

NSP SHERBURNE COUNTY GENERATING PLANT

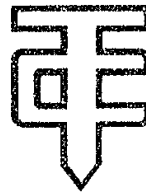
BOTTOM ASH POND REVISIONS

BECKER, MINNESOTA

LABORATORY #9-1357



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Subj: NSP Sherburne County Generating Plant
Bottom Ash Pond Revisions
Becker, Minnesota
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We have completed our testing work for the Bottom Ash Pond Revisions. Our final report is attached. Copies of the report are being sent as noted below. This work was performed under your Purchase Order #A82926CT.

We appreciate having had the opportunity to work with you on this project. If you have any questions, please contact us.

Very truly yours,

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OBSERVATIONS AND TEST PROGRAM
BOTTOM ASH POND REVISION
SHERBURNE COUNTY GENERATING PLANT
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INTRODUCTION

This report concerns the observations and testing we performed during the recent revisions to the bottom ash pond at Northern States Power Company's Sherburne County Generating Plant in Becker, Minnesota. Our work was performed in accordance with your Purchase Order No A82926CT.

The scope of our recent involvement consisted of:

1. Performing field observations at the borrow area and laboratory testing to judge if the imported cohesive fill materials were in compliance with the project specifications.
2. Performing field observations and compaction testing to document that the embankment and clay core fill materials were placed in accordance with the project specifications.
3. Performing laboratory testing to determine the permeability of undisturbed samples removed from the compacted clay core.
4. Performing laboratory testing to determine if the Type I filter material was in compliance with the project specifications.



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PROJECT INFORMATION

The recent construction consisted of completing the northeast portion of the dike around the existing bottom ash pond. This portion of the dike was originally left at a lower elevation than the remainder of the dike around the pond. Final top of dike elevation in this area will be at elevation 1000'. The lowest portion of the existing dike was approximately elevation 975' prior to the start of the recent construction.

The central core of the dike extension will consist of an impervious clay core having a minimum thickness of 10'. The project specifications require that the material used to construct the clay core consist of a material classified as either a CL, CL-SC or an SC-CL. The cohesive material is to be compacted to at least 90% of ASTM:D1557 (Modified Proctor). The moisture content of the cohesive fill at the time of placement must be in the range of 0-5% over optimum moisture content. The clay is to be obtained from an off-site borrow source designated by Northern States Power Company.

The remainder of the dike is to consist primarily of on-site granular fill materials. These sand fill materials are to be compacted to at least 95% of ASTM:D1557 (Modified Proctor).

There is an existing filter blanket present beneath the outer half of the existing dike. Since the revisions in the northeast portion of the dike will include increasing the width of the dike base, the filter blanket will also be extended outward to the toe of the new embankment. The filter blanket material is to consist of Type I material with a minimum thickness of 1 1/2'. The filter material present at the very toe of the embankment is to consist of Type II filter material.

Parallel to the toe of the new embankment, a drainage ditch is to be constructed. This ditch is to be lined with an 18" impervious blanket consisting of material similar to that used for the clay core, although an SC material could also be used in this area. The impervious blanket in the drainage ditch is to be compacted to at least 100% of the Modified Proctor density.

OBSERVATION METHODS AND RESULTS

Initial Preparation

Between August 13 and October 15, 1982, we were present at the site on a full-time basis to observe and monitor construction operations during the dike revision. Initially, we documented that the contractor removed all surficial vegetation from the embankment, and also all granular materials and the remains of a roadway from above the existing impervious clay core. The surface of the existing clay core was subsequently scarified and re-compacted using a large sheepsfoot compactor. Listed below are the elevations at which the impervious clay core was exposed at representative locations prior to the start of recent fill placement:

<u>Location</u>	<u>Top of Existing Clay Core</u>
East dike-coordinate 865, 700	Elevation 985'
East dike-coordinate 865, 600	Elevation 993'
East dike-coordinate 865, 800	Elevation 974'
North dike-coordinate 2, 028, 900	Elevation 978'
North dike-coordinate 2, 028, 800	Elevation 984'
North dike-coordinate 2, 028, 700	Elevation 991'

After completion of the preparatory operations, we observed that the width of the existing clay core was approximately 13' to 15'. The existing core was generally centered along the centerline of the dike. However, on the east dike near coordinate 865, 700, the existing clay core was off-set about 3 1/2' east from the centerline of the dike.

Cohesive Fill Importation

The contractor elected to import and construct an on-site stockpile of the clay fill material needed for the impervious clay core early in the job. During excavation of cohesive material, we provided an engineer at the borrow pit to visually and manually classify the soil and provide judgements regarding the material's suitability. Those materials classified as either CL, SC-CL, or CL-SC were approved for importation to the site.

OBSERVATION METHODS AND RESULTS

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To assist NSP's field engineers in their determination of material quantities, we performed random field density tests of the undisturbed clay borrow materials. The densities averaged 100 pcf. In addition, we performed field density tests in the materials stockpiled at the project site to obtain data regarding the field density in a loose stockpiled condition, similar to the density the soil would have in a truck. The densities of the material in the loose condition averaged 77 pcf. We have attached a data sheet summarizing our field density tests in the borrow and stockpile areas.

Impervious Core Construction

During placement of the cohesive fill materials within the impervious core, we performed observations and documented that no granular fill materials became trapped within the new clay core. We also documented that those portions of the cohesive fill which became unacceptably dry were removed from the core area prior to placement of the succeeding lifts of cohesive fill. We observed that the cohesive fill was placed in maximum 8" thick layers, and that a large sheepsfoot compactor was utilized to thoroughly compact these materials prior to placement of additional fill. We documented that the width of the new core was at least 10'-12'.

During compaction of the cohesive fill materials, a series of field density tests were performed. These tests were performed at about 2' vertical intervals at representative locations within the new construction. The tests were performed utilizing the sand cone method, and the field density results were evaluated on the basis of ASTM:D1557 (Modified Proctor). Attached to this report are data sheets regarding each of the field compaction tests, as well as summary sheets including pertinent information about these density tests.

Based on the results of our recent testing, it is our opinion the clay core fill materials were placed and compacted in compliance with the project specifications.

OBSERVATION METHODS AND RESULTS

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Embankment Fill Construction

We were also present at the site on a full-time basis during the compaction and placement of the embankment fill materials adjacent to the clay core. Prior to fill placement, we observed that all surficial vegetation was removed from the existing embankments, and that the exposed granular materials were surface compacted. The existing embankment consisted primarily of sands and silty sands which would be classified as either SM or SP-SM. During placement of the new fill materials, we documented that the existing embankment face was terraced so that the new fill materials could be placed in relatively horizontal lifts.

During placement of the embankment fill materials, we performed a series of field density tests to document the effectiveness of the compaction procedures. Again, the compaction tests were evaluated on the basis of ASTM:D1557. Most of the on-site sands were very dry. It was necessary for the contractor to wet down these soils prior to compacting them in order to obtain the specified density.

Data sheets regarding each of the field density tests as well as a summary sheet indicating pertinent information regarding our tests of the granular embankment fill materials are attached. Based on this data, it is our opinion the embankment fill materials were placed and compacted in general compliance with the project specifications.

Permeability Testing

During placement and compaction of the impervious clay core, we obtained four undisturbed samples of the compacted cohesive fill materials. As indicated by the project specifications, two of these undisturbed samples were obtained after approximately 15% of the cohesive fill material had been placed. The remaining two samples were obtained after approximately 80-85% of the fill materials had been placed. The remaining two samples were obtained in accordance with ASTM procedure D1587. The 3" diameter thinwall tube samples were

OBSERVATION METHODS AND RESULTS

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then submitted to the laboratory, where they were extruded, and subjected to Falling Head permeability tests.

The samples were subjected to a maximum test head of 10', with a confining pressure 2 psi greater than the test head. In addition, the density and plasticity index of each of the samples were determined in the laboratory. The laboratory test results are indicated on the attached data sheet.

A review of the data suggests the permeability rates vary from 10^{-6} to about 10^{-8} cm/sec. The initial two samples, which consisted of CL type material, had permeability rates of 10^{-8} range. The final tube samples, obtained from the upper portions of the clay core, consisted of a mixture of sandy clay and clayey sand. The permeability of this material was considerably faster, in the range of 10^{-6} .

Filter Blanket Material

During our involvement, we also observed that the existing filter blanket beneath the outer portions of the existing embankment was extended to the toe of the new embankment prior to the placement of the embankment fill materials. The results of our laboratory gradation indicated the filter material was in compliance with the specified Type I material.

Drainage Ditch Line

At the time of our involvement terminated this fall, the drainage ditch at the toe of the embankment had not been completed and the Type II filter materials had not been placed in the specified area near the toe of the new embankment. We have observed the cohesive fill materials imported into the drainage ditch area, and it is our opinion these materials comply with the project specifications. Based on our recent conversations with Roger Anderson of NSP, we understand that no additional testing will be required in this area.

COMPACTION TESTS

CLAY CORE



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LABORATORY No. 9-1292

TEST NUMBER:

C-1 C-2 C-3 C-4

DATE TAKEN:

August 17, 1982 August 17, 1982 August 17, 1982 August 17, 1982

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:

(Moisture-Density Sample Number)

Sandy clay, Sandy clay, Sandy clay, Sandy clay,
trace of gravel, a little gravel, trace of gravel, a little gravel,
brown (SC-CL)-2 brown (SC-CL)-2 brown (SC-CL)-2 brown (SC-CL)-2

LOCATION:

East dike, East dike, East dike, North dike,
existing clay existing clay existing clay existing clay
core, coordi- core, coordi- core, coordi- core, coordi-
nate N 866,120 nate N 866,000 nate N 865,800 nate E 2,028,810

ELEVATION OF TEST:

976' 973' 974' 984'

DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:

6" 6" 6" 6"

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method	Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)
Dry Density (pcf)	115 119 124 124
Moisture Content (%)	11.1 14.3 11.7 11.1
Plus #4 Material (%)	5 9 5 8

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)
Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	126.0 126.0 126.0 126.0
Optimum Moisture (%)	11.3 11.3 11.3 11.3

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	91 94.5 99 99
Specified Compaction (%)	90 90 90 90

ATTENTION:

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TEST NUMBER:

C-5

C-6

C-7

DATE TAKEN:

August 18, 1982 August 18, 1982 August 18, 1982

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:

(Moisture-Density Sample Number)

Sandy clay, Sandy clay, Sandy clay,
a little gravel, a little gravel, trace of gravel,
brown (SC-CL)-2 brown (SC-CL)-2 brown (SC-CL)-2

LOCATION:

East dike,
clay core,
coordinate N
866,100

East dike,
clay core,
coordinate N
866,000

East dike,
clay core,
coordinate N
865,850

ELEVATION OF TEST:

977.5'

975'

975.5'

DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:

6"

6"

6"

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method	Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)
Dry Density (pcf)	115
Moisture Content (%)	14.0
Plus #4 Material (%)	8

115

12.4

6

115

13.0

4

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (- #4 Basis)
Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	126.0
Optimum Moisture (%)	11.3

126.0

11.3

126.0

11.3

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	91
Specified Compaction (%)	90

91

90

91

90

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TEST NUMBER:

C-8

C-9

C-10

C-11

DATE TAKEN:

August 19, 1982 August 19, 1982 August 19, 1982 August 19, 1982

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:

(Moisture-Density Sample Number)

Sandy clay, trace of gravel, brown (SC)-4 Sandy clay, trace of gravel, brown (SC)-4 Sandy clay, trace of gravel, brown (SC)-4 Sandy clay, trace of gravel, brown (SC)-4

LOCATION:

East dike,
clay core,
coordinate N
866,130

East dike,
clay core,
coordinate N
866,050

East dike,
clay core,
coordinate N
865,850

East dike,
clay core,
coordinate N
865,700

ELEVATION OF TEST:

979'

979'

976.5'

988.5'

DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:

1'

1'

1'

1'

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method	Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)
Dry Density (pcf)	116 123 123 117
Moisture Content (%)	14.3 12.4 12.3 13.3
Plus #4 Material (%)	5 4 3 4

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)
Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	123.9 123.9 123.9 123.9
Optimum Moisture (%)	11.2 11.2 11.2 11.2

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	93.5 99 99 94.5
Specified Compaction (%)	90 90 90 90

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TEST NUMBER:

C-12

C-13

DATE TAKEN:

August 19, 1982

August 19, 1982

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:

(Moisture-Density Sample Number)

Sandy clay, a little gravel,
brown (SC)-4

Sandy clay, a little gravel,
brown (SC)-4

LOCATION:

North dike, clay core,
coordinate E 2,028,950

North dike, clay core,
coordinate E 028,800

ELEVATION OF TEST:

979'

985'

DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:

10"

10"

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method	Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)
Dry Density (pcf)	123
Moisture Content (%)	11.7
Plus #4 Material (%)	7

123
11.7
6

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (- #4 Basis)
Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	123.9
Optimum Moisture (%)	11.2

123.9
11.2

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	97
Specified Compaction (%)	90

99
90

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LABORATORY No. 9-1292

TEST NUMBER:

C-14 C-15 C-16 C-17

DATE TAKEN:

August 26, 1982 August 26, 1982 August 26, 1982 August 26, 1982

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:

(Moisture-Density Sample Number)

Sandy clay, Sandy clay, Sandy clay, Sandy clay,
trace of gravel, a little gravel, trace of gravel, trace of gravel,
brown (SC-CL)-4 brown (SC-CL)-4 brown (SC-CL)-4 brown (SC-CL)-4

LOCATION:

East dike, East dike, North dike, North dike,
clay core, clay core, clay core, clay core,
coordinate coordinate coordinate coordinate
N865,900 N866,000 E2,028,900 E2,028,800

ELEVATION OF TEST:

980' 980.5' 981.5' 984'

DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:

8" 8" 8" 8"

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method	Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)			
Dry Density	(pcf)	124	113.5	125.5
Moisture Content	(%)	10.8	10.8	12.0
Plus #4 Material	(%)	5	9	3

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)			
Maximum Dry Density	(pcf)	123.9	123.9	123.9
Optimum Moisture	(%)	11.2	11.2	11.2

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction	(%)	100	91.5	101	99
Specified Compaction	(%)	90	90	90	90

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<u>TEST NUMBER:</u>	C-18	C-19	C-20	C-21
<u>DATE TAKEN:</u>	August 30, 1982	August 30, 1982	August 30, 1982	August 30, 1982
<u>UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:</u> (Moisture-Density Sample Number)	Sandy clay, a little gravel, trace of gravel, brown (SC-CL)-4	Sandy clay, a little gravel, trace of gravel, brown (SC-CL)-4	Sandy clay, a little gravel, trace of gravel, brown (SC-CL)-4	Sandy clay, a little gravel, trace of gravel, brown (SC-CL)-4

<u>LOCATION:</u>	East dike, clay core, coordinate N865,900	East dike, clay core, coordinate N865,750	North dike, clay core, coordinate E2,028,900	North dike, clay core, coordinate E2,028,800
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<u>ELEVATION OF TEST:</u>	982.0'	983.5'	982.5'	985.5'
<u>DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:</u>	1'	1'	1'	1'

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method	Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)
Dry Density (pcf)	116 117 122 115
Moisture Content (%)	13.0 12.7 13.0 12.7
Plus #4 Material (%)	9 4 10 4

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)
Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	123.9 123.9 123.9 123.9
Optimum Moisture (%)	11.2 11.2 11.2 11.2

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	94 95 99 93
Specified Compaction (%)	90 90 90 90

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TEST NUMBER:

C-22

C-23

C-24

C-25

DATE TAKEN:

Sept 10, 1982

Sept 10, 1982

Sept 10, 1982

Sept 10, 1982

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:

(Moisture-Density Sample Number)

Sandy clay,
trace of grav-
el, brown
(SC-CL)-4

Sandy clay,
trace of grav-
el, brown
(SC-CL)-4

Sandy clay,
trace of grav-
el, brown
(SC-CL)-4

Sandy clay,
trace of grav-
el, brown
(SC-CL)-4

LOCATION:

East dike
coofdnate
N865,850

East dike
coordinate
N866,000

North dike
coordinate
E2,029,010

North dike
coordinate
E2,028,700

ELEVATION OF TEST:

984.5'

985.5'

986'

987'

DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:

1'

1'

1'

1'

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)

Dry Density	(pcf)	123	117	128	128
Moisture Content	(%)	12.4	13.0	14.3	14.3
Plus #4 Material	(%)	5	4	7	4

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)

Maximum Dry Density	(pcf)	123.9	123.9	128.3	128.3
Optimum Moisture	(%)	11.2	11.2	11.0	11.0

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction	(%)	99	94.5	99.5	99.5
Specified Compaction	(%)	90	90	90	90

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LABORATORY No. 9-1357

TEST NUMBER:

C-26

C-27

C-28

C-29

DATE TAKEN:

Sept 16, 1982

Sept 16, 1982

Sept 16, 1982

Sept 17, 1982

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:

(Moisture-Density Sample Number)

