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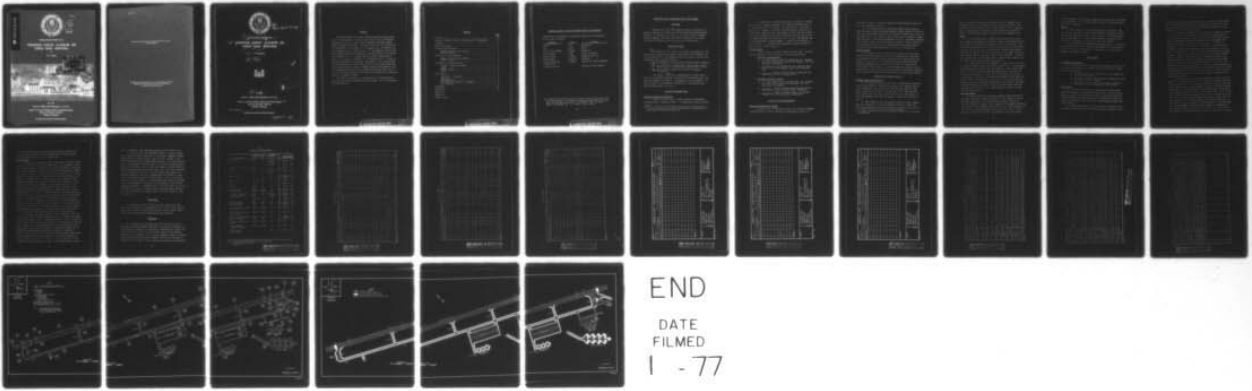
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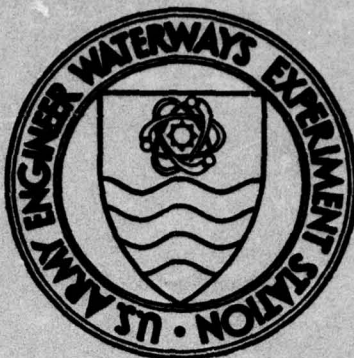
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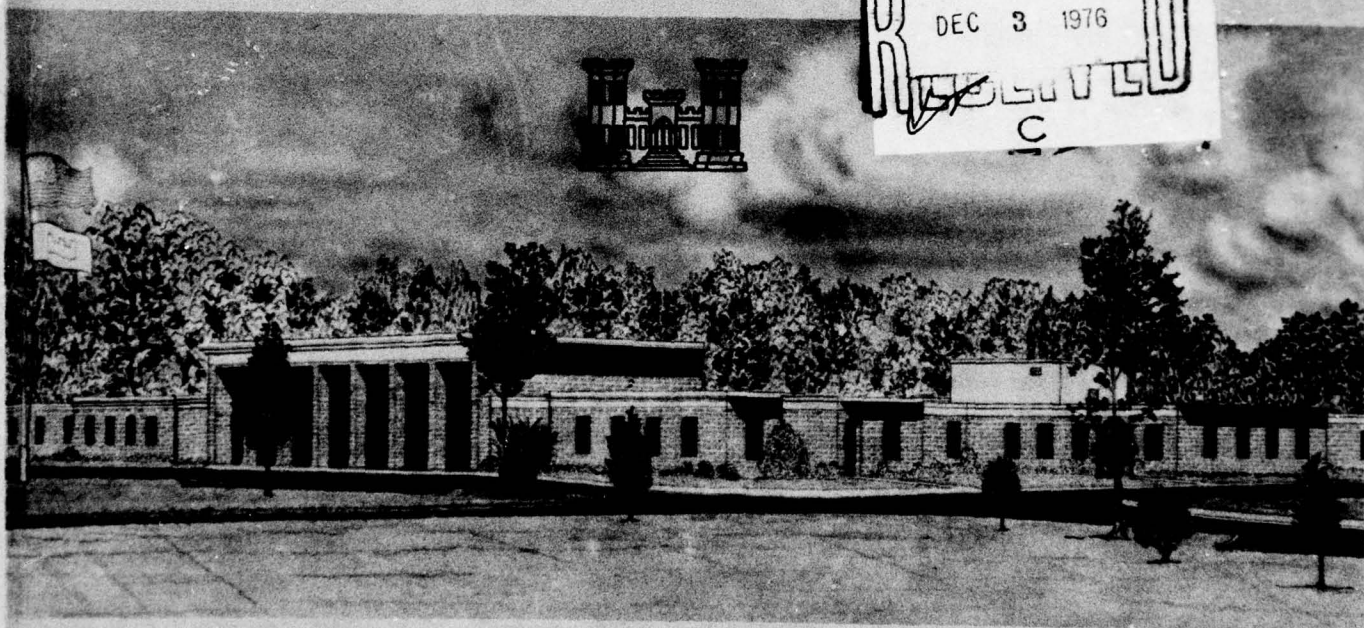
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Foreword

The study reported herein was conducted under the general supervision of the Engineering Design Criteria Branch, Soils and Pavements Laboratory, of the U. S. Army Engineer Waterways Experiment Station (WES), Vicksburg, Mississippi. Personnel involved in the condition survey were Messrs. S. L. Webster, K. A. O'Connor, and S. R. Rowland, Jr., of the WES and Mr. H. H. Baker of the U. S. Army Engineer Division, New England (NED), Waltham, Massachusetts. The main portion of this report was prepared by Mr. R. D. Jackson under the general supervision of Messrs. J. P. Sale, R. G. Ahlvin, R. L. Hutchinson, and P. J. Vedros of the Soils and Pavements Laboratory. That portion of the study pertaining to frost action was carried out by the U. S. Army Cold Regions Research and Engineering Laboratory (CRREL), Hanover, New Hampshire, with the assistance of the Foundations and Materials Branch, NED. The section of the report concerning frost action was prepared by Mr. Baker and by Mr. G. D. Gilman of CRREL.

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Conversion Factors, British to Metric Units of Measurement

British units of measurement used in this report can be converted to metric units as follows:

<u>Multiply</u>	<u>By</u>	<u>To Obtain</u>
inches	2.54	centimeters
feet	0.3048	meters
miles (U. S. statute)	1.609344	kilometers
square inches	6.4516	square centimeters
miles per hour	1.609344	kilometers per hour
pounds (mass)	0.45359237	kilograms
pounds (force) per square inch	0.6894757	newtons per square centimeter
Fahrenheit degrees	*	Celsius or Kelvin degrees

* To obtain Celsius (C) temperature readings from Fahrenheit (F) readings, use the following formula: $C = (5/9)(F - 32)$. To obtain Kelvin (K) readings, use: $K = (5/9)(F - 32) + 273.15$.

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Authority

1. Authority for conducting condition surveys at selected airfields is contained in amendment to FY 1972 RDTE Funding Authorization (MFS-MC-5, 16 February 1972), subject: "Air Force Airfield Pavement Research Program," from the Office, Chief of Engineers, U. S. Army, Directorate of Military Construction, dated 18 February 1972.

Purpose and Scope

2. The purpose of this report is to present the results of a condition survey performed at Glasgow Air Force Base (GAFB), Montana, during 17-20 April 1972. The following three major areas of interest were considered in this condition survey:

- (1) The structural condition of the primary airfield pavements.
- (2) The condition of pavement repairs and the types of maintenance materials that have been used at this airfield.
- (3) Any detrimental effects of frost to the pavement facilities.

3. This report is limited to a presentation of visual observations of the pavement conditions, discussion of these observations, and pertinent remarks with regard to the performance of the pavements. No physical tests of the pavements, foundations, or patching materials were performed during this survey.

Pertinent Background Data

General description of airfield

4. GAFB is located in Valley County, Montana, approximately 18 miles* north of Glasgow, Montana. A vicinity map is shown in plates 1 and 2.

* A table of factors for converting British units of measurement to metric units is presented on page vii.

5. In April 1972, the airfield facilities consisted of a NW-SE (10-28) runway, a parallel taxiway, a SAC heavy-load parking apron, an ADC parking apron, alert facilities, two warm-up aprons, connecting taxiways to the runway and aprons, an aircraft weapons calibration facility, and a power check pad. The runway was 300 ft wide and 13,500 ft long; the SAC parking apron was 775 ft wide and 2,185 ft long; and the ADC parking apron was 500 ft wide and 1,320 ft long. The taxiways were 75 ft wide and were of various lengths. A layout of the airfield is shown in plate 1. A pavement plan indicating the type of pavement on each facility is shown in plate 2.

