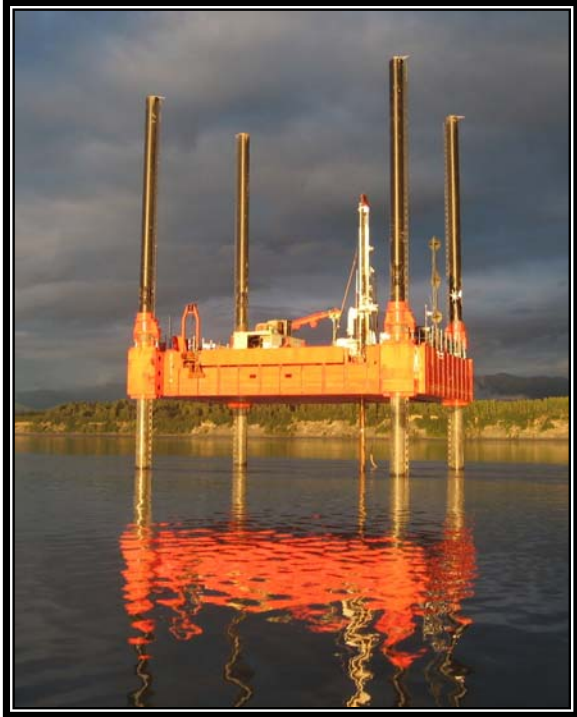


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## **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

This report presents the results of field explorations, field testing, and laboratory testing for the Knik Arm Crossing Project, in Knik Arm, Alaska. The purpose of this work was to collect geotechnical data along the conceptual alignment for the Knik Arm Crossing structure and abutments.

A concept crossing location was developed following preliminary engineering and permitting studies. The east side of the concept crossing alignment is about one mile north of Cairn Point. The west side of the crossing transitions through the intertidal zone about one mile north of the existing Port MacKenzie Dock. The over-water distance along the concept alignment is about 2 ¼ miles (about 11,900 feet). Borings were located at 500-foot intervals along this alignment approximately between the minus 5 foot mean lower low water contours on the west and east sides of the crossing. Pertinent prior borings by Shannon & Wilson and others that are located within about 2,000 feet of the concept alignment were also compiled and are included in an appendix to this report.

The 2006 Knik Arm Crossing geotechnical explorations included nineteen over-water borings, five cone penetration tests, and shear wave velocity measurements and pressuremeter testing at two locations. Drill rod energy transfer studies were included to correlate penetration resistance values recorded during drilling with conventional standard penetration test methods. The over-water program involved using a barge and four-corner mooring for borings located near mid channel. Borings located in shallower water were drilled using a jack-up platform to support the drill rig. The logistics associated with water depth, tidal range, and current velocity were challenging and should not be underestimated regarding design or eventual construction of the Knik Arm Crossing.

Samples recovered during drilling were transported to Shannon & Wilson's soils laboratory in Anchorage, Alaska for testing as appropriate to confirm field classifications and evaluate the engineering properties of the soils. Index testing typically included evaluating moisture contents, particle size gradations, and plasticity. Strength testing included unconfined compression and unconsolidated, undrained triaxial testing to supplement strength estimates based on standard penetration resistance and testing with field screening instruments including the pocket penetrometer and Torvane.

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## **ABBREVIATIONS & ACRONYMS**

°F	Degrees Fahrenheit
AASHTO	American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials
ADOT&PF	Alaska Department of Transportation & Public Facilities
API	American Petroleum Institute
bpf	Blows per foot
cm/yr	Centimeters per year
CPT	Cone Penetration Test
FS	Factor of safety
ft/sec	Feet per second
Golder	Golder Associates
H	Horizontal
HDR	HDR Alaska, Inc.
HLA	Harding Lawson Associates
km	Kilometer
ksi	Kips per square inch
LRFD	Load and resistance factor design
m	meter
Mat-Su	Matanuska-Susitna
MLLW	Mean Lower Low Water
mm/yr	Millimeters per year
M <sub>s</sub>	Surface Wave Magnitude
MW	Moment Magnitude
NCEER	National Center for Earthquake Engineering Research
NOAA	National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
OD	Outside diameter
PB	Parsons Brinckerhoff Construction Services, Inc.
PDA	Pile Driving Analyzer
PSHA	Probabilistic Seismic Hazard Analyses
psi	Pounds per square inch
RMDT	Robert Miner Dynamic Testing, Inc.
SPT	Standard Penetration Test
tsf	Tons per square foot
UHS	Uniform Hazard Spectrum
USGS	United States Geological Survey
V	Vertical
ybp	Years before present

## **1.0 INTRODUCTION**

This report presents the results of a geotechnical study conducted in Alaska across the Knik Arm where a bridge crossing is planned. The location of this alignment is shown on Figure 1. This geotechnical study was the seventh study in this area and was comprised of drilling nineteen borings across the roughly 12,000-foot wide channel. The off shore boring program was supported by five cone penetration tests (CPT), shear wave velocity measurements and pressuremeter testing at two locations and two on-shore borings to characterize the East and West shoreline soils.

The purpose of this work was to collect geotechnical data to be used in the design of the crossing.

### **1.1 Prior Studies**

Four prior geotechnical studies of limited extent were performed north of Cairn Point in efforts aimed at evaluating various alignment crossings. These studies are listed in the references of this report and include Dames & Moore, 1970; Alaska Department of Highways, 1970; Shannon & Wilson, 1971; and, Harding Lawson Associates (HLA), 1984.

Geotechnical work on the Knik Arm Bridge project was started in the early 1970s. Dames & Moore performed an over-water geophysical survey of this area of the waterway while the Alaska Department of Highways and Shannon & Wilson, Inc., conducted limited over-water drilling and shoreline reconnaissance activities, respectively. The focus of these studies was an early attempt at identifying the most promising crossing locations rather than collecting data to establish foundation types or construction costs.

In 1984, HLA conducted off shore exploration studies at three potential crossing locations, one starting on the shoreline near downtown Anchorage and two alignments further north up the Knik Arm beyond Cairn Point. The closest crossing studied by HLA is referred to as the Elmendorf Crossing and is generally situated about  $\frac{1}{4}$  mile north of the current alignment on the west side of Knik Arm and  $\frac{3}{4}$  miles north of this alignment on the east shoreline. The location of the current crossing concept is shown on Figures 1 and 2. Three borings drilled by HLA (HLA 4, 5, and 6) in the Elmendorf Crossing corridor are included with this report to supplement more recent studies.

This 1984 information was then reviewed again by Parsons Brinckerhoff Construction Services, Inc./HDR Alaska, Inc., 2003, (PB/HDR, 2003) and revealed broad data gaps in the information when used for estimating the foundation requirements and construction costs. Each

existing boring encountered different geologic units making it difficult to develop a subsurface cross section that could be used for estimating reasonable foundation costs. The intent of the follow-on study was to fill in these data gaps where the feasibility and construction costs could be revisited and would not have to rely so heavily on broad interpolations of limited subsurface data. At the time, the concept alignment was shifted south of the Elmendorf Crossing to shorten the access roads and be less costly. The follow-on 2003 study focused at this site and consisted of a field and laboratory program to collect site soils data followed by preliminary analysis of this information.

The 2003 study field work comprised drilling nineteen borings across the channel supplemented by CPTs at a few boring locations, shear wave velocity measurements at one location, and seven shallow borings along the east side tide flats south to the Port of Anchorage. Also rod energy transfer studies were conducted during Standard Penetration Testing (SPT) with various length drill rods. The bulk of the field effort was on drilling and sampling the seven over-water borings using a jack-up platform system. We have included pertinent boring logs from this study in Appendix G. Previous downhole geophysical data is included in Appendix H. The approximate locations of these borings are shown in Figure 2.

## **1.2 Current Scope**

The current concept alignment is shown in Figures 1 and 2. The current work effort was focused at this site and consisted of a field and laboratory program to collect site soils data for design purposes. The actual field work comprised drilling nineteen borings across the channel following the concept alignment supplemented by CPTs at a few boring locations, shear wave velocity measurements and pressuremeter testing at two locations. Also rod energy transfer studies were conducted during SPT with various length drill rods. The bulk of the field effort was on drilling and sampling the over-water borings using a floating barge and jack-up platform system.

Soil samples recovered during the above drilling were returned to our Anchorage soils laboratory for selective index, strength, and consolidation testing, as appropriate. The combined field, laboratory and geophysical results were then summarized in this report.

## **1.3 Report Organization**

This data report is organized into eight main sections. Section 1 is introductory in nature consisting of general information regarding the project, prior studies, the current scope of work and the authorization of our studies. Sections 2, 3, and 4 contain general descriptions of the site



and project and a brief summary description of the field explorations and laboratory tests performed. Details of this work are provided in the appendices.

Section 5 is devoted to a summary discussion of the geology, tectonics, and seismicity of the area. This information is also discussed in PB/HDR, 2003. This section is followed by Section 6, which gives a description of the subsurface conditions based upon the exploration. Backup logs and test results for this latter section are contained in the appendices. Sections 7 and 8 summarize limitations and references. Figures follow main text.

Nine appendices accompany the main text and figures. Appendix A provides discussions of the major field drilling and sampling work including off-shore drilling and sampling equipment and procedures. Also included within this appendix are the results of current drilling efforts including 19 boring logs and the logs of Shelby Tube samples recovered during drilling. The CPT results, recent shear wave velocity measurements and pressuremeter testing are contained in Appendices B, C and D, respectively.

Appendix E summarizes the results of measured energy transfers from the surface SPT hammer to the sampler for various rod lengths. Appendix F describes the laboratory test procedures on the recovered soil samples and the results. The focus of this testing was on evaluating soil shear strengths, although basic index and a few consolidation tests were also performed.

Appendix G contains the logs of pertinent prior borings by Shannon & Wilson and others while Appendix H includes the results of a downhole seismic velocity survey conducted on the Knik Arm west shoreline. The last appendix, Appendix I, contains important information about this geotechnical report and is intended to aid the planners and users in understanding the use and limitations of our geotechnical work.

#### **1.4 Authorization**

This work was performed in general accordance with our Subconsultant Agreement with PND Engineers, with subsequent amendments aimed at completing an expanded work scope. The prime consultant, HDR Alaska, and the project representatives from the Knik Arm Bridge and Toll Authority approved the general scope of the geotechnical work at several meetings held at the start and as the work progressed.

## **2.0 SITE AND PROJECT DESCRIPTION**

The Knik Arm Bridge Project is intended to provide a connection between the west and east shore of Knik Arm. The following narrative describes the site, the geographic and climatic setting and general nature of the bridge project.

### **2.1 Site Description**

The Knik Arm Crossing will span Knik Arm, an extension of upper Cook Inlet to the north of Anchorage, Alaska as shown in Figure 1. A site map showing the tentative crossing area, the onland and off-shore topography, and the locations of borings drilled in the area is presented in Figure 2. Anchorage is located in Southcentral Alaska, is the largest city in the state, and accounts for nearly half of the state's population. The Port of Anchorage and the Ted Stevens Anchorage International Airport serve as major transportation hubs for goods entering Alaska and/or serving the Pacific Rim countries. The shorelines of Anchorage are characterized as large mudflats in the intertidal zones and 50 to 150 foot high bluffs above high tide. Similar conditions exist in Knik Arm and at the planned crossing area.

Knik Arm is an approximately 34 mile long, 1.6- to 5-mile wide water body that is orientated approximately northeast by southwest. It is characterized by strong currents, deep water, and large tides, as well as strong winds, winter storms, and sea ice. The water is also murky with glacial silt making visibility for divers and construction workers limited to a few feet or less. These potentially hazardous work conditions make construction of a highway bridge across this channel one of the more challenging projects in Alaska.

As shown in Figure 1, the east side of the concept crossing alignment is about one mile north of Cairn Point. The over-water distance along the concept alignment is about 2 ¼ miles (about 11,900 feet). On the west side of the crossing, the concept alignment transitions through the intertidal zone about one mile north of the existing Port MacKenzie Dock. New access roads will be needed to connect the crossing with the existing road systems east and west of Knik Arm.

Tides are large and range between Elevation +34.1 feet (MLLW Datum) at high tide and -6.1 feet at low tide for a total maximum change of 40.2 feet. MLLW has been taken as the project elevation datum and is used throughout most of the remainder of the report. The corresponding high and low elevations for Mean Sea Level Datum are +17.6 and -22.6 feet, respectively.

Currents created at tide changes vary with the location in the channel and when the measurements are made during the tide cycles. During our explorations, maximum currents of

8.5 knots (13.5 feet per second [ft/sec]) on the ebb tide were measured at the water surface at one location. At most other locations, more typical maximum values were in the 4 to 5 knot (6.8 to 8.4 ft/sec) range. When comparing project flow measurements with those found in the tide tables during 2006 explorations, we generally found that the published flows (Nobeltec Tides & Currents, Version 3.0 software) were about 1.5 knots (2.5 ft/sec) lower than our readings. These published currents are based on NOAA predictions from gages situated south of the study area.

## **2.2 Geographic and Climatic Setting**

Knik Arm in part is a glacially scoured valley. The local topography above high tide consists of steeply sloping bluffs along much of the coast including both sides of Knik Arm with intertidal mudflats reaching about  $\frac{1}{4}$  and  $\frac{1}{2}$  miles seaward on the west and east sides, respectively, at extremely low tides. Based on a 2003 reconnaissance survey, the east and west bluffs are roughly 70 and 100 feet high, respectively. These bluffs are both part of the Elmendorf Moraine or gravel deposits left as a result of prior glacier retreats.

From limited reconnaissance of both bluffs they appear to be in a state of marginal stability as erosion from tides and strong currents seem to be slowly cutting away at the toe of slopes on both sides of the Knik Arm. This toe erosion results in progressive slumping and/or sloughing of the bluffs, the tailings of which are eventually washed away at high tides or with wave action again exposing the toe to more erosion. Freeze thaw effects, infrequent strong earthquakes, and bank seepage also appear to contribute some to this erosion process. Bank regression studies of the Anchorage bluff at Point Woronzof indicate an average regression rate of about 2 feet per year. Similar regression rates probably occur here as the sea face exposure, slope heights and bank materials appear similar.

The climate is predominantly cool maritime with mild winters and cool summers. Average annual precipitation is about 15 inches. Strong winds are common especially in winter and cloud cover is persistent. Average annual temperature is about 36 degrees Fahrenheit ( $^{\circ}$ F) with a mean January temperature of about 16 $^{\circ}$ F and a mean August temperature of approximately 56 $^{\circ}$ F.

## **2.3 Project Description**

The purpose of the Knik Arm crossing project is to construct a transportation link from Anchorage northwest over the Knik Arm to the Matanuska-Susitna (Mat-Su) Borough where the road will interconnect with the existing roads. On the east side of the concept crossing an embankment fill is planned which transitions the intertidal zone and parallels the undeveloped shoreline south about 2 miles to the Port of Anchorage and existing roads in the area. For this

report, only the water crossing of Knik Arm, and to a limited extent the embankment south to the Port of Anchorage were studied.

The location of the crossing, shown on Figure 1, was generally established far enough north to avoid the deep waters at Cairn Point and to avoid the future ferry or shipping traffic to the existing dock at Port MacKenzie.

### **3.0 FIELD EXPLORATIONS AND TESTING**

The 2006 geotechnical evaluation involved the four specific field tasks listed below:

1. Drilling and sampling of nineteen soil borings,
2. Select CPT testing at five locations,
3. Downhole shear wave velocity measurements and pressuremeter testing at two locations, and
4. SPT energy transfer tests on drill rods in one boring.

The scope of each of these efforts is briefly described below while detailed procedures and the results are contained in Appendices A through E.

#### **3.1 Borings**

Nineteen borings, designated Borings B06-01 through B06-19, were advanced to characterize the typical subsurface conditions at the concept crossing alignment. Six of the borings were drilled from a floating barge and the remaining thirteen from jack-up platform using rotary and wireline drilling methods. Results of two additional on-shore borings drilled previously, designated Borings A03-7 and B05-1, are also included in this report. The on-shore borings were advanced using hollow stem auger methods.

The off-shore drilling work was performed between August and October, 2006. The borings advanced in the deepest water, B06-05 through B06-10, were drilled from the floating barge and the remaining thirteen borings were advanced from the jack-up platform. The two on-shore borings were advanced in October, 2003 and December, 2005 for Borings A03-7 and B05-01, respectively.

The locations of the 19 off-shore borings and 2 on-shore borings are shown on the boring location plan in Figure 2. The individual logs of the 19 off-shore borings are presented in Appendix A. Also presented in this appendix is a detailed description of drilling and sampling procedures for both on and off-shore work. The logs of the on-shore borings are presented in Appendix G with pertinent prior logs by Shannon & Wilson and others.

### **3.2 Cone Penetration Testing**

Cone penetration tests (CPTs) were performed adjacent to five boring locations, Borings B06-11, B06-13, B06-15, B06-17, and B06-18, to further evaluate the properties of the soils, particularly the uniformity of the thick silty clays and fine sands and their relative strength or density properties. The CPT measurements were conducted by Gregg In Situ, Inc. In general, the upper layer (15 to 20 feet) of soil was drilled to create a cased hole to support the CPT rod as it was pushed beyond these depths into the underlying soils. The penetrometer tests were initiated after the casing was set and drilled out. The cone used for this study was a 2.3 in<sup>2</sup> (15-cm<sup>2</sup>) standard electronic cone.

The tests consist of pushing an instrumented, a 20-ton capacity cone in the soil at a constant 0.8 inch per second rate. The resistance to continuous penetration encountered by the cone tip and a friction sleeve are transmitted electronically through the push rods into a portable data acquisition system at the surface. A pore pressure element is located within the cone. During the test, the data was graphically displayed in color on a computer screen showing tip stress, friction stress, dynamic pore pressure, and slope plotted against depth. Logs from the cone penetrometer tests and the measured piezometric data are included in Appendix B along with calculated friction ratios, relative strengths, and equivalent Standard Penetration Resistance (or uncorrected N) values and  $N_{1(60)}$  values. The  $N_{1(60)}$  values are equivalent corrected blow counts (for confining effects) and an assumed 60 percent energy transfer down the drill rods to the sampler.

### **3.3 Shear Wave Velocity Measurements and Pressuremeter Testing**

While pushing the cone for the CPTs adjacent to Borings B06-11 and B06-18, the CPT cone advance was stopped every 5 feet for making shear wave velocity measurements. These measurements are made using conventional downhole procedures and provide useful velocity information for performing a follow on ground response analysis and developing a site specific response spectra. In this test, the energy source, an air gun, was provided and operated by Gregg In Situ, Inc. When cone advance was stopped at each interval, a blast of air in the water column above the borehole location induced compression and shear waves into the soil. These “waves” travel down through the soil column past a geophone attached near the cone tip. The interval travel times of both waves can be measured between the source and geophone at different depths enabling the interval shear wave velocities to be calculated every 5 feet. The results of the velocity changes with depth from these measurements for Boring B06-18 are presented in Appendix C.

Gregg In Situ, Inc. was unable to provide shear wave velocity calculations for Boring B06-11 as a result of poor data collection. Because the geophones are incorporated into the cone and there are no guides for it, aligning the geophones properly with the energy source is generally challenging. Additionally, the strong currents we observed may have, to some degree, caused an offset in the place where the air blast created compression wave actually impacted the soil creating an even more challenging condition to align the geophones. It is our opinion that a combination of these two factors caused the poor data collection observed in Boring B06-11. Although Gregg In Situ, Inc. conducted shear wave velocity testing in this boring they were not able to provide shear wave velocity calculations.

After CPT operations were completed and while drilling and sampling, we also conducted pressuremeter (PMT) testing. The PMT measurements were also conducted by Gregg In Situ, Inc. using a Menard-type pressuremeter and were conducted in approximately 10 foot intervals on the upper 100 feet of the boring. The test is conducted by inserting the probe into a pre-formed test cavity at the bottom of the boring. Water is then metered from the control unit to expand the probe against the walls of the test cavity. Pressure and volume measurements are taken as the probe is incrementally expanded over a range of low to high pressures. In order to successfully conduct this test, the test cavity must remain opened long enough for the probe to be inserted. Because Boring B06-11 encountered sand in the upper reaches, we were unable to keep the cavity open and the testing was for the most part unsuccessful. The results of the PMT testing for Boring B06-18, along with a brief description of methods and procedures used are presented in Appendix D.

### **3.4 Standard Penetration Test Rod Energy Transfer Measurements**

The borings drilled for this study were typically in excess of 100 feet deep and, in many cases, sampling was conducted from a position 100 feet above the mud line. Therefore, standard penetration tests were performed with large diameter rods made of 3.5-inch outside diameter (OD) pipe with 0.188-inch walls (NWJ) compared to the smaller standard N-rod. Rod lengths reached over 300 feet in the deeper borings. Additionally, a Mobile automatic trip hammer was used in lieu of the conventional cathead/rope/safety hammer sampling method. These changes from the traditional SPT procedures, from which N-value empirical correlations are based, required rod energy transfer measurements in the field program to develop project-specific corrections appropriate for determining the relative density of cohesionless soils or the consistency (stiffness) of the cohesive soils.

To evaluate the auto hammer/rod energy transfer, Gregg In Situ, Inc. used a Pile Driving Analyzer (PDA) to acquire and process measurements of force and velocity with every impact of the automatic hammer on the sample rods. Two strain gauges mounted on a two foot section of

NWJ rod measured force, while two piezoresistive accelerometers mounted on the same rod measured acceleration. The gauges were mounted approximately 6 inches from the top of the rod. Analog signals from the gauges and accelerometers were collected, digitized, displayed in real-time, and stored by the PDA. Data recorded for soil sample intervals from 120 to 165 feet below mud line (169 to 214 feet of rods) were used to compute the average energy transfer to the rods. The results of these measurements are included as Appendix E.

#### **4.0 LABORATORY TESTING**

Laboratory tests were performed on select soil samples from the borings to determine the pertinent physical characteristics and engineering properties. The laboratory testing program on the soils was formulated with special emphasis on the determination of their strength properties for design of foundations. Additionally, index tests including moisture contents, gradation and Atterberg limits together with consolidation tests were conducted to better establish the behavior characteristics of these soils. The parameters from these tests, combined with visual examination of the sample consistency during drilling, the penetration resistance values from the standard penetration tests, and other field measurements provide the information needed for an engineering analysis of the soils. Results of the soil tests performed on samples from each boring are presented in Appendix F, together with a brief description of each test.

#### **5.0 LOCAL GEOLOGY, TECTONICS AND SEISMICITY**

##### **5.1 Local Geology**

Two major glaciation events have occurred in the upper Cook Inlet within the last 75,000 years. During the Knik Glaciation (30,000 to 75,000 years ago), thick sequences of sediment, known as the Knik Ground Moraine, were deposited as glaciers retreated. These deposits extend from the Eagle River Valley to Point Woronzof and can be observed in the Eagle River channel and south of Fort Richardson in the Anchorage Bowl area. During the time of deposition, fresh water lakes and ponds formed and were subsequently filled by peat and clay.

The Naptowne Glaciation (11,000 to 30,000 years ago) is responsible for the majority of glacial deposits currently encountered in the Anchorage area. At its maximum, the Naptowne Glaciation extended across the Anchorage Bowl area from the north and terminated at Point Woronzof and Point Campbell (Reger et al., 1995). The Bootlegger Cove Clay was formed during this time in the ice-free areas of the basin starting around 18,000 years ago. Thick units of this clay were deposited throughout the upper Cook Inlet region. Prior to and concurrent with the deposition of the Bootlegger Cove Clays, material was being shed out of the uplifting Chugach Mountains through alluvial processes (Hamilton, 1994). Wedges of sand and gravel interfinger with and underlie the clay in many areas.

Towards the end of the Naptowne Glaciation, meltwater from the Knik-Matanuska Glacier flowed across the Anchorage area towards the south as large braided stream channels containing sand and gravel. These sands and gravels were bound to the northeast portion of the Anchorage basin by the glacier lobe and deposited as the Mountain View Fan, which underlies parts of Government Hill, Mountain View, and downtown Anchorage. This deposit overlies much of the Bootlegger Cove Formation.

Approximately 14,000 years ago, the Knik-Matanuska lobe of the glacier retreated to roughly the location of the present day Eagle River and remained in that location for the next 2,000 years (Hamilton, 1994). During this time, large amounts of material were shed from the retreating glacier and subsequently formed the Elmendorf Moraine. The Elmendorf Moraine blocked drainage of the ancestral Eagle River creating a large lake within the lower part of the valley. Major deposition ended when ancestral Eagle River cut through the Elmendorf Moraine and drained the bound lake (Dilley, 2000).

By about 11,500 years ago, glacial ice had retreated approximately 30 miles up the Knik Arm and Anchorage was ice-free. By 10,000 years ago, many mountain passes were ice-free and glaciers were near their present locations (Hamilton, 1994). Since this time, glaciers have fluctuated slightly with small surges and retreats. The waters of Cook Inlet have risen in response to a worldwide sea level increase due to melting glaciers and have subsequently flooded the valley of the Knik-Matanuska River system creating Knik Arm.

## **5.2 Tectonics and Seismicity**

The project region is one of the most seismically active areas in the U.S. and historically subjected to large earthquakes. More than 5,000 earthquakes have been reported in the Alaska region since 1899. A list of earthquakes according to depth was obtained from the Alaska Earthquake Information Center, the locations of which are plotted on Figure 3.

### **5.1.1 Tectonics**

The tectonics and active seismicity of the region are the result of ongoing north-northwest movement of the Pacific Plate relative to the North American Plate. The relative movement results in a region of right lateral strike-slip faulting along the eastern margin of the Gulf of Alaska and subduction along the central and western margins of the gulf. The rate of movement between these plates, approximately 6 cm per year (DeMets et. al., 1990) is relatively rapid and results in Alaska being one of the most seismically active regions of the world and the



location of some of the largest, instrumentally-recorded earthquakes, including the 1964 Prince William Sound (MW<sup>1</sup> 9.2) earthquake.

Along the eastern margin of the Gulf of Alaska (+ 600 kilometers (km) southeast of the Anchorage area) the relative right-lateral movement between the plates is accommodated primarily by northwest-striking high-angle strike-slip faults (i.e., Fairweather and Queen Charlotte Faults). The right-lateral movement is translated northwest of the gulf into the interior of Alaska along the right lateral Denali Fault system, which extends approximately 200 km north of Anchorage.

The transition from right-lateral to subduction plate boundary is accommodated across the Yakutat Terrane or micro-plate which is located between the Pacific and North American plates in the east-central portion of the Gulf of Alaska (about 300 to 600 km east-southeast of Cook Inlet).

Along the central and western margins of the Gulf of Alaska (~300 km south of the Anchorage area), the relative plate movement is accommodated by subduction of the Pacific Plate beneath the North American Plate in the Aleutian Subduction Zone. Typical subduction zone physical characteristics include:

- A trench  
The trench demarcates the plate boundaries and the line at which one plate descends (subducts) beneath the overriding plate.
- A deformation zone or forearc at the leading edge of the overriding plate  
The front of the forearc adjacent to the trench typically consists of a wedge of accreted sedimentary and volcanic rocks scraped from the top of the subducting plate. Accumulation of accreted sediment and rock and warping of the forearc often produce a series of topographic highs (e.g., outer-arc high) and basins (e.g., forearc basin) that parallel the trench. The trailing edge of the forearc is characterized by a volcanic arc, which is the result of partial melting of the subducted plate below.
- A plunging subducted plate  
The subducted plate dips beneath the overriding plate, sometimes reaching depths of hundreds of kilometers. Partial melting of this plate at depth gives rise to the volcanic arc in the overriding plate.

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<sup>1</sup> Moment Magnitude (MW) is proportional to the amount of total energy released during a seismic event. It is comparable to, but not equivalent to, the magnitude for other scales (e.g. Richter).

In the Aleutian Subduction Zone, the Aleutian trench demarcates the plate boundaries. It extends approximately 3,000 km from the Gulf of Alaska, southwest and west to the Kuril trench west of the Aleutian Islands.

At the trench, the Pacific Plate dips at about 7 to 10 degrees a horizontal distance of about 150 to 280 km to the northwest. The depth and location of Wadati-Benioff zone seismicity associated with the subduction indicates that the plate dip increases to about 40 degrees beneath the overlying forearc basin (e.g., Shelikof Strait, Cook Inlet). The depth of this dramatic change in plate dip is estimated to be about 40 to 50 km. The steeply dipping portion of the plate extends to depths between 100 and 200 km based on the depth of seismicity observed in the plate.

The Kenai-Chugach Mountains physiographic province corresponds to a forearc high in the accretionary wedge in this region of the subduction zone. The Cook Inlet-Susitna Lowland physiographic province located immediately to the west-northwest of the Kenai-Chugach Mountains physiographic province is a forearc basin in which is located the Anchorage area. Beyond (west-northwest of) the basin is the volcanic arc in the Central and South Alaska Range physiographic provinces. The forearc basin in which Cook Inlet is located is undergoing both horizontal compression and dextral shearing as collision of the Yakutat micro-plate and the Kenai-Chugach Mountains physiographic province drives the Kenai-Chugach Mountains west-northwest towards the Alaska Range (Bruhn and Haeussler, 2006; Haeussler et al., 2000), resulting in potentially active folding and faulting within the basin.

### **5.1.2 Seismogenic Sources and Seismicity**

Within the present understanding of the regional tectonic framework and historical seismicity, three broad seismogenic sources of engineering significance have been identified. These include:

- A mega-thrust source at in interface between the North American and Pacific Plates in the Alaska-Aleutian Subduction Zone.
- A deep subcrustal zone (intraslab) in the subducted Pacific Plate in the Aleutian Subduction Zone.
- A shallow crustal zone within the North American Plate.

Cook Inlet is located within a forearc basin in the shallow crustal zone and above the mega-thrust and intraslab sources. Earthquakes from each source may cause significant ground

shaking at the site. The following provides a brief description of these sources, including geometry, seismicity, and likely maximum earthquake magnitudes.

#### *Alaska-Aleutian Subduction Zone Megathrust*

Megathrust or interplate earthquakes occur on the relatively shallow northwest dipping (<10 degrees) interface between the North American and Pacific Plates. Nearly the entire length of this interface has ruptured in historic times, producing several large interplate earthquakes, including the 1964 Prince William Sound (MW 9.2), 1957 Andreanof (MW 9.1), 1938 (MW 8.2 near the end of the Alaska Peninsula), and 1965 Rat Island (MW 8.7) great earthquakes (Yeats et. al., 1997). Anchorage is situated about 40 km north of the seismogenic portion of the plate interface that ruptured during the 1964 Prince William Sound (MW 9.2) earthquake.

The updip (south) extent of the seismogenic portion of the interplate was estimated by Wesson et al., (1999) as the southern limit of well recorded seismicity and the slope break of the continental shelf on the north side of the trench and at a depth of 20 km. This updip extent is in general agreement with the rupture areas for interplate earthquakes shown by Plafker et al. (1992). The down-dip (west-northwest) extent is estimated to be where the dip of Pacific Plate increases dramatically to about 40 degrees, at a depth of about 40 to 50 km. Based on this geometry, the depth of the plate interface beneath the site is about 30 km, as illustrated on Figure 5.

The rate and magnitude of mega-thrust earthquakes vary along the subduction zone. The segment of the subduction zone that underlies Kodiak Island and ruptured in 1964 produced the MW 9.2 Prince William Sound earthquake, the second largest instrumentally-recorded earthquake in the world. It is likely that this magnitude is the maximum that is generated on this subduction zone. In the probabilistic ground motion hazard study by the U.S. Geological Survey (Wesson et al., 1999), a recurrence interval of 750 years was assumed for a magnitude 9.2 event, based on stratigraphic studies in the Copper River Delta by Plafker and Rubin (1994). Significant but smaller events (e.g., magnitude 7+) occur more frequently on this rupture area, particularly in the area below Kodiak Island (Dosier et al., 2002; Sauber et al., 2006).

#### *Alaska-Aleutian Subduction Zone Intraslab*

Intraslab or Wadati-Benioff Zone earthquakes occur within the subducted Pacific Plate. These are typically located near the transition or within the steeper dipping part of the plate at or beyond (northwest of) the down-dip edge of the seismogenic plate interface (see Figure 5). Consequently, these earthquakes occur at depths of 35 km and greater. Hansen and Ratchkovski (2001) identify at least three historic events Wadati-Benioff Zone earthquakes (in the vicinity of

Kodiak Island) with magnitudes greater than 6.9, including the 1999 MW 7 Kodiak Island Earthquake. They indicate that this was a dip-slip event on a northwest dipping plane parallel to the subduction zone and was the result down-dip tensional forces in the more steeply dipping portion of the subducted plate.

### *Shallow Crustal Sources*

While much of the shallow crustal seismicity within forearc is a result of convergence of the North American and Pacific Plates, much of the shallow crustal seismicity in the North American Plate has generally not been associated with specific faults or structures.

Haessler et al. (2000) identify several faults and potentially fault-cored folds in upper Cook Inlet basin. Holocene scarps and recorded historical seismicity have been observed on the largest of these structures, the Castle Mountain Fault. The Castle Mountain Fault has been mapped over a total length of approximately 475 km. As shown in the upper map in Figure 6, the fault trends east-northeast/west-southwest approximately parallel to the northwest shore of the Cook Inlet. At its closest approach, it is about 40 km northwest of the site. Evidence of Holocene (11,000 years before present [ybp]) displacement has been observed along an 80 km long portion of the fault in the Susitna lowland north of Anchorage.

The fault displays evidence of both right-lateral strike-slip and reverse slip components. The north side is displaced upward relative to the south side along a steep, north-dipping fault plane. Slip during the Holocene Epoch on the Castle Mountain Fault has been predominately strike-slip with a component of dip-slip movement indicated by displacement of Holocene features and sediments. In the Susitna lowland, a Holocene sand ridge is displaced 23 feet (7 meters [m]) in a right-lateral sense while near-surface sediments have been displaced vertically 7.5 feet (2.3 m).

Because there is no documented evidence for displacement along the Castle Mountain Fault during historical time, the maximum earthquake magnitude was estimated from available seismological and geological data. A magnitude  $M_s^2$  7.0 earthquake occurred in the vicinity of the Castle Mountain Fault west of Anchorage in 1933. Due to the poor accuracy of epicenter location at the time and a lack of surface displacement investigations, it is not known if the earthquake occurred on the Castle Mountain Fault.

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<sup>2</sup> Surface Wave Magnitude ( $M_s$ ) relies on the amplitude of the surface waves with periods of 20 seconds, which are recorded at great distances.

Using Slemmons (1982) relationship between maximum earthquake magnitude and source parameters (maximum surface rupture length, total length, fault area, or displacement per event), Woodward-Clyde Consultants (1982) have estimated the maximum magnitude for the fault to be about 7.5. Assuming an average slip rate of approximately 5 millimeters per year (mm/yr), they also estimate the average recurrence interval for a maximum magnitude 7.5 on the Castle Mountain Fault to be approximately 235 years. Wesson, et al. (1999) in their probabilistic ground motion hazard study for the State of Alaska also determined that a likely maximum magnitude for this fault is about 7.5, but they used a slip rate of 0.5 mm/yr to estimate a recurrence rate of 1,300 years.

Another prominent crustal fault in the region is the Border Ranges Fault, which can be traced approximately 1,000 km northeastward from Kodiak Island, across the Kenai Peninsula, and along the northern front of the Chugach Mountains. At its closest approach, this fault is about 12 km southeast of the site (see upper map of Figure 6). The fault is mapped as a north-dipping reverse fault separating upper Paleozoic and lower Mesozoic rocks on the north from Upper Mesozoic and Tertiary rocks on the south and is interpreted to be an ancient subduction zone (suture zone) of Mesozoic to early Tertiary age. As the active subduction zone has since migrated southeastward to the Aleutian trench, it is generally believed that this fault is inactive. However, geologic mapping in the southern Kenai Peninsula by John Kelley (1981) suggests possible reactivation by more youthful faulting along a small portion of the ancient Border Ranges zone. This would be consistent with the faulted basin margins and fore-arc tectonic model of the area as proposed by Dickinson and Seeley (1979).

## **6.0 SUBSURFACE CONDITIONS**

The following summary discussion is based upon the field and laboratory results from 19 new borings and two shoreline borings, five CPT soundings and shear wave velocity measurements, and pressuremeter testing at two locations. The detailed results of this work are presented in Appendices A through F.

### **6.1 Channel Crossing Soils**

The soils across the channel and in the bluffs are of glacial or marine origin and, except for near surface deposits in the main channel bottom, are generally dense to very dense or very stiff to hard. The glacial geology in this area appears to be complex and has developed as a result of a number of glacier advances and retreats, scouring and redeposition as tills in both glacial lake and marine environments, and consolidation of deposits due to glacier over riding. Based on surface exposures, these depositional characteristics are not only present below the

waters of Knik Arm and the mudflats, but also exist in the steep bluffs on both sides of the channel.

Four basic geologic units appear to have been penetrated with the deep borings and are summarized in descending order as follows:

1. Recent Channel Marine Deposits,
2. Glacial Till or Moraine Deposits,
3. Glacial Lake Clays or Marine/Alluvial Sands, and
4. Possible Knik Tills.

### **6.1.1 Recent Channel Marine Deposits**

Up to 35 feet of loose to medium dense silty to clean fine sands are present in the center of the channel and were observed in Borings B06-06 through B06-13. A thinner layer of these recent deposits, approximately 10 feet thick, was also observed in the more easterly borings, B06-16 through B06-19. We believe these are recent marine deposits that are somewhat mobile and tend to shift over time as sand dunes with the changing currents and tides. The recent sand deposits were not observed on the west side, outside the channel, except for infill in the shallow water around the Port Mackenzie dock structure. This suggests that the west side of the channel may be subjected to stronger erosive forces.

### **6.1.2 Glacial Till or Moraine Deposits**

This unit was observed in the west side, outside of the main channel and was absent in the main channel, where it appears to have been eroded, or on the east side. Its general lack of apparent bedding or well-defined structure suggests that it is a glacial till. In addition to its lack of structure, it is characterized as both a clayey gravel and gravelly sand because of its changing mixture of particle sizes noted on the grain size plots in Appendix F. In general, its fine contents are relatively low when compared to the coarse grained components. It is also consistently very dense or hard with Standard Penetration Resistances generally in excess of 50 blows per foot (bpf) and frequently in excess of 100 bpf.

Our borings generally encountered a layer of coarse gravel and cobbles covering the till deposit. We believe that this layer of coarse material is the result of erosion forces on the west side mudflat. The layer was thinner closer to the shore, approximately 15 feet and became increasingly thicker towards the main channel. Blow counts in these deposits were generally higher than 50 bpf, this combined with the presence of cobbles slowed down the advancing of our borings and in Boring B06-03 forced us to terminate the boring at approximately 20 feet below seafloor.

Water contents range widely between approximately 10 and 25 percent, and where it was cohesive, Atterberg limit tests show that it is a CL according to the Unified Soil Classification System (Appendix F, Table F-2) or has low plasticity characteristics.

More detailed soil descriptions and test results on this unit can be obtained from the boring logs in Appendix A and the laboratory test results on select samples in Appendix F.

### **6.1.3 Glacial Lake Clays or Marine/Alluvial Sands**

Once the upper till-like unit or the loose marine deposits are penetrated, the borings encountered a thick clay/sand deposit, probably the most dominant geologic unit beneath the channel. This unit is distinguished from the till-like soils by its general lack of gravel particles with the exception of a few gravelly zones.

#### **a. Alluvial Sands**

The sand is classified as a dense to very dense, gray, clean to silty fine sand generally grading into a sandy silt to the east. From gradation results in Appendix F, the Unified Soil Classification symbol of the fine sand is largely an SP or SP-SM and the silty sand to sandy silt an SM or ML. Locally the fine sand appears to be deposited as a glacial rock flour, and seldom exceeds 20 percent fines, has little apparent cohesion, and is nonplastic in many cases.

Cone data were taken adjacent to Boring B06-11 in the sand deposit from 10 to 20 feet in depth. Measured CPT tip resistances generally increased with depth from approximately 40 tons per square foot (tsf) at the top of the CPT record to 160 or more tsf at the bottom of the record. Friction ratios values are about 1 percent (non-normalized) and 2 percent or slightly more (normalized) which is typical of a granular soil. The inferred soil behavior classification, based on the CPT data, is silty sand and sand using non-normalized data and silt mixtures using normalized data.

The average density properties of this granular unit are best taken from Borings B06-06 through B06-11 as each penetrates a thick part of this unit. Uncorrected N values correlated with elevation are plotted on Figure 5. Figure 5 reflects substantial scatter although there appears to be a consistent increase in relative density or consistency with depth.

**b. Glacial Lake Clays**

The clay beneath the eastern part of the channel is classified as a stiff to hard, gray, clay with generally low plasticity characteristics. Typical shear strengths versus elevation for the fine-grained soils encountered during drilling are summarized on Figure 6. This figure provides a summary plot of the laboratory shear strength results including unconfined compression tests, triaxial tests, and pocket penetrometer measurements and generally shows consistent strengths with depth with most values falling in or above the 2 to 5 tons per square foot (very stiff to hard) range.

A summary of the Mohr Circles from numerous unconfined compression tests and unconsolidated, undrained triaxial compression tests is presented on Figure 7. Unconfined compression test results for individual samples are presented in Appendix F, Figure F-3. The triaxial tests are presented in Appendix F, Figure F-4, and were conducted with a confining pressure close to the in situ effective confining pressure.

Limited cone data were taken adjacent to Borings B06-17 and B06-18 to check the strength and uniformity of the clays. Measured CPT tip resistances in the 7 to 140-foot depth range were generally consistent around 40 tsf, and had friction properties that are typical of a competent cohesive soil as opposed to a granular unit. Low calculated friction ratios of between 2 and 2.5 percent and an inferred soil behavior classification suggests that, based on CPT data in the 7 to 140-foot depth range, the clays may have silt, sandy silt and silt mixture properties. As noted above, the friction ratios for the sands in CPT B06-11 had slightly lower friction ratios of 1 percent (non-normalized) and 2 percent (normalized) and silty sand and sand using non-normalized data and silt mixtures using normalized data. This suggests that the behavior differences between the glacial lake clays and alluvial sands are small and reflective of a larger unit deposited under a similar geologic environment, only one has slightly more fines than the other.

The average shear velocities were about 1,050 ft/sec in the clayey soils found at Boring B06-18.

More detailed soil descriptions and test results on this sand/clay unit can be obtained from the boring and cone logs in Appendices A and B, the shear wave velocity and drill rod energy transfer results in Appendices C and D, and the laboratory test results on select samples in Appendix F.



#### **6.1.4 Possible Knik Tills**

This is the deepest unit encountered in the borings. Instead of being the typical very dense sands and gravels found in deep borings throughout the Port of Anchorage and downtown Anchorage areas, it is classified as a very dense, gray clean to silty granular formation grading from sand to coarse gravel and cobbles. Average N values were generally over 50 bpf and often in excess of 100 bpf. We believe that four of our borings, B06-04, B06-06, B06-07 and B06-11, penetrated this deposit, at elevations ranging from approximately -180-ft to -225-ft. It is noted that borings adjacent to the ones that penetrated the Knik Till were often advanced below the aforementioned elevations suggesting that the till depth is variable within the area. This deposit was also generally associated with artesian pressures encountered on the borings that penetrated it.

#### **6.2 East Shoreline Soils**

The soils along the east shoreline of Knik Arm are characterized by Boring A03-7. Boring A03-7 drilled approximately 2,000 feet south of the concept alignment, encountered conditions similar to those in the east side of the channel, but with generally higher blow counts. Like the nearest off-shore borings, Boring A03-7 encountered a soil profile comprised mostly of hard Glacial Lake clays. A layer, approximately 70 feet thick, of till like material was noted from 50 to approximately 120 foot below ground surface. Beneath this layer of till, the boring again encountered hard clay to approximately 193 feet below ground surface where till material was noted again. Blow counts through the boring were in general above 50 bpf and often over 100 bpf and shear strength values from pocket penetrometer readings were above 4.5 tsf. One unconfined test was performed on a sample from this boring with a result of 9.5 tsf.

More detailed soil descriptions and test results on this sand/clay unit can be obtained from the boring log in Appendix G.

#### **6.3 West Shoreline Soils**

The soils along the west shoreline are characterized by Boring B05-1. Based on information available from Boring B05-1, the west shoreline has a similar profile to that encountered on the off-shore borings performed on that side of the channel.

A glacial till deposit overlaying hard clay was observed in the boring. The blow counts in this unit were, in general, above 50 bpf. Following this unit, the boring encountered hard silty clay overlying dense to very dense silty sands that we believe to be part of the alluvial sands/glacial lake clays deposits. The blow counts on these units ranged between 30 and more than 50 bpf. Pocket penetrometer readings on samples taken from the clay unit show strengths in general

higher than 4.5 tsf. Readings from a sample taken approximately at the transition from clay to sand showed slightly lower values.

## **7.0 CLOSURE AND LIMITATIONS**

The analyses and subsurface interpretations contained in this report are based on site conditions as they existed during our 2006 explorations. It is assumed that the existing data is representative of the subsurface conditions throughout the site, i.e., the subsurface conditions everywhere are not significantly different from those disclosed by the existing data.

Unanticipated soil conditions are commonly encountered and cannot fully be determined by taking soil samples or advancing borings. Such unexpected conditions frequently require that additional expenditures be made to attain a properly constructed project. Therefore, some contingency fund is recommended to accommodate such potential extra costs. Shannon & Wilson has prepared the attachment in Appendix I “Important Information About Your Geotechnical/Environmental Report” to assist you and others in understanding the use and limitations of the reports.

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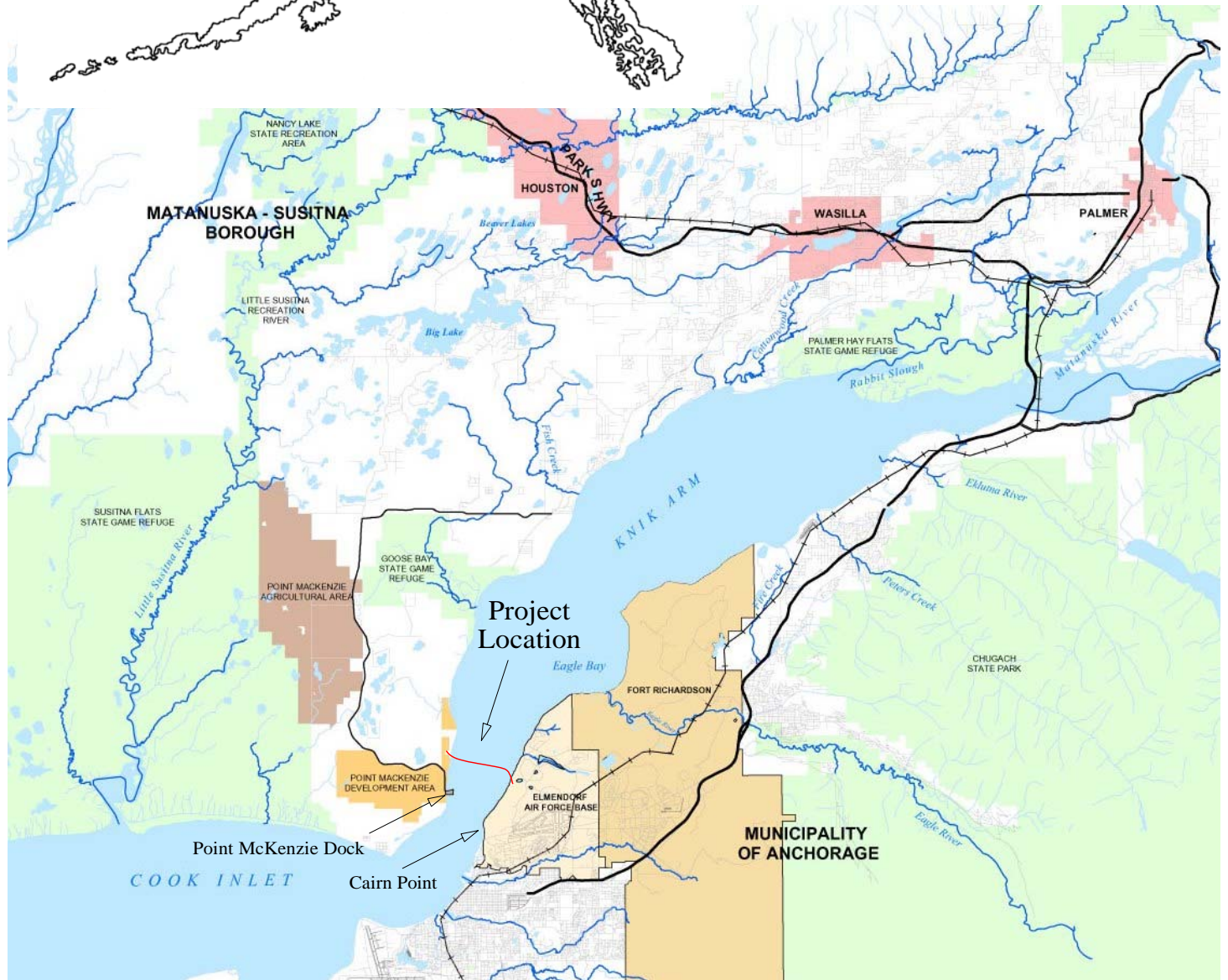
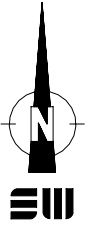
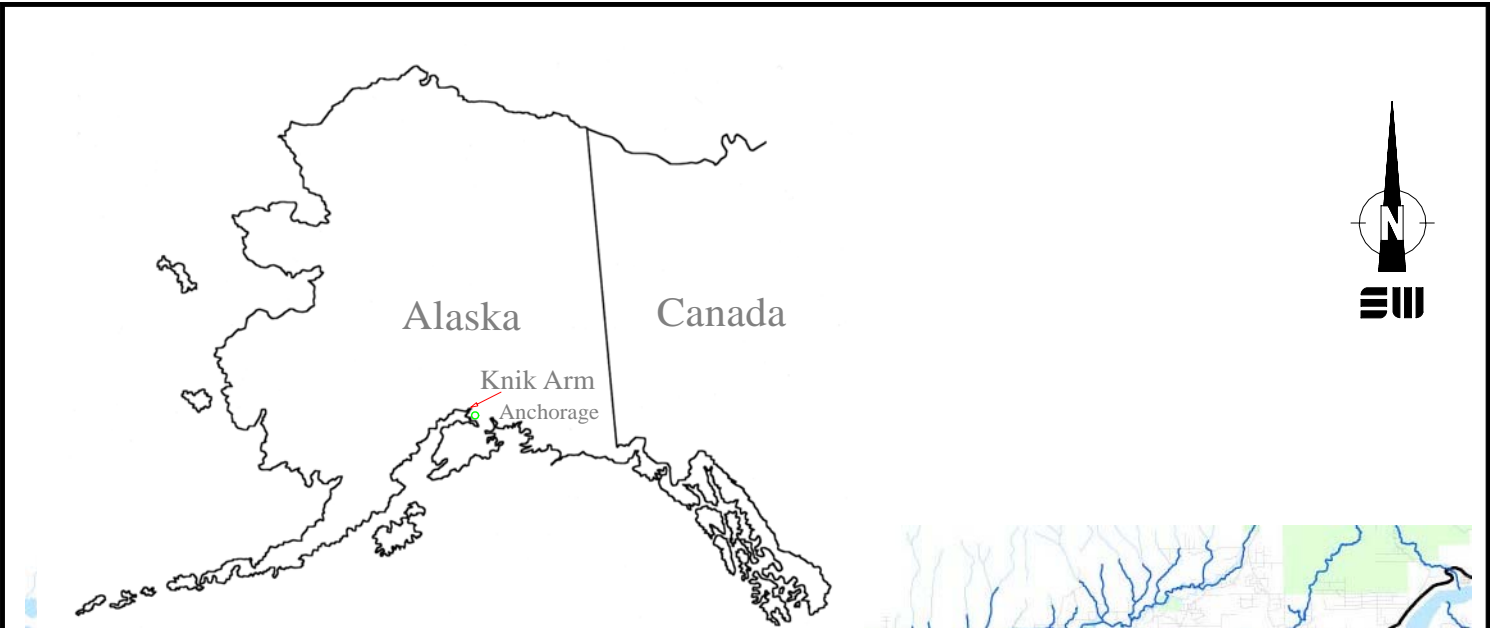
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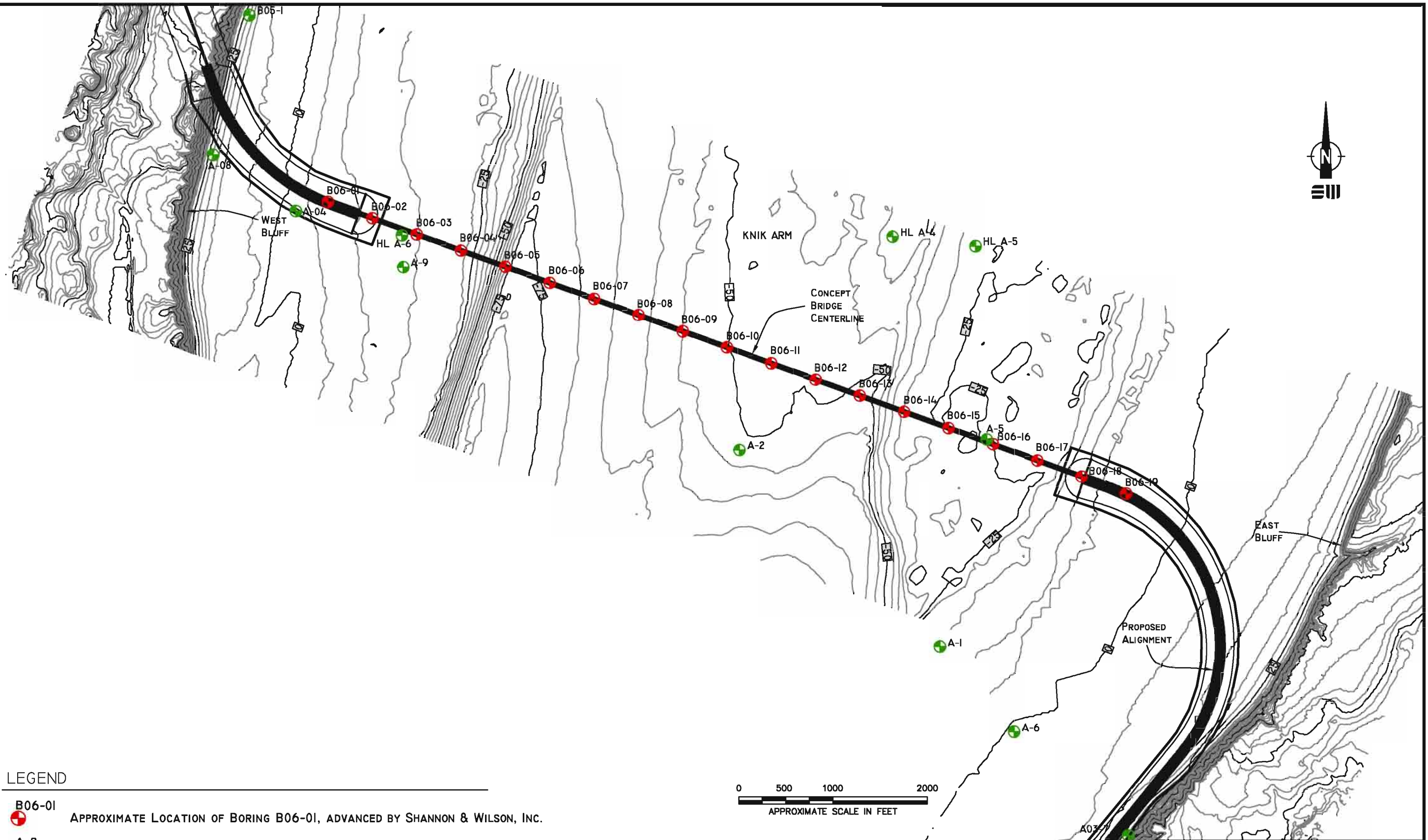
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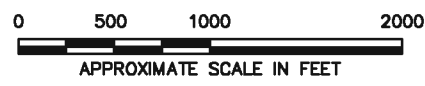
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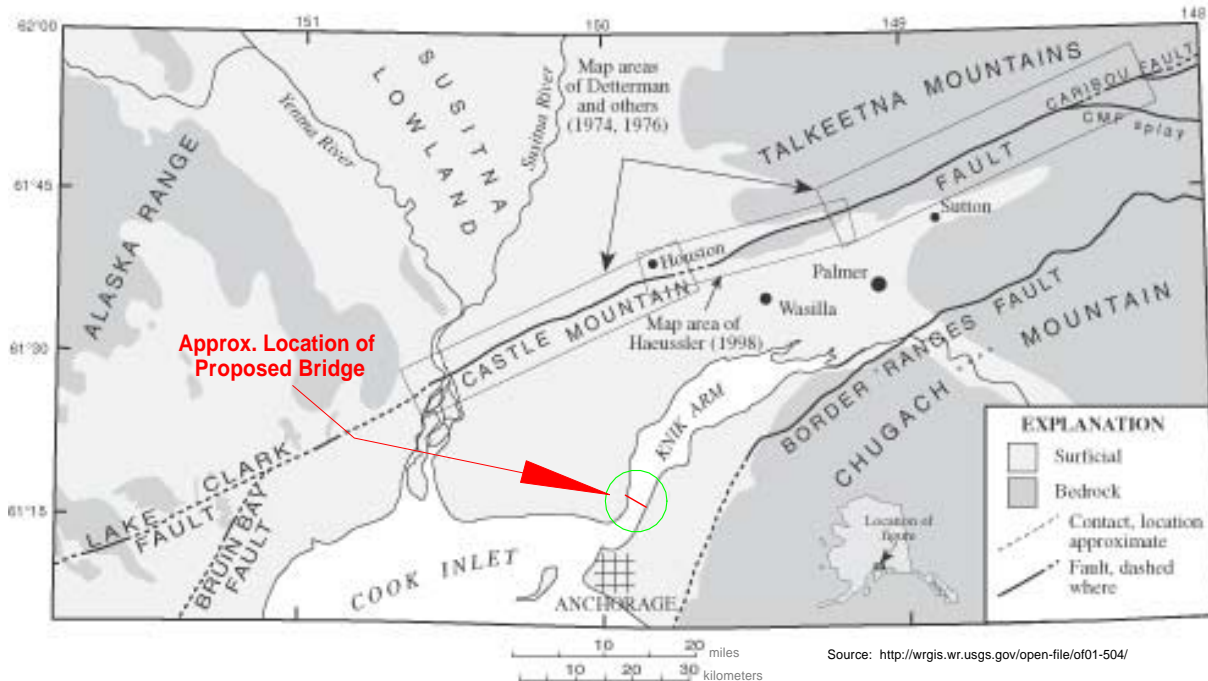
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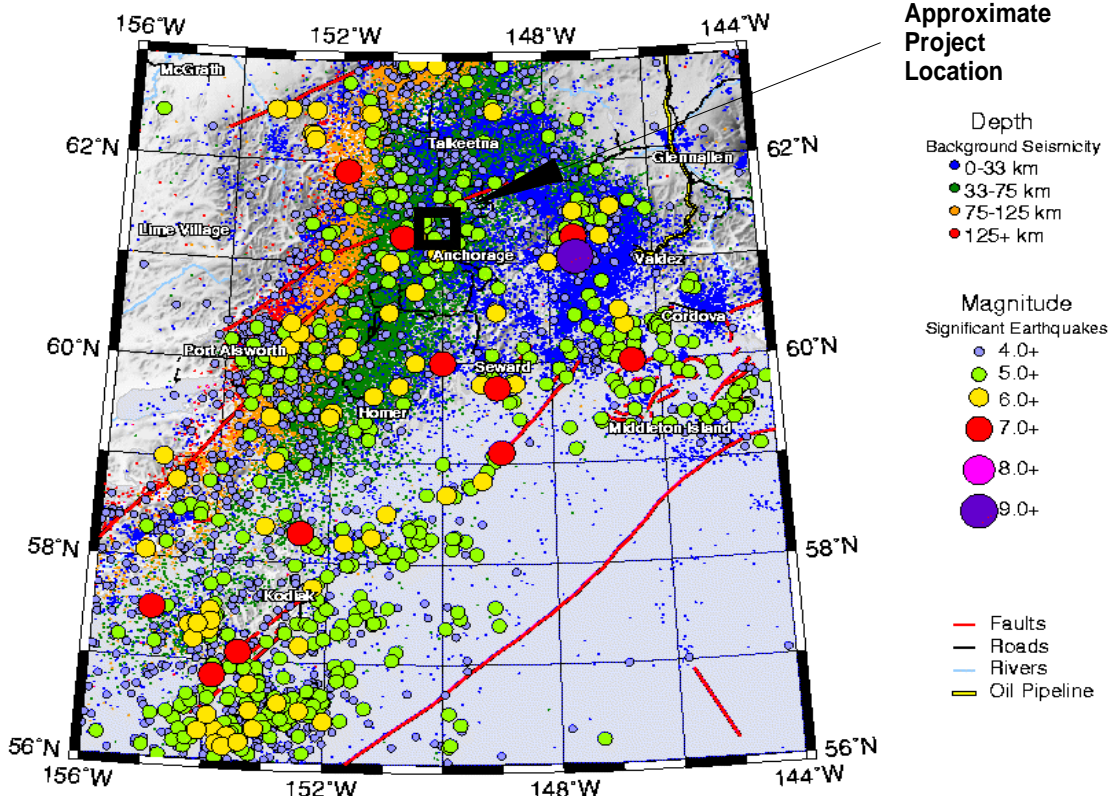
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Castle Mountain and Border Ranges Faults, Alaska



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South Central Alaska Seismicity, 1899 - 2004



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**FAULTING AND EARTHQUAKE MAP**

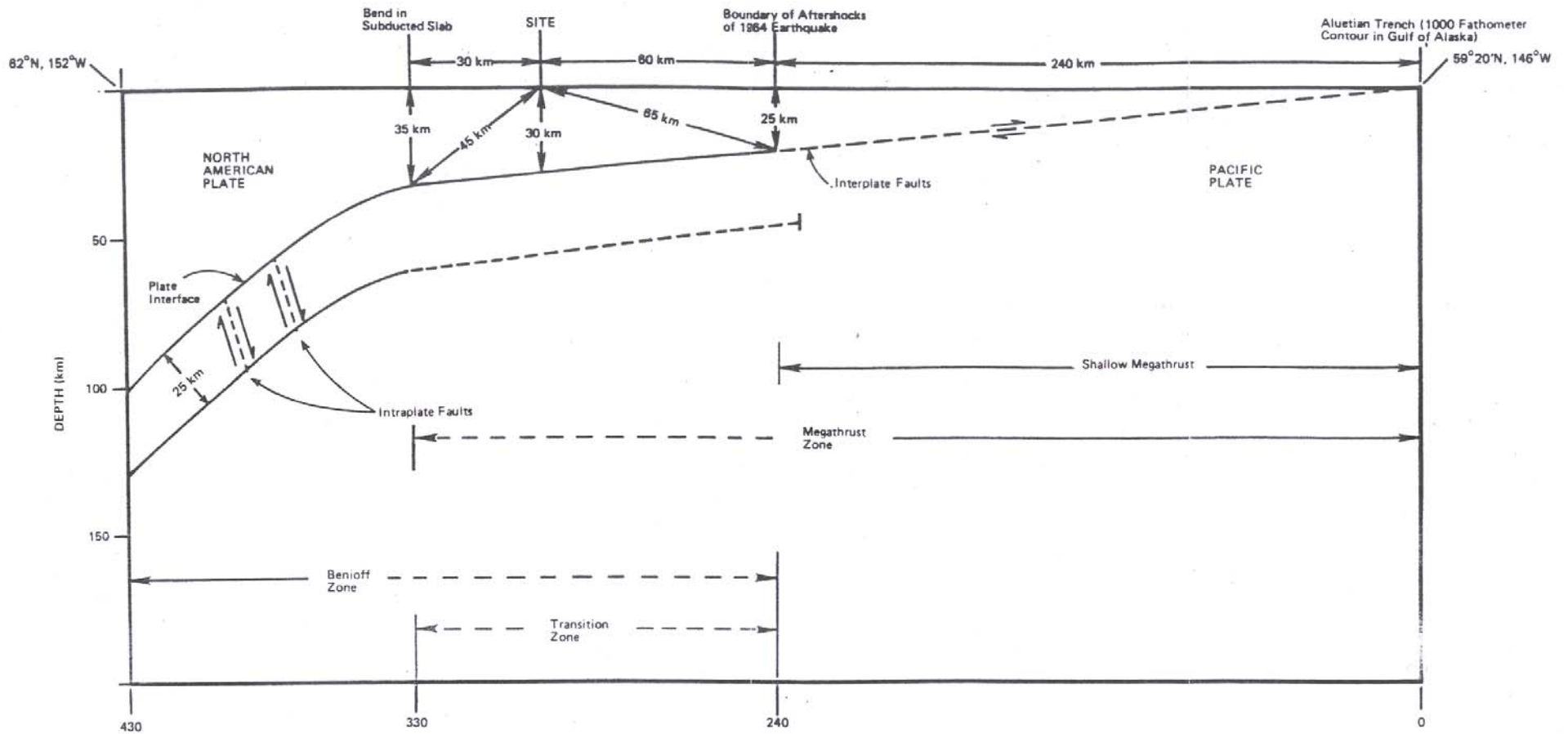
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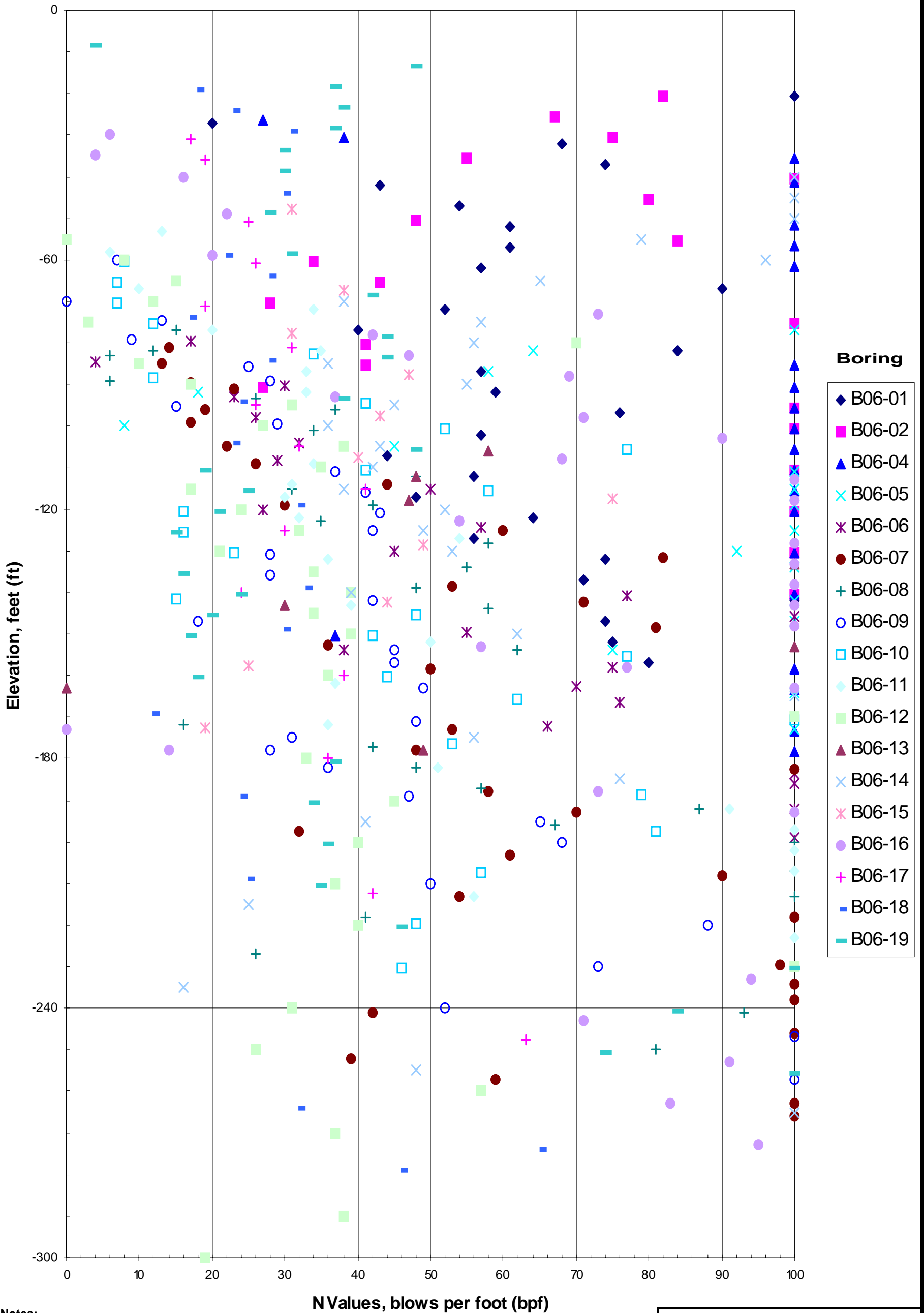




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Very Loose Loose	Medium Dense		Dense	Very Dense
V. Soft to Med. Stiff	Stiff	Very Stiff	Hard	

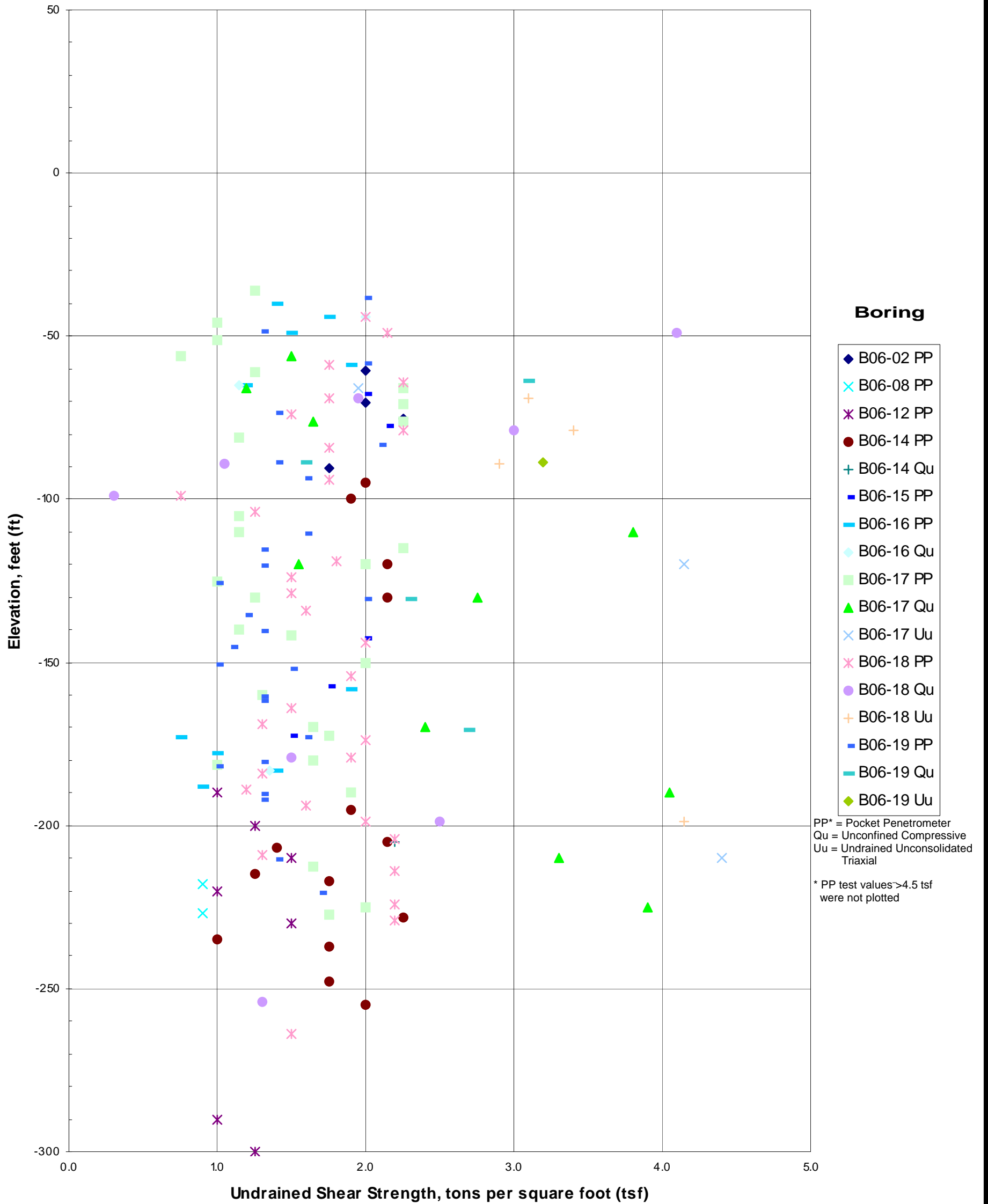


**Notes:**

1. N values are Standard Penetration Test Results
2. N values are uncorrected for energy loss and confining pressure effects
3. All N values greater than max (50 blows for 6 inches or 10 blows for 0 inches) are plotted as 100
4. Elevation data: MLLW
5. See Appendix A for boring log details and recorded N values

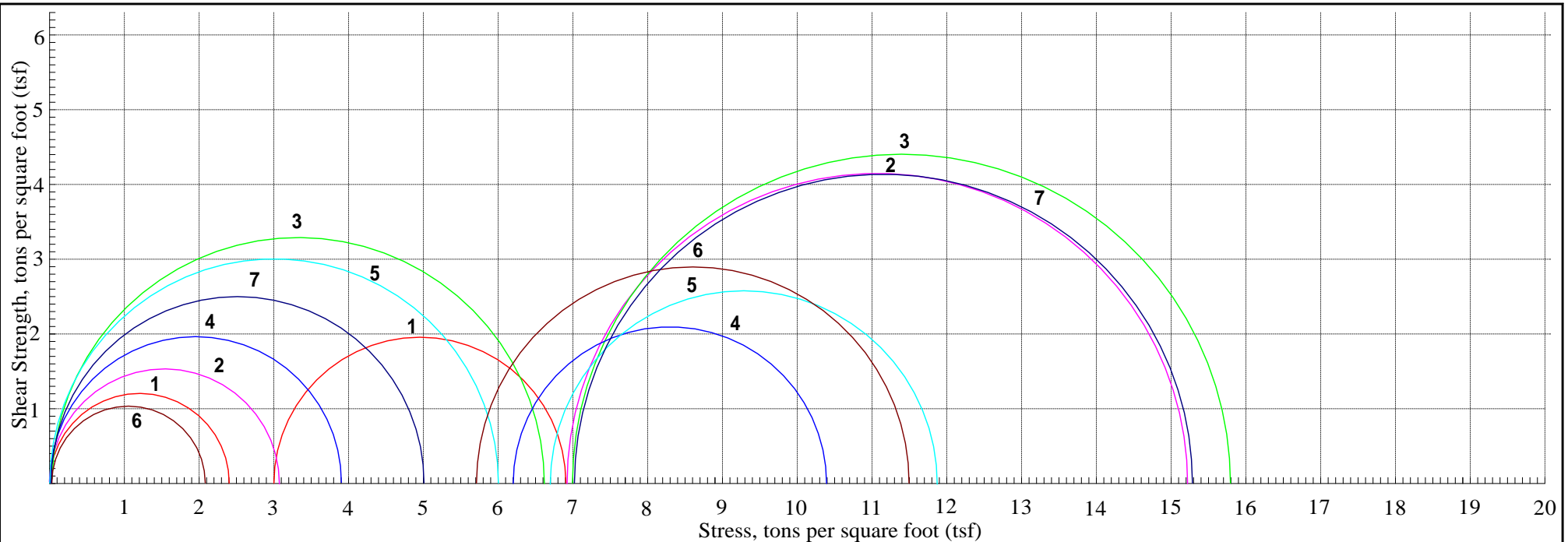
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V. Soft to Med. Stiff	Stiff	Very Stiff	Hard
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**NOTES:**

1. Undrained Shear Strength can be approximated as ½ of unconfined compressive strength from PP and Qu tests.
2. The above plotted values for PP and Qu tests represent ½ of the measured values.
3. The above plotted values for Uu represent ½ of the deviator stress from triaxial tests.
4. Elevation datum: MLLW
5. See Appendix F for laboratory test procedures and results.



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Boring No. Sample No.	Unconfined Compressive Test (Qu)			Undrained Unconsolidated Triaxial Test (Uu)				
	Depth bgs (ft)	Applied Vertical Stress (tsf)	Calculated Shear Strength (tsf)	Depth bgs (ft)	Applied Vertical Stress (tsf)	Normal Stress (tsf)	Deviator Stress (tsf)	Calculated Shear Strength (tsf)
		$\sigma_1$	$\tau$		$\sigma_1$	$\sigma_3$	$\sigma_1 - \sigma_3$	$\tau$
B06-17 S8	43	2.4	1.2	44	6.9	3.0	3.9	1.95
B06-17 S18	97	3.1	1.6	96	15.2	6.9	8.3	4.15
B06-17 S36	187	6.6	3.3	188	15.8	7.0	8.8	4.4
B06-18 S9	59	3.9	2.0	60.5	10.4	4.2	6.2	3.1
B06-18 S11*	69	6.0	3.0	70.5	11.8	5.0	6.8	3.4
B06-18 S13	80	2.1	1.1	80.5	11.5	5.7	5.8	2.9
B06-18 S35	190.5	5.0	2.5	189.5	15.3	7.0	8.3	4.15

Very stiff to hard CLAY (CL)  
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\* Lower calculated shear strength yielded by the test on B06-18 S11 (relative to calculated shear strength yielded by Qu test on the same sample) may be the result of isolated variations in the soil sample.

**NOTES:**

- See Appendix F for laboratory test procedures and results.
- Unconfined Compressive tests and Undrained Unconsolidated Triaxial tests run on the same sample at different intervals.

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<b>MOHR CIRCLE DIAGRAMS</b>	
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## APPENDIX A

### DRILLING AND SAMPLING PROCEDURES AND RESULTS

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## **APPENDIX A DRILLING AND SAMPLING PROCEDURES AND RESULTS**

### **A-1 Over-water Drilling**

Nineteen over-water borings, designated Borings B06-01 through B06-19, were accomplished to depths ranging from 20 to 275 feet below the mudline at the locations shown on Figure 2. The log of each boring is presented in Figures A-2 through A-20. The over-water borings were drilled by Gregg Drilling from Signal Hill, California, using a Mobile B80-22 drilling rig with a 22-foot stroke. Support equipment included 24-inch, 18-inch and 12-inch outer starter casing, 6-inch inner drill casing, mud rotary drilling tools with a wireline system of rods and samplers, a floating barge with four anchor mooring system for deep water locations, and a jack-up platform for locations with less water depth and/or less current. The drilling operations were continuously monitored by field engineers or geologists from Shannon & Wilson, Inc.

Mid-channel water depths were beyond the operational limits of the jack-up platform mobilized by Gregg Drilling; therefore, the over-water drilling was performed in two separate programs. On the first program, six borings, Borings B06-05, B06-06, B06-07, B06-08, B06-09 and B06-10, were drilled from a floating barge provided by Cook Inlet Tug and Barge of Anchorage, Alaska. The barge had a flat deck with plan dimensions of approximately 160 feet by 40 feet. The barge was equipped with a 24-inch diameter moon pool, work and emergency skiffs, and covered work space. The barge was positioned for each boring with a tug and anchored with four 8,000 pound anchors. The anchors were set on each of the corners and operated by Gregg Drilling personnel. The anchors were typically able to hold the barge in position in currents up to 6 knots; however, lateral displacements of up to 10 feet were experienced with changing currents and tide levels. Drilling was carried out on a 24-hour basis.

The drilling work was completed over three work periods to take advantage of the more favorable tide conditions in August of 2006. The first period started on August 3 and ended on August 11, 2006, during which time two borings, B06-06 and B06-09, were completed. Boring B06-10 was started during this period, but could not be completed because of a broken drill casing. During the first days, the tides were within a 20-foot range reaching a 30-foot range at the end of this period.

The second work period started on August 16 and finished on August 22, 2006, and resulted in three additional borings, B06-05, B06-07 and B06-08. From tide tables, the tide

range for this period was 20 to 25 feet. On the third period, August 25 to 28, 2006, we completed Boring B06-10.

Location control over-water was established by Shannon & Wilson representatives and the barge/platform supervisor using a Thales MobileMapper CE Onboard Differential Global Positioning System (GPS) survey instrument. The instrument is accurate to within 1 meter (3 feet); considering the relative difficulty of positioning the barge within the Knik Arm currents, the accuracy for most drill locations is estimated to be within about 10 feet of the planned location. Vertical depths or mudline elevations were checked by direct measurements from the deck using a digital depth finder/eco sounder. The elevation datum for these measurements and the project datum were taken as MLLW.

After the barge was towed nearby the proposed boring location and the anchors were dropped approximately 500 feet away from each corner, the final position was adjusted by means of the winches. Once the barge was secured into position, each boring was initiated by setting 24-inch and 12-inch casings through the water. The boring was then advanced using mud rotary methods, and a third 4.5-inch diameter drill rod/casing with drill bits and three different wireline and/or drive samplers. The third drill rod/casing was carried down with the hole as drilling advanced to control caving of the borehole walls.

Due to the extreme tidal range, often in excess of 25 feet, the cables had some slack to accommodate the variable water depths, which resulted in the aforementioned small displacements of the platform bending the drill string. Gregg Drilling selected a drill pipe that would tolerate high bending angles to accommodate this condition. However, the bending, combined with the effects of the strong currents associated with the tides, pressed the inner drill string against the outer casing, often impeding the advancement of the boring.

Additionally, because of the variable water depth, it was necessary to add and remove segments of both outer casing and drill string as the tides changed, further slowing down the drill process. In the first two borings, in order to minimize this, the 12-inch casing was not lowered into the soil, but kept approximately 30 feet above seafloor. This set up was found to increase the pressure applied to the 4.5-inch drill string and, because the casing would remain relatively straight through the water column, exaggerated the bending angle on the 4.5-inch drill string beyond acceptable parameters resulting in damage to the drill string. After observing this, the other four borings were advanced with the 12-inch casing advanced into the seafloor. We observed an improvement with this method; however, as currents exceeded 4 to 5 knots the combination of bending angle and pressure still resulted in enough binding pressure that we were unable to continue drilling operations.

The remaining 13 borings were drilled from a 50-foot by 50-foot jack-up platform with four 115-foot long legs equipped with a center moon pool, a small crane, work and emergency skiffs, a flow meter and a covered work space. This jack-up platform, owned by Seacore, LTD from Gweek, England, is a modular unit, which for this project consisted of 7 floats pinned together. The platform is raised and lowered using jacks with a 10-foot stroke operating at a rate of roughly 5 feet per minute. The legs are 30-inches in diameter by 1-inch thick wall steel pipes and were rigged to work in up to 85 feet of water and accommodate 4 to 6 knot currents, depending on water depth. Cook Inlet Tug and Barge provided the tug to move the platform to each drill location.

The drilling work was completed over two work periods to take advantage of the more favorable tide conditions in September and October 2006. The first period started on September 2 and ended on September 6, 2006, during which time two borings, B06-03 and B06-16, were completed. Boring B06-19 was started during this period but was not completed, as observed currents exceeded the operational safety limits of the platform.

The second work period started on September 13 and finished on October 4, 2006, and resulted in 10 additional borings, five CPT soundings and down-hole shear wave velocity measurements and pressuremeter testing in Borings B06-11 and B06-18.

Drilling progressed smoothly except for drilling time that was lost during moves and casing setups when strong current and adverse tide conditions forced delays, and in Borings B06-03 and B06-04, where the presence of cobbles and boulders at seafloor impeded the advance of the boring. In most cases the platform base was jacked to about Elevation +30 feet for drilling with minor height adjustments to accommodate tide conditions that were estimated from local tide tables. Drilling was carried out on a 24-hour basis.

Once the platform was jacked up on its four legs to the elevation needed for stability, each boring was initiated by setting 12-inch and 6-inch casings through the water and seating it into the soil below. The boring was then advanced using mud rotary methods, and a third 4.5-inch diameter HWT drill rod/casing with drill bits and three different wireline and/or drive samplers. The third drill rod/casing was carried down with the hole as drilling advanced to control caving of the borehole walls.

### **A-2 Over-water Sampling**

As a boring was advanced, sampling was generally accomplished at 5-, 7.5-, 10- and 15-foot depth intervals using both disturbed and undisturbed sampling procedures. Samples were visually classified according to the Unified Soil Classification System (USCS) included as Figure A-1.



The three samplers generally used for the off-shore work were as follows:

Disturbed Samplers

1. Two-inch OD split spoon sampler using standard penetration test (SPT) procedures,
2. Push core wireline 5-foot core barrel with a rugged 3-inch inner tube designed to recover large gravelly samples, and

Undisturbed Samplers

3. Three inch diameter by 36 inches long thin wall tubes (Shelby Tubes) advanced with wireline spring loaded core barrel (similar design to Pitcher Barrel) and with conventional push rod system.

With the SPT method, a 2-inch OD split-spoon sampler is advanced 18 inches into the undisturbed soil at the bottom of the advancing boring, with blows of a 140-pound auto-hammer falling 30 inches on the drill rods. The number of blows required to produce the final 12 inches of an 18-inch penetration of the hammer, defined as the Standard Penetration Resistance, was recorded for each sample by our representative. When hard or very dense soils or coarse gravels were encountered, the sampler often could not be driven the full 18 inches, or in some cases even 12 inches. The blow counts, or N values, which are noted on the logs, are uncorrected values and provide a means of evaluating the consistency (stiffness) for cohesive soils and relative density (compactness) for cohesionless soils. When a full 18 inches penetration was not achieved, blows and the penetration achieved are recorded on the logs. To aid in evaluating the above uncorrected N values, particularly for sandy soils, energy transfer studies were conducted to measure the energy losses between the hammer and the top of the rods and between the hammer to the bottom of the rods (or near sampler) for various lengths. The results of these measurements are presented in Appendix E.











The push core wireline sampler was used sparingly or only when recovery of material by other methods was poor. It has a catcher at the bottom and allows recovery of up to a three inch diameter by four foot long disturbed sample. Because this sampler recovers disturbed material and provides no driving resistance or estimate of soil density or consistency, it was used as a final choice when sample recovery was not possible using the other two methods.

The final sampler is the thin walled tube that was advanced with conventional push rod techniques or with a modified Pitcher Barrel sampler. With the modified Pitch Barrel sampler, the wireline barrel advances the thin wall tube by a spring loaded piston inside a coring barrel. As the coil spring compresses, the rotating outer barrel cuts away the soil around the outside of the tube, reducing side friction and allowing the spring to direct its load to forcing the tube into the undisturbed soil at the bottom of the advancing boring. The barrel's carbide cutting teeth can

usually cut to within an inch or less of the lower tube end in hard soils permitting good recovery of a near full tube of soil. However, we observed that occasionally, in hard cohesive soils, the recovery with this kind of sampler was not optimal. For this situation, we used conventional push rod methods, on which the sampler tube is attached to the end of the drill rod. Samples are recovered by pushing the tube into the soil at the bottom of the advancing boring using hydraulic ram pressure from the rig. The sampling device was allowed to stay in the hole for approximately 5 minutes, to allow the sample to adhere to the tube. The sampling tube was then removed from the bottom of the boring. Samples recovered in these tubes were sealed at the ends with plastic caps then placed and fixed in an upright position for transporting to our Anchorage laboratory. Classifications of Shelby tube samples that were extruded are included as Figure A-21 (29 sheets).

Cone penetrometer test (CPT) soundings were performed at five boring locations to further evaluate the properties of the soils, particularly the uniformity of the thick silty clays and fine sands and their relative strength or density properties. The CPT measurements were conducted by Gregg In Situ, Inc. The results of these soundings are presented in Appendix B. In addition to the CPT soundings, on two of the borings, we also conducted shear wave velocity measurements by means of a seismic CPT system and pressuremeter testing (PMT) with a Menard-type pressuremeter. The results of these tests are presented in Appendix C and Appendix D, respectively.

# Unified Soil Classification System

GROUP NAME Criteria for Assigning Group Names and Group Symbols				Soil Classification Group Symbol with Generalized Group Descriptions			
<b>COARSE-GRAINED SOILS</b> more than 50% retained on No. 200 sieve	<b>GRAVELS</b> 50% or more of coarse fraction retained on No. 4 sieve	Clean GRAVELS Less than 5% fines		GW	Well-graded Gravels		
		GRAVELS with fines More than 12% fines		GP	Poorly-graded Gravels		
		<b>SANDS</b> More than 50% of coarse fraction passes No. 4 sieve	Clean SANDS Less than 5% fines		SW	Well-graded Sands	
			SANDS with fines More than 12% fines		SP	Poorly-graded Sands	
	<b>FINE-GRAINED SOILS</b> 50% or more passes the No. 200 sieve	<b>SILTS AND CLAYS</b> Liquid limit 50% or less	INORGANIC		ML	Non-plastic & Low-plasticity Silts	
			ORGANIC		OL	Non-plastic and Low-plasticity Organic Clays Non-plastic and Low-plasticity Organic Silts	
			<b>SILTS AND CLAYS</b> Liquid limit greater than 50%	INORGANIC		CH	High-plasticity Clays
				ORGANIC		MH	High-plasticity Silts
<b>HIGHLY ORGANIC SOILS</b>		Primarily organic matter, dark in color, and organic odor	INORGANIC		OH	High-plasticity Organic Clays High-plasticity Organic Silts	
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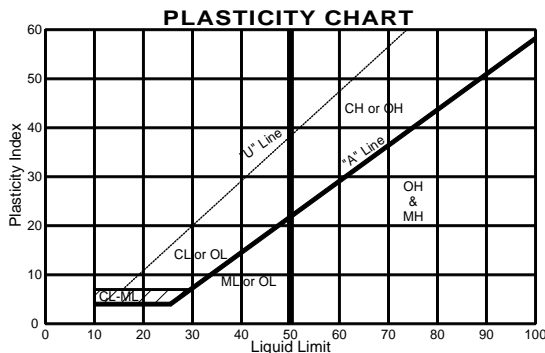
### Organic Content

Adjective	Percent by Volume
Occasional	0-1
Scattered	1-10
Numerous	10-30
Organic	30-50, minor constituent
Peat	50-100, MAJOR constituent

### Descriptive Terminology Denoting Component Proportions

Description	Range of Proportion
Add the adjective "slightly"	5 - 12%
Add soil adjective <sup>(a)</sup>	12 - 50%
Major proportion in upper case, (e.g., SAND)	>50%

(a) Use gravelly, sandy, or silty as appropriate  
 NOTE: The soil descriptions used in the boring logs lists constituents from smallest percentage to largest percentage.



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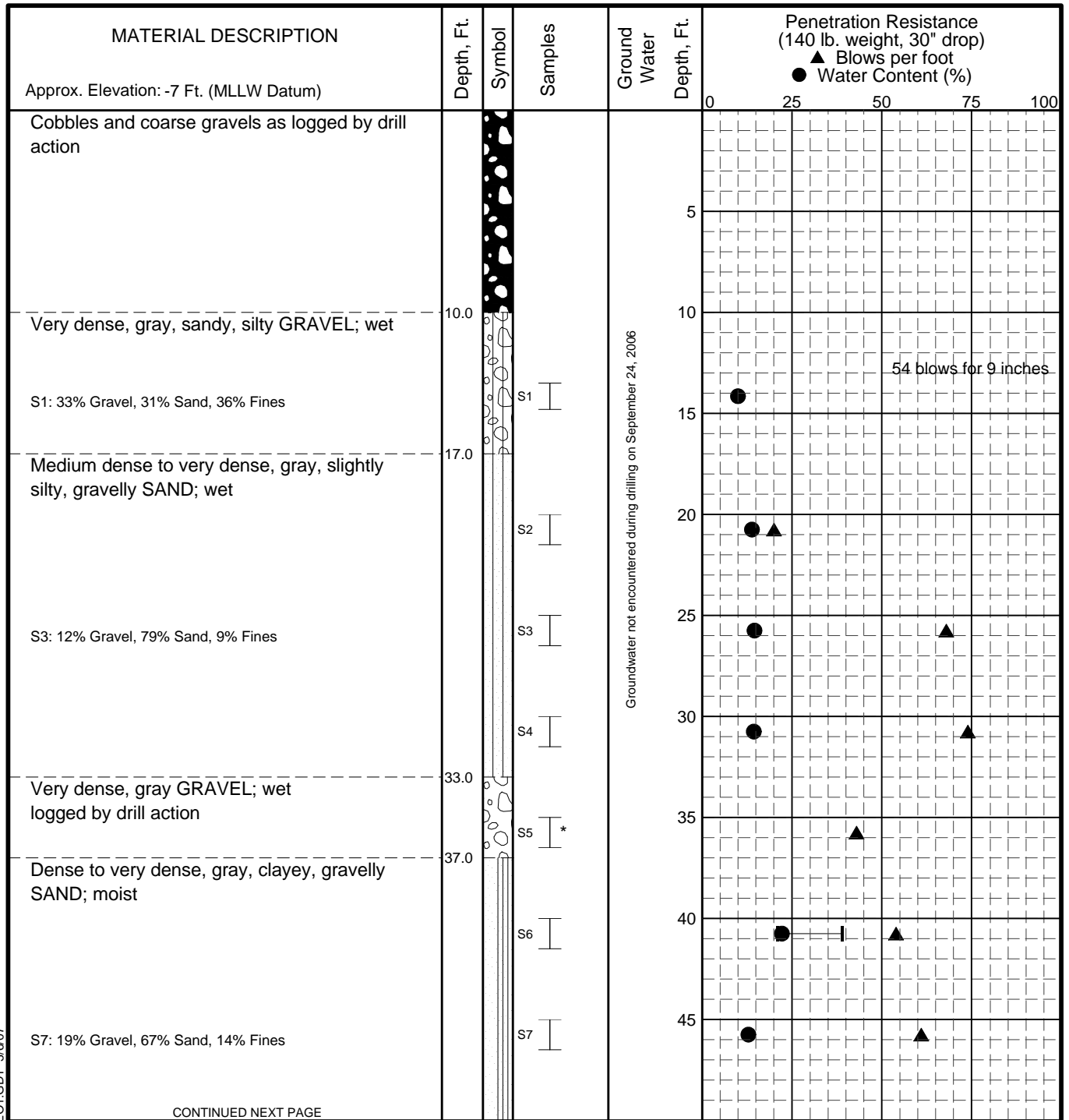
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- Shelby Tube
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- Water Content (%)
- Liquid Limit
- Plastic Limit
- Natural Water Content

**NOTES**

1. The stratification lines represent the approximate boundaries between soil types, and the transition may be gradual.
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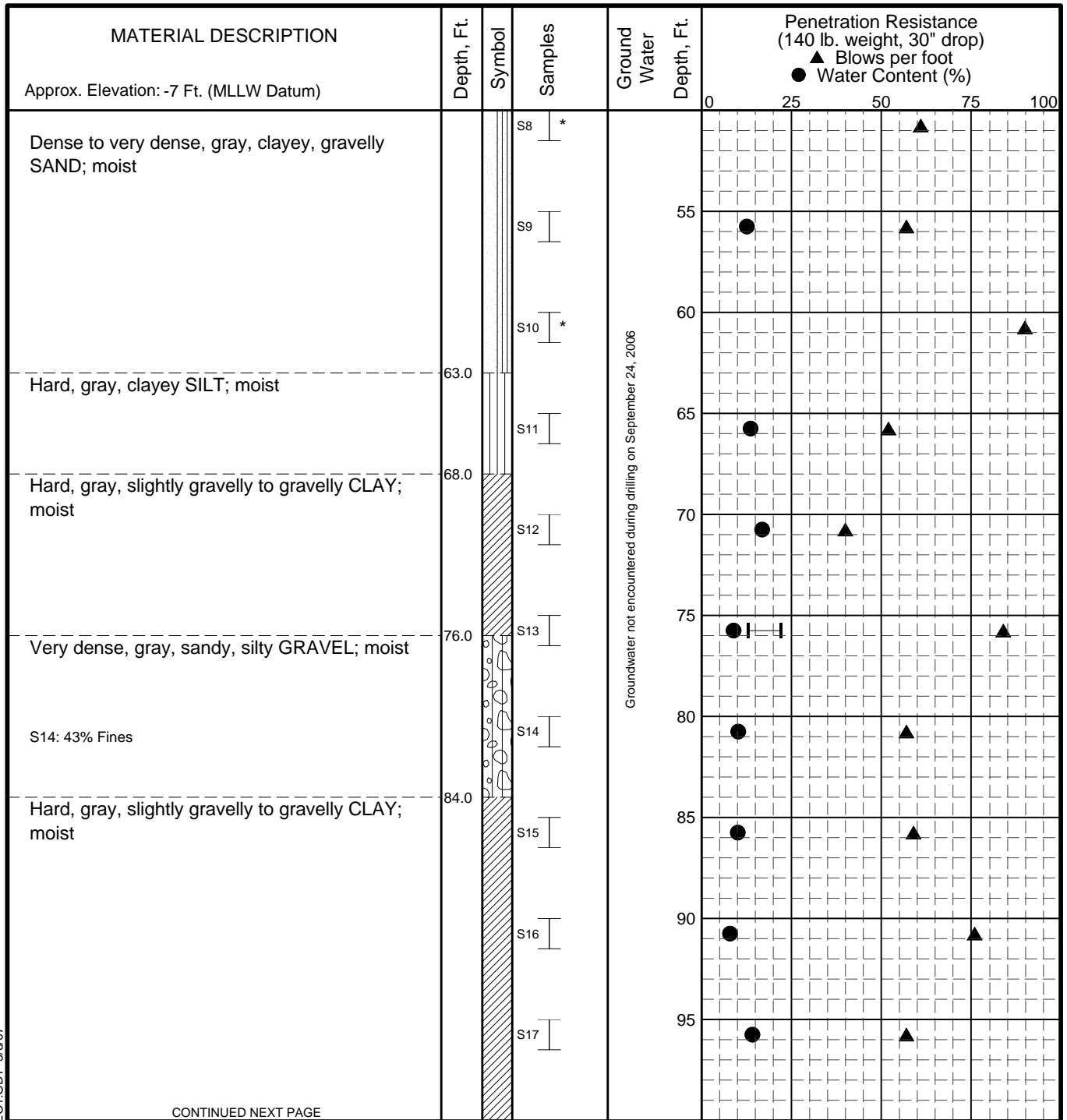
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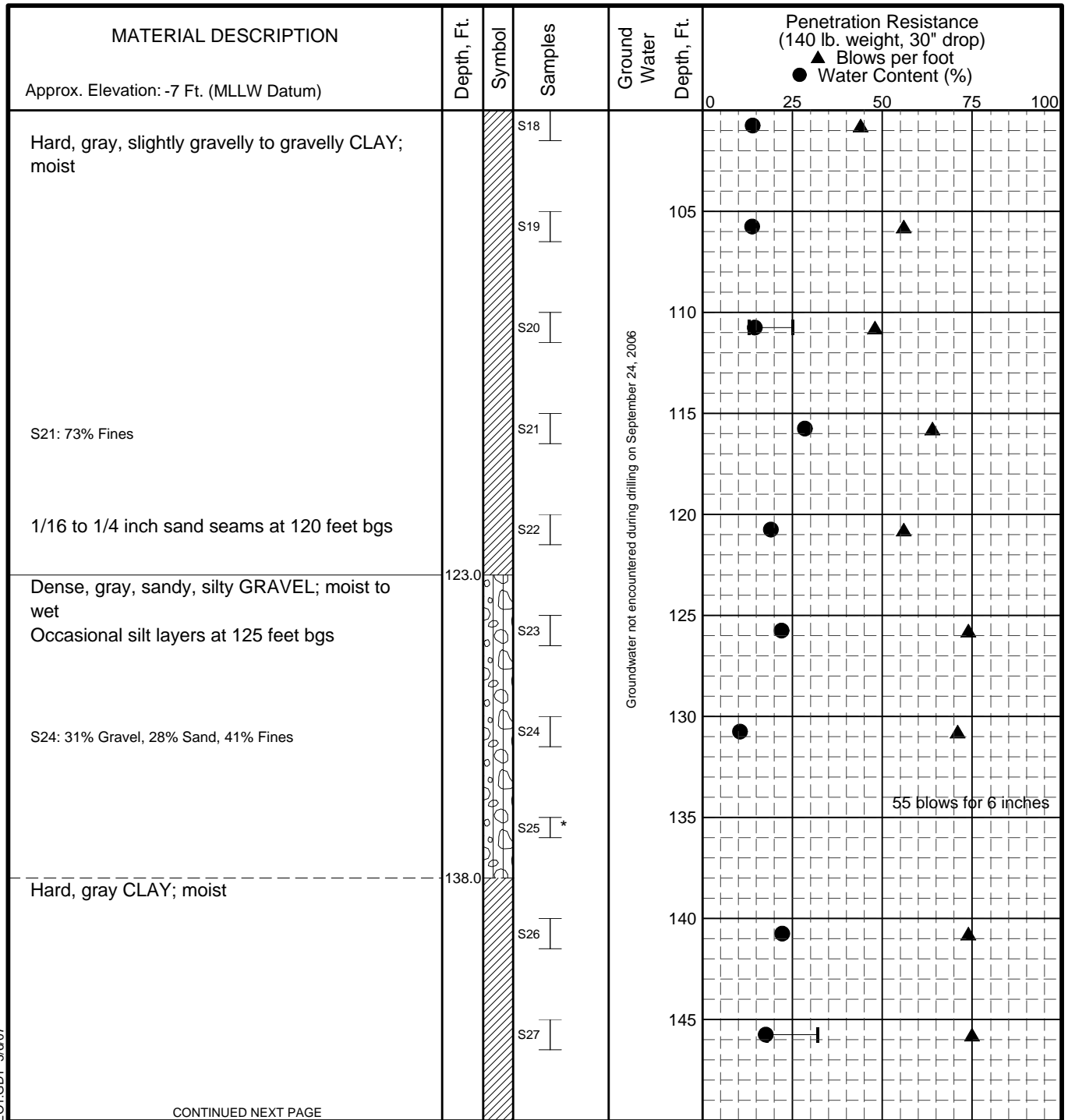
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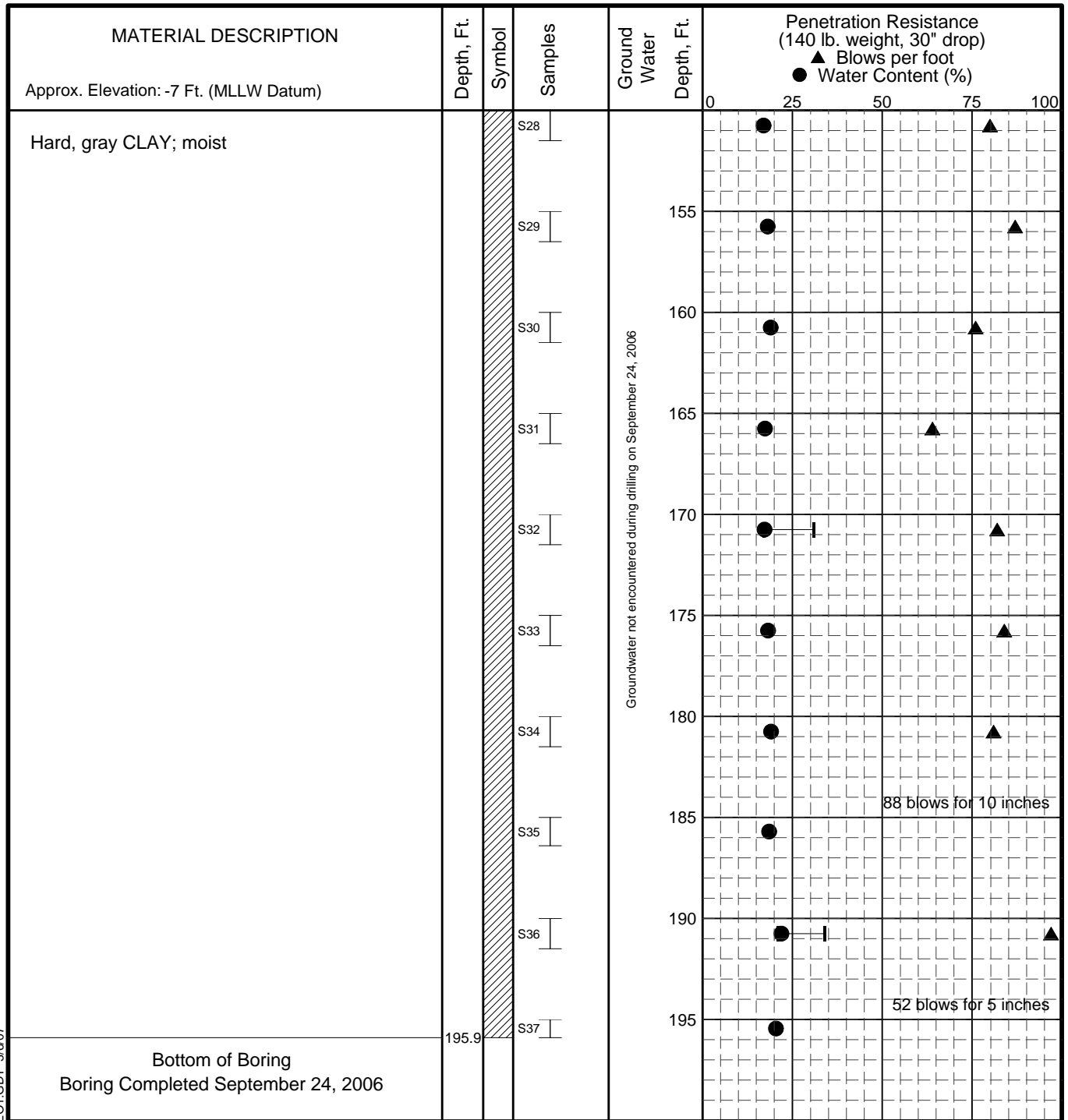
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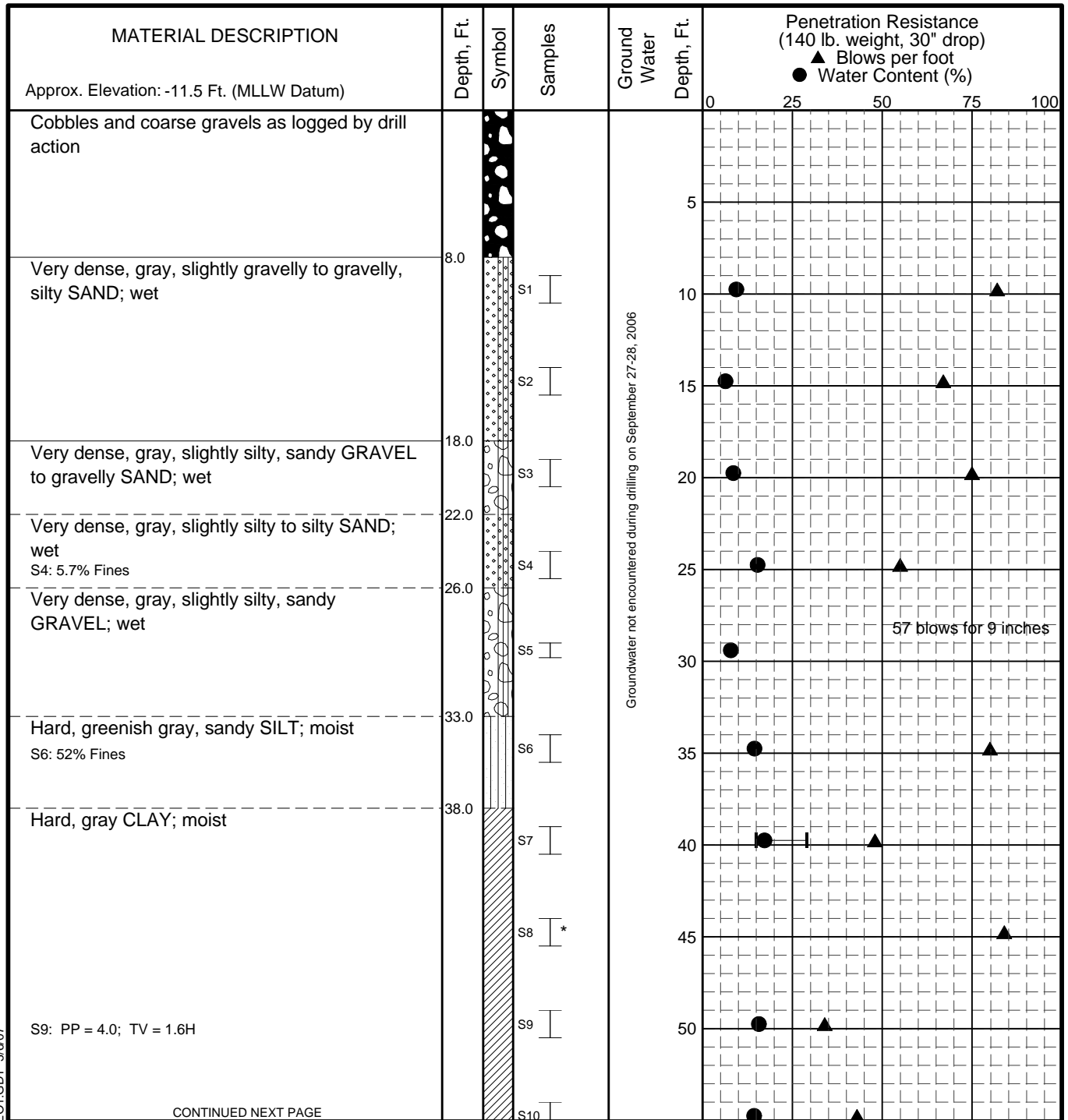
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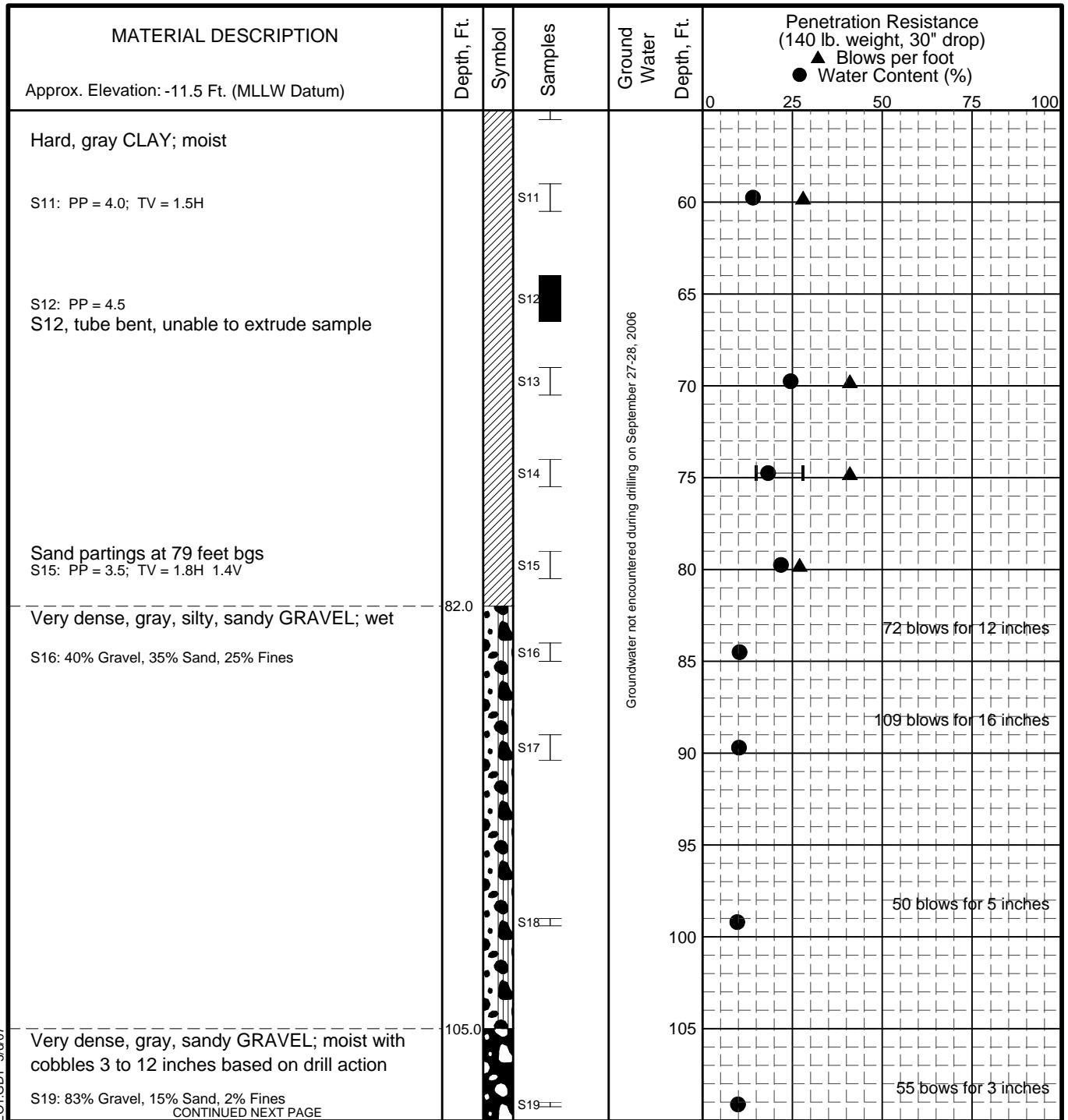
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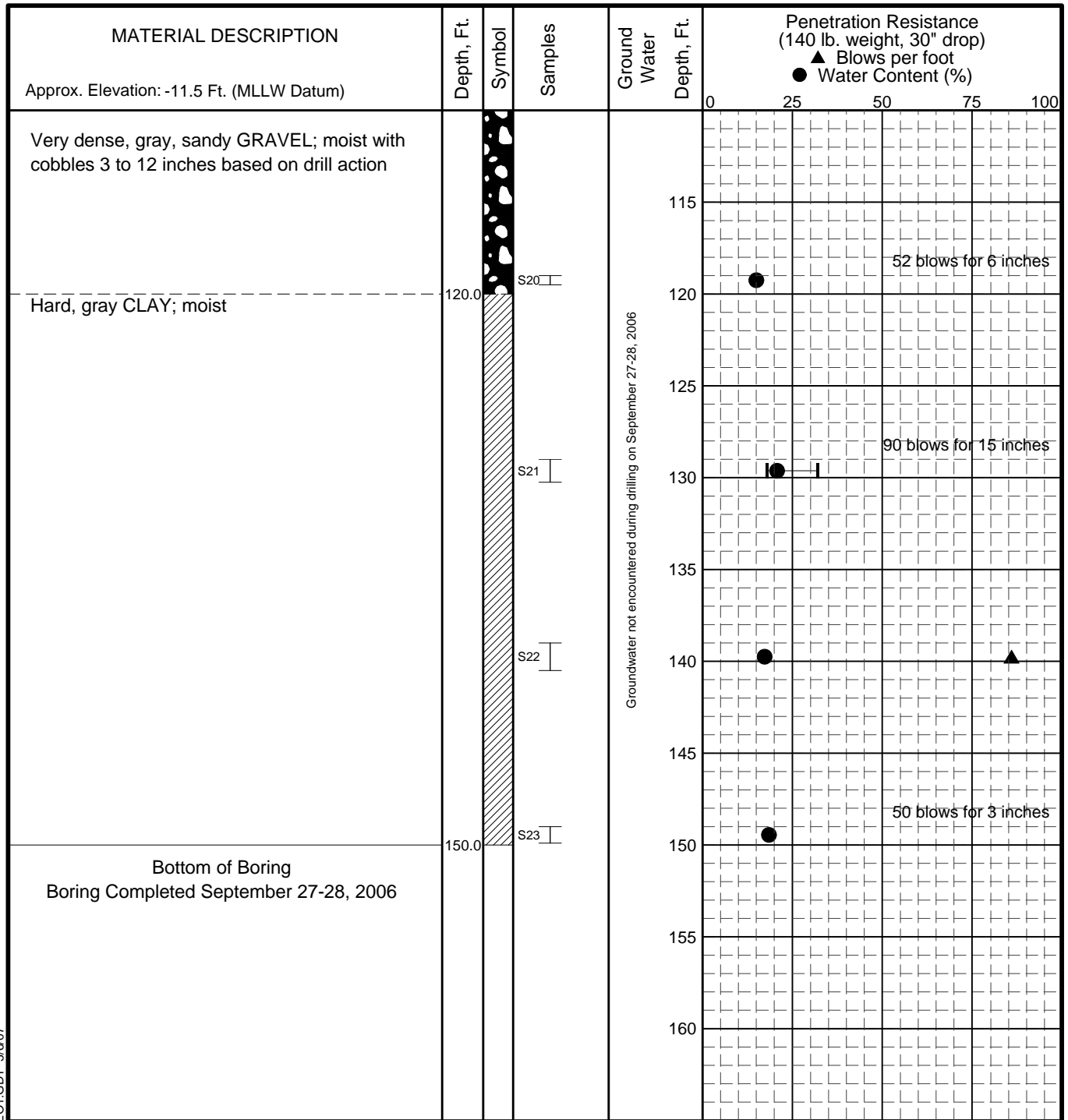
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- Ground Water Level At Time Of Drilling
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Knik Arm, Alaska

