

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

## Memorandum

] BSB 76 1210 012 :  
TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

TO : G. L. Buchanan, Chief, Civil Engineering and Design Branch, W3C126 C-K (2)

FROM : Gene Farmer, Chief, Construction Services Branch, E6B39 C-K

DATE : December 10, 1976

SUBJECT: JOHN SEVIER STEAM PLANT - NEW ASH DISPOSAL AREA - SOILS INVESTIGATION  
EN DES SOIL SCHEDULE NO. 6

As requested in your memorandum of May 6, 1976, the SME Laboratory has completed a field and laboratory investigation of foundation and borrow soils at the proposed dike location. Sampling and in-situ testing were completed between September 15 and September 30, 1976, using a CME 45B drill and hollow-stem augers.

General

The proposed site for the dike foundation, which lies southwest of John Sevier Steam Plant, is characterized by an ancient terrace alluvium overlying a dipping, laminated, shale-like residuum which grades into limy shale bedrock. See laboratory drawings 604K785 and 604K791. The area had previously been used as a borrow source. Consequently, considerable portions of the terrace and some of the residuum have been excavated.

The terrace materials are predominantly silty or sandy gravels with maximum-particle sizes ranging from fine gravel to cobble. Most of the coarse particles are well rounded and are made up of chert, quartzite, and various igneous rock types. A smaller percentage of the homogeneous terrace alluvium is lean to medium clay.

The residuum is characterized by dipping laminations and/or blocky shaly partings. These soils are primarily medium to fat clay and silt, although locally they can be more accurately described as weathered shale.

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Foundation

The soil profile established by the 13 standard penetration borings drilled around the dike perimeter are shown on drawings 604K786 and 604K787. All borings were carried to a minimum depth equal to one half the dike height or refusal. Bedrock was found between el. 1105 and el. 1120. As shown on drawing 604K791, most subsoils are fine-grained lean to fat clay and lean to highly plastic silt, CL, CH, ML, and MH. These materials may be of either alluvial or residual origins being of very low permeability and exhibiting natural moisture contents generally near or above the plastic limit.

As indicated on the generalized foundation profile, about 4500 lineal feet of the dike will be underlain by an alluvial gravel stratum. While this deposit exhibits plasticity, with fines contents as low as 11 percent and averaging 20 percent, seepage through the gravel is a distinct possibility.

Standard penetration resistance is generally variable but reflects overall medium to stiff soil consistency. Exceptions are noted at borings 6 and 13 where weak materials with four blows per foot penetration resistance were encountered.

Undisturbed tube samples were obtained from borings 2 and 13 and are considered representative of weakest foundation soils. These samples show soils to be of medium to high moisture contents, medium to high void ratios, and low to medium dry density.

Selected samples were subjected to unconsolidated-undrained Q and consolidated-undrained R triaxial compression testing. Results of both types of tests disclose a wide range in soil strength with both high and low strengths determined. See the attached "Summary of Laboratory Test Data - Ash Disposal Dike Foundation."

Borrow

Drawing 604K785 shows the location of 36 auger borings drilled within the dike perimeter to obtain representative samples for evaluation as borrow material. The overburden profile established by these borings is presented on drawings 604K788, 604K789, and 604K790.

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The predominant soil type is elastic silt, MH, with lesser amounts of lean clay, clayey silt, and fat clay, CL, ML-CL, and CH. Also present are gravelly clayey sand, G-SC. The borrow area will yield the required 400,000 cubic yards of fill material.

Detailed laboratory testing established seven soil classes, with properties as shown on the attached "Summary of Laboratory Test Data - Borrow Soil Classes." It is noted that soil class VII contained 28 percent gravel and is therefore included in a separate family of curves.

All soil classes, except class VII, were subjected to Q and R triaxial compression testing at 95 percent compaction and at moisture contents 3 percent above and below optimum. Results are shown in the attached tabulation and generally are affected by widely varying molding water contents.

Summary

This investigation has shown that the proposed ash dike foundation is composed of both coarse- and fine-grained alluvial and residual soils of variable density and strength. A significant portion of the foundation contains a gravel stratum, which appears to be partially semipervious. Some method of seepage control is therefore recommended.

After an allowance is made for shrinkage, adequate quantities of borrow soils are available from the interior portion of the dike. However, high average natural moisture contents indicate the need for considerable drying prior to placement.

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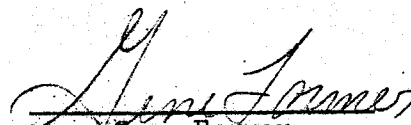
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For design purposes, the following parameters are recommended:

$\gamma_{sat} = 122$

$\gamma_{sub} =$

	$\gamma_w$ pcf	Triaxial Q		Triaxial R	
		$\phi$ deg.	c tsf	$\phi$ deg.	c tsf
Foundation	115	12	0.5	16	0.25
Borrow	125	5	1.1	16	0.2

  
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WHC:BCJ

Attachments

CC (Attachments):

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H. H. Mull, E7B24 C-K

MEDS, E4B37 C-K

Samples from this investigation will be maintained at the laboratory until July 1977.

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XC: MEDS, E4B37 C-K



NORTH-SOUTH  
BASE LINE  
N 21° 23' 35" W

HOLSTON RIVER

CHEROKEE RESERVOIR

EAST-WEST BASE LINE  
N 63° 36' 25" E

SOUTHERN RAILWAY

COAL STORAGE AREA

ACCESS HIGHWAY

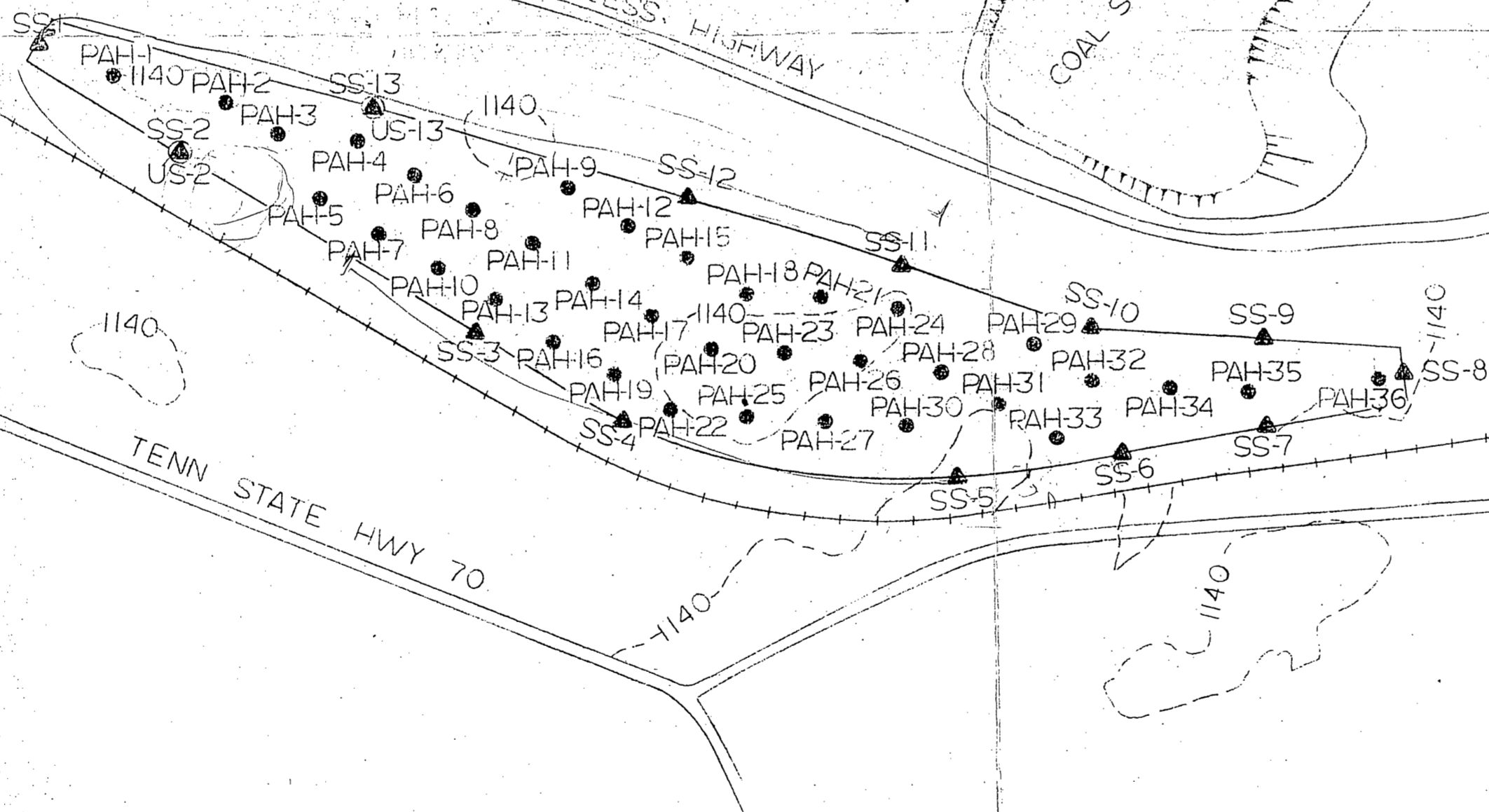
SOUTHERN RAILWAY

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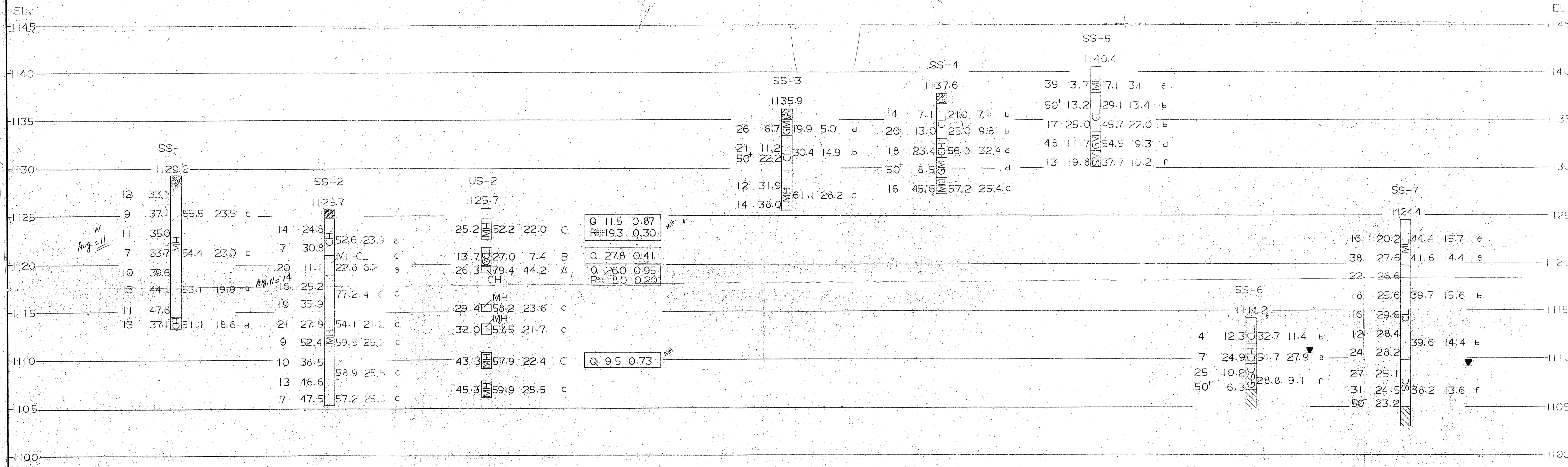
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**LEGEND**

- ▲ — SPLITSPOON BORING
- — UNDISTURBED BORING
- — AUGER BORING



JOHN SEVIER STEAM PLANT			
ASH DISPOSAL DIKE			
PLAN OF			
SOIL INVESTIGATION			
TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY MATERIALS ENGINEERING LABORATORY			
SUBMITTED DHW gcb	RECOMMENDED	APPROVED	
KNOXVILLE	11-23-76 41	CS 3	604K785P1



**SYMBOLS**

- TOP SOIL
- REFUSAL
- FILL MATERIAL
- GRAVEL AND COBBLE
- Q - UNCONSOLIDATED UNDRAINED TRIAXIAL COMPRESSION TEST
- R - CONSOLIDATED UNDRAINED TRIAXIAL COMPRESSION TEST SATURATED
- ▼ - WATER TABLE

**LEGEND**

BORING NO.	ELEVATION	CLASSIFICATION	NATURAL MOISTURE CONTENT	LIQUID LIMIT	PLASTICITY INDEX	SOIL TYPE	FRICTION ANGLE (DEGREES)	COHESION (TSF)
Q								
R								

NOTE: BLOWS PER FOOT WITH A 140 LB. HAMMER AND A 30 INCH DROP ON A 2 INCH OD SPLITSPOON SAMPLER

SCALE 1" = 5'

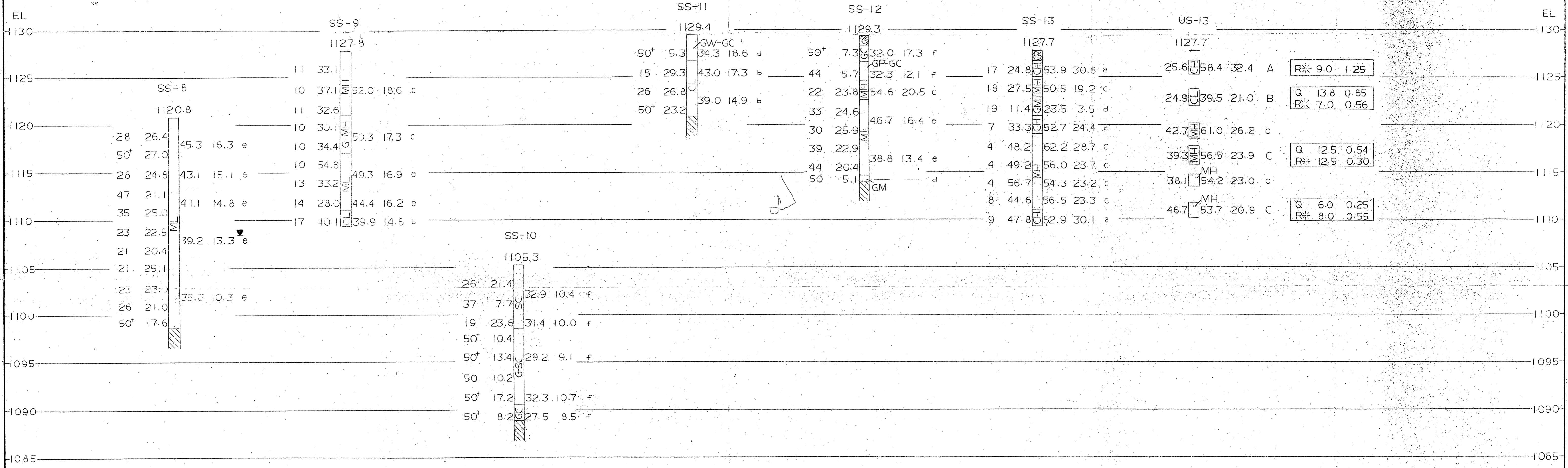
**JOHN SEVIER STEAM PLANT**

**ASH DISPOSAL DIKE FOUNDATION INVESTIGATION**

TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY  
MATERIALS ENGINEERING LABORATORY

SUBMITTED: *RAW* 9-8  
RECOMMENDED: *WMB*  
APPROVED: *RDL*

KNOXVILLE 11-23-76 41 CS 3 604K786R



**SYMBOLS**

- TOP SOIL
- REFUSAL
- Q -UNCONSOLIDATED UNDRAINED TRIAXIAL COMPRESSION TEST
- R\* -CONSOLIDATED UNDRAINED TRIAXIAL COMPRESSION TEST SATURATED
- WATER TABLE

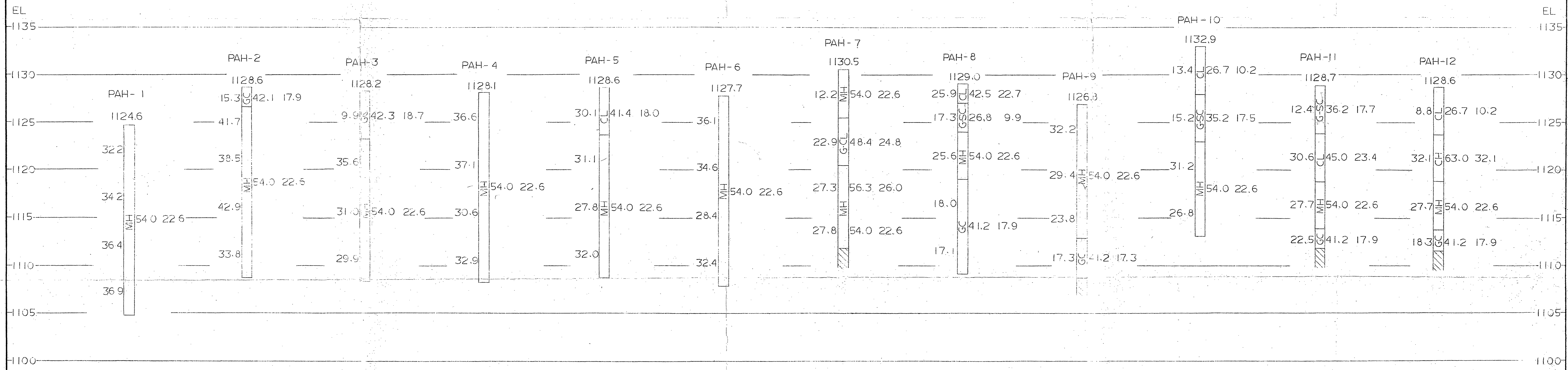
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BORING NO.	ELEVATION	BLOWS	NATURAL MOISTURE CONTENT	CLASSIFICATION	LIQUID LIMIT	PLASTICITY INDEX	SOIL TYPE	FRICITION ANGLE (DEGREES)	COHESION (TSF)
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NOTE BLOWS PER FOOT WITH A 140LB HAMMER AND A 30 INCH DROP ON A 2 INCH OD SPLITSPOON SAMPLER

SCALE: 1"=5'

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ASH DISPOSAL DIKE			
FOUNDATION INVESTIGATION			
TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY MATERIALS ENGINEERING LABORATORY			
SUBMITTED <i>DHW</i>	RECOMMENDED <i>WMC</i>	APPROVED <i>ROL</i>	
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**SYMBOLS**

☐ - REFUSAL

**LEGEND**

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ELEVATION

NATURAL MOISTURE CONTENT

LIQUID LIMIT

PLASTICITY INDEX

CLASSIFICATION

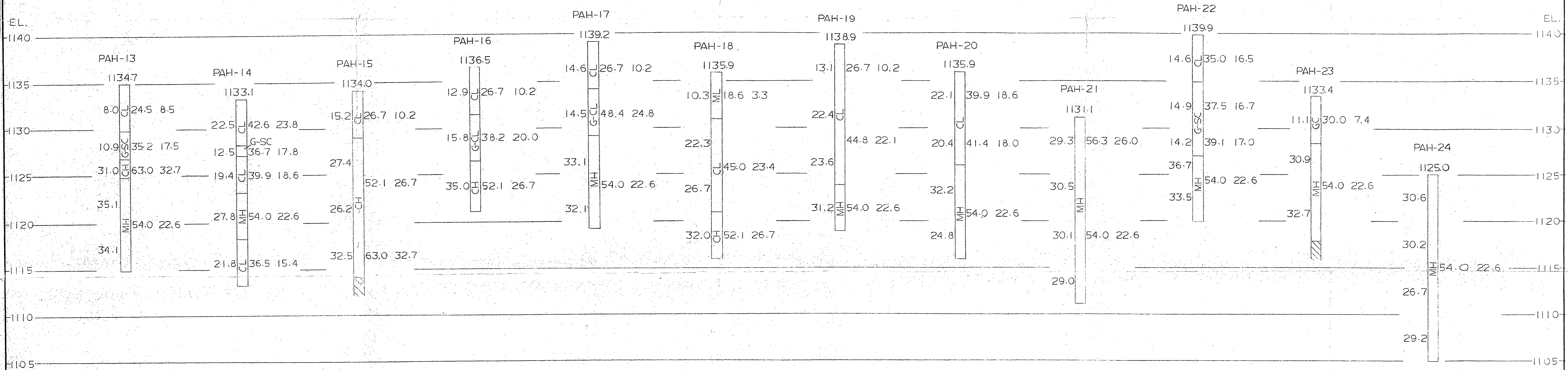
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ASH DISPOSAL DIKE  
BORROW INVESTIGATION

TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY  
MATERIALS ENGINEERING LABORATORY

SUBMITTED <i>DHW</i>	RECOMMENDED <i>MHE</i>	APPROVED <i>ROL</i>
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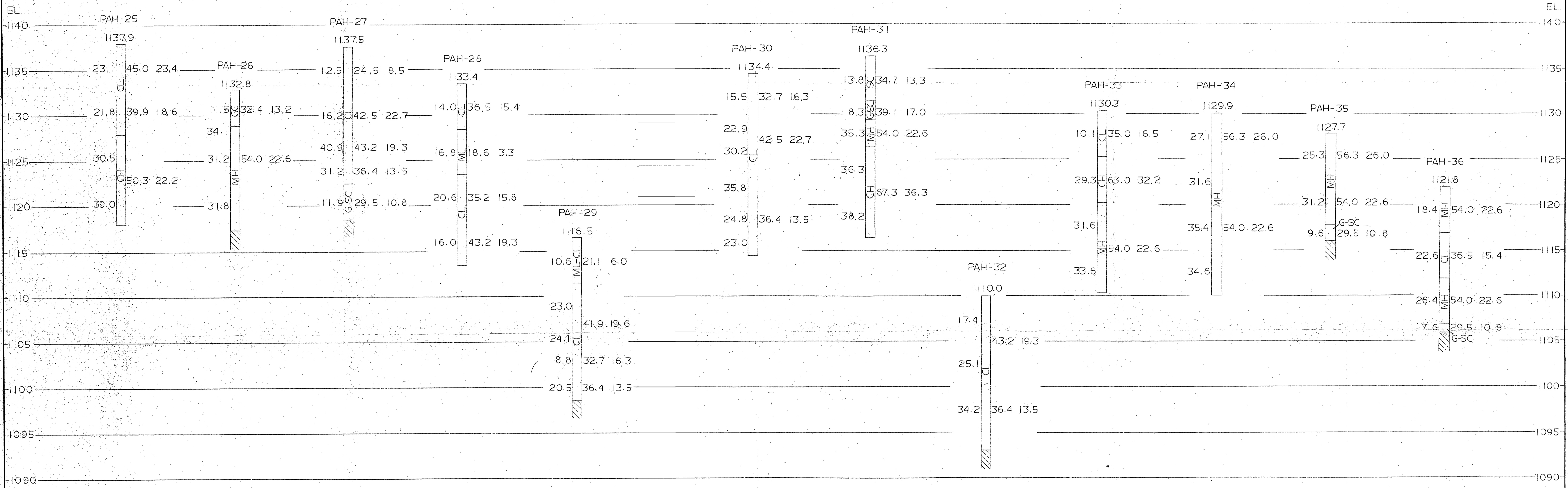
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BORING NO.  
ELEVATION

NATURAL MOISTURE CONTENT	CLASSIFICATION	LIQUID	PLASTICITY
		LIMIT	INDEX

SCALE: 1"=5'

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ASH DISPOSAL DIKE BORROW INVESTIGATION			
TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY MATERIALS ENGINEERING LABORATORY			
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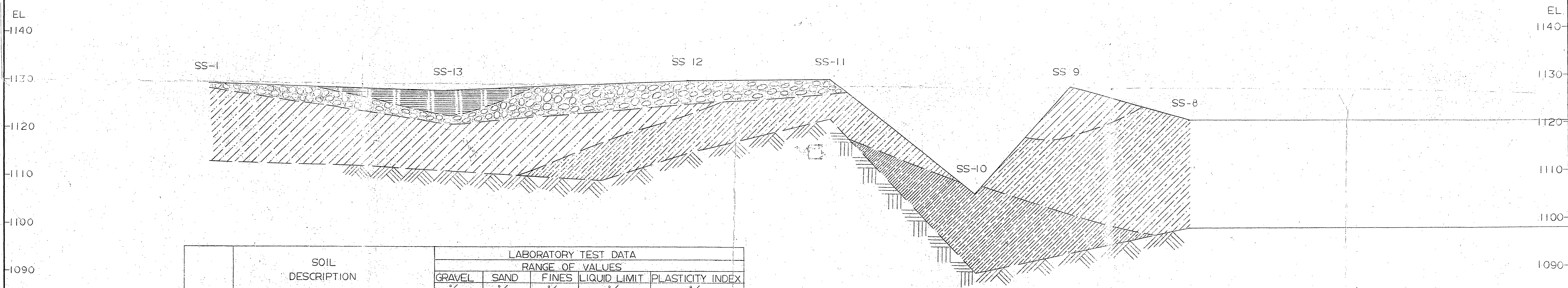
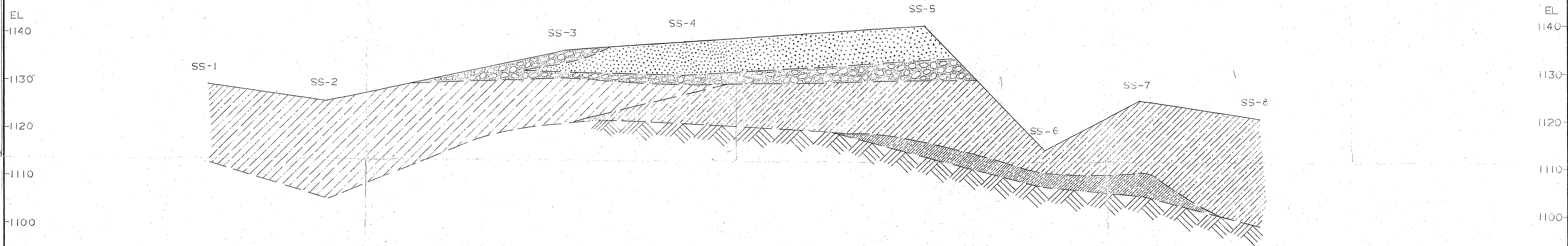
**SYMBOLS**  
 - REFUSAL

