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| Wire rope diameter | | Nominal size of clips | Number of clips | Spacing of clips | | Torque to be applied to nuts of clips | |
|--------------------|---------|-----------------------|-----------------|------------------|-------|---------------------------------------|---------------|
| (inch) | (mm) | | | (inches) | (mm) | (ft-lb) | (m-kgX0.1382) |
| $\frac{5}{16}$ | (7.95) | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 3 | 2 | (50) | 25 | (3.5) |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ | (9.52) | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 3 | $2\frac{1}{4}$ | (57) | 25 | (3.5) |
| $\frac{7}{16}$ | (11.11) | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 4 | $2\frac{3}{4}$ | (70) | 40 | (5.5) |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ | (12.70) | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 4 | 3 | (76) | 40 | (5.5) |
| $\frac{5}{8}$ | (15.85) | $\frac{5}{8}$ | 4 | $3\frac{3}{4}$ | (95) | 65 | (9.0) |
| $\frac{3}{4}$ | (19.05) | $\frac{3}{4}$ | 4 | $4\frac{1}{2}$ | (114) | 100 | (14) |
| $\frac{7}{8}$ | (22.22) | 1 | 5 | $5\frac{1}{4}$ | (133) | 165 | (23) |
| 1 | (25.40) | 1 | 5 | 6 | (152) | 165 | (23) |
| $1\frac{1}{4}$ | (31.75) | $1\frac{1}{4}$ | 5 | $7\frac{1}{2}$ | (190) | 250 | (35) |
| $1\frac{3}{8}$ | (34.92) | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | 6 | $8\frac{1}{4}$ | (210) | 375 | (52) |
| $1\frac{1}{2}$ | (38.10) | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | 6 | 9 | (230) | 375 | (52) |
| $1\frac{3}{4}$ | (44.45) | $1\frac{3}{4}$ | 6 | $10\frac{1}{2}$ | (267) | 560 | (78) |

Note: The spacing of clips should be six times the diameter of the wire rope. To assemble end-to-end connection the number of clips indicated above should be increased by two, and the proper torque indicated above should be used on all clips; U-bolts are reversed at the center of connection so that the U-bolts are on the dead (reduced load) end of each wire rope.

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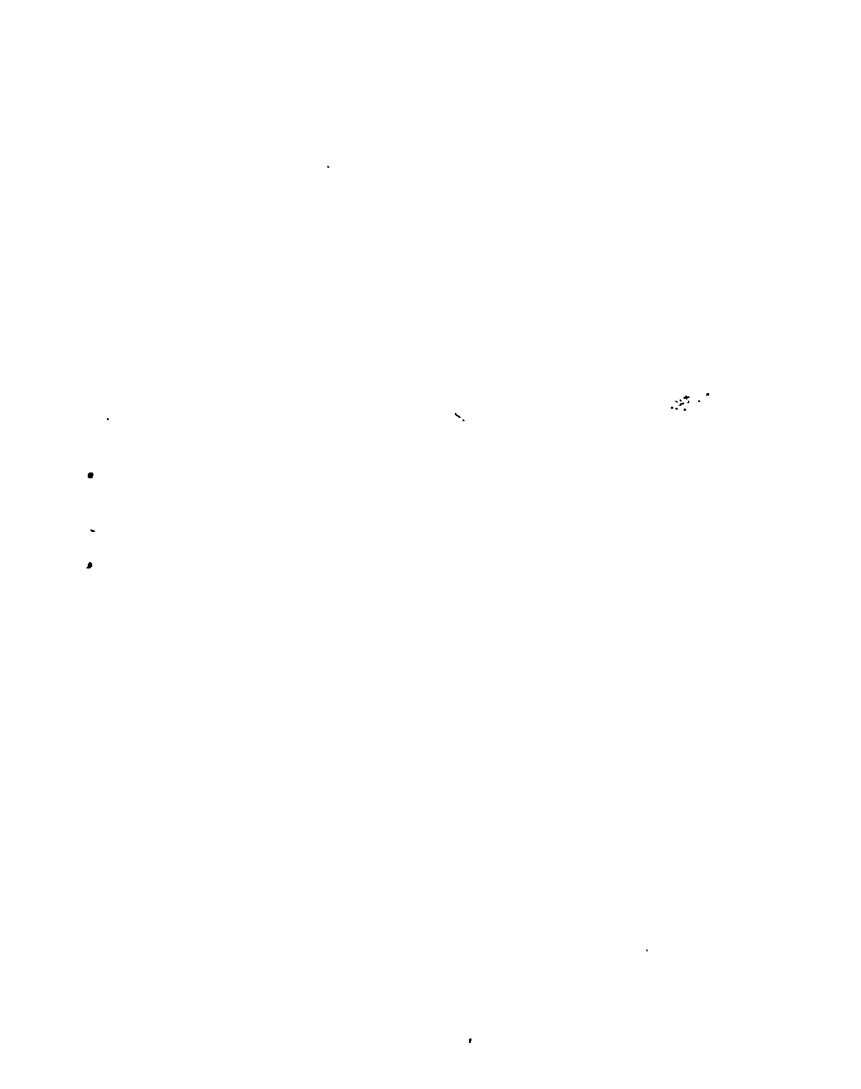
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CHAPTER 1

INTRODUCTION

Section I. Purpose and Scope

1-1. PURPOSE

The purpose of this manual is to provide pertinent data in a convenient format for officers and noncommissioned officers at the platoon level.

1-2. SCOPE

a. Contents. Data has been condensed on a wide variety of subjects pertinent to the duties of engineer unit personnel, particularly officers and noncommissioned officers.

b. Comments. Users of this manual are encouraged to submit comments or recommendations for changes to improve this manual. Comments should be keyed to the specific page, paragraph, and line of text in which the change is recommended. Reasons will be provided for each comment to insure understanding and proper evolution. Comments should be prepared using DA Form 2028 (Recommended Changes to Publications) and forwarded direct to the Commandant, U.S. Army Engineer School, Fort Belvoir, Virginia 22060.

Section II. References

1-3. MANUALS

Pertinent manuals and other military publications are listed in appendix A.

1-4. STANDARD AGREEMENTS

Information in this manual reflects the application of Standard NATO Agreements (STANAG) and Standardization of Operations and Logistics (SOLOG) Agreements.

CHAPTER 2

EXPLOSIVES AND DEMOLITIONS

Section I. Introduction

2-1. CHARACTERISTICS OF EXPLOSIVES

See table 2-1 for the principal types of U.S. explosives commonly used for military purposes.

- a. *Detonating velocity.* See table 2-1.
- b. *Relative effectiveness factor.*

(1) The formulas used in this chapter give the weight of explosive (P) required for a demolition task in pounds of TNT.

(2) Where a type of explosive other than TNT is used, the correct weight of explosive is obtained by dividing P by the relative effectiveness factor for the explosive used. See table 2-1, column 4.

(3) *Example.* For a steel cutting charge, P is found to be 21 lbs. of TNT. Composition C-4 is to be used. Therefore, the correct weight of C-4 required is $21 \div 1.34 = 15.7$ lbs. of C-4. Use 16 lbs. of C-4.

(4) This adjustment is not used for rules of thumb.

(5) For further details see FM 5-25.

- c. *Rounding-Off Rule.*

(1) When using explosives, never use less than the calculated amount. Some explosives like C-4 and M118 can be cut to the desired amount, while with other types the ability to size explosives is limited.

(2) For charges calculated by formula, use the following round-off steps:

(a) Calculate one (1) charge for TNT using a demolition formula to at least two decimals.

(b) Use the relative effectiveness factor, if required.

(c) Round off answer for one charge to next package size.

(d) Multiply answer for one charge by the number of charges to obtain the total explosive required.

Table 2-1. Characteristics of Principal U.S. Explosives

| Name | Principal use | Smallest cop required for detonation | Relative effectiveness as external charge | Velocity of detonation, fps | Value as cratering charge | Intensity of poisonous fumes | Water resistance | Packaging |
|--|--|--|---|-----------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|------------------|---------------------------------|
| TNT | Main charge, booster charge; cutting and breaching charge, general and military use in forward areas | Special blasting cop, electric or non-electric | 1.00 | 23,000 | Good | Dangerous | Excellent | 1 lb, 50 or 56 to box |
| Tetrytol, M1, M2 | | | 1.20 | 23,000 | Fair | Dangerous | Excellent | 16 2½-lb blocks in wooden box |
| Composition C3 M3, M5 | | | 1.34 | 25,000 | Excellent | Dangerous | Good | 16 2½-lb blocks in wooden box |
| MSA1 Composition C4 M112 | | | 1.34 | 26,000 | Excellent | Slight | Excellent | 24 2½-lb blocks in wooden box |
| Ammonium nitrate (cratering charge) | Cratering and ditching | Special blasting cop, electric or nonelectric | 0.42 | 14,800 | Excellent | Dangerous | Poor | 40-lb charge in metal can |
| Sheet explosive M186, M118 charge demolition | (See C-4) | (See C-4) | 1.14 | 24,000 | Poor | Slight | Excellent | 80½-lb sheets/box 25-lb roll |

Table 2-1. Characteristics of Principal U.S. Explosives—Continued

| Name | Principal use | Smallest cop required for detonation | Relative effectiveness as external charge | Velocity of detonation, fps | Value as cratering charge | Intensity of poisonous fumes | Water resistance | Packaging | |
|---|---|---|---|-----------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------|----------------------|
| Military dynamite M1 | Quarrying stump-ditching | (See C-4) | 0.92 | 20,000 | Good | Dangerous | Good | 1-lb 100 to box | |
| Straight dynamite (Commercial) 40% 50% 60% | Land clearing, cratering, quarrying, and general use in rear areas, such as ditching and stumping | No. 6 commercial cap, electric or nonelectric | 0.65 | 15,000 | Good | Dangerous | Poor Good Excellent | 102 | Sticks per 50 lb box |
| | | | 0.79 | 18,000 | | | | 103 | |
| | | | 0.83 | 19,000 | | | | 106 | |
| Ammonio dynamite (Commercial) 40% 50% 60% | | | 0.41 | 8,900 | Excellent | Dangerous | Good Good Good | 110 | Sticks per 50 lb box |
| | | | 0.46 | 11,000 | | | | 110 | |
| | | | 0.53 | 12,700 | | | | 110 | |
| Gelatin dynamite 40% 50% 60% | | | 0.42 | 8,000 | Good Good Good | Slight | Good Very Good Very Good | 130 | Sticks per 50 lb box |
| | | | 0.47 | 9,000 | | | | 120 | |
| | | | 0.76 | 16,000 | | | | 110 | |
| PETN | Detonating cord | Special blasting cap, electric or nonelectric | 1.66 | 20,000 24,000 | NA | Slight | Good | | |
| | Blasting cop | NA | | | | | | | |

Table 2-1. Characteristics of Principal U.S. Explosives—Continued

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|---------------|--------------------|---|---|---------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|------------------|-------------|
| Tetryl | Booster charge | Special blasting cop, electric or nonelectric | 1.25 | 23,400 | NA | Dangerous | Excellent | |
| Composition B | Bongolore torpedo | Special blasting cop, electric or nonelectric | 1.35 | 25,000 | Good | Dangerous | Excellent | Bulk |
| Amotol 80/20 | — do — | | 1.17 | 16,000 | Excellent | Dangerous | Poor | |
| Block Powder | Time blasting fuze | NA | 0.55 | 1310 Max Depends on Confinement | Fair | Dangerous | Poor | Bulk |
| Nitrostorch | Substitute for TNT | Special blasting cop, electric or nonelectric | 0.80 | 15,000 | Good | Dangerous | Satisfactory | 1-lb blocks |

2-2. SAFETY

a. Safety regulations will be observed in all situations to the fullest extent permitted by time, by materials available, and by requirements of the mission.

b. Always handle explosives carefully.

c. Responsibility for the preparation, placement, or firing of charges is never to be divided; one person should be responsible to supervise all phases of a demolition mission.

d. See table 2-2 for minimum safe distances.

e. For further information, see AR 385-63.

f. Do not mix explosives and detonators.

g. Handle misfires with extreme care.

h. Do not take chances.

Table 2-2. Minimum Safe Distance for Personnel in the Open

| Pounds of explosive | Safe distance in feet | Pounds of explosive | Safe distance in feet | Pounds of explosive | Safe distance in feet |
|---------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| 1-27 | 900 | 46 | 1065 | 90 | 1344 |
| 28 | 910 | 48 | 1080 | 95 | 1365 |
| 30 | 930 | 50 | 1104 | 100 | 1400 |
| 32 | 951 | 55 | 1141 | 125 | 1500 |
| 34 | 965 | 60 | 1170 | 150 | 1600 |
| 36 | 990 | 65 | 1200 | 200 | 1750 |
| 38 | 1000 | 70 | 1225 | 300 | 2000 |
| 40 | 1020 | 75 | 1260 | 400 | 2200 |
| 42 | 1030 | 80 | 1290 | 500 | 2400 |
| 44 | 1050 | 85 | 1310 | | |

NOTE. MINIMUM distance for personnel in a missile-proof shelter is 300 feet.

For charges over 500 lbs, use

$$\text{Distance} = 300 \sqrt[3]{\text{Pounds of explosives}}$$

2-3. FIRING SYSTEMS

Firing systems for explosives are illustrated in figure 2-1. A nonelectric detonating assembly is shown in figure 2-2.

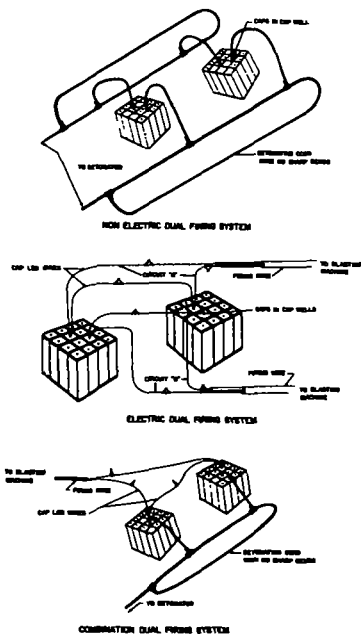


Figure 2-1. Firing systems for explosives.

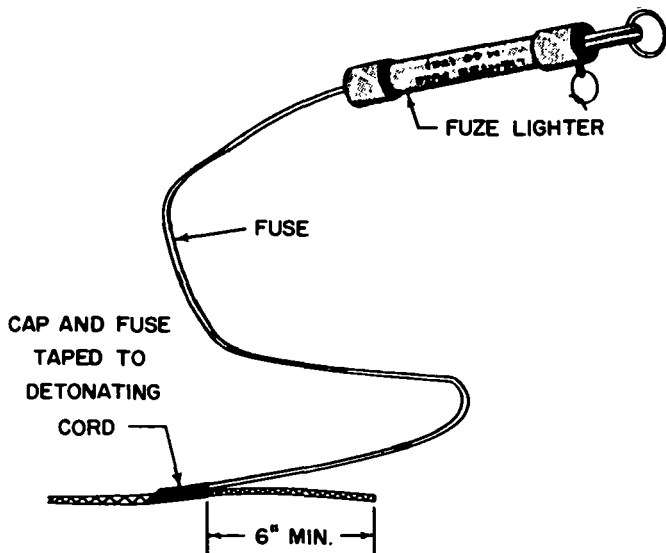


Figure 2-2. Nonelectric detonating assembly.

Section II. Calculation of Charges

2-4. STEEL-CUTTING CHARGES

a. *Formula for structural steel.* Charges to cut I-beams, built-up girders, steel plates, columns, and other structural steel sections are computed by formula as follows:

$$P = \frac{3}{8} A$$

P = pounds of TNT

A = cross-section area, in square inches, of the steel member to be cut.

b. *Formulo for other steels.*

(1) The formulo below is recommended for the computation of cutting charges for high-carbon or alloy steel, such as that found in machinery.

$$P = D^2$$

P = pounds of TNT

D = diameter or thickness in inches of section to be cut.

(2) For concrete reinforcing rods, chains, cables and other mild steel items of 2 inches or less, use the following rule of thumb:

1 inch or less = 1 lb TNT
Over 1 inch to 2 inches = 2 lb TNT
Over 2 inches = $P = \frac{3}{8} A$

(3) Railroad rails that are 5 inches in height may be cut with 1 pound of TNT. For rails less than 5 inches in height $\frac{1}{2}$ pound is adequate.

c. *Example:*

(1) Calculate the amount of TNT required to cut the steel wide-flange section (fig. 2-3).

Calculation: $P = \frac{3}{8} A$ (See 2 above).

Area in flanges = $2 \times \frac{1}{2} \text{ in.} \times 5 \text{ in.} = 5 \text{ sq. in.}$

Area in web = $\frac{3}{8} \text{ in.} \times 11 \text{ in.} = 4\frac{1}{8} \text{ sq. in.}$

Total area = $9\frac{1}{8} \text{ sq. in.}$

$P = \frac{3}{8} A$

$P = \frac{3}{8} \times 9\frac{1}{8} = 3.42$, therefore, use 4 lbs TNT

(P is rounded up to next higher package size.)

(2) Plastic explosive is best suited for cutting steel. How much composition C-4 explosive is required to cut the wide-flange section shown in figure 2-3? Since the amount of TNT required is 3.42 pounds and composition C-4 has a relative effectiveness factor of 1.34 (column 4 of table 2-1), the amount of C-4 = $\frac{3.42}{1.34} = 2.55$ pounds. Use 3 pounds of C-4.

d. *Example.* How much TNT is required to cut the steel chain in figure 2-4?

Calculation: $D = \frac{7}{8} \text{ inch.}$ (Diameter is less than 1 in. therefore use rule of thumb b(2) above.)

$P = 1 \text{ lb. of TNT}$

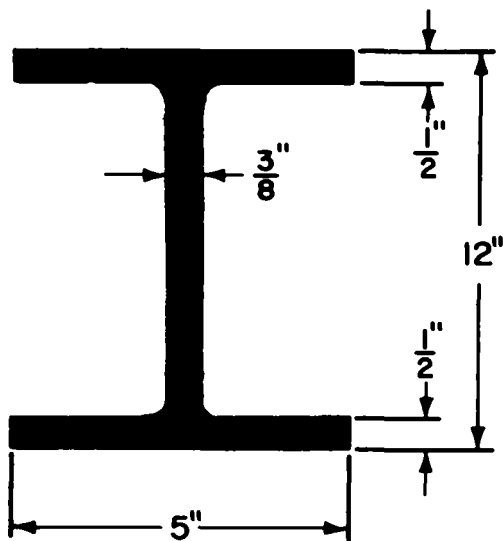


Figure 2-3. Wide flange section.

Use 1 pound of TNT at A and 1 pound at B to destroy the chain link.

e. Table. See table 2-3 for amount of TNT required to cut different rectangular steel sections.

f. Advanced Techniques. These charges are based on the use of plastic explosive (C4), especially the M112 block which may be attached directly to the target surface. Sheet explosives (M118 and M186) may also be used provided that charges are at least 1/2 inch thick. These charges may also be prepared in advance for transportation to the demolition site. Plastic explosive must be cut to the proper dimensions not malded.

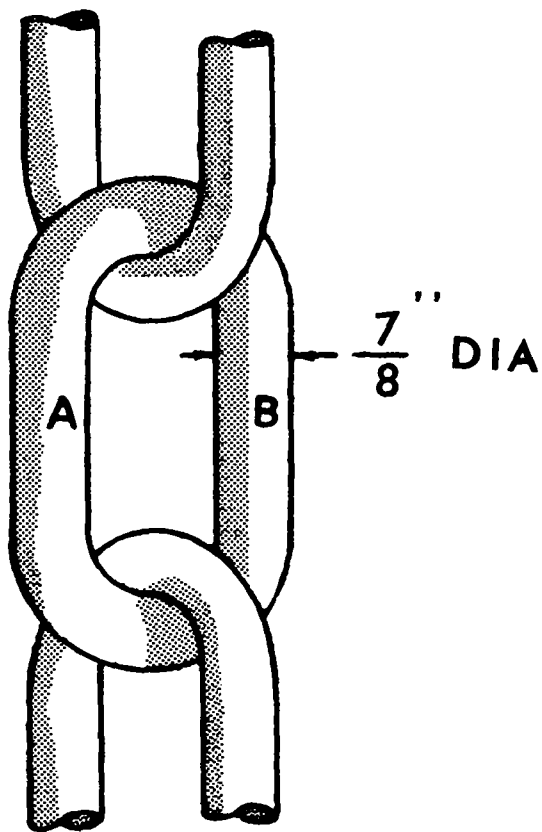


Figure 2-4. Steel chain.

Table 2-3. Cutting Charges for Rectangular Steel Section

| Thickness of Section in Inches | Pounds of TNT $P = \frac{3}{8} A$, Structural Steel | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|---|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| | Width of Section in Inches | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 8 | 10 | 12 | 14 | 16 | 18 | 20 | 24 |
| $\frac{1}{4}$ | .2 | .3 | .4 | .5 | .6 | .8 | 1.0 | 1.2 | 1.3 | 1.5 | 1.7 | 1.9 | 2.3 |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ | .3 | .5 | .6 | .7 | .9 | 1.2 | 1.4 | 1.7 | 2.0 | 2.3 | 2.6 | 2.8 | 3.4 |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ | .4 | .6 | .8 | 1.0 | 1.2 | 1.5 | 1.9 | 2.3 | 2.7 | 3.0 | 3.4 | 3.8 | 4.5 |
| $\frac{5}{8}$ | .5 | .7 | 1.0 | 1.2 | 1.4 | 1.9 | 2.4 | 2.9 | 3.3 | 3.8 | 4.3 | 4.7 | 5.7 |
| $\frac{3}{4}$ | .6 | .9 | 1.2 | 1.4 | 1.7 | 2.3 | 2.8 | 3.4 | 4.0 | 4.5 | 5.1 | 5.7 | 6.8 |
| $\frac{7}{8}$ | .7 | 1.0 | 1.4 | 1.7 | 2.0 | 2.7 | 3.3 | 4.0 | 4.6 | 5.3 | 6.0 | 6.6 | 7.9 |
| 1 | .8 | 1.2 | 1.5 | 1.9 | 2.3 | 3.0 | 3.8 | 4.5 | 5.3 | 6.0 | 6.8 | 7.5 | 9.0 |

To use table:

1. Measure rectangular sections of member separately.
2. Using table, find charge for each section.
3. Add charges for sections to find total charge.
4. Never use less than calculated charge.
5. If dimension is not in the table, use next higher dimension.

(1) *Ribbon charge*. This charge, if properly calculated and placed, cuts steel with considerably less explosive than standard charges. It is effective on nancircular steel targets (figs. 2-5 and 2-6).

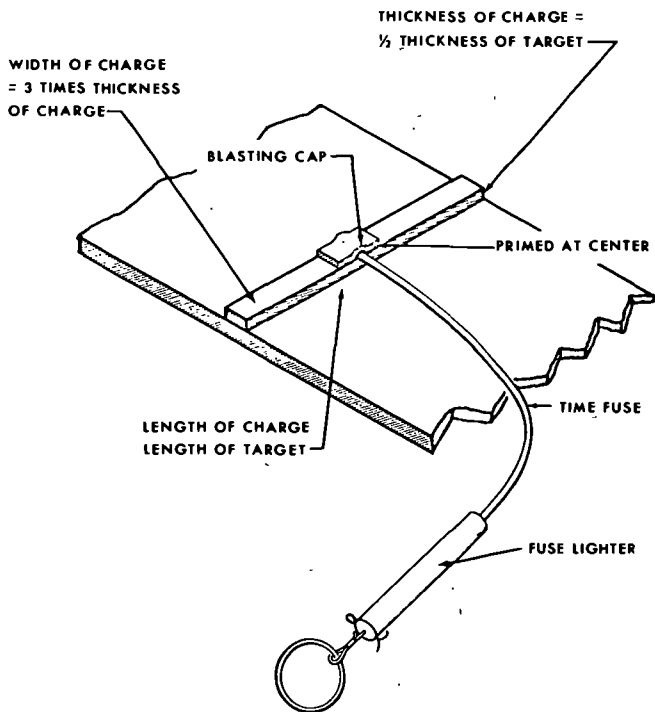
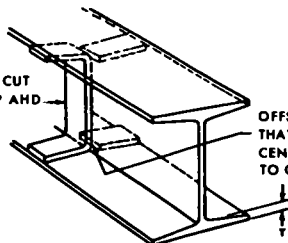


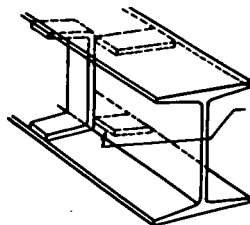
Figure 2-5. Ribbon charge.

C-SHAPED CHARGE TO CUT
WEB AND HALF OF TOP AND
BOTTOM FLANGES



OFFSET FLANGE CHARGE SO
THAT ONE EDGE IS OPPOSITE
CENTER OF C-SHAPED CHARGE
TO CUT OTHER SIDE OF FLANGE

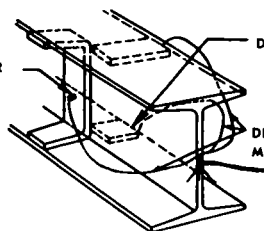
A. BEAMS LESS THAN 2 IN THICK



OFFSET FLANGE CHARGE SO
THAT ONE EDGE IS OPPOSITE
AN EDGE OF THE C-SHAPED
CHARGE TO CUT OTHER SIDE
OF FLANGE

B. BEAMS 2 IN THICK OR MORE

DETONATE FROM CENTER



DETONATE FROM OUTER EDGE

DETONATING CORD PRIMERS
MUST BE OF EQUAL LENGTH

C. PRIMING

Figure 2-6. Placement of ribbon charges on structural steel sections.

(2) *Diamond charge*. This is used on high carbon steel or steel alloy targets (fig. 2-7). It is shaped like a diamond.

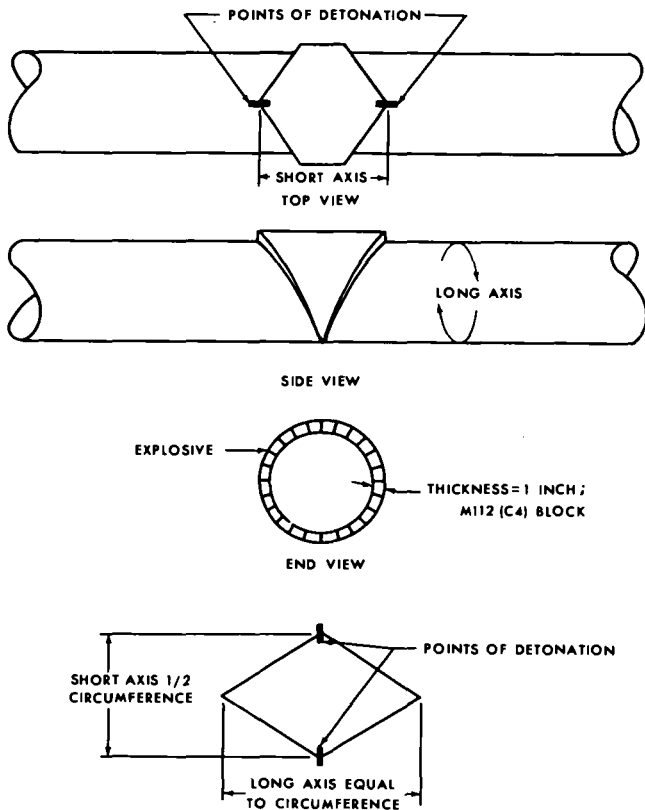


Figure 2-7. Diamond charge.

(3) *Saddle charge*. This charge is used on solid cylindrical mild steel targets up to 8 inches in diameter. Detonation is initiated at the apex of the long axis (fig. 2-8).

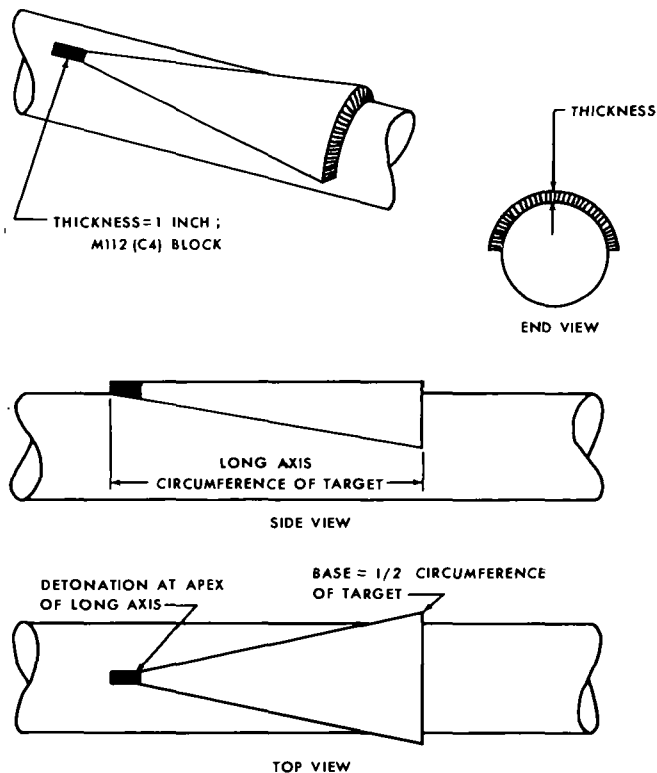


Figure 2-8. Saddle charge.

2-5. TIMBER-CUTTING CHARGES

o. *Test shots.* Different types of timber in various localities require varying amounts of explosive to cut them. Test shots should be made to determine the specific amount of explosive required for a specific type of timber.

b. *Formulas.*

(1) *For untamped external charges.* To cut trees, piles, posts, beams, or other timber, the following formula gives a test shot.

$$P = \frac{D^2}{40} \text{ or } P = 0.025 D^2$$

when P = pounds of TNT required and

D = diameter or least cross sectional dimension of timber in inches and

$$\frac{1}{40} = 0.025 = \text{constant.}$$

For other explosives, adjustments for P are made according to paragraph 2-1b. See figure 2-9 for placement of charge.

(2) *For tamped internal charges.* The following formula gives a test shot:

$$P = \frac{D^2}{250} \text{ or } P = 0.004 D^2$$

where P = pounds of explosive (any type)

D = diameter or least cross sectional dimension in inches of dressed timber and

$$\frac{1}{250} = 0.004 = \text{constant}$$

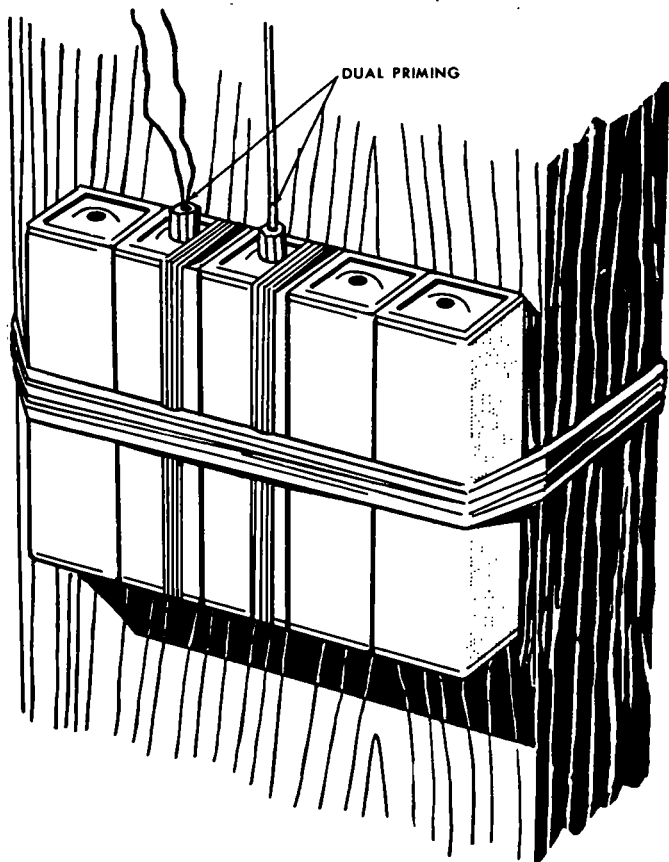


Figure 2-9. Placement of external cutting charge on timber.

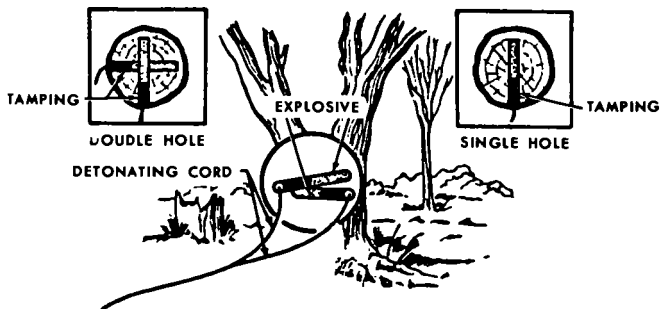


Figure 2-10. Internal timber-cutting charge.

See figure 2-10 for placement of charge.

(3) *For cutting trees to create an abatis.* To cut trees and leave them attached to their stumps, the following formula gives a test shot.

$$P = \frac{D^2}{50} \text{ or } P = 0.02 D^2$$

where P = pounds of TNT needed for external charges

D = diameter of timber in inches and

$$\frac{1}{50} = 0.02 = \text{constant.}$$

For other explosives, adjustments are made according to paragraph 2-1b.

c. *Calculations by table.* Use table 2-4 as a guide for both internal and external timber cutting test charges.

Table 2-4. Timber Cutting Test Shot Charges

| Type of Charge | Explosive | Least dimension of timber in inches | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------|-----------|-------------------------------------|----|----|----|----|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| | | 6 | 8 | 10 | 12 | 15 | 18 | 21 | 24 | 30 | 36 |
| | | Pounds of explosive | | | | | | | | | |
| Internal | Any | ½ | ½ | ½ | 1 | 1 | 1½ | 2 | 2½ | 4 | 6 |
| External | TNT | 1 | 2 | 2½ | 4 | 6 | 8½ | 11½ | 14½ | 22½ | 32½ |
| Abatis External | TNT | 1 | 1½ | 2 | 3 | 4½ | 6½ | 9 | 11½ | 18 | 26 |

2-6. PRESSURE CHARGES

a. Use. Pressure charges are effective against simple span, reinforced concrete T-beam bridges.

b. For Tamped Pressure Charges. Use the following formula:

$P = 3H^2T$ where P = pounds of TNT required for each beam

H = height of beam (including thickness of roadway) in feet, and

T = thickness of beam in feet.

If H and T are not whole numbers, round them off to the next higher quarter foot dimension. Neither is ever considered to be less than 1 foot in the formula. A minimum of 10 inches of tamping surrounding the charge is required. For other explosives, adjustments are made according to paragraph 2-1b

c. For Untamped Pressure Charges. Increase the calculated value of P by one-third in the formula (b above) if the pressure charge is not tamped.

d. Example. How much TNT is required to destroy the bridge span in figure 2-11? The amount is calculated in figure 2-11.

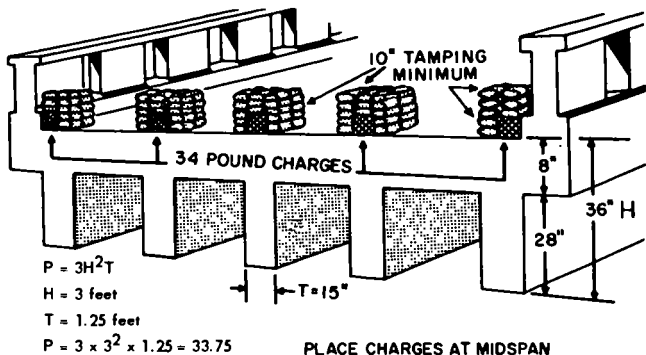


Figure 2-11. Calculation and placement of pressure charges.

e. Continuous Bridge Spans. For concrete stringer bridges of continuous spans, charges are calculated by the breaching formula (para 2-8b). Charges should be so placed and calculated to insure that the breaching radius or radii will cause a complete severance of the cross concrete section. The steel probably will not be cut by the explosion.

f. Table. Use table 2-5 for calculation of pressure charges for simple span reinforced concrete T-beams.

2-7. CRATERING CHARGES

a. Requirements. Road craters, to be effective obstacles, must be too wide for spanning by track-laying vehicles and too deep and steep-sided for any vehicle to pass through them. (Blasted road craters will not stop modern tanks indefinitely, because repeated attempts by the tank to traverse the crater will pull loose soil from the slopes of the crater into the bottom reducing both the depth of the crater and angle of the slopes. Road craters are considered effective antitank obstacles if the tank requires three or more passes to traverse the crater, thereby providing sufficient time for antitank weapons to stop the tank. Road craters must also be large enough to tie into natural or manmade obstacles at each end.) Antitank and antipersonnel mines are often placed at the site to hamper repair operations and thus increase the effectiveness of the

Table 2-5. Tamped Pressure Charges—Increase by 1/3 if Untamped

| Height of Beam in Feet | Pounds of TNT for Each Beam (Tamped Charges) | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Thickness of Beam in Feet | | | | | | | | |
| | 1 | 1¼ | 1½ | 1¾ | 2 | 2¼ | 2½ | 2¾ | 3 |
| | 12 in. | 15 in. | 18 in. | 21 in. | 24 in. | 27 in. | 30 in. | 33 in. | 36 in. |
| 1 (12 in.) | 3 | | | | | | | | |
| 1¼ (15 in.) | 5 | 6 | | | | | | | |
| 1½ (18 in.) | 7 | 9 | 11 | | | | | | |
| 1¾ (21 in.) | 10 | 12 | 14 | 16 | | | | | |
| 2 (24 in.) | 12 | 15 | 18 | 21 | 24 | | | | |
| 2¼ (27 in.) | 16 | 19 | 23 | 27 | 31 | 35 | | | |
| 2½ (30 in.) | 19 | 24 | 29 | 33 | 38 | 43 | 47 | | |
| 2¾ (33 in.) | 23 | 29 | 34 | 40 | 46 | 51 | 57 | 63 | |
| 3 (36 in.) | 27 | 34 | 41 | 48 | 54 | 61 | 68 | 75 | 81 |
| 3¼ (39 in.) | 32 | 40 | 48 | 56 | 64 | 72 | 80 | 88 | 95 |
| 3½ (42 in.) | 37 | 46 | 56 | 65 | 74 | 83 | 92 | 101 | 111 |
| 3¾ (45 in.) | 43 | 53 | 64 | 74 | 85 | 95 | 106 | 116 | 127 |
| 4 (48 in.) | 48 | 60 | 72 | 84 | 96 | 108 | 120 | 132 | 144 |
| 4¼ (51 in.) | 55 | 68 | 82 | 95 | 109 | 122 | 136 | 149 | 163 |
| 4½ (54 in.) | 61 | 76 | 92 | 107 | 122 | 137 | 152 | 169 | 183 |
| 4¾ (57 in.) | 68 | 85 | 102 | 119 | 136 | 153 | 170 | 187 | 203 |
| 5 (60 in.) | 75 | 94 | 113 | 132 | 150 | 169 | 188 | 207 | 225 |

crater. Road craters angled at about 45° to the roadway are more effective obstacles than craters blasted perpendicular to the roadway. See also c below.

b. *Hasty Road Crater.* Hasty road craters blasted with boreholes less than 5 feet deep and loaded with less than 50-lb explosive charges are ineffective against modern tanks. For placement and size of charges see figure 2-12.

c. *Deliberate Road Crater.* See figure 2-13.

Holes of equal depth,
spaced at 5-foot intervals.
Use 10-pounds
of explosives per foot
of depth. Resulting
crater depth approx.
 $1\frac{1}{2}$ times depth of bore-
holes. Width approx. 5
times depth of boreholes.

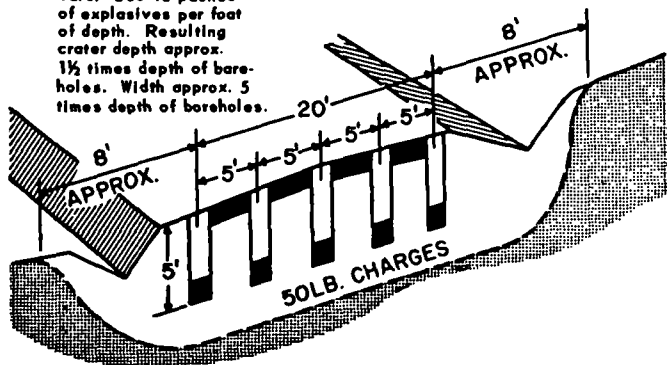


Figure 2-12. Placement of charges for hostile road crater.

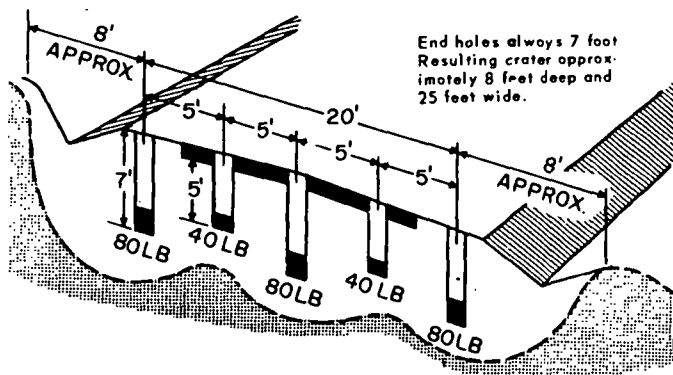


Figure 2-13. Placement of charges for deliberate road crater.

d. *Relieved Face Crater.* The crater will be approximately 7 feet deep and 30 feet wide. Instantaneous delay caps must be used to get desired delay detonation. The greatest improvement over the other types of craters is the resulting trapezoidal shape. For placement and size of charge, see figure 2-14.

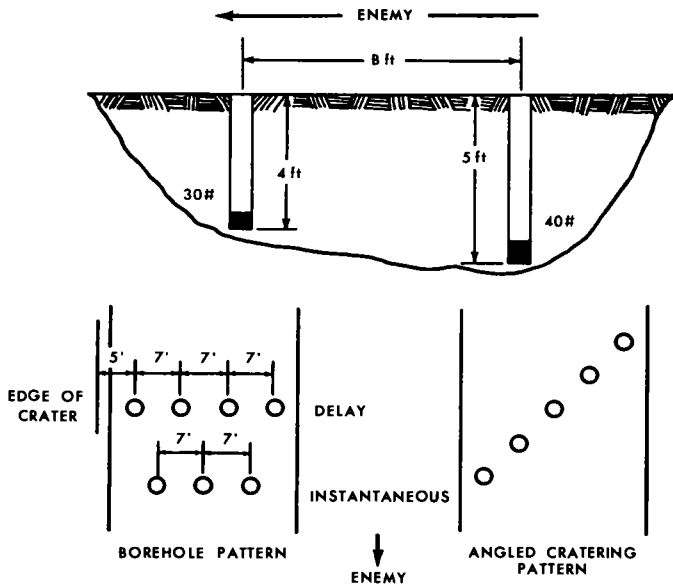


Figure 2-14. Relieved face crater.

e. *Antitank Ditch Cratering.* In open country, antitank ditches are constructed to strengthen prepared defensive positions. As they are costly in time and effort, much is gained if the excavation can be made by means of the cratering methods described above. To be effective, an antitank ditch must be wide enough and deep enough

to stap on enemy tank. It may be improved by placing a log hurdle on the enemy side, by plocing the spails in the friendly side, and by digging the face in the friendly side verticol.

f. Rules of Thumb.

(1) To insure against misfires, all ommonium nitrote cratering charges must have an additional primer, a one-paund charge placed on top af each can and incorporated into a dual firing system (figs. 2-1 and 2-2).

(2) Rule of thumb for number of hales required for a hasty ond o deliberate raad croter is:

$$N = \frac{L - 16}{5} + 1$$

Where L is the total length af the blown crater.

(3) Rules of thumb for number af holes in a relieved face crater ore:

Friendly side

$$N = \frac{L - 10}{7} + 1$$

Where L is the total length af the blown crater

Enemy side

N = Number on friendly side minus one.

2-8. BREACHING CHARGES

a. Use. Breoching charges have their mast important use in the destruction of bridge piers, bridge abutments, ond field fortifications af a permanent type, or in breaching wolls and blowing holes in cancrete slabs ar roadways.

b. Farmula. $P = R^3 KC$

P = pounds of TNT required

R = breaching rodus in feet, highest $\frac{1}{2}$ foot increment

K = material factor (table 2-6) which indicotes strength and hardness af material to be demolished (when it is not known whether or not concrete is reinforced, it is assumed ta be reinforced).

C = tomping factor (fig. 2-15)

Note. For external charges, use at least 5 pounds for reinforced concrete ond at least 3 pounds for dense concrete.

Table 2-6. Values of Material Factor K for Use in Calculating Breaching Charges

$$\text{Formulo } P(TNT) = R^3 KC$$

| VALUES OF K | | |
|---|---|--------------------------------------|
| Material | R | K |
| Earth | All values | 0.07 |
| Poor masonry, shale, hard- pon good timber and earth construction | Less than 5 ft 5 ft or more | 0.32 0.29 |
| Good masonry concrete block rock | 1 ft or less Over 1 ft to less than 3 ft 3 ft to less than 5 ft 5 ft to less than 7 ft 7 ft or more | 0.88 0.48 0.40 0.32 0.27 |
| Dense concrete, first class masonry | 1 ft or less Over 1 ft to less than 3 ft 3 ft to less than 5 ft 5 ft to less than 7 ft 7 ft or more | 1.14 0.62 0.52 0.41 0.35 |
| Reinforced concrete (Concrete only, will not cut reinforcing steel) | 1 ft or less Over 1 ft to less than 3 ft 3 ft to less than 5 ft 5 ft to less than 7 ft 7 ft or more | 1.75 0.96 0.60 0.63 0.54 |

Table 2-7. Breaching Charges, Reinforced Concrete Only

| THICKNESS OF CONCRETE | METHODS OF PLACEMENT | | | | | | DISTANCE BETWEEN CHARGES | |
|-----------------------|----------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|--|--------------------------|-----------|
| | | | | | | | INTER-NAL | EXTER-NAL |
| FEET | POUNDS OF TNT | | | | | | FEET | FEET |
| 2 | 2 | 8 | 14 | 18 | 28 | | 2 | 4 |
| 2½ | 2 | 15 | 27 | 30 | 54 | | 2½ | 5 |
| 3 | 4 | 22 | 39 | 44 | 78 | | 3 | 8 |
| 3½ | 8 | 35 | 62 | 69 | 124 | | 3½ | 7 |
| 4 | 8 | 52 | 93 | 103 | 185 | | 4 | 8 |
| 4½ | 11 | 73 | 132 | 146 | 263 | | 4½ | 9 |
| 5 | 15 | 79 | 142 | 158 | 284 | | 5 | 10 |
| 5½ | 20 | 105 | 189 | 210 | 378 | | 5½ | 11 |
| 6 | 22 | 136 | 245 | 273 | 490 | | 6 | 12 |
| 6½ | 28 | 173 | 312 | 346 | 623 | | 6½ | 13 |
| 7 | 35 | 186 | 334 | 371 | 667 | | 7 | 14 |
| 7½ | 43 | 228 | 410 | 456 | 821 | | 7½ | 15 |
| 8 | 52 | 277 | 498 | 553 | 996 | | 8 | 18 |

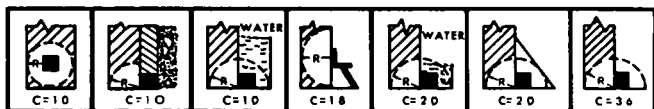
NOTES:

1. FOR BEST RESULTS PLACE CHARGE IN SHAPE OF A FLAT SQUARE.
2. FOR CHARGES LESS THAN 40 LBS USE CHARGE THICKNESS OF 2" (ONE BLOCK THICK); FOR CHARGES 40 LBS TO LESS THAN 300 LBS USE CHARGE THICKNESS OF 4" (ONE HAVERSACK THICK); FOR CHARGES 300 LBS OR MORE USE CHARGE THICKNESS OF 8" (TWO HAVERSACKS THICK).

TO USE TABLE:

1. MEASURE THICKNESS OF CONCRETE.
2. DECIDE HOW YOU WILL PLACE THE CHARGE AGAINST THE CONCRETE. COMPARE YOUR METHOD OF PLACEMENT WITH THE DIAGRAMS AT THE TOP OF THE PAGE. IF THERE IS ANY QUESTION AS TO WHICH COLUMN TO USE, ALWAYS USE THE COLUMN THAT WILL GIVE YOU THE GREATEST AMOUNT OF TNT.

* FOR OTHER TYPES OF CONSTRUCTION, SEE TABLE 2-8



NOTE: FOR WATER, IF THE BREACHING RADIUS IS GREATER THAN THE DEPTH OF WATER USE 2.0 IF EQUAL TO OR LESS USE 1.0

Figure 2-15. Values of Tamping Factor "C".

c. *Tables.* For reinforced concrete breaching, see table 2-7. See table 2-8 for the breaching of masonry items other than reinforced concrete.

Table 2-8. Breaching Charges for Material Other Than Reinforced Concrete*

| Conversion factors for material other than reinforced concrete | | |
|--|---|------------------------------------|
| Earth | Ordinary masonry, hordpon shale, ordinary concrete, rock, good timber, and earth construction | Dense concrete first class masonry |
| 0.1 | 0.5 | 0.7 |

To use table:

1. Determine the type of material in the object you plan to destroy; if in doubt, assume the material to be of the stronger type; e.g., unless you know differently, assume concrete to be reinforced.
2. Using the above table, determine the appropriate conversion factor.
3. Using table 2-7, determine the amount of explosive that would be required if the object were made of reinforced concrete.
4. Multiply the number of pounds of explosives (from table 2-7) by the conversion factor from the table above.

*For reinforced concrete table 2-7.

d. *Number of Charges.* To demolish a pier, slab, or wall, use this formula:

$$N = \frac{W}{2R} \text{ where } N = \text{number of charges,}$$

W = width of pier, slab, or wall, in feet, and
 R = breaching radius in feet.

If the number of charges are 0 to less than $1\frac{1}{4}$, use 1 charge; $1\frac{1}{4}$ to less than $2\frac{1}{2}$, use 2 charges; $2\frac{1}{2}$ or more, round off to nearest whole number.

e. *Examples.*

(1) Find the size and number of TNT charges required to breach a reinforced concrete wall that is 25 feet long and 4 feet thick. Use external charges placed at ground level and untamped. Size of charges:

$$P = R^3 KC, \quad R = 4, \quad K = .80, \quad C = 3.6$$

$$P = (4)^3 \times (.80) \times (3.6) = 184.3 \text{ pounds, use 185 pounds of TNT.}$$

Number of charges:

$$N = \frac{W}{2R} \quad W = 25, R = 4,$$

$$N = \frac{25}{(2)(4)} = 3 \frac{1}{8} \quad \text{Use 3 charges.}$$

(2) How many pounds of TNT are required to breach a timber and earth wall $6\frac{1}{2}$ feet thick and an explosive charge placed at the base of the wall without tamping? The conversion factor is 0.5 (table 2-8). If this wall were made of reinforced concrete, 623 pounds of TNT would be required to breach it (table 2-7). Multiply 623 pounds of TNT by 0.5 and the result is 312 pounds of TNT required to breach the wall.

f. *Breaching Hard-Surface Pavements.*

(1) A hard-surface pavement is breached so that holes can be dug for cratering charges. Use a 1-pound charge of explosives for each 2 inches of pavement thickness, with tamping twice as thick as pavement.

(2) Pavement may be breached by charges placed in boreholes drilled or blasted through the pavement. A shaped charge readily blasts a small diameter borehole through the pavement and into the subgrade.

Concrete should not be breached at an expansion joint because the concrete will then shatter on only one side of the joint.

g. Shaped Charges. Table 2-9 shows the size of boreholes obtained by using the standard shaped charges.

h. Advanced Techniques. Counterforce charge. This technique is very effective against comparatively small cubical concrete and masonry objects and columns 4 feet or less in thickness and width. The amount of explosive is calculated as follows:

$$P = 1\frac{1}{2} \times \text{thickness of target in feet (1}\frac{1}{2} \text{ pounds per foot)}.$$

Fractional measurements are rounded off to the next higher foot prior to multiplication.

The calculated amount of explosive is divided in half to make two identical charges. The two charges must be placed exactly opposite each other, primed at the exact rear center point, and detonated simultaneously for optimum results (fig. 2-16).

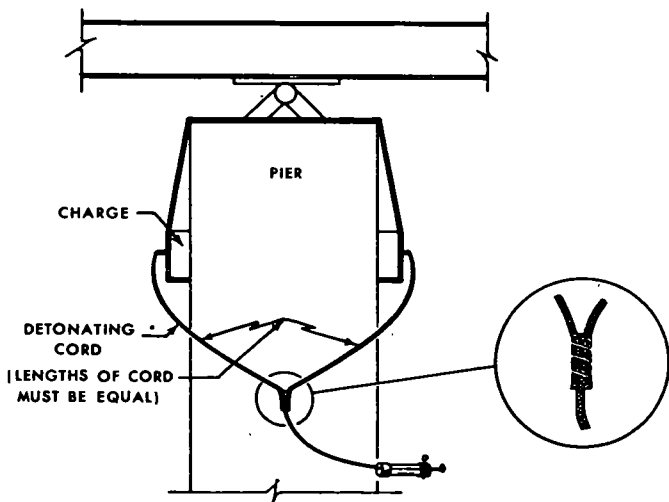


Figure 2-16. Counterforce charge.

Table 2-9. Size of Boreholes Made by Shaped Charges

| Material | Information needed | M243 shaped charge | M3 shaped charge |
|---|---|--------------------|------------------|
| Armor Plate | Penetration | 12 in | At least 20 in |
| | Average Diameter of hole | 1½ in | 2½ in |
| Reinforced concrete | Maximum wall thickness that can be perforated | 36 in | 60 in |
| | Depth of penetration in thick walls | 30 in | 60 in |
| | Average diameter of hole | 2¾ in | 3½ in |
| | Minimum diameter of hole | 2 in | 2 in |
| 10-inch concrete pavement with 21-inch rock base course | Optimum standoff | 60 in | 42 in |
| | Minimum depth of penetration | 71 in | 44 in |
| | Maximum depth of penetration | 109 in | 91 in |
| | Minimum diameter of hole | 6½ in | 1½ in |
| 3-inch concrete pavement with 24-inch rock base course | Optimum standoff | — | 42 in |
| | Minimum depth of penetration | — | 38 in |
| | Maximum depth of penetration | — | 90 in |
| | Minimum diameter of hole | — | 3½ in |
| Permafrost | Depth of hole with 30 inch standoff | 72 in | — |
| | Depth of hole with 42 inch standoff | 60 in | — |
| | Diameter of hole with 30 inch standoff | 6 to 1½ in | — |
| | Depth of hole with 50 inch standoff | — | 72 in |
| | Diameter of hole with 50 inch standoff | — | 8 to 5 in |
| | Diameter of hole with normal standoff | 26-30 to 4 in | 26-30 to 7 in |
| | | | |
| Ice | Depth with 42 inch standoff | 7 ft | 12 ft |
| | Diameter with 42 inch standoff | 3½ in | 6 in |

2-9. BRIDGE ABUTMENT DEMOLITION

Placing charges in the fill behind an abutment is economical in explosives and conceals the charges from the enemy.

a. *Abutments 5 Feet Thick or Less and 20 Feet or Less in Height.* See figure 2-17 for details.

b. *Abutments More Than 5 Feet Thick and 20 Feet or Less in Height.* Place breaching charges in contact with the rear face of the abutment (fig. 2-18). Calculate the size and number of charges by the formula in figure 2-18. Charges are placed at a depth greater than or equal to R . The spacing between charges and number of charges are determined by the calculations explained in paragraph 2-8.

c. *Abutments Over 20 Feet High.* Place a combination of external breaching charges (along bottom of the river face of the abutment) and fill charges (behind the abutment) to destroy abutments more than 20 feet high. Fire them simultaneously. The fill charges are either 40 pound charges, a above, or breaching charges, b above, depending on the thickness of the abutment.

Beginning 5 feet in from the side of the road, place 40-pound cratering charges in holes 5 feet deep, 5 feet on centers and 5 feet behind the river face of the abutment.

$$\text{Formula: } N = \frac{W}{5} - 1$$

where N = no. boreholes
 W = width of abutment

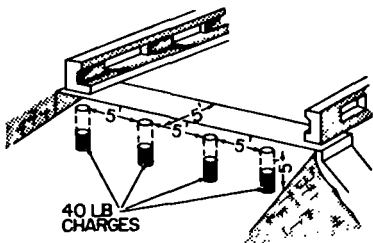


Figure 2-17. Charges placed in the fill behind a reinforced abutment less than 5 feet thick and 20 feet or less in height.

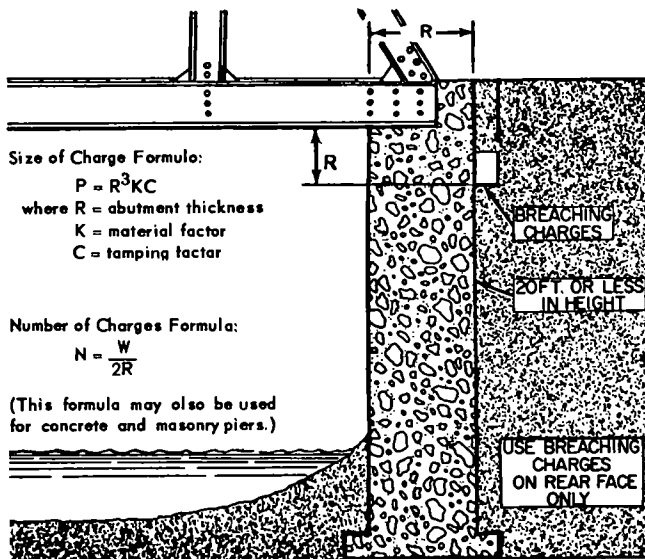


Figure 2-18. Charges in a fill behind a reinforced concrete abutment more than 5 feet thick and 20 feet or less in height.

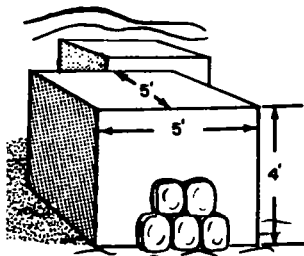
Section III. Destruction of Obstacles

2-10. CONCRETE OBSTACLES

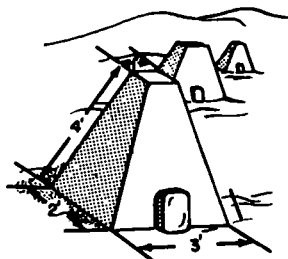
a. *Small Obstacles.* For small obstacles (100 ft³ or less), such as those found on beaches, use hand-placed charges. As shown in figure 2-19, use 1 pound of military explosive, tetryl or greater, per cubic foot of reinforced concrete.

b. *Large Obstacles.* For large obstacles (greater than 100 ft³) use breaching formula (fig. 2-20).

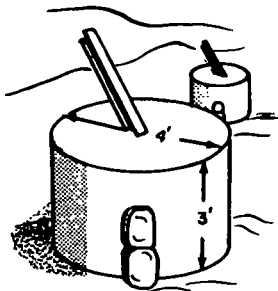
NOTE : SACHEL CHARGES ARE USED TO DESTROY THESE OBSTACLES.
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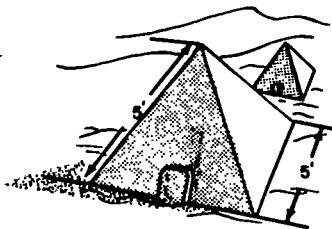
CUBE
CHARGE: 100 LB



SMALL DRAGON'S TOOTH
CHARGE: 20 LB



CYLINDER
CHARGE: 40LB.



TETRAHEDRON
CHARGE: 20 LB.

Figure 2-19. Explosive pocks needed to destroy typical small concrete obstacles.

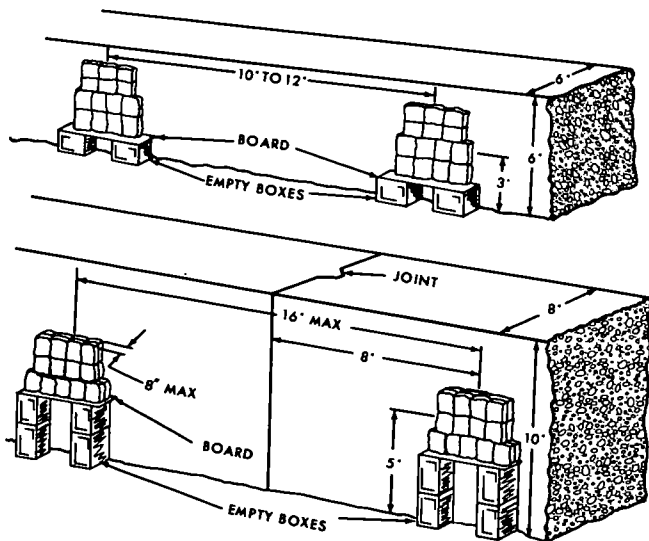


Figure 2-20. Placement of breaching charges on walls.

2-11. STEEL AND LOG OBSTACLES

a. *Placement.* The illustrations in figure 2-21 show several obstacles and the placement and sizes of charges to destroy or cut them.

b. *Charges for Log Obstacles.* Generally, the charge should be placed at a joint where the obstacle is weakest. Against lag cribs, place 30 to 40 pounds of explosives in the center of the earth fill two-thirds the depth of the crib and tamp thoroughly. Similar charges are placed on 8-foot centers for the full length of wooden posts. Lag scaffolding (often under water) is destroyed by tying three 15-foot lengths of bongalore torpeda together and placing them at right angles to the line of scaffolding. This clears a lane 12 feet wide. Charges placed on obstacles driven into the ground should be attached below or as close to the surface of the ground as possible.

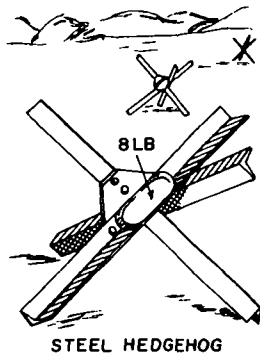
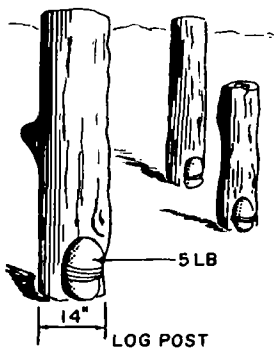
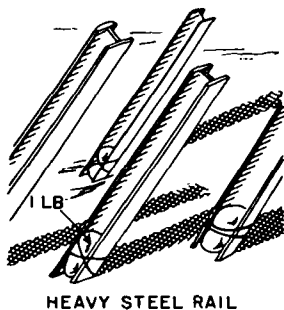
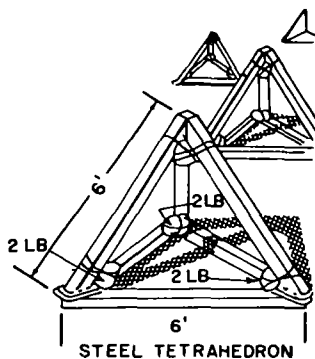


Figure 2-21. Placement of charges for destruction of steel and log obstacles.

2-12. WALLS

a. *Concrete Walls Not Backfilled.* Use the breaching formula on walls. The positions, amounts, and patterns of charges are shown in figure 2-20.

b. *Backfilled Walls.*

(1) *Concrete.* Increase by 20 percent the charges specified for walls not backfilled. On some walls where this may not be enough, use a second shot or clear with dazers or hand labor.

(2) *Logs.* Place a 500-pound charge 10 feet long on top of the wall 2 feet from the fan (fig. 2-22).

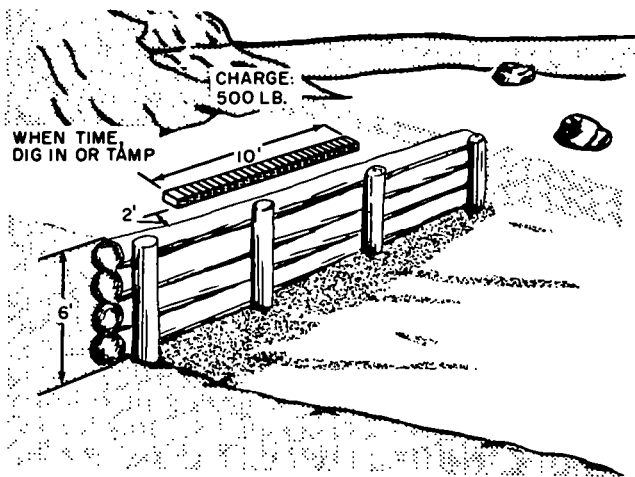


Figure 2-22. Breaching a backfilled log wall.

Section IV. Construction Projects

2-13. QUARRYING

a. *Quarry Development.* Whenever possible, military quarries are opened on hillsides and warked parallel to the strike of the rock (fig. 2-23). Overburden is removed to the right or left of this direction. The quarry may be developed as a single or multiple bench operation depending on the total product required, expected duration of operation, and the physical characteristics of the deposit.

STRIKE IS A DIRECTIONAL REFERENCE FROM NORTH

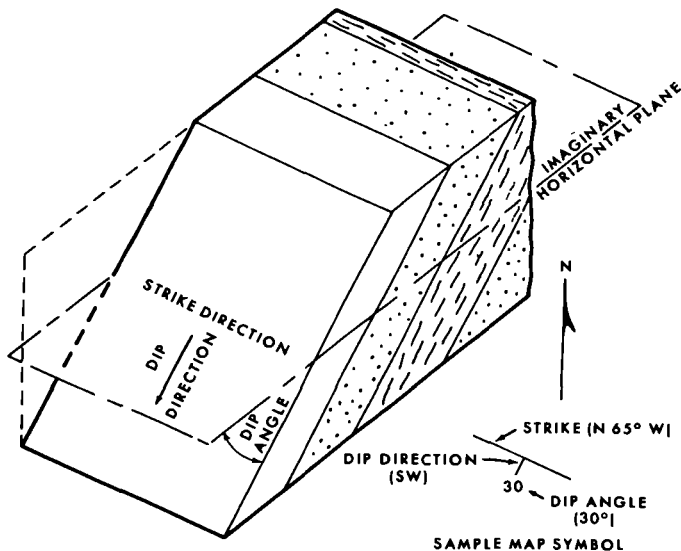


Figure 2-23. Measuring strike and dip.

b. **Quarry Objectives.** The major objectives of quarry operations are to reduce the product to the proper size for introduction into the rock crusher and to control the rock throw. To accomplish these objectives requires closely controlled blasting and an understanding of rock mechanics.

c. **Borehole Orientation.**

(1) The borehole pattern is governed by:

- (a) the energy created by the explosive
- (b) the resistance to fracture of the rock
- (c) the diameter of the explosive charge

(2) Design of the borehole pattern involves six critical dimensions (fig. 2-24).

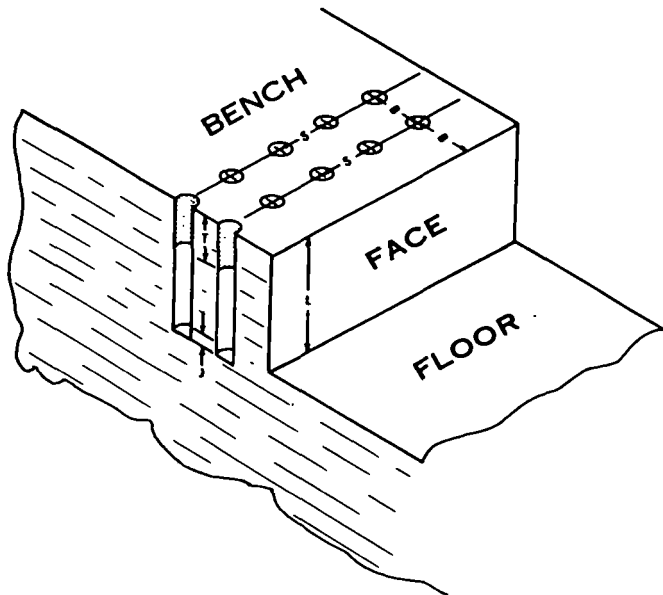


Figure 2-24. Critical quarry dimensions.

Table 2-10. Quarry Indicators

| INDICATORS | CAUSES | | | | | | | | | |
|--|--------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|--------------|----------|-------|--------|--------|
| | INADEQUATE PRIMING | TOO SMALL | TOO LARGE | TOO SMALL | TOO LARGE | SUB-DRILLING | STEAMING | LEDGE | HEIGHT | BURDEN |
| EXCESSIVE FLYROCK | X | | | | | X | X | | | |
| PREMATURE EJECTION | | | | X | | | | | | |
| EXCESS OVERSIZE IN PRODUCT | | X | | | | | | | | X |
| EXCESS FINES IN PRODUCT | X | X | | | | X | X | X | | |
| OVERSIZE BOULDERS ON TOP OF PRODUCT PILE | X | | | | X | X | X | | | |
| EXCESSIVE BACKBREAK(OVERBREAK) | | | | | | | X | | | |
| OVERHANGING LEDGE | X | | | | X | X | | | | |
| UNEXPLODED EXPLOSIVE TOP OF HOLE | X | | | | | X | X | | | |
| FLOOR HUMPS IN FRONT OF HOLES | X | | X | | | | | | | |
| FLOOR HUMPS BETWEEN HOLES | | X | | | | | | | | |
| EXCESSIVE CRATERING IN FLOOR | | | X | | | | | | | |

- (a) Diameter of explosives..... D_e in inches
 (b) Burden..... B in feet
 (c) Ledge Height..... L in feet
 (d) Subdrilling..... J in feet

(e) Stemming..... T in feet

(f) Spacing..... S in feet

d. Quarry Design. Field design of a borehole pattern which will produce acceptable results under normal conditions can be accomplished as follows: (See TM 5-332 for quarry design.)

(1) Determine diameter of explosive (D_e) governed by the size of the drill and explosives available; D_e usually is $2\frac{3}{4}$ inches for a 3-inch borehole.

(2) $B = 3.0 D_e$ for normal conditions (i.e., dense explosive and average rock).

(3) $L = (1.5 \text{ to } 4.0)B$; L normally is governed by joints, seams, or topography of the site.

(4) $J = 0.3B$ for all vertical boreholes.

(5) $T = 0.5 \text{ to } 1.0B$ (Start with $0.75B$ and adjust as results demand).

(6) $S = (1.0 \text{ to } 2.0)B$ (Start with $1.2B$ and adjust as results demand).

e. Characteristics of Breakage. Table 2-10 gives certain cause-effect relationships encountered in blasting. An X in the indicator column signifies a possible cause. Read across the row to determine the possible cause. Correct the borehole pattern accordingly. Often more than one cause will give similar results. Then, further study of local conditions or a trial and error correction for the cause marked will be necessary.

2-14. BLASTING BOULDERS

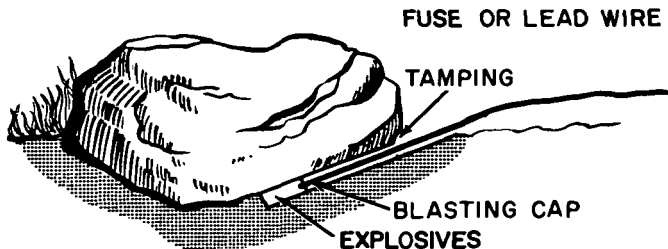
a. Size of Charge. See table 2-11.

Table 2-11. Charges for Blasting Boulders

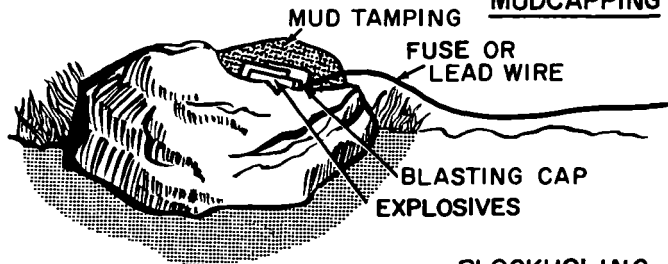
| Boulder diameter, ft | Lbs of TNT required | | |
|----------------------|---------------------|---------------|----------------|
| | Blockholing | Snakeholing | Mudcapping |
| $1\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1 |
| 2 | $\frac{1}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $1\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 3 | $\frac{1}{4}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | 2 |
| 4 | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 2 | $3\frac{1}{2}$ |
| 5 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 3 | 6 |

b. *Methods of Blasting.* See figure 2-25 for details.

SNAKEHOLING



MUDCAPPING



BLOCKHOLING

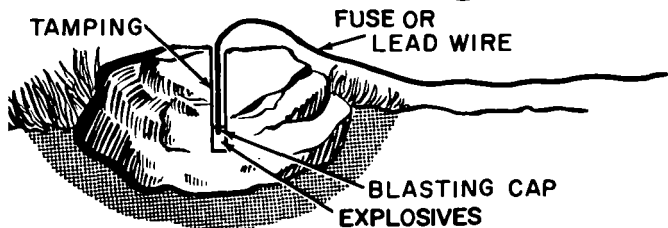


Figure 2-25. *Methods of blasting boulders.*

2-15. DITCHING

a. *Conditions.* Rough, open ditches $2\frac{1}{2}$ to 12 feet deep and 4 to 40 feet wide can be blasted in most types of soil, except in gravel and sand. Trees, stumps, and large boulders are charged separately, but are fired simultaneously with ditching charges.

b. *Test Shots.* Before beginning the ditching, run test shots to determine the proper depth, spacing, and weight of charges for desired results. Begin with holes 2 feet deep and 18 inches apart for small ditches and increase the charge and depth as required.

c. *Alinement and Grade.* Mark ditch centerlines by chalk or transit line and holes along it. When survey instruments are used, the grade of the ditch can be accurately controlled by checking the hole depth every 5 or 10 holes and each change in grade. Drill holes in soft ground with sharp punch or quicksand punch (fig. 2-26). The depth of the hole normally is a foot above the grade line of the ditch. Load and tamp them immediately to prevent cove-ins and insure charge is at proper depth.

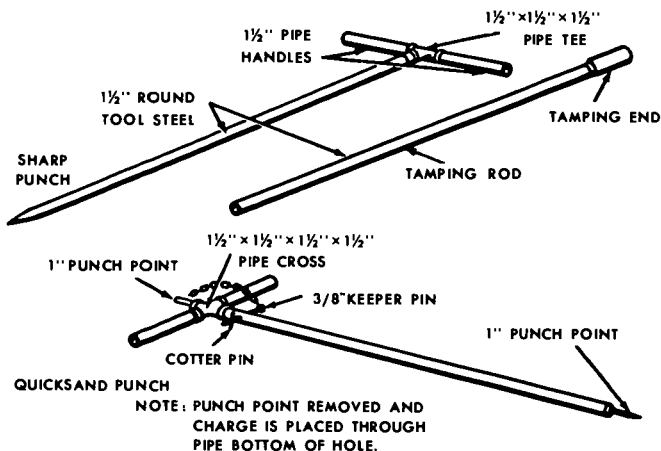


Figure 2-26. Punches used to place charges at proper depth in soft ground.

d. Detonation Methods.

(1) *Propogation method.* Prime the hole, or holes, at one end of the proposed ditch, concussion will set off the succeeding charges, using straight dynamite. It works in moist soils, particularly in swamps containing stumps with the ground under several inches of water (fig. 2-27). If more than one line of charges is used to obtain a wide ditch, each line is primed. Over-charge the prime hole 1 or 2 pounds.

Note. The propogation method can be used only with 50 percent straight, or greater, commercial dynamite.

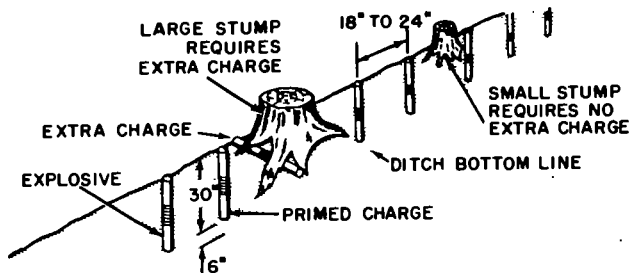


Figure 2-27. Propagation method of detonation.

(2) *Electrical method.* Use only high explosive in this method of ditching, and in any soil except sand regardless of moisture. Prime each charge with an electric cap. Blow all charges simultaneously.

(3) *Detonating cord method.* Use only high explosive with this method. This method is effective in any soil except sand and gravel, regardless of the amount of moisture. Each charge is primed with detonating cord and connected to a ring main.

e. Loading Methods.

(1) The method of loading for a deep, narrow ditch is pictured in figure 2-28

(2) The relief method of loading for shallow ditches is depicted in figure 2-29. Ditches 1 and 3 are blasted first to relieve the charge in ditch 2.

(3) Figure 2-30 shows the posthole method of loading for shallow ditches in the mud.

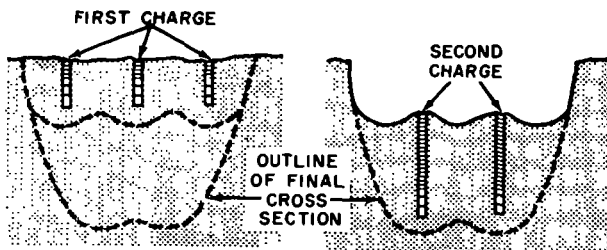


Figure 2-28. Method of loading a deep narrow ditch.

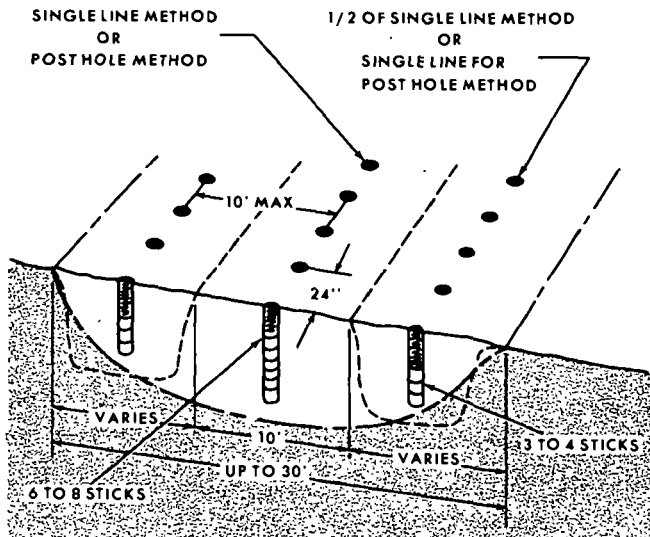


Figure 2-29. Relief method of loading for shallow ditches.

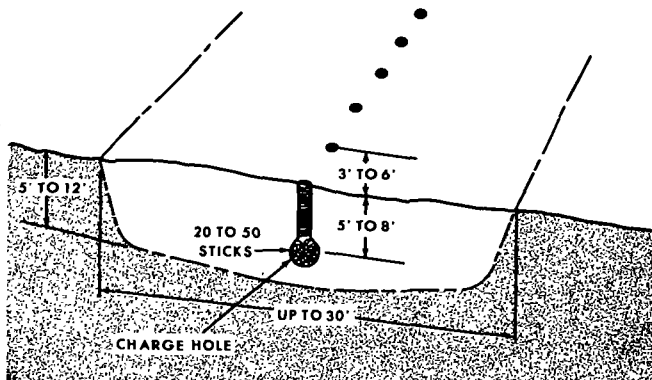


Figure 2-30. Post-hole method of loading for shallow ditches in mud.

(4) The cross section method of loading to clean and widen ditches is explained graphically in figure 2-31.

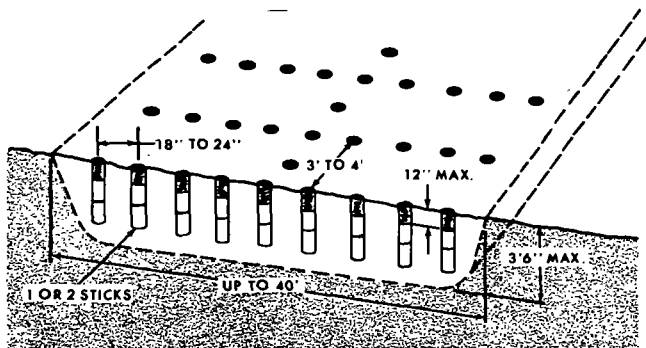
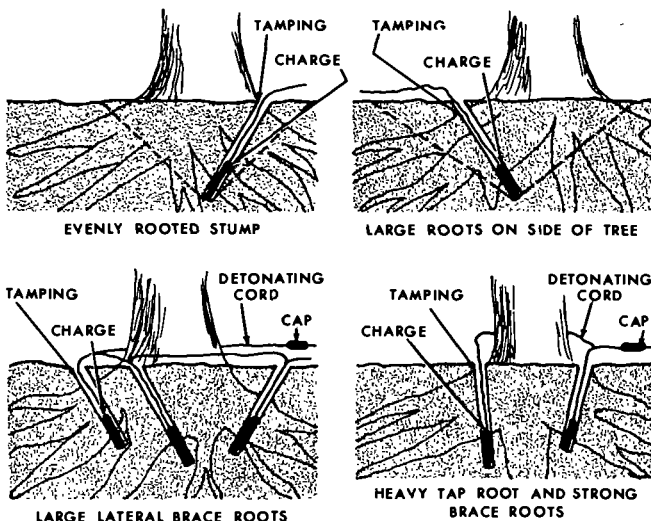


Figure 2-31. Cross section method of loading to clean and widen ditches.

2-16. BLASTING TREES AND STUMPS

a. *Size of Charge Required.* The size of the charge required varies with the size, variety, and age of the tree or stump, and with the soil conditions. The rules of thumb, c below, and figure 2-31, show that when military dynamite is being used the size of the charge varies with the size and age of the tree. To remove stumps properly, test shots are required.

b. *Drilling Holes for Charge.* In drilling holes for the charge, follow illustrations in figure 2-32.



RULES OF THUMB. USE DYNAMITE AS FOLLOWS:

- (1) FOR DEAD STUMPS .1 POUND PER FOOT OF DIAMETER.
- (2) FOR LIVE STUMPS .2 POUNDS PER FOOT OF DIAMETER.
- (3) FOR STANDING TIMBER - ADD 50 PERCENT FOR STANDING TIMBER.

Figure 2-32. Stump blasting methods for various root structures.

- c. *Rules of Thumb.* Use dynamite as follows:
- (1) For dead stumps—1 pound per foot of diameter.
 - (2) For live stumps—2 pounds per foot of diameter.
 - (3) For standing timber—add 50 percent for standing timber.

CHAPTER 3

LANDMINE WARFARE

Section I. Introduction

3-1. TYPES OF MINEFIELDS

Minefields are classified into five types according to their tactical function. They are protective (hasty and deliberate), defensive, barrier, nuisance, and phony.

3-2. PLANNING AND SITING

a. In planning minefields the commander must consider:

- (1) Overall concept of operations.
- (2) Probable future missions.
- (3) Available resources.
- (4) State of training of personnel.

b. The siting of minefields may be influenced by:

- (1) Nature of enemy threat (mechanized, infantry, etc.).
- (2) Location of other obstacles.
- (3) Likely avenues of enemy approach.
- (4) Terrain.
- (5) Possibility of later expansion of field.

(6) Possibility of channeling the attacking force into moss-fire-covered areas.

(7) Possibility of laying many minefields in large scale patterns so that penetration of the foremost field is contained by subsequent fields.

(8) Enemy capabilities for breaching and harassing or interfering with mine laying.

(9) Availability of mines and restrictions on use of certain type mines.

(10) Experience of troops and materials available for mine laying.

3-3. TYPES OF MINES

a. **Live Service Mines.** These include antitank mines, antipersonnel mines, and the M24 off-route mine. Live service mines are listed and described in table 3-1.

Table 3-1. Mine Data





















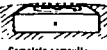
| M15 HEAVY ANTITANK MINE | M19 PLASTIC HEAVY ANTITANK MINE | M24 OFF-ROUTE ANTITANK MINE |
|--|---|---|
|  |  | INSTALLING AND ARMING  |
| WT 30 lb Expl 22 lb. Fuze M603 Secondary fuze wells 2 Functioning 300 to 400 lb press | WT 28 lb Explosive 21 lb Fuze M606 integral with pressure plate Secondary fuze wells 2 Functioning 350 to 500 lb press |     DISCRIMINATOR M24 FIRING ASSEMBLY ON SPOOL 1 Remove above items from accessories pouch. Insert batteries insured separately in firing device. |
|  Remove plug and inspect fuze well |  Remove pressure plate fuze | DISCRIMINATOR (AID FOR TRACKED VEHICLES)  TARGET IMPACT POINT 15° ROAD DISCRIMINATOR (AID FOR WHEELED VEHICLES) 2 Unfold discriminator starting at far side of road (perpendicular to road for wheeled vehicles, about 15 feet perpendicular for tracked vehicles). |
|  Inspect fuze and remove safety |  Remove shipping plug, check position of stiker (if set). Remove safety lock then turn dial to ARMED position. Check position of stiker (center). Turn to SAFE and replace safety lock. | BROWN MARKS  DISCRIMINATOR PIRINO DEVICE 3 Attach discriminator wire to DETECTOR of firing device (toggle switch on SAFE). Stand on two brown marks on discriminator nearest firing device. If lamp lights, circuit is good; otherwise, discard system. |
|  Insert fuze |  Screw threaded detonator into detonator well |  ROCKET LAUNCHER DISCRIMINATOR 4 Disconnect discriminator wire from firing device. Remove launcher from dispenser pouch and place in position. Remove packing blocks, push rocket forward to safety band, and remove band. Depress ejection pin and push rocket back into launcher until contact ring is exposed at base. Grounding clip must be connected. Remove lagged choring clip and push rocket back into launcher. Tape plastic covers over ends of launcher. |
|  Replace plug with dial in safe position |  Place mine in hole, remove safety lock, and turn dial to ARMED |  5 Position launcher on bipod assembly or mound of earth. Mount sighting assembly and sight along discriminator to target impact point about 35 feet above road holder's belt buckle. To aim more launcher not sight. (All pouches with dial lay over launcher, recheck sight.) re connect discriminator wire to firing device (right out) connect rocket cable to firing device and push toggle switch to ARM. (The system is now aimed and will fire when pressure is applied to the discriminator. See TM 9-1345-200) |
|  Turn dial to ARMED |  Complete camouflage To Disarm: Reverse arming procedure | |
| To Bury: Put mine in hole with pressure plate at or slightly above ground level To Disarm: Reverse arming procedure | | |

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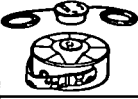






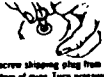














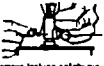

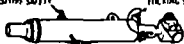


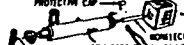








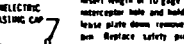


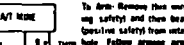


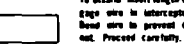
| M612 FUZE USED WITH M21 ANTITANK MINE | M21 METALLIC (KILLER) ANTITANK MINE | M16 SERIES BOUNDING ANTIPERSONNEL MINES | M14 BLAST ANTIPERSONNEL MINE |
|---|--|---|--|
|  |  |  |  |
| Has two 9 ft pneumatic hoses, safety latch and arming lever | WT Explosive 18 lb Functioning 10.5 lb 290 lb pressure on pressure ring or 20" deflection of tilt rod | WT Propellants 8.75 lb Steel M605 Combination Functioning Pressure 8 to 20 lb Pull 3 to 10 lb | WT Explosive 3 1/2 oz. Fuse 1 oz. TETRYL Integral with Detonator Spring Functioning 20 to 35 lb |
|  |  |  |  |
| Remove closure plug and insert 120 booster | Remove closing plug, insert M120 booster in bottom, and replace closing plug | Remove shipping plug and screw in fuze | Unscrew shipping plug from bottom of mine. Turn pressure plate to ARMED position with arming tool |
|  |  |  |  |
| Remove shipping plug from mine. Screw in fuze | Remove closure assembly from fuze | GROUND LEVEL Pressure installation | Remove safety clip and check for malfunctioning |
|  |  |  |  |
| Bury mine. Cover and extend hoses | Remove shipping plug from mine and screw in fuze. Then screw in tilt rod extension | Trap mine installation | Replace safety clip |
|  |  |  |  |
| Lift safety latch and turn arming lever to ARMED. Recede hoses | Bury mine | Attach trap wires—first to anchor, then to pull ring | Screw detonator into detonator well |
|  |  |  |  |
| Complete camouflage | Remove safety (pull ring assembly) and complete camouflage | Remove locking safety pin first. The interlocking pin should fall free. Then remove positive safety | Bury mine and remove safety clip |
| From priming a 30-5 minute safe expiration period. Both heads must be depressed for initiation. To Disarm: Reverse arming procedure | To Bury: Pressure-pot mine in hole with fuze cap flush with ground surface Tilt Rod mines should be seated firmly in snug fitting hole. Effective in tall brush or grass To Disarm: Reverse arming procedure | Mine bounds into air and explodes at height of 0.6 meters to 1.2 meters. Mine has a 106 meter camouflaged radius To Disarm: Reverse arming procedure | To Bury: Pressure plate should be slightly above ground level To Disarm: Insert safety clip and remove detonator. Caution: Do not turn pressure plate back to SAFE position as it causes excess wear. |

Table 3-1 — Continued

| M25 BLAST ANTIPERSONNEL MINE (ELSIE) | M49A1 TRIP FLARE | M1A1 PRESSURE FIRING DEVICE |
|---|--|--|
| | | |
| Wt 2 1/4 or 1 1/2 lb Explosive 1/2 lb or shaped charge Fuze integral with ball release Functioning 10 to 26 lb press | Burning period 55 to 70 sec Illumination radius 302m (330 yds) (approx) M49A1 initiates by fault or loose trip wire | Initiating pressure 10 lb or more LOCKING SAFETY POSITIVE SAFETY NON-ELECTRIC BLASTING CAP DET CORD TAPE NON-ELECTRIC BLASTING CAP CRIMPERS EXPLOSIVE BASE COUPLING PROTECTIVE CAP Remove protective cap from base and crimp on non-electric blasting cap. Assemble det cord, non-electric blasting cap and firing device. |
| | | |
| Push mine into ground. Keep dust cap in place. If ground is hard dig hole with bayonet. Remove dust cap | Attach flare to post, tree, etc. Attach trip wire to anchor, then to trigger. Pull trigger to vertical position and secure. | SAFETY CLIP POSITIVE SAFETY PIN To Arm: Remove clip. Then positive safety pin. To Disarm: Insert wire nail or original pin in positive safety pin hole. Replace safety clip if available. Unscrew base assembly from firing device. |
| | | M1 PULL FIRING DEVICE |
| | | POSITIVE SAFETY LOCKING SAFETY Initiating Action 3 to 5 lb pull on trip wire |
| | | TRIP WIRE STANDARD BASE NON-ELECTRIC BLASTING CAP PROTECTIVE CAP CRIMPERS EXPLOSIVE Remove protective cap from standard base and crimp on non-electric blasting cap. Attach firing device assembly to charge. Attach anchored trip wire. |
| | | FIRST LAST To Arm: Remove locking safety pin first and positive safety pin last. |
| To Disarm: Replace safety clip and lift charge container from mine. The M25 antipersonnel mine will penetrate a soldier's boot and foot or puncture a 12-gy tire and tube. | Warning: NEVER LOOK DIRECTLY AT BURNING FLARE. Note: For loose trip wire initiation, attach trip wire to eye of safety pin. | POSITIVE SAFETY PIN HOLE To Disarm: Insert nail, length of wire or original safety pin in positive safety pin hole first. Then insert similar pin in locking safety pin hole. Cut trip wire and separate firing device and explosive. Unscrew standard base. |

Table 3-1—Continued

| M3 PULL RELEASE FIRING DEVICE | M-23 AND M1, 1-GALLON CHEMICAL LANDMINES | M18A1 FRAGMENTATION ANTIPERSONNEL MINE |
|--|--|---|
| <p>POSITIVE SAFETY</p>  <p>LOCKING SAFETY</p> |  |  |
| <p>PROTECTIVE CAP</p>  <p>NON-ELECTRIC BLASTING CAP</p> <p>Remove protective cap and crimp on a non-electric blasting cap. After crimping device is assembled to one barrel charge thrust the barrel through the vertical post of at least 10 lbs pull on trap mine. Put free end of anchored trip wire on hole in mine. Insert with barbed hook. To set up trip wire until locking safety is pulled into inside part of safety pin hole.</p> | <p>When armed for pressure detonator, operate in same manner as the M15 and M16 mines.</p> | <p>M1 15 lb Explosive 15 lb C-6 Projectiles 700 steel balls Equipment One electric cap with 100 ft firing wire per mine One circuit tester per 8 mines One electric firing device per mine</p> |
|  <p>To Arm: With card remove small collar pin from locking safety pin and withdraw locking safety pin. If it does not remove easily adjust notch on wire. With card pull out positive safety pin.</p> |  |  <p>Test Circuit: Make firing device, circuit tester and blasting cap. Depress handle. Light should show in window. Separate test components.</p> |
| <p>The M3 is too dangerous to disarm it should be blown in place. If the device must be disarmed proceed as follows:</p> <p>To Disarm: Insert length of wire, nail or straight pin in positive safety pin hole first. Then insert length of wire, nail or straight pin in locking pin hole. Disassemble trip wire, firing device and explosive.</p> | <p>M1 15 lb. Insured on a 6 ft length of detonating cord and barometer charge. May be armed for electric or trip wire initiation.</p> |  <p>Position and dimensions.</p> |
| <p>M5 PRESSURE RELEASE FIRING DEVICE</p> | <p>Electric Firing</p> |  |
| <p>RELEASE PLATE</p>  <p>SAFETY PIN</p> <p>INTERCEPTION</p> <p>Initiating Action: Lifting 1/2" or removing rest of mine weight (5 lb or more).</p> |  <p>Attach barometer charge - 6 ft length of detonating cord - to side of mine.</p> |  <p>Remove shipping plug, remove adapter, insert blasting cap and screw into other cap well.</p> |
| <p>NON-ELECTRIC BLASTING CAP</p>  <p>CRIMPERS</p> <p>STANDARD BASE</p> <p>LENGTH 10 GAGE WIRE</p> <p>PLYWOOD PRESSURE BOARD</p> <p>Insert length of 10 gage wire in interceptor hole and holding to base plate down, remove safety pin. Replace safety pin with length of 16 wire. Assemble cap firing device and mine.</p> |  <p>Bury mine in soil and attach detonating cord to conventional firing system.</p> |  <p>Unroll firing wire and connect directly to firing device with safety engaged.</p> |
| <p>A/T MINE</p>  <p>RELAY WIRE</p> <p>TRIGGER WIRE</p> <p>To Arm: Remove then wire (lock safety) and then heavy wire. Remove safety from interceptor hole. Follow arming procedure.</p> |  <p>Bury mine as shown and attach non-pressure detonator to barometer.</p> |  <p>Firing position: A maximum of 10 meters from rear of mine to fan hole. Frequent drops of side and rear should be under cover of a maximum of 100 meters.</p> |
|  <p>HEAVY WIRE</p> <p>To Disarm: Insert length of heavy gage wire in interceptor hole. Bend wire to prevent dropping out. Proceed carefully, as the slightest disturbance of pressure may trigger the mine. Disassemble firing device and mine.</p> | <p>Warning: SOLDIERS PREPARING, LAYING, AND REMOVING CHEMICAL LANDMINES MUST WEAR PROTECTIVE GEAR AND PROTECTIVE CLOTHING.</p> | <p>To Fire: Dressing safety belt and depress handle. To Disarm: Reverse arming procedure.</p> |

*Open right mine aim at ground level at 150 ft.

b. *Training Mines.* These mines are used in training and on maneuvers. The two types available are:

(1) *Practice mines.* These mines are blue with white lettering and resemble specific models or a basic type of service mine. Practice mines simulate detonation by a report and a puff of smoke.

(2) *Inert mines.* These are service mines painted either black with white letters or OD with black letters and contain no explosive components. They may be loaded with sand, plaster, concrete, and the like to familiarize troops with the weight and feel of live service mines.

c. *Flares.* Data on flares are found in table 3-1.

d. *Antihandling Devices.* Descriptions and methods of arming and disarming are found in table 3-1.

Section II. Minefield Installation

3-4. MINEFIELD CHARACTERISTICS

a. *Patterns.* The standard pattern minefield is shown in figures 3-1 and 3-2.

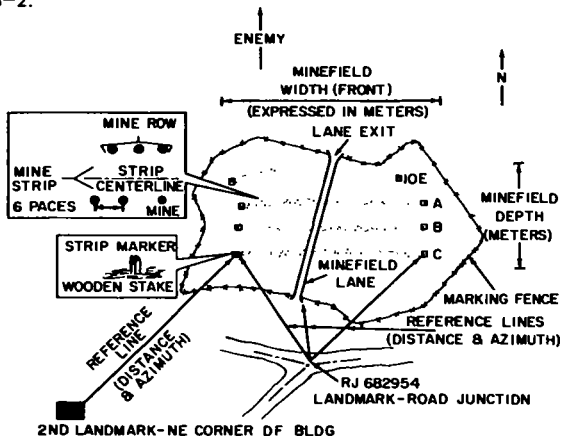
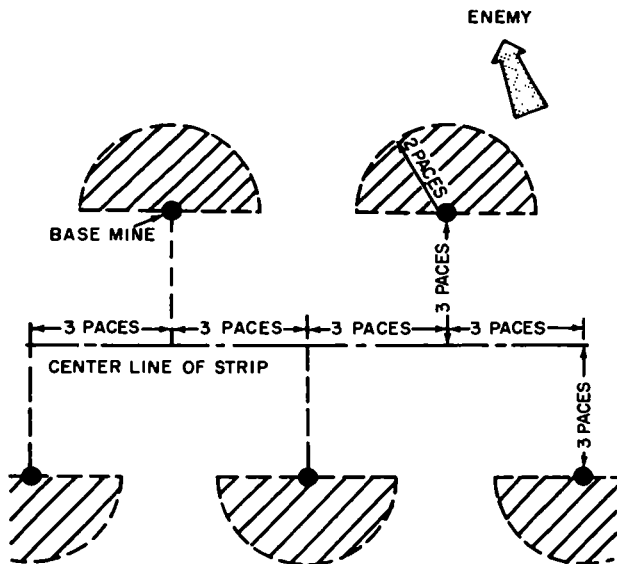


Figure 3-1. Standard pattern minefield fenced, marked, and referenced.



CLUSTERS ARE LAID ON BOTH SIDES OF STRIP &

THE CENTRAL MINE IN EACH CLUSTER MAY
BE EITHER ANTITANK OR ANTIPERSONNEL FRAGMENTATION

ADDITIONAL MINES, ANTIPERSONNEL ONLY, ARE PLACED
WITHIN EACH CLUSTER (SHADED AREA) IF DESIRED

Figure 3-2. Minefield strip.

b. *Clusters.* The minefield cluster is the basic unit of the standard pattern minefield (fig. 3-3). A cluster may contain one to five mines. A minefield strip consists of two rows of clusters (figs. 3-2 and 3-4).





| | |
|---|---|
| A CLUSTER MAY CONSIST OF ONE ANTITANK MINE |  |
| OR ONE ANTITANK MINE PLUS SEVERAL ANTIPERSONNEL MINES WITHIN A 2-PACE SEMICIRCLE FROM THE ANTITANK MINE |  |
| OR ONE ANTIPERSONNEL MINE |  |
| OR SEVERAL ANTIPERSONNEL MINES WITHIN A 2-PACE SEMICIRCLE OF THE BASE ANTIPERSONNEL MINE |  |

Figure 3-3. Minefield clusters.

c. Numbering. The clusters in each strip are numbered from right to left as you face the enemy beginning with the row facing the enemy (fig. 3-4). Cluster number 1 is the first cluster of the right boundary in the row facing the enemy, or the first cluster after a turning point.

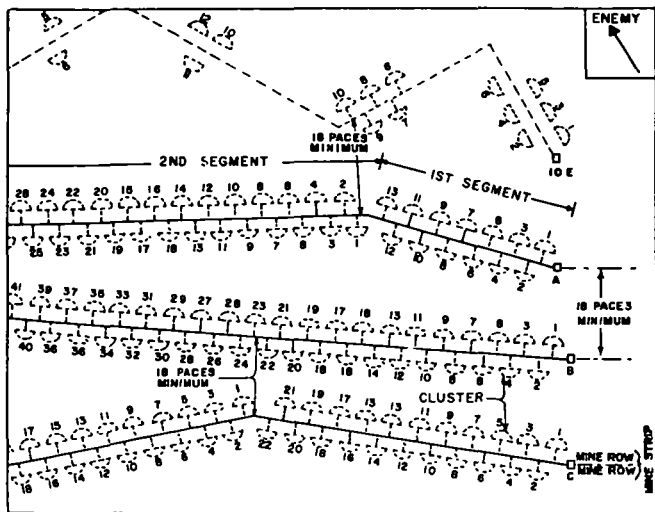


Figure 3-4. Method of numbering clusters in mine strips.

d. *Trip Wires.* Trip wires, if laid, are attached to selected antipersonnel mines in the row on the enemy side of the strip centerline. There is only one trip-wire mine to a cluster, and no closer than one every third cluster (fig. 3-5).

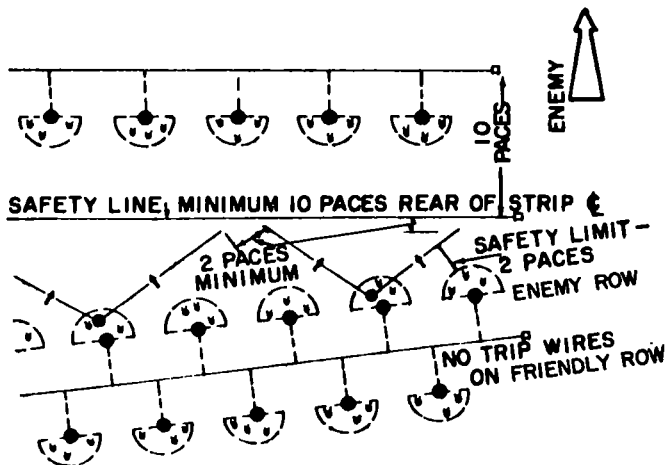


Figure 3-5. Safety line and trip wires on enemy row.

e. *Arrangement.* Mine strips are not parallel, but their centerlines must be at least 18 paces apart at all points. A centerline may have as many turning points as desired (fig. 3-6).

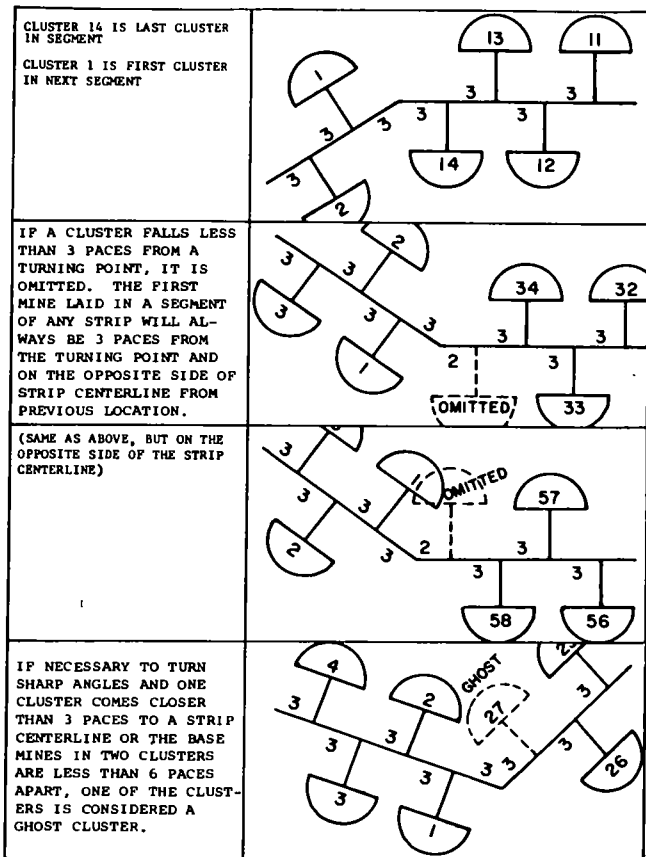


Figure 3-6. Turning points.

3-5. MINE LAYING

a. *Platoon Organization.* The platoon organization and duties of platoon members are outlined in table 3-2.

Table 3-2. *Organization and Duties of Mine Laying Platoon*

| Persannel | Officer | NCO | EM | Equipment |
|-----------------------|---------|-----|----------|--|
| Supervisory personnel | 1 | 1 | | Officer: Map, lensatic compass, notebook, and minefield record forms. NCO: Map, notebook, and lensatic compass. |
| Siting party | ... | 1 | 3 | Stakes or pickets, sledges, hammers, tracing tape on reels, and nails to peg tape. |
| Marking party | . | 1 | 2 | Barbed wire on reels, marking signs, lane signs, wire cutters, gloves, sledges, pickets. |
| Recording party | . | 1 | 2 | Sketching equipment, lensatic compass, minefield record forms, map, and metric tape. |
| 1st laying party | . | 1 | 6 to 8 | Notebook for squad leader, picks, shovels, and sandbags. |
| 2d laying party | ... | 1 | 6 to 8 | —do— |
| 3d laying party | ... | 1 | 6 to 8 | —do— |
| Total | 1 | 7 | 25 to 31 | |

b. *Limitations.* The procedure described here may vary according to the men and materials available, the terrain, and the proximity of the enemy.

c. *Laying Out the Field and Placing Mines.* When the OIC arrives in the area with his siting and marking parties, he proceeds to lay the minefield as illustrated in figures 3-7 through 3-12.

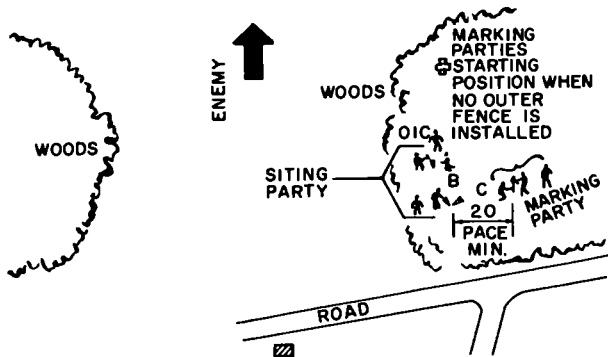


Figure 3-7. Initial steps in laying a minefield.

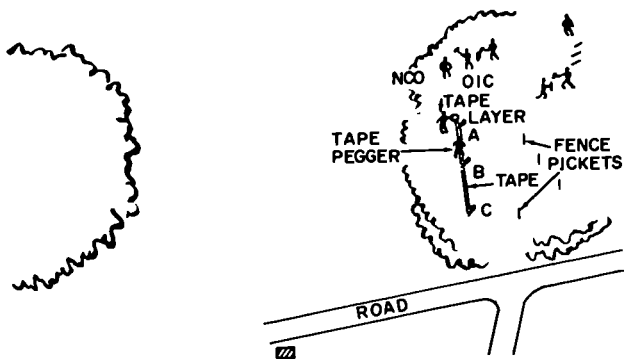


Figure 3-8. Establishing the right boundary stake locations.

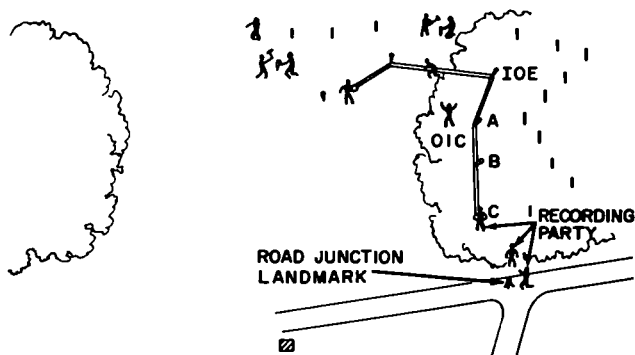


Figure 3-9. Laying out the IOE.

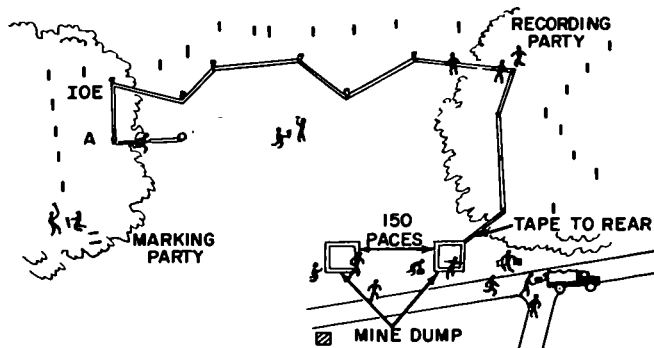


Figure 3-10. Laying out strip A and establishing mine dumps.

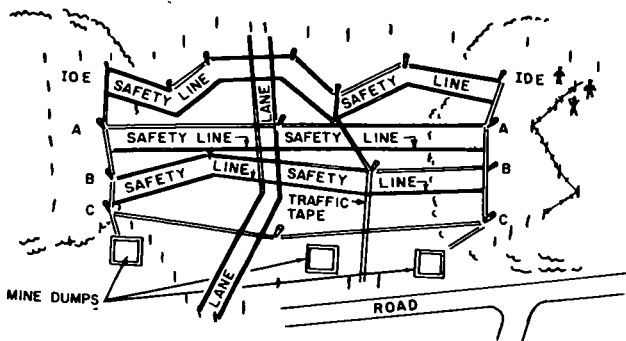


Figure 3-11. Minefield completely taped.

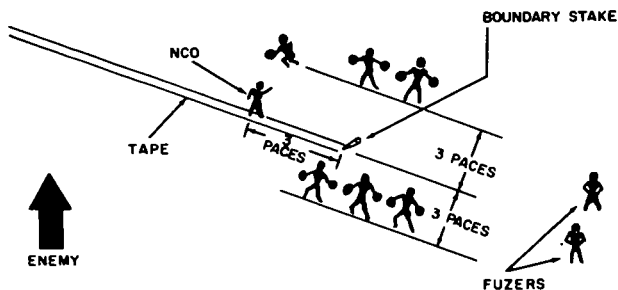


Figure 3-12. Laying mines in a regular strip.

d. Minefield Marking.

(1) Rear area minefields are completely fenced with two strands of barbed wire at the time of laying (fig. 3-13). As shown in figure 3-1, the fence does not follow the exact boundary of the field, but rather is placed in a zig-zag pattern. The marking fence will be placed no closer than 20 paces to the nearest mine. Standard markers (fig. 3-14) are hung on the upper strand with the word MINES, BOOBYTRAPS, etc., facing away from the field. If a minefield has been contaminated with toxic chemical agents, the standard chemical contamination marker is hung along with the standard mine marker. Lanes are marked as shown in figure 3-15.

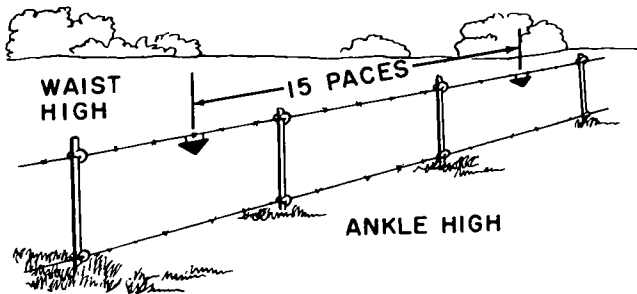
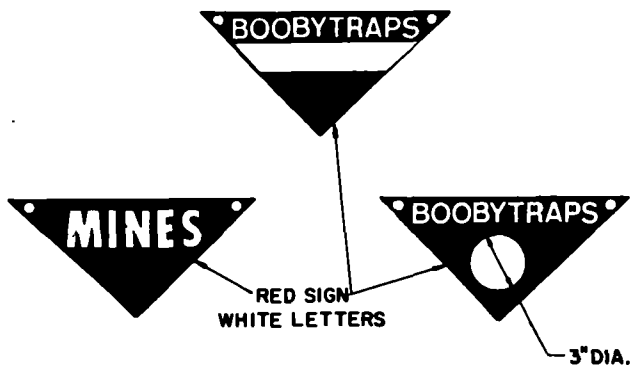
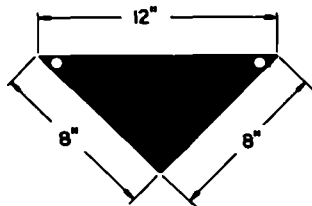


Figure 3-13. Standard minefield marking fence.



RED SIGN
YELLOW STRIPE
YELLOW LETTERS



(REAR)
RED SIGN

Figure 3-14. Standard marking signs.

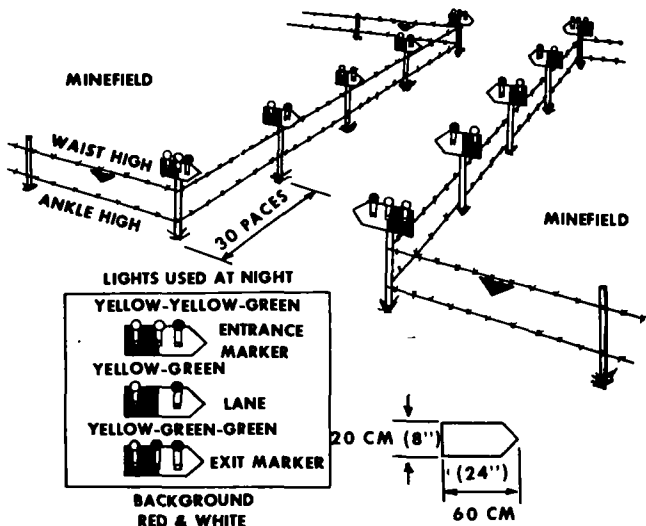


Figure 3-15. Standard rear area lane markings.

(2) Lanes in forward areas are marked inconspicuously by wire, tape, or closely-spaced objects placed on the ground. The entrance is identified by markers such as pickets marked with tape, piles of stores, etc. Lane exits on the enemy side are not marked. Minefield fencing, marking, and camouflage must be carefully maintained.

e. Lanes and Gaps.

(1) **Lanes.** A minefield lane is a safe path or route through a minefield. Lanes are 8 meters wide for one-way vehicle traffic and 16 meters wide for two-way traffic.

(2) **Gaps.** A minefield gap is that portion of a minefield in which no mines have been laid. The purpose of a gap is to enable a friendly force to pass through the field in tactical formation. Gaps are seldom less than 100 meters wide.

