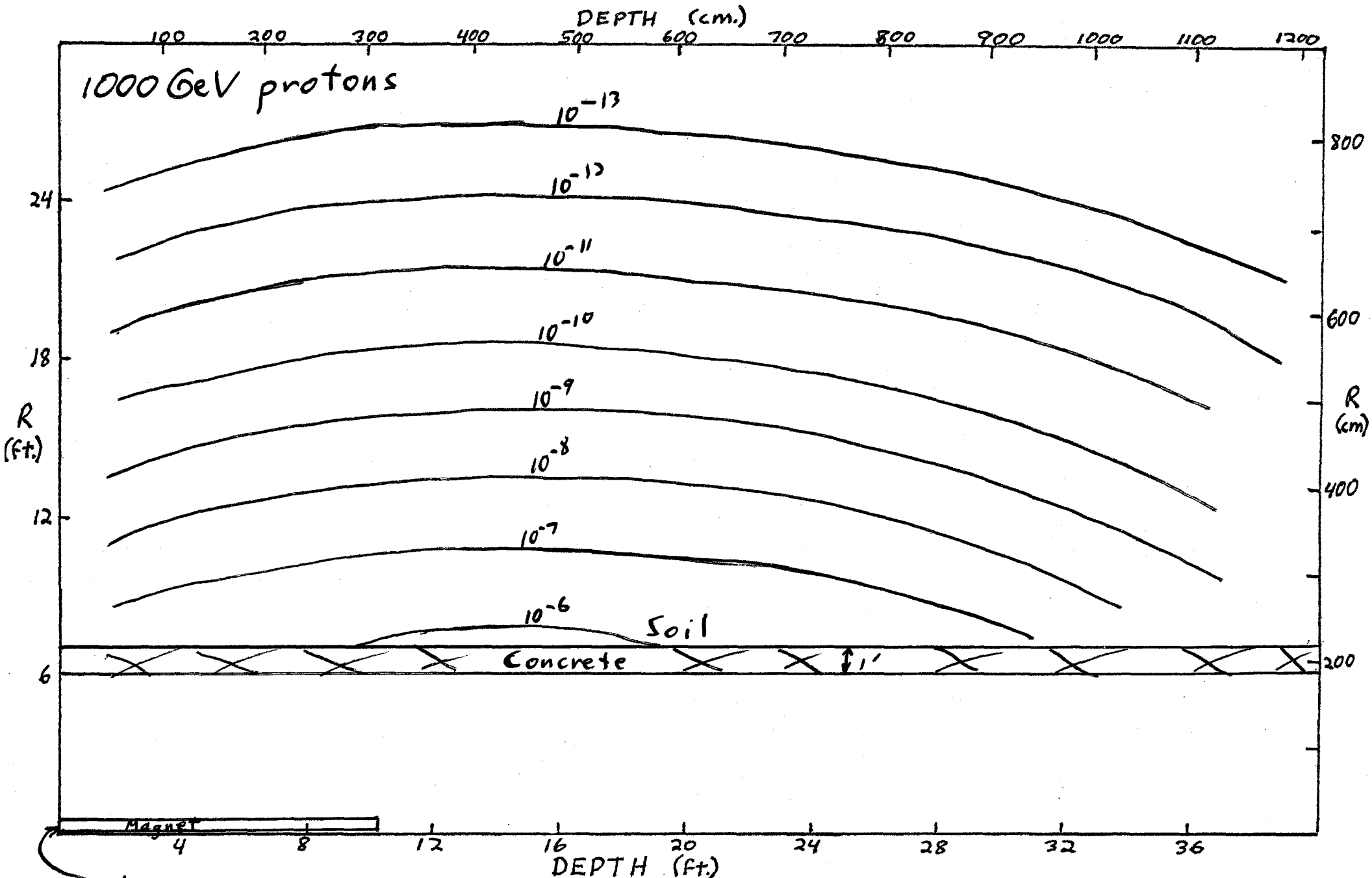


beam in a $\phi=2$ mm spot strikes a magnet (see text) in an enclosure of 6' radius,
 Contours of stars/cm³ per incident proton Fig. 2



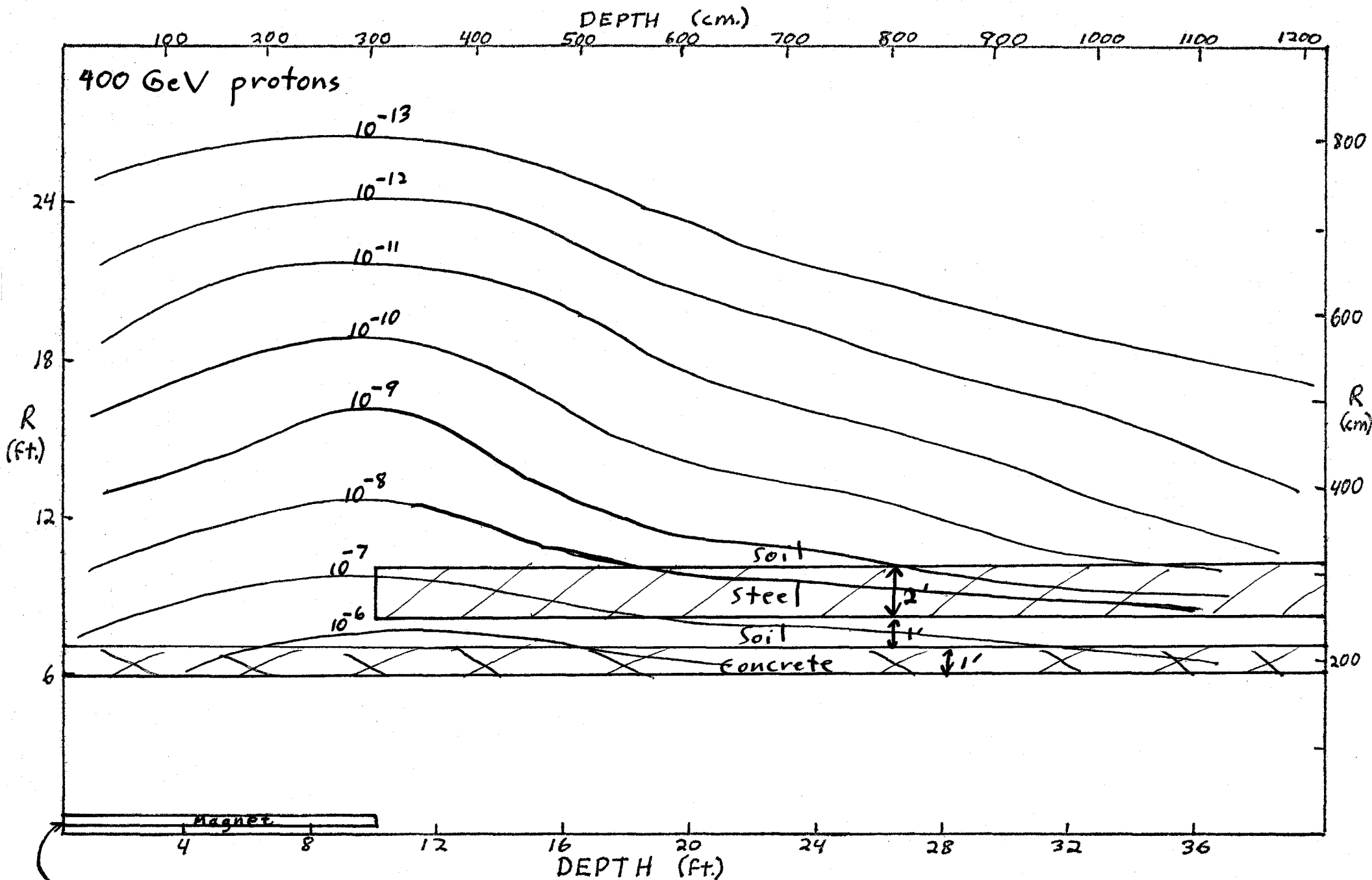
beam in a $\sigma = 2\text{mm}$ spot strikes a magnet (see text) in an enclosure of $\approx 5'$ radius.
 Contours of stars/cm³ per incident proton

Fig. 3 [∞]



