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**Two criteria for designing foundation -**

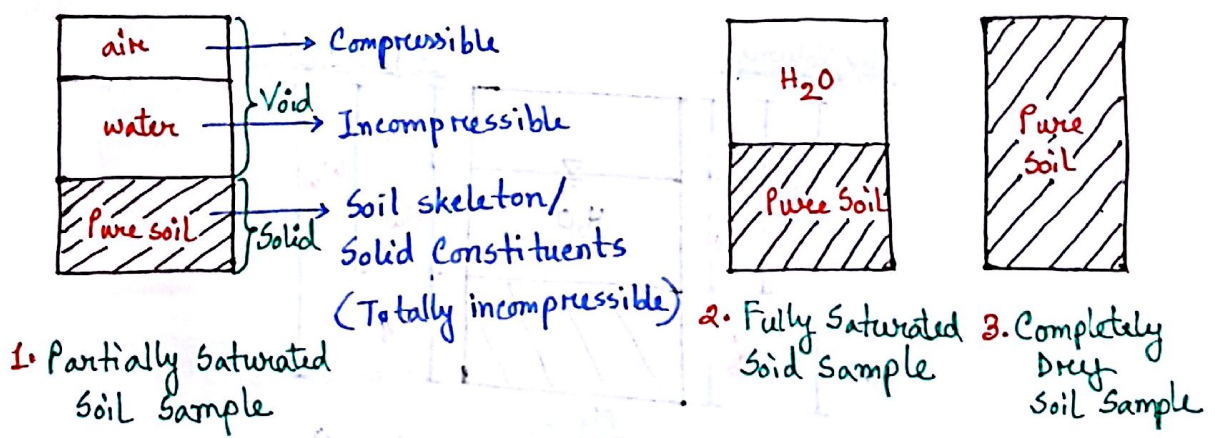
1. Providing adequate factor of safety (F.S.) against bearing capacity failure; for soil F.S. = 2-3.

2. The settlement must be within some tolerable limit and for conventional type of structure, settlement = 1".

**Weight-Volume Relationships of Soil Aggregates -**

• Diagram of a sample soil - From microscopic point of view, in a soil sample, there are soil particles and voids. These voids may be filled with only air, only water or both air and water.

So the diagrams of a soil sample are as follow ->



Soil combination of these 3-phases is known as **3-Phase Structure**.

• All the figures (1), (2) and (3) are called the diagrammatic representation of real soil into its constituents (solid constituents, water and air)  $\Rightarrow$  are called also the **Phase Diagrams**.

Definitions for weight-volume relationship:

1. Moisture Content or Water content,  $w$ :— This is expressed in %. The water content of soil is defined as—

$$w(\%) = \frac{W_w}{W_s} \times 100$$

where,  $W_w$  = the weight of water matter  
and  $W_s$  = the weight of oven-dry solid matter

• The standard oven temperature is 105 to 115°C

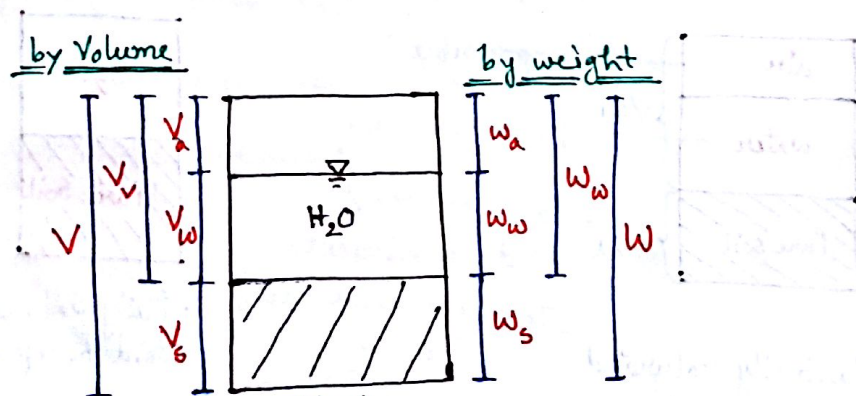


Fig-1

for our case in this course,  $w_a = 0$   
So total weight of voids  $= W_w$   
and total volume of voids  $= V_v$

So, the total weight of soil sample,  $W$  is -

$$W = W_w + W_s$$

- This figure-1 is called the phase diagram in water content expression.
- The moisture content value can be more than 100%.

This is the first parameter determined after collecting the soil sample.

2. Void Ratio ( $e$ ):- This is the very important index property of soil. Void ratio is commonly used in settlement computation to refer the void space to an unchanging denominator.

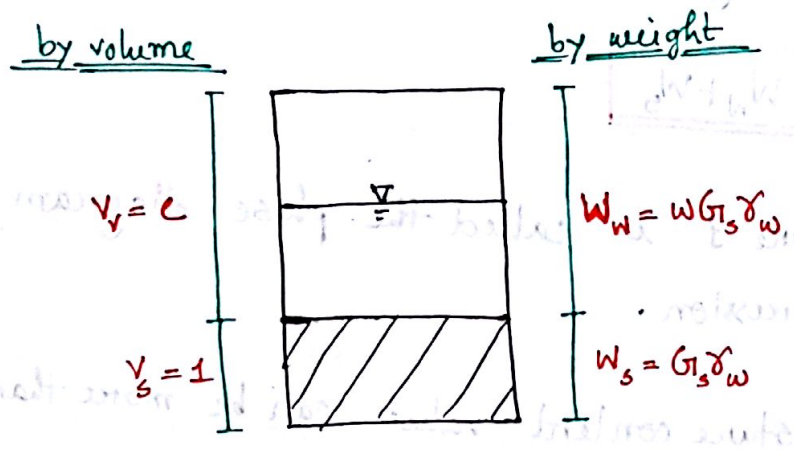
Void ratio is defined as -

$$e = \frac{V_v}{V_s} \Rightarrow \text{It is expressed in decimal and could have value more than 1.}$$

- for our convenience, we assume -

$$V_s = 1$$

So the modified diagram is -



Here,  $V_s = 1$   
 and  $e = \frac{V_v}{V_s}$   
 $\therefore V_v = e \times 1$   
 $\Rightarrow \underline{V_v = e}$

and we know,  $\text{weight} = \text{vol}^m \times \text{unit weight}$   
 here,  $G_s = \text{specific gravity of soil}$   
 $= \underline{2.6 - 2.7}$

and  $\gamma_w = \text{unit weight of water}$

$\therefore \text{unit weight of soil} = G_s \gamma_w$   
 $\therefore \text{Weight of solid, } W_s = V_s \times G_s \gamma_w = 1 \times G_s \gamma_w$

etc,  $\underline{W_s = G_s \gamma_w}$

Again, moisture content,  $w = \frac{W_w}{W_s}$   
 $\Rightarrow W_w = W_s w$

$\Rightarrow \underline{W_w = w G_s \gamma_w}$

So, total volume,  $\underline{V = 1 + e} \Rightarrow$  It is a proportionate value.

So we can write,  $v \propto (1+e)$

- Determination of proportionality constant -

We know  $v \propto (1+e)$

or,  $v = k(1+e)$ ; where,  $k =$  proportionality constant

Again,  $\frac{v}{v_s} = \frac{1+e}{1}$

or,  $v = v_s(1+e)$  --- (ii)

So from these two eq<sup>n</sup>s -

$$\boxed{k = v_s} \propto$$

- Uses of void ratio -

1. Settlement computation, permeability determination
2. Indicates looseness or compactness of soil

(sandy type soil).

3. Compressibility or incompressibility of soil

(for clay).

3. Porosity (Percent Void) :- Porosity of a soil sample is defined by -

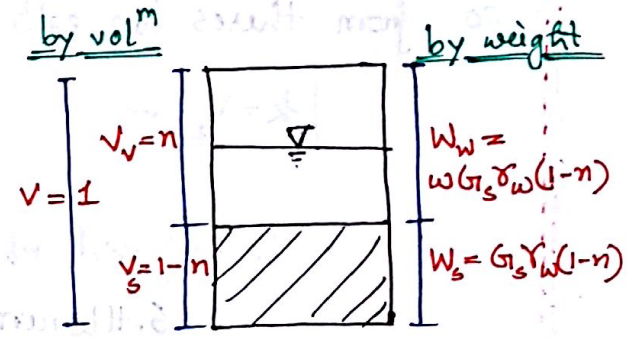
$$n = \frac{\text{Vol}^m \text{ of voids}}{\text{Total Volume}}$$

$$n = \frac{V_v}{V}$$

• for our convenience let us assume -

$V = 1$   
 So,  $n = \frac{V_v}{V}$   
 or,  $V_v = n$   
 $\therefore V_s = 1 - n$

$W_s = V_s G_s \gamma_w$   
 or,  $W = (1 - n) G_s \gamma_w$   
 where,  $G_s =$  specific gravity of soil



Now,  $w = \frac{W_w}{W_s}$

or,  $W_w = w W_s$

or,  $W_w = (1 - n) G_s \gamma_w w$

sup. Form this we can write,

void ratio,  $e = \frac{n}{1 - n} \Rightarrow$  void ratio in terms of porosity.

or,  $e - ne = n$

or,  $n(1 + e) = e$

$\therefore n = \frac{e}{1 + e} \Rightarrow$  porosity in terms of void ratio

IMP • Basic difference between porosity and void ratio:-

# We know,  $e = \frac{V_v}{V_s}$

So in case of void ratio, with application of load only numerator changes i.e. only the volume of voids changes. But the volume of solid skeleton does not change. So, in void ratio calculation, there is only one variable.

# We know,  $n = \frac{V_v}{V}$

In this case, with application of load, both the volume of total soil sample and the volume of voids change. So, in porosity, there are two variables.

So for engineering purpose, void ratio is more useful than calculating porosity.

Q. Express phase diagram in porosity or void ratio.

(exam- $\downarrow$  क्विज बना न आवाने लखान प्रकृत्य express बनाने रहे।)

• In this phase diagram,  $V \propto \frac{1}{1-n}$

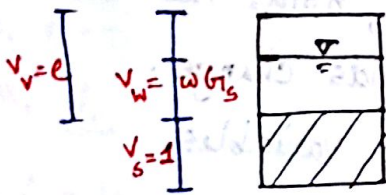
Relationship of void ratio with volume  $V \propto \frac{1}{1-n}$

4. Degrees of Saturation :- This indicates to what extent void spaces are filled up with water and it is expressed usually in %.

So the definition of degrees of saturation ( $S_r$ ) is -

$$S_r = \frac{V_w}{V_v} \times 100$$

- From phase-diagram expressed in void ratio -

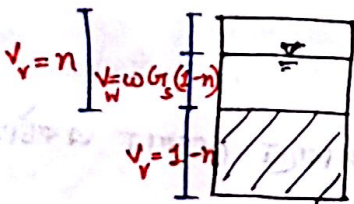


From this figure, we can write -

$$S_r = \frac{V_w}{V_v}$$

or,  $S_r = \frac{wG_s}{e} \Rightarrow$  expressed in decimal

- From phase diagram expressed in porosity -



From this figure, we can write -

$$S_r = \frac{V_w}{V_v}$$

or,  $S_r = \frac{wG_s(1-n)}{n} \Rightarrow$  expressed in decimal

\*\*  $S_r = 100\%$  when the soil is fully saturated

\*\*  $S_r = 0\%$  when the soil is completely dry.

Q. Prove,  $S_r = \frac{w G_s}{e}$  from the first definition without using the phase diagram. 11

• From the first definition without phase diagram —  
Void ratio is defined by the ratio of volume of voids to the volume of solid skeleton. So, void ratio,  $e = \frac{V_v}{V_s}$

$$\text{or, } V_v = e V_s \text{ --- (i)}$$

Moisture content is defined by the ratio of weight of water content to the weight of solid skeleton. So moisture content,  $w = \frac{W_w}{W_s}$

$$\text{or, } W_w = w W_s$$

$$\text{or, } W_w = w G_s \gamma_w V_s$$

where,  $\gamma_w$  = unit weight of water

and  $G_s$  = specific gravity of soil.

$$\text{So, } V_w = \frac{W_w}{\gamma_w} = \frac{w G_s \gamma_w V_s}{\gamma_w}$$

$$\text{or, } V_w = w G_s V_s \text{ --- (ii)}$$

Now, the definition of degree of saturation expressed in decimal is —

$$S_r = \frac{V_w}{V_v}$$

$$\text{or, } S_r = \frac{w G_s V_s}{e V_s}$$

$$\therefore S_r = \frac{w G_s}{e}$$

[proved]

[putting the values from (i) & (ii)]

## 5. Unit Weight (Weight per unit volume) :-

i. Bulk unit weight -

Definit<sup>n</sup> of Bulk unit weight,  $\gamma_{\text{bulk}}$  is -

$$\gamma_{\text{bulk}} = \frac{\text{Total weight}}{\text{Total Volume}}$$

$$\text{or, } \gamma_{\text{bulk}} = \frac{W}{V} = \frac{G_s \gamma_w + W G_s \gamma_w}{1+e} = \frac{W_s + W_w}{V}$$

$$\text{or, } \gamma_{\text{bulk}} = \frac{W_s + W_w}{V}$$

$$\text{or, } \gamma_{\text{bulk}} = \frac{1 + \frac{W_w}{W_s}}{\frac{V}{W_s}}$$

$$\text{or, } \gamma_{\text{bulk}} = \frac{1 + w}{\frac{1}{\gamma_d}}$$

$$\therefore \gamma_{\text{bulk}} = \gamma_d (1 + w)$$

$$\text{and } \gamma_{\text{bulk}} = \frac{G_s \gamma_w + w G_s \gamma_w}{1+e} = \frac{G_s + w G_s}{1+e} \gamma_w$$

$$\therefore \gamma_{\text{bulk}} = \frac{G_s + S_{pe}}{1+e} \gamma_w$$

Memorise  
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ii. Dry unit weight -

Definit<sup>n</sup> of dry unit weight,  $\gamma_d$  is -

$$\gamma_d = \frac{\text{weight of solid}}{\text{Total Volume}}$$

$$\text{or, } \gamma_d = \frac{W_s}{V}$$

$$\therefore \gamma_d = \frac{G_s \gamma_w}{1+e}$$

Memorise  
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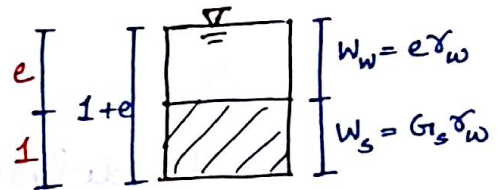
\*\* This is the minimum unit weight of a soil.

iii. Saturated Unit weight — In this case, voids are completely filled with water.

Definition of saturated unit weight,  $\gamma_{sat}$  is —

$$\gamma_{sat} = \frac{\text{Total Weight}}{\text{Total Vol}^m} = \frac{W}{V}$$

$$\text{or, } \gamma_{sat} = \frac{W_w + W_s}{V}$$



Here, the voids are filled with only  $H_2O$ , so,

$$W_w = e\gamma_w$$

$$\therefore \gamma_{sat} = \frac{e\gamma_w + G_s\gamma_w}{1+e}$$

$$\text{or, } \boxed{\gamma_{sat} = \frac{e + G_s}{1+e} \gamma_w}$$

\*\* This is the maximum unit weight that a soil can have.

iv. Submerged Unit Weight (Effective Unit Weight / Buoyant Unit Weight) — If soil is submerged under water, then with the increase of depth, the unit weight of soil will decrease.

$\therefore$  Buoyant unit weight ( $\gamma_b / \gamma' / \gamma_{eff}$ ) is —

$$\gamma' = \gamma_{sat} - \gamma_w = \frac{G_s + e}{1+e} \gamma_w - \gamma_w$$

$$\therefore \boxed{\gamma' = \frac{G_s - 1}{1+e} \gamma_w}$$

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• This eq<sup>n</sup> of  $\gamma'$  is always used for design point of view. This is because, bearing capacity of cohesionless soil under submerged condition significantly decreases.

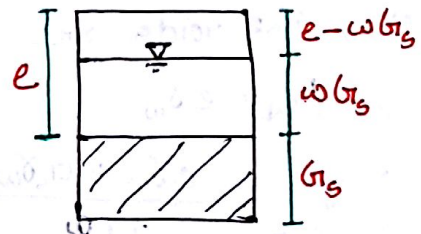
### 6. Air Content :-

The definition of air content is -

$$\begin{aligned}
 A_v &= \frac{V_a}{V} \\
 &= \frac{V_v - V_w}{V_v + V_s} \\
 &= \frac{1 - \frac{V_w}{V_v}}{1 + \frac{V_s}{V_v}} \\
 &= \frac{1 - s_p}{1 + \frac{1}{e}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{e(1 - s_p)}{1 + e} ; \quad \left[ \text{as porosity, } n = \frac{e}{1 + e} \right]$$

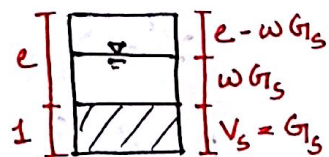
$$\therefore A_v = n(1 - s_p)$$



• Air content as a function of void ratio -

Here,  $A_v = \frac{V_a}{V} = \frac{e - wG_s}{1 + e}$

or,  $A_v = \frac{1 - \frac{wG_s}{e}}{1 + \frac{1}{e}}$



$$\text{or, } A_v = \frac{1 - s_r}{1 + \frac{1}{e}} ; \left[ \text{as } s_r = \frac{\omega G_s}{e} \right]$$

$$\therefore A_v = \frac{e(1 - s_r)}{1 + e}$$

• Air content as a function of porosity —

$$\text{Here, } A_v = \frac{V_a}{V}$$

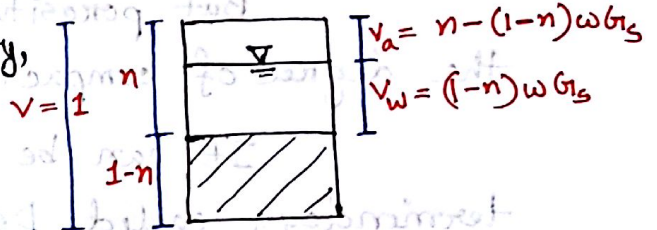
$$\text{or, } A_v = \frac{n - (1-n)\omega G_s}{1} ; \left[ \text{for porosity, } v = 1 \right]$$

$$\text{or, } A_v = n - (1-n)e s_r$$

$$\text{or, } A_v = n - (1-n) \frac{n}{1-n} s_r ; \left[ \text{as } e = \frac{n}{1-n} \right]$$

$$\text{or, } A_v = n - n s_r$$

$$\therefore A_v = n(1 - s_r)$$



\*\* For a particular project —

अच्छान् आक Soil आना इश  $\Rightarrow$  Borrow Area

अच्छान् मिट्टी आना इश Soil  $\Rightarrow$  Fill Area

Here,  $V_f$  = Volume of fill area and  $V_b$  = Volume of borrow area.

So, कटौत करके बरफि Soil आना आठोव परिमान इश —

$$\frac{V_f}{V_b} = \frac{1 + e_f}{1 + e_b}$$

## 7. Density Index ( $I_D$ ) :-

• Normally void ratio and porosity describes the compactness / looseness of **cohesionless soil** (for example - sand). But in case of clay, it is not applicable because **clay is cohesive soil**.

But porosity and void ratio can not describe the degree of compaction of cohesionless soil precisely.

It can be described precisely using a terminology called Density Index ( $I_D$ ).

a ratio expressed in %.

$$\text{Density Index, } I_D = \frac{e_{\max} - e_f}{e_{\max} - e_{\min}} \times 100$$

Here,  $e_f$  = void ratio in field condition

$e_{\max}$  = void ratio in the loosest form

$e_{\min}$  = void ratio after vibrating for 15 mins.

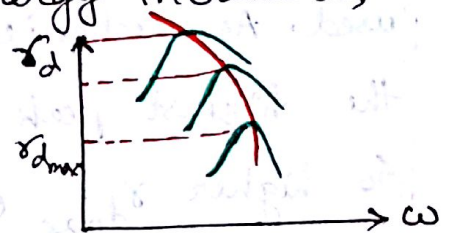
$$\text{Now, } I_D = \frac{(1 + e_{\max}) - (1 + e_f)}{(1 + e_{\max}) - (1 + e_{\min})}$$

$$\text{or, } I_D = \frac{\frac{1}{\gamma_{d\min}} - \frac{1}{\gamma_{df}}}{\frac{1}{\gamma_{d\min}} - \frac{1}{\gamma_{d\max}}} \times 100$$

[ Here for  $e_{\max}$ ,  $\gamma_d$  will be  $\min^m$ , because  $e \propto \frac{1}{\gamma_d}$  ]

essentially constant. There is, therefore, an optimum amount of mixing water for a given soil and compaction process which will give a maximum weight of soil per volume.

- Mechanical energy — For the same soil, if blow number increases i.e. mechanical energy increases, the curve shifts to the left.



For Standard Proctor —

$$\text{Mechanical energy} = \frac{\text{weight} \times \text{no. of layer} \times \text{no. of blows} \times \text{tamping height}}{\text{volume}}$$

$$= \frac{5.5 \times 3 \times 25 \times 1'}{\frac{1}{30}} = 12375 \#'$$

and for Modified Standard Proctor —

$$\text{Mechanical energy} = \frac{10 \times 5 \times 25 \times 1.5}{\frac{1}{30}} = 56250 \#'$$

Thus mechanical energy increases by  $\frac{56250}{12375}$  or 4.54 times which will increase  $\tau_d$  about 6-7% and thus the shear strength considerably.

The Darcy's Law is —

$$v = ki$$

where,  $v$  = discharge velocity / Approach vel. / Apparant vel. / Fictitious velocity

~~$k$~~   $k$  = coefficient of permeability

$i$  = hydraulic gradient =  $\frac{h}{L}$

here,  $h$  = head difference between the two end points of the length  $L$ .

• Definition of discharge velocity — The discharge velocity can be defined as the quantity of water that percolates in unit time across a unit area of cross-section oriented at right angle to the direction of flow.

$$\text{Now, flow rate, } q = \frac{Q}{t} = Av = KiA$$

$$\therefore k = \frac{Q}{iAt}$$

$$\text{or, } k = \frac{QL}{hAt}$$

where,  $Q$  = discharge

and  $A$  = gross area.



$$\text{Now, } i_c = \frac{\gamma'}{\gamma_w} = \frac{\gamma_{\text{sat}} - \gamma_w}{\gamma_w}$$

$$\text{or, } i_c = \frac{(G_s - 1)\gamma_w}{(1 + e)\gamma_w}$$

$$\text{or, } \boxed{i_c = \frac{G_s - 1}{1 + e}}$$

• Quick sand = চোকাঝালি

• Usually  $i_c = 0.85 - 1.15$

But for safety  $i_c = 1$  can be assumed.

and for natural granular soil,  $e = 0.5$  to  $1.0$ .

• Quick condition generally occurs in fine sand and hardly occurs in coarse sand. This is because, larger the particle size, greater will be the porosity. To maintain critical hydraulic gradient for this type of soil (coarse sand/gravel), larger velocity of flow required which usually can not be found in natural flow condition.

• Under quick condition,  $k \approx \infty$ .

Flow line and the another set is called Equipotential line. And the two sets are mutually perpendicular.

- Flow line — Flow line is a line along which water particles move from the upstream to downstream.

Assumption — Normally there are infinite number of flow lines from upstream to downstream. No two flow lines touch each other. Otherwise, it will become turbulent flow.

- Equipotential line — Equipotential line is the line along which all Piezometric reading will have same value.

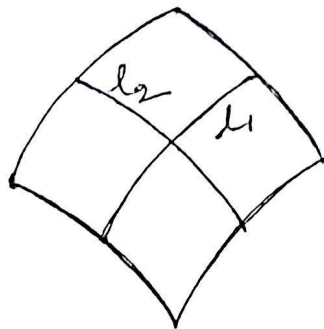
This line is perpendicular to flow line.

- Flow Channel — The region bounded between two successive flow lines is known as flow channel.

- Flow Element — The element bounded by two successive flow line and equipotential line is called flow element.

• Flow net diagram - The combination of flow channel, equipotential line and flow element is called flow net diagram.

Each flow element is a curvilinear square.



$$\therefore \underline{\underline{l_1 = l_2}}$$

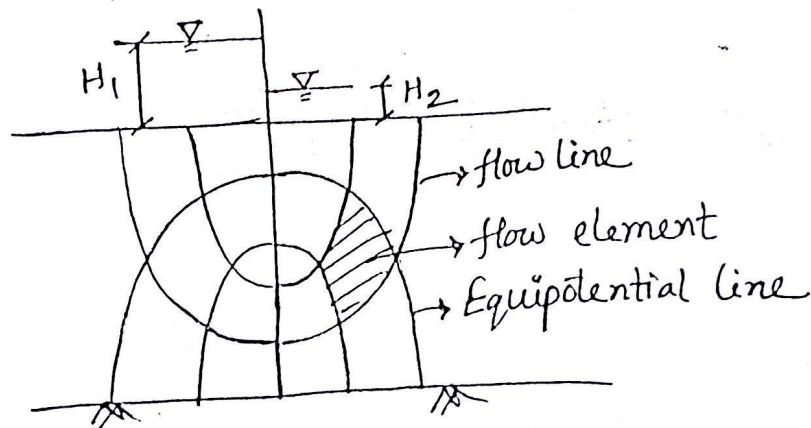
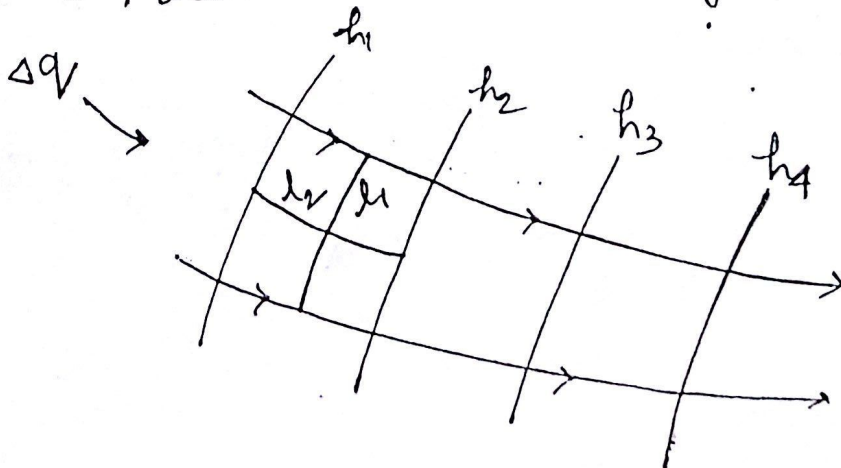


Fig: Flow net diagram

• Flow element in a larger scale -



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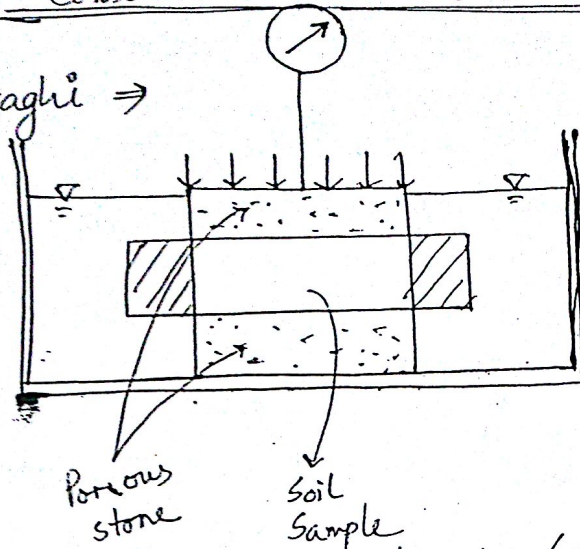
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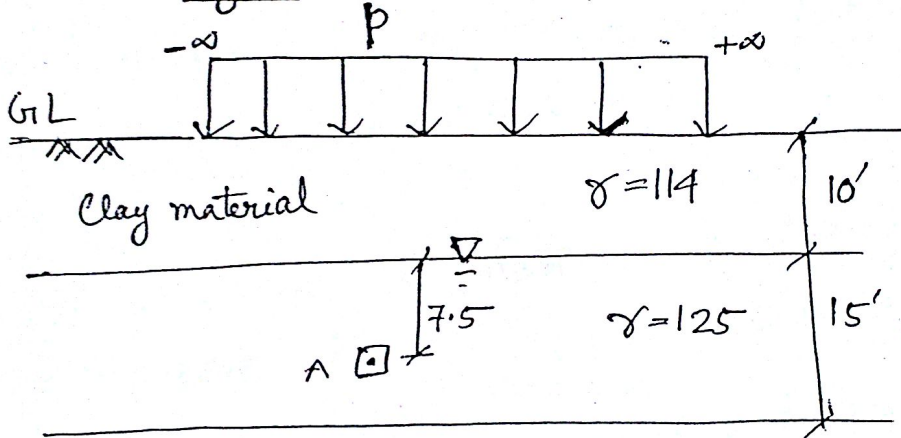
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Consolidation Characteristics of Soil

• Karl Terzaghi  $\Rightarrow$



\* mainly settlement decrease करार  
 एउए Engg.  
 purpose

Fig: Consolidometer/Oedometer



$p$  load concentrated एउए slowly निकै disperse करार।  
 but एउए infinity एउए load एउए। So एउए नए bad.

before load giving —

effective stress soil skeleton (एउए)  

$$\bar{p}_A = 114 \times 10 + (125 - 62.5) \times 7.5$$

$$u_A = 7.5 \times 62.5$$

• Diff. bet<sup>n</sup> Compaction & Consolidation —

# partially saturated so both air & water will dissipate

# fully saturated so only H<sub>2</sub>O dissipate

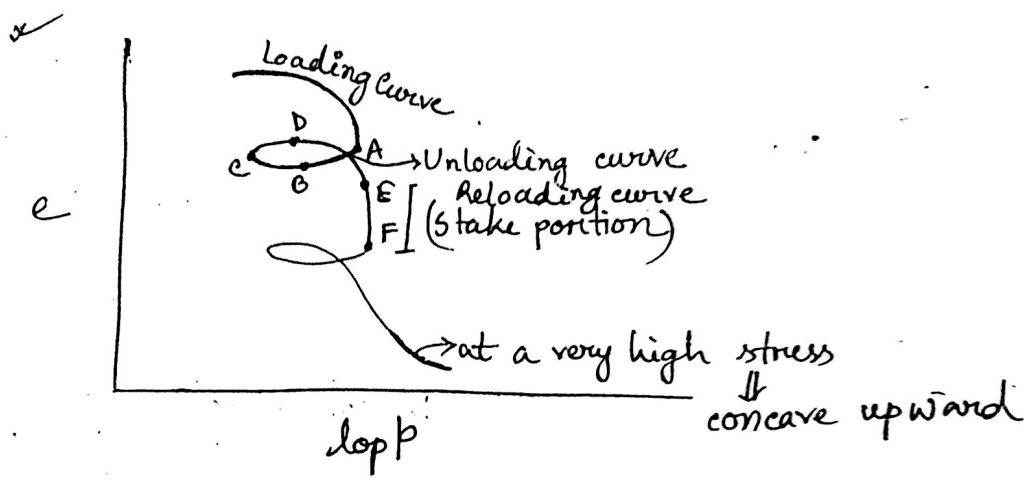
• Def<sup>n</sup> of Consolidation —

# Consolidation is a time dependent phenomena associated with the dissipation of excess pore H<sub>2</sub>O pressure.

# The process of gradual load transfer from pore water to soil skeleton & the corresponding gradual compression is called Consolidation.