Sandy clay,
trace of grav-
el, brown
(SC-CL)-4

Sandy clay,
trace of grav-
el, brown
(SC-CL)-4

Sandy clay,
a little grav-
el, brown
(SC-CL)-4

Sandy clay,
trace of grav-
el, brown
(SC-CL)-4

LOCATION:

East dike
coordinate
N865,850

East dike
coordinate
N866,000

East dike
coordinate
N865,900

East dike
coordinate
N866,050

ELEVATION OF TEST:

987'

988'

989'

990'

DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:

1'

1'

1'

1'

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)

Dry Density (pcf)	124	112.5	124	115
Moisture Content (%)	12.4	11.1	12.4	11.7
Plus #4 Material (%)	4	5	7	4

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)

Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	123.9	123.9	123.9	123.9
Optimum Moisture (%)	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	100	91	100	93
Specified Compaction (%)	90	90	90	90

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LABORATORY No. 9-1357

TEST NUMBER:

C-30

C-31

C-32

C-33

DATE TAKEN:

Sept 17, 1982

Sept 17, 1982

Sept 20, 1982

Sept 20, 1982

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:
(Moisture-Density Sample Number)

Sandy clay,
a little grav-
el, brown
(SC-CL)-4

Sandy clay,
a little grav-
el, brown
(CL)-1

Sandy clay,
a little grav-
el, brown
(SC-CL)-4

Sandy clay,
a little grav-
el, brown
(SC-CL)-4

LOCATION:

North dike
coordinate
E2,028,800

North dike
coordinate
E2,029,000

East dike
coordinate
N865,700

East dike
coordinate
N866,050

ELEVATION OF TEST:

987'

988'

991'

992'

DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:

1'

1'

1'

1'

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method	Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)
Dry Density (pcf)	116
Moisture Content (%)	14.5
Plus #4 Material (%)	9

125

14.5

8

116

13.3

9

123

14.3

7

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)
Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	123.9
Optimum Moisture (%)	11.2

128.3

11.0

123.9

11.2

123.9

11.2

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	94
Specified Compaction (%)	90

95

90

94

90

99

90

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<u>TEST NUMBER:</u>	C-34	C-35	C-36	C-37
<u>DATE TAKEN:</u>	Sept 20, 1982	Sept 20, 1982	Sept 21, 1982	Sept 21, 1982
<u>UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:</u> (Moisture-Density Sample Number)	Sandy clay, a little grav- el, brown (SC-CL)-4	Sandy clay, a little grav- el, brown (SC-CL)-4	Sandy clay, a little grav- el, brown (SC-CL)-4	Sandy clay, a little grav- el, brown (SC-CL)-4

<u>LOCATION:</u>	East dike coordinate N865,800	East dike coordinate N866,000	East dike coordinate N865,850	East dike coordinate N866,000
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<u>ELEVATION OF TEST:</u>	993'	994'	994.5'	995'
<u>DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:</u>	1'	1'	1'	1'

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method	Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)			
Dry Density (pcf)	122	115	121.5	114
Moisture Content (%)	13.0	11.1	13.3	13.0
Plus #4 Material (%)	8	6	8	7

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (- #4 Basis)			
Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	123.9	123.9	123.9	123.9
Optimum Moisture (%)	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	98.5	93	98	92.5
Specified Compaction (%)	90	90	90	90

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LABORATORY No. 9-1357

TEST NUMBER:

C-38

C-39

DATE TAKEN:

Sept 21, 1982

Sept 21, 1982

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:

(Moisture-Density Sample Number)

Sandy clay,
a little gravel,
brown (CL)-2

Sandy clay,
a little gravel,
brown (CL)-2

LOCATION:

North dike
coordinate
E2,028,880

North dike
coordinate
E2,029,000

ELEVATION OF TEST:

989.5'

991'

DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:

1'

1'

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method	Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)
Dry Density (pcf)	124
Moisture Content (%)	12.7
Plus #4 Material (%)	6

9

120.5
12.4

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)
Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	126.0
Optimum Moisture (%)	11.3

126.0
11.3

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	98.5
Specified Compaction (%)	90

96
90

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TEST NUMBER:

C-40

C-41

C-42

C-43

DATE TAKEN:

Sept 22, 1982

Sept 22, 1982

Sept 22, 1982

Sept 23, 1982

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:

(Moisture-Density Sample Number)

Sandy clay,
trace of grav-
el, brown
(SC-CL)-4

Sandy clay,
a little grav-
el, brown
(SC-CL)-4

Sandy clay,
trace of grav-
el, brown
(SC-CL)-4

Sandy clay,
a little grav-
el, brown
(SC-CL)-4

LOCATION:

East dike
coordinate
N866,120

East dike
coordinate
N866,000

East dike
coordinate
N865,850

East dike
coordinate
N865,800

ELEVATION OF TEST:

994'

994'

995'

996'

DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:

1'

1'

1'

1'

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)

Dry Density	(pcf)	112.5	112	123	122
Moisture Content	(%)	13.0	12.7	12.4	12.7
Plus #4 Material	(%)	5	6	5	6

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)

Maximum Dry Density	(pcf)	123.9	123.9	123.9	123.9
Optimum Moisture	(%)	11.2	11.2	11.2	11.2

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction	(%)	91	90.5	99	98.5
Specified Compaction	(%)	90	90	90	90

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TEST NUMBER:

C-44

C-45

C-46

C-47

DATE TAKEN:

Sept 23, 1982

Sept 23, 1982

Sept 23, 1982

Sept 24, 1982

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:
(Moisture-Density Sample Number)

Sandy clay,
a little grav-
el, brown
(SC-CL)-4

Sandy clay,
a little grav-
el, brown
(SC-CL)-4

Sandy clay,
a little grav-
el, brown
(SC-CL)-4

Sandy clay,
a little grav-
el, brown
(SC-CL)-4

LOCATION:

East dike
coordinate
N865, 750

East dike
coordinate
N865, 950

East dike
coordinate
N866, 180

North dike
coordinate
E2,028, 950

ELEVATION OF TEST:

997'

997'

995'

993'

DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:

1'

1'

1'

1'

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)

Dry Density	(pcf)	120	119	117	112
Moisture Content	(%)	12.4	12.4	11.1	12.4
Plus #4 Material	(%)	6	10	9	7

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)	
Maximum Dry Density	(pcf)	123.9
Optimum Moisture	(%)	11.2

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction	(%)	97	96	94.5	90.5
Specified Compaction	(%)	90	90	90	90

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TEST NUMBER:

C-48

C-49

DATE TAKEN:

Sept 24, 1982

Sept 24, 1982

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:

(Moisture-Density Sample Number)

Sandy clay,
a little gravel,
brown (SC-CL)-4

Sandy clay,
a little gravel,
brown (SC-CL)-4

LOCATION:

North dike
coordinate
E2,029,000

North dike
coordinate
E2,028,800

ELEVATION OF TEST:

994.5'

996'

DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:

1'

1'

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method	Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)
Dry Density (pcf)	118.5
Moisture Content (%)	14.3
Plus #4 Material (%)	7

120.5
13.0
6

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (- #4 Basis)
Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	123.9
Optimum Moisture (%)	11.2

123.9
11.2

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	96
Specified Compaction (%)	90

97.7
90

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LABORATORY No. 9-1292

TEST NUMBER:

E-1

E-2

E-3

E-4

DATE TAKEN:

August 20, 1982 August 20, 1982 August 20, 1982 August 20, 1982

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:

(Moisture-Density Sample Number)

Silty sand,
mostly fine
grained, trace
of gravel,
dark brown
(SM)-5

Silty sand,
mostly fine
grained, a
little gravel,
dark brown
(SM)-5

Silty sand,
mostly fine
grained, a
little gravel,
dark brown
(SM)-5

Silty sand,
mostly fine
grained, a
little gravel,
dark brown
(SM)-5

LOCATION:

East dike,
W embankment,
coordinate N
865,900

East dike,
W embankment,
coordinate N
865,900

East dike,
E embankment,
coordinate N
865,900

East dike,
E embankment,
coordinate N
865,900

ELEVATION OF TEST:

976.5'

979'

976.5'

979'

DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:

1'

1'

1'

1'

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)

Dry Density	(pcf)	119	111	122	112
Moisture Content	(%)	7.0	8.7	8.1	5.3
Plus #4 Material	(%)	3	15	9	6

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)			
Maximum Dry Density	(pcf)	125.0	125.0	125.0
Optimum Moisture	(%)	11.1	11.1	11.1

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction	(%)	95.5	89	97.5	90
Specified Compaction	(%)	95	95	95	95

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LABORATORY No. 9-1292

TEST NUMBER:

E-5

E-6

DATE TAKEN:

August 20, 1982

August 20, 1982

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:

(Moisture-Density Sample Number)

Silty sand, mostly fine
grained, a little gravel,
brown (SM)-5

Silty sand, mostly fine
grained, trace of gravel,
brown (SM)-5

LOCATION:

North dike, N embankment,
coordinate E2, 029, 010

East dike, E embankment,
coordinate N866, 090

ELEVATION OF TEST:

975'

978'

DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:

1'

1'

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method	Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)
Dry Density (pcf)	125
Moisture Content (%)	4.3
Plus #4 Material (%)	7

118.5
4.7
2

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)
Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	125.0
Optimum Moisture (%)	11.1

125.0
11.1

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	100
Specified Compaction (%)	95

95
95

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LABORATORY No. 9-1292

TEST NUMBER:

E-7

E-8

E-9

E-10

DATE TAKEN:

August 23, 1982 August 23, 1982 August 23, 1982 August 23, 1982

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:

(Moisture-Density Sample Number)

Silty sand,
mostly fine
grained, a
little gravel,
dark brown
(SM)-5

Silty sand,
mostly fine
grained, trace
of gravel,
dark brown
(SM)-5

Silty sand,
mostly fine
grained, dark
brown (SM)-5

Silty sand,
mostly fine
grained, dark
brown (SM)-5

LOCATION:

East dike,
E embankment,
coordinate
N865,900
(retest of #E-4)

East dike,
W embankment,
coordinate
N865,900
(retest of #E-2)

East dike,
W embankment,
coordinate
N866,065

East dike,
W embankment,
coordinate
N865,950

ELEVATION OF TEST:

977.5'

977.5'

980'

980'

DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:

1'

1'

1'

1'

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)

Dry Density	(pcf)	128	125.5	117	110
Moisture Content	(%)	7.2	7.0	6.4	7.0
Plus #4 Material	(%)	6	4	0	0

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)				
Maximum Dry Density	(pcf)	125.0	125.0	125.0	125.0
Optimum Moisture	(%)	11.1	11.1	11	11

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction	(%)	102.5	100.5	93.5	88
Specified Compaction	(%)	95	95	95	95

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LABORATORY No. 9-1292

TEST NUMBER:

E-11

E-12

E-13

E-14

DATE TAKEN:

August 24, 1982 August 24, 1982 August 24, 1982 August 24, 1982

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:

(Moisture-Density Sample Number)

Silty sand,
mostly fine
grained, trace
of gravel,
dark brown
(SM)-5

Silty sand,
mostly fine
grained, trace
of gravel,
dark brown
(SM)-5

Sand, fine to
medium grained,
trace of gravel,
brown (SP)-6

Sand, fine to
medium grained,
trace of gravel,
brown (SP)-6

LOCATION:

East dike,
W embankment,
coordinate
N866,065
(retest of E-9)

East dike,
W embankment,
coordinate
N865,950
(retest of E-10)

East dike,
toe ditch fill
area, coordi-
nate N865,900

East dike,
toe ditch fill
area, coordi-
nate N866,100

ELEVATION OF TEST:

980'

980'

960'

960'

DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:

1'

1'

10"

10"

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method	Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)
Dry Density (pcf)	121
Moisture Content (%)	7.2
Plus #4 Material (%)	1

118.5

7.5

1

111

2.0

3

119

2.8

3

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)
Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	125.0
Optimum Moisture (%)	11.1

125.0

11.1

115.2

11.9

115.2

11.9

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	97
Specified Compaction (%)	95

95

95

96

95

103

95

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TEST NUMBER:

E-15

E-16

E-17

E-18

DATE TAKEN:

August 24, 1982 August 24, 1982 August 25, 1982 August 25, 1982

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:

(Moisture-Density Sample Number)

Sand, mostly fine grained, trace of gravel, brown (SP-SM)-7	Silty sand, mostly fine grained, a little gravel, dark brown (SM)-5	Sand, fine to medium grained, trace of gravel, brown (SP)-6	Sand, mostly fine grained, trace of gravel, brown (SP-SM)-7
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LOCATION:

North dike,
S embankment,
coordinate
E2,028,750

North dike,
N embankment,
coordinate
E2,028,750

East dike,
E embankment,
coordinate
N865,750

East dike,
W embankment,
coordinate
N865,750

ELEVATION OF TEST:

986'

986'

979'

981'

DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:

10"

10"

8"

8"

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)

Dry Density (pcf)	114	119	111	114
Moisture Content (%)	3.6	6.4	2.8	3.4
Plus #4 Material (%)	1	10	5	2

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)

Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	120.0	125.0	115.2	120.0
Optimum Moisture (%)	10.5	11.1	11.9	10.5

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	95	95.5	96.5	95
Specified Compaction (%)	95	95	95	95

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TEST NUMBER:

E-19

E-20

E-21

E-22

DATE TAKEN:

August 25, 1982 August 25, 1982 August 25, 1982 August 25, 1982

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:

(Moisture-Density Sample Number)

Silty sand, mostly fine grained, trace of gravel, dark brown (SM)-5	Silty sand, mostly fine grained, trace of gravel, dark brown (SM)-5	Sand, mostly fine grained, a little gravel, brown (SP-SM)-7	Sand, mostly fine grained, trace of gravel, brown (SP-SM)-7
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LOCATION:

North dike,
S embankment,
coordinate
E2,028,900

North dike,
N embankment,
coordinate
E2,028,900

Toe of east
dike, E embank-
ment, coordi-
nate N865,800

Toe of east
dike, E embank-
ment, coordi-
nate 866,000

ELEVATION OF TEST:

979.5'

980.5'

961'

961'

DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:

10"

10"

8"

8"

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method	Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)
Dry Density (pcf)	111.5
Moisture Content (%)	5.8
Plus #4 Material (%)	2

125

9.3

3

118.5

4.2

11

118

3.4

4

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)
Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	125.0
Optimum Moisture (%)	11.1

125.0

11.1

120.0

10.5

120.0

10.5

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	89.5	100	98.5	98
Specified Compaction (%)	95	95	95	95

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TEST NUMBER:	E-23	E-24	E-25	E-26
DATE TAKEN:	August 25, 1982	August 25, 1982	August 26, 1982	August 26, 1982
UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION: (Moisture-Density Sample Number)	Sand, fine to medium grained, a little gravel, brown (SP)-6	Sand, fine to medium grained, trace of gravel, brown (SP)-6	Sand, mostly fine grained, trace of gravel, brown (SP-SM)-7	Sand, mostly fine grained, brown (SP)-8

LOCATION:	East dike, W embankment, coordinate N866,000	East dike, E embankment, coordinate N866,000	North dike, S embankment, coordinate E2,028,900	East dike, E embankment, coordinate N866,090
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ELEVATION OF TEST:	979.5'	978.5'	979.5'	978'
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DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:	10"	10"	10"	10"
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FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method	Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)			
Dry Density (pcf)	111.5	114.5	116.5	104.5
Moisture Content (%)	2.8	4.2	5.8	4.7
Plus #4 Material (%)	8	4	2	0

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)			
Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	115.2	115.2	120.0	109.8
Optimum Moisture (%)	11.9	11.9	10.5	13.8

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	97	99.5	97	95
Specified Compaction (%)	95	95	95	95

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LABORATORY No. 9-1292

TEST NUMBER:

E-27

E-28

E-29

E-30

DATE TAKEN:

August 27, 1982 August 27, 1982 August 27, 1982 August 27, 1982

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:

(Moisture-Density Sample Number)

Sand, mostly fine grained, trace of gravel, brown (SP-SM)-7	Silty sand, mostly fine grained, a little gravel, dark brown (SM-5)	Sand, fine to medium grained, trace of gravel, brown (SP)-6	Sand, mostly fine grained, trace of gravel, brown (SP)-8
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LOCATION:

East dike, E embankment, coordinate N865,800	East dike, W embankment, coordinate N865,750	East dike, E embankment, coordinate N866,050	East dike, E embankment, coordinate N865,900
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ELEVATION OF TEST:

982.5' 984' 969' 971.5'

DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:

10" 10" 1' 1'

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)

Dry Density (pcf)	120.5	124	120	114
Moisture Content (%)	6.7	7.2	5.5	3.6
Plus #4 Material (%)	2	7	5	2

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)

Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	120.0	125.0	115.2	109.8
Optimum Moisture (%)	10.5	11.1	11.9	13.8

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	100.5	99	104	104
Specified Compaction (%)	95	95	95	95

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TEST NUMBER:

E-31

E-32

E-33

E-34

DATE TAKEN:

