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## UNIT COSTS

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CAPITAL COSTS  
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<u>Cost Component</u>	<u>Curve</u>	<u>Detailed Cost Sheet Column Number</u>
Pump Plant (Station)	A	13 & 15
Force Main	D	14, 16, 24
Drop Shaft	C	14
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(Basic Data)(See A. Capital Costs) . . . . .	(1-6)
Treatment Facilities	
(In Plants or Aerated Lagoons) . . . . .	7-11
Aerated Lagoons - Power . . . . .	10A
- Maint. & Labor . . . . .	10B
- Chlorination . . . . .	10C
Transmission Facilities	
Pump Plant - Power . . . . .	13A
- Maint. & Labor . . . . .	13B
Force Main) Drop Shaft)- Maint. & Labor . . . . .	14
Tunnel )	
Secondary Pump Plant - Power . . . . .	15A
- Maint. & Labor . . . . .	15B
Force Main - Maint. & Labor . . . . .	16 (See Col. 14)
Storage Reservoir	
Reservoir - Maint. & Labor . . . . .	17
Aeration - Power . . . . .	18A
- Maint. & Labor . . . . .	18B
Chlorination - Power . . . . .	19A
- Maint. & Labor . . . . .	19B
Land Treatment Site . . . . .	No O&M for Cols. 20 & 22
Irrigation System	
Pump Station - Power . . . . .	23A
- Maint. & Labor . . . . .	23B
Force Main - Maint. & Labor . . . . .	24 (See Col. 14)
Equipment & Distribution Piping - Maint. & Labor . . . . .	25
Drainage System	
Tile - Maint. & Labor . . . . .	26
Conduits & Canals - Maint. & Labor . . . . .	27
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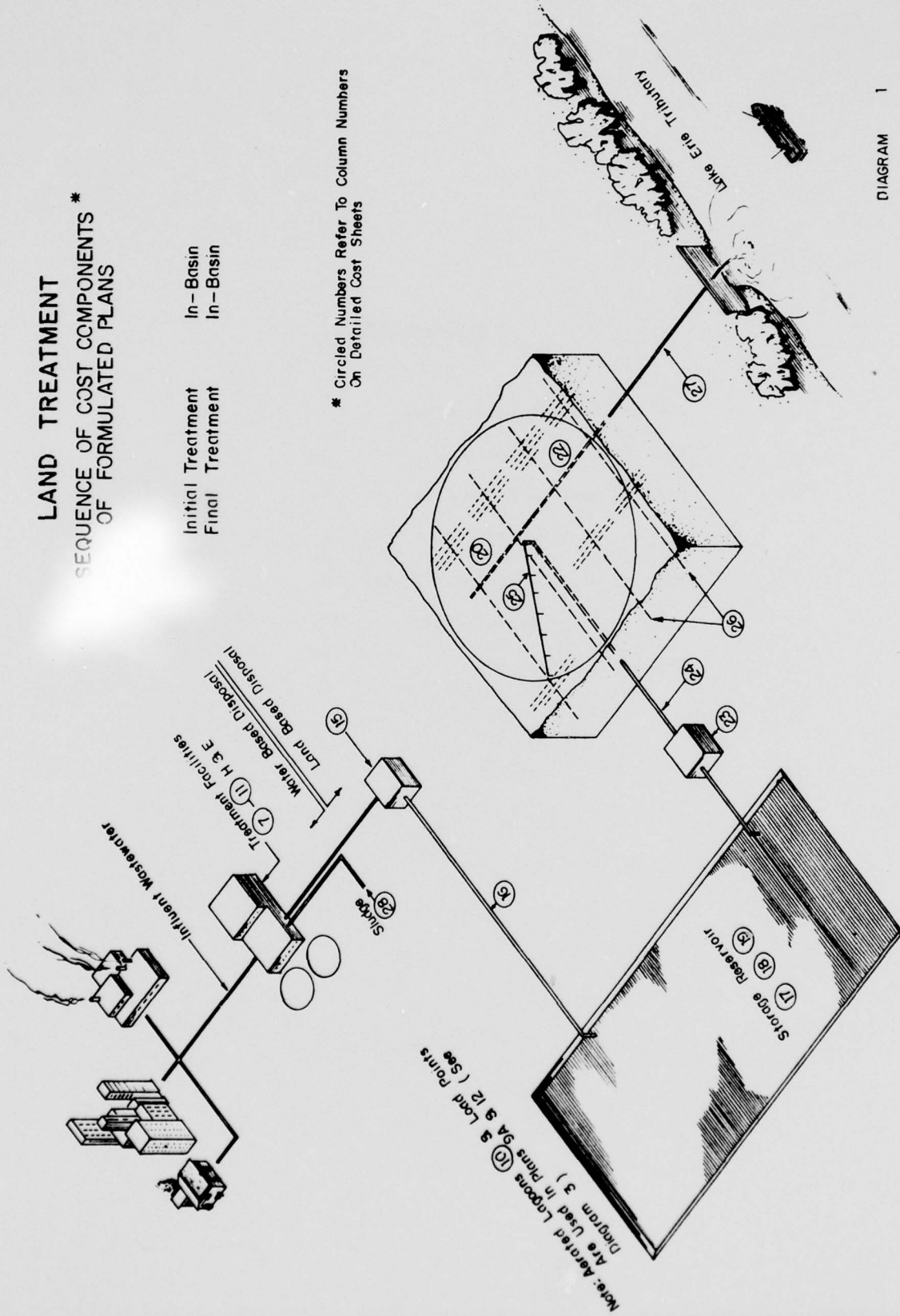
ABBREVIATIONS

ADF = Average Daily Flow  
AR = Annual Runoff  
MDF = Maximum Daily Flow  
MF = Peak Hourly Flow  
MGD = Million Gallons Per Day  
TDH = Total Dynamic Head  
TPD = Tons Per Day

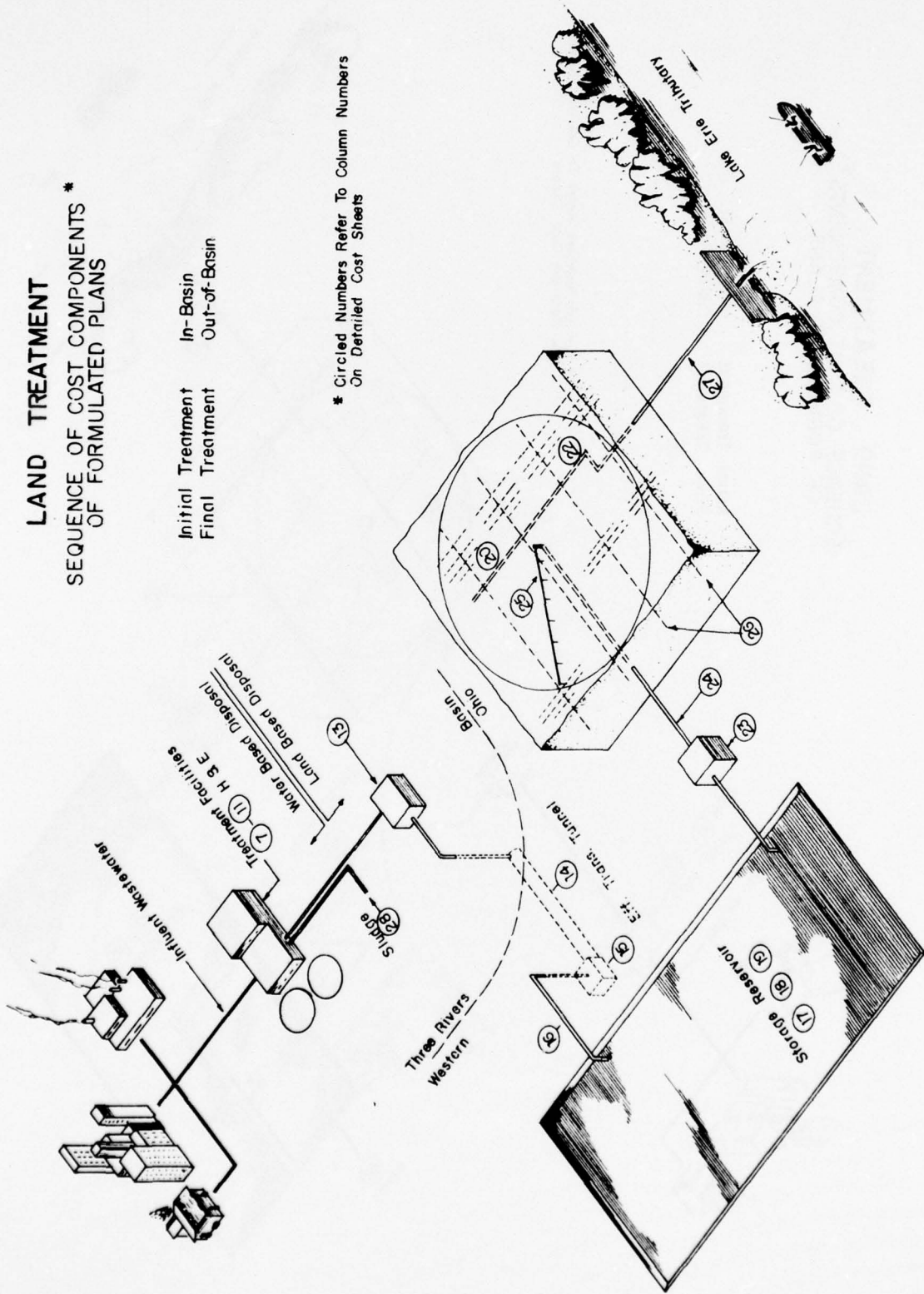
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**SEQUENCE OF COST COMPONENTS\***  
**OF FORMULATED PLANS**

Initial Treatment      In-Basin  
 Final Treatment      In-Basin

\* Circled Numbers Refer To Column Numbers  
 On Detailed Cost Sheets



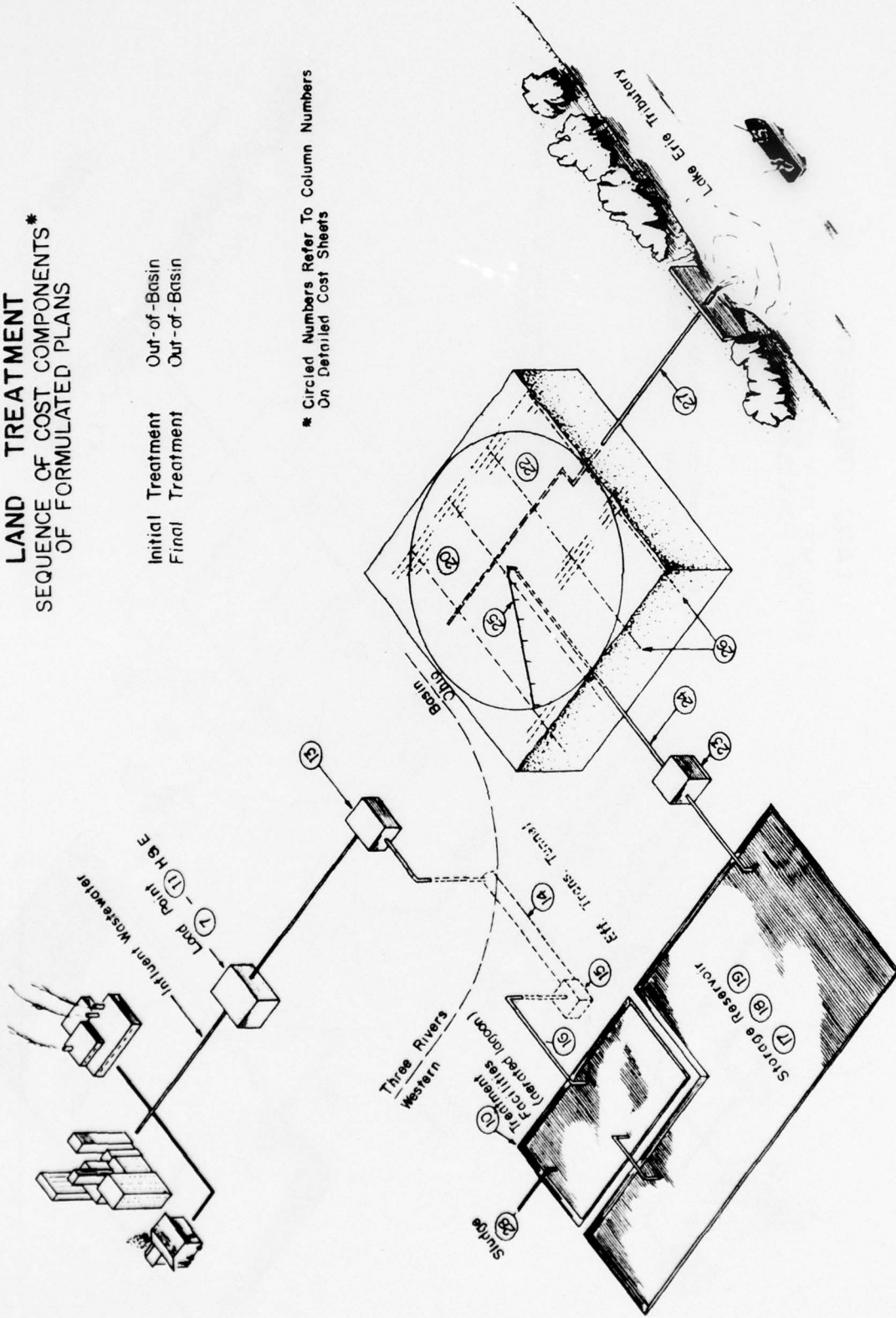
**LAND TREATMENT**  
**SEQUENCE OF COST COMPONENTS** \*  
**OF FORMULATED PLANS**



\* Circled Numbers Refer To Column Numbers  
 On Detailed Cost Sheets

Initial Treatment      In-Basin  
 Final Treatment      Out-of-Basin

**LAND TREATMENT**  
**SEQUENCE OF COST COMPONENTS\***  
**OF FORMULATED PLANS**



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 On Detailed Cost Sheets

CAPITAL COSTS

WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT SURVEY SCOPE STUDY  
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Land Treatment/Formulation \_\_\_\_\_