Previous reports

6. Previous reports concerning GAFB are listed below. Pertinent data were extracted from them for use in this condition survey.

7. Condition survey reports:

- a. U. S. Army Engineer District, Walla Walla, CE, "Pavement Condition Survey Report, Glasgow AFB, Montana," July 1960, Walla Walla, Washington.
- b. Ohio River Division Laboratories, CE, "Condition Survey Report, Glasgow AFB, Montana," March 1961, Cincinnati, Ohio.
- c. _____, "Condition Survey Report, Glasgow AFB, Montana," October 1965, Cincinnati, Ohio.

8. Pavement evaluation reports:

- a. U. S. Army Engineer District, Walla Walla, CE, "Pavement Evaluation Report, Glasgow AFB, Montana," July 1958, Walla Walla, Washington.
- b. _____, "Airfield Pavement Failure Report, Glasgow AFB, Montana," June 1959, Walla Walla, Washington.
- c. _____, "Pavement Evaluation Report, Glasgow AFB, Montana," May 1961, Walla Walla, Washington.

History of Airfield Pavements

Design and construction history

9. Details of the construction history of the airfield pavements (extracted from the reports referenced in paragraphs 7 and 8) are

presented in table 1. Pavement thicknesses, descriptions, and other details are presented in table 2.

10. The original pavements constructed during 1955-57 were designed to support (based on reduced subgrade strength design) a 100,000-lb gear load on twin wheels spaced 37.5 in. center to center, with a tire contact area of 267 sq in. for each tire, and to support a 25,000-lb, single-wheel load with a tire inflation pressure of 200 psi. Pavements constructed during 1958-60 and in 1964 were designed to support a load of 265,000 lb on a twin-twin wheel bicycle gear configuration having wheels spaced 37-62-37 in. and a tire contact area of 267 sq in. for each tire.

Traffic history

11. A complete traffic record was not available for this study; however, based on incomplete records, it is reasonable to assume that the pavements constructed before 1964 have received approximately 4600 cycles* of B-52 traffic. The pavements constructed during 1964 have received approximately 2500 cycles of B-52 traffic and approximately 1900 cycles of KC-135 traffic. Since the airfield was placed in an inactive status in June 1968, traffic has consisted of occasional operations of KC-135 aircraft and more frequent operations of light charter traffic.

Conditions of Pavement Surfaces

Pavement inspection procedure

12. The following procedure was used in conducting the inspection of the rigid pavements. Representative features were selected for detailed inspection. The features were then inspected slab** by slab, and the defects were recorded. The locations of the individual pavement features, the inspection starting points, and the directions in which the pavements were inspected (shown by arrows) are indicated in plate 1.

13. The results of the rigid pavement survey for those features that were inspected in detail are presented in table 3. This table

* A cycle of traffic is one takeoff and one landing.

** A slab is the smallest unit, containing no joints, of a given pavement feature.

shows a quantitative breakdown of the various types of defects and a condition rating for each pavement feature inspected in detail. The procedures used for determining the condition rating of a pavement are given in Appendix III of Department of the Army Technical Manual TM 5-827-3, "Rigid Airfield Pavement Evaluation," dated September 1965.

Runway

14. The portland cement concrete (PCC) pavement of the runway was in very good condition (except for two areas), even though the number of defects had increased considerably since the 1960 survey. The 17-in.-thick pavement from sta 78+75 to 88+75 was rated as being in poor condition, because the number of major defects had more than doubled since the 1960 survey. The 14-in.-thick edges of the runway ends (features R5D and R6D) were considered to be in poor condition. The flexible pavement edges of the runway interior (feature R8D), however, were considered to be in good condition (see photo 1).

15. There was evidence of settlement of several slabs in the runway interior between sta 65+00 and 70+00 (feature R7C). It was reported that unsuccessful mud jacking had been performed in this area in 1966 and 1967. An epoxy surface patch approximately 115 ft long and 6 to 8 in. wide was installed to smooth out the transition area onto the settled slabs. There was no evidence that movement of these slabs had occurred since the installation of the patch. Photo 2 shows the condition of the patch. Numerous grouted drill holes (photo 2) were noted in runway features R3C and R4C, indicating that mud jacking had been performed at some previous time. Some settlement of slabs was noted near sta 45+00 (photo 3).

Primary taxiways

16. The conditions of the primary taxiways ranged from poor to very good. There was a significant increase in the number of defects since the 1960 survey in the reinforced PCC portion of taxiway A (sta 0+00 to 81+50). Although only 23 percent of the slabs in this area had no defects, the pavement was considered to be in good condition, because the reinforcement prevented movement along the cracks. The remainder of taxiway A was in very good condition, with only 17 major

defects recorded. The ADC parking apron access taxiway, which contained 30 longitudinal breaks that were mostly located in the two outer lanes, was in poor condition.

Aprons

17. The conditions of the aprons were fair to excellent. The ADC parking apron, which contained 201 structural breaks (146 of which were longitudinal cracks), was in fair condition. The SAC heavy-load parking apron (which in the 1960 survey contained 31 breaks), which contained 225 structural breaks, was in very good condition.

18. The remaining PCC pavements were generally in good condition. The load-carrying asphaltic-concrete (AC) pavements were considered to be in good structural condition, even though they had a considerable amount of contraction cracking.

Frost Action

Objectives of inspection

19. One member of the team inspected the pavement facilities for evidence of detrimental frost effects. The objectives of the inspection were to determine:

- a. Any adverse effects of frost heave to the pavements during the winter months.
- b. Any adverse effects of low-temperature contraction cracking to the flexible pavements.
- c. Any traffic-induced failures that might be related to thaw weakening of the subgrades or base courses.

Frost heave

20. The airfield pavements were inspected for surface irregularities indicative of differential frost heaving. The time of this inspection, which was 18 and 19 April 1972, is believed to have been within or shortly subsequent to the period of thawing of frozen base courses and subgrades, when the effects of any nonuniform heave would be most apparent.

21. Inquiries were made of the base personnel regarding the development of undesirable surface unevenness during the winter. Pilot

testimony regarding runway roughness was not available, since this base has been inactive since 1968. The consensus of the survey team, however, was that the runway did not exhibit roughness detectable in an automobile at speeds of up to 60 mph.

22. Despite the occurrence of low-temperature contraction cracks (as described below in paragraph 26), the flexible pavement edges of the runway interior were as smooth as the rigid pavement keel, with no vertical displacement along the junctions of the two pavement types. Some minor transverse unevenness was noted near sta 70+00 due to settlement of some of the PCC slabs of the keel. Correction of this settlement was attempted (without success) by mud jacking in 1966 or 1967. Installation of an epoxy patch finally eliminated the resulting roughness. There is no evidence, however, that this problem resulted from frost heaving. The large number of longitudinal cracks in the rigid pavement edge lanes of the runway ends (features R5D and R6D) could be indicative of differential frost heaving in the past. This explanation seems doubtful, however, in view of the good performance of adjacent rigid pavement features of the same combined thickness. A more likely explanation is structural failure of the 14-in. slabs, caused by heavy aircraft traffic that may have been permitted inadvertently on these thin pavements.

23. The taxiways and aprons were smooth at the time of this inspection. The runway overruns (65-in. combined thickness compared with 52-in. combined thickness of the adjoining runway pavements) also were smooth. The taxiway and apron shoulder surfaces were generally smooth longitudinally but were noticeably uneven transversely. The surfaces of the taxiway shoulders for the most part were as much as 1/2 in. lower than the adjacent taxiway pavement at the junction but rose evenly up to 2 or 3 in. above the taxiway grade at the outer shoulder edge. The small contrawise vertical displacement at the pavement junctions is considered to be the consequence of slightly greater frost heave under the concrete pavement, resulting from the deeper frost penetration. This greater penetration would result because of the higher surface reflectance and lower heat capacity of the PCC. However, the shoulders

of the SAC heavy-load parking apron exhibited heaving of 3 or 4 in. at or near the shoulder-apron junction, with no apparent relation to the combined thickness of the shoulder. It is believed that this heaving was frost related only in part and that expansion of the concrete apron was also involved.