⇓  
{ This compression results in the settlement of structure

# Terzaghi Def<sup>n</sup> — A decrease in H<sub>2</sub>O content of a saturated soil mass without the replacement of H<sub>2</sub>O by air is called <sup>Process of</sup> Consolidation.



• Types — actually represents the condition of the soil.

1) Normally Consolidated Soil — <sup>overburden effective pressure</sup>  
 — if the existing pressure on the soil is

the  $max^m$  pressure that the soil has been subjected to in its lifetime/stress history, then the soil

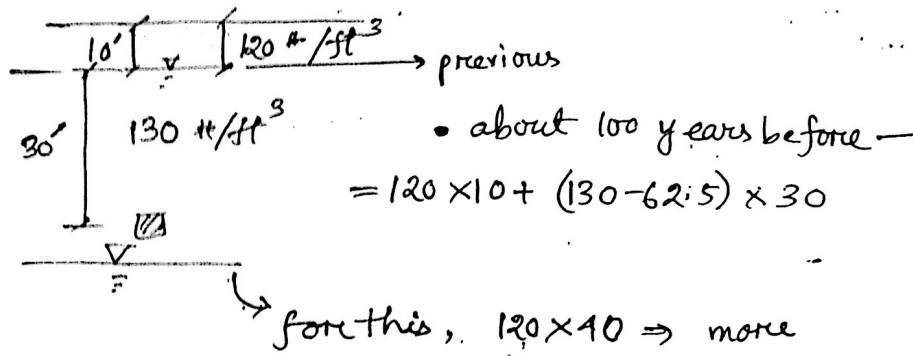
is called Normally Consolidated Soil (clay)  $\Rightarrow$  NC  
 $\Downarrow$   
 mostly used.  
 $\Updownarrow$   
 80% of our soil.

2) Over Consolidated Soil —

— If the soil is subjected to a pressure which is more than what is existing now, then the

soil is called Over Consolidated Clay (OC).

- Due to fluctuation of water table —



v. imp.  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Water table } \downarrow \text{ (निच जायना)} \Rightarrow OC \\ \text{" " } \uparrow \text{ (उंचा जायना)} \Rightarrow NC \end{array} \right.$

1. Very stiff in nature
2. Magnitude of settlement is less.

- Over Consolidation Pressure ( $p_c$ ) —

past max<sup>m</sup> pressure to which the soil is subjected to is called Over Consolidation Pressure.

$$\text{Current pressure} = p_0$$

$$\therefore \text{Over Consolidation } \Rightarrow (OCR) \text{ ratio} = \frac{p_c}{p_0}$$

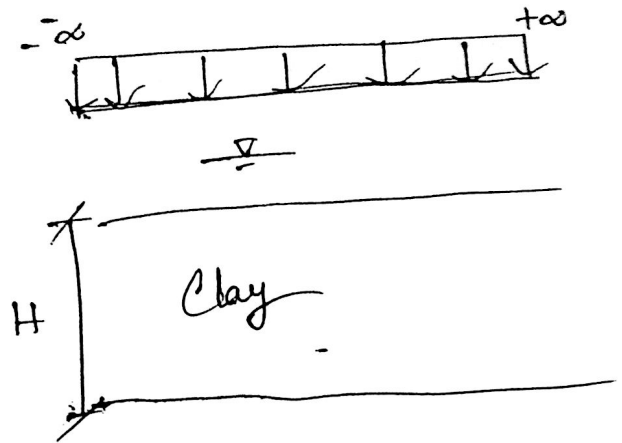
$$< 1 \Rightarrow NC$$

$$> 1 \Rightarrow OC$$

\*  $\therefore$  higher the degrees of consolidation, OCR  $\uparrow$ .

• Computation of the settlement -

# Basic assumption  
 Clay layer subjected to uniform strain across its thickness for the load



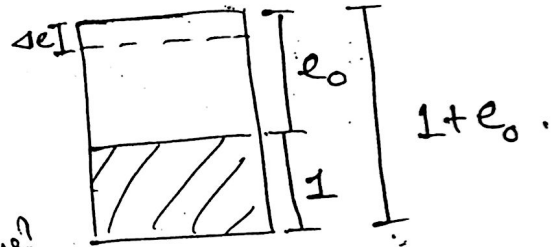
# Settlement,

$$S = H \epsilon$$

↓  
uniform strain

on,  $\epsilon = \frac{S}{H}$

$$\therefore \frac{\Delta e}{1+e_0} = \frac{S}{H}$$

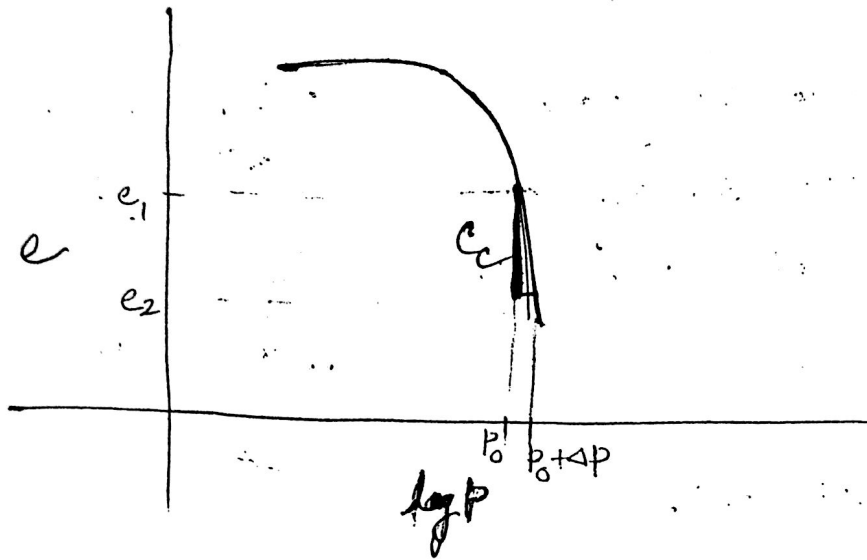


$$\Rightarrow S = H \frac{\Delta e}{1+e_0}$$

Settlement

thickness of the clay layer

how to determine?  
 change in void ratio after giving load  
 $\epsilon = \frac{\Delta e}{1+e_0}$   
 load causes compression of void ratio



$\Rightarrow$  210 plasticity  $\uparrow$ ,  $C_c \uparrow$ .  
 $C_c =$  Compression index = slope of the vertical portion of the curve.

$$C_c = \frac{e_1 - e_2}{\log(p_0 + \Delta p) - \log p_0} = \frac{\Delta e}{\log \frac{p_0 + \Delta p}{p_0}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \Delta e = C_c \log \frac{p_0 + \Delta p}{p_0}$$

Settlement  $\Rightarrow S = H \frac{C_c}{1 + e_0} \log \frac{p_0 + \Delta p}{p_0} \Rightarrow$  valid for only NC Clay.

Suppose, for the above fig.

$$e_0 = e_1$$

$C_c$   $p_0$   $\Delta p$   $e_1$   $e_2$



clay middle layer footing center 20.5' from wall  
 $\therefore 2 \times 10.25 = 20.5'$  slope 2:1 hor. distan.  
 $\therefore 10.25'$

$1.5 + 10.25 \times 2 = 35.5'$

$\Delta p = \frac{1200}{35.5 \times 35.5} =$

So only the 15' layer!  
 ver. distance 2:1  
 $35.5'$  e2  
 started 2 side  
 $10.25$  from center  
 2:1 slope

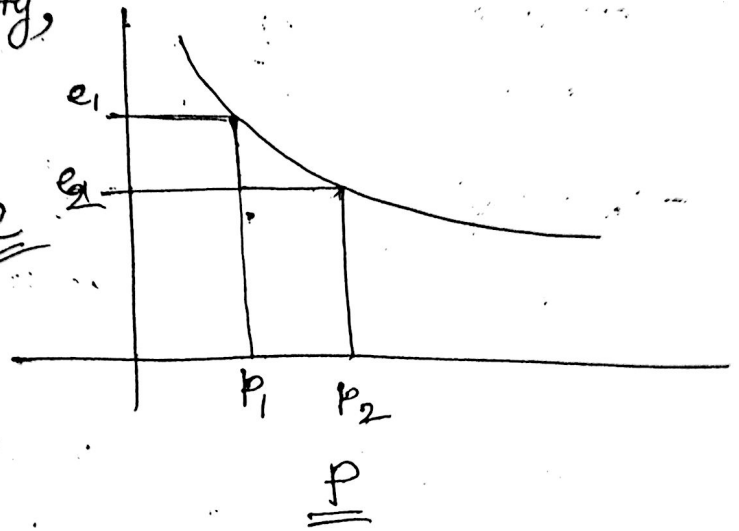
$e_0 = w G_c = 0.29 \times 2.7 =$

⊗ Coefficient of permeability,

$a_v = \frac{e_1 - e_2}{p_2 - p_1}$

$= \frac{-\Delta e}{\Delta p}$

$-e$



-ve bec reverse with

↑ in effective stress,

$a_v \downarrow$

↓  
 sign.

$\therefore S = H \frac{\Delta e}{1 + e_0}$

$\Rightarrow S = H \frac{a_v \Delta p}{1 + e_0}$

valid for all conditions

$p_0 = 1.69$

$\Delta p = 0.95$

curve Graph --  $p_1 = 1.69$  then 0.95 increase  $p_2$

$e_0$  2:1 1.69 correspond

e.

• Empirical formula

$C_c = 0.009 (LL - 10) \Rightarrow$  undisturbed soil sample

$C_c = 0.007 (LL - 10) \Rightarrow$  disturbed / remolded

OR

e vs log p curve

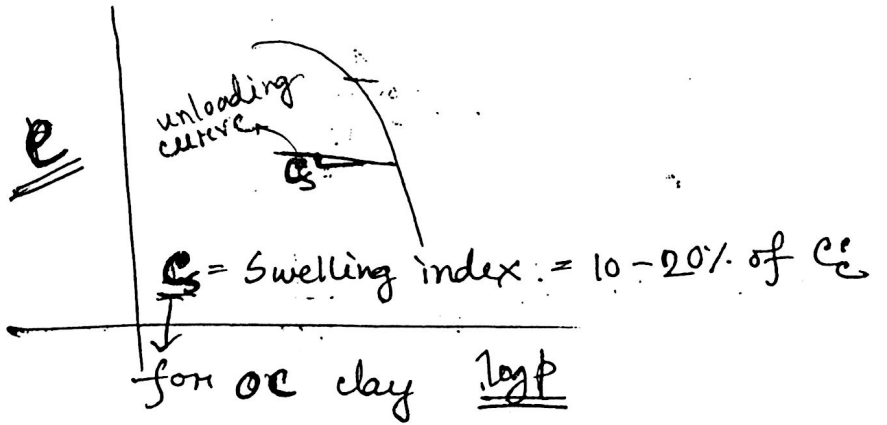
OR normally

OR formula

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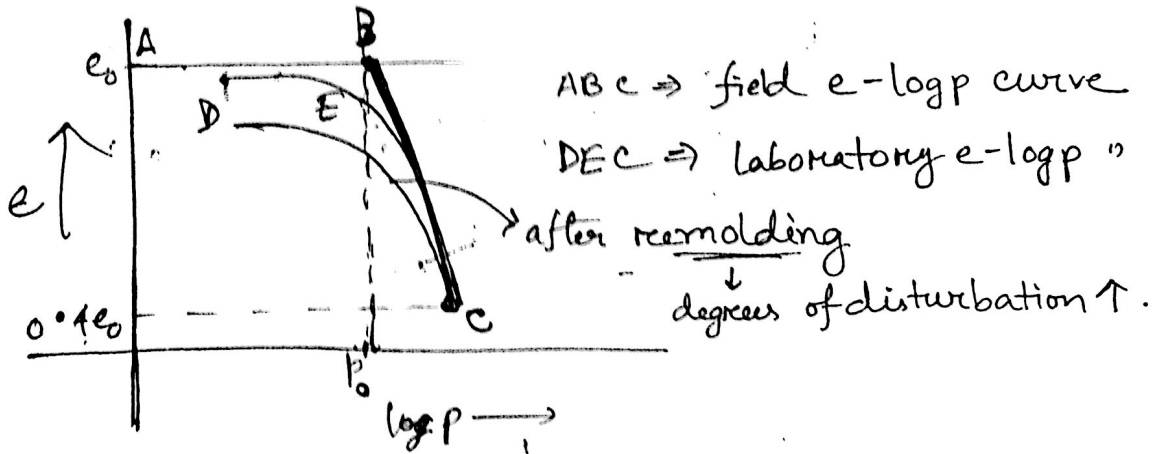
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• Swelling Index



Max settlement due to primary consolidation — 16.11.15

V.S. Laboratory e-logp curve — (undisturbed) & NC clay



Empirical relationship → Skempton

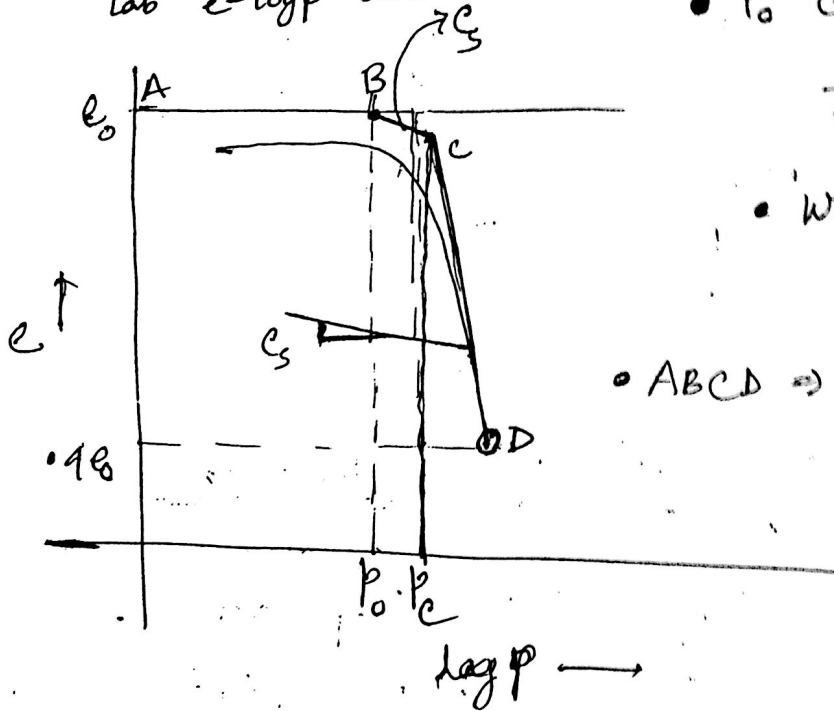
laboratory & field e-logp curve → final portion passing through a one point → corresponds to 40% of  $e_0$ . → straight

$$S = H \frac{C_c}{1+e_0} \log \frac{p_0 + \Delta p}{p_0}$$

\* for OC Clay

$p_0, p_c, e_0$

lab  $e$ -log $p$  curve



•  $p_0$  over  $p_c$  then

OC

• When crosses  $p_c$   
 $\downarrow$   
 NC

• ABCD  $\Rightarrow$  field  $e$ -log $p$  curve for OC clay

Smart Men  $\Rightarrow$

$$\overline{BC}, s_1 = H \frac{c_s}{1+e_0} \log \frac{p_0 + \Delta p}{p_0}$$

where,  $p_0 + \Delta p < p_c$

$\downarrow$

$\hookrightarrow$  current/existing pressure

• कारण BC portion - का अर्थ total  $s$  only 5% or  $< 5\%$   
 अर्थात् 30 टॉ प्रोजेक्ट - का अर्थ मात्र 5% अर्थात्

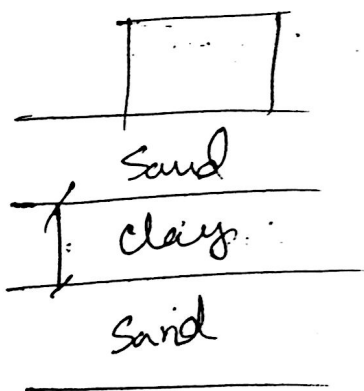
OC  
 NC

OC clay  $\Rightarrow$   $\uparrow$  load  $\uparrow$   $\downarrow$   $e$   
 NC "  $\Rightarrow$   $\uparrow$  load  $\downarrow$  " "

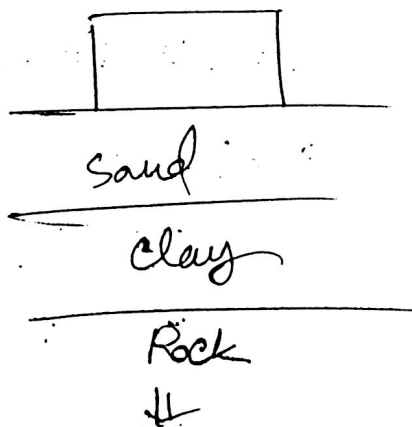
$\overrightarrow{CD}$ ,  $s_2 = H \frac{C_c}{1+e_0} \log \frac{p_0 + \Delta p}{p_c}$  or  $s_2 = H \frac{C_c}{1+e_0} \log \frac{p_0 + \Delta p}{p_c}$   
 where  $p_0 + \Delta p > p_c$

$\downarrow$   
 as it starts from  $e$  and so here initial pressure is  $\underline{p_c}$

$s = s_1 + s_2 = \frac{C_s H}{1+e_0} \log \frac{p_c}{p_0} + \frac{C_c H}{1+e_0} \log \frac{p_0 + \Delta p}{p_c}$



$\downarrow$   
 drainage in both way



$\downarrow$   
 One way  $\Rightarrow$  needs more time drainage

\* Magnitude of settlement will be same irrespective of drainage condition  $\Rightarrow$  only depends on time



$$\bar{P} = 6 \times 120 + 4(125 - 62.5) + 5(118 - 62.4) \times 7.5$$

iter excavation

$$= 152 \text{ ksf.}$$

Settlement expression -

$$\frac{1.52 \text{ to } 3.08}{OC} \text{ A 214}$$

Initial void ratio,  $e_0 = w G_s$

$$= 0.3 \times 2.7$$

$$= 0.81$$

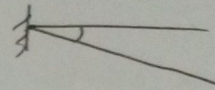
$$C_c = 0.009(27 - 10)$$

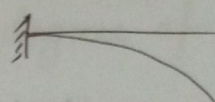
$$= 0.15$$

$$C_3 = 15\% \cdot C_c = 0.0225$$

$$S = \frac{0.0225 \times 120}{1 + 0.8} \log \frac{3.08}{1.52} + \frac{0.15 \times 120}{1 + 0.8} \log \frac{3.08 + 0.8}{3.08}$$

stress for footing  
↑  
 $\bar{P}$   
↑

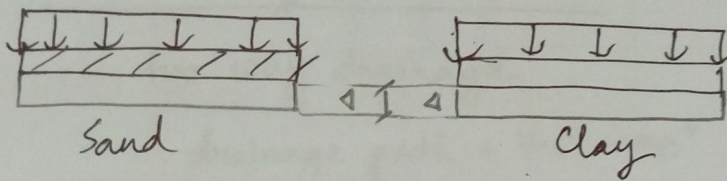
for rigid beam  $\Rightarrow$  no length change 

"flexible"  $\Rightarrow$  length changes 

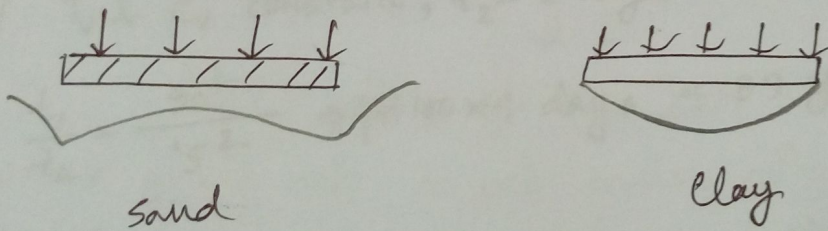
- Displacement & stress distrib<sup>n</sup> will be considered.

# Settlement -

- Rigid body resting on sand and clay subjected to uniform pressure  $\Rightarrow$  settlement will be equal.



- for flexible body -



# Stress Dist<sup>n</sup> -

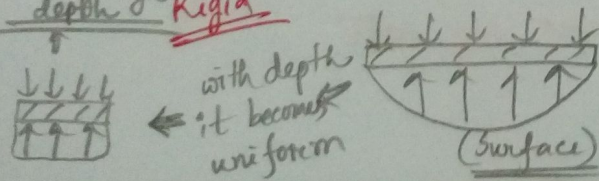
pressure dist<sup>n</sup> will be equal & opposite in magnitude.

flexible



Rigid

At very high depth  
with depth it becomes uniform



Singularity Problem

$\Rightarrow$  Theoretically it goes to  $\infty$ . But before that soil fails so the figure is like this

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(\*) Present effective overburden pressure is the max pressure that the soil has been subjected to in the past.

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Settlement,

$$S_c = \frac{C_c H}{1+e_0} \log \frac{P_o' + \Delta P'}{P_o'}$$

$C_c$  = compression index

= 0.009 (LL-10) [undisturbed]

= 0.007 (LL-10) [disturbed]

H = clay layer thickness

$e_0$  = initial void ratio

$P_o'$  = effective overburden pressure

$\Delta P'$  = Increase of effective pressure.

(\*) Present effective overburden pressure is less than the soil has experienced in the past.

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Case-1:  $P_c' \geq (P_o' + \Delta P')$

$$S_c = \frac{C_s H}{1+e_0} \log \left( \frac{P_o' + \Delta P'}{P_o'} \right)$$

$C_s$  = swell index  $\approx \frac{1}{5}$  to  $\frac{1}{10}$  of  $C_c$

$P_c'$  = pre consolidation pressure.

Case-2:  $P_o' < P_c' < P_o' + \Delta P'$

$$S_c = \frac{C_c H}{1+e_0} \log \frac{P_c'}{P_o'} + \frac{C_c H}{1+e_0} \log \frac{P_o' + \Delta P'}{P_c'}$$

# When SPT value needed correct?

N value depends on:-

~~(\*) Inadequate clearing of borehole.~~

(\*) (i) If drill rod is more.

(ii) for borehole dia.

(iii) liner in sampler measurement

(iv) ~~SPT~~ Inappropriate release mechanism.

- (i) Energy
- (ii) Hammer
- (iii) length of drill rod
- (iv) dia of borehole

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Specification of Compaction Test

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| #                     | Standard Proctor ASTM D698-70 | Modified Proctor ASTM D1557-90 |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Weight of Hammer      | 5.5 lb                        | 10 lb                          |
| Num of layers         | 3                             | 5                              |
| Height of hammer drop | 12 in                         | 18 in                          |

Two types of compaction molds: -

(i) dia = 4" ; <sup>volume</sup> ~~weight~~ =  $\frac{1}{30} \text{ ft}^3$

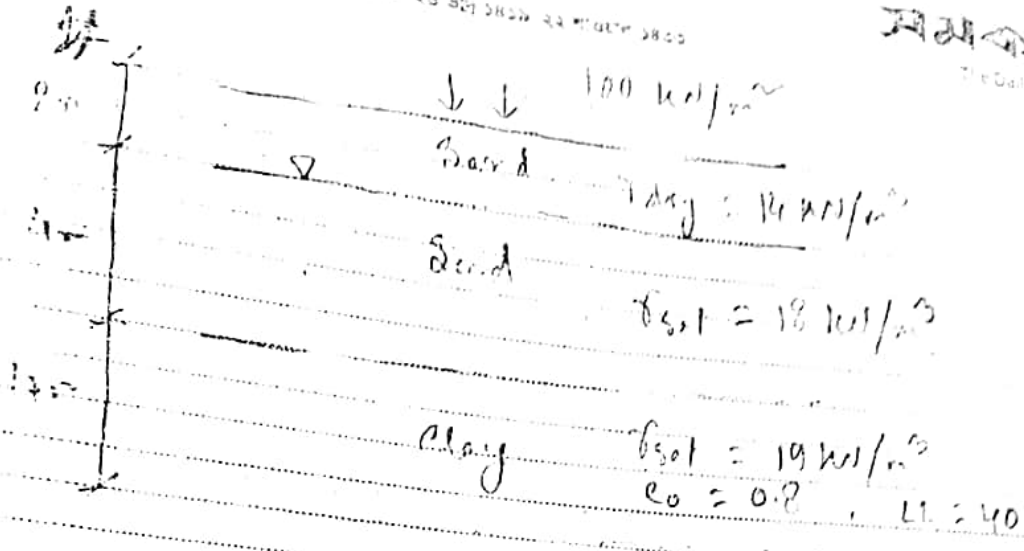
(ii) dia = 6" ; volume =  $\frac{1}{13.33} \text{ ft}^3$

→ num of blow should be 56 instead of 25.

|                                 |                             |                                |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| dia of mold                     | 4"                          | 6"                             |
| Volume of mold                  | $\frac{1}{30} \text{ ft}^3$ | $\frac{1}{13.33} \text{ ft}^3$ |
| height of mold                  | 4.58"                       | 4.58"                          |
| Num of blows per layer          | 25                          | 56                             |
| Tested on soil finer than sieve | No. 4                       | No. 10                         |

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find settlement of the clay layer if

- (a) The clay is NCC,  $c_c = 0.27$
- (b) Pre consolidation pressure,  $P_c = 150 \text{ kN/m}^2$
- (c)  $P_c = 170 \text{ kN/m}^2$  use,  $c_s = \frac{1}{6} c_c$

height of  $\Delta P$   
 comp. height  
 comp. height

(a) For NCC

$$S = \frac{c_c H}{1 + e_0} \cdot \log \frac{\sigma'_n + \Delta \sigma'}{\sigma'_n}$$

$$\sigma'_0 = 14 \times 2 + 4 \times (18 \times 0.81) + 2 \times (19 \times 0.81)$$

$$= 79.14 \text{ kN/m}^2$$

$\sigma'_n = 79.14$   
 $\Delta \sigma' = 100$   
 $\sigma'_n + \Delta \sigma' = 179.14$

$$c_c = 0.009 \times (40 - 10) = 0.27$$

$$\therefore S = \frac{0.27 \times 4}{1 + 0.8} \cdot \log \frac{179.14 + 100}{79.14}$$

$$= 0.013 \text{ m} = 13 \text{ mm}$$

(b)  $P_0' + \Delta P' = 170.17$

So,  $P_c' = 190 \text{ kN/m}^2 > P_0' + \Delta P'$

$$S = \frac{c_s H}{1 + e_0} \log \frac{P_0' + \Delta P'}{P_0'}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{1}{6} \times 27 \times 4}{1 + 0.8} \log \frac{170.17}{170}$$

$= 0.035 \text{ m}$

(c)  $P_c' < P_0' + \Delta P'$

$$S = \frac{c_s H}{1 + e_0} \log \frac{P_c'}{P_0'} + \frac{c_c H}{1 + e_0} \log \frac{P_0' + \Delta P'}{P_c'}$$

$$= \frac{\frac{1}{6} \cdot 27 \times 4}{1 + 0.8} \log \frac{170}{170.17} + \frac{0.27 \times 4}{1 + 0.8} \log \frac{170.17}{170}$$

$= 0.033 + 0.0136$

$= 0.047 \text{ m}$

## "PERMEABILITY"

Permeability — is a soil property which indicates the ease with which ~~soil~~ water will flow through the soil.