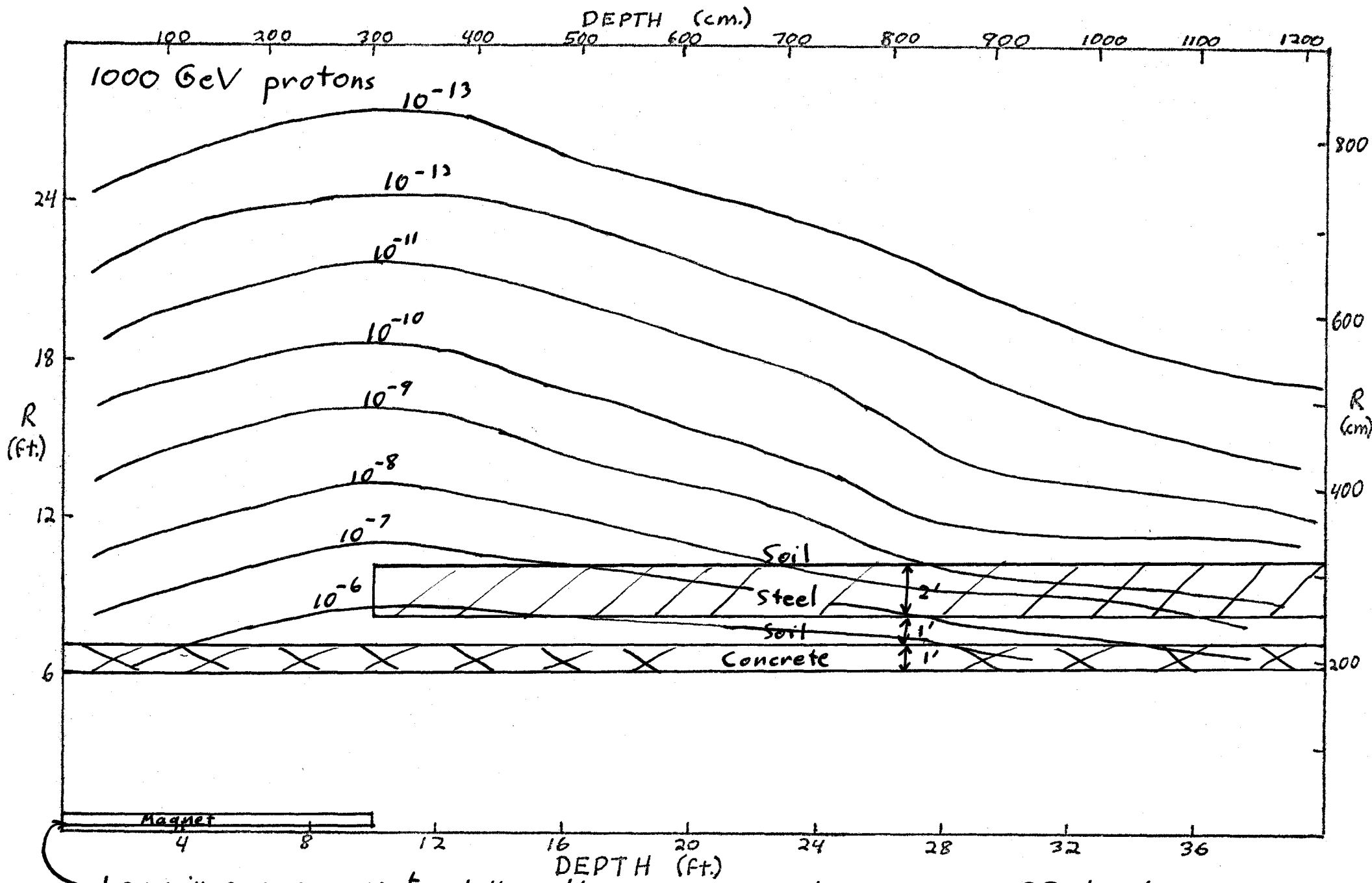
beam in a $\sigma = 2\text{mm}$ spot strikes a magnet (see text) in an enclosure of 6' radius. Contours of stars/cm² per incident proton

Fig. 4



beam in a $\sigma = 2\text{mm}$ spot strikes the upper pole tip of an EPB dipole in a 6' radius enclosure shielded as shown. Contours of stars/cm³ per incident proton.

Fig. 5



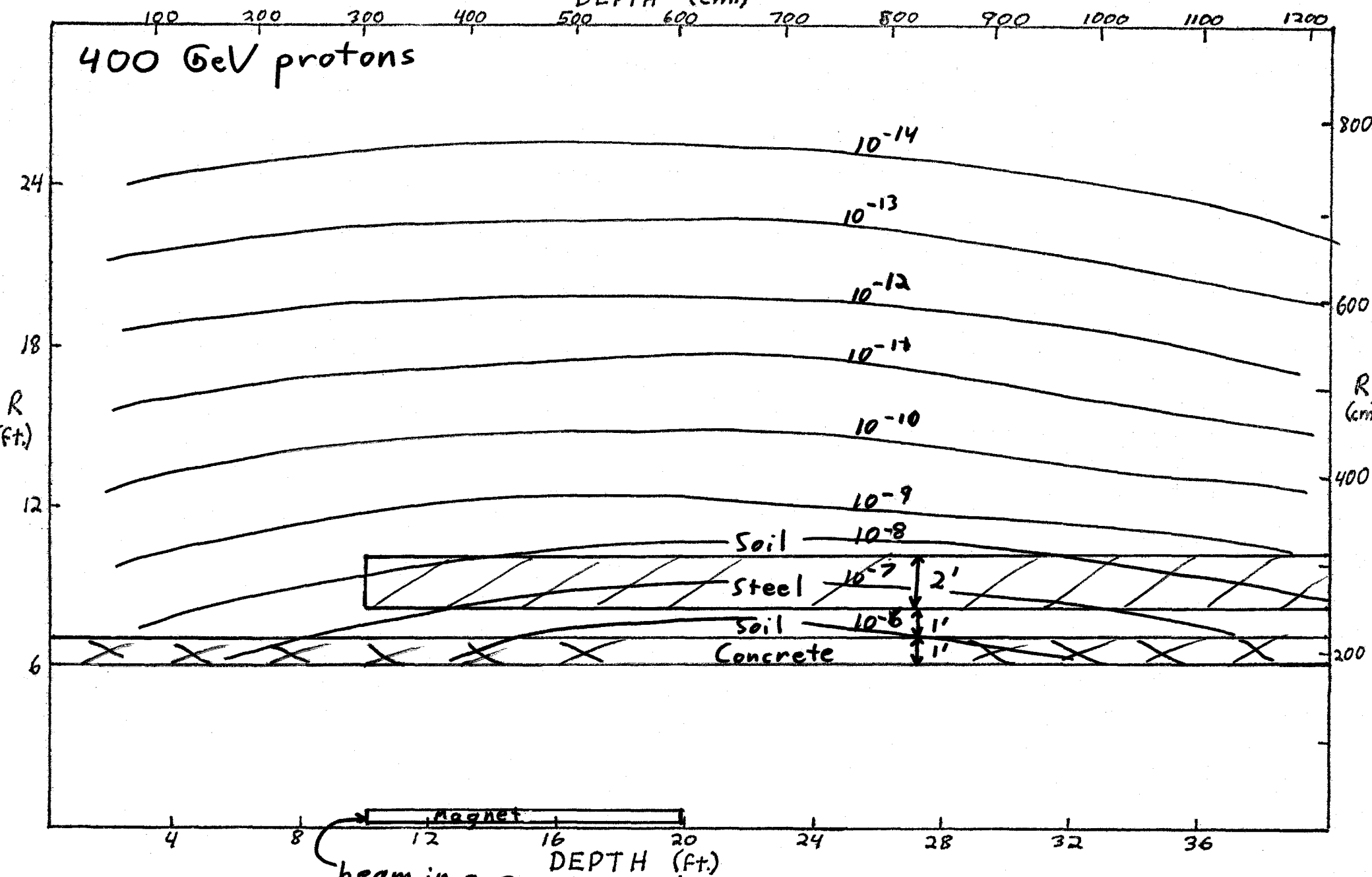
beam in a $\sigma = 2\text{mm}$ spot strikes the upper pole tip of an EPB dipole in a 6' radius tunnel shielded as shown.