Freezing indices

24. A design freezing index of 3000 degree-days was cited in a condition survey report prepared by the Walla Walla District in 1960 (see paragraph 7a). This value was based on temperature data from the Glasgow International Airport Weather Station for the 3 coldest years in 30. By utilizing temperature data from the same station up to and including the 1971-72 season, a recomputed design freezing index of 3097 degree-days can be obtained representing the average index for the 3 coldest seasons of the past 30. Seasonal freezing indices since the 1957-58 season are tabulated below:

<u>Freezing Season</u>	<u>Freezing Index degree-days</u>	<u>Freezing Season</u>	<u>Freezing Index degree-days</u>
1958-59	2334	1965-66	2151
1959-60	2008	1966-67	2043
1960-61	1169	1967-68	1577
1961-62	2356	1968-69	2985
1962-63	1366	1969-70	1677
1963-64	1100	1970-71	2335
1964-65	3141	1971-72	2192

Mean Freezing Index 1900 (1944 to 1971)

The indices tabulated above were determined solely on the basis of average monthly temperatures. Indices thus determined are generally somewhat lower than those determined with consideration given to average daily temperatures for the transition months. The tabulated indices, however, do indicate the relative severity of winters during the period

of heavy-load aircraft operations. In this respect, two seasons of design freezing index magnitude occurred during the period tabulated above (1964-65 and 1968-69).

25. In view of the fact that experienced freezing indices have been of the design magnitude at least twice since the pavements have been constructed, the general absence of differential frost heaving of the heavy-load pavement is significant. For the design index, combined pavement and base thicknesses of about 140 and 85 in. would be required for the prevention of subgrade freezing and for limited subgrade frost penetration, respectively. Substantial subgrade freezing, therefore, is indicated beneath all of the heavy-load pavements during the colder winters, since the combined thicknesses of the pavements and bases range from only 34 to 70 in. The resulting frost heaving has been remarkably uniform, and the conditions of the pavements indicate that it has been only a minor factor in pavement cracking. Although the groundwater table is reportedly 20 ft or more below the pavement grade, it is probable that there is a perched water table within 5 or 6 ft of the pavement surface, as ponding was noted in several areas.

Low-temperature
contraction cracking

26. Annual temperatures at the base vary over a range of at least 160 F, and all flexible pavements have experienced significant low-temperature contraction cracking. These cracks are not induced by traffic or frost heaving but result from a stiffness characteristic of AC at low temperatures and its inability to withstand or adjust to thermal contraction stresses. Most of these cracks are transverse, but there are also numerous longitudinal cracks generally coinciding with the longitudinal paving joints. Raveling is not yet severe at these cracks, but, as the pavements age, progression should be expected. The contraction cracking does not appear to have adversely affected either the load-carrying capacity or the smoothness of the pavements. The runway overrun pavements appear to be the least affected by this type of cracking. Apparently the thin, double bituminous surface treatment is more tolerant of thermal contraction stresses than the thicker AC. This

fact may reflect a greater tolerance of such stresses by these low-stability surface courses but more probably results from the lower temperature susceptibility of the bitumen used.

Thaw weakening

27. The extent of thaw weakening of the subgrade and base courses could not be readily determined by inspection of the pavements. Pavement failures usually are repaired or otherwise corrected (as with overlays) as they occur and usually are not easily examined during a condition survey. However, even where examination is possible, it is often impossible to establish by visual observations whether a failure is the result of thaw weakening or of deficiencies in the thickness of the pavement components with respect to "normal" period conditions. The depletion of the fatigue resistance of a pavement system in a frost area is progressive under repeated loadings and is related to thaw weakening in that the rate of depletion is greater during the frost-melting period. This rate of pavement weakening holds true whether the evidence of fatigue or failure becomes apparent during the melting period or at some other time. The degree of thaw weakening and its effects, if any, on the condition of the pavements at GAFB consequently could not be appraised solely by this inspection. Some limited perception of the severity of thaw weakening effects can be gained, however, by comparing the performance of certain pavement features with what might be expected in the light of current frost design criteria.

28. The only heavy-load flexible pavement features at this base are taxiway D, with a combined thickness of 55 in., and the outer edges of the runway interior, with a combined thickness of 59 in. In both of these features, the combined thicknesses are substantially less than the 72 in. required by current design criteria for limited subgrade frost penetration. Their combined thicknesses compare more closely with the medium-load pavement requirements for thicknesses on subgrades of reduced strength. Despite this overall weakness, however, both of the features appear to be in good condition. B-52 aircraft operated at this base for only a few years, although significant amounts of B-52 traffic did occur (paragraph 11). Both the pavements and the criteria

can be considered to have been only partially tested at this base.

29. The heavy-load rigid pavement features at this base generally conform to current design criteria for reduced subgrade strength during the frost-melting period. Three features, however, do not. These features are the SAC parking apron taxiway, with a base thickness 11 in. less than that required by the criteria; the SAC parking apron, with a base thickness 3 in. less than that required; and the portion of the runway interior between sta 78+75 and 88+75, with a base thickness 21 in. less than that required. The SAC parking apron taxiway is in excellent condition. The use of reinforcement undoubtedly is responsible for the good performance of this feature, despite a substantial deficiency in base thickness. The SAC parking apron also has performed well. This performance, however, is less surprising, since the base thickness deficiency is relatively minor. The cited portion of the runway interior, as might be expected, has not performed well, and there has been considerable load-related cracking and some evidence of slab subsidence.

Maintenance

30. Maintenance at the airfield has been minimal since 1964. Other than the repair of a longitudinal joint in 1966 or 1967, no maintenance was reported from 1964 until GAFB was closed in 1968. Since 1968, no airfield pavement maintenance has been performed.

Evaluation

31. A summary of the pavement evaluation is given in table 4. Previously published pavement evaluations were updated to eliminate aircraft that are no longer in the Air Force inventory and to include aircraft that have been added to the inventory since the last pavement evaluation. The evaluation is based on the pavement thickness, flexural strength (PCC), base and subbase thickness and strength, strength of subgrade (CBR or k value), and the structural condition of the pavement.

Table 1
Airfield Construction History

Designation	Dimensions		Pavement		Construction	
	Length ft	Width ft	Thickness in.	Type	Year(s)	Agency
NW-SE runway	13,500	300	26, 23, 21, 17, and 14	PCC	1955-59	CE
			6, 4, and 3	AC	1955-59	CE
Inlay sta 9+75 to 78+75	6,900	75	21	PCC	1964	AF
Taxiway A	13,000±	75	26 and 23 15*	PCC	1958-59	CE
Taxiways B and F	937 862	75	26	PCC	1958-59	CE
			26	PCC	1958-59	CE
Taxiways C and E	862 each	75	21	PCC	1958-59	CE
Taxiway D	862	75	4	AC	1955-57	CE
Taxiway G	900±	75	23	PCC	1958-60	CE
NW warm-up apron	Varies	Varies	23	PCC	1958-60	CE
SE warm-up apron	Varies	Varies	23	PCC	1958-60	CE
SAC parking apron, apron taxiway, and access taxiways (2)	2,185	775	21 (Plain)	PCC	1958-60	CE
	2,835	75	21**	PCC	1958-60	CE
	250 each	75	21**	PCC	1958-60	CE
ADC parking apron	1,320	500	17	PCC	1955-57	CE
ADC access taxiway	560	75	19	PCC	1955-57	CE
ADC access taxiway	560	75	4	AC	1955-57	CE
Hangar access apron area 1 and taxiway	Varies	Varies	17	PCC	1959-61	CE
Hangar access apron area 2 and taxiways	Varies	Varies	15	PCC	1955-57	CE
ADC alert apron and taxiway Taxiway A extension	Varies 600	Varies 75	3	AC	1955-57	CE
			3	AC	1955-57	CE
SAC alert apron stubs and taxiway	Varies	Varies	23	PCC	1959	CE
Aircraft weapons calibration facility	Varies	Varies	10	PCC	1960	CE
Power check pad, 50-ft radius			10	PCC	1963	AF

Note: CE denotes Corps of Engineers; AF denotes Air Force.

* Reinforced overlay on 4-in. AC.