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

SHEET NO. 1 OF 1

FOR COLUMN #: 1-6

JOB NO. 712-70

ITEM: Basic Data

BY W-ME DATE 9-20-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost X Operation & Maintenance (O&M) X

B. General Component Heading:

Transmission Facilities _____	Irrigation System _____
Storage Reservoirs _____	Drainage _____
Land Treatment Site _____	Miscellaneous _____

C. Cost Item: Basic Data (Used in Costing) Column: 1-6

Name

Column No.      Item w/Source of Data and/or Explanation

- |   |   |  |
|---|---|--|
| 1 | Plant Name  |  |
| 2 | Detention Storage (MG)<br>H&E<br>Phase I Report - Part B  |  |
| 3 | Plant Capacity (MGD)<br>Wastewater:<br>Municipal Wastewater Flow -<br>H&E Projections<br>Phase I Report, Part A<br>Industrial:<br>AWARE Projections<br>Stormwater:<br>H&E Projections<br>Phase I Report, Part B<br>Conceptualized Plants:<br>W-ME Projections   |  |
| 4 | Raw Sludge - H&E (TPD)  |  |
| 5 | Winter Storage (MG)<br>a. Sanitary Plant<br>No. of Days x (DF) = MG Storage<br>b. Sanitary Plant with Stormwater<br>Sanitary + Stormwater = MG Storage<br>No. of Days x (ADF) + % (AR) = MG Storage<br>c. Stormwater Plant (two most widely used %'s are shown as examples)<br>$\frac{155}{365} \times \text{Annual Runoff} = \text{MG Storage}$<br>or $\frac{85}{365} \times \text{Annual Runoff} = \text{MG Storage}$   | Note: The number of days used to determine the Winter Storage equals 365 days less the number of days of estimated application of wastewater. This can vary depending upon the soil type being used for treatment. |
| 6 | Acres Needed for Treatment<br>a. Sanitary Plant<br>$(ADF) \times 365 \times 3.07 \frac{\text{Acre-ft.}}{\text{MG}} / \text{App. Rate} = \text{Acres}$<br>b. Sanitary Plant with Stormwater<br>Sanitary Acres + Stormwater Acres<br>$(ADF) \times 365 \times 3.07 \frac{\text{Acre-ft.}}{\text{MG}} / \text{App. Rate}$<br>+ AR x 3.07 $\frac{\text{Acre-ft.}}{\text{MG}} / \text{App. Rate} = \text{Acres}$<br>c. Stormwater Plant<br>AR x 3.07 $\frac{\text{Acre-ft.}}{\text{MG}} / \text{App. Rate} = \text{Acres}$ |  |

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Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

SHEET NO. 1 OF 1

FOR COLUMN #: 7-11

JOB NO. 712-70

ITEM: Treatment (In Plants) (Aerated Lagoon - Col. 10)

BY W-ME DATE 9-20-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost X Operation & Maintenance (O&M) \_\_\_\_\_

B. General Component Heading:

Treatment Facilities X Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_  
Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage \_\_\_\_\_  
Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_  
Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_

C. Cost Item Treatment (In Plants or Aerated Lagoon) Column: 7-11  
Name \_\_\_\_\_

COMPUTATION:

All costs for sewage treatment plants are supplied by Havens & Emerson. For Plan 9A, 3 plants were costed using aerated lagoons rather than secondary treatment in sewage treatment plants. The costs for these aerated lagoons are included in land treatment costs. For Plan 12 all plants were costed using aerated lagoons.

Column 10 in the detailed cost sheets shows aerated lagoon costs and this component cost is shown under the Land Treatment Site heading rather than under Treatment in Plants on the plan cost summary sheets.

Curve G has been plotted to show the capital cost for a wide range of aerated lagoon treatment capacities. The costs shown in column 10 of the detailed cost sheets were selected from Curve G.

EXPLANATION:

REFERENCES:

Havens & Emerson - Secondary, Tertiary and Advanced Wastewater Treatment Plant Costs.  
W-ME - Aerated Lagoon Costs

FINAL UNIT COST USED: All costs supplied by Havens & Emerson except as in Plans 9 & 12.

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Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

SHEET NO. 1 OF 1

FOR COLUMN #: 13

JOB NO. 712 - 70

ITEM: Pumping Plant to Tunnel/ Force Main

BY W-IE DATE 9-20-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost X Operation & Maintenance (O&M) \_\_\_\_\_

B. General Component Heading:

Transmission Facilities X Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_

Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage \_\_\_\_\_

Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_

C. Cost Item Pumping Plant Column: 13  
Name

COMPUTATION:

Curve A plots the costs of various size pumping plants as used in the C-SELM project. The costs are based on actual contract experience as well as designs built up from component labor and material costs.

EXPLANATION:

REFERENCES:

OCE Cost Curve - Figure 21-13 as shown in  
Bauer, C-SELM Report  
(Feb. 1972)

FINAL UNIT COST USED: Curve A Used to Determine Individual Plant Costs

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Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

SHEET NO. 1 OF 1

FOR COLUMN #: 14, 16 and 24

JOB NO. 712 - 70

ITEM: Force Main

BY W-ME DATE 9-20-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost X Operation & Maintenance (O&M) \_\_\_\_\_  
B. General Component Heading:  
Transmission Facilities X Irrigation System X  
Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage \_\_\_\_\_  
Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_

C. Cost Item: Force Main Column: 14, 16 and 24  
Name

COMPUTATION:

Curve D was plotted from data in the referenced report. Costs of some sizes smaller as well as larger than those shown in the table were then determined by extrapolation.

EXPLANATION:

REFERENCES:

OCE Cost Table 21-3 as shown in  
Bauer, C-SELM Report  
(Feb. 1972)

FINAL UNIT COST USED: Use Curve D to Determine Cost of Various Size Lines

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Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

SHEET NO. 1 OF 1

FOR COLUMN #: 14 and 15

JOB NO. 71.2 - 70

ITEM: Drop Shaft (Lift Shaft)

BY GGR DATE 9-14-72

- A. Cost Type: Capital Cost X Operation & Maintenance (O&M) \_\_\_\_\_
- B. General Component Heading:
- |                                  |                         |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Transmission Facilities <u>X</u> | Irrigation System _____ |
| Storage Reservoirs _____         | Drainage _____          |
| Land Treatment Site _____        | Miscellaneous _____     |
- C. Cost Item: Drop Shaft (Lift Shaft) Column: 14 and 15  
Name

COMPUTATION:

Curve C, which is Figure 21-14 from the OCE publication (Task No. 21) of the unit costs developed in the C-SELM, Bauer Engineering Study, is the source of drop shaft and lift shaft unit costs.

EXPLANATION:

REFERENCES:

OCE Cost Figure 21-14 as shown in  
Bauer, C-SELM Report  
(Feb. 1972)

FINAL UNIT COST USED: Use Curve C to Determine Costs of Various Diameter Shafts

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Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

FOR COLUMN #: 14

SHEET NO. 1 OF 1

JOB NO. 712 - 70

ITEM: Tunnel

BY GGR DATE 9-14-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost X Operation & Maintenance (O&M) \_\_\_\_\_

B. General Component Heading:

Transmission Facilities X Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_  
Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage \_\_\_\_\_  
Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_

C. Cost Item Tunnel  
Name \_\_\_\_\_

Column: 14

COMPUTATION:

COST PER LINEAL FOOT (Constr. Cost Only)

The ENR Sept. 1970	Finish Dia.	Adjusted '72	'72	'72	AVERAGE	ADJUSTED
		(Cleve) (Rpt) D-D&L	(Ltr) W-C	(C-Selm Rpt) BAUER		
Engr. Construction Cost	8'	280	400	310	330	350
Index = 1752 (Cleveland)	10'	360	450	380	400	400
(used by Dalton-Dalton-Little) On 6-72 the	12'	460	500	440	470	500
Index = 2025 (Cleveland)	14'	570	600	530	570	600
$\frac{2025}{1752} = 1.16$ (Used to adjust	16'	660	650	640	650	650
D-D&L costs from 1970 = 1972)	18'	780	800	750	780	750

All tunnels are lined:

EXPLANATION:

Based on above average costs, it is felt that tunnel costs in "adjusted" column are reasonable to use. This means W-C costs as used before can be reduced \$50/ft for the 8', 10', and 18' tunnels. (The 18' tunnel is adjusted to a slightly below the average figure since the original \$800 cost was not in the W-C letter and was subsequently extrapolated at what is now felt to be the more on the high side - \$750 probably would have been a more reasonable extrapolation).

REFERENCES: September 1970 - Dalton, Dalton & Little Cleveland Tunnel Report  
February 1972 - C-Selm (Bauer) costs as Published by Corps  
June 1972 - Woodward-Clevenger & Assoc. Inc. letter to W-ME

FINAL UNIT COST USED: See "Adjusted" column. (Curve B was plotted from the costs shown above)  
(Revision as of 9-14-72)

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Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

SHEET NO. 1 OF 1

FOR COLUMN #: 15

JOB NO. 712 - 70

ITEM: Secondary Pump Plant

BY W-ME DATE 9-20-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost X

Operation & Maintenance (O&M) \_\_\_\_\_

B. General Component Heading:

Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_

Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_

Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_

Drainage \_\_\_\_\_

Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_

Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_

C. Cost Item: Secondary Pump Plant  
Name

Column: 15

COMPUTATION:

Curves A and E both plot the costs of various size pumping plants as used in the C-SELM project. The costs are based on actual contract experience as well as designs built up for specific applications.

Use Curve A for pumping into tunnel or pumping from plant to storage reservoirs.

Use Curve E for pumping out of tunnel.

EXPLANATION:

REFERENCES:

Pumping Station Construction Cost as shown in  
Cost Data Annex to Technical Appendix  
C-SELM, Bauer Engineering Report  
(March, 1972)

Wright-McLaughlin Engineers

FINAL UNIT COST USED: Use Curves A and E to Determine Individual Plant Costs

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Land Treatment/Formulation \_\_\_\_\_

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

FOR COLUMN #: 17

SHEET NO. 1 OF 1

JOB NO. 712-70

ITEM: Storage Reservoirs

BY GGR DATE 9-15-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost X Operation & Maintenance (O&M) \_\_\_\_\_

B. General Component Heading:

Transmission Facilities _____	Irrigation System _____
Storage Reservoirs <u>X</u>	Drainage _____
Land Treatment Site _____	Miscellaneous _____

C. Cost Item Storage Reservoirs Column: 17  
Name \_\_\_\_\_

COMPUTATION:

	<u>STORAGE VOLUME</u>	<u>COST/MG</u>	<u>ADJUSTED COST/MG</u> (25% contingency Removed)
Based on sample designs and costing	10 MG	\$8,200 x 0.8 =	\$6,560
	540 MG	4,000 x 0.8 =	3,200
	12,500 MG	1,275 x 0.8 =	1,020
	50,000 MG (4 cells)	1,230 x 0.8 =	985
	100,000 (8 cells)		700
	150,000 (12 cells)		500

use \$1,000/MG min  
) Estimated based  
) on Bauer cost  
) experience

Land costs and site preparation included in above. Tight soils should not require lining.

EXPLANATION:

NOTE: Costing is to be done so that any contingency factor which is applied is added at the very end and to the total cost rather than to individual items comprising the composite estimate.

Storage reservoirs had a 25% contingency added in as used in previous estimates -- this 25% is now removed!

Chicago-Selm Reservoir cost of \$363/MG based on adjusted bidding experience at Muskegon (C-Selm Res. is 369,000 MG)  
(in 8 cells @ 46,000 MG per cell)

REFERENCES:

Wright-McLaughlin Engineers - cost comps.  
Bauer Engineering costs based on Muskegon and other data.

FINAL UNIT COST USED: As shown in adjusted col. above and as plotted for W-ME curve titled "Storage Reservoirs & Det'n Ponds - Capital Costs".

(Revision as of 9-14-72)

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Land Treatment/ Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

SHEET NO. 1 OF 1

FOR COLUMN #: 18

JOB NO. 712 - 70

ITEM: AERATION

BY RMCL DATE 8-11-72

- A. Cost Type: Capital Cost X Operation & Maintenance (O&M) \_\_\_\_\_
- B. General Component Heading:
- |                                   |                         |
|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Transmission Facilities _____     | Irrigation System _____ |
| Storage Reservoirs <u>X</u> _____ | Drainage _____          |
| Land Treatment Site _____         | Miscellaneous _____     |
- C. Cost Item: Aeration Column: 18  
Name

COMPUTATION:

For emergency - supplemental storage aeration. Prototype 5 MG module @ 20' Depth (avg)  
Area = 31,400 s.f. or R = 100' (ok for area of influence)

Avg BOD<sub>5</sub> = 12 mg/l or BOD<sub>u</sub> = 20 mg/l

Say satisfy by feed @ 2 mg/l/day maximum rate

#/day for 5 MG = 40 #/day/unit = <2.0 #O<sub>2</sub>/hr

Way low: Mixing intensity will govern. Normal for D. O. mix = 6-8 HP/MG

With small units, reasonable D.O. mix (at surface only) can be done  
w/about 1.0 HP/MG.

5 HP unit w/cables & elect. = \$3,500

\$3,500/5 MG = \$700/MG

EXPLANATION:

REFERENCES:

Wright-McLaughlin Engineers

FINAL UNIT COST USED: \$700/MG

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Land Treatment/Filtration

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

FOR COLUMN #: 19

SHEET NO. 1 OF 1

JOB NO. 712 - 70

ITEM: Chlorination

BY W-ME DATE 9-20-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost X

Operation & Maintenance (O&M) \_\_\_\_\_

B. General Component Heading:

Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_

Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_

Storage Reservoirs X \_\_\_\_\_

Drainage \_\_\_\_\_

Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_

Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_

C. Cost Item: Chlorination  
Name \_\_\_\_\_

Column: 19

COMPUTATION:

Curve H is as supplied by Havens and Emerson.

EXPLANATION:

REFERENCES:

Havens & Emerson

FINAL UNIT COST USED: Use Curve H to determine Chlorination cost for Various Plant Sizes.