Contours of stars/cm³ per incident proton

Fig. 6

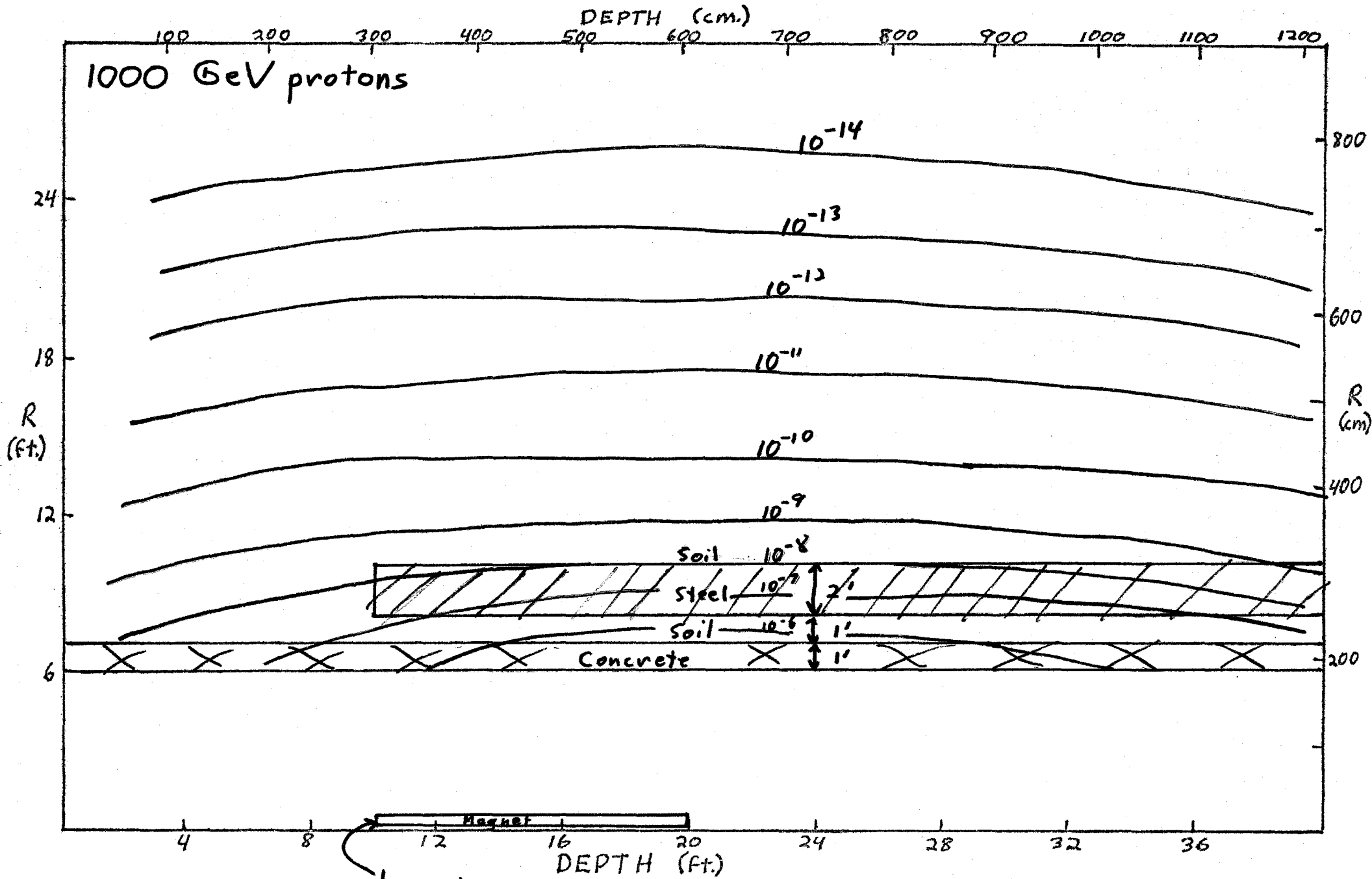
DEPTH (cm.)

400 GeV protons



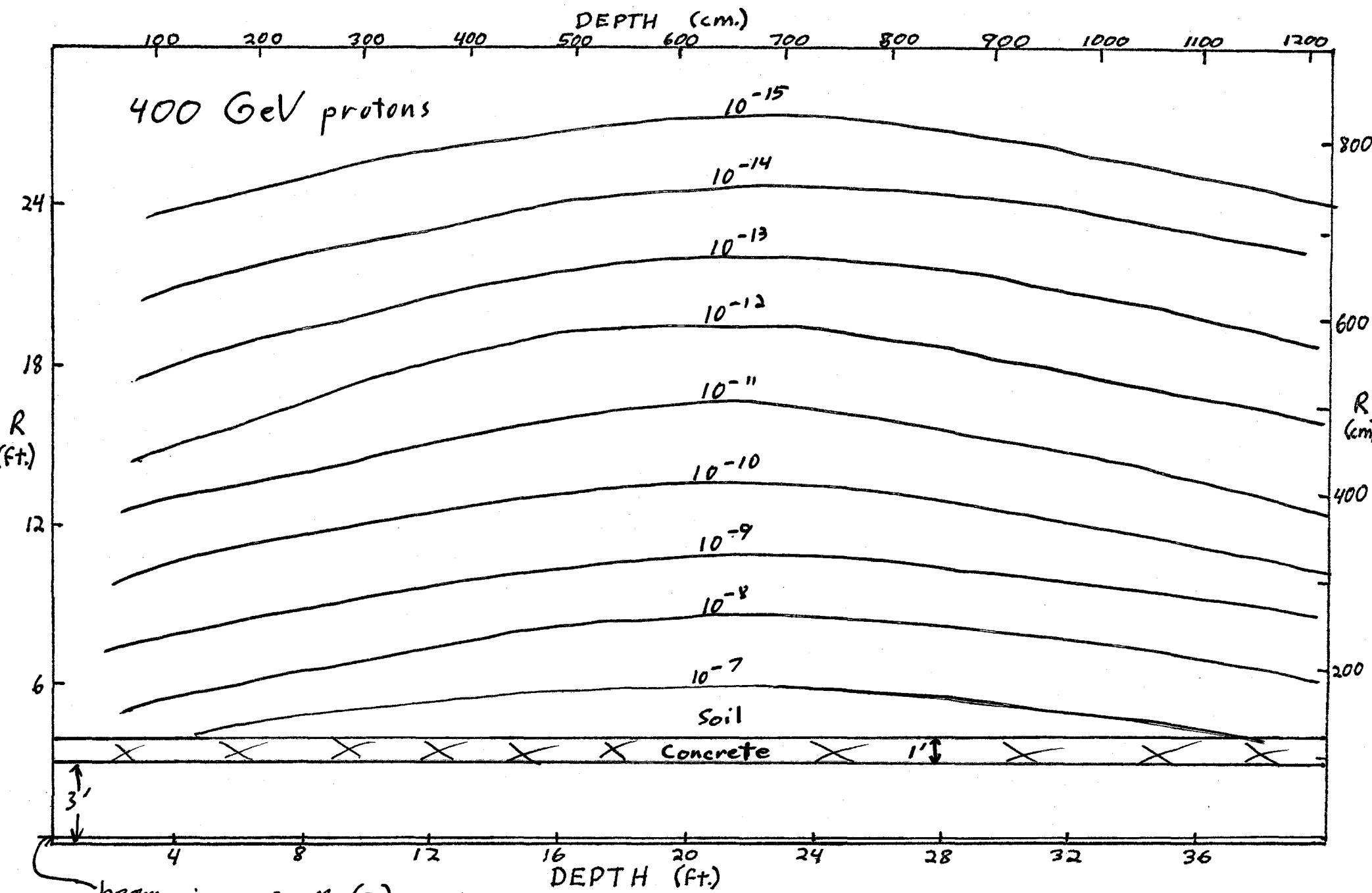
beam in a $\sigma=2\text{mm}$ spot strikes the upper pole tip of an E^- dipole in a 6' radius tunnel shielded as shown.