**LEGEND**

BORING NO.  
 ELEVATION  
 NATURAL MOISTURE CONTENT  
 CLASSIFICATION  
 LIQUID LIMIT  
 PLASTICITY INDEX

SCALE: 1"=5'

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BORROW INVESTIGATION			
TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY MATERIALS ENGINEERING LABORATORY			
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	SOIL DESCRIPTION	LABORATORY TEST DATA				
		RANGE OF VALUES				
		GRAVEL %	SAND %	FINES %	LIQUID LIMIT %	PLASTICITY INDEX %
Terrace Coarse	TERRACE: MEDIUM CLAY & SILT, BROWN TO GRAY, HOMOGENEOUS, CH & MH	0	19-21	79-81	50-54	19-31
	TERRACE: SANDY LEAN TO MEDIUM, CLAY & SILT, TAN TO GRAY, HOMOGENEOUS, CL & ML	0-3	22-36	64-78	17-46	3-22
Terrace Gravel	TERRACE: SILTY & CLAYEY GRAVEL WITH COBBLY ZONES, TAN, BROWN & BLACK, FINE TO COARSE ROUNDED, GM, GC, GP-GC & GW-GC	34-65	19-36	11-40	19-54	3-19
Residual Soil	RESIDUUM: MEDIUM TO FAT CLAY & SILT, LIGHT TO DARK BROWN, LAMINATED, BLOCKY, CH & MH	0-16	3-33	63-95	50-77	17-42
	RESIDUUM: LEAN TO MEDIUM, CLAY & SILT, TAN TO BROWN, LAMINATED, BLOCKY, CL & ML	0-7	12-43	57-82	33-49	10-17
	WEATHERED SHALE: CLAYEY SAND SIZES, BROWN TO GRAY, LAMINATED, BLOCKY, SC & G-SC	5-33	27-53	25-46	27-38	8-14
	BEDROCK					

SCALE: HORIZ: 1"=200'  
VERT: 1"=10'

JOHN SEVIER STEAM PLANT  
ASH DISPOSAL DIKE  
GENERALIZED  
FOUNDATION PROFILE

TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY  
MATERIALS ENGINEERING LABORATORY

SUBMITTED <i>DMW</i> 8/28	RECOMMENDED <i>LMC</i>	APPROVED <i>RA</i>
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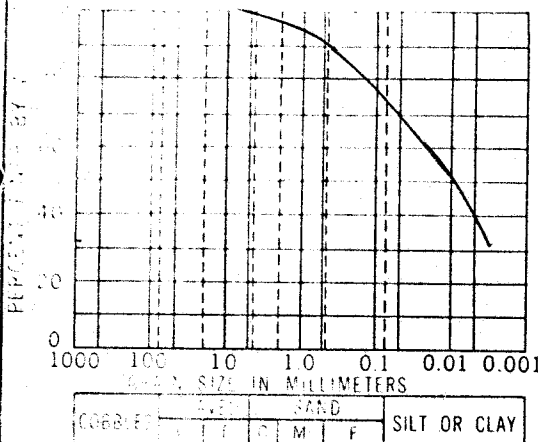
ASH DISPOSAL DIKE FOUNDATION

SUMMARY OF LABORATORY TEST DATA

Elevation	Soil Symbol	Soil Type	Natural Moisture %	% Sat.	Standard Penetration	Grain-Size Analysis			Liq. Limit %	Plastic. Index %	Dry Density pcf	Void Ratio	Triaxial O Undisturbed		Saturated Triaxial R					
						Gravel %	Sand %	Silt %					Clay %	DIO mm	b deg.	c tsf	b deg.	c tsf		
Boring US-2, Surface Elevation 1125.7																				
1124.7-1122.6	MH	C	25.2	83.3	14	1	26	33	40	-	52.2	22.0	94.4	0.839	11.5	0.87	19.3	0.30	31.1	0.00
1121.7-1119.9	G-CL	B	13.7	48.9	14	12	23	39	26	-	27.0	7.4	96.4	0.745	27.8	0.41				
1119.7-1119.1	CH	A	26.3	80.5	16	0	4	23	73	-	79.4	44.2	90.8	0.894	26.0	0.95	18.0	0.20	31.0	0.10
1115.7-1115.1	MH	C	29.4	82.6	19	0	10	47	43	-	58.2	23.6	87.3	0.989						
1113.7-1112.7	MH	C	32.0	88.7	21	0	15	42	43	-	57.5	21.7	87.0	1.008						
1110.7-1109.1	MH	C	43.3	94.0	10	0	11	48	41	-	57.9	22.4	76.0	1.276	9.5	0.73	17.0	0.20	-	-
1107.7-1106.1	MH	C	45.3	93.6	10	0	6	54	40	-	59.9	25.5	74.1	1.351						

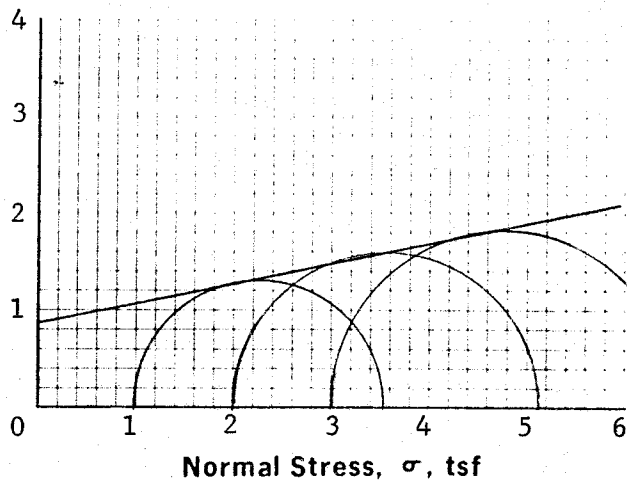
Boring US-13, Surface Elevation 1127.7

1126.7-1125.3	CH	A	25.6	82.9	17	0	12	36	52	-	58.4	32.4	92.0	0.839			9.0	1.25	30.0	0.00
1123.7-1122.0	CL	B	24.9	82.8	18	0	34	27	39	-	39.5	21.0	93.0	0.807	13.8	0.85	7.0	0.56	32.0	0.00
1120.2-1118.6	MH	C	42.7	90.6	7	0	6	41	53	-	61.0	26.2	74.7	1.290						
1117.7-1115.8	MH	C	39.3	93.7	4	0	10	47	43	-	56.5	23.9	80.1	1.143	12.5	0.54	12.5	0.30	36.5	0.00
1114.7-1113.5	MH	C	38.1	94.2	4	0	12	45	43	-	54.2	23.0	81.3	1.112						
1111.7-1110.2	MH	C	46.7	95.2	8	0	7	54	39	-	53.7	20.9	73.1	1.349	6.0	0.25	8.0	0.55	22.0	0.25



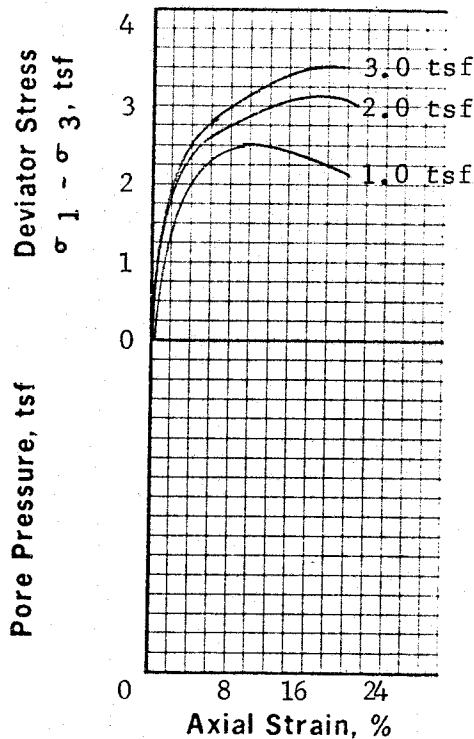
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Classification MH	
LL. 52.2	G 2.77
PI. 22.0	D <sub>10</sub> -

Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	Tan $\phi$	C, tsf
Apparent	11.5	0.20	0.87
Effective	-	-	-

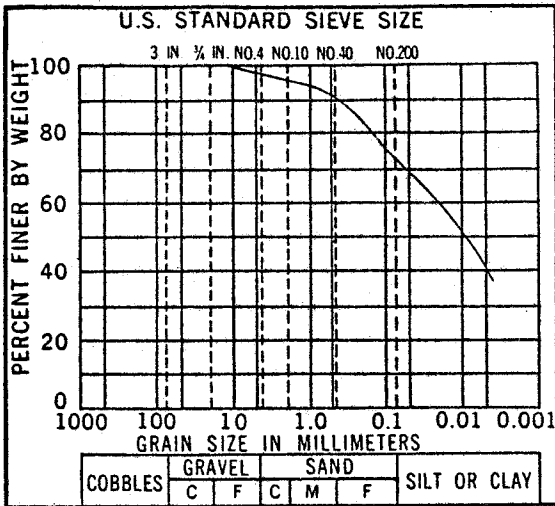
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Initial	Moisture Content, %	23.7	21.4	20.6
	Dry Density, pcf	97.5	101.7	102.7
	Void Ratio	.773	.701	.684
	Saturation, %	84.8	84.7	83.5
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	-	-	-
	Saturation, %	-	-	-
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	-	-	-
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	-	-	-
Final Moisture Content, %	23.4	21.4	20.5	
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	1.00	2.00	3.00	
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	3.57	5.10	6.51	
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	-	-	-	
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	-	-	-	
Time to Failure, min.	10	16	19	
Rate of strain, %/min.	1.00	1.00	1.00	
Specimen Height, in.	3.18	3.18	3.18	
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40	



Remarks: Specimens are nonuniform in density and moisture.

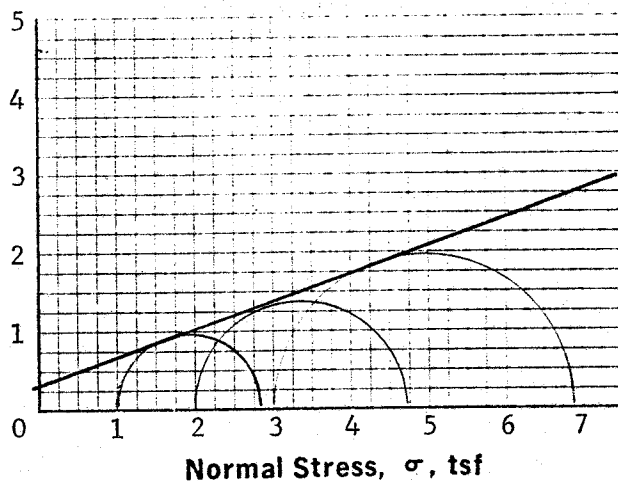
Project: John Sevier S.P.	
Feature Ash Disposal Dike	
Boring No. US-2	Sample No. 1
Station	Offset
Date 10-15-76	Elev. 1123.7-1123.2

TRIAxIAL COMPRESSION TEST (Q)



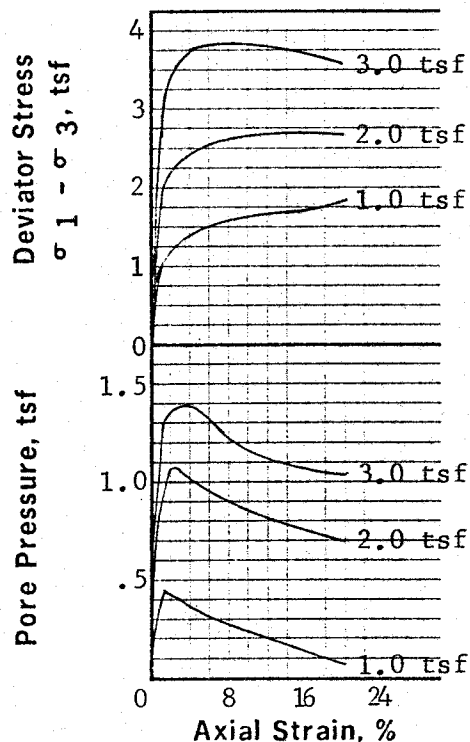
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Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



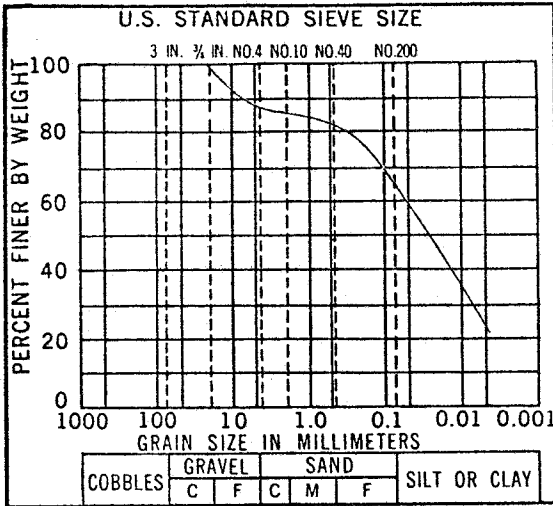
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Apparent	19.3	0.35	0.30
Effective	31.1	0.60	0.00

Specimen Number	1	2	3	4
Initial	Moisture Content, %	30.7	28.6	26.8
	Dry Density, pcf	86.9	88.2	89.2
	Void Ratio	.991	.961	.939
	Saturation, %	86.0	82.5	78.9
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	35.8	34.7	33.9
	Saturation, %	100	100	100
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	33.9	32.2	31.7
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	.919	.891	.878
Final Moisture Content, %	33.9	32.2	31.7	
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	1.00	2.00	3.00	
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	2.81	4.73	6.88	
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	0.91	1.19	1.78	
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	2.72	3.92	5.66	
Time to Failure, min.	94	73	40	
Rate of strain, %/min.	0.20	0.20	0.20	
Specimen Height, in.	3.12	3.12	3.12	
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40	

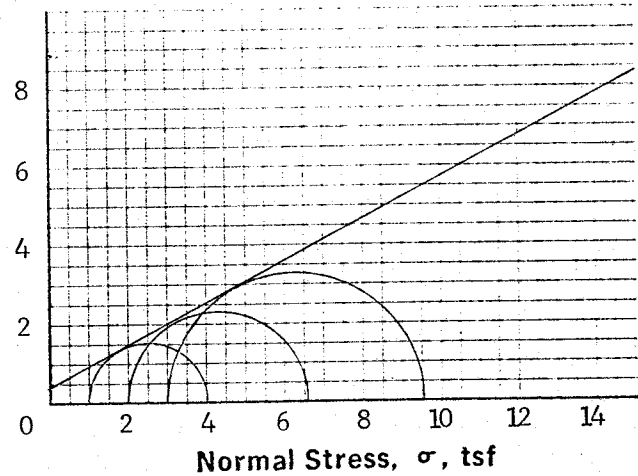


Remarks:

Project: John Sevier Steam Plant  
 Feature Ash Disposal Dike  
 Boring No. US-2 Sample No. 1  
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**TRIAxIAL COMPRESSION TEST (R)**



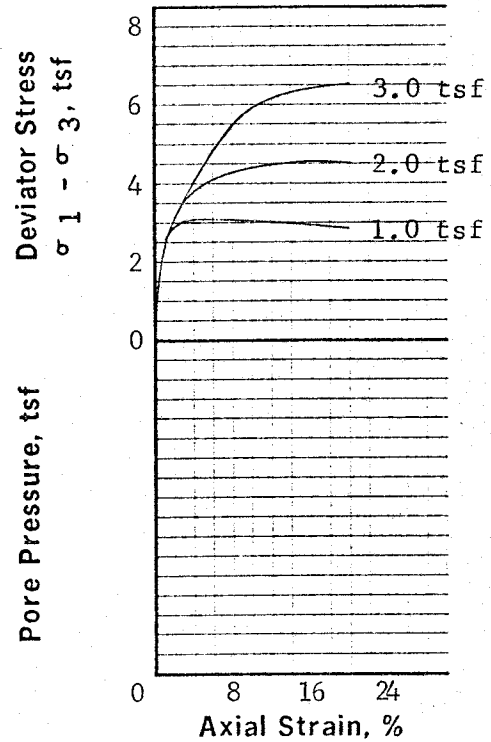
Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



Type of Specimen Undisturbed  
 Classification G-CL  
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 PI. 7.4 D<sub>10</sub> -

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Effective	-	-	-

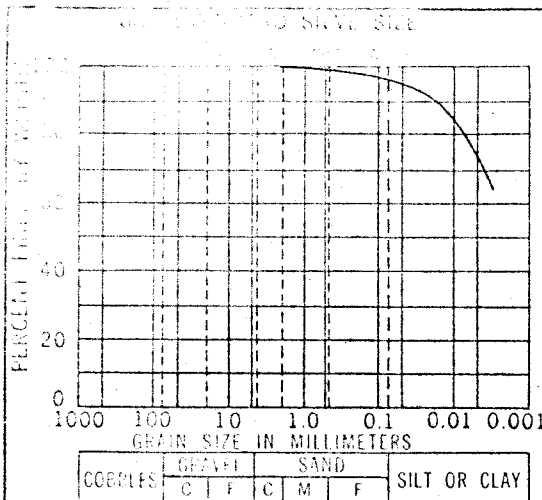
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	Dry Density, pcf	99.5	98.2	98.3
	Void Ratio	.688	.710	.708
	Saturation, %	45.7	45.6	45.4
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	-	-	-
	Saturation, %	-	-	-
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	-	-	-
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	-	-	-
Final Moisture Content, %	11.5	12.0	11.9	
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	1.00	2.00	3.00	
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	4.03	6.55	9.51	
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	-	-	-	
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	-	-	-	
Time to Failure, min.	7	16	20	
Rate of strain, %/min.	1.00	1.00	1.00	
Specimen Height, in.	3.12	3.12	3.12	
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40	



Remarks:

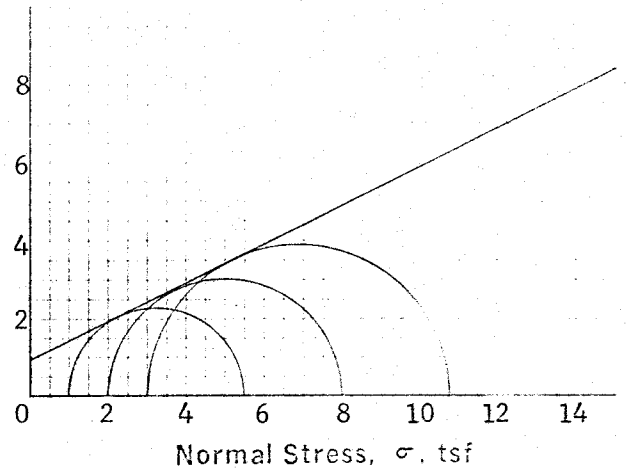
Project: John Sevier Steam Plant  
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 Date 11/10/76 Elev. 1120.7-1120.2

TRIAXIAL COMPRESSION TEST (Q)



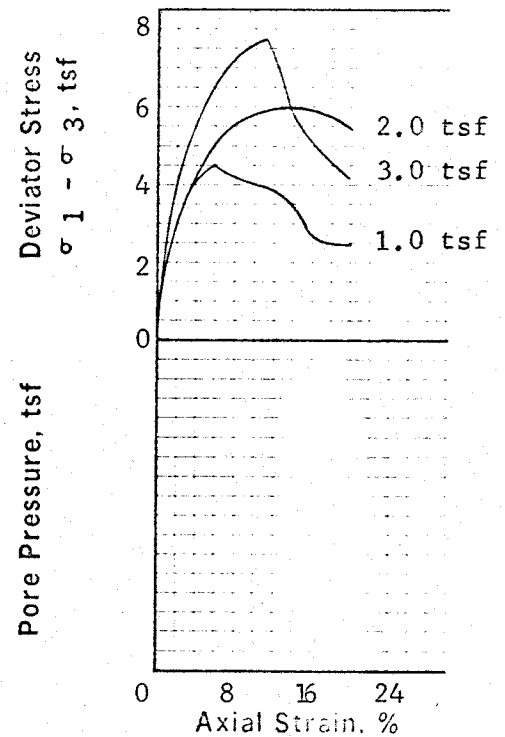
Type of Specimen	Undisturbed		
Classification	CH		
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PI	44.2	D <sub>10</sub>	-

Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



Specimen Number	1	2	3	4	
Initial	Moisture Content, %	25.5	22.1	24.0	
	Dry Density, pcf	91.4	94.8	95.3	
	Void Ratio	.879	.811	.802	
	Saturation, %	79.7	74.8	82.3	
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	-	-	-	
	Saturation, %	-	-	-	
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	-	-	-	
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	-	-	-	
Final Moisture Content, %	25.4	22.0	24.0		
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	1.00	2.00	3.00		
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	5.52	7.99	10.66		
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	-	-	-		
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	-	-	-		
Time to Failure, min.	6	14	11		
Rate of strain, %/min.	1.00	1.00	1.00		
Specimen Height, in.	3.12	3.12	3.12		
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40		

Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	Tan $\phi$	C, tsf
Apparent	26.0	0.49	0.95
Effective	-	-	-

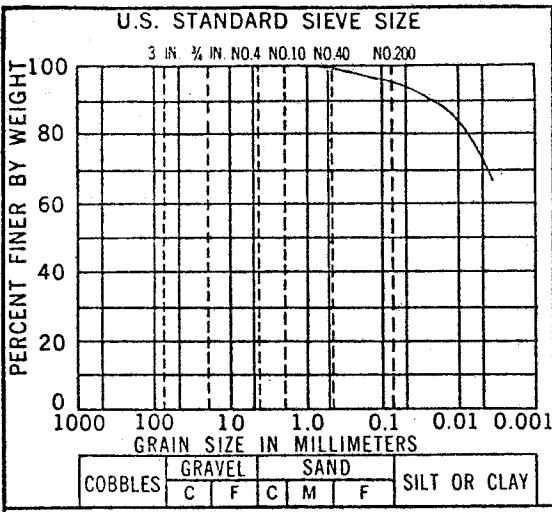


Remarks:

Project: John Sevier Steam Plant	
Feature Ash Disposal Dike	
Boring No. US-2A	Sample No. 2
Station	Offset
Date 10-22-76	Elev 1119.7-1119.2

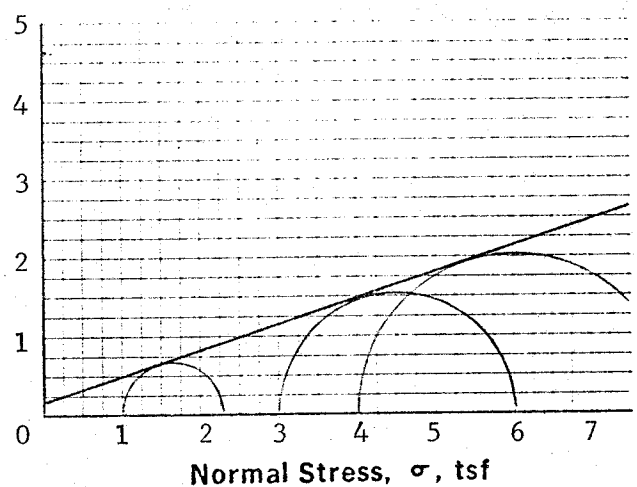
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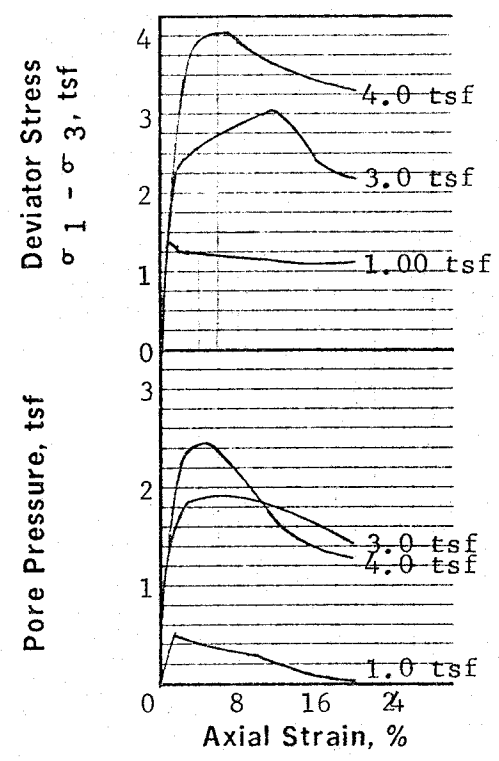
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 PI. 44.2 D<sub>10</sub> -

Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



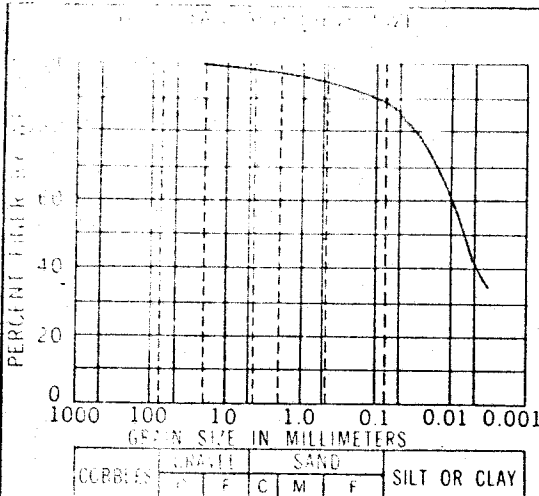
Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	$\tan \phi$	C, tsf
Apparent	18.0	0.33	0.20
Effective	31.0	0.60	0.10

