



**FOUNDATION INVESTIGATION
REPORT
DECEPTION CREEK TRIBUTARY
CULVERT REPLACEMENT
HIGHWAY 11
TOWNSHIP OF CALDER
AGREEMENT No.: 5010-E-0006
GWP: 5149-11-00
WP: 5113-09-01
GEOCRES NO.: 42H-50**

March 2012

DST Reference No. GS-TB-012144

Prepared for:

Ministry of Transportation
Northeastern Region
447 McKeown Avenue, Suite 301
North Bay, Ontario
P1B 9S9

5 Copies - Ministry of Transportation, North Bay, ON
1 Copy – Ministry of Transportation - Foundations Group, Downsview, ON
1 Copy - Genivar, Ottawa, ON
1 copy – DST Consulting Engineers Inc., Thunder Bay

DST CONSULTING ENGINEERS INC.
605 Hewitson Street, Thunder Bay, Ontario P7B 5V5
Phone: 1-807-623-2929 Fax: 1-807-623-1793

DST CONSULTING ENGINEERS INC.

Table of Contents

1. INTRODUCTION	1
2. SITE DESCRIPTION	2
3. INVESTIGATION PROCEDURES AND LABORATORY TESTING.....	7
4. DESCRIPTION OF SUBSURFACE CONDITIONS	9
4.1 Topsoil and Organics	9
4.2 Asphalt.....	9
4.3 Embankment Fill.....	9
4.4 Clay.....	11
4.5 Silty Sand to Sand and Silt.....	11
4.6 Groundwater.....	11
5. REFERENCES	13
6. LIMITATIONS OF REPORT	14

APPENDICES

LIMITATIONS OF REPORT	'A'
DESCRIPTIVE TERMS FOR SOIL CLASSIFICATION	B'

DRAWINGS

BOREHOLE LOCATION PLAN AND CROSS SECTIONS	1 - 3
---	-------

ENCLOSURES

LOG OF BOREHOLES	1 - 4
GRAINSIZE ANALYSIS	5 - 7
ATTERBERG LIMITS TEST RESULTS	8 - 10

List of Tables

Table 3.1	Detail of borehole locations	7
Table 4.1	Depth of water table at boreholes	12

List of Figures

Figure 2.1	Culvert inlet (facing northeast)	3
Figure 2.2	Culvert outlet (facing south)	3
Figure 2.3	Culvert deterioration	4
Figure 2.4	Missing culvert sections	4
Figure 2.5	Vegetation at culvert inlet (facing southwest)	5
Figure 2.6	Vegetation at culvert inlet (facing northeast).....	5
Figure 2.7	Facing east from culvert	6
Figure 2.8	Asphalt deterioration facing northeast	6

**FOUNDATION INVESTIGATION REPORT
DECEPTION CREEK TRIBUTARY CULVERT REPLACEMENT
HIGHWAY 634
TOWNSHIP OF AVON
AGREEMENT NO.: 5010-E-0006
WP: 5113-09-01
GWP: 5149-11-00**

PART 1: FACTUAL INFORMATION

1. INTRODUCTION

DST Consulting Engineers Inc. has been subcontracted by Genivar who was retained by the Ministry of Transportation (MTO), Northeastern Region, to conduct a geotechnical investigation for the replacement of the Deception Creek Tributary culvert on Highway 11. This work was carried out under Agreement No.: 5010-E-0006, Detailed Design for the Replacement / Rehabilitation of Various Culverts.

This report addresses the field investigation, laboratory test program, factual report on conditions (Part 1) and recommendations for design and construction for the proposed culvert replacement (Part 2).

2. SITE DESCRIPTION

The site is located on Highway 11, approximately 19.6 km west of the Highway 11 and Highway 579 intersection, Township of Calder, Cochrane Area. The structural site number is 39E-255.

Existing structure at this location is a three cell timber box 2.13 m x 1.75 m x 26.0 m culvert built in 1983 with a depth of cover of approximately 1.5 m. The culvert was to be in fair to poor condition and the timber elements appear to be rotting and checking, with some elements missing completely. Significant loss of fill on the embankment and major asphalt patching on the roadway directly above the culvert were also noted.

The embankment slopes at this location are approximately 1.5H:1V. Both sides of the embankment were sparsely vegetated granular material with muskeg at the toe of the embankment. The photographs shown in Figures 2.1 to 2.6 were taken by MTO.

Geological information is available from published *Ontario Geological Survey Map # 5036* by the *Ontario Ministry of Natural Resources* for the Smooth Rock area, District of Cochrane. The map indicates a ground moraine formation with till and clay materials, subordinate landforms of organic terrain with peat and muck are also present. The topography in the area landform is mainly moderate local relief, the dominant land surface is undulating to rolling, and the subordinate organic terrain is plain like. The surface drainage conditions are mixed wet and dry within the ground moraine terrain, and wet in the organic terrain.



Figure 2.1 Culvert inlet (facing northeast)



Figure 2.2 Culvert outlet (facing south)



Figure 2.3 Culvert deterioration



Figure 2.4 Missing culvert sections



Figure 2.5 Vegetation at culvert inlet (facing southwest)



Figure 2.6 Vegetation at culvert inlet (facing northeast)



Figure 2.7 Facing east from culvert



Figure 2.8 Asphalt deterioration facing northeast

3. INVESTIGATION PROCEDURES AND LABORATORY TESTING

Site work was carried out between March 24th, 2011 and March 28th, 2011 utilizing a CME 55 drill rig that was operated by DST personnel. A total of four (4) boreholes were advanced for the purpose of foundation design at this site, two (2) using hollow stem augers and other two (2) using hand augers. Boreholes were advanced to depths ranging from 3.1 to 17.4 m.

Two boreholes were advanced through the road structure at Station 9+996 offset 5.0 m left and at Station 10+004 offset 5.0 m right. Two auger boreholes were advanced at beyond the toe of slope near the existing culvert inlet and outlet at Station 9+996 offset 16.6 m left and Station 10+005 offset 17.3 m right respectively. The minimum number of boreholes, and depths and locations of boreholes were chosen according to the given specification in Request for Quotation (RFQ) by MTO.

The borehole locations are referenced to the MTO Station numbering system as indicated in the RFQ. The centreline of the existing culvert was assumed as Station 10+000. The ground surface elevations at the borehole locations were surveyed by DST personnel. At approximately Station 10+030 offset 20 m left a benchmark with an elevation of 97.9 m was placed in the telephone pole and flagged. Borehole locations, stationing and benchmark location are shown on the Borehole Location Plan, Drawings 1. Table 3.1 summarizes the detail of borehole locations and depths.

Table 3.1 Detail of borehole locations

Borehole ID	Station	Elevation (m)	Depth (m)	Offset (m)
BH1	9+996	99.2	17.4	5.0 Lt
BH2	10+004	99.4	15.8	5.0 Rt
HA1	10+005	96.8	3.1	17.3 Rt
HA2	9+996	96.7	3.1	16.6 Lt

The fieldwork was supervised on a full-time basis by DST personnel who located the boreholes in the field, performed sampling and in-situ testing and logged the boreholes. Standard Penetration Testing (SPT) was performed in the boreholes advanced with hollow stem augers. Field vane test (FVT) was performed to estimate undrained shear strength of the cohesive soils. The soil samples collected during drilling were identified in the field, placed in labelled containers and

transported to DST's laboratory in Thunder Bay for further analysis.

Classification and index tests were subsequently performed in the laboratory on samples collected from the boreholes to aid in the selection of engineering properties. Laboratory tests included moisture contents, particle size analyses and Atterberg limits including plastic limit and liquid limit. A total of forty three (43) moisture contents, five (5) sieve analyses, six (6) particle size analyses and seven (7) Atterberg limit tests have been carried out for this assignment. Laboratory test results are presented in the Boreholes Logs (Enclosures 1 to 4), and Plots (Enclosures 5 to 10).

4. DESCRIPTION OF SUBSURFACE CONDITIONS

The subsurface conditions are presented based on the information obtained during field and laboratory testing.

The generalized stratigraphy of the existing embankment, based on the conditions encountered in boreholes, consists of surfacing (hot mix asphalt) overlying sand with crushed gravel fill that is underlain by a mixed backfill including sand and clay surrounding the existing culvert. This fill is then underlain by clay over a deeper silty sand to sand and silt layer.

