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## Buffalo Drilling Company, Inc. (BDC) Caisson Construction Submittal for the Rutland City Bridge

**Summary:** It is the intention of BDC to advance telescoping temporary (144.0, 120.0, and 96 inch diameter) casing down to and into the weathered bedrock like soils with the 96 inch casing bottoming out at approximate elevation 480.32 feet with the top of this casing at or above the defined top of grade elevation 526.32. All references to casing diameters, lengths, top, and tip elevations are depicted on **Attachment 0e Temporary + Permanent Casing Graphic Rev. 2**. The remaining 48.02 feet will be advanced in the open with the distinct possibility of using either water or Cetco polymer slurry to maintain the integrity of the shaft. Before the concrete pour begins, a permanent 108 inch diameter permanent casing will be centered and slid over the 96 inch temporary casing with the top of the 108 inch permanent casing set at or just above the ToC elevation of 521.32 feet. The bottom of the 108 inch casing will range 15 to 20 feet below the ToC. After the casing is set in place it will be temporarily welded to the 10 and 12 foot diameter temporary casings to prevent movement while extracting the 96 inch temporary casing during the pour. After the caisson shaft has been inspected and accepted, BDC will assist *Kubricky Construction Corp. (KCC)* with the setting of *KCC's* rebar cage, and will begin to tremie pour BDC's 4,000 psi Self-Consolidating Concrete using a concrete boom truck, both of which will be supplied by *Carrara Concrete*. The pour will pause continue until the casing has reached the temporary 96 inch casing and that casing shall be gradually raised until the head of concrete is a minimum of five feet into the permanent 108 inch casing so the 96 inch temporary casing can be totally withdrawn leaving a head of concrete in the permanent 108 inch casing. The top of the concrete will then be cleaned using automatic muck buckets and other tooling. The pour will then resume with concrete rising to the top of the permanent casing which will match the top of the caisson and the bottom of pier cap, elevation 521.32 feet. A period of time will pass, eight to twelve hours, and the sand, the 10, and 12 foot diameter temporary casings will be removed while backfilling with materials of Kubricky's choice. The means and methods are detailed below.

### A) Progression through Obstructions/ Rock

Buffalo Drilling Company will employ, as needed, rock augers, core barrels, star busters, and temporary casing with or without rock teeth to remove any unanticipated obstructions.

### B) Keeping the Hole Open

*BDC*, working with *KCC* and using their 110 ton crane, will first install a 144 inch diameter x 10.0 foot long temporary casings which will be drilled in place to approximately 2.0 feet below the bottom of the creek bottom or elevation 516.32. After the casing has been set, it will be stabilized with framing, stone backfill, and a deck constructed by *KCC* to allow 360 degree access to the caisson. *BDC*, working with *KCC* surveyors, will mark out offsets dimensions on the top of the 144 inch temporary casing for use in aligning the 120 inch temporary casing and 96 inch diameter permanent casing during their installation processes.

*BDC* will then proceed to advance a 120 inch diameter temporary casing to an approximate tip elevation between 508.32 and 511.32 feet. This will be accomplished with the use of augers and core barrels to drill both with and in front of the tip of the temporary casing and drag the casing along with the drill tooling. This method eliminates any void situation between the outside of the casing and the soils. After the 120 inch diameter casing has been set in place, *BDC*, with the assistance of Kubricky's 110 ton crane, will use a ICE Mode 44 Vibratory Hammer to install the 96 inch diameter temporary casing to approximate elevation of 480.32 feet. This 96 inch diameter temporary casing could be drilled or vibrated deeper based on the

soil conditions encountered. If the 96 inch casing is to be drilled deeper, the same procedure would be followed as described for the setting of the 144 and 120 inch temporary casings. If required, additional 96 inch temporary casing can be welded on to the already installed casing. After the shaft has been drilled to final depth and before the pour begins, BDC will install a length of 108 inch permanent casing that will extend to a minimum top elevation equal to the top of the caisson (elevation 521.32) to depth equal to or greater than the bottom of the 120 inch diameter temporary casing (elevation 508.32 to 511.32). In attachment **Attachment 0e Temporary + Permanent Casing Graphic Rev. 2** we have shown the permanent 108 inch casing extending five feet below the bottom of the 120 inch temporary casing (elevation 506.32). The final length of the 108 inch permanent casing will be between 10 and 20 feet dependent on the soil conditions encountered.

At this point, the shaft should be able to be advanced in the open into the highly weathered bedrock like soils. If the shaft in the weathered bedrock like soils does not stay open, Buffalo Drilling Company is prepared to use water or Cetco drill slurry (**Attachments 6a, 6b, 6c, and 6d**) to maintain the integrity of the shaft to the caisson tip elevation of 432.30 feet.

In some instances, slurry drilling techniques are employed with the sole purpose to maintain hole stability in the overburden long enough to advance a temporary or permanent casing into place. *BDC* does not anticipate employing this method for the setting of the only 108 inch diameter permanent casing which could cause the creation of voids between the casing and the soils. The permanent casing that *BDC* is setting will be vibrator driven and/or spun in place with the drill rig which will eliminate the creation of said voids in the natural soils encountered.

### C) Sequencing of Shaft Construction

*KCC* will be responsible to locate the center of shaft and specific elevations using registered land surveyors and/or engineers, establish offsets, and monitor locations during construction using tape measures, total stations, and or laser leveling equipment as needed.

There will be only one shaft to be drilled which will be the 96 inch diameter shaft which is located on the edge of Otter Creek just south of the northern branch of East Creek. Upon completion of the specified drilled shaft, BDC will employ the Mini-SID camera system (Attachments 13a and 13b) to view the bottom of the shaft and measure the depth of sediment remaining. After concrete is poured and set others will perform the required Sonic Log Testing.

The determination of the Bottom of the Caisson (BoC) or the bottom of the shaft will be established by the engineering geologist and would most likely employ a combination of methods. These methods could include, but not be limited to, the measuring the depth of the shaft as well as the examination of the cuttings removed from the shaft. Additional methods can be obtained from the individual who is assigned with the responsibility to inspect the shaft, such as the engineering geologist.

Methodology for installation of shaft could vary based on the length of the overburden to be drilled and sleeved, the consistency of the soils, the use of temporary or permanent casing, and the interaction with boulders or obstructions. Shallow lengths of casing, i.e. less than 15 feet, can be installed by drilling a shallow excavation, two to three feet deep, somewhat smaller than diameter of the casing to be set. At this point an auger can be run down to loosen the soils

allowing for the casing to be advanced through crowding and spinning it into the soils with the drill rig. The soils below the shallow excavation would not be removed unless they presented a stand up period that would allow their removal and the installation of a temporary casing without the collapse of the shaft. If the soils will not stand up, the casing would be spun into ground using the drill rig while at the same time using an auger or core barrel to cut the soils as the casing is dragged along with the cutting tool. Soils would then be removed to the bottom of the casing and could be advanced further by incrementally loosening the soils in front of the casing while continuing to spin the casing down until the toe of the casing has reached the desired elevation. This incremental advancement of the casing will avoid the collapsing of the shaft soils while at the same time install the casing without creating any voids between the permanent casing and the surrounding soils. With all sections of the temporary and permanent casing set and soils removed, methods for excavating through the 96 inch diameter highly weathered rock would employ the use of rock augers, core barrels, busters, and carbide tipped rock teeth. Alignment of casing, shafts, and rock sockets will be maintained using offsets, gravity, rig orientation, leveling of rig/Kelly bar, lasers, and total stations.

The construction of this shaft will use 144 and 120 inch diameter temporary casing of 10 foot lengths, temporary 96 inch casing 45 to 60 feet long, and permanent 108 inch casing 15 to 20 feet long (**0e Temporary + Permanent Casing Graphic Rev. 2**) and will require four sleeves. BDC anticipates a quadurple sleeved shaft using one section of permanent casing and three sections of temporary.

BDC will also be prepared to use, if required, slurry drilling methods employing Cetco polymer slurry products (**Attachments 6a, 6b, 6c, and 6d**). One of the purposes for the use of slurry for this would be to maintain shaft stability to allow for the insertion of temporary or permanent casing. If the shaft, which has casing set into the weathered bedrock like soils, stays open during the uncased drilling process, the slurry, if used, would be pumped back to the holding tank and either reused or disposed of by *KCC*.

The other purpose, would be to maintain hole stability and integrity without the use of casing as the shaft is advanced beyond the tip of the permanent casing to the BoC or Tip Elevation of the caisson. This is where BDC anticipates using either the head pressure of keeping the shaft full of water to maintain uncased shaft integrity or introducing Cetco ‘ShorePac’ Drilling Slurry to enhance the pressure and viscosity even further. Additional Cetco products could and would be employed for de-sanding the slurry, increasing the viscosity to deal with adverse sand or gravel situations, or to breakdown the slurry entirely.

Upon completion of shaft/rock socket construction, viewing with *BDC*’s GeoVision Downhole Camera (**Attachment 10 GeoVision Down-Hole Camera**), inspection by the engineering geologist, *KCC* would deliver to the hole their cage cut to the required length. Before setting, *BDC* will attach to the rebar cage *KCC*’s booties and centralizers, the cage will be lifted using the winch line on the a crane supplied by *KCC* and be placed in the shaft. Concrete will be placed using freefall, tremie, concrete boom pump, or hopper with elephant trunk all dependent on the water conditions encountered. It is highly likely that we will be employing the boom pump truck on this project. The above pour techniques are discussed further in Item J.

#### D) Type of Equipment

The drill rig used will be Jinta SD-20E (**Attachment 1a**). Anticipated drill tooling is listed at the conclusion of this submittal under item Q.

The vibratory hammer will be an ICE Model 44 Driver/Excavator with Model 350G Power Unit. (**1b ICE Model 44 Vibratory Driver~Extractor with 350G Power Pack – Add 12-31**)

BDC will supply and operate a down-hole camera system (**Attachment 10 GeoVision Down-Hole Camera**), to allow for black and white viewing of the bottom and sides of the shaft.

E) Cleaning Shafts and Soil Disposal

Buffalo Drilling Company will machine clean shaft bottoms using augers, muck buckets, and/or pac man as needed. Soil and slurry disposal will be handled by *KCC*.

F) Documentation – Contractor, Driller, Foreman

BDC will be employing Don Morris who will act as lead driller and foremen while the BDC crew is on site. (**Attachment # 7 Jobs, Operators, and Crew**) The operator could change based on his availability at the time construction begins.

G) Shaft Excavation Methods and Final Shaft Dimensions

Buffalo Drilling Company proposes to use temporary and permanent sleeves to construct the shaft, with three temporary and one permanent casings, drilled into the weathered bedrock like soils. At this point, the shaft will be further advanced without the use of a casing. The final pier shaft dimensions will be dependent on the soil conditions but BDC is planning on using 144 and 120 inch diameter upper temporary casing for the overburden and will also be using 96 inch diameter temporary casing. The upper 144 and 120 inch casing will be spun and drilled in place using the drill rig, core barrels, and rock augers. The 96 inch temporary casing will be set initially, and possibly completely, using an ICE Vibratory Driverr. Using core barrels and rock augers to advance the casing further the driver allows would follow the same procedures as outlined for the drilled installation of the larger diameter casing. BDC will set the permanent 108” casing by either spinning it into place with the drill rig or vibrating it in place using the ICE Vibrator. The previously defined temporary casing dimensions could vary by up to six inches in diameter depending on the soil and rock conditions encountered and the number of casings employed.

H) The use of slurry is not presently anticipated but if and when it is employed it will be to maintain the shaft integrity below the tip of lowest temporary casing around elevation 480.32 ~ initially, there are NO plans to use slurry to keep the shaft open during the installation of the three sections of temporary casing. BDC will be using the Cetco line of polymer products (**Attachments 6a, 6b, 6c, and 6d**) as needed for the setting of temporary casing, if required, or for the maintenance of the shaft integrity below the temporary casing.

I) Reinforcement Placement

Upon completion of shaft construction, *KCC* will move the cage to the shaft. Centralizers and Bar Boots, provided by *KCC*, will be attached to the cage and the cage will be placed in the

shaft using a crane, or other lifting equipment supplied by KCC. (Boots will be attached to every other vertical while centralizers, horizontally spaced at a maximum of 9.8 feet intervals (3 meters) and placed in symmetric groups of three and four around the cage clipped to the horizontal rebar hoops.)

## J) Concrete Placement

Concrete, VT Class SCC, provided by BDC and supplied by Carrara Concrete (**Attachments 9a, 9b, 9c, and 9d**), will be placed using a Carrara Concrete boom truck, **Attachment 9e**, to tremie pour the concrete through a four or five inch pumper pipe. As the concrete rises in to the casing and it is possible to clean off the lattice, water, and muck on top exposing good concrete, it could then be possible for the concrete to be poured in the dry employing free fall methods avoiding hitting sides of shaft or rebar. A hopper and elephant trunk may be employed.

If water is encountered a submersible pump would be lowered to the bottom of the shaft to remove the water to an acceptable level of 2 inches (50 mm) or less. If water infiltration is greater then the capacity of the pump to remove it the pump would be removed and the water would be allowed to fill the hole and rise to a static level. Procedures for either pumping or tremie pour would then be employed to fill the excavation.

J-1) Pumping concrete employs either a trailer mounted or truck mounted (boom truck) mechanical pumping system. Methods require the lowering to the bottom of the shaft a four or five inch diameter steel pipe. Concrete is then pumped into the excavation. Care must be taken when raising the steel pipe to be sure that the bottom of the steel pipe remains embedded a minimum of five feet into the concrete thus avoiding intermixing the pumped concrete with the water or slurry in the shaft. To prevent the tremie pipe from pushing it's way out of the concrete during pumping, the operator on the concrete pump will maintain pressure on the 4 to 5 inch tremie pipe submerged in the concrete. After the concrete has risen to the level where a five foot head of concrete is apparent in the temporary sleeve the pumping pipe can be removed, pumped off, and any contaminants can be mucked of the top of the concrete and pouring can continue using freefall or hopper with elephant trunk methods.

J-2) Tremie pouring follows the same procedures as defined when pumping concrete. A tremie pipe, minimum 12 inch diameter steel or plastic pipe, replaces the 4 to 5 inch diameter pipe used when pumping concrete (J-2). Procedures of plugging, lowering, rising of the tremie relative to embedment and head in the temporary sleeve are the same as outlined above. A hopper is usually used on the top of the tremie pipe to avoid spillage.

For removal of temporary casing see the Attachment number 8.

Concrete will be mixed with heated aggregative and hot water, as needed, to satisfy concrete winter conditions. At the completion of the concrete pour the top of the shaft & the extended rebar will be capped and wrapped with insulated blankets supplied by KCC.

## K) Concrete Mix and Modified Tremie Mix

The Carrara Concrete company will be providing the concrete for the caisson and has provided BDC with VT Class SCC. The specified mix (**Attachment 9b VT Class SCC Concrete Submittal**) which will be poured using a Carrara Concrete boom truck, **Attachment 9e**, to temie pour the concrete.

#### L) Emergency Joint Procedure

Rough up the top of the pour and insert 4 No. 5 dowels 6 foot long, 3 feet into poured concrete. When pour is continued, clean the top of the pier and cover with bonding agent according to the printed direction of bonding agent used. If the joint is to far down the shaft to reach, BDC will employ longer dowels that will extend up the shaft to allow for manual installation. The imbedded length (bottom 3 feet) would be brushed with bonding agent before inserting in the poured concrete. These dowels would be tied off using tie wire to position them properly before concrete pouring resumed.

#### O) Bonding Agent

ChemMasters bonding agent Cretelox, or a compound approved by the *Vermont Agency of Transportation* will be used as needed per the directions on the attached product data sheet. In order to maintain the moisture of the bonding agent it would only be applied to the rebar and the concrete when we knew that the delivery of the concrete would fall within the required time frame. A brush / roller extension would used for areas that are out of reach from the top of the shaft. See attachment number 5.

#### P) Equipment for Inspections

Addressed in Item D – no further information available due to lack of input from Geologist/Geotechnical Engineer.

#### P-1) Effects of the Reduction of Side Friction Due to the use of 108 Inch Permanent

Since BDC has revised it's procedures to only use permanent casing in the top 15 to 20 feet of the caisson, we feel any reduction in the side friction will be negligible due to three factors.

- 1) The top 7 to 10 feet of a caisson is usually disregarded when calculating the effects of so side friction on the shaft
- 2) The next 10 to 12 feet in the existing soils did not have much resistance capacity allowing the remaining 72 to 75 feet of un-sleeved shaft to more then carry the required loading.
- 3) There will also be some side fiction in the permanently cased section that falls outside of the top 7 to 10 throw away zone.

#### Q) Equipment and Tooling List

##### Drill Rig and Other Equipment

2009 Jinta SD-20E Track Mounted Drill Rig  
ICE Mode 44 Hydraulic Vibratory Driver  
Model 3500G Power Unit  
12.0 Foot Caisson Beam Clamp

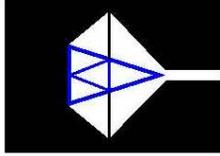
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Drill Tools	Diameter
Rock Auger	48", 60", 72", 96", 108", 120" & 144"
Core Barrels	48", 60", 72", 96", 108", & 120"
Muck Bucket	60" & 90"
Star Buster	
Casing	144", 120", 108", & 96" (Varying Lengths)

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North River Street  
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**Addressing Direct Comments ON**  
**0b Rutland City Bridge - Caisson Construction Submittal**

**Summary**

- 1) **Was 120” analyzed?** – No, BDC did no separate analysis beyond the assumption that the ten foot diameter sleeve and concrete was only adding increased, differing and improved soil structure for a 15 foot zone around the rebar cage. - **No Changes**
- 2) **Top of Bedrock** - the owner of BDC, a professional geotechnical engineer, reads the soil structure starting about 42 feet below grade as a weathered bedrock type soils with competent bedrock found at the 120 foot depth noted in B-201. - “like soils” added after weathered bedrock.

**B) Keeping the Hole Open**

- 1) **Sealing 10 ft. casing around 8 ft.** – the 2 to 3 foot deep zone around the lower 8'-10' pipe intersection will be filled as the concrete is poured and displaces any trapped slurry - **No Changes**
- 2) **Slurry Manufacturer must** – BDC is not 100% on this comment but - added the name and phone number of the Cetco representative and BDC has scheduled them for a slurry start up site appearance if and when slurry is to be used
- 3) **Cetco and BDC trained personal** – see item 2 above for Cetco rep and BDC trained personal have their ADSC and Cetco training notes” added to Item “7 Jobs, Operators, and Crew”

**C) Sequencing of Shaft Construction**

- 1) **Sonic Log Testing to be Performed by the Engineer** – All references to Sonic Log Testing by Barron & Associates, P.C. have been removed in favor of the engineer.
- 2) **Concrete Will be Placed using Freefall** – changed from “freefall” to tremie pour techniques

**D) Sequencing of Shaft Construction**

- 1) **This is to be performed by the engineer** – see C-1 above

**J) Concrete Placement**

- 1) **Specifications Require Placement by Tremie** – see C-2 above
- 2) **“Three to Five” under J-1**– Changed to “minimum five”
- 3) **“10 to 12” under J-2**– Changed to “minimum 12

**K) Concrete Mix and Modified Tremie Mix**

- 1) **Mix #???** – Deleted “Mix #???” because there is no Mix # for this Vermont Specified Design at Carrara Concrete.

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**L) How will this Work? Note on drawing 0e Temporary & Permanent Casing Graphic**

1) Added Note 1 –

ANSWER:

1\* this pipe is proposed to be 10' in diameter to accommodate the triple sleeve that will occur with the top and bottom 8' diameter permanent casings - We have also specced 9' diameter permanent casing, though a bit tight for overlapping pipe, it should work.

**M) The Shaft is 96" Diameter how will smaller diameter casing be beneficial?**

2) **Corrected typos** – changed casing diameters to proper dimensions, revised client name and company, and corrected job site location. Also added spec on permanent casing.

Thanks,

Don

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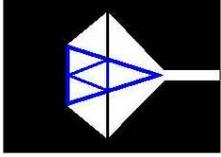
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77. (a) Submittals

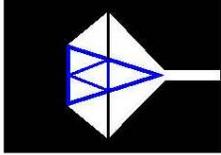
- a. A list, description, and capacities of proposed equipment and procedures for drilled shaft installation, **included in original submittal with narrative beginning on page one of the 0b Rutland City Bridge Caisson Construction Submittal – Rev 1 beginning with the summary and concluding with lists of equipment at the end of said 0b submittal narrative while drill rig capacities are noted in the attached 1a Jinta SD20E Spec Sheet.**
  - b. including drawings showing consecutive steps of drilled shaft installation and drawings with measurements showing that the proposed equipment can perform the specified work. **See added Drawings 0g, 0h, and 0i. Drawing 0g details the installation of the 12' foot temporary casing with marks noted for clearance distances from drill rig tracks to the Kelly Bar centerline for drilling at grade elevations at and 5 feet above grade. The same distances are noted for the 9 or 10 foot permanent casing in Drawing 0h and Drawing 0i depicting the 8 foot permanent casing.**
  - c. Included in the drawings shall be sketches that show the areas that are planned to be used for staging, **see newly attached Drawing 0f Drill and Pour Staging Locations which places general locations for the placement of tanks, crane, pump, and tooling. All these prospective locations will most likely be adjusted and modified by field personnel.**
  - d. layout drawings showing the proposed sequence of drilled shaft installation, and **Only one shaft to sequence**
  - e. detailed drawings of all over-water equipment for drilled shaft installation. **No over water equipment involved, all equipment is land based and will be drilling on the edge of the creek with a stone buildup around the temporary 12 foot diameter casing for 360 degree access around the shaft.**
  - f. The information shall describe the type of equipment to be used, including drill rig, cranes, drilling tools, final cleaning equipment, de-sanding equipment, slurry pumps, bailing buckets, sampling equipment, tremies or concrete pumps, and casing, including casing dimensions, material and splice details, etc. **These items are all noted in the original and in revision 1 of 0b Rutland City Bridge Caisson Construction Submittal along with Attachments 1a, 4a, b, cc & d, 6d, 8, 9e, 10, and 12 b through h.**
  - g. As appropriate, the narrative shall describe equipment suitability to the anticipated site and subsurface conditions. The narrative shall include a project history of the drilling equipment on shafts of equal or greater size in similar subsurface conditions. **These items are noted in the project history in Attachment 7. These Items can also be discussed in the predrilling conference.**
  - h. Provide a detailed description of procedures for temporary and permanent casing installation and removal as applicable. **See narrative B Keeping the Hole Open in 0b Rutland City Bridge Caisson Construction Submittal for casing installation and see Attachment 8 for Temporary Casing Removal.**
- (5) Methods of removal and disposal of contaminated concrete. **Contaminated concrete will be removed using an muck bucket and disposal will be by KCC.**
- (7)
- a. Details of concrete batching and/or delivery to the site, **Carrara Concrete will be delivering to the site in their VTDOT approved trucks, the submitted VT Class SCC concrete mix which will be batching from their VTDOT approved plant which is 3.3 to 5 miles and about 10 minutes from the Rutland site.**
  - b. how concrete acceptance samples will be collected, – **to be answered by the testing agency for the GC/State**
  - c. proposed location for concrete acceptance testing, and **at the location where the concrete is to be placed into the pump – can be clarified by the testing agency for the GC/State**
  - d. concrete placement including proposed operational procedures for concrete pump or tremie. Include **Carrara Concrete will be supplying the concrete pump, as noted in the submittal, and the concrete will be placed in the disbursement hopper of that pump and then pumped to the bottom of the shaft via a 4 or 5 inch diameter tremie pipe.**

- e. details of initial placement, **as stated in the original submittal, a 4 or 5 inch diameter tremie pipe, through the use of the crane or drill rig winch line, will be lowered to the bottom of the shaft and concrete will be pumped through that pipe.**
  - f. raising the tremie pipe(s) during placement, and **as stated in the original submittal, the tremie pipe will maintain a minimum 5 feet of concrete cover as it is raised up with either the crane or drill rig winch line.**
  - g. overfilling of the shaft concrete, the **the concrete will be over poured at the top of the 120 or 108 “ diameter permanent casing to allow for cleaning of the top of the concrete before the placement of the 96” diameter permanent culvert casing.**
  - h. method to accurately monitor the volume of concrete being placed at all times during the pump/pour– **Batch tickets delivered to the site will be collected and added to the previously collected tickets and a running total of concrete will be maintained by BDC ground personal as well as the pump operator who has a volume counter built into the pump itself.**
  - i. provisions to prepare the completed shaft top at its final shaft top elevation.
  - j. Spec sheet on the Concrete Pump to be used – **Already supplied by Carrara Concrete and was and is included as Item 9e in previous and present revised submittal.**
- (9)
- a. The name and current phone number of the slurry manufacturer’s technical representative assigned to the project. **Darlene Torkarsky 847.345.3271**
  - b. The name(s) of the Contractor’s personnel assigned to the project trained by the slurry manufacturer’s technical representative in the proper use of the slurry. **Don Morris 2010 ADSC Slurry School – Worked with Cetco Products for 15 Years – Mark Bruning**
  - c. The submittal shall include a signed training certification letter from the slurry manufacturer for each individual, including the date of training. **2010 ADSC Slurry School – Worked with Cetco Products for 15 Years**
- (10)
- a. Detailed procedures for mixing, using, maintaining, and disposing of the slurry shall be provided. **See submittal Attachments items 6a, 6b, and 6c.**
  - b. A detailed mix design (including all additives and their specific purpose in the slurry mix), and **See submittal Attachments 6a and 6b**
  - c. a discussion of its suitability to the anticipated subsurface geotechnical conditions, shall also be provided for the proposed slurry. **Attachment 6b**
- (11)
- a. The submittal shall include a detailed plan for quality control of the selected slurry, including **Cetco has outlined a slurry plan in Attachment 6b with further quality control discussions in Attachment 6a.**
  - b. tests to be performed, **Attachment 6d details the Slurry testing kit which allows for testing of water Ph, Sand Content, Marsh Funnel Viscosity, and Mud Balance.**
  - c. test methods to be used, and **Test methods are outlined in Attachment 6a starting at the bottom of page 3**
  - d. minimum and/or maximum property requirements which must be met to ensure that the slurry functions as intended, considering the anticipated subsurface conditions and shaft construction methods, in accordance with the slurry manufacturer’s recommendations and these Specifications. (Slurry testing schedule i.e. 4 sets of tests in first 8 hours, 1 set every 4 hours afterward) **BDC plans on following the outline provided by Cetco but adjuncting it with the engineer’s recommendation of 4 test in the first 8 hours and 1 every 4 hours thereafter.**
- (12) If slurry is to be used, an alternate procedure to be used which will secure the shaft in the event of slurry loss or loss of slurry stabilization properties. **Slurry loss or declining stabilization properties would require an initial attempt to introduce new slurry to replace the destabilized slurry or mix in chemical slurry enhancers such as Stone or Sand Stop. If these attempts fail to resolve the problem BDC would have to continue to extend the casing to bypass the zone that was creating the problem with the potential to end up, in a worst case scenario, with full length permanent casing.**
- (13) Description of the type of feet to be used to support the reinforcing steel cage in the drilled shaft. **Provided by KCC**
- (17) Method for reinsertion of tremie pipe, if required. **To re-insert pumper tremie pipe the pipe must be cleaned of concrete and re-inserted just above the top of the pour with a new foam ball inserted in the pipe. Concrete will then be pumped on top of the pour until the tremie pipe is full of concrete and the foam ball has been discharged. The tremie pipe can then be re-inserted a minimum of 5 feet into the existing pour and pumping can continue. A metal plate or wood plug can be substituted for the foam ball if required and it would be attached to the end of the tremie pipe via wire or duct tape.**

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Project: Replacement of River Street Bridge  
North River Street  
Rutland, Vermont

**Addressing Direct Comments ON**  
**Rutland City BRF 3000 (16) Drilled Shaft Submittal (19) –**  
**Revised Drilled Shaft Installation**

1. The Drilled Shaft Submittal should be comprised of a single comprehensive document. There are discrepancies existing between multiple documents that should be resolved. **Done**
2. The plans show temporary casing and the Contractor is proposing to use permanent casing for the upper portion of the shaft. The use of permanent casing is not rejected, however, the change does effect the skin resistance. The total length of the shaft should be evaluated and verified as appropriate with this modification. **Answered in setion P-1 of submittal document “0b Submittal for Rutland City Bridge Caisson Construction Submittal - Rev 2”**
3. There are discrepancies between the various documents provided concerning certain elevations. These need to be addressed. For instance, the elevations given in “0e Temporary + Permanent Casing Graphic - Rev 1.xls”, don’t agree with the elevations given in “0b Rutland City Bridge Caisson Construction Submittal - Rev 1.doc” **Either directly fixed or eliminated through revised installation methods.**
  - a. Bottom of shaft: in “0e” = 437.3, in “0b”=**432.3**, the bottom of shaft elevation needs to be 432.3, as per the plans. **Done**
  - b. Bottom of permanent casing: in “0e” =485.32, in “0b”=480.32 **Done - Revised**
  - c. Bottom of 9 (or 10 ft) diameter casing: in “0e” =503.32, in “0b”=502.32 **Done - Revised**
  - d. Bottom of 12 foot diameter casing: in “0e” =**516.32**, in “0b”=515.32 **Done**
  - e. Top of temporary 12 foot diameter casing : in “0e” = **526.32**, in “0b”=525.32 **Done**
4. In “0g 12.0 Foot Diameter Temporary Casing - Add 12-22.pdf”, the 12 foot diameter casing is given as being **10 feet** long, this agrees with “0e”, and with “0b”, although the elevations differ. **Done**
5. In “0h 9-10.0 Foot Diameter Permanent Casing - Add 12-22.pdf”, the 9 or 10 foot casing is given as being 15 feet long, with 2.5 feet of it within the larger casing. So the bottom of this casing should be at elevation 525.32-10-12.5=502.82, which is halfway between the bottom of casing elevations given in “0b” and “0e”. **Done - Revised**
6. In “0i 8.0 Foot Diameter Permanent Casing - Add 12-22.pdf”, the 8 foot casing is given as being 40 feet long, and the bottom elevation should be 525.32-10-12.5-40+2.5=465.32, but in “0e” this casing is shown as being 25 feet long and the bottom elevation is given as 485.32. Identify which is correct, **45+ feet** of 8 foot diameter casing or 25 feet. **Done - Revised**
7. If the tremie pump is to be used, does down pressure need to be applied to the tremie pipe to ensure that the Pipe maintains the 5 foot embedment? Often times the pump will cause the tremie pipe to jump as the concrete surges. **Answered in setion J-1 of submittal document “0b Submittal for Rutland City Bridge Caisson Construction Submittal - Rev 2”**

Thanks,  
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## **0d Methods for Checking Shaft Alignment, Plumbness, and Diameter**

Numerous tools are used for assuring the alignment, plumbness and diameter of the drilled shaft. These can range from as simple as a pre-measured stick or bar to computerized and controlled GPS locating device. Buffalo Drilling Company, Inc (BDC) in conjunction with *Kubricky Construction Corp.* (KCC) will follow some of the following protocol to assure that the drilled shaft remains within specified tolerances.

### **A) Layout of Center of Shaft, Elevations, and Depth/Alignment Review During Shaft Construction**

Layout of center of shafts with offsets and benchmark elevations will be provided by the owner, general contractor, or BDC, if contractually obligated, using any number of the following methods: registered surveyor, one stations, GPS system, transits, string lines, tape measures, and laser levels. On this Project, *KCC* will be providing the layout and survey as needed.

Before drilling, BDC will review plans with GC to verify the selected drill location, use our laser leveling system to establish existing elevation and calculate depth required to reach the BoC, set up on the first shaft by centering the drill bit over the hub or staked center of the shaft, check offsets established by others or set our own offsets, mark the distance to shaft on the drill table and/or use the caisson rigs computer control location system, check the level on the rig Kelly bar using levels and/or using the leveling system in the computer console of the drill rig, then begin drilling the shaft.

After the hole has been advanced its initial distance of a couple of feet, the hole center can be checked quickly using the established offsets to verify that the center and edges of the shaft fall within the required location parameters. A weighted tape can be used by lowering it down the shaft and checking depths as the shafts is advanced. These alignment and elevation review processes will be repeated, as needed, until the shaft has reached the BoC elevation.

### **B) Checking Shaft Diameter and Plumbness**

Shaft Diameter can be established by the measurement of the tooling used to cut the shaft, the outside diameter of any temporary or permanent casing used during construction of the shaft, or by using a defined length cross adaptor attached to the Kelly bar and lowered down the shaft.

There are numerous methods for checking the plumbness of shaft construction beginning with the use of levels, plumb Bobs, and/or the leveling system in the drill rig's computer console to level the Kelly bar and then make a visual review as the bar is tabled close to the edge of the shaft. Variations in distance of the bar from the edge of the shaft will ascertain if there is any major deviation from the vertical specification requirements. When installing either temporary or permanent casing, the plumbness of the shaft can be checked by placing a three foot level on the inside of the shaft in the perpendicular or by checking the level across the top of a straight cut of casing. More accurate measurements can be made through the use of a plumb Bob and a bit of geometry, as depicted on pages 2 and 3 of the attached 0e NYS DOT Construction Monitoring guidelines.

### **C) Measurement of Top and Volume of Concrete**

Pages 4 of the attached 0e NYS DOT Construction Monitoring guidelines depicts the float method for checking the top level of the poured concrete and page 5 offers a chart that quantifies the volume of concrete per linear foot based on the diameter of the shaft. These concrete volumes are also calculated by the drill crews using slide calculators that are provided by many concrete suppliers.

#### D) Shaft Monitoring Tools that May be Employed

Levels – 1.0, 2.0, and/or 4.0’

Plum Bobs

Tape Measures

Weighted Tapes

Float Tape

Slide Concrete Calculators

Laser Level

Offset Sticks

Stakes

Calculator

## 7. CONSTRUCTION MONITORING

### 7.1 Monitoring Aids

The next four pages provide the following drilled shaft construction monitoring aids:

- 1) Suggested Method to Check Shaft Plumbness if Horizontal Tolerance is Known - describes a quick procedure to determine if the shaft is out of “plumb” (required verticality). As specified in the specification the allowable tolerance from the required verticality is 2% for vertical shafts, 3% for battered shafts. This procedure assumes that the actual tolerance for the shaft has been computed, based on the allowable tolerance from the required verticality (either 2% or 3%) and the total shaft length. This test should be performed when the shaft excavation is completed.
- 2) Suggested Method to Check Shaft Plumbness - describes a procedure to determine a shaft’s plumbness at any point during construction. It is essentially the same procedure as above. The figure shows three measurements for each check. Keep in mind that if the casing is continuous (i.e. one piece) or no casing is used, only one measurement is required for a plumbness check. This procedure should be performed periodically as the shaft is progressed to maintain correct shaft verticality.
- 3) Suggested Method to Check Concrete Level - describes a procedure to determine the concrete level during pouring. Determining the correct concrete level during the pour is essential for the completion of the concrete curve (a key part of the inspection forms). Basically a tape measure with its end attached to something that will sink in water and other drilling fluids, but will float on the wet concrete is used for this procedure. This will allow the inspector to determine the level of concrete in the shaft at any point during the pour, even if the shaft is filled with water or drilling fluid.
- 4) Shaft Areas and Volumes Table - Is a self explanatory table that aids the inspector in determining the shaft’s volume.

## Suggested Method to Check Shaft Plumbness if Horizontal Tolerance is Known

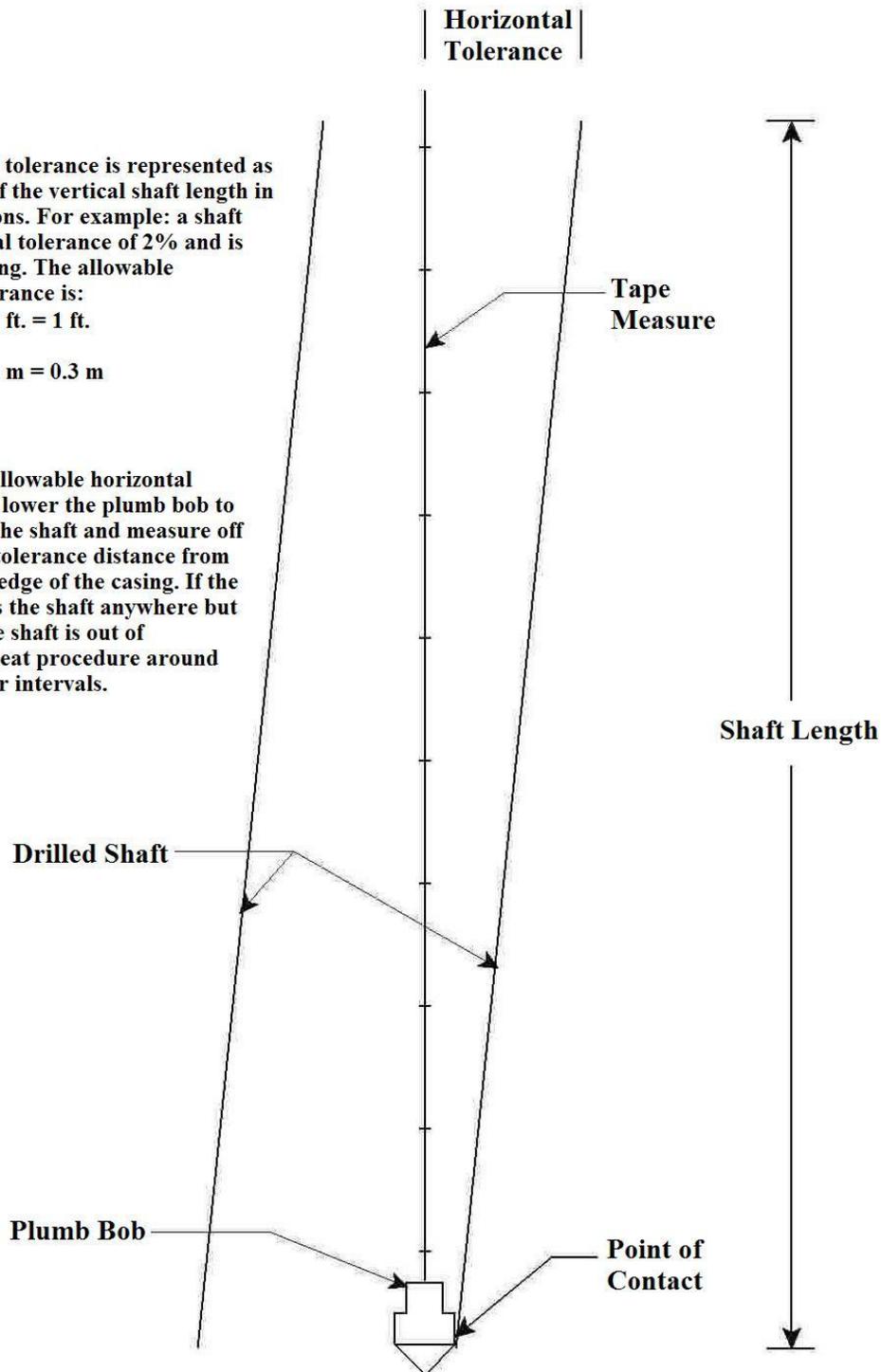
The horizontal tolerance is represented as a percentage of the vertical shaft length in the specifications. For example: a shaft has a horizontal tolerance of 2% and is 50 ft. (15 m) long. The allowable horizontal tolerance is:

$$0.02 \times 50 \text{ ft.} = 1 \text{ ft.}$$

or

$$0.02 \times 15 \text{ m} = 0.3 \text{ m}$$

Knowing the allowable horizontal tolerance, you lower the plumb bob to the bottom of the shaft and measure off the allowable tolerance distance from the line to the edge of the casing. If the plumb bob hits the shaft anywhere but the bottom, the shaft is out of tolerance. Repeat procedure around shaft at regular intervals.