Specimen Number		1	2	3	4
Initial	Moisture Content, %	29.5	25.4	27.9	
	Dry Density, pcf	86.9	90.2	89.8	
	Void Ratio	.976	.903	.912	
	Saturation, %	83.0	77.3	84.1	
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	35.5	32.8	33.2	
	Saturation, %	100	100	100	
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	34.5	30.3	31.6	
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	.944	.845	.832	
Final Moisture Content, %		34.5	30.3	31.6	
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf		1.00	3.00	4.00	
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf		2.28	6.03	8.01	
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf		0.46	1.21	1.75	
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf		1.74	4.24	5.76	
Time to Failure, min.		6	47	40	
Rate of strain, %/min.		0.20	0.20	0.20	
Specimen Height, in.		3.12	3.12	3.12	
Specimen Diameter, in.		1.40	1.40	1.40	



Remarks:

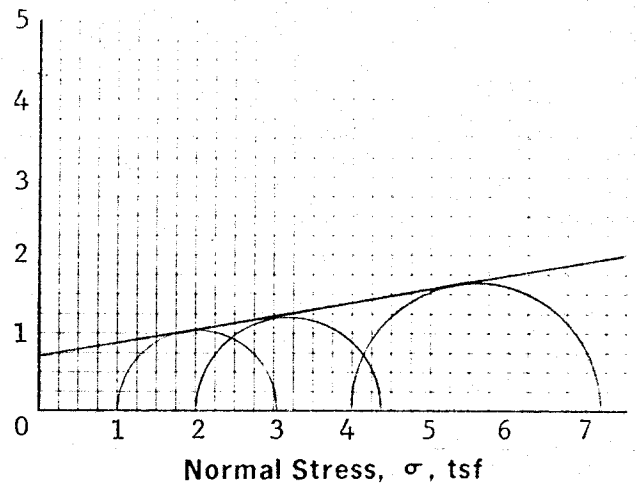
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 Feature Ash Disposal Dike  
 Boring No. US-2A Sample No. 2  
 Station Offset  
 Date 11-12-76 Elev. 1119.2-1118.8  
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COBBLES: [ ] GRAVEL: [ ] SAND: [ ] SILT OR CLAY: [ ]

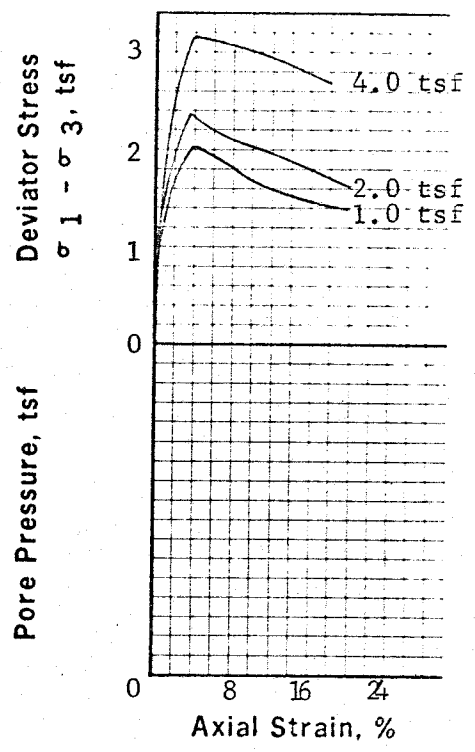
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 Classification MH  
 LL. 57.9 G 2.77  
 PI. 22.4 D<sub>10</sub> -

Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	$\tan \phi$	C, tsf
Apparent	9.5	0.17	0.73
Effective	-	-	-

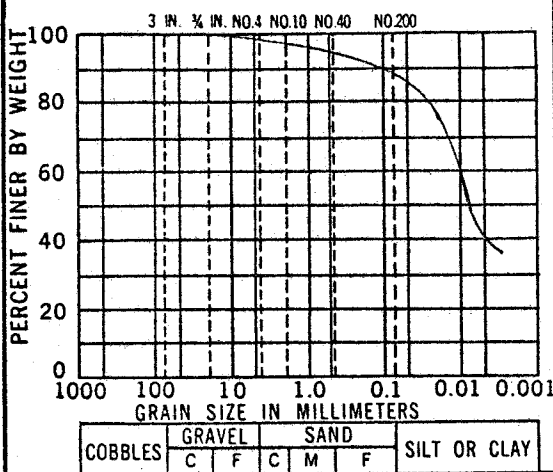
Specimen Number	1	2	3	4	
Initial	Moisture Content, %	43.9	46.0	42.0	
	Dry Density, pcf	75.6	73.2	77.4	
	Void Ratio	1.287	1.361	1.235	
	Saturation, %	94.5	93.6	94.2	
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	-	-	-	
	Saturation, %	-	-	-	
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	-	-	-	
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	-	-	-	
Final Moisture Content, %	43.3	44.9	41.3		
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	1.00	2.00	4.00		
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	3.05	4.37	7.17		
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	-	-	-		
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	-	-	-		
Time to Failure, min.	4	5	5		
Rate of strain, %/min.	1.00	1.00	1.00		
Specimen Height, in.	3.12	3.12	3.12		
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40		



Remarks:

Project: John Sevier Steam Plant  
 Feature Ash Disposal Dike  
 Boring No. US-2 Sample No. 5  
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 Date 10-20-76 Elev. 1110.2-1109.7  
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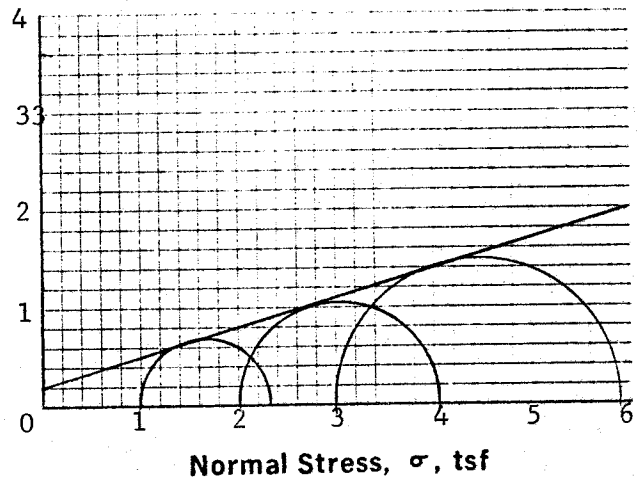
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Classification MH

LL. 57.9 G 2.77

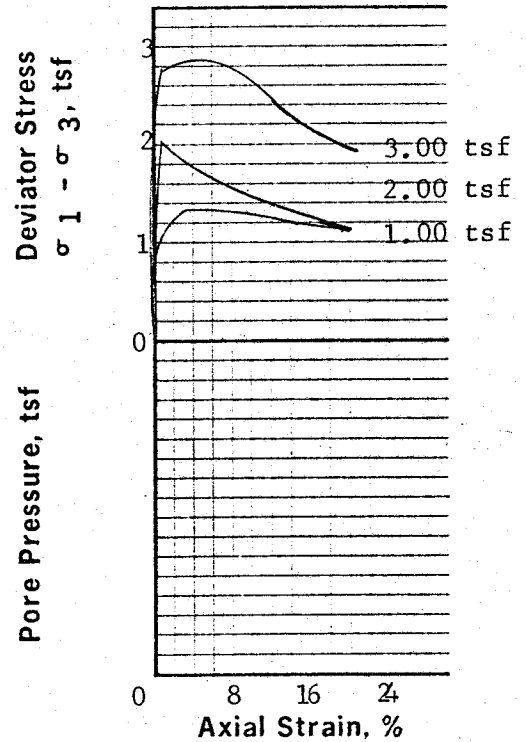
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Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	$\tan \phi$	C, tsf
Apparent	17.0	0.31	0.20
Effective	-	-	-

Specimen Number	1	2	3	4
Initial	Moisture Content, %	42.1	42.5	40.7
	Dry Density, pcf	76.7	76.3	77.8
	Void Ratio	1.256	1.267	1.223
	Saturation, %	92.9	92.8	92.3
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	45.3	45.7	44.1
	Saturation, %	100	100	100
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	43.4	42.8	39.7
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	1.203	1.162	1.069
Final Moisture Content, %	43.4	42.8	39.7	
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	1.00	2.00	3.00	
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	2.32	4.04	5.91	
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	*	*	*	
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	*	*	*	
Time to Failure, min.	9	6	20	
Rate of strain, %/min.	0.20	0.20	0.20	
Specimen Height, in.	3.18	3.18	3.18	
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40	



Remarks: \*Pore pressure readings were erroneous

Project: John Sevier Steam Plant

Feature Ash Disposal Dike

Boring No. US-2

Sample No. 5

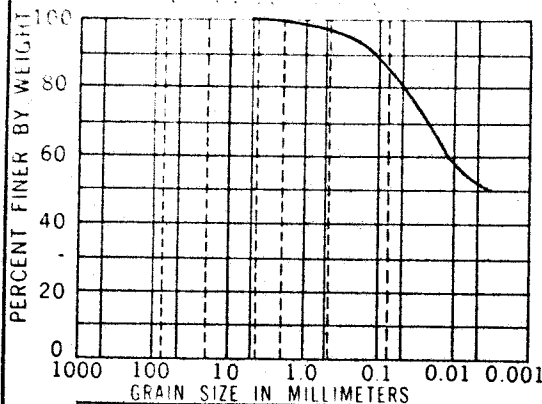
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Date 11-19-76

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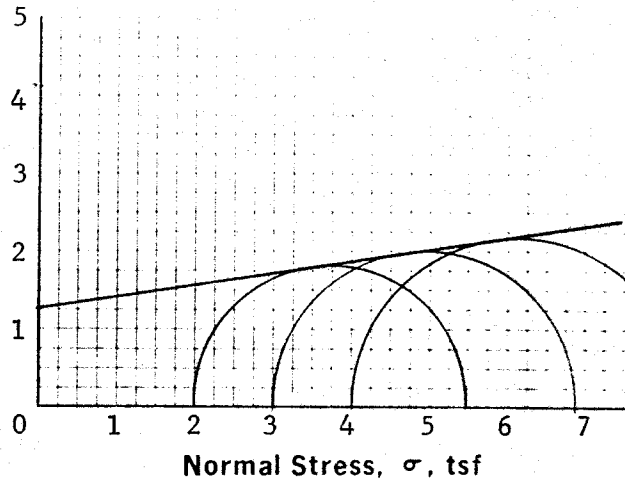
TRIAXIAL COMPRESSION TEST (R)



COBBLES	GRAVEL		SAND		SILT OR CLAY
	C	F	C	M	F

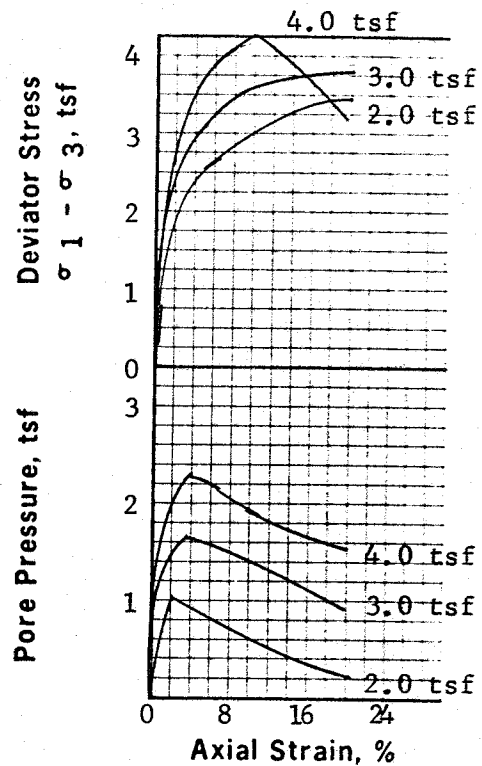
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Classification	CH	
LL	58.4	G 2.71
Pl.	32.4	D <sub>10</sub> -

Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



Specimen Number	1	2	3	4
Initial	Moisture Content, %	25.4	25.0	25.6
	Dry Density, pcf	93.1	93.2	92.8
	Void Ratio	.818	.815	.822
	Saturation, %	84.2	83.2	84.4
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	30.2	30.1	30.3
	Saturation, %	100	100	100
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	27.9	27.1	27.8
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	.750	.714	.704
Final Moisture Content, %	27.9	27.1	27.8	
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	2.00	3.00	4.00	
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	5.49	6.87	8.24	
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	1.74	1.96	2.08	
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	5.23	5.83	6.32	
Time to Failure, min.	100	90	50	
Rate of strain, %/min.	0.2	0.2	0.2	
Specimen Height, in.	3.18	3.18	3.18	
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40	

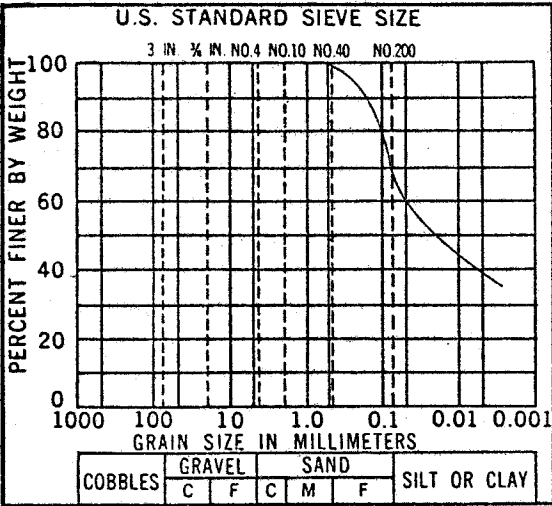
Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	$\tan \phi$	C, tsf
Apparent	9.0	0.16	1.25
Effective	30.0	0.58	0.00



Remarks:

Project: John Sevier Steam Plant	
Feature: Ash Disposal Dike	
Boring No. US-13	Sample No. 1
Station	Offset
Date 10-27-76	Elev. 1126.2-1125.7

TRIAxIAL COMPRESSION TEST (R)



Type of Specimen Undisturbed

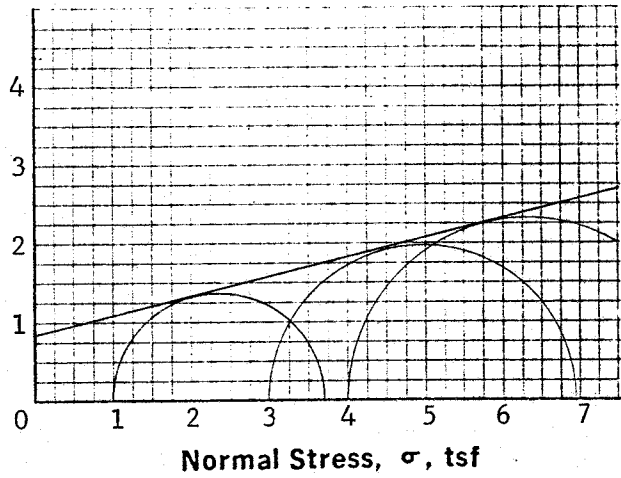
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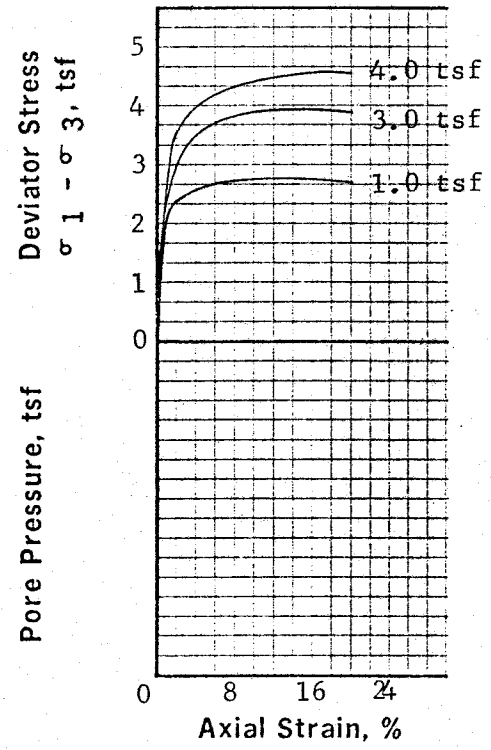
PI. 21.0      D<sub>10</sub> -

Specimen Number	1	2	3	4
Initial	Moisture Content, %	21.8	22.5	23.4
	Dry Density, pcf	95.9	96.3	95.3
	Void Ratio	.752	.744	.762
Before Shearing	Saturation, %	78.0	81.3	82.6
	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	-	-	-
	Saturation, %	-	-	-
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	-	-	-
Void Ratio after Consolidation	-	-	-	
Final Moisture Content, %	21.7	22.5	23.4	
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	1.00	3.00	4.00	
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	3.70	6.90	8.58	
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	-	-	-	
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	16	15	18	
Time to Failure, min.	1.00	1.00	1.00	
Rate of strain, %/min.	3.12	3.12	3.12	
Specimen Height, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40	
Specimen Diameter, in.				

Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	$\tan \phi$	C, tsf
Apparent	13.8	.25	0.85
Effective	-	-	-



Remarks:

Project: John Sevier Steam Plant

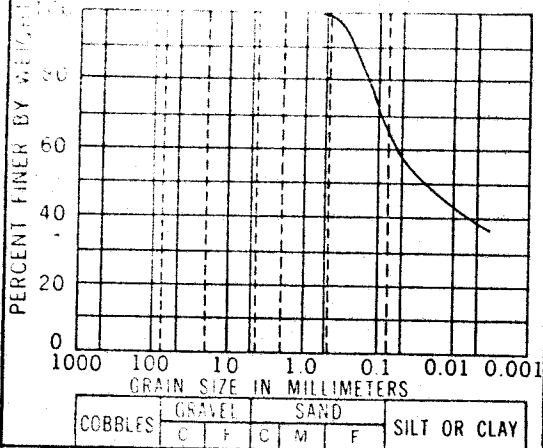
Feature Ash Disposal Dike

Boring No. US-13      Sample No. 2

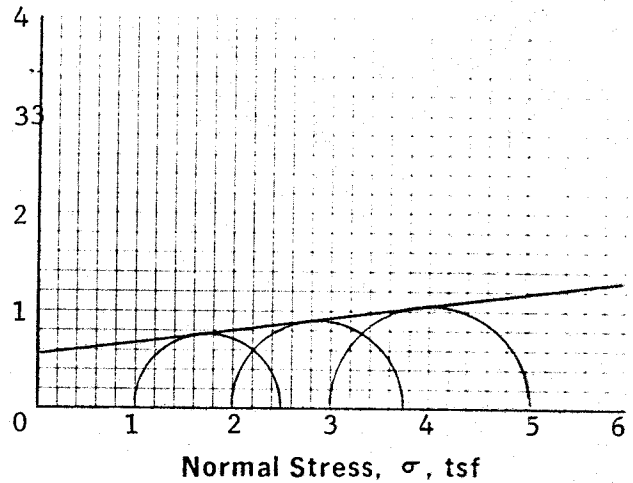
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Date 10-20-76      Elev. 1122.7-1122.2

TRIAXIAL COMPRESSION TEST (Q)



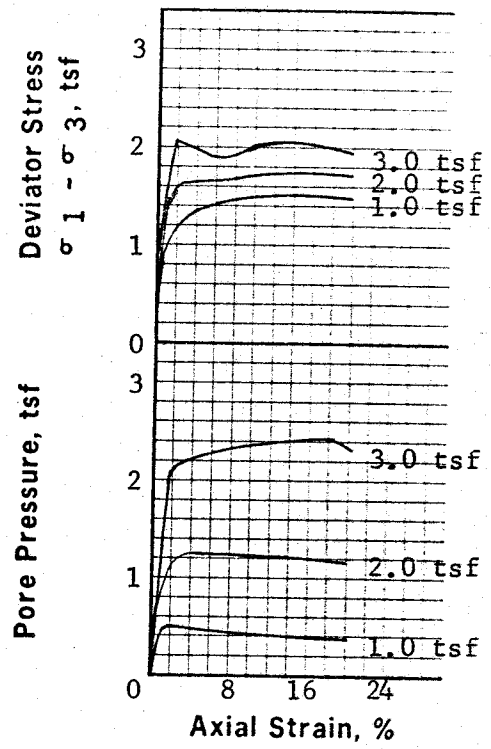
Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



Type of Specimen	Undisturbed	
Classification	CL	
LL	39.5	G 2.69
PI	21.0	$D_{10}$ -

Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	$\tan \phi$	C. tsf
Apparent	7.0	0.12	0.56
Effective	32.0	0.62	0.00

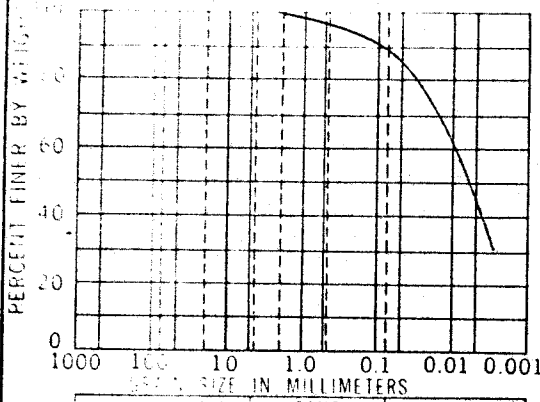
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Initial	Moisture Content, %	28.2	26.9	25.9
	Dry Density, pcf	89.7	90.8	90.9
	Void Ratio	.872	.849	.847
	Saturation, %	87.0	85.2	82.2
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	32.4	31.6	31.5
	Saturation, %	100.0	100.0	100.0
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	31.0	29.2	27.6
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	.750	.798	.726
Final Moisture Content, %	31.0	29.2	27.6	
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	1.00	2.00	3.00	
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	2.52	3.75	5.07	
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	0.63	0.81	0.91	
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	2.15	2.56	2.98	
Time to Failure, min.	70	80	9	
Rate of strain, %/min.	0.20	0.20	0.20	
Specimen Height, in.	3.12	3.12	3.12	
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40	



Remarks:

Project: John Sevier Steam Plant	
Feature Ash Disposal Dike	
Boring No. US-13	Sample No. 2
Station	Offset
Date 10-22-76	Elev. 1123.2-1122.7

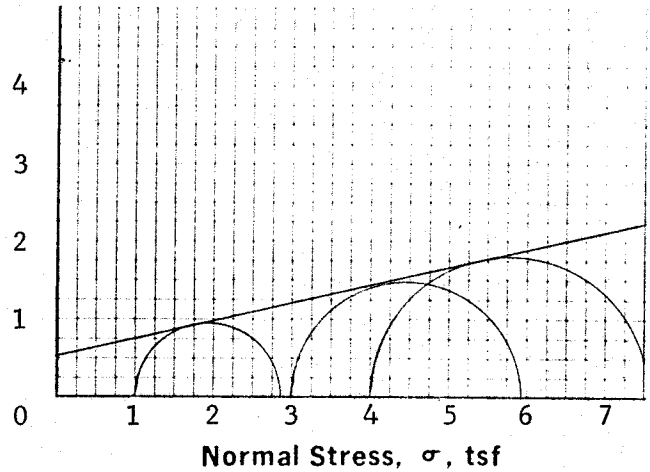
**TRIAxIAL COMPRESSION TEST (R)**



COARSE SAND M F SILT OR CLAY

Type of Specimen Undisturbed  
 Classification MH  
 LL. 56.5 G 2.74  
 PI. 23.9 D<sub>10</sub> -

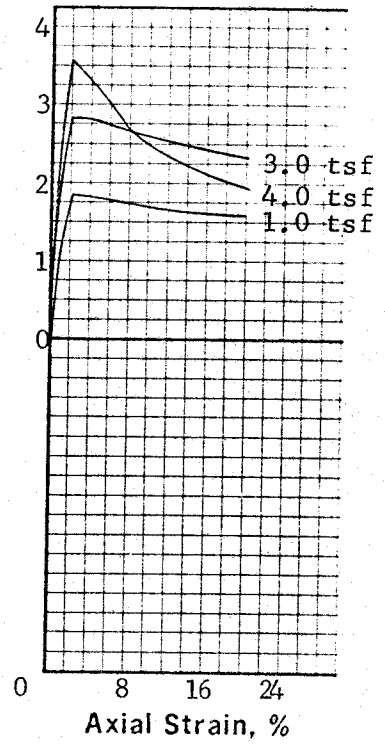
Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	Tan $\phi$	C, tsf
Apparent	12.5	0.22	0.54
Effective			

Specimen Number	1	2	3	4	
Initial	Moisture Content, %	34.1	37.6	35.7	
	Dry Density, pcf	82.7	80.3	84.8	
	Void Ratio	1.070	1.129	1.017	
	Saturation, %	87.4	91.2	96.2	
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	-	-	-	
	Saturation, %	-	-	-	
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	-	-	-	
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	-	-	-	
Final Moisture Content, %	34.0	37.4	35.5		
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	1.00	3.00	4.00		
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	2.86	5.87	7.56		
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	-	-	-		
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	-	-	-		
Time to Failure, min.	3	3	2		
Rate of strain, %/min.	1.00	1.00	1.00		
Specimen Height, in.	3.12	3.12	3.12		
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40		

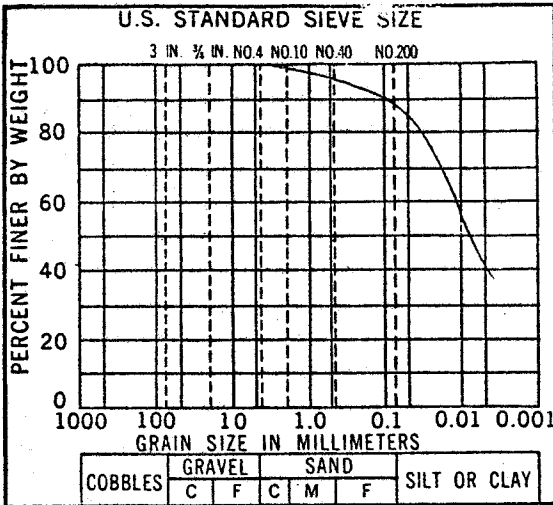
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Pore Pressure, tsf



Remarks:

Project: John Sevier Steam Plant  
 Feature Ash Disposal Dike  
 Boring No. US-13 Sample No. 4  
 Station Offset  
 Date 10-20-76 Elev. 1117.2-1116.7

**TRIAXIAL COMPRESSION TEST (Q)**



Type of Specimen Undisturbed

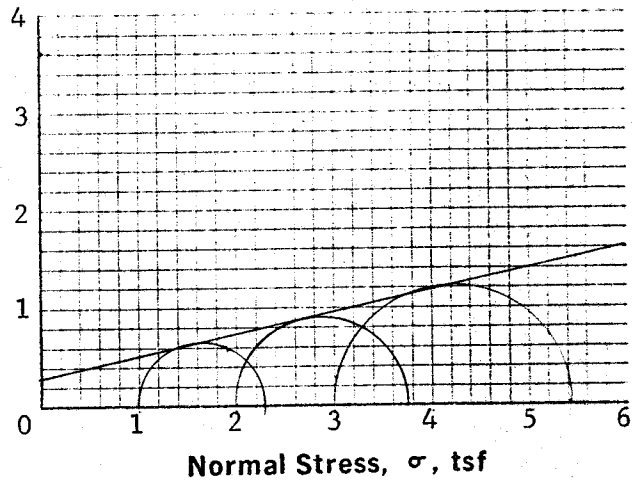
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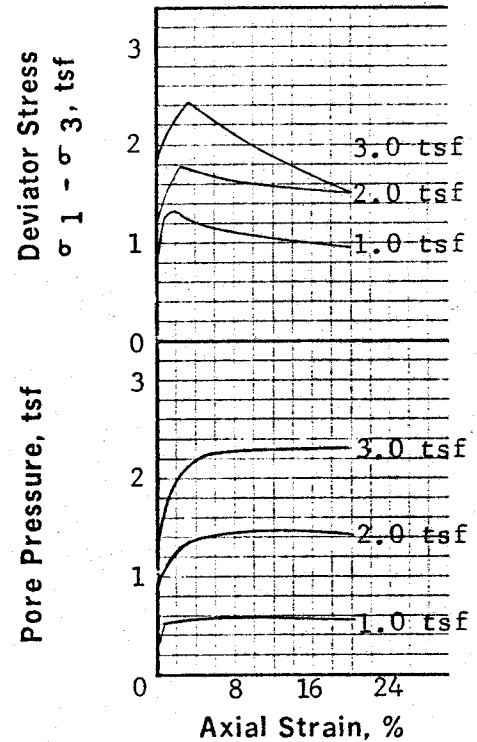
Pl. 23.9 D<sub>10</sub> -

Specimen Number	1	2	3	4	
Initial	Moisture Content, %	49.0	49.6	49.5	
	Dry Density, pcf	69.4	68.6	69.4	
	Void Ratio	1.463	1.494	1.463	
	Saturation, %	91.7	90.9	92.7	
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	53.4	54.5	53.4	
	Saturation, %	100	100	100	
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	48.6	47.7	45.4	
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	1.396	1.303	1.116	
Final Moisture Content, %	48.6	47.7	45.4		
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	1.00	2.00	3.00		
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	2.29	3.76	5.42		
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	0.50	0.65	0.83		
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	1.79	2.41	3.25		
Time to Failure, min.	6	12	15		
Rate of strain, %/min.	0.20	0.20	0.20		
Specimen Height, in.	3.18	3.18	3.18		
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40		

Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	$\tan \phi$	C, tsf
Apparent	12.5	0.22	0.30
Effective	36.5	0.74	0.00



Remarks:

Project: John Sevier S. P.

