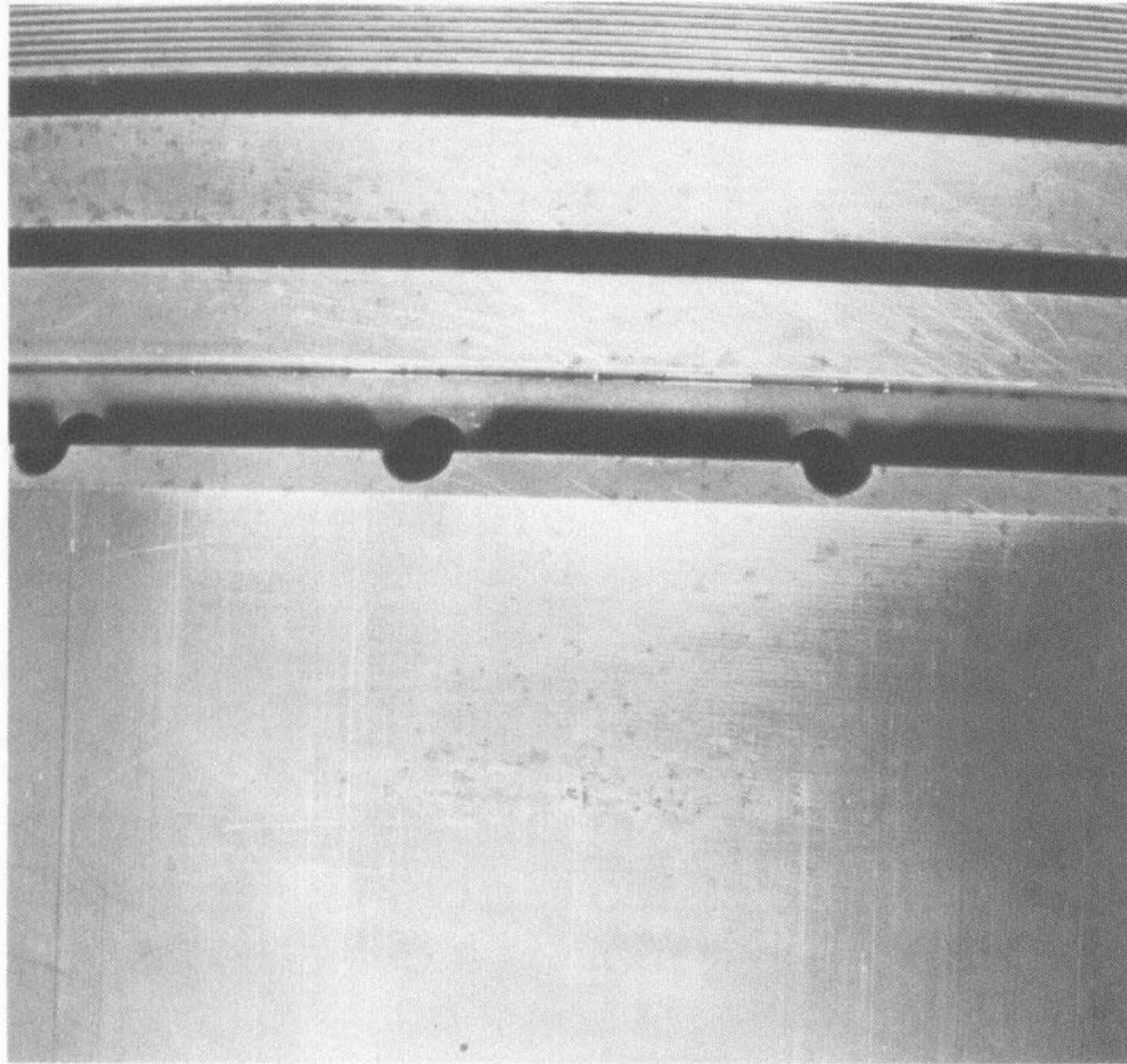


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1 Piston Skirt

1-9 Corrosion on the piston skirt

Symptoms The piston skirt exhibits hole-shaped pitting.

Cause and Effect This pitting has been caused by intercrystalline corrosion. The cause of this can be an unsuitable decarbonizing solvent which has been allowed to act for too long.

Remedy Pistons which have been removed and which are intended for reuse should be cleaned only with well-proven brands of decarbonizing solvent, in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.