

ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION



SUBSURFACE INVESTIGATION

STATE JOB NO. 020590

FEDERAL AID PROJECT NO. NHPP-0021(40)

UPRR STR. & APPRS. (MCGEHEE) (S)

STATE HIGHWAY 278 SECTION 16

IN DESHA COUNTY

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ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

July 6, 2017

TO: Mr. Trinity Smith, Engineer of Roadway Design

SUBJECT: Job No. 020590
UPRR Str. & Apprs. (S)
Route 278 Section 16
Desha County

Transmitted herewith is the requested Soil Survey, strength data and Resilient Modulus test results for the above referenced job. The project consists of replacing the Union Pacific Railroad overpass on Highway 278 on new location. Samples were obtained in the existing travel lanes, shoulders and ditch line. Locations are measured from centerline of the existing roadway.

Based on laboratory results of samples obtained, the subgrade soils consist primarily of non-plastic sands and moderately plastic sandy clay. The subgrade soils are expected to provide a stable working platform with conventional processing if the weather is favorable during construction.

Based on currently available cross sections the maximum embankment height is approximately 29 feet. Approximately 60 feet right of construction centerline are large drainage ditches that run parallel to the existing road. At the time of investigation these ditches held standing water. Prior to embankment construction the ditches must be drained and all soft unstable organic material should be undercut to a maximum depth of 3 feet. The embankment may be constructed with locally available unspecified material utilizing the 3:1 slope configuration shown in the cross sections.

Listed below is the additional information requested for use in developing the plans:

1. The Qualified Products List (QPL) indicates that Aggregate Base Course (Class CL-7) is available from commercial producers located at the river port near Pendleton.

2. Asphalt Concrete Hot Mix

<u>Type</u>	<u>Asphalt Cement %</u>	<u>Mineral Aggregate %</u>
Surface Course	5.2	94.8
Binder Course	4.2	95.8
Base Course	3.5	96.5


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Materials Engineer

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ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT - LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS
MATERIALS DIVISION
MICHAEL BENSON, MATERIALS ENGINEER
*** SOIL SURVEY STRENGTH TEST REPORT ***

DATE - 06/29/2017
JOB NUMBER - 020590

SEQUENCE NO. - 1
MATERIAL CODE - SSRV
SPEC. YEAR - 2014
SUPPLIER ID. - 1
COUNTY/STATE - 21
DISTRICT NO. - 02

JOB NAME - UPRR STR. & APPRS. (S)

* STATION LIMITS R-VALUE AT 240 psi *

BEGIN JOB - END JOB LESS THAN 5

RESILIENT MODULUS
STA. 109+90 8236

REMARKS -

AASHTO TESTS : T190

**ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT
MATERIALS DIVISION**

**AASHTO T 307-99 - RESILIENT MODULUS OF SUBGRADE SOILS
RECOMPACTED SAMPLES**

Job No.	020590	Material Code	SSRVPS
Date Sampled:	6/14/17	Station No.:	109+90
Date Tested:	June 22, 2017	Location:	33RT
Name of Project:	UPRR STR. & APPRS. (S)		
County:	Code: 21	Name:	DESHA
Sampled By:	THORNTON/CAMPBELL		
Lab No.:	20171953	Depth:	0-5
Sample ID:	RV428	AASHTO Class:	A-6(13)
LATITUDE:		Material Type (1 or 2):	2
		LONGITUDE:	

1. Testing Information:

Preconditioning - Permanent Strain > 5% (Y=Yes or N= No)	N
Testing - Permanent Strain > 5% (Y=Yes or N=No)	N
Number of Load Sequences Completed (0-15)	15

2. Specimen Information:

Specimen Diameter (in):	
Top	3.95
Middle	3.94
Bottom	3.95
Average	3.95
Membrane Thickness (in):	0.01
Height of Specimen, Cap and Base (in):	8.03
Height of Cap and Base (in):	0.00
Initial Length, Lo (in):	8.03
Initial Area, Ao (sq. in):	12.16
Initial Volume, AoLo (cu. in):	97.64

3. Soil Specimen Weight:

Weight of Wet Soil Used (g):	2998.40
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4. Soil Properties:

Optimum Moisture Content (%):	16.7
Maximum Dry Density (pcf):	105.8
95% of MDD (pcf):	100.5
In-Situ Moisture Content (%):	N/A

5. Specimen Properties:

Wet Weight (g):	2998.40
Compaction Moisture content (%):	17.0
Compaction Wet Density (pcf):	117.01
Compaction Dry Density (pcf):	100.01
Moisture Content After Mr Test (%):	17.0

6. Quick Shear Test (Y=Yes, N=No, N/A=Not Applicable):

#VALUE!

7. Resilient Modulus, Mr:

11725(Sc)^{-0.19488}(S3)^{0.11583}

8. Comments

9. Tested By:

GW _____

Date: June 22, 2017

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Sample ID:	RV428		
LATTITUDE:			

PARAMETER	Chamber Confining Pressure	Nominal Maximum Axial Stress	Actual Applied Max. Axial Load	Actual Applied Cyclic Load	Actual Applied Contact Load	Actual Applied Max. Axial Stress	Actual Applied Cyclic Stress	Actual Applied Contact Stress	Average Recov Def. LVDT 1 and 2	Resilient Strain	Resilient Modulus
	S ₃ psi	S _{cyclic} psi	P _{max} lbs	P _{cyclic} lbs	P _{contact} lbs	S _{max} psi	S _{cyclic} psi	S _{contact} psi	H _{avg} in	ε _r in/in	M _r psi
Sequence 1	6.0	2.0	25.1	22.2	2.8	2.1	1.8	0.2	0.00115	0.00014	12,733
Sequence 2	6.0	4.0	47.0	44.2	2.8	3.9	3.6	0.2	0.00245	0.00030	11,936
Sequence 3	6.0	6.0	69.3	65.7	3.6	5.7	5.4	0.3	0.00394	0.00049	11,016
Sequence 4	6.0	8.0	92.1	86.0	6.1	7.6	7.1	0.5	0.00585	0.00073	9,720
Sequence 5	6.0	10.0	113.7	105.2	8.5	9.4	8.7	0.7	0.00799	0.00099	8,699
Sequence 6	4.0	2.0	25.0	22.3	2.8	2.1	1.8	0.2	0.00126	0.00016	11,717
Sequence 7	4.0	4.0	46.9	44.0	2.8	3.9	3.6	0.2	0.00264	0.00033	11,008
Sequence 8	4.0	6.0	68.3	65.5	2.8	5.6	5.4	0.2	0.00423	0.00053	10,232
Sequence 9	4.0	8.0	91.0	85.8	5.2	7.5	7.1	0.4	0.00600	0.00075	9,437
Sequence 10	4.0	10.0	113.3	105.7	7.6	9.3	8.7	0.6	0.00805	0.00100	8,672
Sequence 11	2.0	2.0	25.0	22.1	2.8	2.1	1.8	0.2	0.00136	0.00017	10,781
Sequence 12	2.0	4.0	46.7	43.8	2.8	3.8	3.6	0.2	0.00288	0.00036	10,061
Sequence 13	2.0	6.0	67.9	65.1	2.8	5.6	5.4	0.2	0.00454	0.00057	9,473
Sequence 14	2.0	8.0	89.8	85.5	4.3	7.4	7.0	0.4	0.00638	0.00079	8,850
Sequence 15	2.0	10.0	111.9	105.2	6.7	9.2	8.7	0.6	0.00844	0.00105	8,236

TESTED BY _____ DATE June 22, 2017
 REVIEWED BY _____ DATE _____

ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT
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AASHTO T 307-99 - RESILIENT MODULUS OF SUBGRADE SOILS
RECOMPACTED / THINWALL TUBE SAMPLES

Job No.	020590	Material Code	SSRVPS
Date Sampled:	6/14/17	Station No.:	109+90
Date Tested:	June 22, 2017	Location:	33'RT
Name of Project:	UPRR STR. & APPRS. (S)		
County:	Code: 21	Name:	DESHA
Sampled By:	THORNTON/CAMPBELL		
Lab No.:	20171953	Depth:	0-5
Sample ID:	RV428	AASHTO Class:	A-6(13)
LATITUDE:		Material Type (1 or 2):	2
		LONGITUDE:	

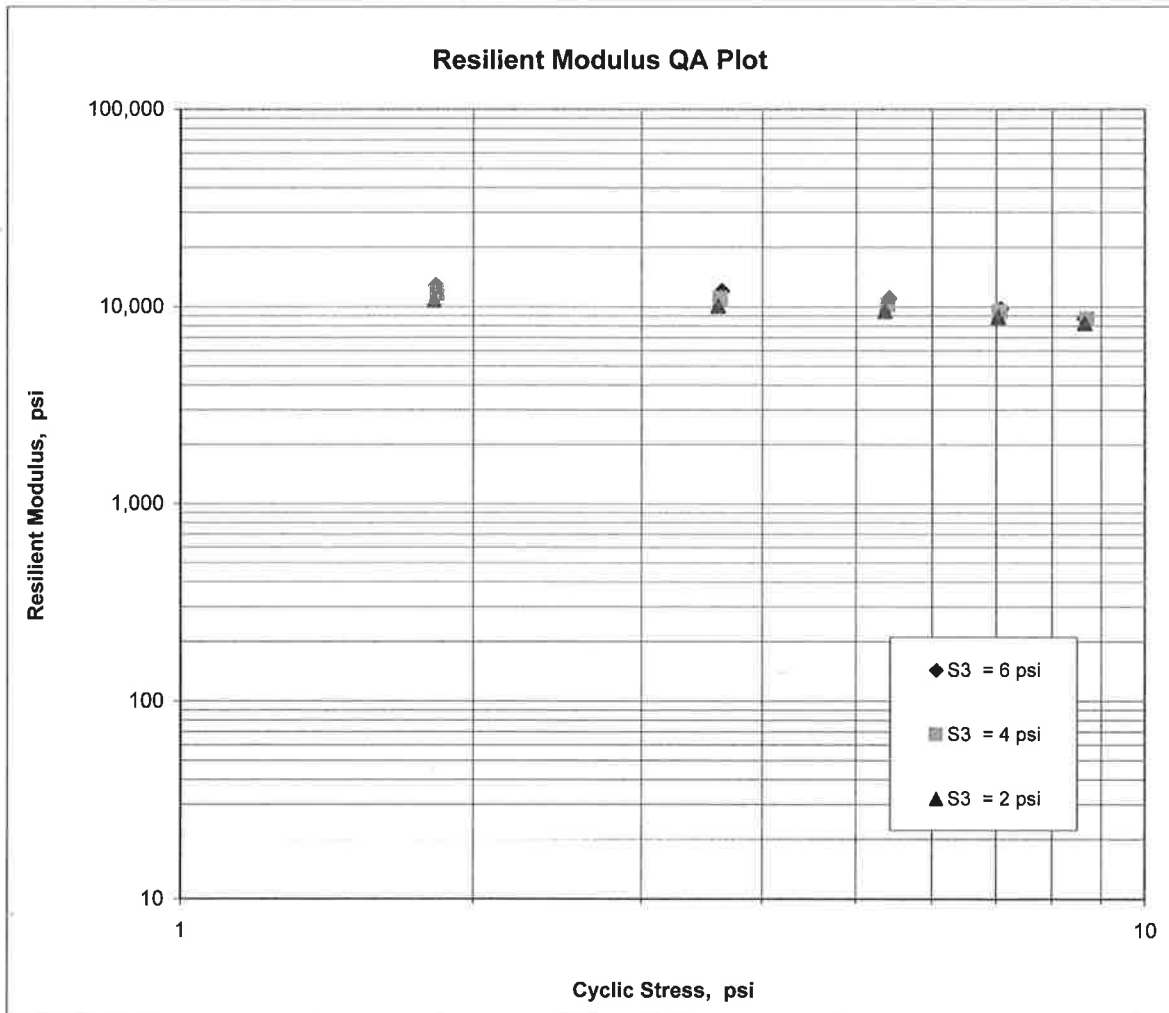
$$M_R = K_1 (S_c)^{K_2} (S_3)^{K_5}$$

$$K_1 = 11,725$$

$$K_2 = -0.19488$$

$$K_5 = 0.11583$$

$$R^2 = 0.90$$



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Michael Benson, Materials Engineer

STA.#	LOC.	DEPTH	COLOR	#4 #10 #40 #80 #200					L.L.	P.I.	SOIL CLASS	LAB #:	%MOISTURE
				S	I	E	V	E					
109+90	33 RT	0-5	BR/GR	99	98	95	82	78	35	24	A-6(16)	RV428	
102+00	06 RT	0-5	BROWN	100				92	ND	NP	A-4(0)	S421	27.7
102+00	15 RT	0-5	BROWN	98	92	89	86	81	ND	NP	A-4(0)	S422	21.2
102+00	24 RT	0-5	BROWN	98	95	88	82	77	ND	NP	A-4(0)	S423	19.1
110+00	33 RT	0-5	BROWN	99	99	98	91	90	43	33	A-7-6(29)	S424	30.8
119+00	30 RT	0-5	BROWN	100				98	35	18	A-6(18)	S425	47.5
127+00	06 LT	0-5	BR/GR	81	71	59	47	42	ND	NP	A-4(0)	S426	16.4
127+00	15 LT	0-5	BR/GR	92	86	78	74	68	ND	NP	A-4(0)	S427	14.5

comments: W=MULTIPLE LAYERS,X=STRIPPED

Thursday, July 06, 2017

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DATE TESTED

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6/21/2017

COUNTY NO. 21

Michael Benson, Materials Engineer

STA.# LOC. [REDACTED] PAVEMENT SOUNDINGS

102+00	06 RT	ACHMSC	PCCP	AGG BASE CRS. CL-5
		7.75W	7.0	--
102+00	15 RT	ACHMSC	PCCP	AGG BASE CRS. CL-5
		6.0W	--	5.0
102+00	24 RT	ACHMSC	PCCP	AGG BASE CRS. CL-5
		--	--	--
110+00	33 RT	ACHMSC	ACHMSC	ASPHALT TREATED BA AGG BASE CRS CL-5
		--	--	--
119+00	30 RT	ACHMSC	ACHMSC	ASPHALT TREATED BA AGG BASE CRS CL-5
		--	--	--
127+00	06 LT	ACHMSC	ACHMSC	ASPHALT TREATED BA AGG BASE CRS CL-5
		2.0	5.0X	26
127+00	15 LT	ACHMSC	AGG BASE CRS CL-5	26
		4.5W	8.0	

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GEOTECHNICAL REPORT
HIGHWAY 278 IMPROVEMENTS
Bridge Over Union Pacific Railroad
DESHA COUNTY, ARKANSAS

ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
STATE PROJECT No. 020590

Prepared for:
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MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE

Date:
JUNE 5, 2020

Geotechnology Project No.:
J033659.01

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June 5, 2020

Mr. John Ruddell, P.E., S.E.
Vice President - Bridge Design Manager
Garver, LLC
4701 Northshore Drive
North Little Rock 72118

Re: Geotechnical Report
Highway 278 Improvements
Bridge Over Union Pacific Railroad
Desha County, Arkansas
Geotechnology Project No. J033659.01

Dear Mr. Ruddell:

Presented in this report are the results of the geotechnical exploration performed by Geotechnology, Inc. for the referenced project. The report includes our understanding of the project, observed site conditions, conclusions and/or recommendations, and support data as listed in the Table of Contents.

We appreciate the opportunity to provide geotechnical services for this project. If you have any questions regarding this report, or if we can be of any additional service to you, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Respectfully submitted,
GEOTECHNOLOGY, INC.

Dale M. Smith, P.E.
Geotechnical Manager

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6/5/20



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HIGHWAY 278 IMPROVEMENTS
Bridge Over Union Pacific Railroad
DESHA COUNTY, ARKANSAS
June 5, 2020 | Geotechnology Project No. J033659.01**

CHAPTER 1. SCOPE OF SERVICES

Presented in this report are the results of the subsurface exploration and recommendations for design, construction, and other related features for the proposed improvements to US Highway 278 (Hwy 278) in Desha County, Arkansas (Station 102+04.00 to Station 129+25.00). The referenced improvements consist of the construction of an approximately 922-foot-long, 9-span bridge (Station 110+14.87 to Station 119+37.13) over Union Pacific Railroad, south of the existing Hwy 278 bridge which will be demolished. It is our understanding the existing Hwy 278 bridge over Union Pacific Railroad will remain in use through construction of the replacement bridge. The existing bridge approaches will be modified to facilitate traffic flow over the new bridge. A general overview of the project is shown on Figure 1 included in Appendix B.

The recommendations presented in this report are based on the geology, topography, and the results of the subsurface exploration. Results of borings, in-situ testing, sampling and laboratory testing are included in the report. A total of 14 borings were drilled at intervals along the proposed US Highway 278 bridge over Union Pacific Railroad as shown in Figure 2 included in Appendix B. The boring logs, along with field and laboratory test results, are enclosed. The collected data have been analyzed and the physical properties of the in-situ soils summarized. General site conditions are discussed, along with recommendations for subgrade preparation. Important information prepared by the Geotechnical Business Council (GBC) of the Geoprofessional Business Association for studies of this type is presented in Appendix A for your review.



CHAPTER 2. GENERAL INFORMATION

Planned Modifications

The modifications to the approaches will require realignment of the existing roadway; beginning at Station 102+04.00, the existing road way will be widened to the south and the new alignment of Hwy 278 will merge off the existing at Station 104+30 and extend to the beginning of the bridge at Station 110+14.87. Based on the provided plans¹, it is our understanding the construction of the new western bridge approach will require up to 17 feet of fill and less than 3 feet of cut. The planned side slopes of the western approach are 3 horizontal units for every 1 vertical unit (3H:1V).

The proposed nine-span bridge will cross the Union Pacific Railroad, including future planned tracks, and a pedestrian tunnel. It is our understanding that minimal grade changes will be required at the bent locations. A 2H:1V slope is planned for the bridge abutments.

From the end of the bridge at Station 119+37.13 the new alignment of Hwy 278 will continue northeast until merging with existing Hwy 278 at Station 125+00. Widening of existing Hwy 278 will extend from Station 125+00 to the end of project Station 129+25.00. Approximately 25 feet of fill will be required in the eastern bridge approach and up to 9 feet of cut will be required near the base of the proposed southern side slope. Between Stations 124+75 and 126+00, up to 14 feet will be required near the base of the proposed southern side slope. The planned side slopes of the eastern bridge approach are 3V:1H.

Topography

According to the provided plans, the elevations at the west and east abutments are El 163.03² and 162.70, respectively, with a maximum of approximately 27 feet of relief across the proposed alignment.

Drainage

The drainage system in the project area consists of the Boeuf Watershed. The Boeuf Watershed, in turn, is part of the overall drainage system of the Mississippi River Basin.

Geology

Desha County is located in southeastern Arkansas, in the Mississippi Embayment. The Mississippi Embayment is a trough-like depression plunging southward along an axis approximating the present course of the Mississippi River. Geology in the project area is characterized by alluvial, clay-dominant deposits.

¹ Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department Construction Plans for State Highway UPRR STR & APPRS. (S) Desha County Route 278 Section 16, Federal Aid Proj. JOB 020590. Provided by Arkansas Department of Transportation, dated May 20, 2018.

² Elevations are referenced to Mean Sea Level (MSL) in units of feet.



CHAPTER 3. GEOTECHNICAL EXPLORATION

A total of 14 borings were drilled at selected locations near the bridge approaches and the alignment of the proposed bridge. The borings were drilled to a depth of 10 to 100 feet. Two pavement cores were drilled to depths of approximately 8 to 11 inches.

The borings were drilled between January 15th and 24, 2019 using a rotary drill rig (CME 55LC) and hollow-stem augers. Sampling procedures included Standard Penetration Test (SPT) and thin-wall (Shelby) tube methods. SPT's were conducted at 2.5 and 5-foot depth intervals using automatic hammers. Thin-walled Shelby tube samples were collected in cohesive soils at selected depths. Groundwater observations were made during drilling operations.

The collected samples were visually examined by field staff and transported to our laboratory for further evaluation and testing. The samples were examined in the laboratory by a geotechnical professional who prepared descriptive logs of the materials encountered. The boring logs are presented in Appendix C. An explanation of the terms and symbols used on the boring logs is also provided in Appendix C. Included on each boring log are elevation, latitude and longitude, and station and offset data estimated from the provided plans. Included in Table 1 are in situ tests and measurements made as part of the fieldwork and recorded on the boring logs.

Table 1. Field Tests and Measurements

Item	Test Method
Soil Classification	ASTM D 2488/ D 3282
Standard Penetration Test (SPT)	ASTM D 1586/ AASHTO T206
Thin-Walled (Shelby) Tube Sampling	ASTM D 1587/ AASHTO T207

The boring logs represent conditions observed at the time of exploration and have been edited to incorporate results of the laboratory tests. Unless noted on the boring logs, the lines designating the changes between various strata represent approximate boundaries. The transition between materials could be gradual or could occur between recovered samples. The stratification given on the boring logs, or described herein, is for use by Geotechnology in its analyses and should not be used as the basis of design or construction cost estimates without realizing that there can be variation from that shown or described.

The boring logs and related information depict subsurface conditions only at the specific locations and times where sampling was conducted. The passage of time could result in changes in conditions, interpreted to exist, at or between the locations where sampling was conducted.



CHAPTER 4. LABORATORY REVIEW AND TESTING

Laboratory testing was performed on soil samples to assess engineering and index properties. Most of the laboratory test results are presented on the boring logs in Appendix C. The Atterberg limits, grain size analyses, unconsolidated-undrained triaxial compression (UU), direct shear, one-dimensional consolidation, pH, resistivity, standard proctor, and California Bearing Ratio (CBR) test results are also provided in Appendix D. The laboratory tests and corresponding test method standards are presented in Table 2.

Table 2. Summary of Laboratory Tests and Methods.

Laboratory Test	ASTM	AASHTO
Moisture Content	D 2216	T 265
Atterberg Limits	D 4318	T 98
Grain Size Analysis	D 422	T 88
Percent Finer Than No. 200 Sieve	D 1140	T 11
Unconsolidated-Undrained Triaxial Compression	D 2850	T 296
Direct Shear	D 3080	T 236
One-Dimensional Consolidation	D 2435	T 216
pH of Soil	D 4972	T 289
Soil Electrical Resistivity	G 57	T 288
Moisture-Density (Standard Effort)	D 698	T 99
California Bearing Ratio (CBR)	D 1883	T 193

The boring logs were prepared by a project geotechnical engineer from the field logs, visual classification of the soil samples in the laboratory, and laboratory test results. Terms and symbols used on the boring logs are presented on the Boring Log: Terms and Symbols in Appendix C. Stratification lines on the boring logs indicate approximate changes in strata. The transition between strata could be abrupt or gradual.



CHAPTER 5. SUBSURFACE CONDITIONS

Existing Pavement

Borings B-1, -13, -14, C-1 and -2 were drilled in the existing bridge approaches for the purpose of obtaining pavement thickness and subgrade information beneath the existing road way. A summary of the pavement materials and thicknesses is provided in Table 3.

Table 3. Summary of Encountered Pavement Materials and Thicknesses.

Boring No.	Surface		Base	
	Material	Thickness (in.)	Material	Thickness (in.)
B-1	Asphalt	7	Red Sand	17
B-13	Asphalt	9.5	Gravel	3
			Red Sand	17.5
B-14	Asphalt	6	Gravel	6
			Red Sand	18
C-1*	Asphalt	11	--	--
C-2*	Asphalt	8	--	--

*Asphalt Core Only

Subgrade Materials

The borings were drilled in the alignment of the proposed bridge and approaches, with the exception of Boring B-9 which was offset to the north of the existing bridge. The borings were drilled through approximately 3 to 6 inches of topsoil. Underlying the topsoil or pavement, the soils generally consisted of fine-grained, predominately clay soil underlain by coarse-grained soil to the 100-foot maximum depth of exploration. The borings logs, with more detailed soil descriptions are included in Appendix C. The laboratory testing used to determine AASHTO and USCS classifications is presented in Appendix E.

The fine-grained, predominately clay soils were classified as low plasticity, “lean”, clay (CL), AASHTO A-7-6, and high plasticity, “fat”, clay (CH), AASHTO A-7-6, with some silt (ML) AASHTO A-4. The fine-grained soils ranged in consistency from soft to hard. Based on the cross-sections provided, cut areas planned near the bridge abutments will terminate in CH soil.

The fine-grained soils were underlain by coarse-grained soil at depths of 33 to 48 feet and classified as poorly-graded sand (SP), AASHTO A-3, A-1-b, sand with silt (SP-SM), AASHTO A-1-b, A-3, A-2-4, and silty sand (SM), AASHTO A-2-4, with some clayey sand (SC), AASHTO A-2-6. Based on field test results, the coarse-grained soils ranged from loose to very dense.

Groundwater

Groundwater was encountered during drilling operations in the borings at the depths indicated in Table 4. The presence of groundwater in Boring B-9 was obscured by the use of mud rotary drilling methods, which introduces fluid to the borehole. Groundwater levels could vary significantly over



time due to the effects of seasonal variation in precipitation, recharge, or other factors not evident at the time of exploration.

Table 4. Summary of Groundwater Depths.

Boring No.	Groundwater Depth (ft.)	Groundwater Elevation
B-2	28.5	132.5
B-3	53.5	90.5
B-4	48.5	92.5
B-6	50	91
B-7	3.5	138.5
B-8	8	134
B-10	38.5	107.5
B-11	35	111
B-12	20	127



CHAPTER 6. ENGINEERING EVALUATION, ANALYSIS, AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Site Preparation and Earthwork

The following procedures are recommended for site preparation in cut and fill areas. These recommendations do not supersede ARDOT standards and specifications. Site preparation and compaction requirements must conform to the latest ARDOT standards.

Site Preparation. In general, cut areas and areas to receive new fill should be stripped of topsoil, vegetation, and other deleterious materials. Topsoil should be placed in landscape areas or disposed of off-site. Vegetation and tree roots should be over-excavated.

The exposed subgrade should be proof-rolled using a tandem axle dump truck loaded to approximately 20,000 pounds per axle (or equivalent proof-rolling equipment). Soft areas that develop should be over-excavated and backfilled with select fill, which is defined as soil conforming to A-4 or better material, and compacted to the unit weights specified in subsequent paragraphs.

Side Slopes. Existing slopes steeper than 1V:4H must be benched prior to placing new fill. Slope ratios of 1V:3H or flatter are recommended for all cut and fill slopes along the proposed alignment. Based on the results of the global stability analyses, discussed in a subsequent section, some slopes will require either flattening or geosynthetic reinforcement.

Cut Areas. Based on the stratigraphy, excavation will terminate in fat clay, lean clay, or silt. After excavation, the top 6 inches of the resulting subgrade should be compacted to a minimum of 95% of the maximum dry unit weight as determined by a standard Proctor test (ASTM D 698/AASHTO T 99). Areas supporting pavement should be compacted to 98% of the maximum unit weight as determined by the standard Proctor test.

Fill Materials. Fill material should consist of natural soils classifying as AASHTO A-6 or better. Soils classifying as AASHTO A-4 or better are considered to be select fill. Fine-grained soils (A-4 through A-6) and coarse-grained soils with fines should have a maximum LL and PI of 40 and 20 percent, respectively. Such materials should be free from organic matter, debris, or other deleterious materials, and have a maximum particle size of 2 inches.

Fill and Backfill Placement. Fill and backfill should be placed in level lifts, up to 8 inches in loose thickness. For fill and backfill exhibiting a well-defined moisture-density relationship, each lift should be moisture-conditioned to within $\pm 2\%$ of the optimum moisture content and compacted with a sheepfoot roller or self-propelled compactor to a minimum of 98% of the maximum dry unit weight as determined by the standard Proctor test. Moisture-conditioning can include: aeration and drying of wetter soils; wetting drier soils; and/or mixing wetter and drier soils into a uniform blend. The upper three feet of soil beneath the base of pavement should be compacted to 98% of the maximum unit weight as determined by the standard Proctor test.



For fill and backfill that do not exhibit a well-defined moisture-density relationship, each lift should be compacted to 70% of the minimum relatively density as evaluated from the maximum and minimum index densities measured by ASTM D4253 and D4254, respectively. The upper three feet of soil beneath the base of pavement should be compacted to 75% of the minimum relatively density.

Moisture Considerations. Maintaining the moisture content of bearing and subgrade soils within the acceptable range is important during and after construction for the proposed structures. The silty and clayey bearing and subgrade soils should not be allowed to become wet or dry during or after construction, and measures should be taken to hinder water from ponding on these soils and to reduce drying of these soils.

Water from surface runoff, downspouts, and subsurface drains should be collected and discharged through a storm water collection system. Positive drainage should be established around the proposed structures to promote drainage of surface water away from the structures and reduce ponding of water adjacent to these structures.

Pavement Design Information

Composite bulk samples of the auger cuttings were collected from selected borings. Atterberg limits and standard Proctor compaction tests (ASTM D 698/AASHTO T99) were performed on each composite sample. California Bearing Ratio (CBR) tests (ASTM D 1883/ AASHTO T193) were conducted on soaked samples remolded in standard CBR molds using compaction efforts of 25 and 56 blows per layer. The test results are summarized in Table 5.

Table 5. Summary of Compaction and CBR Test Results.

Boring No.	Depth (ft.)	USCS/AAHSTO	Liquid Limit (%)	Plastic Limit (%)	Proctor Results		CBR Results				Percent Compaction (%)
					Maximum Dry Unit Weight (pcf)	Optimum Moisture Content (%)	Blows per Layer	Dry Unit Weight (pcf)	Moisture Content (%)	CBR	
B-2	1 – 5	CL	42	20	107.6	15.2	25	95.5	23.06	1.5	88.7
		A-7-6(15)					56	104.9	19.41	3.3	97.5
B-12	1 – 5	CL	49	21	101.8	19.1	25	93.4	26.95	1.6	91.7
		A-7-6(29)					56	101.5	23.86	2.3	99.7

The results in the previous table were interpolated/extrapolated to estimate the CBR values at 95 percent compaction, which is typically considered a minimum compaction value to be achieved in the field. The mean and standard deviation of the interpretation were also calculated. The results are presented in Table 6.



Table 6. CBR Interpolation/Extrapolation.

Boring No.	Depth (ft.)	USCS/ AASHTO	CBR at 95% Compaction
B-2	1 – 5	CL	3.2
		A-7-6(15)	
B-12	1 – 5	CL	2.2
		A-7-6(29)	
Average CBR			2.7

Based on the test results and the data presented in the previous table, a CBR of 2.0 is recommended for design of pavements for this project. A CBR value of this magnitude will result in a relatively thick, expensive pavement structure. We recommend a 3-foot undercut below the base of pavements and backfilling with better (larger CBR) materials. Two materials are considered herein: A-4 (design CBR value of 8.0) and A-3 (design CBR value of 10.0).

The design CBR values mentioned in the previous paragraph were correlated to Resilient Modulus (M_R) and Resistance (R) values. The correlation was performed using information provided by Mr. Paul Tinsley of ARDOT and is presented in Table 7.

Table 7. Soil Design Parameter Recommendations for Pavement Design.

	Soil Classification/Source		
	A-7-6 (In-Situ)	A-4 (Import)	A-3 (Import)
	CBR = 2	CBR = 8	CBR = 10
M_R (psi)	3,120	8,059	9,389
Resistance (R) Value	4	12	15

Seismic Considerations

Earthquake Risk. The project area is located in the vicinity of the New Madrid Seismic Zone (NMSZ). The NMSZ is located in the northern part of the Mississippi Embayment and trends in a northeast to southwest direction from southern Illinois to northeast Arkansas. In December 1811, a series of large magnitude earthquakes occurred, which were centered near New Madrid, Missouri. Three strong earthquakes occurred over the next three months and smaller aftershocks continued until at least 1817. According to researchers, the magnitudes of these three events ranged from 7.5 to 8.0.



Earthquake Forces. It is our understanding the bridge and approaches will be designed in accordance with the AASHTO publication “LRFD Bridge Design Specifications”, seventh edition (2014), with 2015 interims.

Seismic Design Parameters. Seismic design parameters based on a seismic hazard with 7% probability of exceedance in 75 years and field and laboratory testing is presented in Table 8.

Table 8. Seismic Design Parameters (7% Probability of Exceedance in 75 years).

Latitude 33.614784°N/Longitude 91.390037°W		
Category/ Parameter	Designation/ Value	Reference
Seismic Site Class	D	AASHTO LRFD 2014 Table 3.10.3.1-1
S _S	0.211g	Computed using design maps provided by the USGS http://earthquake.usgs.gov/ws/designmaps using the indicated latitude and longitude coordinates of the project site. The USGS tool used references AASHTO 2009.
S ₁	0.074g	
F _a	1.600	
F _v	2.400	
F _{PGA}	1.600	
t _s	0.524g	
t ₀	0.105g	
S _{DS}	0.337g	
S _{D1}	0.177g	
PGA	0.090g	
A _s	0.145g	

Liquefaction and Dynamic Settlement. A study was performed to evaluate the liquefaction and dynamic settlement potential at the site. Both field and laboratory data were used to perform the analysis. The field measurements included the assumed depth of the water table and the SPT N-values. The laboratory data included USCS classification and soil unit weight. An earthquake magnitude (M_w) of 7.7 with a probability of exceedance of 7% in 75 years was considered. A peak ground acceleration of 0.145g was utilized as obtained from the referenced Seismic Design Maps. Groundwater was assumed to be at a depth of approximately 20 feet.

Subsurface conditions (as characterized by field and laboratory data) and earthquake characteristics were used to estimate the safety factors against liquefaction in each soil layer, as well as the associated dynamic settlement during the design seismic event. Based on the analysis, there is liquefaction potential at the site. The analysis results are presented in Table 9.



Table 9. Results of Liquefaction Analyses.

Boring No.	Depth of Boring (ft.)	Zones with Liquefaction Factor of Safety Less than 1.0	Estimated Dynamic Settlement (in.)	
			Upper 50 Feet	Total Depth of Boring
B-3	80	NA	Less than ¼	¾
B-4	100	NA	Less than ¼	Less than ¼
B-5	80	NA	½	¾
B-6	100	78 to 88 feet	Less than ¼	5 ¾
B-7	80	NA	¾	¾
B-8	100	NA	Less than ¼	¼
B-9	80	NA	Less than ¼	Less than ¼
B-10	100	NA	Less than ¼	Less than ¼
B-11	80	NA	Less than ¼	Less than ¼
B-11	80	NA	Less than ¼	Less than ¼

Please note the current state of practice for liquefaction hazard assessment is based on what is known as “the Simplified Method” as introduced by Seed (1971) and subsequent modifications/revisions by many researchers (Seed 1982, Idriss 1999, Youd 2001, and Idriss and Boulanger 2014, among others). The simplified method was based on observations and assessments of soil zones that either liquefied or did not liquefy in the upper 40 feet (12 m). There are reported uncertainties in the values of one of the inputs to the method (the stress reduction factor, or r_d) at depths greater than 50 feet. The occurrence of significant liquefaction in relatively deep sand deposits is unlikely. Therefore, we recommend not considering potentially liquefiable zones below a depth of 50 feet when determining pile embedment lengths.

A discussion of the downdrag potential due to dynamic settlement is included in a subsequent section.

Approach Embankment Settlement

Based on the cross sections provided and the proposed pile cap elevations, up to 25 feet of fill will be required at the proposed abutments to bring the site to grade. Up to 6 inches of settlement is estimated to occur under the weight of new fill placed at the bridge approaches and abutments. Based on the one-dimensional consolidation tests performed, this settlement is expected to approach completion in 200 to 250 days.

Note the one-dimensional consolidation test confines the soil-moisture drainage pathway to one dimension; field drainage is a three-dimensional phenomenon and typically occurs in three directions. It has been our experience the estimated settlement occurs over a shorter period than anticipated. Therefore, it is our professional opinion the estimated settlement will approach completion over a period of 100 to 120 days. It is also important to realize field drainage can be



impacted by actual soil conditions and construction methods and sequencing. We recommend a settlement monitoring program be implemented and the survey data be forwarded to Geotechnology for review. The settlement pattern will be used to decide when construction activities can commence.

Settlement Monitoring Program. Settlement plates, or other appropriate methods should be utilized. Settlement plates should be installed approximately 1-foot below the existing ground surface and extended in 5-foot calibrated increments as the height of fill increases. To protect the riser pipes, fill should be hand compacted within a 4-foot radius of each plate. A typical settlement plate detail is presented on Figure 3 in Appendix B. We recommend settlement plates be placed no further than 50-feet apart, with at least one in the deepest areas of fill at both abutments. The project surveyor should be retained to monitor the settlement plate riser pipe. Settlement at the site should be measured twice weekly during fill placement and weekly after filling is completed. Further construction at the abutments should not commence until after the settlement due to the fill placement has practically dissipated.

If the estimated settlement due to placement of the approach embankment is not tolerable, then consideration should be given to ground improvement techniques such as rammed aggregate piers.

Global Stability

Based on plans provided by Garver, the abutment slopes for the existing bridge are covered in rip rap and slope 2H:1V. Riprap will be placed to construct similar slopes at the proposed locations of abutment widening. Geotechnology performed stability analyses for deep-seated, global failure of bridge abutment slopes using the computer program SLOPE/W. Short-term, long-term and seismic conditions were considered using the Spencer method to compute factors of safety for the proposed slopes. The models used in this computation did not consider the effect of foundation piles driven to support the abutments or cladding of abutments with rip rap or concrete. In general, foundation piles may provide additional restraining force to the abutment slopes, resulting in a factor of safety higher than those presented here.

Calculated minimum factors of safety are summarized in the following table. A pseudo-static seismic acceleration of 0.073g, corresponding to one-half the peak ground acceleration (per FHWA Publication HI-99-012) was utilized. Section profiles with calculated critical failure arcs and utilized soil parameters are presented in Appendix F for the selected analyses.



Table 10. Results of Slope Stability Analyses.

Location	Description	Slope Height (ft.)	Calculated Factor of Safety		
			Short-Term Static ^a	Long-Term Static ^a	Seismic ^b
West Abutment	2:1	20	1.854	1.209	1.487
	Fill Slope				
Side Slope Station 110+18	3:1	21	1.822	1.863	1.416
	Fill Slope				
East Abutment	2:1	17	2.235	1.109	1.768
	Fill Slope				
Side Slope Station 119+20	3:1	31	1.400	1.369	1.158
	Fill Slope				

^a Target factor of safety = 1.5, approximately equivalent to a global stability resistance factor = 0.65.

^b Target factor of safety = 1.1, approximately equivalent to a global stability resistance factor = 0.9.

Insufficient factors of safety (FOS) against global stability failure were computed for the side-slope at Station 119+20 in the short- and long-term conditions and in the long-term condition at each of the abutment slopes.

Reinforced Slopes. An analysis for the global stability of reinforced slopes was performed for the East and West Abutment slopes and the Side Slope at Sta. 119+37 using the computer program ReSSA, the slope configurations and soil parameters utilized in the global stability analysis, and the Bishop method. The design was based on the reinforcement properties presented in Table 11. If a different reinforcement is desired, Geotechnology should be contacted to revise recommendations.

Table 11. Geogrid Design Properties.