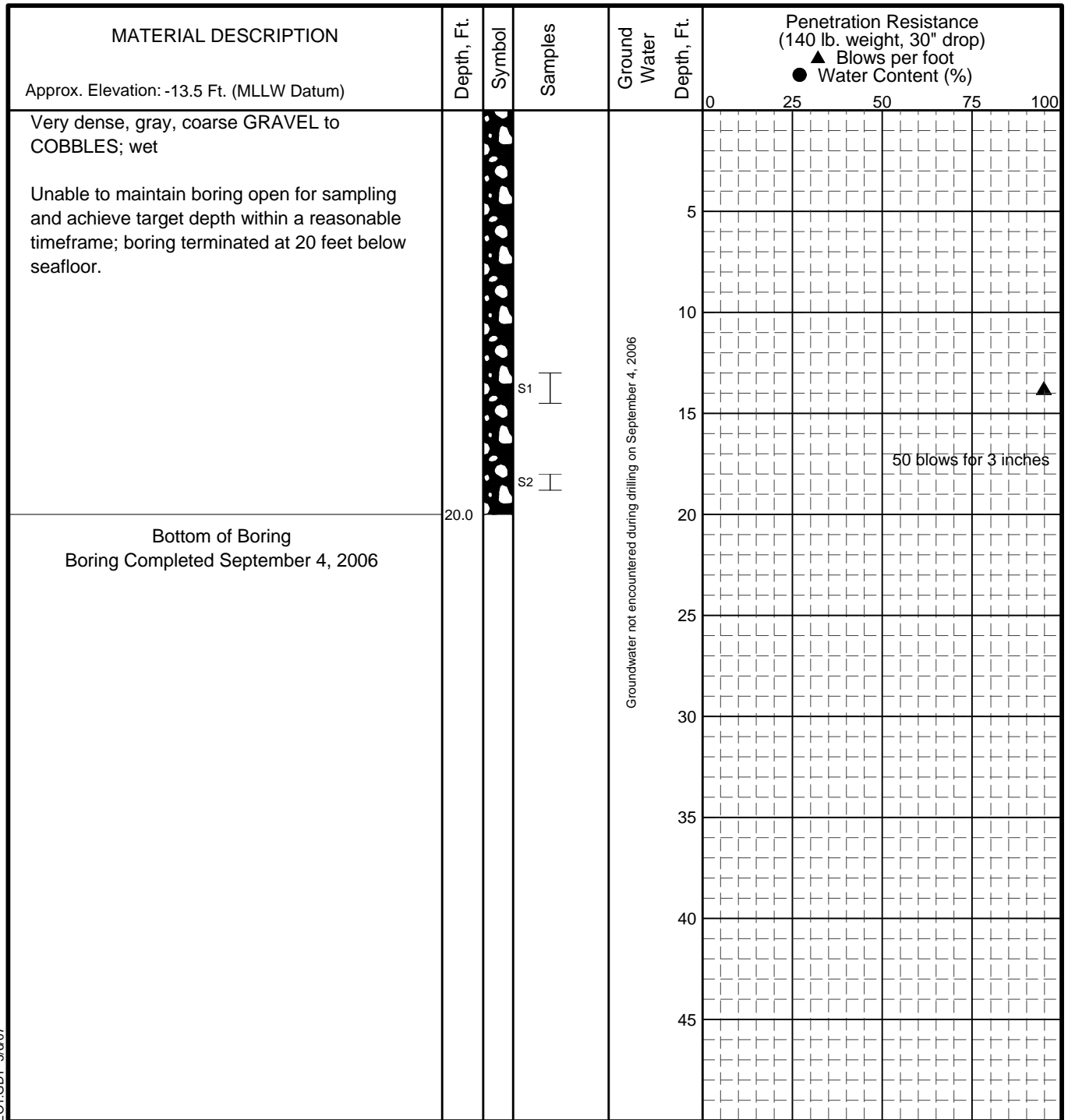
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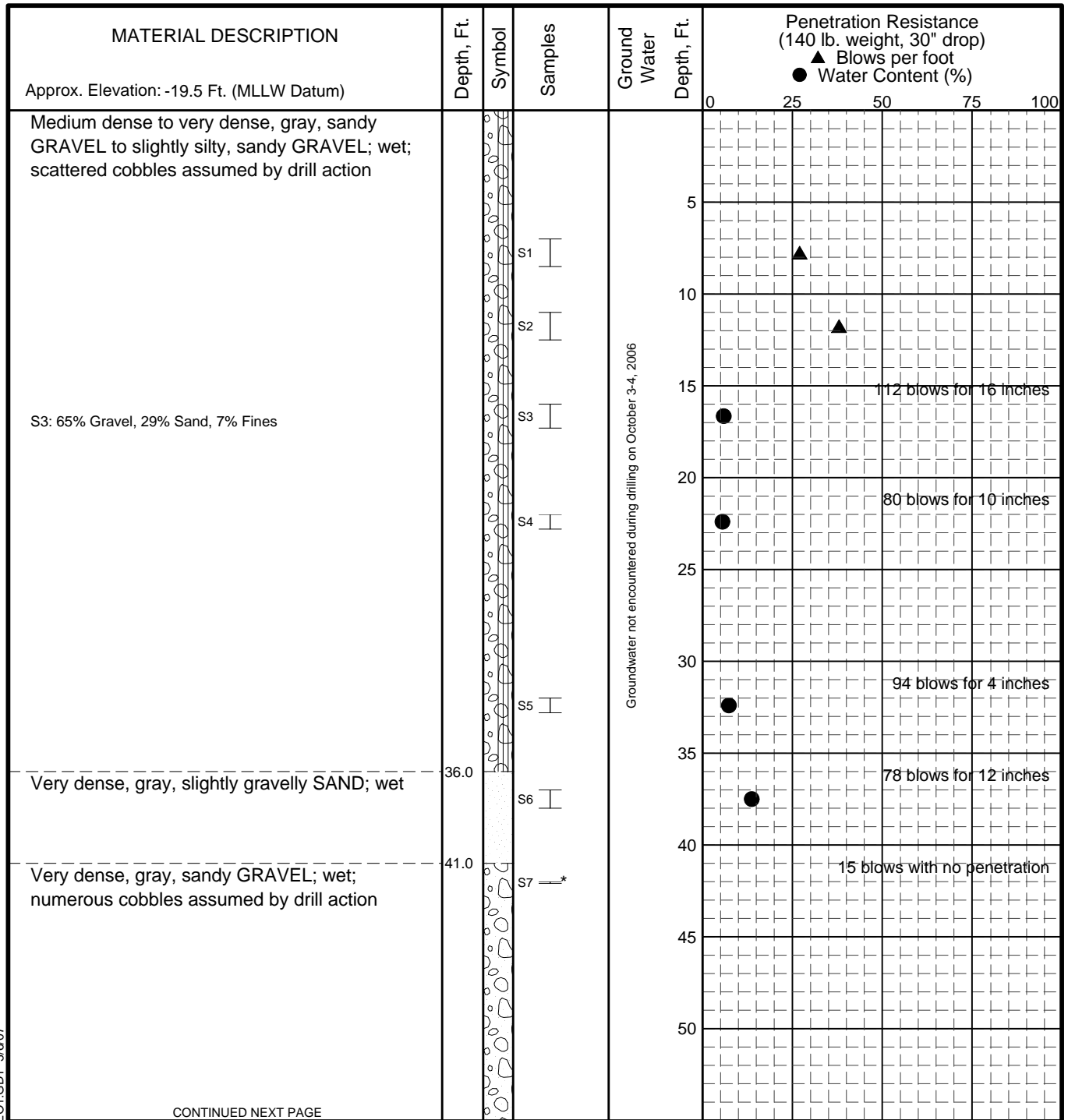
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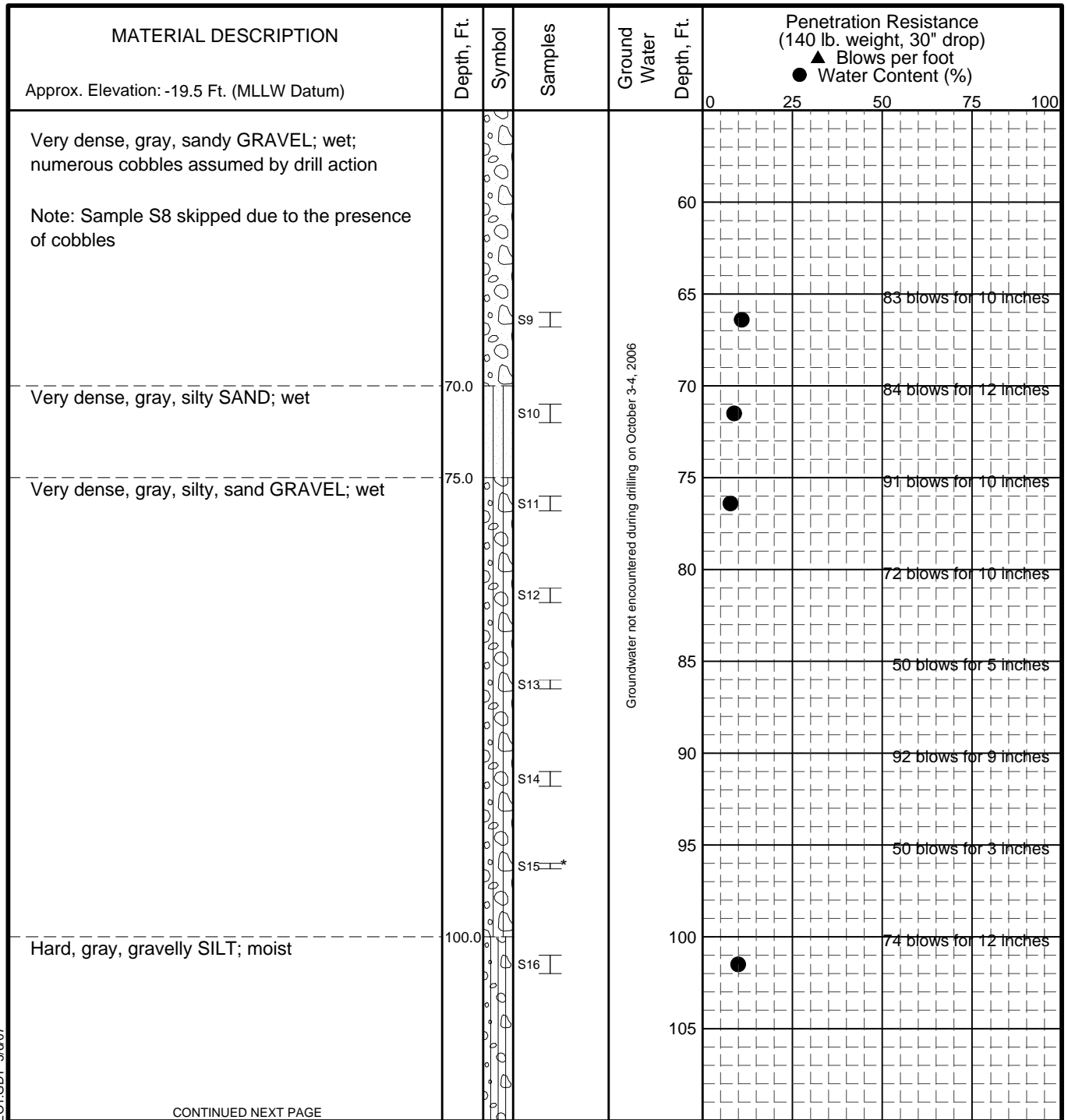
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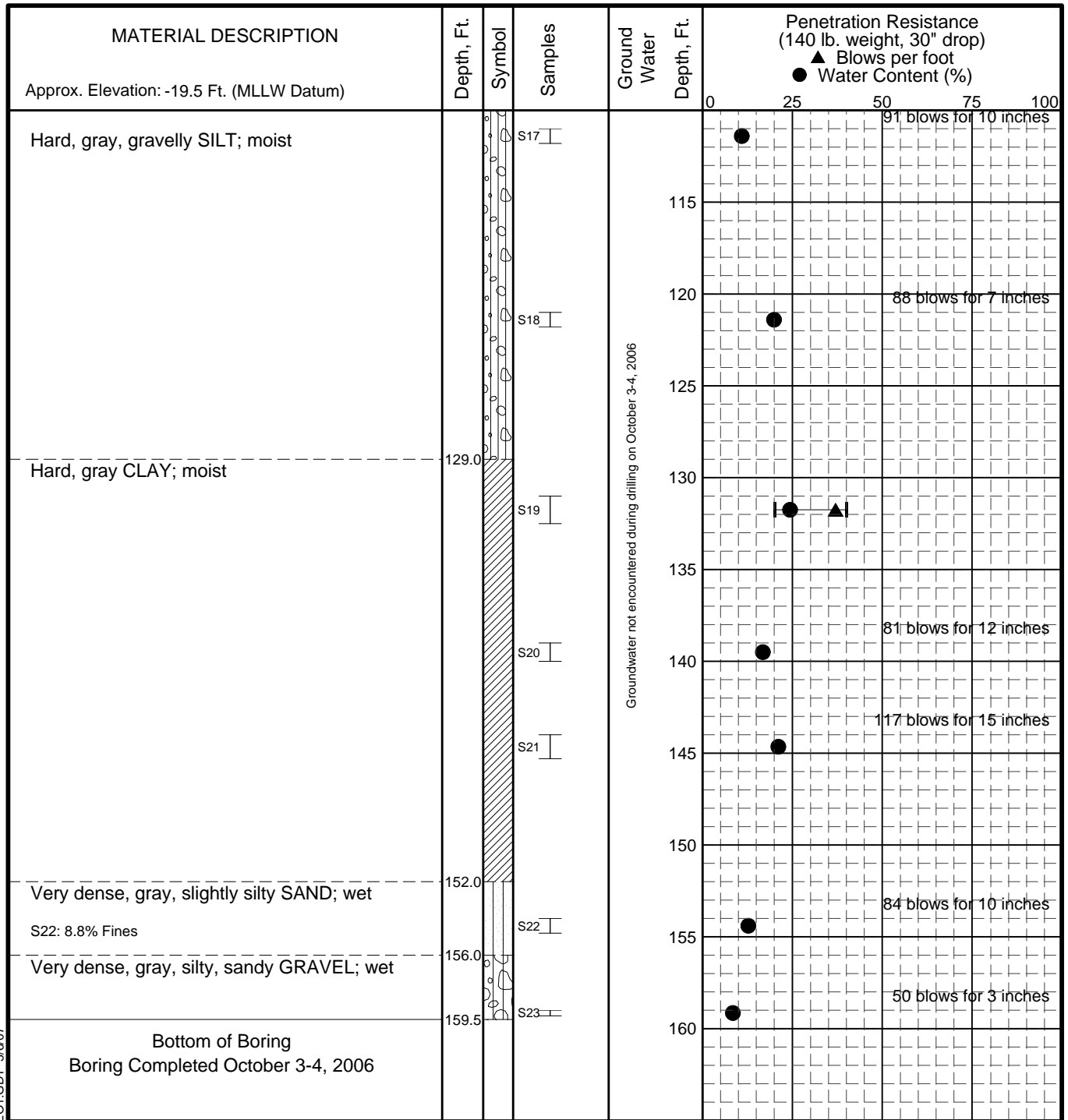
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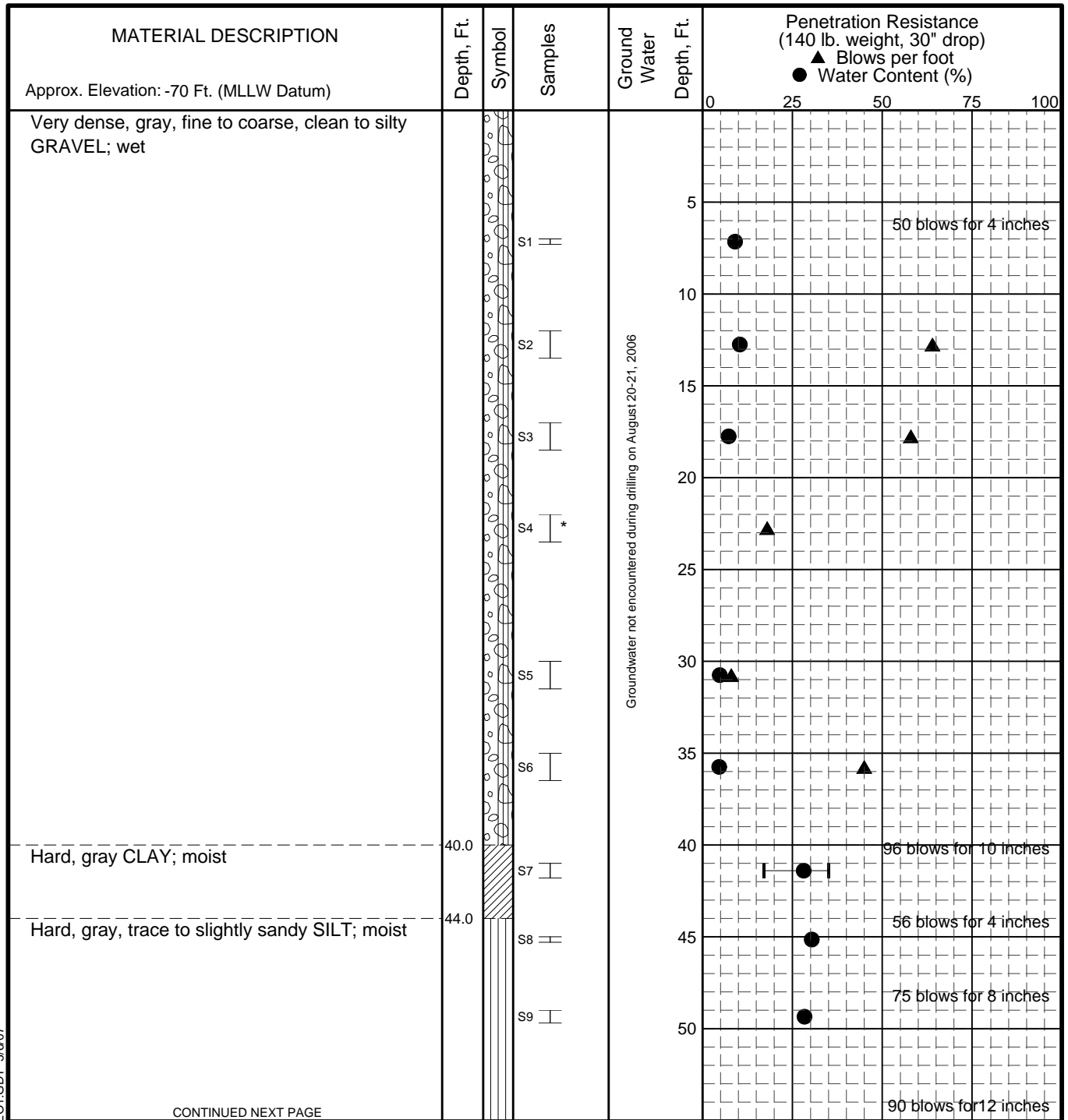
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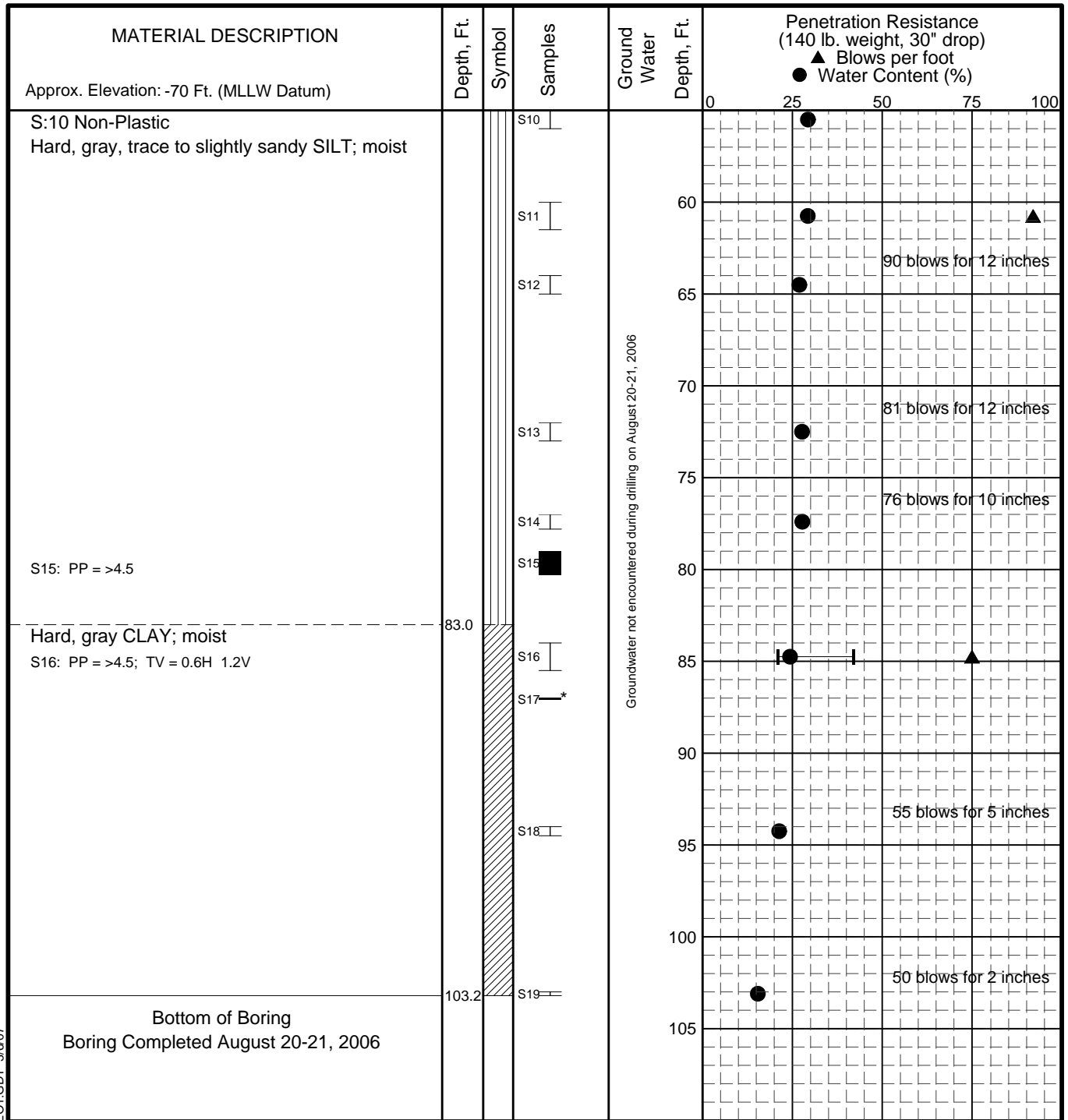
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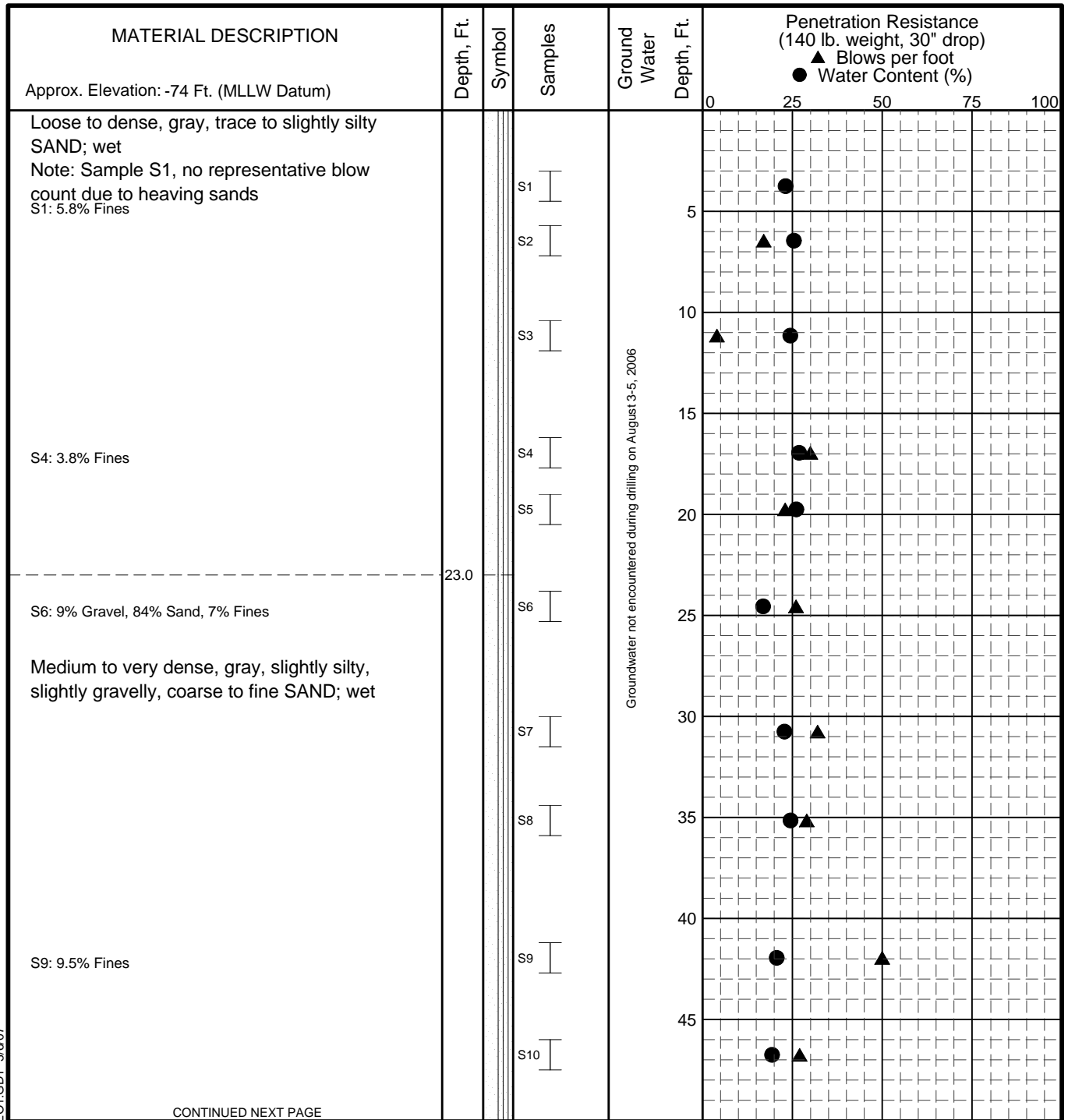
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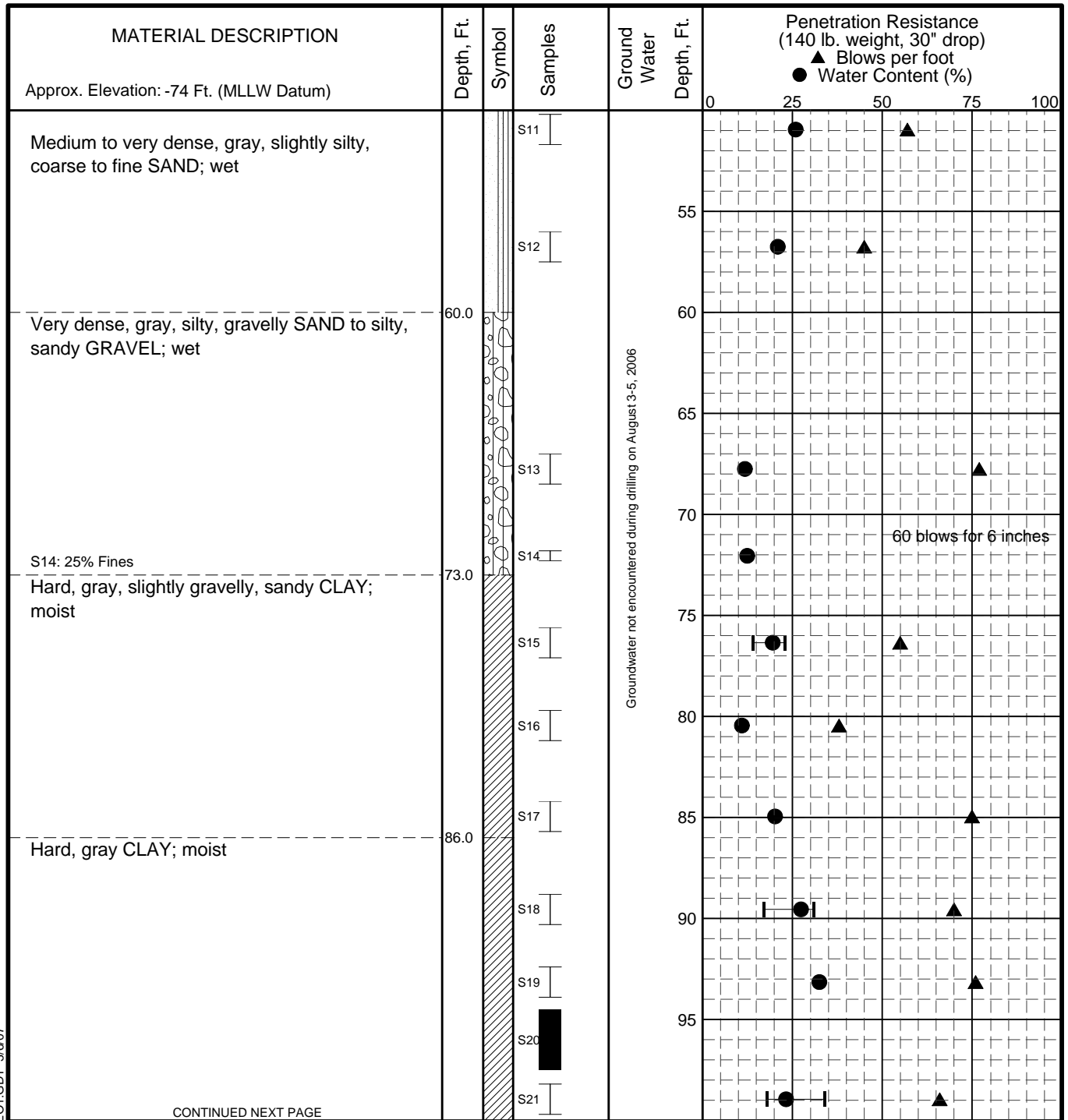
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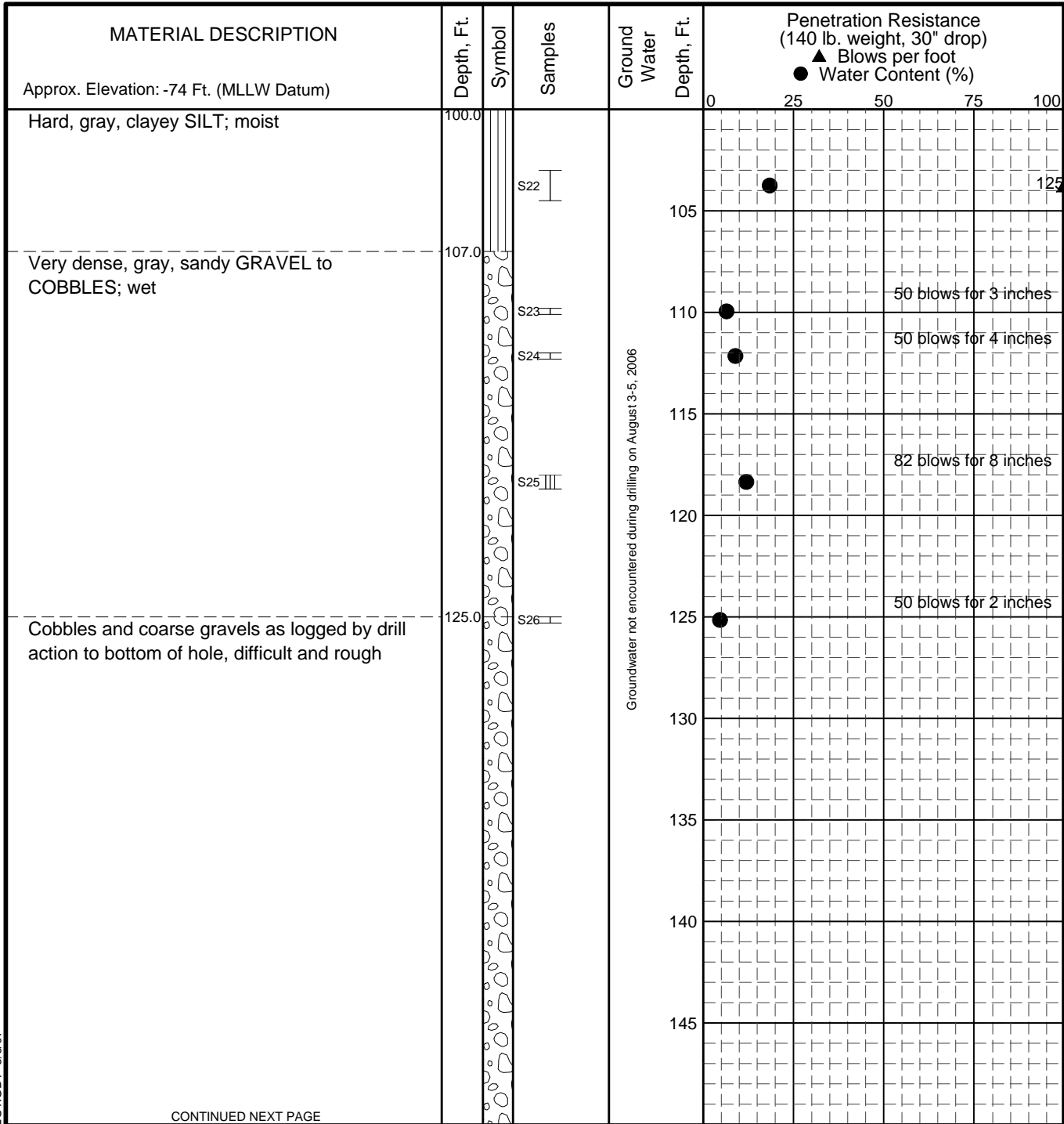
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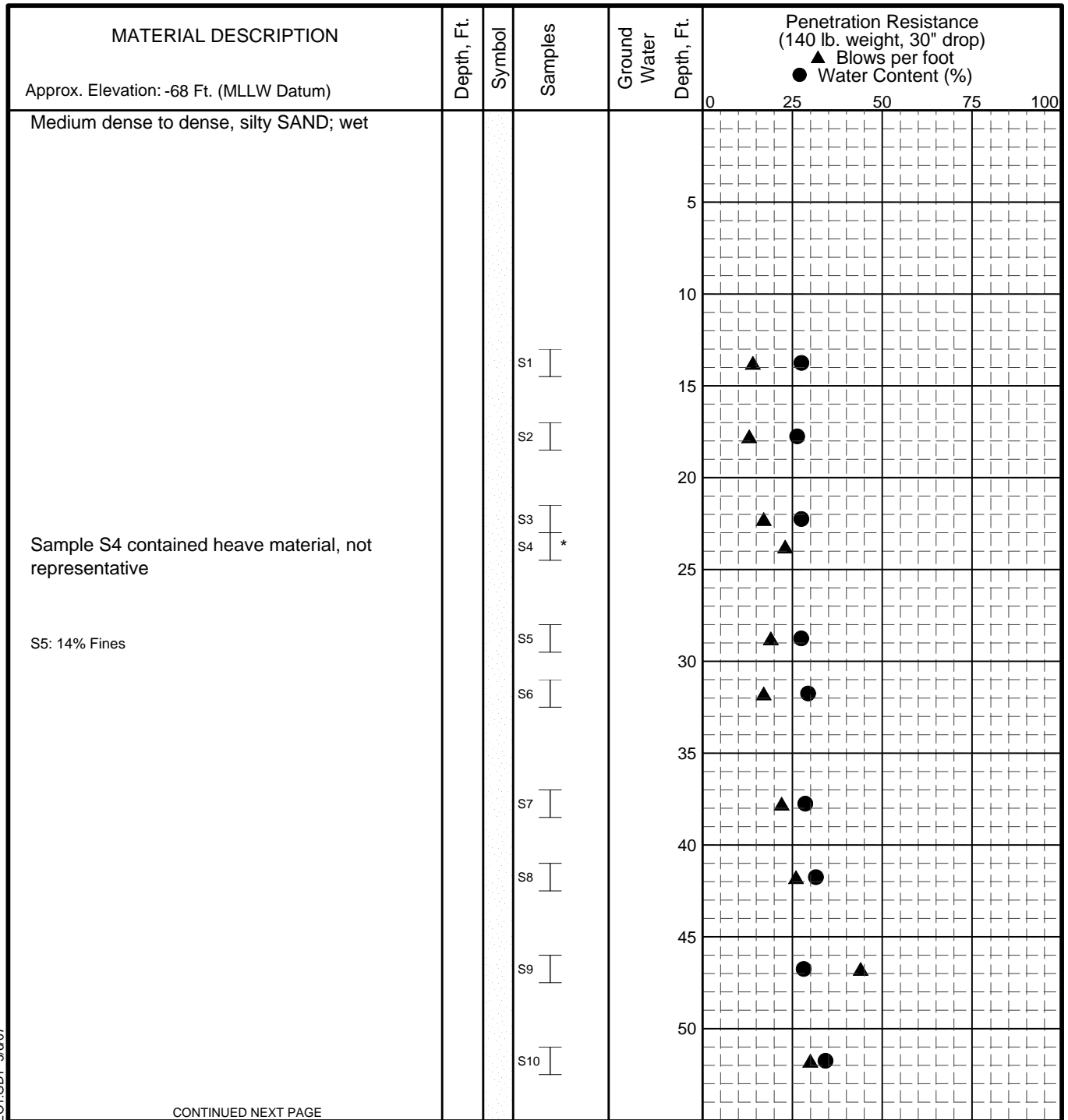
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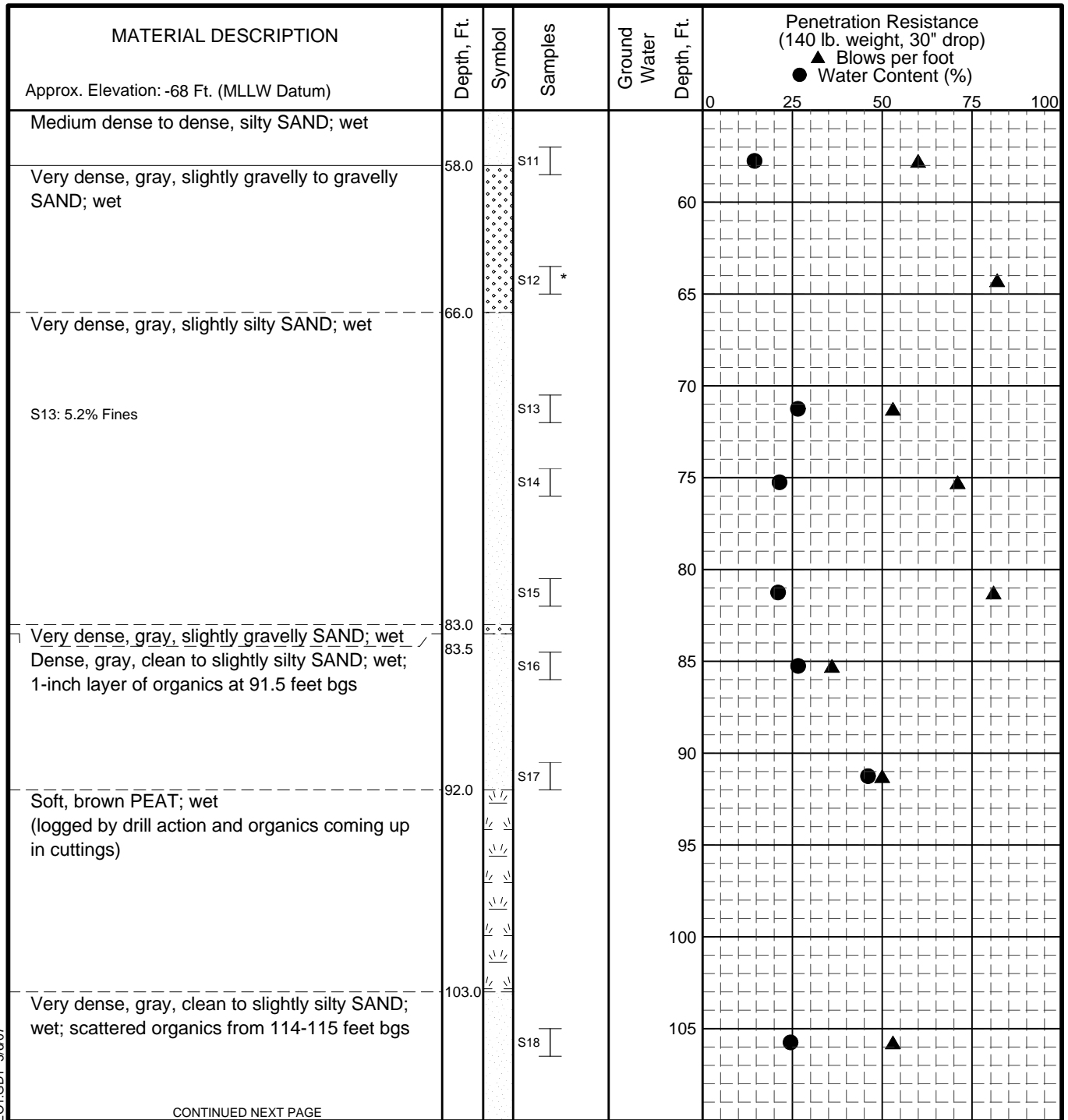
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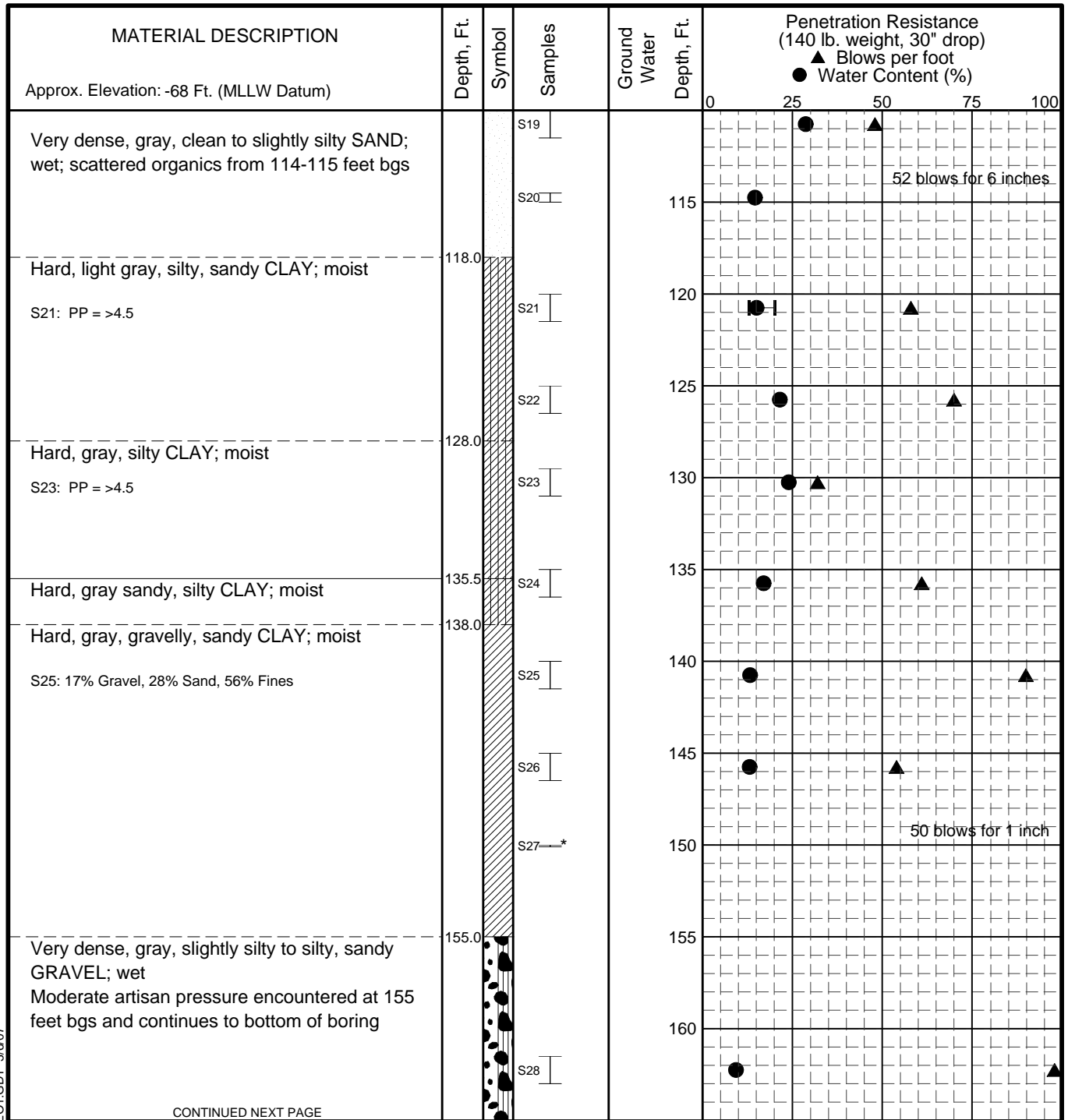
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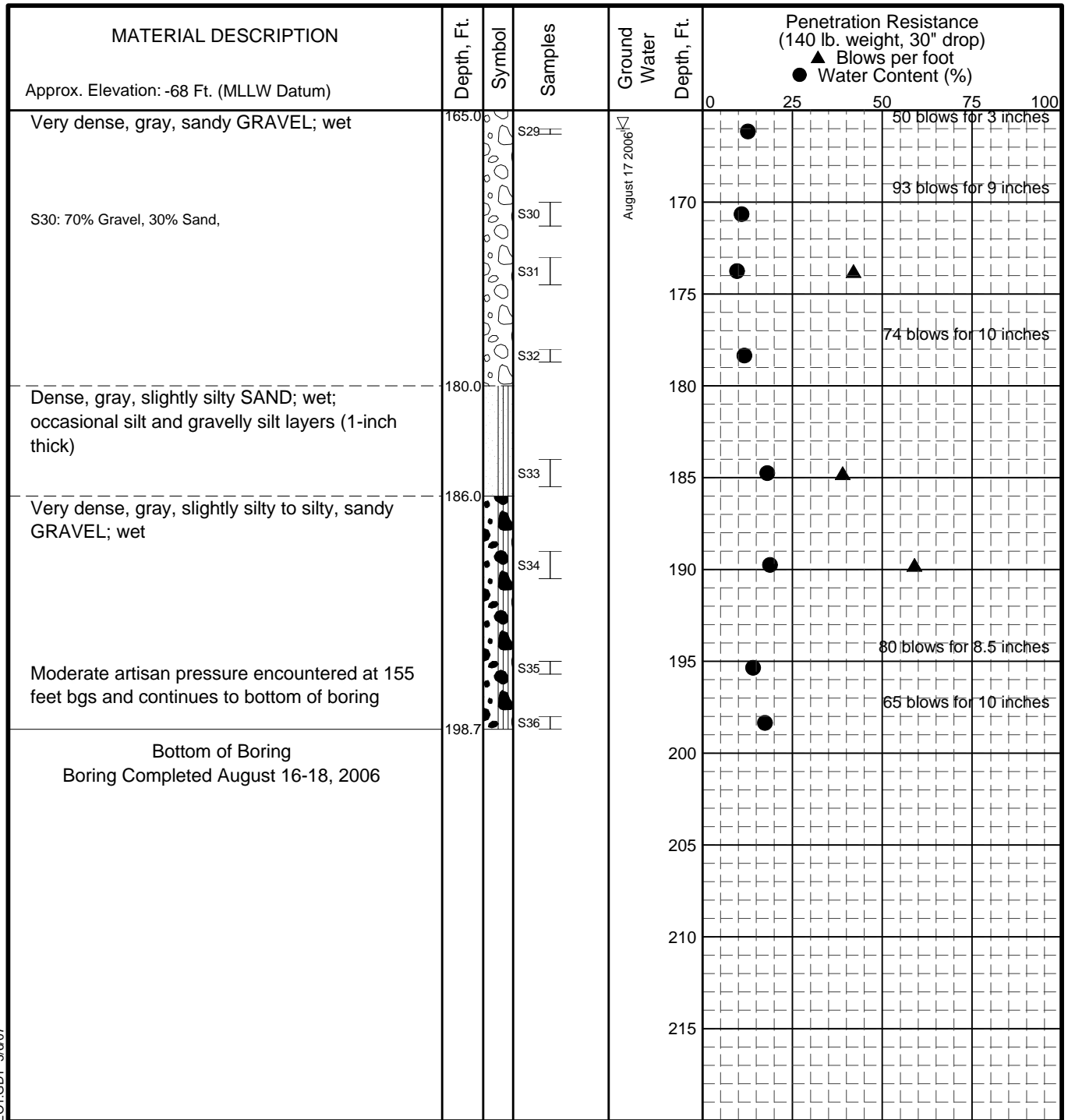
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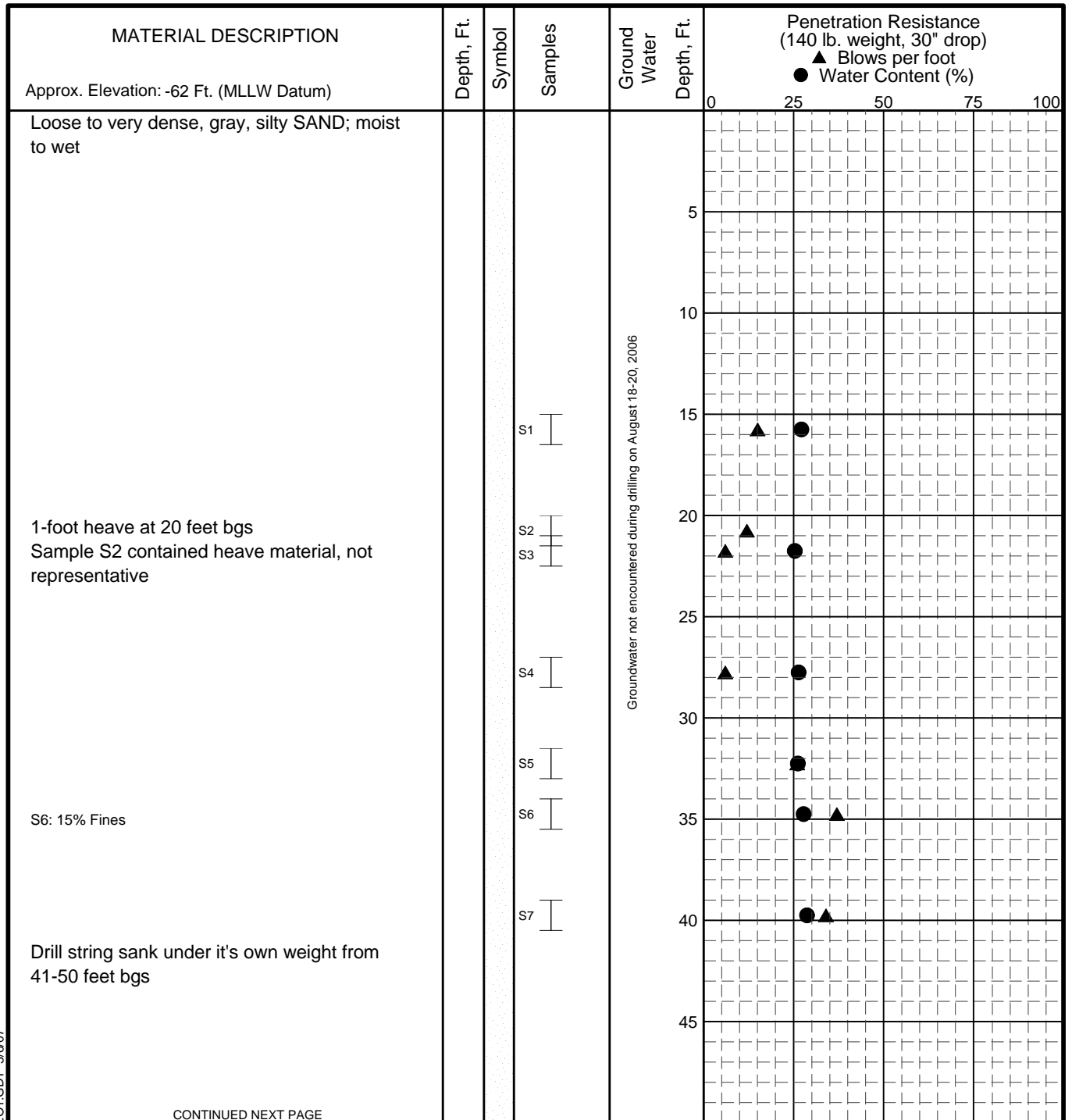
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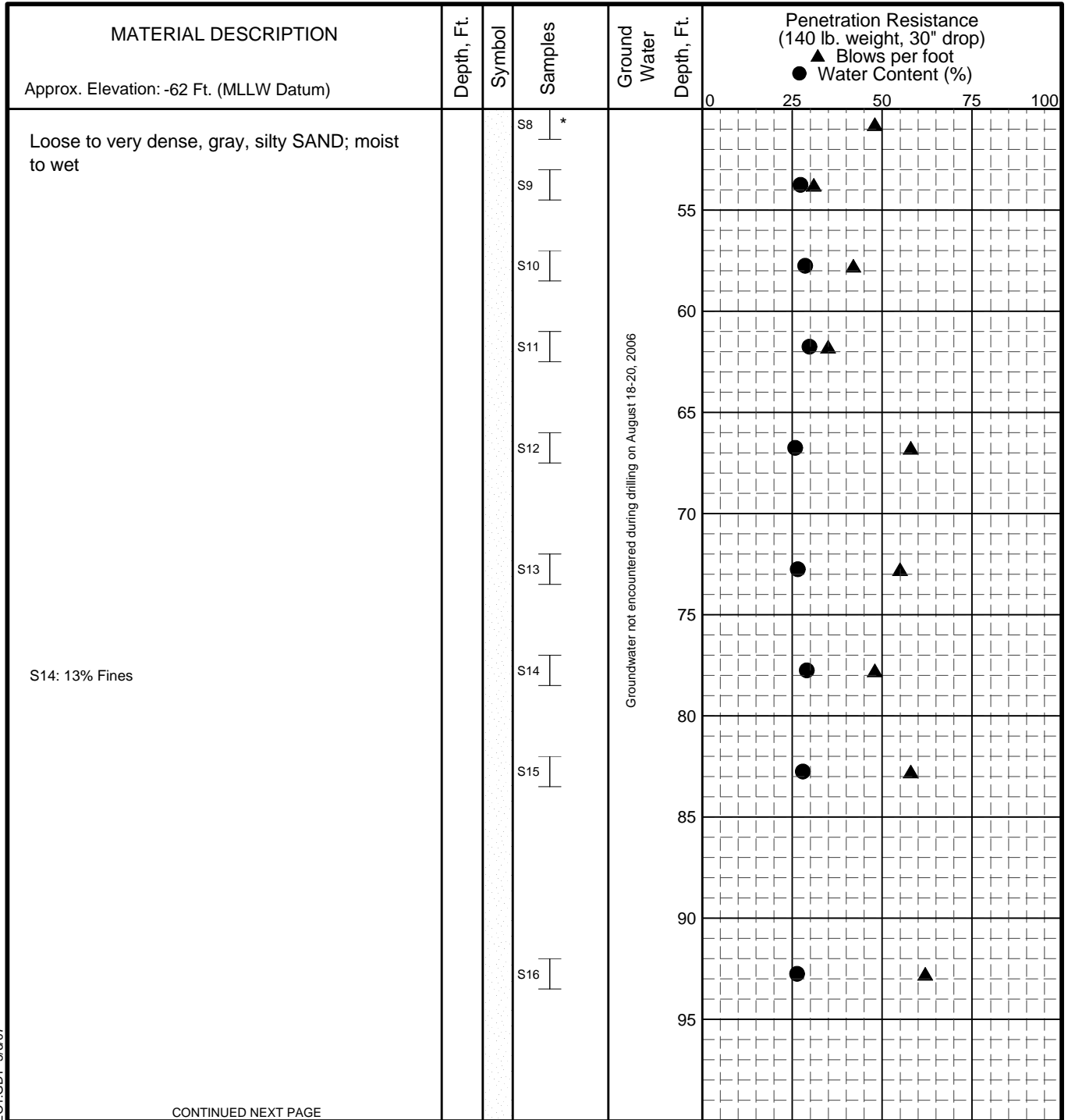
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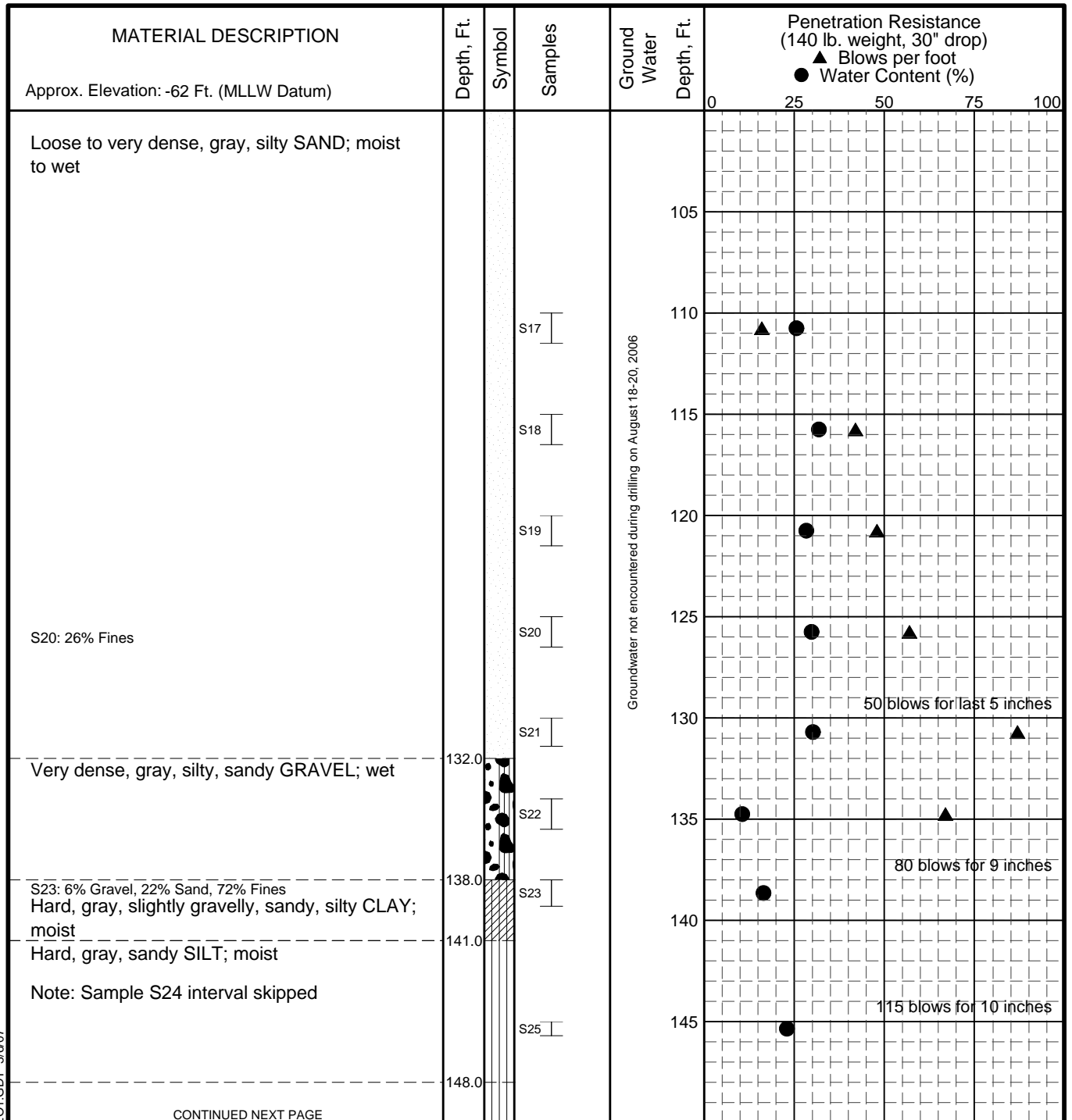
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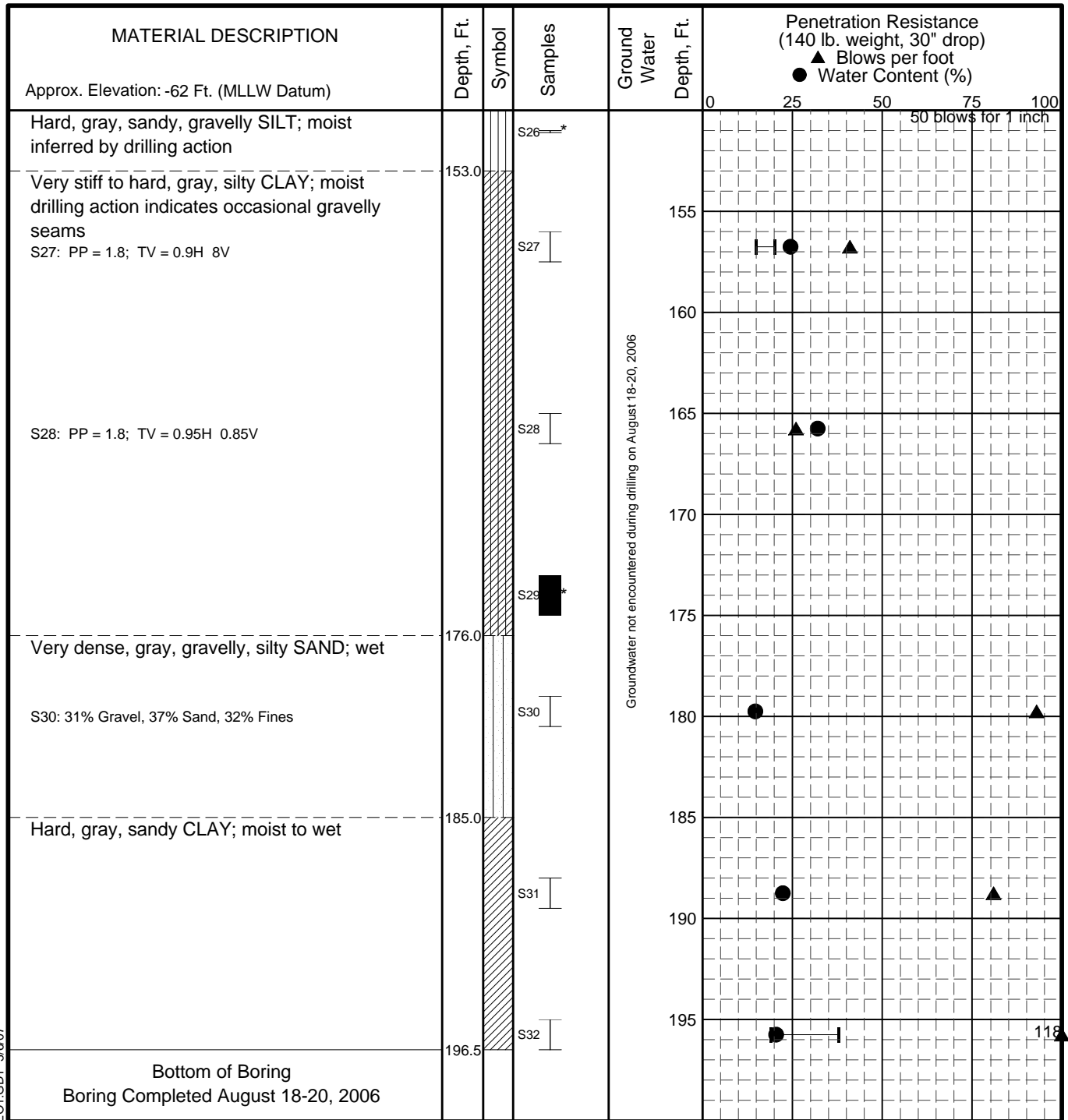
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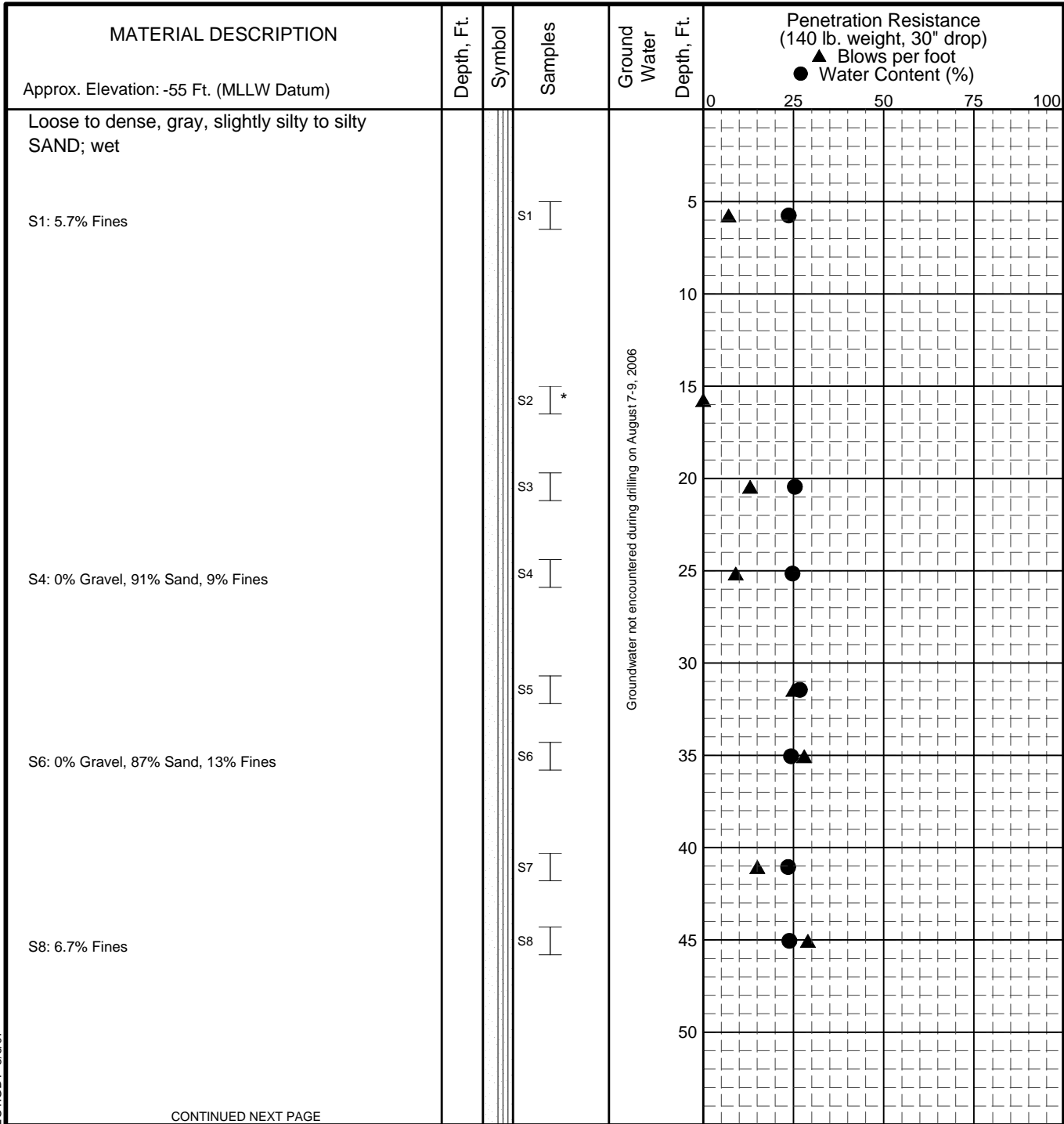
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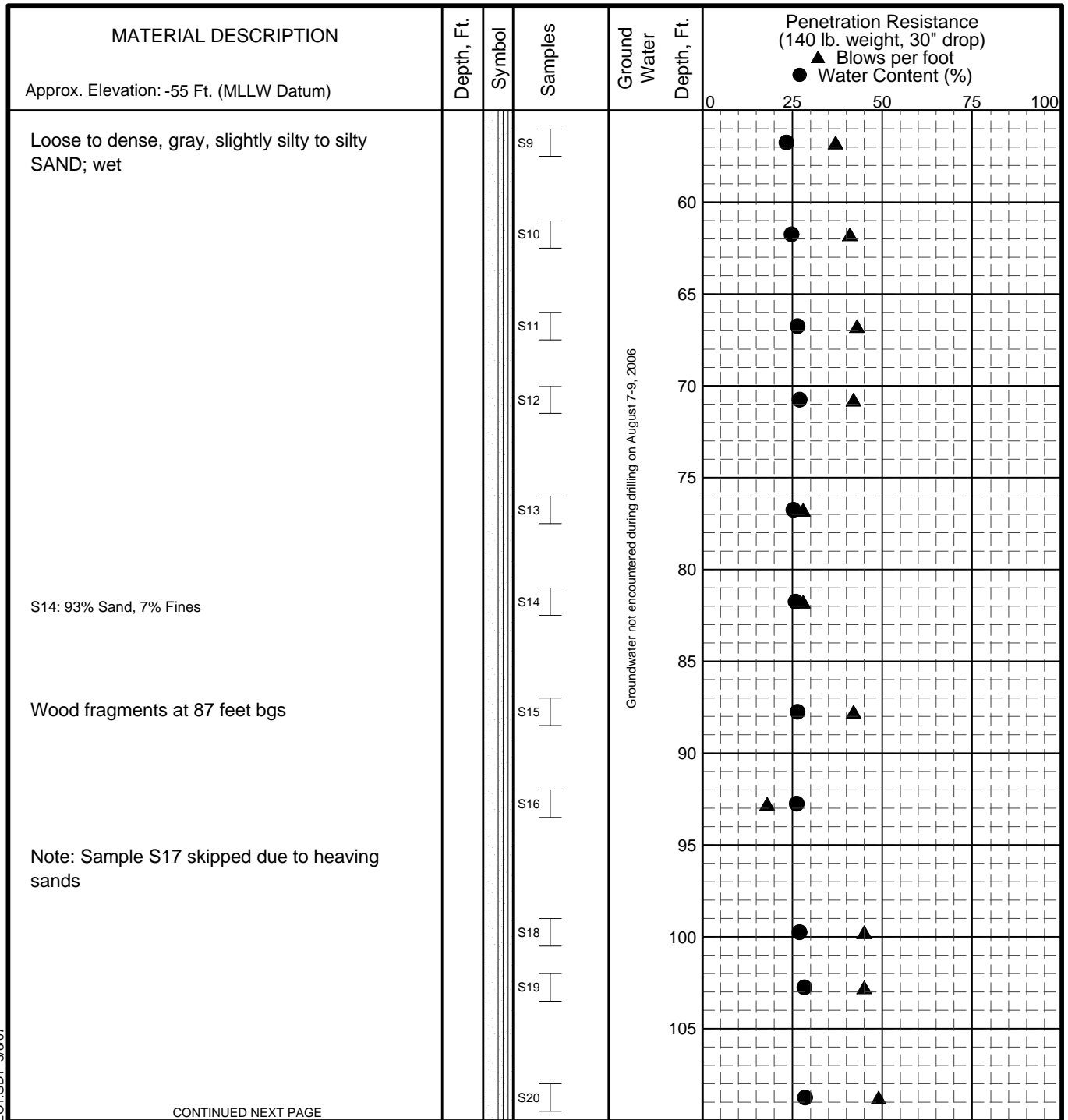
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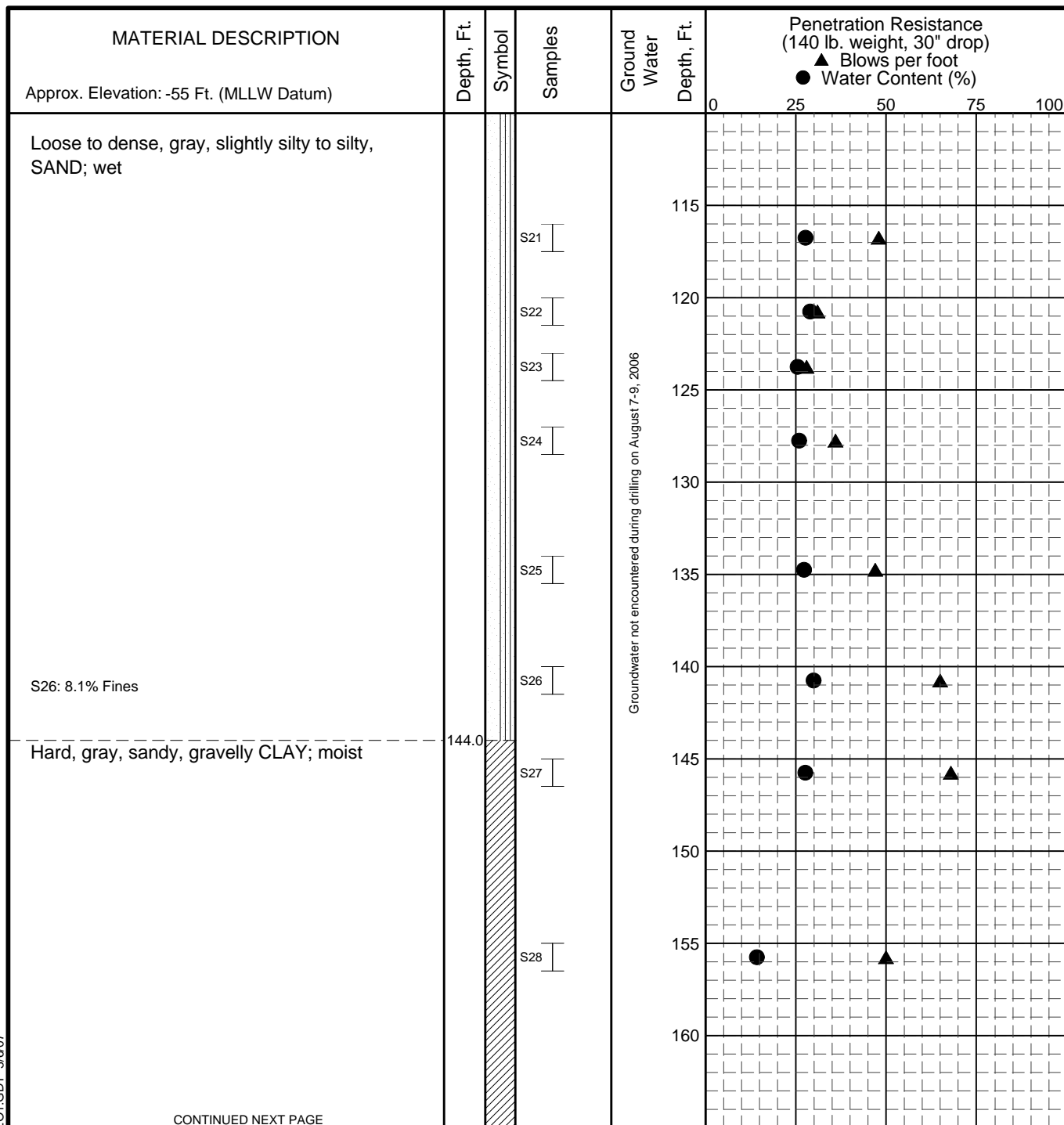
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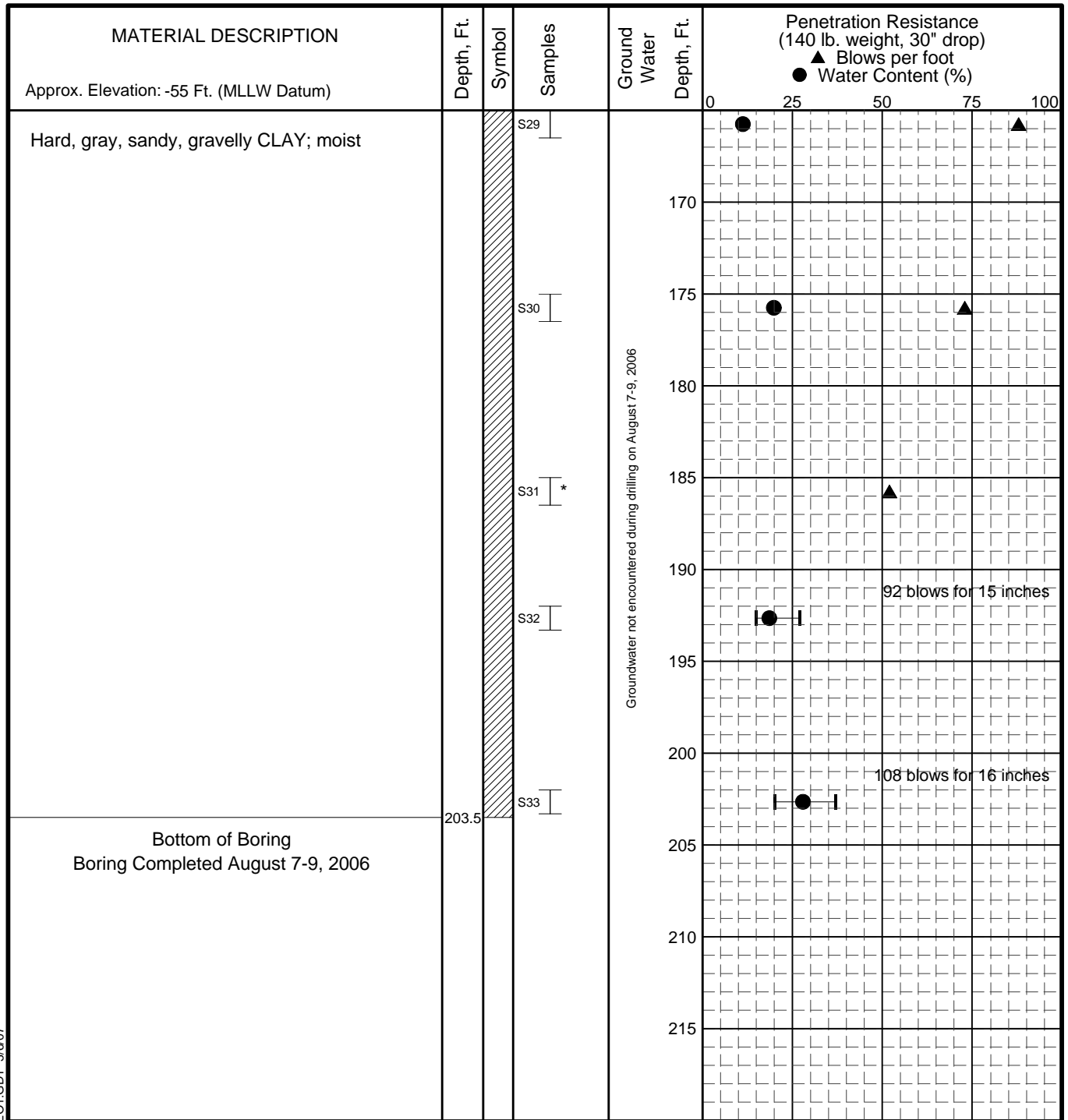
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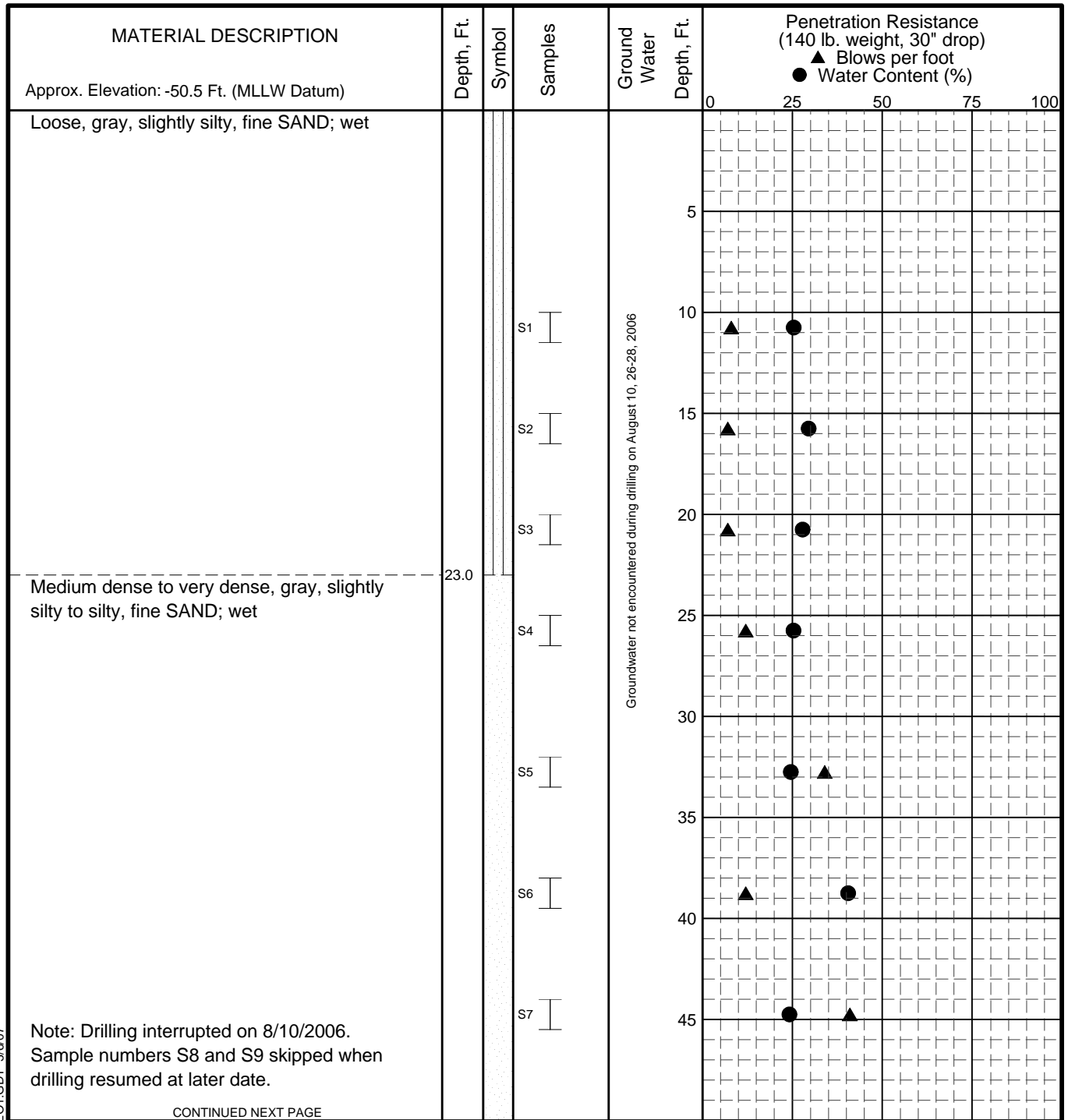
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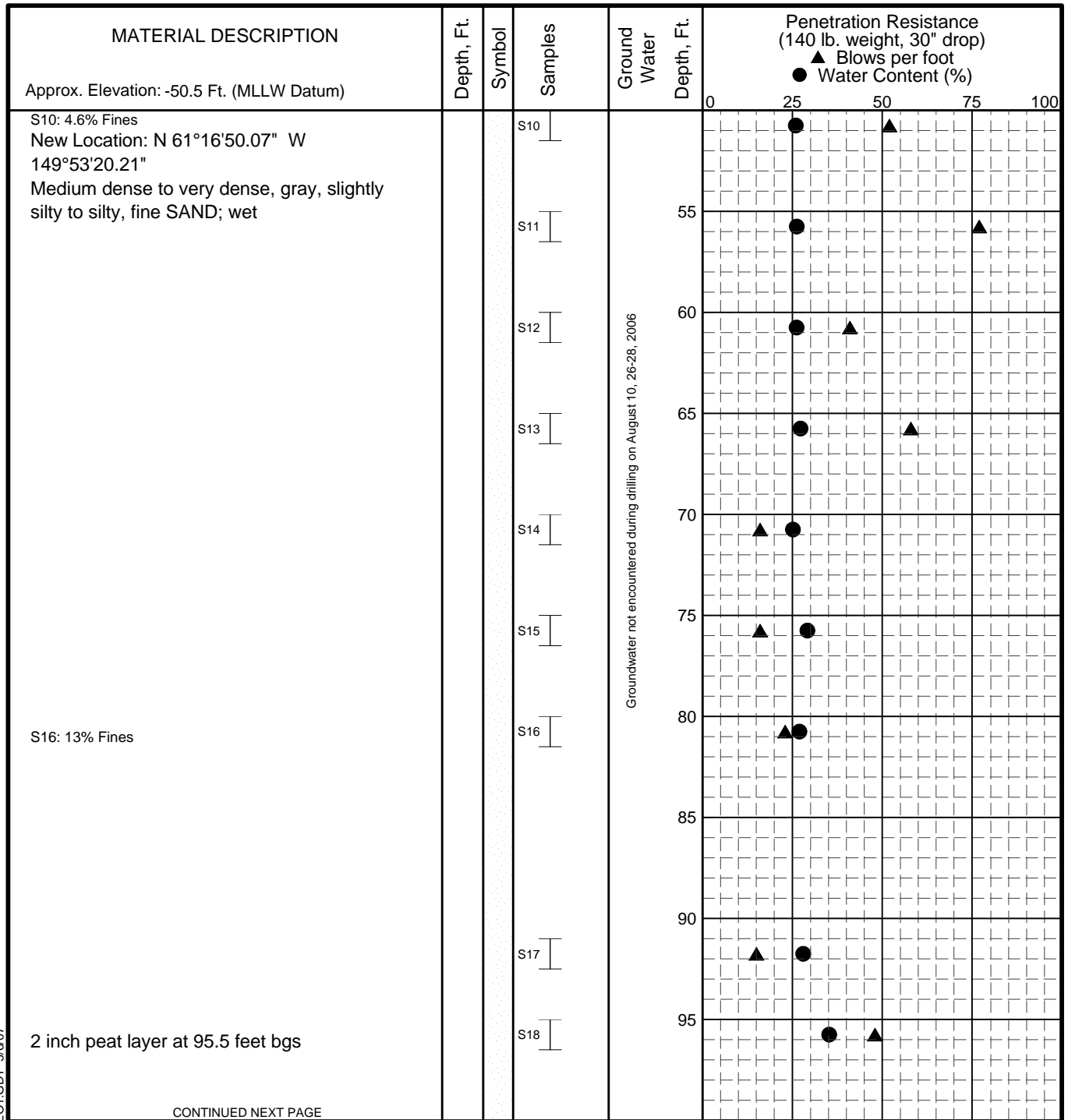
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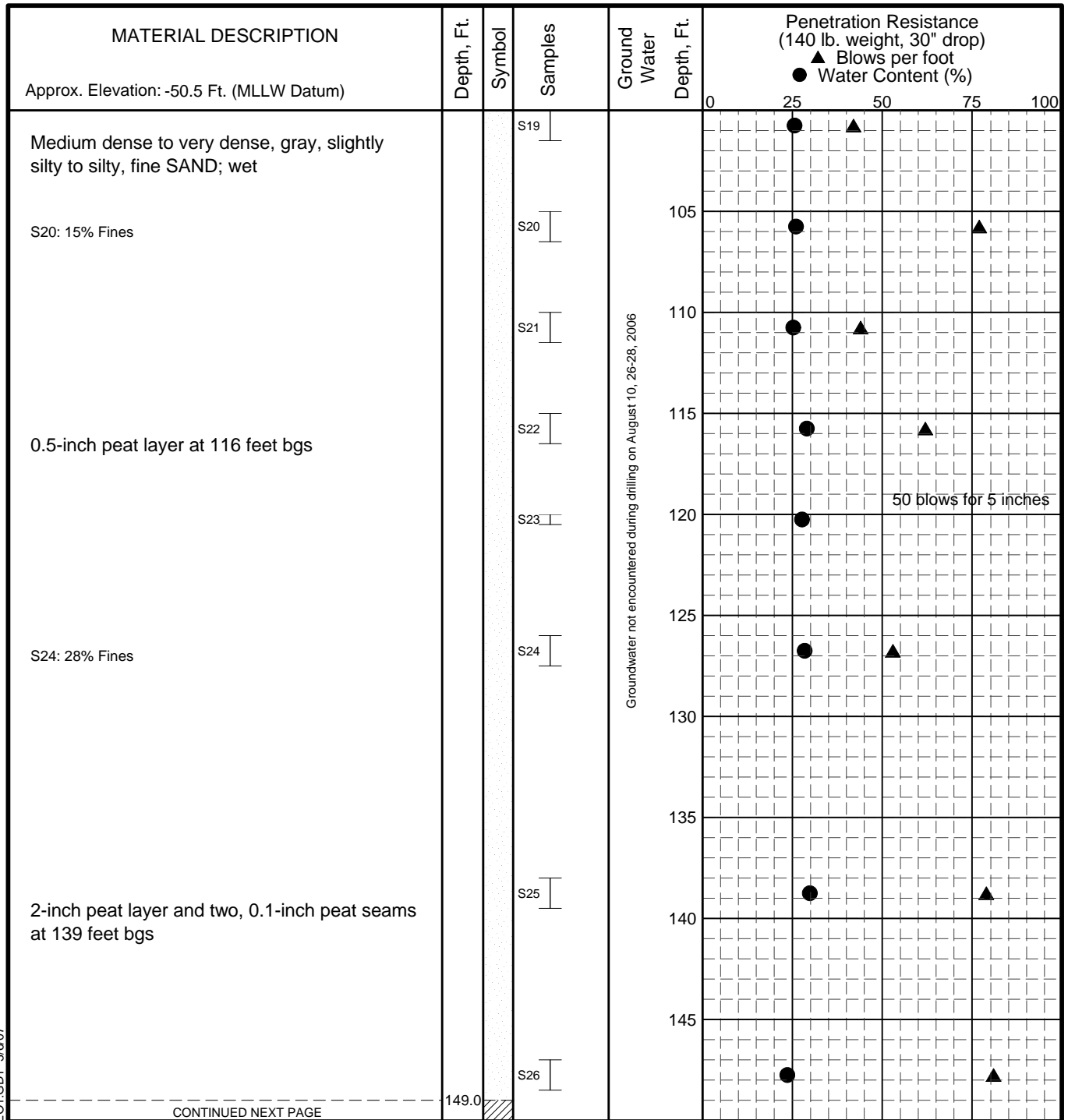
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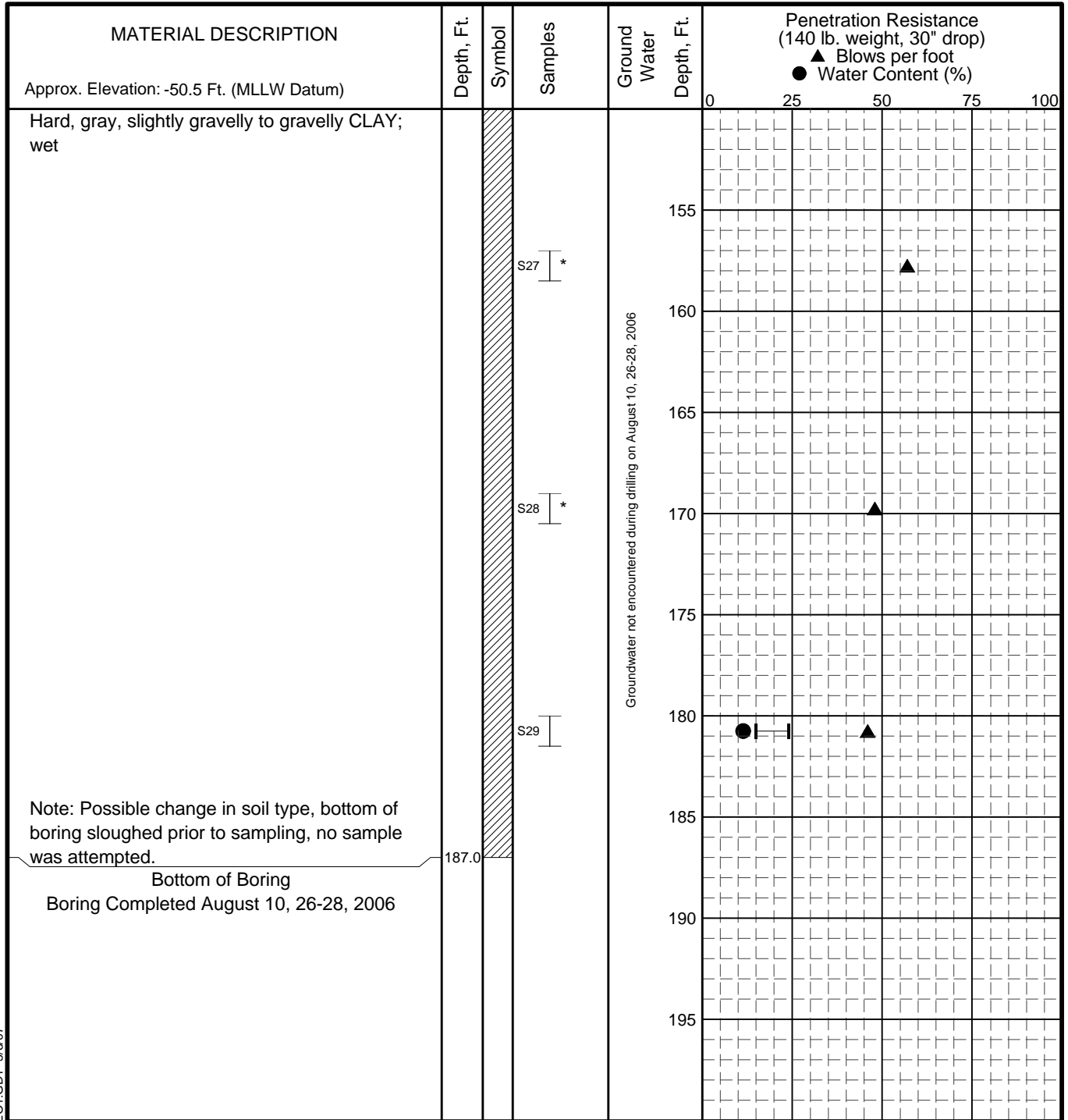
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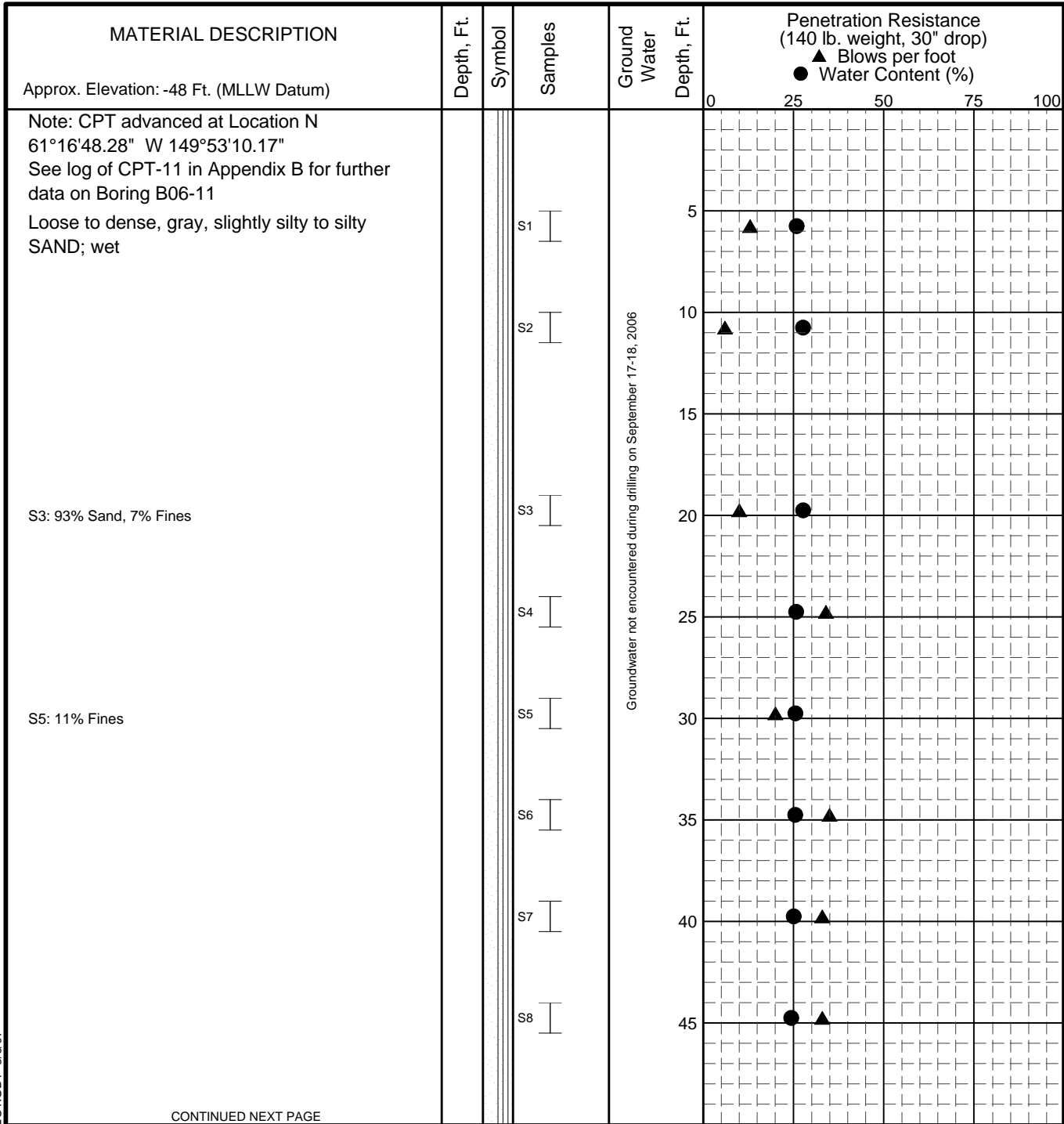
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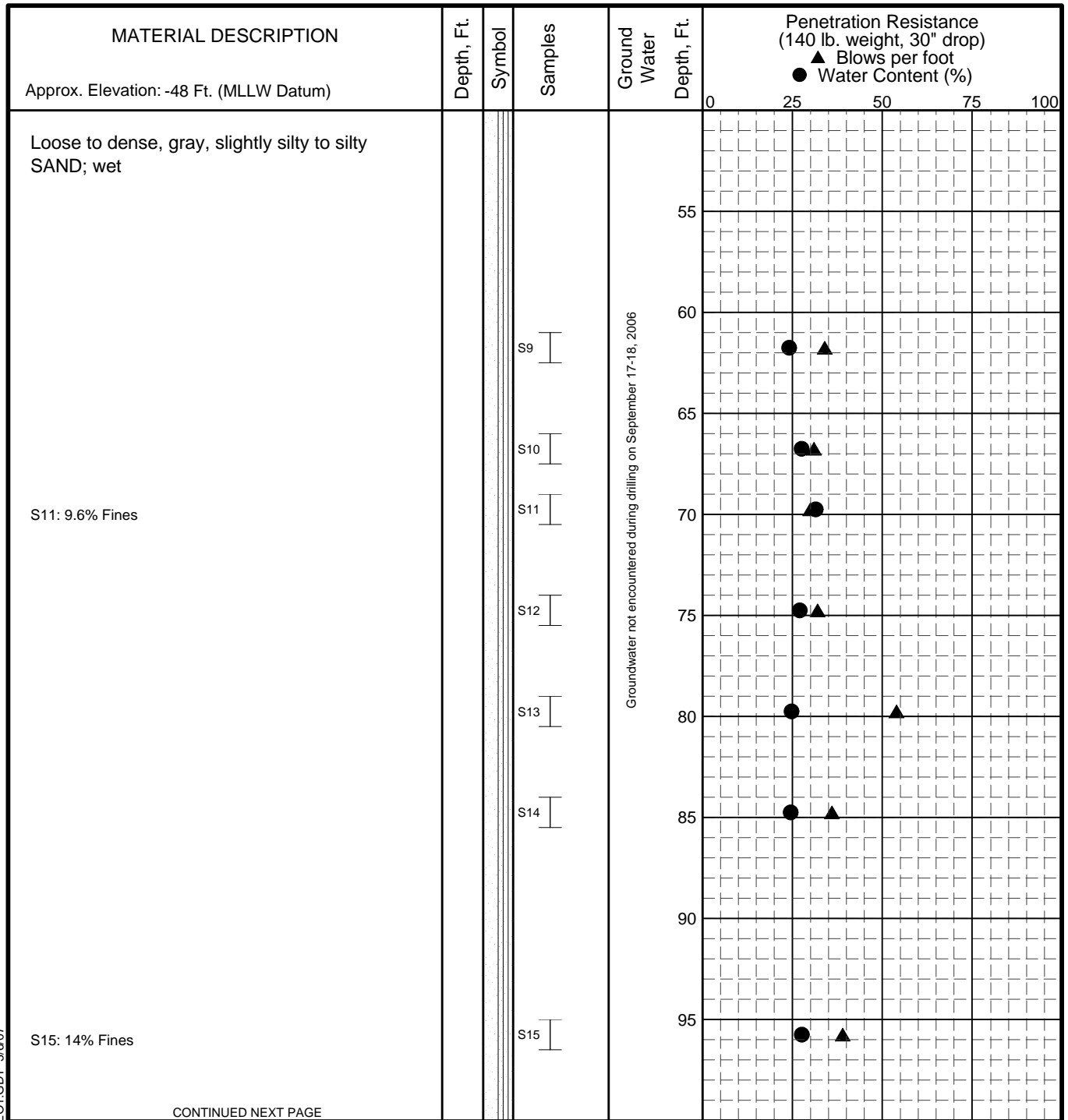
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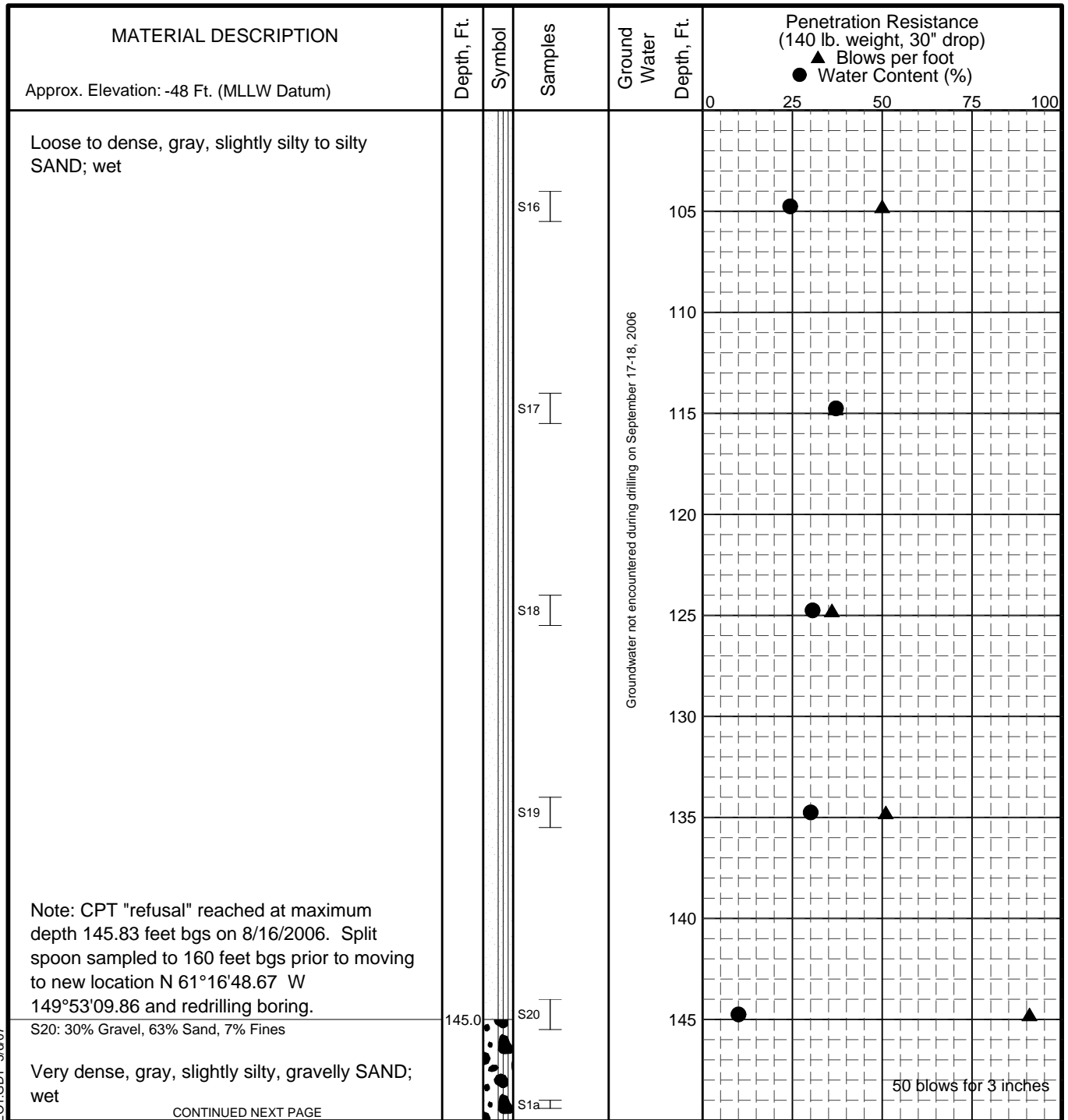
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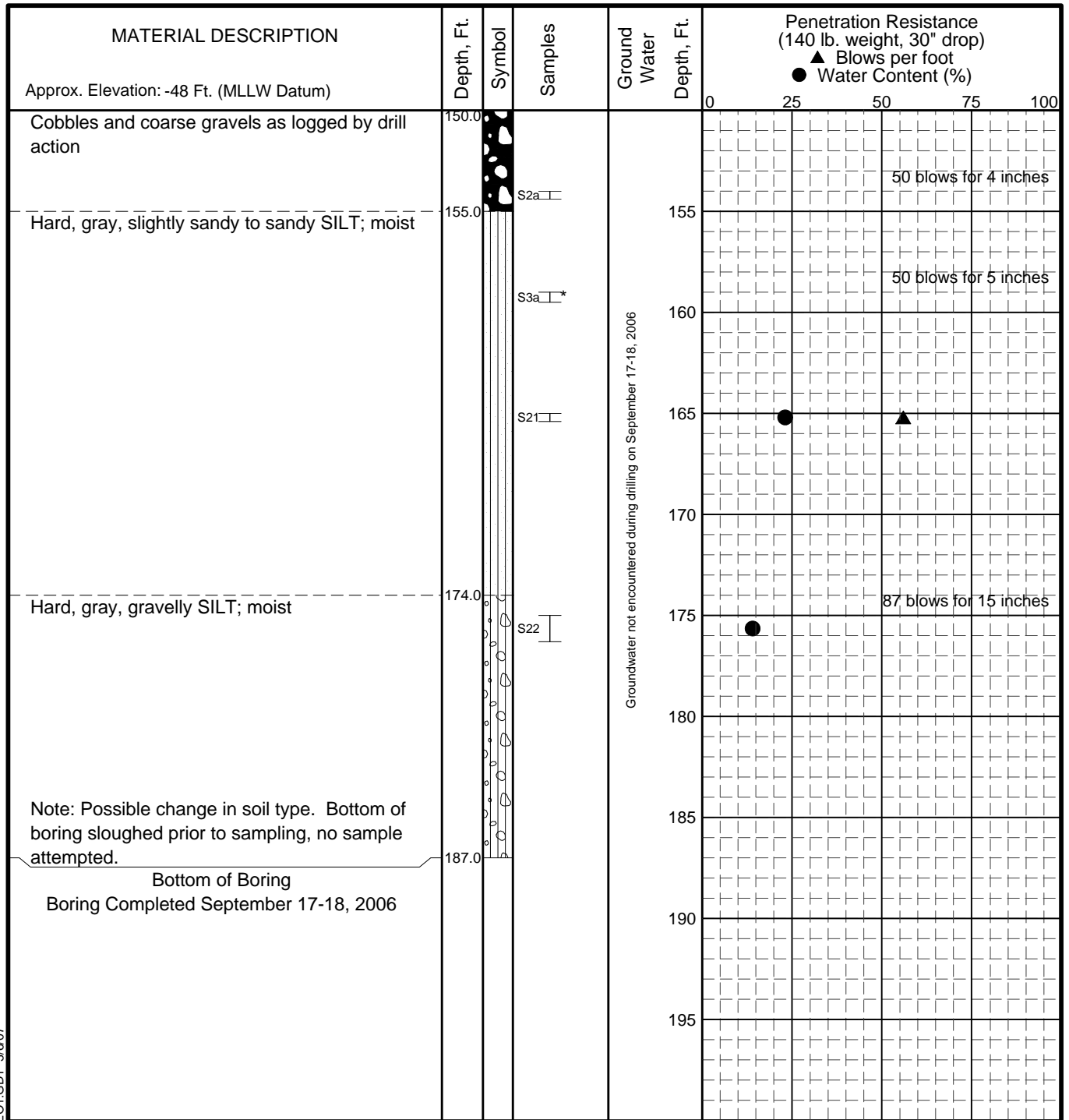
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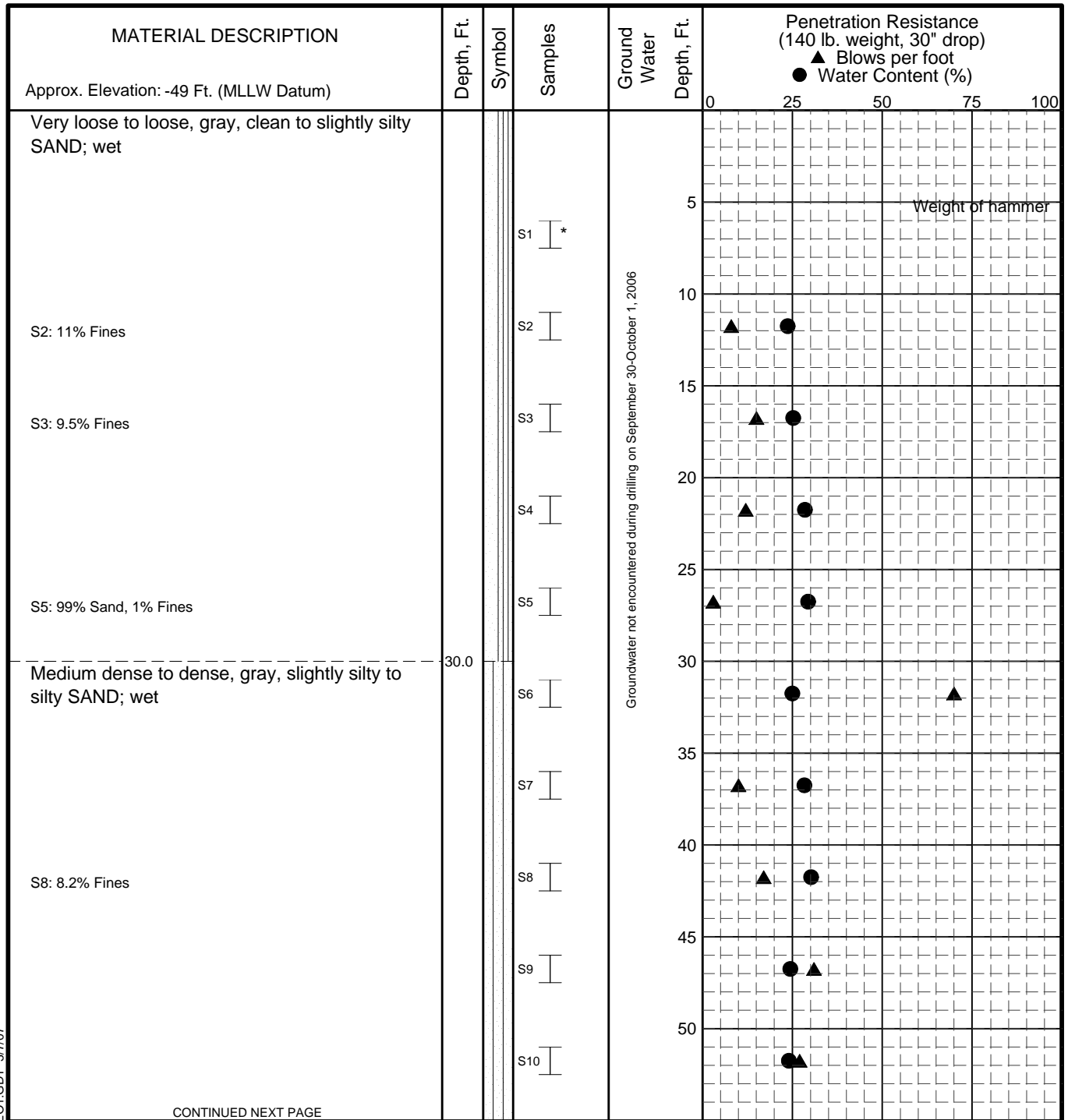
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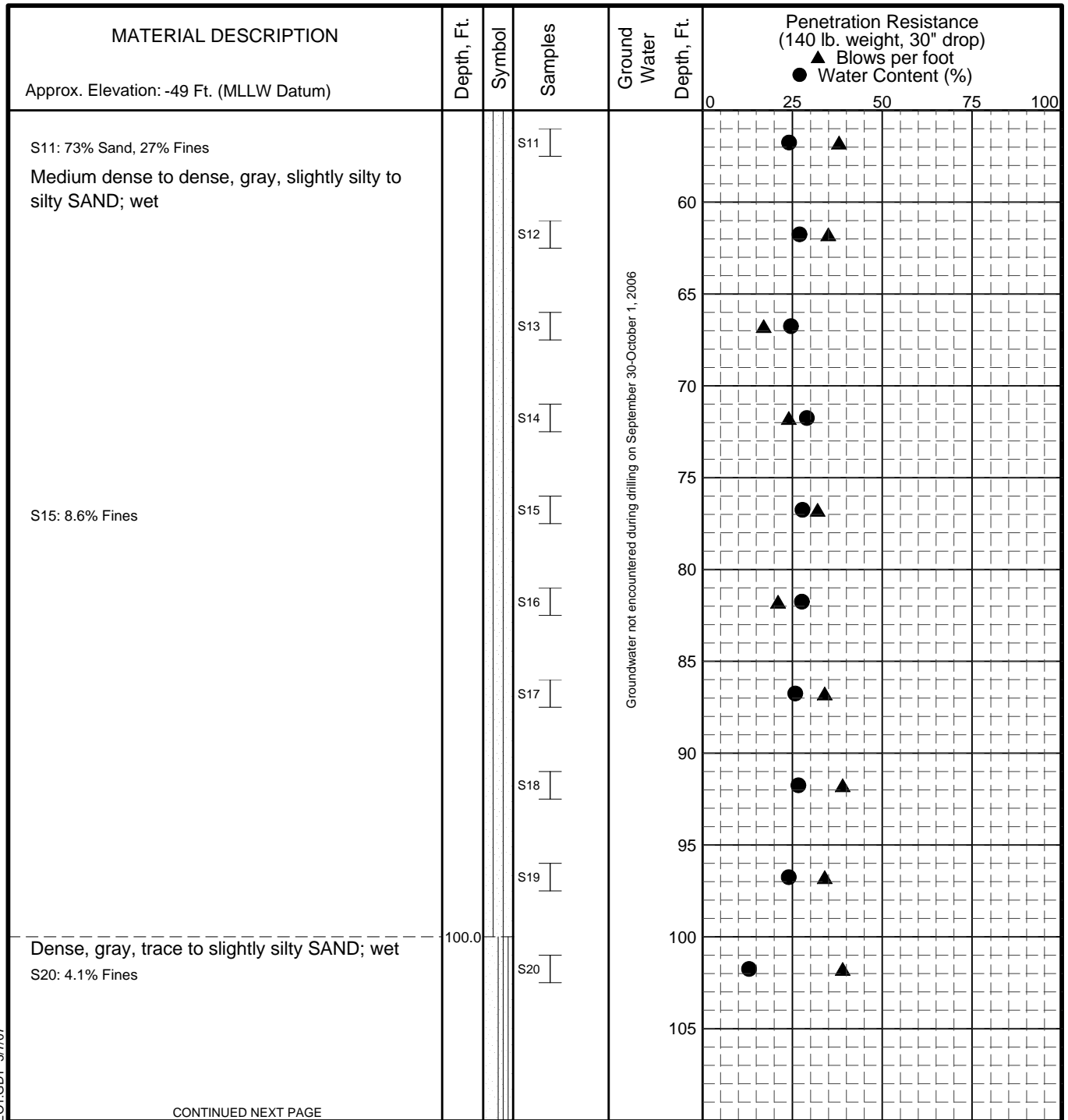
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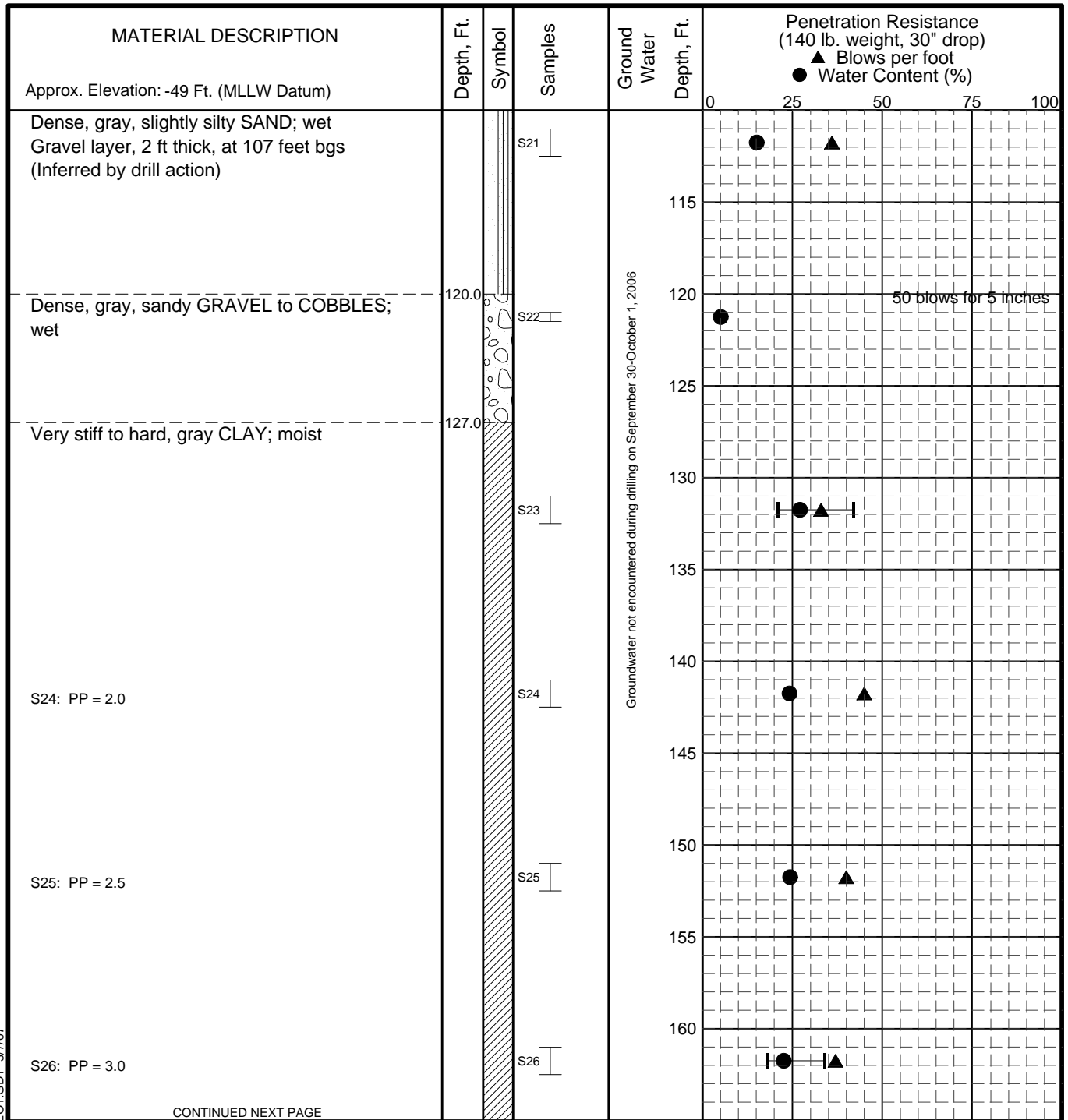
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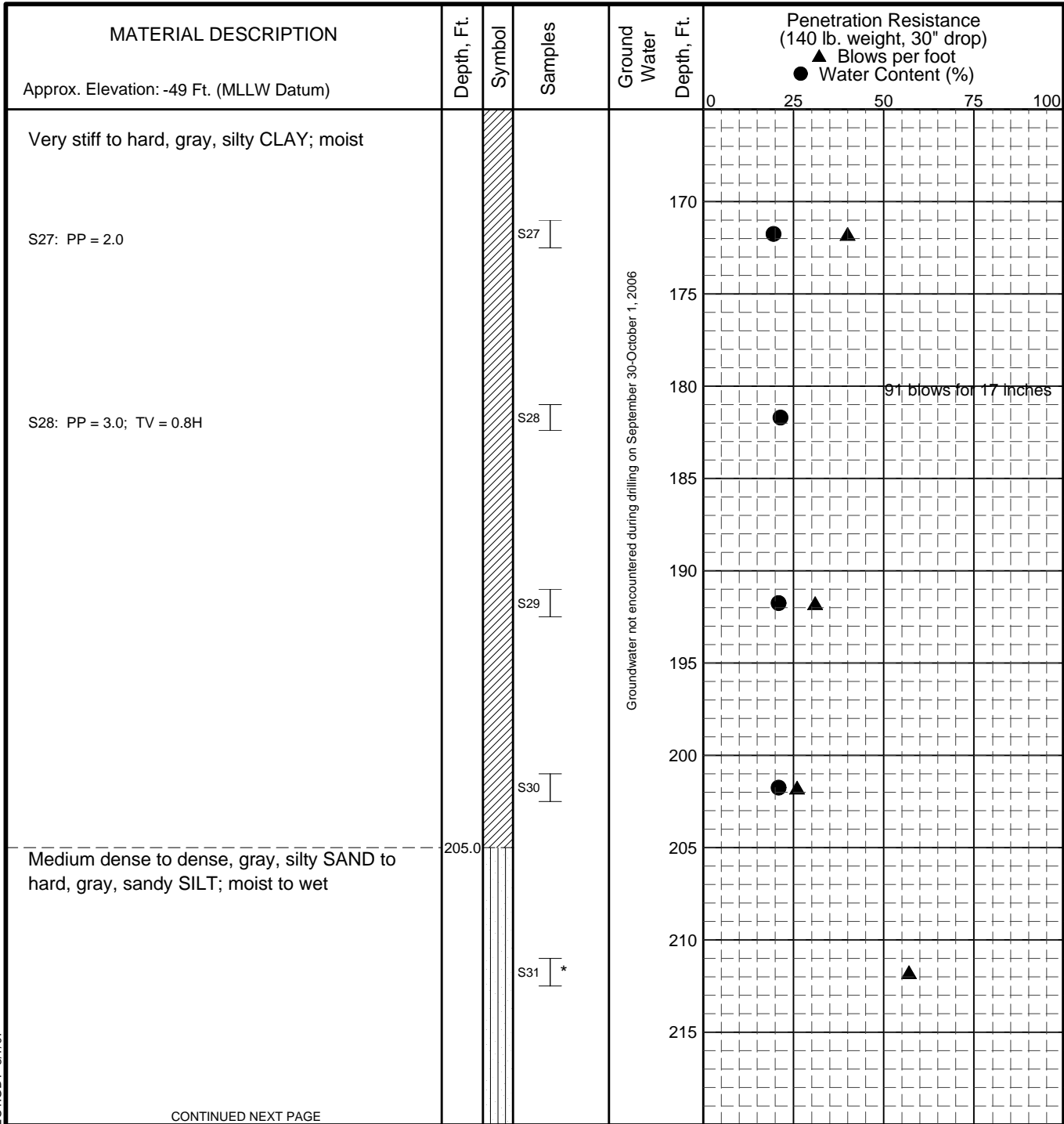
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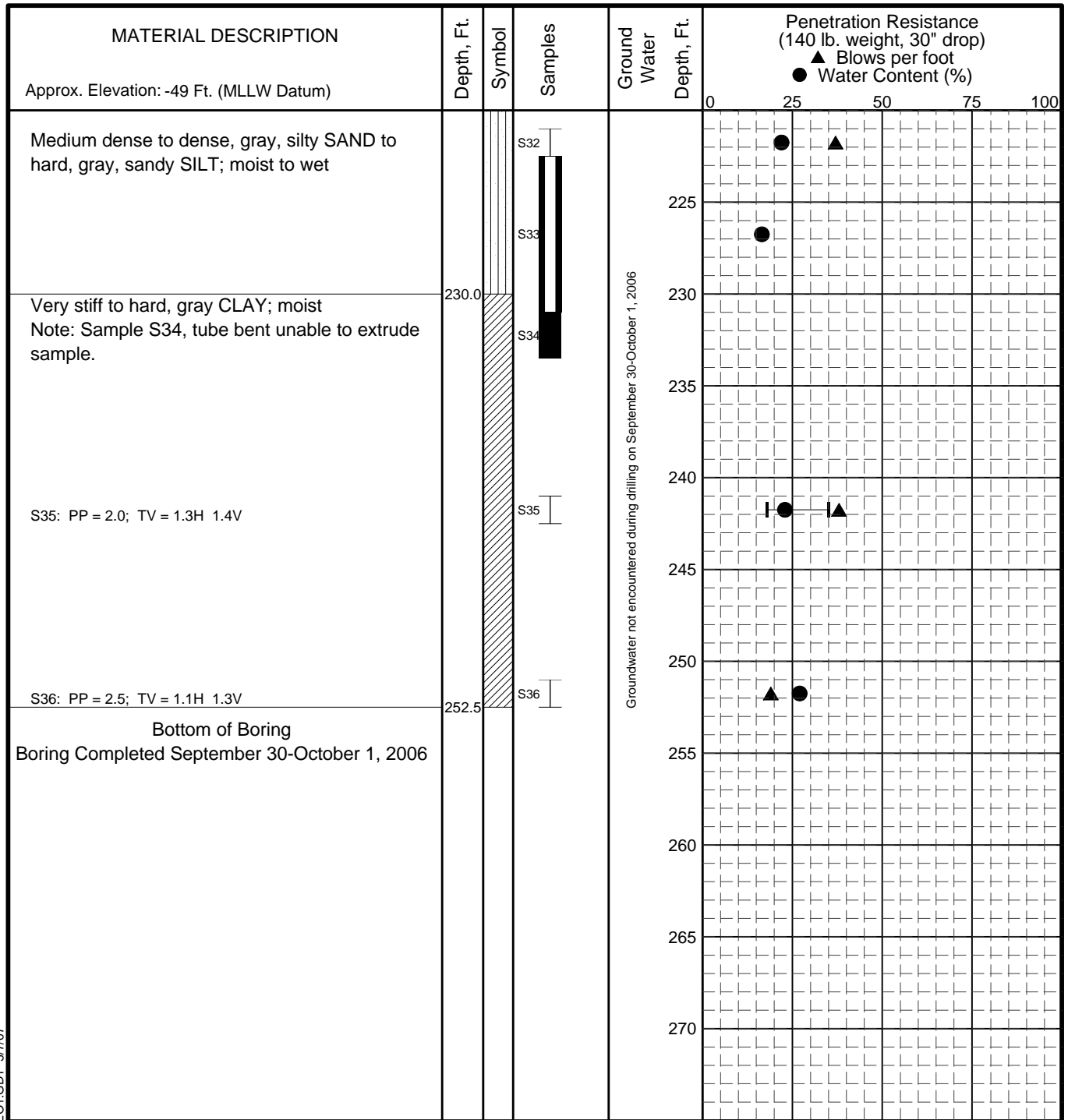
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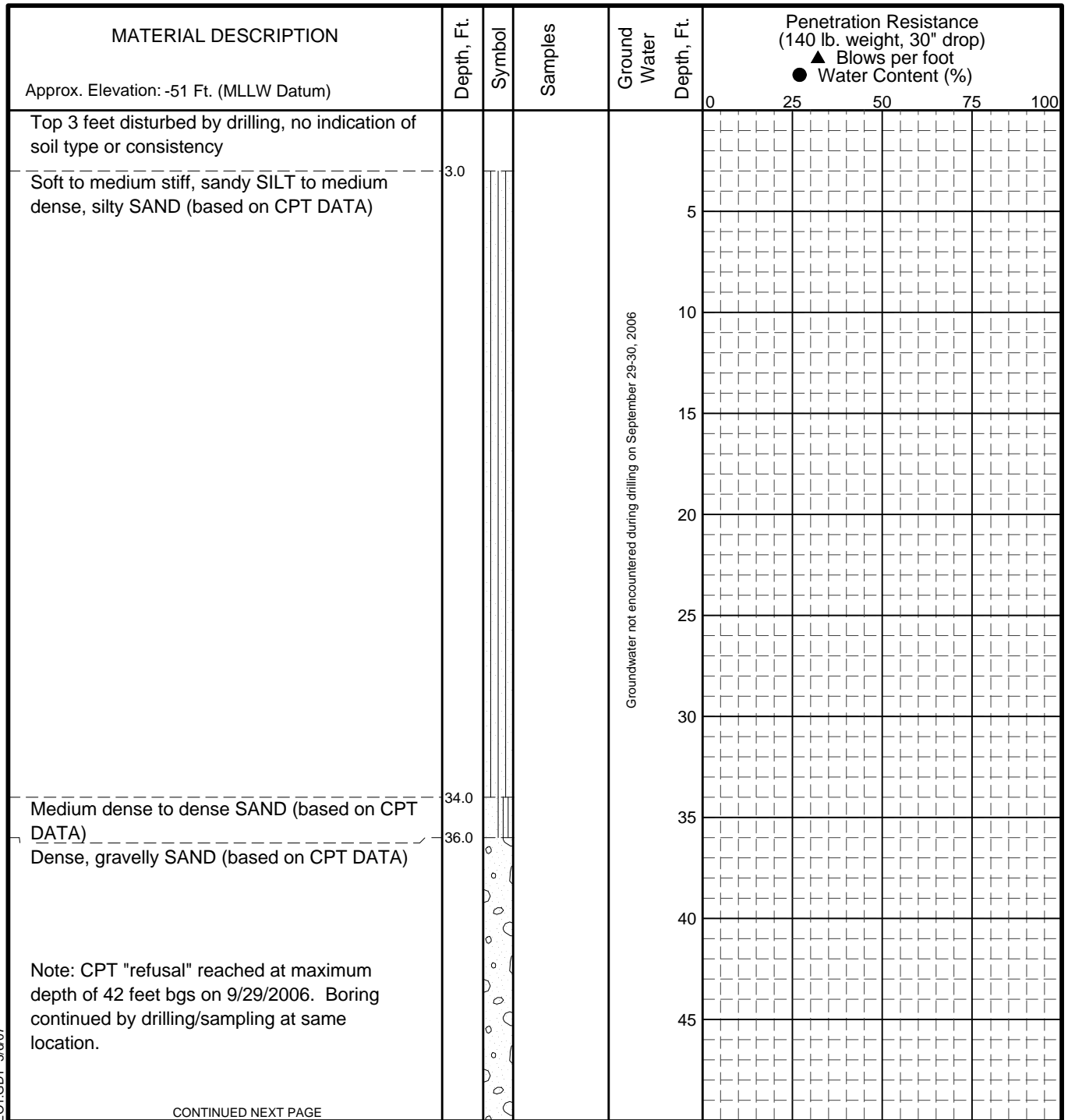
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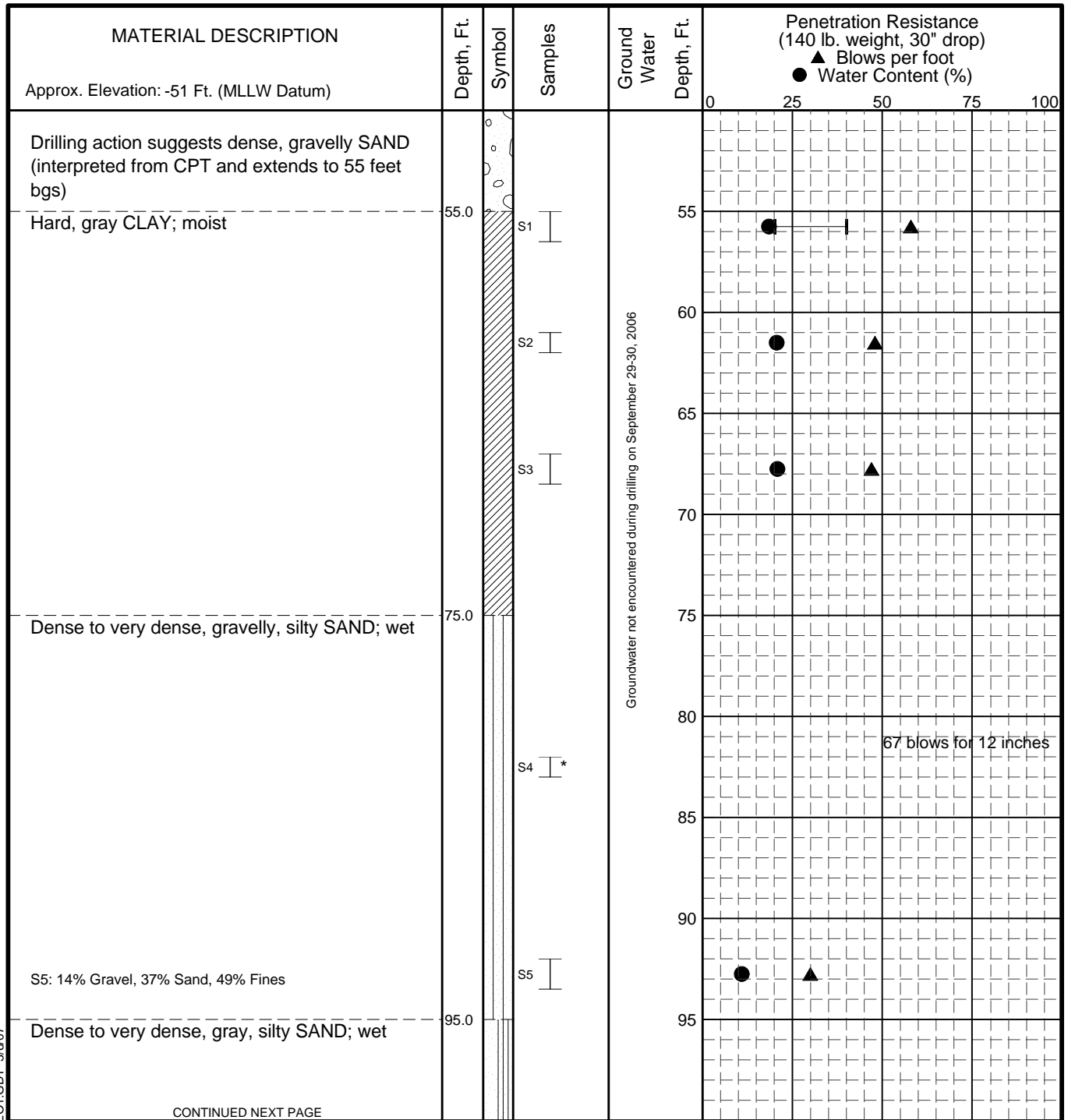
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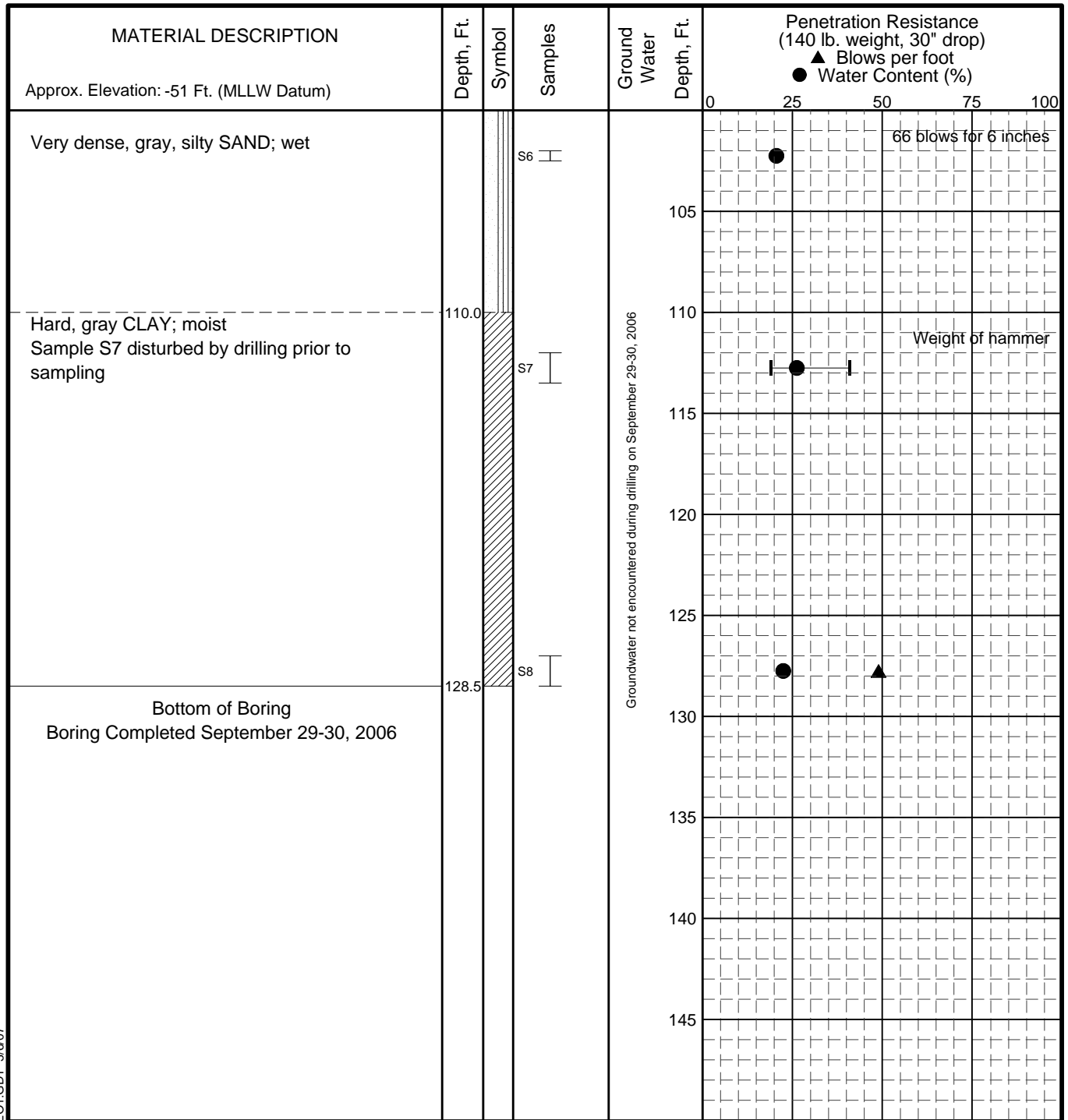
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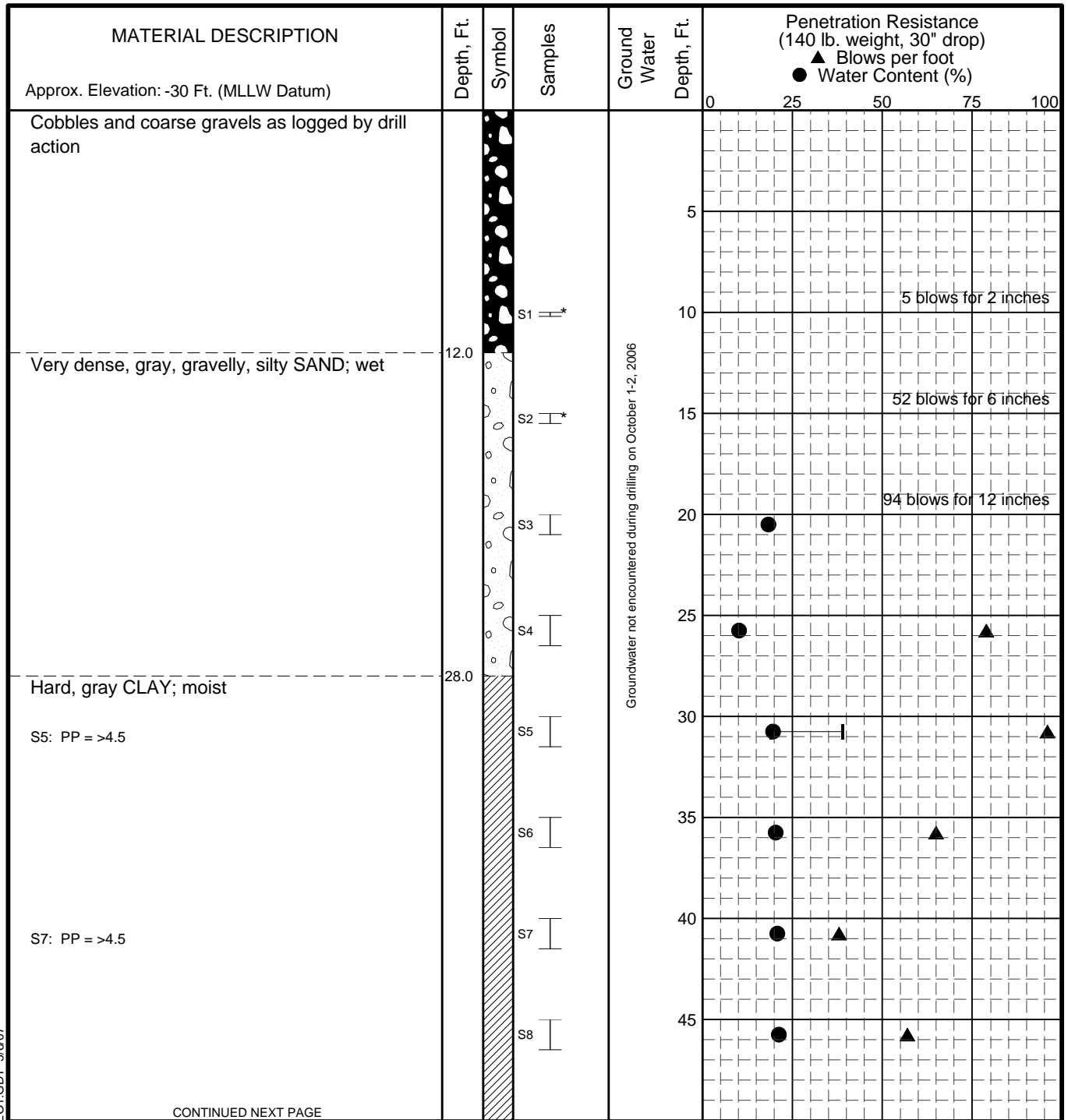
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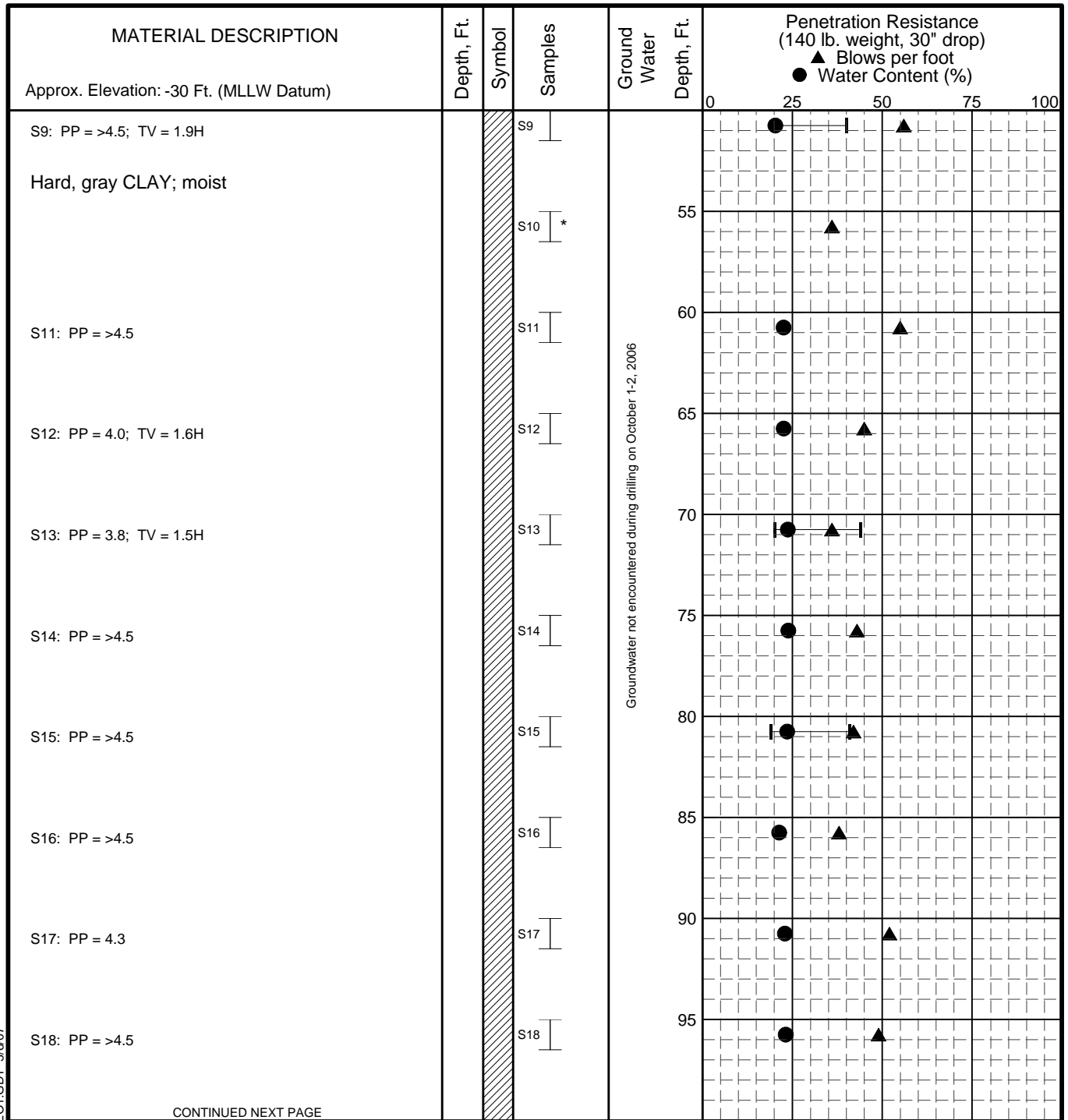
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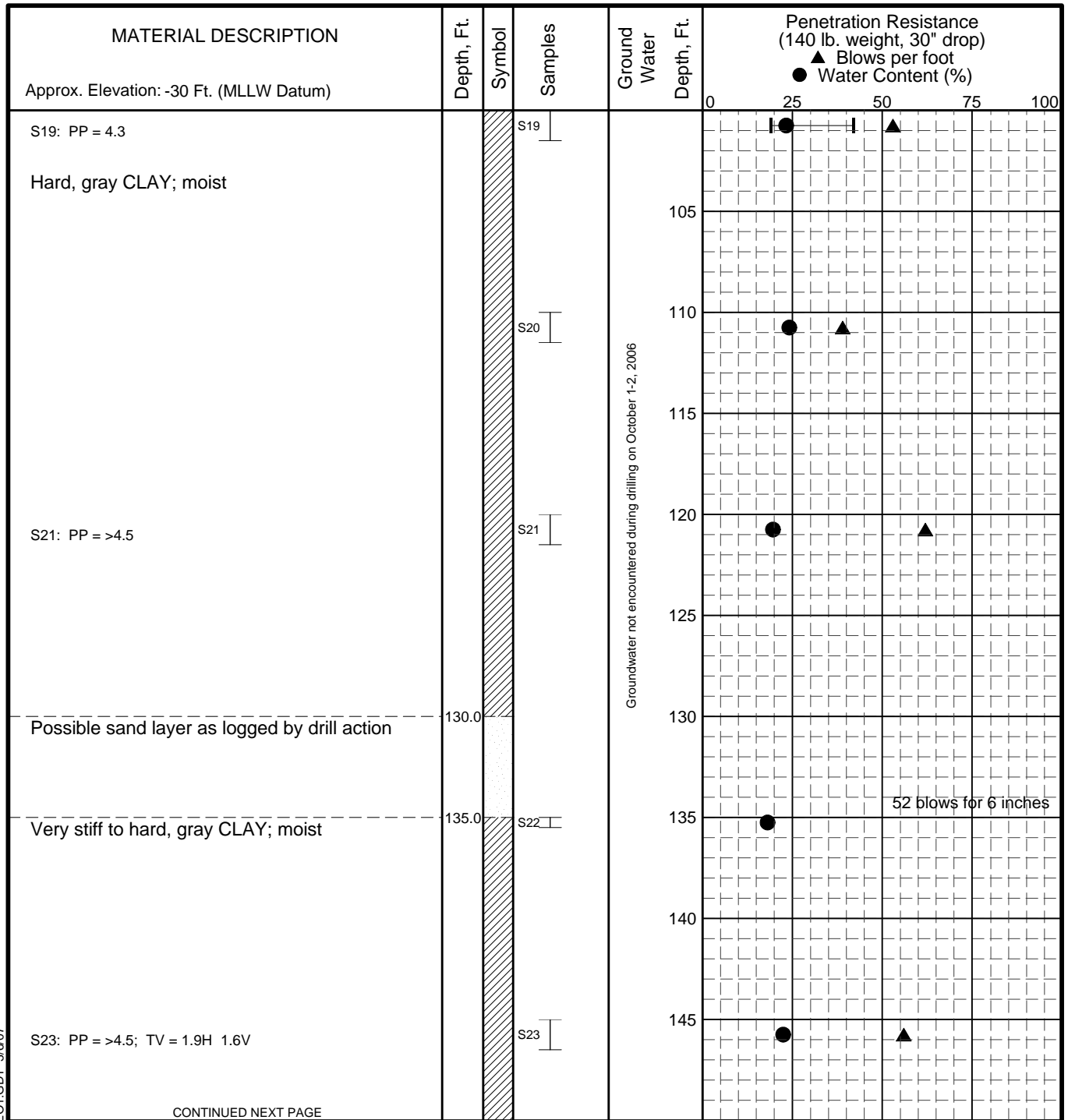
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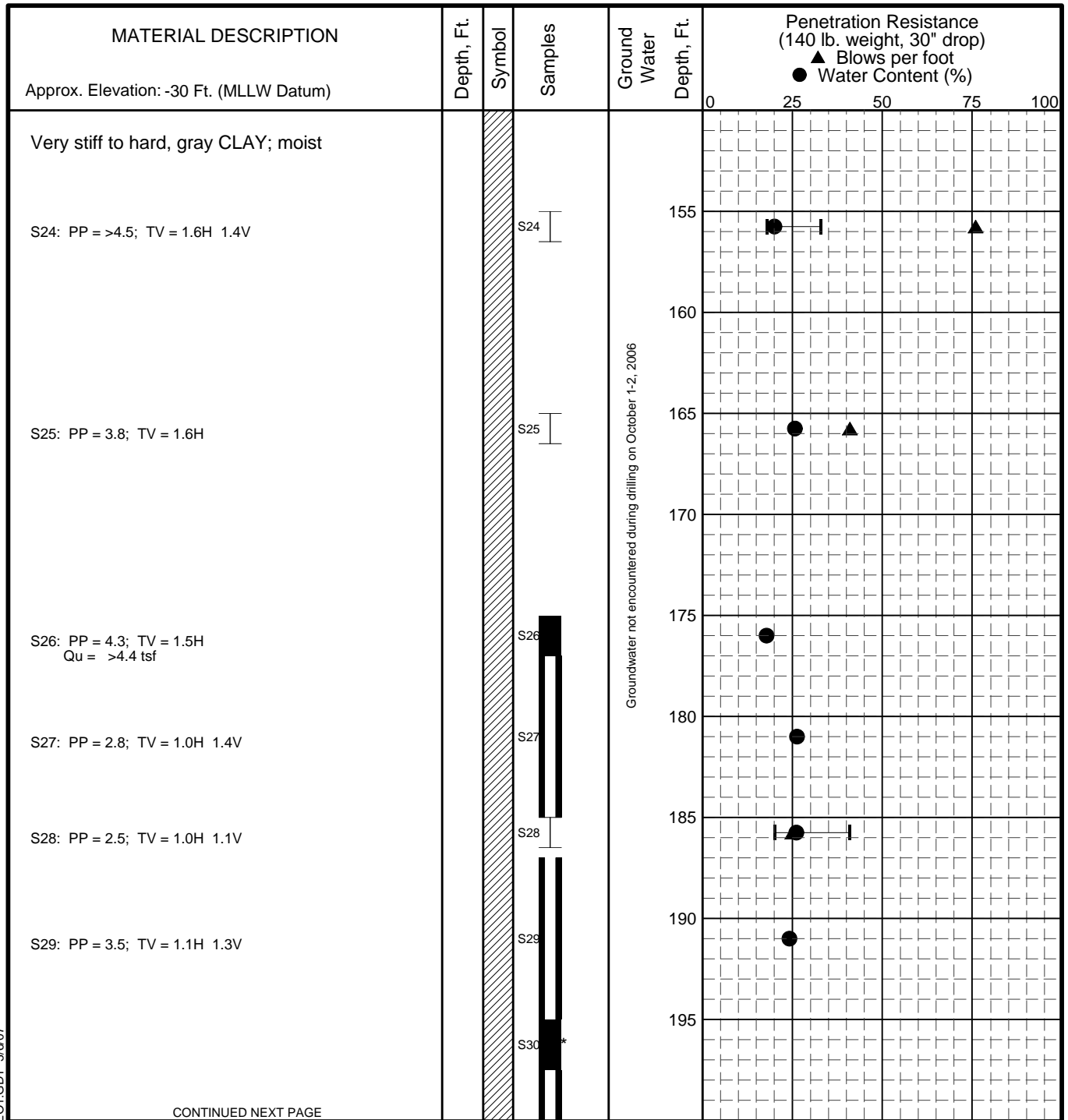
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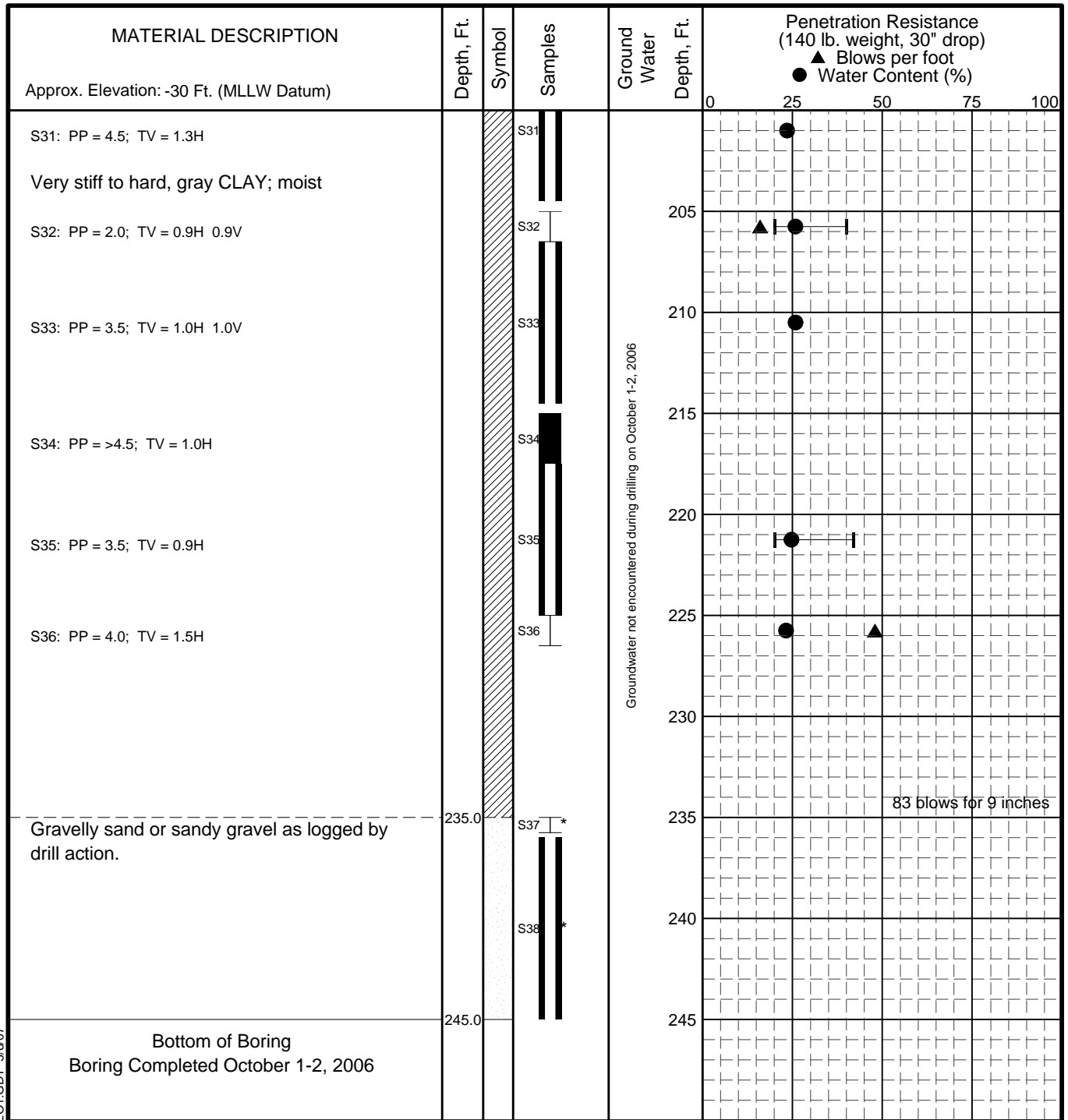
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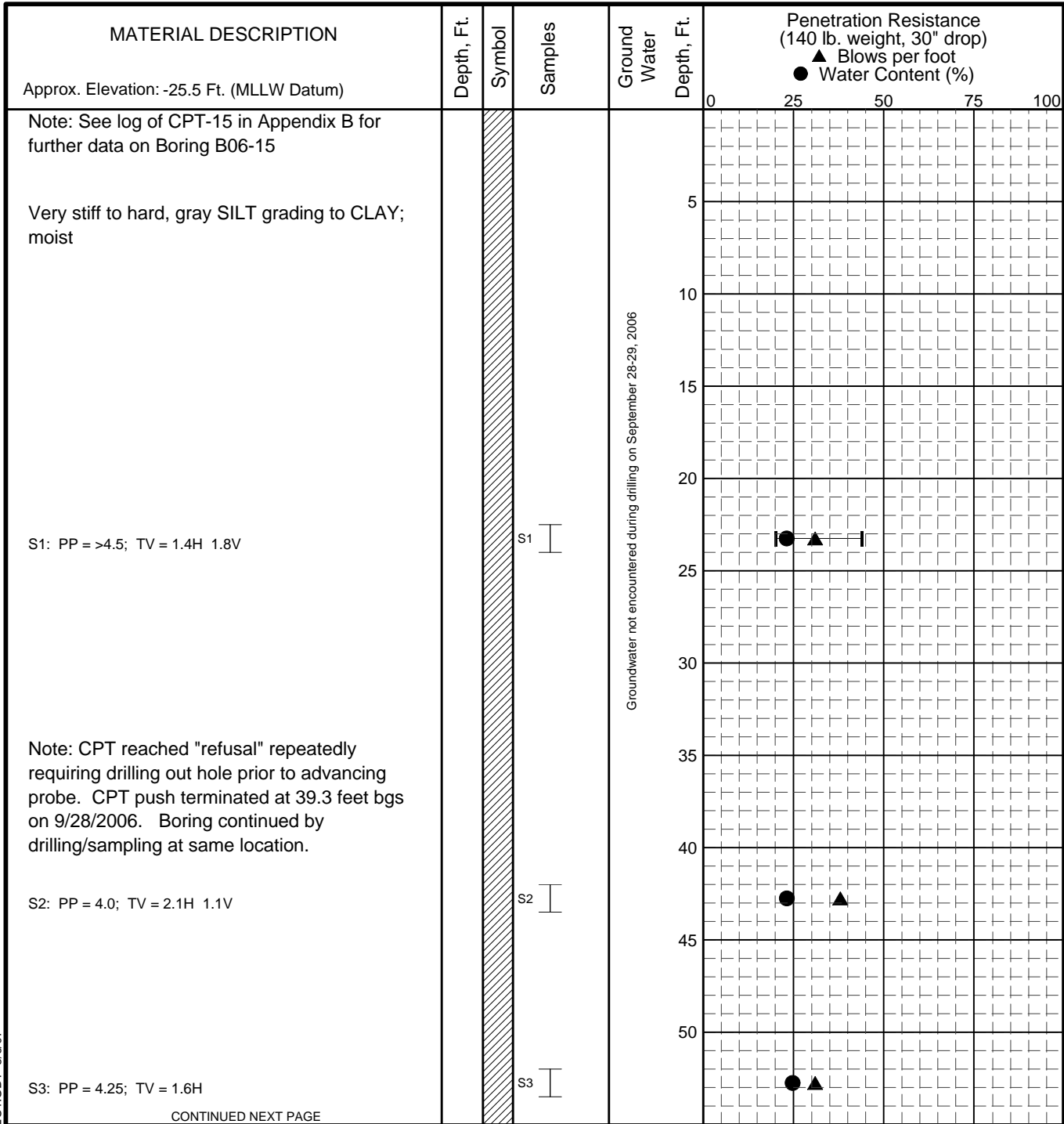
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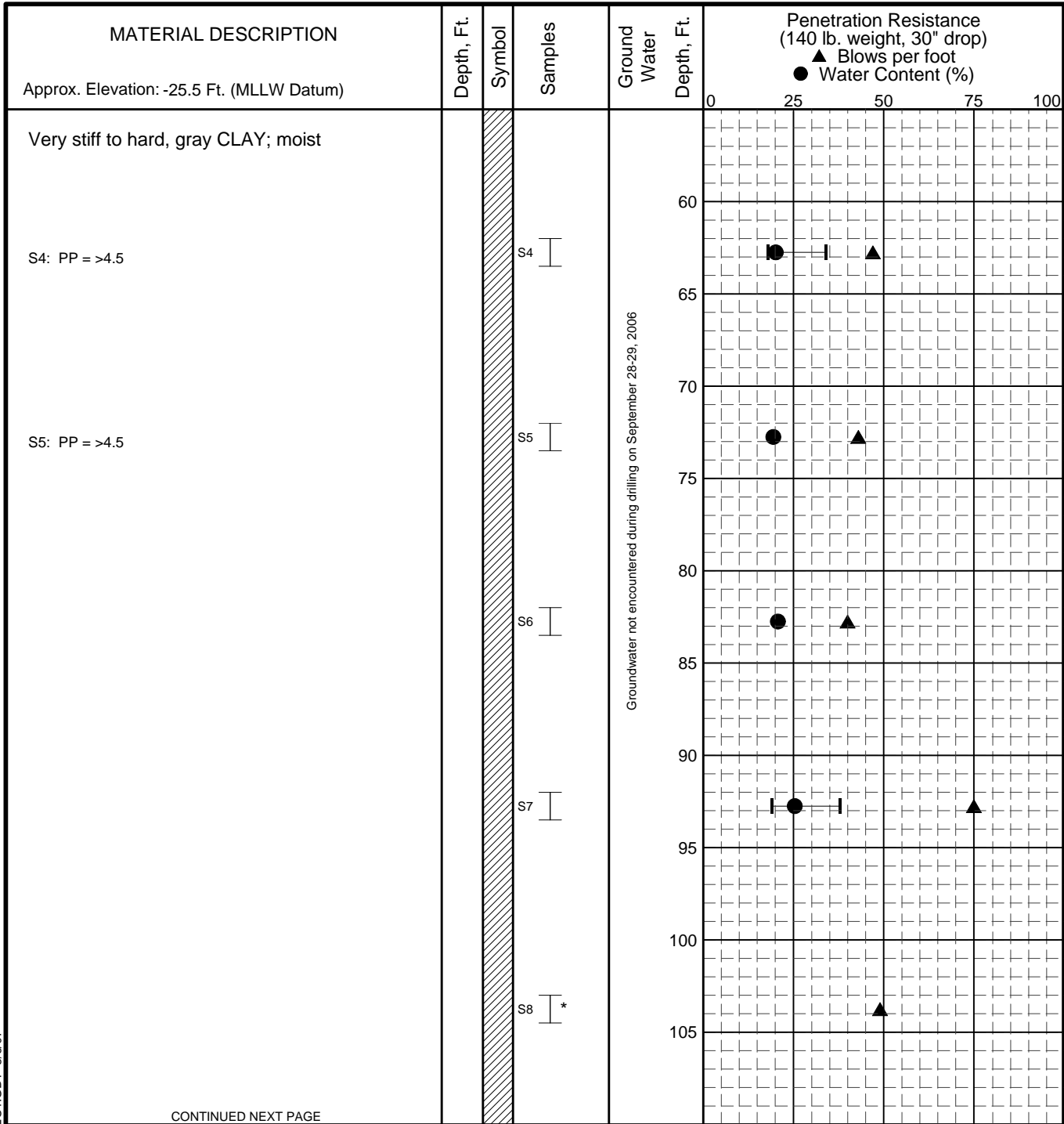
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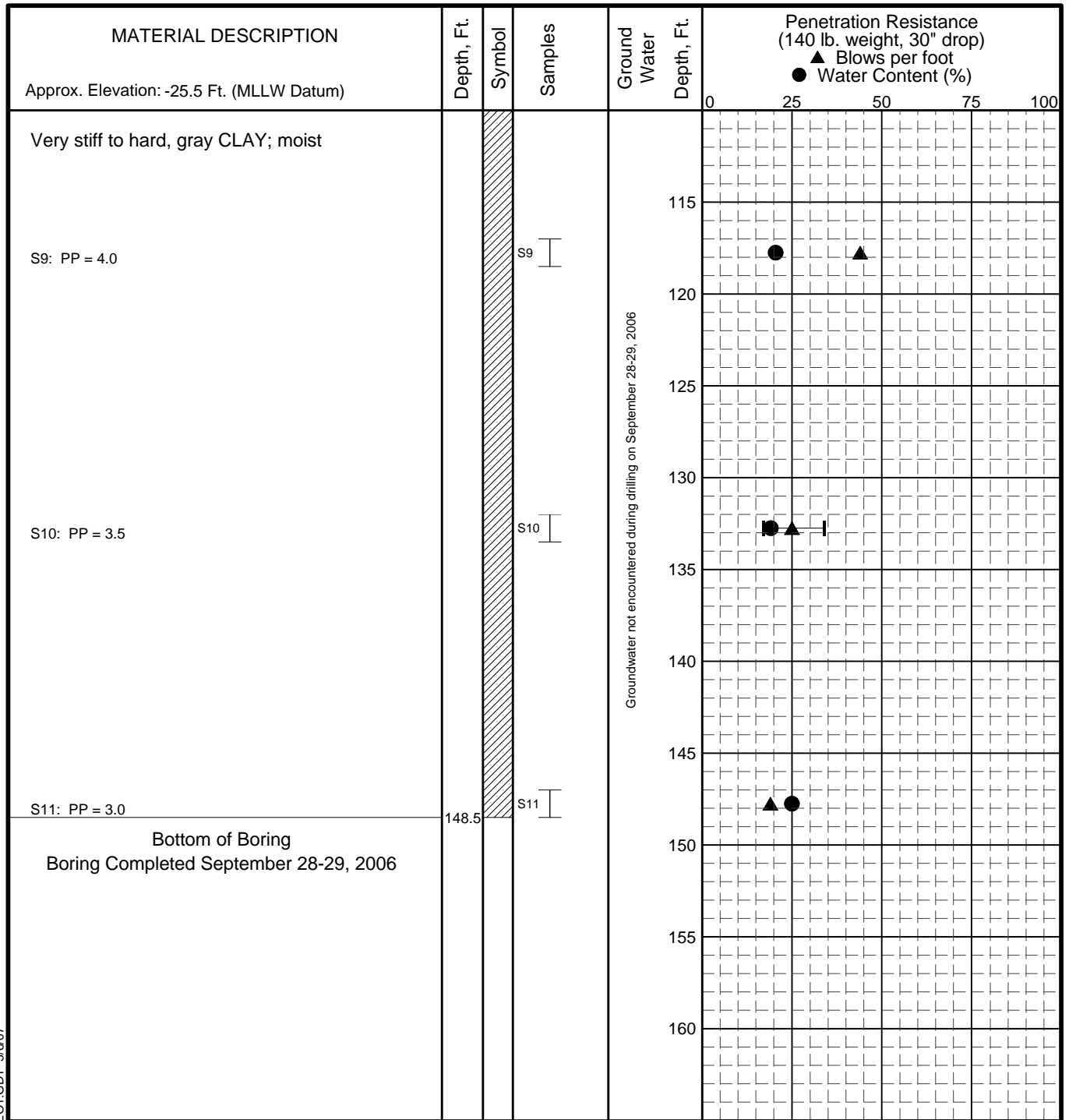
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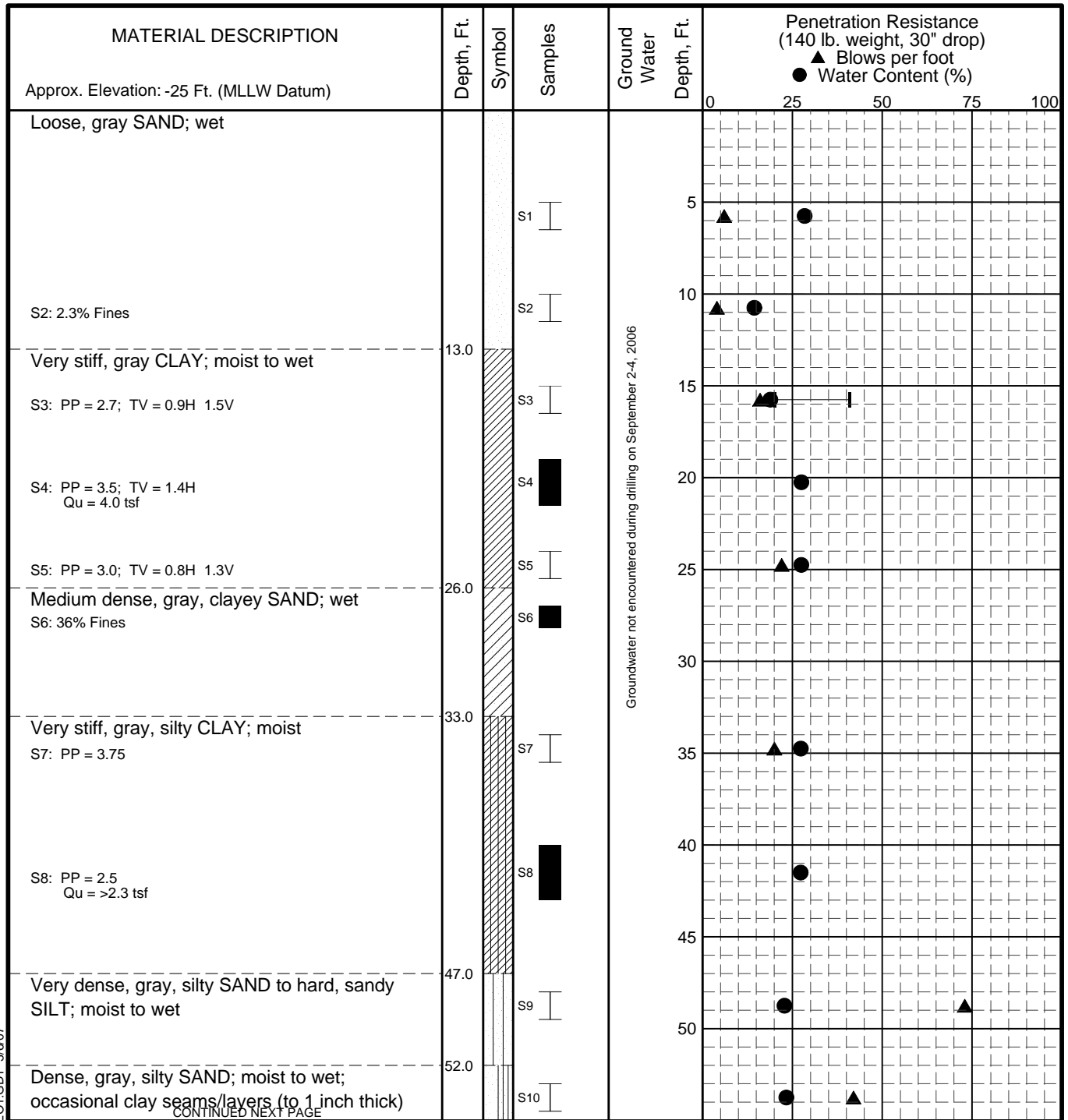
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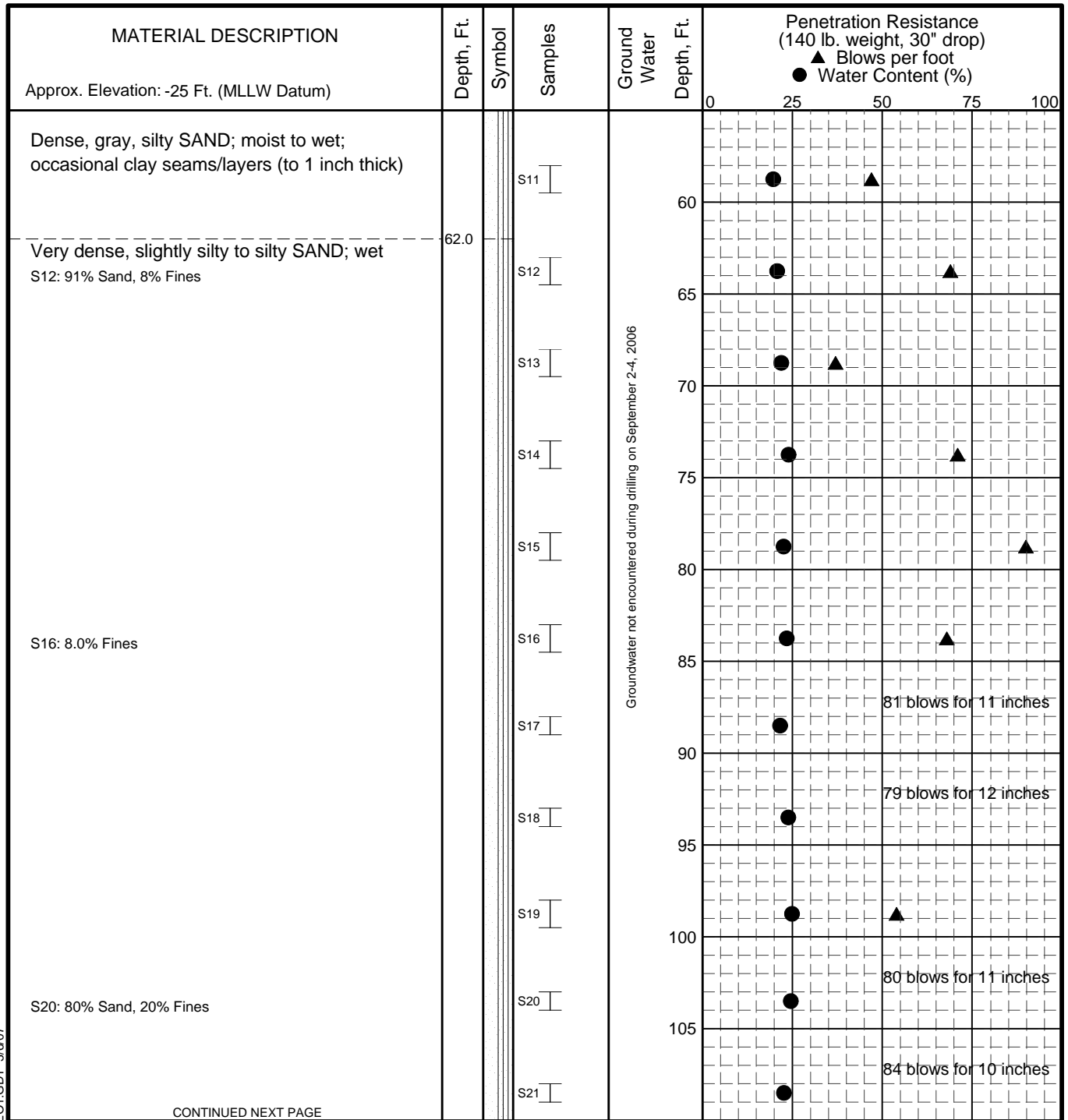
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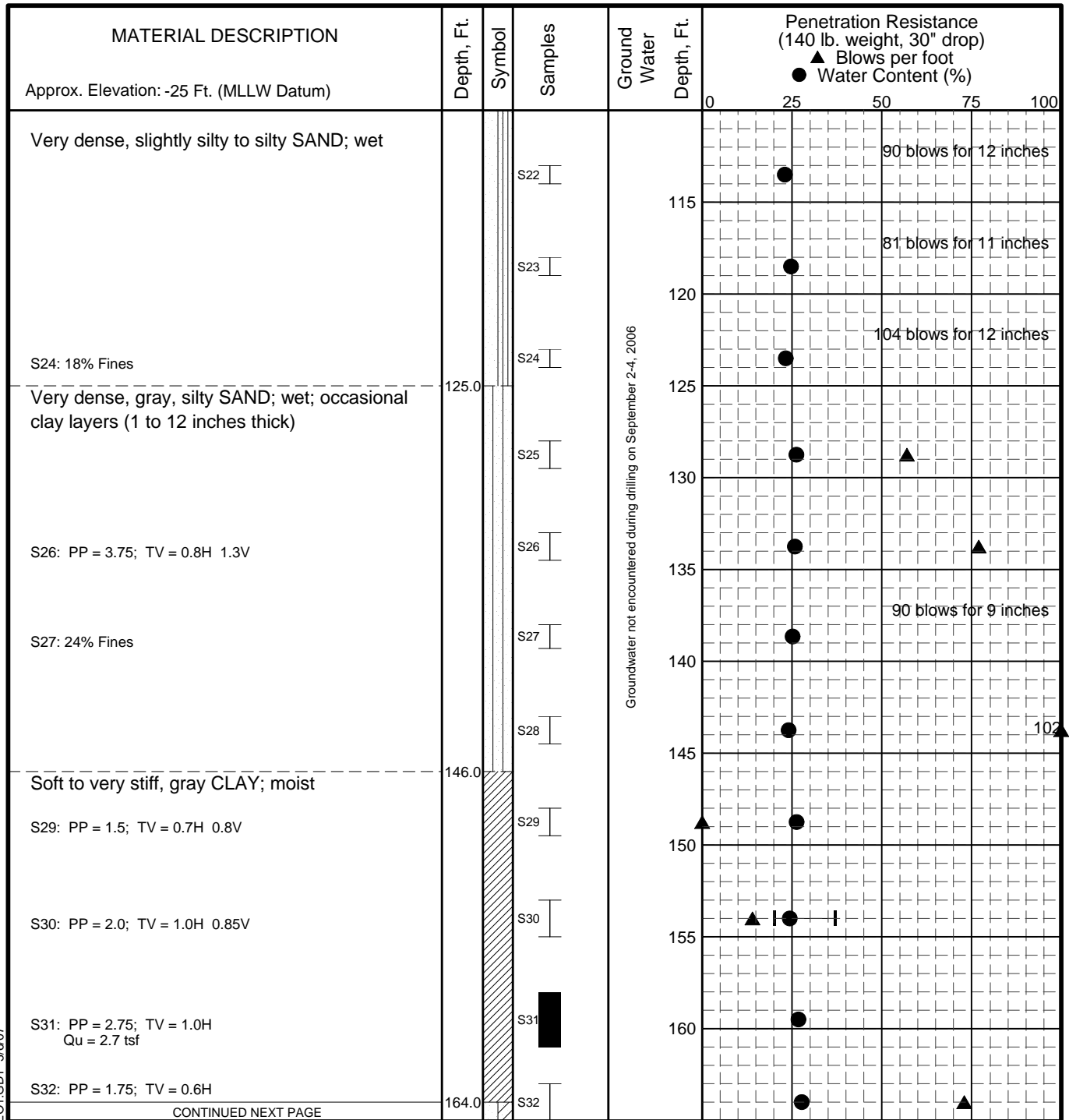
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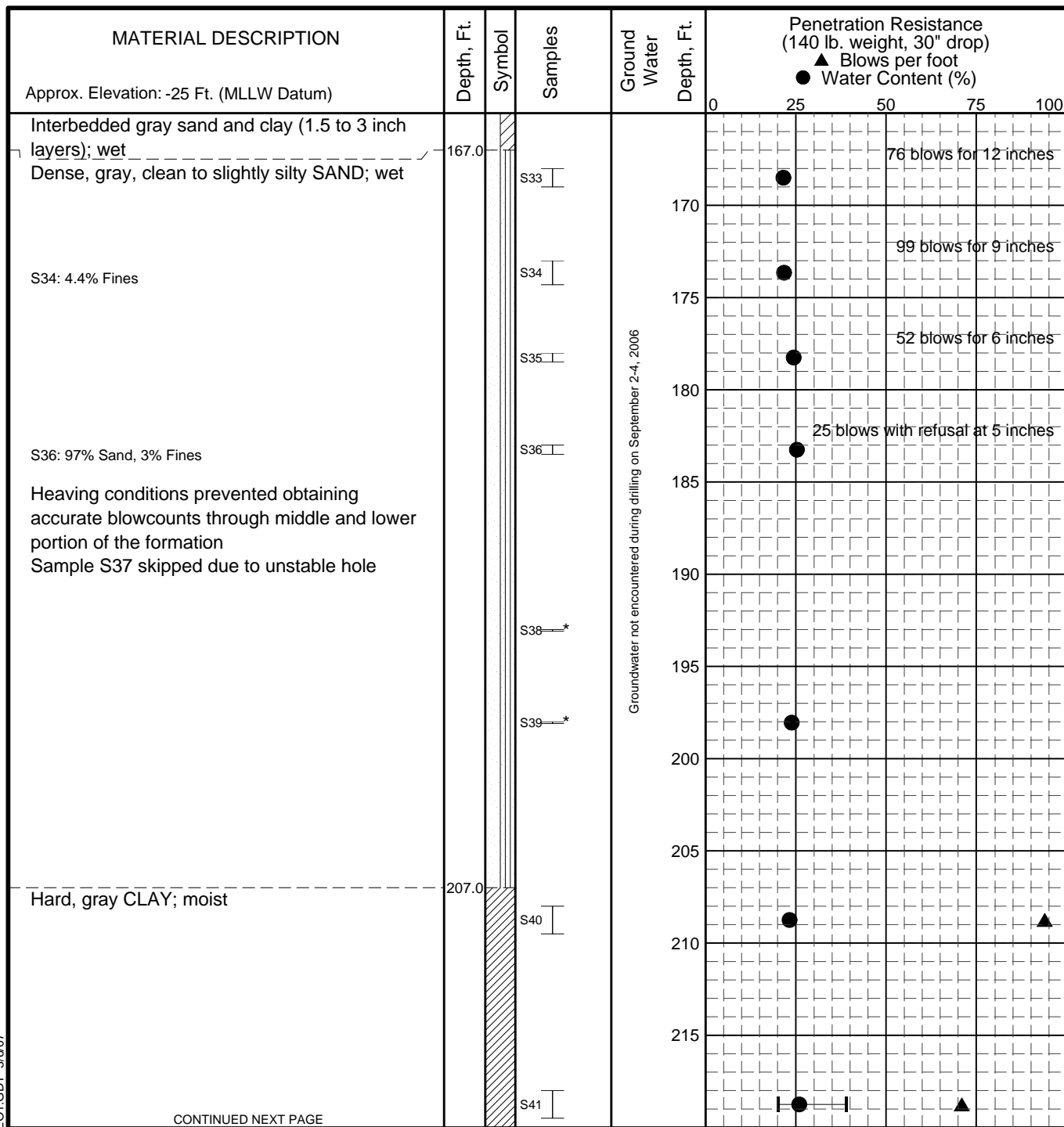
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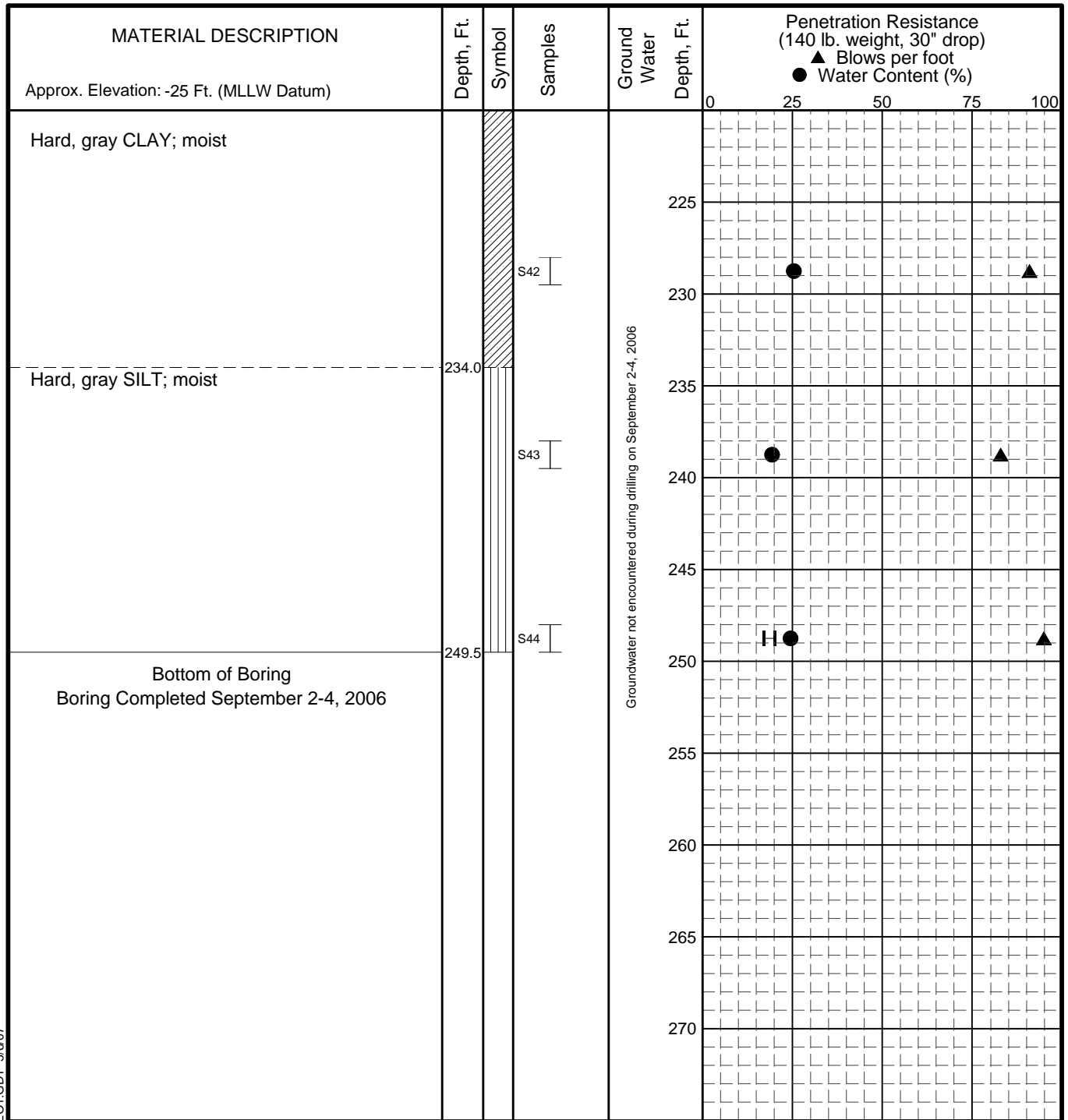
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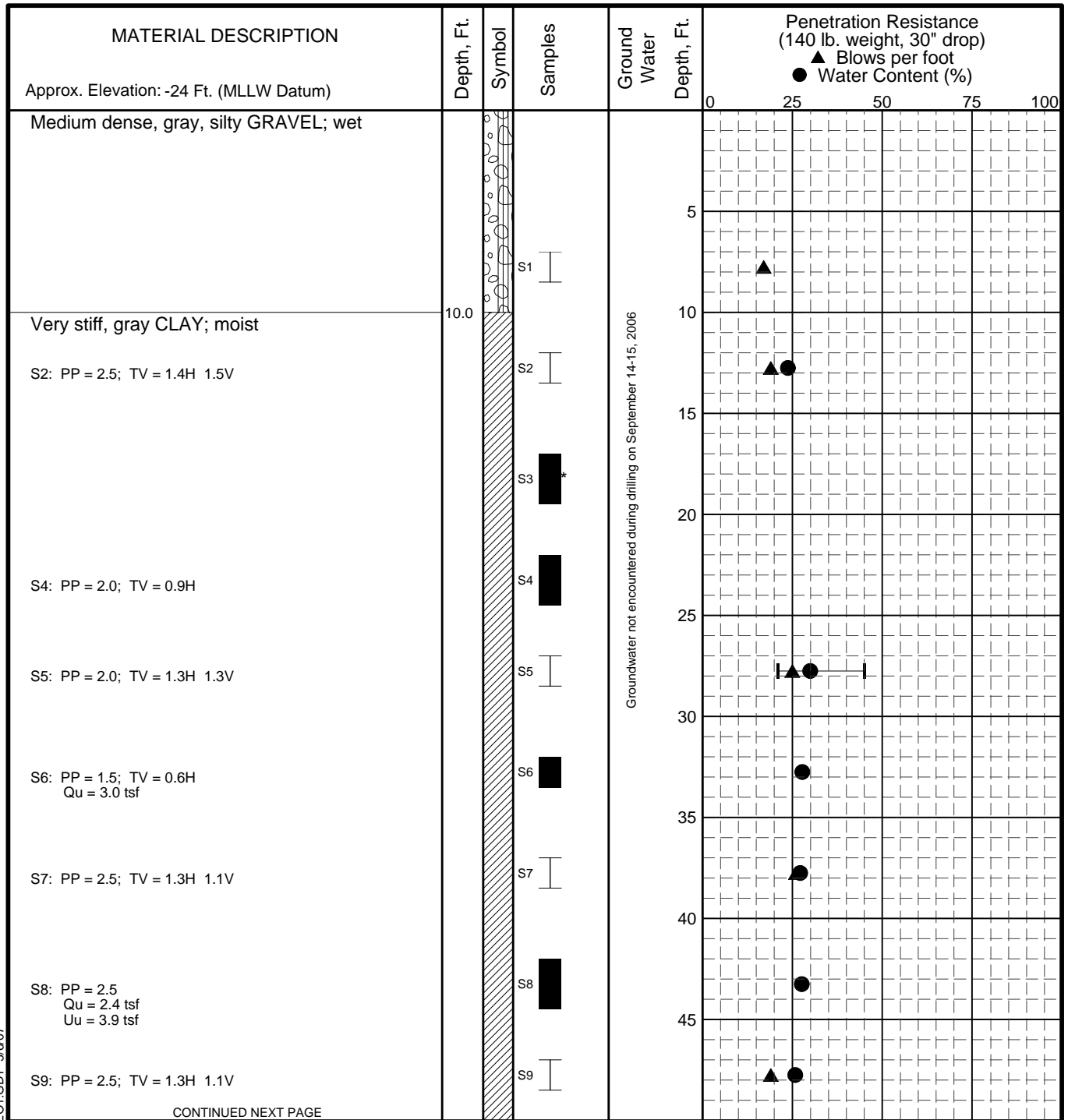
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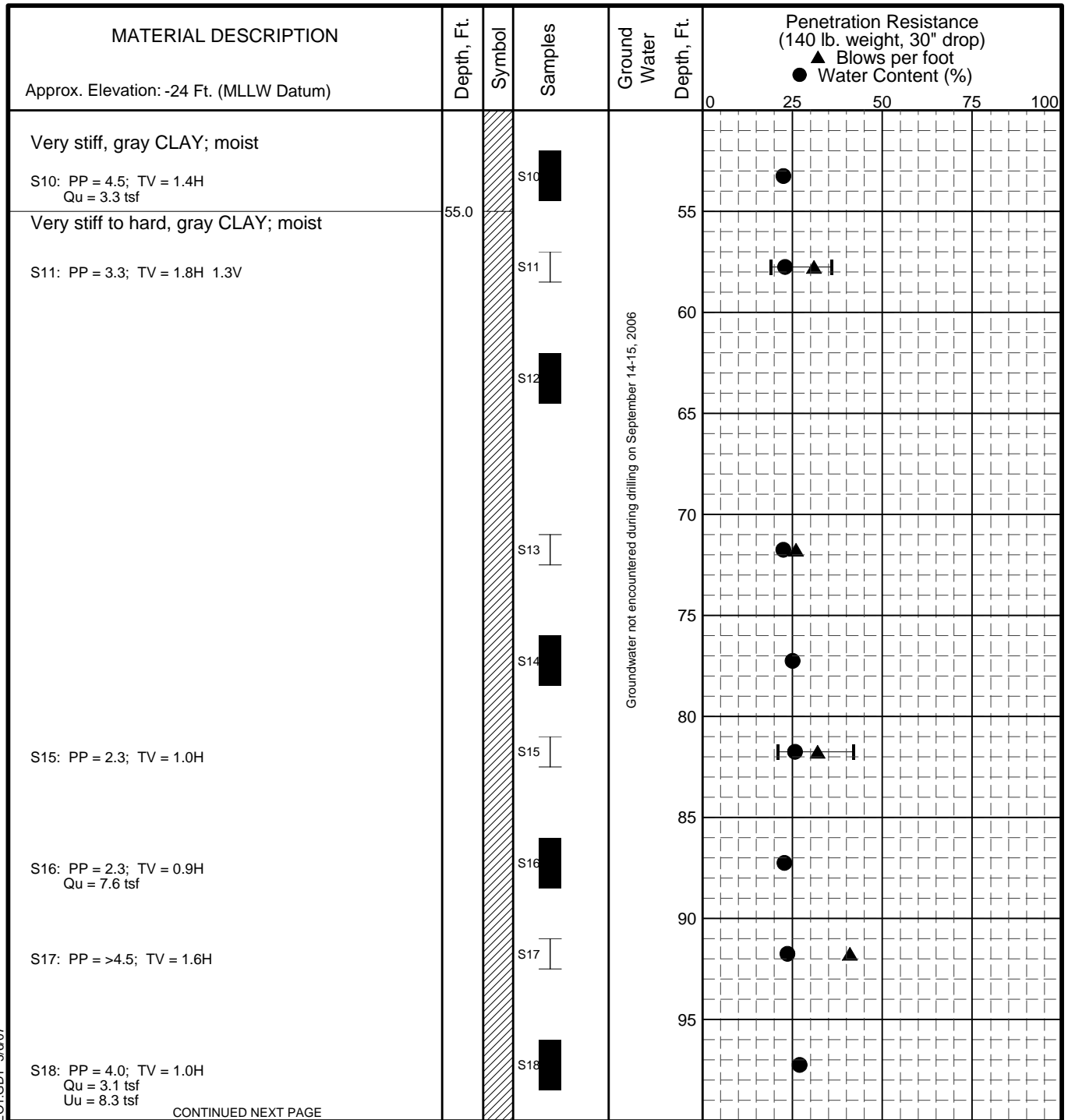
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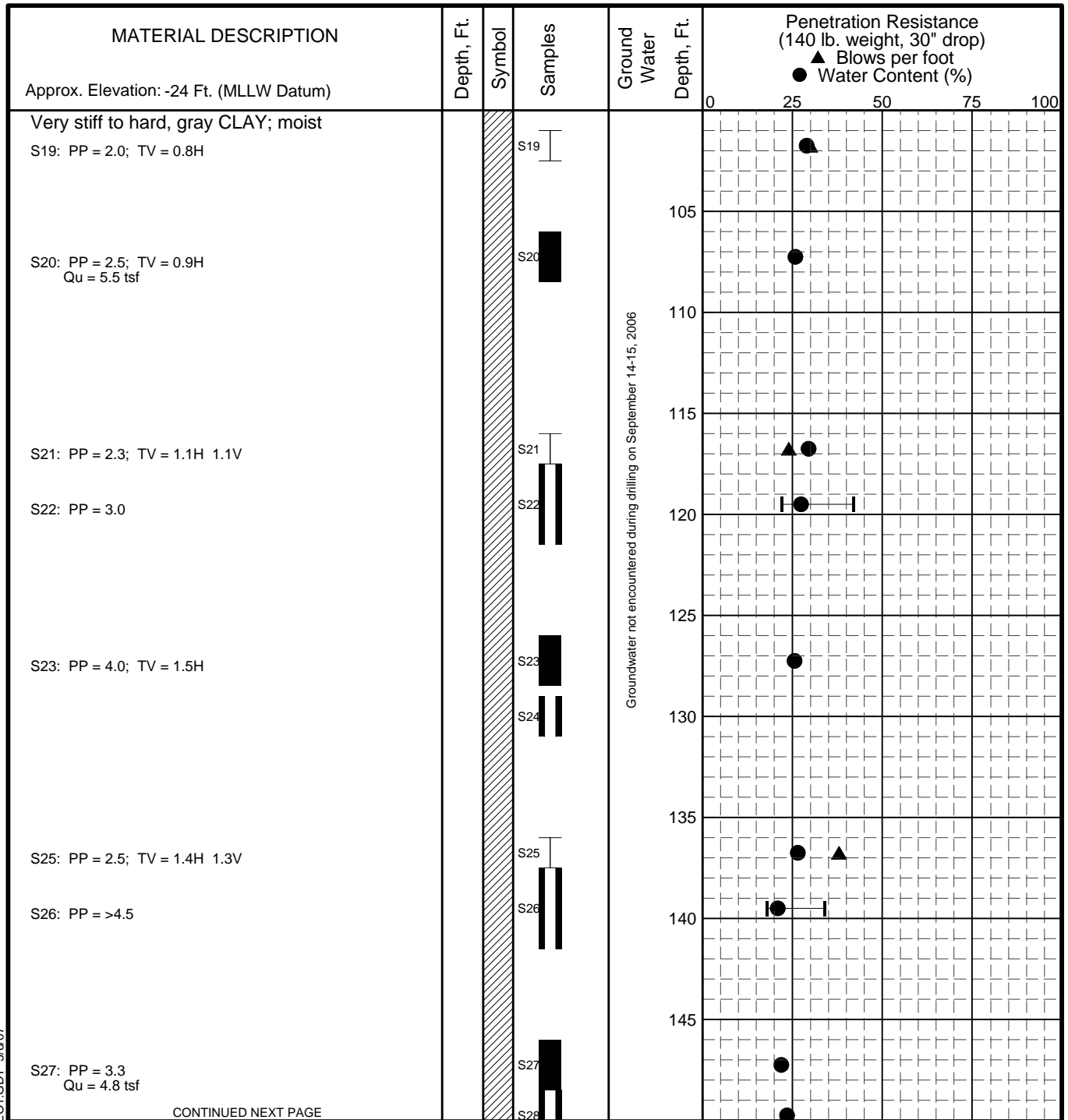
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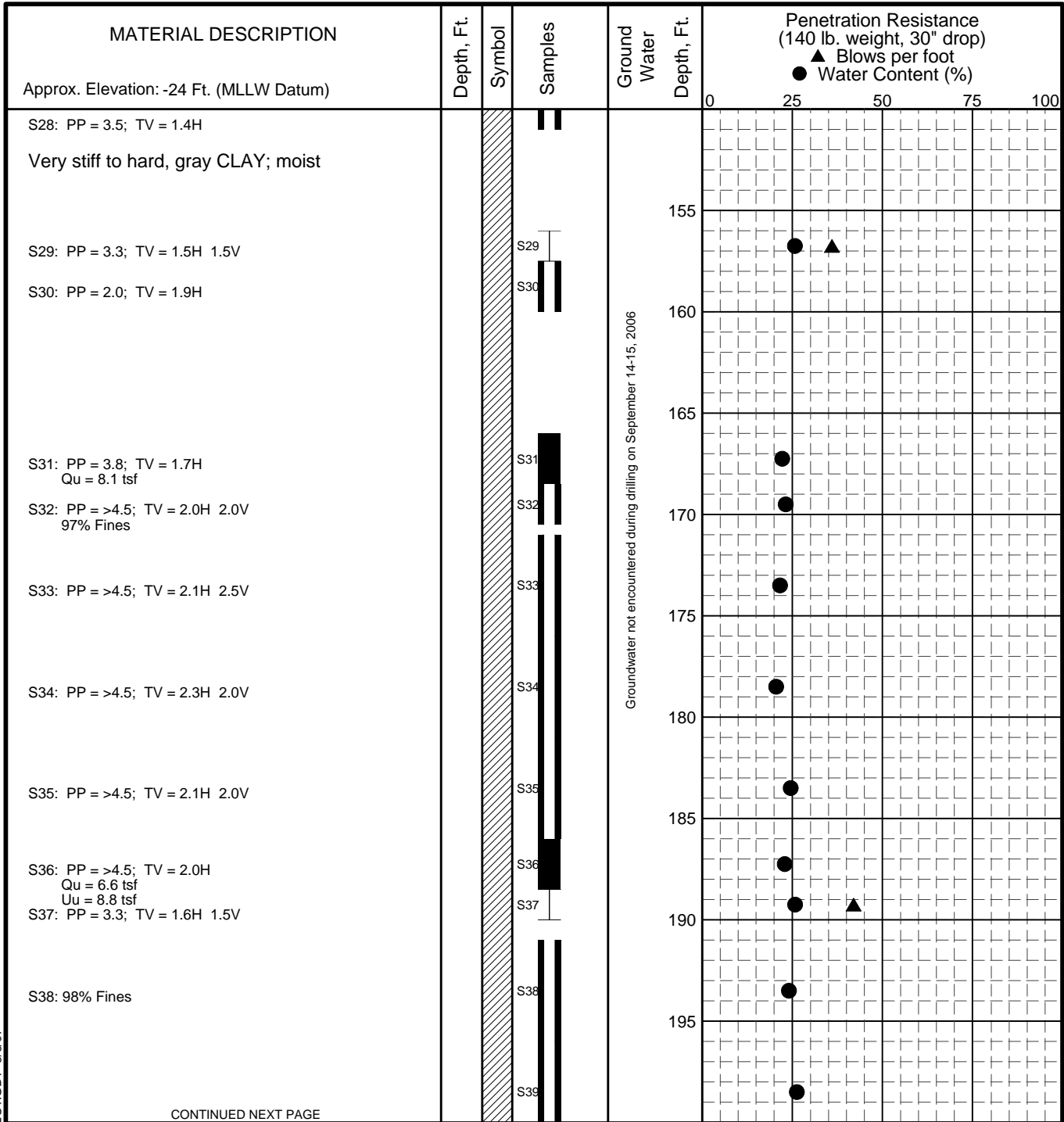
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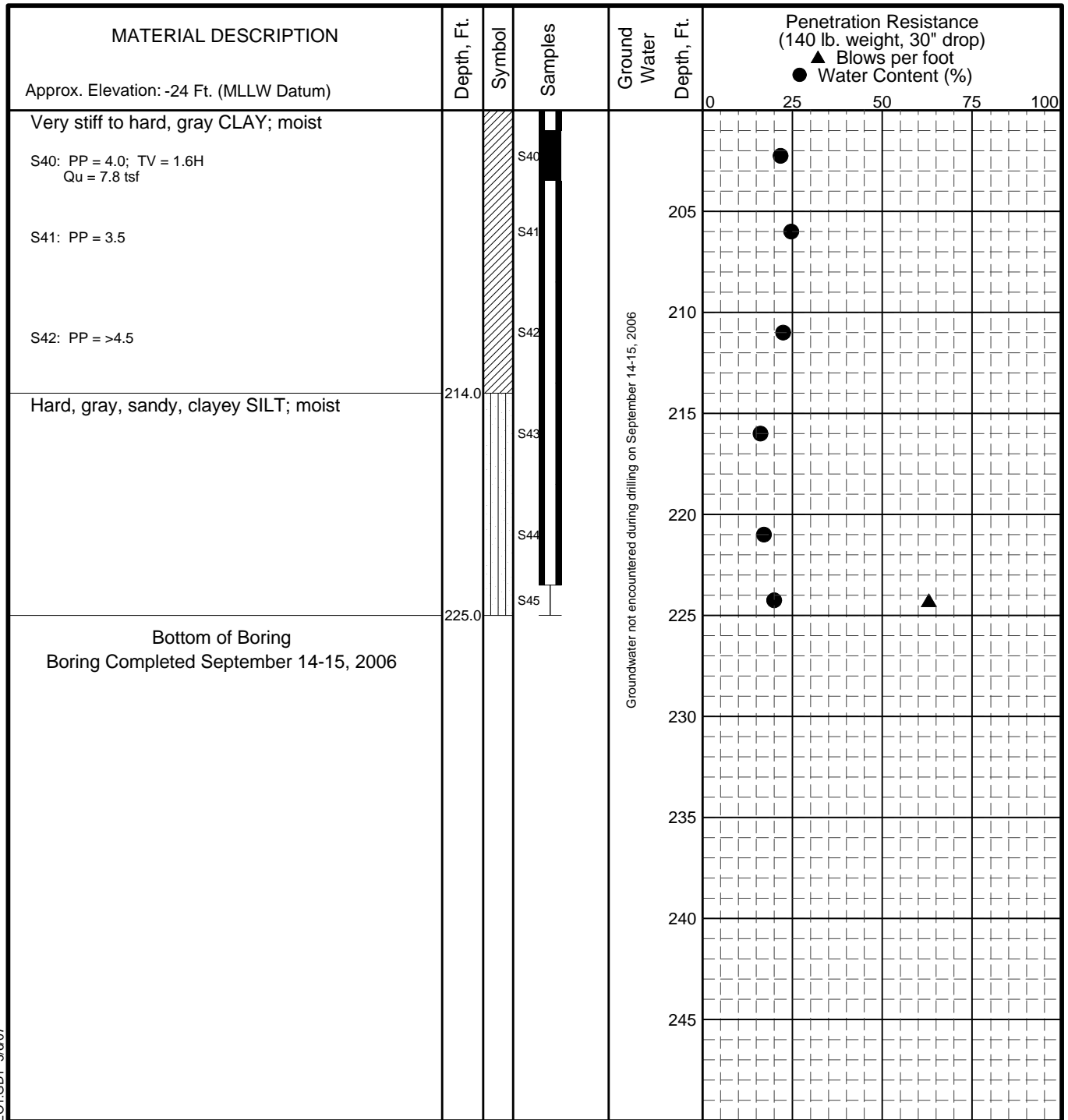
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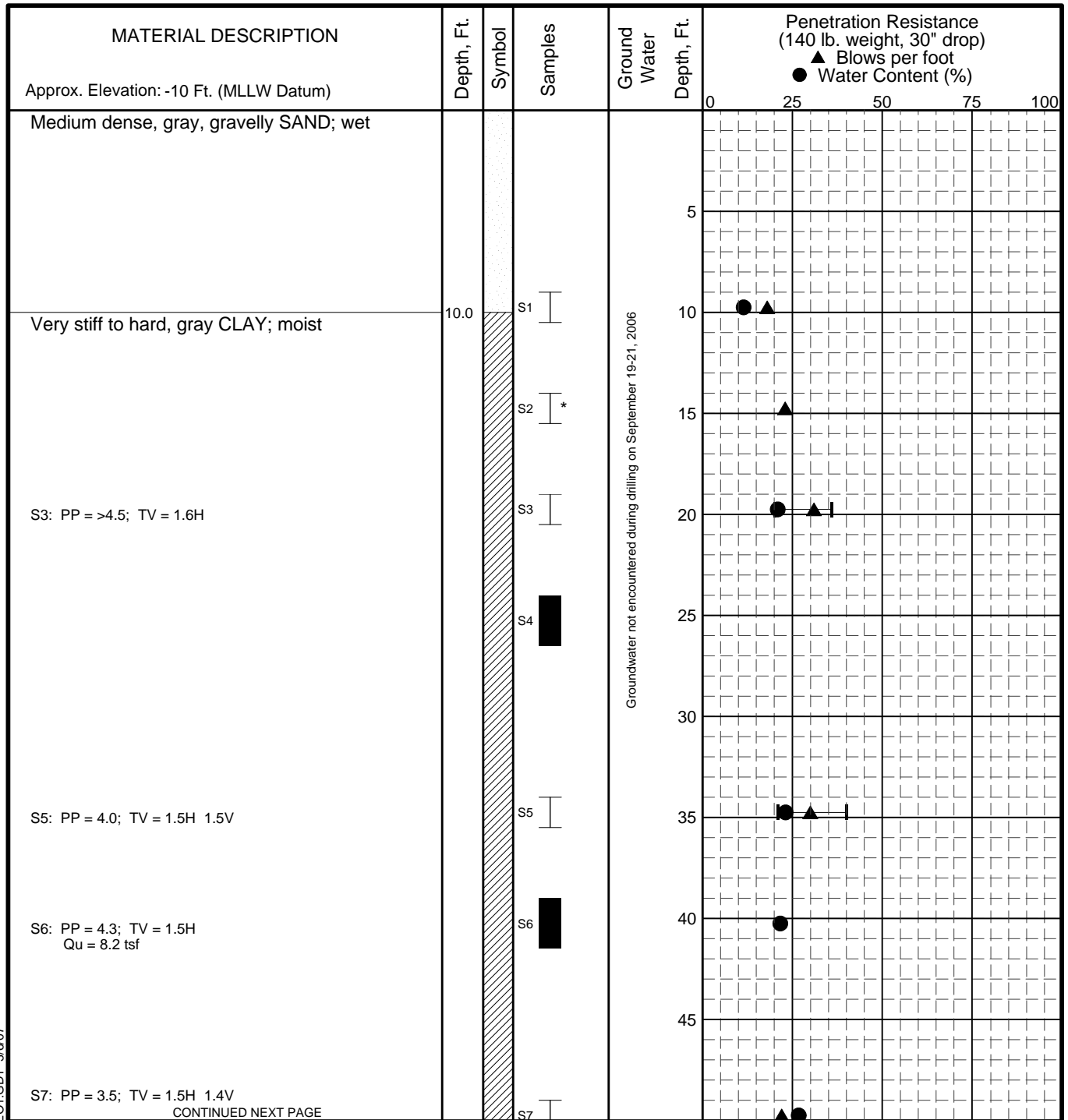
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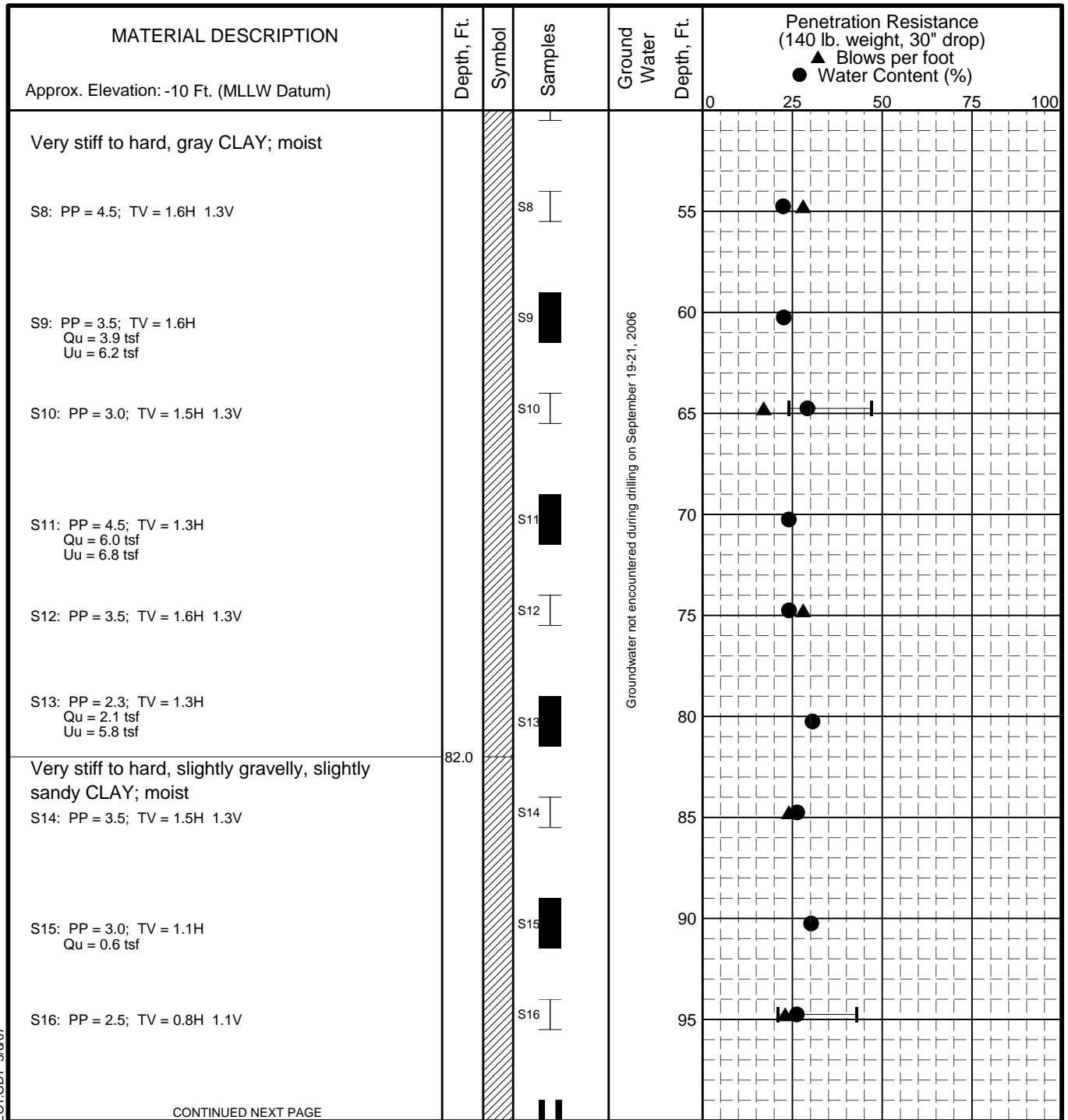
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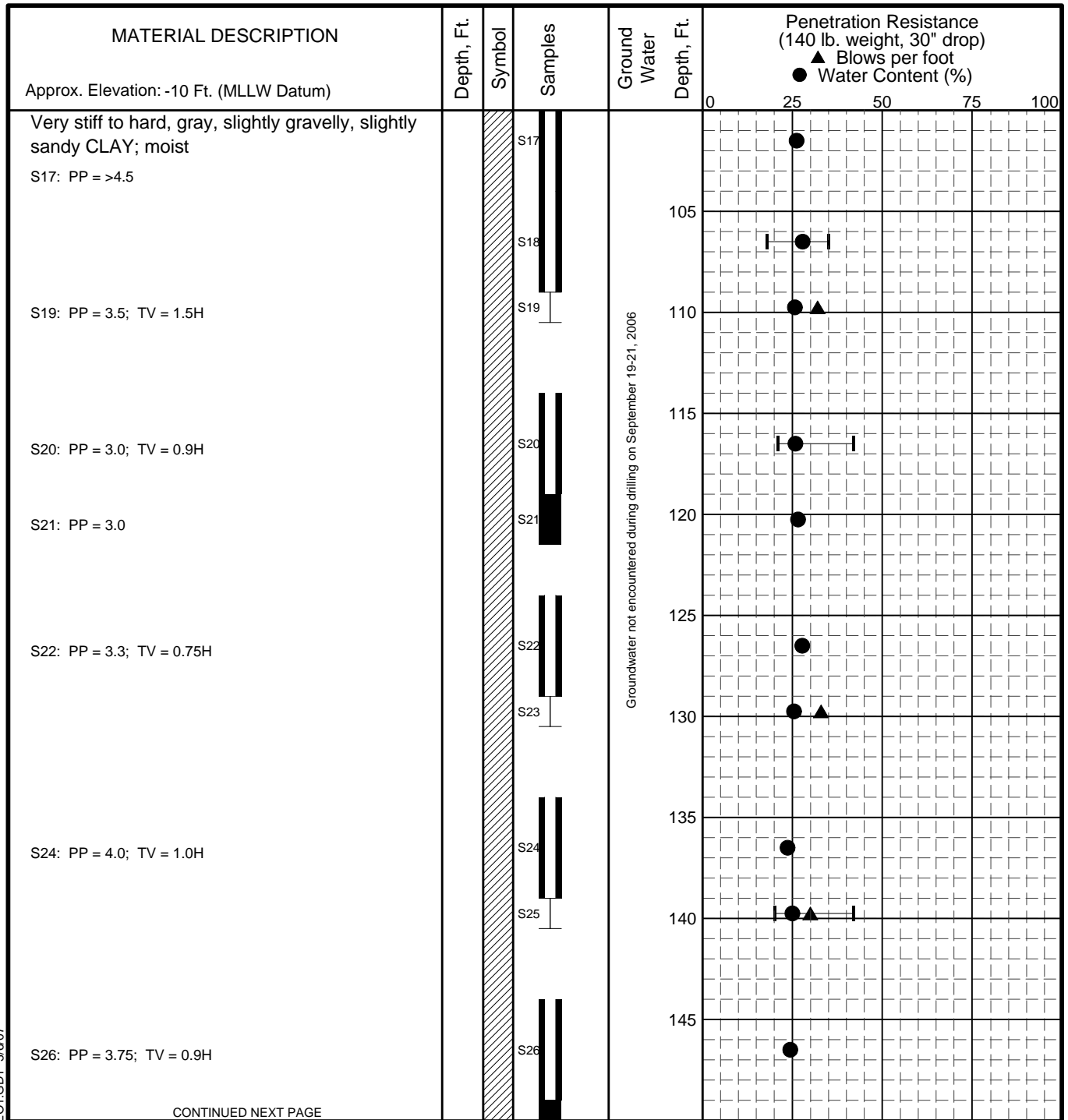
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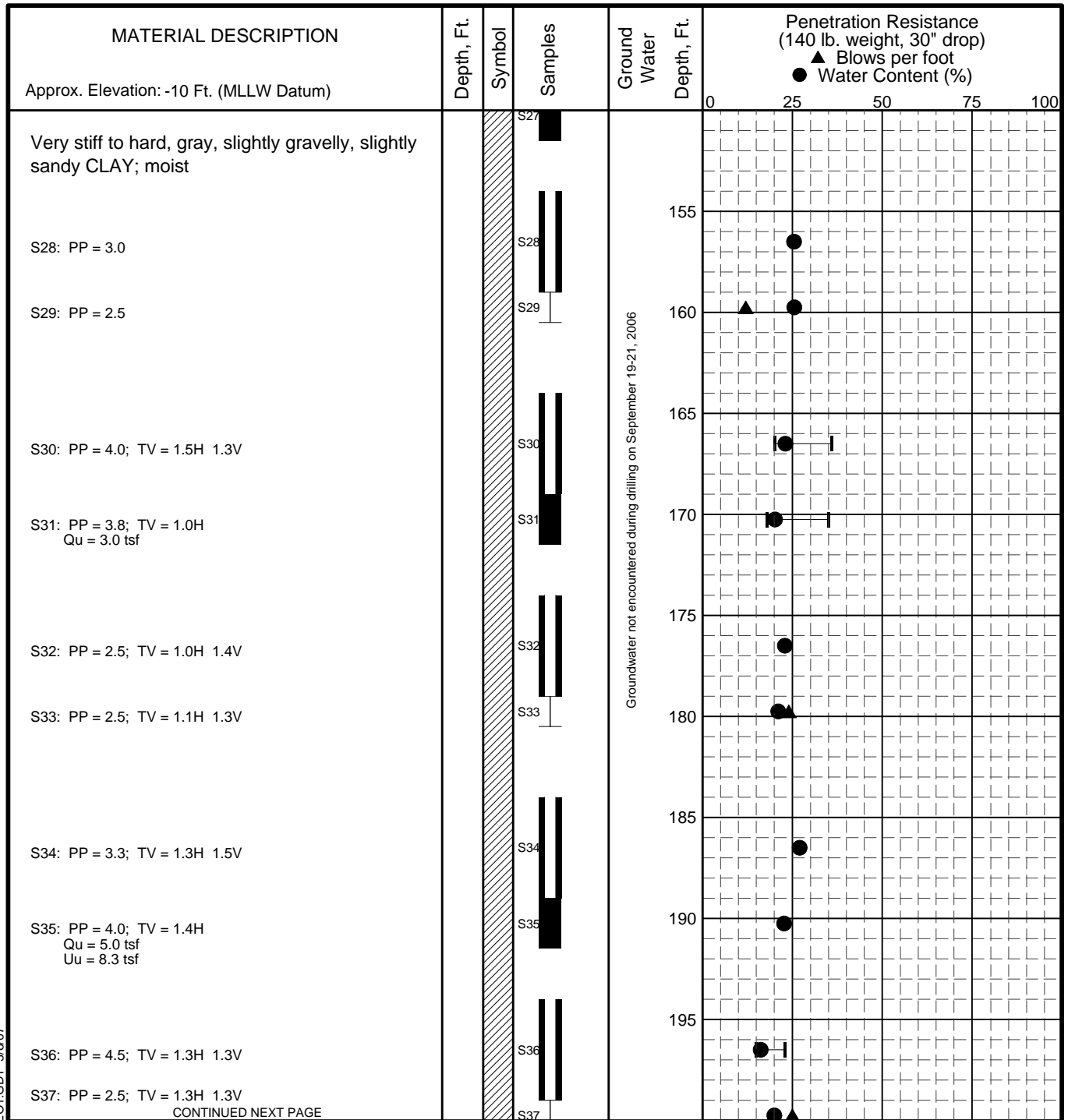
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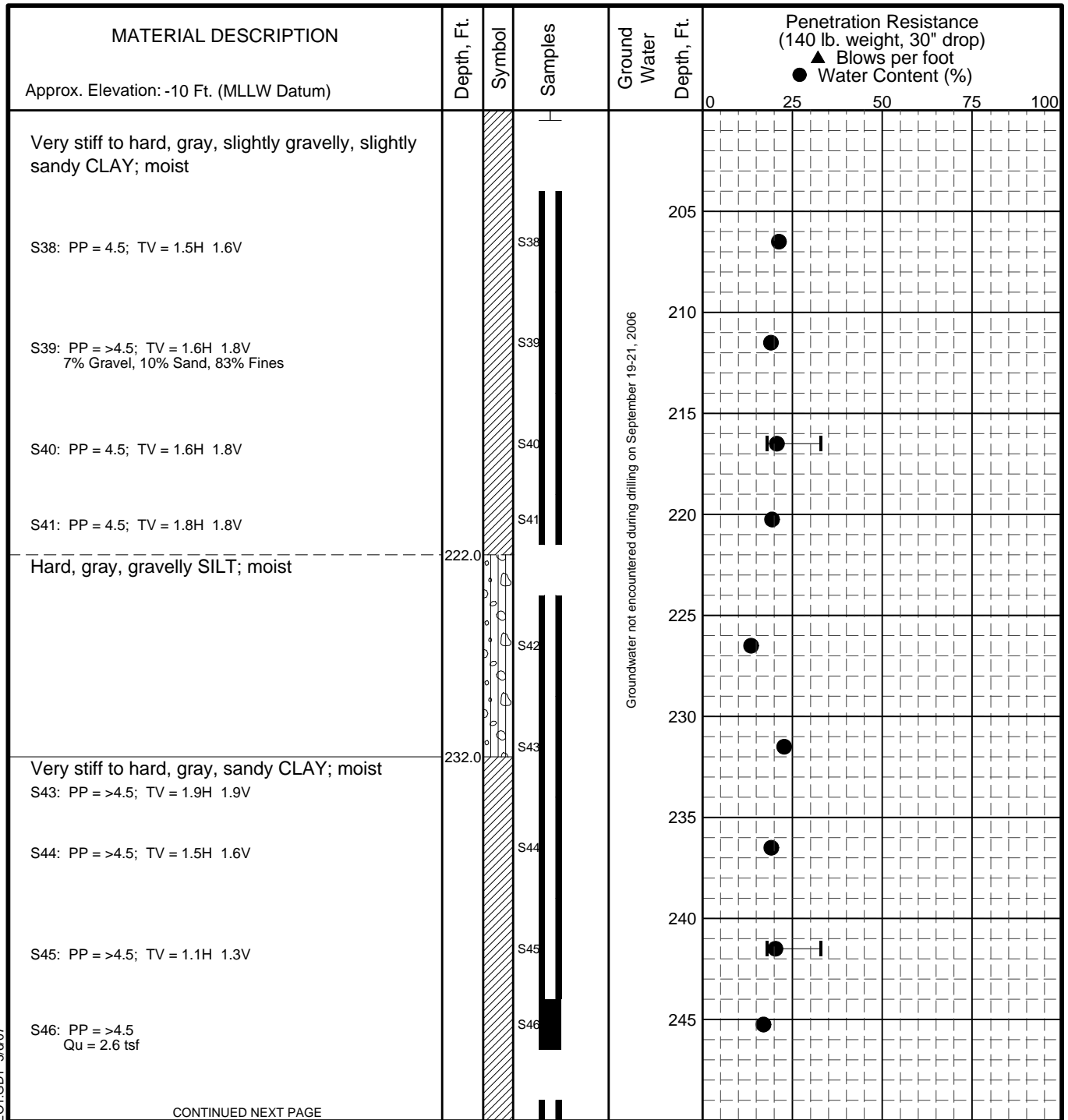
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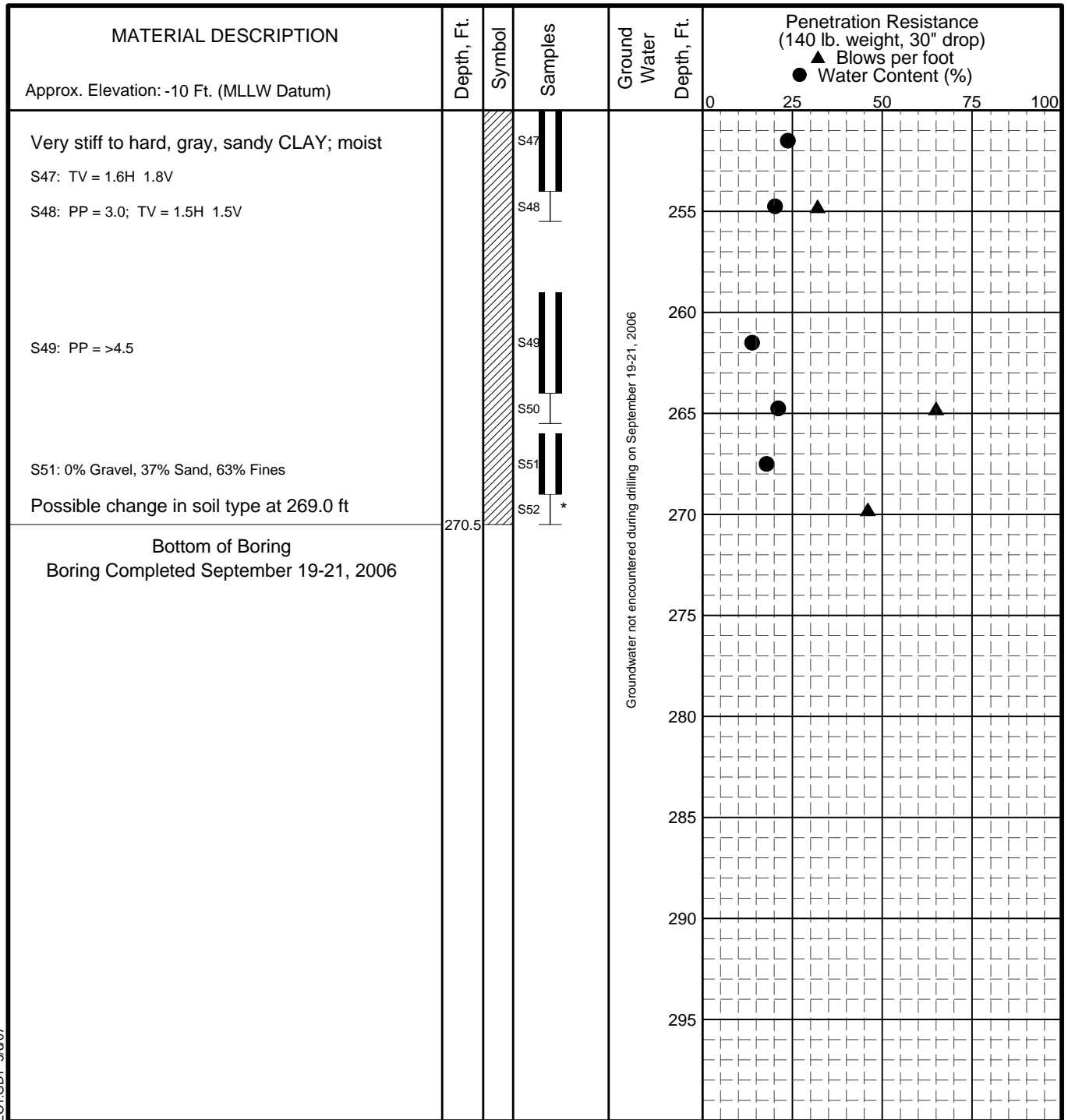
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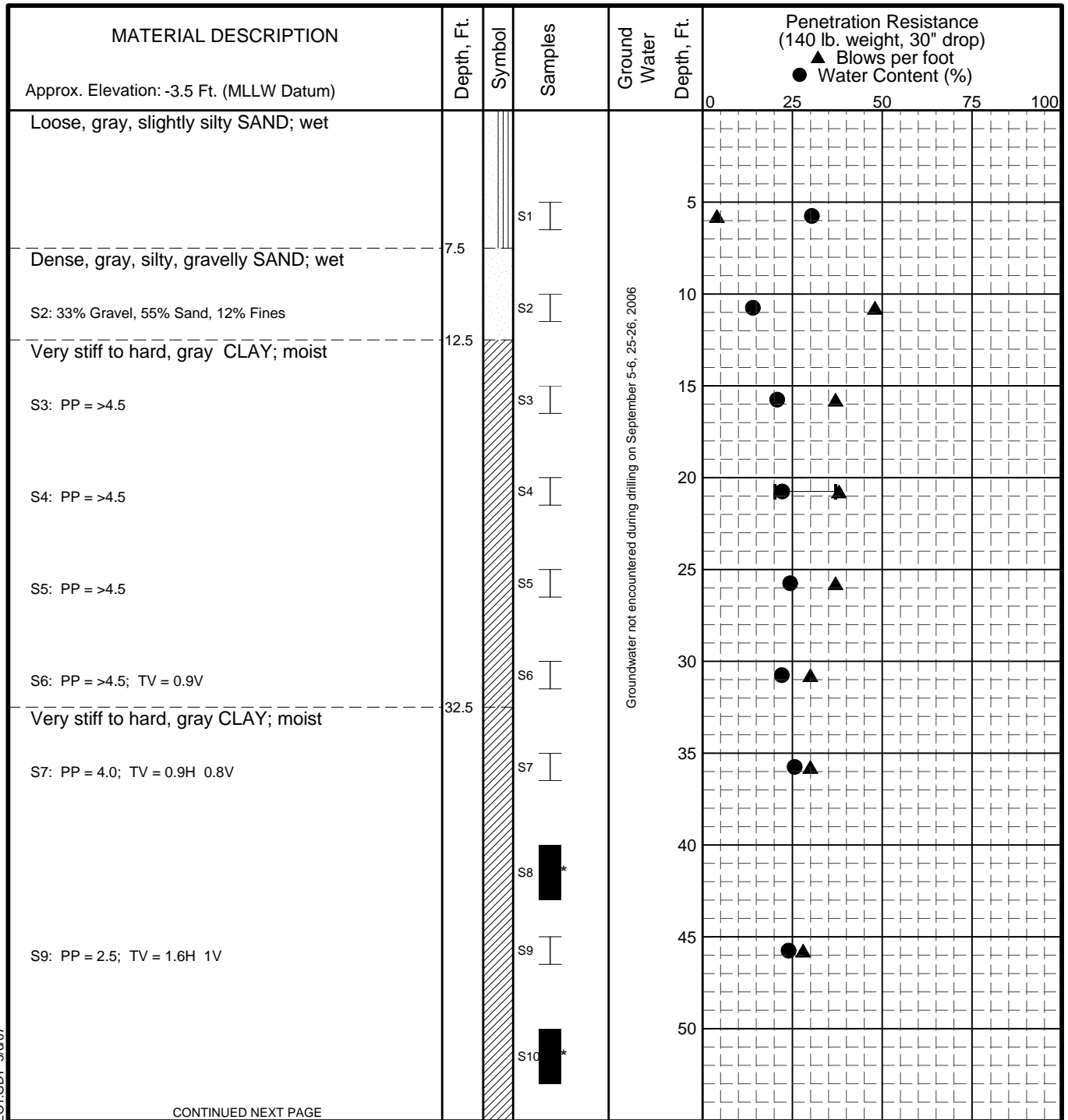
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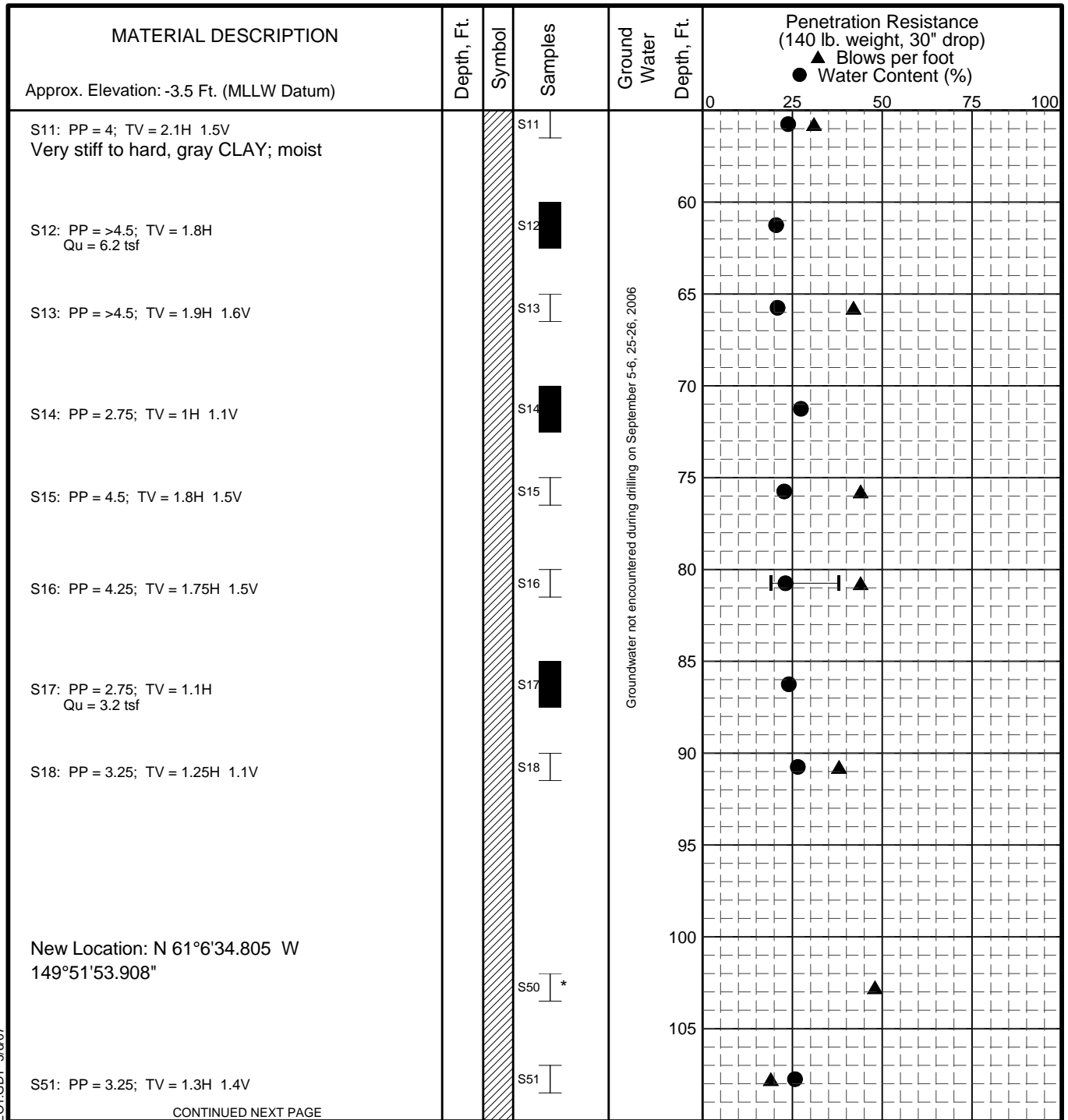
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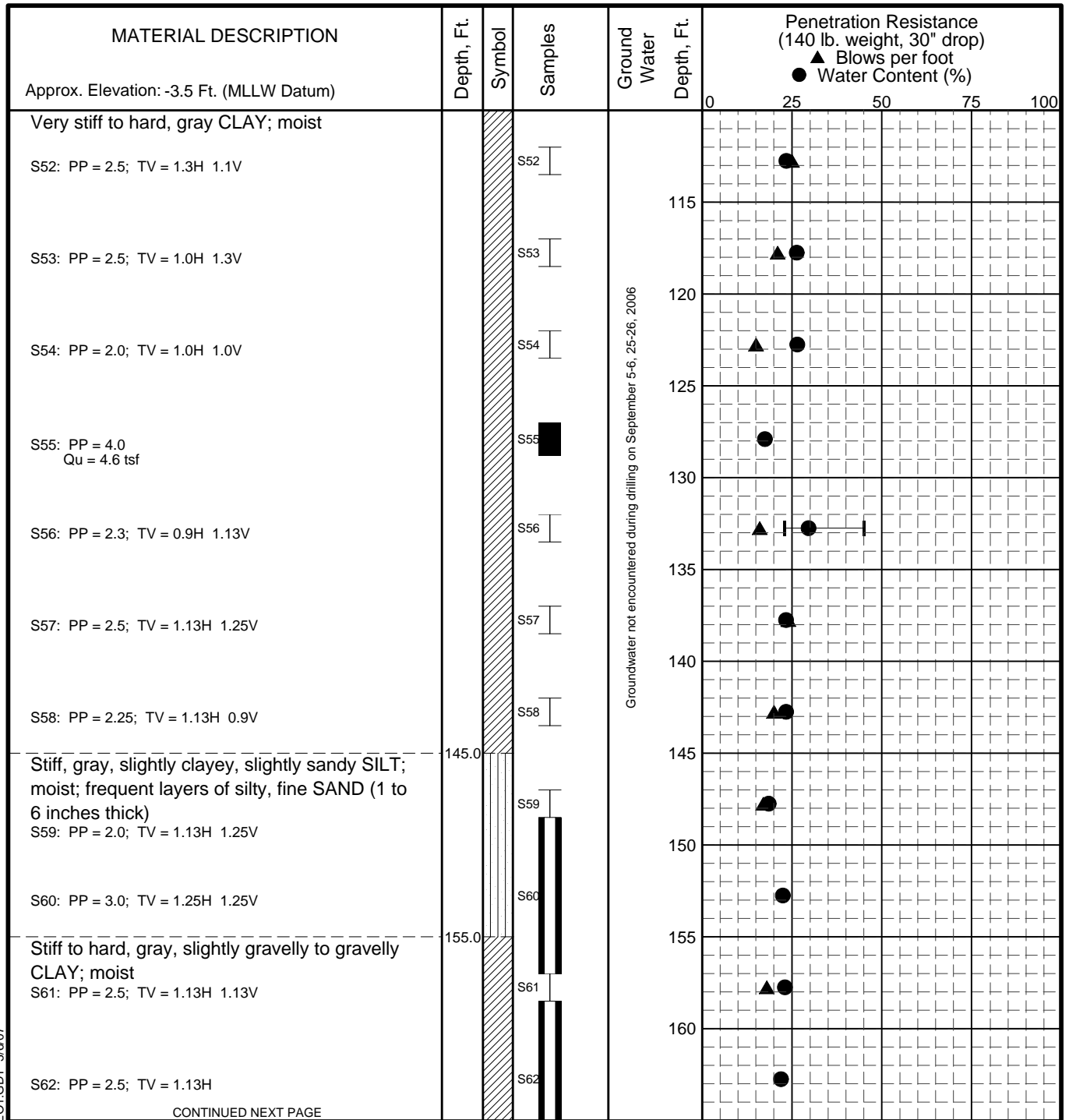
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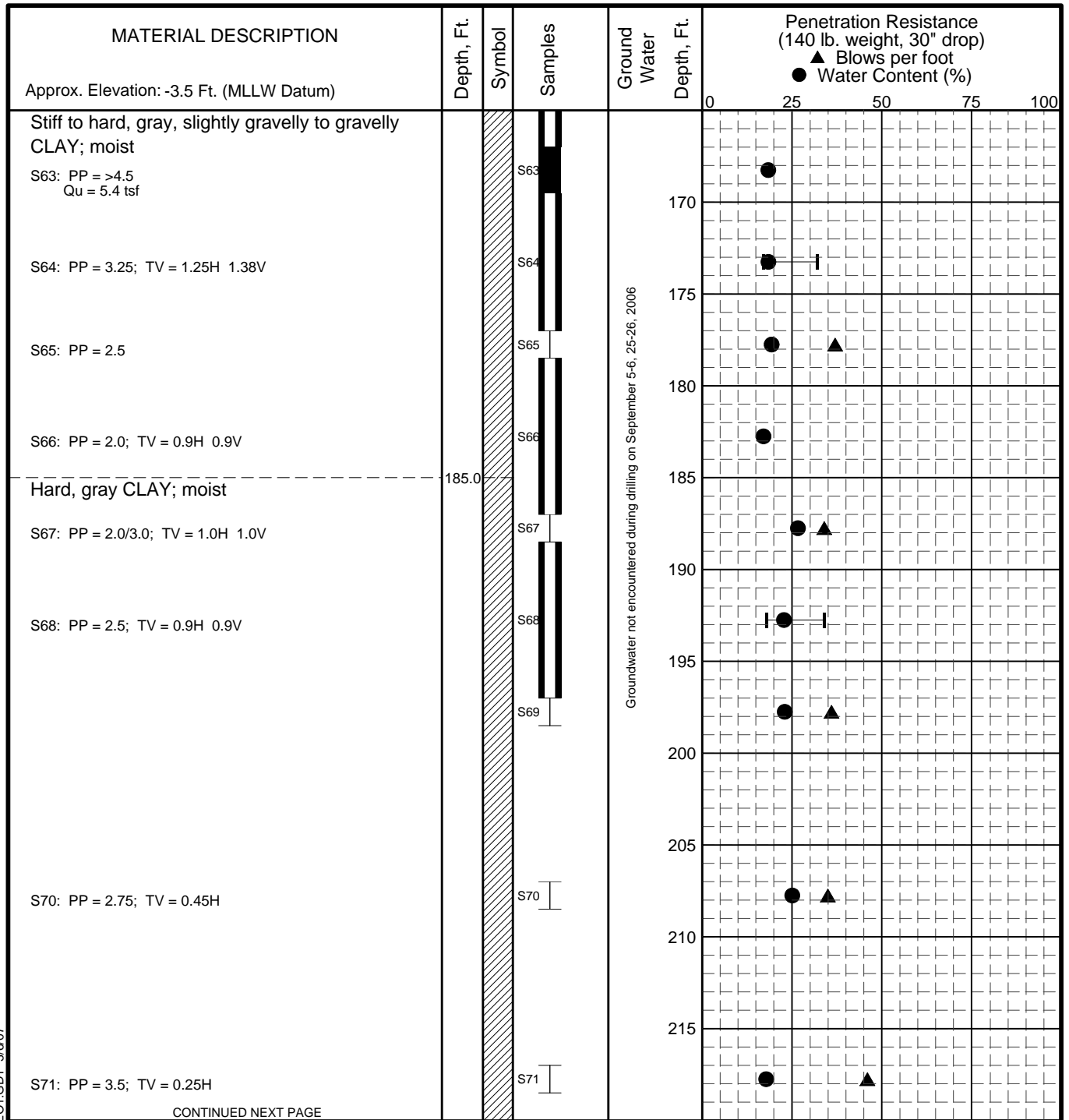
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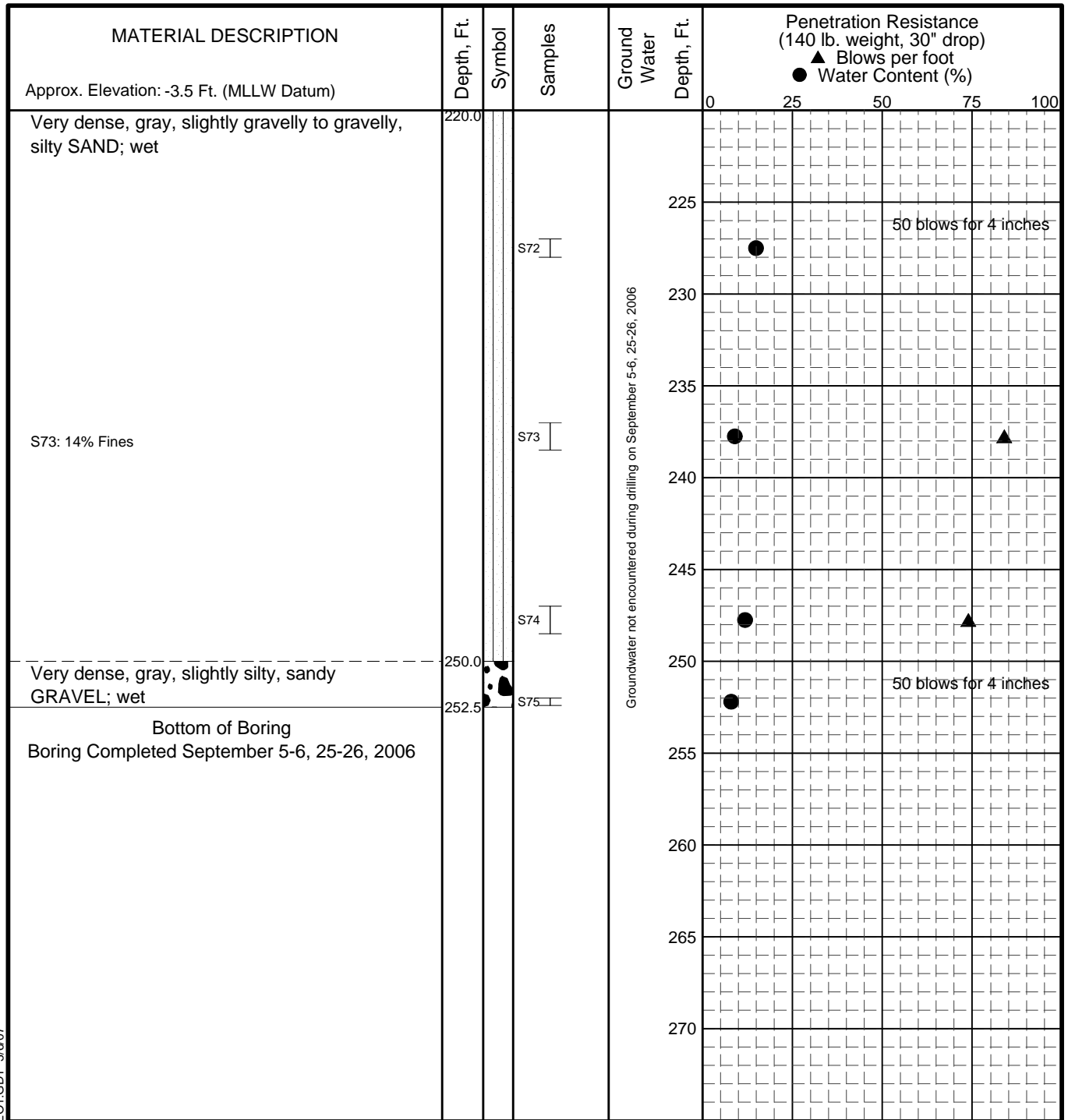
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# CLASSIFICATION OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLES

Boring: B06-14 Sample: S26		Torvane				Pocket Pen	Depth: 176 to 177 ft below ground surface Sample Quality: Good			
Depth (ft)	Depth	Length	V	H	R		S	%M	Top	Description
176	176'	6"		2.2		>4.5		22.1%		Gray CLAY, moist
176.5	176.5'	6"						17.8%		Gray CLAY, moist Unconfined Compression test run.
177									Bottom of Sample	

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Boring: B06-16 Sample: S4		Torvane				Pocket Pen	Depth: 19.5 to 20.5 ft below ground surface Sample Quality: Good			
Depth (ft)	Depth	Length	V	H	R		S	%M	Top	Description
19.5	19.5' to 20'	6"				4.3		20.6%	/ / / / / / / /	Gray CLAY, moist
20	20' to 20.5'	6"						21.3%	/ / / / / / / /	Gray CLAY, moist  Unconfined Compression test run.
20.5									Bottom of Sample	

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Boring: B06-16 Sample: S8		Torvane					Pocket Pen	Depth: 40 to 41 ft below ground surface Sample Quality: Good		
Depth (ft)	Depth	Length	V	H	R		S	%M	Top	Description
40	40' to 40.5'	6"	0.9	0.6	0.3	2.5	4.67	25.0%		Gray CLAY, moist
40.5	40.5' to 41'	6"						24.7%		Gray CLAY, moist  Unconfined Compression test run.
41									Bottom of Sample	

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# CLASSIFICATION OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLES

Boring: B06-16 Sample: S31		Torvane					Pocket Pen	Depth: 159.5 to 160.5 ft below ground surface Sample Quality: Good		
Depth (ft)	Depth	Length	V	H	R		S	%M	Top	Description
159.5	159.5' to 160'	6"				2.8		26.4%	/ / / / / / / / / /	Gray CLAY, moist
160	160' to 160.5'	6"						27.2%	/ / / / / / / / / /	Gray CLAY, moist  Unconfined Compression test run.
160.5									Bottom of Sample	

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Boring: B06-17 Sample: S6		Torvane					Pocket Pen	Depth: 33 to 34.5 ft below ground surface Sample Quality: Good		
Depth (ft)	Depth	Length	V	H	R		S	%M	Top	Description
33	33' to 33.5'	6"	2.0	1.0	0.4	2.7	5	28.6%		Gray CLAY, moist
33.5	33.5' to 34'	6"								Gray CLAY, moist  Unconfined Compression test run
34	34' to 34.5'	6"	1.5	0.5	0.5	1.3	3	26.9%		Gray CLAY, moist
34.5										Bottom of Sample

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Depth (ft)	Boring: B06-17 Sample: S8		Torvane			Pocket Pen	Depth: 42 to 44.5 ft below ground surface Sample Quality: Fair			Description	
	Depth	Length	V	H	R		S	%M	Top		
42	42' to 42.5'	6"				1.8		26.5%		Bottom of Sample	Gray CLAY, moist
42.5	42.5' to 43'	6"									Gray CLAY, moist
43	43' to 43.5'	6"									Gray CLAY, moist  Unconfined Compression Test run
43.5	43.5' to 44'	6"									Gray CLAY, moist
44	44' to 44.5'	6"				3.3		27.1%			Gray CLAY, moist  Unconsolidated Undrained Triaxial Test run
44.5											

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- > %M is moisture content for each interval.


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Boring: B06-17 Sample: S10		Torvane				Pocket Pen	Depth: 52.5 to 54.5 ft below ground surface Sample Quality: Good			
Depth (ft)	Depth	Length	V	H	R		S	%M	Top	Description
52.5	52.5' to 53'	6"	1.3	1.3		3.8		23.6%		Gray CLAY, moist
53	53' to 53.5'	6"								
53.5	53.5' to 54'	6"						23.2%		Gray CLAY, moist  Unconfined Compression test run.
54	54' to 54.5'	6"	1.9	1.6		4.3		20.7%		Gray CLAY, moist
54.5									Bottom of Sample	

## NOTES:

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- > Clay sensitivity is shown in the column labeled "S".
- > Torvane and Pocket Pen readings in tons per square foot (tsf).
- > Reported Pocket Pen values are average values representing each 6-inch section of the sample.
- > %M is moisture content for each interval.


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Boring: B06-17 Sample: S14		Torvane				Pocket Pen	Depth: 76.5 to 77.5 ft below ground surface Sample Quality: Fair			
Depth (ft)	Depth	Length	V	H	R		S	%M	Top	Description
76.5	76.5'	6"						24.6%		Gray, CLAY, moist
77	77'	6"	0.6	0.8		1.5		25.5%		Gray CLAY, moist
77.5									Bottom of Sample	

## NOTES:

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- > Clay sensitivity is shown in the column labeled "S".
- > Torvane and Pocket Pen readings in tons per square foot (tsf).
- > Reported Pocket Pen values are average values representing each 6-inch section of the sample.
- > %M is moisture content for each interval.


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Boring: B06-17 Sample: S16		Torvane				Pocket Pen	Depth: 86 to 88 ft below ground surface Sample Quality: Good			
Depth (ft)	Depth	Length	V	H	R		S	%M	Top	Description
86	86' to 86.5'	6"						21.4%		Gray CLAY, moist Unconfined Compression test run.
86.5	86.5' to 87'	6"	1.4	1.7		4.5		25.5%		Gray CLAY, scattered silt seams, moist
87	87' to 87.5'	6"	1.3	1.3		>4.5		20.5%		Gray CLAY, moist
87.5	87.5' to 88'	6"	1.5	1.2		3.9		23.7%		Gray CLAY, moist
88									Bottom of Sample	

## NOTES:

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- > Clay sensitivity is shown in the column labeled "S".
- > Torvane and Pocket Pen readings in tons per square foot (tsf).
- > Reported Pocket Pen values are average values representing each 6-inch section of the sample.
- > %M is moisture content for each interval.

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Boring: B06-17 Sample: S18		Torvane				Pocket Pen	Depth: 96 to 98.5 ft below ground surface Sample Quality: Fair			
Depth (ft)	Depth	Length	V	H	R		S	%M	Top	Description
96	96' to 96.5'	6"				3.3		27.0%		Gray CLAY, moist  Unconsolidated Undrained Triaxial Test run
96.5	96.5' to 97'	6"								Gray CLAY, moist
97	97' to 97.5'	6"								Gray CLAY, moist  Unconfined Compression Test run
97.5	97.5' to 98'	6"								Gray CLAY, moist
98	98' to 98.5'	6"				4.3		20.9%		Gray CLAY, moist
98.5										

Bottom  
of  
Sample

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- > Clay sensitivity is shown in the column labeled "S".
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- > Reported Pocket Pen values are average values representing each 6-inch section of the sample.
- > %M is moisture content for each interval.


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Boring: B06-17 Sample: S20		Torvane					Pocket Pen	Depth: 106 to 108 ft below ground surface Sample Quality: Good		
Depth (ft)	Depth	Length	V	H	R		S	%M	Top	Description
106	106'	6"						24.7%		Gray CLAY, moist Unconfined Compression test run.
106.5	106.5'	6"	1.7	1.3		4.0		26.4%		Gray CLAY, moist
107	107'	6"	1.4	1.6		>4.5		25.6%		Gray CLAY, moist
107.5	107.5'	6"	0.9	1.7		3.9		26.6%		Gray CLAY, moist
108									Bottom of Sample	

## NOTES:

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- > Clay sensitivity is shown in the column labeled "S".
- > Torvane and Pocket Pen readings in tons per square foot (tsf).
- > Reported Pocket Pen values are average values representing each 6-inch section of the sample.
- > %M is moisture content for each interval.

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Boring: B06-17 Sample: S23		Torvane				Pocket Pen	Depth: 126.5 to 128.0 ft below ground surface Sample Quality: Fair			
Depth (ft)	Depth	Length	V	H	R		S	%M	Top	Description
126.5	126.5'	6"								Gray CLAY, moist, scattered fine gravel
127	127'	6"	1.3	1.6		4.0		25.6%		Gray CLAY, moist, scattered fine gravel
127.5	127.5'	6"								Gray CLAY, moist, with trace sand
128									Bottom of Sample	

## NOTES:

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- > Clay sensitivity is shown in the column labeled "S".
- > Torvane and Pocket Pen readings in tons per square foot (tsf).
- > Reported Pocket Pen values are average values representing each 6-inch section of the sample.
- > %M is moisture content for each interval.


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Boring: B06-17 Sample: S27		Torvane					Pocket Pen	Depth: 146 to 148 ft below ground surface Sample Quality: Good		
Depth (ft)	Depth	Length	V	H	R		S	%M	Top	Description
146	146' to 146.5'	6"	2.0	1.25		3.5		21.8%		Gray CLAY, moist
146.5	146.5' to 147'	6"						18.5%		Gray CLAY, moist Unconfined Compression test run.
147	147' to 147.5'	6"								Gray CLAY, moist, with silt partings
147.5	147.5' to 148'	6"	1.5	1.5		2.5		25.4%		Gray CLAY, moist, with scattered silt pockets
148									Bottom of Sample	

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- > Reported Pocket Pen values are average values representing each 6-inch section of the sample.
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Boring: B06-17 Sample: S31		Torvane				Pocket Pen	Depth: 166 to 168 ft below ground surface Sample Quality: Good			
Depth (ft)	Depth	Length	V	H	R		S	%M	Top	Description
166	166'	6"						20.9%		Gray CLAY, moist, with silt seams Unconfined Compression test run.
166.5	166.5'	6"	2.0	1.8		>4.5		21.3%		Gray CLAY, moist, with silt seams
167	167'	6"	1.6	1.4		>4.5		22.3%		Gray CLAY, moist, with silt seams
167.5	167.5'	6"	1.1	1.6		3.9		24.3%		Gray CLAY, moist, occasional shells
168									Bottom of Sample	

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- > Clay sensitivity is shown in the column labeled "S".
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- > Reported Pocket Pen values are average values representing each 6-inch section of the sample.
- > %M is moisture content for each interval.

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Depth (ft)	Boring: B06-17 Sample: S36		Torvane			Pocket Pen	Depth: 186 to 188.5 ft below ground surface Sample Quality: Fair			
	Depth	Length	V	H	R		S	%M	Top	Description
186	186' to 186.5'	6"				3.5		22.6%		Gray CLAY, moist
186.5	186.5' to 187'	6"								Gray CLAY, moist
187	187' to 187.5'	6"								Gray CLAY, moist  Unconfined Compression Test run
187.5	187.5' to 188'	6"								Gray CLAY, moist
188	188' to 188.5'	6"				1.0		23.9%		Gray CLAY, moist  Unconsolidated Undrained Triaxial Test run
188.5										

Bottom  
of  
Sample

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- > Clay sensitivity is shown in the column labeled "S".
- > Torvane and Pocket Pen readings in tons per square foot (tsf).
- > Reported Pocket Pen values are average values representing each 6-inch section of the sample.
- > %M is moisture content for each interval.

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Boring: B06-17 Sample: S40		Torvane				Pocket Pen	Depth: 201 to 203.5 ft below ground surface Sample Quality: Good			
Depth (ft)	Depth	Length	V	H	R		S	%M	Top	Description
201	201'	6"	0.7	0.9		4.5		21.4%		Gray CLAY, moist
201.5	201.5'	6"								Gray, slightly sandy CLAY, moist Unconfined Compression test run.
202	202'	6"	1.6	1.8		>4.5		20.8%		Gray CLAY, moist
202.5	202.5'	6"	1.6	1.6		>4.5		20.3%		Gray CLAY, moist
203	203'	6"	1.2	1.4		4.1		24.3%		Gray, slightly sandy CLAY, moist
203.5										

Bottom  
of  
Sample

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- > Clay sensitivity is shown in the column labeled "S".
- > Torvane and Pocket Pen readings in tons per square foot (tsf).
- > Reported Pocket Pen values are average values representing each 6-inch section of the sample.
- > %M is moisture content for each interval.

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Boring: B06-18 Sample: S6		Torvane					Pocket Pen	Depth: 39 to 41 ft below ground surface Sample Quality: Good		
Depth (ft)	Depth	Length	V	H	R		S	%M	Top	Description
39	39' to 39.5'	6"						21.4%		Gray CLAY, moist  Unconfined Compression test run.
39.5	39.5' to 40'	6"	1.5	1.6		>4.5		22.6%		Gray CLAY, moist
40	40' to 40.5'	6"	1.4	1.5		4.0		21.6%		Gray CLAY, moist
40.5	40.5' to 41'	6"	1.6	1.3		4.3		20.9%		Gray CLAY, moist
41									Bottom of Sample	

## NOTES:

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- > Clay sensitivity is shown in the column labeled "S".
- > Torvane and Pocket Pen readings in tons per square foot (tsf).
- > Reported Pocket Pen values are average values representing each 6-inch section of the sample.
- > %M is moisture content for each interval.

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Boring: B06-18 Sample: S9		Torvane				Pocket Pen	Depth: 59 to 61.5 ft below ground surface Sample Quality: Fair			
Depth (ft)	Depth	Length	V	H	R		S	%M	Top	Description
59	59'	6"				3.0		20.5%		Gray CLAY, moist Unconfined Compression Test run
59.5	59.5'	6"								Gray CLAY, moist
60	60'	6"								Gray CLAY, moist
60.5	60.5'	6"						22.6%		Gray CLAY, moist, trace gravel Unconsolidated Undrained Triaxial Test run
61	61'	6"				3.3		23.2%		Gray CLAY, moist, trace gravel
61.5	61.5'	6"								

Bottom  
of  
Sample

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- > Clay sensitivity is shown in the column labeled "S".
- > Torvane and Pocket Pen readings in tons per square foot (tsf).
- > Reported Pocket Pen values are average values representing each 6-inch section of the sample.
- > %M is moisture content for each interval.

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Boring: B06-18 Sample: S11		Torvane				Pocket Pen	Depth: 69 to 71.5 ft below ground surface Sample Quality: Fair			
Depth (ft)	Depth	Length	V	H	R		S	%M	Top	Description
69	69'	6"				2.0		21.5%		Gray CLAY, moist Unconfined Compression Test run
69.5	69.5'	6"								Gray CLAY, moist
70	70'	6"								Gray CLAY, moist
70.5	70.5'	6"						24.0%		Gray CLAY, moist Unconsolidated Undrained Triaxial Test run
71	71'	6"				2.3		24.2%		Gray CLAY, moist
71.5										

Bottom  
of  
Sample

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- > Torvane and Pocket Pen readings in tons per square foot (tsf).
- > Reported Pocket Pen values are average values representing each 6-inch section of the sample.
- > %M is moisture content for each interval.

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Boring: B06-18 Sample: S13		Torvane				Pocket Pen	Depth: 79 to 81.5 ft below ground surface Sample Quality: Fair			
Depth (ft)	Depth	Length	V	H	R		S	%M	Top	Description
79	79'	6"				1.3		27.9%		Gray CLAY, moist
79.5	79.5'	6"								Gray CLAY, moist
80	80'	6"								Gray CLAY, moist Unconfined Test run
80.5	80.5'	6"						30.6%		Gray CLAY, moist Unconsolidated Undrained Triaxial Test run
81	81'	6"				2.3		24.2%		Gray CLAY, moist
81.5	81.5'	6"								

Bottom  
of  
Sample

## NOTES:

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- > Clay sensitivity is shown in the column labeled "S".
- > Torvane and Pocket Pen readings in tons per square foot (tsf).
- > Reported Pocket Pen values are average values representing each 6-inch section of the sample.
- > %M is moisture content for each interval.


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Boring: B06-18 Sample: S15		Torvane					Pocket Pen	Depth: 89 to 91 ft below ground surface Sample Quality: Fair		
Depth (ft)	Depth	Length	V	H	R		S	%M	Top	Description
89	89' to 89.5'	6"	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.8	5.1	31.2%		Gray CLAY, moist
89.5	89.5' to 90'	6"								
90	90' to 90.5'	6"						33.9%		Gray CLAY, moist Unconfined Compression test run.
90.5	90.5' to 91'	6"	0.6	0.7	0.6	1.8		25.5%		Gray CLAY, moist
91									Bottom of Sample	

## NOTES:

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- > Clay sensitivity is shown in the column labeled "S".
- > Torvane and Pocket Pen readings in tons per square foot (tsf).
- > Reported Pocket Pen values are average values representing each 6-inch section of the sample.
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Boring: B06-18 Sample: S21		Torvane					Pocket Pen	Depth: 119.5 to 121.5 ft below ground surface Sample Quality: Good		
Depth (ft)	Depth	Length	V	H	R		S	%M	Top	Description
119.5	119.5' to 120'	6"	1.1	1.6	1.0	4.0	2.75	25.6%		Gray CLAY, moist
120	120.0' to 120.5'	6"								Gray CLAY, moist
120.5	120.5' to 121'	6"	1.1	1.4		3.3		26.4%		Gray CLAY, moist
121	121.0' to 121.5'	6"	1.5	1.3		3.3		27.7%		Gray CLAY, moist
121.5									Bottom of Sample	

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- > Clay sensitivity is shown in the column labeled "S".
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- > Reported Pocket Pen values are average values representing each 6-inch section of the sample.
- > %M is moisture content for each interval.

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Boring: B06-18 Sample: S31		Torvane						Pocket Pen	Depth: 170 to 171 ft below ground surface Sample Quality: Disturbed		
Depth (ft)	Depth	Length	V	H	R		S	%M	Top	Description	
170	170' to 170.5'	6"	0.4	0.7	0.3	1.8	3.7	22.3%	[Hatched Box]	Gray CLAY, moist	
170.5	170.5' to 171'	6"						20.2%	[Hatched Box]	Gray CLAY, moist  Unconfined Compression test run.	
171									Bottom of Sample		

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- > Clay sensitivity is shown in the column labeled "S".
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- > Reported Pocket Pen values are average values representing each 6-inch section of the sample.
- > %M is moisture content for each interval.

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Boring: B06-18 Sample: S35		Torvane				Pocket Pen	Depth: 189 to 191.5 ft below ground surface Sample Quality: Fair			
Depth (ft)	Depth	Length	V	H	R		S	%M	Top	Description
189	189' to 189.5'	6"				1.5		21.7%		Gray CLAY, moist, trace gravel
189.5	189.5' to 190'	6"						22.7%		Gray CLAY, moist, trace gravel  Unconsolidated Undrained Triaxial Test run
190	190' to 190.5'	6"								Gray CLAY, moist, trace gravel
190.5	190.5' to 191'	6"								Gray CLAY, moist, trace gravel  Unconfined Compression test run
191	191' to 191.5'	6"				2.0		26.6%		Gray CLAY, moist, trace gravel
191.5										

Bottom  
of  
Sample

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- > Reported Pocket Pen values are average values representing each 6-inch section of the sample.
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Boring: B06-18 Sample: S46		Torvane					Pocket Pen	Depth: 244 to 246 ft below ground surface Sample Quality: Good		
Depth (ft)	Depth	Length	V	H	R		S	%M	Top	Description
244	244' to 244.5'	6"	0.4	0.7	0.4	1.8	3.0	11.3%		Gray CLAY, moist
244.5	244.5' to 245'	6"						23.7%		Gray CLAY, moist, with silt seams Unconfined Compression test run.
245	245' to 245.5'	6"	1.6	1.6		>4.5		16.3%		Gray CLAY, moist, with silt seams
245.5	245.5' to 246'	6"	1.7	1.8		>4.5		16.5%		Gray CLAY, moist, with silt seams
246									Bottom of Sample	

## NOTES:

- > V, H, and R represent Vertical, Horizontal, and Remolded Torvane and Pocket Penetrometer readings respectively.
- > Clay sensitivity is shown in the column labeled "S".
- > Torvane and Pocket Pen readings in tons per square foot (tsf).
- > Reported Pocket Pen values are average values representing each 6-inch section of the sample.
- > %M is moisture content for each interval.

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# CLASSIFICATION OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLES

Boring: B06-19 Sample: S12		Torvane				Pocket Pen	Depth: 60 to 61.5 ft below ground surface Sample Quality: Good			
Depth (ft)	Depth	Length	V	H	R		S	%M	Top	Description
60	60' to 60.5'	6"	1.6	1.8		>4.5		22.0%		Gray CLAY, moist
60.5	60.5' to 61'	6"						19.9%		Gray, slightly gravelly CLAY, moist  Unconfined Compression test run.
61	61' to 61.5'	6"	1.4	1.8		>4.5		19.5%		Gray, slightly gravelly CLAY, moist
61.5									Bottom of Sample	

## **NOTES:**

- > V, H, and R represent Vertical, Horizontal, and Remolded Torvane and Pocket Penetrometer readings respectively.
- > Clay sensitivity is shown in the column labeled "S".
- > Torvane and Pocket Pen readings in tons per square foot (tsf).
- > Reported Pocket Pen values are average values representing each 6-inch section of the sample.
- > %M is moisture content for each interval.


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# CLASSIFICATION OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLES

Boring: B06-19 Sample: S17		Torvane				Pocket Pen	Depth: 85 to 87.5 ft below ground surface Sample Quality: Fair			
Depth (ft)	Depth	Length	V	H	R		S	%M	Top	Description
85	85' to 85.5'	6"				3.0		23.9%		Gray CLAY, moist
85.5	85.5' to 86'	6"						Gray CLAY, moist		
86	86' to 86.5'	6"						Gray CLAY, moist		
86.5	86.5' to 87'	6"						Gray CLAY, moist		
87	86' to 87.5'	6"				2.0		22.2%		Gray CLAY, moist
87.5									Bottom of Sample	

## NOTES:

- > V, H, and R represent Vertical, Horizontal, and Remolded Torvane and Pocket Penetrometer readings respectively.
- > Clay sensitivity is shown in the column labeled "S".
- > Torvane and Pocket Pen readings in tons per square foot (tsf).
- > Reported Pocket Pen values are average values representing each 6-inch section of the sample.
- > %M is moisture content for each interval.

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# CLASSIFICATION OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLES

Boring: B06-19 Sample: S55		Torvane					Pocket Pen	Depth: 127 to 128 ft below ground surface Sample Quality: Good		
Depth (ft)	Depth	Length	V	H	R		S	%M	Top	Description
127	127'	6"						20.5%		Gray CLAY, moist  Unconfined Compression test run.
127.5	127.5'	6"	1.3	1.0		3.2		14.4%		Gray CLAY, moist
128									Bottom of Sample	

## NOTES:

- > V, H, and R represent Vertical, Horizontal, and Remolded Torvane and Pocket Penetrometer readings respectively.
- > Clay sensitivity is shown in the column labeled "S".
- > Torvane and Pocket Pen readings in tons per square foot (tsf).
- > Reported Pocket Pen values are average values representing each 6-inch section of the sample.
- > %M is moisture content for each interval.

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# CLASSIFICATION OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLES

Boring: B06-19 Sample: S63		Depth: 167 to 168 ft below ground surface Sample Quality: Good								
Depth (ft)			Torvane			Pocket Pen			Top	Description
	Depth	Length	V	H	R	S	%M			
167	167' to 167.5'	6"	1.5	1.4		>4.5		15.7%	/ / / / / / / / / /	Gray CLAY, moist
167.5	167.5' to 168'	6"						18.4%	/ / / / / / / / / /	Gray CLAY, moist  Unconfined Compression test run.
168									Bottom of Sample	

**NOTES:**

- > V, H, and R represent Vertical, Horizontal, and Remolded Torvane and Pocket Penetrometer readings respectively.
- > Clay sensitivity is shown in the column labeled "S".
- > Torvane and Pocket Pen readings in tons per square foot (tsf).
- > Reported Pocket Pen values are average values representing each 6-inch section of the sample.
- > %M is moisture content for each interval.

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## APPENDIX B

### CONE PENETRATION TEST RESULTS

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##### CPT Plots Based on Normalized Soil Behavior Type

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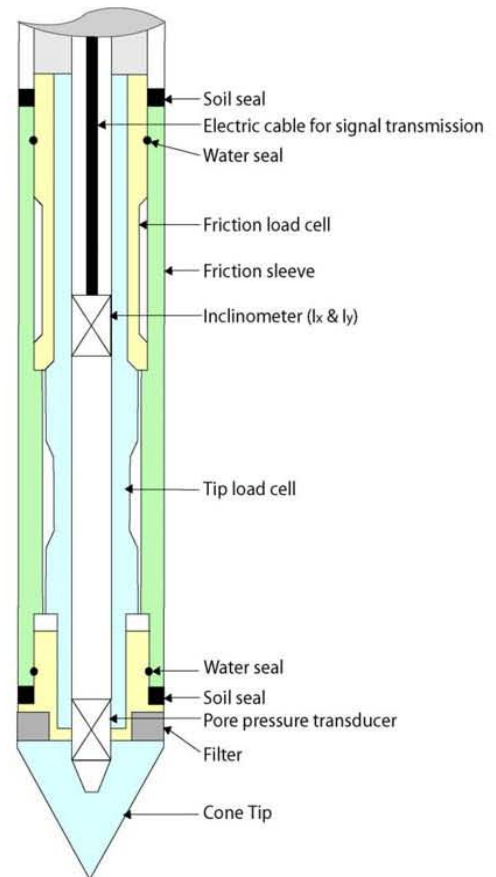


## Cone Penetration Testing Procedure (CPT)

Gregg Drilling & Testing, Inc. carries out all Cone Penetration Tests (CPT) using an integrated electronic cone system, *Figure CPT*. The soundings were conducted using a 20 ton capacity cone with a tip area of 15 cm<sup>2</sup> and a friction sleeve area of 225 cm<sup>2</sup>. The cone is designed with an equal end area friction sleeve and a tip end area ratio of 0.85.

The cone takes measurements of cone bearing ( $q_c$ ), sleeve friction ( $f_s$ ) and penetration pore water pressure ( $u_2$ ) at 5-cm intervals during penetration to provide a nearly continuous hydrogeologic log. CPT data reduction and interpretation is performed in real time facilitating on-site decision making. The above mentioned parameters are stored on disk for further analysis and reference. All CPT soundings are performed in accordance with revised (2002) ASTM standards (D 5778-95).

The cone also contains a porous filter element located directly behind the cone tip ( $u_2$ ), *Figure CPT*. It consists of porous plastic and is 5.0mm thick. The filter element is used to obtain penetration pore pressure as the cone is advanced as well as Pore Pressure Dissipation Tests (PPDT's) during appropriate pauses in penetration. It should be noted that prior to penetration, the element is fully saturated with silicon oil under vacuum pressure to ensure accurate and fast dissipation.



*Figure CPT*

When the soundings are complete, the test holes are grouted using a Gregg In Situ support rig. The grouting procedures generally consist of pushing a hollow CPT rod with a "knock out" plug to the termination depth of the test hole. Grout is then pumped under pressure as the tremie pipe is pulled from the hole. Disruption or further contamination to the site is therefore minimized.

## GREGG IN SITU Digital File Formats

### **CPT Data Files**

Unless otherwise requested by the client, Gregg CPT data files are named such that the first 3 characters contain Gregg In-Situ, Inc. job number, the next character is typically C for CPT (S if shear waves were collected, R if Resistivity was used, U for UVIF or M for 'Mini-Cone') followed by two or three characters indicating the sounding number. The last character position is reserved for the letters a, b, c, d etc to uniquely identify multiple soundings at the same location. The CPT sounding file has the extension COR and pore pressure dissipation files have the extension PPD. As an example, for job number 05-127 (Job Number 127 in the year 2005) the first sounding will have file names 127C01.COR and 127C01.PPD.

The CPT (COR) file consists of the following components:

1. Two lines of header information
2. Data records
3. End of data marker
4. Units information

#### **Header Lines**

Line 1: Columns 1-6 are blank (future use)  
Columns 7-21 contain the sounding Date and Time  
Columns 22-36 contain the sounding Operator  
Line 2: Columns 1-16 contain the sounding ID  
Columns 17-31 Field representative  
Columns 32-47 contain the project name

#### **Data Records**

The data records contain 4 or more columns of data in floating point format. A comma (and spaces) separates each data item:

Column 1: Sounding Depth (m)

Column 2: Tip ( $q_c$ ) data uncorrected for pore pressure effects. Recorded in units selected by the CPT operator.

Column 3: Sleeve ( $f_s$ ) data. Recorded in units selected by the operator

Column 4: Dynamic pore pressure readings ( $u_2$ ). Recorded in units selected by the operator

Column 5: Exists only if specialty modules (Resistivity and/or UVIF) have been used

#### **End of Data Marker**

After the last line of data a line containing ASCII 26 (CTL-Z) and a new line (carriage return/ line feed) character. This is used to mark the end of data.

#### **Units Information**

The last section of the file contains information about the units that were selected for the sounding. A separator bar makes up the first line. The second line contains the type of units used for depth,  $q_c$ ,  $f_s$  and  $u_2$ . The third line contains the conversion values required for Gregg's software to convert the recorded data to an internal set of base units (bar for  $q_c$ , bar for  $f_s$  and meters for  $u_2$ ).



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## **CPT Dissipation Files**

CPT Dissipation files have the same naming convention as the CPT sounding files and have the extension PPC. PPC files consist of the following components:

1. Two lines of header information
2. Data records

### **Header Lines (same as COR file):**

Line 1: Columns 1-6 are blank (future use)  
Columns 7-21 contain the sounding Date and Time  
Columns 22-36 contain the sounding Operator  
Line 2: Columns 1-16 Sounding or Location ID  
Columns 17-31 Field Representative  
Columns 32-47 Project Name

### **Data Records**

The data records immediately follow the header lines. Each data record can occupy several lines in the file and is a complete record of a dissipation test at a particular depth. Each data record starts with a line containing two values separated by spaces; the first value being an index number and the second being the dissipation test depth in meters. Following this line are the dissipation pore pressure values stored at 5 second intervals with a maximum of 12 entries per line. The last line of the dissipation record may not contain a full 12 entries. The data record is terminated with an ASCII 30 character (appears as a triangle in some editors). This sequence is repeated for every dissipation test in the sounding. No marker is used to indicate end of file. Unit information is not stored in this file. Users would have to check the CPT file for the units that were used.

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## Cone Penetration Test Data & Interpretation

Soil behavior type and stratigraphic interpretation is based on relationships between cone bearing ( $q_c$ ), sleeve friction ( $f_s$ ), and pore water pressure ( $u_2$ ). The friction ratio ( $R_f$ ) is a calculated parameter defined by  $100f_s/q_c$  and is used to infer soil behavior type. Generally:

Cohesive soils (clays)

- High friction ratio ( $R_f$ ) due to small cone bearing ( $q_c$ )
- Generate large excess pore water pressures ( $u_2$ )

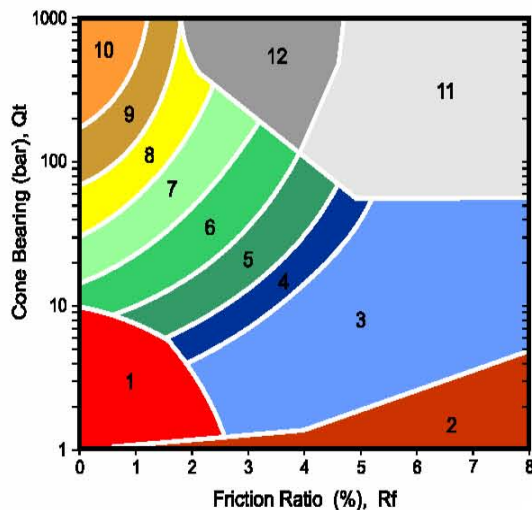
Cohesionless soils (sands)

- Low friction ratio ( $R_f$ ) due to large cone bearing ( $q_c$ )
- Generate very little excess pore water pressures ( $u_2$ )

A complete set of baseline readings are taken prior to and at the completion of each sounding to determine temperature shifts and any zero load offsets. Corrections for temperature shifts and zero load offsets can be extremely important, especially when the recorded loads are relatively small. In sandy soils, however, these corrections are generally negligible.

The cone penetration test data collected from your site is presented in graphical form in Appendix CPT. The data includes CPT logs of measured soil parameters, computer calculations of interpreted soil behavior types (SBT), and additional geotechnical parameters. A summary of locations and depths is available in Table 1. Note that all penetration depths referenced in the data are with respect to the existing ground surface.

Soil interpretation for this project was conducted using recent correlations developed by Robertson et al, 1990, *Figure SBT*. Note that it is not always possible to clearly identify a soil type based solely on  $q_c$ ,  $f_s$ , and  $u_2$ . In these situations, experience, judgment, and an assessment of the pore pressure dissipation data should be used to infer the soil behavior type.



ZONE	Qt/N	SBT
1	2	Sensitive, fine grained
2	1	Organic materials
3	1	Clay
4	1.5	Silty clay to clay
5	2	Clayey silt to silty clay
6	2.5	Sandy silt to clayey silt
7	3	Silty sand to sandy silt
8	4	Sand to silty sand
9	5	Sand
10	6	Gravelly sand to sand
11	1	Very stiff fine grained*
12	2	Sand to clayey sand*

\*over consolidated or cemented

Figure SBT



# Gregg In Situ

Environmental and Geotechnical Site Investigation Contractors

## Gregg In Situ Interpretations as of June 30, 2004 (Release 1.22A)

Gregg In Situ's interpretation routine provides a tabular output of geotechnical parameters based on current published CPT correlations and is subject to change to reflect the current state of practice. The interpreted values are not considered valid for all soil types. The interpretations are presented only as a guide for geotechnical use and should be carefully scrutinized for consideration in any geotechnical design. Reference to current literature is strongly recommended. Gregg In Situ does not warranty the correctness or the applicability of any of the geotechnical parameters interpreted by the program and does not assume liability for any use of the results in any design or review. Representative hand calculations should be made for any parameter that is critical for design purposes. The end user of the interpreted output should also be fully aware of the techniques and the limitations of any method used in this program. The purpose of this document is to inform the user as to which methods were used and what the appropriate papers and/or publications are for further reference.

The CPT interpretations are based on values of tip, sleeve friction and pore pressure averaged over a user specified interval (e.g. 0.20m). Note that  $q_t$  is the tip resistance corrected for pore pressure effects and  $q_c$  is the recorded tip resistance. Since all Gregg In Situ cones have equal end area friction sleeves, pore pressure corrections to sleeve friction,  $f_s$ , are not required.

The tip correction is:  $q_t = q_c + (1-a) \cdot u_2$

where:  $q_t$  is the corrected tip resistance  
 $q_c$  is the recorded tip resistance  
 $u_2$  is the recorded dynamic pore pressure behind the tip ( $u_2$  position)  
 $a$  is the Net Area Ratio for the cone (typically 0.85 for Gregg In Situ cones)

The total stress calculations are based on soil unit weights that have been assigned to the Soil Behavior Type zones, from a user defined unit weight profile or by using a single value throughout the profile. Effective vertical overburden stresses are calculated based on a hydrostatic distribution of equilibrium pore pressures below the water table or from a user defined equilibrium pore pressure profile (this can be obtained from CPT dissipation tests). For over water projects the effects of the column of water have been taken into account as has the appropriate unit weight of water. How this is done depends on where the instruments were zeroed (i.e. on deck or at mud line).

Details regarding the interpretation methods for all of the interpreted parameters are provided in Table 1. The appropriate references cited in Table 1 are listed in Table 2. Where methods are based on charts or techniques that are too complex to describe in this summary the user should refer to the cited material.

The estimated Soil Behavior Types (normalized and non-normalized) are based on the charts developed by Robertson and Campanella shown in Figures 1 and 2. The Bq classification charts are not reproduced in this document but can be reviewed in Lunne, Robertson and Powell (1997) or Robertson (1990).

Where the results of a calculation/interpretation are declared 'invalid' the value will be represented by the text strings "-9999" or "-9999.0". In some cases the value 0 will be used. Invalid results will occur because of (and not limited to) one or a combination of:

1. Invalid or undefined CPT data (e.g. drilled out section or data gap).
2. Where the interpretation method is inappropriate, for example, drained parameters in an undrained material (and vice versa). The user must evaluate the site specific soil conditions and characteristics to properly apply the appropriate interpretation method.



3. Where interpretation input values are beyond the range of the referenced charts or specified limitations of the interpretation method.
4. Where pre-requisite or intermediate interpretation calculations are invalid.

The parameters selected for output from the program are often specific to a particular project. As such, not all of the interpreted parameters listed in Table 1 may be included in the output files delivered with this report.

The output files are in one format:

File Type	Typical Extensions	Description
Spreadsheet	XLS	IFI, NLI files exported directly to Excel format. Column and cell formatting has been done. Header information is exported to start in Column C allowing the depth columns A and/or B to be duplicated on each printed page without repetition of part of the header information.

**Table 1**  
**CPT Interpretation Methods**

Interpreted Parameter	Description	Equation	Ref
Depth	Mid Layer Depth <i>(where interpretations are done at each point then Mid Layer Depth = Recorded Depth)</i>	$Depth (Layer Top) + Depth (Layer Bottom) / 2.0$	
Elevation	Elevation of Mid Layer based on sounding collar elevation supplied by client	Elevation = Collar Elevation – Depth	
Avgqc	Averaged recorded tip value ( $q_c$ )	$Avgq_c = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n q_{ci}$ $n=1$ when interpretations are done at each point	
Avgqt	Averaged corrected tip ( $q_t$ ) where: $q_t = q_c + (1 - \alpha) \cdot u$	$Avgq_t = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n q_{ti}$ $n=1$ when interpretations are done at each point	
Avgfs	Averaged sleeve friction ( $f_s$ )	$Avgf_s = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n f_{si}$ $n=1$ when interpretations are done at each point	
AvgRf	Averaged friction ratio (Rf) where friction ratio is defined as: $Rf = 100\% \cdot \frac{f_s}{q_t}$	$AvgRf = 100\% \cdot \frac{Avgf_s}{Avgq_t}$ $n=1$ when interpretations are done at each point	
Avgu	Averaged dynamic pore pressure ( $u$ )	$Avgu = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n u_i$ $n=1$ when interpretations are done at each point	
AvgRes	Averaged Resistivity (this data is not always available since it is a specialized test requiring an additional module)	$Avgu = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n RESISTIVITY_i$ $n=1$ when interpretations are done at each point	
AvgUVIF	Averaged UVIF ultra-violet induced fluorescence (this data is not always available since it is a specialized test requiring an additional module)	$Avgu = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n UVIF_i$ $n=1$ when interpretations are done at each point	
AvgTemp	Averaged Temperature (this data is not always available since it is a specialized test)	$Avgu = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n TEMPERATURE_i$ $n=1$ when interpretations are done at each point	



Interpreted Parameter	Description	Equation	Ref
AvgGamma	Averaged Gamma Counts (this data is not always available since it is a specialized test requiring an additional module)	$Avg\gamma = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n GAMMA$ <i>n=1 when interpretations are done at each point</i>	
SBT	Soil Behavior Type as defined by Robertson and Campanella	See Figure 1	2, 5
SBTn	Normalized Soil Behavior Type as defined by Robertson and Campanella	See Figure 2	2, 5
SBT-BQ	Non-normalized soil behavior type based on the Bq parameter	See Figure 5.7 (reference 5)	2, 5
SBT-BQn	Normalized Soil Behavior base on the Bq parameter	See Figure 5.8 (reference 5) or Figure 3 (reference 2)	2, 5
k	Coefficient of permeability (assigned to each SBT zone)		5
U.Wt.	Unit Weight of soil determined from one of the following user selectable options: 1) uniform value 2) value assigned to each SBT zone 3) user supplied unit weight profile	See references	5
T. Stress $\sigma_v$	Total vertical overburden stress at Mid Layer Depth. <i>A layer is defined as the averaging interval specified by the user. For data interpreted at each point the Mid Layer Depth is the same as the recorded depth.</i>	$TStress = \sum_{i=1}^n \gamma_i h_i$ where $\gamma_i$ is layer unit weight $h_i$ is layer thickness	
Ueq	Equilibrium pore pressure determined from one of the following user selectable options: 1) hydrostatic from water table depth 2) user supplied profile	For hydrostatic option: $u_{eq} = \gamma_w \cdot (D - D_{wt})$ where $u_{eq}$ is equilibrium pore pressure $\gamma_w$ is unit weight of water D is the current depth $D_{wt}$ is the depth to the water table	
E. Stress $\sigma_v$	Effective vertical overburden stress at Mid Layer Depth	$Estress = Tstress - u_{eq}$	
Cn	SPT $N_{60}$ overburden correction factor	$Cn = (\sigma'_v)^{-0.5}$ where $\sigma'_v$ is in tsf $0.5 < Cn < 2.0$	
$N_{60}$	SPT N value at 60% energy calculated from qt/N ratios assigned to each SBT zone. This method has abrupt N value changes at zone boundaries.	See Figure 1	4, 5
$(N_1)_{60}$	SPT $N_{60}$ value corrected for overburden pressure	$(N_1)_{60} = Cn \cdot N_{60}$	4
$N_{60}lc$	SPT $N_{60}$ values based on the lc parameter	$(qt/psf) / N_{60} = 8.5 (1 - lc/4.6)$	5
$(N_1)_{60}lc$	SPT $N_{60}$ value corrected for overburden pressure (using $N_{60}lc$ ). User has 2 options.	1) $(N_1)_{60}lc = Cn \cdot (N_{60}lc)$ 2) $q_{crit} / (N_1)_{60}lc = 8.5 (1 - lc/4.6)$	4 5
$(N_1)_{60}eslc$	Clean sand equivalent SPT $(N_1)_{60}lc$ . User has 3 options.	1) $(N_1)_{60}eslc = a + \beta((N_1)_{60}lc)$ 2) $(N_1)_{60}eslc = K_{SPT} \cdot ((N_1)_{60}lc)$ 3) $q_{crit(es)} / (N_1)_{60}eslc = 8.5 (1 - lc/4.6)$  FC = 5%: $a = 0, \beta = 1.0$ FC = 35%: $a = 5.0, \beta = 1.2$ 5% < FC < 35%: $a = \exp[1.76 - (190/FC^2)]$ $\beta = [0.99 + (FC^{1.5}/1000)]$	10 10 5



Interpreted Parameter	Description	Equation	Ref
$Q_t$	Normalized $q_t$ for Soil Behavior Type classification as defined by Robertson, 1990	$Q_t = \frac{q_t - \sigma_v}{\sigma_v}$	2, 5
$F_r$	Normalized Friction Ratio for Soil Behavior Type classification as defined by Robertson, 1990	$F_r = 100\% \cdot \frac{f}{q_t - \sigma_v}$	2, 5
Bq	Pore pressure parameter	$Bq = \frac{\Delta u}{q_t - \sigma_v}$ where: $\Delta u = u - u_{eq}$ and $u$ = dynamic pore pressure $u_{eq}$ = equilibrium pore pressure	1, 5
$I_c$	Soil index for estimating grain characteristics	$I_c = [(3.47 - \log_{10} Q)^2 + (\log_{10} F_r + 1.22)^2]^{0.5}$ Where: $Q = \left( \frac{q_t - \sigma_v}{P_{a2}} \right) \left( \frac{P_a}{\sigma_v} \right)^n$ And $F_r$ is in percent $P_a$ = atmospheric pressure $P_{a2}$ = atmospheric pressure $n$ varies from 0.5 to 1.0 and is selected in an iterative manner based on the resulting $I_c$	3, 8
FC	Apparent fines content (%)	$FC = 1.75(I_c^{3.25}) - 3.7$ $FC = 100$ for $I_c > 3.5$ $FC = 0$ for $I_c < 1.26$ $FC = 5\%$ if $1.64 < I_c < 2.36$ AND $F_r < 0.5$	3
Ic Zone	This parameter is the Soil Behavior Type zone based on the $I_c$ parameter (valid for zones 2 through 7 on SBTn chart)	$I_c < 1.31$ Zone = 7 $1.31 < I_c < 2.05$ Zone = 6 $2.05 < I_c < 2.60$ Zone = 5 $2.60 < I_c < 2.95$ Zone = 4 $2.95 < I_c < 3.60$ Zone = 3 $I_c > 3.60$ Zone = 2	3
Dr	Relative Density determined from one of the following user selectable options: a) Ticino Sand b) Hokksund Sand c) Schmertmann 1976 d) Jamiolkowski - All Sands	See reference	5
PHI $\phi$	Friction Angle determined from one of the following user selectable options: a) Campanella and Robertson b) Durgunoglu and Mitchel c) Janbu	See reference	5
State Parameter	The state parameter is used to describe whether a soil is contractive (SP is positive) or dilative (SP is negative) at large strains based on the work by Been and Jefferies	See reference	8, 6, 5
Es/qt	Intermediate parameter for calculating Youngs Modulus, E, in sands. It is the Y axis of the reference chart.	Based on Figure 5.59 in the reference	5



Interpreted Parameter	Description	Equation	Ref
Youngs Modulus E	<p>Youngs Modulus based on the work by Baldi. There are three types of sands considered in this technique. The user selects the appropriate type for the site from:</p> <p>a) OC Sands b) Aged NC Sands c) Recent NC Sands</p> <p>Each sand type has a family of curves that depend on mean normal stress. The program calculates mean normal stress and linearly interpolates between the two extremes provided in Baldi's chart.</p>	<p>Mean normal stress is evaluated from:</p> $\sigma'_n = \frac{1}{3} \cdot (\sigma'_v + \sigma'_h + \sigma'_h)$ <p>where <math>\sigma'_v</math> = vertical effective stress <math>\sigma'_h</math> = horizontal effective stress and <math>\sigma'_h = K_o \cdot \sigma'_v</math> with <math>K_o</math> assumed to be 0.5</p>	5
Su	Undrained shear strength - $N_k$ is user selectable	$Su = \frac{qt - \sigma_v}{N_k}$	1, 5
OCR	Over Consolidation Ratio	<p>a) Based on Schmertmann's method involving a plot of <math>S_u/\alpha'_v</math> // <math>(S_u/\alpha'_v)_{NC}</math> and OCR</p> <p>where the <math>S_u/p'</math> ratio for NC clay is user selectable</p>	9

The following parameters are not presented but may be interpreted for use in liquefaction analysis. Further detailed interpretation may be completed by using the Liquefaction Spreadsheet following the committee recommendations of the NCEER. This Spreadsheet is available for purchase. A promotional document is presented in the Interpretations directory on the Data Disk with this report.

Interpreted Parameter	Description	Equation	Ref
$q_{c1}$	$q_t$ normalized for overburden stress used for seismic analysis	$q_{c1} = q_t \bullet (Pa/\sigma_v')^{0.5}$ where: Pa = atm. Pressure $q_t$ is in Mpa	3
$q_{c1n}$	$q_{c1}$ in dimensionless form used for seismic analysis	$q_{c1n} = (q_{c1} / Pa)(Pa/\sigma_v')$ where: Pa = atm. Pressure and n ranges from 0.5 to 0.75 based on $I_c$ .	3
$K_{SPT}$	Equivalent clean sand factor for $(N_1)_{60}$	$K_{SPT} = 1 + ((0.75/30) * (FC - 5))$	10
$K_{CPT}$	Equivalent clean sand correction for $q_{c1n}$	$K_{qst} = 1.0$ for $I_c \leq 1.64$ $K_{qst} = f(I_c)$ for $I_c > 1.64$ (see reference)	10
$q_{c1nes}$	Clean sand equivalent $q_{c1n}$	$q_{c1nes} = q_{c1n} \bullet K_{qst}$	3
CRR	Cyclic Resistance Ratio (for Magnitude 7.5)	$q_{c1nes} < 50$ : $CRR_{7.5} = 0.833 [(q_{c1nes}/1000) + 0.05]$ $50 \leq q_{c1nes} < 160$ : $CRR_{7.5} = 93 [(q_{c1nes}/1000)^3 + 0.08]$	10
CSR	Cyclic Stress Ratio	$CSR = (\tau_{sa}/\sigma_v') = 0.65 (a_{max}/g) (\sigma_v'/\sigma_v') r_d$ $r_d = 1.0 - 0.00765 z$ $z \leq 9.15m$ $r_d = 1.174 - 0.0267 z$ $9.15 < z \leq 23m$ $r_d = 0.744 - 0.008 z$ $23 < z \leq 30m$ $r_d = 0.50$ $z > 30m$	10
MSF	Magnitude Scaling Factor	See Reference	10
FoS	Factor of Safety against Liquefaction	$FS = (CRR_{7.5} / CSR) MSF$	10
Liquefaction Status	Statement indicating possible liquefaction	Takes into account FoS and limitations based $I_c$ and $q_{c1nes}$ .	10

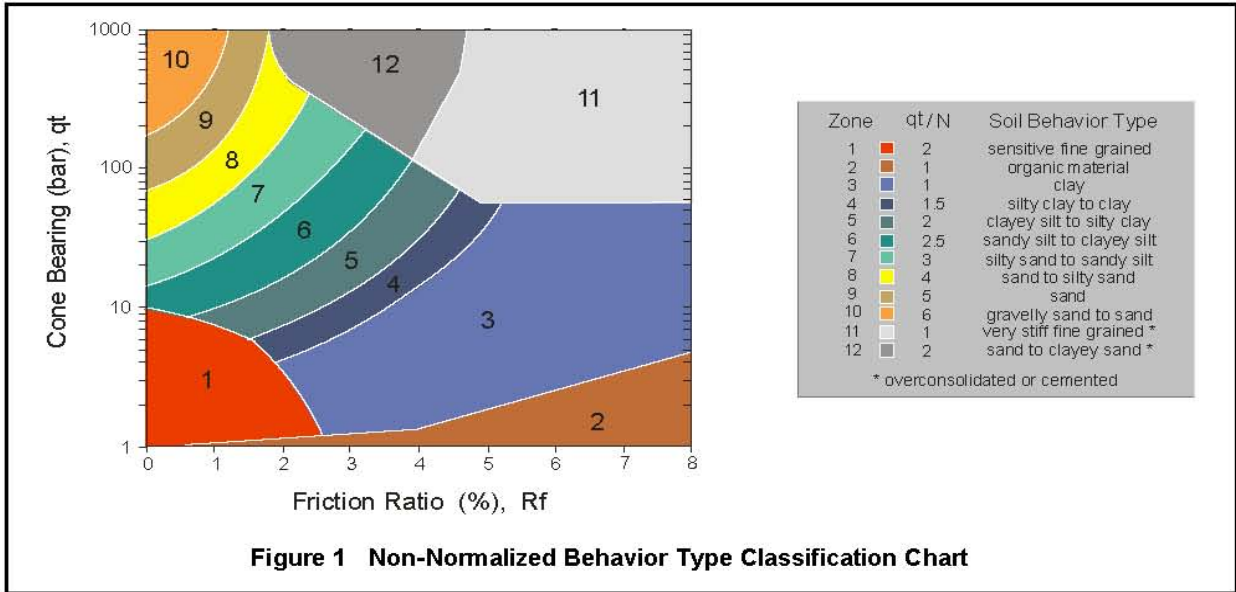


Figure 1 Non-Normalized Behavior Type Classification Chart

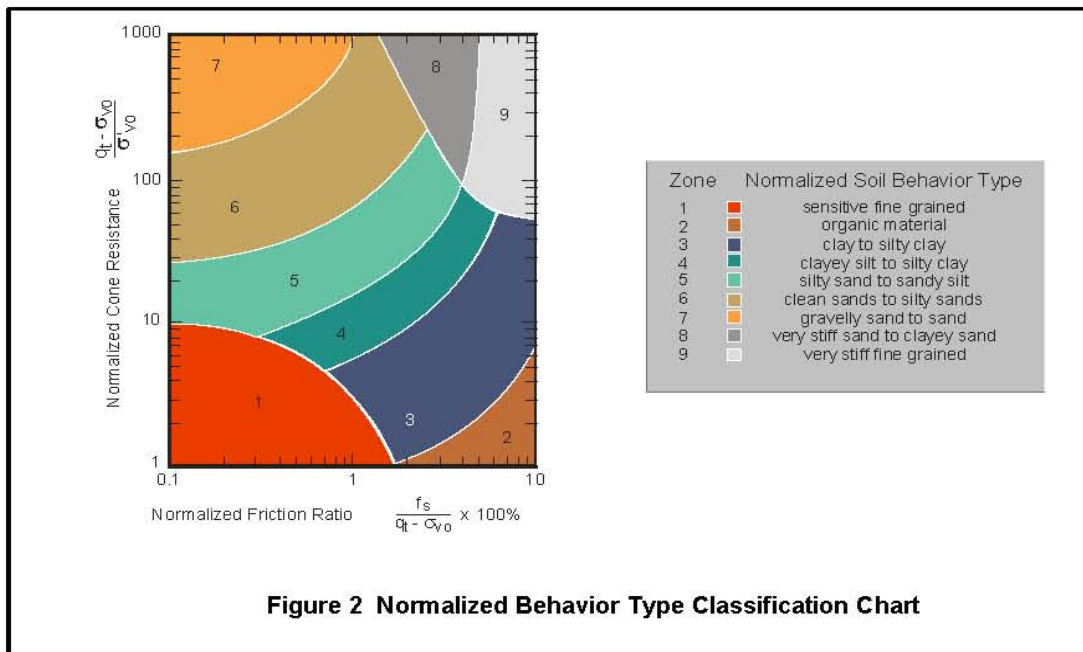


Figure 2 Normalized Behavior Type Classification Chart



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CPT Plots Based on  
Non-Normalized Soil Behavior Type



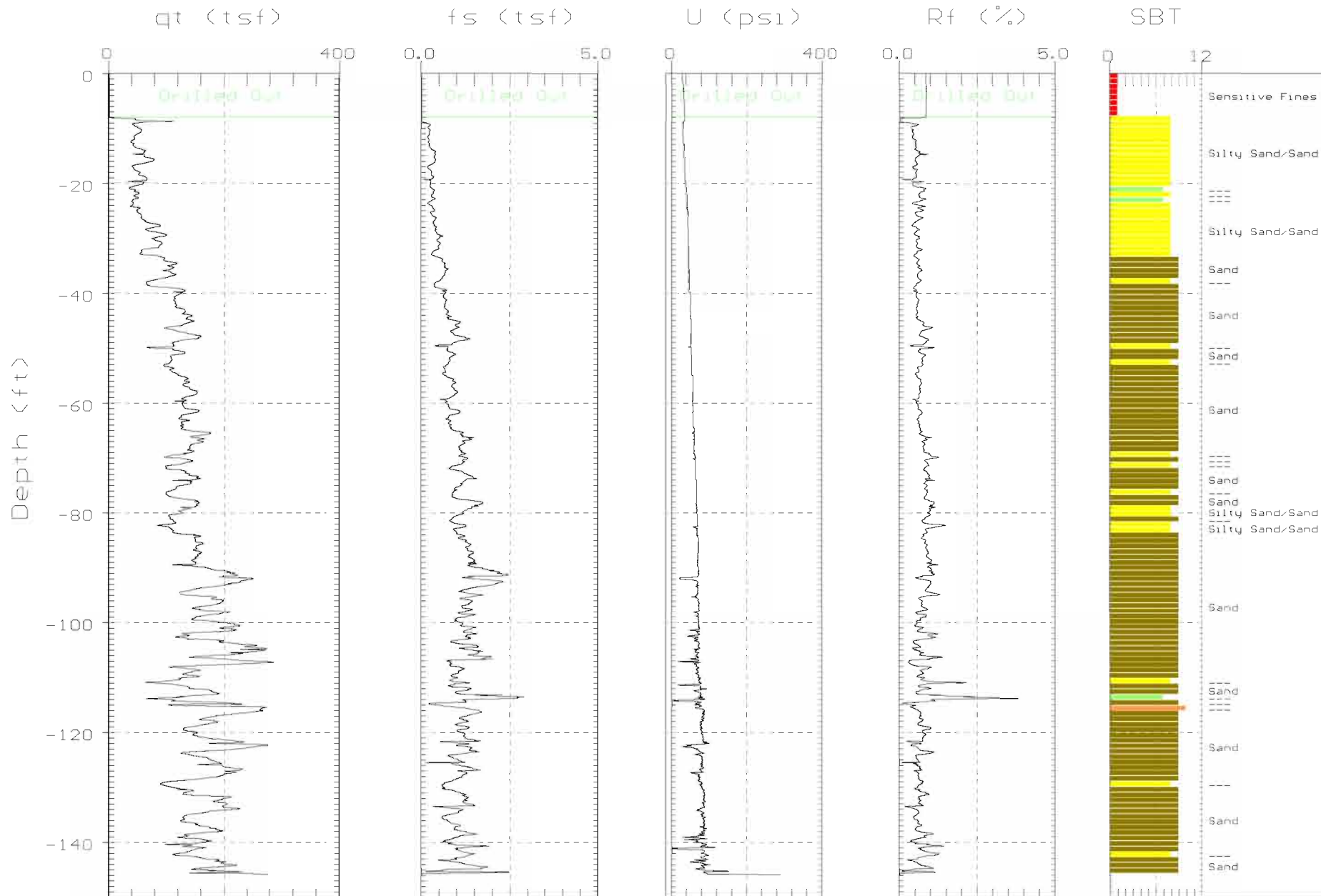




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Location: CPT-11

Engineer: R. COLLINS  
Date: 09/16/06 14:05



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Depth Inc.: 0.082 (ft)

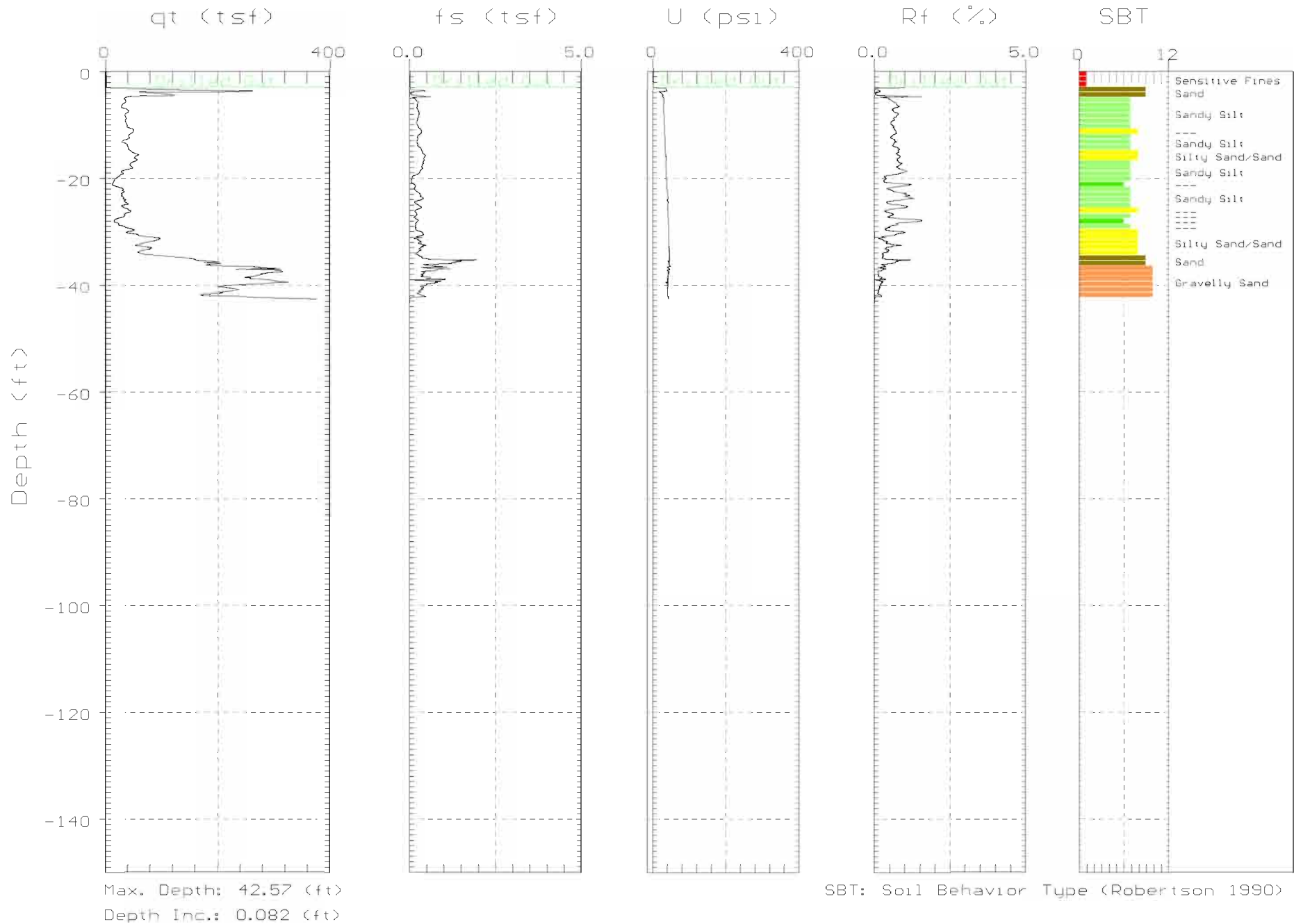
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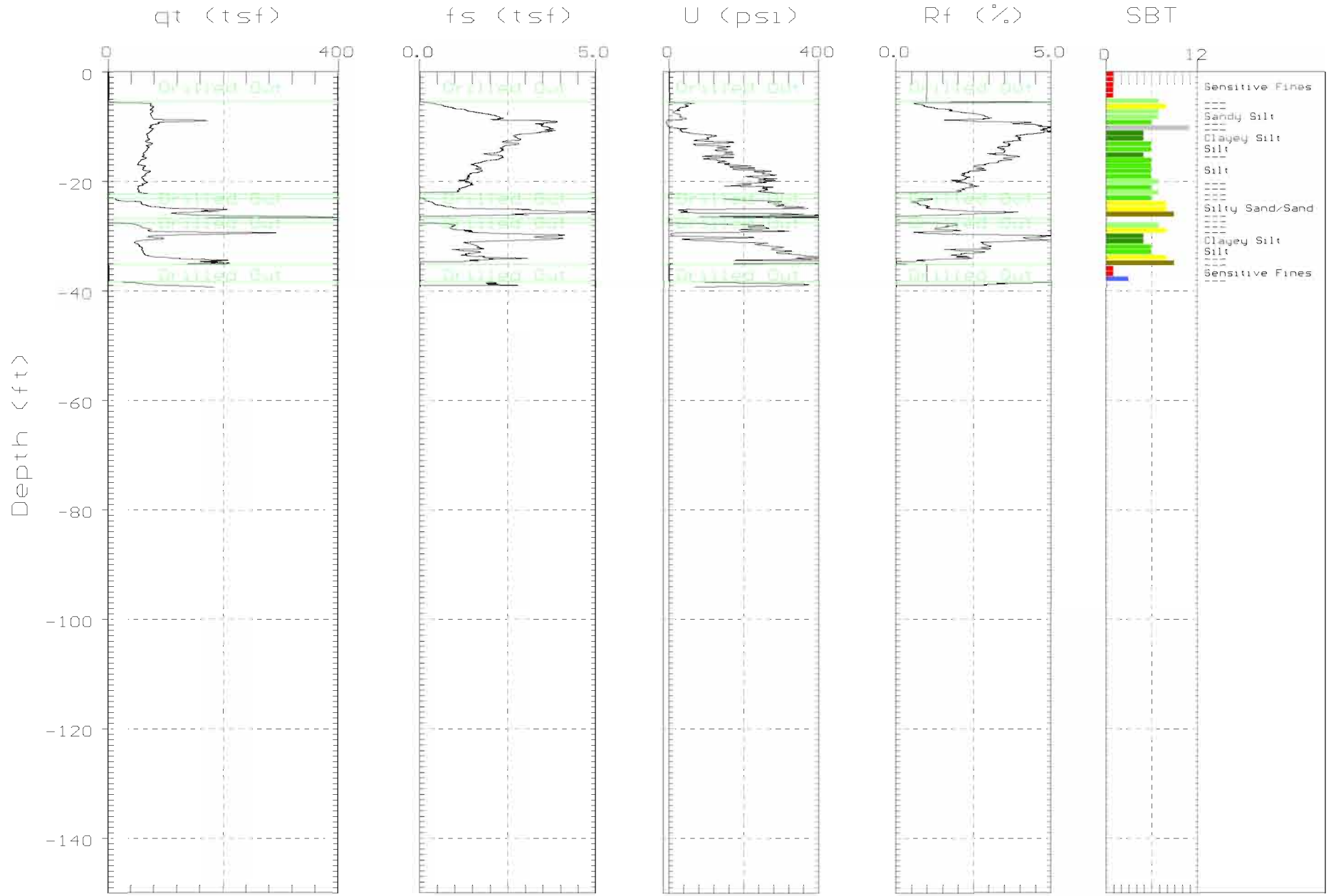




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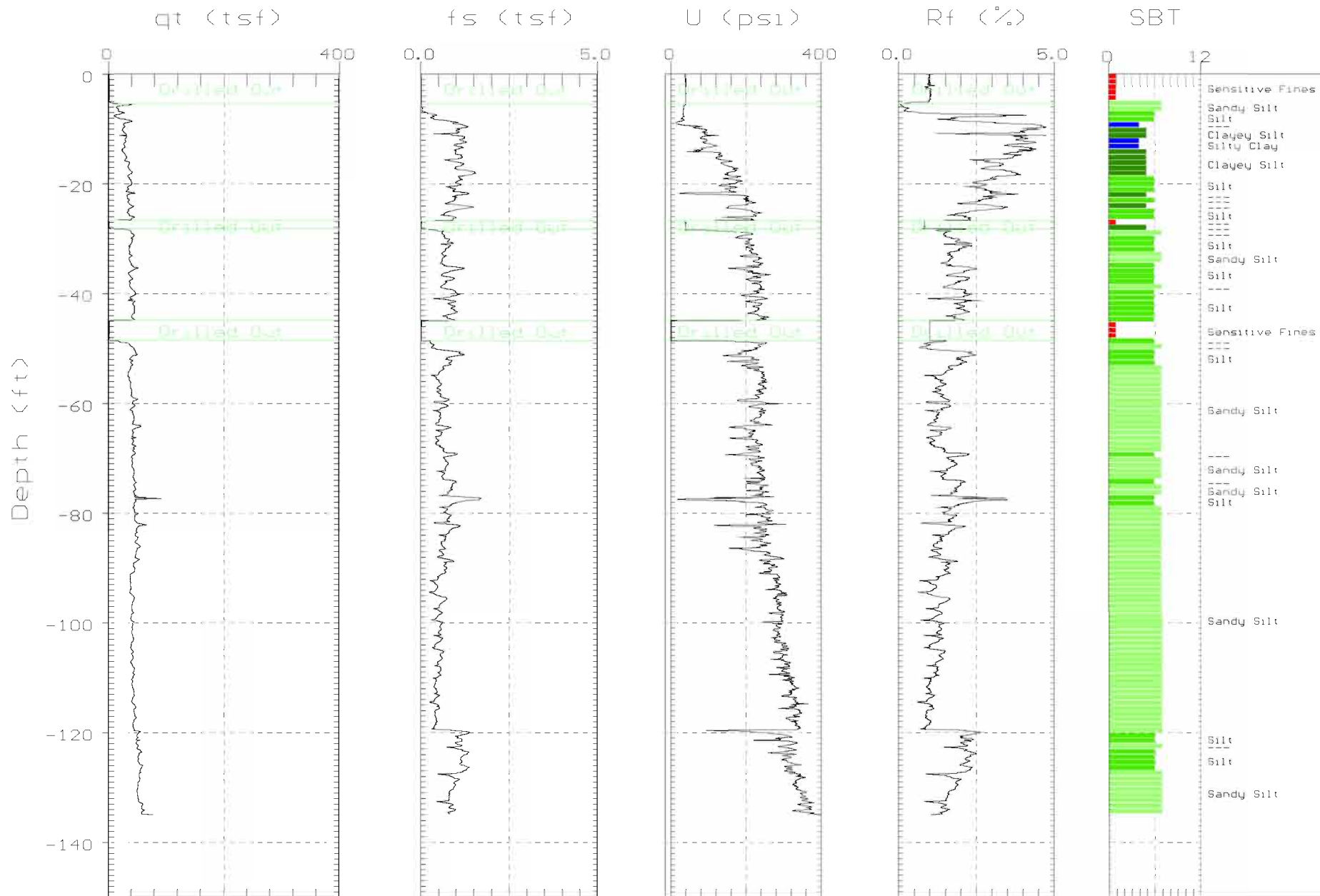
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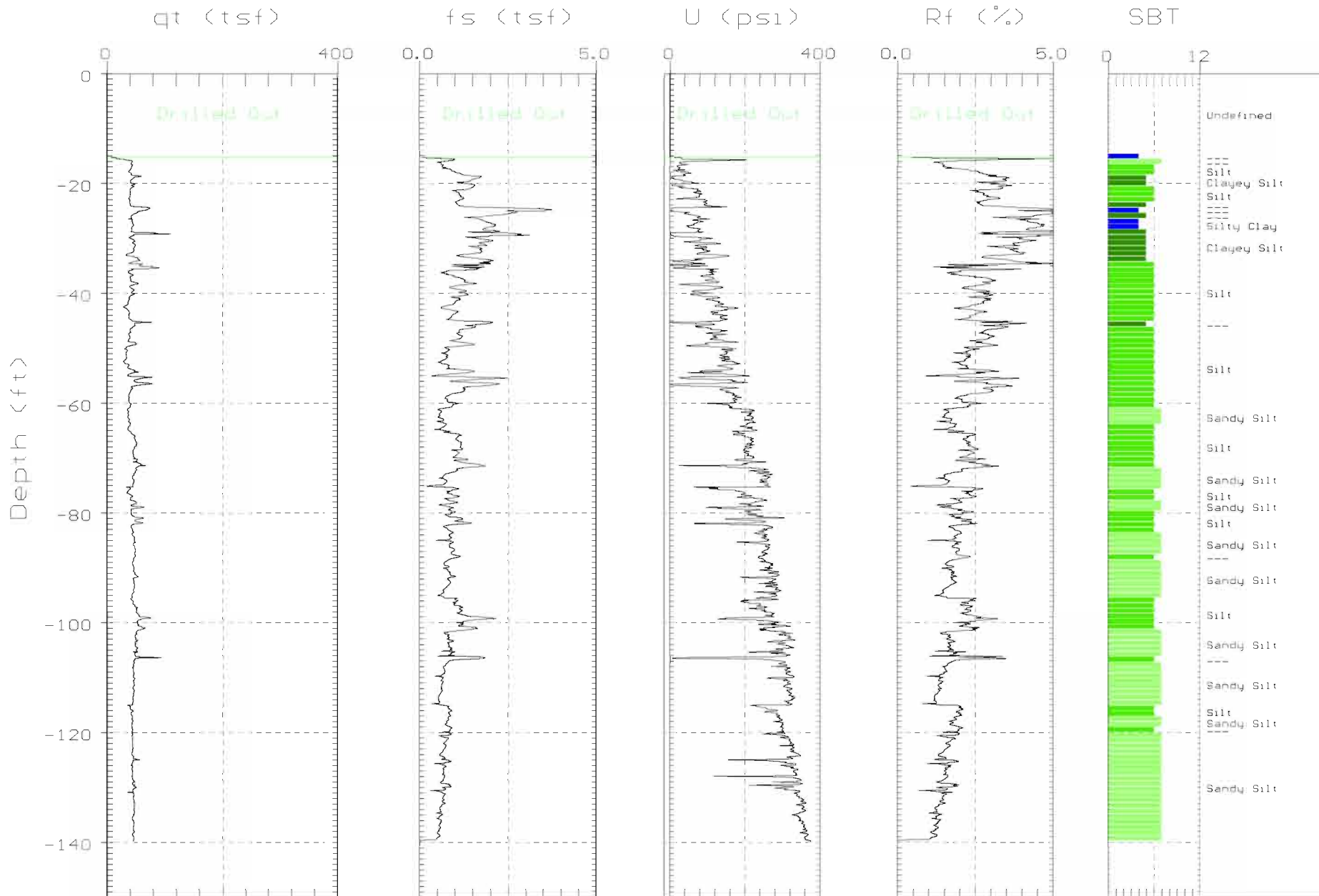




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Engineer: R. COLLINS  
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CPT Plots Based on  
Normalized Soil Behavior Type

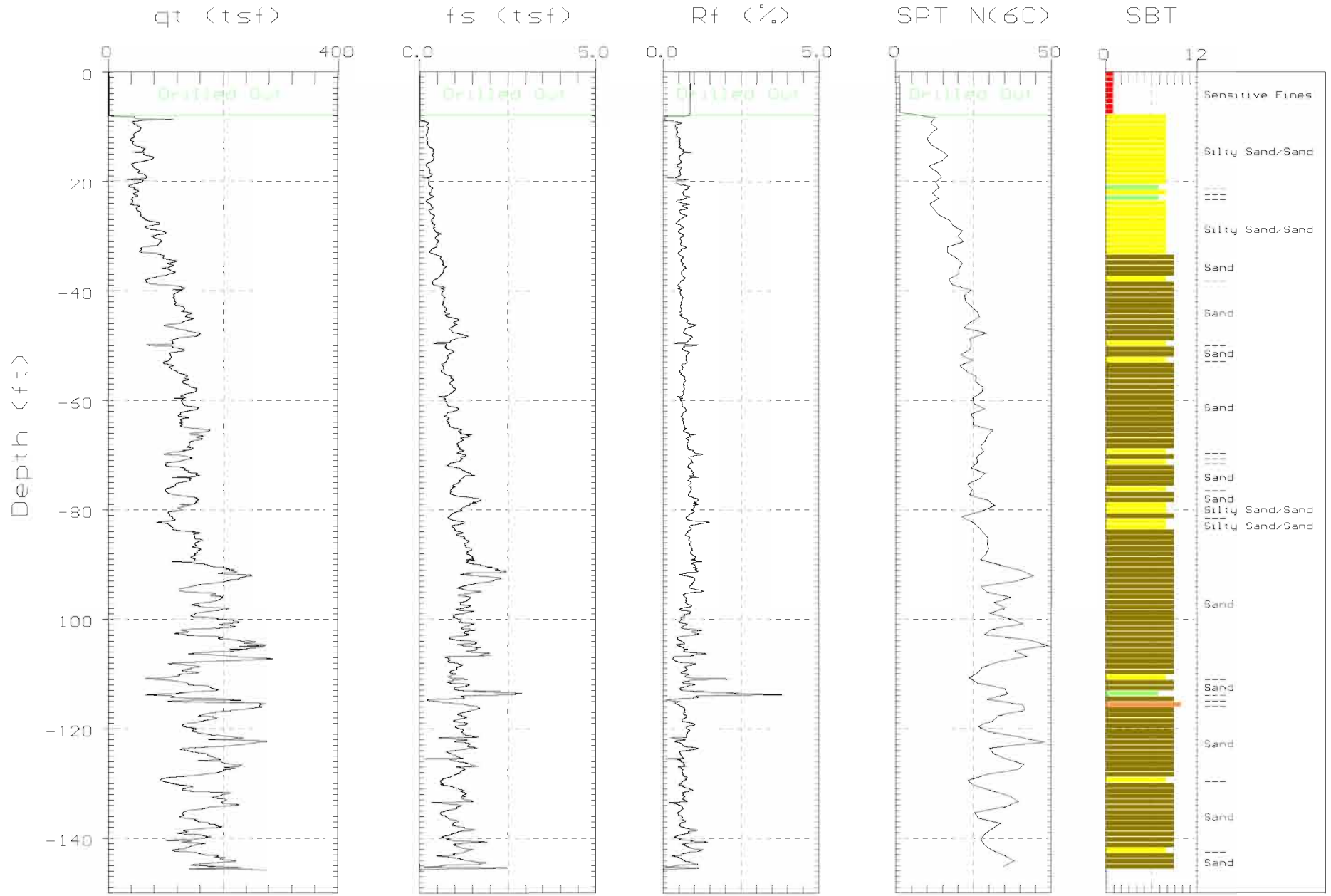




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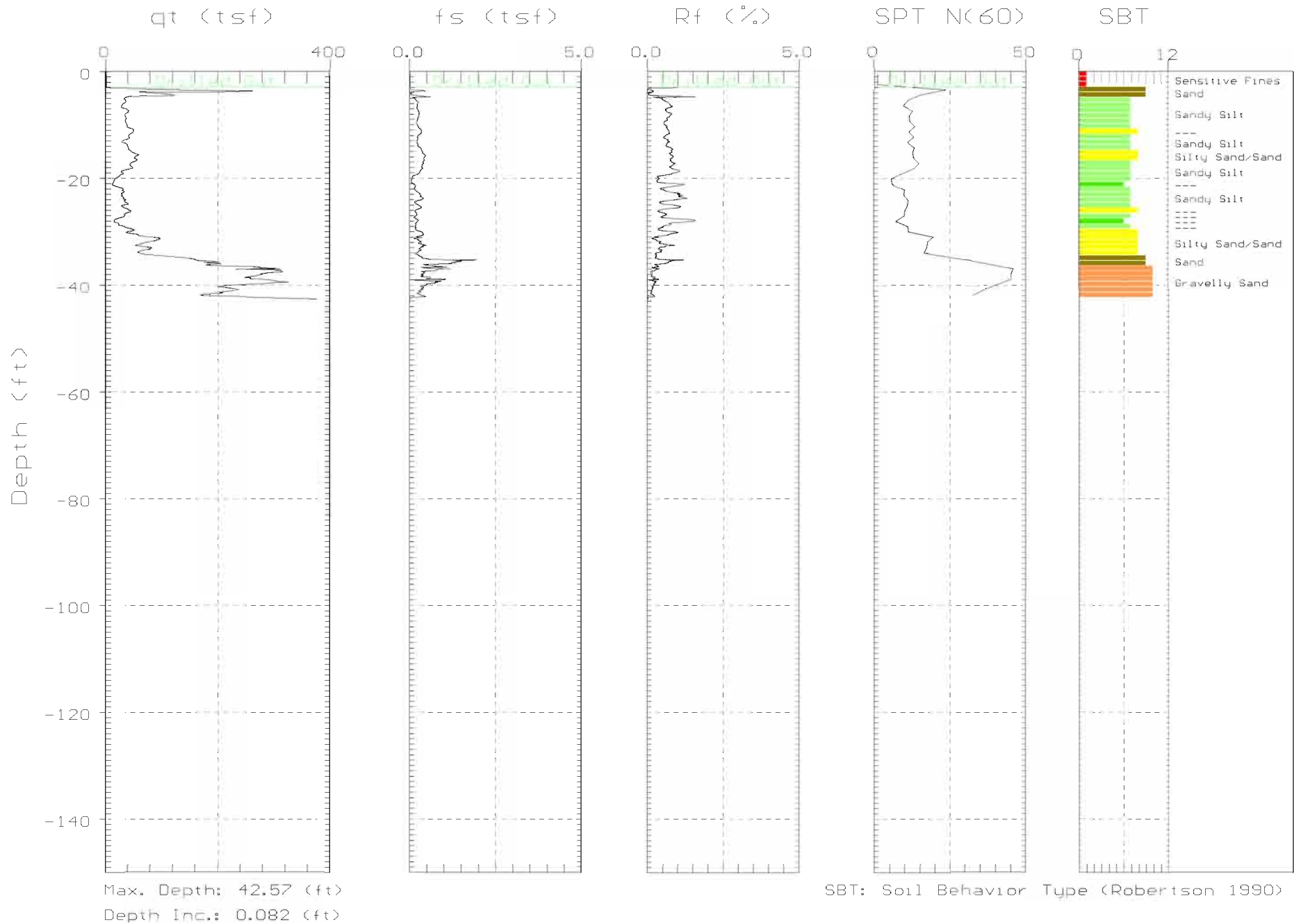
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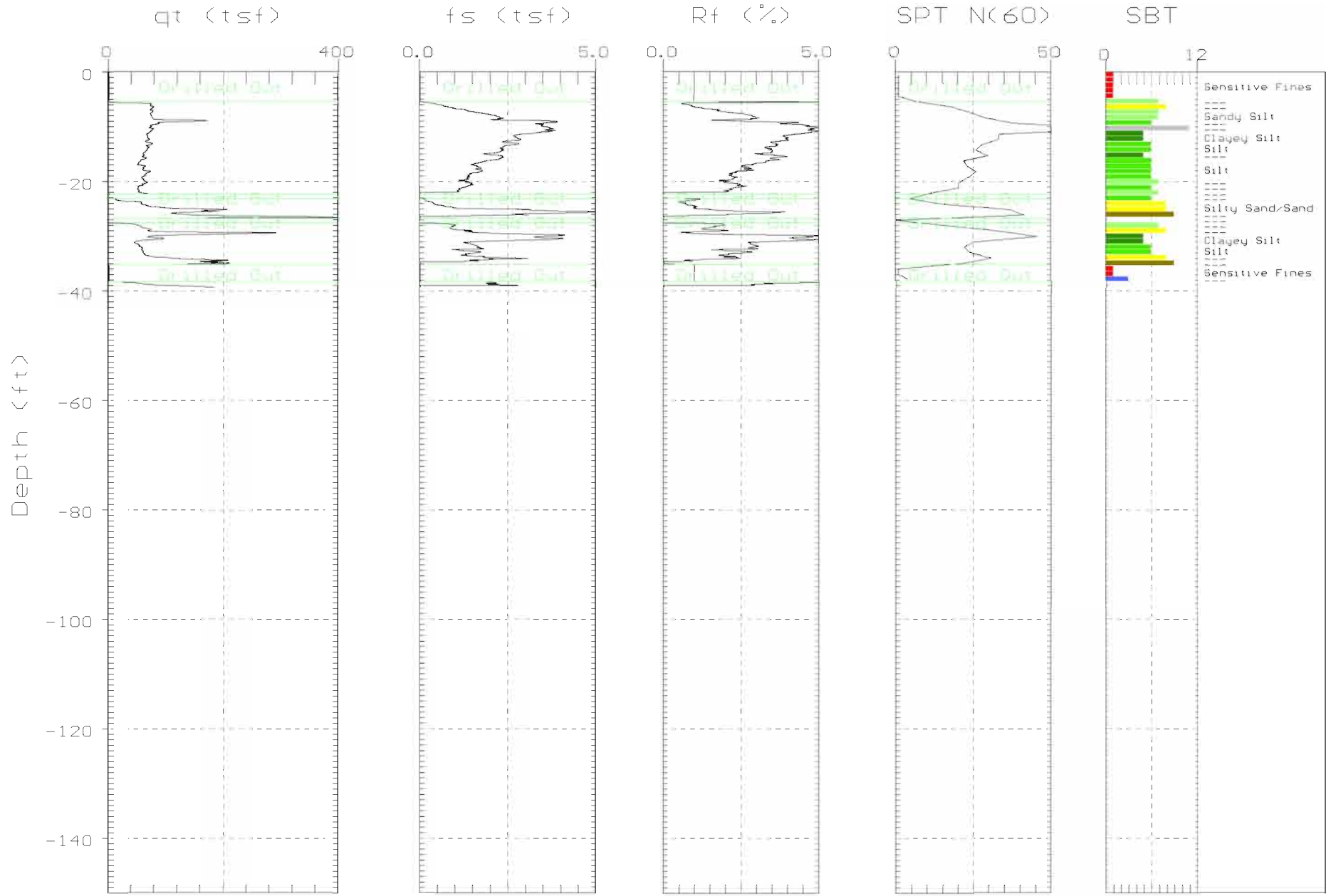




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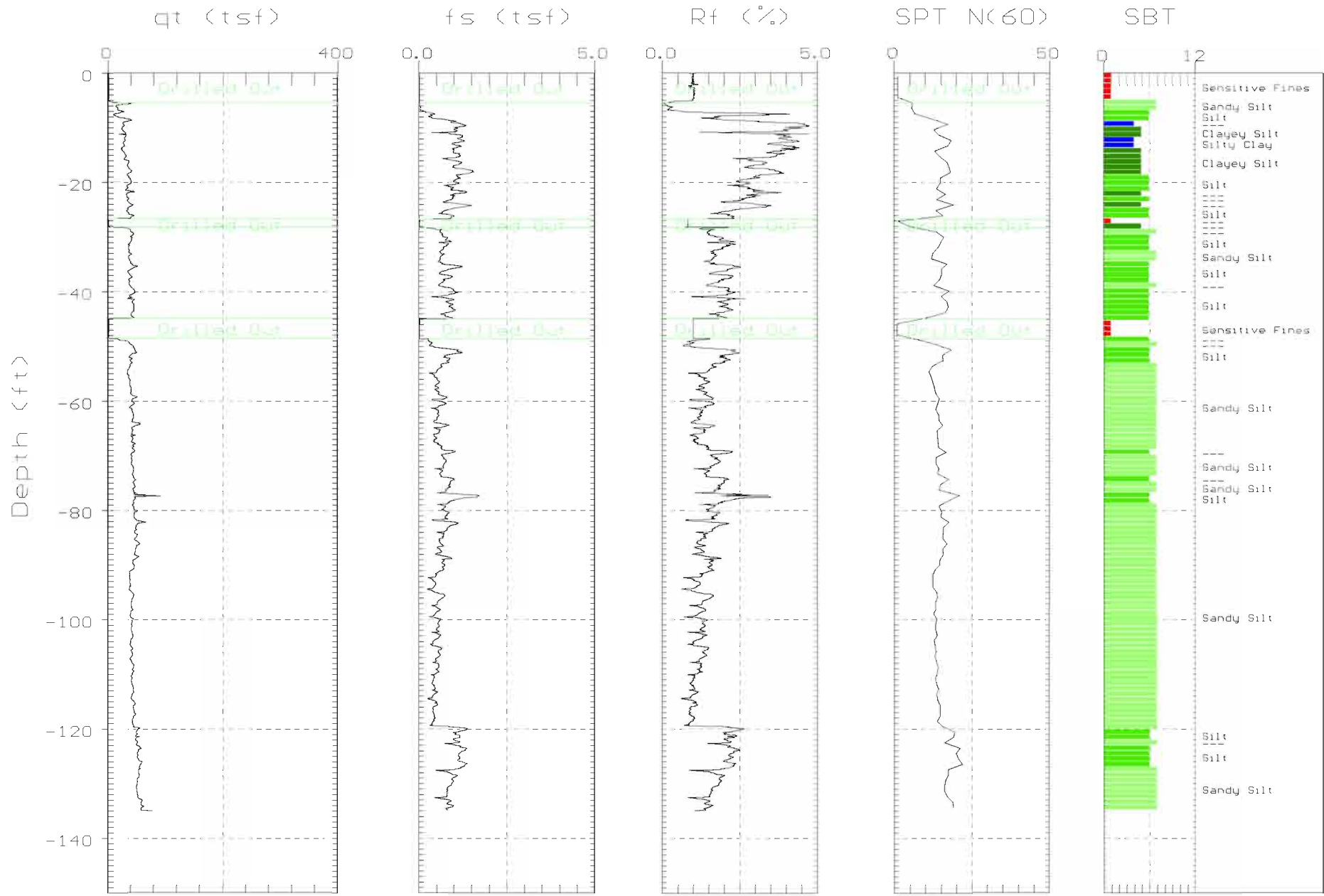
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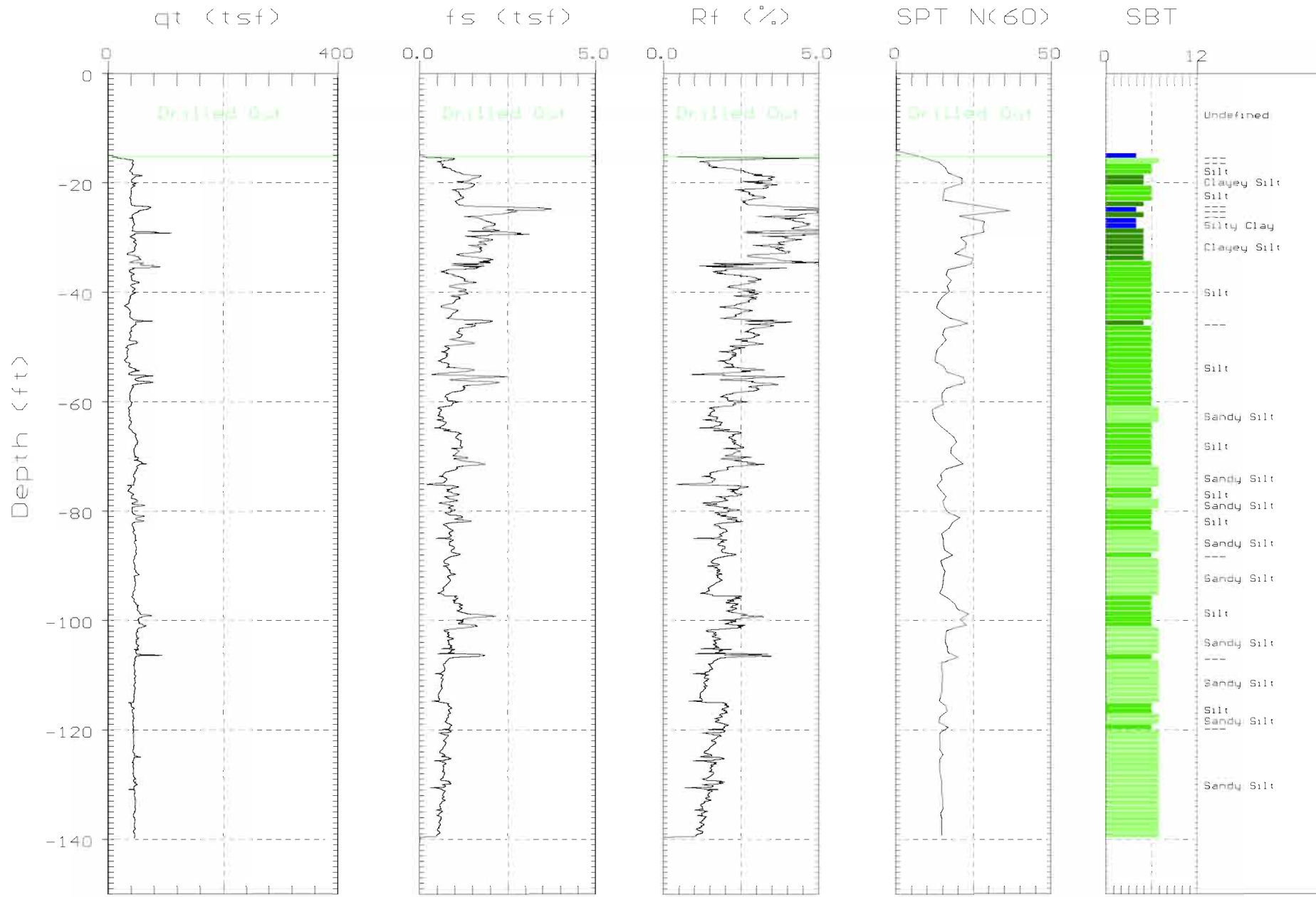
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**Pore Pressure Dissipation Tests**





## Pore Pressure Dissipation Tests (PPDT)

Pore Pressure Dissipation Tests (PPDT's) conducted at various intervals measured hydrostatic water pressures and determined the approximate depth of the ground water table. A PPDT is conducted when the cone is halted at specific intervals determined by the field representative. The variation of the penetration pore pressure ( $u$ ) with time is measured behind the tip of the cone and recorded by a computer system.