August 27, 1982 August 27, 1982 August 27, 1982 August 27, 1982

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:

(Moisture-Density Sample Number)

Sand, fine to medium grained, trace of gravel, brown (SP)-6 Sand, mostly fine grained, trace of gravel, brown (SP-SM)-7 Sand, mostly fine grained, trace of gravel, brown (SP-SM)-7 Sand, mostly fine grained, trace of gravel, brown (SP-SM)-7

LOCATION:

North dike, N embankment, coordinate E2,028,800

North dike, S embankment, coordinate E2,028,800

East dike, E embankment, coordinate N866,000

East dike, E embankment, coordinate N865,800

ELEVATION OF TEST:

987'

987.5'

971.5'

973'

DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:

10'

10"

10"

10"

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)

Dry Density (pcf)	111	121	115.5	117
Moisture Content (%)	5.0	6.4	3.4	3.6
Plus #4 Material (%)	4	4	5	5

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)

Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	115.2	120.0	120.0	120.0
Optimum Moisture (%)	11.9	10.5	10.5	10.5

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	96.5	101	96	97.5
Specified Compaction (%)	95	95	95	95

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TEST NUMBER:

E-35

E-36

E-37

E-38

DATE TAKEN:

August 27, 1982 August 27, 1982 August 27, 1982 August 27, 1982

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:

(Moisture-Density Sample Number)

Sand, mostly fine grained, trace of gravel, brown (SP-SM)-7
Sand, fine to medium grained, trace of gravel, brown (SP)-6
Sand, fine to medium grained, trace of gravel, brown (SP)-6
Sand, fine to medium grained, trace of gravel, brown (SP)-6

LOCATION:

East dike,
E embankment,
coordinate
N865,950

East dike,
W embankment,
coordinate
N865,950

East dike,
W embankment,
coordinate
N866,050

East dike,
E embankment,
coordinate
N866,050

ELEVATION OF TEST:

982'

982.5'

982'

981'

DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:

10"

10"

10"

10"

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)

Dry Density (pcf)	116.5	116.5	119	115
Moisture Content (%)	8.7	5.3	5.8	6.1
Plus #4 Material (%)	1	2	3	3

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (- #4 Basis)

Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	120.0	115.2	115.2	115.2
Optimum Moisture (%)	10.5	11.9	11.9	11.9

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	97	101	103	100
Specified Compaction (%)	95	95	95	95

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TEST NUMBER:

E-39

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E-41

E-42

DATE TAKEN:

Sept 1, 1982

Sept 1, 1982

Sept 1, 1982

Sept 1, 1982

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:

(Moisture-Density Sample Number)

Sand, mostly
fine grained,
trace of grav-
el, brown
(SP-SM)-7

Sand, fine to
medium grained,
trace of grav-
el, brown
(SP)-6

Sand, fine to
medium grained,
a little grav-
el, brown
(SP)-6

Sand, mostly
fine grained
trace of grav-
el, brown
(SP-SM)-7

LOCATION:

East dike
west embankment
coordinate
N865,800

East dike
west embankment
coordinate
N865,950

East dike
west embankment
coordinate
N866,050

East dike
east embankment
coordinate
N866,100

ELEVATION OF TEST:

985'

985'

986'

981'

DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:

1'

1'

1'

1'

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)

Dry Density	(pcf)	122.5	115.5	112.5	123.0
Moisture Content	(%)	9.9	8.7	9.3	10.2
Plus #4 Material	(%)	4	4	7	3

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)				
Maximum Dry Density	(pcf)	120.0	115.2	115.2	120.0
Optimum Moisture	(%)	10.5	11.9	11.9	10.5

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction	(%)	102	100.5	97.5	102.5
Specified Compaction	(%)	95	95	95	95

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LABORATORY No. 9-1357

<u>TEST NUMBER:</u>	E-43	E-44	E-45
<u>DATE TAKEN:</u>	Sept 1, 1982	Sept 1, 1982	Sept 1, 1982
<u>UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:</u> (Moisture-Density Sample Number)	Sand, fine to medium grained, brown (SP-SM)-6	Sand, mostly fine grained, brown (SP)-7	Sand, fine to medium grained, brown (SP-SM)-6

<u>LOCATION:</u>	East dike east embankment coordinate N866,000	East dike east embankment coordinate N865,800	East dike east embankment coordinate N866,000 (Retest #E43)
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<u>ELEVATION OF TEST:</u>	982'	983'	982'
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<u>DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:</u>	1'	1'	1'
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FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method	Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)		
Dry Density (pcf)	101.5	118	109
Moisture Content (%)	10.2	8.1	10.2
Plus #4 Material (%)	6	3	7

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)		
Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	115.2	120.0	115.2
Optimum Moisture (%)	11.9	10.5	11.9

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	88.5	98.5	95
Specified Compaction (%)	95	95	95

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LABORATORY No. 9-1357

TEST NUMBER:	E46	E47	E48	E49
DATE TAKEN:	Sept 2, 1982	Sept 2, 1982	Sept 2, 1982	Sept 2, 1982
UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION: (Moisture-Density Sample Number)	Sand, fine to medium grained, trace of gravel, brown (SP)-6	Sand, fine to medium grained, trace of gravel, brown (SP)-6	Sand, fine to medium grained, trace of gravel, brown (SP)-6	Sand, fine to medium grained, trace of gravel, brown (SP)-6

LOCATION:	East dike east embankment coordinate N865750	East dike east embankment coordinate N865,880	East dike east embankment coordinate N866,000 access road	East dike east embankment coordinate N866,120 access road
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ELEVATION OF TEST:	976'	975'	973'	975'
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DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:	1'	1'	1'	1'
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FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method	Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)			
Dry Density (pcf)	109	119	119	111
Moisture Content (%)	5.3	5.8	6.4	5.8
Plus #4 Material (%)	5	4	3	4

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)			
Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	115.2	115.2	115.2	115.2
Optimum Moisture (%)	11.9	11.9	11.9	11.9

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	95	103	103	96.5
Specified Compaction (%)	95	95	95	95

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LABORATORY No. 9-1357

TEST NUMBER:

E50

E51

E52

E53

DATE TAKEN:

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Sept 2, 1982

Sept 2, 1982

Sept 2, 1982

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:

(Moisture-Density Sample Number)

Sand, mostly
fine grained,
trace of grav-
el, brown
(SP-SM)-7

Sand, mostly
fine grained,
trace of grav-
el, brown
(SP-SM)-7

Sand, mostly
fine grained,
trace of grav-
el, brown
(SP-SM)-7

Sand, mostly
fine grained,
trace of grav-
el, brown
(SP-SM)-7

LOCATION:

East dike
east embankment
coordinate
N865,800

East dike
east embankment
coordinate
N865,950
access road

East dike
east embankment
coordinate
N866,050
access road

East dike
east embankment
coordinate
N866,120

ELEVATION OF TEST:

978'

977'

975'

976'

DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:

1'

1'

1'

1'

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)

Dry Density (pcf)	121	119	118	122.5
Moisture Content (%)	7.2	6.7	6.1	9.9
Plus #4 Material (%)	5	4	4	5

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (- #4 Basis)

Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	120.0	120.0	120.0	120.0
Optimum Moisture (%)	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	101	99	98.5	102
Specified Compaction (%)	95	95	95	95

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LABORATORY No. 9-1357

TEST NUMBER:

E-54

E-55

E-56

E-57

DATE TAKEN:

Sept 7, 1982

Sept 7, 1982

Sept 7, 1982

Sept 7, 1982

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:

(Moisture-Density Sample Number)

Sand, fine to
medium grained,
a little grav-
el, brown
(SP-SM)-9

Sand, fine to
medium grained,
a little grav-
el, brown
(SP-SM)-9

Sand, fine to
medium grained,
a little grav-
el, brown
(SP-SM)-9

Sand, fine to
medium grained,
a little grav-
el, brown
(SP-SM)-9

LOCATION:

East dike
west embankment
coordinate
N865,790

East dike
west embankment
coordinate
N865,900

East dike
west embankment
coordinate
N866,090

East dike
west embankment
coordinate
N866,000

ELEVATION OF TEST:

987'

987'

987'

988'

DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:

1'

1'

1'

1'

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method	Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)
Dry Density	(pcf) 124
Moisture Content	(%) 6.4
Plus #4 Material	(%) 6

120

114

118.5

6.4

5.3

5.3

6

10

6

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)
Maximum Dry Density	(pcf) 117.7
Optimum Moisture	(%) 13.9

117.7

117.7

117.7

13.9

13.9

13.9

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction	(%) 105
Specified Compaction	(%) 95

102

97

101

95

95

95

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LABORATORY No. 9-1357

TEST NUMBER:

E-58

E-59

E-60

E-61

DATE TAKEN:

Sept 7, 1982

Sept 7, 1982

Sept 7, 1982

Sept 7, 1982

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:
(Moisture-Density Sample Number)

Sand, mostly
fine grained,
trace of grav-
el, brown
(SP-SM)-7

Sand, mostly
fine grained,
a little grav-
el, brown
(SP-SM)-7

Sand, fine to
medium grained,
a little grav-
el, brown
(SP)-6

Sand, fine to
medium grained,
trace of grav-
el, brown
(SP)-6

LOCATION:

East dike
east embankment
coordinate
N865,800

East dike
east embankment
coordinate
N865,950

East dike
east embankment
coordinate
N866,150

East dike
east embankment
coordinate
N866,000

ELEVATION OF TEST

984

983

978.5

980

DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:

1'

1'

1'

1'

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method	Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)
Dry Density (pcf)	125
Moisture Content (%)	7.0
Plus #4 Material (%)	4

117

6.7

6

114

5.5

8

112

5.3

3

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)
Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	120.0
Optimum Moisture (%)	10.5

120.0

10.5

115.2

11.9

115.2

11.9

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	104.5
Specified Compaction (%)	95

98

95

97

95

97

95

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TEST NUMBER:

E62 E63 E64 E65

DATE TAKEN:

Sept 8, 1982 Sept 8, 1982 Sept 8, 1982 Sept 8, 1982

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:

(Moisture-Density Sample Number)

Sand, fine to medium grained, a little gravel, brown (SP-SM)-9	Sand, fine to medium grained, a little gravel, brown (SP-SM)-9	Sand, mostly fine grained, a little gravel, brown (SP-SM)-7	Sand, mostly fine grained, a little gravel, brown (SP-SM)-7
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LOCATION:

East dike east embankment coordinate N865,850	East dike east embankment coordinate N866,100	East dike east embankment coordinate N865,950	East dike east embankment coordinate N865,800
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ELEVATION OF TEST:

985' 981' 984' 916.5

DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:

1' 1' 1' 1'

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method	Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)		
Dry Density (pcf)	115	115	115
Moisture Content (%)	5.0	5.3	6.1
Plus #4 Material (%)	6	8	6

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)		
Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	117.7	117.7	120.0
Optimum Moisture (%)	13.9	13.9	10.5

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	98	98	97	96
Specified Compaction (%)	95	95	95	95

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LABORATORY No. 9-1357

TEST NUMBER:

E-66

E-67

E-68

E-69

DATE TAKEN:

Sept 9, 1982

Sept 9, 1982

Sept 9, 1982

Sept 9, 1982

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:

(Moisture-Density Sample Number)

Sand, fine to
medium grained,
trace of grav-
el, brown
(SP-SM)-9

Sand, fine to
medium grained,
trace of grav-
el, brown
(SP-SM)-9

Sand, fine to
medium grained,
trace of grav-
el, brown
(SP-SM)-9

Sand, fine to
medium grained,
trace of grav-
el, brown
(SP-SM)-9

LOCATION:

East dike
east embankment
coordinate
N866,100

East dike
east embankment
coordinate
N865,950

East dike
east embankment
coordinate
N865,800

North dike
north embankment
coordinate
E2,028,800

ELEVATION OF TEST:

982'

985'

985.5'

983'

DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:

1'

1'

1'

1'

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)

Dry Density (pcf)	115	117	120	115
Moisture Content (%)	4.7	5.0	4.7	4.7
Plus #4 Material (%)	4	3	6	7

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)
Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	117.7
Optimum Moisture (%)	13.9

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	98	99	102	98
Specified Compaction (%)	95	95	95	95

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TEST NUMBER:

E-70

E-71

E-72

E-73

DATE TAKEN:

Sept 9, 1982

Sept 9, 1982

Sept 9, 1982

Sept 9, 1982

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:
(Moisture-Density Sample Number)

Sand, mostly
fine grained,
a little grav-
el, brown
(SP-SM)-7

Sand, mostly
fine grained,
a little grav-
el, brown
(SP-SM)-7

Sand, mostly
fine grained,
a little grav-
el, brown
(SP-SM)-7

Sand, mostly
fine grained,
a little grav-
el, brown
(SP)-8

LOCATION:

North dike
north
embankment
coordinate
E2,028,950

North dike
north
embankment
coordinate
E2,028,980

North dike
north
embankment
coordinate
E2,029,610

North dike
north
embankment
coordinate
E2,029,100

ELEVATION FO TEST:

981'

989'

982'

883'

DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:

1'

1'

1'

1'

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method	Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)
Dry Density (pcf)	122
Moisture Content (%)	6.1
Plus #4 Material (%)	8

125
5.5
6

116
6.4
6

107
6.4
7

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)
Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	120.0
Optimum Moisture (%)	10.5

120.0
10.5

109.8
13.8

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	101.5
Specified Compaction (%)	95

104
95

96.5
95

98
95

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<u>TEST NUMBER:</u>	E-74	E-75	E-76	E-77
<u>DATE TAKEN:</u>	Sept 10, 1982	Sept 10, 1982	Sept 10, 1982	Sept 10, 1982
<u>UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:</u> (Moisture-Density Sample Number)	Sand, fine to medium grained, trace of gravel, brown (SP-SM)-9	Sand, fine to medium grained, trace of gravel, brown (SP-SM)-9	Sand, fine to medium grained, trace of gravel, brown (SP-SM)-9	Sand, fine to medium grained, trace of gravel, brown (SP-SM)-9

<u>LOCATION:</u>	North dike north embankment coordinate E2,028,620	North dike north embankment coordinate E2,028,800	North dike north embankment coordinate E2,029,000	North dike north embankment coordinate E2,028,900
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<u>ELEVATION OF TEST:</u>	993'	992'	990'	991'
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<u>DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:</u>	1'	1'	1'	1'
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FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method	Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)			
Dry Density (pcf)	123	112	114	112
Moisture Content (%)	5.0	5.3	5.5	5.0
Plus #4 Material (%)	5	3	4	5

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)			
Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	117.7	117.7	117.7	117.7
Optimum Moisture (%)	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	114	95.5	97	95.5
Specified Compaction (%)	95	95	95	95

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<u>TEST NUMBER:</u>	E-78	E-79	E-80	E-81
<u>DATE TAKEN:</u>	Sept 10, 1982	Sept 10, 1982	Sept 10, 1982	Sept 10, 1982
<u>UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:</u> (Moisture-Density Sample Number)	Sand, mostly fine grained, a little grav- el, brown (SP-SM)-7	Sand, fine to medium grained, a little grav- el, brown (SP-SM)-9	Sand, mostly fine grained, a little grav- el, brown (SP)-8	Sand, mostly, fine grained, a little grav- el, brown (SP-SM)-7

<u>LOCATION:</u>	North dike north embankment coordinate E2,028,700	North dike north embankment coordinate E2,028,950	North dike south embankment coordinate E2,028,850	North dike south embankment coordinate E2,028,940
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<u>ELEVATION OF TEST:</u>	996'	994'	991.5'	992'
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<u>DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:</u>	1'	1'	1'	1'
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FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method	Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)			
Dry Density (pcf)	117	122	110	120
Moisture Content (%)	5.0	6.1	5.0	5.5
Plus #4 Material (%)	8	6	5	5

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)			
Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	120.0	117.7	119.8	120.0
Optimum Moisture (%)	10.5	13.9	13.8	10.5

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	97	103.5	100	100
Specified Compaction (%)	95	95	95	95

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LABORATORY No. 9-1357

TEST NUMBER:	E-82	E-83	E-84	E-85
DATE TAKEN:	Sept 13, 1982	Sept 13, 1982	Sept 13, 1982	Sept 13, 1982
UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION: (Moisture-Density Sample Number)	Sand, mostly fine grained, a little grav- el, brown (SP-SM)-7	Sand, mostly fine grained, a little grav- el, brown (SP-SM)-7	Sand, mostly fine grained, a little grav- el, brown (SP-SM)-7	Sand, mostly fine grained, a little grav- el, brown (SP-SM)-7

LOCATION:	North dike north embankment coordinate E2,029,000	North dike north embankment coordinate E2,028,940	North dike south embankment coordinate E2,028,850	North dike south embankment coordinate E2,029,980
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ELEVATION OF TEST:	995'	995'	993.5'	994.5'
DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:	1'	1'	1'	1'

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method	Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)			
Dry Density (pcf)	124	125	122	125
Moisture Content (%)	5.5	5.0	6.1	5.8
Plus #4 Material (%)	8	6	10	6