Reinforcement Properties	
Reinforcement Type	Geosynthetic
Material Type	Geogrid
Design Tensile Strength (T_{Design})	1,828 lb./ft.
Reduction Factor: Installation Damage	1.10
Reduction Factor: Durability	1.20
Reduction Factor: Creep	1.45
Reduction Factor: Coverage Ratio	1.00
Interaction Parameter: Direct Sliding	0.67
Interaction Parameter: Pullout	0.67
Interaction Parameter: Scale Effect Correction Factor	0.80



In the analysis we modeled the use of cohesive fill meeting the requirements in the Site Preparation and Earthwork Section of this report. The soil parameters used in the analysis for the Short Term, Long Term, and Seismic Condition are presented in Table 12. If granular materials are to be used, Geotechnology should be contacted to revise recommendations.

Table 12. Utilized Soil Parameters.

Soil Layer	Unit Weight (pcf)	Soil Parameters					
		Short Term		Long Term		Seismic	
		Cohesion (psf)	Phi (°)	Cohesion (psf)	Phi (°)	Cohesion (psf)	Phi (°)
Engineered Fill	120	1,500	--	50	30	1,500	--
Soft Fat Clay	116	800	--	--	24	800	--
Fat Clay	116	1,200	--	--	24	1,200	--
Sand	123	--	36	--	36	--	36

Based on the analysis, slopes reinforced as indicated in Table 13 through Table 19 meet the target factors of safety for the short term, long term, and seismic condition for the East and West Abutments and the Side Slope at Sta 119+37. It should be noted the models did not consider the relative stabilizing effect of foundation piles driven to support the abutments or cladding of abutments with rip rap or concrete. The number and length of the reinforcement required is dependent on the planned height of the slope and slope of the ground surface; if configuration of the slope changes, Geotechnology should be contact to revise these recommendations.

Table 13. East Abutment Slope (2:1) Reinforcement Configurations.

Reinforcement Layer No.	Elevation	Length (feet)
Toe of Slope	148.0	--
1	150	20
2	152	
3	154	
4	156	
5	158	
6	160	
7	162	20
Top of Slope	165.0	



Table 14. Side Slope Sta. 119+37 (2:1) Reinforcement Configurations.

Reinforcement Layer No.	Elevation	Length (feet)
Toe of Slope	135.7	--
1	136	40
2	138	
3	140	
4	142	
5	144	
6	146	
7	148	
8	150	
9	152	
10	154	
11	156	
12	158	
13	160	
14	162	
Top of Slope	165.0	--

Table 15. Side Slope Sta. 119+85 (2:1) Reinforcement Configurations.

Reinforcement Layer No.	Elevation	Length (feet)
Toe of Slope	135.5	--
1	136	30
2	138	
3	140	40
4	142	
5	144	
6	146	
7	148	
8	150	
9	152	
10	154	
11	156	
12	158	
13	160	
Top of Slope	164.0	--



Table 16. Side Slope Sta. 121+00 (2:1) Reinforcement Configurations.

Reinforcement Layer No.	Elevation	Length (feet)
Toe of Slope	135.2	--
1	136	25
2	138	
3	140	30
4	142	
5	144	
6	146	
7	148	
8	150	40
9	152	
10	154	
11	156	
Top of Slope	159.3	--

Table 17. Side Slope Sta. 122+00 (2:1) Reinforcement Configurations.

Reinforcement Layer No.	Elevation	Length (feet)
Toe of Slope	135.0	--
1	136	25
2	138	
3	140	
4	142	
5	144	
6	146	30
7	148	
8	150	
9	152	
Top of Slope	156.0	--



Table 18. Side Slope Sta. 122+55 (2:1) Reinforcement Configurations.

Reinforcement Layer No.	Elevation	Length (feet)
Toe of Slope	134.9	--
1	136	20
2	138	
3	140	
4	142	
5	144	
6	146	
7	148	
8	150	
Top of Slope	154.5	--

Extend reinforcement from Sta. 122+55 to Sta. 123+00 where the side slope begins a transition to a 3:1 slope at Sta. 123+13.

Table 19. West Abutment Slope (2:1) Reinforcement Configurations.

Reinforcement Layer No.	Elevation	Length (feet)
Toe of Slope	143.6	--
1	145.5	20
2	147.5	
3	149.5	
4	151.5	
5	153.5	
6	155.5	
7	157.5	
8	159.5	
9	161.5	
Top of Slope	164.0	--

Construction Considerations. Based on the required lengths of the geogrid reinforcement, over excavation of the existing slopes will be required for installation of the geogrid reinforcement.

At the east abutment where the soil will be reinforced along the abutment and side slope, the reinforcement should be installed so the reinforcement overlaps in a radial pattern around the corner to create continuous reinforcement for both the abutment and side slope.



Special attention should be paid to placement of the reinforcement with regards to the location of driven foundations. During installation of the geogrid, for reinforcement in the upper 10 feet of soil, a hole should be cut to allow for the driving of piles through the geogrid. At depths greater than 10 feet, the overburden pressure should allow for the driving of piles through the geogrid without wrinkling the geogrid mat.

We recommend a working platform of 6 inches or more between the reinforcement and the wheels or track of construction equipment. The abutment slopes should be protected from erosion/sloughing during construction prior to the placement of cladding or rip rap.

Deep Foundations

Foundation design recommendations are provided herein based on the AASHTO LRFD Bridge Design Specifications (2014).

It is our understanding the proposed bridge abutments and bents will be supported using 18-inch, closed-ended, steel pipe piles. Geotechnology should be notified if a different foundation type is to be considered. Synthetic profiles have been compiled for each abutment and the bents locations based upon the soil profile encountered in the borings, approximate boring elevations, and the proposed final grade. Downdrag forces due to liquefaction during the design earthquake event were not considered. Nominal resistance curves showing the capacity due to skin friction and the total capacity (skin friction + end bearing) for the abutments and bents are presented in Appendix H. Uplift capacities (tension) may be calculated using the resistance provided by skin friction.

Resistance Factors. Resistance factors should be applied to the nominal resistances provided. In general, a factor of 0.45 may be used for piles in compression and 0.35 in tension. Based on AASHTO LRFD (2014) higher resistance factor may be used in accordance with the level of pile testing performed as indicated in Table 20.



Table 20. Resistance Factors for Driven Piles

Condition/Resistance Determination Method		Resistance Factor
Nominal Bearing Resistance of Single Pile – Dynamic Analysis and Static Load Test Methods	Driving criteria established by successful static load test of at least one pile per site condition and dynamic testing of at least two piles per site, but no less than 2% of the production piles*	0.80
	Driving criteria established by successful static load test of at least one pile per site condition without dynamic testing	0.75
	Driving criteria established by dynamic testing conducted on 100% of production piles*	0.75
	Driving criteria established by dynamic testing, quality control by dynamic testing of at least two piles per site condition, but no less than 2% of production piles*	0.65
	Wave equation analysis, without pile dynamic measurements or load test but with field confirmation of hammer performance	0.50
	FHWA-modified Gates dynamic pile formula (End of Drive condition only)	0.40
Uplift Resistance of Single Pile	Dynamic test with signal matching	0.50

* Dynamic testing requires signal matching, and estimates of nominal resistance are made from a restrike. Dynamic tests are calibrated to a static load test, when available.

Pile Group Considerations. The settlement of pile groups should be evaluated as per AASHTO LRFD (2014) section 10.7.2.3. Settlement analysis of the pile groups can be performed when the foundation configurations and service loads are available. AASHTO LRFD (2014) section 10.7.3.9 addresses pile group resistance. Group capacity considerations for different pile groups, center-to-center spacings, and other conditions (cap contact with ground, softness of surface soil etc.) are given in AASHTO LRFD (2014) sections 10.7.3.9 and 10.7.3.11.

Static Pile Load Testing. At least one static pile compression load test should be performed for each bent or abutment location. The testing should be performed in accordance with ASTM D 1143 using the quick loading procedure and AASHTO LRFD (2014) section 10.7.3.8.2. Please refer to the previous Resistance Factors table for additional guidance regarding the minimum number of tests and alternate resistance factors associated with other field methods for determining resistance.

If the piles are to support net uplift loads, at least one tension load test should be performed for each location. The test should be performed in accordance with ASTM D 3689. Piles should be tested to the required nominal uplift resistances.



Load tests are required to verify recommended nominal pile resistance and will not be used to increase the design pile resistance. The piles used in the load tests should not be used for support of any structures. Geotechnology should be consulted regarding the locations of the test piles.

Dynamic Testing of Driven Piles. As an alternative to static pile load testing, high-strain dynamic pile testing can be performed according to AASHTO LRFD (2014)) section 10.7.3.8.3 and the procedures given in ASTM D4945. Different resistance factors correspond to different load testing combinations as illustrated in the previous table. We recommend that the test piles be identified according to AASHTO LRFD (2014) Table 10.5.5.2.3-1 or 2 percent of the production piles, whichever results in a larger number of tests. We recommend that the identified piles be tested at the end of initial drive (EIOD) and a restrrike performed at a minimum seven days after EIOD.

Pile driving monitoring should be performed by an engineer with a minimum three years dynamic pile testing and analysis experience and who has achieved Basic or better certification under the High-Strain Dynamic Pile Testing Examination and Certification process of the Pile Driving Contractors Association and Foundation QA. Pile driving modeling and analyses should be performed by an engineer with a minimum five years dynamic pile testing and analysis experience and who has achieved Advanced or better certification under the High-Strain Dynamic Pile Testing Examination and Certification process of the Pile Driving Contractors Association and Foundation QA.

Dynamic tests are required to monitor hammer and drive system performance, assess driving stresses and structural integrity and to evaluate pile resistance, and should not be used to increase design pile resistance. Dynamic tests should be performed on production piles with the lowest driving resistance. Geotechnology will be available to assist with development of specifications for this program and should be on site to perform or observe the testing and establish the pile driving criteria.

Driven Pile Construction Considerations. A WEAP analysis using the program GRLWEAP was performed for the proposed piles based on the soil profile encountered, the pile cut-off elevations provided, and a Delmag D25-32 hammer. Piles should be driven with a pile hammer developing appropriate energy that will not cause damage to the pile. Specifications should include minimum pile hammer energies of:

- 36 kip-feet for the 18-inch, 203-ton nominal capacity piles at Bents 1 and 4, and
- 47 kip-feet for the 18-inch, 294-ton nominal capacity piles at Bents 2 and 3.

Alternatively, potential driving criteria can be developed using wave equation analyses after the actual pile hammer is selected.

An additional design phase analysis using the design loads, pile lengths, and the hammer to be used should be performed to determine pile drivability and minimum hammer energy.



Settlement. Settlement of pile foundations depends on the loads applied and the foundation configuration. In general, settlement of deep foundations designed in accordance with the recommendations provided in this report is expected to be less than 1-inch. However, a calculation of the expected settlement of the pile foundations can be performed when the applied service loads and foundation configuration are available.

Uplift Resistance. Uplift forces can be resisted by the effective weight of the piles and caps, and frictional resistance between the piles and surrounding soil. If the anticipated maximum level of groundwater is higher than the tip of the pile then the buoyant unit weight of the pile must be used in computing uplift resistance for pile lengths extending below the design groundwater level.

Lateral Resistance. The lateral resistance of pile foundations depends on the length and dimensions of the foundation and the soil characteristics. The lateral resistance of pile foundations can be computed using the computer program LPILE to model the behavior of a single pile or shaft. Soil parameters are provided in Appendix F for the various strata and soil strengths present at the site. Soil parameters are based on field and laboratory test results and empirical correlations with SPT N-values.

The effects of group interaction must be considered when evaluating pile/shaft group horizontal movement. The lateral resistance for individual piles calculated by LPILE must be reduced by the P-multipliers provided in Section 10.7.2.4 of the AASHTO LRFD (2014) to determine lateral resistance of a pile group. Alternatively, the GROUP software can be used to evaluate the lateral resistance of the pile/shaft groups. The resistance factor for lateral resistance of single piles or pile groups is 1.0.

Downdrag

The AASHTO LRFD (2014) suggests that settlement of 0.4-inch or greater could produce downdrag on pile foundations. Downdrag occurs as the soil strata move downward relative to the foundations due to settlement of the soil layers. The relative movement of the soil layers versus the shaft depends on the final foundation configuration.

Downdrag Due to Fill-Induced Settlement. Based on settlement analysis performed for the 25-foot maximum fill placement, up to 6-inches of settlement is predicted. Piles driven immediately after fill placement will be subject to downdrag loads as the soil consolidates under the load of the fill. The survey data recorded for the settlement monitoring program recommended in the Abutment Settlement Section, should be forwarded to Geotechnology to determine if the settlement due to fill placement is complete prior to driving piles.

Downdrag due to Dynamic Settlement. Based on liquefaction analysis results, our professional opinion, and the uncertainties described in the Seismic Considerations section, we expect up to $\frac{3}{4}$ of an inch of dynamic settlement within the upper 50 feet of soil during the design earthquake event (7% exceedance in 75 years) at one boring location. Liquefaction induced downdrag can be reduced by performing ground improvement on the potentially liquefiable soil layers. It is our professional opinion that driving the 18-inch and 24-inch closed-ended, steel pipe piles through the identified



liquefiable layers will sufficiently densify susceptible layers in the vicinity of the piles such that liquefaction induced downdrag is not expected to occur in the design earthquake. However, the extent of the densification cannot be determined at this stage. Pre-drilling or applying bituminous or viscous coatings are not recommended to reduce liquefaction-induced downdrag because such methods will reduce the nominal static compressive resistance of the piles. If more information is desired, please contact Geotechnology.



CHAPTER 7. RECOMMENDED ADDITIONAL SERVICES

The conclusions and recommendations given in this report are based on: Geotechnology's understanding of the proposed design and construction, as outlined in this report; site observations; interpretation of the exploration data; and our experience. Since the intent of the design recommendations is best understood by Geotechnology, we recommend Geotechnology be included in the final design and construction process, and be retained to review the project plans and specifications to confirm the recommendations given in this report have been correctly implemented. We recommend Geotechnology be retained to participate in pre-bid and preconstruction conferences to reduce the risk of misinterpretation of the conclusions and recommendations in this report relative to the proposed construction of the subject project.

Since actual subsurface conditions between boring locations could vary from those encountered in the borings, our design recommendations are subject to adjustment in the field based on the subsurface conditions encountered during construction. Therefore, we recommend Geotechnology be retained to provide construction observation services as a continuation of the design process to confirm the recommendations in this report and to revise them accordingly to accommodate differing subsurface conditions. Construction observation is intended to enhance compliance with project plans and specifications. It is not insurance, nor does it constitute a warranty or guarantee of any type. Regardless of construction observation, contractors, suppliers, and others are solely responsible for the quality of their work and for adhering to plans and specifications.



CHAPTER 8. LIMITATIONS

This report has been prepared on behalf of, and for the exclusive use of, the client for specific application to the named project as described herein. If this report is provided to other parties, it should be provided in its entirety with all supplementary information. In addition, the client should make it clear the information is provided for factual data only, and not as a warranty of subsurface conditions presented in this report.

Geotechnology has attempted to conduct the services reported herein in a manner consistent with the level of care and skill ordinarily exercised by members of the profession currently practicing in the same locality and under similar conditions. The recommendations and conclusions contained in this report are professional opinions. The report is not a bidding document and should not be used for that purpose.

Our scope for this phase of the project did not include any environmental assessment or investigation for the presence or absence of wetlands or hazardous or toxic materials in the soil, surface water, groundwater, or air, on or below or around this site. Any statements in this report or on the boring logs regarding odors noted or unusual or suspicious items or conditions observed are strictly for the information of our client. Our scope did not include an assessment of the effects of flooding and erosion of creeks or rivers adjacent to or on the project site.

Our scope did not include: any services to investigate or detect the presence of mold or any other biological contaminants (such as spores, fungus, bacteria, viruses, and the by-products of such organisms) on and around the site; or any services, designed or intended, to prevent or lower the risk of the occurrence of an infestation of mold or other biological contaminants.

The analyses, conclusions, and recommendations contained in this report are based on the data obtained from the geotechnical exploration. The field exploration methods used indicate subsurface conditions only at the specific locations where samples were obtained, only at the time they were obtained, and only to the depths penetrated. Consequently, subsurface conditions could vary gradually, abruptly, and/or nonlinearly between sample locations and/or intervals.

The conclusions or recommendations presented in this report should not be used without Geotechnology's review and assessment if the nature, design, or location of the facilities is changed, if there is a lapse in time between the submittal of this report and the start of work at the site, or if there is a substantial interruption or delay during work at the site. If changes are contemplated or delays occur, Geotechnology must be allowed to review them to assess their impact on the findings, conclusions, and/or design recommendations given in this report. Geotechnology will not be responsible for any claims, damages, or liability associated with any other party's interpretations of the subsurface data or with reuse of the subsurface data or engineering analyses in this report.



The recommendations included in this report have been based in part on assumptions about variations in site stratigraphy that can be evaluated further during earthwork and foundation construction. Geotechnology should be retained to perform construction observation and continue its geotechnical engineering service using observational methods. Geotechnology cannot assume liability for the adequacy of its recommendations when they are used in the field without Geotechnology being retained to observe construction.

**APPENDIX A – IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT THIS GEOTECHNICAL-ENGINEERING
REPORT**

Important Information about This

Geotechnical-Engineering Report

Subsurface problems are a principal cause of construction delays, cost overruns, claims, and disputes.

While you cannot eliminate all such risks, you can manage them. The following information is provided to help.

Geotechnical Services Are Performed for Specific Purposes, Persons, and Projects

Geotechnical engineers structure their services to meet the specific needs of their clients. A geotechnical-engineering study conducted for a civil engineer may not fulfill the needs of a constructor — a construction contractor — or even another civil engineer. Because each geotechnical-engineering study is unique, each geotechnical-engineering report is unique, prepared *solely* for the client. No one except you should rely on this geotechnical-engineering report without first conferring with the geotechnical engineer who prepared it. *And no one — not even you — should apply this report for any purpose or project except the one originally contemplated.*

Read the Full Report

Serious problems have occurred because those relying on a geotechnical-engineering report did not read it all. Do not rely on an executive summary. Do not read selected elements only.

Geotechnical Engineers Base Each Report on a Unique Set of Project-Specific Factors

Geotechnical engineers consider many unique, project-specific factors when establishing the scope of a study. Typical factors include: the client's goals, objectives, and risk-management preferences; the general nature of the structure involved, its size, and configuration; the location of the structure on the site; and other planned or existing site improvements, such as access roads, parking lots, and underground utilities. Unless the geotechnical engineer who conducted the study specifically indicates otherwise, do not rely on a geotechnical-engineering report that was:

- not prepared for you;
- not prepared for your project;
- not prepared for the specific site explored; or
- completed before important project changes were made.

Typical changes that can erode the reliability of an existing geotechnical-engineering report include those that affect:

- the function of the proposed structure, as when it's changed from a parking garage to an office building, or from a light-industrial plant to a refrigerated warehouse;
- the elevation, configuration, location, orientation, or weight of the proposed structure;
- the composition of the design team; or
- project ownership.

As a general rule, *always* inform your geotechnical engineer of project changes—even minor ones—and request an

assessment of their impact. *Geotechnical engineers cannot accept responsibility or liability for problems that occur because their reports do not consider developments of which they were not informed.*

Subsurface Conditions Can Change

A geotechnical-engineering report is based on conditions that existed at the time the geotechnical engineer performed the study. *Do not rely on a geotechnical-engineering report whose adequacy may have been affected by:* the passage of time; man-made events, such as construction on or adjacent to the site; or natural events, such as floods, droughts, earthquakes, or groundwater fluctuations. *Contact the geotechnical engineer before applying this report to determine if it is still reliable.* A minor amount of additional testing or analysis could prevent major problems.

Most Geotechnical Findings Are Professional Opinions

Site exploration identifies subsurface conditions only at those points where subsurface tests are conducted or samples are taken. Geotechnical engineers review field and laboratory data and then apply their professional judgment to render an opinion about subsurface conditions throughout the site. Actual subsurface conditions may differ — sometimes significantly — from those indicated in your report. Retaining the geotechnical engineer who developed your report to provide geotechnical-construction observation is the most effective method of managing the risks associated with unanticipated conditions.

A Report's Recommendations Are Not Final

Do not overrely on the confirmation-dependent recommendations included in your report. *Confirmation-dependent recommendations are not final*, because geotechnical engineers develop them principally from judgment and opinion. Geotechnical engineers can finalize their recommendations *only* by observing actual subsurface conditions revealed during construction. *The geotechnical engineer who developed your report cannot assume responsibility or liability for the report's confirmation-dependent recommendations if that engineer does not perform the geotechnical-construction observation required to confirm the recommendations' applicability.*

A Geotechnical-Engineering Report Is Subject to Misinterpretation

Other design-team members' misinterpretation of geotechnical-engineering reports has resulted in costly

problems. Confront that risk by having your geotechnical engineer confer with appropriate members of the design team after submitting the report. Also retain your geotechnical engineer to review pertinent elements of the design team's plans and specifications. Constructors can also misinterpret a geotechnical-engineering report. Confront that risk by having your geotechnical engineer participate in prebid and preconstruction conferences, and by providing geotechnical construction observation.

Do Not Redraw the Engineer's Logs

Geotechnical engineers prepare final boring and testing logs based upon their interpretation of field logs and laboratory data. To prevent errors or omissions, the logs included in a geotechnical-engineering report should *never* be redrawn for inclusion in architectural or other design drawings. Only photographic or electronic reproduction is acceptable, *but recognize that separating logs from the report can elevate risk.*

Give Constructors a Complete Report and Guidance

Some owners and design professionals mistakenly believe they can make constructors liable for unanticipated subsurface conditions by limiting what they provide for bid preparation. To help prevent costly problems, give constructors the complete geotechnical-engineering report, *but* preface it with a clearly written letter of transmittal. In that letter, advise constructors that the report was not prepared for purposes of bid development and that the report's accuracy is limited; encourage them to confer with the geotechnical engineer who prepared the report (a modest fee may be required) and/or to conduct additional study to obtain the specific types of information they need or prefer. A prebid conference can also be valuable. *Be sure constructors have sufficient time* to perform additional study. Only then might you be in a position to give constructors the best information available to you, while requiring them to at least share some of the financial responsibilities stemming from unanticipated conditions.

Read Responsibility Provisions Closely

Some clients, design professionals, and constructors fail to recognize that geotechnical engineering is far less exact than other engineering disciplines. This lack of understanding has created unrealistic expectations that have led to disappointments, claims, and disputes. To help reduce the risk of such outcomes, geotechnical engineers commonly include a variety of explanatory provisions in their reports. Sometimes labeled "limitations," many of these provisions indicate where geotechnical engineers' responsibilities begin and end, to help

others recognize their own responsibilities and risks. *Read these provisions closely.* Ask questions. Your geotechnical engineer should respond fully and frankly.

Environmental Concerns Are Not Covered

The equipment, techniques, and personnel used to perform an *environmental* study differ significantly from those used to perform a *geotechnical* study. For that reason, a geotechnical-engineering report does not usually relate any environmental findings, conclusions, or recommendations; e.g., about the likelihood of encountering underground storage tanks or regulated contaminants. *Unanticipated environmental problems have led to numerous project failures.* If you have not yet obtained your own environmental information, ask your geotechnical consultant for risk-management guidance. *Do not rely on an environmental report prepared for someone else.*

Obtain Professional Assistance To Deal with Mold

Diverse strategies can be applied during building design, construction, operation, and maintenance to prevent significant amounts of mold from growing on indoor surfaces. To be effective, all such strategies should be devised for the *express purpose* of mold prevention, integrated into a comprehensive plan, and executed with diligent oversight by a professional mold-prevention consultant. Because just a small amount of water or moisture can lead to the development of severe mold infestations, many mold-prevention strategies focus on keeping building surfaces dry. While groundwater, water infiltration, and similar issues may have been addressed as part of the geotechnical-engineering study whose findings are conveyed in this report, the geotechnical engineer in charge of this project is not a mold prevention consultant; *none of the services performed in connection with the geotechnical engineer's study were designed or conducted for the purpose of mold prevention. Proper implementation of the recommendations conveyed in this report will not of itself be sufficient to prevent mold from growing in or on the structure involved.*

Rely, on Your GBC-Member Geotechnical Engineer for Additional Assistance

Membership in the Geotechnical Business Council of the Geoprofessional Business Association exposes geotechnical engineers to a wide array of risk-confrontation techniques that can be of genuine benefit for everyone involved with a construction project. Confer with your GBC-Member geotechnical engineer for more information.



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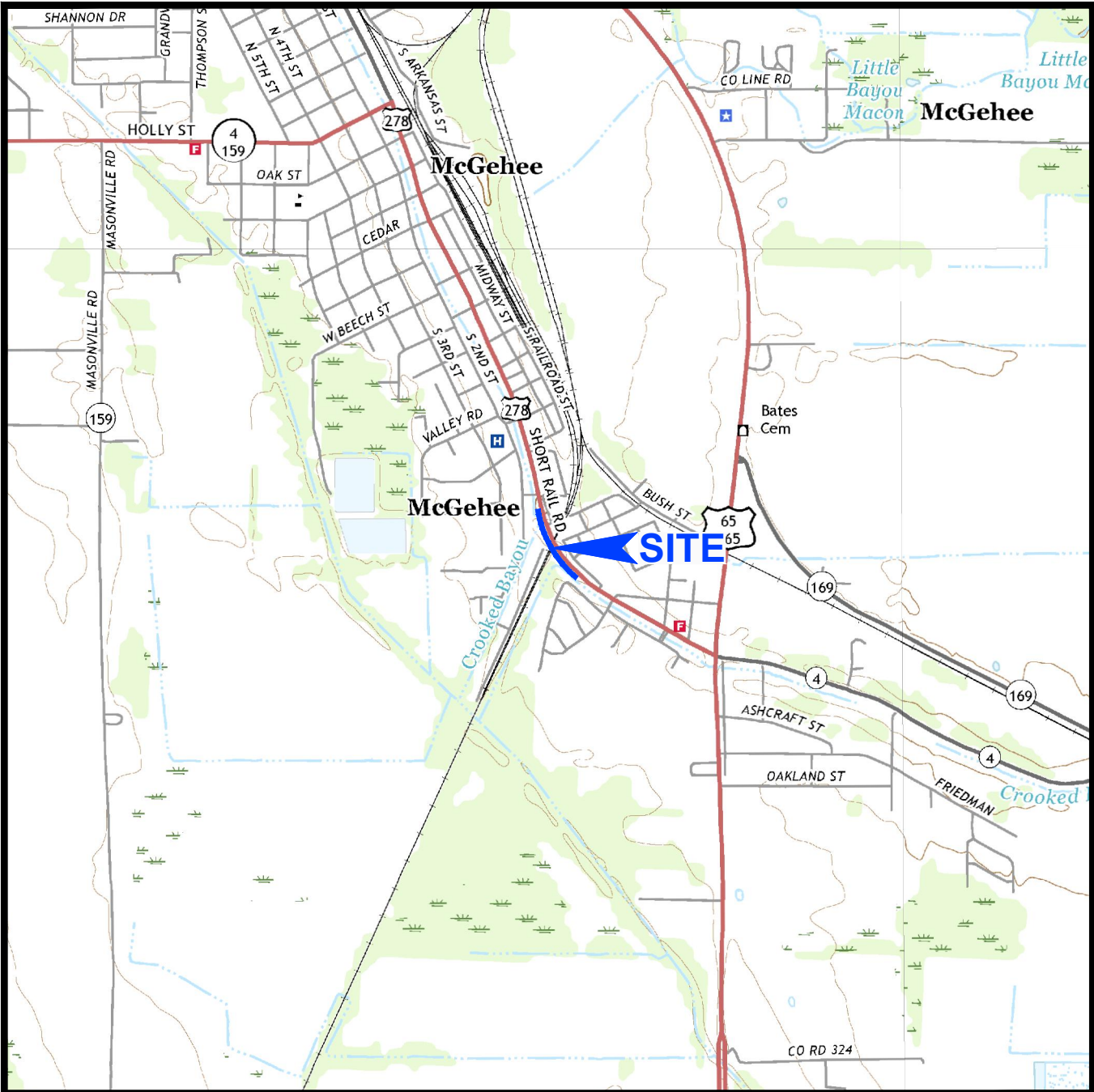
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APPENDIX B – FIGURES

Figure 1 - Site Location and Topography

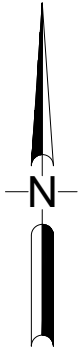
Figure 2 - Aerial Photograph of Site and Boring Locations

Figure 3 - Settlement Plate Detail



NOTES

1. Plan adapted from 7.5 minute U.S.G.S. maps for McGehee South, McGehee North, McArthur, and Halley, Arkansas quadrangles last revised in 2017.



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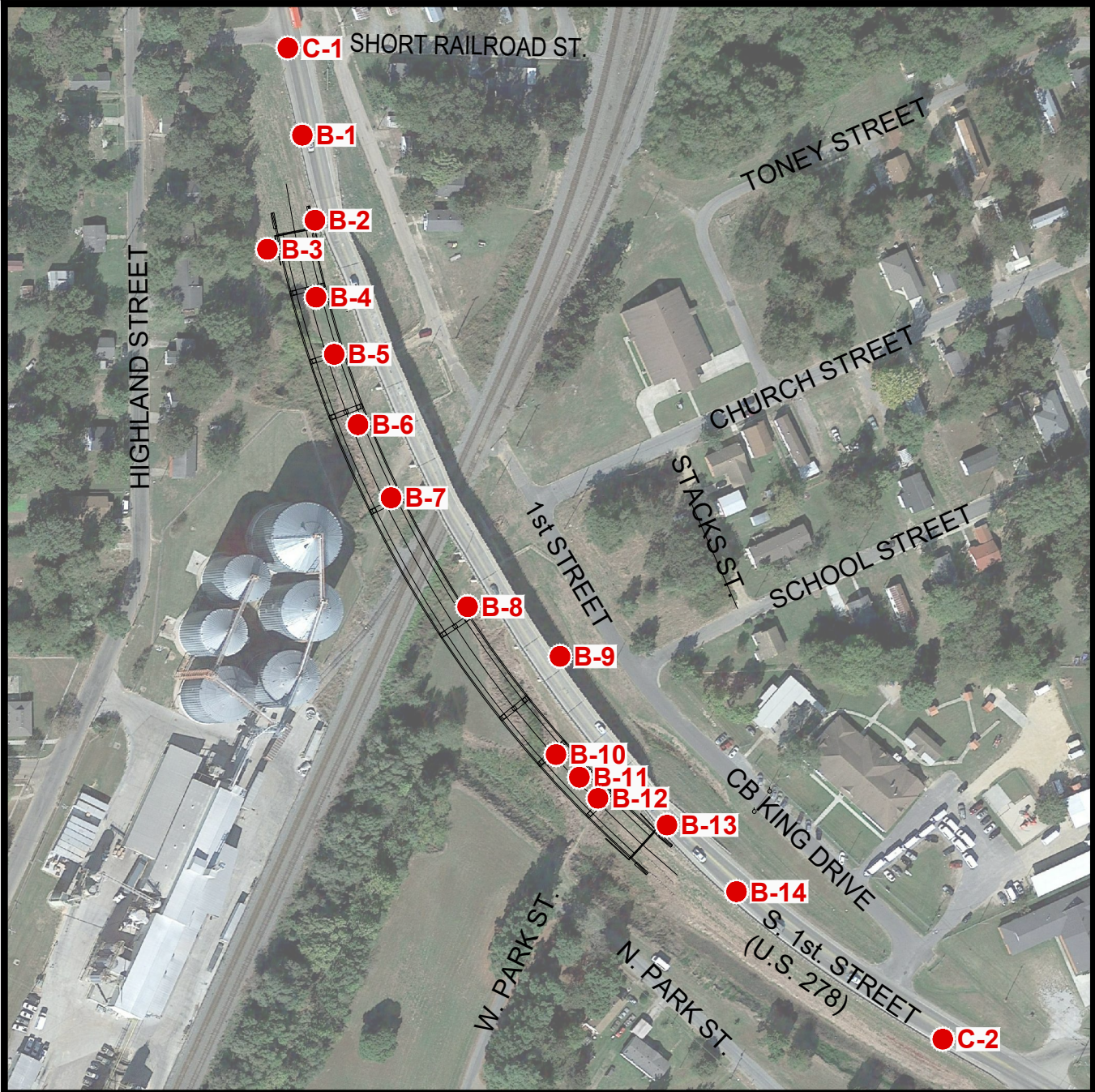


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SITE LOCATION AND TOPOGRAPHY

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FIGURE 1



NOTES

1. Plan adapted from an October 30, 2016 aerial photograph courtesy of Google Earth and an undated, untitled drawing, supplied by the client.
2. Borings were located in the field with reference to site features and are shown approximate only.

LEGEND

● Boring Location



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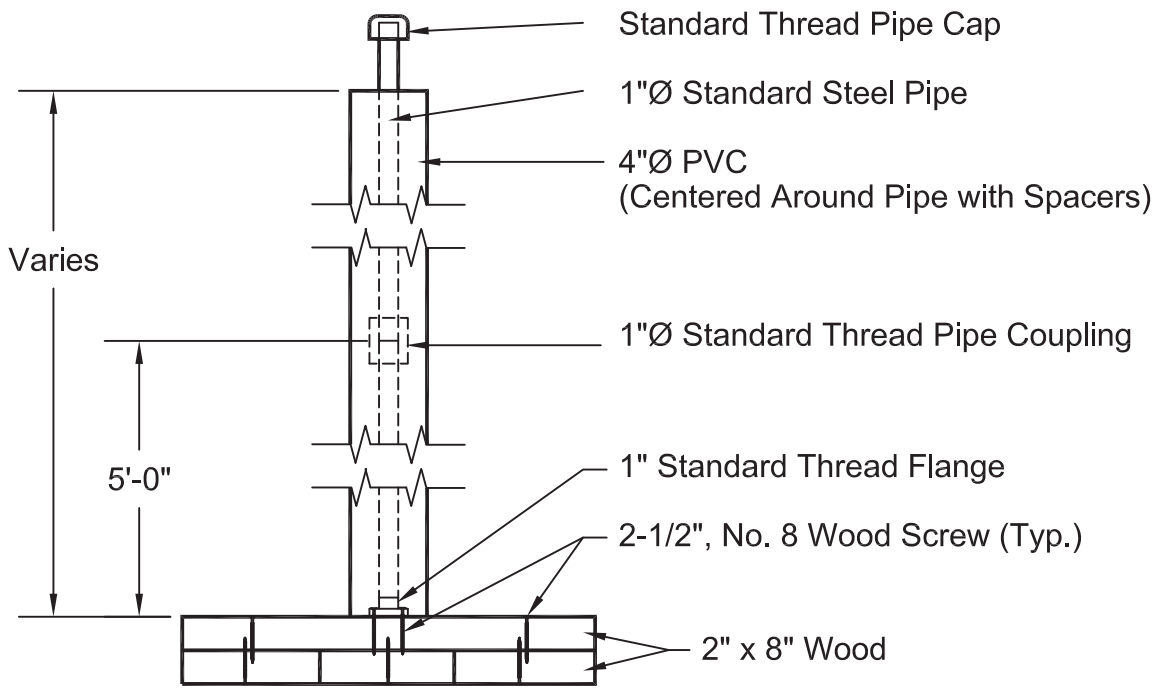
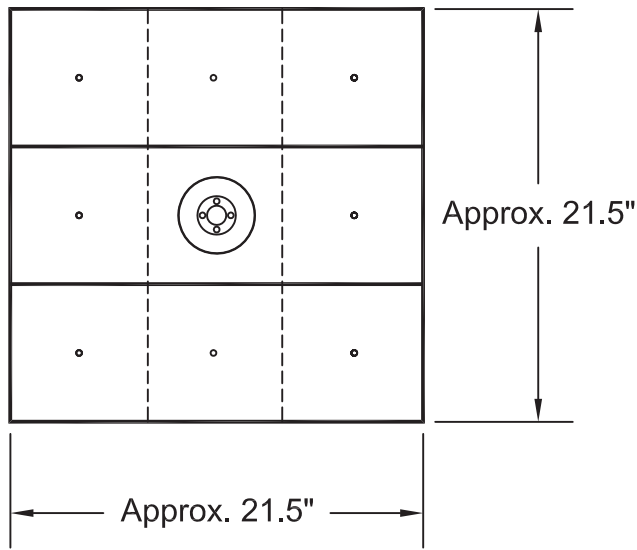


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**AERIAL PHOTOGRAPH OF SITE
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FIGURE 2



NOTES

1. Place plate on level surface, a minimum of 1 foot below ground level and hand compact backfill adjacent to PVC.

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SETTLEMENT PLATE DETAIL		
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APPENDIX C – BORING INFORMATION

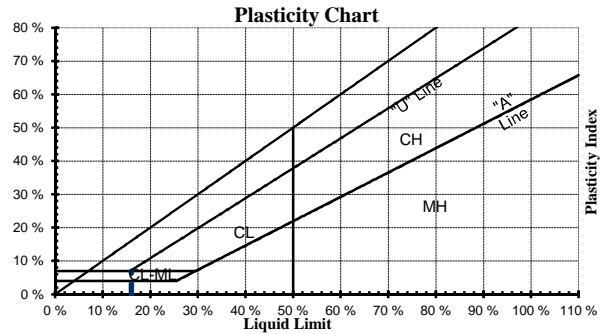
Boring Log Terms and Symbols

Boring Logs

BORING LOG: TERMS AND SYMBOLS

LEGEND

CS	Continuous Sampler
GB	Grab Sample
NQ	NQ Rock Core
PST	Three-Inch Diameter Piston Tube Sample
SS	Split-Spoon Sample (Standard Penetration Test)
ST	Three-Inch Diameter Shelby Tube Sample
*	Sample Not Recovered
PL	Plastic Limit (ASTM D4318)
LL	Liquid Limit (ASTM D4318)
SV	Shear Strength from Field Vane (ASTM D2573)
UU	Shear Strength from Unconsolidated-Undrained Triaxial Compression Test (ASTM D2850)
QU	Shear Strength from Unconfined Compression Test (ASTM D2166)



SOIL GRAIN SIZE

US STANDARD SIEVE

	12"	3"	3/4"	4	10	40	200		
BOULDERS	COBBLES	GRAVEL		SAND			SILT	CLAY	
		COARSE	FINE	COARSE	MEDIUM	FINE			
		300	76.2	19.1	4.76	2.00	0.42	0.074	0.005
SOIL GRAIN SIZE IN MILLIMETERS									

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM

Major Divisions		Symbol	Description	
Coarse-Grained Soils (More than 50% Larger than No. 200 Sieve Size)	Gravel and Gravelly Soil	Clean Gravels Little or no Fines	GW Well-Graded Gravel, Gravel- Sand Mixture	
		Gravels with Appreciable Fines	GP Poorly-Graded Gravel, Gravel-Sand Mixture	
		Sand and Sandy Soils	Clean Sands Little or no Fines	GM Silty Gravel, Gravel-Sand-Silt Mixture
			Sands with Appreciable Fines	GC Clayey-Gravel, Gravel-Sand-Clay Mixture
	Fine-Grained Soils (More than 50% Smaller than No. 200 Sieve Size)	Silts and Clays	Liquid Limit Less Than 50	SW Well-Graded Sand, Gravelly Sand
				SP Poorly-Graded Sand, Gravelly Sand
				SM Silty Sand, Sand-Silt Mixture
		Silts and Clays	Liquid Limit Greater Than 50	SC Clayey-Sand, Sand-Clay Mixture
			ML Silt, Sandy Silt, Clayey Silt, Slight Plasticity	
			CL Lean Clay, Sandy Clay, Silty Clay, Low to Medium Plasticity	
		MH Silt, High Plasticity		
		CH Fat Clay, High Plasticity		
		OH Organic Clay, Medium to High Plasticity		
Highly Organic Soils		PT	Peat, Humus, Swamp Soil	

STRENGTH OF COHESIVE SOILS

DENSITY OF GRANULAR SOILS

Consistency	Undrained Shear Strength (tsf)	Unconfined Comp. Strength (tsf)	Descriptive Term	Approximate N_{60} -Value Range
Very Soft	less than 0.125	less than 0.25	Very Loose	0 to 4
Soft	0.125 to 0.25	0.25 to 0.5	Loose	5 to 10
Medium Stiff	0.25 to 0.5	0.5 to 1.0	Medium Dense	11 to 30
Stiff	0.5 to 1.0	1.0 to 2.0	Dense	31 to 50
Very Stiff	1.0 to 2.0	2.0 to 3.0	Very Dense	>50
Hard	greater than 2.0	greater than 4.0		

N-Value (Blow Count) is the last two, 6-inch drive increments (i.e. 4/7/9, N = 7 + 9 = 16). Values are shown as a summation on the grid plot and shown in the Unit Dry Weight/SPT column.