Table 3-3. Minefield Requirements for 100 Meters of Front

| Density | | | Strips rqr | Mines required | | | Croated mines | | Vehicles required for croated mines | | Mon- hours | Meters of wire | Number of Pickets |
|---------|---------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|-------------------|--------------------|--|-----------------------------|---------------|----------------------|-------------------------|
| AT | Apers Frog | Apers Blost | | AT | Apers Frog | Apers Blost | Weight in tons | Volume in cu ft | 5T cargo (Wt governs) | 5T dump (Vol governs) | | | |
| 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 164 | 164 | 164 | 4.98 | 228.5 | 1.00 | 1.68 | 87 | 1200 | 30 |
| 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 164 | 312 | 312 | 5.85 | 260.1 | 1.17 | 1.91 | 120 | 1200 | 30 |
| 1 | 4 | 8 | 8 | 164 | 623 | 1213 | 7.82 | 337.8 | 1.57 | 2.47 | 234 | 2000 | 50 |
| 2 | 4 | 8 | 9 | 312 | 623 | 1213 | 11.44 | 512.7 | 2.29 | 3.76 | 279 | 2400 | 60 |
| 3 | 4 | 8 | 9 | 459 | 623 | 1213 | 15.05 | 686.7 | 3.01 | 5.03 | 323 | 2400 | 60 |

Explanatory Notes:

1. AT, Apers Frog and Apers Blost mines are M15, M16, and M14 respectively.
2. Mines totals include IOE and 10% safety factor.
3. IOE cluster composition used is 1-2-2 (except for the 1-1-1 and 1-2-2 minefields where the IOE cluster composition is 1-1-1).
4. Man-hours are based on laying rate of 4 AT, or 8 AP fragmentation, or 16 AP blast mines per man-hour. Includes 20% factor to compensate for minefield siting, marking, and recording.
5. Quantities indicated are for 100 meter of front.
6. The fencing material requirements for minefields other than 100 m frontage can be approximated from this table.

Table 3-4. Land Mine Logistical Data

| | | Mine packaging data | | | | | Capacity of indicated army vehicles (Note figures in parentheses indicate maximum load w/in 100% overload capability and/or maximum volume of cargo space) | | | | |
|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|------------------------|-------|-----|--|------------------------|-----------------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Mine Model & type | Wt (lbs) per mine | No. of mines, etc., per crate | Wt (lbs) per crate | Crate dimensions (ins) | | | M-35 2½ ton cargo truck (Cargo space 147 X 88 X 60 ins) | | | | |
| | | | | Lgth | Width | Hgt | No of crates | How corried | No of tiers of crates | Total No mines | Total wt (tons) |
| M-15 AT | 31 | a uncroted mines | — | 13 13 ins diom | | 5 | — | flat (flat, 11 on end) | 3— (3) | 162 (209) | 2 51 (3 24) |
| | | b 1, w/fuze & activator | 49 | 18 | 15 13 | 7 5 | 103 (200) | flat | 3 (5) | 103 (200) | 2 53 (4 9) |
| M-19 AT | 28 | 2, w/fuzes & activators | 80 | 16 25 | 10 5 | 16 | 63 (125) | on end (on side) | 1 (3) | 126 (250) | 2.52 (5) |

Table 3-4 - Continued

| Capacity of indicated army vehicles (Note: figures in parentheses indicate maximum load w/in 100% overload capability and/or maximum volume of cargo space) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|----------------|------------------------|-----------------|------------------|--|------------------|------------------------|-----------------|------------------|---|-------------|------------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| M-105 1½ ton trailer (Cargo Space: 133 × 87 × 71 ins) | | | | | M-47 2½ Ton Dump Truck (Cargo Space: 108 × 70 × 15 + ins) (Volume determines capacity) | | | | | M-51 5 Ton Dump Truck (Cargo Space: 125 × 82 × 23 ins) (Volume determines capacity) | | | | |
| No. of crates | How carried | No. of tiers of crates | Total No. mines | Total wt. (tons) | No. of crates | How carried | No. of tiers of crates | Total No. mines | Total wt. (tons) | No. of crates | How carried | No. of tiers of crates | Total No. mines | Total wt. (tons) |
| — | flat (on edge) | 3 (2) | 100 (200) | 1.55 (3.1) | — | on end (on flat) | 1 (3) | 105 | 1.62 | — | flat | 5 | 270 | 4.1 |
| 61 (122) | flat | 2 (4) | 61 (122) | 1.49 (2.98) | 56 | on end | 1 | 56 | 1.37 | 90 | flat | 3 | 90 | 2.2 |
| 37 (75) | flat | 1— (2) | 74 (150) | 1.48 (3) | 40 | on end | 1 | 80 | 1.6 | 98 | flat | 2 | 196 | 3.9 |

Table 3-4. — Continued

| Mine packaging data | | | | | | | Capacity of indicated army vehicles (Note figures in parentheses indicate maximum load w/in 100% overload capability and/or maximum volume of cargo space) | | | | |
|---------------------|---------------------|--|---------------------|------------------------|-------|------|--|---------------|-----------------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Mine Model & type | Wt. (lbs.) per mine | No of mines, etc., per crate | Wt. (lbs) per crate | Crate dimensions (ins) | | | M-35 2½ tan cargo truck (Cargo space 147 X 88 X 60 ins) | | | | |
| | | | | Lgth | Width | Hgt | No of crates | How carried | No of tiers of crates | Total No. mines | Total wt (tons) |
| M-21 AT | 18.75 | 4, w/M-607 fuzes | 90 | 29 2 | 13.5 | 12 5 | 56 (111) | flat | 2 (34) | 224 (444) | 2.51 (4 98) |
| M-14 AP | 0 2 | 90, w/dets & wrenches | 44 | 19 | 18 | 8 75 | 114 (227) | flat (on end) | 4 (3) | 10,260 (20,430) | 2.5 (4.99) |
| M-16 AP | 8 | 4, w/fuzes & trip wire | 45 | 15 75 | 10 13 | 8.5 | 112 (222) | flat | 2 (4) | 448 (888) | 2 52 (4 99) |
| M18AI AP | 3 5 | a 1, (M-68 kit) w/elec cap, 50' firing wire, 1 btry hldr | 3 2 | 8 75 | 3 | 5 5 | 1562 (3125) | upright | 3 + (6) | 1562 (3125) | 2 5 (5) |
| | | b 5, (M-68 kit) w/elec caps, 500' firing wire | 21.5 | 13 5 | 10 5 | 5 5 | 233 (466) | upright | 2 + (5 +) | 1165 (2330) | 2.52 (5 +) |

Table 3-4—Continued

| Capacity of indicated army vehicles (Note: figures in parentheses indicate maximum load w/in 100% overload capability and/or maximum volume of cargo space) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|-------------|----------------------|----------------|-----------------|---|------------------|----------------------|----------------|-----------------|---|---------------|----------------------|----------------|-----------------|
| M-105 1½ ton trailer (Cargo Space: 133 × 87 × 71 ins) | | | | | M-47 2½ Ton Dump Truck (Cargo Space 108 × 70 × 15 + ins) (Volume determines capacity) | | | | | M-51 5 Ton Dump Truck (Cargo Space: 125 × 82 × 23 ins) (Volume determines capacity) | | | | |
| No of cotes | How carried | No of tiers of cotes | Total No mines | Total wt (tons) | No of cotes | How carried | No of tiers of cotes | Total No mines | Total wt (tons) | No of cotes | How carried | No of tiers of cotes | Total No mines | Total wt (tons) |
| 33 (66) | flat | 1 + (3-) | 132 (264) | 1 48 (2 96) | 40 | on end | 1 | 160 | 1.79 | 48 (60) | flat (on end) | 2 (1) | 192 (240) | 2 1 (2.7) |
| 68 (136) | flat | 3 (5) | 6120 (12,240) | 1 49 (2.99) | 48 | on end | 1 | 4320 | 1.05 | 72 | flat | 3 | 6480 | 1.5 |
| 66 (133) | flat | 1 + (2+) | 264 (532) | 1 48 (2 99) | 80 | on end (or flat) | 1 (2) | 320 | 1.80 | 168 | flat | 3 | 672 | 3.7 |
| 938 (1875) | upright | 3- (5) | 938 (1875) | 1 5 + (3) | 864 | on end | 2 | 864 | 1 38 | 1782 | on end | 3 | 1782 | 2 8 |
| 140 (280) | upright | 2 (3+) | 700 (1400) | 1 5 + (3+) | 96 | on end | 2 | 480 | 1.03 | 252 | flat | 4 | 1260 | 2.7 |

Table 3-4.—Continued

| | | Mine packaging data | | | | | Capacity of indicated army vehicles (Note: figures in parentheses indicate maximum load w/in 100% overload capability and/or maximum volume of cargo space) | | | | |
|-------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------------|----------|------|---|------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Mine Model & type | Wt. (lbs) per mine | No of mines, etc., per crate | Wt (lbs) per crate | Crate dimensions (ins) | | | M-35 $\frac{2\frac{1}{2}}$ ton cargo truck (Cargo space: 147 X 88 X 60 ins) | | | | |
| | | | | Lgth. | Width | Hgt. | No. of crates | How carried | No of tiers of crates | Total No. mines | Total wt. (tons) |
| M-23 Chem | 24.7 | 3 w/fuzes & activators | a 110 (1 drum) | 17.5 ins diam (std shipping drum) | | 22 | 46 (80) | on side (an end) | 2 (2) | 138 (240) | 2.53 (4.4) |
| | | | b 1,840 (pallet of 16 drums) | 52 | 46 | 48 | 3 pallets | flat | 1 | 144 | 2.76 |
| M-24 AP | 2.3 | a. 3 in cordbd tube | 8 12 | 18 | 3.5 diam | | 615 (1230) | flat | 3 + (6) | 1845 (3690) | 2.5 (5) |
| | | b 18 (6 tubes in a wooden box) | 70 ± | 21.25 | 12.5 | 10 | 70 (140) | flat | 1 + (3 +) | 1260 (2520) | 2.5 (5) |
| M-25 AP | 0.21 | 96 (12 per bag, 8 bags per crate) | 40 | 18.75 | 9.25 | 12.5 | 125 (250) | flat | 2 (4) | 12,000 (24,000) | 2.5 (5) |

Table 3-4—Continued

Capacity of indicated army vehicles (Note: figures in parentheses indicate maximum load w/in 100% overload capability and/or maximum volume of cargo space)

| M-105 1½ ton trailer (Cargo Space: 133 × 87 × 71 ins) | | | | | M-47 2½ Ton Dump Truck (Cargo Space: 108 × 70 × 15 + ins) (Volume determines capacity) | | | | | M-51 5 Ton Dump Truck (Cargo Space: 125 × 82 × 23 ins) (Volume determines capacity) | | | | |
|---|-------------|-----------------------|----------------|-----------------|--|-------------|------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|---|-------------|-----------------------|----------------|-----------------|
| No of crates | How carried | No of tiers of crates | Total No mines | Total wt (tons) | No. of crates | How carried | No. of tiers of crates | Total No. mines | Total wt (tons) | No of crates | How carried | No of tiers of crates | Total No mines | Total wt (tons) |
| 27 (54) | flat | 2— (3) | 71 (142) | 1.48 (2.97) | 24 | on end | 1 | 72 | 1.32 | 28 | on end | 1 | 84 | 1.5 |
| 2 pallets | flat | 1 | 96 | 1.84 | 2 | flat | 1 | 96 | 1.84 | 3 | flat | 1 | 144 | 2.7 |
| 370 (706) | flat | 3— (5—) | 1110 (2118) | 1.51 (3) | 600 | on end | 1 | 1800 | 2.42 | 864 | flat | 6 | 2592 | 3.5 |
| 43 (86) | flat | 1+ (2+) | 774 (1548) | 1.5 (3) | 50 | on end | 1 | 900 | 1.75 | 80 | on end | 1 | 1440 | 2.8 |
| 75 (150) | flat | 2 (3) | 7200 (14,400) | 1.5 (3) | 70 | flat | 2 | 6720 | 1.4 | 86 | flat | 2 | 9216 | 2 |

Table 3-4. — Continued

| Mine packaging data | | | | | | | Capacity of indicated army vehicles (Note figures in parentheses indicate maximum load w/in 100% overload capability and/or maximum volume of cargo space) | | | | |
|----------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------|-------|-----|--|-------------|-----------------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Mine Model & type | Wt (lbs.) per mine | No. of mines, etc., per crate | Wt (lbs.) per crate | Crate dimensions (ins) | | | M-35 2½ ton cargo truck (Cargo space 147 X 88 X 60 ins) | | | | |
| | | | | Lgth | Width | Hgt | No of crates | How carried | No of tiers of crates | Total No mines | Total wt (tons) |
| M-48 parachute flare | 5 | 4 w/fuzes & tripwire | 41 | 14.7 | 13.13 | 11 | 122 (244) | flat | 2+ (4+) | 488 (976) | 2.5 (5) |
| M-49 static flare | 14 | a. 16, w/fuzes & tripwire | 45 | 21.25 | 14.5 | 11 | 111 (180) | flat | 3+ (5) | 1776 (2880) | 2.49 (4.04) |
| | | b. 25, w/fuzes & tripwire | 59 | 21.25 | 14.5 | 11 | 84 (170) | flat | 3- (5) | 2100 (4250) | 2.47 (5) |

NOTES

1. Loads limited to 16,000 lbs on roads, 6,500 lbs (3.25 tons) cross-country
2. Maximum payload: 1,024 lbs (0.5 ton) internal, 3,000 lbs (1.5 tons) external
3. Maximum payload: 4,182 lbs (2.09 tons)

Table 3-4—Continued

| Capacity of indicated army vehicles (Note: figures in parentheses indicate maximum load w/in 100% overload capability and/or maximum volume of cargo space) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|-------------|------------------------|-----------------|------------------|--|-------------|------------------------|-----------------|------------------|---|-------------|------------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| M-105 1½ ton trailer (Cargo Space: 133 × 87 × 71 ins) | | | | | M-47 2½ Ton Dump Truck (Cargo Space: 108 × 70 × 15 + ins) (Volume determines capacity) | | | | | M-51 5 Ton Dump Truck (Cargo Space: 125 × 82 × 23 ins) (Volume determines capacity) | | | | |
| No. of crates | How carried | No. of tiers of crates | Total No. mines | Total wt. (tons) | No. of crates | How carried | No. of tiers of crates | Total No. mines | Total wt. (tons) | No. of crates | How carried | No. of tiers of crates | Total No. mines | Total wt. (tons) |
| 73 (146) | flat | 2 + (1 —) | 292 (584) | 1.49 (2.98) | 70 | flat | 2 | 280 | 1.43 | 96 | flat | 2 | 384 | 2 |
| 66 (132) | flat | 2 (4 —) | 1056 (2112) | 1.48 (2.96) | 42 | on end | 1 | 672 | 0.94 | 50 | flat | 2 | 800 | 1.1 |
| 50 (101) | flat | 2 (3 —) | 1250 (2525) | 1.47 (2.97) | 42 | on end | 1 | 1050 | 1.23 | 50 | flat | 2 | 1250 | 1.5 |

4. Mines are transported unarmed and w/o being assembled with firing chain components. These tables also are applicable to cased mines only.

5. Safety in transporting mines and explosive items must be observed for all modes of transportation.

(3) *Siting and location.* Lanes and gaps are sited so that the unit protecting the field and adjacent units may carry on such activities as potrolling, attacking and counterattacking. The tactical commander indicates to the commander of the loyng unit the general location of lanes and gaps. Skillful siting is essential to concealment. Locations of lanes and gaps are changed frequently to prevent the enemy from detecting and ambushing friendly forces. Tactical commanders are always consulted regarding changes in location.

f. *Logistical Data.* Material and manpower requirements, and logistical and planning data are found in tables 3-3 and 3-4. Table 3-5 is the Standard Pattern Minefield Requirements Computation Form found on the reverse side of DA Form 1355 (Minefield Record).

Table 3-5. Standard Pattern Minefield Requirements Computation Form

| | | | | |
|--|---------------|-----------------|------------------|-------|
| | | Apers | | Apers |
| Desired Density..... | AT a <u>1</u> | Frag b <u>4</u> | Blast c <u>8</u> | |
| | | Apers | | Apers |
| IOE Representative Cluster... | AT a <u>1</u> | Frag b <u>2</u> | Blast c <u>2</u> | |
| Paces of Trace..... | <u>267</u> | | | |
| 1. Paces of trace/9 or number of IOE clusters..... <u>30</u> | | | | |
| 2. Number of IOE clusters (line 1) X IOE representative cluster... a <u>30</u> b <u>60</u> c <u>60</u> | | | | |
| 3. Paces of trace X desired density = mines in minefield..... o <u>267</u> b <u>1068</u> c <u>2136</u> | | | | |
| 4. Add line 2 and line 3 (subtotal of mines)..... a <u>297</u> b <u>1128</u> c <u>2196</u> | | | | |

5. 10% of line 4 for mine rejections, strip length variances..... a 30 b 113 c 220
6. Add lines 4 and 5
= total mines needed..... a 327 b 1241 c 2416
7. Add a + b + c of
desired density..... 13
8. $\frac{2}{3} \times$ line 7*..... 8
9. $3 \times$ AT density..... 3
10. Number of strips
(highest number of 8
and 9)..... 8
11. Desired density $\times 3$ a 3 b 12 c 24

*In minefield calculation, fractions will always be rounded up to the next whole number.

3-6. SPECIAL TECHNIQUES

a. *Protective Minefields.* This type of minefield is employed to assist a unit in its local, close-in protection. They can be employed in both forward and rear areas of the combat zone or in isolated locations such as detached outposts, work parties, or roadblocks. Protective minefields are sited across likely avenues of approach within range of the defender's organic weapons but a sufficient distance away to be outside of enemy hand grenade range of the defender's position. This type of minefield usually is laid on short notice with units using mines from their basic load or from local stocks. The mines must be readily detectable and removable by the installing unit. Examples are metallic antitank and antipersonnel mines, fuses, and field expedient flame mines. Directional antipersonnel mines (e.g., M18 type) are particularly well suited for employment. Claymore mines should be physically removed, checked and relocated daily. In addition, precautionary measures should be

taken to prevent the enemy from turning the Claymore against the defender during periods of limited visibility.

b. *Nuisance Minefields.* This type of minefield is employed to delay and disorganize the enemy and to hinder his use of on oreo or route. All types of antitank and antipersannel mines are used and, when authorized, chemical mines may be laid. Manually laid antitank mines are equipped with antihandling devices to the maximum extent possible.

Table 3-5—Continued

| Strip | | a | b | c | Total Across |
|---------------------------------|---|---------------|---------------|---------------|-----------------|
| CLUSTER COMPOSITION TABLE | A | <u>1</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>5</u> |
| | B | <u>0</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>5</u> |
| | C | <u>0</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>4</u> |
| | D | <u>1</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>5</u> |
| | E | <u>0</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>5</u> |
| | F | <u>1</u> | <u>1</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>5</u> |
| | G | <u>0</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>5</u> |
| | H | <u>0</u> | <u>2</u> | <u>3</u> | <u>5</u> |
| | I | <u> </u> | <u> </u> | <u> </u> | <u> </u> |
| | J | <u> </u> | <u> </u> | <u> </u> | <u> </u> |
| | K | <u> </u> | <u> </u> | <u> </u> | <u> </u> |
| TOTAL DOWN..... | | <u>3</u> | <u>12</u> | <u>24</u> | |

Mines should be difficult to detect and remove. Boobytraps and dirty trick devices may also be employed. Nonexplosive devices such as punji pits and whips may be improvised and employed alone or in conjunction with mines and baobytraps.

c. *Stream Mining.*

(1) *Water over knee-depth (deeper than 0.6 meter).* The placement of mines from upstream to downstream is accomplished by teams of two or three men. One man selects the emplacement position while the second brings the mine from the shore to the position. The mine is placed unarmored on the water bottom. Green saplings or other nonbuoyant material may be used as outriggers to prevent the mine from being moved by the current. One man stays with the planted mine while the other selects and measures to the next position. A rope knotted in 1-meter increments is used to measure the distance. A compass azimuth and the distance from the second position to the first mine is reported to the recording party on shore. The man remaining at the first position arms the first mine, staying on the downstream side of the mine. He then moves downstream and away from the mine (for recording see para 3-8). The teams are coordinated so that all parties remain downstream from mines that have been armed. Figure 3-16 shows by numbers, the sequence in which mines should be laid and armed in the stream. As the mines are laid, the mine laying teams will report to the recording party the position of each mine. The underwater strips are referenced to a permanent type stake or object downstream so that they may be removed, if necessary, in reverse order of being laid.

(2) *Water under knee-depth (less than 0.6 meter).* The simplest, most reliable minefield to record and remove is the raw minefield where cluster spacings are uniform. Rows are parallel to one another; and the ends of mined rows extend or slant upstream. A rope, knotted in even cluster spacings, is stretched and held in place as each row is laid. As each subsequent row is to be laid, the reference rope is oriented by compass or measured from the ends of the prior strip. Figure 3-17 shows the reference rope in place for strip C. As in the prior method, mines upstream are planted first.

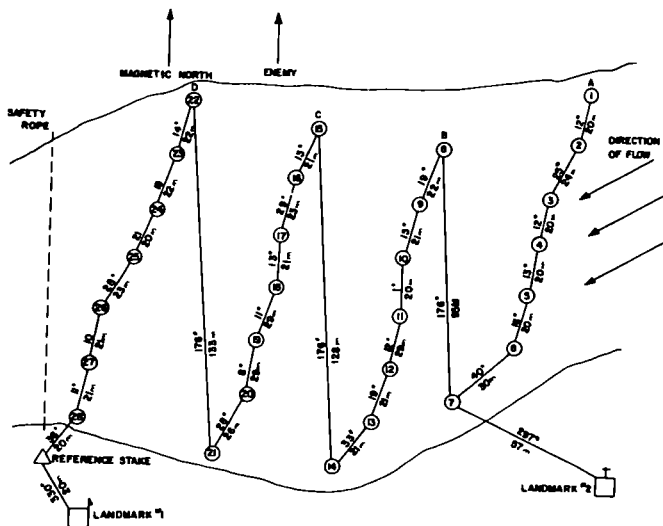


Figure 3-16. Mining of a fard site, water over knee-depth.

Section III. Reporting and Recording

3-7. MINEFIELD REPORTS

A minefield report is any official message or communication, normally verbal, concerning either friendly or enemy mining or demining activities. All reports on friendly minefields are classified SECRET and should be transmitted by a means consistent with this classification.

a. Mandatory Minefield Reports.

(1) Report of intention to lay. This report is made by any secure means of communication to the next higher commander by any commander having the authority to install a minefield. The required information and desired format usually is described in the unit SOP.

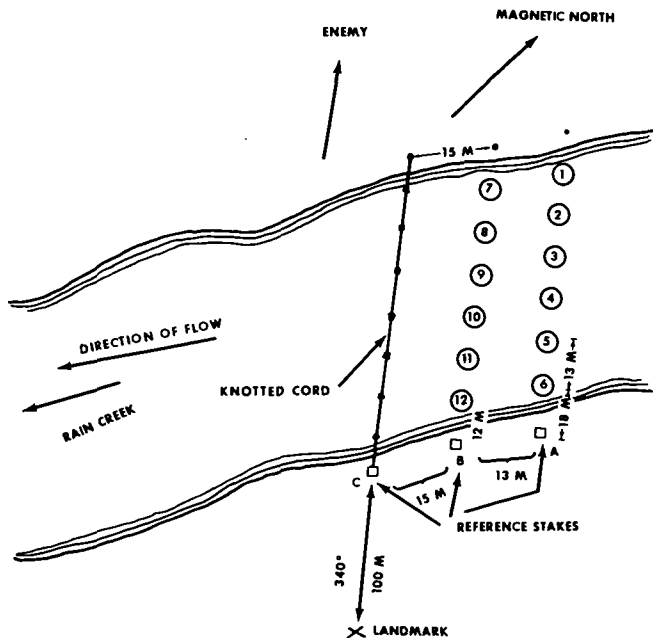


Figure 3-17. Mining of ford site, water under knee-depth.

(2) *Report of initiation of laying.* When the commander of the laying unit begins laying the minefield, he informs the next higher commander by secure means. This report is forwarded to the commander authorizing the field.

(3) *Report of completion of laying.* When the minefield has been installed, the commander of the minelaying unit reports this fact to his next higher commander. This report is forwarded to army level in all cases except for protective minefields. A report of completion of a pro-

tective minefield is usually forwarded no higher than division level. The report of completion must be followed by a completed standard minefield record, DA Form 1355 (para 3-8).

b. Optional Reports.

(1) *Progress reports.* This report is a matter of command standing operating procedure (SOP).

(2) *Report of transfer.* This is a written report which transfers the responsibility for a minefield from one commander to another. It must be signed by both the relieved and relieving commanders and is forwarded to the next higher commander having authority over both the relieved and relieving unit commanders.

(3) *Report of change.* Whenever friendly mines are removed, a report is made immediately to the next higher commander and forwarded through channels to the headquarters which maintains the written mine record. Whenever any alterations or changes are made to an existing minefield, a completely new record must be prepared on DA Form 1355 with the latest date time group and marked REVISED. The original minefield number remains unchanged.

c. *Enemy Minefield Report.* Any knowledge or suspicion of the existence of any enemy minefield must be reported to the next higher command immediately. This report, should be arranged to facilitate electrical transmission.

3-8. MINEFIELD RECORDS

a. *DA Form 1355.* This form is used to record all minefields except the hasty protective minefield (b below). DA Form 1355 consists of a single printed sheet. The front consists of an upper half for tabular data and a lower half for a scale sketch of the field. On the reverse side are instructions for completing the DA Form 1355 and a form for computing the number of mines (para 3-5f). When completed, the DA Form 1355 is classified SECRET. When used for training purposes, the word SPECIMEN must appear in the sketch.

(1) *Standard detailed minefield record.* See figure 3-18.

Figure 3-18. Standard detailed minefield record.

(Located in back of manual)

(2) *Nuisance minefield record.* See figure 3-19.

Figure 3-19. Record of nuisance minefield.

(Located in back of manual)

(3) *Ford minelaying record.* See figure 3-20.

Figure 3-20. Record of mines emplaced in a ford deeper than 0.6 meter.

(Located in back of manual)

(4) *Enemy minefield record.* The standard DA Form 1355 is used when preparing a record of an enemy field. The record should include a full description of the workings, a sketch or overlay showing location and other information. The record must be marked at the top with the words ENEMY MINEFIELD.

b. *Hasty Protective Minefield Record, DA Form 1355-1.* The purpose of the Hasty Protective Minefield Record form is to insure the proper recording of any hasty protective minefields laid by detached or isolated units. The form is issued down to and including platoons. It does not replace the current minefield record, DA Form 1355, but serves as an interim record until the information is transcribed to a DA Form 1355, or until the minefield is removed. The Hasty Protective Minefield Record, DA Form 1355-1, is unclassified as long as the minefield is temporary in nature. If the hasty protective minefield is not recovered the form is reclassified SECRET and is retained as backup for the DA Form 1355. Figure 3-21 shows the reverse side of the Hasty Protective Minefield Record which consists of full instructions to the recorder and an example of a recorded minefield.

Section IV. Mine Removal

3-9. MINEFIELD RECONNAISSANCE

a. Types.

- (1) Ground reconnaissance.
- (2) Aerial reconnaissance.
- (3) Reconnaissance by fire.
 - (a) Artillery, mortar, or rocket.
 - (b) Bombing.

b. Reconnaissance patrol.

(1) A minefield reconnaissance patrol is normally comprised of an experienced officer or NCO, four to six trained men, and a security element armed with light automatic weapons and grenade launchers (fig. 3-22).

(2) Depending upon the patrol's mission and types of mines it may encounter, equipment may include compasses, wirecutters, probes, mine detectors, disarming implements (wires, safety pins, etc.), tape and protective body armor. If secrecy is not essential, it may include prepared demolition charges, grapnels, light lines, and similar means for mine removal. Where toxic chemical mines may be encountered,

HASTY PROTECTIVE MINEFIELD RECORD SPECIMEN

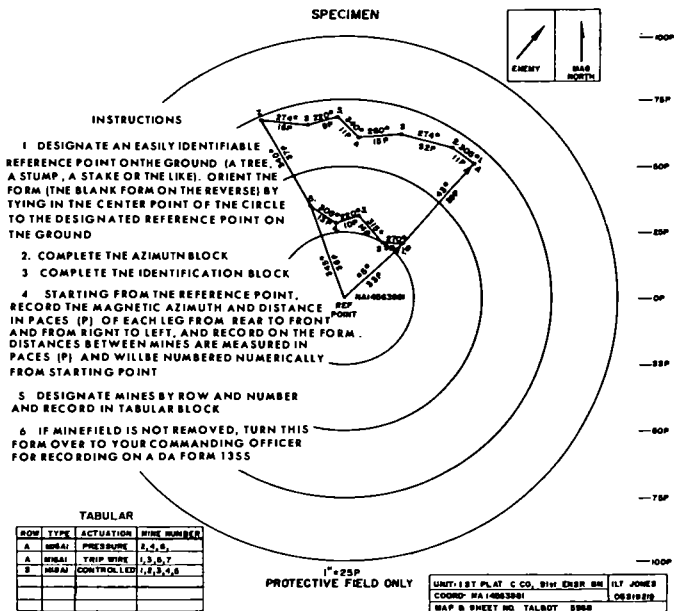


Figure 3-21. Hasty Protective Minefield Record Form (reverse).

take such equipment as protective clothing, chemical agent detector set, first aid supplies, and decontamination equipment.

(3) Where reconnaissance is preliminary to breaching, the patrol records information by a tape laid on the centerline of the path. Indicate location of tripwires or types of mines by knots tied on the tape as follows:

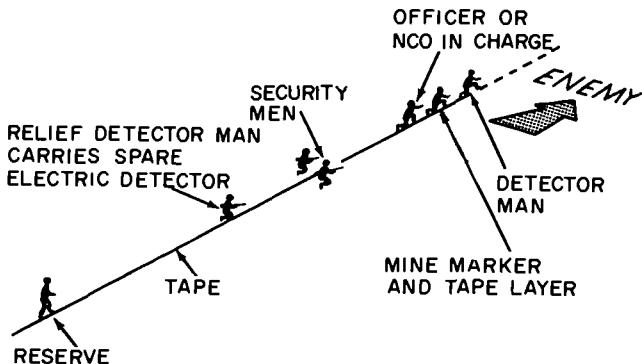


Figure 3-22. Minefield reconnaissance patrol.

| Type | No. of knots |
|--------------------------|--------------|
| Apers mine..... | 1 |
| AT mine..... | 2 |
| Tripwire..... | 3 |
| New type mine..... | 4 |
| Toxic chemical mine..... | 5 |

3-10. MINE DETECTION METHODS

a. *Visual.* Visual search is an important method of locating mines. Experience with the mine habits of an enemy is often of great help in locating his mines.

b. *Probing.* In this method, the earth is penetrated with a sharp instrument such as a mine probe, a boyonet, or a stiff wire. Probing is the best way to locate buried nonmetallic mines, particularly the small antipersonnel type similar to the M14. When probing, the soldier moves on hands and knees with sleeves rolled up to locate tripwires and pressure prongs. In areas where electrical devices are common only, a nonmetallic probe should be used to avoid actuating the electrical firing device.

c. *Electrical Detection.* When used in conjunction with visual inspection and probing, mine detectors (metallic and nonmetallic) are effective

oids on locating mines. Both types of detectors, metallic or nonmetallic, may give a signal when items other than mines are detected; experience in operating each type enables the user to recognize the characteristics of the signal to be expected for each type of mine. For the soldier assigned to this task, it is an exacting job, and he must constantly watch for boobytraps and tripwires. Twenty minutes at a time should be the maximum period for each soldier.

3-11. METHODS OF BREACHING MINEFIELDS

a. *Hasty and Deliberate Methods.* Breaching is the use of any means available to open a lane through a mined area for the passage of vehicles or personnel. It is either hasty or deliberate.

(1) Hasty breaching requires speed with a minimum of planning. Leading combat units must often clear a lane of all mines. Special mechanical or explosive devices, artillery or aerial bombardment, or specially trained teams accomplish this. See table 3-6.

(2) Deliberate breaching requires extensive planning, and is normally done by engineers or other trained personnel, supported by combined arms. Deliberate breaching usually is made in the following phases:

- (a) Reconnaissance.
- (b) Plans and preparations.
- (c) Breaching and attack.
- (d) Passage of forces.

b. *Explosive Methods.* The use of explosives is the easiest and most desired method of removing mines. One pound of explosive, with a standard firing assembly, placed on top of a mine will detonate most mines. A detonating cord firing system may connect a group of mines to fire them simultaneously. Several different rigid and flexible line charges are available for breaching foot and vehicle lanes through minefields. They range in size from the man-carried bongolore torpedo to the tank pushed "snokes." The various models available are described in TM 9-1375-200.

c. *Mechanical Methods.* The term, mechanical methods, refers to use of rollers, floils, derelict vehicles, etc., pushed by armored vehicles.

d. *Platoon Organization and Equipment for Manual Breaching.* Table 3-7 and figure 3-23 show the organization of this platoon and the operation of a breaching party, respectively.

3-12. METHODS OF CLEARING MINEFIELDS

a. *Introduction.* To clear a minefield is to remove or destroy all mines,

Table 3-6. Minefield Average Breaching/Clearing Time and Material Requirements

| Method | Width of cleared lane (in meters) | Man-hours req'd per 100 meters | Remarks |
|--|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Manual | | | |
| Locotion by prabing | 1 (faatpath) | 16-22 | See note. |
| Removal by rape or explosives | 8 aneway (vehicle lane) | 38-44 | See note. |
| Lacation by detector, assisted by prob-ing | 8 aneway (vehicle lane) | 27-33 | See note. |
| Remaval by rope ar explosives . . . | 8 | 220-247 | See note. |
| Explosive | | | |
| Demolition snakes, M3A1 | 6 | 40-100 | |
| Demalition snake M157 (Diamond Lil) | 3.5-4.5 | 6-8 | +6 -8 manhours to assemble |
| Bangalore torpedo. | 1 (footpath) | 3.5-4.5 | See nate. |

NOTE. Based upon average conditions of visibility and maderate enemy activity and narmal U.S. countermeasures, i.e. screening of enemy observation and counter-battery fires against hostile artillery or other weapons covering the field.

enemy or friendly, in the field. The methods used in mine clearance are similar to those in breaching, but are more deliberate and carefully applied. Minefield records are used to the maximum. Brush and other cover in the minefield area may be removed by burning.

b. By Probing. To clear mines from an enemy field or a friendly field for which records are unavailable, the procedure described here is to

Table 3-7. *Platoon Organization and Equipment for Manual Breaching*

| Personnel | Officer | NCO | EM | Equipment |
|---------------------------------|---------|-----|-----|---|
| Officer in charge . . | 1 | .. | ... | Lensatic compass, map, radio, and individual weapon. |
| Platoon sergeant . . | . | 1 | .. | Same as OIC, except no radio. |
| Na. 1 breaching party | ... | 1 | 7 | 2 portable detectors, 2 probes, mine markers, marking tape or wire an reels, safety pins, clips, smooth wires (18" lengths), 1-lb. blocks of explosive, blasting caps, detonating cord, safety fuze, fuze lighters, crimpers, and portable radio. |
| Na. 2 breaching party | . | 1 | 7 | Same as Na. 1 breaching party. |
| Na. 3 breaching party | . | 1 | 7 | Same as Na. 1 breaching party. |
| Support party | .. | 1 | 10 | Same as Na. 1 party, plus: sledges or mauls, hammers, pliers, wire-cutters, 2" by 4" stakes at least 6' long, individual weapons, litters, lanemarking signs, gauntlets, barbed wire, stakes and pickets. |
| Total | 1 | 5 | 31 | |

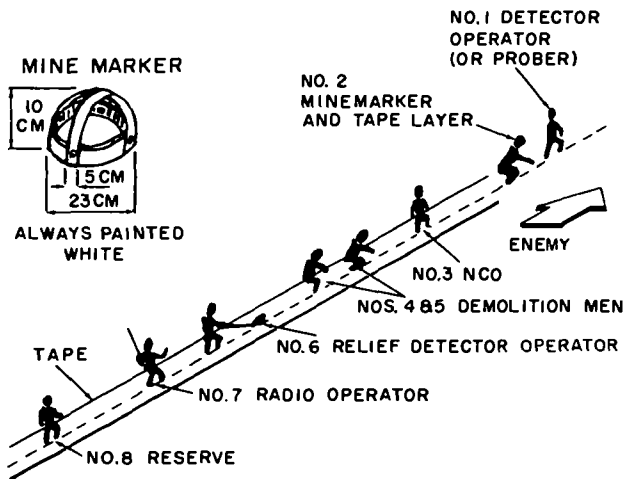


Figure 3-23. Minefield breaching party.

be considered as a guide only. The platoon is used as the basic unit, and mines are blown in place or removed by rope.

(1) The platoon is organized as shown in table 3-8. The clearing parties operate as depicted in figure 3-24.

(2) The use of explosive is described in paragraph 3-11.

(3) Rope removal is safer than removing mines by hand. Proceed as follows:

- (a) Uncover top of mine.
- (b) Attach rope or wire at least 50 meters long to mine.
- (c) Make sure all personnel nearby have taken cover.
- (d) Take cover at least 50 meters from mine and pull it from hole. (Make sure the place of cover, such as a foxhole, is checked for enemy bobbytraps prior to this action.)
- (e) Wait 30 seconds before approaching mine.
- (f) Recheck hole for additional mines.
- (g) Remove fuze or cut the firing chain.
- (h) Carry mine to a dump for disposal or reuse.

Table 3-8. *Platoon Organization and Equipment for Manual Clearing*

| Personnel | Officer | NCO | EM | Equipment |
|----------------------|---------|-----|----|--|
| Officer in charge | 1 | ... | .. | Map, lensatic compass, portable radio, and all available information on mines in area. |
| No. 1 clearing party | ---- | 1 | 10 | Mine probes, tracing tape on reels, mine markers, grapnels, rope or wire in 45 meters lengths, 45-cm lengths of 10-and 16-gage wire, demolition equipment, shovels or entrenching tools, and portable radios |
| No. 2 clearing party | ---- | 1 | 10 | Same as No. 1 clearing party |
| No. 3 clearing party | ---- | 1 | 10 | Same as No. 1 clearing party |
| Control party | ---- | 1 | 2 | Map, lensatic compass, portable radio (2 preferably, 1 for platoon and 1 for company net) |
| TOTAL | 1 | 4 | 32 | |

c. *8y Use of Detectors.*

(1) The platoon is organized the same as for probing, except that each clearing party has three electrical mine detectors and is increased by one man. The duties and procedures are basically the same as for probing.

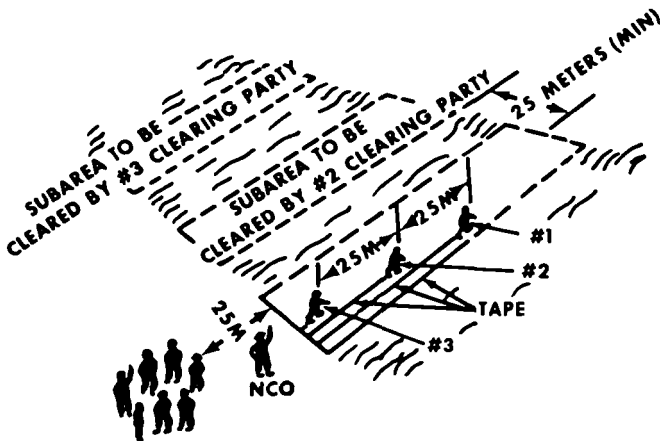


Figure 3-24. Number 1 clearing party.

(2) Figure 3-25 shows the clearing party in action, using electrical detectors.

3-13. ROUTE CLEARING OPERATIONS

a. *Organization.* Route clearance has some of the characteristics of both minefield breaching and area clearance depending upon the relationship of the route to the enemy and the urgency of the mission. The normal organization for route clearing is shown in figure 3-26. When ambush or command detonated mines are suspected, route clearance should be performed in a manner shown in figure 3-27.

b. *Procedure.* Normally, route clearance is accomplished in two stages.

(1) The first stage includes removal of sufficient mines and other obstacles to clear a one-way route, reconnaissance for bypasses or alternate routes, prompt report of mined areas which have been breached, cleared or bypassed, and posting of guards or minefield markings to warn succeeding elements.

THE 25-METER INTERVAL BETWEEN DETECTOR PARTIES PREVENTS ELECTRICAL INTERFERENCE BETWEEN DETECTORS AND HELPS TO REDUCE CASUALTIES FROM MINES

NO 1, 3, 5 AND 7 DETECTOR MEN
EACH SWEEP 2 METERS OF
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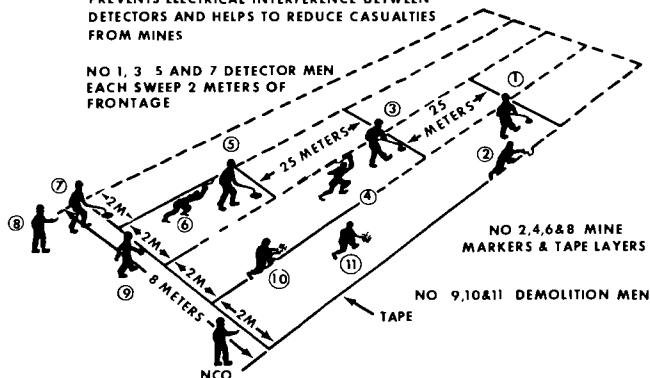


Figure 3-25. Clearing party using electrical detectors.

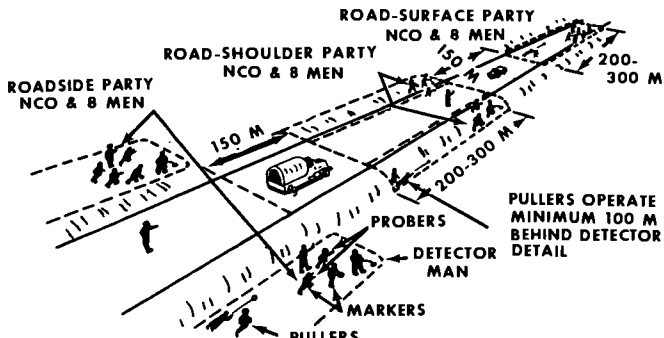
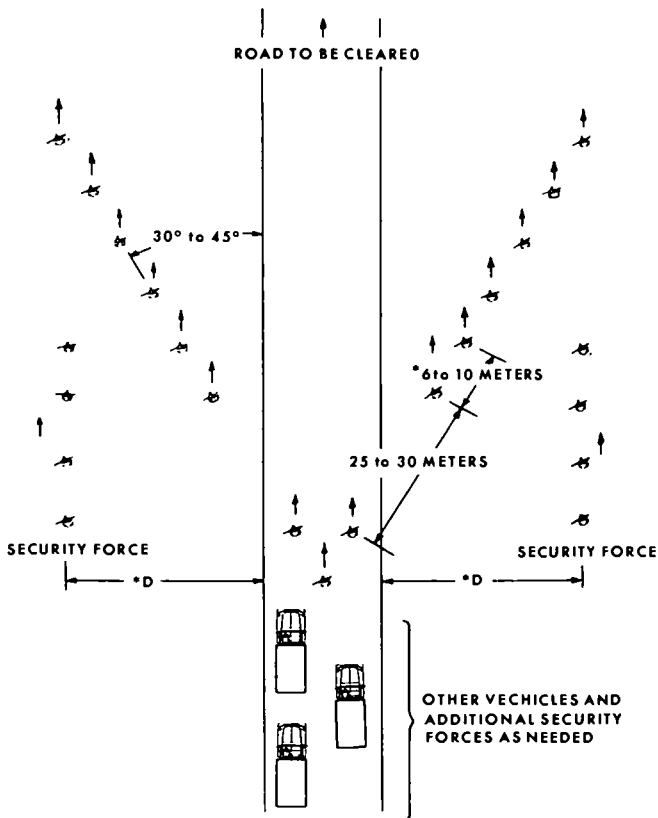


Figure 3-26. Route clearing party.



*D-DISTANCE WILL VARY ACCORDING TO TERRAIN.

Figure 3-27. Organization of security for route clearing party when ambushes or command detonated mines are suspected.

(2) The second stage includes widening the initially cleared path for double-flow traffic including shoulders, clearing beyond the line of telephone poles or where signal wire has been or will be laid, improving bypasses, filling in craters, moving abandoned vehicles clear of the traveled way, erecting more permanent and elaborate mine-warning and marking signs, complete checking of crossroads and road junctions, and clearing and marking safe turnouts into unit dispersed areas.

3-14. SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

a. Personnel in a minefield will:

(1) Remain dispersed.

(2) Not run.

(3) Move only in cleared areas.

(4) Move to assist injured personnel only when told to do so by unit officers or noncommissioned officer.

b. All areas or facilities are suspect and are carefully investigated.

c. Cleared areas are distinctly marked.

d. All mines are considered to be equipped with antihandling devices until proven otherwise. Never uncover a mine until the ground on top has been thoroughly checked for anti-lift devices.

e. Hand removal of mines is undertaken only when no other means of disposal is feasible.

f. All precautions for handling explosives are observed when handling mines, fuzes, and firing devices.

g. Mines that are removed are completely separated from fuzes and firing devices and separately stored.

h. Rapid means of communication should be maintained to insure maximum control and prompt evacuation of any wounded personnel. Medical aid personnel should be close at hand to accomplish any needed first aid.

3-15. MINE SYMBOLS

See figure 3-28.








| | | | |
|--------------|---|------------------------|---|
| Type unknown |  | AT, boobytrapped |  |
| Apers |  | AT, double or multiple |  |
| AT |  | Boobytraps |  |
| | | Toxic chemical |  |

Figure 3-28. Mine symbols.

CHAPTER 4

FIELD FORTIFICATIONS

Section I. General Data

4-1. PRIORITY OF TASKS

Many of the jobs involved in preparing a defensive position are carried on concurrently, but some will be executed in priority. The commander, therefore, specifies the sequence for the preparation of the position and any special precautions to be taken regarding camouflage. The following is a recommended sequence.

- a. Establish security.
- b. Position weapons.
- c. Clear fields of fire, remove objects, mask observation and determine ranges to probable target locations.
- d. Provide for signal communications and observation systems.
- e. Prepare weapons emplacements and individual positions to include overhead cover, and camouflage them concurrently.
- f. Lay minefields and prepare important demolitions.
- g. Prepare obstacles (other than minefields) and less vital demolitions.
- h. Prepare routes for movement and for supply and evacuation.
- i. Prepare alternate and supplementary positions.
- j. Prepare CBR protective shelters as required.
- k. Prepare deceptive installations in accordance with plans of higher headquarters.

4-2. CLEARING FIELDS OF FIRE

a. *Principles.* There is little opportunity to clear fields of fire when a unit is in contact with the enemy. Individual riflemen and weapons crews must select the best natural positions available. Usually, there is only time to clear areas in the immediate vicinity of the position. However, in preparing defensive positions for expected contact with the enemy, suitable fields of fire are cleared in front of each position. The following principles are pertinent:

- (1) Excess or careless clearing will disclose firing positions.
- (2) In areas organized for close defense, clearing should start near the position and work forward for at least 100 meters or to the maximum effective range of the weapon if time permits.

(3) A thin natural screen of vegetation should be left to hide defensive positions.

b. Procedure.

(1) Remove the lower branches of large scattered trees in sparsely wooded areas.

(2) In heavy woods, fields of fire may be neither possible nor desirable within the time available. Restrict work to thinning the undergrowth and removing the lower branches of large trees. Clear narrow lanes of fire for automatic weapons.

(3) Thin or remove dense brush since it is never a suitable obstacle and obstructs the field of fire.

(4) Cut weeds when they obstruct the view from firing positions.

(5) Remove brush, weeds, and limbs that have been cut to areas where they cannot be used to conceal enemy movements or disclose the position.

(6) Do only a limited amount of clearing at one time. Overestimating the capabilities of the unit in this respect may result in a field of fire improperly cleared which would afford the enemy better concealment and cover than the natural state.

(7) Cut or burn grain, hay, and tall weeds.

c. Manhours Required. The manhours required to clear 100 square meters are tabulated in table 4-1

Table 4-1. Manhours Required to Clear 100 Square Meters

| Description of clearing | Tools used | Manhours required* |
|--|--|--------------------|
| Medium clearing: Clearing undergrowth and trees less than 12" in diameter | Saws, axes | 5 |
| Light clearing: Clearing small brush | Axes, brushhooks, machetes, and hatchets | 2.5 |

*Figures are for daylight, for work at night, increase labor by 50 percent

Section II. Types

4-3. EMBLEMENTS

a. *Requirements.* Emplacements should be so constructed as to permit each individual or weapons crew to meet the following requirements:

(1) Permit each individual or each weapons crew to accomplish assigned fire missions.

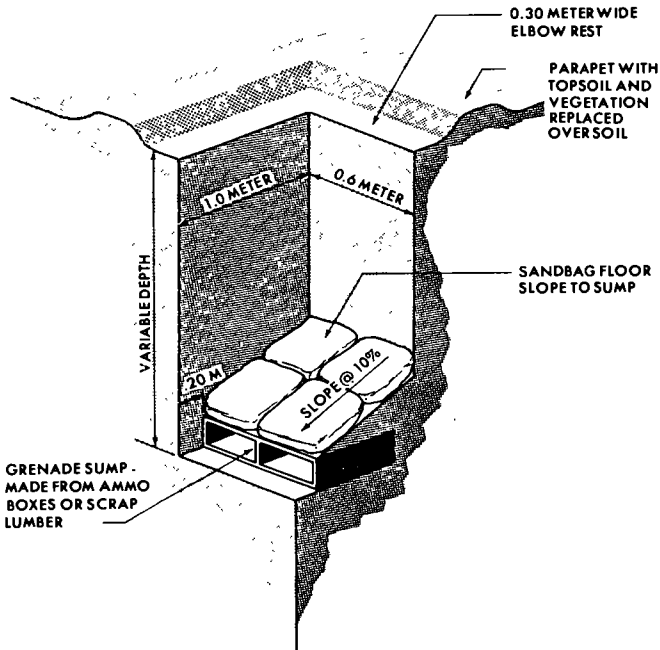


Figure 4-1. Open one-man foxhole.

- (2) Be simple and easily constructed.
 - (3) Provide maximum protection with minimum time and labor.
 - (4) Be camouflaged and concealed.
 - (5) Provide protection against mechanized attack.
 - (6) Provide protection against nuclear attack.
- b. Types. See figures 4-1 through 4-6 for different types.
- c. Labor Requirements for Emplacements. See tables 4-2 and 4-3.

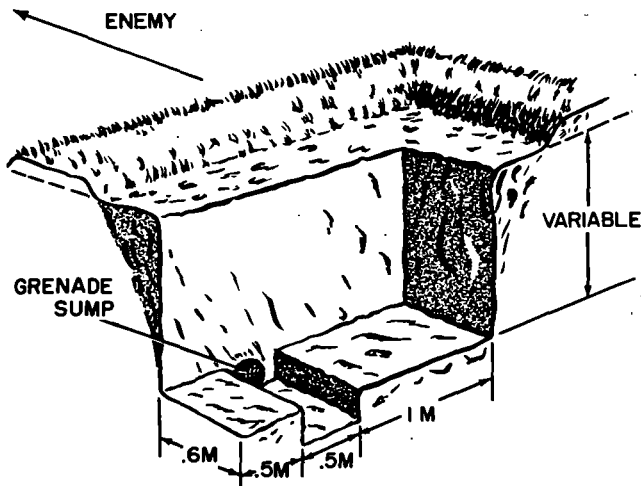


Figure 4-2. Open two-man foxhole.

4-4. REVETMENTS

a. *Retaining Wall Type.* This type of revetment is used in relatively unstable soils. The horizontal layers of the walls are tied together so that the wall acts as a structural unit without any sliding of one part upon another. The revetment (fig. 4-7) may be constructed of sandbags, sod blocks, and various expedients as described below. The methods of building with these construction materials are as follows:

Table 4-2. Time and Material Requirements for Personnel and Individual Weapons Emplacement.

| Type of emplacement or shelter | Total construction time in man hours for construction with O-handle shovels and ordinary carpentry tools | | | | | Weight and volume of materials | | | | | | | | |
|--|--|---------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------|--|---------------|---------------------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|----------------|---------------------------|-----------------|-----|
| | | | | | | Revetment materials for cover support only | | | | Complete revetment | | | | |
| | Revetment materials for cover support only | | Complete revetment | | No revetment materials used | Corrugated metal construction | | Sized lumber construction | | Corrugated metal construction | | Sized lumber construction | | |
| | Corrugated metal constr | Sized lumber constr | Corrugated metal constr | Sized lumber constr | | Weight (kg.) | Volume (cu m) | Weight (kg.) | Volume (cu. m.) | Weight (kg) | Volume (cu m.) | Weight (kg) | Volume (cu. m.) | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Improved crater..... | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 0.5 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Skirmishers trench..... | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 0.5 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Prone emplacement | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 1.5 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Open one man foxhole | N/A | N/A | 3.5 | 4.5 | 2.0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 86.2 | 0.10 | 108.9 | 0.23 | |
| Open one man foxhole with offset | 9.0 | 14.0 | 10.0 | 16.0 | N/A | 22.7 | 0.02 | 81.6 | 0.16 | 108.9 | 0.11 | 190.5 | 0.37 | |
| One man foxhole with half cover | 2.5 | 3.0 | 4.5 | 5.5 | N/A | 4.5 | 0.01 | 9.07 | 0.02 | 90.7 | 0.10 | 117.9 | 0.23 | |
| One man foxhole with half cover and offset | 10.0 | 14.0 | 12.0 | 18.0 | N/A | 27.2 | 0.02 | 90.7 | 0.17 | 113.4 | 0.11 | 199.6 | 0.40 | |
| Open two man foxhole | N/A | N/A | 6.0 | 8.0 | 3.0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 127.0 | 0.14 | 135.2 | 0.28 | |
| Deepened two man foxhole..... | N/A | N/A | 8.0 | 10.0 | 5.0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 136.1 | 0.16 | 169.6 | 0.34 | |
| Two man foxhole with half cover | 4.0 | 4.0 | 8.0 | 10.0 | N/A | 7.2 | 0.01 | 14.5 | 0.03 | 127.0 | 0.14 | 158.8 | 0.31 | |
| Two man foxhole with half cover and two offsets | 20.0 | 30.0 | 22.0 | 35.0 | N/A | 54.5 | 0.04 | 180.4 | 0.34 | 172.4 | 0.17 | 317.5 | 0.62 | |
| Two man foxhole with half cover and adjoining shelter..... | 11.0 | 17.0 | 13.0 | 22.0 | N/A | 45.4 | 0.03 | 254.0 | 0.51 | 208.7 | 0.20 | 399.2 | 0.79 | |
| Open fighting trench (25' length)..... | N/A | N/A | 28.0 | 32.0 | 21.0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 222.3 | 0.23 | 322.1 | 0.62 | |
| Fighting trench with full cover (25' length) | 27.0 | 29.0 | 35.0 | 40.0 | N/A | 108.9 | 0.11 | 163.3 | 0.31 | 331.1 | 0.34 | 480.8 | 0.94 | |

Table 4-3 Time and Material of Crew-Served Infantry and Artillery Weapons Emplacements

| Type of emplacement or shelter | Total construction time in man hours for construction with O-handle shovels and ordinary carpentry tools | | | | | Weight and volume of materials | | | | | | | |
|--|--|----------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|--|---------------|---------------------------|----------------|-------------------------------|---------------|---------------------------|---------------|
| | Revetment materials for cover support only | | Complete revetment | | No revetment materials used | Revetment materials for cover support only | | | | Complete revetment | | | |
| | | | | | | Corrugated metal construction | | Sized lumber construction | | Corrugated metal construction | | Sized lumber construction | |
| | | | | | | Corrugated metal constr. | | Sized lumber constr. | | Corrugated metal constr. | | Sized lumber constr. | |
| | Corrugated metal constr. | Sized lumber constr. | Corrugated metal constr. | Sized lumber constr. | | Weight (kg.) | Volume (cu m) | Weight (kg.) | Volume (cu m.) | Weight (kg.) | Volume (cu m) | Weight (kg.) | Volume (cu m) |
| Open automatic rifle emplacement | N/A | N/A | 7 0 | 8 0 | 4 0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 77.11 | 0.085 | 90 72 | 0.170 |
| Automatic rifle emplacement with 18" of cover | 4 0 | 5.0 | 6.0 | 7.0 | N/A | 20.81 | 0.014 | 31.75 | 0.057 | 99 79 | 0.113 | 122 5 | 0 283 |
| Open horseshoe type M60 machinegun emplacement | N/A | N/A | 5.0 | 7.0 | 2.0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 127 0 | 0.142 | 204.1 | 0 396 |
| Open 2 one-man foxhole type light machinegun emplacement | N/A | N/A | 6 0 | 7 0 | 4.0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 240 4 | 0 283 | 290 3 | 0.566 |
| Horseshoe type light machinegun emplacement with full cover | 9 0 | 11.0 | 11 0 | 14 0 | N/A | 86 18 | 0.113 | 113 4 | 0 198 | 326.6 | 0.368 | 403.7 | 0 764 |
| 2 one-man foxhole lt. machinegun type emplacement with 1/2 cover and adjoining shelter | 15 0 | 22 0 | 19 0 | 28 0 | N/A | 113 4 | 0.071 | 285 8 | 0.566 | 235 9 | 0 212 | 385 6 | 0 850 |
| Circular type 50 cal machinegun emplacement | N/A | N/A | 14.5 | 16 5 | 10.0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 136 1 | 0 142 | 190.5 | 0 368 |
| Pit type emplacement for recoilless weapons | N/A | N/A | 5 0 | 6.0 | 3.0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 49.9 | 0 028 | 72.58 | 0 142 |
| 81-mm mortar emplacement | N/A | N/A | 12.0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 95.25 | 0 085 | N/A | N/A |
| 4.2-inch mortar emplacement | N/A | N/A | 29.0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 167.8 | 0.170 | N/A | N/A |
| Recoilless rifle position (mounted) | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 30.0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Recoilless rifle position (dismounted) | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 17 0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 105-mm howitzer emplacement | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 100 0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 155-mm howitzer emplacement | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 170 0 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |

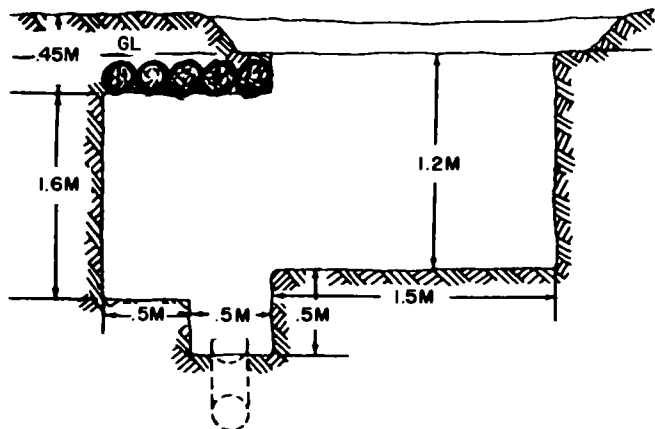


Figure 4-3. Two-man foxhole with half cover.

(1) Sandbags are useful for temporary revetments. Lay them as follows:

(a) Fill to three-fourths of full capacity (13 cm X 25 cm X 51 cm).
 (b) Place a double row of alternate headers and stretchers as shown in figure 4-7.

(c) Place about 800 sandbags per 25 square meters of revetted surface.

(d) Stabilize bags to prolong their life by filling them with 1 part cement to 10 parts dry earth; in a sand-gravel mixture, increase ratio to 1 to 6.

(e) Tuck in bottom corner of bags after filling.

(f) Slope the wall toward revetted face at slope of 1 to 4.

(g) With stabilized sandbags the foundation should be about 15 centimeters below floor level.

(h) Place bags perpendicular to slope.

(i) Place all bags on bottom row as headers (fig. 4-7).

(j) Alternate intermediate rows as headers and stretchers.

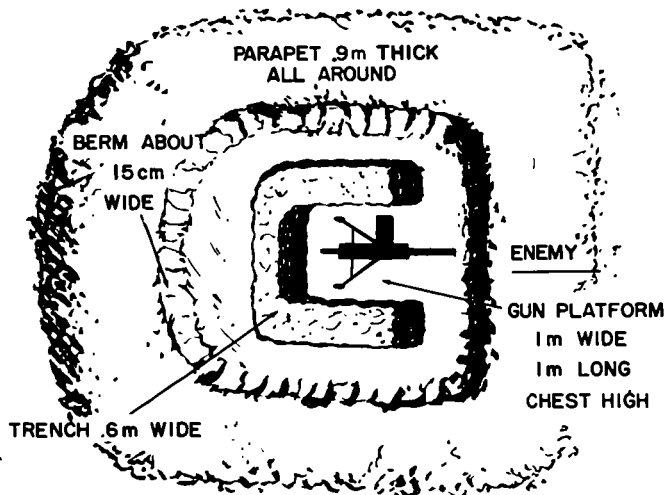


Figure 4-4. Horseshoe type emplacement.

(k) Hove top raw consist of headers.

(l) Place side seams and choked ends on inside.

(2) Sad blocks of thick sad with good roots provide satisfactory revetting material. Cut sad blocks into 20- by 45-centimeter sections and lay them flat, using alternate stretcher-method, as with sandbags (1) above. Lay sad gross-to-gross and soil-to-sail except for the top layer which is placed with grass upward for camouflage purposes. Drive two wooden pegs through each section of every layer as it is completed. Lay this sad revetment at a slope of 1 to 3.

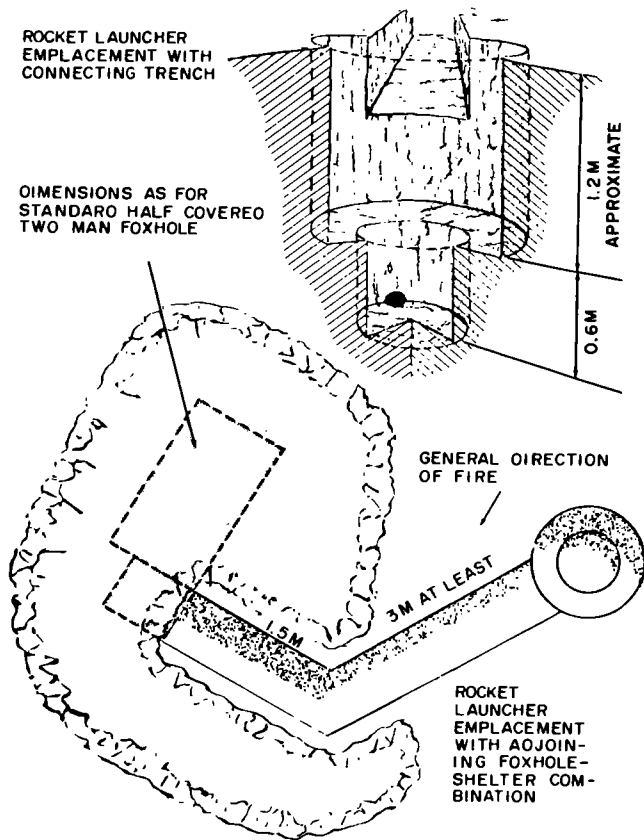


Figure 4-5. Rocket launcher emplacement.

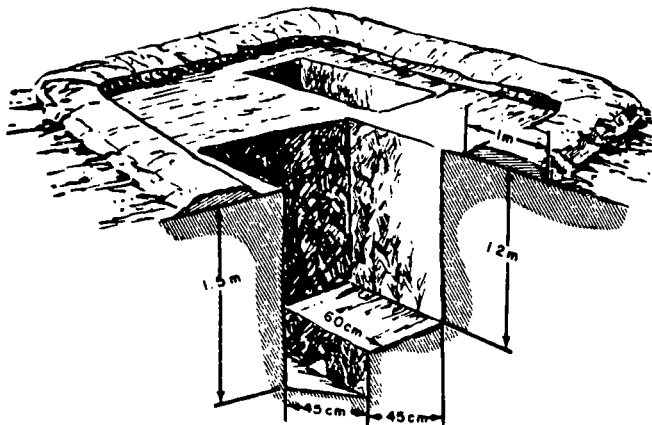


Figure 4-6. Two man foxhole type machine gun emplacement.

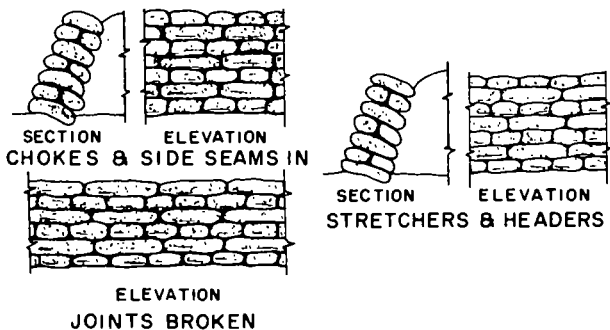


Figure 4-7. Retaining wall type of revetment.

(3) Expedients may be used, such as ice blocks in cold weather. They are stocked the same as sandbags or sod. Water is run over them to bind by freezing. Another expedient is earth-filled packing cases or ammunition boxes, which are placed in position and nailed to the layer below. The boxes are then filled with earth or rock. In wooded areas, small timber may be used as revetting material.

b. Facing Type. This type of revetment serves mainly to protect revetted surfaces from weather and damage caused by occupation. It consists of facing (revetting) material and support which holds the material in place. The top of the facing is set below ground level so that the revetting material is not damaged by tanks crossing the emplacement.

(1) Materials used in facing may be brushwood hurdles, continuous brush, pole and dimensional timbers, corrugated metal, or burlap and chicken wire. Construction methods of each type are described in (3) below.

(2) Methods of support.

(a) Timber frames of dimensioned timber are built to fit the bottom and sides of the position and hold the facing material apart. This insures that the excavated width remains stable.

(b) Pickets are driven into the ground on the position side of the facing material and held tightly against the facing by brocing the pickets apart or fastening their tops to stakes or holdfasts (fig. 4-8).

(3) Methods of constructing facing type revetments.

(a) The size of pickets depends upon the soil type and the kind of facing material, but timber pickets should not be smaller than 7.6 centimeters in diameter. Maximum spacing between pickets should be 1.8 meters. Steel wire fence U-shaped pickets are excellent for revetting. Pickets are driven at least 0.46 meters into the floor of the position. Where the pickets are anchored at the top, proceed as shown in figure 4-8.

(b) A brushwood hurdle is a woven revetment unit usually 1.8 meters long and of required height.

(c) The pole revetment is similar to the continuous brush revetment, except that a layer of small horizontal round poles cut to wall length is used. If available, board or planks are used.

(d) Corrugated metal sheets or pierced steel planks are strong, durable, and rapidly installed. They may be used for any height or length of revetment. Smear metal surfaces with mud to eliminate possible reflection of thermal radiation and to aid camouflage.

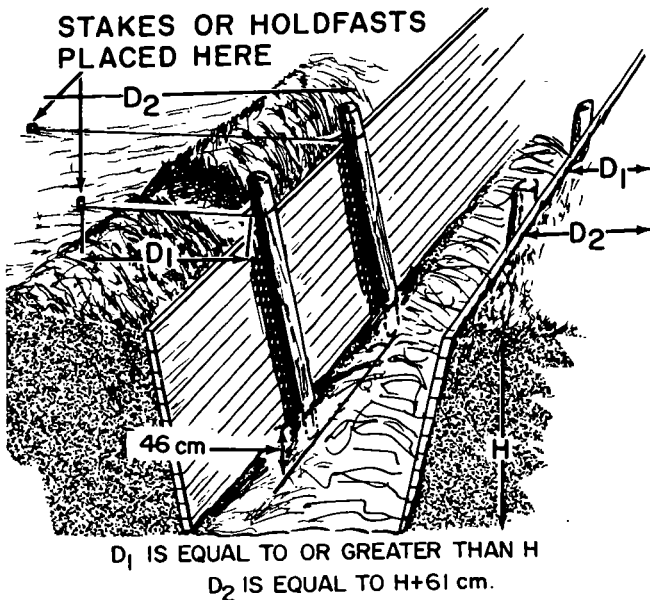


Figure 4-8. Method of anchoring pickets.

4-5. TRENCHES

Trenches are excavated as fighting positions and to connect individual foxholes, weapons emplacements and shelters in the progressive development of a defensive area. They provide protection and concealment for personnel moving between fighting positions or in and out of the area (figs. 4-9 and 4-10).

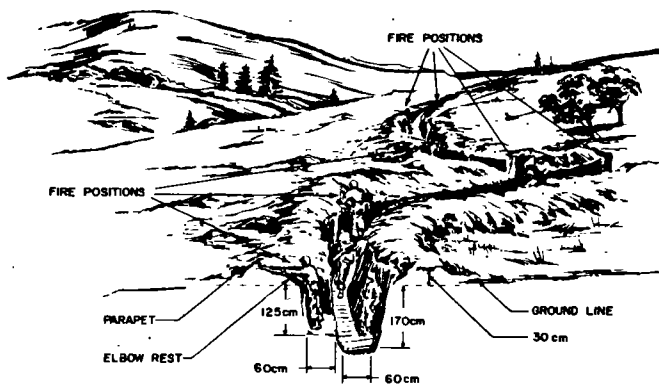
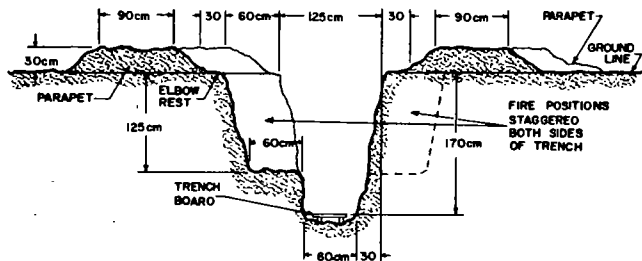
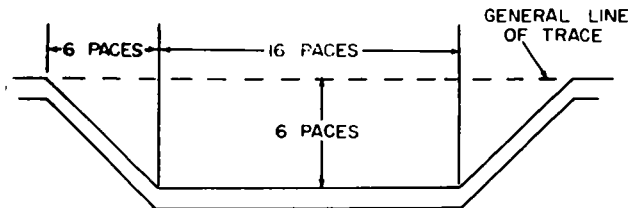


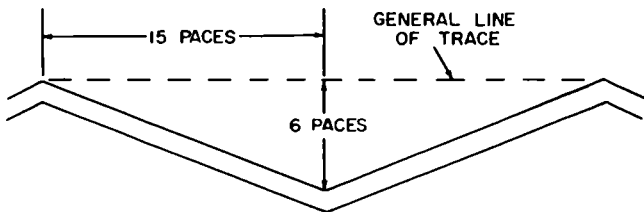
Figure 4-9. Standard trenches.

4-6. BUNKERS

a. Table 4-4 indicates minimum thickness of protective material required under given conditions. TB 5-15-1 has been published to provide detailed information on prefabricated concrete and steel bunkers, shelters and fighting hole covers. A discussion of precast techniques is also included.



① OCTAGONAL TRACE



② ZIGZAG TRACE

Figure 4-10. Standard trench traces.

b. The protective cover and at least the roof of the supporting structure of an emplacement should be a design unity that freely moves in unison. That is, the overall cover and roof must be rigid enough to displace as a unit, yet the construction must be able to absorb or dampen the shock of an exploding shell.

c. Practical fulfillment of this design unity is a sandwich construction in which the two outer layers, burster course, and roof structure, possess

Table 4-4. Minimum Thickness of Protective Material Required to Resist Penetration

No Standoff

Material in Inches

| Types of ammunition | Sail | | Sand | | Clay | | Sail cement bituminous concrete | Con- crete | Timber | Alumi- num | Steel |
|------------------------------|------|-----|------|-----|------|-----|--|---------------|--------|---------------|-------|
| | Wet | Dry | Wet | Dry | Wet | Dry | | | | | |
| .30 cal. ball (AP)..... | 36 | 24 | 36 | 24 | 44 | 30 | 18 | 9 | 60 | 2.6 | 1.3 |
| .50 cal. ball (AP)..... | 54 | 36 | 45 | 30 | 80 | 54 | 18 | 9 | 120 | 4.4 | 2.2 |
| 57-mm recoilless rifle..... | 18 | 12 | 18 | 12 | 36 | 24 | 20 | 10 | 20 | 9.0 | 5.0 |
| 82-mm recoilless rifle..... | 40 | 27 | 41 | 27 | 80 | 54 | 42 | 22 | 48 | 21.0 | 12.5 |
| 90-mm recoilless rifle..... | 60 | 40 | 63 | 42 | 120 | 80 | 66 | 33 | 75 | 32.0 | 19.5 |
| 107-mm recoilless rifle..... | 72 | 48 | 70 | 48 | 144 | 96 | 84 | 42 | 88 | 40.0 | 22.5 |
| 60-mm mortar..... | 72 | 48 | 45 | 30 | 100 | 64 | 20 | 10 | 20 | 2.8 | 1.0 |
| 81-mm mortar..... | 90 | 60 | 63 | 42 | 136 | 90 | 26 | 13 | 27 | 3.7 | 1.3 |
| 120-mm mortar..... | 103 | 70 | 70 | 48 | 180 | 120 | 32 | 16 | 36 | 4.7 | 1.7 |

1/2-Inch Steel or 1/2-Inch Timber Standoff

| | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|------|------|
| .30 cal. ball (AP)..... | 18 | 12 | 18 | 12 | 22 | 15 | 9 | 6 | 30 | 1.3 | 0.6 |
| .50 cal. ball (AP)..... | 27 | 18 | 26 | 15 | 40 | 27 | 9 | 6 | 60 | 2.2 | 1.1 |
| 57-mm recoilless rifle..... | 9 | 6 | 9 | 6 | 18 | 12 | 10 | 6 | 10 | 4.5 | 2.5 |
| 82-mm recoilless rifle..... | 20 | 13 | 21 | 13 | 40 | 27 | 21 | 11 | 24 | 10.5 | 6.3 |
| 90-mm recoilless rifle..... | 30 | 20 | 30 | 21 | 59 | 40 | 33 | 17 | 38 | 16.0 | 9.8 |
| 107-mm recoilless rifle..... | 36 | 24 | 35 | 24 | 71 | 48 | 42 | 21 | 44 | 20.0 | 11.3 |
| 60-mm mortar..... | 36 | 24 | 22 | 15 | 50 | 32 | 10 | 5 | 10 | 1.4 | .5 |
| 81-mm mortar..... | 45 | 30 | 31 | 21 | 66 | 45 | 13 | 7 | 14 | 1.9 | .6 |
| 120-mm mortar..... | 52 | 35 | 35 | 24 | 90 | 60 | 16 | 8 | 18 | 2.4 | .8 |



Figure 4-11. Bunker.

o certain amount of rigidity and resiliency, and the middle layer is a cushion of porous consistency.

d. The most effective test example of the design unity for resistance to direct hits of 155-mm, delayed fuze shells is shown in figure 4-11.

e. In obtaining protection from direct hits of delayed-fuze shells, it is important that the burster course be thick and rigid enough to effect detonation before the shell has passed through it. A 1-foot (30 cm) thickness of 6-inch (15 cm)-to 8-inch (20 cm) stone seems to be optimum for ammunition up through 155 mm.

f. The camouflage layer of soil over the burster course should be no more than 2 inches (5 cm) thick.

g. In timber construction, notching or grooving should be avoided.

h. Timber field fortifications with solid walls are undoubtedly stronger than the post, cop, and stringer type but require considerably more timber.

i. It is preferable that a field fortification structure be based on the excavation floor, instead of the ground-up type. If based on the ground-up type, columns (posts) should extend down into the ground at the four corners for the purpose of anchoring and supporting the structure.

j. A bunker capable of withstanding a hit from 81-mm shells is shown in figure 4-12.

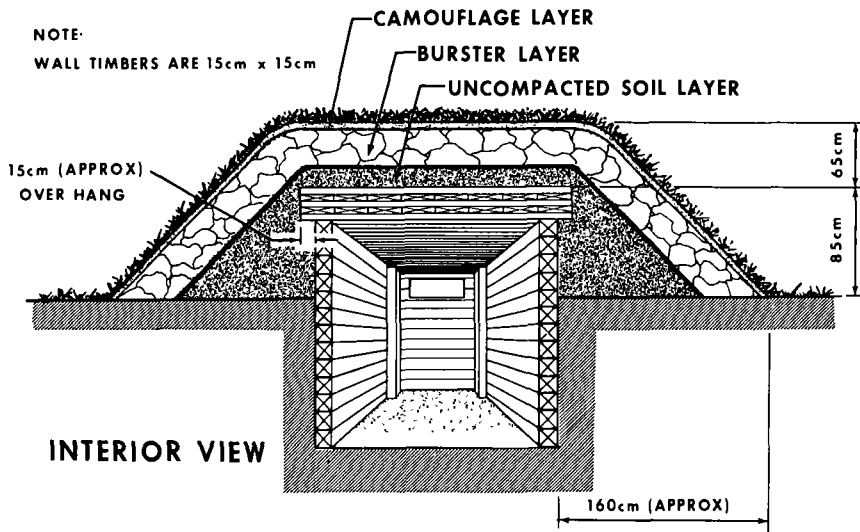
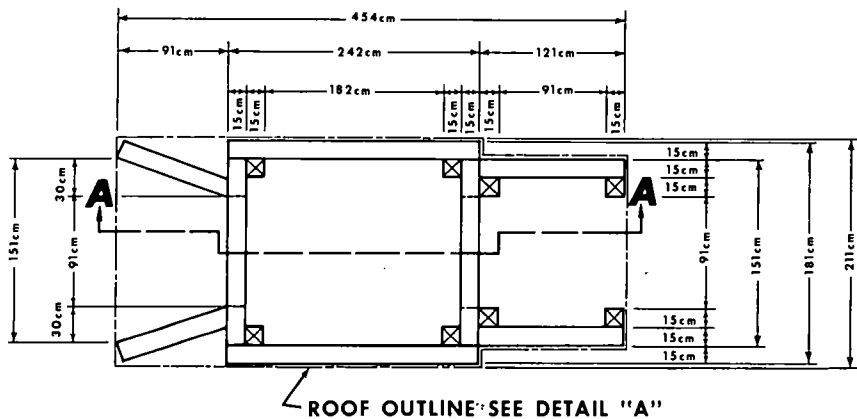


Figure 4-11—Continued.



PLAN VIEW

Figure 4-11 — Continued.

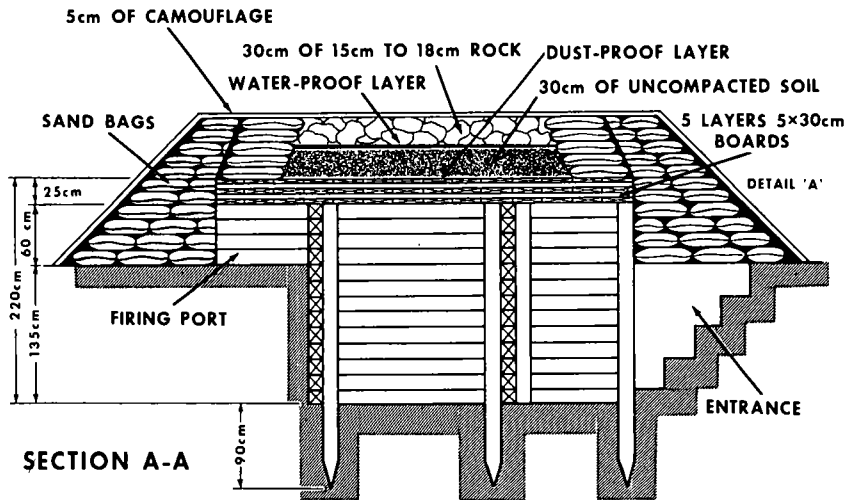


Figure 4-11 — Continued.

| ITEM | DESCRIPTION | NO. PCS |
|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------|
| ROOF | 5cm x 30cm x 2.11m Long — Wood | 48pcs |
| | 5cm x 30cm x 4.54m Long | 14pcs |
| SIDE WALLS | 15cm x 15cm x 2.42m Long — Wood | 26pcs |
| ENTRANCE WALL | 15cm x 15cm x 1.21m Long — Wood | 26pcs |
| FIRING PORT AND ENTRANCE DOOR | 15cm x 15cm x 30cm Long — Wood | 26pcs |
| FRONT AND REAR WALLS | 15cm x 15cm x 1.51m Long — Wood | 13pcs |
| FIRING PORT AND RETAINING WALL | 15cm x 15cm x 1.00m Long — Wood | 8pcs |
| SIDE POST | 15cm x 15cm x 2.85m Long — Wood | 6pcs |
| SIDE POST | 15cm x 15cm x 1.95m Long — Wood | 2pcs |

Figure 4-11 — Continued.

4-7. SHELTERS

The most effective shelters are deliberate, underground, cut and cover with as deep overhead cover as possible. They should be dispersed and have a maximum capacity of 20 to 25 men. Typical shelters, including a modular (sectional) type are illustrated in figures 4-13, 4-14, and table 4-5. Heavy overhead cover suitable for either shelters or bunkers which will provide protection against 155-mm shells is shown in figure 4-15.

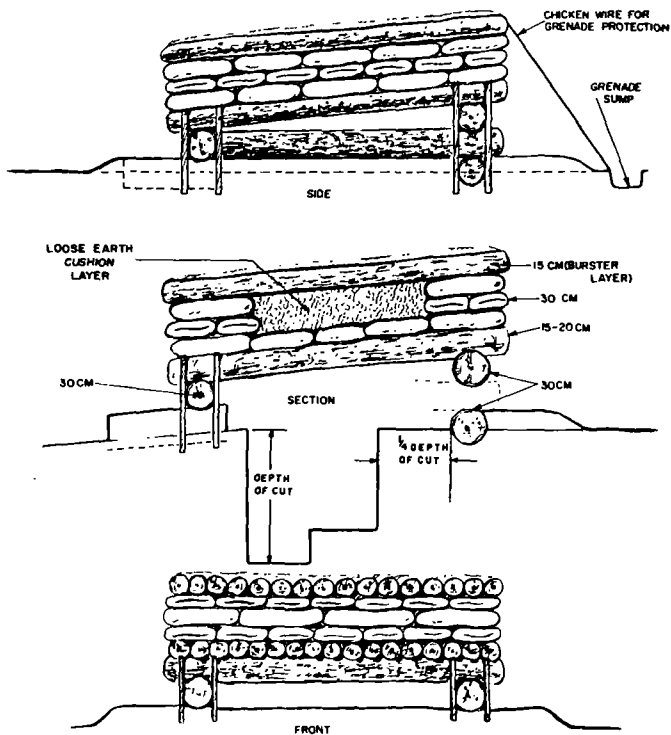
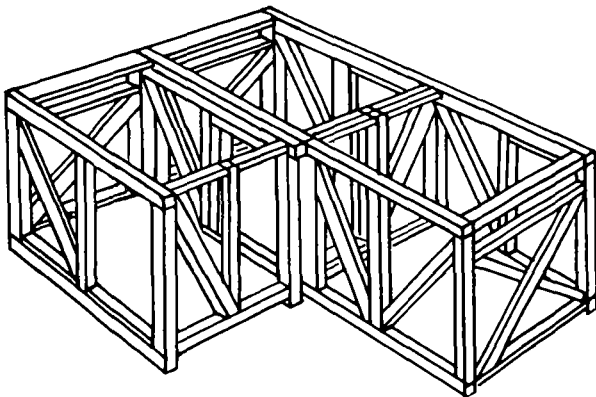
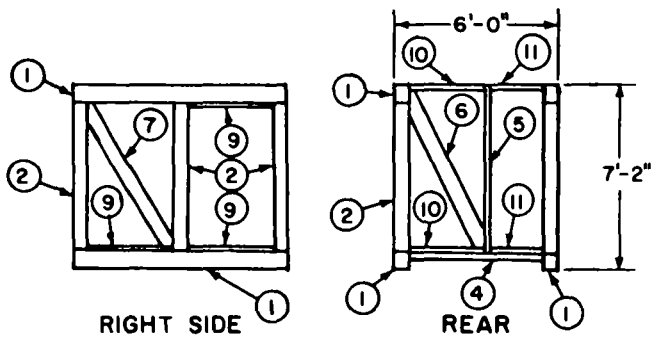


Figure 4-12. Fighting bunker with overhead cover.

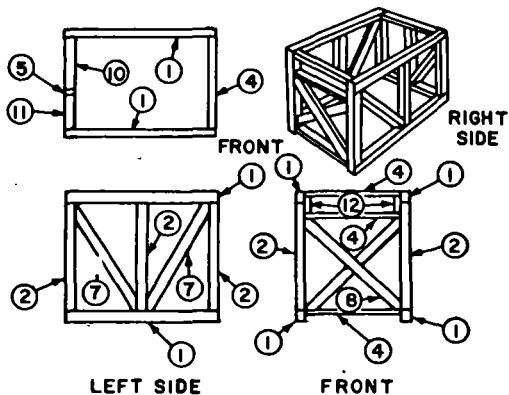


① TYPICAL CONNECTION OF THREE SECTIONS

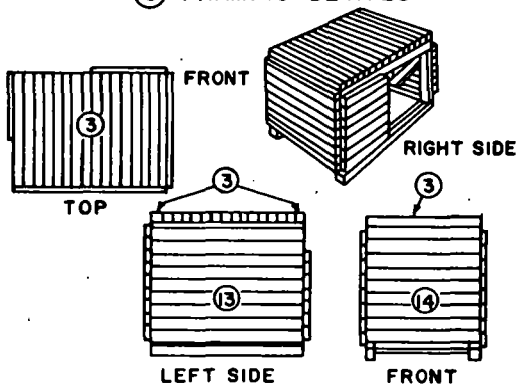


② FRAMING DETAILS

Figure 4-13. Sectional Shelter.

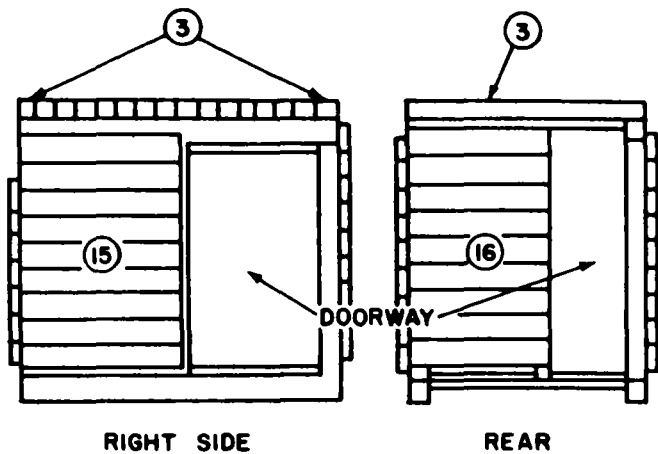


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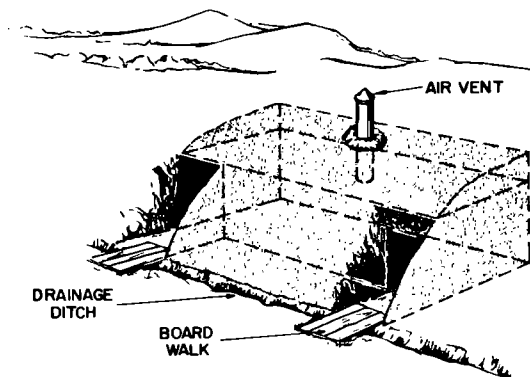
④ SHEATHING DETAILS

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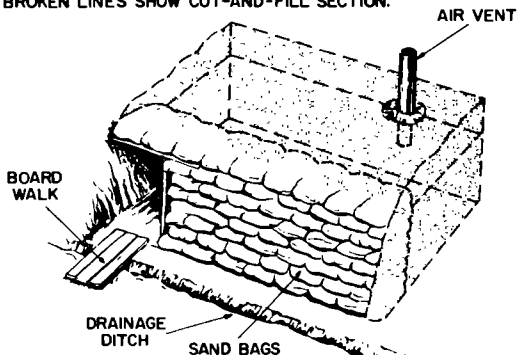


⑤ SHEATHING DETAILS

Figure 4-13—Continued.



CUT-AND-COVER SHELTER IN A HILLSIDE (BAFFLE WALL OF ENTRANCE CAMOUFLAGE OMITTED) SHADED AREA AND BROKEN LINES SHOW CUT-AND-FILL SECTION.



CUT-AND-COVER SHELTER IN A CUT BANK SHOWING SAND-BAGGED OUTER WALL. SHADED AREA AND BROKEN LINES SHOW AREA OF CUT-AND-FILL.

Figure 4-14. Cut and cover shelter.

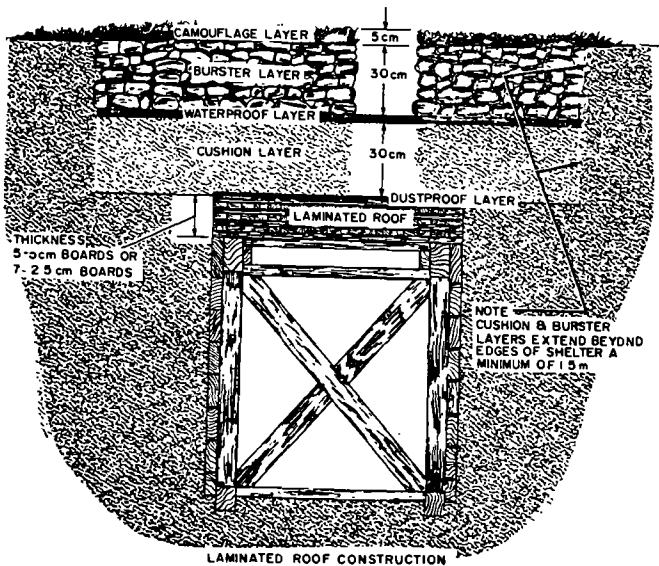


Figure 4-15. Heavy overhead cover.

Table 4-5. Bill of Materials for One 6' x 8' Sectional Shelter With Post, Cop and Stringer Construction—Dimensional Lumber

| Material List | | | |
|---------------|-------------------|------------------|------------|
| No. | Nomenclature | Rough size | Quantities |
| 1 | Cop or sill..... | 6" x 8" x 8'0" | 4 |
| 2 | Post..... | 6" x 6" x 5'10" | 6 |
| 3 | Stringer**..... | 6" x 6" x 6'0" | 16 |
| 4 | Spreoder..... | 3" x 6" x 5'0" | 3 |
| 5 | Post, door..... | 3" x 6" x 6'6" | 1 |
| 6 | Brace..... | *3" x 6" x 7'0" | 1 |
| 7 | Brace..... | *3" x 6" x 6'10" | 3 |
| 8 | Brace..... | *3" x 6" x 8'0" | 2 |
| 9 | Spreoder..... | 2" x 6" x 3'3" | 3 |
| 10 | Spreoder..... | 2" x 6" x 2'9" | 2 |
| 11 | Spreoder..... | 2" x 6" x 2'0" | 2 |
| 12 | Scab..... | 3" x 6" x 2'0" | 2 |
| 13 | Siding..... | 3" x RW x 8'0" | 41½ SF |
| 14 | Siding..... | 3" x RW x 6'0" | 36 SF |
| 15 | Siding..... | 3" x RW x 4'0" | 24 SF |
| 16 | Siding..... | 3" x RW x 3'6" | 21 SF |
| 17 | Roll roofing..... | 100 Sq ft roll | 6 |
| 18 | Driftpin..... | ½" x 14" | 44 |
| 19 | Nails..... | 60d | 32 lb |

*Allowance for double cut ends of braces is included in overall length as shown under rough size.

**Laminated wood roof (fig. 4-15) may be substituted if desired.

Section III. Obstacles

4-8. PRINCIPLES OF EMPLOYMENT

To be effective, obstacles should be sited and laid out to meet the following requirements:

- a. Under friendly observation, covered by fire, and where practicable, protected by antipersonnel mines, flame mines, trip flares and warning devices.
- b. Concealed from enemy observation as far as practicable by incorporating terrain features such as reverse slopes, hedges, woods, paths and fence lines.
- c. Erected in irregular and nongeometrical traces.
- d. Employed in depth or zones whenever practicable.
- e. Coordinated with other elements of the defense.
- f. Tie in with other obstacles.
- g. Provide lanes and gaps.
- h. Afford no advantage to the enemy.

4-9. TYPES

a. *Antipersonnel*. Obstacles in this category include:

(1) Wire obstacles constructed with barbed wire and tape as discussed and illustrated later in this section.

(2) Expedient obstacles constructed from locally available material as illustrated herein.

b. *Antivehicular*. Both deliberate and expedient types of obstacles designed to delay or stop the progress of all types of vehicles are illustrated in this section.

4-10. CLASSIFICATION OF BARBED WIRE

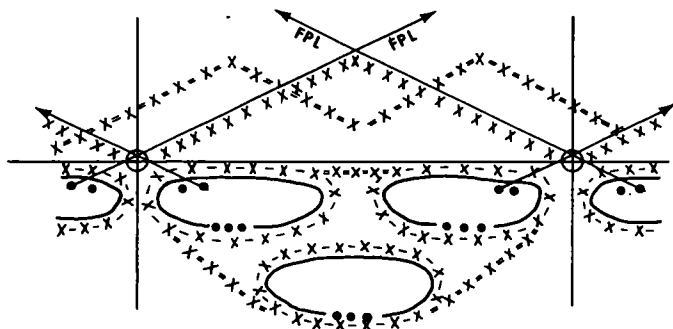
a. *Depth*.

(1) *Belt*—an entanglement and fence in depth.

(2) *Band*—two or more belts in depth, with no interval between them. The belts may be fences of the same type, or the band may be composed of two or more fences of different types, in which case it would be called a combination band.

(3) *Zone*—two or more bands or belts in depth with intervals between them.

b. *Use*. See figure 4-16.



X X X X X X X TACTICAL WIRE

X - X - X - X - X PROTECTIVE WIRE

= X = X = X = X SUPPLEMENTARY WIRE

Figure 4-16. Classification of wire by use.

4-11. ESTIMATING BARBED WIRE REQUIREMENTS

a. *Conventional Deployment.* In estimating barbed wire requirements for conventional deployment as shown in figure 4-16, use the following rules of thumb:

- (1) Tactical wire; front $\times 1.25 \times$ number of belts
- (2) Protective wire; front $\times 5 \times$ number of belts.
- (3) Supplementary wire.

(a) Forward of FEBA; front $\times 1.25 \times$ number of belts.

(b) Rear of FEBA; front $\times 2.5 \times$ unit depth \times number of belts.

b. *Base Camp Defense.* In estimating barbed wire requirements for base camp defense as shown in figure 4-17, use the following rules of thumb:

- (1) Tactical wire; sum of the mean perimeter of each tactical wire belt $\times 1.25$.
- (2) Protective wire; perimeter of the protective wire $\times 1.10$
- (3) Supplementary wire; sum of the mean perimeter of each supplementary wire belt $\times 1.25$.

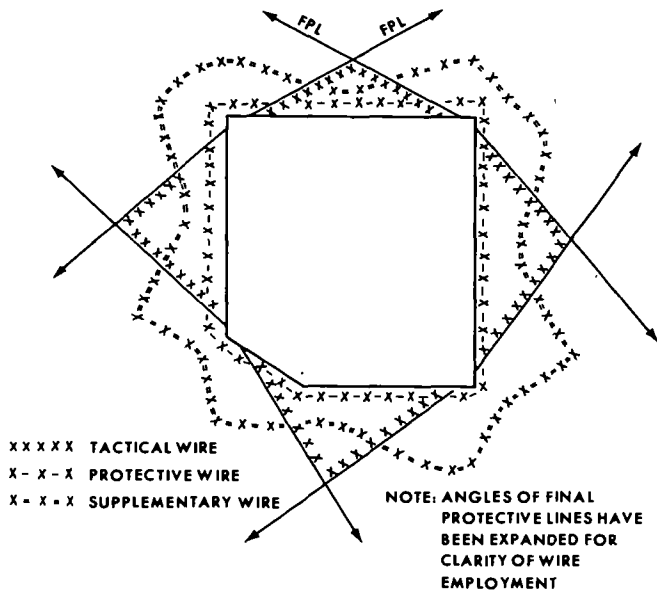


Figure 4-17. Perimeter defense wire.

c. *Supply and Labor.* For construction estimates of manhours and materials, see tables 4-6 and 4-7.

Table 4-6. Wire and Tape Entanglement Materials

| Material | Approx weight, kg | Approx length, m | No. carried by one man | Approx weight of man-load kg |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------|------------------|------------------------|------------------------------|
| Barbed wire reel..... | 41.5 | 400 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 21 |
| Bobbin..... | 3.5-4.0 | 30 | 4-6 | 14.5-24.5 |
| Barbed tape dispenser..... | 0.77 | 0.45 | 20 | 15.5 |
| Barbed tape carrying case..... | 14.5 | 300 | 1 | 14.5 |
| Standard barbed tape concertina..... | 14 | 15.2 | 1 | 14 |
| Standard barbed-wire concertina..... | 25.4 | 15.2 | 1 | 25 |
| Expedient barbed-wire concertina..... | 13.5 | 6.1 | 1 | 13.5 |
| Screw pickets: | | | | |
| Long..... | 4 | 1.6 | 4 | 16.3 |
| Medium..... | 2.7 | 0.81 | 6 | 16.3 |
| Short..... | 1.8 | 0.53 | 8 | 14.5 |
| U-shaped pickets: | | | | |
| Extra long..... | 7.25 | 2.4 | 3-4 | 21.8-29.0 |
| Long..... | 4.5 | 1.5 | 4 | 18.1 |
| Medium..... | 2.7 | 0.81 | 6 | 16.3 |
| Short..... | 1.8 | 0.61 | 8 | 14.5 |
| Wooden pickets: | | | | |
| Extra long..... | 7.7-10.5 | 2.13 | 2 | 15.4-20.8 |
| Long..... | 5.4-7.25 | 1.5 | 3 | 16.3-21.7 |
| Short..... | 1.4-2.7 | 0.75 | 8 | 11.0-21.7 |

Table 4-7. *Material and Labor Requirements for 300-Meter Sections of Various Barbed Wire Entanglements*

| Type of entanglement | Pickets | | | | Barbed wire no. of 400 m, 41.5 kg reels ¹ | No. of concertinos ⁴ | Staples | Kgs of materials per lin m of entangle- ment ² | Manhours to erect 300 m of entangle- ment ³ |
|--------------------------------------|---------------|------|-------------|-------|---|------------------------------------|---------|--|---|
| | Extra long | Long | Me- dium | Short | | | | | |
| Double-apron, 4- and 2-pice..... | | 100 | | 200 | ⁵ 14-15 [19] | | | ⁶ 4.6 [3.5] | 59 |
| Double-apron, 6- and 3-pice..... | | 66 | | 132 | ⁵ 13-15 [18] | | | ⁶ 3.6 [2.6] | 49 |
| High wire (less guy wires)..... | | 198 | | | ⁵ 17-19 [24] | | | ⁶ 5.3 [4.0] | 79 |
| Low wire, 4- and 2-pice..... | | | 100 | 200 | ⁵ 11 [15] | | | ⁶ 3.6 [2.8] | 49 |
| 4-strand fence..... | | 100 | | 2 | ⁵ 5-6 [7] | | | ⁶ 2.2 [1.8] | 20 |
| Double expedient concertino | | 101 | | 4 | 3 | 100 | 295 | 6.9 | 40 |
| Triple expedient concertino | 51 | 101 | | 7 | 3 | 148 | 295 | 10.4 | 99 |
| Triple standard concertina..... | | 160 | | 4 | ⁵ 3 [4] | 59 | 317 | ⁶ 7.9 [5.4] | 30 |

¹ Lower number of reels applies when screw pickets are used, higher number when U-shaped pickets are used. Add difference between the two to the higher number when wood pickets are used.

² Average weight when any issue metal pickets are used.

³ Manhours are based on the use of screw pickets. With the exception of the triple-standard concertinas, add 20 percent to the manhours when driven pickets are used. With experienced troops, reduce manhours by one-third. Increase manhours by 50 percent for night work.

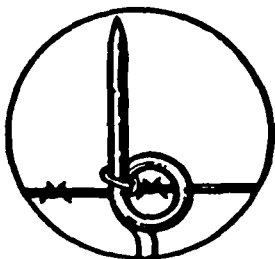
⁴ Based on concertinas being made up in rear areas and ready for issue. One expedient concertina opens to 6-meter length, as compared with 15 meters for a standard concertina, it requires 92 meters of standard barbed wire, also small quantities of No. 16 smooth wire for ties.

⁵ Number of 300 m, 14.5 kg barbed tape carrying cases required if barbed tape is used in place of barbed wire.

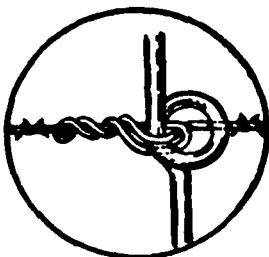
⁶ Kgs of materials required per linear meter of entanglement if barbed tape is used in place of barbed wire and barbed tape concertina is used in place of standard barbed wire concertina.

4-12. BARBED WIRE TIES

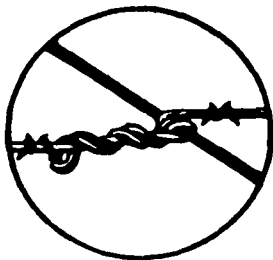
See figure 4-18.



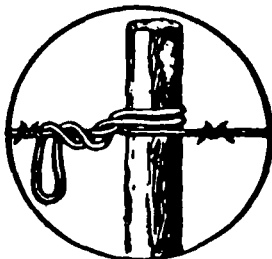
TOP-EYE TIE



INTERMEDIATE-EYE TIE



APRON TIE



POST TIE

Figure 4-18. Barbed wire ties.

4-13. BARBED STEEL TAPE

Barbed steel tape (fig. 4-19) and barbed tape concertina can be used in the same manner as standard barbed wire and concertina for the

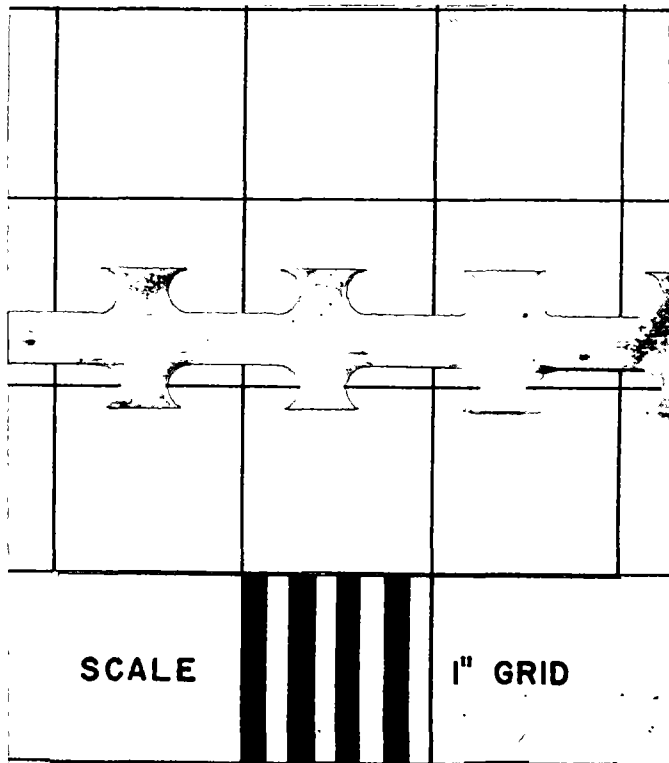
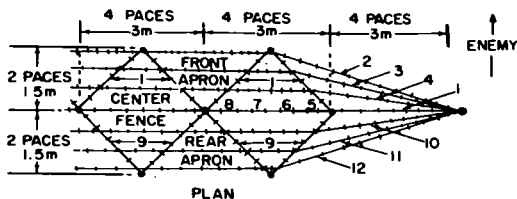
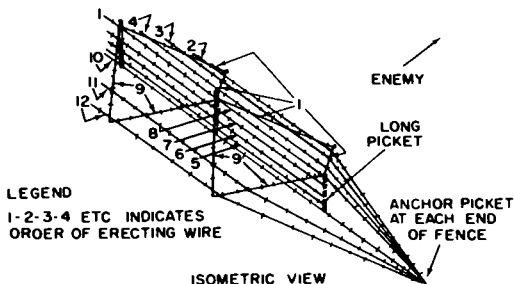
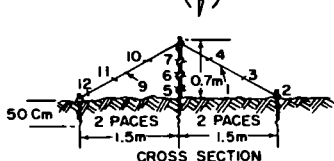


Figure 4-19 Barbed steel tape.

construction of barbed wire entanglements. Standard ties are used with barbed steel tape. A special dispenser is used to impart a twist to the tape when constructing fences. Recovery of the barbed steel tape usually is not practical.



NOTE:
AS YOU FACE ENEMY,
EYES OF PICKETS
FACE TO RIGHT.



LEGEND

1-2-3-4 ETC INDICATES
ORDER OF ERECTING WIRE

Figure 4-20. Double apron fence.

4-14. FOUR AND TWO PACE DOUBLE APRON FENCE

- a. Erect from right to left (as you face the enemy).
- b. Spacing of pickets.
 - (1) Long pickets are four paces apart.
 - (2) Anchor pickets are placed two paces from the line of center pickets and opposite the midpoint of the space between the center pickets.
 - (3) Anchor pickets are also placed on ends of fence, four paces from the first and last long pickets.
- c. See figure 4-20.

4-15. SIX AND THREE PACE DOUBLE APRON FENCE

- a. Erect from right to left (as you face the enemy).
- b. Spacing of pickets.
 - (1) Long pickets are six paces apart.
 - (2) Anchor pickets are placed three paces from the line of center pickets and opposite the midpoint of the space between the center pickets.
 - (3) Anchor pickets are also placed on ends of fence, six paces from the first and last long pickets.

4-16. CONSTRUCTION PROCEDURE FOR DOUBLE APRON FENCES

- a. *First Operation—Layout and Installation of Pickets (3 Crews).*
 - (1) First crew lays out long pickets.
 - (2) Second crew lays out short pickets.
 - (3) Third crew installs all pickets.
- b. *Second Operation—Layout and Installation of Wire. Men are divided into 2-4 man crews to install wire.*
 - (1) First wire, enemy diagonal.
 - (2) Second wire, enemy trip wire (5-10 cm off ground).
 - (3) Third and fourth wire, enemy apron.
 - (4) Fifth, sixth, seventh, eighth, center fence (install from bottom up).
 - (5) Ninth wire, friendly diagonal.
 - (6) Tenth and eleventh wire, friendly apron.
 - (7) Twelfth wire, friendly trip wire.

4-17. TRIPLE STANDARD CONCERTINA

- a. Erect from right to left (as you face the enemy).
- b. Space pickets as follows:
 - (1) Long pickets are five paces apart.
 - (2) Anchor pickets are placed two paces from end of long pickets.
 - (3) Enemy and friendly rows of pickets are 3 feet (0.9 m) apart.
 - (4) Friendly picket row is offset from enemy row.
- c. See figure 4-21.
- d. Concertino fences are constructed of either barbed wire concertino or barbed tape concertino. There is no difference in construction methods.



Figure 4-21. Installing concertinas.

4-18. CONSTRUCTION PROCEDURE—TRIPLE STANDARD CONCERTINA

- a. First Operation (3 Crews).
 - (1) First crew lays out all pickets.
 - (2) Second crew installs all pickets.
 - (3) Third crew lays out concertinas.
 - (a) One concertino in front of third picket on enemy side.
 - (b) Two concertinos to rear of third picket on friendly side.
 - (c) Remove binding wire and place on handles.
 - (d) Repeat same performance every fourth picket thereafter.
- b. Second Operation (All Personnel).
 - (1) Install front row concertino and horizontal wire.
 - (a) Drop concertinos over pickets.
 - (b) Method of joining (fig. 4-22).

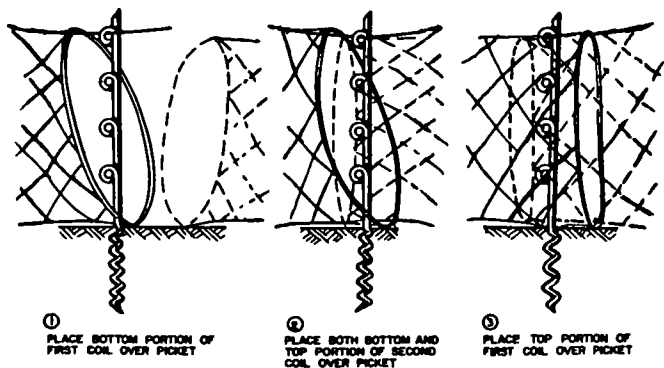


Figure 4-22. Joining concertinas.

1. Bottom of old concertina on joining picket.
2. Bottom and top of new concertina on joining picket.
3. Top of old concertina on joining picket.
- (2) Install rear row concertina and horizontal wire.
- (3) Install top row concertina and rack to the rear horizontal wire.

4-19. LOW WIRE FENCE

This is like a 4- and 2-pace double apron fence, except that medium pickets instead of long pickets are used in the centerline. The No. 5, 6, and 7 wires are not used, which results in all apron and diagonal wires being much closer to the ground. Being low to the ground, this obstacle is easily hidden in tall grass or shallow water. For best results, it should be used in depth.

4-20. FOUR-STRAND CATTLE FENCE

This is the four-strand center section of a double-apron fence. In farm country, such an obstacle blends in with the landscape. Wooden pickets at 2- to 4-pace intervals are set up. If guy wires are used, they should be added separately when estimating because this material is not included in the amounts listed in table 4-7.

a. Use eight men on short sections of this fence. On 300-meter sections, use up to 17 men.

b. In the first operation the working party is divided into two approximately equal groups. The first group lays out long pickets at 3-meter intervals. It begins and ends the section with an anchor picket, including anchor pickets for guys, if needed. The second group installs the pickets.

c. As each man completes the first operation, he moves to the fence. These teams of two or four men are organized to install wires. In four-man teams, two men carry the reel, and two make ties and tighten the wire. In two-man teams, the wire is unrolled for 50 to 100 meters, then the men make the ties. The first team installs the bottom wire, and succeeding teams install the next wires in order.

4-21. COMBINATION BANDS

Many types of fence may be combined in bands to form obstacles more difficult to breach than single belts. Other variations may be readily developed.

4-22. PORTABLE BARBED-WIRE OBSTACLES

Standard concertinas are in this category because they are readily moved. Other portable barbed-wire obstacles are listed below.

a. Spirals of loose wire are used to fill open spaces in and between wire entanglements. Prepare them by driving four 1-meter posts into the ground to form a diamond 1 meter by 0.5 meters. Wind 75 meters of wire around them from bottom to top. Remove wire from the frame, tie it at the quarter points, then carry the spirals to site where they are opened and used.

b. The knife rest (fig. 4-23) is a portable wooden or metal frame strung with barbed wire. It is about 4.5 meters long and 1.2 meters high. It must be securely fixed in position.

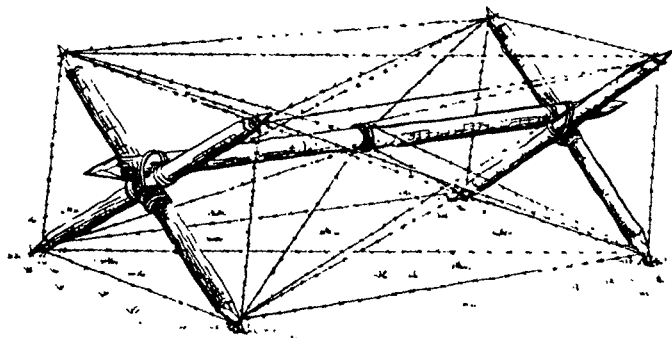


Figure 4-23. Knife rest.

c. Right after a defensive position is occupied and before protective wire is erected, trip wires should be placed just outside of grenade range (about 40 meters). Stretch the wires about 25 centimeters above the ground and stretch on pickets at 1.5-meter intervals. Conceal them in long grass, on the side of a path or at the edge of a field. Place them in depth in an irregular pattern.

d. Tanglefaat is used where concealment is needed (fig. 4-24). Use it in a minimum depth of 9 meters. Place pickets at irregular intervals of from 0.75 to 3 meters. Height of the barbed wire varies from 0.25 to 0.75 meters. Site this wire in scrub if possible. Use bushes as supports far part of the wire and short pickets in open ground.

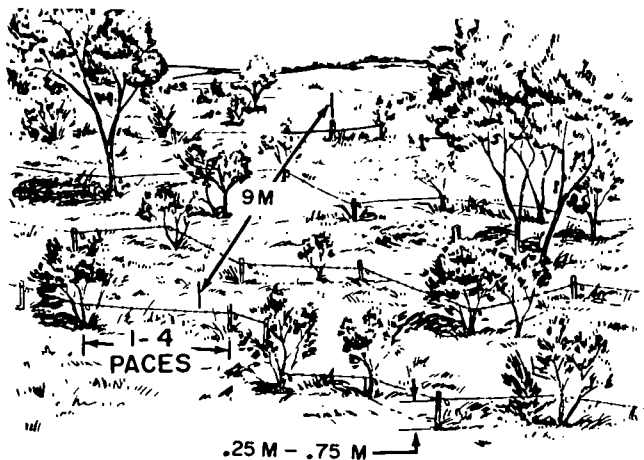


Figure 4-24. Tanglefoot.

e. The trestle apron fence (fig. 4-25) has inclined cross-pieces spaced at 5- to 6-meter intervals to carry wires on the enemy side.

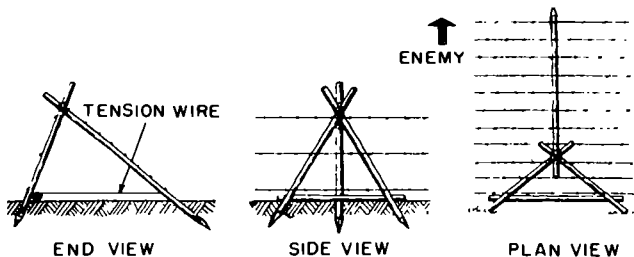


Figure 4-25. Trestle apron fence.