Pore pressure dissipation data can be interpreted to provide estimates of:

- Equilibrium piezometric pressure
- Phreatic Surface
- In situ horizontal coefficient of consolidation ( $c_h$ )
- In situ horizontal coefficient of permeability ( $k_h$ )

In order to correctly interpret the equilibrium piezometric pressure and/or the phreatic surface, the pore pressure must be monitored until such time as there is no variation in pore pressure with time, *Figure PPDT*. This time is commonly referred to as  $t_{100}$ , the point at which 100% of the excess pore pressure has dissipated.

A complete reference on pore pressure dissipation tests is presented by Robertson et al. 1992.

A summary of the pore pressure dissipation tests is summarized in Table 1.

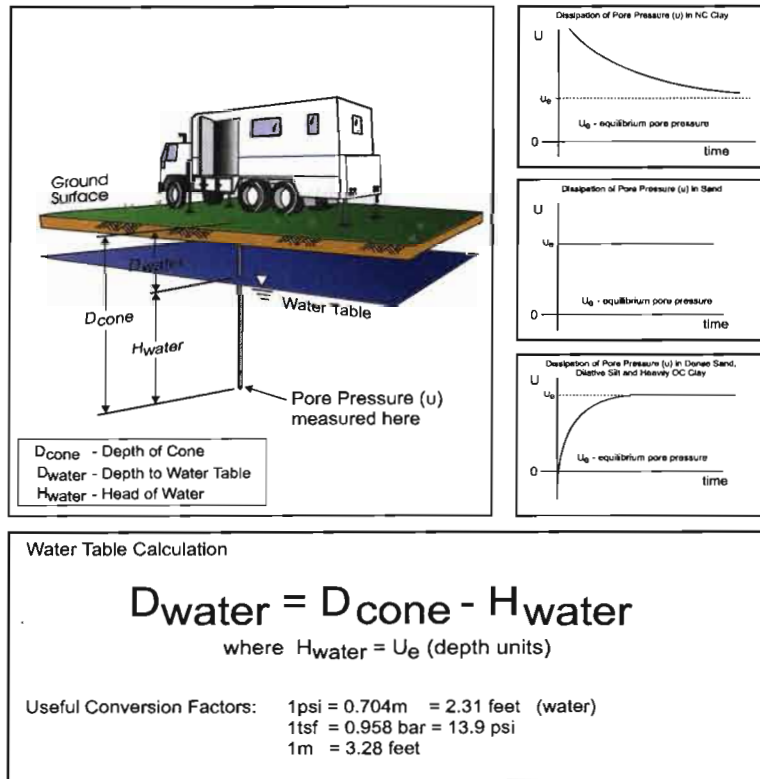


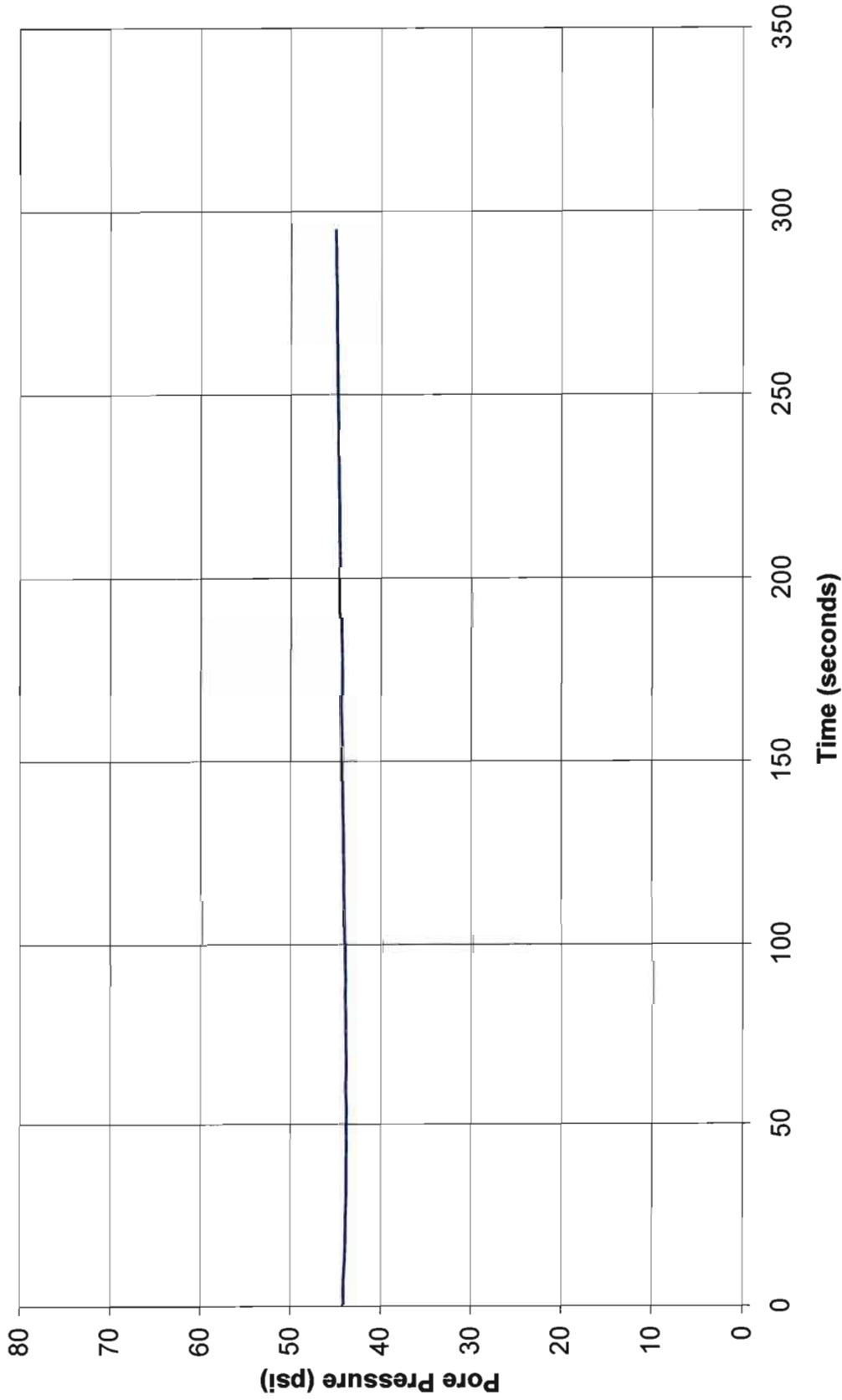
Figure PPDT



# GREGG DRILLING & TESTING

## Pore Pressure Dissipation Test

Sounding: CPT-11  
Depth: 27.887  
Site: ALASKA  
Engineer: R. COLLINS



## APPENDIX C

### SEISMIC CONE PENETRATION TESTING

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CPT Plot of Shear Wave Velocities and Non-Normalized Parameters  
Log of Standard CPT – Log CPT-18



## Seismic Cone Penetrometer Testing (SCPTu)

Gregg In Situ, Inc. uses a modified CPT cone that contains a built in seismometer to measure compression and shear wave velocities in addition to the standard piezocone parameters ( $q_c$ ,  $f_s$ , and  $u_2$ ). Therefore, four independent readings are compiled with depth in a single sounding. The standard CPT parameters are recorded continuously while the seismic test is usually performed at 5-foot intervals.

When working over water, Gregg generates shear waves by lowering a seismic source into the water near the casing containing the cone. The seismic source can be triggered to release an air-gun therefore creating a compression and shear wave that travels through the water and into the soil where the cone can record the arrival. The air-gun acts as a trigger, initiating the recording of the seismic wave trace.

Geophones in the body of the piezocone recognize the arriving waves propagating through the soil. Any waves received by the geophones on the cone penetrometer are sent back to the operator on deck to be displayed on an oscilloscope. On site software then plots the wave amplitude versus time to calculate wave velocities.

At least two waves are recorded for each test depth so the operator can check consistency of the waveforms. Shear wave data is sampled at a frequency of 20 kHz (20,000 samples per second) and compression wave data is sampled at 50 kHz (50,000 samples per second). To maintain a desired signal resolution, the input sensitivity (gain) is increased with depth.

Offset distances of the seismic source from the cone and the location of the geophone are all taken into account in calculations.

The shear wave velocity ( $V_s$ ) provides information about small-strain stiffness while the penetration data provides information about large-strain strength. From interval shear wave velocity ( $V_s$ ) and the mass density ( $\rho$ ) of a soil layer, the dynamic shear modulus ( $G_o$ ) of the soil can be calculated in a specific depth interval. The dynamic shear modulus ( $G_o$ ) is a key parameter for the analysis of soil behavior in response to dynamic loading from earthquakes, vibrating machine foundations, waves and wind.

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Gregg generates shear waves by striking a seismic beam coupled to the ground surface by a hydraulic cylinder under the CPT rig, *Figure SCPTu*. Compression waves are generated by striking an auger in the ground. The sledgehammer that strikes the beam/auger acts as a trigger, initiating the recording of the seismic wave trace. Before measurements are taken, the rods are decoupled from the CPT rig to prevent energy transmission down the rods.

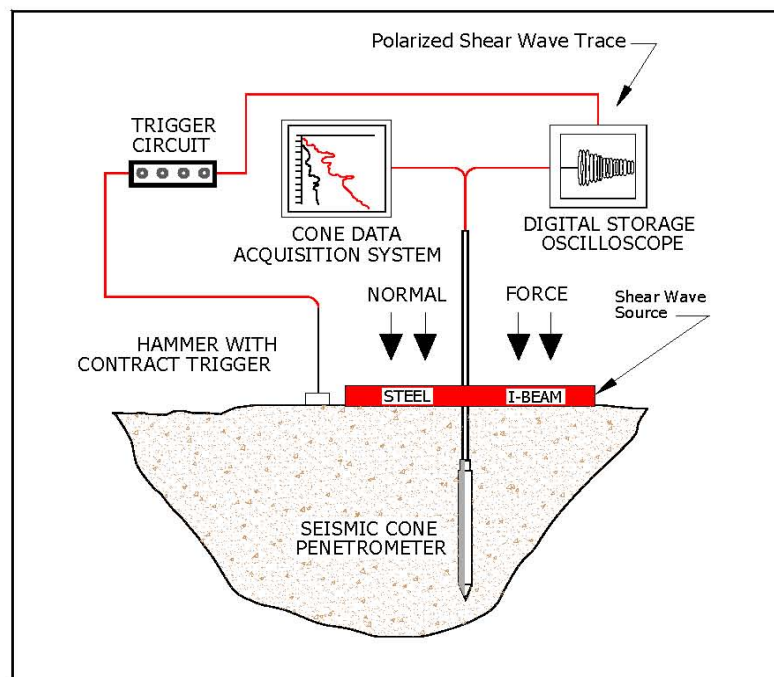
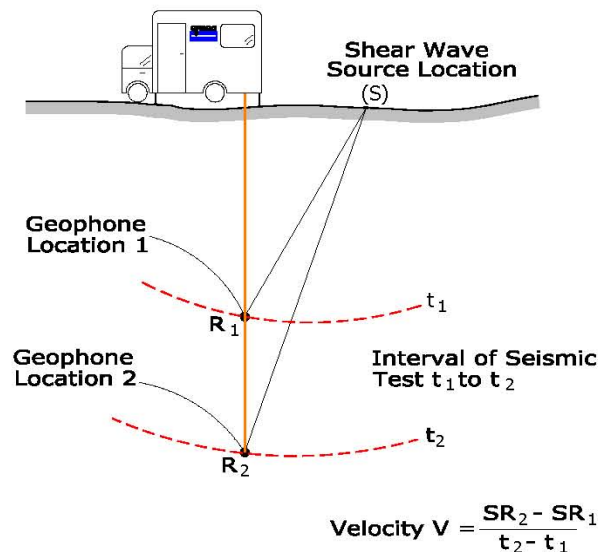


Figure SCPTu

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# Shear Wave Velocity Calculations

KNIK ARM CROSSING  
ALASKA

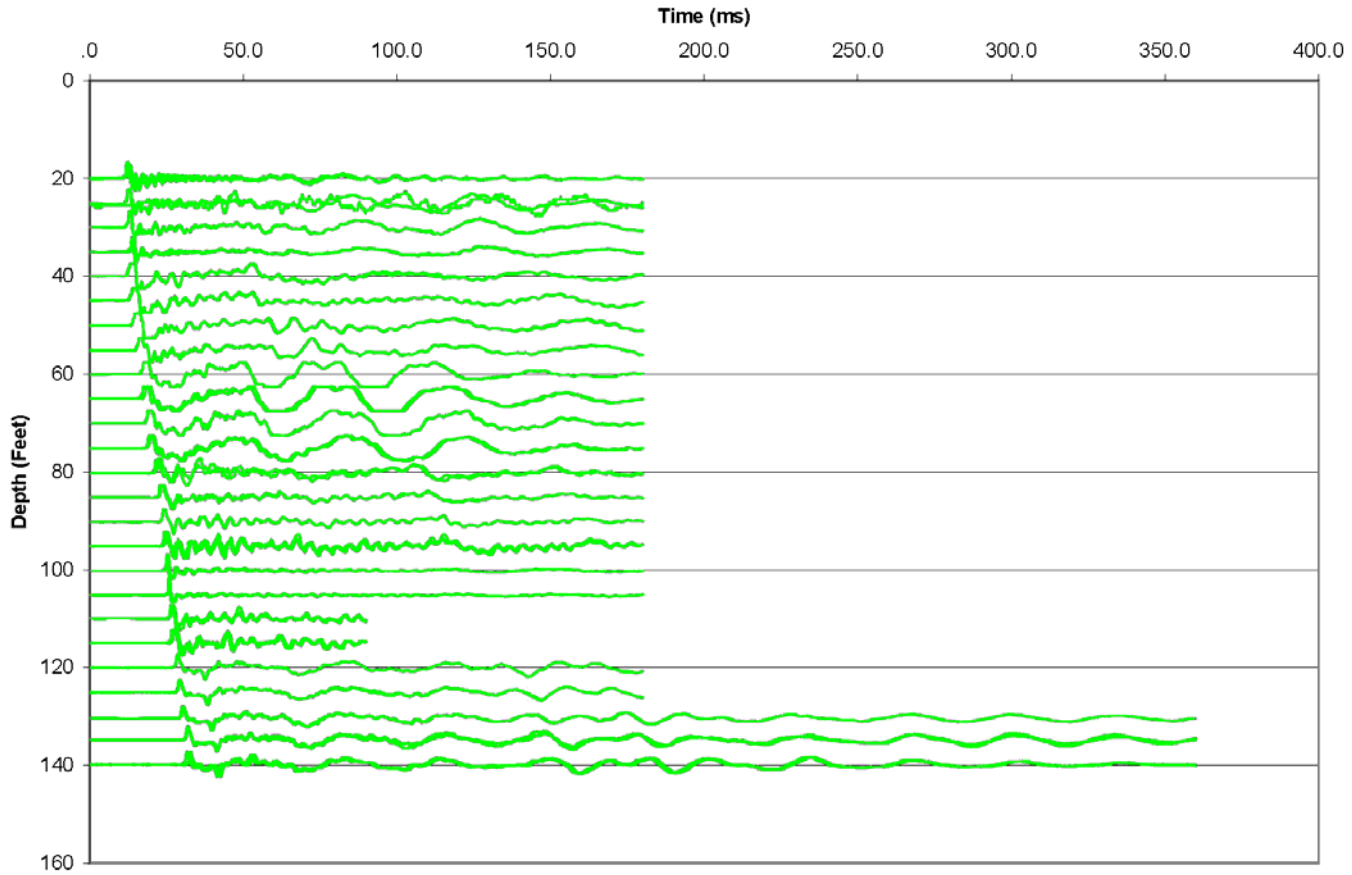
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Source Offset: 30.00 Feet

UNKNOWN  
C18

Test Depth (Feet)	Geophone Depth (Feet)	Waveform Ray Path (Feet)	Incremental Distance (Feet)	Characteristic Arrival Time (ms)	Incremental Time Interval (ms)	Interval Velocity (Ft/Sec)	Interval Depth (Feet)
20.01	19.35	35.70	35.70	36.3500			
25.18	24.52	38.75	3.05	43.8000	7.4500	408.8	21.94
30.02	29.36	41.98	3.23	47.5000	3.7000	873.0	26.94
35.02	34.36	45.62	3.64	51.6500	4.1500	877.1	31.86
40.03	39.37	49.49	3.88	57.7000	6.0500	641.1	36.86
45.03	44.37	53.56	4.07	66.9000	9.2000	441.9	41.87
50.11	49.45	57.84	4.28	75.5500	8.6500	495.1	46.91
55.12	54.46	62.17	4.33	81.5500	6.0000	722.0	51.96
60.04	59.38	66.53	4.35	88.7000	7.1500	608.8	56.92
65.04	64.38	71.03	4.50	94.2500	5.5500	811.1	61.88
70.05	69.39	75.59	4.56	98.8500	4.6000	992.3	66.88
75.21	74.55	80.36	4.77	104.2000	5.3500	891.4	71.97
80.22	79.56	85.02	4.66	111.8000	7.6000	613.4	77.05
85.22	84.56	89.72	4.70	117.5000	5.7000	824.4	82.06
90.22	89.56	94.45	4.73	122.5000	5.0000	946.0	87.06
95.23	94.57	99.21	4.76	126.8000	4.3000	1106.3	92.06
100.23	99.57	103.99	4.78	131.4500	4.6500	1028.0	97.07
105.23	104.57	108.79	4.80	135.3500	3.9000	1230.8	102.07
110.01	109.35	113.39	4.60				106.96
115.01	114.35	118.22	4.83				111.85
120.08	119.42	123.13	4.91	143.0000			116.88
125.09	124.43	128.00	4.87	146.6000	3.6000	1352.2	121.92
130.41	129.75	133.18	5.18	150.4500	3.8500	1345.2	127.09
134.86	134.20	137.51	4.34	154.9500	4.5000	964.0	131.98
139.86	139.20	142.40	4.88	159.5500	4.6000	1061.7	136.70



Waveforms for sounding C18



Knik Arm Crossing  
Knik Arm, Alaska

Waveforms for Sounding C18

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Figure C-1

CPT Plots of Shear Wave Velocities  
and Non-normalized Parameters

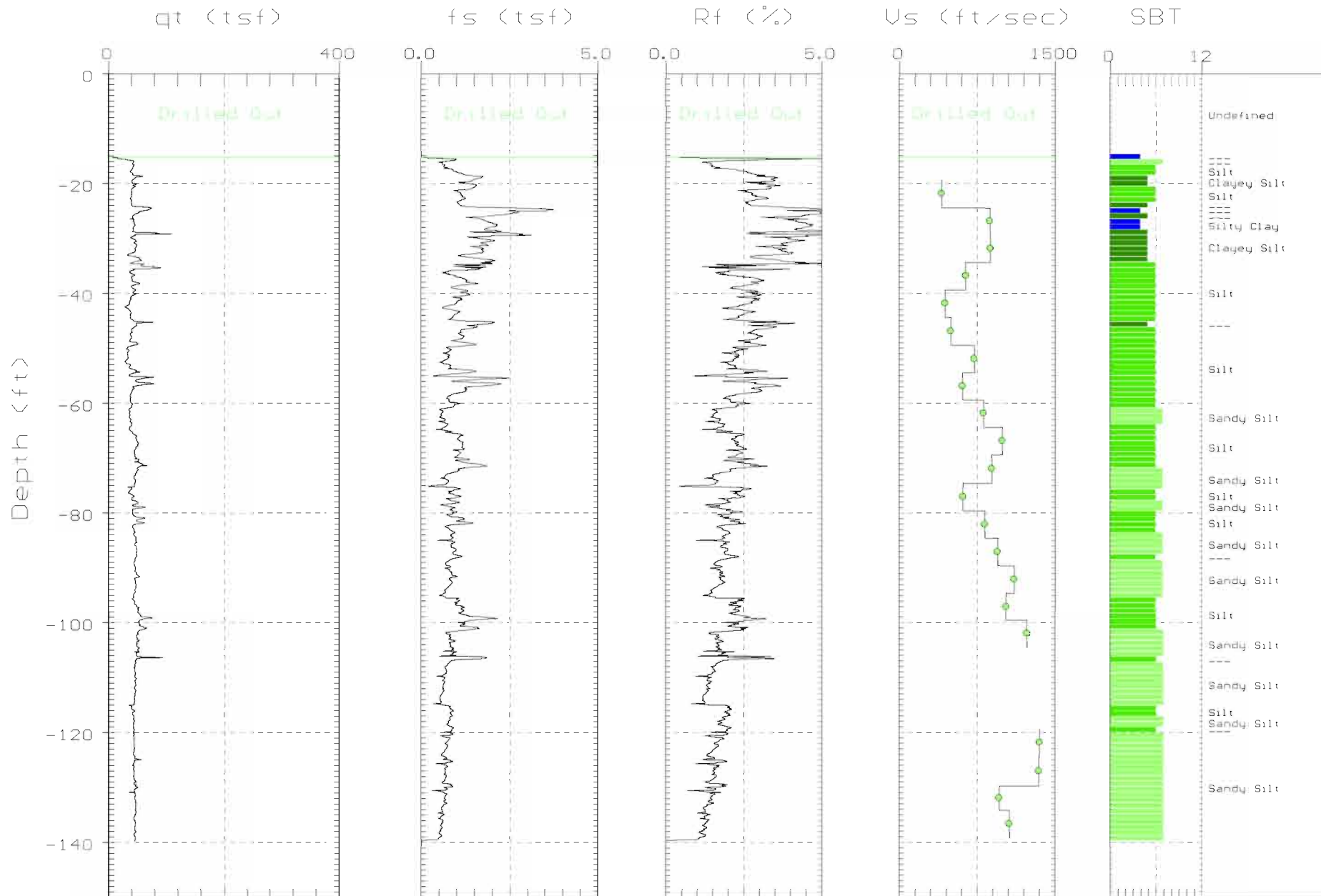




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Engineer: R. COLLINS  
Date: 09/18/06 20:21



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**APPENDIX D**

**PRESSUREMETER TEST RESULTS**

*Report prepared by Gregg In Situ, Inc.*



GREGG DRILLING AND TESTING, INC.  
 GREGG IN SITU, INC.  
 ENVIRONMENTAL AND GEOTECHNICAL INVESTIGATION SERVICES

October 31, 2006

Shannon & Wilson  
 Attn: Mr. Stafford Glashan  
 5430 Fairbanks Street, Suite 3  
 Anchorage, AK 99518

Subject: Pressuremeter Test Results (Revised)  
 Knik Arm Bridge  
 Anchorage, Alaska

Dear Mr. Glashan:

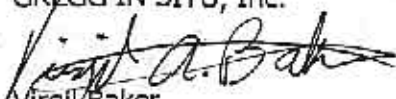
The following report presents the results of GREGG IN SITU's Pressuremeter Testing Program for the above referenced site. The following testing services were performed:

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2	Pore Pressure Dissipation Tests	(PPD)	<input type="checkbox"/>
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A summary of the pressuremeter testing results is presented in Table 1. Conditions such as borehole instability or broken pressuremeter sheaths which resulted in uncertain data quality have been denoted, where appropriate, in this data report.

A list of reference papers providing additional background on the specific tests conducted is provided in the bibliography following the text of the report. If you would like a copy of any of these publications or should you have any questions or comments regarding the contents of this report, please do not hesitate to contact our office at (925) 313-5800.

Sincerely,  
 GREGG IN SITU, Inc.

  
 Virgil Baker  
 Geotechnical Manager



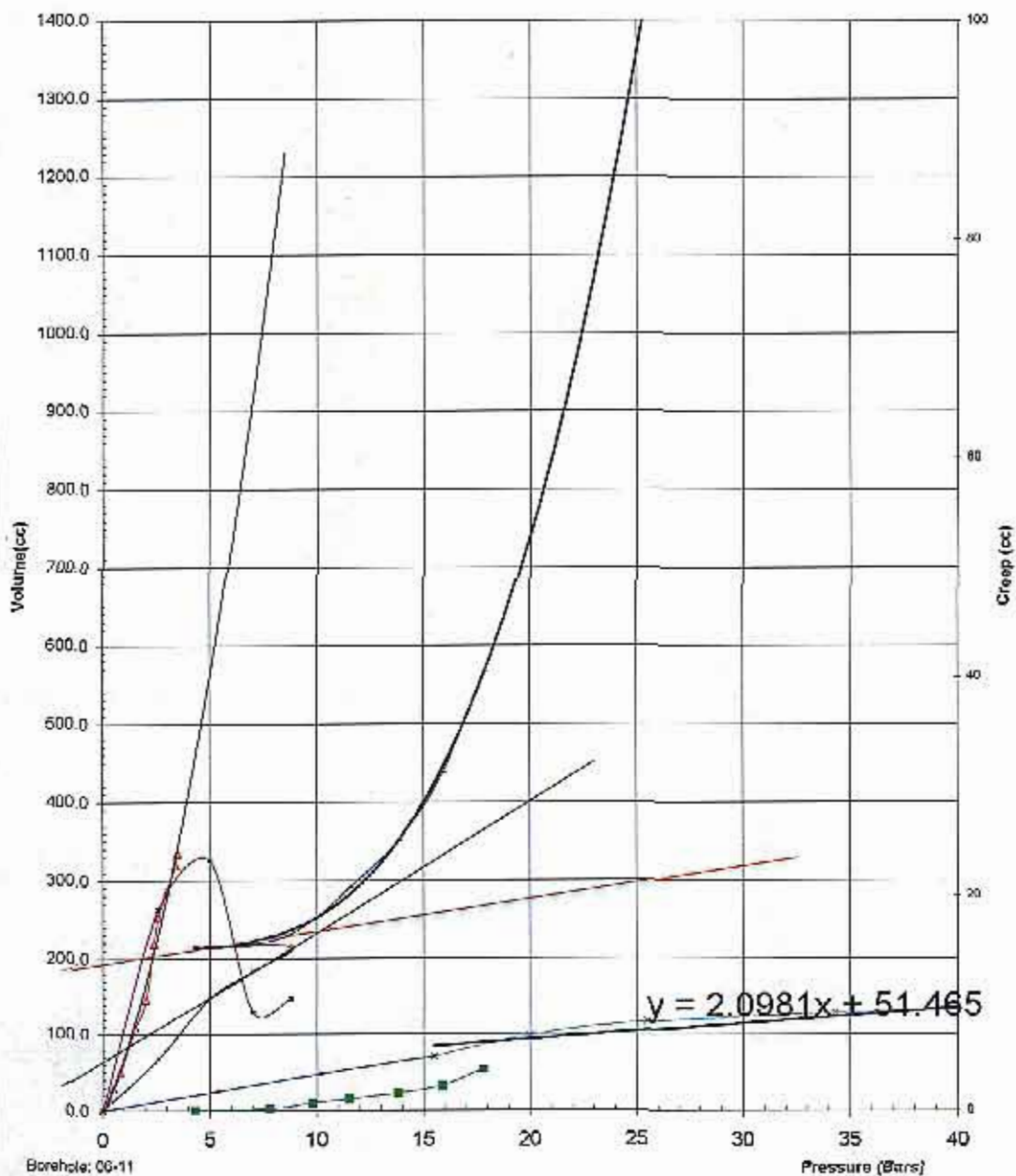


Pressuremeter Testing Summary

-Table 1-

Boring Number/ Test #	Probe Depth Below Mud Line (Feet)	Date	Initial Menard Pressurimeter Modulus (Bars)	Menard Pressurimeter Reload Modulus (Bars)	Limit Pressure (Bars)	Comments
06-11/1	36	9/17/06	150	583	25	Some squeezing of borehole occurred. Probe had to be pushed into place.
06-11/2	63	9/17/06	----	----	----	Borehole wall eroded. Gage of borehole too large to complete test. Loose Sand?
06-11/3	75	9/17/06	----	----	----	Loose sand. Borehole caved-in at test depth. Could not insert probe.
06-18/1	19	9/19/06	103	153	10.6	
06-18/2	32	9/19/06	132	379	13.0	
06-18/3	45	9/20/06	81	242	12.4	
06-18/4	59	9/20/06	41	179	13.0	Squeezing borehole. Probe pushed into place.
06-18/5	69	9/20/06	86	192	13.5	Squeezing borehole. Probe pushed into place.
06-18/6	79	9/20/06	----	----	----	Disturbed borehole wall.- Bad test.
06-18/7	89	9/20/06	350*	75*	14.1	Squeezing borehole. Probe pushed into place. * Unload reload loop appears to have been performed before elastic deformation was reached.
06-18/8	99	9/20/06	86	68	17.5	Squeezing borehole. Probe pushed into place. Some borehole disturbance observed.

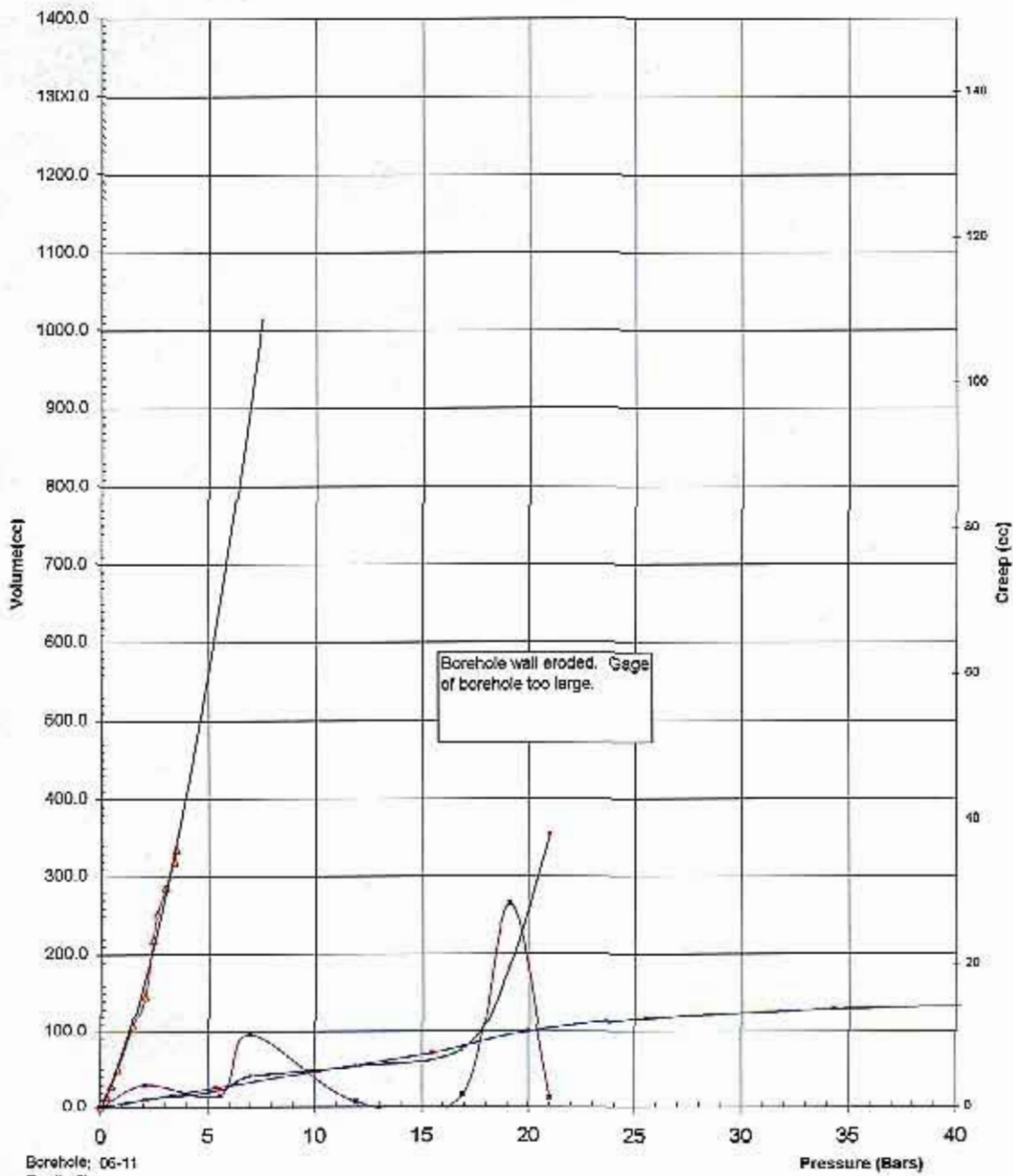
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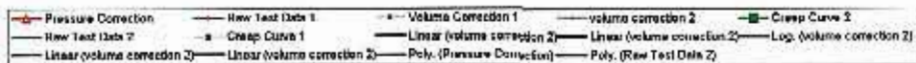
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 Depth: 36'  
 Knik Arm Crossing

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| Volume Correction 2 | Creep Curve 1   | Poly. (Pressure Correction) | Poly. (Raw Test Data 2) | Linear (Volume Correction 2) |

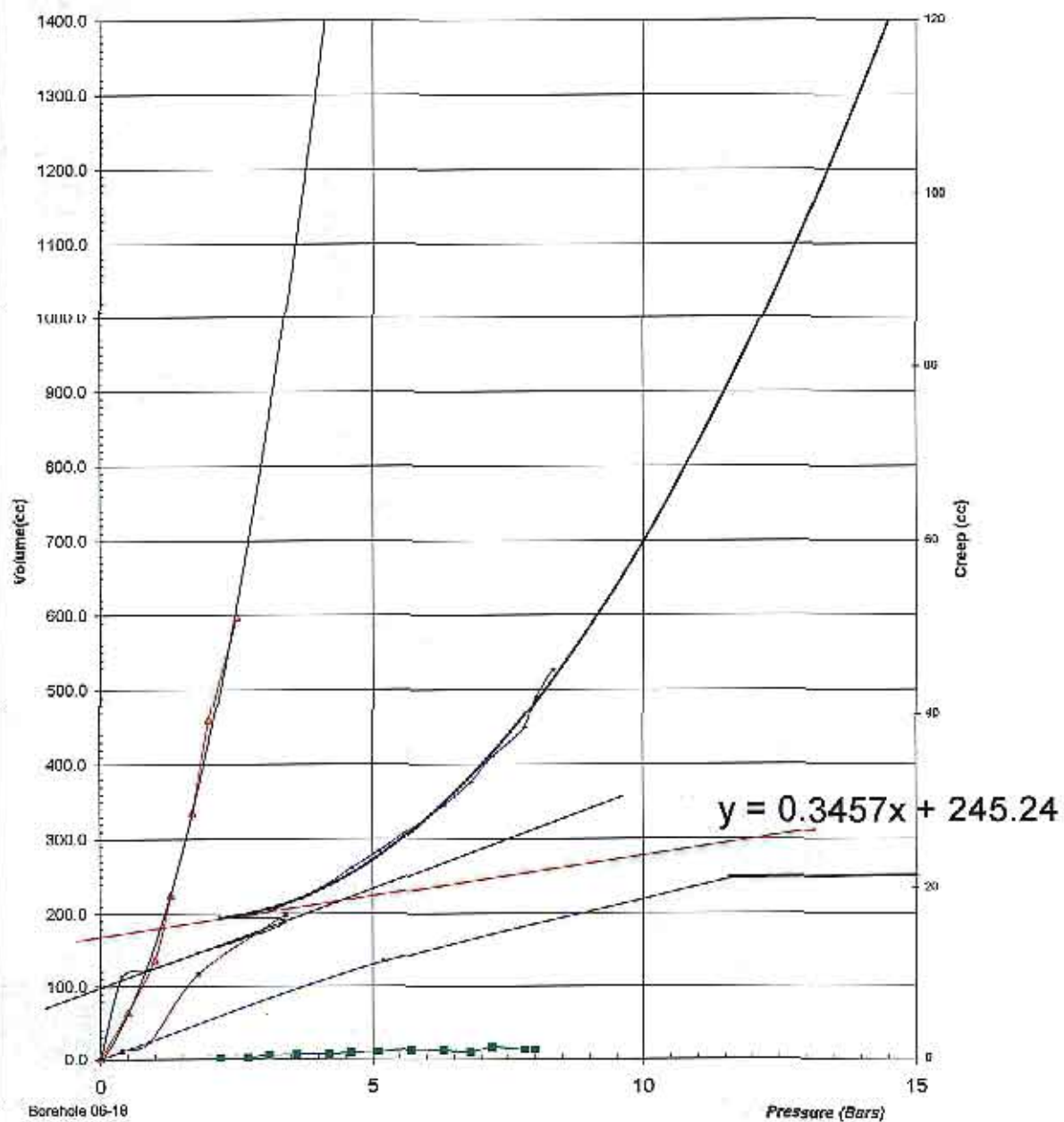
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Borehole: 06-11  
 Depth: 83'  
 Knik Arm Crossing



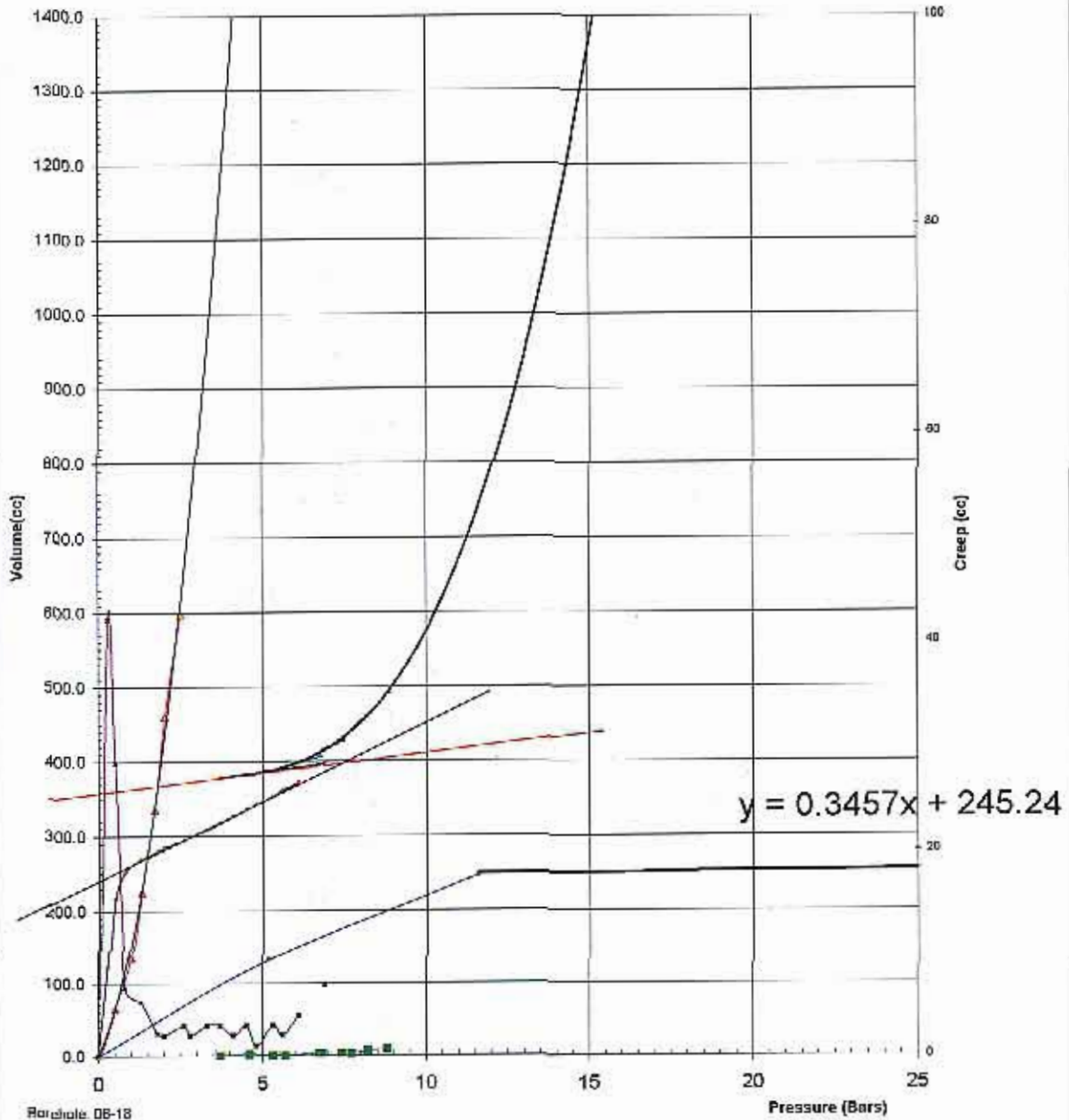
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Borehole 06-18  
 Depth: 19' BML  
 Knik Arm Crossing

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| Pressure Correction          | Raw Test Data 1              | Volume Correction 1          | Volume Correction 2          | Creep Curve 2             |
| Raw Test Data 2              | Creep Curve 1                | Linear (Volume Correction 2) | Linear (Volume Correction 2) | Log (Volume Correction 2) |
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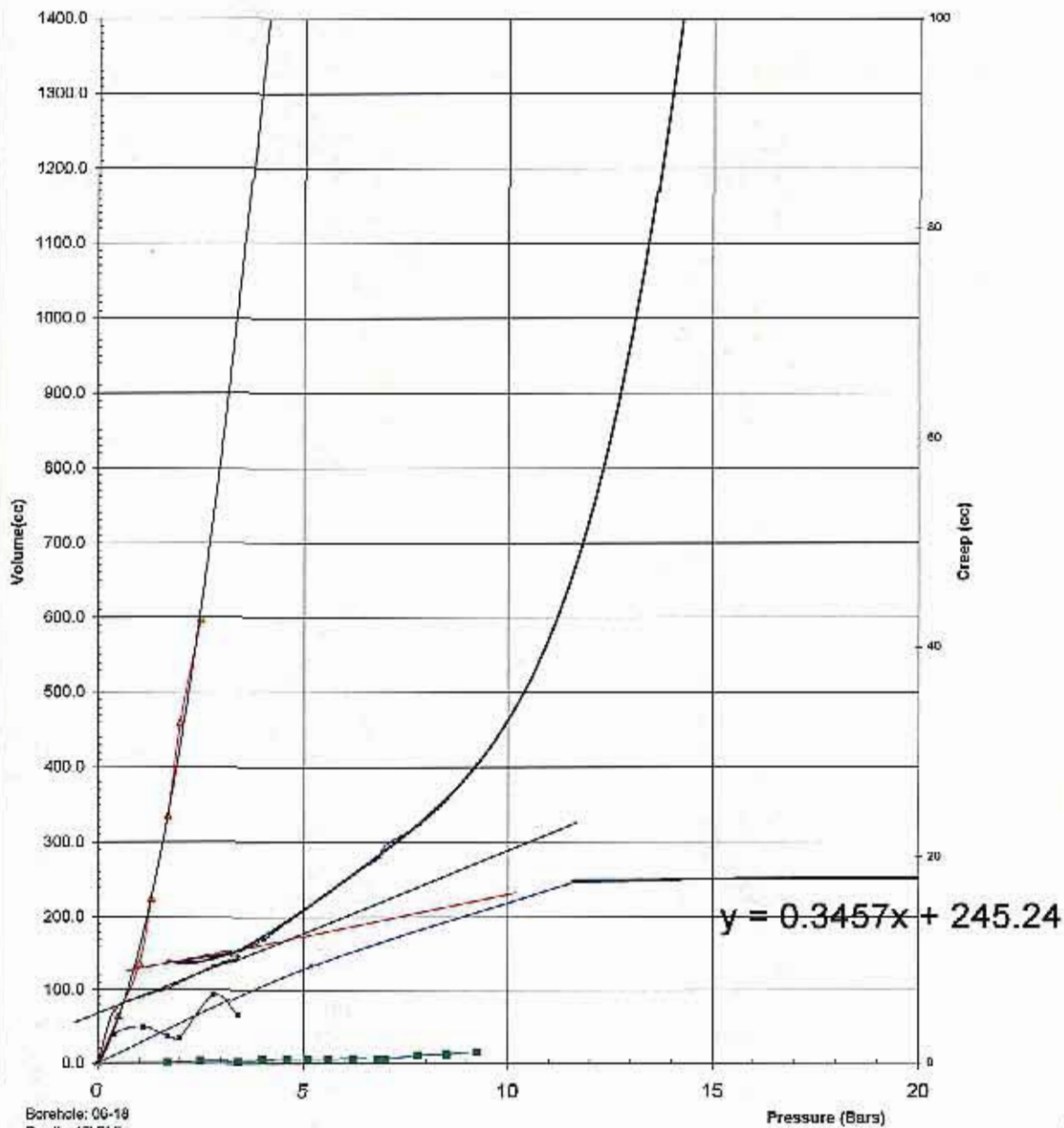
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Borehole: DB-18  
 Depth: 32' BML  
 Knik Arm Crossing

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| ○ Pressure Correction          | — Raw Test Data 1              | — Volume Correction 1          | — volume correction 2          | ■ Creep Curve 2              |
| ○ Raw Test Data 2              | ○ Creep Curve 1                | — Linear (volume correction 2) | — Linear (volume correction 2) | — Log. (volume correction 2) |
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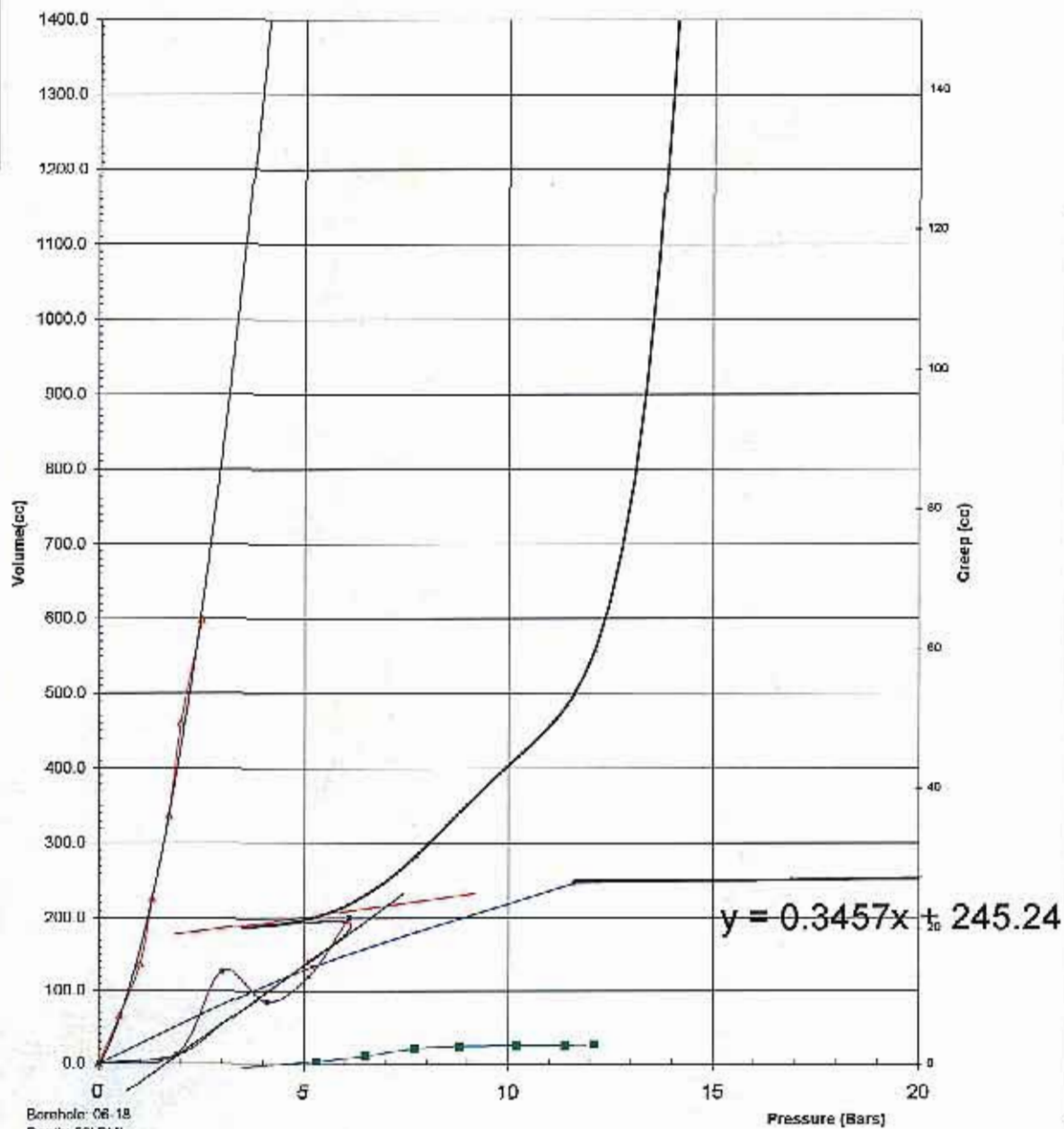
### Pressuremeter Plot



Borehole: 00-18  
 Depth: 46' BML  
 Knik Arm Crossing

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| Pressure Correction          | Raw Test Data 1              | Volume Correction 1              | Volume Correction 2          | Creep Curve 2             |
| Raw Test Data 2              | Creep Curve 1                | Linear (Volume Correction 2)     | Linear (Volume Correction 2) | Log (Volume Correction 2) |
| Linear (Volume Correction 2) | Linear (Volume Correction 2) | Polynomial (Pressure Correction) | Polynomial (Raw Test Data 2) |                           |

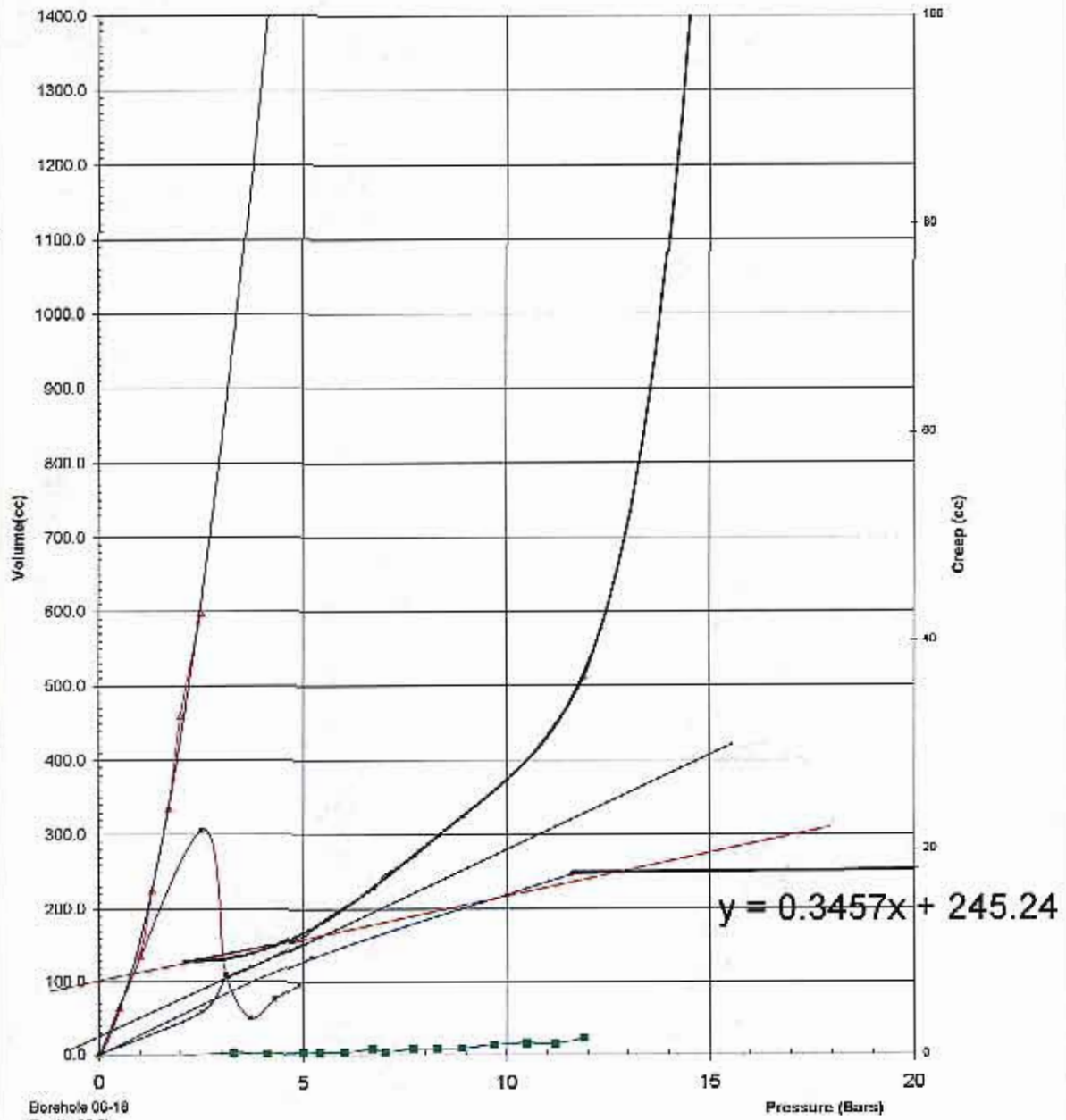
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Borehole: 08-18  
 Depth: 59' BML  
 Knik Arm Crossing

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| ▲ Pressure Correction          | — Raw Test Data 1              | — Volume Correction 1          | — Volume Correction 2          | ■ Creep Curve 2             |
| — Raw Test Data 2              | ○ Creep Curve 1                | — Linear (Volume Correction 2) | — Linear (Volume Correction 2) | — Log (Volume Correction 2) |
| — Linear (Volume Correction 2) | — Linear (Volume Correction 2) | — Poly. (Pressure Correction)  | — Poly. (Raw Test Data 2)      |                             |

### Pressuremeter Plot

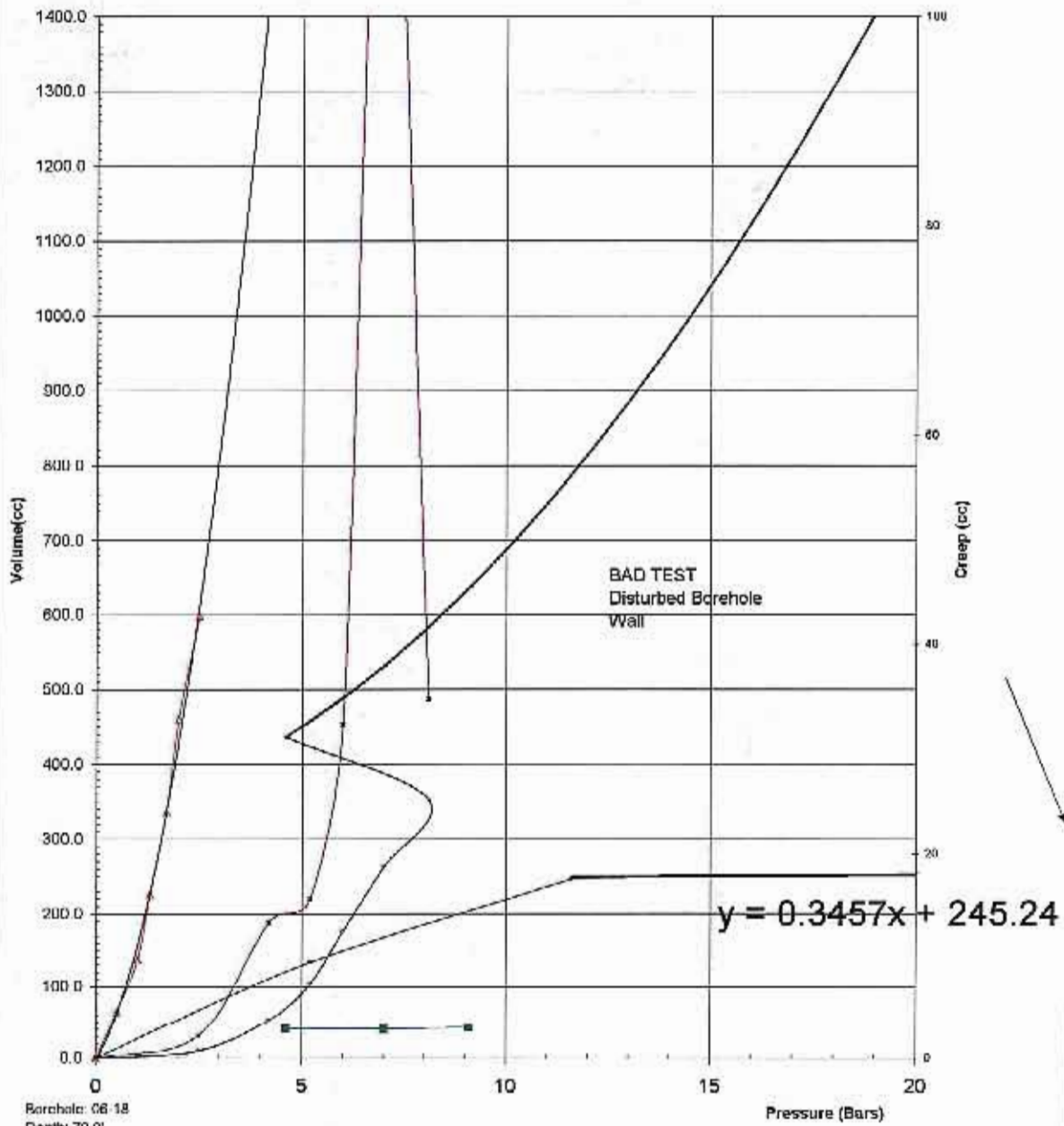


Borehole 00-10  
 Depth: 89.0'  
 Krik Arm Crossing

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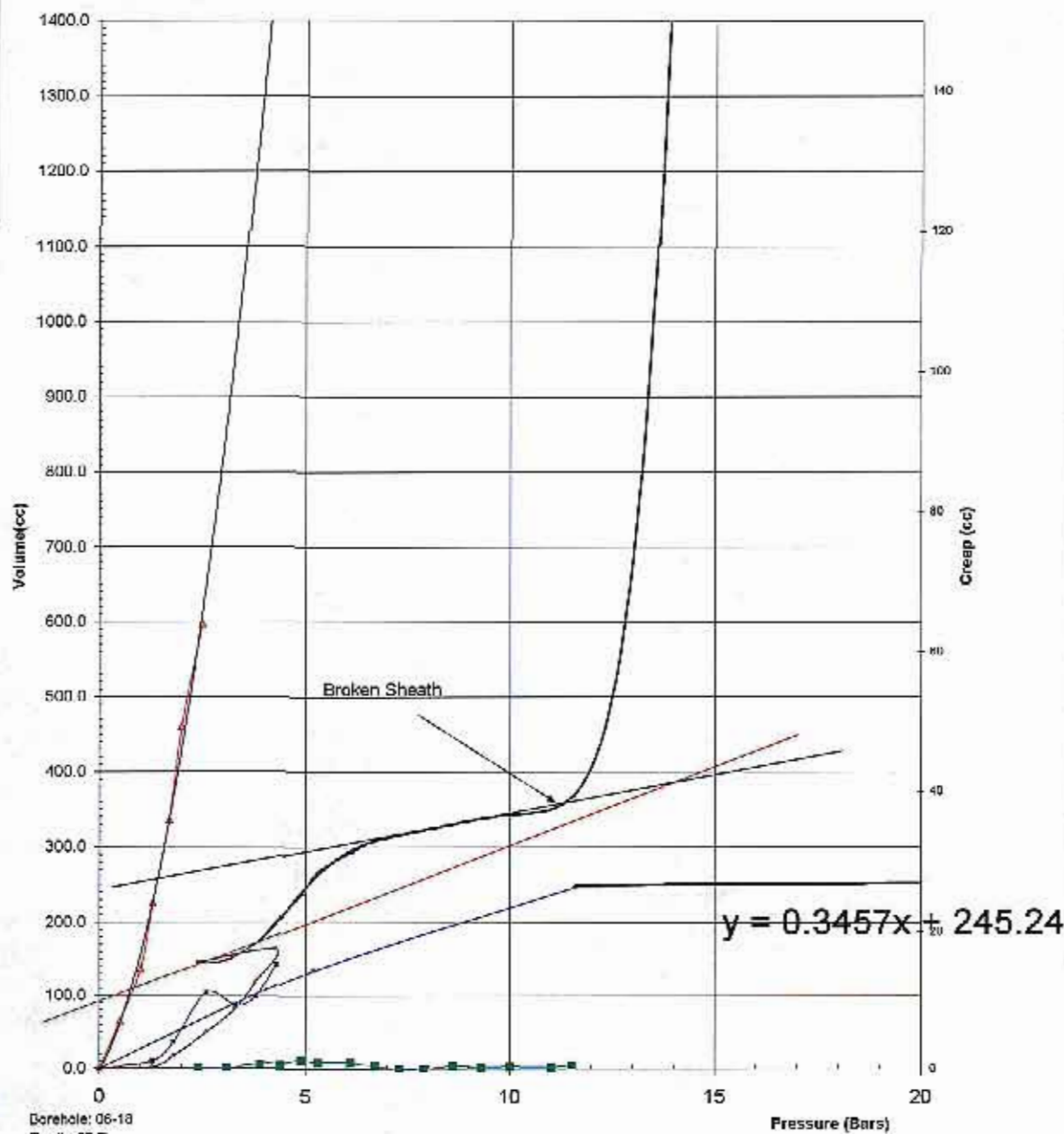
### Pressuremeter Plot



Borehole: 06-18  
 Depth: 79.0'  
 Knick Arm Crossing

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| Pressure Correction          | Raw Test Data 1              | Volume Correction 1          | Volume correction 2          | Creep Curve 2              |
| Raw Test Data 2              | Creep Curve 1                | Linear (volume correction 2) | Linear (volume correction 2) | Log. (volume correction 2) |
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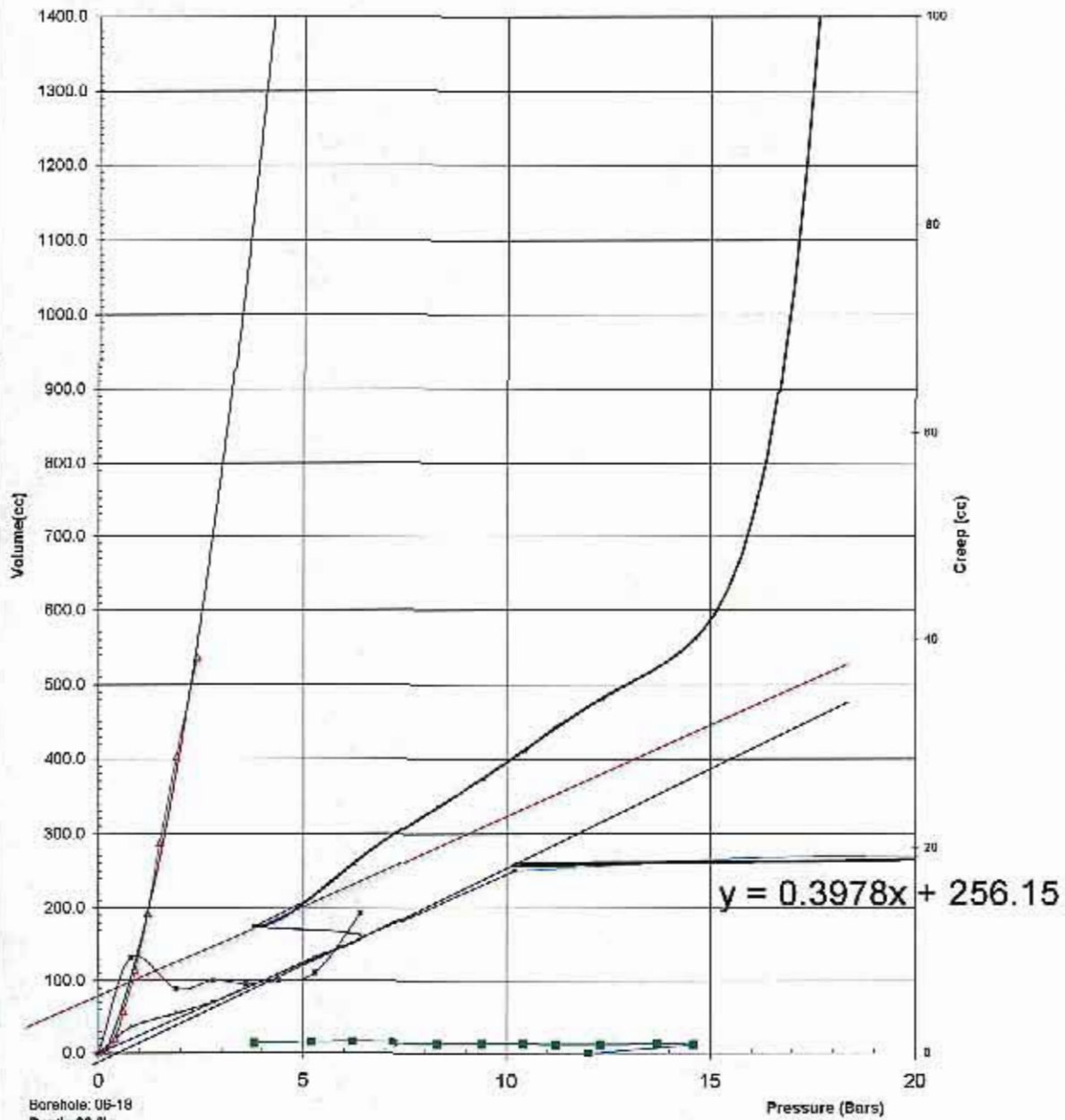
### Pressuremeter Plot



Dorehole: 06-13  
 Depth: 88.0'  
 Knik Arm Crossing

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| Pressure Correction          | Raw Test Data 1              | Volume Correction 1          | Volume Correction 2          | Creep Curve 2             |
| Raw Test Data 2              | Creep Curve 1                | Linear (volume correction 2) | Linear (volume correction 2) | Log (volume correction 2) |
| Linear (volume correction 2) | Linear (volume correction 2) | Poly (Pressure Correction)   | Poly (Raw Test Data 2)       |                           |

### Pressuremeter Plot



Borehole: US-18  
 Depth: 99.0'  
 Knik Arm Crossing

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|------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Pressure Correction          | Raw Test Data 1              | Volume Correction 1          | Volume Correction 2          | Creep Curve 2             |
| Raw Test Data 2              | Creep Curve 1                | Linear (volume correction 2) | Linear (volume correction 2) | Log (volume correction 2) |
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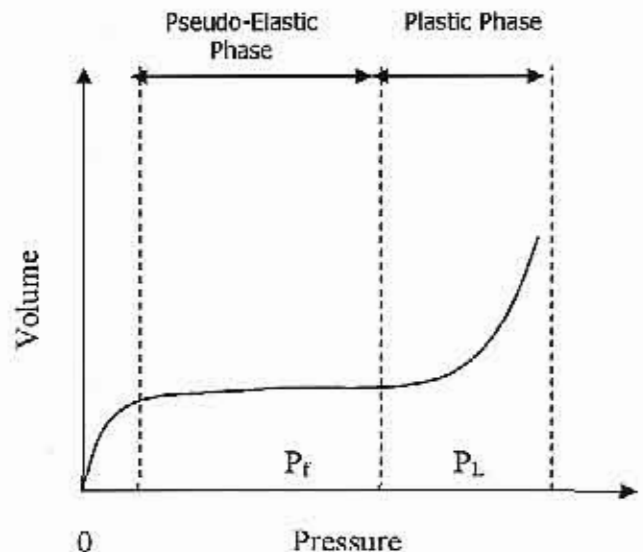
## Pressuremeter

Gregg In Situ, Inc. uses a model G-Type MENARD pressuremeter to measure in situ strength and deformation properties of all types of soil and soft rock as well as ice and permafrost. Well established interpretation methods can be used to determine the following:

- Bearing capacity of shallow and deep foundations
- Settlement of all foundations
- Deformation of all laterally loaded piles and sheet piles
- Resistance of anchors

The pressuremeter consists of a probe, a control unit, and tubing used to connect the probe with the control unit. The probe is a cylindrical metal casing with an inner rubber membrane and outer protective sheath constructed to form three independent cells. When in use the central cell is inflated with water and the guard cells with gas. The control unit houses all regulators, valves, and pressure gages to reduce and control the pressure applied to the probe cells. The control unit also supplies the flow of water to the measuring cell.

The test is accomplished by placing the probe at a test depth in a pre-drilled borehole. The probe can also be driven to a test depth within a slotted casing. Equal increments of pressure are then applied to the probe and held constant. Volume changes are noted at select time intervals after each pressure increment. By plotting the injected volume versus pressure (*figure Volume vs Pressure*), one can obtain an in situ pressure volume curve. The "limit pressure" ( $P_L$ ) is the pressure at which failure occurs and through well established correlations, can be directly related to bearing capacity. The slope of the pressure volume curve is called the Menard modulus and can be used to calculate settlements.



*Figure Volume vs. Pressure Plot*

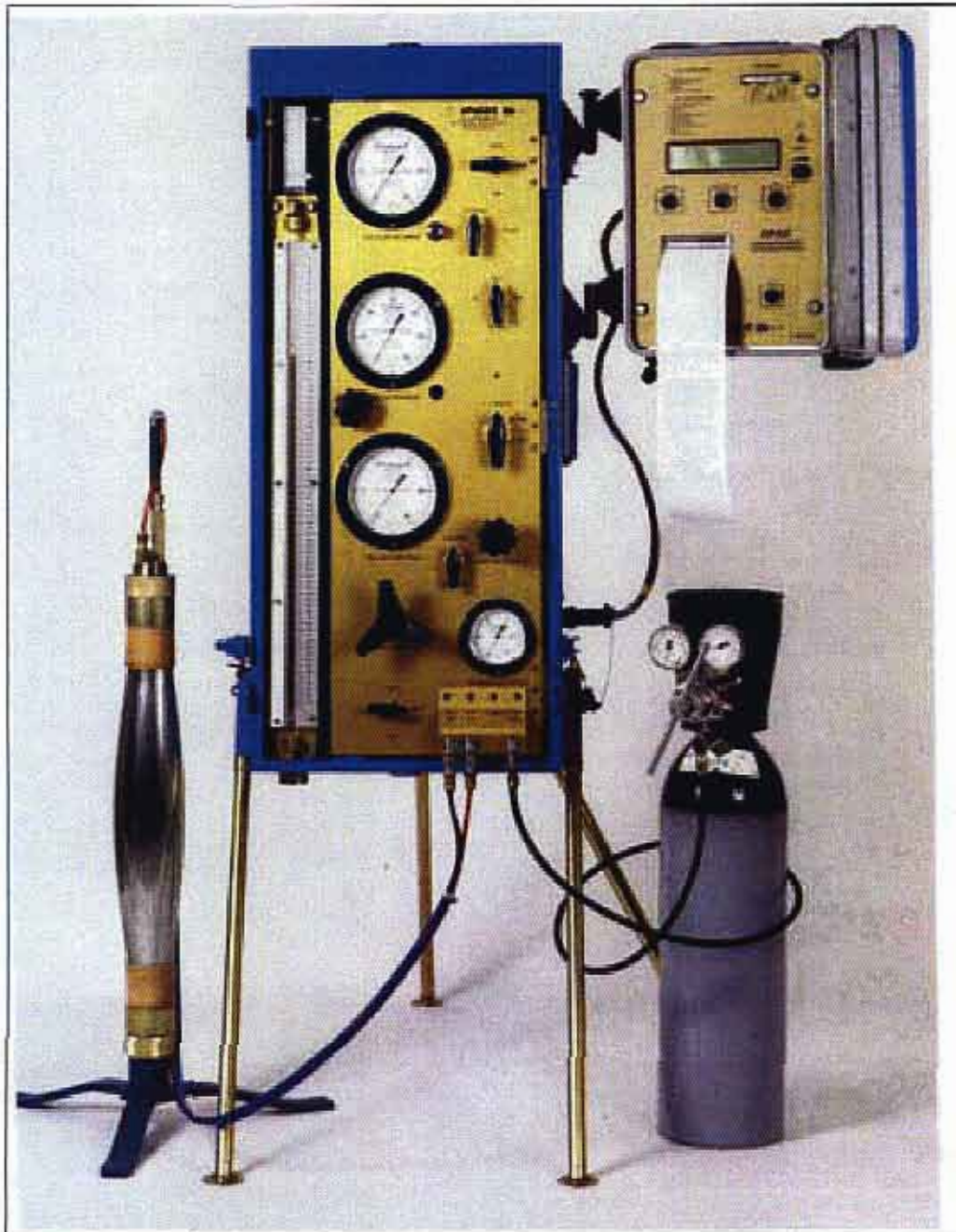


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## MENARD PRESSUREMETER WITH SPAD DATA LOGGER



# MENARD PRESSUREMETER®

Monitoring box, hydraulic probe and lines conform to the  
ASTM Standard Method for Pressuremeter Testing in Soils D-4719-00  
and AFNOR Standard NF P 94-110

## TEST DESCRIPTION

A pressuremeter test is an in-situ stress controlled loading test performed on the wall of a borehole using a cylindrical probe which can expand radially.

From the test readings, a stress-strain curve can be obtained which yields :

- the Menard pressuremeter modulus
  - the creep pressure
  - the Menard limit pressure
- once the volume and pressure calibrations have been performed to allow data reduction.

## EQUIPMENT

The pressuremeter consists of :

- **A MONITORING UNIT**  
With devices to precisely regulate the pressure applied to the probe

and to read its volume changes with pressure increments and time. A gas cylinder provides the pressure source. The box can stand on a tripod which can be knocked down for transport.

It includes :

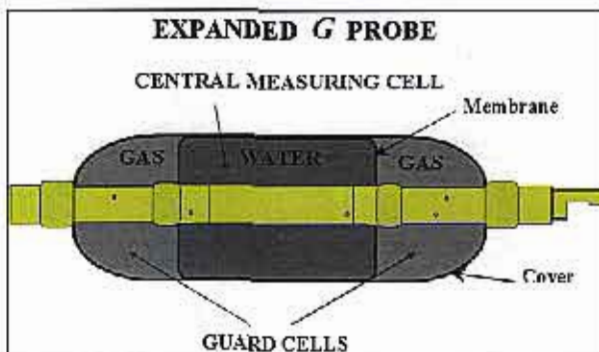
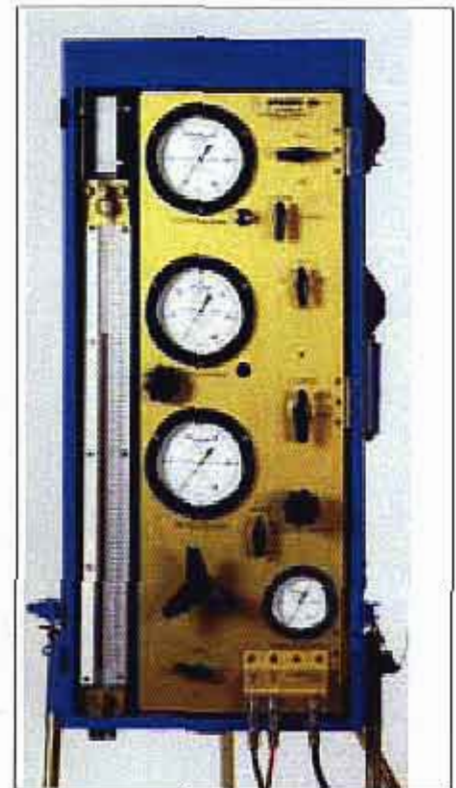
- a 800 cm<sup>3</sup> volumeter with a sight tube and ruler in cm<sup>3</sup>
- a main pressure regulator
- a differential pressure regulator
- 2 pressure gauges 0-2.5 and 0-6 MPa for the measuring cell
- 1 pressure gauge 0-6 MPa for the guard cells
- the necessary valves and couplings

For very soft soils and for weak rock testing, the monitoring box can respectively receive 0-0.06 or 0-10 MPa gauges.

- **THE PLASTIC TUBING**

Coaxial or twin tubing, which connects the probe to the monitoring box. This tubing, flexible and of high resistance, is designed to minimize volume reading corrections.

Menard Pressuremeter  
Monitoring Unit (PVC)



Tricellular Pressuremeter probe

### Main features :

- Monitoring box : 85 x 41 x 22 cm  
Weight : 30 kg
- Probes : 44, 60, 76 mm O.D.  
(AX, BX and NX sizes)
- A slotted tube
- A variety of rubber covers to suit all types of soil

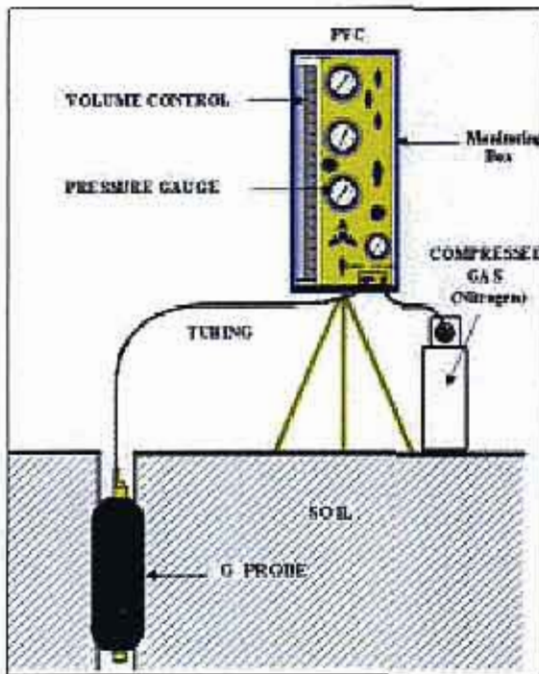
• **THE 3-CELL PROBE**

Which includes a central measuring cell, filled with water. Its volume changes are read on the monitoring box volumeter.

The probe is totally protected by a rubber cover which is inflated by the gas to form the 2 guard cells. Pressure applied to the borehole walls are kept constant along the 3 cells through the differential pressure regulator to ensure a true cylindrical deformation along the measuring cell.



Pressuremeter probe with its components



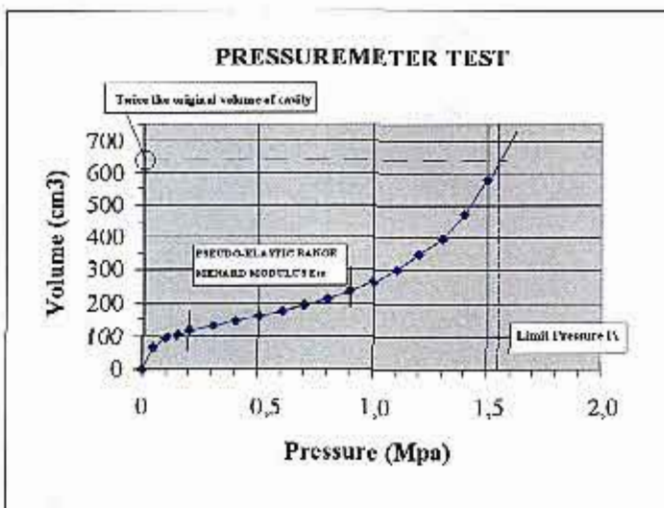
Test Procedure

**TEST PROCEDURE**

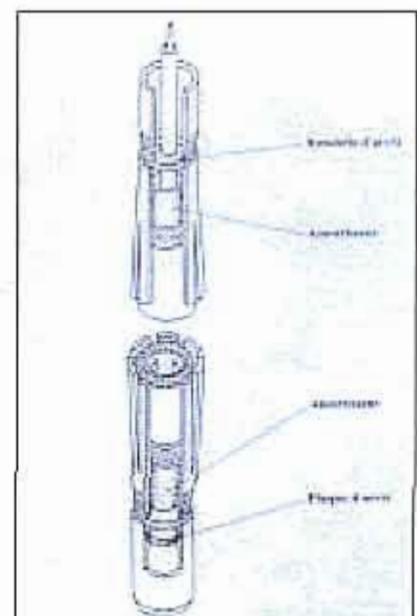
The borehole is drilled so as to minimize wall disturbance and keep a cavity diameter compatible with the probe size. The probe is lowered into the borehole to the required test depth and the pressure is applied by equal increments. Volumeter readings are taken 30 seconds and 1 minute after pressure application on the monitoring box.

In gravelly soils under water table where the borehole would cave-in, the probe can be inserted in a specially designed **slotted tube** which is driven or vibrodriven into the soil to be tested.

Specially fitted probes can also be part of a string of pipes to be forced into soft soils, sometimes simultaneously with a static cone penetration device.



Standard Pressuremeter test curve



Slotted tube



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## APPENDIX E

### DRILL ROD ENERGY TRANSFER RESULTS

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October 19, 2006

Mr. Stafford Glashan  
Shannon Wilson  
5430 Fairbanks St., Suite 3  
Anchorage, Alaska 99518

Re: Standard Penetration Energy Measurements  
Automatic Hammer on Mud Rotary Drill Rig  
Knik Arm Crossing Project  
Anchorage, Alaska

Dear Mr. Glashan

This report offers results of energy measurements and related calculations made on September 23, 2006 during Standard Penetration Testing (SPT) on Gregg Drilling's mud rotary drill rig. Dynamic tests were performed on an instrumented section of NWJ drill rod attached to the sampler rod string. All dynamic measurements were obtained and recorded using a Pile Driving Analyzer®.

Equipment:

SPT energy measurements were made on SPT samplers driven by the hammer/anvil system on the Gregg Drilling drill rig on September 23, 2006. The rig was tested on the Skate III jack-up barge in the Knik Arm Crossing Project area. In total, 10 energy measurements were collected corresponding to 10 different samples at increasing depth.

Gregg used a Model PAK Pile Driving Analyzer (PDA) to acquire and process measurements of force and velocity with every impact of the automatic hammer on the sample rods. Two strain gauges mounted on a two foot section of NWJ rod measured force, while two piezoresistive accelerometers bolted on the same rod measured acceleration. The gauges were mounted approximately 6" from the top of the rod.

Analog signals from the gauges and accelerometers were collected, digitized, displayed in real-time, and stored by the PDA. Selected output from the PDA for each recorded impact of the hammer included:

- Maximum force in the rod (FMX)
- Maximum velocity in the rod (VMX)
- Maximum calculated transferred energy (EMX)
- Blows per minute (BPM)
- Energy transferred to the rods (ETR)

Data and Calculations:

The purpose of testing was to measure the energy transferred from the hammer to the drill rod and to calculate the energy efficiency of the hammer. The PDA measurements of force and velocity were reviewed after field testing and analyzed to calculate the transferred energy (EMX).

The maximum energy transferred past the gauge location, EMX, is computed by the PDA using force (F) and velocity (V) records as follows:

$$EMX = \int_a^b F(t) V(t) dt$$



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The time “a” corresponds to the start of the record when the energy transfer begins and “b” is the time at which energy transferred to the rod reaches a maximum value. The energy transferred is defined as ETR, and is usually used to define the efficiency of the hammer/anvil system.

Results:

Table 1 summarizes the average calculated energies for each sample tested as well as the type of sample and depth. It is shown that the overall average (ETR) energy for this system is 91%. Appendix A provides plots and tables of PDA results for all hammer blows at each sampling depth. The plots and tables present selected measured and calculated results as a function of blow number. The results include:

- the blow number
- depth
- BLC (blow count in blows per foot)
- FMX (maximum rod force)
- VMX (maximum rod velocity)
- EMX (maximum transferred energy)
- BPM (blows per minute)
- ETR (energy transferred in percent of maximum)

At the end of each table is a statistical evaluation of the results for each variable including the average, standard deviation, maximum, and what blow number this maximum occurred.

If you have any questions or comments on this report, please do not hesitate to call our office at (562) 427-6899.

Sincerely,

Kelly Cabal  
Engineer



Client:  
Project:  
Date:

Shannon Wilson  
Knik Arm Crossing  
9/23/2006

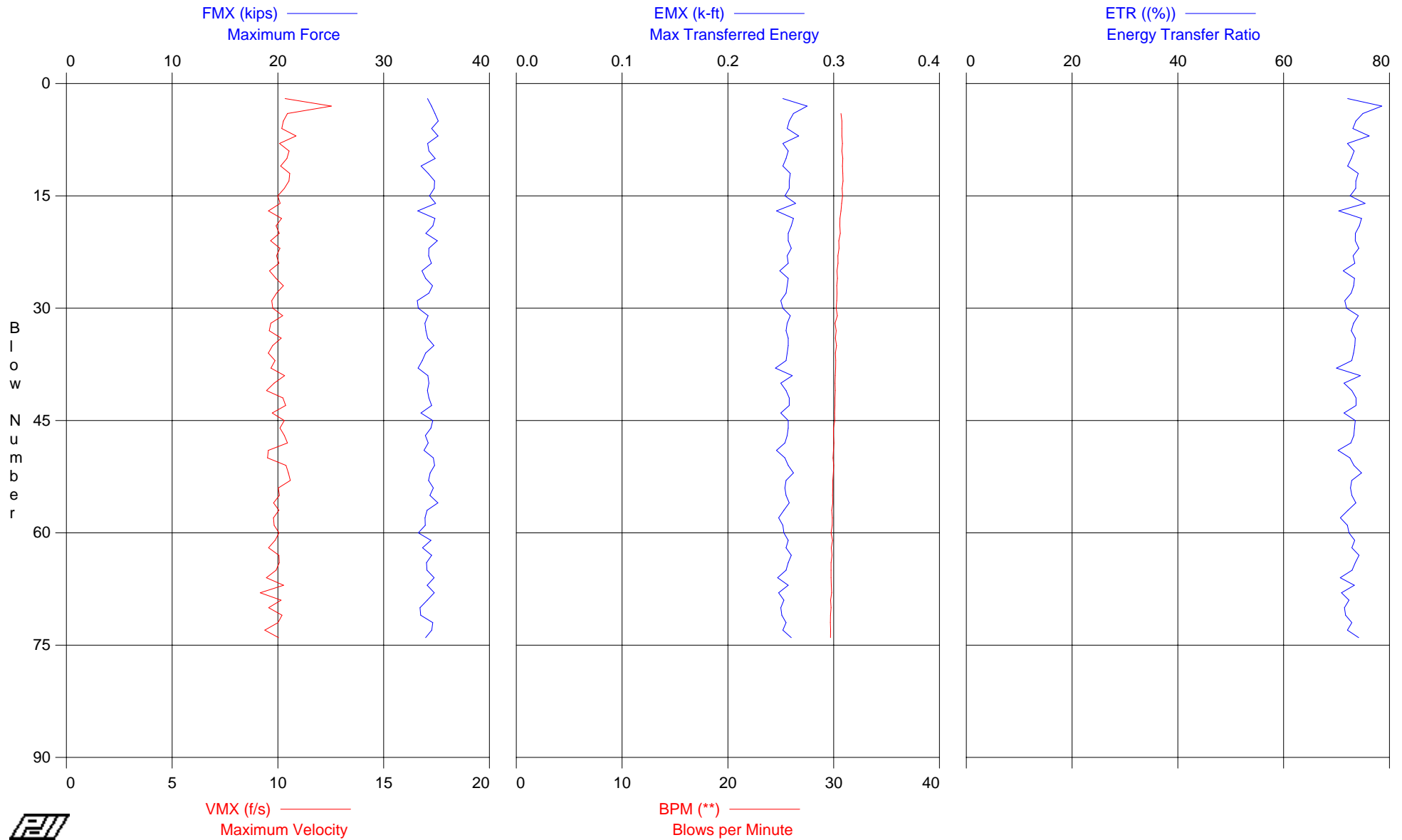
**Table 1 - SPT Sample Summary**

Sample #	Sampler	Total Rod Length* (ft)	Depth of Sample (below Mudline) (ft)	Total Blows Analyzed by PDA	Average Energy Transferred to Rods (% of Theoretical Max.)	Maximum Efficiency Recorded (%)	Mimimun Efficiency Recorded (%)	Standard Deviation
1	SPT	169.0	120	73	73.0	78.6	70	1
2	SPT	174.0	125	82	74.8	76.8	72	1
3	SPT	179.0	130	113	73.4	76	72	2
4	SPT	184.0	135	88	79.9	84	77	2
5	SPT	189.0	140	101	82.4	84.3	79	1
6	SPT	194.0	145	92	82.5	84.3	79	1
7	SPT	199.0	150	96	80.3	82.5	78	1
8	SPT	204.0	155	105	76.1	84.7	72	3
9	SPT	209.0	160	81	81.2	88.1	75	2
10	SPT	214.0	165	93	76.8	82.6	74	1
Average					78.0			

\* Total rod length includes, sampler, rod, adaptors, and instrumented section below gauges

Knik Arm Crossing Knik Arm, Alaska	
<b>SPT Sample Summary</b>	
March 2007	32-1-01536-004
 <b>SHANNON &amp; WILSON, INC.</b> Geotechnical & Environmental Consultants	<b>Figure E-1</b>

Knik Arm Crossing - Boring# 06-01



Knik Arm Crossing - Boring# 06-01  
OP: V Baker

140# Auto Hammer  
Test date: 23-Sep-2006

AR: 1.43 in<sup>2</sup>  
LE: 169.00 ft  
WS: 16,807.9 f/s

SP: 0.492 k/ft<sup>3</sup>  
EM: 30,000 ksi  
JC: 0.35

FMX: Maximum Force  
VMX: Maximum Velocity  
EMX: Max Transferred Energy

BPM: Blows per Minute  
ETR: Energy Transfer Ratio

BL#	FMX kips	VMX f/s	EMX k-ft	BPM **	ETR (%)
2	34	10.3	0.25	0.0	72.1
3	35	12.5	0.28	0.0	78.6
4	35	10.5	0.26	30.7	75.0
5	35	10.3	0.26	30.8	73.7
6	35	10.2	0.26	30.8	73.1
7	35	10.9	0.27	30.8	76.2
8	34	10.1	0.25	30.8	72.1
9	34	10.5	0.26	30.8	73.3
10	35	10.4	0.26	30.9	72.8
11	34	10.1	0.25	30.8	72.1
12	34	10.6	0.26	30.9	74.1
13	35	10.5	0.26	30.9	73.6
14	35	10.3	0.26	30.8	73.6
15	34	10.0	0.25	30.8	72.6
16	35	10.1	0.26	30.8	75.4
17	33	9.6	0.25	30.7	70.4
18	35	10.2	0.26	30.6	74.7
19	35	9.9	0.26	30.6	74.3
20	34	10.1	0.26	30.6	73.6
21	35	9.7	0.26	30.5	73.5
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23	34	9.9	0.26	30.4	73.1
24	35	10.0	0.26	30.4	73.5
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26	34	9.9	0.26	30.4	73.4
27	35	10.3	0.26	30.3	73.2
28	34	9.9	0.26	30.3	72.8
29	33	9.7	0.25	30.3	71.6
30	33	9.8	0.25	30.2	71.9
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32	34	9.7	0.26	30.1	73.2
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Knik Arm Crossing - Boring# 06-01  
OP: V Baker

140# Auto Hammer  
Test date: 23-Sep-2006

BL#	FMX kips	VMX f/s	EMX k-ft	BPM **	ETR (%)
69	34	10.2	0.25	29.7	72.4
70	33	9.6	0.25	29.7	71.5
71	33	10.2	0.25	29.7	71.7
72	35	10.0	0.26	29.7	72.9
73	35	9.4	0.25	29.7	72.1
74	34	10.0	0.26	29.7	74.2
Average	34	10.0	0.26	30.2	73.0
Std. Dev.	0	0.4	0.00	0.4	1.3

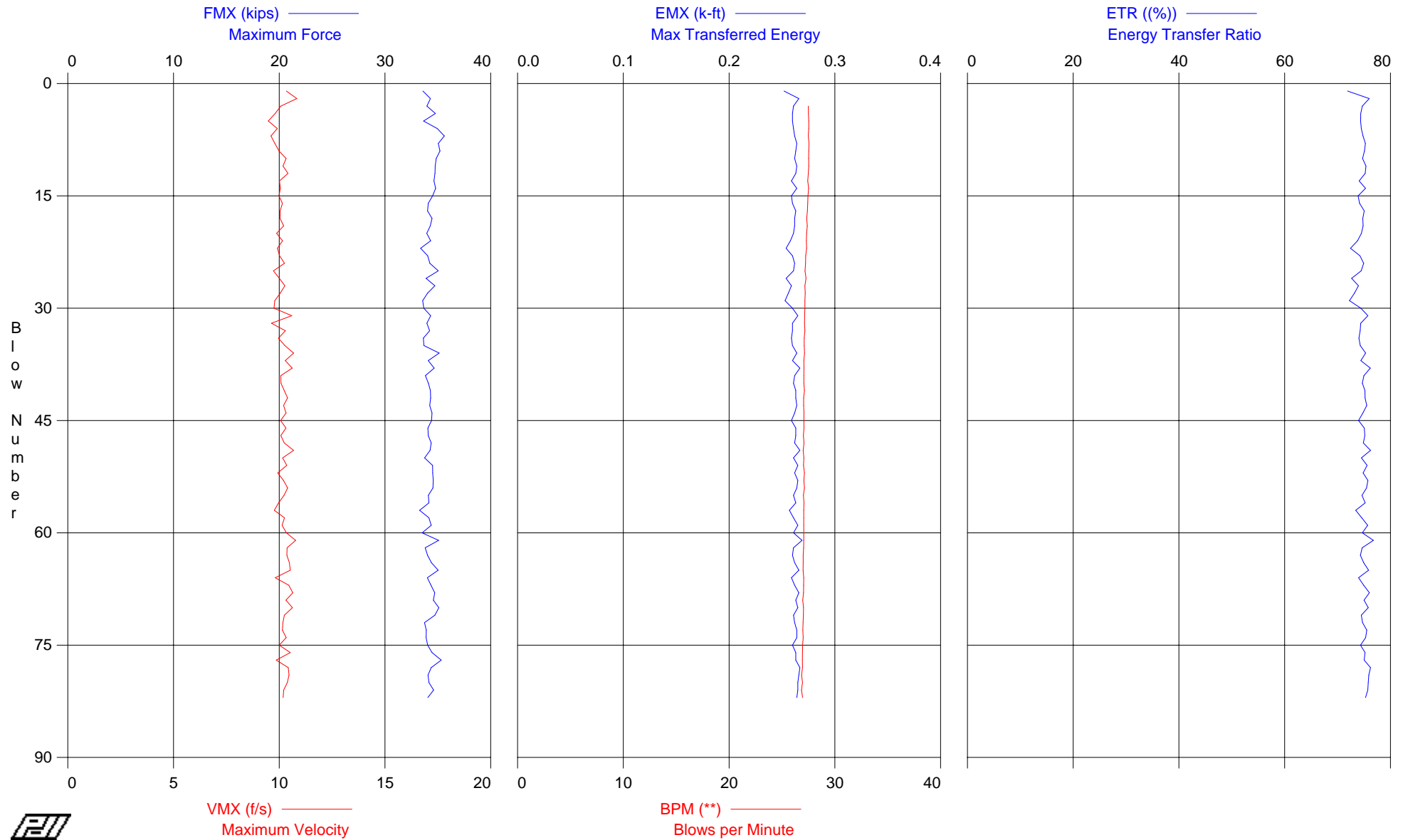
Total number of blows analyzed: 73

Time Summary

Drive 2 minutes 27 seconds

10:57:06 AM - 10:59:33 AM (9/23/2006) BN 2 - 74

Knik Arm Crossing - Boring# 06-01





Knik Arm Crossing - Boring# 06-01  
OP: V Baker

140# Auto Hammer  
Test date: 23-Sep-2006

AR: 1.43 in<sup>2</sup>  
LE: 174.00 ft  
WS: 16,807.9 f/s

SP: 0.492 k/ft<sup>3</sup>  
EM: 30,000 ksi  
JC: 0.35

FMX: Maximum Force  
VMX: Maximum Velocity  
EMX: Max Transferred Energy

BPM: Blows per Minute  
ETR: Energy Transfer Ratio

BL#	FMX kips	VMX f/s	EMX k-ft	BPM **	ETR (%)
1	34	10.3	0.25	0.0	71.9
2	34	10.8	0.27	0.0	76.0
3	34	10.1	0.26	27.5	74.7
4	35	9.8	0.26	27.5	74.4
5	34	9.5	0.26	27.5	74.4
6	35	9.9	0.26	27.5	74.5
7	36	9.6	0.26	27.5	74.8
8	35	9.8	0.26	27.6	75.3
9	35	10.0	0.26	27.5	75.1
10	35	10.3	0.26	27.5	74.7
11	35	10.2	0.26	27.5	75.4
12	35	10.4	0.26	27.5	75.2
13	35	10.0	0.26	27.4	74.1
14	35	10.1	0.26	27.5	75.3
15	35	10.0	0.26	27.5	73.9
16	34	10.2	0.26	27.4	74.2
17	34	10.0	0.26	27.4	75.0
18	34	10.0	0.26	27.3	74.8
19	34	10.2	0.26	27.4	74.8
20	34	9.9	0.26	27.3	74.5
21	34	10.2	0.26	27.3	73.8
22	33	9.9	0.25	27.3	72.4
23	34	10.0	0.26	27.2	74.2
24	34	10.2	0.26	27.2	74.9
25	35	9.7	0.26	27.2	74.5
26	34	10.0	0.25	27.3	72.7
27	35	10.3	0.26	27.2	74.0
28	34	10.0	0.26	27.2	73.2
29	34	9.8	0.25	27.2	72.2
30	34	9.8	0.26	27.2	74.4
31	34	10.6	0.27	27.1	75.8
32	34	9.6	0.26	27.1	74.4
33	34	10.3	0.26	27.2	74.3
34	34	10.0	0.26	27.1	74.0
35	34	10.3	0.26	27.1	74.3
36	35	10.7	0.26	27.1	75.3
37	34	10.3	0.26	27.1	74.4
38	35	10.6	0.27	27.1	76.2
39	34	10.1	0.26	27.1	75.0
40	34	10.1	0.26	27.1	74.7
41	34	10.2	0.26	27.1	75.2
42	34	10.4	0.26	27.1	75.2
43	34	10.2	0.26	27.1	75.5
44	34	10.3	0.26	27.1	74.8
45	34	10.1	0.26	27.1	74.0
46	34	10.3	0.26	27.1	75.1
47	34	10.1	0.26	27.0	75.1
48	34	10.2	0.26	27.1	74.9
49	34	10.7	0.27	27.0	76.3
50	34	10.2	0.26	27.1	74.5
51	35	10.4	0.27	27.0	75.6
52	35	9.9	0.26	27.1	74.8
53	35	10.2	0.27	27.1	75.8
54	35	10.4	0.26	27.1	75.5
55	34	10.2	0.26	27.0	74.6
56	34	10.0	0.26	27.1	75.2
57	33	9.8	0.26	27.1	73.4
58	34	10.2	0.26	27.1	74.6
59	34	10.1	0.27	27.1	75.7
60	34	10.3	0.26	27.1	74.7
61	35	10.8	0.27	27.1	76.8
62	34	10.4	0.26	27.1	74.7
63	34	10.4	0.26	27.0	74.3
64	34	10.5	0.26	27.0	74.9
65	35	10.5	0.27	27.0	75.9
66	34	9.8	0.26	27.1	74.0
67	34	10.5	0.26	27.1	75.0

Knik Arm Crossing - Boring# 06-01  
OP: V Baker

140# Auto Hammer  
Test date: 23-Sep-2006

BL#	FMX kips	VMX f/s	EMX k-ft	BPM **	ETR (%)
68	35	10.6	0.27	27.0	76.0
69	35	10.3	0.26	27.0	75.0
70	35	10.6	0.27	27.0	75.8
71	35	10.2	0.26	27.0	74.5
72	34	10.2	0.26	27.0	74.7
73	34	10.1	0.26	27.0	75.5
74	34	10.3	0.26	27.0	75.3
75	34	10.0	0.26	27.0	74.3
76	34	10.5	0.26	26.9	75.2
77	35	9.9	0.26	26.9	75.0
78	34	10.4	0.27	26.9	76.2
79	34	10.5	0.27	26.9	75.9
80	34	10.4	0.27	26.9	75.8
81	35	10.2	0.27	26.8	75.7
82	34	10.2	0.26	27.0	75.3
Average	34	10.2	0.26	27.2	74.8
Std. Dev.	0	0.3	0.00	0.2	0.9

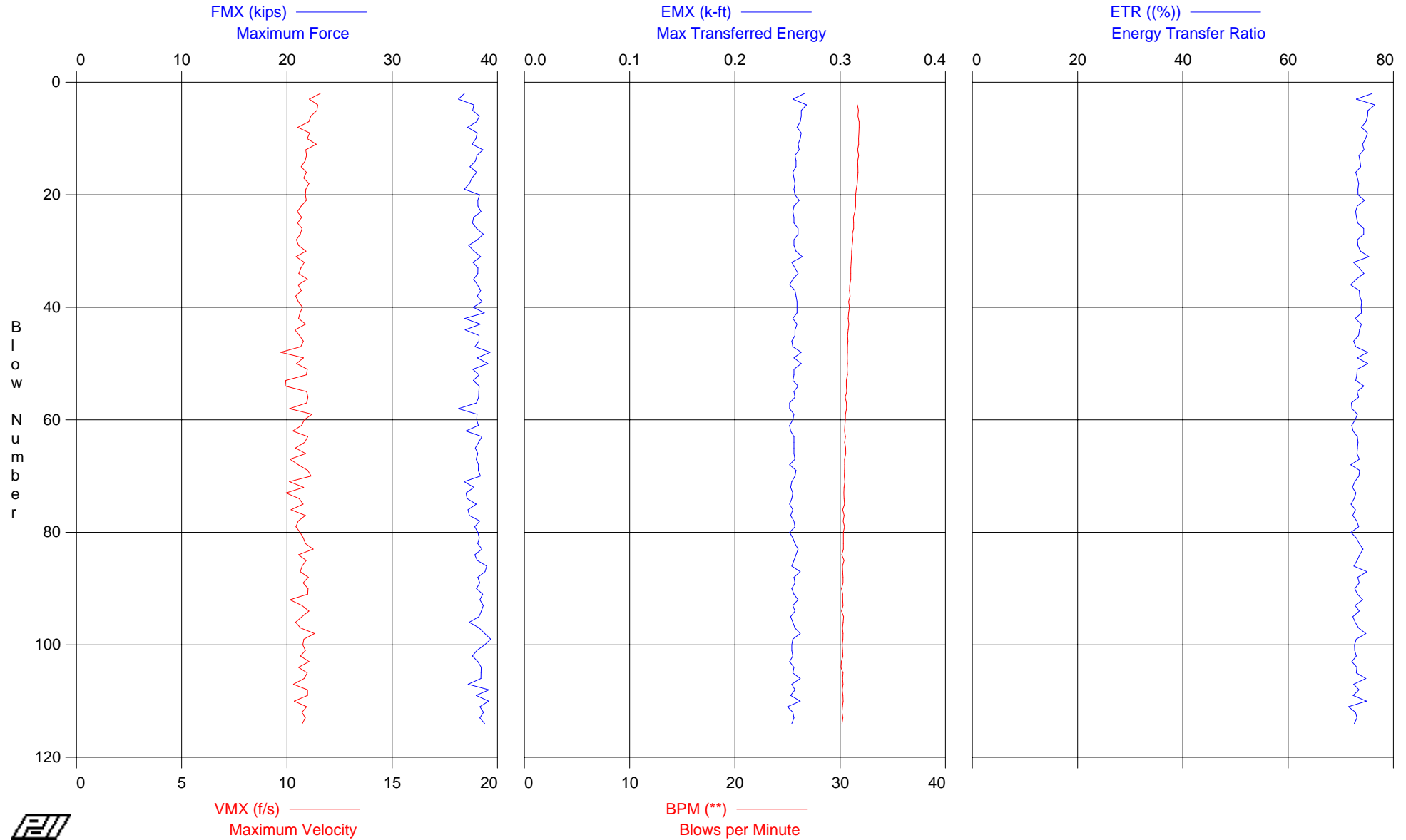
Total number of blows analyzed: 82

Time Summary

Drive 3 minutes 4 seconds

11:38:43 AM - 11:41:47 AM (9/23/2006) BN 1 - 82

Knik Arm Crossing - Boring# 06-01



Knik Arm Crossing - Boring# 06-01  
OP: V Baker

140# Auto Hammer  
Test date: 23-Sep-2006

AR: 1.43 in<sup>2</sup>  
LE: 179.00 ft  
WS: 16,807.9 f/s

SP: 0.492 k/ft<sup>3</sup>  
EM: 30,000 ksi  
JC: 0.35

FMX: Maximum Force  
VMX: Maximum Velocity  
EMX: Max Transferred Energy

BPM: Blows per Minute  
ETR: Energy Transfer Ratio

BL#	FMX kips	VMX f/s	EMX k-ft	BPM **	ETR (%)
2	37	11.6	0.27	0.0	76.0
3	36	11.1	0.26	0.0	72.9
4	38	11.5	0.27	31.6	76.5
5	38	11.4	0.26	31.7	75.2
6	38	11.1	0.26	31.7	75.1
7	38	11.0	0.26	31.8	74.8
8	37	10.5	0.26	31.8	74.0
9	38	11.1	0.26	31.8	75.1
10	38	11.0	0.26	31.7	74.7
11	38	11.4	0.26	31.8	74.2
12	39	10.9	0.26	31.7	74.4
13	38	10.9	0.26	31.8	73.5
14	38	10.9	0.26	31.7	73.7
15	37	10.7	0.26	31.7	73.8
16	38	10.9	0.26	31.7	72.8
17	38	10.8	0.26	31.7	73.2
18	37	11.0	0.26	31.6	73.4
19	37	10.9	0.26	31.5	73.3
20	38	10.9	0.26	31.5	73.3
21	38	10.9	0.26	31.5	74.5
22	38	10.7	0.26	31.5	73.1
23	38	10.5	0.26	31.4	72.8
24	38	10.7	0.26	31.3	73.0
25	38	10.5	0.26	31.3	73.2
26	38	10.7	0.26	31.3	74.4
27	39	10.6	0.26	31.2	74.4
28	38	10.5	0.26	31.2	73.2
29	37	10.5	0.26	31.1	73.3
30	38	10.9	0.26	31.1	73.8
31	38	10.4	0.26	31.1	75.3
32	38	10.8	0.25	31.0	72.4
33	38	10.7	0.26	31.0	73.5
34	38	10.6	0.26	31.0	74.4
35	38	11.0	0.26	31.0	73.0
36	38	10.5	0.25	30.9	71.9
37	38	10.7	0.26	30.9	73.5
38	38	10.4	0.26	30.9	73.6
39	39	10.5	0.26	30.8	74.0
40	38	10.7	0.26	30.9	73.9
41	39	10.6	0.26	30.8	74.0
42	37	10.6	0.26	30.8	72.8
43	38	10.9	0.26	30.8	74.0
44	37	10.4	0.26	30.8	73.6
45	38	10.6	0.26	30.7	73.4
46	38	10.8	0.25	30.7	72.5
47	38	10.7	0.26	30.7	72.8
48	39	9.7	0.26	30.7	75.1
49	38	10.8	0.26	30.7	73.1
50	39	10.5	0.26	30.7	75.2
51	38	11.0	0.26	30.7	73.1
52	38	10.9	0.26	30.7	73.1
53	38	9.9	0.26	30.6	72.9
54	38	9.9	0.26	30.6	74.4
55	38	10.9	0.26	30.6	73.1
56	38	11.0	0.26	30.5	73.4
57	38	10.9	0.25	30.6	72.0
58	36	10.1	0.25	30.6	72.1
59	38	11.2	0.26	30.5	73.2
60	38	10.8	0.26	30.5	72.8
61	38	10.7	0.25	30.4	72.1
62	37	10.3	0.25	30.4	72.4
63	39	11.0	0.26	30.5	73.1
64	38	10.8	0.26	30.4	73.3
65	38	10.4	0.26	30.5	73.2
66	38	10.9	0.26	30.5	73.1
67	38	10.1	0.26	30.4	73.5
68	38	10.5	0.25	30.4	71.9

Knik Arm Crossing - Boring# 06-01  
OP: V Baker

140# Auto Hammer  
Test date: 23-Sep-2006

BL#	FMX kips	VMX f/s	EMX k-ft	BPM **	ETR (%)
69	38	11.0	0.26	30.4	73.6
70	38	11.2	0.26	30.4	73.5
71	37	10.1	0.25	30.4	72.7
72	38	10.8	0.25	30.4	72.2
73	37	10.0	0.26	30.3	72.9
74	37	10.6	0.25	30.4	72.6
75	38	10.8	0.25	30.4	71.9
76	37	10.2	0.26	30.2	72.8
77	37	10.9	0.25	30.4	72.3
78	38	10.5	0.26	30.3	73.0
79	38	10.4	0.26	30.4	73.4
80	38	10.6	0.25	30.3	71.9
81	38	10.8	0.26	30.3	73.0
82	38	10.9	0.26	30.3	73.5
83	39	11.2	0.26	30.3	74.2
84	38	10.5	0.26	30.2	73.6
85	38	10.9	0.26	30.4	73.1
86	39	10.7	0.25	30.2	72.5
87	39	10.6	0.26	30.2	75.0
88	38	11.0	0.26	30.3	73.2
89	38	10.8	0.26	30.3	73.5
90	38	11.0	0.25	30.1	72.7
91	39	11.0	0.26	30.2	73.2
92	38	10.1	0.26	30.2	74.2
93	39	10.7	0.26	30.3	72.7
94	38	11.0	0.26	30.1	73.5
95	38	10.7	0.25	30.3	72.3
96	37	10.4	0.26	30.3	72.7
97	38	10.7	0.26	30.2	73.4
98	39	11.3	0.26	30.3	74.8
99	39	10.8	0.26	30.3	73.0
100	39	10.8	0.25	30.2	72.6
101	38	10.9	0.25	30.2	72.7
102	38	10.6	0.26	30.3	72.9
103	38	11.1	0.25	30.1	72.1
104	38	10.6	0.26	30.1	73.1
105	38	11.0	0.26	30.3	73.0
106	38	10.8	0.26	30.2	74.8
107	37	10.3	0.25	30.3	72.5
108	39	11.0	0.26	30.2	73.5
109	38	11.0	0.25	30.3	72.4
110	39	10.3	0.26	30.3	74.9
111	38	10.9	0.25	30.2	71.5
112	39	10.7	0.26	30.2	72.8
113	38	10.9	0.26	30.3	73.1
114	39	10.7	0.25	30.2	72.6
Average	38	10.7	0.26	30.7	73.4
Std. Dev.	1	0.3	0.00	0.5	0.9

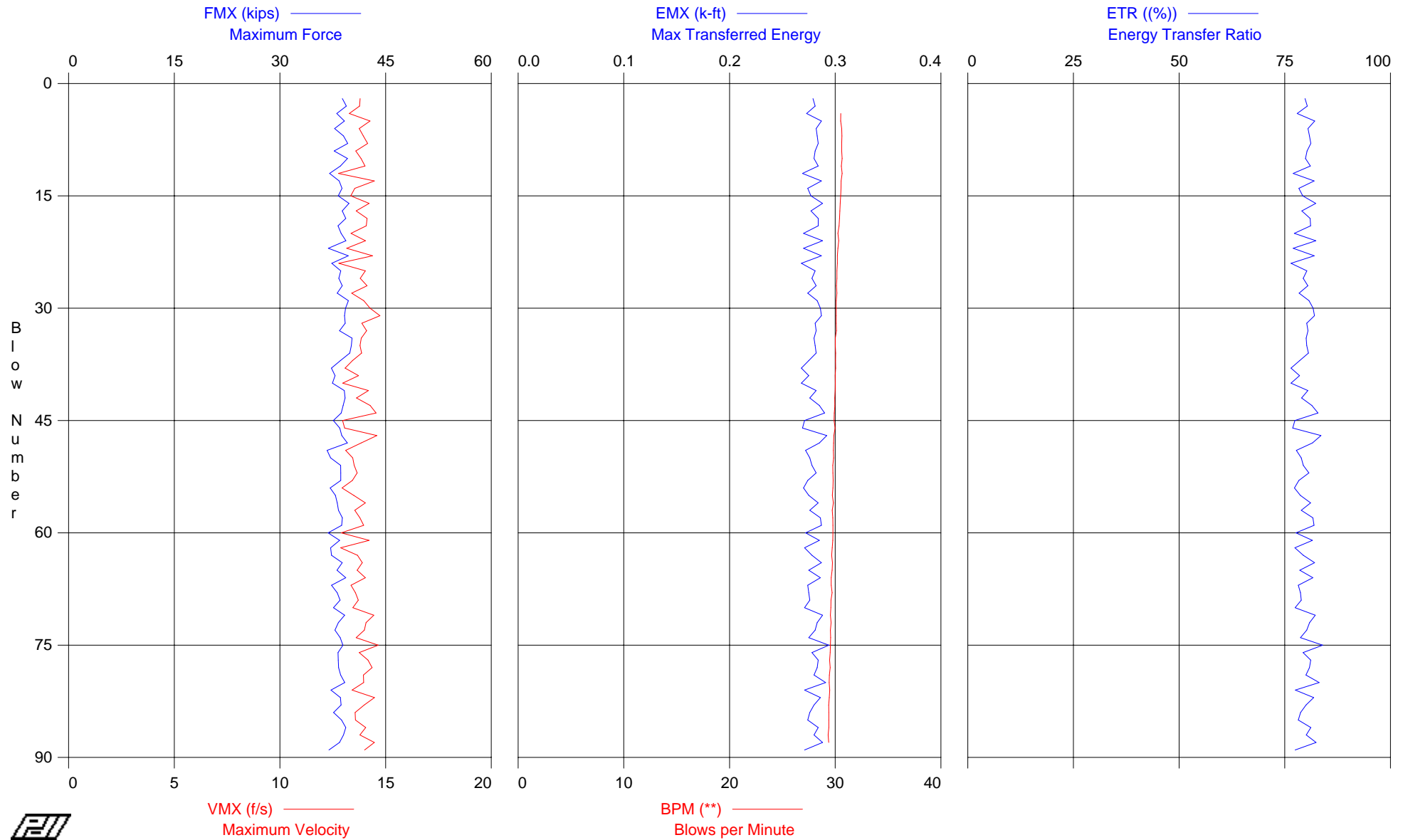
Total number of blows analyzed: 113

Time Summary

Drive 3 minutes 59 seconds

12:27:21 PM - 12:31:20 PM (9/23/2006) BN 2 - 114

Knik Arm Crossing - Boring# 06-01



Knik Arm Crossing - Boring# 06-01  
OP: V Baker

140# Auto Hammer  
Test date: 23-Sep-2006

AR: 1.43 in<sup>2</sup>  
LE: 184.00 ft  
WS: 16,807.9 f/s

SP: 0.492 k/ft<sup>3</sup>  
EM: 30,000 ksi  
JC: 0.35

FMX: Maximum Force  
VMX: Maximum Velocity  
EMX: Max Transferred Energy

BPM: Blows per Minute  
ETR: Energy Transfer Ratio

BL#	FMX kips	VMX f/s	EMX k-ft	BPM **	ETR (%)
2	39	13.8	0.28	0.0	79.8
3	39	13.8	0.28	0.0	80.3
4	38	13.3	0.27	30.5	77.9
5	39	14.3	0.29	30.5	82.1
6	38	13.8	0.28	30.6	80.5
7	39	13.9	0.28	30.6	80.9
8	40	14.2	0.28	30.6	81.2
9	38	13.6	0.28	30.6	80.3
10	40	13.8	0.28	30.7	79.9
11	39	14.0	0.28	30.6	81.1
12	37	12.8	0.27	30.7	77.0
13	38	14.5	0.29	30.6	81.9
14	39	13.5	0.27	30.6	78.3
15	38	13.4	0.28	30.5	79.3
16	40	14.2	0.29	30.5	82.3
17	39	13.6	0.28	30.4	79.0
18	39	14.1	0.28	30.4	81.0
19	38	14.1	0.28	30.4	81.1
20	39	13.4	0.27	30.3	77.3
21	39	14.0	0.29	30.3	82.4
22	37	13.2	0.27	30.3	77.0
23	40	14.4	0.29	30.2	82.0
24	37	12.8	0.27	30.2	76.5
25	39	14.0	0.28	30.2	80.2
26	38	13.8	0.28	30.2	79.4
27	39	14.1	0.28	30.1	80.5
28	38	13.4	0.27	30.2	78.4
29	40	14.0	0.28	30.1	80.7
30	39	14.3	0.29	30.1	81.7
31	39	14.7	0.29	30.1	82.0
32	39	13.9	0.28	30.1	80.2
33	38	14.1	0.28	30.1	80.5
34	40	13.8	0.28	30.0	80.1
35	40	13.8	0.28	30.0	80.2
36	40	13.9	0.28	30.0	80.6
37	39	13.4	0.28	30.0	78.5
38	37	13.1	0.27	30.0	76.5
39	38	13.7	0.28	30.0	78.5
40	37	13.0	0.27	30.0	76.5
41	39	14.2	0.28	30.0	80.5
42	39	13.6	0.28	30.0	79.0
43	39	14.3	0.29	30.0	81.4
44	39	14.6	0.29	29.9	82.9
45	38	13.0	0.27	29.9	77.4
46	38	13.1	0.27	30.0	76.9
47	39	14.6	0.29	29.9	83.6
48	40	13.8	0.29	29.9	81.6
49	37	13.1	0.27	29.8	77.7
50	37	13.4	0.28	29.9	78.9
51	39	13.5	0.28	29.8	79.4
52	39	13.7	0.28	29.8	80.7
53	39	13.4	0.27	29.8	78.4
54	37	12.9	0.27	29.8	77.3
55	38	13.5	0.28	29.7	78.7
56	38	14.0	0.28	29.8	81.1
57	38	13.5	0.28	29.7	78.9
58	39	13.8	0.29	29.8	81.7
59	39	14.0	0.29	29.8	81.9
60	37	12.9	0.27	29.8	77.6
61	38	14.2	0.29	29.8	81.6
62	37	12.9	0.27	29.7	77.4
63	37	13.7	0.28	29.7	79.4
64	39	13.9	0.29	29.7	82.1
65	38	13.7	0.28	29.7	78.5
66	39	14.0	0.29	29.6	81.7
67	37	13.4	0.27	29.6	78.2
68	38	13.6	0.28	29.7	78.7

Knik Arm Crossing - Boring# 06-01  
OP: V Baker

140# Auto Hammer  
Test date: 23-Sep-2006

BL#	FMX kips	VMX f/s	EMX k-ft	BPM **	ETR (%)
69	39	13.7	0.28	29.6	78.9
70	38	13.4	0.27	29.6	77.5
71	39	14.4	0.29	29.5	82.2
72	38	14.1	0.28	29.6	80.9
73	38	14.0	0.28	29.5	80.2
74	39	13.6	0.28	29.6	78.7
75	39	14.7	0.29	29.5	84.0
76	38	13.7	0.28	29.5	79.3
77	38	14.2	0.28	29.5	81.1
78	38	14.4	0.28	29.5	80.8
79	39	14.0	0.28	29.5	80.0
80	39	14.0	0.29	29.4	83.1
81	37	13.4	0.27	29.5	77.5
82	39	14.5	0.29	29.4	81.9
83	39	14.0	0.28	29.4	80.0
84	38	13.6	0.28	29.4	78.8
85	39	13.6	0.27	29.4	78.2
86	39	14.1	0.28	29.4	81.2
87	39	13.8	0.28	29.3	80.1
88	38	14.5	0.29	29.4	82.4
89	37	14.0	0.27	0.0	77.4
Average	38	13.8	0.28	29.9	79.9
Std. Dev.	1	0.5	0.01	0.4	1.8

Total number of blows analyzed: 88

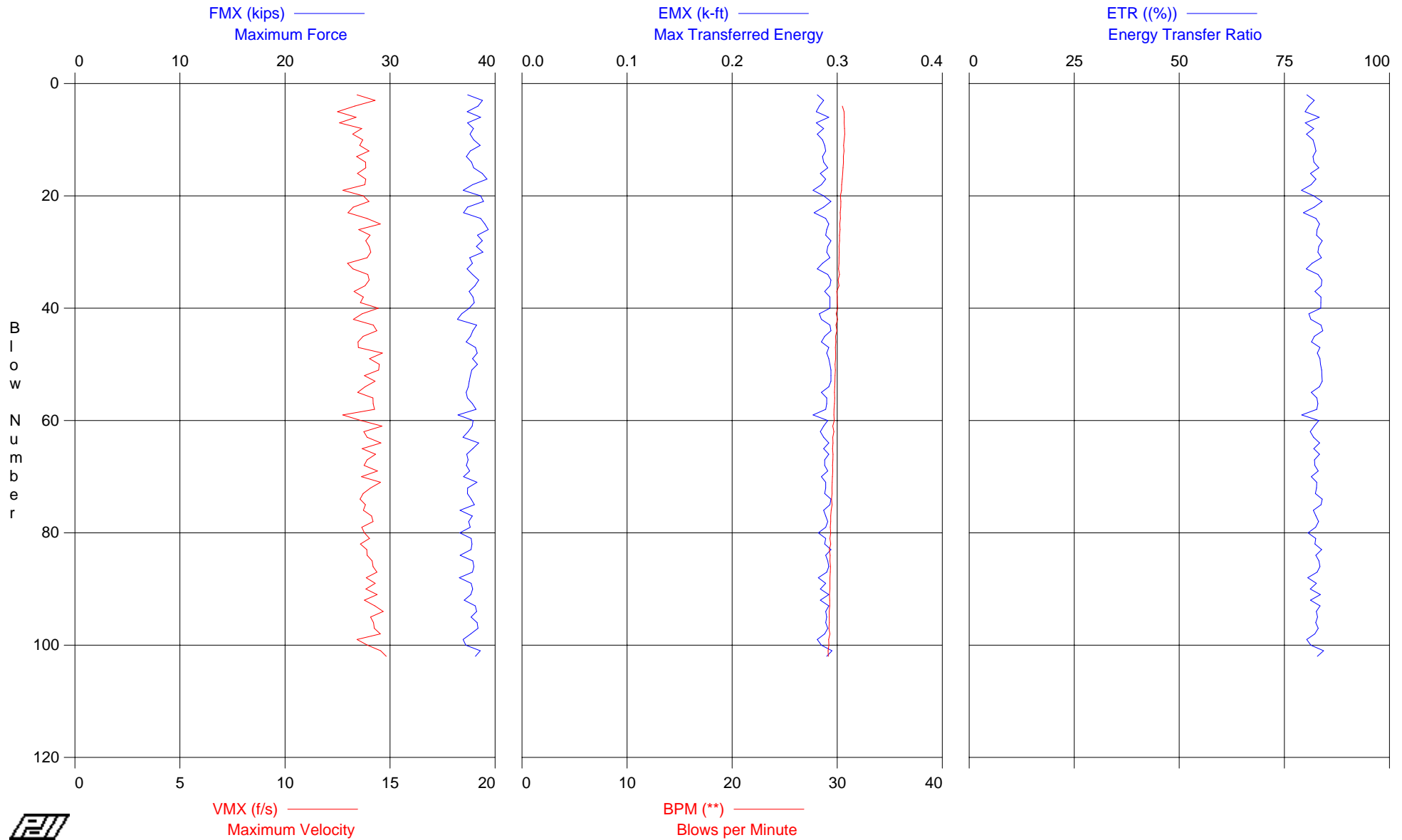
Time Summary

Drive 3 minutes 3 seconds

1:31:50 PM - 1:34:53 PM (9/23/2006) BN 2 - 89



Knik Arm Crossing - Boring# 06-01



Knik Arm Crossing - Boring# 06-01  
OP: V Baker

140# Auto Hammer  
Test date: 23-Sep-2006

AR: 1.43 in<sup>2</sup>  
LE: 189.00 ft  
WS: 16,807.9 f/s

SP: 0.492 k/ft<sup>3</sup>  
EM: 30,000 ksi  
JC: 0.35

FMX: Maximum Force  
VMX: Maximum Velocity  
EMX: Max Transferred Energy

BPM: Blows per Minute  
ETR: Energy Transfer Ratio

BL#	FMX kips	VMX f/s	EMX k-ft	BPM **	ETR (%)
2	37	13.4	0.28	0.0	80.4
3	39	14.3	0.29	0.0	82.1
4	38	13.3	0.28	30.5	80.8
5	37	12.5	0.28	30.6	80.0
6	39	13.4	0.29	30.7	83.3
7	37	12.6	0.28	30.7	80.0
8	38	13.7	0.29	30.7	82.0
9	38	13.2	0.28	30.7	80.3
10	38	13.7	0.29	30.7	81.8
11	39	13.6	0.29	30.6	82.2
12	38	14.0	0.29	30.6	82.5
13	37	13.4	0.29	30.6	81.8
14	38	13.8	0.29	30.6	82.0
15	38	13.8	0.29	30.6	83.2
16	39	13.4	0.28	30.5	81.2
17	39	13.8	0.29	30.5	82.5
18	38	13.8	0.29	30.4	81.4
19	37	12.8	0.28	30.4	79.1
20	39	13.7	0.29	30.3	82.0
21	39	14.0	0.29	30.3	84.0
22	37	13.2	0.29	30.3	82.1
23	37	13.0	0.28	30.3	79.5
24	39	13.9	0.29	30.3	82.5
25	39	14.5	0.29	30.2	83.4
26	39	13.5	0.29	30.3	82.8
27	38	14.1	0.29	30.2	82.7
28	39	13.8	0.29	30.2	84.0
29	38	14.0	0.29	30.2	83.2
30	39	14.1	0.29	30.2	83.0
31	38	13.9	0.29	30.2	83.8
32	38	13.0	0.29	30.2	81.6
33	37	13.2	0.28	30.1	80.2
34	38	13.9	0.29	30.2	83.0
35	38	14.0	0.29	30.1	83.9
36	38	13.8	0.29	30.2	83.8
37	38	13.3	0.29	30.0	82.3
38	38	13.7	0.29	30.0	83.7
39	38	13.6	0.29	30.0	83.7
40	38	14.4	0.29	30.0	83.7
41	37	13.7	0.28	29.9	80.8
42	36	13.2	0.29	30.0	81.3
43	38	14.2	0.29	29.9	83.7
44	38	14.4	0.29	30.0	84.1
45	38	13.7	0.29	29.8	82.1
46	37	13.5	0.29	29.9	81.5
47	38	13.5	0.29	29.8	83.5
48	38	14.6	0.29	29.9	82.9
49	38	14.0	0.29	29.9	83.5
50	38	14.5	0.29	29.8	83.6
51	38	14.5	0.29	29.8	83.9
52	38	13.8	0.29	29.8	83.9
53	38	14.3	0.29	29.8	84.0
54	37	13.8	0.29	29.8	83.3
55	37	13.5	0.29	29.7	81.4
56	37	14.2	0.29	29.8	82.7
57	38	14.2	0.29	29.7	83.0
58	38	14.3	0.29	29.7	82.7
59	36	12.8	0.28	29.7	79.1
60	38	13.6	0.29	29.7	83.2
61	38	14.6	0.29	29.6	82.1
62	37	13.7	0.28	29.7	81.1
63	37	13.9	0.29	29.6	82.0
64	38	14.6	0.29	29.6	83.4
65	38	13.7	0.29	29.6	82.0
66	37	14.3	0.29	29.6	83.4
67	37	13.9	0.29	29.6	82.2
68	37	13.8	0.29	29.6	82.3

Knik Arm Crossing - Boring# 06-01  
OP: V Baker

140# Auto Hammer  
Test date: 23-Sep-2006

BL#	FMX kips	VMX f/s	EMX k-ft	BPM **	ETR (%)
69	38	14.4	0.29	29.6	83.1
70	37	13.6	0.29	29.5	81.4
71	38	14.6	0.29	29.5	82.7
72	37	14.1	0.29	29.5	82.7
73	37	13.7	0.29	29.5	82.4
74	38	13.6	0.29	29.5	84.0
75	38	13.8	0.29	29.5	83.7
76	37	13.7	0.29	29.4	81.9
77	38	14.1	0.29	29.4	82.5
78	37	14.2	0.29	29.4	83.1
79	38	13.7	0.29	29.3	82.4
80	37	13.8	0.28	29.4	80.6
81	38	14.0	0.29	29.3	82.5
82	38	13.6	0.29	29.4	82.3
83	38	13.9	0.29	29.3	83.9
84	37	13.9	0.29	29.3	82.5
85	38	14.1	0.29	29.3	83.2
86	38	14.2	0.29	29.4	83.5
87	38	14.4	0.29	29.3	82.8
88	37	13.9	0.28	29.3	80.6
89	38	14.3	0.29	29.3	82.6
90	38	13.8	0.28	29.3	81.1
91	38	14.4	0.29	29.3	83.6
92	37	13.8	0.28	29.3	81.2
93	38	14.3	0.29	29.3	83.5
94	38	14.7	0.29	29.2	82.6
95	38	14.1	0.29	29.2	82.9
96	38	14.2	0.29	29.3	82.5
97	38	14.2	0.29	29.2	83.1
98	38	14.5	0.29	29.3	82.2
99	37	13.4	0.28	29.2	80.3
100	37	13.9	0.29	29.2	81.3
101	39	14.6	0.30	29.1	84.3
102	38	14.8	0.29	29.2	82.8
Average	38	13.9	0.29	29.8	82.4
Std. Dev.	1	0.5	0.00	0.5	1.2

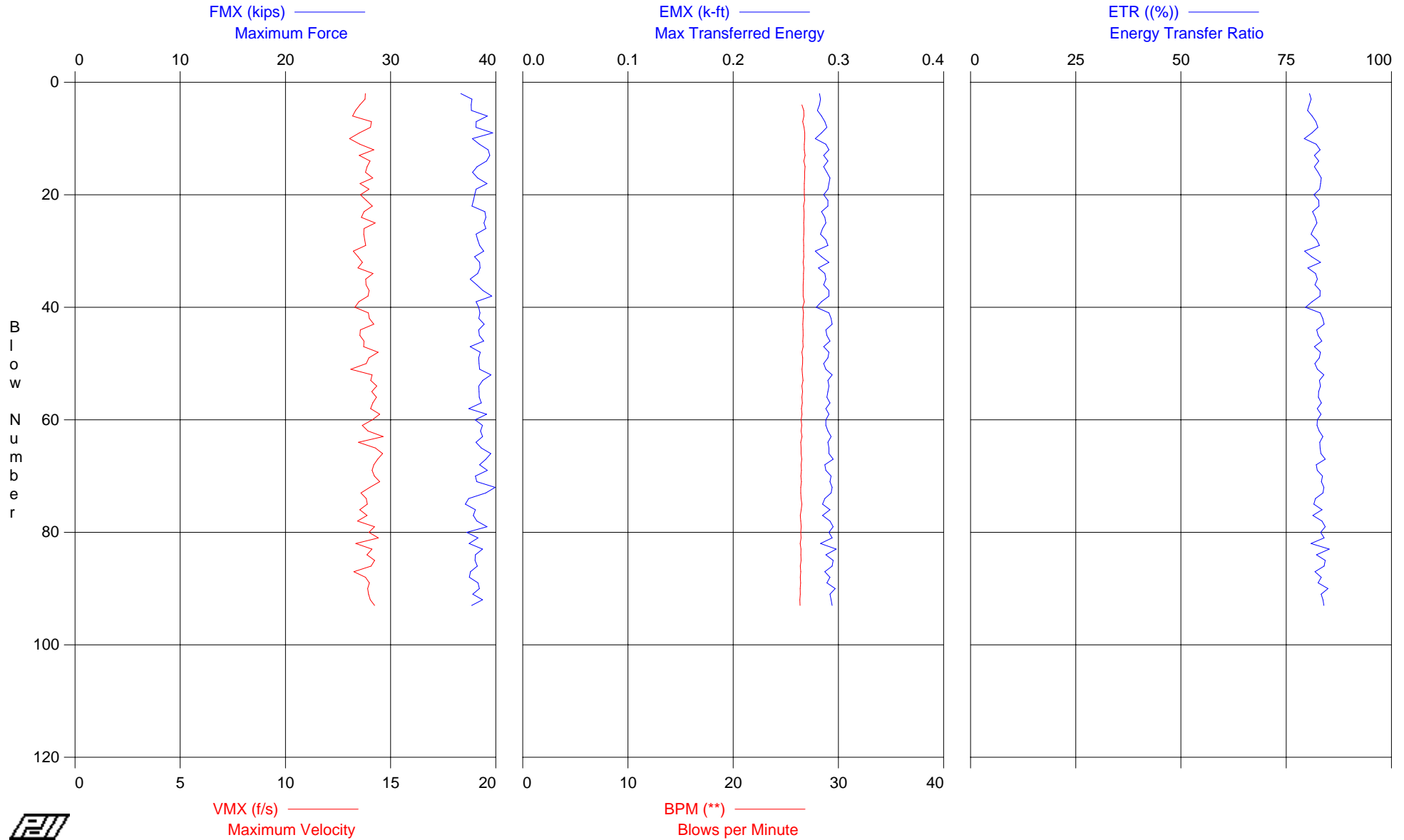
Total number of blows analyzed: 101

Time Summary

Drive 3 minutes 25 seconds

2:25:53 PM - 2:29:18 PM (9/23/2006) BN 2 - 102

Knik Arm Crossing - Boring# 06-01



Knik Arm Crossing - Boring# 06-01  
OP: V Baker

140# Auto Hammer  
Test date: 23-Sep-2006

AR: 1.43 in<sup>2</sup>  
LE: 194.00 ft  
WS: 16,807.9 f/s

SP: 0.492 k/ft<sup>3</sup>  
EM: 30,000 ksi  
JC: 0.35

FMX: Maximum Force  
VMX: Maximum Velocity  
EMX: Max Transferred Energy

BPM: Blows per Minute  
ETR: Energy Transfer Ratio

BL#	FMX kips	VMX f/s	EMX k-ft	BPM **	ETR (%)
2	37	13.8	0.28	0.0	80.5
3	38	13.8	0.28	0.0	80.9
4	38	13.5	0.28	26.5	80.5
5	38	13.3	0.28	26.7	80.1
6	39	13.2	0.28	26.7	81.2
7	38	14.1	0.29	26.6	82.1
8	38	14.0	0.29	26.7	82.5
9	40	13.5	0.28	26.8	81.1
10	38	13.0	0.28	26.8	79.3
11	38	13.5	0.29	26.8	82.1
12	39	14.2	0.29	26.8	83.1
13	39	13.5	0.29	26.8	81.7
14	39	14.0	0.29	26.7	82.7
15	38	13.9	0.29	26.8	81.7
16	38	13.8	0.29	26.8	82.6
17	38	14.2	0.29	26.8	83.3
18	39	13.5	0.29	26.8	83.2
19	38	14.0	0.29	26.8	83.0
20	38	13.6	0.29	26.8	81.6
21	38	13.8	0.29	26.8	82.7
22	38	14.1	0.29	26.7	82.8
23	39	13.7	0.28	26.7	81.3
24	39	13.6	0.29	26.7	81.9
25	39	14.3	0.29	26.7	82.3
26	39	13.7	0.29	26.7	81.5
27	38	13.7	0.28	26.7	80.9
28	38	13.8	0.29	26.7	82.3
29	38	13.8	0.29	26.7	82.9
30	39	13.2	0.28	26.7	79.4
31	38	13.4	0.28	26.7	81.1
32	38	13.7	0.29	26.7	83.2
33	38	13.4	0.28	26.7	80.1
34	38	14.2	0.29	26.7	82.0
35	38	13.8	0.29	26.7	82.4
36	38	13.8	0.29	26.6	81.8
37	39	14.0	0.29	26.7	83.1
38	40	13.9	0.29	26.6	83.0
39	38	13.5	0.28	26.8	81.2
40	38	13.3	0.28	26.6	79.6
41	38	13.9	0.29	26.7	83.1
42	38	14.0	0.29	26.6	83.7
43	39	14.2	0.29	26.6	84.0
44	38	13.6	0.29	26.6	82.3
45	38	13.5	0.29	26.6	82.6
46	39	13.7	0.29	26.6	83.5
47	38	13.7	0.29	26.6	81.7
48	39	14.4	0.29	26.5	83.1
49	38	14.0	0.29	26.6	82.9
50	38	13.8	0.29	26.6	81.8
51	38	13.1	0.29	26.5	82.4
52	40	14.1	0.29	26.6	84.0
53	39	14.1	0.29	26.6	82.9
54	38	14.3	0.29	26.5	83.1
55	38	14.1	0.29	26.6	82.7
56	38	14.3	0.29	26.5	82.7
57	39	14.1	0.29	26.6	83.4
58	37	14.1	0.29	26.5	82.4
59	39	14.5	0.29	26.5	83.3
60	38	14.1	0.29	26.5	82.4
61	39	13.7	0.29	26.5	82.3
62	39	13.9	0.29	26.5	82.9
63	39	14.6	0.29	26.5	83.7
64	38	13.5	0.29	26.4	83.0
65	39	14.3	0.29	26.5	83.0
66	40	14.6	0.29	26.5	83.2
67	39	14.4	0.30	26.5	84.3
68	38	14.2	0.29	26.5	82.1