RELATIVE COMPOSITION

OTHER TERMS

Trace	0 to 10%	Layer - Inclusion greater than 3 inches thick.
Little	10 to 20%	Seam - Inclusion 1/8-inch to 3 inches thick
Some	20 to 35%	Parting - Inclusion less than 1/8-inch thick
And	35 to 50%	Pocket - Inclusion of material that is smaller than sample diameter



Relative composition and Unified Soil Classification System (USCS) designations are based on visual descriptions and are approximate only. If laboratory tests were performed to classify the soil, the USCS designation is shown in parenthesis.

NOTE: STRATIFICATION LINES REPRESENT THE APPROXIMATE BOUNDARIES BETWEEN SOIL TYPES AND THE TRANSITION MAY BE GRADUAL. GRAPHIC LOG FOR ILLUSTRATION PURPOSES ONLY.

LOG OF BORING 2002 WL J033659.01.GPJ GTINC 0638301.GPJ 3/22/19

Surface Elevation: <u>155</u> Datum <u>MSL</u>		Completion Date: <u>1/17/19</u> Station: <u>109+00</u> Offset: <u>28 LT</u>		GRAPHIC LOG	DRY UNIT WEIGHT (pcf) SPT BLOW COUNTS CORE RECOVERY/RQD	SAMPLES	SHEAR STRENGTH, tsf						
DEPTH IN FEET		ELEVATION IN FEET					DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL		Δ - UU/2	○ - QU/2	□ - SV		
									0.5	1.0	1.5	2.0	2.5
STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE (ASTM D 1586)							▲ N-VALUE (BLOWS PER FOOT)						
PLI							WATER CONTENT, %						
							10	20	30	40	50	LL	
				ASPHALT: 7 inches									
				FILL: red sand									
				Soft to medium stiff, red-brown and gray, FAT CLAY - (CH)	9-15-14	SS1			▲				
					2-2-2	SS2	▲		●				85
					2-3-4	SS3	▲		●				
					1-3-3	SS4	▲			●			
					Boring terminated at 10 feet.								

GROUNDWATER DATA

FREE WATER NOT ENCOUNTERED DURING DRILLING

DRILLING DATA

AUGER 3 3/4 HOLLOW STEM WASHBORING FROM FEET
TPD DRILLER KLR LOGGER
CME 55LC DRILL RIG
 HAMMER TYPE Auto

REMARKS:

Drawn by: ALY	Checked by: DMS	App'vd. by: ASE
Date: 1/24/19	Date: 3/12/19	Date: 3/13/19



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Desha County, Arkansas**

LOG OF BORING: B- 1

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Surface Elevation: 164

Completion Date: 1/15/19

Datum MSL

Station: 110+16

Offset: 30 LT

SHEAR STRENGTH, tsf

Δ - UU/2 ○ - QU/2 □ - SV
0.5 1.0 1.5 2.0 2.5

STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE

(ASTM D 1586)

▲ N-VALUE (BLOWS PER FOOT)

WATER CONTENT, %

PLI | 10 20 30 40 50 | LL

NOTE: STRATIFICATION LINES REPRESENT THE APPROXIMATE BOUNDARIES BETWEEN SOIL TYPES AND THE TRANSITION MAY BE GRADUAL. GRAPHIC LOG FOR ILLUSTRATION PURPOSES ONLY.

DEPTH IN FEET	ELEVATION IN FEET	DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL	GRAPHIC LOG	DRY UNIT WEIGHT (pcf) SPT BLOW COUNTS CORE RECOVERY/RQD	SAMPLES	SHEAR STRENGTH, tsf	STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE	WATER CONTENT, %
		TOPSOIL: 6 inches						
		Soft to medium stiff, gray, LEAN CLAY with sand - (CL) 74.5% passing No. 200 sieve			1-2-2 SS1	▲		
5	159	Medium stiff, gray and brown, FAT CLAY - (CH)			2-2-3 SS2	▲		
					2-3-2 SS3	▲		
					2-2-4 SS4	▲		
10	154				88 ST5	Δ		74
15	149	Medium stiff to stiff, brown to gray, FAT CLAY, trace oxide nodules - CH pH = 7.61 Soil Resistivity: 570 ohms-cm			2-3-4 SS6	▲		
20	144				3-4-6 SS7	▲		
25	139				2-3-4 SS8	▲		
30	134				2-3-4 SS9	▲		
35	129	Medium stiff, maroon, FAT CLAY - CH			3-3-5 SS10	▲		111
40	124	Boring terminated at 40 feet.			3-3-4 SS11	▲		

GROUNDWATER DATA

DRILLING DATA

ENCOUNTERED AT 28.5 FEET ∇

___ AUGER 3 3/4 HOLLOW STEM
WASHBORING FROM ___ FEET
TPD DRILLER KLR LOGGER
CME 55LC DRILL RIG
HAMMER TYPE Auto

REMARKS:

Drawn by: ALY Checked by: DMS App'vd. by: ASE
Date: 1/24/19 Date: 3/12/19 Date: 3/13/19



**ARDOT Hwy 278 Bridge
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LOG OF BORING: B-2

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Surface Elevation: 147

Completion Date: 1/15/19

Datum MSL

Station: 110+16

Offset: 40 RT

SHEAR STRENGTH, tsf

Δ - UU/2 ○ - QU/2 □ - SV

0.5 1.0 1.5 2.0 2.5

STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE

(ASTM D 1586)

▲ N-VALUE (BLOWS PER FOOT)

WATER CONTENT, %

PL | 10 20 30 40 50 | LL

NOTE: STRATIFICATION LINES REPRESENT THE APPROXIMATE BOUNDARIES BETWEEN SOIL TYPES AND THE TRANSITION MAY BE GRADUAL. GRAPHIC LOG FOR ILLUSTRATION PURPOSES ONLY.

DEPTH IN FEET	ELEVATION IN FEET	DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL	GRAPHIC LOG	DRY UNIT WEIGHT (pcf) SPT BLOW COUNTS CORE RECOVERY/RQD	SAMPLES	SHEAR STRENGTH, tsf	STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE	WATER CONTENT, %
		TOPSOIL: 6 inches						
5	142	Medium stiff to soft, brown, LEAN CLAY - CL			1-2-3 SS1	▲		
					2-2-2 SS2	▲		
					1-2-2 SS3	▲		
10	137	Medium stiff, brown and gray, clayey SILT - ML			3-2-4 SS4	▲		
		Stiff to medium stiff, brown to gray, FAT CLAY - (CH)			ST5			
15	132	Soil Resistivity: 6,270 ohms-cm			2-4-5 SS6	▲		
20	127				2-3-5 SS7	▲		
					ST8			
25	122				2-5-5 SS9	▲		
30	117				3-6-7 SS10	▲		
35	112	Stiff, gray and brown, FAT CLAY, little sand - CH			4-5-6 SS11	▲		
40	107	Loose to dense, gray SAND - SP pH = 7.05			8-12-14 SS12			
45	102				11-16-23 SS13			
50	97				9-10-20 SS14			
55	92	3.3% passing No. 200 sieve			4-7-3 SS15	▲		
60	87				13-13-16 SS16			
65	82				17-15-12 SS17			
70	77				10-10-8 SS18	▲		
75	72	Medium dense to very dense, gray SAND, little gravel - SP			16-17-12 SS19	▲		
80	67	Boring terminated at 80 feet.			18-32-33 SS20			

GROUNDWATER DATA

DRILLING DATA

ENCOUNTERED AT 53.5 FEET ∇

___ AUGER 3 3/4 HOLLOW STEM
WASHBORING FROM 53.5 FEET
TPD DRILLER KLR LOGGER
CME 55LC DRILL RIG
HAMMER TYPE Auto

REMARKS:

Drawn by: ALY Checked by: DMS App'vd. by: ASE
Date: 1/24/19 Date: 3/12/19 Date: 3/13/19



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LOG OF BORING: B-3

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Surface Elevation: 141

Completion Date: 1/16/19

Datum MSL

Station: 111+00

Offset: 8 LT

SHEAR STRENGTH, tsf

Δ - UU/2 ○ - QU/2 □ - SV

0.5 1.0 1.5 2.0 2.5

STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE

(ASTM D 1586)

▲ N-VALUE (BLOWS PER FOOT)

WATER CONTENT, %

PL | 10 20 30 40 50 | LL

DEPTH
IN FEET

ELEVATION
IN FEET

DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL

GRAPHIC LOG

DRY UNIT WEIGHT (pcf)
SPT BLOW COUNTS
CORE RECOVERY/RQD

SAMPLES

TOPSOIL: 6 inches
FILL: red-brown to black, lean clay, trace wood

1-2-3 SS1
1-2-2 SS2
1-1-1 SS3
84 ST4

Medium stiff to stiff, red-brown to gray, FAT CLAY - (CH)
27.0% Gravel
65.1% passing No. 200 sieve

2-3-4 SS5
3-3-5 SS6
4-4-4 SS7

Stiff, gray, FAT CLAY, little sand - CH

5-4-8 SS8

Medium dense to dense, gray CLAYEY SAND, trace silt - SC
24.8% passing No. 200 sieve

4-7-8 SS9
9-13-19 SS10
7-8-17 SS11

pH = 7.13
Soil Resistivity: 2,679 ohms-cm

15-25-25 SS12
13-14-15 SS13

Medium dense to dense, gray, GRAVELLY SAND, trace silt - (SP)
31.0% Gravel
4.1% passing No. 200 sieve

8-9-8 SS14
11-9-11 SS15

Medium dense to very dense, gray, CLAYEY SAND - SC
15.7% passing No. 200 sieve

10-13-18 SS16
16-22-25 SS17
32-25-26 SS18

Boring terminated at 100 feet.

10-12-15 SS19

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GROUNDWATER DATA

DRILLING DATA

ENCOUNTERED AT 48.5 FEET ∇

___ AUGER 3 3/4 HOLLOW STEM
WASHBORING FROM 48.5 FEET
TPD DRILLER KLR LOGGER
CME 55LC DRILL RIG
HAMMER TYPE Auto

REMARKS:

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ARDOT Hwy 278 Bridge
over Union Pacific Railroad
Desha County, Arkansas

LOG OF BORING: B-4

Geotechnology Project No.
J033659.01

Surface Elevation: 140

Completion Date: 1/17/19

Datum MSL

Station: 111+90

Offset: 8LT

SHEAR STRENGTH, tsf

Δ - UU/2 ○ - QU/2 □ - SV

0.5 1.0 1.5 2.0 2.5

STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE

(ASTM D 1586)

▲ N-VALUE (BLOWS PER FOOT)

WATER CONTENT, %

PL | 10 20 30 40 50 | LL

NOTE: STRATIFICATION LINES REPRESENT THE APPROXIMATE BOUNDARIES BETWEEN SOIL TYPES AND THE TRANSITION MAY BE GRADUAL. GRAPHIC LOG FOR ILLUSTRATION PURPOSES ONLY.

DEPTH IN FEET	ELEVATION IN FEET	DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL	GRAPHIC LOG	DRY UNIT WEIGHT (pcf) SPT BLOW COUNTS CORE RECOVERY/RQD	SAMPLES	SHEAR STRENGTH, tsf	STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE	WATER CONTENT, %
		TOPSOIL: 6 inches						
		Stiff, brown SILT - ML			3-4-10 SS1			
5	135	Soft, gray, FAT CLAY - (CH)			2-2-1 SS2			
					98 ST3			
10	130	Medium stiff, gray and brown, FAT CLAY - (CH)			2-3-4 SS4			
					2-3-4 SS5			
15	125				2-3-5 SS6			
20	120	pH = 7.32 Soil Resistivity: 912 ohms-cm			3-4-4 SS7			
25	115				3-3-5 SS8			
30	110				5-6-9 SS9			
35	105	Medium dense to loose, gray to brown SAND, trace silt - SP			7-5-5 SS10			
40	100				10-10-11 SS11			
45	95				11-14-15 SS12			
50	90				10-5-8 SS13			
55	85	0.8% Gravel 3.7% passing No. 200 sieve			13-11-10 SS14			
60	80				13-13-14 SS15			
65	75	Medium dense to dense, gray SAND, trace gravel - SP			12-14-17 SS16			
70	70	pH = 8.01 Soil Resistivity: 2,850 ohms-cm			14-20-18 SS17			
75	65							
80	60	Boring terminated at 80 feet.						

GROUNDWATER DATA

FREE WATER NOT ENCOUNTERED DURING DRILLING

DRILLING DATA

AUGER 3 3/4 HOLLOW STEM WASHBORING FROM 33.5 FEET
TPD DRILLER KLR LOGGER
CME 55LC DRILL RIG
HAMMER TYPE Auto

REMARKS:

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**ARDOT Hwy 278 Bridge
over Union Pacific Railroad
Desha County, Arkansas**

LOG OF BORING: B- 5

**Geotechnology Project No.
J033659.01**

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Surface Elevation: 141

Completion Date: 1/18/19

Datum MSL

Station: 112+80

Offset: 8 LT

SHEAR STRENGTH, tsf

Δ - UU/2 ○ - QU/2 □ - SV

0.5 1.0 1.5 2.0 2.5

STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE

(ASTM D 1586)

▲ N-VALUE (BLOWS PER FOOT)

WATER CONTENT, %

PL | 10 20 30 40 50 | LL

DEPTH
IN FEET

ELEVATION
IN FEET

DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL

GRAPHIC LOG

DRY UNIT WEIGHT (pcf)
SPT BLOW COUNTS
CORE RECOVERY/RQD

SAMPLES

		TOPSOIL: 6 inches			
		FILL: black, lean clay			
5	136	Medium stiff, gray, LEAN CLAY - (CL)			
		Soft to medium stiff, gray and brown to red-brown, FAT CLAY - (CH)			
10	131				
15	126				
20	121				
25	116				
30	111				
35	106	Medium stiff, gray, LEAN CLAY - (CL) 75.1% passing No. 200 sieve			
40	101	Medium dense to dense, gray SAND - SP pH = 6.91 Soil Resistivity: 3,477 ohms-cm			
45	96				
50	91				
55	86				
60	81				
65	76				
70	71	Medium dense, gray SAND, trace gravel - SP			
75	66				
80	61	Loose, gray SAND and wood - SP			
85	56	Very dense, gray SAND WITH CLAY - SP-SC			
90	51	7.4% passing No. 200 sieve			
95	46	Very stiff, gray, FAT CLAY - CH			
100	41	Boring terminated at 100 feet.			

	2-2-1	SS1	▲		
	100	ST2			
	1-2-2	SS3	▲		
	2-3-3	SS4	▲		
	3-3-4	SS5	▲		
	79	ST6	▲		105
	2-2-3	SS7	▲		
	2-3-3	SS8	▲		
	2-3-4	SS9	▲		
	5-3-5	SS10	▲		
	3-8-11	SS11	▲		
	5-10-13	SS12	▲		
	3-14-16	SS13	▲		
	12-13-18	SS14	▲		
	10-17-18	SS15	▲		
	10-14-16	SS16	▲		
	1-1-6	SS17	▲		
	50=5"	SS18	▲		
	8-14-16	SS19	▲		

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GROUNDWATER DATA

DRILLING DATA

ENCOUNTERED AT 50 FEET ∇

___ AUGER 3 3/4 HOLLOW STEM
WASHBORING FROM 50 FEET
TPD DRILLER KLR LOGGER
CME 55LC DRILL RIG
HAMMER TYPE Auto

REMARKS:

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**ARDOT Hwy 278 Bridge
over Union Pacific Railroad
Desha County, Arkansas**

LOG OF BORING: B- 6

**Geotechnology Project No.
J033659.01**

Surface Elevation: 142

Completion Date: 1/20/19

Datum MSL

Station: 113+86

Offset: 6 LT

SHEAR STRENGTH, tsf

Δ - UU/2 ○ - QU/2 □ - SV

0.5 1.0 1.5 2.0 2.5

STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE

(ASTM D 1586)

▲ N-VALUE (BLOWS PER FOOT)

WATER CONTENT, %

PLI | 10 20 30 40 50 | LL

DEPTH
IN FEET

ELEVATION
IN FEET

DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL

GRAPHIC LOG

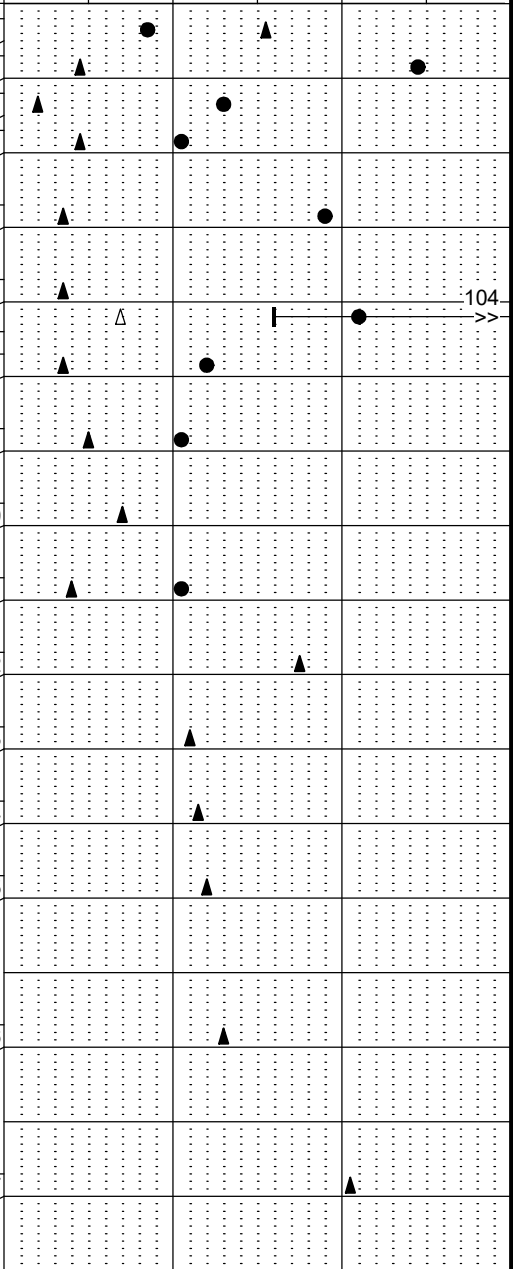
DRY UNIT WEIGHT (pcf)
SPT BLOW COUNTS
CORE RECOVERY/RQD

SAMPLES

TOPSOIL: 6 inches
FILL: brown silt
FILL: black, lean clay and gravel with wood
Soft to stiff, gray to red-brown, FAT CLAY - (CH)



9-16-15	SS1
2-5-4	SS2
1-2-2	SS3
2-4-5	SS4
2-3-4	SS5
2-3-4	SS6
80	ST7
2-3-4	SS8
3-5-5	SS9
3-8-6	SS10
2-4-4	SS11
9-15-20	SS12
13-11-11	SS13
10-11-12	SS14
10-12-12	SS15
8-13-13	SS16
17-19-22	SS17



Loose, red and gray, CLAYEY SAND - SC

32.7% passing No. 200 sieve

Loose to dense, gray SAND - SP

Medium dense to dense, gray SAND, trace gravel - SP

2.7% Gravel
4.0% passing No. 200 sieve

Boring terminated at 80 feet.

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GROUNDWATER DATA

ENCOUNTERED AT 3.5 FEET ∇

DRILLING DATA

___ AUGER 3 3/4 HOLLOW STEM
WASHBORING FROM 45 FEET
TPD DRILLER KLR LOGGER
CME 55LC DRILL RIG
HAMMER TYPE Auto

REMARKS:

Drawn by: ALY Checked by: DMS App'vd. by: ASE
Date: 1/24/19 Date: 3/12/19 Date: 3/13/19



**ARDOT Hwy 278 Bridge
over Union Pacific Railroad
Desha County, Arkansas**

LOG OF BORING: B-7

**Geotechnology Project No.
J033659.01**

Surface Elevation: 142

Completion Date: 1/20/19

Datum MSL

Station: 115+50

Offset: 24 LT

SHEAR STRENGTH, tsf

Δ - UU/2 ○ - QU/2 □ - SV

0.5 1.0 1.5 2.0 2.5

STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE

(ASTM D 1586)

▲ N-VALUE (BLOWS PER FOOT)

WATER CONTENT, %

PL | 10 20 30 40 50 | LL

DEPTH
IN FEET

ELEVATION
IN FEET

DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL

GRAPHIC LOG

DRY UNIT WEIGHT (pcf)
SPT BLOW COUNTS
CORE RECOVERY/RQD

SAMPLES

TOPSOIL: 6 inches

Medium stiff to soft, red-brown SILT - ML

Medium stiff, gray, LEAN CLAY - (CL)

Medium stiff, red-brown and gray, FAT CLAY - CH

pH = 7.68
Soil Resistivity: 741 ohms-cm

Stiff, red-brown and gray, FAT CLAY, little sand - CH

Medium dense to dense, brown to gray, SILTY SAND - SM
19.5% passing No. 200 sieve

11.7% passing No. 200 sieve

Medium dense to dense, gray SAND, trace gravel - SP
pH = 8.45
Soil Resistivity: 3,192 ohms-cm

Very stiff, gray, FAT CLAY - CH
Boring terminated at 100 feet.

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LOG OF BORING 2002 WL J033659.01.GPJ GTINC 0638301.GPJ 3/22/19

GROUNDWATER DATA

ENCOUNTERED AT 8 FEET ∇

DRILLING DATA

___ AUGER 3 3/4 HOLLOW STEM
WASHBORING FROM 40 FEET
TPD DRILLER KLR LOGGER
CME 55LC DRILL RIG
HAMMER TYPE Auto

REMARKS:

Drawn by: ALY Checked by: DMS App'vd. by: ASE
Date: 1/24/19 Date: 3/12/19 Date: 3/13/19



ARDOT Hwy 278 Bridge
over Union Pacific Railroad
Desha County, Arkansas

LOG OF BORING: B- 8

Geotechnology Project No.
J033659.01

Surface Elevation: 145

Completion Date: 1/24/18

Datum MSL

Station: 117+00

Offset: 88 LT

SHEAR STRENGTH, tsf

Δ - UU/2 ○ - QU/2 □ - SV

0.5 1.0 1.5 2.0 2.5

STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE

(ASTM D 1586)

▲ N-VALUE (BLOWS PER FOOT)

WATER CONTENT, %

PL | 10 20 30 40 50 | LL

DEPTH
IN FEET

ELEVATION
IN FEET

DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL

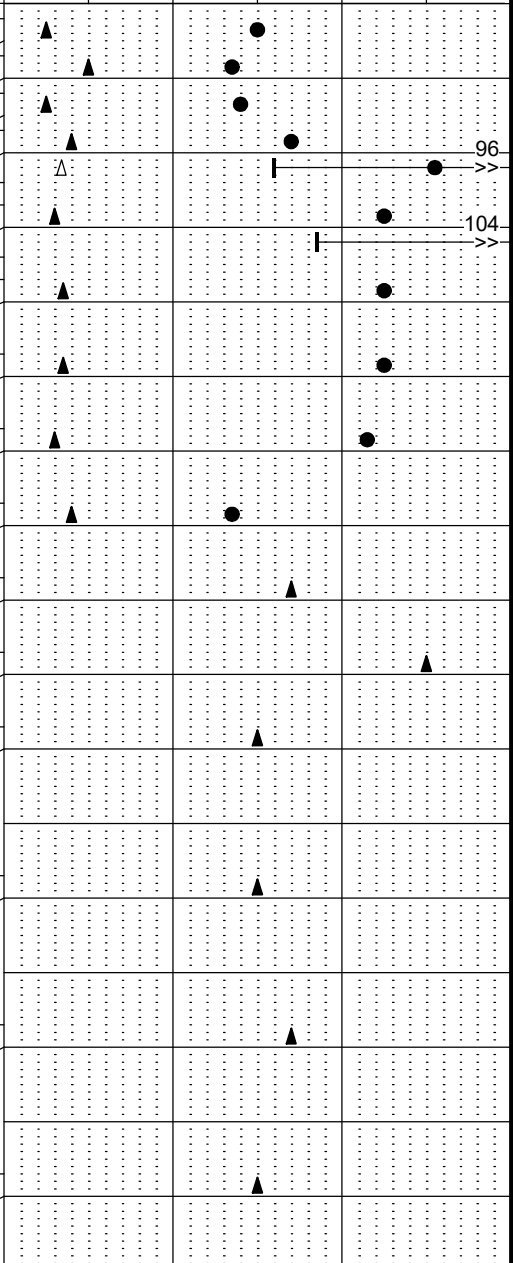
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DRY UNIT WEIGHT (pcf)
SPT BLOW COUNTS
CORE RECOVERY/RQD

SAMPLES

TOPSOIL: 6 inches
Medium stiff, red-brown, LEAN CLAY - CL
Stiff to medium stiff, brown and gray, FAT CLAY - (CH)

3-2-3	SS1
5-5-5	SS2
3-3-2	SS3
1-5-3	SS4
71	ST5
2-2-4	SS6
	ST7
2-3-4	ST8
2-3-4	ST9
3-3-3	ST10
3-3-5	ST11
12-16-18	ST12
21-27-23	ST13
12-15-15	ST14
10-14-16	ST15
13-17-17	ST16
11-13-17	ST17



59.4% passing No. 200 sieve

Dense to medium dense, gray SAND - SP

Dense to medium dense, gray SAND WITH SILT, trace gravel - SP-SM

8.7% passing No. 200 sieve

Boring terminated at 80 feet.

GROUNDWATER DATA

FREE WATER NOT ENCOUNTERED DURING DRILLING

DRILLING DATA

AUGER 3 3/4 HOLLOW STEM WASHBORING FROM FEET
TPD DRILLER KLR LOGGER
CME 55LC DRILL RIG
HAMMER TYPE Auto

Drawn by: ALY Checked by: DMS App'vd. by: ASE
Date: 1/24/19 Date: 3/12/19 Date: 3/13/19



**ARDOT Hwy 278 Bridge
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Desha County, Arkansas**

LOG OF BORING: B- 9

**Geotechnology Project No.
J033659.01**

REMARKS:

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LOG OF BORING 2002 WL J033659.01.GPJ GTINC 0638301.GPJ 3/22/19

Surface Elevation: 146

Completion Date: 1/21/19

Datum MSL

Station: 117+70

Offset: 6 LT

SHEAR STRENGTH, tsf

Δ - UU/2 ○ - QU/2 □ - SV

0.5 1.0 1.5 2.0 2.5

STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE

(ASTM D 1586)

▲ N-VALUE (BLOWS PER FOOT)

WATER CONTENT, %

PL | 10 20 30 40 50 | LL

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DEPTH IN FEET	ELEVATION IN FEET	DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL	GRAPHIC LOG	DRY UNIT WEIGHT (pcf) SPT BLOW COUNTS CORE RECOVERY/RQD	SAMPLES	SHEAR STRENGTH, tsf	STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE	WATER CONTENT, %
		TOPSOIL: 6 inches						
5	141	Medium stiff to soft, red-brown to gray, LEAN CLAY - (CL)			3-3-4 SS1	▲		
					2-3-3 SS2	▲		
					1-2-2 SS3	▲		
10	136				2-3-5 SS4	▲		
					2-3-5 SS5	▲		
15	131	Medium stiff, gray, FAT CLAY, some sand - CH			79 ST6	▲		
		Medium stiff, red-brown to gray, FAT CLAY - (CH)			2-3-4 SS7	▲		
20	126				2-2-4 SS8	▲		
25	121				3-4-4 SS9	▲		
30	116				4-5-5 SS10	▲		
35	111	Stiff, gray, FAT CLAY, some sand - CH			10-14-18 SS11	▲		
40	106	Medium dense to dense, gray SAND WITH SILT - SP-SM			10-12-14 SS12	▲		
45	101	5.0% passing No. 200 sieve			18-16-16 SS13	▲		
50	96	pH = 8.41 Soil Resistivity: 2,793 ohms-cm			10-12-13 SS14	▲		
55	91				15-15-19 SS15	▲		
60	86				11-12-12 SS16	▲		
65	81				19-16-17 SS17	▲		
70	76	Dense to medium dense, gray SAND, trace gravel - SP			17-15-16 SS18	▲		
75	71							
80	66							
85	61							
90	56							
95	51							
100	46	Boring terminated at 100 feet.						

GROUNDWATER DATA

DRILLING DATA

ENCOUNTERED AT 38.5 FEET ▽

___ AUGER 3 3/4 HOLLOW STEM
WASHBORING FROM 40 FEET
TPD DRILLER KLR LOGGER
CME 55LC DRILL RIG
HAMMER TYPE Auto

REMARKS:

Drawn by: ALY Checked by: DMS App'vd. by: ASE
Date: 1/24/19 Date: 3/12/19 Date: 3/13/19



**ARDOT Hwy 278 Bridge
over Union Pacific Railroad
Desha County, Arkansas**

LOG OF BORING: B-10

**Geotechnology Project No.
J033659.01**

Surface Elevation: 146

Completion Date: 1/21/19

Datum MSL

Station: 118+20

Offset: 6 LT

SHEAR STRENGTH, tsf

Δ - UU/2 ○ - QU/2 □ - SV

0.5 1.0 1.5 2.0 2.5

STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE

(ASTM D 1586)

▲ N-VALUE (BLOWS PER FOOT)

WATER CONTENT, %

PL | 10 20 30 40 50 | LL

DEPTH
IN FEET

ELEVATION
IN FEET

DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL

GRAPHIC LOG

DRY UNIT WEIGHT (pcf)
SPT BLOW COUNTS
CORE RECOVERY/RQD

SAMPLES

5	141
10	136
15	131
20	126
25	121
30	116
35	111
40	106
45	101
50	96
55	91
60	86
65	81
70	76
75	71
80	66

TOPSOIL: 6 inches
Stiff to medium stiff, red-brown SILT - ML

Medium stiff, red-brown to gray, LEAN CLAY - CL

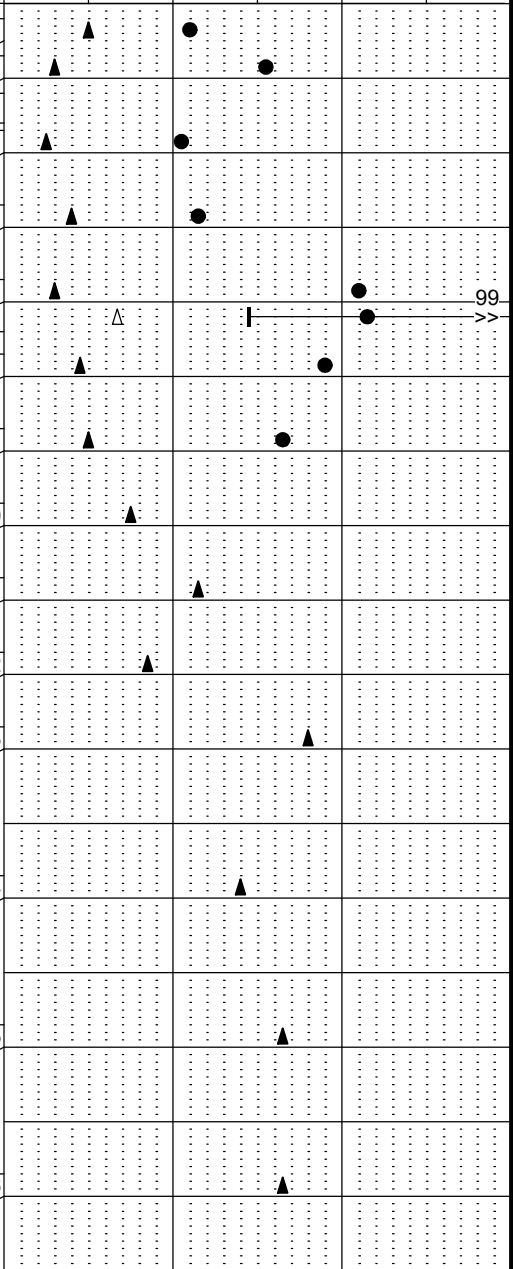
Medim stiff to stiff, gray and brown, FAT CLAY - (CH)

Medium dense to dense, brown and gray, SILTY SAND - SM
16.0% passing No. 200 sieve
pH = 8.37
Soil Resistivity: 6,840 ohms-cm

10.6% passing No. 200 sieve

Boring terminated at 80 feet.

3-5-5	SS1
2-3-3	SS2
	ST3
2-2-3	SS4
2-4-4	SS5
3-3-3	SS6
82	ST7
3-4-5	SS8
3-5-5	SS9
6-6-9	SS10
10-10-13	SS11
9-8-9	SS12
11-16-20	SS13
10-12-16	SS14
17-17-16	SS15
13-15-18	SS16



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GROUNDWATER DATA

ENCOUNTERED AT 35 FEET ∇

DRILLING DATA

 AUGER 3 3/4 HOLLOW STEM
WASHBORING FROM 35 FEET
TPD DRILLER KLR LOGGER
 CME 55LC DRILL RIG
HAMMER TYPE Auto

REMARKS:

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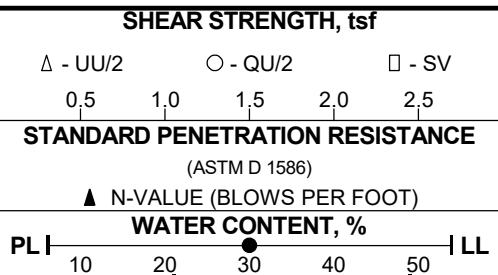


**ARDOT Hwy 278 Bridge
over Union Pacific Railroad
Desha County, Arkansas**

LOG OF BORING: B-11

**Geotechnology Project No.
J033659.01**

Surface Elevation: 147 Completion Date: 1/21/19
 Station: 118+60
 Datum MSL Offset: 3 LT



DEPTH IN FEET	ELEVATION IN FEET	DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL	GRAPHIC LOG	DRY UNIT WEIGHT (pcf) SPT BLOW COUNTS CORE RECOVERY/RQD	SAMPLES
		TOPSOIL: 6 inches			
5	142	Medium stiff, red-brown, LEAN CLAY, trace sand and roots - (CL) 95.0% passing No 200 sieve		1-2-3	SS1
				1-2-3	SS2
				79	ST3
10	137	Medium stiff, red-brown to gray, FAT CLAY, trace roots - (CH)		1-2-4	SS4
					ST5
15	132	Medium stiff, gray to red-brown, LEAN CLAY - (CL)			
20	127			3-3-5	SS6
25	122			3-3-3	SS7
30	117			3-3-4	SS8
35	112	Dense to medium dense, brown to gray SAND - SP		6-17-22	SS9
40	107			14-16-18	SS10
45	102			13-13-17	SS11
50	97	0.2% Gravel 4.2% passing No. 200 sieve		10-12-14	SS12
55	92				
60	87	pH = 7.72 Soil Resistivity: 2,508 ohms-cm		10-14-16	SS13
65	82				
70	77			13-14-16	SS14
75	72				
80	67	Medium dense, gray SAND WITH SILT, trace gravel - SP-SM		12-13-17	SS15
85	62	6.1% Gravel 5.9% passing No. 200 sieve			
90	57	Very stiff, gray, FAT CLAY - CH		13-14-16	SS16
95	52	Dense, gray SAND, trace gravel - SP			
100	47	Boring terminated at 100 feet.		18-15-22	SS17

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GROUNDWATER DATA

ENCOUNTERED AT 20 FEET ∇

DRILLING DATA

___ AUGER 3 3/4 HOLLOW STEM
 WASHBORING FROM 35 FEET
 TPD DRILLER KLR LOGGER
CME 55LC DRILL RIG
 HAMMER TYPE Auto

REMARKS:

Drawn by: ALY	Checked by: DMS	App'vd. by: ASE
Date: 1/24/19	Date: 3/12/19	Date: 3/13/19



**ARDOT Hwy 278 Bridge
 over Union Pacific Railroad
 Desha County, Arkansas**

LOG OF BORING: B-12

**Geotechnology Project No.
 J033659.01**

Surface Elevation: 159

Completion Date: 1/17/19

Datum MSL

Station: 119+50

Offset: 40 LT

SHEAR STRENGTH, tsf

Δ - UU/2 ○ - QU/2 □ - SV

0.5 1.0 1.5 2.0 2.5

STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE

(ASTM D 1586)

▲ N-VALUE (BLOWS PER FOOT)

WATER CONTENT, %

PL | 10 20 30 40 50 | LL

NOTE: STRATIFICATION LINES REPRESENT THE APPROXIMATE BOUNDARIES BETWEEN SOIL TYPES AND THE TRANSITION MAY BE GRADUAL. GRAPHIC LOG FOR ILLUSTRATION PURPOSES ONLY.

DEPTH IN FEET	ELEVATION IN FEET	DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL	GRAPHIC LOG	DRY UNIT WEIGHT (pcf) SPT BLOW COUNTS CORE RECOVERY/RQD	SAMPLES	SHEAR STRENGTH, tsf		
		ASPHALT: 9.5 inches						
		BASE: 3 inches of gravel						
		FILL: red sand						
5	154	Soft to medium stiff, red-brown and gray, FAT CLAY - (CH)			10-13-15 SS1		▲	
					2-1-3 SS2	▲		●
					1-2-2 SS3	▲		●
10	149				2-2-3 SS4	▲	●	89
15	144				3-2-5 SS5	▲		●
20	139	Stiff, brown and gray, FAT CLAY - CH			3-4-6 SS6	▲		●
					ST7			
25	134	pH = 7.16 Soil Resistivity: 513 ohms-cm			3-5-5 SS8	▲	●	
30	129				3-4-5 SS9	▲		●
35	124				2-4-5 SS10	▲		●
40	119	Boring terminated at 40 feet.			4-5-7 SS11	▲	●	

GROUNDWATER DATA

FREE WATER NOT ENCOUNTERED DURING DRILLING

DRILLING DATA

AUGER 3 3/4 HOLLOW STEM WASHBORING FROM FEET
TPD DRILLER KLR LOGGER
CME 55LC DRILL RIG
HAMMER TYPE Auto

REMARKS:

Drawn by: ALY	Checked by: DMS	App'vd. by: ASE
Date: 1/24/19	Date: 3/12/19	Date: 3/13/19



**ARDOT Hwy 278 Bridge
over Union Pacific Railroad
Desha County, Arkansas**

LOG OF BORING: B-13

**Geotechnology Project No.
J033659.01**

LOG OF BORING 2002 WL J033659.01.GPJ GTINC 0638301.GPJ 3/22/19

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LOG OF BORING 2002 WL J033659.01.GPJ GTINC 0638301.GPJ 3/22/19

Surface Elevation: <u>152</u> Datum <u>MSL</u>		Completion Date: <u>1/17/19</u> Station: <u>120+75</u> Offset: <u>30 LT</u>		GRAPHIC LOG	DRY UNIT WEIGHT (pcf) SPT BLOW COUNTS CORE RECOVERY/RQD	SAMPLES	SHEAR STRENGTH, tsf		
DEPTH IN FEET	ELEVATION IN FEET	DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL	Δ - UU/2				○ - QU/2	□ - SV	
			0.5				1.0	1.5	2.0
STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE (ASTM D 1586)									
▲ N-VALUE (BLOWS PER FOOT)									
PLI WATER CONTENT, % LL									
10 20 30 40 50									
		ASPHALT: 6 inches							
		BASE: 6 inches of gravel							
		FILL: red sand							
		Medium stiff, red-brown to gray, FAT CLAY - CH	10-15-13	SS1			▲		
			2-2-3	SS2	▲			●	
5	147			2-3-3	SS3	▲		●	
				2-3-4	SS4	▲		●	
10	142	Boring terminated at 10 feet.							