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (- #4 Basis)			
Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	120.0	120.0	120.0	120.0
Optimum Moisture (%)	10.5	10.5	10.5	10.5

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	103	104	101.5	104
Specified Compaction (%)	95	95	95	95

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BOTTOM ASH POND REVISIONS
BECKER, MINNESOTA

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LABORATORY No. 9-1357

TEST NUMBER:

E-86

E-87

E-88

E-89

DATE TAKEN:

Sept 14, 1982

Sept 14, 1982

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Sept 14, 1982

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:

(Moisture-Density Sample Number)

Sand, fine to
medium grained,
a little grav-
el, brown
(SP-SM)-9

Sand, mostly
fine grained,
a little grav-
el, brown
(SP-SM)-7

Sand, mostly
fine grained,
a little grav-
el, brown
(SP-SM)-7

Sand, fine to
medium grained,
trace of grav-
el, brown
(SP-SM)-9

LOCATION:

East dike
east embankment
coordinate
N866,100

East dike
east embankment
coordinate
N865,900

East dike
east embankment
coordinate
N865,800

East dike
west embankment
coordinate
N865,850

ELEVATION OF TEST:

984'

984.5'

988'

987'

DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:

1'

1'

1'

1'

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)

Dry Density (pcf)	119	121	121.5	121
Moisture Content (%)	6.1	7.0	6.7	6.1
Plus #4 Material (%)	6	6	7	3

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)	
Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	117.7	120.0
Optimum Moisture (%)	13.9	10.5

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	101	101	101.5	103
Specified Compaction (%)	95	95	95	95

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<u>TEST NUMBER:</u>	E-90	E-91	E-92	E-93
<u>DATE TAKEN:</u>	Sept 14, 1982	Sept 14, 1982	Sept 14, 1982	Sept 14, 1982
<u>UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:</u> (Moisture-Density Sample Number)	Sand, fine to medium grained, a little gravel, brown (SP-SM)-9	Sand, fine to medium grained, a little gravel, brown (SP-SM)-9	Sand, mostly fine grained, a little gravel, brown (SP)-8	Sand, mostly fine grained, a little gravel, brown (SP)-8
<u>LOCATION:</u>	East dike west embankment coordinate N866,000	East dike west embankment coordinate N865,800	East dike west embankment coordinate N866,100	East dike east embankment coordinate N865,850
<u>ELEVATION OF TEST:</u>	987.5'	988.5'	989'	990'
<u>DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:</u>	1'	1'	1'	1'
<u>FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:</u>				
Method	Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)			
Dry Density (pcf)	124	112	105	114
Moisture Content (%)	5.5	5.0	5.0	6.1
Plus #4 Material (%)	7	7	8	8
<u>LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:</u>				
Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (- #4 Basis)			
Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	117.7	117.7	109.8	109.8
Optimum Moisture (%)	13.9	13.9	13.8	13.8
<u>COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:</u>				
Compaction (%)	105	95	95.5	104.5
Specified Compaction (%)	95	95	95	95

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TEST NUMBER:

E-94

E-95

E-96

E-97

DATE TAKEN:

Sept 16, 1982

Sept 16, 1982

Sept 16, 1982

Sept 16, 1982

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:

(Moisture-Density Sample Number)

Sand, fine to
medium grained,
a little grav-
el, brown
(SP-SM)-9

Sand, fine to
medium grained,
a little grav-
el, brown
(SP-SM)-9

Sand, fine to
medium grained,
a little grav-
el, brown
(SP-SM)-9

Sand, fine to
medium grained,
a little grav-
el, brown
(SP-SM)-9

LOCATION:

East dike
east embankment
coordinate
N866,050

East dike
east embankment
coordinate
N865,800

East dike
west embankment
coordinate
865, 700

East dike
west embankment
coordinate
N866,000

ELEVATION OF TEST:

991'

992'

990'

991'

DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:

1'

1'

1'

1'

FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)

Dry Density (pcf)	120	114.5	115	116
Moisture Content (%)	5.5	5.0	5.5	5.8
Plus #4 Material (%)	10	6	7	6

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)	
Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	117.7	117.7
Optimum Moisture (%)	13.9	13.9

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	102	97.5	98.5	98.5
Specified Compaction (%)	95	95	95	95

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<u>TEST NUMBER:</u>	E-98	E-99	E-100	E-101
<u>DATE TAKEN:</u>	Sept 17, 1982	Sept 17, 1982	Sept 17, 1982	Sept 17, 1982
<u>UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:</u> (Moisture-Density Sample Number)	Sand, fine to medium grained, trace of gravel, brown (SP-SM)-9	Sand, fine to medium grained, a little gravel, brown (SP-SM)-9	Sand, fine to medium grained, a little gravel, brown (SP-SM)-9	Sand, fine to medium grained, trace of gravel, brown (SP-SM)-9

<u>LOCATION:</u>	East dike east embankment coordinate N865,800	East dike east embankment coordinate N866,000	East dike west embankment coordinate N865,900	East dike west embankment coordinate N866,100
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<u>ELEVATION OF TEST:</u>	993'	994'	992'	993'
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<u>DEPTH BELOW EXISTING GRADE:</u>	1'	1'	1'	1'
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FIELD DENSITY DETERMINATION:

Method	Density in Place by Sand-Cone Method, ASTM: D1556-64 (- #4 Basis)			
Dry Density (pcf)	118	112	112	114
Moisture Content (%)	5.0	4.2	5.0	5.5
Plus #4 Material (%)	3	6	6	4

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL:

Method	ASTM: D1557-78, Method "A", (-#4 Basis)			
Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	117.7	117.7	117.7	117.7
Optimum Moisture (%)	13.9	13.9	13.9	13.9

COMPACTION TEST RESULTS:

Compaction (%)	100	95	95	96.5
Specified Compaction (%)	95	95	95	95

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MOISTURE - DENSITY CURVE

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SAMPLE NO. 1

PROJECT:

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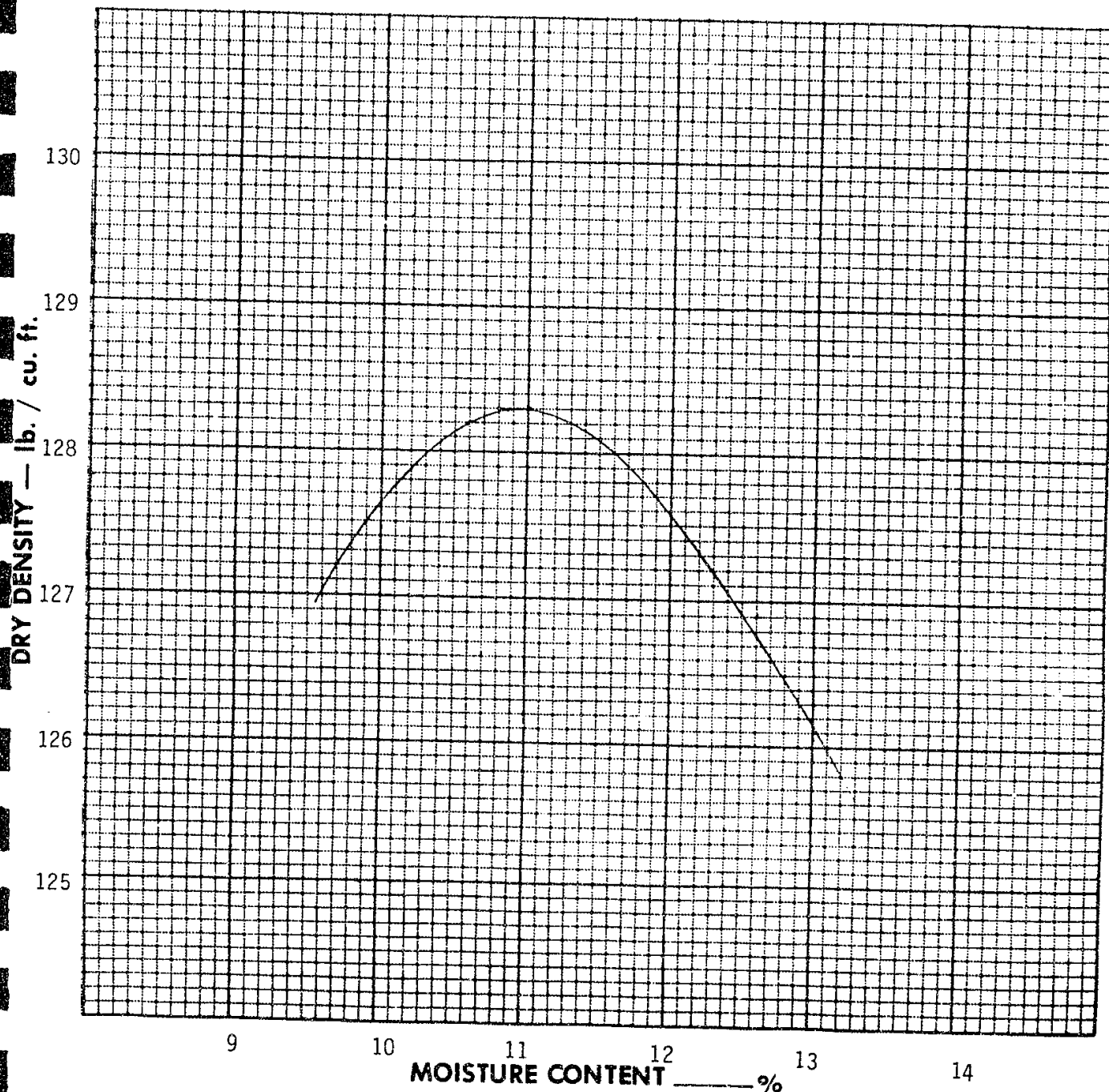
August 24, 1982
I-C S McCrossan Inc
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Attn: Larry Almalch
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METHOD OF TEST: ASTM:D1557-78, Method "A"

TYPE OF MATERIAL: Sandy clay, brown (CL)

MAXIMUM DENSITY: 128.3 lb./cu. ft.

OPTIMUM MOISTURE 11.0 %





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MOISTURE - DENSITY CURVE

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PROJECT:

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METHOD OF TEST:

ASTM:D1557-78, Method "A"

TYPE OF MATERIAL:

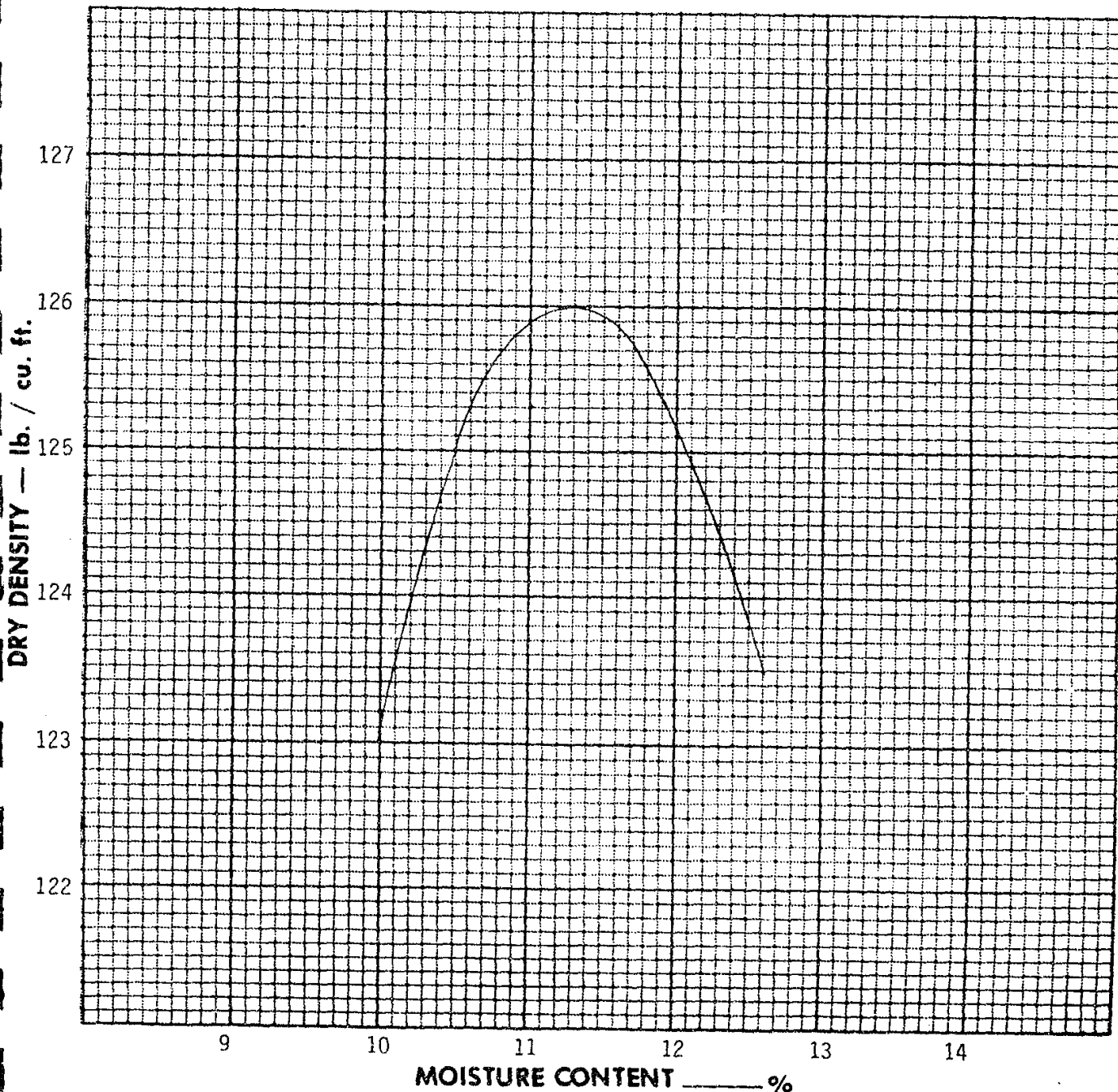
Sandy clay, brown (CL)

MAXIMUM DENSITY:

126.0

lb./cu. ft.

OPTIMUM MOISTURE 11.3 %





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METHOD OF TEST: ASTM:D1557-78, Method "A"

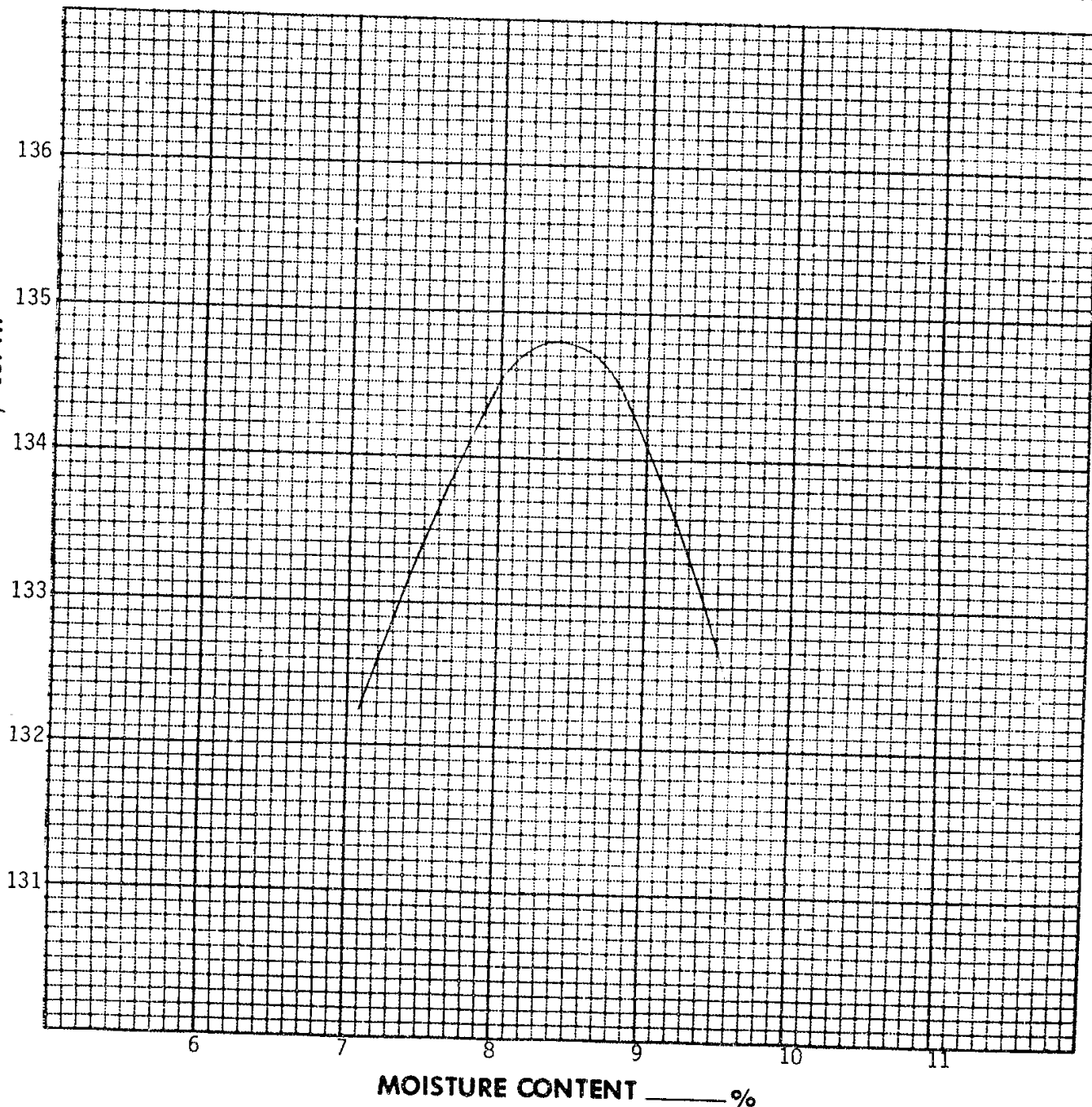
TYPE OF MATERIAL: Clayey sand, mostly fine grained, reddish brown (SC)

MAXIMUM DENSITY: 134.8

lb./cu. ft.