Contours of stars/cm³ per incident proton Fig. 7



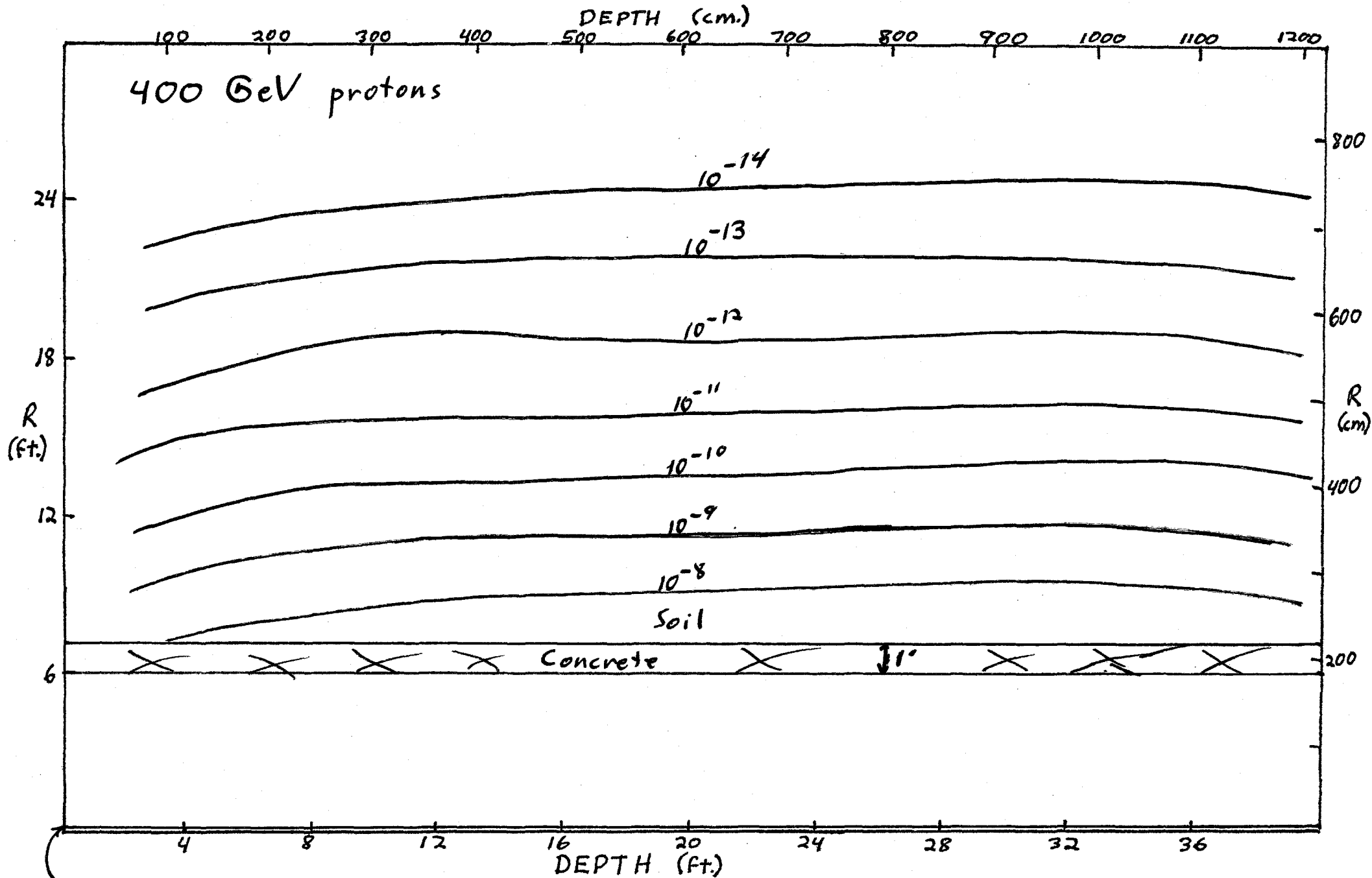
beam in a $\sigma=2\text{mm}$ spot strikes the upper pole tip of an EPB dipole in a 6' radius tunnel shielded as shown.
 Contours of stars/cm³ per incident proton

Fig. 8



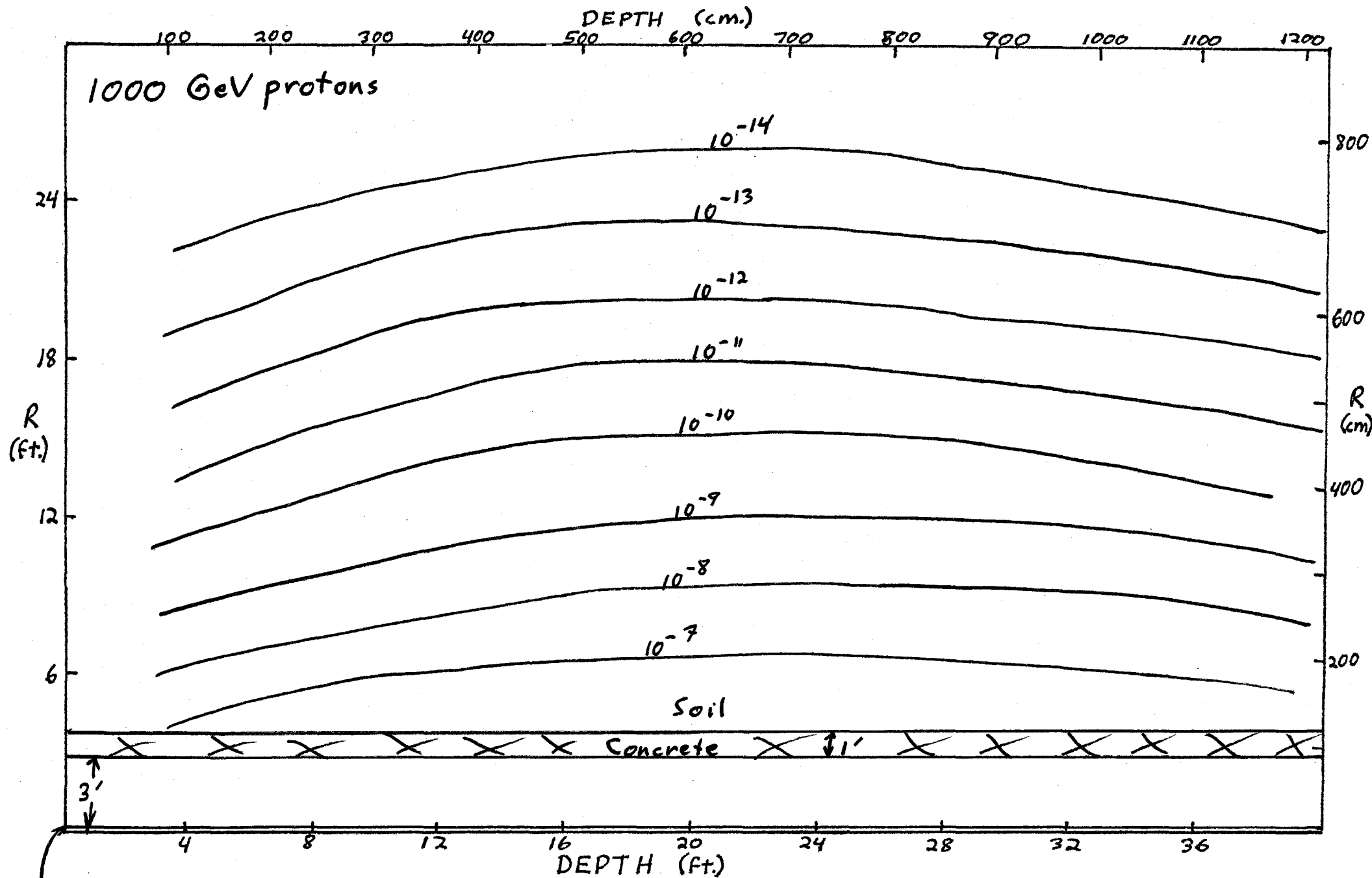
beam in a 2mm (6) spot strikes the end of a 4 in. diameter aluminum pipe (1/8" walls) centered in an enclosure 3' in radius. Contours of stars/cm³ per incident proton

Fig. 9



beam in a $\phi = 2\text{mm}$ spot strikes the end of a 4 in. diameter aluminum pipe ($\frac{1}{8}$ " walls) centered in an enclosure 6' in radius; Contours of stars/cm³ per incident proton

Fig. 10



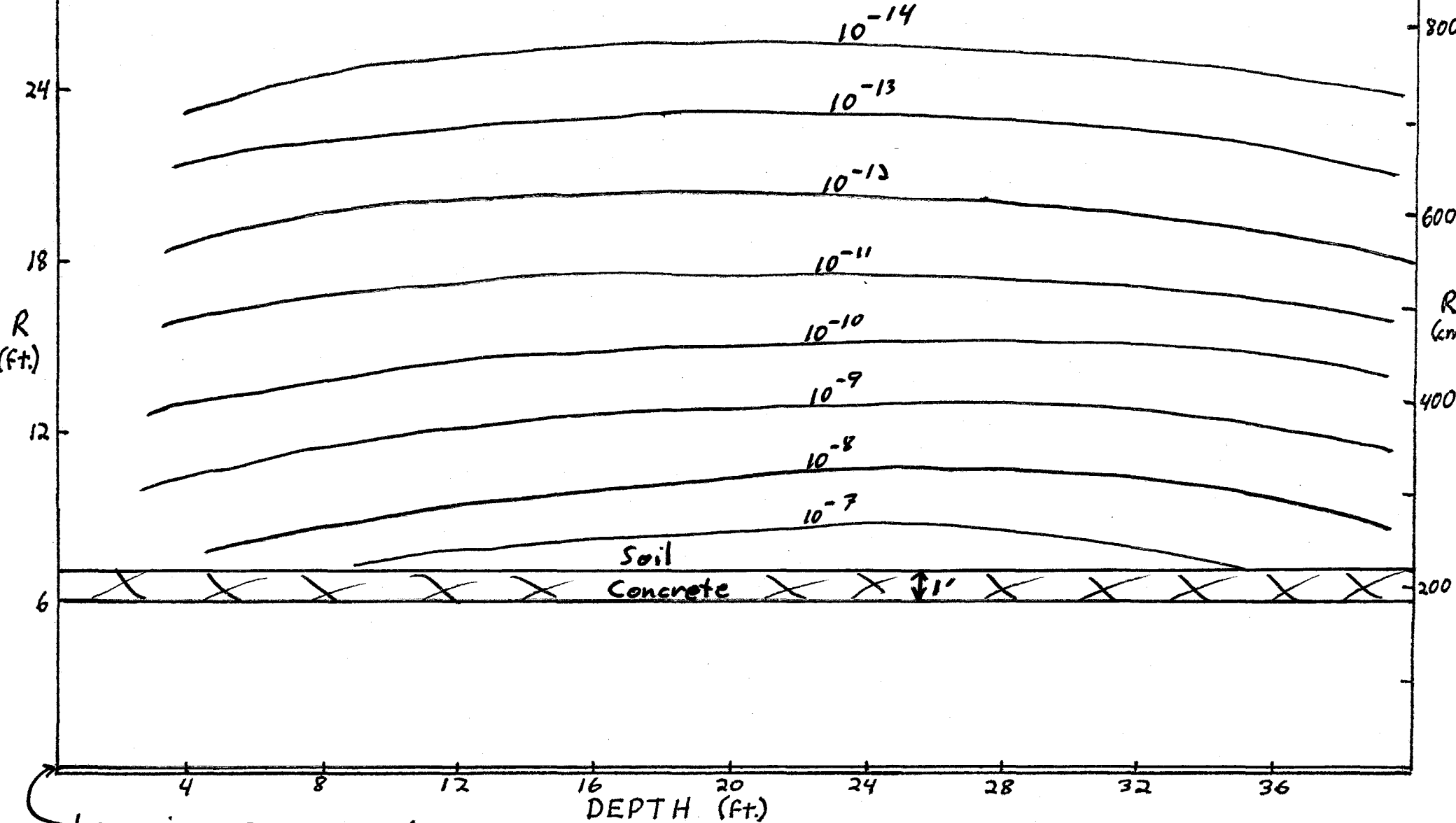
beam in a $\sigma = 2\text{mm}$ spot strikes the end of a 4" diameter aluminum pipe (1/8" walls) centered in an enclosure 3' in radius. Contours of stars/cm² per incident proton