GROUNDWATER DATA

FREE WATER NOT ENCOUNTERED DURING DRILLING

DRILLING DATA

AUGER 3 3/4 HOLLOW STEM WASHBORING FROM FEET
TPD DRILLER KLR LOGGER
CME 55LC DRILL RIG
HAMMER TYPE Auto

REMARKS:

Drawn by: ALY	Checked by: DMS	App'vd. by: ASE
Date: 1/24/19	Date: 3/12/19	Date: 3/13/19



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 LOG OF BORING 2002 WL J033659.01.GPJ GTINC 0638301.GPJ 3/22/19

Surface Elevation: _____		Completion Date: <u>1/17/19</u>		GRAPHIC LOG	DRY UNIT WEIGHT (pcf) SPT BLOW COUNTS CORE RECOVERY/RQD	SAMPLES	SHEAR STRENGTH, tsf			
Datum <u>MSL</u>		Δ - UU/2 \circ - QU/2 \square - SV 0.5 1.0 1.5 2.0 2.5								
		STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE (ASTM D 1586)								
DEPTH IN FEET	ELEVATION IN FEET	DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL				▲ N-VALUE (BLOWS PER FOOT)				
		ASPHALT: 11 inches Boring terminated at 11 inches.				WATER CONTENT, %				
						PLI 10 20 30 40 50 LL				
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GROUNDWATER DATA

FREE WATER NOT ENCOUNTERED DURING DRILLING

REMARKS:

DRILLING DATA

AUGER 3 3/4 HOLLOW STEM
 WASHBORING FROM ___ FEET
 TPD DRILLER KLR LOGGER
 CME 55LC DRILL RIG
 HAMMER TYPE Auto

Drawn by: ALY	Checked by: DMS	App'vd. by: ASE
Date: 1/24/19	Date: 3/12/19	Date: 3/13/19



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LOG OF BORING: C-1

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Surface Elevation: _____

Completion Date: 1/17/19

Datum MSL

SHEAR STRENGTH, tsf

Δ - UU/2 ○ - QU/2 □ - SV

0.5 1.0 1.5 2.0 2.5

STANDARD PENETRATION RESISTANCE

(ASTM D 1586)

▲ N-VALUE (BLOWS PER FOOT)

WATER CONTENT, %

PLI | 10 20 30 40 50 | LL

DEPTH IN FEET	ELEVATION IN FEET
5	
10	
15	
20	
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35	
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45	
50	
55	
60	
65	
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75	
80	
85	
90	
95	
100	

DESCRIPTION OF MATERIAL

ASPHALT: 8 inches
Boring terminated at 8 inches

GRAPHIC LOG

DRY UNIT WEIGHT (pcf)
SPT BLOW COUNTS
CORE RECOVERY/RQD

SAMPLES

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GROUNDWATER DATA

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HAMMER TYPE Auto

REMARKS:

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LOG OF BORING: C-2

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APPENDIX D – LABORATORY TEST DATA

Atterberg Limits

Grain Size Distributions

Unconsolidated-Undrained Triaxial Compression

Direct Shear

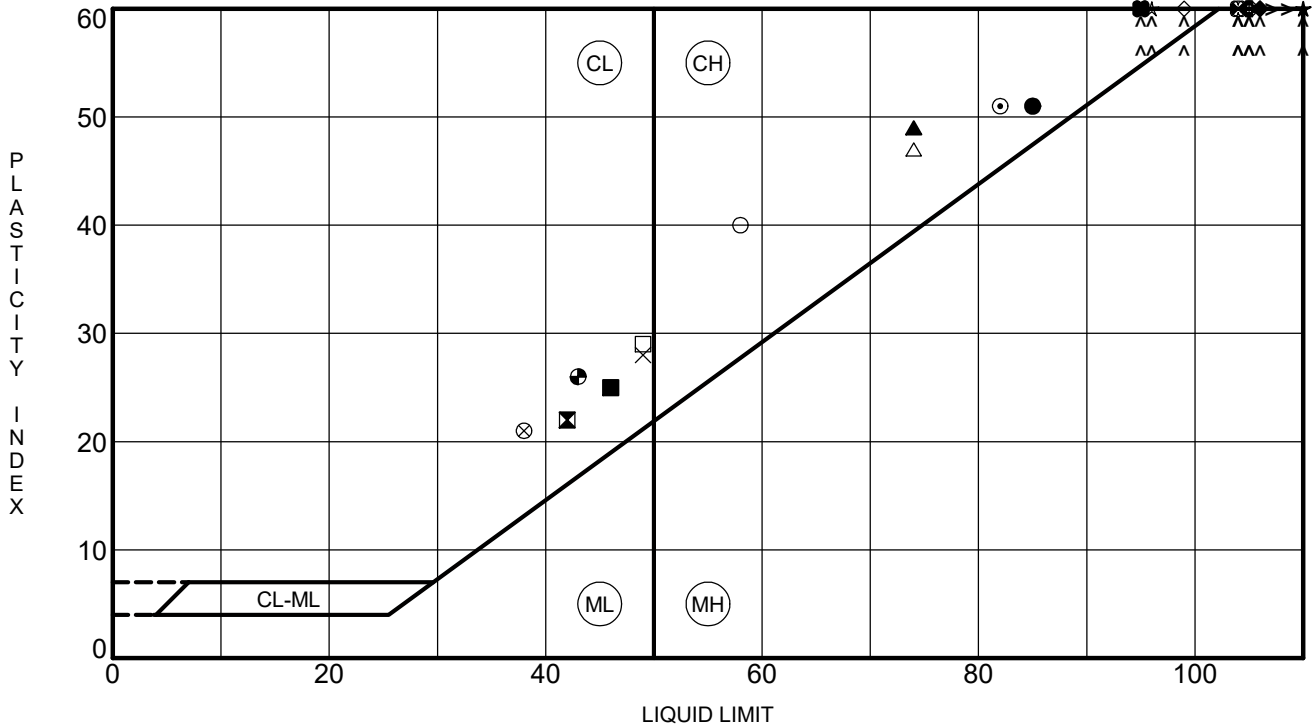
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Resistivity

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Standard Proctor Curves

CBR Results

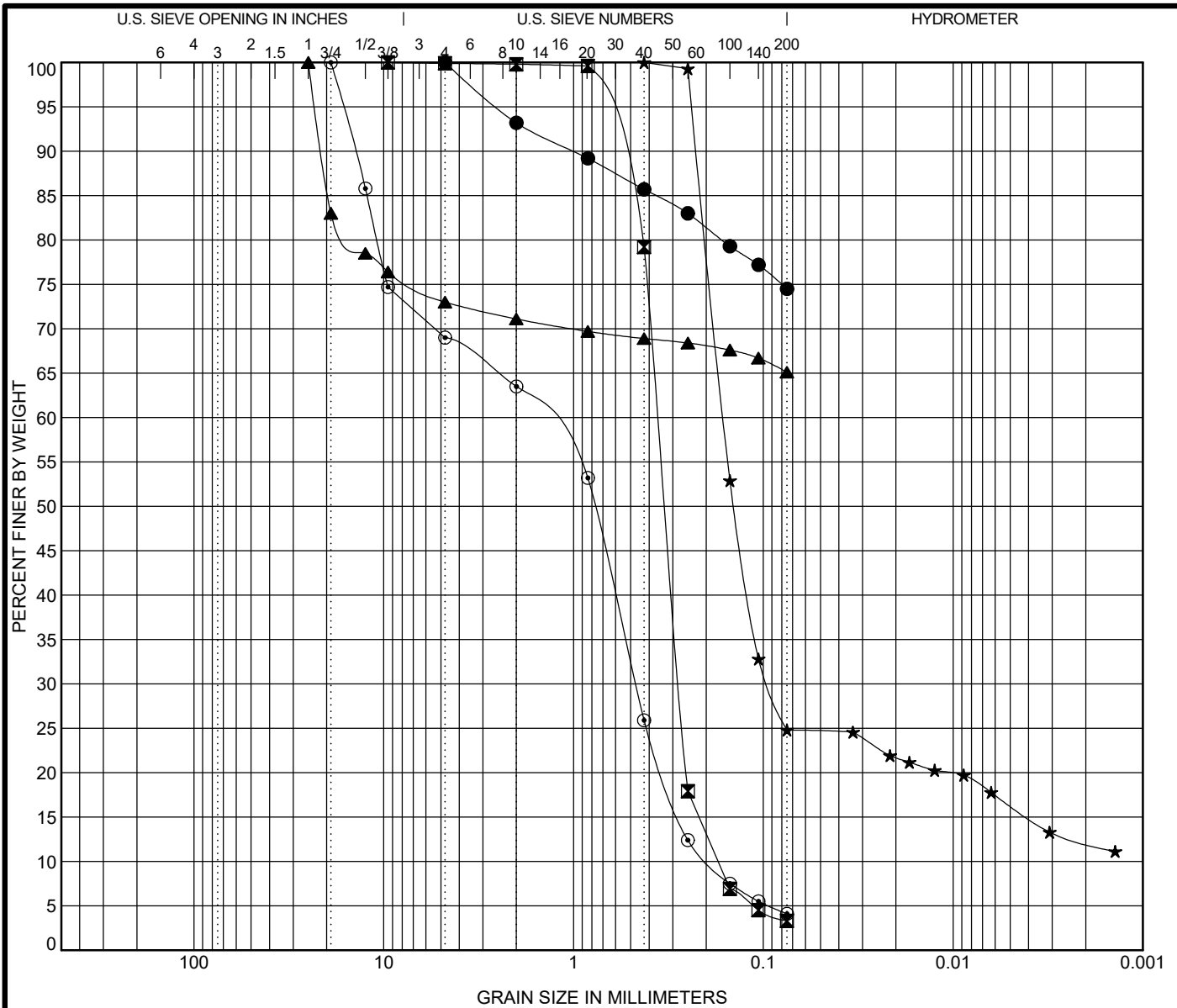


Specimen Identification	LL	PL	PI	Fines	Classification
● B-1	3.5	85	34	51	FAT CLAY(CH), A-7-5
⊠ B-2	0.0	42	20	22	75 LEAN CLAY(CL), A-7-6(15)
▲ B-2	10.0	74	25	49	FAT CLAY(CH), A-7-6
★ B-2	33.5	111	40	71	FAT CLAY(CH), A-7-5
⊙ B-3	10.0	82	31	51	FAT CLAY(CH), A-7-5
⊕ B-4	8.0	105	32	73	65 FAT CLAY(CH), A-7-5(47)
○ B-5	6.0	58	18	40	FAT CLAY(CH), A-7-6
△ B-5	23.5	74	27	47	FAT CLAY(CH), A-7-6
⊗ B-6	3.0	38	17	21	LEAN CLAY(CL), A-6
⊕ B-6	15.0	105	42	63	FAT CLAY(CH), A-7-5
□ B-6	33.5	49	20	29	75 LEAN CLAY(CL), A-7-6
⊕ B-7	20.0	104	32	72	FAT CLAY(CH), A-7-5
⊕ B-8	8.0	43	17	26	LEAN CLAY(CL), A-7-6
★ B-9	10.0	96	32	64	FAT CLAY(CH), A-7-5
⊗ B-9	15.0	104	37	67	FAT CLAY(CH), A-7-5
■ B-10	6.0	46	21	25	LEAN CLAY(CL), A-7-6
◆ B-10	15.0	106	33	73	FAT CLAY(CH), A-7-5
◇ B-11	20.0	99	29	70	FAT CLAY(CH), A-7-6
⊗ B-12	0.0	49	21	28	95 LEAN CLAY(CL), A-7-6(29)
⊕ B-12	6.0	95	30	65	FAT CLAY(CH), A-7-5

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ATTERBERG LIMITS RESULTS
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COBBLES	GRAVEL		SAND			SILT OR CLAY
	coarse	fine	coarse	medium	fine	

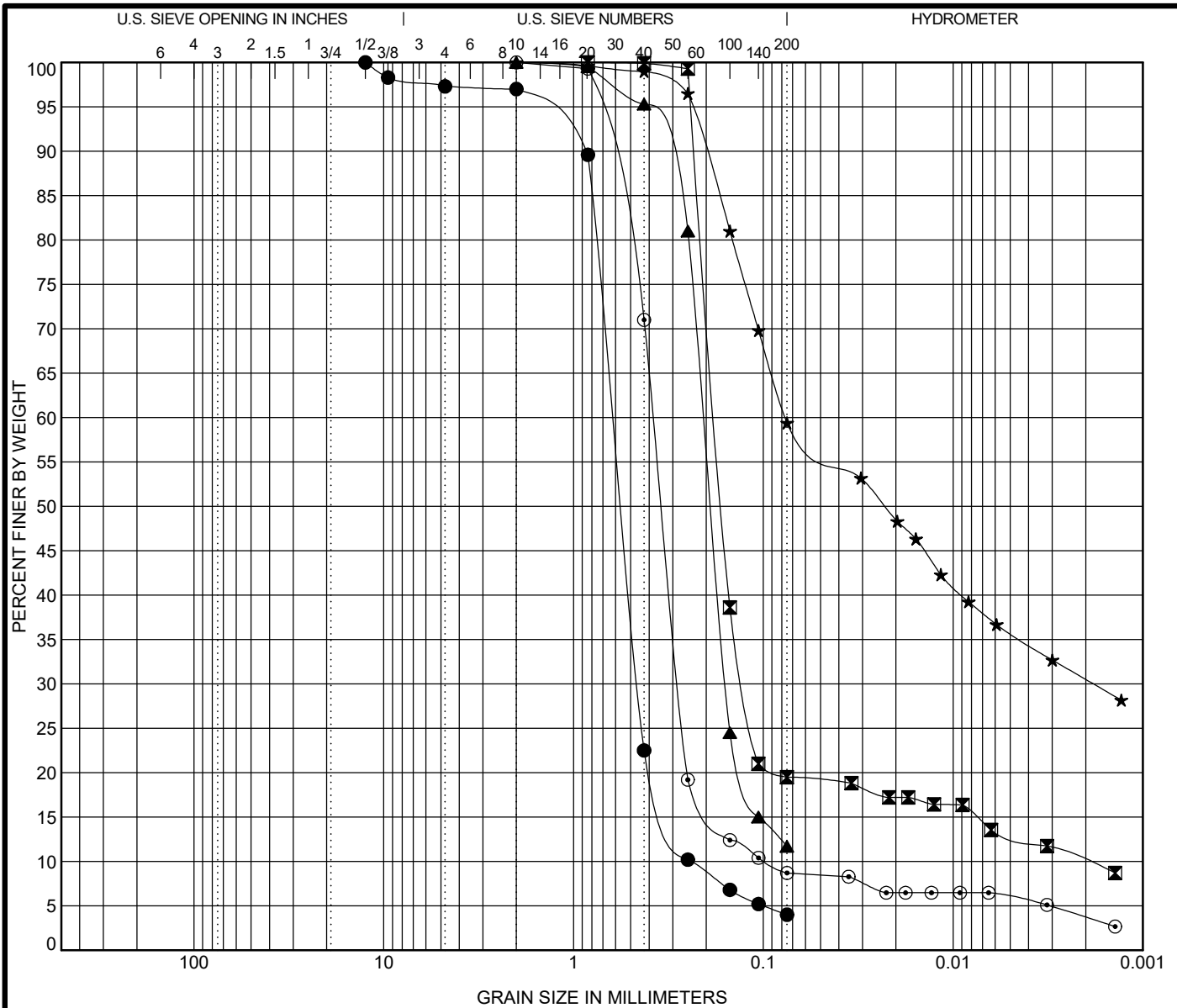
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● B-2 0.0	LEAN CLAY(CL), A-7-6(15)	42	20	22		
☒ B-3 53.5	POORLY GRADED SAND(SP), A-2-6				1.24	2.08
▲ B-4 8.0	FAT CLAY(CH), A-7-5(47)	105	32	73		
★ B-4 33.5	FAT CLAY(CH), A-7-5					
⊙ B-4 58.5	POORLY GRADED SAND(SP), A-2-6				0.76	7.65

Specimen Identification	D100	D60	D30	D10	%Gravel	%Sand	%Silt	%Clay
● B-2 0.0	4.75				0.0	25.5	74.5	
☒ B-3 53.5	9.5	0.36	0.278	0.173	0.1	96.6	3.3	
▲ B-4 8.0	25				27.0	7.9	65.1	
★ B-4 33.5	0.425	0.162	0.094		0.0	75.2	8.5	16.3
⊙ B-4 58.5	19	1.489	0.471	0.195	31.0	64.9		4.1

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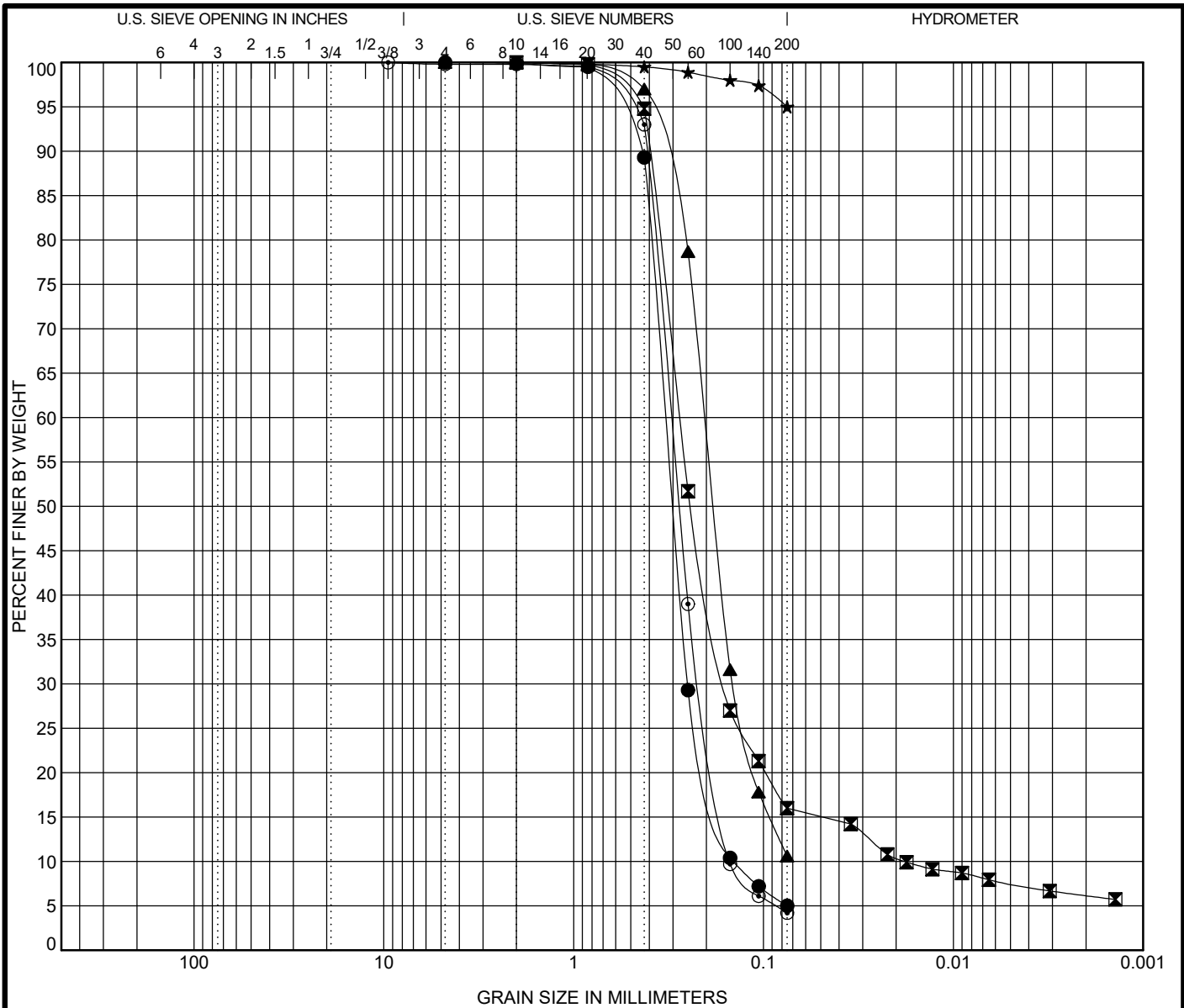
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● B-7 68.5	POORLY GRADED SAND(SP), A-2-6				1.39	2.56
☒ B-8 33.5	SILTY SAND(SM), A-2-4				44.66	89.88
▲ B-8 48.5	SAND WITH SILT(SP-SM), A-2-4				1.92	3.29
★ B-9 33.5	FAT CLAY(CH), A-7-5					
⊙ B-9 78.5	SAND WITH SILT(SP-SM), A-3				2.10	3.89

Specimen Identification	D100	D60	D30	D10	%Gravel	%Sand	%Silt	%Clay
● B-7 68.5	12.5	0.622	0.459	0.243	2.7	93.3	4.0	
☒ B-8 33.5	0.84	0.18	0.127	0.002	0.0	80.5	6.6	12.9
▲ B-8 48.5	2	0.207	0.158		0.0	88.3	11.7	
★ B-9 33.5	2	0.077	0.002		0.0	40.6	23.7	35.7
⊙ B-9 78.5	2	0.38	0.279	0.098	0.0	91.3	2.7	6.0

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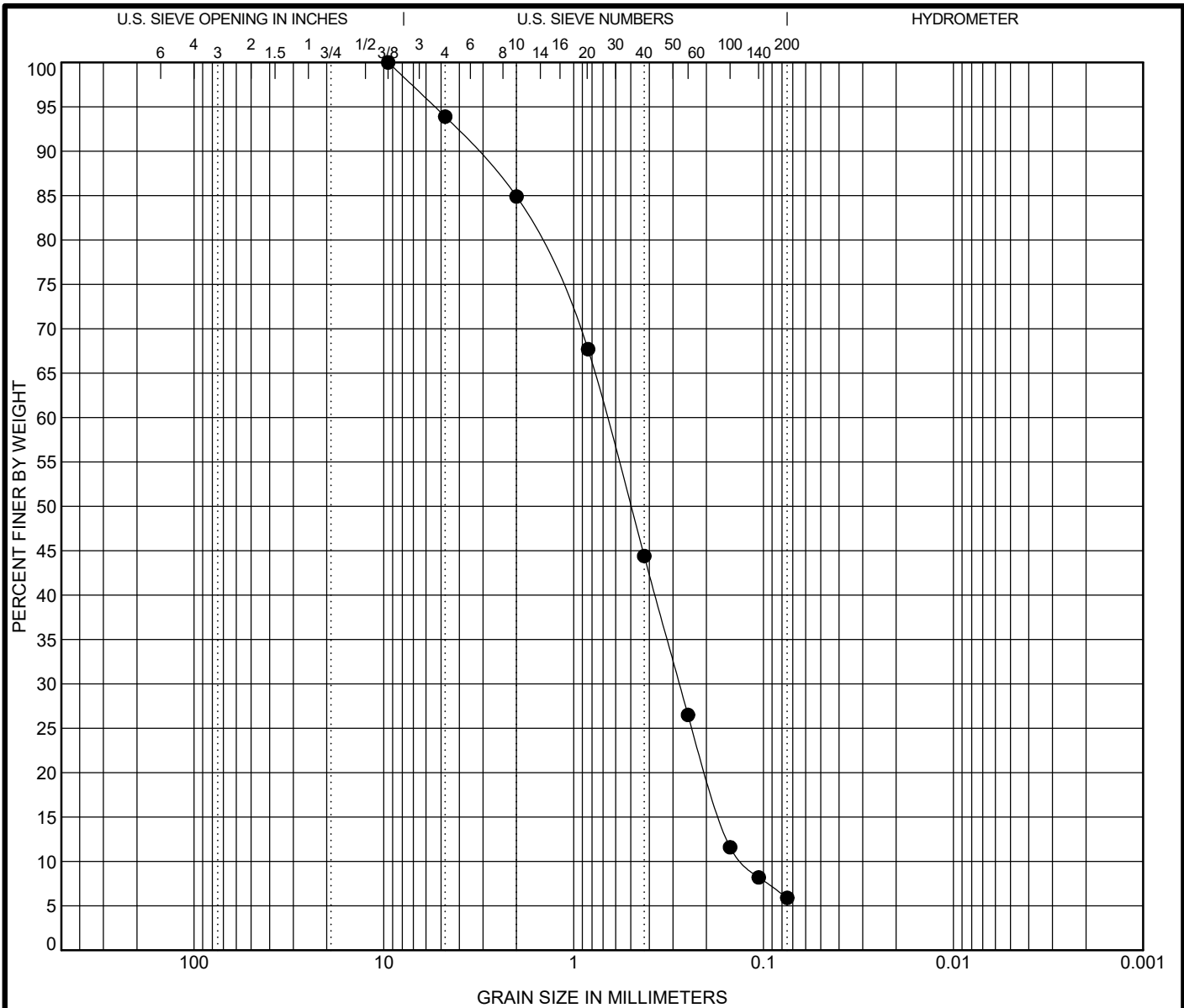
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● B-10 43.5	SAND WITH SILT(SP-SM), A-3				1.34	2.28
☒ B-11 33.5	SILTY SAND(SM), A-2-4				5.12	15.41
▲ B-11 58.5	SAND WITH SILT(SP-SM), A-2-4				1.40	2.80
★ B-12 0.0	LEAN CLAY(CL), A-7-6(29)	49	21	28		
⊙ B-12 48.5	POORLY GRADED SAND(SP), A-2-6				0.99	2.04

Specimen Identification	D100	D60	D30	D10	%Gravel	%Sand	%Silt	%Clay
● B-10 43.5	4.75	0.328	0.252	0.144	0.0	95.0	5.0	
☒ B-11 33.5	2	0.277	0.16	0.018	0.0	84.0	8.5	7.5
▲ B-11 58.5	4.75	0.204	0.144		0.0	89.4	10.6	
★ B-12 0.0	2				0.0	5.0	95.0	
⊙ B-12 48.5	9.5	0.307	0.214	0.151	0.2	95.6	4.2	

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COBBLES	GRAVEL		SAND			SILT OR CLAY
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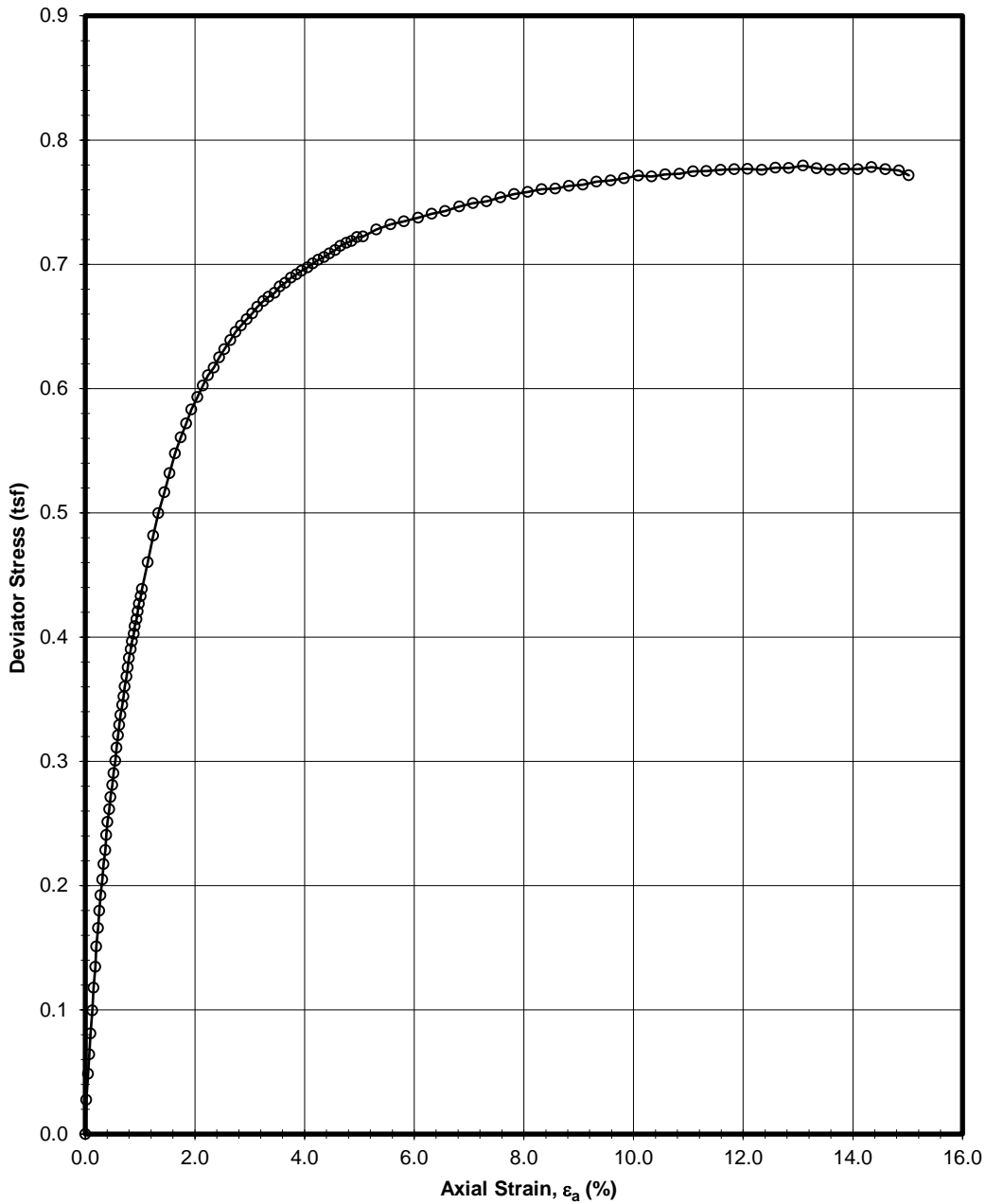
Specimen Identification	Classification	LL	PL	PI	Cc	Cu
● B-12 78.5	SAND WITH SILT(SP-SM), A-1-b				0.90	5.26

Specimen Identification	D100	D60	D30	D10	%Gravel	%Sand	%Silt	%Clay
● B-12 78.5	9.5	0.671	0.277	0.127	6.1	88.0	5.9	