4.1 Topsoil and Organics

A topsoil layer of up to 150 mm was encountered in hand auger holes 1 and 2. Organic material was also encountered in Hand Auger Holes 1 and 2 at depths from 0.7 to 1.5 m and 0.2 to 0.9 m; this corresponds to maximum and minimum upper and lower boundary elevations of approximately 96.1 and 95.3 m in auger hole 1 and 96.5 and 95.8 in auger hole 2 respectively. The thickness of this stratum in auger hole 1 and 2 was approximately 0.8 m and 0.7 m respectively.

4.2 Asphalt

Asphalt was encountered in boreholes 1 and 2 with a thickness of approximately 115 mm.

4.3 Embankment Fill

Embankment fill layer was encountered in Borehole 1 and 2 below the asphalt layer and at Hand Auger Hole 1. It was encountered at depths between 0.11 and 3.8 m below surface in Boreholes 1 and 2; this corresponds to maximum and minimum upper and lower boundary elevations of approximately 99.3 and 95.5 m respectively. This material was also identified between surface and depths of 0.7 m below surface in Auger hole 1; this corresponds to maximum and minimum upper and lower boundary elevations of approximately 96.8 and 96.1 m respectively. Within the sand fill cobbles were noted during the drilling process. Grain size distributions of the fill material are reported in borehole logs (Enclosures 1 to 4) and plots (Enclosures 5 and 7).

A pavement structure of two materials over the native soil was identified. Directly below the asphalt a fill of predominantly sand and crushed gravel materials was encountered at boreholes 1 and 2 from 115 mm below surface to depths up to 0.2 m; this corresponds to maximum and

minimum upper and lower boundary elevations of approximately 99.3 and 99.0 m respectively. The thickness of this stratum in both Borehole 1 and 2 was approximately 0.1 m. This layer is roadbed granular layer. Gradation analyses conducted on a sample from Borehole 2 indicates gravel, sand, and fines content of approximately 42%, 55% and 3% respectively. This material does not classify as Granular A material but does meet OPSS specifications for Granular B, Type I meeting SSP 110S13 requirements. Material percentages passing the 13.2, 9.5 and 4.75 mm sieves were too high for strict adherence to Granular A and Granular B, Type II specifications. The moisture content of samples was between 4 and 7%.

Directly below this sand and crushed gravel, a fill of predominantly compact to very dense sand materials was encountered at Boreholes 1 between depths of 0.2 and 3.8 m below surface; this corresponds to maximum and minimum upper and lower boundary elevations of approximately 99.0 and 95.5 m respectively. In Borehole 1 the thickness of this stratum was approximately 3.6 m. This material was also encountered in Borehole 2 between depths of 0.2 and 2.2 m below surface as well as between 3.4 and 3.8 m below surface; this corresponds to maximum and minimum upper and lower boundary elevations of approximately 99.2 and 97.2 m as well as 96.0 and 95.6 m respectively. In Borehole 2 the thickness of the upper and lower stratums was approximately 2.0 m and 0.4 m respectively. Gradation analyses conducted on samples from Borehole 1 and 2 indicate gravel, sand, and fines contents of from 2 to 20%, 69 to 80% and 8 to 20% respectively. This material does not classify as Granular B, Type I meeting SSP 110S13 requirements, as higher fine content was resulted from the gradation tests. Material percentages passing the 0.075 mm sieve was too high for strict adherence to Granular B, Type I specifications. The moisture content of samples was between 4 and 11%.

Silty clay was encountered in Borehole 2 between depths of 2.2 and 3.4 m below surface; this corresponds to maximum and minimum upper and lower boundary elevations of approximately 97.2 and 96.0 m respectively. The thickness of this stratum was approximately 1.2 m. This material was also encountered in Auger hole 1 between depths of 0.3 and 0.7 m below surface; this corresponds to maximum and minimum upper and lower boundary elevations of approximately 96.5 and 96.1 m respectively. Atterberg limits tests carried out on samples from Boreholes 2 and Auger hole 1 indicate this clay has an intermediate plasticity with liquid limits and plasticity indices ranging from approximately 36 to 37% and 15 to 19% respectively. Moisture content of the samples was between 23 and 37%.

4.4 Clay

Clay was encountered in Boreholes 1 and 2 as well as Hand Auger Holes 1 and 2. It was encountered at depths between 3.8 and 13.0 m below surface in Boreholes 1 and 2; this corresponds to maximum and minimum upper and lower boundary elevations of approximately 95.5 and 98.2 m respectively. This material was also identified at depths between 0.9 and of 3.1 m below surface in Auger holes 1 and 2; this corresponds to maximum upper boundary elevations of approximately 95.3 and 95.8 m respectively. The thickness of this stratum was found to be approximately 9.2 m as determined in Borehole 1 and 2. For Auger Holes 1 and 2 the thickness of this stratum is not determined as borehole terminus was reached within this stratum. Atterberg limit test carried out on samples from Boreholes 1 and 2 as well as Hand Auger Hole 1 indicates this clay has a low to high plasticity with liquid limits and plasticity indices ranging from of 25 to 66% and 11 to 41% respectively. In-situ field vane tests taken in Boreholes 1 and 2 indicate undrained shear strengths between 29 and 91 kPa with sensitivities ranging from 2 to 6 which indicates consistencies of firm to stiff. Gradation analyses conducted on samples from Boreholes 1 and 2 as well as Hand Auger Holes 1 and 2 indicate gravel, sand, silt and clay contents of approximately 0 to 1%, 1 to 12%, 11 to 61% and 31 to 88% respectively. Moisture contents of samples ranged from 17% to 62%.

4.5 Silty Sand to Sand and Silt

Loose to dense silty sand to sand and silt was encountered in the Boreholes 1 and 2 at depths below approximately 13.0 m below surface; this corresponds to maximum upper boundary elevations of approximately 86.2 and 86.4 m in Borehole 1 and 2 respectively. The thickness of this stratum is not defined in Boreholes 1 and 2 as borehole terminus was reached within the stratum. Gradation analyses conducted on samples from boreholes 1 and 2 indicate gravel, sand, and fines contents of approximately 3 to 7%, 47 to 60% and 37 to 46% respectively. Moisture contents of samples ranged from 9% to 16%.

4.6 Groundwater

The groundwater table was identified below the ground surface during the field investigation and visual identification of soil samples. The estimated depth of groundwater level below the ground surface elevation is given in Table 4.1. The water level in the creek at the culvert was at an elevation of approximately 96.6 m during the field investigation. The groundwater levels and water level at the culvert can be expected to vary with season and precipitation events.

Table 4.1 Depth of water table at boreholes

Borehole ID	Borehole elevation (m)	Water table elevation (m)	Depth of water table below the ground surface (m)
BH1	99.2	96.5	2.7
BH2	99.4	96.5	2.9
HA1	96.8	96.7	0.2
HA2	96.7	96.5	0.2

5. REFERENCES

Canadian Highway Bridge Design Code (2006), CAN/CSA-S6-06, A National Standard of Canada, Canadian standards Association.

Municipal and Provincial Common, Volume 1 - General & Construction Specifications, "*Ontario Provincial Standard for Roads & Public Works*" Spec No. OPSS 422, 501, 510, 511, 517, 518, 539, 805, 902.

Municipal and Provincial Common, Volume 3 - Drawings for Roads, Barriers, Drainage, Sanitary Sewers, Watermains and Structures, "*Ontario Provincial Standard for Roads & Public Works*" Spec No. OPSD 203.040, 803.010, 810.010, 810.020, 3090.100.

Municipal and Provincial Common, Volume 2 - Material Specifications, "*Ontario Provincial Standard for Roads & Public Works*" Spec No. OPSS 1860.

Special Provisions, Ontario Provincial Standards, SP110S13.

The Surveys and Design Office, Highway Engineering Division, Ministry of Transportation, 1990, Pavement Design and Rehabilitation Manual.

6. LIMITATIONS OF REPORT

A description of limitations which are inherent in carrying out site investigation studies is given in Appendix 'A', and this forms an integral part of this report.

For DST CONSULTING ENGINEERS INC.