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Land Treatment/Formulation Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

SHEET NO. 1 OF 1

FOR COLUMN #: 20

JOB NO. 712 - 70

ITEM: Purchase & Relocation

BY KRW DATE 9-14-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost X Operation & Maintenance (O&M) \_\_\_\_\_  
 D. General Component Heading:  
 Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_  
 Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage \_\_\_\_\_  
 Land Treatment Site X Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_  
 C. Cost Item: Purchase & Relocation Column: 20  
 Name

COMPUTATION:

Purchase Land Cost - Average \$334.00/Acre (page 3 of letter from Dept. of Army - see reference below)

Family Relocation Cost:

Average Farm = 80 acres - based on listed averages  
 Cost for 1 unit of farm buildings = \$16,000  
 Relocation Cost - \$5,000

Total Relocation Cost for One Family	Relocation Cost Per Acre	Total Purchase & Relocation Cost Per Acre:
\$16,000	= \$21,000/80 acres	\$334/Ac. Raw purchase
<u>5,000</u>	= \$262.50/Ac.	<u>\$262/Ac.</u> Relocation
<u>\$21,000</u>		\$596/Ac.

EXPLANATION:

Method: Each County priced by township (\$/acre)  
 Cost (\$/acre) averaged for each county  
 Average cost (\$/acre) for all counties = \$334/acre - See resume,  
 page 3 of letter  
 Average relocation cost = \$262.50/acre - see above or page 4 of letter  
 Total Estimated Cost Per Acre = \$600/acre  
 (With 15% variation allowance = \$700/acre - page 4 of letter)

REFERENCES: Dept. of The Army  
 North Central Division, Corps of Engineers  
 536 S. Clark Street  
 Chicago, Illinois 60605  
 By letter - July 24, 1972/Management & Disposal Branch, Real Estate Div.

FINAL UNIT COST USED: \$600/Acre (does not include any contingency)  
 Revision as of 9-14-72

WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT SURVEY SCOPE STUDY  
CLEVELAND - AKRON METROPOLITAN AND THREE RIVERS WATERSHED AREA

Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

SHEET NO. 1 OF 1

FOR COLUMN #: 21

JOB NO. 712 - 70

ITEM: Revision - Farm Equipment

BY W-ME DATE 9-14-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost X Operation & Maintenance (O&M) \_\_\_\_\_  
B. General Component Heading:  
Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_  
Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage \_\_\_\_\_  
Land Treatment Site X Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_  
C. Cost Item Farm Equipment Column: 21  
Name

COMPUTATION:

Do not include this in cost summary. This item originally estimated at \$100/ac. is a cost of doing business. It more appropriately should be considered as a deduct from farm income, along with labor, chemicals, gas, oil, and vehicles.

Net farm income estimates can be more readily referenced to by leaving out of estimate.

EXPLANATION:

Land management has been investigated in detail with regard to specific crops, type of application, type of drainage, etc. Costs of irrigation equipment and drainage reflect land management techniques required initially such as surface preparation and specialized deep plowing.

REFERENCES: Wright McLaughlin Engineers

FINAL UNIT COST USED: Drop Farm Equipment Cost (Revision as of 9-14-72)

WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT SURVEY SCOPE STUDY  
CLEVELAND - AKRON METROPOLITAN AND THREE RIVERS WATERSHED AREA

Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

SHEET NO. 1 OF 1

FOR COLUMN #: 22

JOB NO. 712 - 70

ITEM: Site Preparation (Revised)

BY W-ME DATE 9-14-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost X Operation & Maintenance (O&M) \_\_\_\_\_

B. General Component Heading:

Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_

Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage \_\_\_\_\_

Land Treatment Site X Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_

C. Cost Item Site Preparation Column: 22  
Name

COMPUTATION:

1) Woodland clearing	\$35/acre
2) Miscellaneous site preparation such as fences, removals, site work	20/acre
3) Access roads	5/acre
4) Miscellaneous grading for operation	5/acre
	<u>\$65/acre</u>

\$65/acre is basic site preparation. Specialized site preparation to be included in Irrigation equipment.

Note: Relocation costs and purchase of farm buildings included in cost of land at \$700/acre (includes 15% contingency factor included by Chicago Division). Thus, use \$600/acre in computations for land purchase and relocation. Families not moved from site would tend to lower land costs.

EXPLANATION:

- 1) Woodland clearing computed at 10% of total area at \$350/acre. Much of woodland will not be cleared, however.
- 2) Includes removal of buildings which would conflict with operations.
- 3) Access roads would be in addition to existing roads, for access to operational points of irrigation and drainage facilities.
- 4) This includes grading for irrigation facilities, access roads, etc.. For specialized irrigation and application techniques, additional site preparation will be included under Irrigation equipment.

REFERENCES: Reservoir clearing experience in Colorado - Wright - McLaughlin Engineers  
"Cost Summary for Land Treatment" (\$82/acre)  
"Muskegon Contract No. 1"  
C - SECM Report - Technical Appendix (Cost Data Annex)  
March, 1972

FINAL UNIT COST USED: \$65/acre  
(Revision as of 9-14-72)

WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT SURVEY SCOPE STUDY  
CLEVELAND - AKRON METROPOLITAN AND THREE RIVERS WATERSHED AREA

Land Treatment/Formulation \_\_\_\_\_

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

FOR COLUMN #: 23 SHEET NO. 1 OF 1

ITEM: Pump Station JOB NO. 71-2-70

BY W-ME DATE 9-20-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost X Operation & Maintenance (O&M) \_\_\_\_\_

B. General Component Heading:

Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_  
Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_  
Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_

Irrigation System X  
Drainage \_\_\_\_\_  
Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_

C. Cost Item \_\_\_\_\_ Pump Station \_\_\_\_\_ Column: 23  
Name

COMPUTATION:

Curve 1 is based on construction cost experience.

EXPLANATION:

REFERENCES:

U. S. Bureau of Reclamation  
Wright-McLaughlin Engineers

FINAL UNIT COST USED: Use Curve 1 to Determine Individual Plant Costs

WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT SURVEY SCOPE STUDY  
CLEVELAND - AKRON METROPOLITAN AND THREE RIVERS WATERSHED AREA

Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS SHEET NO. 1 OF 6  
FOR COLUMN #: 25 JOB NO. 71 - 70  
ITEM: EQUIPMENT & DISTRIBUTION PIPING - MAHONING SOILS BY W-ME DATE 9/18/72

- A. Cost Type: Capital Cost X MINI-BORDER SYSTEM Operation & Maintenance (O&M) \_\_\_\_\_
- B. General Component Heading:  
 Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Irrigation System X \_\_\_\_\_  
 Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage \_\_\_\_\_  
 Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_
- C. Cost Item: EQUIPMENT & DISTRIBUTION PIPING Column: 25  
 Name \_\_\_\_\_

COMPUTATION: MAHONING SOILS - MINI-BORDER SYSTEM

For application rates of 90 inches/year (municipal effluent)  
or 150 inches/year (separate storm runoff).  
Automated farm distribution equipment (25-year life) . . \$150/acre  
Site Preparation:  
 Forming . . . . . \$ 10/acre  
 Soil preparation and seeding . . . . . \$ 15/acre  
 Deep plowing on contour . . . . . \$ 40/acre  
\$215/acre

EXPLANATION:

- REFERENCES: Donald L. Miles, Irrigation Specialist, Agricultural Engineering Dept.  
 Colorado State University  
 Wright-McLaughlin Engineers  
 Valmont Industries, Inc., Valley, Nebraska  
 IRECO Industries, Inc., Eugene, Oregon  
 ENRESCO, Colorado Springs, Colorado  
 Rain Bird Sprinkler Manufacturing Corp., Glendora, California

FINAL UNIT COST USED: \$215/acre

WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT SURVEY SCOPE STUDY  
CLEVELAND - AKRON METROPOLITAN AND THREE RIVERS WATERSHED AREA

Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

SHEET NO. 2 OF 6

FOR COLUMN #: 25

JOB NO. 712 - 70

ITEM: EQUIPMENT DISTRIBUTION PIPING-CHILI & RELATED SOILS IN-BASIN W-ME DATE 9/18/72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost X Operation & Maintenance (O&M) \_\_\_\_\_

B. General Component Heading:

Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_

Irrigation System X

Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_

Drainage \_\_\_\_\_

Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_

Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_

C. Cost Item: EQUIPMENT & DISTRIBUTION PIPING Column: 25  
Name \_\_\_\_\_

COMPUTATION: CHILI AND RELATED SOILS IN-BASIN

For application rate of 60 inches/year.

Use solid-set system.

Sprinklers . . . . . \$ 300/acre

Distribution System . . . . . \$ 175/acre

\$475/acre

EXPLANATION:

REFERENCES: Donald L. Miles, Irrigation Specialist, Agricultural Engineering Dept.  
Colorado State University  
Wright-McLaughlin Engineers  
Valmont Industries, Inc., Valley, Nebraska  
IRECO Industries, Inc., Eugene, Oregon  
ENRESCO, Colorado Springs, Colorado  
Rain Bird Sprinkler Manufacturing Corp., Glendora, California

FINAL UNIT COST USED: \$ 475/acre

WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT SURVEY SCOPE STUDY  
CLEVELAND - AKRON METROPOLITAN AND THREE RIVERS WATERSHED AREA

Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

SHEET NO. 3 OF 6

FOR COLUMN #: 25

JOB NO 72 - 70

ITEM: EQUIPMENT & DISTRIBUTION PIPING - CARDINGTON-BENNINGTON

BY W-ME DATE 9/18/72

SOILS (COMPOSITE)

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost X Operation & Maintenance (O&M) \_\_\_\_\_  
 B. General Component Heading:  
 Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Irrigation System X  
 Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage \_\_\_\_\_  
 Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_

C. Cost Item: EQUIPMENT & DISTRIBUTION PIPING Column: 25  
 Name \_\_\_\_\_

COMPUTATION: CARDINGTON - BENNINGTON SOILS  
 (COMPOSITE OF WESTERN AREAS)

Mini-Border	5%	0.05	(175) =	9
Hay & Pasture	30%	0.30	(475) =	142
Corn (Pivot Rigs)	65%	0.65	(320) =	<u>208</u>
				<u>359</u>

USE \$360/Acre

EXPLANATION:

REFERENCES: Donald L. Miles, Irrigation Specialist, Agricultural Engineering Dept.  
 Colorado State University  
 Wright-McLaughlin Engineers  
 Valmont Industries, Inc., Valley, Nebraska  
 IRECO Industries, Inc., Eugene, Oregon  
 ENRESCO, Colorado Springs, Colorado  
 Rain Bird Sprinkler Manufacturing Corp., Glendora, California

FINAL UNIT COST USED: \$360/Acre

WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT SURVEY SCOPE STUDY  
CLEVELAND - AKRON METROPOLITAN AND THREE RIVERS WATERSHED AREA

Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS SHEET NO. 4 OF 6  
FOR COLUMN #: 25 JOB NO. 712 - 70  
ITEM: EQUIPMENT & DISTRIBUTION PIPING - CARDINGTON-BENNINGTON BY RLT DATE 9/18/72  
SOLES

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost X Operation & Maintenance (O&M) \_\_\_\_\_  
B. General Component Heading:  
Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Irrigation System X  
Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage \_\_\_\_\_  
Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_  
C. Cost Item: EQUIPMENT & DISTRIBUTION PIPING Column: 25  
Name \_\_\_\_\_

COMPUTATION:

CARDINGTON-BENNINGTON SOILS

For application rate of 75 inches/year on corn with drip tubes on rigs. On 160 acres one large rig irrigates 122 acres.

Cost of Pivot Rig: \$23,000

Cost per acre: \$23,000/122 acres = \$190/acre Use: \$200/acre

Cost of Piping . . . . . \$100/acre

Circular Piping with roads and gully crossing . . . \$ 20/acre

\$320/acre

EXPLANATION:

REFERENCES: Donald L. Miles, Irrigation Specialist, Agricultural Engineering Dept.,  
Colorado State University  
Wright-McLaughlin Engineers  
Valmont Industries, Inc., Valley, Nebraska  
IRECO Industries, Inc., Eugene, Oregon  
ENRESCO, Colorado Springs, Colorado  
Rain Bird Sprinkler Manufacturing Corp., Glendora, California

FINAL UNIT COST USED: \$320/acre

WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT SURVEY SCOPE STUDY  
CLEVELAND - AKRON METROPOLITAN AND THREE RIVERS WATERSHED AREA

Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS SHEET NO. 5 OF 6  
FOR COLUMN #: 25 JOB NO. 712 - 70  
ITEM: EQUIPMENT & DISTRIBUTION PIPING - CARDINGTON-BENNINGTON BY RLT DATE 9/18/72  
SOILS

- A. Cost Type: Capital Cost X Operation & Maintenance (O&M) \_\_\_\_\_
- B. General Component Heading:  
Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Irrigation System X  
Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage \_\_\_\_\_  
Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_
- C. Cost Item: EQUIPMENT & DISTRIBUTION PIPING Column: 25  
Name

COMPUTATION: CARDINGTON-BENNINGTON SOILS  
For application rate of 50 inches/year using solid-set system.  
Cost of Sprinklers . . . . . \$300/acre  
Cost of Distribution System. . . . . \$175/acre  
\$475/acre

EXPLANATION:

REFERENCES: Donald L. Miles, Irrigation Specialist, Agricultural Engineering Dept.,  
Colorado State University  
Wright-McLaughlin Engineers  
Valmont Industries, Inc., Valley, Nebraska  
IRECO Industries, Inc., Eugene, Oregon  
ENRESCO, Colorado Springs, Colorado  
Rain Bird Sprinkler Manufacturing Corp., Glendora, California

FINAL UNIT COST USED: \$475/acre

WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT SURVEY SCOPE STUDY  
CLEVELAND - AKRON METROPOLITAN AND THREE RIVERS WATERSHED AREA

Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS  
FOR COLUMN #: 25

SHEET NO. 6 OF 6

JOB NO. 712 - 70

ITEM: EQUIPMENT & DISTRIBUTION PIPING - CARDINGTON-BENNINGTON  
SOILS - MINI BORDER

BY RLT - DATE 9/18/72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost X Operation & Maintenance (O&M) \_\_\_\_\_

B. General Component Heading:  
Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Irrigation System X  
Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage \_\_\_\_\_  
Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_

C. Cost Item: EQUIPMENT & DISTRIBUTION PIPING Column: 25  
Name \_\_\_\_\_

COMPUTATION:

CARDINGTON-BENNINGTON SOILS - MINI-BORDER SYSTEM

Automated Farm Distribution. . . . . \$150/acre

Site Preparation

Forming . . . . . \$ 10/acre

Soil Preparation and Seeding. . . . . \$ 15/acre

\$175/acre

EXPLANATION:

REFERENCES: Donald L. Miles, Irrigation Specialist, Agricultural Engineering Dept.,  
Colorado State University  
Wright-McLaughlin Engineers  
Valmont Industries, Inc., Valley, Nebraska  
IRECO Industries, Inc., Eugene, Oregon  
ENRESCO, Colorado Springs, Colorado  
Rain Bird Sprinkler Manufacturing Corp., Glendora, California

FINAL UNIT COST USED: \$175/acre

WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT SURVEY SCOPE STUDY  
CLEVELAND - AKRON METROPOLITAN AND THREE RIVERS WATERSHED AREA

Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

FOR COLUMN #: 26

SHEET NO. 1 OF 6

JOB NO. 712 - 70

ITEM: Tile - Mahoning Soils - Mini-Border

BY RLT DATE 9-18-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost X Operation & Maintenance (O&M) \_\_\_\_\_  
B. General Component Heading:  
Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_  
Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage X \_\_\_\_\_  
Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_  
C. Cost Item: Tile - Mahoning Soils Column: 26  
Name

COMPUTATION:

MAHONING SOILS: MINI-BORDER SYSTEM

For stormwater use 150"/yr. application rate.  
For sanitary sewage use 90"/yr. application rate.