Fig. 11

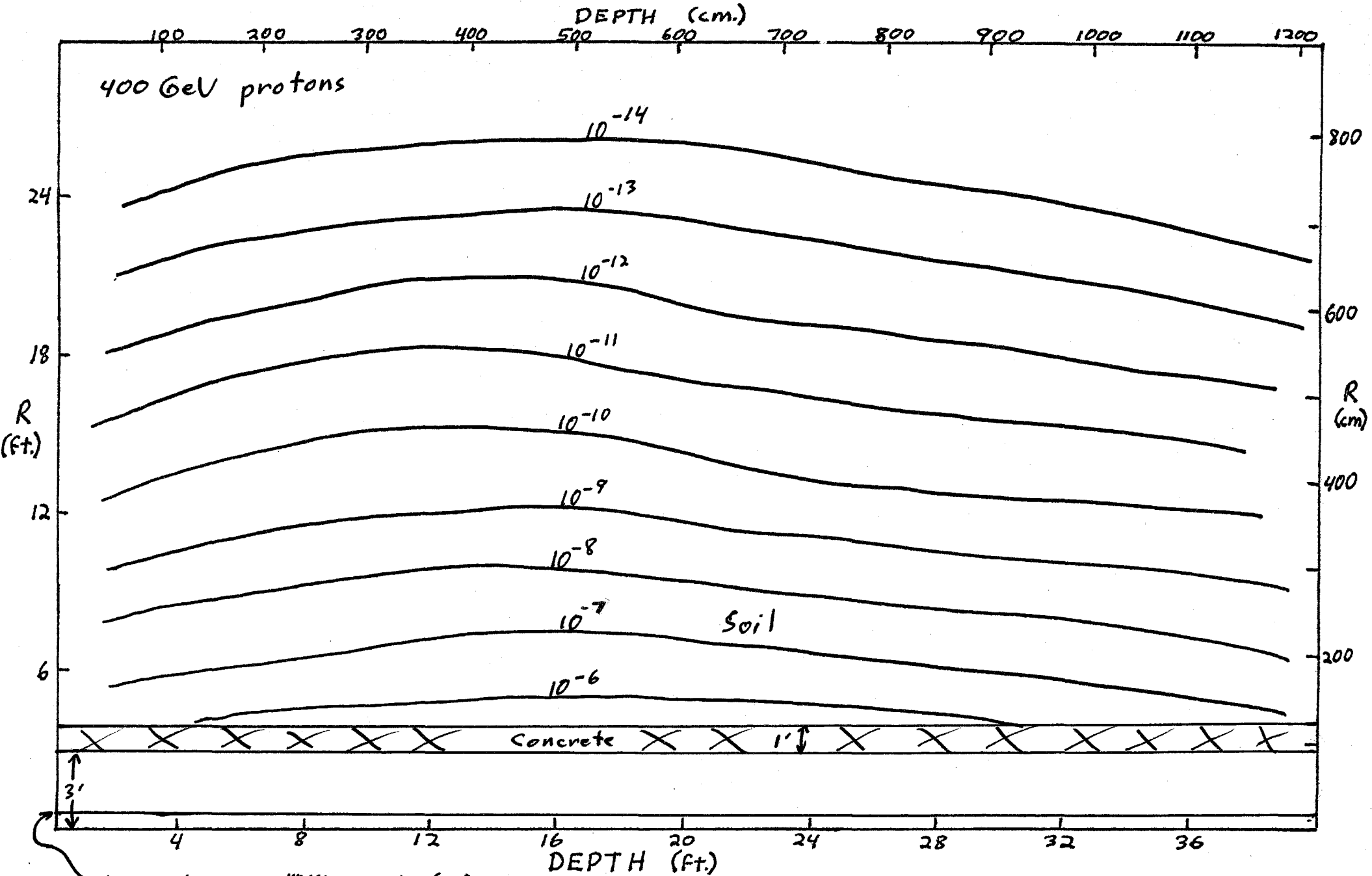
DEPTH (cm.)

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1000 GeV protons

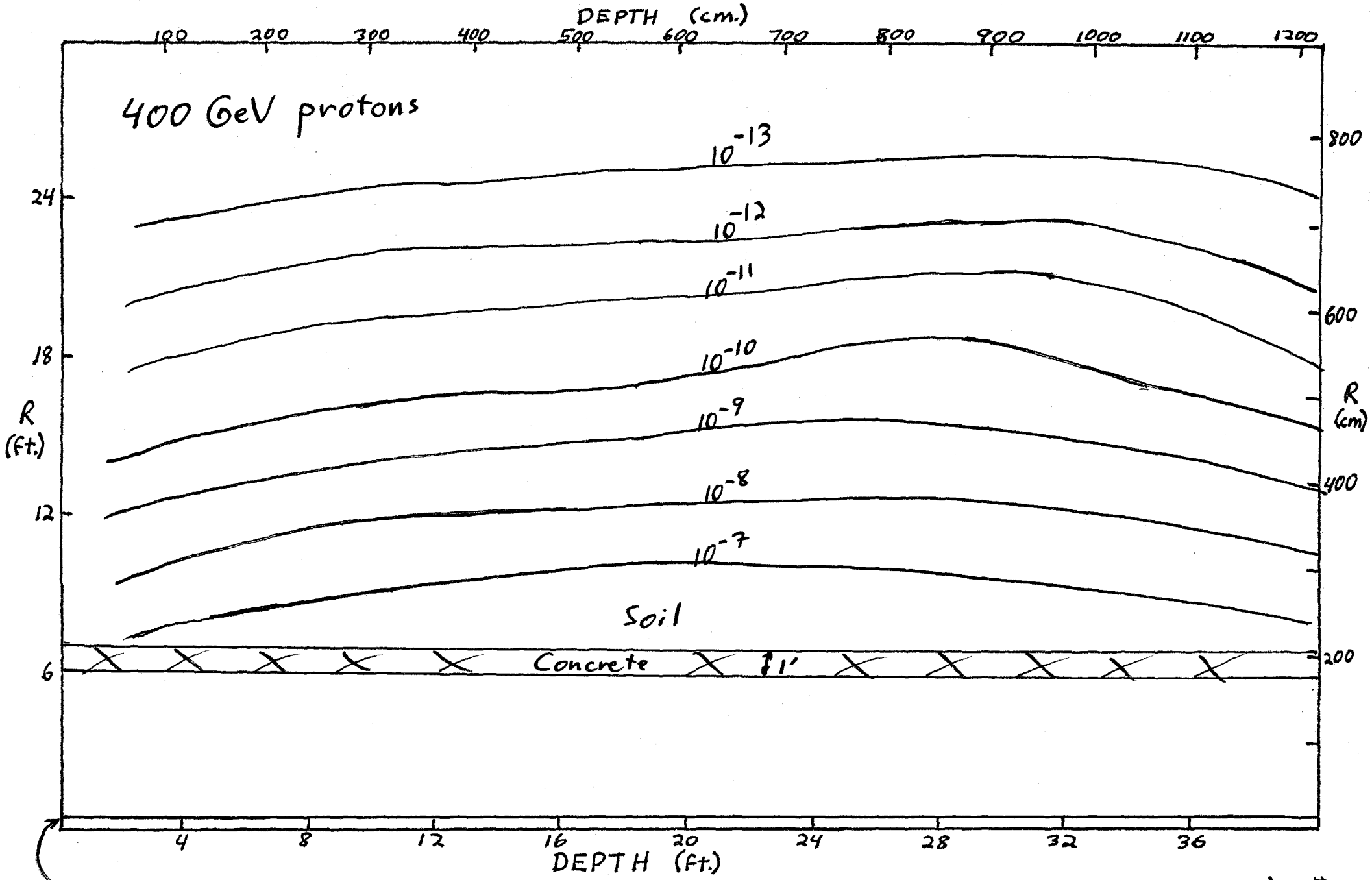


beam in a $\sigma = 2$ mm spot strikes the end of a 4 in. diameter aluminum pipe ($\frac{1}{8}$ " walls) centered in an enclosure 6' in radius. Contours of stars/cm³ per proton Fig. 12