Prepared by:



Deep Bansal, M.Eng
Jr. Project Manager

Reviewed by:



Dr. M W Bo, PhD., P. Eng, P.Geo, Int PE,
C.Geol, C. Eng, Eur Geol, Eur Eng
Senior Principal / Director (GeoServices)

Reviewed by:



Wesley Saunders, P. Eng
Project Manager

APPENDIX 'A'

LIMITATIONS OF REPORT

LIMITATIONS OF REPORT

GEOTECHNICAL STUDIES

The data, conclusions and recommendations which are presented in this report, and the quality thereof, are based on a scope of work authorized by the Client. Note that no scope of work, no matter how exhaustive, can identify all conditions below ground. Subsurface and groundwater conditions between and beyond the testholes may differ from those encountered at the specific locations tested, and conditions may become apparent during construction which were not detected and could not be anticipated at the time of the site investigation. Conditions can also change with time. It is recommended practice that a Quality Verification Engineer be retained during construction to confirm that the subsurface conditions throughout the site do not deviate materially from those encountered in the testholes. The benchmark and elevations used in this report are primarily to establish relative elevation differences between the testhole locations and should not be used for other purposes, such as grading, excavation, planning, development, etc.

The design recommendations given in this report are applicable only to the project described in the text and then only if constructed substantially in accordance with details stated in this report. Since all details of the design may not be known, we recommend that we be retained during the final stage to verify that the design is consistent with our recommendations, and that assumptions made in our analysis are valid.

Unless otherwise noted, the information contained herein in no way reflects on environmental aspects of either the site or the subsurface conditions.

The comments given in this report on potential construction problems and possible methods are intended only for the guidance of the designer. The number of testholes may not be sufficient to determine all the factors that may affect construction methods and costs, e.g. the thickness of surficial topsoil or fill layers may vary markedly and unpredictably. The contractors bidding on this project or undertaking the construction should, therefore, make their own interpretation of the factual information presented and draw their own conclusion as to how the subsurface conditions may affect their work.

Any results from an analytical laboratory or other subcontractor reported herein have been carried out by others, and DST Consulting Engineers Inc. cannot warranty their accuracy. Similarly, DST cannot warranty the accuracy of information supplied by the client.

APPENDIX 'B'
DESCRIPTIVE TERMS
FOR SOIL CLASSIFICATION

Descriptive Terms for soil classification:

As per the soil classification manual by MTO, the descriptive terms based on percent by mass of the whole sample, are described as per following table

Descriptive Term	Example	Percent by Mass of Sample
And (with two major soil types)	Sand and gravel	40-60
Adjective (silty)	Silty	30-40
With	Silt with fine sand	20-30
Some	Silt, some fine sand	10-20
Trace	Sand, trace of gravel	0-10

EXPLANATION OF TERMS USED IN REPORT

N VALUE: THE STANDARD PENETRATION TEST (SPT) N VALUE IS THE NUMBER OF BLOWS REQUIRED TO CAUSE A STANDARD 51mm O.D. SPLIT BARREL SAMPLER TO PENETRATE 0.3m INTO UNDISTURBED GROUND IN A BOREHOLE WHEN DRIVEN BY A HAMMER WITH A MASS OF 63.5kg, FALLING FREELY A DISTANCE OF 0.76m. FOR PENETRATIONS OF LESS THAN 0.3m N VALUES ARE INDICATED AS THE NUMBER OF BLOWS FOR THE PENETRATION ACHIEVED. AVERAGE N VALUE IS DENOTED THUS \bar{N} .

DYNAMIC CONE PENETRATION TEST: CONTINUOUS PENETRATION OF A CONICAL STEEL POINT (51mm O.D. 60° CONE ANGLE) DRIVEN BY 475 J IMPACT ENERGY ON 'A' SIZE DRILL RODS. THE RESISTANCE TO CONE PENETRATION IS MEASURED AS THE NUMBER OF BLOWS FOR EACH 0.3m ADVANCE OF THE CONICAL POINT INTO THE UNDISTURBED GROUND.

SOILS ARE DESCRIBED BY THEIR COMPOSITION AND CONSISTENCY OR DENSENESS.

CONSISTENCY: COHESIVE SOILS ARE DESCRIBED ON THE BASIS OF THEIR UNDRAINED SHEAR STRENGTH (c_u) AS FOLLOWS:

c_u (kPa)	0 - 12	12 - 25	25 - 50	50 - 100	100 - 200	> 200
	VERY SOFT	SOFT	FIRM	STIFF	VERY STIFF	HARD

DENSENESS: COHESIONLESS SOILS ARE DESCRIBED ON THE BASIS OF DENSENESS AS INDICATED BY SPT N VALUES AS FOLLOWS:

N (BLOWS/0.3m)	0 - 5	5 - 10	10 - 30	30 - 50	> 50
	VERY LOOSE	LOOSE	COMPACT	DENSE	VERY DENSE

ROCKS ARE DESCRIBED BY THEIR COMPOSITION AND STRUCTURAL FEATURES AND / OR STRENGTH.

RECOVERY: SUM OF ALL RECOVERED ROCK CORE PIECES FROM A CORING RUN EXPRESSED AS A PERCENT OF THE TOTAL LENGTH OF THE CORING RUN.

MODIFIED RECOVERY: SUM OF THOSE INTACT CORE PIECES, 100mm+ IN LENGTH EXPRESSED AS A PERCENT OF THE LENGTH OF THE CORING RUN. THE ROCK QUALITY DESIGNATION (RQD), FOR MODIFIED RECOVERY, IS:

RQD (%)	0 - 25	25 - 50	50 - 75	75 - 90	90 - 100
	VERY POOR	POOR	FAIR	GOOD	EXCELLENT

JOINTING AND BEDDING:

SPACING	50mm	50 - 300mm	0.3m - 1m	1m - 3m	> 3m
JOINTING	VERY CLOSE	CLOSE	MOD. CLOSE	WIDE	VERY WIDE
BEDDING	VERY THIN	THIN	MEDIUM	THICK	VERY THICK

ABBREVIATIONS AND SYMBOLS

FIELD SAMPLING

S S	SPLIT SPOON	T P	THINWALL PISTON
W S	WASH SAMPLE	O S	OSTERBERG SAMPLE
S T	SLOTTED TUBE SAMPLE	R C	ROCK CORE
B S	BLOCK SAMPLE	P H	T W ADVANCED HYDRAULICALLY
C S	CHUNK SAMPLE	P M	T W ADVANCED MANUALLY
T W	THINWALL OPEN	F S	FOIL SAMPLE

MECHANICAL PROPERTIES OF SOIL

m_v	kPa^{-1}	COEFFICIENT OF VOLUME CHANGE
C_c	1	COMPRESSION INDEX
C_s	1	SWELLING INDEX
C_α	1	RATE OF SECONDARY CONSOLIDATION
c_v	m^2/s	COEFFICIENT OF CONSOLIDATION
H	m	DRAINAGE PATH
T_v	1	TIME FACTOR
U	%	DEGREE OF CONSOLIDATION
σ'_{vo}	kPa	EFFECTIVE OVERBURDEN PRESSURE
σ'_p	kPa	PRECONSOLIDATION PRESSURE
τ_f	kPa	SHEAR STRENGTH
c'	kPa	EFFECTIVE COHESION INTERCEPT
ϕ'	-°	EFFECTIVE ANGLE OF INTERNAL FRICTION
c_u	kPa	APPARENT COHESION INTERCEPT
ϕ_u	-°	APPARENT ANGLE OF INTERNAL FRICTION
τ_R	kPa	RESIDUAL SHEAR STRENGTH
τ_r	kPa	REMOULDED SHEAR STRENGTH
S_t	1	SENSITIVITY = $\frac{c_u}{\tau_r}$

STRESS AND STRAIN

u_w	kPa	PORE WATER PRESSURE
r_u	1	PORE PRESSURE RATIO
σ	kPa	TOTAL NORMAL STRESS
σ'	kPa	EFFECTIVE NORMAL STRESS
τ	kPa	SHEAR STRESS
$\sigma_1, \sigma_2, \sigma_3$	kPa	PRINCIPAL STRESSES
ϵ	%	LINEAR STRAIN
$\epsilon_1, \epsilon_2, \epsilon_3$	%	PRINCIPAL STRAINS
E	kPa	MODULUS OF LINEAR DEFORMATION
G	kPa	MODULUS OF SHEAR DEFORMATION
μ	1	COEFFICIENT OF FRICTION