Seepage — is the slow movement of water through the continuous void sample.

Flow net — equipotential line + flow line.

Equipotential line — is a line along which piezometric head reading is same at all points on it. It is orthogonal to flow line.

Flow line — is the line along which water particles ~~flow through~~ travel from u/s to d/s.

\* Factors affecting the permeability of soil.

- (1) The size of soil grains.
- (2) The properties of pore fluid.
- (3) The void ratio of soil.
- (4) The shape & arrangement of pores.
- (5) The degree of saturation.

## Constant head method

$$(i) k = \frac{QL}{hAt}$$

(ii) for highly permeable materials

(iii) not precise method

## Falling head method

$$(i) k = 2.3 \frac{aL}{At_1} \log \frac{h_0}{h_1}$$

(ii) for low permeable materials.

(iii) precise method

# In a constant head permeability test a sample 8cm long was tested in a permeameter with an inside dia of 5cm. After a state of steady flow was established under a head of 50cm, discharge of 120 cc/cm was collected in 30 sec. Compute the value of  $k$ .

Ans:

$$k = \frac{QL}{hAt} = \frac{120 \times 8}{50 \times \frac{\pi}{4} (5)^2 \times 30}$$
$$= 3.07 \times 10^{-2} \text{ cm/sec.}$$

# A falling head permeability was performed in a permeameter with an inside dia of 5 cm. The inside dia of the standpipe was 2 mm. The sample had a length of 8 cm. During a period of 6 min the head on the sample decreased from 100 to 50 cm. Compute the value of  $k$ .

Ans:

$$k = 2.3 \frac{aL}{At} \log \frac{h_0}{h_1}$$

$$= 2.3 \times \frac{\frac{\pi}{4} \times (0.2)^2 \times 8}{\frac{\pi}{4} \times 5^2 \times 6 \times 60} \log \frac{100}{50}$$

$$= 2.5 \times 10^{-5} \text{ cm/sec.}$$

Seepage velocity,  $V_s = \frac{V}{n} = \frac{V}{e} = V \times \left(\frac{1+e}{e}\right)$ .

# Hydraulic conductivity of clay soil is  $3 \times 10^{-7} \text{ cm/sec}$ . The viscosity of water at  $25^\circ\text{C}$  is  $0.011 \times 10^{-4} \text{ g.sec/cm}^2$ . Calculate the absolute permeability of soil.

$$k = \bar{k} \frac{\gamma_w}{\eta}$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{k} = \frac{k \eta}{\gamma_w} = \frac{3 \times 10^{-7} \times 0.011 \times 10^{-4}}{1 \text{ gm/cm}^3} = 0.2733 \times 10^{-11} \text{ cm}^2$$

(\*) In natural state, a moist soil has a volume of  $0.33 \text{ ft}^3$  and weights  $39.93 \text{ lb}$ . The oven dry weight of the soil is  $34.54 \text{ lb}$ , if  $G_s = 2.71$ . Calculate,  $w$ ,  $\gamma_w$ ,  $\gamma_d$ ,  $e$ ,  $n$ ,  $S$ .

$$\text{Ans. } w = \frac{W_w}{W_s} = \frac{W - W_s}{W_s} = \frac{39.93 - 34.54}{34.54} = 15.6\%$$

$$\gamma_w = \frac{W_w}{V} = \frac{39.93}{0.33} = 121 \text{ lb/ft}^3$$

$$\gamma_d = \frac{W_s}{V} = \frac{34.54}{0.33} = 104.67 \text{ lb/ft}^3$$

$$e = \frac{V_v}{V_s} \quad ; \quad V_s = \frac{W_s}{G_s \gamma_w} = \frac{34.54}{2.71 \times 62.4} = 0.2045 \text{ ft}^3$$

$$= \frac{0.1257}{0.2045} = 0.615$$

$$V_v = V - V_s = 0.33 - 0.2045 = 0.1257 \text{ ft}^3$$

$$n = \frac{e}{1+e} = \frac{0.615}{1+0.615} = 0.381$$

$$S = \frac{V_w}{V_v} \quad ; \quad V_w = \frac{W_w}{\gamma_w} = \frac{39.93 - 34.54}{62.4} = 0.0864 \text{ ft}^3$$

$$= \frac{0.0864}{0.1257}$$

$$= 68.74\%$$

(\*) for a soil,  $e = 0.75$ ,  $w = 22\%$ ,  $G_s = 2.66$   
 Calculate,  $n$ ,  $\gamma_w$ ,  $\gamma_d$ ,  $s$ .

Ans.  $n = \frac{e}{1+e} = \frac{0.75}{1+0.75} = 0.429$

$\gamma_w = \frac{(1+w) G_s \gamma_w}{1+e} = \frac{(1+0.22) \times 2.66 \times 62.4}{1+0.75} = 115.77 \text{ lb/ft}^3$

$\gamma_d = \frac{G_s \gamma_w}{1+e} = \frac{2.66 \times 62.4}{1+0.75} = 94.85 \text{ lb/ft}^3$

$s = \frac{w G_s}{e} = \frac{0.22 \times 2.66}{0.75} = 78.02\%$

(\*)  $w = 15\%$ , unit wt  $120 \text{ lb/ft}^3$ ,  $e_{min} = 0.50$   
 and  $e_{max} = 0.85$  for densest & loosest state.  
 Compute  $s$ ,  $I_d$ ,  $G_s = 2.65$ .

Ans.  $I_d = \frac{e_{max} - e}{e_{max} - e_{min}} = \frac{0.85 - e}{0.85 - 0.5}$

$e = \frac{V_v}{V_s} = \frac{0.85 - 0.59}{0.85 - 0.5} = 0.74$

$s = \frac{V_w}{V_v}$

Now,  $w = \frac{W_w}{W_s} = 0.15 \Rightarrow W_w = 0.15 W_s$

Given,  $W_w + W_s = 120 \Rightarrow 0.15 W_s + W_s = 120 \therefore W_s = 104.3 \text{ lb}$   
 $W_w = 15.7 \text{ lb}$

$$V_s = \frac{W_s}{G_s \gamma_w} = \frac{104.5}{2.65 \times 62.4} = 0.63 \text{ ft}^3$$

Let, total volume,  $V = 1$

$$\therefore V_w = \frac{W_w}{\gamma_w} = \frac{15.7}{62.4} = 0.25 \text{ ft}^3$$

$$\therefore V_a = V - (V_w + V_s) = 1 - (0.25 + 0.63) = 0.12 \text{ ft}^3$$

$$S = \frac{V_w}{V_v} = \frac{0.25}{0.25 + 0.12} = \frac{0.25}{0.37} = 67.57\%$$

$$e = \frac{V_v}{V_s} = \frac{0.37}{0.63} = 0.59$$

(\*) Unit wt =  $131 \text{ lb/ft}^3$ ,  $\gamma_d$ ,  $\gamma_d$  ~~at~~ zero air.  
 $\gamma_{sat}$  if the voids are filled with water.  $G_s = 2.65$   
 $w = 14\%$

Ans:  $w = \frac{W_w}{W_s} = 0.14 \Rightarrow W_w = 0.14 W_s$

$$\therefore W_w + W_s = 131 \Rightarrow 0.14 W_s + W_s = 131 \therefore W_s = 115$$

$$\therefore W_w = 16.1 \text{ lb}$$

$$\gamma_d = \frac{W_s}{V} = \frac{115}{1} = 115 \text{ lb/ft}^3$$

$$V_s = \frac{W_s}{G_s \gamma_w} = \frac{115}{2.65 \times 62.4} = 0.69 \text{ ft}^3$$

$$V_w = \frac{W_w}{\gamma_w} = \frac{16.1}{62.4} = 0.26 \text{ ft}^3$$

$$V_v = V - V_s = 1 - 0.69 = 0.31 \text{ ft}^3$$

$$V_a = V_v - V_w = 0.31 - 0.26 = 0.06 \text{ ft}^3$$

$$\gamma_d = \frac{W_s}{V_s + V_w} = \frac{115}{0.69 + 0.26} = 121.1 \text{ lb/ft}^3$$

$$\gamma_{sat} = \frac{115 + 0.26 \times 62.4}{1} = 131.4 \text{ lb/ft}^3$$

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$$V_s = \frac{W_s}{G_s \gamma_w} = \frac{104.5}{2.65 \times 62.4} = 0.63 \text{ ft}^3$$

Let total volume,  $V = 1$

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$$\therefore V_a = V - (V_w + V_s) = 1 - (0.25 + 0.63) = 0.12 \text{ ft}^3$$

$$S = \frac{V_w}{V_v} = \frac{0.25}{0.25 + 0.12} = \frac{0.25}{0.37} = 67.57\%$$

$$e = \frac{V_v}{V_s} = \frac{0.37}{0.63} = 0.59$$

(\*) Unit wt = 131 lb/ft<sup>3</sup>,  $\gamma_d$ ,  $\gamma_d$  ~~at~~ at zero air voids,  $\gamma_{sat}$  if the voids are filled with water.  $G_s = 2.65$ ,  $w = 14\%$ .

Ans.  $w = \frac{W_w}{W_s} = 0.14 \Rightarrow W_w = 0.14 W_s$

$$\therefore W_w + W_s = 131 \Rightarrow 0.14 W_s + W_s = 131 \therefore W_s = 115 \text{ lb}$$

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$$\gamma_d = \frac{W_s}{V} = \frac{115}{1} = 115 \text{ lb/ft}^3$$

$$V_s = \frac{W_s}{G_s \gamma_w} = \frac{115}{2.65 \times 62.4} = 0.69 \text{ ft}^3$$

$$V_w = \frac{W_w}{\gamma_w} = \frac{16.1}{62.4} = 0.26 \text{ ft}^3$$

$$V_v = V - V_s = 1 - 0.69 = 0.31 \text{ ft}^3$$

$$V_a = V_v - V_w = 0.31 - 0.26 = 0.06 \text{ ft}^3$$

$$\gamma_d = \frac{W_s}{V_s + V_w} = \frac{115}{0.69 + 0.26} = 121.1 \text{ lb/ft}^3$$

$$\gamma_{sat} = \frac{115 + 0.26 \times 62.4}{1} = 131.4 \text{ lb/ft}^3$$

\* BCS

A 27.50 lb soil sample has a volume of 0.320 cf moisture content of 15.2% and specific gravity of soil solids 2.67. Compute bulk density, dry density,  $S_w$ ,  $e$ .

$$W_s = 27.50 \text{ lb}, \quad V = 0.320 \text{ cf}, \quad W = 0.152, \quad G_s = 2.67$$

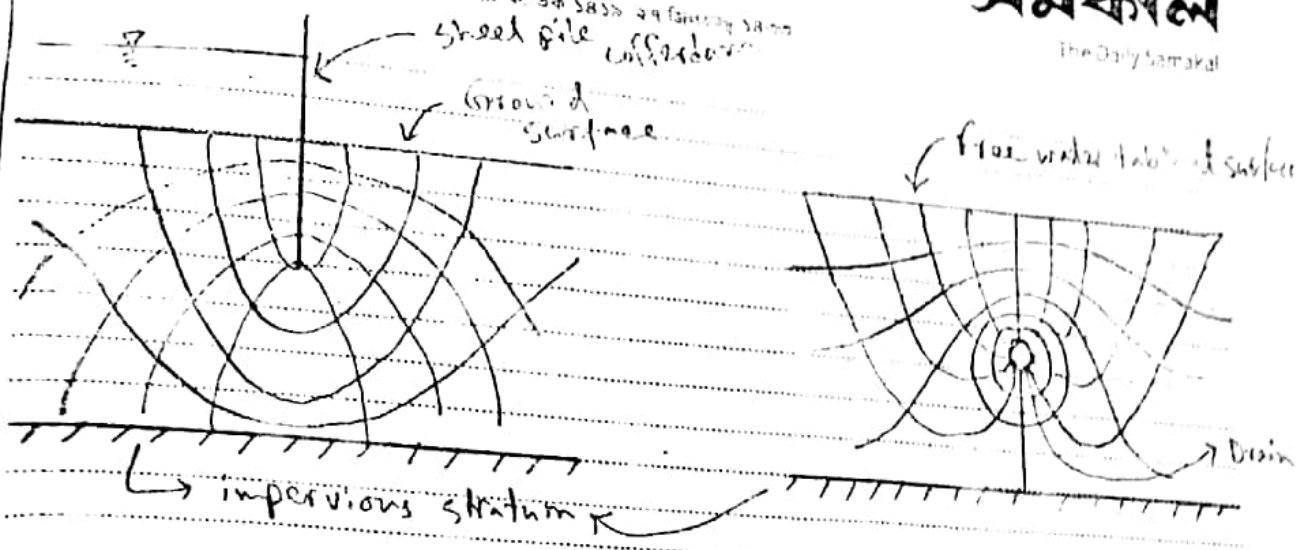
$$\gamma_{\text{bulk}} = \frac{(1+W)G_s \gamma_w}{1+e} = \frac{(1+0.152) \times 2.67 \times 62.5}{1+e} = 85.94$$

$$\therefore e = 1.27$$

$$\gamma_{\text{bulk}} = \frac{W_s}{V} = \frac{27.50}{0.320} = 85.94 \text{ lb/cf}$$

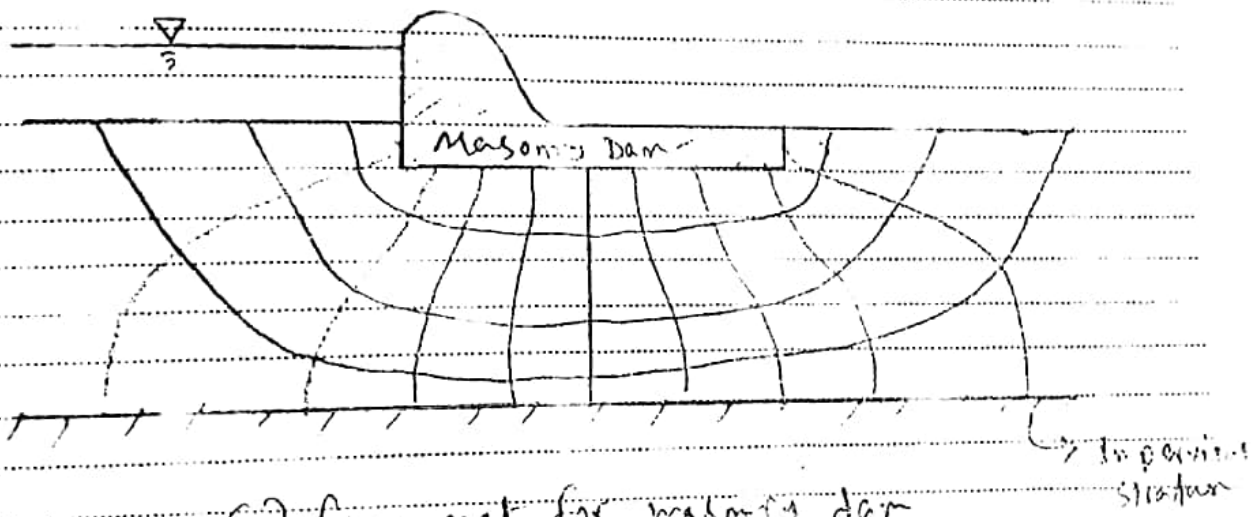
$$\gamma_{\text{dry}} = \frac{\gamma_{\text{bulk}}}{1+W} = \frac{85.94}{1+0.152} = 74.6 \text{ lb/cf}$$

$$S_w = \frac{W G_s}{e} = \frac{0.152 \times 2.67}{1.27} = 32.9 \%$$

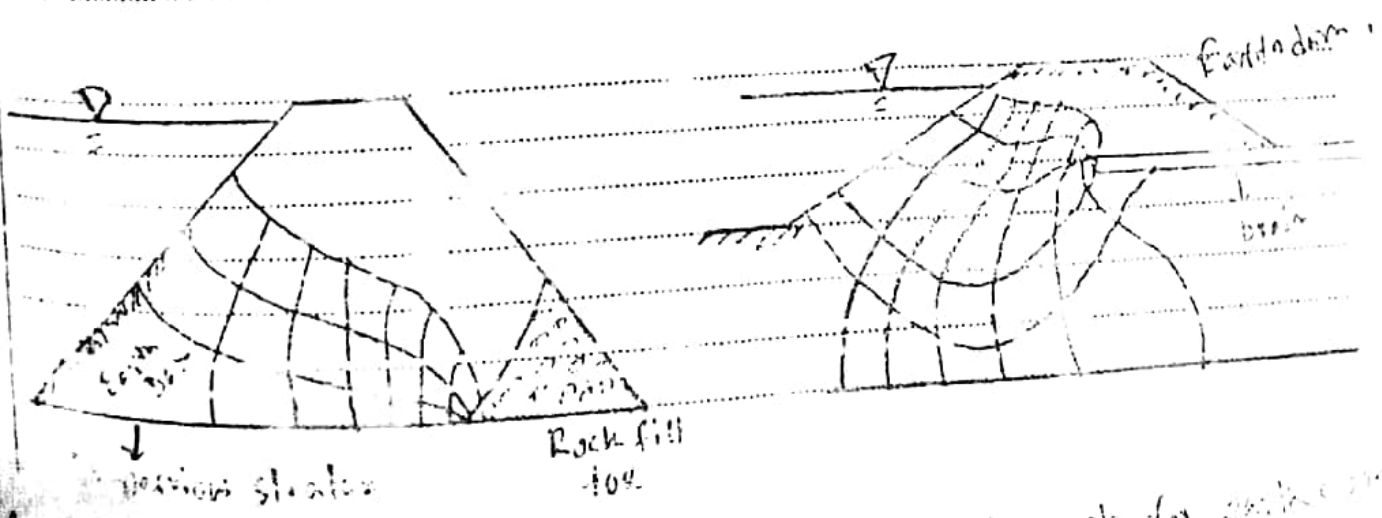


(a) flow net for sheet pile cofferdam

(b) flow net for drain



(c) flow net for masonry dam



(d) flow net for earth dam

(e) flow net for earth dam

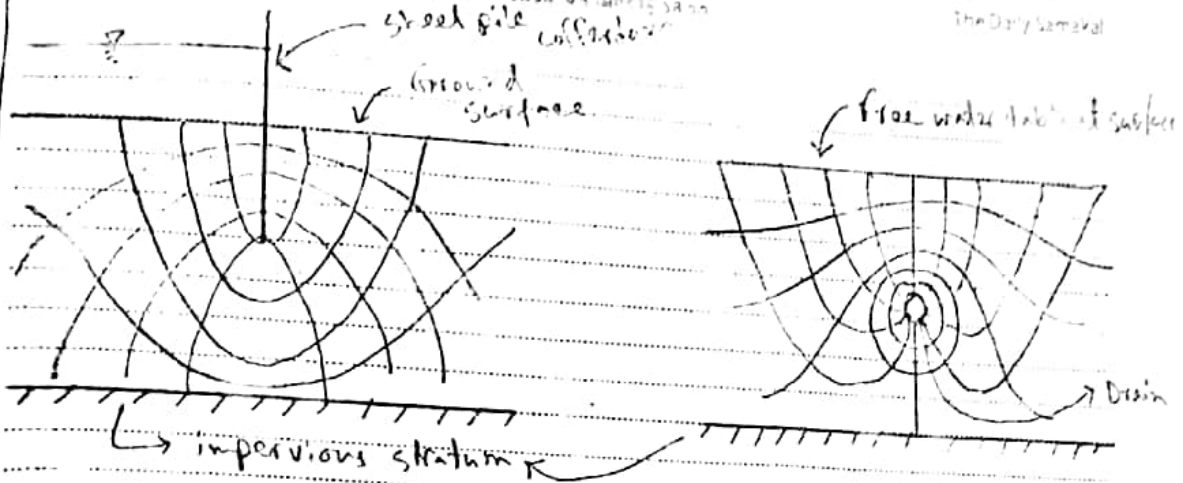
# Flow Net

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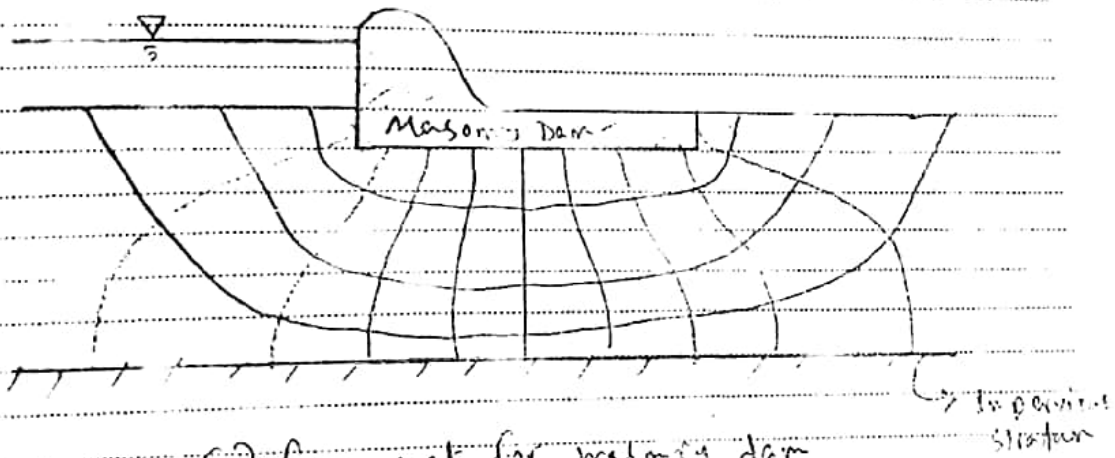
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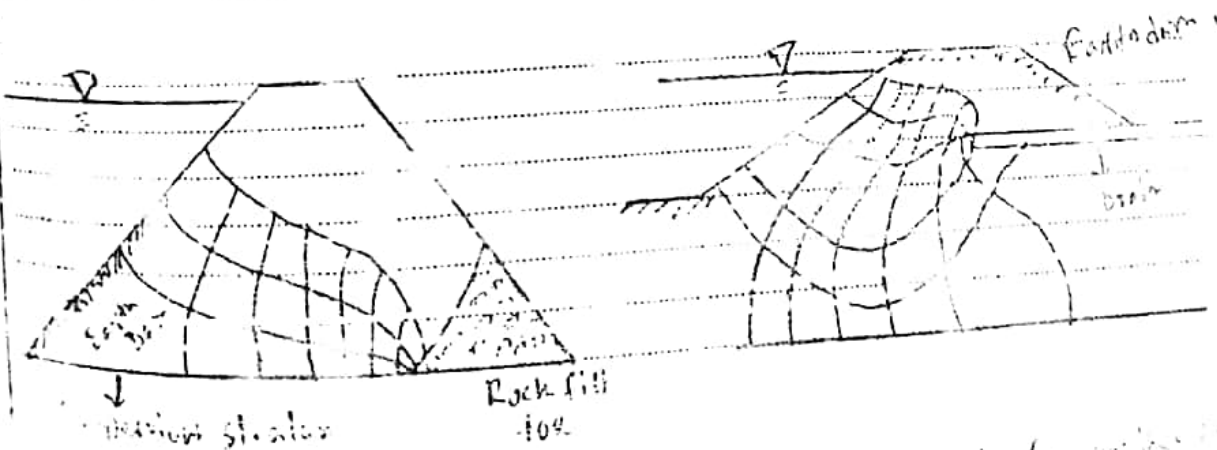


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(e) flow net for earth dam with drain

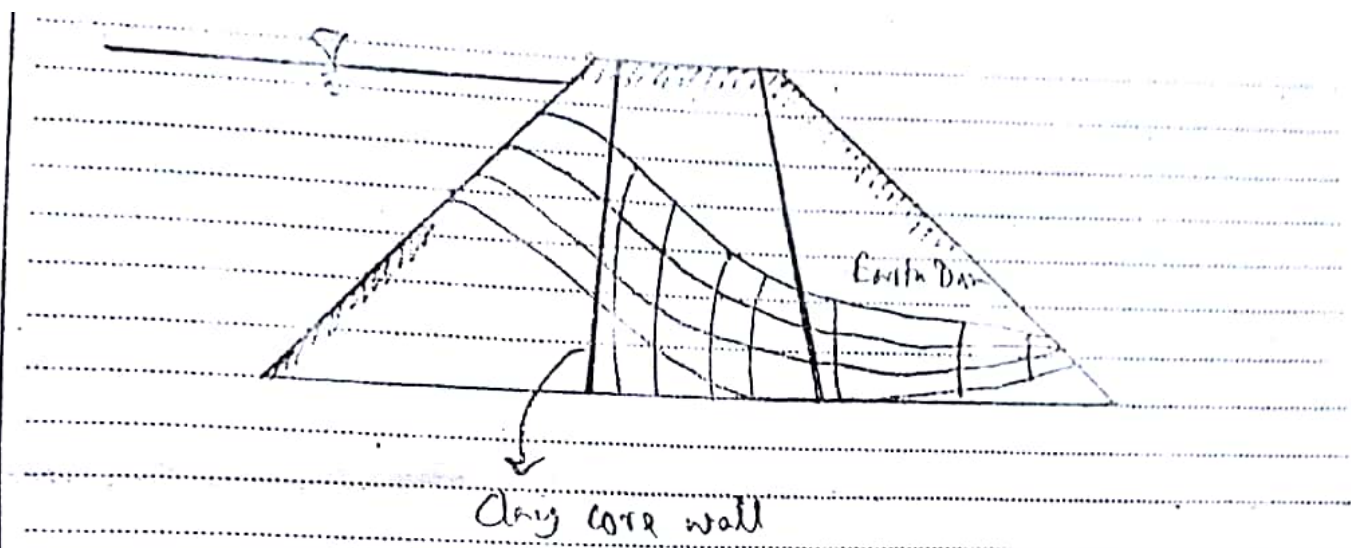


Fig. Flow net for earth dam with clay core wall.

## Quick Sand:

Quick Sand is a condition in which cohesionless soil loses all its strength because of upward flow of water.

### Effective stress

(1) It represents an excess over neutral stress and acts exclusively between the point of contact of solid constituents.

(2) It can induce changes in volume of soil mass.