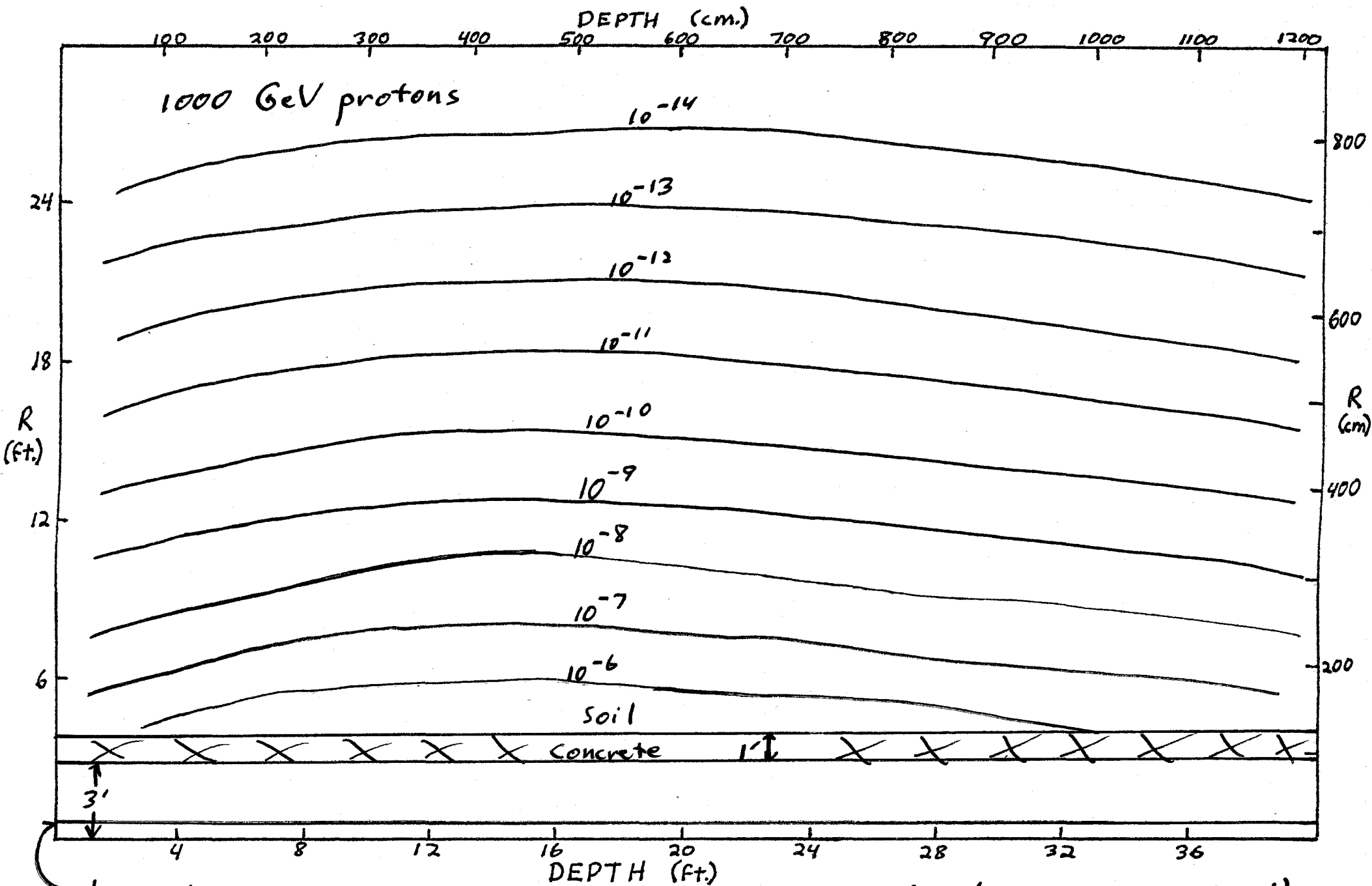
beam in a 2mm spot (⊙) strikes the end of a 1 ft diameter pipe (steel) (½" walls) centered in an enclosure 3' in radius.
 Contours of stars/cm³ per incident proton

Fig. 13



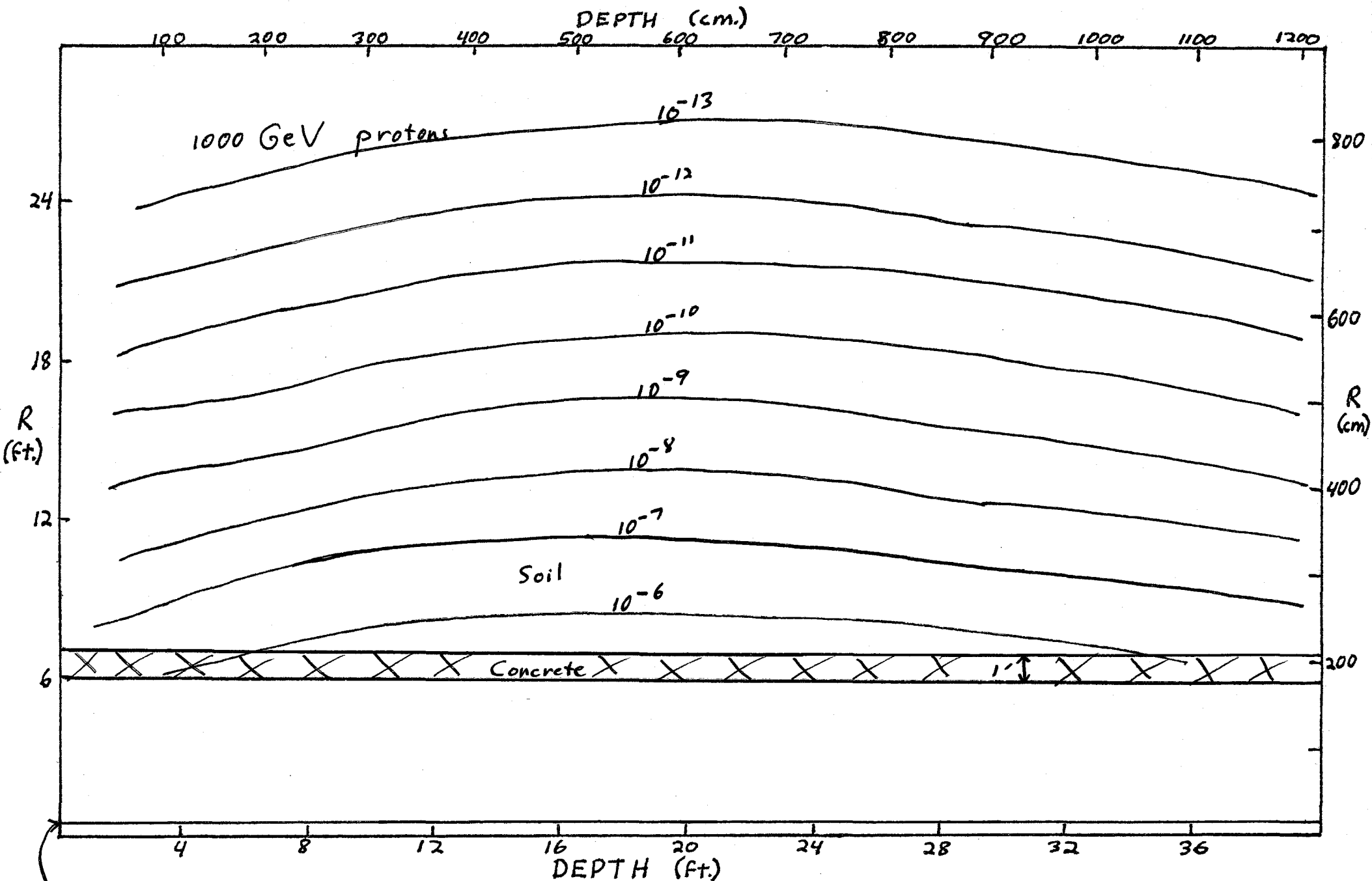
beam in a $\sigma = 2\text{mm}$ spot strikes the end of a 1 ft. diameter pipe (steel) $\frac{1}{2}$ " walls) centered in an enclosure 6' in. radius.
 Contours of stars/cm³ per incident proton