### Suggested Method to Check Shaft Plumbness

$$\tan \Phi_1 = X_1 / Y_1$$

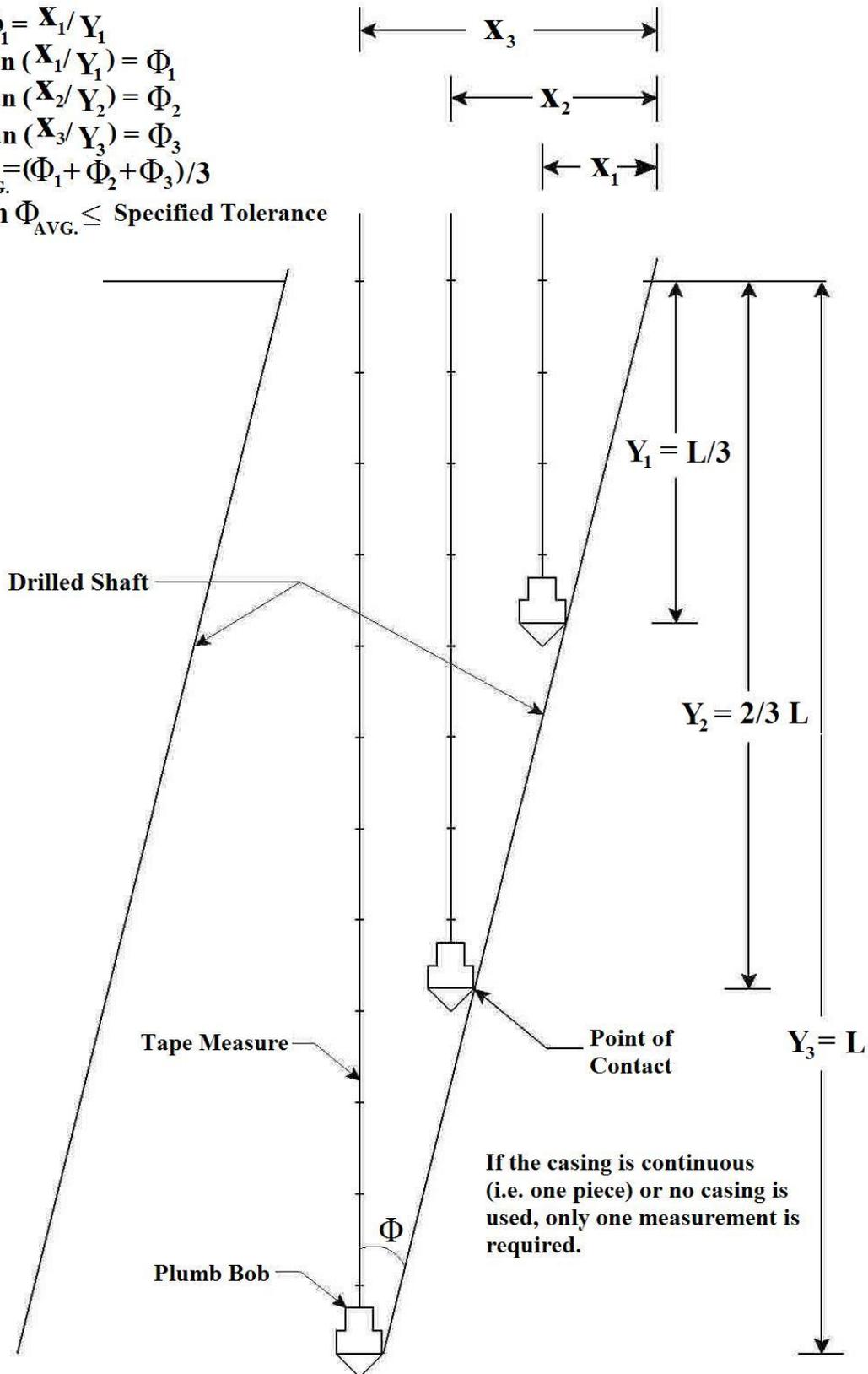
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$$\arctan (X_2 / Y_2) = \Phi_2$$

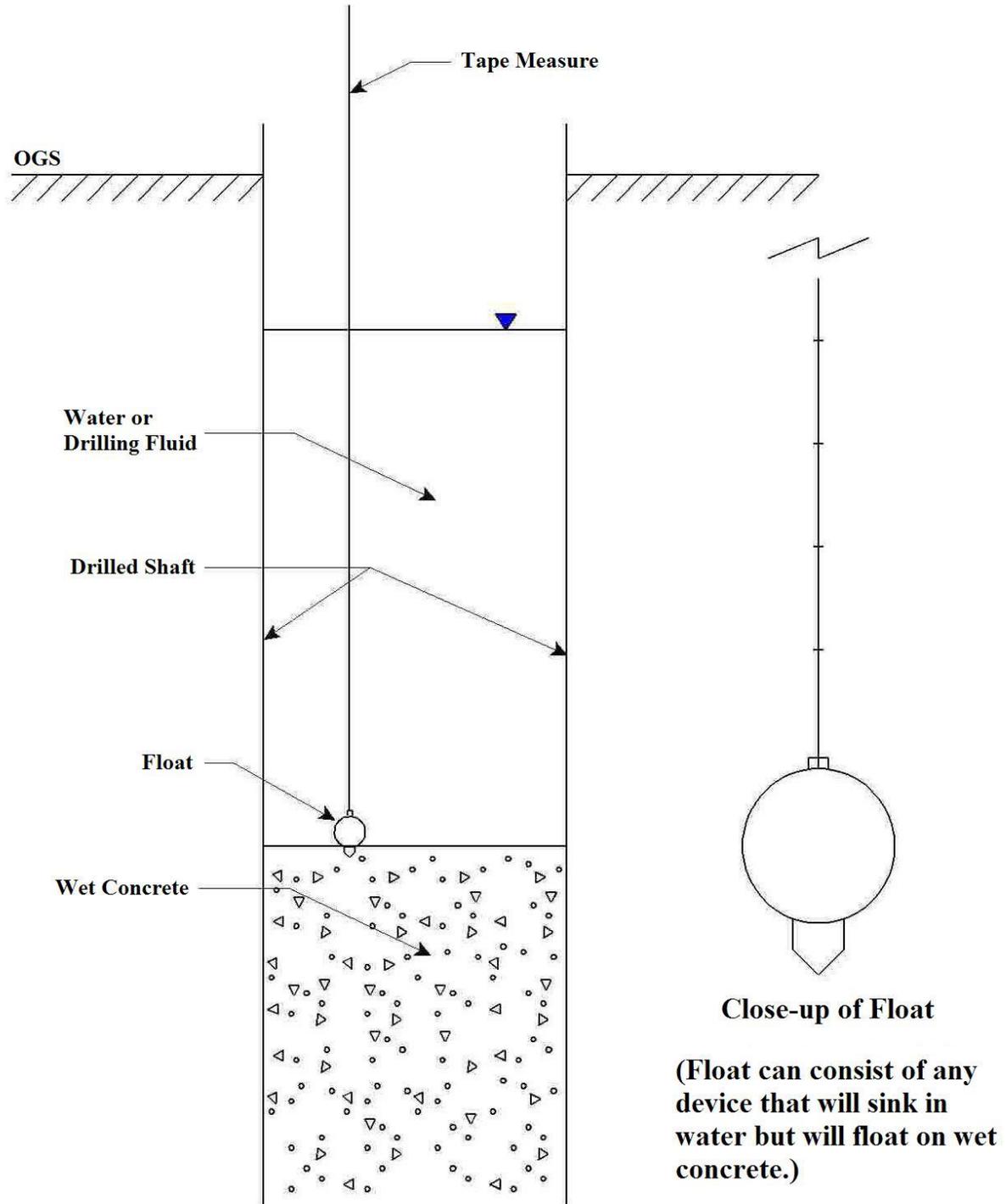
$$\arctan (X_3 / Y_3) = \Phi_3$$

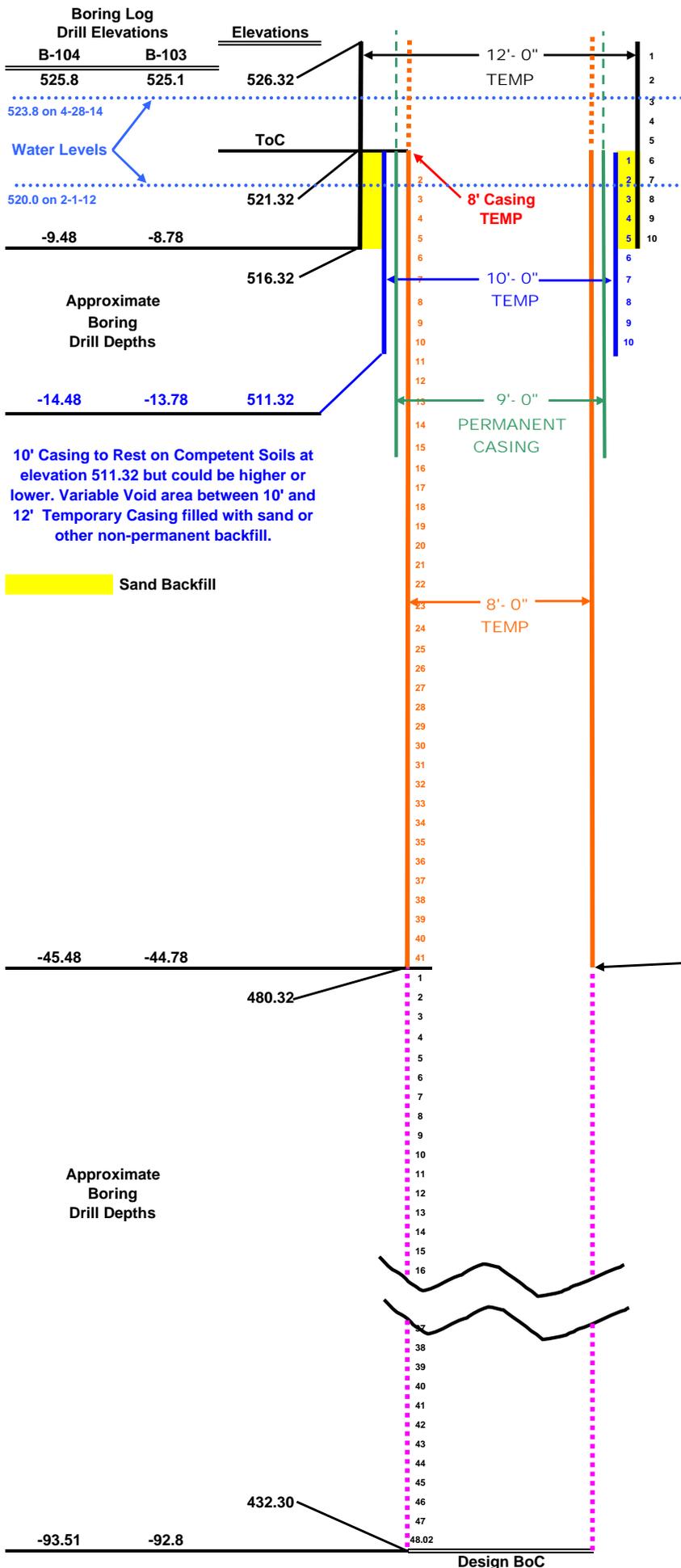
$$\Phi_{AVG.} = (\Phi_1 + \Phi_2 + \Phi_3) / 3$$

$$L \tan \Phi_{AVG.} \leq \text{Specified Tolerance}$$



## Suggested Method to Check Concrete Level





- Temporary 12.0' Diameter Casing\***
- Temporary 10.0' Diameter Casing\***
- Permanent 9.0' Diameter Casing\***
- Temporary 8.0' x 45+ Foot\* Casing Cut to Length as Needed**
- 108" Diameter X-tra - Cut to Length or Extend as Needed**
- 96" Diameter X-tra - Cut to Length or Extend as Needed**
- 96" Diameter Open Hole Integrity Maintained Using Water or Slurry**

\*All pipe lengths are approximate and may be a couple of feet longer or shorter than specified.  
 108 Inch diameter permanent casing may have to be trimmed to or a bit above ToC elevation of 521.32 upon completion.

**IN THIS INSTALLATION PROCESS, THE TOP 10 TO 15 FEET OF THE CAISSON WILL HAVE A 108 INCH DIAMETER DIMENSION.**

Estimated Depth of Refusal  
 Casing could be vibrated or drilled deeper as soil conditions warrant or the casing could have a more shallow toe.

10' Casing to Rest on Competent Soils at elevation 511.32 but could be higher or lower. Variable Void area between 10' and 12' Temporary Casing filled with sand or other non-permanent backfill.

**Sand Backfill**

Approximate Boring Drill Depths

Design BoC

All locations are tentative!

EAST CREEK

SOIL INFORMATION: 001P-SAMMETS  
K = 0.15, NEARLY LEVEL  
HYDROLOGIC SOIL GROUP: NOT RATED

RIPARIAN BUFFER ZONE

VT STATE PLANE GRID

MATCHLINE STA 104+25 (LAYOUT 4)

FILTER BAG  
PROPOSED DEWATERING AREA

SUBCONTRACTOR STAGING AREA

① Mud Tanks  
Pumps (slurry)

CASING FOR PIER

④ Kulbricky Crane Location

Apx. Scale  
0 5' 10' 15' 20'

③ Concrete Pump location

STAGING AREA, APPROX ELEV. 523', GEOTEXTILE AND CRUSHED STONE

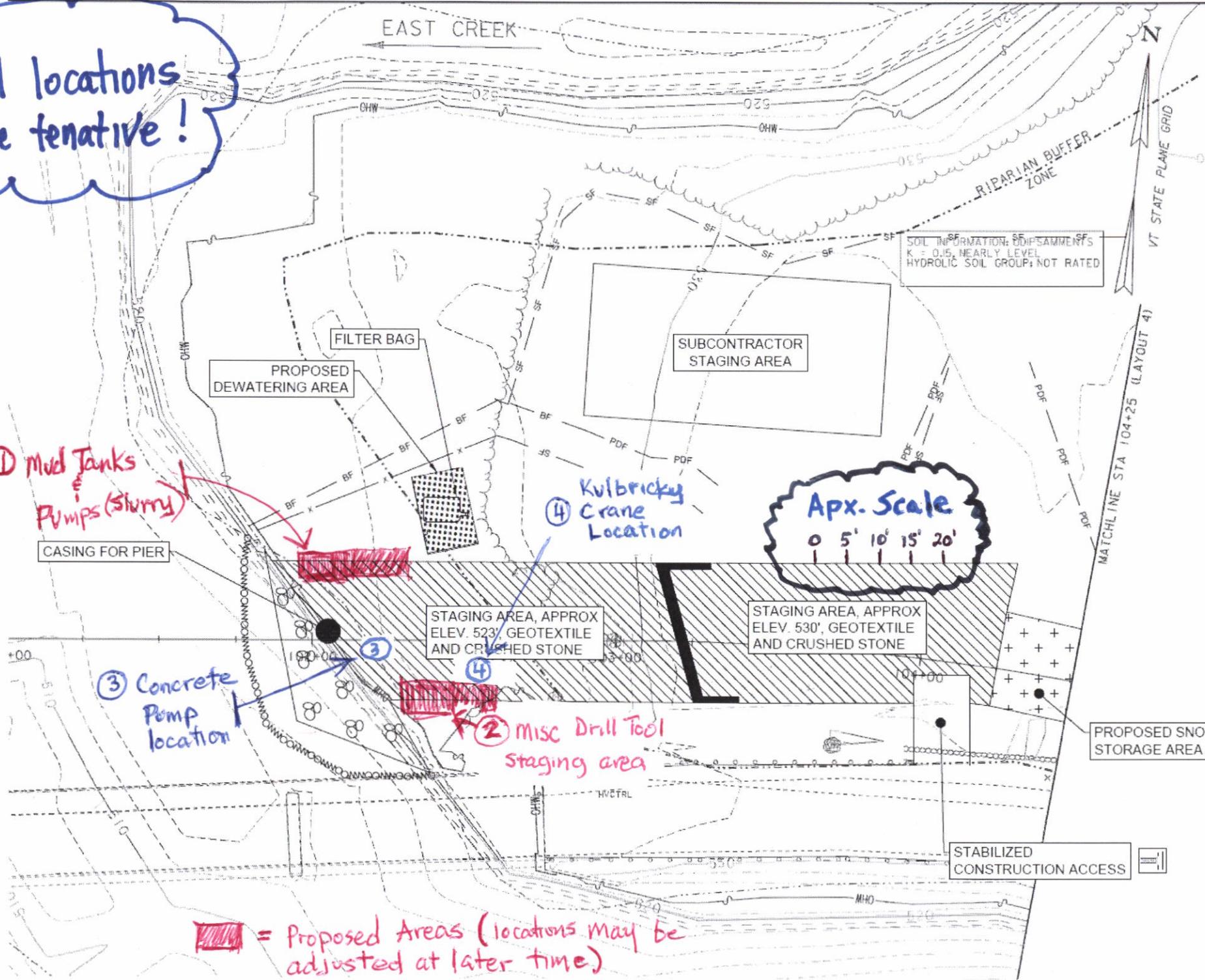
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② Misc Drill Tool Staging area

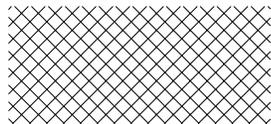
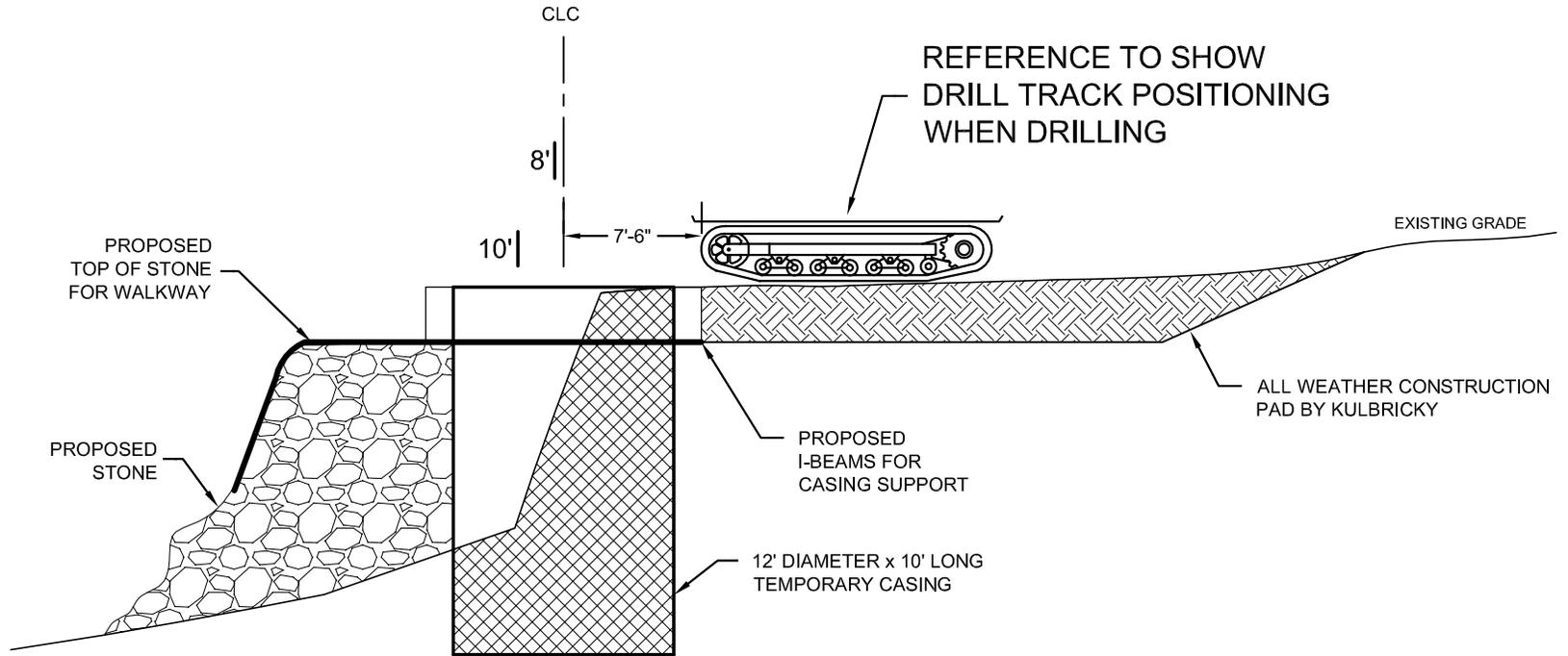
PROPOSED SNOW STORAGE AREA

STABILIZED CONSTRUCTION ACCESS

[Red hatched box] = Proposed Areas (locations may be adjusted at later time)



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= AREA TO BE EXCAVATED /  
DRILLED IN COOPERATION  
WITH KCC.

HORIZONTAL  
SCALE: 1" = 10' ±

8' = 8' CLC @ 5' ELEVATION

10' = 10' TO CLC @ 0' ELEVATION

CLC = CENTERLINE OF CAISSON

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CASING BRACING - PROFILE

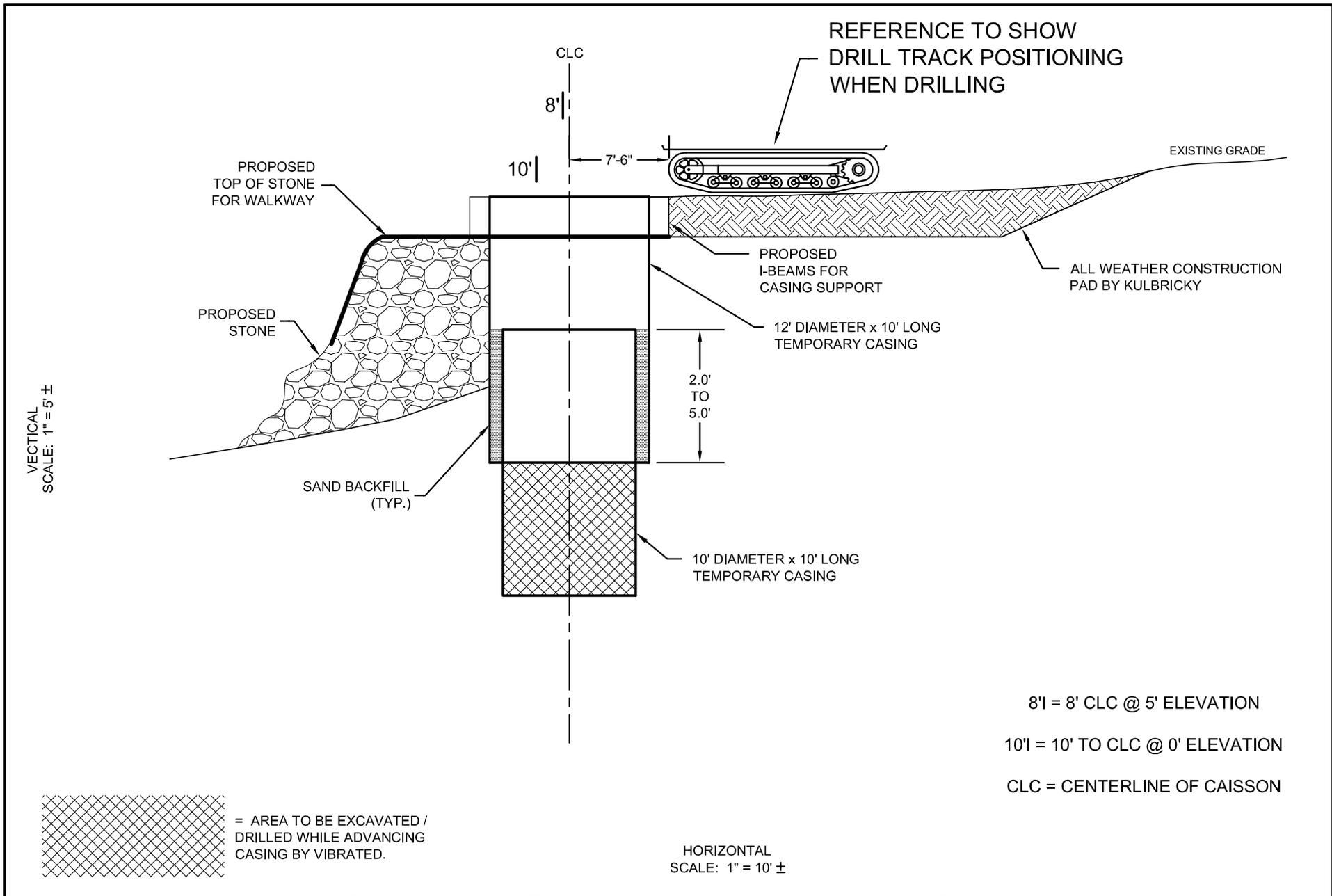


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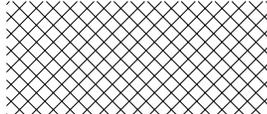
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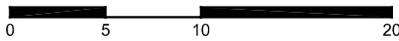
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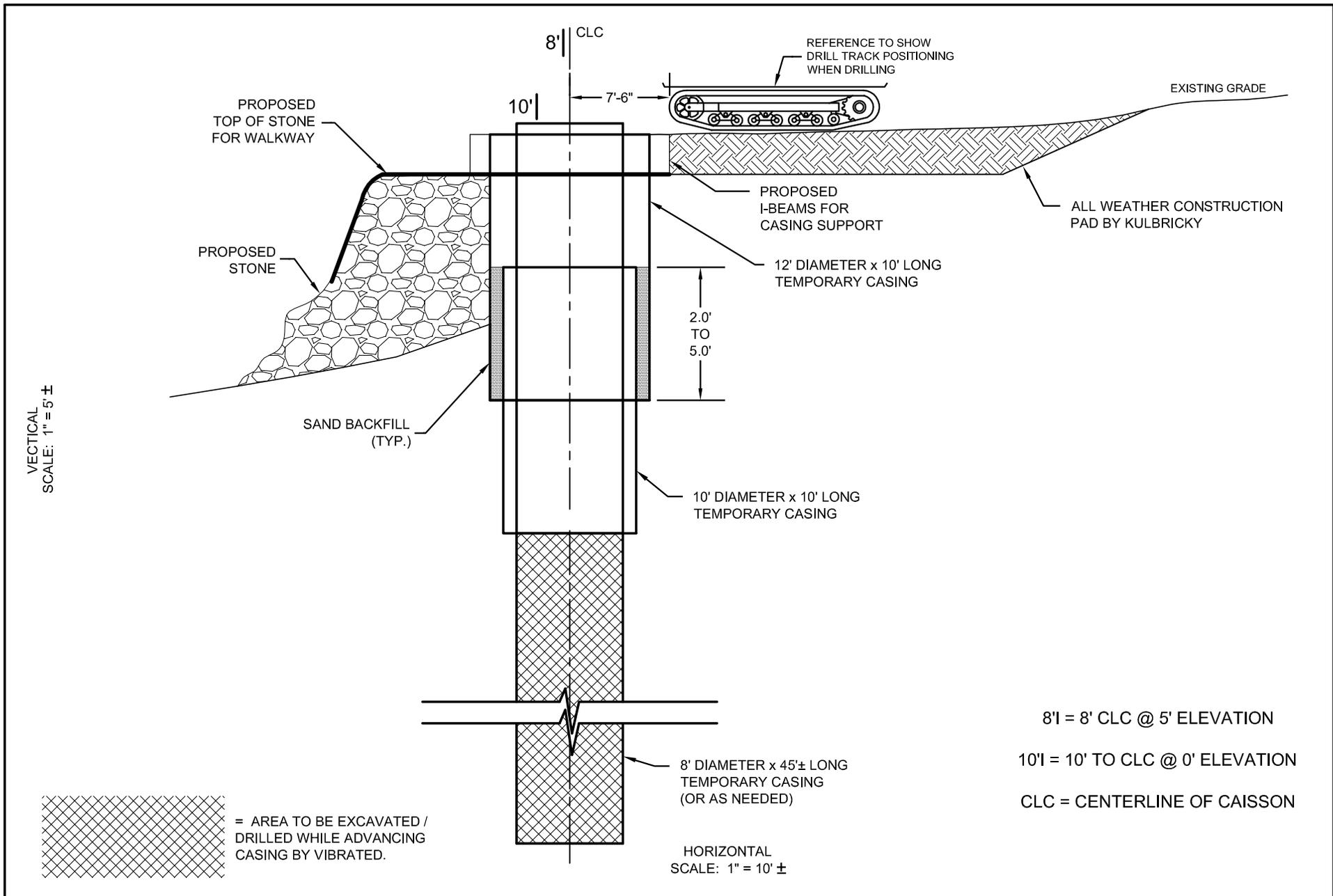
REFERENCE TO SHOW  
DRILL TRACK POSITIONING  
WHEN DRILLING

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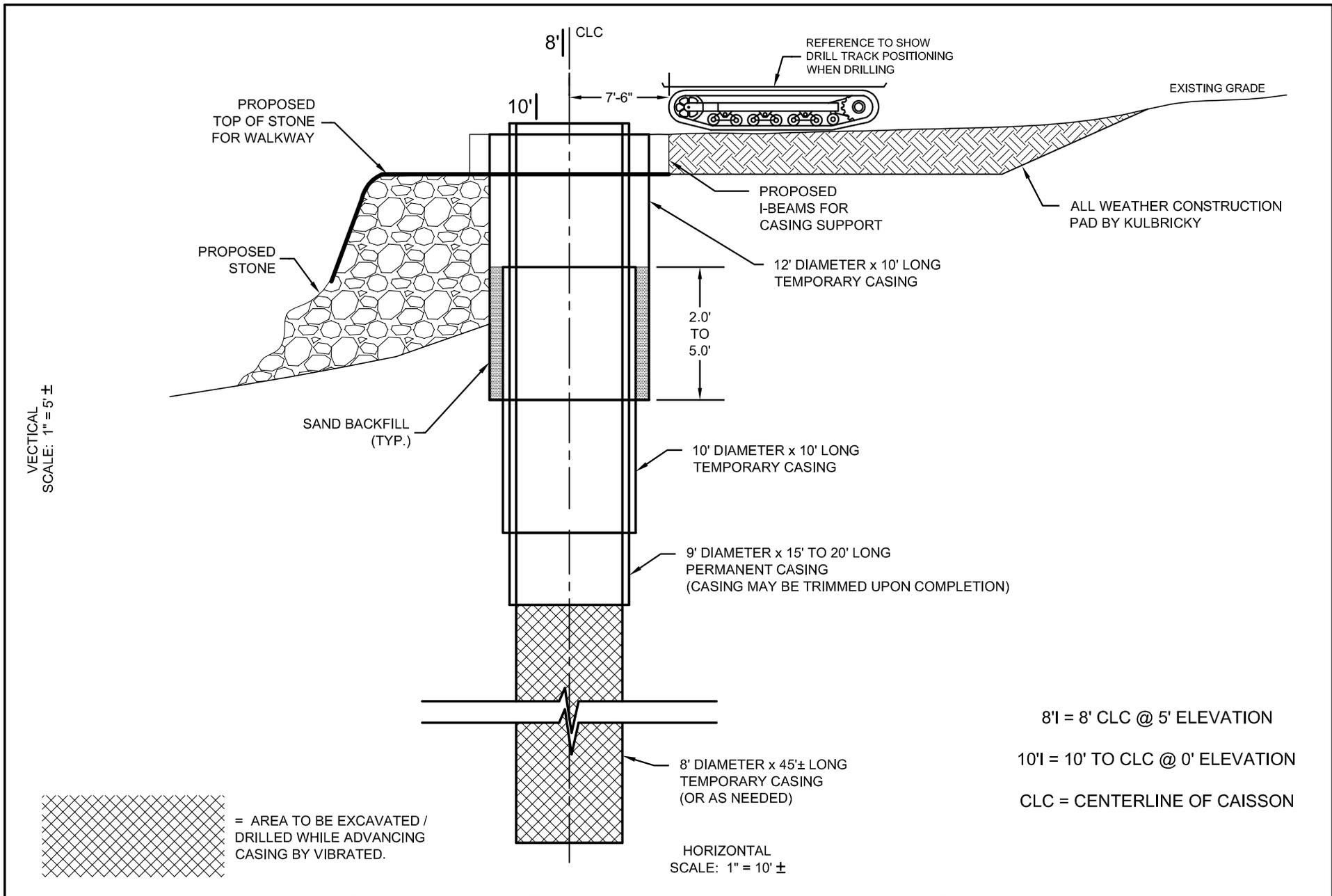
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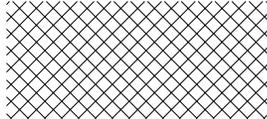
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CREEK FLOW ↑

PROPOSED STONE

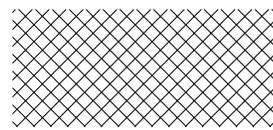
PROPOSED TOP OF STONE FOR WALKWAY

12' DIAMETER TEMPORARY CASING

PROPOSED I-BEAMS (TYP.)

TACK WELD BEAMS TO CASING

EXISTING TOP OF SLOPE



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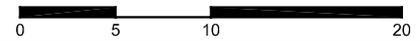
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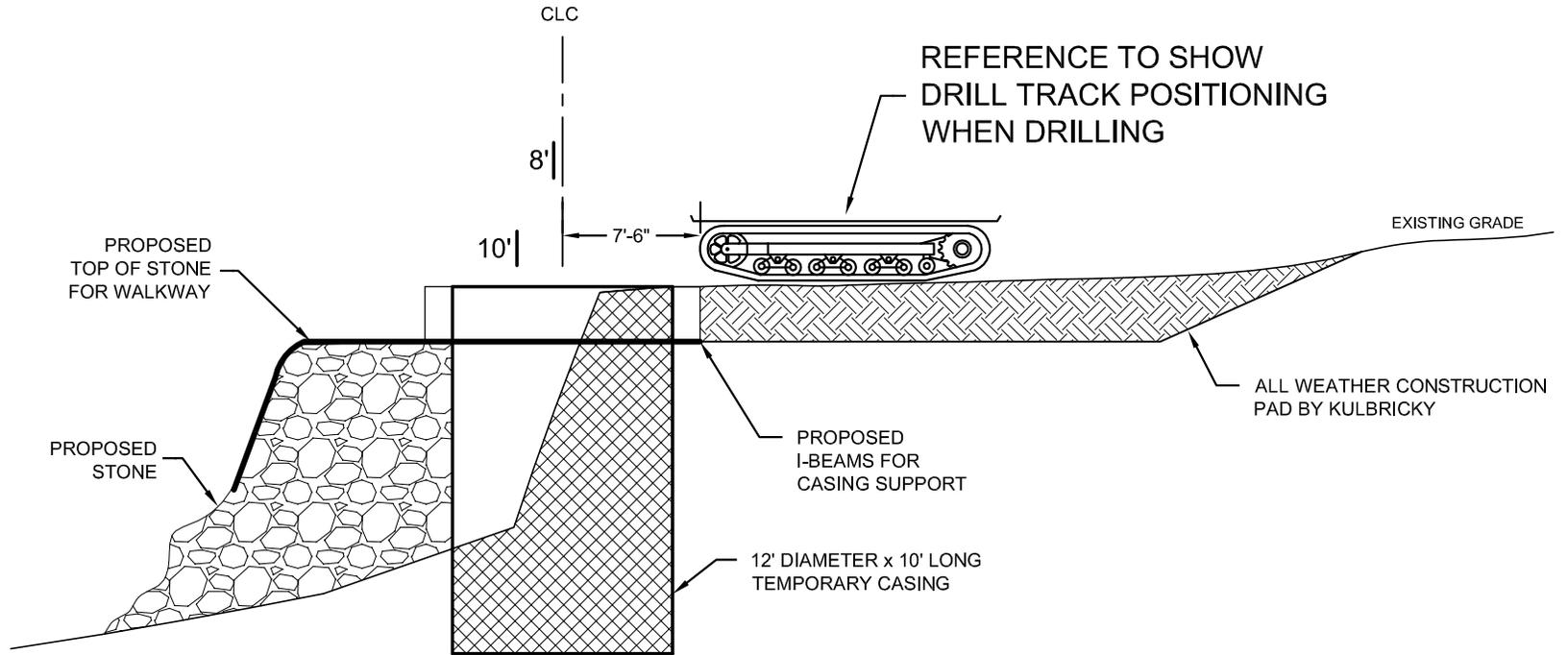
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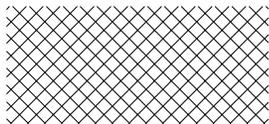
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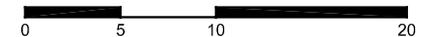
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CASSING BRACING - PROFILE



JOB NO.: 14-150	SCALE: AS NOTED
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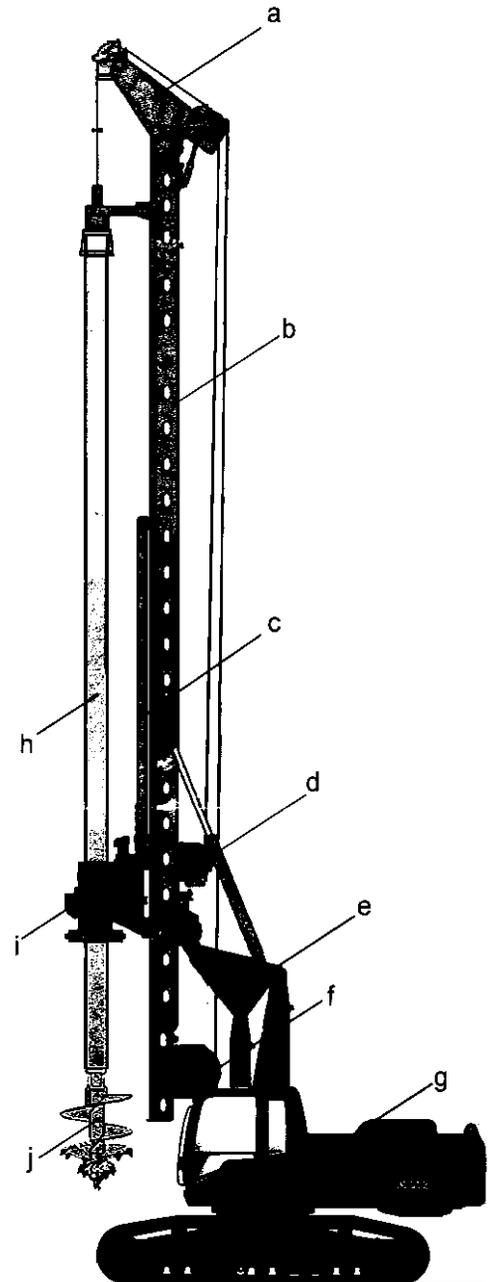
	SD20E Metric	SD20E Imperial
Mast height	19.8m	65.0ft
Operating weight (Approx) c/w Kelly bar	59ton	130,000lb
Rotary head	KDK200	KDK200
Torque at 300 bar (nominal)	200kNm	147,500lb-ft
Speed of rotation	8-30rpm	8-30rpm
<b>Crowd system</b>		
Crowd force push / pull (effective)	160/200kN	35,970/ 44,960lbf
Stroke (kelly system)	5.7m	18.7ft
Stroke (CFA system)	-	-
Speed (down / up)	5 / 6.5m/min	16.4-21.3ft/min
Fast speed (down / up)	-	-
<b>Main winch</b>		
Line pull (1st layer)	180kN	40,470lbf
Rope diameter / Length	26mm / 90m	1.02inch / 263ft
Max. line speed	60m/min	197ft/min
<b>Auxilliary winch</b>		
Line pull (1st layer)	75kN	16,860lbf
Rope diameter / Length	18mm / 60m	0.7inch / 164ft
Max. line speed	45m/min	147.6ft/min
<b>Mast Inclination</b>		
Backward / forward / lateral	15° / 5° / 4.5°	15° / 5° / 4.5°
Max. drilling diameter (uncased)	2000mm	78.7inch
Max. drilling diameter (cased)	1500mm	59.1inch

### Main Feature of SD20E

- 1) Sheave Cathead use high-tensile steel and rigid for all kind of drilling purpose
- 2) Box type with interior reinforced rib to provide anti-twist form rotary head.
- 3) Parallelogram mast support provide adjustment for the working radius and always maintain the mast in vertical position.
- 4) Main winch are consisted with Rexroth motor and reduction gear box which can provide high line pull and reliable performance
- 5) Base machine is Caterpillar C325D c/w CAT C-7 diesel engine. Sound proof cabin with air-condition and advance monitoring system
- 6) Undercarriage with extendable track from 3.2 to 4.3m. Main components is impoted from Japan and traction gear from Italy.
- 7) Rotary head can provide power and stable torque. Hydraulic motor is Rexroth and reduction gear box is Brevini
- 8) Special design kelly bar with double kelly guide track to provide rigid and long life using.