OPTIMUM MOISTURE 8.4 %

DRY DENSITY -- lb. / cu. ft.





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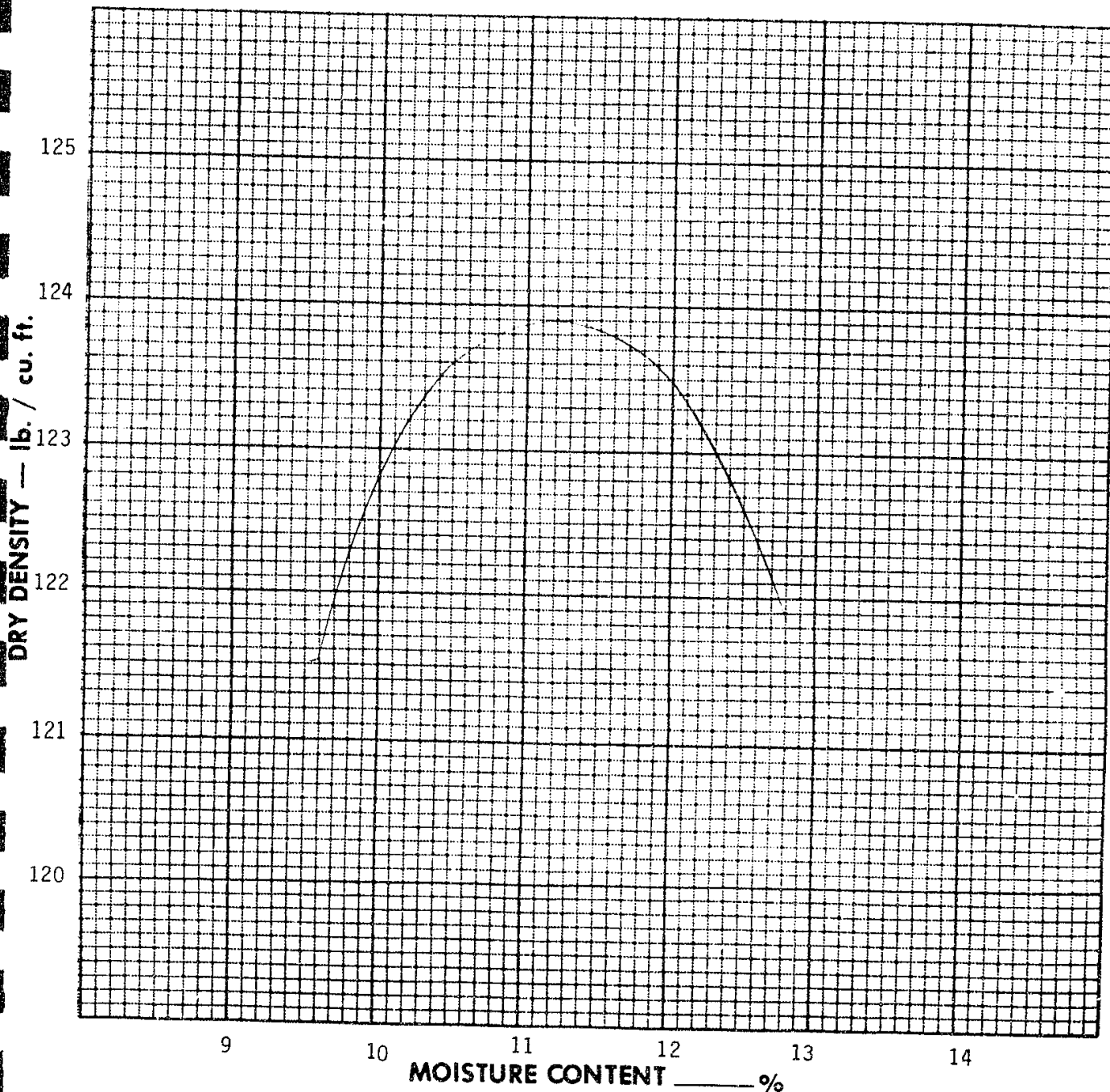
METHOD OF TEST: ASTM:D1557-78, Method "A"

TYPE OF MATERIAL: Sandy clay brown (SC-CL)

MAXIMUM DENSITY: 123.9

lb./cu. ft.

OPTIMUM MOISTURE 11.2 %





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METHOD OF TEST: ASTM:D1557-78, Method "A"

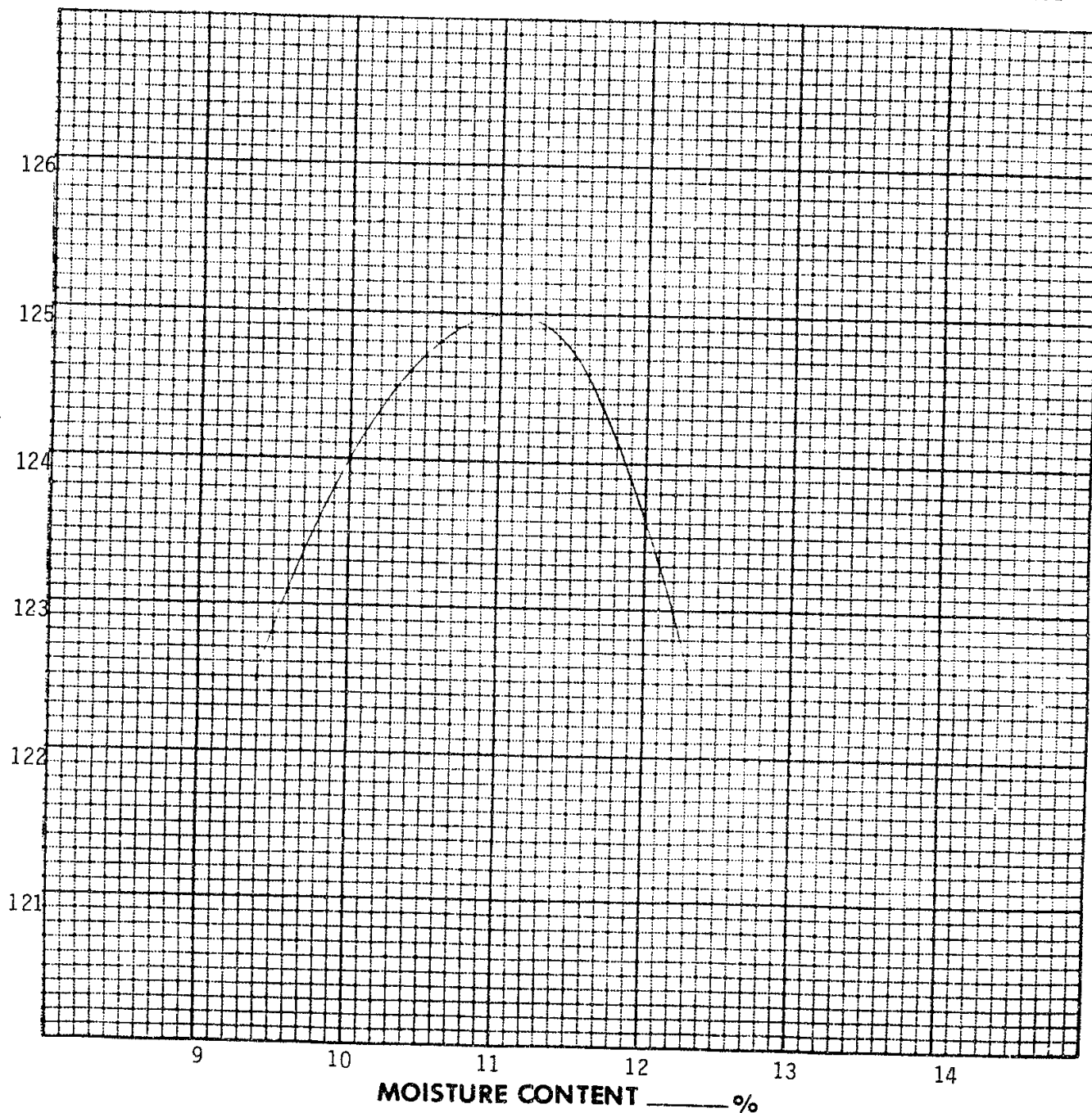
TYPE OF MATERIAL: Silty sand, mostly fine grained, dark brown (SM)

MAXIMUM DENSITY: 125.0

lb./cu. ft.

OPTIMUM MOISTURE 11.1 %

DRY DENSITY — lb. / cu. ft.





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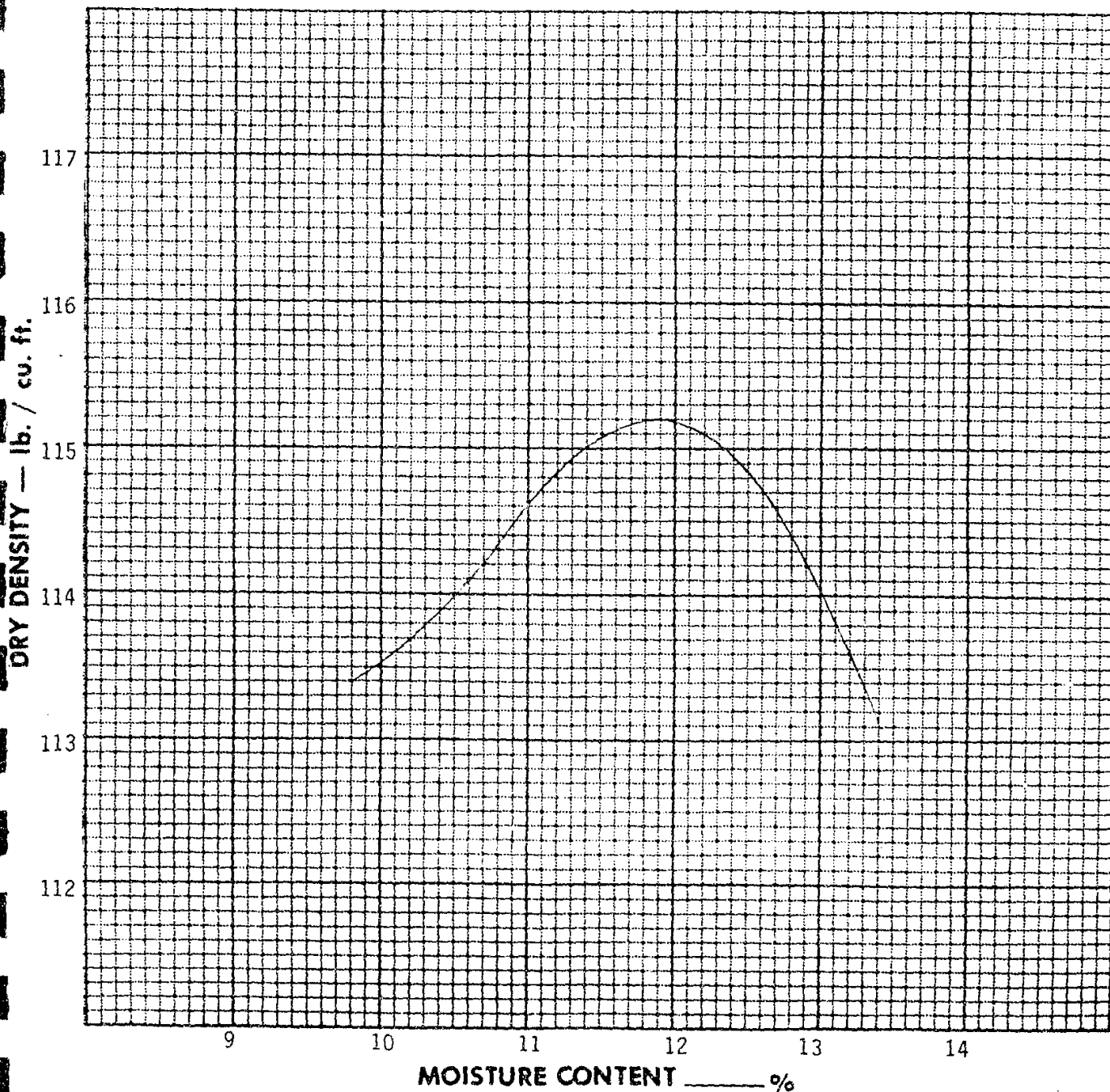
METHOD OF TEST: ASTM:D1557-78, Method "A".

TYPE OF MATERIAL: Sand, fine to medium grained, brown (SP)

MAXIMUM DENSITY: 115.2

lb./cu. ft.

OPTIMUM MOISTURE 11.9 %





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METHOD OF TEST:

ASTM:D1557-78, Method "A"

TYPE OF MATERIAL:

Sand, mostly fine grained, brown (SP-SM)

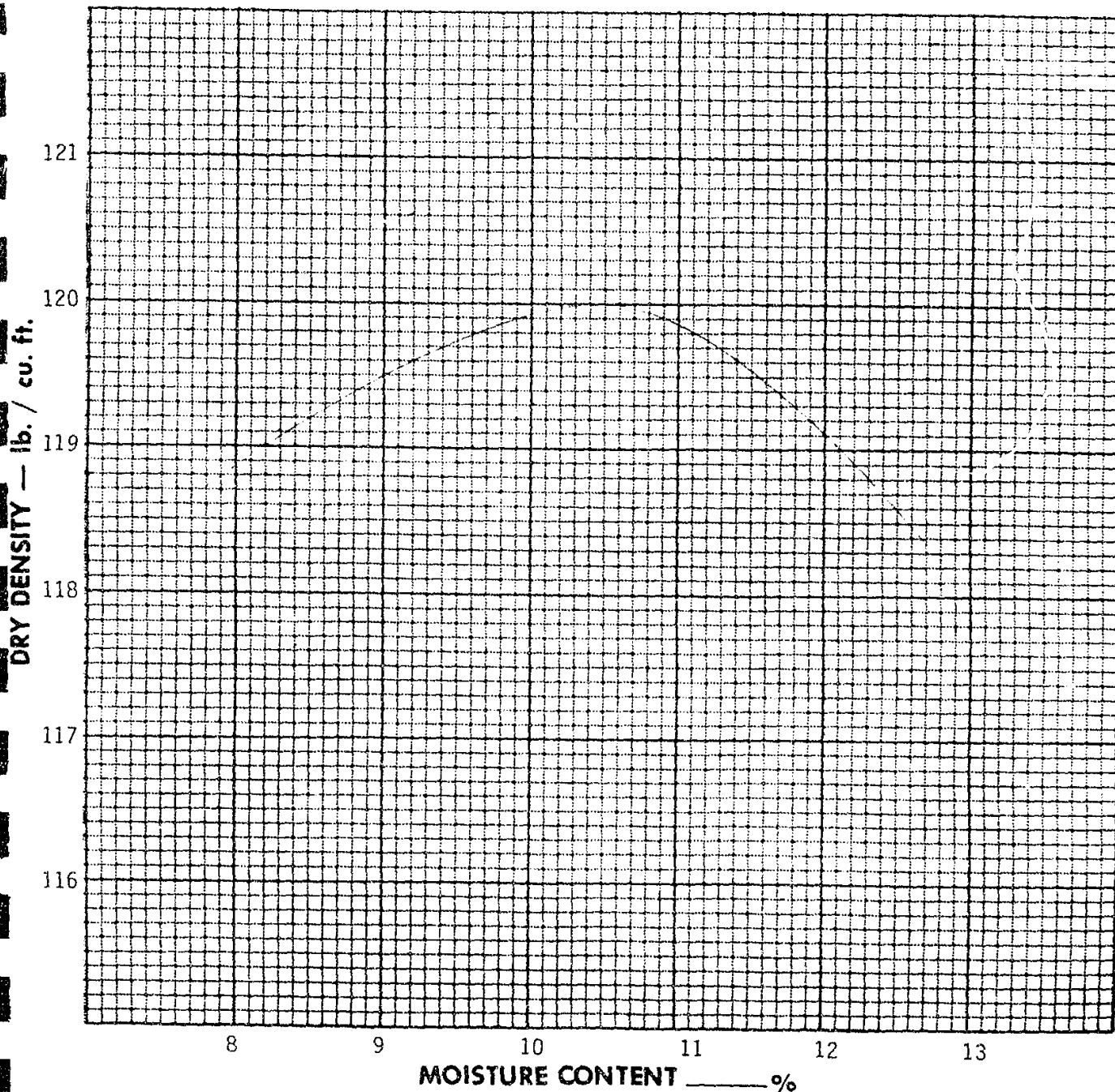
MAXIMUM DENSITY:

120.0

lb./cu. ft.