Knik Arm Crossing - Boring# 06-01  
OP: V Baker

140# Auto Hammer  
Test date: 23-Sep-2006

BL#	FMX kips	VMX f/s	EMX k-ft	BPM **	ETR (%)
69	39	14.1	0.29	26.5	82.4
70	38	14.2	0.29	26.4	83.6
71	38	14.5	0.29	26.5	83.4
72	40	14.0	0.29	26.4	84.0
73	39	13.6	0.29	26.4	83.7
74	37	13.8	0.29	26.5	81.9
75	37	13.9	0.29	26.5	81.6
76	38	13.5	0.29	26.5	83.5
77	38	13.9	0.29	26.4	81.3
78	38	13.4	0.29	26.4	83.5
79	39	14.2	0.30	26.5	84.3
80	37	14.0	0.29	26.4	83.2
81	38	14.4	0.29	26.5	84.0
82	37	13.3	0.28	26.4	80.9
83	39	14.1	0.30	26.4	85.2
84	38	13.9	0.29	26.4	82.2
85	38	14.2	0.30	26.5	84.3
86	38	14.1	0.29	26.4	84.0
87	38	13.3	0.29	26.4	81.9
88	37	13.8	0.29	26.4	83.3
89	38	14.0	0.29	26.4	82.6
90	38	13.9	0.30	26.4	84.9
91	38	14.0	0.29	26.4	83.3
92	39	14.0	0.29	26.3	83.7
93	38	14.2	0.29	26.4	83.9
Average	38	13.9	0.29	26.6	82.5
Std. Dev.	1	0.3	0.00	0.1	1.2

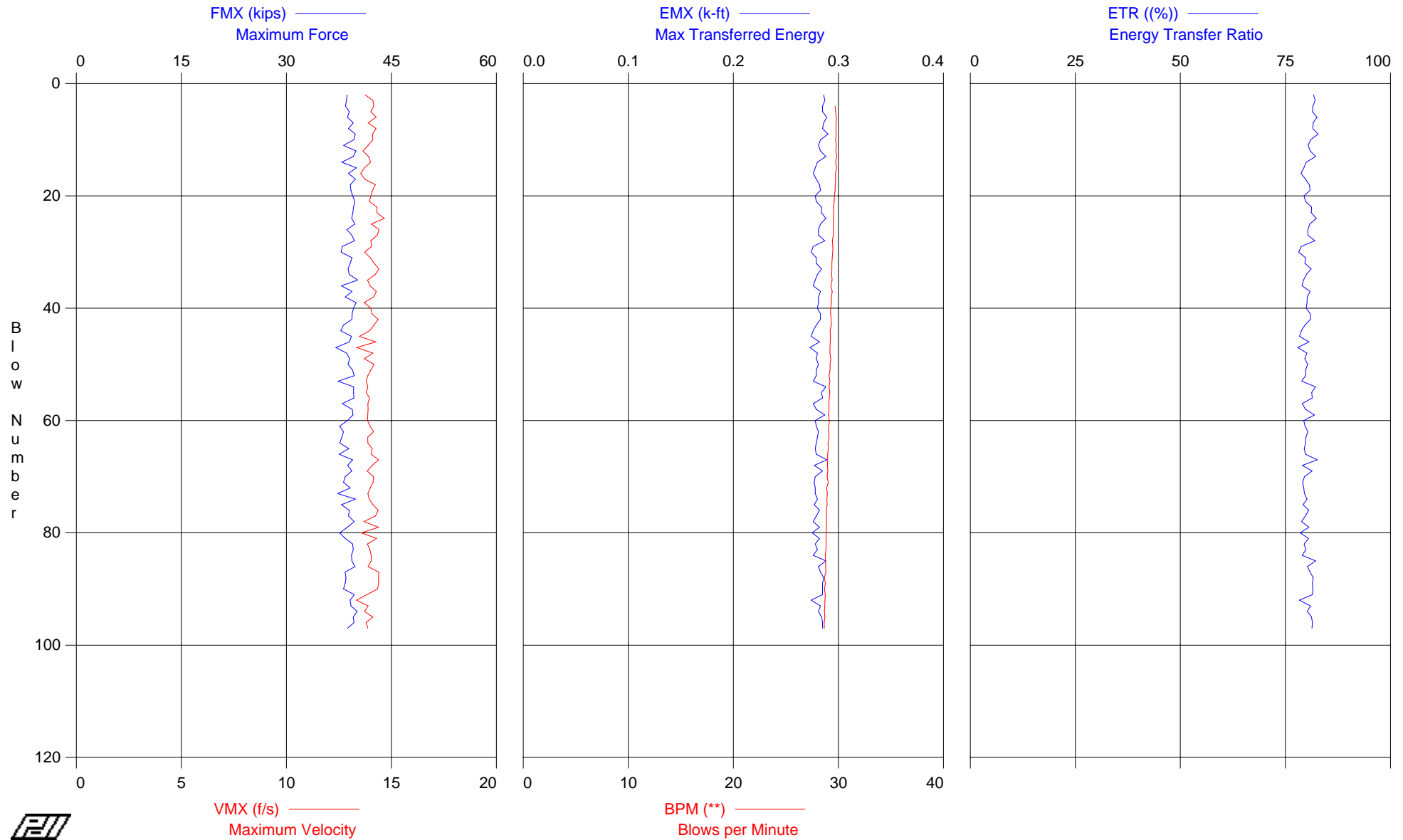
Total number of blows analyzed: 92

Time Summary

Drive 3 minutes 30 seconds

3:48:07 PM - 3:51:37 PM (9/23/2006) BN 2 - 93

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Knik Arm Crossing - Boring# 06-01  
OP: V Baker

140# Auto Hammer  
Test date: 23-Sep-2006

AR: 1.43 in<sup>2</sup>  
LE: 199.00 ft  
WS: 16,807.9 f/s

SP: 0.492 k/ft<sup>3</sup>  
EM: 30,000 ksi  
JC: 0.35

FMX: Maximum Force  
VMX: Maximum Velocity  
EMX: Max Transferred Energy

BPM: Blows per Minute  
ETR: Energy Transfer Ratio

BL#	FMX kips	VMX f/s	EMX k-ft	BPM **	ETR (%)
2	39	13.7	0.29	0.0	81.7
3	39	14.1	0.29	0.0	82.1
4	38	14.2	0.29	29.7	81.5
5	39	14.0	0.29	29.7	81.5
6	39	14.3	0.29	29.8	82.5
7	40	13.9	0.29	29.8	81.6
8	39	14.3	0.29	29.8	81.5
9	40	14.1	0.29	29.8	82.8
10	40	14.1	0.28	29.7	81.0
11	38	13.9	0.28	29.8	80.4
12	40	13.7	0.28	29.8	80.9
13	40	13.9	0.29	29.9	82.2
14	38	14.0	0.28	29.7	80.0
15	40	13.7	0.28	29.8	79.4
16	39	13.5	0.28	29.7	78.7
17	40	13.7	0.28	29.7	79.8
18	39	14.2	0.28	29.7	80.7
19	39	14.1	0.28	29.7	80.9
20	39	14.0	0.28	29.6	79.4
21	40	13.9	0.28	29.6	79.8
22	40	14.3	0.28	29.5	81.3
23	39	14.3	0.28	29.6	81.1
24	39	14.7	0.29	29.5	82.4
25	40	14.0	0.28	29.5	80.8
26	39	14.4	0.28	29.5	80.4
27	39	14.3	0.28	29.5	80.4
28	40	14.0	0.29	29.4	82.0
29	38	14.1	0.28	29.5	78.8
30	38	13.7	0.27	29.5	78.2
31	39	14.0	0.28	29.4	79.8
32	39	14.2	0.28	29.4	79.6
33	39	14.4	0.28	29.4	81.1
34	39	14.2	0.28	29.4	80.0
35	40	13.9	0.28	29.4	79.3
36	38	14.0	0.28	29.3	79.0
37	39	14.3	0.28	29.4	80.9
38	38	14.2	0.28	29.3	80.2
39	40	13.7	0.28	29.3	80.2
40	40	14.0	0.28	29.3	79.9
41	39	14.1	0.28	29.3	80.9
42	39	14.4	0.28	29.3	81.0
43	38	14.2	0.28	29.3	79.6
44	38	14.0	0.28	29.2	78.8
45	39	13.5	0.27	29.3	78.3
46	39	14.3	0.28	29.2	80.6
47	37	13.3	0.27	29.2	78.0
48	39	14.1	0.28	29.2	80.1
49	39	13.7	0.28	29.3	79.6
50	39	14.2	0.28	29.2	80.3
51	39	14.0	0.28	29.2	79.8
52	40	13.9	0.28	29.1	79.8
53	37	13.8	0.28	29.2	78.9
54	40	13.9	0.29	29.1	82.2
55	40	13.8	0.28	29.2	81.3
56	40	14.0	0.29	29.1	81.4
57	38	13.9	0.28	29.1	79.0
58	39	13.9	0.28	29.1	79.8
59	40	13.9	0.29	29.1	81.9
60	39	13.9	0.28	29.1	79.4
61	38	14.0	0.28	29.1	79.7
62	38	14.2	0.28	29.1	80.3
63	38	13.9	0.28	29.1	79.9
64	38	13.9	0.28	29.0	79.8
65	39	14.1	0.28	29.0	79.5
66	38	14.0	0.28	29.0	79.8
67	39	14.4	0.29	29.0	82.6
68	39	14.1	0.28	29.0	79.0



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OP: V Baker

140# Auto Hammer  
Test date: 23-Sep-2006

BL#	FMX kips	VMX f/s	EMX k-ft	BPM **	ETR (%)
69	39	13.8	0.29	29.0	81.4
70	38	14.1	0.28	28.9	79.5
71	38	14.1	0.28	29.0	79.1
72	39	14.0	0.28	28.9	79.4
73	37	13.9	0.28	28.9	79.5
74	40	13.9	0.28	28.9	80.1
75	38	14.1	0.28	28.9	79.2
76	39	14.4	0.28	28.8	80.6
77	39	14.2	0.28	28.9	79.7
78	40	13.7	0.28	28.9	78.8
79	39	14.4	0.28	28.9	80.6
80	38	13.6	0.28	28.8	78.5
81	38	14.3	0.28	28.8	80.5
82	39	13.9	0.28	28.8	79.4
83	40	14.0	0.28	28.8	79.9
84	39	14.0	0.28	28.7	79.0
85	39	14.0	0.29	28.8	82.2
86	40	13.9	0.28	28.8	80.2
87	38	14.4	0.28	28.8	80.9
88	39	14.4	0.29	28.7	81.6
89	38	14.4	0.29	28.8	81.4
90	38	14.3	0.29	28.7	81.5
91	40	13.8	0.29	28.7	81.4
92	39	13.3	0.27	28.7	78.3
93	39	13.9	0.28	28.7	81.0
94	40	13.7	0.28	28.7	80.2
95	40	14.1	0.28	28.7	81.2
96	40	13.8	0.29	28.6	81.4
97	39	13.9	0.29	28.7	81.3
Average	39	14.0	0.28	29.2	80.3
Std. Dev.	1	0.2	0.00	0.4	1.1

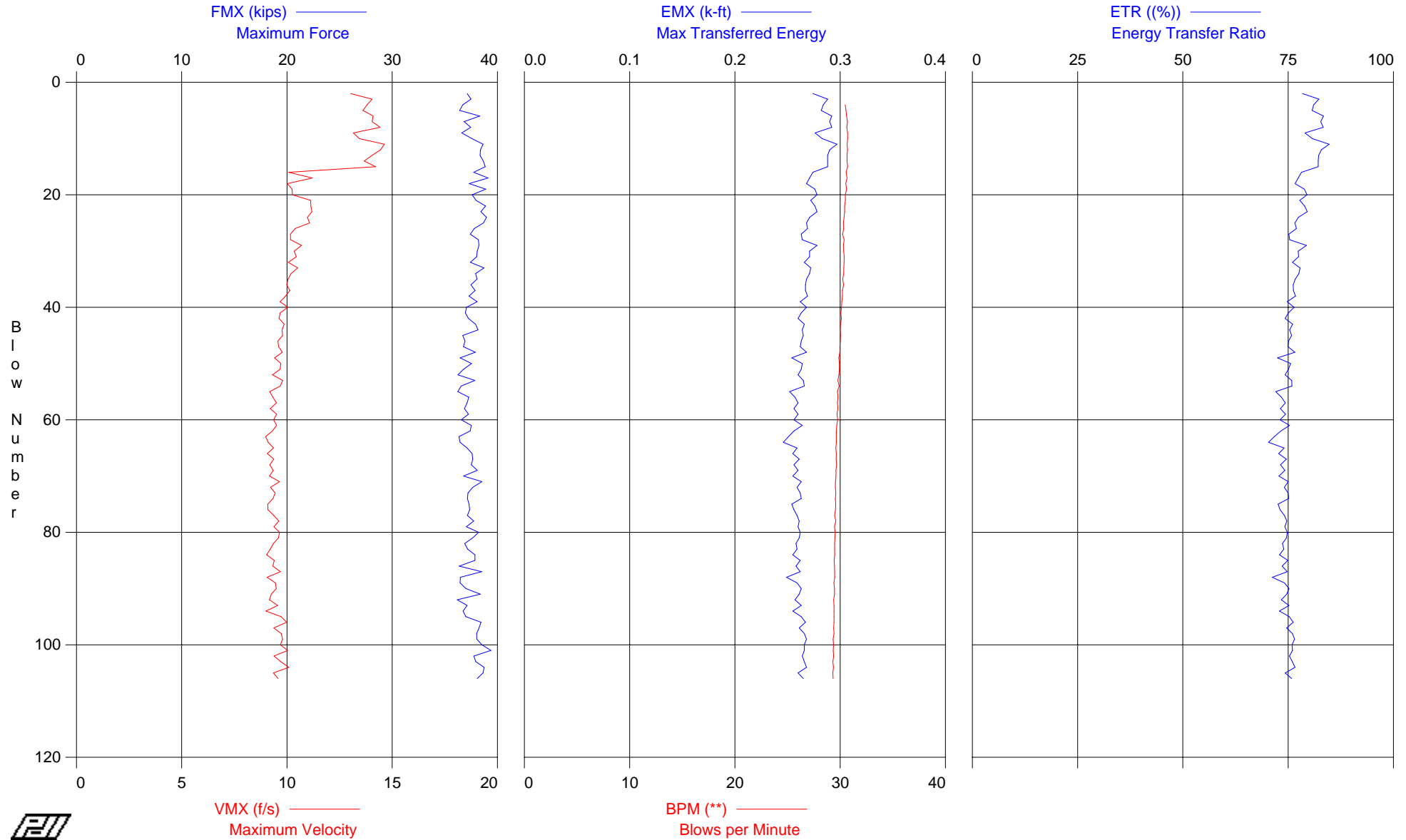
Total number of blows analyzed: 96

Time Summary

Drive 3 minutes 17 seconds

4:36:46 PM - 4:40:03 PM (9/23/2006) BN 2 - 97

Knik Arm Crossing - Boring# 06-01



Knik Arm Crossing - Boring# 06-01  
OP: V Baker

140# Auto Hammer  
Test date: 23-Sep-2006

AR: 1.43 in<sup>2</sup>  
LE: 204.00 ft  
WS: 16,807.9 f/s

SP: 0.492 k/ft<sup>3</sup>  
EM: 30,000 ksi  
JC: 0.35

FMX: Maximum Force  
VMX: Maximum Velocity  
EMX: Max Transferred Energy

BPM: Blows per Minute  
ETR: Energy Transfer Ratio

BL#	FMX kips	VMX f/s	EMX k-ft	BPM **	ETR (%)
2	37	13.0	0.27	0.0	78.4
3	37	14.0	0.29	0.0	82.3
4	37	13.8	0.28	30.5	81.1
5	36	13.6	0.28	30.6	80.7
6	38	14.1	0.29	30.6	83.4
7	37	14.0	0.29	30.7	82.7
8	37	14.4	0.29	30.6	83.3
9	37	13.2	0.28	30.7	79.0
10	38	13.4	0.28	30.7	80.8
11	39	14.6	0.30	30.7	84.7
12	38	14.4	0.29	30.7	82.9
13	38	14.0	0.29	30.6	82.2
14	39	13.7	0.29	30.6	82.2
15	39	14.2	0.29	30.7	82.1
16	38	10.1	0.27	30.6	78.2
17	39	11.2	0.27	30.6	77.4
18	37	10.0	0.27	30.5	76.6
19	39	10.2	0.28	30.6	78.9
20	38	10.3	0.28	30.5	79.5
21	38	11.1	0.27	30.5	77.8
22	39	11.1	0.28	30.4	78.9
23	38	11.2	0.28	30.4	79.6
24	39	11.0	0.27	30.4	77.4
25	39	11.1	0.27	30.3	76.6
26	38	10.4	0.27	30.3	76.9
27	37	10.2	0.26	30.2	75.2
28	38	10.2	0.26	30.4	75.4
29	38	10.7	0.28	30.3	79.4
30	38	10.3	0.27	30.3	77.4
31	38	10.4	0.27	30.4	77.5
32	37	10.1	0.27	30.4	76.0
33	39	10.5	0.27	30.3	77.8
34	38	10.2	0.27	30.3	77.6
35	38	10.1	0.27	30.2	76.7
36	37	10.0	0.27	30.3	76.2
37	38	10.1	0.27	30.2	76.3
38	37	9.9	0.27	30.2	76.7
39	38	9.7	0.26	30.2	74.8
40	37	10.0	0.27	30.1	76.4
41	37	9.7	0.26	30.1	75.1
42	37	9.6	0.26	30.1	74.3
43	38	9.9	0.27	30.0	76.1
44	38	9.8	0.26	30.0	75.4
45	37	9.8	0.27	30.0	75.8
46	37	9.6	0.26	30.0	75.1
47	37	9.6	0.26	30.0	75.0
48	38	9.8	0.27	30.0	76.6
49	36	9.4	0.25	29.9	72.5
50	38	9.7	0.26	29.9	75.6
51	37	9.7	0.26	29.9	75.1
52	36	9.3	0.26	29.9	74.3
53	38	9.8	0.27	29.8	75.9
54	37	9.7	0.27	29.9	75.9
55	36	9.2	0.25	29.7	72.0
56	37	9.3	0.26	29.8	73.4
57	37	9.5	0.26	29.7	74.3
58	37	9.2	0.26	29.8	73.2
59	37	9.5	0.26	29.7	74.4
60	37	9.4	0.26	29.8	73.1
61	38	9.5	0.26	29.7	75.3
62	37	9.3	0.26	29.6	73.3
63	36	9.0	0.25	29.6	71.7
64	36	9.1	0.25	29.6	70.4
65	37	9.4	0.26	29.6	74.0
66	38	9.1	0.26	29.6	72.8
67	38	9.4	0.26	29.6	74.6
68	38	9.2	0.26	29.7	73.2

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BL#	FMX kips	VMX f/s	EMX k-ft	BPM **	ETR (%)
69	38	9.3	0.26	29.6	74.2
70	37	9.2	0.26	29.6	72.8
71	39	9.6	0.26	29.6	75.0
72	38	9.2	0.26	29.5	74.1
73	37	9.4	0.26	29.6	75.0
74	37	9.3	0.26	29.5	75.1
75	37	9.1	0.25	29.6	72.6
76	37	9.1	0.26	29.6	73.1
77	37	9.4	0.26	29.5	74.1
78	38	9.6	0.26	29.6	74.7
79	37	9.4	0.26	29.5	74.2
80	38	9.6	0.26	29.5	74.8
81	38	9.6	0.26	29.5	74.6
82	37	9.4	0.26	29.5	73.6
83	37	9.2	0.26	29.5	74.0
84	38	9.0	0.26	29.5	72.9
85	38	9.4	0.26	29.4	74.9
86	36	9.3	0.26	29.5	73.6
87	38	9.7	0.26	29.5	74.8
88	36	9.1	0.25	29.5	71.2
89	36	9.4	0.26	29.4	74.1
90	37	9.5	0.26	29.5	75.2
91	38	9.3	0.26	29.5	74.7
92	36	9.2	0.26	29.4	73.4
93	37	9.6	0.26	29.4	75.2
94	37	9.0	0.26	29.4	72.9
95	37	9.7	0.26	29.4	75.3
96	38	10.0	0.27	29.4	76.2
97	38	9.4	0.26	29.4	74.6
98	38	9.7	0.27	29.4	76.0
99	38	9.8	0.27	29.3	76.5
100	39	9.7	0.27	29.4	75.9
101	39	10.0	0.27	29.3	76.1
102	38	9.4	0.26	29.4	75.3
103	38	9.7	0.27	29.3	76.0
104	39	10.1	0.27	29.4	76.6
105	39	9.4	0.26	29.3	74.3
106	38	9.6	0.27	29.3	75.8
Average	38	10.3	0.27	29.9	76.1
Std. Dev.	1	1.5	0.01	0.5	2.9

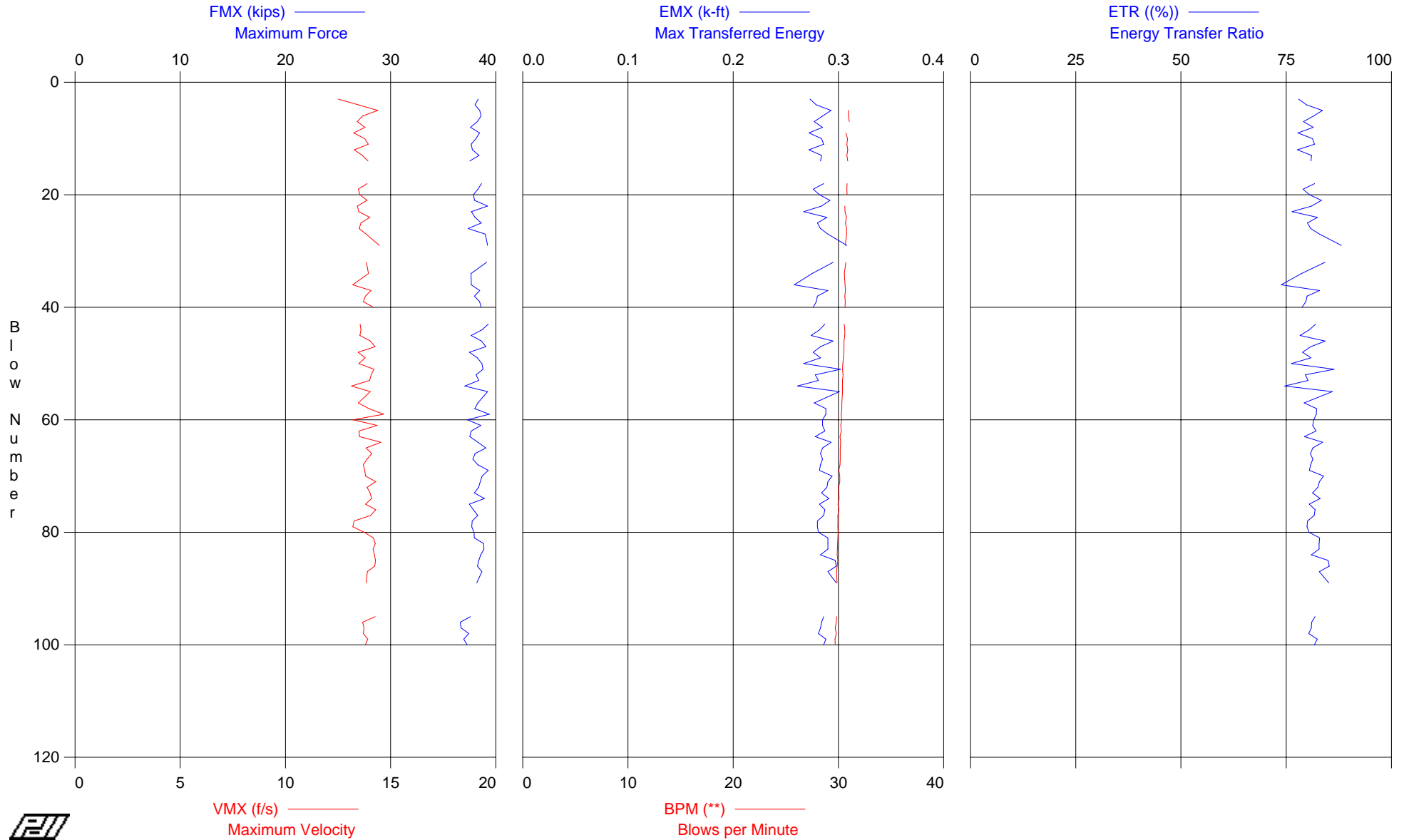
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OP: V Baker

140# Auto Hammer  
Test date: 23-Sep-2006

AR: 1.43 in<sup>2</sup>  
LE: 209.00 ft  
WS: 16,807.9 f/s

SP: 0.492 k/ft<sup>3</sup>  
EM: 30,000 ksi  
JC: 0.35

FMX: Maximum Force  
VMX: Maximum Velocity  
EMX: Max Transferred Energy

BPM: Blows per Minute  
ETR: Energy Transfer Ratio

BL#	FMX kips	VMX f/s	EMX k-ft	BPM **	ETR (%)
3	38	12.5	0.27	0.0	78.0
4	38	13.5	0.28	0.0	79.8
5	38	14.4	0.29	30.9	83.6
6	39	13.7	0.29	31.0	81.5
7	38	13.4	0.28	31.0	79.1
8	38	13.8	0.29	0.0	81.5
9	38	13.2	0.27	30.7	77.8
10	38	13.8	0.28	30.9	81.3
11	38	13.9	0.29	30.8	81.7
12	38	13.3	0.27	30.9	77.7
13	38	13.7	0.28	30.8	81.0
14	38	13.9	0.28	30.9	80.9
18	39	13.9	0.29	30.8	81.8
19	38	13.5	0.28	30.8	79.0
20	38	13.5	0.28	30.8	80.5
21	38	13.9	0.29	0.0	83.4
22	39	13.4	0.28	30.6	81.0
23	38	13.5	0.27	30.6	76.4
24	38	14.0	0.29	30.8	82.4
25	39	13.6	0.28	30.7	80.0
26	37	13.5	0.28	30.8	80.8
27	39	13.8	0.29	30.8	83.0
29	39	14.5	0.31	30.6	88.1
32	39	13.8	0.30	30.7	84.2
34	38	13.9	0.28	30.6	78.6
36	38	13.2	0.26	30.6	73.8
37	38	14.1	0.29	30.7	83.0
38	38	13.8	0.28	30.6	80.0
39	38	13.7	0.28	30.6	79.7
40	39	14.2	0.28	30.6	78.8
43	39	13.5	0.29	30.6	82.0
44	39	13.6	0.28	30.6	80.5
45	38	13.5	0.27	30.6	78.3
46	39	14.0	0.30	30.5	84.3
47	39	14.3	0.28	30.5	80.8
48	37	13.5	0.28	30.5	78.9
49	38	13.8	0.28	30.5	80.9
50	39	13.5	0.27	30.4	76.2
51	39	14.2	0.30	30.4	86.4
52	38	14.1	0.28	30.4	79.5
53	38	14.0	0.28	30.4	80.2
54	37	13.1	0.26	30.4	74.6
55	39	14.0	0.30	30.4	86.0
57	38	13.5	0.28	30.3	79.2
58	38	14.0	0.29	30.3	82.2
59	39	14.7	0.29	30.3	82.2
60	37	13.2	0.29	30.3	81.5
61	39	14.4	0.29	30.2	81.3
62	38	13.5	0.29	30.3	82.1
63	38	13.5	0.28	30.2	79.3
64	38	14.5	0.29	30.2	83.7
65	39	13.8	0.29	30.2	81.3
66	38	14.1	0.28	30.2	80.7
67	38	13.9	0.29	30.2	81.3
68	38	13.7	0.28	30.2	80.8
69	39	13.8	0.28	30.0	80.5
70	39	13.8	0.29	30.1	83.9
71	39	14.3	0.29	30.1	82.9
72	38	13.9	0.29	30.0	82.5
73	38	14.0	0.28	30.0	81.3
74	39	14.1	0.29	30.1	83.1
75	37	13.8	0.28	30.0	80.5
76	38	14.3	0.29	30.0	81.9
77	38	14.1	0.29	29.9	81.6
78	38	13.3	0.28	30.0	80.1
79	38	13.2	0.28	29.9	80.0
80	38	13.7	0.28	30.0	80.4

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Test date: 23-Sep-2006

BL#	FMX kips	VMX f/s	EMX k-ft	BPM **	ETR (%)
81	38	14.2	0.29	29.9	83.0
82	39	14.3	0.29	29.9	82.8
83	39	14.2	0.29	29.9	82.8
84	39	14.2	0.28	29.9	81.0
85	38	14.3	0.30	29.9	84.9
86	38	14.2	0.30	29.9	85.2
87	39	13.9	0.29	29.8	82.9
89	38	13.8	0.30	29.9	85.1
95	38	14.3	0.29	29.8	81.8
96	37	13.7	0.28	29.8	81.1
97	37	13.7	0.28	29.7	81.0
98	37	13.7	0.28	29.8	80.3
99	37	13.9	0.29	29.7	82.4
100	37	13.8	0.29	29.7	81.7
Average	38	13.8	0.28	30.3	81.2
Std. Dev.	1	0.4	0.01	0.4	2.4

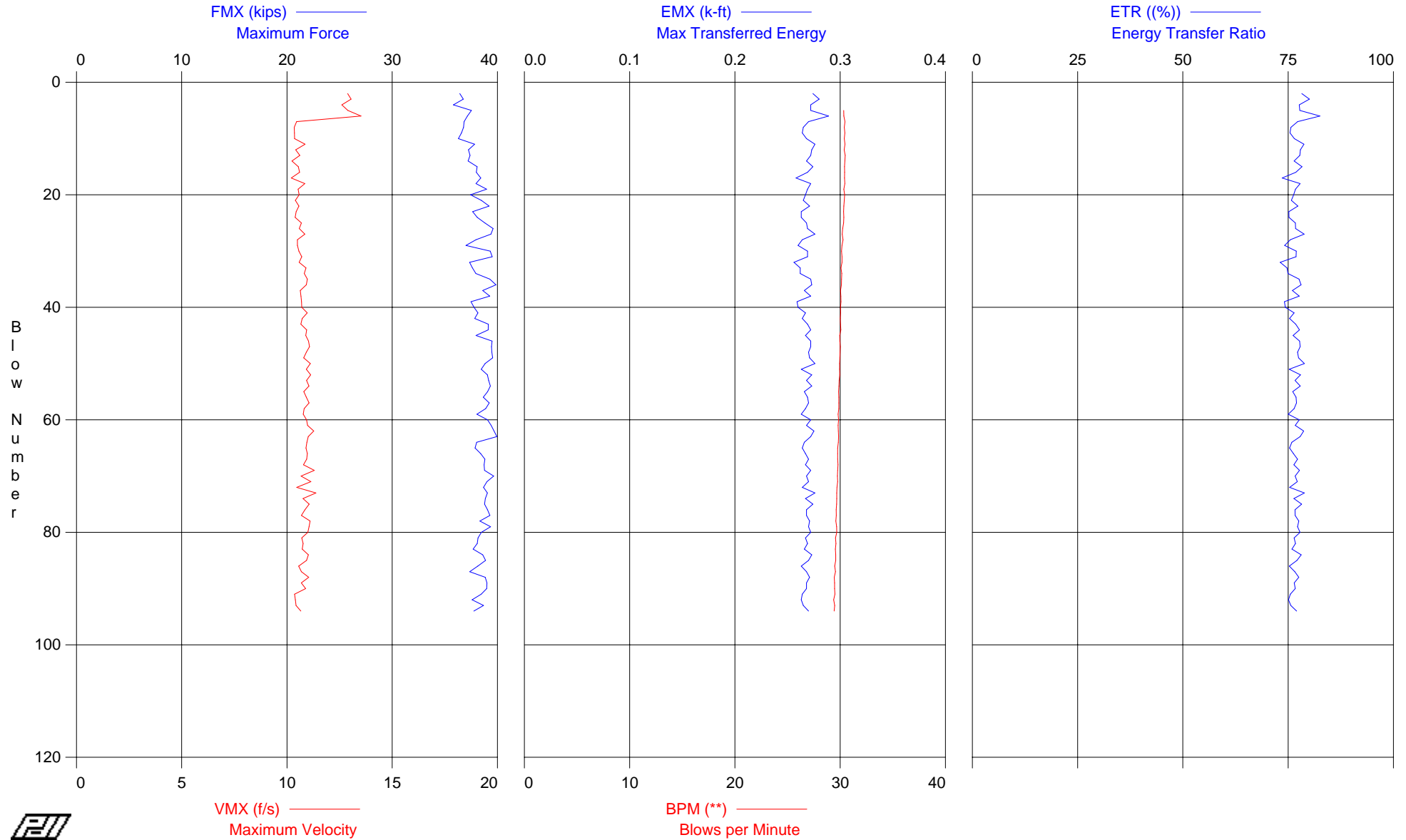
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Knik Arm Crossing - Boring# 06-01  
OP: V Baker

140# Auto Hammer  
Test date: 23-Sep-2006

AR: 1.43 in<sup>2</sup>  
LE: 214.00 ft  
WS: 16,807.9 f/s

SP: 0.492 k/ft<sup>3</sup>  
EM: 30,000 ksi  
JC: 0.35

FMX: Maximum Force  
VMX: Maximum Velocity  
EMX: Max Transferred Energy

BPM: Blows per Minute  
ETR: Energy Transfer Ratio

BL#	FMX kips	VMX f/s	EMX k-ft	BPM **	ETR (%)
2	36	12.9	0.27	0.0	78.2
3	37	13.0	0.28	0.0	80.0
4	36	12.6	0.27	0.0	77.7
5	38	12.9	0.27	30.3	77.8
6	37	13.5	0.29	30.3	82.6
7	37	10.5	0.27	30.5	77.3
8	37	10.3	0.27	30.4	75.7
9	37	10.4	0.26	30.4	75.4
10	36	10.4	0.27	30.4	76.5
11	38	10.9	0.28	30.5	78.8
12	37	10.4	0.27	30.4	77.9
13	37	10.6	0.27	30.5	77.8
14	37	10.2	0.27	30.4	76.4
15	38	10.5	0.27	30.4	78.3
16	38	10.6	0.27	30.4	76.8
17	38	10.2	0.26	30.4	73.6
18	38	10.8	0.27	30.4	77.8
19	39	10.5	0.27	30.3	76.7
20	37	10.6	0.27	30.4	76.3
21	38	10.4	0.27	30.4	75.8
22	39	10.6	0.27	30.3	77.3
23	38	10.4	0.26	30.3	75.2
24	38	10.4	0.26	30.3	75.2
25	39	10.7	0.27	30.3	76.7
26	40	10.6	0.27	30.2	76.8
27	39	10.8	0.28	30.2	78.8
28	38	10.5	0.26	30.3	75.5
29	37	10.5	0.26	30.2	74.2
30	39	10.6	0.27	30.1	76.9
31	39	10.7	0.27	30.2	76.9
32	37	10.6	0.26	30.2	73.1
33	38	10.9	0.26	30.1	74.7
34	38	10.8	0.26	30.2	75.0
35	39	11.0	0.27	30.1	77.6
36	40	10.9	0.27	30.1	78.1
37	39	10.6	0.27	30.0	76.0
38	39	10.7	0.27	30.1	77.6
39	37	10.7	0.26	30.1	74.1
40	38	10.7	0.26	30.0	74.3
41	38	11.0	0.27	30.0	76.4
42	38	10.7	0.26	30.0	75.3
43	39	10.7	0.27	30.0	76.8
44	39	10.9	0.27	30.1	77.7
45	38	10.9	0.27	30.0	76.2
46	39	11.0	0.27	30.0	77.7
47	39	11.1	0.27	30.0	77.9
48	39	10.9	0.27	30.0	77.2
49	40	10.8	0.27	30.0	77.5
50	39	11.1	0.28	29.9	78.9
51	38	10.9	0.26	29.9	75.3
52	39	11.1	0.27	30.0	78.0
53	39	10.9	0.27	29.9	76.6
54	39	11.0	0.27	29.9	77.9
55	39	10.8	0.27	29.9	76.1
56	39	10.9	0.27	29.9	76.9
57	39	11.0	0.27	29.9	77.0
58	39	10.8	0.27	29.9	76.4
59	38	10.8	0.26	29.8	75.0
60	39	10.9	0.27	29.9	77.6
61	39	11.0	0.27	29.8	76.7
62	40	11.3	0.28	29.8	78.7
63	40	11.0	0.27	29.9	77.9
64	38	10.9	0.27	29.8	75.9
65	38	10.9	0.26	29.8	75.3
66	38	11.0	0.27	29.8	76.2
67	39	10.9	0.27	29.8	77.2
68	39	10.8	0.27	29.8	76.4

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BL#	FMX kips	VMX f/s	EMX k-ft	BPM **	ETR (%)
69	39	11.3	0.27	29.8	77.7
70	40	10.7	0.27	29.7	76.6
71	39	11.1	0.27	29.8	77.2
72	39	10.5	0.26	29.7	75.4
73	39	11.4	0.28	29.7	78.8
74	39	10.8	0.27	29.7	76.4
75	39	11.1	0.27	29.7	78.2
76	39	10.9	0.27	29.6	76.6
77	39	10.7	0.27	29.6	76.7
78	38	11.1	0.27	29.6	77.5
79	39	11.1	0.27	29.7	77.2
80	38	11.0	0.27	29.7	77.8
81	38	10.7	0.27	29.6	76.4
82	38	10.8	0.27	29.6	76.8
83	38	10.7	0.27	29.5	75.9
84	39	11.0	0.27	29.6	78.1
85	39	10.9	0.27	29.6	77.1
86	38	10.6	0.26	29.5	75.3
87	37	10.7	0.27	29.6	76.6
88	39	11.0	0.27	29.4	77.5
89	39	10.7	0.27	29.5	76.5
90	39	10.9	0.27	29.5	76.7
91	38	10.4	0.26	29.5	75.5
92	38	10.4	0.26	29.4	75.1
93	39	10.4	0.27	29.5	75.6
94	38	10.7	0.27	29.4	77.0
Average	38	10.9	0.27	30.0	76.8
Std. Dev.	1	0.6	0.00	0.3	1.4

Total number of blows analyzed: 93

Time Summary

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## APPENDIX F

### LABORATORY TEST PROCEDURES AND RESULTS

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## **APPENDIX F**

### **LABORATORY TEST PROCEDURES AND RESULTS**

Laboratory tests were performed on select soil samples recovered from the Knik Arm crossing borings to verify visual classifications and to determine those engineering characteristics pertinent to the civil design of the project. The following sections discuss each of the tests performed for the various properties required.

#### **F-1 Classification Tests**

Soil samples shipped to our laboratory were carefully examined and classified in the laboratory and their descriptions were checked against those in the field. These descriptions were used in the preparation of our boring logs, Figures A-2 through A-20 in Appendix A. A summary of the soil test results is presented in Table F-1. The Unified Soil Classification System (ASTM D-2488 & 2487-90) was used for this study and is included as Table F-2.

#### **Water Content Determinations**

Following the visual classification of each soil sample, a portion of the material was taken, weighed, and oven dried to determine the natural water content of the soil. The water contents, based on ASTM D-2216, are tabulated in Table F-1 and on the boring logs.

#### **Density Determinations**

Since a number of soil specimen were prepared for uniaxial and triaxial compression testing, density determinations were automatically obtained as a by product from these tests. In the preparation procedure, the ends of approximately 6-inch high cylindrical specimens are squared off, the height and diameter are measured, and the volume calculated. The specimens are then weighed to determine the wet unit weight. The results of these determinations are indicated in Figures F-3 and F-4.

#### **Grain Size Analyses**

Grain size analyses were conducted on 35 selected soil samples. The specimens were primarily granular in nature and were tested to obtain estimates of the material's fines content. The 35 grain size tests were performed in accordance with the mechanical sieve procedures described in ASTM D-422 or wet sieving procedures in ASTM D-1140 for percent finer than the U.S. Number 200 sieve size. The results of these measurements are presented in the soil testing summary on Table F-1 and in detail as grain size plots in nine sheets in Figure F-1.

### Atterberg Limits

To aid in classifying and correlating the properties of the potentially cohesive soils, Atterberg limit tests (liquid and plastic limits) were performed on 75 samples, which typically represented the various fine grained materials encountered in the borings. Liquid limit tests were performed in accordance with ASTM D-423. Plastic limit tests followed ASTM D-424.

### **F-2 Shear Strength Tests**

The focus of the shear strength testing was the various fine-grained soil units encountered in the borings. The procedures used to estimate the strength of the silt and/or clay soils included pocket penetrometer and Torvane tests, unconfined compression tests, and unconsolidated undrained triaxial compression tests.

#### Pocket Penetrometer and Torvane Tests

These simple tests were performed on most of the fine-grained soil specimens in both disturbed and undisturbed samples unless penetration resistance sampling results suggested that the soil strength likely exceeded the upper limit of these field screening instruments. The pocket penetrometer (PP) is a small hand-held spring-calibrated ¼-inch cylindrical probe, which is slowly pushed into the soil specimen until ¼-inch penetration is achieved. The maximum reading is then taken and provides a quick estimate of the unconfined compressive strength; which, if divided by 2, becomes comparable with the undrained shear strength. The results are presented on the boring logs in Appendix A and summarized on the Soils Testing Report on Table F-1. They are also selectively presented in Figure 6. The limit of this test is 4.5 tons per foot (tsf). Thus when the limit was exceeded the results are reported as > 4.5 tsf.

The Torvane (Tv) is likewise a simple hand-held spring calibrated torsional device with small steel vanes on the end. In this test the vanes are pushed into the specimen and then torqued against the spring tension until failure by shearing results. The highest reading is then read and recorded as a direct estimate of the materials undrained shear strength. Similar to the pocket penetrometer, the higher readings usually occur on undisturbed samples and often low bound strengths are recorded if the sample being tested is silty or sandy clay. Torvane testing in stiff to hard silts and clays has typically been found to provide lower readings than actual soil strengths, and are misleading.

The results of the PP and Tv measurements are presented on the boring logs (Figures A-2 through A-20) and on the classification of Shelby tubes (Figure A-21, 29 sheets), both in Appendix A. PP and Tv measurements on Shelby tube samples were taken on the ends of the samples in the field and recorded on the boring logs. After extrusion of the soil from the tube in

the laboratory, PP and Tv measurements were again taken on the Shelby tube samples and may not match the field measurements because they were logged at different times.

### Unconfined Compression Tests

Unconfined compression tests were performed on fine-grained soil specimens to generally estimate the intact compressive or undrained shear strength. The tests were performed in accordance with ASTM D-2166. In this test, the approximately 6-inch long by 2.8 inch diameter cylindrical specimens are squared off at the ends, placed in a compression machine, and loaded axially to failure. The results of these tests are summarized on Table F-1 and selectively on Figure 6. The actual stress strain curves for each test and a sketch depicting the mode of failure for each test are presented as Figure F-3, pages 1 through 26.

### Triaxial Compression Tests

Unconsolidated, undrained triaxial compression tests were performed on representative samples of the more silty and/or clayey specimens to estimate intact strength under the existing approximate overburden pressure. After preparation, each cylindrical specimen was encased in a rubber membrane and placed in a triaxial chamber. With the drain valve closed, each specimen was subjected to a predetermined confining pressure, generally a value estimated as the effective overburden pressure. With the confining pressure kept constant, the specimen was then loaded axially to failure with no drainage from the specimen allowed. The results of these tests are summarized in Table F-1. Plots of deviator stress (total stresses) versus axial strain, and pertinent specimen and test data are included as Figure F-4. In a number of cases, two specimen from a given sample were often prepared and then tested, one as an unconfined compression test specimen and one for triaxial testing. Mohr circles for the triaxial specimens and their matching unconfined compression test, where performed, are summarized in Figure 7.

### **F-3 Consolidation Tests**

One dimensional consolidation tests were performed on undisturbed samples of the fine-grained soils in the east abutment area to estimate preconsolidation pressures on these soils. In this test, performed in a consolidometer, samples extruded from Shelby Tubes were first trimmed and fitted into a rigid ring. Porous stones were then placed on the top and bottom of the specimen to allow drainage. The specimen is then loaded in increments and the axial deflection is monitored over time. The deflection at 100 percent primary consolidation was then taken from each time-settlement curve and used to plot void ratio versus log of the actual pressure. The results of this test are presented on Figure F-5.

## SOILS TESTING REPORT

Table F-1  
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Project Name: Knik Arm Crossing

Project No.: 32-1-01536-004

Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			13.5	20	25	30	35	40
Test Hole No.			B06-01	B06-01	B06-01	B06-01	B06-01	B06-01
Field Sample No.			S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	S6
Date Sampled			September 22, 2006	September 22, 2006	September 22, 2006	September 22, 2006	September 22, 2006	September 22, 2006
Lab No.			B06-01S1	B06-01S2	B06-01S3	B06-01S4	B06-01S5	B06-01S6
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm					<b>NO RECOVERY</b>	
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm	100.0%		100.0%			
	0.5"	12.5mm	77.4%		98.1%			
	0.375"	9.5mm	74.5%		94.1%			
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm	66.7%		88.2%			
	#8	2.36mm	61.8%		80.7%			
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm	58.0%		72.4%			
	#30	0.6mm	54.9%		24.0%			
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm	50.5%		12.5%			
#100	0.15mm	44.7%		10.1%				
#200	0.075mm	36.0%		8.7%				
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								39
Plastic Index								18
Moisture Content %			10.0%	13.9%	14.6%	14.4%		22.2%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel			33%		12%			
% Sand			31%		79%			
% Silt & Clay			36%		8.7%			
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Project Name: Knik Arm Crossing

Project No.: 32-1-01536-004

Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			45	50	55	60	65	70
Test Hole No.			B06-01	B06-01	B06-01	B06-01	B06-01	B06-01
Field Sample No.			S7	S8	S9	S10	S11	S12
Date Sampled			September 22, 2006	September 22, 2006	September 22, 2006	September 22, 2006	September 22, 2006	September 23, 2006
Lab No.			B06-01S7	B06-01S8	B06-01S9	B06-01S10	B06-01S11	B06-01S12
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm		NO RECOVERY		NO RECOVERY		
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm	100.0%					
	0.5"	12.5mm	91.7%					
	0.375"	9.5mm	88.6%					
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm	80.7%					
	#8	2.36mm	74.5%					
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm	69.7%					
	#30	0.6mm	65.3%					
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm	59.2%					
#100	0.15mm	54.5%						
#200	0.075mm	13.8%						
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			12.9%		12.6%		13.6%	16.8%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel			19%					
% Sand			67%					
% Silt & Clay			14%					
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								



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Project Name: Knik Arm Crossing

Project No.: 32-1-01536-004

Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			75	80	85	90	95	100
Test Hole No.			B06-01	B06-01	B06-01	B06-01	B06-01	B06-01
Field Sample No.			S13	S14	S15	S16	S17	S18
Date Sampled			September 23, 2006	September 23, 2006	September 23, 2006	September 23, 2006	September 23, 2006	September 23, 2006
Lab No.			B06-01S13	B06-01S14	B06-01S15	B06-01S16	B06-01S17	B06-01S18
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
	#100	0.15mm						
#200	0.075mm		43.0%					
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit			22					
Plastic Index			9					
Moisture Content %			8.9%	10.2%	10.0%	7.9%	14.1%	13.9%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay				43%				
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Project Name: Knik Arm Crossing

Project No.: 32-1-01536-004

Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			105	110	115	120	125	130
Test Hole No.			B06-01	B06-01	B06-01	B06-01	B06-01	B06-01
Field Sample No.			S19	S20	S21	S22	S23	S24
Date Sampled			September 23, 2006	September 23, 2006	September 23, 2006	September 23, 2006	September 23, 2006	September 23, 2006
Lab No.			B06-01S19	B06-01S20	B06-01S21	B06-01S22	B06-01S23	B06-01S24
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						100.0%
	1"	25mm						94.4%
	0.75"	19mm						82.2%
	0.5"	12.5mm						76.2%
	0.375"	9.5mm						74.2%
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						68.9%
	#8	2.36mm						64.6%
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						60.9%
	#30	0.6mm						57.3%
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						52.6%
#100	0.15mm						47.0%	
#200	0.075mm			73.2%			41.0%	
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit				25				
Plastic Index				12				
Moisture Content %			13.8%	14.5%	28.5%	19.0%	22.0%	10.4%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								31%
% Sand								28%
% Silt & Clay					73%			41%
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Project No.: 32-1-01536-004

Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			135	140	145	150	155	160
Test Hole No.			B06-01	B06-01	B06-01	B06-01	B06-01	B06-01
Field Sample No.			S25	S26	S27	S28	S29	S30
Date Sampled			September 23, 2006	September 23, 2006	September 23, 2006	September 23, 2006	September 23, 2006	September 23, 2006
Lab No.			B06-01S25	B06-01S26	B06-01S27	B06-01S28	B06-01S29	B06-01S30
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm	<b>NO RECOVERY</b>					
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit					32			
Plastic Index					14			
Moisture Content %				22.2%	17.6%	16.9%	18.1%	19.0%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			165	170	175	180	185	190
Test Hole No.			B06-01	B06-01	B06-01	B06-01	B06-01	B06-01
Field Sample No.			S31	S32	S33	S34	S35	S36
Date Sampled			September 23, 2006	September 23, 2006	September 23, 2006	September 24, 2006	September 24, 2006	September 24, 2006
Lab No.			B06-01S31	B06-01S32	B06-01S33	B06-01S34	B06-01S35	B06-01S36
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
	#100	0.15mm						
	#200	0.075mm						
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit				31				34
Plastic Index				14				13
Moisture Content %			17.4%	17.2%	18.2%	19.1%	18.5%	21.9%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)		195					
Test Hole No.		B06-01					
Field Sample No.		S37					
Date Sampled		September 24, 2006					
Lab No.		B06-01S37					
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm					
	2"	50mm					
	1.5"	37.5mm					
	1"	25mm					
	0.75"	19mm					
	0.5"	12.5mm					
	0.375"	9.5mm					
	0.25"	6.3mm					
	#4	4.75mm					
	#8	2.36mm					
	#10	2mm					
	#16	1.18mm					
	#30	0.6mm					
	#40	0.425mm					
#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm						
#200	0.075mm						
DOTSD							
Liquid Limit							
Plastic Index							
Moisture Content %		20.4%					
Organic Content %							
% Gravel							
% Sand							
% Silt & Clay							
Max. Dry Density							
Opt. Moisture %							
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial $U_u$ (tsf)							
Coeff. Of Consolidation $C_v$							
Unc. Comp. Strength $Q_u$ (tsf)							
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)							

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			9	14	19	24	29	34
Test Hole No.			B06-02	B06-02	B06-02	B06-02	B06-02	B06-02
Field Sample No.			S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	S6
Date Sampled			September 27, 2006	September 27, 2006	September 27, 2006	September 27, 2006	September 27, 2006	September 27, 2006
Lab No.			B06-02S1	B06-02S2	B06-02S3	B06-02S4	B06-02S5	B06-02S6
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
	#100	0.15mm						
#200	0.075mm				5.7%		52.2%	
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			9.4%	6.4%	8.6%	15.3%	7.9%	14.4%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay						5.7%		52%
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			39	44	49	54	59	64
Test Hole No.			B06-02	B06-02	B06-02	B06-02	B06-02	B06-02
Field Sample No.			S7	S8	S9	S10	S11	S12
Date Sampled			September 27, 2006	September 22, 2006	September 22, 2006	September 22, 2006	September 22, 2006	September 23, 2006
Lab No.			B06-02S7	B06-02S8	B06-02S9	B06-02S10	B06-02S11	B06-02S12
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm		NO RECOVERY				TUBE BENT, UNABLE TO EXTRUDE
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
#50	0.3mm							
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit			29					
Plastic Index			14					
Moisture Content %			17.2%		16.7%	14.3%	14.0%	
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)					4.0		4.0	4.5

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			69	74	79	84	89	99
Test Hole No.			B06-02	B06-02	B06-02	B06-02	B06-02	B06-02
Field Sample No.			S13	S14	S15	S16	S17	S18
Date Sampled			September 27, 2006	September 27, 2006	September 27, 2006	September 27, 2006	September 27, 2006	September 27, 2006
Lab No.			B06-02S13	B06-02S14	B06-02S15	B06-02S16	B06-02S17	B06-02S18
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm				100.0%		
	1"	25mm				95.0%		
	0.75"	19mm				89.8%		
	0.5"	12.5mm				81.7%		
	0.375"	9.5mm				74.5%		
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm				49.9%		
	#8	2.36mm				43.4%		
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm				39.1%		
	#30	0.6mm				33.6%		
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm				33.6%		
#100	0.15mm				28.3%			
#200	0.075mm				24.7%			
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit				28				
Plastic Index				13				
Moisture Content %			24.5%	18.2%	21.8%	10.3%	10.1%	9.6%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel						40%		
% Sand						35%		
% Silt & Clay						25%		
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)					3.5			



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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			109	119	129	139	149	
Test Hole No.			B06-02	B06-02	B06-02	B06-02	B06-02	
Field Sample No.			S19	S20	S21	S22	S23	
Date Sampled			September 27, 2006	September 27, 2006	September 28, 2006	September 28, 2006	September 28, 2006	
Lab No.			B06-02S19	B06-02S20	B06-02S21	B06-02S22	B06-02S23	
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm	100.0%					
	1"	25mm	81.4%					
	0.75"	19mm	81.4%					
	0.5"	12.5mm	58.4%					
	0.375"	9.5mm	37.3%					
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm	17.0%					
	#8	2.36mm	10.0%					
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm	5.9%					
	#30	0.6mm	4.2%					
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm	3.0%					
	#100	0.15mm	2.0%					
#200	0.075mm	1.6%						
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit					32			
Plastic Index					14			
Moisture Content %			9.8%	15.0%	20.7%	17.3%	18.5%	
Organic Content %								
% Gravel			83%					
% Sand			15%					
% Silt & Clay			1.6%					
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			7	11	16	22	32	37
Test Hole No.			B06-04	B06-04	B06-04	B06-04	B06-04	B06-04
Field Sample No.			S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	S6
Date Sampled			October 3, 2006	October 3, 2006	October 3, 2006	October 3, 2006	October 3, 2006	October 3, 2006
Lab No.			B06-04S1	B06-04S2	B06-04S3	B06-04S4	B06-04S5	B06-04S6
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm			100.0%			
	1"	25mm			68.8%			
	0.75"	19mm			65.2%			
	0.5"	12.5mm			62.3%			
	0.375"	9.5mm			50.3%			
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm			35.5%			
	#8	2.36mm			26.0%			
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm			20.0%			
	#30	0.6mm			15.8%			
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm			10.4%			
	#100	0.15mm			8.2%			
#200	0.075mm			6.7%				
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %					5.9%	5.5%	7.3%	13.7%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel					65%			
% Sand					29%			
% Silt & Clay					6.7%			
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			42	57	66	71	76	81
Test Hole No.			B06-04	B06-04	B06-04	B06-04	B06-04	B06-04
Field Sample No.			S7	S8	S9	S10	S11	S12
Date Sampled			October 3, 2006	October 3, 2006	October 3, 2006	October 4, 2006	October 4, 2006	October 4, 2006
Lab No.			B06-04S7	B06-04S8	B06-04S9	B06-04S10	B06-04S11	B06-04S12
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm	NO RECOVERY	SKIPPED DUE TO COBBLES				
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %					10.9%	8.8%	7.8%	
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial $U_u$ (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation $C_v$								
Unc. Comp. Strength $Q_u$ (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			86	91	96	101	111	121
Test Hole No.			B06-04	B06-04	B06-04	B06-04	B06-04	B06-04
Field Sample No.			S13	S14	S15	S16	S17	S18
Date Sampled			October 4, 2006	October 4, 2006	October 4, 2006	October 4, 2006	October 4, 2006	October 4, 2006
Lab No.			B06-04S13	B06-04S14	B06-04S15	B06-04S16	B06-04S17	B06-04S18
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm			<b>NO RECOVERY</b>			
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %						9.9%	10.9%	19.9%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Project No.: 32-1-01536-004

Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			131	139	144	154	159	
Test Hole No.			B06-04	B06-04	B06-04	B06-04	B06-04	
Field Sample No.			S19	S20	S21	S22	S23	
Date Sampled			October 4, 2006	October 4, 2006	October 4, 2006	October 4, 2006	October 4, 2006	
Lab No.			B06-04S19	B06-04S20	B06-04S21	B06-04S22	B06-04S23	
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
	#100	0.15mm						
#200	0.075mm				8.8%			
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit			40					
Plastic Index			20					
Moisture Content %			24.4%	16.8%	21.1%	12.7%	8.4%	
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay						8.8%		
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial $U_u$ (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation $C_v$								
Unc. Comp. Strength $Q_u$ (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Project Name: Knik Arm Crossing

Project No.: 32-1-01536-004

Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			7	12	17	22	30	35
Test Hole No.			B06-05	B06-05	B06-05	B06-05	B06-05	B06-05
Field Sample No.			S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	S6
Date Sampled			August 20, 2006	August 20, 2006	August 20, 2006	August 20, 2006	August 20, 2006	August 20, 2006
Lab No.			B06-05S1	B06-05S2	B06-05S3	B06-05S4	B06-05S5	B06-05S6
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm				<b>NO RECOVERY</b>		
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			9.0%	10.4%	7.2%		4.8%	4.6%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial $U_u$ (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation $C_v$								
Unc. Comp. Strength $Q_u$ (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Project Name: Knik Arm Crossing

Project No.: 32-1-01536-004

Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			41	45	49	55	60	64
Test Hole No.			B06-05	B06-05	B06-05	B06-05	B06-05	B06-05
Field Sample No.			S7	S8	S9	S10	S11	S12
Date Sampled			August 20, 2006	August 20, 2006	August 20, 2006	August 21, 2006	August 21, 2006	August 21, 2006
Lab No.			B06-05S7	B06-05S8	B06-05S9	B06-05S10	B06-05S11	B06-05S12
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit			35					
Plastic Index			18			Non-Plastic		
Moisture Content %			28.2%	30.4%	28.4%	29.3%	29.3%	26.9%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Project Name: Knik Arm Crossing

Project No.: 32-1-01536-004

Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			72	77	79	84	87	94
Test Hole No.			B06-05	B06-05	B06-05	B06-05	B06-05	B06-05
Field Sample No.			S13	S14	S15	S16	S17	S18
Date Sampled			August 21, 2006	August 21, 2006	August 21, 2006	August 21, 2006	August 21, 2006	August 21, 2006
Lab No.			B06-05S13	B06-05S14	B06-05S15	B06-05S16	B06-05S17	B06-05S18
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm					NO RECOVERY	
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
	#100	0.15mm						
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit						42		
Plastic Index						21		
Moisture Content %			27.7%	27.8%		24.4%		21.3%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)					>4.5	>4.5		



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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)		103				
Test Hole No.		B06-05				
Field Sample No.		S19				
Date Sampled		August 21, 2006				
Lab No.		B06-05S19				
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm				
	2"	50mm				
	1.5"	37.5mm				
	1"	25mm				
	0.75"	19mm				
	0.5"	12.5mm				
	0.375"	9.5mm				
	0.25"	6.3mm				
	#4	4.75mm				
	#8	2.36mm				
	#10	2mm				
	#16	1.18mm				
	#30	0.6mm				
	#40	0.425mm				
	#50	0.3mm				
#100	0.15mm					
#200	0.075mm					
DOTSD						
Liquid Limit						
Plastic Index						
Moisture Content %		15.4%				
Organic Content %						
% Gravel						
% Sand						
% Silt & Clay						
Max. Dry Density						
Opt. Moisture %						
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial $U_u$ (tsf)						
Coeff. Of Consolidation $C_v$						
Unc. Comp. Strength $Q_u$ (tsf)						
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)						

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			3	5.7	10.4	16.2	19	23.8
Test Hole No.			B06-06	B06-06	B06-06	B06-06	B06-06	B06-06
Field Sample No.			S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	S6
Date Sampled			August 3, 2006	August 3, 2006	August 4, 2006	August 4, 2006	August 4, 2006	August 4, 2006
Lab No.			B06-06S1	B06-06S2	B06-06S3	B06-06S4	B06-06S5	B06-06S6
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						100.0%
	0.5"	12.5mm						99.3%
	0.375"	9.5mm						99.1%
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						90.8%
	#8	2.36mm						79.4%
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						67.8%
	#30	0.6mm						58.8%
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						44.2%
#100	0.15mm						15.4%	
#200	0.075mm	5.8%			3.8%		7.0%	
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			23.1%	25.4%	24.4%	26.9%	26.1%	16.8%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								9%
% Sand								84%
% Silt & Clay			5.8%			3.8%		7.0%
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			30	34.4	41.2	46	50.2	56
Test Hole No.			B06-06	B06-06	B06-06	B06-06	B06-06	B06-06
Field Sample No.			S7	S8	S9	S10	S11	S12
Date Sampled			August 4, 2006	August 4, 2006	August 4, 2006	August 4, 2006	August 4, 2006	August 4, 2006
Lab No.			B06-06S7	B06-06S8	B06-06S9	B06-06S10	B06-06S11	B06-06S12
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
	#100	0.15mm						
#200	0.075mm			9.5%				
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			22.8%	24.5%	20.6%	19.3%	25.9%	20.9%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay					9.5%			
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)		67	71.8	75.6	79.7	84.2	88.8
Test Hole No.		B06-06	B06-06	B06-06	B06-06	B06-06	B06-06
Field Sample No.		S13	S14	S15	S16	S17	S18
Date Sampled		August 4, 2006	August 4, 2006	August 4, 2006	August 4, 2006	August 4, 2006	August 5, 2006
Lab No.		B06-06S13	B06-06S14	B06-06S15	B06-06S16	B06-06S17	B06-06S18
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm					
	2"	50mm					
	1.5"	37.5mm					
	1"	25mm					
	0.75"	19mm					
	0.5"	12.5mm					
	0.375"	9.5mm					
	0.25"	6.3mm					
	#4	4.75mm					
	#8	2.36mm					
	#10	2mm					
	#16	1.18mm					
	#30	0.6mm					
	#40	0.425mm					
	#50	0.3mm					
#100	0.15mm						
#200	0.075mm		24.7%				
DOTSD							
Liquid Limit				23			31
Plastic Index				9			14
Moisture Content %		11.8%	12.4%	19.5%	10.9%	20.2%	27.4%
Organic Content %							
% Gravel							
% Sand							
% Silt & Clay			25%				
Max. Dry Density							
Opt. Moisture %							
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)							
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>							
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)							
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)							

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			92.4	94.5	98.2	103	109.8	112
Test Hole No.			B06-06	B06-06	B06-06	B06-06	B06-06	B06-06
Field Sample No.			S19	S20	S21	S22	S23	S24
Date Sampled			August 5, 2006	August 5, 2006	August 5, 2006	August 5, 2006	August 5, 2006	August 5, 2006
Lab No.			B06-06S19	B06-06S20	B06-06S21	B06-06S22	B06-06S23	B06-06S24
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit					34			
Plastic Index					16			
Moisture Content %			32.5%		23.2%	18.4%	6.4%	8.9%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			118	125		
Test Hole No.			B06-06	B06-06		
Field Sample No.			S25	S26		
Date Sampled			August 5, 2006	August 5, 2006		
Lab No.			B06-06S25	B06-06S26		
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm				
	2"	50mm				
	1.5"	37.5mm				
	1"	25mm				
	0.75"	19mm				
	0.5"	12.5mm				
	0.375"	9.5mm				
	0.25"	6.3mm				
	#4	4.75mm				
	#8	2.36mm				
	#10	2mm				
	#16	1.18mm				
	#30	0.6mm				
	#40	0.425mm				
	#50	0.3mm				
#100	0.15mm					
#200	0.075mm					
DOTSD						
Liquid Limit						
Plastic Index						
Moisture Content %			11.9%	4.6%		
Organic Content %						
% Gravel						
% Sand						
% Silt & Clay						
Max. Dry Density						
Opt. Moisture %						
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)						
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>						
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)						
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)						

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			13	17	21.5	23	28	31
Test Hole No.			B06-07	B06-07	B06-07	B06-07	B06-07	B06-07
Field Sample No.			S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	S6
Date Sampled			August 16, 2006	August 16, 2006	August 16, 2006	August 16, 2006	August 16, 2006	August 17, 2006
Lab No.			B06-07S1	B06-07S2	B06-07S3	B06-07S4	B06-07S5	B06-07S6
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm				<b>SAMPLE CONTAINED HEAVE MATERIAL, NOT REPRESENTATIVE</b>		
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm					14.3%		
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			27.5%	26.3%	27.5%		27.4%	29.4%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay							14%	
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)	37	41	46	51	57	63.5	
Test Hole No.	B06-07	B06-07	B06-07	B06-07	B06-07	B06-07	
Field Sample No.	S7	S8	S9	S10	S11	S12	
Date Sampled	August 17, 2006	August 17, 2006	August 17, 2006	August 17, 2006	August 17, 2006	August 17, 2006	
Lab No.	B06-07S7	B06-07S8	B06-07S9	B06-07S10	B06-07S11	B06-07S12	
Percent Passing Sieve Size 3" 75mm 2" 50mm 1.5" 37.5mm 1" 25mm 0.75" 19mm 0.5" 12.5mm 0.375" 9.5mm 0.25" 6.3mm #4 4.75mm #8 2.36mm #10 2mm #16 1.18mm #30 0.6mm #40 0.425mm #50 0.3mm #100 0.15mm #200 0.075mm						<b>NO RECOVERY</b>	
DOTSD							
Liquid Limit							
Plastic Index							
Moisture Content %	28.6%	31.5%	28.1%	34.2%	14.5%		
Organic Content %							
% Gravel							
% Sand							
% Silt & Clay							
Max. Dry Density							
Opt. Moisture %							
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)							
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>							
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)							
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)							



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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			70.5	74.5	80.5	84.5	90.5	105
Test Hole No.			B06-07	B06-07	B06-07	B06-07	B06-07	B06-07
Field Sample No.			S13	S14	S15	S16	S17	S18
Date Sampled			August 17, 2006	August 17, 2006	August 17, 2006	August 17, 2006	August 17, 2006	August 17, 2006
Lab No.			B06-07S13	B06-07S14	B06-07S15	B06-07S16	B06-07S17	B06-07S18
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm	5.2%						
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			26.5%	21.4%	21.0%	26.6%	46.1%	24.5%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay			5.2%					
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			110	114.5	120	125	129.5	135
Test Hole No.			B06-07	B06-07	B06-07	B06-07	B06-07	B06-07
Field Sample No.			S19	S20	S21	S22	S23	S24
Date Sampled			August 17, 2006	August 17, 2006	August 17, 2006	August 17, 2006	August 17, 2006	August 17, 2006
Lab No.			B06-07S19	B06-07S20	B06-07S21	B06-07S22	B06-07S23	B06-07S24
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
	#100	0.15mm						
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit					20			
Plastic Index					7			
Moisture Content %			28.7%	14.6%	15.0%	21.5%	24.0%	17.0%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)					>4.5		>4.5	

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			140	145	150	161.5	166	170
Test Hole No.			B06-07	B06-07	B06-07	B06-07	B06-07	B06-07
Field Sample No.			S25	S26	S27	S28	S29	S30
Date Sampled			August 17, 2006	August 17, 2006	August 17, 2006	August 17, 2006	August 17, 2006	August 17, 2006
Lab No.			B06-07S25	B06-07S26	B06-07S27	B06-07S28	B06-07S29	B06-07S30
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm			<b>NO RECOVERY</b>			
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						100.0%
	1"	25mm	100.0%					88.7%
	0.75"	19mm	95.0%					72.5%
	0.5"	12.5mm	90.6%					55.6%
	0.375"	9.5mm	88.4%					49.2%
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm	83.4%					29.7%
	#8	2.36mm	80.3%					10.4%
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm	77.6%					4.0%
	#30	0.6mm	74.5%					1.8%
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm	69.2%					0.7%
#100	0.15mm	62.8%				0.3%		
#200	0.075mm	55.8%				0.1%		
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			13.2%	13.1%		9.3%	12.6%	10.8%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel			17%					70%
% Sand			28%					30%
% Silt & Clay			56%					0.1%
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Project Name: Knik Arm Crossing

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			173	178	184	189	195	198
Test Hole No.			B06-07	B06-07	B06-07	B06-07	B06-07	B06-07
Field Sample No.			S31	S32	S33	S34	S35	S36
Date Sampled			August 17, 2006	August 17, 2006	August 18, 2006	August 18, 2006	August 18, 2006	August 18, 2006
Lab No.			B06-07S31	B06-07S32	B06-07S33	B06-07S34	B06-07S35	B06-07S36
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
	#100	0.15mm						
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			9.6%	11.6%	18.0%	18.8%	14.1%	17.4%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial $U_u$ (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation $C_v$								
Unc. Comp. Strength $Q_u$ (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			15	20	21	27	31.5	34
Test Hole No.			B06-08	B06-08	B06-08	B06-08	B06-08	B06-08
Field Sample No.			S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	S6
Date Sampled			August 18, 2006	August 19, 2006	August 19, 2006	August 19, 2006	August 19, 2006	August 19, 2006
Lab No.			B06-08S1	B06-08S2	B06-08S3	B06-08S4	B06-08S5	B06-08S6
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm		<b>SAMPLE CONTAINED HEAVE MATERIAL, NOT REPRESENTATIVE</b>				
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm						14.7%	
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			27.2%		25.3%	26.4%	26.2%	27.8%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								15%
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			39	50	53	57	61	66
Test Hole No.			B06-08	B06-08	B06-08	B06-08	B06-08	B06-08
Field Sample No.			S7	S8	S9	S10	S11	S12
Date Sampled			August 19, 2006	August 19, 2006	August 19, 2006	August 19, 2006	August 19, 2006	August 19, 2006
Lab No.			B06-08S7	B06-08S8	B06-08S9	B06-08S10	B06-08S11	B06-08S12
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm	NO RECOVERY	NO RECOVERY	NO RECOVERY	NO RECOVERY	NO RECOVERY	NO RECOVERY
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			28.7%		27.3%	28.6%	29.8%	25.8%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			72	77	82	92	110	115
Test Hole No.			B06-08	B06-08	B06-08	B06-08	B06-08	B06-08
Field Sample No.			S13	S14	S15	S16	S17	S18
Date Sampled			August 19, 2006	August 19, 2006	August 19, 2006	August 19, 2006	August 19, 2006	August 19, 2006
Lab No.			B06-08S13	B06-08S14	B06-08S15	B06-08S16	B06-08S17	B06-08S18
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm		13.3%					
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			26.5%	29.1%	27.9%	26.4%	25.6%	31.8%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay				13%				
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			120	125	130	134	138	
Test Hole No.			B06-08	B06-08	B06-08	B06-08	B06-08	B06-08
Field Sample No.			S19	S20	S21	S22	S23	S24
Date Sampled			August 19, 2006	August 19, 2006	August 19, 2006	August 19, 2006	August 19, 2006	August 19, 2006
Lab No.			B06-08S19	B06-08S20	B06-08S21	B06-08S22	B06-08S23	B06-08S24
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						<b>SAMPLE S24 INTERVAL SKIPPED</b>
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm					100.0%	
	0.75"	19mm					98.0%	
	0.5"	12.5mm					95.9%	
	0.375"	9.5mm					94.9%	
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm					93.7%	
	#8	2.36mm					92.6%	
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm					91.7%	
	#30	0.6mm					90.3%	
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm					87.7%	
#100	0.15mm					82.5%		
#200	0.075mm		25.6%			72.1%		
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			28.4%	29.8%	30.2%	10.6%	16.5%	
Organic Content %								
% Gravel							6%	
% Sand							22%	
% Silt & Clay				26%			72%	
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								



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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			145	151	156	165	173	179
Test Hole No.			B06-08	B06-08	B06-08	B06-08	B06-08	B06-08
Field Sample No.			S25	S26	S27	S28	S29	S30
Date Sampled			August 19, 2006	August 19, 2006	August 19, 2006	August 19, 2006	August 19, 2006	August 19, 2006
Lab No.			B06-08S25	B06-08S26	B06-08S27	B06-08S28	B06-08S29	B06-08S30
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm		NO RECOVERY			NO RECOVERY	
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						100.0%
	1"	25mm						94.9%
	0.75"	19mm						89.2%
	0.5"	12.5mm						84.7%
	0.375"	9.5mm						80.1%
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						68.8%
	#8	2.36mm						59.7%
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						52.8%
	#30	0.6mm						47.4%
	#40	0.425mm						
#50	0.3mm				41.8%			
#100	0.15mm				37.4%			
#200	0.075mm				32.0%			
DOTTSD								
Liquid Limit					20			
Plastic Index					5			
Moisture Content %			23.0%		24.5%	32.0%		14.7%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								31%
% Sand								37%
% Silt & Clay								32%
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)					1.8	1.8		

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			188	195			
Test Hole No.			B06-08	B06-08			
Field Sample No.			S31	S32			
Date Sampled			August 20, 2006	August 20, 2006			
Lab No.			B06-08S31	B06-08S32			
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm					
	2"	50mm					
	1.5"	37.5mm					
	1"	25mm					
	0.75"	19mm					
	0.5"	12.5mm					
	0.375"	9.5mm					
	0.25"	6.3mm					
	#4	4.75mm					
	#8	2.36mm					
	#10	2mm					
	#16	1.18mm					
	#30	0.6mm					
	#40	0.425mm					
	#50	0.3mm					
	#100	0.15mm					
#200	0.075mm						
DOTSD							
Liquid Limit				38			
Plastic Index				19			
Moisture Content %			22.3%	20.5%			
Organic Content %							
% Gravel							
% Sand							
% Silt & Clay							
Max. Dry Density							
Opt. Moisture %							
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)							
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>							
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)							
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)							

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			5	15	19.7	24.4	30.7	34.3		
Test Hole No.			B06-09	B06-09	B06-09	B06-09	B06-09	B06-09		
Field Sample No.			S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	S6		
Date Sampled			August 7, 2006	August 7, 2006	August 7, 2006	August 7, 2006	August 7, 2006	August 7, 2006		
Lab No.			B06-09S1	B06-09S2	B06-09S3	B06-09S4	B06-09S5	B06-09S6		
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm	<b>NO RECOVERY</b>	<b>NO RECOVERY</b>	<b>NO RECOVERY</b>	<b>NO RECOVERY</b>	<b>NO RECOVERY</b>	<b>NO RECOVERY</b>		
	2"	50mm								
	1.5"	37.5mm								
	1"	25mm								
	0.75"	19mm								
	0.5"	12.5mm								
	0.375"	9.5mm								
	0.25"	6.3mm								
	#4	4.75mm								
	#8	2.36mm							100.0%	100.0%
	#10	2mm								
	#16	1.18mm							100.0%	99.9%
	#30	0.6mm							99.9%	99.7%
#40	0.425mm									
#50	0.3mm	95.7%	86.6%							
#100	0.15mm	40.2%	43.4%							
#200	0.075mm	5.7%	9.3%	13.2%						
DOTSD										
Liquid Limit										
Plastic Index										
Moisture Content %			23.7%		25.4%	24.7%	26.8%	24.3%		
Organic Content %										
% Gravel						0%		0%		
% Sand						91%		87%		
% Silt & Clay			5.7%			9.3%		13%		
Max. Dry Density										
Opt. Moisture %										
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)										
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>										
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)										
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)										

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			40.3	44.3	56	61	66	70
Test Hole No.			B06-09	B06-09	B06-09	B06-09	B06-09	B06-09
Field Sample No.			S7	S8	S9	S10	S11	S12
Date Sampled			August 7, 2006	August 7, 2006	August 7, 2006	August 7, 2006	August 7, 2006	August 8, 2006
Lab No.			B06-09S7	B06-09S8	B06-09S9	B06-09S10	B06-09S11	B06-09S12
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm		6.7%					
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			23.5%	23.9%	23.3%	24.7%	26.4%	27.0%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay				6.7%				
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			76	81	87	92		99
Test Hole No.			B06-09	B06-09	B06-09	B06-09	B06-09	B06-09
Field Sample No.			S13	S14	S15	S16	S17	S18
Date Sampled			August 8, 2006	August 8, 2006	August 8, 2006	August 8, 2006	August 8, 2006	August 8, 2006
Lab No.			B06-09S13	B06-09S14	B06-09S15	B06-09S16	B06-09S17	B06-09S18
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm					SAMPLE SKIPPED DUE TO HEAVING SANDS	
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm		100.0%				
	#30	0.6mm		99.6%				
	#40	0.425mm						
#50	0.3mm		74.1%					
#100	0.15mm		17.3%					
#200	0.075mm		6.7%					
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			25.3%	25.9%	26.4%	26.2%		27.0%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel				0%				
% Sand				93%				
% Silt & Clay				7%				
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			102	108	116	120	123	127
Test Hole No.			B06-09	B06-09	B06-09	B06-09	B06-09	B06-09
Field Sample No.			S19	S20	S21	S22	S23	S24
Date Sampled			August 8, 2006	August 8, 2006	August 9, 2006	August 9, 2006	August 9, 2006	August 9, 2006
Lab No.			B06-09S19	B06-09S20	B06-09S21	B06-09S22	B06-09S23	B06-09S24
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			28.3%	28.5%	27.7%	29.0%	25.5%	25.9%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial $U_u$ (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation $C_v$								
Unc. Comp. Strength $Q_u$ (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			134	140	145	155	165	175
Test Hole No.			B06-09	B06-09	B06-09	B06-09	B06-09	B06-09
Field Sample No.			S25	S26	S27	S28	S29	S30
Date Sampled			August 9, 2006	August 9, 2006	August 9, 2006	August 9, 2006	August 9, 2006	August 9, 2006
Lab No.			B06-09S25	B06-09S26	B06-09S27	B06-09S28	B06-09S29	B06-09S30
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
	#100	0.15mm						
#200	0.075mm		8.1%					
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			27.3%	29.9%	27.6%	14.2%	11.2%	19.8%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay				8.1%				
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)		185	192	202		
Test Hole No.		B06-09	B06-09	B06-09		
Field Sample No.		S31	S32	S33		
Date Sampled		August 9, 2006	August 9, 2006	August 9, 2006		
Lab No.		B06-09S31	B06-09S32	B06-09S33		
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	<b>NO RECOVERY</b>				
	2"					
	1.5"					
	1"					
	0.75"					
	0.5"					
	0.375"					
	0.25"					
	#4					
	#8					
	#10					
	#16					
	#30					
	#40					
	#50					
#100						
#200						
DOTTSD						
Liquid Limit			27	37		
Plastic Index			12	17		
Moisture Content %			18.6%	27.9%		
Organic Content %						
% Gravel						
% Sand						
% Silt & Clay						
Max. Dry Density						
Opt. Moisture %						
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)						
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>						
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)						
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)						



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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			10	15	20	25	32	38
Test Hole No.			B06-10	B06-10	B06-10	B06-10	B06-10	B06-10
Field Sample No.			S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	S6
Date Sampled			August 10, 2006	August 10, 2006	August 10, 2006	August 10, 2006	August 10, 2006	August 10, 2006
Lab No.			B06-10S1	B06-10S2	B06-10S3	B06-10S4	B06-10S5	B06-10S6
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
	#100	0.15mm						
#200	0.075mm							
DOTTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			25.4%	29.5%	27.8%	25.3%	24.6%	40.5%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial $U_u$ (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation $C_v$								
Unc. Comp. Strength $Q_u$ (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			44		50	55	60
Test Hole No.			B06-10	B06-10	B06-10	B06-10	B06-10
Field Sample No.			S7	S8	S9	S10	S11
Date Sampled			August 10, 2006			August 27, 2006	August 27, 2006
Lab No.			B06-10S7			B06-10S10	B06-10S11
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm		<b>SAMPLES SKIPPED UPON RESUMING DRILLING AT LATER DATE</b>			
	2"	50mm					
	1.5"	37.5mm					
	1"	25mm					
	0.75"	19mm					
	0.5"	12.5mm					
	0.375"	9.5mm					
	0.25"	6.3mm					
	#4	4.75mm					
	#8	2.36mm					
	#10	2mm					
	#16	1.18mm					
	#30	0.6mm					
	#40	0.425mm					
	#50	0.3mm					
	#100	0.15mm					
	#200	0.075mm				4.6%	
DOTSD							
Liquid Limit							
Plastic Index							
Moisture Content %			24.2%		26.0%	26.2%	26.2%
Organic Content %							
% Gravel							
% Sand							
% Silt & Clay					4.6%		
Max. Dry Density							
Opt. Moisture %							
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)							
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>							
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)							
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)							

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			65	70	75	80	91	95
Test Hole No.			B06-10	B06-10	B06-10	B06-10	B06-10	B06-10
Field Sample No.			S13	S14	S15	S16	S17	S18
Date Sampled			August 27, 2006	August 27, 2006	August 27, 2006	August 27, 2006	August 27, 2006	August 27, 2006
Lab No.			B06-10S13	B06-10S14	B06-10S15	B06-10S16	B06-10S17	B06-10S18
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
	#100	0.15mm						
#200	0.075mm				12.8%			
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			27.3%	25.1%	29.2%	27.0%	28.0%	35.2%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay						13%		
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			100	105	110	115	120	126
Test Hole No.			B06-10	B06-10	B06-10	B06-10	B06-10	B06-10
Field Sample No.			S19	S20	S21	S22	S23	S24
Date Sampled			August 27, 2006	August 27, 2006	August 27, 2006	August 27, 2006	August 27, 2006	August 28, 2006
Lab No.			B06-10S19	B06-10S20	B06-10S21	B06-10S22	B06-10S23	B06-10S24
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
	#100	0.15mm						
#200	0.075mm		15.0%				27.6%	
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			25.6%	26.0%	25.2%	29.0%	27.7%	28.4%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay				15%				28%
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Depth (feet)			138	147	157	169	180	187
Test Hole No.			B06-10	B06-10	B06-10	B06-10	B06-10	B06-10
Field Sample No.			S25	S26	S27	S28	S29	S30
Date Sampled			August 28, 2006	August 28, 2006	August 28, 2006	August 28, 2006	August 28, 2006	August 28, 2006
Lab No.			B06-10S25	B06-10S26	B06-10S27	B06-10S28	B06-10S29	B06-10S30
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm			NO RECOVERY	NO RECOVERY		UNABLE TO SAMPLE DUE TO CAVE-IN
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
#50	0.3mm							
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit							24	
Plastic Index							9	
Moisture Content %			29.8%	23.6%			11.4%	
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Depth (feet)			5	10	19	24	29	34
Test Hole No.			B06-11	B06-11	B06-11	B06-11	B06-11	B06-11
Field Sample No.			S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	S6
Date Sampled			September 17, 2006	September 17, 2006	September 17, 2006	September 17, 2006	September 17, 2006	September 17, 2006
Lab No.			B06-11S1	B06-11S2	B06-11S3	B06-11S4	B06-11S5	B06-11S6
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm			100.0%			
	#30	0.6mm			99.9%			
	#50	0.3mm			91.7%			
#100	0.15mm			26.3%				
#200	0.075mm			7.4%		10.6%		
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			25.9%	27.6%	27.7%	25.7%	25.5%	25.5%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel					0%			
% Sand					93%			
% Silt & Clay					7.4%		11%	
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Depth (feet)			39	44	61	66	69	74
Test Hole No.			B06-11	B06-11	B06-11	B06-11	B06-11	B06-11
Field Sample No.			S7	S8	S9	S10	S11	S12
Date Sampled			September 17, 2006	September 17, 2006	September 17, 2006	September 18, 2006	September 18, 2006	September 18, 2006
Lab No.			B06-11S7	B06-11S8	B06-11S9	B06-11S10	B06-11S11	B06-11S12
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm					9.6%		
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			25.1%	24.4%	24.1%	27.6%	31.5%	27.0%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay							10%	
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial $U_u$ (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation $C_v$								
Unc. Comp. Strength $Q_u$ (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			79	84	95	104	114	124
Test Hole No.			B06-11	B06-11	B06-11	B06-11	B06-11	B06-11
Field Sample No.			S13	S14	S15	S16	S17	S18
Date Sampled			September 18, 2006	September 18, 2006	September 18, 2006	September 18, 2006	September 18, 2006	September 18, 2006
Lab No.			B06-11S13	B06-11S14	B06-11S15	B06-11S16	B06-11S17	B06-11S18
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
	#100	0.15mm						
	#200	0.075mm			14.0%			
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			24.7%	24.5%	27.6%	24.4%	37.1%	30.6%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay					14%			
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								



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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			134	144	149	154	159	165
Test Hole No.			B06-11	B06-11	B06-11	B06-11	B06-11	B06-11
Field Sample No.			S19	S20	S1-A	S2-A	S3-A	S21
Date Sampled			September 18, 2006	September 18, 2006	September 18, 2006	September 18, 2006	September 18, 2006	September 18, 2006
Lab No.			B06-11S19	B06-11S20	B06-11S1-A	B06-11S2-A	B06-11S3-A	B06-11S21
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm					<b>NO RECOVERY</b>	
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm		100.0%				
	0.5"	12.5mm		93.9%				
	0.375"	9.5mm		87.1%				
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm		70.5%				
	#8	2.36mm		53.8%				
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm		41.5%				
	#30	0.6mm		34.2%				
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm		22.1%				
#100	0.15mm		13.1%					
#200	0.075mm		7.2%					
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			30.1%	10.0%				23.1%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel				30%				
% Sand				63%				
% Silt & Clay				7.2%				
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			175	187			
Test Hole No.			B06-11	B06-11			
Field Sample No.			S22	S23			
Date Sampled			September 18, 2006	September 18, 2006			
Lab No.			B06-11S22	B06-11S23			
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm	UNABLE TO SAMPLE DUE TO CAVE-IN	UNABLE TO SAMPLE DUE TO CAVE-IN			
	2"	50mm					
	1.5"	37.5mm					
	1"	25mm					
	0.75"	19mm					
	0.5"	12.5mm					
	0.375"	9.5mm					
	0.25"	6.3mm					
	#4	4.75mm					
	#8	2.36mm					
	#10	2mm					
	#16	1.18mm					
	#30	0.6mm					
	#40	0.425mm					
	#50	0.3mm					
#100	0.15mm						
#200	0.075mm						
DOTSD							
Liquid Limit							
Plastic Index							
Moisture Content %			14.0%				
Organic Content %							
% Gravel							
% Sand							
% Silt & Clay							
Max. Dry Density							
Opt. Moisture %							
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial $U_u$ (tsf)							
Coeff. Of Consolidation $C_v$							
Unc. Comp. Strength $Q_u$ (tsf)							
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)							

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Depth (feet)			6	11	16	21	26	31
Test Hole No.			B06-12	B06-12	B06-12	B06-12	B06-12	B06-12
Field Sample No.			S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	S6
Date Sampled			September 30, 2006	September 30, 2006	September 30, 2006	September 30, 2006	September 30, 2006	September 30, 2006
Lab No.			B06-12S1	B06-12S2	B06-12S3	B06-12S4	B06-12S5	B06-12S6
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm	<b>NO RECOVERY</b>					
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						100.0%
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						99.8%
	#8	2.36mm						99.7%
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						99.6%
	#30	0.6mm						99.4%
	#40	0.425mm						
#50	0.3mm					94.0%		
#100	0.15mm					9.2%		
#200	0.075mm		10.7%	9.5%		0.6%		
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %				23.7%	25.2%	28.5%	29.4%	25.0%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel							0%	
% Sand							99%	
% Silt & Clay				11%	9.5%		0.6%	
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			36	41	46	51	56	61
Test Hole No.			B06-12	B06-12	B06-12	B06-12	B06-12	B06-12
Field Sample No.			S7	S8	S9	S10	S11	S12
Date Sampled			September 30, 2006	September 30, 2006	September 30, 2006	September 30, 2006	September 30, 2006	September 30, 2006
Lab No.			B06-12S7	B06-12S8	B06-12S9	B06-12S10	B06-12S11	B06-12S12
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm					100.0%	
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm					100.0%	
	#30	0.6mm					99.9%	
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm					92.3%	
#100	0.15mm					51.1%		
#200	0.075mm		8.2%			26.7%		
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			28.3%	30.2%	24.4%	24.0%	24.1%	27.0%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel							0%	
% Sand							73%	
% Silt & Clay				8.2%			27%	
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			66	71	76	81	86	91
Test Hole No.			B06-12	B06-12	B06-12	B06-12	B06-12	B06-12
Field Sample No.			S13	S14	S15	S16	S17	S18
Date Sampled			September 30, 2006	September 30, 2006	September 30, 2006	September 30, 2006	September 30, 2006	September 30, 2006
Lab No.			B06-12S13	B06-12S14	B06-12S15	B06-12S16	B06-12S17	B06-12S18
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm			8.6%				
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			24.6%	29.0%	27.8%	27.6%	25.8%	26.7%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay					8.6%			
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			96	101	111	121	131	141
Test Hole No.			B06-12	B06-12	B06-12	B06-12	B06-12	B06-12
Field Sample No.			S19	S20	S21	S22	S23	S24
Date Sampled			September 30, 2006	September 30, 2006	September 30, 2006	September 30, 2006	September 30, 2006	October 1, 2006
Lab No.			B06-12S19	B06-12S20	B06-12S21	B06-12S22	B06-12S23	B06-12S24
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
	#100	0.15mm						
#200	0.075mm		4.1%					
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit							42	
Plastic Index							21	
Moisture Content %			24.0%	12.9%	15.1%	5.0%	27.1%	24.2%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay				4.1%				
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								2.0

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			151	161	171	181	191	201
Test Hole No.			B06-12	B06-12	B06-12	B06-12	B06-12	B06-12
Field Sample No.			S25	S26	S27	S28	S29	S30
Date Sampled			October 1, 2006	October 1, 2006	October 1, 2006	October 1, 2006	October 1, 2006	October 1, 2006
Lab No.			B06-12S25	B06-12S26	B06-12S27	B06-12S28	B06-12S29	B06-12S30
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
	#100	0.15mm						
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit				34				
Plastic Index				16				
Moisture Content %			24.4%	22.6%	19.5%	21.4%	20.9%	20.9%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)			2.5	3.0	2.0	3.0		

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			211	221	222.5	231	241	251
Test Hole No.			B06-12	B06-12	B06-12	B06-12	B06-12	B06-12
Field Sample No.			S31	S32	S33	S34	S35	S36
Date Sampled			October 1, 2006	October 1, 2006	October 1, 2006	October 1, 2006	October 1, 2006	October 1, 2006
Lab No.			B06-12S31	B06-12S32	B06-12S33	B06-12S34	B06-12S35	B06-12S36
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm	<b>NO RECOVERY</b>			<b>TUBE BENT, UNABLE TO EXTRUDE</b>		
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit							35	
Plastic Index							17	
Moisture Content %				22.0%	16.5%		22.9%	27.0%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)							2.0	2.5



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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			55	61	67	82	92	102
Test Hole No.			B06-13	B06-13	B06-13	B06-13	B06-13	B06-13
Field Sample No.			S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	S6
Date Sampled			September 29, 2006	September 29, 2006	September 30, 2006	September 30, 2006	September 30, 2006	September 30, 2006
Lab No.			B06-13S1	B06-13S2	B06-13S3	B06-13S4	B06-13S5	B06-13S6
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm				<b>NO RECOVERY</b>		
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm					100.0%	
	0.75"	19mm					97.6%	
	0.5"	12.5mm					96.8%	
	0.375"	9.5mm					92.9%	
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm					86.3%	
	#8	2.36mm					82.3%	
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm					78.6%	
	#30	0.6mm					74.6%	
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm					67.4%	
#100	0.15mm				57.7%			
#200	0.075mm				49.2%			
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit			40					
Plastic Index			20					
Moisture Content %			18.5%	20.6%	20.8%		10.9%	20.5%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel							14%	
% Sand							37%	
% Silt & Clay							49%	
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			112	127			
Test Hole No.			B06-13	B06-13			
Field Sample No.			S7	S8			
Date Sampled			September 30, 2006	September 30, 2006			
Lab No.			B06-13S7	B06-13S8			
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm					
	2"	50mm					
	1.5"	37.5mm					
	1"	25mm					
	0.75"	19mm					
	0.5"	12.5mm					
	0.375"	9.5mm					
	0.25"	6.3mm					
	#4	4.75mm					
	#8	2.36mm					
	#10	2mm					
	#16	1.18mm					
	#30	0.6mm					
	#40	0.425mm					
	#50	0.3mm					
#100	0.15mm						
#200	0.075mm						
DOTSD							
Liquid Limit			41				
Plastic Index			22				
Moisture Content %			26.2%	22.5%			
Organic Content %							
% Gravel							
% Sand							
% Silt & Clay							
Max. Dry Density							
Opt. Moisture %							
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)							
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>							
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)							
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)							

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Depth (feet)			10	15	20	25	30	35
Test Hole No.			B06-14	B06-14	B06-14	B06-14	B06-14	B06-14
Field Sample No.			S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	S6
Date Sampled			October 1, 2006	October 1, 2006	October 1, 2006	October 1, 2006	October 1, 2006	October 1, 2006
Lab No.			B06-14S1	B06-14S2	B06-14S3	B06-14S4	B06-14S5	B06-14S6
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm	NO RECOVERY	NO RECOVERY				
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit							39	
Plastic Index							20	
Moisture Content %					18.3%	10.1%	19.6%	20.3%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)							>4.5	

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			40	45	50	55	60	65
Test Hole No.			B06-14	B06-14	B06-14	B06-14	B06-14	B06-14
Field Sample No.			S7	S8	S9	S10	S11	S12
Date Sampled			October 1, 2006	October 1, 2006	October 1, 2006	October 1, 2006	October 1, 2006	October 1, 2006
Lab No.			B06-14S7	B06-14S8	B06-14S9	B06-14S10	B06-14S11	B06-14S12
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm				<b>NO RECOVERY</b>		
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit					40			
Plastic Index					20			
Moisture Content %			20.8%	21.2%	20.3%		22.5%	22.6%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)			>4.5		>4.5		>4.5	4.0

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)		70	75	80	85	90	95
Test Hole No.		B06-14	B06-14	B06-14	B06-14	B06-14	B06-14
Field Sample No.		S13	S14	S15	S16	S17	S18
Date Sampled		October 2, 2006	October 2, 2006	October 2, 2006	October 2, 2006	October 2, 2006	October 2, 2006
Lab No.		B06-14S13	B06-14S14	B06-14S15	B06-14S16	B06-14S17	B06-14S18
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm					
	2"	50mm					
	1.5"	37.5mm					
	1"	25mm					
	0.75"	19mm					
	0.5"	12.5mm					
	0.375"	9.5mm					
	0.25"	6.3mm					
	#4	4.75mm					
	#8	2.36mm					
	#10	2mm					
	#16	1.18mm					
	#30	0.6mm					
	#40	0.425mm					
	#50	0.3mm					
	#100	0.15mm					
#200	0.075mm						
DOTSD							
Liquid Limit		44		41			
Plastic Index		24		22			
Moisture Content %		23.7%	23.9%	23.6%	21.3%	22.9%	23.1%
Organic Content %							
% Gravel							
% Sand							
% Silt & Clay							
Max. Dry Density							
Opt. Moisture %							
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)							
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>							
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)							
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)		3.8	>4.5	>4.5	>4.5	4.3	>4.5

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			100	110	120	135	145	155
Test Hole No.			B06-14	B06-14	B06-14	B06-14	B06-14	B06-14
Field Sample No.			S19	S20	S21	S22	S23	S24
Date Sampled			October 2, 2006	October 2, 2006	October 2, 2006	October 2, 2006	October 2, 2006	October 2, 2006
Lab No.			B06-14S19	B06-14S20	B06-14S21	B06-14S22	B06-14S23	B06-14S24
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
	#100	0.15mm						
	#200	0.075mm						
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit			42					33
Plastic Index			23					15
Moisture Content %			23.3%	24.1%	19.6%	18.1%	22.4%	20.0%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial $U_u$ (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation $C_v$								
Unc. Comp. Strength $Q_u$ (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)			4.3		>4.5		>4.5	>4.5

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Depth (feet)			165	175	177	185	186.5	195
Test Hole No.			B06-14	B06-14	B06-14	B06-14	B06-14	B06-14
Field Sample No.			S25	S26	S27	S28	S29	S30
Date Sampled			October 2, 2006	October 2, 2006	October 2, 2006	October 2, 2006	October 2, 2006	October 2, 2006
Lab No.			B06-14S25	B06-14S26	B06-14S27	B06-14S28	B06-14S29	B06-14S30
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm		<b>SEE FIGURE A-21 IN APPENDIX A FOR LOG OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLE</b>				<b>NO RECOVERY</b>
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
#50	0.3mm							
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit						41		
Plastic Index						21		
Moisture Content %			26.7%	17.8%	26.3%	26.1%	24.2%	
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)				>4.4				
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)			3.8	4.3	2.8	2.5	3.5	

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			197.5	205	206.5	215	217.5	225
Test Hole No.			B06-14	B06-14	B06-14	B06-14	B06-14	B06-14
Field Sample No.			S31	S32	S33	S34	S35	S36
Date Sampled			October 2, 2006	October 2, 2006	October 2, 2006	October 2, 2006	October 2, 2006	October 2, 2006
Lab No.			B06-14S31	B06-14S32	B06-14S33	B06-14S34	B06-14S35	B06-14S36
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
	#100	0.15mm						
#200	0.075mm							
DOTTSD								
Liquid Limit				40			42	
Plastic Index				20			22	
Moisture Content %			23.5%	25.8%	25.9%		24.7%	23.2%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)			4.5	2.0	3.5	>4.5	3.5	4.0



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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			235	236				
Test Hole No.			B06-14	B06-14				
Field Sample No.			S37	S38				
Date Sampled			October 2, 2006	October 2, 2006				
Lab No.			B06-14S37	B06-14S38				
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm	<b>NO RECOVERY</b>	<b>NO RECOVERY</b>				
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %								
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)		22.5	42	52	62	72	82
Test Hole No.		B06-15	B06-15	B06-15	B06-15	B06-15	B06-15
Field Sample No.		S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	S6
Date Sampled		September 28, 2006	September 28, 2006	September 29, 2006	September 29, 2006	September 29, 2006	September 29, 2006
Lab No.		B06-15S1	B06-15S2	B06-15S3	B06-15S4	B06-15S5	B06-15S6
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm					
	2"	50mm					
	1.5"	37.5mm					
	1"	25mm					
	0.75"	19mm					
	0.5"	12.5mm					
	0.375"	9.5mm					
	0.25"	6.3mm					
	#4	4.75mm					
	#8	2.36mm					
	#10	2mm					
	#16	1.18mm					
	#30	0.6mm					
	#40	0.425mm					
	#50	0.3mm					
#100	0.15mm						
#200	0.075mm						
DOTTSD							
Liquid Limit		44			34		
Plastic Index		24			16		
Moisture Content %		23.1%	23.2%	24.8%	20.1%	19.4%	20.7%
Organic Content %							
% Gravel							
% Sand							
% Silt & Clay							
Max. Dry Density							
Opt. Moisture %							
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial $U_u$ (tsf)							
Coeff. Of Consolidation $C_v$							
Unc. Comp. Strength $Q_u$ (tsf)							
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)		>4.5	4.0	4.3	>4.5	>4.5	

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Depth (feet)			92	103	117	132	147	
Test Hole No.			B06-15	B06-15	B06-15	B06-15	B06-15	
Field Sample No.			S7	S8	S9	S10	S11	
Date Sampled			September 29, 2006	September 29, 2006	September 29, 2006	September 29, 2006	September 29, 2006	
Lab No.			B06-15S7	B06-15S8	B06-15S9	B06-15S10	B06-15S11	
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm	NO RECOVERY					
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit			38			34		
Plastic Index			19			17		
Moisture Content %			25.4%		20.4%	19.1%	25.0%	
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)					4.0	3.5	3.0	

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			5	10	15	19	24	27
Test Hole No.			B06-16	B06-16	B06-16	B06-16	B06-16	B06-16
Field Sample No.			S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	S6
Date Sampled			September 2, 2006	September 2, 2006	September 2, 2006	September 2, 2006	September 2, 2006	September 2, 2006
Lab No.			B06-16S1	B06-16S2	B06-16S3	B06-16S4	B06-16S5	B06-16S6
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm				<b>SEE FIGURE A-21 IN APPENDIX A FOR LOG OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLE</b>		
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
#50	0.3mm							
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm		2.3%				35.3%	
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit					41			
Plastic Index					21			
Moisture Content %			28.4%	14.4%	18.9%	27.5%	27.3%	
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay				2.3%				35%
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)						4.0		
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)					2.7	3.5	3.0	

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			34	40	48	53	58	63
Test Hole No.			B06-16	B06-16	B06-16	B06-16	B06-16	B06-16
Field Sample No.			S7	S8	S9	S10	S11	S12
Date Sampled			September 2, 2006	September 2, 2006	September 2, 2006	September 2, 2006	September 2, 2006	September 3, 2006
Lab No.			B06-16S7	B06-16S8	B06-16S9	B06-16S10	B06-16S11	B06-16S12
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm		<b>SEE FIGURE A-21 IN APPENDIX A FOR LOG OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLE</b>				
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						100.0%
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						99.6%
	#8	2.36mm						99.2%
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						97.8%
	#30	0.6mm						90.7%
	#40	0.425mm						71.9%
#50	0.3mm					43.0%		
#100	0.15mm					14.9%		
#200	0.075mm					8.5%		
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			27.3%	27.3%	22.8%	23.3%	19.7%	20.7%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								0%
% Sand								91%
% Silt & Clay								8.0%
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)				>2.3				
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)			3.8	2.5				

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			68	73	78	83	88	93
Test Hole No.			B06-16	B06-16	B06-16	B06-16	B06-16	B06-16
Field Sample No.			S13	S14	S15	S16	S17	S18
Date Sampled			September 3, 2006	September 3, 2006	September 3, 2006	September 3, 2006	September 3, 2006	September 3, 2006
Lab No.			B06-16S13	B06-16S14	B06-16S15	B06-16S16	B06-16S17	B06-16S18
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
	#100	0.15mm						
	#200	0.075mm				8.0%		
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			21.9%	23.9%	22.5%	23.4%	21.6%	23.9%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay						8.0%		
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial $U_u$ (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation $C_v$								
Unc. Comp. Strength $Q_u$ (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Depth (feet)			98	103	108	113	118	123
Test Hole No.			B06-16	B06-16	B06-16	B06-16	B06-16	B06-16
Field Sample No.			S19	S20	S21	S22	S23	S24
Date Sampled			September 3, 2006	September 3, 2006	September 3, 2006	September 3, 2006	September 3, 2006	September 3, 2006
Lab No.			B06-16S19	B06-16S20	B06-16S21	B06-16S22	B06-16S23	B06-16S24
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm		100.0%				
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm		100.0%				
	#30	0.6mm		99.8%				
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm		88.8%				
#100	0.15mm		47.9%					
#200	0.075mm		20.4%				17.7%	
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			24.9%	24.6%	22.6%	23.0%	24.7%	23.3%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel				0%				
% Sand				80%				
% Silt & Clay				20%				18%
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Depth (feet)			128	133	138	143	148	153
Test Hole No.			B06-16	B06-16	B06-16	B06-16	B06-16	B06-16
Field Sample No.			S25	S26	S27	S28	S29	S30
Date Sampled			September 3, 2006	September 3, 2006	September 3, 2006	September 3, 2006	September 3, 2006	September 3, 2006
Lab No.			B06-16S25	B06-16S26	B06-16S27	B06-16S28	B06-16S29	B06-16S30
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
	#100	0.15mm						
#200	0.075mm			24.0%				
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								37
Plastic Index								17
Moisture Content %			26.2%	25.8%	25.2%	24.1%	26.8%	24.4%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay					24%			
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)				3.8			1.5	2.0



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Depth (feet)			158	163	168	173	178	183
Test Hole No.			B06-16	B06-16	B06-16	B06-16	B06-16	B06-16
Field Sample No.			S31	S32	S33	S34	S35	S36
Date Sampled			September 3, 2006	September 3, 2006	September 3, 2006	September 3, 2006	September 3, 2006	September 3, 2006
Lab No.			B06-16S31	B06-16S32	B06-16S33	B06-16S34	B06-16S35	B06-16S36
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm	<b>SEE FIGURE A-21 IN APPENDIX A FOR LOG OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLE</b>					
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						100.0%
	#8	2.36mm						100.0%
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						100.0%
	#30	0.6mm						99.5%
	#40	0.425mm						96.4%
	#50	0.3mm						79.6%
#100	0.15mm					9.1%		
#200	0.075mm				4.4%	3.0%		
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			26.8%	27.7%	21.6%	21.7%	24.4%	25.3%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								0%
% Sand								97%
% Silt & Clay						4.4%		3.0%
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)			2.7					
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)			2.8	1.8				

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Depth (feet)			188	193	198	208	218	228
Test Hole No.			B06-16	B06-16	B06-16	B06-16	B06-16	B06-16
Field Sample No.			S37	S38	S39	S40	S41	S42
Date Sampled			September 3, 2006	September 3, 2006	September 3, 2006	September 3, 2006	September 3, 2006	September 4, 2006
Lab No.			B06-16S37	B06-16S38	B06-16S39	B06-16S40	B06-16S41	B06-16S42
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm	<b>SKIPPED SAMPLE DUE TO HEAVING SANDS</b>	<b>SAMPLE S38 CONTAINED HEAVE MATERIAL, NOT REPRESENTATIVE</b>	<b>SAMPLE S39 CONTAINED HEAVE MATERIAL, NOT REPRESENTATIVE</b>			
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTTSD								
Liquid Limit							39	
Plastic Index							19	
Moisture Content %						23.3%	25.9%	25.4%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)								

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)		238	248			
Test Hole No.		B06-16	B06-16			
Field Sample No.		S43	S44			
Date Sampled		September 4, 2006	September 4, 2006			
Lab No.		B06-16S43	B06-16S44			
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm				
	2"	50mm				
	1.5"	37.5mm				
	1"	25mm				
	0.75"	19mm				
	0.5"	12.5mm				
	0.375"	9.5mm				
	0.25"	6.3mm				
	#4	4.75mm				
	#8	2.36mm				
	#10	2mm				
	#16	1.18mm				
	#30	0.6mm				
	#40	0.425mm				
	#50	0.3mm				
#100	0.15mm					
#200	0.075mm					
DOTSD						
Liquid Limit			20			
Plastic Index			3			
Moisture Content %		19.3%	24.5%			
Organic Content %						
% Gravel						
% Sand						
% Silt & Clay						
Max. Dry Density						
Opt. Moisture %						
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)						
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>						
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)						
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)						

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			7	12	17	22	27	32
Test Hole No.			B06-17	B06-17	B06-17	B06-17	B06-17	B06-17
Field Sample No.			S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	S6
Date Sampled			September 14, 2006	September 14, 2006	September 14, 2006	September 14, 2006	September 14, 2006	September 14, 2006
Lab No.			B06-17S1	B06-17S2	B06-17S3	B06-17S4	B06-17S5	B06-17S6
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm			NO RECOVERY			SEE FIGURE A-21 IN APPENDIX A FOR LOG OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLE
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
#50	0.3mm							
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit							45	
Plastic Index							24	
Moisture Content %				23.7%			30.0%	27.8%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								3.0
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)				2.5		2.0	2.0	1.5

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			37	42	47	52	57	62
Test Hole No.			B06-17	B06-17	B06-17	B06-17	B06-17	B06-17
Field Sample No.			S7	S8	S9	S10	S11	S12
Date Sampled			September 14, 2006	September 14, 2006	September 14, 2006	September 14, 2006	September 14, 2006	September 14, 2006
Lab No.			B06-17S7	B06-17S8	B06-17S9	B06-17S10	B06-17S11	B06-17S12
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm		SEE FIGURE A-21 IN APPENDIX A FOR LOG OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLE		SEE FIGURE A-21 IN APPENDIX A FOR LOG OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLE		NO RECOVERY
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
#50	0.3mm							
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit							36	
Plastic Index							17	
Moisture Content %			27.2%	27.6%	25.8%	22.5%	23.0%	
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)				3.9				
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)				2.4		3.3		
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)			2.5	2.5	2.5	4.5	3.3	

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			71	76	81	86	91	96
Test Hole No.			B06-17	B06-17	B06-17	B06-17	B06-17	B06-17
Field Sample No.			S13	S14	S15	S16	S17	S18
Date Sampled			September 15, 2006	September 15, 2006	September 15, 2006	September 15, 2006	September 15, 2006	September 15, 2006
Lab No.			B06-17S13	B06-17S14	B06-17S15	B06-17S16	B06-17S17	B06-17S18
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm		SEE FIGURE A-21 IN APPENDIX A FOR LOG OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLE		SEE FIGURE A-21 IN APPENDIX A FOR LOG OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLE		SEE FIGURE A-21 IN APPENDIX A FOR LOG OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLE
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTTSD								
Liquid Limit					42			
Plastic Index					21			
Moisture Content %			44.5%	25.1%	25.7%	22.8%	23.6%	27.0%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								8.3
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)						7.6		3.1
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)					2.3	2.3	>4.5	4.0

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			101	106	116	117	126	129
Test Hole No.			B06-17	B06-17	B06-17	B06-17	B06-17	B06-17
Field Sample No.			S19	S20	S21	S22	S23	S24
Date Sampled			September 15, 2006	September 15, 2006	September 15, 2006	September 15, 2006	September 15, 2006	September 15, 2006
Lab No.			B06-17S19	B06-17S20	B06-17S21	B06-17S22	B06-17S23	B06-17S24
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm		<b>SEE FIGURE A-21 IN APPENDIX A FOR LOG OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLE</b>			<b>SEE FIGURE A-21 IN APPENDIX A FOR LOG OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLE</b>	
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
#50	0.3mm							
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit						42		
Plastic Index						20		
Moisture Content %			29.0%	25.8%	29.5%	27.4%	25.6%	
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)				5.5				
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)			2.0	2.5	2.3	3.0	4.0	

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			136	137.5	146	148.5	156	157.5
Test Hole No.			B06-17	B06-17	B06-17	B06-17	B06-17	B06-17
Field Sample No.			S25	S26	S27	S28	S29	S30
Date Sampled			September 15, 2006	September 15, 2006	September 15, 2006	September 15, 2006	September 15, 2006	September 15, 2006
Lab No.			B06-17S25	B06-17S26	B06-17S27	B06-17S28	B06-17S29	B06-17S30
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm			SEE FIGURE A-21 IN APPENDIX A FOR LOG OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLE			
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTTSD								
Liquid Limit				34				
Plastic Index				16				
Moisture Content %			26.5%	20.9%	21.9%	23.5%	25.7%	
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial $U_u$ (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation $C_v$								
Unc. Comp. Strength $Q_u$ (tsf)					4.8			
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)			2.5	>4.5	3.3	3.5	3.3	2.0



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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)		166	168.5	171	176	181	186
Test Hole No.		B06-17	B06-17	B06-17	B06-17	B06-17	B06-17
Field Sample No.		S31	S32	S33	S34	S35	S36
Date Sampled		September 15, 2006	September 15, 2006	September 15, 2006	September 15, 2006	September 15, 2006	September 15, 2006
Lab No.		B06-17S31	B06-17S32	B06-17S33	B06-17S34	B06-17S35	B06-17S36
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm	<b>SEE FIGURE A-21 IN APPENDIX A FOR LOG OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLE</b>				<b>SEE FIGURE A-21 IN APPENDIX A FOR LOG OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLE</b>
	2"	50mm					
	1.5"	37.5mm					
	1"	25mm					
	0.75"	19mm					
	0.5"	12.5mm					
	0.375"	9.5mm					
	0.25"	6.3mm					
	#4	4.75mm					
	#8	2.36mm					
	#10	2mm					
	#16	1.18mm					
	#30	0.6mm					
	#40	0.425mm					
#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm						
#200	0.075mm		97.2%				
DOTSD							
Liquid Limit							
Plastic Index							
Moisture Content %		22.2%	23.2%	21.6%	20.5%	24.6%	22.9%
Organic Content %							
% Gravel							
% Sand							
% Silt & Clay			97%				
Max. Dry Density							
Opt. Moisture %							
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)							8.8
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>							
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)		8.1					6.6
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)		3.8	>4.5	>4.5	>4.5	>4.5	>4.5

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			188.5	191	196	201	203.5	208.5
Test Hole No.			B06-17	B06-17	B06-17	B06-17	B06-17	B06-17
Field Sample No.			S37	S38	S39	S40	S41	S42
Date Sampled			September 15, 2006	September 15, 2006	September 15, 2006	September 15, 2006	September 15, 2006	September 15, 2006
Lab No.			B06-17S37	B06-17S38	B06-17S39	B06-17S40	B06-17S41	B06-17S42
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm				SEE FIGURE A-21 IN APPENDIX A FOR LOG OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLE		
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm		97.9%					
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			25.8%	24.1%	26.3%	21.7%	24.7%	
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay				98%				
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)						7.8		
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)			3.3			4.0	3.5	
							>4.5	

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			213.5	218.5	223.5		
Test Hole No.			B06-17	B06-17	B06-17		
Field Sample No.			S43	S44	S45		
Date Sampled			September 15, 2006	September 15, 2006	September 15, 2006		
Lab No.			B06-17S43	B06-17S44	B06-17S45		
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm					
	2"	50mm					
	1.5"	37.5mm					
	1"	25mm					
	0.75"	19mm					
	0.5"	12.5mm					
	0.375"	9.5mm					
	0.25"	6.3mm					
	#4	4.75mm					
	#8	2.36mm					
	#10	2mm					
	#16	1.18mm					
	#30	0.6mm					
	#40	0.425mm					
	#50	0.3mm					
	#100	0.15mm					
#200	0.075mm						
DOTSD							
Liquid Limit							
Plastic Index							
Moisture Content %			16.1%	17.1%	19.9%		
Organic Content %							
% Gravel							
% Sand							
% Silt & Clay							
Max. Dry Density							
Opt. Moisture %							
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)							
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>							
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)							
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)							

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			9	14	19	24	34	39
Test Hole No.			B06-18	B06-18	B06-18	B06-18	B06-18	B06-18
Field Sample No.			S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	S6
Date Sampled			September 19, 2006	September 19, 2006	September 19, 2006	September 20, 2006	September 20, 2006	September 20, 2006
Lab No.			B06-18S1	B06-18S2	B06-18S3	B06-18S4	B06-18S5	B06-18S6
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm	NO RECOVERY	NO RECOVERY	NO RECOVERY	NO RECOVERY	NO RECOVERY	NO RECOVERY
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
#50	0.3mm							
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTTSD								
Liquid Limit					36		40	
Plastic Index					16		19	
Moisture Content %			11.4%		20.9%		23.1%	21.6%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								8.2
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)					>4.5		4.0	4.3

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			49	54	59	64	69	74
Test Hole No.			B06-18	B06-18	B06-18	B06-18	B06-18	B06-18
Field Sample No.			S7	S8	S9	S10	S11	S12
Date Sampled			September 20, 2006	September 20, 2006	September 20, 2006	September 20, 2006	September 20, 2006	September 20, 2006
Lab No.			B06-18S7	B06-18S8	B06-18S9	B06-18S10	B06-18S11	B06-18S12
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm			SEE FIGURE A-21 IN APPENDIX A FOR LOG OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLE		SEE FIGURE A-21 IN APPENDIX A FOR LOG OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLE	
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
#50	0.3mm							
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTTSD								
Liquid Limit						47		
Plastic Index						23		
Moisture Content %			26.8%	22.4%	22.6%	29.2%	24.0%	24.1%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)					6.2		6.8	
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)					3.9		6.0	
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)			3.5	4.5	3.5	3.0	4.5	3.5

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			79	84	89	94	99	104
Test Hole No.			B06-18	B06-18	B06-18	B06-18	B06-18	B06-18
Field Sample No.			S13	S14	S15	S16	S17	S18
Date Sampled			September 20, 2006	September 20, 2006	September 20, 2006	September 20, 2006	September 20, 2006	September 20, 2006
Lab No.			B06-18S13	B06-18S14	B06-18S15	B06-18S16	B06-18S17	B06-18S18
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm	SEE FIGURE A-21 IN APPENDIX A FOR LOG OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLE	SEE FIGURE A-21 IN APPENDIX A FOR LOG OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLE	SEE FIGURE A-21 IN APPENDIX A FOR LOG OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLE			
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTTSD								
Liquid Limit						43		35
Plastic Index						22		17
Moisture Content %			30.6%	26.3%	30.2%	26.2%	26.2%	27.9%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)			5.8					
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)			2.1		0.6			
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)			2.3	3.5	3.0	2.5	>4.5	

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			109	114	119	124	129	134
Test Hole No.			B06-18	B06-18	B06-18	B06-18	B06-18	B06-18
Field Sample No.			S19	S20	S21	S22	S23	S24
Date Sampled			September 20, 2006	September 20, 2006	September 20, 2006	September 21, 2006	September 21, 2006	September 21, 2006
Lab No.			B06-18S19	B06-18S20	B06-18S21	B06-18S22	B06-18S23	B06-18S24
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm			SEE FIGURE A-21 IN APPENDIX A FOR LOG OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLE			
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit				42				
Plastic Index				21				
Moisture Content %			25.7%	25.8%	26.6%	27.7%	25.4%	23.7%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial $U_u$ (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation $C_v$								
Unc. Comp. Strength $Q_u$ (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)			3.5	3.0	3.0	3.3		4.0

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			139	144	149	154	159	164
Test Hole No.			B06-18	B06-18	B06-18	B06-18	B06-18	B06-18
Field Sample No.			S25	S26	S27	S28	S29	S30
Date Sampled			September 21, 2006	September 21, 2006	September 21, 2006	September 21, 2006	September 21, 2006	September 21, 2006
Lab No.			B06-18S25	B06-18S26	B06-18S27	B06-18S28	B06-18S29	B06-18S30
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit			42					36
Plastic Index			22					16
Moisture Content %			25.0%	24.4%		25.5%	25.5%	23.0%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)				3.8		3.0	2.5	4.0



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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			169	174	179	184	189	194
Test Hole No.			B06-18	B06-18	B06-18	B06-18	B06-18	B06-18
Field Sample No.			S31	S32	S33	S34	S35	S36
Date Sampled			September 21, 2006	September 21, 2006	September 21, 2006	September 21, 2006	September 21, 2006	September 21, 2006
Lab No.			B06-18S31	B06-18S32	B06-18S33	B06-18S34	B06-18S35	B06-18S36
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm	<b>SEE FIGURE A-21 IN APPENDIX A FOR LOG OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLE</b>					
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit			35					23
Plastic Index			17					8
Moisture Content %			20.2%	22.9%	21.0%	27.0%	22.7%	16.2%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial $U_u$ (tsf)							8.3	
Coeff. Of Consolidation $C_v$								
Unc. Comp. Strength $Q_u$ (tsf)			3.0				5.0	
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)			3.8	2.5	2.5	3.3	4.0	4.5

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			199	204	209	214	219	224
Test Hole No.			B06-18	B06-18	B06-18	B06-18	B06-18	B06-18
Field Sample No.			S37	S38	S39	S40	S41	S42
Date Sampled			September 21, 2006	September 21, 2006	September 21, 2006	September 21, 2006	September 21, 2006	September 21, 2006
Lab No.			B06-18S37	B06-18S38	B06-18S39	B06-18S40	B06-18S41	B06-18S42
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm			100.0%			
	1"	25mm			96.7%			
	0.75"	19mm			95.4%			
	0.5"	12.5mm			94.7%			
	0.375"	9.5mm			94.3%			
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm			93.1%			
	#8	2.36mm			92.1%			
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm			91.4%			
	#30	0.6mm			90.6%			
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm			88.9%			
#100	0.15mm			86.4%				
#200	0.075mm			83.0%				
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit						33		
Plastic Index						15		
Moisture Content %			20.0%	21.2%	19.0%	20.7%	19.3%	13.5%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel					7%			
% Sand					10%			
% Silt & Clay					83%			
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)			2.5	4.5	>4.5	4.5	4.5	

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			229	234	239	244	249	254
Test Hole No.			B06-18	B06-18	B06-18	B06-18	B06-18	B06-18
Field Sample No.			S43	S44	S45	S46	S47	S48
Date Sampled			September 21, 2006	September 21, 2006	September 21, 2006	September 21, 2006	September 21, 2006	September 21, 2006
Lab No.			B06-18S43	B06-18S44	B06-18S45	B06-18S46	B06-18S47	B06-18S48
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm				<b>SEE FIGURE A-21 IN APPENDIX A FOR LOG OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLE</b>		
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit					33			
Plastic Index					15			
Moisture Content %			22.7%	19.1%	20.3%	17.0%	23.7%	20.2%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)						2.6		
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)			>4.5	>4.5	>4.5	>4.5		3.0

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)		259	264	266	269		
Test Hole No.		B06-18	B06-18	B06-18	B06-18		
Field Sample No.		S49	S50	S51	S52		
Date Sampled		September 21, 2006	September 21, 2006	September 21, 2006	September 21, 2006		
Lab No.		B06-18S49	B06-18S50	B06-18S51	B06-18S52		
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm			<b>NO RECOVERY</b>		
	2"	50mm					
	1.5"	37.5mm					
	1"	25mm					
	0.75"	19mm					
	0.5"	12.5mm					
	0.375"	9.5mm		100.0%			
	0.25"	6.3mm					
	#4	4.75mm		99.8%			
	#8	2.36mm		99.5%			
	#10	2mm					
	#16	1.18mm		98.7%			
	#30	0.6mm		95.0%			
	#40	0.425mm					
	#50	0.3mm		79.9%			
#100	0.15mm		66.2%				
#200	0.075mm		62.9%				
DOTSD							
Liquid Limit							
Plastic Index							
Moisture Content %		13.8%	21.0%	17.8%			
Organic Content %							
% Gravel				0%			
% Sand				37%			
% Silt & Clay				63%			
Max. Dry Density							
Opt. Moisture %							
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)							
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>							
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)							
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)		>4.5					

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			5	10	15	20	25	30
Test Hole No.			B06-19	B06-19	B06-19	B06-19	B06-19	B06-19
Field Sample No.			S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	S6
Date Sampled			September 5, 2006	September 5, 2006	September 5, 2006	September 5, 2006	September 5, 2006	September 5, 2006
Lab No.			B06-19S1	B06-19S2	B06-19S3	B06-19S4	B06-19S5	B06-19S6
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm		100.0%				
	0.75"	19mm		96.9%				
	0.5"	12.5mm		87.7%				
	0.375"	9.5mm		81.7%				
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm		66.9%				
	#8	2.36mm		55.6%				
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm		46.0%				
	#30	0.6mm		37.0%				
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm		29.5%				
#100	0.15mm		21.1%					
#200	0.075mm		12.0%					
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit						37		
Plastic Index						17		
Moisture Content %			30.4%	14.0%	20.7%	22.2%	24.4%	22.0%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel				33%				
% Sand				55%				
% Silt & Clay				12%				
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)					>4.5	>4.5	>4.5	>4.5

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			35	40	45	50	55	60
Test Hole No.			B06-19	B06-19	B06-19	B06-19	B06-19	B06-19
Field Sample No.			S7	S8	S9	S10	S11	S12
Date Sampled			September 5, 2006	September 5, 2006	September 5, 2006	September 5, 2006	September 5, 2006	September 5, 2006
Lab No.			B06-19S7	B06-19S8	B06-19S9	B06-19S10	B06-19S11	B06-19S12
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm		NO RECOVERY		NO RECOVERY		SEE FIGURE A-21 IN APPENDIX A FOR LOG OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLE
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
#50	0.3mm							
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %			25.6%		23.8%		23.8%	20.5%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								6.2
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)			4.0		2.5		4.0	>4.5

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			65	70	75	80	85	90
Test Hole No.			B06-19	B06-19	B06-19	B06-19	B06-19	B06-19
Field Sample No.			S13	S14	S15	S16	S17	S18
Date Sampled			September 5, 2006	September 5, 2006	September 5, 2006	September 5, 2006	September 5, 2006	September 5, 2006
Lab No.			B06-19S13	B06-19S14	B06-19S15	B06-19S16	B06-19S17	B06-19S18
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm					<b>SEE FIGURE A-21 IN APPENDIX A FOR LOG OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLE</b>	
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit						38		
Plastic Index						19		
Moisture Content %			20.9%	27.4%	22.7%	23.1%	24.0%	26.5%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)							3.2	
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)			>4.5	2.8	4.5	4.3	2.8	3.3

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			102	107	112	117	122	
Test Hole No.			B06-19	B06-19	B06-19	B06-19	B06-19	
Field Sample No.			S50	S51	S52	S53	S54	
Date Sampled			September 25, 2006	September 25, 2006	September 25, 2006	September 25, 2006	September 25, 2006	
Lab No.			B06-19S50	B06-19S51	B06-19S52	B06-19S53	B06-19S54	
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm	<b>SAMPLE NUMBERING SEQUENCE OUT OF ORDER DUE TO RELOCATION OF BORING (NO SAMPLES S19 - S49)</b>	<b>NO RECOVERY</b>				
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
#50	0.3mm							
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit								
Plastic Index								
Moisture Content %				25.7%	23.4%	26.3%	26.5%	
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)				3.3	2.5	2.5	2.0	



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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			127	132	137	142	147	148.5
Test Hole No.			B06-19	B06-19	B06-19	B06-19	B06-19	B06-19
Field Sample No.			S55	S56	S57	S58	S59	S60
Date Sampled			September 25, 2006	September 25, 2006	September 25, 2006	September 25, 2006	September 25, 2006	September 25, 2006
Lab No.			B06-19S55	B06-19S56	B06-19S57	B06-19S58	B06-19S59	B06-19S60
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm	<b>SEE FIGURE A-21 IN APPENDIX A FOR LOG OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLE</b>					
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
#100	0.15mm							
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit				45				
Plastic Index				22				
Moisture Content %			17.5%	29.6%	23.3%	23.4%	18.5%	22.4%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial $U_u$ (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation $C_v$								
Unc. Comp. Strength $Q_u$ (tsf)			4.6					
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)			4.0	2.3	2.5	2.3	2.0	3.0

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			157	158.5	167	169.5	177	178.5
Test Hole No.			B06-19	B06-19	B06-19	B06-19	B06-19	B06-19
Field Sample No.			S61	S62	S63	S64	S65	S66
Date Sampled			September 25, 2006	September 25, 2006	September 25, 2006	September 25, 2006	September 25, 2006	September 25, 2006
Lab No.			B06-19S61	B06-19S62	B06-19S63	B06-19S64	B06-19S65	B06-19S66
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm			SEE FIGURE A-21 IN APPENDIX A FOR LOG OF SHELBY TUBE SAMPLE			
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
	#100	0.15mm						
#200	0.075mm							
DOTTSD								
Liquid Limit						32		
Plastic Index						15		
Moisture Content %			23.0%	21.9%	18.4%	18.4%	19.3%	17.1%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)					5.4			
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)			2.5	2.5	>4.5	3.3	2.5	2.0

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			187	188.5	197	207	217	227
Test Hole No.			B06-19	B06-19	B06-19	B06-19	B06-19	B06-19
Field Sample No.			S67	S68	S69	S70	S71	S72
Date Sampled			September 25, 2006	September 25, 2006	September 25, 2006	September 25, 2006	September 26, 2006	September 26, 2006
Lab No.			B06-19S67	B06-19S68	B06-19S69	B06-19S70	B06-19S71	B06-19S72
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm						
	2"	50mm						
	1.5"	37.5mm						
	1"	25mm						
	0.75"	19mm						
	0.5"	12.5mm						
	0.375"	9.5mm						
	0.25"	6.3mm						
	#4	4.75mm						
	#8	2.36mm						
	#10	2mm						
	#16	1.18mm						
	#30	0.6mm						
	#40	0.425mm						
	#50	0.3mm						
	#100	0.15mm						
#200	0.075mm							
DOTSD								
Liquid Limit				34				
Plastic Index				16				
Moisture Content %			26.7%	22.8%	23.0%	25.1%	17.8%	14.9%
Organic Content %								
% Gravel								
% Sand								
% Silt & Clay								
Max. Dry Density								
Opt. Moisture %								
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>								
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)								
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)			2.5	2.5		2.8	3.5	

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Sampled By: Ryan Collins/Oscar Lage

Depth (feet)			237	247	252		
Test Hole No.			B06-19	B06-19	B06-19		
Field Sample No.			S73	S74	S75		
Date Sampled			September 26, 2006	September 26, 2006	September 26, 2006		
Lab No.			B06-19S73	B06-19S74	B06-19S75		
Percent Passing Sieve Size	3"	75mm					
	2"	50mm					
	1.5"	37.5mm					
	1"	25mm					
	0.75"	19mm					
	0.5"	12.5mm					
	0.375"	9.5mm					
	0.25"	6.3mm					
	#4	4.75mm					
	#8	2.36mm					
	#10	2mm					
	#16	1.18mm					
	#30	0.6mm					
	#40	0.425mm					
	#50	0.3mm					
	#100	0.15mm					
#200	0.075mm		14.0%				
DOTTSD							
Liquid Limit							
Plastic Index							
Moisture Content %			9.0%	11.8%	8.0%		
Organic Content %							
% Gravel							
% Sand							
% Silt & Clay			14%				
Max. Dry Density							
Opt. Moisture %							
Unconsol. Uncon. Triaxial U <sub>u</sub> (tsf)							
Coeff. Of Consolidation C <sub>v</sub>							
Unc. Comp. Strength Q <sub>u</sub> (tsf)							
Pocket Pen Value (tsf)							

# Unified Soil Classification System

GROUP NAME Criteria for Assigning Group Names and Group Symbols				Soil Classification Group Symbol with Generalized Group Descriptions	
COARSE-GRAINED SOILS more than 50% retained on No. 200 sieve	GRAVELS 50% or more of coarse fraction retained on No. 4 sieve	Clean GRAVELS Less than 5% fines		GW	Well-graded Gravels
		GRAVELS with fines More than 12% fines		GP	Poorly-graded Gravels
		GRAVELS with fines More than 12% fines		GM	Gravel & Silt Mixtures
				GC	Gravel & Clay Mixtures
	SANDS More than 50% of coarse fraction passes No. 4 sieve	Clean SANDS Less than 5% fines		SW	Well-graded Sands
		SANDS with fines More than 12% fines		SP	Poorly-graded Sands
		SANDS with fines More than 12% fines		SM	Sand & Silt Mixtures
				SC	Sand & Clay Mixtures
FINE-GRAINED SOILS 50% or more passes the No. 200 sieve	SILTS AND CLAYS Liquid limit 50% or less	INORGANIC		ML	Non-plastic & Low-plasticity Silts
		INORGANIC		CL	Low-plasticity Clays
		ORGANIC		OL	Non-plastic and Low-plasticity Organic Clays
				OS	Non-plastic and Low-plasticity Organic Silts
	SILTS AND CLAYS Liquid limit greater than 50%	INORGANIC		CH	High-plasticity Clays
		INORGANIC		MH	High-plasticity Silts
		ORGANIC		OH	High-plasticity Organic Clays
				OS	High-plasticity Organic Silts
HIGHLY ORGANIC SOILS	Primarily organic matter, dark in color, and organic odor			PT	Peat

### Organic Content

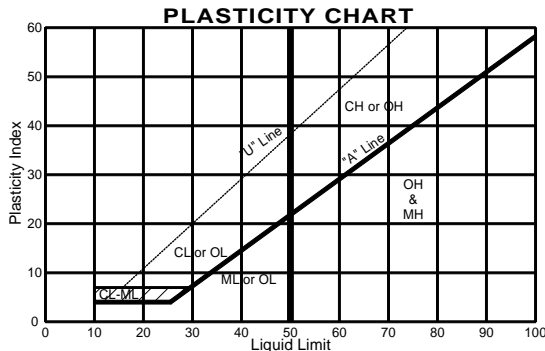
Adjective	Percent by Volume
Occasional	0-1
Scattered	1-10
Numerous	10-30
Organic	30-50, minor constituent
Peat	50-100, MAJOR constituent

### Descriptive Terminology Denoting Component Proportions

Description	Range of Proportion
Add the adjective "slightly"	5 - 12%
Add soil adjective <sup>(a)</sup>	12 - 50%
Major proportion in upper case, (e.g., SAND)	>50%

<sup>(a)</sup> Use gravelly, sandy, or silty as appropriate

NOTE: The soil descriptions used in the boring logs lists constituents from smallest percentage to largest percentage.