** Reinforced.

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Table 2
SUMMARY OF PHYSICAL PROPERTY DATA

FACILITY	OVERLAY PAVEMENT			PAVEMENT			THICK IN	BASE CLASSIFICATION	CBR ON A	SUBGRADE CLASSIFICATION	CBR OR K	GENERAL CONDITION OF AREA OR CONSIDERED
	LENGTH FT	WIDTH FT	THICK IN	DESCRIPTION	FLEX STR PSI	THICK IN						
DALLAS AFB, Texas Bldg runway, 38 ends; sta 1245 to 1475 Bldg runway, 38 ends; sta 12475 to 12475 Bldg runway, 38 ends; sta 1475 to 1475 Bldg runway, 38 ends; sta 1475 to 1475 Bldg runway interior; sta 1475 to 1475 Bldg runway interior; sta 1475 to 1475 Bldg runway interior; sta 1475 to 1475	3,000	385	26	Portland cement concrete	760	160	Select gravel (SM) SP2	160	Clay (Cl) F3		Very good	
	500	285	26	Portland cement concrete	760	160	Select gravel (SM) SP2	160	Clay (Cl) F3		Very good	
		150	23	Portland cement concrete	760	160	Select gravel (SM) SP2	160	Clay (Cl) F3		Very good	
		150	23	Portland cement concrete	760	160	Select gravel (SM) SP2	160	Clay (Cl) F3		Very good	
		3,200	300	23	Portland cement concrete	760	160	Select gravel (SM) SP2	160	Clay (Cl) F3		Very good
		1,000	300	17	Portland cement concrete	690	130	Select gravel (SM) SP2	130	Clay (Cl) F3		Poor
		1,000	75	14	Portland cement concrete (1.5 in. transition thickness)	960	200	Select gravel (SM) SP2	200	Clay (Cl) F3		Poor
		500	75	14	Portland cement concrete (1.5 in. transition thickness)	760	200	Select gravel (SM) SP2	200	Clay (Cl) F3		Poor
		6,500	75	21	Portland cement concrete	770	150	Select gravel (SM) SP2	150	Clay (Cl) F3		Very good
		11,000	75	3	Asphaltic concrete		100	Base-crunned gravel (SM)	100			
		6,000	37.5	4	Asphaltic concrete		100	Subbase-select gravel (SM)	80	Clay (Cl) F3	5	Good
	DALLAS AFB, Texas Runway A, sta 0+00 to 31+50 TIA	9,100	75	15	Portland cement concrete reinforced #5 steel, 0.17 percent steel each way	810	1,200	Select gravel (SM) SP2	1,200	Clay (Cl) F3		Good

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FACILITY				OVERLAY PAVEMENT			PAVEMENT			BASE			SUBGRADE		GENERAL CONDITION OF AREA OR CONSIDERED
FACILITY NUMBER AND IDENTIFICATION	LENGTH FT	WIDTH FT	THICK IN	DESCRIPTION	FLEX STR PSI	THICK IN	DESCRIPTION	FLEX STR PSI	THICK IN	CLASSIFICATION	CBR K	CLASSIFICATION	CBR K	CLASSIFICATION	CBR OR K
13142000 1374, Westgate															
Taxiway A, sta 12+0 to 12+477	4,477	75	23-24-23	Portland cement concrete		26	Portland cement concrete	810	26	Select gravel (M) W2	160 K ₁₅₀	Clay (CI) F3	160 K ₁₅₀	Clay (CI) F3	Very good
Taxiway F	937	75	26	Portland cement concrete		26	Portland cement concrete	710	26	Select gravel (M) W2	160 K ₁₅₀	Clay (CI) F3	160 K ₁₅₀	Clay (CI) F3	Excellent
Taxiways A and F, connection	275	75	26	Portland cement concrete		26	Portland cement concrete	750	26	Select gravel (M) W2	160 K ₁₅₀	Clay (CI) F3	160 K ₁₅₀	Clay (CI) F3	Very good
Taxiway B	942	75	21	Portland cement concrete		21	Portland cement concrete	745	23	Select gravel (M) W2	160 K ₁₅₀	Clay (CI) F3	160 K ₁₅₀	Clay (CI) F3	Excellent
SAC apron taxiway and apron access taxiways (C)	2,335	75	17-18-17	Portland cement concrete		17	Portland cement concrete	645	17	Select gravel (M) W2	180 K ₁₀₀	Clay (CI) F3	180 K ₁₀₀	Clay (CI) F3	Poor
SAC apron access taxiway	569	75	1	Asphaltic cement concrete		1	Asphaltic cement concrete	85	25	6 in. crushed gravel (M)	80	Clay (CI) F3	80	Clay (CI) F3	6
Taxiway 3	500	75	23	Portland cement concrete		23	Portland cement concrete	700	29	Select gravel (M) W2	160 K ₁₀₀	Clay (CI) F3	160 K ₁₀₀	Clay (CI) F3	Very good
SAC alert facilities	Irregular	75	23	Portland cement concrete		23	Portland cement concrete	775	23	Select gravel (M) W2	160 K ₁₀₀	Clay (CI) F3	160 K ₁₀₀	Clay (CI) F3	Very good
Taxiway and apron	1,150	75	17	Portland cement concrete (Steel reinforcement in some slabs)		17	Portland cement concrete (Steel reinforcement in some slabs)	605	17	Select gravel (M) W2	130 K ₁₀₀	Clay (CI) F3	130 K ₁₀₀	Clay (CI) F3	Fair
Regular apron	Irregular	75	15	Portland cement concrete		15	Portland cement concrete	625	17	Select gravel (M) W2	130 K ₁₀₀	Clay (CI) F3	130 K ₁₀₀	Clay (CI) F3	Fair
Area 2 and taxiways	Irregular	75	10	Portland cement concrete		10	Portland cement concrete	700	12	Select gravel (M) W2	130 K ₁₀₀	Clay (CI) F3	130 K ₁₀₀	Clay (CI) F3	Excellent
Aircraft weapons calibration facility	103	100													
Power check pad (50-ft radius) and taxiway	350	90													
Taxiway															

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Table 2 (continued)
SUMMARY OF PHYSICAL PROPERTY DATA

FACILITY	OVERLAY PAVEMENT		PAVEMENT		BASE		SUBGRADE		GENERAL CONDITION OF AREA CONSIDERED	
	THICK IN.	DESCRIPTION	FLEX. STR. PSI	THICK IN.	DESCRIPTION	THICK IN.	CLASSIFICATION	CBR OR K		CBR OR K
2314000 APB, Montana										
Boxway C	862		750	21	Portland cement concrete	23	Select gravel (SM) SP3	100	Clay (CL) F3	Excellent Very good
Boxway E	862		75					115		
	TLC									
RAILROADS (Continued)										
APRONS										
ADC Alert facilities and boxways	Irregular			3	Asphaltic concrete		6 in. crushed gravel (SM)	80		
	TLC					25	10 in. crushed gravel (SM)	80	Clay (CL) F3	6
Boxway D	862	75		4	Asphaltic concrete	5	Crushed gravel (SM)	100		
	TLC					45	Select gravel (SM)	80	Clay (CL) F3	5 Frost 3
AIRPORTS										
3M warm-up apron	900	Irregular	300	23	Portland cement concrete	750	Select gravel (SM) SP3	100	Clay (CL) F3	Excellent Very good
3E warm-up apron	750					745	Select gravel (SM) SP3	100	Clay (CL) F3	Very good
3G heavy-load parking apron	775	2185		21	Portland cement concrete	630	Select gravel (SM) SP3	130	Clay (CL) F3	Very good
ADC parking apron	500	1350		17	Portland cement concrete	630	Select gravel (SM) SP3	130	Clay (CL) F3	Fair
3H-3E runway overruns	150	300		2	Asphaltic concrete	63	6 in. crushed gravel (SM) on 27 in. select gravel (SM)	100	Clay (CL) F3	Excellent
-5+25 to -6+75	150	300				65	6 in. crushed gravel (SM) on 25 in. select gravel (SM)	80		5
129-75 to 131+25	150	300								
-6+75 to -15+25	850	300								
131+25 to 139+75	850	300								

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Table 1
SUMMARY OF PAVEMENT EVALUATION