Feature Ash Disposal Dike

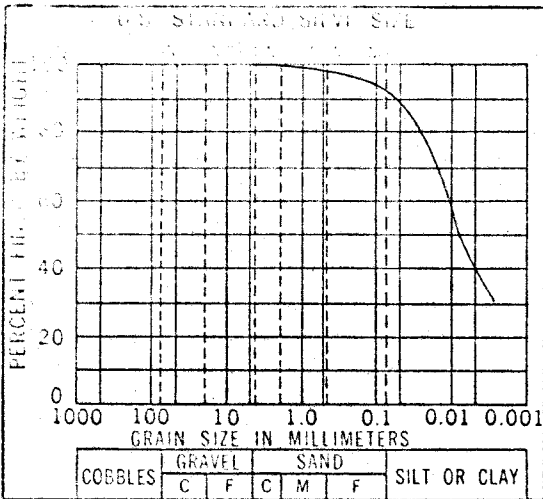
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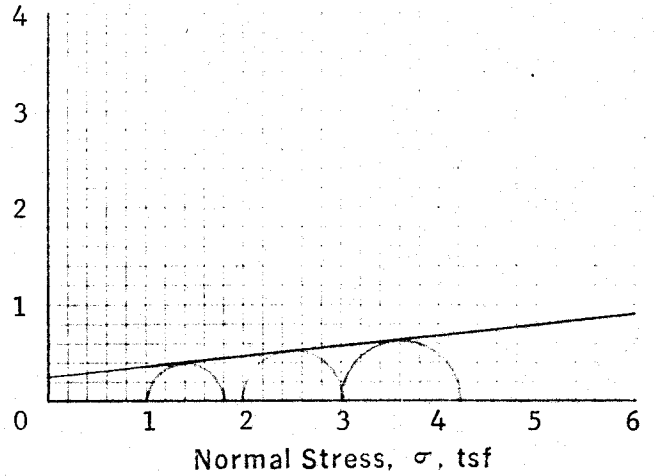
TRIAXIAL COMPRESSION TEST (R)





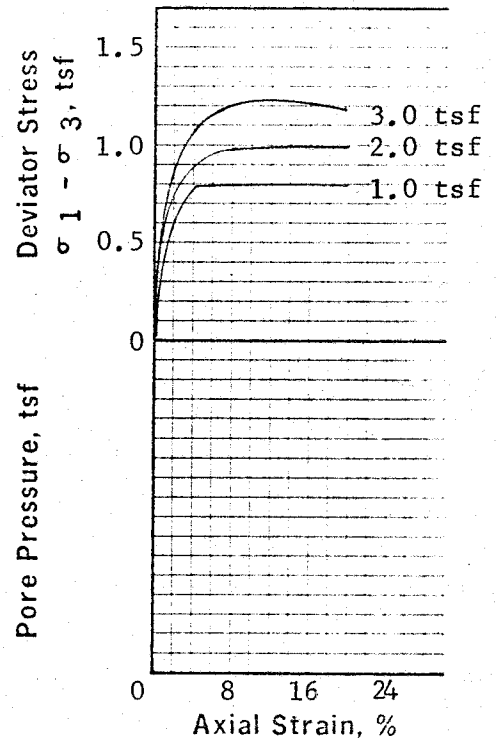
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Classification	MH
LL	53.7
PL	20.9
G	2.75
D <sub>10</sub>	-

Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	Tan $\phi$	C, tsf
Apparent	6.0	0.11	0.25
Effective	-	-	-

Specimen Number	1	2	3	4
Initial	Moisture Content, %	48.6	48.0	49.2
	Dry Density, pcf	72.5	72.8	72.5
	Void Ratio	1.369	1.358	1.369
	Saturation, %	97.6	97.2	98.9
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	-	-	-
	Saturation, %	-	-	-
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	-	-	-
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	-	-	-
Final Moisture Content, %	47.8	47.6	48.4	
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	1.00	2.00	3.00	
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	1.82	3.00	4.25	
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	-	-	-	
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	-	-	-	
Time to Failure, min.	4	9	14	
Rate of strain, %/min.	1.00	1.00	1.00	
Specimen Height, in.	3.09	3.09	3.09	
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40	



Remarks:

Project: John Sevier Steam Plant

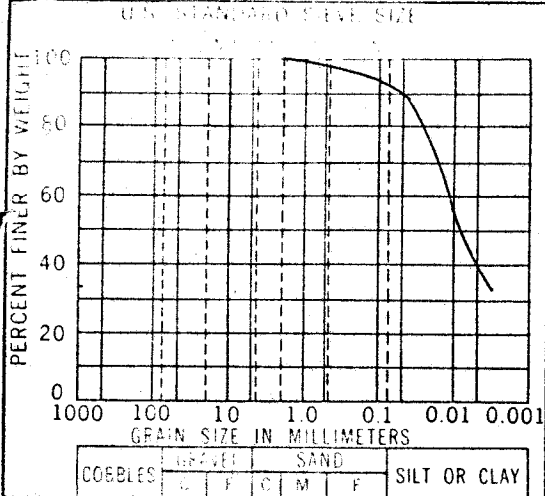
Feature Ash Disposal Dike

Boring No. US-13 Sample No. 6

Station Offset

Date 10-26-76 Elev. 1111.2-1110.7

TRIAXIAL COMPRESSION TEST (Q)



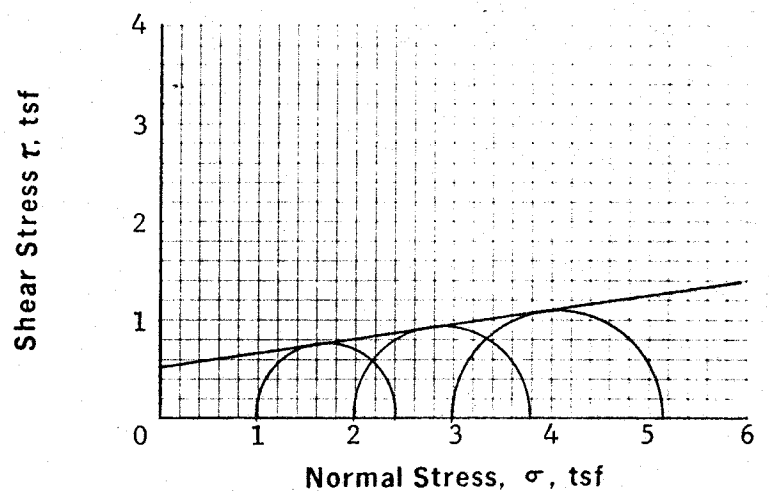
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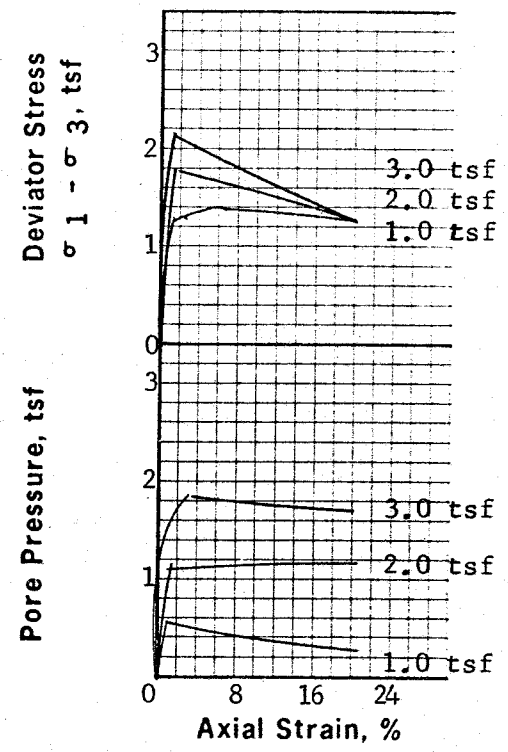
LL. 53.7 G 2.75

PI. 20.9 D<sub>10</sub> -

Specimen Number	1	2	3	4
Initial	Moisture Content, %	43.6	48.6	46.1
	Dry Density, pcf	74.6	71.0	72.4
	Void Ratio	1.302	1.419	1.370
	Saturation, %	92.1	94.3	92.5
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	47.3	51.6	49.8
	Saturation, %	100	100	100
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	43.2	46.1	43.5
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	1.237	1.276	1.153
Final Moisture Content, %	43.2	46.1	43.5	
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	1.00	2.00	3.00	
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	2.39	3.80	5.16	
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	0.56	0.88	1.19	
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	1.95	2.68	3.35	
Time to Failure, min.	30	9	9	
Rate of strain, %/min.	0.20	0.20	0.20	
Specimen Height, in.	3.18	3.18	3.18	
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40	



Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	$\tan \phi$	C, tsf
Apparent	8.0	0.14	0.55
Effective	22.0	0.40	0.25



Remarks:

Project: John Sevier Steam Plant

Feature Ash Disposal Dike

Boring No. US = 13 Sample No. 6

Station Offset

Date 10-20-76 Elev. 1110.7-1110.2

TRIAxIAL COMPRESSION TEST (R)

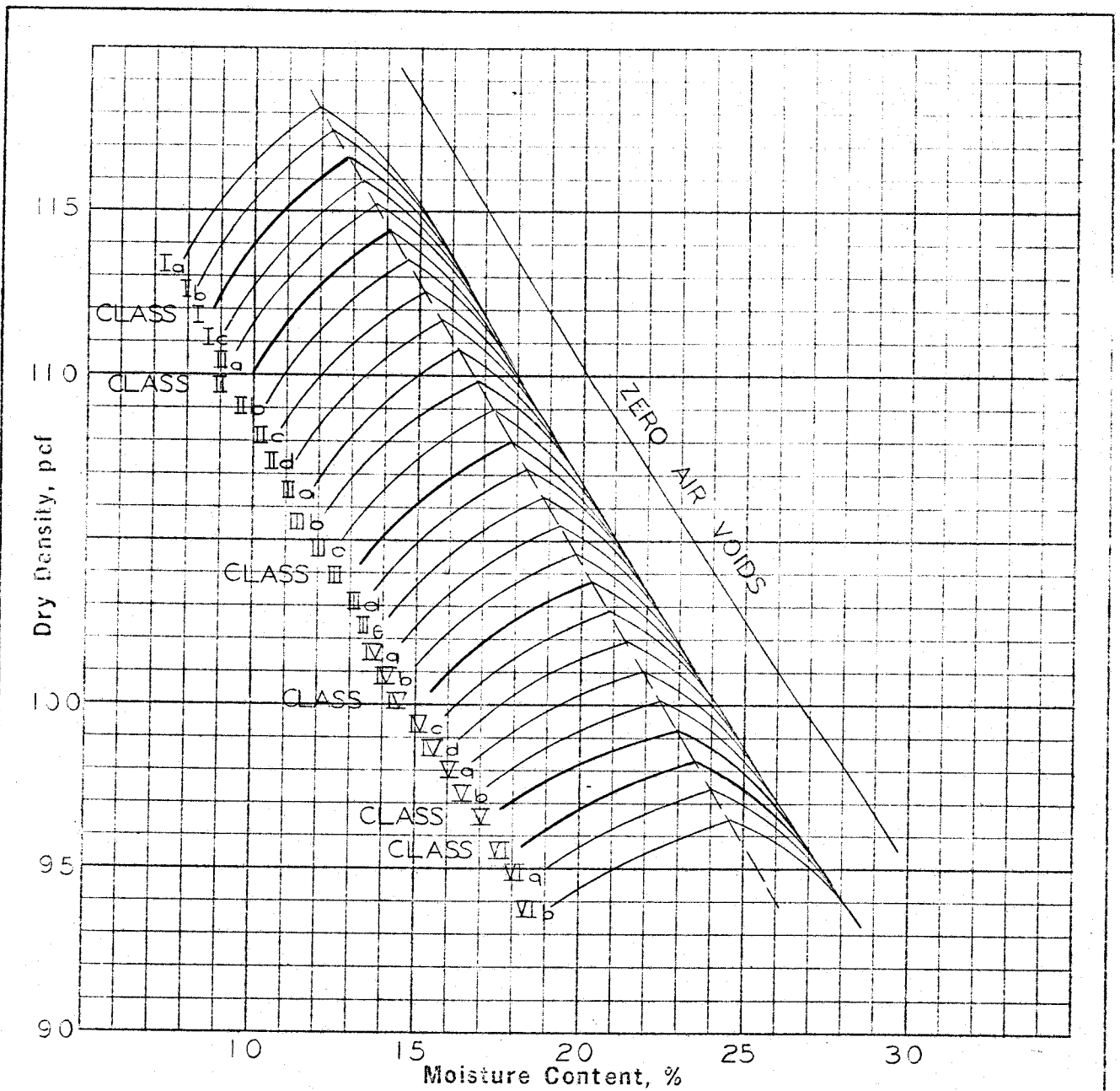
JOHN SEVIER STEAM PLANT

ASH DISPOSAL DIKE

SUMMARY OF LABORATORY TEST DATA

BORROW SOIL CLASSES

<u>Class</u>	<u>I</u>	<u>II</u>	<u>III</u>	<u>IV</u>	<u>V</u>	<u>VI</u>	<u>VII</u>
Symbol	ML-CL	CL	CL	CH	MH	CH	G-SC
Percent of Total	2	18	15	4	48	4	9
Mechanical and Hydrometer Analysis							
Gravel, percent	0	0	0	0	0	0	28
Sand, percent	38	31	26	20	17	10	37
Silt, percent	41	37	34	37	39	37	17
Clay, percent	21	32	40	43	44	53	18
Atterberg Limits							
Liquid limit, percent	19.9	33.9	43.7	51.2	55.2	65.2	36.1
Plastic limit, percent	15.2	18.9	22.0	26.8	30.9	30.7	19.7
Plasticity index, percent	4.7	15.0	21.7	24.4	24.3	34.5	16.4
Shrinkage limit, percent	-	-	-	22.23	24.05	25.12	-
Standard Proctor Compaction							
Optimum moisture, percent	12.8	14.1	17.9	20.4	23.0	23.5	12.4
Maximum density, pcf	116.8	114.5	108.0	103.7	99.2	98.2	120.0
Penetration resistance, psi	383	920	535	495	535	610	-
Shear Strength At 3% Above Optimum Moisture and At 95% of Maximum Density							
Triaxial Q: $\phi$ degrees	2.9	4.9	8.8	10.0	7.0	5.0	-
c tsf	0.46	1.06	1.18	1.19	1.14	1.50	-
Triaxial R: $\phi$ degrees	15.5	16.5	15.0	16.0	15.0	15.1	-
c tsf	0.50	0.15	0.25	0.35	0.27	0.37	-
Shear Strength At 3% Below Optimum Moisture and At 95% of Maximum Density							
Triaxial Q: $\phi$ degrees	32.0	30.9	28.5	24.0	27.9	17.6	-
c tsf	0.52	0.80	0.97	1.40	0.74	1.67	-
Triaxial R: $\phi$ degrees	14.5	15.0	17.0	17.3	15.3	16.2	-
c tsf	0.10	0.13	0.13	0.17	0.26	0.22	-

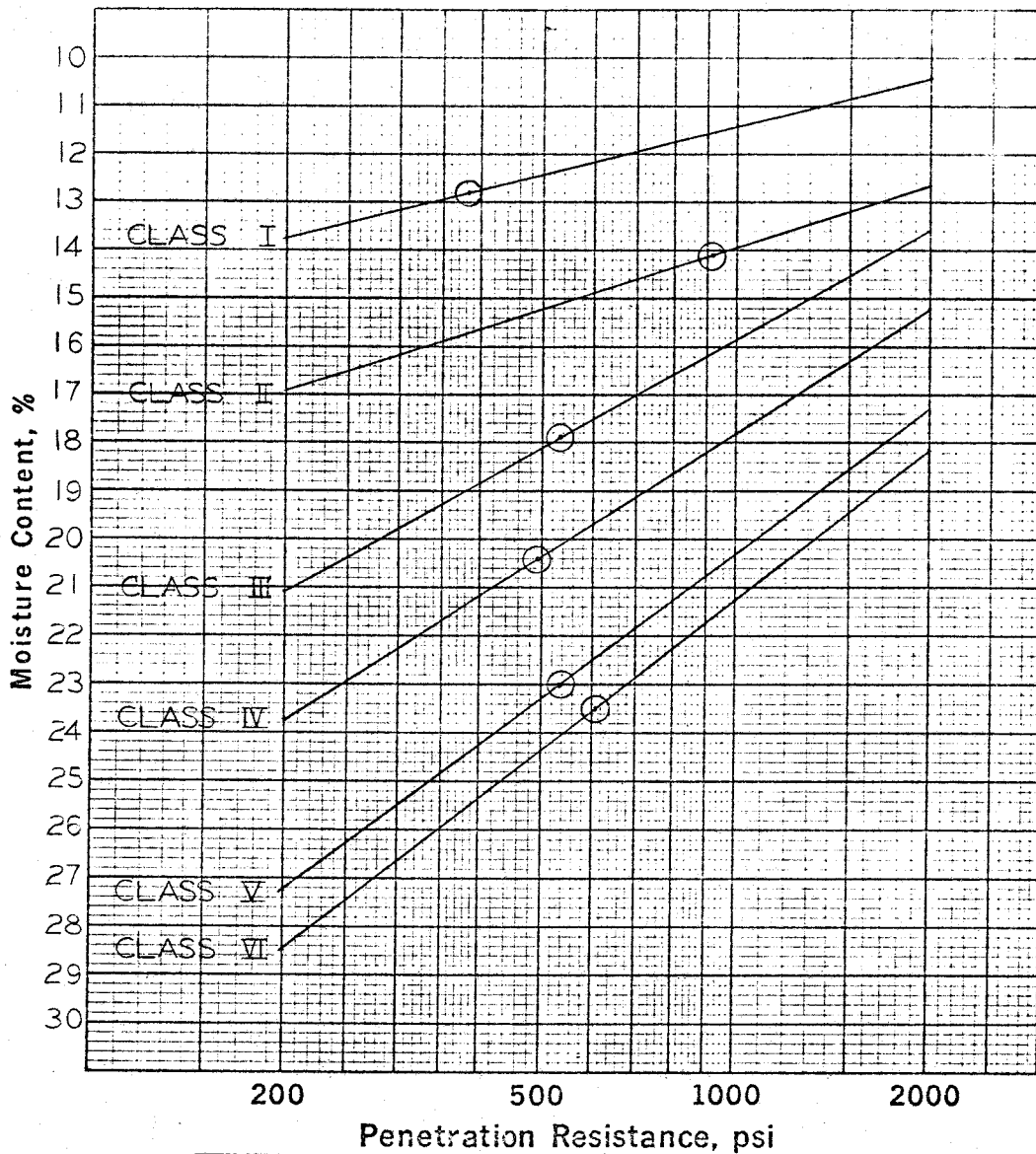


Soil Class	Gravel %	Sand %	Silt %	Clay %	Specific Gravity	LL %	Pl %	Optimum Moisture, %	Maximum Density, pcf
I-M-CL	0	38	41	21	2.66	19.9	4.7	12.8	116.8
II-CL	0	31	37	32	2.75	33.9	15.0	14.1	114.5
III-CL	0	26	34	40	2.77	43.7	21.7	17.9	108.0
IV-CH	0	20	37	43	2.78	51.2	24.4	20.4	103.7
V-MH	0	17	39	44	2.81	55.2	24.3	23.0	99.2
VI-CH	0	10	37	53	2.79	65.2	34.5	23.5	98.2

Plus No. 4 Specific Gravity, SSD	2.55
Plus No. 4 Absorption, %	1.32

Remarks:

Project	JOHN SEVIER S. P.
Feature	ASH DISPOSAL DIKE
ASTM Designation	D-698
Date Tested	12-1-76
COMPACTION TEST (FAMILY OF CURVES)	



Soil Class	Optimum Moisture, %	Maximum Density, pcf	Penetration Resistance, psi
I-ML-CL	12.8	116.8	383
II-CL	14.1	114.5	920
III-CL	17.9	108.0	535
IV-CH	20.4	103.7	495
V-MH	23.0	99.2	535
VI-CH	23.5	98.2	610

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Feature ASH DISPOSAL DIKE

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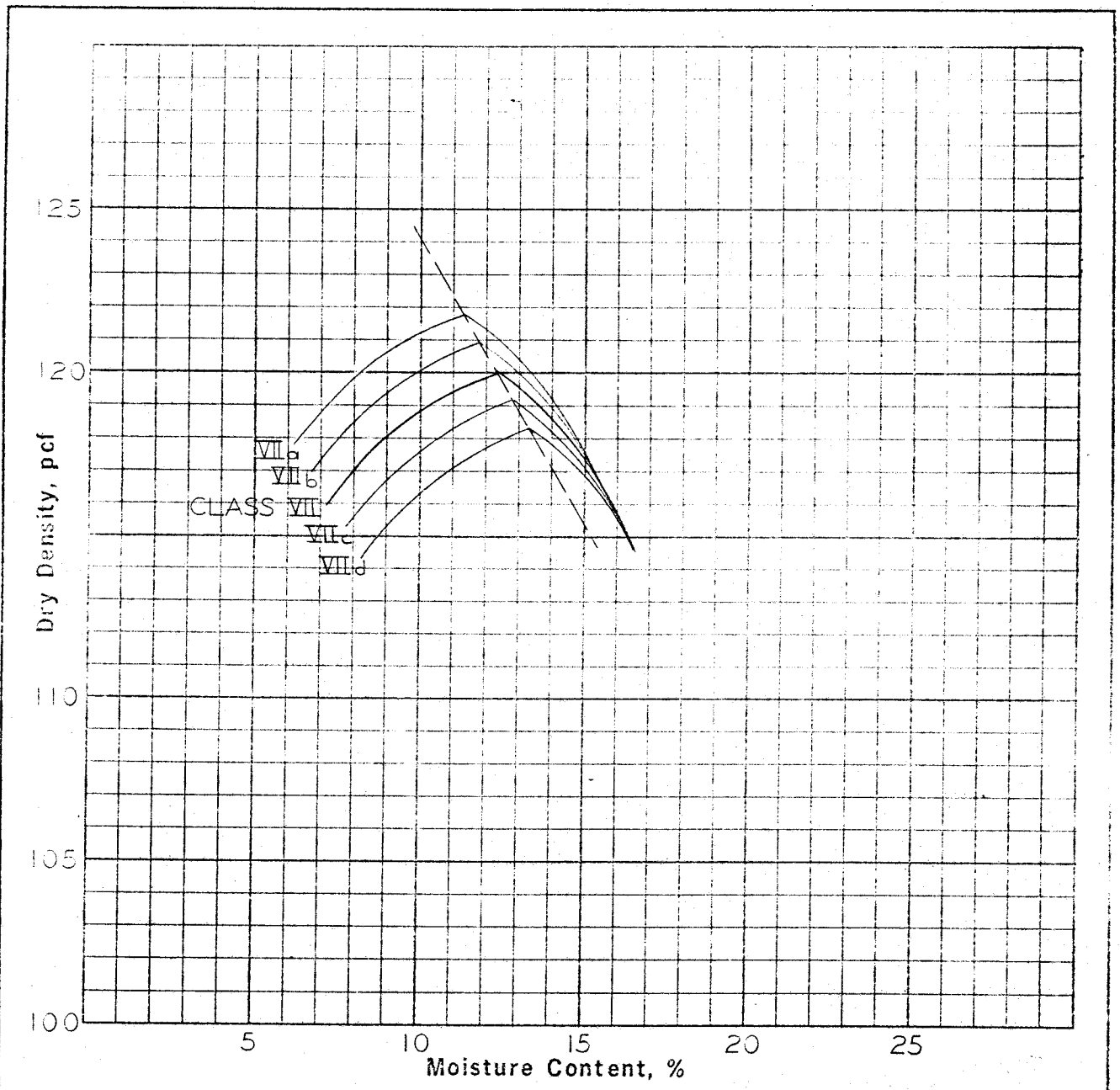
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**MOISTURE - PENETRATION TEST**

○ Denotes Optimum Moisture



Soil Class	Gravel %	Sand %	Silt %	Clay %	Specific Gravity	LL %	PI %	Optimum Moisture, %	Maximum Density, pcf
VII-G-SC	28	37	17	18	2.76	36.1	16.4	12.4	120.0

Plus No. 4 Specific Gravity, S S D	2.55
Plus No. 4 Absorption, %	1.32

Remarks:

Project JOHN SEVIER S. P.