OPTIMUM MOISTURE

10.5 %





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METHOD OF TEST: ASTM:D1557-78, Method "A".

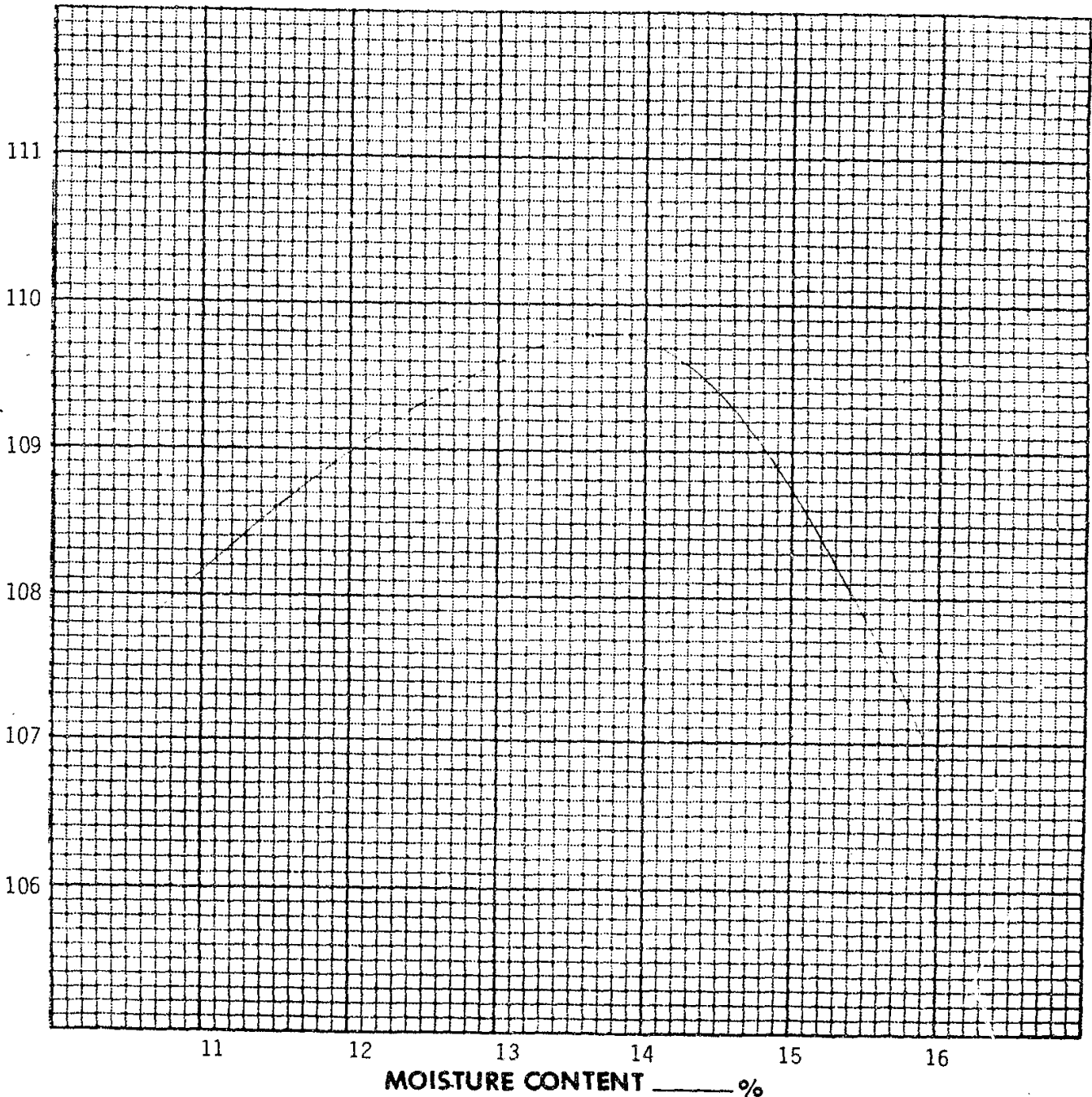
TYPE OF MATERIAL: Sand, mostly fine grained, brown (SP)

MAXIMUM DENSITY: 109.8

lb./cu. ft.

OPTIMUM MOISTURE 13.8 %

DRY DENSITY — lb. / cu. ft.





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METHOD OF TEST: ASTM:D1557-78, Method "A"

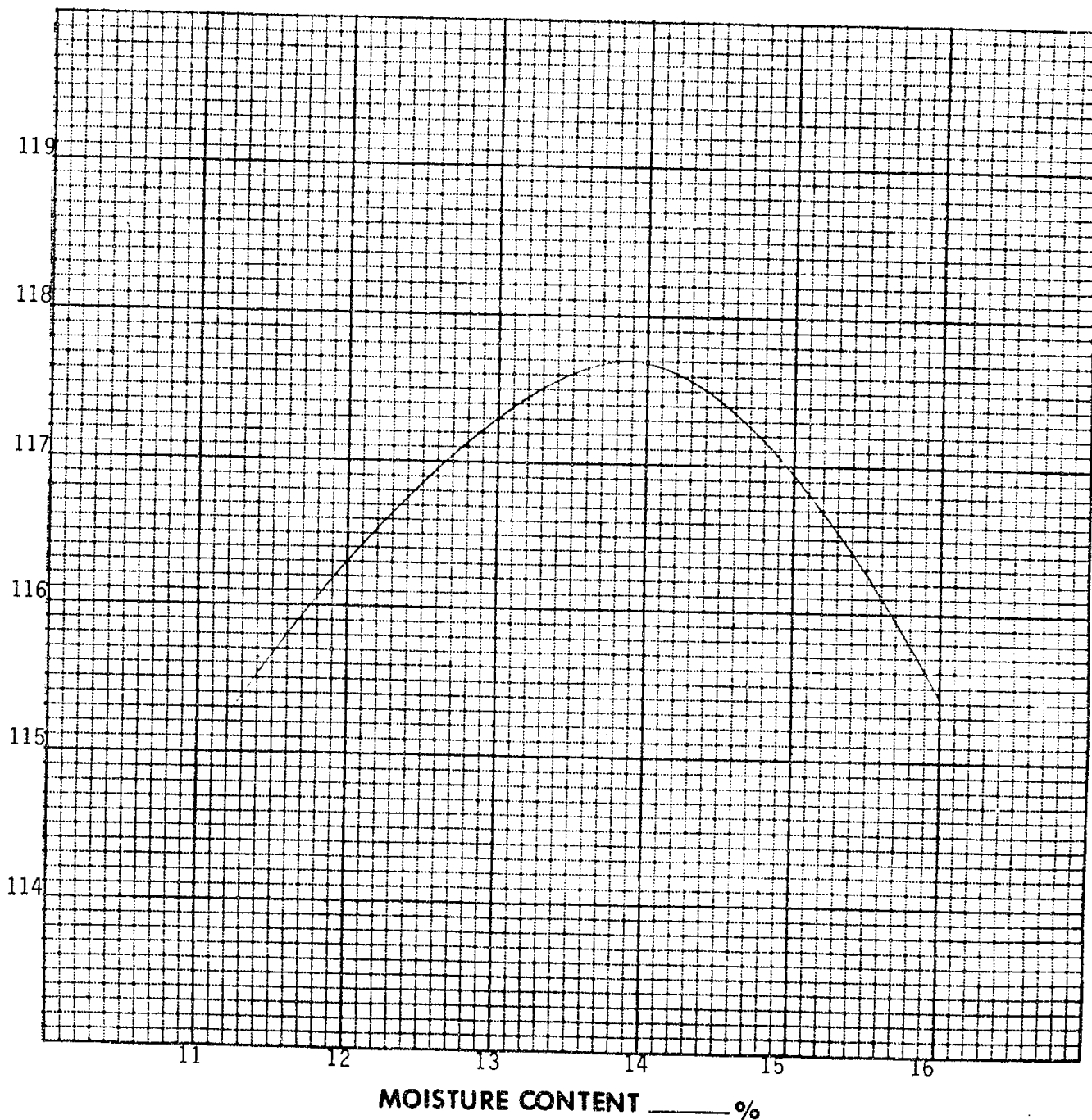
TYPE OF MATERIAL: Sand, fine to medium grained, brown (SP-SM)-9

MAXIMUM DENSITY: 117.7

lb./cu. ft.

OPTIMUM MOISTURE 13.9 %

DRY DENSITY — lb. / cu. ft.



COMPACTION SUMMARY SHEET



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Date: Sept 2, 1982
Lab #9-1292

Summary of Passing Soil Density Tests
Impervious Clay Core

PROJECT: Bottom Ash Pond Revisions
Northern States Power Co
Sherburne County Generating Plant

Test No	Date	Location of Test	Elev.	Field Moist. (%)	Opt. Moist. (%)	Moisture Variance From Optimum	Field Density (pcf)	Max. Density (pcf)	Compaction (%)	Comp. Spec. (%)	Remarks
C-1	8-17-82	East Dike, Coordinate N 866, 120 (Existing Clay Core)	976'	11.1	11.3	-0.2	115.0	126.0	91	90	
C-2	8-17-82	East Dike, Coordinate N 866, 000 (Existing Clay Core)	973'	14.3	11.3	+3.0	119.0	126.0	94.5	90	
C-3	8-17-82	East Dike, Coordinate N 865, 800 (Existing Clay Core)	974'	11.7	11.3	+0.4	124.0	126.0	99	90	
C-4	8-17-82	North Dike, Coordinate E 2, 028, 810 (Existing Clay Core)	984'	11.1	11.3	-0.2	124.0	126.0	99	90	
C-5	8-18-82	East Dike, Coordinate N 866, 100	977.5'	14.0	11.3	+2.7	115.0	126.0	91	90	
C-6	8-18-82	East Dike, Coordinate N 866, 000	975'	12.4	11.3	+1.1	115.0	126.0	91	90	
C-7	8-18-82	East Dike, Coordinate N 865, 850	975.5'	13.0	11.3	+1.7	115.0	126.0	91	90	
C-8	8-19-82	East Dike, Coordinate N 866, 130	979'	14.3	11.2	+3.1	116.0	123.9	93.5	90	
C-9	8-19-82	East Dike, Coordinate N 855, 050	979'	12.4	11.2	+1.2	123.0	123.9	99	90	
C-10	8-19-82	East Dike, Coordinate N 865, 850	976.5'	12.3	11.2	+1.1	123.0	123.9	99	90	
C-11	8-19-82	East Dike, Coordinate N 865, 700	988.5'	13.3	11.2	+2.1	117.0	123.9	94.5	90	

Summary of Passing Soil Density Tests

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Impervious Clay Core

Sherburne County Generating Plant

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Date:

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Sherburne County Generating Plant

Test No.	Date	Location of Test	Elev.	Field Moist. (%)	Opt. Moist. (%)	Moisture Variance From Optimum	Field Density (pcf)	Max. Density (pcf)	Compaction (%)	Comp. Spec. (%)	Remarks
C-22	9-10-82	East Dike Coordinate, N 865, 850	984.5'	12.4	11.2	+1.2	123	123.9	99	96	
C-23	9-10-82	East Dike Coordinate, N 866, 000	985.5'	13.0	11.2	+1.8	117	123.9	94.5	90	
C-24	9-14-82	North Dike, Coordinate E 2 029 010	986'	14.3	11.0	+3.3	128	128.3	99.5	90	
C-25	9-14-82	North Dike Coordinate E 2, 028 700	987'	14.3	11.0	+3.3	128	128.3	99.5	90	
C-26	9-16-82	East Dike, Coordinate N 865 850	987'	12.4	11.2	+2.2	124	123.9	100	90	
C-27	9-16-82	East Dike, Coordinate N 866, 000	988'	11.1	11.2	-0.1	112.5	123.9	91	90	
C-28	9-16-82	East Dike Coordinate N 865 900	989'	12.4	11.2	+2.2	124	123.9	100	90	
C-29	9-17-82	East Dike Coordinate N 866 050	990'	11.7	11.2	+0.5	115	123.9	93	90	
C-30	9-17-82	North Dike Coordinate E 2 028 800	987'	14.5	11.2	+3.3	116	123.9	94	90	
C-31	9-17-82	North Dike Coordinate E 2 029 000	988'	14.5	11.0	+3.5	125	128.3	95	90	
C-32	9-20-82	East Dike Coordinate N 865 900	991'	13.3	11.2	+2.1	116	123.9	94	90	
C-33	9-20-82	East Dike Coordinate N 866 050	992'	14.3	11.2	+3.1	123	123.9	99	90	

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Date:

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Test No.	Date	Location of Test	Elev.	Field Moist. (%)	Opt. Moist. (%)	Moisture Variance From Optimum	Field Density (pcf)	Max. Density (pcf)	Compaction (%)	Comp. Spec. (%)	Remarks
C-34	9-20-82	East Dike Coordinate N 865 800	993'	13.0	11.2	+1.8	122	123.9	98.5	90	
C-35	9-20-82	East Dike Coordinate N 866 000	994'	11.1	11.2	-0.1	115	123.9	93	90	
C-36	9-21-82	East Dike Coordinate N 865 850	994.5'	13.3	11.2	+2.1	121.5	123.9	98	90	
C-37	9-21-82	East Dike Coordinate N 866 000	995'	13.0	11.2	+1.8	114	123.9	92.5	90	
C-38	9-21-82	North Dike Coordinate E 2 028 880	989.5'	12.7	11.3	+1.4	124	126.0	98.5	90	
C-39	9-21-82	North Dike Coordinate E 2 029 000	991'	12.4	11.3	+1.1	120.5	126.0	96	90	
C-40	9-22-82	East Dike Coordinate N 866 120	994'	13.0	11.2	+1.8	112.5	123.9	91	90	
C-41	9-22-82	East Dike Coordinate N 866 000	994'	12.7	11.2	+1.5	112	123.9	90.5	90	
C-42	9-22-82	East Dike Coordinate N 865 850	995'	12.4	11.2	+1.2	123	123.9	99	90	
C-43	9-23-82	East Dike Coordinate N 865 800	996'	12.7	11.2	+1.5	122	123.9	98.5	90	
C-44	9-23-82	East Dike Coordinate N 865 750	997'	12.4	11.2	+1.2	120	123.9	97	90	
C-45	9-23-82	East Dike Coordinate N 865 950	997'	12.4	11.2	+1.2	119	123.9	96	90	

Summary of Passing Soil Density Tests Impervious Clay Core

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Embankment

Test No	Date	Location of Test	Elev.	Field Moist. (%)	Opt. Moist. (%)	Moisture Variance From Optimum	Field Density (pcf)	Max. Density (pcf)	Compaction (%)	Comp. Spec. (%)	Remarks
E-1	8-20-82	East Dike, West Embankment, Coordinate N 865, 900	976.5'	7.0	11.1	-4.0	119	125.0	95.5	95	
E-3	8-20-82	East Dike, East Embankment, Coordinate N 865, 900	976.5'	8.1	11.1	-3.0	122	125.0	97.5	95	
E-5	8-20-82	North Dike, North Embankment, Coordinate E 2,029,010	975'	4.3	11.1	-6.8	125	125.0	100	95	
E-6	8-20-82	East Dike, East Embankment, Coordinate N 866, 090	978'	4.7	11.1	-6.4	118.5	125.0	95	95	
E-7	8-23-82	East Dike, East Embankment, Coordinate N 865, 900	977.5'	7.2	11.1	-3.9	128	125.0	102.5	95	Retest of #E-4
E-8	8-23-82	East Dike, West Embankment, Coordinate N 865, 900	977.5'	7.0	11.1	-4.1	125.5	125.0	100.5	95	Retest of #E-2
E-11	8-24-82	East Dike, West Embankment, Coordinate N 866, 065	980'	7.2	11.1	-3.9	125.0	125.0	97	95	Retest of #E-9
E-12	8-24-82	East Dike, West Embankment, Coordinate N 865, 950	980'	7.5	11.1	-3.6	118.5	125.0	95	95	Retest of #E-10
E-13	8-24-82	Old toe ditch area, East Dike, East Embankment, Coordinate N 865, 900	960'	2.0	11.9	-9.9	111	115.2	96	95	
E-14	8-24-82	Old toe ditch area, East Dike, East Embankment, Coordinate N 866, 100	960'	2.8	11.9	-9.1	119	115.2	103	95	
E-15	8-24-82	North Dike, South Embankment, Coordinate E 2, 028, 750	986'	3.6	10.5	-6.9	114	120.0	95	95	