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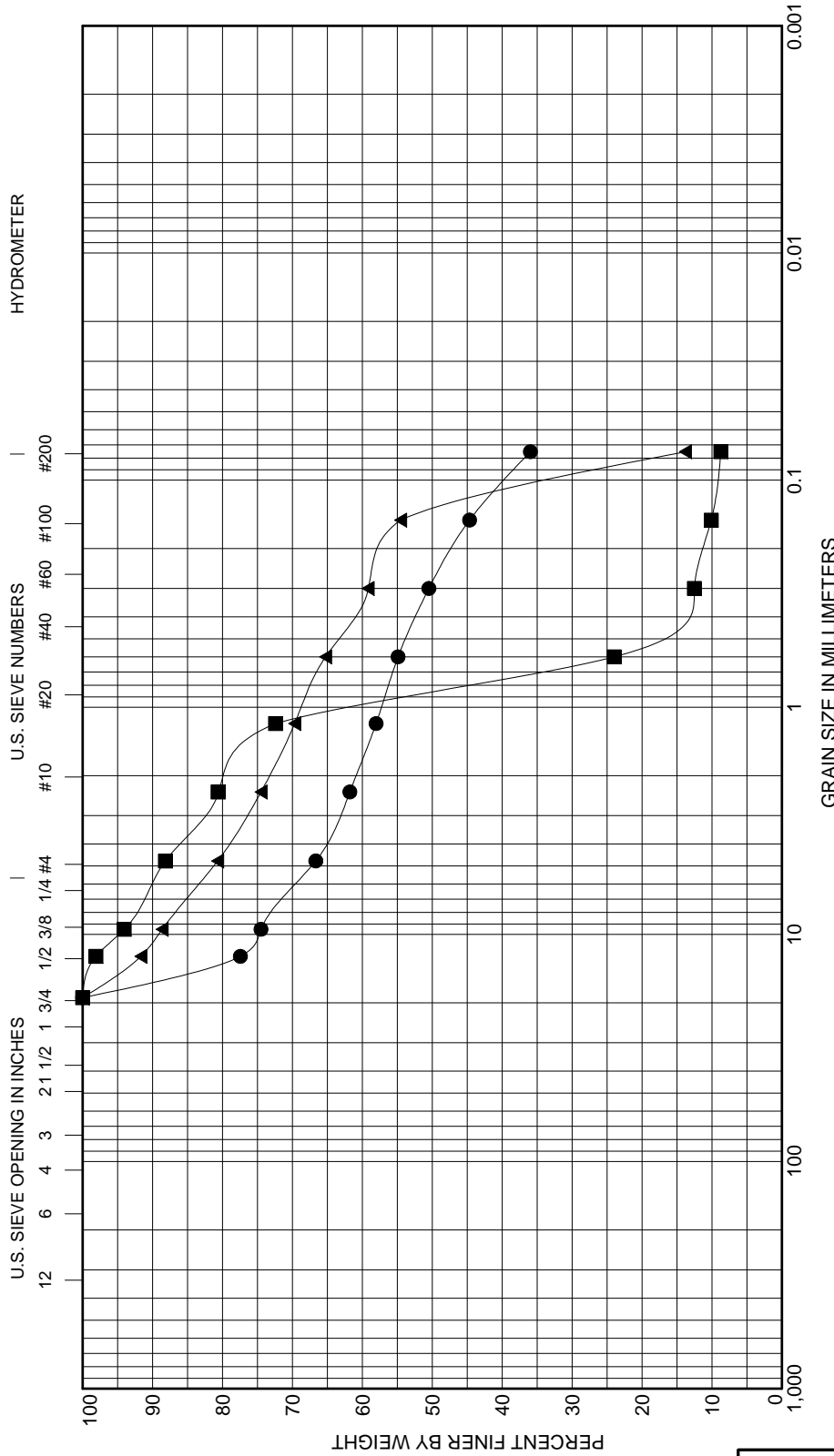
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Sample	Depth, Ft	GRAVEL			SAND			SILT OR CLAY						
		coarse	fine		coarse	medium	fine	LL	PL	PI	Cc	Cu		
● B06-01 S1	13.5 - 14.8	Sandy, silty GRAVEL [GM]												
■ B06-01 S3	25.0 - 26.5	Slightly silty, gravelly SAND [SP]									3.0	7.0		
▲ B06-01 S7	45.0 - 46.5	Clayey, gravelly SAND [SM]												
Sample	Depth, Ft	D100	D60	D30	D10	%Gravel	%Sand	%Silt	%Clay					
● B06-01 S1	13.5 - 14.8	19	1.7			33	31		36					
■ B06-01 S3	25.0 - 26.5	19	0.99	0.65	0.14	12	79		9					
▲ B06-01 S7	45.0 - 46.5	19	0.33	0.1		19	67		14					

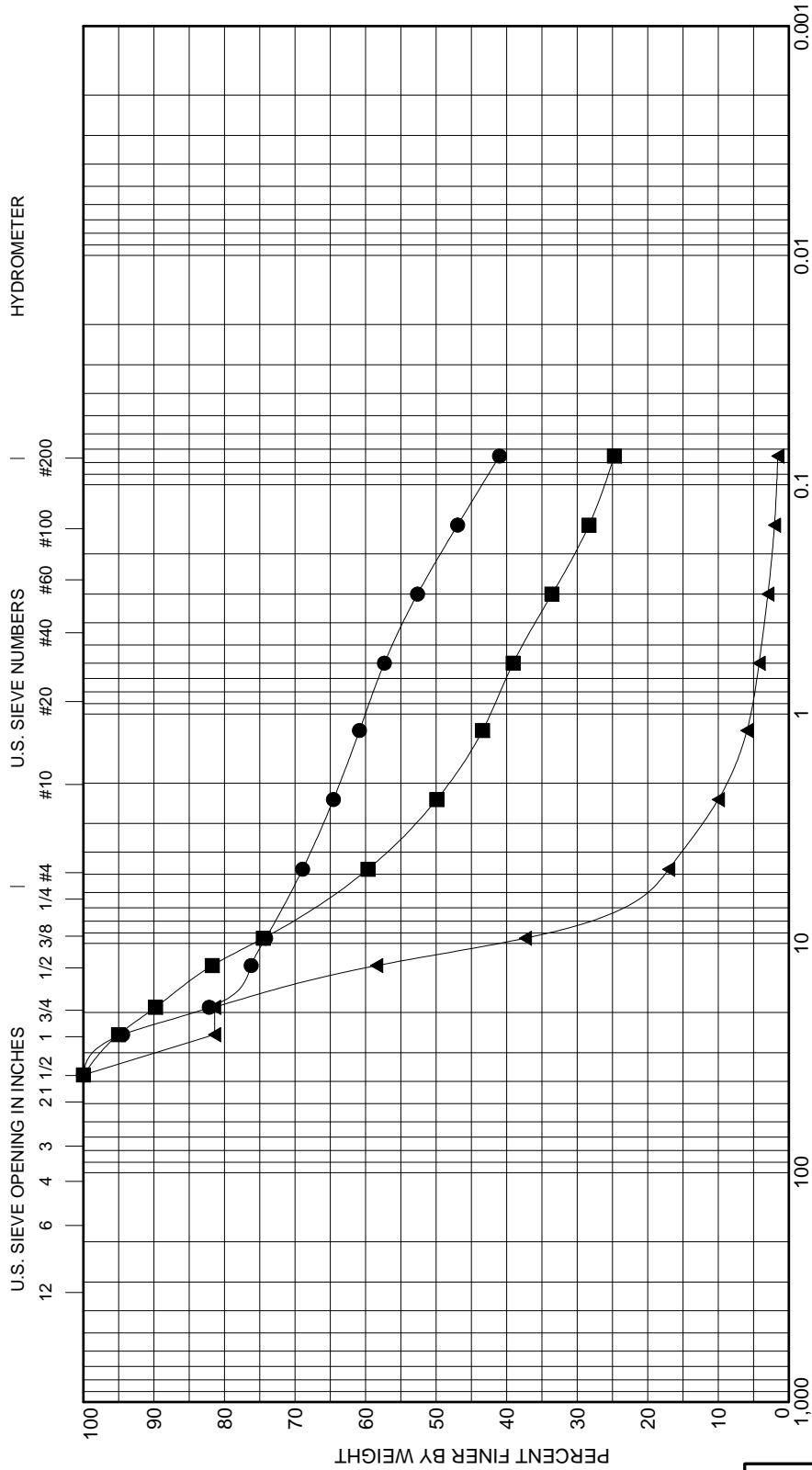
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COBBLES	GRAVEL		SAND			SILT OR CLAY			
	coarse	fine	coarse	medium	fine	LL	PL	PI	Cc

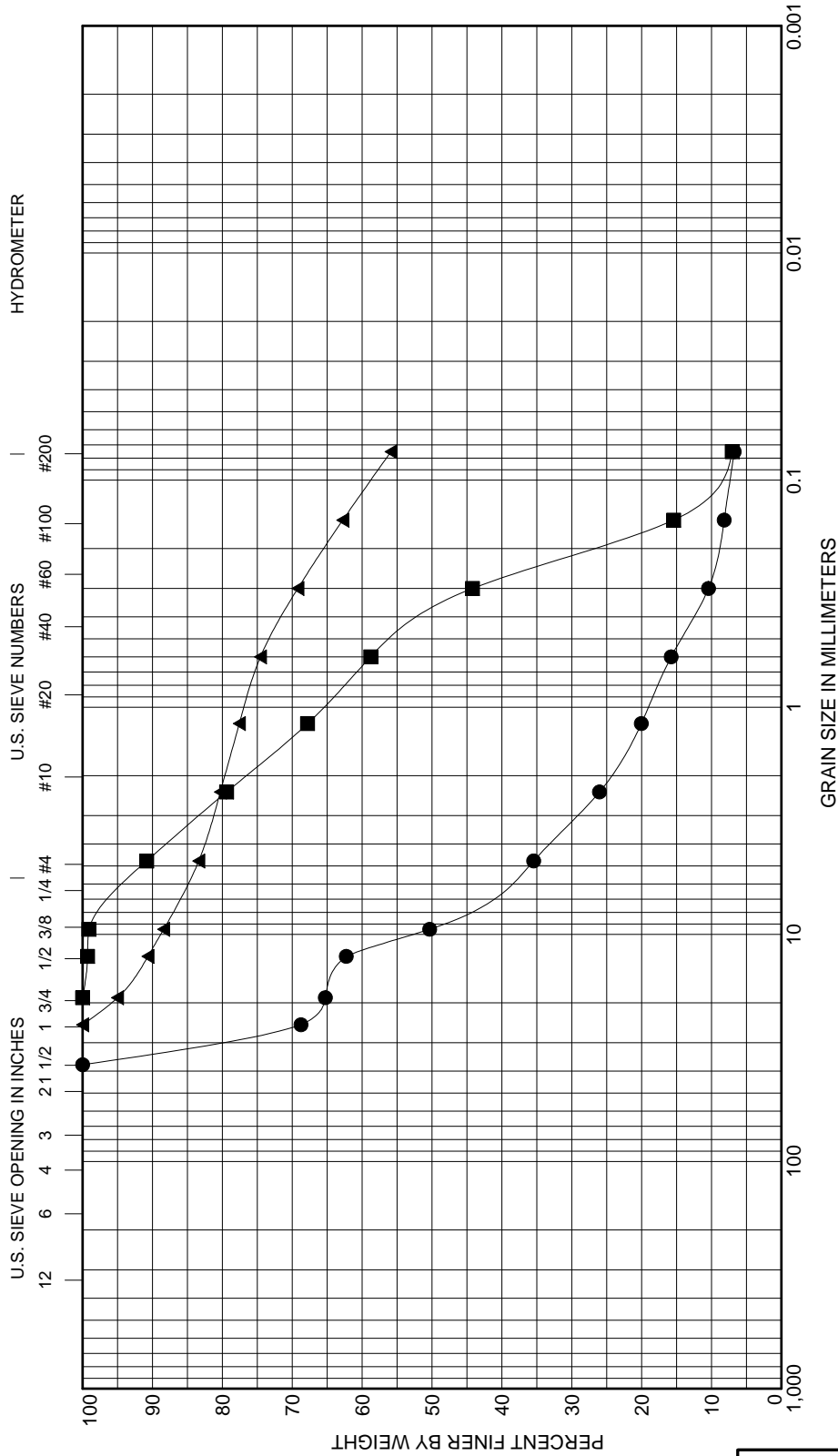
Sample	Depth, Ft	Classification	LL	PL	PI	Cc	Cu		
● B06-01 S24	130.0 - 131.5	Sandy, silty GRAVEL [GM]							
■ B06-02 S16	84.0 - 85.0	Silty, sandy GRAVEL [GM]							
▲ B06-02 S19	109.0 - 109.3	Sandy GRAVEL [GW]				1.8	5.4		
Sample	Depth, Ft	D100	D60	D30	D10	%Gravel	%Sand	%Silt	%Clay
● B06-01 S24	130.0 - 131.5	37.5	1			31	28		41
■ B06-02 S16	84.0 - 85.0	37.5	4.82	0.19		40	35		25
▲ B06-02 S19	109.0 - 109.3	37.5	12.86	7.39	2.36	83	15		2

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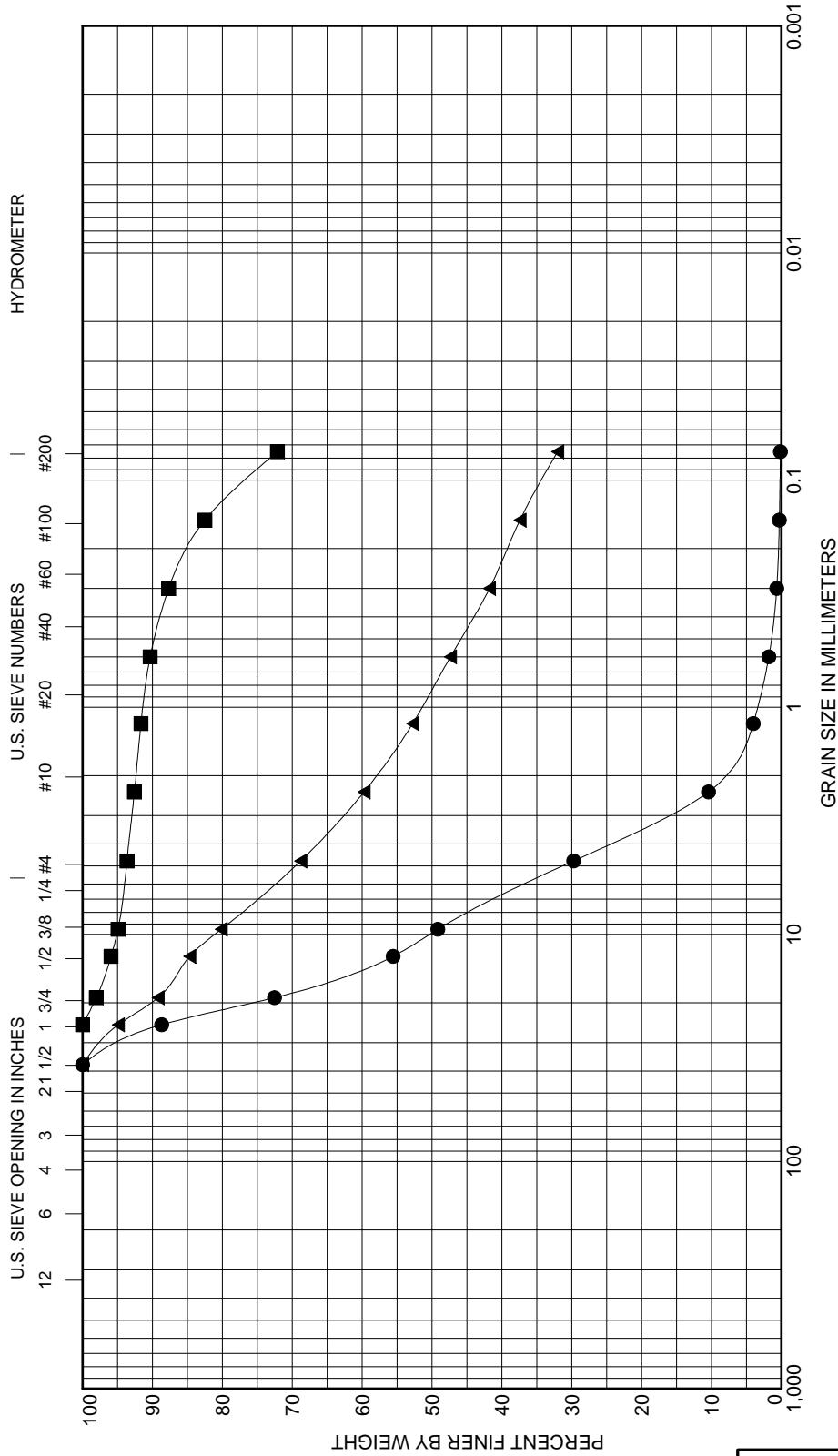
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Sample	Depth, Ft	GRAVEL			SAND			SILT OR CLAY				
		coarse	fine	Classification	coarse	medium	fine	LL	PL	PI	Cc	Cu
● B06-07 S30	170.0 - 171.3			Sandy GRAVEL [GP]							0.7	6.2
■ B06-08 S23	138.0 - 139.3			Slightly gravelly, sandy, silty CLAY [CL-ML]								
▲ B06-08 S30	179.0 - 180.5			Gravelly, silty SAND [SM]								
Sample	Depth, Ft	D100	D60	D30	D10	%Gravel	%Sand	%Silt	%Clay			
● B06-07 S30	170.0 - 171.3	37.5	13.94	4.8	2.25	70	30	0				
■ B06-08 S23	138.0 - 139.3	25				6	22		72			
▲ B06-08 S30	179.0 - 180.5	37.5	2.41			31	37		32			

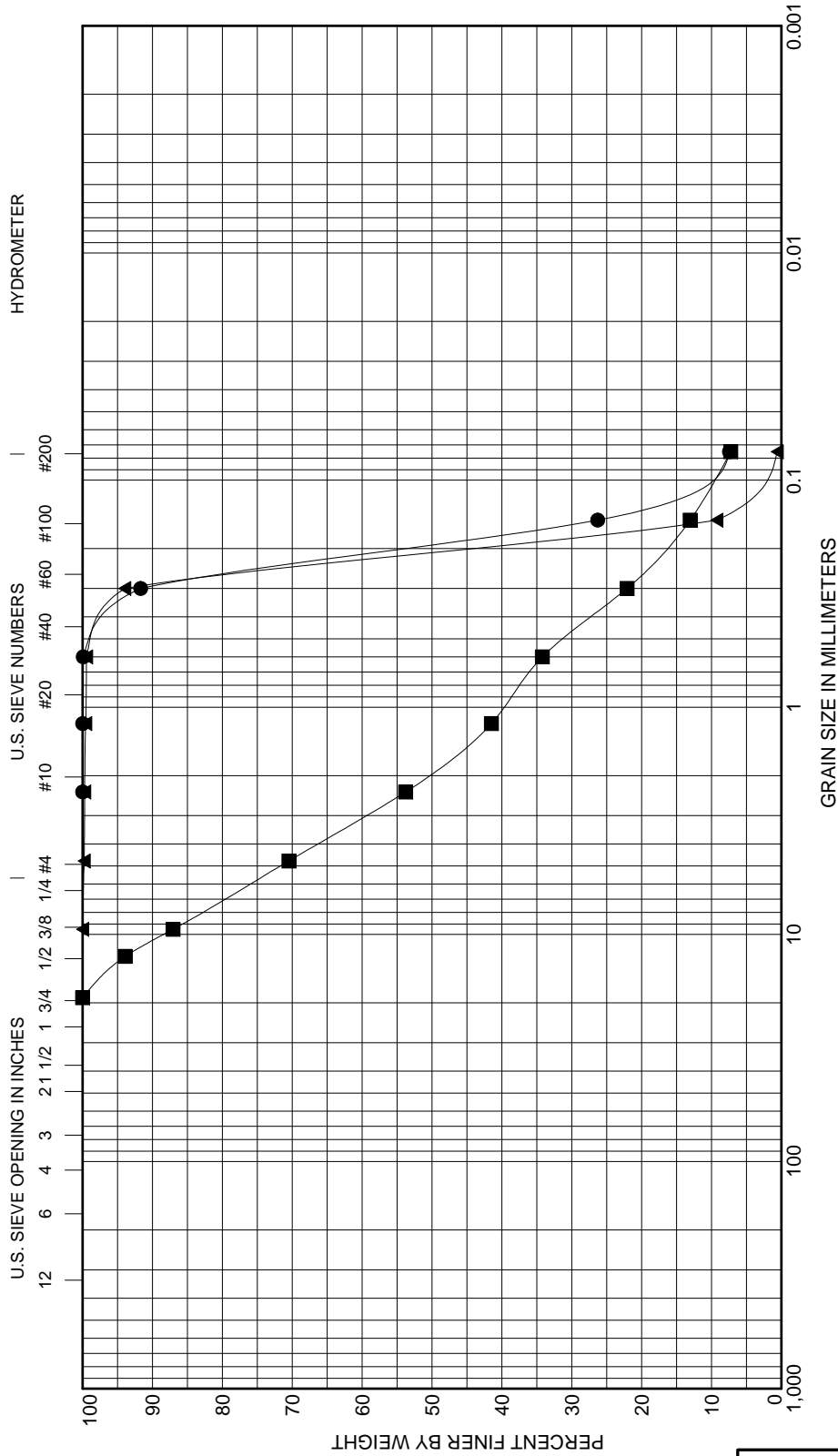
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Sample	Depth, Ft	GRAVEL			SAND			SILT OR CLAY					
		coarse	fine		coarse	medium	fine	LL	PL	PI	Cc	Cu	
● B06-11 S3	19.0 - 20.5	Slightly silty SAND [SP-SM]										1.4	2.6
■ B06-11 S20	144.0 - 145.5	Slightly silty, gravelly SAND [SP-SM]										0.7	29.4
▲ B06-12 S5	26.0 - 27.5	SAND [SP]										0.9	1.5
Sample	Depth, Ft	D100	D60	D30	D10	%Gravel	%Sand	%Silt	%Clay				
● B06-11 S3	19.0 - 20.5	2.36	0.21	0.16	0.08	0	93	7					
■ B06-11 S20	144.0 - 145.5	19	3.06	0.47	0.1	30	63	7					
▲ B06-12 S5	26.0 - 27.5	9.5	0.23	0.18	0.15	0	99	1					

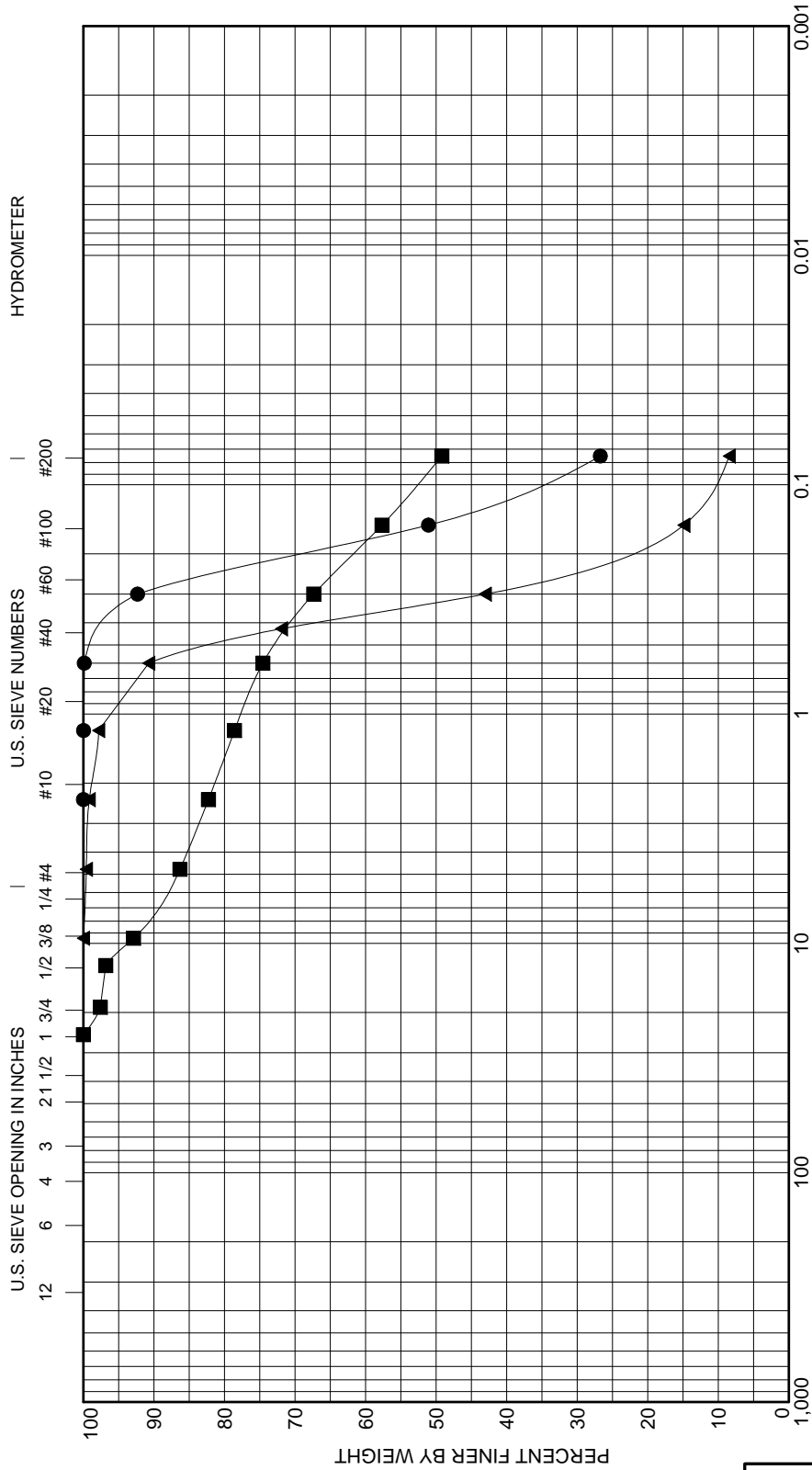
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Sample	Depth, Ft	GRAVEL			SAND			SILT OR CLAY							
		coarse	fine		coarse	medium	fine	LL	PL	PI	Cc	Cu			
● B06-12 S11	56.0 - 57.5	Silty SAND [SM]													
■ B06-13 S5	92.0 - 93.5	Gravelly, silty SAND [SM]													
▲ B06-16 S12	63.0 - 64.5	Slightly silty SAND [SW-SM]													
Sample	Depth, Ft	D100	D60	D30	D10	%Gravel	%Sand	%Silt	%Clay						
● B06-12 S11	56.0 - 57.5	2.36	0.17	0.08	0	73	27								
■ B06-13 S5	92.0 - 93.5	25	0.18		14	37	49								
▲ B06-16 S12	63.0 - 64.5	9.5	0.37	0.22	0.09	0	91	8							

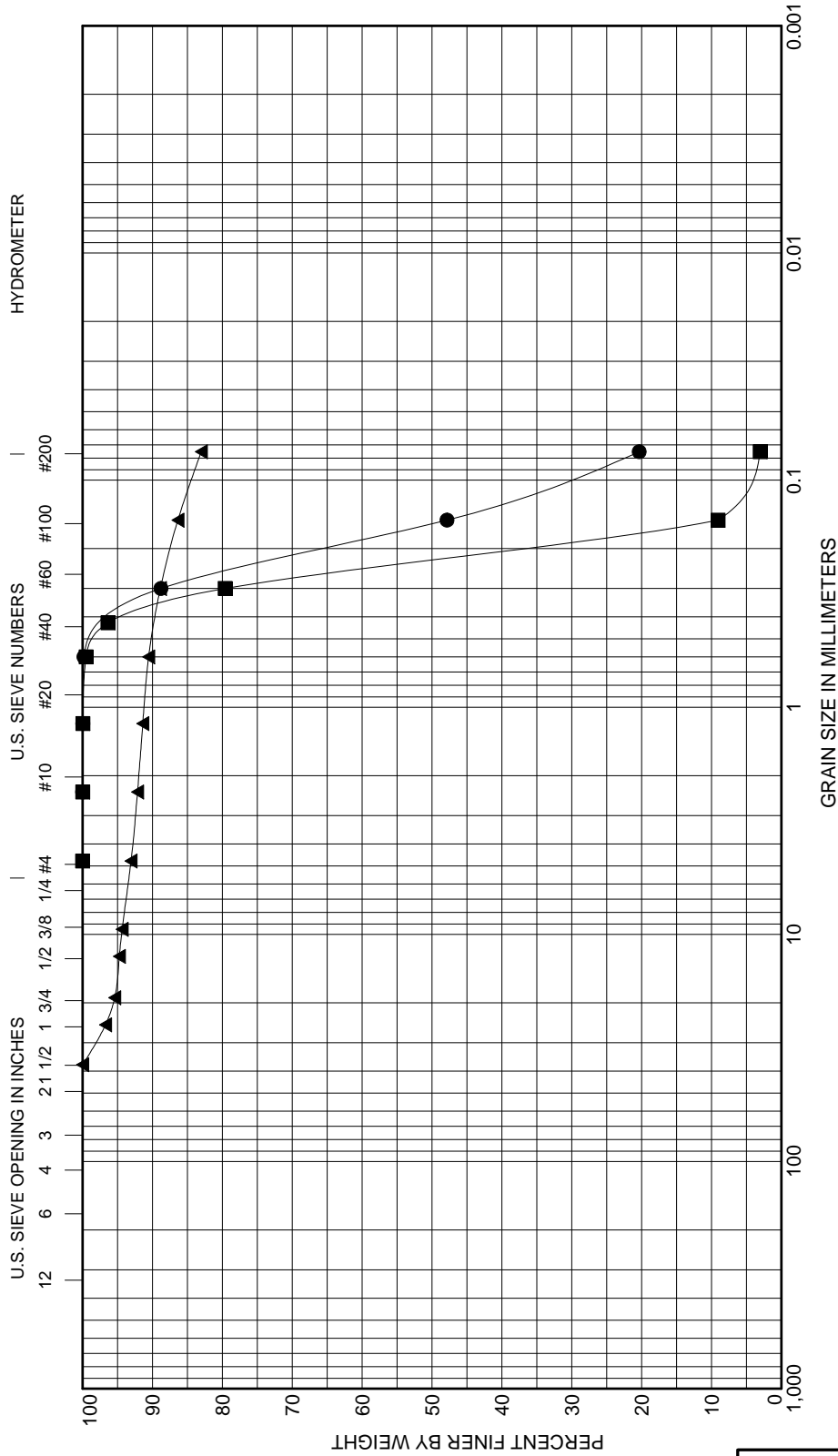
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Sample	Depth, Ft	GRAVEL			SAND			SILT OR CLAY							
		coarse	fine		coarse	medium	fine	LL	PL	PI	Cc	Cu			
● B06-16 S20	103.0 - 104.5														
■ B06-16 S36	183.0 - 184.5												0.9	1.6	
▲ B06-18 S39	209.0 - 214.0														
		<b>Slightly gravely, slightly sandy clay [CL]</b>													
Sample	Depth, Ft	D100	D60	D30	D10	%Gravel	%Sand	%Silt	%Clay						
● B06-16 S20	103.0 - 104.5	2.36	0.18	0.1	0	80	20								
■ B06-16 S36	183.0 - 184.5	4.75	0.25	0.15	0	97	3								
▲ B06-18 S39	209.0 - 214.0	37.5			7	10	83								

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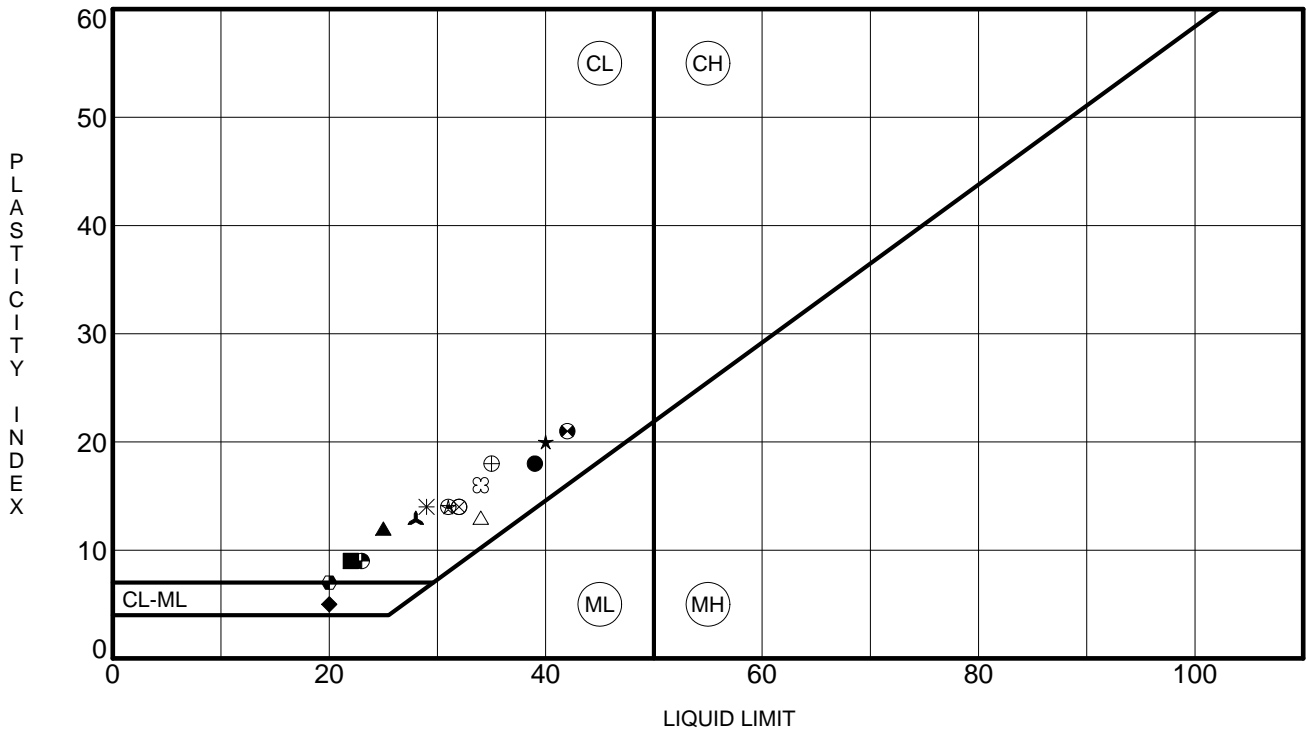
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● B06-01 S6	40.0 - 41.5	39	21	18		CL
■ B06-01 S13	75.0 - 76.5	22	13	9		CL
▲ B06-01 S20	110.0 - 111.5	25	13	12		CL
○ B06-01 S27	145.0 - 146.5	32	18	14		CL
⊙ B06-01 S32	170.0 - 171.5	31	17	14		CL
△ B06-01 S36	190.0 - 191.5	34	21	13		CL
* B06-02 S7	39.0 - 40.5	29	15	14		CL
▲ B06-02 S14	74.0 - 75.5	28	15	13		CL
⊗ B06-02 S21	129.0 - 130.5	32	18	14		CL
★ B06-04 S19	131.0 - 132.5	40	20	20		CL
⊕ B06-05 S7	41.0 - 42.5	35	17	18		CL
⊗ B06-05 S16	84.0 - 85.5	42	21	21		CL
⊕ B06-06 S15	75.6 - 77.1	23	14	9		CL
☆ B06-06 S18	88.8 - 90.3	31	17	14		CL
⊗ B06-06 S21	98.2 - 99.7	34	18	16		CL
⊕ B06-07 S21	120.0 - 121.5	20	13	7		CL-ML
◆ B06-08 S27	156.0 - 157.5	20	15	5		CL-ML

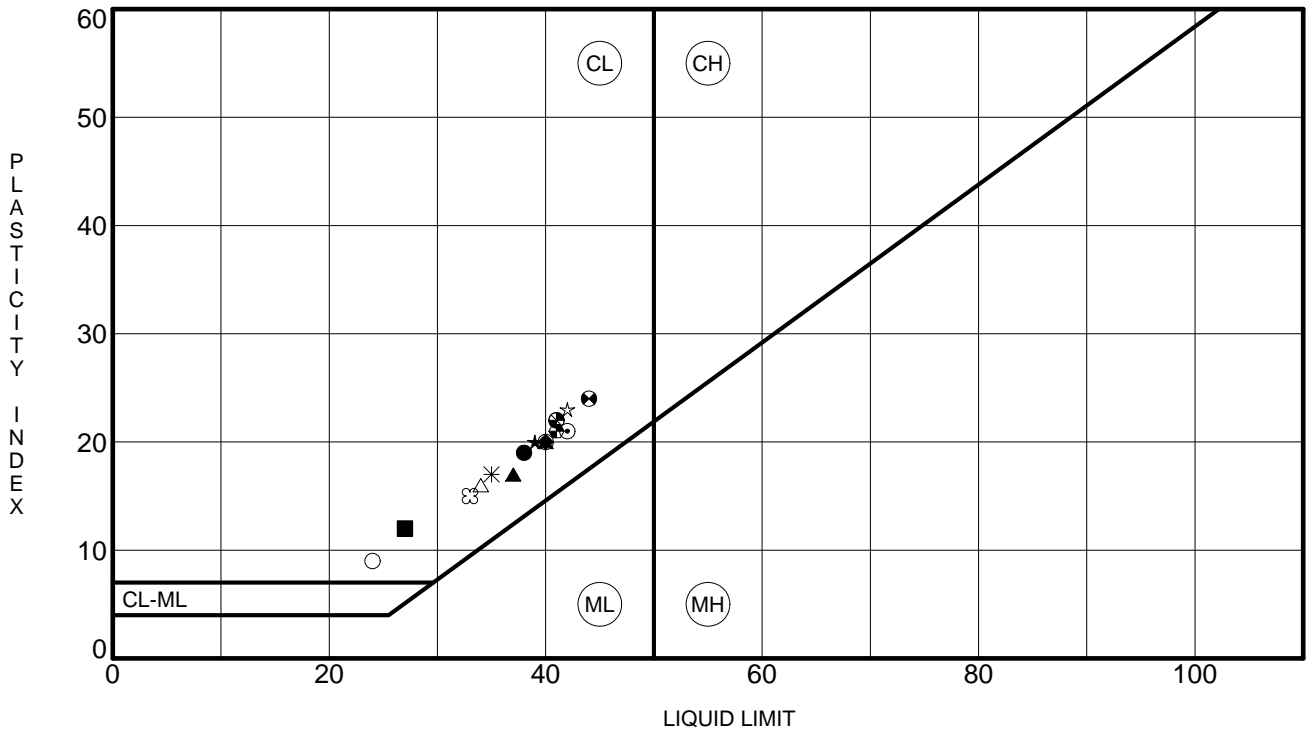
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Boring	Depth, Ft	LL	PL	PI	Fines	Classification
● B06-08 S32	195.0 - 196.5	38	19	19		CL
■ B06-09 S32	192.0 - 193.5	27	15	12		CL
▲ B06-09 S33	202.0 - 203.5	37	20	17		CL
○ B06-10 S29	180.0 - 181.5	24	15	9		CL
⊙ B06-12 S23	131.0 - 132.5	42	21	21		CL
△ B06-12 S26	161.0 - 162.5	34	18	16		CL
* B06-12 S35	241.0 - 242.5	35	18	17		CL
▲ B06-13 S1	55.0 - 56.5	40	20	20		CL
⊗ B06-13 S7	112.0 - 113.5	41	19	22		CL
★ B06-14 S5	30.0 - 31.5	39	19	20		CL
⊕ B06-14 S9	50.0 - 51.5	40	20	20		CL
⊗ B06-14 S13	70.0 - 71.5	44	20	24		CL
⊕ B06-14 S15	80.0 - 81.5	41	19	22		CL
☆ B06-14 S19	100.0 - 101.5	42	19	23		CL
⊗ B06-14 S24	155.0 - 156.5	33	18	15		CL
⊕ B06-14 S28	185.0 - 186.5	41	20	21		CL
◆ B06-14 S32	205.0 - 206.5	40	20	20		CL

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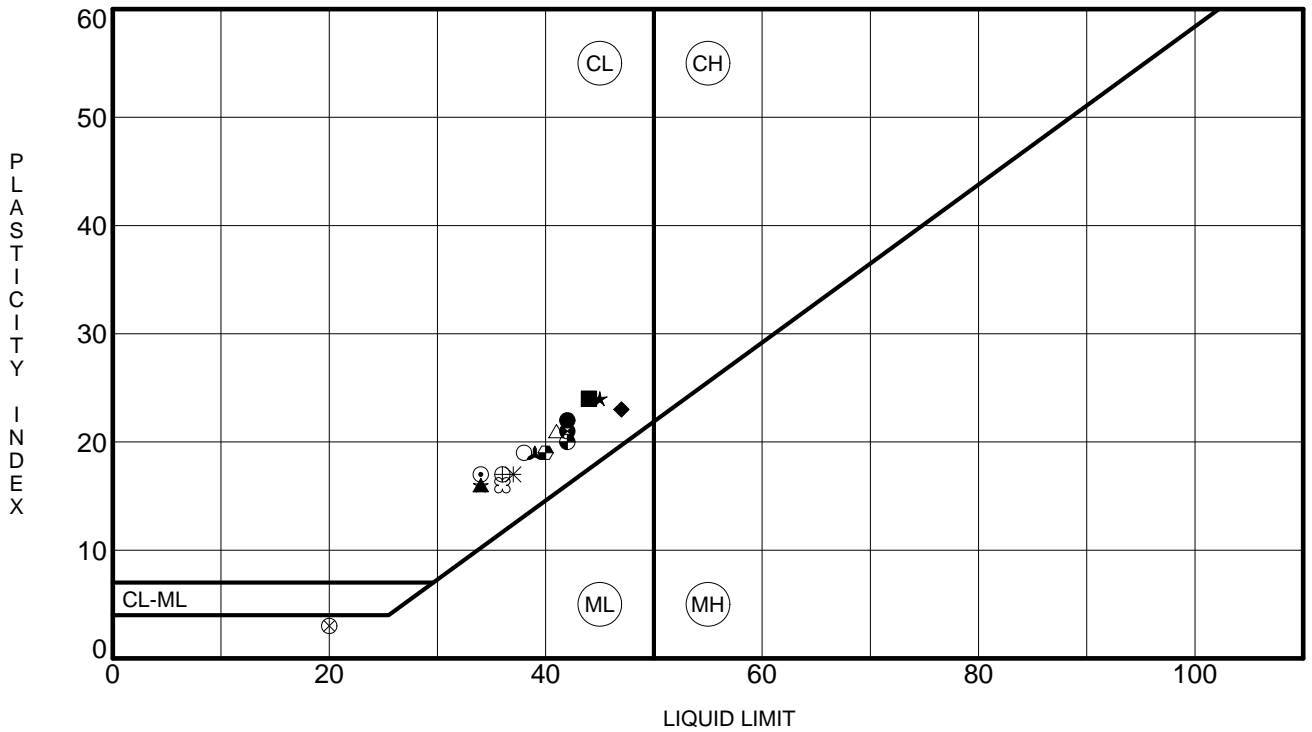
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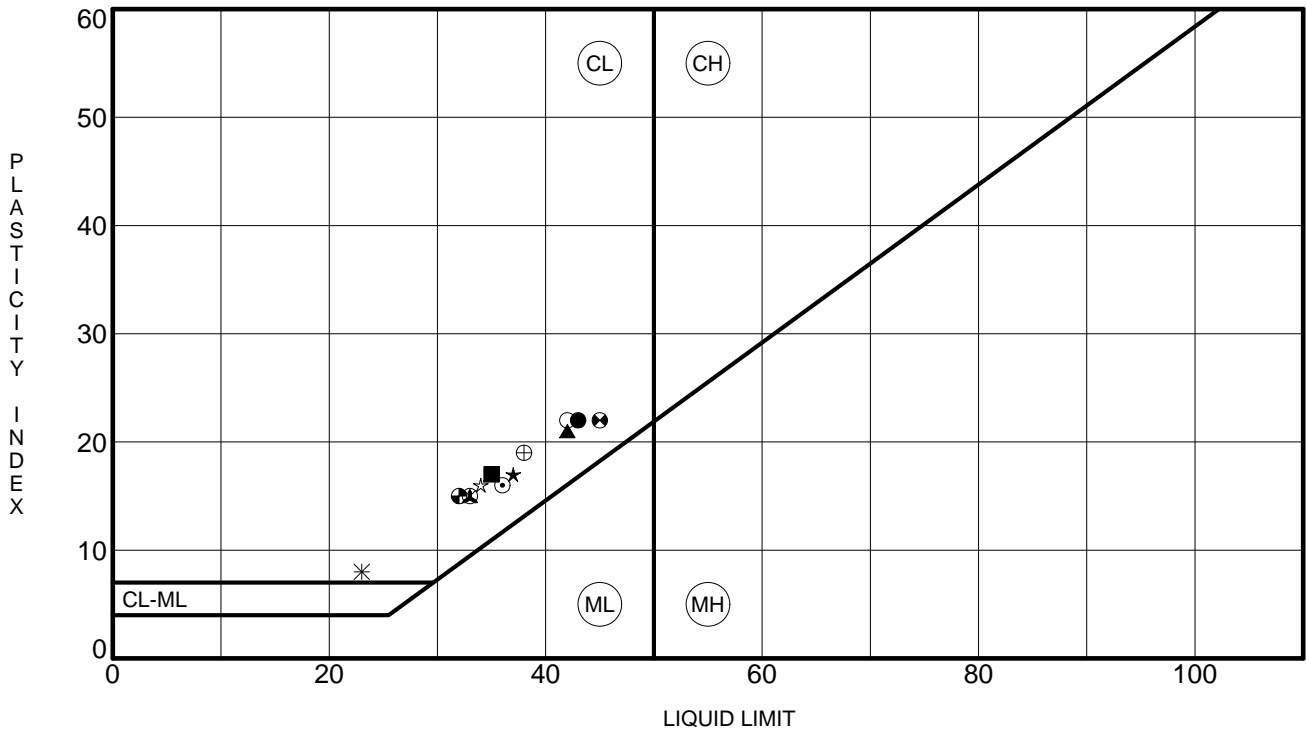
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Boring	Depth, Ft	LL	PL	PI	Fines	Classification
● B06-14 S35	217.5 - 219.0	42	20	22		CL
■ B06-15 S1	22.5 - 24.0	44	20	24		CL
▲ B06-15 S4	62.0 - 63.5	34	18	16		CL
○ B06-15 S7	92.0 - 93.5	38	19	19		CL
⊙ B06-15 S10	132.0 - 133.5	34	17	17		CL
△ B06-16 S3	15.0 - 16.5	41	20	21		CL
* B06-16 S30	153.0 - 154.5	37	20	17		CL
▲ B06-16 S41	218.0 - 219.5	39	20	19		CL
⊗ B06-16 S44	248.0 - 249.5	20	17	3		ML
★ B06-17 S5	27.0 - 28.5	45	21	24		CL
⊕ B06-17 S11	57.0 - 58.5	36	19	17		CL
⊗ B06-17 S15	81.0 - 82.5	42	21	21		CL
⊕ B06-17 S22	117.5 - 119.0	42	22	20		CL
☆ B06-17 S26	137.5 - 139.0	34	18	16		CL
⊗ B06-18 S3	19.0 - 20.5	36	20	16		CL
⊕ B06-18 S5	34.0 - 35.5	40	21	19		CL
◆ B06-18 S10	64.0 - 65.5	47	24	23		CL

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Boring	Depth, Ft	LL	PL	PI	Fines	Classification
● B06-18 S16	94.0 - 95.5	43	21	22		CL
■ B06-18 S18	104.0 - 105.5	35	18	17		CL
▲ B06-18 S20	114.0 - 115.5	42	21	21		CL
○ B06-18 S25	139.0 - 140.5	42	20	22		CL
⊕ B06-18 S30	164.0 - 165.5	36	20	16		CL
△ B06-18 S31	169.0 - 170.5	35	18	17		CL
* B06-18 S36	194.0 - 195.5	23	15	8		CL
▲ B06-18 S40	214.0 - 215.5	33	18	15		CL
⊗ B06-18 S45	239.0 - 240.5	33	18	15		CL
★ B06-19 S4	20.0 - 21.5	37	20	17		CL
⊕ B06-19 S16	80.0 - 81.5	38	19	19		CL
⊗ B06-19 S56	132.0 - 133.5	45	23	22		CL
⊗ B06-19 S64	169.5 - 171.0	32	17	15		CL
☆ B06-19 S68	188.5 - 190.0	34	18	16		CL

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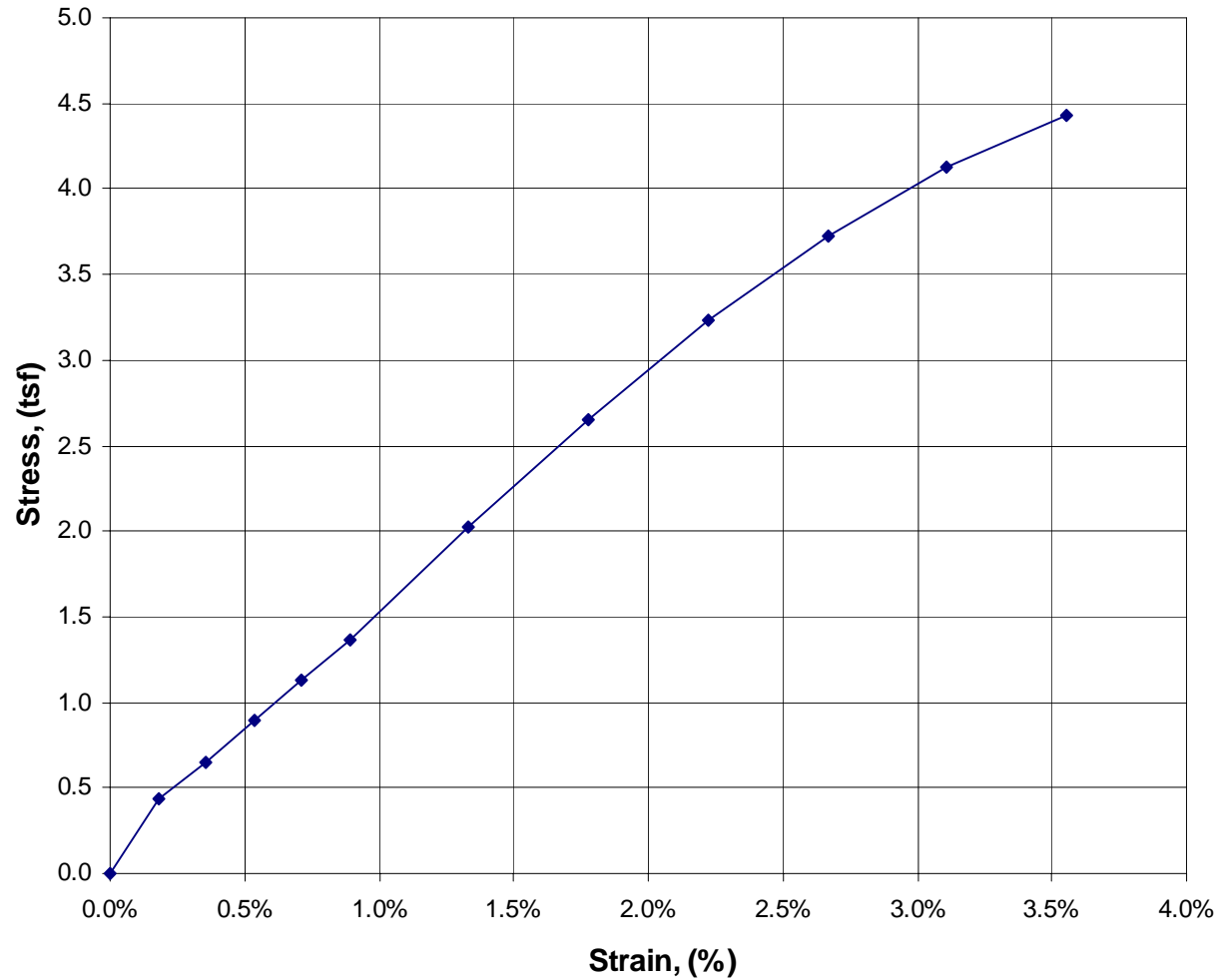
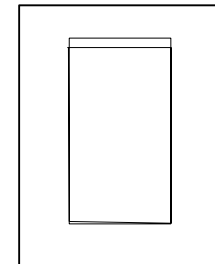
### Sample Data

Sample Depth: 176.5-177 ft  
 Initial Diameter: 2.828 in.  
 Initial Height: 5.625 in.  
 Initial Moisture Content: 17.8%  
 Wet Density: 130.4 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Stress: >4.4 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
 Strain at Maximum Stress: >3.6%

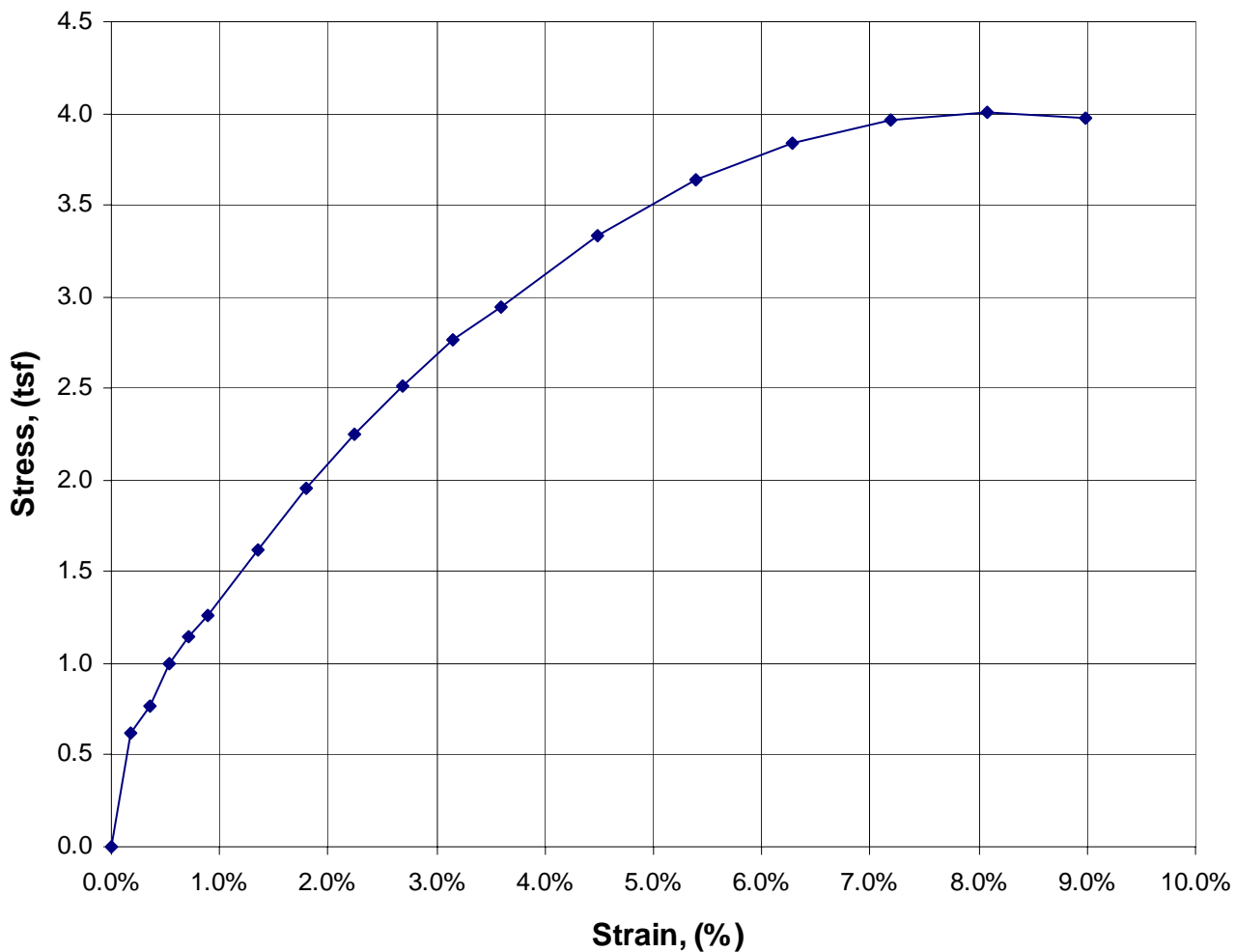
Classification: Hard, gray CLAY,  
 moist. (CL)

### Failure Sketch



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# Boring B06-16 Sample S4



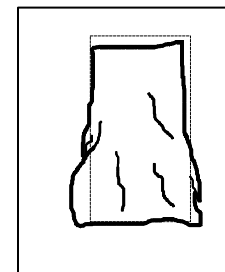
## Sample Data


Sample Depth: 20.0-20.5 ft  
 Initial Diameter: 2.838 in.  
 Initial Height: 5.567 in.  
 Initial Moisture Content: 21.3%  
 Wet Density: NA lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Stress: 4.0 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
 Strain at Maximum Stress: 9.0%

Classification: Hard, gray CLAY,  
 moist. (CL)

## Failure Sketch



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# Boring B06-16 Sample S8

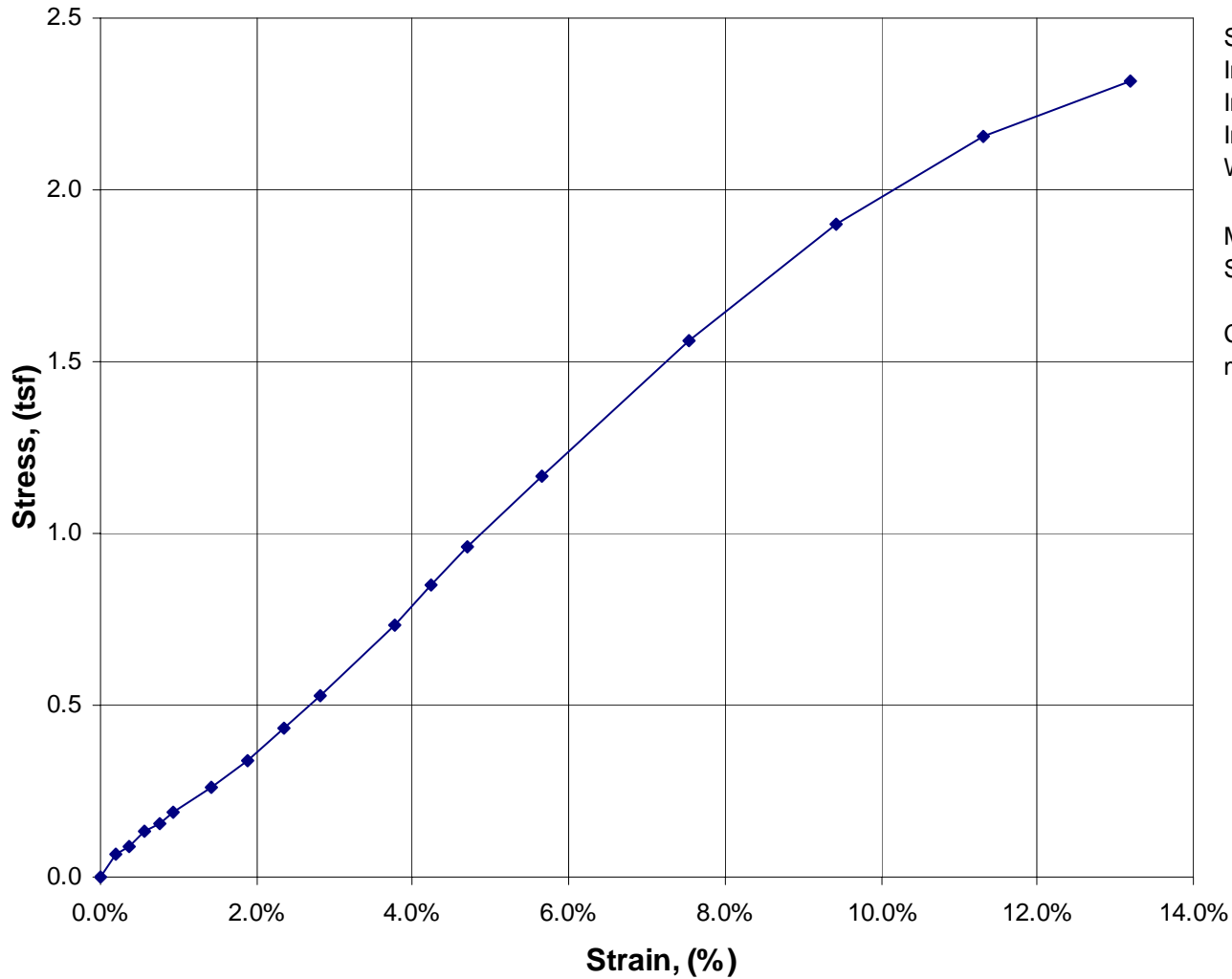
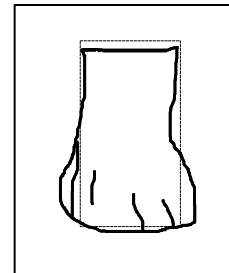
## Sample Data

Sample Depth: 40.5-41 ft  
Initial Diameter: 2.816 in.  
Initial Height: 5.310 in.  
Initial Moisture Content: 24.7%  
Wet Density: 130.6 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Stress: 2.3 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
Strain at Maximum Stress: 13.2%

Classification: Very stiff, gray CLAY,  
moist. (CL)

## Failure Sketch



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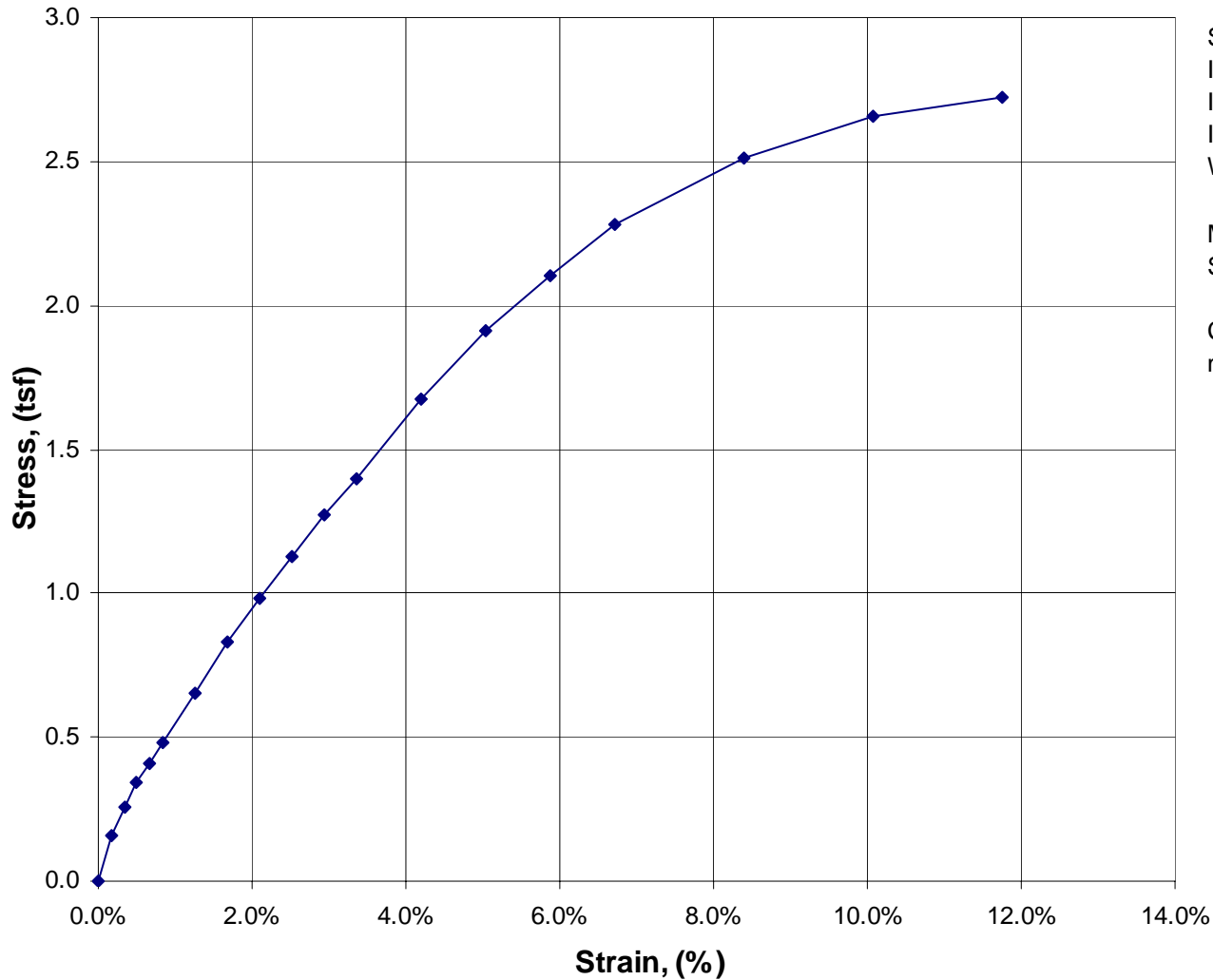
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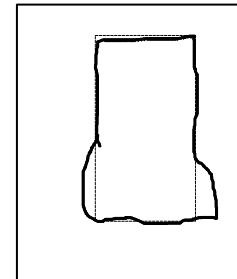
Sample Depth: 160-160.5 ft  
Initial Diameter: 2.758 in.  
Initial Height: 5.962 in.  
Initial Moisture Content: 27.2%  
Wet Density: 115.5 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Stress: 2.7 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
Strain at Maximum Stress: 11.7%

Classification: Hard, gray CLAY,  
moist. (CL)



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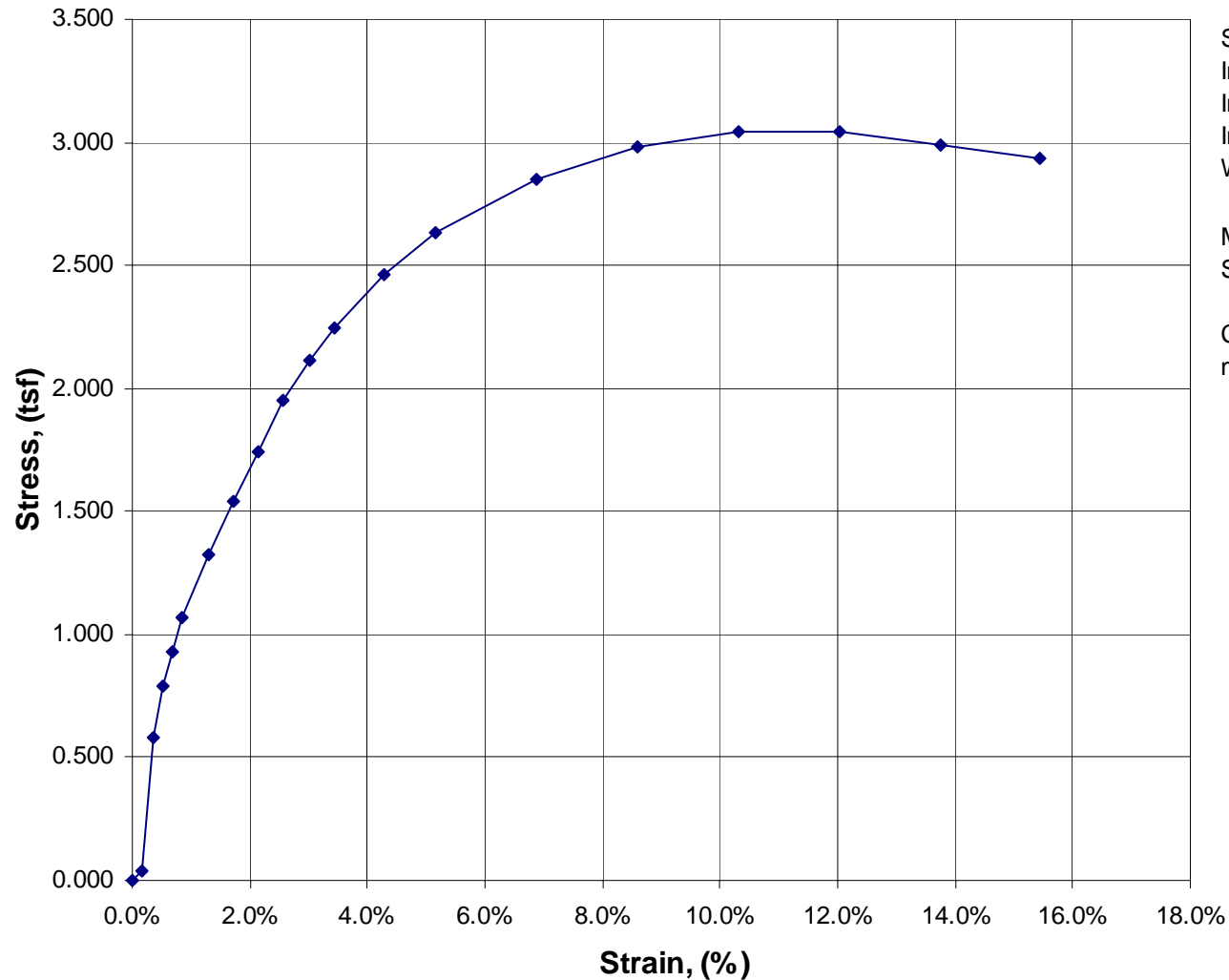
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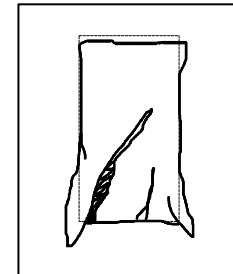
## Sample Data

Sample Depth: 33.5 - 34 ft  
Initial Diameter: 2.830 in.  
Initial Height: 5.824 in.  
Initial Moisture Content: not measured  
Wet Density: 126.4 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Stress: 3.0 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
Strain at Maximum Stress: 15.5%

Classification: Very stiff, gray CLAY,  
moist. (CL)

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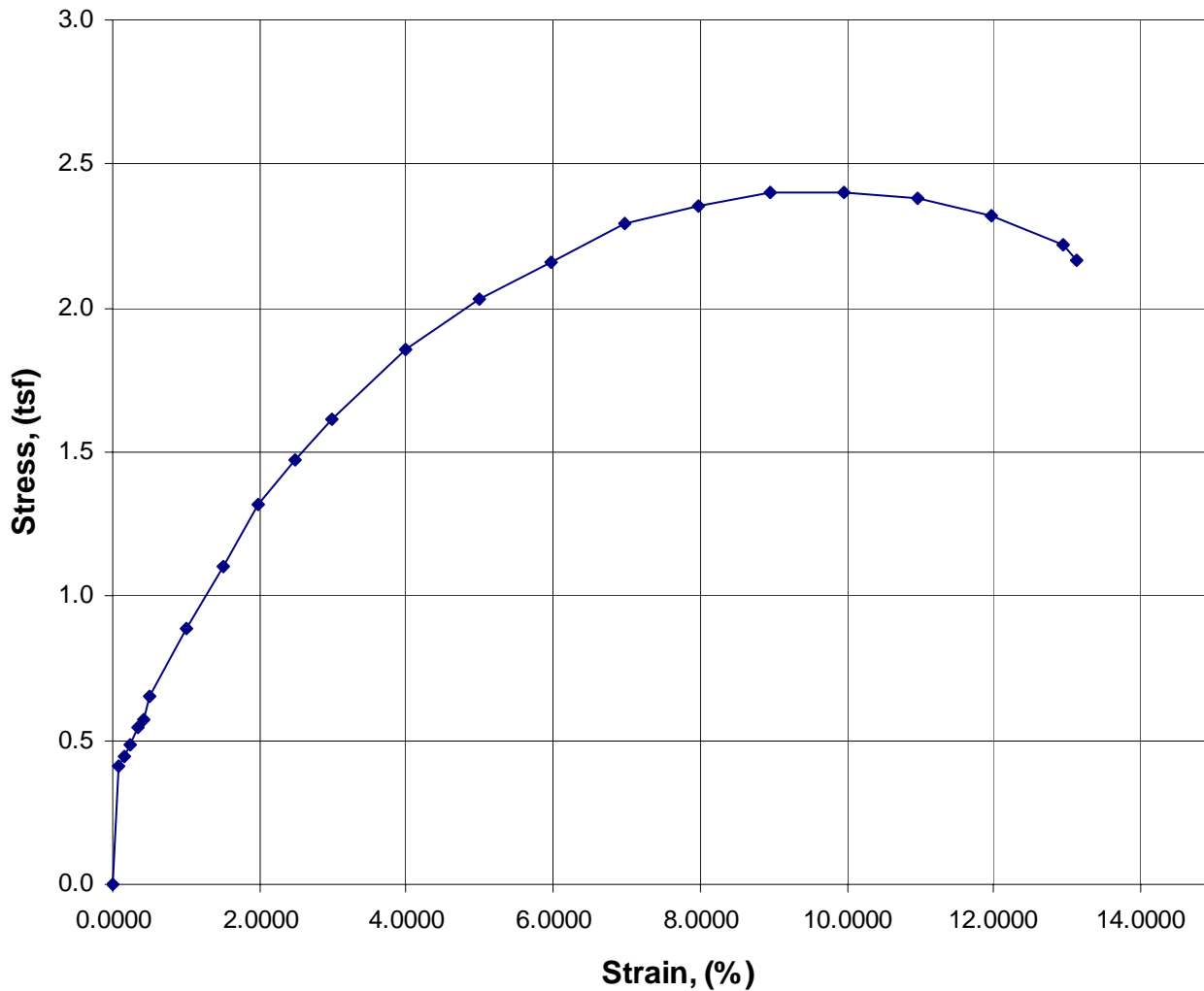
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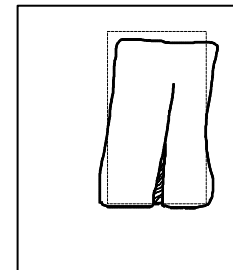
### Sample Data

Sample Depth: 43- 43.5 ft  
 Initial Diameter: 2.875 in.  
 Initial Height: 6.023 in.  
 Initial Moisture Content: 26.0%  
 Wet Density: 122.0 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Stress: 2.4 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
 Strain at Maximum Stress: 10.0%

Classification: Very stiff, gray CLAY,  
 moist. (CL)

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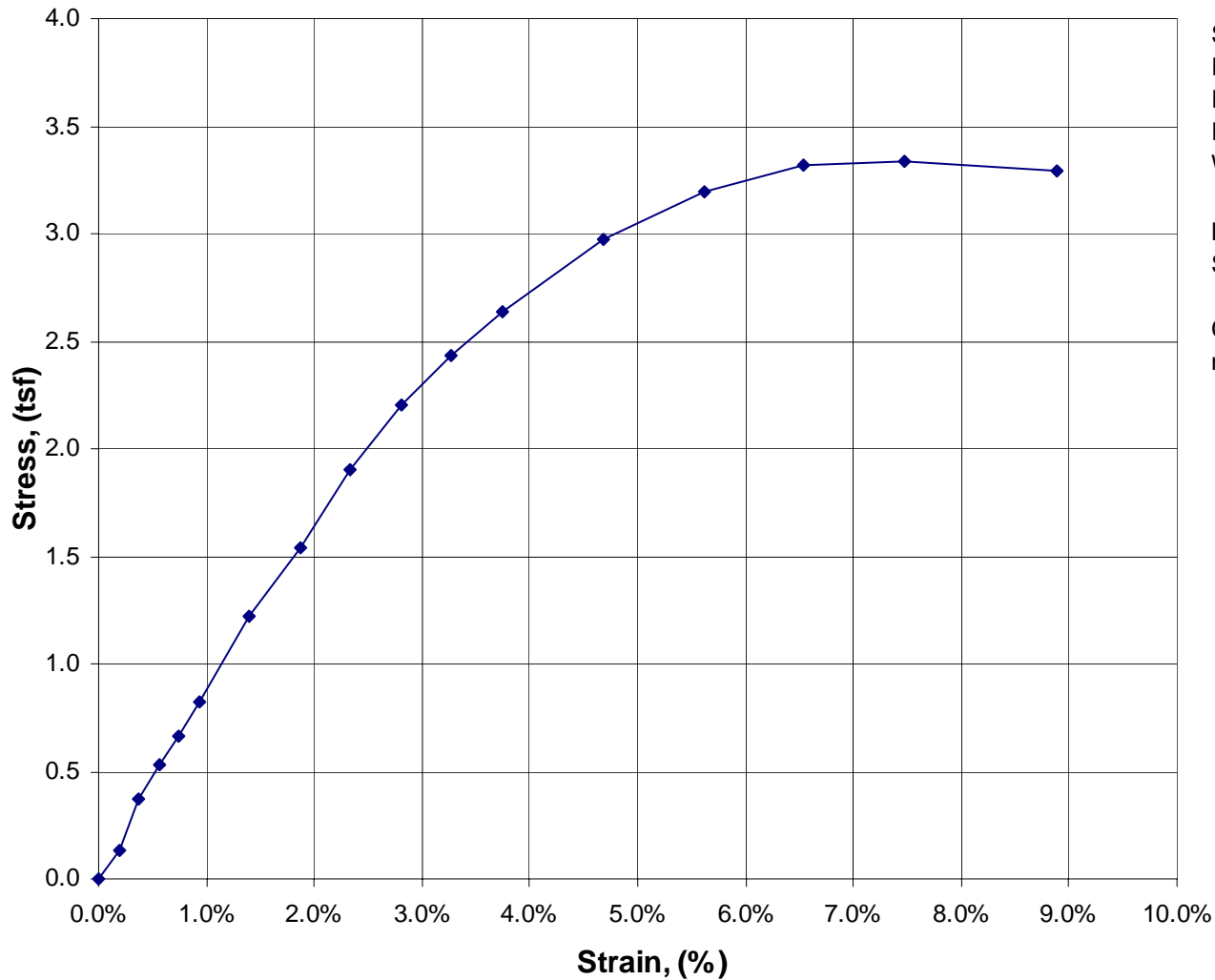
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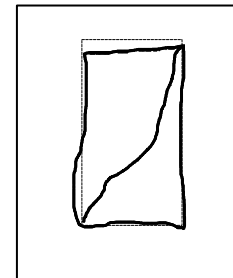
Sample Depth: 53.5-54 ft  
Initial Diameter: 2.846 in.  
Initial Height: 5.348 in.  
Initial Moisture Content: 23.2%  
Wet Density: 132.2 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Stress: 3.3 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
Strain at Maximum Stress: 8.9%

Classification: Very stiff, gray CLAY,  
moist. (CL)



## Failure Sketch



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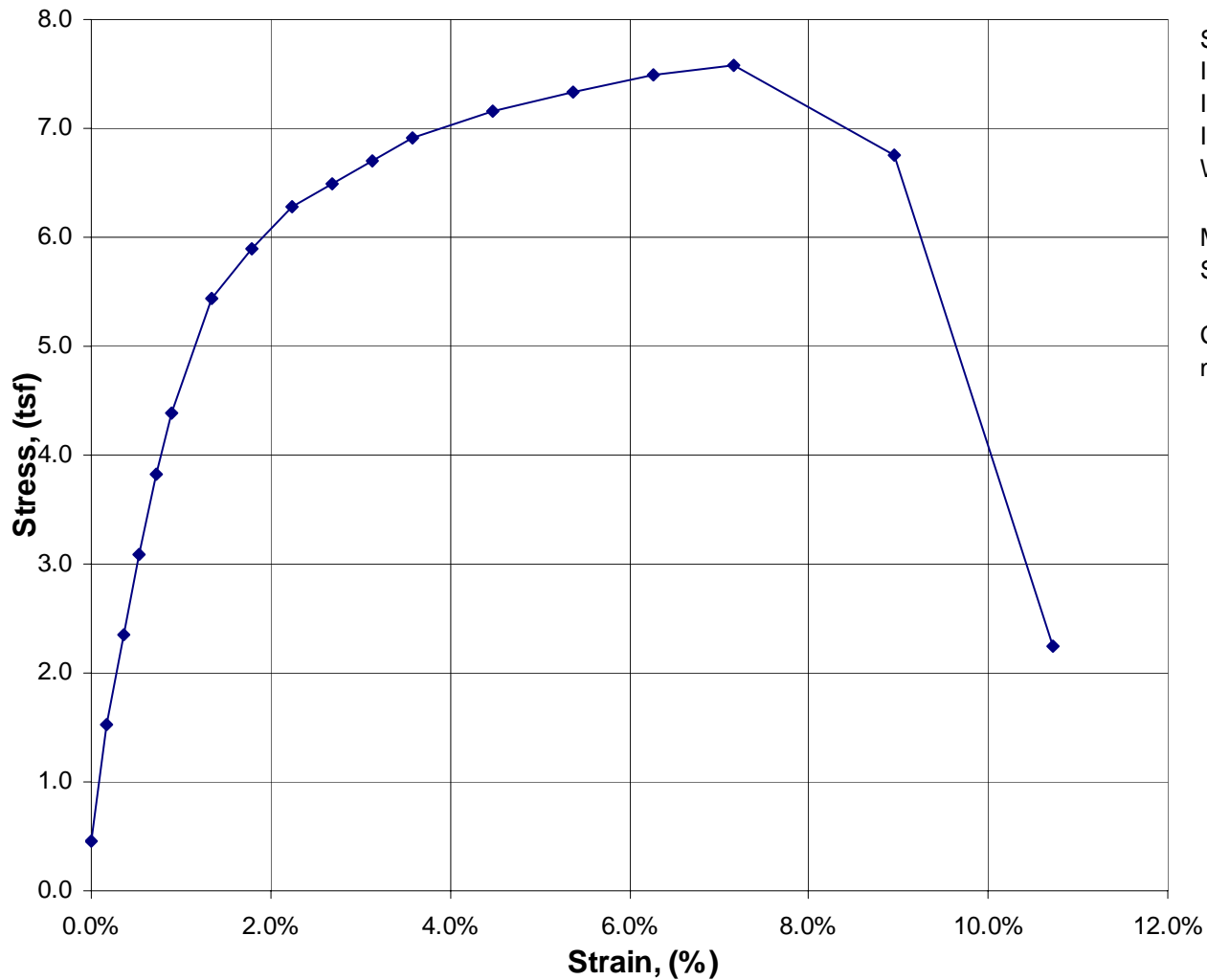
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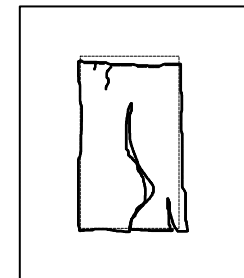
## Sample Data

Sample Depth: 86-86.5 ft  
Initial Diameter: 2.862 in.  
Initial Height: 5.591 in.  
Initial Moisture Content: 21.4%  
Wet Density: 131.1 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Stress: 7.6 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
Strain at Maximum Stress: 7.2%

Classification: Hard, gray CLAY,  
moist, scattered silt seams (CL)

## Failure Sketch



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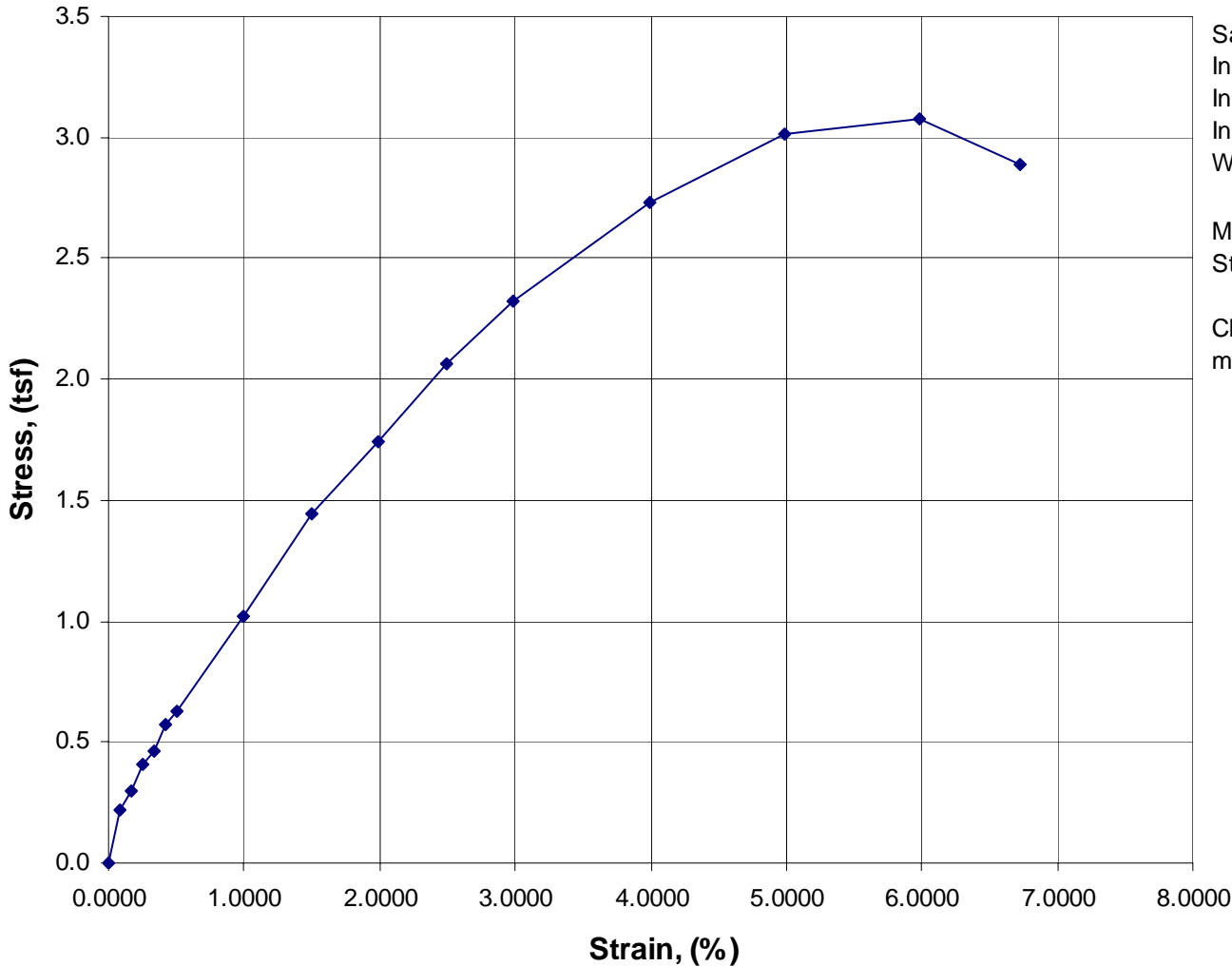
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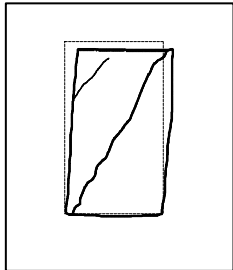
### Sample Data

Sample Depth: 97 - 97.5 ft  
 Initial Diameter: 2.875 in.  
 Initial Height: 6.019 in.  
 Initial Moisture Content: 27.0%  
 Wet Density: 122.8 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Stress: 3.1 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
 Strain at Maximum Stress: 6.0%

Classification: Very stiff, gray CLAY,  
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### Failure Sketch



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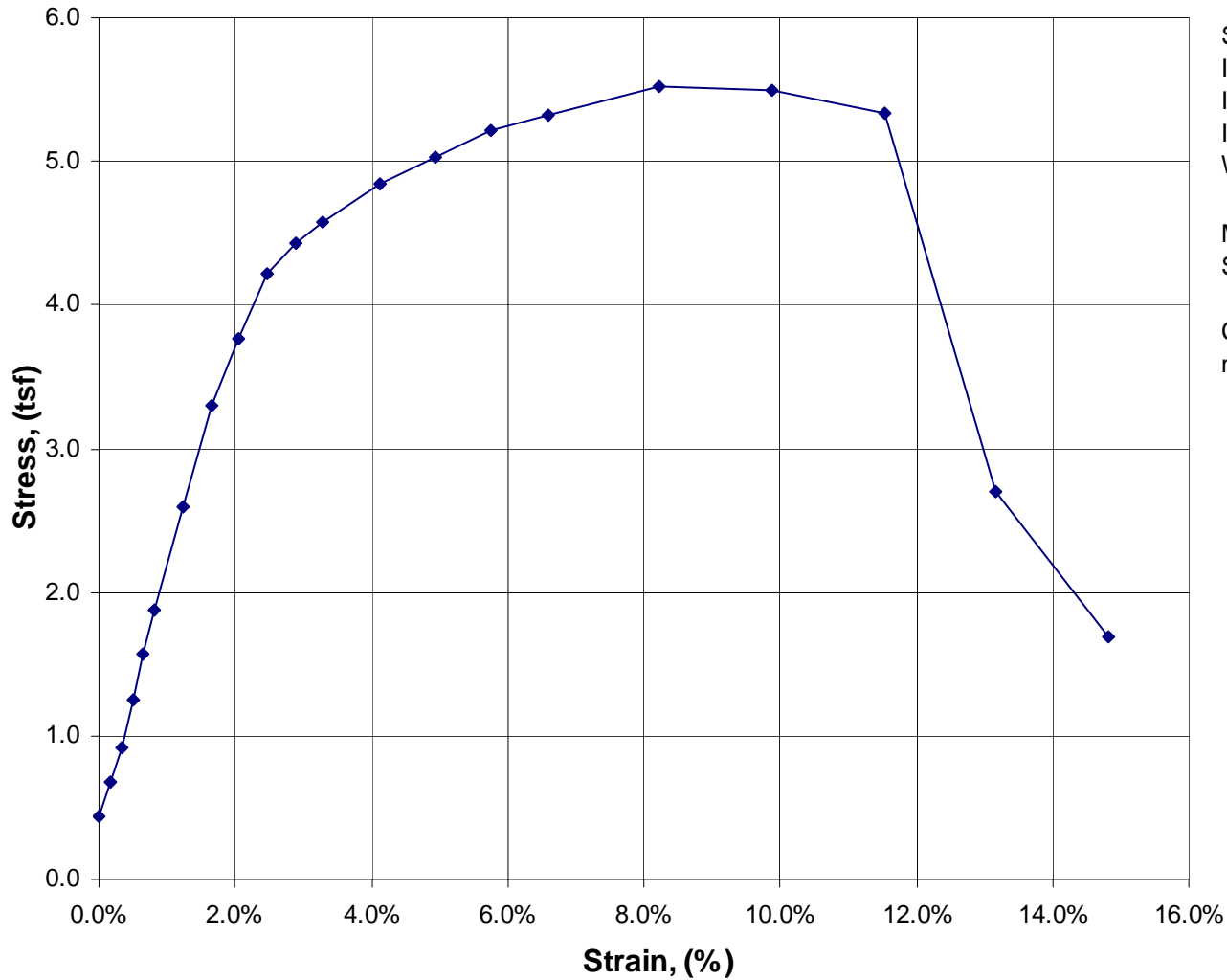
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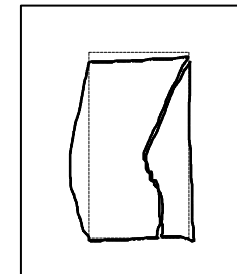
Sample Depth: 106 - 106.5 ft  
 Initial Diameter: 2.897 in.  
 Initial Height: 6.074 in.  
 Initial Moisture Content: 24.7%  
 Wet Density: 131.1 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Stress: 5.5 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
 Strain at Maximum Stress: 9.9%

Classification: Hard, gray CLAY,  
 moist. (CL)



## Failure Sketch



Knik Arm Crossing Knik Arm, Alaska	
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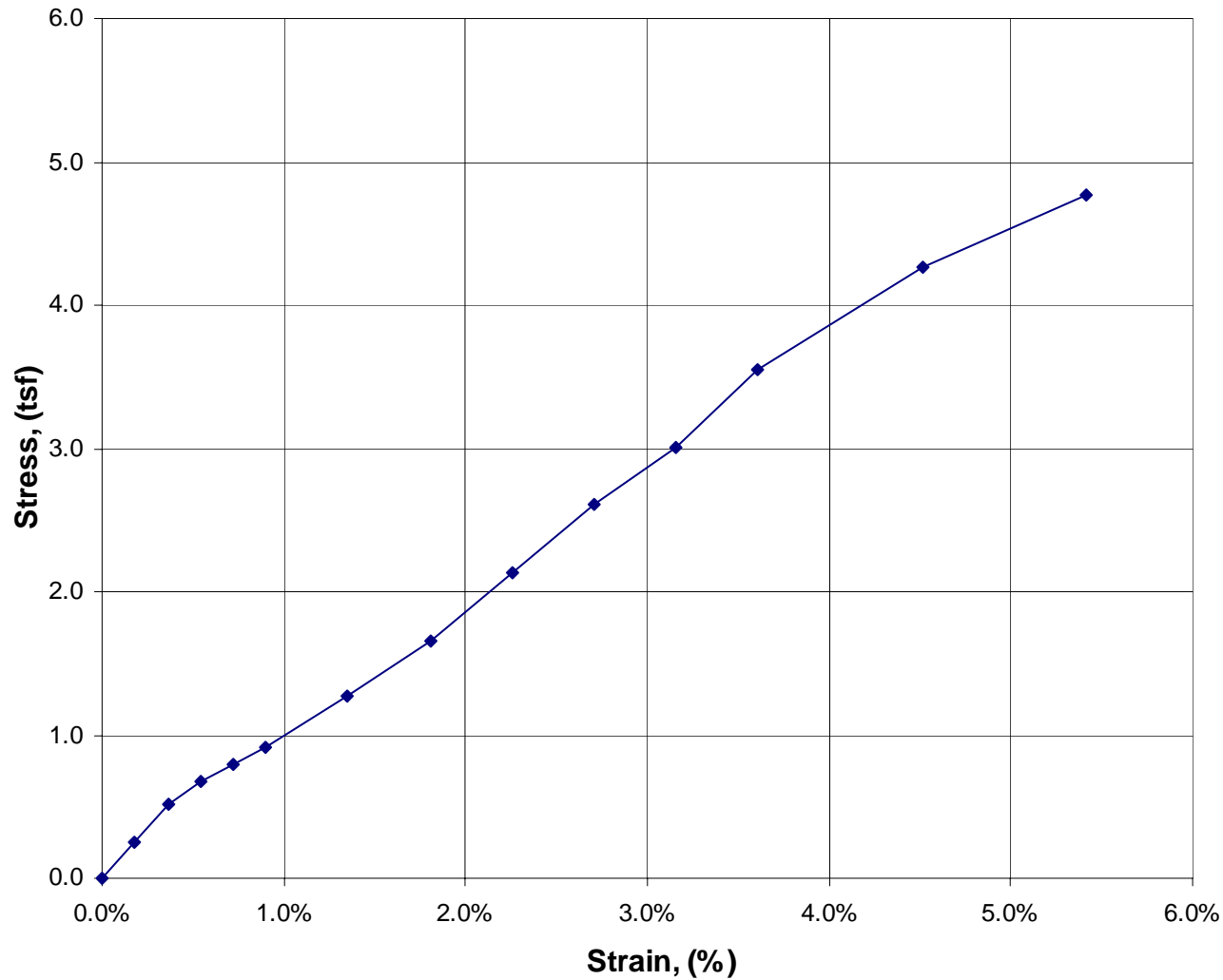
# Boring B06-17 Sample S27

## Sample Data

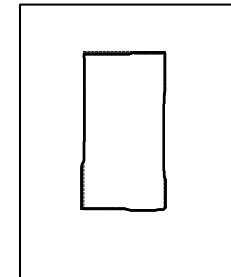
Sample Depth: 146.5-147 ft  
Initial Diameter: 2.851 in.  
Initial Height: 5.542 in.  
Initial Moisture Content: 21.8%  
Wet Density: 133.2 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Stress: 4.8 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
Strain at Maximum Stress: 5.4%

Classification: Hard, gray CLAY,  
moist. (CL)



## Failure Sketch



Knik Arm Crossing  
Knik Arm, Alaska

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**(Boring B06-17 Sample S27)**

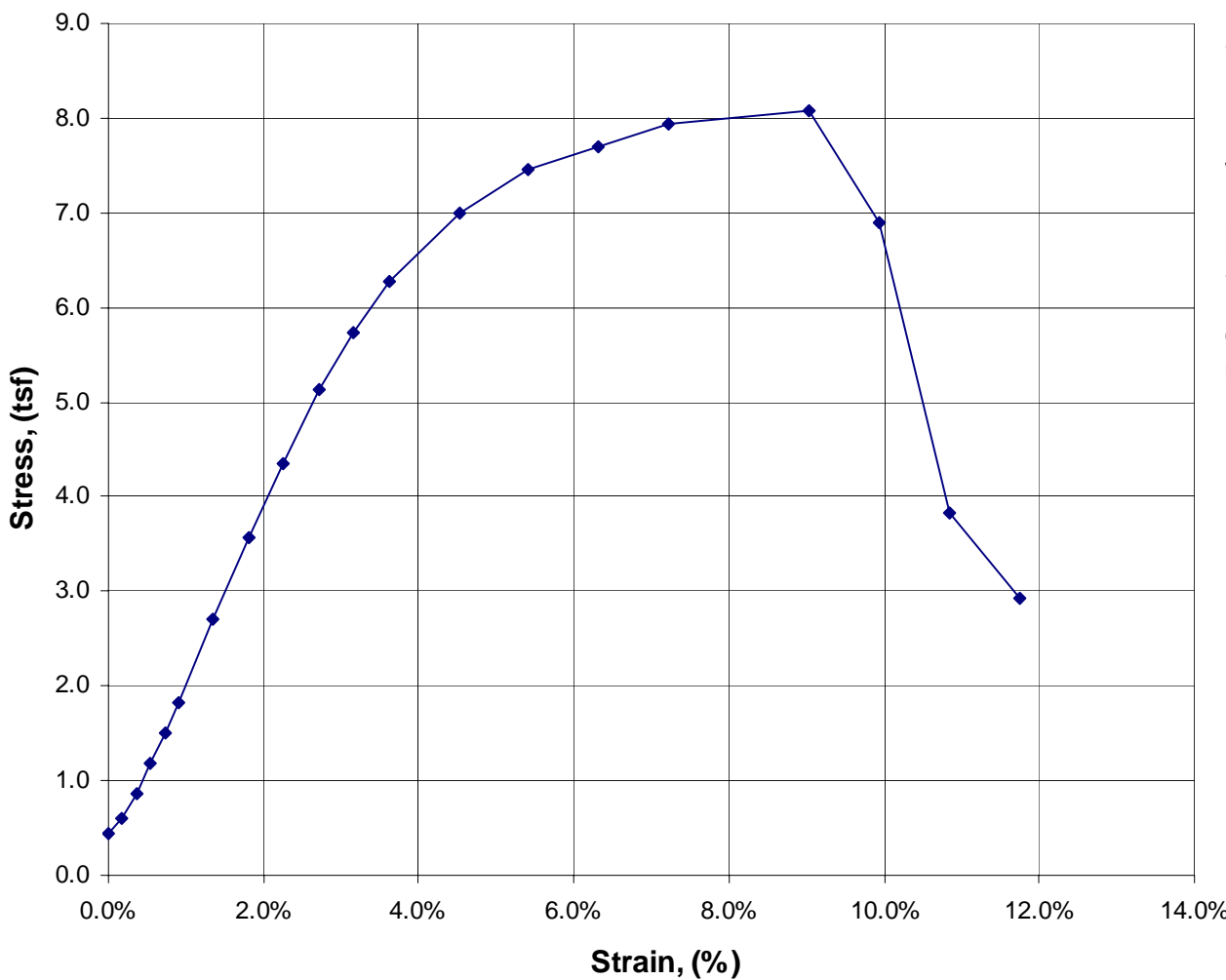
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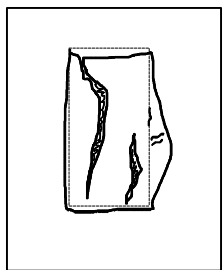
# Boring B06-17 Sample S31



### Sample Data

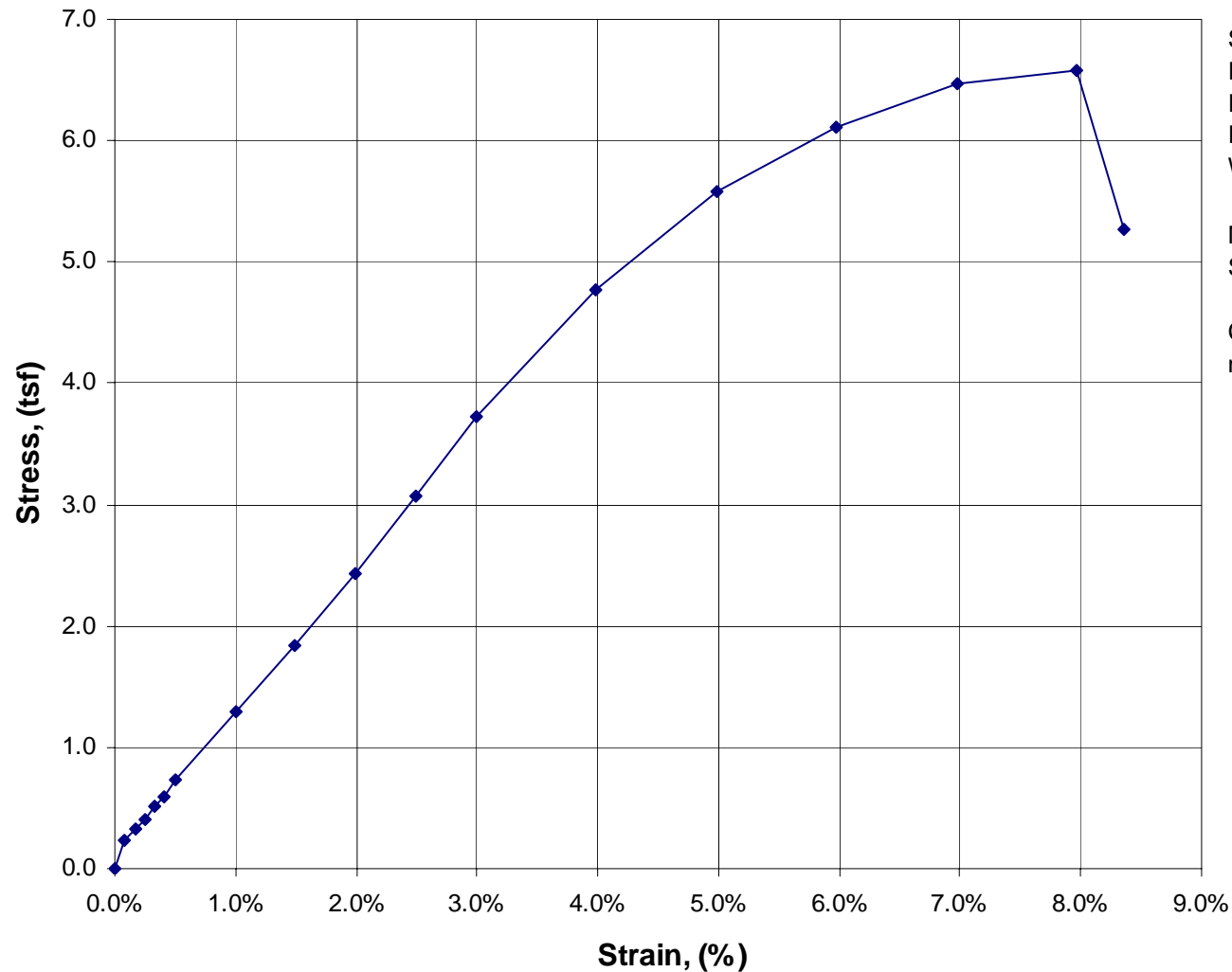
Sample Depth: 166-16.5 ft  
 Initial Diameter: 2.88 in.  
 Initial Height: 5.535 in.  
 Initial Moisture Content: 20.9%  
 Wet Density: 131.8 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>  
  
 Maximum Stress: 8.1 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
 Strain at Maximum Stress: 9.0%  
  
 Classification: Hard, gray CLAY,  
 moist, with silt seams. (CL)

### Failure Sketch



Knik Arm Crossing Knik Arm, Alaska	
<b>UNCONFINED COMPRESSION TEST RESULTS</b> (Boring B06-17 Sample S31)	
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# Boring B06-17 Sample S36



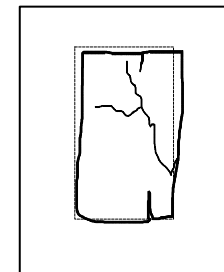
## Sample Data

Sample Depth: 187 - 187.5 ft  
Initial Diameter: 2.875 in.  
Initial Height: 6.026 in.  
Initial Moisture Content: 27.0%  
Wet Density: 132.2 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Stress: 6.6 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
Strain at Maximum Stress: 8.0%

Classification: Hard, gray CLAY,  
moist. (CL)

## Failure Sketch



Knik Arm Crossing  
Knik Arm, Alaska

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# Boring B06-17 Sample S40

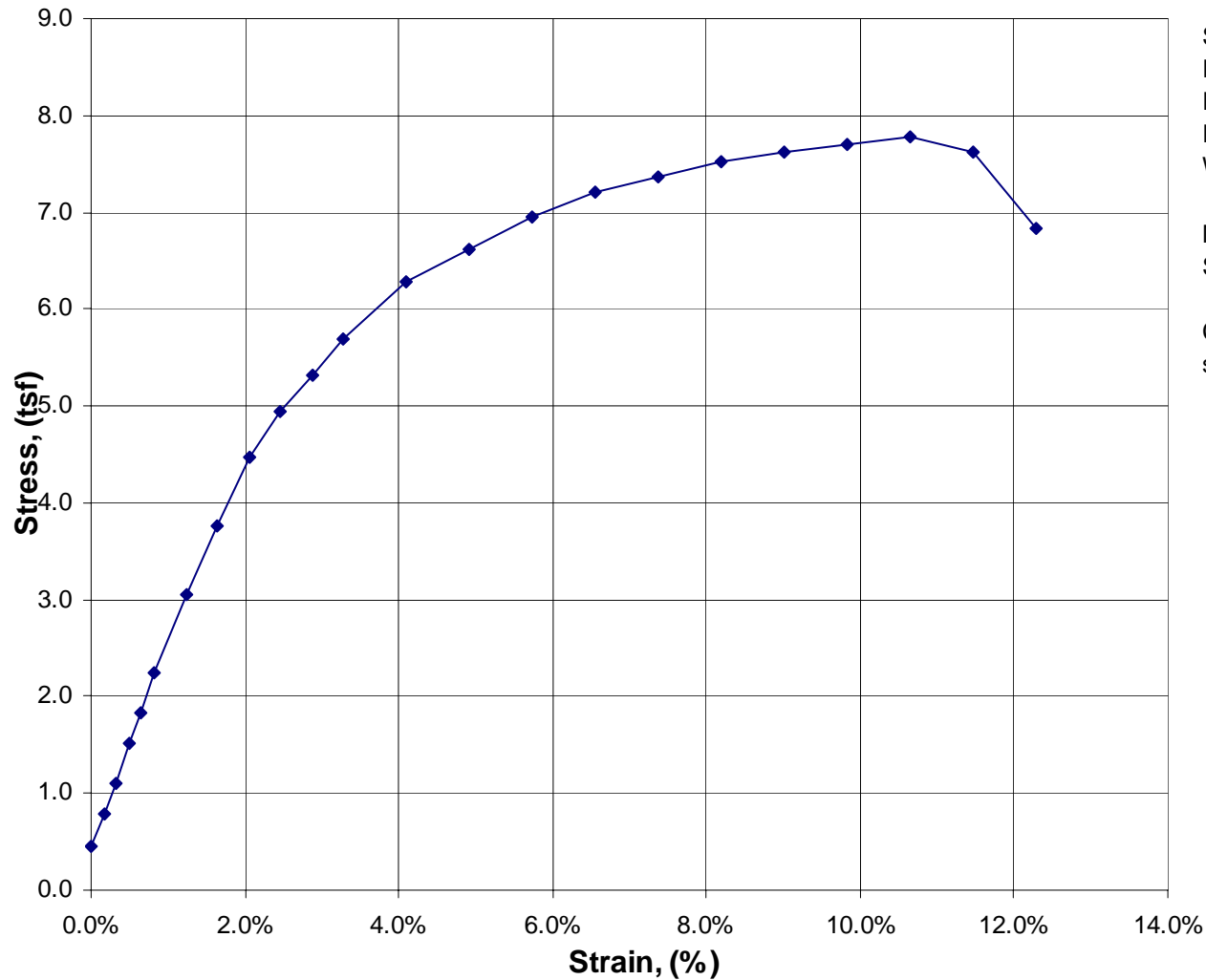
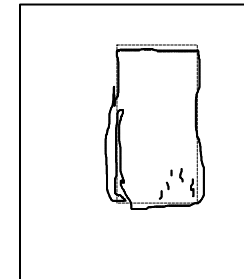
## Sample Data

Sample Depth: 201.5-202 ft  
 Initial Diameter: 2.869 in.  
 Initial Height: 6.102 in.  
 Initial Moisture Content: 20.7%  
 Wet Density: 136.4 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Stress: 7.8 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
 Strain at Maximum Stress: 10.7%

Classification: Hard, gray, slightly sandy CLAY, moist (CL)

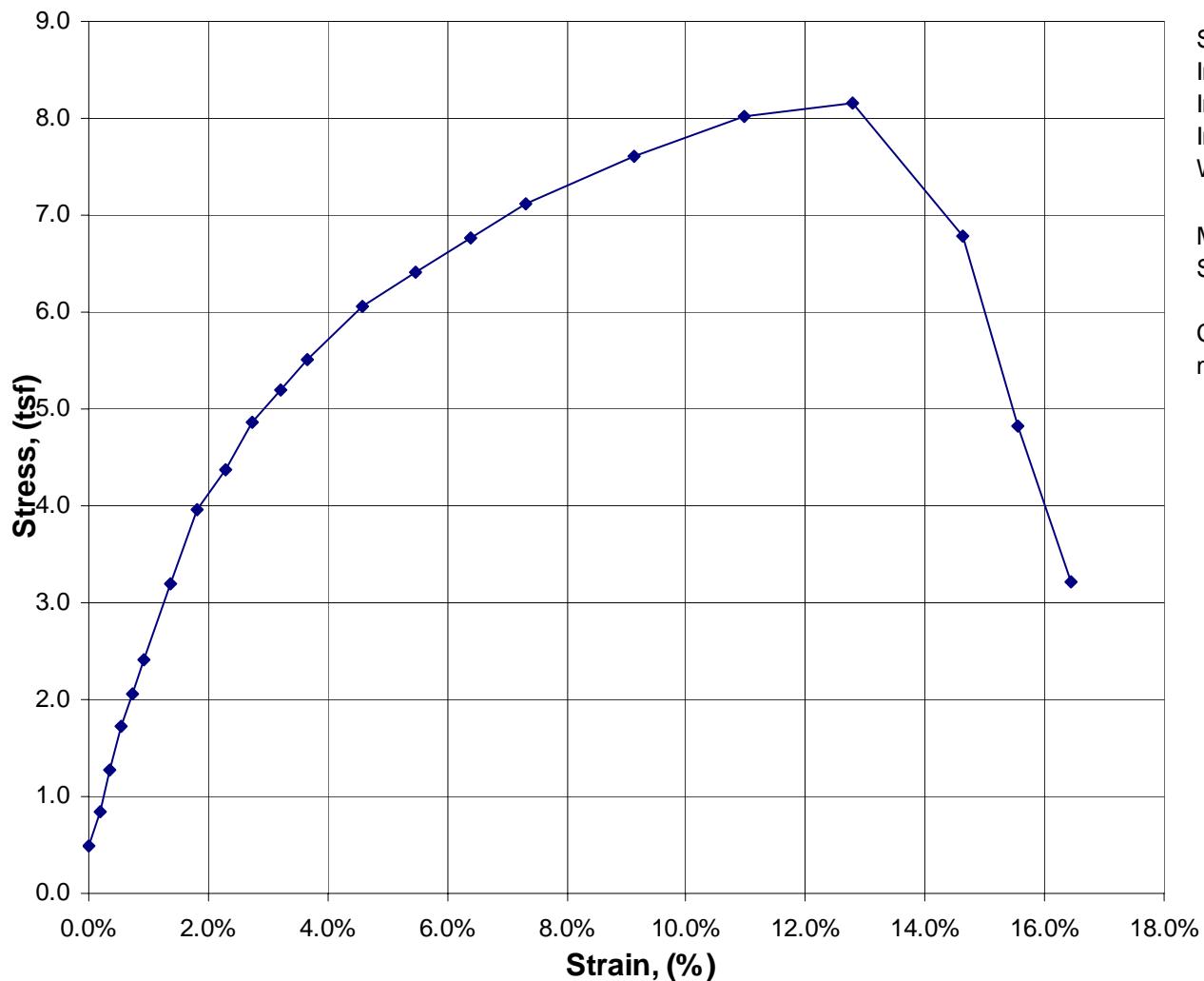
## Failure Sketch



Knik Arm Crossing Knik Arm, Alaska	
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# Boring B06-18 Sample S6



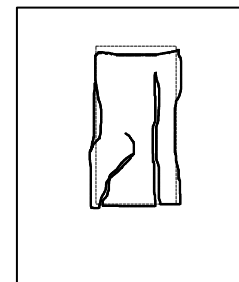
## Sample Data

Sample Depth: 39-39.5 ft  
 Initial Diameter: 2.766 in.  
 Initial Height: 5.470 in.  
 Initial Moisture Content: 21.4%  
 Wet Density: 128.1 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Stress: 8.2 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
 Strain at Maximum Stress: 12.8%

Classification: Hard, gray CLAY,  
 moist. (CL)

## Failure Sketch



Knik Arm Crossing Knik Arm, Alaska	
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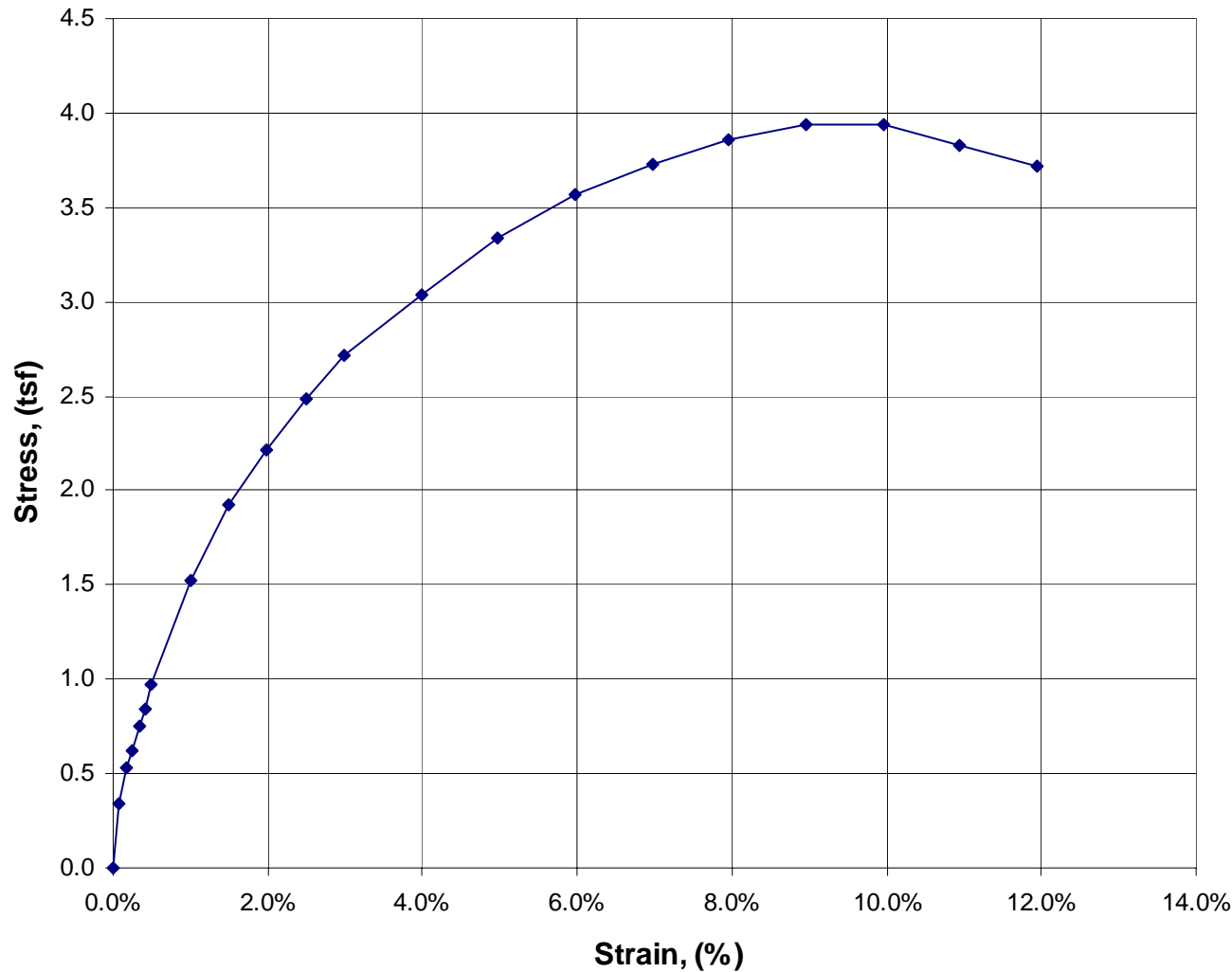
# Boring B06-18 Sample S9

## Sample Data

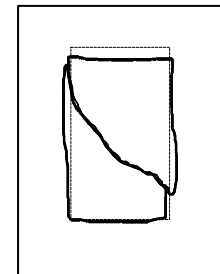
Sample Depth: 59 - 59.5 ft  
 Initial Diameter: 2.875 in.  
 Initial Height: 6.029 in.  
 Initial Moisture Content: 21.0%  
 Wet Density: 129.0 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Stress: 3.9 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
 Strain at Maximum Stress: 10.0%

Classification: Hard, gray, CLAY,  
 moist, trace gravel (CL)



## Failure Sketch



Knik Arm Crossing Knik Arm, Alaska	
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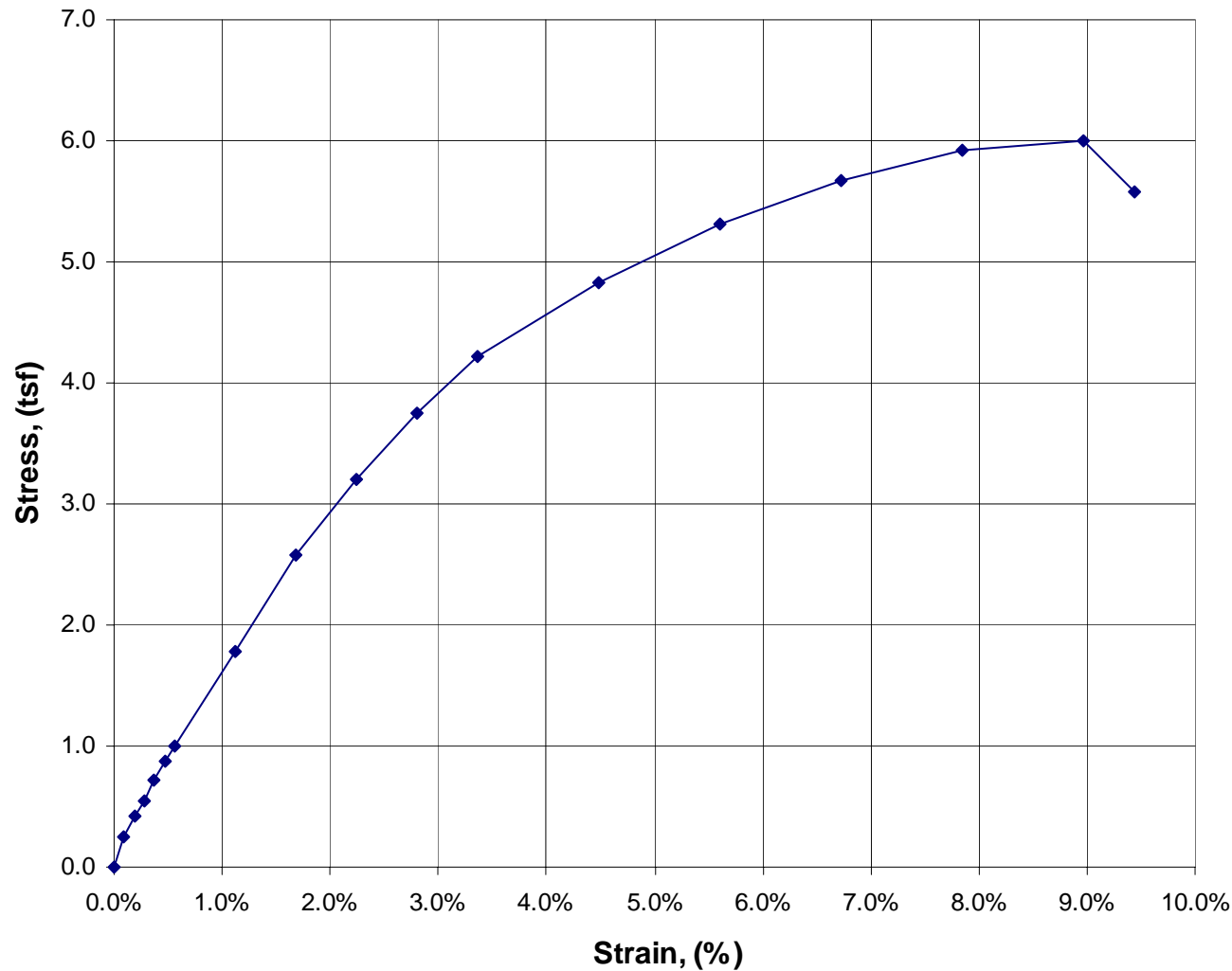
# Boring B06-18 Sample S11

## Sample Data

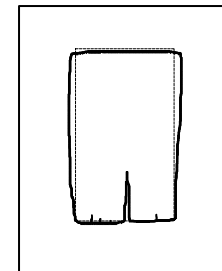
Sample Depth: 69 - 69.5 ft  
Initial Diameter: 2.875 in.  
Initial Height: 5.352 in.  
Initial Moisture Content: 20.0%  
Wet Density: 131.7 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Stress: 6.0 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
Strain at Maximum Stress: 9.0%

Classification: Hard, gray CLAY,  
moist. (CL)



## Failure Sketch



Knik Arm Crossing  
Knik Arm, Alaska

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# Boring B06-18 Sample S13

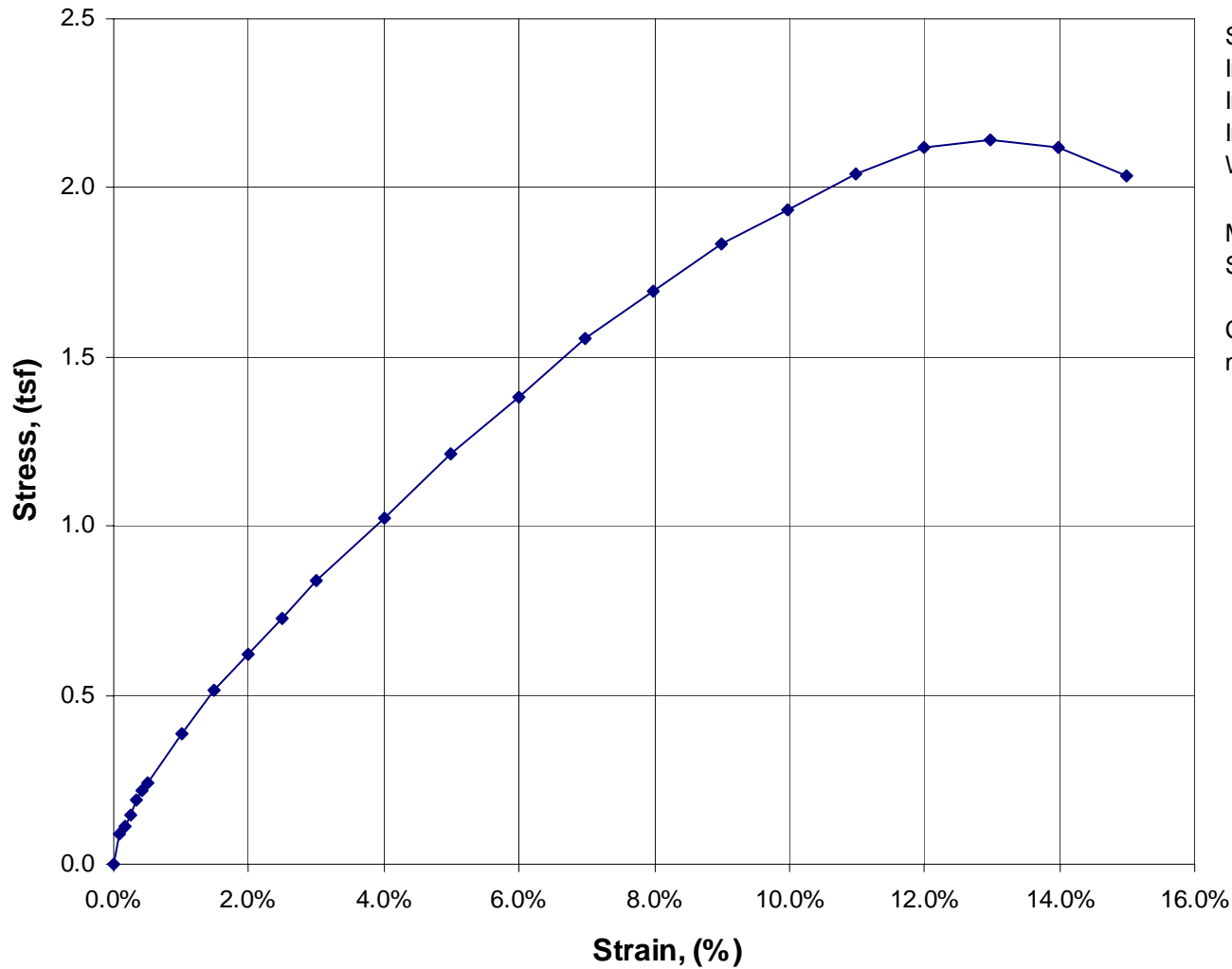
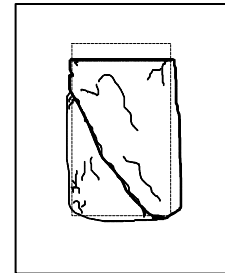
## Sample Data

Sample Depth: 80 - 80.5 ft  
 Initial Diameter: 2.875 in.  
 Initial Height: 6.009 in.  
 Initial Moisture Content: 27.0%  
 Wet Density: 118.9 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Stress: 2.1 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
 Strain at Maximum Stress: 13.0%

Classification: Very stiff, gray CLAY, moist. (CL)

## Failure Sketch



Knik Arm Crossing Knik Arm, Alaska	
<b>UNCONFINED COMPRESSION TEST RESULTS</b> (Boring B06-18 Sample S13)	
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# Boring B06-18 Sample S15

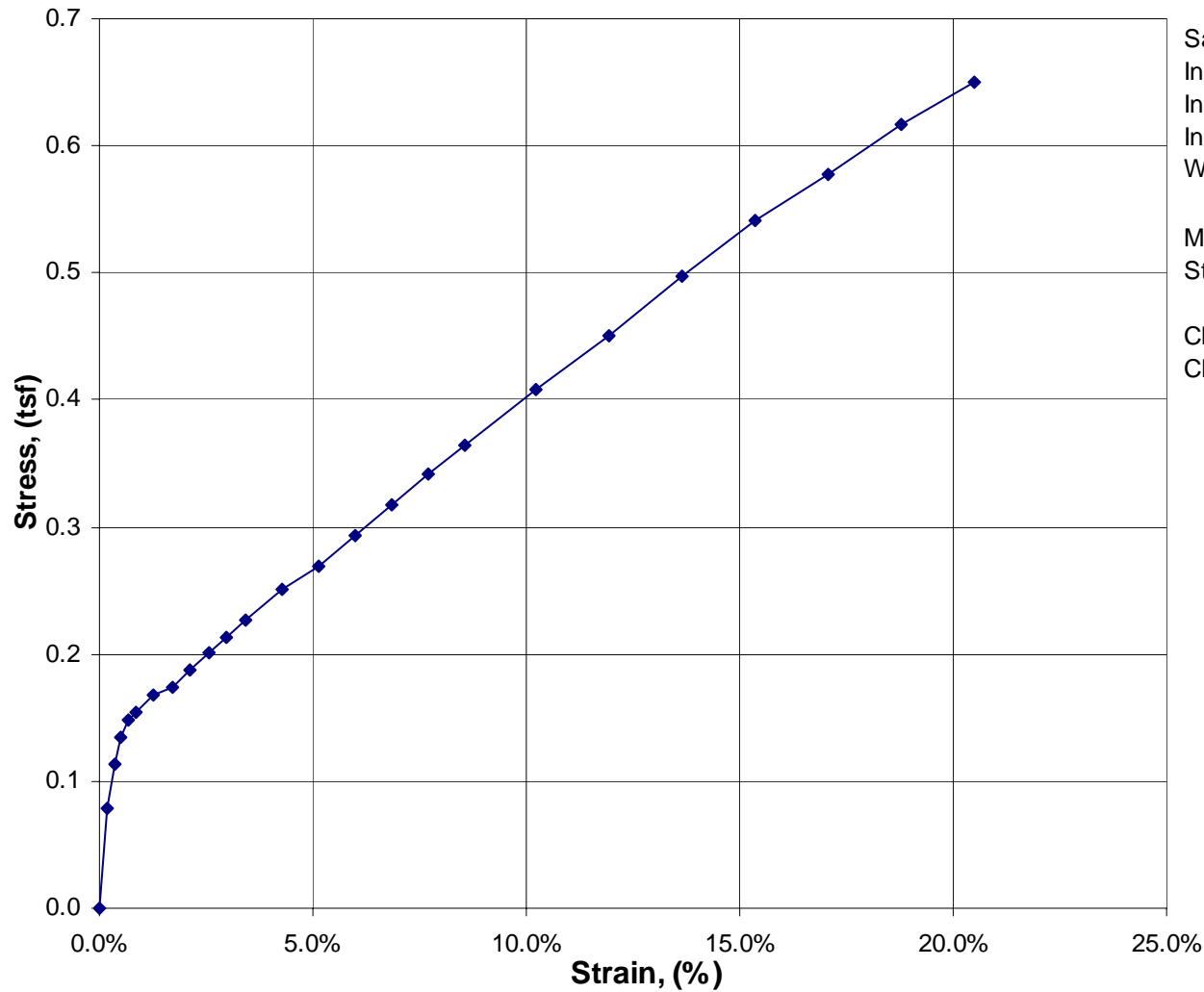
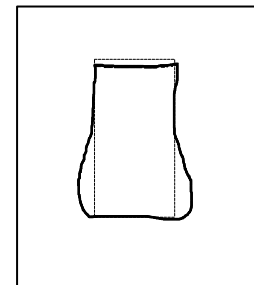
## Sample Data


Sample Depth: 90-90.5 ft  
 Initial Diameter: 2.901 in.  
 Initial Height: 5.856 in.  
 Initial Moisture Content: 33.9%  
 Wet Density: 128.5 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Stress: 0.6 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
 Strain at Maximum Stress: >20.5%

Classification: Medium stiff, gray  
 CLAY, moist. (CL)

## Failure Sketch



Knik Arm Crossing Knik Arm, Alaska	
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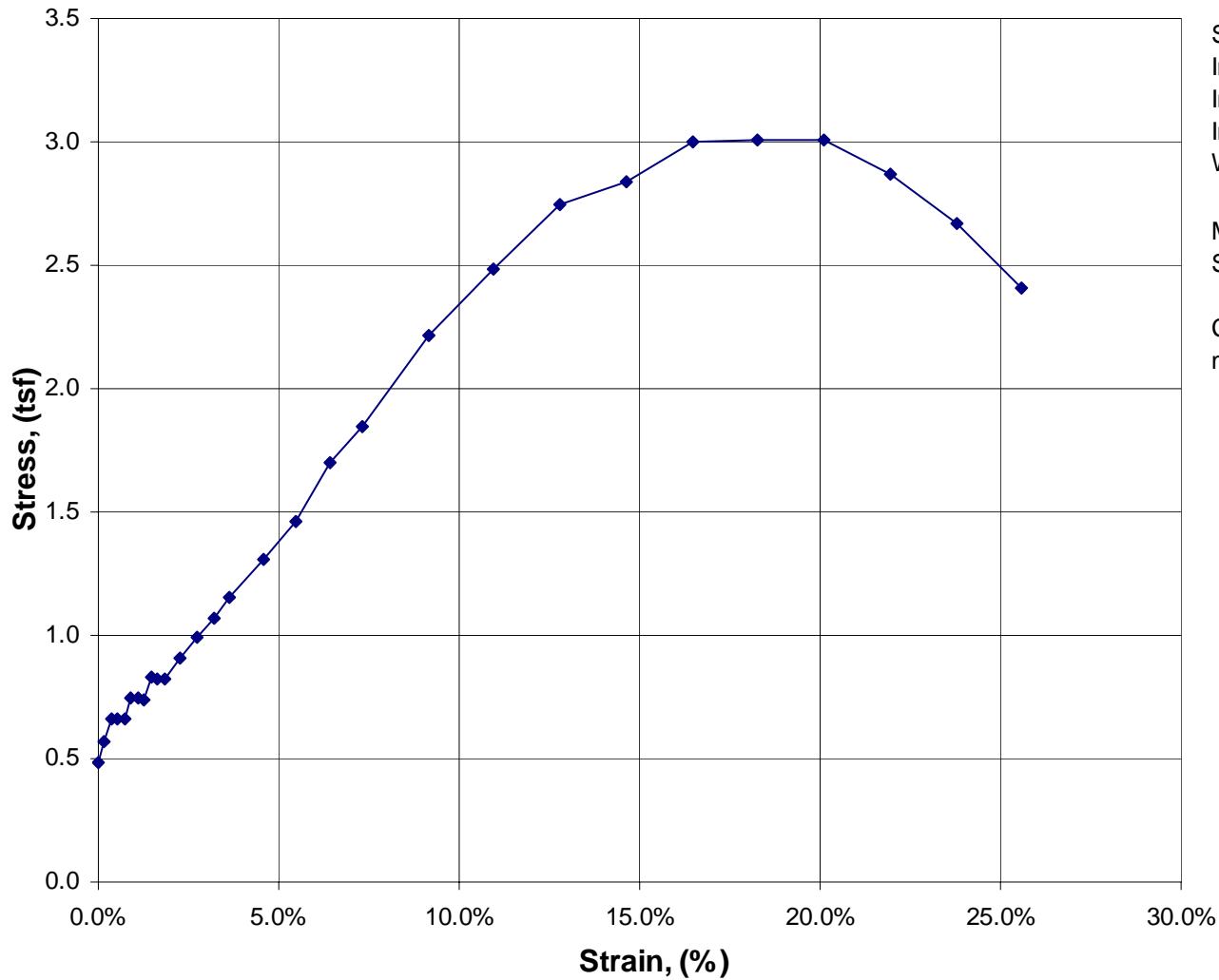
# Boring B06-18 Sample S31

## Sample Data

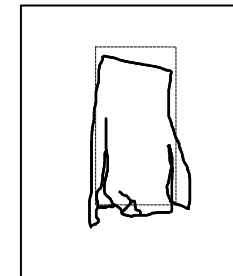
Sample Depth: 170.5-171 ft  
 Initial Diameter: 2.85 in.  
 Initial Height: 55.82 in.  
 Initial Moisture Content: 20.2%  
 Wet Density: 127.1 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Stress: 3.0 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
 Strain at Maximum Stress: 20.1%

Classification: Very stiff, gray CLAY,  
 moist. (CL)

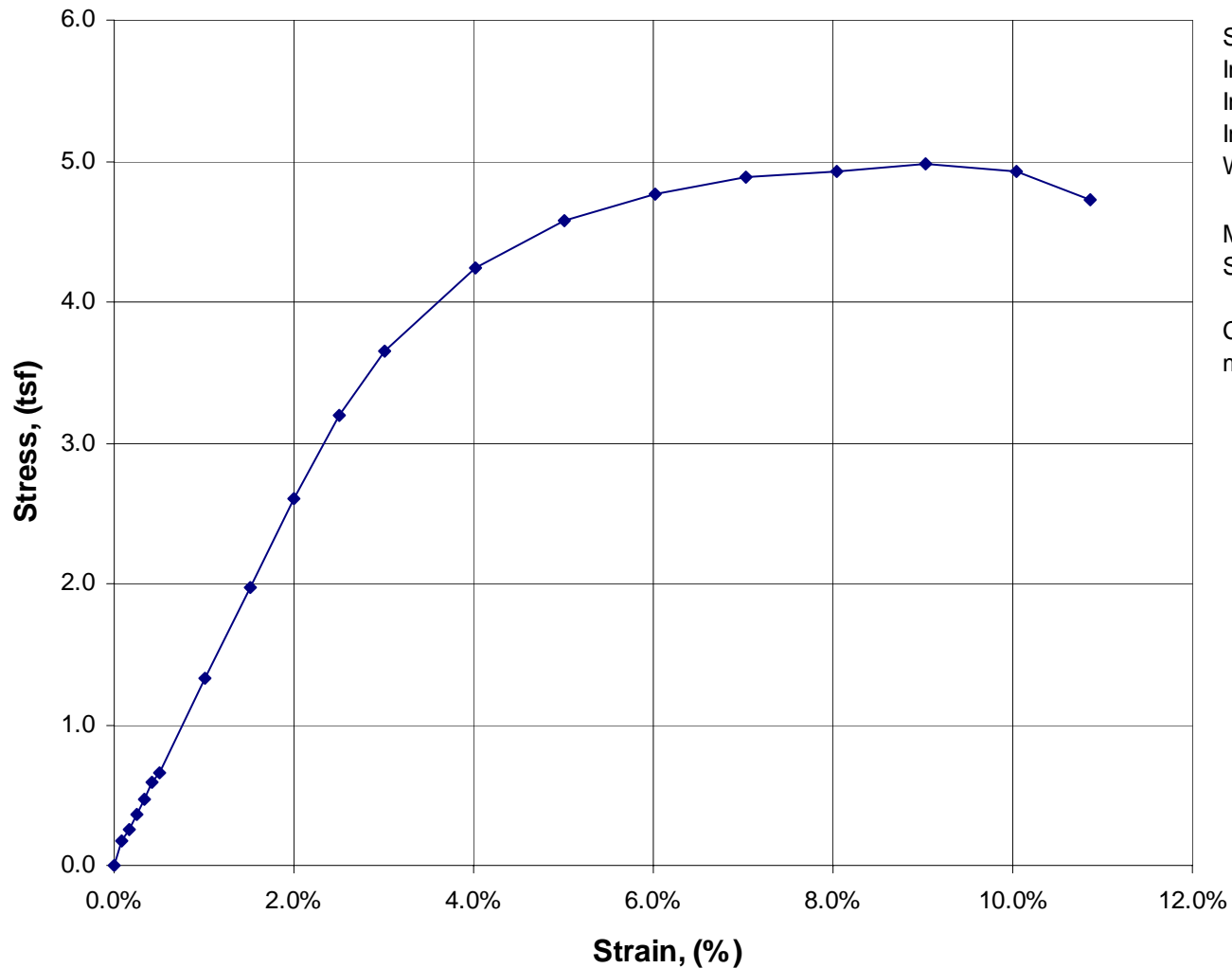


## Failure Sketch



Knik Arm Crossing Knik Arm, Alaska	
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# Boring B06-18 Sample S35



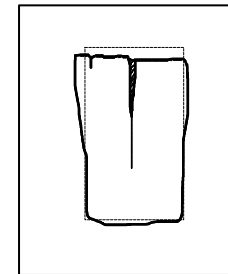
## Sample Data

Sample Depth: 190.5 - 191 ft  
Initial Diameter: 2.875 in.  
Initial Height: 5.976 in.  
Initial Moisture Content: 21.0%  
Wet Density: 130.6 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Stress: 5.0 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
Strain at Maximum Stress: 9.0%

Classification: Hard, gray CLAY,  
moist. (CL)

## Failure Sketch



Knik Arm Crossing  
Knik Arm, Alaska

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## Boring B06-18 Sample S46

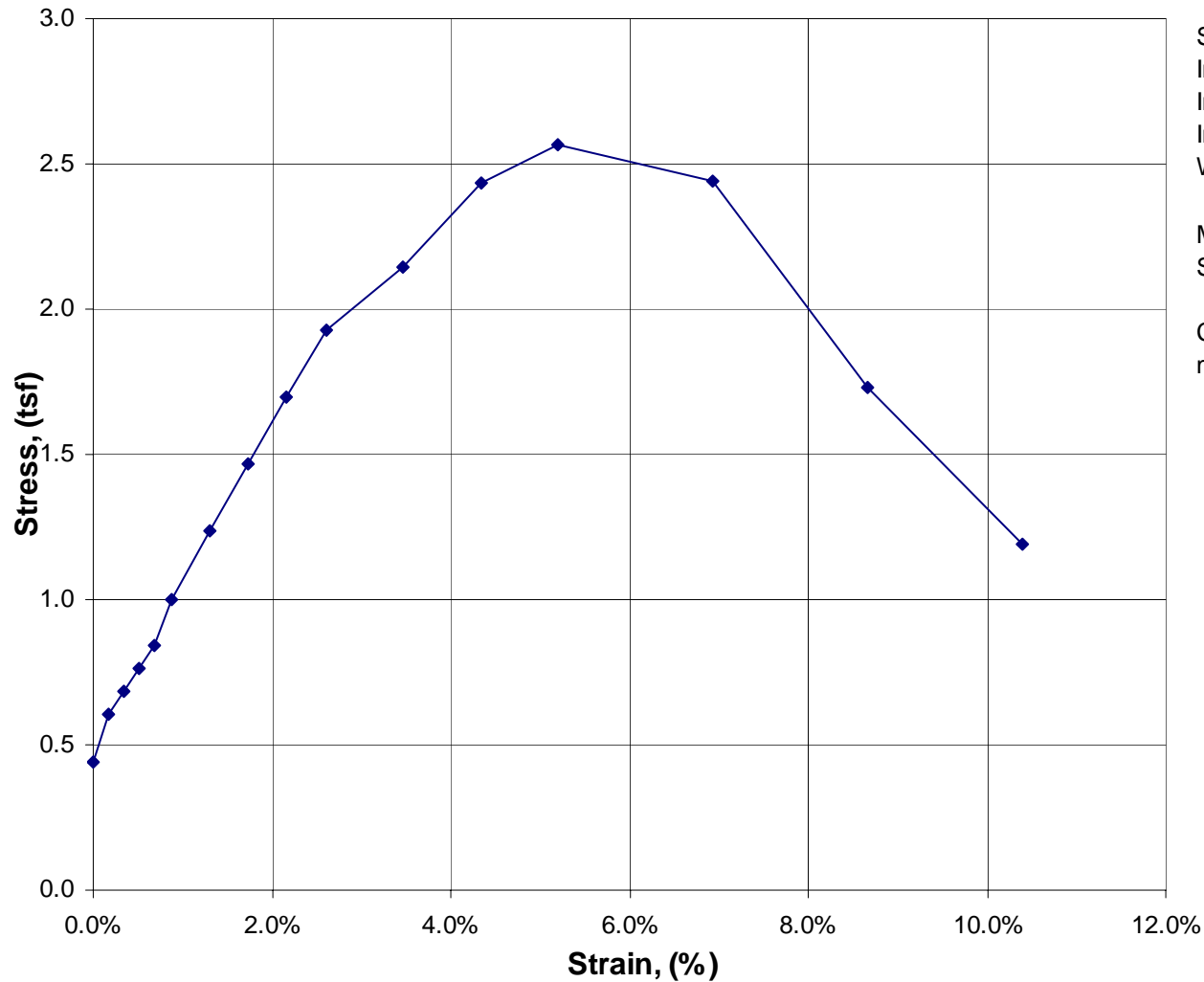
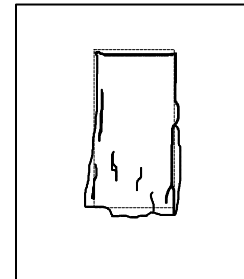
### Sample Data

Sample Depth: 244.5-245 ft  
 Initial Diameter: 2.898 in.  
 Initial Height: 5.769 in.  
 Initial Moisture Content: 23.7%  
 Wet Density: 126.9 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Stress: 2.6 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
 Strain at Maximum Stress: 5.2%

Classification: Very stiff, gray CLAY,  
 moist with silt seams. (CL)

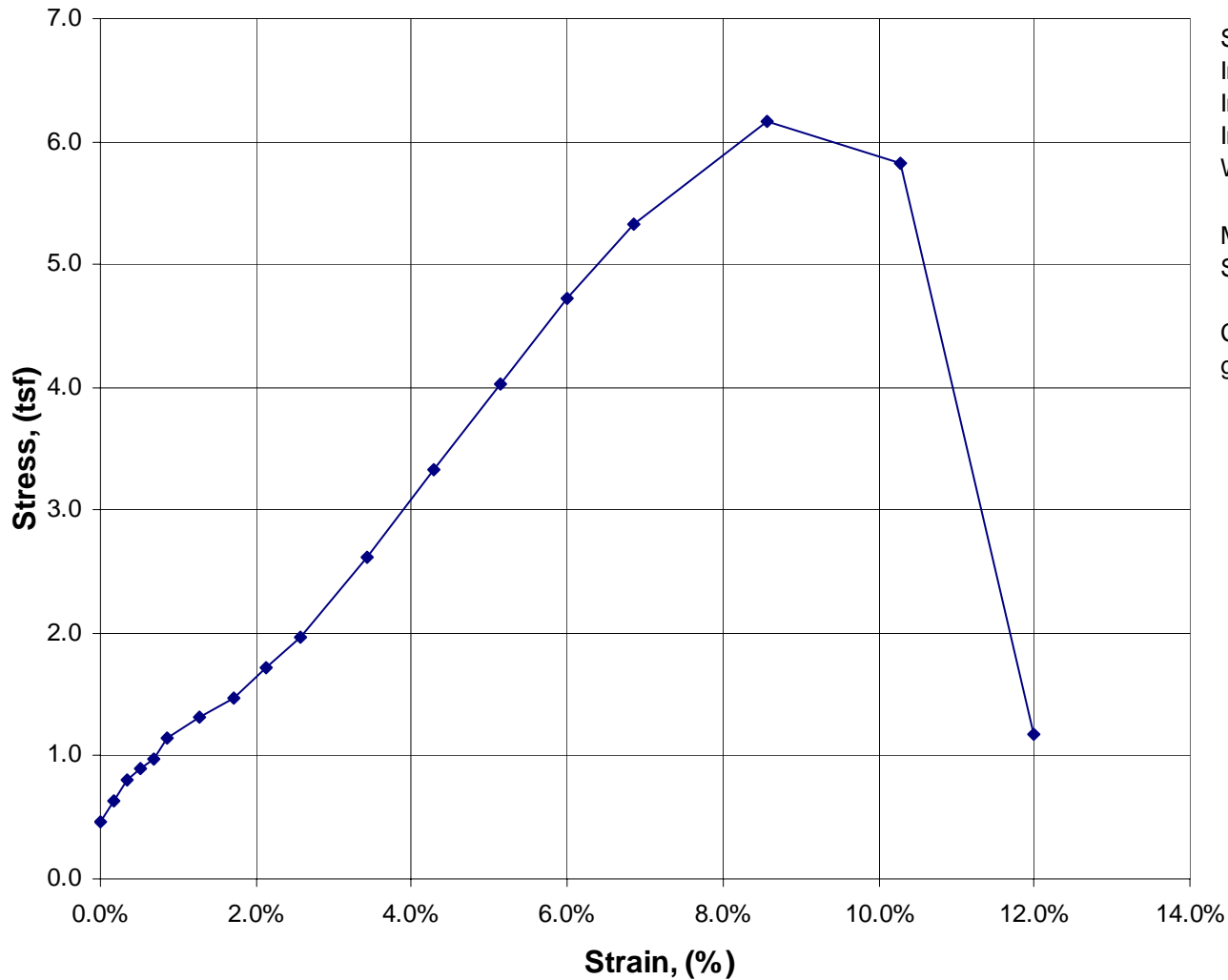
### Failure Sketch



Knik Arm Crossing Knik Arm, Alaska	
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## Boring B06-19 Sample S12



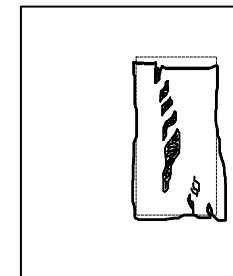
### Sample Data

Sample Depth: 60.5-61 ft  
 Initial Diameter: 2.81 in.  
 Initial Height: 5.84 in.  
 Initial Moisture Content: 18.4%  
 Wet Density: 131.6 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Stress: 6.2 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
 Strain at Maximum Stress: 8.6%

Classification: Hard, gray, slightly  
 gravelly CLAY, moist. (CL)

### Failure Sketch



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 Knik Arm, Alaska

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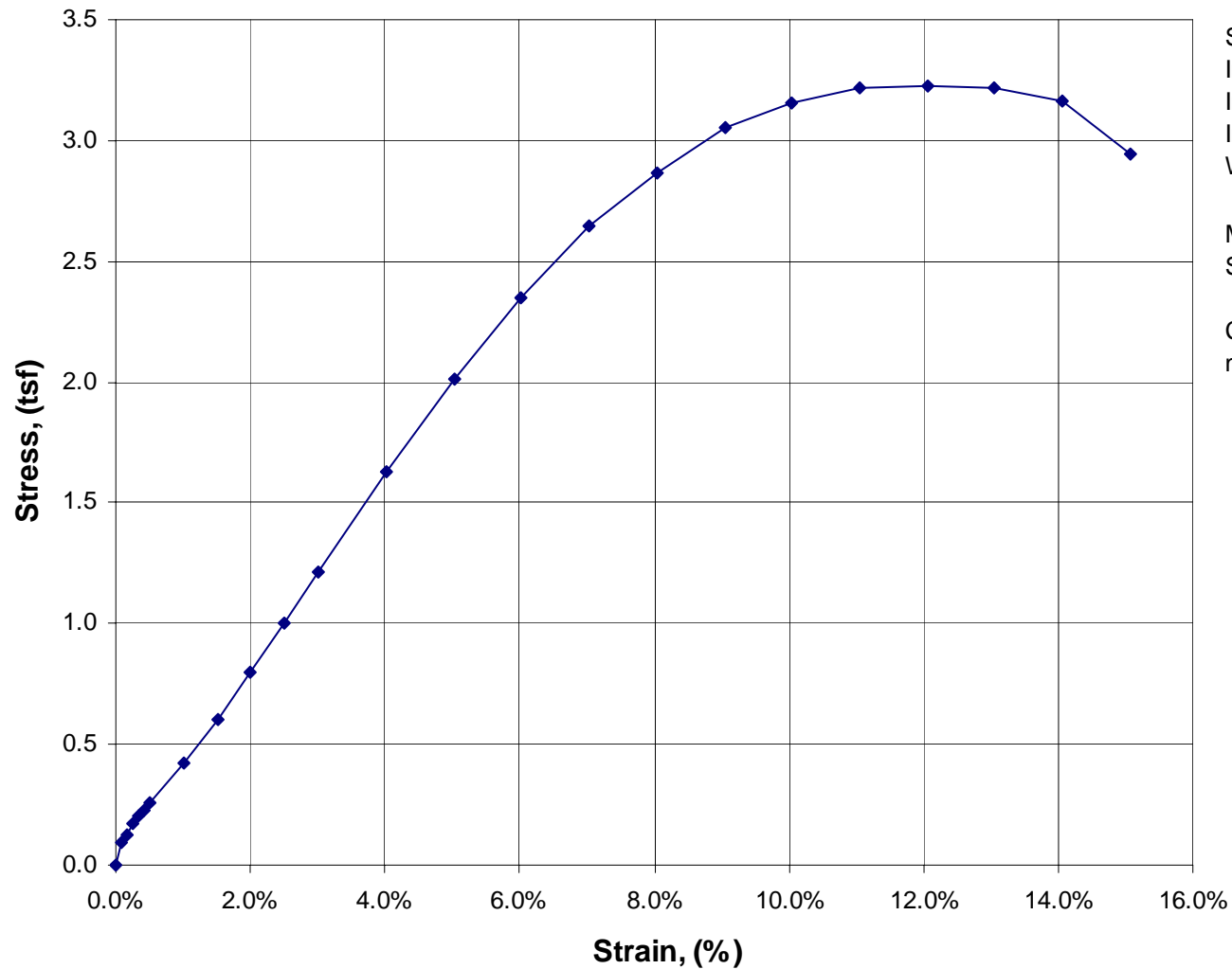
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## Boring B06-19 Sample S17



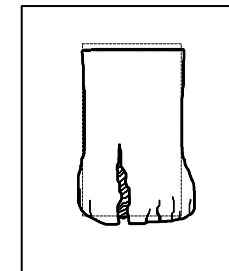
### Sample Data

Sample Depth: 86.5 - 87 ft  
 Initial Diameter: 2.85 in.  
 Initial Height: 5.973 in.  
 Initial Moisture Content: 24.0%  
 Wet Density: 136.6 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Stress: 3.2 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
 Strain at Maximum Stress: 13.1%

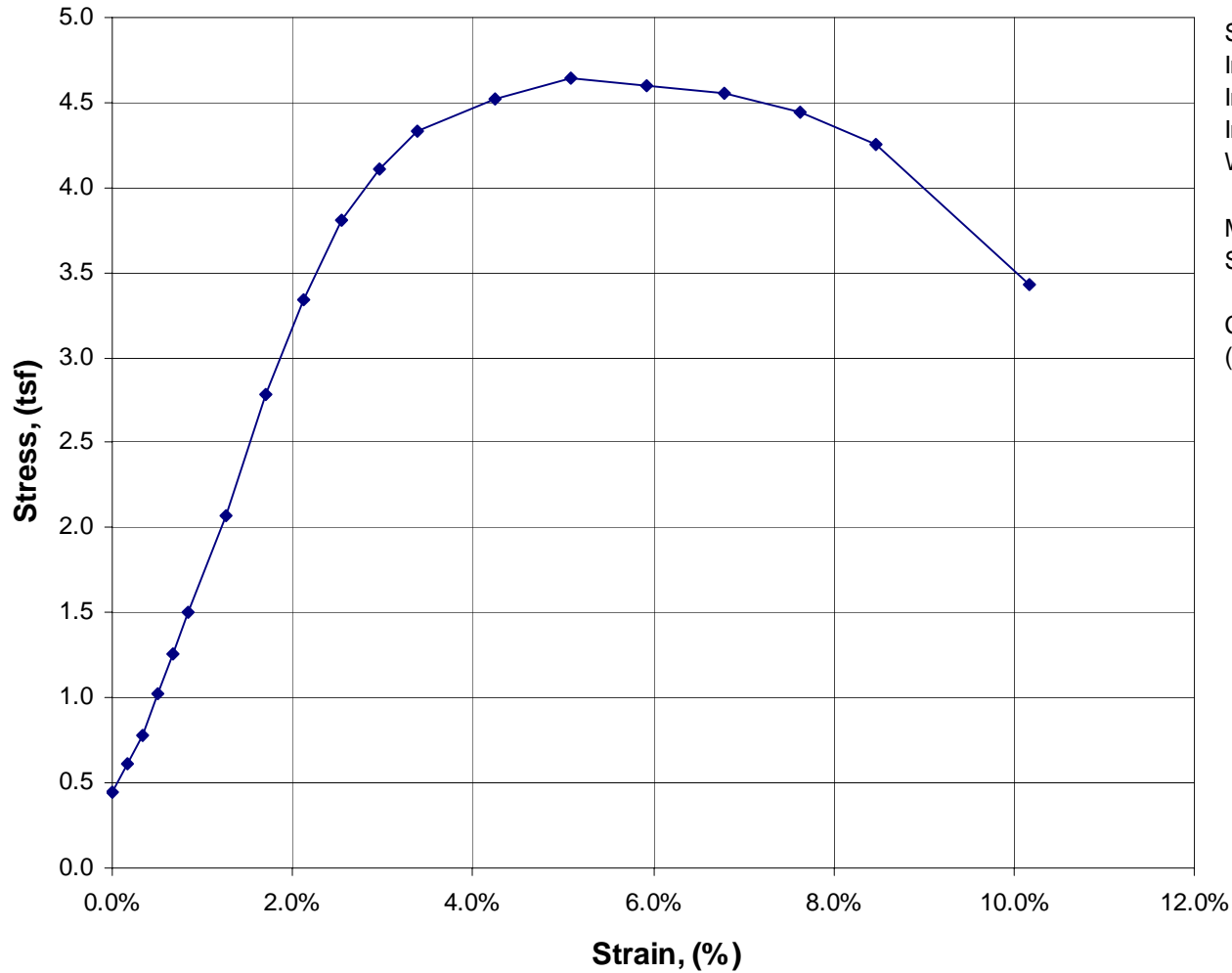
Classification: Very stiff, gray CLAY,  
 moist. (CL)

### Failure Sketch



Knik Arm Crossing Knik Arm, Alaska	
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# Boring B06-19 Sample S55



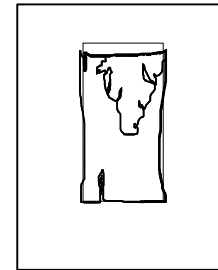
## Sample Data

Sample Depth: 127-127.5 ft  
Initial Diameter: 2.873 in.  
Initial Height: 5.90 in.  
Initial Moisture Content: 20.5%  
Wet Density: 129.9 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Stress: 4.6 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
Strain at Maximum Stress: 6.8%

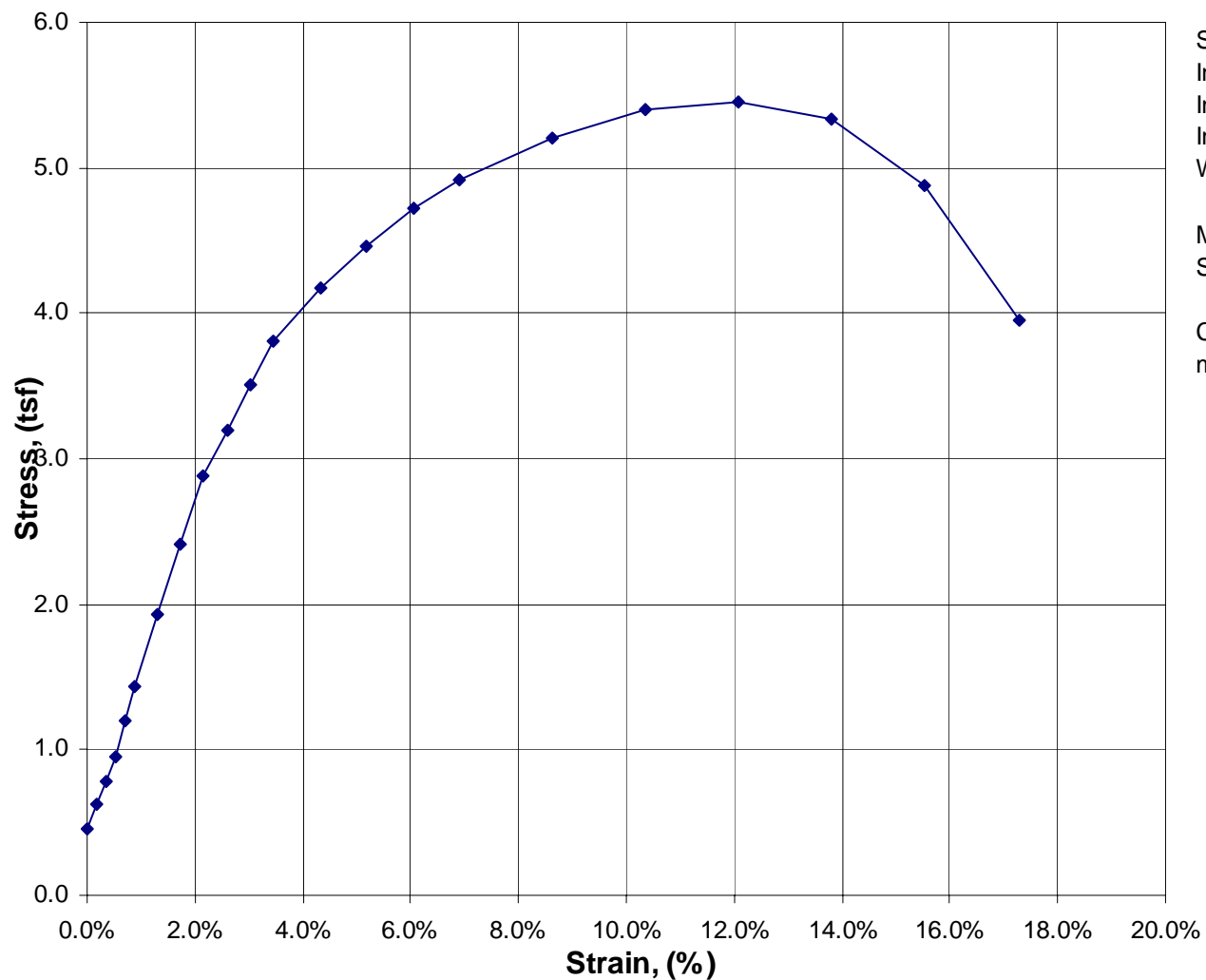
Classification: Hard, gray CLAY, moist.  
(CL)

## Failure Sketch



Knik Arm Crossing Knik Arm, Alaska	
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## Boring B06-19 Sample S63



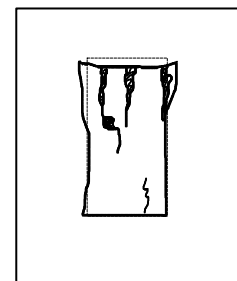
### Sample Data

Sample Depth: 167.5-168 ft  
 Initial Diameter: 2.85 in.  
 Initial Height: 55.82 in.  
 Initial Moisture Content: 18.4%  
 Wet Density: 130.2 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Stress: 5.4 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
 Strain at Maximum Stress: 13.8%

Classification: Hard, gray CLAY,  
 moist. (CL)