### Main Components

- a. Mast head
- b. Mast
- c. Crowd cylinder
- d. Auxiliary winch
- e. Mast support
- f. Main winch
- g. Base carrier
- h. Kelly bar
- i. Rotary head
- j. Drilling tools



**The multi-purposed hydraulic drilling rig SD20E is specially designed for suiting the following application**

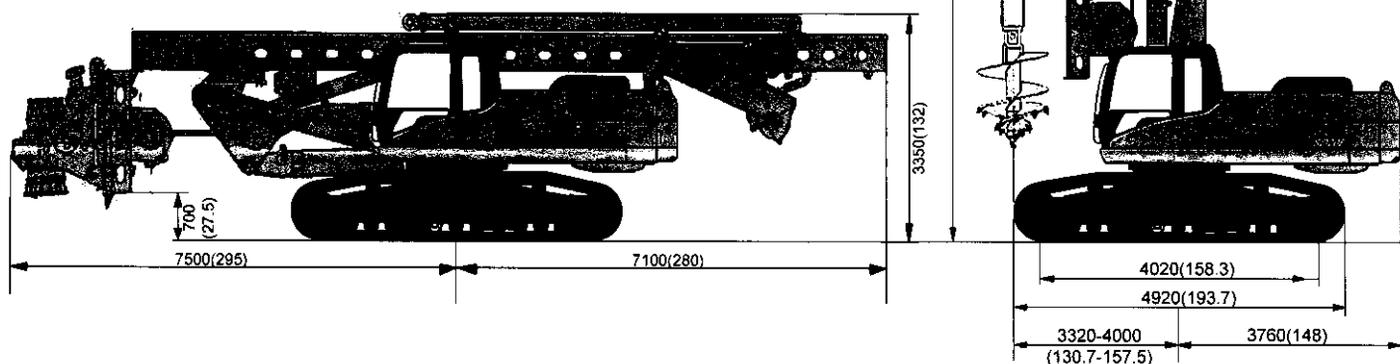
- Large diameter cased bore piles with Kelly Bar
- Air actuated DTH hammer drilling
- Reverse Circulation Drilling (RCD)

**The main features of SD20E included:**

- 50ton class machine
- High torque KDK200 rotary head
- Powerful Caterpillar C-7 diesel engine
- Advance hydraulic system
- Advance PLC monitoring and control system
- Retractable undercarriage
- Self-erection parallelogram mast support system
- High line pull main winch

**Option feature included:**

- Crowd winch load indicator
- Casing drive adaptor
- Kelly bar
- Drilling tools



# ICE® Model 44 Hydraulic Vibratory Driver/ Extractor with Model 350G Power Unit



- Large vibrator combined with an economical power unit for a high performance, cost-effective system.
- 350 HP (261 kW) CAT C9 + engine meets all EPA & EU emission regulations.
- Up to 80 tons (725 kN) line pull for extraction.



Optional bias weights up to 5500 lbs (2494 kg) to increase pile penetration rates in difficult soils.

Maximum efficiency and reliability are provided by our open-loop hydraulic system and application proven piston pumps and motors.

Remote-control pendant for vibrator and clamp with emergency stop. Engine speed control for fuel efficiency.

Full range of clamps available for sheet piling, H-Beams, pipe & caissons in addition to timber & concrete piles.

Adaptable for underwater, low headroom or box leads operation.

Heavy steel enclosure and fuel-tank subbase protect power unit.

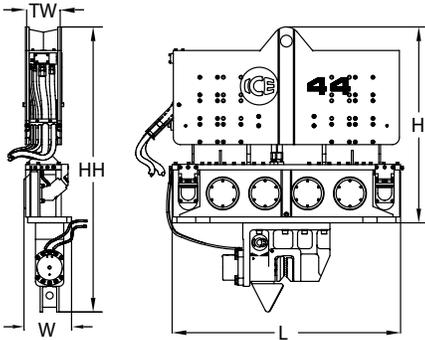
Environmentally friendly Chevron Clarity® non-toxic, biodegradable hydraulic oil.

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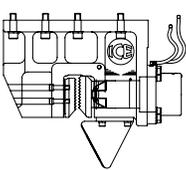
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## Dimensions

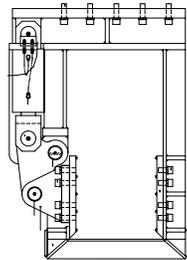


## Clamps & Accessories



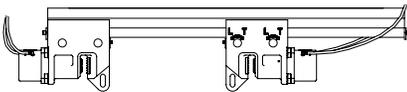
**Model 140C  
Sheeting  
Clamp**

Clamping force  
140 tons, 1245 kN  
Weight  
2,200 lbs, 1000 kg



**Model 85  
Wood, Concrete  
& Pipe Clamp**

Clamping force  
85 tons, 756 kN  
Weight  
6,500 lbs, 2950 kg



**6.5' Caisson Beam with  
Model 100BH Caisson Clamps**

Clamping force  
220 tons, 1975 kN  
Weight  
3,285 lbs, 1500 kg

### Other Model 44 Accessories

6' & 12' Caisson beams    26" leads sled  
10' Clamp extension    Low-headroom suppressor  
90° Turning plate    Vibrator stand  
Bias weights    Wireless remote

## Model 44 Vibrator Specifications

Eccentric moment	4,400 in-lbs	51 kg-m
Maximum frequency	1400 vpm	
Driving force	128 tons	1 140 kN
Centrifugal force	122 tons	1 085 kN
Amplitude (free w/o clamp)	1.1 in	28 mm
Standard line pull for extracting	54 tons	483 kN
Maximum line pull for extracting	80 tons	725 kN
Weight (no clamp or hoses)	12,450 lbs	5 647 kg
Non-vibrating weight	4,560 lbs	2 068 kg
Height without clamp (H)	84 in	2 134 mm
Length (L)	98 in	2 470 mm
Width (W)	22 in	560 mm
Throat width (TW)	14.25 in	362 mm
Hydraulic hose length	150 ft	46 m
Hydraulic hose weight	1,425 lbs	646 kg
Height with sheeting clamp* (HH)	122 in	3 096 mm
Weight with sheeting clamp & 1/2 hoses*	15,365 lbs	6 970 kg
Height with beam & caisson clamps*	110 in	2 784 mm
Weight with beam & caisson clamps*	17,775 lbs	8 065 kg

\* See "Clamps and Accessories Manual" for in depth description

## Model 350G Power Unit Specifications

Engine	Caterpillar C9	
Power	350 HP	261 kW
Operating speed	2,050 rpm	2 050 rpm
Max. motors pressure	5,500 psi	380 bar
Motors flow (no load)	102 gpm	385 lpm
Clamp pressure	4,500 psi	310 bar
Clamp flow	6 gpm	24 lpm
Weight (w/ full fluid & 1/2 fuel)	11,350 lbs	5 150 kg
Length	130 in	3 300 mm
Width	63 in	1 600 mm
Height	87 in	2 200 mm
Hydraulic reservoir	275 gal	1 040 liters
Fuel capacity	118 gal	445 liters

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## Technical Questions - ACI Concrete Knowledge Center

### Limits on free fall of concrete

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**Q.** Is there a maximum acceptable free-fall distance for concrete placement?

**A.** The American Concrete Institute's two main standards governing building construction, ACI 318-05 and 301-05, don't directly address the issue of free fall of concrete. Other ACI documents currently provide the following information on the free fall of concrete:

Section 5.4.1 of ACI 304R-00, "Guide for Measuring, Mixing, Transporting, and Placing Concrete," cautions:

"Arrange equipment so that the concrete has an unrestricted vertical drop to the point of placement or into the container receiving it. The stream of concrete should not be separated by falling freely over rods, spacers, reinforcement, or other embedded materials. If forms are sufficiently open and clear so that the concrete is not disturbed in a vertical fall into place, direct discharge without the use of hoppers, trunks or chutes is favorable. Concrete should be deposited at or near its final position because it tends to segregate when it has to be flowed laterally into place."

Section 3.5.6 of ACI 336.1-01, "Specification for the Construction of Drilled Piers," cautions:

"Guide placement of free-fall concrete so as not to hit the reinforcement, hole sides, or anchor bolt assemblies. Vibration of concrete free falling more than 20 ft is not required."

In the Specification's Notes to Owner's Representative, ACI 336.1-01 has two other pieces of information:

1. If some pier diameters are less than 30 in. (750 mm), review the Specification and modify. If pier diameters are less than 30 in. (750 mm), certain elements of the Specification can be inappropriate, such as the permitted use of free-fall concrete and any requirements for physical downhole inspection. The risk of free-fall concrete scraping the sides of the shaft while falling increases dramatically as the shaft diameter decreases below 30 in. (750 mm), and physical bottom inspection of pier diameters less than 30 in. (750 mm) is impractical.
2. Specify if free-fall concrete is not permitted or if the free-fall height is limited. Recent research on free-fall concrete has confirmed that free fall does not cause segregation, at least for fall heights up to 60 ft (18 m) and pier diameters as small as 3 ft (1 m) with 10 in. (750 mm) diameter cages. Even accidentally hitting the reinforcing bar cage does not appear to result in measurable segregation (ADSC-FHWA report on "The Effects of Free-Fall Concrete in Drilled Shafts," [1994]); however, hitting the reinforcing bar cage may displace the cage and should be avoided. Thus, free-fall limits may be desirable in small diameter shafts deeper than 60 ft (18 m).

ACI 336.3R-93, "Design and Construction of Drilled Piers," states:

"It is also permissible to allow free fall of concrete as long as it can be directed vertically on the centerline of the shaft, and it does not hit the sides of the shaft or the reinforcement cage."

In the June 2001 issue of ACI's magazine, *Concrete International*, an article by Suprenant cites several references summarizing the effects of free fall. He concludes that free fall of concrete directly over reinforcing bar or at high slumps doesn't cause segregation or reduce compressive strength, but restricting free-fall height does decrease concrete production rates and increase owner costs.

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The article may be found at the following link:

[http://www.concreteinternational.com/pages/featured\\_article.asp?ID=10274](http://www.concreteinternational.com/pages/featured_article.asp?ID=10274)

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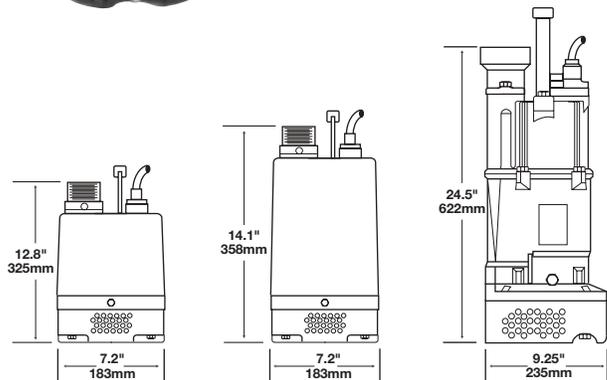
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FAQ posted February 16, 2006.

# GSP05/10/20 Sub-Prime® Electric Submersible Pumps

The GSP Sub-Prime line is a selection of portable, electric submersible dewatering pumps available for a wide range of pumping applications on construction, industrial, mining, utility, and municipal job sites. Available in 0.5 hp / 0.4 kW (GSP05), 1 hp / 0.75 kW (GSP10), and 2 hp / 1.5 kW (GSP20) models, the GSP Sub-Prime offers flow rates from 70 through 110 gpm (4.4 through 6.9 l/sec) and maximum heads from 39 to 70 feet (11.9 to 21.3 meters). Compact design allows these versatile units to go where other pumps simply would not fit. An optional piggy back single float switch can be supplied as a cost-effective choice for applications requiring automatic operation.



## Features

- UL listed & approved \*
- Dry running capability without damage
- No control panel required for starting. (Control panel is required for motor protection.)
- Portable, lightweight, durable
- Slim line top discharge design, only 7.2" (183mm) diameter for 0.5 and 1 hp (0.4 and 0.75 kW) models, 9.25" (235mm) diameter for 2 hp (1.5 kW) model
- Non-wicking cable with strain relief
- High-torque, capacitor-start motor
- Motor thermal overload protection
- Outer jacket for continuous cooling of motor
- Silicon Carbide upper and lower mechanical seals
- Triple seals — internal upper & lower mechanical seals and external lip seal
- Torque flow impeller

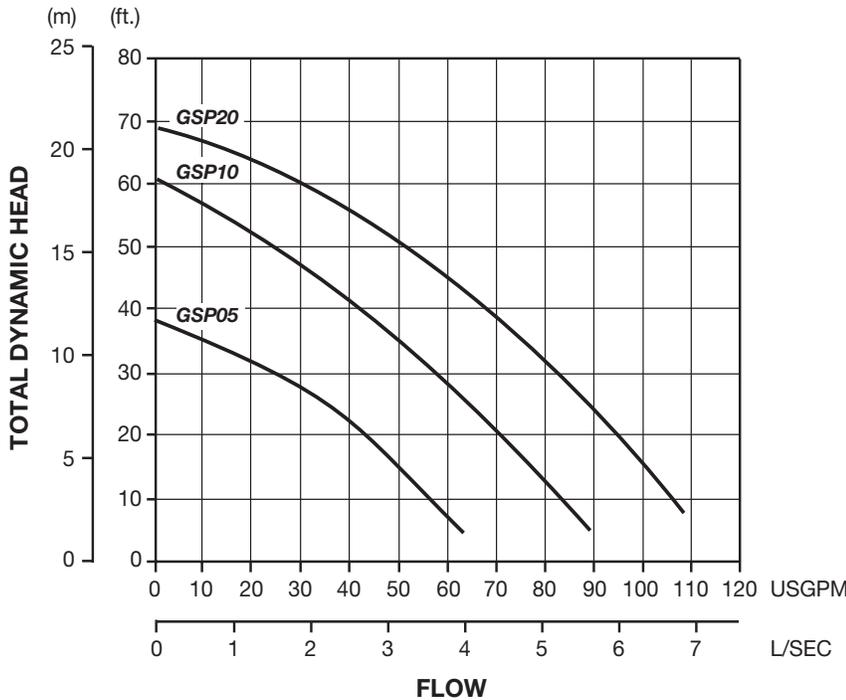
## Specifications

	GSP05	GSP10	GSP20†
HP/kW	0.5 HP/0.4 kW	1.0 HP/.75 kW	2.0 HP/1.5 kW
Max. Flow	70 gpm (4.4 l/sec)	90 gpm (5.7 l/sec)	110 gpm (6.9 l/sec)
Max. Head	39' (11.9M)	60' (18.3M)	70' (21.3M)
Max. Solids	1/3" (9mm)	1/3" (9mm)	1/3" (9mm)
Cable Length	30' (9M)	50' (15M)	50' (15M)
Discharge Size	2" (50mm)	2" (50mm)	3" (75mm)
RPM	3600	3600	3600
Max. Fluid Temp.	90° F (32° C)	90° F (32° C)	104° F (40° C)
PH Range	6.5-8.0	6.5-8.0	6.5-8.0
Voltage	115, 230	115, 230	115/230
Amps	5.8, 3.2	10.3, 5.11	25.9/13.0
Phase	Single	Single	Single
Height	12.8" (325mm)	14.1" (358mm)	24.5" (622mm)
Width	7.2" (183mm)	7.2" (183mm)	9.25" (235mm)
Weight	20 lbs. (9 kg.)	29 lbs. (13 kg.)	61 lbs. (28 kg.)
Max. Sub.	16.5' (5M)	16.5' (5M)	16.5' (5M)

\* n.a. for GSP20  
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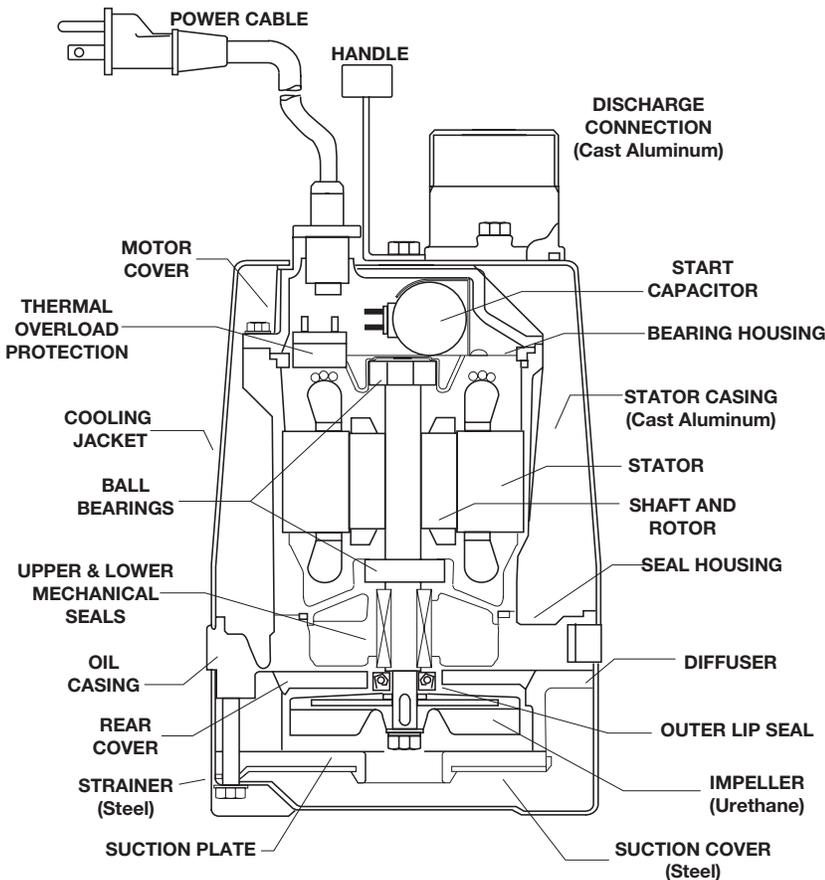


# GSP Sub-Prime® Performance Curves



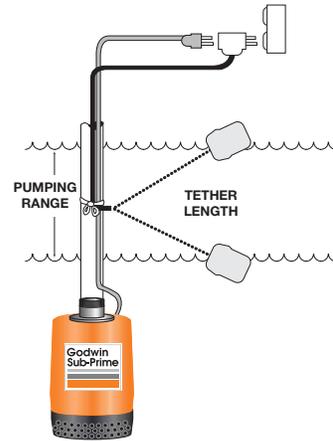
**WARNING:** Pumps are not designed for use in explosive atmosphere, flammable environments or for pumping volatile liquids.

## Design & Construction



## Float Switch

Optional Float Switches available for automatic, remote activation of Sub-Prime pumps. Package consists of 30'/50' (9M/15M) power cord with piggy-back power plug, variable length float tether, and sealed float. Typical configuration shown in the following.



Pumping range determined by tether length according to the following guide.

Tether Length	3.5	5	7	9	11	13	15	(in.)
	89	127	178	229	279	330	381	(mm)
Pumping Range	6.5	7.5	8.5	10	11	12.5	13.5	(in.)
	165	191	216	254	279	318	343	(mm)

Pumping range based on operation in non-turbulent conditions. Actual range may vary due to temperature conditions and cord shape. Tether length increases variance of pumping range.



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GPL-50HX



GWP-25HX



GPP-50HX



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# Dewatering Pumps

## Semi-Trash

GWP-25HX

GWP-50HX

GWP-80HX

GWP-100HX

The right pumps for:

- ▶ Pumping water with light abrasives & small solids, **semi-trash**
- ▶ Construction & industrial dewatering
- ▶ Landscaping & irrigation
- ▶ Utilities, manholes & vault draining



Discharge Dia. - " (mm)	1 (25)	2 (50)	3 (80)	4 (100)
Solids Handling Dia. - " (mm)	0.2 (5)	0.75 (19)	0.75 (19)	0.75 (19)
Max. Head - ' (m)	106 (32)	95 (29)	85 (26)	92 (28)
Max. Flow - GPM (m <sup>3</sup> /h)	30 (6.9)	158 (36)	238 (54)	383 (87)
Power - HP (kW)	1.1 (0.8)	4.0 (3)	5.5 (4.1)	8.0 (5.9)
Fuel Tank Cap. - gal. (l)	0.15 (0.55)	0.66 (2.5)	0.95 (3.6)	1.58 (6)
Weight - lbs. (kg)	12.1 (5.5)	51 (23)	64 (29)	123 (56)

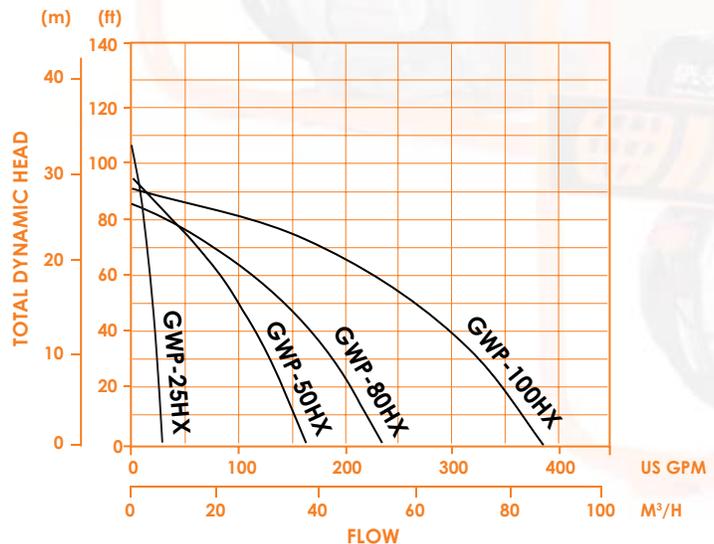
## Features & Benefits

### GWP-25HX

- ▶ Carbon ceramic mechanical seal for increased protection
- ▶ Die-cast aluminum volute & impeller
- ▶ Lightweight die-cast aluminum pump casing
- ▶ High efficiency, four-stroke engine

### GWP-50HX, GWP-80HX & GWP-100HX

- ▶ **Semi-trash** handling capability
- ▶ Abrasion resistant solid silicon carbide mechanical seal for superior durability
- ▶ High-grade ductile iron volute & impeller for reduced wear & maintenance
- ▶ Removable, lightweight die-cast aluminum pump casing
- ▶ Durable, lightweight steel roll cage for added protection & easy maneuvering
- ▶ High performance engine with Oil Alert<sup>®</sup> system & electronic ignition to increase fuel efficiency
- ▶ Rubber mounts for reduced vibration



# Trash Pumps

**GTP-50HX**

**GTP-80HX**

**GTP-100HX**

The right pumps for:

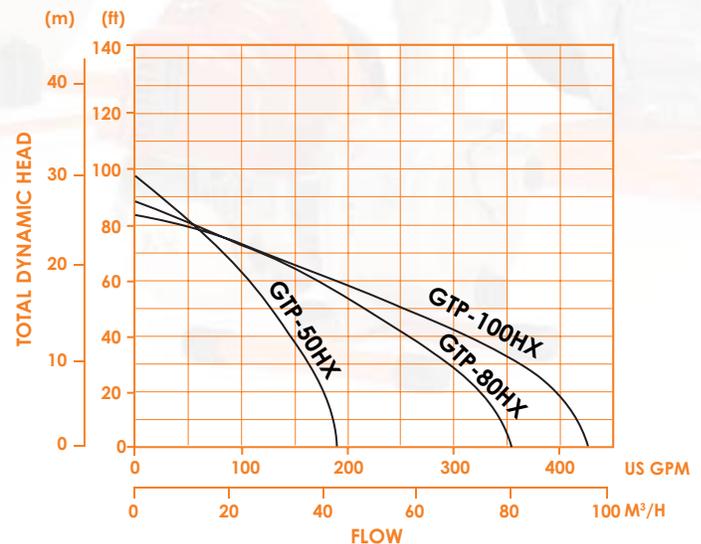
- ▶ Construction & industrial, trash-laden water
- ▶ Stream/pond dewatering
- ▶ Septic tanks & manholes
- ▶ Pumping water with light abrasives & solids



Discharge Dia. - " (mm)	2 (50)	3 (80)	4 (100)
Solids Handling Dia. - " (mm)	1 (25)	1.5 (38)	2 (50)
Max. Head - ' (m)	98 (30)	89 (27)	82 (25)
Max. Flow - GPM (m <sup>3</sup> /h)	185 (42)	354 (80)	425 (96)
Power - HP (kW)	5.5 (4.1)	8.0 (6)	11.0 (8.2)
Fuel Tank Cap. - gal. (l)	0.95 (3.6)	1.58 (6)	1.72 (6.5)
Weight - lbs. (kg)	104 (47)	128 (58)	172 (78)

## Features & Benefits

- ▶ Solids handling capability
- ▶ Abrasion resistant solid silicon carbide mechanical seal for superior durability & protection
- ▶ High-grade ductile iron volute & wearplate for reduced wear & maintenance
- ▶ Hi-chrome cast iron impeller for reduced wear & maintenance
- ▶ Removable, lightweight die-cast aluminum cover & volute for fast debris removal
- ▶ Durable, lightweight steel roll cage for added protection & easy maneuvering
- ▶ High performance engine with Oil Alert system & electronic ignition to increase fuel efficiency
- ▶ Rubber engine mounts for reduced vibration

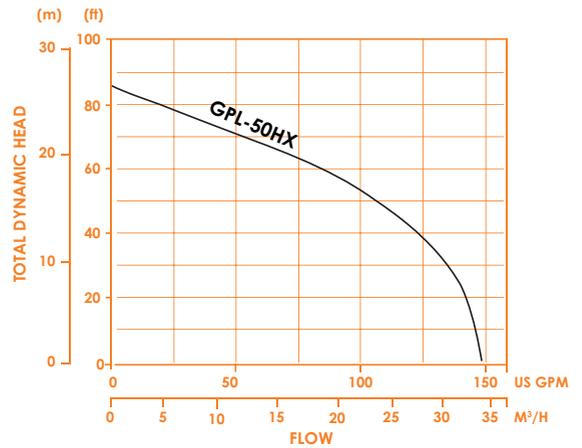


# Plastic Pump

## GPL-50HX

The right pump for:

- ▶ Agricultural chemicals
- ▶ General dewatering
- ▶ Landscaping
- ▶ Irrigation
- ▶ Saltwater dewatering
- ▶ Swimming pools



### Features & Benefits

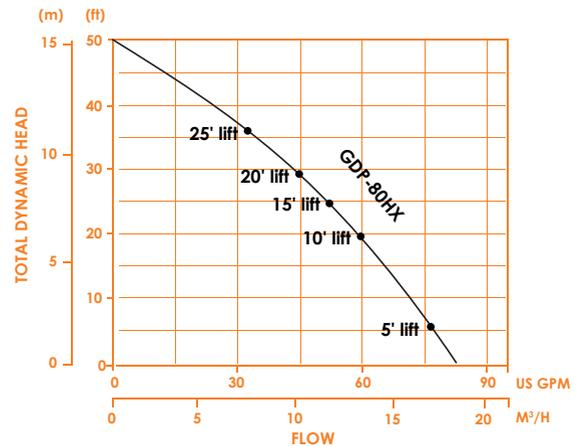
- ▶ Lightweight, thermoplastic construction resists light chemicals & corrosion
- ▶ Carbon ceramic seals with EPDM elastomers for increased protection
- ▶ Thermoplastic volute & impeller for increased portability & chemical resistance
- ▶ Durable, lightweight steel roll cage for added protection & easy maneuvering
- ▶ High performance engine with Oil Alert system & electronic ignition to increase fuel efficiency

# Diaphragm Pump

## GDP-80HX

The right pump for:

- ▶ Construction dewatering
- ▶ Mud, sand & sludge
- ▶ Utility dewatering
- ▶ Limited wellpointing



### Features & Benefits

- ▶ Large solids handling capability
- ▶ Dry running
- ▶ Easy-priming positive displacement design
- ▶ Easily replaced neoprene rubber elastomer diaphragm and nitrile (Buna-N) flapper valves
- ▶ Portable, lightweight aluminum casing

Discharge Dia. - " (mm)	2 (50)
Solids Handling Dia. - " (mm)	0.12 (3)
Max. Head - ' (m)	85 (26)
Max. Flow - GPM (m³/h)	148 (34)
Power - HP (kW)	4.0 (3.0)
Fuel Tank Cap. - gal. (l)	0.45 (1.7)
Weight - lbs. (kg)	46 (21)

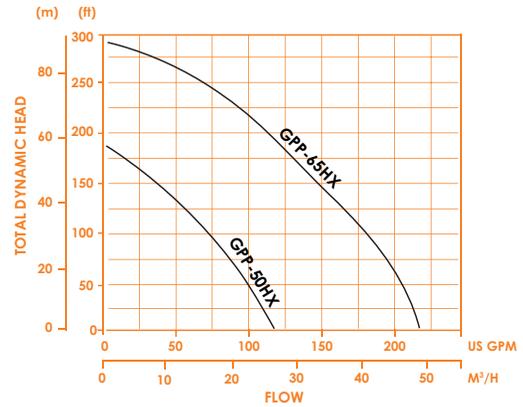
Discharge Dia. - " (mm)	3 (80)
Solids Handling Dia. - " (mm)	2 (50)
Max. Head - ' (m)	50 (15.2)
Max. Flow - GPM (m³/h)	80 (18)
Power - HP (kW)	5.5 (4.0)
Fuel Tank Cap. - gal. (l)	0.95 (3.6)
Weight - lbs. (kg)	135 (61.2)

# Pressure Pumps

## GPP-50HX GPP-65HX

The right pump for:

- ▶ Marine construction
- ▶ Remote firefighting
- ▶ Landscaping
- ▶ Irrigation
- ▶ Tank cleaning
- ▶ Jetting



Discharge Dia. - " (mm)	2 (50)	2.5 (65)
Solids Handling Dia. - " (mm)	0.12 (3)	0.375 (9.5)
Max. Head - ' (m)	187 (57)	285 (87)
Max. Flow - GPM (m³/h)	116 (26)	218 (49)
Power - HP (kW)	5.5 (4.1)	13 (9.7)
Fuel Tank Cap. - gal. (l)	0.95 (3.6)	1.73 (6.5)
Weight - lbs. (kg)	71 (32)	128 (58)

## Features & Benefits

- ▶ Carbon ceramic seals for increased durability & shaft/seal protection
- ▶ GPP-50HX: Cast iron volute & impeller; GPP-65HX: Aluminum volute & impeller
- ▶ Durable, lightweight steel roll cage for added protection & easy maneuvering
- ▶ High performance engine with Oil Alert system & electronic ignition to increase fuel efficiency
- ▶ GPP-65HX features exhaust-driven venturi for automatic priming

## Parts & Accessories

Godwin Pumps has built its reputation on reliability. Our parts and service are available to meet your pumping emergencies whenever and wherever they occur.



Our parts inventory includes a full range of replacement parts for each of the pumps we sell. In addition, we stock a variety of suction and discharge hoses and couplings to complete your pumping application needs.

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# Wet-Prime Pumps

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### **Fast Easy Setup**

The MudPuppy sets up in just a few minutes. No settling pit to dig and fill. Only 1000 gallons of water needed to get started.

**Clean mud means a clean hole.**

**The Job Site will be Clean and Dry.**

**Pump, Drill string, and Swivel all last longer with clean mud.**

**Mix only the amount of mud needed to drill the hole.**

### **Mud Reservoir "Patent Pending"**

1000 gallons Usable  
3/16" HR Steel  
2 - 4" Suction Outlets  
Sloped walls & Sand traps

**Never Shovel Sand from this Tank!**



### **Deutz Diesel 74 HP BF4L2011**

Air-Cooled  
4 cylinder in-line engine  
Fulfills Tier III EPA emissions regulations  
Engine Monitor System (safety shutdown) Gauge Panel  
Alternator 12 Volt

### **Shaker**

4' x 5' Double Screen - Bottom 10 Mesh top 100 Mesh  
Screens mesh should be adjusted as needed  
Hydraulic driven w/constant speed control  
Rotary Motion 1/4" HR Steel wall construction

### **Mud Mix Hopper**

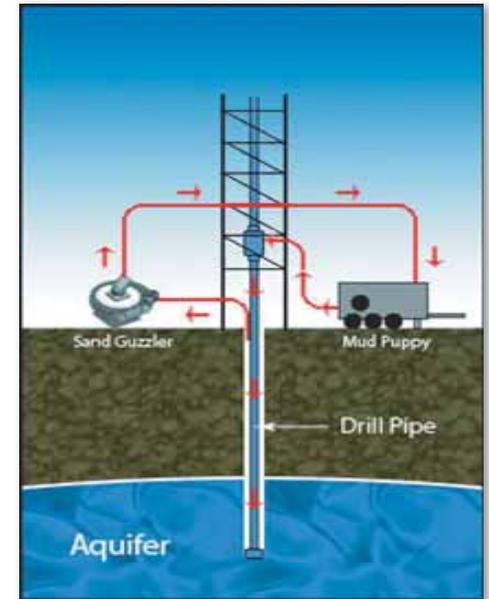
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### **Total Weight**

7,000 Pounds  
Foot Print 6'6" Wide x 14' Long x 7'6" Tall

### **Fuel Capacity**

25 Gallons Diesel approximately 20 Hours  
Run time may vary

### **Desander System**

2"x3"x8.5"x 118 (Centrifugal) Mud Pump  
Manifold Pressure Gauge  
3-5" Desander Cones 255 GPM  
15 Micron Minimum Cut

### **Sand Guzzler pickup pump (Patented)**

12" (Centrifugal) Mud Pump  
Can take rocks up to 1-1/2" diameter  
Adjustable 0 - 3000 RPM  
0 - 500 GPM  
20' of 4" Mud Hose

### **Hydraulics System**

Closed Center  
Variable Displacement pump  
Load sense Control  
55 gallon Oil Reservoir  
High Capacity Oil Cooling System

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## SAND GUZZLER

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### Installation:

Connect the hydraulic hoses so as to make the impeller rotate in a clockwise rotation as viewed from the top of the pump.

- Dig a ditch from the well being drilled to a small pit just outside the bore hole. Set the Sand Guzzler in the pit deep enough for the mud to cover the hydraulic motor.
- The mud in the pit will rise and fall during normal operation. The speed should be adjusted so as to make the pump run about 100 RPM faster than needed to pump all the drilling fluid.
- The Sand Guzzler can run dry. There are no seals or bearings in the mud. The air will discharge from the SAND GUZZLER automatically while operating.
- **Caution: Keeps hands away from the impeller. Serious injury or death can occur.**

### Hydraulic Hoses:

The case will drain through the discharge side of the motor. The motor can be reversed momentarily when needed to clear a rock or clog.

If the return line pressure exceeds 350 psi, the shaft seal will be pushed out and will leak oil. Use a case drain if more than 350 psi. The SAND GUZZLER pump will run best at about 2200 RPM 15-20 gpm. The faster the pump turns the faster the housing will wear. The SAND GUZZLER can be run as fast as 3000 RPM and will take up to 3000 psi. Do not over pressure the motor. The motor will slow if damaged from over pressure.