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E-16	8-24-82	North Dike, North Embankment, Coordinate E 2, 028, 750	986'	6.4	11.1	-4.7	119	125.0	95.5	95	
E-17	8-25-82	East Dike, East Embankment Coordinate N 865, 750	979'	2.8	11.9	-9.1	111	115.2	96.5	95	
E-18	8-25-82	East Dike, West Embankment Coordinate N 865, 750	981'	3.4	10.5	-7.1	114	120.0	95	95	
E-20	8-25-82	North Dike, North Embankment Coordinate E 2, 028, 900	980.5	9.3	11.1	-1.8	125	125.0	100	95	
E-21	8-25-82	Toe of East Dike, East Embankment Coordinate N 865, 800	961'	4.2	10.5	-6.3	118.5	120.0	98.5	95	
E-22	8-25-82	Toe of East Dike, East Embankment Coordinate N 866, 000	961'	3.4	10.5	-7.1	118	120.0	98	95	
E-23	8-25-82	East Dike, West Embankment Coordinate N 866, 000	979.5'	2.8	11.9	-9.1	111.5	115.2	97	95	
E-24	8-25-82	East Dike, East Embankment Coordinate N 866, 000	978.5'	4.2	11.9	-7.7	114.5	115.2	99.5	95	
E-25	8-26-82	North Dike, South Embankment Coordinate E 2, 028, 900	979.5'	5.8	10.5	-4.7	116.5	120.0	97	95	Retest of #E-19
E-26	8-26-82	East Dike, East Embankment Coordinate N 866, 090	978'	4.7	13.8	-9.1	104.5	109.8	95	95	
E-27	8-27-82	East Dike, East Embankment Coordinate N 365, 800	982.5	6.7	10.5	-3.8	120.5	120.0	100.5	95	

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E-28	8-27-82	East Dike, West Embankment Coordinate N 865, 750	984'	7.2	11.1	-3.9	124	125.5	99	95	
E-29	8-27-82	East Dike, East Embankment Coordinate N 866, 050	969'	5.5	11.9	-6.4	120	115.2	104	95	
E-30	8-27-82	East Dike, East Embankment Coordinate N 865, 900	971.5'	3.6	13.8	-10.2	114	109.8	104	95	
E-31	8-27-82	North Dike, North Embankment Coordinate E 2, 028, 800	987'	5.0	11.9	-6.9	111	115.2	96.5	95	
E-32	8-27-82	North Dike, South Embankment Coordinate E 2, 028, 800	987.5'	6.4	10.5	-4.1	121	120.0	101	95	
E-33	8-27-82	East Dike, East Embankment Coordinate N 866, 000	971.5'	3.4	10.5	-2.1	115.5	120.0	96	95	
E-34	8-27-82	East Dike, East Embankment Coordinate N 865, 800	973'	3.6	10.5	-6.9	117	120.0	97.5	95	
E-35	8-27-82	East Dike, East Embankment Coordinate N 865, 950	982'	8.7	10.5	-1.8	116.5	120.0	97	95	
E-36	8-27-82	East Dike, West Embankment Coordinate N 865, 950	982.5'	5.3	11.9	-6.6	116.5	115.2	101	95	
E-37	8-27-82	East Dike, West Embankment Coordinate N 866, 050	982'	5.8	11.9	-6.1	119	115.2	103	95	
E-38	8-27-82	East Dike, East Embankment Coordinate N 866, 050	981'	6.1	11.9	-5.8	115	115.2	100	95	

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Test No.	Date	Location of Test	Elev.	Field Moist. (%)	Opt. Moist. (%)	Moisture Variance From Optimum	Field Density (pcf)	Max. Density (pcf)	Compaction (%)	Comp. Spec. (%)	Remarks
E-39	9-1-82	East Dike, West Embankment Coordinate N 865, 800	985'	9.9	10.5	-0.6	122.5	120.0	102	95	
E-40	9-1-82	East Dike, West Embankment Coordinate N 865 950	985'	8.7	11.9	-3.2	115.5	115.2	100.5	95	
E-41	9-1-82	East Dike, West Embankment Coordinate N 866 050	986'	9.3	11.9	-2.6	112.5	115.2	97.5	95	
E-42	9-1-82	East Dike, East Embankment Coordinate N 866 100	981'	10.2	10.5	-0.3	123.0	120.0	102.5	95	
E-44	9-1-82	East Dike, East Embankment Coordinate N 865, 800	983'	8.1	10.5	-2.4	118	120.0	98.5	95	
E-45	9-1-82	East Dike, East Embankment Coordinate N 866 000	982'	10.2	11.9	-1.7	109	115.2	95	95	Retest of #43
E-46	9-2-82	East Dike, East Embankment Coordinate N 865 750	976'	5.3	11.9	-6.6	109	115.2	95	95	
E-47	9-2-82	East Dike, East Embankment Coordinate N 865 880	975'	5.8	11.9	-6.1	119	115.2	103	95	
E-48	9-2-82	East Dike, East Embankment, Coordinate N 866 000, Access Road	973'	6.4	11.9	-5.5	119	115.2	103	95	
E-49	9-2-82	East Dike, East Embankment, Coordinate N 866 120, Access Road	975'	5.8	11.9	-6.1	111	115.2	96.5	95	
E-50	9-2-82	East Dike, East Embankment, Coordinate N 865 800	978'	7.2	10.5	-2.7	121	120.0	101	95	

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Test No.	Date	Location of Test	Elev.	Field Moist. (%)	Opt. Moist. (%)	Moisture Variance From Optimum	Field Density (pcf)	Max. Density (pcf)	Compaction (%)	Comp. Spec. (%)	Remarks
E-51	9-1-82	East Dike, East Embankment Coordinate N 865 950	977'	6.7	10.5	-3.8	119	120.0	99	95	
E-52	9-1-82	East Dike, East Embankment Coordinate N 866 050	975'	6.1	10.5	-4.4	118	120.0	98.5	95	
E-53	9-1-82	East Dike, East Embankment Coordinate N 866 120	976'	9.9	10.5	-0.6	122.5	120.0	102	95	
E-54	9-7-82	East Dike, West Embankment Coordinate N 865 790	987'	6.4	13.9	-7.5	124	117.7	105	95	
E-55	9-7-82	East Dike, West Embankment Coordinate N 865 900	987'	6.4	13.9	-7.5	120	117.7	102	95	
E-56	9-7-82	East Dike, West Embankment Coordinate N 866 090	987'	5.3	13.9	-8.6	114	117.7	97	95	
E-57	9-7-82	East Dike, East Embankment Coordinate N 866 000	988'	5.3	13.9	-8.6	118.5	117.7	101	95	
E-58	9-7-82	East Dike, East Embankment Coordinate N 865 800	984'	7.0	10.5	-3.5	125	120.0	104.5	95	
E-59	9-7-82	East Dike, East Embankment, Coordinate N 865 950, Access. Road	983'	6.7	10.5	-3.8	117	120.5	98	95	
E-60	9-7-82	East Dike, East Embankment, Coordinate N 866 150	978.5'	5.5	11.9	-5.4	114	115.2	97	95	
E-61	9-7-82	East Dike, East Embankment, Coordinate N 866 000	980'	5.3	11.9	-6.6	112	115.2	97	95	
E-62	9-8-82	East Dike, East Embankment, Coordinate N 866 000	980'	5.3	11.9	-6.6	115	117.7	98	95	

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E-63	9-8-82	East Dike, East Embankment, Coordinate N 866 100	981'	5.3	13.9	-8.6	115	117.7	98	95	
E-64	9-8-82	East Dike, East Embankment, Coordinate N 865 950	984'	5.0	10.5	-5.5	116.5	120.0	97	95	
E-65	9-8-82	East Dike, East Embankment, Coordinate N 865 800	986.5'	6.1	10.5	-4.4	115	120.0	96	95	
E-66	9-9-82	East Dike, East Embankment, Coordinate N 866 100	982'	4.7	13.9	-9.2	115	117.7	98	95	
E-67	9-9-82	East Dike, East Embankment, Coordinate N 865 950, Access Road	985'	5.0	13.9	-8.9	117	117.7	99	95	
E-68	9-9-82	East Dike, East Embankment, Coordinate N 865 800	985.5'	4.7	13.9	-9.2	120	117.7	102	95	
E-69	9-9-82	North Dike, North Embankment, Coordinate E 2 028 800	983'	4.7	13.9	-9.2	115	117.7	98	95	
E-70	9-9-82	North Dike, North Embankment, Coordinate E 2 028 950	981'	6.1	10.5	-4.4	122	120.0	101.5	95	
E-71	9-9-82	North Dike, North Embankment, Coordinate E 2 028 980	989'	5.5	10.5	-5.0	125	120.0	104	95	
E-72	9-9-82	North Dike, North Embankment, Coordinate E 2 029 010	982'	6.4	10.5	-4.1	116	120.0	96.5	95	
E-73	9-9-82	North Dike, North Embankment, Coordinate E 2 029 100	983'	6.4	13.8	-7.4	107	109.8	98	95	
E-74	9-10-82	North Dike, North Embankment, Coordinate E 2 029 620	983'	6.0	13.0	0.0	100	117.7	101	95	

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E-75	9-10-82	North Dike, North Embankment, Coordinate, E 2 028 800	992'	5.3	13.9	-8.6	112	117.7	95.5	95	
E-76	9-10-82	North Dike, North Embankment, Coordinate, E 2 029 000	990'	5.5	13.9	-8.4	114	117.7	97	95	
E-77	9-10-82	North Dike, North Embankment, Coordinate, E 2 028 900	991'	5.0	13.9	-8.9	112	117.7	95.5	95	
E-78	9-10-82	North Dike, North Embankment, Coordinate, E 2 028 700	996'	5.0	10.5	-5.5	117	120	97	95	
E-79	9-10-82	North Dike, North Embankment, Coordinate, E 2 028 950	994'	6.1	13.9	-7.8	122	117.7	103.5	95	
E-80	9-13-82	North Dike, North Embankment, Coordinate, E 2 028 850	991.5'	5.0	13.8	-8.8	110	119.8	100	95	
E-81	9-13-82	North Dike, North Embankment, Coordinate, E 2 028 940	992'	5.5	10.5	-5.5	120	120.0	100	95	
E-82	9-13-82	North Dike, North Embankment, Coordinate, E 2 029 000	995'	5.5	10.5	-5.5	124	120.0	103	95	
E-83	9-13-82	North Dike, North Embankment, Coordinate, E 2 028 940	995'	5.0	10.5	-5.5	125	120.0	104	95	
E-84	9-13-82	North Dike, North Embankment, Coordinate, E 2 028 850	993.5'	6.1	10.5	-4.4	122	120.0	101.5	95	
E-85	9-13-82	North Dike, North Embankment, Coordinate, E 2 028 980	994.5'	5.8	10.5	-4.3	125	120.0	104	95	
E-86	9-14-82	East Dike, East Embankment	000'	6.1	10.0	7.0	110	117.7	101	05	

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E-87	9-14-82	East Dike, East Embankment, Coordinate N 865 900, Access Road	986.5'	7.0	10.5	-3.5	121	120.0	101	95	
E-88	9-14-82	East Dike, East Embankment, Coordinate, 865 800	988'	6.7	10.5	-3.8	121.5	120.0	101.5	95	
E-89	9-14-82	East Dike, West Embankment, Coordinate, N 865 850	989'	6.1	13.9	-7.8	121	117.7	103	95	
E-90	9-14-82	East Dike, West Embankment, Coordinate, N 866 000	989.5'	5.5	13.9	-8.4	124	117.7	105	95	
E-91	9-14-82	East Dike, West Embankment, Coordinate, N 865 800	990'	5.0	13.9	-8.9	112	117.7	95	95	
E-92	9-16-82	East Dike, West Embankment, Coordinate, N 866 100	991'	5.0	13.8	-8.8	105	109.8	95.5	95	
E-93	9-16-82	East Dike, East Embankment, Coordinate, N 865 850	990'	6.1	13.8	-7.7	114	109.8	104.5	95	
E-94	9-16-82	East Dike, East Embankment, Coordinate, N 866, 050	991'	5.5	13.9	-8.4	120	117.7	102	95	
E-95	9-16-82	East Dike, East Embankment, Coordinate, N 865, 800	992'	5.0	13.9	-8.9	114.5	117.7	97.5	95	
E-96	9-16-82	East Dike, West Embankment, Coordinate, N 865, 700	992'	5.5	13.9	-8.4	115	117.7	98.5	95	
E-97	9-16-82	East Dike, West Embankment, Coordinate, N 866, 000	993'	5.8	13.9	-8.1	116	117.7	98.5	95	
E-98	9-17-82	East Dike, East Embankment, Coordinate, N 865 800	993'	5.0	13.9	-8.9	118	117.7	100	95	

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SAMPLE IDENTIFICATION:

Proposed Clay
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LOCATION SAMPLED:

Borrow Area

Borrow Area

UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:

Sandy Clay.
a little
gravel, brown (CL)

Sandy Clay
a little
gravel, brown (SC-CL)

MECHANICAL ANALYSIS:

Passing 3/8"

100%

100%

#4

98

95

#10

96

92

#40

84

79

#100

62

59

#200

57

48

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL: (see attached curve)

Method -

ASTM:D1557
Modified

ASTM:D1557
Modified

Maximum Dry Density (pcf)

128.3

126.0

Optimum Moisture (%)

11.0

11.3

LL

44

26

PL

16

13

PI

28

13

Undisturbed Field Density (pcf)

94

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REPORT OF: TESTS OF SOIL

PROJECT: NSP SHERBURNE COUNTY GENERATING PLANT
BOTTOM ASH POINT REVISIONS

DATE: August 25, 1982

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LABORATORY No. 9-1292

SAMPLE NUMBER:	3	4
SAMPLE IDENTIFICATION:	Proposed Clay Core Fill	Proposed Clay Core Fill
LOCATION SAMPLED:	Borrow Area	Borrow Area
UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION:	Clayey Sand, trace of gravel, reddish brown (SC)	Sandy Clay, a little gravel, brown (SC-CL) (SC)

MECHANICAL ANALYSIS:

Passing 3/8"	100%	100%
#4	96	92
#10	92.8	91
#40	80.9	76
#100	59.4	53
#200	49.6	41

LABORATORY MOISTURE-DENSITY RELATION OF SOIL: (see attached curve)

Method	ASTM:D1557	ASTM:D1557
	Modified	Modified
Maximum Dry Density (pcf)	134.8	123.9
Optimum Moisture (%)	8.4%	11.2%
LL	16	29
PL	13	14
PI	3	15
Undisturbed Field Density (pcf)	114.5	107

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FILTER MATERIAL GRADATION



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REPORT OF: TEST OF BASE AGGREGATE
NSP SHERBURNE COUNTY GENERATING PLANT
BOTTOM ASH POND REVISIONS
BECKER, MINNESOTA

PROJECT:

DATE: November 29, 1982

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LABORATORY No. 9-1357

<u>SAMPLE NUMBER:</u>	1	<u>SPECIFICATIONS</u>
<u>TYPE OF AGGREGATE:</u>	Filter Material - Type 1	Type I Filter Material
<u>LOCATION SAMPLED:</u>	East Embankment Coordinant 866, 150N	
<u>MECHANICAL ANALYSIS:</u>		
Passing 3"	100	100
2"	100	85-100
1 1/2"	85	72-90
3/4"	58	50-70
1/2"	50	35-50
3/8"	27	-
#3	22	22-32
#6	16	12-20
#10	12	0-12

REMARKS:

The above sample meets the project specification for a Type I Filter material.