4-23. EXPEDIENT OBSTACLES

See figures 4-26 through 4-33

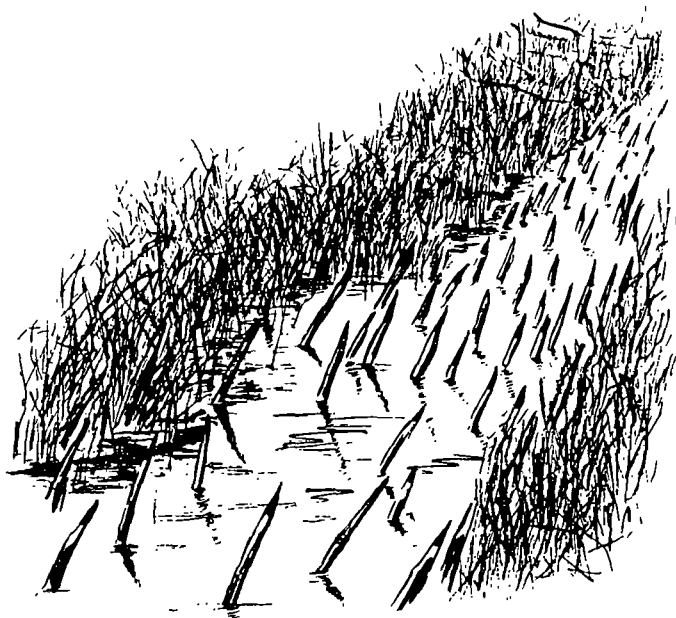
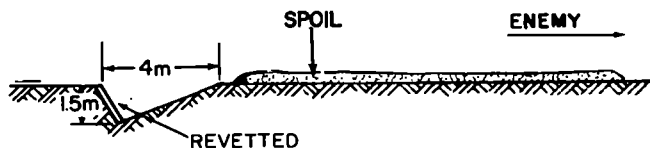


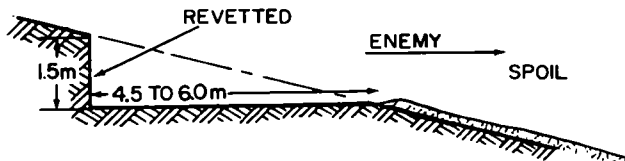
Figure 4-26. Belt of imbedded sharpened stakes.



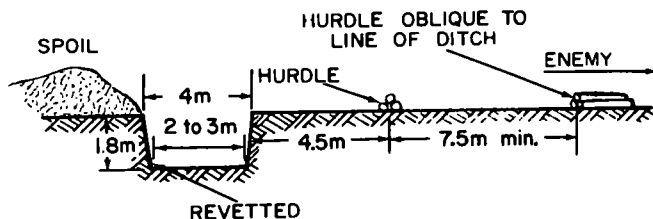
Figure 4-27. Punji jungle trap.



① TRIANGULAR DITCH

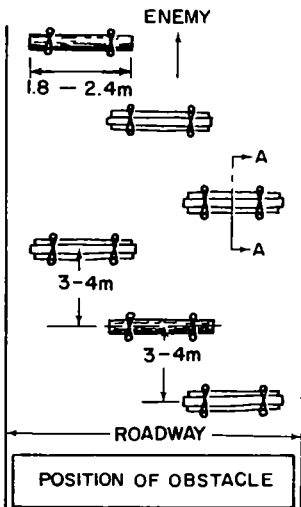


② SIDEHILL CUT

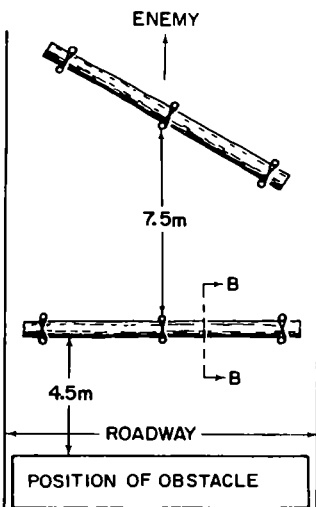


③ TRAPEZOIDAL DITCH

Figure 4-28. Trapezoidal ditch.



EMPLOYMENT OF STAGGERED
1.8 - 2.4m HURDLES
(3 25cm LOGS OR 1 45cm LOG)



EMPLOYMENT OF 45cm
LOGS AS HURDLES

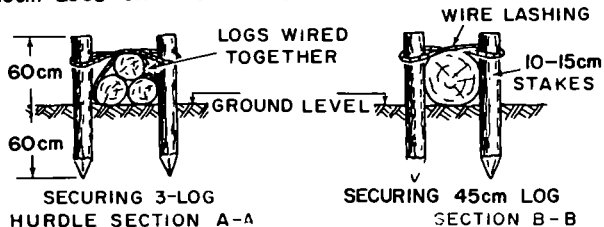
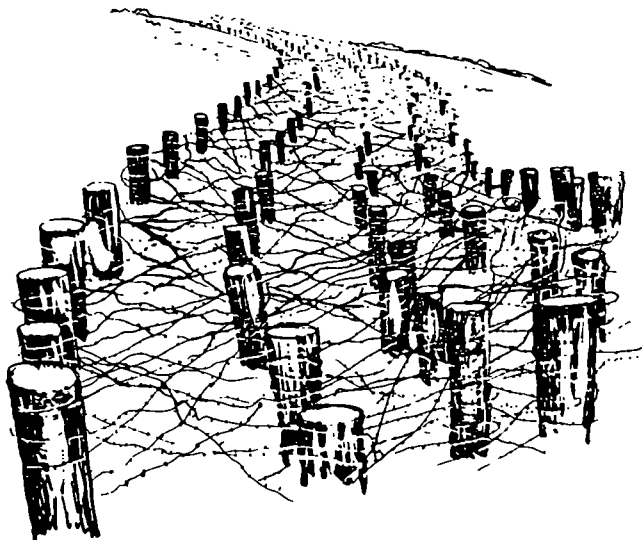


Figure 4-29. Log hurdles.



DIMENSIONS

SPACING: IRREGULAR WIDTH: 3.5 TO 6.5 FEET BETWEEN POSTS
HEIGHT: 2.5 TO 4.0 FEET ABOVE GROUND AND APPROXIMATELY
5 FEET BELOW GROUND.

MINIMUM DENSITY 200 POSTS PER 100 METERS OF FRONT.

DIAMETER OF LOGS 16 INCHES

Figure 4-30. Post obstacles.

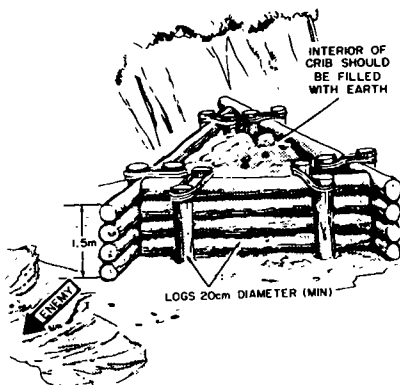
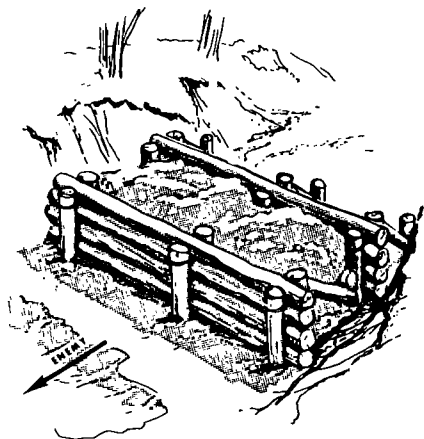


Figure 4-31. Log cribs.



Figure 4-32. Abatis used as roadblock.

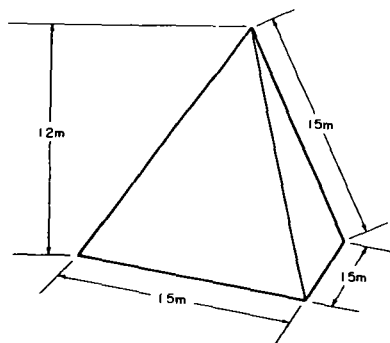
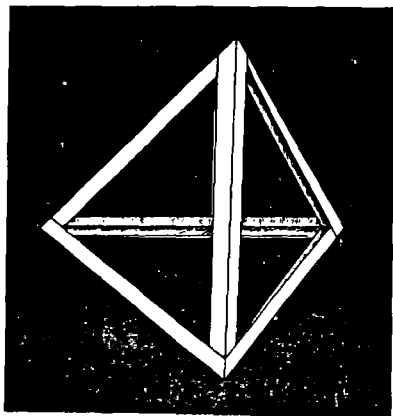


Figure 4-33. Tetrahedrons.

CHAPTER 5

MARKING OF BRIDGES AND VEHICLES

Section I. Bridge and Vehicle Classification System

5-1. PURPOSE OF THE SYSTEM

The standard system of bridge and vehicle classification permits the utilization of bridges at their maximum safe military capacities. It provides a practical means of relating bridge capacity to the overall loading effect of a vehicle on the bridge. The bridge and vehicle classification system will—

- a. Assist the commander in route selection for both tactical and logistical movements.
- b. Assist the commander in planning bridge reinforcement and new bridge construction.
- c. Protect the existing bridge from overload and subsequent damage or failure.
- d. Protect the vehicle, payload and driver from bridge failure.
- e. Prevent costly and time-consuming delays due to bridge failure.

5-2. APPLICATION OF THE SYSTEM

a. The bridge and vehicle classification system has been established through a series of standardization agreements approved for use by member nations of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO), the Southeast Asia Treaty Organization (SEATO), and the United States, United Kingdom, Canadian, and Australian Armies Nonmaterial Standardization Program. The applicable agreements are: Standard NATO Agreement (STANAG), SEATO Standardization Agreement (SEASTAG), and Standardization of Operations and Logistics (SOLOG).

b. The classification system, as it pertains to traffic controls and the bridge and vehicle marking systems is applicable to all echelons, to include vehicle and equipment operators.

c. The classification system as it pertains to expedient bridge classification and expedient vehicle classification, is applicable to all organizations of the Army that rely on the movement of vehicles and equipment.

d. The classification system, to include complete analytical bridge and vehicle classification, is applicable to all engineer organizations down to battalion level.

5-3. VEHICLE CLASSIFICATION MARKINGS

Vehicles are divided into two categories for classification and marking purposes: single and combination vehicles.

o. *Single Vehicles.* A single vehicle has only one frame or chassis, such as a tank or a 2½-ton truck. Single vehicles are assigned a class number rounded up to the closest integer. The classification number for single vehicles is marked on a circular sign with black numerals on a yellow background. This sign is installed or painted on the front of the vehicle and below the driver's line of vision (fig. 5-1). Signs in front are 9 inches in diameter and signs on the side are 6 inches in diameter.

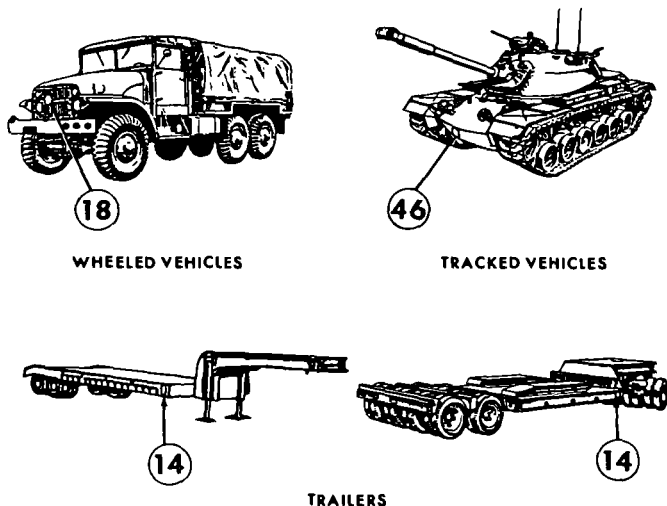


Figure 5-1. Classification markings of single vehicles.

b. **Combination Vehicles.** A combination vehicle is a vehicle consisting of two or more single vehicles which operate as one unit, such as prime movers pulling semitrailers. If one vehicle is towing another and the distance between them is less than 30 yards, they must be considered a combination vehicle. The sign on the front of the towing vehicle has the letter "C" in red above the classification number of the combination. In addition, each component vehicle of the combination carries a sign on the right side which gives the classification number of the component (fig. 5-2).

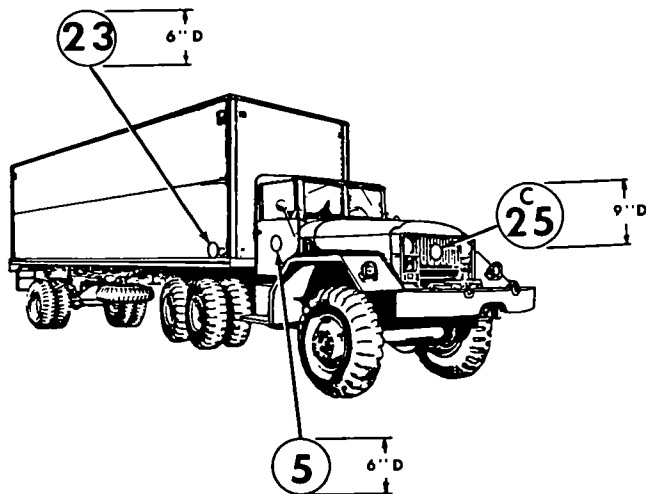


Figure 5-2. Classification marking of typical combination vehicles.

Section II. Vehicle Classification

5-4. PRINCIPLES

a. *Classification Numbers.* Classification numbers represent the loading effect of the vehicle on a bridge. This effect depends on the gross weight of the vehicle, the spacing of axles, the weight distribution to the axles, and the speed at which the vehicle crosses the bridge. The classification number does not represent the actual weight of the vehicle. All standard army vehicles and special equipment that are active in the theater of operations and utilize bridges of military importance are normally given a vehicle class number. Exceptions are trailers with a rated payload of $1\frac{1}{2}$ tons or less, and other types of vehicles with a gross weight of less than 3 tons.

b. *Classification of Standard Vehicles.* Standard U.S. Military vehicles are classified by the Commanding General, U.S. Army Materiel Command (Mobility Equipment Research and Development Center). FM 5-36 lists classification numbers for most standard U.S. military vehicles. The vehicle classification list is not complete, but future changes to FM 5-36 will include data on new items of equipment as this information becomes available. For any vehicle not listed or for any nonstandard vehicle, a classification number can be obtained by submitting load and dimensional information to U.S. Army Combat Developments Command in accordance with instructions contained in FM 5-36.

c. *Vehicle Data.* The analytical method of vehicle classification is beyond the scope of this manual. It is discussed in TM 5-312. To accurately classify a vehicle by this method, the dimensions of the vehicle and weight distribution data must be obtained. FM 5-36 furnishes a guide to the specific information required. It is important that the weight data be obtained when the vehicle is empty and again when it is loaded with its full rated payload. Weight distribution to each axle should be obtained with scales, unless such information is available in technical publications or from vehicle data plates.

5-5. EXPEDIENT VEHICLE CLASSIFICATION

In an emergency, temporary vehicle classification can be accomplished by using expedient classification methods. The vehicle should be re-

classified by the analytical method (para 5-4c) as soon as practicable to obtain a permanent classification number.

a. *Wheeled Vehicles.* Expedient classification for wheeled vehicles may be accomplished as follows:

(1) Compare the wheel and axle loadings and spacings of the unclassified vehicle with those of a classified vehicle of similar design shown in FM 5-36, and assign a temporary class number.

(2) Assign a temporary class number equal to 85 percent of the gross weight of the vehicle in tons as follows:

TEMPORARY CLASS (wheeled vehicles) = $0.85 W_T$

where W_T = Gross weight of vehicle in tons.

The gross weight of the vehicle may be estimated from the tire pressure and tire contact area, if no other means are available:

$$W_T = \frac{A_T P_T N_T}{2000}$$

where, W_T = Gross weight of vehicle in tons

A_T = Average tire contact area in square inches (tire in contact with hard surface)

P_T = Tire pressure in psi

N_T = Number of tires

Note. The tire pressure may be assumed to be 75 psi for 2½-ton vehicles or larger if no tire gage is available. For vehicles having unusual load characteristics or odd axle spacings, a more deliberate vehicle classification procedure, as outlined in STANAG 2021 is required.

b. *Tracked Vehicles.* Expedient classification for tracked vehicles may be accomplished as follows:

(1) Compare the ground contact area of the unclassified tracked vehicle with that of a previously classified vehicle to obtain a temporary class number.

(2) Assign a temporary class number equal to the gross weight of the tracked vehicle in tons.

TEMPORARY CLASS (Tracked vehicles) = W_T

where, W_T = Gross weight in tons

Tracked vehicles can be assumed to be designed for approximately 2,000 pounds (one ton) per square foot of their bearing area (most heavy vehicles are slightly less than this). Thus, the gross weight of the tracked vehicle (W_T) can be estimated

by measuring the total ground contact area of the tracks (square feet) and equating this to the gross weight in tons.

Example: An unclassified tracked vehicle has a ground contact area of 5,500 square inches. Therefore, the area is about 38.2 square feet, and the class of the vehicle is 38.2 or 39, since ground contact area in square feet equals approximate weight of a tracked vehicle in tons, which in turn is approximately equal to class number.

c. *Nonstandard Combinations.* The class number (fig. 5-3) of nonstandard combinations of vehicles may be obtained expeditiously as follows:

Combination class = $0.9 (A + B)$ if $A + B \leq 60$

Combination class = $A + B$ if $A + B > 60$

A = Class of first vehicle

B = Class of second vehicle

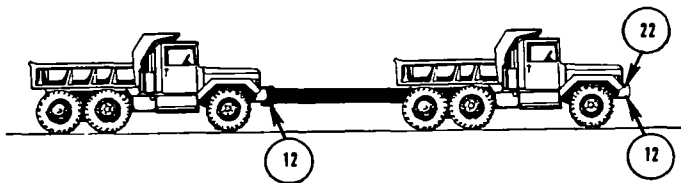
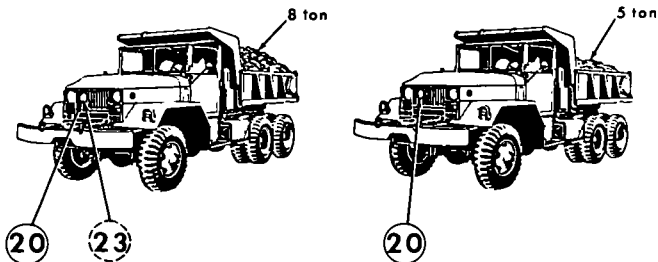


Figure 5-3. Classification marking of nonstandard combination vehicle.

d. *Adjustment for Other Than Rated Load.* An expedient class may be given to overloaded or unloaded vehicles by adding to or subtracting the difference in loading in tons, from the normally assigned vehicle class. The expedient classification number is marked with a standard vehicle class sign to indicate temporary classification as shown in figure 5-4.

SINGLE VEHICLE

Expedient class overload.



Normal class + overload = temporary class

$$20 + 3 = 23$$

Figure 5-4. Example classification of an overloaded vehicle.

Section III. Bridge Classification and Marking

5-6. CLASSIFICATION NUMBER

The result of bridge classification is the determination of the bridge class number. The bridge class number is the number which represents the safe military load-carrying capacity of the bridge, considering width restrictions and overhead clearance. Bridges may be given a dual classification when the capacity is greater than class 30. This classification consists of both a wheeled vehicle class number and a tracked vehicle class number. General methods for calculating the actual safe military load-carrying capacity of different types of bridges are discussed in TM 5-312. Width restrictions and overhead clearances as they apply to bridge classification are discussed in paragraph 5-7 and TM 5-312.

5-7. WIDTH AND HEIGHT RESTRICTIONS

a. *Minimum Roadway Width.* Roadway widths as indicated in table 5-1 have been prescribed as minimum. If a bridge of a specific classification meets these width requirements, then it can be assumed that all standard military vehicles bearing the same classification number or lower can cross the bridge without width limitations. No posting is required. If a one-lane bridge meets all the requirements except minimum width for a certain classification, the classification is not downgraded, but the width is posted as outlined in paragraph 5-8, and appropriate travel restrictions are imposed. A two-lane bridge must meet the minimum lane widths prescribed in table 5-1. If it does not, it must be downgraded to a class within the limits of its actual width. Usually only the two-way class will have to be lowered until the width requirement is met.

b. *Overhead Clearance.* Overhead clearances, as indicated in table 5-2, have been prescribed as minimum. When the overhead clearance is less than the minimum prescribed, the clearance should be indicated by the use of a telltale (fig. 5-5).

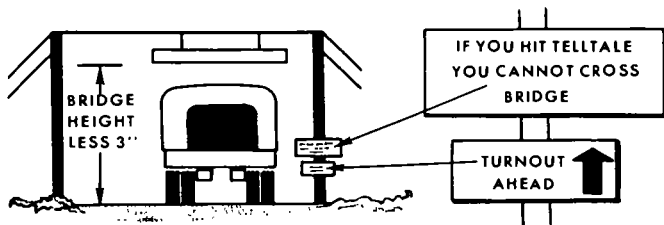


Figure 5-5. Typical telltale indicating overhead clearance of a bridge.

c. *Special Handling.* Turnouts for parking and unloading vehicles are provided near the bridge. Vehicles requiring special handling, such as those making a one-way crossing of a two-lane bridge, will be directed to the turnout. The marking arrangement is shown in figure 5-11.

Table 5-1. Minimum Lane Widths for Bridges

| Bridge class | Minimum width between curbs | |
|--------------|-----------------------------|------------|
| | One lane | Two lane , |
| 4-12 | 9'-0" | 18'-0" |
| 13-30 | 11'-0" | 18'-0" |
| 31-60 | 13'-2" | 24'-0" |
| 61-100 | 14'-9" | 27'-0" |

Table 5-2. Minimum Overhead Clearances for Bridges

| Bridge class | Minimum overhead clearance |
|--------------|----------------------------|
| 4-70 | 14'-0" |
| 71-over | 15'-6" |

5-8. BRIDGE CLASSIFICATION SIGNS

Standardization agreements establish the following system of pasting bridge classifications. In addition, special arrangements may be made by theater commanders to indicate vehicles of exceptional width or to indicate low overhead obstructions. There are two general types of standard military bridge signs. These are *circular* and *rectangular* in shape.

a. *Circular Signs.* Both military and civil bridges in the theater of operations which have been classified are marked with circular signs indicating the military load classification. These signs have a yellow background with black inscriptions. The inscription is as large as the diameter of the sign allows. Circular signs are of two types: *normal* circular signs and *special* circular signs.

(1) *Normal circular signs.*

(a) Signs for one-lane bridges are a minimum of 16 inches in diameter (fig. 5-6).

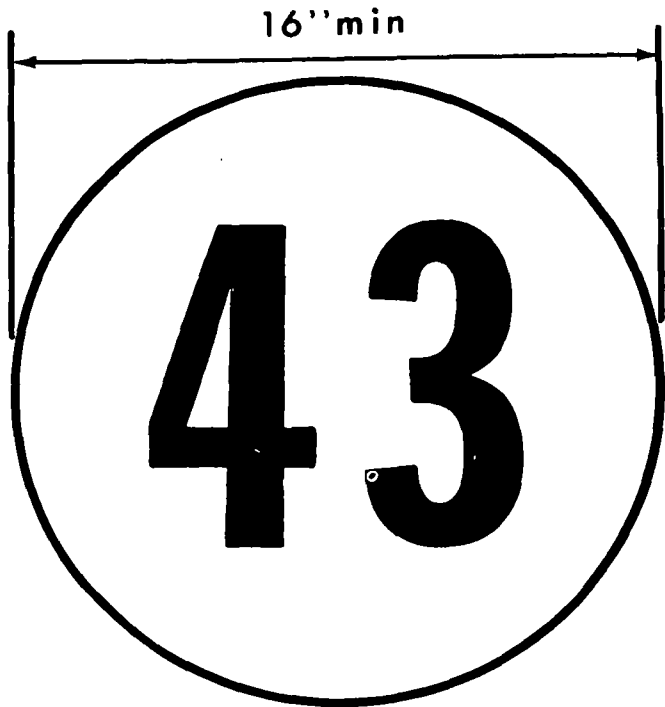


Figure 5-6. Typical single-lane bridge classification sign.

(b) Signs for two-lane bridges are a minimum of 20 inches in diameter and are divided into right and left sections by a vertical line. The classification for two-way traffic is shown in the left half with two parallel vertical arrows beneath the number, and the classification for single flow traffic is shown in the right half of the signs with one vertical arrow beneath the number (fig. 5-7).

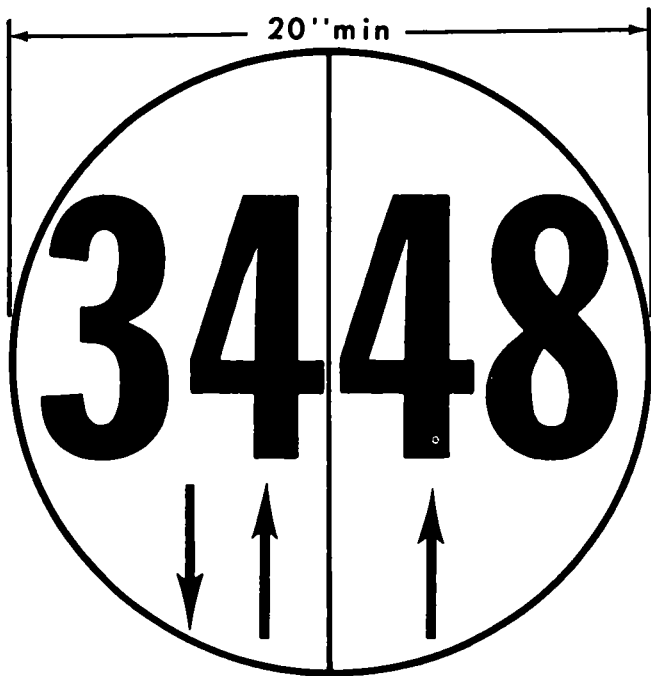


Figure 5-7. Typical two-lane bridge classification sign.

(2) *Special circular signs.*

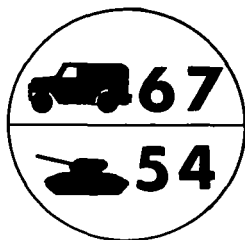
(a) If a bridge has separate classifications for wheeled and tracked vehicles, as a result of dual classification, a special circular sign which indicates both classifications is used (fig. 5-8). The sign is a minimum of 20 inches in diameter and is divided into two sections by a horizontal line. On the top half, the wheeled classification is shown along with a symbol representing a wheeled vehicle. On the bottom half, the tracked classification is shown along with a symbol representing a tracked vehicle.

(b) Where similar conditions pertain to a two-lane bridge, the normal and the special signs for wheeled and tracked traffic may be combined (fig. 5-8).

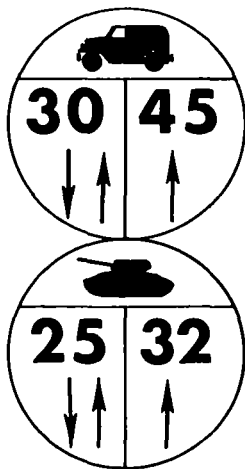
(c) Bridges which have been classified by the expedient methods discussed in chapter 5 are marked with standard circular signs.

b. *Rectangular Signs.* Additional instructions and technical information are inscribed on rectangular signs. Rectangular signs are a minimum of 16 inches in height or width and have a yellow background upon which the appropriate letters, figures, or symbols are inscribed in black. The inscription is as large as the sign permits. Separate rectangular signs are used if necessary to show width limitations, height limitations (fig. 5-9, or technical information. Width and height signs are not required on bridges where existing civilian signs are already in place and are sufficiently clear. In those countries which conform to the Geneva Convention of 1949, international height and width signs may be used in lieu of rectangular military signs.

c. *Multilane Bridges.* Bridges of three or more lanes are special cases which require individual consideration in posting. To determine the number of lanes, minimum widths for the respective load classification (table 5-1) are used. Often, heavier loads can be carried on a restricted lane(s) than on other lanes. For example: a bridge lane may be damaged, thereby reducing capacity; or, conversely, lanes may be structurally designed to accommodate significantly heavier loads (fig. 5-10). Under such circumstances, standard bridge classification signs are posted for each lane, and the restricted lanes are marked by barricades, painted lines, or studs.

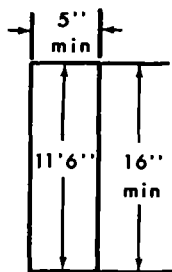


SINGLE LANE



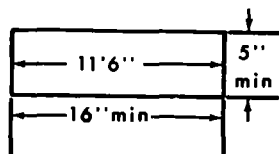
DUAL LANE

Figure 5-8. Typical dual classification bridge signs.

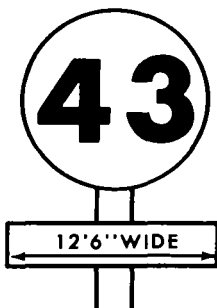


HEIGHT SIGN

**YELLOW BACKGROUND
LETTERS, FIGURES AND
SYMBOLS IN BLACK**



WIDTH SIGN



WIDTH LIMITATION POSTED ON A SINGLE LANE BRIDGE

Figure 5-9. Width and height signs.

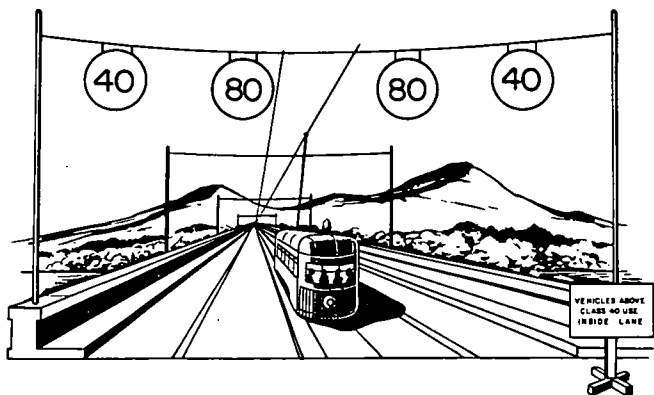


Figure 5-10. Typical multilane bridge applications of bridge classification signs and regulatory signs.

d. *Positioning of Bridge Signs.* Bridge signs are positioned so as to help maintain an uninterrupted flow of traffic across the bridge (fig. 5-11). The locations of circular and rectangular signs, special military load classification numbers, and appropriate warning signs are as follows:

- (1) Circular bridge classification signs are placed at both ends of the bridge in such a position as to be clearly visible to all oncoming traffic.

- (2) Rectangular signs other than those indicating height restrictions are placed immediately below the bridge classification (circular) signs.

- (3) Signs which indicate height restrictions are placed centrally on the overhead obstruction.

- (4) Special classification numbers are never posted on standard bridge marking signs.

- (5) Appropriate advance warning signs are placed on the approaches to bridges as required.

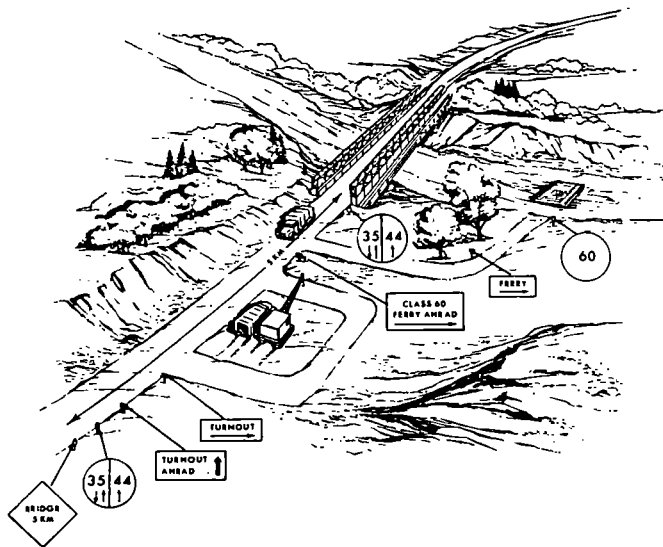


Figure 5-11. Standard bridge signs and typical supplementary signs.

Section IV. Traffic Controls

5-9. NORMAL CROSSINGS

Normal crossings may be made whenever the vehicle class number is equal to or less than the bridge class number. Normal convoy discipline must be imposed on the vehicles making a normal crossing, that is, a minimum spacing of 100 feet and a maximum speed of 25 miles per hour. There are two types of normal crossings, normal one-way and normal two-way.

- o. *Normal One-Way.* This type of crossing is possible when the vehicle class number is less than the number posted on a single-lane bridge. If

a one-way crossing is made on a two-lane bridge, the vehicle should be driven down the middle of the roadway.

b. *Normal Two-Way.* This type of crossing is possible when the vehicle class number is less than the two-way class number of a multilane bridge. Two-way traffic may be maintained with this type of crossing.

5-10. SPECIAL CROSSINGS

Under exceptional operating conditions in the field, the theater commander may authorize vehicles to cross bridges when the bridge class number is less than the vehicle class number. These crossings are known as special crossings, and a special class number may be obtained which represents the load-carrying capacity of a bridge under prescribed crossing conditions (table 5-3). Special class numbers are never posted on standard bridge signs. Special crossings, when authorized, are limited to two types: caution and risk.

a. *Caution Crossings.* On nonstandard fixed bridges, a caution class number may be obtained by multiplying the normal one-way class number by 1.25. For standard prefabricated fixed and floating bridges, the caution class number is obtained from published data. Caution crossings require that vehicles remain on the bridge centerline, maintain a 50-yard clear spacing, do not exceed a speed of 8 mph, and do not stop, accelerate, apply brakes, or shift gears on the bridge.

b. *Risk Crossings.* Risk crossings may be made only on standard prefabricated fixed or floating bridges. The risk class number is obtained from published data pertaining to the bridge. Risk crossings may be made only in emergencies when excessive losses would otherwise result. Risk crossings require that vehicles remain on the bridge centerline, do not exceed speed of 3 mph, maintain a spacing such that only one vehicle is on the bridge at a time, and do not stop, accelerate, apply brakes, or shift gears on the bridge. Tanks must steer using clutches only. An engineer officer must inspect the bridge for signs of failure after each risk crossing, and damaged parts must be replaced or repaired before traffic can be resumed.

Table 5-3. Types of Crossings

| Crossing | Class | Spacing | Speed | Location | Other restrictions |
|----------|---|-------------------------------|--------|-------------------|---|
| Normal | As posted | 100 feet | 25 mph | In lane | None |
| Caution | Standard Bridges: As published Nonstandard Bridges: 1.25 X normal 1-way class | 150 feet | 8 mph | Bridge centerline | No stopping, acceleration, braking. |
| Risk | Standard Bridges: As published Nonstandard Bridges: No crossing | 1 vehicle on bridge at a time | 3 mph | Bridge centerline | No stopping, acceleration, braking. Inspection by Engineer Off. after each vehicle. |

CHAPTER 6

FLOATING EQUIPAGE

Section I. Anchorage Systems

6-1. TYPES

a. *Basic Considerations.* Anchorage must be provided on float bridges to secure the bridge and keep it aligned. The selection of an anchorage system is influenced by the width of the river, its current, stage variation, debris flow, the river bed, embankments and resources available. The anchorage system is designed to withstand the worst conditions anticipated. The basic anchorage systems used are: shore guys, kedge anchors, a combination of shore guys and kedge anchors, and overhead cable-bridle line systems. The strongest standard method of anchoring a floating bridge is the overhead cable-bridle line system supplemented by shore guys. The approach guys are used on each end of the bridge. They are attached at a 45° angle on each side of the bridge to prevent longitudinal and lateral movement. Approach guys are used on all standard bridges regardless of the type of anchorage system employed. Although combinations of the basic anchorage systems may be used during assembly and for reinforcement, the load cannot be properly divided between two systems; one system must supplement the other.

b. *Shore Guys.* Shore guys are used as primary anchorage when the maximum current does not exceed 3 feet per second (fps). They are used downstream when tidal conditions or severe eddies of 3 fps or less exist. See figure 6-1 for a typical shore guy anchorage system.

c. *Kedge Anchors.* Kedge anchors for heavy floating bridges may be used as primary anchorage in low debris currents up to 3 fps. They are useful only in river beds composed of sand, silt or loose rock or other material into which the fluke can take hold. To be effective the horizontal distance from the ponton or float to the anchors must be at least 10 times the depth of water and a 20 to 1 ratio is preferred. Kedge anchors are attached to every ponton upstream and every second ponton downstream. They may be used as primary anchorage in reversal currents up to and including 3 fps. When employed in reversal current, they should be attached to every ponton upstream and downstream.

d. *Combination of Shore Guys and Kedge Anchors.* A combination of kedge anchors and shore guys may be used in stream velocities of

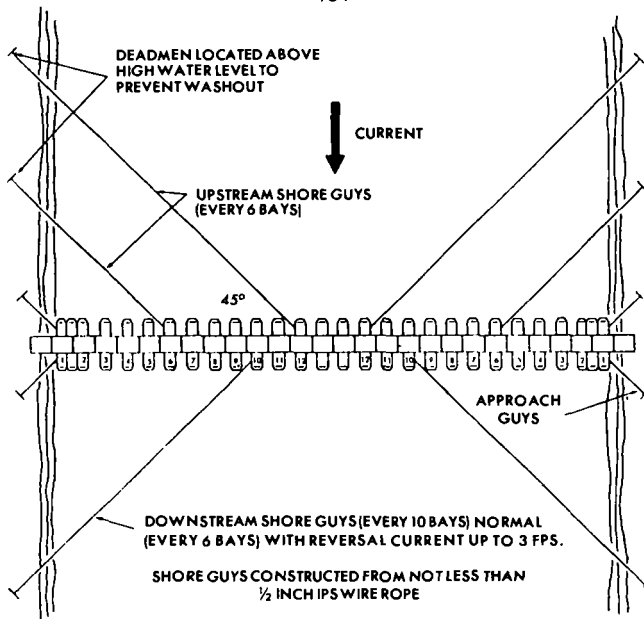


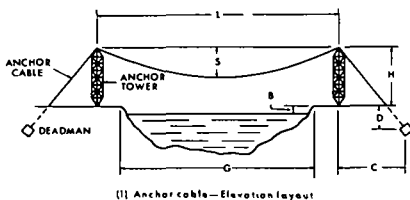
Figure 6-1. Normal location of shore guys.

5 fps or less. In addition to the approach guys, shore guys should be attached to every sixth bay on the upstream side and every tenth bay on the downstream side of the bridge. Kedge onchors should be attached to every panton on the upstream side and to every second panton on the downstream side of the bridge.

e. **Overhead Cable-Bridle Line System.** The overhead cable-bridle line system should be used when the stream velocity is 5 fps but not over 5 fps. Overhead cable systems consist of one or more tower-supported cables spanning the river parallel to the bridge on the upstream side. They are also used downstream of the bridge in tidal streams of severe current. Bridle lines are used to make the bridge secure to the cable.

6-2. ANCHORAGE DESIGN STEPS

a. Symbols for Anchorage Design Formulas. See figure 6-2.



KEY TO SYMBOLS:

B = MEAN BANK HEIGHT
 C = DISTANCE TOWER TO DEADMAN ON CENTERLINE
 D = DEPTH OF DEADMAN
 G = LENGTH OF BRIDGE
 H = ANCHOR TOWER HEIGHT
 L = DISTANCE BETWEEN ANCHOR TOWER
 Q = OFFSET BRIDGE CENTERLINE TO ANCHOR TOWER CENTERLINE
 Q₂ = OFFSET ANCHOR TOWER CENTERLINE TO DEADMAN
 S = UNSTRESSED SAG IN ANCHOR CABLE
 R = GROUND BEARING STRENGTH IN POUNDS PER SQUARE FOOT
 T = CABLE TENSION IN POUNDS

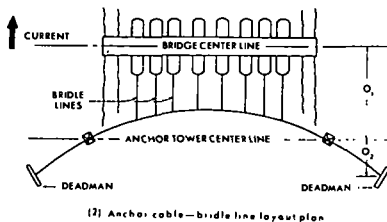


Figure 6-2. Anchor cable-bridle line anchorage systems.

b. Cables.

(1) Determine size and number of anchorage cables that are needed (table 6-1).

(a) Round up to next higher value for bridge span (G) shown in table 6-1.

(b) Select cable size for minimum number of cables.

Table 6-1. Anchor Cable Requirements.

| BRIDGE SPAN (ft.) | BRIDGE TYPE & ASST. | SIZE (IN.) AND NUMBER OF CABLES FOR SPECIFIED STREAM VELOCITIES | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------|---------------------------|---|------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|-------|--------|
| | | 5 FPS | | | 7 FPS | | | 9 FPS | | | 11 FPS | | |
| | | SINGLE | DUAL | TRIPLE | SINGLE | DUAL | TRIPLE | SINGLE | DUAL | TRIPLE | SINGLE | DUAL | TRIPLE |
| 200 | M4 | N 3/8 | 3/8 | 3/8 | 3/8 | 3/8 | 3/8 | 1/2 | 3/8 | 3/8 | 1/2 | 1/2 | 3/8 |
| | | R 1/2 | 3/8 | 3/8 | 1/2 | 3/8 | 3/8 | 3/8 | 1/2 | 3/8 | 3/8 | 1/2 | 1/2 |
| | M4T6 & CL 60 | N 1/2 | 3/8 | 3/8 | 3/8 | 1/2 | 1/2 | 3/4 | 3/8 | 1/2 | 7/8 | 3/4 | 3/8 |
| | | R 3/8 | 1/2 | 3/8 | 3/4 | 3/8 | 1/2 | 3/8 | 3/4 | 3/8 | 1 1/8 | 7/8 | 3/4 |
| 400 | M4 | N 1/2 | 3/8 | 3/8 | 1/2 | 1/2 | 3/8 | 3/8 | 1/2 | 3/8 | 3/4 | 3/8 | 1/2 |
| | | R 3/8 | 1/2 | 3/8 | 3/8 | 1/2 | 1/2 | 3/4 | 3/8 | 1/2 | 7/8 | 3/4 | 3/8 |
| | M4T6 & CL 60 | N 3/8 | 1/2 | 1/2 | 3/4 | 3/8 | 1/2 | 1 | 3/8 | 3/8 | 1 1/4 | 1 | 3/4 |
| | | R 3/4 | 3/8 | 1/2 | 1 | 3/4 | 3/8 | 1 1/4 | 1 | 3/4 | 1 1/2 | 1 1/4 | 3/8 |
| 600 | M4 | N 3/8 | 1/2 | 3/8 | 3/8 | 1/2 | 3/8 | 3/4 | 3/8 | 1/2 | 7/8 | 3/4 | 3/8 |
| | | R 3/4 | 3/8 | 1/2 | 3/4 | 3/8 | 1/2 | 7/8 | 3/4 | 3/8 | 1 | 7/8 | 3/8 |
| | M4T6 & CL 60 | N 3/4 | 3/8 | 1/2 | 1 | 3/4 | 3/8 | 1 1/4 | 1 | 3/4 | 1 1/2 | 1 1/4 | 3/8 |
| | | R 1 | 3/4 | 3/8 | 1 1/8 | 1 | 3/4 | 1 1/2 | 1 1/4 | 7/8 | | 1 1/2 | 1 1/8 |
| 800 | M4 | N 3/8 | 1/2 | 3/8 | 3/4 | 3/8 | 1/2 | 7/8 | 3/4 | 3/8 | 1 | 7/8 | 3/8 |
| | | R 3/4 | 3/8 | 1/2 | 7/8 | 3/4 | 3/8 | 1 | 3/4 | 3/4 | 1 1/8 | 1 | 7/8 |
| | M4T6 & CL 60 | N 7/8 | 3/4 | 3/8 | 1 1/8 | 7/8 | 3/4 | 1 3/8 | 1 1/8 | 7/8 | | 1 1/2 | 1 1/8 |
| | | R 1 1/8 | 7/8 | 3/4 | 1 3/8 | 1 1/8 | 7/8 | | 1 3/8 | 1 | | | 1 1/4 |
| 1000 | M4 | N 3/4 | 3/8 | 1/2 | 7/8 | 3/8 | 1/2 | 1 | 3/4 | 3/8 | 1 1/8 | 7/8 | 3/8 |
| | | R 7/8 | 3/4 | 3/8 | 1 | 3/4 | 3/8 | 1 1/8 | 7/8 | 3/4 | 1 1/4 | 1 1/8 | 7/8 |
| | M4T6 & CL 60 | N 1 | 7/8 | 3/4 | 1 1/4 | 1 | 7/8 | 1 1/2 | 1 1/8 | 1 | | | 1 1/4 |
| | | R 1 1/4 | 1 | 3/4 | 1 1/2 | 1 1/4 | 1 | | | 1 1/8 | | | 1 3/8 |

(2) Determine cable sag in feet. (Rule of thumb, $S = 0.02L$). The cable should be adjusted to give the initial unladen sag (fig. 6-3). If the cable sag causes the cable to enter the stream, a floating support may be used at the midspan (fig. 6-4).

c. Towers.

(1) Determine distance between towers. Place towers approximately the same distance from each bank. (Rule of thumb, $L = (1.1 \times \text{gap}) + 100$ feet).

(2) Determine required height of tower (H) (Rule of thumb, $H = 3\text{ft} + S - B$). This rule of thumb gives the minimum permissible value of H . Actual value of H will be the next height of tower above

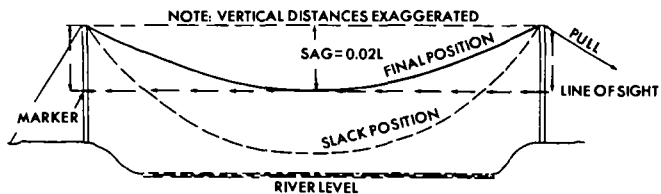


Figure 6-3. Cable sag.

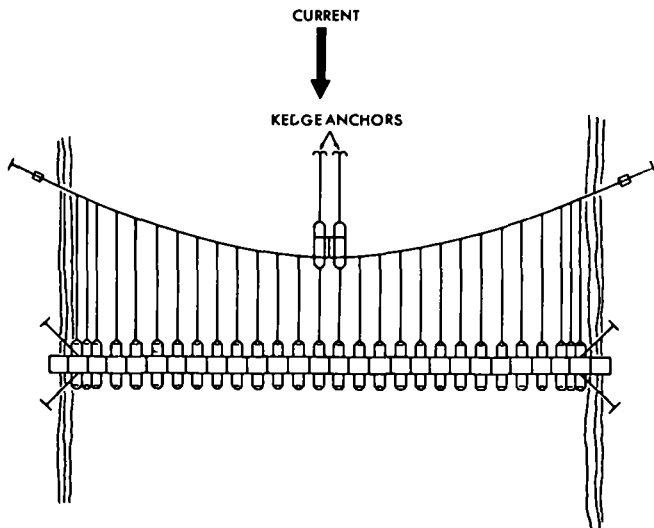


Figure 6-4. Float supported cable.

the required tower height. The possible tower heights are given in table 6-2. Use actual tower height selected for subsequent steps.

(3) Determine distance from bridge centerline to anchor tower centerline (O_1). (Rule of thumb, if mean bank height (8) is less than 15 ft, $O_1 = H + 50$ ft or if B is greater than 15 ft, $O_1 = H + 8 + 35$ ft).

d. Deadmen.

(1) Depth of deadman (D). (Rule of thumb, $D = 7$ ft or D is one foot less than the depth of ground water—minimum depth = 3 feet. Select the smaller of the two values.

Table 6-2. Possible Anchor Tower Heights

| Number of Tower Sections | Height of Tower |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Cap, base, and pivot unit | 3 ft 8 $\frac{1}{4}$ in |
| 1 | 14 ft 6 $\frac{1}{4}$ in |
| 2 | 25 ft 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ in |
| 3 | 36 ft 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ in |
| 4 | 47 ft $\frac{1}{4}$ in |
| 5 | 57 ft 10 $\frac{1}{4}$ in |
| 6 | 68 ft 8 $\frac{1}{4}$ in |

(2) Determine tower to deadman distance on centerline (C) and deadman offset distance from tower centerline O_2 . The process of selecting deadman positions is in fact a series of approximations leading to a correct position. Whatever position is selected, it is essential that the correct O_2 distance is used for the tower to deadman distance (C) selected.

(a) From site conditions select approximate position for deadman.

(b) Aim to let $C = 4(H + D)$. Minimum permissible value for C is $H + D$.

(c) Read required value of O_2 for C selected from table 6-3.

(3) To determine deadman size choose available lumber and check length (l), thickness (t), depth (d) or diameter (d_1) of deadman timber (fig. 6-5). Determine l , t , d , or d_1 from figure 6-6. Enter Nomograph "A" (fig. 6-6) at column A with D and slope ratio ($1/h$). Plot cable diameter and type on column B. Connect these points and extend to graph.

Table 6-3. Values of O_2 Per Hundred Feet of C

| Current velocities | | Offset upstream (O_2) in feet per hundred feet of C |
|--------------------|------------------------|---|
| Normal assembly | Reinforced assembly | |
| 3 fps | — | 9 |
| 5 fps | 3 fps | 11 |
| 7 fps | 5 fps | 14 |
| 9 fps | 7 fps | 17 |
| 11 fps | 9 fps | 19 |
| — | 11 fps | 23 |

Go horizontally to desired depth and read down for length and thickness and up for log diameter. For further details see log deadmen in TM 5-210.

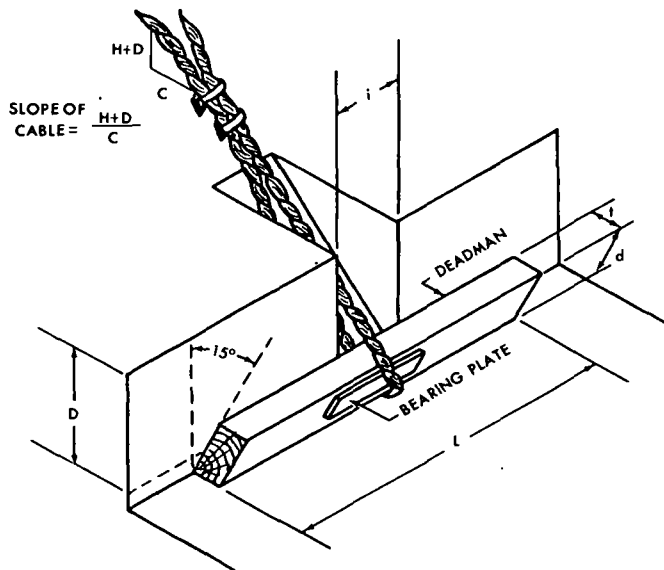
e. *Design Bearing Plote (fig. 6-7).*

(1) To design a flat bearing plote, enter Nomograph "B" (fig. 6-8) at type and size of cable on left and go horizontally across graph to intersect the line indicating the size of timber deadman being used which also shows the required width of the plote. Drop vertically to determine the length of the plote and go to the top of the graph to read the required thickness of the plote.

(2) To design a formed bearing plote, enter Nomograph "C" (fig. 6-9) on left as for a flat bearing plote and proceed as described in (1) above.

f. *Use of More Than One Overhead Cable (table 6-1).* A downstream anchor cable may be needed if a tidal action exists in a river. The calculations for a double or triple overhead cable system are the same as for a single cable system. A double overhead system is illustrated graphically in figure 6-10.

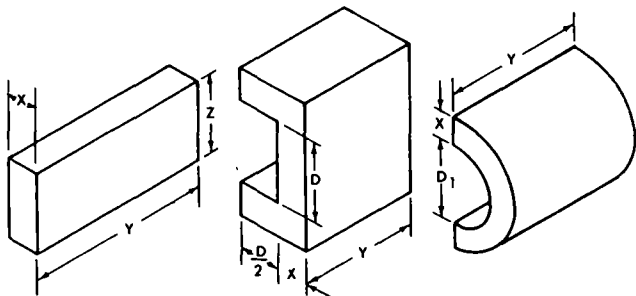
g. *Work Crew.* The organization of an anchorage work crew is illustrated in table 6-4.



- KEY:**
- D = mean depth of deadman
 - L = length of deadman
 - d = depth of deadman (timber); d_1 = diameter of log deadman
 - t = thickness of deadman
 - i = width of cable slot (normally 1'—0")
 - C = distance of deadman behind tower
 - H = actual tower height

Figure 6-5. Deadman dimensions.

Figure 6-6. Nomograph "A"
(Located in back of manual)



(1) FLAT BEARING PLATE

(2) FORMED BEARING PLATE

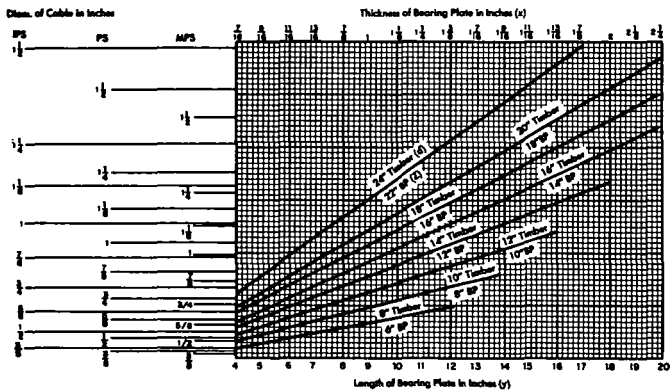
KEY: X = Bearing plate thickness
Z = Height of flat bearing plate
Y = Length of bearing plate
 D_1 = Diameter of round deadman
D = Depth of dressed deadman

(a) For flat bearing plate, see Nomograph B.

(b) For formed bearing plate, see Nomograph C.

Figure 6-7. Bearing plate dimensions.

DESIGN OF FLAT BEARING PLATES FOR RECTANGULAR DEADMEN



| Diams. of Cable in Inches | | |
|---------------------------|----|-----|
| IPS | PS | MPS |

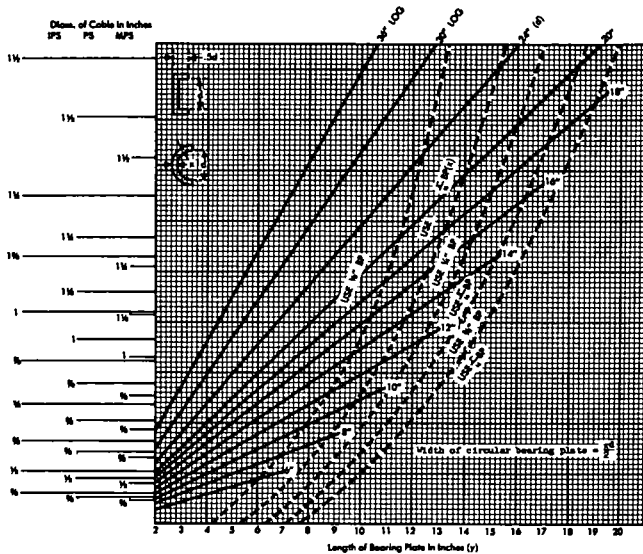


Figure 6-9. Namograph "C".

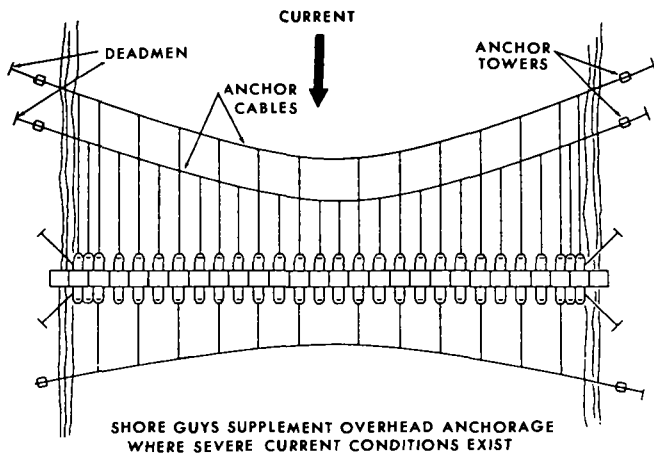


Figure 6-10. Float bridge with multiple overhead cable system.

Table 6-4. Organization of Anchorage Work Crew for Bridge 300 Feet Long or Longer

| | Task | Man-hours needed | Possible work (men) | Total time (hrs) | Remarks |
|---------------|--|---------------------|---------------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------|
| FAR SHORE | Preparing deadman..... | 12 | 4 | 3 | 7' hale in soft laamy sail. |
| | Erecting cable tower..... | 12 | 12 | 1 | Crew task. |
| | Adjusting cable to tower and deadman. | 1 | 2 | 30 min | |
| | Installing shore guys..... | 2 | 2 | 1 | |
| NEAR SHORE | Transport cable to far shore | 3 | 3 | 1 | |
| | Preparing deadman..... | 12 | 4 | 3 | 7' hale in soft laamy sail. |
| | Erect cable tower..... | 12 | 12 | 1 | Crew task. |
| | Attach bridle lines to cable... | 10 min per line | 2 | 5 min per line | |

Section II. Light River Crossing Equipment

6-3. RECONNAISSANCE AND ASSAULT BOATS

- a. Plastic assault boat—repair at depot level.
- b. Pneumatic assault boat—10 individual air compartments; $\frac{1}{2}$ may be punctured and full capacity retained. Repair at unit level.

6-4. ALUMINUM FLOATING FOOTBRIDGE

- a. One set allocated to Corps/Army Float Bridge Company.
- b. One set=472 $\frac{1}{2}$ feet of bridge, or 100 feet of light vehicular bridge, or 3 expedient rafts. Bridge or raft capacity: $\frac{1}{4}$ -ton vehicle with trailer.
- c. One bay=11 feet 3 inches effective length; consists of one ponton, one treadway, four handrail posts.
- d. Capacity and data—see tables 6-6 and 6-7.

6-5. LIGHT TACTICAL RAFT/BRIDGE (LTR)

- a. Allocation.
 - (1) Div Engr Bn—2 sets
 - (2) Corps/Army Float Bridge Companies—6 sets
- b. Raft. One set is sufficient for one 4-ponton normal or reinforced raft or 44 feet of light vehicular bridge.
- c. Component Parts per Set. Eight half pontoons, eight deck tread panels, eight long filler panels, six short filler panels, eight long curbs, twelve short curbs, two male ramps, two female ramps, four fluke anchors, necessary erection equipment, ferry conversion kit. See SM 5-4-5420-S05.
- d. Transportation. Normally two 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -ton cargo trucks are required for the super-structure, and one 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -ton pole type trailer is required for pontoons. Five-ton dump trucks, or military bridge trucks may be used as expedient transportation.
- e. Construction Time for Light Tactical Raft (table 6-8).
- f. LTR Personnel Requirements. Personnel required to construct and operate the LTR are shown in tables 6-9 through 6-11. Raft capacities are shown in table 6-12.

Table 6-5. Reconnaissance and Assault Boat Data

| Item | Use | Description | Capacity | Remarks |
|-------------------------------|------------------|--|--|---|
| Three-man reconnaissance boat | Reconnaissance | Canvas w/5 compartments, issued with towline and 3 paddles; total weight 30 lbs. | 3 men in current speeds up to 4 fps. | Boat is breath-inflated or hand pumped; easily carried by one man when deflated and packed in case |
| Plastic assault | Assault crossing | Plastic, hand paddled, weight 300 pounds, length 16'5", width 5'4" | 12 infantrymen w/full equipment or equivalent in current speeds up to 4 fps. | Normal crew, three engineers; maximum capacity w/no current is 3300 pounds; can be propelled by one 25-hp outboard motor at speed of 12 fps w/a load reduction. |
| Assault Boat pneumatic | Assault crossing | Neoprene coated nylon, pneumatic; weight 250 lbs; length 17 feet, width 5'8" | 12 fully equipped infantrymen, and a crew of three engineer soldiers | 18 in Div. Engr Bn can be paddled or powered by a 25-hp motor at 12 fps in current at 6.4 fps. 70 at Corps/Army Float Bridge Co. |

Table 6-6. Aluminum Footbridge Capacity

| Aluminum floating footbridge | Condition | Current and capacity | |
|------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-------------|
| | | 0 to 8 fps | 9 to 11 fps |
| | Daylight, doubletime | 75 men/min | 60 men/min |
| | Moonlight, quicktime | 40 men/min | 32 men/min |
| | Blackout, quicktime | 25 men/min | 20 men/min |

g. *Light Tactical Bridge.*

- (1) Erection rate: $3\frac{1}{2}$ feet per minute.
- (2) Each bay provides 11 feet of effective bridge length.
- (3) Assembly of light tactical bridge by successive pantons (table 6-13).
- (4) Light tactical bridge capacities (table 6-14).
- (5) *Bridge assembly.*
 - (a) Successive rafts (normally used on streams over 300').
 - (b) Successive bays (normally used on streams under 300').
 - (c) Site layout (fig. 6-11).

Table 6-7. Aluminum Footbridge Data

| Bridge set | Basis of issue | Suggested working party | | |
|---|---|--------------------------------|-----|----|
| | | Detail | NCO | EM |
| Normal Assembly: 472 ft 6 in Light vehicle bridge: 100 ft Expedient rafts: 3 Major items: Ponton 42 Treadways 42 | One set to each engineer foot bridge company. Vehicles required for transportation of bridge set: Two, 2½-ton 6 x 6 cargo trucks with 2½-ton pole-type trailers or 3, 2½-ton cargo trucks. | Neor-shore anchor cable..... | | 6 |
| | | Far-shore anchor cable..... | 1 | 7 |
| | | Bridle line..... | | 2 |
| | | Guy line..... | | 5 |
| | | Shore assembly..... | 1 | 6 |
| | | Assembly carrying..... | | 6 |
| | | River assembly..... | 1 | 4 |
| | | Handrail..... | | 3 |
| | | Plus 2 EM per 100 ft of bridge | | |

Table 6-8. Assembly of Light Tactical Raft

| Type of assembly | NCO | EM | Time required, minutes |
|----------------------|-----|----|------------------------|
| 4-ponton, 3-boy..... | 3 | 23 | 20 to 30 |
| 5-ponton, 5-boy..... | 3 | 23 | 20 to 30 |
| 6-ponton, 4-boy..... | 3 | 23 | 30 to 45 |

Table 6-9. Crew Requirements

| Crew | NCO | EM |
|---------------------------|-----|----|
| Carrying..... | 1 | 10 |
| Ponton connecting..... | 1 | 6 |
| Ponton delivery..... | | 2 |
| Deck panel unloading..... | 1 | 5 |

Table 6-10. Construction Duties

| Step | Crew |
|---|--------------------|
| (1) Pontons carried to water..... | Carrying. |
| (2) Guylines attached..... | Ponton Delivery. |
| (3) Half pontons connected..... | Ponton Connecting. |
| (4) Deck panels positioned over pontons.... | Ponton Connecting. |
| (5) Articulating assembly connected..... | Ponton Connecting. |
| (6) Roms connected..... | Ponton Connecting. |

Table 6-11. Operating Duties — LTR

| Crew | No. of men | Duties |
|----------------|------------|---|
| Raft..... | 8 | 4 men operate outboard motors; 4 men place and remove chocks from wheels of vehicles. |
| Near shore.... | 1 | 1 man guides vehicles onto rafts and instructs drivers in proper operation of vehicles while being loaded and unloaded. |
| Far shore..... | 1 | 1 man guides vehicle off raft |
| Guy line..... | 4 | Handle guy lines. |

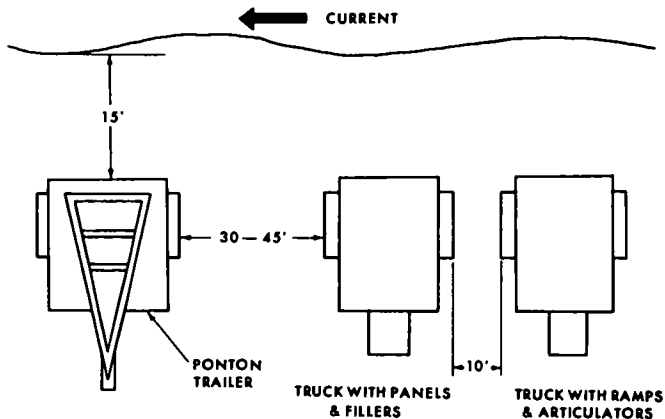


Figure 6-11. LTR site layout.

Table 6-12. (LTR) Capacities

| Type of raft | Number of pontons of floats | Overall length of raft | Stream velocities in feet per second for specified crossing | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|---|----|----|----|----|---------------|----|----|----|----|
| | | | Normal crossing | | | | | Risk crossing | | | | |
| | | | 5 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 11 | 5 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 11 |
| Light tactical raft with articulators | 4 Pontons 3 Boys | 58' | 12 | 12 | 12 | 8 | 0 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 12 | 4 |
| | 5 Pontons 5 Boys | 80' | 9 | 9 | 9 | 8 | 3 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 6 |
| | 6 Pontons 4 Boys | 69' | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 6 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 10 |

Note: When operating without articulators, the raft classification is raised by 4

Table 6-13. Organization for Assembly of LTR by Successive Pontons

| Details | NCO | EM | Summary of tasks |
|------------------------|-----|----|--|
| Pontan..... | 1 | 10 | Unload, launch, and join half pontons. |
| Deck..... | 1 | | Unload and place deck panels, curbs and filler panels on pontons. |
| Ponton delivery..... | | 2 | Deliver complete bays to bridge-connecting site. |
| Bridge connecting..... | 1 | 4 | Connect assembled bays to the bridge. |
| Near-shore abutment. | 1 | 8 | Construct near-shore abutment, connect articulator and ramps, and maintain bridge alinement. |
| Far-shore abutment... | 1 | 8 | Construct far-shore abutment, install end section articulator and romps. |
| Anchorage | 2 | 12 | Install anchor cable, bridle lines, and shore guys (see TM 5-210). |

Table 6-14. Classes of Floating Bridge Construction From LTR Set

| Type of bridge | Type of crossing | Stream velocities in feet per second for specified assembly | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|------------------|---|----|----|----|----|----|
| | | Normal | | | | | |
| | | 3 | 5 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 11 |
| Light tactical raft floating bridge | Normal | 16 | 16 | 13 | 11 | 8 | 2 |
| | Caution | 18 | 18 | 15 | 12 | 9 | 3 |
| | Risk | 21 | 21 | 17 | 14 | 11 | 5 |

Table 6-15. Construction and Transportation Data of M4

| Bridge set | Standard B stack basis of issue | Suggested working party | | |
|---------------------------------|--|-------------------------------|-----|-----|
| | Class IV | Detail | NCO | EM |
| Floating bridge: 6-8 ft 4 in | Vehicles required for transportation of bridge set: 2½-ton cargo truck. 2½-ton cargo truck. 2½-ton truck, bolster. 2½-ton balster trailer. 2½-ton pole type trailer. 5-ton dump truck. Transported by organic vehicles of the using unit. | Near-shore abutment..... | 1 | 8 |
| | | Pontoon outfitting (2 crews). | 4 | 36 |
| | | Pontoon delivery (2 crews). | 2 | 10 |
| Fixed bridges: | | Anchorage..... | 2 | 12 |
| 2-23 ft | | Bulk carrying..... | 2 | 88 |
| 2-30 ft | | Bulk laying..... | 1 | 8 |
| 2-38 ft | | For-shore abutment..... | 1 | 16 |
| 2-45 ft | | Pin checking..... | 1 | 3 |
| Rafts: | | Total..... | 14 | 181 |
| 4-4 pontoon | | | | |
| 4-6 pontoon | | | | |
| 4-7 pontoon | | | | |

Section III. Heavy Floating Bridge Equipment

6-6. M4 FLOATING BRIDGE EQUIPMENT

a. *Description.* The M4 bridge bay consists of two M4 aluminum half pontons joined stern-to-stern with a flush deck of hollow aluminum balk. The deck balk pattern is so designed that a "continuous beam" action results which distributes the load over more than one ponton. For design specifics on the deck pattern, see paragraph 6-8. With 18 balk across the deck, the roadway width is 166 inches. The effective length of one bay is 15 feet.

b. *Category.* The M4 bridge is currently stocked as a standard B item and is not issued to United States units as organic equipment. It may be requisitioned against existing needs by length of bridging needed rather than by sets.

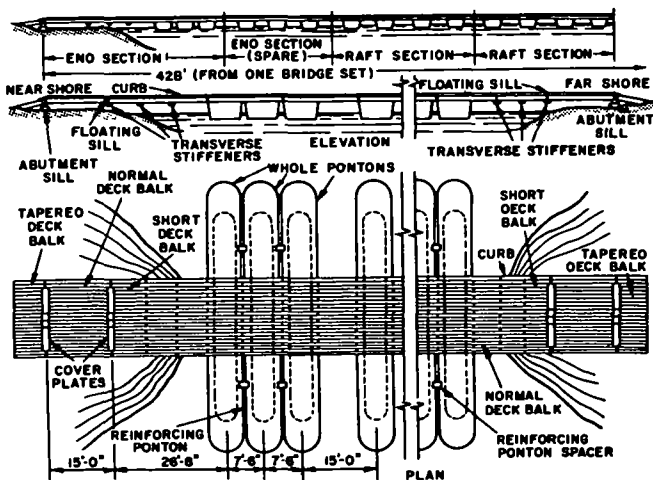


Figure 6-12. Floating bridge, M4.

Table 6-16 Classified¹ of Floating Bridges

| Stream velocities in feet per second for specified assembly | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|------------------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------------------------|---------|--------|-------|-------|-------|
| Type of bridge | Type of crossing | Normal | | | | | | Reinforced ² | | | | | |
| | | 3 | 5 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 11 | 3 | 5 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 11 |
| | NORMAL | 60 | 60 | 45/50 | 45/45 | 30/35 | 18/20 | 95 | 95 | 75/80 | 60/65 | 45/50 | 24/27 |
| M4 ¹ | CAUTION | 68 | 65 | 58/59 | 52/53 | 44/46 | 29/31 | 100 | 100/99 | 88/85 | 75/74 | 62 | 35/37 |
| | RISK | 72 | 68 | 61/62 | 58/59 | 53/54 | 37/39 | 105/100 | 105/100 | 101/96 | 88/85 | 74/73 | 45/46 |
| CLASS 60 ¹ | NORMAL | 60/65 | 55/65 | 45/55 | 40/50 | 35/45 | 22/25 | 65 | 65 | 65 | 65 | 65 | 30/35 |
| | CAUTION | 65/70 | 62/67 | 56/61 | 52/56 | 45/49 | 34/37 | 75 | 75 | 75 | 75 | 75 | 47/51 |
| | RISK | 75/79 | 72/77 | 67/72 | 62/67 | 57/62 | 46/50 | 85 | 85 | 85 | 85 | 85 | 70/74 |
| M4T6 ¹ | NORMAL | 50/55 | 45/55 | 40/50 | 35/45 | 30/40 | 25/30 | 75 | 75 | 70/75 | 65/70 | 55/60 | 27/30 |
| | CAUTION | 60/61 | 58/59 | 54/55 | 49/51 | 45/47 | 35/37 | 80 | 80 | 79 | 73 | 66/67 | 43/45 |
| | RISK | 68/69 | 66/67 | 62/63 | 59/60 | 54/56 | 43/45 | 90 | 90 | 90 | 87 | 81 | 59/60 |

¹ Based on abutment deck level within 10' of floating bridge deck level except for hinged or other special end spans. Where limitations are exceeded, capacities must be reduced.

² Reinforced by placing 3 floating supports under 2 bays of decking (50% reinforced).

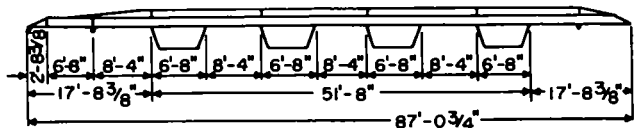
³ Capacities based on roadway width of 18 bays and deck width of 22 bays. Reinforced assembly requires a 38'4" superimposed end span.

⁴ Reinforced bridge capacities up to 9 fps are controlled by end span limitations.

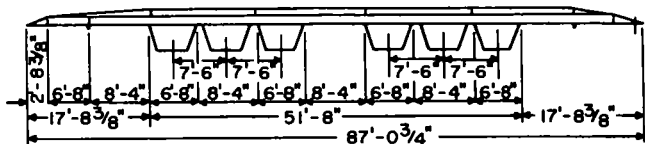
c. Assembly and Capacity. Layout, construction, and transportation data are shown in figure 6-12 and table 6-15. Capacities may be found in table 6-16. For more specific information of the M4 floating bridge, refer to TM 5-210.

d. M4 Roft.

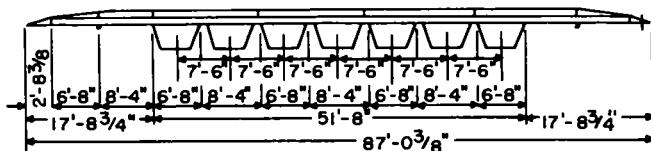
(1) The M4 roft can be assembled from the components of the M4 floating bridge set. The basic 4-ponton roft can be converted to a reinforced roft with greater load capacity by adding reinforcing pontons. The other recommended types of rofts assembled are the six-ponton and seven-ponton reinforced rofts. The rofts are shown in figure 6-13.



① 4 PONTON
(NORMAL CONSTRUCTION)
NOTE: PONTONS ON 15' CENTERS



② 6 PONTON
(REINFORCED CONSTRUCTION)
NOTE: PONTONS ON 7'-6" CENTERS



③ 7 PONTON
REINFORCED CONSTRUCTION
NOTE: PONTONS ON 7'-6" CENTERS

Figure 6-13. M4 raft.

(2) The amount of time and the number of trained men required for assembly of M4 rafts are given in table 6-17. Raft classifications are given in table 6-18. More specific information concerning M4 rafts can be found in TM 5-210.

Table 6-17. Time and Labor to Assemble M4 Roft

| Type of assembly ¹ | Time, hr. ² |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------|
| 4-ponton roft, 15-ft spacing..... | 2 |
| 4-ponton roft, short deck..... | 2 |
| Reinforced rofts: | |
| 5-ponton..... | 2½ |
| 6-ponton..... | 3 |
| 7-ponton..... | 3½ |
| 5-ponton roft, short deck..... | 2½ |

¹ One platoon is required for each type of assembly.² For night assembly, increase time 50 percent

The larger rofts (5-, 6-, or 7-ponton) are assembled by adding one, or more, pontons to this 4-ponton roft. The reinforcing ponton(s) is centered between the center pontons and fastened to them by four reinforcing ponton spacers. From five to seven bolster-body trucks, depending upon the number of added pontons, are required for transportation.

6-7. CLASS 60 FLOATING BRIDGE EQUIPMENT

a. *Bridge Boy.* The Class 60 bridge boy consists of two deck-tread panels, two curbs, one filler panel, one 24-ton pneumatic float with saddle panels and saddle beams with an effective bridging length of 15 feet. The floating support for one boy consists of two pneumatic half floats joined stern-to-stern and, when properly saddled with the equipment provided, it is rated at 24 tons capacity. The bridge requires cranes and air compressors, 30 inches of water for floats and 40 inches of water for power boats.

b. *Assembly.* A bridge is normally assembled with 15-foot deck tread panels and filler panels centered on floats with a reinforced end section on each end. The reinforced end section consists of two boys of superstructure centered on three floating supports. Construction and transportation and allocation data are listed in table 6-19.

Table 6-18 Classes¹ of Rafts

| Type of raft | Number of pontons or floats | Overall length of raft | Stream velocities in feet per second for specified crossing | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------------|---|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|---------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| | | | Normal crossing | | | | | Risk crossing | | | | |
| | | | 5 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 11 | 5 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 11 |
| Light Tactical Raft with Articulators | 4 Pontons 3 Boys | 58 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 8 | 0 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 12 | 4 |
| | 5 Pontons 5 Boys | 80 | 9 | 9 | 9 | 8 | 3 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 6 |
| | 6 Pontons 4 Boys | 69 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 13 | 6 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 15 | 10 |
| M4 ² | 4 Normal | 87' 1" | 50/ 55 | 50/ 55 | 50/ 55 | 50/ 55 | 40/ 45 | 55/ 60 | 55/ 60 | 55/ 60 | 55/ 60 | 45/ 50 |
| | 6 Partially Reinforced | 87' 1" | 70/ 75 | 70/ 75 | 65/ 70 | 65/ 70 | 50/ 55 | 75/ 80 | 75/ 80 | 75/ 80 | 75/ 80 | 55/ 60 |
| | 7 Fully Reinforced | 87' 1" | 85/ 90 | 85/ 90 | 80/ 85 | 80/ 85 | 55/ 60 | 90/ 95 | 90/ 95 | 90/ 95 | 90/ 95 | 65/ 70 |
| Class 60 | 4 Normal | 92' 5" | 40/ 45 | 40/ 45 | 35/ 40 | 35/ 40 | 25/ 30 | 50/ 55 | 50/ 55 | 45/ 50 | 45/ 50 | 35/ 40 |
| | 5 Normal | 107' 5" | 50/ 55 | 50/ 55 | 45/ 50 | 40/ 45 | 30/ 35 | 60/ 65 | 60/ 65 | 55/ 60 | 50/ 55 | 40/ 45 |
| | 5 Partially Reinforced | 92' 5" | 55/ 60 | 50/ 55 | 50/ 55 | 45/ 50 | 35/ 40 | 60/ 70 | 60/ 65 | 60/ 65 | 55/ 60 | 45/ 50 |
| | 5 With 1 short deck bay reinf | 83' 1" | 60/ 65 | 55/ 60 | 55/ 60 | 50/ 55 | 45/ 50 | 65/ 75 | 65/ 70 | 65/ 70 | 60/ 65 | 55/ 60 |
| | 6 Fully Reinforced | 92' 5" | 65/ 75 | 65/ 75 | 60/ 70 | 60/ 65 | 50/ 55 | 80/ 90 | 80/ 90 | 75/ 85 | 70/ 80 | 60/ 70 |
| M4T6 ² | 4 Normal | 87' | 50/ 55 | 45/ 50 | 40/ 45 | 35/ 40 | 30/ 35 | 60/ 65 | 55/ 60 | 50/ 55 | 45/ 50 | 35/ 40 |
| | 4 Reinforced | 86' | 50/ 55 | 50/ 55 | 45/ 50 | 40/ 45 | 35/ 40 | 60/ 65 | 60/ 65 | 55/ 60 | 50/ 55 | 45/ 50 |
| | 5 Normal | 101' | 55/ 60 | 50/ 55 | 45/ 50 | 40/ 45 | 35/ 40 | 65/ 70 | 60/ 65 | 55/ 60 | 50/ 55 | 45/ 50 |
| | 5 Reinforced | 88' 9" | 60/ 60 | 60/ 60 | 55/ 60 | 45/ 50 | 45/ 50 | 70/ 75 | 70/ 75 | 65/ 70 | 65/ 70 | 55/ 60 |

¹ Based on loading rafts with center of gravity of loads 6 inches downstream from centerline of raft and on properly inflated floats² Capacities based on roadway width of 18 bays, deck width of 22 bays and on 18 or 19 ft end span

Bridge capacities are found in table 6-16. Articulation of 33 inches above and below the bridge horizontal is obtained by the use of connector beams on the female end and short deck tread sections and connector beams on the male end. The bridge normally is constructed with the male end towards the far shore.

c. *Class 60 Rafts.* The number of rafts which can be assembled from the set is limited to one because the raft requires the use of two ramp bays in the set. Raft lengths and classes are found in table 6-18. Figure 6-14 shows the float and panel assembly for the five float normal and six float reinforced rafts. More specific information and different raft configurations are found in TM 5-210.

Table 6-19. Construction and Transportation Data of Class 60 Bridges

| Bridge set | Basis of issue* | Suggested working party | | |
|---|--|----------------------------------|-----|----|
| | | Detail | NCO | EM |
| Floating bridge 135 ft | Class IV | Supervisory | 2 | 1 |
| | | Crane crew | 1 | 1 |
| Fixed bridges: 1, 30 ft 1, 45 ft 1, 60 ft 1, 75 ft 1 multispans from 85 to 92 ft | Vehicles required for transportation of bridge set | Saddle assembly— 2 crews | 2 | 20 |
| | | Float inflation | | 9 |
| | 9 ea 5-ton 6 X 6 military bridging trucks carry one complete bay each | Deck panel | 1 | 6 |
| | | Float handling | | 8 |
| | | Single bay, connecting | 1 | 6 |
| | | Boat crew | | 4 |
| | | Bridge assembly | 1 | 8 |
| | 3 ea carry accessories | Anchorage | 1 | 10 |
| | | Trestle | 1 | 8 |
| Rafts 1 ea, 4, 5, or 6 float. | Allocation same as M4T6 | Total | 10 | 80 |

*May be partial issue of M4T6 bridge sets

d. *Fixed Spans from Class 60 Components.* Components of the Class 60 superstructure can be used to assemble fixed spans. Because of its weight, it is not commonly used in this form. Two trestle sets are furnished with each Class 60 bridge set. These must be used as sets of two and cross braced to each other to attain the proper classification. Table 6-20 and figure 6-15 list the classifications for various spans for Class 60 equipment. Figure 6-16 illustrates the utilization of trestles. Table 6-23 lists approximate heavy bridge erection times.

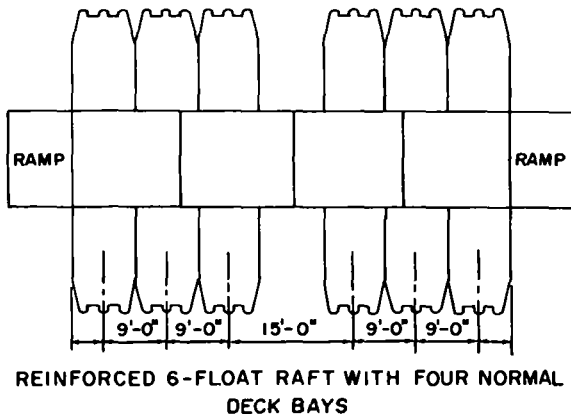
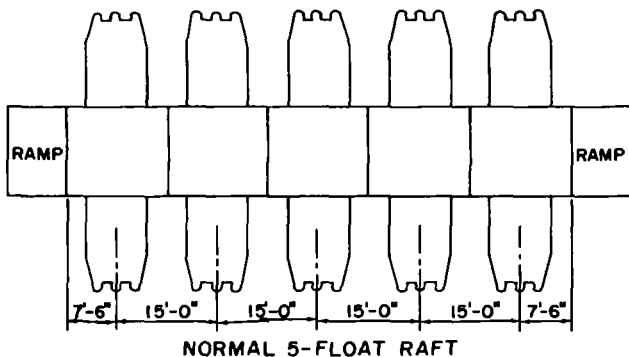


Figure 6-14. Class 60 raft.

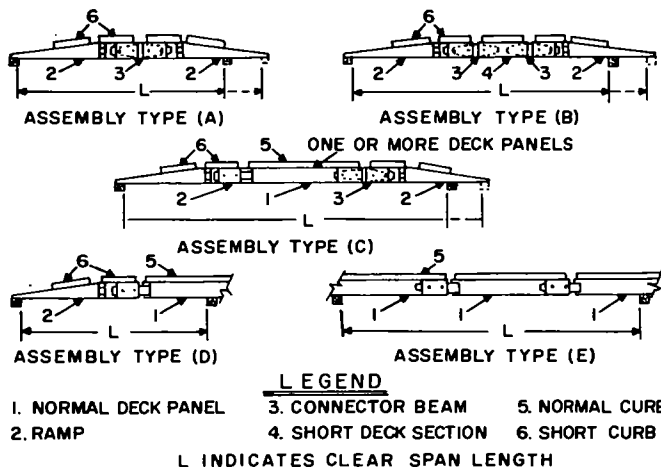


Figure 6-15. Class 60 fixed spans.

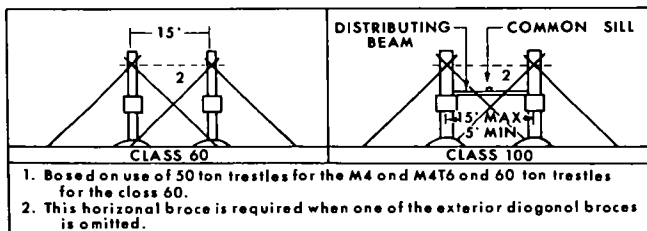


Figure 6-16. Trestle Assembly and Capacity

Table 6-20. Classes of Fixed-Span Assemblies

| Clear span (feet) | Type of assembly | Classes | | |
|-------------------|------------------|-----------|------------|------------|
| | | Normal | Caution | Risk |
| 24 | ABCDE..... | (120*)100 | (120*)100* | (120*)100* |
| 26 | A8CD..... | (120*)95 | (120*)100 | (120*)100* |
| | E..... | (120*)100 | (120*)100 | (120*)100* |
| 28 | ABCD..... | (115)80 | (120*)87 | (120*),00 |
| | E..... | (120)85 | (120*)92 | (120*)100* |
| 30 | ABCD..... | (105)65 | (110)65 | (120*)90 |
| | E..... | (110)70 | (120)80 | (120*)95 |
| 32 | 8CDE..... | (95)60 | (105)70 | (120)85 |
| 34 | BCDE..... | (85)55 | (90)63 | (110)75 |
| 36 | BCDE..... | (75)50 | (81)58 | (100)68 |
| 38 | CDE..... | (65)45 | (75)53 | (90)65 |
| 40 | CDE..... | (60)40 | (68)50 | (83)60 |
| 50 | CDE..... | (30)30 | (36)36 | (50)45 |
| 60 | CDE..... | (20)22 | (22)25 | (28)30 |

*Limited by roadway widths.

Notes 1. Figures in parentheses represent wheeled vehicle class and other figures represent tracked vehicle class

2 These capacities are for most critical position of abutments

3 For symmetrical erection of type B, with respect to abutments, the stated capacities may be increased 10 tons

4 Number of normal deck panels utilized depends on span length desired.

6-8. M4T6 FLOATING BRIDGE EQUIPMENT

a. *Bridge Bay.* The M4T6 bay consists of 22 normal balk (staggered), 4 curb adapters and one 24-ton pneumatic float with saddle adapters and balk connecting stiffeners. This is the same float that is used with the Class 60 bridge equipment. One bay has an effective length of 15 feet. The M4T6 bridge can be totally erected by hand and requires an air compressor for assembly. The deck forms a continuous beam action over the pontoons with a roadway width of 166 inches.

b. *Assembly.* A bridge normally is assembled with the floats 15 feet apart centers and the deck built with a standard balk pattern. The standard balk pattern is shown in figure 6-17. The bridge has rein-

forced end sections consisting of one bay of deck supported by two floating supports as seen in figure 6-18.

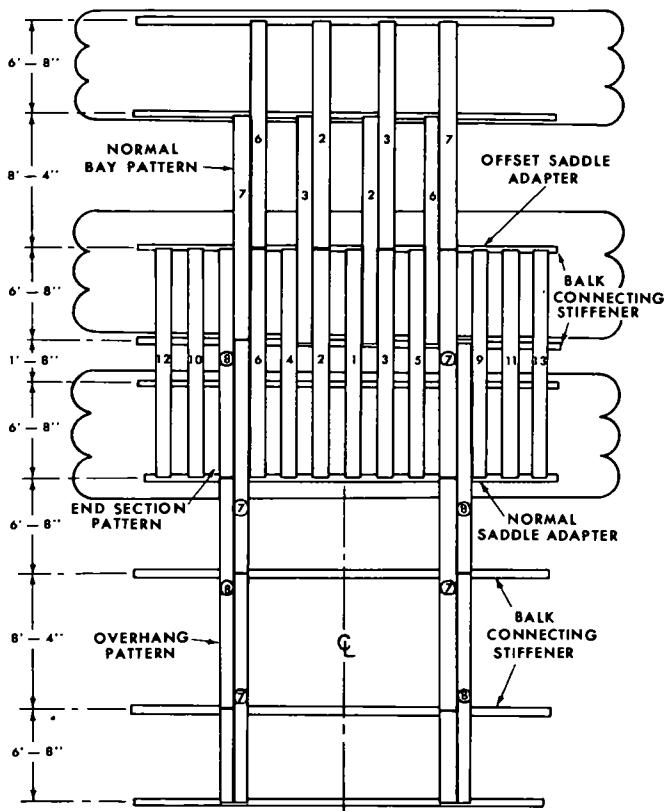
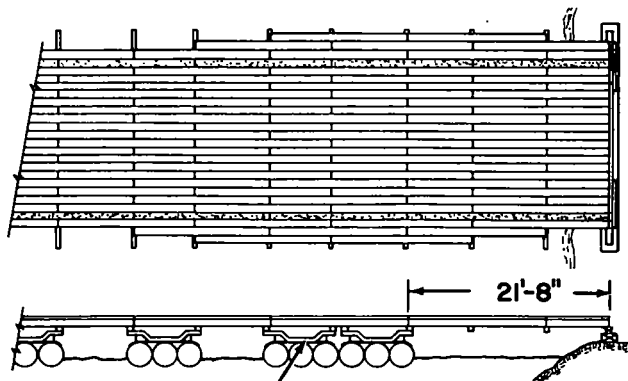


Figure 6-17. Balk pattern, M4T6 floating bridge.



**OFFSET SADDLE ADAPTER
REINFORCED END SPAN ASSEMBLY**

Figure 6-18. Bridge, floating, aluminum deck-balk superstructure (M4T6).

c. *Capacity and Assembly.* Construction and transportation data are listed in table 6-21. Bridge capacities are found in table 6-18. Table 6-22 lists approximate assembly times for heavy bridges. Additional information pertaining to this bridge including expedient connections with other floating bridges is contained in TM 5-210.

d. *M4T6 Rafts.* The limiting factors in raft construction are number of floats and amount of normal balk. From one set a five-float reinforced raft and a four-float reinforced raft can be constructed. When longer or heavier loads than normal division loads must cross the river, a six-float reinforced raft may be constructed. Rafts may have either a 15 foot, 16 foot 7 inches, 21 foot 8 inches, or 23 foot 4 inches overhang for raft approaches. The four-float reinforced raft and five-float reinforced raft are shown in figures 6-19 and 6-20. The balk pattern is shown in figure 6-17. For other rafts, see TM 5-210. Raft classifications are listed in table 6-18.

Table 6-21. Construction and Transportation Data of M4T6

| Bridge set | Basis of issue* | Suggested working party | | |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|-----|-------------|
| | | Detail | NCO | EM per crew |
| Normal floating bridge, 141 ft 8 in | Divisional Engr. 4 sets | Floot inflation | 1 | 8 |
| One 4-float and one | Abn. Div Engr none | Saddle Assembly | 2 | 20 |
| 5-float reinforced | Engineer float bridge | Assembled float delivery | 2 | 4 |
| raft, | company (5 bridge | Balk-carrying from shore | 2 | 40 |
| 2 floating bridges, | sets of 141 ft 8 in | Balk-laying | 1 | 12 |
| 75 ft, one without | each for a float | Anchorage | 2 | 12 |
| reinforcing balk on | bridge company at | Near-shore abutment. . . . | 1 | 8 |
| end float, | full strength, and 3 | Far-shore abutment | 1 | 8 |
| 3 38 ft 4 in | sets for a company | | | |
| | at reduced strength) | | | |

*May be partial issue of Class 60 steel treadway bridge transportation same as Class 60 bridge set. See table 6-19

Table 6-22. Approximate Erection Times for Heavy Bridge (excluding anchorage system)

| Length (Normol) | Recommended constr unit | FLT BRG PLT REQ FOR SUP | Number of osy sites(s) | Time hours |
|-----------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|------------|
| 150 | 1 company | 2 bridge plts | 2 | 4 |
| 200 | 1 company | 2 bridge plts | 2 | 5 |
| 250 | 1 company | 3 bridge plts | 2 | 6 |
| 300 | 2 companies | 3 bridge plts | 3 | 4 |
| 350 | 2 companies | 4 bridge plts | 3 | 5 |
| 400 | 2 companies | 5 bridge plts | 4 | 5½ |
| 500 | 2 companies | 5 bridge plts | 5 | 6 |
| 600 | 1 engr bn | 5 bridge plts | 6 | 4 |
| 700 | 1 engr bn | 6 bridge plts | 6 | 5-7 |
| 800 | 1 engr bn | 6 bridge plts | 6 | 6-8 |
| 1000 | 1 engr bn | 8 bridge plts | 6 | 7-10 |
| 1200 | 1 engr bn | 10 bridge plts | 6 | 8-12 |

1. Assembly site layout ideal 100 ft X 100 ft Erection time is for trained troops
2. Each assembly site crew consisting of 53 EM, exclusive and site crews

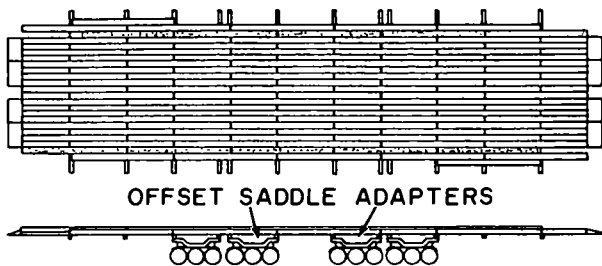


Figure 6-19. M4T6 reinforced raft.

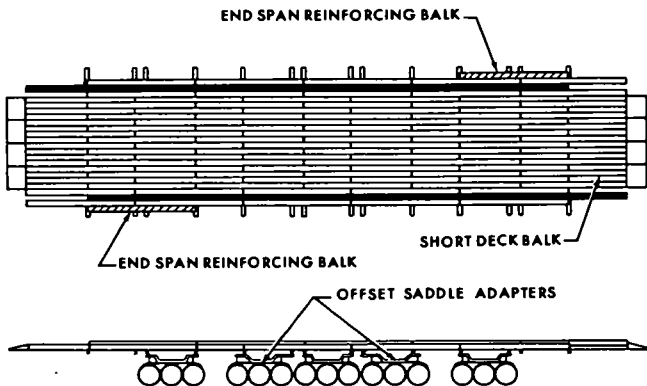


Figure 6-20. Five-float reinforced raft.

e. *M4T6 Fixed Spons.* Components of the superstructure of the M4T6 bridge can be used in an unsupported or supported fixed span. Common lengths of M4T6 fixed spans are 23 feet 4 inches, 30 feet, 38 feet 4 inches and 45 feet. The most common is the 38-foot 4 inch span. The 45 foot fixed span is shown in figure 6-21. Other fixed spans are constructed by shortening the standard bolk pattern of the 45-foot fixed span. The load classes of fixed spans are shown in table 6-23. Two trestle sets are issued with the bridge set. The use of trestles is illustrated in figure 6-16.

6-9. RAFT OPERATION

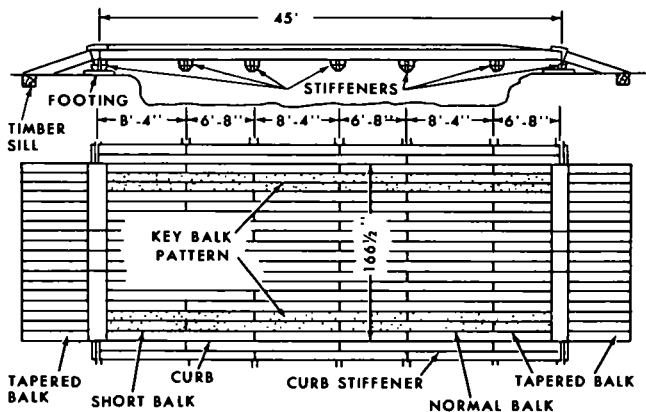
a. *Power.* Rafts built from standard bridge sets may be powered by properly rigged 19-foot or 27-foot bridge erection power boats. One 19-foot boat may be used in currents of not over 5 fps. In currents over 5 fps, normally two 19-foot boats may be substituted for one 27-foot boat. Rafts built from the light tactical raft set normally are powered by four outboard motors. Three of the motors are used to operate the raft and the fourth is kept in reserve. When stream velocities are such as to preclude pushing the raft straight across the stream with available power boats, the unloading point must be downstream from the loading point. Use steel pickets in hard soil and wood pickets in softer silt to form holdfasts to secure rafts for loading and unloading.

b. *Personnel.* Standard rafts require approximately one squad for operation in addition to power boat operators.

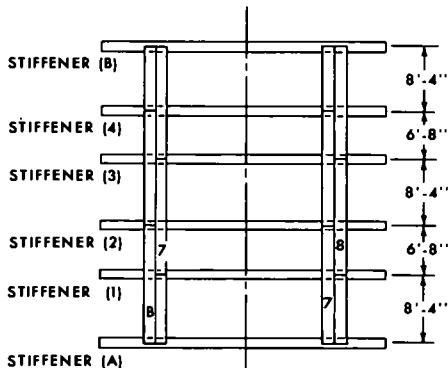
Section IV. Amphibious River Crossing Equipment

6-10. FRENCH EQUIPMENT

a. *Description.* This amphibious river crossing equipment consists of two major items: the amphibious bridge vehicle, Class 60 (ABV-60); the amphibious ramp vehicle, Class 60 (ARV-60). The basic unit of each amphibious vehicle is a welded steel plate watertight hull mounted in a four-wheel drive chassis. To insure stability and buoyancy during navigation, each vehicle is equipped with two pneumatic floats about 36 feet in length and 4½ feet in diameter attached to the sides. A compressor is kept in operation during water travel to maintain a constant pressure on the floats. An integral part of each ABV 60 is 26 feet 3 inches of decking, folded for road transport, and pivoted and widened for bridge construction. After entering the water, the deck section is rotated 90°, widened to 13 feet 2 inches, and deck filler panels are added. The effective length of the ramp of the ARV-60 is 26 feet 3 inches. It is 13 feet 2 inches wide.



① LAYOUT



② H - FRAME FOR BALK FIXED SPAN

Figure 6-21. Layout of deck-balk fixed bridge.

Table 6-23. Classes of Aluminum Deck Balk Fixed Spans

| Type of crossing | Capacity for specified span length (ft) and ratio of deck/roadway widths | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------|--|------------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| | 23'4" | 30'0" | | | | 38'4" | | | | 45'0" | | | | | |
| | $\frac{22}{18}$ | $\frac{22}{18}$ | $\frac{22}{16}$ | $\frac{24}{18}$ | $\frac{22}{18}$ | $\frac{22}{16}$ | $\frac{24}{18}$ | $\frac{26}{18}$ | $\frac{20}{16}$ | $\frac{22}{18}$ | $\frac{22}{16}$ | $\frac{24}{18}$ | $\frac{24}{16}$ | $\frac{26}{18}$ | $\frac{26}{16}$ |
| NORMAL | $\frac{120^*}{100}$ | $\frac{85}{75}$ | $\frac{90}{70}$ | $\frac{90}{70}$ | $\frac{45}{35}$ | $\frac{50}{40}$ | $\frac{55}{45}$ | $\frac{65}{50}$ | $\frac{24}{25}$ | $\frac{24}{25}$ | $\frac{30}{30}$ | $\frac{30}{30}$ | $\frac{40}{35}$ | $\frac{40}{35}$ | $\frac{45}{40}$ |
| CAUTION | $\frac{120^*}{100^*}$ | $\frac{100}{80}$ | $\frac{100}{80}$ | $\frac{105}{85}$ | $\frac{70}{51}$ | $\frac{70}{51}$ | $\frac{75}{55}$ | $\frac{82}{50}$ | $\frac{40}{35}$ | $\frac{46}{40}$ | $\frac{46}{40}$ | $\frac{51}{43}$ | $\frac{51}{43}$ | $\frac{56}{46}$ | $\frac{56}{46}$ |
| RISK | $\frac{120^*}{100}$ | $\frac{110}{90}$ | $\frac{110}{90}$ | $\frac{115}{95}$ | $\frac{78}{57}$ | $\frac{78}{57}$ | $\frac{85}{62}$ | $\frac{90}{67}$ | $\frac{47}{40}$ | $\frac{54}{45}$ | $\frac{54}{45}$ | $\frac{60}{49}$ | $\frac{60}{49}$ | $\frac{66}{53}$ | $\frac{66}{53}$ |

1. Deck Width (Number of Balk)

*Limited by Roadway Width

 $\frac{22}{18}$ Roadway Width (Number of Balk)

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b. *Copocity.* The French ARCE is classified as a Class 60 bridge in currents up to 9 feet per second.

c. *Operation.* A four-man crew, consisting of a driver, pilot, and two crewmen, is required to operate the vehicle on land, in the water, and during bridge construction. The ABV-60 enters the water, ready for incorporation into a bridge or raft, as a 26 foot 3 inch floating section. All movement of the decking during construction is hydraulically controlled. As successive units enter the water, they are joined until the required length of bridge has been built. The end ramp is transported by the ARV-60. The carrier unit positions the ramp for connection to the bridge and is disengaged when the connection has been made. All movement of the ramp during construction and operation is done by the hydraulic system of the carrier and bridge vehicle to which it is connected.

d. *Rafting.* The construction procedure for 2, 3, 4, and 5 unit rafts is similar to that used for the bridge. The time required varies from 15 minutes (2 unit) to 25 minutes (5 unit). In such case, about 10 minutes is required for connection of the ramps. See table 6-24 for raft construction and classification.

Table 6-24. ARCE Raft Capacities

| Raft construction | Current 0-4.9 | Velocity 5.0-6.6 | FPS 6.7-8.2 |
|-------------------|------------------|---------------------|----------------|
| 2 Unit..... | 55 | 49.5 | 4.4 |
| 3 Unit..... | 88 | 80.3 | 71.5 |
| 4 Unit..... | 121 | 110 | 99 |

6-11. MOBILE ASSAULT BRIDGE/EQUIPMENT (MAB)

a. *Description.* This amphibious river crossing equipment consists of a basic hull of aluminum plate with either an intermediate superstructure or an articulating ramp end section mounted on top of it. The hull alone provides all the buoyancy for the vehicle and the bridge load. The four wheels which propel the MAB unit on land retract in the water and the wheel wells can be air pressurized for added buoyancy. Similar to the ARCE, the MAB has a superstructure which is rotated 90° to form one bay of bridge decking. The effective length of the ramp is 36 feet and the interior bay is 26 feet.

b. *Copocity.* The MAB is classified as a Class 60 bridge.

c. *Operation.* A three-man crew operates the bridge unit on land and in the water, rotating the superstructure and maneuvering to connect the unit to another interior bay or ramp unit. The ramp does not disconnect from the ramp vehicle as with the ARCE.

d. *Allocation.* The MAB is allocated to the Divisional Engineer Battalion. One MAB company consists of 16 interior bays and 8 end bays. The effective length of one bridge is 488 feet.

e. *Rafting.* The construction procedure for MAB rafts is similar to that used for bridging. A four unit raft consisting of two end bays and two interior bays capable of carrying a Class 60 load at 8 mph, can be assembled by its crew of three men per unit in about 8 minutes. Table 6-25 shows classification of MAB rafts. Table 6-26 contains specifications for MAB equipment.

Table 6-25. MAB Raft Capacities

| Raft construction | Classification in current up to 8 fps |
|-------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 2 end bays..... | 25 |
| 3 bays..... | 40 |
| 4 bays..... | 60 |
| 5 bays..... | 75 |
| 6 bays..... | 90 |

Table 6-26. Mobile Assault Bridge Vehicles

| Specification | U.S. | French |
|--|-----------|--------|
| Vehicle length..... | 42'3" | 39'11" |
| Vehicle width—land travel..... | 12' | 10'6" |
| intermediate..... | | 13' |
| water travel..... | 12' | 19'8" |
| Vehicle height—interior bay..... | 10'6" | 12'10" |
| end bay..... | 11'9" | 12'10" |
| Draft—unloaded | | |
| Wheel wells at atmospheric pressure..... | 2'7" | |
| Wheel wells pressurized..... | 2'0" | 2'0" |
| Weight ton—interior bay..... | 23.25 | 29.70 |
| end bay..... | 25.80 | 30.20 |
| Turning radius..... | 40' | 57'5" |
| Vehicle speed—land travel..... | 42 mph | 45 mph |
| Fuel tank capacity—U.S. gallons..... | 100 | 132 |
| Engine horsepower..... | 335 | 222 |
| Superstructure dimensions | | |
| Length—interior bay..... | 26' | 26'3" |
| end bay..... | 36' | 26'3" |
| Width..... | 13'6" | 13'2" |
| Ramp articulation | | |
| Above horizontal..... | Any angle | 5'6" |
| Below horizontal..... | 6'3" | 5'6" |

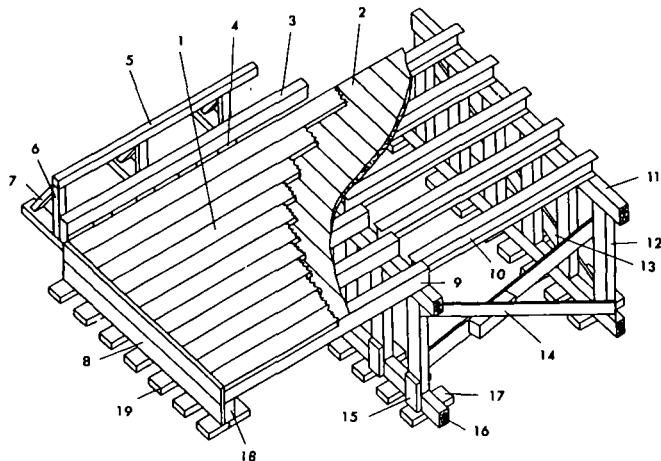
CHAPTER 7

FIXED BRIDGES

Section I. Highway Bridge Classification

7-1. NOMENCLATURE

a. *Superstructure.* A timber trestle bridge (fig. 7-1) is one of the simplest types of bridges built in a theater of operations. Steel or timber stringers rest on near- and far-shore abutments and intermediate supports. The load carrying component of the superstructure is the stringer system, which may be rectangular timber, round timber, or steel beams. Steel stringers are either I-beams, wide-flange beams, channel beams, or built-up beams. Maximum span will depend on the size beam and capacity required.



(NUMBERS REFER TO TABLE 7-1)

Figure 7-1. Timber trestle bridge.

Table 7-1. Bridge Components of Timber Trestle Bridge

| No. | Bridge components | Common sizes or references |
|-----|---------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1 | Tread..... | 2" X 10" X Random Length. |
| 2 | Open-laminated deck..... | Variable Size. |
| 3 | Curb..... | 6" X 6" X Random Length. |
| 4 | Curb riser block..... | 6" X 10" X Random Length. |
| 5 | Handrail..... | 2" X 4" X Random Length. |
| 6 | Handrail post..... | 4" X 4" X 3'-0". |
| 7 | Handrail kneebrace..... | 2" X 4" X Length to Suit. |
| 8 | End dam..... | Use tread material (1). |
| 9 | Timber stringers..... | See para 7-5a. |
| 10 | Steel stringers..... | See para 7-5c. |
| 11 | Cap..... | See para 7-6f. |
| 12 | Posts..... | See para 7-6i. |
| 13 | Traverse bracing..... | 2" X 10" or 3" X 8". |
| 14 | Longitudinal bracing..... | 4" X 6" or 3" X 8". |
| 15 | Scabs..... | Use tread material (1). |
| 16 | Sill..... | Same size as cap (11). |
| 17 | Footings..... | See para 7-6a. |
| 18 | Abutment sill..... | Same size as cap (11). |
| 19 | Abutment footings..... | Same size as footings (17). |

b. Substructure. Intermediate supports for the superstructure may be timber bents (fig. 7-2), timber piers (fig. 7-3), pile bents (fig. 7-4), or a combination of these supports. Deep water, swift current, or adverse footing conditions require the use of piles.

7-2. HIGHWAY STRINGER BRIDGE CLASSIFICATION

a. Procedure. Bridge classification as discussed herein is based on the class of the superstructure only, since this is considered to be the controlling feature in bridge classification. The theoretical substructure design for the given superstructure can be determined using the bridge design card (para 7-6) and then comparing the result with the substructure in place as a basis of determining whether or not the bridge classification should be lowered. The condition of both superstructure and substructure components should be examined closely for damage or deterioration and the probable effect on the bridge capacity.

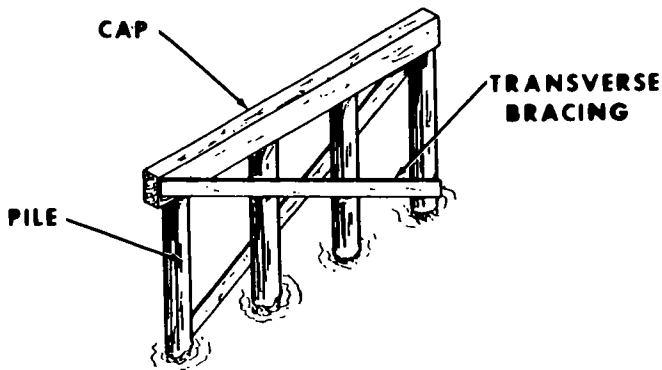


Figure 7-2. Timber trestle bent.

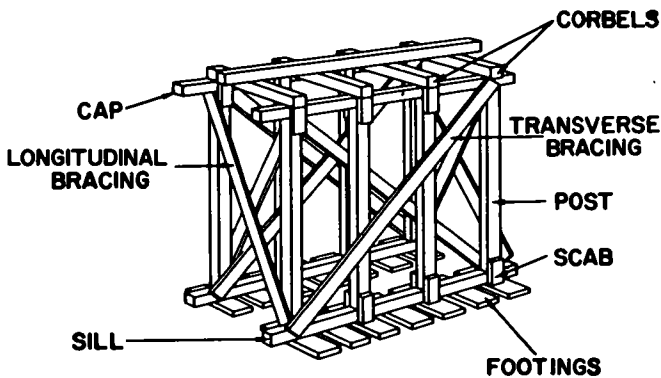


Figure 7-3. Timber trestle pier.

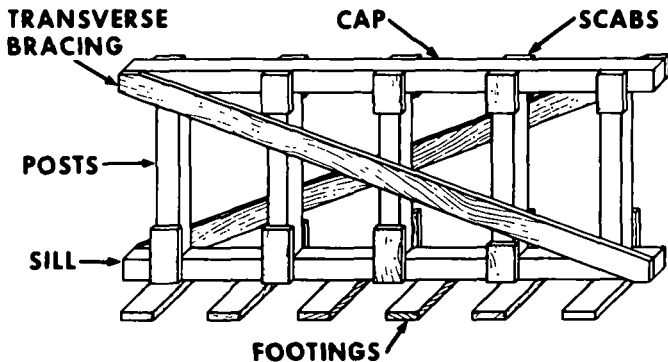


Figure 7-4. Pile bent.

b. *Timber Stringers.* Classify the weakest span to obtain the classification of the bridge. If the weakest span is unknown, use the following procedure for each span.

(1) Measure width and depth of stringers (measure diameter of stringer if circular), span length, and width of roadway. Count total number of stringers in the span. If overhead obstruction exists determine the amount of overhead clearance to the roadway.

(2) Obtain maximum allowable bending moment per stringer (m) from table 7-2. Use the formula in figure 7-5 to obtain (m) for a concrete T-beam bridge.

(3) Read dead load per foot of bridge (W_{DL}) from figure 7-6, then divide by the total number of stringers to obtain w_{DL} .

(4) Knowing w_{DL} and the span length determine the moment per stringer (m_{DL}) due to the dead load, from figure 7-7.

(5) Calculate the allowable live moment per stringer (m_{LL}) due to live load: $m_{LL} = m - m_{DL}$.

Note. Check maximum span length (L_m) of stringer. If L_m obtained from table 7-2 is greater than span length (L) proceed to step 6. If the maximum span length (L_m) of the stringer is less than the span length (L) reduce m_{LL} by the ratio L_m/L and proceed to step 6.

Table 7-2. Properties of Timber Stringers

| Actual size (b × d) (in) | (a) Moment capacity m (kip-ft) | (b) Shear capacity v (kips) | (c) Maximum span Length (L_m) (ft) | Actual size (b × d) (in) | (a) Moment capacity m (kip-ft) | (b) Shear capacity v (kips) | (c) Maximum span Length (L_m) (ft) |
|--------------------------------|--|---|--|--------------------------------|--|---|--|
| 4 × 8 | 8.53 | 3.2 | 9.5 | 12 × 20 | 160.0 | 24.0 | 23.8 |
| *4 × 10 | 13.33 | 4.0 | 11.9 | 12 × 22 | 193.6 | 26.4 | 26.2 |
| *4 × 12 | 19.20 | 4.8 | 14.3 | 12 × 24 | 230 | 28.8 | 28.6 |
| 6 × 8 | 12.80 | 4.8 | 9.5 | 14 × 14 | 91.5 | 19.6 | 16.7 |
| 6 × 10 | 20.0 | 6.0 | 11.9 | 14 × 16 | 119.5 | 22.4 | 19.1 |
| 6 × 12 | 28.8 | 7.2 | 14.3 | 14 × 18 | 151.2 | 25.2 | 21.5 |
| *6 × 14 | 39.2 | 8.4 | 16.7 | 14 × 20 | 186.7 | 28.0 | 23.8 |
| *6 × 16 | 51.2 | 9.6 | 19.1 | 14 × 22 | 226 | 30.8 | 26.2 |
| *6 × 18 | 64.8 | 10.8 | 21.5 | 14 × 24 | 269 | 33.6 | 28.6 |
| 8 × 8 | 17.07 | 6.4 | 9.5 | 16 × 16 | 136.5 | 25.6 | 19.1 |
| 8 × 10 | 26.7 | 8.0 | 11.9 | 16 × 18 | 172.8 | 28.8 | 21.5 |
| 8 × 12 | 38.4 | 9.6 | 14.3 | 16 × 20 | 213 | 32.0 | 23.8 |
| 8 × 14 | 52.3 | 11.2 | 16.7 | 16 × 22 | 258 | 35.2 | 26.2 |
| 8 × 16 | 68.3 | 12.8 | 19.1 | 16 × 24 | 307 | 38.4 | 28.6 |
| *8 × 18 | 86.4 | 14.4 | 21.5 | 18 × 18 | 194.4 | 32.4 | 21.5 |
| *8 × 20 | 106.7 | 16.4 | 23.8 | 18 × 20 | 240 | 36.0 | 23.8 |
| *8 × 22 | 129.1 | 17.6 | 26.2 | 18 × 22 | 290 | 39.6 | 26.2 |
| *8 × 24 | 153.6 | 19.2 | 28.6 | 18 × 24 | 346 | 43.2 | 28.6 |
| 10 × 10 | 33.3 | 10.0 | 11.9 | 8φ | 10.05 | 5.7 | 9.5 |
| 10 × 12 | 48.0 | 12.0 | 14.3 | 9φ | 14.31 | 7.2 | 10.7 |
| 10 × 14 | 65.3 | 14.0 | 16.7 | 10φ | 19.63 | 8.8 | 11.9 |
| 10 × 16 | 85.3 | 16.0 | 19.1 | 11φ | 26.1 | 10.6 | 13.1 |
| 10 × 18 | 108.0 | 18.0 | 21.5 | 12φ | 33.9 | 12.7 | 14.3 |
| 10 × 20 | 133.3 | 20.0 | 23.8 | 13φ | 43.1 | 15.0 | 15.5 |
| *10 × 22 | 161.3 | 22.0 | 26.2 | 14φ | 53.9 | 17.4 | 16.7 |
| *10 × 24 | 192.0 | 24.0 | 28.6 | 16φ | 80.4 | 22.6 | 19.1 |
| 12 × 12 | 57.6 | 14.4 | 14.3 | 18φ | 114.5 | 28.6 | 21.5 |
| 12 × 24 | 78.4 | 16.8 | 16.7 | 20φ | 157.1 | 35.4 | 23.8 |
| 12 × 16 | 102.4 | 19.2 | 19.1 | 22φ | 209 | 42.7 | 26.2 |
| 12 × 18 | 129.6 | 21.6 | 21.5 | 24φ | 271 | 50.8 | 28.6 |

Key to symbols:

φ Diameter

* Lateral bracing required at mid-point and ends of span.