### Hydraulic Motor:

Tibban Part #: SG00I001

Max. RPM 3000

Max. PSI: 3000

20 GPM @ 3000 RPM

15 GPM @ 2300 RPM

7.8 GPM @ 1200 RPM

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# **ChemMasters**

## **Installation Guidelines**

**CreteLox is a non-reemulsifiable, acrylic latex bonding agent and admixture. This high performance polymer is formulated as a bonding agent for cementitious mortars and toppings and as an admixture to site mixed or prepackaged cement based mortars.**

### 1.0 General

#### 1.1 Scope

This specification covers the performance characteristics and application procedures for providing a non-reemulsifiable, acrylic latex bonding agent and admixture. This high performance polymer is formulated as a bonding agent for cementitious mortars and toppings and as an admixture to site mixed or prepackaged cement based mortars.

#### 1.2 Material Description

The material shall be a non-reemulsifiable, acrylic latex bonding agent and admixture that forms a permanent, positive chemical and mechanical bond to sound surfaces which may be used alone or as a slurry bond coat. As an admixture, it should increase abrasion and impact resistance with early and ultimate flexural, tensile and compressive strengths, improve chemical resistance to fertilizers, acids, and alkalis, and significantly prohibit chloride ion penetration increasing corrosion resistance of reinforcing steel.

#### 1.3 Typical Applications

- A. Interior or exterior, above or below grade bonding agent
- B. Performance enhancing admixture for stucco, cement plaster, cementitious toppings and overlays, prepackaged and site mixed mortars
- C. Cyclically damp environments, food processing plants, water storage facilities, swimming pools
- D. Polymer modified concrete ((PMC) for bridge decks and white toppings

#### 1.4 Limitations

- A. Do not use air entraining admixtures or cements or other admixtures.
- B. Do not apply when the surface or air temperature is, or is expected to go, below 45° F./6° C. Do not apply to frozen or frost filled surfaces.
- C. Overworking or over trowelling surface may cause blisters or delaminations.
- D. Do not seal surface with solvent based products. Organic solvents of high solvency power, xylene, toluene, lacquer thinner, etc., will soften surface if spills are not removed quickly.

### 1.5 Quality Assurance

The repair contractor shall have experience and proficiency specific to the repair type and shall be approved by the engineer and the material supplier. The material supplier shall provide job service as required to assure proper handling and installation of materials. The field representative shall instruct as needed to assure that handling, mixing, placing and finishing of materials are in accordance with specifications.

### 1.6 Delivery, Storage and Handling

The product shall be delivered in the original, unopened containers. It shall be labeled with the manufacturer's name, product name and lot number. Materials should be stored at the job site under dry conditions and at a temperature of 40° F., (4° C.) to 90° F. (32° C.).

### 1.7 Environmental Requirements

All materials used for the repair work shall be VOC compliant. The manufacturer shall supply the appropriate material safety data sheets upon request.

### 1.8 Site Conditions

A. Coverage is dependent upon surface texture and porosity.

## 2.0 Materials

### 2.1 Approved Materials and Manufacturers

#### 2.1.1 Product Standard

CreteLox, as manufactured by ChemMasters, 300 Edwards Street, Madison, Ohio, 44057-3112, 1-800-486-7866, is considered to conform to the requirements of this specification and shall be the bonding agent or admixture used. Cretelox is a non-reemulsifiable, acrylic latex bonding agent and admixture. This high performance polymer is formulated as a bonding agent for cementitious mortars and toppings and as an admixture to site mixed or prepackaged cement based mortars.

#### 2.1.2 Substitutions

No submittals for substitutions will be accepted after the bid date. All submittals must be made in writing to the engineer with supporting technical data sheets and test data showing complete equivalent performance.

### 2.2 Packaging/Coverage/Estimating

#### 2.2.1 Packaging

Cretelox is packaged in 55 U.S. gallon /208 Liter drums and 5 gallon/18.9 Liter pails, shipped 36 pails per pallet, shrink wrapped and in 1 gallon/3.8 liter plastic jugs, packed 4 per case.

### 2.2.2 Estimating and Coverage

Coverage is affected by texture or porosity of substrate.

Ft.<sup>2</sup>/gallon M<sup>2</sup>/Liter

A. Bonding Agent 200-250 5-6

B. Slurry Bond Coat 400-500 10-12

C. Admixture normally 30% to 50% of standard water requirement

### 2.3 Storage:

Store tightly sealed containers at room temperature. Keep from freezing. If Cretelox freezes, allow it to thaw normally at room temperature. Shelf life of properly stored material is one year from date of manufacture.

### 2.4 Engineering Properties

Physical Properties of Modified Portland Cement Mortar

#### 2.4.2.1 Hardness Properties

Test Method % Improvement Curing Method: Moist Dry

2.4.1.1 Shear Bond Strength (ASTM C-1042): 389% 1600%

2.4.1.2 Flexural Strength (ASTM C-348) 127% 222%

2.4.1.3 Tensile Strength (ASTM C-190) 21% 215%

2.4.1.4 Tensile Strength (ASTM C-190) 121% 215%

2.4.1.5 Compressive Strength (ASTM C-109) 94% 228%

2.4.1.6 Abrasion Resistance Taber: 298% 1400%

Comparisons are 3:1 sand/cement mortar cured 28 days.

Cretelox modified mortar was dry cured.

2.5 Accessory Materials as manufactured by ChemMasters, 300 Edwards Street, Madison, Ohio, 44057-3112, 1-800-486-7866, is considered to conform to the requirements of this specification.

### 3.0 Execution

### 3.1 References

A. Meets the requirements of ASTM C-1059, Type II, Standard Specification for Latex Agents for Bonding Fresh to Hardened Concrete when tested in accordance with ASTM C-1042.

B. Refer to ChemMasters MSDS and Technical Data Sheets

### 3.2 Surface Preparation:

Substrate to be repaired or topped must be clean and free of all dust, dirt, oil, grease, curing or sealing compounds or other contaminants that may interfere with proper adhesion. If ambient temperatures are above freezing, saturate prepared surface with water. Remove any puddles.

### 3.2 Mixing:

A. Mixing Cretelox before using. If Cretelox is to be diluted for use as an admixture, blend Cretelox with water then add dry mix.

B. Slurry bond coat requires: 2 gal./7.6 L water 2 gal./7.6 L Cretelox 94 lb. 42.6 Kg cement 50 lb./22.7 Kg sand or 50% water/50% Cretelox and measured amount of dry, packaged mortar to achieve batter consistency

C. As admixture in packaged or site mix mortars, use Cretelox to replace 50% to 100% of the normal water required.

D. Cement based masonry coatings or other thin mortars and toppings may be mixed with Cretelox alone for optimum adhesion and durability.

E. Do not mix more material than can be placed in 20 minutes. Do not over mix as this results in excessive air entrainment and loss of strength. Particular care should be taken when power mixing, 1-2 minutes maximum.

3.3 Bonding Agent Application: Apply Cretelox at a rate of 200-250 Ft.<sup>2</sup> per gallon/5-6 M<sup>2</sup> per liter with a garden type sprayer or solvent resistant roller. Place fresh concrete or mortar while Cretelox is wet.

3.4 Bonding Slurry Application: (Preferred method) Slurry should have the consistency of pancake batter. Apply to substrate with a stiff bristle brush, working bond coat into voids, cracks and corners. Place repair mortar or topping while slurry is wet or damp.

3.5 Horizontal Repairs: Replace 50% of the normal water with Cretelox. Mix and place as usual. Over working or over trowelling surface may cause blisters or peeling.

3.6 Vertical and Overhead Repairs: Replace 50%-75% of the normal water with Cretelox. Place as usual. Best results are obtained if repairs are made in 0.5 inch/1.25 cm lifts. A stiff mix is easier to place.

3.7 Cement Plaster Ceilings: Use Cretelox alone. Build up in thin coats of .25 inch/.62 cm but do not exceed 0.5 inch/1.25 cm in depth.

### 3.8 Curing:

- A. Cretelox modified concrete and mortar is self curing under normal conditions. Do not use curing compounds on Cretelox modified mortars or toppings. In extremely hot, dry or windy environments, keep repair area damp with wet burlap for 24 hours.
- B. Cretelox requires at least 3 consecutive days of normal drying conditions during the curing cycle. If Cretelox is used in damp or confined areas, supplemental ventilation may be necessary to facilitate full curing and drying.

# DRILLING AND MIXING GUIDE

## USE OF SHORE PAC® POLYMER SLURRY IN SLURRY-DISPLACED FOUNDATION CONSTRUCTION

### INTRODUCTION

This specification provides direction in the proper use of SHORE PAC® and its additives while improving standardization, quality, and performance in the practice of slurry-displaced deep foundation construction. This document ensures that engineers and engineering geologists can confidently predict the load carrying capacity of the piling being constructed using an approved slurry, and to ensure that an approved slurry is not detrimental to the structural capacity or service life of the piling.

### ADVANTAGES

The advantages of using high performance polymer slurry over mineral slurry yield multiple benefits, which improve construction economics in many ways. SHORE PAC saves time and money while improving construction quality and reducing defects.

- ▶ Controls fluid loss in sands and gravels. Stabilizes excavations
- ▶ Highly concentrated. Very small quantities required
- ▶ Improves productivity of machines and crews
- ▶ Reduces chipping and cleaning of poured concrete
- ▶ Reduces or eliminates disposal costs. Product is environmentally safe
- ▶ Reduces transport costs and storage space requirements
- ▶ Requires less mixing/processing equipment, reducing capital investment, jobsite congestion, and fuel costs

### SCOPE

This specification covers the use of polymer stabilizing support fluids (“slurry”) based on SHORE PAC, an easy mixing, water-soluble, polymer supplied as a free-flowing granular material. SHORE PAC earth-reinforcing fluid is designed for use in the construction of bored piles by the slurry-displacement method.

### SELECTION OF POLYMER SLURRY MATERIALS

The principal polymer is SHORE PAC, manufactured by CETCO. Additives which have been certified by the manufacturer (CETCO) may be used with approval of the engineer and in accordance with the manufacturer’s recommendations. The strict quality control guidelines set forth by the California Department of Transportation (CALTRANS) requirements for approval of SHORE PAC polymer drilling slurry have been applied to ensure the use of proven materials and techniques.

### SHORE PAC POLYMER DOSAGE AND VISCOSITY

SHORE PAC is an easy mixing, water-soluble, polymer supplied as a granular material. SHORE PAC is designed for preparation of viscous earth-reinforcing fluids or slurries for a variety of drilling, trenching, and walling applications in the geo-construction industry.

1. Pre-treat make-up water with SODA ASH 6 lbs per 1,000 gallons make-up water for a pH of 8-10. Pre-treat make-up water with DE-CHLOR 0.5 lb per 1,000 gallons mix water.
2. Add SHORE PAC through a Venturi type mixer at 3.4-10.0 lbs per 1,000 gallons depending on desired viscosity if mixing in surface tank, if mixing directly within excavation sprinkle into stream of water slowly.
3. Take a Marsh Funnel Viscosity reading. Viscosity should be 35-125 sec/qt.

SHORE PAC dosage and the viscosity of the slurry shall be selected and controlled within ranges which suit the soil and mix water conditions of the work and according to table 3.1.

Table 3.1

FORMATION TYPE	SHORE PAC DOSAGE OR CONCENTRATION			MARSH FUNNEL VISCOSITY
	Lbs/yd <sup>3</sup>	Lbs/1,000 gals	Kg/m <sup>3</sup>	Sec/qt
Clay & Shale	0.7 - 0.8	3.4 - 4.0	0.4 - 0.5	35 - 50
Silt & Fine to Med. Sand	0.8 - 1.0	4.0 - 5.0	0.5 - 0.6	45 - 55
Coarse Sand to Pea Gravel	1.2 - 1.5	6.0 - 8.0	0.7 - 0.9	60 - 75
Gravel to Cobble	1.7 - 2.4	9.0 - 12.0	1.0 - 1.3	80 - 125

# USE OF SHORE PAC® POLYMER SLURRY

## IN SLURRY-DISPLACED FOUNDATION CONSTRUCTION

### MAKE-UP WATER AND EFFICIENT SLURRY PRODUCTION

Sufficient water supply of proper quality for slurry make-up water shall always be available to support planned operations and unknown contingencies. Slurry mixing capability shall be immediately and continuously available to support planned operations and unexpected events. If the water supply is from a low-rate or irregular source such as a small well, a small diameter supply line, or tanker truck, a tank for storage of water shall be used to guarantee adequate and uninterrupted slurry making capacity.

SODA ASH should be used to adjust the pH and treat out calcium (Ca) and magnesium (Mg) contaminants that are detrimental to polymers. SODA ASH will adjust the pH of the mix water to between 8 and 10, which is optimum for SHORE PAC performance. The ratio of SODA ASH to water is 6 lbs per 1,000 gallons of water.

The additive DE-CHLOR is used to treat out chlorine (Cl) if municipal water is used for make-up water. Chlorine, present in municipal water, destroys all polymer molecules and decreases its viscosity if chlorine registers greater than 3 ppm. DE-CHLOR is a cost effective white granular crystal that neutralizes chlorine in municipal water and is environmentally safe. The ratio of DE-CHLOR to water is 0.5 lb per 1,000 gallons of mix water.

### CONTAMINATES

Polymer slurries are sensitive to various contaminants, which occur in groundwater, soil, cement, and make-up water. Petroleum hydrocarbons, calcium, acidity, alkalinity, chlorine, and sodium chloride are some contaminants that will affect the polymer slurry. These contaminants are often introduced into the slurry from the soil, groundwater, and/or industrial wastes at the construction site. There is a need to identify and correct these problems for a smooth operation to take place. This begins with geotechnical engineers in the site investigation process. Identification and documentation should be present with soil logs and passed onto the general contractor and subcontractors. The procurement of samples of groundwater and the analysis of such samples for pH and contaminants should become a standard part of subsoil investigations conducted by geotechnical drilling service firms or by your own investigation. When contamination is present or buffering is required, additives shall be used in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations.

### MIXING SHORE PAC

SHORE PAC polymer may be mixed pre-mixed in surface vessels or mixed directly within the excavation. The mix water or the prepared fluid shall be treated with appropriate additives as specified by the manufacturer.

### MIXING DIRECTLY IN EXCAVATION

When mixing directly in the excavation it is important to have a steady stream of water that is positioned to provide a point of rapid and wide water flow for introduction of the polymer by sprinkling or sifting. Mixing of fresh polymer shall be completed by sprinkling or sifting the polymer carefully onto a flowing stream of water or fluid from a pressurized source directed into the excavation, such that the flowing fluid catches, wets, and separates the polymer grains so that they disperse and hydrate as individual particles, avoiding the forming of lumps or balls of un-mixed polymer. Dry polymer shall not be added directly onto the fluid in the excavation (as opposed to being added on a flowing stream) because this normally produces lumps or "fisheyes." The additive ACCU-VIS will create instant viscosity with out having to shear.

When a new polymer mix is being prepared in a hole that has been dug or drilled to significant depth before adding slurry, the excavation shall be filled with water to a water column height (measured from bottom of excavation) of no less than two meters or 15% of excavation depth, whichever is the greater, before beginning to add the polymer. SHORE PAC dry granular polymer shall be added at a controlled rate on the stream of water that is filling the hole in order to avoid lumps and fisheyes. The excavating tool (auger, bucket, clamshell) shall be reciprocated gently the full length of the slurry column while the polymer is being added, to distribute and even out the fresh polymer, and to ensure that none of the polymer settles to the bottom of the excavation during the mixing and thickening process.

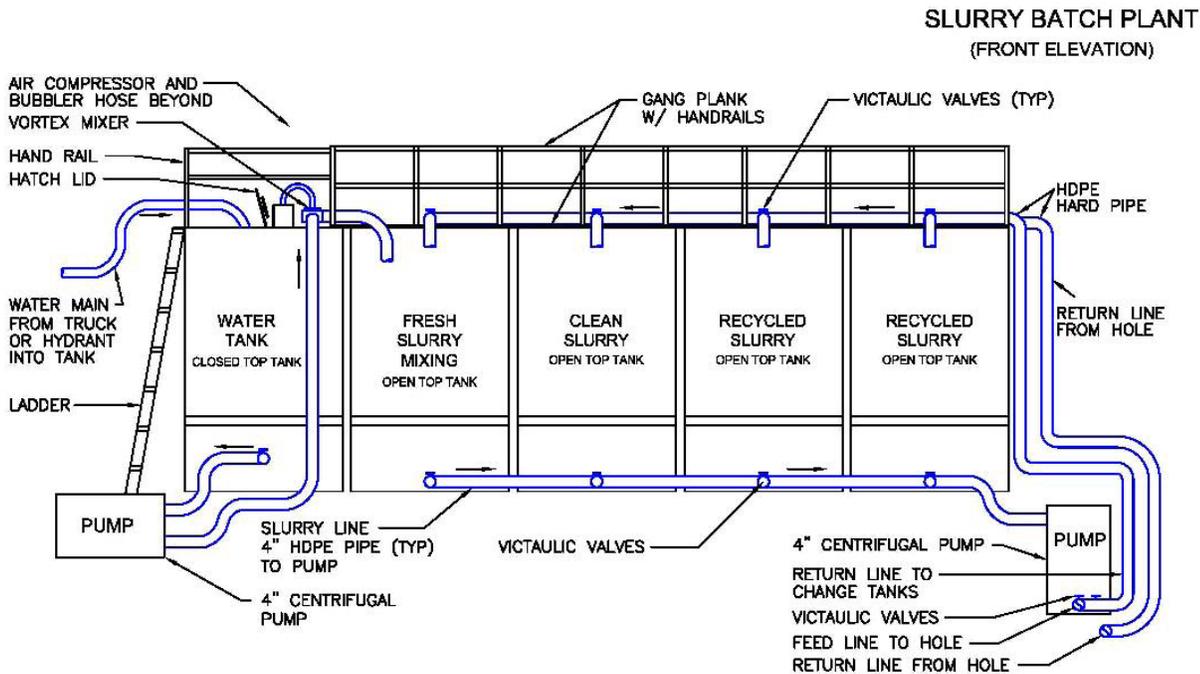
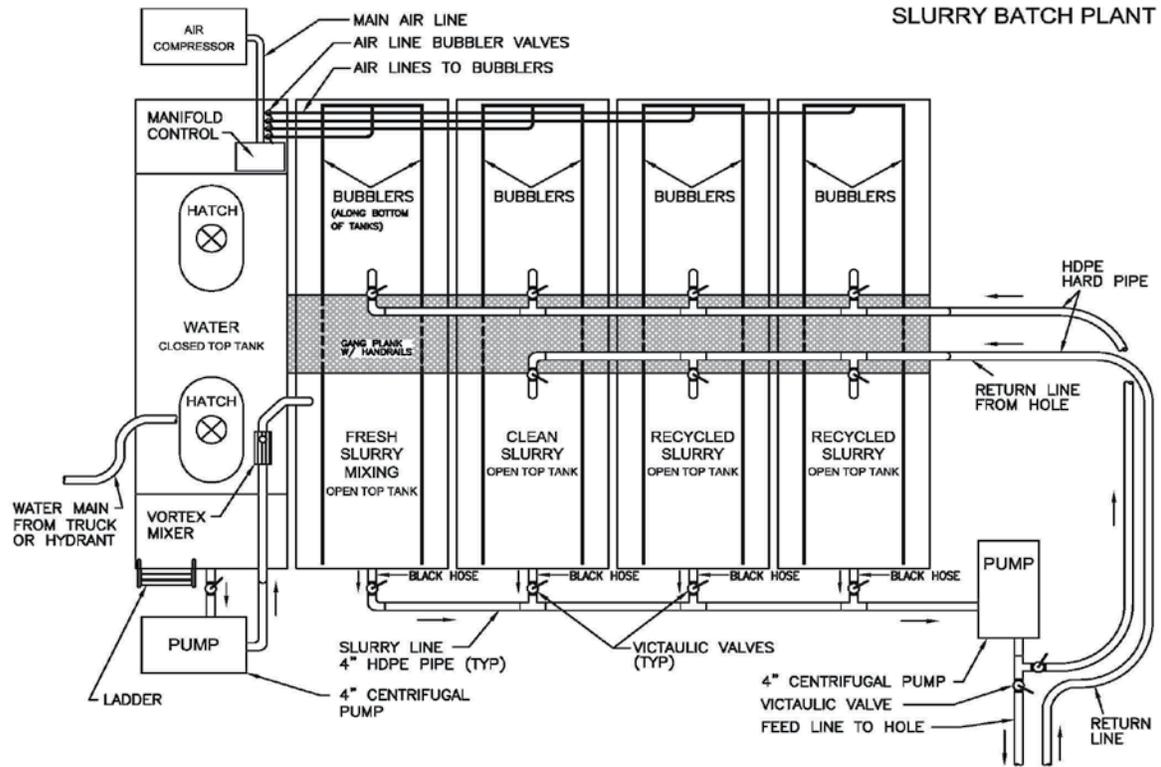
When adding fresh dry polymer to recycled fluid directly in the excavation, special care must be taken to ensure good dispersion of the polymer grains to avoid forming lumps. This is because the polymer wets-out and disperses more slowly in thickened fluid than in plain water. Fanning the recycled fluid across an auger or other object to provide a point of wide and rapid flow facilitates the adding of fresh dry polymer.

### MIXING IN VESSELS OR TANKS

When SHORE PAC polymer is pre-mixed in vessels it shall be added to water that is being passed through a hose, tube or hopper, across a stationary panel or surface, or stirred or otherwise agitated, in a manner which avoids the formation of lumps and results in a uniform mixture of polymer in the water. The polymer slurry shall be agitated until it develops viscosity adequate to be self-suspending (i.e., particles of partially-dissolved polymer do not settle in the fluid). This normally occurs within 15 to 30 minutes. Polymer shall not be mixed in a vessel without adequate agitation. Agitation may be accomplished by use of motorized stirrers, air injection, (as with blowpipes or fixed perforated piping), or other suitable and effective means. Recirculation by a single pump (without other means of agitation) is usually inadequate and shall not be permitted unless the mix tank is small enough that the pump provides adequate agitation of the entire tank.

# USE OF SHORE PAC® POLYMER SLURRY

## IN SLURRY-DISPLACED FOUNDATION CONSTRUCTION



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### ADDITIVES

CETCO has developed a complete line of additives as companion products for SHORE PAC when problem conditions arise. Additives shall be used in accordance with recommendations listed in the table to the right. Control guidelines for use of these additives shall be pH, chlorine levels, contaminant levels, fluid behavior, and other parameters as specified by manufacturer.

This system based on the SHORE PAC polymer and specialized additives, has a track record of delivering the highest levels of performance and project economy of any slurry technology on the market including bentonite.

With this system you can stabilize the most challenging of formation conditions, cohesion-less sands, open corals, cobbles, etc., thereby eliminating collapses and controlling fluid loss. This results in reducing concrete over-breaks, saving on the quantity of concrete consumed, polymer consumed, and the time required for drilling while providing the highest levels of skin friction and rebar bonding available with a slurry system.

### MAINTENANCE

The slurry level shall be maintained at least 1.8 meters (six feet) above the water table, or as such higher level that is required to overbalance hydrostatic soil pore pressure and maintain soil stability. If the slurry drops below the specified level, the operation shall be paused and the proper slurry level re-established before proceeding. In some situations the manufacturer may recommend that the slurry be maintained at less than 1.8 meters (six feet) above the water table, to reduce rates of fluid loss if soil stability is being maintained.

The point of reference for selection and maintenance of slurry level shall always be the water table (piezometric level). This applies even in situations where casing or other protective sleeve has been placed to a depth at or below the water table. The presence of casing does not remove the requirement to keep the slurry level above the water table. Attempts to excavate or hold open an excavation in saturated or unstable soils with inadequate slurry head pressure; even with casing extended into the water table, can be expected to result in soil collapse below the casing.

### SAMPLING AND TESTING

Samples of the slurry shall be taken from near-bottom of the excavation, from the upper portion of the excavation, and from the slurry supply tanks (if applicable) at regular intervals during the excavating process in order to facilitate control of slurry properties.

PRODUCT	RECOMMENDED DOSAGE RATE	DESCRIPTION	FUNCTION
ACCU-VIS	Add 2-3 gals in weighted sealed plastic bag to desired area. Break open with auger and mix with drill tool	Liquid anionic polymer	Stabilizes loose granular soil, instant viscosity, no need to shear with fluid
DE-CHLOR	0.5-1.0 lbs/1,000 gals mix water	Dry chlorine neutralizer	Treats chlorine in municipal water, increases yield and performance of slurry
INSTA-CLEAR DRY	40 lbs/3,000 gals mix water	Reactive separating agent	When added into slurry acts instantly to settle suspended fines
MACRO-FILL	Add 15 lbs 1 pail directly into excavation around the circumference	Dry super-absorbent material	Controls slurry loss in extreme conditions
SAND SEALANT/MULTI-SEAL	30 gals water or slurry, ½ bag of SAND SEALANT, and a ½ bag of MULTI-SEAL	Natural mineral solid combined with a select blend of four types of materials	Treats advanced fluid loss situations
SLURRY BUSTER DRY	15 lbs of SLURRY BUSTER DRY per 10,000 gallons SHORE PAC polymer slurry	Industrial grade oxidizing agent	Breaks slurry to water
SODA ASH	6 lbs/1,000 gals mix water	Dry pH adjuster	Optimizes polymer performance and yield
SODIUM BICARBONATE	5 lbs/1,000 gals mix water	A buffer used to lower pH	Treats slurry impacted by concrete
SODIUM HYDROXIDE	3-5 lbs/1,000 gals slurry	Dry crystals	Treats swampy black organic soil that impacts the slurry
STONE STOP	Add into hole to stop slurry loss	8-20 mesh granular sealant	Controls slurry loss in extreme conditions

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## IN SLURRY-DISPLACED FOUNDATION CONSTRUCTION

### SAMPLING AND TESTING (CONT'D)

During the excavation of the borehole, slurry samples shall be taken from near-bottom and upper portion at least once during the excavation, and not less than once every four hours, except for overnight shutdowns. When operating conditions make it prudent to sample and test more frequently, sampling and testing shall be done in accordance with a schedule recommended by the manufacturer or the contractor and approved by the Engineer.

Samples shall be collected with a suitable device (double ball bailer) that captures representative samples of sufficient volume ( $\geq 1.8$  liters or 2 quarts) to perform required testing of the slurry. Samples collected as described above shall be tested for Marsh Funnel Viscosity, pH, and specific weight. A written record shall be maintained, showing viscosities, pH values, specific weights, dates, times, excavation identifiers, depths, and locations from which samples were taken (excavation, supply tank, mix tank) and other pertinent information as specified by the Engineer. Testing of specific weight and sand content may be required by the Engineer before placement of reinforcing steel and concrete, if specifications for these parameters are in force for the project.

### FLUID LOSS

If high rates of fluid loss (seepage of slurry into the soil) are encountered, the polymer dosage and viscosity of the slurry shall be increased as required to provide adequate control of fluid loss consistent with allowed ranges of slurry viscosity. Alternatively or additionally, fluid loss control agents or other treatments recommended by the manufacturer may be used. Use only additives that are certified by the manufacturer to be compatible with the slurry in use.

STONE STOP is a specially blended mineral used for fluid loss control especially in sandy soils. STONE STOP added to SHORE PAC reduces slurry seepage into saturated open sands and gravels. A granular solid, STONE STOP, is highly recommended as an additive to SHORE PAC when drilling in loose saturated sands. When cobble or gravel is encountered, the viscosity may need to be increased to help prevent loss of fluid to these possible theft zones.

If losses are severe, it may be necessary to add ACCU-VIS to the slurry to either rapidly gain viscosity or use it as a "Bomb" to cut losses. ACCU-VIS can boost cohesion of sand, gravel, and cobble to stabilize and control slurry loss to a degree. ACCU-VIS sharply reduces slurry loss rates in very coarse soils and reduces bottom hole cleaning time. ACCU-VIS's thick gelatinous texture combines with fines to assist in plugging up the theft zones and helps to hold back heaving sand. The application for ACCU-VIS is 1 gallon per 1,000 gallons of fluid. It can be dropped down in weighted, thin, plastic bags, which can be torn up and mixed by the drilling tool.

ACCU-VIS may also be poured into the top of the hole, as it will mix and become viscous without having to shear by force of fluid. ACCU-VIS can be mixed and distributed through the shaft with the drilling tool without forming fisheyes.

### SPECIFIC WEIGHT OF THE SLURRY

Because the primary polymers of the standard SHORE PAC system add no significant weight to slurry, measurement of slurry specific weight is a direct indicator of the soil solids content (sand, silt, clay) of the slurry. Sand content is dealt with by a sand specification. Sand tends to settle to the bottom of the excavation because the SHORE PAC polymer slurry has no tendency to gel, so temporary or transient elevated sand content is not a problem during the excavation process. Aside from sand present in the slurry, the remainder of the slurry's specific weight above the specific weight of water (1.00 kilogram per liter, 62.4 lbs/ft<sup>3</sup>, or 8.35 lbs/gal) comes from soil fines dispersed in the slurry. Consequently, the slurry specific weight specification is in effect a limiting factor on the amount of fines that are acceptable in the slurry. High fines content can cause problems if the fines are not held in stable suspension. The slowly-settling fines can create a bed of sediment on the bottom of the excavation after a period of time. The maximum allowable final specific weight for synthetic polymer slurries, according to the present specification, is listed in the specification table.

### PREPARATION FOR CONCRETE PLACEMENT

Upon reaching final depth, an initial cleaning of the bottom of the excavation shall be effected with an appropriate tool. If indicated, the slurry column shall be allowed to stand static and undisturbed for a period of time to allow sand to settle toward the bottom of the hole. Slurry samples shall be taken intermittently during this static period from the midpoint of the excavation and from within 60 centimeters of bottom to determine sand content, viscosity, pH, and specific weight. When sand content and specific weight of near-bottom and midpoint samples are within specified maximums (see slurry quality specification tables) or when they stabilize and show no further change over a 30-minute interval during which the excavation is completely static and if tools have not been inserted (indicating sand held in stable suspension), the bottom of the excavation shall be cleaned and placement of rebar and concrete may proceed.

If the sand-size particles in the fluid are not in stable suspension but are settling very slowly, other measures may be required. For example, adjusting the fluid properties to stabilize the suspension and keep the sand from settling; agglomerating soil particles into masses (which can be extracted by the excavating tools), exchanging the fluid in the excavation with clean fluid, treating the slurry with additives to accelerate settling, or otherwise enhance removal of suspended soil.

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## IN SLURRY-DISPLACED FOUNDATION CONSTRUCTION

### ELAPSED TIME BETWEEN BOTTOM-CLEANING AND PLACEMENT OF CONCRETE

Not more than 120 minutes shall elapse between the final cleaning of the bottom of the excavation and the initiation of concrete placement, unless an exception is approved by the Engineer.

### TESTING OF SHORE PAC POLYMER SLURRY

#### MARSH FUNNEL VISCOSITY (MFV)

##### EQUIPMENT

1. Marsh Funnel
2. Graduated one quart viscosity cup
3. Stopwatch

##### PROCEDURE

1. Use a double ball bailer to retrieve approximately 2 quarts of slurry.
2. Check the Marsh Funnel to verify that there is no obstruction in the outlet at the bottom of the funnel and the slurry will have an unobstructed flow. Hold funnel upright with a finger over the outlet. Pour the test sample through the screen in the top of the funnel until the mud level just reaches the under side of the screen.
3. Hold the funnel over the viscosity cup and release finger from the outlet and start timing. Record the amount of time in seconds it takes to fill up one quart.
4. Record time in sec/quart on slurry test report.

This test requires both a Marsh Funnel and a Viscosity Cup. MFV is reported in seconds per quart. The time in seconds for a quart of slurry to pass through the funnel tip is reported as viscosity in seconds per quart. MFV is very useful in determining the concentration of polymer molecules, and also its ability to stabilize surrounding soils.

#### pH (POTENTIAL HYDROGEN- ION)

##### EQUIPMENT

1. pH Indicator Paper

##### PROCEDURE

1. Dip a piece of pH indicator paper into the slurry and compare the color change to a standard chart. The result of this test is reported in a number from 1 to 14.
2. Record pH on slurry test report.

In this test, the range for maximum SHORE PAC performance is 8-10. This is the level at which polymer molecules can fully hydrate and extend, creating more viscosity. Levels of pH below 6 (acidic) can affect the performance of the SHORE PAC slurry and should be adjusted by adding SODA ASH, 6 lbs per 1,000 gallons mix water. In addition, the sodium carbonate ion present in 8-10 pH solutions is useful in buffering the slurry against calcium and magnesium contamination.

# USE OF SHORE PAC® POLYMER SLURRY

## IN SLURRY-DISPLACED FOUNDATION CONSTRUCTION

### TESTING OF SHORE PAC POLYMER SLURRY (CONT'D)

#### SAND CONTENT DETERMINATION

##### EQUIPMENT

1. 200-mesh sieve
2. Funnel to fit into sieve
3. Glass sand content tube
4. Wash bottle

##### PROCEDURE

1. Fill the sand content tube with slurry to the first line marked “mud to here” then fill the remaining space in the tube to the next line marked “water to here”. Place your thumb over opening and shake vigorously, inverting several times.
2. Pour the mixture on to the clean, wet screen. Discard the liquid passing through the screen. Add more water to the tube, shake, and pour onto the screen again. Repeat this until tube rinses clean. Wash the sand on the screen until discard water is clear, this removes any remaining silt and clay.
3. Fit the funnel upside down over the top of the screen. Slowly invert the assembly and insert the tip of the funnel into the glass sand content tube. Wash the sand into the tube by spraying a fine stream with the wash bottle making sure not overflow the tube (tapping the sides of the screen may facilitate this process).
4. Allow the sand to settle, from the gradations on the tube, read the volume percent of the sand and record it on the slurry test report.

This test is performed with a standard sand content kit, and the results are reported as percent sand. This test is normally performed at the completion of an excavation and just prior to placing concrete. The sample to be tested should be taken near the bottom of the excavation. When using SHORE PAC slurries the sand content will rarely test over 1.0% sand. Due to its flocculating ability, it drops the sand very quickly and the slurry remains nearly sand free. When performing the sand content test in the field the addition of SLURRY BUSTER solution in place of water to dilute the slurry sample can prevent the accumulation of silt, which creates false sand reading in the test.

#### SPECIFIC WEIGHT (DENSITY)

##### EQUIPMENT

1. Mud balance with base and cap per API spec 13B-1, Sec 1

##### PROCEDURE

1. Place mud balance on a flat level surface and make sure it is clean of any caked on debris.
2. Fill the cup with the slurry to be tested and place the lid on the cup, seat it firmly but slowly with a twisting motion. Be sure some mud runs out of the hole in the cap to free any trapped air.
3. With the hole in the cap covered with one finger, wash and wipe all of the slurry from the outside of the cup and arm of the balance.
4. Set the arm on the fulcrum base and move the sliding weight along the graduated arm until the cup and arm are balanced.
5. Read the density of the mud at the left edge of the sliding weight.
6. Report the results on the slurry test report to the nearest scale division in lb/gal, lb/ft<sup>3</sup>, S.G., or psi/1,000 ft of depth.
7. Wash the mud from the cup immediately after each use. It is absolutely essential that all parts of the mud balance be kept clean for accurate results to be obtained.

This test is performed with a standard mud balance and is reported as specific gravity, pounds per cubic foot or pounds per gallon. The lbs density of SHORE PAC slurry should be approximately 64.0 lbs/ft<sup>3</sup>. The density may be slightly higher depending on the amount of fine soil particles mixed in the slurry. SHORE PAC slurries have the same density as water, specific gravity 1.0 (± 0.05).

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## IN SLURRY-DISPLACED FOUNDATION CONSTRUCTION

**DRILLING CONTRACTOR:** \_\_\_\_\_

**SLURRY ENGINEER:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CONTRACT #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PROJECT INSPECTOR:** \_\_\_\_\_

**SHAFT #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**DIAMETER:** \_\_\_\_\_

**T.D. DEPTH:** \_\_\_\_\_

**HOLE VOLUME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PRODUCTS ADDED:** \_\_\_\_\_

TESTS PERFORMED	SAMPLE #1	SAMPLE #2	SAMPLE #3	SAMPLE #4
Time				
Depth (Feet)				
pH (1-14)				
Marsh Funnel Viscosity (Sec/qt)				
Density (lb/gal)				
Sand Content (%)				
Soil Conditions				

**COMMENTS:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CETCO REPRESENTATIVE/SLURRY ENGINEER:** \_\_\_\_\_

# USE OF SHORE PAC® POLYMER SLURRY

## IN SLURRY-DISPLACED FOUNDATION CONSTRUCTION

### QUALITY SPECIFICATIONS FOR SLURRIES BASED ON SHORE PAC

SHORE PAC POLYMER SLURRY		
Property	Requirement	Test
Density (lb/ft <sup>3</sup> ) - just prior to placing concrete	less than or equal to 64*	Mud Weight (Density) API 13 B-1 Section 1
Viscosity (seconds/quart)	35 to 125	Marsh Funnel and Cup API 13 B-1 Section 2.2
pH	8.0 to 10.0	Glass Electrode pH Meter or pH Paper
Sand Content (%) - just prior to placing concrete	less than or equal to 1.0%	Sand API 13 B-1 Section 5

\*When approved by the engineer, slurry may be used in saltwater, and the allowable densities may be increased up to 2 pcf. Slurry temperature shall be at least 4 °C (40 °F) when tested.

SHORE PAC is not a hazardous waste, nor does it pose any threat to waters when disposed of according to manufacturer's guidelines.

SHORE PAC is approved for use by The Federal Highway Administration, (FHWA) and is used in State Departments of Transportation throughout the nation. The method for disposing the drilling slurry SHORE PAC on Drilled Shaft Projects has been listed within this correspondence.

### DEFINITION AND INGREDIENTS OF SHORE PAC

SHORE PAC is a dry granular synthetic anionic polyacrylamide. SHORE PAC is manufactured from co-polymerization of acrylimide and acrylic acid or its inorganic salts. The molecular weight (in the region of several million Daltons) and negative charge density varies (by variation of the ratio of acrylimide and acrylic acid monomer units).