Spacing = 20'  
Total length = 2180'

Total cost of tile (2180') = \$328/acre  
Collectors and structures = \$ 95/acre  
\$423/acre

Use \$425/acre

EXPLANATION:

See above: Tile costs are based on agricultural costs in 1972  
as determined by survey and major checking w/Agricultural  
Engineers, including several at Ohio State University.

REFERENCES:

Donald L. Miles - Agricultural Extension Agent for Colorado  
Wright-McLaughlin Engineers

FINAL UNIT COST USED: \$425/acre (MAHONING SOILS: MINI-BORDER SYSTEM)



WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT SURVEY SCOPE STUDY  
CLEVELAND - AKRON METROPOLITAN AND THREE RIVERS WATERSHED AREA

Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS SHEET NO. 3 OF 6  
FOR COLUMN #: 26 JOB NO. 712-70  
ITEM: Tile - Cardington-Bennington Soils--Hay & Pasture BY RLT DATE 9-18-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost X Operation & Maintenance (O&M) \_\_\_\_\_  
B. General Component Heading:  
Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_  
Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage X \_\_\_\_\_  
Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_  
C. Cost Item: Tile - Cardington-Bennington Column: 26  
Name Soils

COMPUTATION:

CARDINGTON-BENNINGTON SOILS--HAY & PASTURE

Use application rate of 50"/yr.

Spacing = 30'

Length =  $\frac{209}{30} (209) = 1450$  l.f.

Total cost of tile (1450') = \$320/acre

Add \$70/acre for collectors, structures, etc. = \$ 70/acre  
\$390/acre

Deduct 10% for existing tiles = - 40/acre  
Net cost/acre = \$350/acre

EXPLANATION:

See above: Tile costs are based on agricultural costs in 1972 as determined by survey and major checking w/Agricultural Engineers, including several at Ohio State University.

REFERENCES:

Donald L. Miles - Agricultural Extension Agent for Colorado  
Wright-McLaughlin Engineers

FINAL UNIT COST USED: \$350/acre (CARDINGTON-BENNINGTON SOILS--HAY & PASTURE)

WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT SURVEY SCOPE STUDY  
CLEVELAND - AKRON METROPOLITAN AND THREE RIVERS WATERSHED AREA

Land Treatment/Formulation \_\_\_\_\_

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

SHEET NO. 4 OF 6

FOR COLUMN #: 26

JOB NO. 712 - 70

ITEM: Tile - Cardington-Bennington Soils--Composite Out-of-  
Basin

BY RIT DATE 9-18-72

- A. Cost Type: Capital Cost X Operation & Maintenance (O&M) \_\_\_\_\_
- B. General Component Heading:
- |                               |                         |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Transmission Facilities _____ | Irrigation System _____ |
| Storage Reservoirs _____      | Drainage <u>X</u> _____ |
| Land Treatment Site _____     | Miscellaneous _____     |
- C. Cost Item: Tile - Cardington-Bennington Column: 26  
Name Soils

COMPUTATION:

CARDINGTON-BENNINGTON SOILS--COMPOSITE OF WESTERN LAND AREAS

Mini-border	5%	=	.05(350)	=	\$ 18/acre
Hay & Pasture	30%	=	.30(350)	=	\$105/acre
Corn (pivot rigs)	65%	=	.65(495)	=	\$327/acre
				TOTAL	\$445/acre

EXPLANATION:

See above: Tile costs are based on agricultural costs in 1972 as determined by survey and major checking w/Agricultural Engineers, including several at Ohio State University.

REFERENCES:

Donald L. Miles - Agricultural Extension Agent for Colorado  
Wright-McLaughlin Engineers

FINAL UNIT COST USED: \$445/acre (CARDINGTON-BENNINGTON SOILS--COMPOSITE)

WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT SURVEY SCOPE STUDY  
CLEVELAND - AKRON METROPOLITAN AND THREE RIVERS WATERSHED AREA

Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub - Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS  
FOR COLUMN #: 26

SHEET NO. 5 OF 6

JOB NO. 712 - 70

ITEM: Tile - Cardington-Bennington Soils--Mini-Border System

BY RLT DATE 9-18-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost X Operation & Maintenance (O&M) \_\_\_\_\_  
B. General Component Heading: Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_  
Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage X \_\_\_\_\_  
Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_  
C. Cost Item: Tile - Cardington-Bennington Column: 26  
Name SOILS

COMPUTATION:

CARDINGTON-BENNINGTON SOILS--MINI-BORDER CONCEPT

Use 30' spacing.  
Same as Hay & Pasture.

EXPLANATION:

See above: Tile costs are based on agricultural costs in 1972 as determined by survey and major checking w/Agricultural Engineers, including several at Ohio State University.

REFERENCES:

Donald L. Miles - Agricultural Extension Agent for Colorado  
Wright-McLaughlin Engineers

FINAL UNIT COST USED: \$350/acre (CARDINGTON-BENNINGTON SOILS--MINI-BORDER CONCEPT)

WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT SURVEY SCOPE STUDY  
CLEVELAND - AKRON METROPOLITAN AND THREE RIVERS WATERSHED AREA

Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

SHEET NO. 6 OF 6

FOR COLUMN #: 26

JOB NO. 712 - 70

ITEM: Tile - Chili Soils

BY RLT DATE 9-18-72

- A. Cost Type: Capital Cost X Operation & Maintenance (O&M) \_\_\_\_\_
- B. General Component Heading:
- |                               |                         |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Transmission Facilities _____ | Irrigation System _____ |
| Storage Reservoirs _____      | Drainage <u>X</u> _____ |
| Land Treatment Site _____     | Miscellaneous _____     |
- C. Cost Item: Tile - Chili Soils Column: 26  
Name

COMPUTATION:

CHILI SOILS

Use application rate of 60"/yr.

Use spacing of 60' @ 5½-foot depth

$$\text{Length} = \frac{43,560}{60} = 726 \text{ ft.}$$

Cost of 4" Tile (726') = \$290/acre

Add \$90/acre for collectors, structures, etc. = \$ 90/acre

TOTAL \$380/acre

EXPLANATION:

All of the Chili soils may not require tile drainage, depending on the topography. For example, on steep terrain tile drainage may be limited to the low-lying lands.

REFERENCES:

Table III, Practical Installation of Clay, Concrete and Corrugated Elastic Subsurface Drains, by Lyman G. Willardson. Also conversation with Dr. Willardson.

FINAL UNIT COST USED: \$380/acre (CHILI SOILS)

WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT SURVEY SCOPE STUDY  
CLEVELAND - AKRON METROPOLITAN AND THREE RIVERS WATERSHED AREA

Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

FOR COLUMN #: 27 SHEET NO. 1 OF 1

ITEM: Conduits and Canals JOB NO. 71 - 70  
BY KRW DATE 9-16-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost X Operation & Maintenance (O&M) \_\_\_\_\_

B. General Component Heading:  
Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_  
Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage X \_\_\_\_\_  
Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_

C. Cost Item Conduits and Canals Column: 27  
Name

COMPUTATION:

Cost of construction will be an average of \$25/acre over and above drainage unit costs.

EXPLANATION:

Conduits will be required to convey return flow to suitable discharge points.  
Canals will be used where volumes are large. Hydrological studies in western Ohio show stream regimes to be generally suitable.

REFERENCES:

Based on evaluation of typical units and topographical maps, and on hydrological study of streams.

FINAL UNIT COST USED CAPITAL COST: \$25/acre

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WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT SURVEY SCOPE STUDY  
CLEVELAND - AKRON METROPOLITAN AND THREE RIVERS WATERSHED AREA

Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

FOR COLUMN #: 28

SHEET NO. 1 OF 2

ITEM:

JOB NO. 712 - 70

Sludge Management (In-Basin)

BY LAL DATE 9-21-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost X Operation & Maintenance (O&M) \_\_\_\_\_

B. General Component Heading:

Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_

Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_

Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_

Drainage \_\_\_\_\_

Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_

Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_

C. Cost Item Sludge Management (In-Basin)  
Name

Column: 28

COMPUTATION:

Costs based upon the storage capacity needed for winter months.  
(No costs were included for land or equipment as they are included under  
land acquisition and treatment costs.)

EXPLANATION:

Sludge produced was converted to gallonage. Use Curve K to obtain cost at  
that volume.

REFERENCES:

Wright-McLaughlin Engineers

FINAL UNIT COST USED: Use Curve K to Determine Costs of Sludge Management Facilities  
In-Basin.

WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT SURVEY SCOPE STUDY  
CLEVELAND - AKRON METROPOLITAN AND THREE RIVERS WATERSHED AREA

Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

FOR COLUMN #: 28

SHEET NO. 2 OF 2

ITEM: Sludge Management (Strip Mined Areas)

JOB NO. 712-70

BY LAL DATE 9-21-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost X Operation & Maintenance (O&M) \_\_\_\_\_  
B. General Component Heading:  
Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_  
Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage \_\_\_\_\_  
Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_  
C. Cost Item Sludge Management (Strip M. Areas) Column: 28  
Name

COMPUTATION:

EXPLANATION:

Capital Cost for sludge management to STRIP MINED AREAS based on:

- |                       |                          |
|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. Pipeline Easement  | 5. Distribution Piping   |
| 2. Pipeline           | 6. Trucks                |
| 3. Pump Stations      | 7. Application Equipment |
| 4. Storage Reservoirs |                          |

REFERENCES:

"Bulk Transport of Waste Slurries to Inland and Ocean Disposal Sites,"  
Bechtel Corporation, Sept. 1969  
Wright-McLaughlin Engineers

FINAL UNIT COST USED: Use Curve L to Determine Cost of Facilities for Sending Sludge to Strip Mined Areas.

WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT SURVEY SCOPE STUDY  
CLEVELAND - AKRON METROPOLITAN AND THREE RIVERS WATERSHED AREA

Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

FOR COLUMN #: 29 SHEET NO. 1 OF 1  
ITEM: Miscellaneous JOB NO. 712 - 70  
BY KRW DATE 9-16-72  
A. Cost Type: Capital Cost X Operation & Maintenance (O&M) \_\_\_\_\_  
B. General Component Heading:  
Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_  
Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage \_\_\_\_\_  
Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous X \_\_\_\_\_  
C. Cost Item: Miscellaneous Column: 29  
Name

COMPUTATION:

Computed at 5 percent of irrigation & drainage capital costs. (Cols. 23 thru 27)

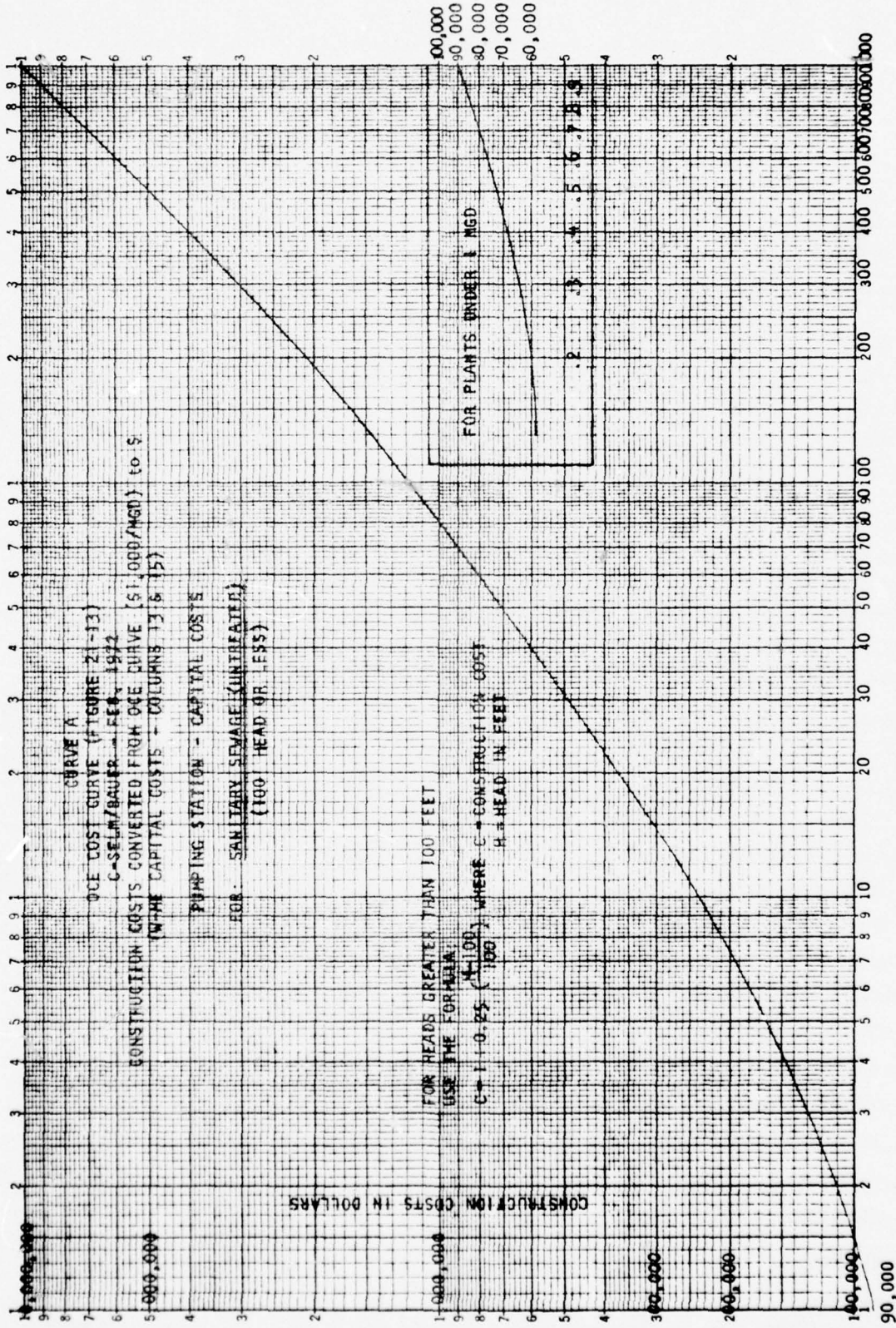
EXPLANATION:

Miscellaneous includes capital cost for administration building, monitoring holes for ground water, also outside electrical costs not already included in other major components and laboratories.