(3) It can produce frictional resistance.

### Pore water pressure

(1) acts in the water and in the solid in every direction with equal intensity.

(2) It can not cause volume change.

(3) It can not produce frictional resistance.

### Total stress

(1) it acts at any point on a section through a mass of saturated soil or rock.

Quick Sand: It may develop in excavations for footings of buildings or bridges when water tends to flow upward into unwatered areas / earthquake, pile driving → due to vibration.

Solution — to build an enclosing wall of sandbags around the area and to allow the water to pond within the enclosure. This stored water builds up a back pressure and reduces hydraulic gradient and quiets the soil in a few hours.

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### Immediate Settlement

(1) It is the result of elastic deformation of dry soil and of moist & saturated soil.

(2) It requires considerably a short time.

(3) Excess hydrostatic pressure is present.

### Secondary Settlement

(1) It is the result of plastic adjustment of soil fabric.

(2) It occurs in a very slow rate.

(3) Excess hydrostatic pressure becomes low.

\*) Uniformity Co-eff:  $C_u$

$C_u = \frac{D_{60}}{D_{10}}$  , यह लंबी बुरा soil particle का size का spread variation लंबी,

\*) Co-eff of curvature: Spread of the curve बुरा,

$C_z = \frac{D_{30}^2}{D_{60} \times D_{10}}$

यदि प्रत्ये size का particle शकत  $C_u = 1$ , then curve verticle.

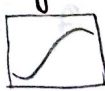

$C_u$  is a measure of spread of the curve.

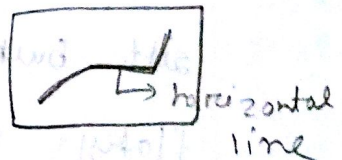
S shape curve शकत well graded soil.

co-eff of curvature शकत shape of the curve.

if  $1 < C_z < 3$  then S shape.

From  $C_u$  &  $C_z$  & curve शकत gradation काकत करि,

Gradation basically - well graded  uniformly poorly graded  Gap graded



So कबल plastic तरै ना, So from limits we can conclude soil का ना काय,  $\tau = 1.7 \text{ kPa}$

Definition of limits:

① liquid limit:  $w_L = \text{water content}$   $W_L = \text{weight}$

Small shear strength =  $1.7 \text{ kPa}$

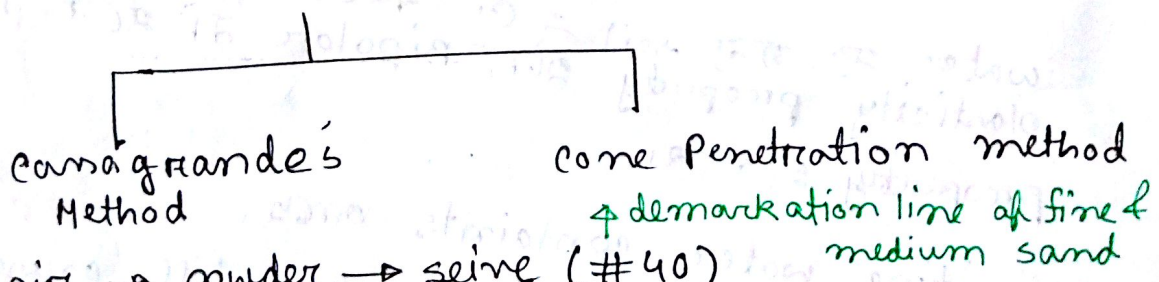
② Plastic Limit:

③ Shrinkage Limit:

Smallest water content, saturated water content below this volume change करता ना even if we change  $H_2O$  content.

# small shear usually machine द्वारा करे सके ना,

Liquid Limit Determination: for fine grain soil



Prep of soil

Dry soil → powder → sieve (#40)  $0.425 \text{ mm}$

↓  
mix with water → keep for 24 hrs

↓  
thoroughly mix

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Determination of liquid limit:

1) Casagrande's Method: (Popular in USA)

25 blow  $\Rightarrow$   $\frac{1}{2}$ " close  $\Rightarrow$  it's in liquid limit.  $\Rightarrow$   $\Rightarrow$  soil  $\Rightarrow$  water content  $\Rightarrow$  then  $\Rightarrow$  error  $\Rightarrow$  water add

| No. of blow | W. content |
|-------------|------------|
| 34          | 51         |
| 29          | 59         |
| 24          | 63         |
| 19          | 71         |
| 16          | 73         |

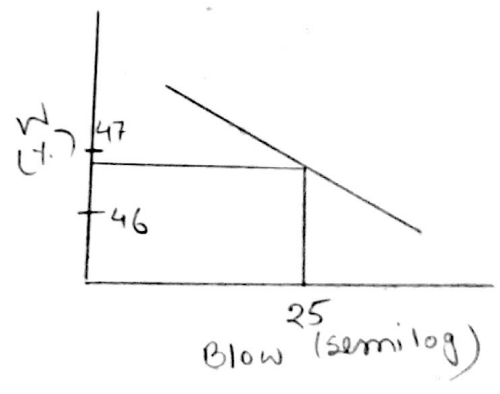
max 35  $\Rightarrow$   $\Rightarrow$  min 15 blows.

Try and error method.

25 blows  $\Rightarrow$   $\frac{1}{2}$ " closing  $\Rightarrow$   $\Rightarrow$  w. content liquid limit.

liquid limit whole number unless it's less than 10.

water 47  $\Rightarrow$   $\Rightarrow$   $\Rightarrow$   $\Rightarrow$  so it's 47.  
flow curve



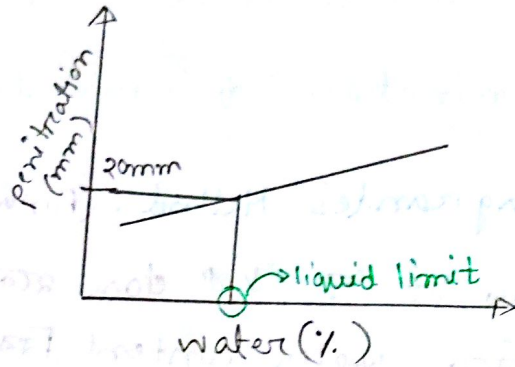
2) Cone Penetration:

penetration  $\Rightarrow$   $\Rightarrow$   $\Rightarrow$  surface  $\Rightarrow$  shear strength.

30 mm penetrate  $\Rightarrow$   $\Rightarrow$   $\Rightarrow$  liquid limit. suppose 12.5 mm  $\Rightarrow$ , so we need to add more water.

In scale  $\Rightarrow$   $\Rightarrow$  = 0.1 mm

previous  $\sigma$   $\times$   $\sigma$  blow  
 $\gamma$   $\sigma$   $w(\%)$   
 अक्षर देखी.



Q. What is flow index?

flow curve का slope flow index. जो कि strength measured

# we can use one point to determine liquid limit.

1st method  $\sigma$  जो 25 जो काहे आकार को डाल.

Then for single point method in (1)

$$w_L = w \left( \frac{n}{25} \right)^{e-0.1}$$

$$= 63 \left( \frac{24}{25} \right)^{0.1} = 62.74 \approx 63$$

$$w_L = 71 \left( \frac{19}{25} \right)^{0.1} = 69$$

25 जो काहाकाहि शकल better result

~~0.16 - 0.16~~

\* cone penetration  $\sigma$  single point method can be used

cone penetration for " " should be ~~26 - 16~~ 16.

26 - 16 (water content)

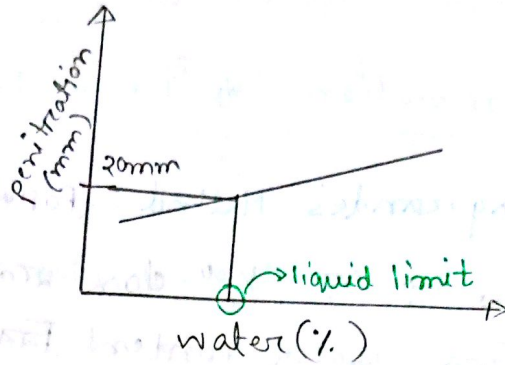
# Plastic limit almost 100% more strength than liquid limit.  
 folds



previous  $\sigma$  &  $\epsilon$  blow

$\gamma$  &  $w(\%)$

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~~0.1 - 0.2~~

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↓  
fold



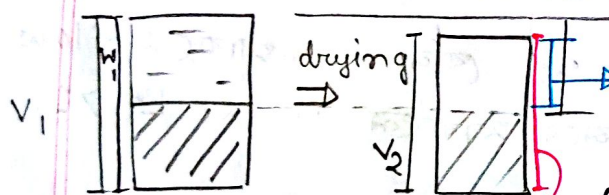
oven এ dry করলে irregular shape হবে, এই অবস্থায় (min volume এ) যে w content.

i) S.g of soil is unknown

ii) S.g " " " known

i) SG unknown:

When soil is made slurry then phase dia soil + water cause voids are filled with  $H_2O$



dry করলে এখানে air void. এর min volume. এখানে air না থেকে  $H_2O$  থাকলে shrinkage limit

$$W_s = W_d$$

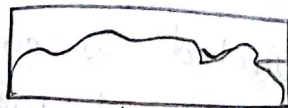
$W_1 - W_d$  করলে initial water weight.

$V_1 - V_2$  এ যে water content হলে কতটা water কমান,

This is  $(V_1 - V_2) \gamma_w$

$$\text{Shrinkage limit} = \frac{(W_1 - W_d) - (V_1 - V_2) \gamma_w}{W_d}$$

\* solid soil never changes volume.



irregular shape

এটার vol বের করতে mercury used.

এই পাত্রে mercury তৈরি, whole soil shape immerse করে, সে mercury replaced হবে ডিটর  $W_{Hg} / 13.6$  হলে vol m.



## Determination of Linear Shrinkage:

Shrinkage कबि रतन length shrinkage measured.  
Linear shrinkage रतन  $\uparrow$  soil क poor. L. shrinkage  
कबि रतन deformation  $\uparrow$ .

Non-plastic soil better than highly plastic. Cause non  
plastic  $\rightarrow$  deformation कबि, Dry strength is not a  
criteria.

Relation LS, Plasticity Index  $\Rightarrow I_p = 2.13 LS$

Soil H<sub>2</sub>O क contact क कबि expansive रतन कबि  
see from shrinkage limit. SL  $\uparrow$  रतन linear shrinkage  $\downarrow$ .

\* Shrinkage potential low रतन when it comes in  
contact with H<sub>2</sub>O it will expand less.

## Significance of Indices:

Q. कबि index  $\rightarrow$  like flow, plasticity index  $\uparrow$  /  $\downarrow$  रतन कबि?

## Unified soil classification system:

Another classification is ASTHO.

construction  $\rightarrow$  USCS

Road, airport ASTHO

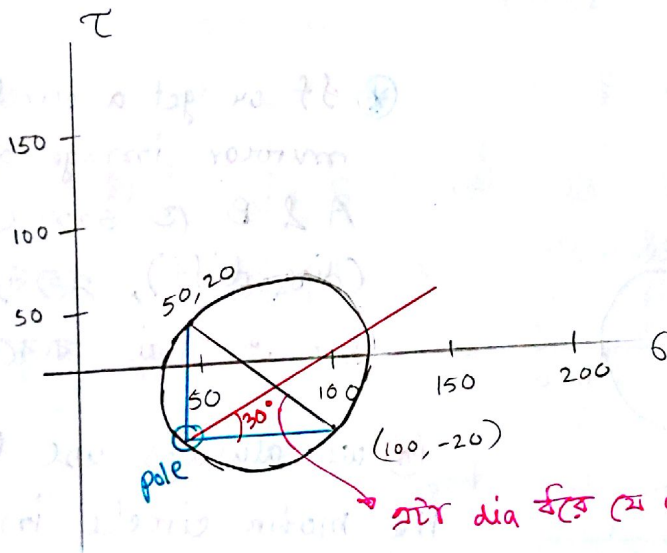
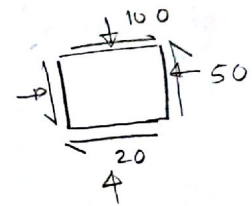
### ☞ Mohr Circle Diagram:

Soil is most of the load compressive. This is (+ve).

counter clockwise = (+ve)

Shear

$\sigma, \tau$  plane. in same scale



# consider two orthogonal plane

in horizontal plane  
 $(100, -20)$   
 counter clockwise  
 In verticle  $(50, 20)$

pole of the Mohr Circle / centre of controlling point

$100, -20$  acts on a horizontal plane,  $\sigma$  parallel  $\rightarrow$  line

$50, 20$  " " a verticle plane,  $\tau$  "  $\rightarrow$  line.

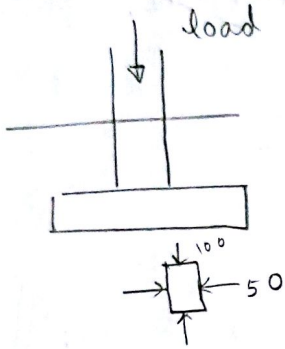
Interseccion  $\rightarrow$  pole of Mohr circle

$30^\circ$   $\rightarrow$  horizontal  $\rightarrow$   $\sigma$  plane

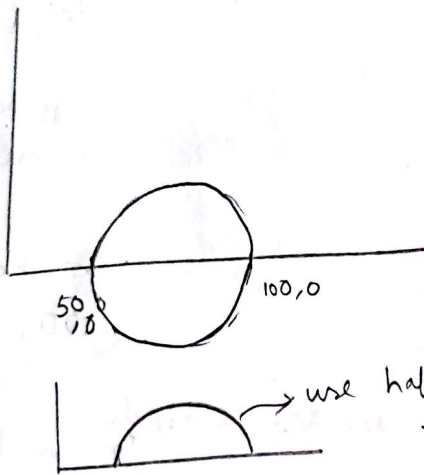
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soil granular and lateral force exists on stress element  
 if no shear then we call it principal stress



\* If we get a circle which is mirror image of x axis A & B (same shear (dir. diff), opposite shear or diff. dir. → fail - karabe and diff.

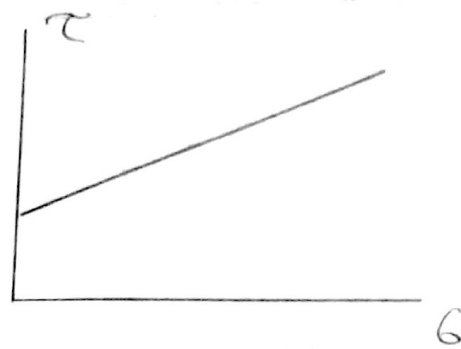
we always use half of the Mohr circle in soil mecha. Cause and point and opposite shear & exists.

# Mohr Coulumb Failure theory:

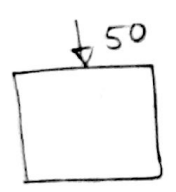
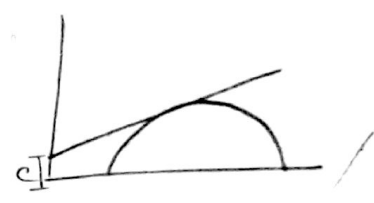
$$\tau = c + \sigma \tan \phi$$

$\downarrow$  intersection of y  
 $\downarrow$  slope angle  
 $\downarrow$  shear strength parameter

Mohr's circle failure stresses on the circumference, Coulomb's failure stress on a particular plane is shown by a st. line.



So a line satisfy Mohr's circle the st. line must be a tangent on the Mohr's circle.



$$\tau_f = c + \sigma_f \tan \phi$$

So  $\sigma_f$ , so  $\tau_f$  to determine  $\tau_f$  we need to know  $\rightarrow c$  &  $\phi$   
 $\downarrow$   $\downarrow$   
 apparent cohesion      apparent angle of internal friction.

Defn. of shear strength parameter:

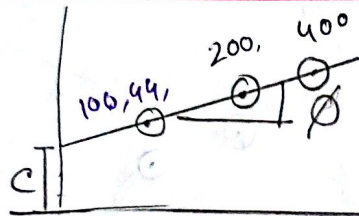
Various methods, we use 4 in this course.

x) Direct Shear:

Suppose normal 100, shear 44. on particular plane a failure

Again  $N = 200, \tau = 50$

$N = 300, \tau = 55$

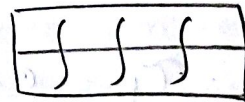


Adv → simple & quick

Risdy → particular pre determined plane → failure, weakest plane →  $\sigma$ .

In case of plastic soil deformation of fiber

But shear  $\sigma$   $\sigma$  fibers



$\sigma$   $\sigma$ , so shear failure

वर्तमान  $\sigma$   $\sigma$  like 

→ false imp  
ression

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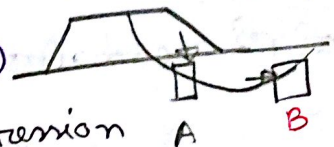
Direct Shear Test (continued):

→ failure occurs by vertical & by horizontal load.

↓ Triaxial  
~~direct shear~~  
compression

↓  
direct shear  
Extension

Triaxial  
    / compression  
    \ Extension (not very common)



A fails in vertical load, so compression

B fails horizontally, though the vertical load is constant.

cell pressure is equal to equal. cell pressure is equal to equal. cell pressure is equal to equal.

Here we can make the soil sample saturated. Bottom & top are connected by water sample and back pressure.

Saturated soil triaxial test. No balance by back pressure.

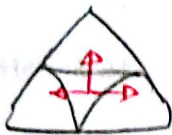
construction stage  
loading "

} both are 2 excess pore  $H_2O$  pressure stages.



At  $H_2O$  pressure stage static pore " "

इस क्षेत्र extra load दिले excess pore  $H_2O$  pressure stage concern.



इसकात extra pore  $H_2O$  p रोकता है, so क्षेत्र छोटा है.

Depending on two stages

- 1) consolidation (in construction stage) - Consolidated
- 2) Drainage (in loading ") - Drained

$H_2O$  का एककात pressure develop करने leakage शुरू करते हैं, interparticular gap दिले कति कम हो रहे है so expansion of  $H_2O$  & E.P  $H_2O$  p. decrease करते हैं.

Drainage 3 करे as consolidation, just to diff the stages के नाम.

\* Triaxial test 3 divisions:

- 1) Unconsolidated Undrained — UU Test — Quick Test — Q Test
- 2) Consolidated Undrained — CU Test — R Test
- 3) Consolidated Drained — CD Test — Slow Test — S Test

We don't want the  $P_{H_2O}$  pressure to dissipate.  
 So fast load apply করতে হবে, তাহলে UU present  
 so quick test

CD → Slow load apply করে মোট  $H_2O$  dissipate করে

Soil sample saturation এর পর construction এর load

দেখ cell pressure দিচ্ছে,

Extra load এর ক্ষিৎ দেওয়া দিচ্ছে।

If we want Q Test then top & bottom connection  
 close করতে হবে, so  $H_2O$  বের হতে পারবে না।

R-Test : construction এর পর slow ~~এর~~ ২ম consolidated  
 loading fast দিলে undrained.

Undrained হলে connection of  $H_2O$  tube closed.

Drained " " " " " open.

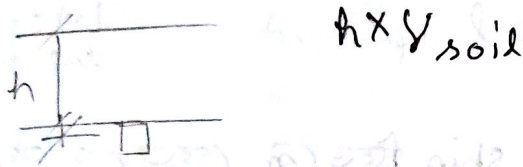
⑦ cell pressure apply করে construction stage stimulate  
 করে and তাহলে  $H_2O$  tube খোলা, তাহলে consolidated  
 হবে।

⑧ water expell হবে যদি সুসংযত drainage tube এর  
 পিকুয়েট লাগবে, তাহলে  $H_2O$  এর পরিমাণ determine  
 করতে পারি, usually takes 2 days for total drainage  
 according to cell pressure.

LATERAL EARTH PRESSURE

Earth pressure 2 types

- 1) V. pressure - fore overburden, <sup>easy</sup> to determine



- 2) Lateral E.P :  $K \times \gamma h$   
 $\rightarrow$  co-eff of lateral earth pressure.

Automatically induced in soil.

Depends on: 1) Physical characteristic of soil  
 2) Deformation " of structure.

Soil 2 types: cohesive, cohesionless

- 1) So from phy. characteristic of soil  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{cohesionless soil} \\ \text{cohesive soil} \end{array} \right.$

if 2 ~~para~~ parameters exist then of friction

$c - \phi$  soil

- 2) Def. of strc — i) No deformation

ii) lateral expansion (Active Earth pressure)

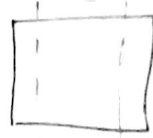
$\downarrow$  lateral stress  
 max<sup>m</sup> due to shear

so failure condition taken



3) fails due to lateral contraction.  $\uparrow K_{yh}$ , so contract করে, fail করে,

so  $K_p =$  co-ef of passive E.P

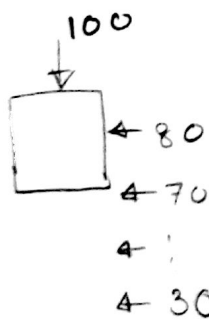


9. Def<sup>n</sup>  $K_o, K_p, K_a$ .

The ratio of ~~to~~ Lateral E.P at this condition is co-ef of  $\sim$  to V.  $K_o = \frac{K_o \gamma h}{\gamma h}$

A.E.P:

\* To reduce L.E.P we can move the support apart



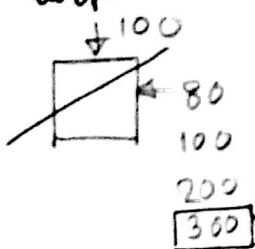
suppose 30 করে failure surface develop করে, 20, 10, 0 কে " " থাকবে, so max<sup>m</sup> shear at which failure 30

$\therefore A.E.P = 30$        $\therefore K_a = \frac{30}{100} = \frac{63}{61}$

At failure condition  $\square \leftarrow 30 = 63$

P.E.P:

~~lateral~~ lateral contraction  $\uparrow$  fail করে  $\uparrow$  L.P.

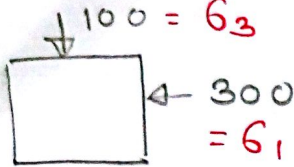


300  $\uparrow$  L.P তিল failure surface. 400, 500, 600 ছিল " " থাকবে, so the min<sup>m</sup> shear = 300

100 ft always 300 ft 2B, 2C, 2D?

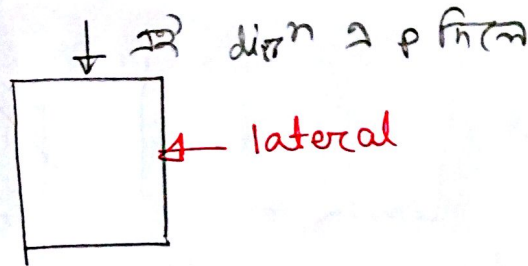
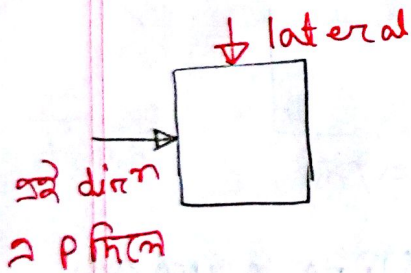
$\therefore P.E.P = 300$

$\therefore K_p = \frac{300}{100} = 3.00 = \frac{G_1}{G_3}$

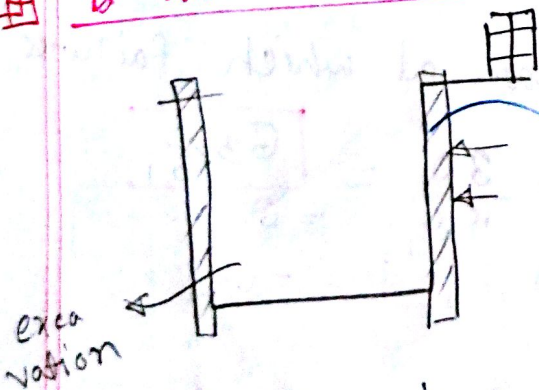


\* Practically v. load doesn't change that much. so we are only considering lateral load.

$K_a < K_0 < K_p$

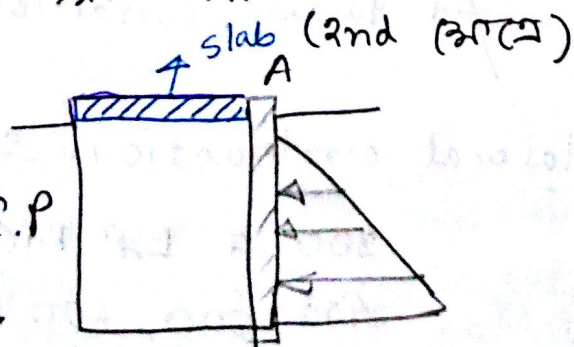


E.P at rest:



stiffness बढा शकत moves away, so A.E.P

still शकत E.P @ π.



so if the p is so this will be A.E.P cause A point free.

এ মমেন্ট এ স্লাব বাতানো, A আটকে গেল, so E.P @ rest.

যদি A.E.P এ fail না করে (অন্য) strutting/bracing দিলে হয়, Then consider E.P @ Rest.

Bracing না দিলে consider A.E.P.

We don't want deformation, so want E.P @ R.

□ E.P @ Rest :

$$\sigma_h = \sigma_3 = K_0 \sigma_v = K_0 \gamma h \quad \therefore \sigma_v = \gamma h$$

$\downarrow$   
vehicle p.

$$K_0 = \frac{\sigma_h}{\sigma_v}$$

$$\text{Lateral strain } \epsilon_h = \frac{1}{E} [\sigma_h - \mu (\sigma_v + \sigma_h)]$$

$\downarrow$   
poisson ratio

$$\Rightarrow \sigma_h =$$

We won't allow deformation  $\therefore \epsilon_h = 0$

$$\sigma_h - \mu \sigma_v - \sigma_h \mu = 0$$

$$\therefore \sigma_h = \frac{\mu}{1-\mu} \sigma_v \quad \text{and} \quad \sigma_h = K_0 \sigma_v$$

$$\Rightarrow \sigma_h (1-\mu) = \mu \sigma_v$$

$$\therefore \text{from these two} \quad K_0 = \frac{\mu}{1-\mu}$$

determination of  $\mu$  is very difficult, so try to avoid it.

So we use empirical relations.