US GRAIN SIZE J033659.01.GPJ US LAB.GDT 3/21/19



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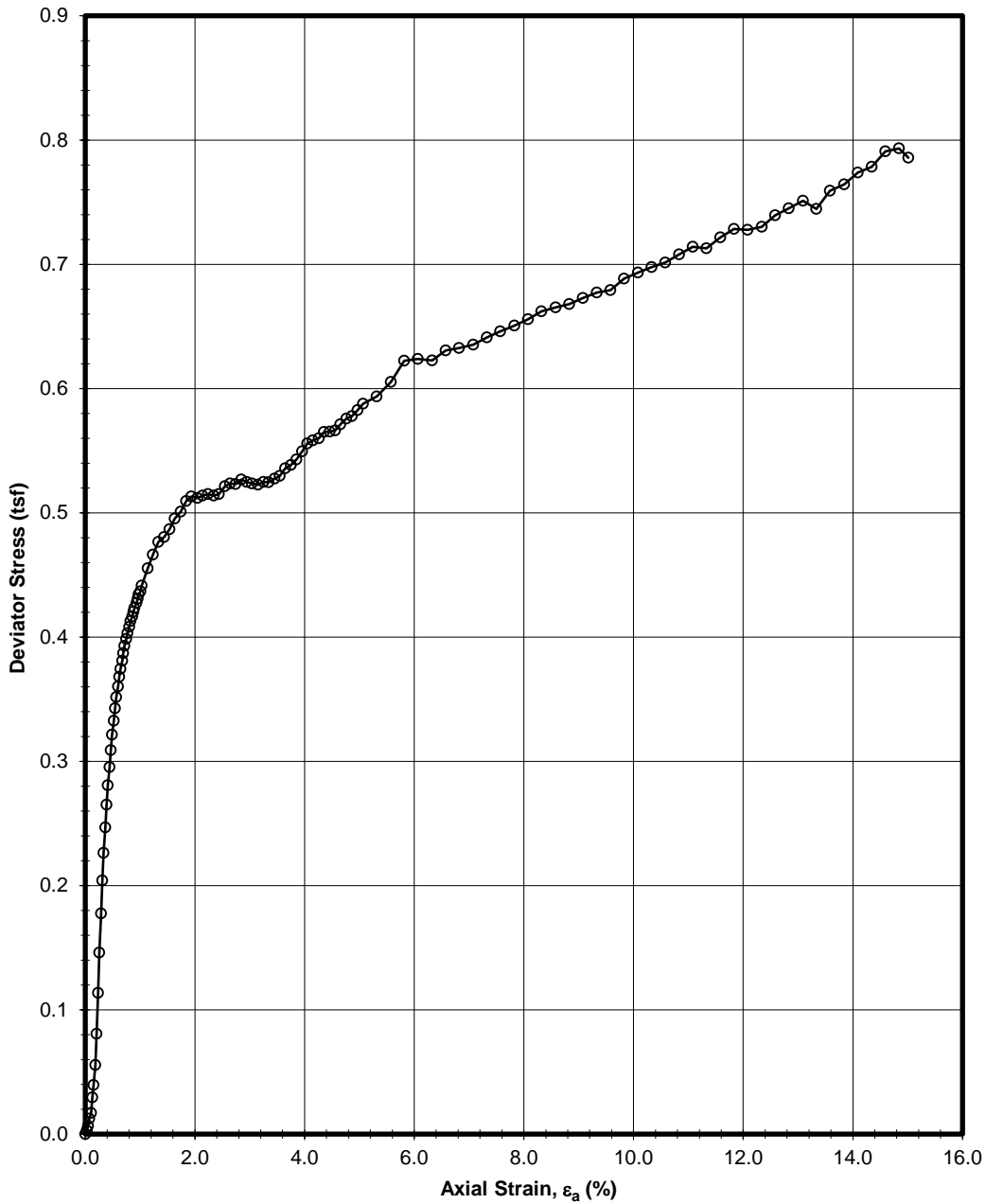
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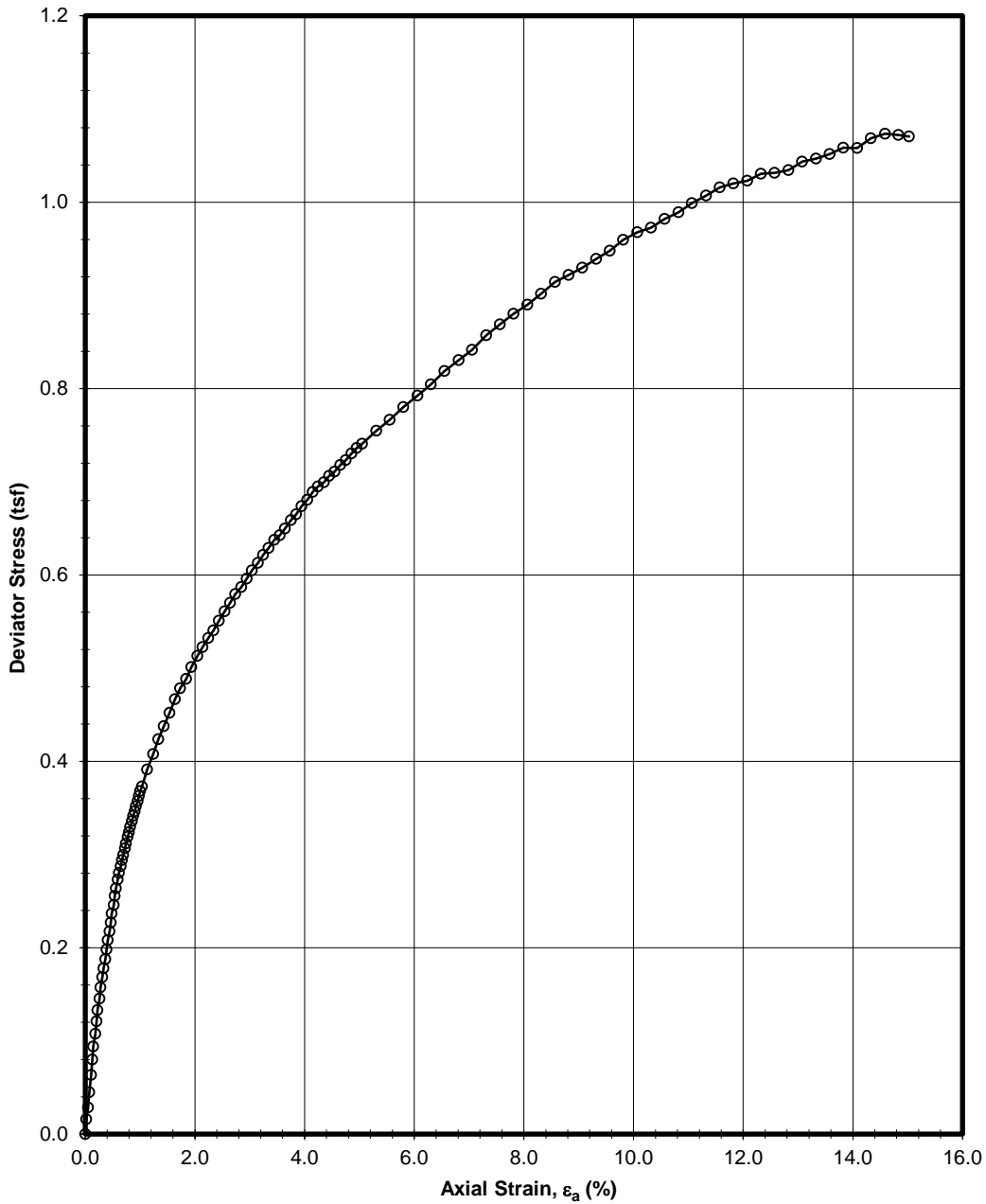
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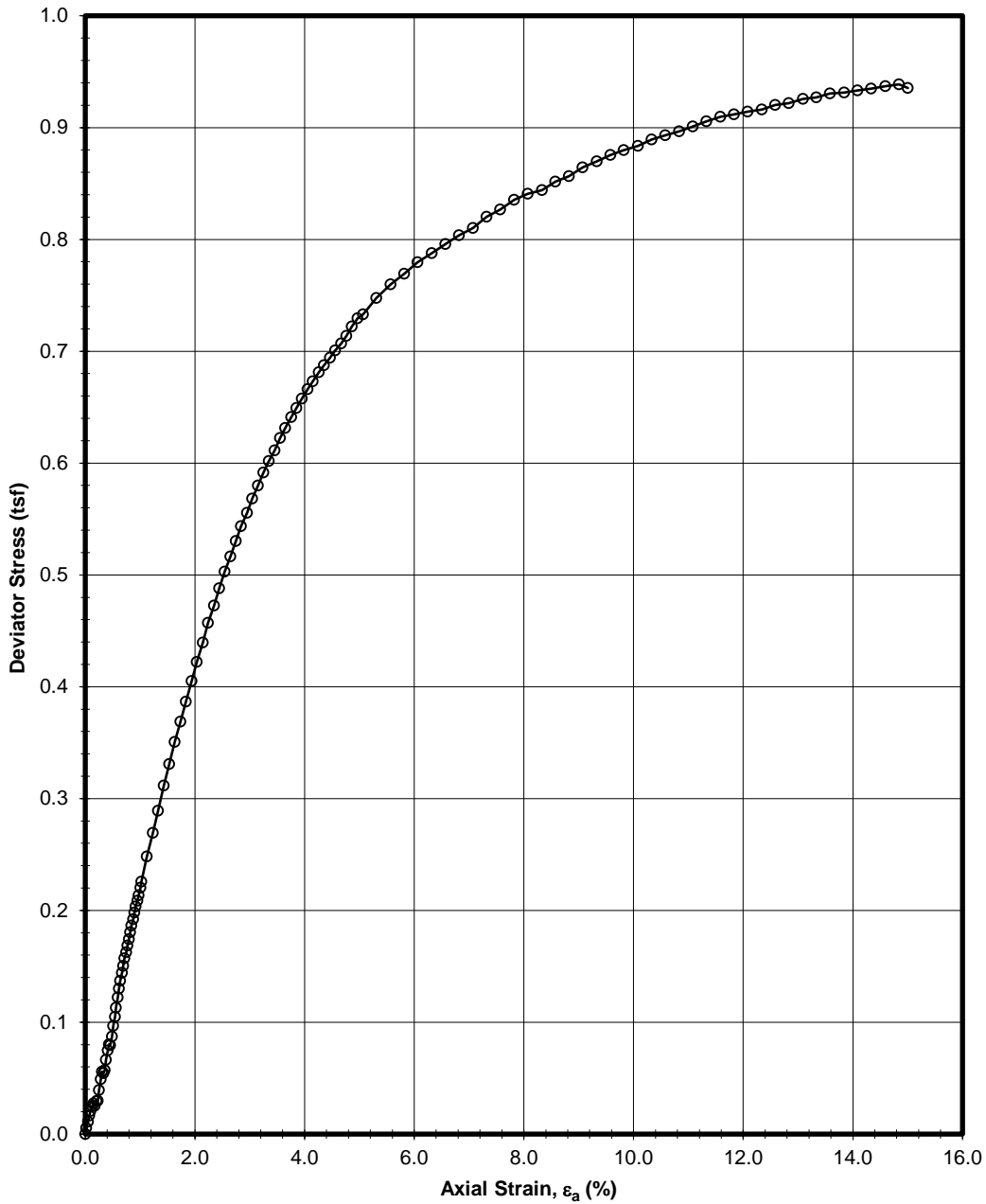
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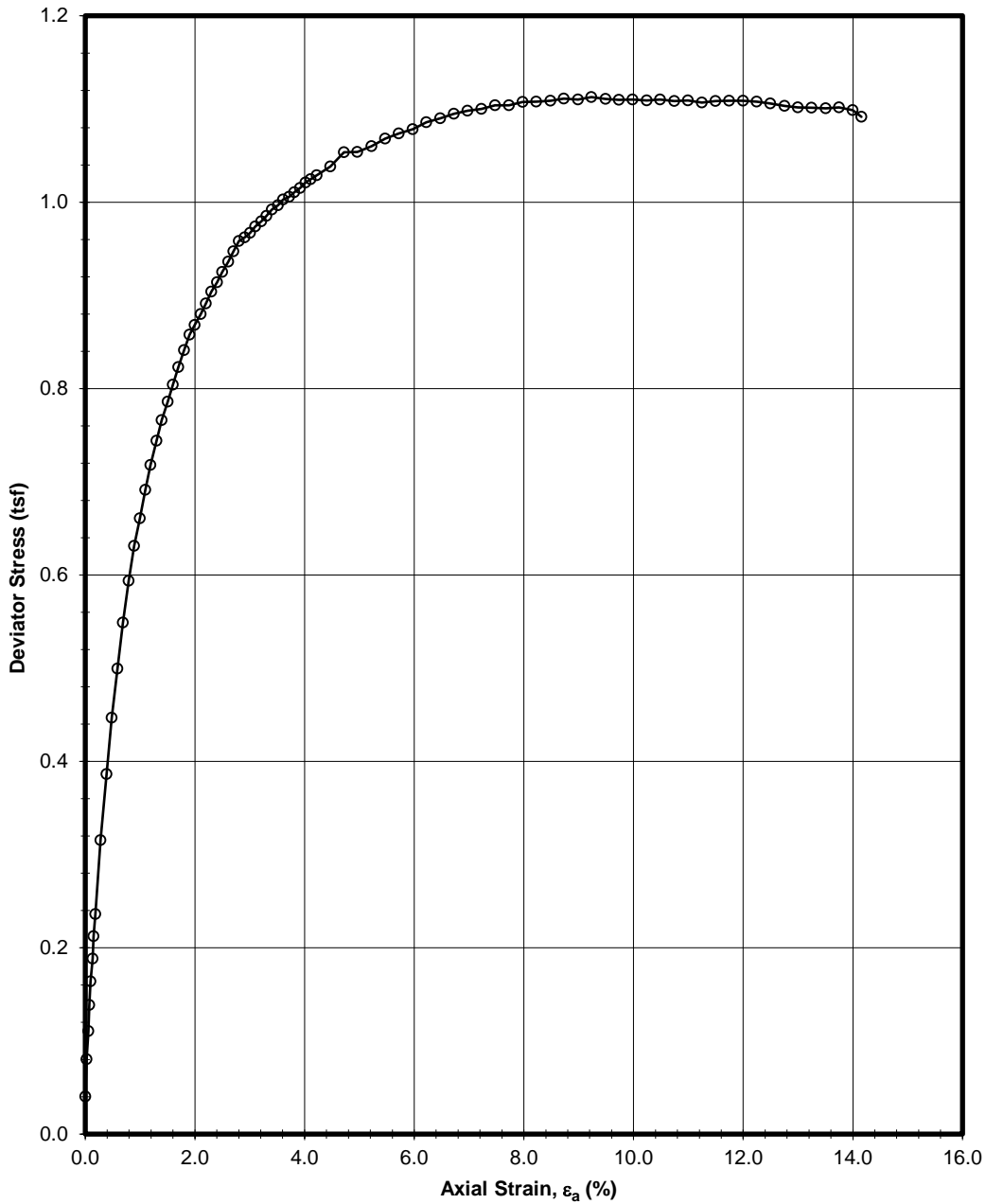
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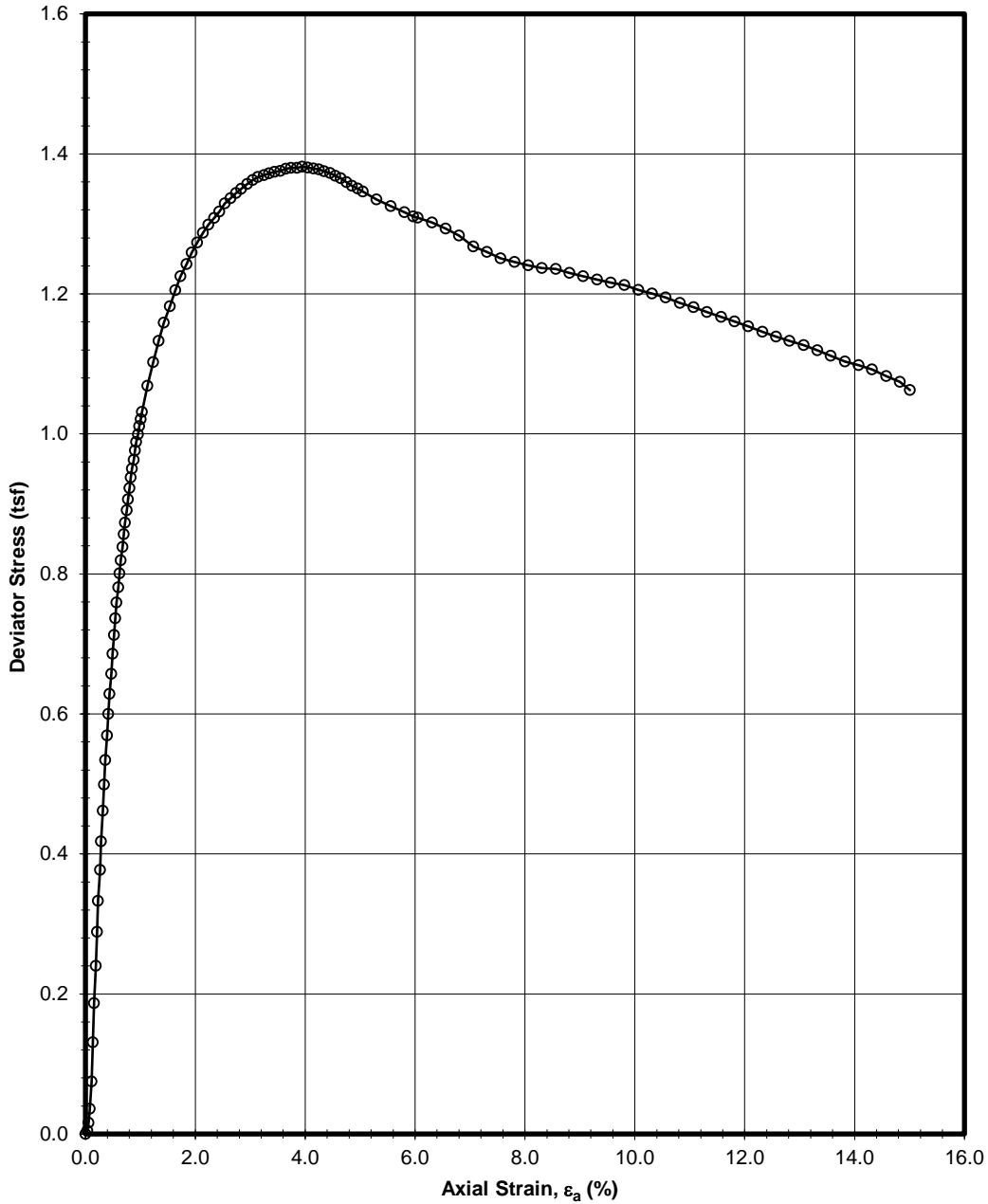
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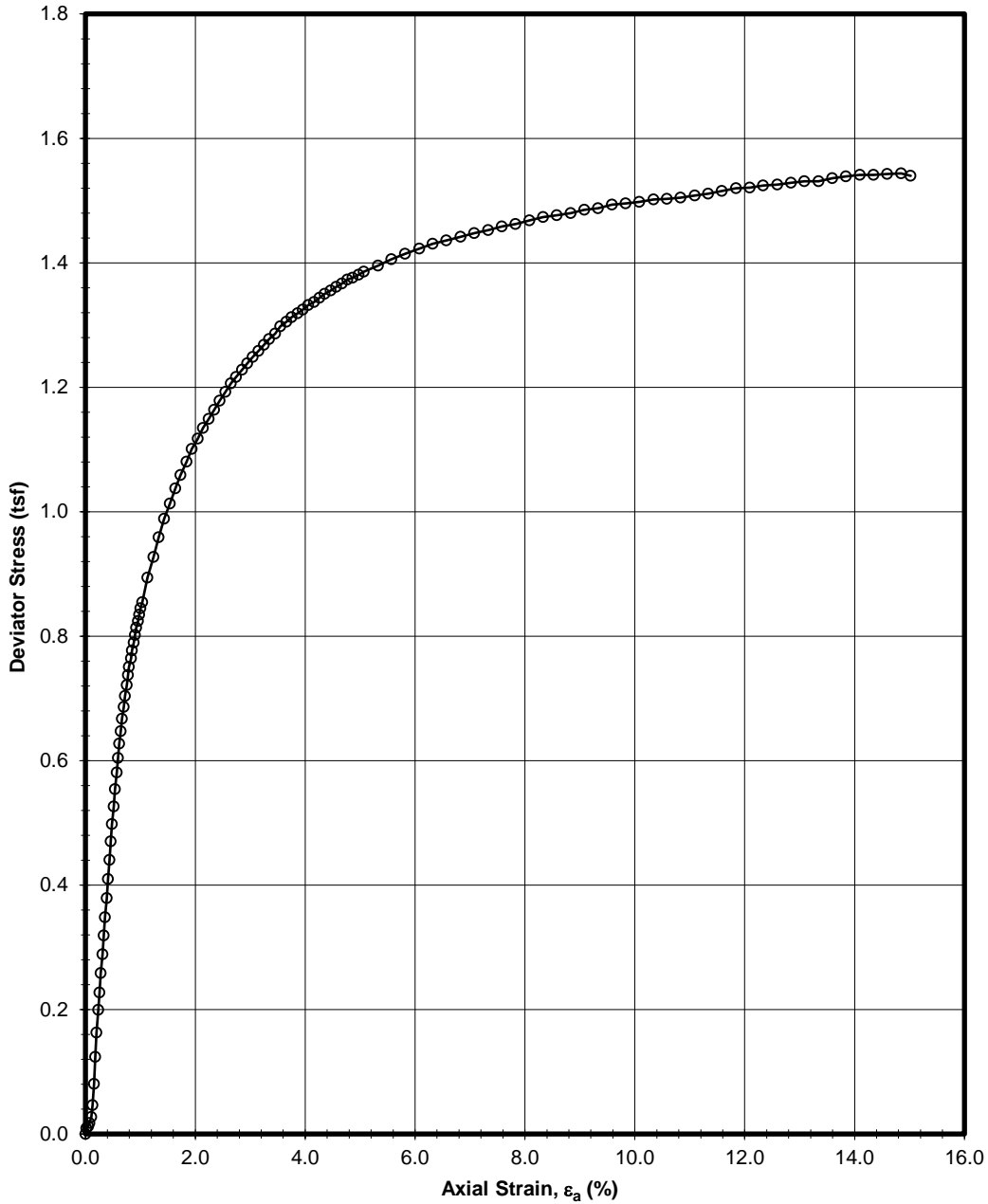
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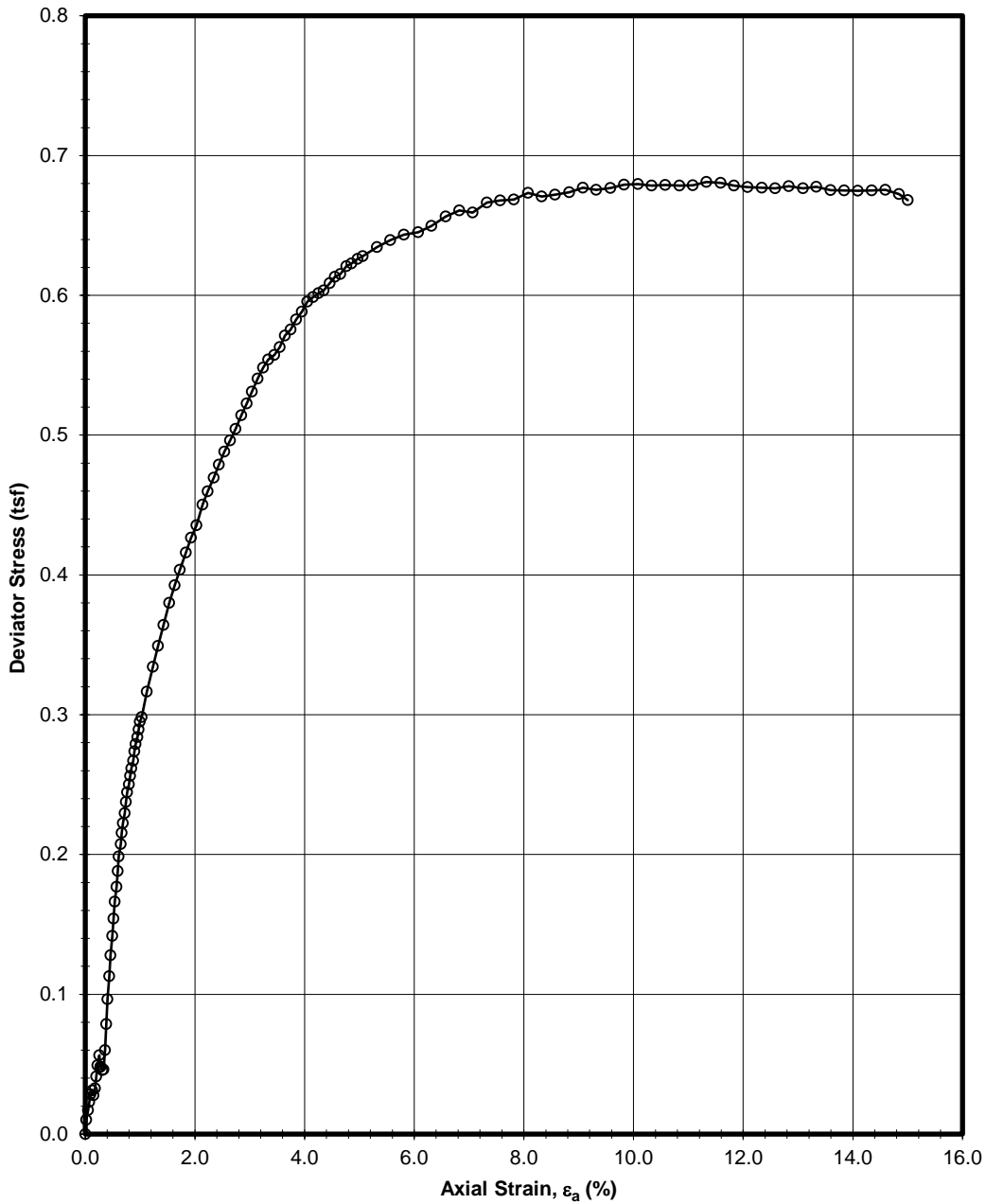
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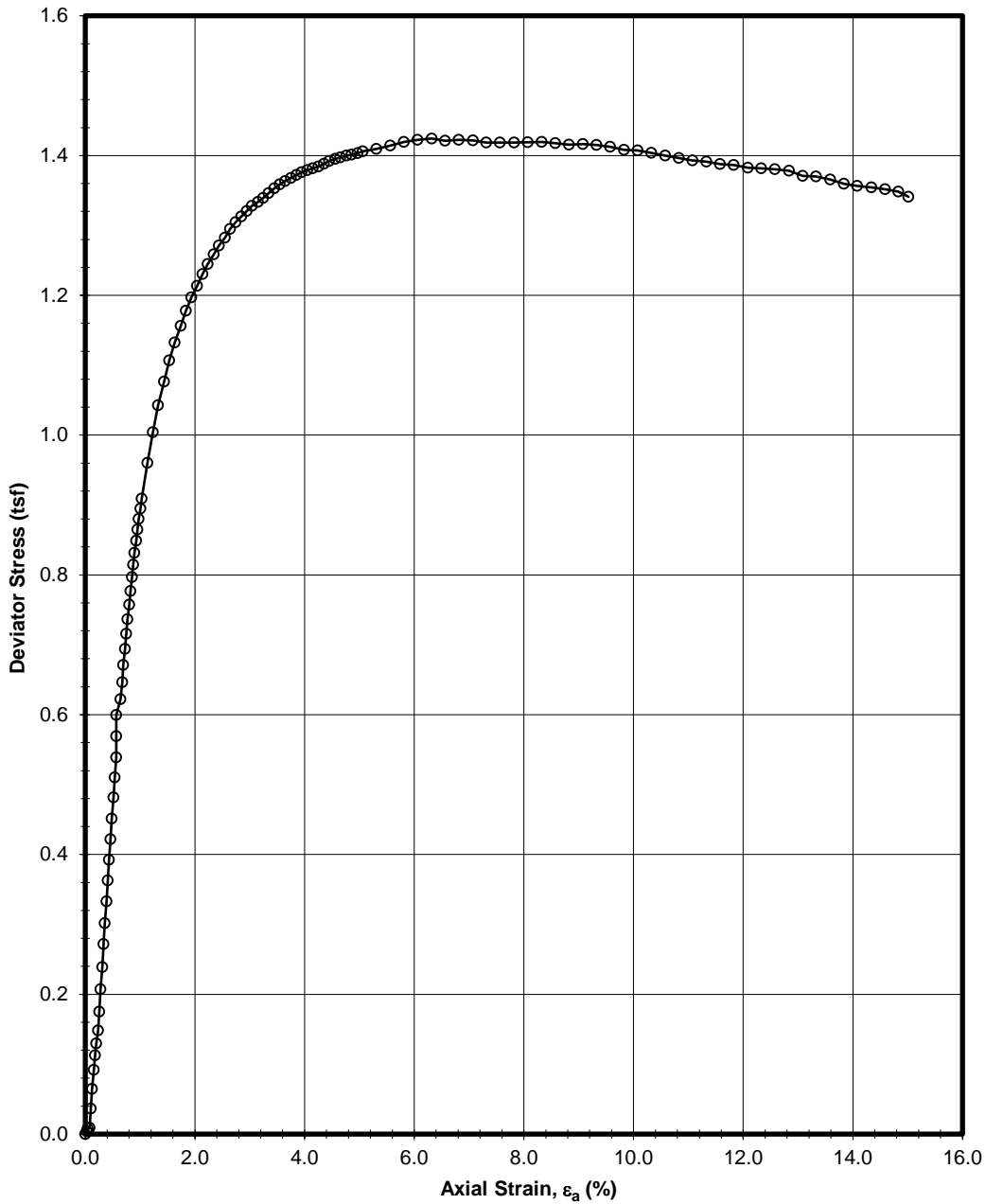
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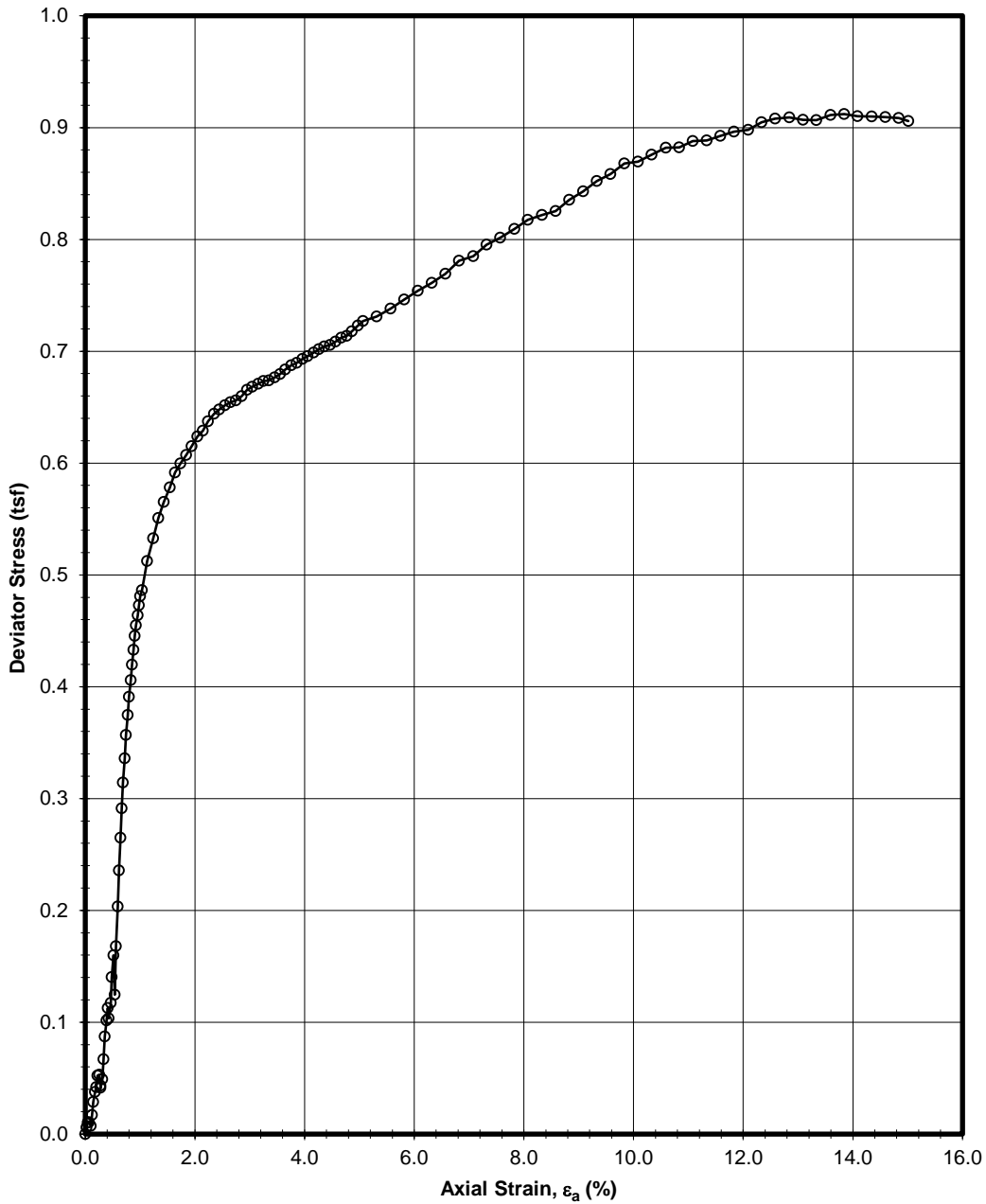
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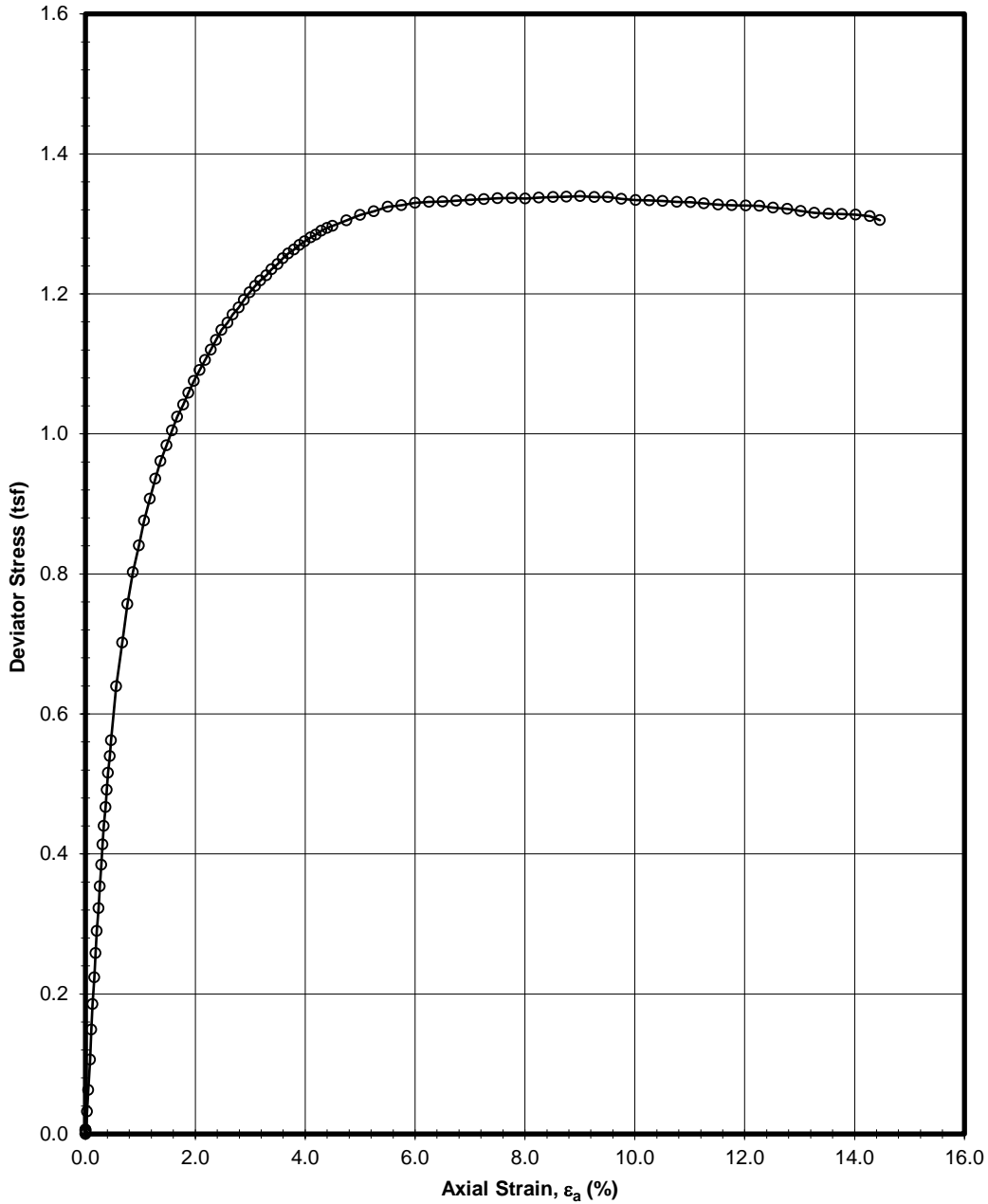
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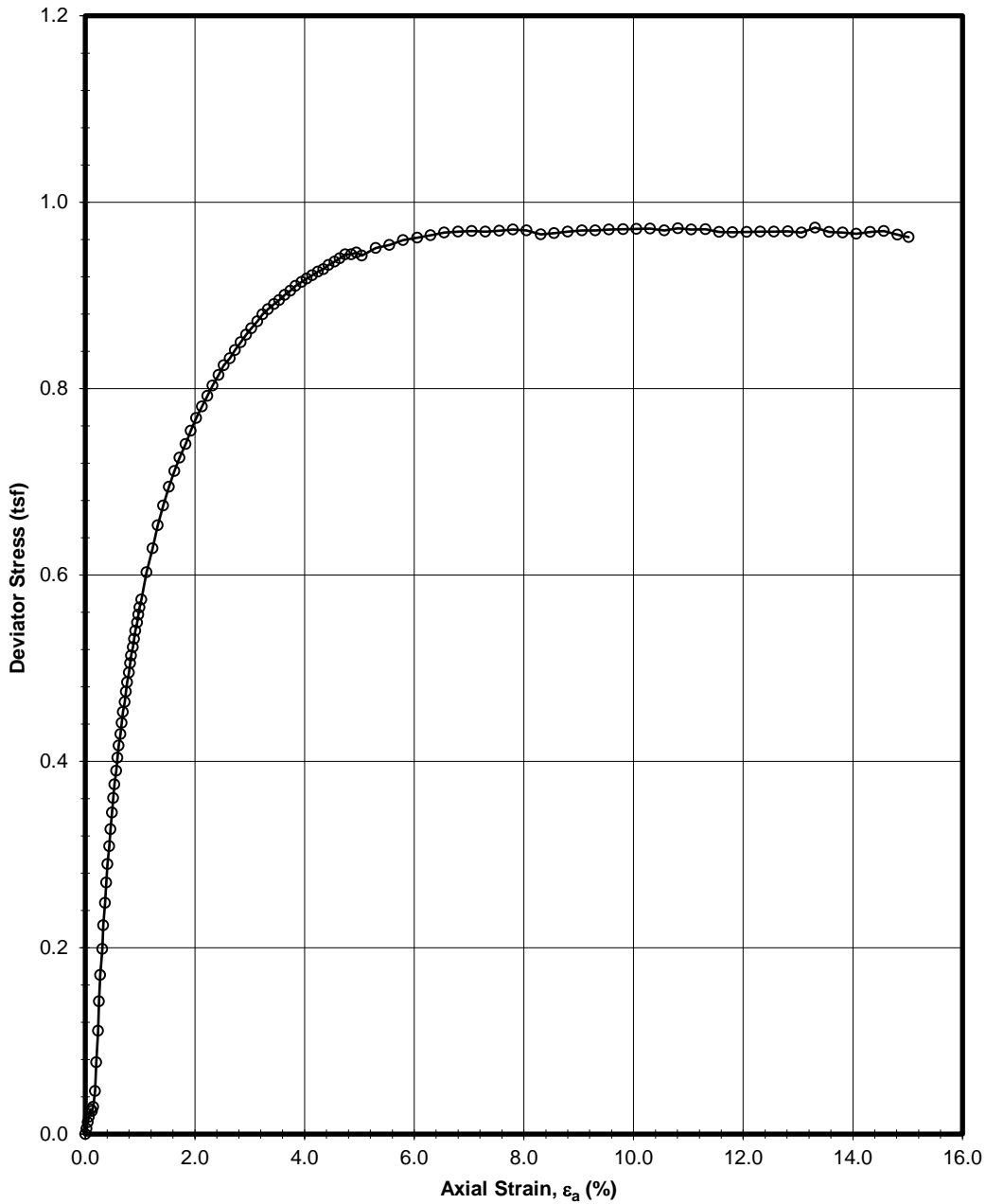
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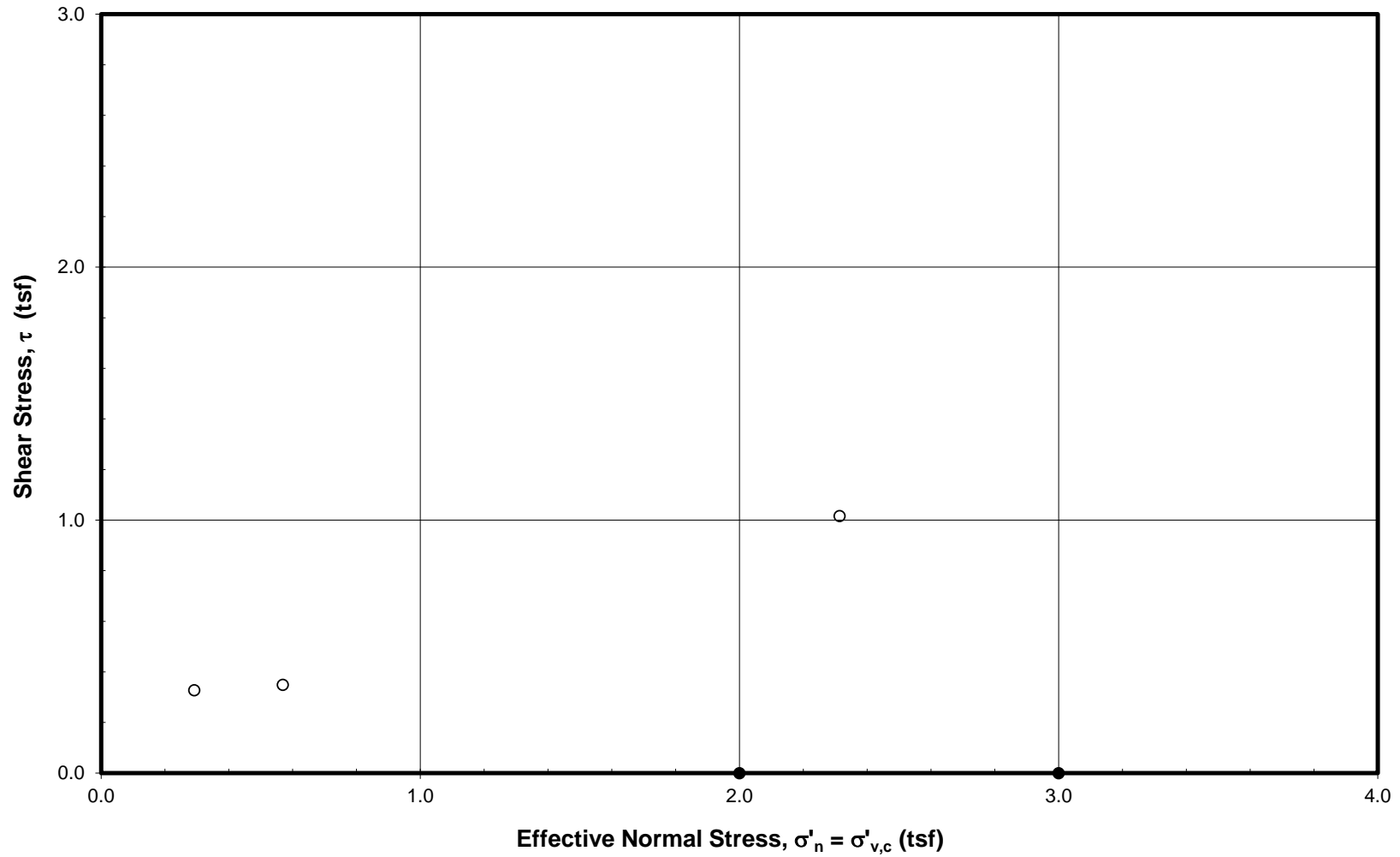
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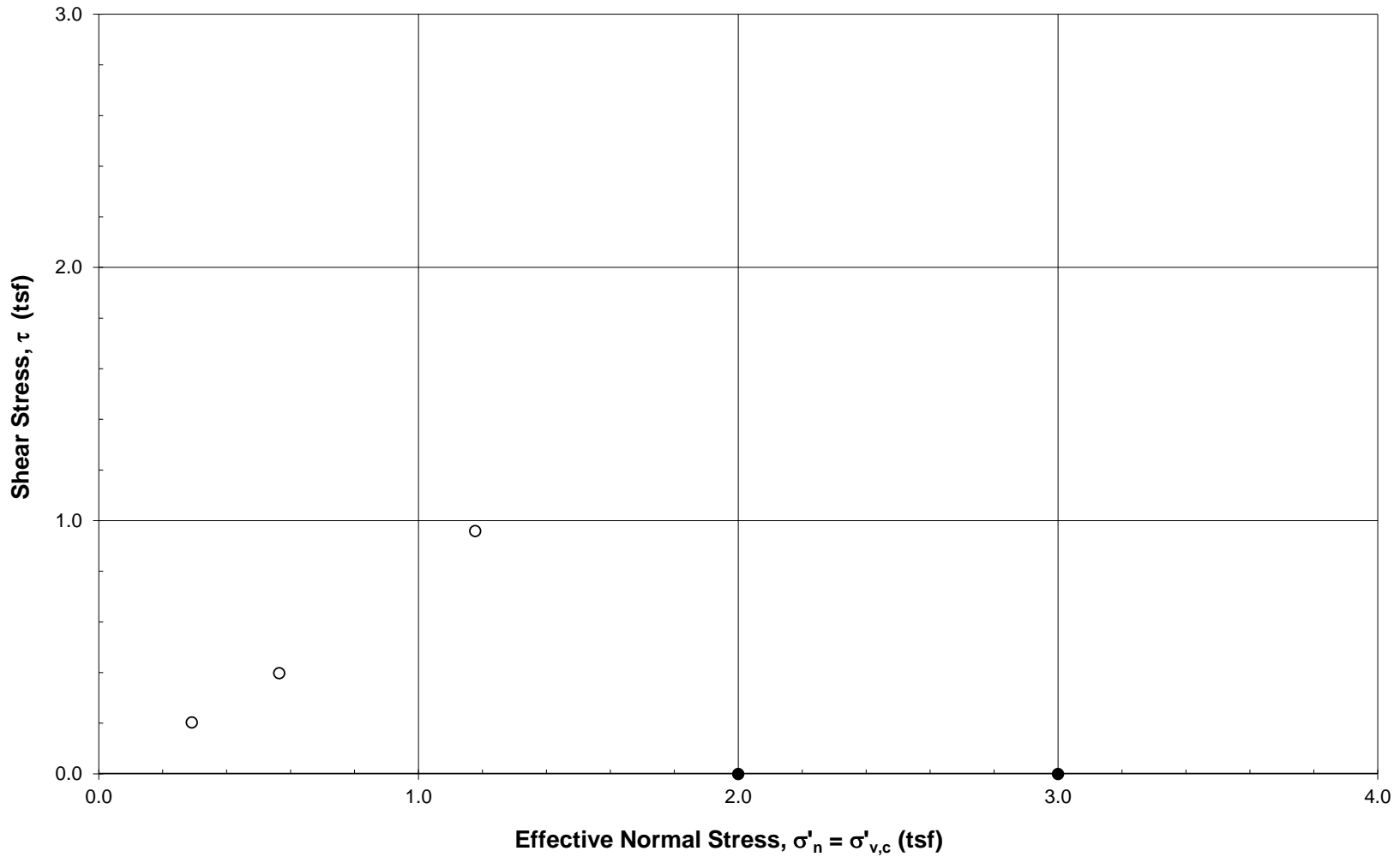
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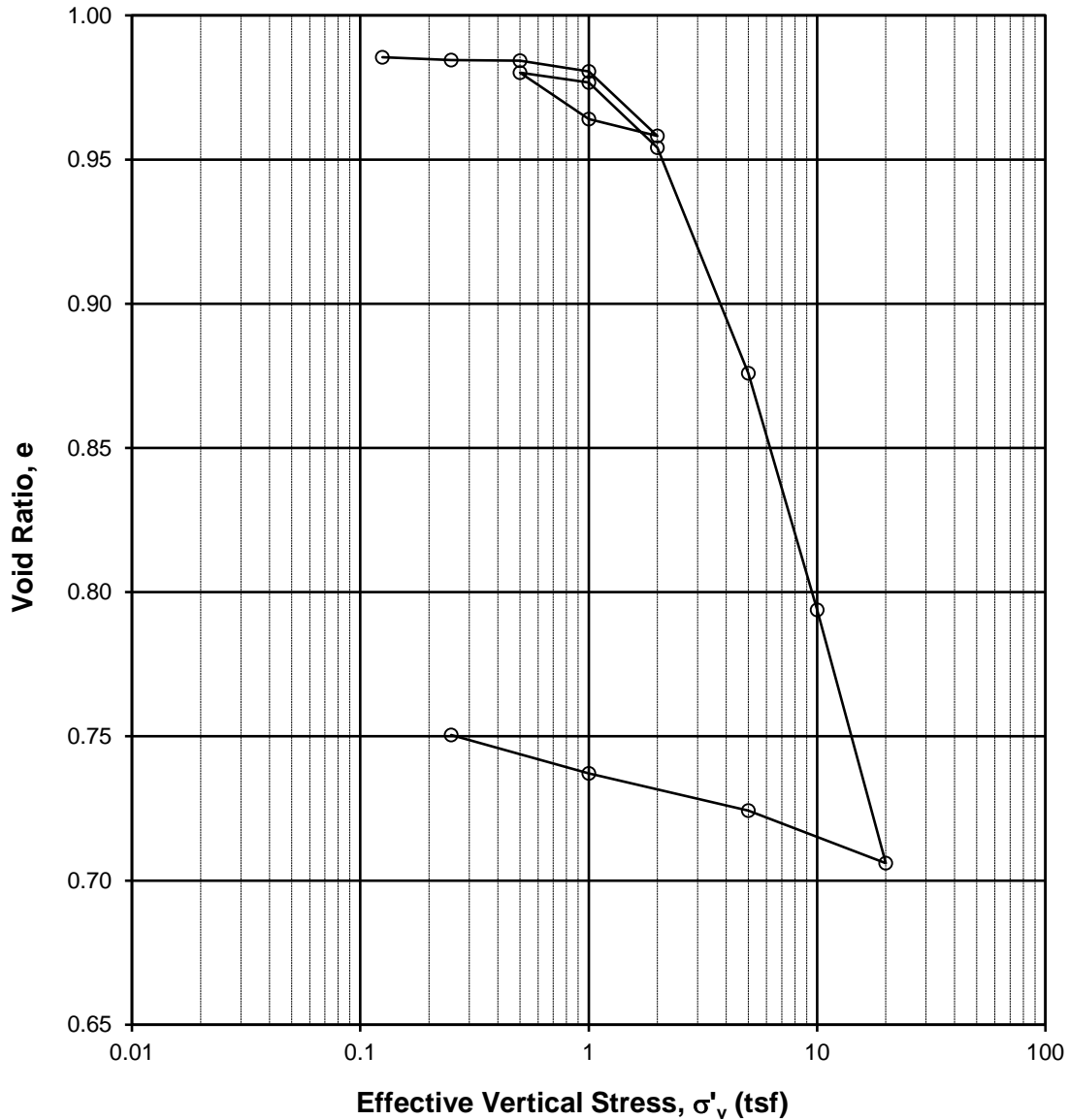
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ASTM D 3080
Boring: B-5 Sample: ST-3 -Depth: 6.0ft