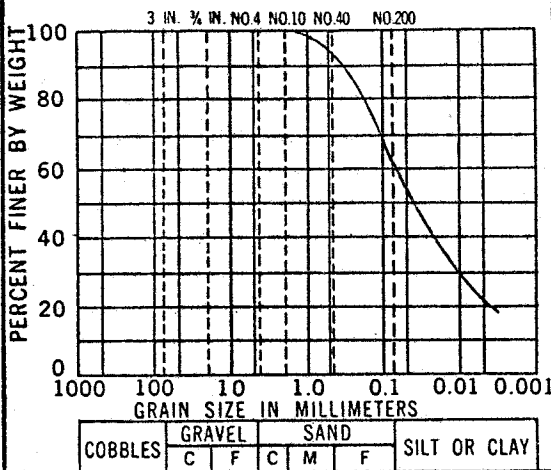
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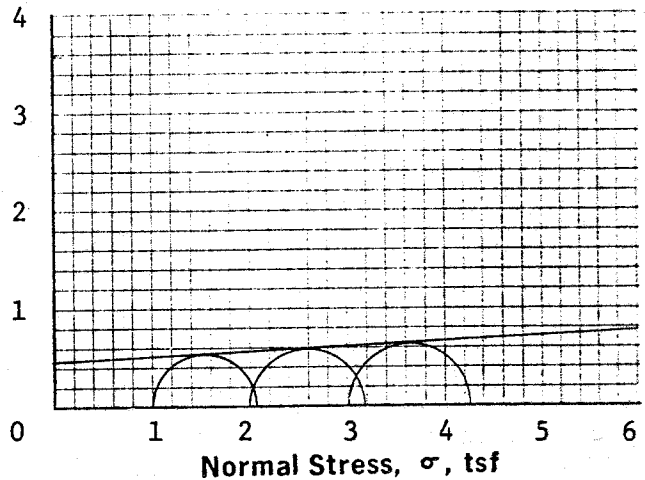
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COBBLES	GRAVEL		SAND			SILT OR CLAY
	C	F	C	M	F	

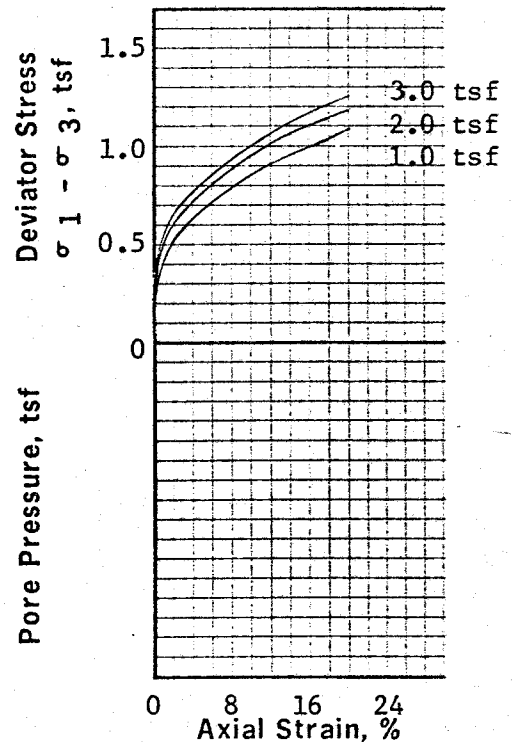
Type of Specimen	Remolded*		
Classification	ML-CL		
LL	19.9	G	2.66
PI	4.7	D <sub>10</sub>	--

Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



Specimen Number	1	2	3	4	
Initial	Moisture Content, %	15.6	15.6	15.5	
	Dry Density, pcf	111.1	111.1	111.1	
	Void Ratio	.495	.495	.494	
	Saturation, %	83.8	83.8	83.7	
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	--	--	--	
	Saturation, %	--	--	--	
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	--	--	--	
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	--	--	--	
Final Moisture Content, %	15.5	15.5	15.5		
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	1.00	2.00	3.00		
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	2.09	3.19	4.26		
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	--	--	--		
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	--	--	--		
Time to Failure, min.	20	20	20		
Rate of strain, %/min.	1.00	1.00	1.00		
Specimen Height, in.	3.17	3.17	3.17		
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40		

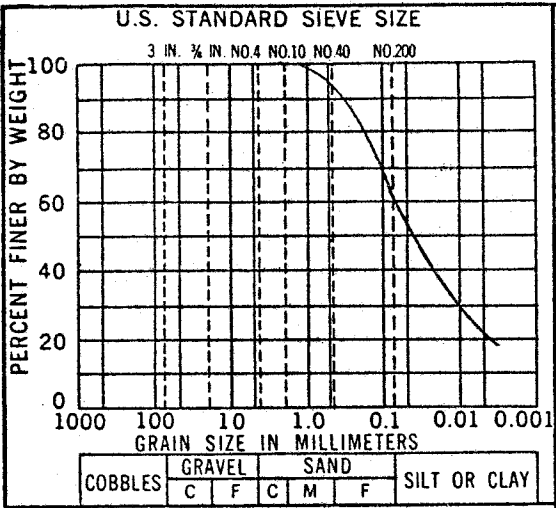
Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	$\tan \phi$	C, tsf
Apparent	2.9	.05	0.46
Effective	--	--	--



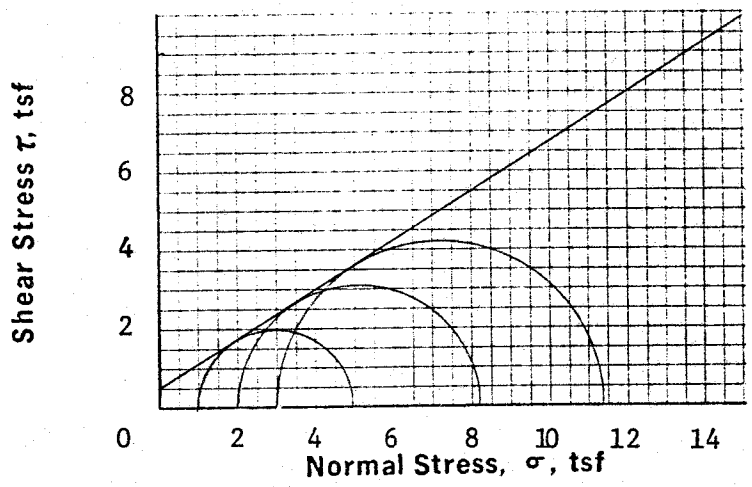
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Project: John Sevier SP	
Feature Ash Disposal Dike	
Boring No.	Sample No. Class I
Station	Offset
Date 11-8-76	Elev.

TRIAXIAL COMPRESSION TEST (Q)

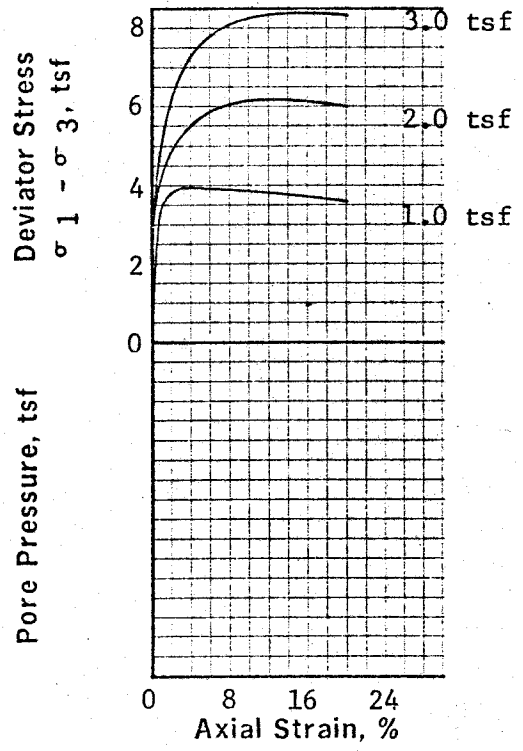


Type of Specimen Remolded*	
Classification ML-CL	
LL. 19.9	G 2.66
PI. 4.7	D <sub>10</sub> --



Shear Strength	φ Deg.	Tan φ	C, tsf
Apparent	32.0	.62	0.52
Effective	--	--	--

Specimen Number	1	2	3	4
Initial	Moisture Content, %	9.9	9.8	10.0
	Dry Density, pcf	110.8	110.9	110.7
	Void Ratio	.499	.498	.500
	Saturation, %	52.7	52.2	53.2
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	--	--	--
	Saturation, %	--	--	--
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	--	--	--
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	--	--	--
Final Moisture Content, %	9.8	9.8	9.9	
Minor Principal Stress, σ <sub>3</sub> , tsf	1.00	2.00	3.00	
Major Principal Stress, σ <sub>1</sub> , tsf	4.97	8.22	11.44	
Effective Minor Principal Stress, σ̄ <sub>3</sub> , tsf	--	--	--	
Effective Major Principal Stress, σ̄ <sub>1</sub> , tsf	--	--	--	
Time to Failure, min.	4	13	15	
Rate of strain, %/min.	1.00	1.00	1.00	
Specimen Height, in.	3.17	3.17	3.17	
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40	

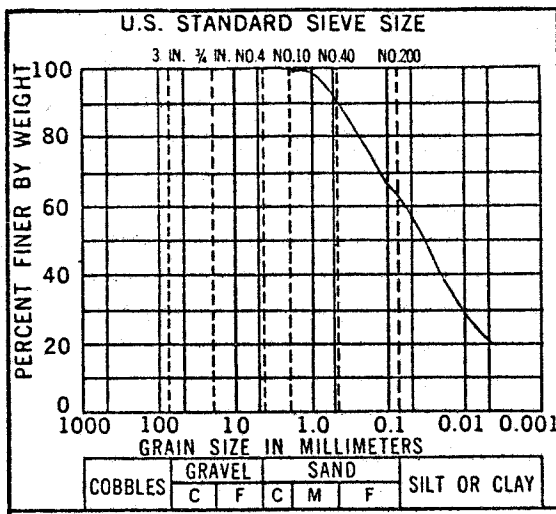


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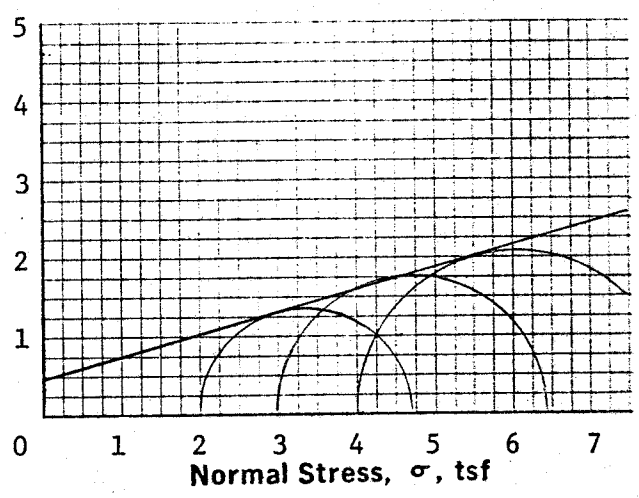
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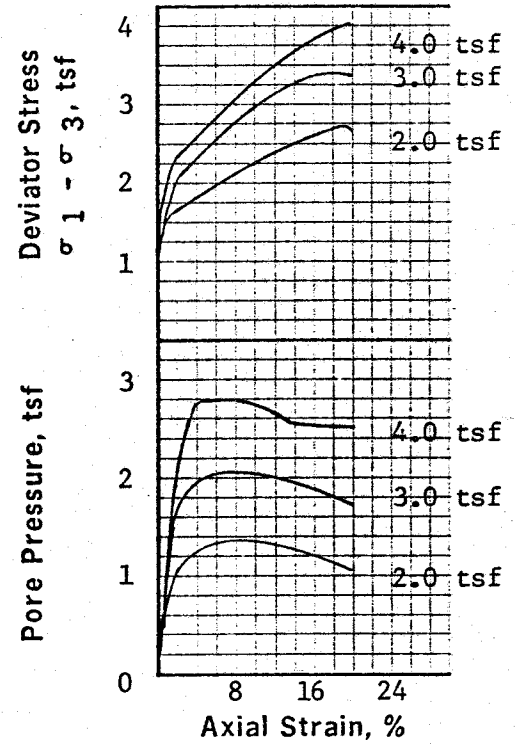
Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



Type of Specimen		Remolded*	
Classification		ML-CL	
LL.	19.9	G	2.66
PI.	4.7	D <sub>10</sub>	--

Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	Tan $\phi$	C, tsf
Apparent	15.5	.28	0.50
Effective	34.5	.69	0.10

Specimen Number	1	2	3	4	
Initial	Moisture Content, %	16.0	15.6	15.7	
	Dry Density, pcf	110.8	111.1	111.0	
	Void Ratio	.499	.495	.496	
	Saturation, %	85.5	83.8	84.4	
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	18.8	18.6	18.6	
	Saturation, %	100.0	100.0	100.0	
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	14.7	14.5	14.3	
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	.468	.355	.444	
Final Moisture Content, %	14.7	14.5	14.3		
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	2.00	3.00	4.00		
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	4.72	6.41	8.06		
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	0.95	1.26	1.47		
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	3.67	4.67	5.53		
Time to Failure, min.	80	99	100		
Rate of strain, %/min.	0.20	0.20	0.20		
Specimen Height, in.	3.17	3.17	3.17		
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40		



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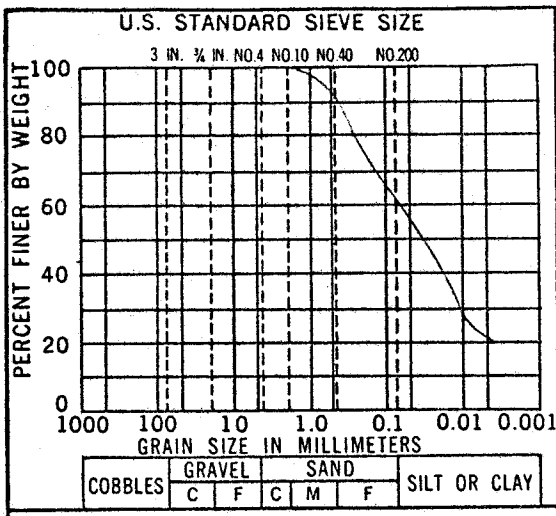
Feature: Ash Disposal Dike

Boring No. \_\_\_\_\_ Sample No. Class I \_\_\_\_\_

Station \_\_\_\_\_ Offset \_\_\_\_\_

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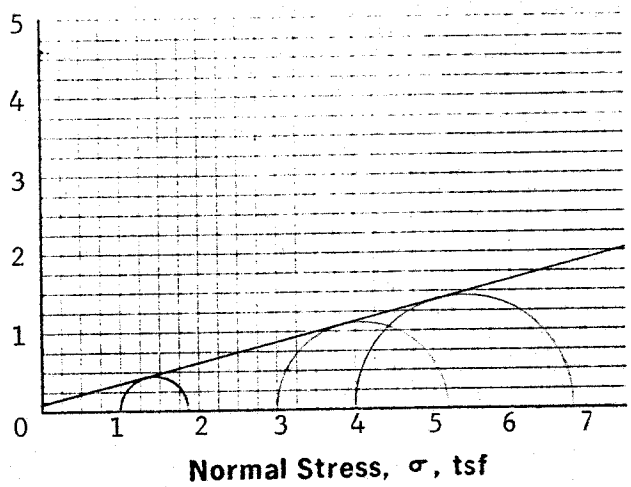
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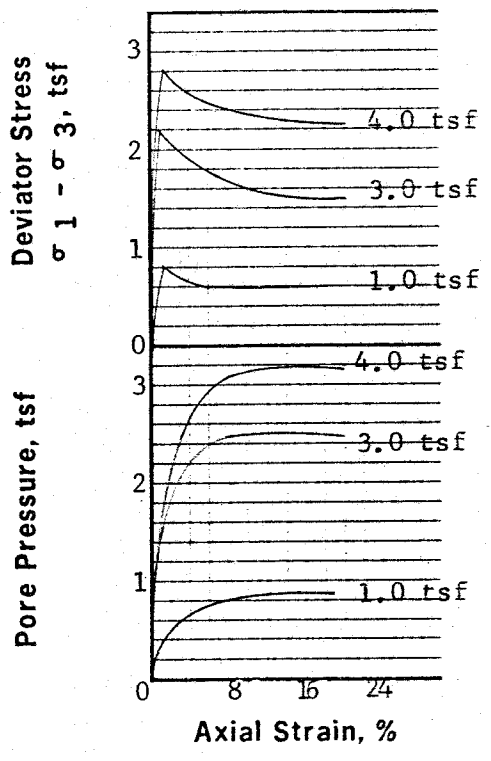
Type of Specimen Remolded*	
Classification ML-CL	
LL. 19.9	G 2.66
PI. 4.7	D <sub>10</sub> -

Specimen Number	1	2	3	4	
Initial	Moisture Content, %	9.9	9.7	9.7	
	Dry Density, pcf	110.8	110.9	111.0	
	Void Ratio	.499	.497	.496	
	Saturation, %	52.9	51.9	52.0	
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	18.8	18.7	18.6	
	Saturation, %	100	100	100	
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	17.3	16.1	15.8	
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	.460	.459	.432	
Final Moisture Content, %	17.3	16.1	15.8		
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	1.00	3.00	4.00		
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	1.87	5.21	6.83		
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	0.68	1.60	2.19		
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	1.59	3.81	5.02		
Time to Failure, min.	4	7	9		
Rate of strain, %/min.	0.20	0.20	0.20		
Specimen Height, in.	3.17	3.17	3.17		
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40		

Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



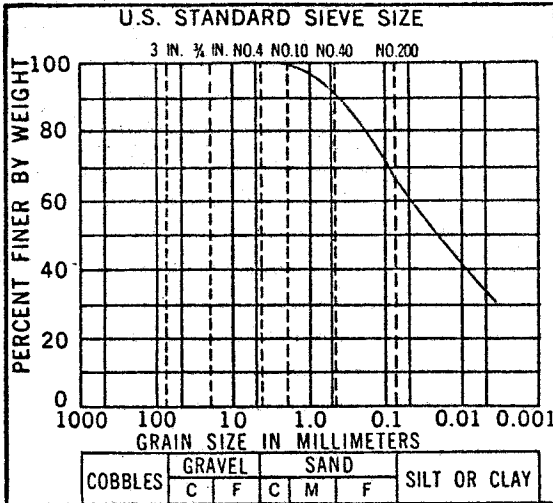
Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	$\tan \phi$	C, tsf
Apparent	14.5	0.26	0.10
Effective	22.5	0.41	0.00



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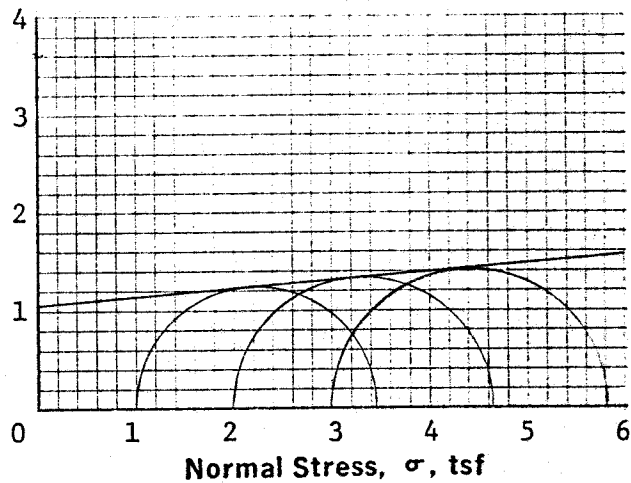
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Feature Ash Disposal Dike	
Boring No.	Sample No. Class I
Station	Offset
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TRIAxIAL COMPRESSION TEST (R)



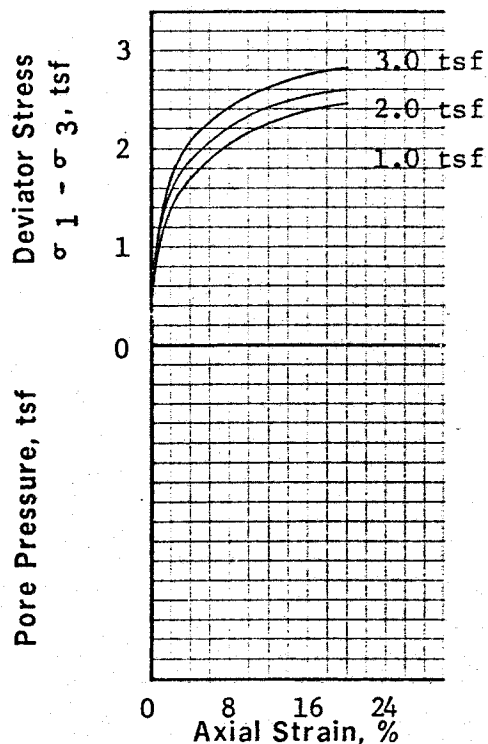
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Classification	CL	
LL.	33.9	G 2.75
Pl.	15.0	D <sub>10</sub> --

Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	Tan $\phi$	C, tsf
Apparent	4.9	.09	1.06
Effective	--	--	--

Specimen Number	1	2	3	4
Moisture Content, %	16.7	16.8	16.8	
Dry Density, pcf	109.2	109.1	109.1	
Void Ratio	.573	.574	.574	
Saturation, %	80.1	80.5	80.5	
Moisture Content after Saturation, %	--	--	--	
Saturation, %	--	--	--	
Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	--	--	--	
Void Ratio after Consolidation	--	--	--	
Final Moisture Content, %	16.7	16.7	16.7	
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	1.00	2.00	3.00	
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	3.45	4.61	5.84	
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	--	--	--	
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	--	--	--	
Time to Failure, min.	20	20	20	
Rate of strain, %/min.	1.00	1.00	1.00	
Specimen Height, in.	3.17	3.17	3.17	
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40	

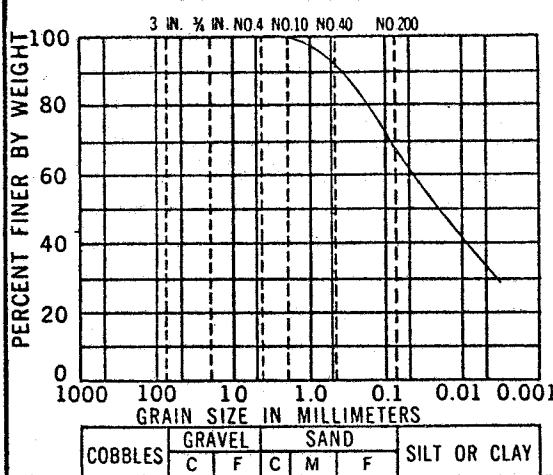


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Project: John Sevier SP	
Feature Ash Disposal Dike	
Boring No.	Sample No. Class II
Station	Offset
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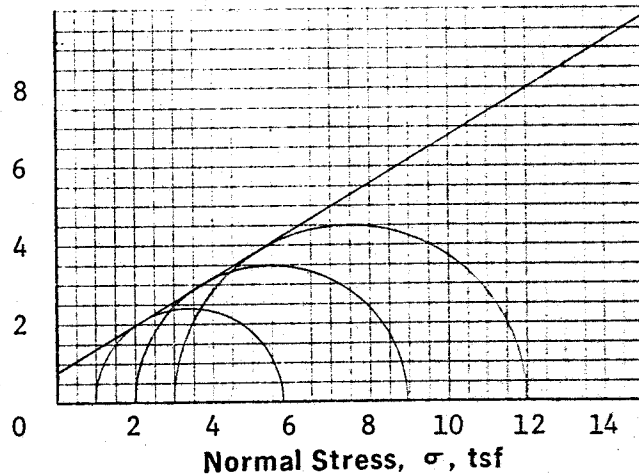
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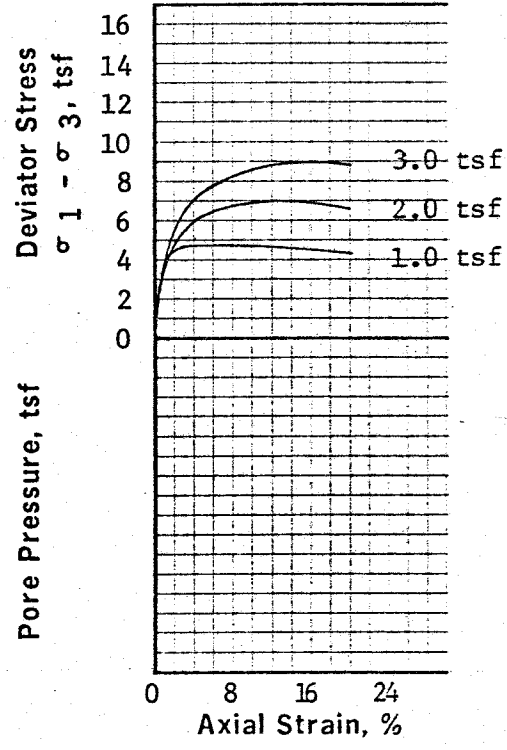
Type of Specimen Remolded*			
Classification		CL	
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PI.	15.0	D <sub>10</sub>	--

Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	Tan $\phi$	C, tsf
Apparent	30.9	.60	0.80
Effective	--	--	--

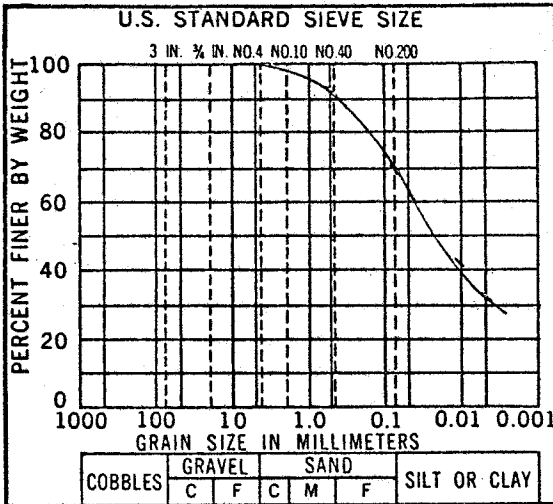
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Initial	Moisture Content, %	11.4	11.4	11.2	
	Dry Density, pcf	108.5	108.6	108.7	
	Void Ratio	.582	.581	.579	
	Saturation, %	53.8	53.7	53.2	
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	--	--	--	
	Saturation, %	--	--	--	
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	--	--	--	
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	--	--	--	
Final Moisture Content, %	11.3	11.4	11.2		
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	1.00	2.00	3.00		
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	5.76	8.97	11.96		
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	--	--	--		
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	--	--	--		
Time to Failure, min.	4	13	16		
Rate of strain, %/min.	1.00	1.00	1.00		
Specimen Height, in.	3.17	3.17	3.17		
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40		



Remarks: \*Remolded at 3% below optimum moisture and at 95% of standard proctor density.