Fig. 14



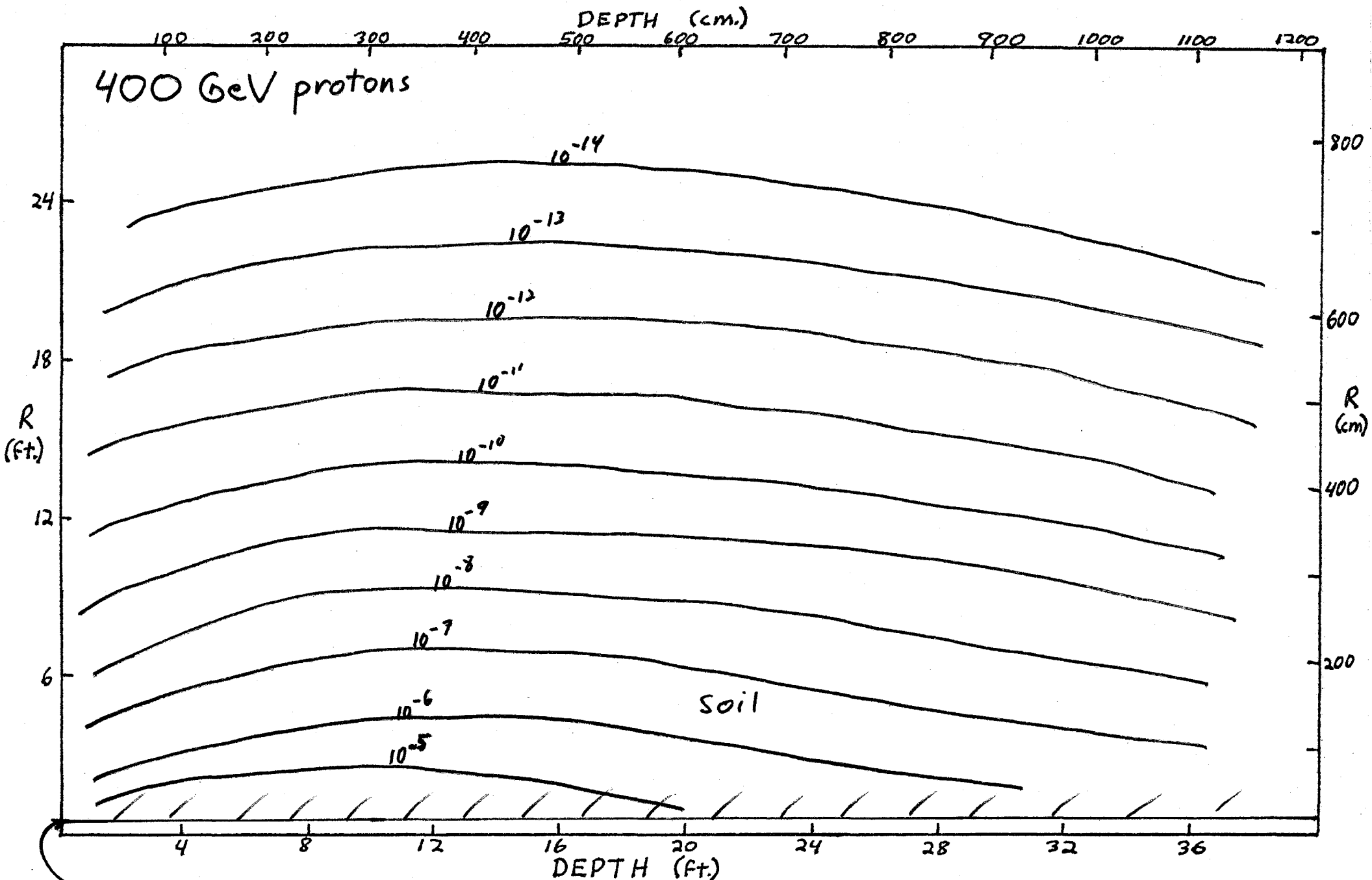
beam in a $\sigma = 2\text{mm}$ spot strikes the end of a 1 ft. diameter pipe (steel) ($\frac{1}{2}$ " walls) centered in an enclosure 3' in radius.
 Contours of stars/cm³ per incident proton

Fig. 15



beam in a $\sigma = 2\text{mm}$ spot strikes the end of a 1 ft. diameter pipe ($\frac{1}{2}$ " walls) (steel) centered in an enclosure 6' in radius.
 Contours of stars/cm³ per incident proton

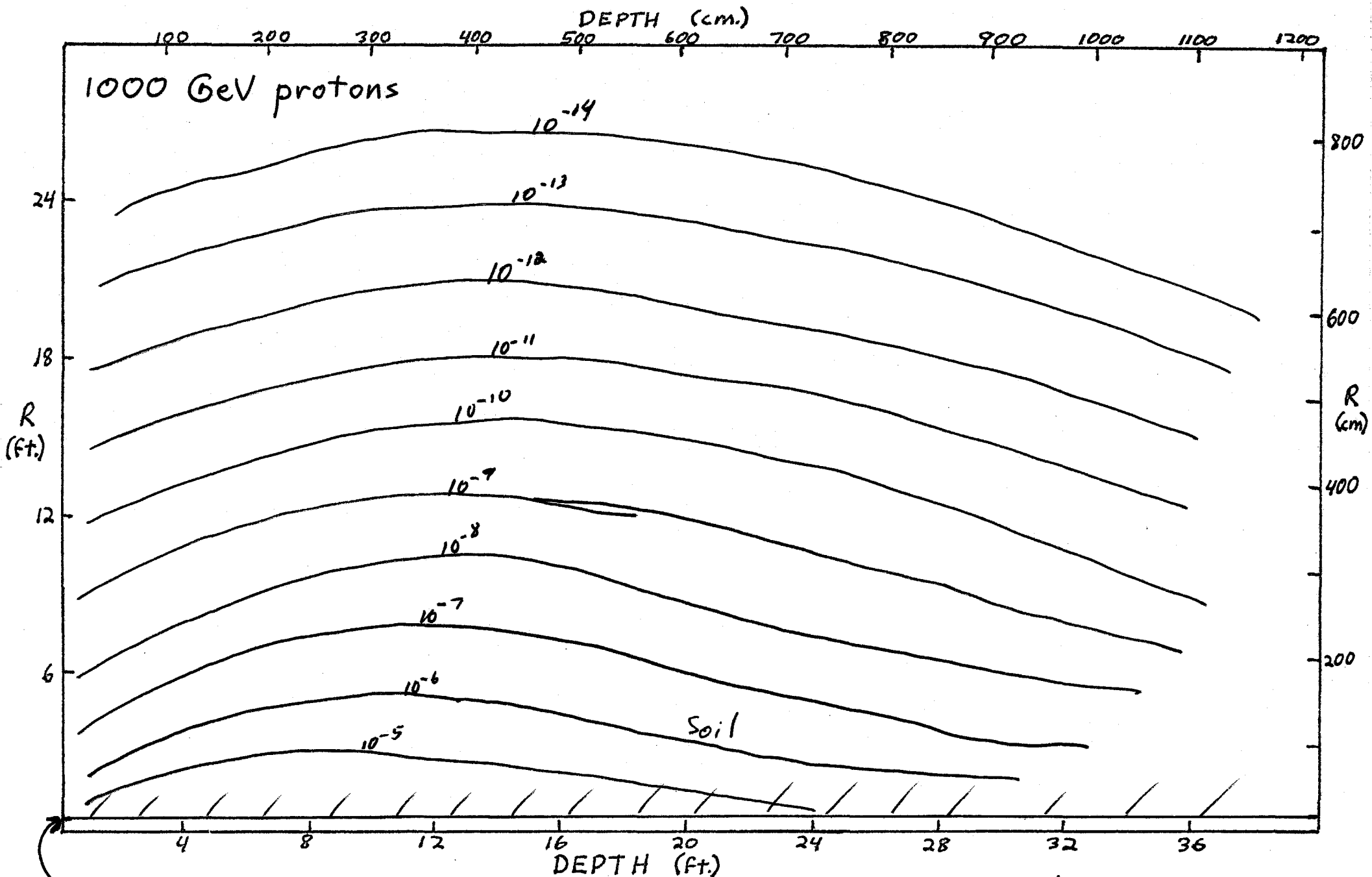
Fig. 16 21



beam in a $\sigma=2$ mm spot strikes the end of a 1 ft. diameter steel pipe ($\frac{1}{2}$ " walls) buried in a soil shield.