REFERENCES:

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Bauer Engineering

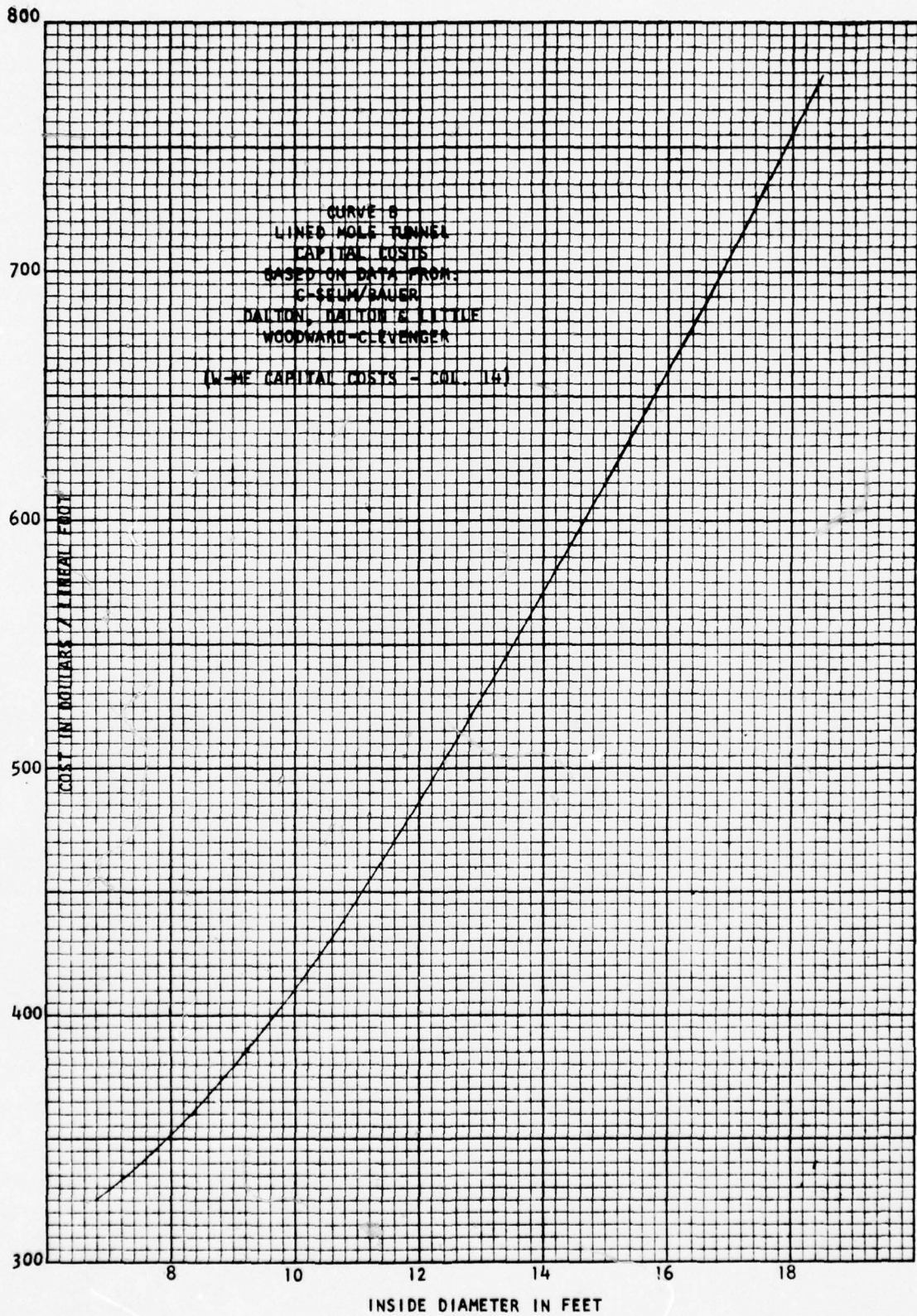
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PUMPING PLANT IN MGD

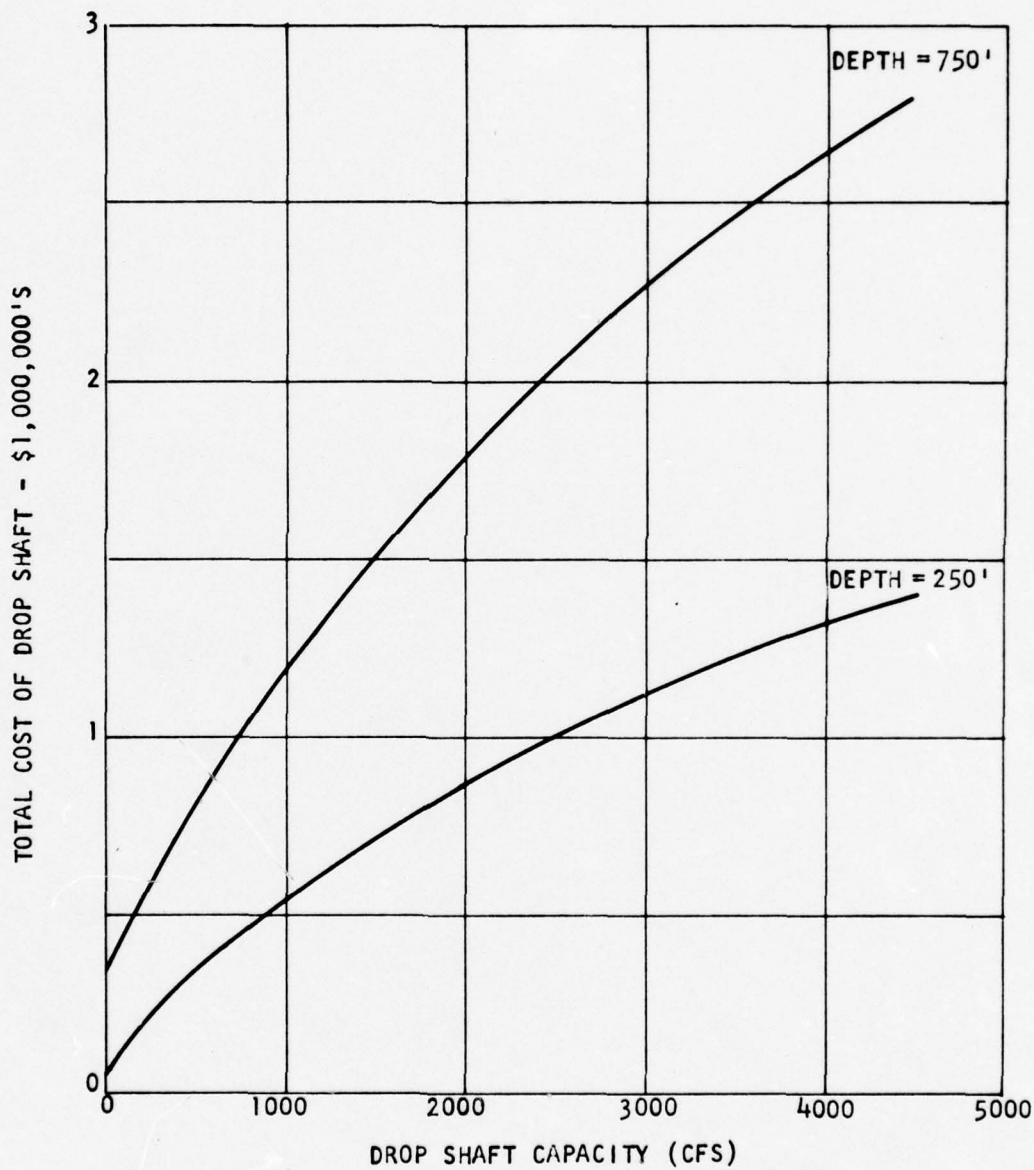
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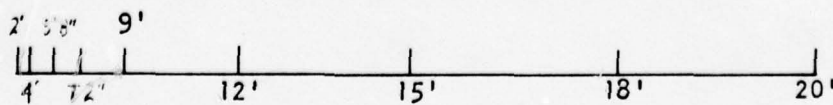


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 (WME CAPITAL COSTS - COLS. 14 & 15)

