

TO THE PROBLEM OF HEARTH COMBUSTION ON THE SURFACE OF DOUBLE-BASE PROPELLANT

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Abstract: The paper presents an approximate model for determining the shape of the formed hot spot on the surface of burning gunpowder at different pressures of gas medium. It was found that with increasing pressure, the geometric dimensions of the hot spot decrease. The burning hearth appears in extinguishment or in nonstationary mode. Apparently, if the dimensions of the hot spot along the surface of the powder and along its height are connected by an “elliptical” connection then its geometric shape is the closest to the experimental shape.

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Figure Captions

Figure 1 Approximation of a single dependence by a cubic polynomial for propellant N at a pressure of 5 atm: signs — exact values of the burning rate

Figure 2 The shape of the hot spot surface: (a) contour found according to model I; (b) II; (c) contour found according to model III

Table Caption

Calculated and experimental parameters of a burning hot spot

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