(a) For rectangular stringer not listed, $m = \frac{bd^2}{30}$ For o round stringer not listed, $m = .02d^2$ (b) For rectangular stringer not listed, $v = \frac{bd}{10}$ For o round stringer not listed, $v = .09d^2$ (c) For stringer not listed, $L_m = 1.19d$

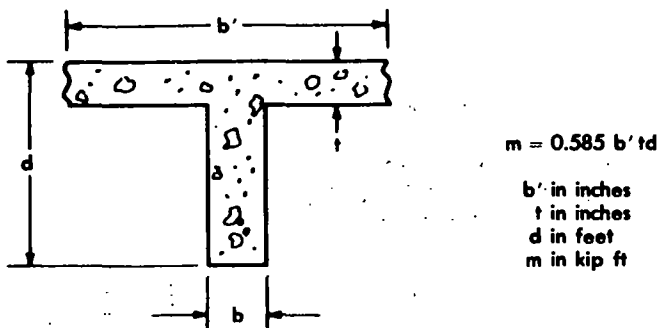


Figure 7-5. Concrete T-beam section.

(6) Compute stringer spacing (S_s).

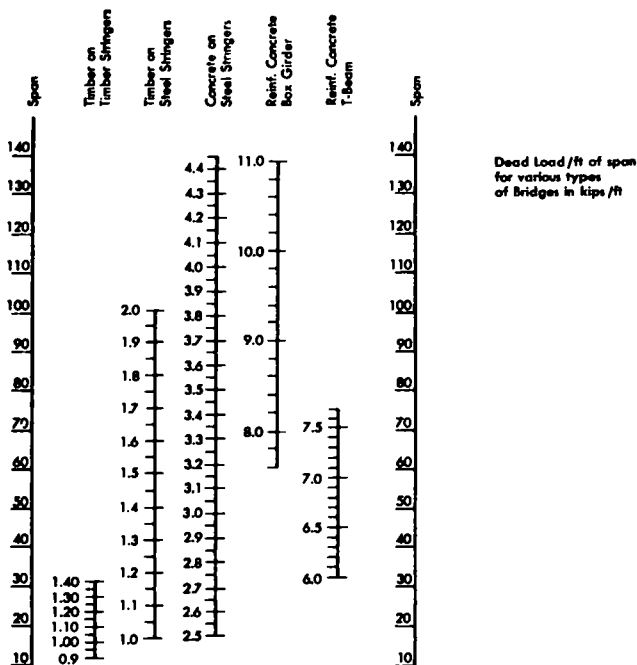
$$S_s = \frac{W_R}{N_s - 1}$$

Read the effective number of stringers (N_1) for one-way traffic from figure 7-8. Compute effective number of stringers for two-way traffic (N_2).

$$N_2 = \frac{2}{3} N_s$$

where N_s equals the total number of stringers in the span. Compare N_1 and N_2 . If N_2 is greater than N_1 the one- and two-way class will be the same and the value of N_1 is used to determine the class. If N_2 is less than N_1 , N_2 will be used to determine the two-way class and N_1 will be used to determine the one-way class.

(7) Determine the live load moment per lane (M_{LL}) by entering figure 7-9, with the value of m_{LL} obtained from step 5 and either N_1 or N_2 as obtained in step 6.



- Notes: 1. Span is center to center of supports in feet.
 2. All dead load weights are in kips/ft of bridge.
 3. Weights are for a 24' roadway. If roadway width is different multiply by, $\frac{x}{24}$, where x is actual roadway width.

Figure 7-6. Dead load nomograph.

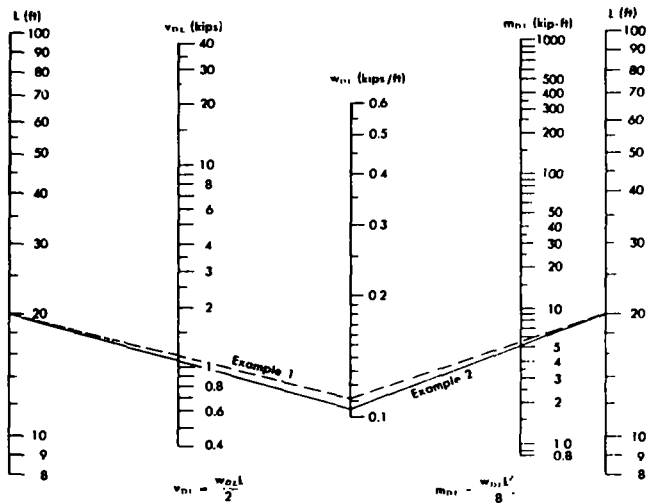


Figure 7-7. Dead load moment and shear.

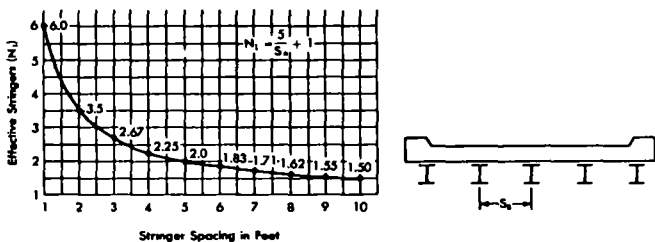


Figure 7-8. Stringer spacing graph.

(8) Determine the classification of the bridge based on bending moment by entering figure 7-10 (moment graph) with M_{LL} as obtained from step 7 and the span length as measured.

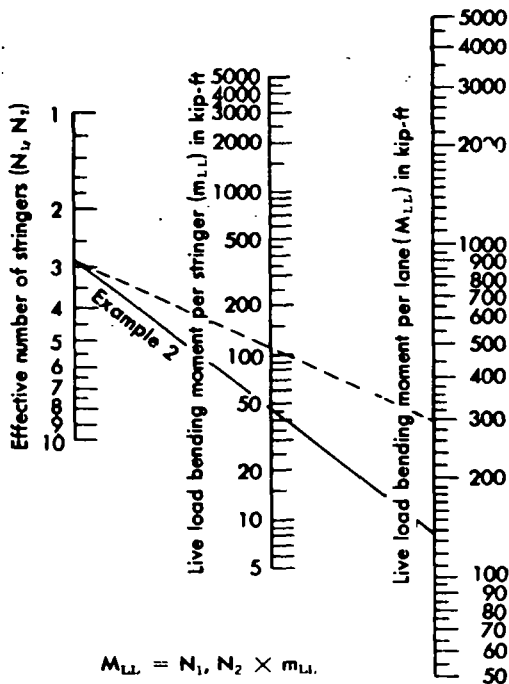


Figure 7-9. Live load moment/lane (M_{LL})

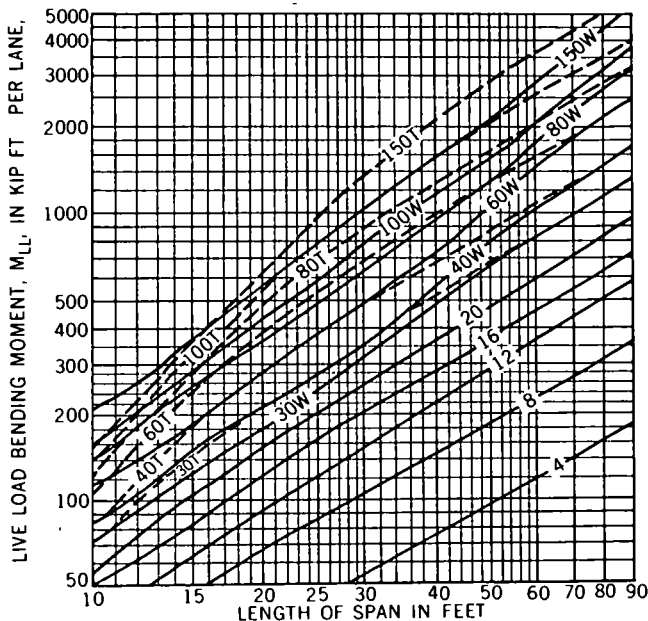


Figure 7-10. Mament graph.

(9) Obtain maximum allowable shear per stringer (v) from table 7-2. (See figure 7-5 for concrete T-beam section.)

(10) Knowing w_{DL} from step 3 and the span length, determine dead load shear per stringer (v_{DL}) from figure 7-7.

(11) Knowing the maximum allowable shear per stringer (v) from step 9 and the dead load shear per stringer (v_{DL}) from step 10, calculate the allowable live load shear per stringer (v_{LL}) from: $v_{LL} = v - v_{DL}$.

(12) Determine the live load shear per lane (V_{LL}) by entering figure 7-11 with v_{LL} and either N_1 or N_2 as determined in step 6.

(13) Determine the bridge classification based on shear by entering the shear graph (fig. 7-12) with the value for v_{LL} obtained in step 12 and the measured span length.

(14) Compare the classifications obtained in step 8 for bending moment and in step 13 for shear. The lower of the two classifications obtained will govern.

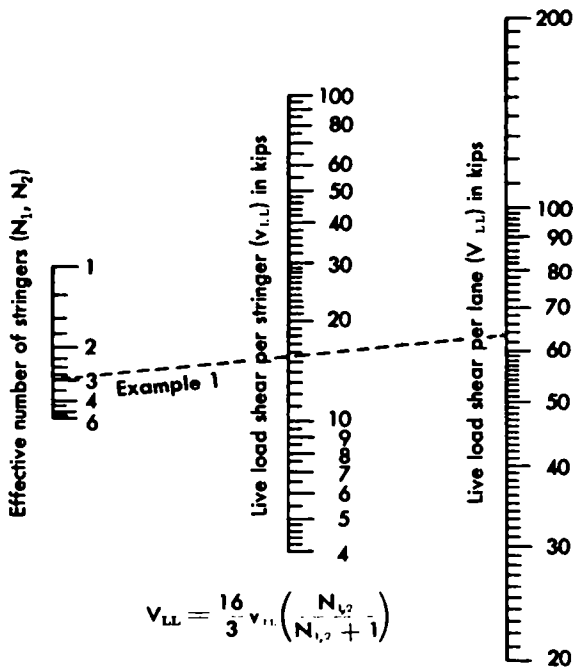


Figure 7-11. Live load shear per lane (V_{LL}).

(15) Check the width and clearance restrictions (tables 5-1 and 5-2) and downgrade the two-way class or post a width restriction sign for one-way class.

(16) Check decking chart (fig. 7-13) based on deck thickness and stringer spacing. Downgrade the classification if the deck thickness controls.

(17) Check lateral bracing. Lateral braces are required as indicated in table 7-2. If necessary add bracing as required before posting bridge classification.

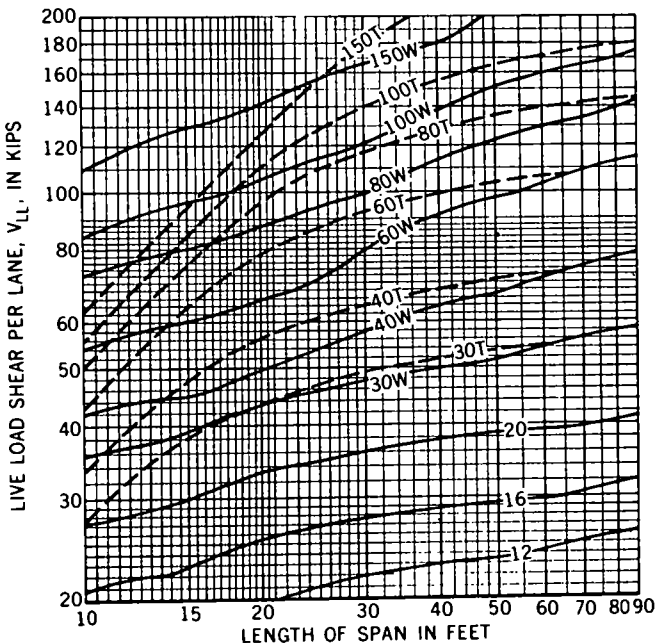


Figure 7-12. Shear graph.

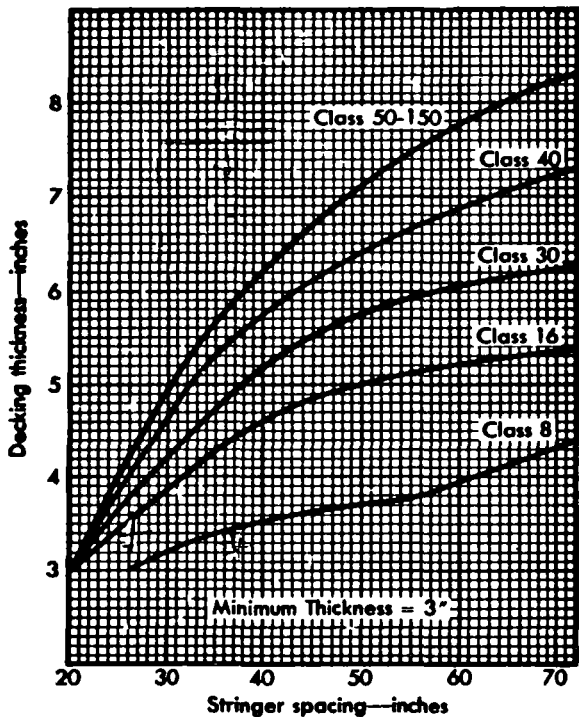


Figure 7-13. Decking chart.

c. Example (1), Classification of Timber Stringer Bridge. Classify a two-lane timber stringer bridge having no overhead obstructions; span 20 feet, 10 stringers, each 10" \times 18" actual dimensions; roadway width (W_R) 24 feet; timber decking 5 inches thick; no lateral braces.

- (1) Make field measurements to determine above information.

(2) $m = 108.0 \text{ kip-ft.}$

(3) $w_{DL} = \frac{1.12 \text{ kips}}{10} = 0.112 \text{ kips per foot of span.}$

(4) $m_{DL} = 6.0 \text{ kip-ft.}$

(5) $m_{LL} = 108.0 - 6.0 = 102 \text{ kip-ft.}$

$L_M \text{ for } 10 \times 18 = 21.5 \text{ ft} > 20 \text{ ft} \therefore \text{OK.}$

(6) Stringer spacing (S_S) = $\frac{W_R}{N_S - 1} = \frac{24}{10 - 1} = 2.67 \text{ ft.}$

$N_1 = 2.9; N_2 = \frac{3}{8}(10) = 3.75$

N_2 is greater than N_1 , therefore one- and two-way class will be the same. Use N_1 to determine both one- and two-way class.

(7) $M_{LL} = 290 \text{ kip-feet.}$

(8) Class based on moment from figure 7-10 is:

Wheel—60

Track—40

(9) $v = 18 \text{ kips (from table 7-2).}$

(10) $v_{DL} = 1.1 \text{ kips (from fig. 7-7).}$

(11) $v_{LL} = 18.0 - 1.1 = 16.9 \text{ kips.}$

(12) $v_{LL} = 63 \text{ kips from figure 7-11.}$

(13) Class based on shear from figure 7-12 is:

Wheel—60

Track—48

(14) Comparing classifications obtained from moment and shear (steps 8 and 13) one- and two-way classification is:

Wheel—60

Track—40

(15) There are no width or height (clearance) restrictions.

(16) Deck thickness is 5 inches with stringer spacing of 32 inches yields class 40 from figure 7-13, so deck thickness controls and classification is:

Wheel—40

Track—40

(17) No lateral bracing is required.

d. **Steel Stringers.** Classify the weakest span to obtain the classification of the bridge. If the weakest span is unknown use the following procedure for each span.

(1) Measure stringer dimensions to obtain information required by table 7-3, and measure span length and width of roadway. Count total number of stringers in one span. If overhead obstruction is present, measure the overhead clearance.

(2) Same as step b(2) for timber bridges except use table 7-3.

Table 7-3. Properties of Steel Stringers

| Nominal size | Actual depth (d) (in) | Actual width (b) (in) | Flange thickness (t _f) (in) | Web thickness (t _w) (in) | Moment capacity m (kip-ft) | Shear capacity v (kips) | Max span length (L _m) (ft) | Max bracing spacing (S _b) (ft) |
|--------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--|---|-------------------------------|----------------------------|---|---|
| 518U278 | 51½ | 14 | 1½ | ¾ | 3067 | 594 | 133 | 15 |
| *39WF211 | 39½ | 11½ | 1½ | ¾ | 1770 | 450 | 100 | 15 |
| *37WF206 | 37½ | 11½ | 1½ | ¾ | 1656 | 425 | 95 | 15 |
| 36WF300 | 36½ | 16½ | 1½ | 1½ | 2486 | 520 | 94 | 25.5 |
| 36WF194 | 36½ | 12½ | 1½ | 1½ | 1492 | 431 | 93 | 14 |
| 36WF182 | 36½ | 12½ | 1½ | ¾ | 1397 | 406 | 93 | 13 |
| 36WF170 | 36½ | 12 | 1½ | 1½ | 1302 | 381 | 92 | 12 |
| 36WF160 | 36 | 12 | 1 | 1½ | 1217 | 365 | 92 | 11.5 |
| 36WF230 | 35½ | 16½ | 1½ | ¾ | 1879 | 421 | 91 | 19.5 |
| 36WF150 | 35½ | 12 | 1½ | ¾ | 1131 | 350 | 91 | 10.5 |
| *36WF201 | 35½ | 11½ | 1½ | ¾ | 1545 | 402 | 90 | 16 |
| 33WF196 | 33½ | 11½ | 1½ | ¾ | 1433 | 377 | 85 | 17 |
| 33WF220 | 33½ | 15½ | 1½ | 1½ | 1661 | 392 | 85 | 20 |
| 33WF141 | 33½ | 11½ | 1½ | ¾ | 1005 | 313 | 85 | 11 |
| 33WF130 | 33½ | 11½ | ¾ | ¾ | 911 | 300 | 85 | 10 |
| 33WF200 | 33 | 15½ | 1½ | ¾ | 1506 | 362 | 84 | 18.5 |
| *31WF180 | 31½ | 11½ | 1½ | 1½ | 1327 | 327 | 80 | 16.5 |
| 30WF124 | 30½ | 10½ | 1½ | ¾ | 797 | 273 | 77 | 11 |
| 30WF116 | 30 | 10½ | ¾ | ¾ | 738 | 263 | 76 | 10 |
| 30WF108 | 29½ | 10½ | ¾ | ¾ | 672 | 255 | 76 | 9 |
| *30WF175 | 29½ | 11½ | 1½ | 1½ | 1156 | 304 | 75 | 17.5 |
| *27WF171 | 27½ | 11½ | 1½ | 1½ | 1059 | 282 | 70 | 18.5 |
| 27WF102 | 27½ | 10 | 1½ | ¾ | 599 | 217 | 69 | 10 |
| 27WF94 | 26½ | 10 | ¾ | ¾ | 546 | 205 | 68 | 9 |
| *26WF157 | 25½ | 11½ | 1½ | ¾ | 915 | 237 | 65 | 19 |
| 24WF94 | 24½ | 9 | ¾ | ¾ | 497 | 191 | 62 | 11 |
| 24WF84 | 24½ | 9 | ¾ | ¾ | 442 | 174 | 61 | 9.5 |
| 24WF100 | 24 | 12 | ¾ | ¾ | 560 | 173 | 61 | 13 |
| 24I120 | 24 | 8 | 1½ | 1½ | 564 | 286 | 61 | 12.5 |
| 24I106 | 24 | 7½ | 1½ | ¾ | 527 | 224 | 61 | 12 |
| 24I80 | 24 | 7 | ¾ | ¾ | 391 | 183 | 61 | 8.5 |
| 24WF76 | 23½ | 9 | 1½ | ¾ | 394 | 163 | 61 | 8.5 |
| *24WF153 | 23½ | 11½ | 1½ | ¾ | 828 | 217 | 60 | 20.5 |
| *24I134 | 23½ | 8½ | 1½ | 1½ | 634 | 283 | 60 | 15 |
| *22I75 | 22 | 7 | 1½ | ¾ | 308 | 168 | 56 | 8.5 |

Table 7-3. Properties of Steel Stringers—Continued

| Nominal size | Actual depth (d) (in) | Actual width (b) (in) | Flange thickness (t _f) (in) | Web thickness (t _w) (in) | Moment capacity m (kip-ft) | Shear capacity v (kips) | Max span length (L _m) (ft) | Max bracing spacing (S _b) (ft) |
|--------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|---|--------------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|--|--|
| *21WF139 | 21 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1 $\frac{3}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 699 | 198 | 55 | 24.5 |
| *21I112 | 21 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1 $\frac{3}{8}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | 495 | 238 | 55 | 14.5 |
| 21WF73 | 21 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 338 | 148 | 54 | 9.5 |
| 21WF68 | 21 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 315 | 140 | 54 | 9 |
| 21WF62 | 21 | 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 284 | 130 | 53 | 8 |
| 20I85 | 20 | 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 337 | 195 | 51 | 11 |
| *20I65 | 20 | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 245 | 132 | 51 | 9 |
| *20WF134 | 19 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1 $\frac{3}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 621 | 177 | 50 | 23.5 |
| 18WF60 | 18 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 243 | 115 | 46 | 9.5 |
| *18I86 | 18 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 7 | 1 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 326 | 184 | 46 | 13 |
| 18WF55 | 18 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 220 | 108 | 46 | 8.5 |
| *18I80 | 18 | 8 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 292 | 133 | 46 | 14 |
| 18WF50 | 18 | 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 200 | 99 | 46 | 8 |
| 18I55 | 18 | 6 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 199 | 126 | 46 | 7.5 |
| *18WF122 | 17 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1 $\frac{3}{8}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 648 | 145 | 45 | 23.5 |
| *18I62 | 17 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 238 | 100 | 45 | 9.5 |
| *18I77 | 17 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 281 | 163 | 45 | 11.5 |
| 16WF112 | 16 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1 | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 450 | 136 | 42 | 23.5 |
| *16I70 | 16 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 238 | 146 | 42 | 12 |
| 16WF50 | 16 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 181 | 94 | 41 | 9 |
| 16WF45 | 16 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 7 | $\frac{3}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 163 | 85 | 41 | 8 |
| 16WF64 | 16 | 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 234 | 106 | 40 | 12.5 |
| 16WF40 | 16 | 7 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 145 | 75 | 40 | 7.5 |
| *16I50 | 16 | 6 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 155 | 105 | 40 | 8.5 |
| 16WF36 | 15 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 7 | $\frac{3}{8}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 127 | 74 | 40 | 6.5 |
| *16WF110 | 15 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1 | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 345 | 127 | 40 | 25 |
| *16I62 | 15 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 200 | 129 | 40 | 11.5 |
| *16I45 | 15 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 150 | 104 | 40 | 7.5 |
| *15WF103 | 15 | 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 369 | 121 | 38 | 24.5 |
| 15I56 | 15 | 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 173 | 110 | 38 | 10.5 |
| 15I43 | 15 | 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 132 | 93 | 38 | 7.5 |
| *14WF101 | 14 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 344 | 114 | 36 | 26 |
| *14I40 | 14 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 119 | 83 | 36 | 8 |
| 14I51 | 14 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 150 | 104 | 36 | 10 |
| 14I70 | 14 | 8 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 204 | 87 | 35 | 18 |

Table 7-3. Properties of Steel Stringers—Continued

| Nominal size | Actual depth (d) (in) | Actual width (b) (in) | Flange thickness (t_f) (in) | Web thickness (t_w) (in) | Moment capacity m (kip-ft) | Shear capacity v (kips) | Max span length (L_m) (ft) | Max bracing spacing (S_b) (ft) |
|--------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| *14I57 | 14 | 6 | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 153 | 101 | 35 | 12.5 |
| *14I40 | 14 | $5\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 121 | 78 | 35 | 8 |
| 14WF34 | 14 | $6\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 109 | 61 | 35 | 7.5 |
| 14WF30 | $13\frac{1}{2}$ | $6\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 94 | 58 | 35 | 6 |
| *14WF92 | $13\frac{1}{2}$ | $11\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 297 | 96 | 34 | 25.5 |
| *14I46 | $13\frac{1}{2}$ | $5\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 126 | 99 | 34 | 9 |
| *13I35 | 13 | 5 | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 85 | 72 | 33 | 8 |
| *13I41 | $12\frac{1}{2}$ | $5\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 108 | 104 | 32 | 9.5 |
| 12WF36 | $12\frac{1}{2}$ | $6\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 103 | 56 | 31 | 9.5 |
| *12I65 | 12 | 8 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 182 | 73 | 30 | 21 |
| 12WF27 | 12 | $6\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 76 | 44 | 30 | 7 |
| 12I50 | 12 | $5\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 113 | 120 | 30 | 10 |
| 12I32 | 12 | 5 | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 81 | 62 | 30 | 7.5 |
| *12I34 | $11\frac{1}{2}$ | $4\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 81 | 72 | 28 | 8.5 |
| *11WF76 | 11 | 11 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 202 | 77 | 28 | 27 |
| *10I29 | $10\frac{1}{2}$ | $4\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 67 | 48 | 27 | 8.5 |
| 10WF25 | $10\frac{1}{2}$ | $5\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 59 | 38 | 25 | 8 |
| *10I40 | 10 | 6 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 92 | 53 | 25 | 14 |
| 10I35 | 10 | 5 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 65 | 88 | 25 | 8 |
| 10I25 | 10 | $4\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 55 | 46 | 25 | 7.5 |
| 10WF21 | $9\frac{1}{2}$ | $5\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 48 | 36 | 25 | 6.5 |
| *10WF59 | $9\frac{1}{2}$ | $9\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 132 | 56 | 23 | 23 |
| *9I25 | $9\frac{1}{2}$ | $4\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 51 | 43 | 24 | 8 |
| *9I50 | 9 | 7 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 103 | 45 | 23 | 21 |
| *8I35 | 8 | 6 | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 65 | 34 | 20 | 15.5 |
| *8I28 | 8 | 5 | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 49 | 35 | 20 | 11.5 |
| 8WF31 | 8 | 8 | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 61 | 33 | 20 | 14.5 |
| *8WF44 | $7\frac{1}{2}$ | $7\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 81 | 40 | 20 | 21 |
| *7WF35 | $7\frac{1}{2}$ | $7\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 58 | 37 | 18 | 18.5 |
| *6WF31 | $6\frac{1}{2}$ | $6\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | 45 | 31 | 16 | 18.5 |

*These nominal sizes have no U.S. equivalent

For stringers not listed:

$$m = 2.25d_f(bt_f + d_t t_w / 6)$$

$$v = 16.5(d_f \times t_w)$$

- (3) Same as step b(3) for timber bridges.
- (4) Same as step b(4) for timber bridges.
- (5) Calculate the total live load moment per stringer (m_{LL}) knowing m from step (2) and m_{DL} from step (4).

$$m_{LL} = \frac{m - m_{DL}}{1.15}$$

Note. Check L_M as in step (5) for timber stringers.

- (6) Same as step b(6) for timber bridges.
- (7) Same as step b(7) for timber bridges.
- (8) Same as step b(8) for timber bridges.
- (9) Same as step b(9) for timber bridges except use table 7-3.
- (10) Same as step b (10) for timber bridges.
- (11) Same as step b (11) for timber bridges.

(12) Determine live load shear per lane, (V_{LL}): $V_{LL} = \frac{2V_{LL}}{1.15}$

- (13) Same as b (13) for timber bridges.
- (14) Same as b (14) for timber bridges.
- (15) Same as b (15) for timber bridges.
- (16) Same as b (16) for timber bridges.

(17) Same as b (17) for timber bridges except use $N_b = \frac{L}{S_b} + 1$ to

calculate number of lateral braces. S_b is the maximum bracing spacing for a given steel stringer and is found in table 7-3.

e. *Example (2), Classification of Steel Stringer Bridge.* Classify a bridge with 10-10WF25 stringers, 5-inch timber deck, span length 20 feet, $W_R = 24$ feet. There are no overhead obstructions and no lateral braces.

- (1) The given data shown is usually obtained by field measurements.
- (2) $m = 59$ kip-ft for 10WF25 beam from table 7-3.
- (3) $w_{DL} = 1.05$ kips, figure 7-6 for a 20-foot span

$$w_{DL} = \frac{W_{DL}}{N_S} = \frac{1.05}{10} = 0.105 \text{ kips/ft.}$$

- (4) $m_{DL} = 5.3$ kip-ft from figure 7-7.

$$(5) m_{LL} = \frac{m - m_{DL}}{1.15} = \frac{59 - 5.3}{1.15} = 46.7 \text{ kip-ft.}$$

$$L_M = 25 \text{ (from table 7-3)} > 20 \therefore \text{OK}$$

$$(6) S_S = \frac{W_R}{N_S - 1} = \frac{24}{10 - 1} = 2.67 \text{ ft.}$$

$$N_1 = 2.9 \text{ feet from figure 7-8.}$$

$$N_2 = \frac{3}{8} N_S = \frac{3}{8} \times 10 = 3.75$$

Since N_2 is larger than N_1 one- and two-way class will be the same. Use N_1 to obtain both one- and two-way class.

$$(7) M_{LL} = 140 \text{ kip-ft.}$$

(8) Class based on moment from figure 7-10 is:

Class 18 for both wheel and track vehicles.

$$(9) v = 38 \text{ kips from table 7-3 for 10WF25 beam.}$$

$$(10) v_{DL} = 1.1 \text{ kips.}$$

$$(11) v_{LL} = v - v_{DL} = 38 - 1.1 = 36.9 \text{ kips.}$$

$$(12) V_{LL} = \frac{2v_{LL}}{1.15} = \frac{(2)(36.9)}{1.15} = 64.2 \text{ kips.}$$

(13) Class based on shear from figure 7-12 is: Wheel—60 Track—46.

(14) Class 18 obtained from bending moment (step (8)) will govern.

(15) No width or clearance restrictions.

(16) Deck thickness of 5 inches with stringer spacing of 32 inches yields class 40 from figure 7-13.

(17) Class of bridge must be based on class of the weakest span. Therefore, the moment class of the steel stringer span governs and the bridge classification is: 18.

$$(18) \text{ Number of braces, } N_b = \frac{L}{S_b} + 1 = \frac{20}{8} + 1 = 3.5$$

\therefore 4 braces must be added.

7-3. REINFORCED CONCRETE BRIDGES

Due to wide variations in design criteria, it is not possible to calculate the exact capacity of a reinforced concrete bridge based only on the measurable external dimensions. Therefore, when information is available pertaining to the design loading or civil load rating for the bridge (from a local agency or from intelligence reports), the class will be obtained by correlation if charts are available relating civilian design load to the military class for various span lengths. Such charts are available in TM 5-312 for many United States and foreign civilian design

loads, or they may be developed within certain army areas. When the necessary information is not available for classification by correlation, the expedient methods shown below may be used.

a. *Slab Bridges.* Measure the span length from center-to-center of supports in feet, the roadway width (W_R) in feet, the slab width (W_S) in feet, and the depth (D) of the concrete slab (fig. 7-14) in inches exclusive of any wearing surface or fill. Enter figure 7-15 with the span length, drawing a vertical line until it intersects the curve representing the depth (D) of the slab, estimating when necessary where this point should be. From this intersection draw a horizontal line to read the value of m_{LL} on the left hand axis. Depending on one- or two-way classification, use one or both of the following formulas to determine the effective roadway width:

$$\text{One-way, } W_1 = \frac{L}{\frac{3}{4} + \frac{L}{W_S}} \quad \text{Two-way, } W_2 = \frac{L}{\frac{1}{4} + \frac{2L}{W_S}}$$

Find M for one-way or two-way traffic using W_1 or W_2 respectively:

$$M_{1,2} = W_{1,2} m_{LL}$$

Enter figure 7-10 with this value of $M_{1,2}$ and the span length to obtain the class of the bridge. Check width and height restrictions for the class bridge obtained.

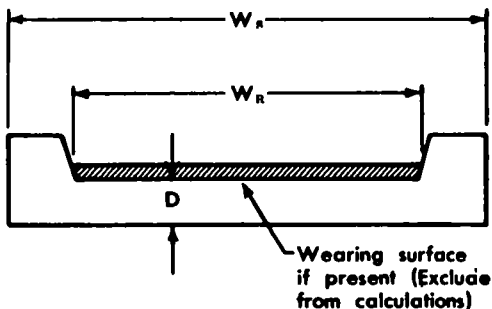


Figure 7-14. Concrete slab bridge.

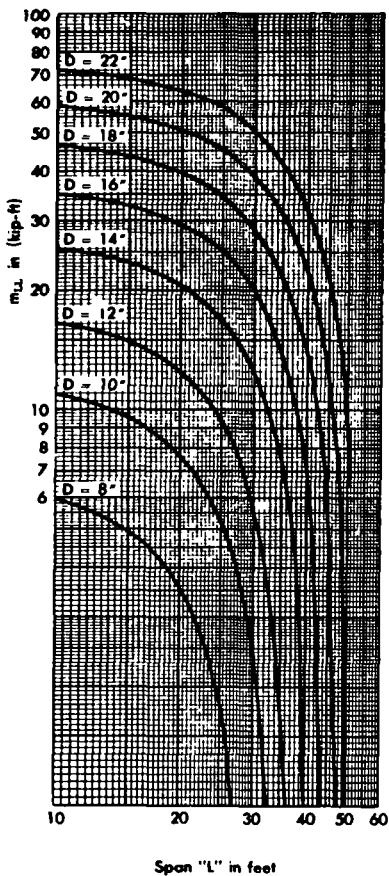


Figure 7-15. Live load moment graph for a 12-inch strip of reinforced concrete.

b. *Example (3), Classification of a Slab Bridge.* Classify a two-lane concrete slab bridge; span length = 20 feet; $D = 14$ inches; roadway width (W_R) = 28 feet, slab width (W_S) = 3 feet. To find the bridge class, enter figure 7-15 with the span length on the horizontal scale and move vertically until it intersects curve for $D = 14$ inches and read across to 20 kip-ft on the vertical scale.

$$(1) \text{ One-way class: } W_2 = \frac{L}{\frac{3}{4} + \frac{L}{W_S}} = \frac{20}{\frac{3}{4} + \frac{20}{31}} = 14.3$$

$$(2) \text{ Two-way class: } W_2 = \frac{L}{\frac{1}{4} + \frac{2L}{W_S}} = \frac{20}{\frac{1}{4} + \frac{40}{31}} = 13.0$$

(3) $M_1 = 20 (14.3) = 286$ kip-ft yields class 60 wheel, 40 track from moment graph (fig. 7-10).

(4) $M_2 = 20 (13.0) = 260$ kip-ft yields class 52 wheel, 34 track.

(5) Bridge class is:

| | One-way | Two-way |
|----------|---------|---------|
| a. wheel | 60 | 52 |
| b. track | 40 | 34 |

c. *T-Beam Bridges.* Make the necessary measurements as shown in figure 7-16, and find L , the span length from center-to-center of supports. All dimensions are in inches except L and W , which are in feet. Calculate " M " by the formula:

$$M = N [(158 + D(1.07T + 0.34L + 0.027S + 0.77b - 24.1))] + 0.08L^2$$

Enter the graph, figure 7-10 with this value of " M " and the span length to obtain the class of the bridge.

d. *Example (4), Classification of a T-Beam Bridge.* Classify a two-lane concrete T-beam bridge; 32' span length; 7 T-Beams, $S = 48''$, $D = 30''$, $b = 12''$, $T = 6''$; 24' roadway (see fig. 7-16). To find bridge class: Roadway width limits two-way classes 4 to 60. Number of stringers per lane = 3.5.

$$M = 3.5 [158 + 30(1.07(6) + 0.34(32) + 0.027(48) + 0.77(12) - 24.1)] + 0.08(32)^2$$

$$M = 3.5 [158 + 30(6.42 + 10.88 + 1.30 + 9.24 - 24.1)] + 82$$

$$M = 3.5 [158 + 30(3.74)] + 82 = 3.5(158 + 112.2) + 82 = 1028$$

With this value of "M" and the span length, obtain the class from the moment graph (fig. 7-10).

Twa-way Class: Bridge is class 60 wheeled as limited by roadway width and class 50 tracked. One-way Class:

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Effective Na. of Str.} &= \frac{15}{\text{roadway width in feet}} \times \text{Na. of Str.} \\ &= \frac{15}{24} \times 7 = 4.375\end{aligned}$$

$$M = 4.375 [158 + 112.2] + 82 = 1264$$

Bridge is class 95 wheeled and class 63 tracked.

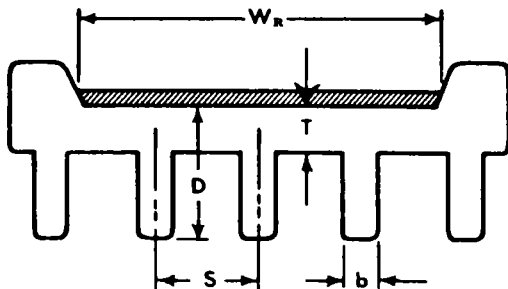


Figure 7-16. Concrete T-beam bridge.

7-4. MASONRY ARCH BRIDGE

To obtain the bridge classification for a masonry arch bridge, a provisional class number based on the crown thickness and span length is determined, this provisional class number is then adjusted by applying factors based on the materials and the condition of the bridge.

a. *Provisional Class Number.* Mark span length (S in fig. 7-17) on column A of figure 7-18. Mark total crown thickness ($t + D$ in fig. 7-17) on column B of figure 7-18. Draw a straight line through the points marked in steps 1 and 2 and where this line intersects column C, read the provisional class number.

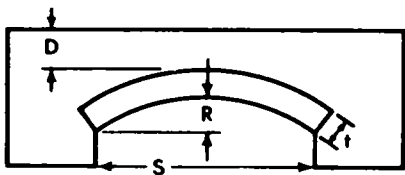


Figure 7-17. Masonry arch bridge.

b. *Profile Factor*. Divide span length (S in fig. 7-17) by the rise (R in fig. 7-17) and mark the result at the bottom of figure 7-19. If the result is 4 or less, profile factor is 1. Otherwise, draw a vertical line from the mark made in step 4 and mark the point where it intersects the curved line. Draw a horizontal line from the mark made in step 5 to the left edge of figure 7-19 and read the profile factor at this point.

c. *Other Factors* (table 7-4). Select the material, joint, deformation, crack, abutment size, and abutment fault factors from the table. Use only those factors which apply.

d. *Actual Class Number*. Multiply the provisional class number by each of the various factors found above. The result is the bridge classification number.

e. *Example (5), Classification of a Masonry Arch Bridge*. Classify a masonry arch bridge; span (S) 40 feet; rise (R) 8 feet, arch ring thickness (t) 18 inches; depth of fill at crown (D) 12 inches; roadway width 15 feet; material—limestone in good condition; joints—mortar, some deterioration, small voids, close joints; cracks—large longitudinal crack in arch under one parapet wall; abutments—one approach up a narrow embankment.

(1) *Find bridge class*. Solution: Roadway width limits bridge to one lane. Total crown thickness ($t + D$, see fig. 7-17) = 18 in + 12 in = 2.5 ft. Using figure 7-18 line up straight edge at span of 40 feet (col. A) and total crown thickness of 2.5 feet (cal. B). At the intersection of straight edge and column C, read provisional class number, 34.

(2) *Determine the profile factor*. Span/rise ratio = $S/R = 40/8 = 5$. Enter the bottom of figure 7-19 with the span/rise ratio and draw a vertical line. At the intersection of this vertical line and the curved line on the chart, pivot (going horizontally) to the left edge of the chart. Read the profile factor as 0.86.

Arch Span
Feet A

Total Crown B
Inches Feet

Provisional
Class Number C

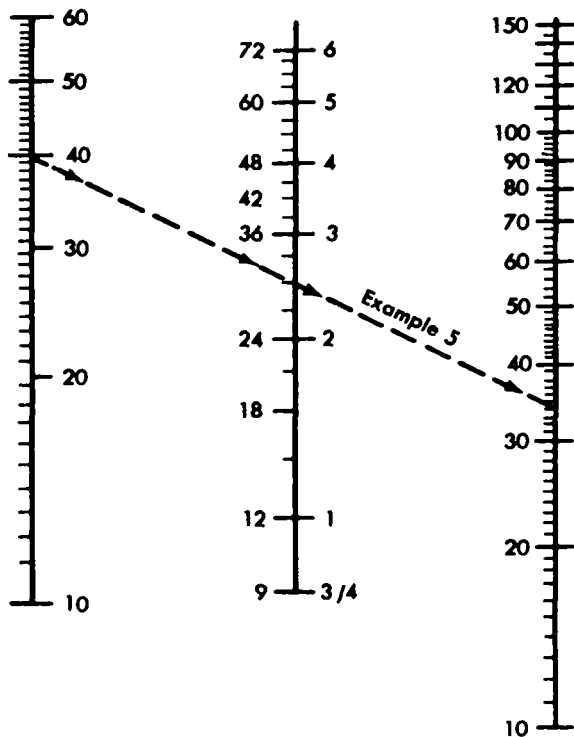


Figure 7-18. Chart for determining provisional road class of arch bridges.

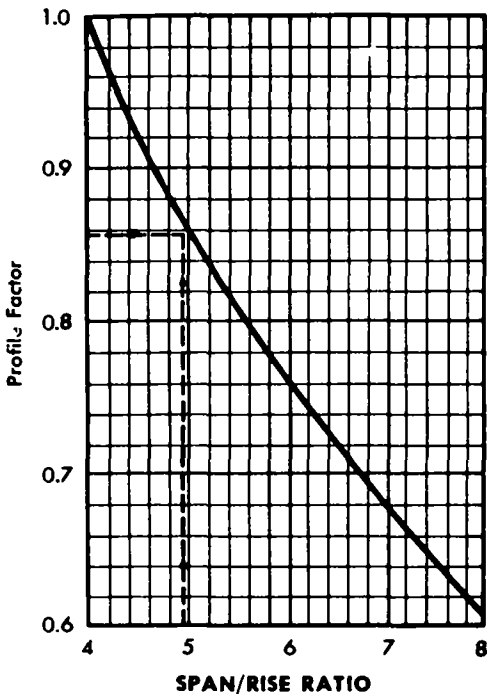


Figure 7-19. Profile factors for arch bridges.

(3) *Joint factor.* Material factor for limestone in good condition is 1.0. Joint factor is between 0.80 and 0.70, say 0.75. Crack factor for one crack at the edge of the ring is 0.90. Abutment factor for one unsatisfactory abutment is 0.95.

(4) *Determine class number.* Determine actual class number by multiplying provisional class number by factors found above. Actual Class Number = $34 \times 0.86 \times 1.0 \times 0.75 \times 0.90 \times 0.95 = \text{Class 19}$.

Table 7-4. Arch Factors

MATERIAL FACTOR

| | |
|---|------------|
| 1. Granite, whitestone and built-in-course masonry..... | 1.5 |
| 2. Concrete or blue engineering bricks..... | 1.2 |
| 3. Good limestone masonry and building bricks..... | 1.0 |
| 4. Poor masonry or brickwork (of any kind)..... | 0.7 to 0.5 |

JOINT FACTORS

| | |
|---|------|
| 1. Thin joints, 1/10" or less in width..... | 1.25 |
| 2. Normal joints, with width up to 1/4"..... | 1.00 |
| 3. Ditto, but with mortar unpainted..... | 0.90 |
| 4. Joint over 1/4" wide, irregular good mortar..... | 0.80 |
| 5. Ditto, but with mortar containing voids deeper than one-tenth of the ring thickness..... | 0.70 |
| 6. Joints 1/2" or more wide, poor mortar..... | 0.50 |

DEFORMATION FACTORS

1. The rise over the affected — Apply span-rise ratio of affected portion is always positive. portion to the whole arch.
 2. Flat section of profile. — Maximum: 12
 3. A portion of the ring is — Maximum class: 5; if fill at crown sags, exceeds 18"
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CRACK FACTORS

| | |
|---|------------|
| 1. Small transverse cracks within 2 ft. of the edge..... | 1.0 |
| 2. Large transverse cracks within 2 ft. of the edge..... | 1.0 |
| 3. Longitudinal cracks in center third of bridge..... | 0.9 to 0.7 |
| One small crack..... | 1.0 |
| One large crack or several narrow cracks..... | 0.5 |
| 4. Small lateral and diagonal cracks..... | 1.0 |
| 5. Large lateral and diagonal cracks — Maximum Class: 12; or the figure derived by using the other factors. | |
| 6. Cracks between the arch ring and parapet wall due to lateral spread of the fill..... | 0.9 |
| 7. Cracks between the ring and spandrel, due to a dropped ring — Reclassify from the nomograph, on the assumption that the crown thickness is that of the ring alone. | |

Table 7-4.—Continued

ABUTMENT SIZE FACTORS

| | |
|---|------|
| 1. Both abutments satisfactory..... | 1.00 |
| 2. One unsatisfactory abutment..... | 0.95 |
| 3. Both abutments unsatisfactory..... | 0.90 |
| 4. Both abutments massive, clay fill suspected..... | 0.70 |
| 5. Arch supported on one abutment and one pier..... | 0.90 |
| 6. Arch supported on two piers..... | 0.80 |

ABUTMENT FAULT FACTORS

| | |
|---|--------------|
| 1. Inward movement of one abutment..... | 0.75 to 0.50 |
| 2. Outward spread of abutments..... | 1.00 to 0.50 |
| 3. Vertical settlement of one abutment..... | 0.90 to 0.50 |

Section II, Highway Bridge Design

7-5. SUPERSTRUCTURE

Bridge design as discussed herein is limited to rapid field design of temporary or semi-permanent type highway bridges. For more detailed design procedures including the design of railroad bridges see TM 5-312.

NOTATIONS

| | |
|-----------|--|
| A | = Area (in^2) |
| A_p | = Bearing area of post or pile (in^2) |
| B | = Width of stringer (in) |
| b_c | = Width of corbel |
| b_{cap} | = Width of cap |
| B_H | = Width of bearing plate (in) |
| d | = Total depth of stringer (in) |
| d_c | = Depth of corbel |
| d_{cap} | = Depth of cap (in) |
| D_p | = Diameter of pile (in) |
| H | = Height of timber bent post |
| H_p | = Distance from stream bed to top of pile |
| H_m | = Max height of post |
| kip | = 1000 lbs |
| L | = Span length (ft) |

- L_c = Effective corbel length (ft)
 L_e = Effective span length (ft)
 L_{ftk} = Length of footing (in)
 L_m = Max span length (ft)
 L_H = Length of bearing plate (in)
 M_{DL} = Dead load bending moment for entire bridge (kip ft)
 M_{LL} = Live load bending moment per lane (kip ft)
 m = Total bending moment per stringer (kip ft)
 m_{DL} = Dead load bending moment per stringer (kip ft)
 m_{LL} = Live load bending moment per stringer (kip ft)
 N_c = Number of corbels
 N_L = Number of lones
 N_p = Number of posts or piles
 N_S = Number of stringers
 N_1 = Effective number of stringers
 P_T = Total design load on substructure (kips)
 S_b = Maximum spacing of brocing (ft)
 S_S = Center to center spocing of stringers (ft)
 t_H = Thickness of bearing plate (in)
 V_{DL} = Dead lood shear for entire span (kips)
 V_{LL} = Live load shear per lane (kips)
 v = Total shear per stringer (kips)
 v_{DL} = Dead load shear per stringer (kips)
 v_{LL} = Live load shear per stringer (kips)
 W_R = Width of roadway from inside curb to inside curb (ft)

a. *Timber Stringers.*

- (1) Determine the number of required stringers, N_S .

$$N_S = \frac{W_R}{6} + 1 \text{ (minimum number of stringers 4).}$$

Round N_S down to the nearest stringer if the decimol is .09 or less, otherwise round up. Do not round off where asterisk appears. Determine the center to center spacing (S_S).

$$^*S_S = \frac{W_R}{N - 1}$$

- (2) Determine the effective number of stringers, N_1 .

$$*N_1 = \frac{5}{S_s} + 1$$

- (3) Determine M_{LL} from figure 7-10. Determine m_{LL} from figure 7-20.

- (4) Determine M_{DL} from figure 7-21. Calculate m_{DL} .

$$m_{DL} = \frac{M_{DL}}{N_s}$$

- (5) Calculate m . $m = m_{LL} + m_{DL}$. Choose a stringer from table 7-2 which has an m value equal to or greater than m just calculated.

(For a stringer not listed in table 7-2, $m = \frac{bd^2}{30}$.)

- (6) Determine V_{LL} from figure 7-12. Determine v_{LL} from figure 7-22.

$$\left(\frac{3V_{LL}}{16} \right) \left(\frac{N_1 + 1}{N_1} \right)$$

- (7) Determine V_{DL} from figure 7-21. Calculate v_{DL} . $v_{DL} = \frac{V_{DL}}{N_s}$.

- (8) Calculate v . $v = v_{LL} + v_{DL}$. Check to see if v of stringer selected in step (5) is equal to or greater than v just calculated. If not, increase the size of the stringer until this requirement is satisfied keeping in mind the m requirement. (For a stringer not listed in table 7-2 $v = \frac{bd}{10}$.)

- (9) Determine L_m of stringer selected. Vertical deflection will not be a problem if the span is less than the value of L_m in table 7-2. If vertical deflection is critical, increase the size of the stringer until the L_m requirement is satisfied, keeping in mind the requirements for m and v . (For a stringer not listed in table 7-2 $L_m = 1.19d$.)

- (10) For lateral bracing see table 7-2.

- (11) Determine the minimum decking thickness required from figure 7-13. Use at least 2" of material for tread.

b. *Example (1)—Design of Timber Stringer Bridges.* Design the superstructure of a class 30, 20-foot span, two-lane bridge, $W_R = 24$ feet with timber deck and timber stringers.

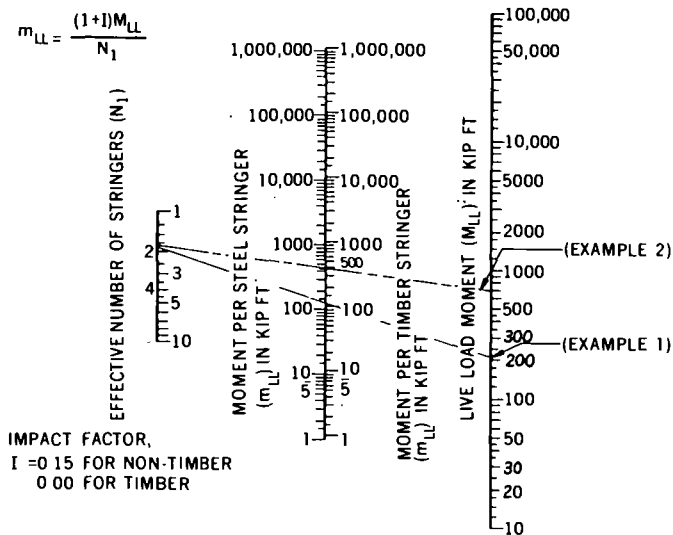


Figure 7-20. Moment nomograph.

- $$(1) N_S = \frac{W_R}{6} + 1 = \frac{24}{6} + 1 = 5$$
- $$S_S = \frac{W_R}{N_S - 1} = \frac{24}{5 - 1} = 6 \text{ ft}$$
- $$(2) N_1 = \frac{5}{S_S} + 1 = \frac{5}{6} + 1 = 1.83$$
- $$(3) M_{LL} = 210 \text{ kip ft}$$
- $$m_{LL} = 115 \text{ kip ft}$$
- $$(4) M_{DL} = 56 \text{ kip ft}$$
- $$m_{DL} = \frac{M_{DL}}{N_S} = \frac{56}{5} = 11.2 \text{ kip ft}$$

| L (feet) | $M_{DL} V_{DL}$ | | $M_{DL} V_{DL}$ | | $M_{DL} V_{DL}$ | | $M_{DL} V_{DL}$ | | L (feet) |
|----------|--|-------|-----------------|-------|-----------------|-------|-----------------|-------|----------|
| 70 | | | | | 649.25 | 37.10 | 1133.13 | 64.75 | 70 |
| 65 | | | | | 538.68 | 33.15 | 937.42 | 57.69 | 65 |
| 60 | | | | | 441.00 | 29.40 | 765.00 | 51.00 | 60 |
| 55 | (M _{DL} is in kip-feet, V _{DL} is in kips) | | | | 355.44 | 25.85 | 614.45 | 44.69 | 55 |
| 50 | | | | | 281.25 | 22.50 | 484.38 | 38.75 | 50 |
| 45 | | | | | 217.69 | 19.35 | 373.36 | 33.19 | 45 |
| 40 | | | | | 164.00 | 16.40 | 280.00 | 28.00 | 40 |
| 38 | | | | | 145.12 | 15.28 | 247.85 | 26.03 | 38 |
| 36 | | | | | 127.66 | 14.18 | 217.08 | 24.12 | 36 |
| 34 | | | | | 111.55 | 13.12 | 189.30 | 22.27 | 34 |
| 32 | | | | | 96.77 | 12.10 | 163.84 | 20.48 | 32 |
| 30 | 91.13 | 12.15 | 160.88 | 21.45 | 83.25 | 11.10 | 140.63 | 18.75 | 30 |
| 28 | 76.24 | 10.89 | 134.06 | 19.15 | 70.95 | 10.14 | 119.56 | 17.08 | 28 |
| 26 | 63.04 | 9.70 | 110.36 | 16.98 | 59.83 | 9.20 | 100.56 | 15.47 | 26 |
| 24 | 51.41 | 8.57 | 89.57 | 14.93 | 49.82 | 8.30 | 83.52 | 13.92 | 24 |
| 22 | 41.26 | 7.50 | 71.51 | 13.00 | 40.90 | 7.44 | 68.37 | 12.43 | 22 |
| 20 | 32.50 | 6.50 | 56.00 | 11.20 | 33.00 | 6.60 | 55.00 | 11.00 | 20 |
| 18 | 25.03 | 5.56 | 42.85 | 9.52 | 26.10 | 5.80 | 43.34 | 9.63 | 18 |
| 16 | 18.75 | 4.89 | 31.87 | 7.97 | 20.10 | 5.02 | 33.28 | 8.32 | 16 |
| 14 | 13.57 | 3.88 | 22.88 | 6.54 | 14.99 | 4.28 | 24.75 | 7.07 | 14 |
| 12 | 9.40 | 3.13 | 15.70 | 5.23 | 10.73 | 3.58 | 17.64 | 5.88 | 12 |
| 10 | 6.13 | 2.45 | 10.13 | 4.05 | 7.25 | 2.90 | 11.88 | 4.75 | 10 |
| 9 | 4.80 | 2.13 | 7.89 | 3.51 | | | | | 9 |
| 8 | 3.66 | 1.83 | 5.98 | 2.99 | | | | | 8 |

Span in feet

Timber Stringer - Timber Deck One Lane

Timber Stringer - Timber Deck Two Lane

Steel Stringer - Timber Deck One Lane

Steel Stringer - Timber Deck Two Lane

Span in feet

Figure 7-21. Dead load moment and shear for various types of bridges.

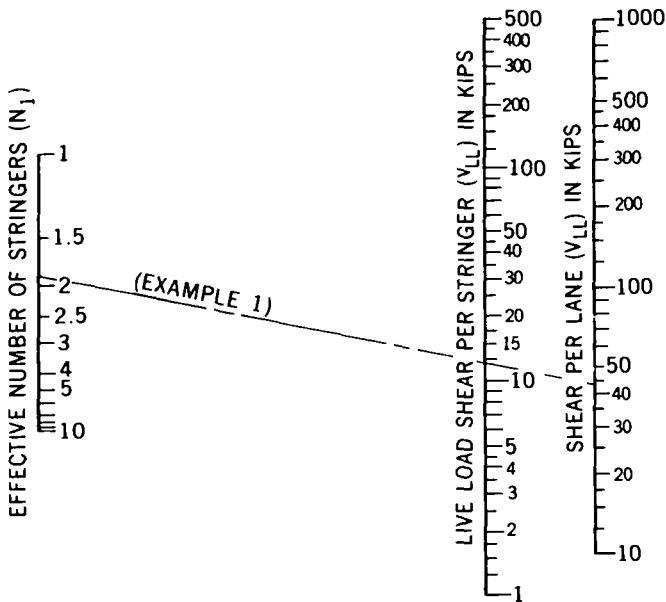


Figure 7-22. Shear nomograph.

- (5) $m = m_{LL} + m_{DL} = 115 + 11.2 = 126.2$ kip ft
 Use $12'' \times 18''$ stringer ($m = 129.6$ kip ft)
- (6) $V_{LL} = 43$ kips
 $v_{LL} = 12.4$ kips
- (7) $V_{DL} = 11.2$ kips
 $v_{DL} = \frac{V_{DL}}{N_s} = \frac{11.2}{5} = 2.25$ kips
- (8) $v = v_{LL} + v_{DL} = 12.4 + 2.25 = 14.65$ kips
 v for o $12'' \times 18''$ stringer $= 21.6$ kips > 14.65 kips \therefore OK
- (9) $L_m = 21.5$ ft > 20 ft \therefore OK
- (10) No lateral bracing required.

(11) Minimum deck thickness = 6", say 7"; use 2" material for tread.

c. *Steel Stringers.*

(1) through (4). Same as a above (timber stringers).

(5) Same as a(5) above except use table 7-3. (For a stringer not listed in table 7-3, $m = d_1 \left(b t_f + \frac{d_1 t_w}{6} \right) (2.25).$)

(6) Determine V_{LL} from figure 7-12. Determine $v_{LL} \cdot v_{LL} = \frac{1.15 V_{LL}}{2}$.

(7) Same as a(7) above.

(8) Same as a(8) above except use table 7-3 (For a stringer not listed in table 7-3, $v = 16.5 (d_1 \times t_w).$)

(9) Same as a(9) above except use table 7-3. (For a stringer not listed in table 7-3, $L_m = 2.56d.$)

(10) The number of lateral braces (N_b) between adjacent stringers is computed by $N_b = \frac{L}{S_b} + 1$. Space braces evenly along span length always placing a brace at each end. S_b is found in table 7-3. (For a stringer not listed in table 7-3, $S_b = \frac{33 b t_f}{d}$).

(11) Bearing plate design will be made for all steel stringers.

$$L_{\ell} - \min L_{\ell} = 6"; \max L_{\ell} = b_{cap}$$

$$B_{\ell} - B_{\ell} = \frac{2v}{L_{\ell}}; \min B_{\ell} = b \text{ of stringer}$$

$$t_{\ell} - t_{\ell} = \frac{B_{\ell} - 2.5}{8} \text{ (Round up to nearest } \frac{1}{8} \text{")}$$

(12) Same as a(11) above.

d. *Example (2) Design of Steel Stringer Bridge.* Design the superstructure for a class 60, 30-foot span, two-lane bridge, $W_H = 24$ feet with steel stringers and timber deck.

$$(1) \quad N_S = \frac{W_H}{6} + 1 = \frac{24}{6} + 1 = 5$$

$$*S_S = \frac{W_H}{N_S - 1} = \frac{24}{5 - 1} = 6 \text{ ft}$$

(Do not round off where asterisks appear.)

$$(2) \quad *N_1 = \frac{5}{S_s} + 1 = \frac{5}{6} + 1 = 1.83$$

$$(3) \quad M_{LL} = 675 \text{ kip ft} \\ m_{LL} = 450 \text{ kip ft}$$

$$(4) \quad M_{DL} = 140.63 \text{ kip ft} \\ m_{DL} = \frac{M_{DL}}{N_s} = \frac{140.63}{5} = 28.13 \text{ kip ft}$$

$$(5) \quad m = m_{LL} + m_{DL} = 450 + 28.13 = 478.13 \text{ kip ft}$$

Use a 24WF94 stringer ($m = 497 \text{ kip ft}$).

$$(6) \quad V_{LL} = 92 \text{ kips} \\ v_{LL} = \frac{1.15 V_{LL}}{2} = \frac{1.15(92)}{2} = 53.0 \text{ kips}$$

$$(7) \quad V_{DL} = 18.75 \text{ kips} \\ v_{DL} = \frac{V_{DL}}{N_s} = \frac{18.75}{5} = 3.75 \text{ kips}$$

$$(8) \quad v = v_{LL} + v_{DL} = 53.0 + 3.75 = 56.75 \text{ kips}$$

v for a 24WF94 stringer = 191 kips $> 56.75 \therefore$ OK

$$(9) \quad L_m = 62 \text{ ft} > 30 \text{ ft} \therefore \text{OK}$$

$$(10) \quad N_b = \frac{L}{S_b} + 1 = \frac{30}{11} + 1 = 2.73 + 1 = 3.73, \text{ say } 4$$

Use 4 braces, 1 at each end and two spaced evenly between.

$$(11) \quad L_E = 6''$$

$$B_{FL} = \frac{2v}{L_E} = \frac{2 \times 56.75}{6} = 18.9 > 9'' \text{ (b of 24WF94)} \therefore \text{OK}$$

$$t_{FL} = \frac{B_{FL} - 2.5}{8}$$

$$t_R = \frac{18.9 - 2.5}{8}$$

$$t_R = 2.05$$

(12) Minimum deck thickness = 8+, say 9". Use 2" material far tread.

7-6. SUBSTRUCTURE

a. *Single Trestle Bent.*

(1) Use horizontal braces at midpoint when past height exceeds that listed in table 7-5.

Table 7-5. Past Criteria

| Size of post or pile Rect (in) | Capacity per post (Kips) | Max height of post (ft) |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 6 × 6 | 18 | 15 |
| 6 × 8 | 24 | 15 |
| 8 × 8 | 32 | 20 |
| 8 × 10 | 40 | 20 |
| 10 × 10 | 50 | 25 |
| 10 × 12 | 60 | 25 |
| 12 × 12 | 72 | 30 |

RND (IN)

| | | |
|-----|----|----|
| 8ø | 25 | 18 |
| 9ø | 32 | 20 |
| 10ø | 40 | 22 |
| 11ø | 47 | 25 |
| 12ø | 56 | 27 |
| 13ø | 66 | 29 |
| 14ø | 76 | 31 |

(2) For a bent under adjacent spans, add L_1 to L_2 to find effective span length, L_e (fig. 7-23). Using L_e determine the live load shear (V_{ll}). Determine the dead load shear (V_{dl}) as the sum of the dead load shear for spans L_1 and L_2 . $P_T = V_{ll} (N_{ll}) + V_{dl}$.

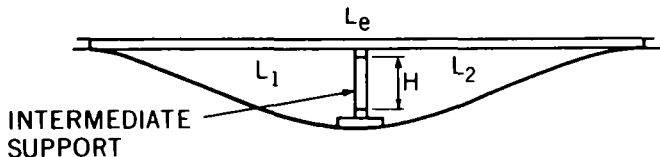


Figure 7-23. Adjacent spans.

(3) Determine the capacity per post from table 7-5. (For posts not listed, capacity per post $= \frac{A_p}{2}$ in kips.)

(4) Determine the number of posts required, $N_p \cdot N_p = \frac{P_T}{\text{capacity per post}}$

(5) Determine length of footing, $L_{ftg} \cdot L_{ftg} = k + b_{still} \cdot L_{ftg}$ may be rounded down but never up. Obtain k from figure 7-24.

(6) Determine capacity per footing.

*capacity per footing = (Area per footing) (SBC)

(Do not round off where asterisk appears.)

Area/ftg (actual area in contact with ground) $= L \times W$ (sq ft)

SBC = soil bearing capacity (kips/sq ft) see table 7-6 for SBC.

(7) Determine the number of footings (N_{ftg}).

$$N_{ftg} = \frac{P_T}{\text{capacity per ftg}}$$

N_{ftg} must be equal to or greater than N_p .

$$*Sp \text{ ftg} = \frac{W_R \times 12}{N_{ftg} - 1}$$

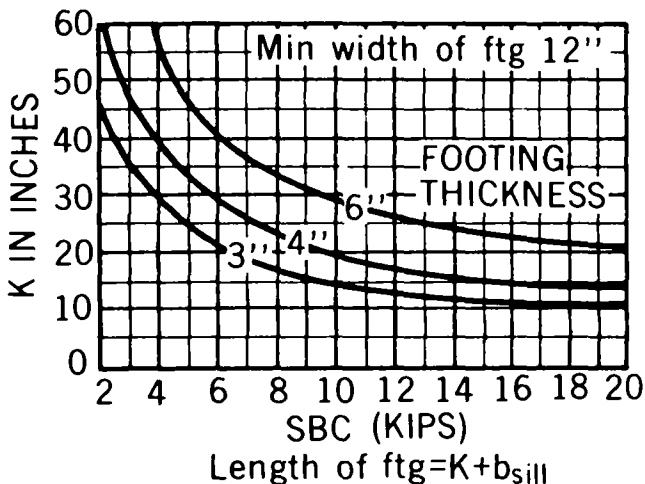


Figure 7-24. Footing chart.

b. Example (1). Substructure Design With a Single Trestle Bent. Design the substructure for a class 50 bridge, $W_R = 24$ feet, $L_1 = 20$ feet, $L_2 = 30$ feet, 6" \times 8" posts, 6" \times 10" cap and sill, 3" \times 12" \times RL footings, $H = 6$ feet, compact sand clay, 6" timber deck, 7 steel stringers, $N_L = 2$ lanes.

(1) $H_m = 15' > 6'$, \therefore no horizontal braces required

(2) $L_e = L_1 + L_2 = 20 + 30 = 50'$

$V_{LL} = 86$ kips

$V_{DL} = V_{DL1} + V_{DL2} = 18.75 + 11.00 = 29.75$ kips

$P_T = V_{LL}(N_L) + V_{DL} = 86(2) + 29.75 = 201.75$ kips

(3) Capacity per post = 24 kips

(4) $N_p = \frac{P_T}{\text{capacity per post}} = \frac{201.75}{24} = 8.36$, say 9

Table 7-6. Soil Bearing Capacity

| Soil description | Bearing values in kips per square foot |
|--|--|
| Hordpon overlying rock..... | 24 |
| Very compact sandy gravel..... | 20 |
| Loose gravel and sandy gravel, compact sand and gravelly sand; very compact sand-in-organic silt soils..... | 12 |
| Hord dry consolidated clay..... | 10 |
| Loose coarse to medium sand, medium compact fine sand..... | 8 |
| Compact sand clay..... | 6 |
| Loose fine sand, medium compact sand-inorganic silt soils..... | 4 |
| Firm or stiff clay..... | 3 |
| Loose saturated sand-clay soils, medium soft clay..... | 2 |

$$(5) L_{ftg} = k + b_{silt} = 21 + 6 = 27''$$

$$(6) \text{ Copcity per ftg} = (\text{oreo per ftg}) (\text{SBC})$$

$$\text{oreo per ftg} = L \times W \text{ (sq ft per ftg)} = \frac{12 \times 27}{144} = 2.25 \text{ sq ft per ftg}$$

$$\text{SBC} = 6 \text{ kips per sq ft}$$

$$\text{cop per ftg} = (2.25) (6) = 13.5 \text{ kips}$$

$$(7) N_{ftg} = \frac{P_T}{\text{cop/ftg}} = \frac{201.75}{13.5} = 14.4, \text{ soy } 15$$

$$\text{Sp ftg} = \frac{W_R \times 12}{N_{ftg} - 1} = \frac{24 \times 12}{14 - 1} = 22.1'' \text{ C-C.}$$

c. *Two Trestle Bents.* (Timber trestle pier.) A timber trestle pier is designed exactly the same as a trestle bent except that each bent is designed for one-half the total load. A timber trestle pier will be used for the following conditions:

(1) Loads are too great to be carried by a single bent.

(2) Span lengths are greater than 25 feet, making bracing cumbersome. Cap and corbel system design is described in f below.

d. *Pile Bent or Pier.*

(1) Use lateral braces down to flood level in all cases. For piers longitudinal bracing must also be used. The distance (H_p) from the streambed to the top of the pile may not exceed H_m values given in table 7-5.

(2), (3) Same as a above.

(4) Determine allowable load (P) for a skin friction pile by one of the following formulas:

| | Dumphammer | Single-Acting Pneumatic or Steam Hammer | Double-Acting Pneumatic or Steam Hammer |
|--------|------------------------------|---|---|
| Timber | $P = \frac{2W_d h}{(S + 1)}$ | $P = \frac{2W_r H}{(S + 0.1)}$ | $P = \frac{2E}{(S + 0.1)}$ |
| Steel | $P = \frac{3W_d h}{(S + 1)}$ | $P = \frac{3W_r H}{(S + 0.1)}$ | $P = \frac{3E}{(S + 0.1)}$ |

where:

P = estimated safe capacity of pile (Kips)

W_d = weight of drop hammer (Kips)

W_r = weight of ram of steam or pneumatic hammer (Kips)

h = average height of fall of drop hammer for last 6 blows (ft)

H = stroke of ram (ft)

S = average pile penetration in inches per blow for last 6 blows of a drop hammer or last 20 blows of steam or pneumatic hammer

E = work energy in ft/kip of hammer

(5) Determine the number of piles (N_{Pr}) required.

$$*N_{Pr} = \frac{P_T}{\text{allowable capacity/pile}}$$

Allowable capacity/pile is the smaller of the values found in steps 3 and 4.

$$(6) \text{ Calculate } \frac{*Sp}{D_P} \frac{W_R \times 12}{(N_{Pr} - 1)D_P} \left(\frac{Sp}{D_P} \text{ must equal or exceed } 3 \right)$$

(Note subparagraph *i* below.)

(7) Using the pile chart (fig. 7-25a) determine N_P for a single pile bent (minimum $N_P = 4$).

(8) Check the c-c spacing between piles.

*max $Sp = 5d_{cap}$. (If cap is not known it must be designed, (see *f* below).)

$$*min\ Sp = 3D_P$$

$$*actual\ Sp = \frac{W_R \times 12}{N_P - 1}$$

If spacing requirements are not met using a single bent, a pier is required. Use (b) figure 7-25 to determine the actual number of piles required per bent for the pier. See *f* below for carbel and camman cap design.

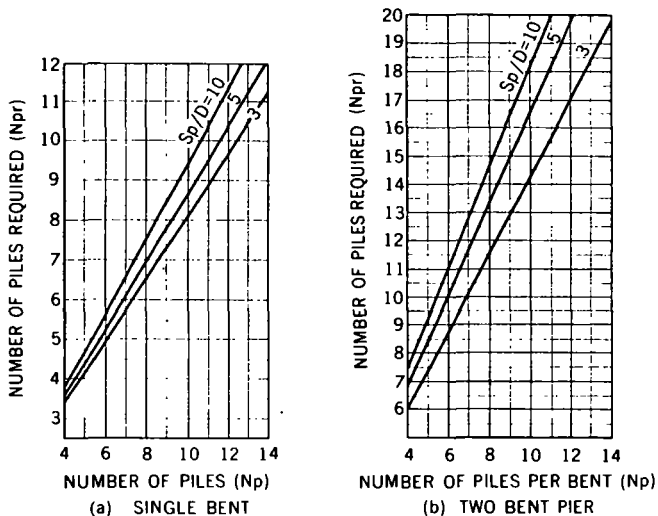


Figure 7-25. Pile charts.

e. Example (2). Substructure Design With a Pile Bent. Design a substructure for class 60 bridge, $L_1 = 20$ feet, $L_2 = 30$ feet, $H = 15$ feet, 12-inch x 12-inch cap, $D_p = 10$ inches, $H = 10$ feet, $W_d = 2$ kips, penetration for last 6 blows = 6 inches, $W_R = 24$ feet, 7 steel stringers, 6-inch timber deck, $N_L = 2$ lanes.

$$(1) H_p = 15' < 22'; \therefore \text{OK, No midpoint bracing required}$$

$$(2) V_{DL} = V_{DL1} + V_{DL2} = 18.75 + 11.00 = 29.75 \text{ kips}$$

$$L_e = L_1 + L_2 = 20 + 30 = 50'$$

$$V_{LL} = 103 \text{ kips}$$

$$P_T = V_{LL}(N) + V_{DL} = 103(2) + 29.75 = 235.75 \text{ kips}$$

$$(3) \text{ Capacity per pile} = 40 \text{ kips}$$

$$(4) P = \frac{2W_d h}{S + 1} = \frac{(2)(2)(10)}{\frac{8}{8} + 1} = 20 \text{ kips}$$

\therefore Allowable capacity per pile = 20 kips (lower of steps 3 and 4)

$$(5) N_{pr} = \frac{P_T}{\text{allowable capacity per pile}} = \frac{235.75}{20} = 11.79$$

$$(6) \frac{S_p}{D_p} = \frac{W_R \times 12}{(N_{pr} - 1) D_p} = \frac{24 \times 12}{10.79(10)} = 2.67$$

$$(7) \text{ Spacing requires } \frac{S_p}{D_p} > 3.0 \text{ to enter figure 7-25.}$$

(8) As spacing requirements are not met try a pier.

$$\frac{S_p}{D_p} = \frac{W_R \times 12}{(N_{pr} - 1) D_p} = \frac{24 \times 12}{\left(\frac{11.79}{2} - 1\right) 10} = 5.9$$

$N_{pr}/\text{bent} = 7 +$, say 8/bent for a two bent pier.

$$\text{Actual spacing} = \frac{W_R \times 12}{(N_{pr}/\text{bent} - 1)} = \frac{24 \times 12}{8 - 1} = 41''$$

$$\text{Max sp} = 5(d_{cap}) = 5(12) = 60''$$

$$\text{Min sp} = 3(D_p) = 3(10) = 30'' \therefore \text{OK}$$

(9) See f below for cap and corbel design.

f. Cap and Corbel Design.

- (1) Determine the effective corbel length,
- L_c
- .

(a) $L_c > c - c$ spacing

(b) $L_c > (1/6)(H_p)$

(c) \therefore Select convenient length greater than (a) and (b) above.

- (2) Moment design.

(a) Determine M_c . $M_c = \frac{P_T L_c}{4}$

(b) Determine m_c ($m_c = m$) from table 7-2 or 7-3.

(c) Determine N_c . $N_c = \frac{M_c}{m_c}$.

- (3) Shear design.

(a) Determine V_c . $V_c = \frac{P_T}{2}$.

(b) Determine v_c . $v_c = (v_c = v)$ from table 7-2 or 7-3.

(c) Determine N_c . $N_c = \frac{V_c}{v_c}$.

Note: The higher of steps (2) and (3) above determines N_c .Minimum N_c = lesser number of piles or stringers.

- (4) Determine corbel spacing,
- S_p
- .

$$*S_p = \frac{W_R \times 12}{N_c - 1}$$

- (5) Common cap design.

(a) Determine d_{cap} . $d_{cap} = \frac{S_p}{5}$

(b) Determine b_{cap} . $b_{cap} = \frac{2P_T}{N_c b_c}$

g. Example (3). Corbel and Camman Cap Design. Design a 12-inch \times 12-inch corbel and common cap using the information given in example (2) (e above).

- (1)

(a) $L_c > 41'' = 3.42'$ (See example 2, e above)

(b) $L_c > 1/6 (H_p) = (1/6)(15) = 2.5'$

(c) Select L_c a convenient length, say $L_c = 4.0'$ ($> 3.42'$, $> 2.5'$)

(2)

$$(a) M_c = \frac{P_T L_c}{4} = \frac{(235.75)(4.0)}{4} = 235.8 \text{ kip ft}$$

$$(b) m_c = 57.6 \text{ kip ft}$$

$$(c) N_c = \frac{M_c}{m_c} = \frac{235.8}{57.6} = 4.1, \text{ say } 5 \text{ corbels}$$

(3)

$$(a) V_c = \frac{P_T}{2} = \frac{235.8}{2} = 117.9 \text{ kips}$$

$$(b) v_c = 14.4 \text{ kips}$$

$$(c) N_c = \frac{V_c}{v_c} = \frac{117.9}{14.4} = 8.2, \text{ say } 9 \text{ corbels}$$

\therefore use 9 ea 12" \times 12" corbels

$$(4) S_p = \frac{W_R \times 12}{N_c - 1} = \frac{14 \times 12}{9 - 1} = 21"$$

(5)

$$(a) \min d_{cap} = \frac{S_p}{5} = \frac{21}{5} = 4.2"$$

$$(b) \min b_{cap} = \frac{2P_T}{N_c b_c} = \frac{(2)235.75}{(7)(12)} = 5.2"$$

Absolute min = 6" \times 8" \therefore 12" \times 12" OK for common cap.

h. *Abutments.* Figures 7-26 through 7-28 show sketches of abutment types that are normally used for temporary or semipermanent bridges. A guide to the selection of abutments is given in table 7-7.

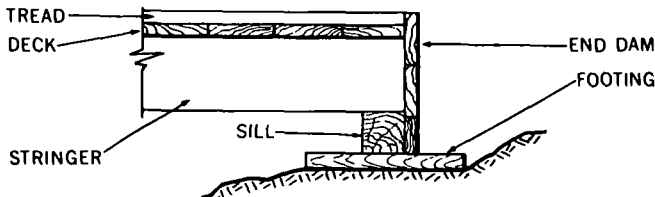


Figure 7-26. Timber sill abutment.

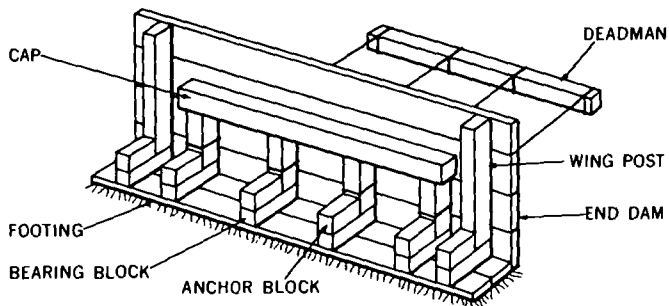


Figure 7-27. Timber bent abutment.

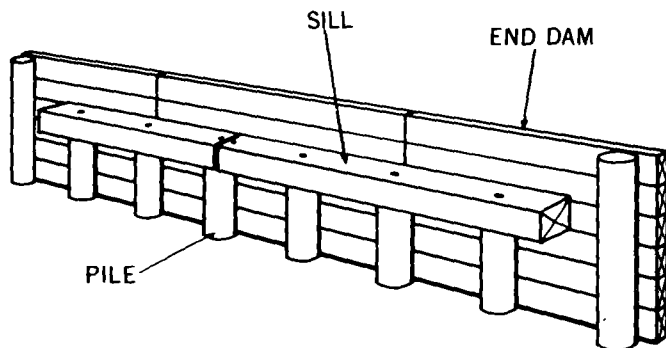


Figure 7-28. Timber pile abutment.

Table 7-7. Abutment Selection Guide

| Type | Span | Height | Remarks |
|----------------------|------------|--------|---|
| Timber sill | To 25' | To 3' | Highway bridges only. Designed for vertical loads only and steel or timber stringers. Use par C for design. |
| Timber bent | To 30' | To 6' | Highway bridges only. Designed for vertical loads. Deadman used for horizontal stability. Used with steel or timber stringers. Use Par C for design. See TM 5-312 for deadman design. |
| Timber or steel pile | Any length | To 10' | Designed for vertical and longitudinal loads and steel or timber stringers. Use par E for design. |

i. *General Notes.* The following guidelines are generally applicable in the design of substructures as discussed in this paragraph and illustrated in the above examples.

(1) *Posts.* Maximum c-to-c spacing is 5 times depth of cap or sill. c-to-c distance of outside posts equals the distance face-to-face between curbs.

(2) *Cops and sills.* With round timber, diameter at least 2 inches greater than that of post. Hew timber to fit at top and joints. With rectangular timber, at least same size timber as posts with larger dimensions vertical; 6" X 8" is absolute minimum.

(3) *Bracing.* If bents are more than 4 feet high, use transverse cross bracing on all bents and longitudinal bracing between bents in every other span. Transverse bracing on pile bents may be omitted if pile is exposed less than 11 feet above ground line. Minimum size bracing is 2" X 10".

(4) *Round off rule.* The round off rule, noted in step 1, above, is used for the entire rapid field design except where noted with an asterisk, *.

(5) To obtain the most economical bridge design for a given size stringer, use the procedures outlined in a or b above and repeat the procedure increasing or decreasing N_s by 1 until the most economical design is obtained, or increase N_s by:

$$N_s \frac{m_{\text{required}}}{m_{\text{available}}}$$

(6) For pier design use N_{PR} per row $\left(\frac{N_{PR}}{2}\right)$ to calculate $\frac{S_P}{D_P}$.

Section III. Panel Bridge, Bailey Type, M2

7-7. INTRODUCTION

a. The panel bridge, Bailey type, M2 (fig. 7-29) is a through-truss bridge supported by two main trusses formed from 10-foot steel "panels."

b. Panel bridge ports may be transported on twenty-five 5-ton dump trucks and eight pole trailers. The loading plan is based on the experience that the double-single truss assembly provides for most bridging problems which require the panel bridge, Bailey type, M2. The loads have been arranged on the basis of the capability of the above vehicles to carry all ports issued for a 130-foot DD bridge, including spores. The engineer panel bridge company is the TOE unit designated to carry one bridge set and provide technical personnel and equipment to transport and supervise erection of panel bridging. Two 80-foot DS bridges or one 130-foot DD bridge may be constructed from one bridge set. Each bridge set has 126 panels (weighing 577 pounds each), 56 transoms (618 pounds each), 96 stringers (260 to 267 pounds each), 48 ribbons (215 pounds each), 48 romps (338 to 349 pounds each), and chess, end posts, bracing and erection equipment. For more detailed information see TM 5-277.

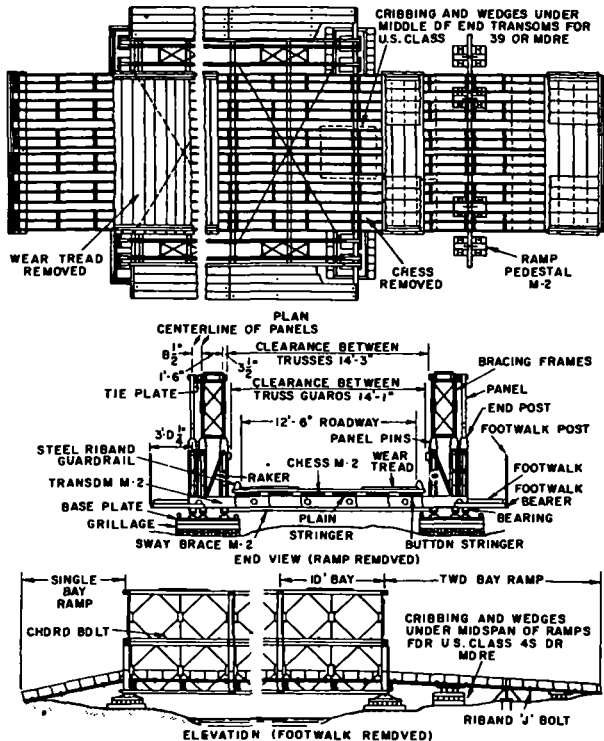


Figure 7-29. Steel panel fixed bridge, Bailey type, M2.

7-8. CONSTRUCTION DATA

- Organization of assembly crews is given in table 7-8.

Table 7-8. Organization of Assembly Crews

| | NO. OF MCOs AND EM | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| | Type of bridge | | | | | | | | |
| | Single- single | Double- single | Triple- single | Double- double | Triple- double | Double- triple | Triple- triple | Double- triple | Triple- triple |
| | Construction by manpower only | | | | | | | Using 1 crane* | |
| CRANE | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 0-3 | 0-3 |
| Truck driver | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | (1) | (1) |
| Crane operator | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | (1) | (1) |
| Hook man | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | (1) | (1) |
| PANEL | 1-14 | 1-14 | 2-28 | 2-32 | 3-50 | 3-50 | 3-68 | 3-30 | 3-30 |
| Carrying | (12) | (12) | (24) | (28) | (44) | (44) | (60) | (24) | (24) |
| Pin | (2) | (2) | (4) | (4) | (6) | (6) | (8) | (6) | (6) |
| TRANSOM | 1-9 | 1-10 | 1-10 | 1-10 | 1-10 | 2-28 | 2-28 | 2-20 | 2-20 |
| Carrying | (8) | (8) | (8) | (8) | (8) | (24) | (24) | (16) | (16) |
| Clamp | (1) | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) | (4) | (4) | (4) | (4) |
| BRACING | 1-4 | 1-6 | 1-8 | 1-12 | 1-20 | 1-32 | 1-40 | 1-32 | 1-38 |
| Sway brace | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) | (6) | (6) | (6) | (6) |
| Raker | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) | (2) |
| Bracing frame | ... | (2) | (2) | (4) | (4) | (8) | (8) | (10) | (8) |
| Chord bolt | ... | ... | ... | (4) | (8) | (10) | (14) | (10) | (14) |
| Tie plate | ... | ... | (2) | ... | (4) | ... | (4) | ... | (4) |
| Overhead supp't | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | (6) | (6) | (4) | (4) |
| DECKING | 1-12 | 1-12 | 1-12 | 1-12 | 1-12 | 1-12 | 1-12 | 1-12 | 1-12 |
| Stringer | (8) | (8) | (8) | (8) | (8) | (8) | (8) | (8) | (8) |
| Chess and ribband | (4) | (4) | (4) | (4) | (4) | (4) | (4) | (4) | (4) |
| Total | 4-39 | 4-42 | 5-58 | 5-66 | 6-92 | 7-122 | 7-148 | 7-97 | 7-103 |

*Normally, a crane is not used for single- or double-story assembly.

Table 7-9. Types of Grillage Needed ¹

| Con- Safe soil struc- pressure tion (tons per sq ft) | 30' | 40' | 50' | 60' | 70' | 80' | 90' | 100' | 110' | 120' | 130' | 140' | 150' | 160' | 170' | 180' | 190' | 200' | 210' |
|---|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|---|----------------------------------|---|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|------|
| SS | 0.5 1.0 2.0 2.5 3.5 | 5,7,8 4 1 (2) (2) | 5,6,7,8 3 (2) (2) (2) | 5,6,7,8 3 (2) (2) (2) | 4 1 (2) (2) (2) | 4 1 (2) (2) (2) | 4 1 (2) (2) (2) | 4 1 (2) (2) (2) | 4 1 (2) (2) (2) | | | | | | | | | | |
| OS | 0.5 1.0 2.0 2.5 3.5 | | 7 5,7,8 4 1 1 | 7 6,7,8 3 1 (2) | 7,8 4 1 (2) (2) | 5,7,8 4 1 (2) (2) | 5,7,8 4 1 (2) (2) | 5,7,8 4 1 (2) (2) | 5,7,8 4 1 1 | 5,7,8 4 1 1 | 5,7,8 4 1 1 | 5,7,8 4 1 1 | | | | | | | |
| TS | 0.5 1.0 2.0 2.5 3.5 | | | | | 7 5,7,8 4 3 1 | 7 6,7,8 3 1 1 | 7,8 4 1 1 1 | 5,7,8 4 1 1 1 | 5,7,8 4 1 1 1 | 5,7,8 4 1 1 1 | 7 4 2 1 1 | 7,8 4 1 1 1 | 5,7,8 4 1 1 1 | | | | | |
| OO | 0.5 1.0 2.0 2.5 3.5 | | | | | | | 7 7,8 4 3 1 | 7 6,7,8 4 1 1 | 7 6,7,8 3 1 1 | 7 4 2 1 1 | 7 4,5,7,8 2 2 1 1 | 7 4,7,8 2 4,5,7,8 2 1 1 | 7 4,5,7,8 2 2 1 1 | 7 4,7,8 2 4,5,7,8 2 1 1 | 7 4,5,7,8 2 2 1 1 | | | |
| TO | 0.5 1.0 2.0 2.5 3.5 | | | | | | | | 7 7,8 4,7,8 4,5,7,8 1 | 7 7,8 4,5,7,8 3 1 | 7 7,8 4,5,7 2 1 | 7 7,8 4,7,8 2 2 | 7 7,8 4,7,8 2 2 | 7 7,8 4,7,8 2 2 | 7 7,8 4,7,8 2 2 | 7 7,8 4,7,8 2 2 | 7 7,8 4,7,8 2 2 | 7 7,8 4,7,8 2 2 | |

Table 7-9. Types of Grillage Needed ¹—Continued

| Con- Safe soil struc- pressure tion (tons per sq. ft.) | 30' | 40' | 50' | 60' | 70' | 80' | 90' | 100' | 110' | 120' | 130' | 140' | 150' | 160' | 170' | 180' | 190' | 200' | 210' |
|---|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|------|------|-------|---------|---------|------|-------|-------|---------|---------|---------|
| OT | 0.5 | | | | | | | | | | 7 | | 7 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 7 |
| | 1.0 | | | | | | | | | | 7,8 | 7,8 | 7,8 | 7,8 | 7,8 | 7,8 | 7,8 | 7,8 | 7,8 |
| | 2.0 | | | | | | | | | | 7,8 | 4,7,8 | 4,7,8 | 7,8 | 7,8 | 7,8 | 4,7,8 | 4,7,8 | 4,7,8 |
| | 2.5 | | | | | | | | | | 5,7,8 | 4,5,7,8 | 4,5,7,8 | 7,8 | 7,8 | 7,8 | 4,5,7,8 | 4,5,7,8 | 4,5,7,8 |
| | 3.5 | | | | | | | | | | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| TT | 0.5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 7 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 7 |
| | 1.0 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 7,8 | 7,8 | 7,8 | 7,8 | 7,8 |
| | 2.0 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 7,8 | 7,8 | 7,8 | 7,8 | 4,7,8 |
| | 2.5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 7,8 | 7,8 | 5,7,8 | 5,7,8 | 4,5,7,8 |
| | 3.5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 5,7,8 | 5,7,8 | 2 | 2 | 2 |

¹ See figures 7-30 and 7-31

b. Grillage requirements are shown in table 7-9 and figures 7-30 through 7-31. Grillage shown in figure 7-30 is built from the panel bridge set.

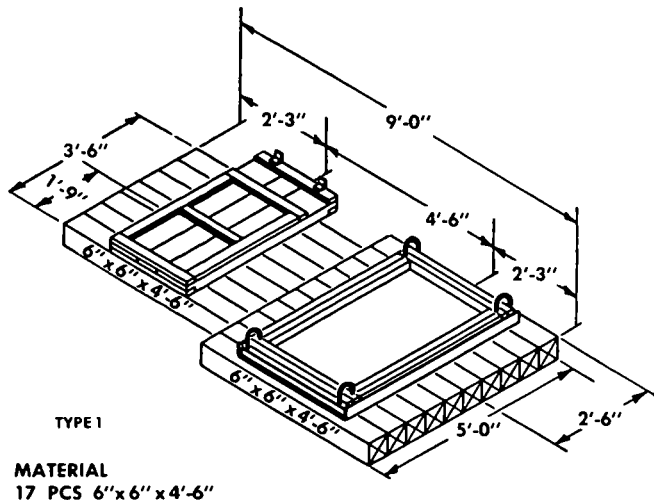
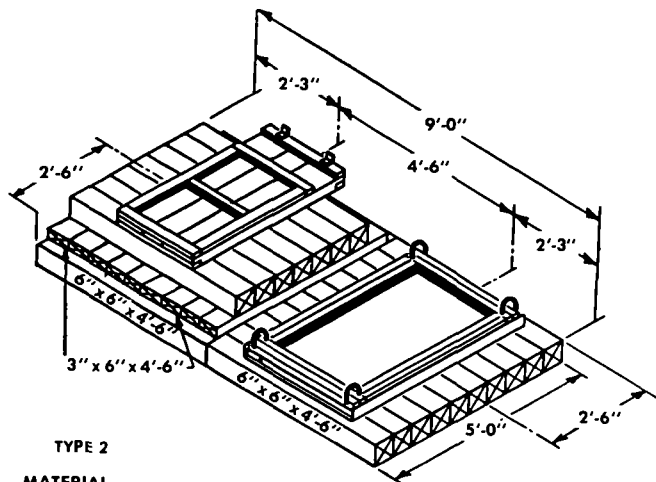


Figure 7-30. Grillage built from panel bridge set.



TYPE 2

MATERIAL

27 PCS 6" x 6" x 4'-6"

9 PCS 3" x 6" x 4'-6"

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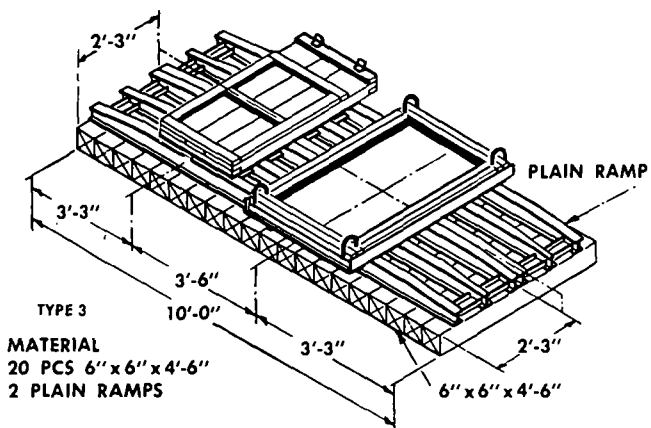


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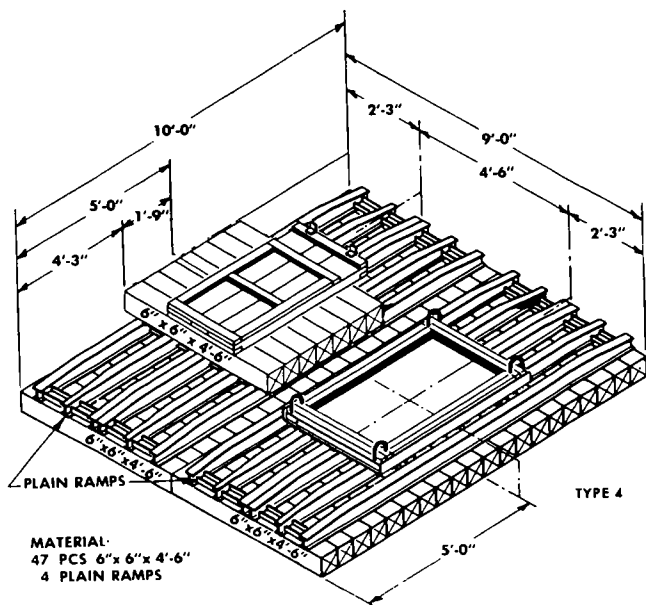


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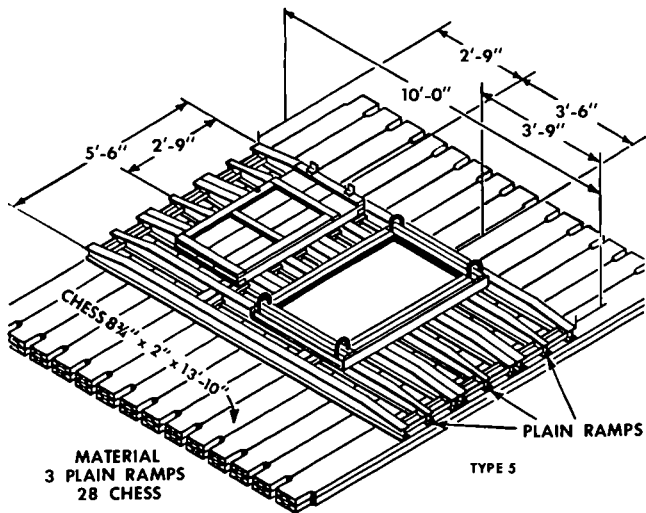


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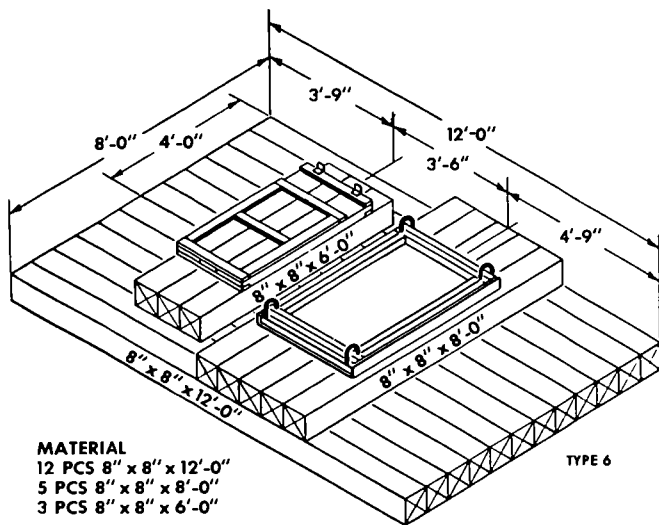


Figure 7-31. Grillage not supplied in panel bridge set.

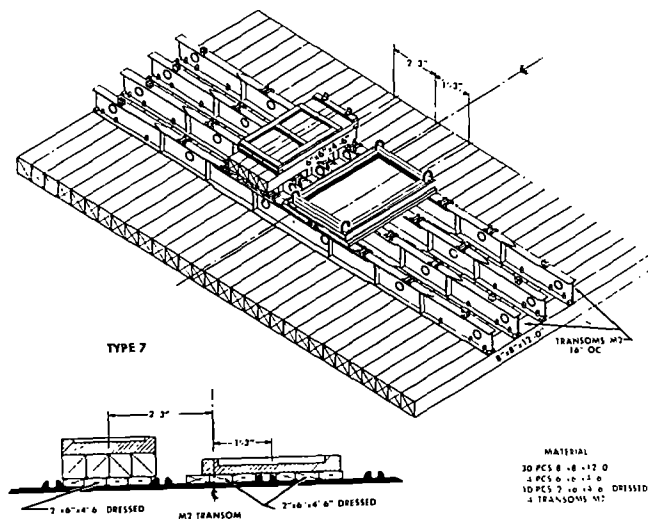


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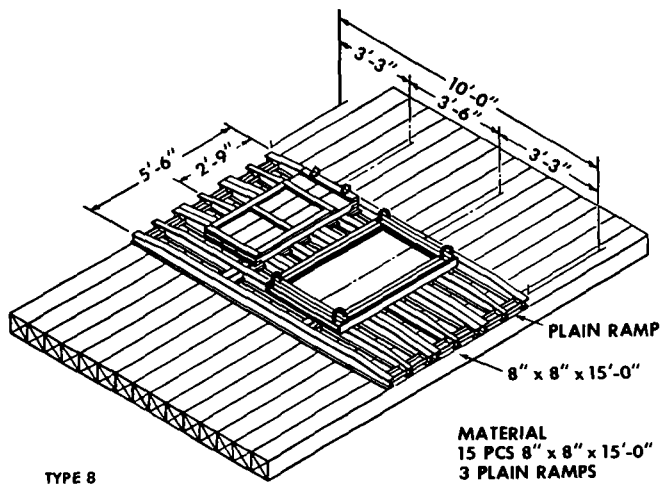


Figure 7-31 — Continued.

c. Figures 7-32 through 7-43 show bridge layout equipment and a typical bridge site layout for training purposes.

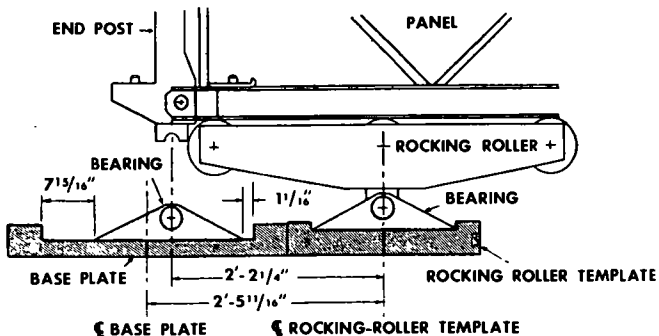


Figure 7-32. Racking rollers and base plate at the end of the bridge.

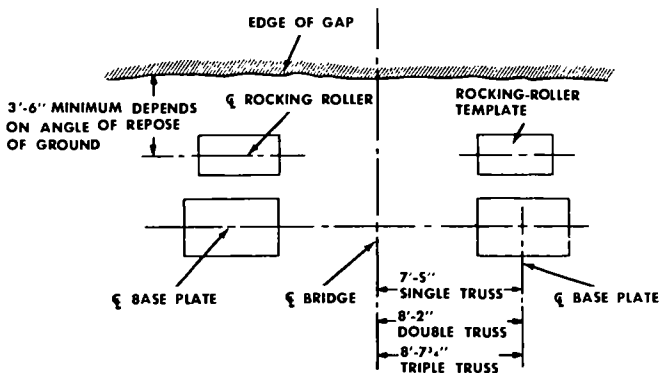


Figure 7-33. Lateral spacing of base plates.

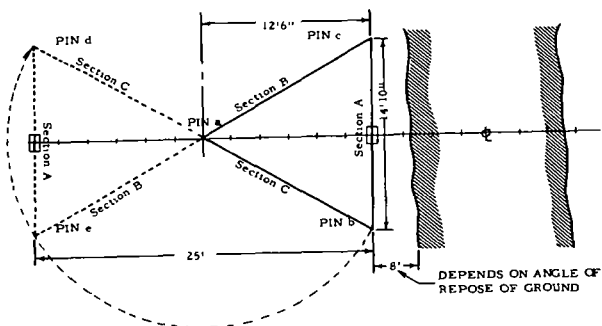
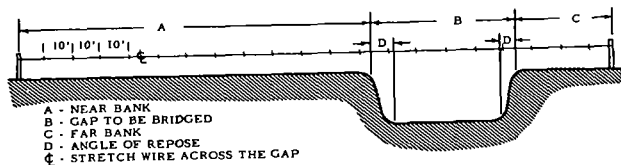


Figure 7-34. Site layout template.

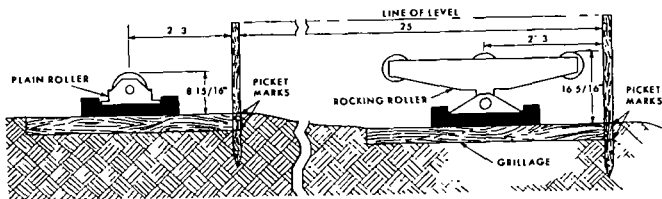


Figure 7-35. Leveling far placement of grillage bearing templates, and rollers.

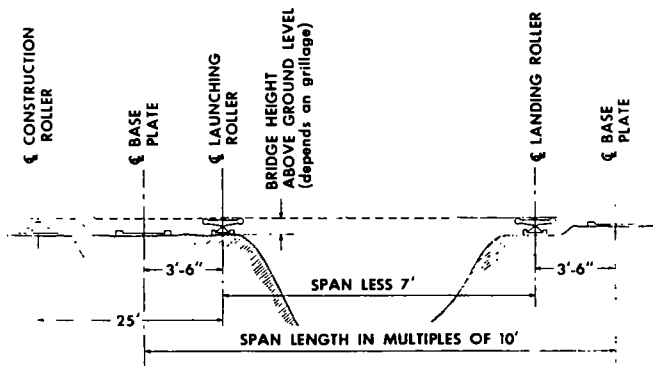


Figure 7-36. Sketch of proposed layout of a panel bridge.

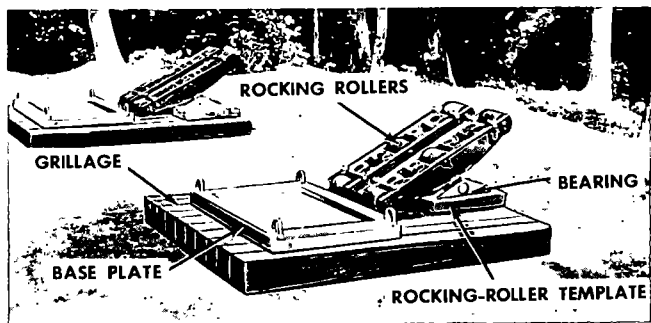


Figure 7-37. Base plate and racking rollers in position on grilloge before launching bridge.

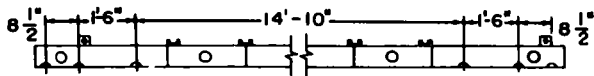


Figure 7-38. Transam used as template.

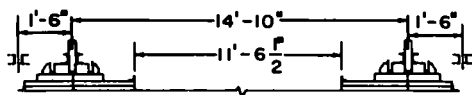


Figure 7-39. Plain roller, SS, DS bridges.

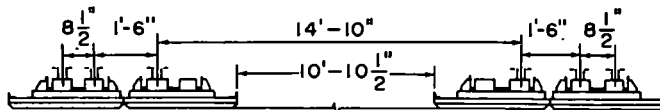


Figure 7-40. Plain roller, TS, DD, TD, DT, TT bridges.

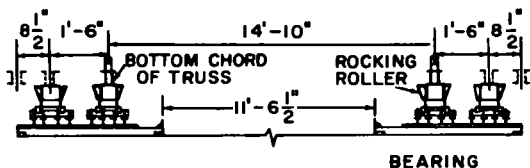


Figure 7-41. Layout of rocking roller template.

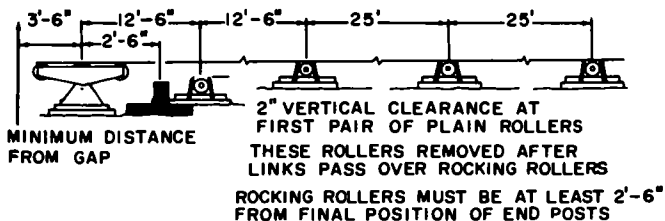


Figure 7-42. Vertical clearance necessary for removing first pair of near shore plain rollers after links pass racking rollers.

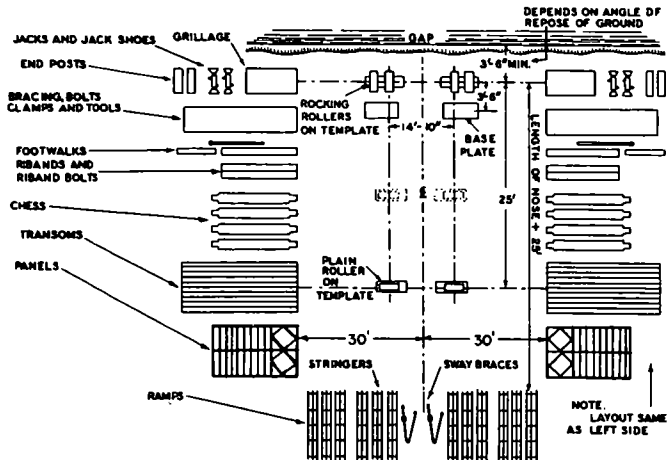


Figure 7-43. Layout of equipment at bridge site for training purposes.

d. Other pertinent data pertaining to transportation, launching and construction of the bridge is contained in tables 7-10 through 7-15.

Table 7-10. Bridge Launching Construction

| Bridge | | No. of boys in nose | | | Distance of links from tip of nose ft. | Required distance behind rocking rollers, ft. |
|--------|----------|---------------------|----|----|--|---|
| Type | Span ft. | SS | DS | DD | | |
| SS | 30 | 2 | | | — | 35 |
| | 40 | 3 | | | — | 43 |
| | 50 | 3 | | | — | 47 |
| | 60 | 4 | | | 10 | 55 |
| | 70 | 5 | | | 20 | 63 |
| | 80 | 5 | | | 20 | 67 |
| | 90 | 6 | | | 30 | 75 |
| | *100 | *6 | | | 30 | 76 |
| DS | 50 | 3 | | | — | 45 |
| | 60 | 4 | | | 10 | 52 |
| | 70 | 4 | | | 10 | 57 |
| | 80 | 5 | | | 20 | 64 |
| | 90 | 6 | | | 20 | 71 |
| | 100 | 6 | | | 20 | 76 |
| | 100 | 7 | | | 30 | 83 |
| | 120 | 8 | | | 40 | 90 |
| TS | 130 | 8 | | | 10 & 40 | 95 |
| | *140 | *8 | | | 10 & 40 | 96 |
| | 80 | 5 | | | 20 | 63 |
| | 90 | 6 | | | 20 | 70 |
| | 100 | 6 | | | 20 | 74 |
| | 110 | 7 | | | 30 | 81 |
| | 120 | 7 | | | 30 | 86 |
| | 130 | 8 | | | 40 | 93 |
| DD | 140 | 9 | | | 10 & 40 | 100 |
| | *150 | *9 | | | 20 & 40 | 101 |
| | *160 | *9 | | | 20 & 40 | 106 |
| | 100 | 6 | | | 20 | 74 |
| | 110 | 7 | | | 20 | 81 |
| DD | 120 | 7 | | | 30 | 86 |
| | 130 | 8 | | | 30 | 93 |
| | 140 | 7 | 2 | | 40 | 100 |

| Bridge | | No. of boys in nose | | | Distance of links from tip of nose ft. | Required distance behind rocking rollers, ft. |
|--------|----------|---------------------|----|----|--|---|
| Type | Span ft. | SS | DS | DD | | |
| DD | 150 | *6 | 3 | | 40 | 106 |
| | *160 | *6 | *3 | | 40 | 106 |
| | *170 | *7 | *3 | | 10 & 40 | 113 |
| | *180 | *7 | *3 | | 20 & 40 | 117 |
| TD | 110 | 6 | | | 20 | 77 |
| | 120 | 7 | | | 20 | 84 |
| | 130 | 6 | 2 | | 30 | 90 |
| | 140 | 5 | 3 | | 30 | 96 |
| | 150 | 5 | 4 | | 40 | 103 |
| | *160 | *5 | *4 | | 40 | 106 |
| | *170 | *6 | *4 | | 10 & 40 | 112 |
| | *180 | *7 | *4 | | 10 & 40 | 125 |
| DT | *190 | *7 | *4 | | 20 & 40 | 126 |
| | 130 | 5 | 3 | | 30 | 91 |
| | 140 | 5 | 3 | | 30 | 96 |
| | 150 | 5 | 4 | | 30 | 102 |
| | 160 | 5 | 5 | | 40 | 109 |
| | *170 | *5 | *5 | | 40 | 112 |
| | *180 | *5 | *5 | | 40 | 116 |
| | *190 | *6 | *5 | | 10 & 40 | 131 |
| DT | *200 | *7 | *5 | | 20 & 40 | 132 |
| | *210 | *7 | *5 | | 30 & 40 | 135 |
| DT | *160 | *5 | *5 | | 40 | 941 |
| | *170 | *5 | *6 | | 40 | 961 |
| | *180 | *6 | *2 | *2 | 40 | 1021 |
| | *190 | *6 | *6 | *2 | 10 & 40 | 1121 |
| | *200 | *6 | *6 | *4 | 20 & 40 | 1151 |
| | *210 | *7 | *6 | *6 | 30 & 40 | 1171 |

*Spans launched incompletely. See following table.

†Estimated.

LAUNCHING TT BRIDGES 1. Launch until near-bank rocking rollers are under last TT bay of initial construction. 2. Add up to six bays TT bays to tail of initial construction. This completes all but 210-foot span. 3. Continue launching until near-bank rocking rollers are under last TT bay added in step 2. 4. Add remainder of TT bays to complete bridge (210-foot span only). 5. Add five bays DS nose-type construction to tail of bridge. 6. Launch forward until first three DT bridge bays are beyond far-bank rollers. 7. Complete first three bridge bays by converting to TT and adding transoms. 8. Pull bridge back to final position, remove DS tail, add decking where needed, and jock down.

Table 7-11. Bridge Spans Launched Incomplete

| Type | Span, ft. | No. of bays, docking & stringers | Omitted of top story |
|--|--------------|--|----------------------------|
| SS | 100 | 4 | |
| DS | 140 | 6 | |
| TS | 150 | 6 | |
| | 160 | 10 | |
| | 160 | 7 | |
| DD | 170 | 7 | |
| | 180 | 12 | 2 |
| | 160 | 3 | |
| | 170 | 10 | |
| TD | 180 | All | |
| | 190 | All | 3 1/3 |
| | 170 | 3 | |
| | 180 | 8 | |
| DT | 190 | All | |
| | 200 | All | 3 |
| | 210 | All | 5 |
| No. of bridge bays in initial con- struction * | | | |
| | 160 | 3 | 14 |
| | 170 | 6 | 14 |
| | 180 | 6 | 14 |
| TT | 190 | All | 15 |
| | 200 | All | 14 |
| | 210 | All | 13 |
| * First three bridge bays are constructed DT with only one truss per bay. Last bridge bay is constructed DT because of staggered construction necessary when add- ing subsequent bays. | | | |

Table 7-12. Number of Jacks Needed at Each End of Bridge

| Type | Span, ft. | No. of jacks needed at each end of |
|------|--------------|--|
| SS | 30-100 | 2 |
| DS | 50-140 | 4 |
| TS | 80-140 | 4 |
| | 150-160 | 6 |
| DD | 100-120 | 4 |
| | 130-180 | 6 |
| TD | 110-140 | 6 |
| | 150-190 | 8 |
| DT | 130 | 6 |
| | 140-180 | 8 |
| | 190-210 | 10 |
| TT | 160-170 | 10 |
| | 180-210 | 12 |

Table 7-13. Number of Rocking Rollers Needed for Bridge

| Type | Span, ft. | Near bank | Far bank |
|------|--------------|--------------|-------------|
| SS | 30-100 | 2 | * |
| | 50-80 | 2 | * |
| DS | 90-100 | 2 | 2 |
| | 110-140 | 4 | 2 |
| TS | 80-160 | 4 | 2 |
| DD | 100-130 | 4 | 2 |
| | 140-180 | 4 | 4 |
| TD | 110-120 | 4 | 2 |
| | 130-190 | 4 | 4 |
| DT | 130-210 | 4 | 4 |
| TT | 160-210 | 4 | 4 |

* Use two plain rollers

Table 7-14. Weight per Bay of Bridge

| Construction | Weights per bay tons |
|--|-------------------------|
| BRIDGE | |
| SS | 2.76 |
| DS | 3.41 |
| TS | 4.01 |
| DD | 4.66 |
| TD | 5.88 |
| DT | 6.46 |
| TT | 8.29 |
| LAUNCHING NOSE | |
| SS | 1.00 |
| DS | 1.64 |
| DD | 2.90 |
| DECKING | |
| Stringers only | 0.79 |
| Chess and steel ribanda. | 0.66 |
| FOOTWALKS | 0.17 |
| OVERHEAD BRACING | |
| Supports, transoms, sway bracing, and chord bolts | 0.54 |
| WEAR TREAD AND TRUSS GUARDS | 0.35 |
| NOTE: Footwalks, wear treads, and truss guards not included. Overhead bracing included on DT and TT. | |

Table 7-15. Critical Dimensions of Bridge

| | |
|--|-----------|
| Road width between steel ribands | 12' 6" |
| Road width between timber truss guards | 13' 9" |
| Lateral distance between centerlines of trusses: | |
| Inner trusses | 14' 10" |
| Middle trusses | 17' 10" |
| Outer trusses | 19' 3" |
| Lateral distance between centerlines of base plates: | |
| S truss bridge | 14' 10" |
| D truss bridge | 16' 4" |
| T truss bridge | 17' 3½" |
| Lateral distance between outside edges of base plates: | |
| S truss bridge | 19' 5" |
| D truss bridge | 20' 11" |
| T truss bridge | 21' 10½" |
| Lateral distance between measuring lugs of racking roller templates | 11' 6½" |
| Lateral distance between measuring lugs of plain roller templates: | |
| SS, DS bridges | 11' 6½" |
| TS, DD, TD, DT, TT bridges | 10' 10½" |
| Longitudinal spacing between plain rollers | 25' |
| Height from base of base plate to top of chess | 28 5/16" |
| Height from base of rocking roller template to top of rocking roller | 16 5/16" |
| Height from base of plain roller templated to top of plain roller | 8 15/16" |
| Height from base of ramp pedestal to top of ramp chess | 17 ¼" |
| Height from bottom of half round lug under slaping end of ramp to top of ramp chess | 5 7/8" |
| Height from top of chess to overhead bracing: | |
| Normal | 14' 7" |
| Expedient | 12' 3" |
| Height from base of bearing to bottom of panel | 5 17/32" |
| Height from bottom of panel to top of chess | 20 11/16" |
| Height from bottom of half round lug of end post to top of chess | 22 13/32" |
| Height from base of rocking roller bearing to top of racking roller | 13 5/16" |

7-9. CLASSIFICATION

Table 7-16 provides classification data for the panel bridge.