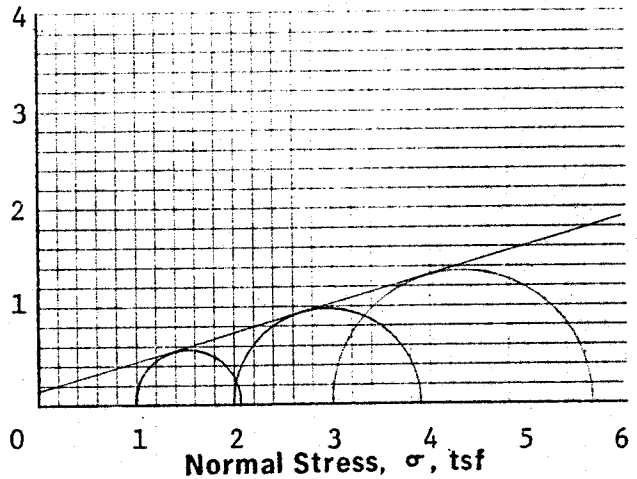
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Feature Ash Disposal Dike	
Boring No.	Sample No. Class II
Station	Offset
Date 11-8-76	Elev.

TRIAXIAL COMPRESSION TEST (Q)



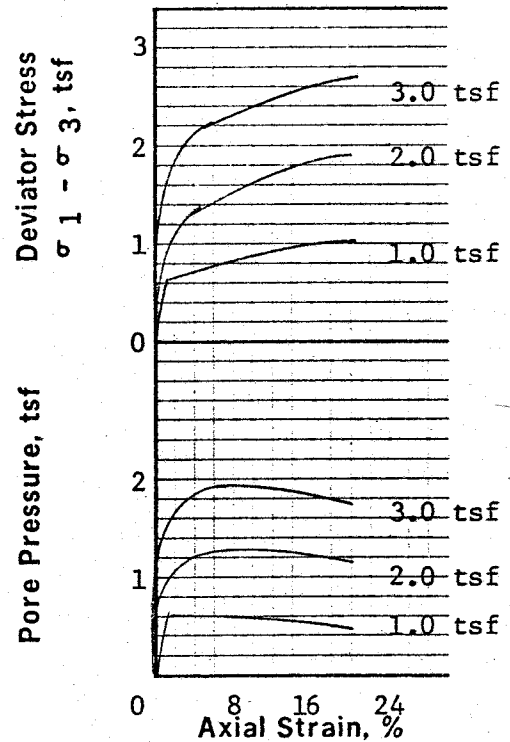
Type of Specimen	Remolded*
Classification	CL
LL. 33.9	G 2.75
PI. 15.0	D <sub>10</sub> --

Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	$\tan \phi$	C, tsf
Apparent	16.5	.30	0.15
Effective	31.0	.60	0.00

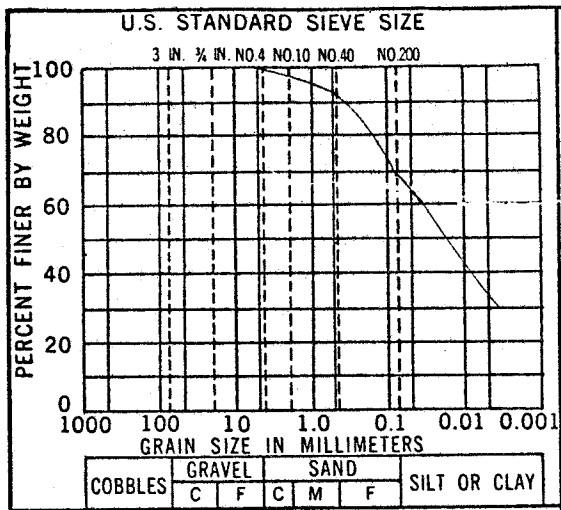
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Initial	Moisture Content, %	17.2	17.3	17.3
	Dry Density, pcf	108.8	108.6	108.6
	Void Ratio	.590	.593	.593
Before Shearing	Saturation, %	80.7	80.9	80.8
	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	21.3	21.4	21.4
	Saturation, %	100	100	100
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	19.1	18.0	17.3
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	.530	.512	.489
Final Moisture Content, %	19.1	18.0	17.3	
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	1.00	2.00	3.00	
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	2.06	3.89	5.67	
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	0.52	0.82	1.24	
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	1.58	2.71	3.91	
Time to Failure, min.	90	90	90	
Rate of strain, %/min.	0.2	0.2	0.2	
Specimen Height, in.	3.16	3.16	3.16	
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40	



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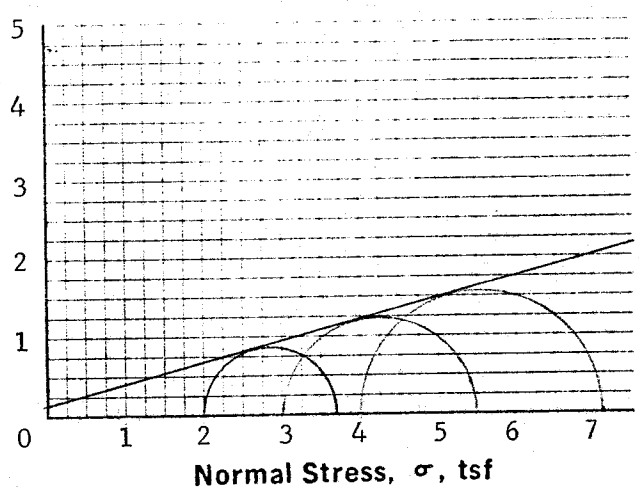
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Feature Ash Disposal Dike	
Boring No.	Sample No. Class II
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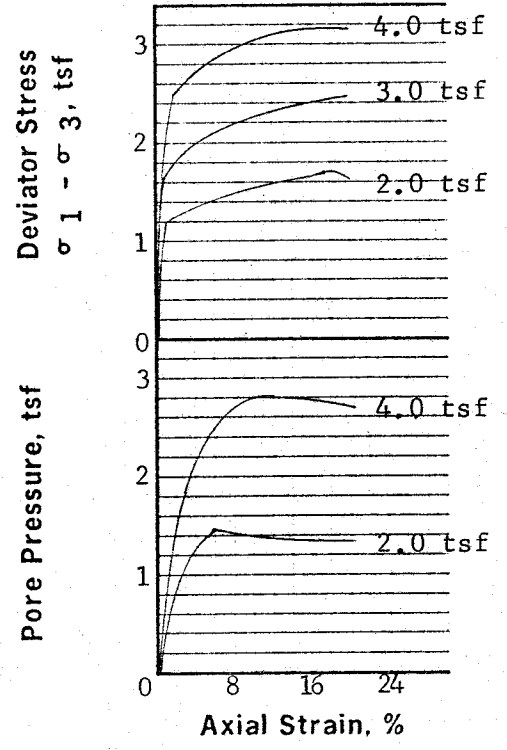
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Classification	CL	
LL.	33.9	G 2.75
PI.	15.0	D <sub>10</sub> -

Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	Tan $\phi$	C. tsf
Apparent	15.0	.27	0.13
Effective	35.0	.70	0.00

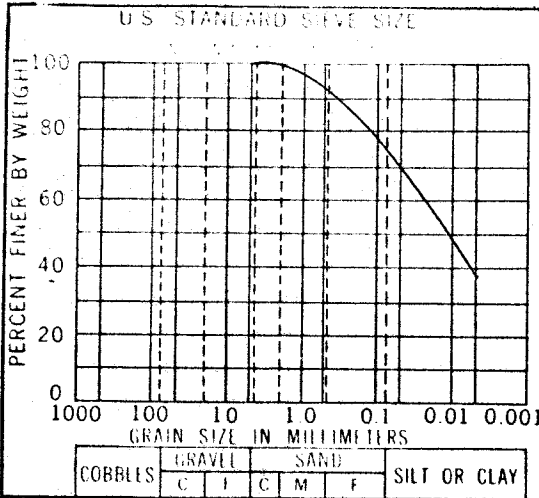
Specimen Number	1	2	3	4
Initial	Moisture Content, %	11.0	11.2	11.1
	Dry Density, pcf	109.0	108.7	108.9
	Void Ratio	.575	.579	.578
	Saturation, %	52.7	53.2	52.9
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	20.9	21.0	21.0
	Saturation, %	100	100	100
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	19.7	18.1	18.1
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	.543	.505	.533
Final Moisture Content, %	19.7	18.1	18.1	
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	2.00	3.00	4.00	
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	3.73	5.50	7.13	
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	0.58	-	1.18	
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	2.31	-	4.31	
Time to Failure, min.	90	100	80	
Rate of strain, %/min.	0.20	0.20	0.20	
Specimen Height, in.	3.17	3.17	3.17	
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40	



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Boring No.	Sample No. Class II
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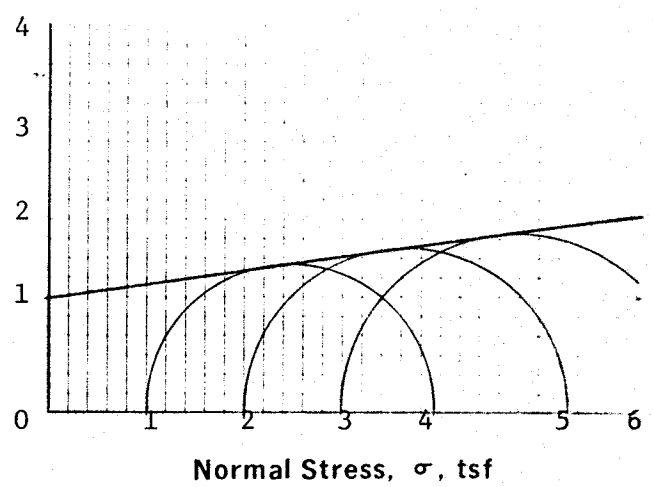
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Classification CL

LL. 43.7 G 2.77

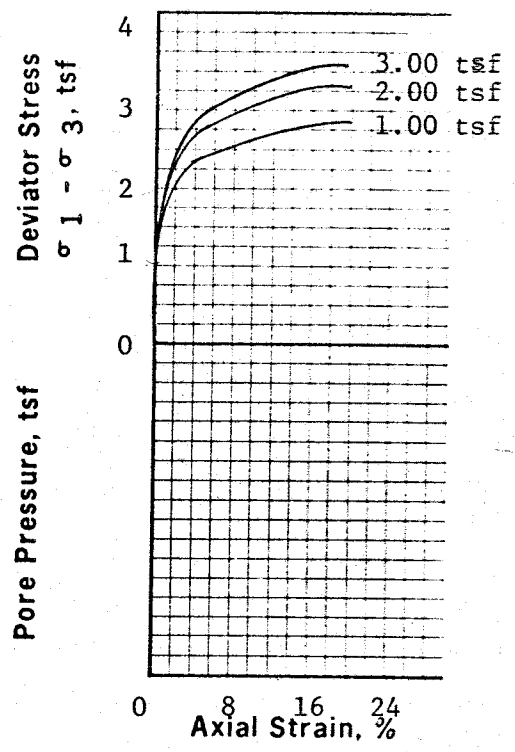
PI. 21.7 D<sub>10</sub> -

Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	$\tan \phi$	C, tsf
Apparent	8.8	0.15	1.18
Effective	-	-	-

Specimen Number	1	2	3	4
Initial	Moisture Content, %	20.8	20.8	20.9
	Dry Density, pcf	102.6	102.6	102.4
	Void Ratio	.686	.686	.688
	Saturation, %	84.2	84.2	84.3
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	-	-	-
	Saturation, %	-	-	-
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	-	-	-
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	-	-	-
Final Moisture Content, %	20.7	20.7	20.9	
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	1.00	2.00	3.00	
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	3.93	5.31	6.58	
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	-	-	-	
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	-	-	-	
Time to Failure, min.	18	18	19	
Rate of strain, %/min.	1.0	1.0	1.0	
Specimen Height, in.	3.16	3.16	3.16	
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40	



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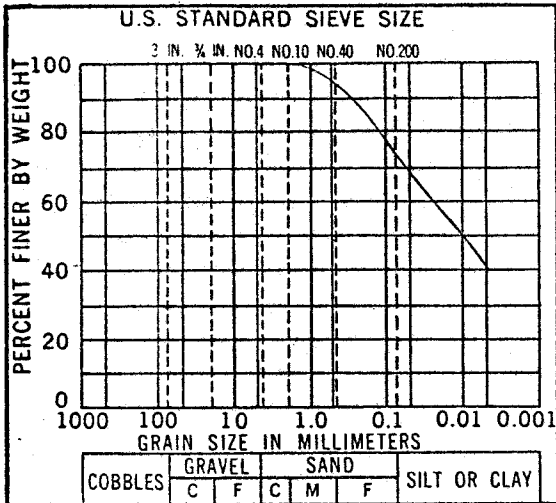
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Boring No. Sample No. Class III

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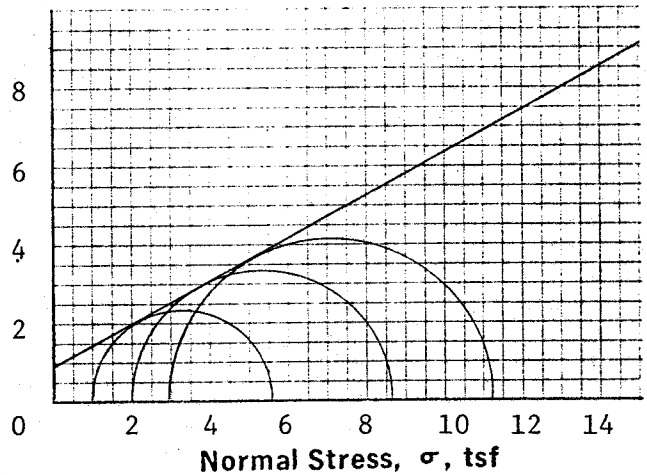
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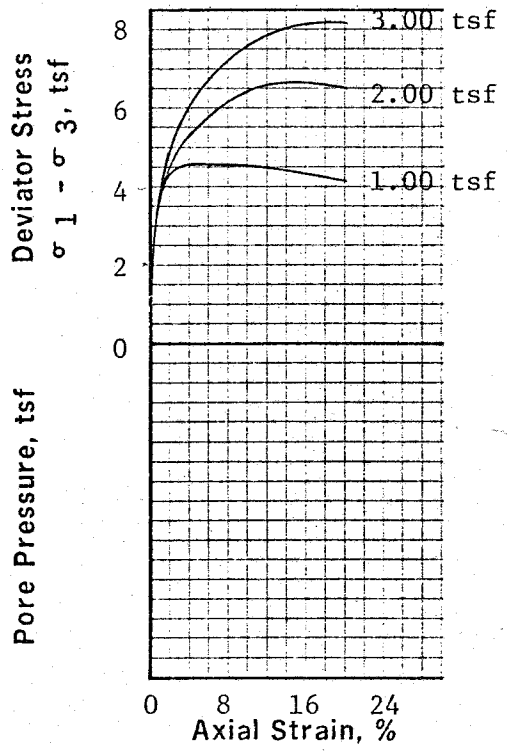
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 Classification CL  
 LL. 43.7 G 2.77  
 PI. 21.7 D<sub>10</sub> -

Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	$\tan \phi$	C, tsf
Apparent	28.5	0.55	0.97
Effective	-	-	-

Specimen Number	1	2	3	4
Initial	Moisture Content, %	15.1	15.1	15.0
	Dry Density, pcf	102.3	102.3	102.4
	Void Ratio	.691	.690	.688
	Saturation, %	60.7	60.7	60.4
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	-	-	-
	Saturation, %	-	-	-
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	-	-	-
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	-	-	-
Final Moisture Content, %	15.1	15.1	15.0	
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	1.00	2.00	3.00	
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	5.55	8.63	11.24	
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	-	-	-	
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	-	-	-	
Time to Failure, min.	6	16	19	
Rate of strain, %/min.	1.00	1.00	1.00	
Specimen Height, in.	3.17	3.17	3.17	
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40	

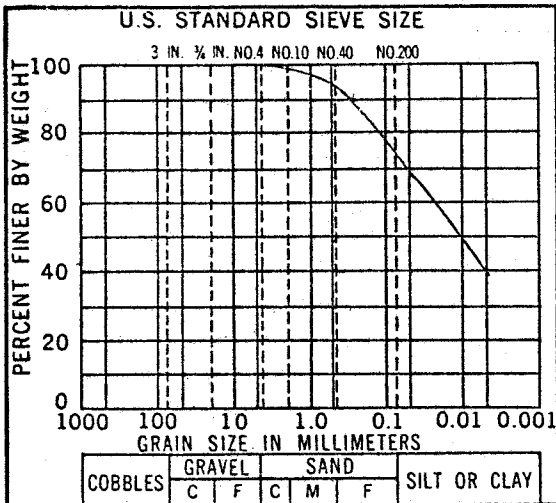


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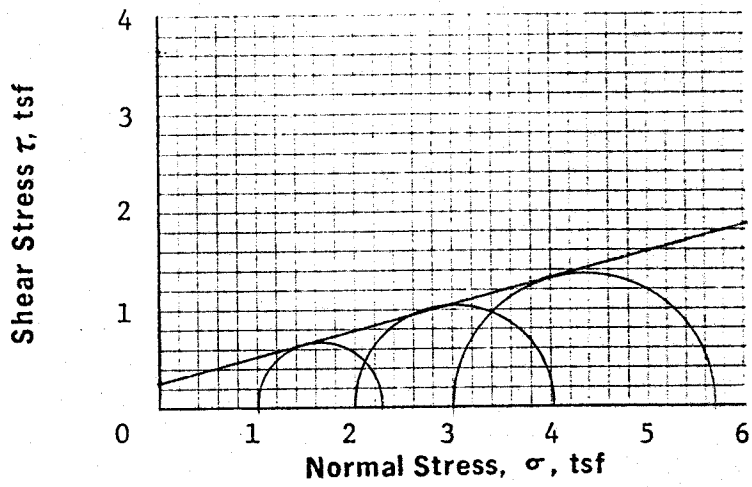
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 Feature: Ash Disposal Dike  
 Boring No. Sample No. Class III  
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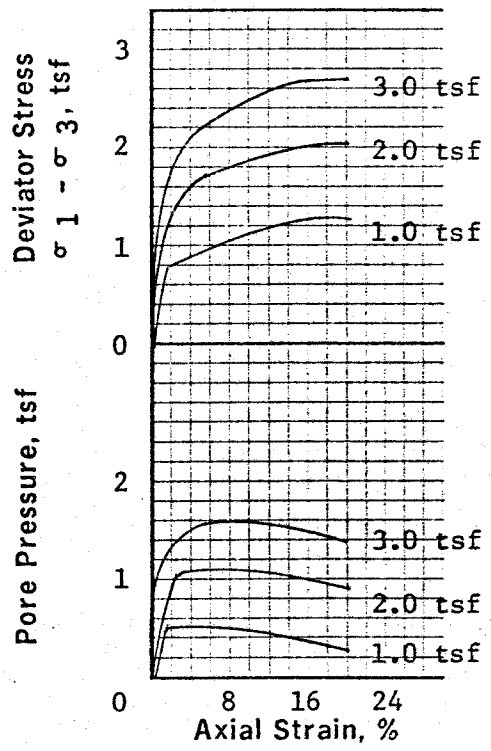


Type of Specimen Remolded\*  
 Classification CL  
 LL. 43.7 G 2.77  
 PI. 21.7 D<sub>10</sub> --



Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	$\tan \phi$	C, tsf
Apparent	15.0	0.27	0.25
Effective	25.0	0.47	0.13

Specimen Number	1	2	3	4
Initial	Moisture Content, %	20.9	21.0	20.7
	Dry Density, pcf	102.5	102.4	102.7
	Void Ratio	.687	.688	.684
	Saturation, %	84.4	84.6	83.9
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	24.8	24.8	24.7
	Saturation, %	100	100	100
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	24.6	24.0	23.1
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	.671	.641	.590
Final Moisture Content, %	24.6	24.0	23.1	
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	1.00	2.00	3.00	
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	2.25	4.03	5.67	
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	0.65	1.09	1.58	
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	1.90	3.12	4.25	
Time to Failure, min.	90	90	90	
Rate of strain, %/min.	0.2	0.2	0.2	
Specimen Height, in.	3.16	3.16	3.16	
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40	



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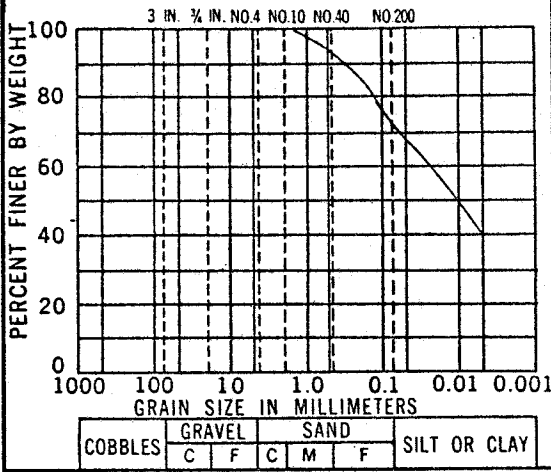
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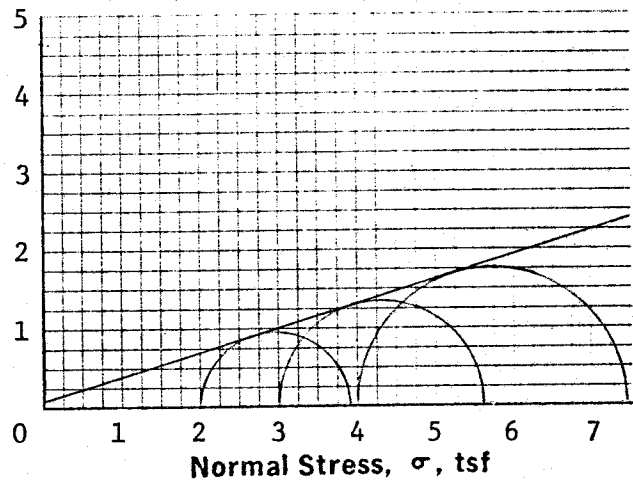
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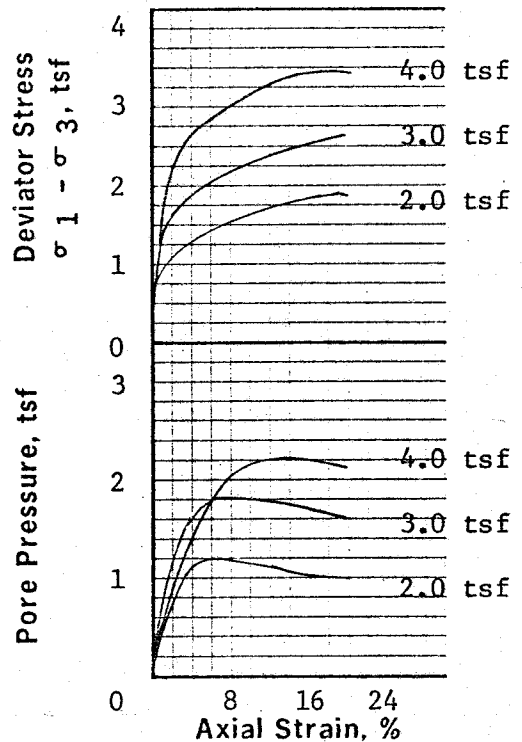
Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