The polymer used in the product SHORE PAC is designated as non hazardous and is water soluble or water dispersible. The term polymer simply means – many parts, or is an organic chemical having a molecular weight above 200, with greater than eight repeating units. Polymers vary greatly in function and basic properties, such as stability, charge, and molecular weight. In general, polymers can be classified as natural, modified-natural, or synthetic. The term “monomer” simply means – a large molecule made up of simple repeating units.

A polymer is a compound that consists of a chain of repeating base units, called monomers. SHORE PAC is a synthetic polymer.

### DEFINITION AND INGREDIENTS OF SHORE PAC

SHORE PAC is a very high molecular weight synthetic polymer with negative charges on the backbone. Its high molecular weight gives viscosity to water at low concentrations.

When SHORE PAC is dissolved in aqueous solution, the very long polymer chains dissolve and orient randomly in the fluid in coils. In freshwater, the repulsion of the negative charges on the backbone of the polymer chains causes the coils to expand and to occupy a large volume in the fluid. When the fluid is sheared, the expanded polymer chains are located in different fluid layers in the shear field. The uncoiling of these expanded polymer chains dissipates mechanical energy and results in viscosity.

The high molecular weight polymer chains are so long that different parts of individual polymer chains bridge different solid particles. It is this adsorption on surfaces and bridging of solid surfaces that makes this polymer effective in keeping solids consolidated while drilling a foundation. In addition, the adsorbed layer of hydrophilic polymer on rock surfaces slows down the diffusion of water into the rock.

### CONTROL PRESSURE AND STABILIZE THE BOREHOLE

Two types of pressure are exerted on the borehole during drilling, formation pressure and hydrostatic pressure. Formation pressure can collapse the borehole if it is not overcome by hydrostatic pressure pushing back against the formation. Hydrostatic pressure is the weight or density of the volume of drilling slurry pushing against the formation. In order to have hydrostatic pressure, the drilling slurry must push back against the formation with minimal penetration into the formation. In unconsolidated permeable formations, the hydrostatic pressure occurs when the weight of the fluid is in contact with the impermeable deposits (filter cake) placed on the sides of the borehole by the drilling slurry. The filter cake and the hydrostatic pressure thereby control the formation pressure, reduce slurry loss and prevent caving, resulting in hole stabilization.

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# USE OF SHORE PAC® POLYMER SLURRY

## IN SLURRY-DISPLACED FOUNDATION CONSTRUCTION

### QUALITY SPECIFICATIONS FOR SLURRIES BASED ON SHORE PAC

Normal water weighs 8.34 lb/gal, with the SHORE PAC polymer fluid at 8.40 lb/gal it is necessary to maintain the slurry level 2 to 3 meters (7 to 10 feet) above the surrounding groundwater level. Under normal conditions this 2 to 3 meters of hydrostatic pressure, or head, exerts the pressure necessary (approx. 450 to 640 lb/ft<sup>2</sup>, or 2,000 to 3,000 kg/m<sup>2</sup>), to support the walls of the excavation and is required to ensure hole stability. Without this positive pressure exerted by the slurry column against the sidewall, soil overburden pressures will cause the excavation to collapse. The natural soil overburden pressures forced against the positive pressure exerted by the slurry column result in little or no leach ability to the surrounding formation.

### RECYCLING OF THE SHORE PAC SLURRY

After the slurry testing has been completed and the rebar has been placed, a suction line should be dropped just inside the excavation for recycling of the slurry. While the concrete is being tremied it will displace the slurry forcing it upward. A holding tank large enough to hold the volume of slurry contained within the excavation is required to recycle the SHORE PAC slurry. When concrete is tremie pumped into the bottom of the hole, the displaced SHORE PAC slurry is pumped from the top of the excavation into the holding tank using a centrifugal pump. Disregard concerns about shearing the polymer and destroying it, this is the only pump that will pump a large enough volume to keep-up with the concreted pump truck.

Avoid pumping the last three feet of slurry above the concrete interface, as this slurry will be contaminated from contact with the concrete. The impacted slurry looks like oatmeal and only occurs at the contact with the concrete. The last three feet of impacted slurry should be pumped off to a waste tank, or if allowed the cement contaminated slurry can be released over the top can onto the ground to be mixed into the spoil pile by the loader.

The recycled SHORE PAC slurry is tested for viscosity and pH. While adding water to restore the original volume additional SODA ASH is added to adjust the pH. Next the SHORE PAC is added to restore the slurry to full strength. Usually it requires about ¼ of the amount of SHORE PAC added to the water filling up the holding tank to restore the slurry to its original strength for reuse on the next hole.

### BREAKDOWN OF SLURRY

SHORE PAC slurry fluids are non-toxic and are readily degradable upon completion of a project to facilitate disposal. Upon completion of the project, any remaining SHORE PAC is broken down with the chemical oxidizers. SLURRY BUSTER DRY is the most common oxidizer for this purpose. SLURRY BUSTER DRY is calcium hypochlorite.

SLURRY BUSTER DRY is added to the SHORE PAC slurry at a rate of 15 lbs per 10,000 gallons of SHORE PAC slurry. This is accomplished by pumping it back into a holding tank or holding pond and circulating it using the pumps on-site to ensure complete oxidation of the polymer molecules.

SLURRY BUSTER DRY concentrations of 15 lbs per 10,000 gallons of SHORE PAC destroys the active ingredients within the sodium hypochlorite (bleach) and at the same time breaks the polymer, reverting it back to basic water. The end result of SHORE PAC decomposing after its encounter with SLURRY BUSTER DRY is the acrylic acid backbone which is an inert nontoxic substance.

### DISPOSAL OF DRILLING SLURRY

Treated slurry fluids are environmentally safe when handled as directed. When breakdown is complete, all that remains is trace acrylate molecules, water and perhaps some small amount of excess chlorine. The anionic SHORE PAC is reduced to water after the hypochlorite is used to treat the SHORE PAC. This is often safely discharged, or spread on the ground to evaporate, or used in dust control.

Additionally, polymers with the same chemical base as found in SHORE PAC are used in potable water treatment as flocculants, with federal government clearance. They are widely used throughout the world as coagulants and flocculants used for environmental and process improvement, acting through solid/liquid separation. They are used in paper manufacturing, wastewater treatment, mineral and oil extraction, soil conditioning, and as thickeners in cosmetics. As such, they have many regulatory approvals around the world, such as for drinking water treatment, indirect additives for food-contact paper, and for other specific uses. Municipal sewage sludge, which has been polymer-treated for de-watering, is widely applied to agricultural land.

# SHORE PAC<sup>®</sup>

## POLYMER SLURRY SYSTEM PROGRAM

PROJECT SPECIFIC PLANS UTILIZING  
SHORE PAC<sup>®</sup>  
IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF SLURRY DISPLACED DRILLED SHAFTS

**DATE:**

**November 26, 2014**

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**PROJECT:**

**Rutland Bridge Replacement  
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SLURRY PROPERTIES		
PROPERTY	VALUE	DESCRIPTION
SODA ASH	6	Lb SODA ASH per 1,000 gal water
SHORE PAC	9	Lb SHORE PAC per 1,000 gal water
pH	8-10	6 lbs of SODA ASH per 1,000 gal
Viscosity	85 to 95	Sec/qt
Density	64 or less	Lb/ft <sup>3</sup>
Sand Content	1.0 % or less	To be tested at the bottom of the shaft before cage placement

GEOLOGICAL CONDITIONS		
PROPERTY	VALUE	DESCRIPTION
Static Water (Ft)	0.9' - 5.1'	Based on the time of construction and seasonal amount of precipitation, the groundwater level may be different than what is noted in the bore logs.
Soil Log Available	Yes	Bore Log B-103: Sand, little silt, compact, gray, wet. Clayey silt, little fine medium sand, little fine coarse gravel, medium coarse gravel. Bore Log B-201: Boulder, mostly broken rock w/sand, tan, moist. Light gray buff colored Dolomite with numerous closely spaced jointing. Hard to medium hard, slightly to moderately weathered, poor rock.

12' DIAMETER		
PROPERTY	VALUE	DESCRIPTION
Total Number of Shafts	1	Shaft
Casing Diameter (in)	144	12 foot diameter shaft
Hole Diameter gal/ft	845.54	Gallons per foot
Length of Casing	15	
Total Volume of Casing (gal)	12,684	1 shaft x 845.54 gallons per foot x 15 foot average depth = 12,684 gallons
Casing Diameter (in)	120	10 foot permanent casing
Hole Diameter gal/ft	587.18	Gallons per foot
Length of Casing	13	
Total Volume of Casing (gal)	7,634	587.18 gallons per foot x 13 foot average depth = 7,634 gallons
Casing Diameter (in)	96	8 foot permanent casing
Hole Diameter gal/ft	375.80	Gallons per foot
Length of Casing	18	
Total Volume of Casing (gal)	6,765	375.80 gallons per foot x 18 foot average depth = 6,765 gallons
Shaft Diameter (in)	96	8 foot diameter shaft
Hole Diameter gal/ft	375.80	Gallons per foot
Depth of Shaft (ft)	48	48 foot average depth.
Volume of Shaft (gal)	18,038	1 shaft x 375.80 gallons per foot x 48 foot average depth = 18,038 gallons
Estimated Over-break	10%	Based on soil conditions and experience, top casing and tooling
Estimated Over-break (gal)	1,804	18,038 gallons x 10% estimated overbreak = 1,804 estimated overbreak gallons
Total Volume of Shaft (gal)	19,843	18,038 gallons + 1,804 estimated overbreak gallons = 19,843 gallons
Estimated Total Volume (gal)	46,926	27,083 casing gallons + 19,863 shaft gallons = 46,926 total gallons
Total ft <sup>3</sup>	6,274	
Total yd <sup>3</sup>	233	

TOTAL VOLUME ESTIMATE		
PROPERTY	VALUE	DESCRIPTION
Total Shafts	1	1 shaft 12 foot in diameter
Basic Hole Volume (gal)	46,926	Gallons
Estimated Fluid Loss	35%	Fluid loss will occur because of loss in spoils, drilling procedures, tooling, drops in viscosity, recycle, gravel, and unknown theft zones.
Estimated Fluid Loss (gal)	16,425	46,926 gallons x 35% estimated fluid loss = 16,425 gallons estimated fluid loss
Estimated Total Gallons	63,351	46,926 gallons + 16,425 fluid loss gallons = 63,351

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# SITE SPECIFIC RECOMMENDATIONS

## PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

This program is calculated based on 1 drilled shafts (12) ft in diameter. Total estimated total volume is 46,926 gallons. Based on boring logs the soil profile consists of sand, little silt, compact, gray, wet. Clayey silt, little fine medium sand, little fine course gravel, medium course gravel. Bore Log B-201 consists of boulders, mostly broken rock with sand, tan, moist. Light colored buff colored Dolomite with numerous closely spaced jointing. Hard to medium hard, slightly to moderately weathered, poor rock. The SODA ASH mixture should be 6 lbs per 1,000 gallons of mix water. In this application mix water should be at a pH of 10. This should be sufficient to maintain a pH of 10. The program will require **SHORE PAC polymer slurry with an estimated fluid viscosity of 85 to 95 seconds per quart for drilling procedures utilizing about 9 lbs of SHORE PAC per 1,000 gallons of mix water under these conditions.** We always recommend starting out with high viscosity until drilling consistency and production has been established. Although programs are designed based on geotechnical boring logs, because of unknown conditions or theft zones, even higher viscosity may be needed during drilling procedures which may demand more polymer/higher viscosity than specified.

Fluid loss is unknown but based on information from the boring logs we estimate fluid loss at 35%. Fluid loss will occur because of loss in spoils, drilling procedures, tooling, drops in viscosity, recycle, gravel, and unknown theft zones. Estimated overall fluid loss is 16,425 gallons. Total workable hole volume of 63,351 gallons. It could be more and it could be less.

## TANKS

It is our recommendation to pre-mix in 1 21,000 gallon **open top tanks with no baffles or weir walls. Tanks must also be clean and free of any contamination that will adversely affect the slurry.** This is always dependent on locations, number of rigs in operation, and desired production. One tank should be dedicated to fresh slurry and mixing. While the remaining tanks should be used to recycle and boost the viscosity of used slurry. Finally, smaller tank, waste pit or poly tank should be used to hold SHORE PAC slurry contaminated by concrete.

## MIX WATER SOURCE

A nearby, adequate, unlimited, water source needs to be available. The mix water source should be tested for pH, chlorine, and hardness. If river water is used, DE-CHLOR is not necessary. If water is extremely hard, SODA ASH should be added at about 6 lbs per 1,000 gallons.

## ADDITIVES SUGGESTED

Additives are not suggested unless it is clearly determined that they may be needed. On this project it is suggested to use a combination of:

- **SODA ASH** - Is to be mixed at 6 lbs/1,000 gal to precipitate out calcium and magnesium or neutralize contamination.
- **C/S Granular** - Is a dry granular sodium bentonite material for fluid loss control.
- **SLURRY BUSTER DRY** - Is an industrial grade breaker is used at 15 lbs/10,000 gal to break down the slurry.

## PUMPS

Centrifugal pumps will move the polymer slurry quicker and keep up with concrete pumping. The velocity and volume gained by using centrifugal pumps is worth the reduction in viscosity. It is common to use centrifugal pumps to recycle the slurry back to the holding tanks.

## MIXING THE FIRST TANK

When using a 21,000 Tank – The tank may not be full, so this estimate is based on 19,000 gallons of mix water.

- **SODA ASH** – Mix 100 lbs or 2 pails of SODA ASH directly into the tank by inflow and circulate.
- **SHORE PAC** – Mix/Shear (#) lbs or (#) pails of SHORE PAC slowly into the tank at the inflow while tank is circulating or bubbling. Use a pump or bubbler system to circulate the slurry until homogenous.

## HEAD PRESSURE

It is our recommendation to keep shafts as full as possible while drilling to exert maximum hydrostatic head pressure on the drilled formations unless cases of lower theft zones are encountered. If so keep hole full enough to maintain head pressure without sudden loss or force fluid to the formations.

**For upper hole stability hydrostatic head pressure needs to be maintained at no less than 6' over static water at all times (more is better) to keep the hole open. When static water is near or at surface, top cans may have to be elevated out of the hole to maintain head pressure. Constructability with tooling and steel casing is at the driller's discretion.**

## SLURRY ENGINEERING OVERVIEW

- Client consultation with slurry engineers
- Research & development laboratory available if needed
- Analysis of boring logs & site specific recommendations
- Design of site specific slurry programs with recommendations
- Onsite slurry construction, monitoring and troubleshooting
- Onsite training of clients personnel in monitoring, testing and slurry construction
- Slurry technician certification available upon completion of required training
- Slurry Schools and seminars may be conducted at your location upon request
- A bio on our engineers can be provided upon request

## FEES

**Daily Fees - \$950.00** will be charged per day when an engineer is requested onsite to conduct site specific slurry training. It is important to note that the slurry engineer is there to train site personal on proper batch plant setup, mixing, testing procedures, monitoring and what to look for during the drilling process. Having a CETCO slurry representative onsite during the startup of a project helps ensure the initial success the contractor requires and the ability to speak with owners, regulatory agents and engineers on the functions of polymer slurry. Per Diem is included in this fee which may include but not limited to hotel, meals and rental car.

**Weekly Fees** – Are offered when the engineer will be on-site for a minimum of 5 days

**Complimentary Days** – These will be offered at the regional managers' discretion

**Air Fare - \$650.00** will be charged for a round-trip ticket unless the customer postpones or cancels the engineer's services prior to purchase of airfare. This may or may not apply on local trips where extensive travel is not involved.

**Daily Stand-By/Cancellation** – A **\$450.00** charge will apply when agreement has been made that the engineer has to definitely be onsite at any given date and time but the customer is not ready for engineering services. This will also apply on weekly down time and partial days. This may or may not apply on local trips where extensive travel is not involved.

*A two week notice is required to schedule a representative for onsite slurry engineering. This will allow for adequate time when scheduling and booking travel. Even though each representative has their own testing equipment, it is still required for the contractor to have or purchase their own slurry test kit and sample bailer. This equipment should be made available onsite when the representative arrives. If you do not have a slurry test kit, your regional manager can assist you in purchasing one.*

## Disposal of Shore Pac Slurry

### Introduction

The use of synthetic polymer slurries as replacements for Bentonite and other minerals has become widespread. Key attractions of polymer slurries have been their degradability and low environmental impact, which has translated into reduced disposal difficulty for contractors.

The drilling slurry Shore Pac manufactured by CETCO Construction Drilling Products, to be used on a drilled shaft Project is not a hazardous waste, nor does it pose any threat to the waters of the State.

### Is Polymer Slurry Toxic?

A Shore Pac slurry system can be classified as an acrylamide which falls under the general classification of a polyacrylamide. The acrylic contents of the molecule are non-hazardous and non-toxic. Shore Pac's chemical classification is listed in the U.S.A. EPA TSCA manual under code 25085-02-3. Shore Pac is identified as a non-toxic substance as defined by the U.S.A. Environmental Protection Agency. Shore Pac is approved for use by The Federal Highway Administration, (FHWA), and is used in States throughout the nation. The Method for disposing the drilling slurry Shore Pac on this Drilled Shaft Project has been listed within this correspondence.

### Is Polymer Slurry Biodegradable?

Synthetic polymers are not readily biodegradable. Biodegradable means that slurry made from a biodegradable polymer will be subject to spoilage with breakdown of the slurry. Polymer slurry is not subject to spoilage. Shore Pac slurry is chemically degradable. Chemically degradability relates to chemical oxygen demand, or COD, and is the degrading of the polymer through interaction with another non-living substance. Shore Pac slurry is chemically degradable on demand by treatment with the chemical oxidizing agent Slurry Buster.

The Shore Pac Polymer slurry contacts the surrounding soil and groundwater during construction of cast-in-drilled-hole piling but does not migrate into the surrounding soil of the excavation due to a gel membrane that forms along the sidewalls of the borehole. This membrane cohesively binds the soils together forming temporary glue, which seals off the vertical liquid slurry column. The product Shore Pac being proposed for use as drilling slurry for the foundation project is not harmful to the environment.

### Is Polymer Slurry able to be Broken Down?

At the end of the job there is usually a need to dispose of a quantity of polymer slurry which remains from the last borehole or excavation. The Shore Pac slurry is degraded by a variety of mechanisms. The polymer is broken down or removed from the slurry during use in drilling or excavating. The mechanisms which cause this include adsorption (bonding) onto earth soils and chemical reaction with alkalis and contaminants such as calcium in the slurry, the make-up water or the groundwater.

**Shore Pac slurry fluids are non-toxic** and are readily degradable upon completion of a slurry job to facilitate disposal. Upon completion of the project, any remaining **Shore Pac** is broken down with the chemical oxidizer (**Slurry Buster**) the most common oxidizer for this purpose.

The Slurry Buster solution is added to the Shore Pac slurry to be treated. After the breaker is added, the slurry is circulated using the pumps on-site to ensure complete oxidation of the polymer molecules. This is accomplished by pumping it back into a holding tank.

The Slurry Buster destroys the active ingredients within the polymer and at the same time breaks the polymer, reverting it back to basic water. The end result of Shore Pac decomposing after its encounter with (**Slurry Buster**) is not a harmful substance.

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### Is Polymer Slurry Disposable?

Treated slurry fluids are environmentally safe when handled as directed. When breakdown is complete, **all that remains is trace acrylate molecules and water.** This is often safely discharged or simply spread on the ground to evaporate or used in dust control.

Additionally, polymers with the same chemical base as found in Shore Pac are used in potable water treatment as flocculants, with federal government clearance. They are widely used throughout the world as coagulants and flocculants used for environmental and process improvement, acting through solid/liquid separation. They are used in paper manufacturing, wastewater treatment, mineral and oil extraction, soil conditioning and as thickeners in cosmetics. As such, they have many regulatory approvals around the world, such as for drinking water treatment, indirect additives for food-contact paper and for other specific uses. Municipal sewage sludge, which has been polymer-treated for de-watering, is widely applied to agricultural land.

CETCO certifies that Shore Pac slurry is not harmful to the environment and is safe for disposal.

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# MUD/SLURRY TEST KIT

## COMPLETE TESTING KIT

### DESCRIPTION

In any job or trade special tools, equipment, and instruments are essential to effectively and efficiently complete our work. In the drilling industry we also have to have the proper tools and equipment. Sometimes it's amazing how a tool or piece of equipment as small or in expensive as it may seem can have such an impact on a drilling operation. The MUD/SLURRY TEST KIT contains all of the testing equipment you need in the field.

### COMPONENTS

- Mud Balance, Plastic, without Case
- Marsh Funnel Viscometer
- Measuring Cup, Plastic, 1,000 ml
- pH Sticks, 0 - 14 range, (100/box)
- Total Hardness Test Strips, SofChek, (50/box)
- Wash Bottle, 250 ml
- Model 100, Basic Stopwatch
- Pocket Calculator, Eight Digit, Dual Power
- Sand Content Kit
- Sieve, 200 mesh, 2.5 inch diameter
- Funnel, plastic
- Tube, Sand Content, Glass, graduated 0 - 20%
- Case, Executive Style
- Foam Insert



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# MUD BALANCE

## MUD WEIGHT MEASUREMENT TOOL

### DESCRIPTION

A mud balance is an instrument generally used to determine mud weight that will permit accurate measurement within 1/10 lb/gal or 1/2 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>. Mud weight can be expressed in lb/gal, lb/ft<sup>3</sup>, psi/1,000 ft of depth or specific gravity (S.G.).

The mud balance should be calibrated frequently with freshwater at 70°F which will give a reading of 8.33 lbs/gal or 62.3 lbs/ft<sup>3</sup>.

### PROCEDURE

1. Fill the cup with mud to be weighed.
2. Place the lid on the cup and seat it firmly but slowly with a twisting motion. Be sure some mud runs out of the hole in the cap.
3. With the hole in the cap covered with one finger, wash or wipe all mud from the outside of the cup and arm.
4. Set the knife on the fulcrum and move the sliding weight along the graduated arm until the cup and arm are balanced.
5. Read the density of the mud at the left-hand edge of the sliding weight.
6. Report the result to the nearest scale division in lb/gal, lb/ft<sup>3</sup>, S.G., or psi/1,000 ft of depth.
7. Wash the mud from the cup immediately after wash use. It is absolutely essential that all parts of the mud balance be kept clean if accurate results are to be obtained.
8. Table 1 conversion data available for reference.

**TABLE 1 MUD BALANCE CONVERSION DATA**

lb/gal	lb/ft <sup>3</sup>	Specific Gravity	Gradient, psi/100 ft of depth	lb/gal	lb/ft <sup>3</sup>	Specific Gravity	Gradient, psi/100 ft of depth
6.5	48.6	0.78	338	16.0	119.7	1.92	831
7.0	52.4	0.84	364	16.5	123.4	1.98	857
7.5	56.2	0.90	390	17.0	127.2	2.04	883
8.0	59.8	0.96	416	17.5	130.9	2.10	909
8.3	62.3	1.00	433	18.0	134.6	2.16	935
8.5	63.6	1.02	442	18.5	138.4	2.22	961
9.0	67.3	1.08	468	19.0	142.1	2.28	987
9.5	71.1	1.14	494	19.5	145.9	2.34	1013
10.0	74.8	1.20	519	20.0	149.6	2.40	1039
10.5	78.5	1.26	545	20.5	153.3	2.46	1065
11.0	82.3	1.32	571	21.0	157.1	2.52	1091
11.5	86.0	1.38	597	21.5	160.8	2.58	1117
12.0	89.8	1.44	623	22.0	164.6	2.64	1143
12.5	93.5	1.50	649	22.5	168.3	2.70	1169
13.0	97.2	1.56	675	23.0	172.1	2.76	1195
13.5	101.0	1.62	701	23.5	175.8	2.82	1221
14.0	104.7	1.68	727	24.0	179.5	2.88	1247
14.5	108.5	1.74	753	(Mud gradient in psi/M ft) (0.09124) = mud density in lb/gal			
15.0	112.2	1.80	779	(Mud gradient in psi/M ft) (0.144) = mud density in lb/ft <sup>3</sup>			
15.5	115.9	1.86	805	(Mud gradient in psi/M ft) (0.023) = specific gravity			

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# SAND CONTENT KIT

## SAND CONTENT MEASUREMENT TOOL

### DESCRIPTION

It is desirable to know the sand content of drilling muds because excessive sand may result in the deposition of a thick filter cake on the wall of the hole, or may settle in the hole about the tools when circulation is stopped, thus interfering with successful operations of drilling tools or setting of casing. High sand content also may cause excessive abrasion of pump parts and pipe connections. Sand sized particles are defined as anything larger than 74 microns. This test can be performed on low solids muds as well as on weighted muds.

### PROCEDURE

1. Fill the sand content tube to the indicated mark with mud. Add water to next mark. Close the mouth of the tube and shake vigorously.
2. Pour the mixture onto the clean, wet screen. Discard the liquid passing through the screen. Add more water to the tube, shake and again pour onto the screen. Repeat until the wash water passes through clear. Wash the sand retained on the screen to free it of any remaining mud.
3. Fit the funnel upside down over the top of the screen. Slowly invert the assembly and insert the tip of the funnel into the mouth of the tube. Wash the sand into the tube by spraying a fine spray of water through the screen. (Tapping on the side of the screen with a spatula handle, may facilitate this process). Allow the sand to settle, from the gradations on the tube, read the volume percent of the sand.
4. Report the sand content of the mud in volume percent. Report the source of the mud sample, i.e., above shaker, suction, pit etc. Coarse solids other than sand will be retained on the screen (e.g., lost circulation material, coarse barite, coarse lignite, etc.) and the presence of such solids should be noted.



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# MARSH FUNNEL & CUP

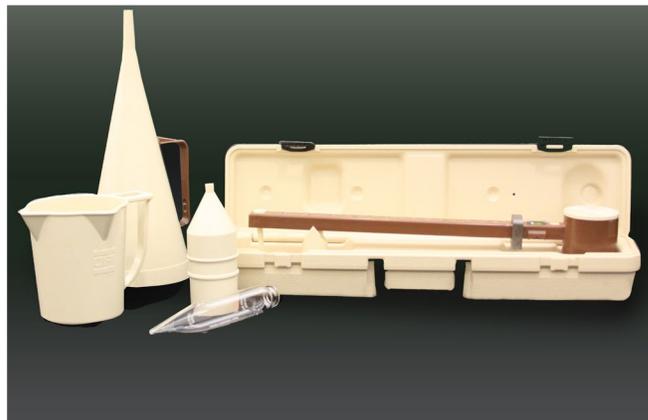
## VISCOSITY MEASUREMENT TOOL

### DESCRIPTION

Viscosity is a measurement of a fluid's resistance to flow: the greater the resistance, the higher the viscosity. As measured by the MARSH FUNNEL, the viscosity of the fluid in question is influenced by the density of the fluid (solids content) and gelation rate (beneficiated solids content). The viscosity of the drilling fluid in use should be based on a combination of the following parameters: drilling rate, pump and output capacity, mud density, cutting size, hole size, and solids removal equipment.

### PROCEDURE

1. Hold funnel in upright position with index finger over outlet.
2. Pour the test sample through the screen in the top of the funnel until the mud level just reaches the under side of the screen.
3. Remove finger from outlet and measure number of seconds for a quart of sample to run out.



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# SAMPLE BAILER

## DOUBLE BALL DISCRETE DEPTH COLLECTION

### DESCRIPTION

SAMPLE BAILER has a second ball check located at the top that permits the bailer to secure a sample from a specific depth without influence from the slurry above. Meets contract specifications for collecting slurry samples for testing physical drilling slurry properties.

### RECOMMENDED USE

Tie the suspension cord to the bailer hook. Lower the bailer slowly down the borehole to the desired depth. Yank up on the SAMPLE BAILER allowing the SAMPLE BAILER to collect a sample, and then raise the bailer gently to the surface to maintain sample integrity. Empty the SAMPLE BAILER contents into a sample bottle.

### ADVANTAGES

- Collects slurry samples accurately
- Meets specification to collect slurry samples from different depths
- Large enough to collect slurry for all the required tests
- Used to collect samples for specified physical properties of drilling slurry density, sand content, pH, and viscosity

### CHARACTERISTICS

The white PVC re-usable sample bailers are designed to retrieve a sample from specific depths. The threaded all PVC construction and the removable top and bottom valves make cleaning quick and easy.

### PACKAGING

3" white PVC threaded SAMPLE BAILER 3.500 O.D. x 24" long.



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1	09-110	Feb-09	Gaetano Construction	Matt Brewing Co.	Utica	NY	CA	10 @ 30", 24 @36", & 4 @42" x 21 LF
2	09-111	Mar-09	Hayner Hoyt	Crouse Hines Hospital	Syracuse	NY	CA	6 @ 60" and 21 @ 72" x 16' OB + 10' rock
3	09-126	Jul-09	Rotha	Pearl St > P & W Railroad	Middleton	CT	CA	8 @ 1.22 M x 107 Meters *
4	10-122	Jun-10	O'Connell Electric	UB Light Foundations	Buffalo	NY	CA	8 @ 84" x 12' OB + 8' Rock Sock
5	09-130	Jul-10	Thalle	Gilboa Dam, Temp. Bridge Caissons	Catskill	NY	CA	21 @ 36" x 0 - 35 LF OB w/ 5 - 10 LF High RQD Sandstone
6	09-166	Mar-10	Hueber Breuer - Pike	St Joe's Addition	Syracuse	NY	CA	18 @ 36", 32 @ 48", 21 @ 60", 14 @ 72" , & 5 @ 84" x 21- 25 LF w/ Rock
7	11-143	Oct-11	Polivka International	Intermodal & Auto Light Foundations	Mechanicville	NY	CA	13 @ 48" x 30 LF includes 11' Shale Rock Sockets
8	11-116	Sep-11	Schultz Construction	Fulton County Retaining Wall	Mayfield	NY	CA	151m Shafts 20m Rock 189m Piles
9	11-137	Oct-11	DiPizio	Rt 238 Bridge > Stevens Brk	Attica	NY	SP	Rock Sockets - HP's- Lagging
10	10-115	Jul-10	Tunney Electric	Clarence Light Foundations	Clarence	NY	SH	4 - 30"x12' w 6-8 LF Limestone Bedrock
11	11-113	Aug-11	Holdsworth-Kilowski	Special Events Center	Brockport	NY	CA	22 @ 36" x 25 LF and 1 @ 48" x 25 LF
12	11-149	Feb-12	Pondview Construction	Bridge #02588 Rt 97 > Byron Brook	Norwich	NY	CA	20 Caissons 30" x 25 LF of Overburden and 2 LF Rock Sockets *
13	12-149	Aug-12	Rotha	Bridge #03824 Sigourney St	Hartford	CT	CA	8 Caissons 48" x 105 LF of Overburden and 5 LF Rock Sockets *
14	12-135	Mar-13	Pondview Construction	Bridge #05366 Laural Ln > Mt Hope River	Mansfield	CT	SH	8 Shafts 24" x 30 LF of Overburden and 3 LF Rock Sockets
15	13-160	Jul-14	William H. Lane, Inc.	RG&E SubStation Construction	Brighton	NY	CA	3 @ 96" & 10 @ 10 @ 60" x 60 LF of Overburden w/ Vibrated Perm. + Temp. Casing
16	14-116	Oct-14	Ecco III Construction	Stewart AFB Abutments & Piers	New Windsor	NY	CA	6 @ 60" & 8 @ 36" x 15-20 LF of OB w/ 54" & 30" x 11-14 LF Rock Sockets * **
17	14-134	Aug-14	Beck Construction	I-495 Bridge Repair	Wilmington	DE	CA	32 @ 48" x 160 LF of Overburden w/ 5' Rock Sockets *
18	14-143	Oct-14	Power and Const. Grp, Inc.	Limited Headroom Beneath 450 kva Wires	Rochester	NY	CA	4 @ 96" x 60' OB Mudded w/Permanent Casing

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- \* Sonic Logging Analysis
- \*\* Osterburg Load test

2006 Mark Bruning Completes ADSC Slurry School (Certificate on Record)  
2010 Don Morris Completes ADSC Slurry School (Can't locate Certificate)

CETCO does NOT provide certificates of training for their slurry classes nor do they keep records of attendance.

Don Morris has worked as an Operator and Supervisor on Projects 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 12, 13, and 14, 15, 16, 17, and 18.

The ground man who could be working with Don might be one of many who have worked with him on many of these projects. Robert Fetter, Erik Sienkiewicz, or Brob Fromwiller are the most likely.

They have worked the listed projects as either operators, site supervisors, and lead ground men.

This will only be a two man crew with DA Collins supplying the additional labor to BDC as needed.

If these men are substituted for, the replacements will be parties who have worked with them on the above listed projects.

### On-site supervisors and drill operators

BDC combines drill operators and site supervisors - one, possibly two of the following individuals will be working at the River Street Bridge Project. BDC also employs very competent ground men, but wouldn't consider them to be supervisors. Because BDC has a Geotechnical Drilling and Engineering Division, the listed operators have undergone both the operation and classification of soils using a geotechnical rig for instruction on soils and rock characteristics. We have found this to be one of those priceless training programs that allows our operators to learn to recognize soil types and be able to adapt when the provided geotechnical logs are either not accurate or taken a distance from where the actual construction is to take place. All three of the operators have had training sessions in mudding techniques, rig mechanics, lifting & hoisting, cable & sling safety, site management, tool-box meetings, and safety training. They have been involved in the construction of multiple hundreds of caisson and drilled soldier pile projects in NY, OH, MA, PA, CT, NH, VT, RI, ME, and WV..All have mudded shafts, cored through boulders, with oversized bits in order to advance casing, cored out rock sockets, have worked magnificently with owners, project managers, inspectors, and engineers, and have the capacity to analyze most any troublesome situation and resolve said issue. Mechanically speaking, these three are extremely competent when it comes to resolving rig problems and doing field repairs.

Their first day of employment with BDC is listed below.

- a) Mark Bruning - Start 8-1-92
- b) Don Morris - Start 8-1-91
- Wally Greiner - Start 7-2-90
- Don Rimbeck - Start 5-6-91

January 12, 2015

Mr. Donald Bortle  
Buffalo Drilling Company  
10440 Main Street  
Clarence, NY 14031

Dear Mr. Bortle,

I want to thank you for being a loyal customer and distributor of CETCO products for over 15 years. That goes a long way in saying that relationships, quality and service are so important!

That being said, I wanted to advise, that although we do not provide certificates of attendees to our slurry training classes, or keep attendance records of who has attended, I know that we have provided training for Buffalo Drilling Company employees in prior years and that Buffalo Drilling Company is an active member of the ADSC and has attended their classes and training as well.

Once again, I want to thank you for your loyalty and look forward to working with you on your future projects.

Best Regards,



Darlene Tokarsky  
Territory Sales Manager, CETCO

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# *Certificate of Participation*

This Certificate is awarded to

*Mark Bruning*

For Participation at ADSC's 2006 National Slurry School

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading 'Kirby Pray', written over a horizontal line.

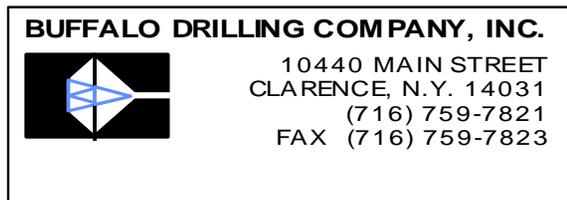
*Kirby Pray*  
ADSC Slurry School Chairman

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading 'Michael D. Moore', written over a horizontal line.

*Michael D. Moore*  
ADSC Education Administrator

November 9-11, 2006  
St. Petersburg, Florida

## Temporary Casing Removal Submit



**ATTN:**

**Volker Burkowski**

**Projects:**

**Kubricky Construction Corp.**

Replacement of River Street Bridge  
North River Street  
Rutland, Vermont

**Date:** 22-Dec-14

### ***Submittal for Temporary Casing Removal***

When temporary casing is required the extraction of said casing requires that specific procedures are adhered to.

Assuming the casing is already in place and concrete is ready to be poured two situations may arise, the hole may be dry or there may be water infiltration that can not be stopped.

***Dry Hole*** - Concrete may be placed via freefall, tremie, or using elephant trunk in a continuous motion until the concrete is at least five feet above the bottom of the sleeve. At this time a sudden jerk on the sleeve to dislodge it from the bottom taking care not to raise it by more than three to six inches. Now the sleeve may be smoothly removed from the shaft while maintaining at least a five foot head above the bottom of the sleeve.

***Wet Hole*** - If water infiltration can not be stopped then the water must reach its static level before concrete can begin to be poured. At this point concrete can be bottom dumped, pumped, or tremie poured till the concrete level rises to a minimum of five feet above the bottom of the sleeve. The water above the concrete can then be pumped and / or mucked off and the pipe removal procedure can mimic the procedure used in a dry hole while always maintaining a minimum five foot head above the bottom of the sleeve. This wet hole procedure is also applicable for mud or slurry drilling.

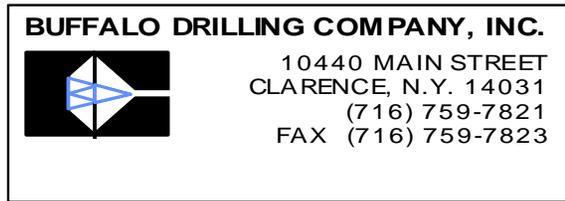
**BDC will be employing a concrete pump truck on this particular project.**

**BUFFALO DRILLING COMPANY INC.**

***Donald E. Bortle Jr.***

Donald E. Bortle Jr.  
Project Manager

Temporary Casing Submittal



**ATTN:**

**Volker Burkowski**

**Kubricky Construction Corp.**

**Project:**

Replacement of River Street Bridge

North River Street

Rutland, Vermont

**Date:**

22-Dec-14

***Submittal for Temporary Casing***

Buffalo Drilling Company, Inc.(BDC) incorporates both new and used steel pipe in our temporary casing inventory.

The temporary sleeves that will be used for your project will consist of 144, 120, 108, and 96 inch diameters of varying lengths - the determining factor will be how the soils react during drilling. Thickness will vary from .50 to 1.0 inches, and meets or exceeds the yield and tensile strengths of:

ASTM Spec. A53 Grade B

Minimum Yield Strength of 35,000 psi

Any midwelds that may be present are all constructed in house by BDC's certified welders.