Table 7-16. Dual Classification by Type of Construction and Type of Crossing

| SPAN IN FEET | SINGLE SINGLE | | | DOUBLE SINGLE | | | TRIPLE SINGLE | | | DOUBLE DOUBLE | | | TRIPLE DOUBLE | | | DOUBLE TRIPLE | | | TRIPLE TRIPLE | | |
|--------------------|------------------|-------|-------|------------------|-------|-------|------------------|-------|---------|------------------|-------|-------|------------------|---------|---------|------------------|--------|--------|------------------|---------|---------|
| | N | C | R | N | C | R | N | C | R | N | C | R | N | C | R | N | C | R | N | C | R |
| 30 | 30/30 | 42/31 | 47/42 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 40 | 24 | 36/34 | 40/38 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 50 | 24 | 33/31 | 38/35 | 75/70 | 83/86 | 88/84 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 60 | 20 | 30/29 | 33/32 | 65/63 | 71/73 | 75/79 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 70 | 20 | 24 | 30/30 | 60/60 | 66/63 | 73/75 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 80 | 16 | 20 | 24 | 50/55 | 60/60 | 68/64 | 83/80 | 85/90 | 100/90* | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 90 | 12 | 16 | 19 | 40/45 | 50/50 | 55/53 | 65/63 | 74/73 | 82/82 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 100 | 8 | 12 | 14 | 30/30 | 37/39 | 42/44 | 50/55 | 60/60 | 68/68 | 80/80 | 88/80 | 98/90 | | | | | | | | | |
| 110 | | | | 20 | 30/30 | 34/38 | 35/40 | 47/49 | 52/54 | 65/70 | 72/70 | 80/83 | 90/90* | 100/90* | 100/90* | | | | | | |
| 120 | | | | 18 | 23 | 27/30 | 30/35 | 38/41 | 43/45 | 45/53 | 57/61 | 64/63 | 75/70 | 83/80* | 81/90* | | | | | | |
| 130 | | | | 12 | 18 | 21 | 20 | 31/33 | 35/38 | 38/45 | 47/50 | 53/58 | 55/60 | 65/72 | 74/80 | 70/80 | 80/80* | 90/90* | | | |
| 140 | | | | 8 | 14 | 17 | 18 | 24 | 28/31 | 38/35 | 38/42 | 44/48 | 45/55 | 57/62 | 64/70 | 70/70 | 80/80* | 88/90* | | | |
| 150 | | | | | | | 12 | 18 | 22 | 24 | 32/35 | 38/40 | 35/45 | 47/51 | 54/58 | 60/60 | 77/85 | 85/90* | | | |
| 160 | | | | | | | 8 | 15 | 17 | 16 | 25 | 30/33 | 30/35 | 37/41 | 45/48 | 55/55 | 63/78 | 80/89 | 80/75 | 100/90* | 100/90* |
| 170 | | | | | | | 4 | 10 | 13 | 12 | 19 | 24 | 20 | 31/34 | 38/40 | 43/50 | 57/64 | 64/74 | 70/70 | 80/80* | 90/90* |
| 180 | | | | | | | | | | 8 | 15 | 18 | 16 | 24 | 28/32 | 35/45 | 48/53 | 55/60 | 58/60 | 64/75 | 77/87 |
| 190 | | | | | | | | | | | | | 12 | 18 | 22 | 30/35 | 38/43 | 48/51 | 45/55 | 58/68 | 68/77 |
| 200 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 20 | 32/38 | 38/43 | 35/40 | 48/52 | 53/63 |
| 210 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 16 | 25 | 31/35 | 24 | 38/43 | 48/51 |

Notes. 1. N = Normal, C = Caution, R = Risk.

*2. Limited by Roadway Width

3. Upper figure represents wheel load class.

Lower figure represents tracked load class. Example: 46/51

4. Bridges which have a normal rating over class 70 must be constructed with double transoms.

5. Single classification is designated below class 30.

Section IV. Miscellaneous Bridging

7-10. LIGHT SUSPENSION BRIDGE DESIGN

The suspension bridge (fig. 7-44) is used for long spans high above obstacles. The floor system is suspended from cables, which are supported on towers and anchored to abutments.

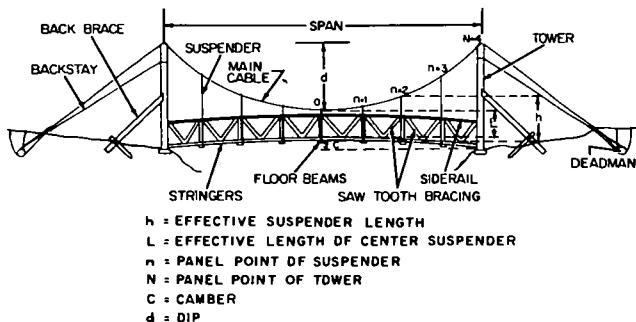


Figure 7-44. Light suspension bridge.

a. Design Data. See table 7-17 and figure 7-43.

Table 7-17. Light-Suspension Bridge Design Data

| Item | Data | | |
|----------------------|---|---|---|
| Panel length | 10 to 15 ft. | | |
| Camber | Approximately 2 ft. | | |
| Stringer design | See paragraph 7-5a | | |
| Floor beams | 4" x 4" for foot traps or pack animals. 6" x 6" for 1/4-ton truck. 8" x 8" for 3/4-ton truck. | | |
| Stress in suspenders | Design for dead load of one panel, live load and 100% of live load for impact. See table 12-2 for cable strength. | | |
| Length of suspenders | $h = L + \left(\frac{n}{N}\right)^2 (C + d)$ See figure 7-44 for meaning of symbols. | | |
| Sag ratio | 5% for foot bridges to 10% for animal and light vehicle bridges. | | |
| Main-cable design | Sag ratio % | Max total tension in main cables, in parts of total suspended weight of bridge and load | Length of cable between towers, in parts of span length |
| | 7 | 1.94 | 1.012 |
| | 8 | 1.57 | 1.018 |
| | 9 | 1.46 | 1.022 |
| | 10 | 1.35 | 1.026 |
| | 11 | 1.23 | 1.033 |
| | 12 1/2 | 1.12 | 1.041 |
| | 16 2/3 | 0.90 | 1.070 |
| Towers | 12" x 12" posts and caps will take loads, including a 2 1/2-ton truck. 6" to 8" timber side, back, and forebraces. 1/2" wire-rope side and back guys. 1 to 1 slope for side guys; 2 1/2 horizontal to 1 vertical slope for back guys. | | |
| Anchorage | Deadman or other anchorage must hold maximum tension of main cable. | | |
| Factor of safety | Wire rope = 2 Cardage = 3.5 | | |

b. **Example-Main Cable Design.** Determine tension in main cables for a 200-foot-span suspension bridge with a suspended weight of 10 tons. Assume a 10-percent sag ratio and a 4-ton line load.

| | Pounds |
|-----------------------|--------|
| Suspended weight..... | 20,000 |
| Line load..... | 8,000 |
| Impact..... | 8,000 |
| Total..... | 36,000 |

Maximum total tension in main cables for a 10-percent sag ratio = $36,000 \times 1.35 = 48,600$ pounds. If two main cables are used, each must have a tensile strength of 24,300 pounds.

7-11. THREE-ROPE BRIDGE

The three-rope bridge is used to carry personnel with full field pack, maximum of 7 men at 5-pace interval. Maximum length is 150 feet. Construction procedures follow:

- Construct stringers or support for tread rope and hand ropes on near and far shore.
- Lay out tread rope and hand ropes parallel and one pace apart on near shore. Minimum diameters = 1" for tread ropes and $\frac{3}{4}$ " for hand ropes.
- Cut suspender rope 12 feet long, center on tread rope (two paces apart) and tie with a clove hitch on bottom.
- Lift hand rope elbow high and tie suspenders with girth hitch on inside.
- Haul bridge over gap with small diameter ($\frac{1}{2}$ inch) rope and secure on far shore with a round turn and a bowline.
- Pull near shore rope tight (5 percent sag) and secure.
- Send one man onto bridge to make final adjustments of suspender ropes.
- Complete details are given in TM 5-270.

7-12. FOUR-ROPE BRIDGE

The four-rope bridge is used to carry pack animals and personnel. Maximum length is 100 feet. Maximum capacity is 5 men with full field packs spaced 5 paces apart or one pack animal with handler. The bridge is constructed the same as the three-rope bridge (para 7-11) except:

a. Cross members (minimum 3" diameter) are tied to tread ropes, one pace apart, with suspender ropes using clove hitches.

b. After erection, decking is lashed to the cross members and covered with twigs, leaves, and light brush to provide a walking surface.

7-13. EXPEDIENT LOG BRIDGES

Figure 7-45 illustrates six suggested configurations for expedient wooden bridges. Capacities cannot be accurately determined, as with standard bridges. They depend on the size and condition of the timber and the strength of the lashings.

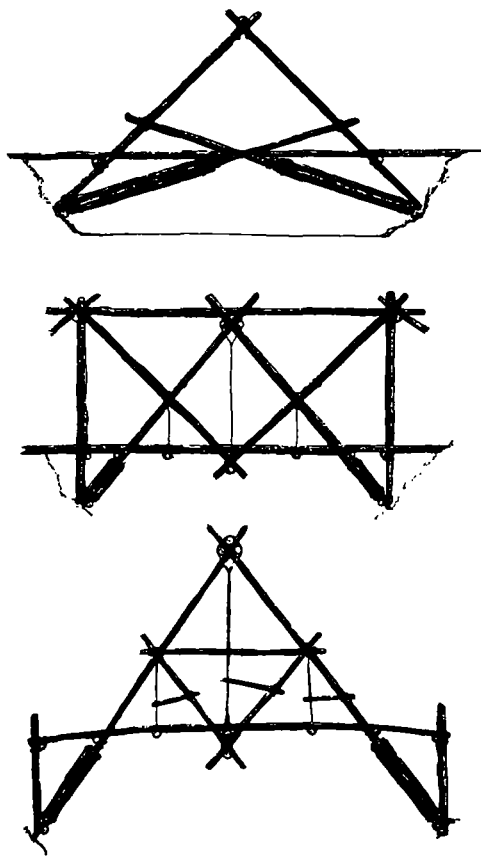


Figure 7-45. Expedient wooden bridges.

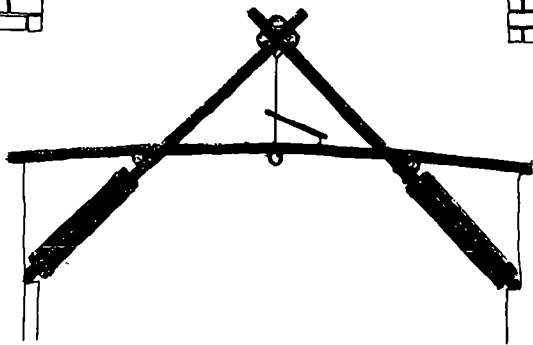
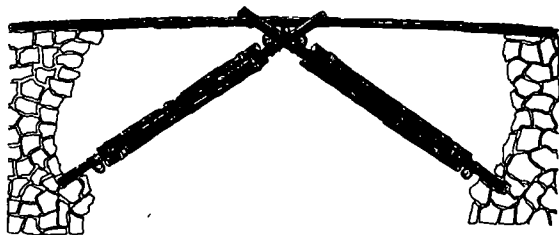


Figure 7-45—Continued.

CHAPTER 8

CONCRETE CONSTRUCTION

8-1. EXCAVATION

Initial excavation should be done with any available equipment, however, final excavation should be done by hand, to the prescribed depths. If too much material is excavated, place the concrete to the depth actually excavated. Do not refill excavations to the specified depth before placing the concrete because it is too difficult to compact the fill surface properly. When making time estimates for excavations, refer to chapter 13 for equipment production rates and table 8-1 for hand excavation production rate.

Table 8-1. Earth excavation by hand

| Type of material | Cubic yards per man-hour | | | | | |
|----------------------|--|-------------|-------------|--------------|---------------------------------|--|
| | Excavation with pick and shovel to depth indicated | | | | Loosening earth — man with pick | Loading in trucks or wagons — one man with shovel and loose soil |
| | 0 to 3 feet | 0 to 5 feet | 0 to 8 feet | 0 to 10 feet | | |
| Sand..... | 2.0 | 1.8 | 1.4 | 1.3 | ..... | 1.8 |
| Silty sand..... | 1.9 | 1.6 | 1.3 | 1.2 | 6.0 | 2.4 |
| Gravel, loose..... | 1.5 | 1.3 | 1.1 | 1.0 | ..... | 1.7 |
| Sandy silt-clay..... | 1.2 | 1.2 | 1.0 | .9 | 4.0 | 2.0 |
| Light clay..... | .9 | .7 | .6 | .7 | 1.9 | 1.7 |
| Dry clay..... | .6 | .6 | .5 | .5 | 1.4 | 1.7 |
| Wet clay..... | .5 | .4 | .4 | .4 | 1.2 | 1.2 |
| Hardpan..... | .4 | .4 | .4 | .3 | 1.4 | 1.7 |

8-2. FORMING

a. Elements of wooden forms for a concrete wall or slab are shown in figure 8-1.

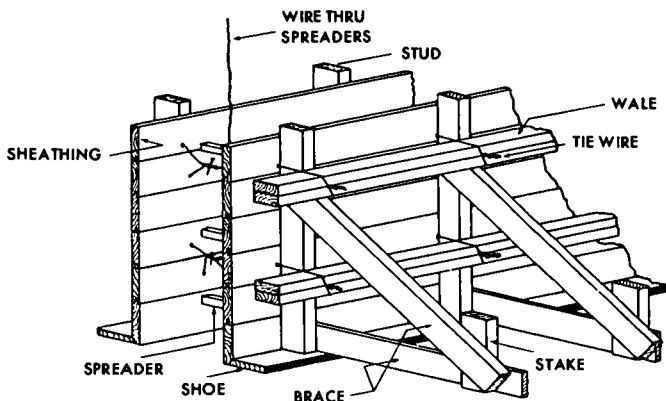


Figure 8-1. Form for a concrete wall.

(1) *Sheathing.* Sheathing forms the surfaces of the concrete. It should be as smooth as possible, especially if the finished surfaces are to be exposed. Since the concrete is in a plastic state when placed in the form, the sheathing should be watertight. Tongue and groove sheathing gives a smooth watertight surface. Plywood or masonite can also be used.

(2) *Studs.* The weight of the plastic concrete will cause the sheathing bulge if it is not reinforced. Studs are run vertically to add rigidity to the wall form. Studs are generally made from 2 x 4 or 3 x 6 material.

(3) *Wales (Walers).* Studs also require reinforcing when they extend over 4 or 5 feet. This reinforcing is supplied by double wales. Double wales also serve to tie prefabricated panels together and keep them in a straight line. They run horizontally and are lapped at the corners of the forms to add rigidity. Joints normally should be staggered to minimize weaknesses in form construction. Wales usually are the same material as the studs.

(4) *Braces*. There are many types of braces which can be used to give the forms stability. The most common type is a diagonal member and horizontal member nailed to a stake and to a stud or wale. The diagonal member should make a 30° angle with the horizontal member. Additional bracing may be added to the form by placing vertical members behind the wales (strongbacks) or by placing vertical members in the corner formed by intersecting wales. Braces are not part of the form design and are not considered as providing any additional strength.

(5) *Shoe plates*. The shoe plate is nailed into the foundation or footing and is carefully placed to maintain the correct wall dimension. The studs are tied into the shoe and spaced according to the correct design.

(6) *Spreaders*. In order to maintain proper distance between forms, small pieces of wood are cut to the same length as the thickness of the wall and are placed between the forms. These are called spreaders. The spreaders must be removed before the concrete hardens. A wire should be securely attached to the spreaders so that they can be pulled out after the concrete has exerted enough pressure to the walls to allow them to be easily removed.

(7) *Tie wires*. Tie wire is a tensile unit designed to hold the concrete forms secure against the lateral pressure of unhardened concrete. A double strand of tie wire is always used.

b. Elements of wooden forms for concrete columns are shown in figure 8-2.

(1) *Sheathing*. In column forms, sheathing runs vertically to save on the number of sawcuts required. The corner joints should be firmly nailed to insure watertightness.

(2) *Batten*. Batten are narrow strips of boards (cleats) that are placed directly over the sawcuts to fasten the several pieces of vertical sheathing together.

(3) *Yokes*. The horizontal dimensions on a column are small enough so that bracing is not required in the vertical plane. A rectangular horizontal brace known as a yoke is used. The yoke wraps around the column and keeps the concrete from distorting the form. The yoke can be locked by the sheathing, scab, or bolt type yoke lock.

c. Elements of steel paving forms are shown in figure 8-3.

(1) The steel forms are made in 10-foot lengths and vary in height from 8 to 12 inches.

(2) Anchoring pins of proper length (18-inch pin for 8-inch form to 30-inch pin for 12-inch form) are inserted in the three holes and are held in place by the locking wedges.

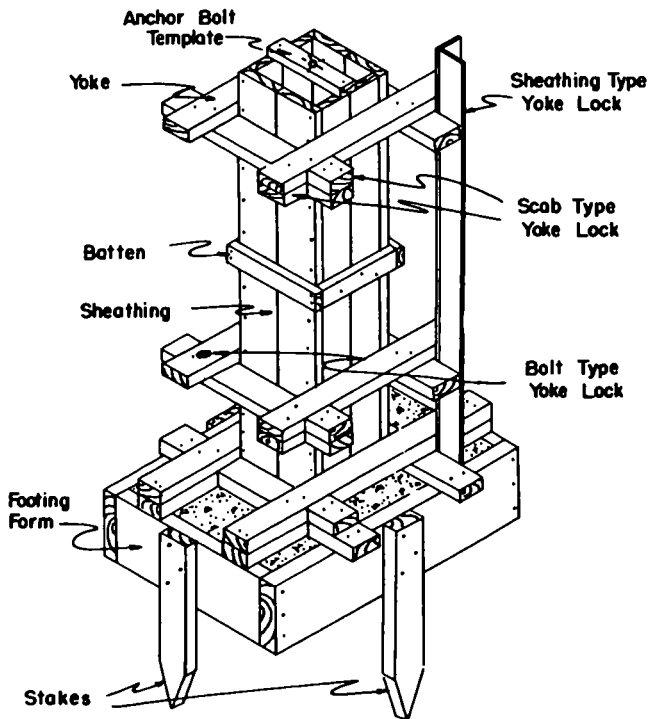


Figure 8-2. Form for a concrete column.

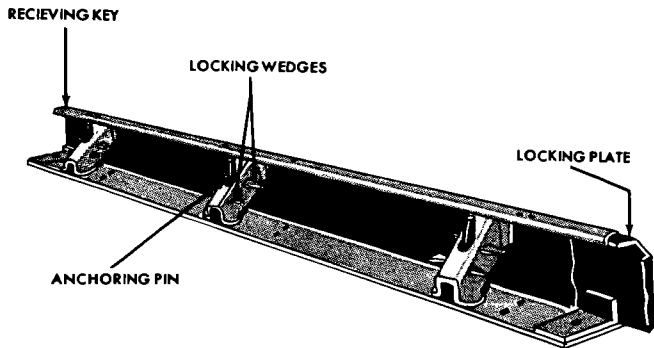


Figure 8-3. Steel paving form.

(3) Steel forms have sliding lack plates at one end to fit under the flanges of adjacent forms to insure positive alinement at the joints. They should slide easily into lacking position.

d. The rate of construction for wooden forms is 10 square feet per hour. Steel paving forms can be set by 4-man teams at the rate of approximately 50 linear feet per hour.

8-3. FORM DESIGN

a. Wooden forms for a concrete wall should be designed by the following steps:

(1) Determine the materials available for sheathing, studs, wales, braces, shoe plates and tie wires.

(2) Determine the mixer output by dividing the mixer yield by the batch time. Batch time includes loading all ingredients, mixing, and unloading. If more than one mixer will be used, multiply mixer output by the number of mixers.

$$\text{Mixer output (cu ft/hr)} = \frac{\text{Mixer yield (cu ft)}}{\text{Batch time (min)}} \times \frac{60 \text{ min}}{\text{hr}}$$

- (3) Determine the area that is enclosed by the forms.

$$\text{Plan area (sq ft)} = L \times W$$

- (4) Determine the rate of placing the concrete in the form by dividing the mixer output by the plan area.

$$\text{Rate of placing (ft/hr)} = \frac{\text{Mixer output (cu ft/hr)}}{\text{Plan area (sq ft)}}$$

- (5) Make a reasonable estimate of the placing temperature of the concrete.

(6) Determine the maximum concrete pressure by entering the bottom of figure 8-4 with the rate of placing. Draw a line vertically up until it intersects the correct concrete temperature curve. Read horizontally across from the point of intersection to the left side of the graph and determine the maximum concrete pressure.

(7) Determine the maximum stud spacing by entering the bottom of figure 8-5 with the maximum concrete pressure. Draw a line vertically up until it intersects the correct sheathing curve. Read horizontally across from the point of intersection to the left side of the graph. If the stud spacing is not an even number of inches, round the value of the stud spacing down to the next lower even number of inches. For example, a stud spacing of 17.5 inches would be rounded down to 16 inches.

(8) Determine uniform load on a stud by multiplying the maximum concrete pressure by the stud spacing.

Uniform load on a stud (lb/lineal ft)

$$= \text{Maximum concrete pressure (lb/sq ft)}$$

$$\times \text{stud spacing (ft)}$$

(9) Determine the maximum wale spacing by entering the bottom of figure 8-6 with the uniform load on a stud. Draw a line vertically up until it intersects the correct stud size curve. Read horizontally across from the point of intersection to the left side of the graph. If the wale spacing is not an even number of inches, round the value of the wale spacing down to the next lower even number of inches. Double wales (two similar members) are used in every case as shown in figure 8-6.

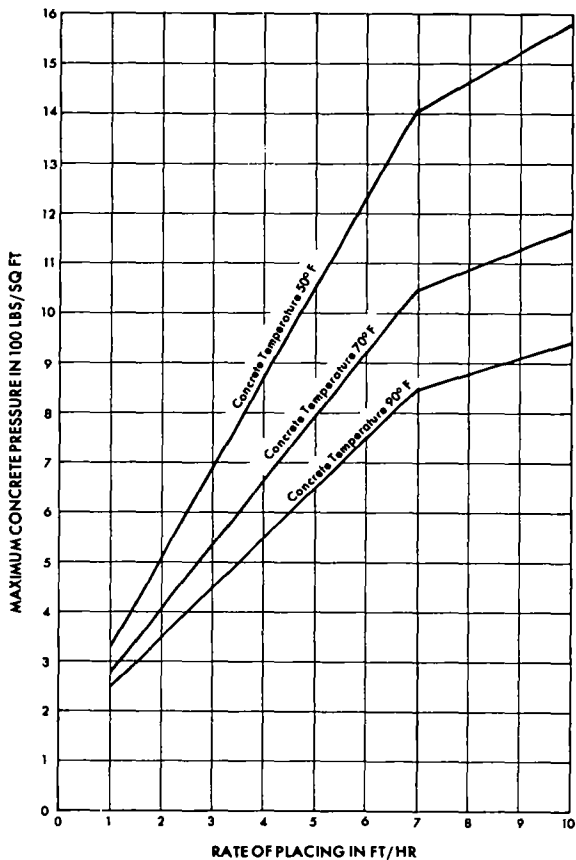
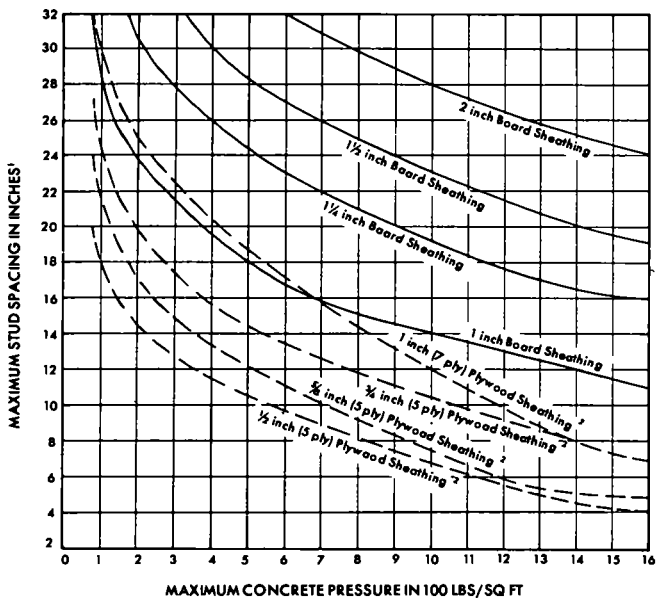


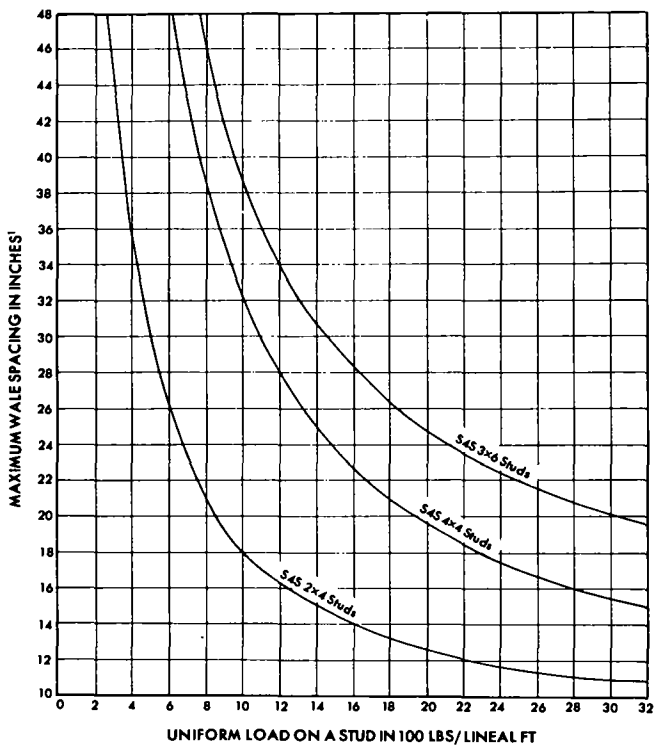
Figure 8-4. Maximum concrete pressure graph.



¹ MAXIMUM ALLOWABLE STUD SPACING = 32 INCHES

² SANDED FACE GRAIN PARALLEL TO SPAN

Figure 8-5. Maximum stud spacing graph.



¹ MAXIMUM ALLOWABLE WALE SPACING = 48 INCHES

Figure 8-6. Maximum wale spacing graph.

(10) Determine the uniform load on a wale by multiplying the maximum concrete pressure by the wale spacing.

Uniform load on wale (lb/lineal ft)

$$= \text{Maximum concrete pressure (lb/sq ft)} \times \text{wale spacing (ft)}$$

(11) Determine the tie wire spacing, based on the wale size, by entering the bottom of figure 8-7 with the uniform load on a wale. Draw a line vertically up until it intersects the correct double wale size curve. Read horizontally across from the point of intersection to the left side of the graph. If the tie spacing is not an even number of inches, round the value of the tie spacing down to the next lower even number of inches.

(12) Determine the tie wire spacing based on the tie wire strength by dividing the tie wire strength by the uniform load on a wale. If the tie wire spacing is not an even number of inches, round the computed value of the tie spacing down to the next lower even number of inches. If possible, use a tie wire size that will provide a tie spacing equal to or greater than the stud spacing. Always use a double strand of wire. If the strength of the available tie wire is unknown, the minimum breaking load for a double strand of wire (found in the Army supply system) is given in table 8-2.

$$\text{Tie wire spacing (in)} = \frac{\text{Tie wire strength (lbs)} \times (12 \text{ in/ft})}{\text{Uniform load on wale (lb/ft)}}$$

(13) Determine the maximum tie spacing by selecting the smaller of the tie spacings based on the wale size and on the tie wire strength.

(14) Compare the maximum tie spacing with the maximum stud spacing. If the maximum tie spacing is less than the maximum stud spacing, reduce maximum stud spacing to equal to the maximum tie spacing and tie at the intersections of the studs and wales. If the maximum tie spacing is greater than the maximum stud spacing, tie at the intersections of the studs and wales.

(15) Determine the number of studs for one side of a form by dividing the form length by the stud spacing. Add one (1) to this number and round up to the next integer. During form construction, place studs at the spacing determined above. The spacing between the last two studs may be less than the maximum allowable spacing

$$\text{No. of studs} = \frac{\text{Length of form (ft)} \times 12 \text{ (in/ft)}}{\text{Stud spacing (in)}} + 1$$

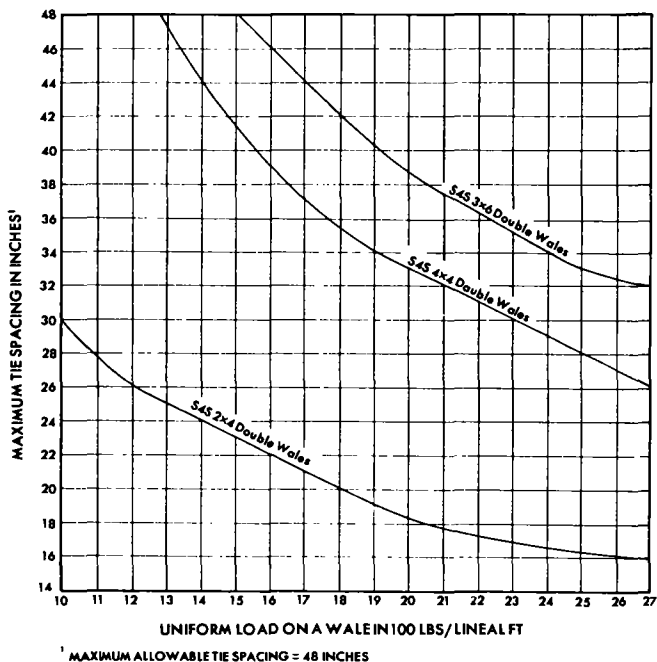


Figure 8-7. Maximum tie wire spacing.

(16) Determine the number of wales for one side of the form by dividing the form height by the wale spacing and round up to the next integer. Place first wale one-half up from the bottom and the remainder at the maximum wale spacing.

Table 8-2. Breaking Load of Wire

| STEEL WIRE | |
|----------------------|--|
| Size of wire gage No | Minimum breaking load double strand pounds |
| 8..... | 1700 |
| 9..... | 1420 |
| 10..... | 1170 |
| 11..... | 930 |

| BARBED WIRE | |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| Size of each wire gage No. | Minimum breaking load pounds |
| 12½..... | 950 |
| 13 ¹ | 660 |
| 13½..... | 950 |
| 14..... | 650 |
| 15½..... | 850 |

¹ Single strand barbed wire

(17) Determine the time required to place the concrete by dividing the height of the form by the rate of placing.

b. *Example Form Design Problem:* Design the forms for a concrete wall 40 feet long, 2 feet thick, and 10 feet high. A 16S Mixer is available and the crew can produce a batch (16 cu ft) of concrete every 5 minutes. The concrete temperature is estimated to be 70° F. Material available for use in constructing forms, includes 2 × 4's and one-inch board sheathing.

Solution Steps:

(1) Material available: 2 × 4's, one inch sheathing and No. 9 wire.

$$(2) \text{ Mixer output} = \frac{16 \text{ cu ft}}{5 \text{ min}} \times \frac{60 \text{ min}}{\text{hr}} = 192 \text{ cu ft/hr}$$

(3) Plan area of forms = $40 \text{ ft} \times 2 \text{ ft} = 80 \text{ sq ft}$

(4) Rate of placing = $\frac{192 \text{ cu ft/hr}}{80 \text{ sq ft}} = 2.4 \text{ ft/hr}$

(5) Temperature of concrete: 70°F

(6) Maximum concrete pressure (fig. 8-4) = 460 lb/sq ft

(7) Maximum stud spacing (fig. 8-5) = 18^{\times} use 18 inches

(8) Uniform load on studs = $460 \text{ lb/sq ft} \times \frac{18 \text{ in}}{12 \text{ in/ft}} = 690 \text{ lb/ft}$

(9) Maximum wale spacing (fig. 8-6) = 23^+ use 22 inches

(10) Uniform load on wales = $460 \text{ lb/sq ft} \times \frac{22 \text{ in}}{12 \text{ in/ft}} = 843 \text{ lb/ft}$

(11) Tie wire spacing based on wale size (fig. 8-7) = $> 30''$

(12) Tie wire spacing based on wire strength

$$= \frac{1420 \text{ lb} \times 12 \text{ in/ft}}{843 \text{ lb/ft}} = 20^+ \text{ use 20 inches}$$

(13) Maximum tie spacing = 20 inches

(14) Maximum tie spacing is greater than maximum stud spacing, therefore, reduce the tie spacing to 18 inches and tie at the intersection of each stud and double wale.

(15) Number of studs per side = $\left(40 \text{ ft} \times \frac{12 \text{ in/ft}}{18 \text{ in}}\right) + 1$
 $= 26.7 + 1$, use 28 studs

(16) Number of double wales per side = $10 \text{ ft} \times \frac{12 \text{ in/ft}}{22 \text{ in}}$
 $= 5^+$ use 6 double wales

(17) Time required to place concrete = $\frac{10 \text{ ft}}{2.4 \text{ ft/hr}} = 4.17 \text{ hrs.}$

c. Wooden forms for a concrete column should be designed by the following steps:

(1) Determine the materials available for sheathing, yokes, and battens. Standard materials for column forms are 2×4 's and 1-inch sheathing.

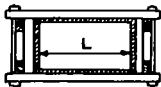
(2) Determine the height of the column.

(3) Determine the largest cross-sectional dimension of column.

(4) Determine the yoke spacings by entering table 8-3 and reading down the first column until the correct height of column is reached. Then read horizontally across the page to the column headed by the

Table 8-3. Column Yoke Spacing
(based on use of 2 × 4's and 1-inch sheathing)

| LARGEST DIMENSION OF COLUMN IN INCHES—L | | | | | | | | | |
|---|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|--|
| | 16" | 18" | 20" | 24" | 28" | 30" | 32" | 36" | |
| 1' | | | | | | | | | |
| 2' | 31" | 29" | 27" | 23" | 21" | 20" | 19" | 17" | |
| 3' | 31" | 28" | 26" | 23" | 20" | 19" | 18" | 17" | |
| 4' | 31" | 28" | 26" | 23" | 20" | 19" | 18" | 17" | |
| 5' | 31" | 28" | 26" | 23" | 20" | 19" | 18" | 17" | |
| 6' | 30" | 28" | 26" | 22" | 18" | 18" | 17" | 15" | |
| 7' | 30" | 26" | 24" | 16" | 13" | 12" | 12" | 11" | |
| 8' | 29" | 26" | 19" | 14" | 13" | 12" | 10" | 10" | |
| 9' | 29" | 20" | 19" | 14" | 12" | 10" | 10" | 8" | |
| 10' | 21" | 18" | 16" | 13" | 10" | 9" | 8" | 7" | |
| 11' | 21" | 18" | 15" | 12" | 9" | 8" | 8" | 6" | |
| 12' | 20" | 16" | 14" | 11" | 8" | 7" | 7" | 6" | |
| 13' | 20" | 16" | 14" | 10" | 8" | 7" | 7" | 6" | |
| 14' | 18" | 15" | 12" | 9" | 7" | 6" | 6" | 5" | |
| 15' | 18" | 13" | 11" | 9" | 6" | 5" | 5" | 4" | |
| 16' | 15" | 13" | 11" | 8" | 6" | 5" | 5" | 4" | |
| 17' | 14" | 12" | 10" | 8" | 5" | 4" | 4" | 3" | |
| 18' | 13" | 12" | 10" | 8" | 5" | 4" | 4" | 3" | |
| 19' | 13" | 11" | 10" | 8" | 5" | 4" | 4" | 3" | |
| 20' | 13" | 11" | 10" | 8" | 5" | 4" | 4" | 3" | |



largest cross-sectional dimension. The center-to-center spacing of the second yoke above the base yoke will be equal to the value in the lowest interval that is partly contained in the column height line. All subsequent yoke spacings may be obtained by reading up this column to the top. This procedure gives maximum yoke spacings. Yokes may be placed closer together, if desired.

d. *Example Problem:* Determine the yoke spacings for a 9-foot column whose largest cross-sectional dimension is 36 inches. 2×4 's and 1-inch sheathing are available.

Solution Steps:

(1) Material available— 2×4 's and 1-inch sheathing

(2) Height of column is 9 feet

(3) Largest cross-sectional dimension of the column is 36 inches.

(4) Maximum yoke spacing for column (table 8-3) starting from the bottom of form are 8", 8", 10", 11", 12", 13", 17, 17" and 10". The space between the top two yokes has been reduced because of the limits of the column height.

8-4. IMPORTANT CONSIDERATIONS IN MIXING GOOD CONCRETE

a. *Sand and Aggregate.* Assuming that the proper cement is available, the first item of importance for a concrete job is the availability of suitable sand and coarse aggregate. Use sound, clean sand and coarse aggregate. The sand should be free of clay and silt and the aggregate should be hard and strong. The amount of sand and coarse aggregate required for each batch should be carefully measured by weight or volume.

b. *Water.* The major factor that affects the strength of a concrete mix is the water-cement ratio. The type, gradation, cleanliness, and shape of the aggregate particles definitely affect the strength, but not to the extent that the water-cement ratio does. Water for mixing concrete should be free of foreign matter such as silt, organic materials, alkali, and sulphates. The amount of water required should be carefully measured.

8-5. TYPES OF CEMENT

a. *Normal Portland Cement (Type I).* Normal portland cement is used for all general types of construction. It is used in pavement and sidewalk construction, reinforced concrete buildings and bridges, railways, structures, tanks, and reservoirs, sewers, culverts, waterpipes, masonry units and soil cement mixtures.

b. *Modified Portland Cement (Type II)*. Modified portland cement has a lower heat of hydration than Type I, generates heat at a slower rate and has improved resistance to sulfate attack. It is intended for use in structures of considerable size where cement of moderate heat of hydration will tend to minimize temperature rise, as in large piers, heavy abutments, heavy retaining walls and when the concrete is placed in warm weather.

c. *High-Early Portland Cement (Type III)*. High-early portland cement is used where high strengths are desired at very early periods. It is used where it is desired to remove forms as soon as possible, to put the concrete in service as quickly as possible and in cold weather construction to reduce the period of protection against low temperatures.

d. *Low-Heat Portland Cement (Type IV)*. Low-heat portland cement is to be used when the amount and rate of heat generated must be kept to a minimum. It is intended for use only in large masses of concrete such as large dams where temperature rise resulting from the heat generated during hardening is a critical factor.

e. *Sulfate-Resistant Portland Cement (Type V)*. Sulfate-resistant portland cement is intended for use only in structures exposed to severe sulfate attack.

f. *Air-Entrained Portland Cement (Type IA, IIA or IIIA)*. Air-entrained portland cement is a special cement that can be used with good results to resist severe frost action, to resist the effect of applications of salt to pavements for snow and ice removal, and to reduce the amount of water loss.

8-6. ESTIMATING QUANTITY OF STORED AGGREGATE

a. Aggregate is often stored in cone-shaped or tent-shaped piles. A good formula to estimate the volume of aggregate in a cone-shaped pile is: $\text{volume} = 0.2618 \times \text{height} \times \text{diameter squared}$. The volume of a tent-shaped pile is: $\text{volume} = 0.2618 \times \text{height} \times \text{diameter squared} + .5 \times \text{height} \times \text{diameter} \times \text{length of the linear section}$. The weight of the stored aggregate is determined by multiplying the volume by the unit weight of aggregate. A good estimate of the unit weight of aggregate is 100 lbs/cu ft.

b. Figure 8-8 provides a graphical method of determining the weight of aggregate in a pile. The capacity of the pile has been related to the width of the base of the pile. The base width can be obtained by measuring the pile with a tape or, approximately, by pacing.

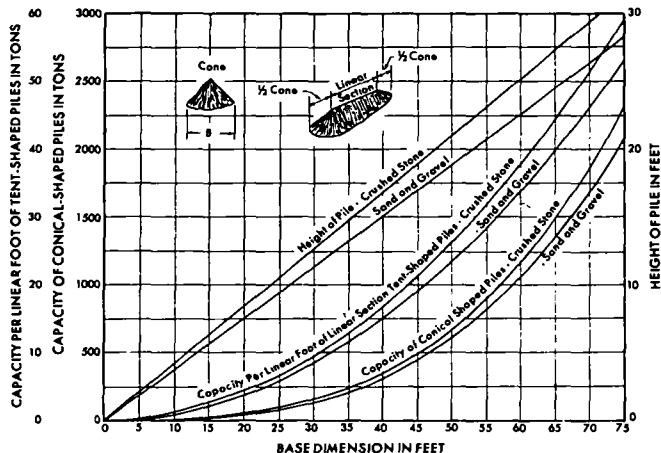


Figure 8-8. Storage capacity curves.

(1) The capacity of a conical-shaped pile is determined from the bottom pair of curves. Enter the bottom of the graph with the base dimension and draw a line vertically up until it intersects the correct material curve. Read horizontally across from the point of intersection to the capacity in the vertical column on the inside left. For example, a conical-shaped stockpile of crushed stone 60 feet wide at the base has a capacity of 1200 tons.

(2) Determining the capacity of a tent-shaped pile requires two steps. Note that the two ends of a tent-shaped pile are equivalent to one conical pile and their capacity can be determined in the manner described above. The capacity per linear foot of the middle section is determined from the middle pair of curves. Enter the bottom of the graph with the base dimension and draw a line vertically up until it intersects the correct material curve. Read horizontally across from the point of intersection to the capacity per linear foot in the vertical column on the outside left. Multiplying the capacity per linear foot times the length of the middle section in feet gives the capacity of the middle section. Adding the middle section capacity to the capacity of the ends gives

the total capacity. For example, the middle section of a tent-shaped stockpile of gravel 40 feet wide has a capacity of 15 tons per linear foot. If the middle section were 50 feet long, the capacity of the middle section would be $50 \text{ ft} \times 15 \text{ tons/ft} = 750 \text{ tons}$. The capacity of the two end sections is 300 tons, therefore the total capacity is $750 \text{ tons} + 300 \text{ tons} = 1050 \text{ tons}$ of gravel.

(3) The top pair of curves can be used to determine the height of the pile. Enter the bottom of the curve with the base dimension and draw a line vertically up until it intersects the correct material curve. Read horizontally across to the right from the point of intersection to the height of the pile.

8-7. CONCRETE MIX DESIGN (TRIAL BATCH METHOD)

a. It is recommended that, to properly design a concrete mix, the testing equipment and procedures outlined in TM 5-742 be used. If this is not available, the procedures given in this manual will be satisfactory. For large projects, a mixer should be used for mixing trial batches. For small projects, mixing by hand will suffice. The method given here is for trial mixing done by hand.

b. Construct a measuring box which has the inside dimensions of 6 inches \times 6 inches \times 6 inches. This will give a container that will hold 0.125 ($\frac{1}{8}$) cubic foot of material.

c. The amount of water that is to be added to the cement to produce the required strength concrete must be determined. It can be expressed in terms of gallons per sack of cement, or in terms of weight of water per sack of cement. Table 8-4 gives the quantities of water for concrete of given strengths for Type I non-air-entrained and air-entrained cement. A 15 percent safety factor should be added to the desired strength when selecting the amount of water. Where strength and economy are important, tests for strength should be made with materials to be used on the job.

d. The slump required for the type of construction can be obtained by referring to table 8-5. Be sure to pick one particular slump instead of a range.

e. Using the measuring box, measure out one box of cement, two boxes of sand, and three boxes of gravel. (Aggregate should have no surface moisture.) Place on a surface which will not absorb moisture. Mix the cement, sand and gravel until evenly mixed. Place the mixture in a mound and form a depression in the middle.

Table 8-4. Relations Between Mixing Water and Compressive Strength of Concrete

Normal Portland Cement (Type I) — Non-Air-Entrained

| Water-gal per sack of cement | Probable Average Strength*, psi | |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------|
| | 7-day strength | 28-day strength |
| 4..... | 4,300 | 6,200 |
| 5..... | 3,400 | 5,200 |
| 6..... | 2,700 | 4,300 |
| 7..... | 2,100 | 3,500 |
| 8..... | 1,500 | 2,900 |

Normal Portland Cement (Type IA) — Air-Entrained

| Water-gal per sack of cement | Probable Average Strength*, psi | |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------|
| | 7-day strength | 28-day strength |
| 5.5..... | 2,200 | 3,700 |
| 6.0..... | 1,800 | 3,300 |
| 6.5..... | 1,500 | 2,900 |
| 7.0..... | 1,200 | 2,500 |

*A safety factor of 15 percent should be allowed when selecting the water content required. If 2,800 psi concrete at 28 days is required, a water content corresponding to a strength of 3,220 psi should be selected.

Table 8-5. Recommended Slumps for Various Types of Construction*

| Type of construction | Slump (inches) | |
|---|----------------|---------|
| | Maximum | Minimum |
| Reinforced foundation walls and footings..... | 4 | 2 |
| Unreinforced footings, caissons, and sub-structure walls..... | 3 | 1 |
| Reinforced slabs, beams, and walls..... | 5 | 2 |
| Building columns..... | 5 | 3 |
| Pavements..... | 2 | 1 |
| Heavy mass construction..... | 2 | 1 |
| Bridge decks..... | 3 | 2 |
| Sidewalk, driveway, and slabs on ground..... | 4 | 2 |

*When high-frequency vibrators are not used, the values may be increased by about 50 percent, but in no case should the slump exceed 6 inches.

f. Measure out $\frac{1}{4}$ of the required water for one sack of cement and pour slowly into the cement-sand-gravel mixture. Mix well until all sand and gravel is coated with the cement-water paste.

g. Test the slump of the mixture and compare it against what is required. The procedure for determining the slump of concrete is as follows:

(1) Obtain or construct slump cone as shown in figure 8-9.

(2) Moisten cone and place on a waterproof surface such as a piece of tin or plastic. Do not place on concrete or wood unless thoroughly moistened.

(3) Completely fill the cone in three layers, each layer consisting of approximately $\frac{1}{3}$ of the volume of the cone. As each layer is placed, it must be rodded 25 times with a $\frac{3}{8}$ -inch, bullet-pointed, tamping rod. Each stroke of the rod should penetrate the layer of concrete below the layer being tamped, with the bottom layer being rodded throughout its entire depth.

(4) When the cone is full, strike off any excess concrete.

(5) Carefully remove the cone and place next to the concrete. Measure the slump of the concrete as shown in figure 8-9. To be an acceptable mixture, the measured slump should be within $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch of the recommended slump.

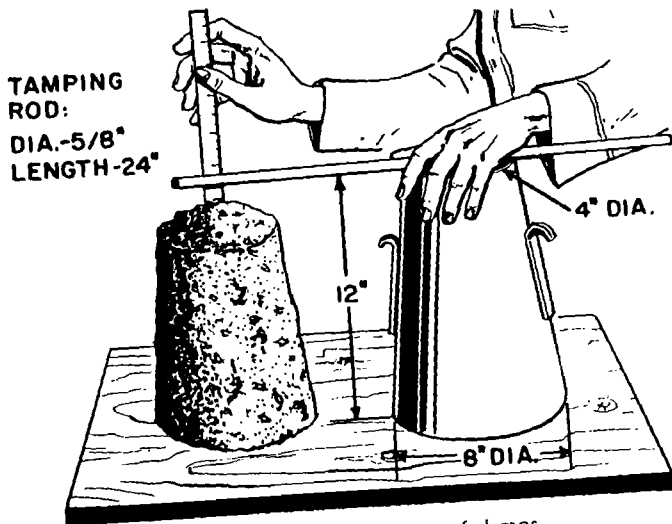


Figure 8-9. Measurement of slumps.

h. If slump is more than required, repeat the trial mix using more sand-gravel. If slump is less than what is desired, repeat the trial mix using less sand-gravel. Caution: Never increase water content to increase the slump.

i. After the proper trial mix has been determined, multiply the amounts used by 8. This will give the amount of sand and gravel to mix with one sack of cement and the determined amount of water.

j. Example problem: Place an air-entrained concrete which will have a 7-day strength of 3,500 psi for a footing.

Solution:

1. Add 15 percent to the strength for a safety factor
 $3,500 \times 1.15 = 4,025$
2. Amount of water (table 8-4): 4 gallons
3. Required slump (table 8-5): 3 inches

4. After the trial batch it was found that to obtain a 3-inch slump 1 bag ($\frac{1}{8}$ cu ft) of cement, 2 boxes ($\frac{1}{8}$ cu ft each) of sand and 4 boxes ($\frac{1}{8}$ cu ft each) of gravel were needed.

Therefore for one bag mix

$$\text{Cement} = 1 \times \frac{1}{8} \text{ cu ft} \times 8 = 1 \text{ cu ft} = 1 \text{ bag}$$

$$\text{Sand} = 2 \times \frac{1}{8} \text{ cu ft} \times 8 = 2 \text{ cu ft}$$

$$\text{Gravel} = 4 \times \frac{1}{8} \text{ cu ft} \times 8 = 4 \text{ cu ft}$$

$$\text{Water} = 4 \text{ gal}$$

8-8. ESTIMATING AMOUNT OF MATERIALS REQUIRED

a. After the mix proportions have been determined, the amount of each material for the job must be determined.

- (1) Determine the volume of concrete needed in cubic feet.

(2) Multiply volume of concrete needed by $\frac{3}{4}$. This gives the total amount of dry loose material needed.

(3) Determine the volumetric proportion of cement, sand and gravel. This can be done by the trial batch method or if necessary by assuming a 1-2-3 mix.

(4) Determine the total volume of each material needed by summing the desired proportion of each decided on in (3) above (i.e., 1-2-3=6)

(5) Determine the amount of cement, sand and gravel needed by multiplying the volume of dry material needed ((2) above) by the proportional amount of the total mix (cement = $\frac{1}{6}$ \times total volume).

(6) Add loss factor due to handling by using rule of thumb: 10% loss for job up to 200 cubic yards of concrete needed and .5% loss for jobs 200 cubic yards and over. Round off to nearest whole number. (Note: 1 sack (bag) cement = 1 cu ft)

(7) Determine amount of water by using rule of thumb: 8 gal of water per sack of cement. This allows extra water for waste, cleanup and curing.

b. *Example Problem:* Determine the amount of material needed to place a concrete wall. The size has been determined to be 10 feet long, 3 feet high and 1 foot thick.

- (1) Volume: $10 \text{ ft} \times 3 \text{ ft} \times 1 \text{ ft} = 30 \text{ cu ft}$

- (2) Dry loose materials required: $30 \text{ cu ft} \times \frac{3}{4} = 45 \text{ cu ft}$

- (3) Mix proportion: 1-2-3=6

- (4) Amount of each material required

$$\text{Cement} = 45 \text{ cu ft} \times \frac{1}{6} = 7.5 \text{ cu ft} = 7.5 \text{ bags}$$

$$\text{Sand} = 45 \text{ cu ft} \times \frac{2}{6} = 15 \text{ cu ft}$$

$$\text{Gravel} = 45 \text{ cu ft} \times \frac{3}{6} = 22.5 \text{ cu ft}$$

- (5) Amount of concrete is less than 200 cubic yards, therefore apply 10% loss factor:
 Cement = 1.10×7.5 bags = 8.25 say 9 bags
 Sand = 1.10×15 cu ft = 16.5 say 17 cu ft
 Gravel = 1.10×22.5 cu ft = 24.75 say 25 cu ft
- (6) Amount of water: $8 \frac{\text{gal}}{\text{bag}} \times 9 \text{ bags} = 72 \text{ gal}$

8-9. BATCHING

a. Once a design mix has been determined the project site must be laid out and organized to facilitate quality control of the batch (charge) which will go into the mixer. A recommended layout is to place the cement, sand, gravel and water as close to the skip (load bucket) of the mixer as possible.

b. When the batch is being placed in the skip, the gravel should be placed in the skip first. This allows the material to flow freely and keep the skip clean. Cement is placed next and covered with sand. This prevents the cement from being blown away. The exact amount can be controlled by constructing measuring boxes which have inside dimensions of 1 foot \times 1 foot \times 1 foot and measuring all sand and gravel as it is placed in the skip. Water can be placed into the mixer either by the use of a metering device which may be a part of the mixer, or by hand. If the water is placed by hand, it should be measured in containers which will not leak and care should be taken that the water is not spilled as it is placed into the mixer. Water may be added through the discharge end of the mixer (discharge chute up) after the dry materials are in the drum. Avoid spilling water into the skip as it has a tendency to make the materials stick.

c. The actual mixing time will depend on the method of discharge and size of batch. If discharge is directly into the form, the mixing time should be at least one minute for any mix. For a batch exceeding one cubic yard the mixing time is increased 15 seconds for each additional $\frac{1}{2}$ cubic yard or part thereof. If the concrete is discharged into small containers, the mixing time will be longer due to the additional time required to empty the mixer drum.

8-10. CONCRETE PLACING

a. All forms should be oiled before concrete is placed. This is to aid in removing forms after the concrete has hardened.

b. Concrete should not be allowed to free fall into forms at heights greater than 3 to 5 feet unless suitable drop chutes, baffles or vertical pipes are provided.

c. As concrete is being placed, it should be compacted by vibration, spades or rods. Care should be taken not to over vibrate. This will cause the concrete to segregate, making the concrete weaker. Segregation is the differential concentration of the components of mixed concrete, resulting in nonuniform proportions in the mass.

8-11. CURING AND PROTECTING CONCRETE

a. The loss of moisture must be prevented during hydration. Keep the exposed surface moist by spraying or ponding water, or by covering the concrete with earth, sand, or burlap maintained in a moist condition.

b. Spray-on curing compounds are available. Spray on the compound in one coat. Do not use the compounds if the air temperature is above 100° F and the air is dry.

c. Do not let fresh concrete drop below 40° F in temperature.

8-12. MIXER CLEANING

Cleaning of the mixer should be performed after every use. To clean a mixer, all cement paste should be washed off the outside of the mixer. The inside of the drum should be cleaned. This can be done by placing water and small stones in the drum and allowing the mixer to rotate to clean and flush out all concrete from the drum. After cleaning, a light coat of oil on the outside of the mixer will prevent concrete from sticking to the mixer during the next operation.

CHAPTER 9

MILITARY ROAD CONSTRUCTION

9-1. MINIMUM DESIGN REQUIREMENTS

Table 9-1 gives a summary of military road specifications.

Table 9-1. Military Road Specifications

| Characteristic | Specification |
|------------------------------|--|
| Width: | |
| Traveled way (single lane). | Min—11.5 ft (3.5 meters) |
| Traveled way (two lanes). | Min—23 ft (7.0 meters) |
| Shoulders (each side)... | Min—ft (1.5 meters) |
| Clearing..... | Min—6 ft (2 meters) on each side of roadway |
| Grades: | |
| Absolute maximum..... | Lowest maximum gradability of vehicles for which road is built |
| Normal maximum..... | 10% |
| Desirable maximum..... | Tangents and gentle curves, less than 6%; sharp curves, less than 4% |
| Horizontal curve radius..... | Desired min—150 ft (45 m) Absolute min—80 ft (25 m) |
| Vertical curve length: | |
| Invert curves..... | 100-ft min (30 m) for each 4% algebraic difference in grades |
| Overt curves..... | 125-ft min (40m) for each 4% algebraic difference in grades |
| Sight distance: | |
| Nonpassing..... | Absolute minimum—200 ft (60 m) |
| Passing..... | Absolute minimum—350 ft (110m) |

Table 9-1. — Continued

| Characteristic | Specification |
|------------------------------|---|
| Load capacity: | |
| Road proper..... | Sustain 18,000 lb Single axle, dual wheel equivalent load |
| Bridges..... | Accommodate using traffic |
| Slapes: | |
| Shoulders..... | $\frac{3}{4}$ in per ft to $1\frac{1}{2}$ in per ft |
| Crown (gravel and dirt)..... | $\frac{1}{2}$ to $\frac{3}{4}$ in per ft |
| Crown (paved)..... | $\frac{1}{4}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$ in per ft |
| Superelevation..... | $\frac{1}{4}$ to $1\frac{1}{4}$ in per ft |
| Cut..... | Variable |
| Fill..... | Variable |
| Drainage..... | Adequate crown or superelevation with adequate ditches and culverts in good condition. Take full advantage of natural drainage. Try to locate road at least 5 ft above the ground-water table |
| Miscellaneous: | |
| Overhead clearance..... | Min — 14 ft (4.3 m) |
| Traffic volume..... | 2,000 vehicles per day |
| Turnouts (single lane) ... | Min — every $\frac{1}{4}$ mile |

9-2. CROSS-SECTIONS

Figures 9-1 through 9-5 give typical military road specifications.

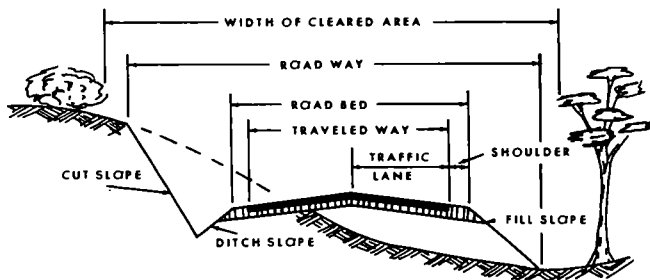


Figure 9-1. Typical cross-sections illustrating road nomenclature.

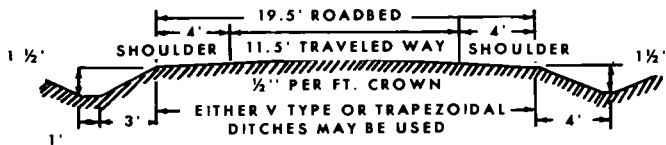


Figure 9-2. One way earth road.

SLOPE $\frac{1}{2}$ " PER. FT. CROWN



Figure 9-3. Two-way road using single course construction.

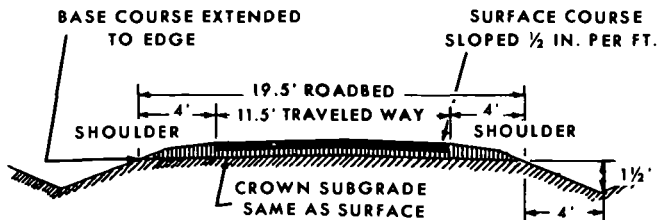


Figure 9-4. One-way road using double course construction.

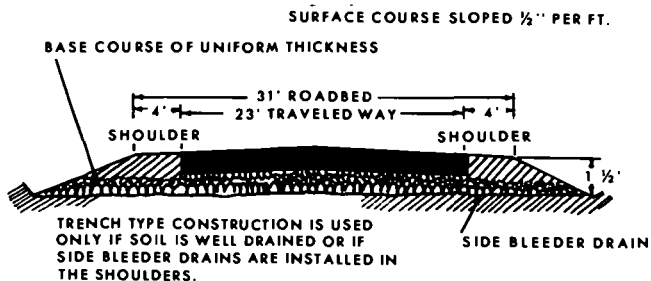


Figure 9-5. Two-way road using double course construction.

9-3. CONSTRUCTION STAKES

(fig. 9-6)

a. Centerline Stakes.

(1) *General.* Centerline or alignment stakes are placed on the centerline of a road or airfield to indicate its alignment, location, and direction. These stakes are the first stakes to be placed and are usually placed at 100-foot intervals. On rough ground or on a sharp horizontal and vertical curves, the stakes are placed closer together.

(2) *Placement and marking.*

(a) *Placement.* Stakes are placed with the broad portion of the stake perpendicular to the centerline. The side of the stake which faces the starting point (station 0+00) is called the front of the stake.

(b) *Marking.* The front of the stake is marked with a C which means centerline, and the station number or the distance from the starting point. As an example 78+00 means 7800 feet from the starting point. On the reverse side, or back side of the stake, is placed the amount of cut or fill, in feet, required at this station.

b. *Shoulder Stakes.*

(1) *General.* Shoulder stakes are set on the inside edge of the shoulder and are used as guides for the operator to determine the width of the road.

(2) *Placement and marking.*

(a) *Placement.* These stakes are set at right angles to the centerline opposite each centerline stake.

(b) *Marking.* Markings can be the same as those for rough grade stakes or the stake can be simply a plain, unmarked piece of wood that marks the inside edge of the shoulder.

c. *Slope Stakes.*

(1) *General.* Slope stakes define the limits of grading work. Usually the area to be cleared extends 6 feet beyond the slope stakes.

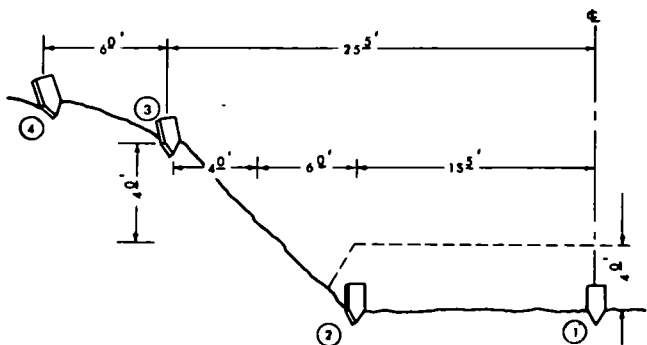
(2) *Placing and marking.*

(a) *Placing.* Slope stakes are set on lines perpendicular to the centerline (one on each side), at the points where the cut and fill slopes intersect the natural ground surface. If there is cut or fill to be performed, the stake is placed in the ground at an angle, leaning away from the centerline. Slope stakes are placed at 100-foot intervals on tangents and at 50-foot intervals on horizontal or vertical curves.

(b) *Marking.* The front of the slope stake is the side facing the centerline. This side is marked with the amount of cut or fill to be done, in feet, from the stake to the outside edge of the ditch line at a point even with the final grade of the road at the shoulder. The second figure on the stake represents the distance from the stake to the centerline of the road. The back of the stake contains the station number and the slope required for the cut or fill.

d. *Offset Stakes.*

(1) *General.* As soon as work is started on a cut or fill, the centerline and slope stakes may be destroyed. In order to eliminate resurveying to replace these stakes, offset stakes are placed beyond the limits of construction for the purpose of relocating the original stakes.



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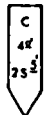
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① CENTERLINE STAKE

② SHOULDER OR GRADE STAKE

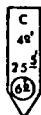
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③ SLOPE STAKE

④ OFFSET STAKE

Figure 9-6. Construction stake marking.

(2) *Marking.* The offset stake will contain all the information found on the original slope stake plus the horizontal distance from the original slope stake to the offset stake. This distance is marked on the front of the stake and is circled to indicate that it is an offset distance.

e. *Grade Stakes.*

(1) *Rough grade stakes.*

(a) *General.* Rough grade stakes are placed on centerlines, shoulder lines, or slope lines after grading has begun. These stakes are placed to show the operator the amount of cut or fill remaining and are not considered a permanent reference.

(b) *Placement and marking.* The rough grade stake is placed at either a point of cut or a point of fill to show how much earth is left before final grade is obtained. The front of the stake (the side of the stake facing the centerline) is marked with the letter F or C indicating fill or cut, a reference line with a "crow's foot" and the distance from the stake to the centerline. To eliminate confusion, the surveyor who put in the grade stakes should explain how he used the reference line found on the stake. Some surveyors use this line as final grade and others use this line as a reference line (to measure the amount of fill or cut from the back of the stake containing the station number).

(2) *Final grade stakes.*

(a) *General.* Normally these are 2 × 2-inch wooden stakes driven into the ground until the top of the stake is at a level to represent final elevation.

(b) *Placement and marking.* These stakes are placed wherever it is felt a reference to final grade should be made such as at centerline stations. There are no markings on these stakes other than the blue or red tops. The setting of the stake could represent the exact finish grade or a certain standard distance above exact grade.

9-4. SOILS

a. *Procedure for Field Identification Tests (fig. 9-7).*

(1) *Separate gravel.*

(a) Remove from sample all particles larger than $\frac{1}{8}$ " diameter.

(b) Estimate percent gravel.

(2) *Sedimentation test.*

(a) Place sample (less gravel) in cone cup and fill with water.

(b) Shake mixture vigorously.

(c) Allow mixture to stand for 30 seconds to settle out.

- (d) Pour off water after 30 seconds of settlement and save.
- (e) Repeat (b) through (d) above until water poured off is clear.
- (f) Evaporate water from (d) above.
- (g) Estimate percent fines.
- (3) Comparison of gravel and sand.
 - (a) Gravels have been removed in test (1), ((b) above).
 - (b) Fines have been removed in test (2), ((e) above).
 - (c) Dry soil remaining in cup.
 - (d) Soil remaining in cup will be sand.
 - (e) Compare dry sand in cup with gravel from test (1), ((b) above).
- (4) Dry strength.*
 - (a) Form moist pat 2" in diameter by $\frac{1}{2}$ " thick.
 - (b) Allow to dry with low heat.
 - (c) Place dry pat between thumb and index finger only and attempt to break.
 - (d) Breakage easy—silt.
 - Breakage difficult—CL.
 - Breakage impossible—CH.
- (5) Powder test.*
 - (a) Rub portion of broken pat with thumb and attempt to flake particles off.
 - (b) Pat powders—silt (M).
 - Pat does not powder—clay (C).
- (6) Thread test.*
 - (a) Form ball of moist soil (marble size).
 - (b) Attempt to roll ball into $\frac{1}{8}$ " diameter thread (wooden match size).
 - (c) Thread easily obtained—clay (C).
 - Thread cannot be obtained—silt (M).
- (7) Ribbon test.*
 - (a) Form cylinder of soil approximately cigar shape in size.
 - (b) Flatten cylinder over index finger with thumb; attempting to form ribbon 8"—9" long, $\frac{1}{8}$ " to $\frac{1}{4}$ " thick, and 1" wide.
 - (c) 8" to 9" ribbon obtained—CH.
 - Less than 8" ribbon—CL.
- (8) Wet shaking test.*
 - (a) Place pat of moist (not sticky) soil in palm of hand (vol about $\frac{1}{2}$ cu in.).
 - (b) Shake hand vigorously and strike against other hand.

Tests indicated by an asterisk () are conducted on material smaller than $\frac{1}{2}$ " diameter

- (c) Observe rapidity of water rising to the surface.
 - (d) If fast, sample is silty (M).
- If no reaction, sample is clayey (C).
- (9) *Grit, or bite test.**
 - (a) Place pinch of sample between teeth and bite.
 - (b) If sample feels gritty, sample is silt (M)
 - (c) If sample feels floury, sample is clay (C)
 - (10) *Feel test.**
 - (a) Rub portion of dry soil over a sensitive portion of skin, such as inside of wrist.
 - (b) If feel is harsh and irritating, sample is silt (M).
 - (c) If feel is smooth and floury, sample is clay (C).
 - (11) *Shine test.**
 - (a) Draw smooth surface, such as knife blade or thumb nail, over part of slightly moist soil.
 - (b) If surface becomes shiny and lighter in texture, sample is a high compressible clay (CH).
 - (c) If surface remains dull, sample is a low compressible clay (CL).
 - (12) *Odor test.**
 - (a) Heat sample with match or open flame.
 - (b) If odor becomes musty or foul smelling, there is a strong indication that organic material is present.
 - (13) *Cast test.*
 - (a) Compress a handful of moist soil into a ball.
 - (b) Crumbles with handling—GW, SW, GP or SP.
 - (c) Withstands careful handling—SM or SC.
 - (d) Handled freely—ML or MH.
 - (e) Withstands rough handling—CL or CH.
 - (14) *Slaking test.*
 - (a) Place soil or rock in sun to dry.
 - (b) Soak in water for 24 hours.
 - (c) Repeat (a) and (b) above several times.
 - (d) If soil or rock disintegrates, it is poor material.

b. *Characteristics of Soils Pertinent to Roads.* Table 9-2 gives characteristics of soils pertinent to roads and airfields.

Tests indicated by an asterisk () are conducted on material smaller than $\frac{1}{32}$ " diameter.

c. *Field Density Determination.* The sand displacement method is so named because a calibrated sand is used to determine the volume of the hole from which a sample has been taken. The test consists essentially of digging out a sample of the material to be tested, determining the volume of the hole from which the sample was removed, and determining the dry weight of the sample. There are three requirements that must be met:

- (1) The volume of the sample must be 0.05 cu. ft. or larger.
- (2) When the sand-displacement method is used, a double cone cylinder must be used that permits calibrating the sand for each sampling operation.
- (3) The sand moisture content must be constant while performing the test. (See TM 5-330 for complete testing procedure.)

Notes.

1. Column 1, division of GM and SM groups into subdivisions of *d* and *u*, is on the basis of Atterberg limits; suffix *d* is used when the liquid limit is 25 or less and the plasticity index is 5 or less; the suffix *u* will be used otherwise.

2. Column 3 is not for basecourse directly under bituminous pavements.

3. Column 5 has several types of equipment listed.

a. *Processed base material and other angular material.* Steel-wheeled and rubber-tired rollers are recommended for hard, angular materials with limited fines or screening. Rubber-tired equipment is recommended for softer materials subject to degradation.

b. *Finishing.* Rubber tired equipment is recommended for rolling during final shaping operations for most soils and processed materials.

9-5. DRAINAGE

a. *Runoff.* The rational method of estimating runoff combines engineer judgment with calculations based on analysis, measurement, or estimation. It is expressed by: $Q = CIA$

where Q = runoff from a given area in cubic feet per second

C = a coefficient that represents the ratio of runoff to rainfall

I = intensity of rainfall in inches per hour for the estimated time of concentration

A = drainage areas in acres.

Table 9-2. Characteristics of soils

| Letter Symbol | Name | Value as a Subgrade Beneath Landing Mat or as an Unsurfaced Area | | Freedom of Dry Surface From Dust | |
|---------------|--|--|-----------|----------------------------------|-------------------|
| | | Wet | Dry | Firm Surface | Loose Surface |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) |
| GW | Well-graded gravels or gravel-sand mixtures, little or no fines. | Excellent | Excellent | Excellent to good | Excellent to good |
| GP | Poorly graded gravels or gravel-sand mixtures, little or no fines. | Very good | Excellent | Excellent to good | Excellent to good |
| GM | Silty gravels, gravel-sand-silt mixtures. | Excellent | Very good | Good | Good to Fair |
| | | Excellent | Good | Good | Good to Fair |
| GC | Clayey gravels, gravel-sand, clay mixtures. | Excellent | Good | Good | Good to Fair |

Pertinent to Roads and Airfields

| Compressibility and Expansion | Drainage Characteristics | Compaction Equipment | Dry Unit Weight #/cu ft | Airfield Index |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|-------------------------------|-------------------|
| (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) |
| Almost none | Excellent | Crawler-type tractor, rubber-tired roller, steel-wheeled roller | 125-140 | 15 + |
| Almost none | Excellent | Crawler-type tractor, rubber-tired roller, steel-wheeled roller | 110-140 | 15 + |
| Very slight | Fair to poor | Rubber-tired roller, sheepsfat roller, close control of moisture | 125-145 | 15 + |
| Slight | Poor to practically impervious | Rubber-tired roller, sheepsfat roller. | 115-135 | 15 + |
| Slight | Poor to practically impervious | Rubber-tired roller, sheepsfat roller | 130-145 | 15 + |

Table 9-2. Characteristics of soils

| Letter Symbol | Name | Value as a Subgrade Beneath Landing Mat or as an Unsurfaced Area | | Freedom of Dry Surface From Dust | |
|------------------|--|--|-----------|-------------------------------------|------------------|
| | | Wet | Dry | Firm Surface | Loose Surface |
| (1) | (2) | (3) | (4) | (5) | (6) |
| SW | Well-graded sands or gravelly sands, little or no fines. | Very good | Very good | Good | Good to Fair |
| SP | Poorly graded sands or gravelly sands, little or no fines. | Good | Very good | Good | Fair |
| SM | Silty sands, sand-silt mixtures | Very good | Good | Fair | Fair to Poor |
| | | Very good | Fair | Fair | Fair to Poor |
| SC | Clayey sands, sand-clay mixtures | Very good | Fair | Fair | Fair to Poor |
| ML | Inorganic silts and very fine sands, rock flour, silty or clayey fine sands or clayey silts with slight plasticity. | Good | Very Poor | Fair to Poor | Poor |

Pertinent to Roads and Airfields—Continued

| Compressibility and Expansion | Drainage Characteristics | Compaction Equipment | Dry Unit Weight #/cu ft | Airfield Index |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|-------------------|
| (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) |
| Almost none | Excellent | Crawler-type tractor, rubber-tired roller | 110-130 | 15+ |
| Almost none | Excellent | Crawler-type tractor, rubber-tired roller. | 105-135 | 10-15 |
| Very slight | Fair to poor | Rubber-tired roller, sheepfoot roller; close control of moisture. | 120-135 | 13-15 |
| Slight to medium | Poor to practically impervious | Rubber-tired roller, sheepfoot roller. | 100-130 | 10-15 |
| Slight to medium | Poor to practically impervious | Rubber-tired roller, sheepfoot roller. | 100-135 | 7-15 |
| Slight to medium | Fair to poor | Rubber-tired roller, sheepfoot roller, close control of moisture | 90-130 | 13 or less |

Table 9-2. Characteristics of soils

| Letter Symbol (1) | Name (2) | Value as a Subgrade Beneath Loading Mat or as on Unsurfaced Area | | Freedom of Dry Surface From Dust | |
|-----------------------------|--|--|----------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| | | Wet (3) | Dry (4) | Firm Surface (5) | Loose Surface (6) |
| CL | Inorganic clays of low to medium plasticity, gravelly clays; sandy, silty, and lean clays. | Good | Poor | Fair to Poor | Poor |
| OL | Organic silts and organic silts of low plasticity | Good | Very Poor | Fair to Poor | Poor |
| MH | Inorganic silts, micaceous or diatomaceous fine sandy or silty soils, elastic silts. | Good | Very Poor | Good to Fair | Poor |
| CH | Inorganic clays of high plasticity, fat clays. | Good | Poor | Good to Fair | Poor |
| OH | Organic clays of medium to high plasticity, organic silts. | Good | Very Poor | Good to Fair | Poor |
| Pt | Peat and other highly organic soils. | Very Poor | Extremely Poor | Good | Poor |

Pertinent to Roads and Airfields—Continued

| Compressibility and Expansion | Drainage Characteristics | Compaction Equipment | Dry Unit Weight #/cu ft | Airfield Index |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|--|-------------------------------|-------------------|
| (7) | (8) | (9) | (10) | (11) |
| Medium | Practically im- pervious | Rubber-tired roller, sheepfoot roller. | 90-130 | 13 or less |
| Medium to high | Poor | Rubber-tired roller, sheepfoot roller. | 90-105 | 7 or less |
| High | Fair to Poor | Sheepfoot roller, rubber-tired roller. | 80-105 | 10 or less |
| High | Practically im- pervious | Sheepfoot roller, rubber-tired roller | 90-115 | 13 or less |
| High | Practically im- pervious | Sheepfoot roller, rubber-tired roller. | 80-110 | 7 or less |
| Very high | Fair to poor | Compaction not practical | ..... | ..... |

The value of C is derived from a study of the soil, the slope and conditions of the surface. The more commonly used values are shown in table 9-3. The value for I is derived from a study of available rainfall data. When past rainfall data is not available refer to TM 5-330 for charts pertinent to the area in question.

Table 9-3. Surface Runoff Factors

| Types of surface | Factor |
|--|--------------|
| Asphalt pavements..... | 0.80 to 0.95 |
| Concrete pavements..... | 0.70 to 0.90 |
| Gravel or macadam pavements..... | 0.35 to 0.70 |
| Impervious soils*..... | 0.40 to 0.65 |
| Impervious soils, with turf*..... | 0.30 to 0.55 |
| Slightly pervious soils*..... | 0.15 to 0.40 |
| Pervious soils*..... | 0.01 to 0.10 |
| Waded areas depending on surface slope and soil cover. | 0.01 to 0.20 |

*For slopes from 1 to 2 percent

Note. The figures given are for comparatively level ground. For slopes greater than 1 in 50 (2%) the factor should be increased by 0.2 for every 2 percent of slopes up to a maximum 1.0

b. Open Ditch Design.

(1) Determine the rate of runoff (Q) in CFS from the area contributing to the ditch.

(2) Determine the slope (S) in feet per foot of the ditch from the grading plan of the area.

(3) Using table 9-4, select a retardance coefficient (n) and a maximum permissible velocity (V_{max}) in fps for the soil conditions in which the ditch is to be constructed.

(4) Determine the type of ditch to be used (i.e., non-symmetrical triangular, symmetrical triangular, or trapezoidal).

(5) Using the slope (S), the retardance coefficient (n), and velocity (V_{max}) determine the actual hydraulic radius using the nomograph figure 9-8.

Table 9-4. Manning's "n" and Maximum Permissible Velocity of Flow in Open Channels

| Ditch Lining | Manning's "n" | V fps |
|------------------------|---------------|-----------|
| a. Rack | | |
| (1) Smooth and Uniform | 0.035-0.040 | 20 |
| (2) Jagged & Irregular | 0.040-0.045 | 15-18 |
| b. Sails | | |
| Ditch Lining | Manning's "n" | V fps Max |
| GW | 0.022-0.024 | 6-7 |
| GP | 0.023-0.026 | 7-8 |
| d | 0.023-0.025 | 3-5 |
| GM | | |
| u | 0.022-0.024 | 2-4 |
| GC | 0.024-0.026 | 5-7 |
| SW | 0.020-0.024 | 1-2 |
| SP | 0.022-0.024 | 1-2 |
| d | 0.020-0.023 | 2-3 |
| SM | | |
| u | 0.021-0.023 | 2-3 |
| SC | 0.023-0.025 | 3-4 |
| CL | 0.022-0.024 | 2-3 |
| ML | 0.023-0.025 | 3-4 |
| OL | 0.022-0.024 | 2-3 |
| CH | 0.022-0.023 | 2-3 |
| MH | 0.023-0.024 | 3-5 |
| OH | 0.022-0.024 | 2-3 |
| PT | 0.022-0.025 | 2-3 |

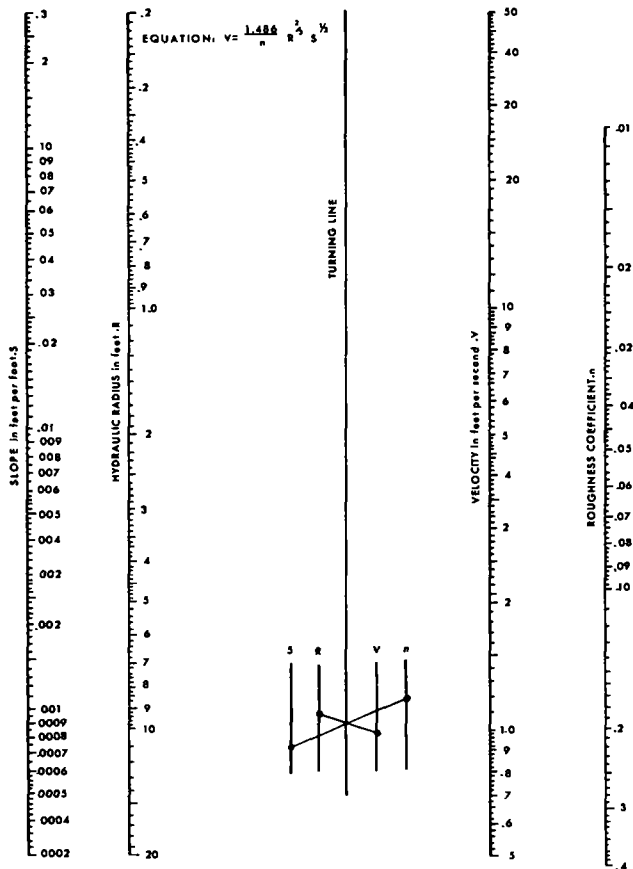


Figure 9-8. Nomograph for solution of Manning equation.

(6) Calculate using R and the type of ditch selected, the depth d and area A . Note figure 9-9.

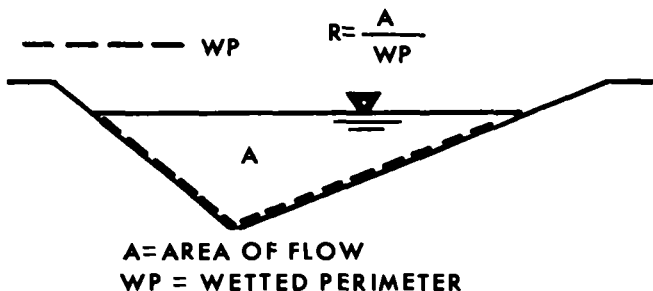


Figure 9-9. Typical ditch.

(7) Calculate $Q = AV$ where A is the area as determined in (6) above and V is the velocity of flow as determined in (3) above.

(a) If Q calculated is not greater or less than 5 percent of the runoff Q , then the ditch can be used.

(b) If Q calculated is greater than 5 percent of the runoff Q , use the same ditch but with steeper side slopes and repeat (6) and (7) above. If velocity chosen was maximum for the soil use lower velocity and repeat (5), (6), and (7) above.

(c) If Q calculated is less than 5 percent of the runoff Q and the velocity used was maximum for the ditch material, change the cross section of the ditch by making side slopes flatter or by increasing bottom width if trapezoidal.

(8) As an additional safety factor add 0.5 ft to the depth.

c. Checkdams. Checkdams are used on sidehill cuts and steep grades, where they are placed in side ditches to slow the water and prevent it from washing out the road. Checkdams are used when the ditchline grade exceeds 5 percent or where erosion is a problem. They are made of timber, sandbags, concrete, rock, or similar materials. Figure 9-10 shows the method of computing checkdam spacing.

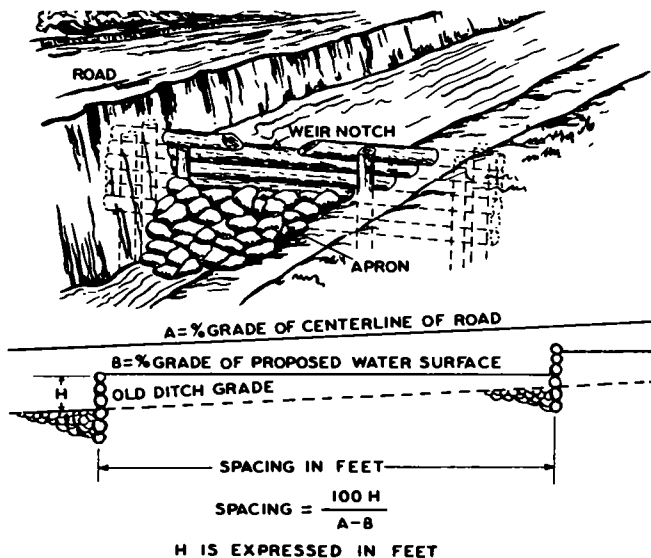


Figure 9-10. Methods of computing checkdam spacing.

d. Culverts.

(1) General. Culverts are required wherever drainage channels are needed to cross roads, to provide ditch relief, and to continue side ditches at the intersections of roads and access routes.

(2) Cross-sectional area.

(a) Tolbot's formula may be used as an approximate method for computing the cross-sectional area of a proposed culvert. This formula is:

$$A = C \sqrt[4]{D^3} \text{ or } A = CD^{3/4}$$

where A = area of waterway opening in square feet

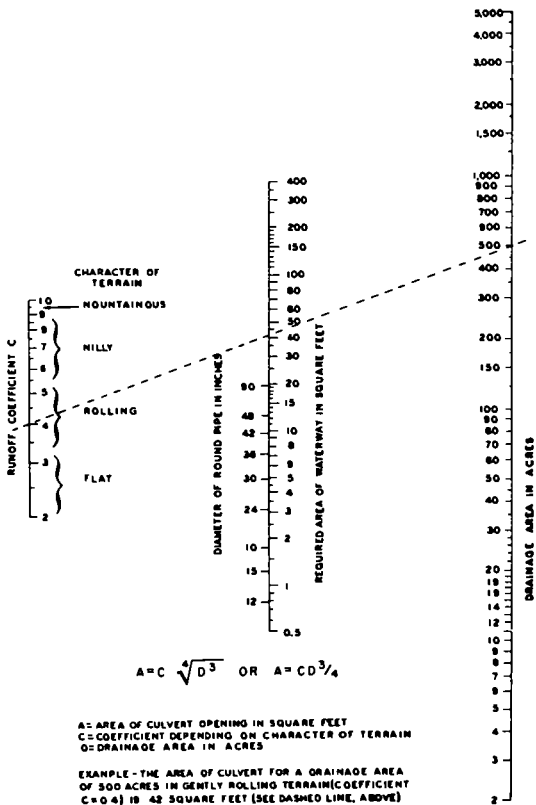


Figure 9-11. Nomograph for solution of Tolbot's formula.

D = drainage area in acres

C = coefficient of retardation based upon slope and soil characteristics, (see table 9-3).

An alignment chart for solutions to Tolbot's formula is given in figure 9-11.

(b) Hosty culvert area calculation. See figure 9-12.

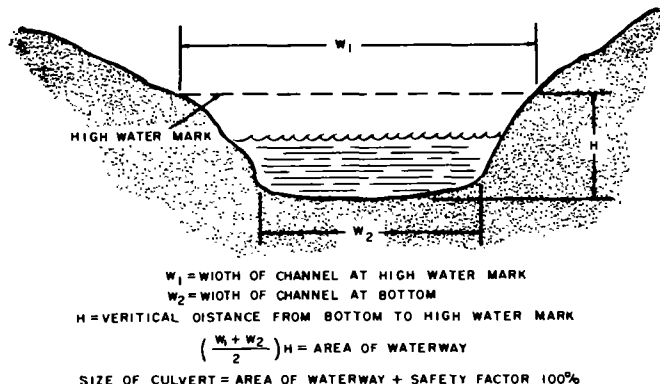


Figure 9-12. Hosty culvert calculation.

(3) *Alignment.* Culverts are placed in natural drainage channels, unless such installation would require an unusually long culvert, or produce a sharp bend in the channel on the upstream side. Where old drainage channels are not encountered, culverts should be installed at right angles to the centerline. Ditch relief culverts should be installed at an angle of 60° to the centerline. See figure 9-13.

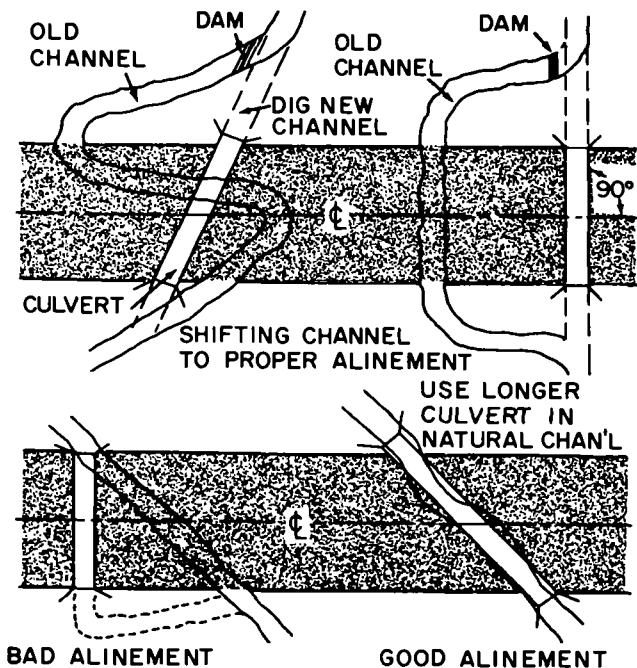


Figure 9-13. Alignment of culverts.

(4) *Length.* Usually culverts should be long enough to extend through fills to the point where the fill slope meets the ground. To minimize scour at the downstream end, culverts should be 1 to 2 feet longer than required, with the odder length on the discharge end (fig. 9-14).

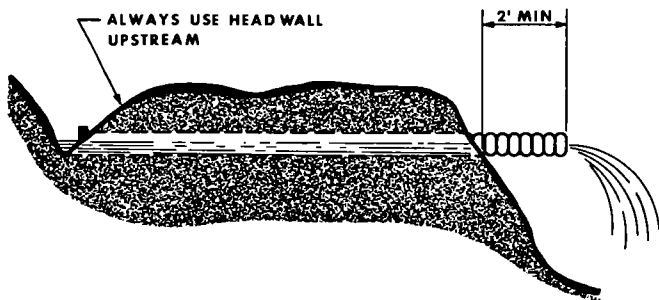


Figure 9-14. Culvert extended beyond fill to prevent erosion.

(5) *Elevation.* The bottom of the culvert at the inlet is placed on or below, but not above streambed elevation. At the outlet end, the bottom of the culvert normally should be at the elevation of the surface of the stream since it may fill with sediment if placed below the surface.

(6) *Slope.* Culverts normally are constructed at the grade of the natural and artificial drainage channels which discharge into them. It is desirable to use grades of 2 to 4 percent; 0.5 percent as an absolute minimum.

(7) *Bedding.* The foundation is always shaped to fit at least one-tenth of the outside diameter of the pipe. Crodles or footers may also be used if the soil will not provide proper support (fig. 9-15).

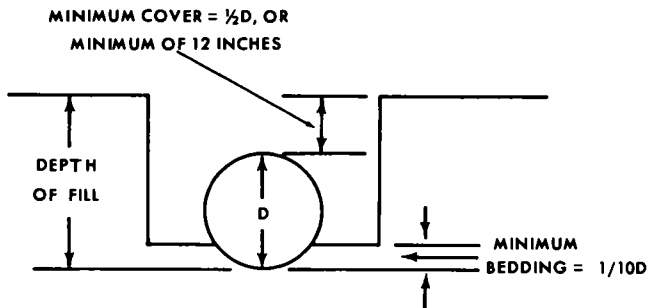
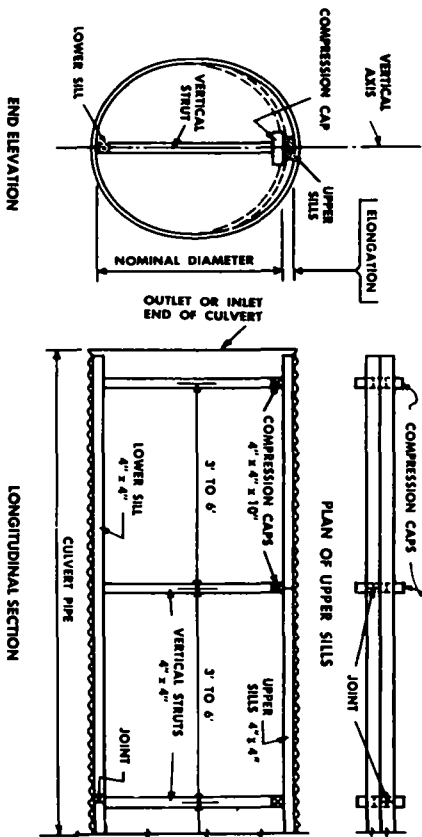


Figure 9-15. Culvert bedding, cover.

(8) *Strutting*. Figure 9-16 shows the strutting diagram for elongating the vertical dimensions of the larger sizes of corrugated pipe culvert prior to backfilling.



NOTE CULVERTS 60" TO 72" IN DIAMETER SHALL BE ELONGATED 2" ALONG THE VERTICAL AXIS DIMENSION. CULVERTS 84" IN DIAMETER SHALL BE ELONGATED 2 1/2".

Figure 9-16. Strutting diagram showing end and longitudinal views—corrugated culvert pipe.

(9) *Strength.* Culverts must be strong enough to carry the weight of the fill above it plus the weight of the live load that passes over the road. See table 9-5 for recommended gages for nestable corrugated pipe.

Table 9-5. Recommended gages for Nestable Corrugated Pipe

| Diam. in inches | Cross- sectional area (sq ft) | Fills up to 8 ft. | Fills up to 16 ft. | 20-ft. fill | 25-ft. fill | 30-ft. fill | 35-ft. fill | 40-ft. fill |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|----------------|----------------|--|----------------|----------------|
| 8 | .35 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 |
| 10 | .55 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 |
| 12 | .79 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 |
| 15 | 1.23 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 |
| 18 | 1.77 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 |
| 21 | 2.41 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 |
| 24 | 3.14 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 14 | 14 | 14 |
| 30 | 4.91 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 12 | 12 |
| 36 | 7.07 | 14 | 14 | 14 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 10 |
| 42 | 9.62 | 14 | 14 | 12 | 12 | 10 | 10 | 8 |
| 48 | 12.57 | 12 | 12 | 12 | 10 | 8 | 8 | 8 |
| 54 | 15.90 | 12 | 12 | 10 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 |
| 60 | 19.64 | 12 | 10 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 |
| 66 | 23.76 | 10 | 10 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 | |
| 72 | 28.27 | 10 | 10 | 8 | 8 | 8 | | |
| 78 | 33.18 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 | Must be designed for these fill heights and others above 40 ft. | | |
| 84 | 38.49 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 | | | |

Note. Culverts below heavy line should be strutted during installation. See figure 9-16.

(10) *Cover.* The minimum cover for road culverts is one-half the pipe diameter, or 12 inches, whichever is greater.

(11) *Head walls, wing walls.* They are constructed to prevent or control erosion, guide water into the culvert, reduce seepage, and hold the culvert in place. Headwalls usually can be omitted on the outlet end. They should not protrude above shoulder grade and should extend 2 feet outside the shoulder. If headwalls and wing walls are not used, the culvert will have to be extended to at least 2 feet beyond the toe of the fill. See figures 9-17 through 9-19.

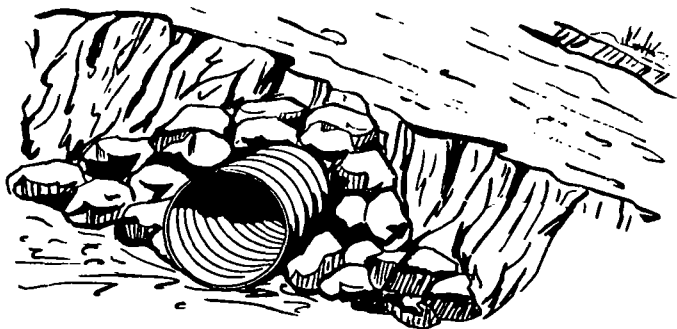


Figure 9-17. Rubble headwall.

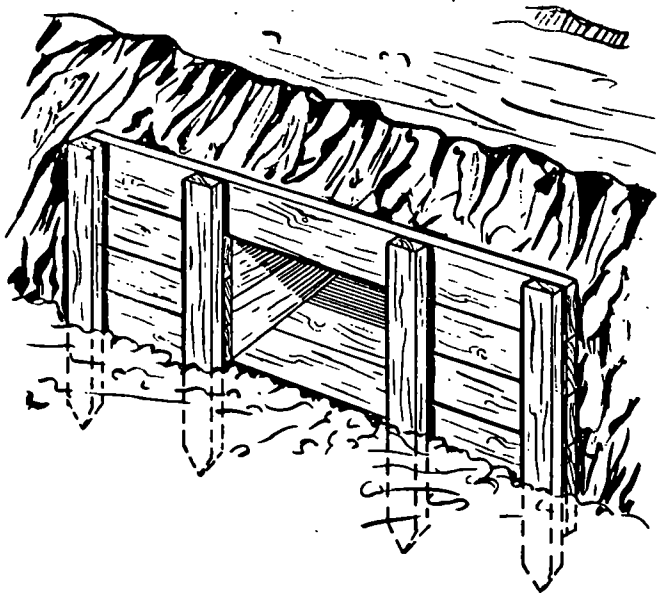


Figure 9-18. Plank headwall.

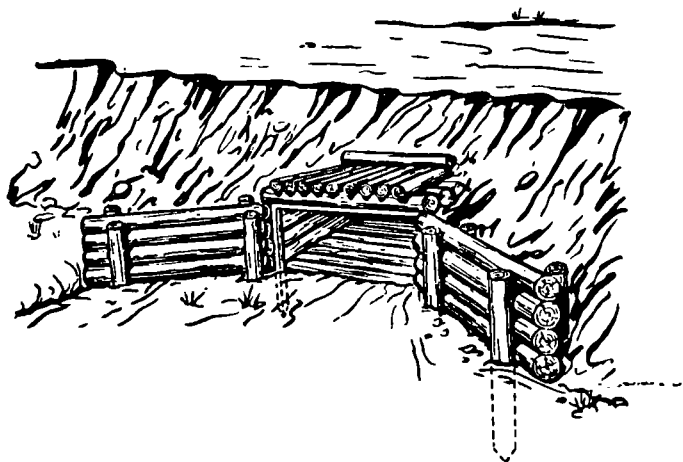


Figure 9-19. Log headwall.

(11) *Spacing.* Culverts should be located wherever natural drainage channels are large enough to require cross-drainage. On 8-percent grades, ditch-relief culverts should be placed about 300 feet apart; on 5 percent grades, 500 feet apart (fig. 9-20). The bedding and spacing of pipes in multiple-pipe culverts is at least one-half the diameter of the pipe (fig. 9-21).

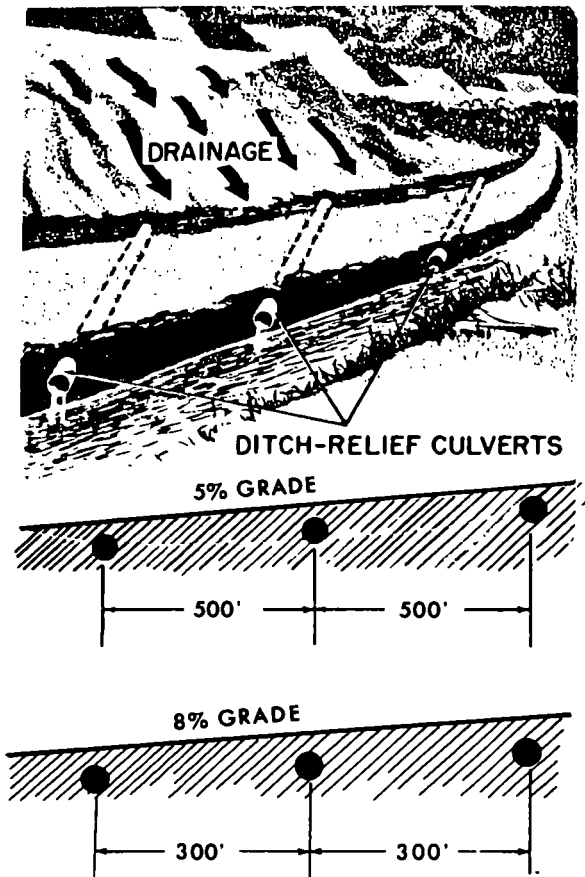


Figure 9-20. Culvert spacing.

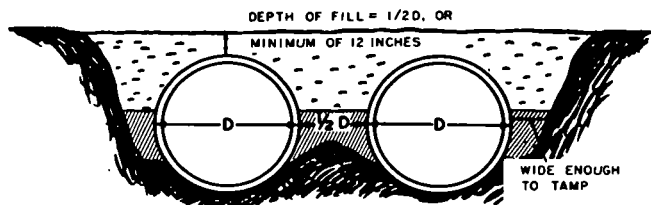


Figure 9-21. Spacing of multiple-pipe culvert.

(12) Types. Various types of culverts are shown in figures 9-22 through 9-25.

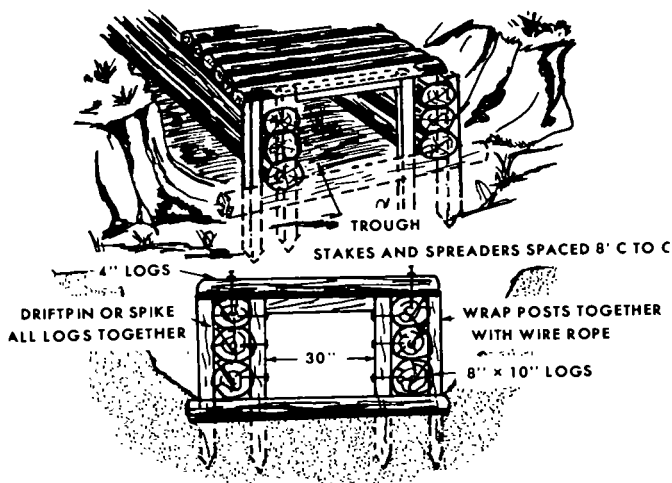


Figure 9-22. Log box culvert, 30-inch.

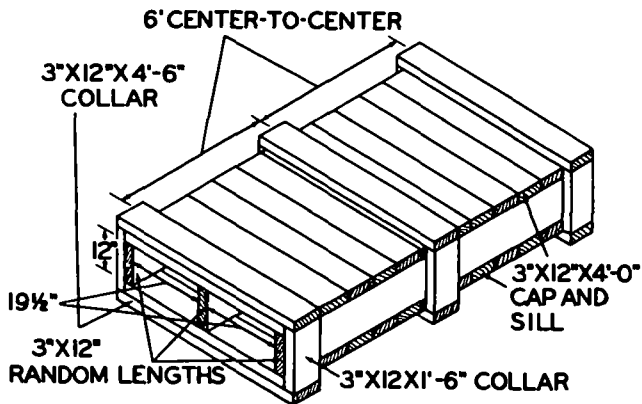


Figure 9-23. Timber box culvert, 19 1/2- by 12-inch.

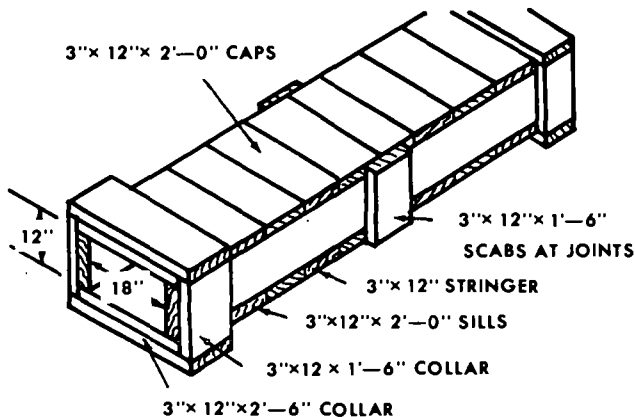


Figure 9-24. Timber box culvert, 18- by 12-inch.

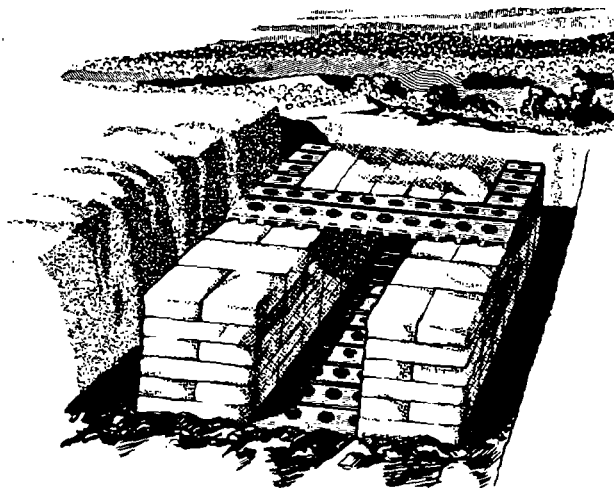
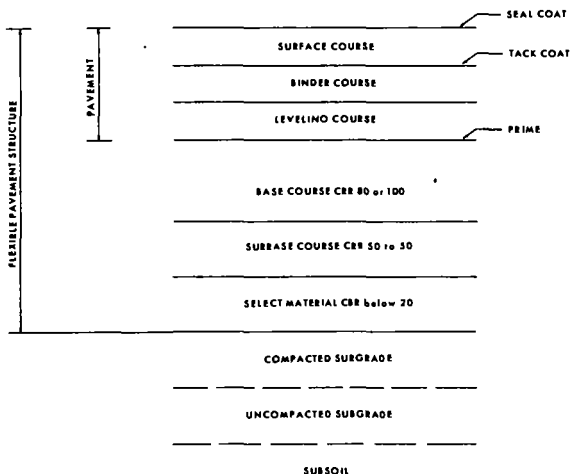


Figure 9-25. Expedient culvert.

9-6. FLEXIBLE PAVEMENTS

Figure 9-26 depicts a typical flexible pavement structure. All the layers shown in figure 9-26 are not present in every flexible pavement structure. For complete design criteria for a flexible pavement structure refer to TM 5-330.



Notes:

- 1 The word "structure" is often deleted from the phrase "flexible pavement structure." Also the word "course" is often deleted from "binder course," "base course," and "subbase course."
- 2 All layers and coats are not present in every flexible pavement structure.
- 3 Demarcation between subgrade and subsoil is redolent.

Figure 9-26. Typical flexible pavement.

9-7. TYPES OF SURFACES

a. *Roads of Processed Materials.* Processed materials are prepared by crushing and screening rock, gravel, and slag. They should meet the grading requirements set forth in table 9-6.

Table 9-6. Suggested Grading Requirements for Fine-graded Type Surface Course of Processed Materials

| Sieve designation | Percent passing, by weight |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| $\frac{3}{4}$ in..... | 100 |
| No. 4..... | 70-100 |
| No. 10..... | 35-80 |
| No. 40..... | 25-50 |
| No. 200..... | 8-25 |

b. *Gravel Roads.* Gravel roads are composed of a compacted layer of well graded gravelly soil. See table 9-7 for gradation requirements for gravel roads. River gravels normally require the addition of binder soil. The capability of gravel roads to carry heavy, sustained traffic depends on the strength and hardness of gravel, the cohesiveness of clay binder, the thickness of the layer, and the stability of the subgrade. These surfaces make an excellent base for later pavements.

Table 9-7. Suggested Grading Requirements for Gravel and Composite Type Surface Courses of Processed Materials

| Sieve designation | Percent passing, by weight |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| 1 in..... | 100 |
| $\frac{3}{4}$ in..... | 85-100 |
| $\frac{3}{8}$ in..... | 65-100 |
| No. 4..... | 55-85 |
| No. 10..... | 40-70 |
| No. 40..... | 25-45 |
| No. 200..... | 0-10 |

c. *Earth Roads.* Earth roads consist of native fine-grained soils, graded and drained to form a surface for carrying traffic. Their use is limited to dry weather and light traffic. In combat areas, these roads are used where necessity demands speed of construction with limited equipment and personnel.

d. *Soil-Stabilized Surfaces.*

(1) *Compaction.* Compaction equipment for the different types of soils are given in table 9-2.

(2) *Chemical stabilization.* Table 9-8 gives a summary of soil stabilizers for strength improvement.

e. *Portable Road Surfaces.* During operations in the field, it is often necessary to make temporary use of metal mesh, metal landing mats, wood mats, or various types of treadways. These materials are rapidly transported and assembled over mud, swamps, baches, or other unstable soils. TM 5-337 gives the details of constructing portable surfaces.

9-8. BITUMINOUS MATERIAL

a. *Field Identification of Bituminous Material.* Refer to figure 9-27 and figure 9-28 for field identification of unknown bituminous material.

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------|-------|-------------|-----|----|-------|---|----------|---|----------------|---------------|----|--|-----|-----|-----|----|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|
| RT GRADES | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 13 | | | | | | | | | | |
| RTCR | | | | | 5 | 6 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| OLD CUTBACKS | 0 | | 1 | | 2 | | 3 | | 4 | | 5 | <table><tr><td>200</td><td>150</td><td>100</td><td>60</td><td>40</td></tr><tr><td>300</td><td>200</td><td>150</td><td>100</td><td>60</td></tr></table> | 200 | 150 | 100 | 60 | 40 | 300 | 200 | 150 | 100 | 60 |
| 200 | 150 | 100 | 60 | 40 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 300 | 200 | 150 | 100 | 60 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| NEW CUTBACKS | MC 30 | 70 | | | 350 | | 800 | | | 3000 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| COMMON MATERIALS | WATER | LIGHT SYRUP | | | SYRUP | | MOLASSES | | HEAVY MOLASSES | RARELY DEFORM | | SOLID | | | | | | | | | | |

Figure 9-27. Viscosity comparisons.

Table 9-8. Summary of Soil Stabilizers for Strength Improvement

| (1) Material | (2) Form of material | (3) Applicable soil range | (4) Estimated range of quantity requirements (%)† | (5) Minimum curing time requirements |
|------------------------|-------------------------|---|--|---|
| Portland cement | Powder | Gravels..... Sands..... Silty, clayey silts.. Clays..... | 3-4 3-5 4-6 6-8 | 24 hours. |
| Lime: | | | | |
| 1. Hydrated | Powder | Clayey gravels Silty clays..... Clays..... | 2-4 5-10 3-8 | 7 days |
| 2. Quicklime | Powder | Clayey gravels Silty clays .. Clays..... | 2-3 3-8 3-6 | 4 hours. |
| Bituminous material. | | | | |
| 1. Asphaltic cutbacks | | | | |
| a. RC-70 to RC-800 | Liquid..... | Sands..... Silty sands.... Clayey sands.... | † †5-7 6-10 6-10 | 1-3 days. |
| b. MC-70 to MC-800 | Liquid... | Sands..... Silty sands.... Clayey sands. ... | 5-7 6-10 6-10 | 1-3 days |
| 2. Asphaltic emulsions | Liquid..... | Sands..... Silty sands..... Clayey sands.... | 5-7 6-10 6-10 | 1-3 days. |

†Based on dry density of existing soil.

‡All quantities listed for asphalts are actual bitumen requirements, exclusive of volatiles

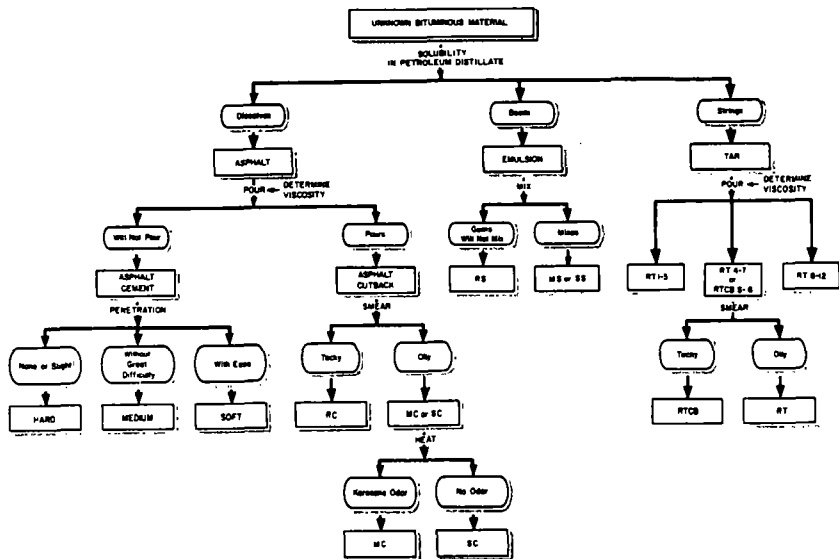


Figure 9-28. Field identification of unknown bituminous materials.

b. *Thinning an Asphalt Cutback.* Refer to table 9-9 for composition of asphalt cutback.

Table 9-9. Asphalt Cutback Composition (in percent of total volume)

| TYPE | COMPONENTS SOLVENT | GRADES | | | | |
|---------------------|------------------------|--------|----|-----|-----|------|
| | | 30 | 70 | 250 | 800 | 3000 |
| RAPID CURING RC | ASPHALT CEMENT | | 65 | 75 | 83 | 87 |
| | GASOLINE OR NAPHTHA | | 35 | 25 | 17 | 13 |
| MEDIUM CURING MC | ASPHALT CEMENT | 54 | 64 | 74 | 82 | 86 |
| | KEROSENE | 46 | 36 | 26 | 18 | 14 |
| SLOW CURING SC | ASPHALT CEMENT | | 50 | 60 | 70 | 80 |
| | FUEL OIL | | 50 | 40 | 30 | 20 |

CHAPTER 10

ARMY AIRFIELDS AND HELIPORTS

10-1. CLASSIFICATION

a. *General.* The airfield and heliport classification system consists of combining the controlling aircraft classification with the appropriate military area.

b. *Military Areas.*

(1) *Battle area.* Sector of the battle normally under military control of a brigade.

(2) *Forward area.* Sector of the theater of operations immediately behind the battle area and normally under military control of a brigade or division.

(3) *Support area.* Sector of the theater of operations behind the forward area, normally within the army corps service areas or areas under military control of the fighter air security command.

(4) *Rear area.* Sector of the theater of operations behind the support area, normally within the army service area or the zone of communications.

c. *Controlling Aircraft.*

(1) Liaison (O-1).

(2) Surveillance (OV-1).

(3) Light lift (C-7A).

(4) Medium lift (C-130).

(5) Tactical (F-46 and F-105).

(6) Heavy lift (C-124, C-133, C-135, and C-141).

d. *Controlling Rotary Wing Aircraft.*

(1) Observation (light) helicopter (OH-6A).

(2) Utility helicopter (UD-1D).

(3) Cargo (medium transport) helicopter (CH-47).

(4) Cargo (heavy lift) helicopter (CH-54).

10-2. LAYOUT AND NOMENCLATURE

The general layout and nomenclature of army airfield and heliports is illustrated in figures 10-1, 10-2, and 10-3.

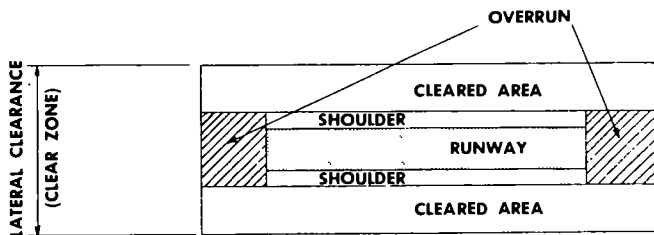


Figure 10-1. Flightstrip nomenclature.