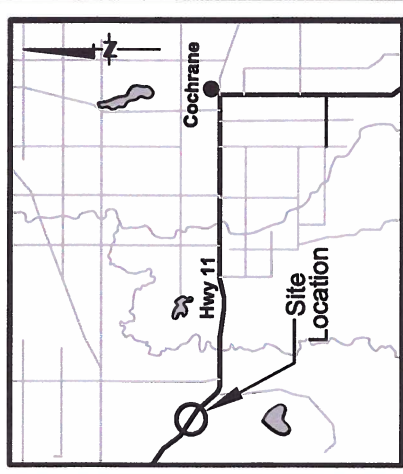
PHYSICAL PROPERTIES OF SOIL

ρ_s	kg/m^3	DENSITY OF SOLID PARTICLES	e	1, %	VOID RATIO	e_{\min}	1, %	VOID RATIO IN DENSEST STATE
γ_s	KN/m^3	UNIT WEIGHT OF SOLID PARTICLES	n	1, %	POROSITY	I_D	1	DENSITY INDEX = $\frac{e_{\max} - e}{e_{\max} - e_{\min}}$
ρ_w	kg/m^3	DENSITY OF WATER	w	1, %	WATER CONTENT	D	mm	GRAIN DIAMETER
γ_w	KN/m^3	UNIT WEIGHT OF WATER	S_r	%	DEGREE OF SATURATION	D_n	mm	n PERCENT - DIAMETER
ρ	kg/m^3	DENSITY OF SOIL	w_L	%	LIQUID LIMIT	C_u	1	UNIFORMITY COEFFICIENT
γ	KN/m^3	UNIT WEIGHT OF SOIL	w_p	%	PLASTIC LIMIT	h	m	HYDRAULIC HEAD OR POTENTIAL
ρ_d	kg/m^3	DENSITY OF DRY SOIL	$w_{s.}$	%	SHRINKAGE LIMIT	q	m^3/s	RATE OF DISCHARGE
γ_d	KN/m^3	UNIT WEIGHT OF DRY SOIL	I_p	%	PLASTICITY INDEX = $w_L - w_p$	v	m/s	DISCHARGE VELOCITY
ρ_{sat}	kg/m^3	DENSITY OF SATURATED SOIL	I_L	1	LIQUIDITY INDEX = $\frac{w - w_p}{I_p}$	i	1	HYDRAULIC GRADIENT
γ_{sat}	KN/m^3	UNIT WEIGHT OF SATURATED SOIL	I_C	1	CONSISTENCY INDEX = $\frac{w_L - w}{I_p}$	k	m/s	HYDRAULIC CONDUCTIVITY
ρ'	kg/m^3	DENSITY OF SUBMERGED SOIL	e_{\max}	1, %	VOID RATIO IN LOOSEST STATE	j	KN/m^2	SEEPAGE FORCE
γ'	KN/m^3	UNIT WEIGHT OF SUBMERGED SOIL						

D R A W I N G S

METRIC
DIMENSIONS ARE IN METRES
AND/OR MILLIMETRES UNLESS
OTHERWISE SHOWN. STATIONS
IN KILOMETRES + METERS

CONT	No 2012-5119	SHEET
GWP	No 5149-11-00	
WP	No 5113-09-01	
Site	No 39E-255	
Geocres	No 42H-50	
CULVERT REPLACEMENT AT DECEPTION CREEK TRIBUTARY Highway 11 - Calder Twp. Geotechnical Investigation		

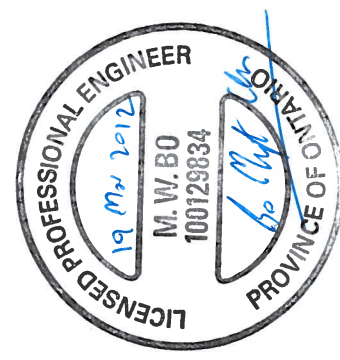
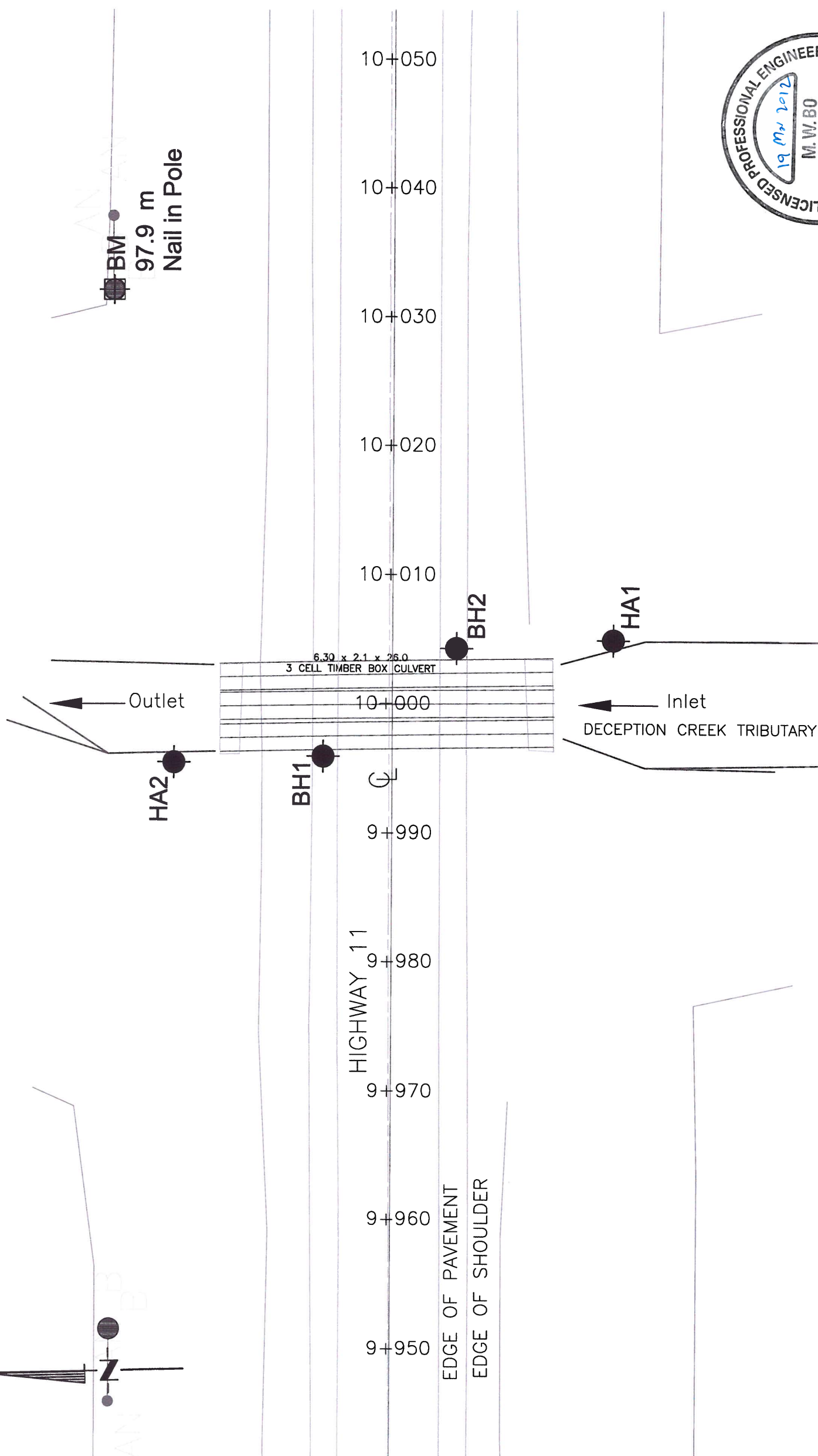


LEGEND			
◆	Borehole/Hand Auger	◆	Station
⊕	Borehole with DCPT	◆	Easting
⊕	Dynamic Cone Penetration Test (DCPT)	◆	Offset
⊕	Rock Probe	◆	
⊕	Blows/0.3m (Std. Pen Test, 475 J/Blow)	◆	
⊕	Water level at time of investigation.	◆	
⊕	Benchmark	◆	
⊕	Fill	◆	
⊕	Organics	◆	
⊕	Topsoil	◆	
⊕	Till	◆	
⊕	Bedrock	◆	
⊕	Sand	◆	
⊕	Silt	◆	
⊕	Clay	◆	
⊕	Sand & Gravel	◆	
⊕	Boulders	◆	



NOTE:
The boundaries between soil areas have been established only at borehole locations. Intermediate boundaries are assumed by interpolation and may not represent actual conditions.

