

AEC Contract Meeting

Feb 2, 1959

Deviations:

now 1000 cpm readers
250 cpm punch

tape, 729II in contract,

2 tape control units,

we will discuss additional tapes & tape controls? 729II's or 729II's

→ TCU's especially must know from LASL if they want more,
available with these systems - not later.

a letter of intent? - without prices, prices by June 1.

~~was~~ if we have commercial prog,

- internal IBM prob.

March 15 Prices estimates,

14 mos. to do $\frac{1}{2}$ μ s mem. from start... cooling - core troubles
maybe 12 mos. March, April.

→ Training of 20 programmers. (ask about)

Programming Time - not in Nov. - luck if in Jan '60.

Schedule:

- Standards
reworking - can cause delay,

plant - very crucial, - goes to AEC
many unknowns,

no evidence that we won't make it.
~50% probability.

We shall: Rewrite contract. — revised tentative contract
— have it agreed to by IBM people.
— plus or minus factors.
rewrite article 2,

before going to AEC lawyers.
Revision of contract, (not negotiation)

Feb 29: presentation to management

Re-install, Program testing: 6 mos prior.
"Test Problem".

(Rowley + Lura)
Feb 27: — rewrite of contract ready. (a week earlier if possible)
— cost estimate Feb 13.

Plant building AEC