DRAINED DIRECT SHEAR TEST
ASTM D 3080
Boring: B-12 Sample: ST-6 -Depth: 12.0ft

Liquid Limit= 74 Plastic Limit= 25 Plasticity Index = 49 USCS: CH

Compression Index, C_c = 0.29 Void Ratio, e_o = 0.81
 Recompression Index, C_r = 0.6 Preconsolidation Pressure = 2.15 tsf



1-D CONSOLIDATION TEST: INCREMENTAL

ASTM D 2435

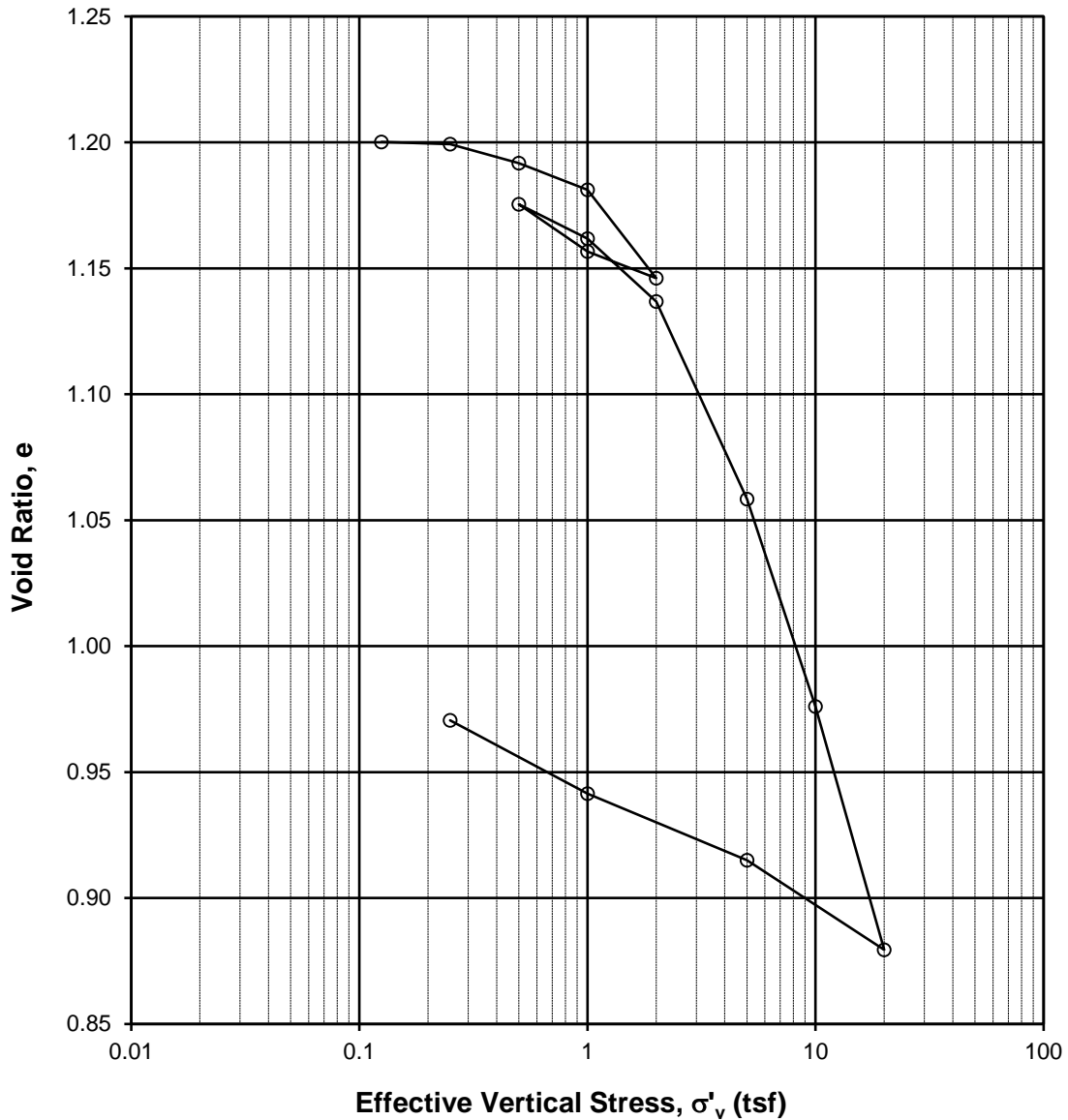
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Boring: B-2

Sample: ST-5 - Depth: 10.0

Liquid Limit= 105 Plastic Limit= 42 Plasticity Index = 63 USCS: CH

Compression Index, $C_c = \frac{0.32}{}$ Void Ratio, $e_o = \frac{1.03}{}$
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1-D CONSOLIDATION TEST: INCREMENTAL

ASTM D 2435

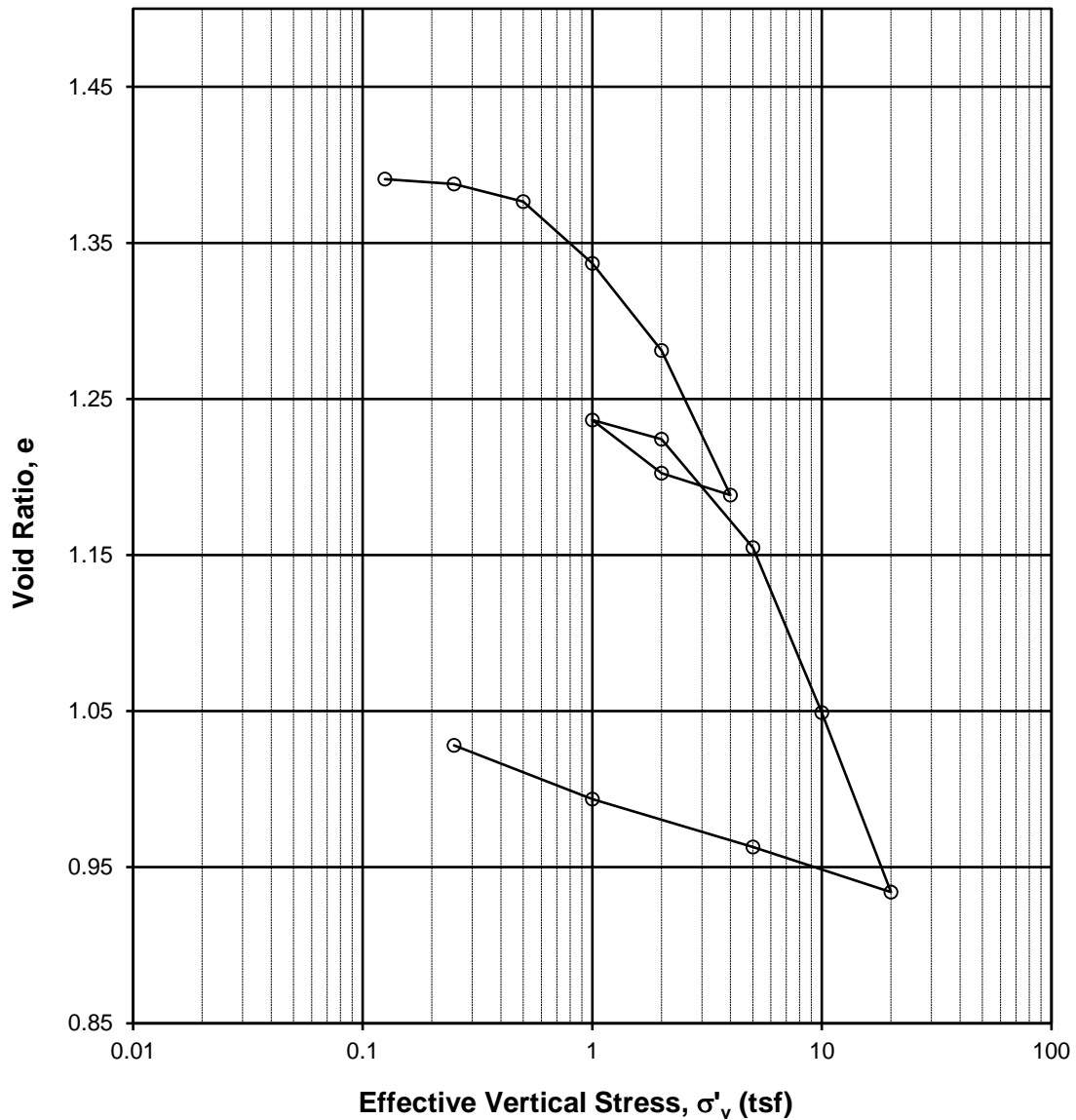
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Boring: B-6

Sample: ST-6 - Depth: 15.0

Liquid Limit= 96 Plastic Limit= 32 Plasticity Index = 64 USCS: CH

Compression Index, $C_c = \frac{3.73}{}$ Void Ratio, $e_o = \frac{0.70}{}$
 Recompression Index, $C_r = \frac{0.75}{}$ Preconsolidation Pressure = 2 tsf



1-D CONSOLIDATION TEST: INCREMENTAL

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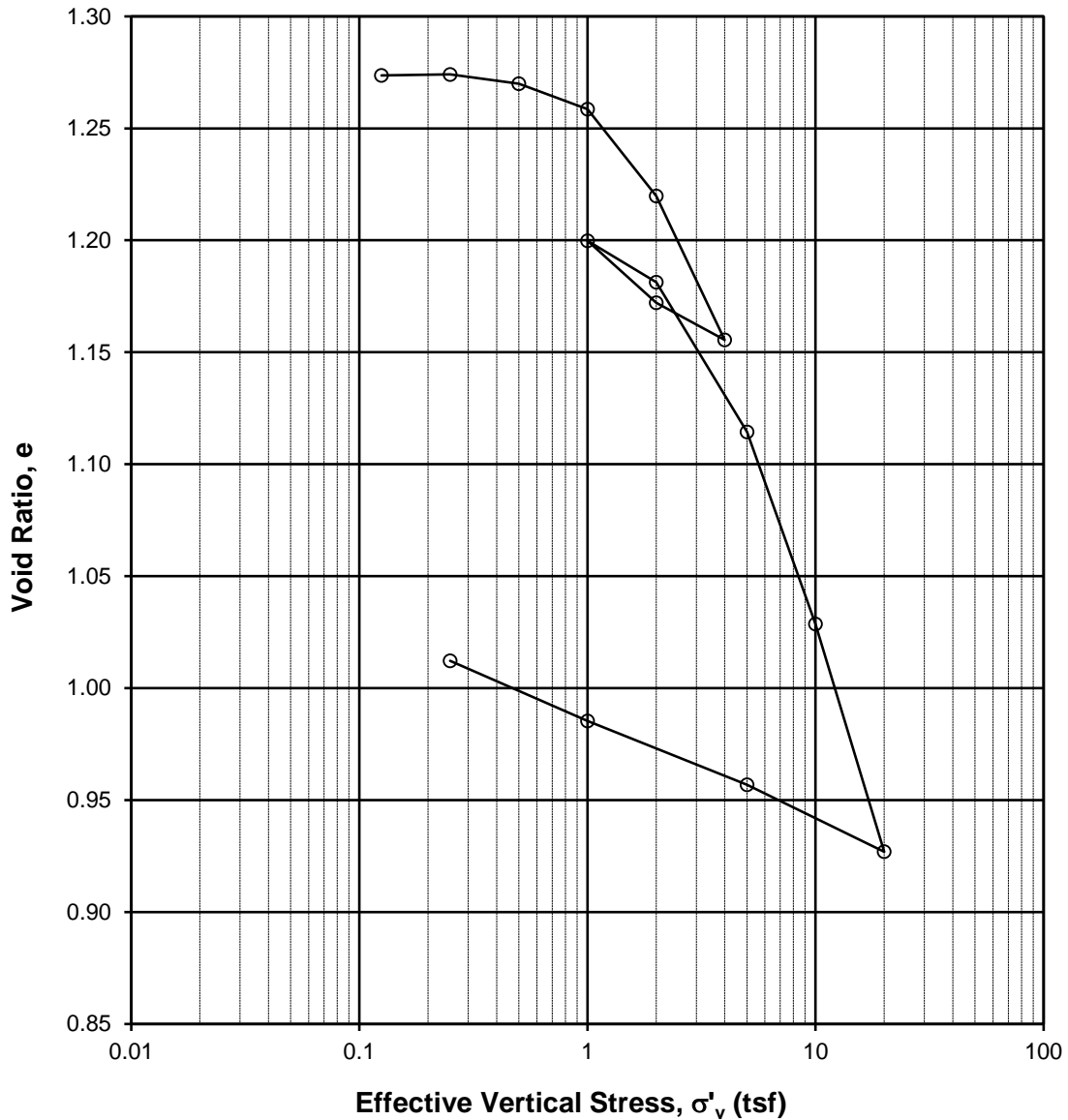
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Boring: B-9

Sample: ST-5 - Depth: 10

Liquid Limit= 99 Plastic Limit= 29 Plasticity Index = 70 USCS: CH

Compression Index, C_c = 0.34 Void Ratio, e_o = 1.05
 Recompression Index, C_r = 0.07 Preconsolidation Pressure = 2.45 tsf



1-D CONSOLIDATION TEST: INCREMENTAL

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Boring: B-11

Sample: ST-7 - Depth: 20



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Boring Number: B-2

Sample ID: SS6-SS8

Depth (ft): 13.5

MINIMUM LABORATORY SOIL RESISTIVITY AASHTO T288

<u>Reading</u>	<u>Resistance Measurement</u>	<u>Soil Box Factor (cm)</u>	<u>Soil Resistivity (ohms-cm)</u>	<u>Moisture Content (%)</u>
#1	6,800	0.57	3,876.00	14.8
#2	1,200	0.57	684.00	24.0
#3	1,000	0.57	570.00	28.4
#4	1,100	0.57	627.00	36.3

Minimum Soil Resistivity 570.00



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Boring Number:	B-3	
Sample ID:	SS12, SS13	
Depth (ft):	13.5	

MINIMUM LABORATORY SOIL RESISTIVITY AASHTO T288

<u>Reading</u>	<u>Resistance Measurement</u>	<u>Soil Box Factor (cm)</u>	<u>Soil Resistivity (ohms-cm)</u>	<u>Moisture Content (%)</u>
#1	23,000	0.57	13,110.00	10.3
#2	15,000	0.57	8,550.00	18.1
#3	13,000	0.57	7,410.00	24.7
#4	11,000	0.57	6,270.00	30.0
#5	13,000	0.57	7,410.00	32.7

Minimum Soil Resistivity **6,270.00**



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Boring Number: B-4

Sample ID: SS13-SS15

Depth (ft): 53.5

MINIMUM LABORATORY SOIL RESISTIVITY AASHTO T288

<u>Reading</u>	<u>Resistance Measurement</u>	<u>Soil Box Factor (cm)</u>	<u>Soil Resistivity (ohms-cm)</u>	<u>Moisture Content (%)</u>
#1	9,800	0.57	5,586.00	9.8
#2	6,000	0.57	3,420.00	16.1
#3	4,700	0.57	2,679.00	23.9
#4	5,200	0.57	2,964.00	28.1

Minimum Soil Resistivity **2,679.00**



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Boring Number: B-5

Sample ID: SS6-SS8

Depth (ft): 18.5

MINIMUM LABORATORY SOIL RESISTIVITY AASHTO T288

<u>Reading</u>	<u>Resistance Measurement</u>	<u>Soil Box Factor (cm)</u>	<u>Soil Resistivity (ohms-cm)</u>	<u>Moisture Content (%)</u>
#1	3,100	0.57	1,767.00	18.3
#2	1,600	0.57	912.00	25.8
#3	1,700	0.57	969.00	34.0

Minimum Soil Resistivity **912.00**



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Boring Number: B-5

Sample ID: SS15-SS17

Depth (ft): 63.5

MINIMUM LABORATORY SOIL RESISTIVITY AASHTO T288

<u>Reading</u>	<u>Resistance Measurement</u>	<u>Soil Box Factor (cm)</u>	<u>Soil Resistivity (ohms-cm)</u>	<u>Moisture Content (%)</u>
#1	10,900	0.57	6,213.00	10.3
#2	6,200	0.57	3,534.00	17.8
#3	5,000	0.57	2,850.00	24.1
#4	5,900	0.57	3,363.00	25.1

Minimum Soil Resistivity **2,850.00**



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Boring Number: B-6

Sample ID: SS11-SS13

Depth (ft): 38.5

MINIMUM LABORATORY SOIL RESISTIVITY AASHTO T288

<u>Reading</u>	<u>Resistance Measurement</u>	<u>Soil Box Factor (cm)</u>	<u>Soil Resistivity (ohms-cm)</u>	<u>Moisture Content (%)</u>
#1	16,000	0.57	9,120.00	11.1
#2	8,200	0.57	4,674.00	19.3
#3	6,100	0.57	3,477.00	27.4
#4	6,900	0.57	3,933.00	48.4

Minimum Soil Resistivity **3,477.00**



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Boring Number:	B-8	
Sample ID:	SS6-SS8	
Depth (ft):	18.5	

MINIMUM LABORATORY SOIL RESISTIVITY AASHTO T288

<u>Reading</u>	<u>Resistance Measurement</u>	<u>Soil Box Factor (cm)</u>	<u>Soil Resistivity (ohms-cm)</u>	<u>Moisture Content (%)</u>
#1	1,700	0.57	969.00	24.0
#2	1,400	0.57	798.00	31.5
#3	1,300	0.57	741.00	40.9
#4	1,500	0.57	855.00	59.9

Minimum Soil Resistivity **741.00**



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Boring Number: B-8

Sample ID: SS15-SS16

Depth (ft): 68.5

MINIMUM LABORATORY SOIL RESISTIVITY AASHTO T288

<u>Reading</u>	<u>Resistance Measurement</u>	<u>Soil Box Factor (cm)</u>	<u>Soil Resistivity (ohms-cm)</u>	<u>Moisture Content (%)</u>
#1	10,700	0.57	6,099.00	11.6
#2	5,900	0.57	3,363.00	19.6
#3	5,700	0.57	3,249.00	27.7
#4	5,600	0.57	3,192.00	49.4
#5	8,800	0.57	5,016.00	110.0
			Minimum Soil Resistivity	
			<u>3,192.00</u>	



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Boring Number: B-10

Sample ID: SS13-SS14

Depth (ft): 48.5

MINIMUM LABORATORY SOIL RESISTIVITY AASHTO T288

<u>Reading</u>	<u>Resistance Measurement</u>	<u>Soil Box Factor (cm)</u>	<u>Soil Resistivity (ohms-cm)</u>	<u>Moisture Content (%)</u>
#1	9,500	0.57	5,415.00	11.2
#2	5,100	0.57	2,907.00	20.0
#3	4,900	0.57	2,793.00	27.6
#4	6,000	0.57	3,420.00	102.9

Minimum Soil Resistivity **2,793.00**



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Boring Number:	B-11	
Sample ID:	SS10-SS12	
Depth (ft):	33.5	

MINIMUM LABORATORY SOIL RESISTIVITY AASHTO T288

<u>Reading</u>	<u>Resistance Measurement</u>	<u>Soil Box Factor (cm)</u>	<u>Soil Resistivity (ohms-cm)</u>	<u>Moisture Content (%)</u>
#1	18,000	0.57	10,260.00	10.4
#2	14,000	0.57	7,980.00	17.2
#3	12,000	0.57	6,840.00	24.1
#4	14,000	0.57	7,980.00	25.6

Minimum Soil Resistivity 6,840.00



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Boring Number:	B-12	
Sample ID:	SS13-SS14	
Depth (ft):	58.5	

MINIMUM LABORATORY SOIL RESISTIVITY AASHTO T288

<u>Reading</u>	<u>Resistance Measurement</u>	<u>Soil Box Factor (cm)</u>	<u>Soil Resistivity (ohms-cm)</u>	<u>Moisture Content (%)</u>
#1	8,500	0.57	4,845.00	15.8
#2	4,800	0.57	2,736.00	24.3
#3	4,400	0.57	2,508.00	32.3
#4	6,200	0.57	3,534.00	31.7

Minimum Soil Resistivity **2,508.00**



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Boring Number:	B-13	
Sample ID:	SS8-SS10	
Depth (ft):	23.5	

MINIMUM LABORATORY SOIL RESISTIVITY AASHTO T288

<u>Reading</u>	<u>Resistance Measurement</u>	<u>Soil Box Factor (cm)</u>	<u>Soil Resistivity (ohms-cm)</u>	<u>Moisture Content (%)</u>
#1	1,300	0.57	741.00	28.8
#2	900	0.57	513.00	35.4
#3	1,100	0.57	627.00	45.1

Minimum Soil Resistivity **513.00**

pH TESTS (ASTM D 4972 or AASHTO T-289)



DATE February 8, 2019	PROJECT NAME ARDOT McGehee	PROJECT NO. J033659.01
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General Test Information: pH Meter: Humboldt Ph Testr H-4371 or _____
 Distilled Water: required pH=5.5 to 7.5 Measured value: _____
 Soil/Water Ratio: Typically 1/1 or 1/2, but 1/5 for lime stabilized soils

Boring No.	Sample No.	Depth (ft)	Visual Identification (Color, Group Name & Symbol)	Soil : Water Ratio (g/g) or (g/mL)	pH of Solution (Meter/Paper) ¹	Tare No. Air Drying	Jar Number	Remarks
B-2	SS6	13.50		1:2	7.61 ----- 21.6			
B-3	SS12	38.50		1:1	7.05 ----- 21.4			
B-4	SS13	53.50		1:1	7.13 ----- 21.4			
B-5	SS6	18.50		1:2	7.32 ----- 21.6			
B-5	SS15	63.50		1:1	8.01 ----- 21.4			
B-6	SS11	38.50		1:1	6.91 ----- 21.4			
B-8	SS6	18.50		1:2	7.68 ----- 21.5			
B-8	SS15	68.50		1:1	8.45 ----- 21.2			
B-13	SS8	23.50		1:1	7.16 ----- 21.2			
B-10	SS13	48.50		1:1	8.41 ----- 20.8			
B-11	SS10	33.50		1:1	8.37 ----- 20.8			
B-12	SS13	58.50		1:1	7.72 ----- 21.1			

¹pH by Meter is Method A; pH by Paper is Method B

Tested By: AIM
Date: 02/13/19

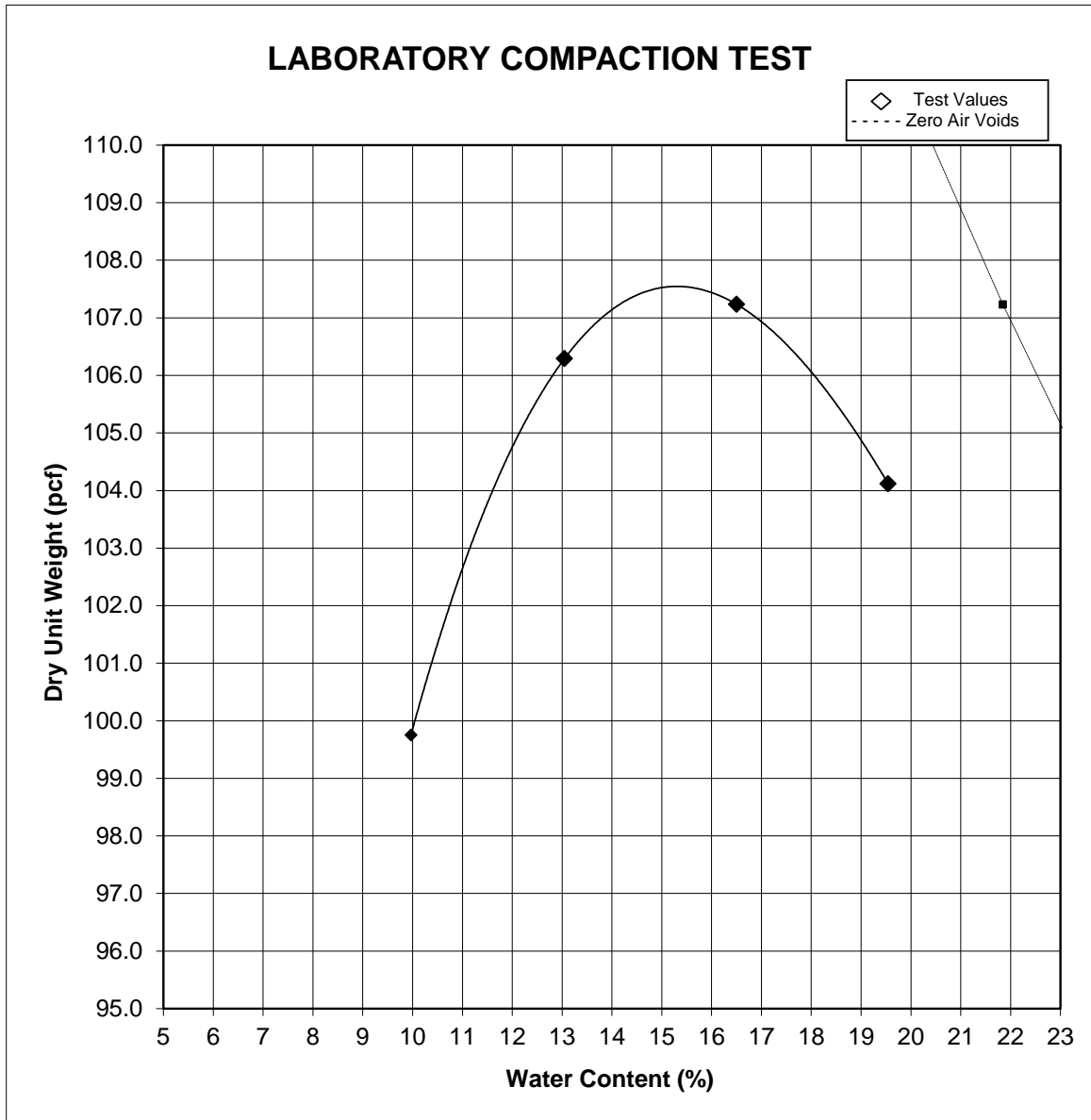
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Date: 02/26/19

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 Memphis, TN 38116
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 Fax: 901-353-2248



Project: ARDOT (McGehee)
 Client: Garver USA
 Sample Source: B-2, 1.0'-5.0'
 Supplier: _____



Test Information	
Project No.:	J033659.01
Test Date:	02/11/19
Proctor No.:	B-2
Test Method:	ASTM D 698 Method A
Rammer Type:	Mechanical
Prep. Method:	Dry

Sample Description
Dark Brown, Lean Clay with sand

Sample Properties	
Moisture Content	NA
Liquid Limit	42
Plastic Limit	20
Plasticity Index	22
Specific Gravity:	2.750 Estimated
Classification	CL

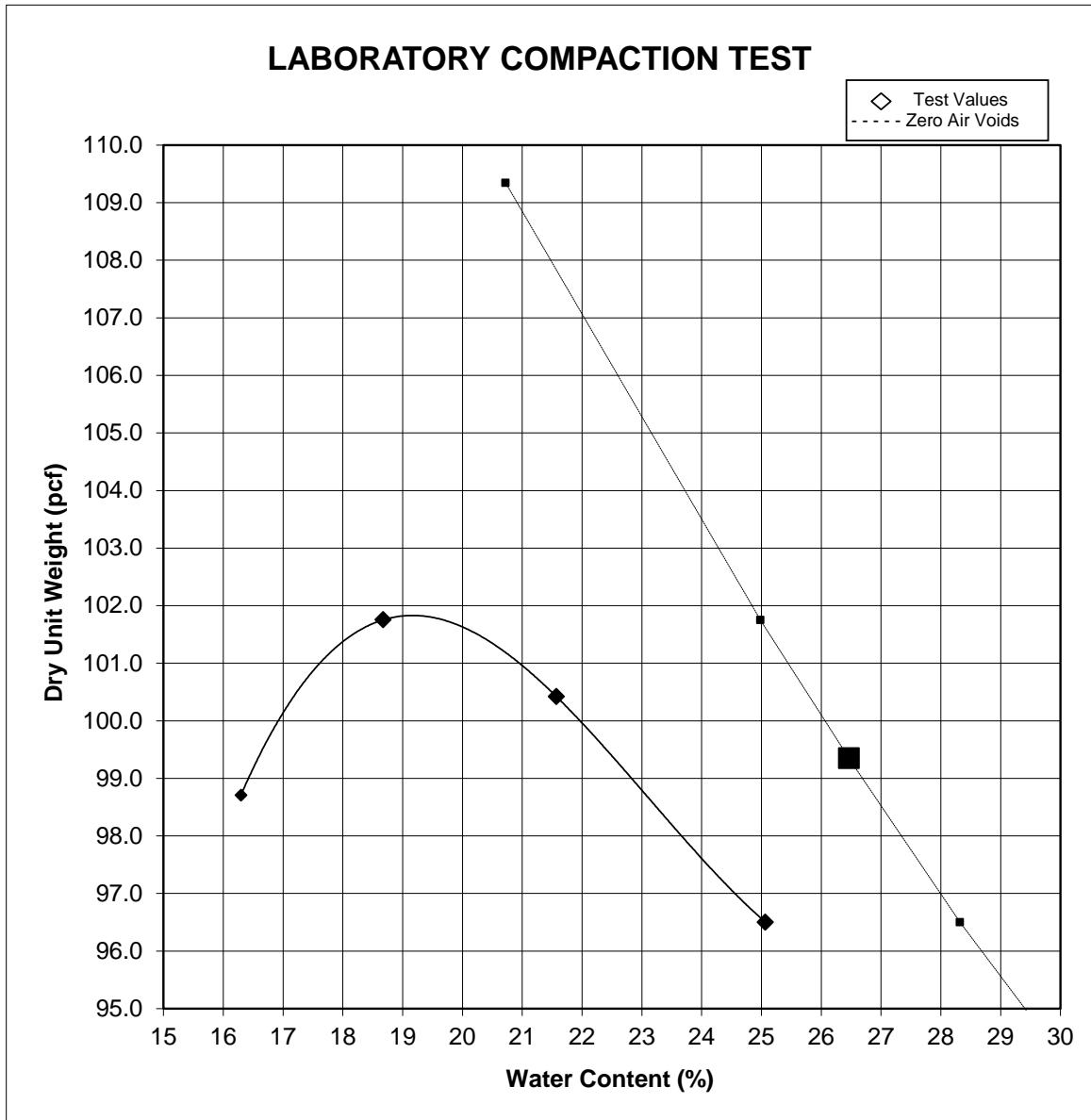
Test Results:	
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Optimum Water Content (%):	15.2
Override Correction Values:	
Maximum Dry Unit Weight (pcf):	--
Optimum Water Content (%):	--

Tested By: TA Input By: HP
 Date: 02/11/19 Date: 02/12/19
 Checked By: HP
 Date: 02/12/19

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Project: ARDOT (McGehee)
 Client: Garver USA
 Sample Source: B-12, 1.0'-5.0'
 Supplier: _____



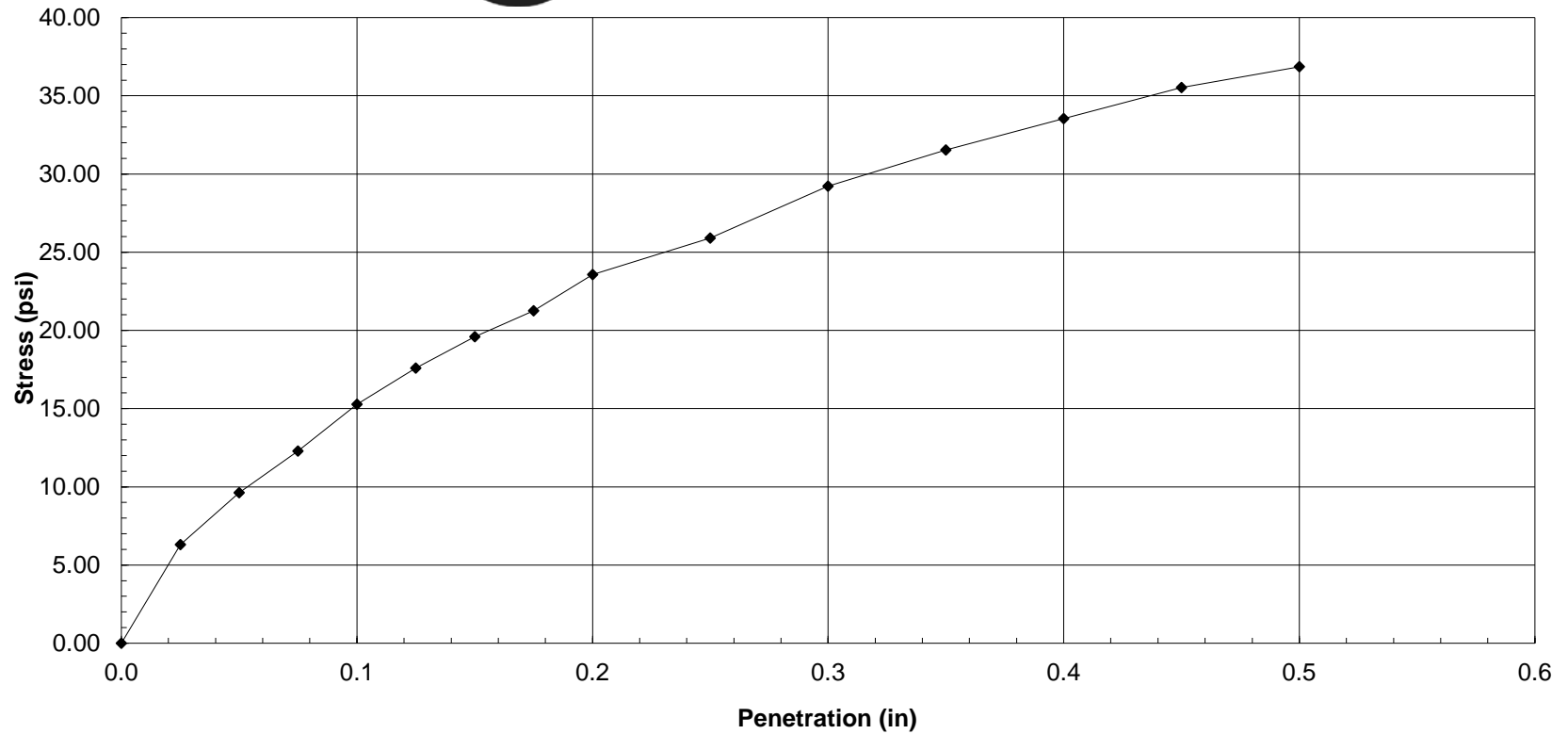
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Test Date:	02/13/19
Proctor No.:	B-12
Test Method:	ASTM D 698 Method A
Rammer Type:	Mechanical
Prep. Method:	Dry

Sample Description
Red/Brown Lean Clay, trace sand

Sample Properties	
Moisture Content	NA
Liquid Limit	49
Plastic Limit	21
Plasticity Index	28
Specific Gravity:	2.750 Estimated
Classification	CL

Test Results:	
Maximum Dry Unit Weight (pcf):	101.8
Optimum Water Content (%):	19.1
Override Correction Values:	
Maximum Dry Unit Weight (pcf):	--
Optimum Water Content (%):	--

Tested By: TA Input By: HP
 Date: 02/13/19 Date: 02/18/19
 Checked By: HP
 Date: 02/18/19



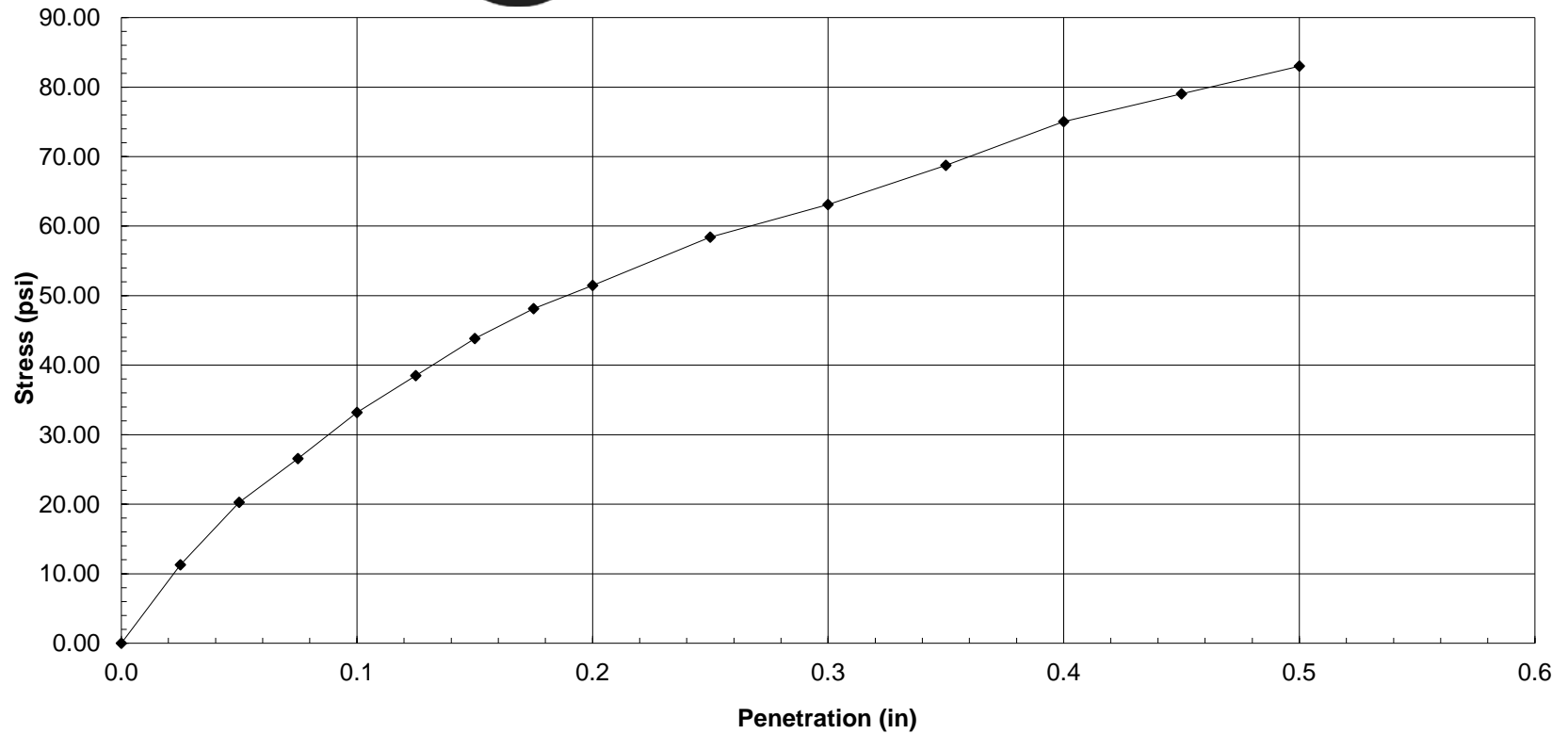
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ASTM D 1883

Project No.: J033659.01

Boring: B-2

Sample: 25 Blows - Depth: 0 ft.