Contours of stars/cm³ per proton

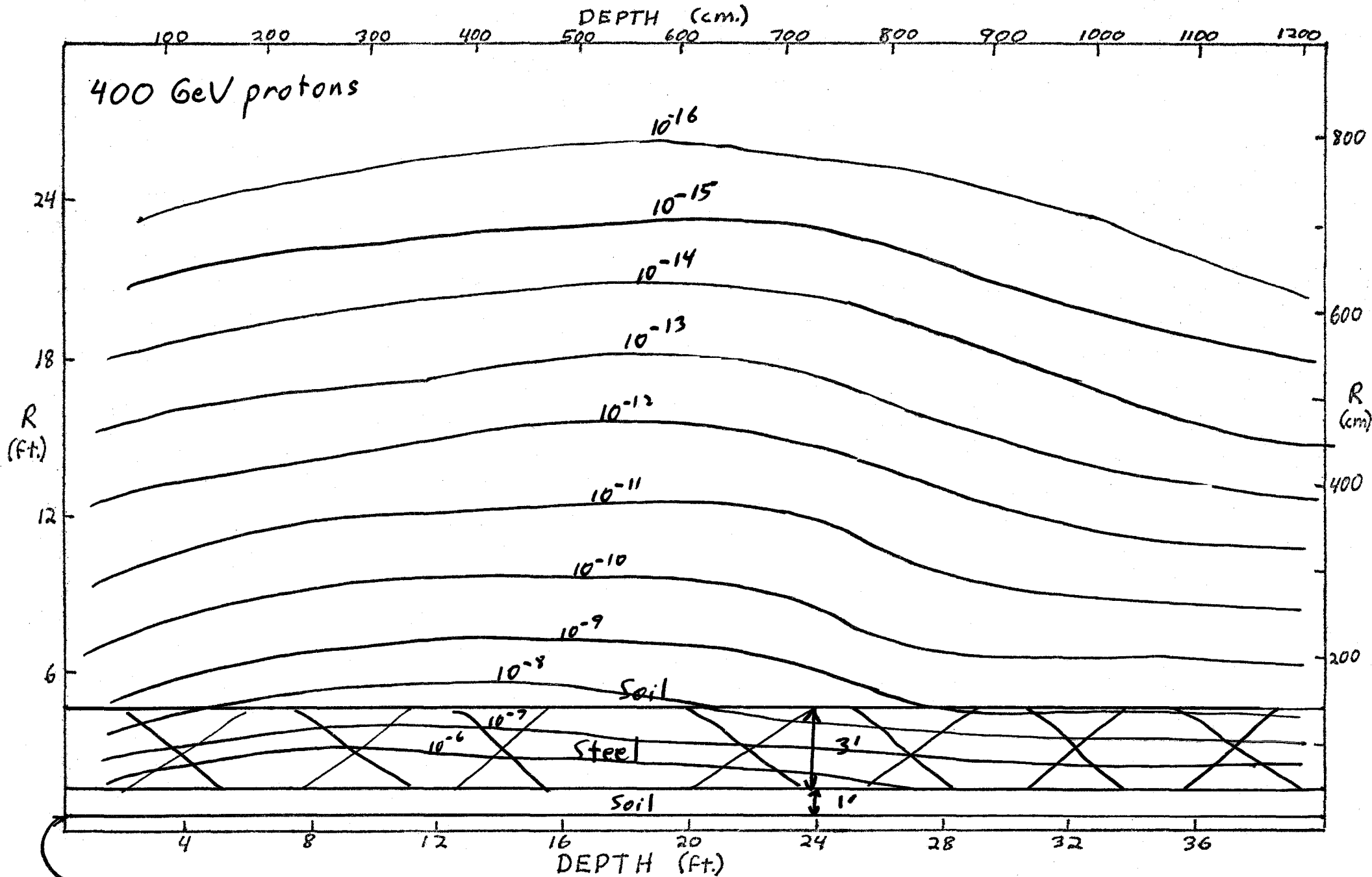
Fig. 17



beam in a $\sigma = 2\text{mm}$ spot strikes the end of a 1 ft. diameter steel pipe ($\frac{1}{2}$ " walls) buried in a soil shield.

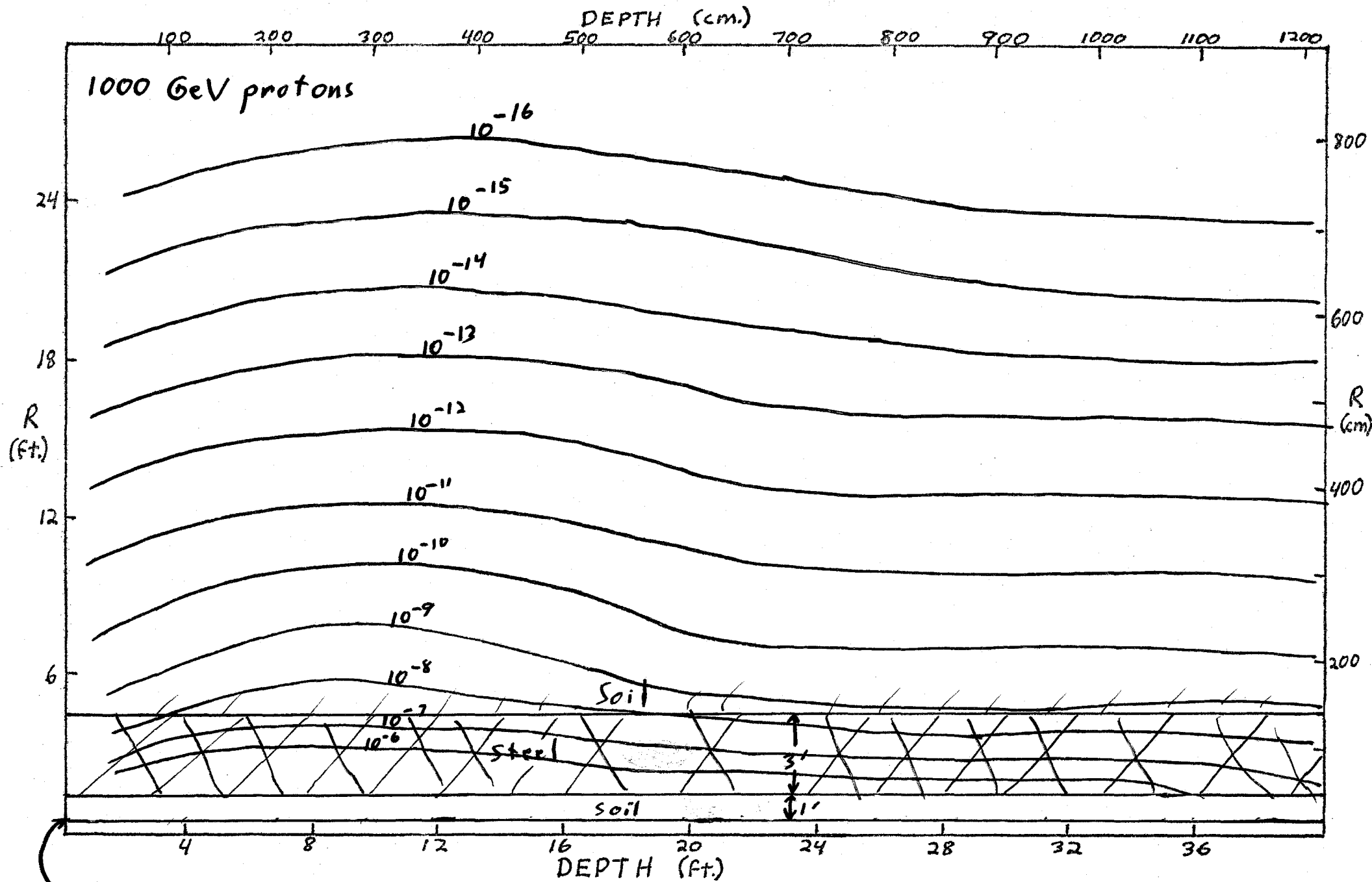
Contours of stars/cm³ per proton

Fig. 18



beam in a $\sigma = 2\text{mm}$ spot strikes a 1 ft. diameter steel pipe ($\frac{1}{2}$ " walls) buried in soil and shielded as shown. Contours of stars/cm² per incident proton

Fig. 19



beam in a $\sigma=2\text{mm}$ spot strikes a 1 ft diameter steel pipe buried in soil and shielded as shown. Contours of stars/cm³ per incident proton

Fig. 20