

APPLICABILITY OF THE PHENOMENOLOGICAL MODEL OF UNSTEADY BURNING TO EXOTHERMIC CONVERSION UNDER HIGH PRESSURES OF 1–10 GPA

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Abstract: It has been shown that the phenomenological model of unsteady burning developed by Zel'dovich and Novozhilov for the rocket pressures can find application under certain conditions for an analysis of exothermic conversion of high explosives in the field of the higher pressures at a level of 1–10 GPa and more. It enables to introduce the effect of the pressure rise rate into the formal-kinetic equations applied for a modeling of reaction progress behind the initiating shock waves. This approach being realized will not only change the values of coefficients, which are included in these equations and determined by means of comparison of calculations with experimental data, but also let us to find conditions leading to extinction.

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