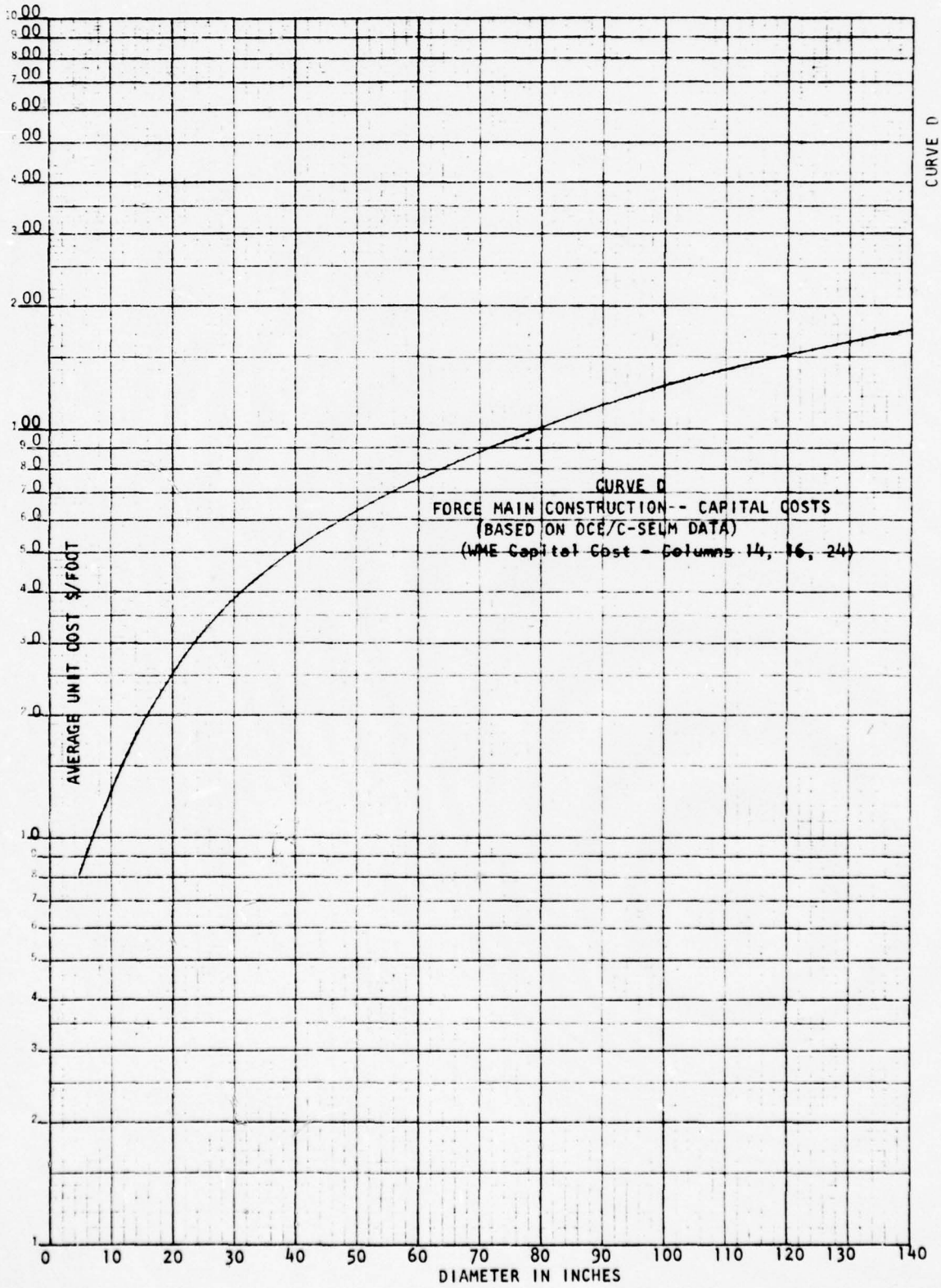


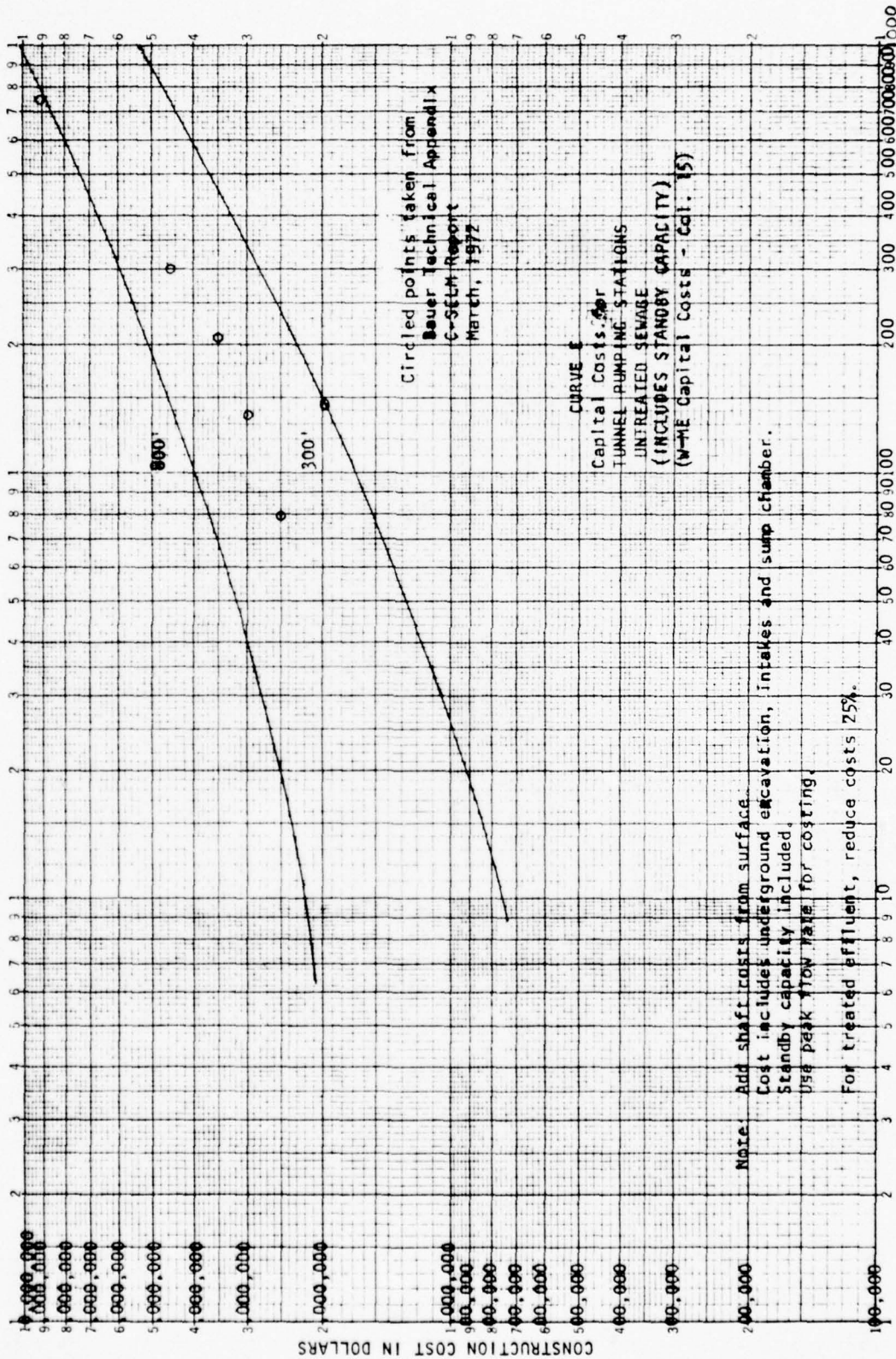
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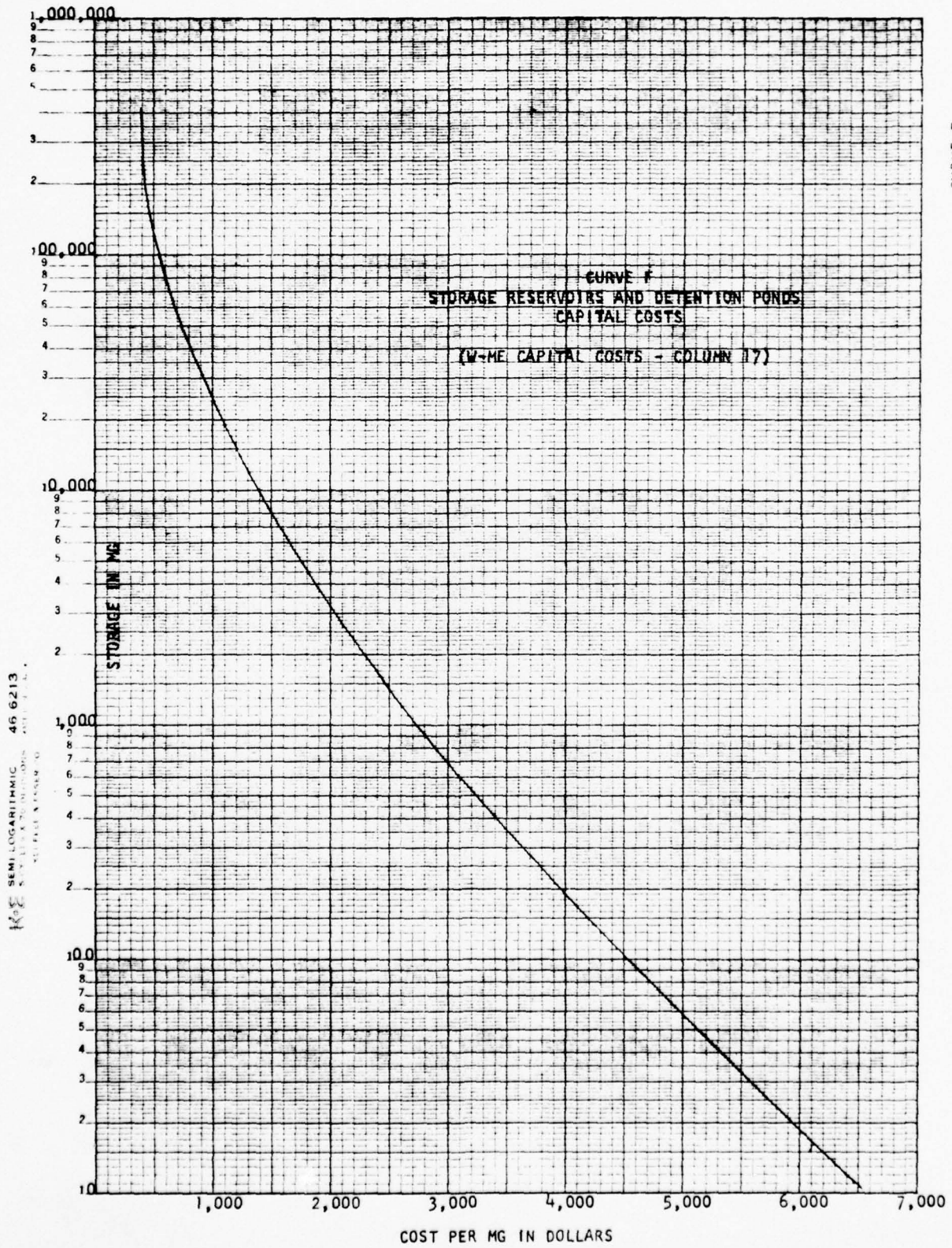
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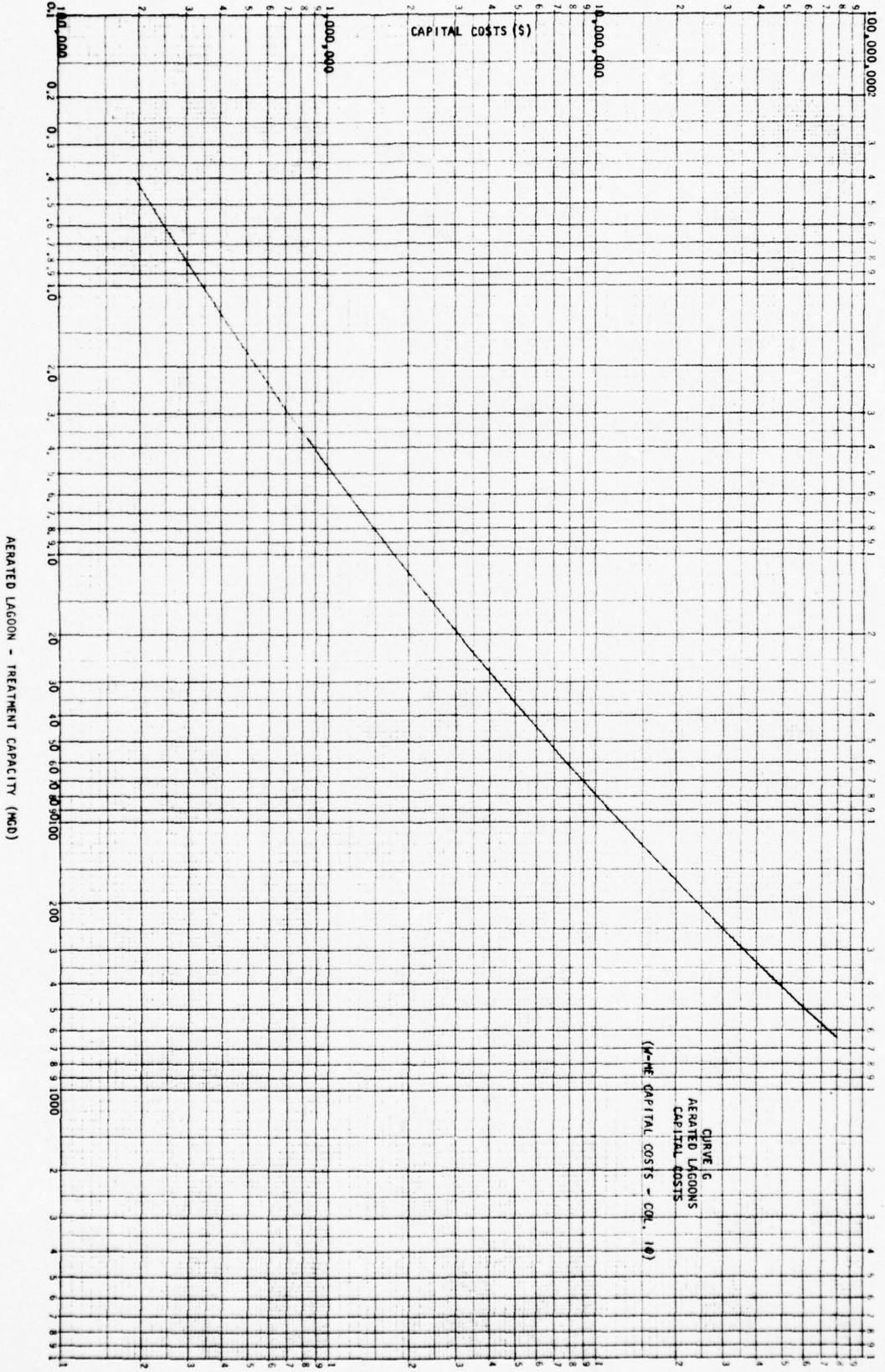
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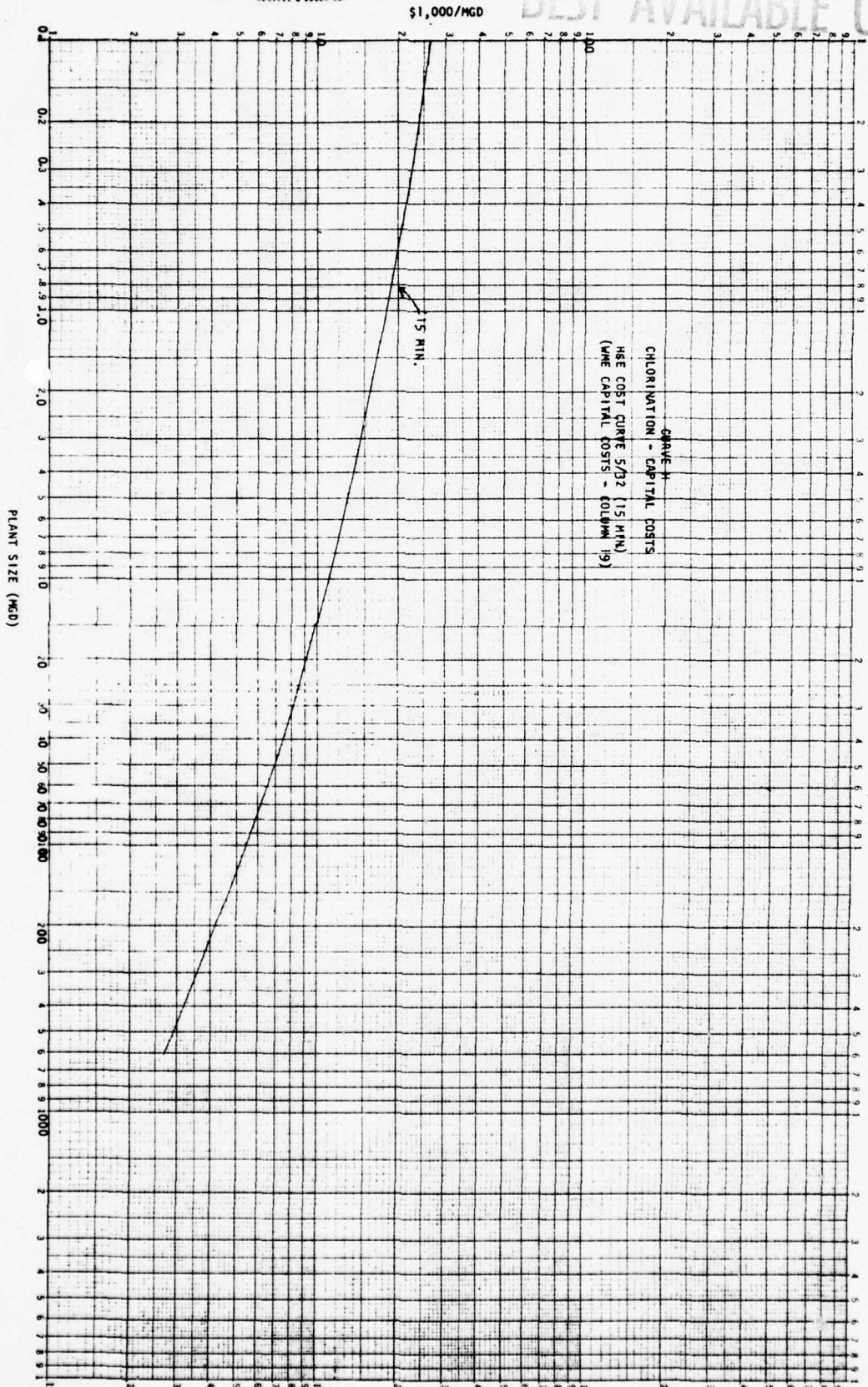