### Failure Sketch



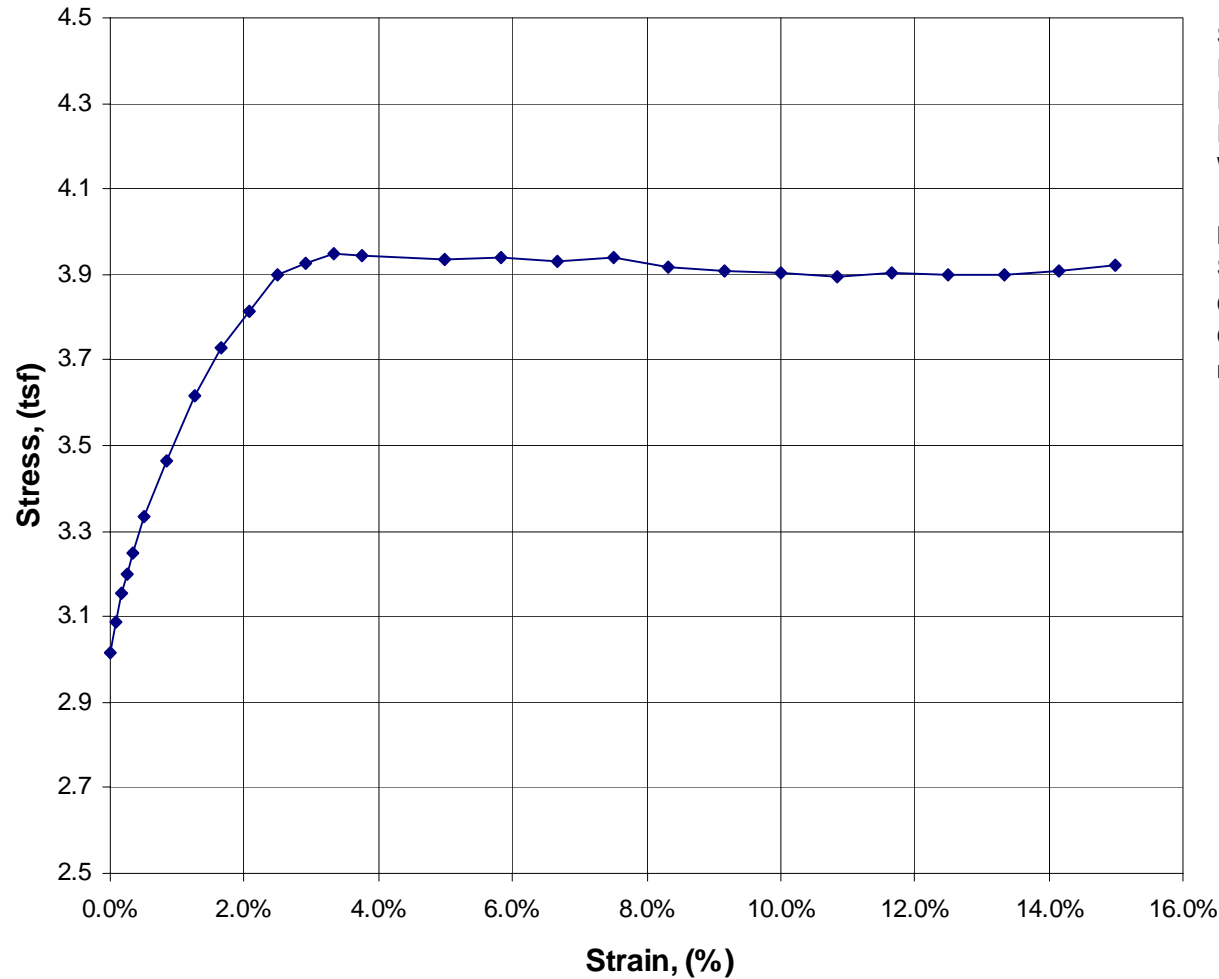
Knik Arm Crossing Knik Arm, Alaska	
<b>UNCONFINED COMPRESSION TEST RESULTS</b> (Boring B06-19 Sample S63)	
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## Boring B06-17 Sample S8

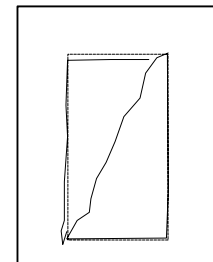
### Sample Data

Sample Depth: 44-44.5 ft  
 Initial Diameter: 2.869 in.  
 Initial Height: 6.001 in.  
 Initial Moisture Content: 27.1%  
 Wet Density: 123.8 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Deviator Stress: 3.9 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
 Strain at Maximum Stress: 3.3%  
 Confining Pressure: 3.9 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
 Classification: Very stiff, gray CLAY,  
 moist. (CL)



### Failure Sketch



Knik Arm Crossing  
 Knik Arm, Alaska

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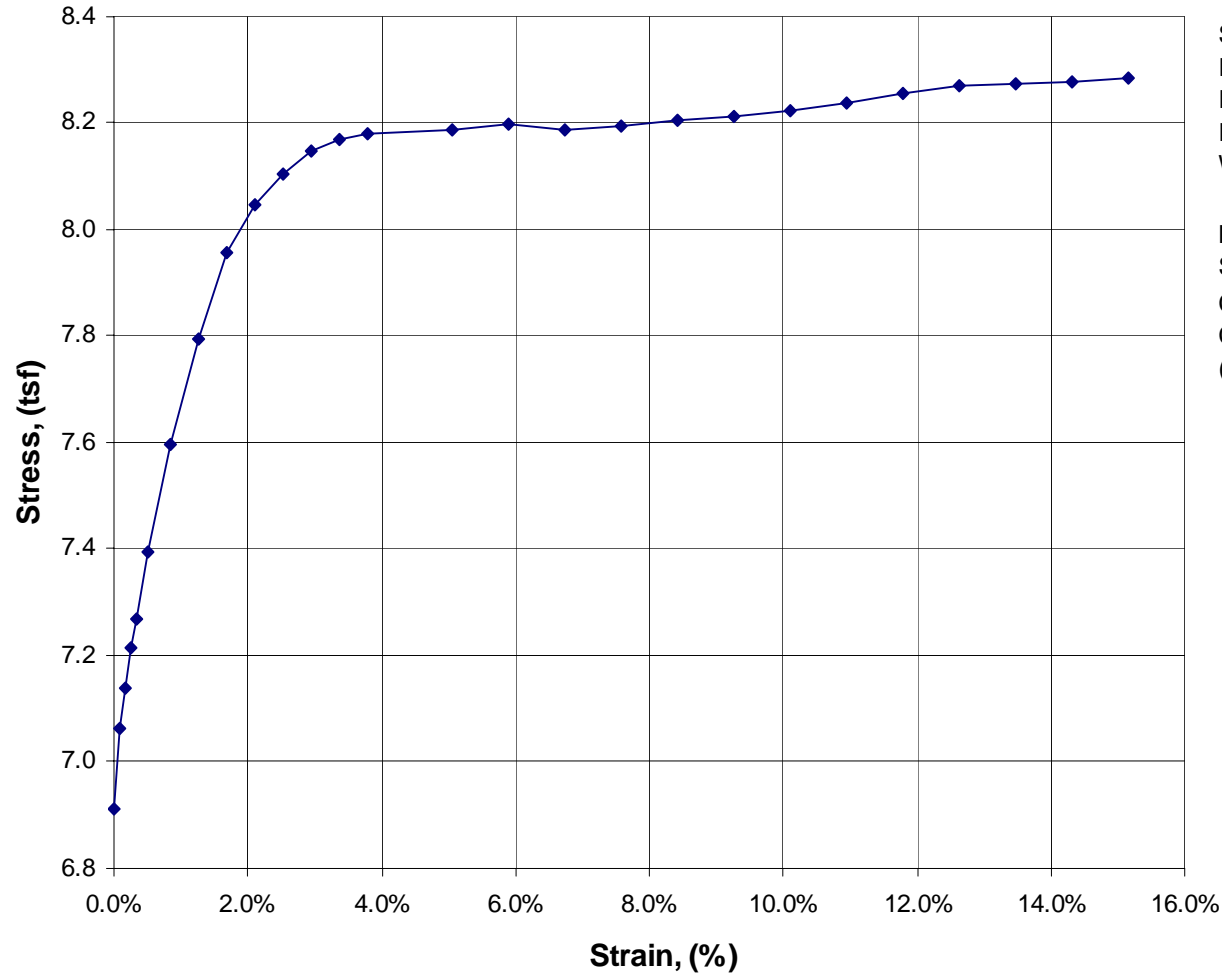
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## Boring B06-17 Sample S18

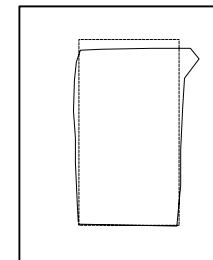
### Sample Data

Sample Depth: 96-96.5 ft  
 Initial Diameter: 2.969 in.  
 Initial Height: 5.938 in.  
 Initial Moisture Content: 27.0%  
 Wet Density: 117.1 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Deviator Stress: 8.3 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
 Strain at Maximum Stress: 15.0%  
 Confining Pressure: 6.9 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
 Classification: Hard, gray CLAY, moist.  
 (CL)



### Failure Sketch



Knik Arm Crossing  
 Knik Arm, Alaska

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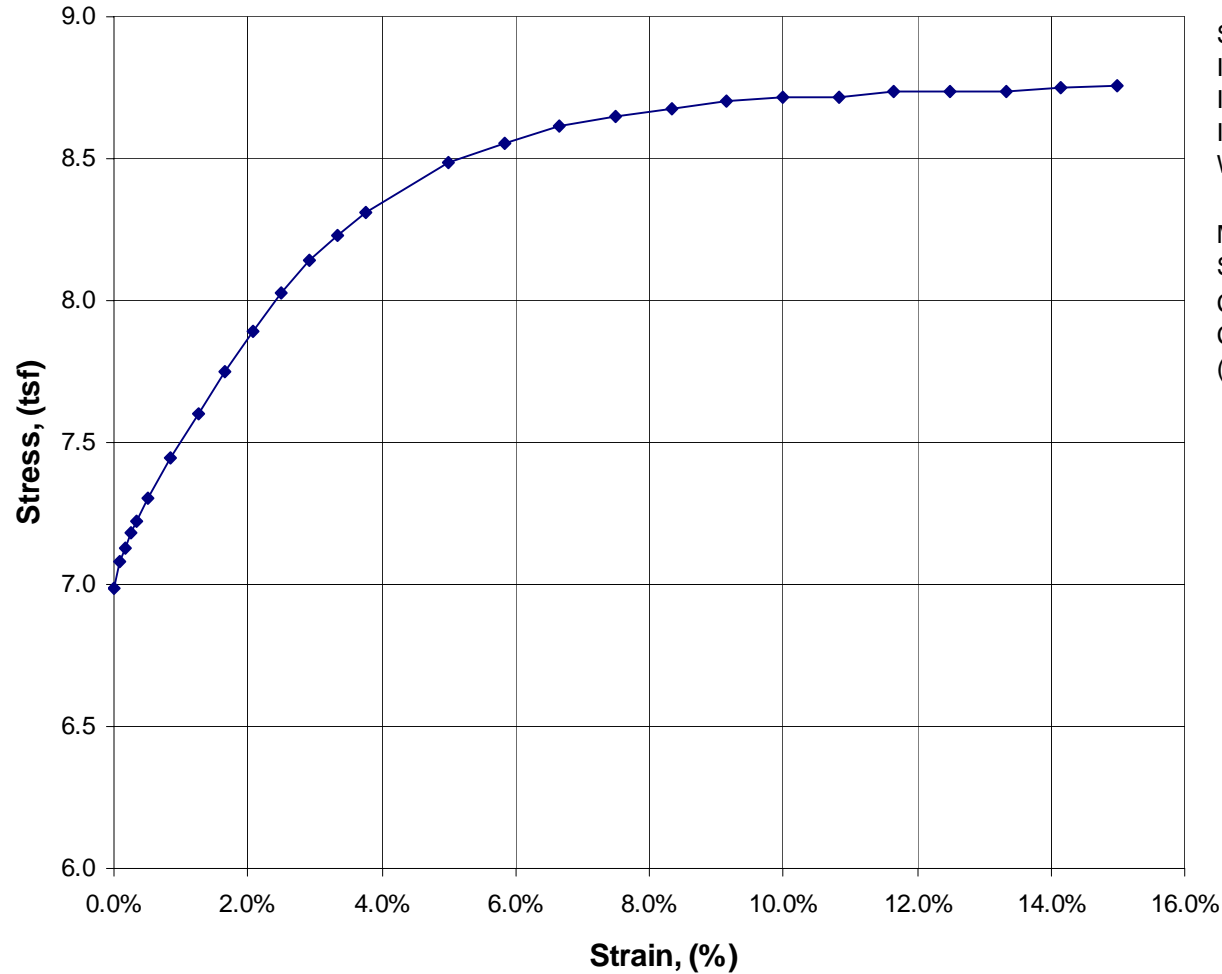
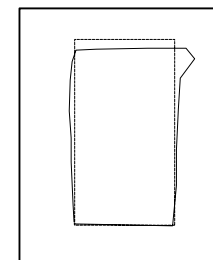
## Boring B06-17 Sample S36

### Sample Data

Sample Depth: 188-188.5 ft  
 Initial Diameter: 2.865 in.  
 Initial Height: 6.004 in.  
 Initial Moisture Content: 23.9%  
 Wet Density: 128.4 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Deviator Stress: 8.8 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
 Strain at Maximum Stress: 15.8%  
 Confining Pressure: 7.0 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
 Classification: Hard, gray CLAY, moist.  
 (CL)

### Failure Sketch



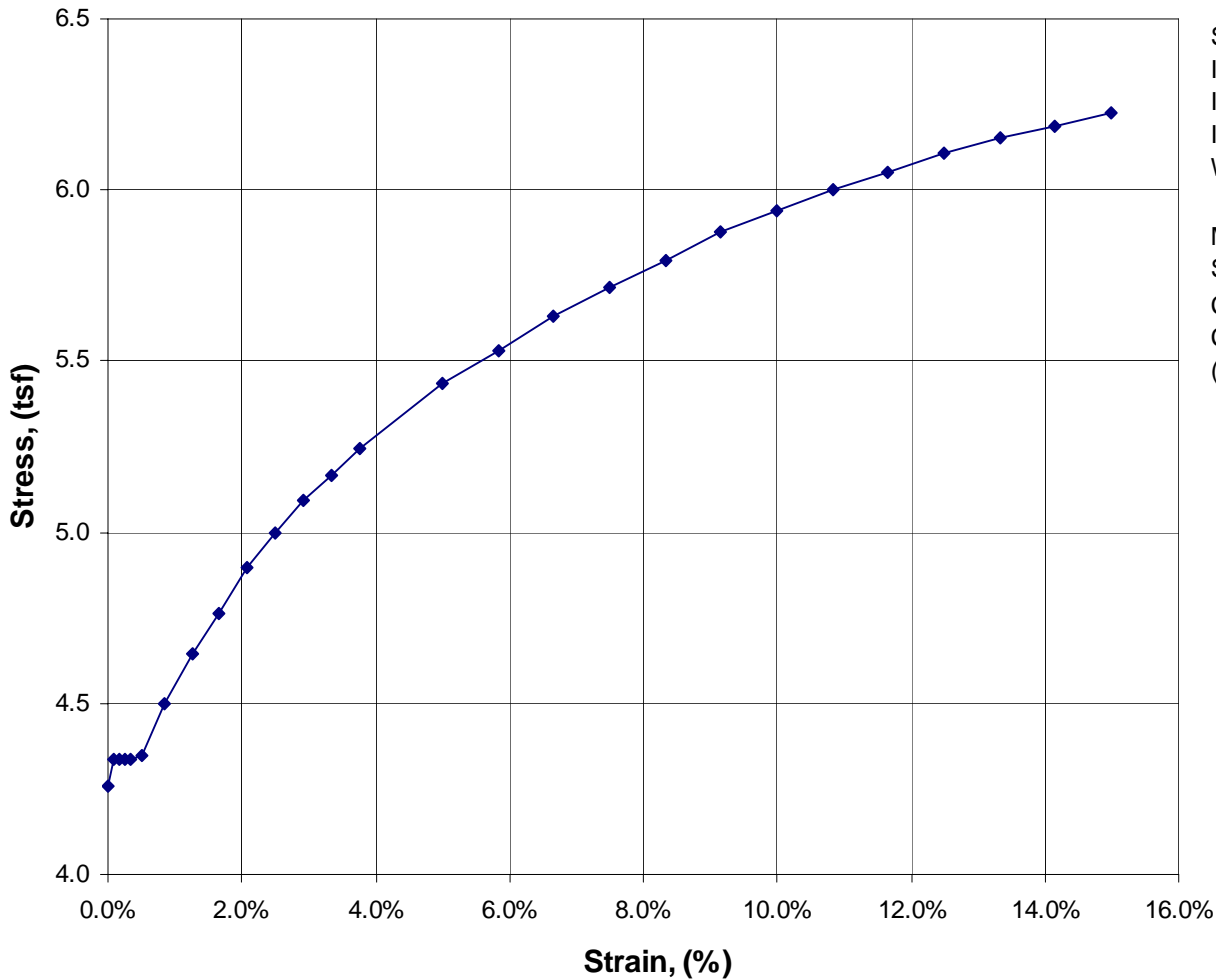
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<b>UNCONSOLIDATED UNDRAINED TRIAXIAL TEST RESULTS (Boring B06-17 Sample S36)</b>	
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## Boring B06-18 Sample S9

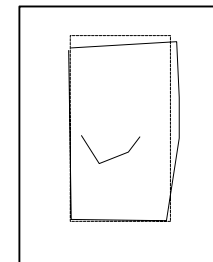
### Sample Data

Sample Depth: 60.5-61 ft  
 Initial Diameter: 2.875 in.  
 Initial Height: 6.003 in.  
 Initial Moisture Content: 22.6%  
 Wet Density: 129.2 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Deviator Stress: 6.2 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
 Strain at Maximum Stress: 15.0%  
 Confining Pressure: 4.2 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
 Classification: Hard, gray CLAY, moist.  
 (CL)



### Failure Sketch



Knik Arm Crossing  
 Knik Arm, Alaska

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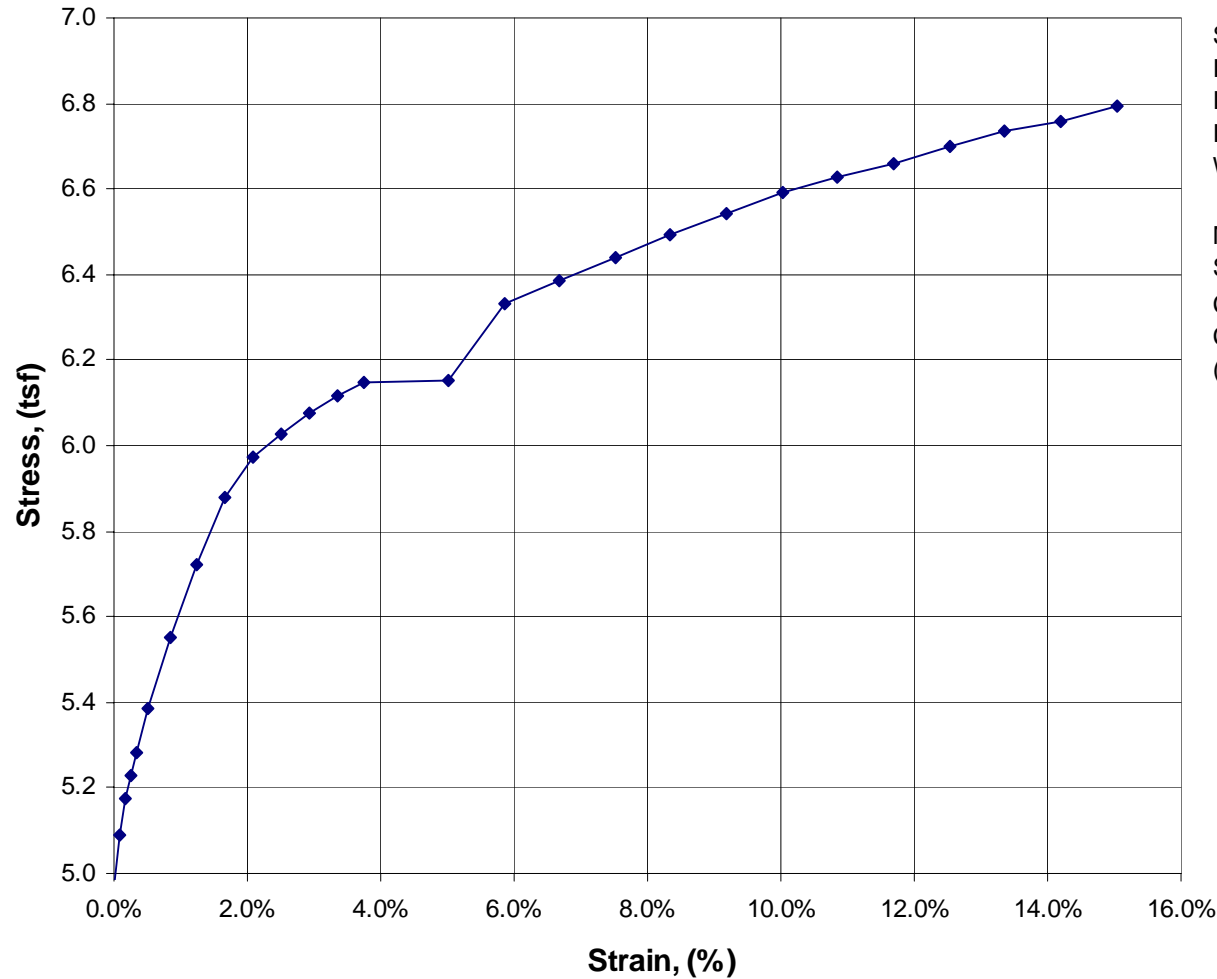
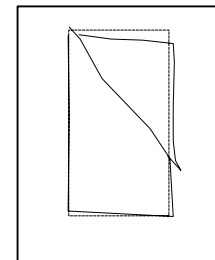
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## Sample Data

Sample Depth: 70.5-71 ft  
 Initial Diameter: 2.875 in.  
 Initial Height: 5.987 in.  
 Initial Moisture Content: 24.0%  
 Wet Density: 127.4 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Deviator Stress: 6.8 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
 Strain at Maximum Stress: 15%  
 Confining Pressure: 5.0 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
 Classification: Hard, gray CLAY, moist.  
 (CL)

## Failure Sketch



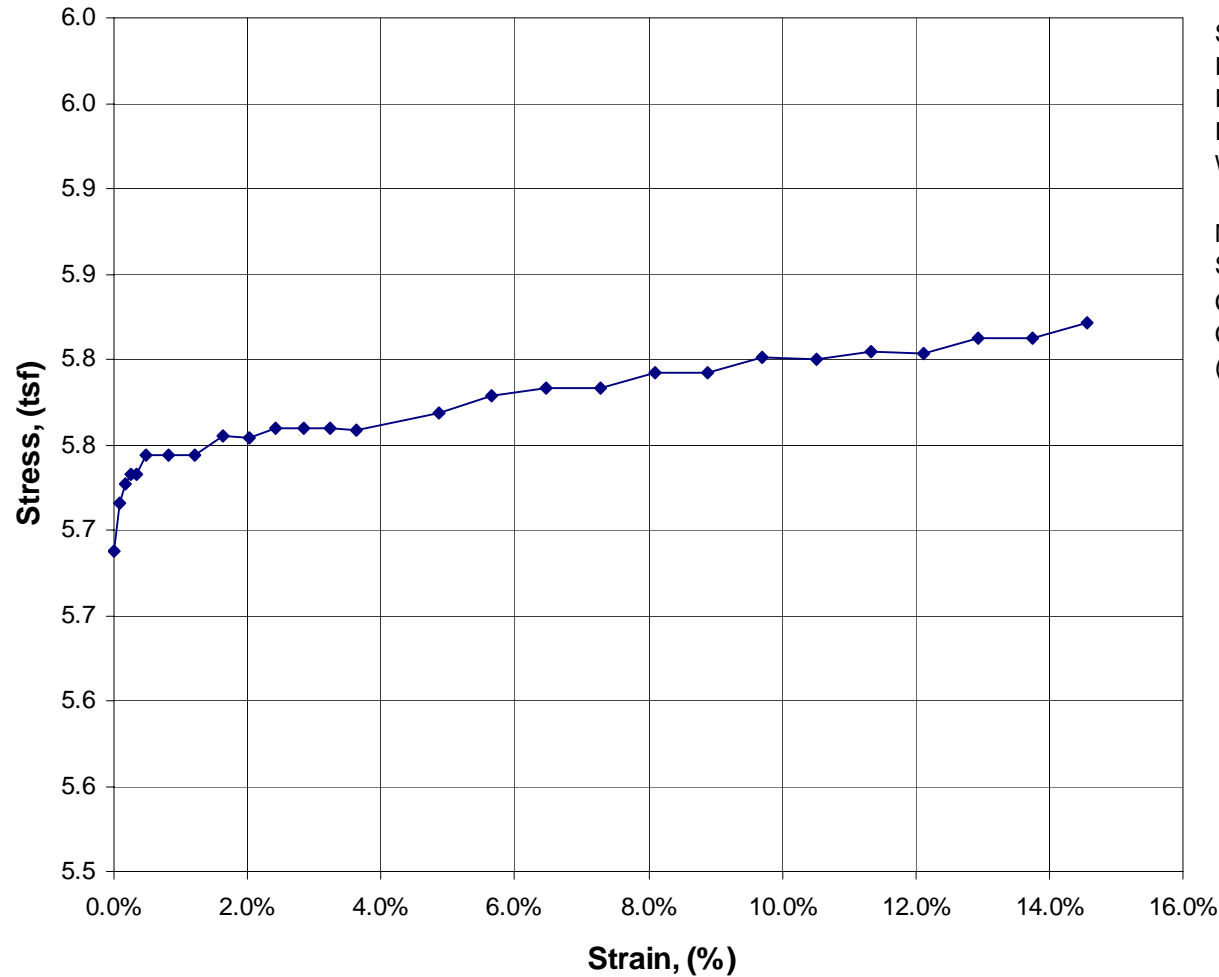
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## Boring B06-18 Sample S13

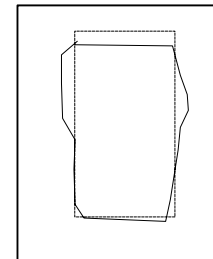
### Sample Data

Sample Depth: 80.5-81 ft  
 Initial Diameter: 2.850 in.  
 Initial Height: 6.182 in.  
 Initial Moisture Content: 30.6%  
 Wet Density: 118.7 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Deviator Stress: 5.8 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
 Strain at Maximum Stress: 14.6%  
 Confining Pressure: 5.7 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
 Classification: Hard, gray CLAY, moist.  
 (CL)



### Failure Sketch



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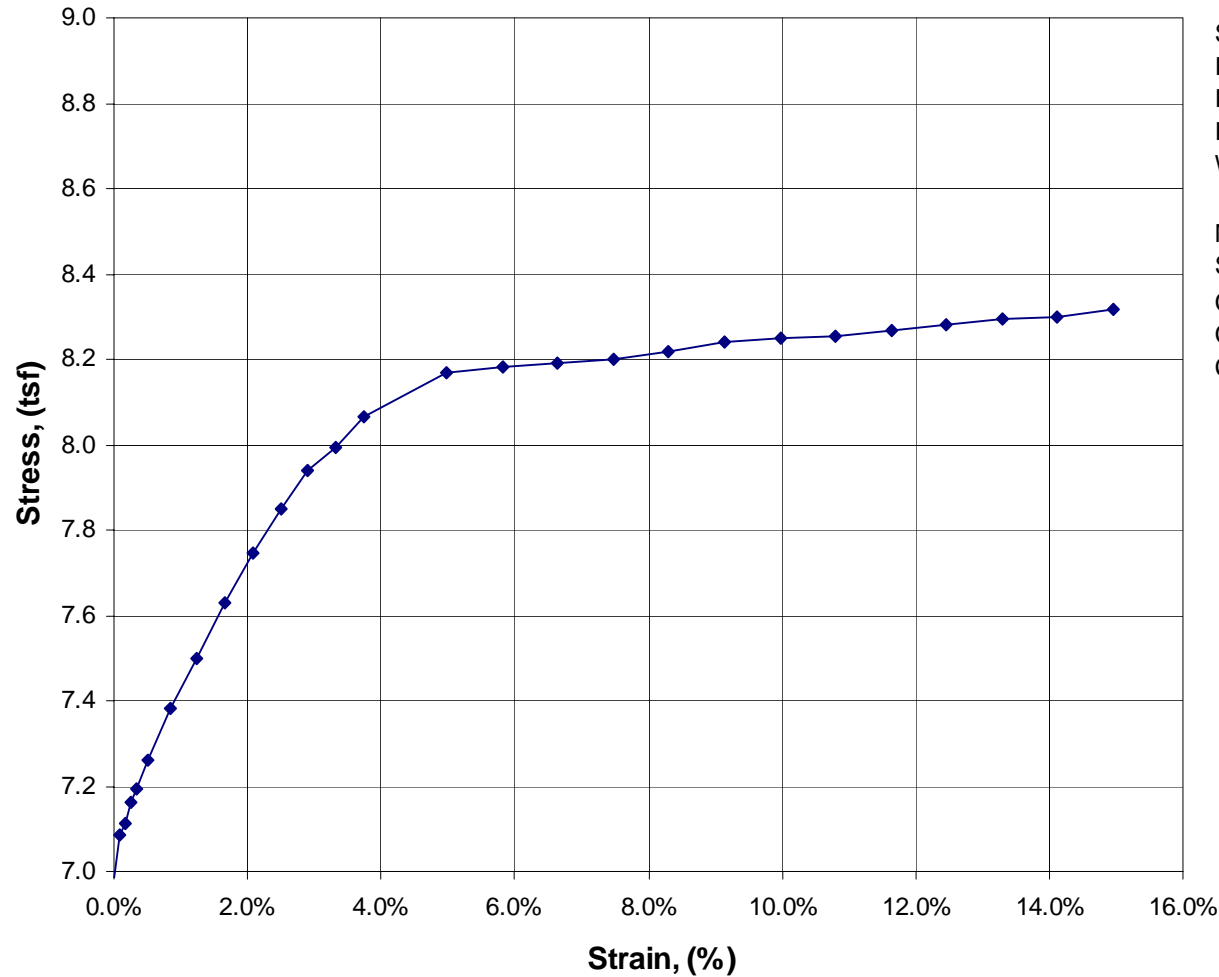
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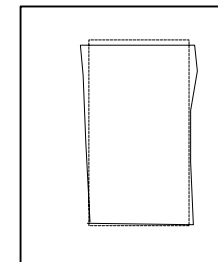
### Sample Data

Sample Depth: 189.5-190 ft  
 Initial Diameter: 2.875 in.  
 Initial Height: 6.019 in.  
 Initial Moisture Content: 22.7%  
 Wet Density: 129.1 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>

Maximum Deviator Stress: 8.3 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
 Strain at Maximum Stress: 15%  
 Confining Pressure: 7.0 tons/ft<sup>2</sup> (tsf)  
 Classification: Hard, gray, slightly gravelly  
 CLAY, moist. (CL)



### Failure Sketch



Knik Arm Crossing  
 Knik Arm, Alaska

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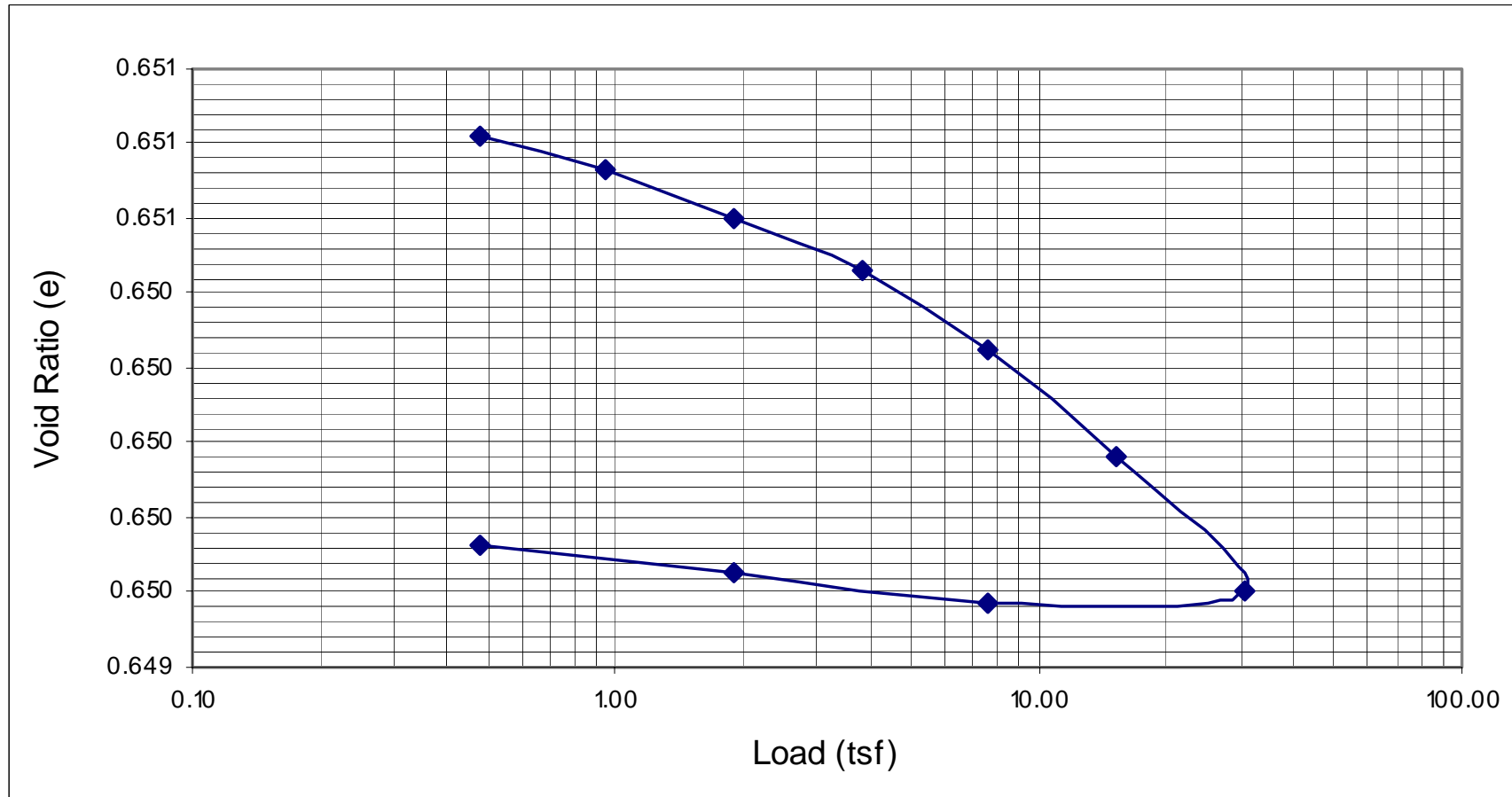
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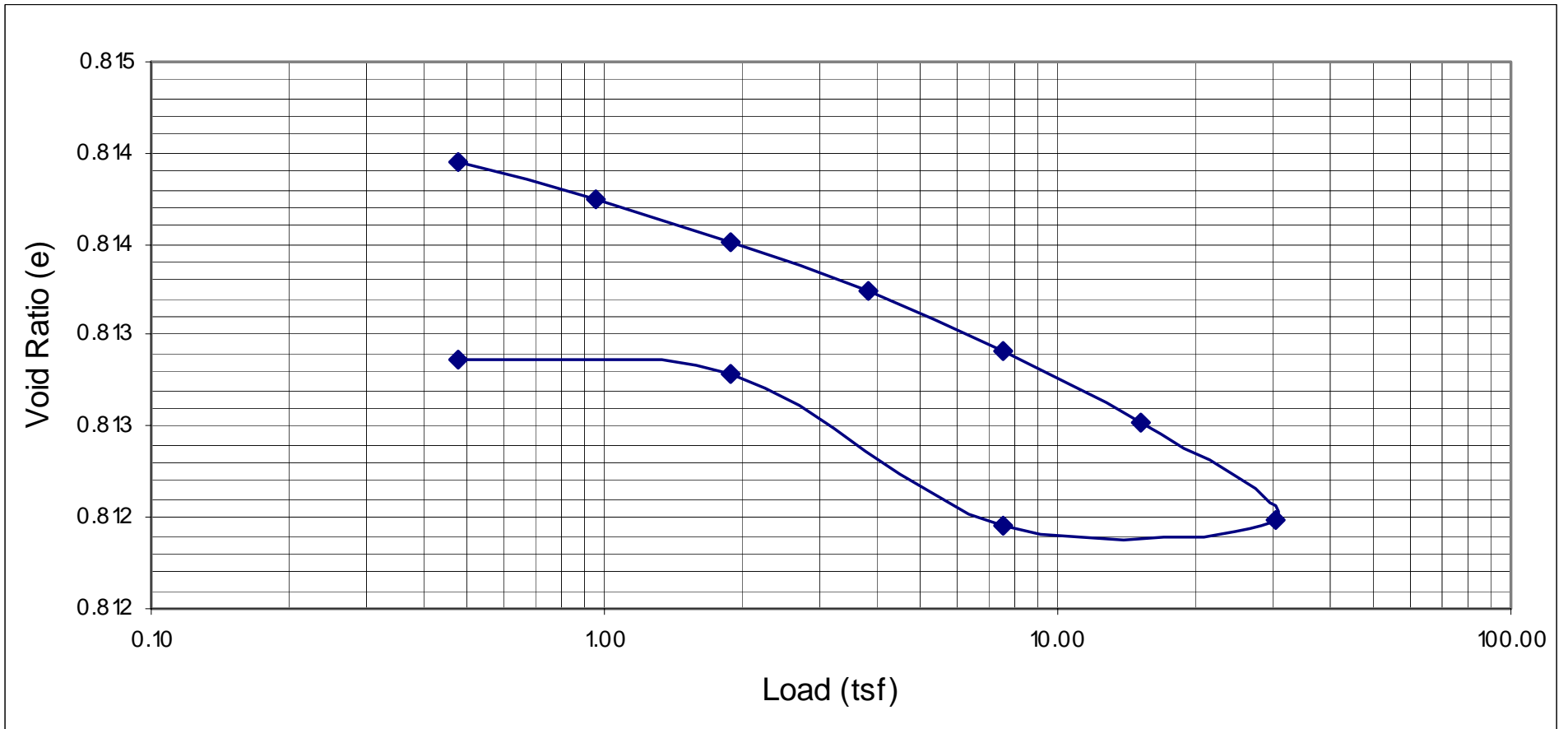
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### Specimen Data

Boring = B06-18  
 Sample = S9  
 Depth (feet bgs) = 59  
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 Specimen Thickness (in.) = 1  
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 USC = CL  
 General Consistency = Hard

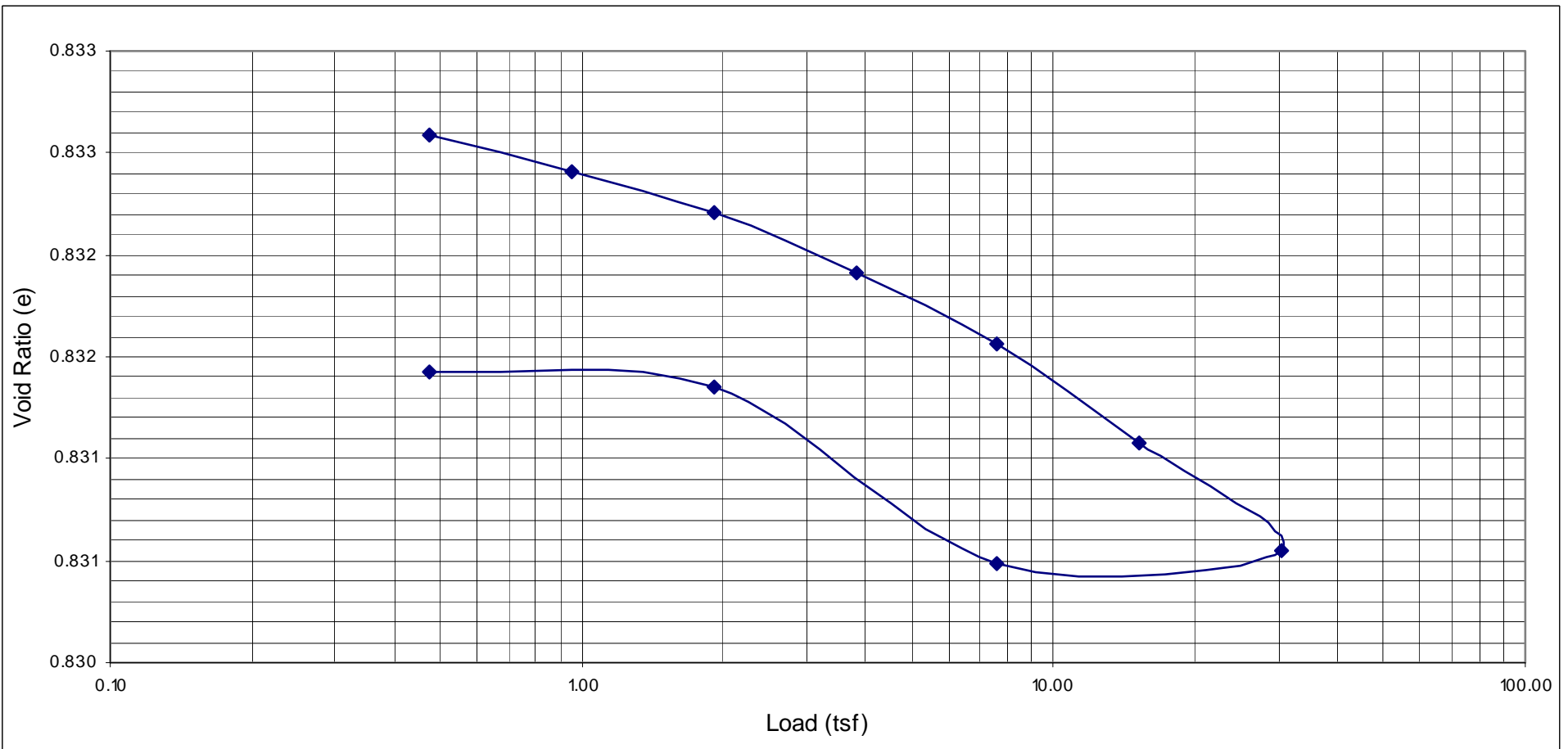
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### Specimen Data

Boring = B06-18  
 Sample = S-11  
 Depth (feet bgs) = 69  
 Specimen Diameter (in.) = 2.499  
 Specimen Thickness (in.) = 1  
 Water Content Before (%) = 24.4  
 Water Content After (%) = 22.1  
 Dry Unit Weight (pcf) = 93.7  
 USC = CL  
 General Consistency = Hard

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### Specimen Data

Boring = B06-19  
 Sample = S17  
 Depth (feet bgs) = 85  
 Specimen Diameter (in.) = 2.499  
 Specimen Thickness (in.) = 1  
 Water Content Before (%) = 25.7  
 Water Content After (%) = 22.4  
 Dry Unit Weight (pcf) = 74.4  
 USC = CL  
 General Consistency = Hard

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## **APPENDIX G**

### **PREVIOUS BORINGS BY SHANNON & WILSON AND OTHERS**

#### **G-1 On-Shore Borings by Shannon & Wilson**

Shannon & Wilson, Inc. conducted field explorations in 2003 and 2005 that provide information pertinent to the Knik Arm Crossing. Boring A-7 was located in the beach to bluff transition area on the east shoreline of the crossing area. Boring B05-1 was located in the beach/bluff transition area on the west shoreline of the crossing. These borings were extended to depths of 196.5 and 226.7 feet, respectively, and provide a means for correlating the conditions encountered in the over-water borings with the conditions exposed in the bluffs bordering the east and west sides of Knik Arm. Boring A-8 advanced on the west bluff is also included. The approximate locations of these borings are shown on Figure 2. Logs of these borings are included in Figure G-1, Figure G-7, and Figure G-8.

Drilling services for the shoreline borings were provided by Discovery Drilling of Anchorage, Alaska, using a track-mounted CME 75 drill rig. The borings were advanced with 8-inch outside diameter, 3-1/4 inch inside diameter hollow-stem augers. Pumps were also supplied to add water or drilling mud to the borings to control heave when necessary. An experienced geologist from Shannon & Wilson was present continuously during drilling to locate the borings, observe drill action, collect samples, log subsurface conditions, and monitor groundwater encountered.

As the borings were advanced, both disturbed and undisturbed samples were recovered at 5 or 10-foot depth intervals. Disturbed samples were taken with a split-spoon sampler using SPT procedures, as described previously. The uncorrected N values are shown graphically on the boring logs adjacent to the sample depth, and give a measure of the relative compactness or consistency (stiffness) of the cohesionless and cohesive soils at the site, respectively.

Undisturbed samples were taken by fixing a 3-inch diameter by 30-inch thin wall tube on the end of the drill rods and advancing it with the hydraulic ram into the undisturbed soil at the bottom of the boring as drilling progressed. The recovered tubes were sealed at the ends with plastic caps and returned to Shannon & Wilson's Anchorage laboratory for testing, as necessary.

At the end of drilling, an indexed PVC casing was installed in a soft setting grout on Boring B05-1 to facilitate down-hole shear wave velocity measurements. Seismic profiling was subsequently conducted by Northland Geophysical with the results presented in Appendix H.



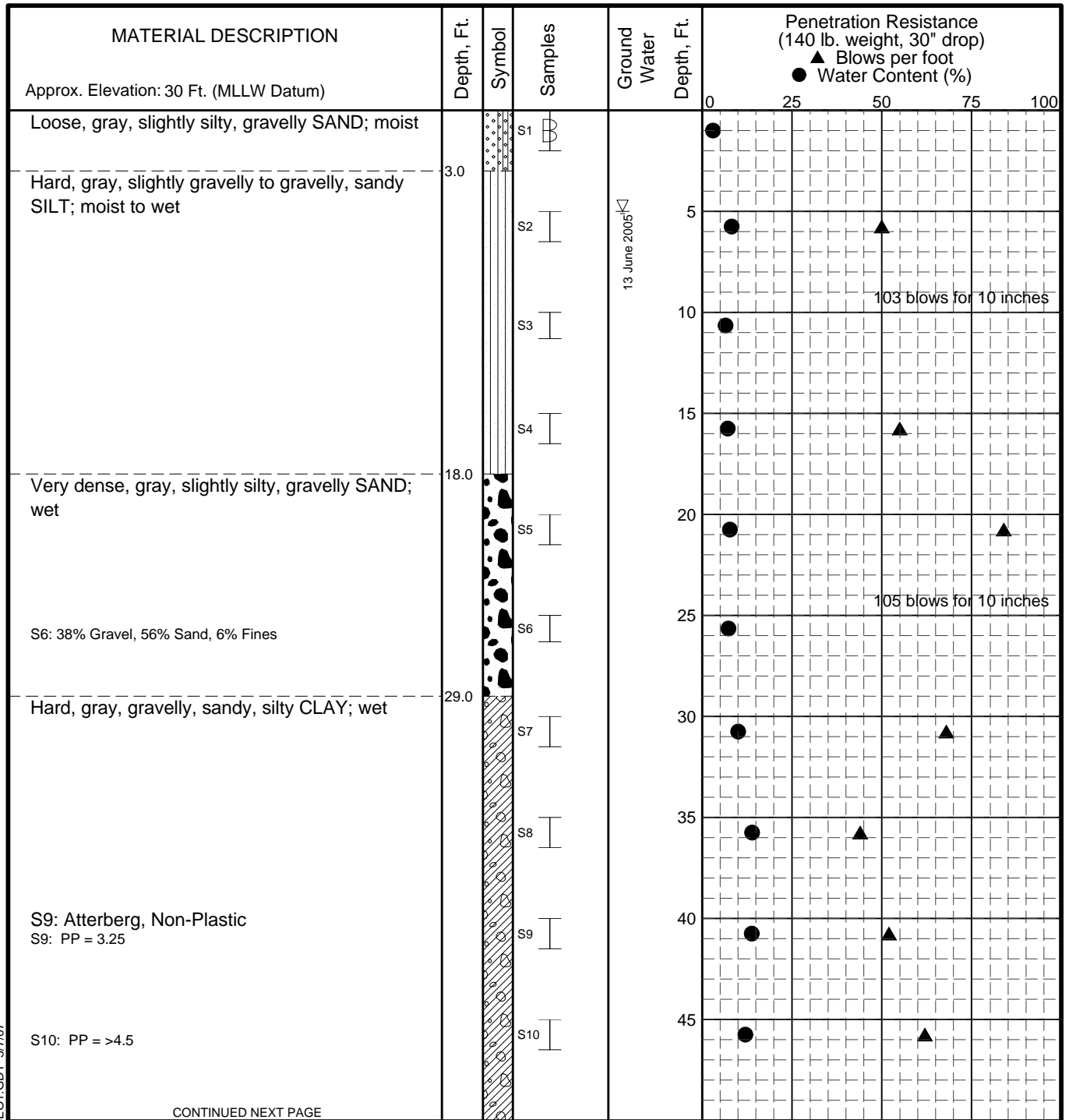
## **G-2 Off-Shore Borings by Shannon & Wilson**

As part of the 2003 explorations, Shannon & Wilson conducted seven off-shore borings, designated A-1, A-2, A-4 through A-6, A-9, and A-10. These borings were advanced to depths ranging from 183 to 337 feet below the mudline. The locations of these borings are shown on Figure 2. Logs of these borings, with the exception of Boring A-10, are presented in Figures G-2 through G-6 and Figure G-9. Boring A-10 has been omitted from this study because it is deemed too far north from the concept alignment to be representative. These borings were drilled by Gregg Drilling from Signal Hill, California, using a Mobile B80-22 drilling rig with a 22-foot stroke. Support equipment included 12-inch outer starter casing, 6-inch inner drill casing, mud rotary drilling tools with a wireline system of rods and samplers and a jack up platform. The drilling operations were continuously monitored by field engineers or geologists from Shannon & Wilson, Inc.

The over-water drilling was performed from a 50-foot by 50-foot platform with four 100-foot long legs equipped with a center moon pool, a small crane, work and emergency skiffs, a digital global positioning system, a flow meter and a covered work space. This jack up platform, owned by Seacore, LTD from Gweek, England, is a modular unit, which for this project consisted of 6 floats pinned together. The platform is raised and lowered using jacks with a 10-foot stroke operating at a rate of roughly 5 feet per minute. The legs are 30-inches in diameter by 1-inch thick wall steel pipes and were rigged to work in 30 to 70 feet of water and accommodate 3 to 6 knot currents. The operators of the platform indicated that they noted no evidence of scour around the legs, but the feet often sank 1 to 4 feet into the mud during setup. Carl Anderson at the Port of Anchorage provided the tug to move the platform to each drill location.

## **G-3 Borings by others**

Three prior over-water borings, designated Harding Lawson Boring A-4 (HLA 4), Harding Lawson Boring A-5 (HLA 5), and Harding Lawson Boring A-6 (HLA 6), were drilled in the crossing vicinity by Harding Lawson and Associates in 1984 as part of the early Knik Arm Crossing studies (HLA, 1984). The approximate locations of these borings are shown on Figure . This drilling work was performed from a floating barge held in place with heavy anchors. Logs of these borings are presented in Figures G-10 through G-12.



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- ⊞ Grab Sample

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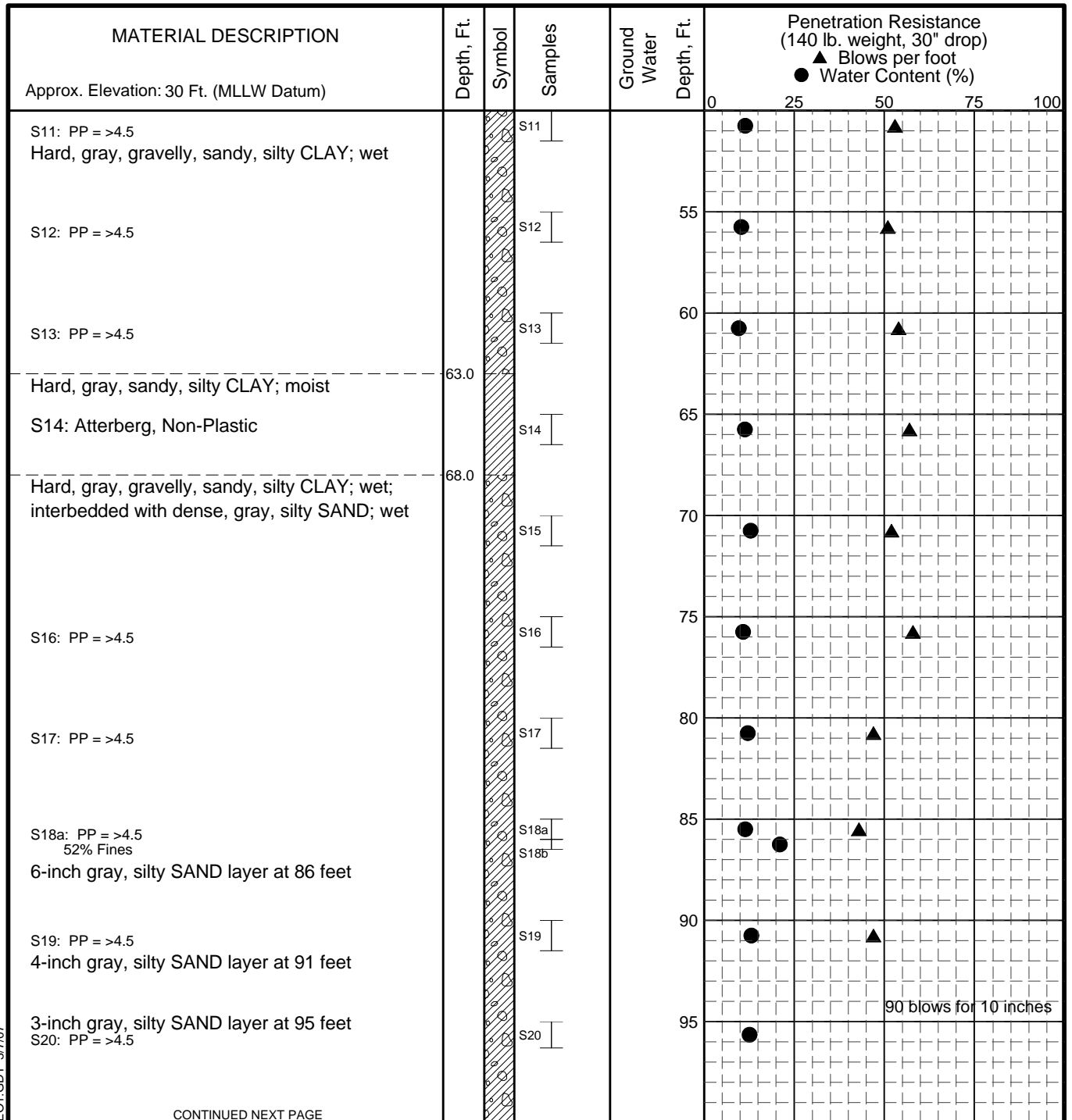
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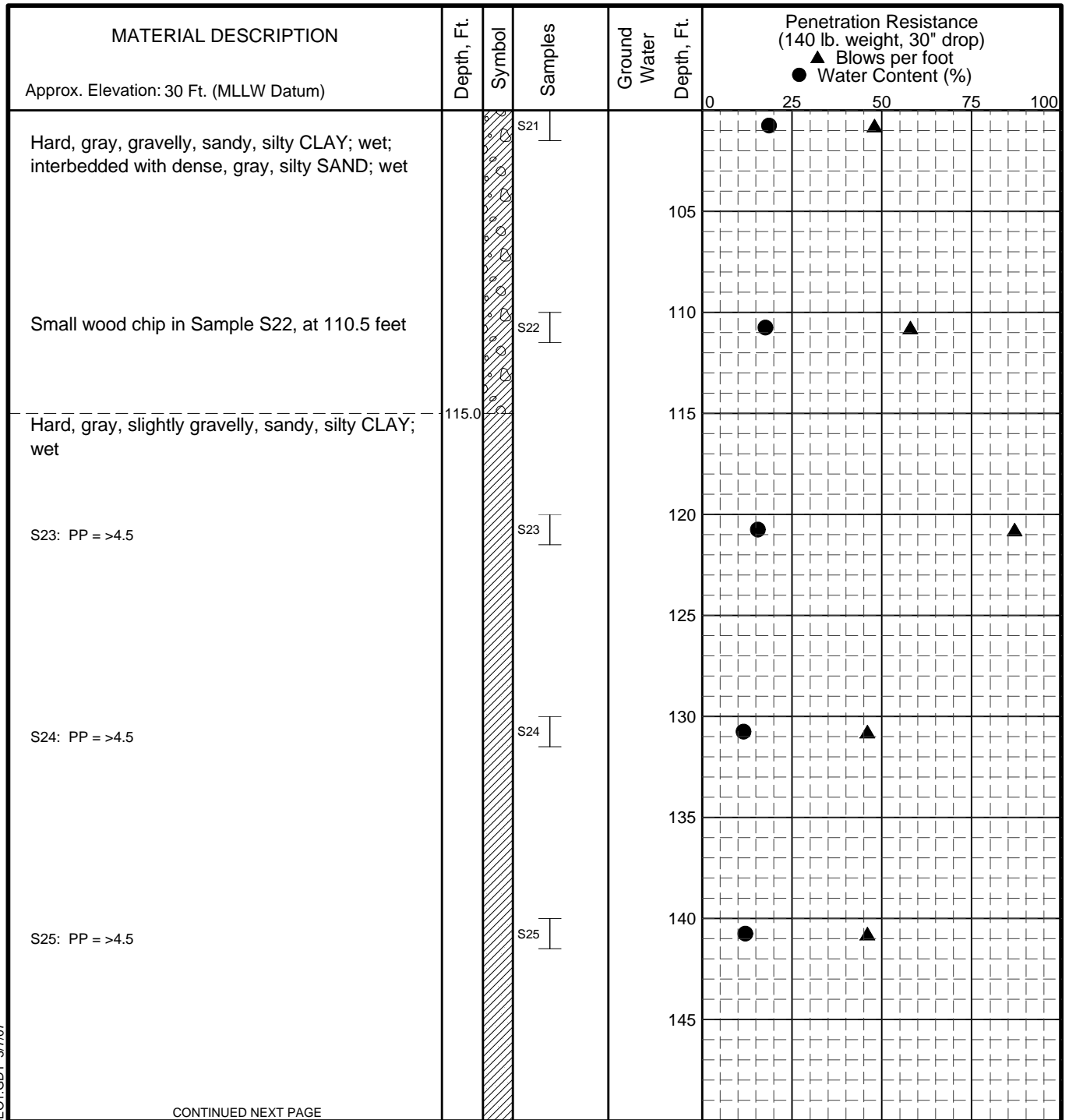
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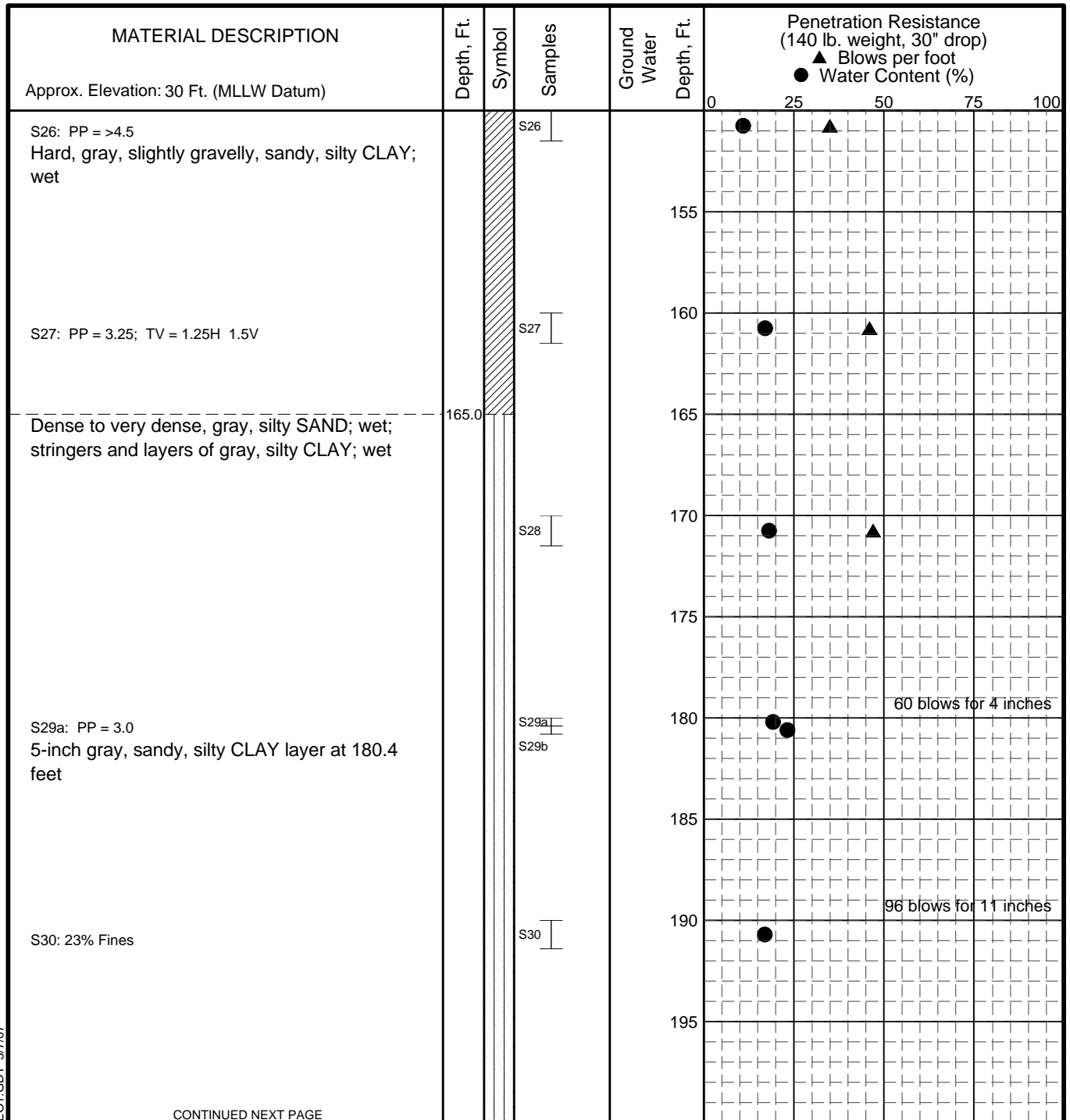
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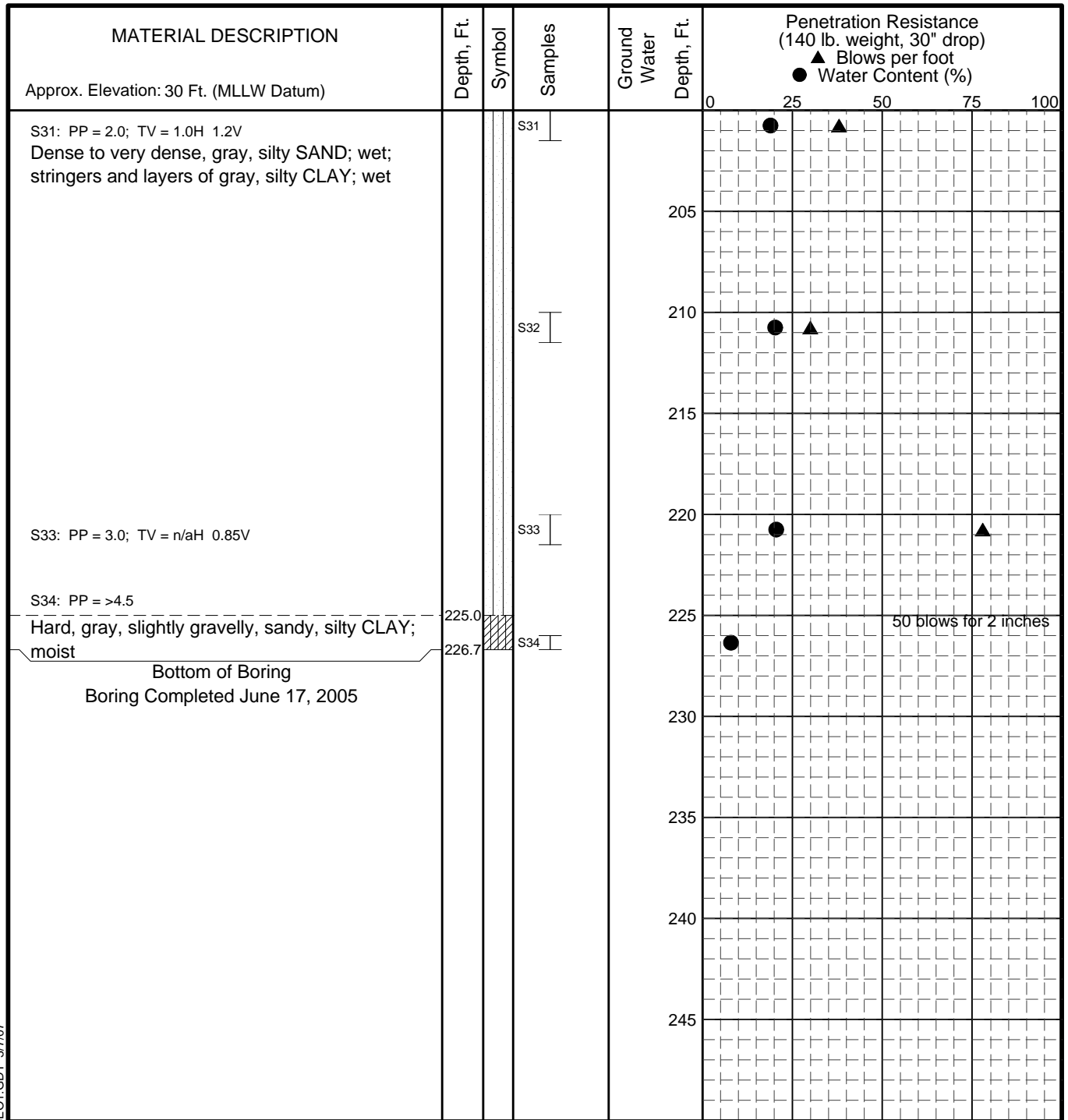
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- ⊞ Grab Sample
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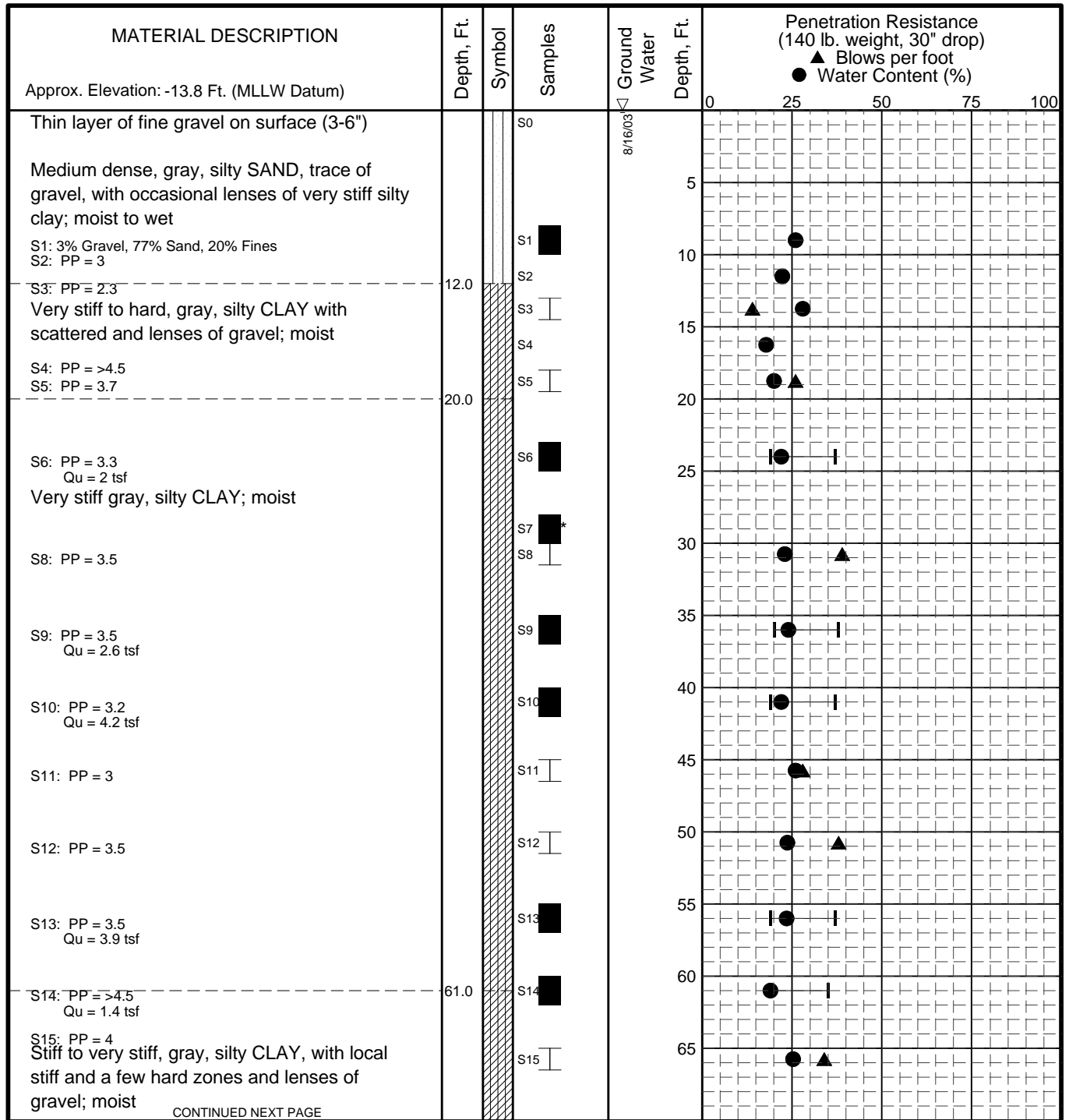
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- ⊥ 2" O.D. Split Spoon Sample
- ⊥ Rock Core Sample

▽ Ground Water Level At Time Of Drilling

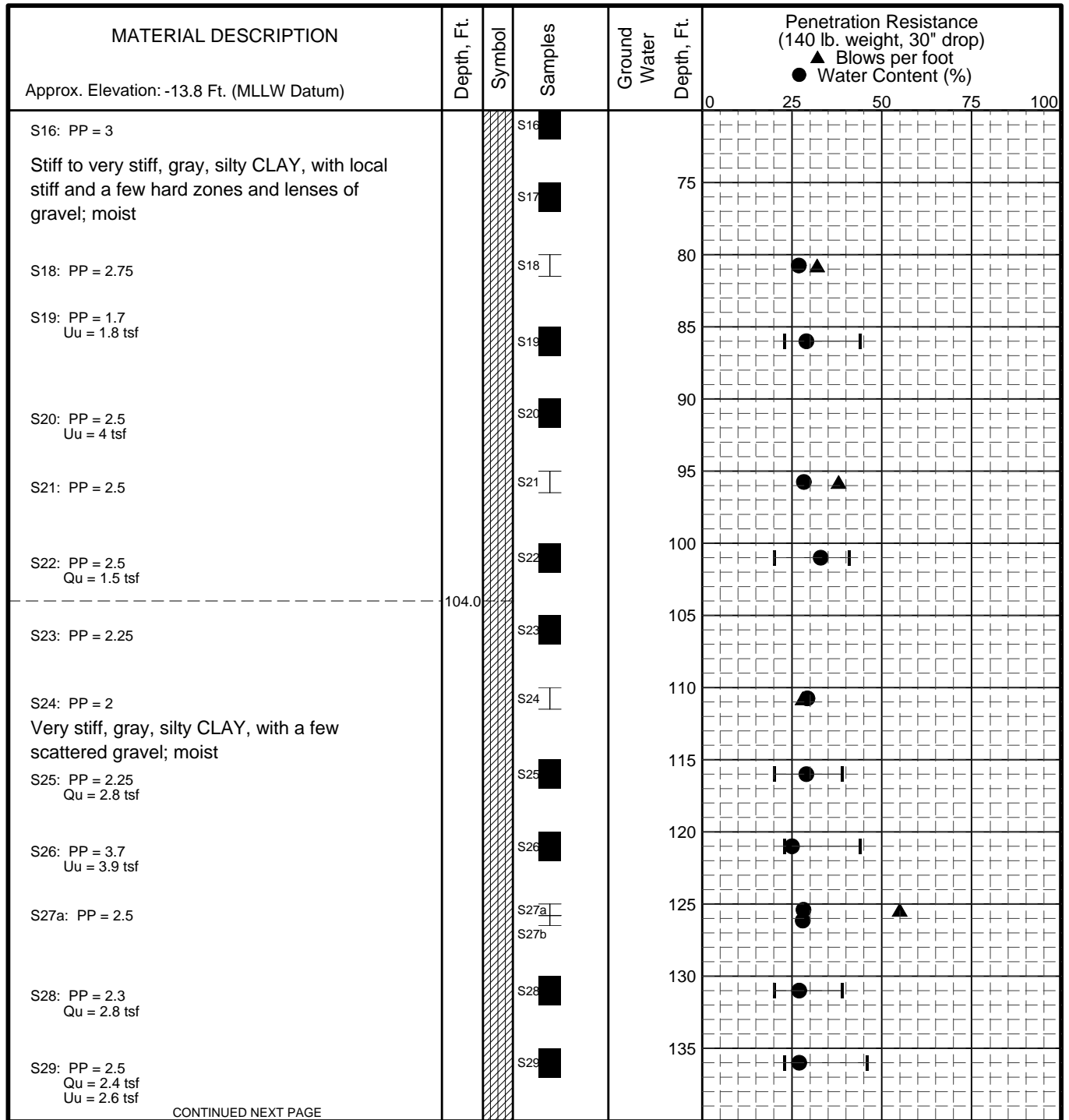
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- Shelby Tube
- ┌┐ 2" O.D. Split Spoon Sample
- ┌┐ Rock Core Sample

∇ Ground Water Level At Time Of Drilling

- Water Content (%)
- Liquid Limit
- Plastic Limit
- Natural Water Content

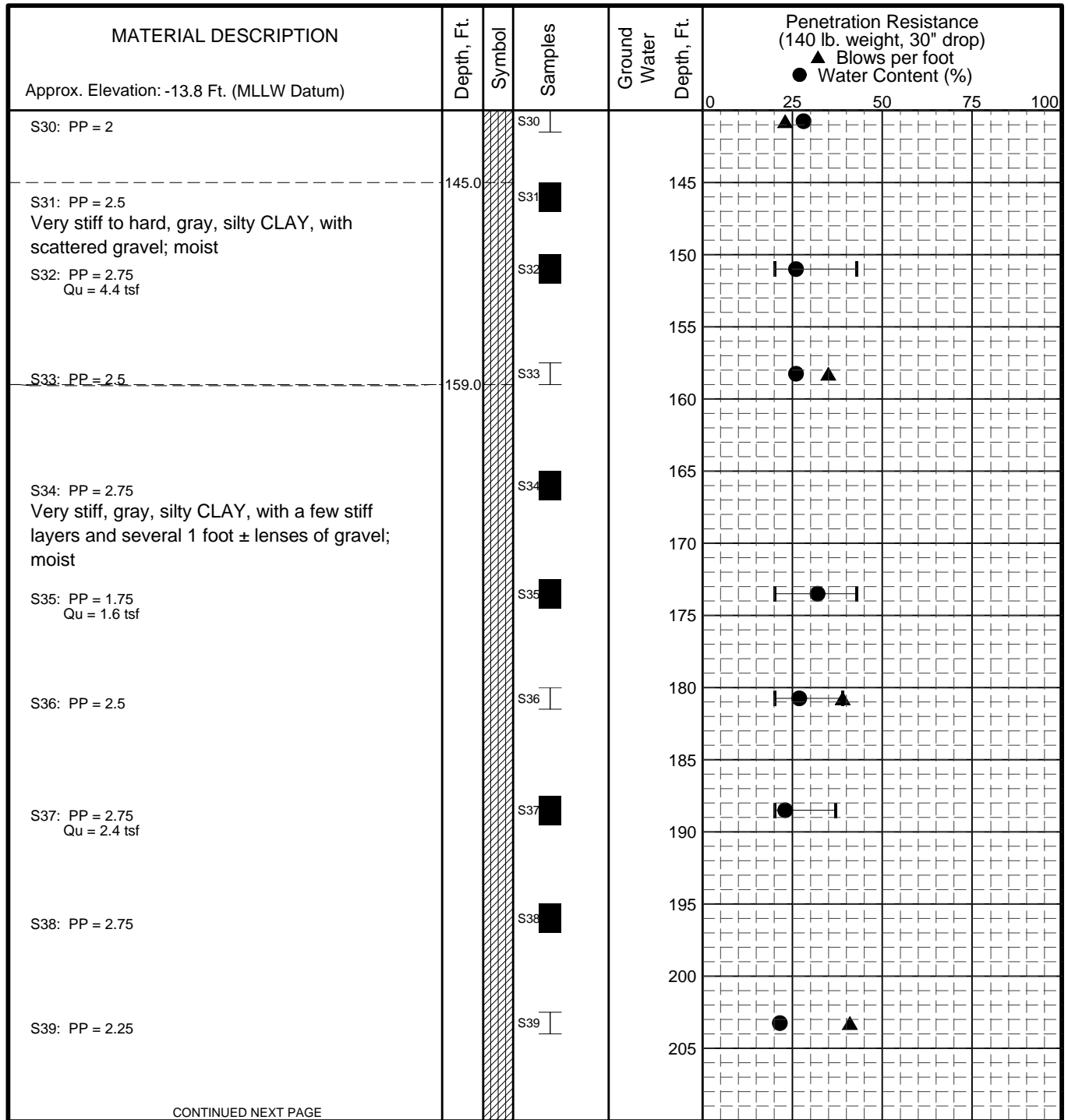
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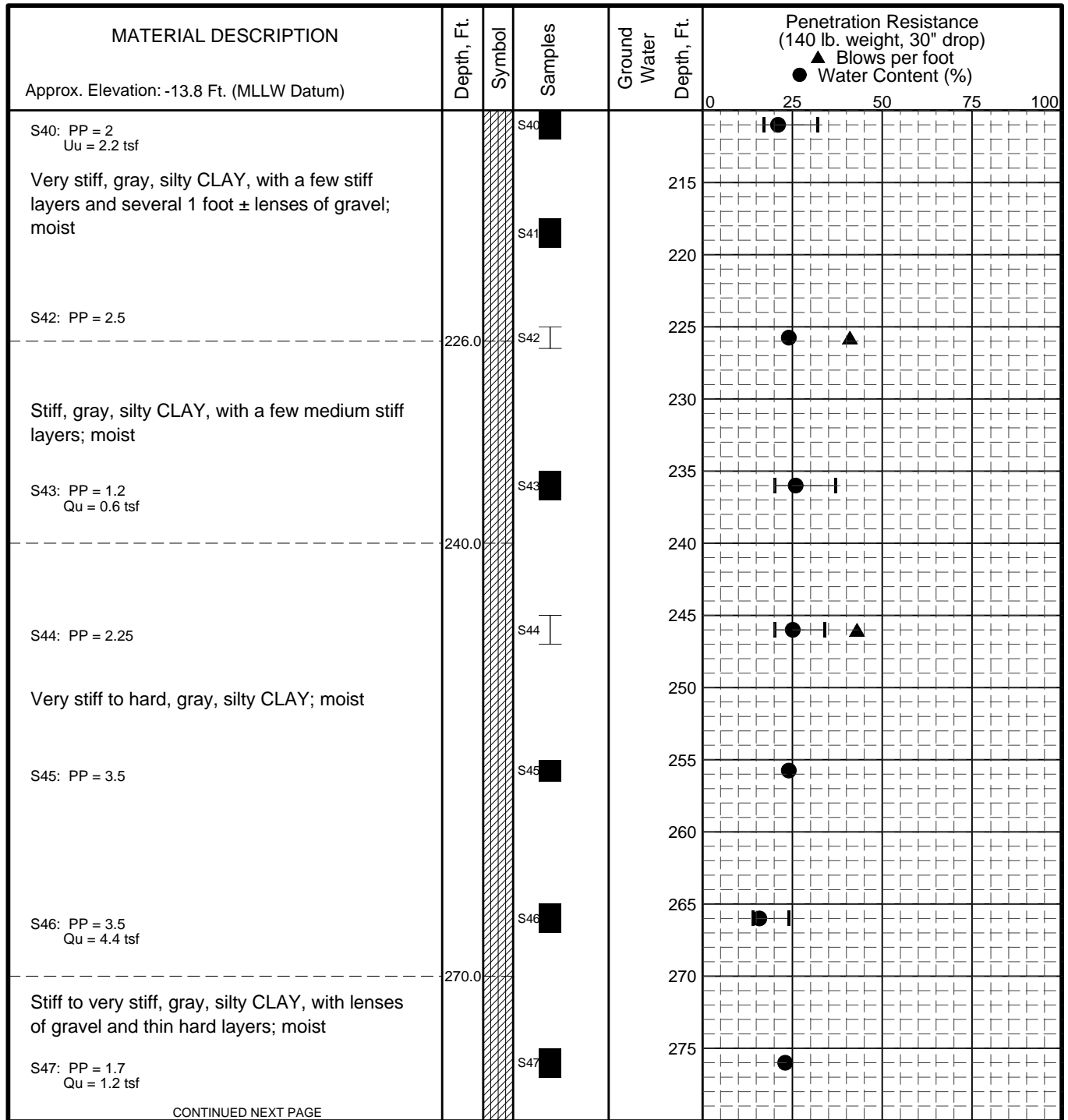
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- ⊥ Rock Core Sample

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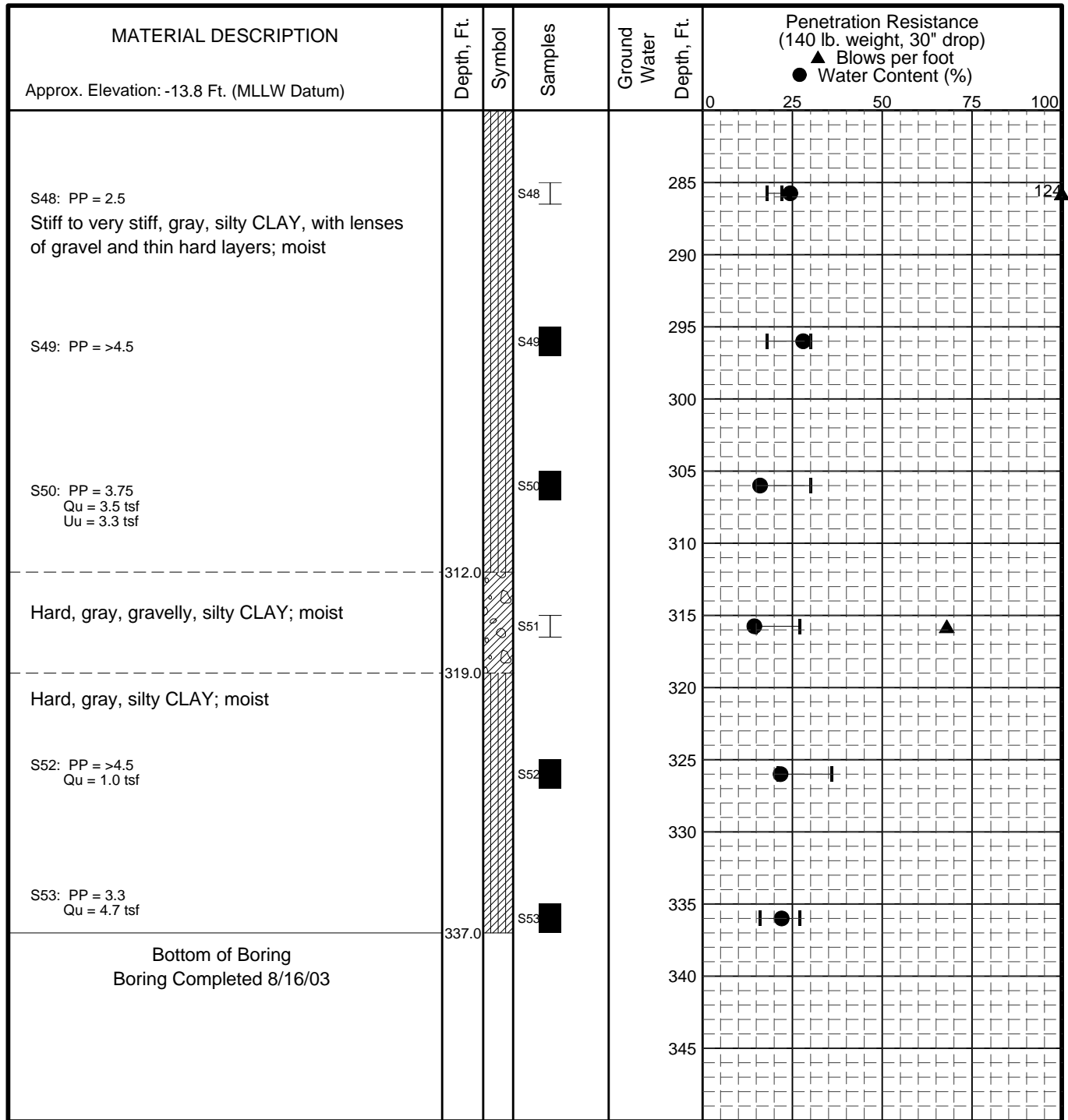
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- ⊥ Rock Core Sample
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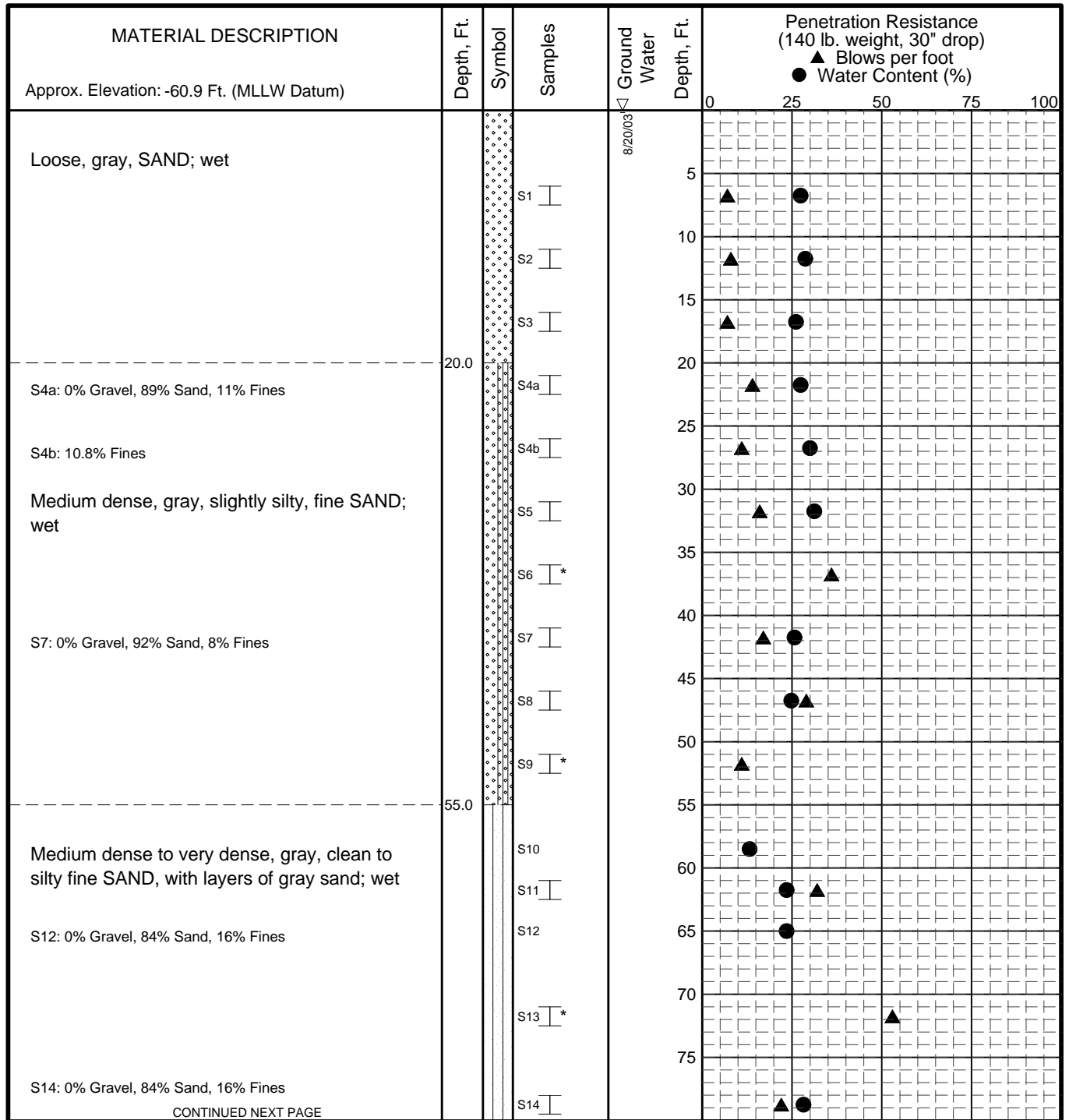
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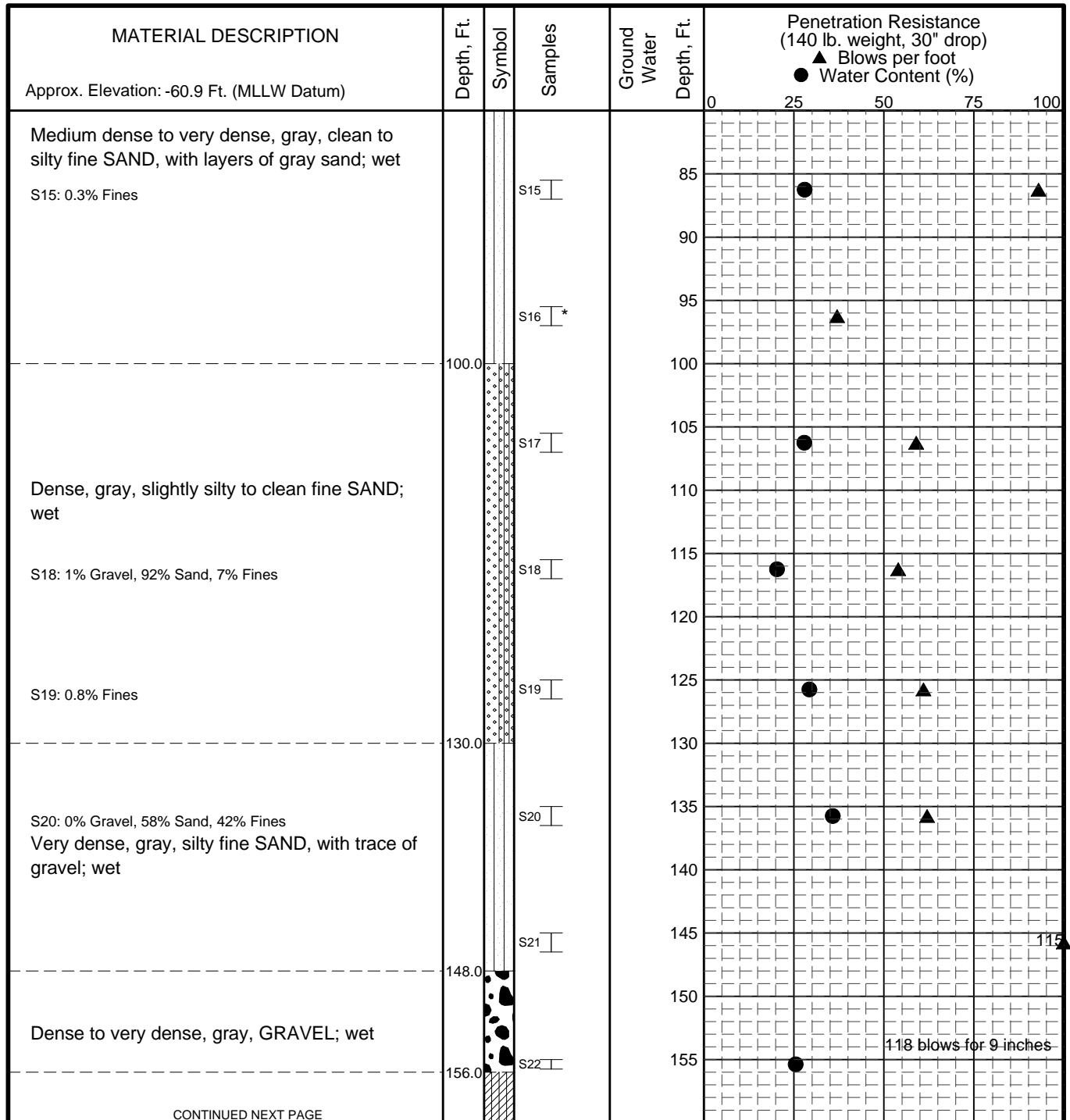
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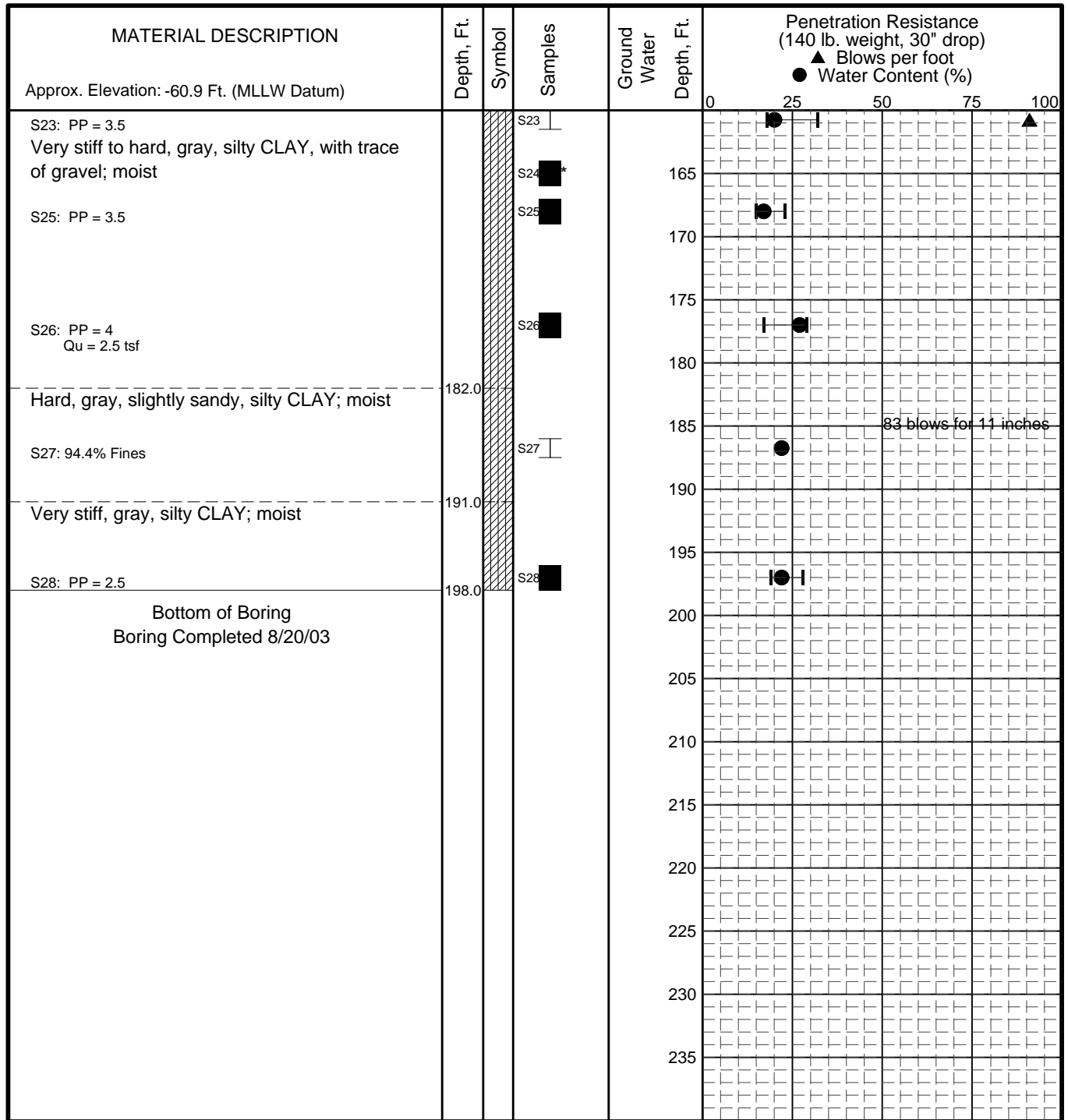
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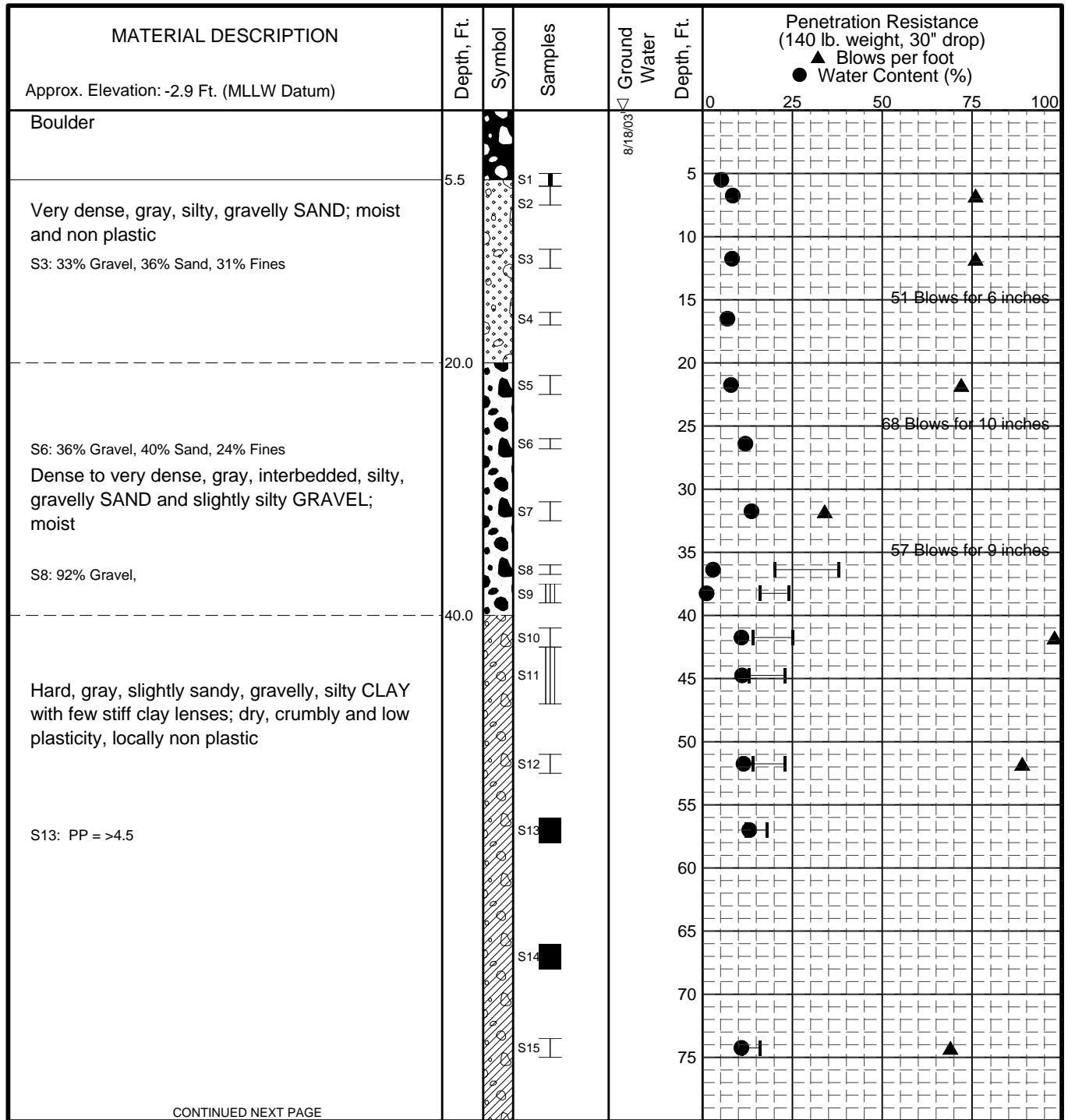
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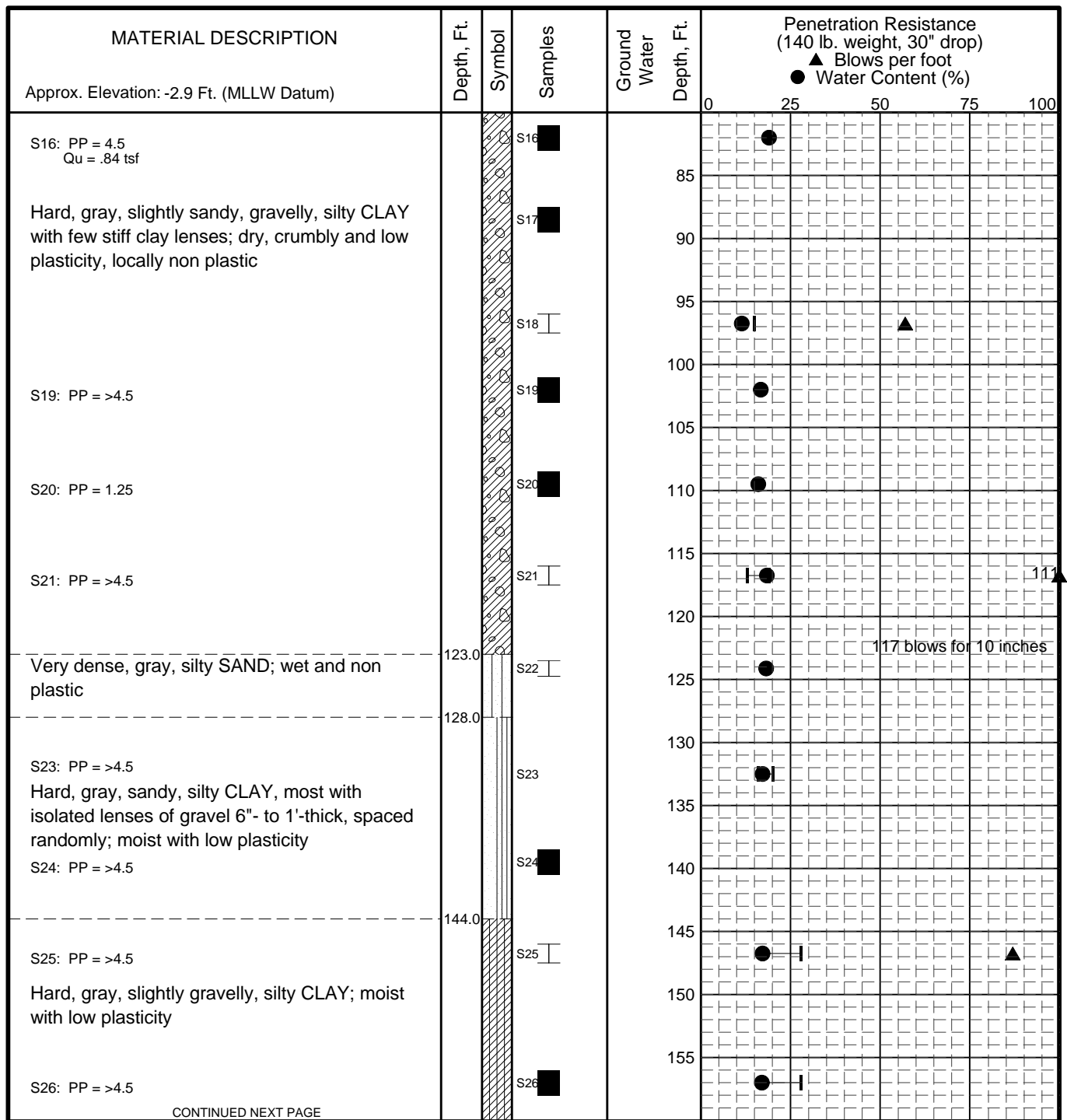
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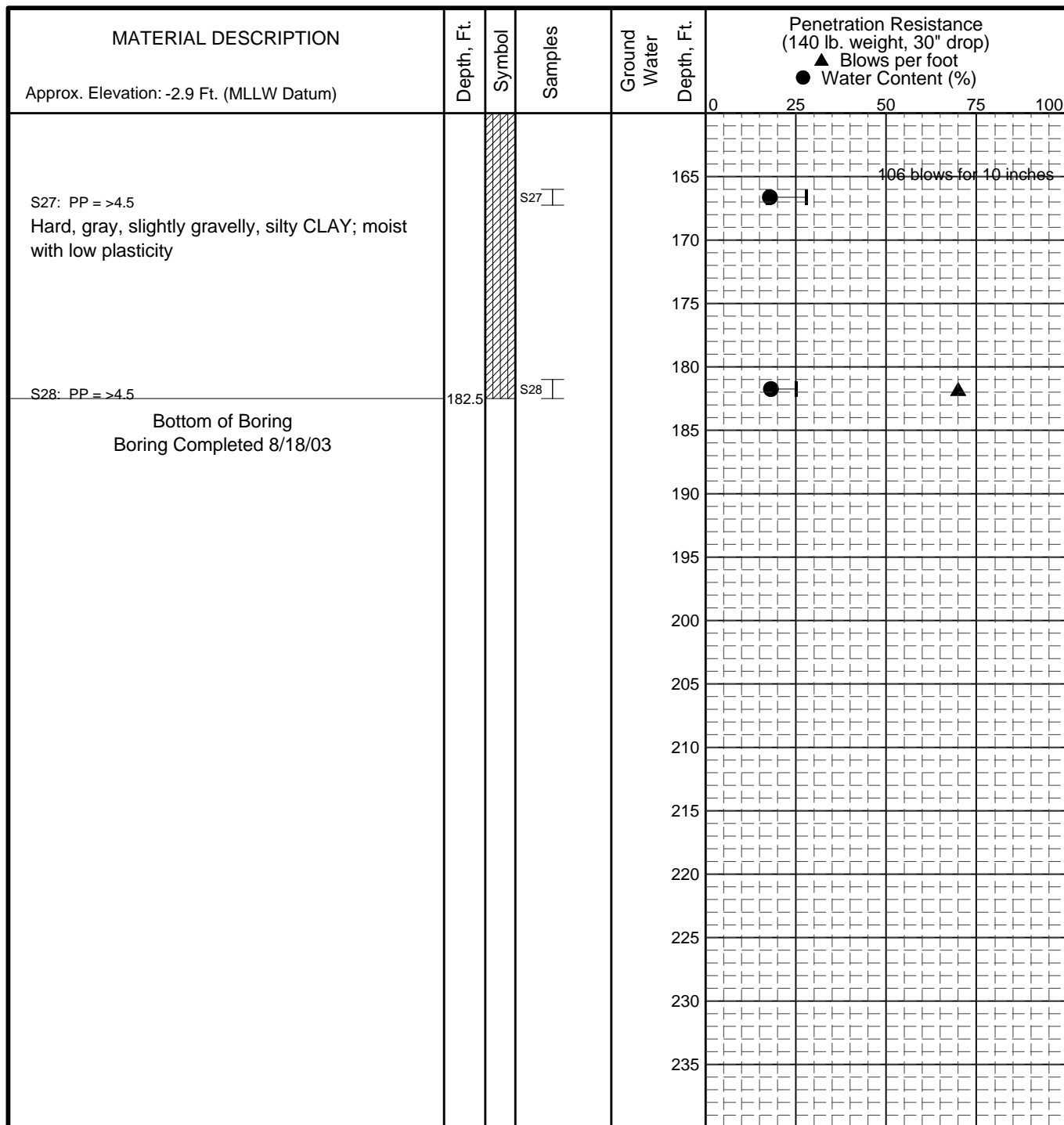
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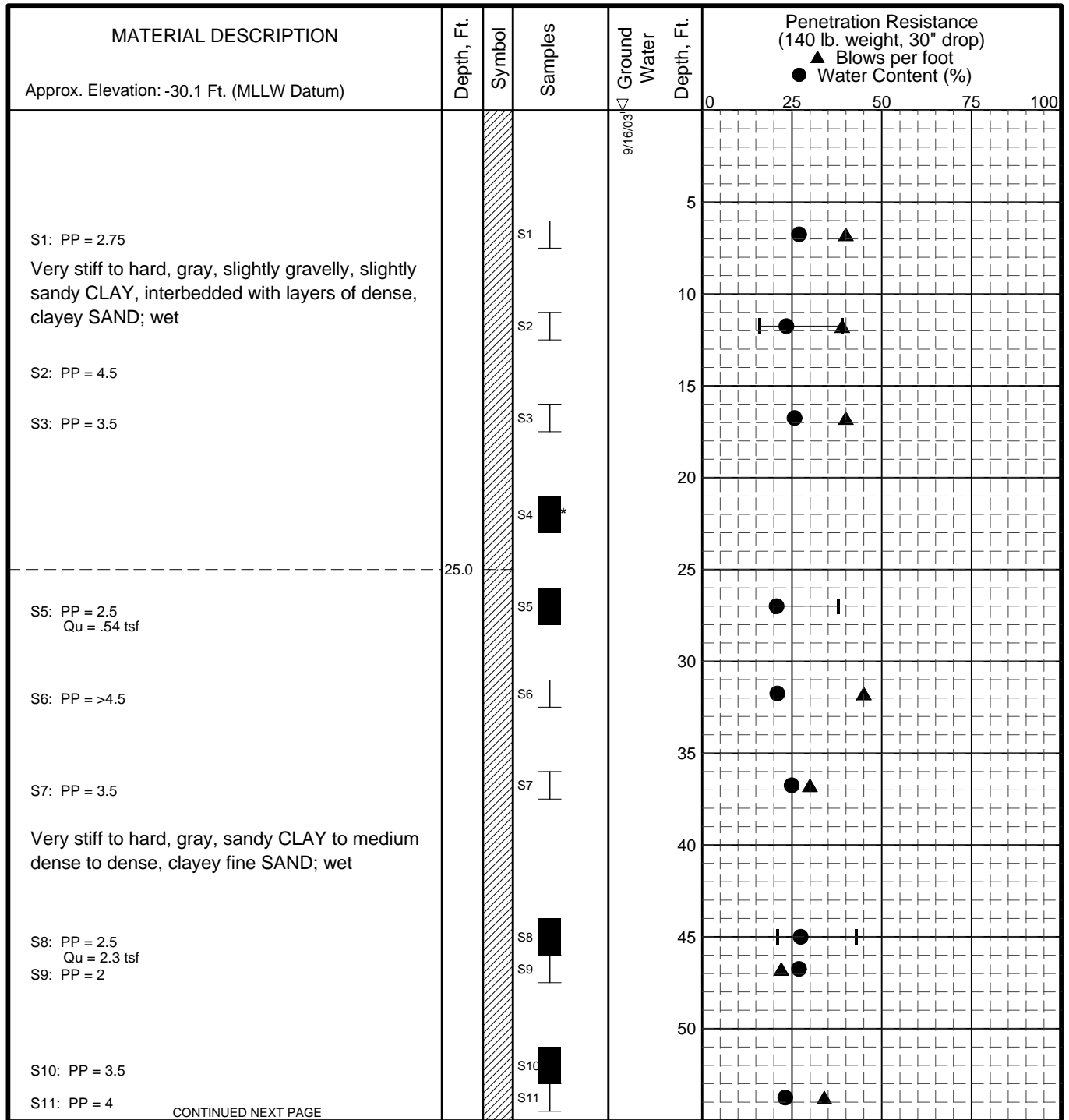
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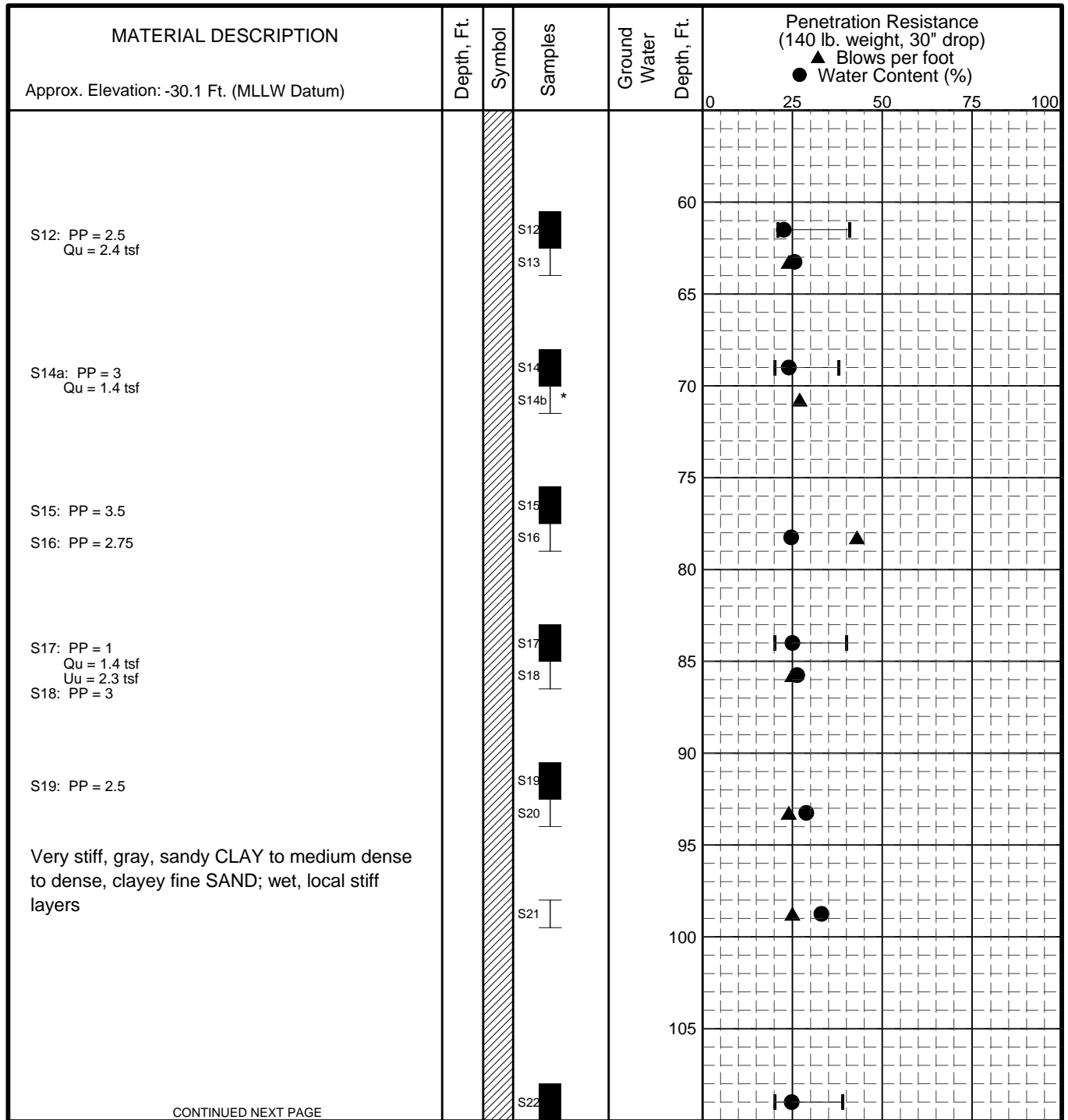
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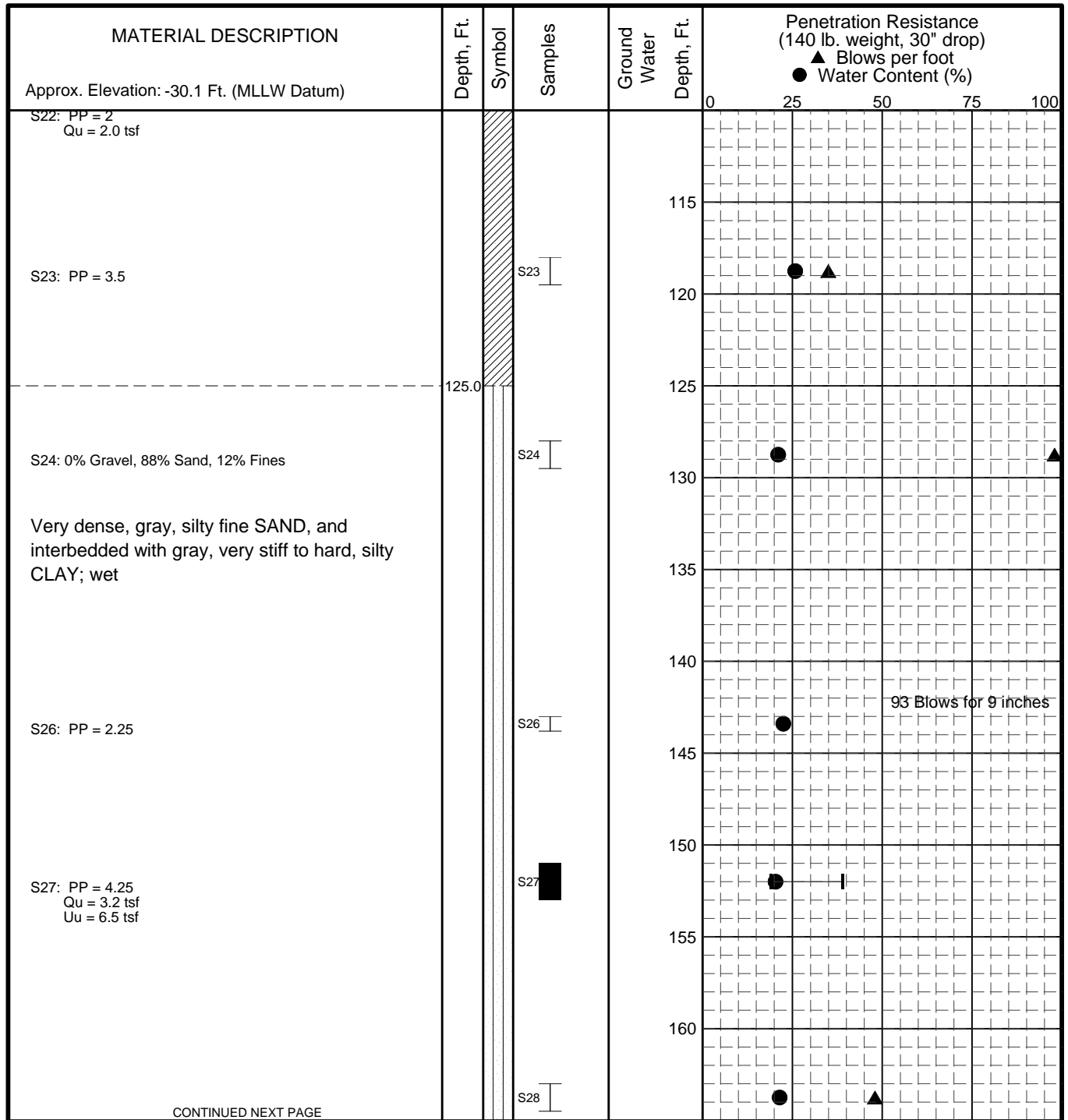
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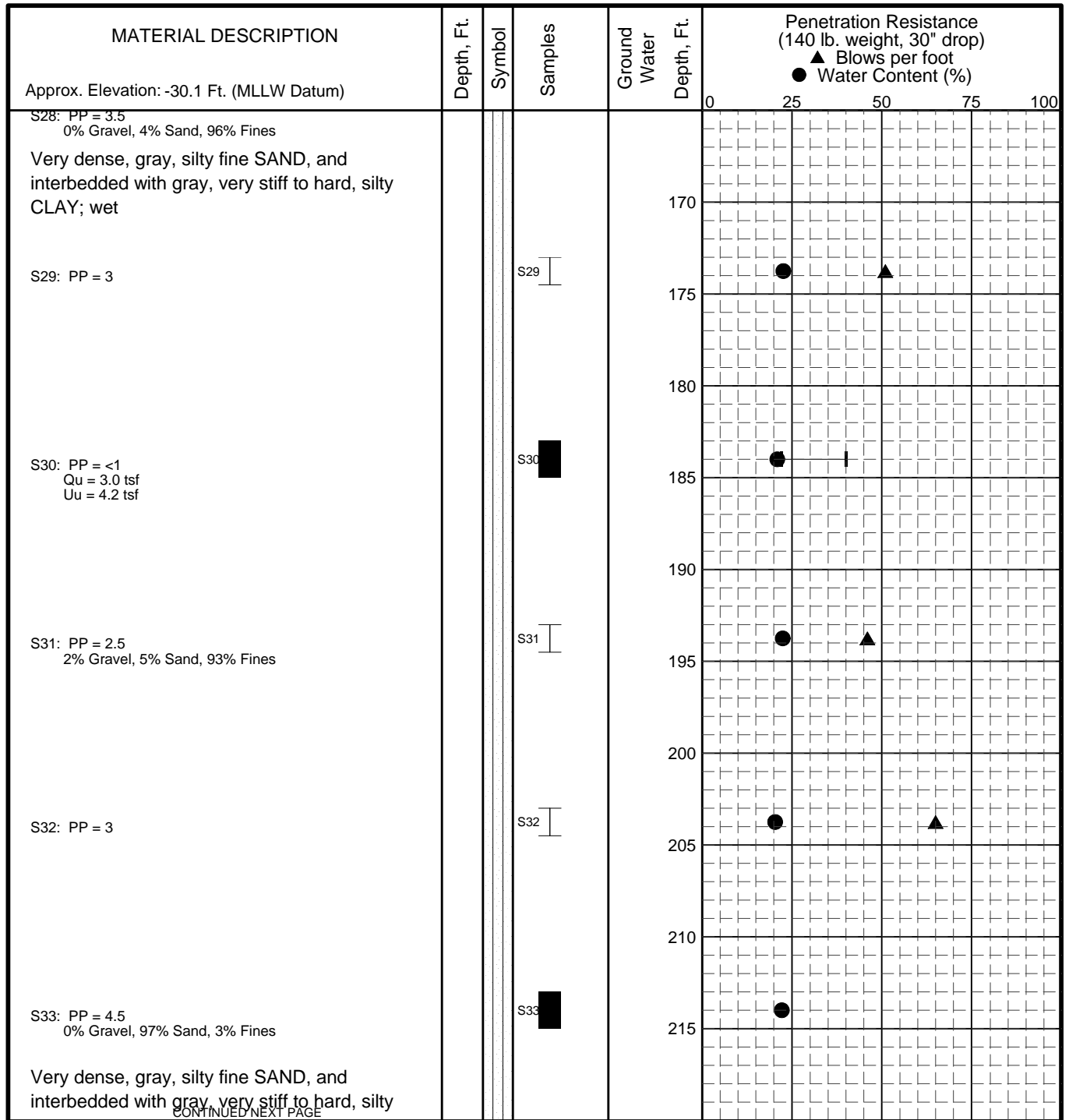
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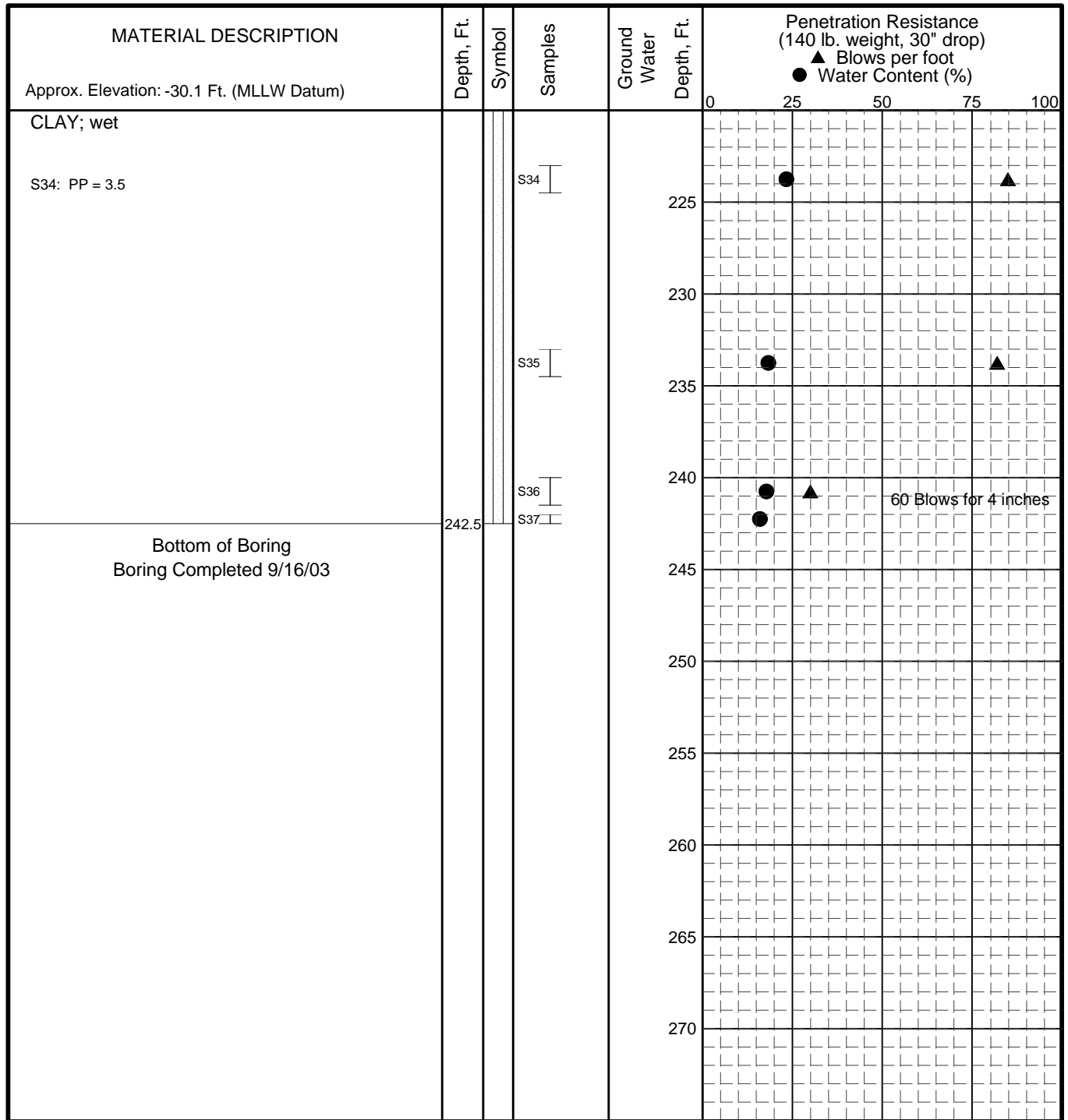
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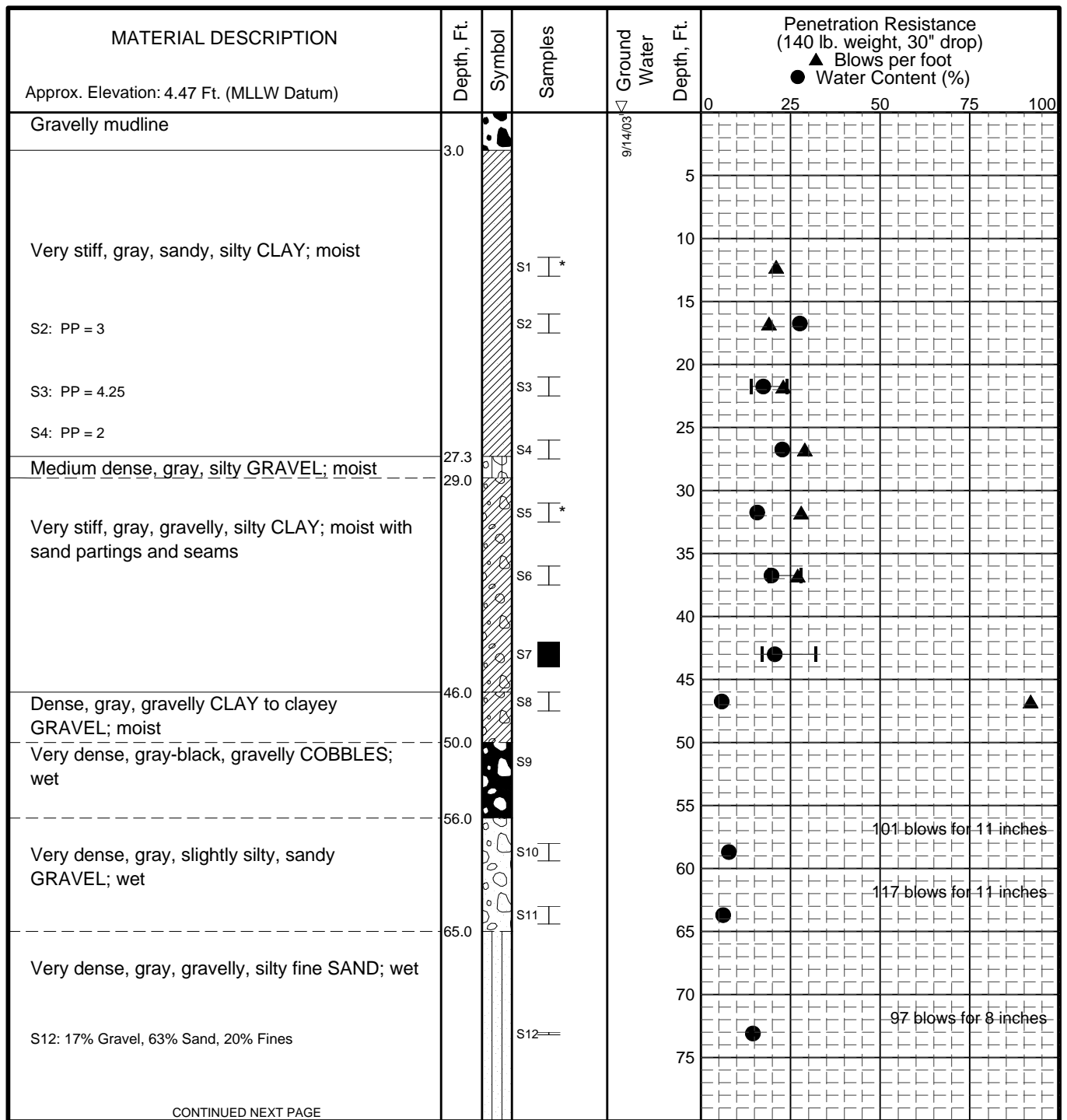
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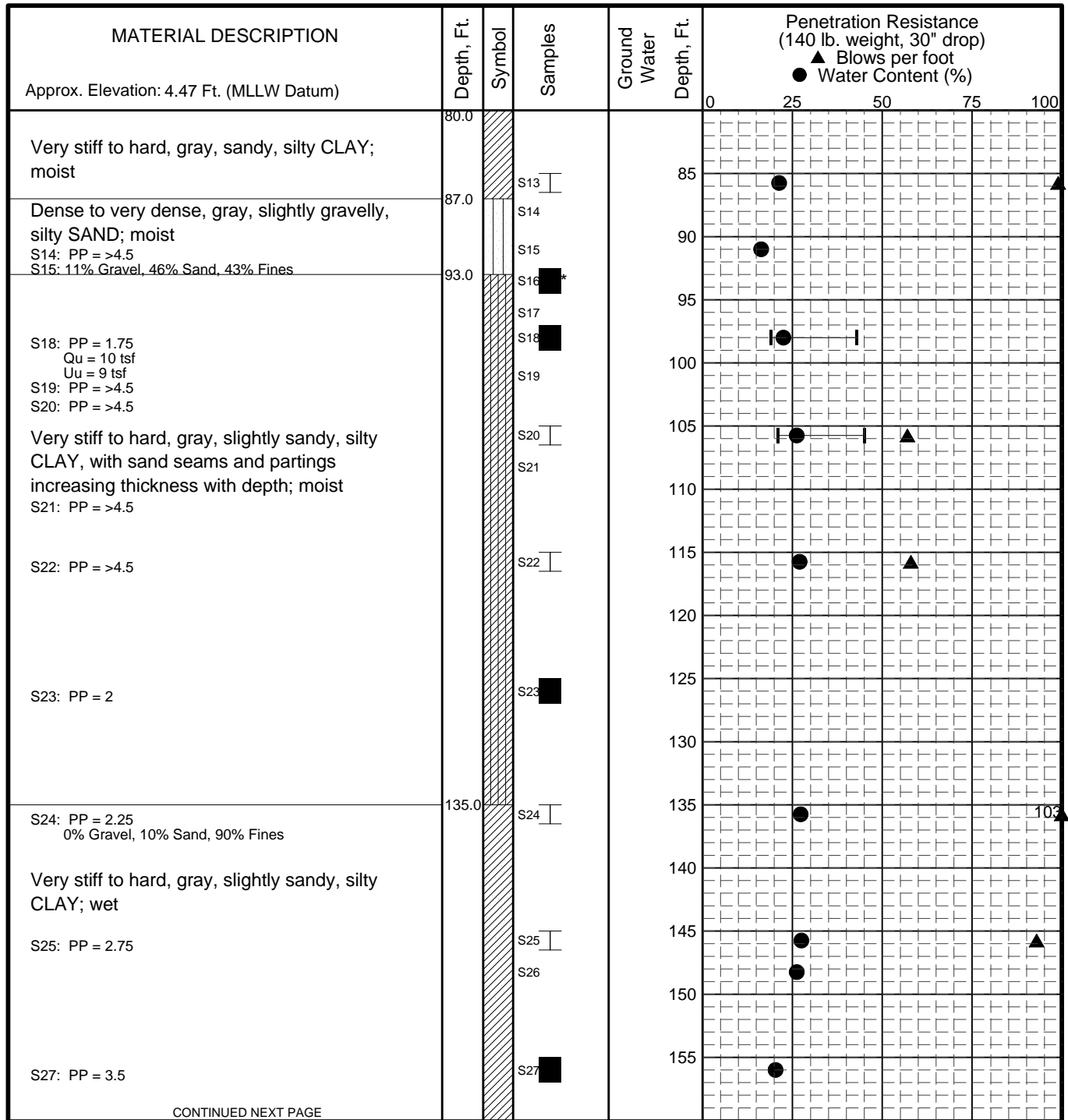
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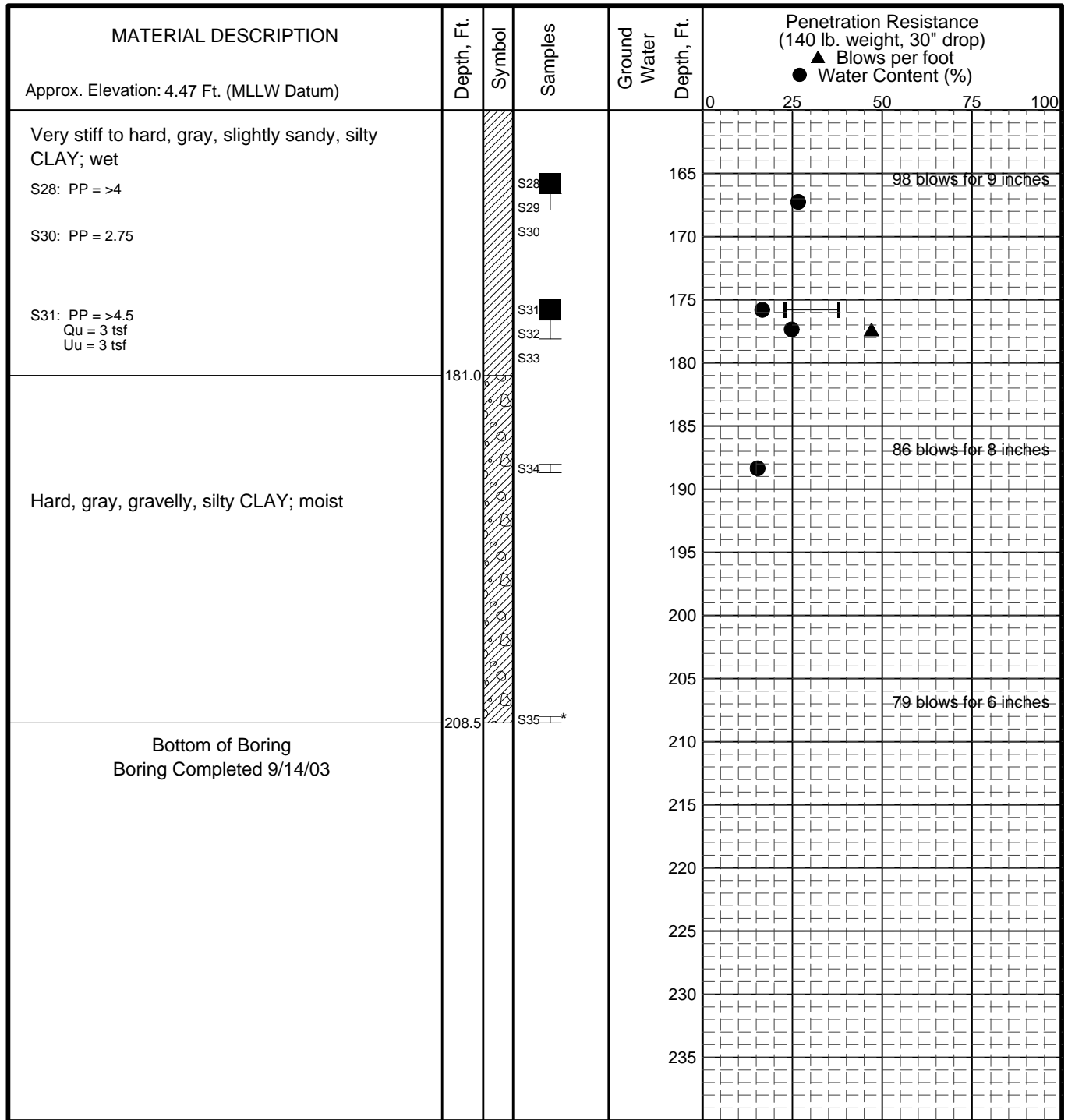
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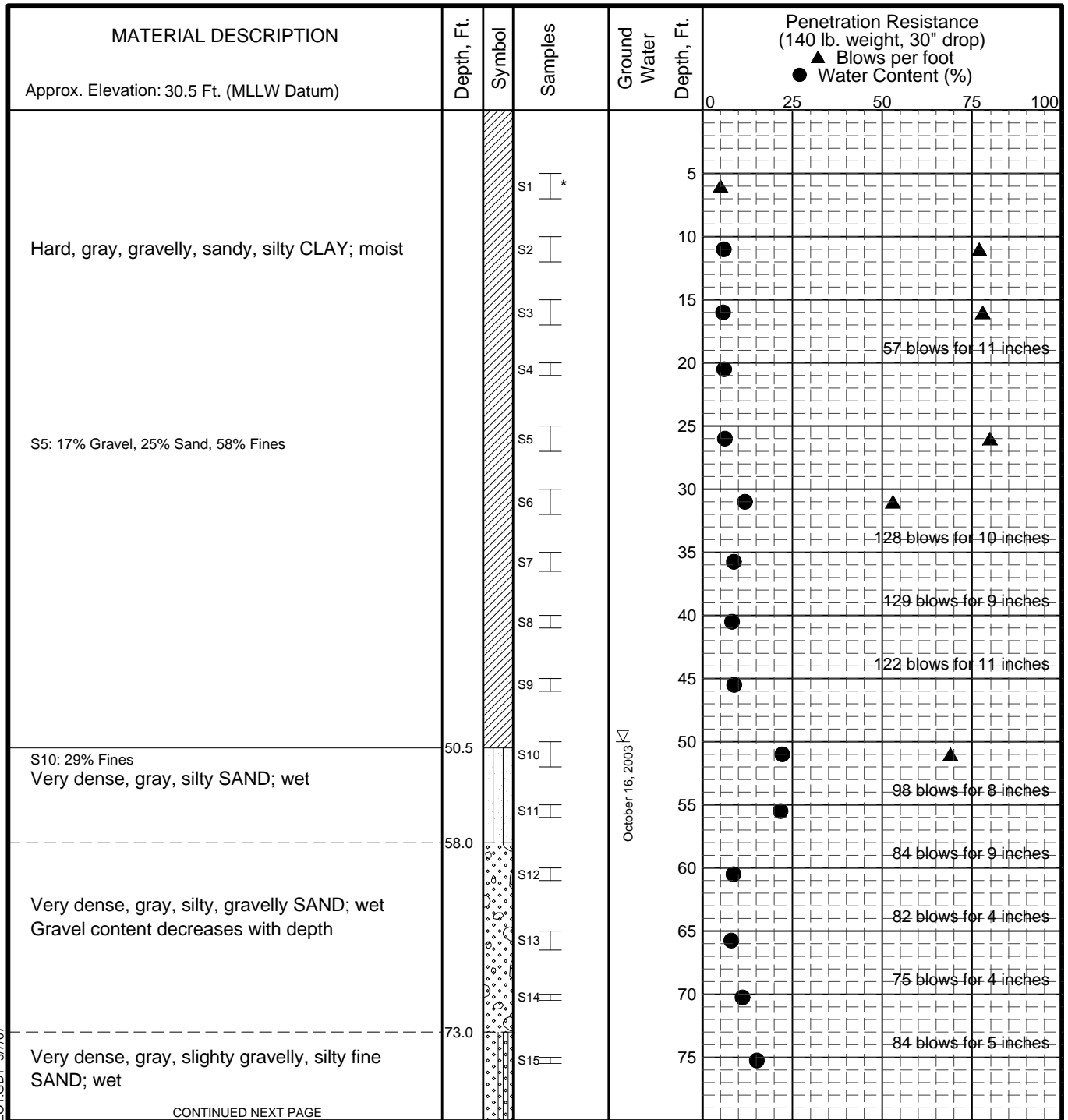
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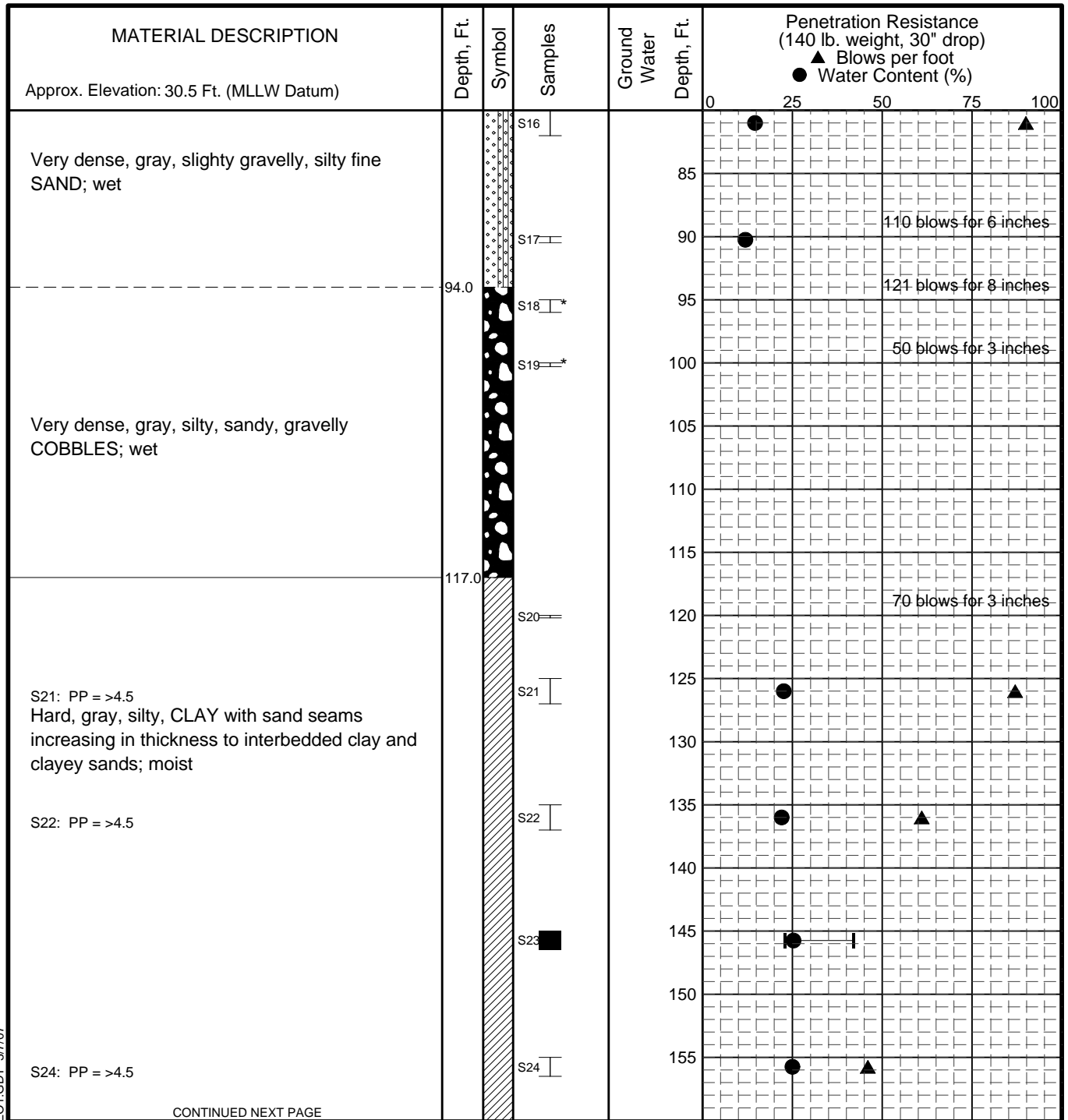
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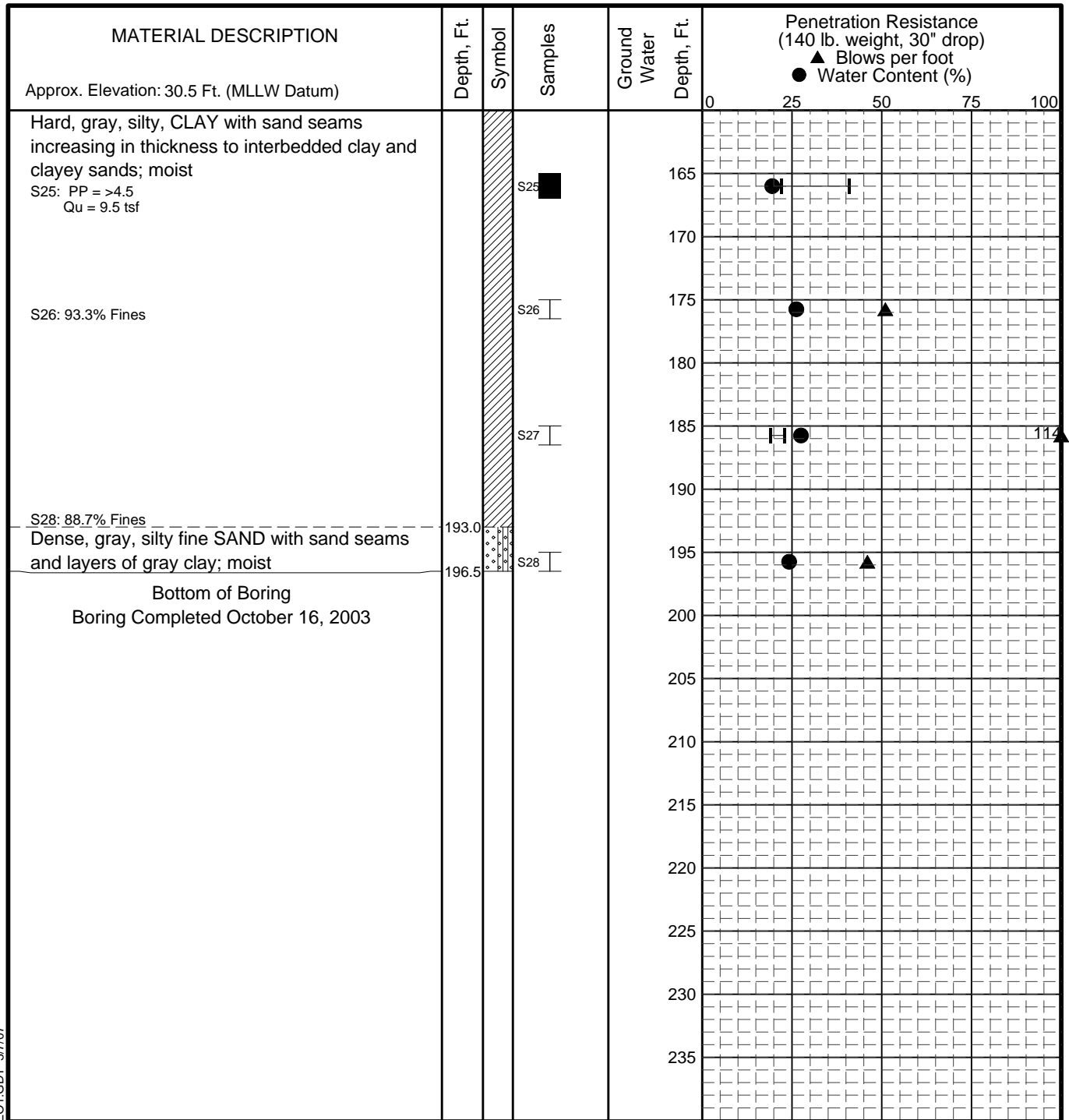
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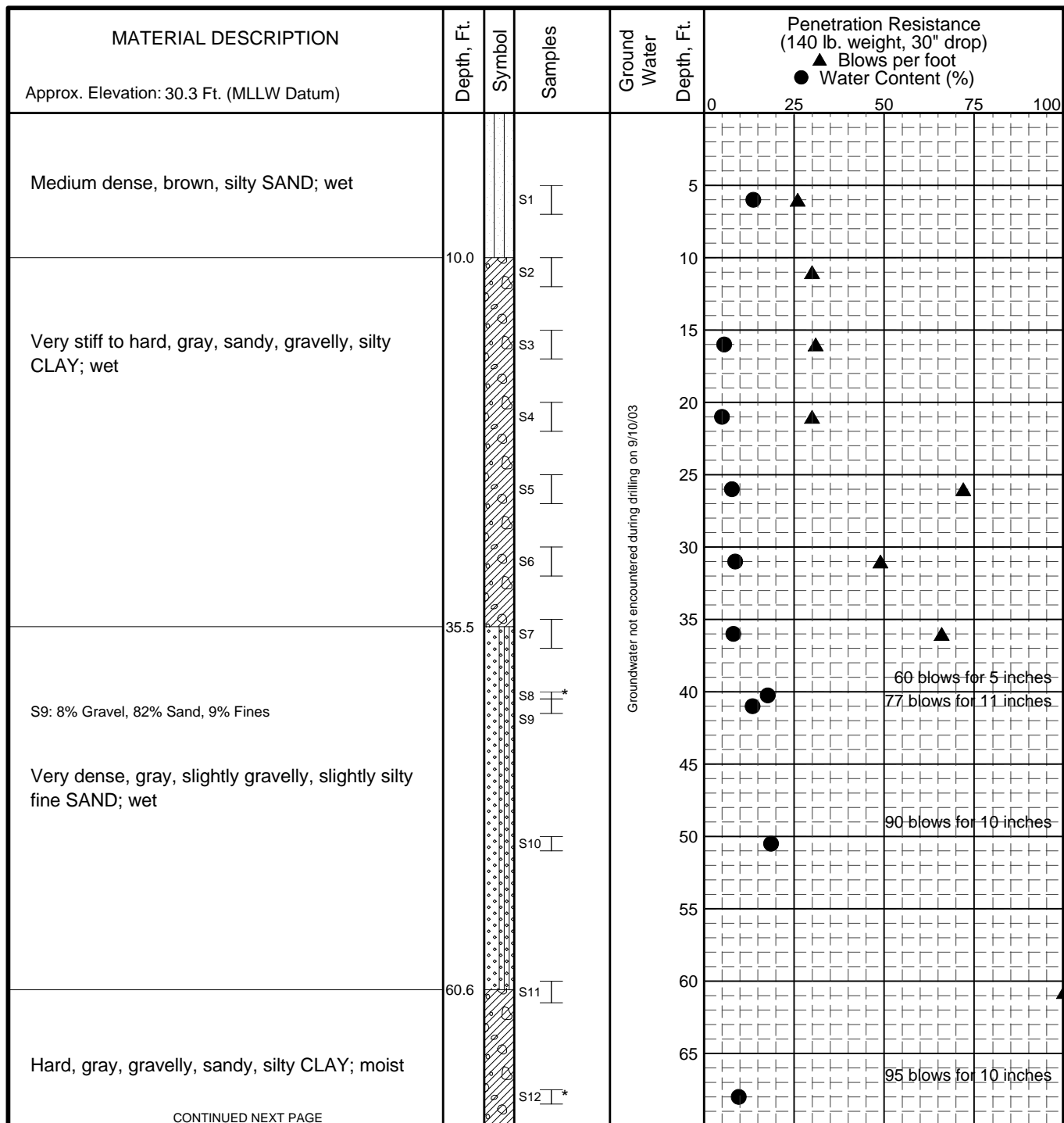
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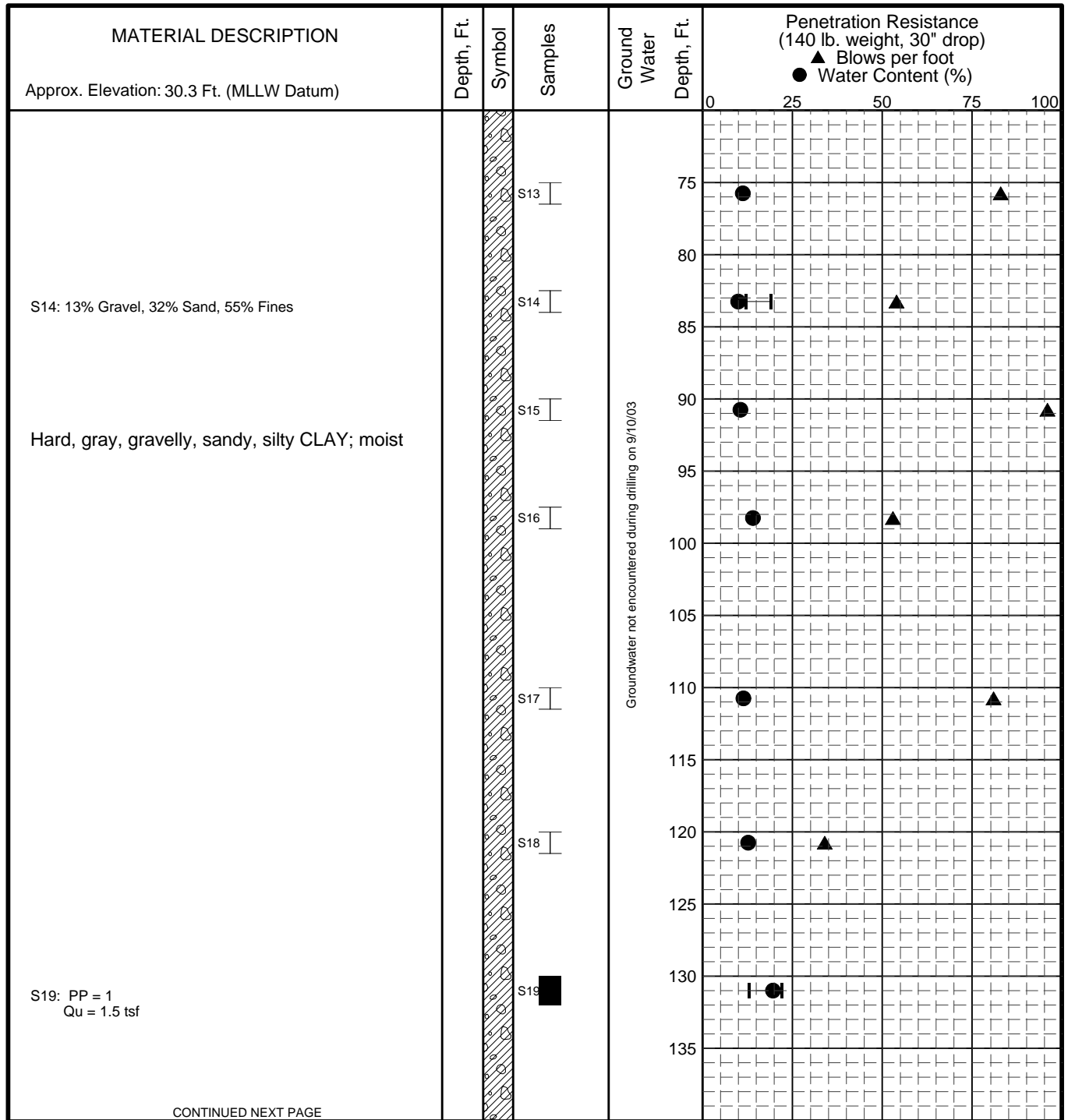
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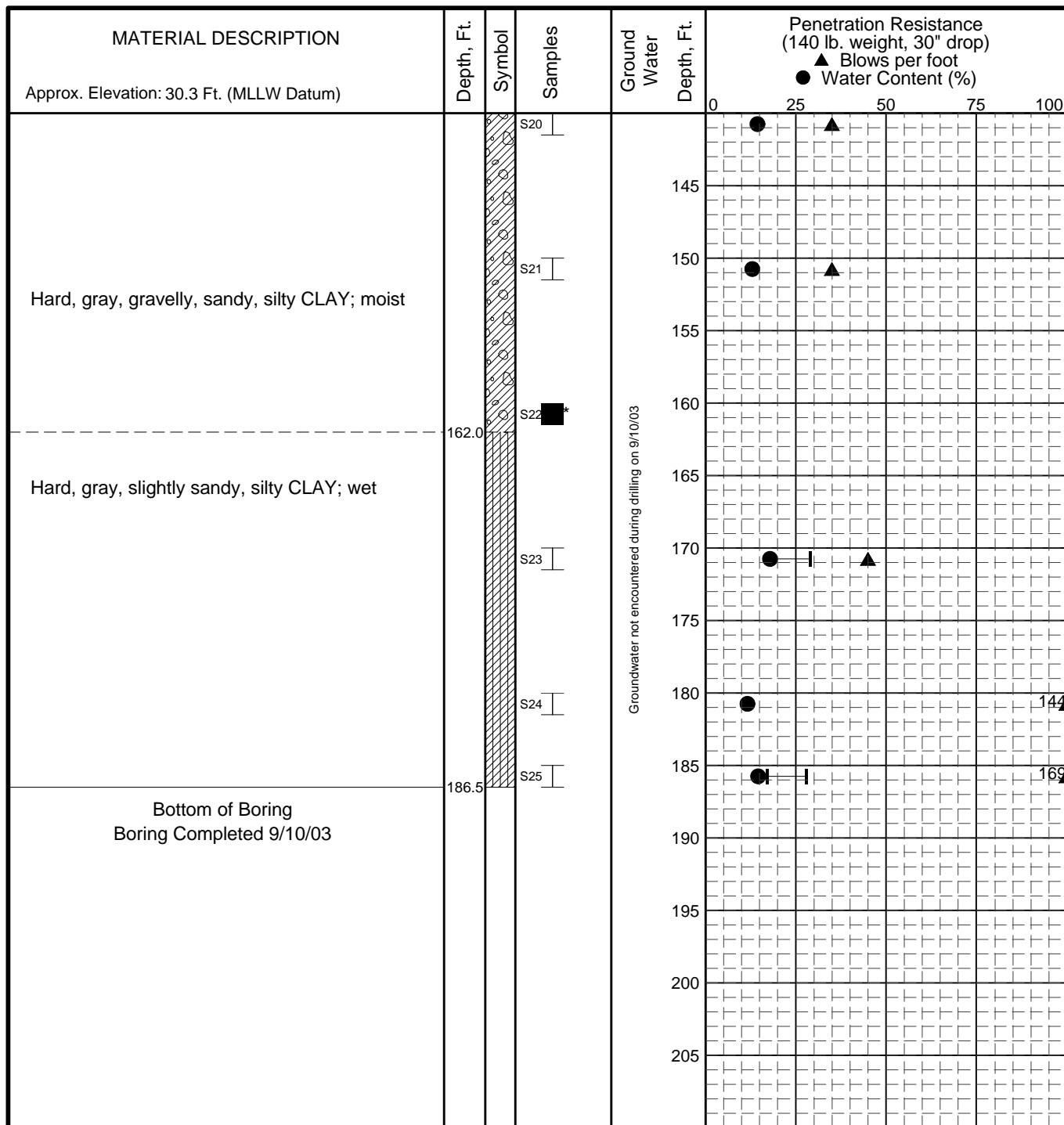
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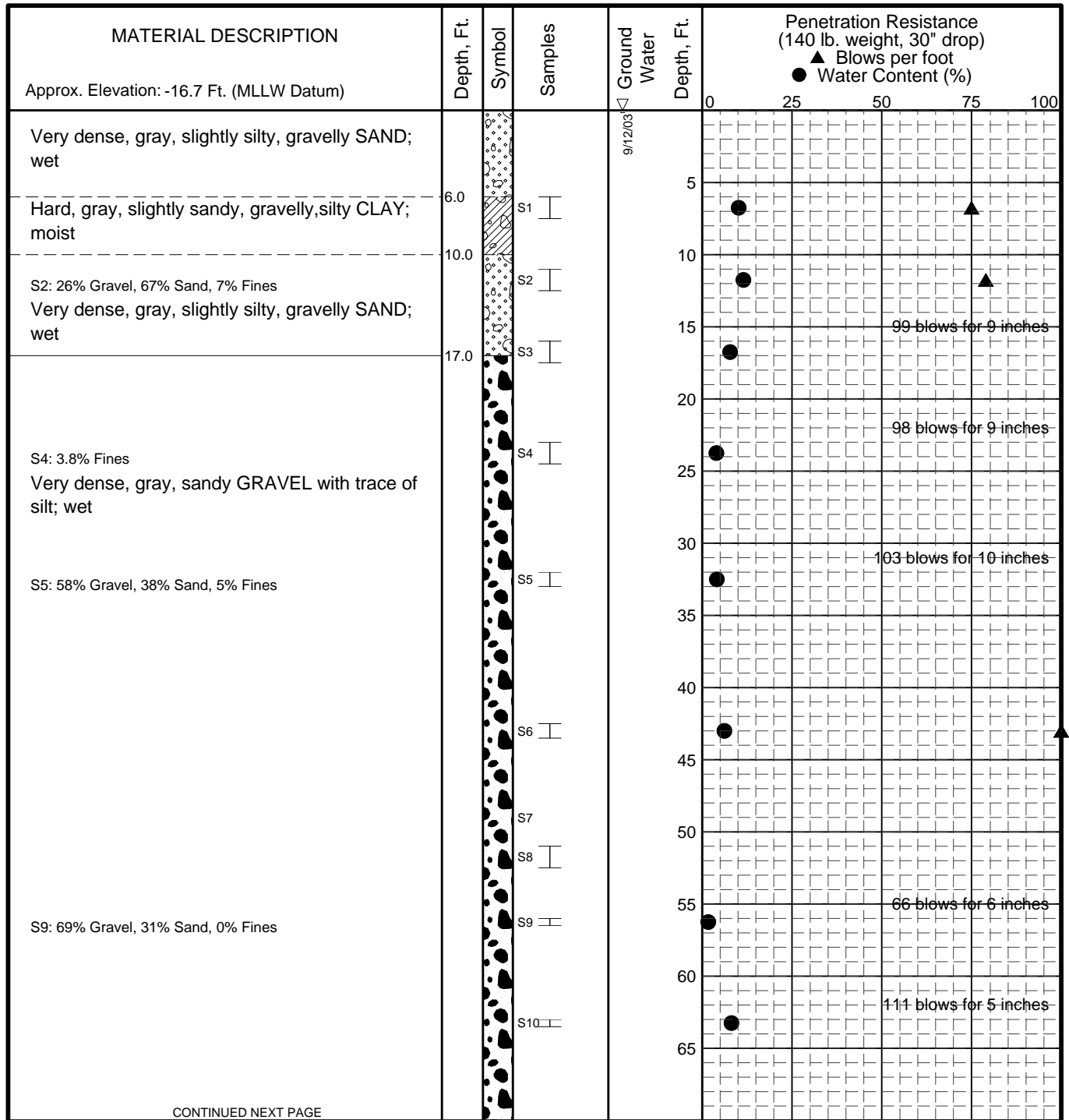
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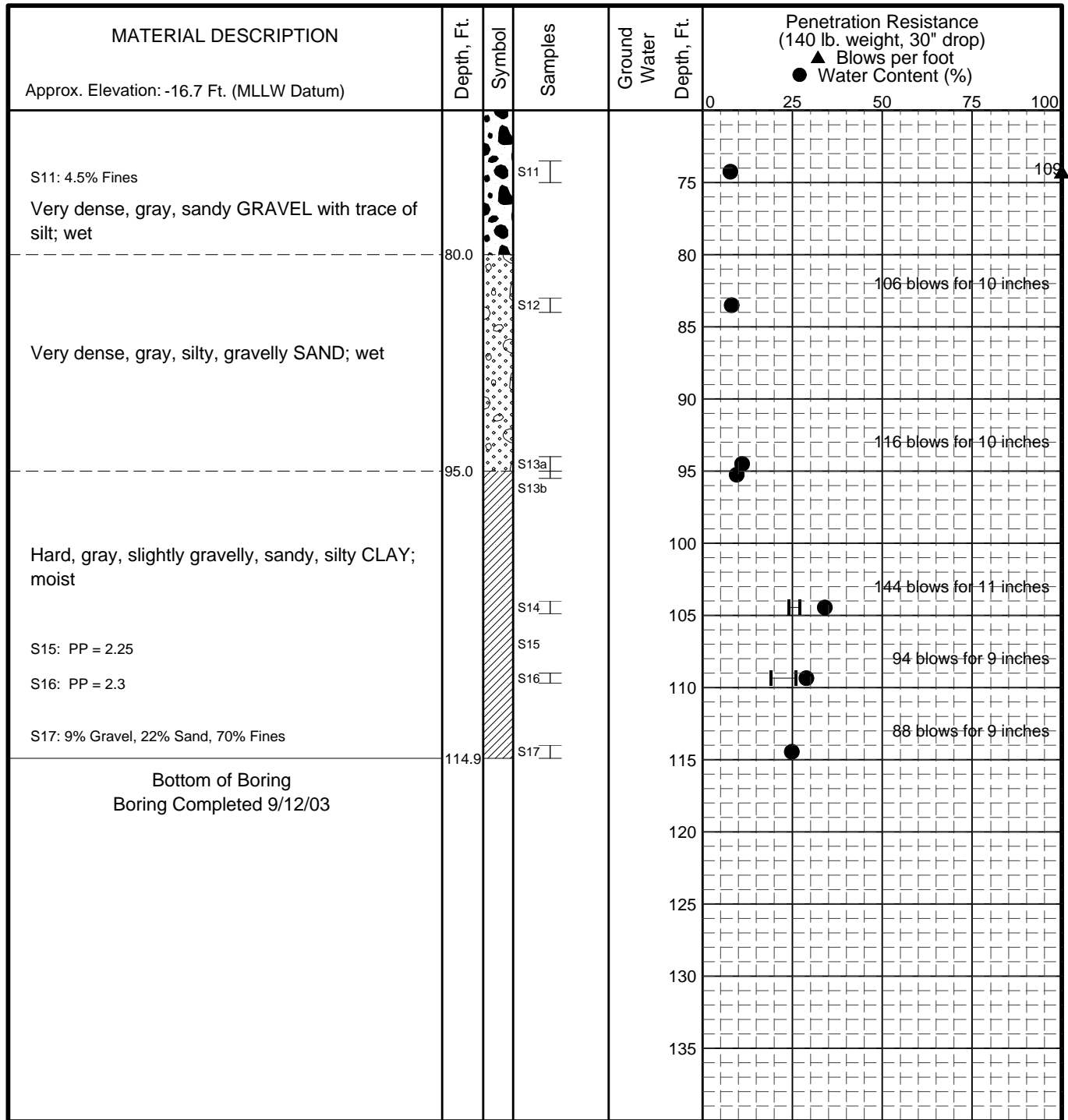
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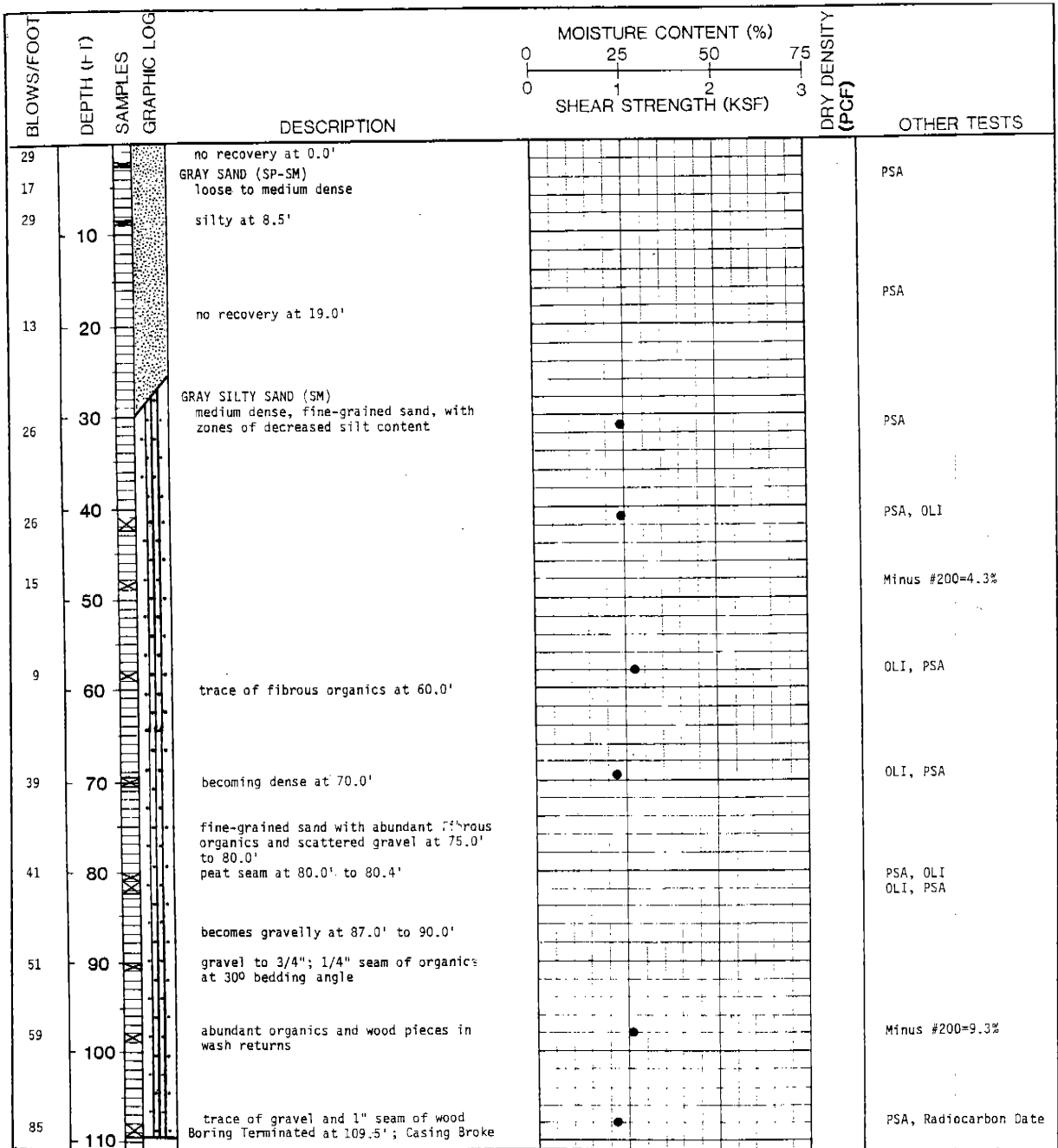
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DATE DRILLED 7/21/84 WATER DEPTH (MLLW) 56 FT.  
 EQUIPMENT Falling 750 Drill Rig BORING COORDINATES x=521 236 y=2 661 291