1) ~~cohesionless~~ ~~consolidated~~ soil এ  $\phi$  জানলে  
(sandy)

for flat ground surface

Jaky's formula:  $k_0 = 1 - \sin \phi'$

$\therefore \phi$  determined in drained condition (for sandy and NC)

$k_0$  for over C =  $(1 - \sin \phi) \cdot \text{OCR}$   
over consolidation ratio

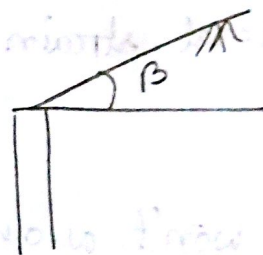
(\*) If we determine LL, PL and PI: for clayey

$k_0 = 0.19 + 0.233 \log (IP)$  (NC)

$k_0(oc) = k_0 \sqrt{\text{OCR}}$  (OC)

(\*) If inclined soil then  $P \uparrow$   $\Delta$   $\text{fr}$

$\therefore \text{ff. } (1 + 0.5 \tan \beta)^2 k_0(oc) = \sqrt{\text{OCR}} \cdot k_0$



(\*) L.E.P. always works parallel to earth surface

$\therefore$

$\therefore P_0 = \frac{1}{2} k_0 \gamma H^2$   
 $k_0 \gamma H \cos \beta (1 + 0.5 \tan \beta)^2$   
 $k_0 \gamma H (1 + 0.5 \tan \beta)^2 \cos \beta (1 + 0.5 \tan \beta)^2$   
 [Find hor. component of thrust  $\downarrow \times \cos \beta$ ]

$\gamma = 16 \text{ kN/m}^3$   $h = 5 \text{ m}$

$k_0 = \gamma h$   $\therefore$  Total thrust ~~is~~  $\text{force}$   $\text{unit [KN]}$   
 $k_0 \gamma h = \text{KN/m}^2$   
force ?? pressure maybe

$$\therefore \text{Total thrust per unit width} = \frac{1}{2} K_0 \gamma H \times H$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} K_0 \gamma H^2$$

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Earth P. Theory:

- 1) Rankine's theory
- 2) Coulomb's theory

for A & P E.P } for cohesionless and cohesive soil  
of horizontal and inclined ground surface

water Table  
Soil stratification  
load

Graphical method  
Culmann's method  
2)

A.E.P

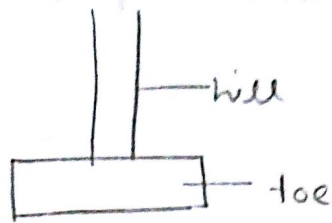
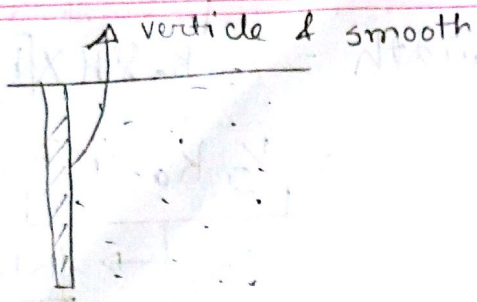
Cohesionless soil:

Rankine's theory:

→ infinite soil  
homogeneous

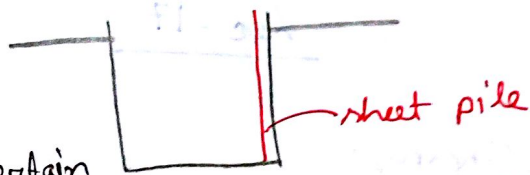
Ground surface horizontal/inclined

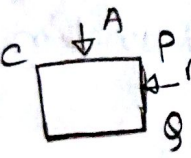
most important: soil and retaining wall in contact  
surface vertical & smooth



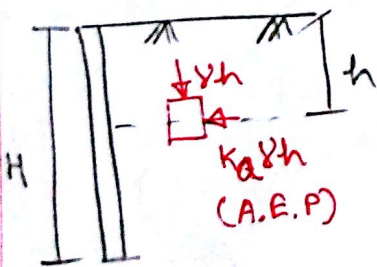
basement করতে retaining wall design করা যায় না, শুধু sheet pile / pile.

wall smooth করতে certain কাজ করতে হয়, plastic দিয়ে casting করলে smooth.



4.  stress element এর stresses A parallel to PQ  
stress at B parallel to PC

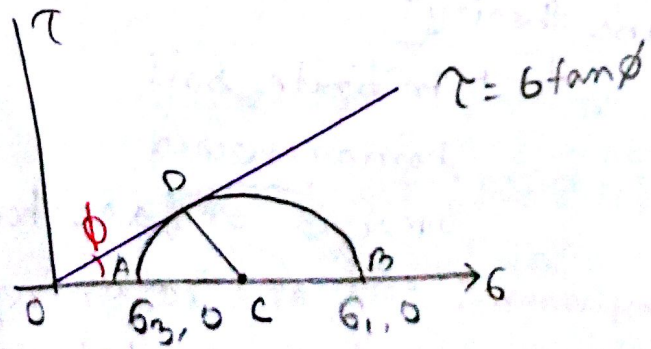
Let's assume that active earth pressure prevails



$$K_a \gamma h < \gamma h$$

$$\downarrow \gamma h = \sigma_1$$

$$\therefore \left[ \begin{array}{c} \square \\ \leftarrow K_a \gamma h = \sigma_3 \end{array} \right]$$



cohesionless soil  $\therefore \tau = \sigma \tan \phi$

$\therefore \tau = \sigma \tan \phi$  (failure envelop) passing through origin

$$\begin{aligned}
 K_a &= \frac{\sigma_3}{\sigma_1} = \frac{OA}{OB} = \frac{OC - AC}{OC + BC} \\
 &= \frac{OC - CD}{OC + CD} \\
 &= \frac{OC/OC - CD/OC}{OC/OC + CD/OC} = \frac{1 - \frac{CD}{OC}}{1 + \frac{CD}{OC}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$\frac{CD}{OC} \rightarrow \sin \phi$

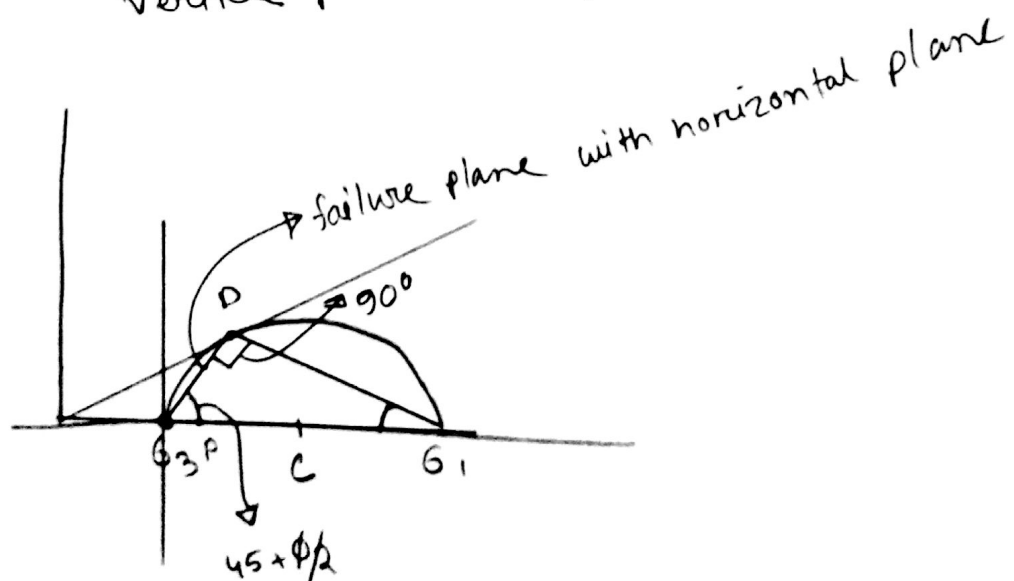
$$\therefore K_a = \frac{1 - \sin \phi}{1 + \sin \phi} = \tan^2 (45^\circ - \phi/2)$$

\* Angles must be in degrees.

\* orientation of failure plane:

$\sigma_1$  working horizontal so —

$\sigma_3$  " vertical plane so |





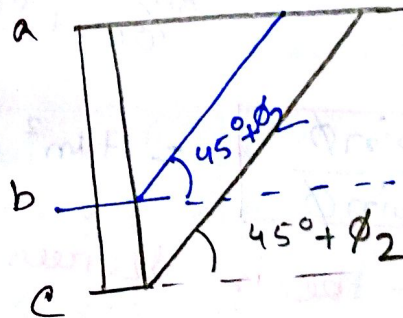
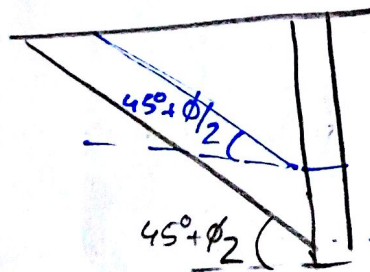
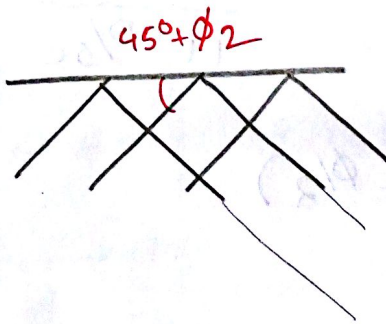
slope maintain  $\phi_2$  cause always

fails at  $45^\circ + \phi/2$

Depending on height of retaining wall failure ori.

$45^\circ + \phi/2$

Q. Draw ori. of failure plane for A.E.P

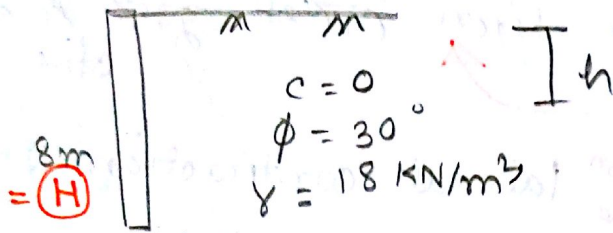


ab height  $\Rightarrow$  blue failure orientation.

ac height  $\Rightarrow$  failure

so 2 failure  $\Rightarrow$  failure depending position of soil.

Problem:



Ac. Thrust = ?

↓  
force

Active E. Pressure का ग्राफ बनाना

st-1:

$$K_a = \frac{1 - \sin \phi}{1 + \sin \phi} = \frac{1 - \sin 30^\circ}{1 + \sin 30^\circ} = 0.333$$

st-2:

Active E.P  $P_a$  at any depth  $h$   $P_a(h) = K_a \gamma h$

$$= 0.333 \times 18 \times h$$

$$= 6h$$

$\therefore P_a(h) = 6h$  (st. line eqn)

Step-3:

$$P_a(0) = 6 \times 0 = 0$$

$$P_a(8) = 6 \times 8 = 48 \text{ kN/m}^2$$

↓  
it is pressure

\* Area का ग्राफ unit length consider

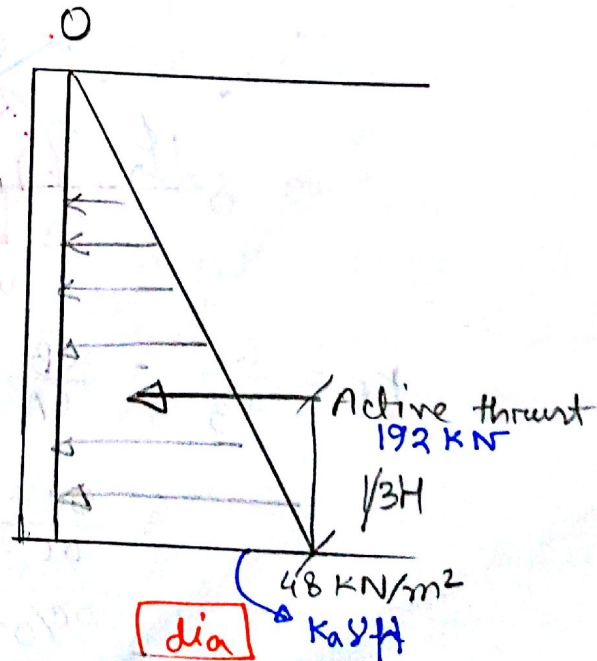
$$P_a = \frac{1}{2} \times 48 \times 8 = 192 \text{ kN}$$

(Thrust)

$$P_a = \frac{1}{2} K_a \gamma H \times H$$

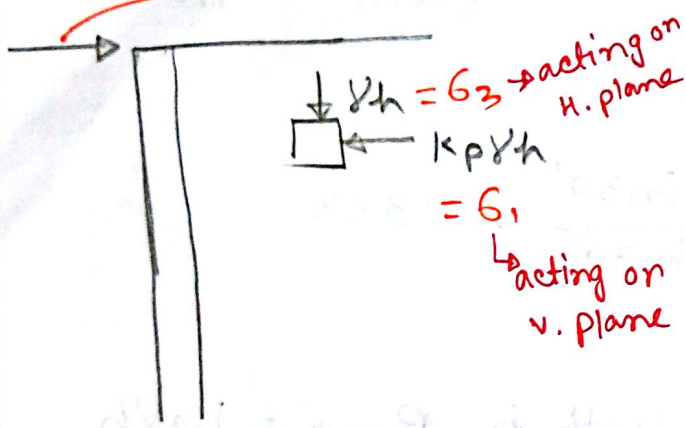
$$= \frac{1}{2} K_a \gamma H^2$$

} dir. ग्राफ में ग्राफ बनाना if diagram not wanted



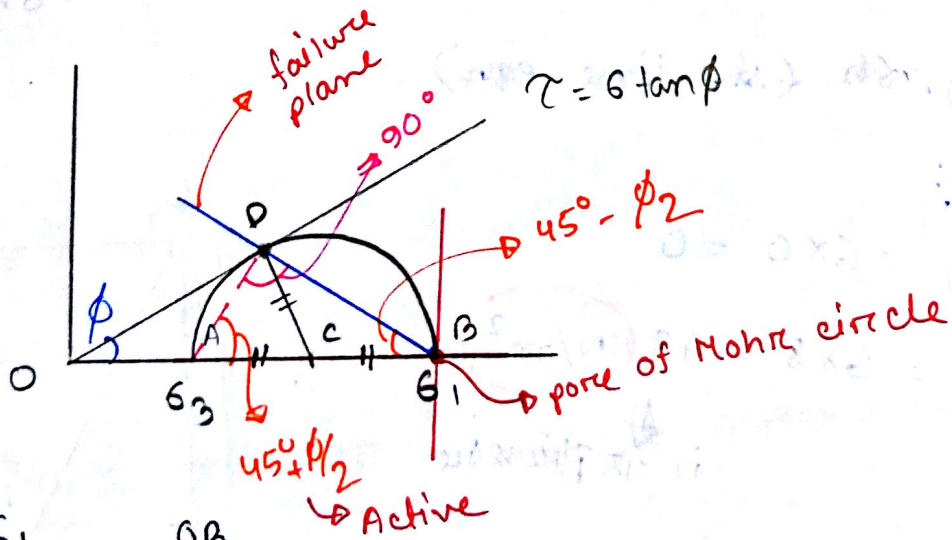
Pr-2: Passive

(Exm 2 का का भागले दिरन लेर वूकर A तग P) ctive anive



lateral contraction of soil fail करत रेता.  
 so  $K_p \gamma h > \gamma h$

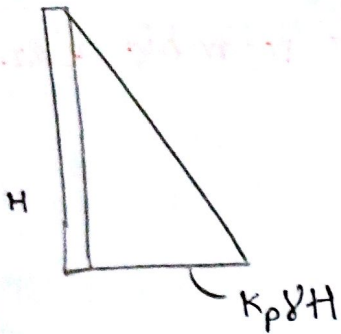
soil element very close to retaining wall, wall is smooth, so downward movement is no friction



$$\begin{aligned}
 K_p &= \frac{\sigma_1}{\sigma_3} = \frac{OB}{OA} \\
 &= \frac{OC + BC}{OC - AC} = \frac{OC + CD}{OC - CD} \\
 &= \frac{OC/OC + CD/OC}{OC/OC - CD/OC} = \frac{1 + \sin \phi}{1 - \sin \phi} = \frac{1}{K_a}
 \end{aligned}$$

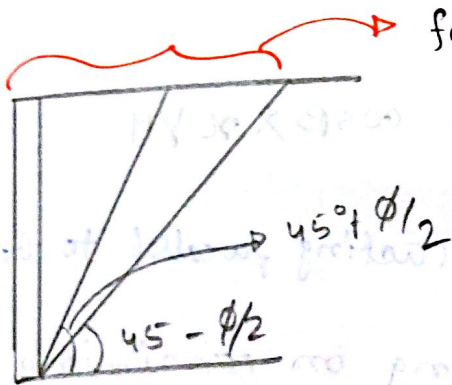
Total Thrust for P.E.P

$$P_p = \frac{1}{2} K_p \gamma H^2$$



Q. Draw orientation of failure plane for P.E.P?

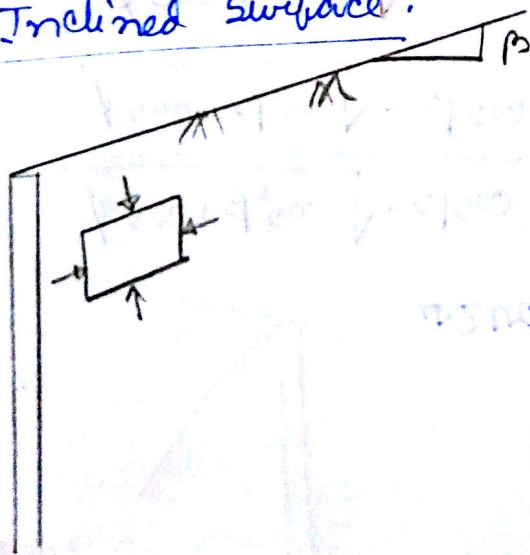
passive २ fail করতে movement  $\phi$  লাগবে,



for passive, so passive २ fail করতে distance বেশি  
cause failure in passive ২  $45 - \frac{\phi}{2}$  ২ fail করতে, এটা achieve করতে অনেক deformation লাগবে,

Q. কারণ  $\phi$  movement & why?

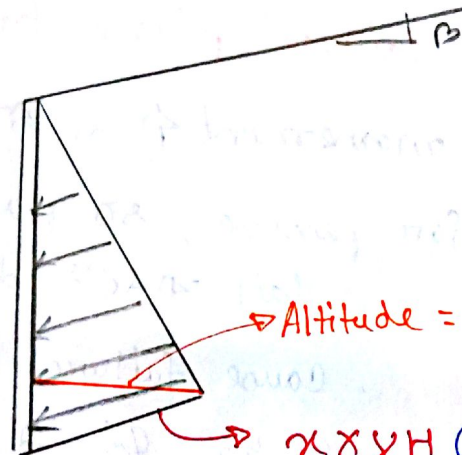
Q. A.E.P  $\rightarrow$  Inclined surface:



কারণ earth p. parallel to ground surface, so rambick element টুটু করতে,

$$k_a = \left( \frac{\cos \beta - \sqrt{\cos^2 \beta - \cos^2 \phi}}{\cos \beta + \sqrt{\cos^2 \beta + \cos^2 \phi}} \right) \quad [\text{For recombic element}]$$

Pressure Distribution Dia:

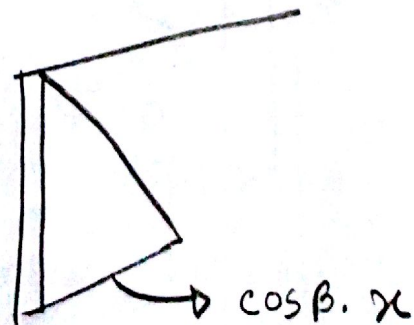


Total active thrust coming on retaining wall

$$P_a = \frac{1}{2} \cos \beta \frac{\cos \beta - \sqrt{\cos^2 \beta - \cos^2 \phi}}{\cos \beta + \sqrt{\cos^2 \beta + \cos^2 \phi}} \gamma H \cdot H$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \gamma H^2 \cos \beta \frac{\cos \beta - \sqrt{\cos^2 \beta - \cos^2 \phi}}{\cos \beta + \sqrt{\cos^2 \beta + \cos^2 \phi}}$$

\* in most cases  $\cos \beta \cdot x$



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$$P_a = \frac{1}{2} K_a \gamma H^2$$

Pressure dis. diagram  $\Rightarrow$  must use  $\gamma$  as  $K_a$ .

Thrust  $\Rightarrow$  अतमाने can be used.

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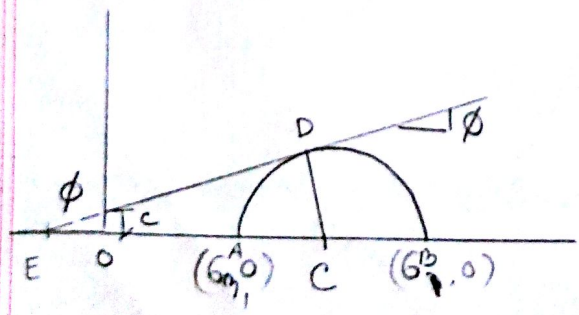
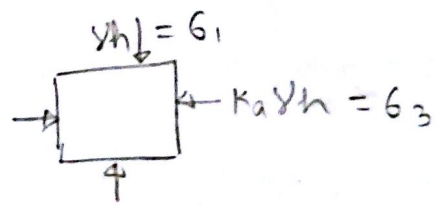
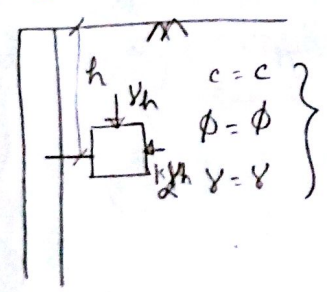
$$K_a = \frac{1 - \sin \phi}{1 + \sin \phi}$$

$$K_p = \frac{1 + \sin \phi}{1 - \sin \phi}$$

$$K_a = \frac{\cos \beta - \sqrt{\cos^2 \beta - \cos^2 \phi}}{\cos \beta + \sqrt{\cos^2 \beta - \cos^2 \phi}}$$

$$K_p = \frac{\cos \beta + \sqrt{\cos^2 \beta - \cos^2 \phi}}{\cos \beta - \sqrt{\cos^2 \beta - \cos^2 \phi}}$$

If a soil has cohesion & friction both:-  $c \phi$  soil  
Active condition:



$$\sin \phi = \frac{CD}{EC}$$

$$= \frac{CD}{EO + OC}$$

$$= \frac{G_1 - G_3}{2} \rightarrow \text{diameter}$$

$$= \frac{2c \cot \phi + \frac{G_1 + G_3}{2}}{2}$$

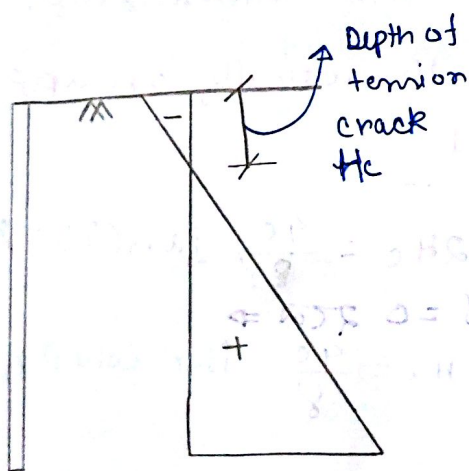
$$= \frac{G_1 - G_3}{G_1 + G_3 + 2c \cot \phi}$$

$$\therefore \sigma_3 = \left( \frac{1 - \sin \phi}{1 + \sin \phi} \right) \sigma_1 \rightarrow \frac{2c \cos \phi}{1 + \sin \phi} \rightarrow \text{simplify} = \sqrt{K_a}$$

$$= \left( \frac{1 - \sin \phi}{1 + \sin \phi} \right) \sigma_1 \rightarrow 2c \sqrt{\frac{1 - \sin \phi}{1 + \sin \phi}}$$

$$\sigma_3 = K_a \gamma h - 2c \sqrt{K_a}$$

Active E.P for  $c\phi$  soil



$$h = 0 \text{ at } \sigma_3 = -2c \sqrt{K_a}$$

Pressure (-)  $\Rightarrow$  tension, soil can't take much tension

Tension  $\Rightarrow$  tension crack,

At  $H_c$  lateral pressure zero.

$$\therefore \sigma_3 = 0$$

$$\therefore 0 = K_a \gamma H_c - 2c \sqrt{K_a}$$

$$\Rightarrow H_c = \frac{2c \sqrt{K_a}}{\gamma K_a}$$

$$= \frac{2c}{\gamma \sqrt{K_a}}$$

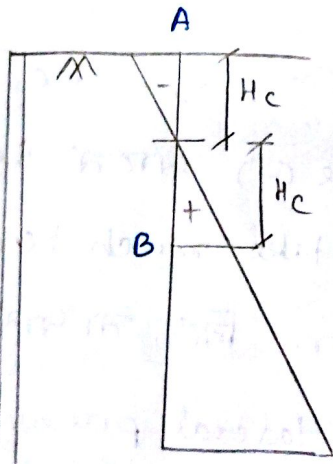
$$= \frac{2c}{\gamma} \frac{1}{\sqrt{\tan^2(45 - \phi/2)}}$$

$$= \frac{2c}{\gamma} \cos(45 - \phi/2)$$

$$= \frac{2c}{\gamma} \tan(45 + \phi/2) \quad [\text{Prove for a } c\phi \text{ soil the depth of tension crack...}]$$

for purely cohesive soil  $\phi = 0$

$$\therefore H_c = \frac{2c}{\gamma} \quad [\text{Prove for cohesive soil}]$$



AB  $\Rightarrow$  total thrust zero.

called **theoretically unsupported height**

$$H_u = 2H_c = \frac{4c}{\gamma} \tan(45 + \phi/2)$$

$$\phi = 0 \Rightarrow \tan 45 = 1$$

$$\therefore H_u = \frac{4c}{\gamma} \quad (\text{for cohesive soil})$$

$$c = 20 \text{ KN/m}^2$$

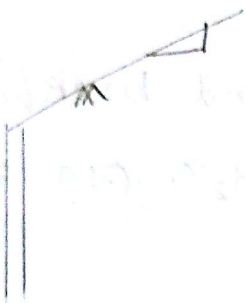
$$\gamma = 16 \text{ KN/m}^3$$

$$\therefore H_u = \frac{4 \times 20}{16} = 5 \text{ m, so theoretically } \frac{20}{16} \text{ is the cohesion } \text{and excavation a support}$$

**For Passive E.P.:**

$$P_p = k_p \gamma h + 2c \sqrt{k_p} = 61$$

☐  $c-\phi$  soil with sloping surface:



graphical method used,  
But formula error, don't need to  
memorize.

☐ Effect of water table on A. & P earth pressure:

Active E.P is only for soil.

soil uniform

3m

dry

Here  $\gamma = 18 \text{ kN/m}^3$

$\phi = 30^\circ$

$c = 0$

OR,  $c = 0$

$\phi = 30^\circ$

$\gamma = 18 \text{ kN/m}^3$

5m

Water table

Here  $\gamma' = \gamma - \gamma_w = 18 - 9.8$

\*  $\gamma_{sat}$  3 वनर  
गल, 1

$K_{aH} = 0.333 \times 18 \times 3 = 18 \text{ kN/m}^2$

for  $H_2O$

$0.333 \times 18 \times 3 + 0.333 \times (18 - 9.81) \times 5 = 31.62 \text{ kN/m}^2$

Submerged unit wt

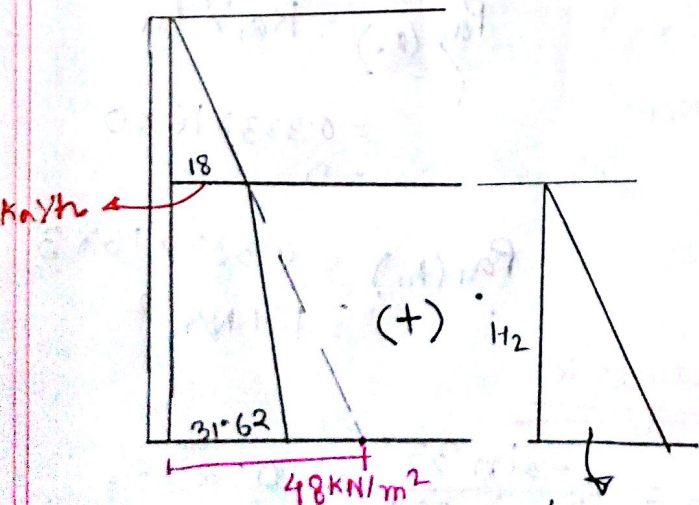
$H_2O$  नर शकल,  $K_a \gamma H$

$= 0.333 \times 18 \times 8$

$= 48 \text{ kN/m}^2$

if whole was filled

with  $H_2O$  then  $P = \gamma_w H_2 = 9.81 \times 5 = 49.2$



$K_{aH}$

18

(+)  $H_2$

31.62

48 kN/m<sup>2</sup>

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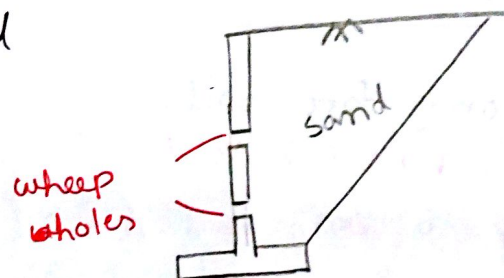
∴ water শাকলে pressure develop করবে, its not good.