NAME OF AIRFIELD: Glasgow AFB		DATE OF EVALUATION		LOAD-CARRYING CAPACITY IN LB OF GROSS PLANE LOAD FOR INDICATED LANDING GEAR TYPES AND CONFIGURATIONS											
MONTH: April		YR: 1972		TRICYCLE ARRANGEMENT											
NO.	FEATURE	DESIGNATION	PAVEMENT OPERATIONAL USE	TRICYCLE ARRANGEMENT											
				1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		
				SINGLE 1000-LB. CONTACT AREA	SINGLE 1000-LB. CONTACT AREA	SINGLE 2000-LB. CONTACT AREA	TW 2000-LB. CONTACT AREA	SINGLE TAND 400-SPACING CONTACT AREA	TW 2000-LB. CONTACT AREA	TW 2000-LB. CONTACT AREA	TW 2000-LB. CONTACT AREA	TW 2000-LB. CONTACT AREA	TW 2000-LB. CONTACT AREA	TW 2000-LB. CONTACT AREA	REMARKS
R1A	RM-SE runway, SE end; sta 5+25 to 4+75	RM-SE runway, SE end; sta 124+75 to 129+75	Capacity	155,000+	85,000+	155,000+	220,000+	200,000+	330,000+	230,000+	380,000+	800,000+	600,000+		
R2B	RM-SE runway, SE end; sta 4+75 to 9+75	RM-SE runway, SE end; sta 119+75 to 124+75	Capacity	155,000+	85,000+	155,000+	220,000+	200,000+	330,000+	230,000+	380,000+	800,000+	600,000+		
R3C	RM-SE runway in-terior; sta 88+75 to 119+75	RM-SE runway in-terior; sta 78+75 to 88+75	Capacity	155,000+	85,000+	155,000+	220,000+	200,000+	330,000+	230,000+	380,000+	800,000+	600,000+		
R7C	RM-SE runway in-terior (inlay); sta 9+75 to 78+75	Taxiway A, sta 81+50 to 81+50	Capacity	155,000+	85,000+	155,000+	220,000+	200,000+	330,000+	230,000+	380,000+	800,000+	600,000+		
T2A	Taxiway A, sta 81+50 to 125+77		Capacity	155,000+	85,000+	155,000+	220,000+	200,000+	330,000+	230,000+	380,000+	800,000+	600,000+		

Note: + sign denotes allowable gross loading greater than maximum gross weight of any existing aircraft having indicated gear configuration.
(a) denotes allowable gross loading less than minimum gross weight of any existing aircraft having indicated gear configuration.

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Table 4 (continued)

SUMMARY OF PAVEMENT EVALUATION

NAME OF AIRFIELD: Glasgow AFB		DATE OF EVALUATION MONTH: April YR: 1972		LOAD-CARRYING CAPACITY IN LB OF GROSS PLANE LOAD FOR INDICATED LANDING GEAR TYPES AND CONFIGURATIONS										REMARKS
NO.	FEATURE DESIGNATION	PAVEMENT OPERATIONAL USE	SINGLE 100-PSI TIRE PRESSURE	TRICYCLE ARRANGEMENT										
				SINGLE 100-00-N CONTACT AREA	SINGLE 241-00-N CONTACT AREA	TR 3 IN. C-C 228-00-N CONTACT AREA EACH TIRE	TR 3 IN. C-C 400-00-N CONTACT AREA EACH TIRE	TR 3 IN. C-C 267-00-N CONTACT AREA EACH TIRE	TR 3 IN. C-C 267-00-N CONTACT AREA EACH TIRE	TR 3 IN. C-C 267-00-N CONTACT AREA EACH TIRE	TR 3 IN. C-C 267-00-N CONTACT AREA EACH TIRE	TWIN TANDM 33 IN. x 6 IN. 267-00-N CONTACT AREA EACH TIRE	TWIN TANDM 33 IN. x 6 IN. 267-00-N CONTACT AREA EACH TIRE	TWIN TANDM 33 IN. x 6 IN. 267-00-N CONTACT AREA EACH TIRE
T3A	Taxiway F Taxiways A and F connection	Capacity Frost capacity	155,000+	85,000+	155,000+	220,000+	200,000+	330,000+	230,000+	230,000+	380,000+	800,000+	600,000+	
T4A	Taxiway B	Capacity Frost capacity	155,000+	85,000+	155,000+	220,000+	200,000+	330,000+	230,000+	230,000+	380,000+	800,000+	600,000+	
T5A	SAC apron taxi- way and two apron access taxiways	Capacity Frost capacity	155,000+	85,000+	155,000+	220,000+	200,000+	330,000+	230,000+	230,000+	380,000+	800,000+	600,000+	
T6A	ADC apron access taxiway	Capacity Frost capacity	150,000	85,000+	155,000+	205,000	200,000+	190,000	230,000+	230,000+	330,000	800,000+	285,000	
T7A	ADC apron access taxiway	Capacity Frost capacity	145,000	85,000+	155,000+	198,000	200,000+	185,000	230,000+	230,000+	310,000	800,000+	270,000	
T8B	Taxiway G	Capacity Frost capacity	105,000	60,000	100,000	120,000	125,000	100,000	120,000	120,000	130,000	390,000	285,000	
T9B	SAC alert facil- ities, taxi- way, and stubs	Capacity Frost capacity	155,000+	85,000+	155,000+	220,000+	200,000+	330,000+	230,000+	230,000+	380,000+	800,000+	580,000	
T10B	Hangar access apron area 1 and taxiways	Capacity Frost capacity	155,000+	85,000+	155,000+	215,000	200,000+	240,000	230,000+	230,000+	380,000+	800,000+	320,000	
T11B	Hangar access apron area 2 and taxiways	Capacity Frost capacity	125,000	85,000+	155,000+	175,000	200,000+	200,000	200,000+	200,000+	340,000	800,000+	265,000	
T12C	Aircraft weapons calibration shelter, apron, and taxiway	Capacity Frost capacity	95,000	75,000	130,000	140,000	200,000+	160,000	210,000	210,000	300,000	800,000+	290,000	
	Power check pad		90,000	70,000	125,000	130,000	200,000	145,000	190,000	190,000	270,000	790,000	295,000	

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Table 3 (Continued)
SUMMARY OF PAVEMENT EVALUATION

NO.	FEATURE DESIGNATION	PAVEMENT OPERATIONAL USE	LOAD-CARRYING CAPACITY IN LB OF GROSS PLANE LOAD FOR INDICATED LANDING GEAR TYPES AND CONFIGURATIONS										REMARKS
			TRICYCLE ARRANGEMENT										
			1 SINGLE TYRE PRESSURE CONTACT AREA	2 SINGLE TYRE PRESSURE CONTACT AREA	3 SINGLE TYRE PRESSURE CONTACT AREA	4 1x 28 IN. CC 28x50 IN. CONTACT AREA EACH TYRE	5 SINGLE TANDUM 40x50 IN. CONTACT AREA EACH TYRE	6 1x 30 IN. CC 30x50 IN. CONTACT AREA EACH TYRE	7 1x 44 IN. CC 40x50 IN. CONTACT AREA EACH TYRE	8 1x 30 IN. CC 30x50 IN. CONTACT AREA EACH TYRE	9 2x 30 IN. CC 30x50 IN. CONTACT AREA EACH TYRE	10 BICYCLE SPECIFIED CONTACT AREA EACH TYRE	
T13C	Taxiways C and E	Capacity Frost capacity	155,000+ 155,000+	85,000+ 85,000+	155,000+ 155,000+	270,000+ 270,000+	200,000+ 200,000+	330,000+ 330,000+	230,000+ 230,000+	350,000+ 350,000+	800,000+ 800,000+	600,000+ 600,000+	
T13E	ADC alert facilities and taxiways	Capacity Frost capacity	100,000 95,000	45,000 45,000	95,000 95,000	100,000 65,000	150,000 90,000	125,000 65,000	185,000 (a)	165,000 (a)	480,000 (a)	(a) (a)	
T15C	Taxiway D	Capacity Frost capacity	155,000+ 155,000+	85,000+ 85,000+	155,000+ 155,000+	220,000+ 210,000	200,000+ 200,000+	330,000+ 210,000	230,000+ 210,000	380,000+ 270,000	800,000+ 750,000	440,000 230,000	
A1E	WE warm-up apron	Capacity Frost capacity	155,000+ 155,000+	85,000+ 85,000+	155,000+ 155,000+	220,000+ 220,000+	200,000+ 200,000+	330,000+ 330,000+	230,000+ 230,000+	380,000+ 380,000+	800,000+ 800,000+	580,000 580,000	
A2E	SAC heavy-load parking apron	Capacity Frost capacity	155,000+ 155,000+	85,000+ 85,000+	155,000+ 155,000+	220,000+ 220,000+	200,000+ 200,000+	330,000+ 330,000+	230,000+ 230,000+	380,000+ 380,000+	800,000+ 800,000+	600,000+ 600,000+	
A3E	ADC parking apron	Capacity Frost capacity	155,000+ 155,000+	85,000+ 85,000+	155,000+ 155,000+	220,000+ 220,000+	200,000+ 200,000+	300,000 290,000	300,000 290,000	380,000+ 380,000+	800,000+ 800,000+	400,000 370,000	