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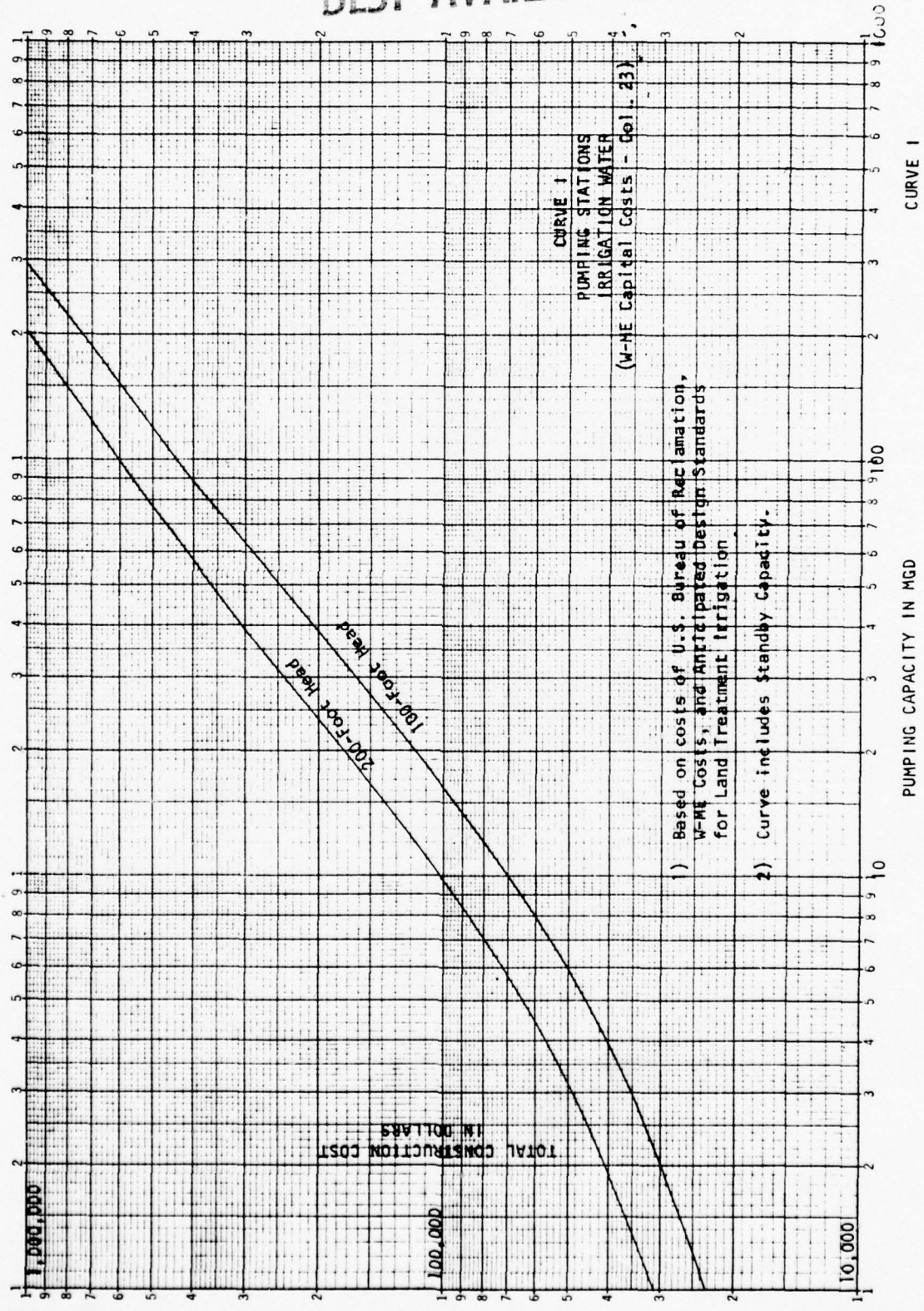


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**CURVE 1**  
 PUMPING STATIONS  
 IRRIGATION WATER  
 (W-NE Capital Costs - Col. 23)

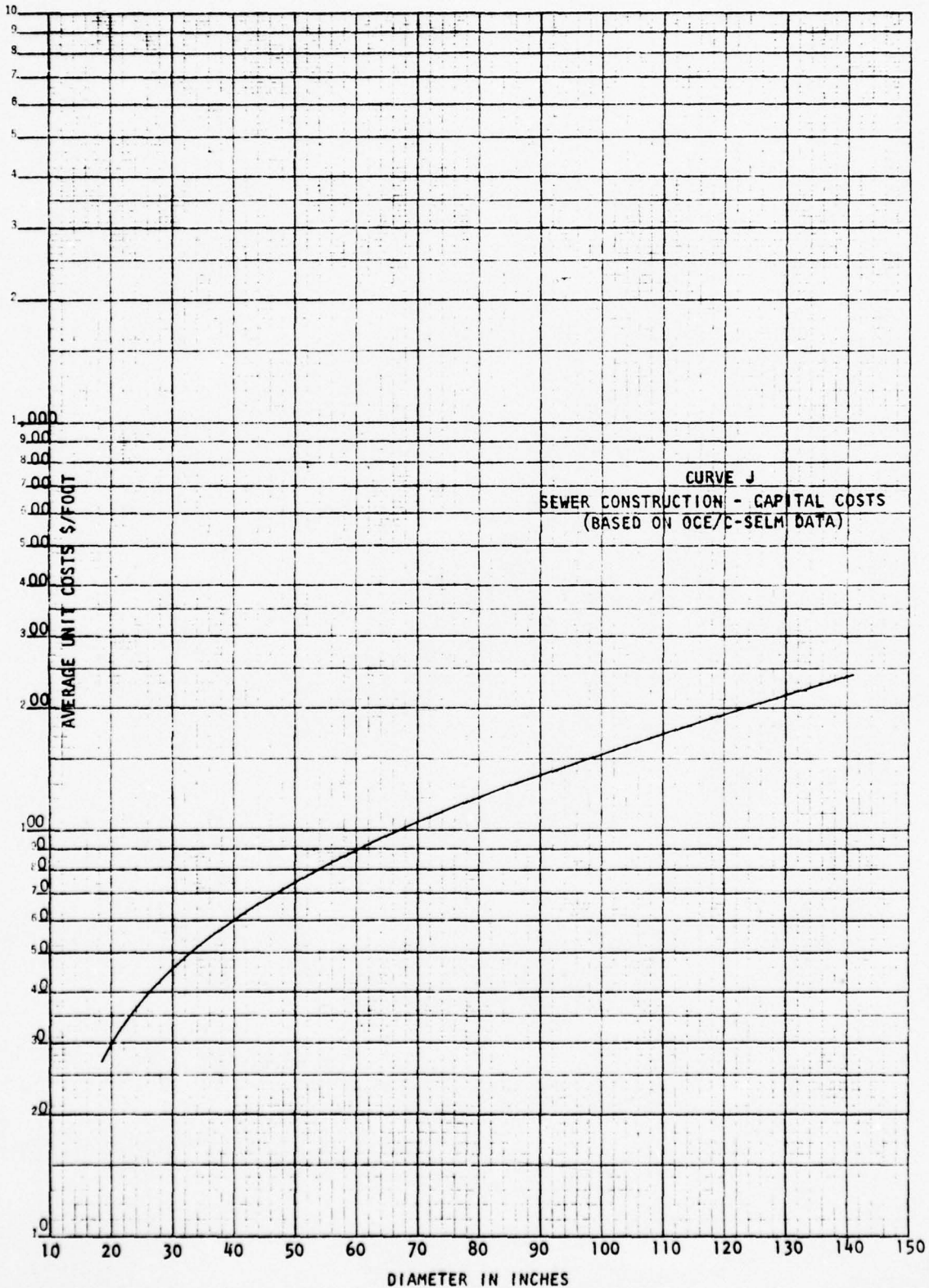
1) Based on costs of U.S. Bureau of Reclamation, W-ME Costs, and Anticipated Design Standards for Land Treatment Irrigation

2) Curve includes Standby Capacity.

PUMPING CAPACITY IN MGD

CURVE 1

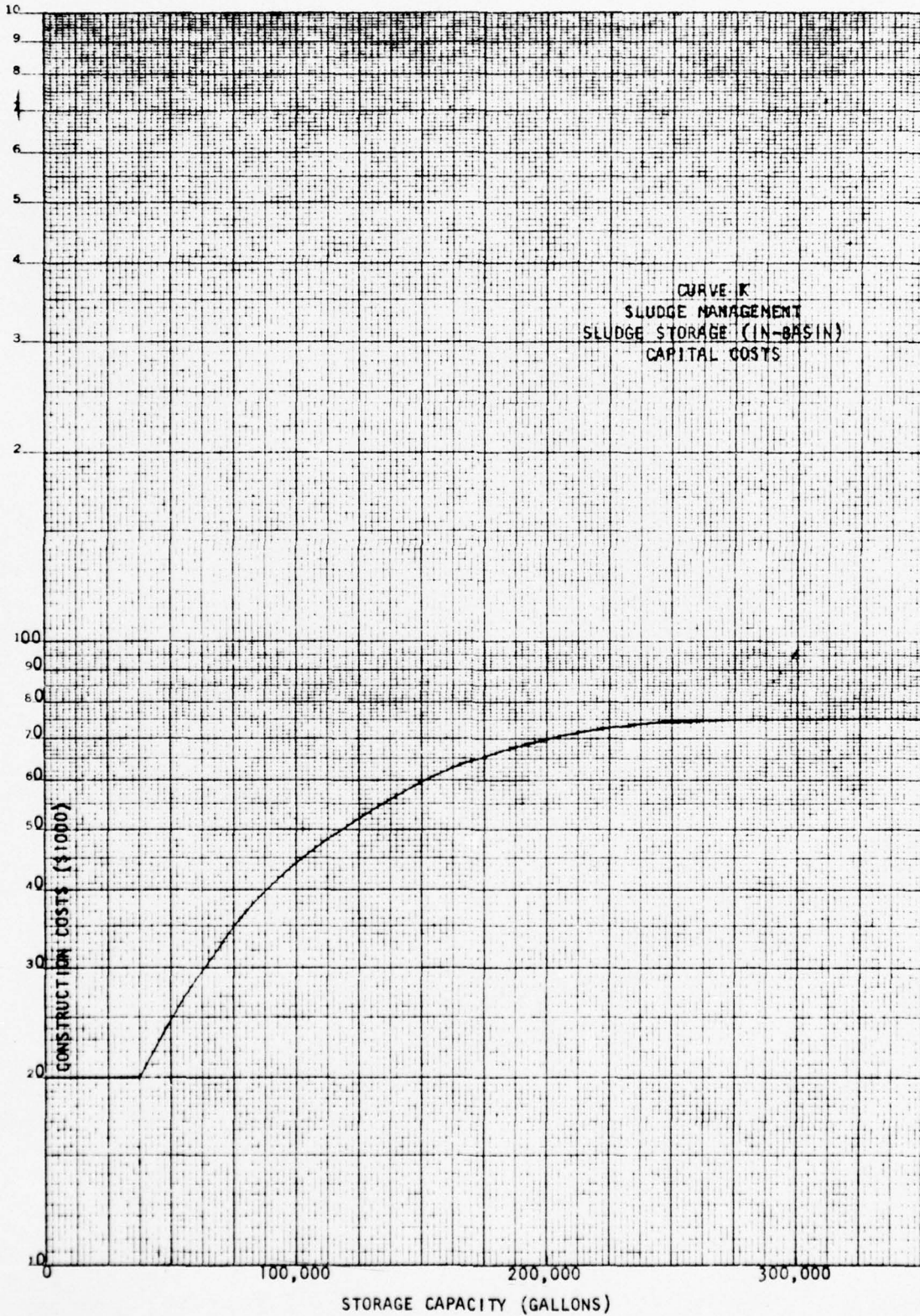
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CURVE J

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KEUFFEL & ESSER CO.