কাজ retaining wall এ holes, and backfill material sand/coarse soil. যেন H<sub>2</sub>O বের হতে পারে।

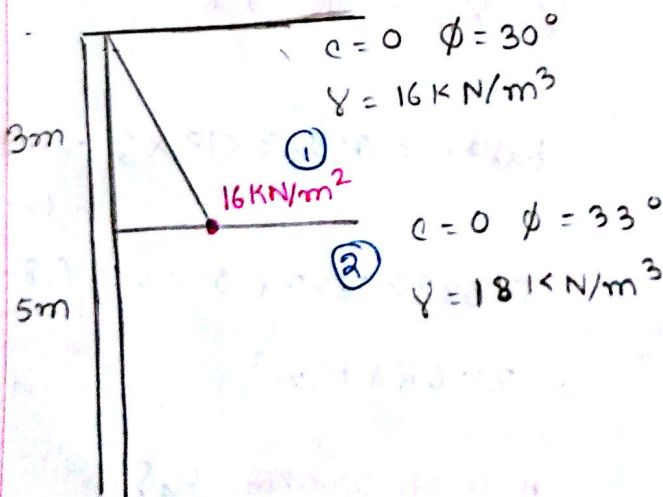
clay শাকলে হবে না,

যদিও earth pres. থাকবে  $45 + \phi/2$  or  $45 - \phi/2$

অন্য backfill



### Effect of soil stratification:



$$K_a = \frac{1 - \sin \phi}{1 + \sin \phi} = 0.333$$

Layer 1:

$$P_{a1}(h_1) = K_{a1} \gamma_1 h_1$$

$$= 0.333 \times 16 \times 0$$

$$= 0$$

$$P_{a1}(h_1) = 0.333 \times 16 \times 3$$

$$= 16 \text{ kN/m}^2$$

2) Layer 2

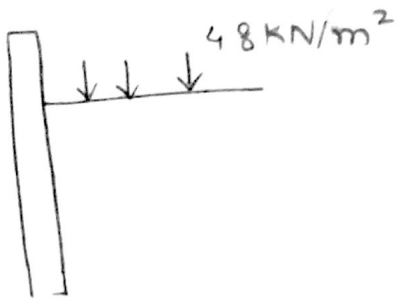
$$K_{a2} = \frac{1 - \sin 33^\circ}{1 + \sin 33^\circ} = 0.295$$

কাজ soil uniform না

3m → soil layer due to vertical pressure

$$= \gamma \times 3 = \frac{48}{2} \text{ KN/m}^2$$

→ further replace with  
 case,

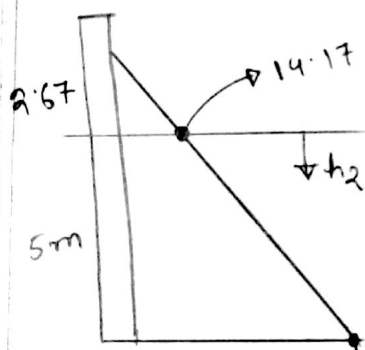


→ 48 KN/m² → soil layer  
 → soil → then → height  
 → of soil of layer →

$$\therefore 48 = \gamma_2 H \Rightarrow \frac{48}{18} = 2.67$$

∴ Equivalent height,

$$H_e = \frac{a}{\gamma_2}$$

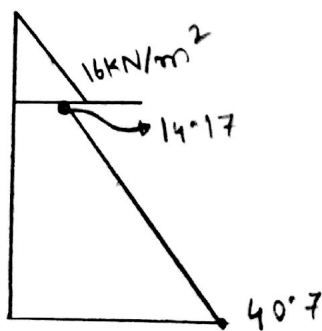


$$K_a \times \gamma_2 \times (5 + 2.67) = 0.295 \times 18 \times 7.67 = 40.7$$

$$P_{a2}(h_2) = K_{a2} \gamma_2 (H_e + h_2)$$

$$\text{If } h_2 = 0 \quad \therefore P_{a2}(0) = K_{a2} \times \gamma_2 \times H_e = 0.295 \times 18 \times 2.67$$

$$= 14.17 \text{ KN/m}^2 \rightarrow \text{force layer ②}$$



→ break → because of  
 change of angle of friction.

φ ② → → → break.

φ ② → → → break.

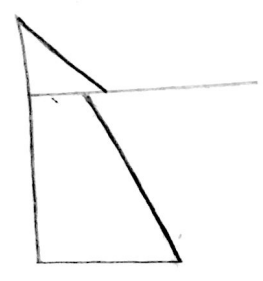
slope of the lines depend on  $\gamma$  if  $\gamma$  slope flat.

$\gamma \downarrow$  " " " still.

Q. Exam  $\gamma$  वनन  $\gamma_1 > \gamma_2$  and  $\phi_1 < \phi_2$  then pressure distribution वनन.

$\downarrow$   
① slope flat

$\downarrow$   
① break inside



The angularity of a bulky particle,  $A$  is defined as

$$A = \frac{\text{Average radius of corners and edges}}{\text{Radius of the maximum inscribed sphere}} \quad (3.1a)$$

The roundness or sphericity of a particle is defined as the ratio of minimum radius of the particle edges to the inscribed radius of the entire particle.

$$S = \frac{D_e}{L_p} \quad (3.1b)$$

Where,

$$D_e = \text{equivalent diameter of the particle} = \sqrt[3]{\frac{6V}{\pi}}$$

$V$  = volume of particle

$L_p$  = length of particle

Flaky particles have very low sphericity, usually 0.01 or less. These particles are predominantly clay minerals.

Needle shaped particles are much less common than the other two types of particles. Coral deposits and attapulgite clays are the examples of needle shaped particles.

(ii) **Effective size:** is the grain size corresponding to 10 percent of the passing by weight that is 10 percent of the materials are smaller than effective size. Effective size is termed by  $D_{10}$ .

(iii) **Coefficient of curvature,  $C_z$ :** The spread of the grain size distribution curve is expressed by this parameter as

$$C_z = \frac{(D_{30})^2}{D_{60} \times D_{10}} \quad (3.4)$$

Where,  $D_{30}$  is the diameter corresponding to 30 percent finer. A coarse grained soil is considered well graded if the coefficient of curvature,  $C_z$  is between 1 and 3 and  $C_u$  is greater than 4 for gravels and 6 for sands.

(iv) **Sorting coefficient of curvature,  $S_o$ :** This is another parameter to measure uniformity and is generally used by the geologist. The use of sorting coefficient is not frequent in geotechnical engineering.

$$S_o = \sqrt{\frac{D_{75}}{D_{25}}} \quad (3.5)$$

The definition of the sizes of the particles is illustrated in Fig. 3.16.

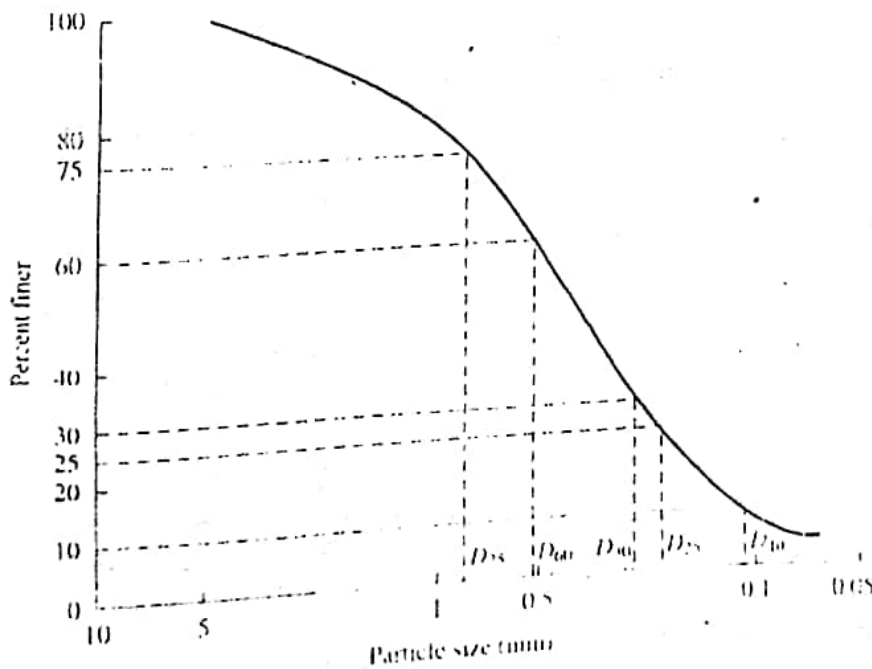


Fig. 3.16 Definitions of the sizes of the particles

## Illustrative Examples

**Example 1:** From the data of a grain size analysis of a sandy soil, grain size distribution curve was drawn and the following results were obtained;  $D_{10} = 0.06$  mm,  $D_{30} = 0.20$  mm and  $D_{60} = 0.40$  mm. Comment on the gradation of the soil.

**Solution:** Uniformity coefficient,  $C_u = \frac{D_{60}}{D_{10}} = \frac{0.40}{0.06} = 6.67$

Coefficient of curvature,  $C_z = \frac{(D_{30})^2}{D_{10} \times D_{60}} = \frac{0.20^2}{0.06 \times 0.40} = 1.67$

Uniformity coefficient is greater than 6 and coefficient of curvature is in between 1 and 3. Both of them satisfy the criteria of well graded soil. So, the soil is well graded.

**Example 2:** A sample of soil was tested for liquid limit in a cone penetrometer and the following results were obtained.

|                       |    |    |    |    |    |
|-----------------------|----|----|----|----|----|
| Cone penetration (mm) | 16 | 18 | 22 | 25 | 30 |
| Water content (%)     | 33 | 40 | 50 | 63 | 83 |

Determine liquid limit and check the results for single point method using any of the data.

**Solution:** For the data, the plot of water content vs. cone penetration is drawn in Fig. E.3.1.

From Fig. E.3.1, Liquid limit,  $w_L$  of the soil is 46.

Check for one point method

The point considered is ( $w=40$ ,  $C_p=18$ ), where  $C_p$  is cone penetration

and  $w$  the water content. Now, using Eq. (3.7)

$$w_L = \frac{w}{0.65 + 0.0175D}$$
$$= \frac{40}{0.65 + 0.0175 \times 18} = 42$$

Therefore, one point method gives a lower value of liquid limit (42) as compared to actual value of 46.

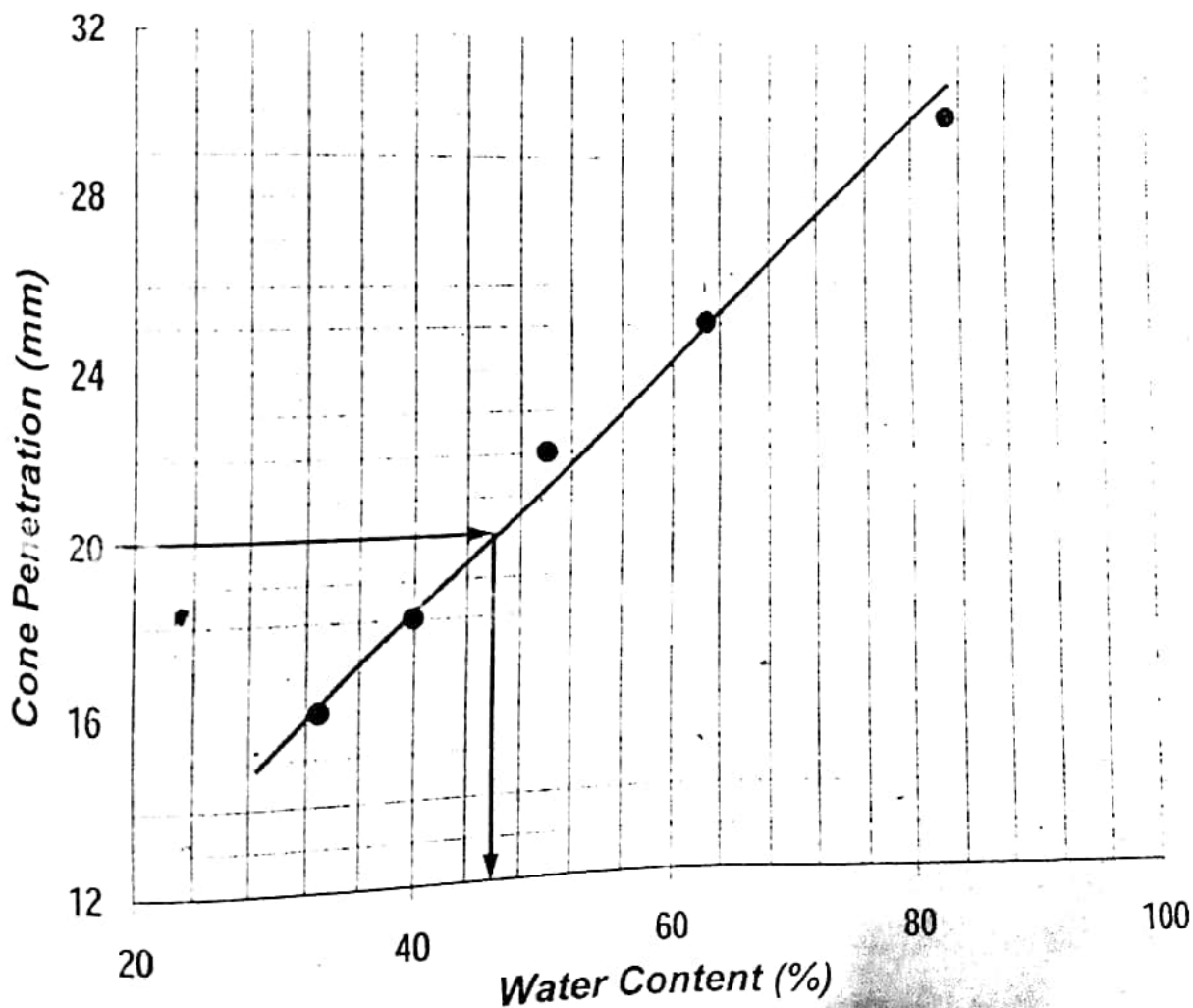


Fig. E3.1 Moisture content vs cone penetration curve

*Example 1:* A saturated clay sample has a volume of  $62.5 \text{ cm}^3$  and a weight of  $117.3 \text{ g}$ . On drying, sample attains a volume of  $47.8 \text{ cm}^3$  and a weight of  $85.6 \text{ g}$ . Determine the shrinkage limit of the soil.

*Solution:* Weight of water at the initial (saturated) condition =  $117.3 - 85.6 = 31.7 \text{ g}$

Volume of initial water =  $31.7 \text{ cm}^3$ .

Volume of soil solid =  $62.5 - 31.7 = 30.8 \text{ cm}^3$ .

Volume of water required to saturate the dry sample =  $47.8 - 30.8 = 17 \text{ cm}^3$ .

Weight of water to saturate the dry sample =  $17 \text{ g}$ .

That is, weight of water at shrinkage limit =  $17 \text{ g}$ .

Therefore, shrinkage limit,  $w_L = \frac{w_w}{w_s} \times 100 = \frac{17}{85.6} \times 100 = 19.9 (\%)$

Table 3.3 Typical values of liquid and plastic limits (after Atkins, 1997)

| Soil                 | Liquid limit, $w_L$ | Plastic limit, $w_p$ |
|----------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| Silt clay mixture    | 25-40               | 20-30                |
| Kaolinite clay       | 40-70               | 20-40                |
| Montmorillonite clay | 300-600             | 100-200              |

Plasticity index is sometimes used to describe the soils. Table 3.4 gives a description of soils in terms of plasticity shows its relation with dry strength. The relevant field tests for the soils are also mentioned in the Table.

Table 3.4 Plasticity of soils (after Atkins, 1997)

| Plasticity index, $I_p$ | Term used for the soil | Dry strength   | Field test                        |
|-------------------------|------------------------|----------------|-----------------------------------|
| 0 - 3                   | Nonplastic             | Very low       | Grains fall apart easily          |
| 4 - 6                   | Slightly plastic       | Low            | Easily crushed by fingers         |
| 7 - 15                  | Moderately plastic     | Low to medium  | Slight pressure required to crush |
| 16 - 35                 | Plastic                | Medium to high | Difficult to crush                |
| Over 35                 | Highly plastic         | High           | Impossible to crush with fingers  |

The current state of a soil, in terms of Atterberg limits, is defined by the liquidity index ( $I_L$  or LI) which can be expressed as

$$I_L = \frac{w_n - w_p}{w_L - w_p} = \frac{w_n - w_p}{I_p} \quad (3.9)$$

Soft soils have liquidity index near to unity, whereas, stiff clays may have values near to zero. Quick clays have a liquidity index greater than 1.0.

Toughness index,  $I_T$  is defined as the ratio of plasticity index ( $I_p$ ) to the flow index ( $I_f$ ). That is,

The shrinkage limit of the soil can be calculated in two ways considering whether the specific gravity of the soil solids is known or unknown. Referring to Fig. 3.25, let,

- $W_1$  = weight of wet soil in the shrinkage dish
- $V_1$  = volume of wet soil (or dish)
- $W_d$  = weight of dry soil pat ( $W_s$ )
- $V_d$  = volume of dry soil pat ( $V_s$ )
- $G_s$  = specific gravity of soil solids

### Shrinkage limit expression for unknown specific gravity

The determinations required in this case are the initial and final weights and volumes of the soil samples in the shrinkage dish. Thus,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Initial weight of water} &= W_1 - W_d \\ \text{Volume decreased (Shrunked)} &= V_1 - V_d \\ \text{Weight of water occupying shrunked volume} &= (V_1 - V_d)\gamma_w \\ \text{Weight of water at Shrinkage limit} &= (W_1 - W_d) - (V_1 - V_d)\gamma_w \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Shrinkage Limit, } W_L \text{ or } SL &= \frac{\text{Weight of Water at Shrinkage Limit}}{\text{Weight of Soil Solid}} \\ &= \frac{(W_1 - W_d) - (V_1 - V_d)\gamma_w}{W_d} \end{aligned} \quad (3.12)$$

### Shrinkage limit expression for known specific gravity

If the specific gravity,  $G_s$ , of the soil solid is known (predetermined), the only data required to be determined during this test is the weight and volume of the soil pat in dry state. Let  $W_d$  and  $V_d$  be the dry weight and volume of the soil pat respectively. As such

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Volume of void at shrinkage limit} &= (V_d - W_d/G_s) \\ \text{Weight of water required to fill the void} &= (V_d - W_d/G_s)\gamma_w \end{aligned}$$

Therefore,

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Shrinkage Limit, } W_L \text{ or SL} &= \frac{\text{Weight of Water at Shrinkage Limit}}{\text{Weight of Soil Solid}} \\ &= \frac{(V_d - \frac{W_d}{G_s}) \gamma_w}{W_d} = \left( \frac{V_d}{W_d} - \frac{1}{G_s} \right) \gamma_w \end{aligned} \quad (3.13)$$

### Linear shrinkage test

The linear shrinkage is a measure of degree of decrease of a soil sample in one dimension. The apparatus, Fig. 3.26, mainly consists of a brass mould having a length,  $L_m$ , and semi-circular cross section, where the soil paste (slurry) is placed taking care not to entrap air. The surface of the soil paste struck off level. Similar to that of shrinkage limit test, the sample is initially dried in air until it shrunk clear of the mould and then placed it in an oven to complete the drying. After cooling, the length of the sample,  $L_d$  is measured and the linear shrinkage is obtained as follows:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Linear Shrinkage, } LS(\%) &= \left( 1 - \frac{\text{Final length}}{\text{Initial length}} \right) \times 100 \\ &= \left( \frac{L_m - L_d}{L_m} \right) \times 100 \end{aligned} \quad (3.14)$$

For soils with very small clay content the liquid and plastic limits may not produce reliable results. An approximation of the plasticity index may be obtained by measuring the linear shrinkage and using the following expression (Whitlow, 1996).

$$I_p = 2.13 LS \quad (3.15)$$

Shrinkage limit and linear shrinkage, along with the other soil test results, can provide indication of the swelling properties of the soil. However, shrinkage test results are not directly used in any classification scheme. Table 3.5 presents qualitative swelling potential of soils against shrinkage limit, linear shrinkage and other soil properties.

- ✓ **Plasticity Index:** Plasticity index ( $I_p$  or PI) is the range of water content within which the soil remains in the plastic state. It is equal to the difference between the liquid ( $w_L$ ) and the plastic limit ( $w_p$ ).
- ✓ **Liquidity Index:** Liquidity index ( $I_L$  or LI) is the ratio of difference between the natural water content the plastic limit to the plasticity index as given by Eq. (3.9).

$$I_L = \frac{w_n - w_p}{w_L - w_p} = \frac{w_n - w_p}{I_p}$$

The liquidity index of a soil indicates the nearness of its water content to its liquid limit. When the soil is at its liquid limit, its liquidity index is 100% and it behaves as a liquid. When the soil is at the plastic limit, its liquidity index is zero. Negative values of the liquidity index indicate water content smaller than the plastic limit. The soil is then in a hard (desiccated) state.

**Consistency Index:** Consistency index ( $I_c$ , CI) or relative consistency is defined as the ratio of the difference between the liquid limit and the natural water content to the plasticity index of soil.

$$I_c = \frac{w_L - w_n}{w_L - w_p} = \frac{w_L - w_n}{I_p}$$

Where,  $w_n$  = water contents of the soil in natural condition. The consistency index indicates the consistency (firmness) of a soil. It shows the nearness of the water content of the soil to its plastic limit. A soil with a consistency index of zero is at the liquid limit. It is extremely soft and has negligible shear strength. On the other hand, a soil at a water content equal to the plastic limit and has a consistency index of 100%, indicating that the soil is relatively firm. A consistency index of greater than 100% shows that the soil is relatively strong, as it is in the semi-solid state. A negative value of consistency index is also possible, which indicates that the water content is greater than the liquid limit. The consistency index is also known as relative consistency. It is worth noting that the sum total of the liquidity index and the consistency index is always equal to 100%, indicating that a soil having a high value of liquidity index has a low value of consistency index and vice-versa.

**Flow Index:** Flow index ( $I_f$ ) is the slope of the flow curve (a straight line) obtained between the number of blows and the water

content in Casagrande's method of determination of the liquid limit.

$$I_F = \frac{w_1 - w_2}{\log \frac{n_2}{n_1}}$$

The flow index is the rate at which a soil mass loses its shear strength with an increase in water content. Fig. 3.28 shows the flow curves of two soils (1) and (2). The soil (2) with a greater value of flow index indeed has a steeper slope and possesses lower shear strength as compared to soil (1) with a flatter slope. In order to decrease the water content by the same amount, the soil with a steeper slope takes a smaller number of blows, and, therefore, has lower shear strength.

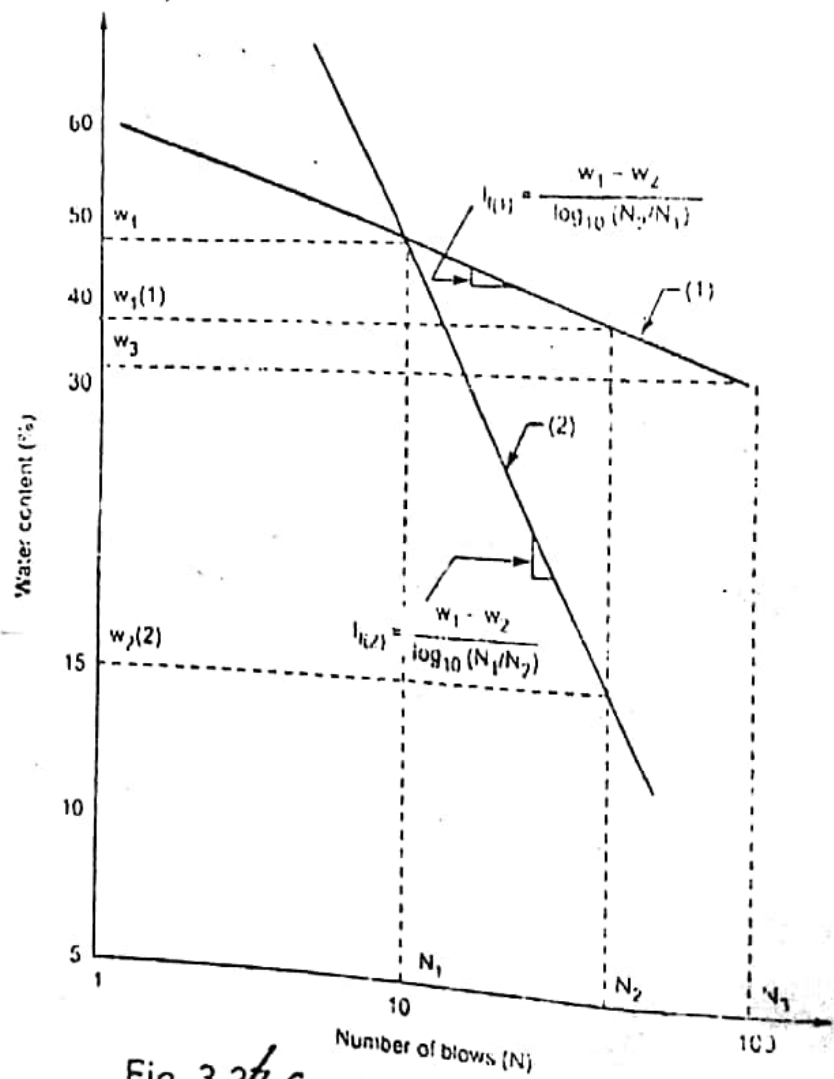


Fig. 3.27 Comparison of Flow Index

**Toughness Index:** Toughness index of a soil is defined as the ratio of the plasticity index ( $I_P$ ) to the flow index ( $I_F$ ).

$$I_T = \frac{I_P}{I_F} = \frac{w_L - w_P}{w_2 - w_1} = \frac{(w_L - w_P)}{(w_2 - w_1)} \times \log \frac{n_1}{n_2}$$

The toughness index of a soil is a measure of shearing strength of the soil at the plastic limit. Let us assume that the flow curve is a straight line between the liquid limit and the plastic limit. As the shearing resistance of the soil is directly proportional to number of blows in Cassgrande's device

$$kS_L = n_L \quad \text{and,} \quad kS_P = n_P$$

Where,

$n_L$  = number of blows at the liquid limit when the shear strength is  $S_L$

$n_P$  = number of blows at the plastic limit when the shear strength is  $S_P$

If  $w_2 = w_L$ ,  $n_2 = n_L$  and  $n_1 = 1$ , then

$$I_T = \frac{I_P}{I_F} = \frac{w_L - w_P}{w_2 - w_1} = \frac{(w_L - w_P)}{(w_2 - w_1)} \times \log \frac{n_1}{n_2}$$

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Factors affecting shear strength of soil.

- (1) Resistance due to interlocking of the particles
- (2) Frictional resistance between the individual soil grains, which may be either of the sliding or rolling frictions or between soil particles  $\rightarrow$  cohesion
- (3) Adhesion between soil particles called cohesion.



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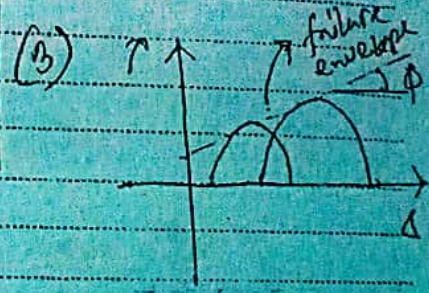
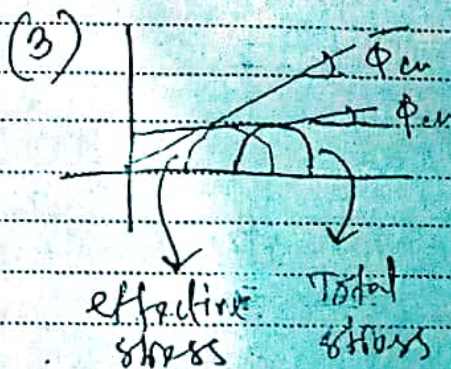
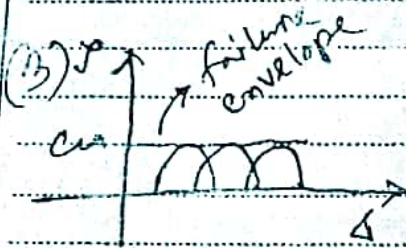
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(1) Sample is consolidated & drainage is allowed.