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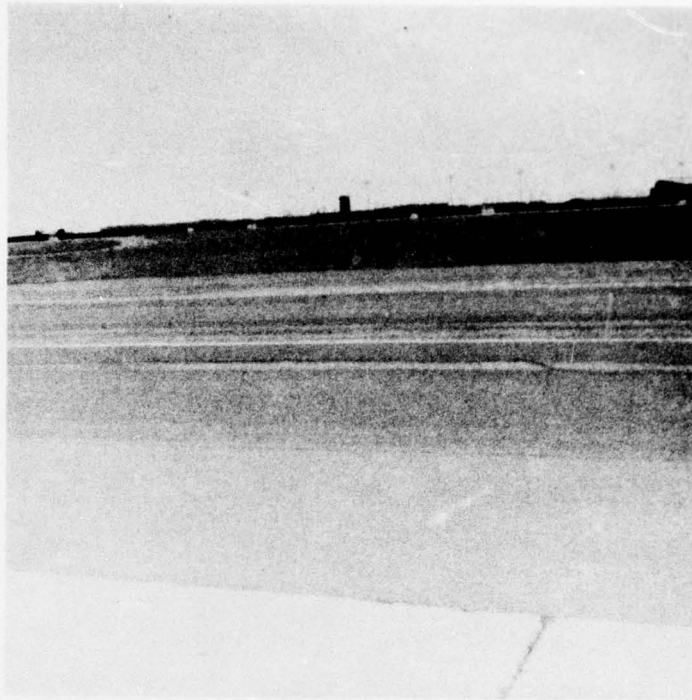


Photo 1. General view of AC pavement of outer edge of runway interior (feature R8D) near sta 45+00



Photo 2. Epoxy patch and grouted drill holes

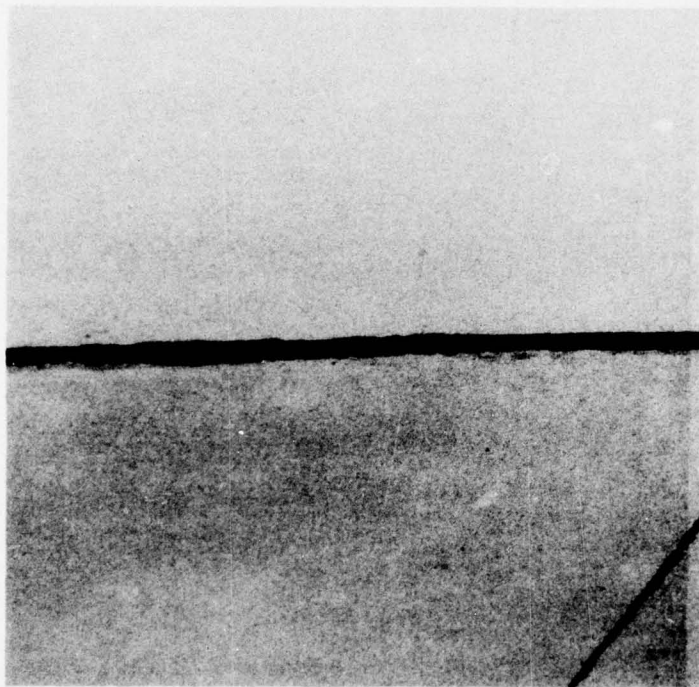
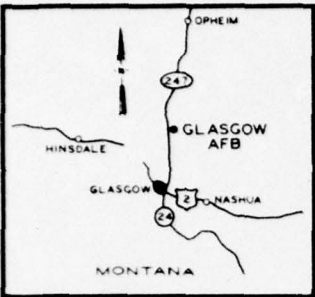
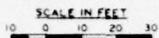


Photo 3. Settlement of slab near
sta 45+00 of runway



VICINITY MAP



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- $\frac{R1X}{2"AC}$ ← FEATURE DESIGNATION (SEE NOTE 1)
- ← SURFACE PAVEMENT THICKNESS AND TYPE

TYPE OF FEATURE

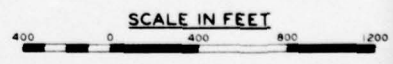
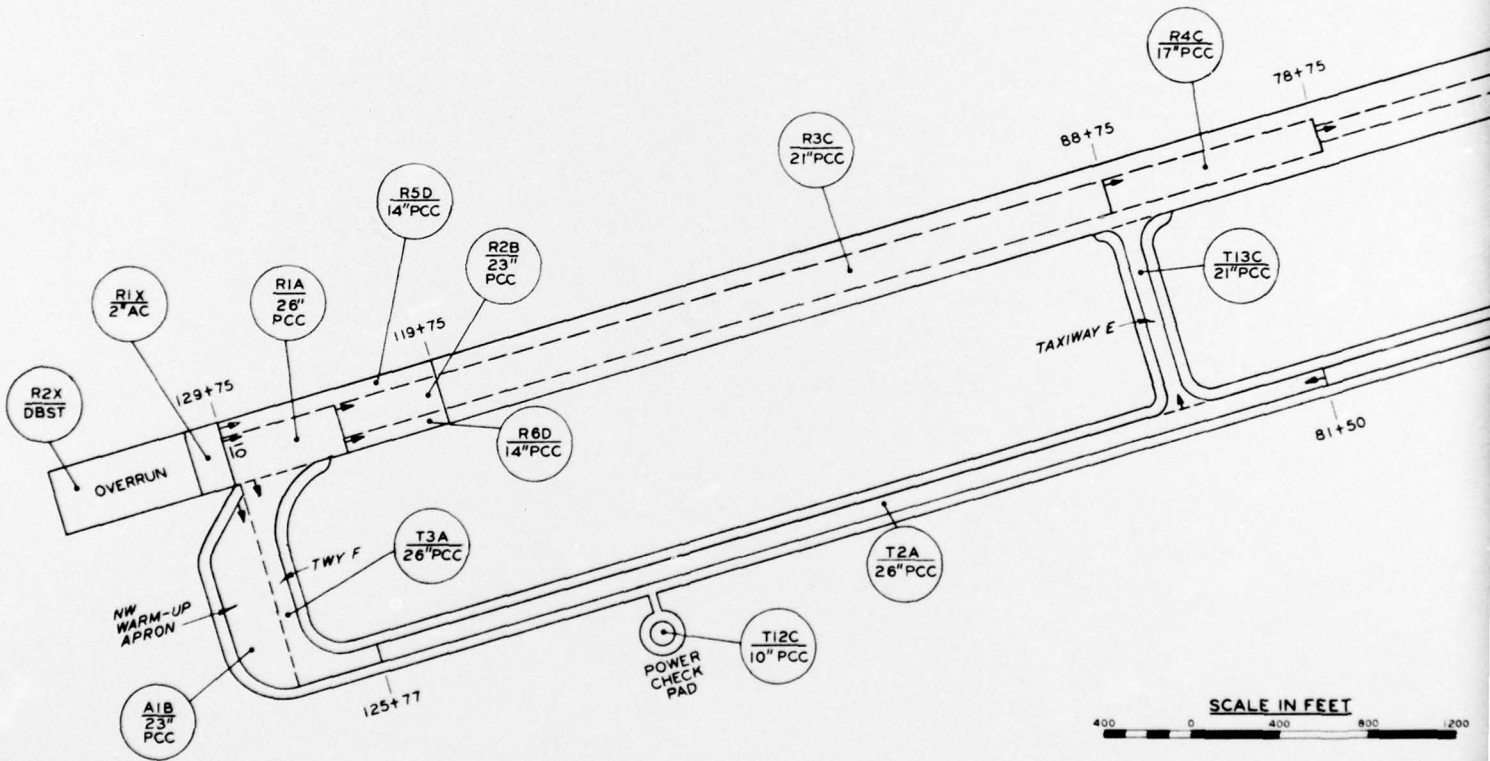
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- A - APRON