Type of Specimen	Remolded*	
Classification	CL	
LL.	43.7	G 2.77
PI.	21.7	D <sub>10</sub> --

Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	$\tan \phi$	C, tsf
Apparent	17.0	0.31	0.13
Effective	27.0	0.51	0.07

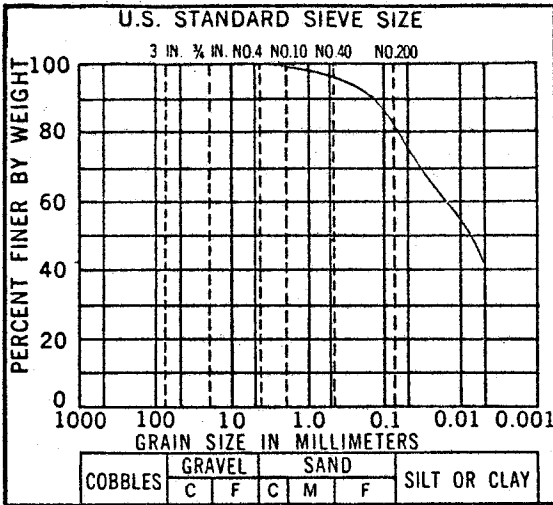
Specimen Number	1	2	3	4
Initial	Moisture Content, %	15.1	14.9	15.1
	Dry Density, pcf	102.4	102.5	102.4
	Void Ratio	.688	.687	.688
	Saturation, %	60.7	60.1	60.7
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	24.8	24.8	24.8
	Saturation, %	100.0	100.0	100.0
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	24.4	23.5	21.9
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	.628	.607	.628
Final Moisture Content, %	24.4	23.5	21.9	
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	2.00	3.00	4.00	
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	3.89	5.65	7.47	
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	0.96	1.38	1.85	
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	2.85	4.03	5.32	
Time to Failure, min.	90	98	100	
Rate of strain, %/min.	0.20	0.20	0.20	
Specimen Height, in.	3.17	3.17	3.17	
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40	



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Feature	Ash Disposal Dike	
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TRIAXIAL COMPRESSION TEST (R)



Type of Specimen Remolded\*

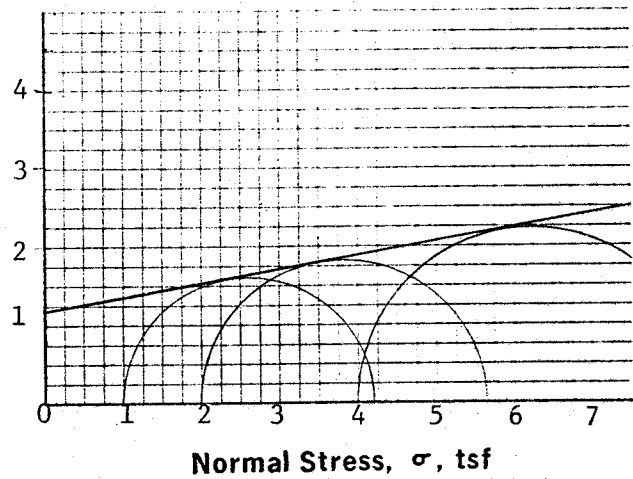
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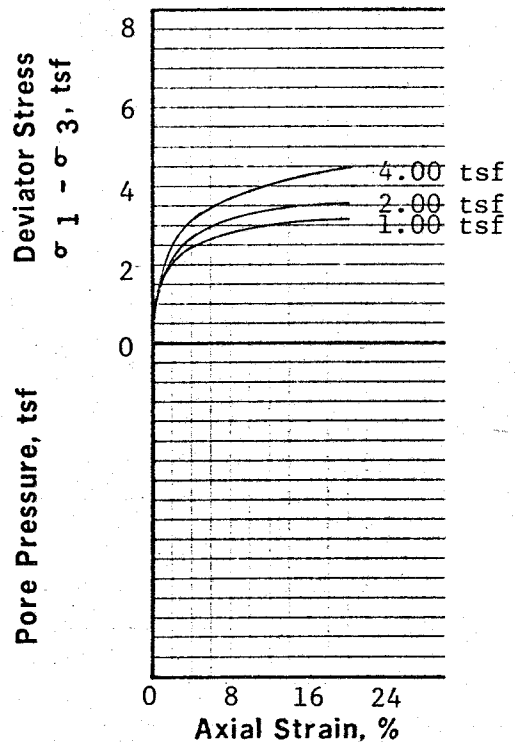
PI. 24.4 D<sub>10</sub> -

Specimen Number	1	2	3	4	
Initial	Moisture Content, %	23.4	23.4	23.3	
	Dry Density, pcf	98.5	98.5	98.6	
	Void Ratio	.762	.762	.760	
	Saturation, %	85.3	85.3	85.1	
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	-	-	-	
	Saturation, %	-	-	-	
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	-	-	-	
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	-	-	-	
Final Moisture Content, %	23.4	23.4	23.3		
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	1.00	2.00	4.00		
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	4.21	5.64	8.46		
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	-	-	-		
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	-	-	-		
Time to Failure, min.	20	20	20		
Rate of strain, %/min.	1.00	1.00	1.00		
Specimen Height, in.	3.17	3.17	3.17		
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40		

Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	$T \tan \phi$	C, tsf
Apparent	10.0	.18	1.19
Effective	-	-	-



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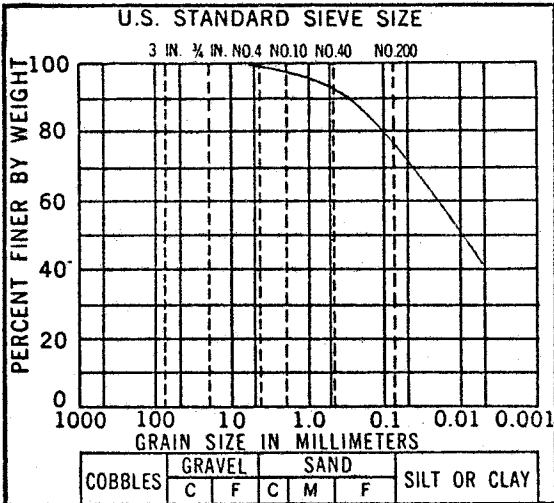
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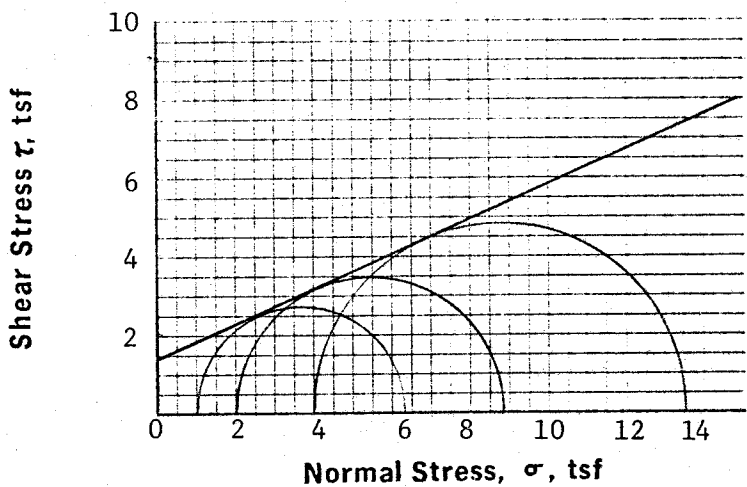
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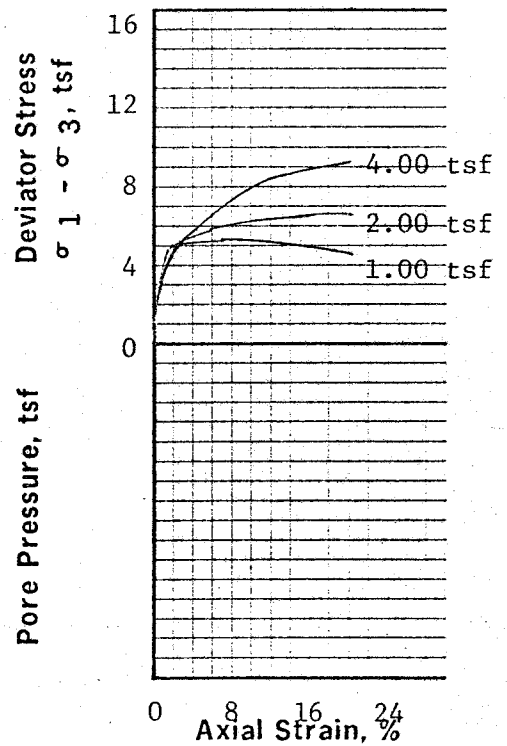


Type of Specimen	Remolded*	
Classification	CH	
LL.	51.2	G 2.78
PI.	24.4	D <sub>10</sub> -



Shear Strength	φ Deg.	Tan φ	C, tsf
Apparent	24.0	.45	1.40
Effective	-	-	-

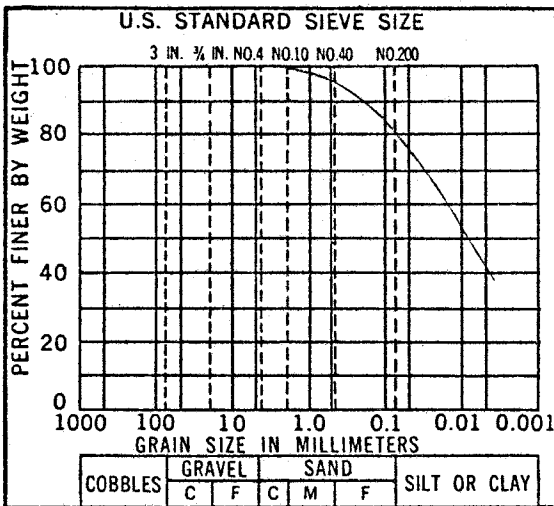
Specimen Number	1	2	3	4
Initial	Moisture Content, %	17.1	17.4	17.2
	Dry Density, pcf	98.7	98.4	98.6
	Void Ratio	.759	.763	.760
	Saturation, %	62.6	63.5	63.1
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	-	-	-
	Saturation, %	-	-	-
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	-	-	-
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	-	-	-
Final Moisture Content, %	17.0	17.4	17.3	
Minor Principal Stress, σ <sub>3</sub> , tsf	1.00	2.00	4.00	
Major Principal Stress, σ <sub>1</sub> , tsf	6.32	8.86	13.51	
Effective Minor Principal Stress, σ̄ <sub>3</sub> , tsf	-	-	-	
Effective Major Principal Stress, σ̄ <sub>1</sub> , tsf	-	-	-	
Time to Failure, min.	7	17	20	
Rate of strain, %/min.	1.0	1.0	1.0	
Specimen Height, in.	3.16	3.16	3.16	
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40	



Remarks: \*Remolded at 3% below optimum moisture and at 95% of standard proctor density.

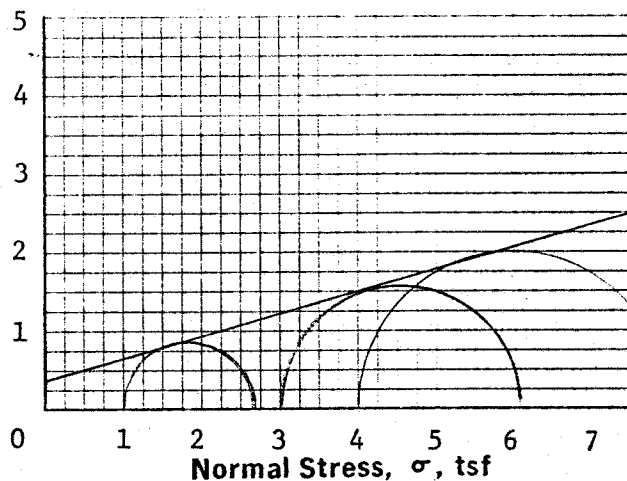
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Feature: Ash Disposal Dike	
Boring No.	Sample No. Class IV
Station	Offset
Date: 11-5-76	Elev.

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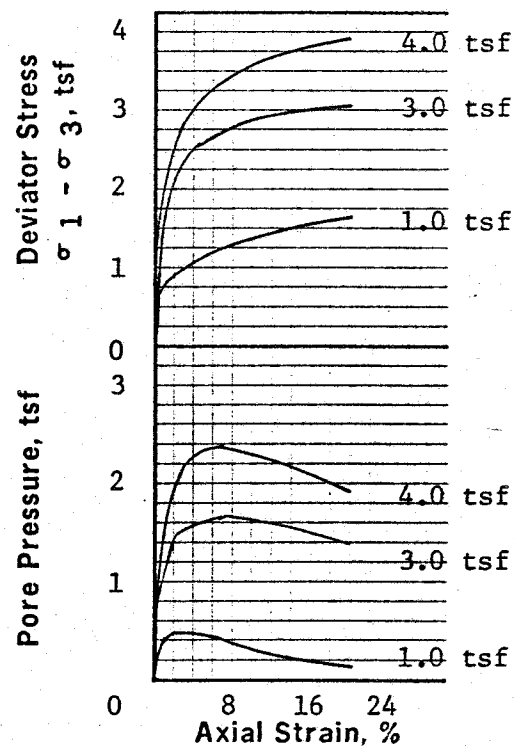
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LL.	51.2	G 2.78
Pl.	24.4	D <sub>10</sub> ---

Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	Tan $\phi$	C, tsf
Apparent	16.0	0.29	0.35
Effective	30.0	0.58	0.00

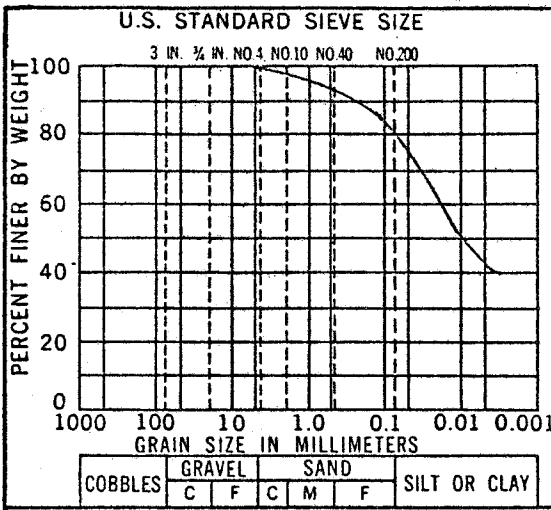
Specimen Number	1	2	3	4
Initial	Moisture Content, %	23.4	23.2	23.1
	Dry Density, pcf	98.5	98.8	98.8
	Void Ratio	.761	.756	.757
	Saturation, %	85.5	85.3	85.0
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	27.4	27.2	27.2
	Saturation, %	100.0	100.0	100.0
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	24.0	26.6	25.8
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	.661	.641	.666
Final Moisture Content, %	24.0	26.6	25.8	
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	1.00	3.00	4.00	
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	2.65	6.07	7.92	
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	0.88	1.55	2.02	
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	2.53	4.62	5.94	
Time to Failure, min.	103	90	100	
Rate of strain, %/min.	0.20	0.20	0.20	
Specimen Height, in.	3.17	3.17	3.17	
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40	



Remarks: \*Remolded at 3% Above optimum moisture and at 95% of standard proctor density.

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Feature	Ash Disposal Dike	
Boring No.	Sample No.	Class IV
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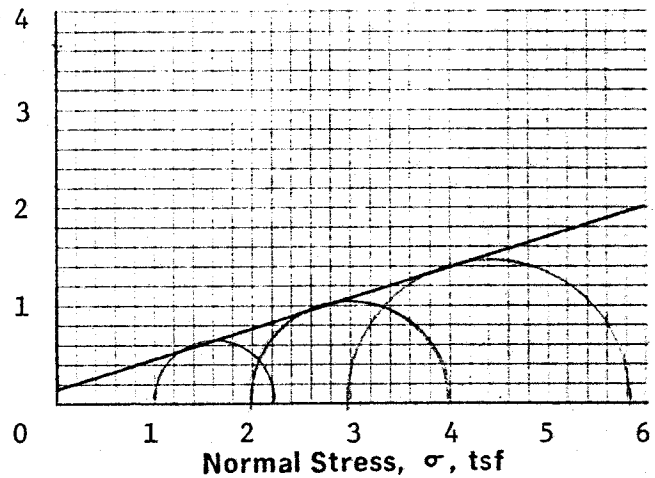
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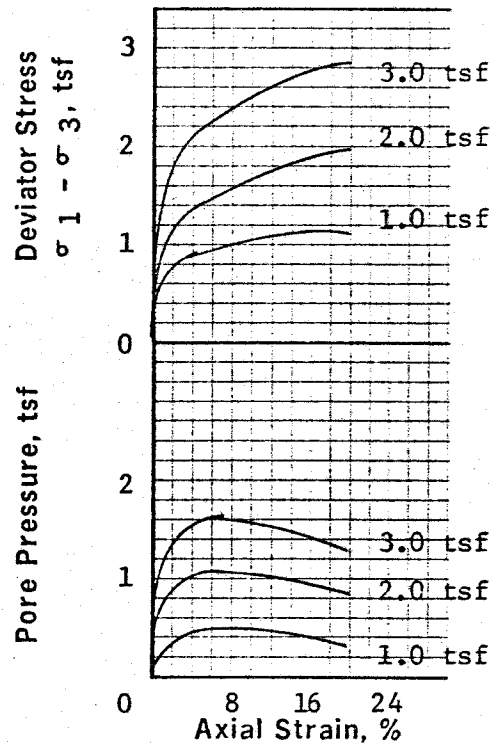
Type of Specimen	Remolded*	
Classification	CH	
LL.	51.2	G 2.78
PI.	24.4	D <sub>10</sub> --

Specimen Number	1	2	3	4
Initial	Moisture Content, %	17.4	17.6	17.5
	Dry Density, pcf	98.5	98.3	98.4
	Void Ratio	.762	.766	.764
	Saturation, %	63.4	64.0	63.7
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	27.4	27.5	27.5
	Saturation, %	100	100	100
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	27.3	25.8	26.1
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	.755	.716	.679
Final Moisture Content, %	27.3	25.8	26.1	
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	1.00	2.00	3.00	
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	2.19	3.99	5.86	
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	0.60	1.13	1.62	
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	1.79	3.12	4.48	
Time to Failure, min.	90	95	90	
Rate of strain, %/min.	0.2	0.2	0.2	
Specimen Height, in.	3.16	3.16	3.16	
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40	

Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	$T_{on \phi}$	C, tsf
Apparent	17.3	0.31	0.17
Effective	27.5	0.52	0.04



Remarks: Remolded at 3% below optimum moisture and at 95% of standard proctor density.

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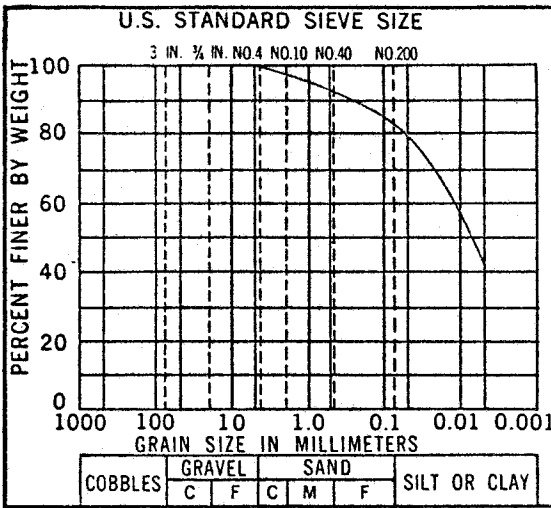
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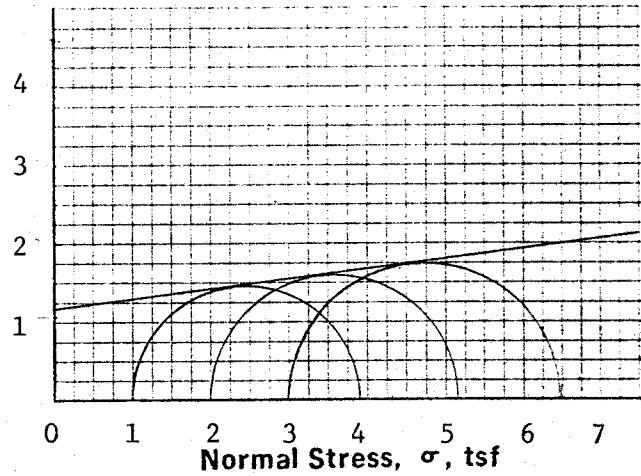
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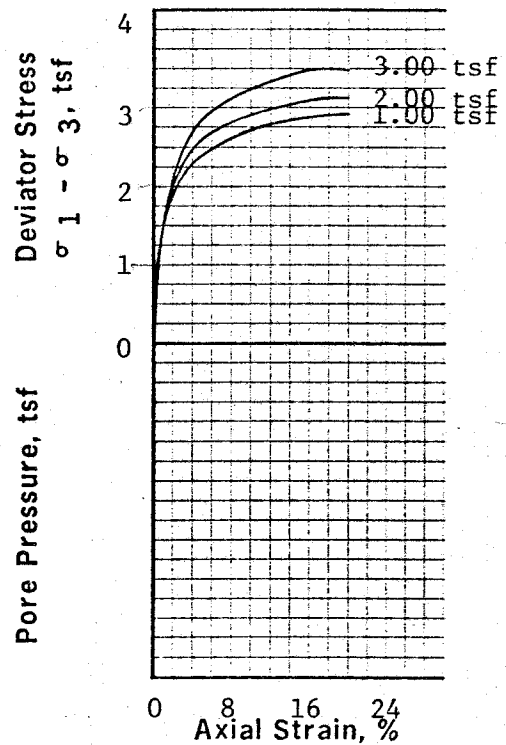
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Pl.	24.3	D <sub>10</sub> -

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Initial	Moisture Content, %	25.9	26.1	26.2	
	Dry Density, pcf	94.2	94.0	94.0	
	Void Ratio	.862	.865	.867	
	Saturation, %	84.5	84.7	84.9	
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	-	-	-	
	Saturation, %	-	-	-	
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	-	-	-	
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	-	-	-	
Final Moisture Content, %	25.8	26.1	26.2		
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	1.00	2.00	3.00		
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	3.91	5.15	6.45		
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	-	-	-		
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	-	-	-		
Time to Failure, min.	19	19	19		
Rate of strain, %/min.	1.00	1.00	1.00		
Specimen Height, in.	3.17	3.17	3.17		
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40		

Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



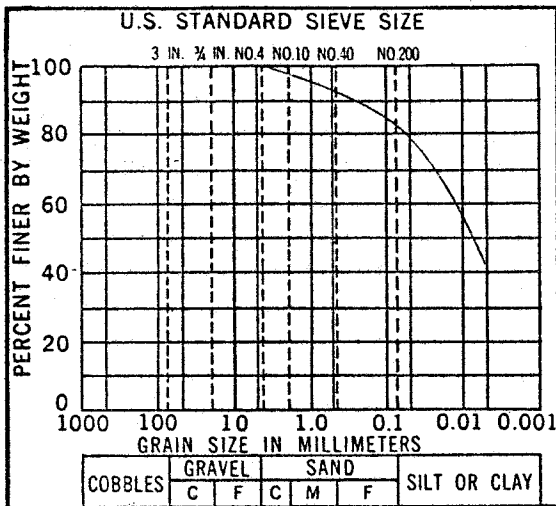
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Apparent	7.0	0.12	1.14
Effective	-	-	-



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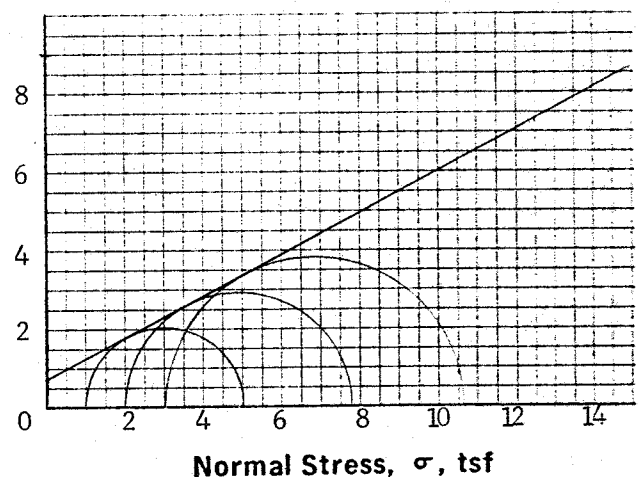
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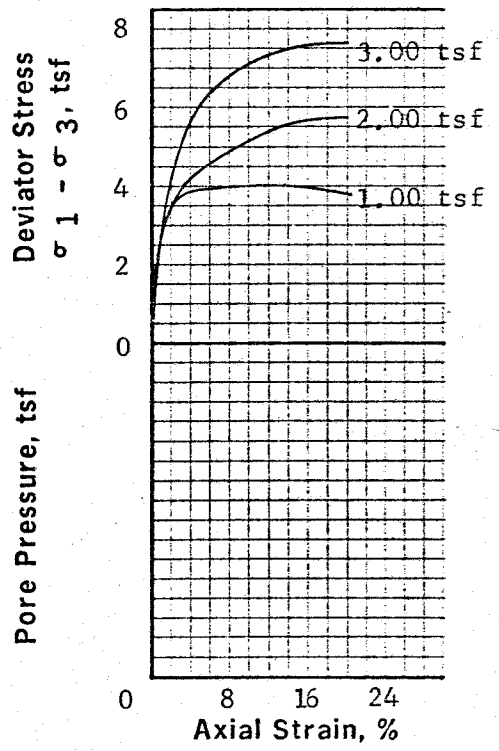
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Classification	MH	
LL.	55.2	G 2.81
PI.	24.3	D <sub>10</sub> -

Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	$\tan \phi$	C, tsf
Apparent	27.9	0.53	0.74
Effective	-	-	-

Specimen Number	1	2	3	4
Initial	Moisture Content, %	20.1	20.1	19.9
	Dry Density, pcf	94.1	94.1	94.2
	Void Ratio	.865	.865	.862
	Saturation, %	65.2	65.5	64.9
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	-	-	-
	Saturation, %	-	-	-
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	-	-	-
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	-	-	-
Final Moisture Content, %	20.1	20.1	19.9	
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	1.00	2.00	3.00	
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	5.02	7.73	10.63	
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	-	-	-	
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	-	-	-	
Time to Failure, min.	10	18	18	
Rate of strain, %/min.	1.00	1.00	1.00	
Specimen Height, in.	3.17	3.17	3.17	
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40	

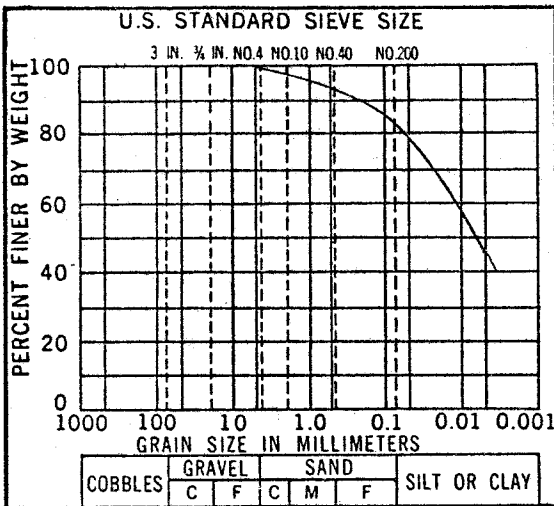


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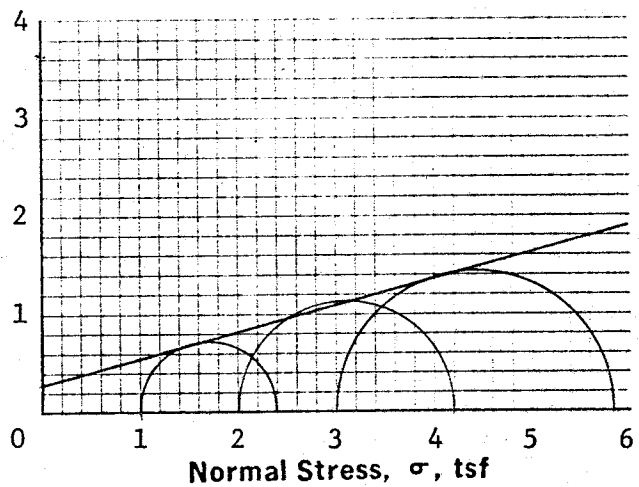
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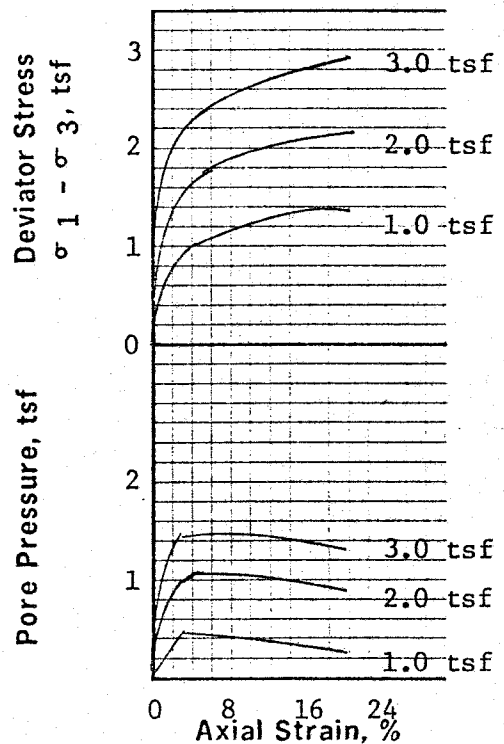
Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



Type of Specimen	Remolded*		
Classification	MH		
LL	55.2	G	2.81
Pl.	24.3	D <sub>10</sub>	--

Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	Tan $\phi$	C, tsf
Apparent	15.0	0.27	0.27
Effective	25.5	0.48	0.10

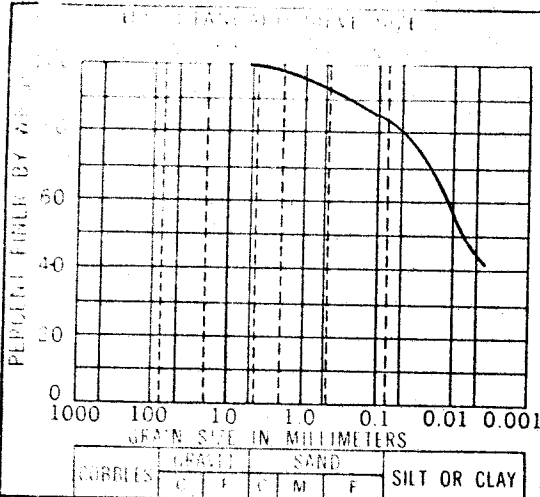
Specimen Number	1	2	3	4	
Initial	Moisture Content, %	26.0	25.9	26.0	
	Dry Density, pcf	94.2	94.2	94.1	
	Void Ratio	.863	.863	.865	
	Saturation, %	84.7	84.4	84.6	
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	30.7	30.7	30.8	
	Saturation, %	100	100	100	
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	29.7	27.9	27.2	
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	.835	.785	.764	
Final Moisture Content, %	29.7	27.9	27.2		
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	1.00	2.00	3.00		
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	2.39	4.19	5.86		
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	0.73	1.15	1.68		
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	2.12	3.34	4.54		
Time to Failure, min.	80	90	90		
Rate of strain, %/min.	0.2	0.2	0.2		
Specimen Height, in.	3.16	3.16	3.16		
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40		



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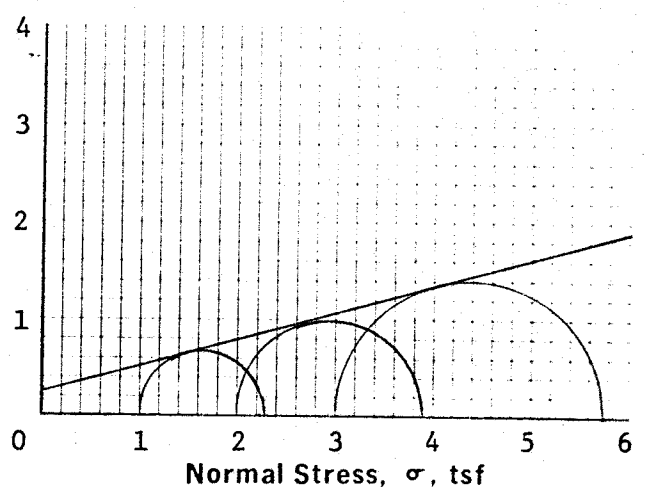
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Boring No.	Sample No. Class V
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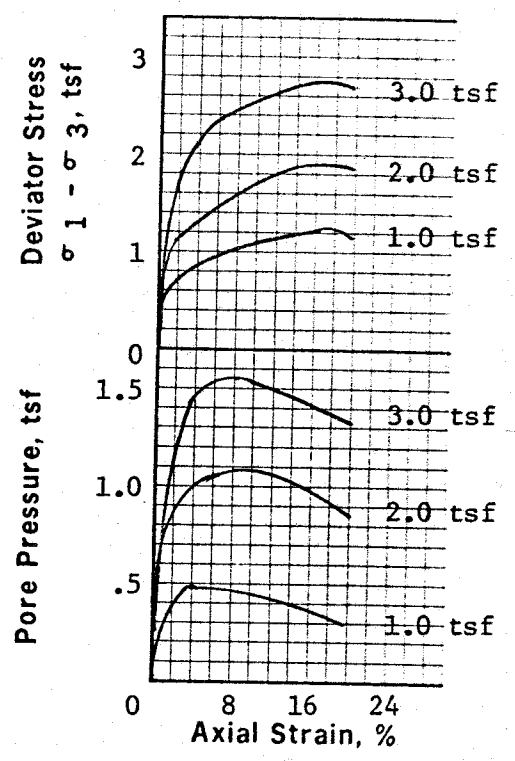
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Classification	MH	
LL.	55.2	G 2.81
PI.	24.3	D <sub>10</sub> --

Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	$\tan \phi$	C, tsf
Apparent	15.3	0.27	0.26
Effective	26.0	0.49	0.06

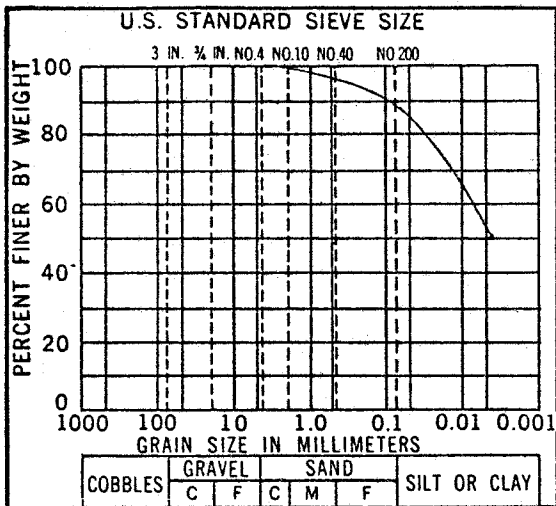
Specimen Number	1	2	3	4
Initial	Moisture Content, %	19.9	19.9	20.0
	Dry Density, pcf	94.2	94.2	94.1
	Void Ratio	.861	.861	.865
	Saturation, %	64.8	64.8	64.9
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	30.7	30.7	30.8
	Saturation, %	100	100	100
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	27.0	28.6	27.8
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	.757	.802	.781
Final Moisture Content, %	27.0	28.6	27.8	
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	1.00	2.00	3.00	
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	2.24	3.89	5.76	
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	0.63	1.04	1.61	
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	1.87	2.93	4.37	
Time to Failure, min.	90	90	90	
Rate of strain, %/min.	0.20	0.20	0.20	
Specimen Height, in.	3.17	3.17	3.17	
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40	



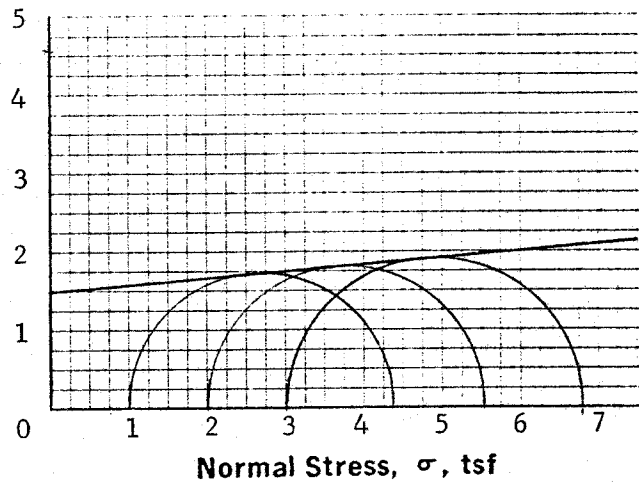
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TRIAXIAL COMPRESSION TEST (R)



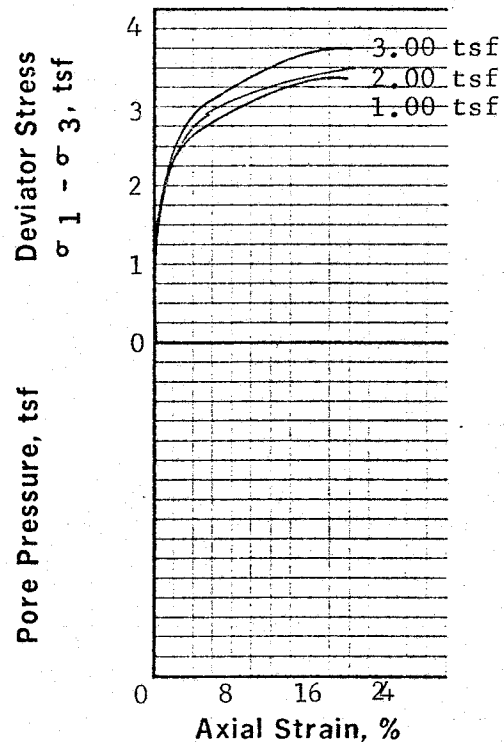
Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



Type of Specimen	Remolded *	
Classification	CH	
LL.	65.2	G 2.79
Pl.	34.5	D <sub>10</sub> -

Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	Tan $\phi$	C, tsf
Apparent	5.0	.09	1.50
Effective	-	-	-

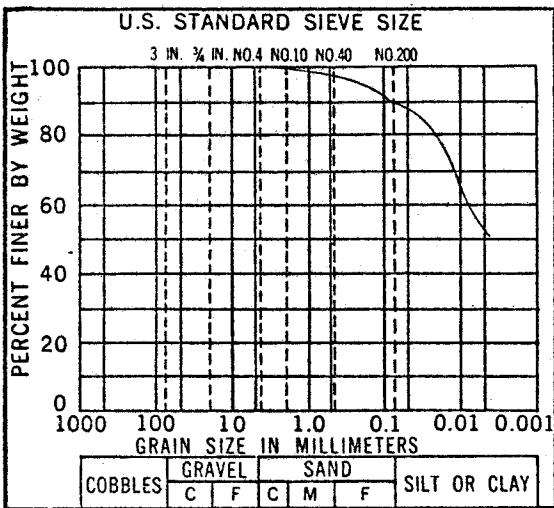
Specimen Number	1	2	3	4	
Initial	Moisture Content, %	26.7	26.4	26.8	
	Dry Density, pcf	93.1	93.3	93.0	
	Void Ratio	.872	.866	.873	
	Saturation, %	85.6	85.1	85.8	
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	-	-	-	
	Saturation, %	-	-	-	
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	-	-	-	
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	-	-	-	
Final Moisture Content, %	26.7	26.3	26.8		
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	1.00	2.00	3.00		
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	4.36	5.52	6.76		
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	-	-	-		
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	-	-	-		
Time to Failure, min.	19	20	19		
Rate of strain, %/min.	1.0	1.0	1.0		
Specimen Height, in.	3.16	3.16	3.16		
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40		



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TRIAxIAL COMPRESSION TEST (Q)



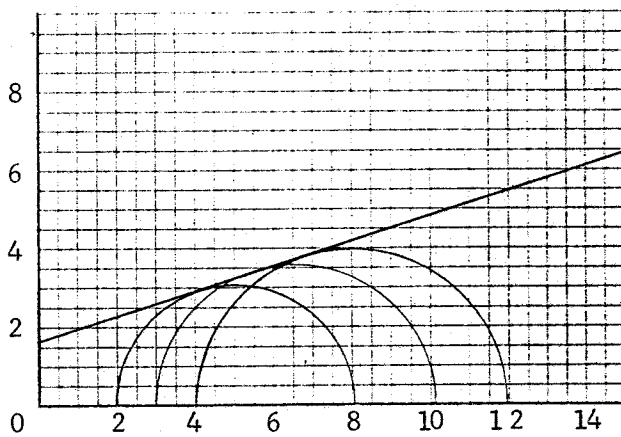
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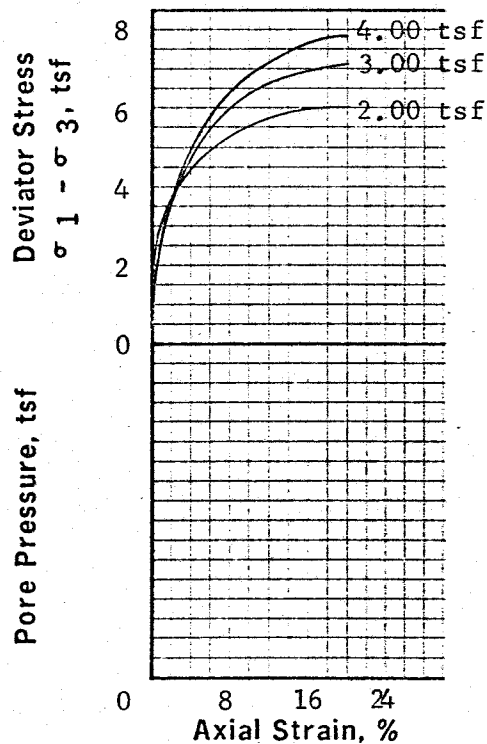
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Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	$\tan \phi$	C, tsf
Apparent	17.6	.32	1.67
Effective	-	-	-

Specimen Number	1	2	3	4
Initial	Moisture Content, %	20.7	20.5	20.7
	Dry Density, pcf	93.1	93.3	93.1
	Void Ratio	.871	.868	.871
	Saturation, %	66.4	66.0	66.2
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	-	-	-
	Saturation, %	-	-	-
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	-	-	-
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	-	-	-
Final Moisture Content, %	20.7	20.5	20.6	
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	2.00	3.00	4.00	
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	8.05	10.14	11.93	
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	-	-	-	
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	-	-	-	
Time to Failure, min.	20	20	20	
Rate of strain, %/min.	1.00	1.00	1.00	
Specimen Height, in.	3.17	3.17	3.17	
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40	



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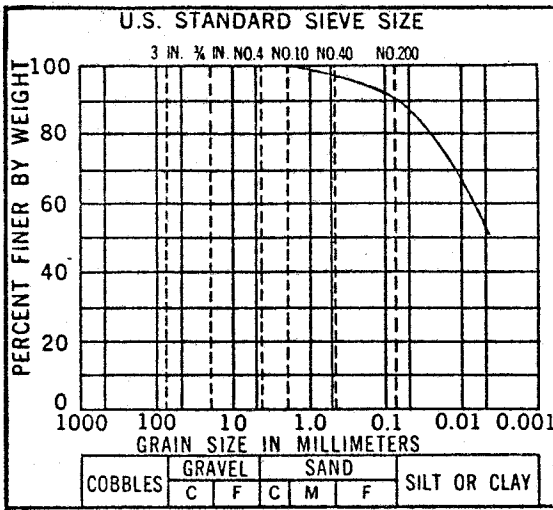
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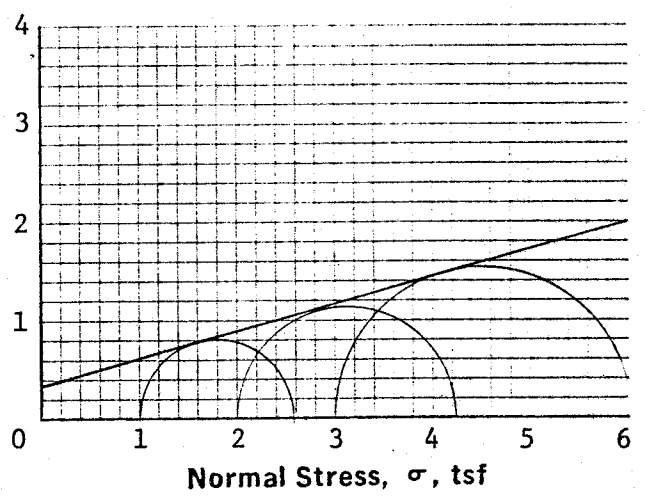
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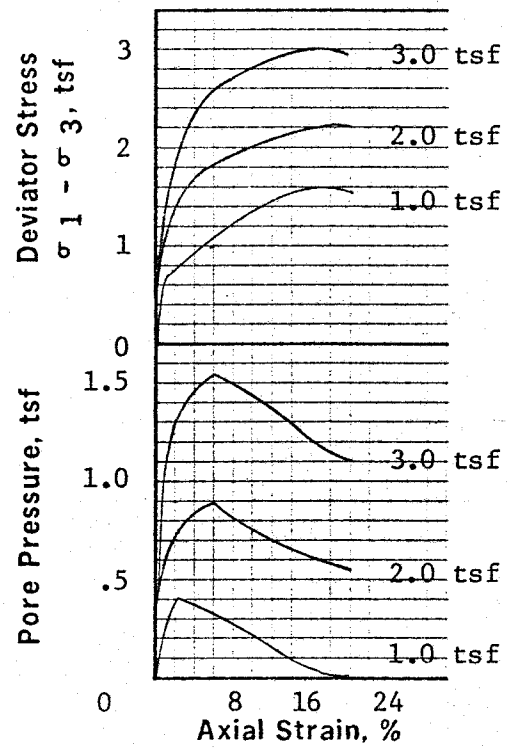
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 Classification CH  
 LL. 65.2 G 2.79  
 PI. 34.5 D<sub>10</sub> --

Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	$\tan \phi$	C, tsf
Apparent	15.1	0.27	0.37
Effective	26.1	0.49	0.04

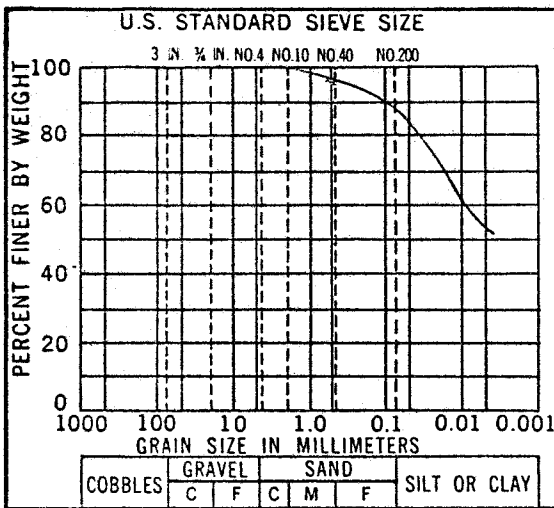
Specimen Number	1	2	3	4
Initial	Moisture Content, %	26.8	26.8	26.8
	Dry Density, pcf	93.1	93.1	93.1
	Void Ratio	.872	.872	.872
	Saturation, %	85.9	85.9	85.9
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	31.2	31.2	31.2
	Saturation, %	100	100	100
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	30.3	29.3	30.6
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	.842	.819	.755
Final Moisture Content, %	30.3	29.3	30.6	
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	1.00	2.00	3.00	
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	2.57	4.23	6.05	
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	0.89	1.44	1.85	
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	2.46	3.67	4.90	
Time to Failure, min.	80	90	90	
Rate of strain, %/min.	0.20	0.20	0.20	
Specimen Height, in.	3.17	3.17	3.17	
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40	



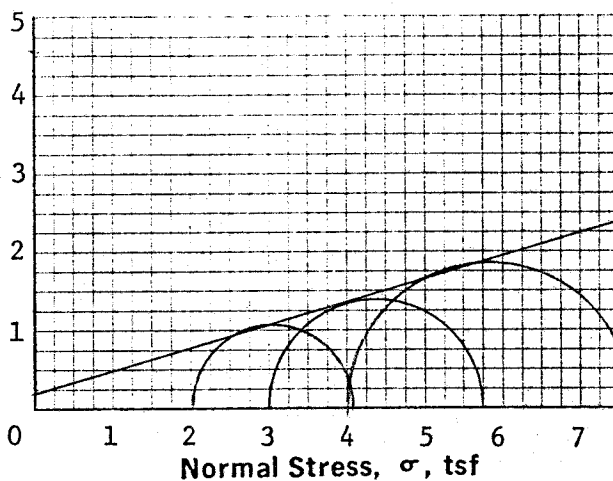
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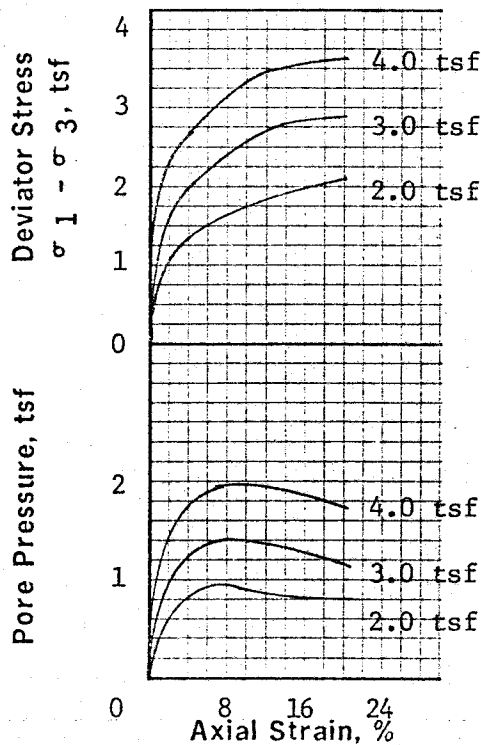
Shear Stress  $\tau$ , tsf



Type of Specimen		Remolded*	
Classification		CH	
LL.	65.2	G	2.79
Pl.	34.5	D <sub>10</sub>	--

Shear Strength	$\phi$ Deg.	Tan $\phi$	C, tsf
Apparent	16.2	.29	0.22
Effective	26.0	.49	0.00

Specimen Number	1	2	3	4	
Initial	Moisture Content, %	20.6	20.7	20.4	
	Dry Density, pcf	93.2	93.1	93.3	
	Void Ratio	.868	.870	.867	
	Saturation, %	66.1	66.3	65.7	
Before Shearing	Moisture Content after Saturation, %	31.1	31.2	31.1	
	Saturation, %	100	100	100	
	Moisture Content after Consolidation, %	30.2	30.3	29.6	
	Void Ratio after Consolidation	.792	.786	.695	
Final Moisture Content, %	30.2	30.3	29.6		
Minor Principal Stress, $\sigma_3$ , tsf	2.00	3.00	4.00		
Major Principal Stress, $\sigma_1$ , tsf	4.08	5.75	7.66		
Effective Minor Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_3$ , tsf	1.25	1.73	2.21		
Effective Major Principal Stress, $\bar{\sigma}_1$ , tsf	3.33	4.48	5.87		
Time to Failure, min.	100	80	90		
Rate of strain, %/min.	0.2	0.2	0.2		
Specimen Height, in.	3.16	3.16	3.16		
Specimen Diameter, in.	1.40	1.40	1.40		



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