(2)  $T_f = c_u$

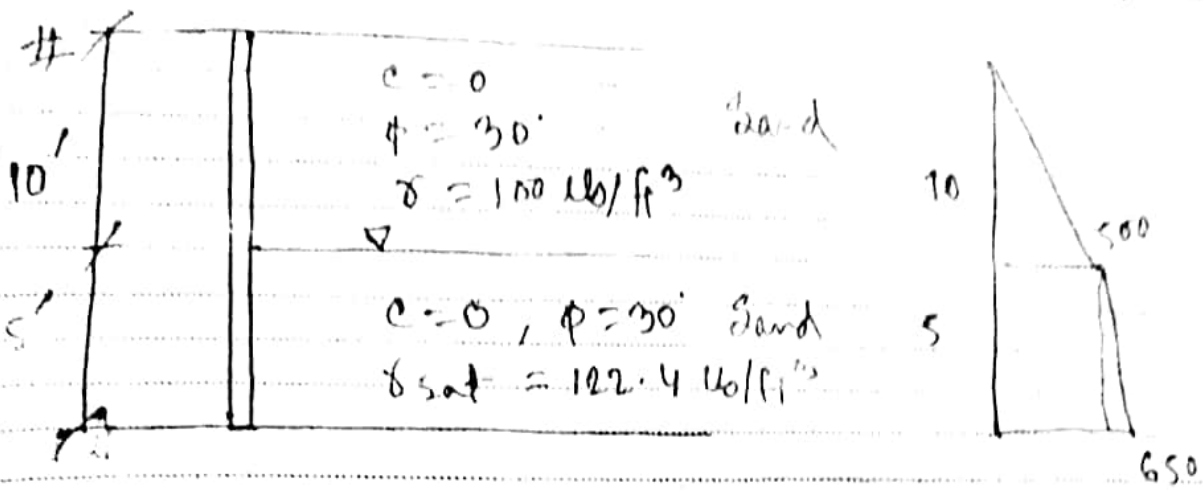
(2)  $T_f = c_{cu} + \sigma' \tan \phi_{cu}$

(2)  $T_f = c + \sigma' \tan \phi$



# Shear Strength of soil:

The sliding capability of soil, while to support loading from structure, or to support its own overburden pressure or to sustain a slope in equilibrium, is called shear strength of soil.



Layer - 1

$$K_0 = (1 - \sin \phi) = 1 - \sin 30^\circ = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$P_0(h) = K_0 \gamma H = \frac{1}{2} \times 100 \times h = 50h$$

$$\therefore P_0(10) = 50 \times 10 = 500 \text{ lb/ft}^2$$

Layer - 2

surcharge

$$q = \gamma H = 100 \times 10 = 1000$$

$$H_c = \frac{q}{\gamma_{s2}} = \frac{1000}{122.4 - 62.4} = 16.67$$

$$\therefore P_0(h) = K_0 \gamma (H + H_c) = \frac{1}{2} \times (122.4 - 62.4) \times (h + 16.67)$$

$$= 30h + 500$$

$$\therefore P_0(5) = 30 \times 5 + 500 = 650 \text{ lb/ft}^2$$

$$\therefore E.P @ \text{ surf} = \frac{1}{2} \times 500 \times 10 + 500 \times 5 + \frac{1}{2} \times (650 - 500) \times 5$$

$$= 5375 \text{ lb/ft}^2$$

$$\therefore W.P = \gamma_w h = 62.4 \times 5 = 312 \text{ lb/ft}^2$$

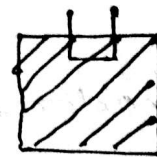
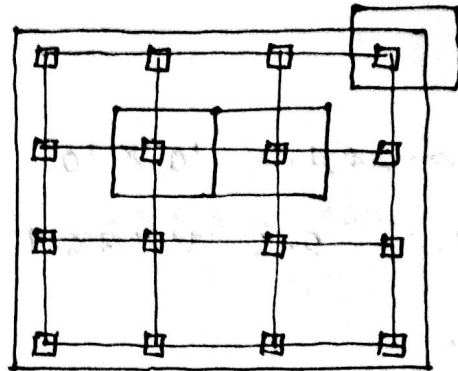
$$\therefore \text{Total float} = 5375 + 312 \times 5 = 6155 \text{ lb/ft}^2$$

(4)

### Raft Foundation :

\* Raft is used :

- When the footings are too large
- When the columns are on boundary line
- To create space in basement



### # Article 18.3

$$* F = \frac{cNe}{q_b - \gamma D_f} \quad \text{eqn 18.5}$$

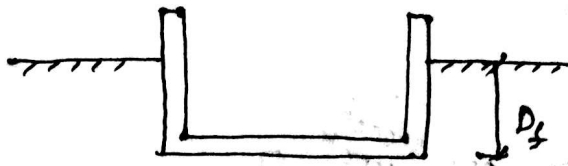
- $F$  = Factor of safety

$$* q_b = \text{gross contact pressure} = \frac{Q}{A}$$

- $Q$  = Total wt. of the structure

- $A$  = Area of the raft

\* When  $q_b = \gamma D_f$  ,  $F = \infty \Rightarrow$  Fully Compensated foundation / Floating foundation



\* Vol<sup>m</sup> of earth excavated  $A \times D_f$

\* Wt. of " " "  $\gamma A D_f$

$$q_b = \frac{Q}{A}$$

$$\Rightarrow Q = q_b A$$

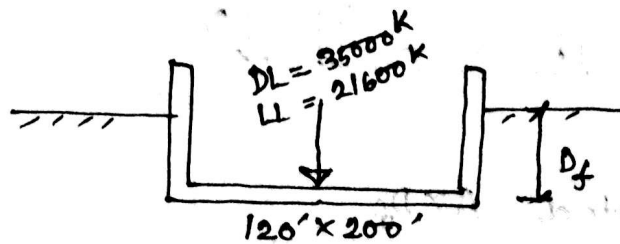
$$\Rightarrow Q = A \gamma D_f$$

$\downarrow$                        $\downarrow$   
 Wt. of building      Wt. of earth excavated

\* संप्रदान बालि धारान, संप्रदान fully compensated foundation करा इस। (Pg. 277, 2nd Para)

• Whole structure is floating in soft soil.

☐ Problem (pg 278)



$$\gamma = 115 \text{ pcf}$$

$$q_u = 0.3 \text{ tsf}$$

(a) Find  $D_f$  for fully compensated foundation.

(b) Find  $D_f$  for  $F = 3$

# Soln:

☐ (a) For full compensation,

$$q_b = \gamma D_f$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{Q}{A} = \gamma D_f = q_b = 2360 \text{ psf}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{35000 + 21600}{120 \times 200} = \frac{115 D_f}{1000}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{D_f = 20.5'}$$

☐ (b)

$$F = \frac{cNc}{q_b - \gamma D_f}$$

$$\Rightarrow q_b - \gamma D_f = \frac{cNc}{F}$$

Fig 18.3  $\rightarrow cNc = q_a \times 3$

assume,  $\frac{D_f}{B} = 0.1$

$$2360 - 115 D_f = \frac{3 q_a}{3} \rightarrow q_u = 0.3 t_{sb}$$

$$q_a = 0.26$$

for rectangular footing,  $q_a = 0.26 \left(1 + 2 \frac{B}{L}\right)$

$$= 0.26 \left(1 + 2 \times \frac{120}{200}\right)$$

$$= 0.29 t_{sb}$$

$$2360 - 115 D_f = 0.29 t_{sb} = 580 \text{ psf}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{D_f = 15.5'}$$

(c) If (i)  $q_b$  increases by 25%

(ii)  $q_b$  " " 50%

$$D_f = 15.5'$$

$$F = ?$$

(i)  $q_b = 2360$

25%

$$q_b = 2360 \times 1.25$$

$$= 2950$$

$$2950 - 115 \times 15.5 = \frac{580 \times 3}{F}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{F = 1.49}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{(ii)} \quad q_u &= 2360 \\ &50\% \text{ increase} \\ &= 2360 \times 1.5 \\ &= 3540 \end{aligned}$$

$$3540 - 115 \times 15.5 = \frac{580 \times 9}{F}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{F = 0.99}$$

\* F is not linear.

# Assignment

\* Pg 302 & 303

(Math 1 to 5)

$$\boxed{(d)} \quad F = 1, \quad D_f = ?$$

$$2360 - 115 D_f = \frac{580 \times 9}{1}$$

$$\boxed{D_f = 5.4'}$$

$$\boxed{(e)} \quad q_u = 0.25 \text{ tsf instead of } 0.3 \text{ tsf}$$

$$D_f = 15.5$$

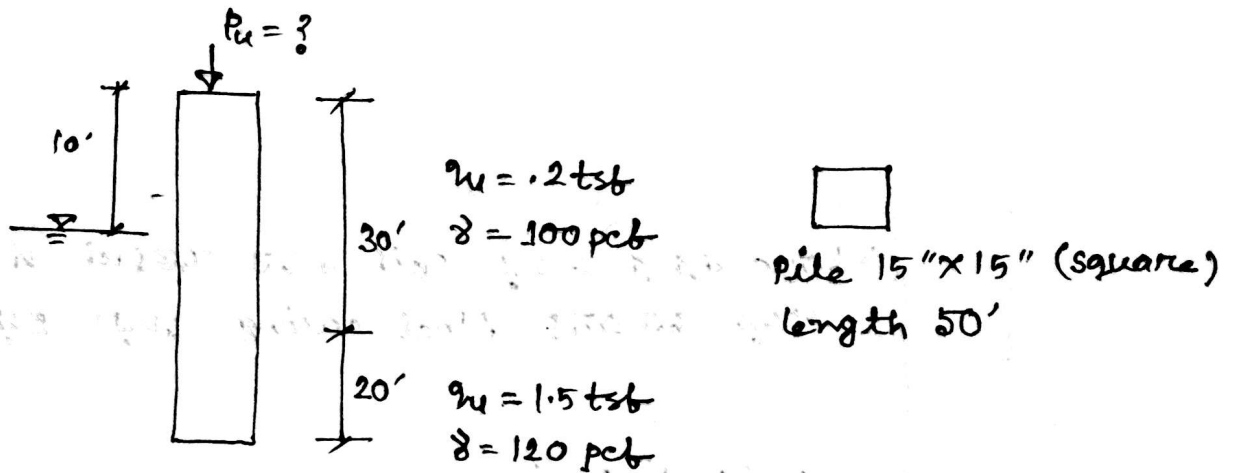
$$2360 - 115 \times 15.5 = \frac{(580 \times 9) (0.25/0.3)}{F}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{F = 2.5}$$

\* F is primarily dependent on shear strength of soil.

⑥

▣ Problem :



$$\begin{aligned} * \text{ Skin friction} &= q_2 c (\text{pile}) \times [A_{\text{surface}}] \\ &= q_1 c (\text{pier}) [A_{\text{surface}}] \end{aligned}$$

•  $\alpha$  = reduction factor

$$* \text{ End Bearing} = c N_c [A_{\text{tip}}]$$

# Sol<sup>n</sup> :

0-30' :

$$q_u = 0.2 \text{ tsf}$$

$$q_2 = 0.98 \quad (\text{fig 18.7})$$

$$c = \frac{q_u}{2} = 0.1 \text{ tsf} = 0.2 \text{ ksf}$$

$$0-30' = .98 \times .2 \times \left[ 4 \times \frac{15'}{12} \times 30 \right]$$

$$= 29.4 \text{ k}$$

30'-50' :

$$q_u = 1.5 \text{ tsf}$$

$$d_2 = .65$$

$$c = \frac{q_u}{2} = 1.5 \text{ ksf}$$

$$30'-50' = 0.65 \times 1.5 \times \left( 4 \times \frac{15'}{12} \times 20' \right)$$

$$= 97.5 \text{ k}$$

$$\text{Total Skin friction} = 29.4 + 97.5$$

$$= 127 \text{ k}$$

$$\text{End bearing} = c N_c A_{tip}$$

$$= 1.5 \times 9 \times \frac{15' \times 15'}{144}$$

$$= 21 \text{ k}$$

[End bearing is c 1.5 ksf as bearing is 9' dia]

$$P_u = \text{Skin friction} + \text{End bearing} = 127 + 21 = \boxed{148 \text{ k}}$$

# # Load carrying mechanism ~~काठमाडौं~~ Pile

2 types :

(1) Friction pile (Skin friction) end bearing)

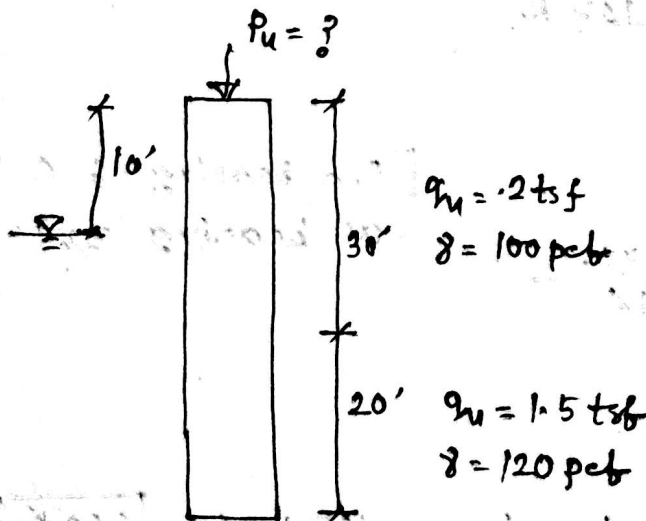
(2) End bearing " (end bearing) (Skin friction)

\* निरुद्ध rock माथको end bearing pile

रुद्ध, clay soil माथको friction pile

रुद्ध।

## ☐ Problem :



Drilled Pierc



$D = 24''$

length = 50 ft

$$q_u = 0.2 \text{ tsf}$$
$$f = 100 \text{ pcf}$$

$$q_u = 1.5 \text{ tsf}$$
$$f = 120 \text{ pcf}$$

# Sol<sup>n</sup> :

$$\text{skin friction} = \alpha_1 C A_{\text{surface}}$$

$\downarrow$   
(.45)

$$0-30' = .45 \times 2 [\pi \times 2 \times 30]$$
$$= 17k$$

$$30'-50' = .45 \times 1.5 [\pi \times 2 \times 20]$$
$$= 85k$$

$$\text{Total skin friction} = 17 + 85 = 102k$$

$$\text{End bearing} = 1.5 \times 9 \times \frac{\pi D^2}{4}$$
$$= 44k$$

$$\therefore P_u = 102 + 44 = \boxed{146k}$$

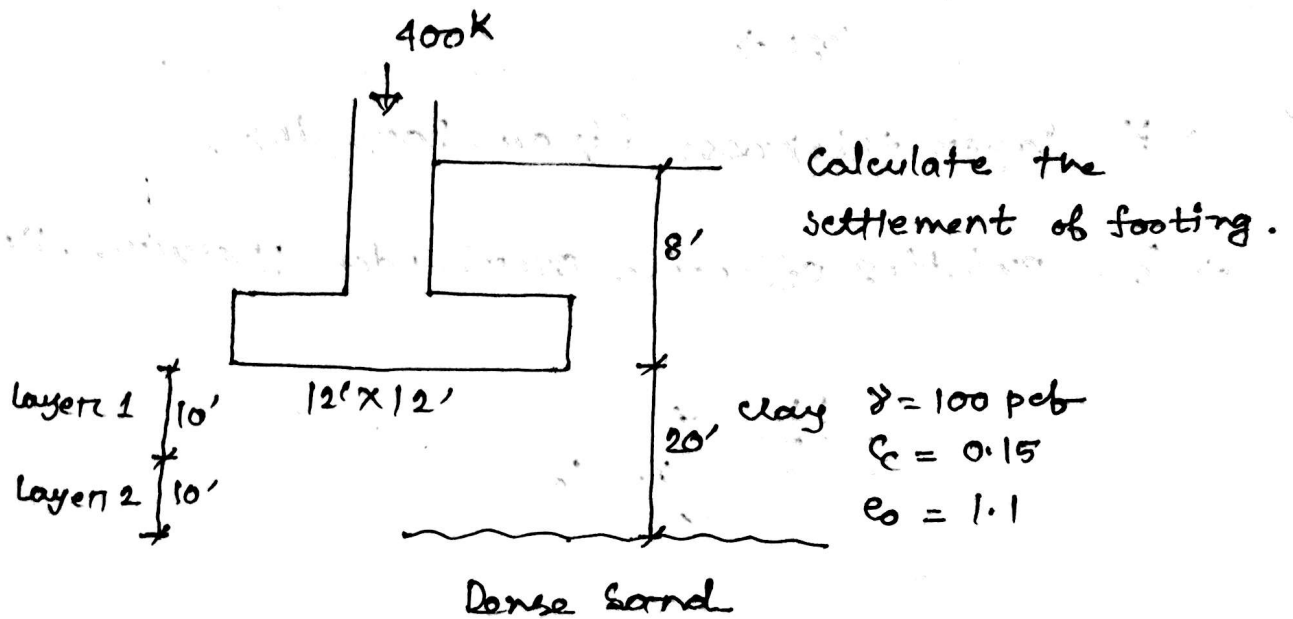
#  $\alpha_1$  এর মান  $\alpha_2$  এর চেয়ে কম কেন? (Pg 279)

$\Rightarrow \alpha_1$  is due to oversized hole

$$\text{AASHTO} \rightarrow \alpha_1 = 0.55$$

(8)

☐ Settlement of footing on clay : (Problem)



[\*  $C_c$  and  $C_r$  (दस्ता नत शकलन, NC consider करव । ]

# Soln :

- Divide the 20ft clay layer into 2 layer.
- Calculate the settlement for layer 1

$$\therefore S_1 = \Delta H = \frac{C_c H}{1 + e_0} \log \left( \frac{\Delta p + P_0}{P_0} \right) \quad [NC]$$

$$= \frac{15 \times 120}{1 + 1.1} \log \left( \frac{1380 + 1300}{1300} \right) = 2.7''$$

Layer I :

$$C_c = 1.5$$

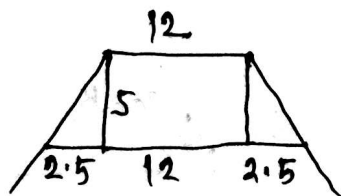
$$H = 10' = 120''$$

$$e_0 = 1.1$$

\*  $P_0$  = effective overburden pressure at middepth of layer I =  $(8+5) 100 = 1300 \text{ psf}$

\*  $\Delta p$  = increase in effective stress due to foundation load at midspan depth of layer I using

$$2:1 \text{ method} = 1380 \text{ psf}$$



$$\Delta p = \frac{400}{(12+5)(12+5)} = 1380 \text{ psf}$$

Layer II :

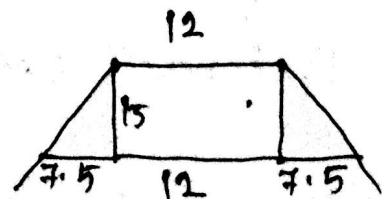
$$C_c = 1.5$$

$$H = 10' = 120''$$

$$e_0 = 1.1$$

$$P_0 = (8+15) 100 = 2300 \text{ psf}$$

$$\Delta p = 548 \text{ psf}$$



$$\Delta p = \frac{400}{(12+15)(12+15)} = 548 \text{ psf}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore S_2 &= \Delta H_2 = \frac{C_c H}{1+e_0} \log \left( \frac{\Delta p + P_0}{P_0} \right) \\ &= \frac{0.15 \times 120}{1+1.1} \log \left( \frac{548 + 2300}{2300} \right) \\ &= 0.8'' \end{aligned}$$

$$\therefore \text{Total settlement} = \Delta H_1 + \Delta H_2 = 2.7 + 0.8 = \boxed{3.5''}$$

Allowable settlement for footing on clay for RCC building is 2".

$\therefore$  The settlement is more than the allowable limit.

Problem :

OC (Over consolidated)

$$C_p = 0.04$$

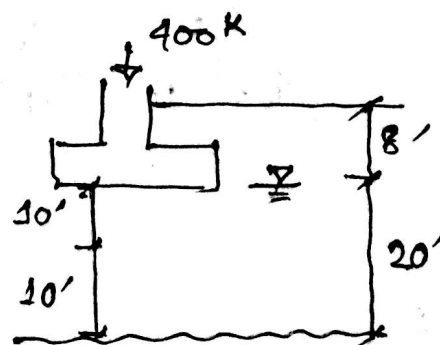
$$s = 120 \text{ pcb}$$

$$e_0 = 0.9$$

$$P_0' = q_{v \max} = 6000 \text{ psf}$$



Past max<sup>m</sup> overburden pressure



Calculate the settlement of footing.

# Soln :

$$P_0 = 8 \times 120 + 5 \times (120 - 62.5) = 1247 \text{ psf} \quad \left. \vphantom{P_0} \right\} \text{ Layer 1}$$

$$\Delta p = 1380 \text{ psf}$$

$$\Delta p + P_0 < 6000$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore S_1 = \Delta H_1 &= \frac{C_r H}{1 + e_0} \log \left( \frac{\Delta p + P_0}{P_0} \right) \quad [\text{oc}] \\ &= \frac{0.04 \times 120}{1 + 0.9} \log \left( \frac{1380 + 1247}{1247} \right) \\ &= 0.82'' \end{aligned}$$

$$P_0 = 1822 \text{ psf} \quad \left. \vphantom{P_0} \right\} \text{ Layer 2}$$

$\rightarrow (8 \times 120) + 15(120 - 62.5)$

$$\Delta p = 548 \text{ psf}$$

$$\therefore S_2 = \Delta H_2 = \frac{0.04 \times 120}{1 + 0.9} \log \left( \frac{548 + 1822}{1822} \right) = 0.29''$$

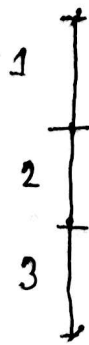
$$\therefore \Delta H_1 + \Delta H_2 = 0.82 + 0.29 = \boxed{1.11''}$$

∴ Allowable settlement 2"  
Calculated " 1.11"

∴ Settlement is within allowable limit.

□ Problem:

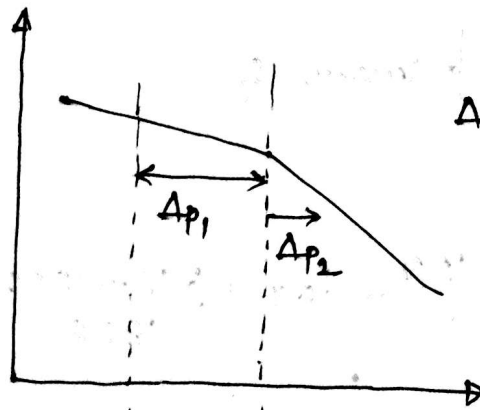
- \* Dense sand এর জায়গায় layer III continue করলে (Deep deposit) settlement 1" জায়ে, নিচের দিকে settlement কম জায়েনে stop হবে।



Clay  
↓  
Deep deposit (যখন III layer করতে হবে)

# When  $\Delta p + p_0 > p_0'$ ,

$$S = \frac{C_r H}{1 + e_0} \log \left( \frac{\Delta p + p_0'}{p_0'} \right) + \frac{C_c H}{1 + e_0} \log \left( \frac{\Delta p + p_0}{p_0} \right)$$

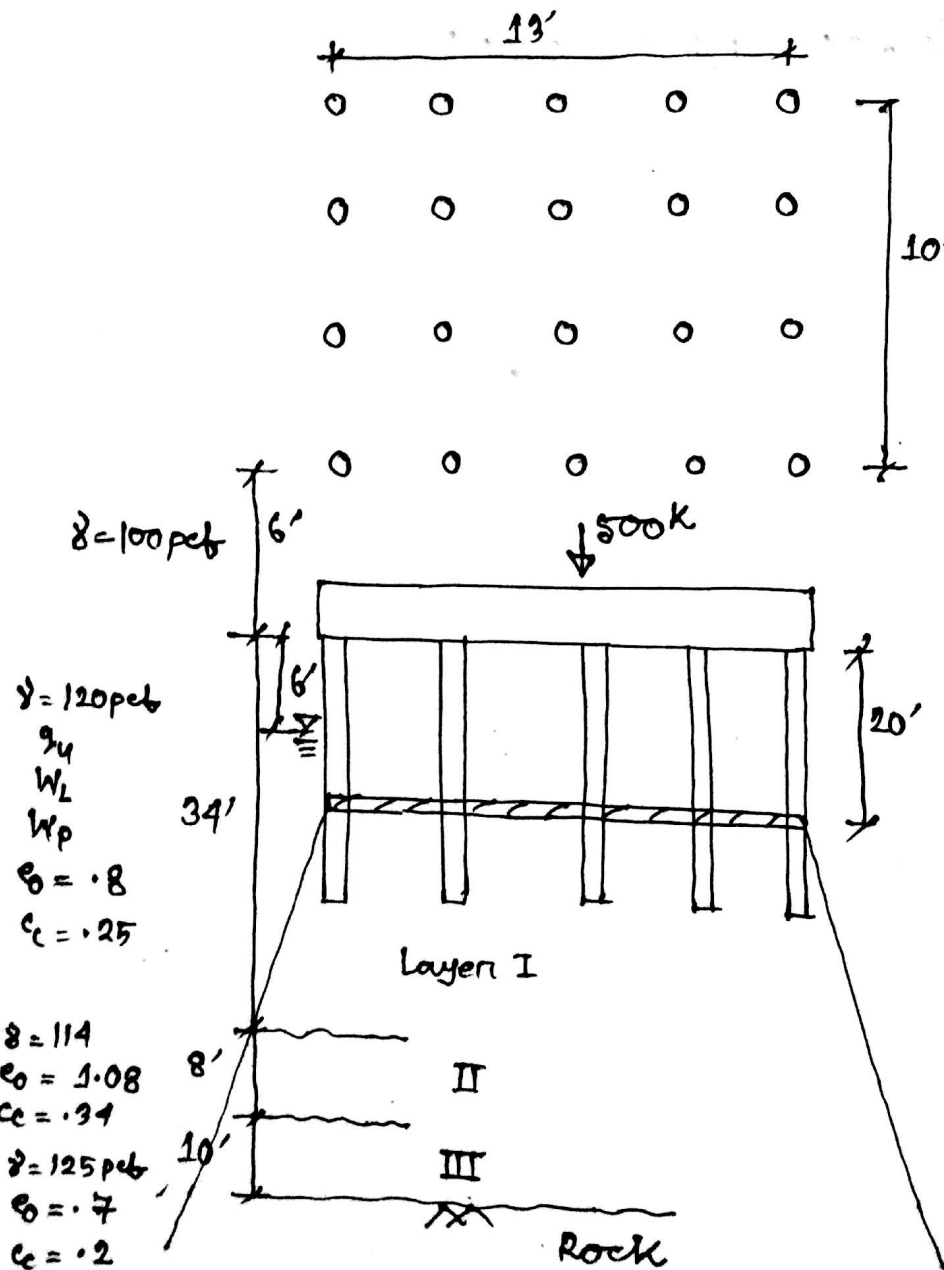


$$\therefore S = \frac{C_r H}{1 + e_0} \log \left( \frac{p_0' + \Delta p_1}{p_0'} \right) + \frac{C_c H}{1 + e_0} \log \left( \frac{p_0' + \Delta p_1 + \Delta p_2}{p_0'} \right)$$

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Pile Foundation design:

# Computation of settlement:



Pile group = 20 piles  
 Pile D = 12"  
 c/c spacing = 3 ft  
 L = 30'

\* End bearing pile  $\rightarrow$  Pile resting on dense sand or rock

- Assume an equivalent at pile bottom

\* Friction pile  $\rightarrow$  Piles embedded in clay

- Assume an equivalent footing at  $\frac{2}{3}L$

• Pile type  $\rightarrow$  Friction or end bearing

• The pile is embedded in clay  $\therefore$  Friction pile

• Assume an equivalent at  $\frac{2}{3}L$ , as shown in fig

• Equivalent footing size = Area of the group

$$= 10' \times 13'$$

• Soil is N.C.