**SHEAR STRENGTH**      **MOISTURE CONTENT**  
 ▲ Torvane      △ Triaxial Test      ■ Lab Vane      Plastic Limit ——— Natural ——— Liquid Limit

NOTE: Blow counts marked with an asterisk were determined using a 300 lb hammer free falling 30 inches onto a 2.5 inch I.D. (3.0 inch O.D.) split spoon sampler. Unmarked blow counts were determined using standard penetration test methods.



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 Knik Arm Crossing  
 Anchorage, Alaska

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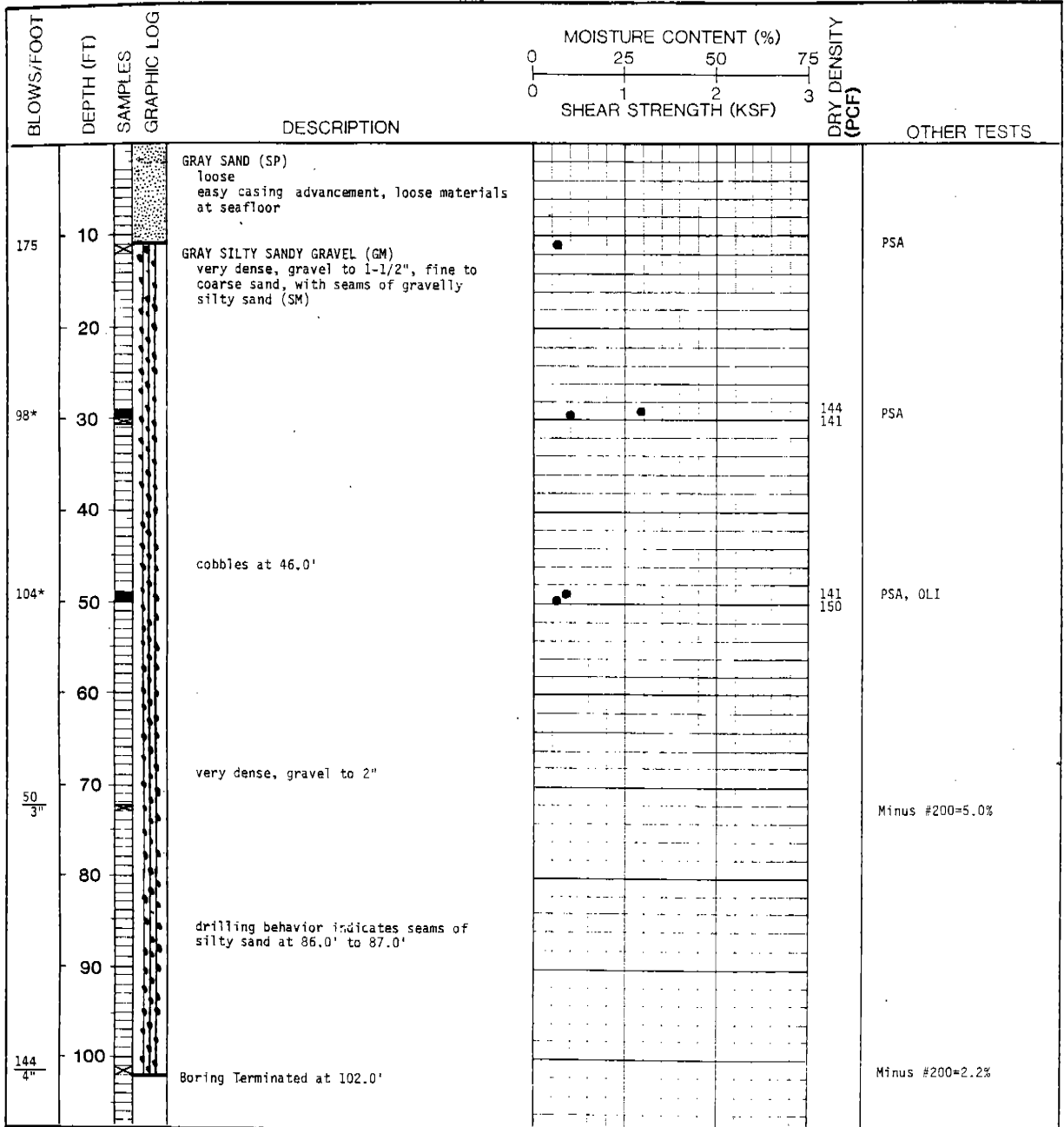
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Fig. G-10



DATE DRILLED 7/23/84-7/25/84 WATER DEPTH (MLLW) 46 FT.  
 EQUIPMENT Falling 750 Drill Rig BORING COORDINATES x=522 072 y=2 661 197

SHEAR STRENGTH: ▲ Torvane    △ Triaxial Test    ■ Lab Vane  
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 Anchorage, Alaska

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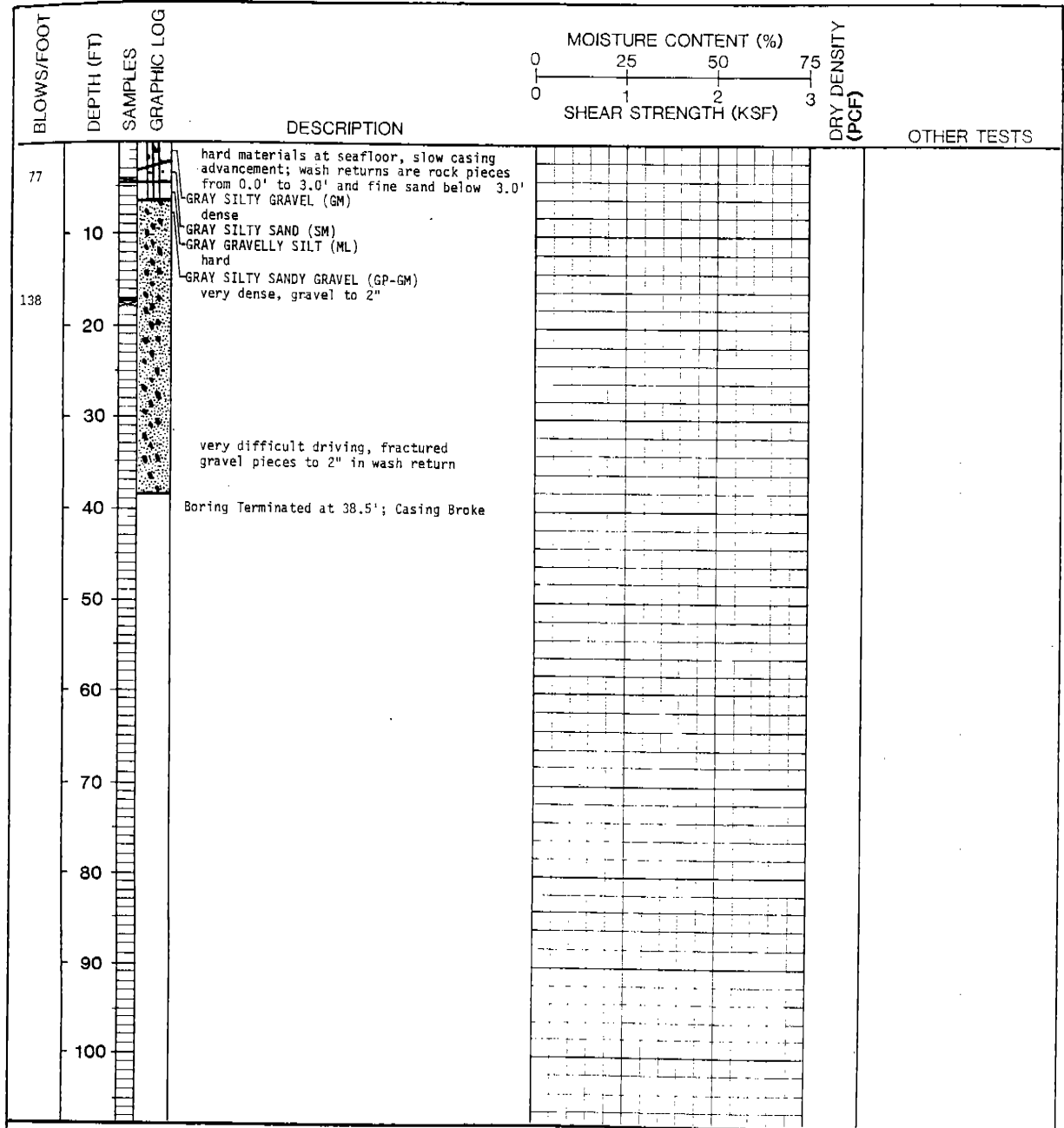
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 Knik Arm, Alaska

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**Fig. G-11**



DATE DRILLED 7/24/84-7/25/84 WATER DEPTH (MLLW) 36 FT.  
 EQUIPMENT Falling 750 Drill Rig BORING COORDINATES x=516 152 y=2 661 157

SHEAR STRENGTH: ▲ Torvane    △ Triaxial Test    ■ Lab Vane  
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**Log of Boring 6**  
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 Anchorage, Alaska

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**Fig. G-12**

**APPENDIX H**

**RESULTS OF DOWNHOLE SEISMIC VELOCITY SURVEY**

*Report prepared by Northland Geophysical*



August 15, 2005

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**SUBJECT: Results of Downhole Seismic Velocity Survey  
Knik Arm Crossing Boring B-1  
Point MacKenzie, Alaska**

Dear Mr. Burgess:

This report presents the results of a downhole seismic velocity survey conducted by Northland Geophysical, PLLC, for Shannon & Wilson, Inc., during the second week of July 2005. This survey was performed as part of a geotechnical investigation in the Point MacKenzie area for the proposed Knik Arm Crossing from Anchorage to the Matanuska-Susitna Borough. The purpose of the geophysical survey was to determine *in-situ* shear-wave velocities of the subsurface soils to a depth of approximately 150 feet below ground surface (bgs) in the west abutment area of the proposed bridge. The shear-wave velocity information will be used to help evaluate earthquake site response characteristics for this area.

The seismic results are presented graphically in Figures 2-5 and in tabular form in Tables 1 and 2. The measured downhole seismic travel times are tabulated in Appendix A, and the recorded seismic waveforms are documented in Appendix B.

## **FIELD PROCEDURES**

Test Boring B-1 was prepared for the downhole seismic testing by Discovery Drilling, Inc., of Anchorage using a track-mounted hollowstem-auger drilling rig. The borehole was advanced to a total depth of 150 feet bgs and then cased with Slope Indicator standard inclinometer casing. As the auger was withdrawn, the casing was grouted in place to ensure adequate seismic coupling with the surrounding soils.

The downhole velocity measurements were conducted following the procedures described in the reference paper entitled "Shear-Wave Velocities from Down-Hole Measurements" published in 1977 by H.E. Beeston and T.V. McEvilly in *Earthquake Engineering and Structural Dynamics* (Vol. 5, No. 2, pages 181-190). A diagram of the standard survey field configuration is provided in Figure 1 in both plan and profile views. The shear-wave energy source consists of a horizontal wood beam offset a distance of 8-10 feet from the borehole. Horizontal sledgehammer blows to steel-alloy end plates affixed to both ends of the beam create lateral shearing motion in

the soil that propagates in the earth as a horizontally-polarized shear wave. The front tires of the field vehicle are driven onto the wood beam to firmly couple the beam with the soil using the vehicle's weight.

Shear-wave logging was conducted in Boring B-1 using standard downhole seismic logging procedures. The seismic energy sources were located at the surface, and the seismic receivers were located down the borehole. Recordings of downhole travel times were made at 2.5-foot intervals from a depth of 1.2 feet bgs to 143.7 feet bgs. Due to the 3-foot length of the seismic transducer, as well as accumulated sand and silt in the bottom of the casing, measurements could not be made to the total depth of the inclinometer casing.

All seismic data were recorded on a Geometrics R24 StrataView 24-channel digital seismograph. During the course of the field survey, digital computer files of the waveforms were written to an internal hard drive in the seismograph. A digital sampling rate of 1/8 millisecond (0.125 ms) was used throughout the recording sequence. Paper seismograms were also recorded during the survey to monitor data quality. At the conclusion of the field survey, backup electronic copies of the downhole seismic data were created by writing the data to diskettes using the seismograph's floppy disk drive.

The downhole seismic wave arrivals were detected using a Model BHG-2 slimhole triaxial geophone transducer manufactured by Geostuff of Grass Valley, California. The transducer assembly houses one vertical and two horizontal 14-Hz velocity geophones in an X-Y-Z configuration. The transducer uses a motor-driven steel spring clamp to lock the sensors in position at each recording level in the borehole. For downhole surveys, shear-wave arrivals are recorded using the two horizontal geophones, whereas compression-wave arrivals are recorded using the vertical geophone.

For this survey, a guide rod was attached to the BHG-2 transducer that is designed to track in one of the internal vertical grooves in the Slope Inclinometer casing installed in the seismic borehole. By this mechanism, the orientation of the transducer is consistently maintained throughout the logging operation. Furthermore, when the shear-wave source at the ground surface is oriented so that it is parallel to the set of inclinometer grooves to which the BHG-2 guide rod is keyed, the longitudinal horizontal geophone in the triaxial geophone assembly remains parallel to the S-wave source throughout the downhole survey. This optimization of coupling between source and receiver has been found to be beneficial for maintaining a consistent S-waveform throughout the survey, thus ensuring that the recorded shear-wave signal is always the optimum.

The physical location of Boring B-1 was near the high-tide line on the beach along the western shoreline of Knik Arm. The two orthogonal sets of inclinometer grooves in the Slope Indicator casing were oriented so that one set was approximately

parallel to the beach, and the other set was perpendicular to the beach. So that the shear-wave beam would be level, the beam was aligned with the set of casing grooves parallel to the beach. Due to a high steep embankment just a few feet west of the casing, the beam had to be located on the east side of the borehole between the casing and Cook Inlet. The front wheels of the support truck were driven onto the S-wave beam as diagrammed in Figure 1, with the back wheels toward the Inlet. Shannon & Wilson purposely selected a time of moderate tides in mid-July for the downhole survey, so that we were able to proceed with data acquisition through the midday high-tide cycle with no impact on our survey configuration or access to the borehole.

When the cap on the Slope Indicator casing was first removed, the casing was found to be water-filled nearly to the top. Using a hand bailer, we lowered the water level in the casing to a depth of about 50' bgs to eliminate the possibility of generating so-called "tube waves" in the borehole that can closely resemble soil shear waves in both velocity and frequency content. We found that the hand bailer did not work well below a depth of 50' due to high sand/silt content in the water standing in the casing, but removing the casing water to a depth of 50' was sufficient for our purposes.

When we first lowered the BHG-2 seismic transducer in the borehole, we had trouble achieving total depth in the casing because of a deposit of sandy silty "sludge" in the bottom 25-30' of the boring. A leadweight "dummy" was lowered and raised several times to try to break this deposit loose. Then by attaching a custom-built weighted point to the seismic transducer and making several down-and-up runs, we were finally able to nearly achieve total depth in the hole with the BHG-2. We were not able to orient the transducer in the deepest 25' of the borehole because of sand/silt in the casing grooves; consequently, we were resigned to having to work with un-oriented data for the lower portion of the borehole. After a partial logging run with the weighted point attached to the BHG-2, we were finally able to run to total depth with the transducer locked into the casing grooves. Thus, we were ultimately able to achieve oriented shear-wave data from the bottom of the casing to the top.

The shear-wave survey was initiated by first recording S-wave arrivals at broad 25-foot increments over the length of the borehole. This test was conducted in order to determine the characteristic shear waveform at the site and to examine the full wavetrain for possible sources of interference. Following this test run, the seismic transducer was carefully lowered to the bottom of the casing (with the guide rod keyed to the selected inclinometer groove) and the steel spring clamp was expanded to the locked position. By sliding the entire assembly along the inside casing wall with the spring clamp remaining in the locked position, the transducer was subsequently raised up the borehole in 2.5-foot increments to each successive recording position.

At each measurement level, the shear-wave survey was conducted by sequentially recording sledgehammer impacts to opposite ends of the shear-wave beam on



alternate seismograph channels in order to observe S-wave arrivals of both "positive" and "negative" polarity on the longitudinal horizontal geophone. Triggering of the seismograph at the time of hammer impact was accomplished by attaching a Geometrics impact switch to the sledgehammer.

The "positive" and "negative" shear-wave signals at a given recording level are, ideally, mirror images of one another. When the signals are superimposed and viewed as a pair, the time of polarity reversal greatly assists in identification of the arrival of the shear-wave energy. The technique of reversing the polarity of the shear-wave signal is especially important for positive identification of S-wave arrivals at shallower depths in the borehole where latter portions of the wavetrain from higher-velocity compression-wave (P-wave) energy commonly interfere with the shear-wave arrivals. The technique is also useful for differentiating shear-wave arrivals from other types of secondary vibrations that can appear at any depth in the borehole. For each polarity at each 2.5-foot recording level, three to twelve sledgehammer blows were "stacked" using the signal enhancement capability of the seismograph to improve the signal-to-noise ratio of the recorded waveforms.

Following completion of the shear-wave survey, a downhole P-wave survey was also conducted in Boring B-1. The P-wave energy source consisted of vertical sledgehammer impacts to an aluminum striker plate placed on the ground surface at a distance of 8.25 feet from the borehole. Using the vertical geophone of the BHG-2 triaxial geophone assembly, the compression waveforms were recorded at the same 2.5-foot measurement intervals as the S-wave recordings. While P-wave velocity information is not directly utilized for earthquake site response modeling, the compression-wave travel-time curve is often useful for interpretation of the seismic stratigraphy of the site. In addition, P-wave velocity information can be combined with the S-wave velocity determinations to evaluate other elastic parameters of the subsurface materials such as Poisson's ratio.

## **DATA PROCESSING AND INTERPRETATION**

Preliminary estimates of average downhole seismic velocities were made in the field as the data were acquired in order to be certain that the seismic results were reasonable and consistent. Preliminary processing of the downhole seismic data was conducted in Anchorage by transferring the Geometrics digital data files to a laptop computer for visual examination of the traces. This step was undertaken to be certain that the data set was complete before demobilizing the downhole seismic equipment from the Anchorage area.

Detailed data processing was carried out at my home office in Snohomish County, Washington. Using the digital filtering capabilities of the Geometrics R24 seismograph, the shear-wave data were filtered with a 100-Hz low-pass filter to enhance the downhole S-wave signal (usually centered around 50-60 Hz) and to

remove higher frequency P-wave interference from the wavetrain. On relatively uniform ground, the "positive" and "negative" S-wave signals from opposite ends of the shear-wave beam are nearly mirror images of one another. However, on the sloping beach deposits at this site, the signals from the south end of the beam were more uniform than those from the north end. The reversal in polarity between the north and the south end signals were used to confirm the shear-wave arrival, but timing of the shear-wave arrivals and the subsequent velocity analysis were focused on the signals generated at the south end of the beam.

The onset ("first break") of a shear-wave pulse may be reasonably clear at the shallowest recording depths, but it rapidly becomes vague and indistinct ("emergent") as depth increases. Therefore, a later portion of the shear waveform consistent throughout the vertical stack of traces (the first major peak/trough of the shear wave) was timed to determine *relative* arrival times. These relative arrival times were then adjusted back to the approximate time of the "first break" by subtracting an average phase difference estimated by examination of the recorded traces in the uppermost 10-30 feet of the borehole. An adjustment was also made for the phase shift (time delay) that is inherent in the 100-Hz low-pass display filter in the R24 seismograph.

The adjusted shear-wave arrival times were corrected for the offset of the S-wave beam from the borehole by converting slant-path travel times to vertical travel times by multiplying by the cosine of the angle formed by the slant path and the well bore. A vertical travel-time curve was then constructed from these corrected times (Figure 2). By close examination of this vertical travel-time curve, linear segments were selected that were interpreted to represent the major units in the seismic stratigraphy. Least-squares fits were applied to these linear segments to derive the average shear-wave velocities indicated to the right of the travel-time curve on Figure 2. These same average velocity segments were used to construct the "best fit" shear-wave velocity profile in Figure 3. The segments of the interpreted shear-wave velocity model are also tabulated in Table 1.

In addition to the broader average velocity segments, interval velocities were also computed over 2.5-, 5-, 7.5-, and 10-foot intervals throughout the length of the borehole. It is generally not possible to accurately measure shear-wave velocity over very short intervals due to the broad (non-impulsive) nature of the shear waveform as well as imperfections in generation, transmission, and measurement of the shear-wave pulse. Also, interval velocities computed over short intervals are more adversely affected by imperfections in geometry of the borehole construction than are the broader average velocity determinations. Nevertheless, interval velocity plots can provide insight regarding minor variations in seismic stratigraphy as well as the interpretation of major transitions between sedimentary units.

In addition to the "best fit" average velocity profile (solid bold line) in Figure 3, a profile of "differential" velocity is provided (dashed line). The differential velocity is a

smoothed version of 5-foot interval velocities derived by averaging 5-foot interval velocities over a 2.5-foot "smoothing" window. While the differential plot tends to smooth across stratigraphic boundaries because of the 5-foot length of the measurement interval, it nevertheless provides an indication of the variation in seismic velocity within the broader average-velocity segments. The smoothing function of the differential computation results in a profile that is graphically representative of variations in stiffness of the subsurface materials, providing somewhat more detail regarding variations in the seismic stratigraphy than the broader average-velocity computations.

Processing of the P-wave data followed processing steps similar to those of the S-wave data. On the Geometrics R24 seismograph, these data were filtered with a 400-Hz low-pass display filter to remove high-frequency noise. Using a cursor on the seismograph screen, both the "first breaks" (first arrivals) and the first peaks of the P-waveforms were then timed and recorded. These data were corrected for the phase shift in the R24 filter, and the first-peak data were also corrected for the time delay between the first break and the first peak. As with the S-wave data, the P-wave data were then corrected to the vertical by multiplying by the cosine of the angle formed by the slant path and the well bore. A vertical P-wave travel-time curve was constructed (Figure 4), and least-square fits were applied to major segments of the travel-time curve to derive the average P-wave velocity profile (Figure 5). As with the shear-wave data, detailed interval velocities were computed over 2.5-, 5-, 7.5-, and 10-foot intervals to assist with interpretation of the seismic stratigraphy and selection of average interval-velocity segments. Due to greater scatter in the P-wave interval velocities than with the S-wave interval velocities, a "differential" plot is not presented for the P-wave.

## **DOWNHOLE SURVEY RESULTS**

Figures 2 and 4 are vertical travel-time plots for the shear wave and the compression wave, respectively, and Figures 3 and 5 are the corresponding average velocity profiles derived from the travel-time data. Tables 1 and 2 present a summary of the "best fit" average velocities determined for the S wave and the P wave, respectively.

There is a higher degree of variation in the shear-wave velocities in Boring B-1 than is normally observed in S-wave profiles, particularly in fine-grained sediments. More typically, the shear-wave travel-time plot exhibits a relatively steady increase in slope (velocity) with depth. When examining the S-wave travel-time curve in Figure 2, it is seen that while there is an overall increase in slope (velocity) with depth, there are a number of alternating increases and decreases in gradient on the curve. This results in the relatively high degree of variation in the average velocity profile in Figure 3. This high degree of variation is also seen in the "differential" velocity profile derived from computation of 5-foot interval velocities. There is some scatter

in the S-wave data through a few intervals, but because the data were optimized using the Slope Indicator inclinometer casing, I believe that for the most part the shear-wave variations are truly representative of variations in the seismic stratigraphy and not just a result of "noise" in the data. Returning to the travel-time plot in Figure 2, the major "breaks" (velocity increases) exhibited by the overall plot occur at depths of 23-29' bgs and 54' bgs.

In contrast, the P-wave travel-time plot in Figure 5 is relatively smooth, particularly when considering that the vertical travel times are much smaller than those for the shear wave. There is a major offset in the travel-time plot at a depth below 26' bgs that may be related to a change in the borehole annulus at that depth. The unsaturated material above a depth of 20' exhibits an average velocity of 2130 ft/sec, whereas from 26' to 44' bgs there is a velocity segment with a surprisingly high P-wave velocity of 8215 ft/sec. (The two data points at depths of 21.2' and 23.7' appeared to be anomalously delayed and were not used in the velocity computations.) A P-wave velocity greater than 8000 ft/sec would be considered to be too high for near-surface alluvial deposits, but it is plausible for saturated glacial drift. Since the ground-surface elevation of the borehole is about 28', the higher downhole velocities begin at an elevation approximately equivalent to the mean tide level of Cook Inlet. The P-wave velocity appears to decrease somewhat with greater depth in the borehole, exhibiting an average velocity of 7360 ft/sec from 44' to 81', and 6230 ft/sec from 81' to 141'. These are typical compression-wave velocities for glacial drift.

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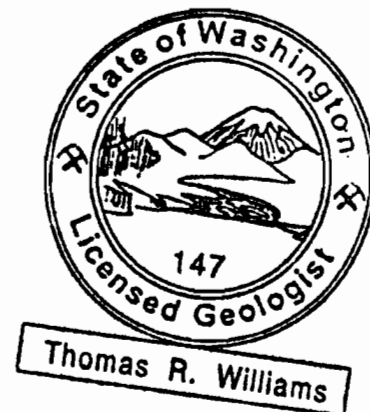
I have appreciated the opportunity to determine *in-situ* downhole seismic velocities for Shannon & Wilson, Inc., for the purpose of site characterization in the west abutment area of the proposed Knik Arm Crossing. Please contact me if there are any questions regarding field procedures or my interpretation of the seismic velocity profiles.

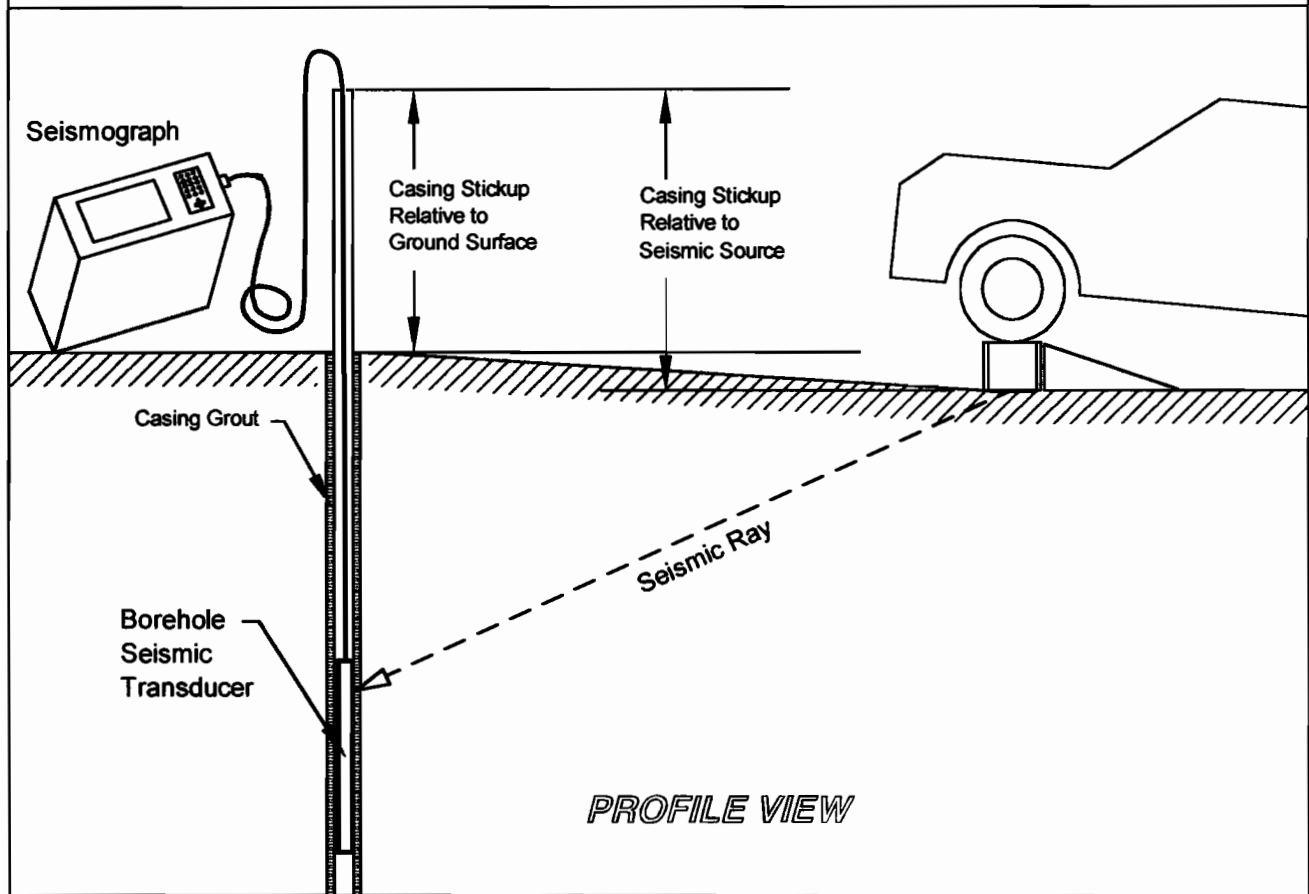
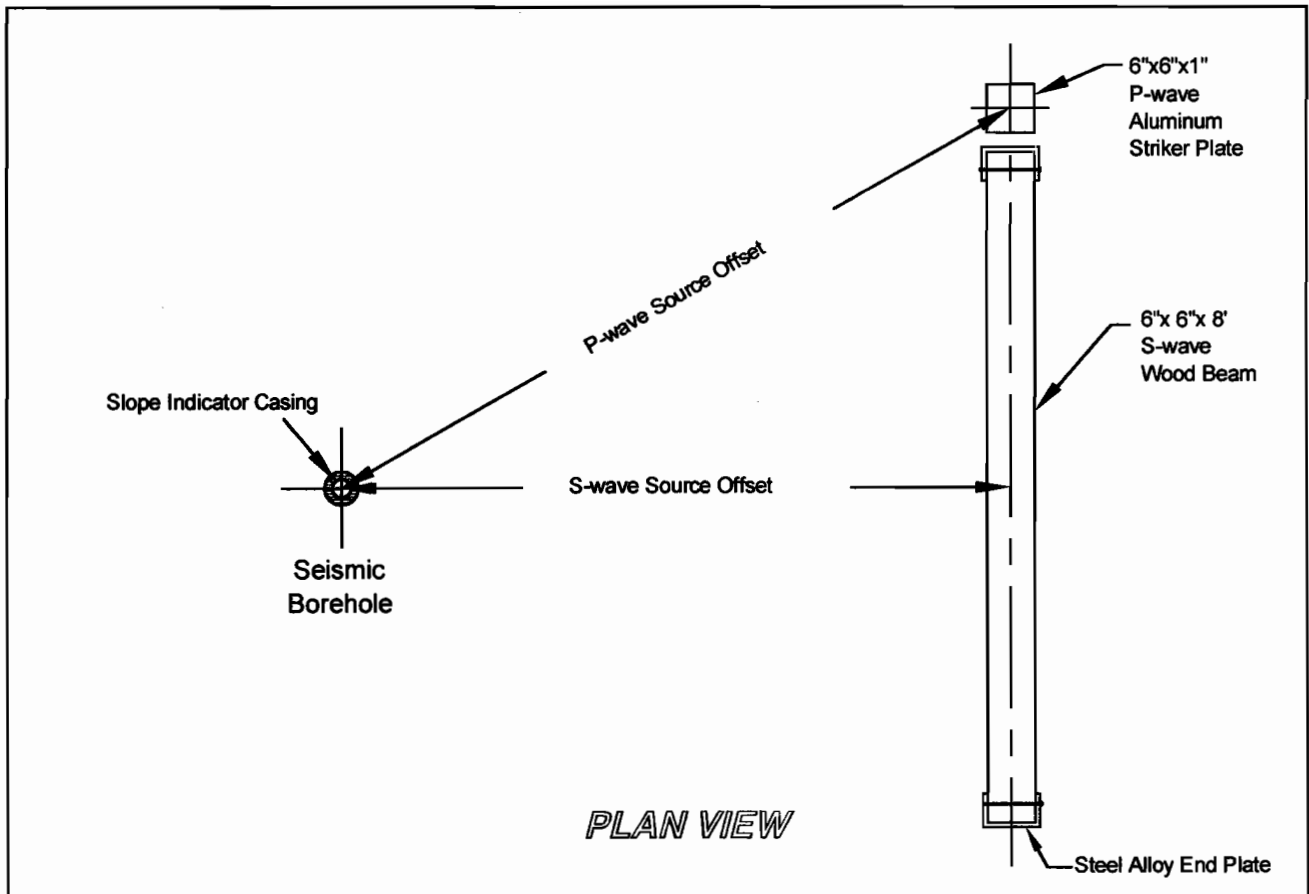
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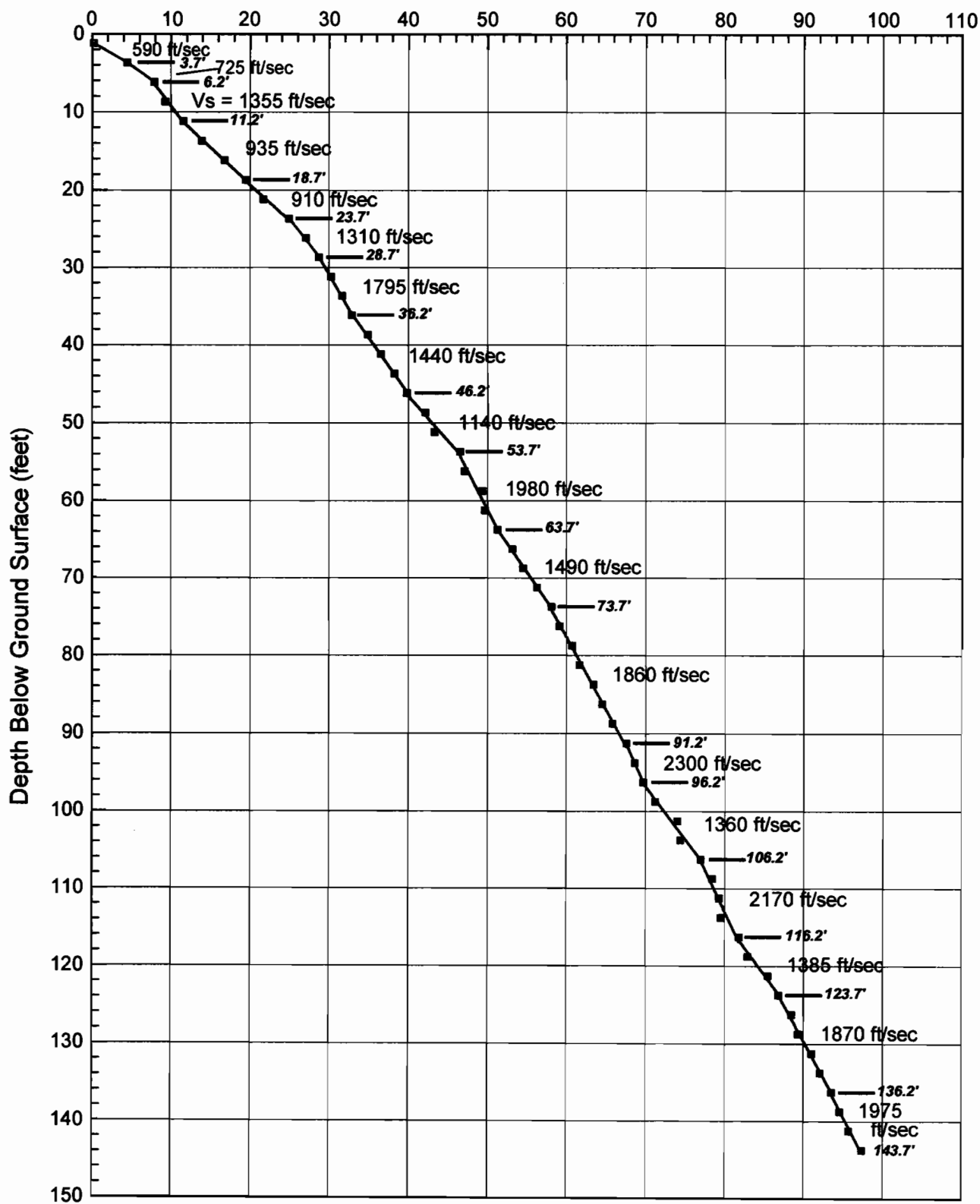
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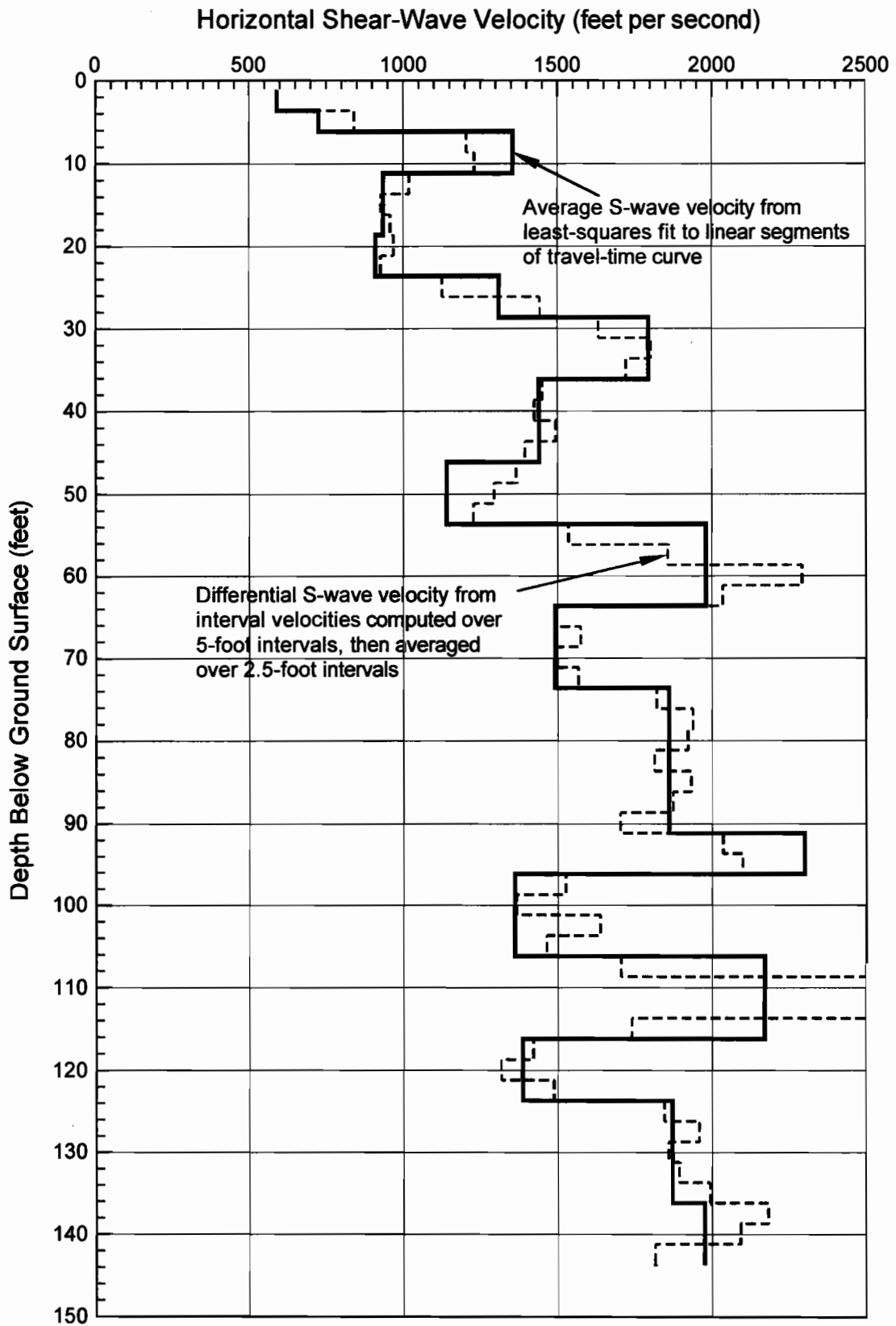
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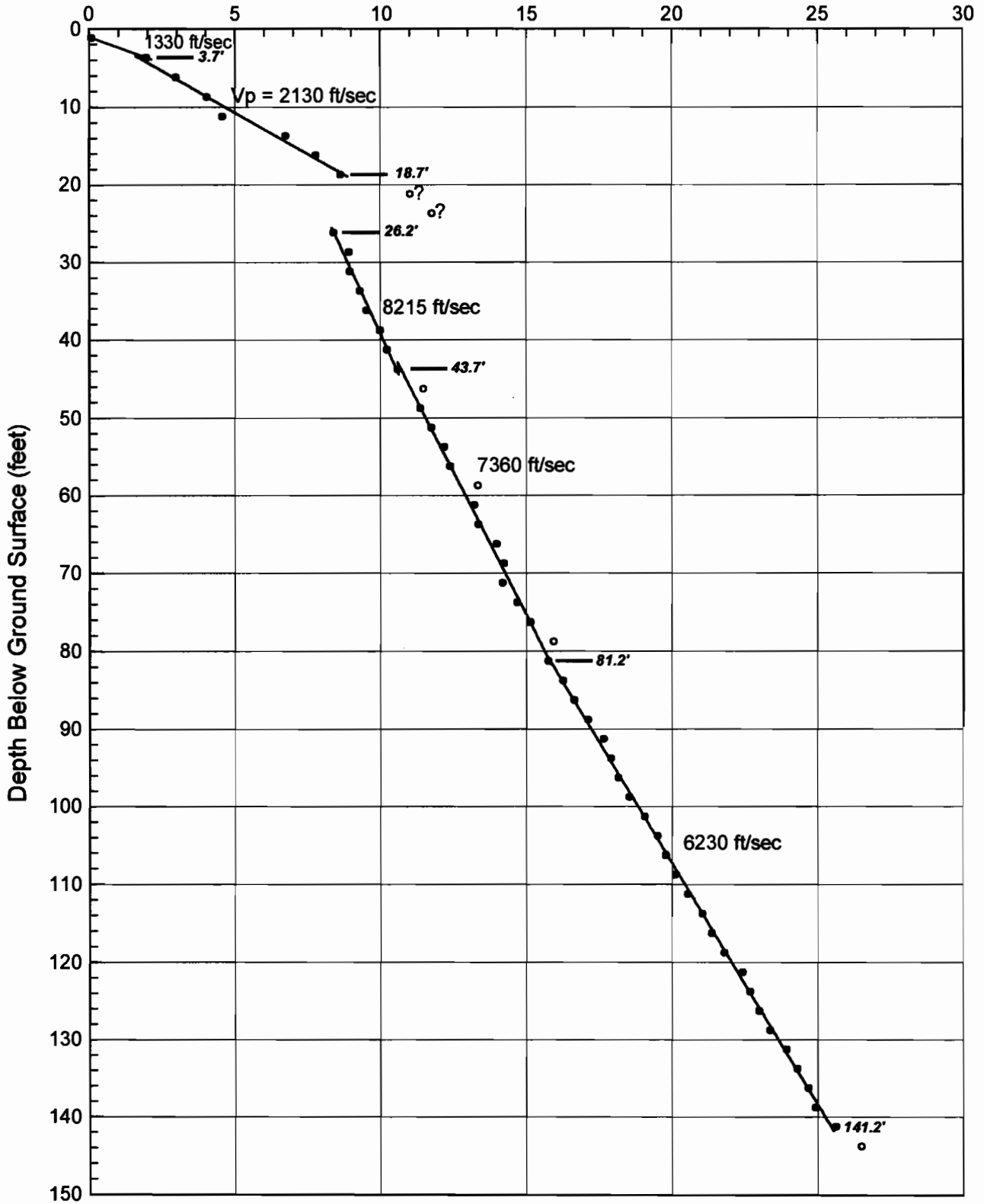


### Shear-Wave Vertical Travel Time (milliseconds)

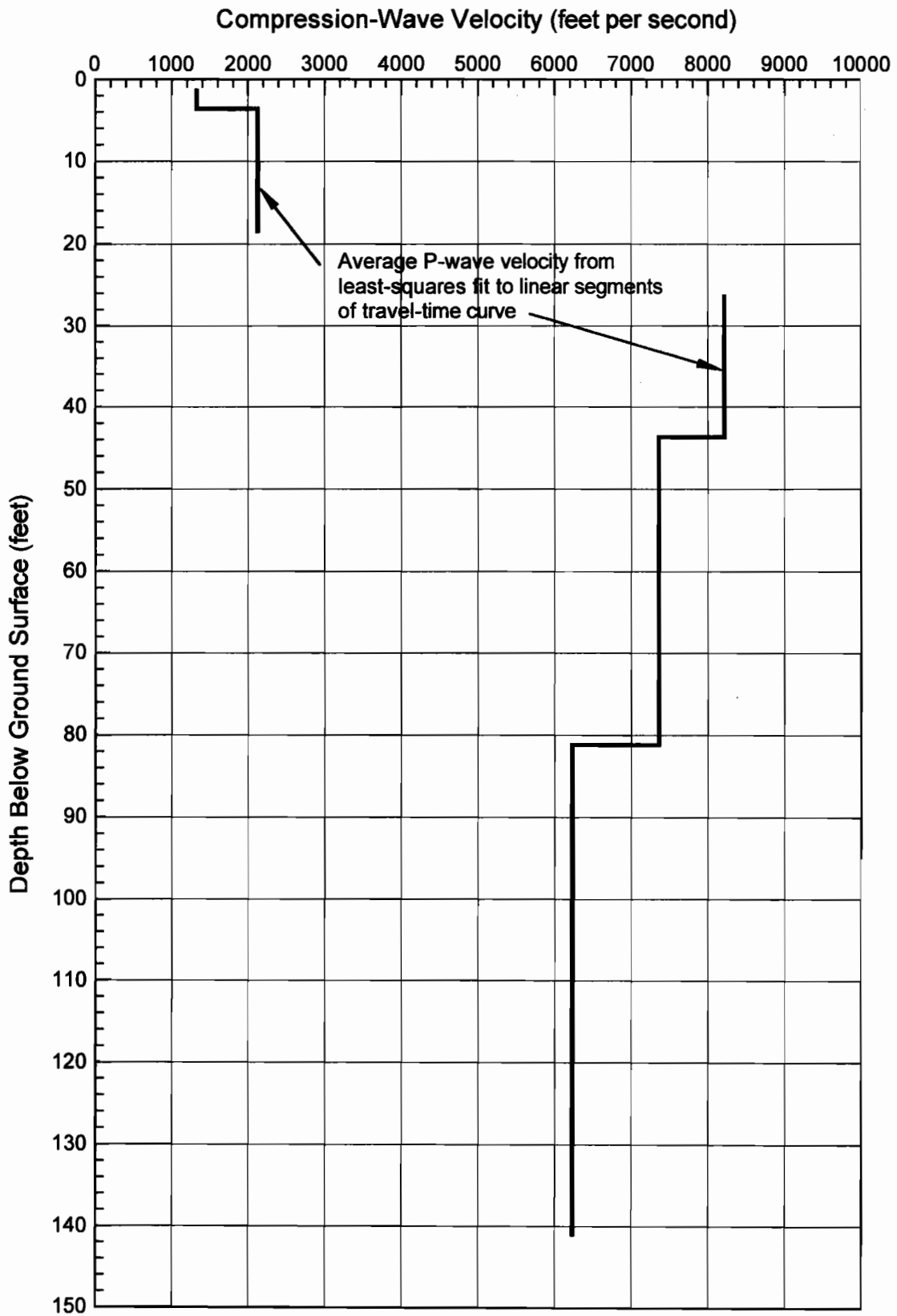




Compression-Wave Vertical Travel Time (milliseconds)







<b>Table 1</b> <b>Average Shear-Wave Velocity</b> <b>Boring B-1</b> <b>Knik Arm Crossing, Pt. MacKenzie, AK</b>	
Depth Interval (feet bgs)	S-Wave Velocity (feet / sec)
1.2 - 3.7	590
3.7 - 6.2	725
6.2 - 11.2	1355
11.2 - 18.7	935
18.7 - 23.7	910
23.7 - 28.7	1310
28.7 - 36.2	1795
36.2 - 46.2	1440
46.2 - 53.7	1140
53.7 - 63.7	1980
63.7 - 73.7	1490
73.7 - 91.2	1860
91.2 - 96.2	2300
96.2 - 106.2	1360
106.2 - 116.2	2170
116.2 - 123.7	1385
123.7 - 136.2	1870
136.2 - 143.7	1975

<b>Table 2</b> <b>Average Compression-Wave Velocity</b> <b>Boring B-1</b> <b>Knik Arm Crossing, Pt. MacKenzie, AK</b>	
Depth Interval (feet bgs)	P-Wave Velocity (feet / sec)
1.2 - 3.7	1330
3.7 - 18.7	2130
26.2 - 43.7	8215
43.7 - 81.2	7360
81.2 - 141.2	6230

**APPENDIX A**

**Travel-Time Data Sheets  
Downhole Seismic Velocity Survey  
July 14, 2005**

**Boring B-1  
Knik Arm Crossing  
Point MacKenzie, Alaska**

**Knik Arm Crossing Boring B-1  
S-Wave Travel-Time Data**

Borehole No.	Knik B-1
Seismic Mode	S-Wave (1st Peak)
Source Offset (ft)	8.25
Casing Stickup rt/gs	2.5
Casing Stickup rt/ss	3.6
Onset-to-Peak (ms)	3.5
Digital Filter	R24 100 Hz LP
Filter Delay (ms)	3.7

Depth bgs (ft)	Slant TT (ms)	Slant TT - OP - FD	Cosine Factor	Vertical Travel Time (ms)
1.2	22.93	15.73	0.012120322	0.19
3.7	21.96	14.76	0.300578035	4.44
6.2	22.18	14.98	0.525822098	7.88
8.7	20.90	13.70	0.677539216	9.28
11.2	22.06	14.86	0.774469512	11.51
13.7	23.81	16.61	0.836618529	13.90
16.2	26.28	19.08	0.877562207	16.74
18.7	28.68	21.48	0.905458936	19.45
21.2	30.62	23.42	0.925106445	21.67
23.7	33.68	26.48	0.939367946	24.87
26.2	35.65	28.45	0.949999675	27.03
28.7	37.12	29.92	0.958112440	28.67
31.2	38.53	31.33	0.964430318	30.22
33.7	39.81	32.61	0.969438760	31.61
36.2	40.93	33.73	0.973471700	32.84
38.7	42.90	35.70	0.976764242	34.87
41.2	44.46	37.26	0.979485412	36.50
43.7	46.15	38.95	0.981759041	38.24
46.2	47.68	40.48	0.983677407	39.82
48.7	49.96	42.76	0.985310343	42.13
51.2	51.06	43.86	0.986711438	43.28
53.7	54.28	47.08	0.987922345	46.51
56.2	54.81	47.61	0.988975814	47.09
58.7	57.06	49.86	0.989897871	49.36
61.2	57.31	50.11	0.990709402	49.64
63.7	58.90	51.70	0.991427322	51.26
66.2	60.75	53.55	0.992065438	53.13
68.7	62.09	54.89	0.992635115	54.49
71.2	63.84	56.64	0.993145768	56.25
73.7	65.65	58.45	0.993605255	58.08
76.2	66.68	59.48	0.994020170	59.12
78.7	68.25	61.05	0.994396081	60.71
81.2	69.18	61.98	0.994737717	61.65
83.7	70.90	63.70	0.995049110	63.38
86.2	72.00	64.80	0.995333721	64.50
88.7	73.25	66.05	0.995594529	65.76
91.2	75.03	67.83	0.995834109	67.55
93.7	76.06	68.86	0.996054702	68.59
96.2	77.18	69.98	0.996258257	69.72

**Knik Arm Crossing Boring B-1  
S-Wave Travel-Time Data**

<b>98.7</b>	<b>78.68</b>	<b>71.48</b>	<b>0.996446482</b>	<b>71.23</b>
<b>101.2</b>	<b>81.50</b>	<b>74.30</b>	<b>0.996620876</b>	<b>74.05</b>
<b>103.7</b>	<b>81.84</b>	<b>74.64</b>	<b>0.996782760</b>	<b>74.40</b>
<b>106.2</b>	<b>84.43</b>	<b>77.23</b>	<b>0.996933301</b>	<b>76.99</b>
<b>108.7</b>	<b>85.90</b>	<b>78.70</b>	<b>0.997073533</b>	<b>78.47</b>
<b>111.2</b>	<b>86.71</b>	<b>79.51</b>	<b>0.997204374</b>	<b>79.29</b>
<b>113.7</b>	<b>86.93</b>	<b>79.73</b>	<b>0.997326644</b>	<b>79.52</b>
<b>116.2</b>	<b>89.21</b>	<b>82.01</b>	<b>0.997441074</b>	<b>81.80</b>
<b>118.7</b>	<b>90.28</b>	<b>83.08</b>	<b>0.997548320</b>	<b>82.88</b>
<b>121.2</b>	<b>92.90</b>	<b>85.70</b>	<b>0.997648970</b>	<b>85.50</b>
<b>123.7</b>	<b>94.18</b>	<b>86.98</b>	<b>0.997743553</b>	<b>86.78</b>
<b>126.2</b>	<b>95.84</b>	<b>88.64</b>	<b>0.997832548</b>	<b>88.45</b>
<b>128.7</b>	<b>96.68</b>	<b>89.48</b>	<b>0.997916385</b>	<b>89.29</b>
<b>131.2</b>	<b>98.43</b>	<b>91.23</b>	<b>0.997995454</b>	<b>91.05</b>
<b>133.7</b>	<b>99.46</b>	<b>92.26</b>	<b>0.998070111</b>	<b>92.08</b>
<b>136.2</b>	<b>100.93</b>	<b>93.73</b>	<b>0.998140678</b>	<b>93.56</b>
<b>138.7</b>	<b>101.96</b>	<b>94.76</b>	<b>0.998207447</b>	<b>94.59</b>
<b>141.2</b>	<b>103.03</b>	<b>95.83</b>	<b>0.998270686</b>	<b>95.66</b>
<b>143.7</b>	<b>104.71</b>	<b>97.51</b>	<b>0.998330639</b>	<b>97.35</b>

**Knik Arm Crossing Boring B-1  
P-Wave Travel-Time Data**

Borehole No.	Knik B-1
Seismic Mode	P-Wave (1st Peak)
Source Offset (ft)	8.25
Casing Stickup rt/gs	2.5
Casing Stickup rt/ss	3.6
Onset-to-Peak (ms)	2.5
Digital Filter	R24 400 Hz LP
Filter Delay (ms)	1.1

<b>Depth bgs (ft)</b>	<b>Slant TT (ms)</b>	<b>Slant TT - OP - FD</b>	<b>Cosine Factor</b>	<b>Vertical Travel Time (ms)</b>
1.2	10.31	6.71	0.012120322	0.08
3.7	10.12	6.52	0.300578035	1.96
6.2	9.25	5.65	0.525822098	2.97
8.7	9.56	5.96	0.677539216	4.04
11.2	9.50	5.90	0.774469512	4.57
13.7	11.65	8.05	0.836618529	6.73
16.2	12.46	8.86	0.877562207	7.78
18.7	13.12	9.52	0.905458936	8.62
21.2	15.50	11.90	0.925106445	11.01
23.7	16.12	12.52	0.939367946	11.76
26.2	12.43	8.83	0.949999675	8.39
28.7	12.90	9.30	0.958112440	8.91
31.2	12.87	9.27	0.964430318	8.94
33.7	13.18	9.58	0.969438760	9.29
36.2	13.37	9.77	0.973471700	9.51
38.7	13.81	10.21	0.976764242	9.97
41.2	14.03	10.43	0.979485412	10.22
43.7	14.37	10.77	0.981759041	10.57
46.2	15.25	11.65	0.983677407	11.46
48.7	15.12	11.52	0.985310343	11.35
51.2	15.50	11.90	0.986711438	11.74
53.7	15.93	12.33	0.987922345	12.18
56.2	16.12	12.52	0.988975814	12.38
58.7	17.06	13.46	0.989897871	13.32
61.2	16.93	13.33	0.990709402	13.21
63.7	17.06	13.46	0.991427322	13.34
66.2	17.68	14.08	0.992065438	13.97
68.7	17.93	14.33	0.992635115	14.22
71.2	17.87	14.27	0.993145768	14.17
73.7	18.37	14.77	0.993605255	14.68
76.2	18.81	15.21	0.994020170	15.12
78.7	19.62	16.02	0.994396081	15.93
81.2	19.43	15.83	0.994737717	15.75
83.7	19.93	16.33	0.995049110	16.25
86.2	20.31	16.71	0.995333721	16.63
88.7	20.78	17.18	0.995594529	17.10
91.2	21.31	17.71	0.995834109	17.64
93.7	21.56	17.96	0.996054702	17.89
96.2	21.81	18.21	0.996258257	18.14

**Knik Arm Crossing Boring B-1  
P-Wave Travel-Time Data**

<b>98.7</b>	22.18	18.58	0.996446482	<b>18.51</b>
<b>101.2</b>	22.70	19.10	0.996620876	<b>19.04</b>
<b>103.7</b>	23.15	19.55	0.996782760	<b>19.49</b>
<b>106.2</b>	23.43	19.83	0.996933301	<b>19.77</b>
<b>108.7</b>	23.75	20.15	0.997073533	<b>20.09</b>
<b>111.2</b>	24.18	20.58	0.997204374	<b>20.52</b>
<b>113.7</b>	24.68	21.08	0.997326644	<b>21.02</b>
<b>116.2</b>	25.00	21.40	0.997441074	<b>21.35</b>
<b>118.7</b>	25.43	21.83	0.997548320	<b>21.78</b>
<b>121.2</b>	26.06	22.46	0.997648970	<b>22.41</b>
<b>123.7</b>	26.31	22.71	0.997743553	<b>22.66</b>
<b>126.2</b>	26.62	23.02	0.997832548	<b>22.97</b>
<b>128.7</b>	27.00	23.40	0.997916385	<b>23.35</b>
<b>131.2</b>	27.56	23.96	0.997995454	<b>23.91</b>
<b>133.7</b>	27.93	24.33	0.998070111	<b>24.28</b>
<b>136.2</b>	28.31	24.71	0.998140678	<b>24.66</b>
<b>138.7</b>	28.56	24.96	0.998207447	<b>24.92</b>
<b>141.2</b>	29.25	25.65	0.998270686	<b>25.61</b>
<b>143.7</b>	30.12	26.52	0.998330639	<b>26.48</b>

**APPENDIX B**

**Seismograph Records  
Downhole Seismic Velocity Survey  
July 14, 2005**

**Boring B-1  
Knik Arm Crossing  
Point MacKenzie, Alaska**



**Downhole Seismic Field Data  
Boring B-1  
Knik Arm Crossing  
Point MacKenzie, Alaska**

Following are photocopies of the field seismograms recorded during the downhole seismic velocity survey at Boring B-1 on July 14, 2005.

The data files for the shear-wave survey are numbered KNIK-04.DAT through KNIK-13.DAT, beginning at total depth and progressing to the top of the borehole. In the field, each recording level in the borehole is represented by four channels in the seismograph files, so that six measurement levels are recorded in each 24-channel Geometrics R24 StrataView file. In each group of four traces, the first two are from the longitudinal horizontal geophone and the second two are from the transverse horizontal geophone. Because the downhole shear-wave survey was optimized for the longitudinal geophone by orienting the shear-wave source parallel to the set of Slope Inclinator casing grooves to which the longitudinal geophone was keyed, the traces for the transverse geophone are not reproduced here. The odd-numbered channels were used to record sledgehammer blows to the south end of the shear-wave beam; the even-numbered channels were used for hammer blows to the north end of the beam. For each end of the beam at each 2.5-foot measurement level, 3 to 12 hammer blows were stacked (summed using the signal enhancement feature of the seismograph) to increase the signal-to-noise ratio of the recorded waveforms.

The data files for the compression-wave survey are labeled KNIK-14.DAT through KNIK-16.DAT. One seismograph channel was used for each 2.5-foot measurement level in the P-wave survey.

On the following photocopies of the seismograms, the raw field data are reproduced on the left side of each data sheet. The record on the right is the same data filtered using a 100-Hz low-pass digital display filter in the R24 seismograph for the shear-wave data, and a 400-Hz low-pass filter for the compression-wave data. The vertical time scale on the seismograms is given in milliseconds.

**Knik Arm Crossing  
Point MacKenzie, Alaska  
Boring B-1  
July 14, 2005**

**Downhole Shear-Wave Field Data  
(1.2' - 8.7' bgs)**

**Raw Data**

**Filtered Data**

**GEOMETRICS**

READ FROM KNIK-13.DAT  
LINE NUMBER 1  
SHOT LOC -8.25  
SAMPLE INTERVAL 125 uS  
ACQ FILT LO CUT 0HZ  
DISP FILT OUT

GROUP INTERVAL 0.00  
PHONE 1 LOC -2.50  
RECORD LEN 256 MS  
NOTCH 0HZ  
OUT

StrataView **GEOMETRICS**

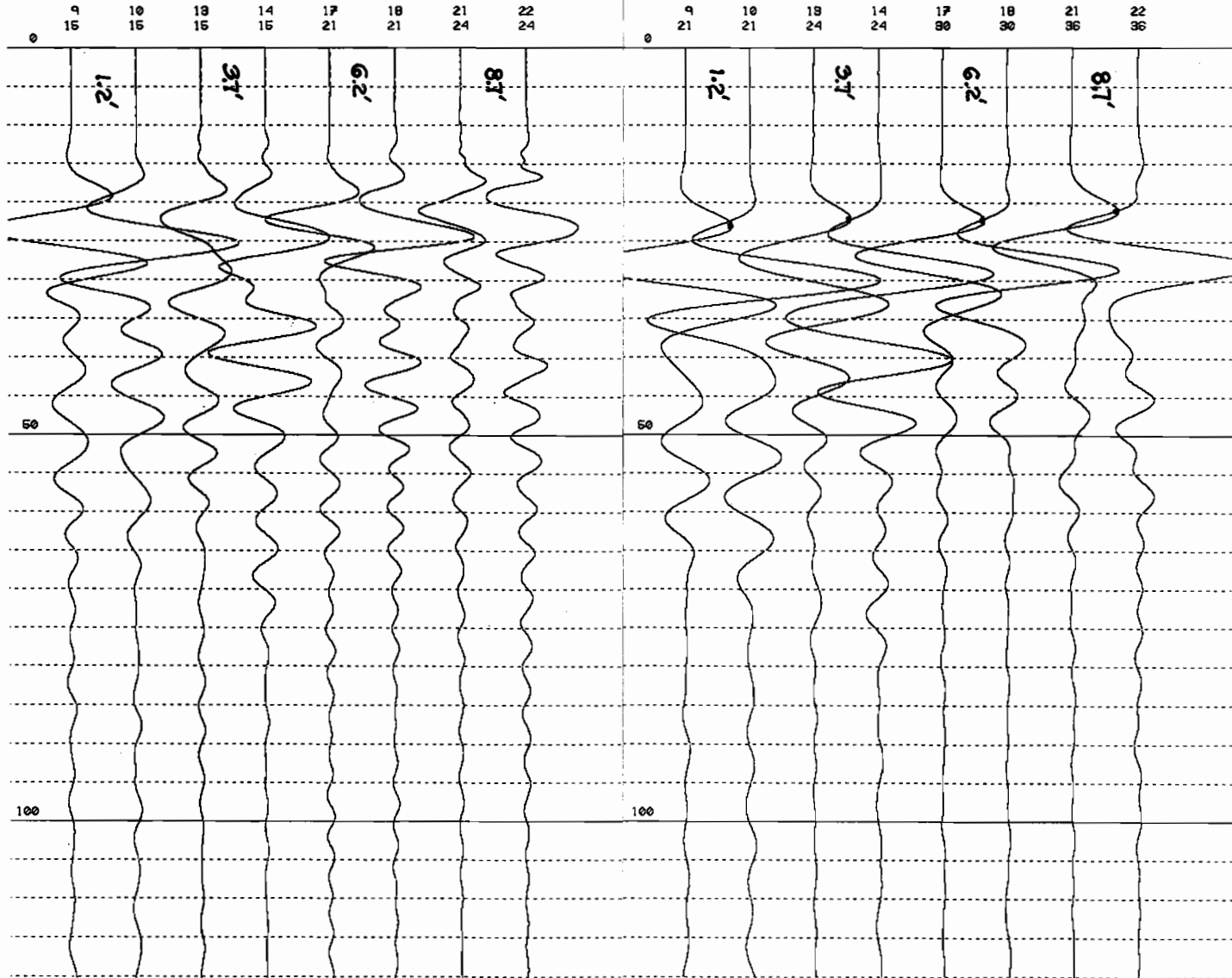
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FIXED GAIN

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SHOT LOC -8.25  
SAMPLE INTERVAL 125 uS  
ACQ FILT LO CUT 0HZ  
DISP FILT HI CUT 100HZ

GROUP INTERVAL 0.00  
PHONE 1 LOC -2.50  
RECORD LEN 256 MS  
NOTCH 0HZ  
OUT

StrataView

20:44:41 14/JUL/2005  
PHONE 24 LOC 10.00  
DELAY 0 MS  
STACKS 3  
FIXED GAIN



**Knik Arm Crossing  
Point MacKenzie, Alaska  
Boring B-1  
July 14, 2005**

**Downhole Shear-Wave Field Data  
(11.2' - 23.7' bgs)**

**Raw Data**

**Filtered Data**

**GEOMETRICS**

READ FROM KNIK-12.DAT  
 LINE NUMBER 1  
 SHOT LOC -8.25  
 SAMPLE INTERVAL 125 uS  
 ACQ FILT LO CUT 0HZ  
 DISP FILT OUT

GROUP INTERVAL 0.00  
 PHONE 1 LOC 12.50  
 RECORD LEN 256 MS  
 NOTCH 0HZ  
 OUT

20:30:34 14/JUL/2005  
 PHONE 24 LOC 25.00  
 DELAY 0 MS  
 STACKS 3  
 FIXED GAIN

1	2	5	6
27	27	27	27

9	10	13	14	17	18	21	22
27	27	27	27	27	27	30	30

**StrataView GEOMETRICS**

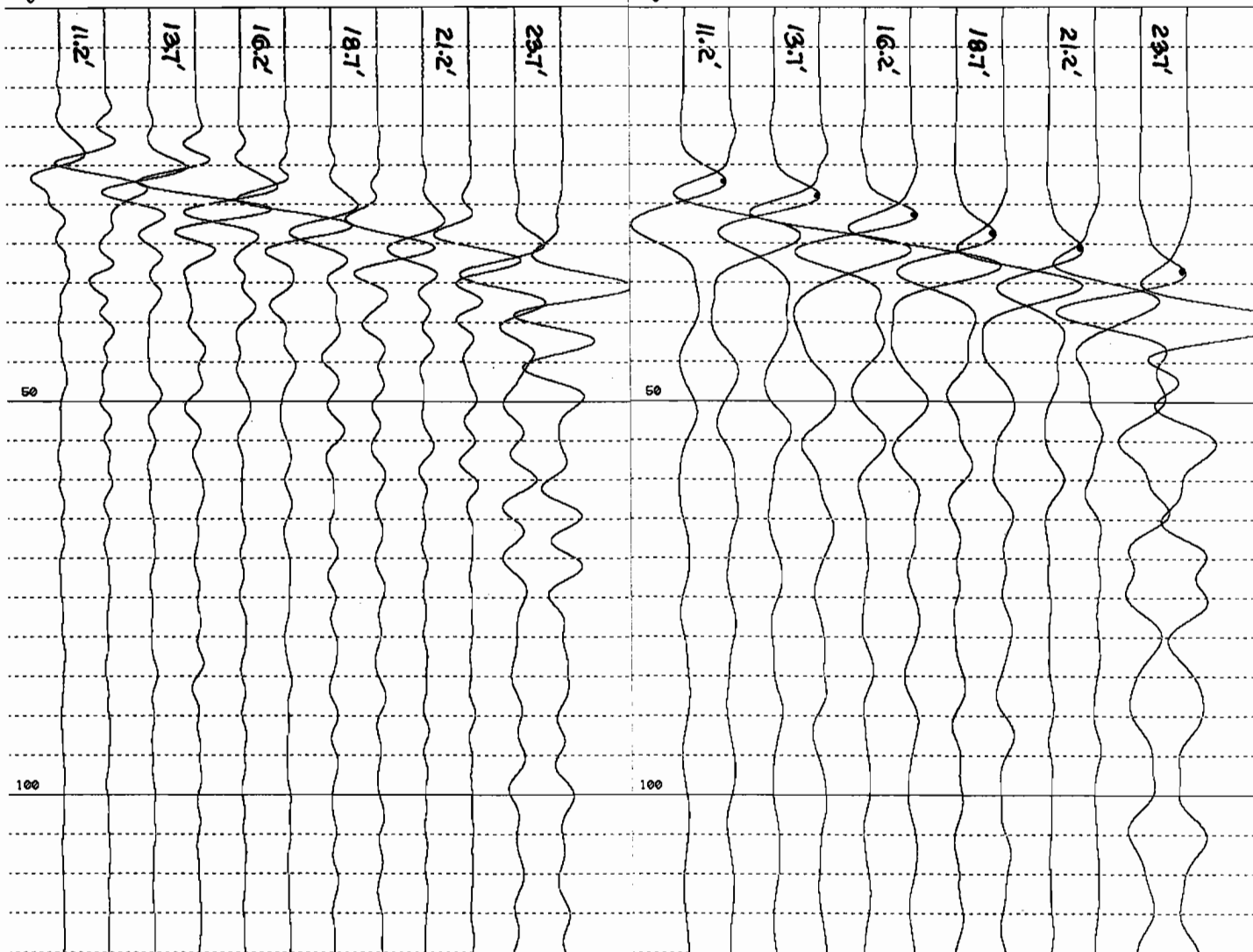
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GROUP INTERVAL 0.00  
 PHONE 1 LOC 12.50  
 RECORD LEN 256 MS  
 NOTCH 0HZ  
 OUT

20:30:34 14/JUL/2005  
 PHONE 24 LOC 25.00  
 DELAY 0 MS  
 STACKS 3  
 FIXED GAIN

1	2	5	6
96	96	96	96

9	10	13	14	17	18	21	22
96	96	96	96	96	96	99	99



**Knik Arm Crossing  
Point MacKenzie, Alaska  
Boring B-1  
July 14, 2005**

**Downhole Shear-Wave Field Data  
(26.2' - 38.7' bgs)**

**Raw Data**

**Filtered Data**

**GEOMETRICS**

StrataView

**GEOMETRICS**

StrataView

READ FROM KNIK-11.DAT  
 LINE NUMBER 1  
 SHOT LOC -8.25  
 SAMPLE INTERVAL 125  $\mu$ S  
 ACQ FILT LO CUT 0HZ  
 DISP FILT OUT

GROUP INTERVAL 0.00  
 PHONE 1 LOC 27.50  
 RECORD LEN 256 MS  
 NOTCH 0HZ  
 OUT

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 DELAY 8 MS  
 STACKS 6  
 FIXED GAIN

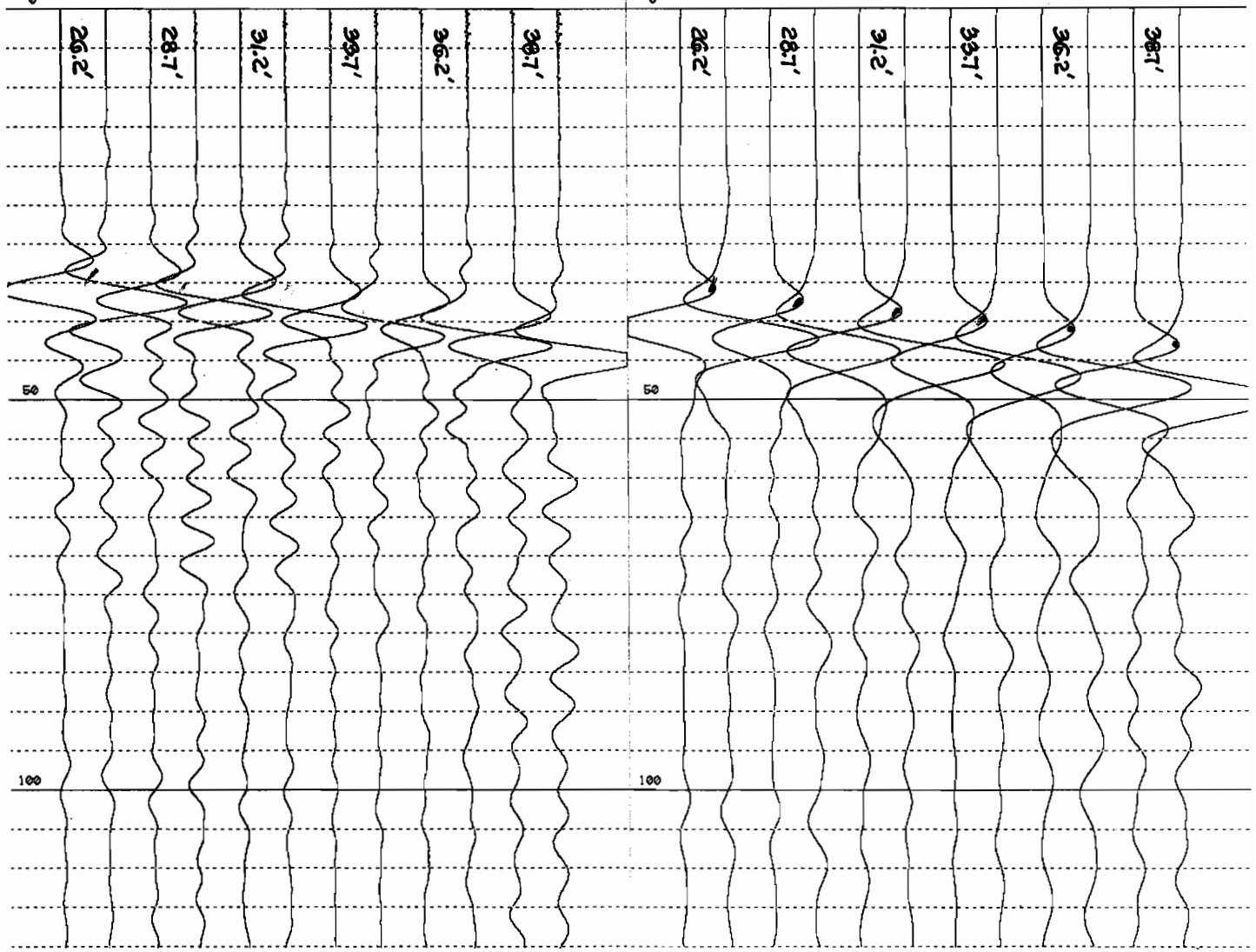
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 LINE NUMBER 1  
 SHOT LOC -8.25  
 SAMPLE INTERVAL 125  $\mu$ S  
 ACQ FILT LO CUT 0HZ  
 DISP FILT HI CUT 100HZ

GROUP INTERVAL 0.00  
 PHONE 1 LOC 27.50  
 RECORD LEN 256 MS  
 NOTCH 0HZ  
 OUT

20:16:14 14/JUL/2005  
 PHONE 24 LOC 40.00  
 DELAY 8 MS  
 STACKS 6  
 FIXED GAIN

1	2	5	6	9	10	18	14	17	18	21	22
36	36	39	39	39	39	42	42	42	42	42	42



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Point MacKenzie, Alaska  
Boring B-1  
July 14, 2005**

**Downhole Shear-Wave Field Data  
(41.2' - 53.7' bgs)**

**Raw Data**

**Filtered Data**

**GEOMETRICS**

StrataView  
20:02:27 14/JUL/2005

**GEOMETRICS**

StrataView  
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SHOT LOC -8.25  
SAMPLE INTERVAL 125  $\mu$ S  
ACR FILT LO CUT 0HZ  
DISP FILT OUT

GROUP INTERVAL 0.00  
PHONE 1 LOC 42.50  
RECORD LEN 256 MS  
NOTCH 0HZ  
OUT

PHONE 24 LOC 55.00  
DELAY 0 MS  
STACKS 6  
FIXED GAIN

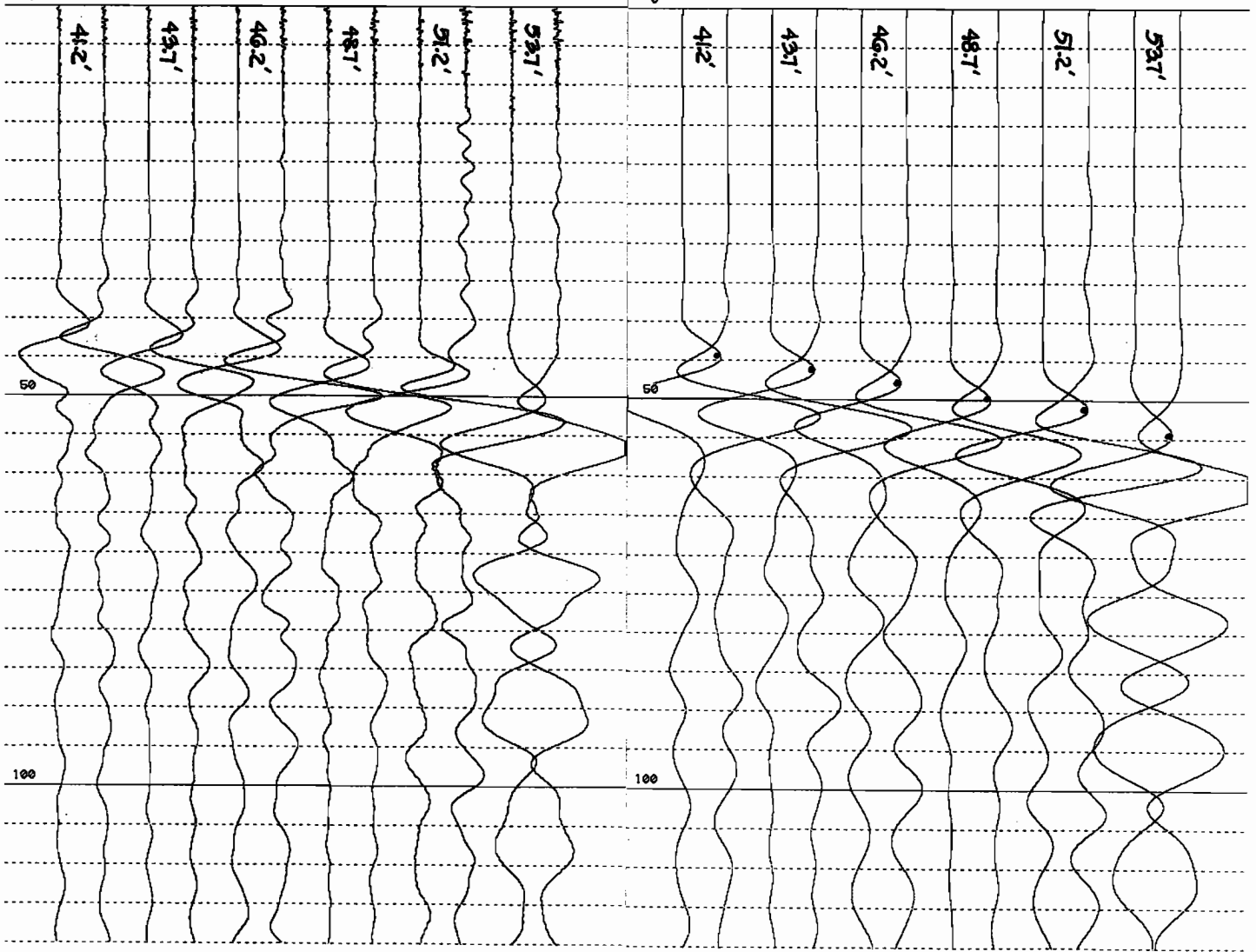
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READ FROM KNIK-10.DAT  
LINE NUMBER 1  
SHOT LOC -8.25  
SAMPLE INTERVAL 125  $\mu$ S  
ACR FILT LO CUT 0HZ  
DISP FILT HI CUT 100HZ  
OUT

GROUP INTERVAL 0.00  
PHONE 1 LOC 42.50  
RECORD LEN 256 MS  
NOTCH 0HZ  
OUT

PHONE 24 LOC 55.00  
DELAY 0 MS  
STACKS 6  
FIXED GAIN

1	2	5	6	9	10	13	14	17	18	21	22
42	42	42	42	42	42	42	42	46	46	46	46



**Knik Arm Crossing  
Point MacKenzie, Alaska  
Boring B-1  
July 14, 2005**

**Downhole Shear-Wave Field Data  
(56.2' - 68.7' bgs)**

**Raw Data**

**Filtered Data**

**GEOMETRICS**

StrataView

**GEOMETRICS**

StrataView

READ FROM KNIK-09.DAT  
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SHOT LOC -8.25  
SAMPLE INTERVAL 125 uS  
ACQ FILT LO CUT 0HZ  
DISP FILT OUT

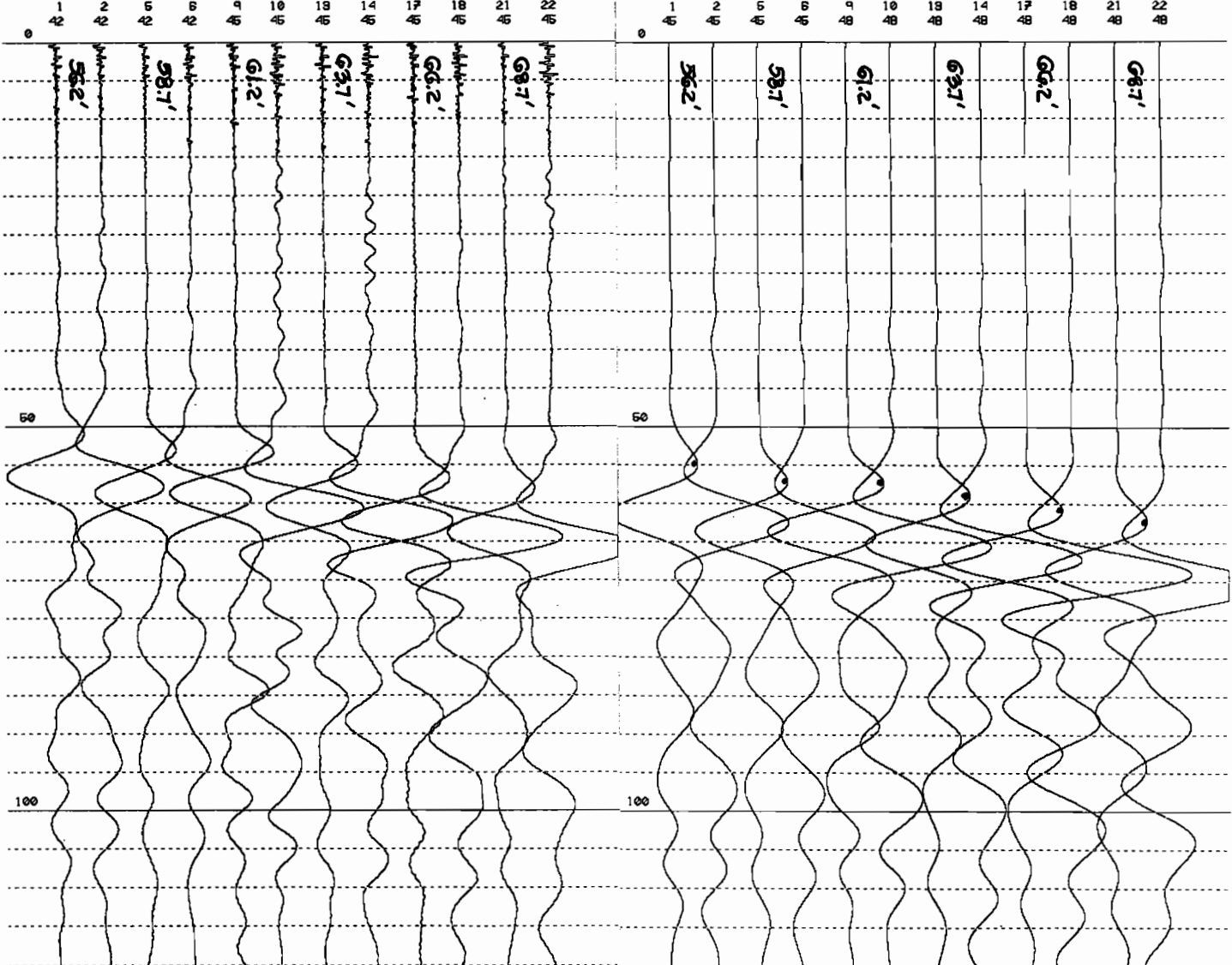
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RECORD LEN 256 MS  
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OUT

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PHONE 24 LOC 70.00  
DELAY 0 MS  
STACKS 6  
FIXED GAIN

READ FROM KNIK-09.DAT  
LINE NUMBER 1  
SHOT LOC -8.25  
SAMPLE INTERVAL 125 uS  
ACQ FILT LO CUT 0HZ  
DISP FILT HI CUT 100HZ  
OUT

GROUP INTERVAL 0.00  
PHONE 1 LOC 57.50  
RECORD LEN 256 MS  
NOTCH 0HZ  
OUT

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PHONE 24 LOC 70.00  
DELAY 0 MS  
STACKS 6  
FIXED GAIN



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Point MacKenzie, Alaska  
Boring B-1  
July 14, 2005**

**Downhole Shear-Wave Field Data  
(71.2' - 83.7' bgs)**

**Raw Data**

**Filtered Data**

**GEOMETRICS**

READ FROM KNIK-08.DAT  
LINE NUMBER 1  
SHOT LOC -8.25  
SAMPLE INTERVAL 125 uS  
ACQ FILT LO CUT 0HZ  
DISP FILT OUT

GROUP INTERVAL 0.00  
PHONE 1 LOC 72.50  
RECORD LEN 256 MS  
NOTCH 0HZ  
OUT

StrataView**GEOMETRICS**

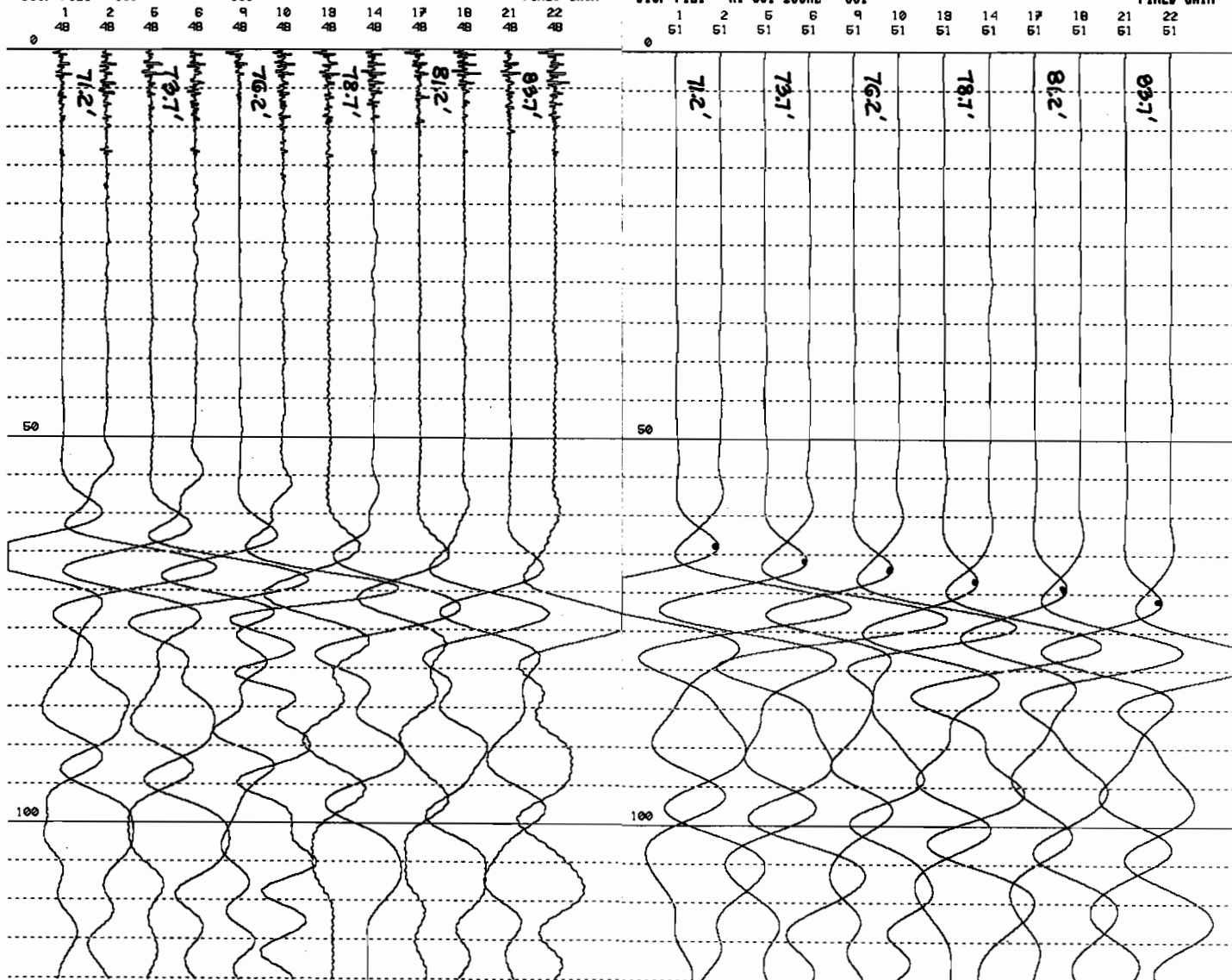
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STACKS 6  
FIXED GAIN

StrataView

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SHOT LOC -8.25  
SAMPLE INTERVAL 125 uS  
ACQ FILT LO CUT 0HZ  
DISP FILT HI CUT 100HZ

GROUP INTERVAL 0.00  
PHONE 1 LOC 72.50  
RECORD LEN 256 MS  
NOTCH 0HZ  
OUT

19:18:12 14/JUL/2005  
PHONE 24 LOC 85.00  
DELAY 0 MS  
STACKS 6  
FIXED GAIN



**Knik Arm Crossing  
Point MacKenzie, Alaska  
Boring B-1  
July 14, 2005**

**Downhole Shear-Wave Field Data  
(86.2' - 98.7' bgs)**

**Raw Data**

**Filtered Data**

**GEOMETRICS**  
 READ FROM KNIK-87.DAT  
 LINE NUMBER 1  
 SHOT LOC -8.25  
 SAMPLE INTERVAL 125 uS  
 ACQ FILT LO CUT 0HZ  
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**StrataView**  
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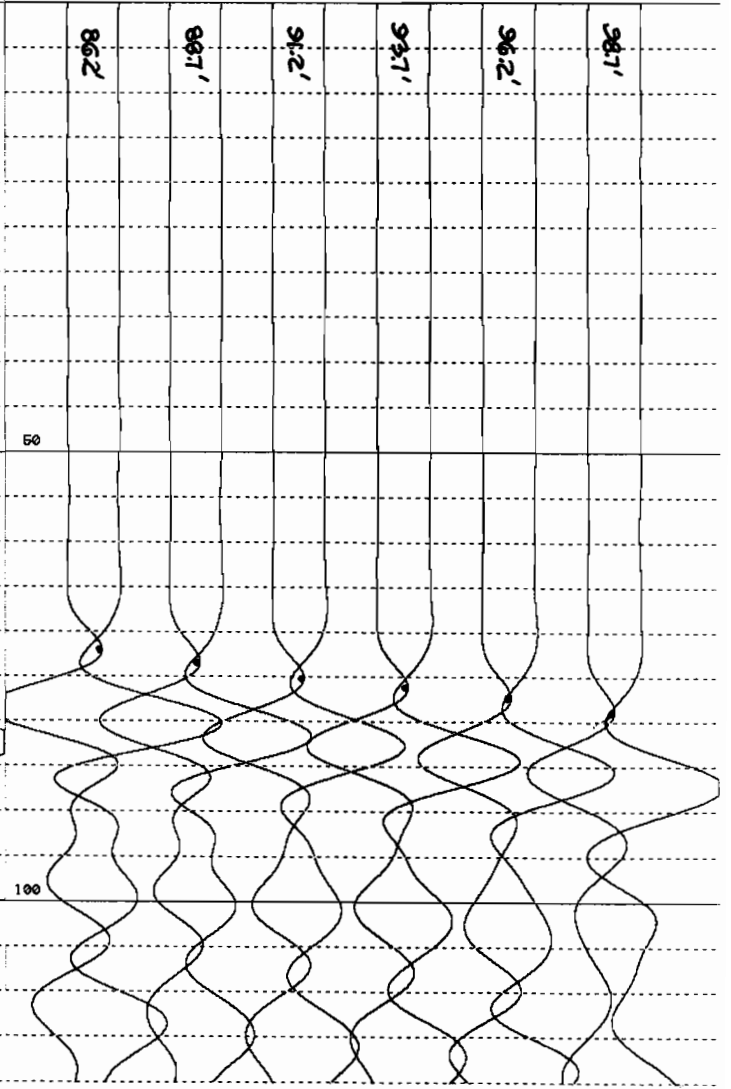
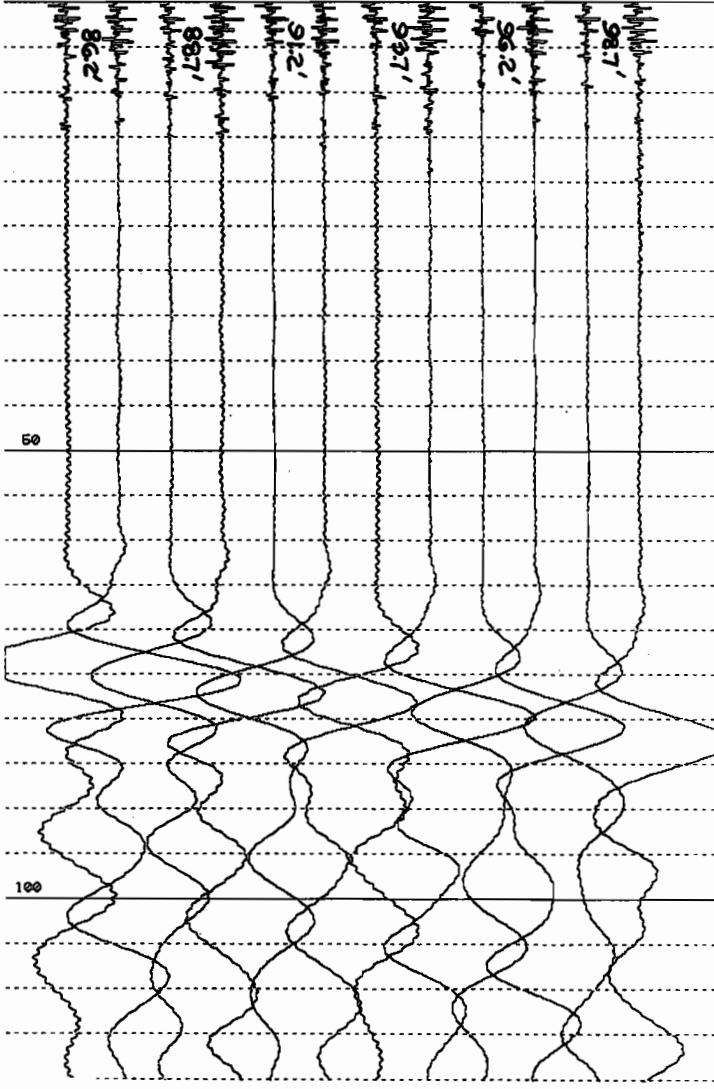
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Point MacKenzie, Alaska  
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**Downhole Shear-Wave Field Data  
(101.2' - 113.7' bgs)**

**Raw Data**

**Filtered Data**

**GEOMETRICS**

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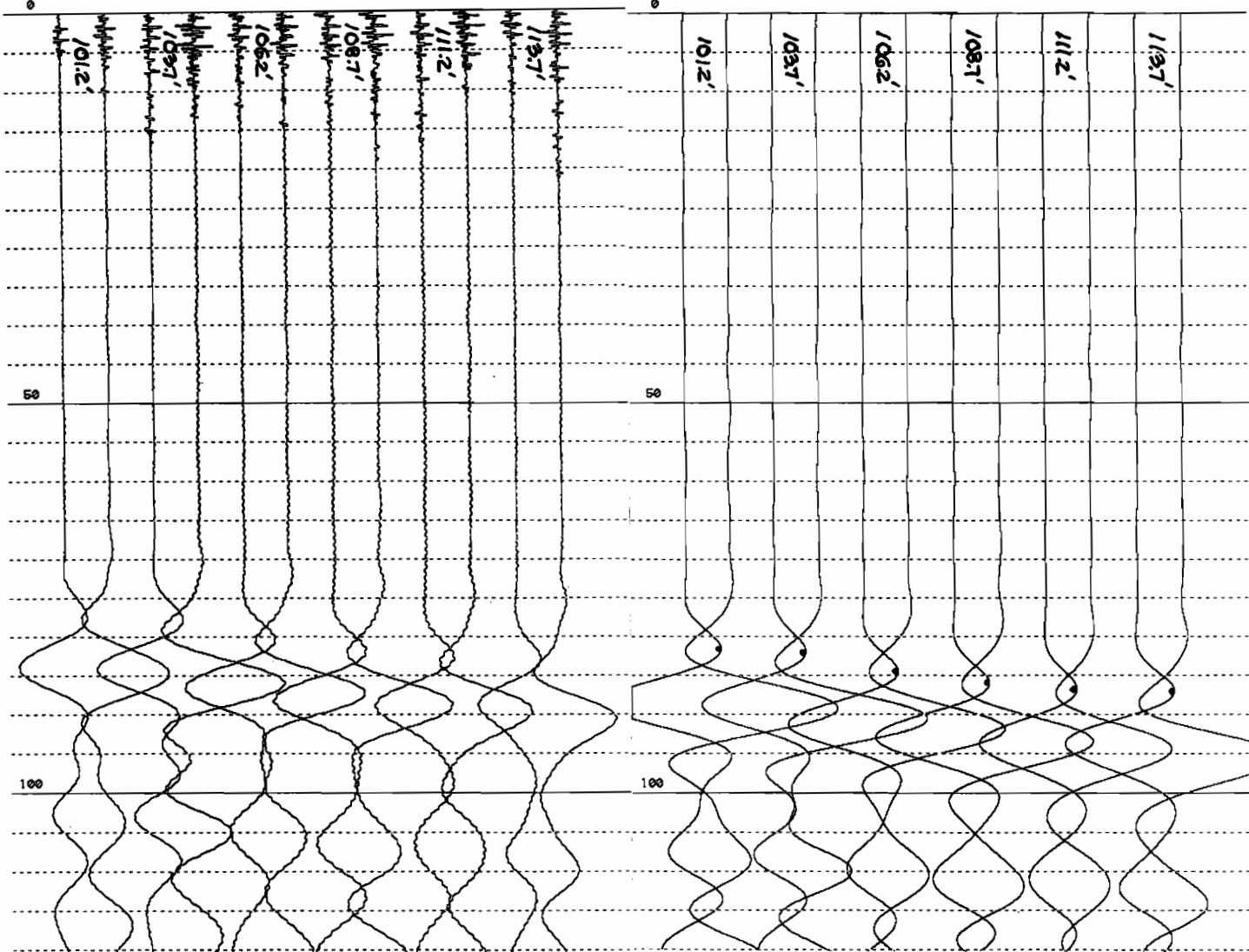
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Point MacKenzie, Alaska  
Boring B-1  
July 14, 2005**

**Downhole Shear-Wave Field Data  
(116.2' - 128.7' bgs)**

**Raw Data**

**Filtered Data**

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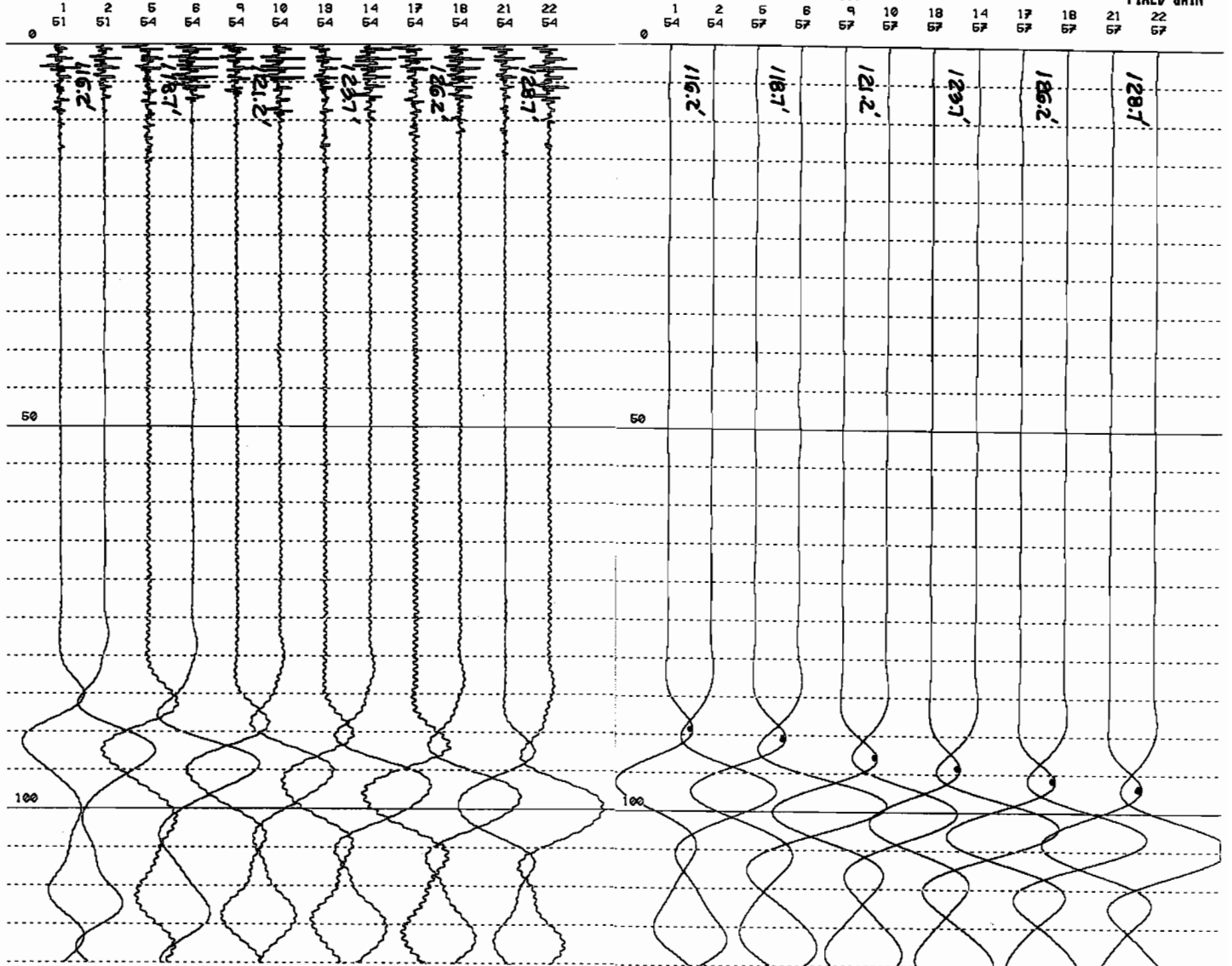
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**Downhole Shear-Wave Field Data  
(131.2' - 143.7' bgs)**

**Raw Data**

**Filtered Data**

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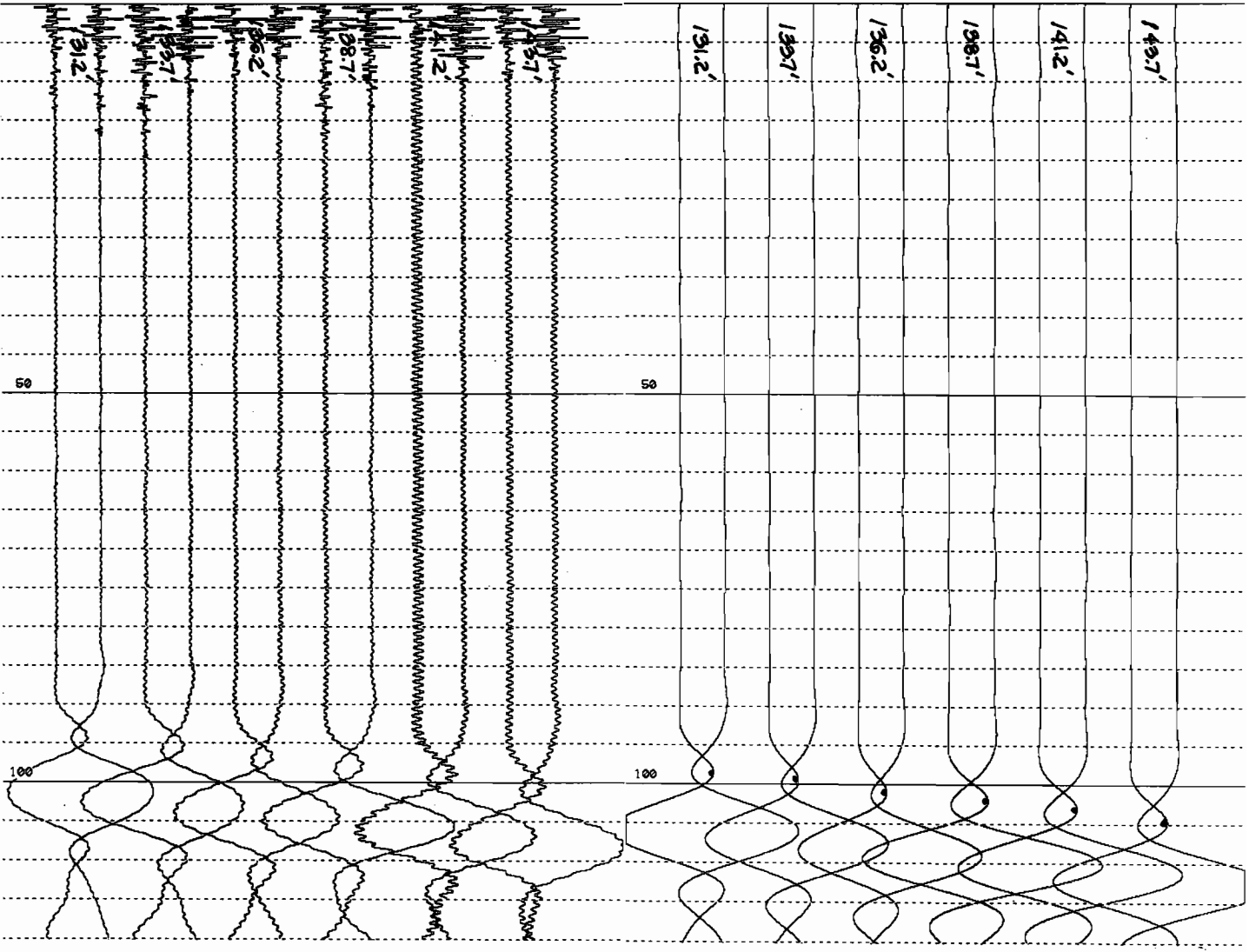
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Boring B-1  
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**Downhole Compression-Wave Field Data  
(1.2' - 23.7' bgs)**

**Raw Data**

**Filtered Data**

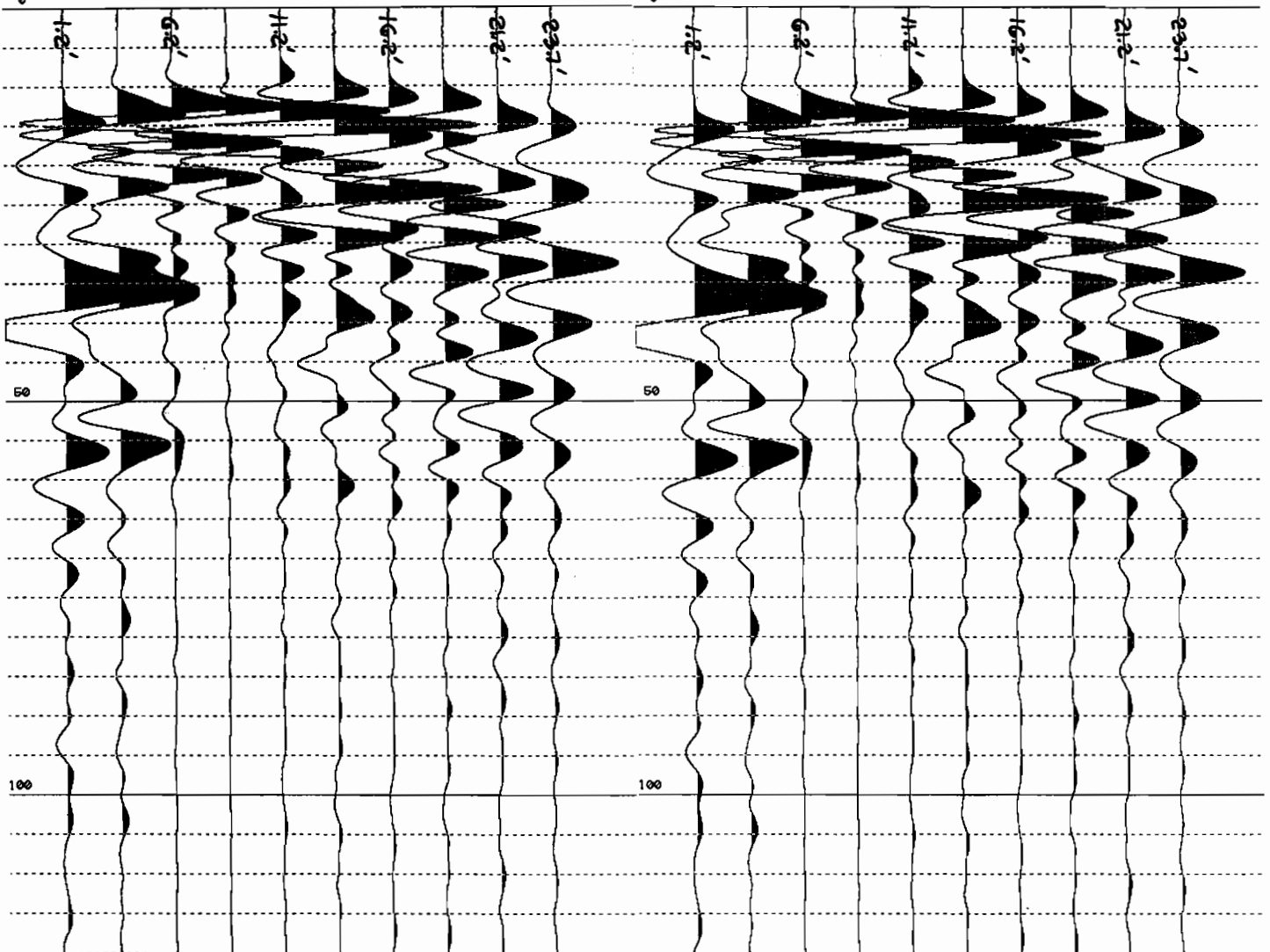
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Boring B-1  
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**Downhole Compression-Wave Field Data  
(26.2' - 83.7' bgs)**

**Raw Data**

**Filtered Data**

**GEOMETRICS**

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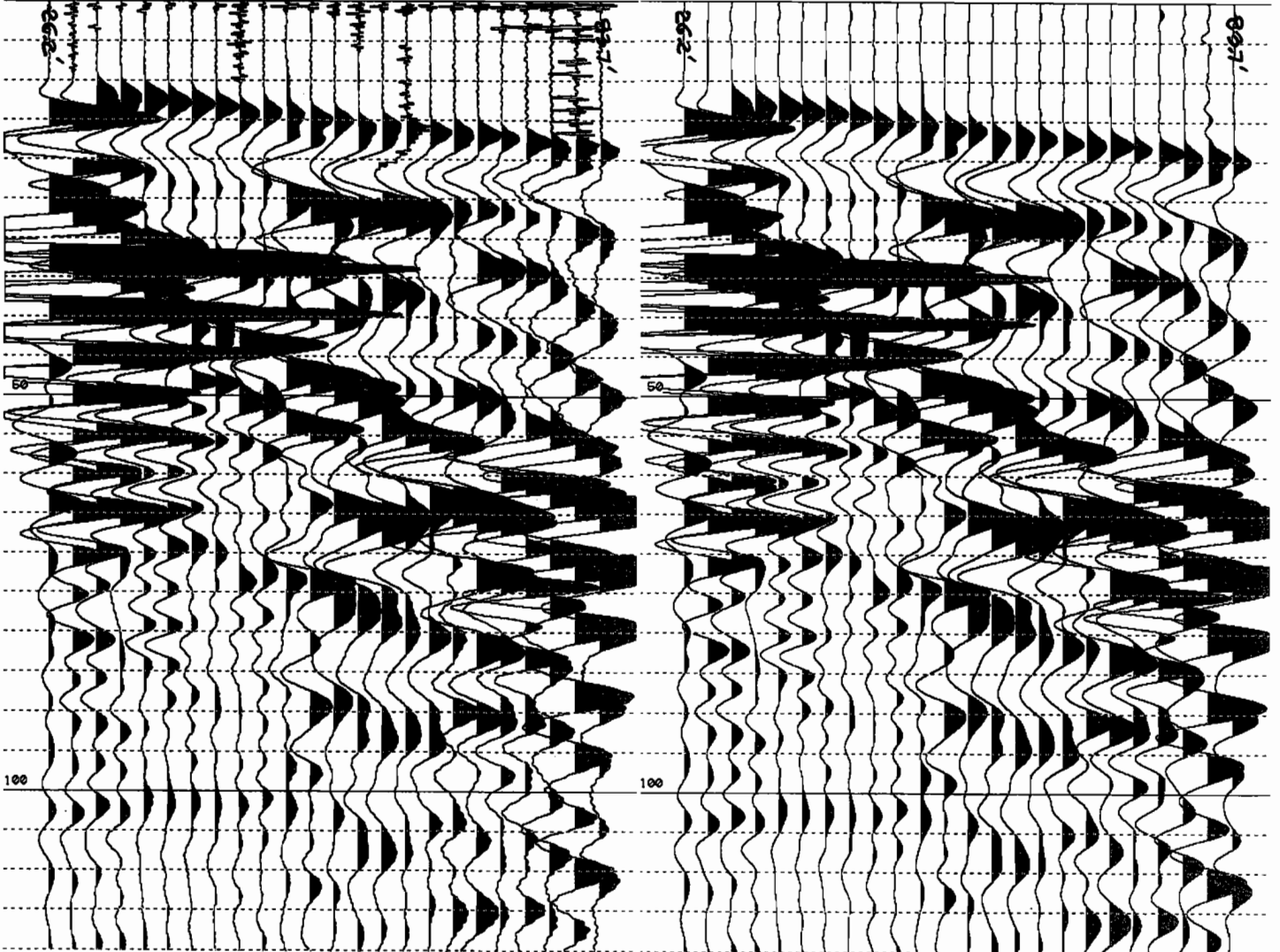
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Point MacKenzie, Alaska  
Boring B-1  
July 14, 2005**

**Downhole Compression-Wave Field Data  
(86.2' - 143.7' bgs)**

*Raw Data*

*Filtered Data*

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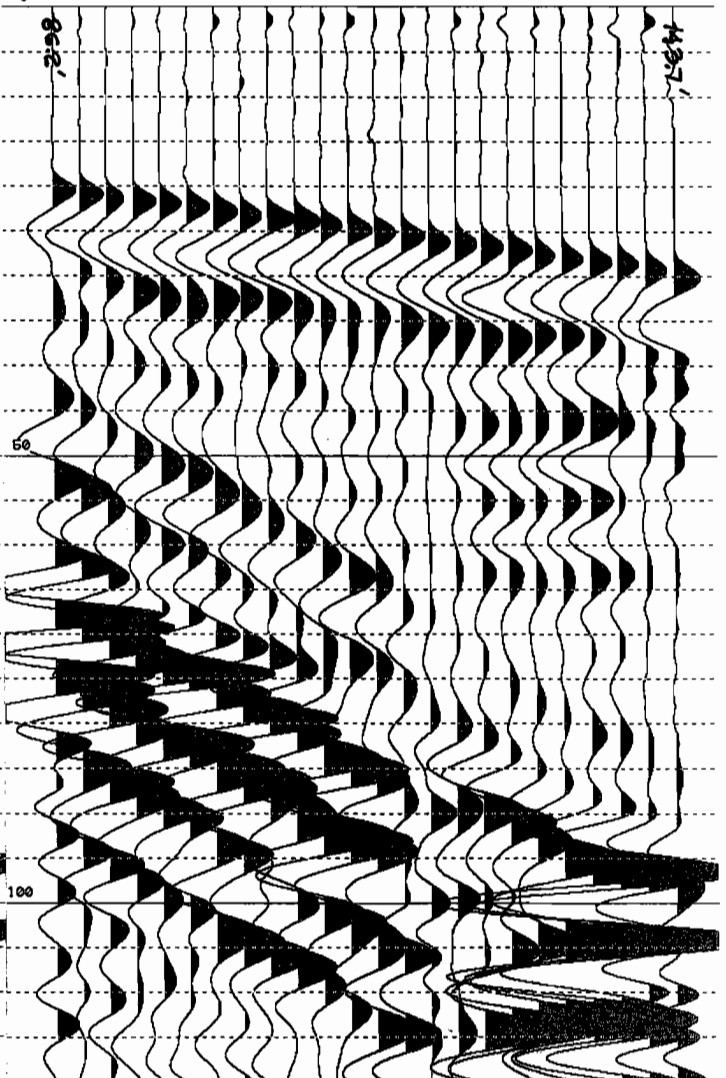
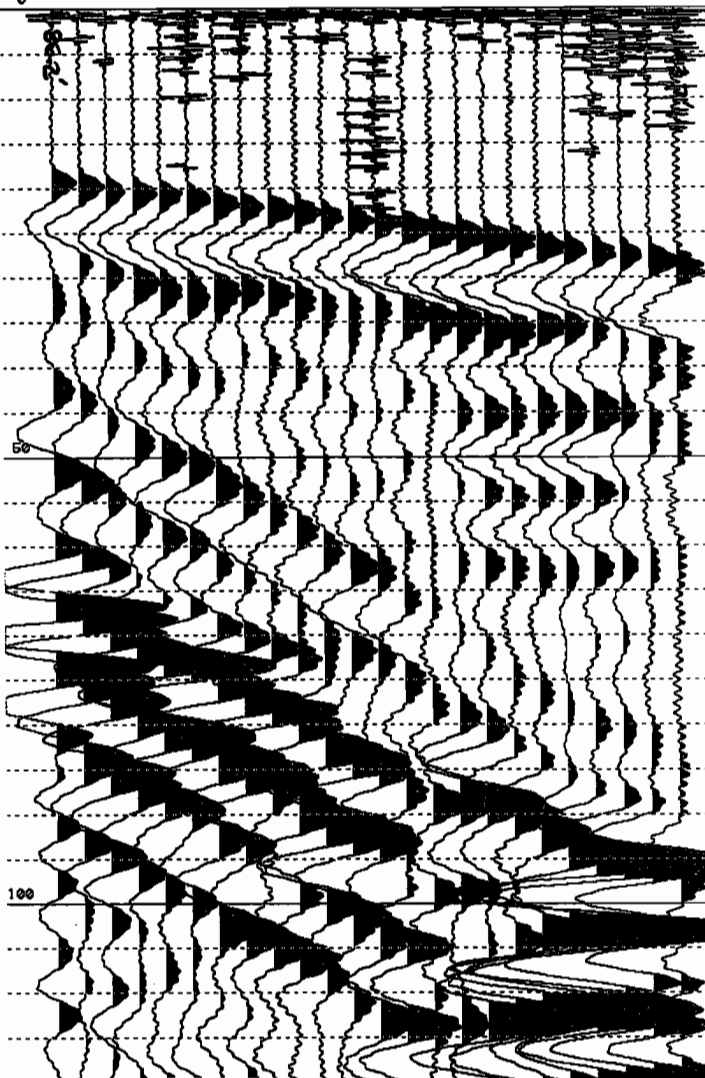
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StrataView

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**APPENDIX I**

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR  
GEOTECHNICAL/ENVIRONMENTAL REPORT**



## **Important Information About Your Geotechnical/Environmental Report**

### **CONSULTING SERVICES ARE PERFORMED FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSES AND FOR SPECIFIC CLIENTS.**

Consultants prepare reports to meet the specific needs of specific individuals. A report prepared for a civil engineer may not be adequate for a construction contractor or even another civil engineer. Unless indicated otherwise, your consultant prepared your report expressly for you and expressly for the purposes you indicated. No one other than you should apply this report for its intended purpose without first conferring with the consultant. No party should apply this report for any purpose other than that originally contemplated without first conferring with the consultant.

### **THE CONSULTANT'S REPORT IS BASED ON PROJECT-SPECIFIC FACTORS.**

A geotechnical/environmental report is based on a subsurface exploration plan designed to consider a unique set of project-specific factors. Depending on the project, these may include: the general nature of the structure and property involved; its size and configuration; its historical use and practice; the location of the structure on the site and its orientation; other improvements such as access roads, parking lots, and underground utilities; and the additional risk created by scope-of-service limitations imposed by the client. To help avoid costly problems, ask the consultant to evaluate how any factors that change subsequent to the date of the report may affect the recommendations. Unless your consultant indicates otherwise, your report should not be used: (1) when the nature of the proposed project is changed (for example, if an office building will be erected instead of a parking garage, or if a refrigerated warehouse will be built instead of an unrefrigerated one, or chemicals are discovered on or near the site); (2) when the size, elevation, or configuration of the proposed project is altered; (3) when the location or orientation of the proposed project is modified; (4) when there is a change of ownership; or (5) for application to an adjacent site. Consultants cannot accept responsibility for problems that may occur if they are not consulted after factors which were considered in the development of the report have changed.

### **SUBSURFACE CONDITIONS CAN CHANGE.**

Subsurface conditions may be affected as a result of natural processes or human activity. Because a geotechnical/environmental report is based on conditions that existed at the time of subsurface exploration, construction decisions should not be based on a report whose adequacy may have been affected by time. Ask the consultant to advise if additional tests are desirable before construction starts; for example, groundwater conditions commonly vary seasonally.

Construction operations at or adjacent to the site and natural events such as floods, earthquakes, or groundwater fluctuations may also affect subsurface conditions and, thus, the continuing adequacy of a geotechnical/environmental report. The consultant should be kept apprised of any such events, and should be consulted to determine if additional tests are necessary.

### **MOST RECOMMENDATIONS ARE PROFESSIONAL JUDGMENTS.**

Site exploration and testing identifies actual surface and subsurface conditions only at those points where samples are taken. The data were extrapolated by your consultant, who then applied judgment to render an opinion about overall subsurface conditions. The actual interface between materials may be far more gradual or abrupt than your report indicates. Actual conditions in areas not sampled may differ from those predicted in your report. While nothing can be done to prevent such situations, you and your consultant can work together to help reduce their impacts. Retaining your consultant to observe subsurface construction operations can be particularly beneficial in this respect.

### **A REPORT'S CONCLUSIONS ARE PRELIMINARY.**

The conclusions contained in your consultant's report are preliminary because they must be based on the assumption that conditions revealed through selective exploratory sampling are indicative of actual conditions throughout a site. Actual



subsurface conditions can be discerned only during earthwork; therefore, you should retain your consultant to observe actual conditions and to provide conclusions. Only the consultant who prepared the report is fully familiar with the background information needed to determine whether or not the report's recommendations based on those conclusions are valid and whether or not the contractor is abiding by applicable recommendations. The consultant who developed your report cannot assume responsibility or liability for the adequacy of the report's recommendations if another party is retained to observe construction.

#### **THE CONSULTANT'S REPORT IS SUBJECT TO MISINTERPRETATION.**

Costly problems can occur when other design professionals develop their plans based on misinterpretation of a geotechnical/environmental report. To help avoid these problems, the consultant should be retained to work with other project design professionals to explain relevant geotechnical, geological, hydrogeological, and environmental findings, and to review the adequacy of their plans and specifications relative to these issues.

#### **BORING LOGS AND/OR MONITORING WELL DATA SHOULD NOT BE SEPARATED FROM THE REPORT.**

Final boring logs developed by the consultant are based upon interpretation of field logs (assembled by site personnel), field test results, and laboratory and/or office evaluation of field samples and data. Only final boring logs and data are customarily included in geotechnical/environmental reports. These final logs should not, under any circumstances, be redrawn for inclusion in architectural or other design drawings, because drafters may commit errors or omissions in the transfer process.

To reduce the likelihood of boring log or monitoring well misinterpretation, contractors should be given ready access to the complete geotechnical engineering/environmental report prepared or authorized for their use. If access is provided only to the report prepared for you, you should advise contractors of the report's limitations, assuming that a contractor was not one of the specific persons for whom the report was prepared, and that developing construction cost estimates was not one of the specific purposes for which it was prepared. While a contractor may gain important knowledge from a report prepared for another party, the contractor should discuss the report with your consultant and perform the additional or alternative work believed necessary to obtain the data specifically appropriate for construction cost estimating purposes. Some clients hold the mistaken impression that simply disclaiming responsibility for the accuracy of subsurface information always insulates them from attendant liability. Providing the best available information to contractors helps prevent costly construction problems and the adversarial attitudes that aggravate them to a disproportionate scale.

#### **READ RESPONSIBILITY CLAUSES CLOSELY.**

Because geotechnical/environmental engineering is based extensively on judgment and opinion, it is far less exact than other design disciplines. This situation has resulted in wholly unwarranted claims being lodged against consultants. To help prevent this problem, consultants have developed a number of clauses for use in their contracts, reports and other documents. These responsibility clauses are not exculpatory clauses designed to transfer the consultant's liabilities to other parties; rather, they are definitive clauses that identify where the consultant's responsibilities begin and end. Their use helps all parties involved recognize their individual responsibilities and take appropriate action. Some of these definitive clauses are likely to appear in your report, and you are encouraged to read them closely. Your consultant will be pleased to give full and frank answers to your questions.

The preceding paragraphs are based on information provided by the  
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