PERMEABILITY TESTS



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LABORATORY TEST DATA

PROJECT: N.S.P. Sherburne County Generating Plant
Bottom Ash Pond Revisions, Becker, Minnesota

DATE: Sept 10, 1982

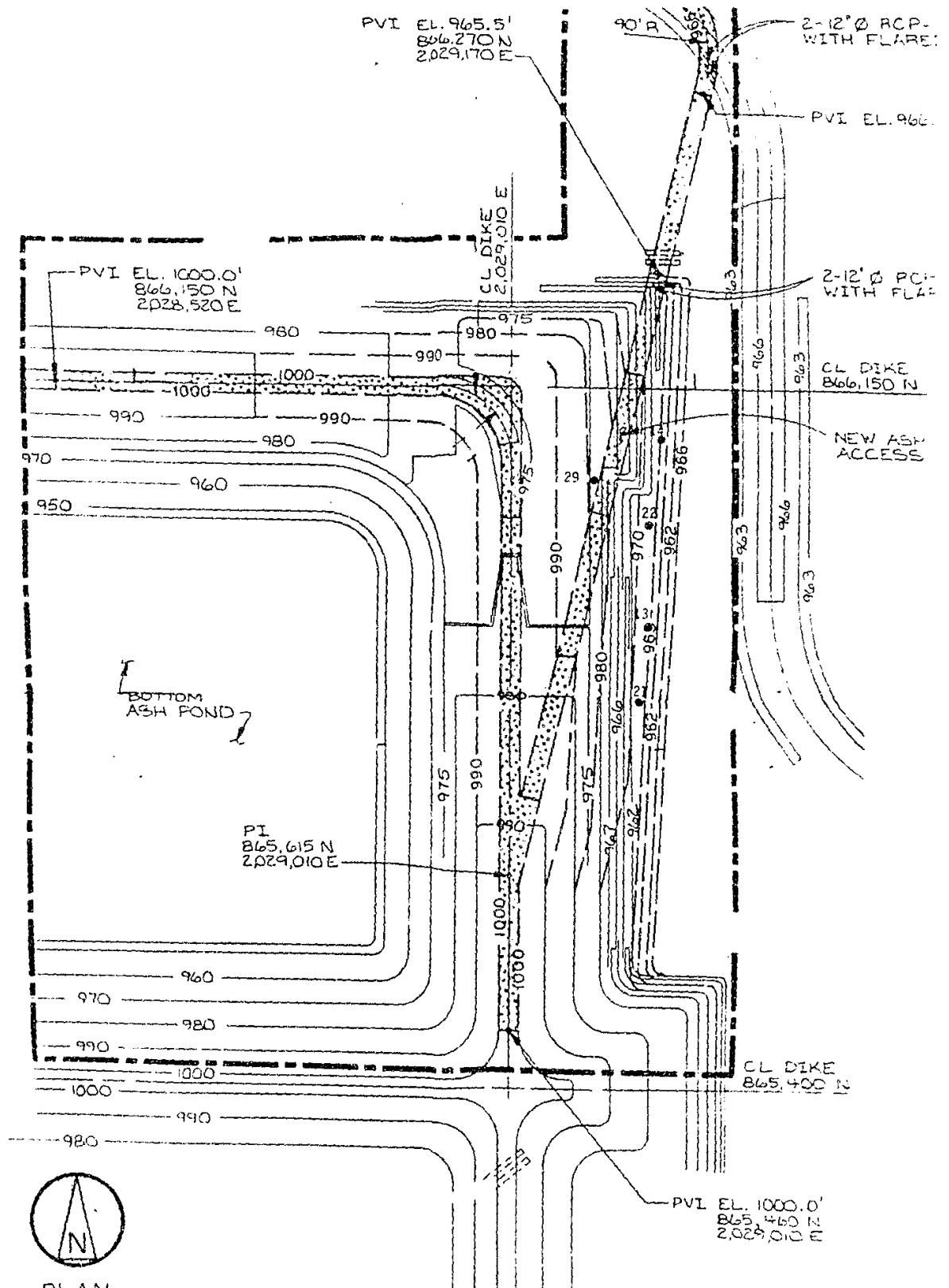
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JOB NO.: 9-1357

Permeability Sample Number	1	2	3	4
Sample Location	Impermeable Clay Core, East Dike, Coordinate N865, 950	Impermeable Clay Core, East Dike, Coordinate N866, 075	Impermeable Clay Core, East Dike, Coordinate N866, 000	Impermeable Clay Core, North Dike, Coordinate E2, 029, 925
Elevation	984'	984'	994	994
Soil Classification (ASTM:D2487)	Fill, mostly Sandy Clay (CL)	Fill, mostly Sandy Clay (CL)	Fill, Mixture of Sandy Clay and Clayey Sand, Brown (SC-CL)	Fill, Mixture of Sandy Clay and Clayey Sand, Brown (SC-CL)
Type of Sample	3T	3T	3T	3T
Moisture-Density Relation of Soil (ASTM:D698) 1557-78, Method "A" Modified Proctor	Proctor #1	Proctor #2	Proctor #4	Proctor #4
Max. Dry Density (PCF)	128.3	126.0	123.9	123.9
Optimum Moisture Content (%)	11.0	11.3	11.2	11.2
Permeability Test				
Trial No.	6-9	6-9	6-9	6-9
Type of Test	Falling Head	Falling Head	Falling Head	Falling Head
Type of Specimen	In-Situ (Clay Core)	In-Situ (Clay Core)	In-Situ (Clay Core)	In-Situ (Clay Core)
Specimen Height (inches)	2.33	2.58	2.12	2.45
Specimen Diameter (inches)	2.84	2.81	2.83	2.89
Dry Density (PCF)	120.0	113.8	114.2	112.1
Percent of Max. Density	93.5%	90.5%	92%	90.5%
Moisture Content (%)	12.0	14.4	11.9	12.5
Max. Head Differential (ft)	10.0	10.0	10.0	10.0
Confining Pressure (effective - PSI)	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0
Water Temperature (°C)	23	23	22	22
Coefficient of Permeability K @ 20°C (cm/sec)	1x10 ⁻⁸	2x10 ⁻⁸	1x10 ⁻⁶	4 x 10 ⁻⁶
K @ 20°C (ft/min)	2x10 ⁻⁸	4x10 ⁻⁸	2 x 10 ⁻⁶	8 x 10 ⁻⁶
Atterberg Limits				
Liquid Limits (%)	22.3	20.7	25.0	22.6
Plastic Limit (%)	12.4	13.5	11.9	12.5
Plasticity Index	9.9	7.2	13.1	10.1



SKETCHES OF
COMPACTION TEST
LOCATIONS

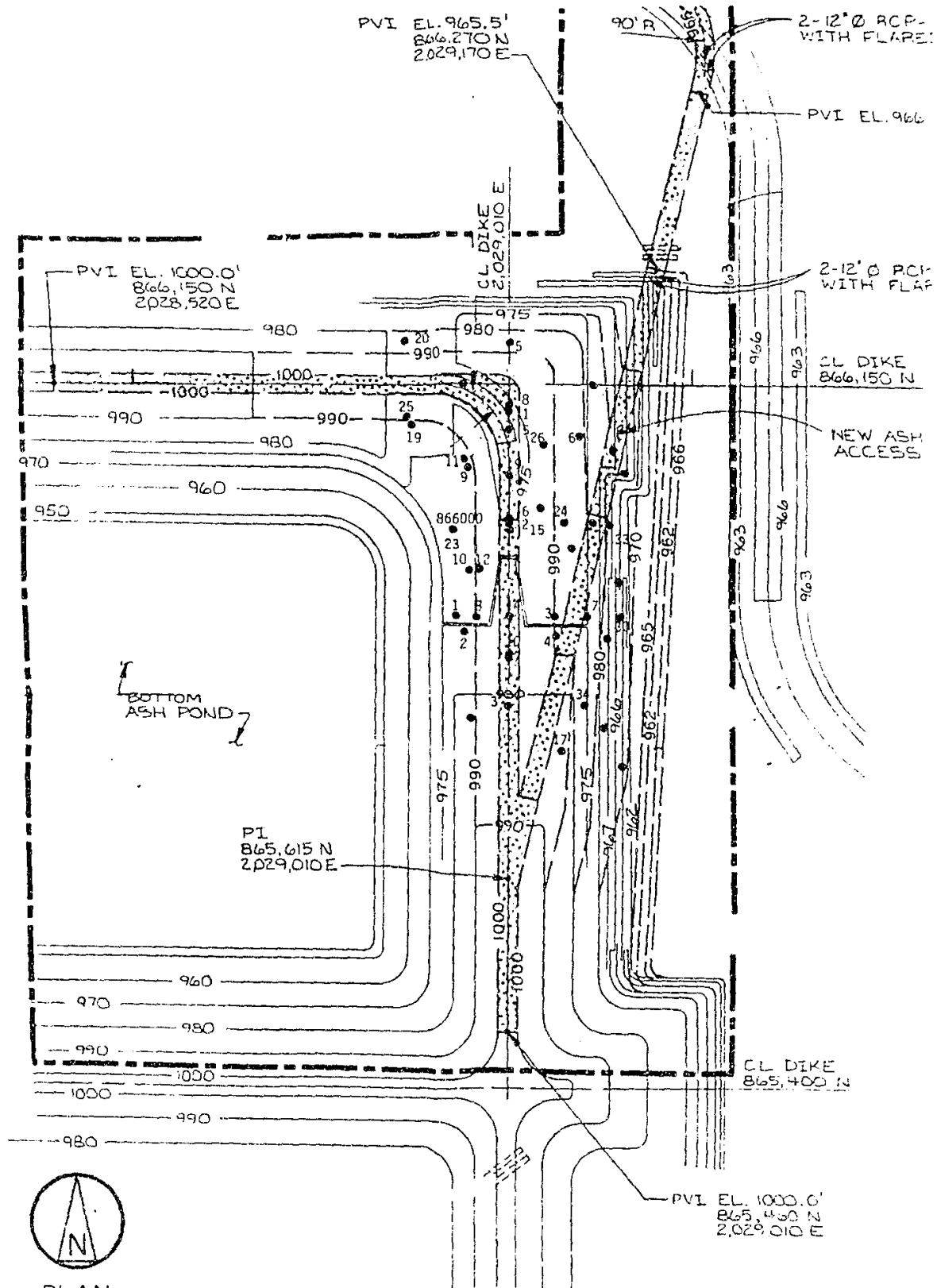


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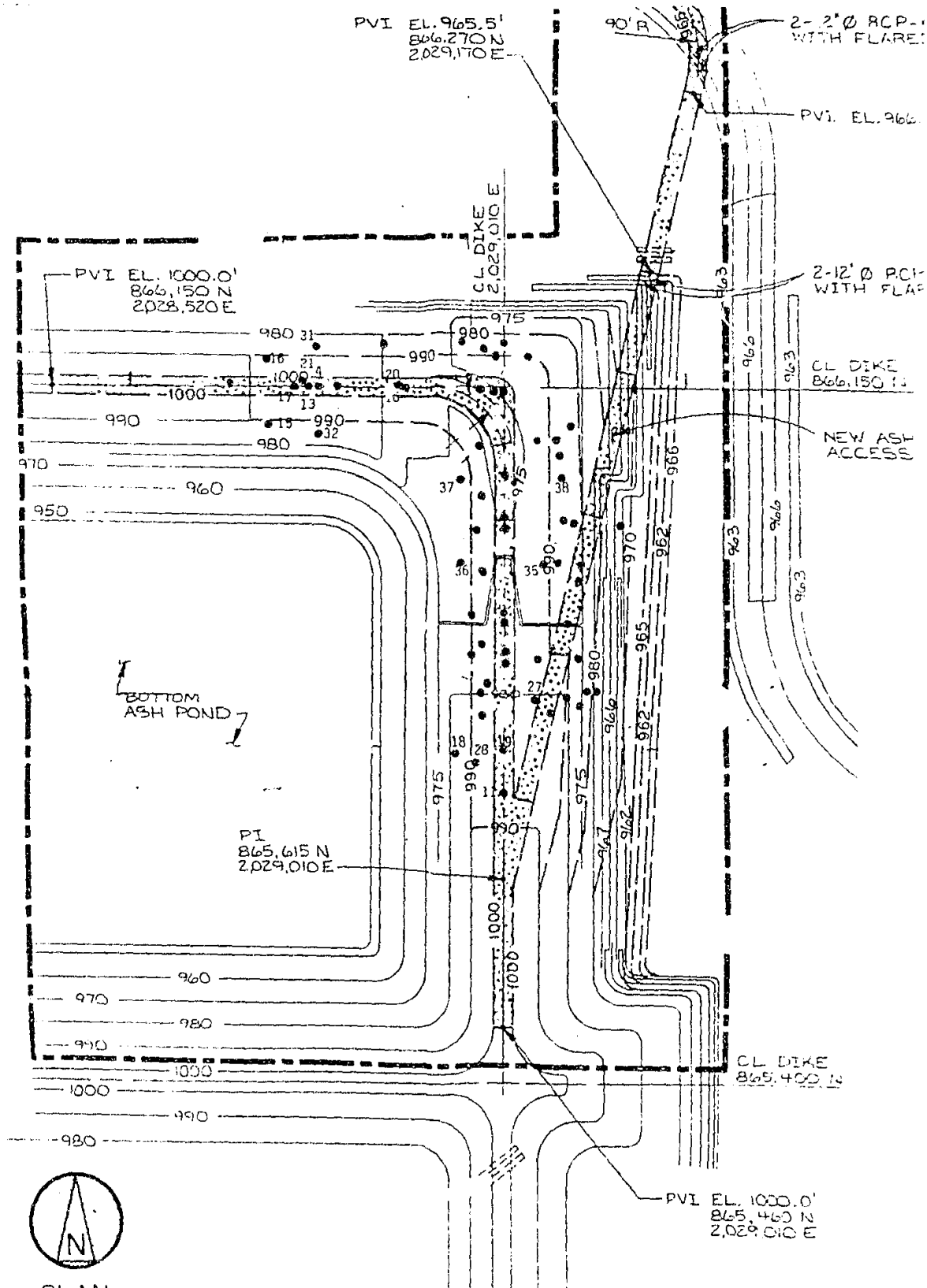


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BETWEEN ELEVATIONS 971'-980'
TWIN CITY TESTING LABORATORY #9-1292



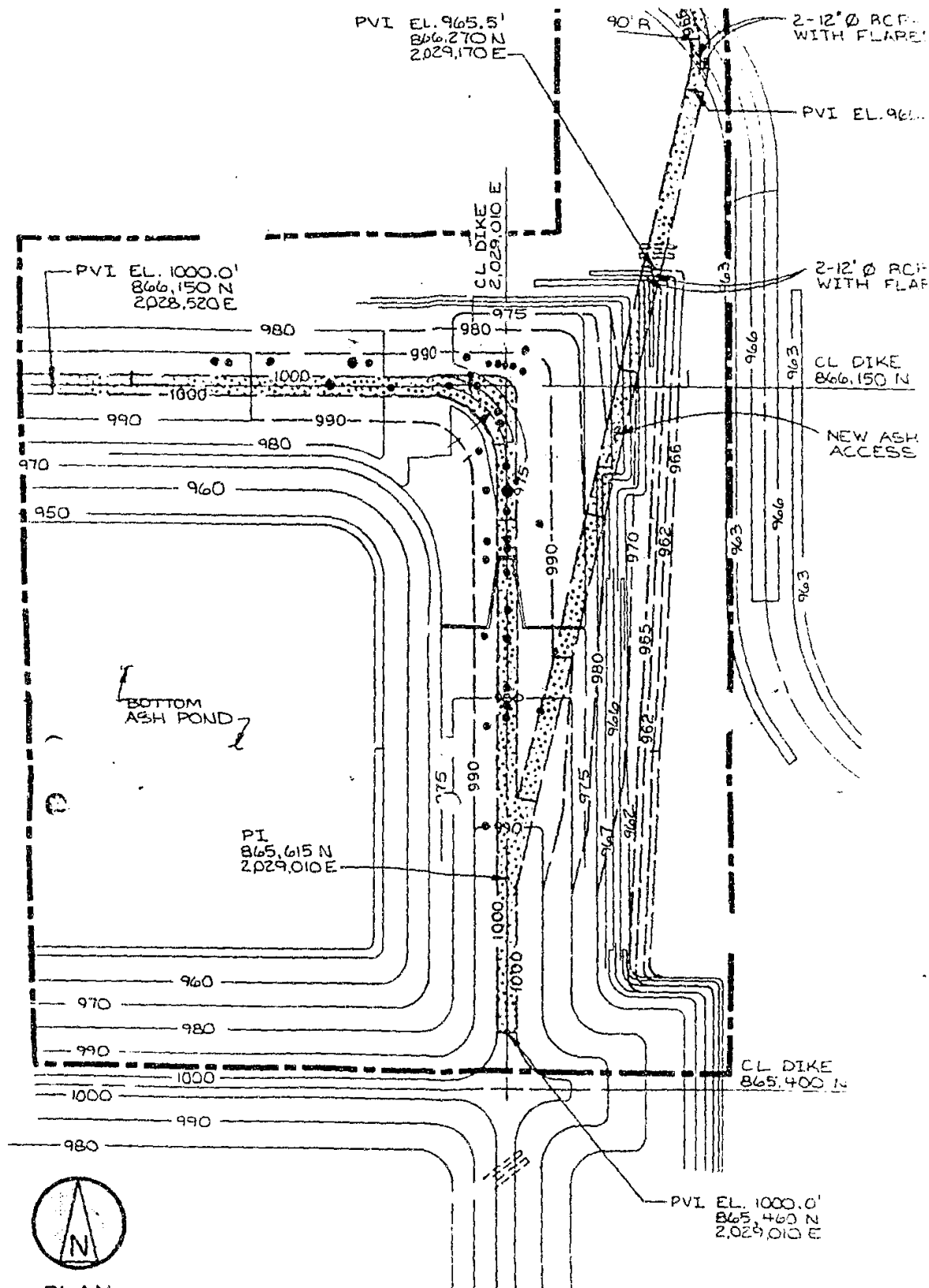
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