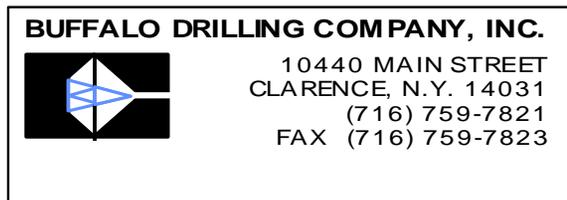
**BUFFALO DRILLING COMPANY INC.**

***Donald E. Bortle Jr.***

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Project Manager

## Permanent Casing Submittal



**ATTN:**

**Volker Burkowski**

**Kubricky Construction Corp.**

**Project:**

Replacement of River Street Bridge  
North River Street  
Rutland, Vermont

**Date:**

31-Dec-14

### ***Submittal for Permanent Casing (New & Used)***

Buffalo Drilling Company, Inc.(BDC) incorporates both new and used steel pipe in our casing inventory for the Rutland Project. The three upper pieces of temporary casing (96, 120, and 144 inch diameter) used will be extracted after the concrete is poured leaving a permanent 108 inch diameter casing in place.

The 108 inch diameter permanent sleeve, that will be used for your project, will be new or used certifiable American manufactured steel casing. BDC has elected to use the 108 inch diameter casing for the top of the shaft so as to avoid stopping the pour to cut and leave a bottom 15 to 20 foot section of the 96 inch temporary casing in place. BDC had initially planned on stopping the pouring process after the bottom of the 96 inch diameter temporary casing was 15 to 20 feet below the top of caisson elevation and BDC would then cut the casing at or above the top of caisson elevation thus leaving 15 to 20 feet of domestically manufactured casing permanently in place.

Casing thickness will varies from .625 to 1.0 inches, and meets or exceeds the yield and tensile strengths of:

ASTM Spec. A53 Grade B

Minimum Yield Strength of 35,000 psi

Any midwelds that may be present are all constructed in house by BDC's certified welders.

**BUFFALO DRILLING COMPANY INC.**

***Donald E. Bortle Jr.***

Donald E. Bortle Jr.  
Project Manager

**STATE OF VERMONT  
AGENCY OF TRANSPORTATION  
MATERIAL AND RESEARCH SECTION - STRUCTURAL CONCRETE UNIT**

**STRUCTURAL CONCRETE MIX DESIGN SUBMISSION**

Concrete class: HPC AA  
 Additional Description: With Fly Ash  
 Ready Mix Supplier: CARRARA, JP & SONS INC - N CLARENDON, VT  
 Designed By: Benjamin Cota  
 Design strength: 4000 PSI  
 Design by dry weight or saturated surface dry: SSD

Agency Use Only	
Mix ID	HP00-AA-0
Mix Design #	
Approved by	
Approved Date	
Spec Book Year	2013

Mix designs are valid for a 12 month period from date of approval or unless there is a change in material, material property or design parameter.

<b>Cement:</b>		Specific Gravity	<u>3.150</u>	<u>514</u> lb/cy	<u>2.61</u> cf
701.02	Source: <u>LEHIGH NORTHEAST CEMENT CO - GLENSFALLS, NY</u> Brand Name: <u>Lehigh Type I/II</u>				
<b>Cement Type III:</b>		Specific Gravity		lb/cy	cf
701.04	Source: _____ Brand Name: _____				
<b>Blended Cement:</b>		Specific Gravity		lb/cy	cf
701.06	Source: _____ Brand Name: _____				
<b>Cement with Slag:</b>		Specific Gravity		lb/cy	cf
701.07	Source: _____ Brand Name: _____				
<b>Pozzolan:</b>		Specific Gravity		lb/cy	cf
725.03(a)	Source: _____ Brand Name: _____				
<b>Fly Ash:</b>		Specific Gravity	<u>2.350</u>	<u>141</u> lb/cy	<u>0.96</u> cf
725.03(a)	Source: <u>HEADWATERS RESOURCES - BRAYTON POINT, MA</u> Brand Name: <u>Class F</u>				
<b>Silica Fume:</b>		Specific Gravity	<u>2.200</u>	<u>50</u> lb/cy	<u>0.36</u> cf
725.03(b)	Source: <u>W.R. GRACE &amp; CO. - CAMBRIDGE, MA</u> Brand Name: <u>Force 10000</u>				
<b>Slag:</b>		Specific Gravity		lb/cy	cf
725.03(c)	Source: _____ Brand Name: _____				
<b>Water</b>			<u>32</u> gals	<u>267.04</u> lb/cy	<u>4.28</u> cf
<b>Air Content Target</b>			<u>7.0</u> %		<u>1.89</u> cf
<b>Coarse Aggregate 3/8"</b>	Absorption <u>0.40</u>	Specific Gravity	<u>2.800</u>	<u>1400</u> lb/cy	<u>8.01</u> cf
704.02A	Source: <u>CARRARA JP - N CLARENDON, VT</u>				
<b>Coarse Aggregate 3/4"</b>	Absorption _____	Specific Gravity _____		lb/cy	cf
704.02B	Source: _____				
<b>Coarse Aggregate 1 1/2"</b>	Absorption _____	Specific Gravity _____		lb/cy	cf
704.02C	Source: _____				
<b>Fine Aggregate:</b>	Absorption <u>1.50</u>	Specific Gravity <u>2.650</u>		<u>1470</u> lb/cy	<u>8.89</u> cf
704.01	Source: <u>PIKE IND PIT - DANBY, VT</u>	Fineness Modulus <u>2.73</u>			
<b>Air Entrainment Admixture</b>		Specific Gravity	<u>1.000</u>	<u>2.5</u> oz/cy	
725.02(b)	Source: <u>W.R. GRACE &amp; CO. - CAMBRIDGE, MA</u> Brand Name: <u>Darex II</u>				
<b>Retarder Admixture:</b>		Specific Gravity	<u>1.000</u>	<u>0</u> oz/cwt	
725.02(c)	Source: <u>W.R. GRACE &amp; CO. - CAMBRIDGE, MA</u> Brand Name: <u>Daratard 17</u>				
<b>High Range Water Reducer Admixture:</b>		Specific Gravity	<u>1.000</u>	<u>16</u> oz/cwt	
725.02(h)	Source: <u>W.R. GRACE &amp; CO. - CAMBRIDGE, MA</u> Brand Name: <u>Adva 405</u>				
<b>Other Admixtures:</b>		Specific Gravity	<u>1.000</u>	<u>0-7</u> oz/cwt	<u>0.00</u> cf
	Source: _____ Brand Name: <u>Sika Stabilizer 4R</u>				
	Source: _____ Brand Name: _____	Specific Gravity _____			<u>0.00</u> cf
	Source: _____ Brand Name: _____	Specific Gravity _____			<u>0.00</u> cf
	Source: _____ Brand Name: _____	Specific Gravity _____			<u>0.00</u> cf
		<b>TOTAL</b>	<u>53.000</u>	<u>3842</u> lb	<u>27.00</u> cf
		Maximum Water/Cementitious Ratio	<u>0.40</u>		
		Maximum Water (gal/cy)	<u>33.8</u>		
		Slump Min/Max (inch)	<u>20.0</u> min	<u>28.0</u> max	
		Air Content Min/Max (%)	<u>5.5</u> min	<u>8.5</u> max	
		Design Unit Wt. (lb/cf)	<u>142.30</u>		

Notes:

This is an SCC mix design with Class AA HPC proportions

**Table T\_PCC**

Field Name	Data
MIX_ID	HP00-AA-0
DSN_T	PCC
RMRKS_ID	
MATL_CD	Concrete
PRODR_SUPP_CD	SC-CAR-02809
EFFDT	19000100
TERM_DT	19010100
DSNR_NM	Benjamin Cota
APPRD_DT	19000100
APPRD_BY_UID	0
CONC_CLAS_T	HPC2
MIN_AVG_STRGH_RQ	4000
DSN_STRGH_SPC	4000
H2O_CEM_RATIO	0.4
UNT_WT_M	142.30
UNT_WT_MEAS_UNT	lbsf
THEO_UNT_WT	142.30
THEO_UNT_WT_UNT	lbsf
AIR_CNTNT_M	7
SLMP_M	0
SLMP_MEAS_UNT	inch
LAST_MODFD_UID	0
LAST_MODFD_DT	19000100

**Table T\_PCC\_BLND**

MATL_CD	MIX_ID	DSN_T	PRODR_SUPP_CD	SMPL_ID
701.02	HP00-AA-0	PCC	PC-LEH-02224	
	HP00-AA-0	PCC	#N/A	
	HP00-AA-0	PCC	#N/A	
	HP00-AA-0	PCC	#N/A	
	HP00-AA-0	PCC	#N/A	
725.03(a)	HP00-AA-0	PCC	PC-HEA-02856	
725.03(b)	HP00-AA-0	PCC	AD-WRG-00010	
	HP00-AA-0	PCC	#N/A	
704.02A	HP00-AA-0	PCC	AG-CAR-01100	
	HP00-AA-0	PCC	#N/A	
	HP00-AA-0	PCC	#N/A	
704.01	HP00-AA-0	PCC	AG-PIK-01231	
725.02(b)	HP00-AA-0	PCC	AD-WRG-00010	
725.02(c)	HP00-AA-0	PCC	AD-WRG-00010	
725.02(h)	HP00-AA-0	PCC	AD-WRG-00010	
	HP00-AA-0	PCC	No Data	
	HP00-AA-0	PCC	No Data	
	HP00-AA-0	PCC	No Data	

End

BRND_NM	SPC_GR	BULK_SP_G	SSD_WT_M	ABS_P	FINE_MODULMAS	
Lehigh Type I/		3.15				514
	0	0.00				0
	0	0.00				0
	0	0.00				0
	0	0.00				0
Class F		2.35				141
Force 10000		2.20				50
	0	0.00				0
		2.80	1400	0.40		1394
		0.00	0	0.00		0
		0.00	0	0.00		0
		2.65	1470	1.50	2.73	1448
Darex II		1.00				2.5
Daratard 17		1.00				0
Adva 405		1.00				16
Sika Stabilizer		1.00			0-7	
	0	0.00				0
	0	0.00				0

UNT_T	LAST_MODFI	LAST_MODFD_DT
flb	0	19000100
foz	0	19000100
goz	0	19000100
goz	0	19000100
goz	0	19000100
#N/A	0	19000100
#N/A	0	19000100

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## Mill Test Report

Plant Location: Glens Falls., NY  
Mill Test Date: 3/18/2014

Cement Type: Type I/II  
Mill Test Month: Feb-14

ASTM C 114	Test Results Results	ASTM C150 / AASHTO M 85
		TYPE II Specifications
Silicon Dioxide (Si <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> ), %	20.38	
Aluminum Oxide (Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> ), %	4.06	6.0 Max
Iron Oxide (Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> ), %	4.19	6.0 Max
Calcium Oxide (CaO), %	63.40	
Magnesium Oxide (MgO), %	2.16	6.0 Max
Sulfur Trioxide (SO <sub>3</sub> ), %	3.38	3.0 Max*
Loss on Ignition (LOI), %	1.49	3.0 Max
Insoluble Residue, %	0.50	0.75 Max
Total Alkalies [Na <sub>2</sub> O + 0.658*K <sub>2</sub> O] (%):	0.68	0.60 / 0.70* Max (*NYDOT Only)
Tri-Calcium Silicate [C <sub>3</sub> S] (%):	60.32	
Tri-Calcium Aluminate [C <sub>3</sub> A] (%):	3.68	8 Max
C <sub>3</sub> S + 4.75*C <sub>3</sub> A ≤ 100	77.8	100 Max
ASTM C186 Heat of Hydration 7 Day (cal/g)	79.0	
Date Heat of Hydration Performed	8/17/2012	
CO <sub>2</sub> (%)	#DIV/0!	
Limestone Addition (%):	#DIV/0!	5.0 Max
CaCO <sub>3</sub> in Limestone (%)	95.3	70 Min

### PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS

Blaine Fineness ASTM C 204 (m <sup>2</sup> /kg):	371	280 Min/ 420Max* (* AASTHO Only)
325-Mesh Sieve Retained ASTM C 430(%):	4.17	
Time of Setting Vicat - Initial Set ASTM C 191 (min):	173	45 Min
Time of Setting Vicat - Final Set ASTM C 191 (min):	265	375 Max
Air Content ASTM C 185 (%):	6	12 Max
Paste False Set ASTM C 451 (%):	68.0	
Soundness-Autoclave Expansion ASTM C 151(%):	-	0.80 Max
Expansion in Water ASTM C 1038 (%):	-	0.020 Max
Normal Consistency ASTM C 187 (%):	25	
Compressive Strengths 1 Day ASTM C109 (psi):	2093	
Compressive Strengths 3 Day ASTM C109 (psi):	3688	1450 Min
Compressive Strengths 7 Day ASTM C109 (psi):	4448	2470 Min
Compressive Strengths 28 Day ASTM C109 (psi):	5465	

The above test results are representative of cement from which the shipment was made.

The cement complies with the requirements of ASTM C 150 and AASHTO M 85 specifications.

Note - ASTM and AASHTO refer to footnote "d" in cases where the optimum SQ (using ASTM C 593) of a particular cement is close to or in excess of the limit in this specification, in such cases where properties of a cement can be improved by exceeding the SQ limits in the table, it is permissible to exceed the limits provided it is demonstrated by ASTM C 1038 that the cement with the increased SQ will not develop expansion exceeding 0.020% at 14 days. The optimum SQ for GFLCC Type I/II cement exceeds the limit and therefore the ASTM C 1038 results are provided above.

*Hermanus Potgieter*

Hermanus Potgieter, Quality Control Manager



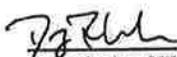
**ASTM C618 / AASHTO M295 Testing of  
Brayton Point Fly Ash**

<b>Sample Type:</b> 3200-ton	<b>Report Date:</b> 5/23/2014
<b>Sample Date:</b> 3/28 - 4/8/14	<b>MTRF ID:</b> 679BP
<b>Sample ID:</b>	

<b>Chemical Analysis</b>	<b>ASTM / AASHTO Limits</b>		<b>ASTM Test</b>
	<b>Class F</b>	<b>Class C</b>	<b>Method</b>
Silicon Dioxide (SiO <sub>2</sub> )	59.24 %		
Aluminum Oxide (Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> )	25.83 %		
Iron Oxide (Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> )	5.94 %		
Sum of Constituents	91.01 %	70.0% min 50.0% min	D4326
Sulfur Trioxide (SO <sub>3</sub> )	0.16 %	5.0% max 5.0% max	D4326
Calcium Oxide (CaO)	1.48 %		D4326
Magnesium Oxide (MgO)	1.26 %		
Sodium Oxide (Na <sub>2</sub> O)	0.73 %		
Potassium Oxide (K <sub>2</sub> O)	2.40 %		
Moisture	0.05 %	3.0% max 3.0% max	C311
Loss on Ignition	2.42 %	6.0% max 5.0% max 6.0% max 5.0% max	C311 AASHTO M295
Available Alkalies, as Na <sub>2</sub> O When required by purchaser	0.81 %	not required 1.5% max 1.5% max	C311 AASHTO M295
<b>Physical Analysis</b>			
Fineness, % retained on #325	19.49 %	34% max 34% max	C311, C430
Strength Activity Index - 7 or 28 day requirement			C311, C109
7 day, % of control	92 %	75% min 75% min	
28 day, % of control	93 %	75% min 75% min	
Water Requirement, % control	96 %	105% max 105% max	
Autoclave Soundness	-0.02 %	0.8% max 0.8% max	C311, C151
Density	2.33		C604

*The strength activity index is not to be considered a measure of the compressive strength of concrete containing the fly ash.*

*Headwaters Resources certifies that pursuant to current ASTM C618 protocol for testing, the test data listed herein was generated by applicable ASTM methods and meets the requirements of ASTM C618.*

  
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## TRANSMITTAL

June 24, 2013

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Re: Laboratory Test Results  
Sand and Stone Samples  
ATL Report No. AT1241SL-12-15-06-13

Ladies/Gentlemen:

On June 7, 2013, your representative delivered two sand and two stone samples ( ATL sample Nos.1241S12 – AT1241S15) to our Clifton Park, New York facility for testing. Specific Gravity and Absorption of Coarse Aggregates in accordance with ASTM C 127, Specific Gravity & Absorption of Fine Aggregates in accordance with ASTM C 128, and Grain Size Analysis in accordance with ASTM C 136 / C 117, were performed on these samples. The laboratory test results follow:

### Specific Gravity and Absorption of Fine Aggregate

ASTM C 128  
Carrara Sand

ATL Sample Number	Client I.D.	Specific Gravity (OD)	Bulk Specific Gravity (SSD)	Apparent Specific Gravity	Absorption (%)
AT1241S12	Carrara Sand	2.62	2.65	2.70	1.1

State Sand

ATL Sample Number	Client I.D.	Specific Gravity (OD)	Bulk Specific Gravity (SSD)	Apparent Specific Gravity	Absorption (%)
AT1241S13	State Sand	2.62	2.65	2.71	1.3

### Specific Gravity and Absorption of Coarse Aggregate

ASTM C 127

¾ inch ledge - RUTLAND STONE

ATL Sample Number	Client I.D.	Specific Gravity (OD)	Bulk Specific Gravity (SSD)	Apparent Specific Gravity	Absorption (%)
AT1241S14	¾" Ledge	2.79	2.80	2.83	0.4

**Los Angeles Abrasion  
ASTM C 131**

ATL Sample No.	Client I.D.	Nominal Maximum Size	Grading	Percent Loss (%)	NYSDOT Specification (%)	ASTM Specification (%)
AT1241S18	P-Stone	1"	B	33.2	35	50

**Specific Gravity and Absorption of Fine Aggregate  
ASTM C 128  
Carrara Sand**

ATL Sample Number	Client I.D.	Specific Gravity (OD)	Bulk Specific Gravity (SSD)	Apparent Specific Gravity	Absorption (%)
AT1241S20	Carrara Sand	2.62	2.66	2.72	1.3

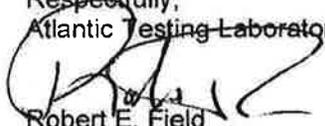
**Specific Gravity and Absorption of Fine Aggregate  
ASTM C 128  
Pike Sand**

ATL Sample Number	Client I.D.	Specific Gravity (OD)	Bulk Specific Gravity (SSD)	Apparent Specific Gravity	Absorption (%)
AT1241S21	Pike Sand	2.61	2.65	2.72	1.5

The Particle size distribution curves are enclosed.

Please contact our office should you have any questions or if we may be of further service.

Respectfully,  
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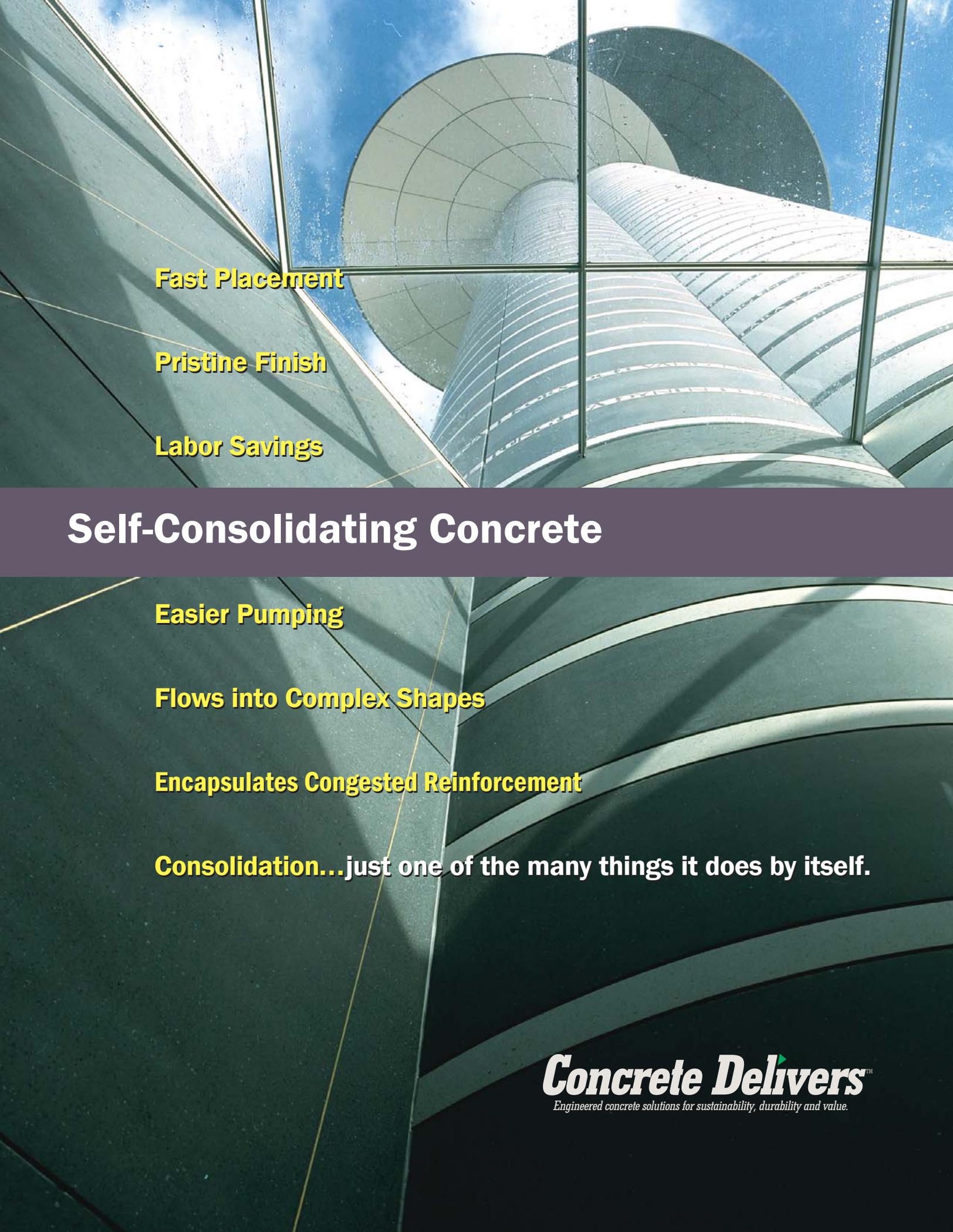
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**Encapsulates Congested Reinforcement**

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**Self consolidating concrete (SCC)**, also known as self-compacting concrete, is a highly flowable, non-segregating concrete that can spread into place, fill formwork and encapsulate even very congested reinforcement, without any mechanical vibration. As a high-performance concrete, SCC delivers these attractive benefits while maintaining all of concrete's customary mechanical properties and durability characteristics.

SCC's unique properties give it significant economic, constructability, aesthetic and engineering advantages. SCC is an increasingly attractive choice for optimizing site

manpower by reduction of labor and possibly skill level, lowering noise levels and allowing for a safer working environment. SCC allows easier pumping - even from bottom up, flows into complex shapes, transitions and inaccessible spots and minimizes voids around embedded items to produce a high degree of homogeneity and uniformity. That's why SCC allows for optimized concrete sections and shapes, denser reinforcement and greater freedom of design while producing superior surface finishes and textures.



**SCC's economic benefits are built-in.**

Labor and time-to-completion are significant components of any job's economic picture. Since SCC flows easily, self-levels with minimal consolidation, placement is quick and easy, saving placement time, vibration equipment and time, labor and equipment wear and tear. SCC's potential high early form stripping strength and smooth finish mean faster turnaround and minimal cosmetic repairs and a positive impact on maintaining projects on schedule. By eliminating the need for consolidation, SCC results in fewer safety and noise concerns and costs.



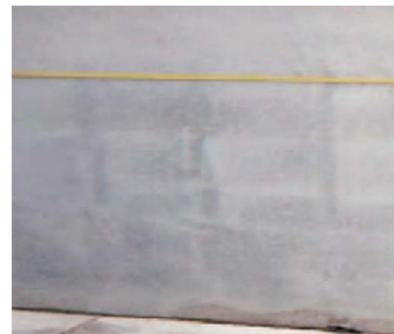
**SCC's economic advantages are greatest when high strength is an existing prerequisite.**

**Consolidation is just one of the great things self-consolidating concrete does by itself.**

**SCC delivers significant engineering benefits.**

As an engineered concrete, SCC offers characteristics that engineers value. Improved constructability to produce homogeneous and uniform concrete allows for higher reliability in design assumptions. Engineering properties and their inter-relationships remain unchanged from those of conventional concrete and any differences are adequately addressed by conservatism in the design codes. The principles of concrete durability with respect to reduced permeability, resistance to freezing and thawing and sulfate attack, alkali-aggregate reactions, thermal stresses and corrosion protection of reinforcement also apply similarly to SCC. SCC's superior rheology allows for the design and construction of complex shapes with congested reinforcement, and its non-segregating qualities are important for deep-section or long-span applications. The fluidity of SCC can be engineered in terms of its viscosity -

both rate and degree of flow - to allow for a wider variety of placement and construction means and methods.



SCC (above) results in nearly zero surface defects, especially when compared to standard concrete (below).



**“It's hard to believe that such a difficult concrete pour was completed with such ease”**

Concrete Superintendent

**SCC gives architects more design flexibility.**

SCC's unique characteristics give architects much more flexibility for vertical and horizontal applications. SCC's flowability allows for more complex and aesthetic concrete design features. Unlimited opportunities exist with innovative options for color and texture of exposed surfaces. Perhaps most importantly, SCC produces exposed surfaces that are virtually defect free, allowing concrete's beauty to shine

**SCC: A high-performance concrete innovation.**

SCC's flowability is generally achieved by using polycarboxylate-based high-range water-reducing (HRWR) admixtures and optimized concrete ingredients while maintaining a low mixing water content in the concrete. SCC's stability, or resistance to segregation of the plastic concrete mixture, is achieved by using mineral fillers or fines and/or by using viscosity modifying admixtures.



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**SCC solves difficult problems:** Because of a lack of overhead clearance, SCC was pumped from the bottom into these 101' tall, 28" wide, steel-reinforced columns.



**SCC offers advantages when heavy reinforcement is involved:** SCC's rheological characteristics allow it to flow easily through congested reinforcement.

## Self Consolidating Concrete Delivers Efficiency, Beauty, Savings and More.

### Economic Benefits

- Fast placement without vibration or other forms of mechanical consolidation
- Reduced equipment wear
- Labor savings
- Easier placement over any distance or constraints
- Accelerate project schedules
- Reduced noise, safety and environmental concerns

### Engineering and Architectural Benefits

- Improves constructability
- Virtually flawless finish
- Homogeneous and uniform concrete
- Flows easily into complex shapes and through congested reinforcement
- Allows for innovative architectural features
- Superior strength and durability

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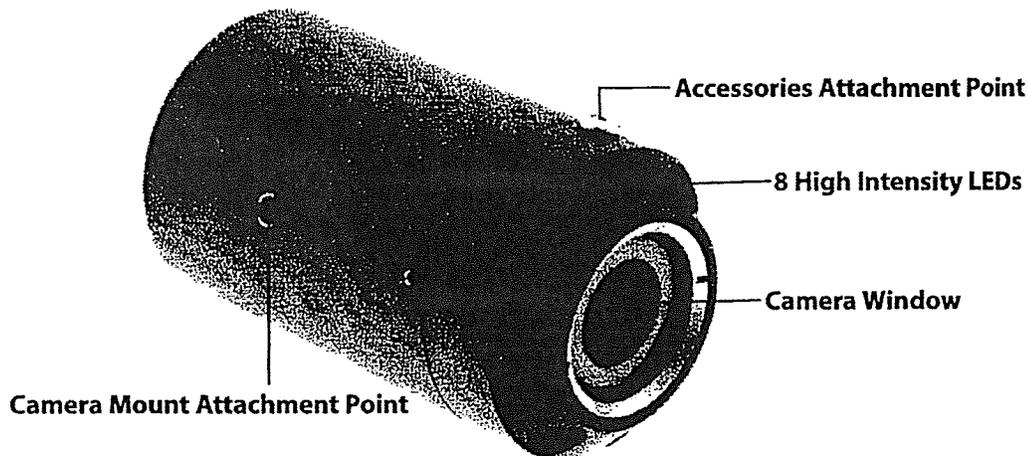
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The GeoVISION™ Standard Plastic Color and Black & White cameras are a great economical choice when the conditions are right. Standard Plastic cameras are designed for use in two-inch (5 cm) and larger diameter bores up to 1,000 feet (300 meters) deep. These cameras are more sensitive to heat than Standard Stainless Steel cameras, and cannot be stored or operated in environments hotter than 110° F (43° C). They can be used alone or mounted on a Pan-Tilt Control for easy joystick manipulation.

The Standard Plastic cameras have standard NTSC resolution with an aspect ratio of 4:3. Illumination is provided by eight high intensity white LEDs. Standard Plastic cameras are rated for use up to 500 psi and can be used with Light-Duty, Heavy-Duty and Deluxe winches.

Standard Plastic cameras have a mounting screw near the front of the camera for attaching accessories such as a side-looking mirror or a ball compass. In shallow wells, these cameras can be connected to a pipe-string providing an economical way to pan and tilt the camera from the surface.



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**Specifications:**  
**Standard Plastic Color Camera**

Weight	4.5 Ounces
Dimensions	3-3/8" long x 1-5/8" diameter (8.6 cm x 4.1 cm)
Standard Lens	2.97 mm
Angle of View (in air)	~130°
Aperture	F2.0
CCD	1/3" Sony Super HAD CCD II
Video Format	NTSC
Horizontal Resolution	550 Lines
Effective Pixels	768 Horizontal x 494 Vertical
Minimum Illumination	0.05 Lux.
Operating Temperature	-40° F ~ 110° F (-40° C~43° C)
Light Source	8 High Intensity White LEDs
Maximum Depth	1000 Feet Underwater (300 meters)
Maximum Pressure	500 psi
Current Draw	120 mA
Window Material	Glass
Exposure Control	No

**Standard Plastic Black and White Camera**

Weight	4.5 Ounces
Dimensions	3-3/8" long x 1-5/8" diameter (8.6 cm x 4.1 cm)
Standard Lens	3.6 mm
Angle of View (in air)	~92°
Aperture	F2.0
CCD	1/3" Sony ExView B/W CCD II
Video Format	NTSC
Aspect Ratio	4:3
Horizontal Resolution	420 Lines
Effective Pixels	510 Horizontal x 492 Vertical
Minimum Illumination	0.0003 Lux.
Operating Temperature	-40° F ~ 110° F (-40° C~43° C)
Light Source	8 High Intensity White LEDs
Maximum Depth	1000 Feet Underwater (300 meters)
Maximum Pressure	500 psi
Current Draw	160 mA
Window Material	Glass
Exposure Control	No

**Compatibility**

**Accessories**

Products	Notes:	Additional Lights
<b>Winch</b>		Auxiliary Single Light
Deluxe	Maximum cable length is 1,000 feet (300 meters).	Auxiliary Double Light
Heavy-Duty		Auxiliary Fixed Eight Light
Light-Duty		Auxiliary Adjustable Eight Light
<b>Cable Length</b>		<b>Camera Mounted Options</b>
325 feet (100 meters)	Deluxe, Heavy-Duty or Light-Duty winch.	Pan-Tilt Control
650 feet (200 meters)	Deluxe or Heavy-Duty winch.	Compass
1,000 feet (300 meters)	Deluxe or Heavy-Duty winch.	Fixed Mirror

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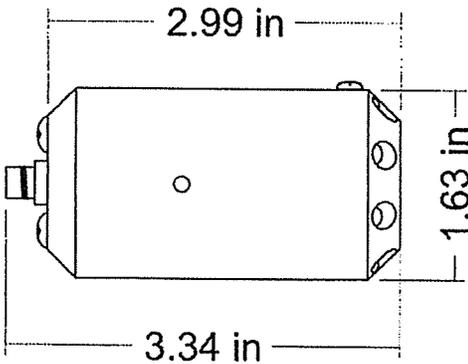
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### GeoVISION™ Standard Plastic Cameras



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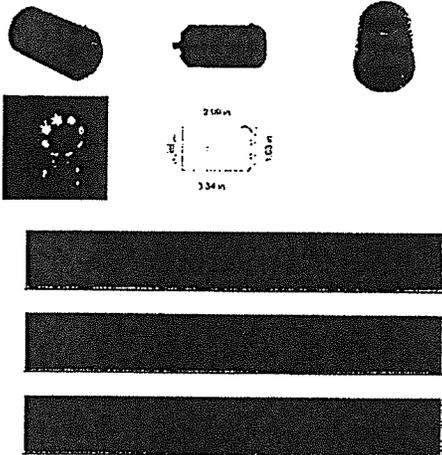
COMPATIBILITY

The GeoVISION™ Standard Plastic Color and Black & White cameras are a great economical choice when the conditions are right. Standard Plastic cameras are designed for use in two-inch (5 cm) and larger diameter bores, up to 1,000 feet (300 meters) deep. These cameras are more sensitive to heat than Standard Stainless Steel cameras, and cannot be stored or operated in environments hotter than 110° F (43° C). They can be used alone, or mounted on a Pan-Tilt Control for easy joystick manipulation.

The Standard Plastic cameras have standard NTSC resolution with an aspect ratio of 4:3. Illumination is provided by eight high intensity white LEDs. Standard Plastic cameras are rated for use up to 500 psi and can be used with Light-Duty, Heavy-Duty and Deluxe winches.

Standard Plastic cameras have a mounting screw near the front of the camera for attaching accessories such as a side-looking mirror or a ball compass. In shallow wells, these cameras can be connected to a pipe-string providing an economical way to pan and tilt the camera from the surface.