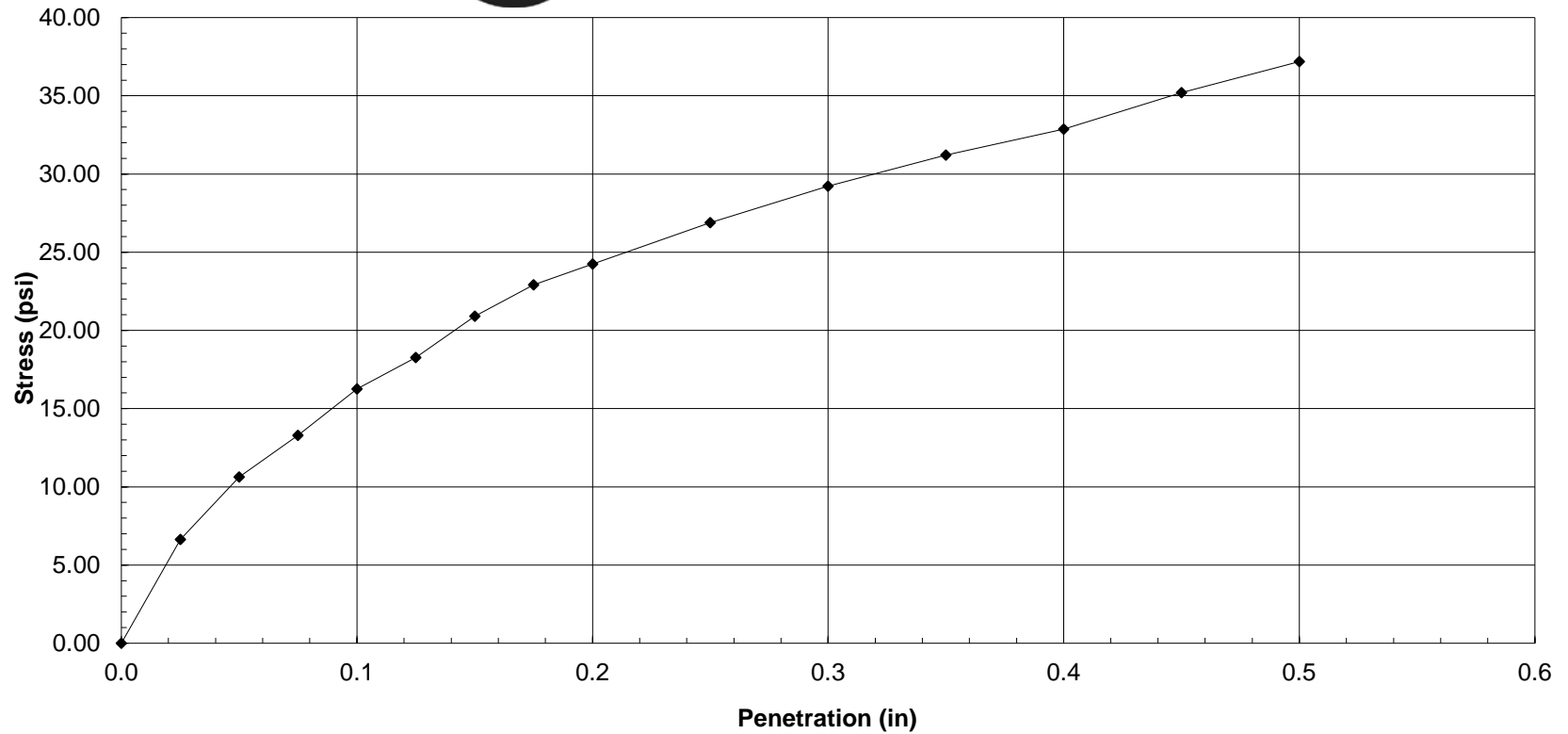
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Boring: B-2

Sample: 56 Blows - Depth: 0 ft.



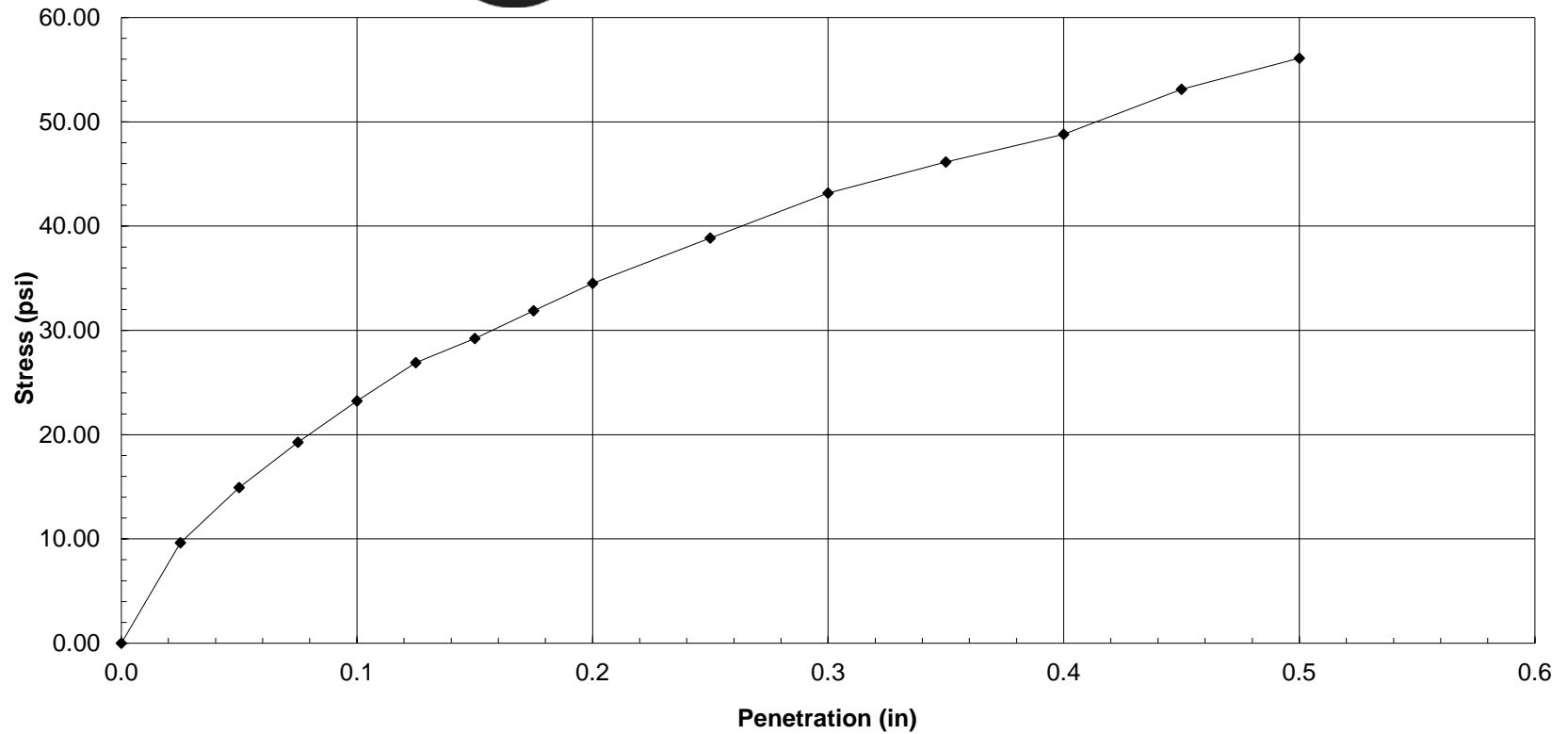
CALIFORNIA BEARING RATIO (CBR) TEST

ASTM D 1883

Project No.: J033659.01

Boring: B-12

Sample: 25 Blows - Depth: 0 ft.



CALIFORNIA BEARING RATIO (CBR) TEST

ASTM D 1883

Project No.: J033659.01

Boring: B-12

Sample: 56 Blows - Depth: 0 ft.

APPENDIX E – AASHTO AND USCS CLASSIFICATIONS

SUMMARY OF CLASSIFICATION TEST RESULTS
Highway 278 Improvements Bridge over Union Pacific Railroad
Desha County, Arkansas
ARDOT 020590

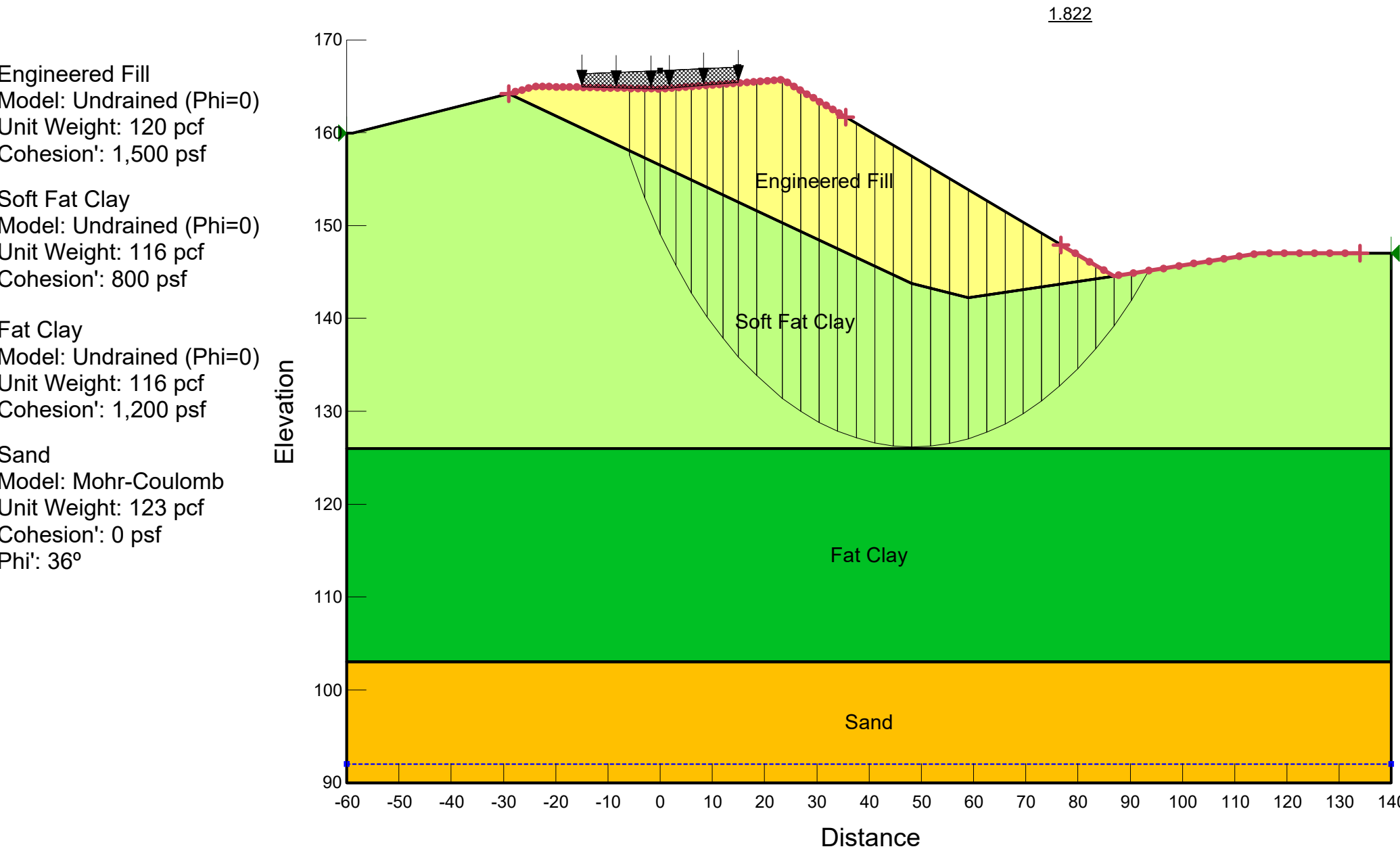
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					2 in.	1 in.	3/4 in.	3/8 in.	#4	#10	#40	#200		
B-1	3.5	85	34	51	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	A-7-5	CH
B-2	10	74	25	49	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	A-7-6	CH
B-2	0	42	20	22	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	93.2	85.7	74.5	A-7-6	CL
B-2	33.5	111	40	71	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	A-7-5	CH
B-3	10	82	31	51	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	A-7-5	CH
B-3	53.5	--	--	--	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	99.9	99.8	79.2	3.3	A-2-6	SP
B-4	8	105	32	73	100.0	100.0	83.0	76.4	73.0	71.1	68.9	65.1	A-7-5	CH
B-4	33.5	105	32	73	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	A-7-5	CH
B-4	58.5	--	--	--	100.0	100.0	100.0	74.7	69.0	63.5	25.9	4.1	A-2-6	SP
B-4	68.5	--	--	--	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	99.6	85.9	15.7	A-2-6	SC
B-5	6	58	18	40	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	A-7-6	CH
B-5	23.5	74	27	47	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	A-7-6	CH
B-5	53.5	--	--	--	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	99.2	95.4	58.5	3.7	A-2-6	SP
B-6	3	38	17	21	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	A-6	CL
B-6	15	105	42	63	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	A-7-5	CH
B-6	33.5	--	--	--	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	99.4	75.1	A-4	ML
B-6	88.5	--	--	--	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	99.8	7.4	A-2-6	SP-SC
B-7	20	104	32	72	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	A-7-5	CH
B-7	38.5	--	--	--	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	32.7	A-2-6	SC
B-7	68.5	--	--	--	100.0	100.0	100.0	98.3	97.3	97.0	22.5	4.0	A-2-6	SP
B-8	8	43	17	26	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	A-7-6	CL
B-8	33.5	--	--	--	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	99.9	19.5	A-2-4	SM
B-8	48.5	--	--	--	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	95.3	11.7	A-2-4	SP-SM
B-9	10	96	32	64	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	A-7-5	CH
B-9	15	104	37	67	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	A-7-5	CH
B-9	33.5	--	--	--	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	99.0	59.4	A-7-5	CH
B-9	78.5	--	--	--	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	71.0	8.7	A-3	SP-SM
B-10	6	46	21	25	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	A-7-6	CL
B-10	15	106	33	73	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	A-7-5	CH
B-10	43.5	--	--	--	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	99.9	89.3	5.0	A-3	SP-SM

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Highway 278 Improvements Bridge over Union Pacific Railroad
Desha County, Arkansas
ARDOT 020590

Boring No.	Depth	Liquid Limit (%)	Plastic Limit (%)	Plasticity Index (%)	Sieve Analysis Percent Passing								AASHTO CLASS.	USCS CLASS.
					2 in.	1 in.	3/4 in.	3/8 in.	#4	#10	#40	#200		
B-11	20	99	29	70	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	A-7-6	CH
B-11	33.5	--	--	--	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	94.8	16.0	A-2-4	SM
B-11	58.5	--	--	--	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	97.0	10.6	A-2-4	SP-SM
B-12	0	49	21	28	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	99.5	95.0	A-7-6	CL
B-12	6	95	30	65	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	A-7-5	CH
B-12	12	29	17	12	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	A-6	CL
B-12	48.5	--	--	--	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	99.8	99.8	93.0	4.2	A-2-6	SP
B-12	78.5	--	--	--	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	93.9	84.9	44.4	5.9	A-1-b	SP-SM
B-13	8.5	89	30	59	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	A-7-5	CH

APPENDIX F - GLOBAL STABILITY ANALYSES

Hwy 278 Over Union Pacific Railroad
 Desha County, Arkansas
 Hwy 278 Station 110+18
 Spencer's Method - Short Term Analysis



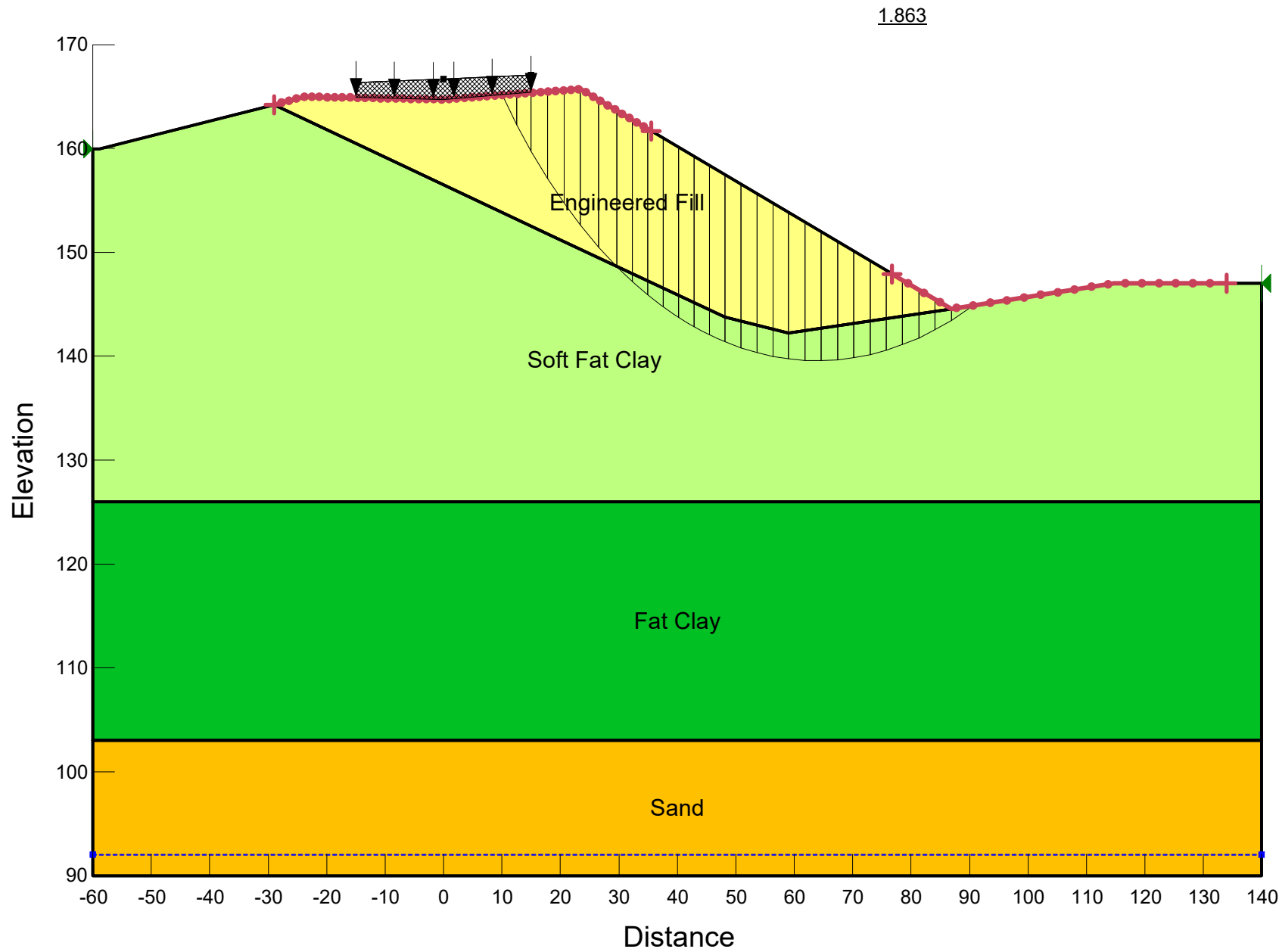
Hwy 278 Over Union Pacific Railroad
 Desha County, Arkansas
 Hwy 278 Station 110+18
 Spencer's Method - Long Term Analysis

Engineered Fill
 Model: Mohr-Coulomb
 Unit Weight: 120 pcf
 Cohesion': 50 psf
 Phi': 30°

Soft Fat Clay
 Model: MOhr-Coulomb
 Unit Weight: 116 pcf
 Cohesion': 0 psf
 Phi': 24°

Fat Clay
 Model: Undrained (Phi=0)
 Unit Weight: 116 pcf
 Cohesion': 0 psf
 Phi': 24°

Sand
 Model: Mohr-Coulomb
 Unit Weight: 123 pcf
 Cohesion': 0 psf
 Phi': 36°



Hwy 278 Over Union Pacific Railroad
 Desha County, Arkansas
 Hwy 278 Station 110+18
 Spencer's Method - Seismic Analysis

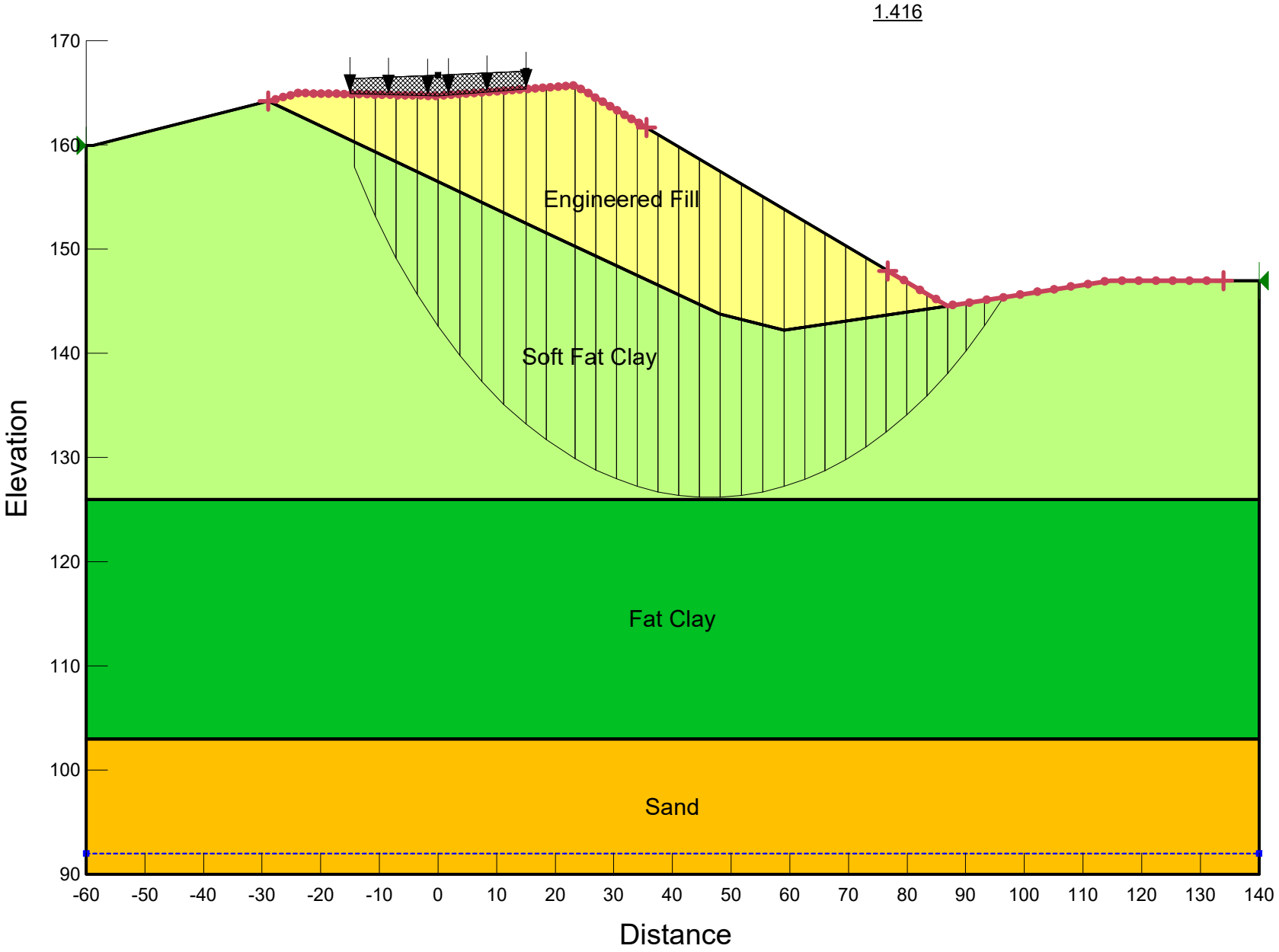
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Engineered Fill
 Model: Undrained ($\Phi=0$)
 Unit Weight: 120 pcf
 Cohesion': 1,500 psf

Soft Fat Clay
 Model: Undrained ($\Phi=0$)
 Unit Weight: 116 pcf
 Cohesion': 800 psf

Fat Clay
 Model: Undrained ($\Phi=0$)
 Unit Weight: 116 pcf
 Cohesion': 1,200 psf

Sand
 Model: Mohr-Coulomb
 Unit Weight: 123 pcf
 Cohesion': 0 psf
 Φ ': 36°



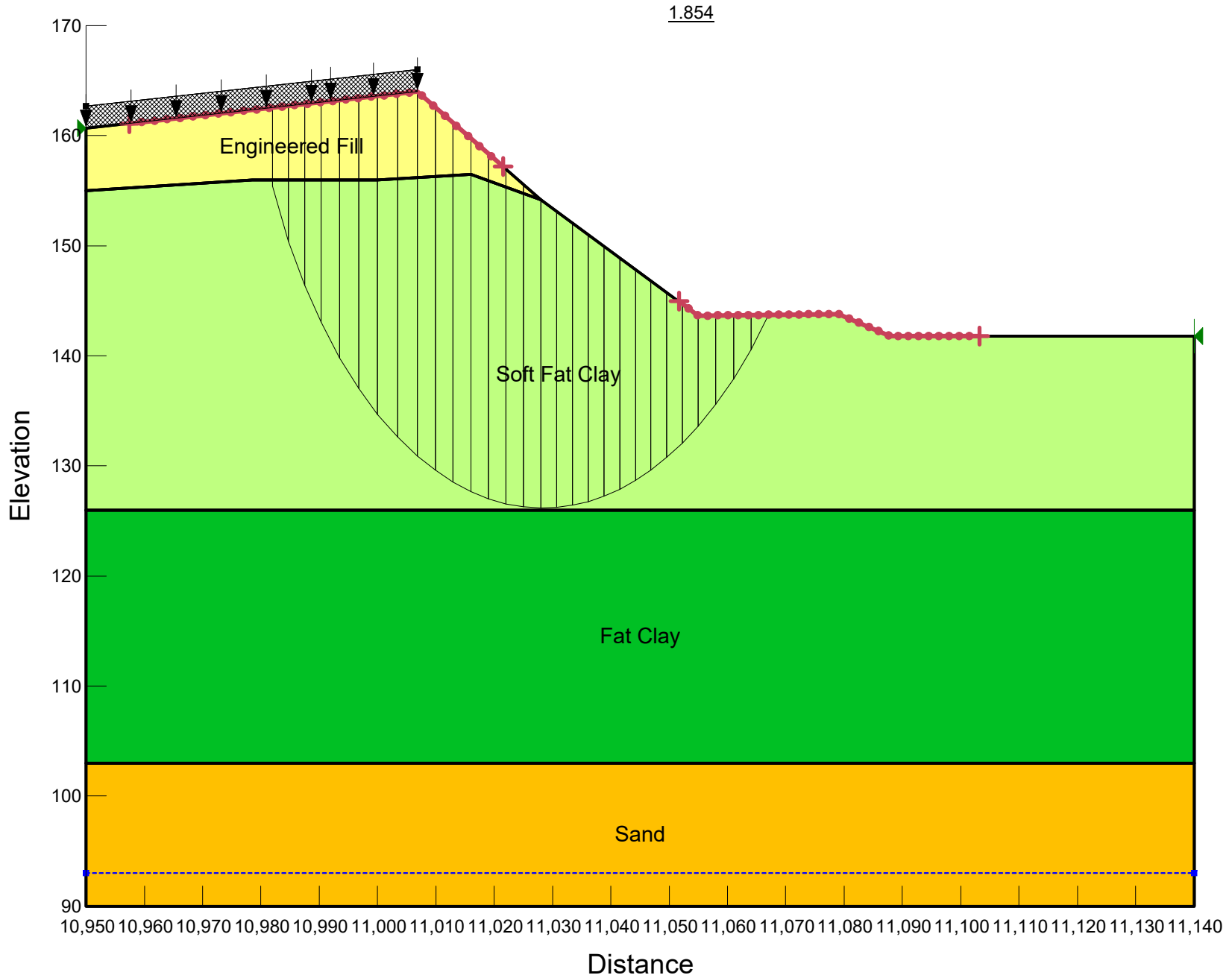
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 Desha County, Arkansas
 West Abutment
 Spencer's Method - Short Term Analysis

Engineered Fill
 Model: Undrained (Phi=0)
 Unit Weight: 120 pcf
 Cohesion': 1,500 psf

Soft Fat Clay
 Model: Undrained (Phi=0)
 Unit Weight: 116 pcf
 Cohesion': 800 psf

Fat Clay
 Model: Undrained (Phi=0)
 Unit Weight: 116 pcf
 Cohesion': 1200 psf

Sand
 Model: Mohr-Coulomb
 Unit Weight: 123 pcf
 Cohesion': 0 psf
 Phi': 36°



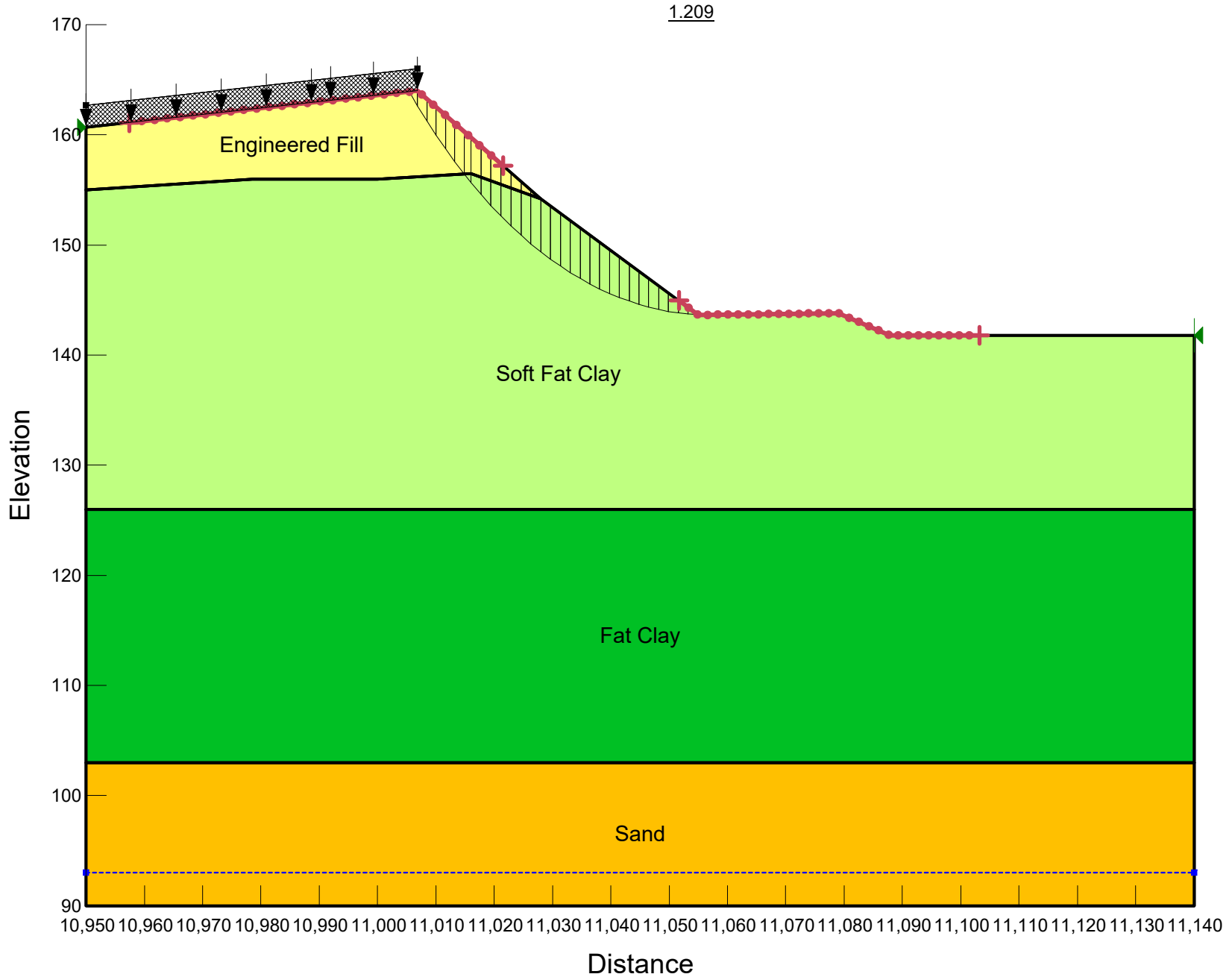
Hwy 278 Over Union Pacific Railroad
 Desha County, Arkansas
 West Abutment
 Spencer's Method - Long Term Analysis

Engineered Fill
 Model: Mohr-Coulomb
 Unit Weight: 120 pcf
 Cohesion': 50 psf
 Phi': 30°

Soft Fat Clay
 Model: Mohr-Coulomb
 Unit Weight: 116 pcf
 Cohesion': 0 psf
 Phi': 24°

Fat Clay
 Model: Mohr-Coulomb
 Unit Weight: 116 pcf
 Cohesion': 0 psf
 Phi': 24°

Sand
 Model: Mohr-Coulomb
 Unit Weight: 123 pcf
 Cohesion': 0 psf
 Phi': 36°



Hwy 278 Over Union Pacific Railroad
Desha County, Arkansas
West Abutment
Spencer's Method - Seismic Analysis