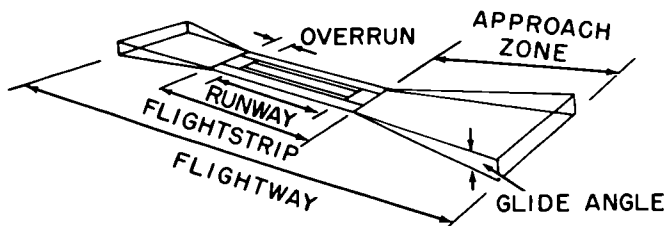


Figure 10-2. Flightway nomenclature.

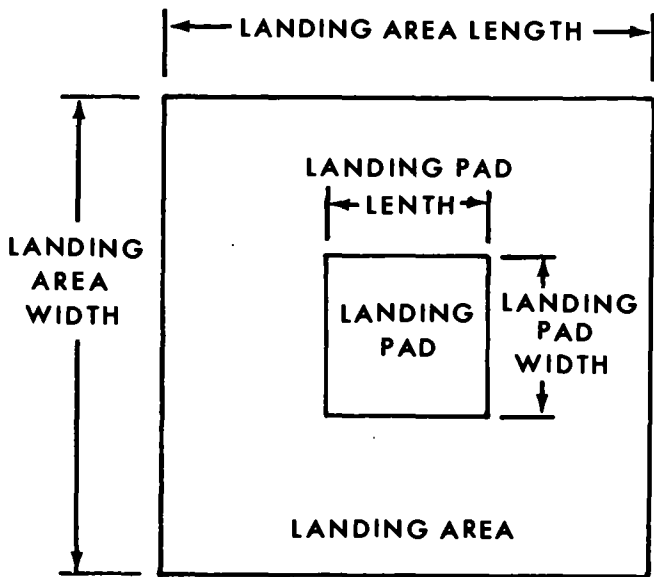


Figure 10-3. Landing area of helipad.

10-3. ARMY AIRFIELD DESIGN

a. **Runway Length.** Use the following steps to determine runway length.

(1) Takeoff ground run (TGR) for individual aircraft is shown in table 10-1.

(2) Increase the takeoff ground run (TGR) by 10 percent for each 1,000 feet increase in altitude above 1,000 feet.

(3) Increase the corrected runway length obtained from the previous computation by 7 percent for each 10° F increase in temperature

Table 10-1. Aircraft Characteristics Used in Design of T/O Airfields

| Airfield type | Anticipated service life | Possible using aircraft U.S. type | Ground run at sea level and 59°, ft ^b | Minimum runway length ft. | Minimum runway width ft. |
|---------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| Battle area: | 3 days | | | | |
| Light lift | | C-7A ^a | 625 | 1,000 | 50 |
| Medium lift | | C-130 ^a | 1,600 | 2,000 | 60 |
| | | C-123 | 1,600 | | |
| Forward area: | 2 weeks | | | | |
| Liaison | | O-1 ^a | 390 | 750 | 50 |
| Surveillance | | OV-1 ^a | 2,000 | 2,500 | 60 |
| Light lift | | C-7A ^a | 625 | 1,200 | 60 |
| Medium lift | | C-130 ^a | 2,000 | 2,500 | 60 |
| | | C-7A | 625 | | |

^a Particular aircraft that is critical in load and/or ground run from which area requirements, geometrics, and expedient surfacing requirements were developed

^b Ground run lengths indicated are for classification and can undergo changes depending on operating weight of aircraft, pressure altitude corrections, temperature corrections and local conditions

above 59° F, if takeoff ground run is greater than 5,000 feet. Increase by 4 percent per 10° above 59° if takeoff ground run is less than 5,000 feet.

Note. The temperature to be considered is the mean temperature for the warmest period during which operations will be conducted from the airfield.

(4) Multiply the corrected runway length from the previous computations by 1.5 for rear area airfields and 1.25 for support, forward and battle area airfields.

(5) Increase the corrected runway length obtained from the previous computation by 8 percent for each 1 percent of effective gradient over 2 percent. Using the above runway length, the effective gradient can be determined from the profile of the airfield

(6) The final runway length will be the takeoff ground run corrected (if required) for conditions of altitude, temperature, safety factor, and effective gradient, and raised to the next larger 100 feet.

Table 10-2. Basic Airfield Expedient Surfacing Requirements

| Airfield Type. | Runway, Taxiway, and Apron Surfacing Requirements for Airfield Index of | | | | | | | Overrun Area and Shoulder Surfacing Requirements for Airfield Index of | | | | | | |
|------------------------|---|-----|-----|------|-------|-------|---------------|--|-----|-----|------|-------|-------|---------------|
| | Minimum Airfield Index | 5-6 | 6-8 | 8-10 | 10-12 | 12-15 | 15 or Greater | Minimum Airfield Index | 5-6 | 6-8 | 8-10 | 10-12 | 12-15 | 15 or Greater |
| Battle area | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Light lift | 4 | U | U | U | U | U | U | 2 | U | U | U | U | U | U |
| Medium lift | 4 | L | U | U | U | U | U | 4 | U | U | U | U | U | U |
| Forward area | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Liaison | 3 | U | U | U | U | U | U | 2 | U | U | U | U | U | U |
| Surveillance | 3 | L | L | U | U | U | U | 4 | U | U | U | U | U | U |
| Light lift | 5 | U | U | U | U | U | U | 3 | U | U | U | U | U | U |
| Medium | 5 | L | L | U | U | U | U | 4 | U | U | U | U | U | U |
| Support area | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Liaison | 3 | U | U | U | U | U | U | 2 | U | U | U | U | U | U |
| Surveillance | 3 | L | L | U | U | U | U | 5 | U | U | U | U | U | U |
| Light lift | 5 | U | U | U | U | U | U | 3 | U | U | U | U | U | U |
| Medium lift | 4 | M | M | L | U | U | U | 3 | L | U | U | U | U | U |
| Heavy lift | 6 | I | M | M | L | L | U | 3 | L | L | L | U | U | U |
| Tactical | | M | M | M | L | L | L | | L | L | L | L | U | U |
| Rear area: | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Army | 5 | L | L | L | U | U | U | 5 | U | U | U | U | U | U |
| Medium lift | 6 | I | M | M | L | L | U | 4 | L | L | U | U | U | U |
| Heavy lift | 8 | I | I | M | M | L | L | 3 | M | L | L | L | U | U |
| Tactical | 7 | I | M | M | M | L | L | 4 | L | L | L | L | U | U |

Note. U=unsurfaced soil with or without membrane, M=medium duty mat, and I=subgrade airfield index must be increased to that required for heavy duty mat. L=light duty mat.

(7) Compare calculated length obtained from the previous computation with the minimum length required as shown in column 5 of table 10-1. Use the greater value.

b. *Runway Width.* See table 10-1 for minimum runway width.

c. *Basic Surfacing Requirements.* Subgrade strength requirements for both unsurfaced areas and those to be surfaced with landing mat at battle, forward, support, and rear areas are shown for traffic areas (runway, taxiway, and apron) and nontraffic areas (averrun and shoulder) in table 10-2. The following types of landing mat and membrane have been field tested under field conditions and classified as follows based on test results:

- (1) Light duty landing mat—M8A1
- (2) Medium duty landing mat—MX18B, MX19, AM2
- (3) Membrane—T17

10-4. HELIPAD DESIGN

a. *Minimum Geometric Requirements.* See table 10-3 for minimum geometric requirements.

Table 10-3. Minimum Geometric Requirements (Helipad)

| Description | Forward area | | | |
|--|--------------|-------|-------|-------|
| | OH-6A | UH-1D | CH-47 | CH-54 |
| Length, ft (landing pad)..... | 12 | 20 | 50 | 50 |
| Width, ft (landing pad)..... | 12 | 20 | 25 | 50 |
| Landing pad grade in any direction, %..... | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 |
| Grade of clear area maximum %..... | 10 | 10 | 10 | 10 |
| Length, ft (landing area)..... | 72 | 100 | 150 | 150 |
| Width, ft (landing area)..... | 72 | 100 | 125 | 150 |

b. *Design Strength.* See table 10-4 for helipad and heliport surfacing requirements. Note table 9-2 for airfield indexes of soils.

Table 10-4. Helipad and Helipart Surfacing Requirements
Airfield Index

| Helipad or helipart type | 1 2 | 2 3 | 3 4 | 4 5 | 5 6 | 6 8 | 8 10 | 10 12 | 12 15 | ≥ 15 |
|-------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|---------|----------|----------|---------|
| Forward Area Helipad: | | | | | | | | | | |
| OH-6A..... | L | U | U | U | U | U | U | U | U | U |
| UH-1D..... | L | L | U | U | U | U | U | U | U | U |
| CH-47..... | I | M | M | L | L | L | L | U | U | U |
| CH-54..... | I | M | M | M | L | L | L | L | U | U |
| Forward Area Helipart: | | | | | | | | | | |
| UH-1D..... | L | L | U | U | U | U | U | U | U | U |
| CH-47..... | I | M | M | L | L | L | L | U | U | U |
| Support Area Helipad: | | | | | | | | | | |
| OH-6A..... | L | U | U | U | U | U | U | U | U | U |
| UH-1D..... | L | L | U | U | U | U | U | U | U | U |
| CH-47..... | I | I | M | M | L | L | L | U | U | U |
| CH-54..... | I | I | I | M | M | L | L | L | L | U |
| Support Area Helipart: | | | | | | | | | | |
| UH-1D Co..... | L | L | U | U | U | U | U | U | U | U |
| CH-47 Ca..... | I | I | M | M | L | L | L | U | U | U |
| CH-54 Ca..... | I | I | M | M | M | M | L | L | L | U |
| Mixed Bn..... | I | I | M | M | L | L | L | U | U | U |
| Rear Area Helipad: | | | | | | | | | | |
| OH-6A..... | L | L | U | U | U | U | U | U | U | U |
| UH-1D..... | L | L | L | U | U | U | U | U | U | U |
| CH-47..... | I | I | M | M | L | L | L | L | U | U |
| CH-54..... | I | I | I | M | M | M | L | L | L | U |
| Rear Area Helipart: | | | | | | | | | | |
| UH-1D Co..... | L | L | L | U | U | U | U | U | U | U |
| CH-47 Ca..... | I | I | M | M | L | L | L | L | U | U |
| CH-54 Co..... | I | I | I | M | M | M | L | L | L | U |
| Mixed Bn..... | I | I | M | M | L | L | L | L | U | U |
| Roads: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Forward..... | M | L | L | L | U | U | U | U | U | U |
| Support..... | M | L | L | L | L | U | U | U | U | U |
| Rear..... | M | M | L | L | L | U | U | U | U | U |

Notes.

I—Subgrade index must be increased to that required for medium duty mat

U—Unsurfaced soil with or without membrane

L—Light duty mat

M—Medium duty mat

10-5. SOIL STABILIZATION AND DUST CONTROL

a. *Strength Improvement.* See table 9-8.

b. *Dust Control and/or Soil Waterproofing.* Sprinkling with water, lime solutions, and oils provides temporary relief from dust. Longer relief is achieved by use of asphaltic materials such as Penepriime (AP5B), or special compounds such as DCA-70. Any asphaltic material must be allowed to cure before being exposed to traffic. Asphaltic cutback materials also serve to waterproof soils. (See table 10-5.)

Table 10-5. Dust Control Requirements for Heliparts

| Area | Dimension of area requiring dust control (ft) | | | | |
|--|---|-------------------|------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| | OH-6A Cayuse | UH-1D Iroquois | AH-1G Huey Cobra | CH-47A Chinook | CH-54A Skycrane |
| Taxi-hover Lane and Parking Pads..... | 75 | 75 | 80 | 150 | 150 |
| Takeoff and Landing Areas..... | 80 | 132 | 150 | 295 | 216 |

Note: Measurements are taken from the center of rotation of the controlling aircraft and are approximately equal to the radius of the area affected by the rotor downwash.

10-6. MARKING EXPEDIENT RUNWAY

The determination of an airfield marking system in a theater of operations is a prerogative of the theater commander. See figure 10-4 for marking configuration considered applicable to theater of operation use.

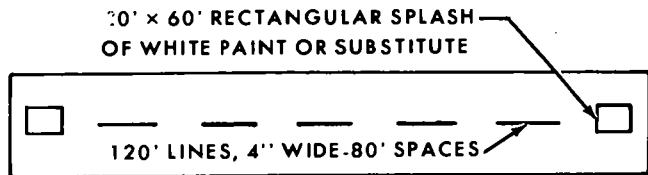


Figure 10-4. Marking expedient runway.

10-7. FORTIFICATIONS FOR PARKED ARMY AIRCRAFT

a. Dispersal and Spacing.

(1) *Spacing.* Fortification spacing should provide individual aircraft with protective structures which do not hinder ready access to the aircraft for efficient servicing, maintenance, and tactical operations.

(2) *Dispersal.* Dispersal should separate aircraft sufficiently to minimize the danger of interacting ammunition and fuel explosions. The method used must avoid any consistent pattern that will facilitate adjustment of high angle fire on the aircraft.

b. *Minimum Requirements.* See table 10-4 for minimum thickness of protective material required to resist penetration.

CHAPTER 11

MAP READING

11-1. DEFINITION OF A MAP

A map is a graphic representation of a portion of the earth's surface drawn to scale on a plane.

11-2. TYPES OF MAPS

The following are the different types of maps used.

a. *Planimetric Map.* A map which presents only the horizontal positions for the detail plotted. It is distinguished from a topographic map by the omission of relief in a measurable form.

b. *Topographic Map.* A map which portrays relief in a measurable form, as well as the horizontal positions of the details plotted. The vertical positions, or relief, normally are represented by contour lines. On maps showing relief, the elevations usually are referred to as mean sea level datum plane.

c. *Plastic Relief Map.* A topographic map pre-printed on plastic materials and formed by heat and vacuum over a reproductive mold, thus giving the same information as contained in a topographic map in a three dimensional form so that the user can readily see variation in elevation.

d. *Photomap.* A reproduction of an aerial photograph or a mosaic made from a series of aerial photographs upon which grid lines, marginal data, place names, spot elevations, boundaries, and scale have been added. Photomaps usually are not contoured. They usually are used to supplement other maps of an area, or serve as a map substitute.

e. *Joint Operations Graphics (JOG's).* A series of 1 : 250,000 military maps which are printed in a ground (G) and an air (A) version. JOG's are designed to provide common base graphics for use in combined operations by ground and air force elements. The topographic information is identical on both versions of the same map sheet; however, the (G) series indicates elevations in meters while the (A) series elevations are depicted in feet. Both series emphasize the air landing facilities but the (A) series has additional symbols to identify aids and obstructions to air navigation.

f. *Pictomap.* A photomap-type product which stresses the use of photolithographic operations rather than the conventional techniques

used for preparation of standard maps. Heights of map features are accentuated pictorially, while terrain and vegetation are shown in near natural colors. Important cultural features are overprinted in red. Names, contours, and railroads are shown in black and water features in blue. Picotmaps are usually published at 1 : 25,000 scale and larger.

g. *Military City Map.* A topographic map which has a scale of 1 : 12,500 or larger. It shows detailed road networks of urban areas, principal buildings, and other prominent features that are of military importance. Thoroughfares or main highways leading through urban areas are indicated.

11-3. MAP SCALES

Map scales are categorized as follows:

a. *Small Scale Maps.* Maps of scales of 1 : 600,000 and smaller are used for general planning and for strategical studies at high command echelons. The standard small scale map is considered to be at the scale 1 : 1,000,000.

b. *Medium Scale Maps.* Maps at scales larger than 1 : 600,000, but smaller than 1 : 75,000 are used for planning operations including road movements and concentration of troops and supply elements. The standard medium scale map is 1 : 250,000.

c. *Large Scale Maps.* Maps of scale of 1 : 75,000 and larger are used to meet the tactical, technical, and administrative needs of field units. The standard large scale map is the 1 : 50,000 map. City maps are considered to be a large scale map product.

11-4. MAP COLORS

Maps, especially topographic type products, are depicted in five basic colors:

a. *Black.* Cultural (man-made) features, marginal data and primary grid.

b. *Brown.* Terrain features and contour lines depicting elevations.

c. *Green.* Depicts vegetation features such as wooded areas, orchards, etc.

d. *Blue.* Represents water features such as lakes, streams, rivers, etc.

e. *Red.* Main roads, built-up areas are indicated in this color.

11-5. MAP MARGINAL DATA

The location of marginal data is indicated below for maps printed prior to 1968. AMS Style Sheet 25-50-100, September 1968 contains new

criteria for the location of marginal data as shown below in parenthesis.

a. *Sheet Name.* The sheet name is found in two places, the center of the upper margin and on the right side of the lower margin. Generally the map is named after its outstanding cultural or geographic feature.

b. *Sheet Number.* The sheet number is found in the upper right (and lower left) margin(s) and is used as a reference number to identify a map sheet. It is also used as part of the Stock Number Identification which is used in requisitioning maps (x below).

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d. *Series Number.* The series number appears in the upper right margin and the lower left margin. It is a comprehensive reference system composed usually of four elements and is expressed either as a four digit number or as a letter followed by a three or four digit numeral. Composition of the series number is explained in detail in FM 21-26.

e. *Edition Number.* The edition number is found in the upper left and lower left margins. It represents the number of times the map has had major revisions and the agency responsible for its production.

f. *Bar Scales.* The bar scales are located in the center of the lower margin. They are distance rulers used for the determination of ground distance. Maps have three or more bar scales, each depicting a different unit of measure.

g. *Credit Note.* The credit note is located in the lower left margin. (The credit lines are located in the center of the lower margin.) It lists the producer, dates, and general methods used in the preparation of the map and any revisions thereto. This information is important to the map user in evaluating the reliability of the map.

h. *Adjoining Sheets Diagram.* Maps at all standard scales contain a diagram which illustrates the adjoining sheets to the north, south, east, west, and diagonally from the sheet being used. Sheet numbers are indicated on the adjoining sheets diagram for the purpose of requisitioning. For smaller scale maps this diagram is also known as the "location diagram" or "Index to Adjoining Sheets". (This diagram appears in the lower right margin.)

i. *Index to Boundaries.* The projection is identified on the map by a note in the lower or right margin (center of the lower margin). This diagram, which is a miniature of the map, shows the boundaries which occur within the map area, such as county and state boundaries.

j. *Projection Note.* The projection is identified on the map by a note in the lower margin. Refer to TM 5-241-1 for the development characteristics of the conformal type projection systems.

k. *Grid Note.* The grid note is located in the center of the lower margin. It gives information pertaining to the grid system used, the interval of grid lines, and the number.

l. *Grid Reference Box.* The grid reference box contains instructions for composing a grid reference of a specific point and provides a step by step example referred to a sample point on the map. This box usually is located in the lower center margin.

m. *Vertical Datum Note.* This note is located in the center of the lower margin. It designates the basis for all vertical control stations, contours and elevations appearing on the map.

n. *Horizontal Datum Note.* This note is located in the center of the lower margin. It indicates the basis for all horizontal control appearing on the map. The network of horizontal station controls the horizontal position of all mapped features.

a. *Legend.* The legend is located in the lower left margin. It illustrates and identifies the topographic symbols used on the map. To preclude any change of error in the identification of symbols, the legend must always be referred to when a map is used.

p. *Declination Diagram.* The declination diagram is located in the lower margin and indicates the angular relationship of true north, grid north, and magnetic north as pertain to the map area.

q. *User's Note.* A user's note is located in the center of the lower margin. It requests cooperation from map users in notifying the mapping agency listed in the note of any errors found on the map sheet so these errors can be corrected the next time the map is revised or printed.

r. *Unit Imprint.* The unit imprint note is located in the lower right (center lower) margin and indicates the key number, the map printing agency, and printing date.

s. *Contour Interval.* The contour interval appears in the center of the lower margin. It states the vertical distance between adjacent contour lines on the map.

t. *Glossary.* A glossary is an explanation of technical terms or a translation of terms on maps of foreign areas where the native language is other than English.

u. *Classification*. Certain maps require a note indicating the security classification of the map. These labels are located in the upper and lower margins of a map usually in red.

v. *Protractor Scale*. This scale may appear in the upper margin of some maps. It is used for plotting a magnetic north line on a map.

w. *Coverage Diagram*. On maps at scale of 1:100,000 and larger the coverage diagram may be used. It normally is in the lower or right margin and indicates the methods and source data used in making the map such as aerial photography dates and reliability of map sources.

x. *Stock Number Identification*. All maps published by or for the Corps of Engineers which are in the Army map supply system contain stock number identifications, which are used in requisitioning maps. The identification consists of the words STOCK NO. followed by a unique designation which is composed of the series number and sheet number of the individual map. The designation is limited to 15 units (letters and numbers).

y. *Elevation Guide*. (The elevation guide is located in the lower right margin. This diagram, which is a miniature of the map shows the highest points on the maps. Elevation is shown with different shades of gray.)

11-6. DECLINATION DIAGRAM

There are three basic base lines used to express direction as a unit of angular measure when using a map. These base lines are known as true north, magnetic north, and grid north. The most commonly used are magnetic and grid north. The magnetic north is used when working with a compass and the grid north when working with a military map.

a. *True North*. True north is defined as an imaginary line from any position on the earth's surface to the north pole. All lines of longitude are true north lines. The true north line on the Declination Diagram is represented by a star.

b. *Magnetic North*. The magnetic north declination is established by the compass and changes slightly on an annual basis. Magnetic north is symbolized by a half arrowhead.

c. *Grid North*. This base line is established by the grid lines on the map. Grid north may be symbolized by the letters GN or the letter Y (fig. 11-1).

Note. For detailed explanation on declination diagram base line convergence refer to FM 21-26.

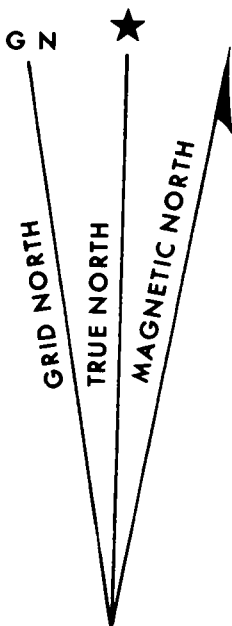


Figure 11-1. Declination diagram base lines.

11-7. SCALE AND DISTANCE (REPRESENTATIVE FRACTION)

a. The scale of a map expresses the ratio of horizontal distance on the map to the corresponding horizontal distance on the ground using the same unit of measurement for both. The representative fraction (RF) is always written with the map distance as 1. An RF of $\frac{1}{50,000}$ or 1/50,000 or 1:50,000 means that one (1) unit of measurement on the

map equals a corresponding number of like units of measurements (50,000) on the ground.

b. The ground distance between two points on a map is determined by measuring the distance between the points and multiplying the map measurement by the denominator of the RF.

Example: a. Map distance between two points = 5 units.

b. The RF of the map is 1 : 50,000, therefore,

c. $5 \times 50,000 = 250,000$ units of ground distance.

c. Further data on finding unknown RF's, ground or map distances is explained in FM 21-26 and table 11-1.

11-8. CONTOURS

A contour line is a line representing an imaginary line on the ground along which all points are of the same elevation.

a. Contour lines evenly spaced and wide apart indicate a uniform gentle slope.

b. Contour lines evenly spaced and close together indicate a uniform steep slope. The closer the contour lines to each other the steeper the slope.

c. Contour lines closely spaced at the top and widely spread at the bottom indicate a concave slope.

d. Contour lines widely spaced at the top and closely spaced at the bottom indicate a convex slope.

11-9. SLOPE

The rate of rise and fall of a ground form is known as its slope. Slope may be expressed in several ways but all depend upon a comparison of vertical distance (VD) to horizontal distance (HD). VD is the difference between the highest and lowest elevations of a slope and is determined from the contour lines. HD is the horizontal ground distance between the highest and lowest elevations of the slope and is measured using the bar scale of the map. The VD and HD must be expressed in the same unit of measurement.

a. A common expression of slope is as a percent (%) which indicates the number of vertical units of elevation to every hundred units of horizontal distance. Whenever a gradient or percent is used, a plus or minus sign must be given to indicate whether the slope is rising or falling.

b. Slope may also be expressed in degrees, a unit of angular measure.

Determine the value of $\frac{VD}{HD}$ in decimal form. This will be the tangent of

Table 11-1. Map Distance Conversion

| Map distance | Ground distance | Representative fraction (RF) | | | | | | | |
|----------------|-----------------|------------------------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|----------------|
| | | 1 25,000 | 1 50,000 | 1 75,000 | 1 100,000 | 1 200,000 | 1 250,000 | 1 500,000 | 1 1,000,000 |
| One inch | Inches | 25,000 | 50,000 | 75,000 | 100,000 | 200,000 | 250,000 | 500,000 | 1,000,000 |
| | Feet | 2,083 | 4,167 | 6,250 | 8,333 | 16,667 | 20,833 | 41,667 | 83,333 |
| | Yards | 694 | 1,389 | 2,083 | 2,778 | 5,555 | 6,944 | 13,888 | 27,776 |
| | Meters | 635 | 1,270 | 1,905 | 2,540 | 5,080 | 6,350 | 12,700 | 25,400 |
| | Miles | 0.4 | 0.8 | 1.2 | 1.6 | 3.2 | 4 | 8 | 16 |
| | Kilometers | .64 | 1.3 | 1.91 | 2.54 | 5.08 | 6.35 | 12.7 | 25.4 |
| One centimeter | Inches | 9,843 | 19,685 | 29,528 | 39,370 | 78,740 | 98,425 | 196,850 | 393,700 |
| | Feet | 820 | 1,640 | 2,460 | 3,281 | 6,562 | 8,202 | 16,404 | 32,808 |
| | Yards | 273 | 547 | 820 | 1,094 | 2,187 | 2,734 | 5,468 | 10,936 |
| | Meters | 250 | 500 | 750 | 1,000 | 2,000 | 2,500 | 5,000 | 10,000 |
| | Miles | 0.16 | 0.3 | 0.5 | 0.6 | 1.2 | 1.5 | 3 | 6 |
| | Kilometers | .25 | .50 | .75 | 1.00 | 2.00 | 2.50 | 5.00 | 10.00 |

the slope angle. The slope angle can then be found in a table of trigonometric tangent functions. The approximate slope angle may be calculated by multiplying the gradient by 57.3. This method is reasonably accurate for slope angles under 20° .

11-10. TOPOGRAPHIC SYMBOLS

Topographic symbols used on an individual map are found and explained in the LEGEND which is placed on every map. For detail listing of topographic symbols used on large, medium, and small scale maps refer to FM 21-31.

CHAPTER 12 RIGGING

For a complete discussion of rigging see TM 5-725.

12-1. KNOTS


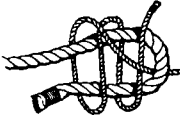

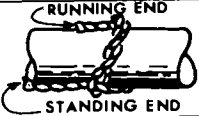


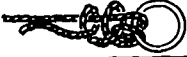
| Nome | Illustration | Use |
|-------------------|---|---|
| Square |  | Join two ropes of same size. (Will not slip, but will draw tight under strain.) To end block lashing. |
| Double sheet bend |  | Join wet ropes, of unequal size, or rope to an eye. (Will not slip or draw tight under strain.) |
| Bowline |  | Form a loop. (Will not slip under strain and is easily untied.) |
| Timber hitch |  | Lifting or dragging heavy timbers. (Is more easily controlled if supplemented by half hitches.) |
| Clove hitch |  | Fasten rope to pipe, timber, or post. (It is used to start and finish all lashings and may be tied at any point in rope.) |
| Sheep shank |  | Shorten rope or take load off weak spot in rope. |
| Fisherman's Bend |  | To fasten cable or rope to anchor. |

Figure 12-1. Knots.

12-2. FIBER ROPES, WIRE ROPES, CHAINS, AND HOOKS

a. Data. See tables 12-1, 12-2, and 12-3 for data on manila and sisal rope, wire rope, and chains.

Table 12-1. Properties of Manila and Sisal Rope

| Nominal diameter, in. | Circumference, in. | Lbs. per ft. | No. 1 manila | | Sisal | |
|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|
| | | | Breaking strength, tons | Safe working capacity tons (F.S. = 4) | Breaking strength, tons | Safe load, tons (F.S. = 4) |
| 1/4 | 3/4 | 0.20 | 0.30 | 0.07 | 0.24 | 0.06 |
| 3/8 | 1 1/8 | .040 | 0.67 | 0.16 | 0.54 | 0.13 |
| 1/2 | 1 1/2 | .075 | 1.32 | 0.33 | 1.06 | 0.26 |
| 5/8 | 2 | .133 | 2.20 | 0.60 | 1.76 | 0.44 |
| 3/4 | 2 1/4 | .167 | 2.70 | 0.67 | 2.16 | 0.54 |
| 7/8 | 2 3/4 | .186 | 3.85 | 0.96 | 3.08 | 0.77 |
| 1 | 3 | .270 | 4.50 | 1.12 | 3.60 | 0.90 |
| 1 1/8 | 3 1/2 | .360 | 6.00 | 1.50 | 4.80 | 1.20 |
| 1 1/4 | 3 3/4 | .418 | 6.75 | 1.69 | 5.40 | 1.35 |
| 1 1/2 | 4 1/2 | .600 | 9.25 | 2.31 | 7.40 | 1.85 |
| 1 3/4 | 5 1/2 | .895 | 13.25 | 3.31 | 10.60 | 2.65 |
| 2 | 6 | 1.08 | 15.50 | 3.87 | 12.40 | 3.10 |
| 2 1/2 | 7 1/2 | 1.35 | 23.25 | 5.81 | 18.60 | 4.65 |
| 3 | 9 | 2.42 | 32.00 | 8.00 | 25.60 | 6.40 |

Notes.

1. Breaking strength and safe loads given are for new rope used under favorable conditions. As rope ages or deteriorates, progressively reduce safe loads to one-half of values given.

2. Safe working capacity may be computed, with safety factor of

4. When condition of material is doubtful, divide computation by 2.

$$T = D^2$$

where, T = safe working capacity in tons

D = diameter in inches

3. Cordage rope is issued by circumference sizes.

Table 12-2. Breaking Strength of 6 x 19 Standard Wire Rope ¹

| Diameter in. ² | Approximate weight lb/ft | Iron | Breaking strength, tons of 2000 lbs | | | |
|---------------------------|--------------------------|-------|-------------------------------------|------------|---------------------|------------------------------|
| | | | Traction steel | Plow steel | Improved plow steel | Extruded improved plow steel |
| 1/4 | 0.10 | 1.4 | 2.6 | 2.39 | 2.74 | ..... |
| 3/8 | 0.23 | 2.1 | 4.0 | 5.31 | 6.10 | 7.55 |
| 1/2 | 0.40 | 3.6 | 6.8 | 9.35 | 10.7 | 13.3 |
| 5/8 | 0.63 | 5.5 | 10.4 | 14.5 | 16.7 | 20.6 |
| 3/4 | 0.90 | 7.9 | 14.8 | 20.7 | 23.8 | 29.4 |
| 7/8 | 1.23 | 10.6 | 20.2 | 28.0 | 32.2 | 39.8 |
| 1 | 1.60 | 13.7 | 26.0 | 36.4 | 41.8 | 51.7 |
| 1 1/8 | 2.03 | 17.2 | 32.7 | 45.7 | 52.6 | 65.0 |
| 1 1/4 | 2.50 | 21.0 | 40.6 | 56.2 | 64.6 | 79.9 |
| 1 1/2 | 3.60 | 29.7 | 56.6 | 80.0 | 92.0 | 114.0 |
| 1 3/4 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 108.0 | 124.0 | 153.0 |
| 2 | ..... | ..... | ..... | 139.0 | 160.0 | 198.0 |

¹ 6 x 19 means rope composed of 6 strands of 19 wires each

² Breaking Strength of 6 x 7 or 6 x 37 wire rope is 94% of the breaking strength of a 6 x 19 rope of an equal diameter and identical material.

Example:

Find breaking strength of 1 1/4 inch, 6 x 7, Improved Plow Steel wire rope

Breaking strength of 6 x 19, 1 1/4 inch, Improved Plow Steel wire rope = 64.6 tons

Breaking strength (6 x 7) = .94 x 64.6 = 60.7 tons

Note. Safe working capacity with a safety factor of 4, $T = 8D^2$ where
T = Safe working capacity in tons

D = Diameter in inches

When condition of material is doubtful, divide T by 2

Table 12-3. Wire Rope Safety Factors*

| Type of service | Minimum safety factor |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Trock cables..... | 3.2 |
| Guys..... | 3.5 |
| Miscellaneous hoisting equipment..... | 5.0 |
| Haulage ropes..... | 6.0 |
| Derricks..... | 6.0 |
| Small electric and air hoists..... | 7.0 |
| Slings..... | 8.0 |

*Where age and condition of rope are doubtful, or where human life or expensive equipment may be endangered by rope failures, apply a safety factor of at least 8.

b. Properties of Hooks.

(1) Slip hook.

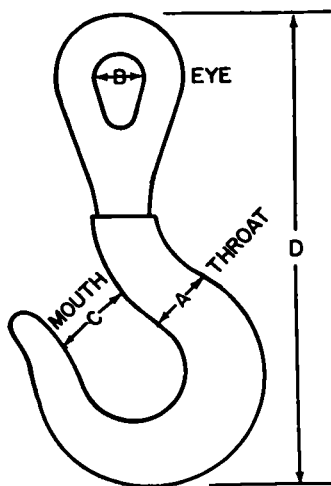


Figure 12-2. Slip hook.

(2) Safe loads for hooks are given in table 12-4.

Table 12-4. Safe Loads on Hooks

| Diameter of metal A,* in | Inside diameter of eye B, in. | Width of opening C, in. | Length of hook D, in. | Safe working capacity of hooks, lb. |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 11/16..... | 7/8 | 1 1/16 | 4 15/16 | 1,200 |
| 3/4..... | 1 | 1 1/8 | 5 13/32 | 1,400 |
| 7/8..... | 1 1/8 | 1 1/4 | 6 1/4 | 2,400 |
| 1..... | 1 1/4 | 1 3/8 | 6 7/8 | 3,400 |
| 1 1/8..... | 1 3/8 | 1 1/2 | 7 5/8 | 4,200 |
| 1 1/4..... | 1 1/2 | 1 11/16 | 8 19/32 | 5,000 |
| 1 3/8..... | 1 5/8 | 1 7/8 | 9 1/2 | 6,000 |
| 1 1/2..... | 1 3/4 | 2 1/16 | 10 11/32 | 8,000 |
| 1 5/8..... | 2 | 2 1/4 | 11 27/32 | 9,400 |
| 1 7/8..... | 2 3/8 | 2 1/2 | 13 9/32 | 11,000 |
| 2 1/4..... | 2 3/4 | 3 | 14 13/16 | 13,600 |
| 2 5/8..... | 3 1/8 | 3 3/8 | 16 1/2 | 17,000 |
| 3..... | 3 1/2 | 4 | 19 3/4 | 24,000 |

*For reference to A, B, C, or D, see figure 12-2.

Note Formula for safe work load for hooks: $T \text{ (tons)} = D^2(in^2)$.

12-3. MECHANICAL ADVANTAGES OF VARIOUS BLOCK ARRANGEMENTS

a. *Blocks and Tackle.* Figure 12-3 shows examples of typical tackle systems. In a simple tackle with 2 lines leaving the load (1, fig. 12-3), the mechanical advantage is 2. In a simple tackle with three lines leaving the load (2, fig. 12-3), the mechanical advantage is 3. In a simple tackle, using 2 double blocks (3, fig. 12-3), with 5 lines leaving the load (3, fig. 12-3), the mechanical advantage is 5. In a compound system with 5 lines leaving the load (4, fig. 12-3), and the fall line of this tackle attached to a traveling block with 2 lines supporting it, the

mechanical advantage is 2 times 5, or 10. A more complicated compound system (5, fig. 12-3) is made up of two simple systems, each of which has 4 lines supporting the load. The traveling block of the first simple system is fastened to the fall line of the second simple system, and the mechanical advantage of this compound system is 4 times 4, or 16.

b. *Chain Hoists.* With a chain hoist, a load can remain stationary without requiring attention, and the hoist can be operated by one man to raise loads of several tons.

c. *Determining Actual Pull.*

FL = friction loss, the amount of force lost to friction in the system.

AP = actual pull, the amount of force required on the fall line to lift the load.

Ff = friction factor, varies with conditions of the blocks.

$\frac{1}{10}$, excellent condition (new)

$\frac{1}{8}$, good condition

$\frac{1}{5}$, fair condition

N_S = number of sheaves, total number of sheaves in the system including change of direction blocks.

MA = theoretical mechanical advantage

W_L = weight of the load

Example: Assume $W_L = 2500$ lbs

$$N_S = 6$$

$$MA = 6:1$$

$$Ff = \frac{1}{5}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Then } FL &= W_L + N_S + Ff \\ &= 2500 \text{ lbs } (6) \left(\frac{1}{5}\right) \\ &= 3000 \text{ lbs} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{And } AP &= W_L + FL \\ &= \frac{2500 + 3000}{6} \\ &= 916.67 \text{ lbs} \end{aligned}$$

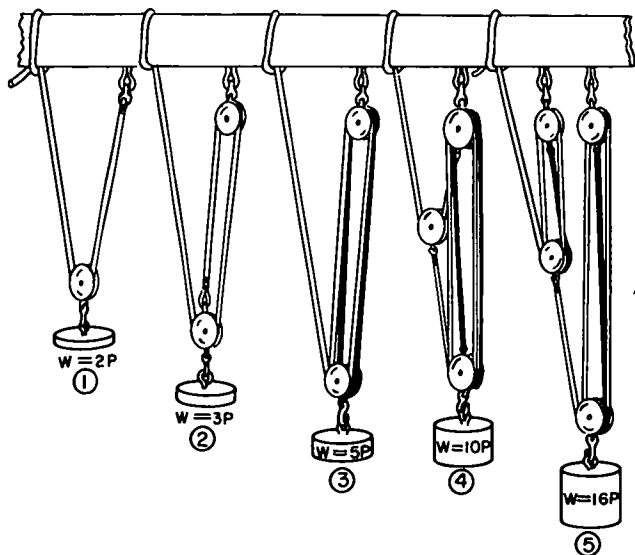


Figure 12-3. Mechanical advantage of various tackle riggings.

12-4. PICKET HOLDFAST

a. *Holding Power.* Sound pickets 5 feet long driven 3 feet into the earth, spaced 3 to 6 feet apart, and inclined away from the load at an angle of 15° should stand the pull indicated in table 12-5.

Table 12-5. Holdfast Capacities

| Type of holdfast | Undis- turbed earth | Wet clay and gravel | Wet river clay and sand |
|----------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Single picket..... | 700 | 630 | 350 |
| 1-1 Picket holdfast..... | 1400 | 1260 | 700 |
| 1-1-1 Picket holdfast..... | 1800 | 1620 | 900 |
| 2-1 Picket holdfast..... | 2000 | 1800 | 1000 |
| 3-2-1 Picket holdfast..... | 4000 | 3600 | 2000 |

b. Picket Holdfast, 1-1-1 Combination.

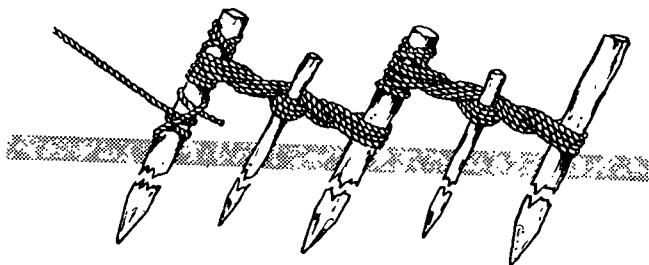


Figure 12-4. Picket holdfast 1-1-1 combination.

c. Picket Holdfast, 3-2-1 Combination.

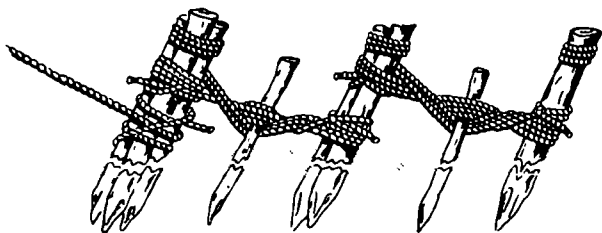


Figure 12-5. Picket holdfast, 3-2-1 combination.

12-5. DEADMEN

- a. Log Deadmon (fig. 12-6).
- b. Steel Beam Deadmon (fig. 12-7).
- c. Holding Power of Deadmen in Ordinary Earth.

(1) Log Deadmon

Symbols for figure 12-6 and the formulas below are:

T = tension (breaking strength of rope)

MD = mean depth (you select)

SR = slope ratio ($\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{1}{3}$, $\frac{1}{4}$, etc.)

HD = horizontal distance (see formula in (2) below)

VD = vertical depth (must be at least 1 ft. above water table)

HP = holding power (see table 12-5)

BAr = bearing area required (see formula in (2) below)

EL = effective length (see formula in (2) below)

WST = width, sloping trench (1 to 2 feet)

D = timber diameter (you select)

L = timber length (see formula in (2) below)

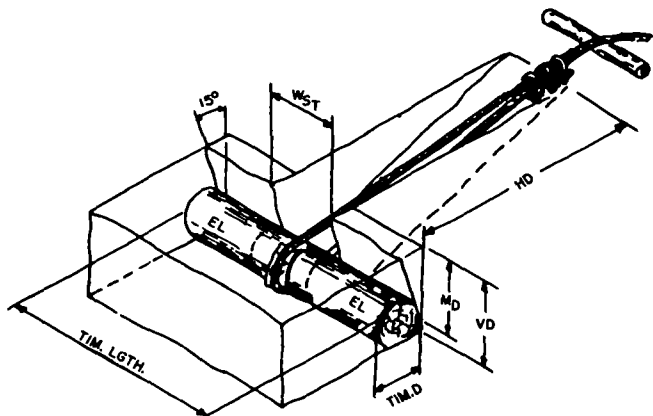


Figure 12-6. Log deadman.

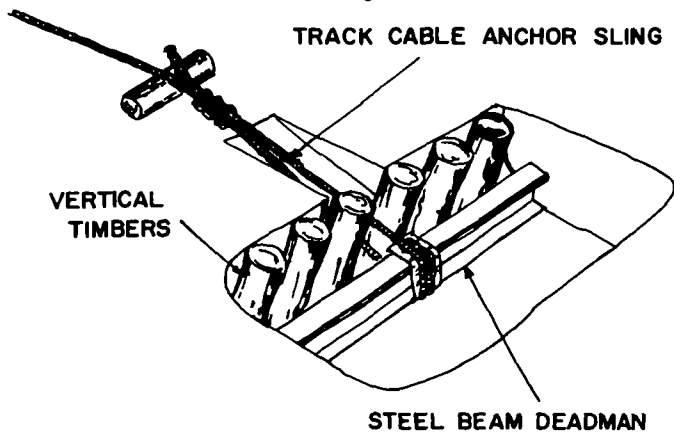


Figure 12-7. Steel beam deadman.

Table 12-6. *Holding Power of Deadmen in Ordinary Earth*

| Mean depth of anchorage, ft | Safe resistance for inclination of pull (vertical or horizontal) of projected area of deadman, lbs per sq ft. | | | | |
|--------------------------------------|---|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| | Vertical | 1/1 | 1/2 | 1/3 | 1/4 |
| 3..... | 600 | 950 | 1,300 | 1,450 | 1,500 |
| 4..... | 1,050 | 1,750 | 2,200 | 2,600 | 2,700 |
| 5..... | 1,700 | 2,800 | 3,600 | 4,000 | 4,100 |
| 6..... | 2,400 | 3,800 | 5,100 | 5,800 | 6,000 |
| 7..... | 3,200 | 5,100 | 7,000 | 8,000 | 8,400 |

(2) *Formulas.*

$$(a) \ 8Ar = \frac{T}{HP} \text{ (in lbs)}$$

$$(b) \ EL = \frac{8Ar}{D}$$

$$(c) \ L = EL + WST$$

$$(d) \ VD = MD + \left(\frac{D}{2} \right)$$

$$(e) \ HD = \frac{VD}{SR}$$

(3) Problems.

Given: $T = 1$ in. wire rope I.P.S. (improved plow steel)

Find:

$MD = 7 \text{ ft.}$

$8Ar$

$SR = \frac{1}{4}$

EL

$HP = 8,400 \text{ lb. (table 12-5)}$

L

$WST = 1\frac{1}{2} \text{ ft.}$

VD

$D = 2 \text{ ft.}$

HD

Solution:

$$8Ar = \frac{84,000}{8,400} = 10 \text{ sq. ft.}$$

$$EL = \frac{10}{2} = 5 \text{ ft.}$$

$$L = 5 \text{ ft.} + 1\frac{1}{2} \text{ ft.} = 6\frac{1}{2} \text{ ft.}$$

$$VD = 7 \text{ ft.} + \frac{2 \text{ ft.}}{2} = 8 \text{ ft.}$$

$$HD = \frac{8}{\frac{1}{4}} = 32 \text{ ft.}$$

12-6. ATTACHMENTS

a. Clips. Clips are used in making eyes in wire rope. The correct method of attaching clips is shown in figure 12-8. The base of each clip should bear against the line, or long rope, end, and the U-bolt should bear against the dead, or short, end. Space the clips six rope diameters apart; the number of clips equals three times the rope diameter (in inches) plus one. If this calculation results in a fraction, use the next larger whole number. Never use less than three clips per connection. For example, on a $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch rope:

$$\begin{aligned} \text{No. of clips} &= 3D + 1 \text{ (minimum of 3 clips)} \\ &= (3 \times \frac{3}{4}) + 1 \\ &= 3\frac{1}{4}, \text{ or } 4 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Spacing of clips} = 6D = 6 \times \frac{3}{4} = 4\frac{1}{2} \text{ in.}$$



Figure 12-8. Wire rope clips.

b. *Clamps.* Figure 12-9 shows how to apply a wire rope clamp. Slip the two end collars of the clamp on the rope, facing each other. Bend the rope, bringing the free end back along the long end. Slip one end collar of the clamp over both parts of the rope. Place the two side pieces of the clamp over both parts of the rope so that the free end of the rope is even with the ends of the two side pieces. Screw the collars on the side pieces, using a wrench to force a snug fit.

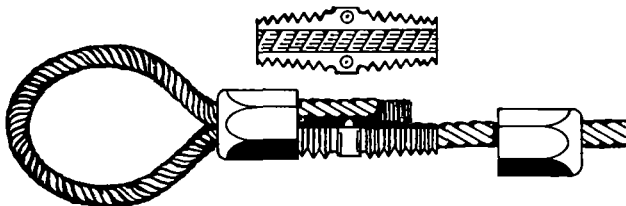


Figure 12-9. Wire rope clamp.

c. *Wedge Socket.* This fitting is shown in figure 12-10. It is used when the fitting must be changed at frequent intervals. This socket has two ports, the socket proper with a tapered opening for the wire rope and a small wedge to go into this socket. Remove the wedge, and insert a loop of wire rope through the tapered opening from the bottom of the socket up. Place the wedge through the loop and pull the ends of the wire rope back through the tapered opening until the wedge forces the wire rope against the sides of the wedge socket. The loop of wire rope must be inserted in the wedge socket so that the running part of the wire rope will form a nearly direct line to the clevis of the fitting. If properly mounted, a wedge socket will tighten when a strain is put on the wire rope.

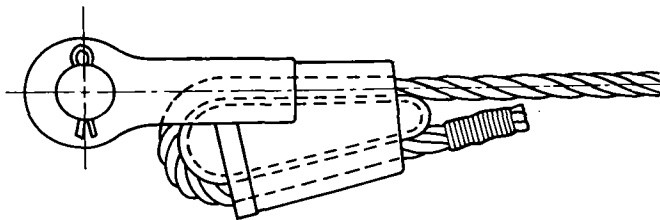


Figure 12-10. Wedge socket and fitting.

12-7. SAFE CAPACITY OF SPRUCE TIMBER AS A GIN POLE

See table 12-7 for these capacities. Weight of timber is 40 pounds per cubic foot.

Table 12-7. Safe Capacity of Spruce Timbers as Gin Poles in Normal Operations

| Size of timber, in. | Safe capacity for given length of timber, lbs | | | | | |
|---------------------|---|------------------|----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| | 20 ft (6 m) | 25 ft (7.5 m) | 30 ft (9 m) | 40 ft (12 m) | 50 ft (15 m) | 60 ft (18 m) |
| 6 dia..... | 5,000 | 3,000 | 2,000 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 8 dia..... | ..... | 11,000 | 8,000 | 5,000 | 3,000 | ..... |
| 10 dia..... | 31,000 | 24,000 | 16,000 | 9,000 | 6,000 | ..... |
| 12 dia..... | ..... | ..... | 31,000 | 19,000 | 12,000 | 9,000 |
| 6 x 6..... | 6,000 | 4,000 | 3,000 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| 8 x 8..... | ..... | 14,000 | 10,000 | 6,000 | 4,000 | ..... |
| 10 x 10..... | 40,000 | 30,000 | 20,000 | 12,000 | 8,000 | ..... |
| 12 x 12..... | ..... | ..... | 40,000 | 24,000 | 16,000 | 12,000 |

Note. Safe capacity of each leg of shears or tripod is seven-eighths of the value given for a gin pole.

12-8. SLINGS

a. *Single Slings.* See figure 12-11 for components of a single sling.

(1) A basket hitch has a single sling passed under the load and both ends hooked over the hoisting hook (A, fig. 12-12).

(2) Single slings with two hooks are sometimes used for lifting stone (B, fig. 12-12).

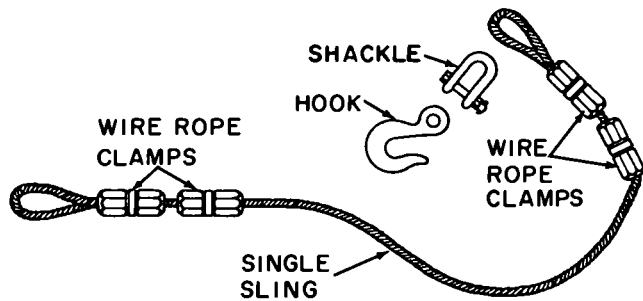


Figure 12-11. Single sling components.

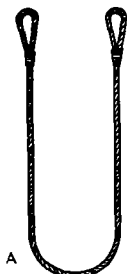
(3) The double anchor hitch is used sometimes for hoisting cylindrical objects (C, fig. 12-12).

b. *Endless Slings.*

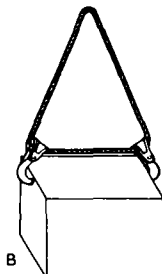
(1) The anchor, or choker, hitch is a common method of using an endless sling by casting the sling under the load and inserting one loop through the other and over the hoisting hook (D, fig. 12-12).

(2) For a basket hitch, the endless sling is passed around the object and both remaining loops are slipped on the hook (E, fig. 12-12).

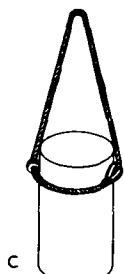
(3) The taggle hitch is a modification of the basket hitch and is used only for special application (F, fig. 12-12).



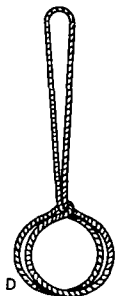
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Basket Hitch



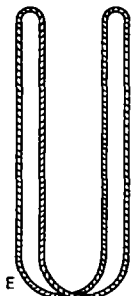
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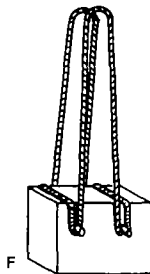
C
Double Anchor Hitch



D
Endless Sling
Anchor Hitch



E
Endless Sling
Basket Hitch



F
Endless Sling
Toggle Hitch

Figure 12-12. Hitches.

12-9. SLING LOAD FORMULA

- a. *Stress.* The stress of tension in each leg of a sling depends on the number of legs, the angle of the sling leg, and the total load.
- b. *Formula.*

$$T = \frac{W}{N} \times \frac{L}{V}$$

where T = tension, in pounds
 N = number of legs
 W = weight, in pounds
 V = vertical distance, in feet
 L = length of leg, in feet

c. *Problem.* Is it safe to use a $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch diameter manila rope sling to lift a 2,000 pound load with a 4-leg sling which has vertical distances of 6 feet and length of leg of 12 feet (fig. 12-13)?

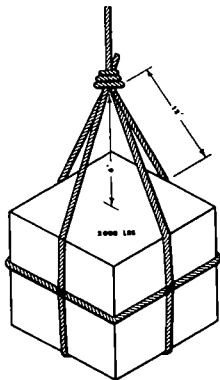


Figure 12-13. Sling stresses.

$$T = \frac{W}{N} \times \frac{L}{V}$$

$$T = \frac{2,000}{4} \times \frac{12}{6} = 1,000 \text{ pounds}$$

The tension on each leg will be 1,000 pounds. The safe working capacity of $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch diameter manila rope from table 12-1 is 0.67 tons or 1340 pounds. Since the safe working capacity is greater than the tension, the rope is safe to use.

12-10. HELICOPTER SLING DESIGN

a. Strength of Sling.

(1) For a single leg sling the minimum safe load capacity of the sling should be twice the weight of the load.

(2) For a multiple leg sling each leg should have as a minimum safe load capacity the weight of the load.

b. Helicopter Sling Length.

(1) For a short haul the length of each sling leg should be the same as the greatest dimension of the load. (L_{max})

(2) For a long haul: the length of the rear sling legs should be the same as the greatest dimension of the load (L_{max}); the length of the front sling legs should be .82 times the greatest dimension of the load (.82 L_{max}).

c. Stabilization of Loads. Helicopter sling loads are stabilized by one or more of the following methods:

(1) Reduce the airspeed of the helicopter.

(2) Increase the weight of the load.

(3) Reduce the drag surface by adjusting the relationship between the center of gravity and the center of air pressure of the suspended load so as to assure that the narrowest load surface points in the direction of flight. This effect is obtained by either adding surface to the rear of the load or adding weight to the front. The general rule is that the load will be stable at normal helicopter speed when the center of gravity of the load is located at the front of the surface area.

d. Safety.

(1) Place padding on sling where rubbing may occur.

(2) To prevent in-flight "flapping" of prefabricated nylon, nylon slings, twist each sling leg one turn for every three (3) feet of length.

(3) It may be desirable to use clevises to attach sling legs to the load.

12-11. GROUND CREW

a. Positioning. See figure 12-14.

b. Hand Signals. See figure 12-15.

c. Safety. Police area thoroughly.

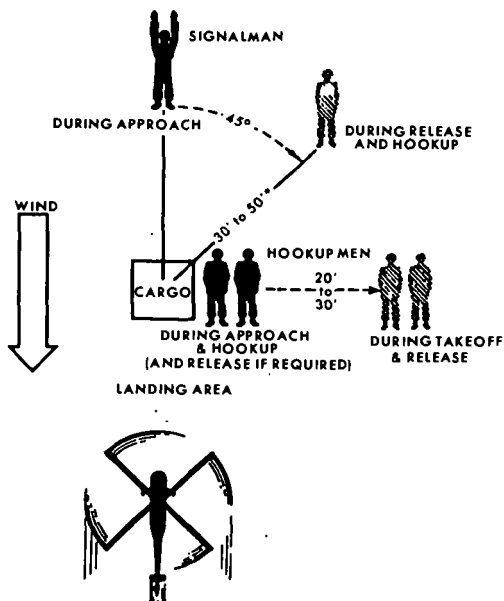
(1) Ground personnel should wear:

(a) Steel helmet.

(b) Protective mask, or dust goggles with respirator.

(c) Earplugs.

(2) Helicopters acquire a large charge of static electricity during flight. A static discharge probe, which is not issued, is used to neutralize the charge. The probe consists of an insulated contact rod joined to a 15'-25' length of metallic rope or wire, which in turn is attached to a ground rod. The ground rod is driven into the earth and the contact rod is held by a ground crewman and touched to the helicopter hook



EMERGENCY

◀ HELICOPTER MOVES LEFT

ALL GROUND PERSONNEL MOVE RIGHT ▶

EMERGENCY

* This distance may vary, dependent upon the specific environment, e.g., terrain features, weather conditions, and type of helicopter employed.

Figure 12-14. Position diagram for hook-up/release of helicopters sling loads.

SIGNALS FOR DIRECTING HELICOPTERS



Figure 12-15. Hand signals.

12-12. SHEARS

o. *Materials.* Shears are used to erect heavy machinery and bulky objects. Figure 12-16 shows the proper construction of shears. Shears must be guyed to hold their position. They are designed to work inclined from the vertical. Maximum shear leg length is 60 times the least diameter of the leg. This ratio must be reduced for extremely heavy loads.

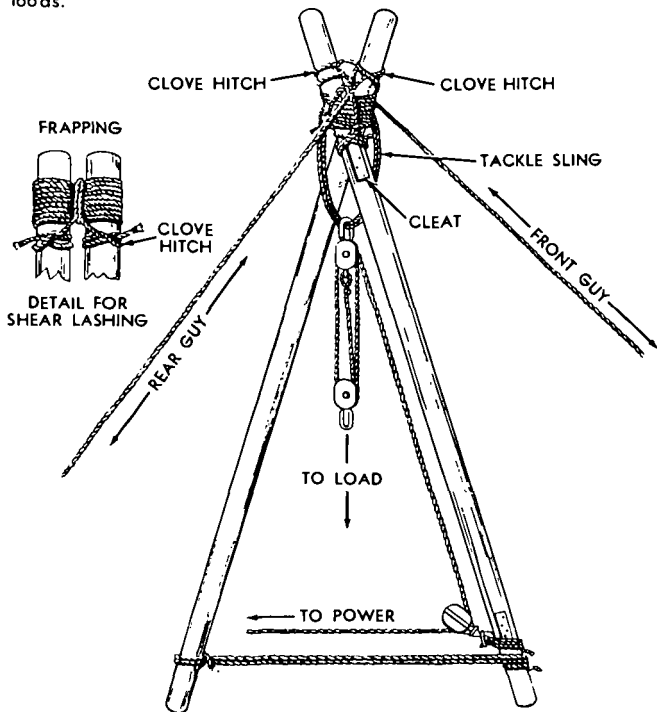


Figure 12-16. Lashing for shears.

b. *Erection.* Holes should be dug and the shear legs placed in them. This will prevent spreading of legs. On hard surfaces, the legs should be level and lashed together to prevent spreading.

12-13. GIN POLE

a. *Description.* A gin pole is an upright spar, guyed at the top to hold it in a vertical or near-vertical position, and equipped with suitable hoisting tackle. It is easily rigged, moved, and operated (fig. 12-17)

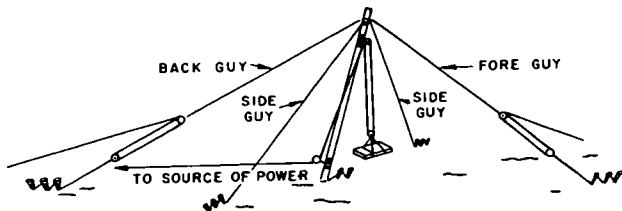


Figure 12-17. Gin pole ready for operation.

b. *Erecting.* A gin pole 30 or 40 feet long may be raised easily by hand, but longer poles must be raised by supplementary rigging or power equipment. Figure 12-17 shows the gin pole in position for operation, while the necessary rigging is illustrated in figure 12-18. The maximum allowable length is 60 times the minimum diameter. Guys are 3 to 4 times the pole length.

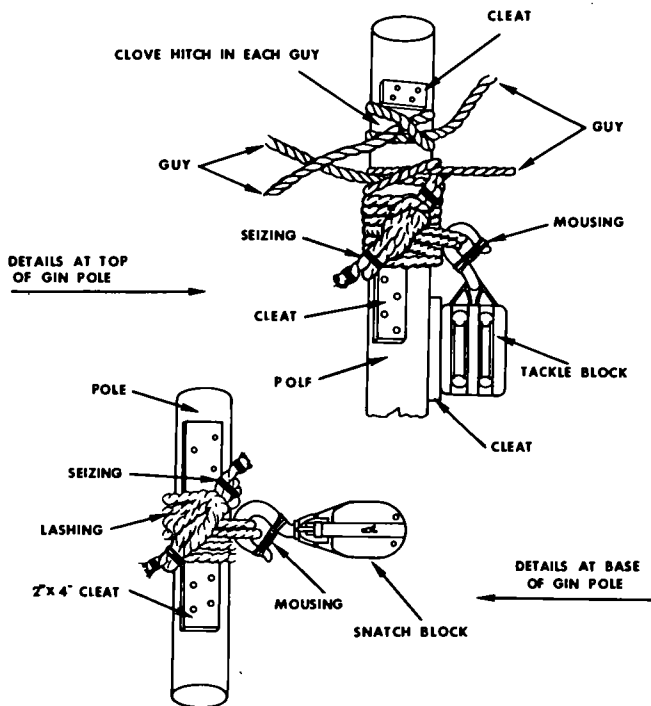


Figure 12-18. Lashing for a gin pole.

12-14. BOOM DERRICK

a. **Rigging.** Booms are used on gin poles to lift loads at a distance from the base of the pole. The boom is two-thirds the length of the gin pole. For heavy loads, lower butt of boom to ground; raise it for lighter loads. It must not bear against the upper two-thirds of the pole.

b. **Operation.** Raise the boom into position when the rigging is finished. In operation, it is a convenient means for loading and unloading

trucks and floaters, and for use on docks or piers. Figure 12-19 shows the boom derrick in position for operation.

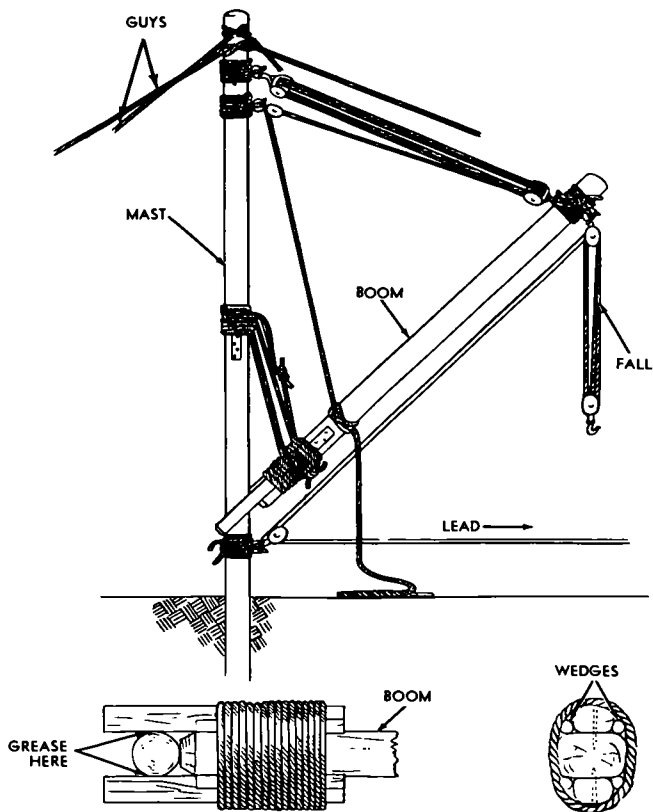


Figure 12-19. Boom derrick.

12-15. GUY LINE TENSION FOR SHEARS AND GIN POLES

a. *Tensions.* The most stress on a guy line occurs when a straight line through the load and pole passes through the guy line. To compute the tension use the following formula.

$$T = \frac{(W_L + \frac{1}{2}W_S) D}{Y}$$

Where:

T = tension in guyline
 W_L = weight of load
 W_S = weight of spar
 D = drift distance
 Y = perpendicular distance

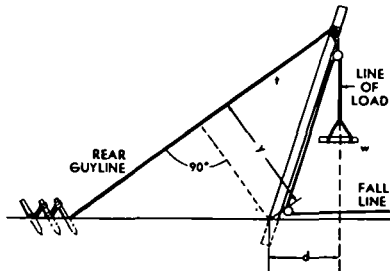


Figure 12-20. Computing tension in single guylines.

b. *Example Problem.*

Given: Load = 2,500 lbs
 Weight of spar = 800 lbs.
 Drift distance = 10 feet
 Y-distance = 20 feet

Solution:
$$T = \frac{(2,500 + \frac{1}{2}[800]) 10}{20}$$

$$T = 1,450 \text{ lbs.}$$

12-16. HIGHLINE

The highline is a trolley line passing through a snatch block at each

support (fig. 12-20). It is the type most commonly erected at the plateau level.

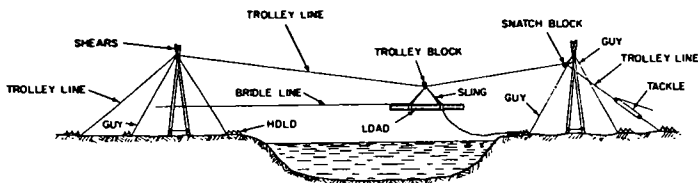


Figure 12-21. Highline.

a. Sag. The sag in the track cable when loaded should be not less than 5 percent of the span.

b. Formula for Safe Load Highline.

$$SL = \frac{BS \text{ (lbs)}}{5 \times SF} - \frac{DL \text{ (lbs)}}{2}$$

Where: SL = safe load

BS = breaking strength of line

DL = dead load

SF = safety factor

Problem: Span is 400 feet

Track line is $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch diameter manila rope

Haul line is $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch diameter manila rope

Safety factor is 4.0

Track cable sag is 5 percent

Solution. BS (breaking strength) for $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch diameter-manila rope = 5,400 pounds.

W ($\frac{3}{4}$ -inch rope) = 66.8 pounds/400 feet (table 12-1)

W ($\frac{1}{2}$ -inch rope) = 60 pounds/800 feet (table 12-1)

Therefore: $SL = \frac{5,400}{5 \times 4.0} - \frac{66.8}{2}$

$$SL = 270 - 33.4$$

$$SL = 236.6 \text{ pounds}$$

For the payload, use the formula:

$$PL = SL - (1/2W \text{ of haul rope} + W \text{ of traveler} + W \text{ of carrier})$$

For this problem, this would mean:

$$PL = 236.6 - (30 \text{ plus the weight of the traveler and carrier})$$

Note. For information on suspension bridges see chapter 7.

CHAPTER 13

UTILIZATION OF HEAVY EQUIPMENT

13-1. CRAWLER AND RUBBER TIRED TRACTORS

a. The economical hauling distance for a dozer ranges from 25 to 300 feet.

b. Dozer output chart. See table 13-1.

c. The recommended uses of tractors to increase production are:

(1) *Slot dazing*. This is a method of digging and pushing material in the same path to reduce blade spillage. As the dozer cuts into the earth, windrows are built up acting as retaining walls to keep the material in front of the blade. Production may increase up to 30 percent.

(2) *Blade to blade dozing*. Using this method requires close coordination by the operators. The machines have to travel at the same speed and keep the blades together. Blade to blade dozing can produce 1 to 1.5 cubic yards more per pass in a range of 50-300 feet.

(3) *Downhill dazing*. The dozer should be operated downhill when possible. It will receive the benefit of gravity and be able to push a larger load.

Table 13-1. Data on Tractors

| Model | Capacity in LCY* | Speeds in MPH | | Fuel consumed per hr |
|-------------|---------------------|---------------|------|----------------------------|
| | | Low | High | |
| D8-9A..... | 7.8 | 1.5 | 5.2 | 11 |
| TD24..... | 7.8 | 1.7 | 8.2 | 11 |
| HD16..... | 5.0 | 3.5 | 7.4 | 9 |
| D7E..... | 5.0 | 2.3 | 6.2 | 9 |
| TD20..... | 3.5 | 1.6 | 7.3 | 9 |
| TD18..... | 3.5 | 1.7 | 5.7 | 9 |
| HD6M..... | 2.6 | 1.5 | 6.5 | 7 |
| D6S..... | 2.8 | 2.0 | 7.0 | 7 |
| 830M..... | 5.0 | 5.7 | 30 | 12 |
| 290M..... | 5.0 | 5.1 | 32 | 12 |
| MRS100..... | 2.6 | 2.2 | 30 | 8 |

*Loose cubic yards

(4) *Back ripper attachments.* Standard military blades are equipped with ripper teeth mounted to the back of the blade. On the back up portion of the cycle, these teeth may be lowered into the ground to loosen hard material, making it easier to obtain a full load on the forward portion of the cycle.

13-2. EARTH MOVING PRODUCTION FOR TRACTORS

a. *Production for Tractors.*

$$\text{Variable Time (Forward)} = \frac{\text{Distance in Ft}}{\text{MPH} \times 88}$$

$$\text{Variable Time (Return)} = \frac{\text{Distance in Ft}}{\text{MPH} \times 88}$$

$$\text{Hourly Production} = \frac{\text{EFF Hr} \times \text{Load Factor} \times \text{Blade Capacity}}{\text{Cycle Time}}$$

b. *Production for Tractors with Treedozer Blades.* Before committing a tractor equipped with the treedozer clearing blade, the soil condition in the proposed area of operation should be investigated to determine if it will support the equipment. The treedozer clearing blade can be used to make cuts through any kind of forest, except heavy swampland. Trees can be sheared at ground level, swept by the same machines into piles or windrows, and burned there. One tractor equipped with a treedozer clearing blade can clear approximately one to two acres per hour, depending on the density and size of the trees in the area. When the tractor can move forward almost continuously, shearing to ground level everything in its path, fast production can be obtained by laying out long areas, 200 to 400 feet wide, that can be cut from the outside toward the center in a counterclockwise direction. The cut material then slides off the trailing (right) end of the treedozer clearing blade and leaves the uncut area free of fallen debris. Occasionally the cut material will not shed, but will accumulate instead. When this occurs, the operator should make an immediate sharp turn to the right, followed by a sharp left turn, to resume the original line of travel. This causes the accumulated material to fall off without stopping the tractor. The windrows are placed lengthwise on the borders of the areas, and piling is done by sweeping with the treedozer clearing blade, a blade width at a time, working from the center of each area, at a right angle to the border, from left to right.

13-3. SCRAPERS

a. Crawler tractor-scraper combination can be efficiently operated from 300 to 1200 feet.

b. Rubber-tired tractor-scraper combinations can be efficiently operated from 1200 feet to infinity.

c. Methods of increasing scraper production are:

(1) Downhill loading.

(2) Straddle loading.

(a) Make two cuts, one on each side of a lane which is slightly smaller than the width of the scraper.

(b) On the third cut, strip the lane left by cuts one and two.

d. Push Loading.

(1) Back track loading. With this method, a tractor is used to push the loading tractor-scraper. It is good where the pushing tractor has to back only a short distance to get into position to push the next tractor-scraper.

(2) Shuttle loading. With this method, a pusher tractor is used to push a tractor-scraper. However, after the operation is complete, instead of the pusher backing up to get into position to push another tractor-scraper, a tractor-scraper positions itself so that the pusher has only to reverse its direction and push the new tractor-scraper.

(3) Chain loading. This method is used where the cut area is fairly long. A pusher initially loads one unit, then moves in behind another unit which is moving parallel to and adjacent to the first unit.

(4) Traveling. All loaded units should leave the cut area as fast as possible.

e. Haul Road Maintenance. All haul roads should be maintained with a grader to lower rolling resistance and increase the haul speed of earth-movers.

f. Rippers or Raters. For ease in scraper loading rip soil prior to loading scrapers if required.

g. Capacities of Scrapers. See table 13-2.

13-4. EARTH MOVING PRODUCTION FOR SCRAPERS

a. Determine Cycle Time. Cycle time is the total time required for a piece of equipment to complete its entire operation. Cycle time is divided into two types of time. These times are:

(1) Fixed time. This is the time spent in operations other than hauling and returning. It includes that time taken for loading, accelerat-

Table 13-2. Scraper Capacity

| Make and model | Weight lbs | Capacity struck cu yds | Capacity heaped cu yds |
|---------------------|------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| Murray..... | 11,700 | 7.5 | 9 |
| LeTorneau..... | 30,500 | 18.9 | 24.1 |
| Euclid..... | 33,500 | 18 | 23 |
| Curtiss-Wright..... | 38,900 | 18.25 | 23.6 |

ing, decelerating and dumping. This time can be estimated in the field or if no data is available table 13-3 may be used as a guide.

(2) Variable time. Variable time is determined by the formula:

$$\text{Variable time (min)} = \frac{\text{haul distance (feet)}}{\text{speed (mph)} \times 88}$$

Speed is determined by haul road conditions. This includes grade resistance, rolling resistance, and traction. For detailed calculations see TM 5-331A. Assume high speed for haul roads with hard surface and slight grades, middle speed for average road surface and medium grades, and lowest speed for poor road surface and steep grades.

Table 13-3. Basic Fixed Time Constants (Use as Guide Only)

| Wheel scraper (with pusher): | Fixed time |
|------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 4th gear haul..... | ^{Minutes} 2.2 |
| 3rd gear haul..... | 2.0 |
| 2nd gear haul..... | 1.9 |
| Track tractor with scraper: | |
| Self-loaded..... | 2.5 |
| Push-loaded..... | 2.0 |

b. Determine Load Capacity. See table 13-2.

c. Determine Efficiency Factor. See table 13-4.

Table 13-4. Efficiency Factor Chart

| | Type tractor | Working hours | Efficiency factor |
|-----------------|--------------|---------------|-------------------|
| Day operation | Trock-type | 50 min/hr | 0.83 |
| | Wheel-type | 45 min/hr | 0.75 |
| Night operation | Trock-type | 45 min/hr | 0.75 |
| | Wheel-type | 40 min/hr | 0.67 |

d. Estimate Production. Production (P) is estimated by the formula:

$$P = E \times \frac{L \times H}{C}$$

P = Production in bank cu yd/unit/hr

E = Efficiency factor

L = Load factor

H = Heaped capacity (loose cu yds)

C = Cycle time (fixed and variable)

e. Estimate Job Duration. This is determined by the formula:

Job duration (hours) =

$\frac{\text{Load factor} \times \text{Soil to be moved (yds)}}{\text{Loose cubic yards per hour}}$

Loose cubic yards per hour

See table 13-5 for load factors.

f. Example: How long will it take to move 500 cubic yards of clay (in place), 5000 feet one way with an 830M rubber-tired tractor pulling a Curtiss-Wright scraper? The haul road is poor, work during daylight, 45-minute working hour.

(1) Cycle time. From table 13-3 fixed time = 1.9 min

$$\text{Variable time (min)} = \frac{5000 \text{ feet}}{5.7 \text{ mph} \times 88 \text{ feet per second}} = 10 \text{ min}$$

Speed from table 13-1

Cycle time = 1.9 min + 10 min = 11.9 min

(2) Load capacity. From table 13-2 assume heaped capacity = 23.6 cu yds.

(3) Efficiency factor. From table 13-4 efficiency factor = 0.75.

Table 13-5. Load Factors (Estimated)

| Soil type | Soil condition initially | In place | Loose | Compacted |
|---|--------------------------|----------|-------|-----------|
| Sand | In place | | 1.11 | 0.95 |
| | Loose | .90 | | .86 |
| | Compacted | 1.05 | 1.17 | |
| Loam | In place | | 1.25 | 0.90 |
| | Loose | .80 | | .72 |
| | Compacted | 1.11 | 1.39 | |
| Clay | In place | | 1.43 | 0.90 |
| | Loose | .70 | | .63 |
| | Compacted | 1.11 | 1.59 | |
| Rock (blasted) | In place | | 1.50 | 1.30 |
| | Loose | .67 | | .87 |
| | Compacted | .77 | 1.15 | |
| Hard coral (dead) comporable to limestone | In place | | 1.50 | 1.30 |
| | Loose | .67 | | .87 |
| | Compacted | .77 | 1.16 | |

(4) Production in cubic yards per hour.

$$23.6 \text{ cu yds per scraper} \times \frac{60 \text{ min per hour}}{11.9 \text{ min}} \times 0.75 \text{ efficiency factor} = 89 \text{ cubic yards of material per hour.}$$

(5) *Time required to finish job.* From table 13-5, 1 cubic yard of in place clay equals 1.43 cubic yards of loose material.




$$\begin{aligned}\text{Job duration} &= \frac{1.43 \times 500 \text{ cu yds}}{89 \text{ cubic yards per hour}} \\ &= 8.05 \text{ hours or about 8 hours.}\end{aligned}$$

13-5. EQUIPMENT UTILIZATION CHART

See table 13-6.

Table 13-6. Equipment Utilization

| | clearing | | stripping | finishing | | compaction | sloping | | haul or doze | | | spread | | cut or ditch | |
|------------------------|-----------------------|-------|-----------|-----------|-------|------------|---------|--------|--------------|--------|------|--------|-------|--------------|------|
| | very high no trees | heavy | | fine | rough | | hold | finish | short | medium | long | light | heavy | shallow | deep |
| motorized scraper | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| rubber- tired dozer | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| track-type tractor | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| tractor scraper | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Legend: excellent  fair  not applicable 

13-6. GRADERS

a. Methods of Obtaining Maximum Production.

(1) In working distances up to 1000 feet, back up to beginning of project.

(2) In working distances greater than 1000 feet, turn grader around.

b. Correct Gear Ranges for Grader Operation. See table 13-7.

Table 13-7. Correct Gear Ranges Used in Grader Operation

| Operation | Gear |
|-------------------|------------|
| Maintenance..... | 2d & 3d |
| Spreading..... | 3d & 4th |
| Mixing..... | 4th to 6th |
| Ditching..... | 1st to 2d |
| Bank sloping..... | 1st |
| Snow removal..... | 5th to 6th |
| Finishing..... | 2d to 4th |

c. Steps in Hosty Road Construction.

(1) *Marking cut.* Place right front wheel in line with ditch stoker. Set mold board at outside of right front wheel. Make 3- to 4-inch deep cut along ditch stakes.

(2) *Ditching cut.* Place right front wheel in marking cut. Adjust mold board so leading edge is in line with and behind right front wheel. Make cuts as deep as possible and make as many cuts as needed to give proper ditch depth.

(3) *Moving windrow.* Angle mold board and move windrow, obtained from ditch cut, to center of road.

(4) *Level windrow.* Level windrow to make road surface and crown.

(5) *Slope.* Slope banks to prevent erosion.

(6) *Police.* Clean and clear ditches.

d. *Production Capabilities of Graders.* See table 13-8.

e. *Efficiency Factor for Graders.* For general grader production estimation, assume a 60-percent efficiency factor.

13-7. COMPACTION EQUIPMENT

a. *Sheepsfoot Roller.*

(1) The depth of loose lift should not exceed 9 inches when a bond is desired between two lifts of material.

(2) Overlap should be by at least 1 foot.

(3) If the feet of the sheepsfoot roller do not walk themselves out of material, this is an indication that the roller is exceeding the shear stress of the soil and the weight of the roller must be reduced.

b. *13-Wheel, Pneumatic-Tired Roller.*

(1) Compaction is obtained with loads of not more than 7 tons.

(2) Compaction lifts should not exceed 6 inches.

Table 13-8. Production Capacities of the Grader

| Operation | Rate per hour | Unit | Conditions |
|------------------------|---------------|-------|--|
| Ditching | 250 | cu yd | "V" ditching, easy digging |
| | 150 | cu yd | "V" ditching, medium digging |
| | 85 | cu yd | "V" ditching, hard digging |
| Grading | .2 | mile | Digging side ditches and shaping crown, 4 round trips required |
| Subgrade preparation | 400 | sq yd | Scarify and shape |
| Base course production | 200 | cu yd | Spread material |
| | 450 | cu yd | Shaping surface |
| Surface treatment | 150 | sq yd | Mixing in place 2-in bituminous material |

(3) The 13-wheel roller is best in granular type soils.

(4) The 13-wheel roller is good for finishing asphalt.

c. 50-Ton, Pneumatic-Tired Roller.

(1) The 50-ton roller will compact down to 18 inches with two passes.

(2) Compaction of material depends on unit pressure of tires and wheel load.

d. Steel Wheel Roller, 3-Wheel, 10-Ton.

(1) The 3-wheel, 10-Ton roller will compact up to a 12-inch lift of material.

(2) Passes of roller must overlap at least 50 percent.

(3) The 3-wheel, 10-ton roller can be used to compact base course material.

e. 9-14 Ton Roller. The 9-14 ton roller is used only as a finish roller on materials such as asphalt.

13-8. EARTH LIFTING EQUIPMENT

a. Shovel-Dipper Capacity in Cubic Yards. See table 13-9.

Table 13-9. Shovel Dipper Copacity in Cu Yds

| Class of Material | $\frac{3}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | 1 | $1\frac{1}{4}$ | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | $1\frac{3}{4}$ | 2 | $2\frac{1}{4}$ |
|--------------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|
| Moist loam or light sandy clay | 3.8' 85 | 4.6' 115 | 5.3' 165 | 6.0' 205 | 6.5' 250 | 7.0' 285 | 7.4' 320 | 7.8' 355 | 8.4' 405 |
| Sand and gravel | 3.8' 80 | 4.6' 110 | 5.3' 155 | 6.0' 200 | 6.5' 230 | 7.0' 270 | 7.4' 300 | 7.8' 330 | 8.4' 390 |
| Good common earth | 4.5' 70 | 5.7' 95 | 6.8' 135 | 7.8' 175 | 8.5' 210 | 9.2' 240 | 9.7' 270 | 10.2' 300 | 11.2' 350 |
| Clay hard tough | 6.0' 50 | 7.0' 75 | 8.0' 110 | 9.0' 145 | 9.8' 180 | 10.7' 210 | 11.5' 235 | 12.2' 265 | 13.3' 310 |
| Rock well blasted | 40 | 60 | 95 | 125 | 155 | 180 | 205 | 230 | 275 |
| Common, with racks and roots | 30 | 50 | 80 | 105 | 130 | 155 | 180 | 200 | 245 |
| Clay, wet and sticky | 6.0' 25 | 7.0' 40 | 8.0' 70 | 9.0' 95 | 9.8' 120 | 10.7' 145 | 11.5' 165 | 12.2' 185 | 13.3' 230 |
| Rock, poorly blasted | 15 | 25 | 50 | 75 | 95 | 115 | 140 | 160 | 195 |

Power shovel yardages—conditions:

1. Cu yds bank measurement per 60 min. hour with no delays
2. Suitable depth of cut for maximum effect
3. All materials loaded into hauling units 90° swing

Note Top figures denote optimum depth of cut—bottom figures denote cubic yards per hour

b. Short Boom Drogline Performance. See table 13-10.

c. Scoop Loader Production. See table 13-11.

Table 13-10. Short Boom Drogline Performance in Cu Yds

| Class of Material | $\frac{1}{8}$ | $\frac{1}{4}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | 1 | $1\frac{1}{4}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | $1\frac{1}{2}$ | 2 | $2\frac{1}{2}$ |
|---------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|--------------|----------------|
| Light, moist clay or loam | 5.0' 70 | 5.5' 95 | 6.0' 130 | 6.6' 160 | 7.0' 195 | 7.4' 220 | 7.7' 245 | 8.0' 265 | 8.5' 305 |
| Sand or gravel | 5.0' 65 | 5.5' 90 | 6.0' 125 | 6.6' 155 | 7.0' 185 | 7.4' 210 | 7.7' 235 | 8.0' 255 | 8.5' 295 |
| Good common earth | 6.0' 55 | 6.7' 75 | 7.4' 105 | 8.0' 135 | 8.5' 165 | 9.0' 190 | 9.5' 210 | 9.9' 230 | 10.5' 265 |
| Clay; hard, tough | 7.3' 35 | 8.0' 55 | 8.7' 90 | 9.3' 110 | 10.0' 135 | 10.7' 160 | 11.3' 180 | 11.8' 195 | 12.3' 230 |
| Clay; wet, sticky | 7.3' 20 | 8.0' 30 | 8.7' 55 | 9.3' 75 | 10.0' 95 | 10.7' 110 | 11.3' 130 | 11.8' 145 | 12.3' 175 |

Note: Top figure denotes optimum depth of cut—bottom figure denotes cubic yards per hour (bank measure).

Table 13-11. Scoop Loader Production in Cubic Yards Per Hour Based on a 50 Minute Hour

| SAE rated bucket capacities | Cycle time in seconds | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| | 20 | 30 | 40 | 50 | 60 | 80 | 100 | 120 | 140 | 160 | 180 | 200 |
| 1 cu yd | 150 | 100 | 75 | 60 | 50 | 38 | 30 | 25 | 21 | ..... | ..... | ..... |
| $1\frac{1}{2}$ cu yd | 220 | 150 | 110 | 90 | 75 | 55 | 45 | 37 | 32 | 28 | 25 | 22 |
| $2\frac{1}{4}$ cu yd | 338 | 220 | 168 | 132 | 110 | 85 | 68 | 56 | 48 | 42 | 38 | 34 |
| $2\frac{3}{4}$ cu yd | 370 | 250 | 185 | 150 | 125 | 94 | 75 | 63 | 54 | 47 | 42 | 37 |
| $3\frac{1}{2}$ cu yd | ..... | 342 | 260 | 210 | 175 | 160 | 110 | 86 | 75 | 65 | 58 | 52 |
| 4 cu yd | ..... | 395 | 300 | 240 | 200 | 150 | 120 | 100 | 85 | 75 | 66 | 60 |

13-9. PRODUCTIVE CAPACITY OF ENGINEER EQUIPMENT

When time does not permit calculation of production of engineer equipment table 13-12 may be used.

Table 13-12. Productive Capacity of Equipment

| Equipment | Rate units per hour | Unit | Conditions |
|---|---------------------|---------------|--|
| DRAINAGE DITCHES | | | |
| Grader, motorized | 250 | Cu Yd | V-ditches, easy digging |
| | 150 | Cu Yd | V-ditches, med. hard digging |
| | 85 | Cu Yd | V-ditches, hard digging |
| Shovel or dragline, $\frac{3}{4}$ cu yd | 60 | Cu Yd | Hard digging |
| | 125 | Cu Yd | Easy digging |
| Hand tools | 5 | MH/100 ft | V-ditches, 3 ft wide, 1 foot deep, easy digging |
| | 9 | MH/100 ft | V-ditches, 3 ft wide, 1 foot deep, medium hard digging |
| Ditching machine, ladder type | 0-8 | ft per min | Operating speed depends on width (18 or 24 in), depth (0 to 99 in), and type of soil |
| Ditching machine, mobile | 0-28 | ft per min | Same as above, except 24 in wide |
| CLEARING AND GRUBBING | | | |
| Hand tools | 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ | MH/tree | 3 man blasting team, good conditions |
| | 125 | MH/acre | Light clearing |
| | 350 | MH/acre | Medium clearing |
| | 25 | MH/100 lin yd | Light clearing, 30 ft wide |
| | 70 | MH/100 lin yd | Medium clearing, 30 ft wide |
| | 1.0 | acre | Light stripping or clearing |
| Crawler tractor, 66- to 90-dbhp, with dozer | 0.25 | acre | Medium clearing |
| | 20 to 50 | trees | 4 in to 10 in diameter |
| | 3 to 12 | trees | 12 in to 30 in diameter |

¹ Manhours

Table 13-12—Continued

| Equipment | Rate units per hour | Unit | Conditions |
|--|---------------------|--------|--|
| GRADING | | | |
| Crawler tractor, 66- to 90-dbhp, with dozer | 400 | lin ft | Sidehill cut, medium-hard digging, 10° slope |
| | 190 | lin ft | Sidehill cut, medium-hard digging, 20° slope |
| | 110 | lin ft | Sidehill cut, medium-hard digging, 30° slope |
| | 120 | cu yd | Sidehill cut, medium-hard digging |
| | 90 | cu yd | Sidehill cut, hard digging |
| | 130 | cu yd | 50 ft level haul, medium hard digging |
| | 80 | cu yd | 100 ft level haul, medium hard digging |
| Shovel, power, $\frac{3}{4}$ cu yd | 45 | cu yd | Hard digging |
| | 75 | cu yd | Easy digging |
| Grader, motorized | 0.2 | mile | Digging side ditches and shaping crown, 4 round trips |
| Hand tools | 1.2 to 2.4 | cu yd | Loading loose material into truck, 1 man with shovel |
| | 1.5 | cu yd | Excavation with pick and shovel, to 5 ft, easy digging |
| EMBANKMENT | | | |
| Tractor, 70- to 90-dbhp, with angle-dozer | 300 | cu yd | Spreading material |
| Roller, sheepfoot two drum-in-line, towed by tractor, 70- to 90-dbhp | 250 | cu yd | 9 in loose layers, 8 passes |
| | 200 | cu yd | 9 in loose layers, 10 passes |
| | 150 | cu yd | 9 in loose layers, 12 passes |

Table 13-12—Continued

| Equipment | Rate units per hour | Unit | Conditions |
|---|------------------------|-------|--|
| SUBGRADE PREPARATION | | | |
| Grade, motorized | 400 | sq yd | Scarify and shape |
| Roller, sheepfoot, two drum-in-line, towed by tractor, 70- to 90-dbhp | 650 | sq yd | 6 in layers, 8 passes |
| | 540 | sq yd | 6 in layers, 10 passes |
| | 450 | sq yd | 6 in layers, 12 passes |
| Roller, rubber-tired with tractor, 30-dbhp | 3000 | sq yd | 5 mph, 5 passes |
| Roller, road, tandem, 5- to 8-ton | 1000 | sq yd | 3 mph, 5 passes |
| BASE COURSE CONSTRUCTION | | | |
| Tractor, 70- to 90- dbhp, with angle-dozer | 300 | cu yd | Spread material |
| Grader, motorized | 200 | cu yd | Spread material |
| | 450 | sq yd | Shaping surface |
| Roller, road, tandem, 5- to 8-ton | 300 | sq yd | Compacting gravel |
| Roller, road, tandem, 5- to 8-ton | 75 | cu yd | Compacting gravel |
| Roller, rubber-tired, tractor, 30-dbhp | 1500 | sq yd | Compacting gravel, 10 passes |
| SURFACE TREATMENTS AND PAVEMENT CONSTRUCTION | | | |
| Sweeper, tractor, 30-dbhp | 2500 | sq yd | Sweeping compact base |
| Distributor, trailer mounted | 2550 | sq yd | 0.1 gal per sq yd, 24-ft spray |
| Distributor, truck mounted | 1250 | sq yd | 0.2 gal per sq yd, 24-ft spray |
| | (See TM 5-3895-201-10) | | |
| Spreader, aggregate, tractor powered | 5000 | sq yd | Spread cover aggregates |
| Roller, road tandem, 5- to 8-ton | 3000 | sq yd | Rolling aggregate, 3 mph, 3 passes |
| Roller, rubber-tired tractor, 30-dbhp | 3000 | sq yd | Rolling aggregate, 5 mph, 5 passes |
| Grader, motorized | 150 | sq yd | Mixed in place, 2-in bituminous material |

Table 13-12—Continued

| Equipment | Rate units per hour | Unit | Conditions |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------|--------|--|
| AGGREGATE PRODUCTION | | | |
| Crusher, two-unit, 35 ton per hr | 15 | ton | 1-in aggregate, screened ² |
| | 20 | ton | 1½-in aggregate, screened ² |
| | 45 | ton | 2½-in aggregate, screened ² |
| Crusher, 75 tph | 60 | ton | 1½-in aggregate, screened ² |
| Crusher, 225 tph | 110 | ton | ¾-in aggregate, screened, washed ² |
| | 220 | ton | 1½-in aggregate, screened, washed ² |
| Crusher 15 tph, Airborne | 15 | ton | 1-in aggregate, crushed ² |
| | 25 | ton | 1½-in aggregate, crushed ² |
| | 38 | ton | 2-in aggregate, crushed ² |
| Compressor, 210 cfm (Reciprocating) | 210 | cfm | At sea level |
| Compressor, 250 cfm (Rotary) | 194 | cfm | 5000 ft above sea level |
| | 250 | cfm | At sea level |
| Compressor, 600 cfm (Rotary) | 250 | cfm | 5000 ft above sea level |
| | 600 | cfm | At sea level |
| Compressor, 210 cfm (Rotary) | 600 | cfm | 5000 ft above sea level |
| | 210 | cfm | At sea level |
| Drill, rock, 35-lb class | 210 | cfm | 5000 ft above sea level |
| | 20 | lin ft | 1½-in hole, max depth 8 ft. ² |
| Drill, rock, 45-lb class | 30 | lin ft | Requires 40 to 60 cfm of air |
| | | | 1½-in hole, max depth 12 ft. ² |
| Scoop leader, wheel 2' cu yd | 200 | cu yd | Requires 70 to 90 cfm of air |
| | | | Truck loading ² |

² Production may vary + or - 25 percent depending upon the toughness of the rock

CHAPTER 14

FIELD SANITATION

14-1. SANITATION FACILITIES

For details on field sanitation see FM 21-10

14-2. WASHING FACILITIES

a. Hand-washing devices should be set up near latrines and kitchens. See figure 14-1.

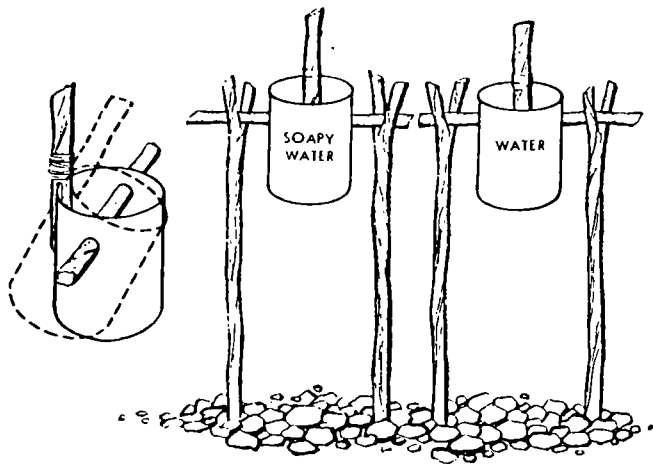


Figure 14-1. Hand-washing device, using number 10 can.

b. Showers should be set up whenever possible for personal hygiene and morale. See figure 14-2.

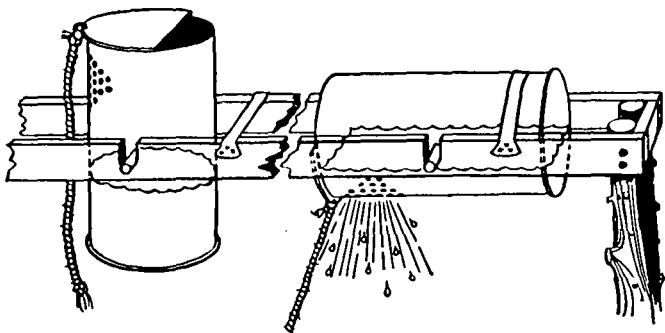


Figure 14-2. Shower unit, using metal drums.

14-3. WASTE DISPOSAL

a. Latrines.

(1) Size should be adequate to take care of at least 8 percent of the unit at once. Sixteen feet of straddle trench in four-foot sections, or two deep pit latrines with four-hole latrine boxes, is adequate for a 100-man unit.

(2) Locate at least 100 meters from kitchen, outside the cantonment area but inside the perimeter, and convenient to tents.

(3) See figures 14-3, 14-4, and 14-5.

(4) When filled to within 30-cm of ground level, or when abandoned, straddle trench latrines should be sprayed with insecticide, filled in, and mounded with a 60-cm overburden of compacted earth.

(5) Lime should be added to pit latrines daily. In closing a deep pit latrine, the level of excrement should not be closer than one meter from ground elevation.

(6) Pipe urinals should be maintained by periodically adding disinfectant to the urinal pipes and washing into the pit. Disinfectant should also be spread on the gravel around the pit area.

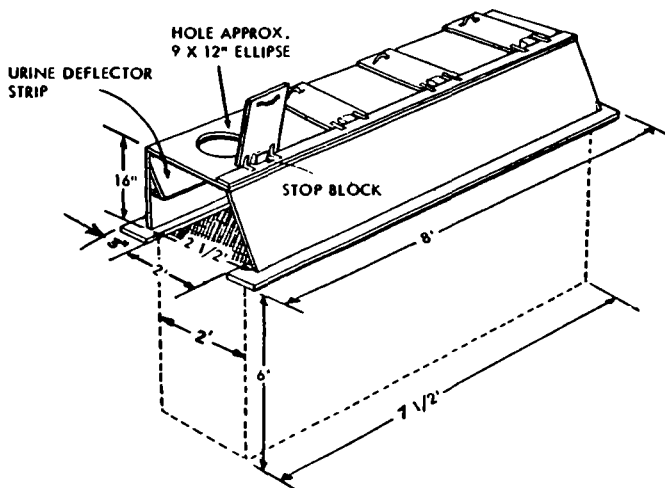


Figure 14-3. Box latrine for 50 men.

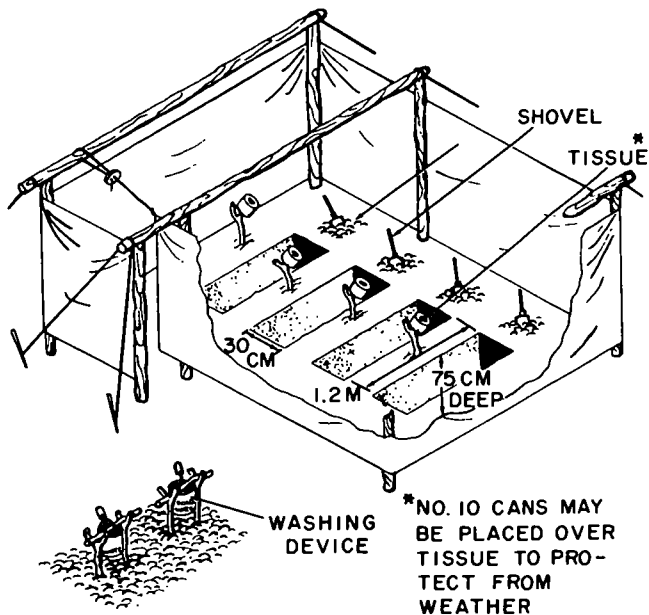


Figure 14-4. Straddle trench latrine for 100 men, with hand-washing device.

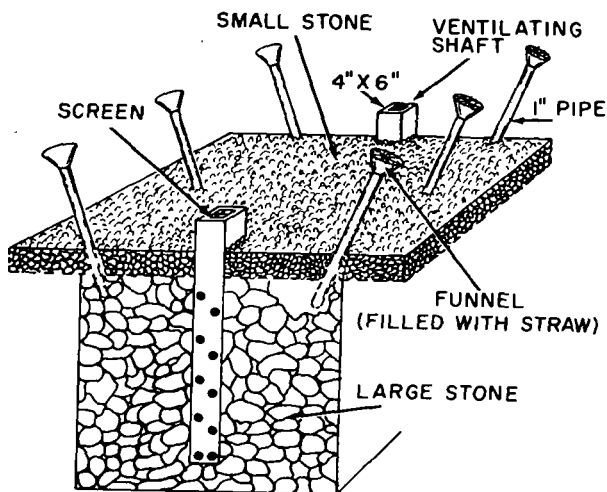


Figure 14-5. Pipe urinal arrangement.

(7) When high water tables preclude the use of pit latrines, burn-out latrines may be used. Half of a 55-gallon drum or barrel is installed under each hole in the latrine box (fig. 14-6). The drum is removed daily, fuel oil is added and the contents are burned to a dry ash. An inch of diesel fuel is added for insect control before replacing the drum in the latrine box.

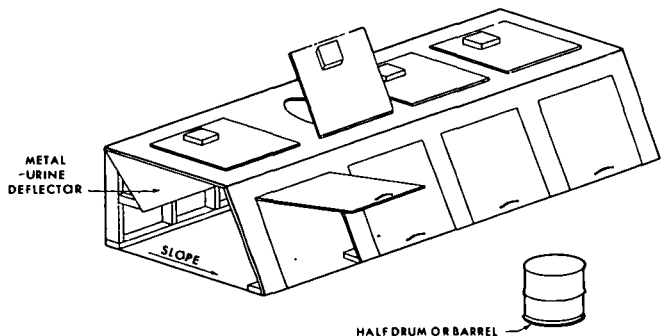


Figure 14-6. Burn-out latrine.

b. Garbage Pits.

- (1) Size should be at least 4 feet square and 4 feet deep.
- (2) Locate as far from kitchen as possible, outside camp area if practical.
- (3) When filled to within 30-cm of ground level, or when abandoned, fill pit in and mound over with 60-cm overburden of compacted earth.
- (4) Liquid kitchen wastes should never be dumped into garbage pits as this precludes effective burning out and shortens utilization for the pit.

c. Soakage Pits. Liquid kitchen wastes should be disposed of in soakage pits. These should be located in the kitchen area. The soakage pit may be constructed the same as the urinal (fig. 14-5) except that a grease trap must be provided (fig. 14-7) and drainage provided to prevent surface runoff from filling up the pit. In constructing the pit, omit pipes and have drainage from grease pipe drain into pit.

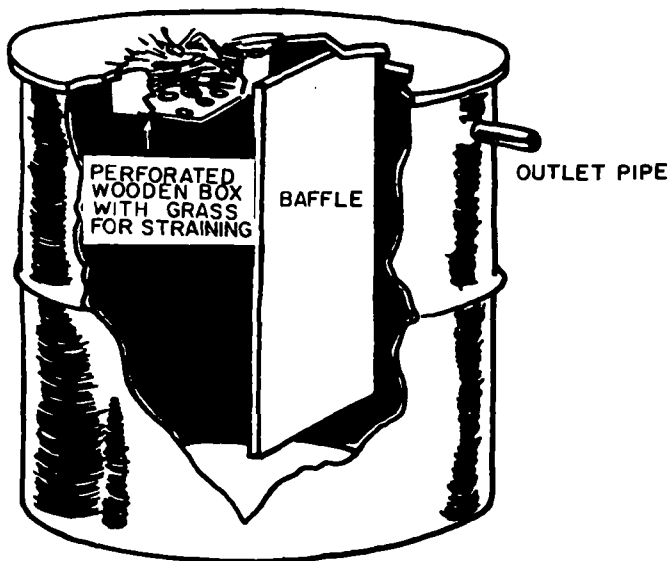


Figure 14-7. Baffle grease trap (barrel type).

CHAPTER 15

RECONNAISSANCE

15-1. ROUTE RECONNAISSANCE

a. *Definition.* Route reconnaissance is governed by the same fundamentals that apply to all reconnaissance. Usually it is made on the ground, but it should be supplemented by air reconnaissance when practicable. Route reconnaissance provides information to aid in route selection for the movement of troops, equipment, and supplies. Information sought in this type of reconnaissance includes:

- (1) Nature of terrain.
- (2) Existing roads and their characteristics, including load-bearing capabilities. See TM 5-330 for more detailed information.
- (3) Obstructions.
- (4) Bridges and other stream crossing means.
- (5) Tunnels.

b. *Mission.* Route reconnaissance must consider the mission of the parent unit. Reconnaissance factors include the weight, width, and height of the vehicles that will be used; the classification of these vehicles; the approximate number of each class to be moved per hour; and the approximate length of time the route will be used.

c. *Report.* A reconnaissance report should be accurate, concise, and clear. The preferred method of preparation is in simplified map form or overlay (fig. 15-1), using symbols (table 15-1) to show the limiting features. A route reconnaissance report is accompanied by an engineer reconnaissance report form, a road reconnaissance report and bridge, tunnel, ferry, and ford reconnaissance reports as needed. Military sketches of limiting features, local maps, and photographs of significant factors (terrain, roads, tunnels, bridges, ferries, fords, and so forth) support the route report.

Table 15-1. Overlay Symbols

SYMBOLS FOR USE IN THE RECONNAISSANCE REPORT



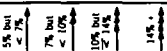
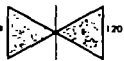

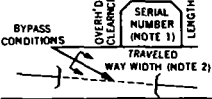
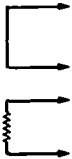
| SYMBOL | DESCRIPTION & CRITERIA |
|--|---|
|  | SHARP CURVE: (OB) Any radius less than or equal to 30 meters; however, any curve greater than 30 meters, but less than 45 meters is reportable. |
|  | SERIES OF SHARP CURVES: The figure to the left indicates the number of curves; that to the right, the minimum radius of curvature in meters. |
|  | STEEP GRADES: (OB) Any grade 7% or higher. Actual % of grade will be shown. Arrows always point uphill and length of arrow represents length of grade if map scale permits. |
|  | CONSTRICTION: (OB) Any reduction in the traveled way below the standards of TABLE 15-2. The figure to the left indicates the width of the constriction; that to the right, the total constricted length, both in meters. |
|  | UNDERPASSES: Show shape of structure (OB) when overhead clearance is less than 4.30M; or when the traveled way is below the standards of TABLE 15-3. See FIG 15-13, NOTE 4. |
|  | TUNNEL: (Includes manmade snow sheds). Show shape of structure (OB) when overhead clearance is less than 4.30M; or when the traveled way is below the standards of TABLE 15-3. See FIG 15-13, NOTE 4. |
|  | BYPASSES are local alternate routes which enable traffic to avoid an obstruction. Bypasses are classified as EASY, DIFFICULT, or IMPOSSIBLE. Each type of pass is represented symbolically on the line extending from the symbol to the map location and defined as follows: BYPASS EASY: The obstacle can be crossed within the immediate vicinity by a US 2.5 ton truck (or NATO equivalent) without work to improve the bypass. BYPASS DIFFICULT: The obstacle can be crossed within the immediate vicinity, but some work will be necessary to prepare the bypass. |

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

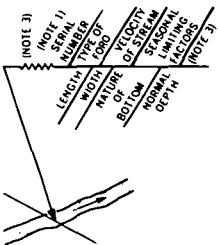
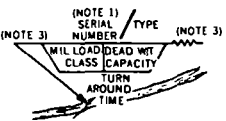
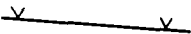
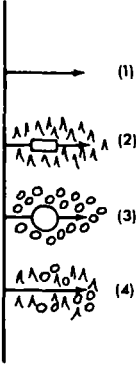
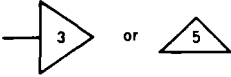
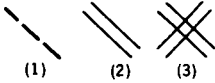
| SYMBOL | DESCRIPTION & CRITERIA |
|--|---|
|  | <p>BYPASS IMPOSSIBLE The obstacle can only be crossed by one of the following methods:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) Repair of item; i.e., bridge (2) New construction (3) Detour using an alternate route which crosses the obstacle some distance away. |
|  | <p>RAILROAD (RR) LEVEL GRADE CROSSING Passing trains will interrupt traffic flow. The figure indicates overhead clearance.</p> |
|  | <p>FORD All fords are considered as obstructions (OB) to traffic. Trafficability conditions shown in TABLE 15-5.</p> <p>Type of Ford V—Vehicles P—Pedestrian</p> <p>Seasonal Limiting Factors X—No seasonal limitation except for limited duration sudden flooding Y—Significant seasonal limitations</p> <p>Approach Conditions ~~~~~ ——— Difficult Easy</p> <p>Nature of bottom: M—Mud C—Clay S—Sand G—Gravel R—Rock P—Artificial Paving</p> |
|  | <p>FERRY All ferries are considered as obstructions (OB) to traffic.</p> <p>Approach Conditions ~~~~~ ——— Difficult Easy</p> <p>Type of ferry V—Vehicular Ferry P—Pedestrian Ferry</p> |
|  | <p>LIMITS OF SECTOR Limits of reconnoitered sector or of route having the same road classification formula</p> |

Table 15-1—Continued

| SYMBOL | DESCRIPTION & CRITERIA |
|--|---|
| <p>(495)</p> | <p>ROUTE DESIGNATION Civil or Military Route Designation Written in parentheses along route</p> |
|  | <p>OFF-ROUTE MOVEMENT (TURN OFFS) & CONCEALMENT (arrows point to left or right of road where turn off exists):</p> <p>(1) Possible turn off.</p> <p>(2) Tracked vehicle turn off with coniferous concealment.</p> <p>(3) Wheeled vehicle turn off with deciduous concealment.</p> <p>(4) Possible turn off in mixed concealment.</p> |
|  | <p>CRITICAL POINTS: are used as numbered keys to describe in detail on attached reconnaissance forms or documents, those features that cannot be adequately covered by other reconnaissance symbols on the overlay</p> |
|  | <p>OBSTACLES (road blocks, craters, blown bridges, landslides, etc.):</p> <p>1 Proposed obstacle 2 Prepared but passable obstacle 3 Completed obstacle</p> |
| <p>?</p> | <p>UNKNOWN OR DOUBTFUL INFORMATION: Used in all symbols where information is not known or doubtful</p> |

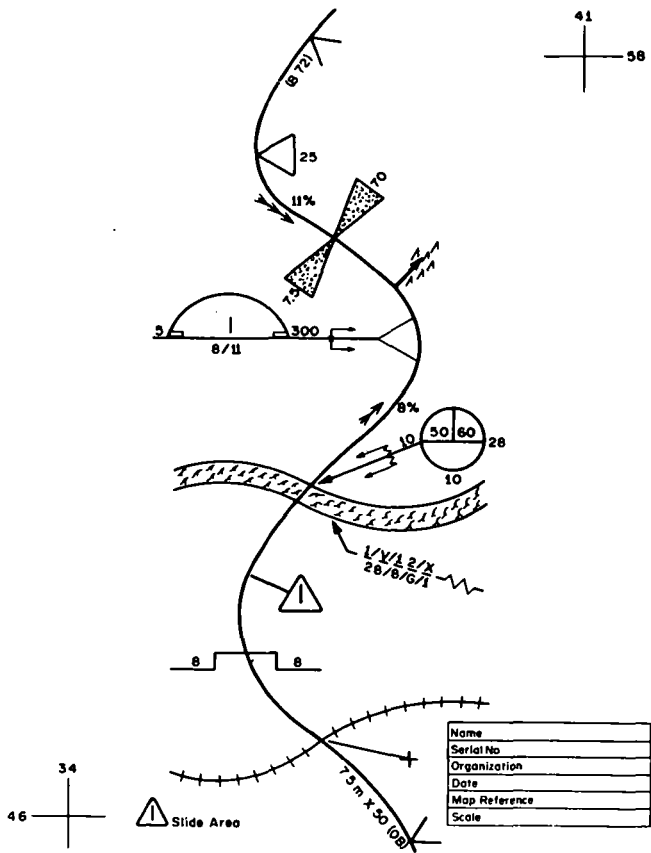


Figure 15-1. Example of a route reconnaissance overlay.

d. *Overlay*. Important features to be included on an overlay are shown below. The first five items are required:

- (1) Two grid references.
- (2) Magnetic north arrow.
- (3) Route drawn to scale.
- (4) Title block.
- (5) Route classification formula.
- (6) Length (in kilometers) between well marked points.
- (7) Curves having radii of less than 45 meters or 150 feet.
- (8) Steep grades, with their maximum gradients in percent, and length of any grade of 5 percent or greater
- (9) Road width of constrictions (bridges, tunnels and so forth), with the widths and lengths of the traveled ways in meters.
- (10) Underpass limitations, with their limiting heights and widths in meters.
- (11) Bridge bypasses, classified as easy, difficult, or impossible (para. 15-1c).
- (12) Civil or military road numbers, or other designations.
- (13) Feasibility of driving off roads, including shoulders.
- (14) Locations of fords, ferries, and tunnels including limiting information.
- (15) When causeways, snowsheds, and galleries constitute an obstruction to traffic they should be included in the route reconnaissance report. Limit the data to clearances and load-carrying capacity. If possible, support the information with photographs or sketches of each structure. Also, include enough descriptive information to permit on evaluation concerning the strengthening or removal of these structures.

e. *Route Classification Formula*. It is a standardized sequence of traveled way width, route type, lowest military load classification, obstructions if present, and special conditions if present. The route classification formula is required for the map overlay (fig. 15-1).

(1) *Width*. Narrowest width of the route expressed in meters or feet.

(2) *Route type*. Determined by worst section of the route.

(a) (X) *All-weather*. Any road which, with reasonable maintenance, is passable throughout the year to a volume of traffic never appreciably less than its maximum capacity. This type of road has a waterproof surface and is only slightly affected by rain, frost, thaw, or heat. At no time is it closed to traffic due to weather effects other than snow blockage. The following are examples of this category: concrete; bituminous; brick or stone.

(b) (Y) *Limited all-weather*. Any road which, with reasonable maintenance, can be kept open in bad weather to a volume of traffic which is considerably less than its normal capacity. This type of road does not have a waterproof surface and is considerably affected by rain, frost, or thaw. The following are examples of this category: crushed rock or waterbound macadam; gravel or lightly metalled surface.

(c) (Z) *Fair weather*. A road which becomes quickly impassable in bad weather and which cannot be kept open by normal maintenance. This type of road is seriously affected by rain, frost, or thaw. The following are examples of this type: natural or stabilized soil; sand or clay; shell, cinders; disintegrated granite.

(3) *Military route classification*. Normally it is the lowest bridge load classification number of the route. If no bridges occur, the worst section of the route governs.

(4) *Obstructions (OB)*. Any factors which restrict the type, amount, or speed of traffic flow, e.g., overhead clearances, traveled way widths, steep gradients, sharp curves, ferries, and fords may cause obstructions, denoted by (OB) in the route classification formula. Consult tables 15-1 and 15-2 for limiting values.

(5) *Special conditions*. Snow blockage (T) and flooding (W) are used when the condition is regular, recurrent, and serious.

Examples:

6.7 m Y 30. Route is 6.7 meters wide, limited all-weather route with a load carrying capacity of class 30 with no obstructions.

21 ft 10(OB)(W). Route is 21 feet wide, fair weather route with load carrying capacity of class 10. Obstructions do exist, and route is subject to flooding.

15-2. ROAD RECONNAISSANCE

Road reconnaissance is performed to get information on road classification, primarily in support of selecting a route, and to report changes to existing maps for dissemination in the theater of operations. Its purpose is to find out the quantity and kind of loads that a road can accommodate in its present condition. It may also include estimates of the effort necessary to improve and/or maintain a road subjected to specific traffic for a definite period of time. An example of a road reconnaissance report (DA Form 1248) is shown in figures 15-2 and 15-3.