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**MODEL # GVLDECONOM1 & # GVHDECONOM1**

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**(READ THIS MANUAL BEFORE USING THE SYSTEM)**

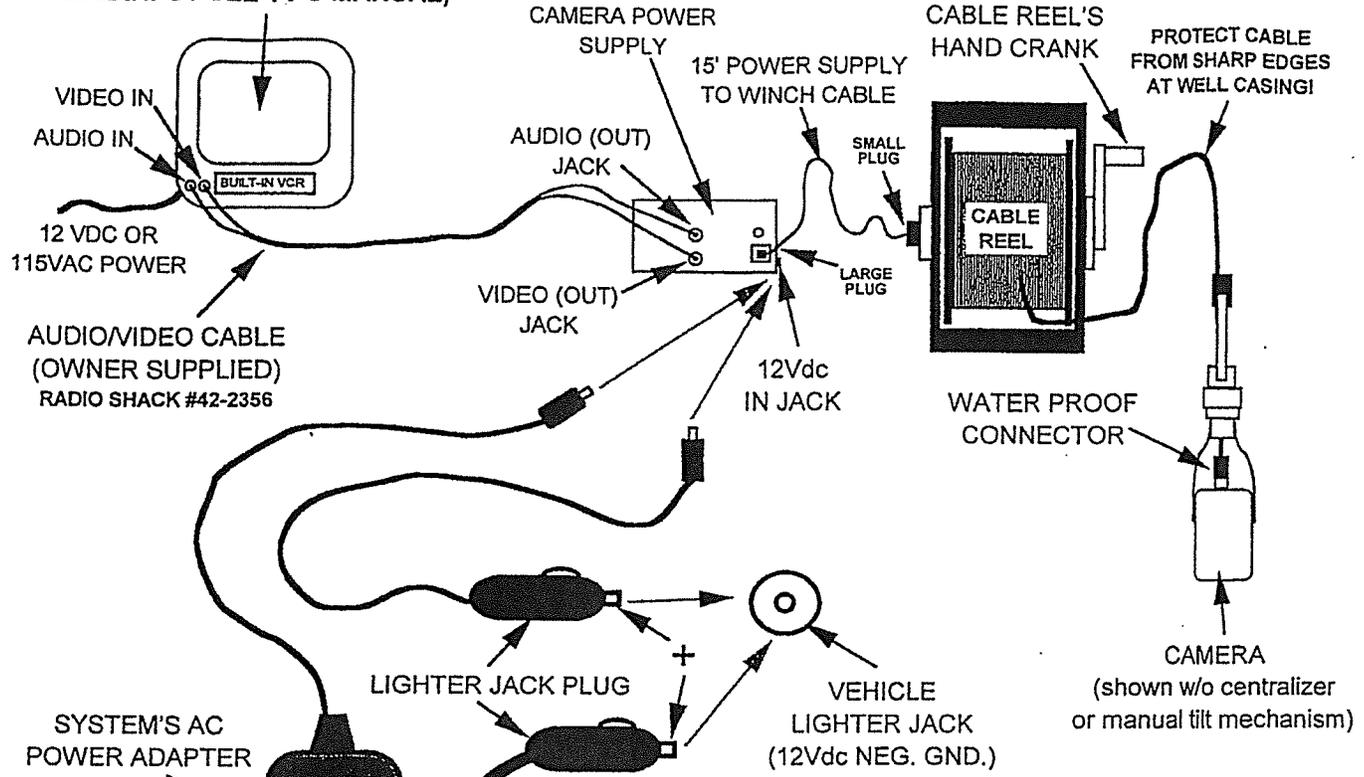
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# FIG. #1 GeoVISION Jr™ ECONO LIGHT-DUTY SYSTEM HOOK-UP DIAGRAM

(SEE FIGS. 21 & 22 FOR OPTIONAL 5" B/W & 5.6" LCD MONITOR HOOK-UP)

**OWNER SUPPLIED TV/VCR COMBO OR CAMCORDER**  
(BE SURE TO SET INPUT TO AV OR LINE INPUT SEE TV'S MANUAL)



AUDIO/VIDEO CABLE (OWNER SUPPLIED)  
RADIO SHACK #42-2356

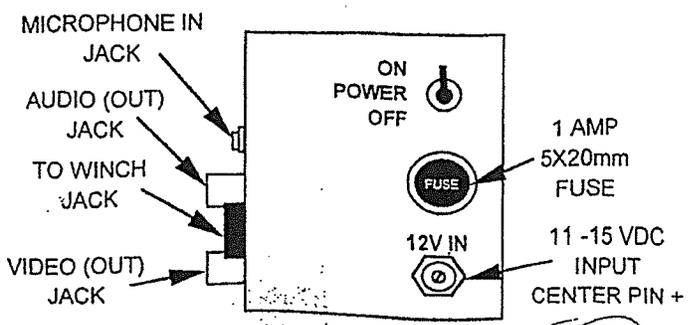
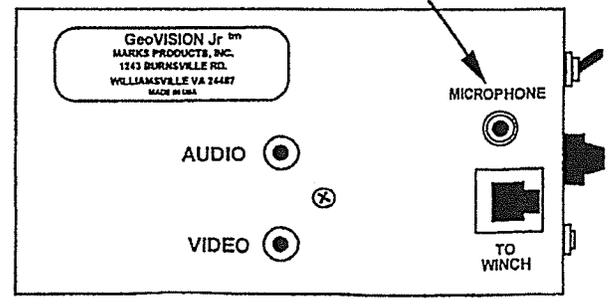
SYSTEM'S AC POWER ADAPTER

115V ac 60 Hz POWER

12Vdc TO 115V ac 60 Hz POWER INVERTER (300W) CAN BE USED TO POWER SYSTEM AND/OR TV/VCR (OPTIONAL)

## CAMERA POWER SUPPLY

TO RECORD SOUND PLUG IN AN OWNER SUPPLIED MICROPHONE (RADIO SHACK # 33-3013)



#8-32 X 5/8" S.S. BUTTON HEAD CAP SCREW.  
USED TO TIGHTEN & LOOSEN CLAMP  
( DO NOT OVER TIGHTEN!! )  
( ONE EACH SIDE )

TO REMOVE CLAMP FROM CABLE LOOSEN  
SCREWS A SEPARATE THE TWO HALVES

3 CONDUCTOR CABLE WITH  
FOOTAGE PRINTED ON CABLE  
(COMING FROM CABLE REEL)

## FIG. #2

### GeoVISION Jr™ CAMERA WITH CENTRALIZER ATTACHMENT

(SHOWN WITHOUT TILT HEAD ATTACHMENT)  
THIS CONFIGURATION WILL FIT INTO 2" BORE

SUPPORT-CLAMP  
(ADJUST SO THAT THE SUPPORT-CLAMP  
SUPPORTS THE CENTRALIZER AND CAMERA)  
THE CONNECTOR AT THE CAMERA  
SHOULD NOT SUPPORT ANYTHING

STAINLESS STEEL  
SUPPORT STRAP  
( ONE EACH SIDE )

SUPPORT-CLAMP'S  
MALE PIPE ADAPTER (CPVC)

#4-40 X 1/4" S.S. PAN HEAD  
PHILLIPS SCREW  
( 4 EACH SIDE )

CENTRALIZER'S 3/4"  
FEMALE PIPE  
ADAPTER  
( CPVC )

UPPER HOSE CLAMP  
(STAINLESS STEEL)  
( TIGHTENED TO ALLOW  
SLIDING UP AND DOWN ON  
THE CENTRALIZER PIPE  
WHILE ADJUSTING STRAPS  
TO BORE DIAMETER )

CAMERA CENTRALIZER  
( CPVC )

NYLON CENTRALIZER  
STRAP ( TOTAL OF 4.  
ONE NOT SHOWN )

LOWER HOSE CLAMP  
(SHOULD BE TIGHTENED SO  
THAT IT DOES NOT SLIDE)  
STAINLESS STEEL

CAMERA SUPPORT'S 3/4"  
FEMALE PIPE ADAPTER  
( CPVC )

#4-40 X 1/4" S.S. PAN HEAD  
PHILLIPS SCREW  
( TWO EACH SIDE )

3 CONDUCTOR CABLE SHOULD NOT  
BE SUPPORTING THE CAMERA  
(THE SAFTY SUPPORT CLAMP SUPPORTS THE  
CENTRALIZER AND CAMERA)

SCREW-ON CONNECTOR  
( THIS COLLAR SHOULD BE FINGER  
TIGHT ONLY )

THE CONNECTOR SHOULD NOT SUPPORT  
THE CAMERA OR CENTRALIZER  
PINS SHOULD BE COATED WITH SILICON GREASE

STAINLESS STEEL  
CAMERA SUPPORT STRAP  
( ONE EACH SIDE )

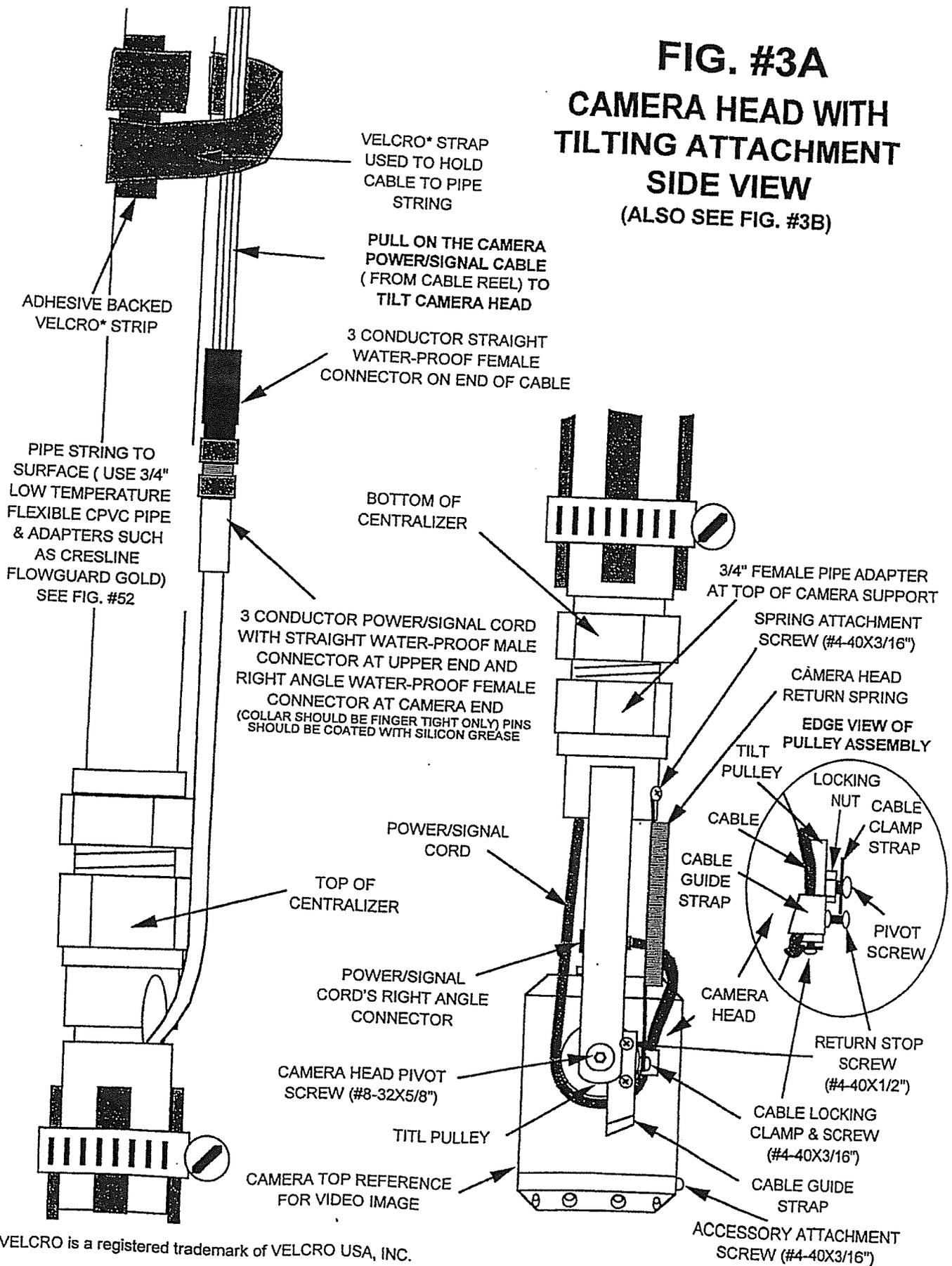
CAMERA HOUSING PIVOT SCREW.  
WHEN NOT USING TILTING  
ATTACHMENT USE #8-32 X 3/16" S.S.  
BUTTON HEAD CAP SCREW.  
TIGHTEN TO HOLD CAMERA ANGLE  
( ONE EACH SIDE )  
( DO NOT OVER TIGHTEN!! )

B/W OR COLOR  
CAMERA HEAD

CAMERA LENS WINDOW

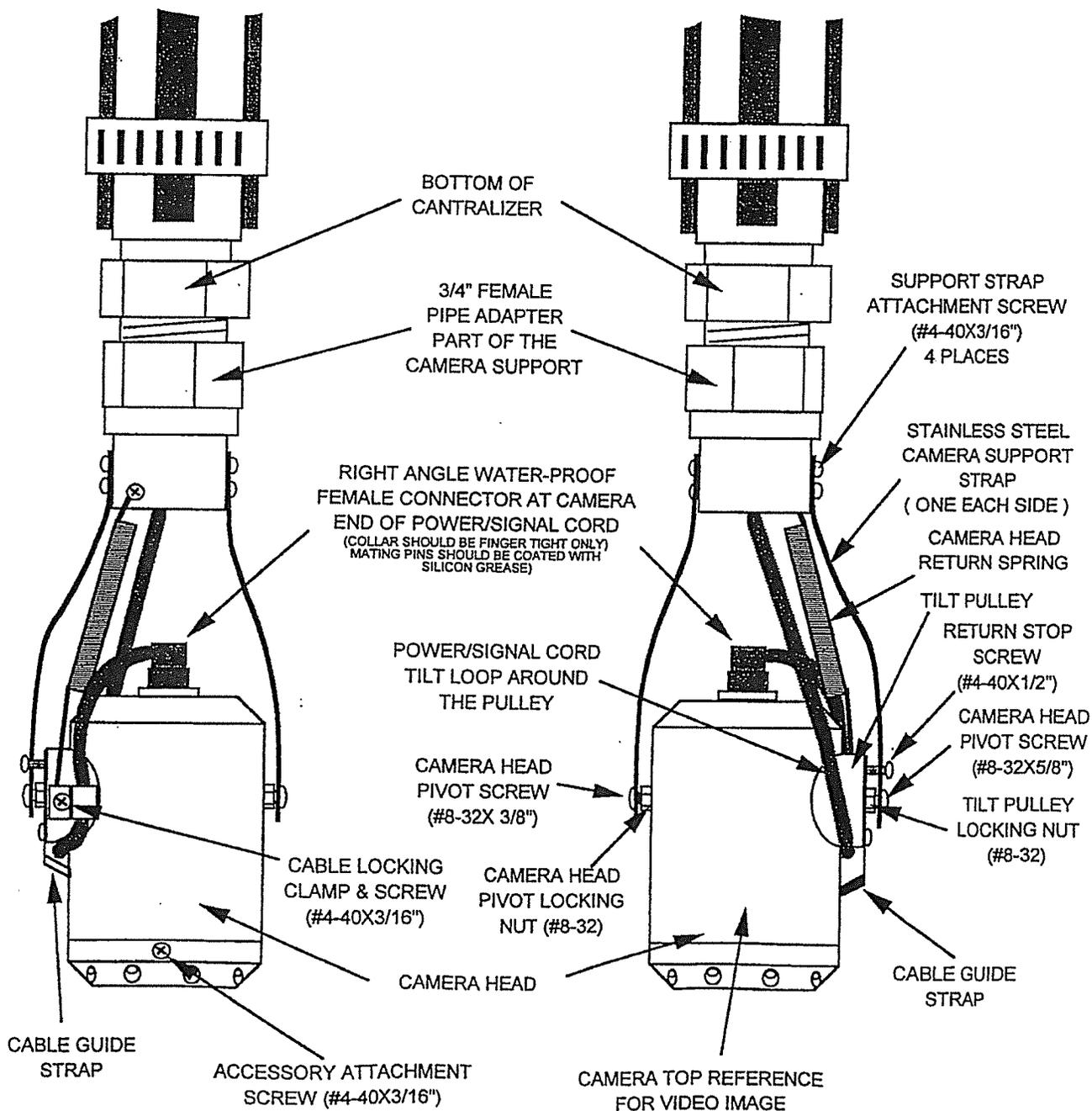
BUILT IN LIGHT SOURCE  
( 8 WHITE LEDS, 4 SHOWN )

**FIG. #3A**  
**CAMERA HEAD WITH**  
**TILTING ATTACHMENT**  
**SIDE VIEW**  
 (ALSO SEE FIG. #3B)



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# FIG. #3B CAMERA WITH SUPPORT AND TILT-HEAD ATTACHMENT (SEE FIG. #3A)



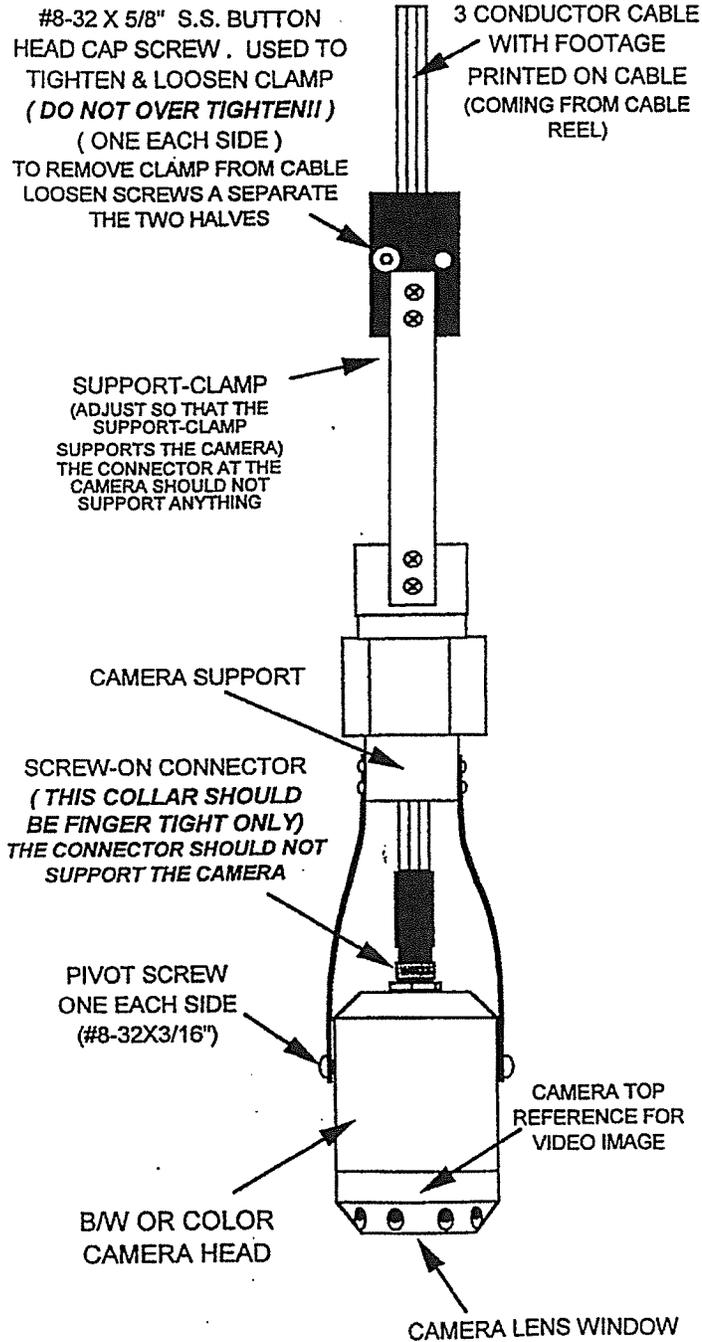
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**TOP OF  
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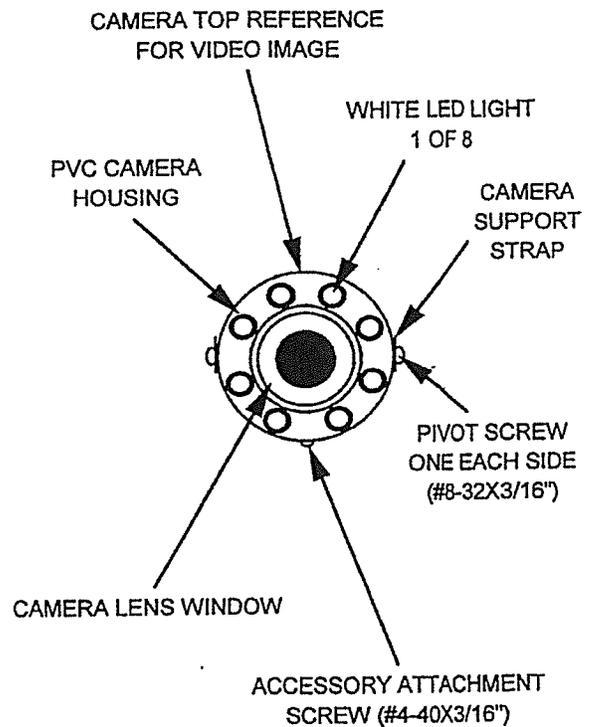
# FIG. #4

## SUPPORTING CAMERA W/O CENTRALIZER AND TILTING ATTACHMENT



# FIG. #5

## CAMERA HOUSING FRONT VIEW (W/O TILTING ATTACHMENT)



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Buffalo Drilling Company, Inc. (BDC) Concrete Core Retrieval - Revised

Summary: It is the intention of *BDC*, if needed, to mobilize to the site one of the drill rigs noted in Attachments 12b, 12c, 12d, or 12e and use it in conjunction with the NX core barrel depicted in Attachment 12f or use the Alternate Manual Coring Method outlined below under Item C for shallow (usually less the 20 feet deep) core investigations.

A) Drill Rigs

*BDC* will mobilize a drill rig to the site along with all required drill tools, water tank, pump, and core boxes for storage and transport of retrieved concrete cores. One of the four drill rigs noted will be used for coring operations. *Kubricky Construction Corp. (KCC)* will provide access to the caisson for *BDC*'s coring, through the construction of ramps, pads, and/or the moving of dowels that may pose as obstructions.

B) Coring the Concrete

*BDC* will then core the concrete using the NX core barrel and/or the directions of the engineer. Cores will be labeled for depth, caisson number, core location, and core number, placed into a wooden core box, and given to *KCC* for delivery to the EIC.

C) Alternate Manual Coring Method

To perform form core retrieval at shallower depths, less than 10 feet in depth, *BDC* may core the concrete using our manual core drill made up of the following components.

- 1) The Coring Stand on the bottom right of the first page of submittal section 12g (labeled 116) consists of the M-2 Roller Carriage Upgrade and Anchor Stand parts 424110 and 427753
- 2) The Coring Machine Drill Motor, on the second page of 12g (labeled 130) is a WEKA DK32 powered by 230 volts whose part number is 4244058.
- 3) The third page of 15g (labeled 117) displays the two components working together as a core drilling unit.
- 4) The coring machine will be turning the 2" Core System, depicted in submittal Section 12h, to retrieve a core with an approximate diameter of a bit less than 2.00 inches at the locations and to the depths specified by the EIC.

In all instances cores will be labeled for depth, caisson number, core location, and core number, placed into a wooden core box, and given to *KCC* for delivery to the EIC.

1978 Bmbadier Mobile B34-S  
Tracks: Rubber with metal cleats  
Serial # 624416  
Fuel: Diesel

Unit 208

Total height of machine boomed up 22 foot 10 inches/ boomed down 10 foot  
Total width of track 7 foot 3 inches/ total width of machine 7 foot 9 inches  
Over all length of machine 18 foot

Unit - 209

1972 CME 550/ Atv Rig  
Model: Gemco WF240P  
Serial # 604  
Tire Size: 23 ft./ front 26 ft. rear  
Fuel: Diesel

Total height of machine boomed up 27 foot 5 inches/ boomed down 10 foot 7 inches  
Total width of machine 8 foot 2 inches  
Over all length of machine 22 foot/ length of machine from center of axeles 12 foot 4 inches

1984 Dietric D-50  
Engine: Hercules 4 cyl  
Vin # 322770040  
Track/Make: Bombarier,  
Rubber with metal cleat  
fuel: Gas

Unit -213

Total Height boomed up 27 feet 4 inches/ boomed down 9 foot 6 inches  
Width of entire machine 7 foot 2 inches.  
Over all length of machine boomed down and tabled in 23 feet

1975 CME 75/ ATV Rig

Engine: Deutz 750XL

Serial # F6L912

Vin # 105358

Fuel: Diesel

Unit- 222

Total height boomed up 30 foot 6 inches/ boomed down 6 feet 6 inches

Width of entire machine 8 foot 2 inches

Over all length of machine boomed down 23 feet 8 inches/ wheel base center of axle to center of axle 12 feet 6 in.

## CORE DRILLING TOOLS



### Diamond drill bits and tools

An excellent assortment of diamond tools for the exploration and construction industries, including surface set and impregnated bits, reaming shells and casing shoes suitable for most drilling conditions.

### Drill rods and casing

A production of wireline drill rod and casing.

### Core barrels

Core barrel systems for vertical down to  $-45^\circ$  angle holes, as well as pump-in systems for uphole drilling. Both supported by retrieval overshot devices.

### Sizes / Systems

System	Hole		Core	
	mm	in	mm	in
A	48,0	1.89	27,0	1.06
B	59,9	2.36	36,4	1.43
N	75,7	2.98	47,6	1.88
H	96,1	3.78	63,5	2.50
P	122,6	4.83	85,0	3.35

- Wireline system which affected the rod and core barrel design and incorporated the use of a wireline overshot.
- Triple-tube system which effected the core barrel and the bit design and allowed for a second split inner tube to be used so that an undisturbed sample of very broken core could be viewed in its original state.
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# M-2 HEAVY DUTY CORE RIGS

 Electric

 Hydraulic

**10"**  
(up to 36" with  
spacer & hydraulic motor)  
Bit Capacity

**Features:**

- Dual switch/outlet control panel with amp meter (except for CB700 models with LED amp meter)
- 4-spoke handle
- 2-7/8" precision made, chrome plated square column (mast)
- Vacuum pump for quick mounting to flat surface without drilling an anchor hole (Included with combination rig)
- 10" bit capacity (up to 36" with spacer block or pillow block and hydraulic motor)
- 6" wheels for easy mobility
- 4 Leveling Screws on base

**The #1 Pro Rig in the U.S.A.**

**Benefits:**

- Heavy duty rig for larger jobs
- Larger mast to withstand high torque and large diameter bits
- The 4-spoke handle allows the operator to easily apply feed pressure
- Great for the professional driller
- Roller carriage available for more precise drilling, which in turn promotes longer life on diamonds
- Combo base is a quick change over from vacuum to anchor base



M-2 Complete Combo Rig with CB748 motor

\*Spacer blocks are found on page 142



M-2 Complete Anchor Rig with Weka motor

**Parts List:** #1801636  
**Operator Manual:** #1801993



Improved Vacuum Seal Retention Keeps Vacuum Gasket Held Into the Base Longer for a Durable Seal



**CORING EQUIPMENT**

Angle Combination Stand Only			Combination Stand Only			Large Base Anchor Stand Only			Angle Anchor Stand Only			Anchor Stand Only		
Part #	Cat #	List Price	Part #	Cat #	List Price	Part #	Cat #	List Price	Part #	Cat #	List Price	Part #	Cat #	List Price
4241056	01702	\$ 1,603	4241055	01700	\$1,258	4241064	01708	\$1,258	4241110	01717	\$1,448	4241100	01714	\$ 1,108

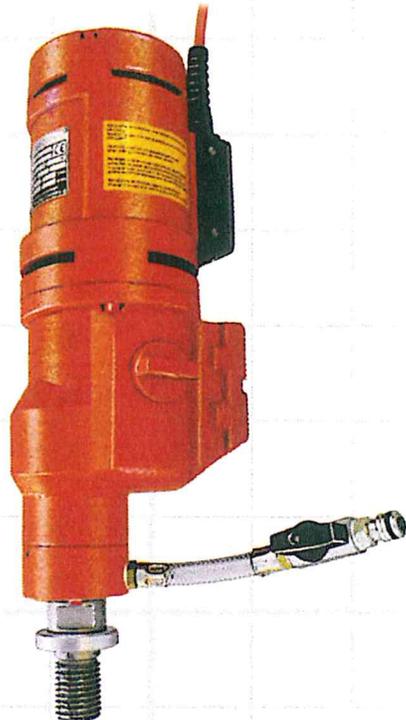
**Upgrade your slide carriage to a heavy duty roller carriage. Lasts longer and gives precision movement. Order with new rigs or for existing rigs.**

M-2 Roller Carriage Upgrade (With New Rig)			M-2 Roller Carriage Upgrade (Existing Rigs)		
Part #	Cat #	List Price	Part #	Cat #	List Price
4241000	01684	\$ 234	4277531	01844	\$ 901



**DK22**

- Heavy duty
- Water connection
- 1.250"-7 threaded spindle
- Recommended for bits up 1"-12" Max 16"



**DK32**

- Heavy duty
- Water connection
- 1.250"-7 threaded spindle
- Recommended for bits 2"-16" Max 18"

**WEKA ELECTRIC DRILL MOTORS**

Motor/Model #	AMP	No Load RPM	Loaded RPM	Part #	Cat #	Product Weight (lbs.)	List Price
WEKA DK22	23 (110V)	550/1120/1680	300/640/960	4244018	01741	31	\$2,926
WEKA DK22	11 (230V)	550/1120/1680	300/640/960	4244016	47069	31	2,926
WEKA DK22L	23 (110V)	460/940/1400	250/520/780	4244105	54872	31	3,355
WEKA DK22S	23 (110V)	800/1640/2430	420/880/1300	4244014	47828	31	2,926
WEKA DK22S	11 (230V)	800/1640/2430	420/880/1300	4244029	47070	31	2,926
WEKA DK22F*	23 (110V)	550/1120/1680	300/640/960	4244118	40586	31	2,732
WEKA DK22F*	11 (230V)	550/1120/1680	300/640/960	4244119	53300	31	2,732
WEKA DK32	30 (110V)	380/800/1200	230/480/720	4244059	46896	31	3,152
WEKA DK32	15 (230V)	380/800/1200	230/480/720	4244058	47071	31	3,152
WEKA DK32F*	30 (110V)	380/800/1200	230/480/720	4244120	56143	31	2,953
WEKA DK32F*	15 (230V)	380/800/1200	230/480/720	4244121	44292	31	2,953

All Weka motors include on/off switch

\*F series include special flange adapter for M-5 PRO only (11" maximum bit capacity)

**CORING EQUIPMENT**

## COMPLETE M-2 COMBINATION DRILL RIGS WITH VACUUM PUMP

Model #	Motor	Motor RPM	Part #	Cat #	Product Weight (lbs.)	List Price
M2C-20-CB-V	20 Amp Core Bore CB748	350/900	4241050	01696	135	\$3,629
M2C-20-CB700-V	20 Amp Core Bore CB700	400/930	4241164	30117	135	2,990
M2C-20-MW4004-V	20 Amp Milwaukee	300/600	4241048	01694	139	3,385
M2C-20-MW4096-V	20 Amp Milwaukee	450/900	4241059	01704	139	3,385
M2C-20-MW4005-V	20 Amp Milwaukee	600/1200	4241049	01695	139	3,385
M2C-15-MW4097-V	15 Amp Milwaukee	500/1000	4241051	59573	139	3,313
M2C-23-DK22-V	23 Amp Weka DK22	550/1120/1680	4241068	47426	137	4,601
M2C-23-DK22S-V	23 Amp Weka DK22S	800/1640/2430	4241069	50007	137	4,601

## COMPLETE M-2 COMBINATION DRILL RIGS WITHOUT VACUUM PUMP

M2C-20-CB	20 Amp Core Bore CB748	350/900	4241082	71149	122	\$3,268
M2C-20-CB700	20 Amp Core Bore CB700	400/930	4241166	30152	122	2,327
M2C-20-MW4004	20 Amp Milwaukee	300/600	4241083	76314	124	3,035
M2C-20-MW4096	20 Amp Milwaukee	450/900	4241084	75479	124	3,035
M2C-20-MW4005	20 Amp Milwaukee	600/1200	4241085	69558	124	3,035
M2C-15-MW4097	15 Amp Milwaukee	500/1000	4241086	76984	124	2,962
M2C-23-DK22	23 Amp Weka DK22	550/1120/1680	4241088	73291	120	4,254
M2C-23-DK22S	23 Amp Weka DK22S	800/1640/2430	4241089	75275	120	4,254

## COMPLETE M-2 ANCHOR DRILL RIGS

M2A-20-CB	20 Amp Core Bore CB748	350/900	4241001	01686	110	\$3,113
M2A-20-CB700	20 Amp Core Bore CB700	400/930	4241163	30098	110	2,201
M2A-20-MW4004	20 Amp Milwaukee	300/600	4241009	01692	114	2,884
M2A-20-MW4096	20 Amp Milwaukee	450/900	4241003	01687	114	2,884
M2A-20-MW4005	20 Amp Milwaukee	600/1200	4241010	01693	114	2,884
M2A-15-MW4097	15 Amp Milwaukee	500/1000	4241006	01689	114	2,812
M2A-23-DK22	23 Amp Weka DK22	550/1120/1680	4241008	01691	114	4,103
M2A-23-DK22S	23 Amp Weka DK22S	800/1640/2430	4241011	52247	114	4,103

CB700 Rigs do not include a control panel. - CB700 has a built-in amp meter.

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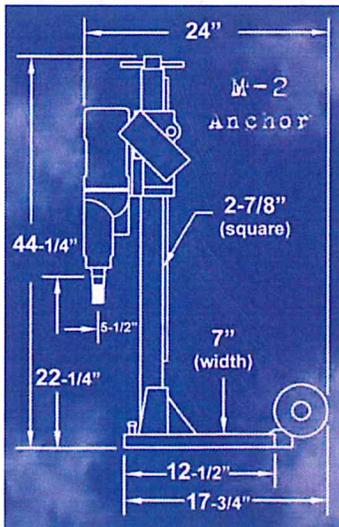
**Drill Stand Only includes:** base, column (mast), carriage, ceiling jack, motor mount plate and wheels

**Complete Combination Rig includes:** combo anchor/vacuum base, drill motor, column (mast), motor mount, carriage, control panel, vacuum pump

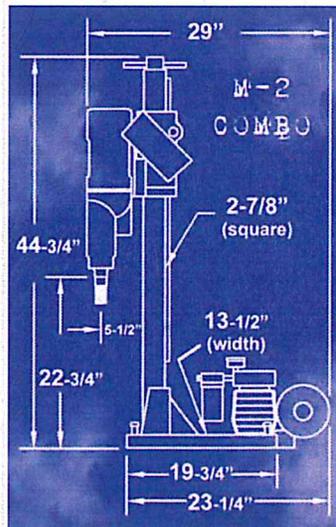
**Complete Anchor Rig includes:** small anchor base, drill motor, column (mast), carriage, control panel, ceiling jack and wheel kit

**Custom Combination Rig Components:**  
 Combo drill stand, Drill motor (pages 129-131), optional control panel (page 140) and optional vacuum pump (page 140)

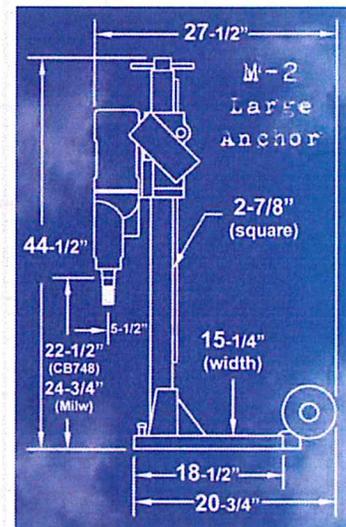
**Custom Anchor Rig Components:**  
 Anchor drill stand, drill motor (pages 129-131) and optional control panel (page 140)



Location to drill anchor hole = 12" Measured from the center of the motor spindle to the center of the anchor slot on base



Location to drill anchor hole = 12" Measured from the center of the motor spindle to the center of the anchor/vacuum slot on base



Location to drill anchor hole = 12-1/2" Measured from the center of the motor spindle to the center of the anchor slot on base



Don't forget to ask about our 3 Year Gold Extended Warranty on new electric core rigs!

Don't forget to ask about our 5 Year Platinum Extended Warranty on new electric core rigs!



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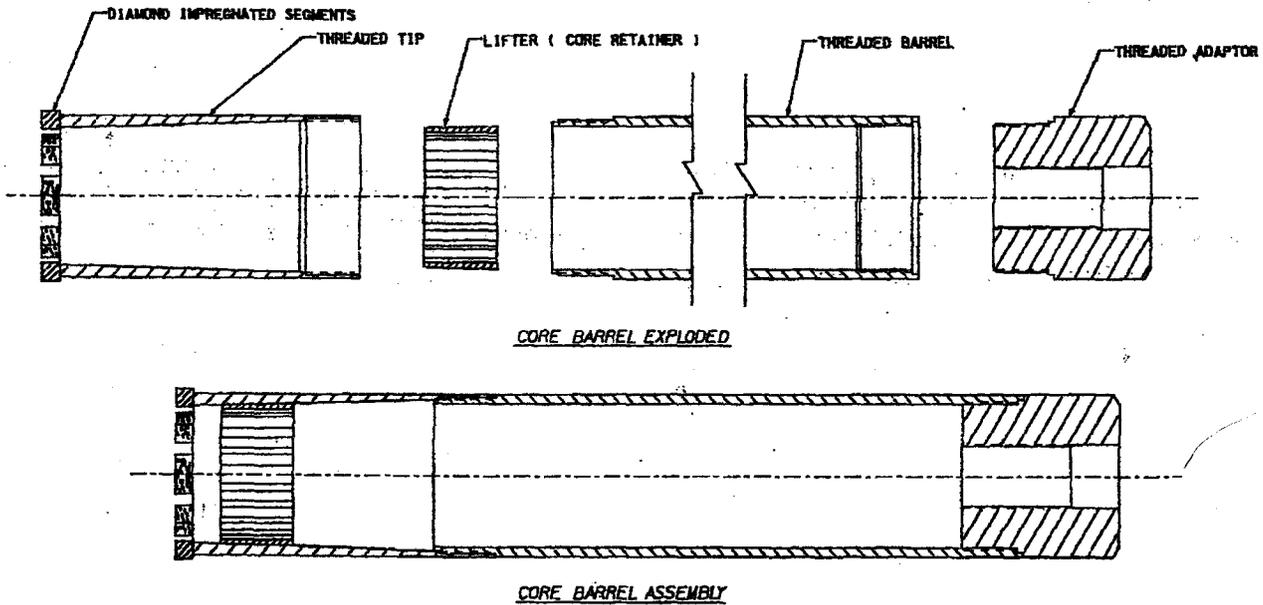


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## CORE CATCHER SYSTEM

### Use the right tool for the job.

Have you ever had trouble recovering a deep core? Ever had a core fall from a bridge deck or a second story? These things are not only a nuisance but they can be dangerous. Now a simple tool can eliminate these problems. It's the Hoffman Core Catcher. The Hoffman Core Catcher consists of a treaded bit tip, core barrel, threaded adapter, and a core catcher. When you raise the core barrel, the core inside comes along. If the job demands core recovery or safety from falling core, purchase the Core Catcher System from Hoffman Diamond Products.



