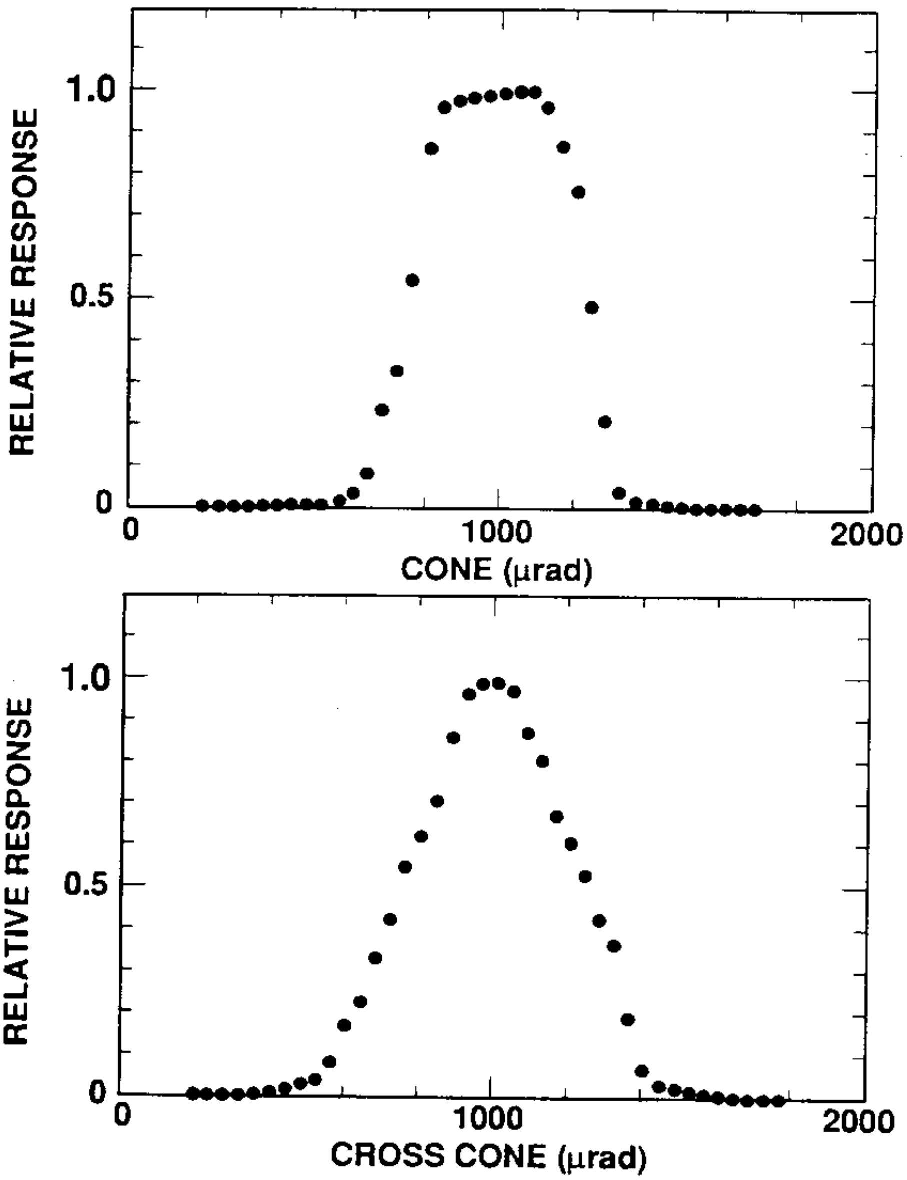

Fig. 12. Spatial Response.

This Figure illustrates the cone and cross-cone response of the NIMS instrument; see Fig. 2 for definitions. In the cone-angle direction (shown above), the response is rectangular, whereas the cross-cone response (below) is broadened by the natural astigmatism of the spectrometer.