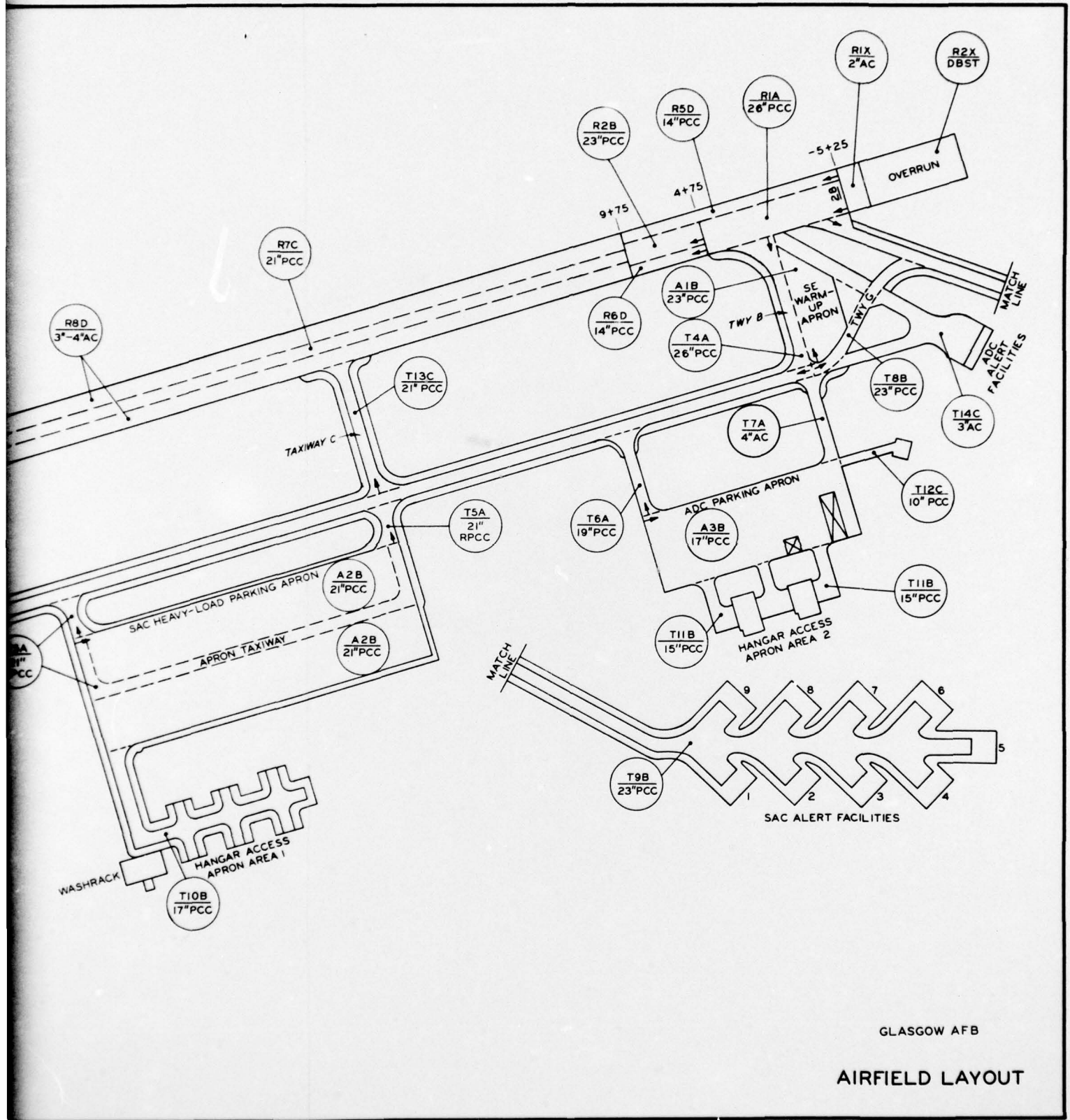
TYPE OF TRAFFIC AREA (SEE NOTE 2)

- A - A TYPE TRAFFIC
- B - B TYPE TRAFFIC
- C - C TYPE TRAFFIC
- D - D TYPE TRAFFIC
- X - NO TRAFFIC TYPE ASSIGNED

- AC - ASPHALTIC CONCRETE
- PCC - PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE
- DBST - DOUBLE BITUMINOUS SURFACE TREATMENT
- - DIRECTION OF SURVEY
- RPCC - REINFORCED PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE

- NOTES: 1. FEATURE DESIGNATION DENOTES TYPE OF FEATURE, NUMBER OF FEATURE FOR GIVEN TYPE, AND TYPE TRAFFIC AREA.
 2. TRAFFIC AREA DESIGNATIONS ARE BASED ON HEAVY-LOAD CRITERIA.

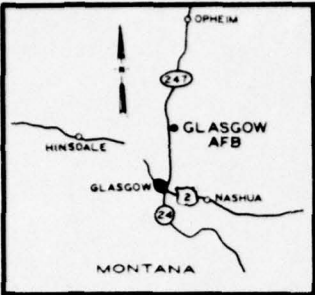




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AIRFIELD LAYOUT





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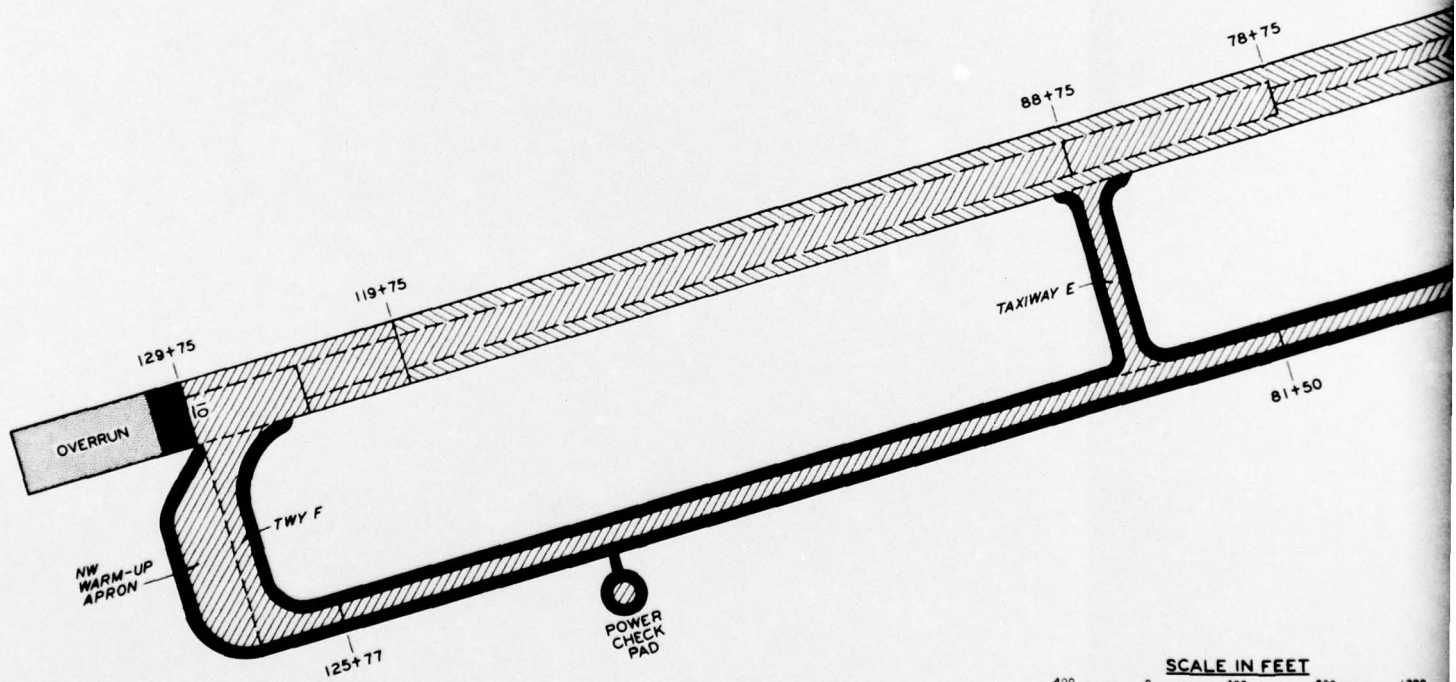