Table 15-2. Critical Dimensions for Route Classification

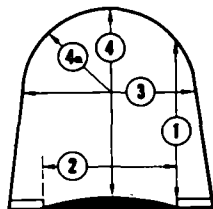
**— MINIMUM OVERHEAD
CLEARANCES FOR BRIDGES**

| Bridge classification | Minimum overhead clearance |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| Up to 70 | 4.30 meters (14 ft-0 in) |
| Above 70 | 4.70 meters (15 ft-6 in) |

Measuring width of roadway and horizontal and vertical clearances for tunnels underpasses, and through truss bridges

**— MINIMUM ROUTE
WIDTHS FOR BRIDGES**

| Bridge classification | Minimum width between curbs | |
|-----------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------|
| | One lane (meters) | Two lane (meters) |
| 4-12 | 2.75 (9'-0") | 5.50 (18'-0") |
| 13-30 | 3.35 (11'-0") | 5.50 (18'-0") |
| 31-60 | 4.00 (13'-2") | 7.30 (24'-0") |
| 61-100 | 4.50 (14'-9") | 8.20 (27'-0") |



- 1 Minimum overhead clearance measured vertically from edge of traveled way
- 2 Effective width of the traveled way, curb-to-curb
- 3 Horizontal clearance, is the minimum width measured at least four feet above the traveled way
- 4 Maximum overhead clearance, is the minimum distance between the top of the traveled way and the lower edge of the overhead, or any obstruction below the overhead, such as trolley wires or electric light wires
- 4a Rise of arch (radius of curved portion)

— ROUTE WIDTHS

| Traffic flow possibilities | Widths for wheeled vehicles | Widths for tracked vehicles |
|----------------------------|---|---|
| Single flow | 5.50 meters to 7 meters (18 ft to 23 ft) | 6 meters to 8 meters (19½ ft to 26 ft) |
| Double flow | Over 7 meters (23 ft) | Over 8 meters (26 ft) |

| ROAD RECONNAISSANCE REPORT (FM 5-36) | | | | DATE 25 JUN 68 | |
|---|---|--|---|--|--|
| TO: (Headquarters ordering reconnaissance) 21 ST ENGR BN, ATTN: S2 | | | FROM: (Name, grade and unit of officer or NCO making reconnaissance) L. H. DICKER CoA, 21 ST ENGR BN CAPT CE | | |
| 1. NAME VIRGINIA, ALLANDALE | 2. COUNTRY | 3. SCALE 1:25,000 | 4. SHEET NUMBER OF MAP U.S. SHEET 5561 I.S.W. AHS V834 | 5. DATE/TIME GROUP (If signature, specify) 101230Z JUN 68 | |
| SECTION I - GENERAL ROAD INFORMATION | | | | | |
| 6. ROAD GRID REFERENCE FROM 105155 TO 119169 | | 7. ROAD MARKING (Civilian or Military number of road) FAIRFAX Co. #644 | | 8. LENGTH OF ROAD (Meter or kilometers, specify) 6.7 MILES | |
| 9. WIDTH OF ROADWAY (Feet or meters, specify) 14-20 FEET | | 10. WEATHER DURING RECONNAISSANCE (Include last month, if known) COOL, DRY, 61°F LAST RAIN ABOUT 10 JUN 68 | | | |
| 11. SECONDANCE DATE 10 MAR 65 TIME 0800-1200 | | | | | |
| SECTION II - DETAILED ROAD INFORMATION (When circumstances permit more detailed information will be shown in an overlay or on the mileage chart on the reverse side of this form. Standard symbols will be used.) | | | | | |
| 12. ALIEN MEET (Check one ONLY) | | | 13. DRAINAGE (Check one ONLY) | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (1) FLAT SPADIENTS AND SHARP CURVES <input type="checkbox"/> (2) STEEP SPADIENTS (Steeper than 7 in 100) <input type="checkbox"/> (3) SHARP CURVES (Radius less than 100 ft (30m)) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (4) MILEEEN SPADIENTS AND SHARP CURVES | | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (1) ADEQUATE DITCHES, CROWN/CAMBER WITH ADEQUATE CULVERTS IN GOOD CONDITION <input type="checkbox"/> (2) INADEQUATE DITCHES, CROWN/CAMBER OR CULVERTS. ITS CULVERTS OR DITCHES ARE BLOCKED OR OTHERWISE IN POOR CONDITION | | |
| 14. FOUEDATION (Check one ONLY) | | | | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (1) STABILIZED COMPACT MATERIAL OF GOOD QUALITY <input type="checkbox"/> (2) UNSTABLE, LOOSE OR EASILY DISPLACED MATERIAL | | | | | |
| 15. SURFACE DESCRIPTION (Complete items 15a and 15b) | | | | | |
| 15a. THE SURFACE IS (Check one ONLY) | | | | | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (1) FREE OF POTHOLES, BUMPS, OR PUTS LIKELY TO REDUCE CONVDY SPEED <input type="checkbox"/> (2) POTHOLES, BUMPS, OR PUTS LIKELY TO REDUCE CONVDY SPEED | | | <input type="checkbox"/> (3) SUMPY, PUTTED OR POTHOLED TO AN EXTENT LIKELY TO REDUCE CONVDY SPEED | | |
| 15b. TYPE OF SURFACE (Check one ONLY) | | | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> (1) CONCRETE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (2) BITUMINOUS (Specify type where known) <input type="checkbox"/> (3) GRIP (Firm) <input type="checkbox"/> (4) STONE (Firm) <input type="checkbox"/> (5) CRUSHED PAVEMENT OR CORAL | | | <input type="checkbox"/> (6) WATERED AND MACADAM <input type="checkbox"/> (7) GRAVEL <input type="checkbox"/> (8) LIGHTLY METALLOID <input type="checkbox"/> (9) NATURAL OR STABILIZED SOIL, SAND, CLAY, SHELL, CHINDERS, DISINTEGRATED GRANITE, OR OTHER SELECTED MATERIAL <input type="checkbox"/> (10) OTHER (Describe): | | |
| SECTION III - OBSTRUCTIONS (List in the column below particular of the following obstructions which affect the traffic capacity of a road. If information of any factor cannot be ascertained, insert "NOT KNOWN") | | | | | |
| (a) Obstructed obstructions, less than 14 feet or 4.25 meters, such as tunnels, bridges, overhead wires and overhanging buildings. (b) Obstructions in road within which limit the traffic capacity, such as narrow, narrow bridges, underpasses, and buildings. (c) Excessive gradients (Steeper than 7 in 100) (d) Curves less than 100 feet (30 meters) in radius | | | | | |
| SERIAL NUMBER | PARTICULARS | GRID REFERENCE | REMARKS | | |
| 1 | STEEP GRADE - 8% UP EASTWARD .02 MILE LONG | 108158 | | | |
| 2 | SERIES OF SHARP CURVES | 109160 TO 110161 | | | |
| 3 | STEEP GRADE - 7% DOWN EASTWARD | 112165 | | | |

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For use of this form, see FM 5-36; the proponent agency is the United States Army Combat Development Command

Figure 15-2. Road reconnaissance report (front).

| SECTION IV - MILEAGE CHART | | | |
|---|------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------|
| ROUTE | | SCALE | DATE |
| FROM <i>UT 105155</i> | TO <i>UT 119169</i> | 1 UNIT = $\frac{1}{2}$ MILE | <i>30 JUN 65</i> |
| ROAD INFORMATION | DISTANCE | ROAD INFORMATION | |
| <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> MILES KILOMETERS </div> | | | |
| | | | |
| <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 45%;"> <p><i>Beg 55 1/6.7 m Kb</i></p> <p><i>Beg 4 8/58 m Kb</i></p> <p><i>A 1 3/55 m Kb</i></p> </div> <div style="width: 50%;"> <p><i>6.70</i> ——— <i>MAIN ST, GARLAND</i></p> <p><i>3.55</i> ——— <i>OVERPASS 350 JUNCTION ROUTE 617</i></p> <p><i>2.95 MILES BRIDGE 5.5 M ROADWAY (ACCOITINK)</i></p> <p><i>0.70</i> ——— <i>JUNCTION ROUTE 638</i></p> <p><i>FARMER PARK</i></p> </div> </div> | | | |
| REMARKS <i>NONE</i> | | | |
| (DA FORM 1248) 1 JUL 60 | | | |

Figure 15-3. Road reconnaissance report (back).

a. Information required—

- (1) Local name of road and/or designation.
- (2) Location of road by map grid reference.
- (3) Obstructions, which include, among other items, underpasses, fords, large tree limbs, crosters, projecting buildings, areas subject to inundation, and so forth.
- (4) Bridge locations. (Bridge reconnaissance is outlined in para 15-13.)
- (5) Tunnel locations, together with their lengths, widths, and heights. (Tunnel reconnaissance is described in para 15-5 and table 15-1.)
- (6) Snowshed locations and estimated coverage.
- (7) Gallery locations, together with their lengths, widths, and heights.
- (8) Other requirements are listed in paragraph 15-1c.

b. *Road Classification Formula.* The road classification formula is expressed in a standardized sequence of a prefix, limiting characteristics at present, width of the traveled way/combined width of the traveled way and the shoulders, road surface material, length if desired, obstructions if present, and special conditions if present.

(1) *Prefix.* The formula is prefixed by the letter "A" if there are no limiting characteristics. The letter "B" is the prefix if there are any limiting characteristics.

| (2) <i>Limiting characteristics.</i> | <i>Symbol</i> |
|---|---------------|
| Curves (radius less than 30m)..... | c |
| Gradients (7% or more)..... | g |
| Drainage (inadequate)..... | d |
| Foundation (unstable)..... | f |
| Surface Condition (rough)..... | s |
| Camber or superelevation (excessive)..... | i |

An unknown or undetermined characteristic is represented by a question mark following the symbol of the feature to which it refers, e.g., (d?).

(3) *Width.* Width of the traveled way is expressed in meters followed by a slash and the combined width of the traveled way and the shoulders, e.g., 14/16.

(4) *Road surface material.* Road surface material is expressed by a letter symbol as follows:

| Symbol | Material |
|--------|--|
| k | Concrete |
| kb | Bituminous or asphaltic concrete (bituminous plant mix). |
| nb | Bituminous surface treatment on natural earth, stabilized soil, sand-clay or other select material. |
| b | Used when type of bituminous construction cannot be determined. |
| pb | Bituminous surface on paving brick or stone |
| rb | Bitumen-penetrated macadam water-bound macadam with superficial asphalt or tar cover. |
| p | Paving brick or stone |
| r | Waterbound macadam, crushed rock, or coral |
| l | Gravel or lightly metaled surface |
| n | Natural earth, stabilized soil, sand-clay, shell cinders, disintegrated granite, or other select material. |
| v | Various other types not mentioned above (indicate length when this symbol is used). |

(5) *Length.* Length of road in km may or may not be shown. If shown place in parentheses, e.g., (7.2 km).

(6) *Obstructions.* Expressed as (OB) when existing on road, e.g., overhead clearances less than 4.30 m, reduction in the traveled way widths below the standards of (table 15-2), gradients of 7 percent or greater, and curves with a radii less than 30 m (100 ft).

(7) *Special conditions.* Snow blockage (T) and flooding (W) are used when the condition is regular, recurrent, and serious.

Examples:

A 5.4/6.2 k: Road has no limiting characteristics with 5.4 m traveled way, combined width of 6.2 m traveled way and shoulder, and a concrete surface.

Bcgs 14/16 (2.4 km)(OB): Road has limiting characteristics of sharp curves, steep grades, and a rough surface condition; 4.3 m of clear traveled way, 4.9 m combined with shoulders; a graveled or lightly metaled surface, 2.4 km length; obstructions are present-

Bcgd (f?)s 3.2/4.B nb (4.3 km) (OB)(T): Road has limiting characteristics of sharp curves, steep grades, bad drainage, unknown foundation condition, and rough surface; 3.2 m wide

troveled way, 4.8 m wide with shoulder; o bituminous surface treatment; 4.3 km long, ond it contains obstructions. The rood is subject to snow blockage.

c. Measuring Rodii of Curves.

(1) A method of determining the radius of o curve is based on the formulo —

$$R = \frac{c^2}{8m} + \frac{m}{2} \text{ (fig. 15-4)}$$

Where:

c = length of cord

m = perpendicular distance from center of cord to centerline (℄) of rood

R = radius of circle

By fixing m ot ony convenient distance, such os 2 meters, the formulo becomes —

$$R = \frac{c^2}{16} + 1$$

Note: Convert R , c , and m to like units, either feet or meters, before moking computations.

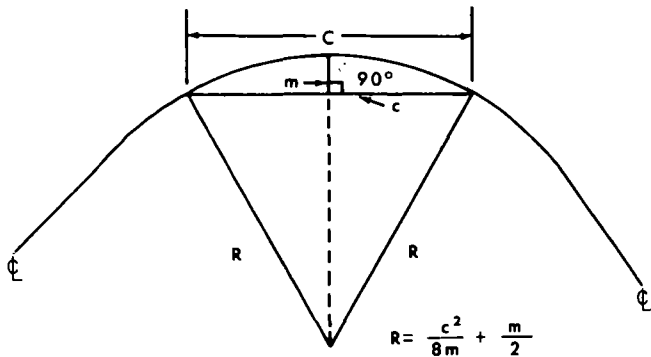
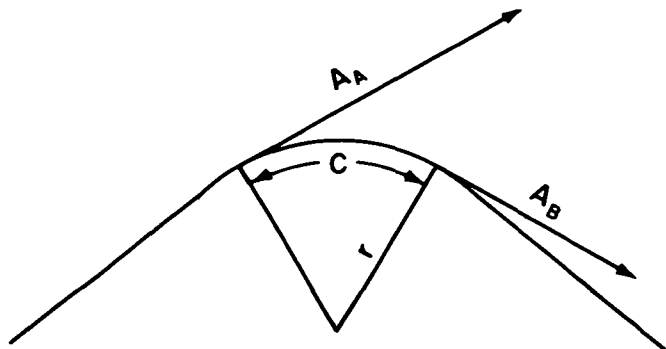


Figure 15-4. Measuring the radius of a curve.

In applying the formula, m is measured from the centerline of the curve toward the estimated center of the circle and then c is measured perpendicularly to m , making sure that c is centered on m . If c is measured at 16 meters, $R = 17$ meters.

(2) Figure 15-5 shows an alternate method effective when the chord is impossible to measure due to brush, minefields, or similar obstacles. A compass azimuth is taken at two points along the curve and the centerline distance (between the two points) of the curve paced or measured directly.



A_A = AZIMUTH A

A_B = AZIMUTH B

C = DISTANCE ALONG \hat{C} OF ROAD

r = RADIUS OF CURVE

Figure 15-5. Alternate method for measuring a curve.

(a) If A_B is larger than A_A :

$$\gamma = \frac{57c}{A_B - A_A} \quad (\gamma \text{ is in the units of } c)$$

(b) If A_A is larger than A_B :

$$\gamma = \frac{57c}{360 + A_B - A_A} \quad (\gamma \text{ is in the units of } c)$$

(3) Method a above is more accurate than method b. Both have their advantages.

d. Determining road gradient—

$$\frac{\text{Vertical distance}}{\text{Horizontal distance}} \times 100 = \% \text{ of slope}$$

(or a clinometer may be used).

15-3. FIXED BRIDGE RECONNAISSANCE

The limiting features of bridges are of basic importance to the selection of a route for normal troop movements. See tables 15-3 and 15-4.

a. Bridge reconnaissance has two methods.

(1) Hasty reconnaissance determines immediate trafficability.

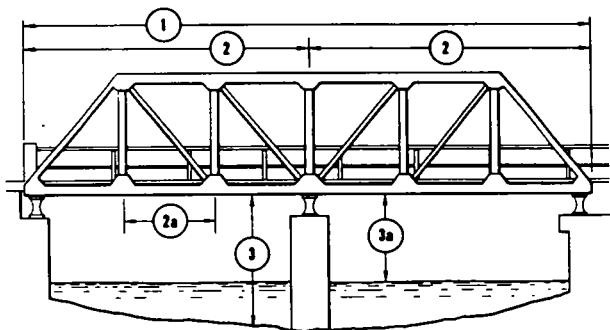
(2) Deliberate reconnaissance is done when there is enough time and qualified personnel to make a thorough analysis and classification of the bridge, including necessary repairs or demolition procedures.

b. Bridge symbols include the location of the bridge, the arbitrarily assigned bridge number, the military local classification number, the overall length of the bridge, the roadway width, the vertical clearance, the bridge bypasses, horizontal clearance, under-bridge clearance, number of spans, type of span construction, type of span construction material, and length and condition of spans (fig. 15-6). Information should be obtained to complete the Bridge Reconnaissance Report Form (DA Form 1249), figures 15-7 and 15-8. Consult chapter 7 to determine military bridge classification.

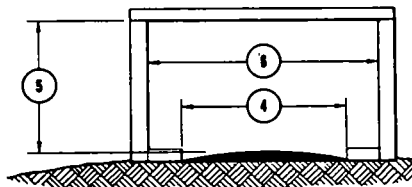
Table 15-3. General Dimension Data Required for Each of The Seven Basic Types of Bridges

| Number on figure | Dimension data | Basic type of bridge | | | | | | |
|------------------|---|----------------------|----------|----------|-------|----------|----------|------------|
| | | Simple stringer | Slab | T-beam | Truss | Girder | Arch | Suspension |
| 1 | Overall length | X | X | X | X | X | X | X |
| 2 | Number of spans | X | X | X | X | X | X | X |
| 2 | Length of spans | X | X | X | X | X | X | X |
| 2a | Panel length | --- | --- | --- | X | --- | --- | X |
| 3 | Height above streambed | X | X | X | X | X | X | X |
| 3a | Height above estimated normal water level | X | X | X | X | X | X | X |
| 4 | Travelad way width | X | X | X | X | X | X | X |
| 5 | Overhead clearance | ∞ | ∞ | ∞ | X | ∞ | ∞ | X |
| 6 | Horizontal clearance | X | X | X | X | X | X | X |

Note: The letter "X" indicates the dimension is required



SIDE VIEW



END SECTION

Table 15-4. Capacity Dimension Data Required for Each of The Seven Basic Types of Bridges

| Capacity (1) dimension data | Basic types of bridge | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|-----------------------|-----|--------|---------|------|------|--------|-------|--------|------|------------|
| | Simple stringers | | | | | Slab | T-beam | Truss | Girder | Arch | Suspension |
| | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Thickness of wearing surface . . . | x | | | | | | | | | | |
| Thickness of flooring, deck, or depth of fill at crown | x | | | | | x | x | x | x | x | x |
| | Timber | | Steel | | | | | | | | |
| | Rec-tang. | Log | I-beam | Channel | Rail | | | | | | |
| Distance, c-to-c, between T-beams, stringers, or floor beams . . . | x | x | x | x | x | ... | x | x | x | x | x |
| No. of T-beams or stringers . . . | x | x | x | x | x | ... | x | x | x | x | x |
| Depth of each T-beam or stringer . . . | x | (2) | x | x | x | ... | x | x | x | x | x |
| Width of each T-beam or stringer . . . | x | | (3) | (3) | (3) | ... | x | x | x | x | x |
| Thickness of web of I-beams, WF-beams, channels, or rails . . . | ... | ... | x | x | x | ... | ... | x | x | ... | x |
| Sag of cable . . . | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | x |
| No. of each size of cable . . . | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | x |
| Thickness of arch ring . . . | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | x | ... |
| Rise of arch . . . | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | x | ... |
| Diameter of each size of cable . . . | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | x |
| Depth of plate girder . . . | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | x | ... | ... |
| Width of flange plates . . . | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | x | ... | ... |
| Thickness of flange plates . . . | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | x | ... | ... |
| No. of flange plates . . . | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | x | ... | ... |
| Depth of flange angle . . . | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | x | ... | ... |
| Width of flange angle . . . | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | x | ... | ... |
| Thickness of flange angle . . . | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | x | ... | ... |
| Depth of web plate . . . | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | x | ... | ... |
| Thickness of web plate . . . | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | x | ... | ... |
| Average thickness of flange . . . | ... | ... | x | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... |

Note. "x" indicates required dimension.

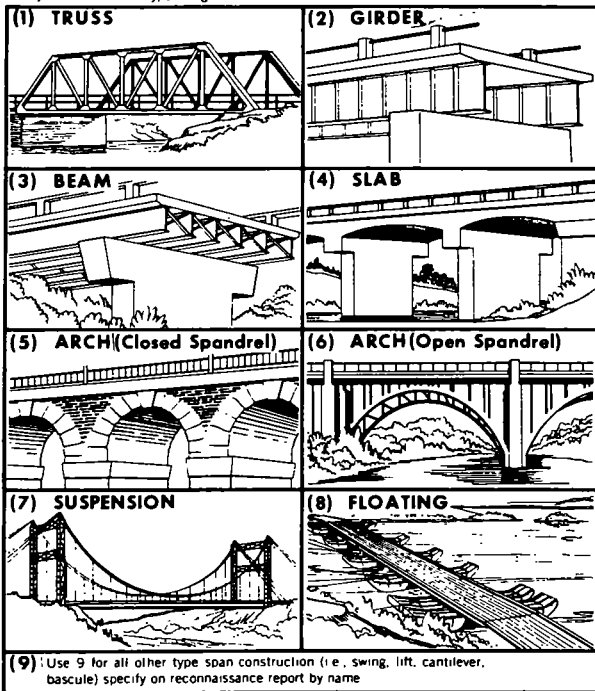
1 Capacity is computed by the use of formulas and data in bridge manuals.

2 Diameter.

3 Width of flange.

Symbolized on Bridge Reconnaissance Report (DA Form 1249) by Number (Type of Construction) and Letter (Material of Construction)

Example: 3 ak = Beam type bridge constructed of reinforced concrete



Material Used in Span Construction

Steel or other metal a
 Concrete k
 Reinforced Concrete ak
 Pre-stressed Concrete kk
 Stone or Brick p
 Wood n

- (1) Spans which are not useable because of damage are symbolized by "x" placed after the dimension of span length
- (2) Spans which are over water are indicated by placing the symbol "W" also after the dimension of the span length

Figure 15-6. Common types of span construction.

| BRIDGE RECONNAISSANCE REPORT | | | | | | | | | | DATE | SIGNATURE | | | |
|---|-----------|---------------|-------------|--------|-------------------|-------------------|----------|--|------------------------------|---|----------------------|--------------------|----------------|---------|
| TO: (For distribution with map reconnaissance) | | | | | | | | | | 10 JUN 65 | W B Atkinson 2/LT CE | | | |
| FROM: (Name, grade, and unit of officer or NCO making reconnaissance) | | | | | | | | | | WD ATKINSON 2/LT CE C&M, 21 st ENGR BN | | | | |
| MAPS (Country, state and sheet number or name) | | | | | | | | | | DISTRICT GROUP (Of signature) | | | | |
| VIRGINIA ALLANPALE 1:85000 SHEET 5561 | | | | | | | | | | 101530Z | | | | |
| ESSENTIAL BRIDGE INFORMATION | | | | | | | | ADDITIONAL BRIDGE INFORMATION (not values as needed) | | | | | | |
| SERIAL NO | LOCATION | CLEARANCE | | | SPANS | | | LENGTH AND CONDITION | Military Load Classification | Overall Length | Trough Width | Overpass Clearance | BRIDGE BY-PASS | REMARKS |
| | | Height Over-L | Under-Width | Number | Type of Structure | Span of Structure | Material | | | | | | | |
| 1 | LA 072687 | 5.5M | 2M | 1 | 3 | K | 47M | 30 | 42M | 35M | 00 | EASY | NONE | |
| 2 | LA 118759 | 9.5M | 6.5M | 1 | 4 | K | 4M | 40 50 ↑ ↑ | 24M | 7.5M | 4M | DIFFICULT | NONE | |
| | | | | 1 | 1 | A | 16M | | | | | | | |
| | | | | 1 | 4 | K | 4M | | | | | | | |
| 3 | LA 165630 | 14.2M | 2.3M | 5 | 3 | A | 25M | 80 60 ↓ ↓ | 12.5M | 12M | 00 | IMPOSSIBLE | NONE | |
| 4 | LA 156645 | 10.5M | 8.5M | 3 | 6 | K | 10M | 80 60 40 ↑ ↓ ↓ | 108M | 10M | 10.5M | IMPOSSIBLE | NONE | |
| | | | | 2 | 2 | A | 20M | | | | | | | |
| | | | | 3 | 6 | K | 10M | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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Figure 15-7. Bridge reconnaissance report form (front).

| SIDE ELEVATION | | SCALE | SKETCHES | |
|---|--|------------------------------|----------|---|
| | | None | | |
| <p>CROSS-SECTION OF CRITICAL SPAN</p> | | <p>SCALE</p> None | | <p>SITE PLAN</p> <p>SCALE</p> None |
| <p>SPRINGS - 0.75M ON CENTERS</p> | | | | |
| <p>CROSS-SECTION OF CRITICAL MEMBER</p> | | <p>SCALE</p> None | | |
| <p>(CROSS-SECTION OF SPRING AND GIRD)</p> | | | | |
| <p>COMPUTATION OF BRIDGE CLASS WHEELED VEHICLES CLASS 150 PLUS</p> | | | | |
| <p>(DA FORM 1249)</p> | | | | |

Figure 15-8. Bridge reconnaissance report form (back).

c. Bridge bypasses are local detours, which are classified as easy, difficult, or impossible. Table 15-1 shows the symbols and requirements for each classification.

15-4. FLOAT BRIDGE RECONNAISSANCE

a. Two types of river crossings—hasty and deliberate.

(1) Hasty reconnaissance determines immediate crossing.

(2) Deliberate reconnaissance is performed when there is enough time and qualified personnel are available to make a thorough analysis considering the engineer plan and the eight common factors. These considerations are only guidelines and discretion must be used.

b. Engineer plan at company level must know:

(1) Tactical requirement.

(a) What must cross.

(b) Where it must cross.

(c) When it must cross.

(2) Resources available.

(a) Bridging

(b) Equipment, i.e., dozer.

(c) Men.

(3) Riverline data — Reconnaissance (see c below).

(4) Time — must know the starting time of the operation.

c. Eight common factors for reconnaissance.

(1) Road nets.

(a) At least same class as largest vehicle crossing.

(b) Well drained.

(2) Approaches.

(a) Straight for 150'.

(b) 10 percent maximum grade

(c) Two lane.

(d) All weather, well drained.

(3) Abutments on banks.

(a) Same class as bridge.

(b) Protect from scouring.

(c) Use local material where possible.

(d) 30" to 40" high to adjust for class 60 ramps

(4) Width.

(a) Direct measurement.

(b) Stadia and transit.

(c) Triangulation—see number 1, figure 15-10.

(d) Sighting from map or aerial photo.

- (5) Depth.
 - (a) Sounding.
 - (b) Expedient methods.
- (6) Current (tide variation)—see number 2, figure 15-10.
- (7) Assembly sites—desire 100' × 100' for each 100' of bridge.
- (8) Obstructions.
 - (a) Protect from debris using any expedient methods.
 - (b) Protect from floating mines using anti-mine boom.
 - (c) On a reconnaissance local populace may be helpful but keep in mind the enemy could be present.
 - (d) Other references—TM 5-210.

15-5. TUNNEL RECONNAISSANCE

Because tunnels are sometimes used for storage, maintenance, assembly, or other purpose, their limitations must be known. The required information (DA Form 1250) is pointed out in FM 5-36.

15-6. FORD RECONNAISSANCE

a. *Classification of Fords.* Fords are classified according to their crossing potential for foot, wheeled, or tracked movement.

(1) Their trafficability is indicated for vehicles and foot troops in table 15-5.

(2) Approaches may be paved with concrete or bituminous material, although they are usually just sand or gravel. The composition and slope of the approach are important; its trafficability in inclement weather depends upon them.

(3) The composition of the stream bottom determines its passability. It is important, therefore, to indicate it.


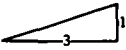

(4) The stream bottom at a ford may be paved, in some cases, to improve its load-bearing capacity and to reduce the stream's depth. The paved area may be of concrete, gravel, layers of sandbags, steel mats, or wooden planks.

(5) Seasonal floods, excessively dry periods, freezing, and other extreme conditions of weather affect the fordability of a stream.

(6) Swiftness of the current and presence of debris affect passability of a ford. Current is recorded as swift (over 1.5 meters per second), moderate (1 to 1.5 meters per second), or slow (less than 1 meter per second).

(7) Dimensional data of a ford are pointed out in figure 15-9.

Table 15-5. Trafficability of Fords

| Type of traffic | Shallow fordable depth (meters) | Minimum width (meters) | Maximum desirable slope for approaches ¹ | Symbol |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|---|---|
| Foot | 1 (39") | 1 (39") (single file) 2 (70") (column of 2's) | 1:1 |  |
| Trucks and truck-drawn artillery | 0.75 (30") | 3.6 (12') | 3:1 |  |
| Light tank | 1 (39") | 4.2 (14') | 2:1 |  |
| Medium tanks ² | 1.05 (42") | 4.2 (14') | 2:1 | |

¹ Based on hard, dry surface

² Depths up to 4.3 meters can be negotiated with deep water fording kit

b. Stream Width.

(1) With a compass, determine the azimuth from a point on the near shore close to the water's edge to a point near the water's edge on the far shore of the stream directly opposite. Then another point, either upstream or downstream from the previously marked points, is established on the near shore, from which the azimuth to the point on the far shore is 45° at variance with the previously marked azimuth. The distance between the two points on the near shore is equal to the distance across the stream (fig. 15-10).

(2) Stretch a string across the stream, then measure the distance on the string. A measuring tape may be used if one long enough is available.

c. *Stream Velocity.* Stream velocity is calculated by measuring a distance along the riverbank, then determining the time it takes a light object to float this measured distance (fig. 15-10). Velocity is computed as follows:

$$\frac{\text{Measured distance (m or ft)}}{\text{Time (sec)}} = \text{velocity in meters or feet per second}$$

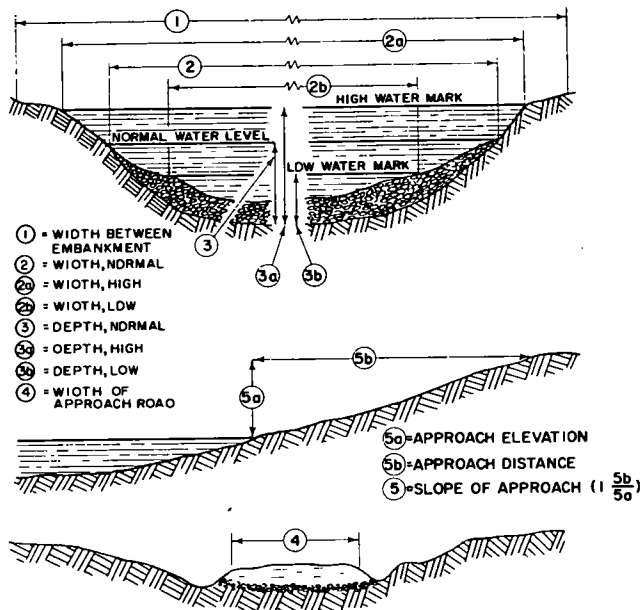


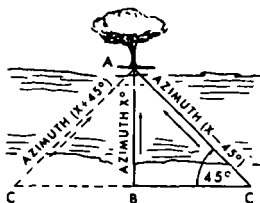
Figure 15-9. Standard dimensional data for fards.

d. *Fard Reconnaissance Report.* This report is made on DA Form 1251, (Fard Reconnaissance Report). If required, worksheets may be used for rapid field work; details are later transferred to DA Form 1251.

15-7. FERRY RECONNAISSANCE

Ferries differ widely in appearance, capacity, propulsion, construction, etc. For information on ferry reconnaissance, see FM 5-36.

1. MEASURING STREAM WIDTH, USING A COMPASS.



1. SELECT PROMINENT OBJECT A (i.e., tree) ON FAR BANK.
2. STAND AT POINT B, OPPOSITE A, AND READ AZIMUTH X°
3. MOVE UP OR DOWN STREAM TO A POINT C SO THAT AZIMUTH TO A EQUALS $X + 45^\circ$ OR $X - 45^\circ$.
4. DISTANCE BC THEN EQUALS GAP AB.

2. DETERMINING STREAM VELOCITY



DISTANCE AB IS MEASURED
 FLOATING OBJECT IS THROWN INTO STREAM AT C
 TIME REQUIRED FOR FLOATING OBJECT TO FLOAT
 DISTANCE A'B' IS DETERMINED

$$V(\text{FPS}) = \frac{AB(\text{FEET})}{\text{TIME TO FLOAT}} \\ A'B'(\text{SEC})$$

Figure 15-10. Methods of measuring stream width and velocity.

15-8. WATER RECONNAISSANCE

a. Location of Water Source. This always involves field reconnoissance, with a brief study of a map.

b. Source. When troops are in combat and moving rapidly, there is usually no time to search for the best water, and consequently, units must take whatever is available and purify it with materials at hand. Quantities of water required per man per day are given in table 17-2. The principal sources are—

- (1) Surface water (streams, lakes, and ponds).
- (2) Springs.
- (3) Wells.
- (4) Sea water.
- (5) Rain.

(6) Snow and ice.

c. *Capacity of Source (Quantity)*. It is necessary to compute the minimum, average, and maximum flow of streams, wells, or springs, and the dimensions and depths of lakes or ponds, with their rate of out-flow. The amount of water that passes a point in one minute is determined as follows:

$$Q = A \times V \times 6.4$$

Where: Q = Flow in gallons per minute

A = Cross-section area of stream in square feet

V = Flow in ft/min.

$$6.4 = (7.5 \text{ gal of water per cu ft}) \times (\text{correction factor of } 0.85)$$

d. *Quality of Water*. Check the color, turbidity, odor, taste, and possible pollution. In a pollution check, examine the drainage area, as much as time permits, for human wastes, industrial wastes, corrosion (dead fish), or poisoning by enemy action.

e. *Tests*. Tests are performed by personnel operating water supply and by medical service personnel.

f. *Accessibility*. There should be a road system connecting a water supply with the users.

g. *Proposed Development*. Compute the time, labor, and material necessary to improve the site.

h. *Data From Local Inhabitants, Local Records, and Soil Surveys*. If a water source is to be used for some time, information must be obtained on seasonal variations, seasonal floods, seasonal drought, and additional sources.

i. *Standard Symbols*. The above data should be reported on pertinent maps with the conventional military symbols and signs described in FM 21-30.

15-9. ENGINEER RECONNAISSANCE

An engineer reconnaissance is often performed in conjunction with a route reconnaissance or other reconnaissance. Its primary mission is to locate materials to maintain, improve or support engineer activities. The results of an engineer reconnaissance are usually reported on an overlay similar to the route reconnaissance overlay (fig. 15-1). An Engineer Reconnaissance Report, DA Form 1711-R (figs. 15-11 and 15-12) is prepared with the map overlay to provide a uniform method of reporting reconnaissance of engineer interest.

a. *Front Side*. Shows sketch, key number, time, and location of item reported.

b. *Reverse Side.* Gives work estimate of manpower, equipment, and materials to replace, repair, or demolish items reported on the front side of the form. Each work estimate is keyed by number to the appropriate object on the front side of the form (fig. 15-11). Only those columns which are applicable need be completed. Additional sketches may be drawn if needed to better explain the type work required.

c. *Engineer Reconnaissance Report.* Items which should be recorded on the Engineer Reconnaissance Report (DA Form 1711-R).

(1) *Where it is.* Give grid coordinates of the location.

(2) *What it is.* Give a clear, complete and concise description of the item reported.. (Use sketch, standard symbols, and abbreviations where applicable.)

Report:

(a) *Obstacles.* To movement, natural and artificial, include demilitations, mines, baabytraps.

(b) *Engineer materials.* Particularly road material, bridge timber lumber, steel, fill, gravel, explosives.

(c) *Engineer equipment.* Rock crushers, saw mills, garages, machine shaps, abandoned enemy equipment, etc.

(d) *Bivauac areas.* Access roads, soil, drainage, size, caver, cancelment, fields of fire.

(e) *Utilities.* Water, sewage, electricity, natural gas, pipe lines.

(f) *Water points.* Recammended locations.

(g) *Map errors*

(h) *Work estimates* far construction, repair, ar removal af any item encountered on a reconnaissance.

(3) *Time observed.*

15-10. RECONNAISSANCE OVERLAY SYMBOLS

a. Far frequently used symbols an overlays refer ta table 15-1.

b. *Bridge Symbols.* See figure 15-13 far correct bridge reconnaissance symbols. Consult table 15-2 and chapter 7 far bridge classification procedures.

c. *Engineer Resource Symbols.* Use the symbols shown in figure 15-14 to depict engineer resources on the engineer reconnaissance overlay. Possible resources, such as water points, are denated by dashed line symbols.

d. *Airfield Symbols.* Abbreviations, symbols, and notations as used far route reconnaissance are useful in airfield reconnaissance (FM 21-30).

e. *Minefield Symbols.* The symbols used in the sketches and reports of minefields are as given in chapter 3.

| ENGINEER RECONNAISSANCE REPORT | | | | PAGE 1 OF 1 PAGES | |
|---|--------|--|----------------|---|--|
| TO: CO, 21 ST ENGR BN, ATT: S2 | | FROM: Co A, 21 ST ENGR BN | | PLACE - HOUR - DATE | |
| FILE NO. | | PARTY LEADER (NAME, GRADE, ORGANIZATION) | | UT 586708 | |
| REPORT NO. 1 | | W.C. STEVENS, M/Sgt, E1 | | 130930 MAR 65 | |
| MAPS QUANTICO, VIRGINIA 1:50,000 SHEET 5561 III | | | | | |
| DELIVER TO (Organization, Place, Hour and Date) | | | | | |
| S-2, 21 ST ENGR BN UT 556461 131100 MAR 65 | | | | | |
| ADDITIONAL REMARKS AND SKETCH | | | | | |
| KEY | OBJECT | TIME OBSERVED | 408K ESTIMATE? | <p>UT 58684 - LOG POST OBSTACLE BLOCKING ROUTE 132 (59) LOGS @ 1.5 M C-C ON ALL SIDES OBSTACLE NOT DEFENDED BOOBY TRAP CHECK REVEALED NO BOOBY TRAPS BYPASS</p> | |
| ① | ✗ | 0900 | Yes | <p>UT 50914 - ABANDONED ENEMY EQPT.</p> <p>QUANTITY & TYPE: (2) ZIPLO MODEL 200 CRAWLER CRANES (OPERATIONAL) CHECKED FOR BOOBY TRAPS - NONE</p> | |
| ② | Ⓜ | 1000 | No | <p>UT 761432 - EXISTING WATER PURIFICATION PLANT SUPPLYING WATER TO THE CITY OF YUCU OUTPUT: 50,000 GAL PER DAY</p> | |
| ENGINEER WORK ESTIMATES ON OTHER SIDE | | | | | |
| TYPED NAME, GRADE AND ORGANIZATION | | | | SIGNATURES | |
| M.D. ATKINSON, 2/LT, CE | | | | William D. Atkinson | |
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Figure 15-11. Engineer reconnaissance report (front).


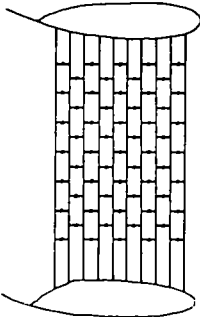
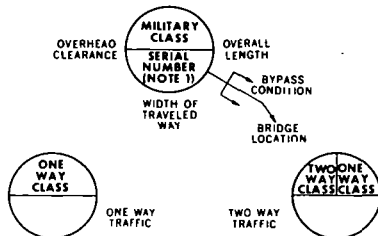
| ENGINEER WORK ESTIMATE | | | | | | | | | |
|---|--|------------|-------|----------------|-----|-------|------------------------|------|----------|
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| | | | | TYPE | NO. | HOURS | TYPE | UNIT | QUANTITY |
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| | | | | D-8 DOZER | 1 | 2 | D-CARD | FT | 1100 |
| | | | | | | | NON ELECT CAP | EA | 2 |
| | | | | | | | TIME FUSE | FT | 3 |
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| RECONNAISSANCE REPORT ON OTHER SIDE | | | | | | | | | |

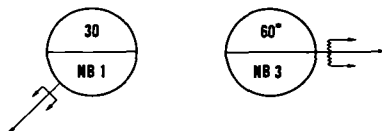
Figure 15-12. Engineer work estimate (back of engineer reconnaissance report).

FULL BRIDGE SYMBOLS (NOTE 4)



ABBREVIATED BRIDGE SYMBOLS

(When used overlay must be accompanied with
DA Form 1249 or detailed report.)



Only the single flow traffic is represented in abbreviated bridge symbols. For bridges with separate tracks and where the vehicle classification, other than the classification is shown, if a bridge has more than one classification, then the classification number shown is preceded by 1 and full classification is shown in the accompanying report.

NOTE 1
Serial Numbers
A SERIAL NUMBER IS ASSIGNED TO EACH BRIDGE, TUNNEL, FORD AND FERRY. SERIAL NUMBERS MUST NOT BE DUPLICATED ON ANY ONE MAP SHEET, OVERLAY OR DOCUMENT.

NOTE 2
Traveled Way Width
IF SIDEWALKS EXIST AND WILL PREVENT THE PARADE OF VEHICLES, SYMBOLIZE THE SIDEWALKS AND RECORD THE WIDTH AS THE TRAVELED WAY/TOTAL WIDTH (E.G. 5/5.9M).

NOTE 3
Bank Orientation
THE LEFT AND RIGHT BANK OF A STREAM ARE DETERMINED BY LOOKING IN THE DIRECTION OF THE CURRENT. DOWNSTREAM. SPECIAL ATTENTION MUST BE PAID WHEN RECORDING APPROACH CONDITIONS ON THE SYMBOL FOR PROPER ORIENTATION OF DESIGNATING THE LEFT AND RIGHT BANK.

NOTE 4
Critical Dimensions
ANY OVERHEAD CLEARANCE OF A BRIDGE LESS THAN THE STANDARDS OF TABLE 13-2 IS UNDERLINED. ANY WIDTH OF A ONE LANE BRIDGE WHICH IS LESS THAN THE STANDARDS OF TABLE 13-2 IS UNDERLINED. THE TWO WAY CLASS OF ANY TWO LANE BRIDGE IS DOWNGRADED IF THE WIDTH OF THE BRIDGE IS LESS THAN THE STANDARDS OF TABLE 13-2. THE WIDTH OF THE TRAVELED WAY OF TUNNELS OR UNDERPASSES WHICH IS LESS THAN THAT OF THE OUTSIDE ROUTE IS UNDERLINED.

Figure 15-13. Bridge reconnaissance symbols.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|-----------------------------|
|  | Sawmill |  | Electrical Supply Equipment |
|  | Lumber Yard |  | Water Point (Military) |
|  | Aggregate (including gravel, slag) etc. |  | Forestry Equipment |
|  | Sand |  | Paint |
|  | Iron & Steel Stock |  | Gypsum & Lime Products |
|  | Wire Stock |  | Cement Concrete Products |
|  | Mobile Heavy Construction Equipment |  | Brick & Other Clay Products |
|  | Quarrying Equipment |  | Factories |
|  | Powered Hand Tools |  | Asphalt & Bituminous Stock |
|  | Water Purification Equipment (Civilian) |  | Cordage, Nets & Yarn |

Figure 15-14. Engineer resource symbols.

15-11. UNIT DESIGNATIONS

For a complete coverage of military symbols see FM 21-30.

a. *Branch and Duty Symbols.* At times, two or more branch and duty symbols may be combined. For example, armored infantry would combine the symbols for armor and infantry.






























| | | | |
|------------------------|---|------------------------|---|
| AIRBORNE |  | MEDICAL |  |
| AIR FORCE |  | MILITARY POLICE |  |
| AMPHIBIOUS |  | ORDNANCE |  |
| ANTIAIRCRAFT ARTILLERY |  | QUARTERMASTER |  |
| ANTITANK |  | REPAIR/ MAINTENANCE |  |
| ARMOR |  | ROCKET/ GUIDED MISSILE |  |
| ARMY AVIATION |  | SERVICE |  |
| ARTILLERY |  | SIGNAL |  |
| CAVALRY |  | SUPPLY |  |
| CHEMICAL (CBR) |  | SUPPLY AND MAINTENANCE |  |
| CIVIL AFFAIRS |  | TRANSPORTATION |  |
| ENGINEER |  | TOPOGRAPHIC |  |
| ENGINEER BRIDGE UNIT |  | VETERINARY |  |
| FINANCE |  | WHEELED ARMOR |  |
| INFANTRY |  | | |

Figure 15-15. Branch and duty symbols.

b. Size and Type of Activity Symbols.







| | | | |
|--------------------|-----|------------------------|---|
| SQUAD | • | ARMY | XXXX |
| SECTION | •• | ARMY GROUP | XXXXX |
| PLATOON—DETACHMENT | ••• | | |
| COMPANY— | \| |  |  |
| TROOP—BATTERY | \|\| |  |  |
| BATTALION—SQUADRON | \|\|\| | UNIT |  |
| REGIMENT—GROUP | \|\|\|\| | UNIT HQ |  |
| BRIGADE | X | OBSERVATION |  |
| DIVISION | XX | OR LISTENING POST |  |
| CORPS | XXX | LOGISTICAL UNIT |  |
| | | COMBAT SERVICE SUPPORT |  |

Figure 15-16. Size and type of activity symbols.

c. *Unit Designation and Basic Symbol.* The arrangement of various combinations of symbols to depict specific units is shown in figure 15-17. Examples of unit designations and basic symbols for engineer units and weapons are found in figures 15-18 and 15-19.

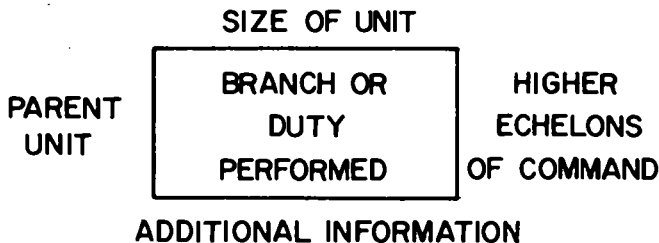


Figure 15-17. Unit designation and basic symbols.



BRIDGE CO., 50TH ENGR. BN.



16TH ARMORED ENGR. BN. 4TH
ARMORED DIV.



AVLB PLATOON, BRIDGE CO.,
31ST ARMORED ENGR. BN.



1ST SQ'D., 2D PLATOON, CO. B.,
162D ENGR. BN., 5TH INFANTRY
DIV (MECHANIZED)



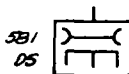
ATOMIC DEMO. MUNITIONS
PLATOON, 69TH ENGR. BN.



585TH DUMP TRUCK CO., ATTACHED
TO 91ST ENGR. BN.














497TH ENGR. PORT CONST. CO.




581ST ENGR. MAINT CO. (DIRECT
SUPPORT)

Figure 15-18. Examples of specific engineer unit symbols.

| | | | |
|----------------------------------|---|---|---|
| AUTOMATIC INFANTRY WEAPON |  | MORTAR |  |
| AIR DEFENSE MACHINE GUN |  | ANTI-TANK ROCKET LAUNCHER |  |
| ARTILLERY GUN |  | HOWITZER |  |
| RECOILLESS RIFLE |  | ROCKET LAUNCHER |  |
| MISSILE OR ROCKET |  | AIR DEFENSE ROCKET |  |
| APC |  | FULL-TRACKED ARMORED ASSAULT GUN |  |

APPROXIMATE SIZE OF WEAPON IS AS SHOWN BELOW :

LIGHT : BASIC WEAPON SYMBOL EXAMPLE 

MEDIUM : ONE HORIZONTAL BAR EXAMPLE 

HEAVY : TWO HORIZONTAL BARS EXAMPLE 




| | | | |
|-------------|---|---|---|
| TANK | LIGHT | MEDIUM | HEAVY |
| |  |  |  |

Figure 15-19. Weapons symbols.

d. *Unknown Symbols.* When the correct symbol is not known, a symbol may be made up, provided it is explained in a legend added to the map or overlay being drawn.

CHAPTER 16

COMMUNICATIONS

16-1. MORSE CODE

See figure 16-1.

| | | | |
|-----------|-----------|-------------|-------------|
| A . - | J . - - ~ | S . . . | 2 . . - - - |
| B - . . . | K - . - | T - | 3 . . . - - |
| C - . - . | L . - . . | U . . - | 4 . . . - - |
| D - . . | M - - | V . . . - | 5 |
| E . | N - . | W . - - | 6 - |
| F . . - . | O - - - | X - . . - | 7 - - . . . |
| G - - . | P . - - . | Y - . - - | 8 - - - . . |
| H | Q - - . - | Z - - . . | 9 - - - - . |
| I . . | R . - . | 1 . - - - - | 0 - - - - - |

Figure 16-1. Morse code.

16-2. PHONETIC ALPHABET

See figure 16-2.

16-3. GROUND AND AIR EMERGENCY CODE

See figure 16-3.

| <u>Letter</u> | <u>Pro-word</u> | <u>Pronunciation</u> | <u>Letter</u> | <u>Pro-word</u> | <u>Pronunciation</u> |
|---------------|-----------------|---------------------------|---------------|-----------------|----------------------|
| A | ALFA | <u>AL</u> PAH | N | NOVEMBER | NO <u>YEM</u> BER |
| B | BRAVO | <u>BRAH</u> VOH | O | OSCAR | <u>OSS</u> CAH |
| C | CHARLIE | <u>CHAR</u> LEE | P | PAPA | PAH <u>FAH</u> |
| D | DELTA | <u>DELL</u> TAH | Q | QUEBEC | KEH <u>BECK</u> |
| E | ECHO | <u>ECK</u> OH | R | ROMEO | <u>ROW</u> ME OH |
| F | FOXTROT | <u>FOKS</u> TROT | S | SIERRA | SEE <u>AIR</u> BAH |
| G | GOLF | <u>GOLF</u> | T | TANGO | <u>TANG</u> GO |
| H | HOTEL | <u>HO</u> TELL | U | UNIFORM | <u>YOU</u> NEE FORM |
| I | INDIA | <u>IN</u> DEE <u>AH</u> | V | VICTOR | <u>VIK</u> TAH |
| J | JULIETT | <u>JEW</u> LEE <u>ETT</u> | W | WHISKEY | <u>WISS</u> KEY |
| K | KILO | <u>KEY</u> LOH | X | XRAY | <u>ECKS</u> RAY |
| L | LIMA | <u>LEE</u> MAH | Y | YANKEE | <u>YANK</u> KEY |
| M | MIKE | <u>NIKE</u> | Z | ZULU | <u>ZOO</u> LOO |

PHONETIC NUMBERS

| | | | | | | | |
|----------|----------|----------|--------|----------|-------|----------|------|
| 1 | WUN | 4 | FO-WER | 7 | SEVEN | 0 | ZERO |
| 2 | TOO | 5 | FI-YIV | 8 | ATE | | |
| 3 | THUH-REE | 6 | SIX | 9 | NINER | | |

Figure 16-2. Phonetic alphabet.

| | |
|--|----|
| Require doctor, serious injuries | I |
| Require medical supplies | II |
| Unable to proceed | X |
| Require food and water | F |
| Require firearms and ammunition | ∇ |
| Require map and compass | □ |
| Require signal lamp with battery and radio | \| |
| Indicate direction to proceed | K |
| Am proceeding in this direction | ↑ |
| Will attempt takeoff | ▷ |
| Aircraft seriously damaged | ⌈ |
| Probably safe to land here | △ |
| Require fuel and oil | L |
| All well | LL |
| No | N |
| Yes | Y |
| Not understood | JL |
| Require engineer (mechanic) | W |

NOTE: Elements should be spaced 10 feet apart, whenever possible.

Figure 16-3. Ground-air emergency code.

16-4. ANTENNAS

- Antenna Length Chart. Lengths are in feet.
- $\frac{1}{2}$ Wave Antenna. Divide by 2.
- $\frac{1}{4}$ Wave Antenna. Divide by 4.

Table 16-1. Antenna Length Chart

| Frequency megacycle | Full wave length | Frequency megacycle | Full wave length |
|------------------------|---------------------|------------------------|---------------------|
| 1 | 936 | 31 | 30.2 |
| 2 | 468 | 32 | 29.2 |
| 3 | 312 | 33 | 28.4 |
| 4 | 234 | 34 | 27.6 |
| 5 | 187.2 | 35 | 26.8 |
| 6 | 156 | 36 | 26 |
| 7 | 133.6 | 37 | 25.2 |
| 8 | 117 | 38 | 24.6 |
| 9 | 104 | 39 | 24 |
| 10 | 93.6 | 40 | 23.4 |
| 11 | 85 | 41 | 22.8 |
| 12 | 78 | 42 | 22.2 |
| 13 | 72 | 43 | 21.8 |
| 14 | 66.8 | 44 | 21.2 |
| 15 | 62.4 | 45 | 20.8 |
| 16 | 58.4 | 46 | 20.4 |
| 17 | 55 | 47 | 19.8 |
| 18 | 52 | 48 | 19.4 |
| 19 | 49.2 | 49 | 19 |
| 20 | 46.8 | 50 | 18.8 |
| 21 | 44.6 | 51 | 18.4 |
| 22 | 42.6 | 52 | 18 |
| 23 | 40.6 | 53 | 17.6 |
| 24 | 39 | 54 | 17.4 |
| 25 | 37.4 | 55 | 17 |
| 26 | 36 | 56 | 16.8 |
| 27 | 34.6 | 57 | 16.4 |
| 28 | 33.4 | 58 | 16.2 |
| 29 | 32.2 | 59 | 15.8 |
| 30 | 31.2 | 60 | 15.6 |

d. Center Fed Antenna(s). $\frac{1}{2}$ of desired antenna length to each side of insulator.

e. Antenna Length Formulas.

f = frequency in megacycles

answer is antenna length in feet

$$\frac{1}{4} = \frac{234}{f} \quad \frac{1}{2} \text{ wave} = \frac{468}{f} \quad \text{full wave} = \frac{936}{f}$$

f. Improvised Antennas. See figure 16-4 through 16-9.

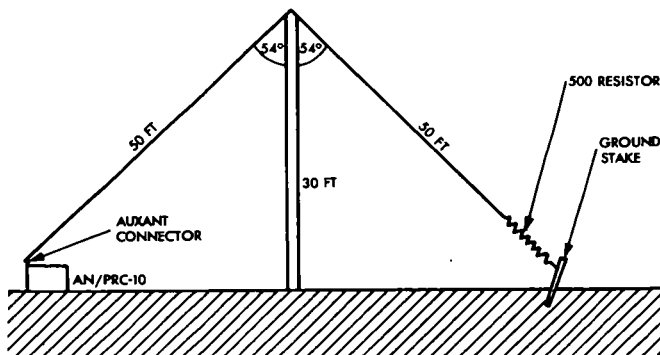


Figure 16-4. Half rhombic antenna.

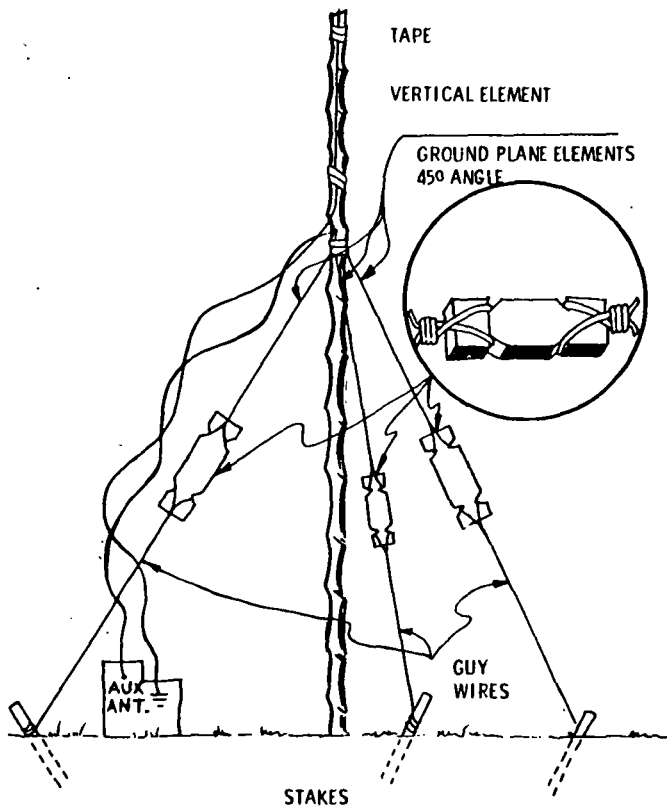


Figure 16-5. Jungle expedient antenna.

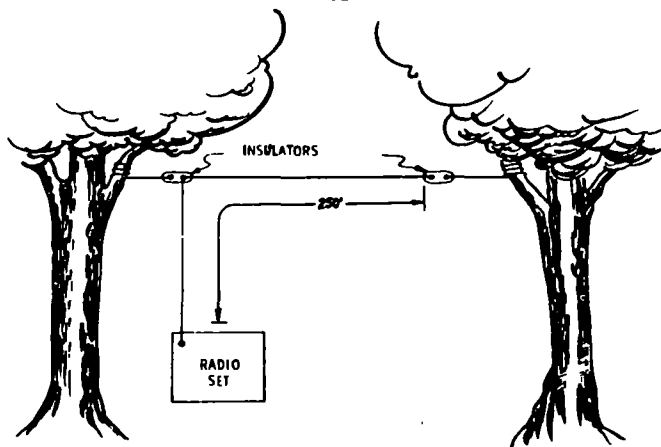


Figure 16-6. Inverted "L" antenna.

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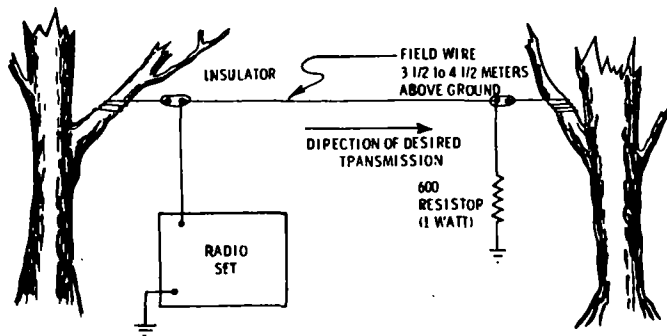


Figure 16-7. Long wire antenna.

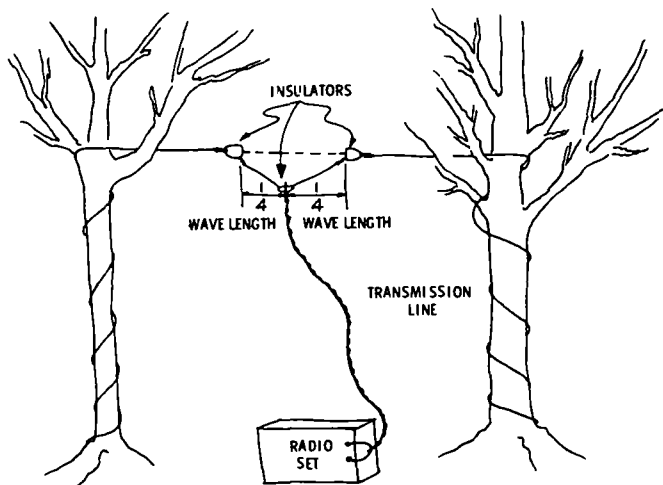


Figure 16-8. Improvised center fed half-wave antenna.

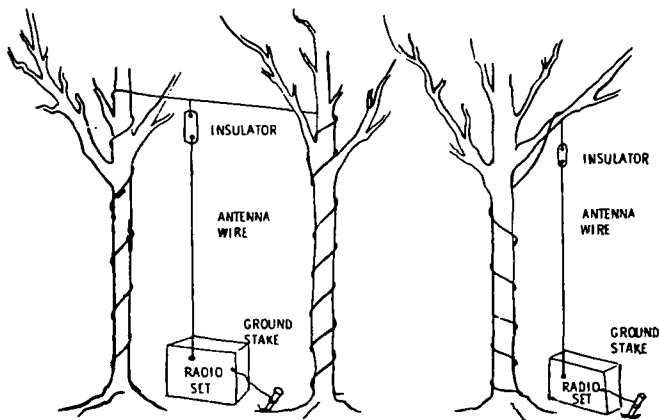


Figure 16-9. Expedient suspended vertical antennas.

16-5. RADIO LOCATION

- Locate radio as high as possible.
- Location should be away from any metal obstructions.
- Avoid placing in a depression or valley, whenever possible.
- Avoid locating a radio near electrical power line.

CHAPTER 17

MISCELLANEOUS FIELD DATA

17-1. WEIGHTS AND SPECIFIC GRAVITIES

Table 17-1 gives weights and specific gravities of materials commonly used in an engineer unit.

17-2. WATER; DISINFECTION AND QUANTITY REQUIREMENTS

a. Water Disinfection.

(1) *Calcium hypochlorite.* Add calcium hypochlorite to produce residual chlorine of 5 part per million (ppm) after 10-minute contact time, and wait additional 20 minutes before drinking. For a 36-gallon lyster bag, 1 calcium hypochlorite capsule usually is enough. For individual use, prepare a disinfecting solution by placing 1 calcium hypochlorite capsule in a canteen of water. Add 1 canteen-capful of disinfecting solution to each canteen of water, shake, and allow to set for 30-minutes before using.

(2) *Iodine tablets.* Use 1 tablet per canteen of water for clear water and 2 tablets per canteen of water for cloudy water. Allow the water to stand for 5 minutes, shake vigorously, and allow to stand another 10 minutes before drinking. Allow cold water to stand 20 minutes before drinking.

(3) *Bailing.* Bring the water to a rolling boil for 15 seconds.

(4) *Destruction of amebic dysentery cysts.* When cysts are suspected, pretreat all water by coagulation and sedimentation followed by sand filtration at reduced rates or by diatomite filtration. Water treated in this way is safe to drink if it has a residual chlorine content of 1 ppm after a 10-minute contact time. In emergencies, disinfect water in individual canteens by following the directions on the bottle of individual water purification tablets, unless an increase is directed by the medical officer. Small units may bail their own drinking water; this is a sure method. If the lyster bag is used, the following steps must be taken:

Table 17-1. Weights and Specific Gravities

| Substance | Weight, lbs. per cu. ft. | Specific gravity |
|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|
| Bituminous | | |
| Asphaltum | 81 | 1.1-1.5 |
| Coal, anthracite | 97 | 1.4-1.7 |
| Coal, bituminous | 84 | 1.2-1.5 |
| Coal, coke | 75 | 1.0-1.4 |
| Petroleum, gasoline | 42 | 0.66-0.69 |
| Tar, bituminous | 75 | 1.20 |
| Building materials | | |
| Ashes, cinders | 40-45 | .... |
| Cement, portland, laase | 94 | .... |
| Cement, portland, set | 183 | 2.7-3.2 |
| Coal and coke, piled | | |
| Coal, anthracite | 47-58 | .... |
| Coal, bituminous, lignite | 40-54 | .... |
| Coal, charcoal | 10-14 | .... |
| Coal, cake | 23-32 | .... |
| Earth, etc., excavated | | |
| Chalk | 137 | 1.8-2.6 |
| Clay, damp, plastic | 110 | .... |
| Clay, dry | 63 | .... |
| Clay and gravel, dry | 100 | .... |
| Clay, marl | 137 | 1.8-2.6 |
| Earth, dry, laase | 76 | .... |
| Earth, dry, packed | 96 | .... |
| Earth, moist, laase | 78 | .... |
| Earth, moist, packed | 96 | .... |
| Earth, mud, flaving | 108 | .... |
| Earth, mud, packed | 115 | .... |
| Sand gravel, dry, laase | 90-105 | .... |
| Sand gravel, dry, packed | 100-120 | .... |
| Sand gravel, wet | 118-120 | .... |
| Liquids | | |
| Oils, minerals, lubricants | 57 | 0.90-0.93 |
| Water, 4° C. (max density) | 62.428 | 1.0 |
| Water, ice | 56 | 0.88-0.92 |
| Water, snow, fresh fallen | 8 | 0.125 |

Table 17-1. Weights and Specific Gravities—Continued

| Substance | Weight, lbs. per cu. ft. | Specific gravity |
|------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|
| Masonry, ashlar | | |
| Granite, syenite, gneiss | 165 | 2.3-3.0 |
| Limestone, marble | 160 | 2.3-2.8 |
| Sandstone, bluestone | 140 | 2.1-2.4 |
| Masonry, brick | | |
| Pressed brick | 140 | 2.2-2.3 |
| Common brick | 120 | 1.8-2.0 |
| Soft brick | 100 | 1.5-1.7 |
| Masonry, concrete | | |
| Cement, stone, sand | 144 | 2.2-2.4 |
| Masonry, dry rubble | | |
| Granite, syenite, gneiss | 130 | 1.9-2.3 |
| Limestone, marble | 125 | 1.9-2.1 |
| Sandstone, bluestone | 110 | 1.8-1.9 |
| Masonry, mortar, rubble | | |
| Granite, syenite, gneiss | 155 | 2.2-2.8 |
| Limestone, marble | 150 | 2.2-2.6 |
| Sandstone, bluestone | 130 | 2.0-2.2 |
| Metals, alloys, ores | | |
| Aluminum, cast, hammered | 165 | 2.55-2.75 |
| Copper, cast, rolled | 556 | 8.8-9.0 |
| Iron, cast, pig | 450 | 7.2 |
| Iron, wrought | 485 | 7.6-7.9 |
| Lead | 710 | 11.37 |
| Magnesium alloys | 112 | 1.74-1.83 |
| Manganese | 475 | 7.2-8.0 |
| Steel, rolled | 490 | 7.85 |
| Zinc, cast, rolled | 440 | 6.9-7.2 |
| Minerals | | |
| Asbestos | 153 | 2.1-2.8 |
| Bauxite | 159 | 2.55 |

Table 17-1. *Weights and Specific Gravities—Continued*

| Substance | Weight, lbs. per cu. ft. | Specific gravity |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|
| Rock | | |
| Limestone, marble | 165 | 2.5-2.8 |
| Sandstone, bluestone | 147 | 2.2-2.5 |
| Riprap, limestone | 80-85 | ..... |
| Riprap, sandstone | 90 | ..... |
| Riprap, shale | 105 | ..... |
| Solids, various | | |
| Glass, common | 156 | 2.4-2.6 |
| Hay and straw (bales) | 20 | ..... |
| Paper | 58 | 0.70-1.15 |
| Potatoes, piled | 42 | ..... |
| Rubber goods | 94 | 1.0-2.0 |
| Salt, granulated, piled | 48 | ..... |
| Sulfur | 125 | 1.93-2.07 |
| Wool | 82 | 1.32 |
| Stone, quarried, piled | | |
| Basalt, granite, gneiss | 96 | ..... |
| Greenstone, hornblende | 107 | ..... |
| Limestone, marble, quartz | 90 | ..... |
| Sandstone | 82 | ..... |
| Shale | 92 | ..... |
| Excavations in water | | |
| Clay | 80 | ..... |
| River mud | 90 | ..... |
| Sand or gravel | 60 | ..... |
| Sand or gravel and clay | 65 | ..... |
| Soil | 70 | ..... |
| Stone riprap | 65 | ..... |

Table 17-1. Weights and Specific Gravities—Continued

| Substance | Weight, lbs per cu. ft. | Specific gravity |
|--|----------------------------|---------------------|
| Timber, U.S. seasoned (Moisture content by weight: seasoned timber, 15% to 20%; green timber, up to 50%) | | |
| Ash, white, red | 40 | 0.62–0.65 |
| Cedar, white, red | 22 | 0.32–0.38 |
| Chestnut | 41 | 0.66 |
| Cypress | 30 | 0.48 |
| Elm, white | 45 | 0.72 |
| Fir, Douglas spruce | 32 | 0.51 |
| Fir, eastern | 25 | 0.40 |
| Hemlock | 29 | 0.42–0.52 |
| Hickory | 49 | 0.74–0.84 |
| Locust | 46 | 0.73 |
| Maple, hard | 43 | 0.68 |
| Maple, white | 33 | 0.53 |
| Oak, chestnut | 54 | 0.86 |
| Oak, live | 59 | 0.95 |
| Oak, red, black | 41 | 0.65 |
| Oak, white | 46 | 0.74 |
| Pine, Oregon | 32 | 0.51 |
| Pine, red | 30 | 0.48 |
| Pine, white | 26 | 0.41 |
| Pine, yellow, longleaf | 44 | 0.70 |
| Pine, yellow, shortleaf | 38 | 0.61 |
| Poplar | 30 | 0.48 |
| Redwood, California | 26 | 0.42 |
| Spruce, white, black | 27 | 0.40–0.46 |
| Walnut, black | 38 | 0.61 |
| Walnut, white | 26 | 0.41 |

(a) Break 1 ampule and pour into filled bag; stir with clean paddle.

(b) Disinfect faucets by flushing $\frac{1}{2}$ cup of water through each faucet.

(c) After 10 minutes, residual should exceed 1 ppm. Then add another ampule. Keep bag covered.

(d) Water is potable 30 minutes after adding last ampule.

b. *Daily Water Requirements.* Table 17-2 gives water requirements in gallons per unit consumer per day under various conditions of use.

Table 17-2. *Daily Water Requirements*

| 1 Unit consumer | 2 Conditions of use | 3 Gal per unit Consumed per day | | 4 Remarks |
|------------------------|--|---|------------------|--|
| | | Temperate/cold climate | Desert/Jungle | |
| Mon. | In combat | | | |
| | Minimum..... | 1/2-1 | 2-3 ¹ | For eating and drinking only, periods not to exceed 3 days |
| | | 2 | 3-4 ¹ | When field rotations are used |
| | Normal | 3 | 6 ² | Drinking plus small amount for cooking or personal hygiene |
| | March or bivouac | 2 | 5 ² | Minimum for all purposes. |
| | Temporary comp. | 5 | ..... | Desirable for all purposes (does not include bathing) |
| | Temporary camp with bathing facilities | 15 | ..... | Includes allowance for waterborne sewage system |
| | Semipermanent camp | 30-60 | | |
| | Permanent camp | 60-100 | | |

Table 17-2. Daily Water Requirements—Continued

| 1 | 2 | 3 | | 4 |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------|---|
| Unit consumer | Conditions of use | Gal per unit Consumed per day | | Remarks |
| | | Temperate/cold climate | Desert/Jungle | |
| Vehicle. | Level and rolling country | 1-3 | | Depending on size of vehicle. |
| | Mountainous country. | 1-1 | | Depending on size of vehicle |
| Hospital | Drinking and cooking | 10 per bed | | Minimum, does not include bathing or water for flushing |
| | Water waterborne sewage. | 50 per bed | | Includes water for medical personnel |
| Impregnating plant, clothing, M2A1 | Maximum impregnating capacity | 2,400 | | Aqueous process Includes 2,000 gals for plant operations and 400 gals for washing and cleaning purposes |
| QM bakery company (mobile) | Two 10-hour shifts | 2,600 | | Water for making bread and cleaning baking utensils |
| QM laundry company. | Two 10-hour shifts. | 64,000 (4,000 per unit) | | |

¹For unacclimatized personnel or for all personnel when dry bulb readings exceed 105 °F, in the jungle.

²Maximum consumption factor is dependent upon work performed, solar radiation, and other environmental stresses.

17-3. ELECTRICAL WIRING

- a. The procedures pointed out in this section are to be used only for an estimation of required wire sizes or when no other method is known.
- b. To determine the wire size required for a given load:
 - (1) Convert load into amperes required by using

$$\text{Amperes} = \frac{\text{Total watts to be serviced}}{\text{voltage}}$$

or

$$\text{Amperes} = \frac{\text{Voltage}}{\text{resistance (ohms)}}$$

or

$$\text{Amperes} = \frac{745.7 \times \text{Horsepower}}{\text{voltage}}$$

(2) Enter table 17-3 or 17-4 with amperes to be serviced and length of wire required; determine wire size needed.

(3) This procedure is to be used when power is to be furnished to a specific load such as one motor or a group of lights. The procedure for wiring a facility or wiring a generator is shown in TM 5-766.

17-4. TIMBER

a. Board Measure, Size and Weight.

(1) Lumber quantities are expressed in feet, board measure (ft b.m.) or in board feet (bd.ft.), or in thousand board feet (M bd.ft.). One board foot (or ft. b.m.) is the amount of lumber in a rough-sawed board 1 foot long, 1 foot wide, and 1 inch thick (144 cubic inches) or the equivalent volume in any other shape. These originals or "nominal" dimensions and volumes determine the number of board feet in a given quantity of dressed lumber, regardless of the fact that the process of surfacing or other machining has reduced the actual dimensions and volume. Under American standards, for example, a dressed board designated as 1 inch by 12 inches is in fact $\frac{25}{32}$ inch by $11\frac{1}{2}$ inches. This must be taken into account in computing the amount of lumber needed for a given job. Thus, one hundred 1-inch by 12-inch dressed boards 16

feet long contain $\frac{100 \times 1 \times 12 \times 16}{12} = 1,600$ board feet, but have on

actual area of only $\frac{100 \times 11\frac{1}{2} \times 16}{12} = 1,533$ square feet; so that if 1,600 square feet of 1-inch by 12-inch material are desired, 1,670 board feet, plus allowance for wastage, must be ordered.

(2) Table 17-5 gives the number of board feet in one piece of lumber of the sizes given.

(3) Table 17-6 gives nominal size, dressed size, section area and weight per foot of the most common sizes of southern pine timbers.

Table 17-3. Wire Sizes for 120-Volt Single-Phase Circuits

| Load (amperes) | Minimum wire size (AWG) | Service wire size (AWG) | Wire size (AWG) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|---|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| | | | Distance one way from supply to load (feet) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | 50 | 75 | 100 | 125 | 150 | 175 | 200 | 250 | 300 | 350 | 400 | 450 | 500 |
| 15 | 14 | 10 | 14 | 12 | 10 | 8 | 8 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 |
| 20 | 14 | 10 | 12 | 10 | 8 | 8 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| 25 | 12 | 8 | 10 | 8 | 8 | 6 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| 30 | 12 | 8 | 10 | 8 | 6 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 35 | 12 | 6 | 8 | 6 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2/0 |
| 40 | 10 | 6 | 8 | 6 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2/0 | 2/0 |
| 45 | 10 | 6 | 8 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2/0 | 2/0 | 3/0 |
| 50 | 10 | 6 | 8 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2/0 | 2/0 | 3/0 | 3/0 |
| 55 | 8 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2/0 | 2/0 | 3/0 | 3/0 | 4/0 |
| 60 | 8 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2/0 | 3/0 | 3/0 | 4/0 | 4/0 |
| 65 | 8 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2/0 | 2/0 | 3/0 | 4/0 | 4/0 | 4/0 |
| 70 | 8 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2/0 | 2/0 | 3/0 | 4/0 | 4/0 | |
| 75 | 6 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2/0 | 3/0 | 4/0 | 4/0 | | |
| 80 | 6 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2/0 | 3/0 | 4/0 | 4/0 | | |
| 85 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2/0 | 3/0 | 3/0 | 4/0 | | | |
| 90 | 6 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2/0 | 3/0 | 4/0 | 4/0 | | | |
| 95 | 6 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2/0 | 2/0 | 3/0 | 4/0 | | | | |
| 100 | 4 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2/0 | 2/0 | 3/0 | 4/0 | | | | |

Table 17-4. Wire Sizes for 220-Volt Three-Phase Circuits

| Load (amperes) | Minimum wire size (AWG) | Service wire size (AWG) | Wire size (AWG) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|---|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|
| | | | Distance one way from supply to load (feet) | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | 100 | 150 | 200 | 250 | 300 | 350 | 400 | 500 | 600 | 700 | 800 | 900 | 1,000 |
| 15 | 14 | 12 | 14 | 12 | 10 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 2 |
| 20 | 14 | 10 | 12 | 10 | 8 | 8 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| 25 | 12 | 8 | 10 | 8 | 8 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| 30 | 12 | 8 | 10 | 8 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| 35 | 12 | 8 | 10 | 8 | 6 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 40 | 10 | 6 | 8 | 6 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2/0 |
| 45 | 10 | 6 | 8 | 6 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2/0 | 2/0 |
| 50 | 10 | 6 | 8 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2/0 | 2/0 | 3/0 |
| 55 | 8 | 6 | 8 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2/0 | 2/0 | 3/0 | 3/0 |
| 60 | 8 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2/0 | 3/0 | 3/0 | 4/0 |
| 65 | 8 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2/0 | 2/0 | 3/0 | 3/0 | 4/0 |
| 70 | 8 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2/0 | 3/0 | 3/0 | 4/0 | 4/0 |
| 75 | 6 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2/0 | 2/0 | 3/0 | 4/0 | 4/0 | |
| 80 | 6 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2/0 | 3/0 | 3/0 | 4/0 | 4/0 | |
| 85 | 6 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2/0 | 3/0 | 4/0 | 4/0 | | |
| 90 | 6 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2/0 | 3/0 | 4/0 | 4/0 | | |
| 95 | 6 | 4 | 6 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2/0 | 3/0 | 3/0 | 4/0 | | | |
| 100 | 4 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2/0 | 3/0 | 4/0 | 4/0 | | | |
| 125 | 4 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2/0 | 2/0 | 3/0 | 4/0 | | | | | |
| 150 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 2/0 | 2/0 | 3/0 | 4/0 | | | | | | |
| 175 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2/0 | 3/0 | 4/0 | 4/0 | | | | | | |
| 200 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2/0 | 3/0 | 4/0 | 4/0 | | | | | | | |
| 225 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2/0 | 3/0 | 4/0 | | | | | | | | |
| 250 | 2/0 | 2/0 | 2/0 | 2/0 | 3/0 | 4/0 | | | | | | | | | |
| 275 | 3/0 | 3/0 | 3/0 | 3/0 | 3/0 | 4/0 | | | | | | | | | |
| 300 | 3/0 | 3/0 | 3/0 | 3/0 | 4/0 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 325 | 4/0 | 4/0 | 4/0 | 4/0 | | | | | | | | | | | |

Table 17-5. Board Feet

| Size of piece (inches) | Length of piece (feet) | | | | | | | |
|---------------------------|---------------------------------|-----|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----|
| | 10 | 12 | 14 | 16 | 18 | 20 | 22 | 24 |
| 2 by 4..... | 6 ² / ₃ | 8 | 9 ¹ / ₃ | 10 ² / ₃ | 12 | 13 ¹ / ₃ | 14 ² / ₃ | 16 |
| 2 by 6..... | 10 | 12 | 14 | 16 | 18 | 20 | 22 | 24 |
| 2 by 8..... | 13 ¹ / ₃ | 16 | 18 ² / ₃ | 21 ¹ / ₃ | 24 | 26 ² / ₃ | 29 ¹ / ₃ | 32 |
| 2 by 10..... | 16 ² / ₃ | 20 | 23 ¹ / ₃ | 26 ² / ₃ | 30 | 33 ¹ / ₃ | 36 ² / ₃ | 40 |
| 2 by 12..... | 20 | 24 | 28 | 32 | 36 | 40 | 44 | 48 |
| 2 by 14..... | 23 ¹ / ₃ | 28 | 32 ² / ₃ | 37 ¹ / ₃ | 42 | 46 ² / ₃ | 51 ¹ / ₃ | 56 |
| 2 by 16..... | 26 ² / ₃ | 32 | 37 ¹ / ₃ | 42 ² / ₃ | 48 | 53 ¹ / ₃ | 58 ² / ₃ | 64 |
| 3 by 6..... | 15 | 18 | 21 | 24 | 27 | 30 | 33 | 36 |
| 3 by 8..... | 20 | 24 | 28 | 32 | 36 | 40 | 44 | 48 |
| 3 by 10..... | 25 | 30 | 35 | 40 | 45 | 50 | 55 | 60 |
| 3 by 12..... | 30 | 36 | 42 | 48 | 54 | 60 | 66 | 72 |
| 3 by 14..... | 35 | 42 | 49 | 56 | 63 | 70 | 77 | 84 |
| 3 by 16..... | 40 | 48 | 56 | 64 | 72 | 80 | 88 | 96 |
| 4 by 4..... | 13 ¹ / ₃ | 16 | 18 ² / ₃ | 21 ¹ / ₃ | 24 | 26 ² / ₃ | 29 ¹ / ₃ | 32 |
| 4 by 6..... | 20 | 24 | 28 | 32 | 36 | 40 | 44 | 48 |
| 4 by 8..... | 26 ² / ₃ | 32 | 37 ¹ / ₃ | 42 ² / ₃ | 48 | 53 ¹ / ₃ | 58 ² / ₃ | 64 |
| 4 by 10..... | 33 ¹ / ₃ | 40 | 46 ² / ₃ | 53 ¹ / ₃ | 60 | 66 ² / ₃ | 73 ¹ / ₃ | 80 |
| 4 by 12..... | 40 | 48 | 56 | 64 | 72 | 80 | 88 | 96 |
| 4 by 14..... | 46 ² / ₃ | 56 | 65 ¹ / ₃ | 74 ² / ₃ | 84 | 93 ¹ / ₃ | 102 ² / ₃ | 112 |
| 4 by 16..... | 53 ¹ / ₃ | 64 | 74 ² / ₃ | 85 ¹ / ₃ | 96 | 106 ² / ₃ | 117 ¹ / ₃ | 128 |
| 6 by 6..... | 30 | 36 | 42 | 48 | 54 | 60 | 66 | 72 |
| 6 by 8..... | 40 | 48 | 56 | 64 | 72 | 80 | 88 | 96 |
| 6 by 10..... | 50 | 60 | 70 | 80 | 90 | 100 | 110 | 120 |
| 6 by 12..... | 60 | 72 | 84 | 96 | 108 | 120 | 132 | 144 |
| 6 by 14..... | 70 | 84 | 98 | 112 | 126 | 140 | 154 | 168 |
| 6 by 16..... | 80 | 96 | 112 | 128 | 144 | 160 | 176 | 192 |
| 6 by 18..... | 90 | 108 | 126 | 144 | 162 | 180 | 198 | 216 |
| 6 by 20..... | 100 | 120 | 140 | 160 | 180 | 200 | 220 | 240 |
| 8 by 8..... | 53 ¹ / ₃ | 64 | 74 ² / ₃ | 85 ¹ / ₃ | 96 | 106 ² / ₃ | 117 ¹ / ₃ | 128 |
| 8 by 10..... | 66 ² / ₃ | 80 | 93 ¹ / ₃ | 106 ² / ₃ | 120 | 133 ¹ / ₃ | 146 ² / ₃ | 160 |
| 8 by 12..... | 80 | 96 | 112 | 128 | 144 | 160 | 176 | 192 |
| 8 by 14..... | 13 ¹ / ₃ | 112 | 130 ² / ₃ | 149 ¹ / ₃ | 168 | 186 ² / ₃ | 205 ¹ / ₃ | 224 |
| 10 by 10..... | 83 ¹ / ₃ | 100 | 116 ² / ₃ | 133 ¹ / ₃ | 150 | 166 ² / ₃ | 183 ¹ / ₃ | 200 |
| 10 by 12..... | 100 | 120 | 140 | 160 | 180 | 200 | 220 | 240 |
| 10 by 14..... | 116 ² / ₃ | 140 | 163 ¹ / ₃ | 186 ² / ₃ | 210 | 233 ¹ / ₃ | 256 ² / ₃ | 280 |
| 10 by 16..... | 133 ¹ / ₃ | 160 | 186 ² / ₃ | 213 ¹ / ₃ | 240 | 266 ² / ₃ | 293 ¹ / ₃ | 320 |
| 12 by 12..... | 120 | 144 | 168 | 192 | 216 | 240 | 264 | 288 |
| 12 by 14..... | 140 | 168 | 196 | 224 | 252 | 280 | 308 | 336 |
| 12 by 16..... | 160 | 192 | 224 | 256 | 288 | 320 | 352 | 384 |
| 14 by 14..... | 163 ¹ / ₃ | 196 | 228 ² / ₃ | 261 ¹ / ₃ | 294 | 326 ² / ₃ | 359 ¹ / ₃ | 392 |
| 14 by 16..... | 186 ² / ₃ | 224 | 261 ¹ / ₃ | 298 ² / ₃ | 336 | 373 ¹ / ₃ | 410 ² / ₃ | 448 |

Table 17-6. Properties of Southern Pine Beams

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
|--------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Nominal Size | Actual* size dressed S 4 S | Area of section bd. A. Sq. Ins. | Weight per foot pounds |
| 2 × 4..... | 1 $\frac{5}{8}$ × 3 $\frac{5}{8}$ | 5.89 | 1.63 |
| 4 × 4..... | 3 $\frac{5}{8}$ × 3 $\frac{5}{8}$ | 13.14 | 3.64 |
| 2 × 6..... | 1 $\frac{5}{8}$ × 5 $\frac{5}{8}$ | 9.14 | 2.53 |
| 3 × 6..... | 2 $\frac{5}{8}$ × 5 $\frac{5}{8}$ | 14.77 | 4.10 |
| 4 × 6..... | 3 $\frac{5}{8}$ × 5 $\frac{5}{8}$ | 20.39 | 5.65 |
| 6 × 6..... | 5 $\frac{5}{8}$ × 5 $\frac{5}{8}$ | 31.64 | 8.76 |
| 2 × 8..... | 1 $\frac{5}{8}$ × 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 12.19 | 3.38 |
| 3 × 8..... | 2 $\frac{5}{8}$ × 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 19.69 | 5.47 |
| 4 × 8..... | 3 $\frac{5}{8}$ × 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 27.19 | 7.55 |
| 6 × 8..... | 5 $\frac{5}{8}$ × 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 42.19 | 11.72 |
| 8 × 8..... | 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ × 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 56.25 | 15.58 |
| 2 × 10..... | 1 $\frac{5}{8}$ × 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 15.44 | 4.28 |
| 3 × 10..... | 2 $\frac{5}{8}$ × 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 24.94 | 6.93 |
| 4 × 10..... | 3 $\frac{5}{8}$ × 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 34.44 | 9.57 |
| 6 × 10..... | 5 $\frac{5}{8}$ × 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 53.44 | 14.84 |
| 8 × 10..... | 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ × 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 71.25 | 19.74 |
| 10 × 10..... | 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ × 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 90.25 | 25.00 |
| 2 × 12..... | 1 $\frac{5}{8}$ × 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 18.69 | 5.18 |
| 3 × 12..... | 2 $\frac{5}{8}$ × 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 30.19 | 8.39 |
| 4 × 12..... | 3 $\frac{5}{8}$ × 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 41.69 | 11.58 |
| 6 × 12..... | 5 $\frac{5}{8}$ × 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 64.69 | 17.96 |
| 8 × 12..... | 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ × 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 86.25 | 23.89 |
| 10 × 12..... | 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ × 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 109.25 | 30.26 |
| 12 × 12..... | 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ × 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 132.25 | 36.63 |
| 2 × 14..... | 1 $\frac{5}{8}$ × 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 21.94 | 6.09 |
| 3 × 14..... | 2 $\frac{5}{8}$ × 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 35.44 | 9.84 |
| 4 × 14..... | 3 $\frac{5}{8}$ × 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 48.94 | 13.59 |
| 6 × 14..... | 5 $\frac{5}{8}$ × 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 75.94 | 21.09 |
| 8 × 14..... | 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ × 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 101.25 | 28.05 |
| 10 × 14..... | 9 $\frac{1}{2}$ × 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ | 128.25 | 35.53 |

Table 17-6. Properties of Southern Pine Beams—Continued

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
|--------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Nominal Size | Actual* size dressed S 4 S | Area of section bd. A. Sq. Ins. | Weight per foot pounds |
| 12 × 14..... | 11½ × 13½ | 155.25 | 43.00 |
| 14 × 14..... | 13½ × 13½ | 182.25 | 50.48 |
| 2 × 16..... | 1⅞ × 15½ | 25.19 | 7.00 |
| 3 × 16..... | 2⅝ × 15½ | 40.69 | 11.30 |
| 4 × 16..... | 3⅞ × 15½ | 56.19 | 15.61 |
| 6 × 16..... | 5⅞ × 15½ | 87.19 | 24.22 |
| 8 × 16..... | 7½ × 15½ | 116.25 | 32.20 |
| 10 × 16..... | 9½ × 15½ | 147.25 | 40.79 |
| 12 × 16..... | 11½ × 15½ | 178.25 | 49.37 |
| 14 × 16..... | 13½ × 15½ | 209.25 | 57.96 |
| 16 × 16..... | 15½ × 15½ | 240.25 | 66.55 |
| 2 × 18..... | 1⅞ × 17½ | 28.44 | 7.90 |
| 3 × 18..... | 2⅞ × 17½ | 45.94 | 12.76 |
| 4 × 18..... | 3⅞ × 17½ | 63.44 | 17.62 |
| 6 × 18..... | 5⅞ × 17½ | 98.44 | 27.34 |
| 8 × 18..... | 7½ × 17½ | 131.25 | 36.36 |
| 10 × 18..... | 9½ × 17½ | 166.25 | 46.05 |
| 12 × 18..... | 11½ × 17½ | 201.25 | 55.75 |

*In some species 5½" is the dressed size for nominal 6" sizes in 6" × 6" and larger.

b. International Lag Rule. A lag rule, or scale, is marked at each inch with the number of board feet which can be sawed from lags if the lag is measured inside the bark at the small end. Many such rules have been devised, recognized in the lumber industry, and used in various localities. The international ¼-inch lag rule, which is based on ¼-inch saw kerfs, has been adopted by statute in some states and may eventually become the universal standard. In applying the rule, no interpolation is made for diameters between inch marks, but scaling practice in some localities permits using the next higher inch for diameters with a fraction larger than ½ inch; for example, a lag 23½ inches in diameter is scaled as 24 inches. The scale is given in table 17-7.

Table 17-7. Log Scale (Boord Measure of Volume)

| Diameter (inches) | Length of log in feet (boord measure) | | | | | | |
|----------------------|---------------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|------|------|
| | 8 | 10 | 12 | 14 | 16 | 18 | 20 |
| 6..... | 10 | 10 | 15 | 15 | 20 | 25 | 25 |
| 7..... | 10 | 15 | 25 | 30 | 30 | 35 | 40 |
| 8..... | 15 | 20 | 25 | 35 | 40 | 45 | 50 |
| 9..... | 20 | 30 | 35 | 45 | 50 | 60 | 70 |
| 10..... | 30 | 35 | 45 | 55 | 65 | 75 | 85 |
| 11..... | 35 | 45 | 55 | 70 | 80 | 95 | 105 |
| 12..... | 45 | 55 | 70 | 85 | 95 | 110 | 125 |
| 13..... | 55 | 70 | 85 | 100 | 115 | 135 | 150 |
| 14..... | 65 | 80 | 100 | 115 | 135 | 155 | 175 |
| 15..... | 75 | 95 | 115 | 135 | 160 | 180 | 205 |
| 16..... | 85 | 110 | 130 | 155 | 180 | 205 | 235 |
| 17..... | 95 | 125 | 150 | 180 | 205 | 235 | 265 |
| 18..... | 110 | 140 | 170 | 200 | 230 | 265 | 300 |
| 19..... | 125 | 155 | 190 | 225 | 260 | 300 | 335 |
| 20..... | 135 | 175 | 210 | 250 | 290 | 330 | 370 |
| 21..... | 155 | 195 | 235 | 280 | 320 | 365 | 410 |
| 22..... | 170 | 215 | 260 | 305 | 355 | 405 | 455 |
| 23..... | 185 | 235 | 285 | 335 | 390 | 445 | 495 |
| 24..... | 205 | 255 | 310 | 370 | 425 | 485 | 545 |
| 25..... | 220 | 280 | 340 | 400 | 460 | 525 | 590 |
| 26..... | 240 | 305 | 370 | 435 | 500 | 570 | 640 |
| 27..... | 260 | 330 | 400 | 470 | 540 | 615 | 690 |
| 28..... | 280 | 355 | 430 | 510 | 585 | 665 | 745 |
| 29..... | 305 | 385 | 465 | 545 | 630 | 715 | 800 |
| 30..... | 325 | 410 | 495 | 585 | 675 | 765 | 860 |
| 31..... | 350 | 440 | 530 | 625 | 720 | 820 | 915 |
| 32..... | 375 | 470 | 570 | 670 | 770 | 875 | 980 |
| 33..... | 400 | 500 | 605 | 715 | 820 | 930 | 1045 |
| 34..... | 425 | 535 | 645 | 760 | 875 | 990 | 1110 |
| 35..... | 450 | 565 | 685 | 805 | 925 | 1050 | 1175 |
| 36..... | 475 | 600 | 725 | 855 | 980 | 1115 | 1245 |

Table 17-7. Log Scale (Boord Measure of Volume) — Continued

| Diameter (inches) | Length of log in feet (boord measure) | | | | | | |
|----------------------|---------------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| | 8 | 10 | 12 | 14 | 16 | 18 | 20 |
| 37..... | 505 | 635 | 770 | 905 | 1040 | 1175 | 1315 |
| 38..... | 535 | 670 | 810 | 955 | 1095 | 1245 | 1390 |
| 39..... | 565 | 710 | 855 | 1005 | 1155 | 1310 | 1465 |
| 40..... | 595 | 750 | 900 | 1060 | 1220 | 1380 | 1540 |
| 41..... | 625 | 785 | 950 | 1115 | 1280 | 1450 | 1620 |
| 42..... | 655 | 825 | 995 | 1170 | 1345 | 1525 | 1705 |
| 43..... | 690 | 870 | 1045 | 1230 | 1410 | 1600 | 1785 |
| 44..... | 725 | 910 | 1095 | 1290 | 1480 | 1675 | 1870 |
| 45..... | 755 | 955 | 1150 | 1350 | 1550 | 1755 | 1960 |
| 46..... | 795 | 995 | 1200 | 1410 | 1620 | 1835 | 2050 |
| 47..... | 830 | 1040 | 1255 | 1475 | 1695 | 1915 | 2140 |
| 48..... | 865 | 1090 | 1310 | 1540 | 1770 | 2000 | 2235 |

17-5. NAILS AND FASTENERS

c. Nails and Spikes. The safe lateral load for one nail or spike driven into the side grain of seasoned lumber so that at least two-thirds of the length of the nail is in the wood member holding the point is as follows (reduce load 60 percent for nails in end grain and 25 percent for unseasoned wood):

$900 \times D^{3/2}$ for white pine and eastern hemlock

$1200 \times D^{3/2}$ for Douglas fir and southern yellow pine

$1700 \times D^{3/2}$ for oak, ash, and hard maple

Where D = diameter of nails, in inches. See tables 17-8 and 17-9.

Table 17-8. Nail and Spike Sizes

| | Size | Length (inches) | Gage | Diameter (D) (inches) | D ^{1/2} |
|-----------------|------|--------------------|--------|-----------------------------|------------------|
| Nails | 3d | 1 1/4" | 14 | 0.0800 | 0.0226 |
| | 4d | 1 1/2" | 12 1/2 | .0985 | .0309 |
| | 6d | 2" | 11 1/2 | .1130 | .0380 |
| | 8d | 2 1/2" | 10 1/4 | .1314 | .0476 |
| | 10d | 3" | 9 | .1483 | .0570 |
| | 16d | 3 1/2" | 8 | .1620 | .0652 |
| | 20d | 4" | 6 | .1920 | .0841 |
| | 30d | 4 1/2" | 5 | .2070 | .0942 |
| | 40d | 5" | 4 | .2253 | .1066 |
| | 60d | 6" | 2 | .2625 | .1347 |
| Spikes . . . | 7" | 7" | 3/16" | 3/16" | 0.1750 |
| | 8" | 8" | 3/8" | 3/8" | .2295 |
| | 9" | 9" | 3/8" | 3/8" | .2295 |
| | 10" | 10" | 3/8" | 3/8" | .2295 |
| | 12" | 12" | 3/8" | 3/8" | .2295 |

Formula to find approximate number of nails required.

No. lbs (12d to 60d, framing) = $d/6 \times bf/100$

No. lbs (2d to 12d, sheathing) = $d/4 \times bf/100$

where d = size of desired nail in pennies

bf = total board feet to be nailed

b. Wood Screws. The safe lateral load in pounds, for one wood screw driven into the side grain of seasoned lumber to a penetration of at least seven times its diameter into the member receiving the point is as follows (reduce load 25 percent for end grain and 25 percent for unseasoned wood):

2100 × D² for white pine and eastern hemlock

2700 × D² for Douglas fir and southern yellow pine

4000 × D² for oak, ash, and hard maple

See table 17-10.

Table 17-9. Nail Types and Number Per Pound

| Size | Length, in | Common | | Finishing | | Flooring | |
|----------|---------------|--------|--------|-----------|--------|----------|--------|
| | | Gage | No./lb | Gage | No./lb | Gage | No./lb |
| 2d..... | 1 | 5 | 876 | 16½ | 1,351 | | |
| 3d..... | 1¼ | 14 | 568 | 15½ | 807 | | |
| 4d..... | 1½ | 12½ | 316 | 15 | 584 | | |
| 5d..... | 1¾ | 12½ | 271 | 15 | 500 | | |
| 6d..... | 2 | 11½ | 181 | 13 | 309 | 11 | 157 |
| 7d..... | 2¼ | 11½ | 161 | 13 | 238 | 11 | 139 |
| 8d..... | 2½ | 10¾ | 106 | 12½ | 189 | 10 | 99 |
| 9d..... | 2¾ | 10¾ | 96 | 12½ | 172 | 10 | 90 |
| 10d..... | 3 | 9 | 69 | 11½ | 121 | 9 | 69 |
| 12d..... | 3¼ | 9 | 63 | 11½ | 113 | 8 | 54 |
| 16d..... | 3½ | 8 | 49 | 11 | 90 | 7 | 43 |
| 20d..... | 4 | 6 | 31 | 10 | 61 | 6 | 31 |
| 30d..... | 4½ | 5 | 24 | | | | |
| 40d..... | 5 | 4 | 18 | | | | |
| 50d..... | 5½ | 3 | 15 | | | | |
| 60d..... | 6 | 2 | 11 | | | | |

Note. 1. To avoid splitting, nail diameters should not exceed one-seventh of the thickness of lumber to be nailed.

2. Gages are U.S. Steel Wire Gage. Fractional gages are:

| | | | | | | |
|---------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Gage..... | 10¼ | 10½ | 11½ | 12½ | 14½ | 15½ |
| Diameter, in. | 0.1314 | 0.1278 | 0.1130 | 0.0985 | 0.0760 | 0.0673 |

c. Lag Screws. The safe lateral load in pounds, for one lag screw driven into the side grain of seasoned lumber to a penetration of nine times the diameter into the member receiving the point and holding a cleat having a thickness of 3.5 times the screw diameter is as follows (reduce load 35 percent for end grain and 25 percent for unseasoned wood):

1500 × D² for white pine and eastern hemlock

1700 × D² for Douglas fir and southern cypress

Table 17-10. Wood Screw Diameters

| Size | Diameter-D Inches | D ² Inches ² |
|------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 1/2 inch—No. 4..... | 0.1105 | 0.0122 |
| 3/4 inch—No. 8..... | .1631 | .0266 |
| 1 inch—No. 10..... | .1894 | .0359 |
| 1 1/2 inch—No. 12..... | .2158 | .0466 |
| 2 inch—No. 14..... | .2421 | .0586 |
| 2 1/2 inch—No. 16..... | .2684 | .0720 |
| 3 inch—No. 18..... | .2947 | .0868 |

1900 \times D² for southern yellow pine and soft maple

2200 \times D² for oak, ash, and hard maple

Where D = diameter of shank, in inches.

d. Driftpins.

(1) *Description.* Driftpins are long, heavy, threadless bolts used to hold heavy pieces of timber together. The term "driftpin" is almost universally used in practice, but for supply purposes the correct designation is "driftbolt". Driftpins may or may not have heads and vary in diameter from 1/2 to 1 inch, and in length from 18 to 26 inches.

(2) *Uses.* To use the driftpins, a hole slightly smaller than the diameter of the pin is made in the timber. The pin is wiped with oil, driven into the hole, and held in place by the compression action of the wood fibers.

17-6. ROOFING

a. *Introduction.* Roofing repairs should be made in clear, mild weather, with the outside temperature not below 50° F. Repair minor damages by applying asphalt plastic flashing cement. Layer breaks are repaired by opening the horizontal seam below the break and inserting a strip of roofing.

b. *Materials Required.* Depending on the method used to repair a roof, the quantities and kinds of materials vary.

(1) When 4-inch strips of fabric and asphalt roof coating are used, the quantity of coating for 100 square feet of roofing is $\frac{2}{3}$ gallon; 39 linear feet of strips are needed.

(2) When 6-inch strips of roofing, asphalt plastic cement, and asphalt emulsion (clay type) are used, the following quantities per 100 square feet of roofing are used:

Asphalt plastic cement—6 pounds

Roofing strips—39 linear feet

Asphalt emulsion—1 gallon

c. *Other Roofing.* For roofing and repair when asphalt shingles, metal roofing, wood shingles, slats, or tile are used, see TM 5-617.

17-7. CAMOUFLAGE

a. Principles.

(1) *Siting.* Careful selection of the position for an emplacement of equipment is the most important principle of camouflage. Emplacements and their artificial camouflage materials must be made to blend with their background.

(2) *Discipline.* Avoid unnecessary movement of personnel and vehicles and any other activity that would change the original appearance of the area and indicate your presence to enemy observers.

(3) *Construction.* Employ natural and artificial construction and camouflage materials to conceal the position.

b. Materials.

(1) *Natural.* Natural materials generally provide the best concealment and are always available. Natural materials include live vegetation, cut vegetation, debris, soil, and so forth.

(2) *Artificial material.* Artificial materials include paints, supporting frames, garnishing materials, structural materials, screening materials, adhesives, and texturing materials. See table 17-11 for expedient paints that can be made from materials readily available. FM 5-35 has more detail on camouflage materials and manhour requirements involved.

c. *Individual Camouflage.* Make use of terrain and background, adopt clothing to the terrain, and select a route during movement that makes use of the concealment available.

(1) *Helmets.* Break up the shape of helmets by using leaves or twigs secured with a rubber band, making a cover of burlap, distorting with burlap garlands, or painting appropriate colors.

Table 17-11. Expedient Points

| Paint | Materials | Mixing | Color | Finish |
|-------|---|--|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Na. 1 | Local earth, GI soap, water, soot, paraffin | Mix soot with paraffin; add to solution of 8 gal water and ½ lbs soap. Stir in earth | Dark gray | Flat, lusterless |
| Na. 2 | Oil, ground clay, water, gasoline, earth | Mix 2 gal water with 1 gal oil and ½ to ¾ gal clay; add earth. Thin with gasoline or water | Depends on earth colors available | Glassy on metal; otherwise dull |
| Na. 3 | Oil, clay, GI soap, water, earth | Mix 1½ bars GI soap with 3 gal water; add 1 gal oil; stir in 1 gal clay. Add earth for color | Depends on earth colors | Glassy on metal; dull on other |

NOTE. Canned milk or powdered eggs can be used to increase binding properties of either issue or field-expedient points.

(2) *Skin.* Tone down all visible skin areas with face paint, burnt cork, lampblack, or charcoal.

(3) *Clothing.* Clothing may be toned down to blend with the background by use of camouflage points, or attaching vegetation to blend in with existing area.

(4) *Equipment.* Remove shine from metal objects with mud or face paint. Any equipment which may make a noise should be muffled by padding.

d. Camouflage of Equipment and Emplacements.

(1) Avoid regular geometric layouts of the position of vehicles, weapons, and supplies. Use natural camouflage material and supplement with artificial materials.

(2) Conceal the tracks made by vehicles so that terrain remains the same.

(3) Eliminate shine on vehicles.

(4) Use shadows and insure that the silhouette of emplacements and equipment is broken, so that the general outline is not detectable.

(5) In urban areas, use shadows cast by buildings.

e. *Garnishing of Camouflage Nets.*

(1) *Garnishing density.* All nets should be garnished to a pre-determined degree of density. Drape nets should be garnished 100 percent in the center portion of the net, thinning out to 65 percent toward the outer edges. This will result in a coverage of about 85 percent of the entire net area. Flattop nets should be garnished 100 percent in the center portion of the net, thinning out to 25 percent toward the outer edges. This will result in a coverage of about 65 percent of the entire net area. Begin the thin-out at about one-half the radius of the net. This must not be on an abrupt change in percentages, but rather a gradual thinning-out so as to achieve a smooth transition to the desired density at the outer portion of the net.

(2) *Garnishing patterns.* To provide for blending into a variety of seasonal and geographic terrain characteristics, pregarnished twine nets are issued in two blends—the all seasonal and the desert. The color blend of a net is achieved by proportionately varying the garlands of the various colors required for a particular blend, and placing the garlands in the net as an overall mixture of colors. Long, straight runs, large areas, blocks of one color, or regularity of pattern in a net should be avoided. Generally, the garlands are inserted into the net in such a manner that each garland will describe one of the following letters: L, U, S, C, or I (fig. 17-1). This should result in an amalgamation of the letter pattern forming the desired degree of density and color blend.

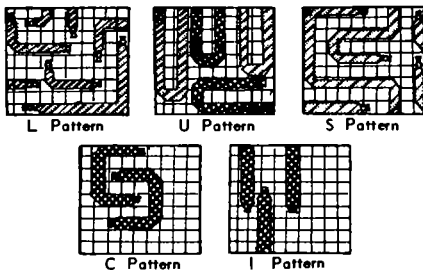


Figure 17-1. Garnishing.

f. Calculation of Net Size.

(1) *Drape net.*

$$\text{Length} = 2H + L + 5'$$

$$\text{Width} = 2H + W + 5'$$

(2) *Flat top net.*

$$\text{Length} = 4(H + 2) + L$$

$$\text{Width} = 4(H + 2) + W$$

Where: L = length of object being camouflaged

W = width of object

H = height of object

17-8. VEHICLE RECOVERY EXPEDIENTS

a. *General.* Normally proper vehicle operator training, operator experience, and common sense can prevent most vehicles from becoming stuck or in a position where they cannot be used. In the tactical situation, vehicle loss cannot always be prevented, due to enemy action or terrain which has to be maneuvered. For a complete coverage of all aspects of vehicle recovery see FM 20-22.

b. *Field Expedient Vehicle Recovery.* See figures 17-2, 17-3, 17-4, and 17-5.

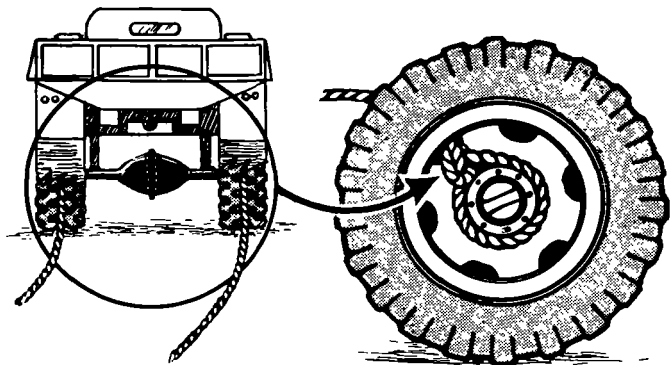


Figure 17-2. Use of wheels for a winch.

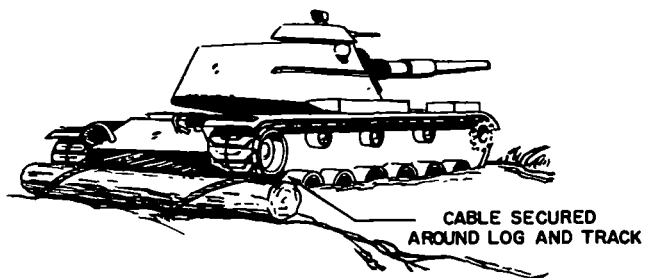


Figure 17-3. Log used to anchor tracks.

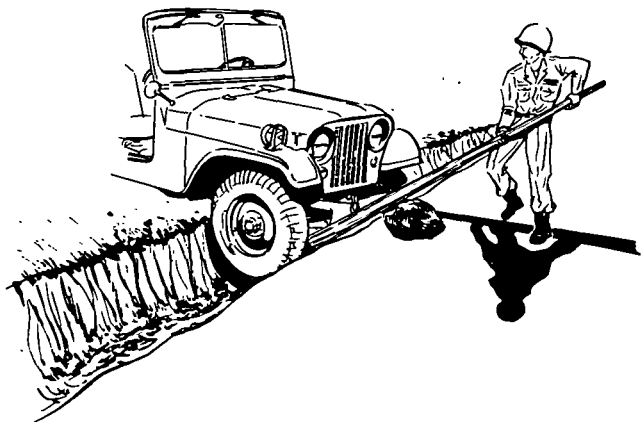


Figure 17-4. Simple lever.

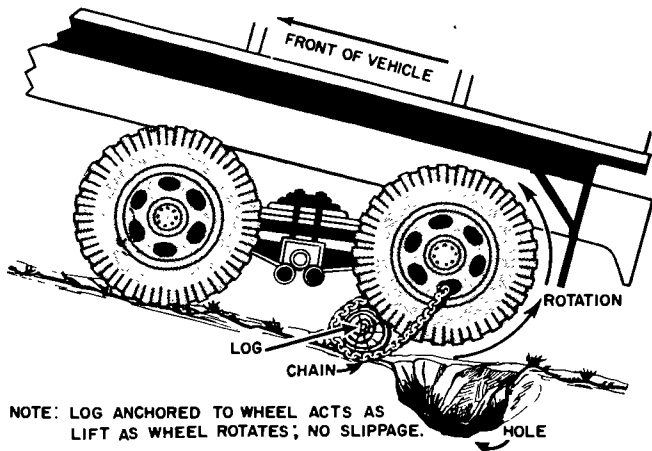


Figure 17-5. Anchoring a wheel.

17-9. FIRE EXTINGUISHERS

a. Classes of Fires.

(1) *Class A.* These are fires in ordinary combustible materials such as bedding, mattresses, dunnage, books, cloth, canvas, wood, and paper.

(2) *Class B.* These are fires which occur in flammable substances such as gasoline, jet fuel, and so forth.

(3) *Class C.* These are live electrical fires.

(4) *Class D.* These are combustible metal (magnesium, etc.) fires.

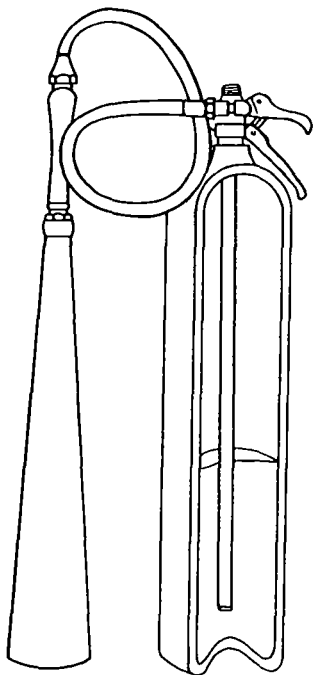
b. Carbon Dioxide Extinguishers (fig. 17-6).

(1) *Agent.* This extinguisher uses CO_2 as an agent. CO_2 converts to a liquid when under pressure, as it is while standing in an extinguisher.

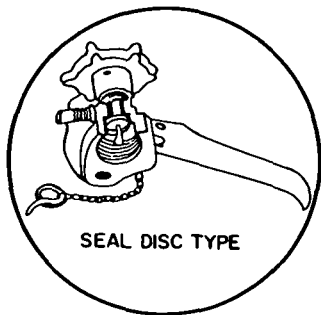
(2) *Inspection.* Monthly inspection requires checking the wire and lead seal which holds the valve locking pin to see that it is not broken and checking for physical damage to the extinguisher. Semiannual inspection requires that the extinguisher be weighed to insure that the

extinguisher has a full charge. Recharging is necessary if the weight is 10 percent deficient.

(3) Operation and use. Place extinguisher in vertical position, remove horn from bracket holding horn by rubber or wooden handle to prevent frost bite. Remove cocking pin from discharge valve and discharge agent. CO₂ extinguishers should be used on Class B & C fires.



SQUEEZE GRIP TYPE



SEAL DISC TYPE

Figure 17-6. Carbon dioxide extinguisher.

c. *Pump Type Water Extinguishers* (fig. 17-7).

(1) *Agent.* Water extinguishers use water as an agent. Care must be taken to prevent this extinguisher from freezing.

(2) *Inspection.* Inspection includes visual and actual operation every month. Semiannual inspection includes visual inspection, actual operation, and lubricating the plunger rod.

(3) *Operation and use.* To operate, point the nozzle toward the fire and pump the water by operating the pump handle. **DO NOT USE ON ELECTRICAL OR GASOLINE FIRES.**

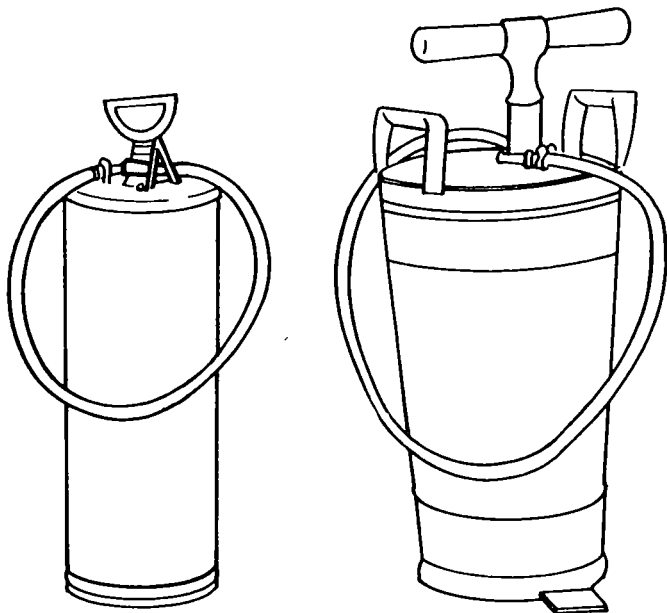


Figure 17-7. Pump type water extinguisher.

d. *Soda-Acid Extinguishers* (fig. 17-8).

(1) *Agent.* Soda-acid extinguishers use water as the extinguishing agent. When the extinguisher is inverted, the soda and acid mix producing a gas which expels the water.

(2) *Inspection.* Inspection includes visual checking of the extinguisher and removing cap to check for acid, soda, and water. Annual inspection requires discharge, cleaning, and recharging. Care must be taken to prevent this extinguisher from freezing.

(3) *Operation and use.* To operate, grasp the nozzle and invert the container. The chemical reaction and pressure occur almost immediately after inverting the extinguisher. **DO NOT USE ON ELECTRICAL OR GASOLINE FIRES.**

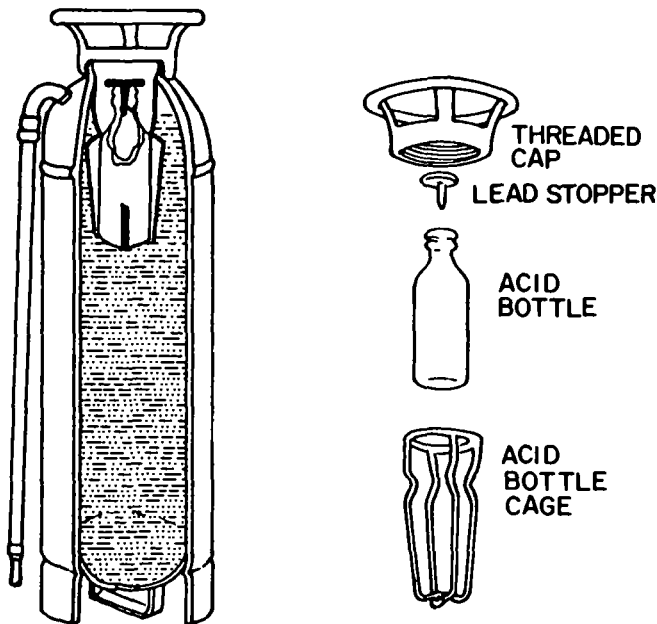


Figure 17-8. Soda-acid extinguisher.

e. *Foam Extinguishers* (fig. 17-9).