DST Consulting Engineers Inc.
605 Hewitson Street
Thunder Bay, ON P7B 5V5
Ph: (807) 623-2929
Fax: (807) 623-1792
Email: thunderbay@dstgroup.com

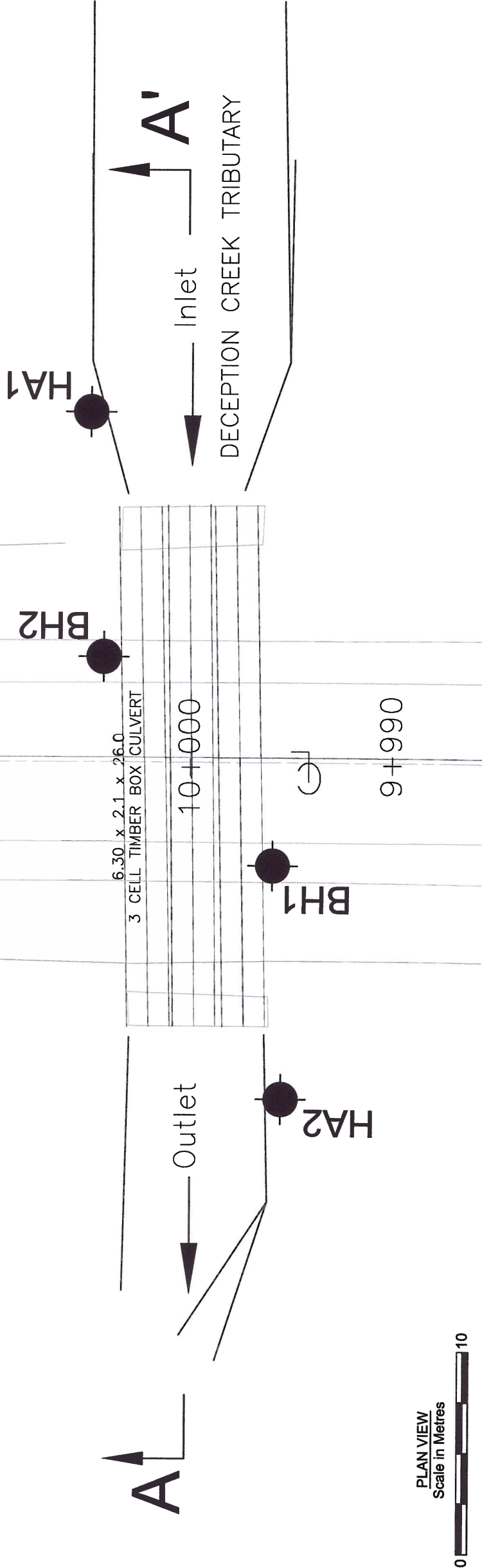


PLAN VIEW
Scale in Metres

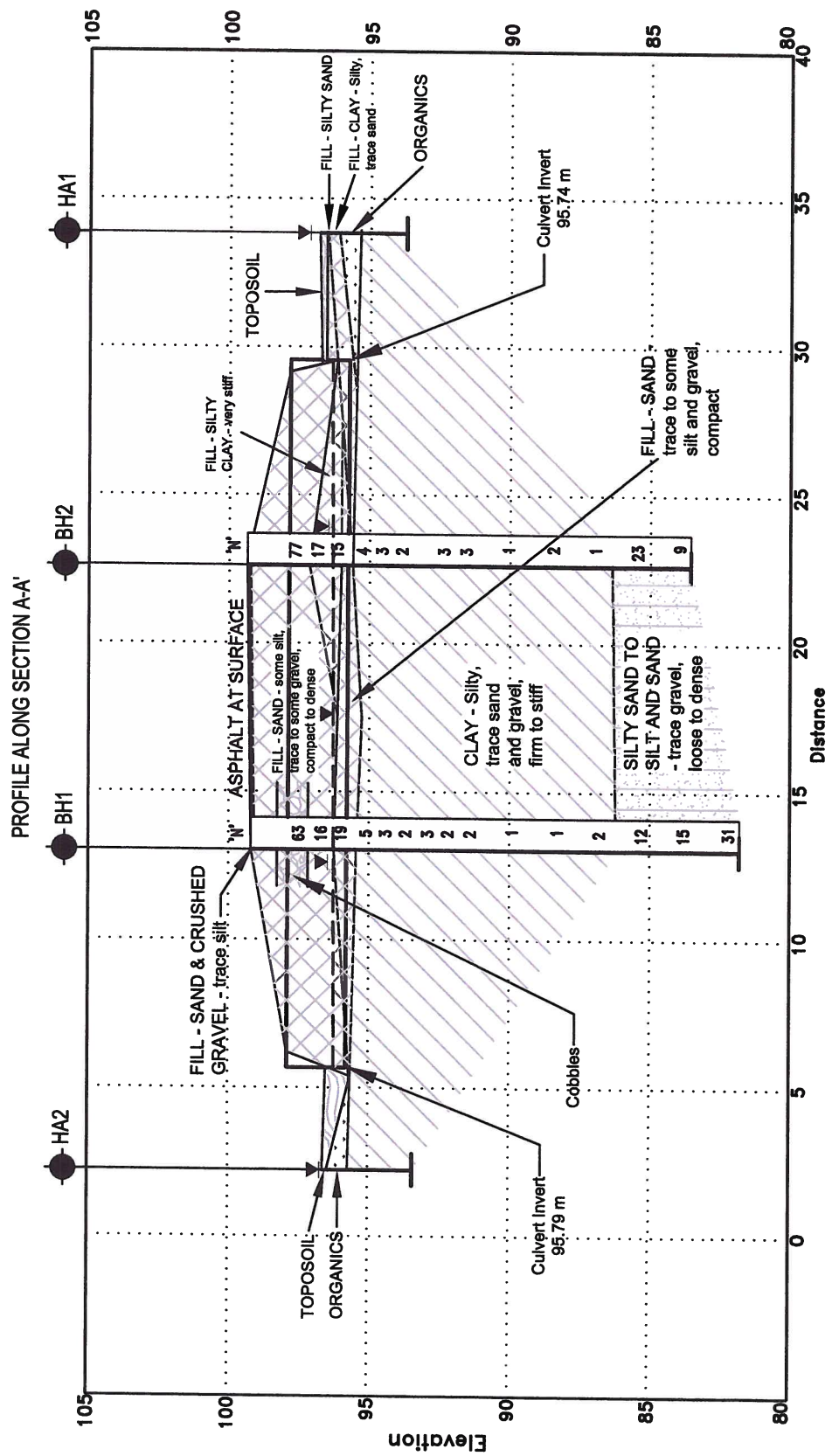
0 20

METRIC
DIMENSIONS ARE IN METRES
AND/OR MILLIMETRES UNLESS
OTHERWISE SPECIFIED.
DIMENSIONS IN KILOMETRES + METRES

CONT	No 2012-5119	
GWP	No 5149-11-00	
WP	No 5113-09-01	
Site	No 39E-255	
Geocres	No 42H-50	
CULVERT REPLACEMENT AT DECEPTION CREEK TRIBUTARY Highway 11 - Calder Twp. Geotechnical Investigation	SHEET 25	



PLAN VIEW
Scale in Metres

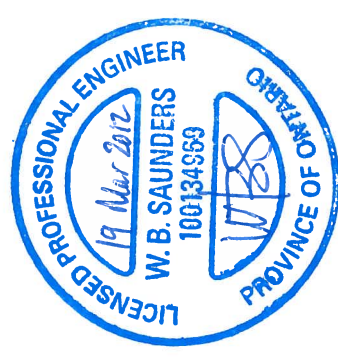
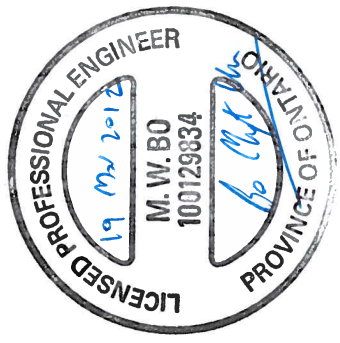


PROFILE ALONG SECTION A-A'



