

Fig. 5.19. --Comparison of Permanent Regime with Transient Profile of Second Shock.

is $\tau=1/3~\mu sec$, so $\Delta x\approx 2.4~U_{\rm II}^{\tau}$. Profiles obtained from the transient calculation at t = 2.25 τ , 15 τ , 22.5 τ are shown for comparison. The agreement is very good at 15 τ . This agreement is additional evidence of the validity of the integration procedure for the transient case.