Size (OD X ID)	Pro 800 Bit	Pro 1000 Bit	1 ft. long Barrel	2 ft. long Barrel	3 ft. long Barrel	4 ft. long Barrel	Core Catcher	1-1/4" Adaptor
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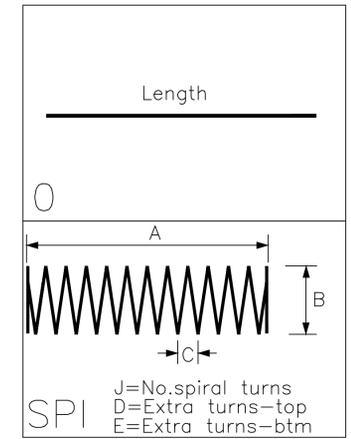
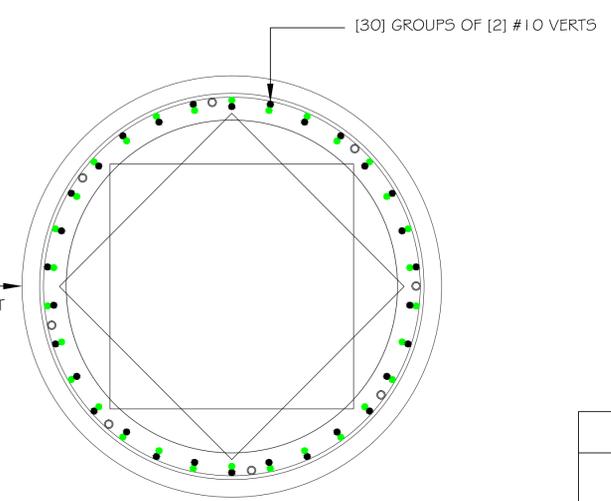
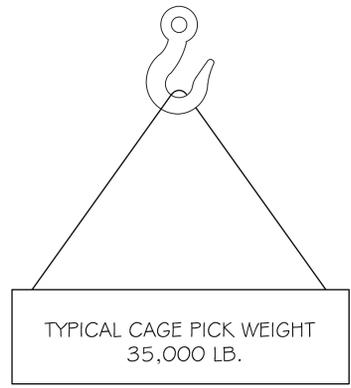
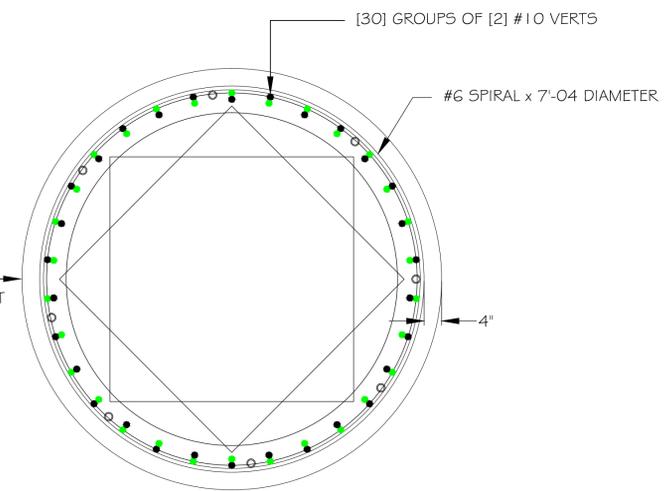
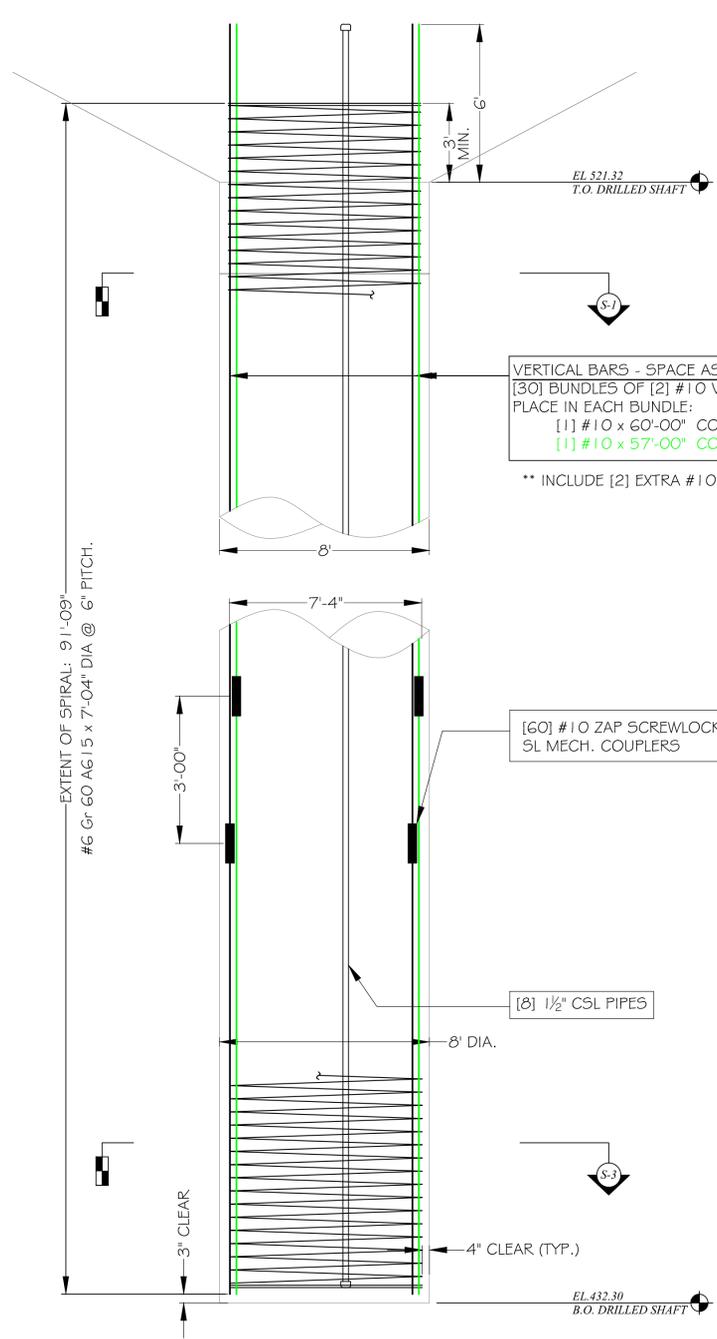
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3" (3.437 X 2.875)	319	448	171	230	291	353	71	119
4" (4.437 X 3.992)	415	567	196	271	347	423	72	174

Size	Bit OD	Bit ID	Impregnated Bit	Blank Shell	1 ft. Barrel	2 ft. Barrel	5 ft. Barrel	Core Catcher	NW Conn. Adaptor or 1-1/4"
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6"	6.062	5.312	1000	240	360	400	535	247	415
8"	8.2	7.375	1167	309		533		367	500

Release Number:				BAR LIST												
Bar Mark	Qty	Size	Total Length	Type	'A'	'B'	'C'	'D'	'E'	'F'	'G'	'H'	'J'	'K'	'O'	'R'
	30	#10	60'-0"			60'-0"										
	30	#10	57'-0"			57'-0"										
	32	#10	34'-9"			34'-9"										
	30	#10	37'-9"			37'-9"										
GDO1	5	#6	923'-7"	SPI	18'-5"	7'-4"	0'-6"	1.5	1.5				40.0			

- General Notes
1. ALL REBAR INCLUDED ON THIS DRAWING SHALL BE OF ASTM A615 GRADE 60 REBAR.
  2. COVER OF REINFORCEMENT TO BE 4" UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.
  3. DRAWING NOT TO SCALE
  4. ELEVATIONS ARE FOR INFORMATIONAL PURPOSES ONLY.
  5. DRAWING NOT TO SCALE



DESIGNER CERTIFICATION	CONTRACTOR APPROVAL

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LOCATION	VTAOT RUTLAND BRF 3000 (16) RUTLAND, VT		
ARCHITECT			
ENGINEER			
CUSTOMER	KUBRICKY CONST. CORP.		
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# Zap Screwlok®



**BarSplice**  
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# ZAP SCREWLOK

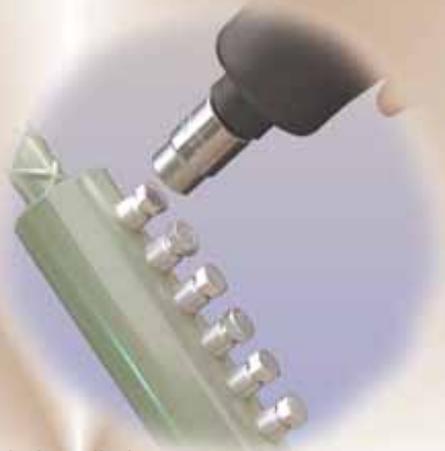
## MECHANICAL SPLICES

### SHEAR SCREW & WEDGE COUPLING SLEEVES



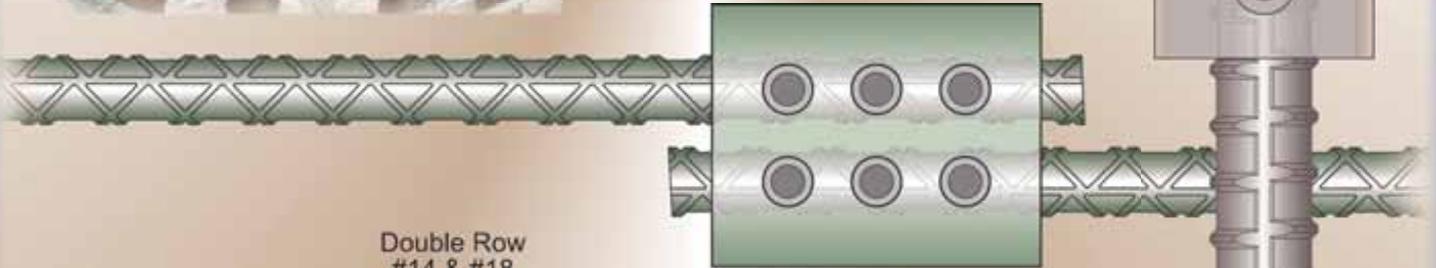
#### APPLICATIONS

- ✓ Retrofit or repair existing structures
- ✓ Eliminate expensive rebar-welds.
- ✓ Extend deck steel to widen bridges.
- ✓ Highway patch and repair projects.
- ✓ Connect bars across closure pours.
- ✓ In reinforced concrete piles and columns.

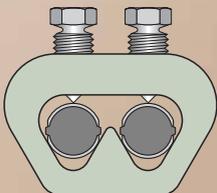


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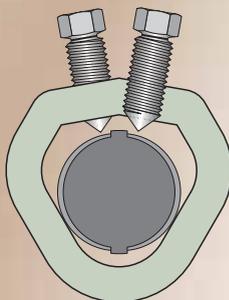
Depending upon the size, assemble manually with socket wrench or for quickest installation, use a standard air impact wrench. By following the instructions supplied with your order, tighten the screws until the heads twist off at a prescribed value. The force from the screws causes the rebar deformations to interlock within the coupler. The screws embed themselves into the rebar surface. This dual mechanical action results in a full positive connection for transferring tension or compression force from bar-to-bar.



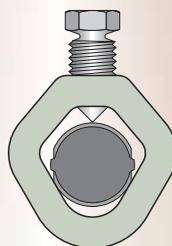
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#3 - #7



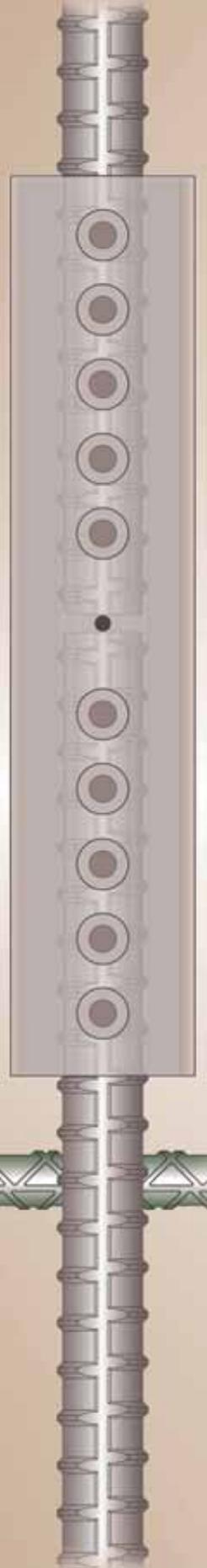
Double Row  
#14 & #18



Single Row  
#3 - #11



Force from the screws causes rebar deformations to interlock within the coupler wedge. At the same time, the screws embed themselves into the rebar surface and then the heads TWIST OFF.



# ZAP SCREWLOK® Mechanical Splices and Connectors for Reinforcing Bars – Review...

**ZAP SCREWLOK®** mechanical splices and connectors are compatible with reinforcing bars that comply with ASTM A 615, ASTM A 706, ASTM A 996, or equal and consist of smooth, shaped, steel sleeves with converging sides. A series of cone-pointed hex-head screws are arranged along the longitudinal axes in one or two rows. In the case of butt splices, reinforcing bars are inserted from each end to a center stop. No special bar-end preparation is required, so ends can be sheared, sawed, or flame-cut. *Assembly instructions are normally supplied with your order or can otherwise be obtained directly from Barsplice Products, Inc.*

**During mechanical splice assembly**, as screws are tightened, they embed themselves into the rebar surface and then the heads twist off at a prescribed tightening torque. Force from the screws causes rebar deformations to interlock within the coupler wedge. The DUAL mechanical action, results in a full positive connection for transferring tension or compression forces from bar-to-bar. Screws can be tightened using suitable impact wrenches or hand-held ratchet wrenches. Linear alignment is preserved across the splice by using reinforcing bars with straight ends and securing the continuation bar in the desired position at the time of assembly.

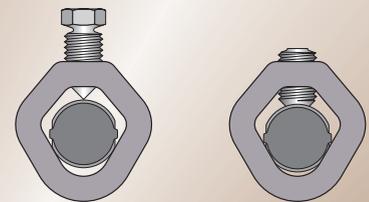
**When making splices between fixed points**, a coupler sleeve without a center stop can be slipped entirely onto one bar and subsequently repositioned over the two bar ends being spliced.

**Mechanical butt splices** and connectors are available for reinforcing bar sizes No. 3 through 18 (Ø10 through 57 mm) per BPI's **Dimensions and Data** charts. Transition splices are used to connect rebars of different sizes.

**Mechanical lap splices** are available for bar sizes No. 3 through 7 (Ø10 through 22 mm).

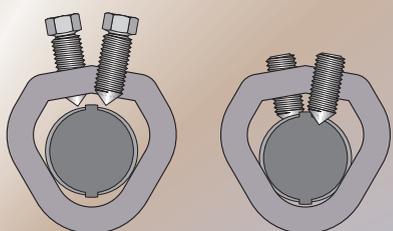
Single Row  
#3 - #11

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ASSEMBLY**



Double Row  
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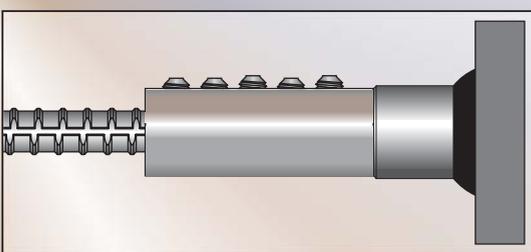
**Epoxy-coated steel** reinforcing bars that comply to ASTM A 775/A 775M can be spliced by means of epoxy coated coupling sleeves without shielding or removing the epoxy coating from the bar. Zinc coated (galvanized) bars can be mechanically spliced by means of galvanized coupling sleeves. Different types of ZAP SCREWLOK® mechanical splices are selectable for new construction, field repair applications, and the splicing of older types of reinforcing bars.

**ZAP SCREWLOK®** is a **positive tension and compression** mechanical splice system whose strength is independent of the concrete which surrounds it, thereby providing true structural continuity. Applications include heavy construction, field splicing of column steel, beam reinforcement, concrete piles and deck steel. The system is used for rehab projects, retrofit, strengthening, and up-grading concrete elements. Type 2 splices are used for mechanically splicing reinforcement in members resisting earthquake induced forces. Other uses may include extending deck steel to widen bridges, highway patch and repair projects and splicing of bars across closure pours.

**Benefits to using ZAP SCREWLOK®** include positive mechanical splicing, choices for Type 1 Type 2 applications, splices for black or galvanized or epoxy coated bars, easy visual inspection, no specialized equipment, minimal clearance requirements and positive center-stop. ZAP SCREWLOK® is ideal in remote areas and tight access areas; it is suitable for new construction repair or retrofit and compatible with sheared, flame-cut or saw-cut bars.

**Headed Anchorage** suitable for Grade 60 reinforcing can be created by welding Zap Structural Connectors and structural steel plates\*. For simplicity, **locally-sourced plate** that has been cut square has a cross sectional area equal to 10-times the nominal area of reinforcing bar will be more than adequate for many applications; but other sizes and shapes of plate can be attached to suit structural demands.

**ACI 318** Section 12.6 allows any mechanical device to be used as anchorage that is capable of developing at least the strength of the bar  $\{f_y\}$  without damage to concrete.



Example of Zap Screwlok® Termination (plate and welding by others)

Reinforcing bar sizes No.4 through No.18 (Ø12 through 57 mm) that meet the deformation requirements of ASTM A 615/A 615M or ASTM A 706/A 706M can be anchored by this method. Applications might include the substitution of hook bars in congested area, or in renovation and repair work, to enhance straight bars where development length is inadequate. Headed bars reduce the development length of bars by transmitting a proportion of force from bar to concrete via head bearing area.

Square Headed Mechanical Anchorage Dimensions

Rebar and Zap 'SL' Structural Connector Size	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	14	18
Square plate side length (in.)	1 3/4	2	2 1/4	2 1/2	3	3 1/2	4	4 1/2	5	6 1/2
Plate thickness (in.)	1/2	1/2	5/8	5/8	3/4	3/4	7/8	1	1 1/4	1 3/4

\*Welder qualification, weld procedure, integrity and strength are the responsibility of others.

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# ZAP STRUCTURAL CONNECTORS

## SHEAR SCREW AND WEDGE WELDABLE CONNECTOR



- **STRENGTH RATING** – Has capacity to exceed a minimum joint strength of 75,000 psi measured in the rebar; equal to 125% x specified yield, Grade 60.
- **COMPATIBILITY** – For use with black ASTM A 615 Grade 60 or ASTM A 706. Has capacity to exceed 1.25 x specified yield in all cases.
- **VERSATILITY** – For attachment of reinforcing bars to plates, structural steel shapes or for creating headed anchorage. Shop or field weldable, before or after bar placement.
- **CERTIFIED LOW CARBON STEEL** – Meets low carbon chemistry AISI Grade 1018 and/or 1026. Mill certified analysis for each heat lot of steel available.
- **WELDING BEVELS** – For full penetration, provided for greater strength, convenience and quality assurance.
- **LESS WELD STRESS** – Compared direct butt welds because outside diameter of structural connector is larger than the reinforcing bar so the weld area is disposed over greater length.

# DOUBLE BARREL ZAP SCREWLOK

## SHEAR SCREW AND DOUBLE WEDGE MECHANICAL LAP SPLICE



- **MECHANICAL LAP SPLICE** – ACI 318 Chapter 12 – Confirming in-air tests exceed 125% x specified yield,  $f_y$ , with capacity to develop over 150% x  $f_y$ , ASTM A 615 black deformed Grade 60 bar.
- **APPLICATIONS** – In accordance with Building Code Requirements for Structural Concrete, used to widen bridges, slab repair, to connect hoop bars and in piles to terminate spirals.
- **SUPERIOR TO ALL TENSION LAP SPLICES** – Eliminates hard-to-predict nature of lap splices – especially long epoxy bar laps – Positive connection instead of reliance on concrete.
- **COMPACT DESIGN** – Shorter than mechanical butt-splices and significantly shorter than lap splices – less room needed – ideal for many repair applications and construction joints.
- **DOT PROJECTS and COATED BARS** – Exceeds 135% x specified yield, Grade 60 when installed directly over black ASTM A 615 bars, epoxy coated ASTM A 775 bars or galvanized ASTM A 767 bars.
- **CONVENIENCE** – Field installed – No specialized installation equipment – No special bar end preparation or thread cutting – Easy visual inspection. For bars #3 – 7 (Dia.10 – 22 mm).

# DOUBLE BARREL ZAP TRANSITION

## SHEAR SCREW AND DOUBLE WEDGE MECHANICAL LAP SPLICE



- **PURPOSE** – For mechanical lap splicing bars of different sizes, such as 6-to-5, 5-to-4 and so on – or for connecting bars of different types such as old to new.
- **APPLICATIONS** – Bridges widening, slab repair, hoop bars, closure pours – use in accordance with Building Code Requirements for Structural Concrete.
- **SIMPLE DESIGN** – One piece device with converging sides for wedging of different bar sizes – manufactured as ductile casting with no welds.
- **FOR STANDARD REINFORCING BARS** – ASTM A 615, ASTM A 706, ASTM A 996, ASTM A 775 or ASTM A 767 bars and equivalent deformed bars.
- **PERFORMANCE** – Capacity to exceed 125% x specified yield,  $f_y$ , 135% x  $f_y$  and 150% x  $f_y$ , ASTM A 615 Grade 60 black deformed bars. Also exceeds 135% x  $f_y$ , ASTM A 775 / A 767 Grade 60 bar.
- **CONVENIENCE** – Field installed – No specialized installation equipment – No special bar end preparation or thread cutting – Easy visual inspection.

## \*\* HOW TO SPECIFY ZAP SCREWLOK® SPLICES and CONNECTORS

	By Name:	By Generic Description:
BAR-TO-BAR mechanical butt splice	Zap Screwlok® Type 2 Series <u>or</u> Epoxy Series <u>or</u> 'SL' Series by BarSplice Products, Inc., Dayton OH	Mechanical butt splices shall be the tension-compression shear screw and wedge coupling sleeve type, with smooth converging sides and cone-pointed hex-head screws, to develop a strength in the bar equal to [state strength requirement].
BAR-TO-BAR mechanical lap splice	Double Barrel Zap Screwlok® by BarSplice Products, Inc., Dayton OH	Mechanical lap splices shall be the shear screw and double wedge coupling sleeve type, with converging sides and cone-pointed hex-head screws opposite the wedges.
BAR-TO-STRUCTURAL STEEL	Zap Screwlok® Structural Connectors by BarSplice Products, Inc., Dayton OH	Bar-to-structural steel connections shall be the shear screw and wedge weldable connector type with smooth converging sides, cone-pointed hex-head screws and weld bevels inclined 30-degrees to the rebar axis.

\*\* Include flange requirements, if any, bar size(s), bar type and grade. Include statement: "Parts shall be manufactured to the quality requirements of ISO 9001."

Field splicing of reinforcing bars by the Zap Screwlok method is most popular because of the systems simplicity, cost effectiveness and adaptability. Instructions provided with splices explain step-by-step installation and safety information. All Zap Screwlok® Systems and Methods are protected by patents.

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## ZAP SCREWLOK TYPE 2 SERIES

### SHEAR SCREW AND WEDGE MECHANICAL SPLICE COUPLING SLEEVE

- **TYPE 2 SPLICE** – ACI 318 Chapter 21 and International Building Code, ICC ES Evaluation Report ER-5461. Exceeds specified tensile strength ASTM A 706 / A 615 Grade 60 black deformed bars.
- **SEISMIC LOADING** – Withstands plastic strain excursions to 5 x rebar yield strain value and stress reversals in accordance with ICC Acceptance Criteria AC-133.
- **NEW CONSTRUCTION or RENOVATION / REPAIR** – Suited for butt-splicing bars new-to-new or new-to-old. Tested with Grades 30, 33, 40 and 50, square and round, to 1.25  $f_y$ .
- **GRADE 75 BARS\*** – Exceeds 125% x specified yield black ASTM A 615 Grade 75 and capable of developing 100,000 psi, the specified tensile strength of Grade 75.
- **CALTRANS "SERVICE" APPROVED** – Meets slip test 670 & capable of exceeding 80,000 psi, the specified tensile strength of black deformed bars ASTM A 706. Not classified as Caltrans "Ultimate".
- **CONVENIENCE** – Field installed – No specialized installation equipment – No special bar end preparation or thread cutting – Easy visual inspection. For bars #3 – 14 (Dia.10 – 43 mm).
- **DOT PROJECTS** – Capacity to exceed 125% x specified yield, 135% x specified yield and 150% x specified yield, ASTM A 615 Grade 60 black deformed bars.

\* Zap Screwlok Type 2 series is not suitable for use with ASTM A 1035 Grade 100/120 MMF-X bars or "Dual-Certified" Grade 75/100, Grade 80/100 bars or any variation thereof. Contact BPI for Zap Screwlok 'FX' series.



## ZAP SCREWLOK EPOXY SERIES

### SHEAR SCREW AND WEDGE MECHANICAL SPLICE COUPLING SLEEVE

- **AASHTO and DOT PROJECTS** – Exceeds 125% x specified yield ( $f_y$ ) per AASHTO *Standard Specifications for Highway Bridges* (17<sup>th</sup> Ed). Also exceeds 135% x  $f_y$  Grade 60 bar (81,000 psi).
- **PURPOSE** – For butt-splicing epoxy coated bars that comply with AASHTO specifications and the coating requirements of ASTM A 775 Grade 60.
- **APPLICATIONS** – Widely used on bridge decks, and parking garages susceptible to salt induced damage. Other adverse conditions include wastewater treatment and chemical plants.
- **CYCLIC LOADING** – Qualified to DOT protocols including 100 cycles 5%  $f_y$  to 90%  $f_y$  in tension and 10,000 cycles stress reversal from 25,000 psi tension to 25,000 psi in compression.
- **HIGH FATIGUE STRENGTH** – Pre-qualified to '18 ksi' stress-range by testing for more than 1-million cycles of load.
- **CONVENIENCE** – Field installed – No specialized installation equipment – No special bar end preparation or thread cutting – Easy visual inspection.



## ZAP SCREWLOK 'SL' SERIES

### SHEAR SCREW AND WEDGE MECHANICAL SPLICE COUPLING SLEEVE

- **ACI 318 Chapter 12 FULL MECHANICAL SPLICE** – Develops in tension or compression, as required, at least 1.25  $f_y$  of the bar, ASTM A 615 black deformed Grade 60.
- **COMMERCIAL APPLICATIONS** – In accordance with Building Code Requirements for Structural Concrete, product is used in columns, beams, walls, mats, tanks, condominiums.
- **SUPERIOR TO ALL TENSION LAP SPLICES** – Strength is independent of surrounding concrete and cover. Takes up less space than rebar lap. Replaces lap splice classes A, B or C.
- **COMPACT DESIGN** – Shorter than Type 2 series – fewer screws – less room needed – faster installation time – ideal for hard-to-reach places.
- **FOR STANDARD REINFORCING BARS** – ASTM A 615, ASTM A 996 and equal black deformed bars – capable of exceeding 125% x specified yield,  $f_y$ , and 130% x  $f_y$ , Grades 40, 50 and 60.
- **CONVENIENCE** – Field installed – No specialized installation equipment – No special bar end preparation or thread cutting – Easy visual inspection. For bars #3 – 18 (Dia.10 – 57 mm).



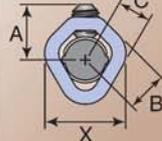
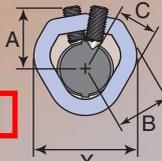
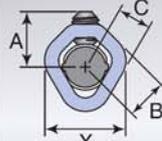
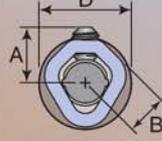
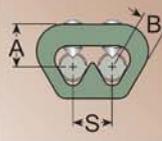
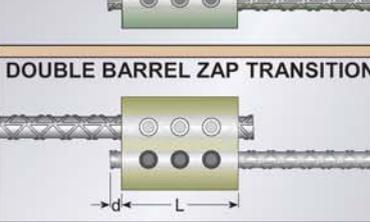
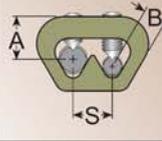
## ZAP SCREWLOK TRANSITIONS

### SHEAR SCREW AND WEDGE MECHANICAL SPLICE COUPLING SLEEVE

- **PURPOSE** – For butt-splicing bars of different sizes, such as 11-to-10, 11-to-9 and so on – or for connecting bars of different configurations such as 1"-square-to-#9.
- **APPLICATIONS** – Columns, Walls, Piers, Caissons, Parking Garages, High Rise Buildings – usually vertical bars.
- **SIMPLE DESIGN** – One piece device with converging sides for wedging of different bar sizes – Made from seamless shaped tubing with no welds – Includes center stop.
- **TYPE 2 SPLICE** – ACI 318 Chapter 21 Seismic Design and International Building Code. Develops specified tensile strength of black *smaller* bars ASTM A 706 or A 615.
- **SEISMIC LOADING** – Withstands plastic strain excursions to 5 x rebar yield strain value and stress reversals in accordance with ICC Acceptance Criteria AC-133.
- **CONVENIENCE** – Field installed – No specialized installation equipment – No special bar end preparation or thread cutting – Easy visual inspection.
- **DOT PROJECTS** – Capacity to exceed 125% x specified yield,  $f_y$ , 135% x  $f_y$  and 150% x  $f_y$ , ASTM A 615 Grade 60 black deformed smaller bar. Also exceeds 135% x  $f_y$ , ASTM A 775 epoxy Grade 60 bar.



# ZAP SCREWLOK®— Dimensions and Data [inch-pound units]

	Coupler Size	Coupler Weight (lb)	Length 'L' (in)	'A' (in)	'B' (in)	'C' (in)	'X' (in)	Number Screws per Bar	Average Torque (ft-lbs)	END VIEW (after Assembly)
<b>ZAP SCREWLOK TYPE 2 / EPOXY SERIES</b> 	3	1.0	5	1 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>16</sub>	5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub>	7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>16</sub>	1 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub>	2	50	<b>sizes #3 - #11</b> 
	4	2.2	7	1 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>16</sub>	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>16</sub>	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	1 3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub>	3	50	
	5	3.4	9	1 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub>	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub>	1 5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub>	4	50	
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	8	10.9	15 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	1 5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>16</sub>	1 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub>	2 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	6	100	
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<b>ZAP 'SL' STRUCTURAL CONNECTOR</b> 	Connector Size	Connector Weight (lb)	Length 'L' (in)	'A' (in)	'B' (in)	'D' (in)	'W' (in)	Number Screws per Bar	Average Torque (ft-lbs)	END VIEW (after Assembly)
	4	0.9	2 7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub>	1 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>16</sub>	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>16</sub>	1 7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>16</sub>	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>16</sub>	2	50	<b>sizes #4 - #11</b> 
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<b>DOUBLE BARREL ZAP SCREWLOK</b> 	Coupler Size	Coupler Weight (lb)	Length 'L' (in)	'A' (in)	'B' (in)	'S' (in)	'd' (in)	Number Screws per Bar	Average Torque (ft-lbs)	END VIEW (after Assembly)
	3	1.3	2 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub>	1 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub>	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub>	1 <sup>5</sup> / <sub>16</sub>	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub>	2	50	
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# SHAFTSPACER<sup>®</sup>

## SYSTEMS

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**A GUIDE AND ALIGNMENT SYSTEM FOR BAR REINFORCEMENT POSITIONING WITHIN CAISSONS, DRILLED SHAFTS, AND OTHER GEOTECHNICAL CONSTRUCTION APPLICATIONS.**

## APPLICATIONS

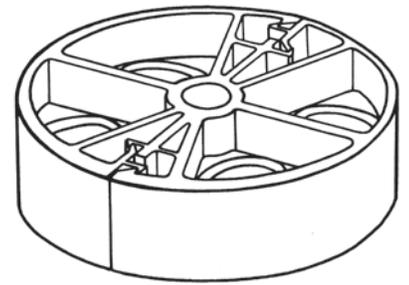
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## ADVANTAGES

- Saves time & money. SHAFTSPACER<sup>®</sup> is a "snap" to install, with minimal installation costs.
- Indefinite shelflife and easily stored.
- Lightweight, yet strong & durable and engineered with the contractor in mind.
- Made of high density plastic resistant to corrosion and chemicals common to construction.
- Provides an excellent guide system for placement of fabricated rebar cages into drilled or excavated shafts.
- Economical to use.
- Fabricated rebar cages are properly positioned for concrete placement, aligned and centralized within the drilled or excavated shaft simultaneously providing proper clearance between the bar reinforcement and the earthen walls of the excavation.

## CONSTRUCTION BENEFITS

- Insures that the bar reinforcement is properly spaced and aligned within the confines of the drilled shaft or excavation.
- Provides quality assurance for the contractor of the sub-contractors performance and at the same time providing quality assurance for the engineer and owner of the contractors performance.
- Increased job profitability because installation is easy and quick requiring only unskilled labor. Skilled labor is released for other more demanding tasks.
- Rapid assembly combined with low labor requirements result in project cost savings.



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Fabricated rebar cage with Shaftspacers ready for insertion into excavated shaft.



SHAFTSPACER<sup>®</sup> installed. Drilled shaft ready for concreting operations.

Since positioning is critical, spacing and support devices are essential. Bar reinforcement must be supported with devices spaced as to maintain the steel at the correct position during the construction process and during concrete placement.

### SAMPLE SPECIFICATION

The bar reinforcement shall be concentrically spaced and supported inside the drilled shaft.

The reinforcing steel shall be held securely in position prior to and during concrete placement operations.

Spacers shall be non-corrosive support and positioning devices such as the **SHAFTSPACER® Systems** or an approved equal.

**OR**

An approved method of spacing and supporting bar reinforcement concentrically within drilled shafts is the **SHAFTSPACER® System** manufactured and distributed by Foundation Technologies, Inc., Lawrenceville, Georgia, Phone 1-800-773-2368.

### MINIMUM SHAFTSPACER® PLACEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS

Use one spacer per foot (or 304.8mm) of shaft diameter (minimum of four per tier).

Maximum six (6) foot (or 1.83m) spacing from the top of the shaft.

Maximum two (2) foot (or .61m) spacing from the bottom of the shaft.

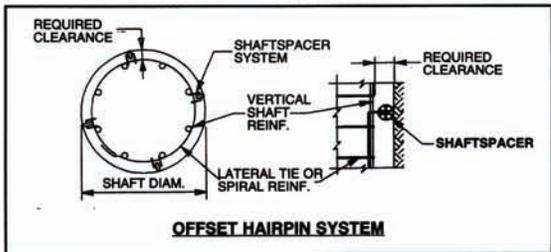
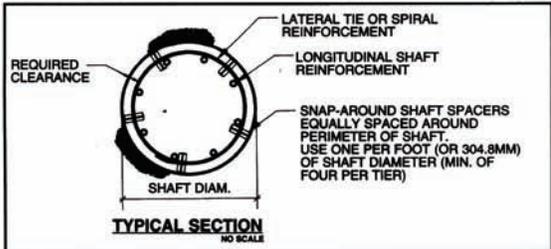
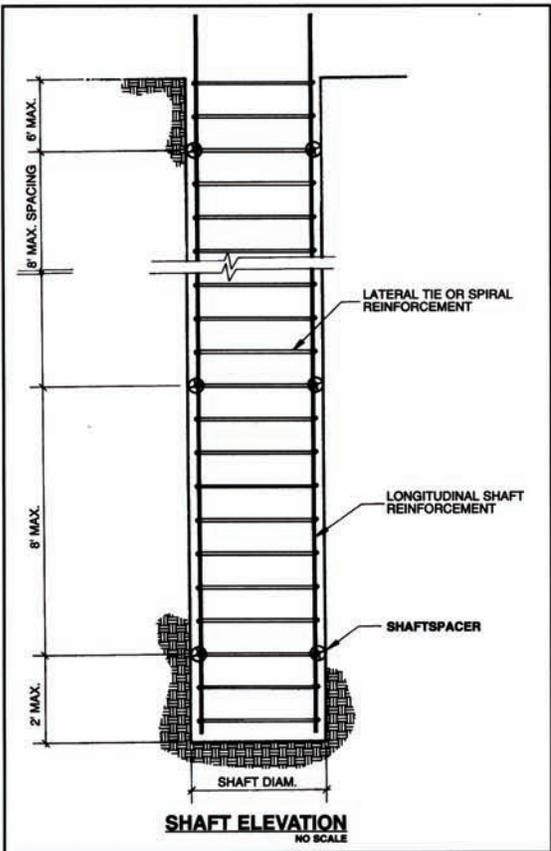
Maximum eight (8) foot (or 2.44m) interval spacing along the longitudinal axis of the shaft.

**SHAFTSPACER®** is currently available in four models:

- **Model SS505** for 2.5-inch (or 62.5mm) Clearance Requirements
- **Model SS406** for 3-inch (or 75mm) Clearance Requirements
- **Model SS808** for 4-inch (or 100mm) Clearance Requirements
- **Model SS612** for 6-inch (or 150mm) Clearance Requirements

Models SS406 and SS505 are adaptable to #3 through #6 standard reinforcement steel bars and #10m through #19m metric reinforcement bars. Models SS612 and SS808 are adaptable to #3 through #7 standard reinforcement steel bars and #10m through #22m metric reinforcement bars.

- **Offset Hairpins** are available in tandem with the SS series to comply with eccentric spacing requirements and/or seismic design considerations.



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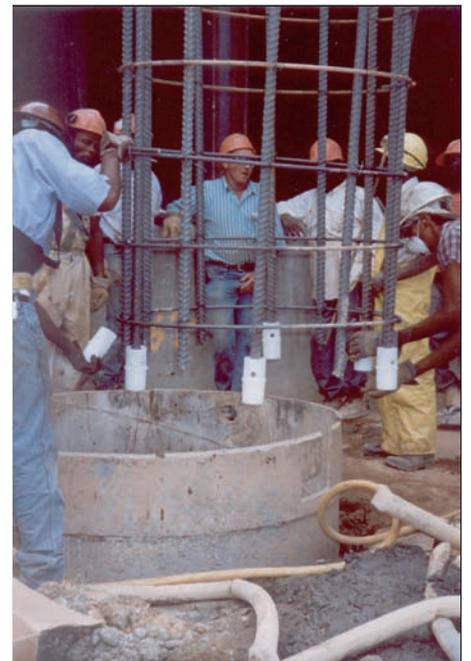
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- Self-locking.

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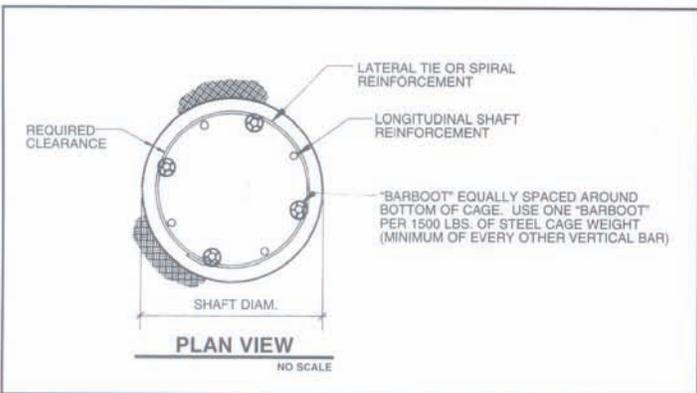
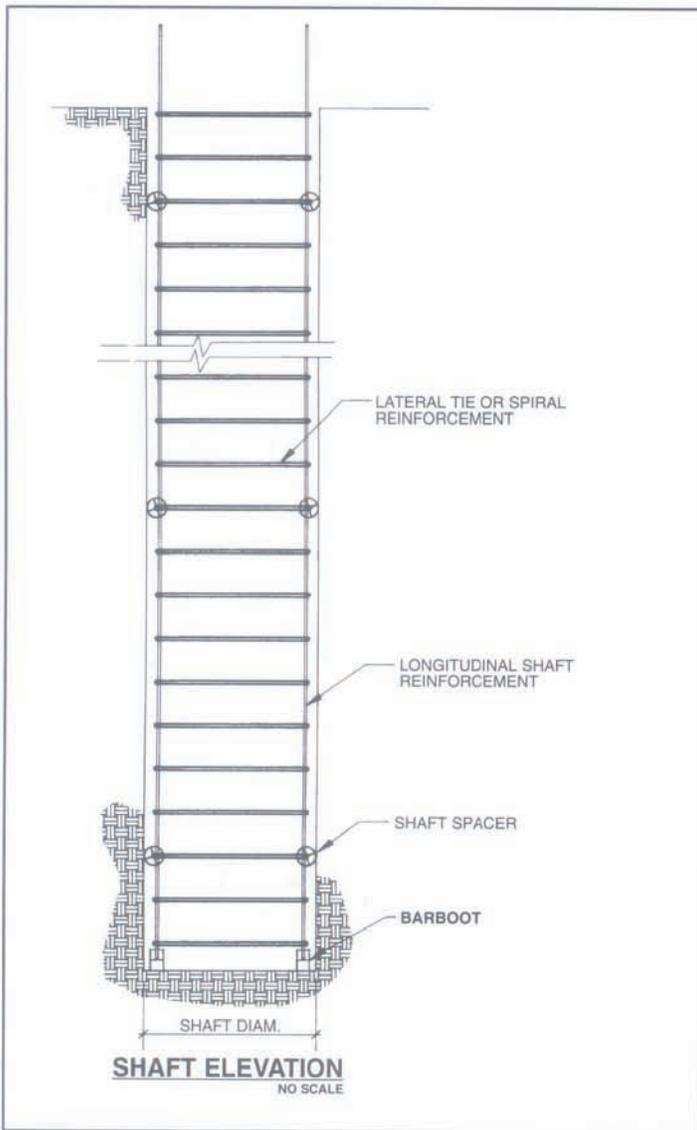
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## SUGGESTED BARBOOT® PLACEMENT RECOMMENDATIONS

Equally space boots around bottom of cage. Use one **BARBOOT®** per 1500 lbs. of steel cage weight. (Minimum of every other vertical bar.)

**BARBOOT®** is currently available in **Model BB711** for commercial projects and **Model BB711 FED** for D.O.T. projects. Both provide (3) inches (or 75mm) of clearance support. **BARBOOT®** is universally adaptable to: #6 through #14 standard reinforcing bars and #19m through #43m metric reinforcing bars.

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