LEGEND			
	Borehole/Hand Auger		Sand
	Borehole with DCPT		Silt
	Dynamic Cone Penetration Test (DCPT)		Clay
	Rock Probe		Sand & Gravel
	Blows/0.3m (Std. Pen Test, 475 J/Blow)		Boulders
	Water level at time of investigation		
	Benchmark		
	Fill		Organics
	Topsoil		Bedrock
	Till		
	Bedrock		

No.	Elevation	Northing	Easting	Station	Offset
BH1	98.23	5435760	477833	9+986	5.0 RT
BH2	98.38	5435777	477827	10+004	5.0 LT
HA1	98.84	5435772	477828	10+006	17.3 RT
HA2	98.65	5435794	477835	9+986	16.6 LT

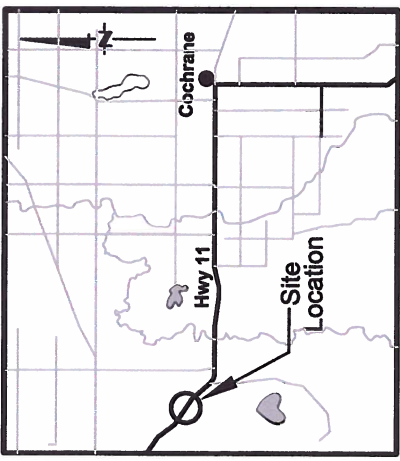


DST
DST Consulting Engineers Inc.
605 Hewitson Street
Thunder Bay, ON P7B 5V5
Ph: (807) 623-2929
Ft: (807) 623-1792
Email: thunderbay@dstgroup.com

NOTE:
The boundaries between soil areas have been established only at borehole locations. Between boreholes the boundaries are assumed by interpolation and may not represent actual conditions.

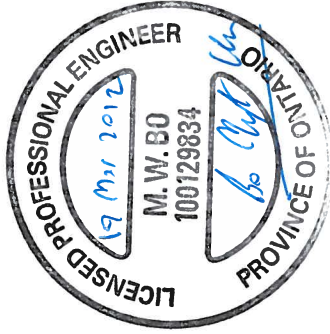
METRIC
DIMENSIONS ARE IN METRES
UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED
OTHERWISE DIMENSIONS
IN KILOMETERS + METERS

CONT	No 2012-5119	SHEET	26
GWP	No 5149-11-00		
WP	No 5113-09-01		
Site	No 39E-255		
Geocres	No 42H-50		
CULVERT REPLACEMENT AT DECEPTION CREEK TRIBUTARY Highway 11 - Calder Twp. Geotechnical Investigation			



LEGEND			
◆	Borehole/Hand Auger	█	Sand
⊕	Borehole with DCPT	▨	Silt
⊗	Dynamic Cone Penetration Test (DCPT)	▩	Clay
●	Rock Probe	▧	Sand & Gravel
⋈	Blows/0.3m (Std. Pen Test, 475 J/Blow)	▦	Boulders
▽	Water level at time of investigation.		
⊕	Benchmark		
⊗	Fill		
⊗	Organics		
⊗	Topsoil		
⊗	Till		
⊗	Bedrock		

No.	Elevation	Noting	Easting	Station	Offset
BH1	98.23	5435760	477833	9+888	5.0 RT
BH2	98.38	5435777	477827	10+004	5.0 LT
HA1	98.84	5435772	477826	10+005	17.3 RT
HA2	98.65	5435784	477835	9+888	16.6 LT



NOTE:
The boundaries between self areas have been established only at borehole locations. Between boreholes the boundaries are assumed by interpolation and may not represent actual conditions.

DST Consulting Engineers Inc.
605 Hewitson Street
Thunder Bay, ON P7B 5V5
Ph: (807) 623-2929
Fx: (807) 623-1792
Email: thunderbay@dstgroup.com

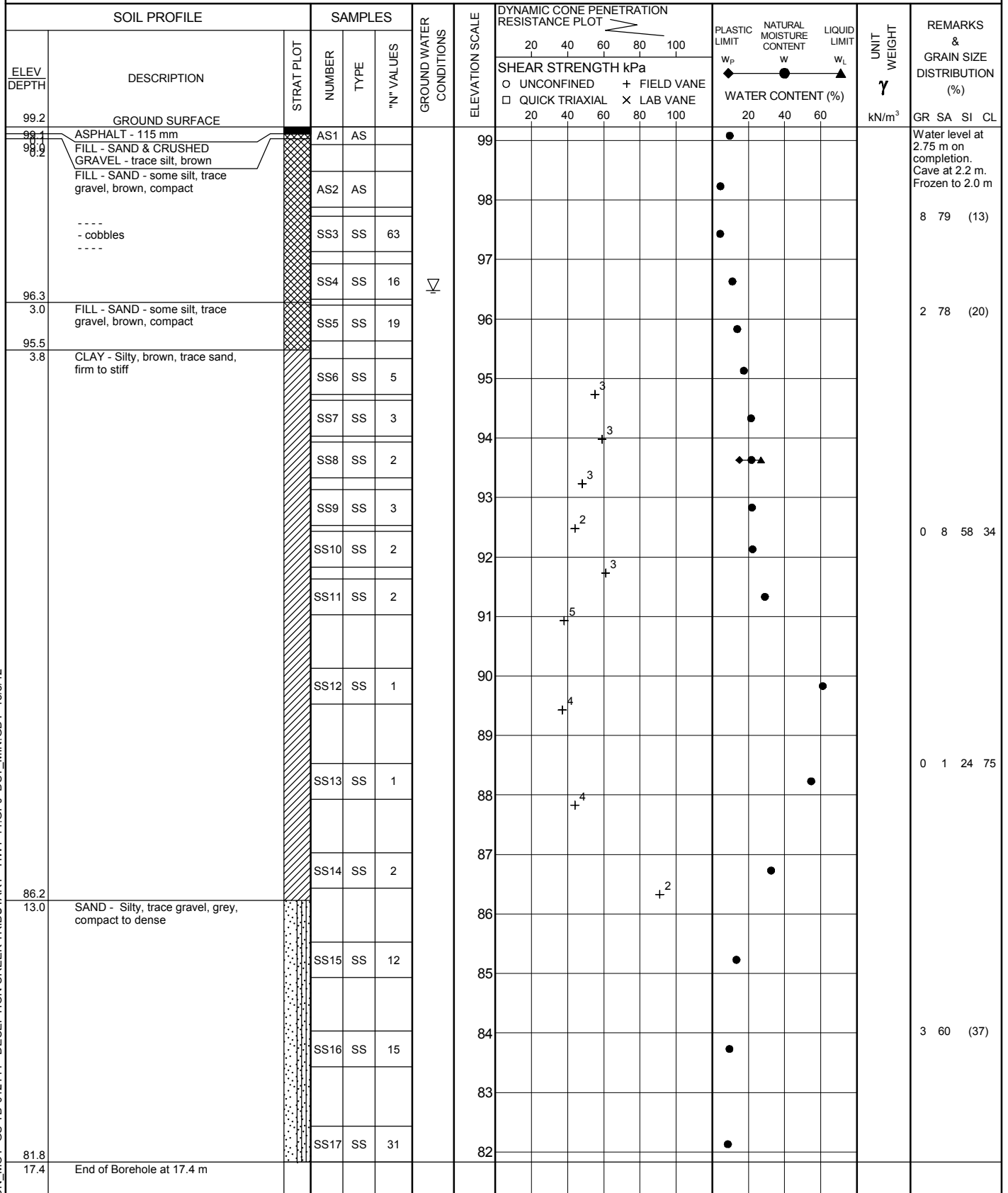
E N C L O S U R E S

RECORD OF BOREHOLE No BH1

1 OF 1

METRIC

W.P. 5113-09-01 LOCATION STA. 9+996, 5.0 m LT (5435780 m N, 477833 m E) ORIGINATED BY KS/JF
 DIST HWY 11 BOREHOLE TYPE Hollow Stem Auger (80 mm ID) COMPILED BY ML
 DATUM Assumed DATE 2011 03 25 CHECKED BY WS/BV



Numbers refer to Sensitivity \circ 3% STRAIN AT FAILURE

RECORD OF BOREHOLE No BH2

1 OF 1

METRIC

W.P. 5113-09-01 LOCATION STA. 10+004, 5.0 m RT (5435777 m N, 477827 m E) ORIGINATED BY KS/JF
DIST HWY 11 BOREHOLE TYPE Hollow Stem Auger (80 mm ID) COMPILED BY ML
DATUM Assumed DATE 2011 03 28 CHECKED BY WS/BV