(1) *Agent*. The foam type extinguisher is similar in size and shape to the sodo-ocid type extinguisher, but the operation consists of two agents mixing, producing a gas which expels the foam.

(2) *Inspection*. Inspection visual, removing cap to inspect ingredients.

(3) *Operation and use*. To operate, grasp nozzle and invert container.

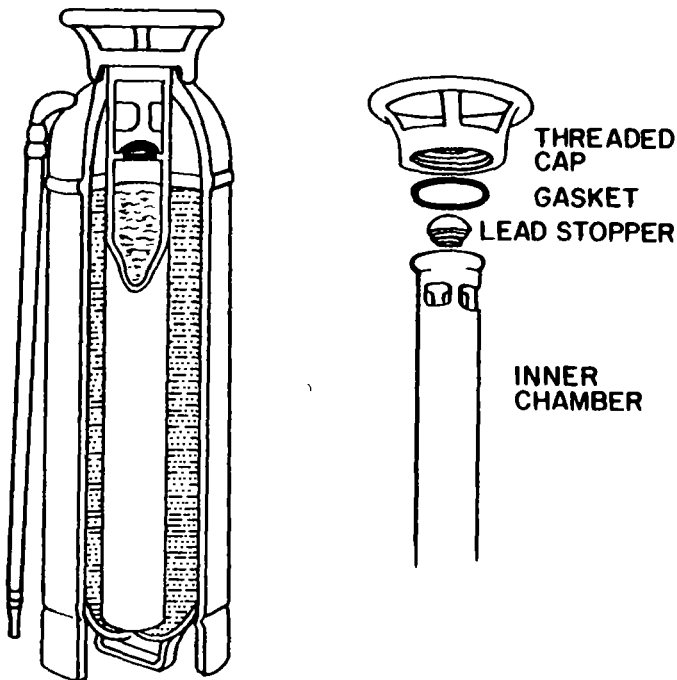


Figure 17-9. Foam extinguisher.

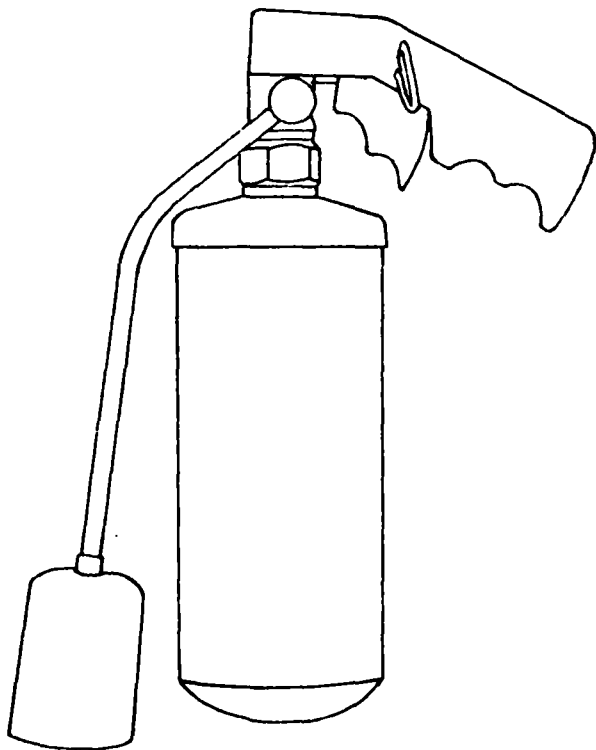


Figure 17-10. CF_3Br extinguisher.

f. Bromotrifluoromethane (CF₃ Br) Extinguishers (fig. 17-10).

(1) *Agent.* This extinguisher uses bromotrifluoromethane, commonly known as Freon 1301, a liquefied compressed gas, as the extinguishing agent.

(2) *Inspection.* In addition to visual inspection, this extinguisher must be weighed semiannually on an accurate scale to determine leakage. If weight is 10 percent or more deficient, recharging is necessary.

(3) *Operation and use.* Pull ring pin, point horn to base of fire and depress trigger. Avoid breathing smoke. Is especially safe and effective against class B and C fires.

g. Dry Chemical Extinguishers (fig. 17-11).

(1) *Agent.* These extinguishers use bicarbonate of soda or potassium bicarbonate as the extinguishing agent.

(2) *Inspection.* Check sealing wire and seal, pressure gauge, hose and nozzle. Semiannually, weigh cartridge of nonpressurized extinguishers and replace if 10 percent or more below prescribed weight.

(3) *Operation and use.* Break sealing wire, remove locking pin, depress operating handle and direct agent at base of fire.

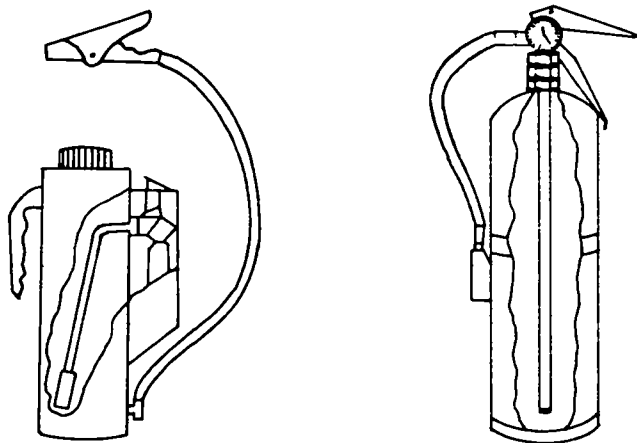


Figure 17-11. Dry chemical extinguisher.

h. *Fire Extinguisher Use.* See table 17-12.

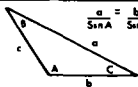

Table 17-12. Fire Extinguisher Use

| Type | Class A fire | Class B fire | Class C fire | Class D fire |
|--|------------------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|
| CD ₂ Extinguisher..... | Good | Excellent | Excellent | Good |
| Water Extinguisher..... | Excellent | Do not use | Do not use | Do not use |
| Soda Acid Extinguisher... .. | Excellent | Do not use | Do not use | Do not use |
| Foam Extinguisher..... | Good | Excellent | Excellent | Do not use |
| Commercial Powders and Granular Materials. | Do not use | Do not use | Do not use | Good |
| CF ₃ Br Extinguisher..... | Do not use | Excellent | Excellent | Do not use |
| Dry Chemical Extinguisher | Only with ABC powders. | Excellent | Excellent | Special powders. |

17-10. TRIGONOMETRIC FUNCTIONS

o. Table 17-13 gives the formulas for solving right and oblique triangles.

Table 17-13. Trigonometric Solutions of Triangles

|  | $\frac{a}{\sin A} = \frac{b}{\sin B} = \frac{c}{\sin C}$ $a^2 = b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos A$ $b^2 = a^2 + c^2 - 2ac \cos B$ $c^2 = a^2 + b^2 - 2ab \cos C$ $S = \frac{a+b+c}{2}$ |  | $a^2 = c^2 - b^2$ $c^2 = a^2 + b^2$ $b^2 = c^2 - a^2$ $\sin A = a/c$ $\cos A = b/c$ $\tan A = a/b$ | | | | |
|---|---|---|--|---------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| RIGHT TRIANGLE | | | | | | | |
| Given | TO FIND | | | | | | |
| | A | B | C | a | b | c | Area |
| a, b | $\tan A = \frac{a}{b}$ | $\tan B = \frac{b}{a}$ | 90° | | | $\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$ | $\frac{ab}{2}$ |
| a, c | $\sin A = \frac{a}{c}$ | $\cos B = \frac{a}{c}$ | 90° | | $\sqrt{c^2 - a^2}$ | | $\frac{a}{2} \sqrt{c^2 - a^2}$ |
| A, c | | 90° - A | 90° | a cot A | $\frac{a}{\sin A}$ | | $\frac{a^2 \cot A}{2}$ |
| A, b | | 90° - A | 90° | b tan A | $\frac{b}{\cos A}$ | | $\frac{b^2 \tan A}{2}$ |
| A, c | | 90° - A | 90° | c sin A | c cos A | | $\frac{c^2 \sin A}{2}$ |
| OBLIQUE TRIANGLE | | | | | | | |
| Given | TO FIND | | | | | | |
| | A | B | C | a | b | c | Area |
| a, b, c | $\cos \frac{A}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{s(s-a)}{bc}}$ | $\cos \frac{B}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{s(s-b)}{ac}}$ | $\cos \frac{C}{2} = \sqrt{\frac{s(s-c)}{ab}}$ | | | | $\sqrt{s(s-a)(s-b)(s-c)}$ |
| a, A, B | | | 180° - (A + B) | $\frac{a \sin B}{\sin A}$ | $\frac{a \sin C}{\sin A}$ | | $\frac{a^2 \sin B \sin C}{2 \sin A}$ |
| a, b, A | | $\sin B = \frac{b \sin A}{a}$ | | | $\frac{b \sin C}{\sin A}$ | | |
| a, b, C | | $\tan A = \frac{a \sin C}{b - a \cos C}$ | | | | $\sqrt{a^2 b^2 - 2ab \cos C}$ | $\frac{ab \sin C}{2}$ |

b. Table 17-14 gives the natural trigonometric functions.

Table 17-14. Natural Trigonometric Functions

| Angle | Sin | Cosec | Tan | Cotan | Sec | Cos | Angle |
|-------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 0° | .000 | | .000 | | 1.000 | 1.000 | 90° |
| 1° | .017 | 57.30 | .017 | 57.29 | 1.000 | 1.000 | 89° |
| 2° | .035 | 28.65 | .035 | 28.64 | 1.001 | .999 | 88° |
| 3° | .052 | 19.11 | .052 | 19.08 | 1.001 | .999 | 87° |
| 4° | .070 | 14.34 | .070 | 14.30 | 1.002 | .998 | 86° |
| 5° | .087 | 11.47 | .087 | 11.43 | 1.004 | .996 | 85° |
| 6° | .105 | 9.567 | .105 | 9.514 | 1.006 | .995 | 84° |
| 7° | .122 | 8.206 | .123 | 8.144 | 1.008 | .993 | 83° |
| 8° | .139 | 7.185 | .141 | 7.115 | 1.010 | .990 | 82° |
| 9° | .156 | 6.392 | .158 | 6.314 | 1.012 | .988 | 81° |
| 10° | .174 | 5.759 | .176 | 5.671 | 1.015 | .985 | 80° |
| 11° | .191 | 5.241 | .194 | 5.145 | 1.019 | .982 | 79° |
| 12° | .208 | 4.810 | .213 | 4.705 | 1.022 | .978 | 78° |
| 13° | .225 | 4.445 | .231 | 4.331 | 1.026 | .974 | 77° |
| 14° | .242 | 4.134 | .249 | 4.011 | 1.031 | .970 | 76° |
| 15° | .259 | 3.864 | .268 | 3.732 | 1.035 | .966 | 75° |
| 16° | .276 | 3.628 | .287 | 3.487 | 1.040 | .961 | 74° |
| 17° | .292 | 3.420 | .306 | 3.271 | 1.046 | .956 | 73° |
| 18° | .309 | 3.236 | .325 | 3.078 | 1.051 | .951 | 72° |
| 19° | .326 | 3.072 | .344 | 2.904 | 1.058 | .946 | 71° |
| 20° | .342 | 2.924 | .364 | 2.747 | 1.064 | .940 | 70° |
| 21° | .358 | 2.790 | .384 | 2.605 | 1.071 | .934 | 69° |
| 22° | .375 | 2.669 | .404 | 2.475 | 1.079 | .927 | 68° |
| 23° | .391 | 2.559 | .424 | 2.356 | 1.086 | .921 | 67° |
| 24° | .407 | 2.459 | .445 | 2.246 | 1.095 | .914 | 66° |
| 25° | .423 | 2.366 | .466 | 2.145 | 1.103 | .906 | 65° |
| 26° | .438 | 2.281 | .488 | 2.050 | 1.113 | .899 | 64° |
| 27° | .454 | 2.203 | .510 | 1.963 | 1.122 | .891 | 63° |
| 28° | .469 | 2.130 | .532 | 1.881 | 1.133 | .883 | 62° |
| 29° | .485 | 2.063 | .554 | 1.804 | 1.143 | .875 | 61° |
| 30° | .500 | 2.000 | .577 | 1.732 | 1.155 | .866 | 60° |
| 31° | .515 | 1.942 | .601 | 1.664 | 1.167 | .857 | 59° |
| 32° | .530 | 1.887 | .625 | 1.600 | 1.179 | .848 | 58° |
| 33° | .545 | 1.836 | .649 | 1.540 | 1.192 | .839 | 57° |
| 34° | .559 | 1.788 | .675 | 1.483 | 1.206 | .829 | 56° |
| 35° | .574 | 1.743 | .700 | 1.428 | 1.221 | .819 | 55° |
| 36° | .588 | 1.701 | .727 | 1.376 | 1.236 | .809 | 54° |
| 37° | .602 | 1.662 | .754 | 1.327 | 1.252 | .799 | 53° |
| 38° | .616 | 1.624 | .781 | 1.280 | 1.269 | .788 | 52° |
| 39° | .629 | 1.589 | .810 | 1.235 | 1.287 | .777 | 51° |
| 40° | .643 | 1.556 | .839 | 1.192 | 1.305 | .766 | 50° |
| 41° | .656 | 1.524 | .869 | 1.150 | 1.325 | .755 | 49° |
| 42° | .669 | 1.494 | .900 | 1.111 | 1.346 | .743 | 48° |
| 43° | .682 | 1.466 | .933 | 1.072 | 1.367 | .731 | 47° |
| 44° | .695 | 1.440 | .966 | 1.036 | 1.390 | .719 | 46° |
| 45° | .707 | 1.414 | 1.000 | 1.000 | 1.414 | .707 | 45° |
| | Cos | Sec | Cotan | Tan | Cosec | Sin | Angle |

17-11. LENGTHS, AREAS, AND VOLUMES OF GEOMETRIC FIGURES**a. Legend.**

A = area

h = height

b = length of base

c = hypotenuse

C = circumference

V = volume

r = radius

D = diameter

 $\pi = 3.1416$

L = length of arc

K = length of card

b. Formulas.**(1) Any triangle:**

$$A = \frac{1}{2} bh$$

$$\text{or: } \sin \gamma = \frac{c \sin \phi}{a}$$

(2) Right triangle:

$$a = \sqrt{c^2 - b^2}$$

$$b = \sqrt{c^2 - a^2}$$

$$c = \sqrt{a^2 + b^2}$$

(3) Circle:

$$A = \pi r^2$$

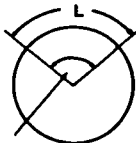
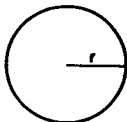
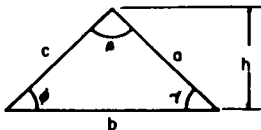
$$A = 0.7854 D^2$$

$$C = \pi D$$

(4) Segment of circle:

$$A = \frac{\pi r^2}{360} - \frac{r^2 \sin \alpha}{2}$$

$$L = \frac{2\pi r}{360} \times \alpha$$



α = angle
in degrees

(5) Sector of circle:

$$A = \frac{r^2}{2} \frac{\pi}{180} (\text{angle in degrees})$$

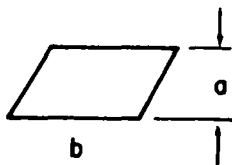
(6) Regular polygons. The area of any regular polygon (all sides equal, all angles equal) is equal to the product of the square of the lengths of one side and the factors shown in table 17-15. Example: Area of a regular octagon having 6-inch sides is $6 \times 6 \times 4.828$, or 173.81 square inches. See factors in table.

Table 17-15. Polygon Factors

| Na. of sides | Factor | Na. of sides | Factor |
|--------------|--------|--------------|--------|
| 3 | 0.433 | 8 | 4.828 |
| 4 | 1.000 | 9 | 6.182 |
| 5 | 1.720 | 10 | 7.694 |
| 6 | 2.598 | 11 | 9.366 |
| 7 | 3.634 | 12 | 11.196 |

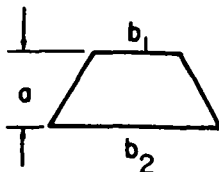
(7) Rectangle and parallelogram:

$$A = ab$$



(8) Trapezoid.

$$A = 1/2 a(b_1 + b_2)$$



(9) *Irregular figures.* Measure widths at offsets regularly spaced along any straight line, and apply one of the following:

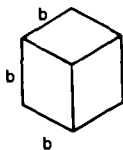
(a) *Trapezoidal rule.* $A = \text{one half the interval between offsets} \times (\text{sum of two end widths plus twice the sum of the intermediate widths}).$

(b) *Simpson's rule.* (Assumes lateral boundaries are parabolic curves.) $A = \text{one third the interval between offsets} \times \text{sum of two end widths plus twice the sum of the odd widths, except first and last (3rd, 5th, 7th, etc.) plus 4 times the sum of the even widths (2nd, 4th, 6th, etc.)}$

Note. The above rule required an odd number of widths. If there is an even number, compute separately the area of a trapezoid at one end.

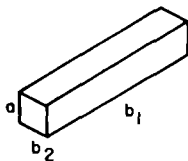
(10) *Cube:*

$$V = b^3$$



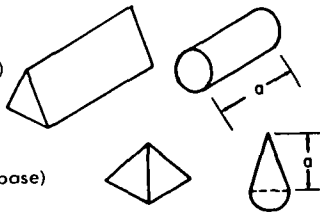
(11) *Rectangular parallelepiped:*

$$V = ab_1b_2$$



(12) *Prism or cylinder:*

$$V = aX \text{ (area of base)}$$



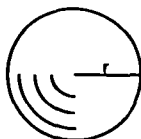
(13) *Pyramid or cone:*

$$V = (1/3)aX \text{ (area of base)}$$

(14) Sphere:

$$V = \frac{4}{3}\pi r^3 = \frac{\pi D^3}{6}$$

$$A = 4\pi r^2$$



(15) Prismoidal section:

$V = \text{one-sixth the length } X \text{ (sum of the end areas plus 4 times the midsection area)}$

17-12. FUNCTIONS OF NUMBERS

Table 17-16 gives the most used functions of all whole numbers from 1 to 100.

Table 17-16. Functions of Numbers

| No. | Square | Cube | Sq. root | Logarithm |
|---------|--------|------|----------|-----------|
| 1..... | 1 | 1 | 1.0000 | 0.00000 |
| 2..... | 4 | 8 | 1.4142 | .30103 |
| 3..... | 9 | 27 | 1.7321 | .47712 |
| 4..... | 16 | 64 | 2.0000 | .60206 |
| 5..... | 25 | 125 | 2.2361 | .69897 |
| 6..... | 36 | 216 | 2.4495 | .77815 |
| 7..... | 49 | 343 | 2.6458 | .84510 |
| 8..... | 64 | 512 | 2.8284 | .90309 |
| 9..... | 81 | 729 | 3.0000 | .95424 |
| 10..... | 100 | 1000 | 3.1623 | 1.00000 |
| 11..... | 121 | 1331 | 3.3166 | 1.04139 |
| 12..... | 144 | 1728 | 3.4641 | 1.07918 |
| 13..... | 169 | 2197 | 3.6056 | 1.11394 |
| 14..... | 196 | 2744 | 3.7417 | 1.14613 |
| 15..... | 225 | 3375 | 3.8730 | 1.17609 |

Table 17-16. Functions of Numbers—Continued

| No. | Square | Cube | Sq. root | Logarithm |
|---------|--------|-------|----------|-----------|
| 16..... | 256 | 4096 | 4.0000 | 1.20412 |
| 17..... | 289 | 4913 | 4.1231 | 1.23045 |
| 18..... | 324 | 5832 | 4.2426 | 1.25527 |
| 19..... | 361 | 6859 | 4.3589 | 1.27875 |
| 20..... | 400 | 8000 | 4.4721 | 1.30103 |
| 21..... | 441 | 9261 | 4.5826 | 1.32222 |
| 22..... | 484 | 10648 | 4.6904 | 1.34242 |
| 23..... | 529 | 12167 | 4.7958 | 1.36173 |
| 24..... | 576 | 13824 | 4.8990 | 1.38021 |
| 25..... | 625 | 15625 | 5.0000 | 1.39794 |
| 26..... | 676 | 17576 | 5.0990 | 1.41497 |
| 27..... | 729 | 19683 | 5.1962 | 1.43136 |
| 28..... | 784 | 21952 | 5.2915 | 1.44716 |
| 29..... | 841 | 24389 | 5.3852 | 1.46240 |
| 30..... | 900 | 27000 | 5.4772 | 1.47712 |
| 31..... | 961 | 29791 | 5.5678 | 1.49136 |
| 32..... | 1024 | 32768 | 5.6569 | 1.50515 |
| 33..... | 1089 | 35937 | 5.7446 | 1.51851 |
| 34..... | 1156 | 39304 | 5.8310 | 1.53148 |
| 35..... | 1225 | 42875 | 5.9161 | 1.54407 |
| 36..... | 1296 | 46656 | 6.0000 | 1.55630 |
| 37..... | 1369 | 50653 | 6.0828 | 1.56820 |
| 38..... | 1444 | 54872 | 6.1644 | 1.57978 |
| 39..... | 1521 | 59319 | 6.2450 | 1.59106 |
| 40..... | 1600 | 64000 | 6.3246 | 1.60206 |
| 41..... | 1681 | 68921 | 6.4031 | 1.61278 |
| 42..... | 1764 | 74088 | 6.4807 | 1.62325 |
| 43..... | 1849 | 79507 | 6.5574 | 1.63347 |
| 44..... | 1936 | 85184 | 6.6332 | 1.64345 |
| 45..... | 2025 | 91125 | 6.7082 | 1.65321 |

Table 17-16. Functions of Numbers—Continued

| No. | Square | Cube | Sq. root | Logarithm |
|---------|--------|--------|----------|-----------|
| 46..... | 2116 | 97336 | 6.7823 | 1.66276 |
| 47..... | 2209 | 103823 | 6.8557 | 1.67210 |
| 48..... | 2304 | 110592 | 6.9282 | 1.68124 |
| 49..... | 2401 | 117649 | 7.0000 | 1.69020 |
| 50..... | 2500 | 125000 | 7.0711 | 1.69897 |
| 51..... | 2601 | 132651 | 7.1414 | 1.70757 |
| 52..... | 2704 | 140608 | 7.2111 | 1.71600 |
| 53..... | 2809 | 148877 | 7.2801 | 1.72428 |
| 54..... | 2916 | 157464 | 7.3485 | 1.73239 |
| 55..... | 3025 | 166375 | 7.4162 | 1.74036 |
| 56..... | 3136 | 175616 | 7.4833 | 1.74819 |
| 57..... | 3249 | 185193 | 7.5498 | 1.75587 |
| 58..... | 3364 | 195112 | 7.6158 | 1.76343 |
| 59..... | 3481 | 205379 | 7.6811 | 1.77085 |
| 60..... | 3600 | 216000 | 7.7460 | 1.77815 |
| 61..... | 3721 | 226981 | 7.8102 | 1.78533 |
| 62..... | 3844 | 238328 | 7.8740 | 1.79239 |
| 63..... | 3969 | 250047 | 7.9373 | 1.79934 |
| 64..... | 4096 | 262144 | 8.0000 | 1.80618 |
| 65..... | 4225 | 274625 | 8.0623 | 1.81291 |
| 66..... | 4356 | 287496 | 8.1240 | 1.81954 |
| 67..... | 4489 | 300763 | 8.1854 | 1.82607 |
| 68..... | 4624 | 314432 | 8.2462 | 1.83251 |
| 69..... | 4761 | 328509 | 8.3066 | 1.83885 |
| 70..... | 4900 | 343000 | 8.3666 | 1.84510 |
| 71..... | 5041 | 357911 | 8.4261 | 1.85126 |
| 72..... | 5184 | 373248 | 8.4853 | 1.85733 |
| 73..... | 5329 | 389017 | 8.5440 | 1.86332 |
| 74..... | 5476 | 405224 | 8.6023 | 1.86923 |
| 75..... | 5625 | 421875 | 8.6603 | 1.87506 |

Table 17-16. Functions of Numbers—Continued

| No. | Square | Cube | Sq. root | Logarithm |
|----------|--------|---------|----------|-----------|
| 76..... | 5776 | 438976 | 8.7178 | 1.88081 |
| 77..... | 5929 | 456533 | 8.7750 | 1.88649 |
| 78..... | 6084 | 474552 | 8.8318 | 1.89209 |
| 79..... | 6241 | 493039 | 8.8882 | 1.89763 |
| 80..... | 6400 | 512000 | 8.9443 | 1.90309 |
| 81..... | 6561 | 531441 | 9.0000 | 1.90849 |
| 82..... | 6724 | 551368 | 9.0554 | 1.91381 |
| 83..... | 6889 | 571787 | 9.1104 | 1.91908 |
| 84..... | 7056 | 592704 | 9.1652 | 1.92428 |
| 85..... | 7225 | 614125 | 9.2195 | 1.92942 |
| 86..... | 7396 | 636056 | 9.2736 | 1.93450 |
| 87..... | 7569 | 658503 | 9.3274 | 1.93952 |
| 88..... | 7744 | 681472 | 9.3808 | 1.94448 |
| 89..... | 7921 | 704969 | 9.4340 | 1.94939 |
| 90..... | 8100 | 729000 | 9.4868 | 1.95424 |
| 91..... | 8281 | 753571 | 9.5394 | 1.95904 |
| 92..... | 8464 | 778688 | 9.5917 | 1.96379 |
| 93..... | 8649 | 804357 | 9.6437 | 1.96848 |
| 94..... | 8836 | 830584 | 9.6954 | 1.97313 |
| 95..... | 9025 | 857375 | 9.7468 | 1.97772 |
| 96..... | 9216 | 884736 | 9.7980 | 1.98227 |
| 97..... | 9409 | 912673 | 9.8489 | 1.98677 |
| 98..... | 9604 | 941192 | 9.8995 | 1.99123 |
| 99..... | 9801 | 970299 | 9.9499 | 1.99564 |
| 100..... | 10000 | 1000000 | 10.0000 | 2.00000 |

17-13. TROOP MOVEMENT FACTORS

a. *Rates of March.* See table 17-17.

Table 17-17. *Rates and Lengths of Marches*¹

| Unit | Average Rates of March (KMPH) ² | | | | Days March Kilo meters |
|----------------------------|--|------------------------------|---------------|-------|---------------------------------|
| | On Roads | | Cross-country | | |
| | Day | Night | Day | Night | |
| Foot troops..... | 4 | 3.2 | 2.4 | 1.6 | 20-32 |
| Trucks, general..... | 40 | 40 (lights) 16 (blackout) | 12 | 8 | 280 |
| Tracked vehicles..... | 24 | 24 (lights) 16 (blackout) | 16 | 8 | 240 |
| Truck-drawn artillery.... | 40 | 40 (lights) 16 (blackout) | 12 | 8 | 280 |
| Tractor-drawn artillery... | 32 | 32 (lights) 16 (blackout) | 16 | 8 | 240 |

¹ This table is for general planning and comparison purposes. All rates given are variable in accordance with the movement conditions as determined by reconnaissance.

² These rates include normal periodic rest halts.

b. March Formulas. See table 17-18.

Table 17-18. March Formulas and Factors

Metric Conversion Factors

Kilometers (Km)—

Miles (mi)

To convert kilometers to miles:

Multiply the number of kilometers by the factor .62

$Mi = Nr \text{ of } Km \times .62$

To convert miles to kilometers:

Multiply the number of miles by the factor 1.6

$Km = Nr \text{ of } mi \times 1.6$

Meters (M)—Yards (yds)

To convert meters to yards:

Multiply the number of meters by the factor 1.1

$Yds = Nr \text{ of } M \times 1.1$

To convert yards to meters:

Multiply the number of yards by the factor .91

$M = Nr \text{ of } yds \times .91$

Far Time Distance (TD):

Divide the distance (kilometers) by the rate of march (kilometers per hour).

$TD \text{ (hours)} = \frac{D \text{ (Kilometers)}}{R \text{ (Kilometers per hour)}}$

To convert fractional parts of an hour to minutes, multiply the fractional part by 60

For Time Length (TL) of Foot Column:

Multiply road space (RS) of the column by factor for rate of march.

$TL \text{ (minutes)} = (RS \times \text{factor})$

Select factor from table below

| <u>Rate (kmph)</u> | <u>Factor</u> |
|--------------------|---------------|
| 4.0 | .0150 |
| 3.2 | .0187 |
| 2.4 | .0250 |
| 1.6 | .0375 |

For Road Space (RS) of Foot Troops:

Multiply number of men by factor for formation and add the total distance of the intervals between units.

$RS \text{ (meters)} = (Nr \text{ of men} \times \text{factor}) + \text{distances}$

Select factor from table below

| <u>Formation</u> | <u>2 M Man</u> | <u>5 M Man</u> |
|------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Single File | 2.4 | 5.4 |
| Column of Two's | 1.2 | 2.7 |

Table 17-18—Continued

Far Time Length (TL) Vehicles (Open Column):

Multiply number of vehicles by factor for formation and rate of march and add time intervals (TI) between units.

$$TL \text{ (minutes)} = (\text{Nr of vehicles} \times \text{factor}) + \text{TI's}$$

Select factor from table below

| <u>Rate (kmph)</u> | <u>M/Veh</u> | <u>Factor</u> |
|--------------------|--------------|---------------|
| 16 | 100 | .3750 |
| 24 | 100 | .2500 |
| 32 | 100 | .1875 |
| 40 | 100 | .1500 |
| 48 | 100 | .1250 |

Far Time Length (TL) of Motors (Close Column):

Multiply number of vehicles by .12 and add the time intervals (TI) between units.

$$TL \text{ (minutes)} = (\text{Nr of vehicles} \times .12) + \text{TI's}$$

Far Completion Time (CT):

Add TL of column, TD from IP to RP, and any scheduled halts other than normal breaks, to the IP time.

$$CT = \text{IP time} + \text{TL} + \text{TD} + \text{Scheduled Halts}$$

Example:

| Hr | Min |
|----|-----|
| 07 | 45 |
| 01 | 12 |
| 05 | 55 |
| 01 | 00 |

IP time (clock time)

01 12 TL of column (1 hr 12 min)

05 55 TD (IP to RP, 5 hrs 55 min)

01 00 Meal halt (one hour)

$$CT = 14 \quad 112 \text{ or } 1552$$

The move will be completed at 1552 hours.

For Road Space (RS) of vehicles:

Multiply the TL (minutes) by the rate in kilometers per hour and divide by 60.

$$RS \text{ (kilometers)} =$$

$$\frac{TL \text{ (min)} \times R \text{ (Kilometers per hour)}}{60 \text{ (minutes/hour)}}$$

17-14. TIME DISTANCE CONVERSION

See table 17-19.

Table 17-19. Time Distance Conversion

| Miles per hour | Knots | Feet per second | Kilometers per hour | Meters per second |
|-------------------------------|--------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1 | 0.8684 | 1.4667 | 1.609 | 0.447 |
| 2 | 1.74 | 2.93 | 3.22 | 0.894 |
| 3 | 2.61 | 4.40 | 4.83 | 1.34 |
| 4 | 3.47 | 5.87 | 6.44 | 1.79 |
| 5 | 4.34 | 7.33 | 8.05 | 2.24 |
| 6 | 5.21 | 8.80 | 9.66 | 2.68 |
| 7 | 6.08 | 10.27 | 11.27 | 3.13 |
| 8 | 6.95 | 11.73 | 12.87 | 3.58 |
| 9 | 7.82 | 13.20 | 14.48 | 4.02 |
| 10 | 8.68 | 14.67 | 16.09 | 4.47 |
| 11 | 9.55 | 16.13 | 17.70 | 4.92 |
| 12 | 10.42 | 17.60 | 19.31 | 5.36 |
| 13 | 11.29 | 19.07 | 20.92 | 5.81 |
| 14 | 12.16 | 20.53 | 22.53 | 6.26 |
| 15 | 13.03 | 22.00 | 24.14 | 6.71 |
| 16 | 13.89 | 23.47 | 25.75 | 7.15 |
| 17 | 14.76 | 24.93 | 27.36 | 7.60 |
| 18 | 15.63 | 26.40 | 28.97 | 8.05 |
| 19 | 16.50 | 27.87 | 30.58 | 8.49 |
| 20 | 17.37 | 29.33 | 32.19 | 8.94 |
| 21 | 18.24 | 30.80 | 33.80 | 9.39 |
| 22 | 19.10 | 32.27 | 35.41 | 9.83 |
| 23 | 19.97 | 33.73 | 37.02 | 10.28 |
| 24 | 20.84 | 35.20 | 38.62 | 10.73 |
| 25 | 21.71 | 36.67 | 40.23 | 11.18 |
| 26 | 22.58 | 38.13 | 41.84 | 11.62 |
| 27 | 23.45 | 39.60 | 43.45 | 12.07 |
| 28 | 24.32 | 41.07 | 45.06 | 12.52 |
| 29 | 25.18 | 42.53 | 46.67 | 12.96 |
| 30 | 26.05 | 44.00 | 48.28 | 13.41 |
| 31 | 26.92 | 45.47 | 49.89 | 13.86 |
| 32 | 27.79 | 46.93 | 51.50 | 14.31 |
| 33 | 28.66 | 48.40 | 53.11 | 14.75 |
| 34 | 29.53 | 49.87 | 54.72 | 15.20 |
| 35 | 30.39 | 51.33 | 56.33 | 15.65 |

Table 17-19—Continued

| Miles per hour | Knots | Feet per second | Kilometers per hour | Meters per second |
|----------------------|-------|-----------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|
| 36 | 31.26 | 52.80 | 57.94 | 16.09 |
| 37 | 32.13 | 54.27 | 59.55 | 16.54 |
| 38 | 33.00 | 55.73 | 61.16 | 16.99 |
| 39 | 33.87 | 57.20 | 62.76 | 17.43 |
| 40 | 34.74 | 58.67 | 64.37 | 17.88 |
| 41 | 35.60 | 60.13 | 65.98 | 18.33 |
| 42 | 36.47 | 61.60 | 67.59 | 18.78 |
| 43 | 37.34 | 63.07 | 69.20 | 19.22 |
| 44 | 38.21 | 64.53 | 70.81 | 19.67 |
| 45 | 39.08 | 66.00 | 72.42 | 20.12 |
| 46 | 39.95 | 67.47 | 74.03 | 20.56 |
| 47 | 40.81 | 68.93 | 75.64 | 21.01 |
| 48 | 41.68 | 70.40 | 77.25 | 21.46 |
| 49 | 42.55 | 71.87 | 78.86 | 21.90 |
| 50 | 43.42 | 73.33 | 80.47 | 22.35 |
| 51 | 44.29 | 74.80 | 82.08 | 22.80 |
| 52 | 45.16 | 76.27 | 83.69 | 23.25 |
| 53 | 46.03 | 77.73 | 85.30 | 23.69 |
| 54 | 46.89 | 79.20 | 86.90 | 24.14 |
| 55 | 47.76 | 80.67 | 88.51 | 24.59 |
| 56 | 48.63 | 82.13 | 90.12 | 25.03 |
| 57 | 49.50 | 83.60 | 91.73 | 25.48 |
| 58 | 50.37 | 85.07 | 93.34 | 25.93 |
| 59 | 51.24 | 86.53 | 94.95 | 26.38 |
| 60 | 52.10 | 88.00 | 96.56 | 26.82 |
| 61 | 52.97 | 89.47 | 98.17 | 27.27 |
| 62 | 53.84 | 90.93 | 99.78 | 27.72 |
| 63 | 54.71 | 92.40 | 101.39 | 28.16 |
| 64 | 55.58 | 93.87 | 103.00 | 28.61 |
| 65 | 56.45 | 95.33 | 104.61 | 29.06 |
| 66 | 57.31 | 96.80 | 106.22 | 29.50 |
| 67 | 58.18 | 98.27 | 107.83 | 29.95 |
| 68 | 59.05 | 99.73 | 109.44 | 30.40 |
| 69 | 59.92 | 101.20 | 111.05 | 30.85 |
| 70 | 60.79 | 102.67 | 112.65 | 31.29 |

Table 17-19 — Continued

| Miles per hour | Knots | Feet per second | Kilometers per hour | Meters per second |
|----------------------|-------|-----------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|
| 71 | 61.66 | 104.13 | 114.26 | 31.74 |
| 72 | 62.52 | 105.60 | 115.87 | 32.19 |
| 73 | 63.39 | 107.07 | 117.48 | 32.63 |
| 74 | 64.26 | 108.53 | 119.09 | 33.08 |
| 75 | 65.13 | 110.00 | 120.70 | 33.53 |
| 100 | 86.84 | 146.67 | 160.94 | 44.70 |

17-15. CONVERSION FACTORS

See table 17-20.

Table 17-20. Conversion Factors

| Multiply | by | to obtain |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|
| Acres..... | 43,560 | square feet |
| acres..... | 4,047 | square meters |
| acres..... | 1.562×10^{-1} | square miles. |
| acres..... | 5645.38 | square varas. |
| acres..... | 4,840 | square yards. |
| acre-feet..... | 43,560 | cubic-feet. |
| acres..... | 0.02471 | acres. |
| acres..... | 100 | square meters. |
| atmospheres..... | 76.0 | cms. of mercury |
| atmospheres..... | 29.92 | inches of mercury. |
| atmospheres..... | 33.90 | feet of water. |
| atmospheres..... | 14.70 | pounds per sq. inch. |
| board-feet..... | 144 sq. in. \times 1 in. | cubic inches. |
| British thermal units..... | 0.2520 | kilogram-calories. |
| British thermal units..... | 777.5 | foot-pounds. |
| British thermal units..... | 3.927×10^{-4} | horse-power-hours. |
| British thermal units..... | 1.054 | joules. |
| British thermal units..... | 107.5 | kilogram-meters. |
| British thermal units..... | 2.928×10^{-4} | kilowatt-hours. |
| B.t.u. per min..... | 12.96 | foot-pounds per sec |

Table 17-20. Conversion Factors—Continued

| Multiply | by | to obtain |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| B t.u. per min..... | 0.02356 | horse-power |
| B t.u. per min..... | 0.01757 | kilowatts. |
| 8 t.u. per min..... | 17.57 | watts |
| B t.u. per sq. ft per min..... | 0 1220 | watts per square inch |
| bushels..... | 1.244 | cubic feet. |
| bushels..... | 2,150 | cubic inches. |
| bushels..... | 0 03524 | cubic meters. |
| bushels..... | 4 | pecks |
| bushels..... | 64 | pints (dry). |
| bushels..... | 32 | quarts (dry). |
| Centares..... | 1 | square meters. |
| centigrams..... | 0101 | grams. |
| centiliters..... | 0.01 | liters. |
| centimeters..... | 0.3937 | inches. |
| centimeters..... | 0 01 | meters. |
| centimeters..... | 393.7 | mils. |
| centimeters..... | 10 | millimeters |
| centimeters-dynes..... | $1\ 020 \times 10^{-3}$ | centimeter-grams |
| centimeter-dynes..... | $1\ 020 \times 10^{-8}$ | meter-kilograms. |
| centimeter-dynes..... | 7.376×10^{-8} | pound-feet |
| centimeter-grams..... | 980.7 | centimeter-dynes. |
| centimeter-grams..... | 10^{-5} | meter-kilograms. |
| centimeter-groms..... | 7.233×10^{-5} | pound-feet. |
| centimeters of mercury..... | 0 01316 | atmospheres. |
| centimeters of mercury..... | 0.4461 | feet of water. |
| centimeters of mercury..... | 136.0 | kgs per square meter |
| centimeters of mercury..... | 27.85 | pounds per sq foot. |
| centimeters of mercury..... | 0.1934 | pounds per sq inch |
| centimeters per second..... | 1 969 | feet per minute. |
| centimeters per second..... | 0 03281 | feet per second |
| centimeters per second..... | 0.036 | kilometers per hour. |
| centimeters per second..... | 0 6 | meters per minute |
| centimeters per second..... | 0.02237 | miles per hour |
| centimeters per second..... | 3.728×10^{-4} | miles per minute |
| cms. per sec. per sec..... | 0 03281 | feet per sec. per. sec. |
| cms. per sec. per sec..... | 0.036 | kms. per hour per sec. |
| cms per sec. per sec..... | 0.02237 | miles per hour per sec. |
| circular mils..... | $5\ 067 \times 10^{-6}$ | square centimeters. |
| circular mils..... | 7.854×10^{-7} | square inches. |
| circular mils..... | 0.7854 | square mils. |

Table 17-20. Conversion Factors—Continued

| Multiply | by | to obtain |
|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------|
| cord-feet..... | 4 ft. \times 4 ft \times 1 ft. | cubic feet. |
| cords..... | 8 ft. \times 4 ft. \times 4 ft. | cubic feet. |
| cubic centimeters..... | 3.531×10^{-5} | cubic feet |
| cubic centimeters..... | 6.102×10^{-2} | cubic inches. |
| cubic centimeters..... | 10^{-6} | cubic meters. |
| cubic centimeters..... | 1.308×10^{-6} | cubic yards |
| cubic centimeters..... | 2.642×10^{-4} | gallons. |
| cubic centimeters..... | 10^{-3} | liters |
| cubic centimeters..... | 2.113×10^{-3} | pints (liq.) |
| cubic centimeters..... | 1.057×10^{-3} | quarts (liq.) |
| cubic feet..... | 2.832×10^4 | cubic cms. |
| cubic feet..... | 1.728 | cubic inches. |
| cubic feet..... | 0.02832 | cubic meters. |
| cubic feet..... | 0.03704 | cubic yards. |
| cubic feet..... | 7.481 | gallons. |
| cubic feet..... | 28.32 | liters. |
| cubic feet..... | 59.84 | pints (liq.) |
| cubic feet..... | 29.92 | quarts (liq.) |
| cubic feet per minute..... | 472.0 | cubic cms. per sec. |
| cubic feet per minute..... | 0.1247 | gallons per. sec. |
| cubic feet per minute..... | 0.4720 | liters per second. |
| cubic feet per minute..... | 62.4 | lbs. of water per min. |
| cubic inches..... | 16.39 | cubic centimeters. |
| cubic inches..... | 5.787×10^{-4} | cubic feet. |
| cubic inches..... | 1.639×10^{-5} | cubic meters. |
| cubic inches..... | 2.143×10^{-5} | cubic yards. |
| cubic inches..... | 4.329×10^{-3} | gallons. |
| cubic inches..... | 1.639×10^{-2} | liters |
| cubic inches..... | 0.03463 | pints (liq.). |
| cubic inches..... | 0.01732 | quarts (liq.). |
| cubic meters..... | 10^6 | cubic centimeters. |
| cubic meters..... | 35.31 | cubic feet. |
| cubic meters..... | 61,023 | cubic inches |
| cubic meters..... | 1.308 | cubic yards. |
| cubic meters..... | 264.2 | gallons. |
| cubic meters..... | 10^3 | liters |
| cubic meters..... | 2113 | pints (liq.). |
| cubic meters..... | 1057 | quarts (liq.). |
| cubic yards..... | 7.646×10^5 | cubic centimeters. |
| cubic yards..... | 27 | cubic feet. |

Table 17-20. Conversion Factors—Continued

| Multiply | by | to obtain |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|
| cubic yords. | 46,656 | cubic inches. |
| cubic yards. | 0.7646 | cubic meters |
| cubic yards. | 202.0 | gallons. |
| cubic yords. | 764.6 | liters. |
| cubic yords. | 1616 | pints (liq.). |
| cubic yords. | 807.9 | quarts (liq.) |
| cubic yards per minute | 0.45 | cubic feet per second. |
| cubic yords per minute | 3.367 | gallons per second. |
| cubic yords per minute | 12.74 | liters per second |
| Days. | 24 | hours. |
| days. | 1440 | minutes |
| days. | 86,400 | seconds |
| decigrams. | 0.1 | grams. |
| deciliters. | 0.1 | liters. |
| decimeters. | 0.1 | meters |
| degrees (angle). | 60 | minutes |
| degrees (angle). | 0.01745 | radians. |
| degrees (angle). | 3600 | seconds. |
| degrees per second. | 0.01745 | radians per second |
| degrees per second. | 0.1667 | revolutions per min. |
| degrees per second. | 0.002778 | revolutions per sec |
| dekagrams. | 10 | grams. |
| dekaliters. | 10 | liters |
| dekometers. | 10 | meters. |
| drams. | 1.772 | grams. |
| drams. | 0.0625 | ounces. |
| dynes. | 1.020×10^{-3} | grams. |
| dynes. | 7.233×10^{-5} | poundals. |
| dynes. | 2.248×10^{-6} | pounds. |
| Ergs. | 9.486×10^{-11} | British thermal units. |
| Fathoms. | 6 | feet. |
| feet. | 30.48 | centimeters. |
| feet. | 12 | inches |
| feet. | 0.3048 | meters. |
| feet. | .36 | varas |
| feet. | $\frac{1}{3}$ | yards. |
| feet of water. | 0.4335 | pounds per sq. inch. |
| feet per minute. | 0.5080 | centimeters per sec. |
| feet per minute. | 0.01667 | feet per second. |
| feet per minute. | 0.01829 | kilometers per hour |

Table 17-20. Conversion Factors—Continued

| Multiply | by | to obtain |
|----------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|
| feet per minute | 0.3048 | meters per minute |
| feet per minute | 0.01136 | miles per hour |
| feet per second | 30.48 | centimeters per sec. |
| feet per second | 1.097 | kilometers per hour. |
| feet per second | 0.5921 | knots per hour |
| feet per second | 18.29 | meters per minute |
| feet per second | 0.6818 | miles per hour |
| feet per second | 0.01136 | miles per minute. |
| feet per 100 feet | 1 | per cent grade |
| feet per sec. per sec. | 30.48 | cms. per sec. per sec. |
| feet per sec. per sec. | 1.097 | kms. per hr. per sec. |
| feet per sec. per sec. | 0.3048 | meters per sec. per sec. |
| feet per sec. per sec. | 0.6818 | miles per hr. per sec. |
| foot-pounds | 1.286×10^{-3} | British thermol units. |
| foot-pounds | 1.356×10^7 | ergs. |
| foot-pounds | 5.050×10^{-7} | horse-power-hours. |
| foot-pounds | 1.356 | joules |
| foot-pounds | 3.241×10^{-4} | kilogram-colones. |
| foot-pounds | 0.1383 | kilogram-meters. |
| foot-pounds | 3.766×10^{-7} | kilowatt-hours |
| foot-pounds per minute | 1.286×10^{-3} | B. t. units per minute. |
| foot-pounds per minute | 0.01667 | foot-pounds per sec. |
| foot-pounds per minute | 3.030×10^{-5} | horse-power. |
| foot-pounds per minute | 3.241×10^{-4} | kg-calories per min. |
| foot-pounds per minute | 2.260×10^{-5} | kilowatts. |
| foot-pounds per second | 7.717×10^{-2} | B. t. units per minute. |
| foot-pounds per second | 1.818×10^{-3} | horse-power. |
| foot-pounds per second | 1.945×10^{-2} | kg-calories per min. |
| foot-pounds per second | 1.356×10^{-3} | kilowatts |
| furlongs | 40 | rods. |
| Gallons | 3785 | cubic centimeters |
| gallons | 0.1337 | cubic feet |
| gallons | 231 | cubic inches. |
| gallons | 3.785×10^{-3} | cubic meters |
| gallons | 4.951×10^{-3} | cubic yards |
| gallons | 3.785 | liters. |
| gallons | 8 | pints (liq.). |
| gallons | 4 | quarts (liq.). |
| gallons per minute | 2.228×10^{-3} | cubic feet per second. |

Table 17-20. Conversion Factors—Continued

| Multiply | by | to obtain |
|-------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| gallons per minute..... | 0.06308 | liters per second. |
| gills..... | 0.1183 | liters. |
| gills..... | 0.25 | pints (liq.). |
| grains (troy)..... | 1 | grains (av.). |
| grains (troy)..... | 0.06480 | grams |
| grains (troy)..... | 0.04167 | pennyweights (troy). |
| grams..... | 980.7 | dynes. |
| grams..... | 15.43 | grains (troy). |
| grams..... | 10^{-3} | kilograms |
| grams..... | 10^3 | milligrams. |
| grams..... | 0.03527 | ounces. |
| grams..... | 0.03215 | ounces (troy). |
| grams..... | 0.07093 | poundals. |
| grams..... | 2.205×10^{-3} | pounds. |
| gram-calories..... | 3.968×10^{-3} | British thermal units. |
| gram-centimeters..... | 9.302×10^{-3} | British thermal units. |
| gram-centimeters..... | 980.7 | ergs. |
| gram-centimeters..... | 7.233×10^{-3} | foot-pounds. |
| gram-centimeters..... | 9.807×10^{-5} | joules. |
| gram-centimeters..... | 2.344×10^{-8} | kilogram-calories. |
| gram-centimeters..... | 10^{-5} | kilogram-meters. |
| grams per cm..... | 5.600×10^{-3} | pounds per inch. |
| grams per cu. cm..... | 62.43 | pounds per cubic foot. |
| grams per cu. cm..... | 0.03613 | pounds per cubic inch. |
| grams per cu. cm..... | 3.405×10^{-7} | pounds per mil-foot. |
| Hectares..... | 2.471 | acres. |
| hectares..... | 1.076×10^5 | square feet |
| hectograms..... | 100 | grams. |
| hectoliters..... | 100 | liters. |
| hectometers..... | 100 | meters. |
| hectowatts..... | 100 | watts. |
| hemispheres (sal. angle)..... | 0.5 | sphere. |
| hemispheres (sal. angle)..... | 4 | spherical right angles. |
| hemispheres (sal. angle)..... | 6.283 | steradians. |
| horse-power..... | 42.44 | 8.1. units per min. |
| horse-power..... | 33,000 | foot-pounds per min |
| horse-power..... | 550 | foot-pounds per sec. |
| horse-power..... | 1.014 | horse-power (metric). |
| horse-power..... | 1070 | kg.-calories per min |

Table 17-20. Conversion Factors — Continued

| Multiply | by | to obtain |
|---------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| horse-power..... | 0.7457 | kilowatts. |
| horse-power..... | 745.7 | watts. |
| horse-power (boiler)..... | 33,520 | B.t.u. per hour. |
| horse-power (boiler)..... | 9.804 | kilowatts. |
| horse-power-hours..... | 2547 | British thermol units |
| horse-power-hours..... | 1.98×10^6 | foot-pounds. |
| horse-power-hours..... | 2.684×10^6 | joules. |
| horse-power-hours..... | 641.7 | kilogram-calories. |
| horse-power-hours..... | 2.737×10^5 | kilogram-meters. |
| horse-power-hours..... | 0.7457 | kilowatt-hours. |
| hours..... | 60 | minutes. |
| hours..... | 3600 | seconds. |
| Inches..... | 2.540 | centimeters. |
| inches..... | 10^3 | mils. |
| inches..... | .03 | voras. |
| inches of mercury..... | 0.03342 | atmospheres. |
| inches of mercury..... | 1.133 | feet of water. |
| inches of mercury..... | 345.3 | kgs. per square meter. |
| inches of mercury..... | 70.73 | pounds per square ft. |
| inches of mercury..... | 0.4912 | pounds per square in. |
| inches of water..... | 0.002458 | atmospheres |
| inches of water..... | 0.07355 | inches of mercury. |
| inches of water..... | 25.40 | kgs. per square meter. |
| inches of water..... | 0.5781 | ounces per square in. |
| inches of water..... | 5.204 | pounds per square ft. |
| inches of water..... | 0.03613 | pounds per square in. |
| Joules..... | 9.486×10^{-4} | British thermol units. |
| joules..... | 10^7 | ergs. |
| joules..... | 0.7376 | foot-pounds. |
| joules..... | 2.390×10^{-4} | kilogram-calories. |
| joules..... | 0.1020 | kilogram-meters |
| joules..... | 2.778×10^{-4} | watt-hours. |
| Kilograms..... | 980,665 | dynes. |
| kilograms..... | 10^3 | grams. |
| kilograms..... | 70.93 | pounds. |
| kilograms..... | 2.2046 | pounds |
| kilograms..... | 1.102×10^{-3} | tons (short) |
| kilogram-calories..... | 3.968 | British thermol units. |

Table 17-20. Conversion Factors—Continued

| Multiply | by | to obtain |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|
| kilogram-calories..... | 3088 | foot-pounds. |
| kilogram-calories..... | 1.588×10^{-3} | horse-power-hours. |
| kilogram-calories..... | 4183 | joules. |
| kilogram-calories..... | 426.6 | kilogram-meters |
| kilogram-calories..... | 1.162×10^{-3} | kilowatt-hours. |
| kg.-calories per min..... | 51.43 | foot-pounds per sec |
| kg.-calories per min..... | 0.09351 | horse-power |
| kg.-calories per min..... | 0.06972 | kilowatts. |
| kg.-cms. squared..... | 2.373×10^{-3} | pounds-foot squared. |
| kgs.-cms. squared..... | 0.3417 | pounds-inches squared. |
| kilogram-meters..... | 9.302×10^{-3} | British thermal units |
| kilogram-meters..... | 9.807×10^7 | ergs. |
| kilogram-meters..... | 7 233 | foot-pounds |
| kilogram-meters..... | 9.807 | joules. |
| kilogram-meters..... | 2.344×10^{-3} | kilogram-calories |
| kilogram-meters..... | 2.724×10^{-6} | kilowatt-hours. |
| kgs. per cubic meter..... | 10^{-3} | grams per cubic cm. |
| kgs. per cubic meter..... | 0.06243 | pounds per cubic foot |
| kgs. per cubic meter..... | 3.613×10^{-5} | pounds per cubic inch. |
| kgs. per cubic meter..... | 3.405×10^{-10} | pounds per mil. foot. |
| kgs. per meter..... | 0.6720 | pounds per foot. |
| kgs. per square meter..... | 9.678×10^{-5} | atmospheres. |
| kgs. per square meter..... | 98.07 | bars. |
| kgs. per square meter..... | 3.281×10^{-3} | feet of water. |
| kgs. per square meter..... | 2.896×10^{-3} | inches of mercury. |
| kgs. per square meter..... | 0.2048 | pounds per square ft |
| kgs. per square meter..... | 1.422×10^{-3} | pounds per square in. |
| kgs. per sq. millimeter..... | 10^6 | kgs. per square meter. |
| kilolines..... | 10^3 | maxwells. |
| kiloliters..... | 10^3 | liters |
| kilameters..... | 10^5 | centimeters. |
| kilameters..... | 3281 | feet. |
| kilameters..... | 10^3 | meters. |
| kilameters..... | 0 6214 | miles. |
| kilameters..... | 1093 6 | yards |
| kilameters per hour..... | 27 78 | centimeters per sec. |
| kilameters per hour..... | 54.68 | feet per minute. |
| kilameters per hour..... | 0.9113 | feet per second. |
| kilameters per hour..... | 0 5396 | knots per hour. |
| kilameters per hour..... | 16.67 | meters per minute. |

Table 17-20. Conversion Factors—Continued

| Multiply | by | to obtain |
|-----------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|
| kilometers per hour..... | 0.6214 | miles per hour. |
| kms. per hour per sec. | 27.78 | cms. per sec. per sec. |
| kms. per hour per sec. | 0.9113 | ft. per sec. per sec. |
| kms. per hour per sec..... | 0.2778 | meters per sec. per sec. |
| kms. per hour per sec..... | 0.6214 | miles per hr. per sec. |
| kilometers per min..... | 60 | kilometers per hour. |
| kilowatts | 56.92 | B t units per min. |
| kilowatts | 4.425×10^4 | foot-pounds per min. |
| kilowatts..... | 737.6 | foot-pounds per sec. |
| kilowatts..... | 1.341 | horse-power |
| kilowatts..... | 14.34 | kg.-calories per min. |
| kilowatts..... | 10^3 | watts |
| kilowatt-hours..... | 3415 | British thermal units |
| kilowatt-hours..... | 2.655×10^6 | foot-pounds. |
| kilowatt-hours..... | 1.341 | horse-power-hours. |
| kilowatt-hours..... | 3.6×10^6 | joules. |
| kilowatt-hours..... | 860.5 | kilogram-calories. |
| kilowatt-hours..... | 3.671×10^5 | kilogram-meters |
| knots..... | 51.48 | centimeters per sec. |
| knots..... | 1.689 | feet per second. |
| knots..... | 1.853 | kilometers per hour. |
| knots..... | 1.152 | miles per hour |
| Links (engineer's)..... | 12 | inches |
| links (surveyor's)..... | 7.92 | inches. |
| liters..... | 10^3 | cubic centimeters |
| liters..... | 0.03531 | cubic feet. |
| liters..... | 61.02 | cubic inches. |
| liters..... | 10^{-3} | cubic meters. |
| liters..... | 1.308×10^{-3} | cubic yards. |
| liters..... | 0.2642 | gallons. |
| liters..... | 2.113 | pints (liq.). |
| liters..... | 1.057 | quarts (liq.). |
| liters per minute..... | 5.885×10^{-4} | cubic feet per second. |
| liters per minute..... | 4.403×10^{-3} | gallons per second. |
| $\log_{10} N$ | 2.303 | $\log e N$ or $\ln N$. |
| $\log e N$ or $\ln N$ | 0.4343 | $\log_{10} N$. |
| lumens per sq. ft..... | 1 | foot-candles. |

Table 17-20. Conversion Factors—Continued

| Multiply | by | to obtain |
|------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------|
| Meters..... | 100 | centimeters. |
| meters..... | 3 2808 | feet. |
| meters..... | 39.37 | inches. |
| meters..... | 10^{-3} | kilometers. |
| meters..... | 10^3 | millimeters. |
| meters..... | 1 0936 | yards |
| meter-kilograms..... | 9.807×10^7 | centimeter-dynes |
| meter-kilograms..... | 10^3 | centimeter-groms |
| meter-kilograms..... | 7.233 | pound-feet. |
| meters per minute..... | 1.667 | centimeters per sec |
| meters per minute..... | 3 281 | feet per minute. |
| meters per minute..... | 0.05468 | feet per second. |
| meters per minute..... | 0.06 | kilometers per hour. |
| meters per minute..... | 0.03728 | miles per hour |
| meters per second..... | 196.8 | feet per minute |
| meters per second..... | 3.281 | feet per second |
| meters per second..... | 3 6 | kilometers per hour. |
| meters per second..... | 0.06 | kilometers per min. |
| meters per second..... | 2.237 | miles per hour. |
| meters per second..... | 0.03728 | miles per minute. |
| meters per sec. per sec..... | 3.281 | feet per sec per sec. |
| meters per sec. per sec..... | 3.6 | kms. per hour per sec. |
| meters per sec. per sec..... | 2.237 | miles per hour per sec |
| microns..... | 10^{-6} | meters. |
| miles..... | 1.609×10^5 | centimeters. |
| miles..... | 5280 | feet |
| miles..... | 1.6093 | kilometers |
| miles..... | 1760 | yards |
| miles..... | 1900.8 | voros. |
| miles per hour..... | 44 70 | centimeters per sec. |
| miles per hour..... | 88 | feet per minute. |
| miles per hour..... | 1 467 | feet per second. |
| miles per hour..... | 1.6093 | kilometers per hour. |
| miles per hour..... | 0.8684 | knots per hour. |
| miles per hour..... | 26 82 | meters per minute |
| miles per hour per sec..... | 44 70 | cms. per sec. per sec. |
| miles per hour per sec..... | 1.467 | feet per sec per sec |
| miles per hour per sec..... | 1 6093 | kms. per hour per sec. |
| miles per hour per sec..... | 0.4470 | M per sec. per sec |
| miles per minute..... | 2682 | centimeters per sec. |

Table 17-20. Conversion Factors—Continued

| Multiply | by | to obtain |
|-----------------------------|------------------------|----------------------|
| miles per minute | 88 | feet per second. |
| miles per minute | 1 6093 | kilometers per min. |
| miles per minute..... | 0.8684 | knots per minute. |
| miles per minute..... | 60 | miles per hour |
| milliers..... | 10^3 | kilograms. |
| milligrams..... | 10^{-3} | grams |
| milliliters..... | 10^{-3} | liters |
| millimeters..... | 0.1 | centimeters. |
| millimeters..... | 0.03937 | inches. |
| millimeters..... | 39 37 | mils. |
| mils | 0 002540 | centimeters. |
| mils..... | 10^{-3} | inches. |
| miner's inches..... | 1 5 | cubic feet per min. |
| minutes (angle)..... | $2 909 \times 10^{-4}$ | radions |
| minutes (angle)..... | 60 | seconds (angle). |
| months..... | 30.42 | days. |
| months..... | 730 | hours. |
| months..... | 43,800 | minutes. |
| months..... | $2 628 \times 10^6$ | seconds |
| myriograms | 10 | kilograms. |
| myriometers..... | 10 | kilometers. |
| myriowatts | 10 | kilowatts |
| Nautical miles | 6,080 | feet. |
| nautical miles..... | 1.853 | kilometers. |
| nautical miles..... | 1.152 | miles. |
| nautical miles..... | 2027 | yards |
| Ounces..... | 8 | drams. |
| ounces..... | 437.5 | grams |
| ounces..... | 28.35 | grams |
| ounces..... | 0 0625 | pounds. |
| ounces (fluid)..... | 1.805 | cubic inches. |
| ounces (fluid)..... | 0.02957 | liters. |
| ounces (troy)..... | 480 | grains (troy). |
| ounces (troy)..... | 31.10 | grams. |
| ounces (troy) | 20 | pennyweights (troy). |
| ounces (troy)..... | 0 08333 | pounds (troy). |
| ounces per square inch..... | 0.0625 | pounds per sq inch. |

Table 17-20. Conversion Factors—Continued

| Multiply | by | to obtain |
|-------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| Pennyweights (troy)..... | 24 | groins (troy) |
| pennyweights (troy)..... | 1.555 | grams. |
| pennyweights (troy)..... | 0.05 | ounces (troy). |
| perches (masonry)..... | 24.75 | cubic feet. |
| pints (dry)..... | 33.60 | cubic inches |
| pints (liq.)..... | 28.87 | cubic inches. |
| poundals..... | 13,826 | dynes. |
| poundals..... | 14 10 | grams. |
| poundals..... | 0.03108 | pounds. |
| pounds..... | 444,823 | dynes. |
| pounds..... | 7000 | groins. |
| pounds..... | 453.6 | grams. |
| pounds..... | 16 | ounces. |
| pounds..... | 32 17 | poundals |
| pounds (troy)..... | 0.8229 | pounds (av.). |
| pound-feet..... | 1.356×10^7 | centimeter-dynes. |
| pound-feet..... | 13,825 | centimeter-grams. |
| pound-feet..... | 0.1383 | meter-kilograms |
| pound-feet squared..... | 421.3 | kgs.-cms. squared. |
| pounds-feet squared..... | 144 | pounds-ins. squared. |
| pounds-inches squared..... | 2.926 | kgs.-cms squared. |
| pounds-inches squared..... | 6.945×10^{-3} | pounds-feet squared. |
| pounds of water..... | 0.01602 | cubic feet |
| pounds of water..... | 27.68 | cubic inches. |
| pounds of water..... | 0.1198 | gallons |
| pounds of water per min. | 2.669×10^{-4} | cubic feet per sec. |
| pounds per cubic foot..... | 0.01602 | grams per cubic cm. |
| pounds per cubic foot..... | 16.02 | kgs per cubic meter. |
| pounds per cubic foot..... | 5.787×10^{-4} | pounds per cubic inch. |
| pounds per cubic foot..... | 5.456×10^{-9} | pounds per mil foot. |
| pounds per cubic inch..... | 27.68 | pounds per cubic cm. |
| pounds per cubic inch..... | 2.768×10^4 | kgs. per cubic meter. |
| pounds per cubic inch..... | 1728 | pounds per cubic foot |
| pounds per cubic inch..... | 9.425×10^{-6} | pounds per mil foot. |
| pounds per foot..... | 1 488 | kgs. per meter. |
| pounds per inch..... | 178 6 | grams per cm. |
| pounds per mil foot..... | 2.306×10^4 | grams per cubic cm. |
| pounds per square foot..... | 0 01602 | feet of water. |
| pounds per square foot..... | 4.882 | kgs. per square meter. |
| pounds per square foot..... | 6.944×10^{-3} | pounds per sq. inch. |
| pounds per square inch..... | 0.06804 | atmospheres |

Table 17-20. Conversion Factors—Continued

| Multiply | by | to obtain |
|------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| pounds per square inch..... | 2.307 | feet of water |
| pounds per square inch..... | 2 036 | inches of mercury. |
| pounds per square inch..... | 703.1 | kgs. per square meter. |
| pounds per square inch..... | 144 | pounds per sq. foot. |
| Quadrants (angle)..... | 90 | degrees |
| quadrants (angle)..... | 5400 | minutes. |
| quadrants (angle)..... | 1.571 | radians. |
| quarts (dry)..... | 67.20 | cubic inches. |
| quarts (liq.)..... | 57.75 | cubic inches. |
| quintols..... | 100 | pounds. |
| quires..... | 25 | sheets. |
| Radians..... | 57.30 | degrees. |
| radians..... | 3438 | minutes. |
| radians..... | 0.637 | quadrants. |
| radians per second..... | 57.30 | degrees per second. |
| radions per second..... | 0.1592 | revolutions per sec |
| radions per second..... | 9.549 | revolutions per min |
| radians per sec per sec..... | 573.0 | revs. per min per min |
| radians per sec per sec..... | 9.549 | revs. per min. per sec. |
| radians per sec per sec..... | 0.1592 | revs. per sec per sec |
| reams..... | 500 | sheets. |
| revolutions..... | 360 | degrees. |
| revolutions..... | 4 | quadrants |
| revolutions..... | 6.283 | radions. |
| revolutions per minute..... | 6 | degrees per second. |
| revolutions per minute..... | 0.1047 | radians per second |
| revolutions per minute..... | 0.01667 | revolutions per sec. |
| revs. per min per min..... | 1.745×10^{-3} | rods per sec per sec |
| revs. per min. per min..... | 0.01667 | revs per min per sec |
| revs per min per min..... | 2.778×10^{-4} | revs. per sec. per sec. |
| revolutions per second..... | 360 | degrees per second |
| revolutions per second..... | 6.283 | radians per second. |
| revolutions per second..... | 60 | revs per minute. |
| revs. per sec. per sec..... | 6.283 | radis per sec. per sec. |
| revs. per sec. per sec..... | 3600 | revs per min. per min |
| revs. per sec. per sec..... | 60 | revs per min. per sec |
| radis..... | 16.5 | feet. |
| Seconds (ongle)..... | 4.848×10^{-6} | radions |
| spheres (solid ongle)..... | 12.57 | steradians. |

Table 17-20. Conversion Factors—Continued

| Multiply | by | to obtain |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|
| spherical right angles..... | 0.25 | hemispheres |
| spherical right angles | 0 125 | spheres. |
| spherical right angles... .. | 1.571 | steradians. |
| square centimeters. | 1.973×10^5 | circular mils |
| square centimeters | $1\ 076 \times 10^{-3}$ | square feet. |
| square centimeters | 0 1550 | square inches. |
| square centimeters..... | 10^{-6} | square meters |
| square centimeters..... | 100 | square millimeters. |
| square feet. | 2.296×10^{-5} | acres. |
| square feet..... | 929 0 | square centimeters. |
| square feet..... | 144 | square inches. |
| square feet..... | 0.09290 | square meters |
| square feet | 3.587×10^{-8} | square miles. |
| square feet..... | 1296 | square varas. |
| square feet..... | 1/9 | square yards |
| sq. feet-feet sqd..... | 2.074×10^4 | sq. inches-inches sqd. |
| square inches..... | 1.273×10^6 | circular mils. |
| square inches | 6.452 | square centimeters. |
| square inches | 6.944×10^{-3} | square feet. |
| square inches..... | 10^6 | square mils. |
| square inches..... | 645.2 | square millimeters. |
| sq. inches-inches sqd... .. | 41.62 | sq. cms.-cms. sqd. |
| sq. inches-inches sqd..... | 4.823×10^{-5} | sq. feet-feet sqd. |
| square kilometers..... | 247.1 | acres. |
| square kilometers..... | 10.76×10^6 | square feet |
| square kilometers..... | 10^6 | square meters |
| square kilometers..... | 0.3861 | square miles |
| square kilometers..... | 1.196×10^6 | square yards. |
| square meters | 2.471×10^{-4} | acres. |
| square meters | 10.764 | square feet |
| square meters..... | 3.861×10^{-7} | square miles |
| square meters..... | 1 196 | square yards. |
| square miles..... | 640 | acres. |
| square miles | 27.88×10^6 | square feet. |
| square miles..... | 2 590 | square kilometers. |
| square miles..... | 3,613,040.45 | square varas. |
| square miles. | 3.098×10^6 | square yards. |
| square millimeters..... | 1.973×10^3 | circular mils. |
| square millimeters..... | 0.01 | square centimeters. |

Table 17-20. Conversion Factors—Continued

| Multiply | by | to obtain |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|
| square millimeters..... | 1.550×10^{-3} | square inches. |
| square mils..... | 1 273 | circular mils |
| square mils..... | 6.452×10^{-6} | square centimeters. |
| square mils..... | 10^{-6} | square inches |
| square voros..... | .0001771 | acres. |
| square varas..... | 7.716049 | square feet. |
| square varas..... | .0000002765 | square miles. |
| square varas..... | 857339 | square yards |
| square yards..... | 2.066×10^{-4} | acres. |
| square yards..... | 9 | square feet. |
| square yards..... | 0.8361 | square meters |
| square yards..... | $3\ 228 \times 10^{-7}$ | square miles |
| square yards..... | 1.1664 | square voros |
| steradians..... | 0.1592 | hemispheres |
| steradians..... | 0.07958 | spheres |
| steradians..... | 0.6366 | spherical right angles |
| steres..... | 10^3 | liters. |
| Temp. (deg. C) + 273..... | 1 | abs. temp. (deg. C.). |
| temp. (deg. C.) + 17.8..... | 1.8 | temp. (deg. Fahr.). |
| temp. (deg. F.) + 460..... | 1 | abs. temp. (deg. F.) |
| temp. (deg. F.) - 32..... | 5/9 | temp. (deg. Cent.). |
| tons (long)..... | 1016 | kilograms. |
| tons (long)..... | 2240 | pounds |
| tons (metric)..... | 10^3 | kilograms |
| tans (metric)..... | 2205 | pounds |
| tans (short)..... | 907.2 | kilograms |
| tons (short)..... | 2000 | pounds. |
| tpns (short) per sq. ft..... | 9765 | kgs per square meter |
| tons (short) per sq. ft..... | 13.89 | pounds per sq. inch. |
| tons (short) per sq. in..... | 1.406×10^6 | kgs. per square meter. |
| tons (short) per sq. in..... | 2000 | pounds per sq inch. |
| Varas..... | 2.7777 | feet |
| varas..... | 33 3333 | inches |
| varas..... | 000526 | miles. |
| varas..... | .9259 | yords. |

Table 17-20. Conversion Factors—Continued

| Multiply | by | to obtain |
|----------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| Watts | 0.05692 | B.t. units per min. |
| watts. | 10^7 | ergs per second. |
| watts | 44.26 | foot-pounds per min |
| watts..... | 0.7376 | foot-pounds per sec. |
| watts..... | 1.341×10^{-3} | horse-power |
| watts..... | 0.01434 | kg.-calories per min. |
| watts..... | 10^2 | kilowatts. |
| watt-hours..... | 3.415 | British thermal units. |
| watt-hours..... | 2655 | foot-pounds. |
| watt-hours..... | 1.341×10^{-3} | horse-power-hours. |
| watt-hours | 0.8605 | kilogram-calories |
| watt-hours | 367.1 | kilogram-meters. |
| watt-hours..... | 10^{-3} | kilowatt-hours. |
| webers..... | 10^8 | maxwells. |
| weeks..... | 168 | hours. |
| weeks..... | 10,080 | minutes. |
| weeks..... | 604,800 | seconds |
| Yards..... | 91.44 | centimeters. |
| yards..... | 3 | feet |
| yords..... | 36 | inches |
| yords..... | 0.9144 | meters |
| yords..... | 1.08 | varas |
| years (common) | 365 | days. |
| years (common) | 8760 | hours. |
| years (leap)..... | 366 | days |
| years (leap)..... | 8784 | hours. |

17-16. CONSTRUCTION DRAWING SYMBOLS

See figure 17-12.












































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|---|-----------------------------|---|---|---|---|
|  | BATH, CORNER |  | LAVATORY, CORNER |  | FOUNTAIN, DRINKING, PEDESTAL TYPE |
|  | BATH, RECESSED |  | SINK, KITCHEN |  | FOUNTAIN, DRINKING, WALL TYPE |
|  | BATH, ROLL RIM |  | SINK, SERVICE |  | FOUNTAIN, DRINKING, TROUGH TYPE |
|  | BATH, SITZ |  | SINK, KITCHEN, LEFT HAND DRAIN BOARD |  | HEATER, WATER |
|  | BATH, FOOT |  | SINK, KITCHEN, RIGHT AND LEFT DRAIN BOARD |  | TANK, HOT WATER |
|  | BIDET |  | SINK, WASH |  | RACK, HOSE |
|  | SHOWER, STALL |  | SINK, WASH, WALL TYPE |  | BIBB, HOSE |
|  | SHOWER HEAD |  | TRAY, LAUNDRY |  | OUTLET, GAS |
|  | SHOWER, OVERHEAD GANG |  | URINAL, CORNER TYPE |  | OUTLET, VACUUM |
|  | LAVATORY, MEDICAL |  | URINAL, PEDESTAL TYPE |  | SEPARATOR, GREASE |
|  | LAVATORY, PEDESTAL |  | URINAL, STALL TYPE |  | SEPARATOR, OIL |
|  | LAVATORY, WALL |  | URINAL, TROUGH TYPE |  | SUMP, ROOF |
|  | LAVATORY, DENTAL |  | URINAL, WALL TYPE |  | CLEAN-OUT |
| | |  | WATER CLOSET, NO TANK |  | DRAIN |
| | |  | WATER CLOSET, LOW TANK |  | DRAIN, GARAGE |

Figure 17-12. Construction drawing symbols.

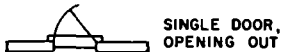
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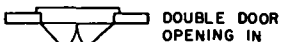
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OPENING IN



DOUBLE DOOR,
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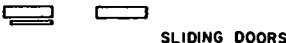
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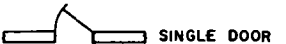
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SLIDING DOORS



SINGLE DOOR



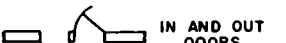
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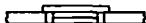


IN AND OUT
DOORS

WINDOW SYMBOLS



DOUBLE HUNG



DOUBLE,
OPENING OUT



SINGLE,
OPENING IN



RIGHT SASH
OVER LEFT



LEFT SASH
OVER RIGHT



PIVOTED AND
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Figure 17-12—Continued.











































| | | | | | |
|--|------------------------------------|---|--|--|--|
|  | BATTERY, MULTICELLS |  | FIRE-ALARM BOX, WALL TYPE |  | CONVENIENCE, DUPLEX |
|  | 10 A SWITCH BREAKER |  | LIGHTING PANEL |  | FAN, WALL |
|  | 30 A AUTOMATIC RESET BREAKER |  | POWER PANEL |  | FAN, CEILING |
|  | BUS |  | BRANCH CIRCUIT, CONCEALED IN CEILING OR WALL |  | FIXTURE, FLUORESCENT, CEILING |
|  | VOLTMETER |  | BRANCH CIRCUIT, CONCEALED IN FLOOR |  | FIXTURE, FLUORESCENT, WALL |
|  | 30 A FUSE ELEMENT |  | BRANCH CIRCUIT, EXPOSED |  | JUNCTION BOX, CEILING |
|  | TOGGLE SWITCH OPST |  | FEEDERS |  | JUNCTION BOX, WALL |
|  | KNIFE SWITCH, DISCONNECTED |  | UNDERFLOOR OUTLET AND JUNCTION BOX |  | LAMPHOLDER, CEILING |
|  | TRANSFORMER, BASIC |  | MOTOR |  | LAMPHOLDER, WALL |
|  | MAGNETIC CORE |  | CONTROLLER |  | LAMPHOLDER WITH PULL SWITCH, CEILING |
|  | BELL, AC |  | STREET LIGHTING STANDARD |  | LAMPHOLDER WITH PULL SWITCH, WALL |
|  | BUZZER, AC |  | OUTLET, CEILING |  | SPECIAL PURPOSE |
|  | LIGHT, INDICATING, RED |  | OUTLET, WALL |  | TELEPHONE, SWITCHBOARD |
| | |  | OUTLET, FLOOR |  | THERMOSTAT |
| | | | |  | PUSHBUTTON |

Figure 17-12—Continued.

SECTION



EXTERIOR

BRICK



WOOD



METALS



STONE



CONCRETE



GLASS, ETC.



EARTH, ETC.

Figure 17-12 — Continued.

Table 17-21. Conversion-English Metric Systems

| LENGTH | | | | | | | | |
|--------|-------|-----------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------|------------------|
| inches | | | | | | | | centi- meters |
| cm | | | | | | | | inches |
| feet | | | | | | meters | | |
| meters | | | | | feet | | | |
| yards | | | | meters | | | | |
| meters | | | yards | | | | | |
| miles | | kilo- meters | | | | | | |
| km | miles | | | | | | | |
| 1 | 0.62 | 1.61 | 1.09 | 0.91 | 3.28 | 0.30 | 0.39 | 2.54 |
| 2 | 1.24 | 3.22 | 2.19 | 1.83 | 6.56 | 0.61 | 0.79 | 5.08 |
| 3 | 1.86 | 4.83 | 3.28 | 2.74 | 9.84 | 0.91 | 1.18 | 7.62 |
| 4 | 2.49 | 6.44 | 4.37 | 3.66 | 13.12 | 1.22 | 1.57 | 10.16 |
| 5 | 3.11 | 8.05 | 5.47 | 4.57 | 16.40 | 1.52 | 1.97 | 12.70 |
| 6 | 3.73 | 9.66 | 6.56 | 5.49 | 19.68 | 1.83 | 2.36 | 15.24 |
| 7 | 4.35 | 11.27 | 7.66 | 6.40 | 22.97 | 2.13 | 2.76 | 17.78 |
| 8 | 4.97 | 12.87 | 8.75 | 7.32 | 26.25 | 2.44 | 3.15 | 20.32 |
| 9 | 5.59 | 14.48 | 9.84 | 8.23 | 29.53 | 2.74 | 3.54 | 22.86 |
| 10 | 6.21 | 16.09 | 10.94 | 9.14 | 32.81 | 3.05 | 3.93 | 25.40 |
| 12 | 7.46 | 19.31 | 13.12 | 10.97 | 39.37 | 3.66 | 4.72 | 30.48 |
| 20 | 12.43 | 32.19 | 21.87 | 18.29 | 65.62 | 6.10 | 7.87 | 50.80 |
| 24 | 14.91 | 38.62 | 26.25 | 21.95 | 78.74 | 7.32 | 9.45 | 60.96 |
| 30 | 18.64 | 48.28 | 32.81 | 27.43 | 98.42 | 9.14 | 11.81 | 76.20 |
| 36 | 22.37 | 57.94 | 39.37 | 32.92 | 118.11 | 10.97 | 14.17 | 91.44 |
| 40 | 24.85 | 64.37 | 43.74 | 36.58 | 131.23 | 12.19 | 15.75 | 101.60 |
| 48 | 29.83 | 77.25 | 52.49 | 43.89 | 157.48 | 14.63 | 18.90 | 121.92 |
| 50 | 31.07 | 80.47 | 54.68 | 45.72 | 164.04 | 15.24 | 19.68 | 127.00 |
| 60 | 37.28 | 96.56 | 65.62 | 54.86 | 196.85 | 18.29 | 23.62 | 152.40 |
| 70 | 43.50 | 112.65 | 76.55 | 64.00 | 229.66 | 21.34 | 27.56 | 177.80 |
| 72 | 44.74 | 115.87 | 78.74 | 65.84 | 236.22 | 21.95 | 28.35 | 182.88 |
| 80 | 49.71 | 128.75 | 87.49 | 73.15 | 262.47 | 24.38 | 31.50 | 203.20 |
| 84 | 52.20 | 135.18 | 91.86 | 76.81 | 275.59 | 25.60 | 33.07 | 213.36 |
| 90 | 55.92 | 144.84 | 98.42 | 82.30 | 295.28 | 27.43 | 35.43 | 228.60 |
| 96 | 59.65 | 154.50 | 104.99 | 87.78 | 314.96 | 29.26 | 37.80 | 243.84 |
| 100 | 62.14 | 160.94 | 109.36 | 91.44 | 328.08 | 30.48 | 39.37 | 254.00 |

Example: 2 inches = 5.08 cm

17-17. CONVERSION-ENGLISH UNITS TO METRIC UNITS

See table 17-21.

Table 17-21—Continued

| One unit (below) ↓ Equals → | mm | cm | meters | km |
|-----------------------------------|------------|----------|--------|-----------|
| mm (millimeters) | 1. | 0.1 | 0.001 | 0.000,001 |
| cm (centimeters) | 10. | 1. | 0.01 | 0.000,01 |
| meters | 1,000. | 100. | 1. | 0.001 |
| km (kilometers) | 1,000,000. | 100,000. | 1,000. | 1. |

| One unit (below) ↓ Equals → | gm | kg | metric ton |
|-----------------------------------|------------|--------|------------|
| gm (gram) | 1. | 0.001 | 0.000,001 |
| kg (kilograms) | 1,000. | 1. | 0.001 |
| metric ton | 1,000,000. | 1,000. | 1. |

UNITS OF CENTIMETERS

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| cm | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.5 | 0.6 | 0.7 | 0.8 | 0.9 | 0.10 |
| Inch | 0.04 | 0.08 | 0.12 | 0.16 | 0.20 | 0.24 | 0.28 | 0.31 | 0.35 | 0.39 |

FRACTIONS OF AN INCH

| | | | | | | | | |
|------|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|---------------|
| Inch | $\frac{1}{16}$ | $\frac{1}{8}$ | $\frac{3}{16}$ | $\frac{1}{4}$ | $\frac{5}{16}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | $\frac{7}{16}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ |
| cm | 0.16 | 0.32 | 0.48 | 0.64 | 0.79 | 0.95 | 1.11 | 1.27 |

| | | | | | | | | |
|------|----------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------|-----------------|------|
| Inch | $\frac{5}{16}$ | $\frac{3}{8}$ | $1\frac{1}{16}$ | $\frac{3}{4}$ | $1\frac{3}{16}$ | $\frac{7}{8}$ | $1\frac{5}{16}$ | 1 |
| cm | 1.43 | 1.59 | 1.75 | 1.91 | 2.06 | 2.22 | 2.38 | 2.54 |

Table 17-21 — Continued

WEIGHT¹

| | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------|-----------|-------|------------|--------|-----------|--------|-------|
| ounces | | | | | | | grams |
| grams | | | | | | | |
| pounds | | | | | kilograms | ounces | grams |
| kg | | | | pounds | | | |
| short ton ² | | | metric ton | | | | |
| metric ton ³ | short ton | | | | | | |
| 1 | 1.10 | 0.91 | 2.20 | 0.45 | 0.04 | 28.4 | |
| 2 | 2.20 | 1.81 | 4.41 | 0.91 | 0.07 | 56.7 | |
| 3 | 3.31 | 2.72 | 6.61 | 1.36 | 0.11 | 85.0 | |
| 4 | 4.41 | 3.63 | 8.82 | 1.81 | 0.14 | 113.4 | |
| 5 | 5.51 | 4.54 | 11.02 | 2.67 | 0.18 | 141.8 | |
| 6 | 6.61 | 5.44 | 13.23 | 2.72 | 0.21 | 170.1 | |
| 7 | 7.72 | 6.35 | 15.43 | 3.18 | 0.25 | 198.4 | |
| 8 | 8.82 | 7.26 | 17.64 | 3.63 | 0.28 | 226.8 | |
| 9 | 9.92 | 8.16 | 19.84 | 4.08 | 0.32 | 255.2 | |
| 10 | 11.02 | 9.07 | 22.05 | 4.54 | 0.35 | 283.5 | |
| 16 | 17.63 | 14.51 | 35.27 | 7.25 | 0.56 | 453.6 | |
| 20 | 22.05 | 18.14 | 44.09 | 9.07 | 0.71 | 567.0 | |
| 30 | 33.07 | 27.22 | 66.14 | 13.61 | 1.06 | 850.5 | |
| 40 | 44.09 | 36.29 | 88.18 | 18.14 | 1.41 | 1134.0 | |
| 50 | 55.12 | 45.36 | 110.23 | 22.68 | 1.76 | 1417.5 | |
| 60 | 66.14 | 54.43 | 132.28 | 27.22 | 2.12 | 1701.0 | |
| 70 | 77.16 | 63.50 | 154.32 | 31.75 | 2.47 | 1984.5 | |
| 80 | 88.18 | 72.57 | 176.37 | 36.29 | 2.82 | 2268.0 | |
| 90 | 99.21 | 81.65 | 198.42 | 40.82 | 3.17 | 2551.5 | |
| 100 | 110.20 | 90.72 | 220.46 | 45.36 | 3.53 | 2835.0 | |

Example: Convert 28 pounds to kg

28 pounds = 20 pounds + 8 pounds

From the tables: 20 pounds = 9.07 kg and 8 pounds = 3.63 kg

Therefore, 28 pounds = 9.07 kg + 3.63 kg = 12.70 kg

¹ The weights used for the English system are avoirdupois (common) weights.

² The short ton is 2000. pounds.

³ The metric ton is 1000. kg.

Table 17-21 — Continued

VOLUME

| <div> <div>cu. meters</div> <div>cu. yd</div> <div>cu. ft</div> </div> <div> <div>→</div> <div>→</div> <div>→</div> </div> <div> <div>cu. ft</div> <div>cu. yd</div> <div>cu. meters</div> </div> <div> <div>→</div> <div>→</div> <div>→</div> </div> <div> <div>cu. ft</div> <div>cu. yd</div> <div>cu. meters</div> </div> <div> <div>→</div> <div>→</div> <div>→</div> </div> <div> <div>cu. ft</div> <div>cu. yd</div> <div>cu. meters</div> </div> | | | | | | |
|---|-------|-------|--------|-------|--------|--------|
| 1 | 0.037 | 0.028 | 27.0 | 0.76 | 35.3 | 1.31 |
| 2 | 0.074 | 0.057 | 54.0 | 1.53 | 70.6 | 2.62 |
| 3 | 0.111 | 0.085 | 81.0 | 2.29 | 105.9 | 3.92 |
| 4 | 0.148 | 0.113 | 108.0 | 3.06 | 141.3 | 5.23 |
| 5 | 0.185 | 0.142 | 135.0 | 3.82 | 176.6 | 6.54 |
| 6 | 0.212 | 0.170 | 162.0 | 4.59 | 211.9 | 7.85 |
| 7 | 0.259 | 0.198 | 189.0 | 5.35 | 247.2 | 9.16 |
| 8 | 0.296 | 0.227 | 216.0 | 6.12 | 282.5 | 10.46 |
| 9 | 0.333 | 0.255 | 243.0 | 6.88 | 317.8 | 11.77 |
| 10 | 0.370 | 0.283 | 270.0 | 7.65 | 353.1 | 13.07 |
| 20 | 0.741 | 0.566 | 540.0 | 15.29 | 706.3 | 26.16 |
| 30 | 1.111 | 0.850 | 810.0 | 22.94 | 1059.4 | 39.24 |
| 40 | 1.481 | 1.133 | 1080.0 | 30.58 | 1412.6 | 52.32 |
| 50 | 1.852 | 1.416 | 1350.0 | 38.23 | 1765.7 | 65.40 |
| 60 | 2.222 | 1.700 | 1620.0 | 45.87 | 2118.9 | 78.48 |
| 70 | 2.592 | 1.982 | 1890.0 | 53.52 | 2472.0 | 91.56 |
| 80 | 2.962 | 2.265 | 2160.0 | 61.16 | 2825.2 | 104.63 |
| 90 | 3.333 | 2.548 | 2430.0 | 68.81 | 3178.3 | 117.71 |
| 100 | 3.703 | 2.832 | 2700.0 | 76.46 | 3531.4 | 130.79 |

Example: 3 cu. yd = 81.0 cu ft

Volume: The cubic meter is the only common dimension used for measuring the volume of solids in the metric system.

17-18. CHARACTERISTICS OF INFANTRY WEAPONS

See table 17-22.

Table 17-22. Characteristics of

| Weapon | Unloaded weight (approximate in pounds) | Type of feed | Method of operation | *Cyclic (C) or maximum (M) rate of fire (rds per min) |
|---|---|-------------------|--|--|
| Hand Grenades Fragmentation M26A2 Grenade | 1 | | Electrical impact fuse 4-5 second time delay fuse | |
| M26A1 | 1 | | | |
| WP Grenade M34 | 1½ | | | |
| Mine Antipersonnel M18A1 Claymore | 3.5 | | Controlled electric detonation or uncontrolled trip wire operation | One Shot |
| Pistol Automatic Cal. 45, M1911A1 | 2½ | 7 Rd Magazine | Recoil semi- automatic | 35-42 (M) |
| Submachine Gun, Cal. 45, M3A1 | 9 | 30 Rd Magazine | Blow back automatic | 450 (C) |

Infantry Weapons

| *Sustained rate of fire (rds per min) | *Maximum effective rate of fire (rds per min) | *Maximum range (in meters) | *Maximum effective range (in meters) | Remarks |
|---------------------------------------|---|----------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|
| | | 40 40 35 | | The M26A1 and M34 may be fired as rifle grenades with projection M1A2 adapter. The M26A2 will not be used as a rifle grenade with the projection adapter. Approximate effective bursting radii in meters are: M26A1-15, M26A2-15, M34-25 |
| | One Shot Weapon | 250 | Most effective range is 50 meters | Check FM 23-33 for back-blast effects. When employed in uncontrolled role Claymore must be treated as a mine and its location recorded and reported Directional fragmentation - 60° sector with radius of 50 meters. |
| | | 1500 | 50 | |
| 40-60 | 40-60 | 1550 | 100 | Used as an-vehicle equipment. Replaced by M14 rifle and M16A1 rifles. |

Table 17-22. Characteristics of

| Weapon | Unloaded weight (approximate in pounds) | Type of feed | Method of operation | *Cyclic (C) or maximum (M) rate of fire (rds per min) |
|---------------------------|---|-------------------|---|--|
| US Carbine Cal. 30, M2 | 5½ | 30 Rd Magazine | Gas operated semi- automatic and automatic | 750-775 (C) |
| US Rifle 7.62mm, M14 | 9.84 | 20 Rd magazine | Gas operated semiauto- matic and automatic | 700-750 (C) |
| US Rifle 7.62mm, M14A1 | 12.12 | 20 Rd magazine | Same as for M-14 rifle | 700-750 (C) |
| Rifle, 5.56mm, M16A1 | 6½ | 20 Rd magazine | Gas operated semiauto- matic and automatic | 700-800 |
| US Rifle Cal. 30, M1 | 9½ | 8 Rd clip | Gas operated semiautomatic | |

Infantry Weapons—Continued

| *Sustained rate of fire (rds per min) | *Maximum effective rate of fire (rds per min) | *Maximum range (in meters) | *Maximum effective range (in meters) | Remarks |
|---|---|----------------------------|---|---|
| 40-60 | 40-60 | 2025 | 250 | Replaced by M14 rifle. May be equipped with sniper-scope infrared set No 1, 20,000 Volts Lts. |
| 40 for first two minutes (semi-automatic) | 60 for first minutes (automatic) | 3725 | 460 | Full automatic capability requires installation of selector. Sustained rate based on limited tests. Bipad is a major item and used in conjunction with rifle when used as an automatic rifle. |
| Same as for M-14 rifle | Same as for M-14 rifle | 3725 | 700 (semi-automatic) 460 (automatic) | Essentially same characteristics as M-14. Major difference lies in modified straight line stock with pistol grip. |
| 45-65 (semi-automatic) 150-200 (automatic) | 20-40 (semi-automatic) 40-60 (automatic) | 2653 | 460 | Installed selector with choice of semiautomatic or automatic fire. Bipad issued with the rifle. |
| 8-10 | 16-24 | 3200 | 460 | Replaced by M-14 Rifle. |

Table 17-22. Characteristics of

| Weapon | Unloaded weight (approximate in pounds) | Type of feed | Method of operation | *Cyclic (C) or maximum (M) rate of fire (rds per min) |
|--|---|--------------------------|------------------------|---|
| US Rifle, Cal. 30M1, with rifle grenade launcher, M7A3, heat rifle grenade M31 and sight M15 | 10½ | Manual | Manual single shot | 4 (M) |
| US Rifle, 7.62mm, M14 with Rifle Grenade Launcher M76, Heat Rifle Grenade, M31 and Sight M15 | 10½ | Manual | Manual Single Shot | 4 (M) |
| Browning Automatic Rifle Cal. 30 M1918A2 | 19½ | 20 Rd Magazine | Gas Operated Automatic | 350 (C) Slow Rate 550 (C) Fast Rate 120-150 (M) |
| Machinegun 7.62mm, M60 | 23 | Belt Metallic Split Link | Gas Operated Automatic | 550 (C) |

Infantry Weapons—Continued

| *Sustained rate of fire (rds per min) | *Maximum effective rate of fire (rds per min) | *Maximum range (in meters) | *Maximum effective range (in meters) | Remarks |
|---|--|----------------------------------|--|---|
| 4 | 2 | 275 | 115 | Complete Round weighs approxi- mately 1½ pounds. |
| 4 | 2 | 275 | 115 | Grenade Launcher and M15 sight, weight approximately 1 lb Complete round weighs approximately 1½ lb. |
| 40-60 | 40-60 (2 or 3 Round Bursts) 120-150 (20 Round Bursts) | 2750-3200 | 460 | Replaced by M14A1 or M16A1 rifles. |
| 100 | 200 | 3725 | 1100 | Maximum effective range limited by gunner's ability to see and adjust on target. |

Table 17-22. Characteristics of

| Weapon | Unloaded weight (approximate in pounds) | Type of feed | Method of operation | *Cyclic (C) or maximum (M) rate of fire (rds per min) |
|--|---|---|---------------------------------------|--|
| Machinegun, Cal. 50 HB, M2 | MG — 82 Tripod — 44 Total — 126 | Belt Metallic Split Link | Recal Semi-automatic and Automatic | 450-500 |
| 66mm Heat Rocket, M72 (Low) | 4.7 (Rocket and Launcher Combined) | | | Single shot throwaway |
| Portable Flame-Thrower, M2A1-7 | 42½ | Fuel Propelled by Gas Under Pressure | Manual | Continuous discharge 6-9 seconds |
| Portable Flamethrower, ABC, M9-7 | 25 | Fuel Propelled by Gas under Pressure | Manual | Continuous discharge 5-8 seconds |
| Self-Propelled Flamethrower M132A-1 | Approximate 21700 | Fuel Propelled by Gas Pressure | Electrical | Continuous discharge 32 seconds |

Infantry Weapons—Continued

| *Sustained rate of fire (rds per min) | *Maximum effective rate of fire (rds per min) | *Maximum range (in meters) | *Maximum effective range (in meters) | Remarks |
|---------------------------------------|---|---|--------------------------------------|---|
| 40 | 100 | 6800 | 725 AA Target, 1825 Ground Target | |
| | | 1000 | 200 | Launcher is disposable after firing rocket and is baresighted during manufacture. Front sight graduated to 325 meters. The M72 is issued as ammunition. |
| Continuous discharge 6-9 seconds | Continuous discharge 6-9 seconds | 20-30 Unthickened Fuel 40-50 Thickened Fuel | 55 | Contains 4½-4¾ gallons of fuel weighing 25 to 29 pounds. To be replaced by M9-7 flame-thrower. |
| Continuous discharge 5-8 seconds | Continuous discharge 5-8 seconds | 20-30 Unthickened Fuel; 40-50 Thickened Fuel | | Contains 4 gallons of fuel. |
| Continuous discharge 32 seconds | Continuous discharge 32 seconds | 150-170 | 150-170 | Contains 200 gallons of thickened fuel. |

Table 17-22. Characteristics of

| Weapon | Unloaded weight (approximate in pounds) | Type of feed | Method of operation | *Cyclic (C) or maximum (M) rate of fire (rds per min) |
|---|--|--|-----------------------------------|--|
| Irritant Gas Dispenser, Portable M-3 | Approximate 40 | Agent Propelled by Gas Pressure | Manual | Continuous discharge 25 seconds |
| 40mm Grenade Launcher M79 | 6 | Percussion Type Single Shot | | |
| 81mm Mortar, M29 with Mount, M23A2 | Barrel 28 Bipod 40 Sight 4 Baseplate 25.5 | Muzzle Loading by Hand | Drop Fire | 12 (M) for 2 minutes with any charge |
| 4.2 Mortar, M30 with Mount, M24A1 | 640 | Muzzle Loading by Hand | Drop Fire | 18 (M) for 1 minute 5 per minute for next 9 minutes |
| Shotgun 12 Gauge Riot Type | 7½ | 5 Rd. tub. mag. | Manual (pump handle) or cooled | |

*Cyclic Rate of Fire (C)..... Rate at which weapon fires automatically.

*Maximum Rate of Fire (M)..... Greatest rate at which well-trained gunner can fire

*Sustained Rate of Fire Rate at which weapon can fire indefinitely without seriously overheating

Infantry Weapons—Continued

| *Sustained rate of fire (rds per min) | *Maximum effective rate of fire (rds per min) | *Maximum range (in meters) | *Maximum effective range (in meters) | Remarks |
|---------------------------------------|---|----------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|
| Continuous discharge 25 seconds | Continuous discharge 25 seconds | Up to several hundred feet | Up to several hundred feet | Contains about 20 pounds of C5I |
| | | | PT Tgts—150, Aero Tgts—35 | Minimum safe range: Combat: 31 meters Training: 80 meters. Arming distance: 14–28m. Effective Bursting Radius: 5m |
| 8 indefinitely with only charge | 12 (M) for first 2 minutes with Charge Eight | 4,512 | 4,512 | Ammunition weighs 7–12 pounds (A) Effective Bursting Area: 25 X 20 meters. |
| 3 | 20 (M) for first 2 min; 6 for next 20 min; 2 indefinitely | 5,650 | 5,650 | Ammunition weighs 26–29 pounds.(A) Effective Bursting Area: 40 X 15 meters. |
| | | Depends on type of shot | Depends on type of shot | |

*Maximum Effective Rate Rate at which trained gunner can fire and obtain reasonable number of hits (50%)

*Maximum Greatest distance weapon will fire.

*Maximum Effective Rate Greatest distance at which gunner may be expected to fire accurately.

Note (A) Depending upon Type of Ammunition Used

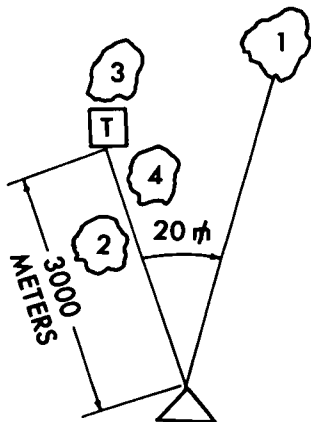
d. After initial fire request to FDC, subsequent corrections are requested as follows:

ROUND #1: Left 60, drop 400

ROUND #2: Add 200

ROUND #3. Drop 100

ROUND #4: Add 50, Fire for effect



RULES: (1) Keep rounds on observer-target line.

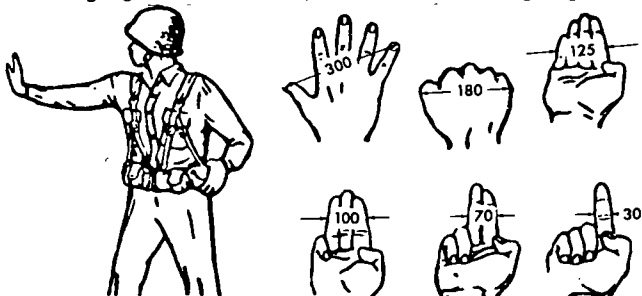
(2) Bracket target during adjustment.

(3) Split 100 meter bracket before firing for effect.

e. Angle between target and burst is read in mils, and distance then determined by multiplying mils by range in thousands.

Example: $20 \text{ mils} \times 3(000) \text{ meters} = 60 \text{ meters}$.

Following figures indicate hasty method for estimating angle in mils:



17-19. REQUESTING AND ADJUSTING ARTILLERY FIRE

- For details refer to FM 6-135.
- Initial fire request.

| Element | Example |
|---|--|
| Identification of observer | "Big Digger 14" |
| W—Warning order | "Fire mission" |
| A—Azimuth (From map, or compass) | "Direction 230" (Between 0-6400) |
| L—Location (Map coordinate or shift from known point) | "Grid NV 645734" or "From target CD 101, right 220, odd 400" |
| N—Nature of target | "15 Mon patrol" |
| U—Unusual factors | (Special fuze, shell, etc) |
| T—Type control | "Adjust fire, or cannot observe, etc" |

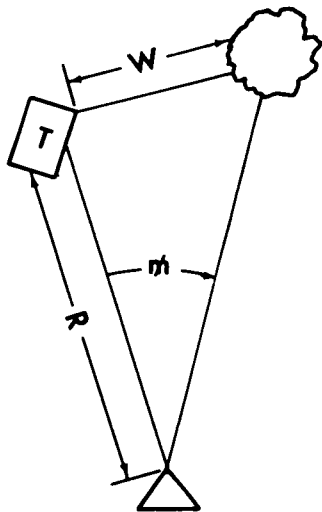
- WORM formula, for calculating adjustments.

$$W = R \times m$$

W = Distance in meters from burst to target

R = Range to target in thousands of meters

m = Angular deviation in mils



f. Artillery weapons.

| Type | Range |
|-------------|---------------|
| 105 mm..... | 11,000 meters |
| 155 mm..... | 14,000 meters |
| 8 inch..... | 16,800 meters |
| 175 mm..... | 32,800 meters |

g. Artillery ammunition.

HE—high explosive

WP—white phosphorous

SMK—smoke, all colors

HEAT/HEPT—antitank

h. Fuzes.

M557—point detonation/delay

M501—mechanical time

M513—radar, airburst

APPENDIX A

REFERENCES

A-1. ARMY REGULATIONS

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| AR 310-25 | Dictionary of United States Army Terms. |
| AR 310-50 | Authorized Abbreviations and Brevity Codes. |

A-2. DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY PAMPHLETS

| | |
|-------------------|--|
| DA Pam 10B-1 | Index of Army Motion Pictures and Related Audio-Visual Aids. |
| DA Pam 310 series | Military Publications Indexes (as applicable). |

A-3. FIELD MANUALS

| | |
|----------|--|
| FM 3-8 | Chemical Reference Handbook. |
| FM 5-1 | Engineer Troop Organizations and Operations. |
| FM 5-13 | The Engineer Soldier's Handbook. |
| FM 5-15 | Field Fortifications. |
| FM 5-20 | Camouflage. |
| FM 5-25 | Explosives and Demolitions. |
| FM 5-30 | Engineer Intelligence. |
| FM 5-31 | Babytraps. |
| FM 5-35 | Engineers' Reference and Logistical Data. |
| FM 5-36 | Route Reconnaissance and Classification. |
| FM 6-135 | Adjustment of Artillery Fire by the Combat Soldier. |
| FM 10-13 | Quartermaster Reference Data. |
| FM 20-22 | Vehicle Recovery Operations. |
| FM 20-32 | Landmine Warfare. |
| FM 21-5 | Military Training Management. |
| FM 21-6 | Techniques of Military Instruction. |
| FM 21-10 | Military Sanitation. |
| FM 21-26 | Map reading. |
| FM 21-30 | Military Symbols. |
| FM 21-31 | Topographic Symbols. |
| FM 21-41 | Soldier's Handbook for Defense Against Chemical and Biological Operations and Nuclear Warfare. |

| | |
|-------------|--|
| FM 21-60 | Visual Signals. |
| FM 21-76 | Survival, Evasion and Escape. |
| FM 24-1 | Tactical Communications Doctrine. |
| FM 24-18 | Field Radio Techniques. |
| FM 30-5 | Combat Intelligence. |
| FM 31-10 | Denial Operations and Barriers. |
| FM 31-60 | River-Crossing Operations. |
| FM 31-70 | Basic Cold Weather Manual. |
| FM 55-15 | Transportation Reference Data. |
| FM 101-10-1 | Staff Officers' Field Manual: Organizational, Technical, and Logistical Data, Unclassified Data. |

A-4. TECHNICAL MANUALS

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| TM 3-220 | CBR Decontamination. |
| TM 5-200 | Camouflage Materials. |
| TM 5-210 | Military Floating Bridge Equipment. |
| TM 5-216 | Armored Vehicle Launched Bridge. |
| TM 5-220 | Passage of Obstacles Other Than Minefields. |
| TM 5-232 | Elements of Surveying. |
| TM 5-233 | Construction Surveying. |
| TM 5-258 | Pile Construction. |
| TM 5-270 | Cableways, Tramways, and Suspension Bridges. |
| TM 5-277 | Boiley Bridge. |
| TM 5-280 | Foreign Mine Warfare Equipment. |
| TM 5-297 | Well Drilling Operations. |
| TM 5-302 | Construction in the Theater of Operations. |
| TM 5-311 | Military Protective Construction (Nuclear Warfare and Chemical and Biological Operations). |
| TM 5-312 | Military Fixed Bridges. |
| TM 5-315 | Firefighting (Structures, Aircraft, Petroleum, and Nuclear Material) and Rescue Operations in Theaters of Operations. |
| TM 5-330 | Planning and Design of Roads, Airbases, and Heliports in the Theater of Operations. |
| TM 5-331A | Earthmoving, Campobation, Grading and Ditching Equipment. |

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| TM 5-331B | Lifting, Loading, and Hauling Equipment. |
| TM 5-331C | Rock Crushers, Air Compressors, and Pneumatic Tools. |
| TM 5-331D | Asphalt and Concrete Equipment. |
| TM 5-331E | Engineer Special Purpose and Expedient Equipment. |
| TM 5-332 | Pits and Quarries. |
| TM 5-333 | Construction Management. |
| TM 5-337 | Paving and Surfacing Operations. |
| TM 5-342 | Logging and Sawmill Operations. |
| TM 5-349 | Arctic Construction. |
| TM 5-461 | Engineer Handtools. |
| TM 5-617 | Roofing; Repairs and Utilities. |
| TM 5-618 | Paints and Protective Coating. |
| TM 5-624 | Roads, Runways, and Miscellaneous Pavements; Repairs and Utilities. |
| TM 5-700 | Field Water Supply. |
| TM 5-725 | Rigging. |
| TM 5-742 | Concrete and Masonry. |
| TM 5-9541 | AN/PRC Mine Detecting Set. |
| TM 9-1300-214 | Military Explosives. |
| TM 9-1375-200 | Demolition Materials. |

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GROUP C: 12 IN BOTTOM ACTIVATOR WELL.

GROUP C HAS 9 M19 MINES WITH M1 FIRING DEVICES INSERTED INTO A 2 1/2 LB. BLOCK OF CA AND ATTACHED TO BOTTOM OF MINE.

GROUP D: BOOBY TRAPS PLACED. - 1) 2 LB TNT UNDER CENTER OF LOBBY FLAP ACTIVATED BY MAIN ENTRANCE LIGHT SWITCH OR BY PRESSURE ON MAIN PRESSURE DEVICE UNDER FLAP AND 2) 2 LB TNT OVER OUR SILL (MAYOR'S OFFICE) ATTACHED TO M1 PULL DEVICE ACTIVATED BY OPENING DOOR. TEMPORARY MARKERS REPAIRED 131755 MARCH 1967.

LOCAL POPULACE INFORMED THAT THEIR AREA WAS MINED BUT WERE NOT INFORMED OF TRUE LOCATION OF MINED AREA.

⑬ SCALE: 1 CM = 50 M

Unless otherwise shown all distances are in meters and all angles are in degrees (360° circle)

⑭ SIGNATURE (OIC) Wayne Z. Rutledge

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REPLACES EDITION OF 1 JUN 66, WHICH IS OBSOLETE.

17 SECRET (when completed)

Figure 3-19. Record of nuisance minefield.

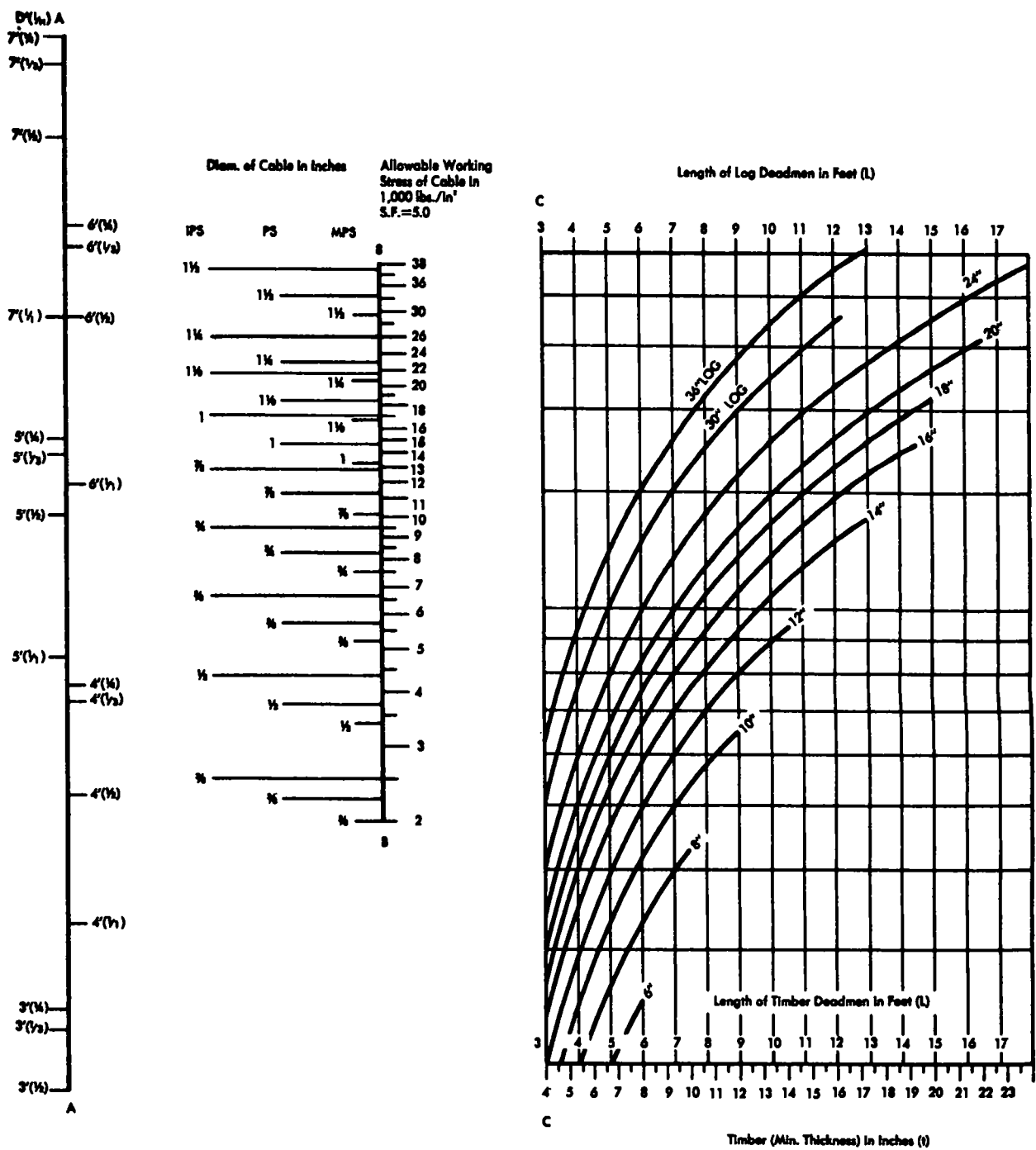


Figure 6-6. Nomograph "A".



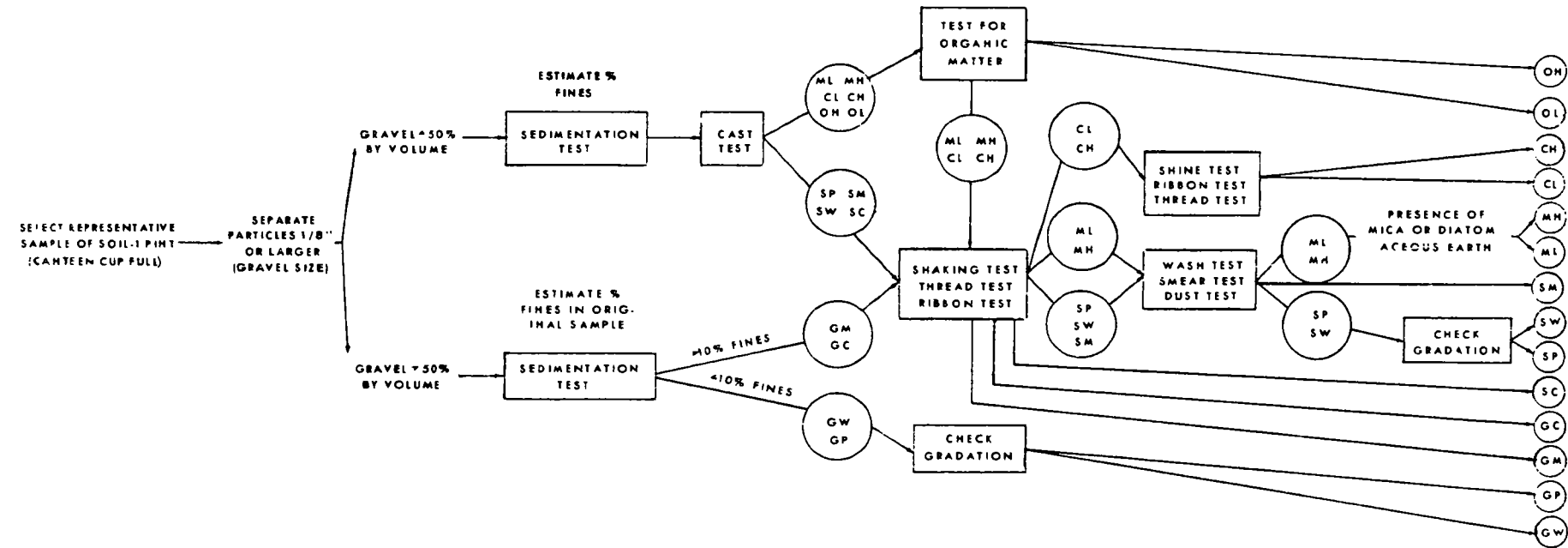


Figure 9-7. Procedure for field identification tests of soils.

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