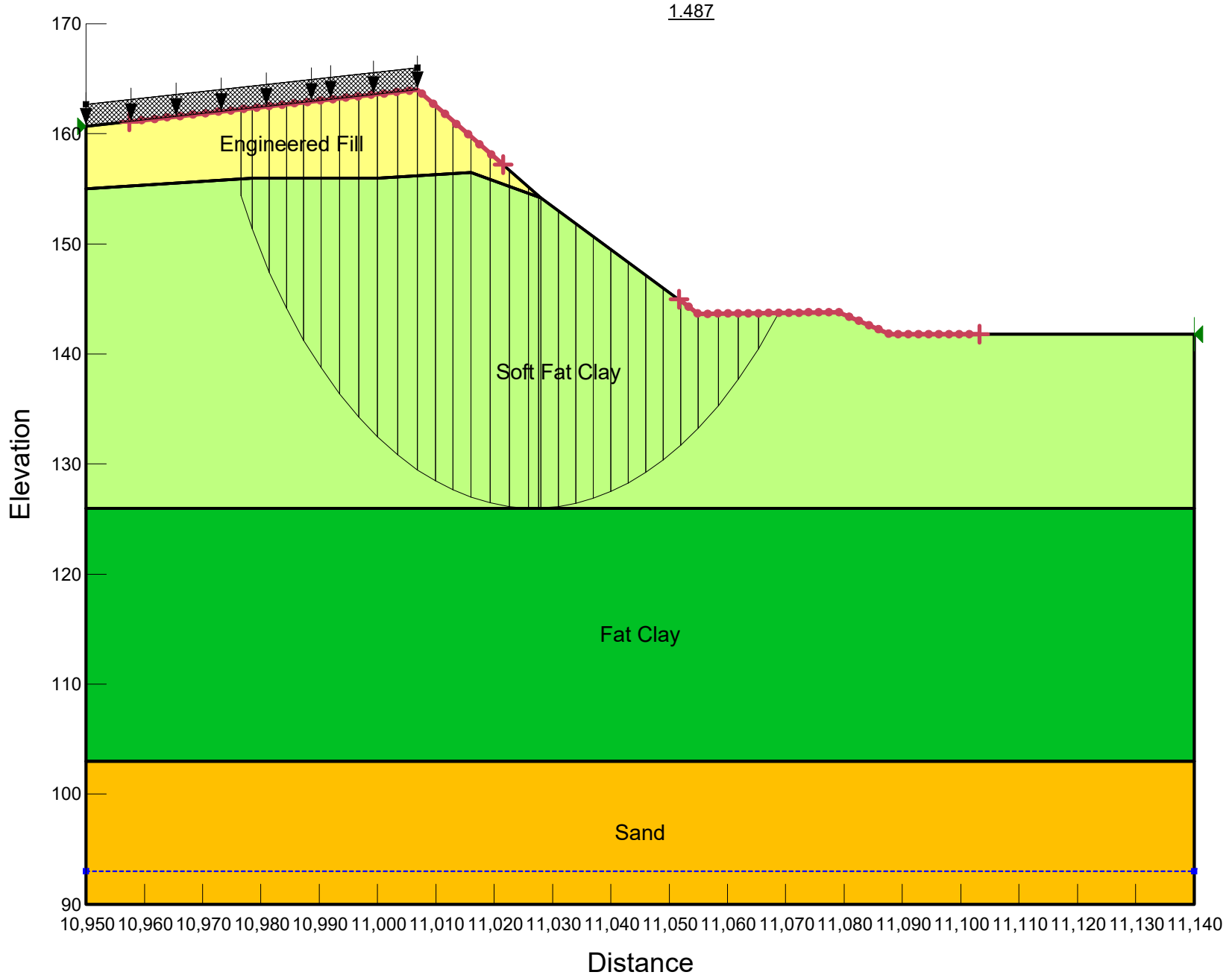
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Engineered Fill
Model: Undrained ($\Phi=0$)
Unit Weight: 120 pcf
Cohesion': 1,500 psf

Soft Fat Clay
Model: Undrained ($\Phi=0$)
Unit Weight: 116 pcf
Cohesion': 800 psf

Fat Clay
Model: Undrained ($\Phi=0$)
Unit Weight: 116 pcf
Cohesion': 1200 psf

Sand
Model: Mohr-Coulomb
Unit Weight: 123 pcf
Cohesion': 0 psf
 Φ ': 36°



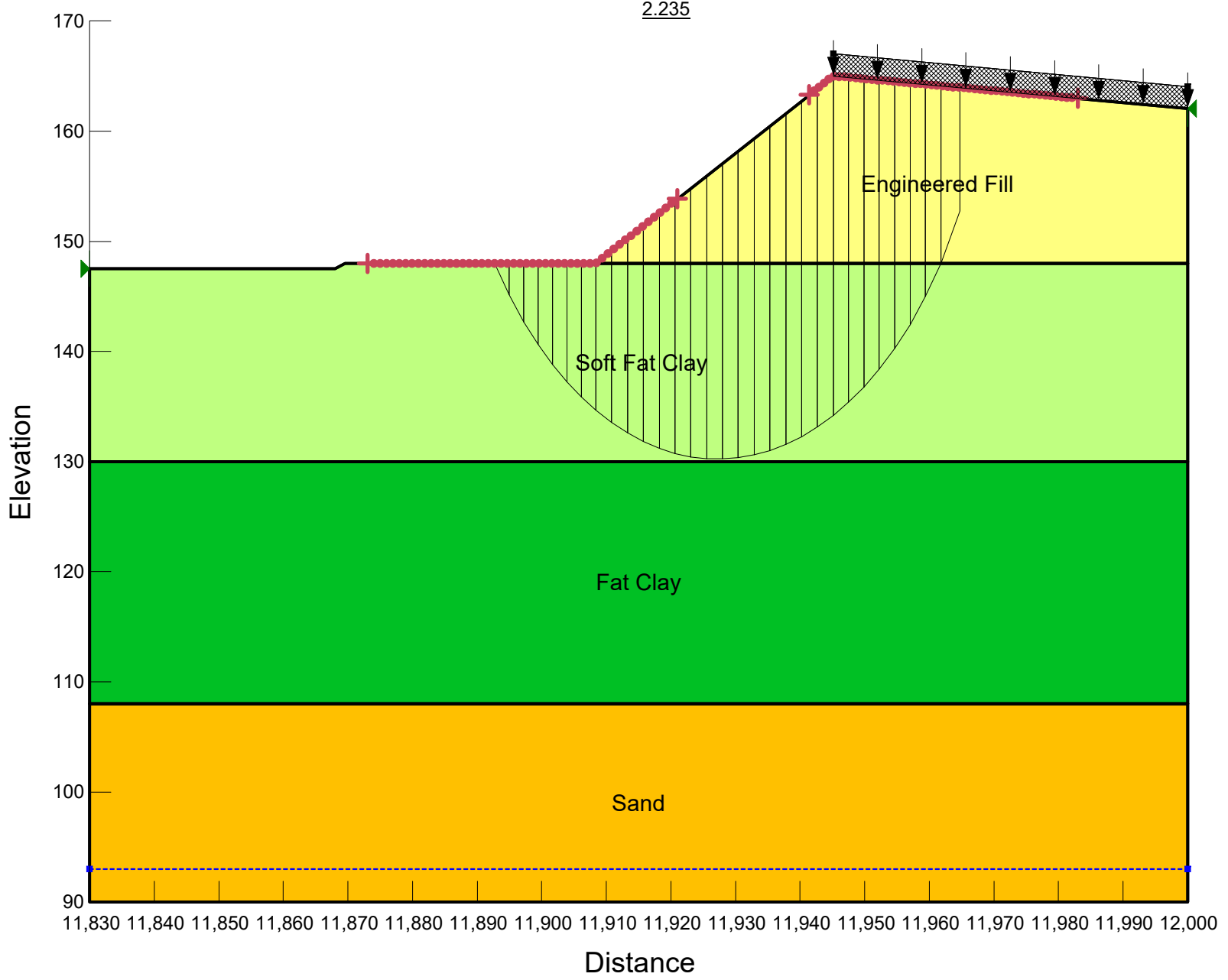
Hwy 278 Over Union Pacific Railroad
 Desha County, Arkansas
 East Abutment
 Spencer's Method - Short Term Analysis

Engineered Fill
 Model: Undrained ($\Phi=0$)
 Unit Weight: 120 pcf
 Cohesion': 1,500 psf

Soft Fat Clay
 Model: Undrained ($\Phi=0$)
 Unit Weight: 116 pcf
 Cohesion': 800 psf

Fat Clay
 Model: Undrained ($\Phi=0$)
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 Cohesion': 1,200 psf

Sand
 Model: Mohr-Coulomb
 Unit Weight: 123 pcf
 Cohesion': 0 psf
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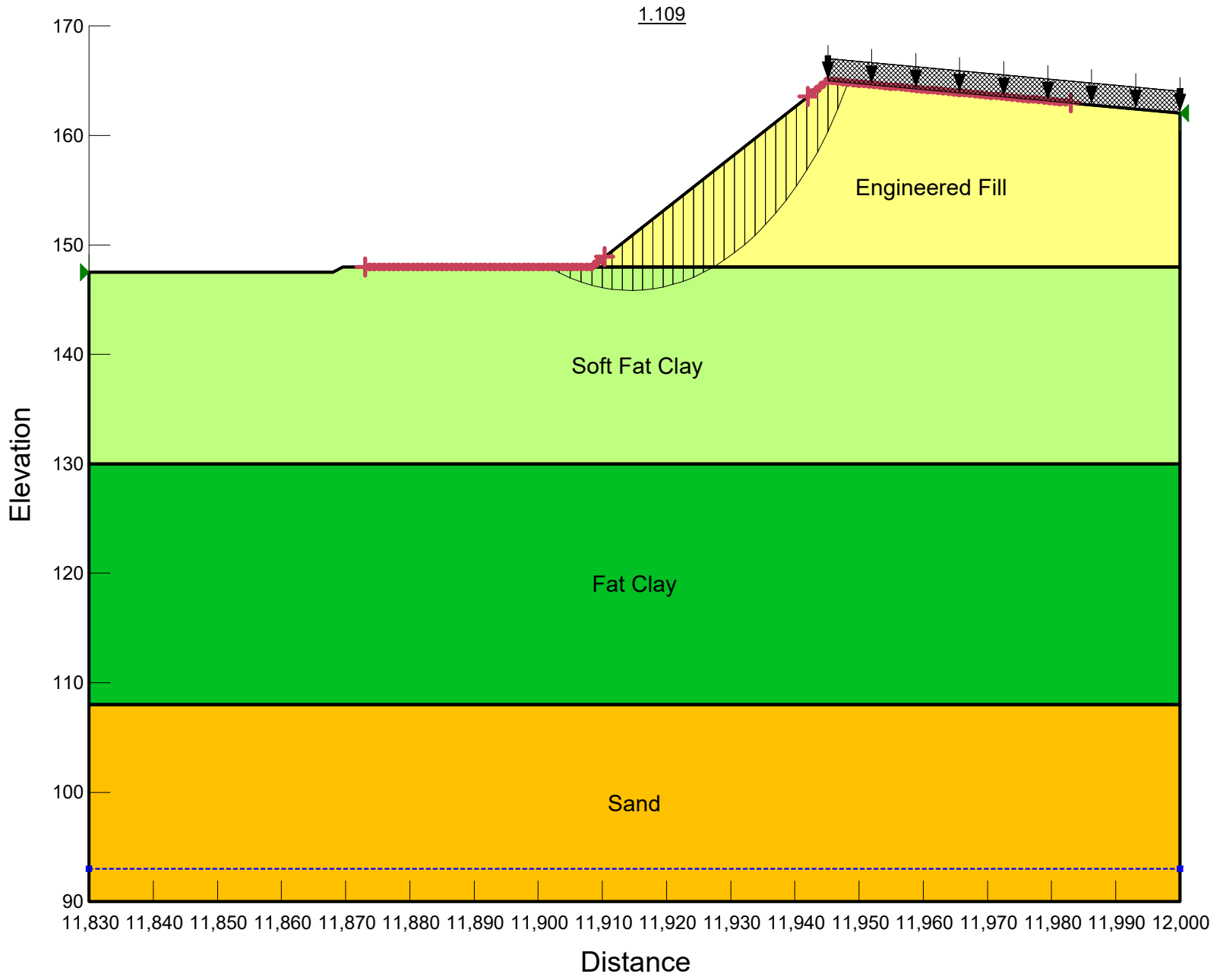
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 East Abutment
 Spencer's Method - Long Term Analysis

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 Phi': 30°

Soft Fat Clay
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 Unit Weight: 116 pcf
 Cohesion': 0 psf
 Phi': 24°

Fat Clay
 Model: Mohr-Coulomb
 Unit Weight: 116 pcf
 Cohesion': 0 psf
 Phi': 24°

Sand
 Model: Mohr-Coulomb
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 Cohesion': 0 psf
 Phi': 36°



Hwy 278 Over Union Pacific Railroad
 Desha County, Arkansas
 East Abutment
 Spencer's Method - Seismic Analysis

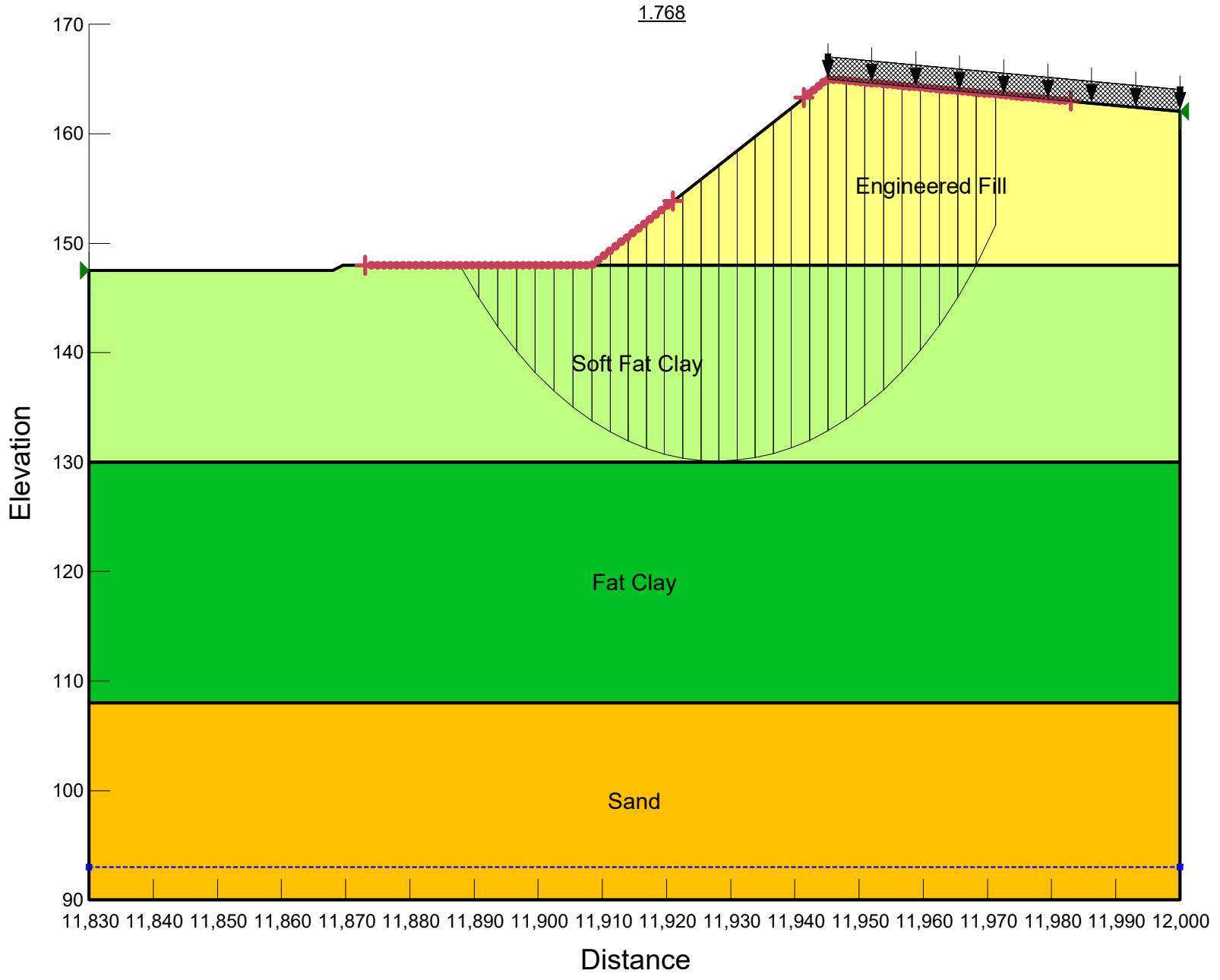
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Soft Fat Clay
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 Cohesion': 800 psf

Fat Clay
 Model: Undrained (Phi=0)
 Unit Weight: 116 pcf
 Cohesion': 1,200 psf

Sand
 Model: Mohr-Coulomb
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 Cohesion': 0 psf
 Phi': 36°



Hwy 278 Over Union Pacific Railroad
 Desha County, Arkansas
 Hwy 278 Station 119+20
 Spencer's Method - Short Term Analysis

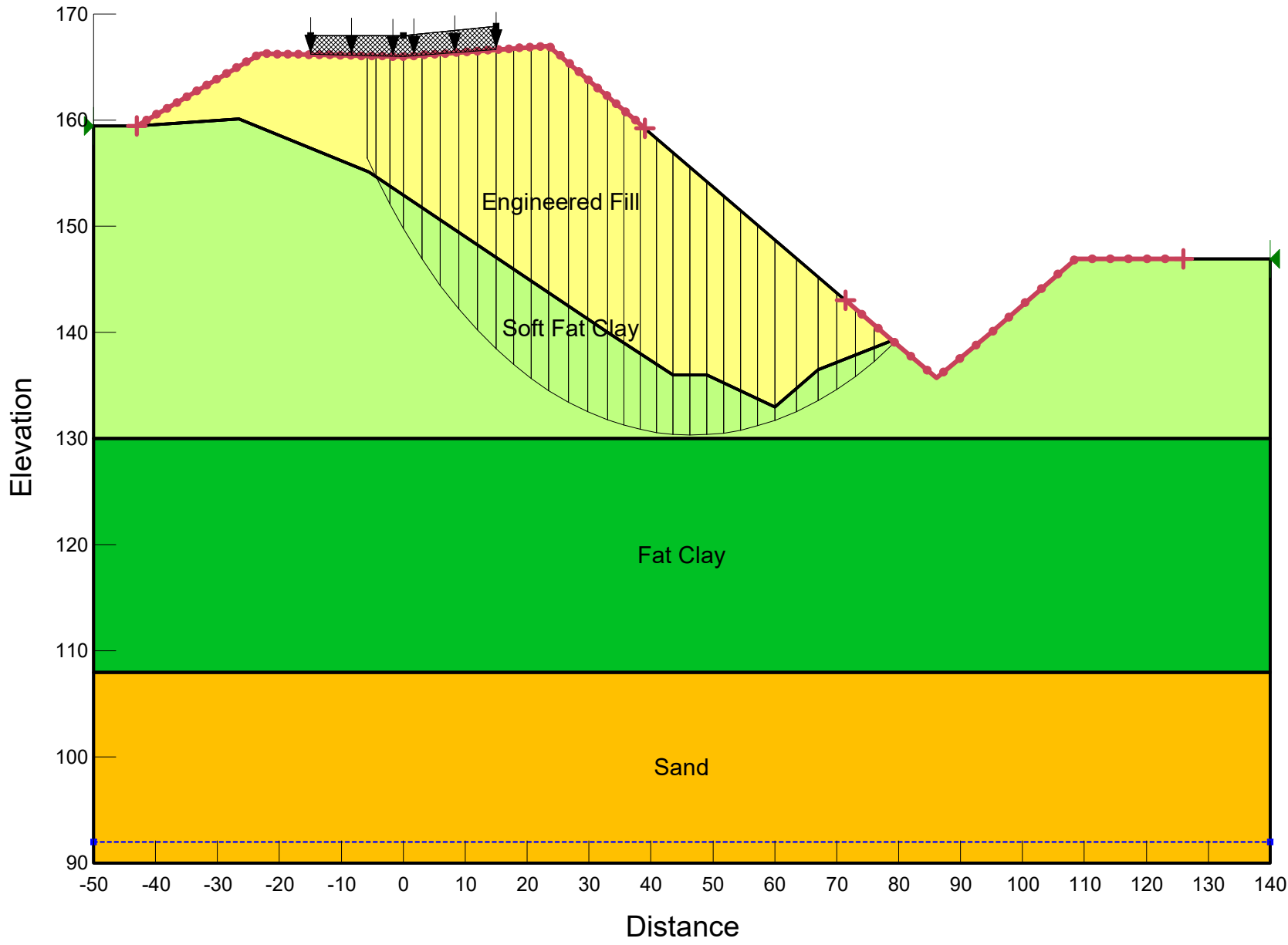
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 Cohesion': 800 psf

Fat Clay
 Model: Undrained (Phi=0)
 Unit Weight: 116 pcf
 Cohesion': 1,200 psf

Sand
 Model: Mohr-Coulomb
 Unit Weight: 123 pcf
 Cohesion': 0 psf
 Phi': 36°



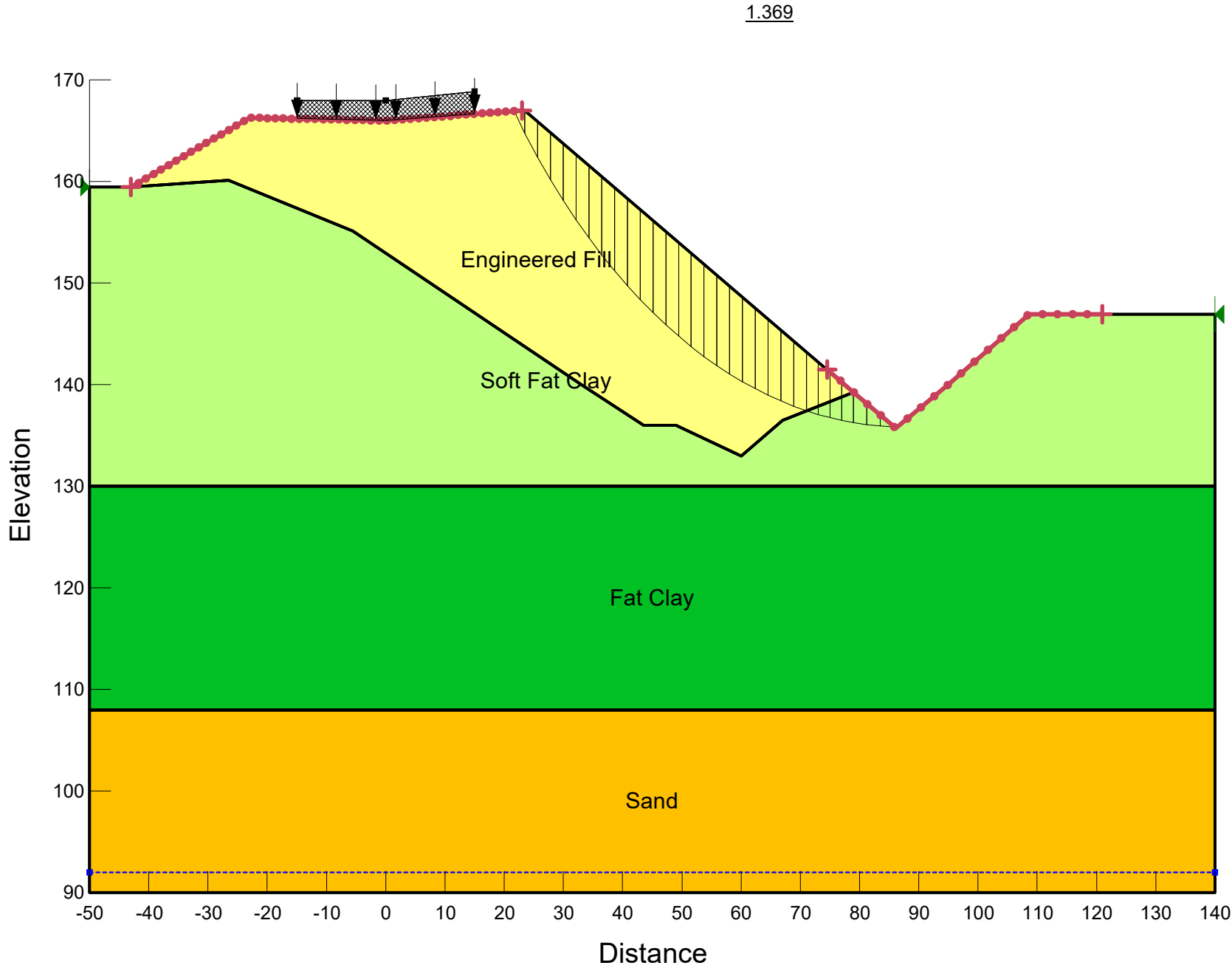
Hwy 278 Over Union Pacific Railroad
 Desha County, Arkansas
 Hwy 278 Station 119+20
 Spencer's Method - Long Term Analysis

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 Phi': 30°

Soft Fat Clay
 Model: Mohr-Coulomb
 Unit Weight: 116 pcf
 Cohesion': 0 psf
 Phi': 24°

Fat Clay
 Model: Mohr-Coulomb
 Unit Weight: 116 pcf
 Cohesion': 0 psf
 Phi': 24°

Sand
 Model: Mohr-Coulomb
 Unit Weight: 123 pcf
 Cohesion': 0 psf
 Phi': 36°



Hwy 278 Over Union Pacific Railroad
 Desha County, Arkansas
 Hwy 278 Station 119+20
 Spencer's Method - Seismic Analysis

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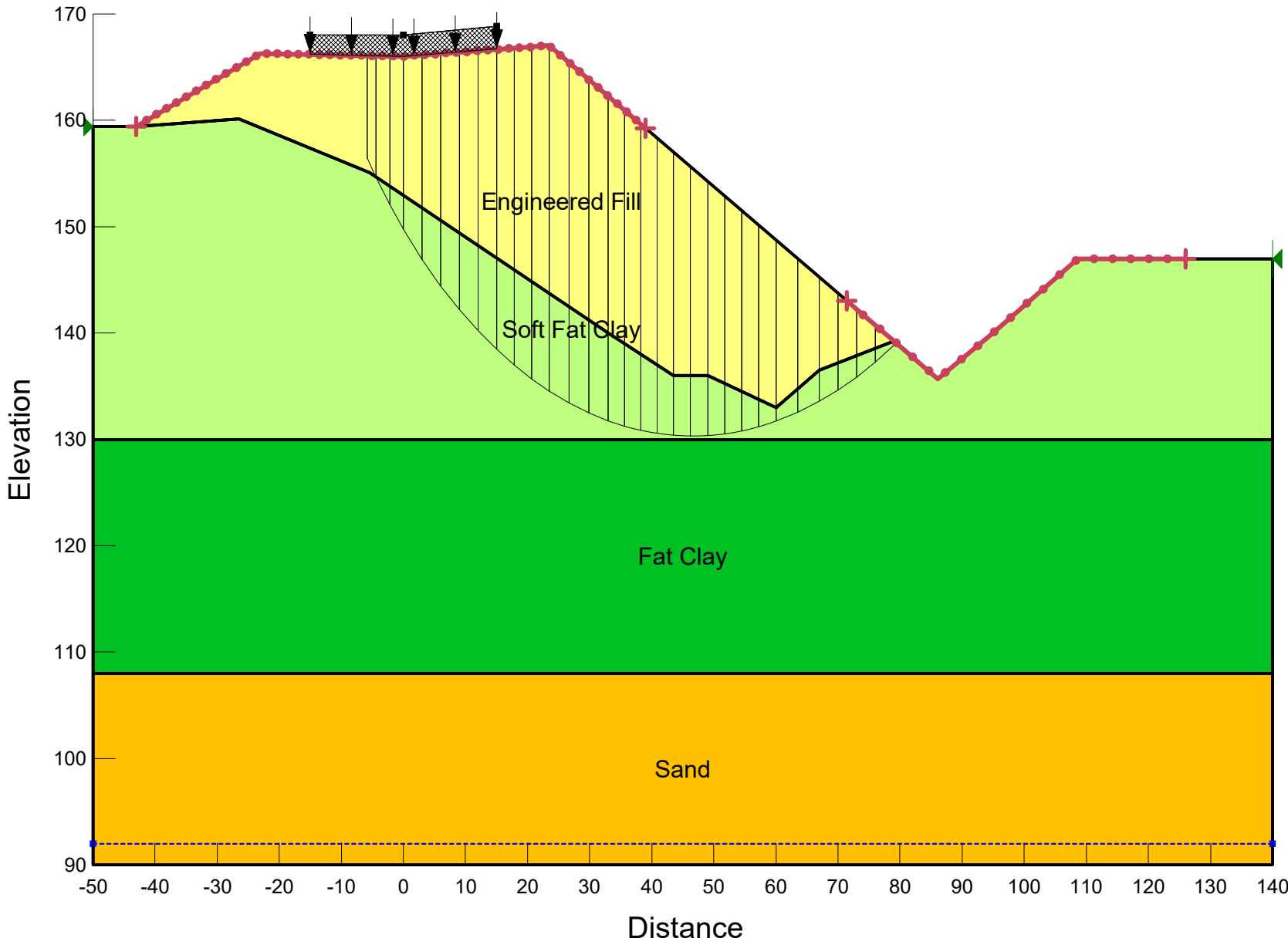
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 Unit Weight: 120 pcf
 Cohesion': 1,500 psf

Soft Fat Clay
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 Cohesion': 800 psf

Fat Clay
 Model: Undrained ($\Phi=0$)
 Unit Weight: 116 pcf
 Cohesion': 1,200 psf

Sand
 Model: Mohr-Coulomb
 Unit Weight: 123 pcf
 Cohesion': 0 psf
 Φ ': 36°



APPENDIX G - SOIL PARAMETERS

WEST ABUTMENT – BORINGS B-1 THROUGH -5										
ZONE	SOIL TYPES	ELEVATION (FEET)		WET UNIT WEIGHT (PCF)	SHEAR STRENGTH PARAMETERS				LATERAL LOAD PARAMETERS	
		FROM	TO		UNDRAINED (SHORT TERM)		DRAINED (LONG TERM)		SOIL STRAIN, E ₅₀	STATIC SOIL MODULUS (PCI)**
					COHESION (PSF)	Φ (DEGREE)	EFFECTIVE COHESION (PSF)	Φ' (DEGREE)		
1	Engineered Fill	159*	156	120	1,500	--	50	30	0.007	200
2	Fat Clay	156	126	116	800	--	--	24	0.01	100
3	Fat Clay	126	103	116	1,200	--	--	24	0.007	500
4	Sand	103	92	123	--	36	--	36	--	90
5	Sand	92	73	123	--	34	--	34	--	60
6	Sand	73	45	122	--	36	--	36	--	60

* Based on Base of Footings at Abutment

**Pounds per cubic inch

Groundwater assumed at approximately El. 92

BENTS – BORINGS B-4 THROUGH -12										
ZONE	SOIL TYPES	ELEVATION (FEET)		WET UNIT WEIGHT (PCF)	SHEAR STRENGTH PARAMETERS				LATERAL LOAD PARAMETERS	
		FROM	TO		UNDRAINED (SHORT TERM)		DRAINED (LONG TERM)		SOIL STRAIN, E ₅₀	STATIC SOIL MODULUS (PCI)**
					COHESION (PSF)	Φ (DEGREE)	EFFECTIVE COHESION (PSF)	FROM		
1	Fat Clay	140*	134	116	700	--	--	24	0.01	100
2	Fat Clay	134	130	116	700	--	--	24	0.01	100
3	Fat Clay	130	109	116	1,000	--	--	24	0.01	100
4	Sand	109	99	121	--	36	--	36	--	60
5	Sand	99	84	122	--	34	--	34	--	60
6	Sand	84	46	123	--	36	--	36	--	60

* Based on Base of Footing at Bent 9.

**Pounds per cubic inch

Groundwater assumed at approximately El. 134

EAST ABUTMENT – BORINGS B-11 THROUGH -14										
ZONE	SOIL TYPES	ELEVATION* (FEET)		WET UNIT WEIGHT (PCF)	SHEAR STRENGTH PARAMETERS				LATERAL LOAD PARAMETERS	
		FROM	TO		UNDRAINED (SHORT TERM)		DRAINED (LONG TERM)		SOIL STRAIN, E ₅₀	STATIC SOIL MODULUS (PCI)**
					COHESION (PSF)	φ (DEGREE)	EFFECTIVE COHESION (PSF)	FROM		
1	Engineered Fill	159*	153	120	1,500	--	50	30	0.007	200
2	Fat Clay	153	130	116	800	--	--	24	0.01	100
3	Fat Clay	130	108	116	1,200	--	--	24	0.007	500
4	Sand	108	92	122	--	36	--	36	--	90
5	Sand	92	46	122	--	36	--	36	--	60

*. Based on Base of Footings at Abutment

**Pounds per cubic inch

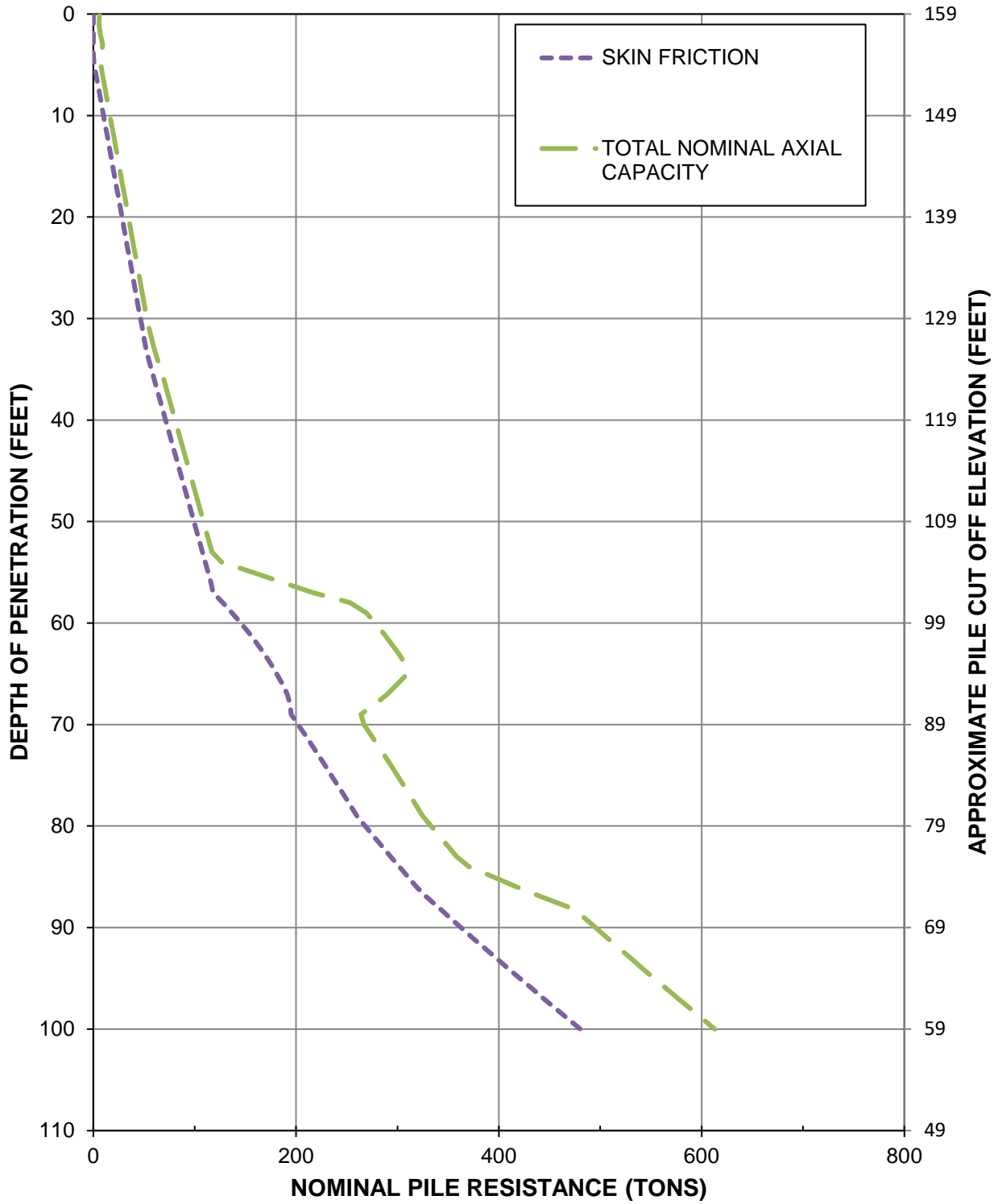
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APPENDIX H - NOMINAL RESISTANCE CURVES

**FROM THE
GROUND UP**

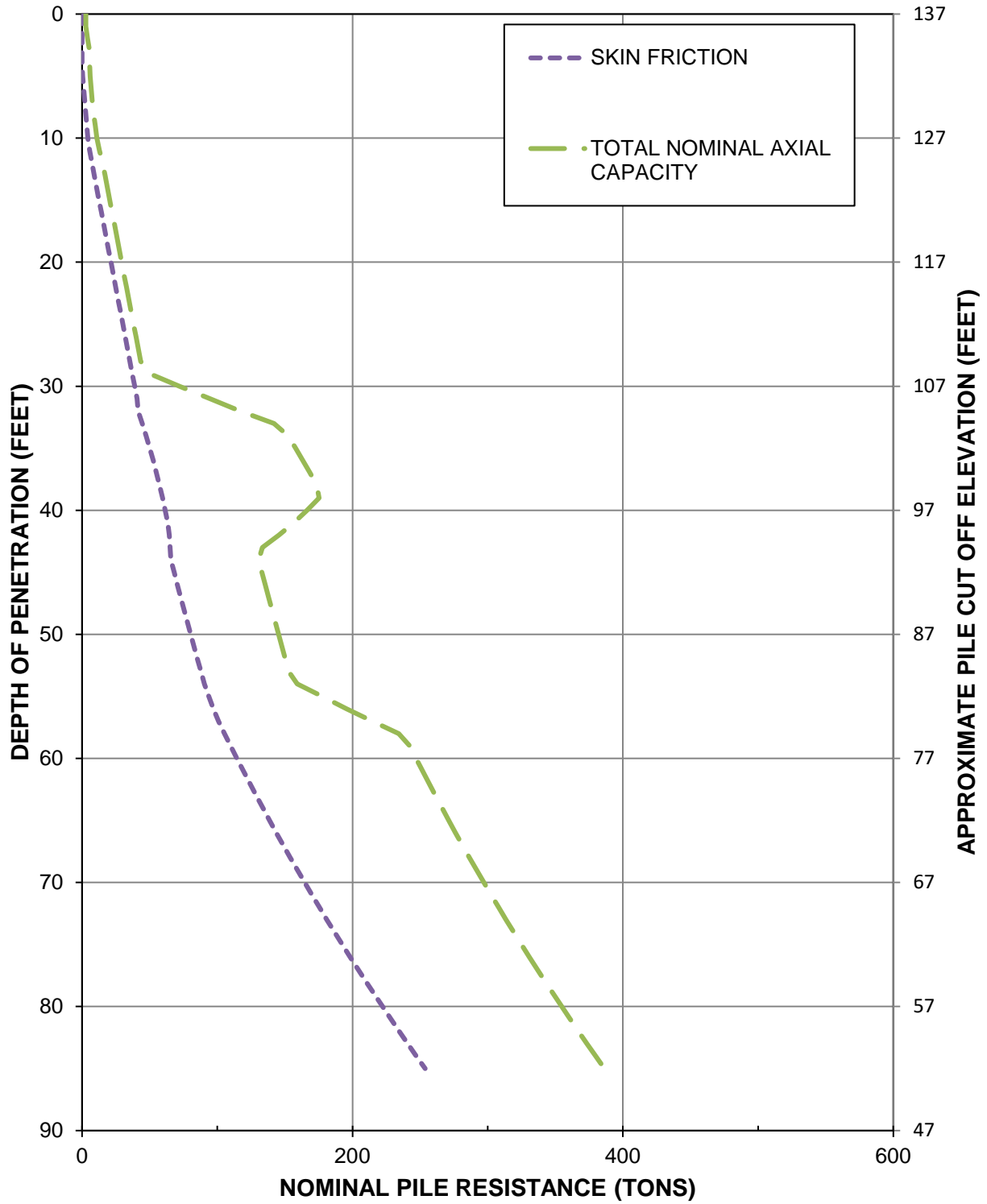
WEST ABUTMENT
HWY 278 OVER UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD

NOMINAL RESISTANCE CURVES
DRIVEN 18 INCH, CLOSED-ENDED, PIPE PILES



**BENT LOCATIONS
HWY 278 OVER UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD**

**NOMINAL RESISTANCE CURVES
DRIVEN 18 INCH, CLOSED-ENDED, PIPE PILES**



**EAST ABUTMENT
HWY 278 OVER UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD**

**NOMINAL RESISTANCE CURVES
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