SOIL PROFILE			SAMPLES			GROUND WATER CONDITIONS	ELEVATION SCALE	DYNAMIC CONE PENETRATION RESISTANCE PLOT		PLASTIC LIMIT NATURAL MOISTURE CONTENT LIQUID LIMIT			UNIT WEIGHT γ kN/m ³	REMARKS & GRAIN SIZE DISTRIBUTION (%)						
ELEV DEPTH	DESCRIPTION	STRAT PLOT	NUMBER	TYPE	"N" VALUES			20	40	60	80	100		W _P	W	W _L	GR	SA	SI	CL
SHEAR STRENGTH kPa																				
○ UNCONFINED + FIELD VANE																				
□ QUICK TRIAXIAL × LAB VANE																				
WATER CONTENT (%)																				
20 40 60 80 100																				
99.4	GROUND SURFACE																			
99.3	ASPHALT - 115 mm		AS1	AS														42 55 (3)		
99.2	FILL - SAND & CRUSHED GRAVEL - trace silt, brown		AS2	AS														Water level at 2.9 m on completion.		
98.2	FILL - SAND - some gravel & silt, brown, compact		AS3	AS														Cave at 4.3 m.		
			SS4	SS	77													Frozen to 2.3 m		
97.2																		20 69 (11)		
2.2	FILL - CLAY - Silty, brown, very stiff		SS5	SS	17															
			SS6	SS	15															
96.0																		12 80 (8)		
3.4	FILL - SAND - some gravel, trace silt, grey, compact																			
95.6			SS7	SS	4															
3.8	CLAY - Silty, trace sand and gravel - grey, firm to stiff		SS8	SS	3															
			SS9	SS	2															
			TW10	TW																
			SS11	SS	3													1 9 59 31		
			SS12	SS	3															
			SS13	SS	1													0 1 11 88		
			SS14	SS	2															
			SS15	SS	1															
86.4																				
13.0	SAND & SILT - trace gravel, grey, loose to compact																			
			SS16	SS	23															
			SS17	SS	9													7 47 (46)		
83.6																				
15.8	End of Borehole at 15.8 m																			

✕³, ★³: Numbers refer to Sensitivity ○ 3% STRAIN AT FAILURE

ENCLOSURE 2

RECORD OF BOREHOLE No HA1

1 OF 1

METRIC

W.P. 5113-09-01 LOCATION STA. 10+005, 17.3 m RT (5435772 m N, 477826 m E) ORIGINATED BY KS/JF
 DIST HWY 11 BOREHOLE TYPE Hollow Stem Auger (80 mm ID) COMPILED BY ML
 DATUM Assumed DATE 2011 03 24 CHECKED BY WS/BV

SOIL PROFILE			SAMPLES			GROUND WATER CONDITIONS	ELEVATION SCALE	DYNAMIC CONE PENETRATION RESISTANCE PLOT			PLASTIC LIMIT w _p	NATURAL MOISTURE CONTENT w	LIQUID LIMIT w _L	UNIT WEIGHT γ kN/m ³	REMARKS & GRAIN SIZE DISTRIBUTION (%)
ELEV DEPTH	DESCRIPTION	STRAT PLOT	NUMBER	TYPE	"N" VALUES			SHEAR STRENGTH kPa ○ UNCONFINED + FIELD VANE □ QUICK TRIAXIAL x LAB VANE							
96.8	GROUND SURFACE														
96.8	TOPSOIL - 50 mm		SA21	AS											GR SA SI CL
96.9	SAND - Silty, trace gravel, brown		SA22	AS											450 mm
96.1	CLAY - Silty, trace sand, brown/grey		SA23	AS											Standing Water.
0.7	ORGANICS - fibrous, dark brown														
95.3															
1.5	CLAY - Silty, trace sand, grey		SA24	AS											0 8 61 31
93.7			SA25	AS											
3.1	End of Borehole at 3.1 m														

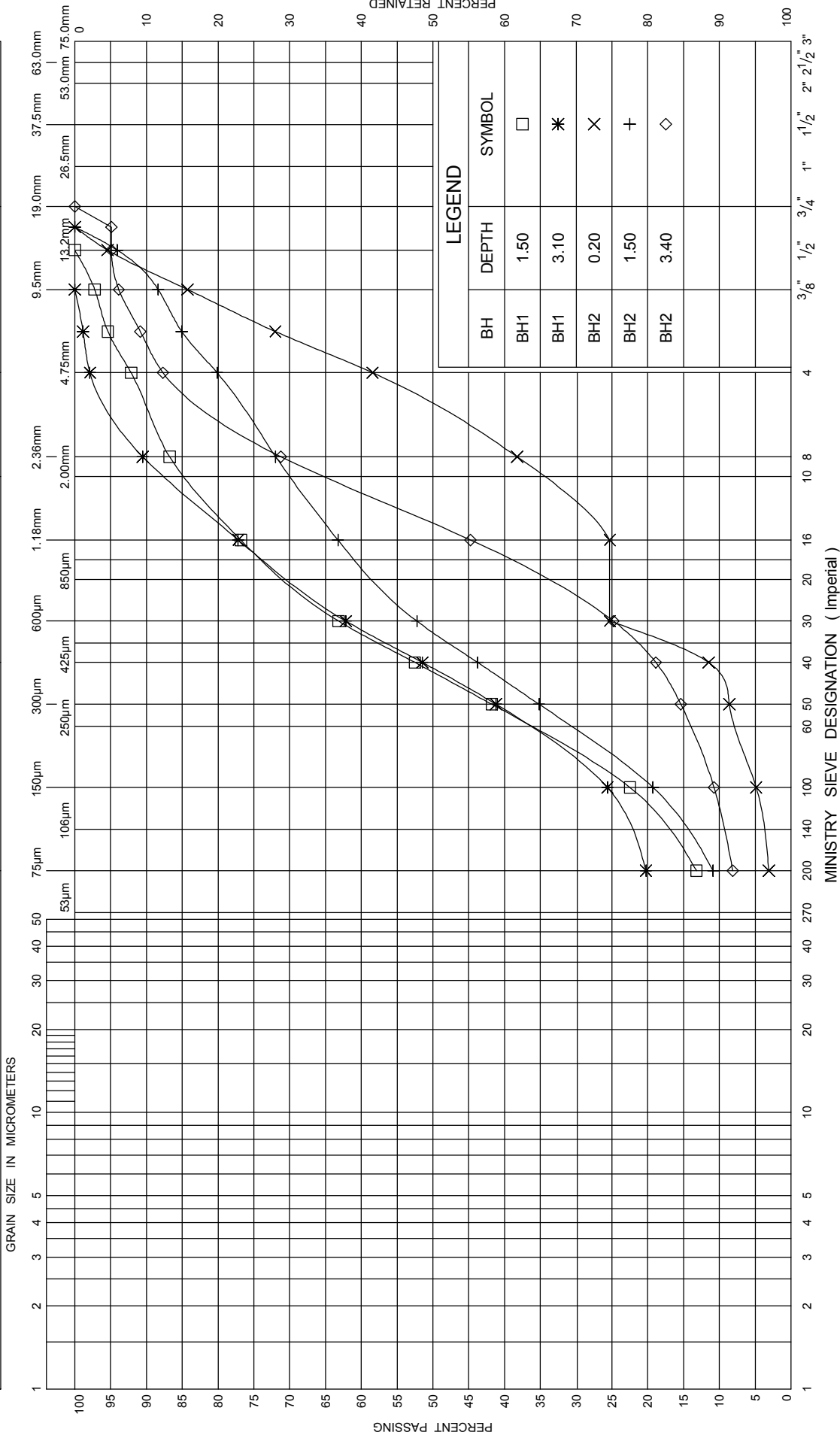
✕³, ★³: Numbers refer to Sensitivity ○ 3% STRAIN AT FAILURE