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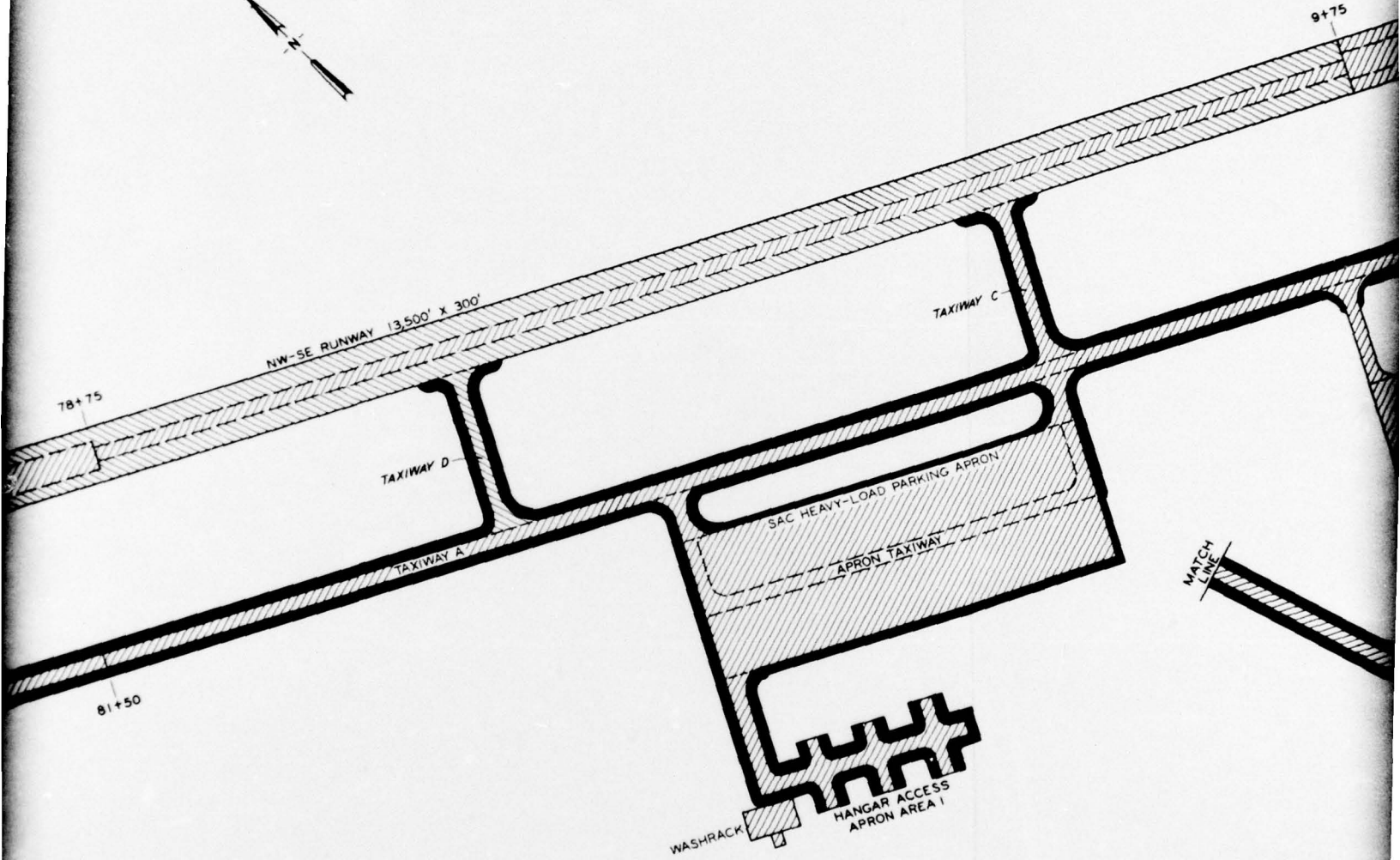
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LEGEND

-  ASPHALTIC CONCRETE (AC)
-  PORTLAND CEMENT CONCRETE (PCC)
-  BLAST PAVEMENT (AC-NON TRAFFIC)
-  DOUBLE BITUMINOUS SURFACE TREATMENT (DBST)

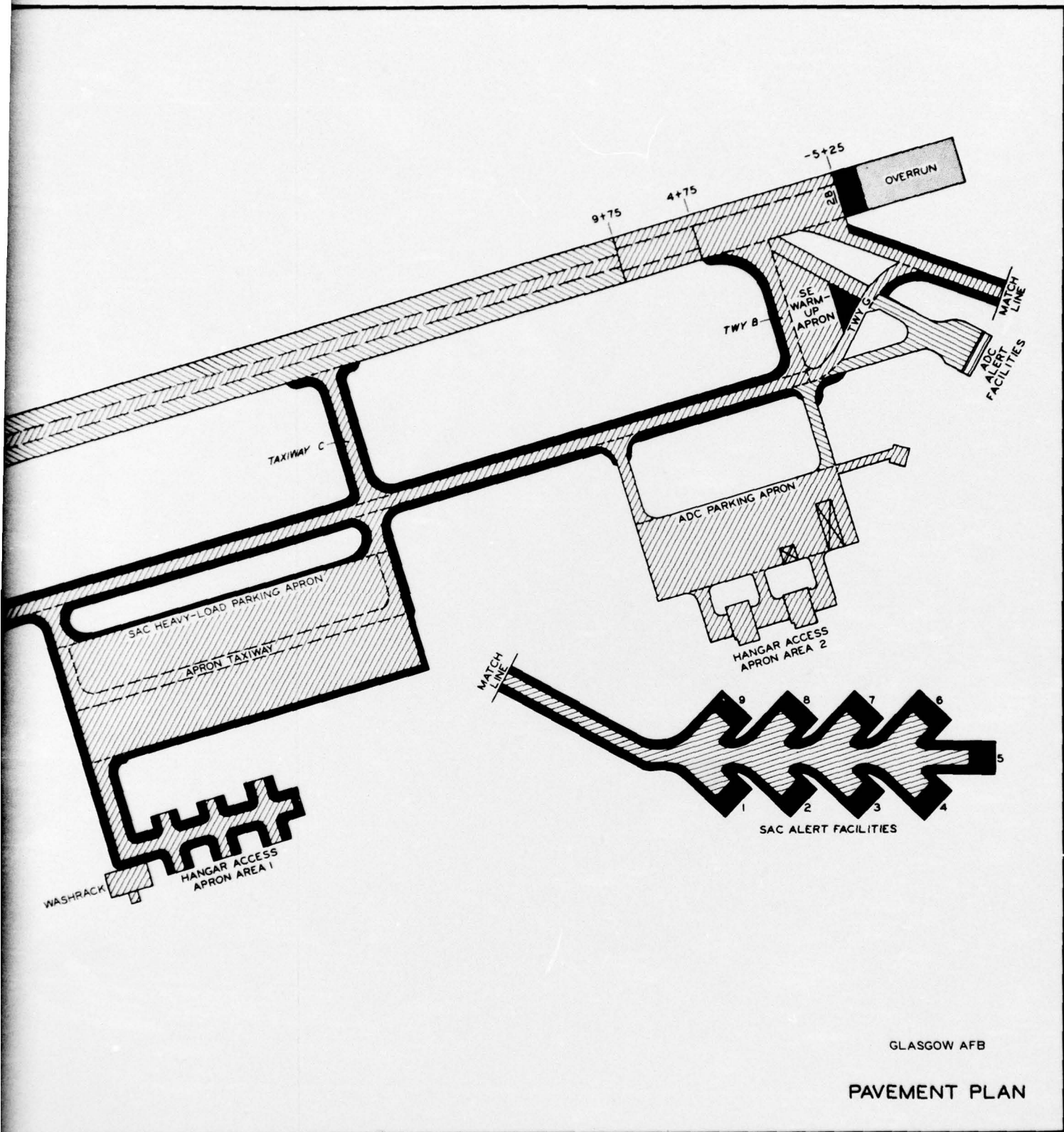


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PAVEMENT PLAN

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