• Settlement due to layer 1: (Stress distribution 2:1)

$$s_1 = \frac{C_c H}{1 + e_0} \log \left( \frac{\Delta p + P_0}{P_0} \right)$$

$$C_0 = 0.8$$

$$H = 14'$$

$$C_c = 0.23$$

$$\Delta p_1 = \frac{500 \times 10^3}{(13+7)(10+7)} = 1470 \text{ psf}$$

$$P_0 = 6 \times 100 + 6 \times 120 + (14+7) * (120 - 62.5) \\ = 2527 \text{ psf}$$

$$\therefore S_1 = \frac{0.23 \times 14 \times 12}{1 + 0.8} \log \left( \frac{1470 + 2527}{2527} \right) \\ = 4.3''$$

• Layer - II :

$$\Delta p_2 = \frac{500 \times 1000}{(13+18)(10+18)} = 580 \text{ psf}$$

$$P_0 = 2527 + 7'(120 - 62.5) + 4(114 - 62.5) \\ = 3136 \text{ psf}$$

$$\therefore S_2 = \frac{0.34 \times 8 \times 12}{1 + 1.08} \log \left( \frac{580 + 3136}{3136} \right) \\ = 1.2''$$

• Layer - III :

$$P_0 = 3136 + 4'(114 - 62.5) + 5'(125 - 62.5) \\ = 3657 \text{ psf}$$

$$\Delta P_3 = \frac{500 \times 1000}{(13+27)(10+27)}$$

$$= 340 \text{ psf}$$

$$\therefore S_3 = \frac{.2 \times 10 \times 12}{1+.7} \log \left( \frac{240+3657}{3657} \right)$$

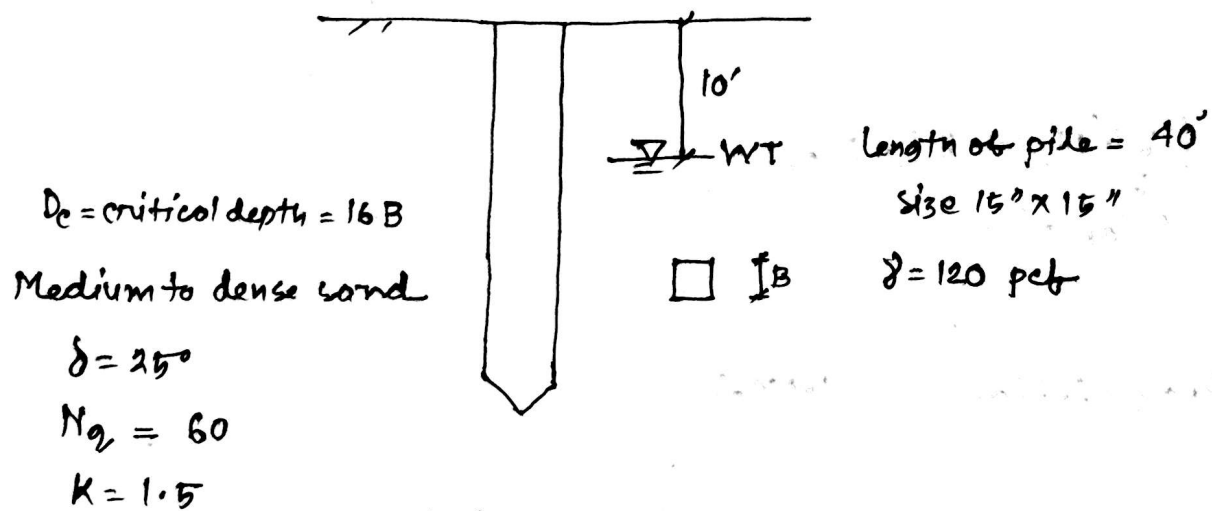
$$= 0.5''$$

$$\therefore S = S_1 + S_2 + S_3 = \boxed{6''}$$

\*\* Settlement bahar start for pile foundation,  
 we can go for longer piles and for  
 footing we can increase size of footing  
 or insert pile.

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### Pile foundation in sand: (Problem)



Find the capacity of the pile.

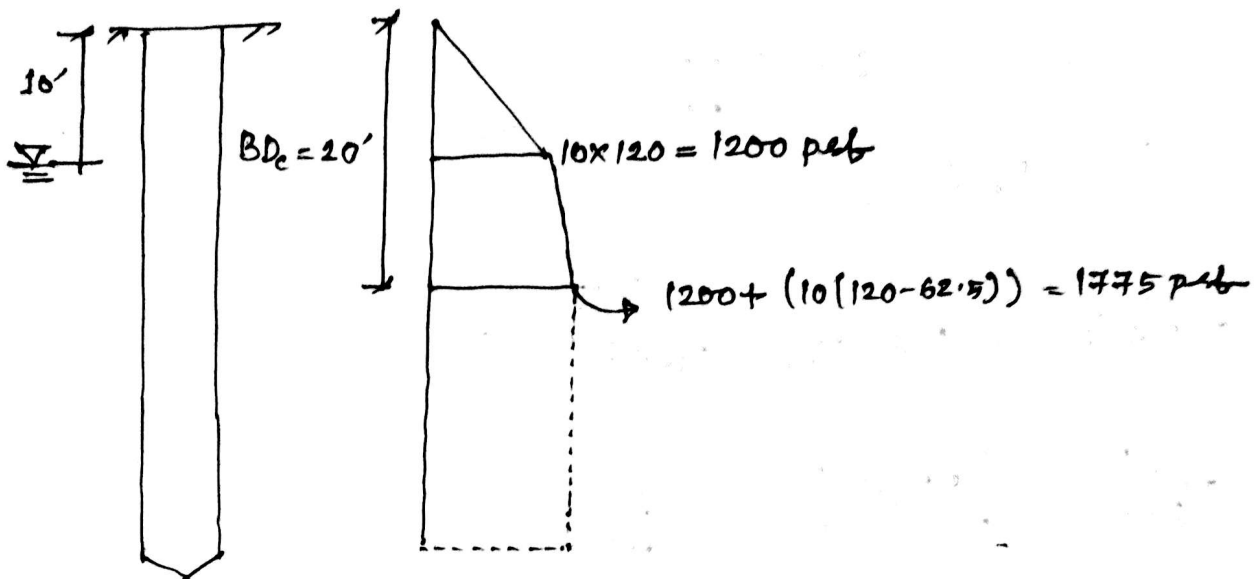
$$* \text{ Critical depth} = B D_c = \frac{15}{12} \times 16 = 20 \text{ ft}$$

Beyond this depth,  $Q_r$  remains constant

$$* D_c = f(\phi) \quad (10 \sim 20)$$

•  $N$  এর মান দেয়া থাকলে,  $\delta$ ,  $N_q$ ,  $K$  এর কথা মাঝে,

# Sol<sup>n</sup> :



• Skin friction :

$$0 \sim 10 = k \tan \delta \text{ by } A_{\text{surface}}$$

$$= 1.5 \times \tan 25^\circ \times \left[ \frac{0 + 1200}{2} \right] \times \left[ \frac{15 \times 4 \times 10}{12} \right]$$

$$= 1.5 \times 0.47 \times 600 \times 50$$

$$= 21 \text{ K}$$

$$10 \sim 20' = 1.5 \times 0.47 \times \left( \frac{1200 + 1775}{2} \right) \times 50$$

$$= 52 \text{ K}$$

$$20 \sim 40' = 1.5 \times 0.47 \times (1775) \times 5 \times 20$$

$$= 125 \text{ K}$$

$$\therefore \text{Total friction} = 198 \text{ K}$$

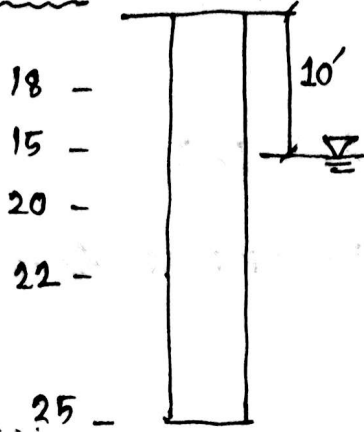
$$\begin{aligned} \bullet \text{ End bearing} &= 2N_q A_{tip} \\ &= 1775 \times 60 \times \frac{15 \times 15}{144} \\ &= 166 \text{ k} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Total capacity} = 198 + 166 = 364 \text{ k}$$

$$P_a = \frac{364}{2.5} = \boxed{146 \text{ k}}$$

□ Problem : (Drilled Pierc)

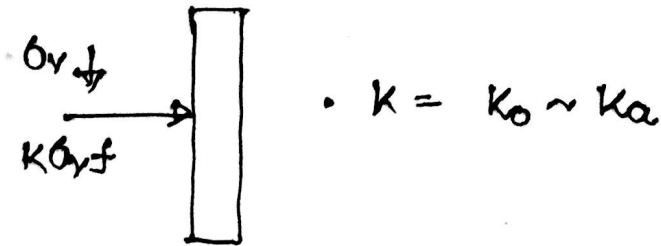
Nuolve



Drilled Pierc  
length = 40'

$D = 24''$

Find the capacity.



\*  $f = \tan \delta$

↓  
depends on surface (smooth शनत कस्र  
Rough " कवजि )

•  $\delta = \frac{2}{3} \phi$  (concrete)

•  $\tan \delta = 0.1$  (Steel)

\* वड pile शनत  $K_p$  कवजि शक ।

\* Forc bored pile ,  $\delta \approx \phi$

• AASHTO formula use करें।

\* Skin friction

$$\rightarrow k \tan \delta \cdot Q_v [A_{\text{surface}}]$$

$$* \beta = 1.5 - 0.135 \sqrt{z} \quad (\text{include } \tan \delta, K, D_c)$$

(does not depend on  $N$  as excavate करें dense sand loose करें या)

$$* \text{End bearing} = 1.2 N A_{\text{tip}}$$

# Soln:

• Skin friction:

$$0 \sim 10' = Q_v \beta [A_{\text{surface}}]$$

$$= [5 \times 120] \cdot 1.2 [2\pi \times 10]$$

$$= 45 \text{ k}$$

$$\beta = 1.5 - 0.135 \sqrt{5}$$

$$= 1.2$$

$$10 \sim 20' = [10 \times 120 + 5 (120 - 62.5)] (2\pi \times 10) (1.5 - 0.135 \sqrt{15})$$

$$= 92 \text{ k}$$

$$20 \sim 30' = [10 \times 120 + 15 (120 - 62.5)] \times (1.5 - 0.135 \sqrt{25}) \times (2\pi \times 10)$$

$$= 106 \text{ k}$$

$$30 - 40' = [10 \times 120 + 25(120 - 62.5)] \times (1.5 - 0.136 \sqrt{35}) \times 2\pi \times 10$$

$$= 116 \text{ K}$$

$$\therefore \text{Total skin friction} = 359 \text{ K}$$

- End bearing =  $1.2 \text{ N (A}_{\text{tip}})$ 

$$= 1.2 \times 25 \times \left( \pi \times \frac{22}{4} \right)$$

$$= 94 \text{ K}$$

$$P_u = 359 + 94 = 453 \text{ K}$$

$$P_a = \frac{453}{2.5} = \boxed{180 \text{ K}}$$

## **Soil Investigation!! Sub-soil Exploration!!**

### ***Site Exploration and Characterization***

***The process of exploring to characterize or define small scale properties of substrata at construction sites is unique to geotechnical engineering. In other engineering disciplines, material properties are specified during design, or before construction or manufacture, and then controlled to meet the specification. Unfortunately, subsurface properties cannot be specified; they must be deduced through exploration.***

Charles H. Dowding (1979)

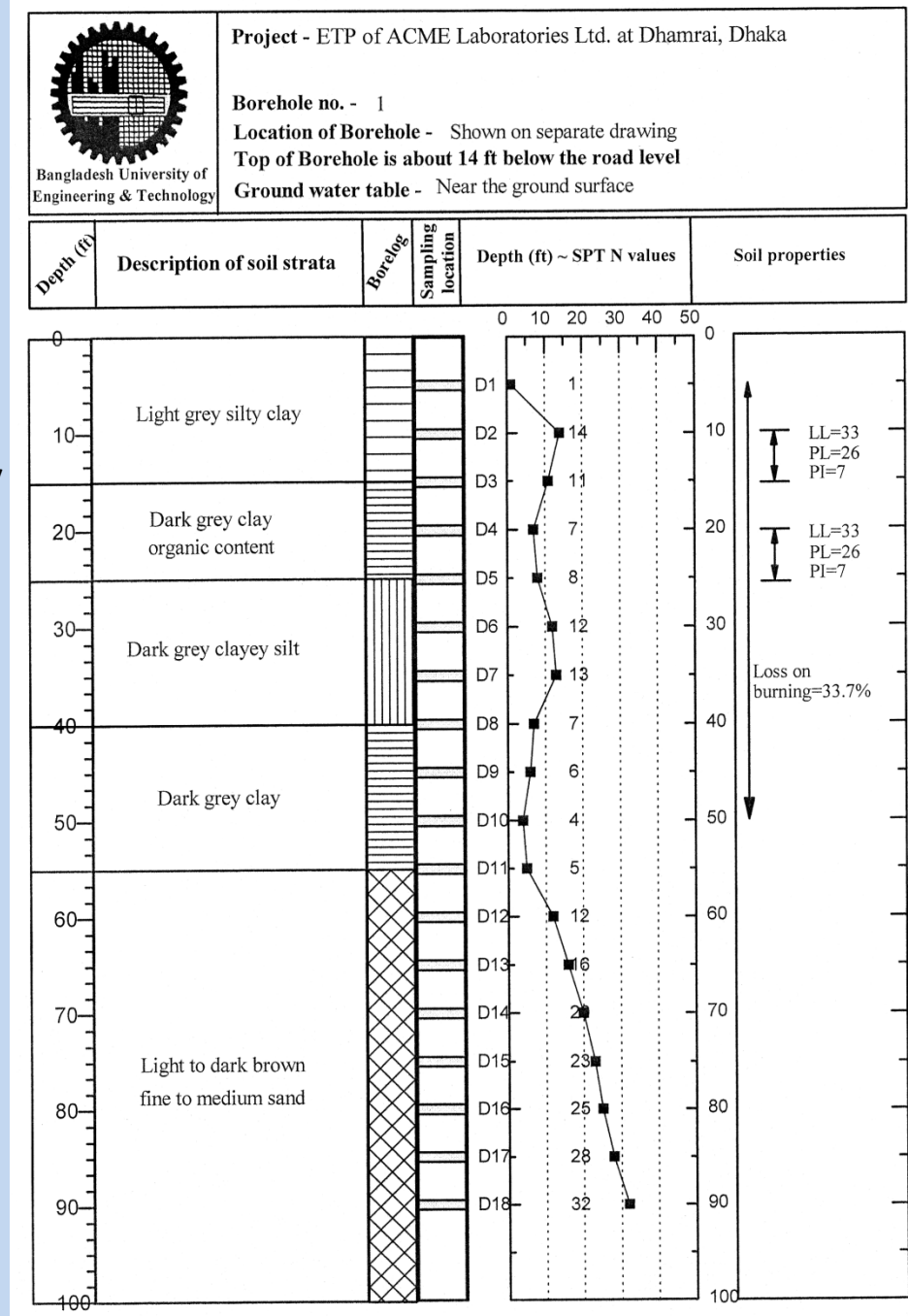
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# Bore-log

The detailed information gathered from each borehole is presented in a graphical form termed as 'boring log' or 'bore-log'

A bore-log usually contains:

1. Name and address of drilling company
2. Project name & Location of site
3. Date of boring
4. Bore-hole number and type of boring
5. Sub-surface stratification
6. RL of GL and elevation of water table
7. SPT-N value
8. Number, type and depth of soil sample collected



## **Soil sampling**

**Two types of samples may be obtained**

**Disturbed samples**

**Undisturbed samples**

**A disturbed sample is one obtained with no attempt to retain the in-place structure, however there is no change in the constituents/composition. In a strict sense no sample is perfectly undisturbed, what we mean is that the disturbance is small**

**The samples must be representative (disturbed or undisturbed)**

**Both disturbed and undisturbed samples are collected as the bore-hole proceeds**

The kind of samples that should be obtained from an exploratory drill hole depend on the purpose for which the exploration is made.

**Disturbed samples** can be used for  
Visual observation and classification  
Grain size analysis  
Sp.Gr. determination  
Atterberg limits determination  
Organic content determination  
Chemical tests (pH, chloride, Sulfate etc.)

**Undisturbed samples** are required for  
Consolidation test  
Shear strength (Direct shear, Unconfined compression, Triaxial test)  
Permeability, Hydraulic conductivity

For proper identification and classification, representative samples are required. A representative sample is one that contain all the constituents in their proportions. Such samples are adequate for visual classification, mechanical analyses, determination of Atterberg limits, Unit weight/Sp.Gr of solid constituents, chemical/organic content etc.

**Mechanical properties of the disturbed** soil samples are **significantly altered** by the sampling process. For determination of stress~strain characteristics or density of the soil strata we need samples that have undergone negligible deformation during sampling. Such samples are called **undisturbed**, although a certain amount of disturbance is regarded as inevitable.

## SPT and disturbed sampling

When a borehole is extended to a predetermined depth, the drill tools are removed and the sampler is lowered to the bottom of the borehole.

The sampler is driven into the soil by hammer blows to the top of the drill rod.

The standard weight of the hammer is 140 lb (622.7 N) and for each blow the hammer drops a distance of 30 in (0.762 m). The number of blows for three 6" (152.4 mm) intervals of the spoon are recorded. The number of blows required for the last two intervals are added and is termed as the N-value (or SPT-N or Standard Penetration Number) at that depth.

The sampler is withdrawn, the shoe and coupling are removed and the soil sample recovered from the tube is collected (disturbed sample).

## Field Tests / In-situ Tests

Standard Penetration Test

Vane Shear Test

Cone Penetrometer Test

Pressuremeter Test

Dilatometer Test

Dynamic Penetration Tests (DPL, DPM, DPH, DPSH)

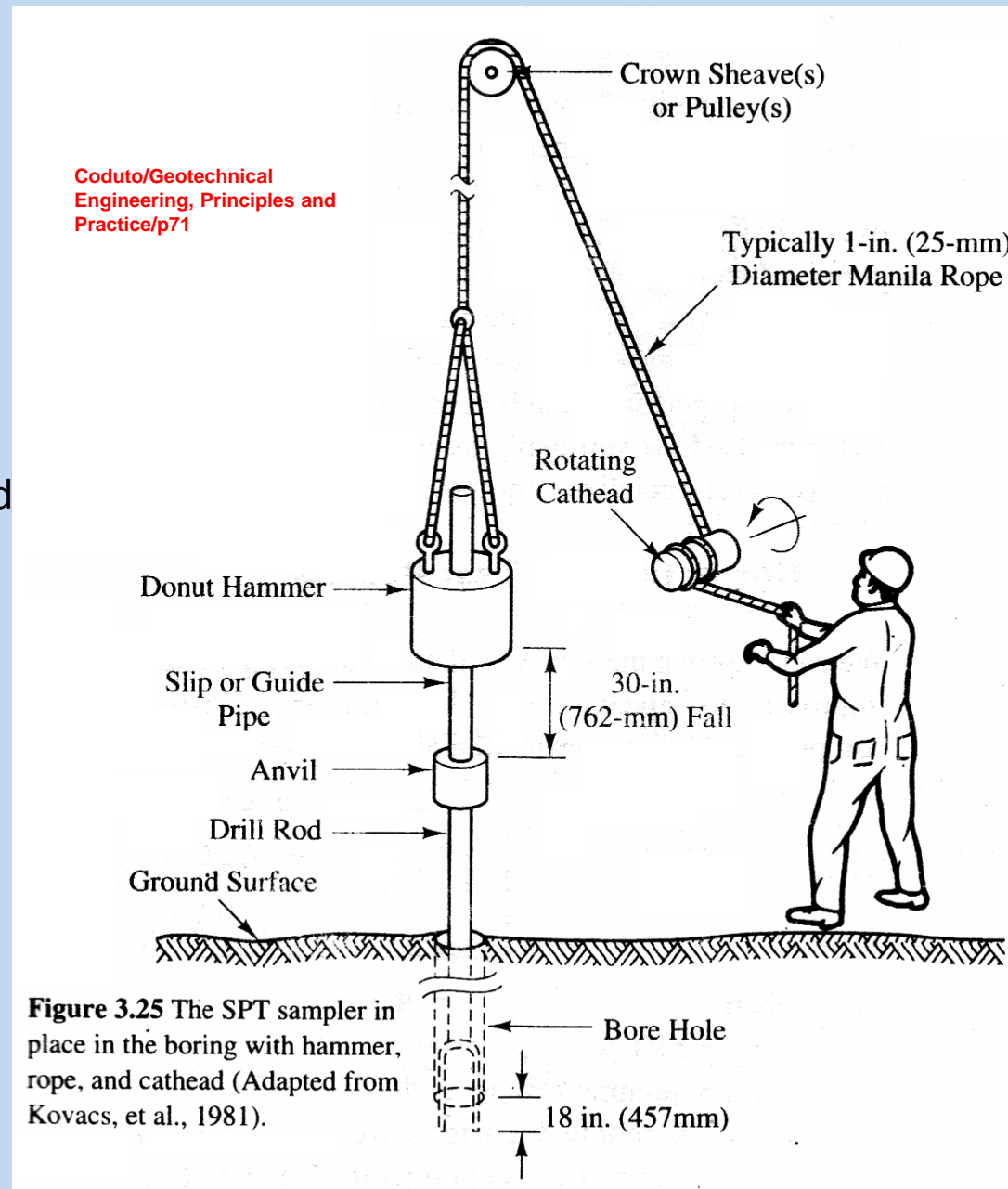
## Standard Penetration Test (SPT)

### Advantages

- Simple equipments
- Low cost
- Do not require much expertise for field operations
- Disturbed samples are collected

### Disadvantages

- Much variation in the results i.e. poor repeatability



## 2.15 CONE PENETRATION TEST

The cone penetration test (CPT), originally known as the Dutch cone penetration test, is a versatile sounding method that can be used to determine the materials in a soil profile and estimate their engineering properties. This test is also called the *static penetration test*, and no boreholes are necessary to perform it. In the original version, a 60° cone with a base area of 10 cm<sup>2</sup> was pushed into the ground at a steady rate of about 20 mm/sec, and the resistance to penetration (called the point resistance) was measured.

The cone penetrometers in use at present measure (a) the *cone resistance* ( $q_c$ ) to penetration developed by the cone, which is equal to the vertical force applied to the cone divided by its horizontally projected area, and (b) the *frictional resistance* ( $f$ ), which is the resistance measured by a sleeve located above the cone with the local soil surrounding it. The frictional resistance is equal to the vertical force applied to the sleeve divided by its surface area — actually, the sum of friction and adhesion.

Photograph of a  
cone penetrometer



## Advantages of CPT

- CPT is a useful means to determine the soil profile. Since it retrieves data continuously with depth (with electric cone) or at very close interval (with mechanical cone), CPT can detect thin layers in stratigraphy. Sometimes use of CPT in the first phase facilitate better specification for boring and sampling in the second phase.
- It is also less prone to error due to automated operation of the equipment and electronic data recording.

## Disadvantages of CPT

- No soil sample is recovered. So no opportunity to inspect the soils.
- The test is unreliable or unusable in soils with significant gravel content.
- Although the cost per foot of penetration is less than that for borings, it is necessary to mobilize a special rig to perform the CPT. CPT at a certain site may not be possible from the point of equipment mobilization.

## Vane Shear Test

The *vane shear test* (ASTM D-2573) may be used during the drilling operation to determine the *in situ* undrained shear strength ( $c_u$ ) of clay soils — particularly soft clays. The vane shear apparatus consists of four blades on the end of a rod, as shown in Figure 2.24. The height,  $H$ , of the vane is twice the diameter,  $D$ . The vane can be either rectangular or tapered (see Figure 2.24). The dimensions of vanes used in the field are given in Table 2.6. The vanes of the apparatus are pushed into the soil at the bottom of a borehole without disturbing the soil appreciably. Torque is applied at the top of the rod to rotate the vanes at a standard rate of  $0.1^\circ/\text{sec}$ . This rotation will induce failure in a soil of cylindrical shape surrounding the vanes. The maximum torque,  $T$ , applied to cause failure is measured. Note that

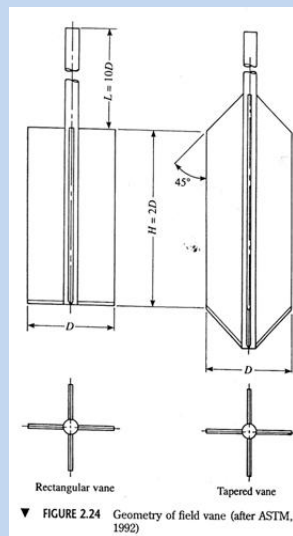
$$T = f(c_u, H, \text{ and } D) \quad (2.13)$$

or

$$c_u = \frac{T}{K} \quad (2.14)$$

where  $T$  is in  $\text{N}\cdot\text{m}$ , and  $c_u$  is in  $\text{kN}/\text{m}^2$

$K$  = a constant with a magnitude depending on the dimension and shape of the vane



Hand Vane

Field Vane

## Advantages and Limitations of Field Vane Shear test

Field vane shear tests are moderately rapid and economical and are used extensively in field soil-exploration programs. The test gives good results in soft and medium-stiff clays, and it is also an excellent test to determine the properties of sensitive clays.

Sources of significant error in the field vane shear test are poor calibration of torque measurement and damaged vanes. Other errors may be introduced if the rate of vane rotation is not properly controlled.

For actual design purposes, the undrained shear strength values obtained from field vane shear tests [ $c_u(\text{VST})$ ] are too high and it is recommended that they be corrected, or

$$c_{u(\text{corrected})} = \lambda c_{u(\text{VST})} \quad (2.19)$$

where  $\lambda$  = correction factor

Several correlations have been previously given for the correction factor,  $\lambda$ , and some are given in Table 2.7.

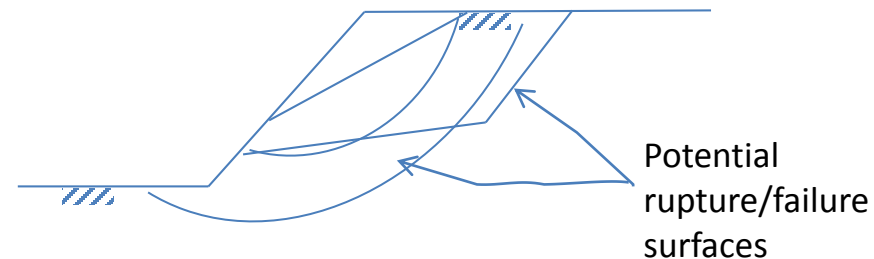
Undrained shear strength, pre-consolidation pressure and OCR can be determined using appropriate correlations.

## Slope

An exposed ground surface that stands at an angle with the horizontal is called an *unrestrained slope*. The slope can be natural or man-made. If the ground surface is not horizontal, a component of gravity will tend to move the soil downward. If the component of gravity is large enough, slope failure can occur.

### Slope Stability Analysis

In many cases, civil engineers are expected to make calculations to check the safety of natural slopes, slopes of excavations, and compacted embankments. This check involves determining and comparing the shear stress developed along the most likely rupture surface with the shear strength of the soil. This process is called *slope stability analysis*. The most likely rupture surface is the critical plane that has the minimum factor of safety.



## Factor of Safety

As engineer we need to ensure the safety of a slope through determining the factor of safety. The factor of safety is defined as

$$F_s = \frac{\tau_f}{\tau_d}$$

Where

$F_s$  = Factor of safety with respect to strength

$\tau_f$  = Average shear strength of the soil

$\tau_d$  = average shear stress developed along the potential failure surface

The shear strength of a soil consists of two components, cohesion and friction, and may be written as

$$\tau_f = c + \sigma \tan \phi \quad (13.2)$$

where  $c$  = cohesion

$\phi$  = angle of friction

$\sigma$  = normal stress on the potential failure surface

In a similar manner, we can write

$$\tau_d = c_d + \sigma \tan \phi_d \quad (13.3)$$

where  $c_d$  and  $\phi_d$  are, respectively, the cohesion and the angle of friction that develop along the potential failure surface. Substituting Eqs. (13.2) and (13.3) into Eq. (13.1), we get

$$F_s = \frac{c + \sigma \tan \phi}{c_d + \sigma \tan \phi_d} \quad (13.4)$$

Now we can introduce some other aspects of the factor of safety — that is, the factor of safety with respect to cohesion,  $F_c$ , and the factor of safety with respect to friction,  $F_\phi$ . They are defined as follows:

$$\boxed{F_c = \frac{c}{c_d}} \quad (13.5) \quad \text{and} \quad \boxed{F_\phi = \frac{\tan \phi}{\tan \phi_d}} \quad (13.6)$$

When we compare Eqs. (13.4) through (13.6), we can see that when  $F_c$  becomes equal to  $F_\phi$ , it gives the factor of safety with respect to strength. Or, if

$$\frac{c}{c_d} = \frac{\tan \phi}{\tan \phi_d} \quad \text{we can write} \quad F_s = F_c = F_\phi \quad (13.7)$$

When  $F_s$  is equal to 1, the slope is in a state of impending failure. Generally, a value of 1.5 for the factor of safety with respect to strength is acceptable for the design of a stable slope.