ENCLOSURE 3

ON_MOT_CS-TB-012144 - DECEPTION CREEK TRIBUTARY - HWY 11.GPJ DST_MIN.GDT 13/3/12

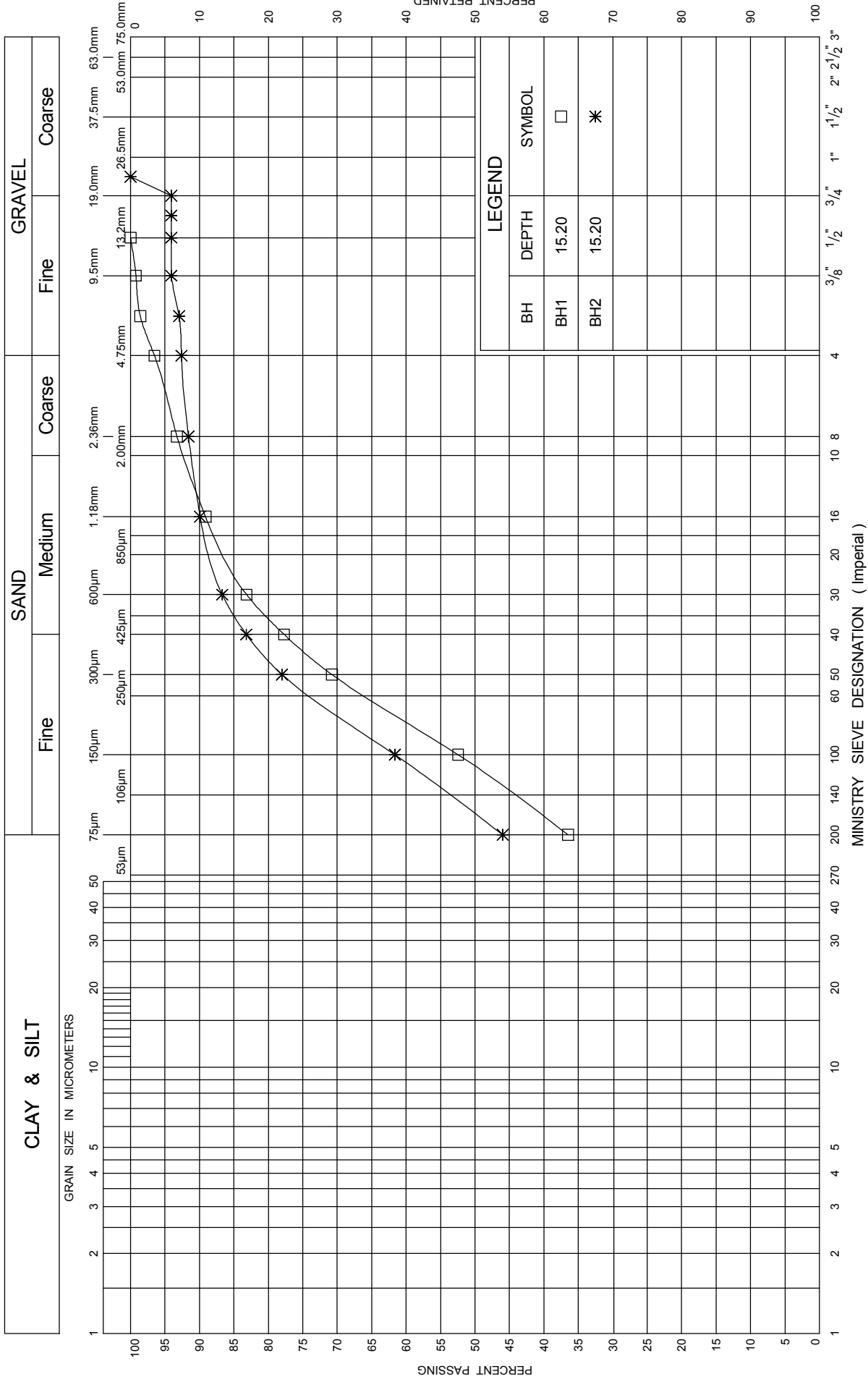
UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM

CLAY & SILT		SAND			GRAVEL		
		Fine		Medium	Coarse	Fine	Coarse



GRAIN SIZE DISTRIBUTION
SAND

ENCLOSURE 5
W P 5113-09-01
HIGHWAY 11



GRAIN SIZE DISTRIBUTION SAND & SILT TO SILTY SAND

ENCLOSURE 6

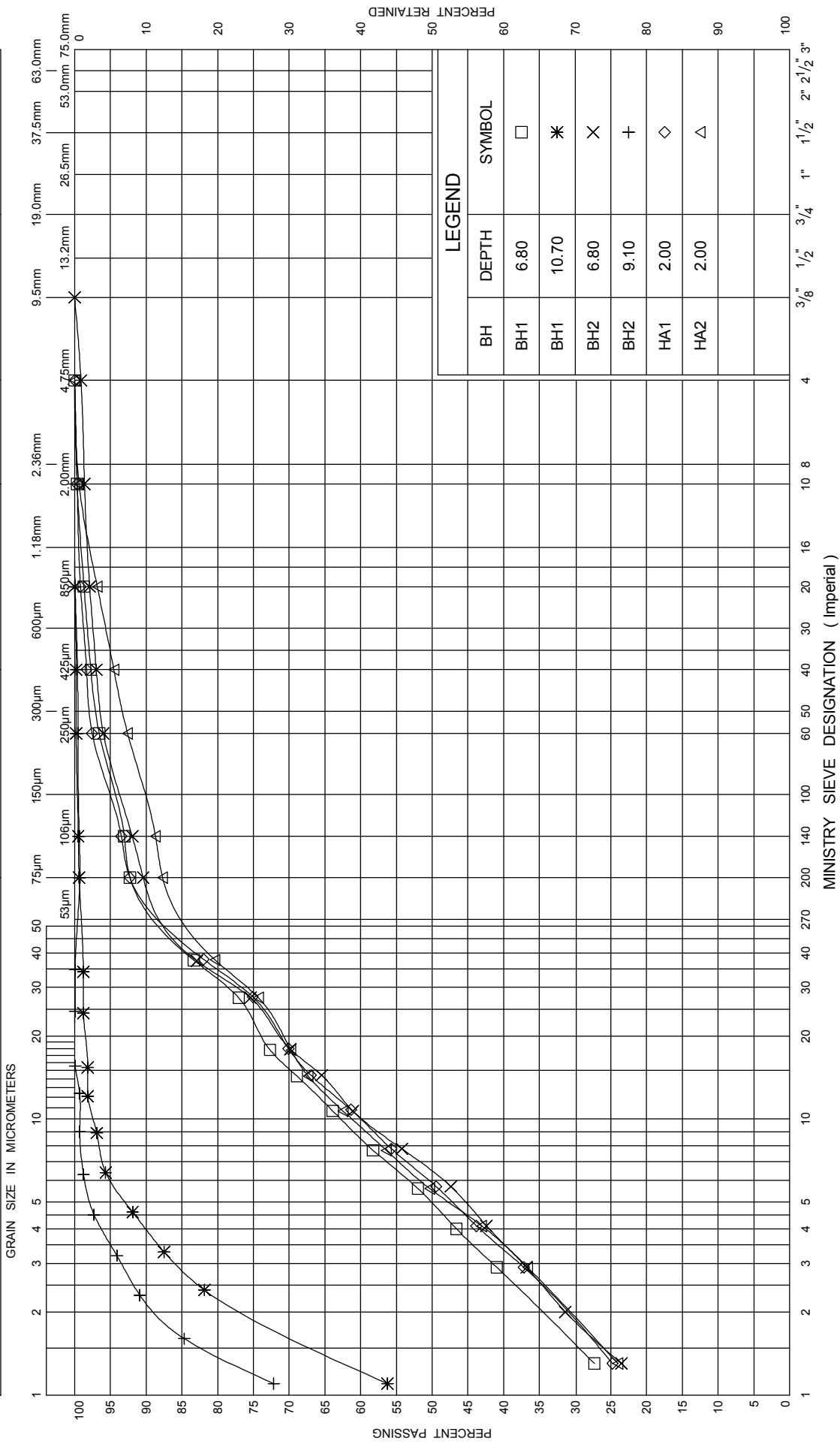
WP 5113-09-01

HIGHWAY 11



UNIFIED SOIL CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM

CLAY & SILT		SAND			GRAVEL	
		Fine	Medium	Coarse	Fine	Coarse



GRAIN SIZE DISTRIBUTION
CLAY

ENCLOSURE 7
W P 5113-09-01
HIGHWAY 11