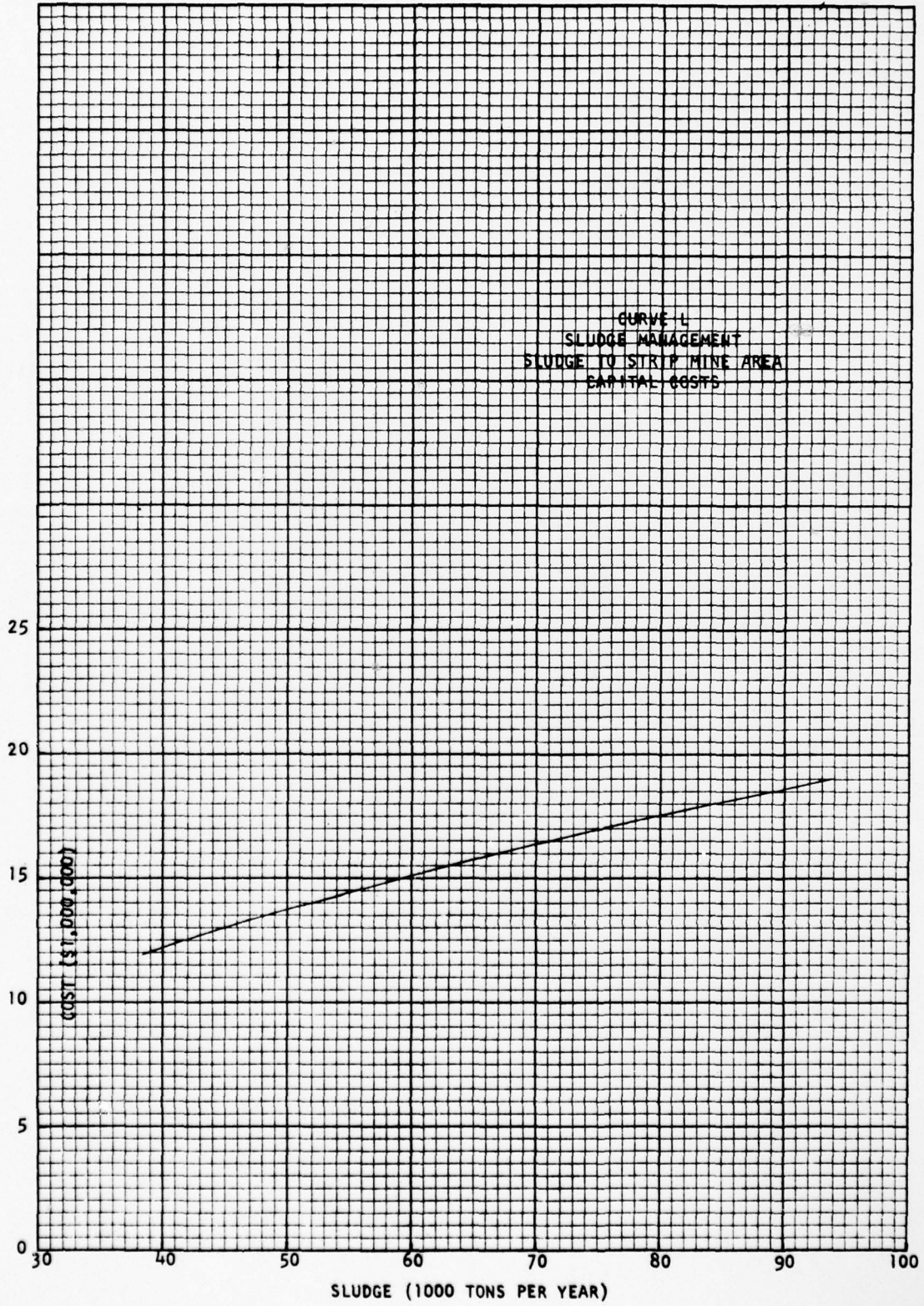


CURVE K

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CURVE L

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MADE IN U.S.A.  
KEUFFEL & ESSER CO.



OPERATION & MAINTENANCE COSTS

WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT SURVEY SCOPE STUDY  
CLEVELAND - AKRON METROPOLITAN AND THREE RIVERS WATERSHED AREA

Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS SHEET NO. 1 OF 1  
FOR COLUMN #: 1-6 JOB NO. 712 - 70  
ITEM: Basic Data BY GGR DATE 9-20-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost \_\_\_\_\_ Operation & Maintenance (O&M) X  
B. General Component Heading:  
Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_  
Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage \_\_\_\_\_  
Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_

C. Cost Item: Basic Data (Used in Costing) Column: 1-6  
Name \_\_\_\_\_

The basic data shown in columns 1-6, as well as the costs compiled under the Capital Costs Section contained herein, were used to determine the various Operation and Maintenance unit costs which follow in this O&M Costs Section.

(See Capital Cost Sheet covering columns 1-6 for explanation of individual column items.)

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Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub - Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

SHEET NO. 1 OF 1

FOR COLUMN #: 7-11

JOB NO. 712 - 70

ITEM: Treatment (In Plants or Aerated Lagoons)

BY GGR DATE 9-20-72

A. Cost Type Capital Cost \_\_\_\_\_ Operation & Maintenance (O&M) X

B. General Component Heading:

Treatment Facilities X Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_

Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage \_\_\_\_\_

Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_

Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_

C. Cost Item: Treatment (In Plants or  
Aerated Lagoons)

Column: 7-11

Name

COMPUTATION:

All O&M costs for sewage treatment plants are supplied by Havens & Emerson except those for Aerated Lagoons. (See the computation sheets for Column 10 - Aerated Lagoons, which follow.)

Aerated Lagoons were used for 3 plants in Plan 9A and all plants in Plan 12.

EXPLANATION:

REFERENCES:

Havens & Emerson - Secondary, Tertiary and Advanced Wastewater Treatment Plant Costs  
Wright-McLaughlin Engineers - Aerated Lagoon Costs

FINAL UNIT COST USED: All costs supplied by Havens and Emerson except as in Plans 9A & 12

WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT SURVEY SCOPE STUDY  
CLEVELAND - AKRON METROPOLITAN AND THREE RIVERS WATERSHED AREA

Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS SHEET NO. 1 OF 3  
FOR COLUMN #: 10A (Treatment) JOB NO. 7<sup>2</sup> - 70  
ITEM: Aerated Lagoons - Power BY HAB DATE 9-20-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost \_\_\_\_\_ Operation & Maintenance (O&M) X  
B. General Component Heading: \_\_\_\_\_  
Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_  
Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage \_\_\_\_\_  
Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_  
C. Cost Item: Aerated Lagoons - Power Column: 10A  
Name \_\_\_\_\_

COMPUTATION:

For both IN-BASIN and OUT-OF-BASIN:

$\$7,550 \times \text{Total ADF (MGD)}$

Note: For Plan 9A, 3 plants which were costed individually have aerated lagoons; these costs were included in land treatment costs. In Plan 12 all plants were costed with aerated lagoons.

EXPLANATION:

Power costs for aeration include mixing and oxygen transfer.  
W-ME computed detailed horsepower requirements.

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REFERENCES:

Wright-McLaughlin Engineers

FINAL UNIT COST USED:  $\$7,550 \times \text{Total ADF (MGD)}$

NOTE: For Plans 9<sup>1/2</sup> and 12 only.

WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT SURVEY SCOPE STUDY  
CLEVELAND - AKRON METROPOLITAN AND THREE RIVERS WATERSHED AREA

Land Treatment/~~Exemplification~~

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

SHEET NO. 2 OF 3

FOR COLUMN #: 10B (Treatment)

JOB NO. 712 - 70

ITEM: Aerated Lagoons - Maintenance and Labor

BY HAB DATE 9-20-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost \_\_\_\_\_ Operation & Maintenance (O&M) X  
B. General Component Heading:  
Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_  
Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage \_\_\_\_\_  
Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_  
C. Cost Item: Aerated Lagoons - Maint. & Labor Column: 10B  
Name \_\_\_\_\_

COMPUTATION:

3% of Capital Cost

Note: For Plan 9A, 3 plants which were costed individually have aerated lagoons; these costs were included in land treatment costs. In Plan 12 all plants were costed with aerated lagoons.

EXPLANATION:

Typical maintenance and labor figures based on W-ME experience were also used for comparison.

REFERENCES:

Wright-McLaughlin Engineers

FINAL UNIT COST USED: 3% of Capital Cost

NOTE: For Plans 9A and 12 only.

WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT SURVEY SCOPE STUDY  
CLEVELAND - AKRON METROPOLITAN AND THREE RIVERS WATERSHED AREA

Land Treatment/Fermentation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS  
FOR COLUMN #: 10C (Treatment)

SHEET NO. 3 OF 3

JOB NO. 712-70

ITEM: Chlorination - Aerated Lagoons - Maint. & Labor

BY HAB DATE 9-20-72

(Power Negligible)

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost \_\_\_\_\_ Operation & Maintenance (O&M) X

B. General Component Heading:

Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_

Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_

Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_

Drainage \_\_\_\_\_

Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_

Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_

C. Cost Item: Chlorination - Aerated Lagoons

Column: 10C

Name

COMPUTATION:

In-Basin  $\$3,650 \times \text{Total ADF (MGD)}$

Out-of-Basin  $\$2,500 \times \text{Total ADF (MGD)}$

Note: For Plan 9, 3 plants which were costed individually have aerated lagoons; these costs were included in land treatment costs. In Plan 12 all plants were costed with aerated lagoons.

EXPLANATION:

OCE and H&E curves for O&M were used to arrive at these two conversions. The Out-of-Basin unit costs are less because larger systems are used.

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REFERENCES:

Havens and Emerson  
OCE

FINAL UNIT COST USED:  $\$3,650 \times \text{Total ADF (MGD)}$ , In-Basin

$\$2,500 \times \text{Total ADF (MGD)}$ , Out-of-Basin

NOTE: For Plans 9A and 12 only.

WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT SURVEY SCOPE STUDY  
CLEVELAND - AKRON METROPOLITAN AND THREE RIVERS WATERSHED AREA

Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

SHEET NO. 1 OF 2

FOR COLUMN #: 13A

JOB NO. 712 - 70

ITEM: Pump Station -- Power

BY HAB DATE 9-21-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost \_\_\_\_\_ Operation & Maintenance (O&M) X  
B. General Component Heading:  
Transmission Facilities X Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_  
Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage \_\_\_\_\_  
Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_  
C. Cost Item: Pump Station -- Power Column: 13A  
Name

COMPUTATION:

No In-Basin facilities

Out-of-Basin = \$2,100 x Total ADF (MGD)

EXPLANATION:

Cost is based upon TDH of 100'.

Basic data (\$.0121/kwhr and 65% wire to water efficiency used to provide costs consistent and comparable to costs provided by H&E.)

As a check, the maintenance and labor was added to the power and compared to annual O&M costs for pumping stations as provided by H&E. The total W-ME O&M costs were also checked against OCE curves.

REFERENCES:

\$.0121/kwhr and 65% wire to water efficiency -- Havens & Emerson  
Curve for Annual Power Costs by Wright-McLaughlin Engineers  
ADF - computed by W-ME and H&E  
TDH - W-ME computations for individual plans

FINAL UNIT COST USED: \$2,100 x total ADF (MGD)

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Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

SHEET NO. 2 OF 2

FOR COLUMN #: 13B

JOB NO. 712 - 70

ITEM: PUMP STATION - MAINTENANCE AND LABOR

BY HAB DATE 9/21/72

- A. Cost Type: Capital Cost \_\_\_\_\_ Operation & Maintenance (O&M) X
- B. General Component Heading:
- |                                  |                         |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Transmission Facilities <u>X</u> | Irrigation System _____ |
| Storage Reservoirs _____         | Drainage _____          |
| Land Treatment Site _____        | Miscellaneous _____     |
- C. Cost Item MAINTENANCE AND LABOR  
EXCLUDING POWER Column: 13B  
Name

COMPUTATION: FOR OUT-OF-BASIN PUMP STATIONS . . . . . 5% of Capital Cost

EXPLANATION: For annual maintenance and labor costs of pump stations, excluding power, 5% of the capital cost was used. This was obtained from expenses for given sized plants in Colorado based on past experience. As a check, maintenance and labor costs were added to power costs and compared to annual total O&M costs for pumping stations as defined by Havens and Emerson.

REFERENCES: See Sheet 1 of 2.

FINAL UNIT COST USED: 5 Percent of Capital Cost

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Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub - Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

FOR COLUMN #: 14, 16 and 24

SHEET NO. 1 OF 1

JOB NO. 712 - 70

ITEM: Force Main, Drop Shaft, Tunnel - Maintenance & Labor

BY HAB DATE 8-20-72

- A. Cost Type: Capital Cost \_\_\_\_\_ Operation & Maintenance (O&M) X
- B. General Component Heading:
- |                                  |                            |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Transmission Facilities <u>X</u> | Irrigation System <u>X</u> |
| Storage Reservoirs _____         | Drainage _____             |
| Land Treatment Site _____        | Miscellaneous _____        |
- C. Cost Item: Force Main, Drop Shaft, Tunnel Column: 14, 16 and 24  
Name

COMPUTATION:

1/2% of Capital Cost

EXPLANATION:

The 1/2% rate was obtained from Havens & Emerson. This percentage was used for force mains, drop shafts, and tunnel costs in order to provide costs consistent and comparable to costs by Havens & Emerson.

REFERENCES:

Havens & Emerson

FINAL UNIT COST USED: 1/2% of Capital Cost

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CLEVELAND - AKRON METROPOLITAN AND THREE RIVERS WATERSHED AREA

Land Treatment/Formulation \_\_\_\_\_

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS SHEET NO. 1 OF 2  
FOR COLUMN #: 15A JOB NO. 712 - 70  
ITEM: Secondary Pump Plant - Power BY HAB DATE 9-21-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost \_\_\_\_\_ Operation & Maintenance (O&M) X  
B. General Component Heading:  
Transmission Facilities X Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_  
Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage \_\_\_\_\_  
Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_  
C. Cost Item: Secondary Pump Plant - Power Column: 15a  
Name \_\_\_\_\_

COMPUTATION:

In-Basin = \$5,550 x Total ADF (MGD)

Out-of-Basin = \$15,000 x Total ADF (MGD)

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EXPLANATION:

In-Basin TDH = 265'  
Out-of-Basin TDH = 720'

Basic data (\$.0121/kwhr and 65% wire to water efficiency) used to provide costs consistent and comparable to costs provided by H&E.

As a check, the maintenance and labor was added to the power and compared to annual O&M costs for pumping stations as provided by H&E. The total W-ME O&M costs were also checked against OCE curves.

REFERENCES:

\$.0121/kwhr and 65% wire to water efficiency -- Havens & Emerson  
Curve for Annual Power Costs by Wright-McLaughlin Engineers  
ADF - computed by Wright-McLaughlin Engineers and Havens & Emerson  
TDH - Wright-McLaughlin Engineers computations for individual plans

FINAL UNIT COST USED: \$5,550 x Total ADF (MGD), In-Basin  
\$15,000 x Total ADF (MGD), Out-of-Basin

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CLEVELAND - AKRON METROPOLITAN AND THREE RIVERS WATERSHED AREA

Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS  
FOR COLUMN #: 15B

SHEET NO. 2 OF 2  
JOB NO. 71<sup>2</sup> - 70

ITEM: Secondary Pump Plant - Maintenance and Labor

BY HAB DATE 9-21-72

- A. Cost Type: Capital Cost \_\_\_\_\_ Operation & Maintenance (O&M) X
- B. General Component Heading:  
Transmission Facilities X Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_  
Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage \_\_\_\_\_  
Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_
- C. Cost Item: Secondary Pump Plant - Maint. Column: 15B  
Name & Labor

COMPUTATION:

For In-Basin Pump Stations . . . . . 5% of Capital Cost

For Out-of-Basin Pump Stations . . . . . 3% of Capital Cost

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EXPLANATION:

For annual maintenance and labor costs of pump stations, excluding power, 5% of the capital cost was used for in-basin stations and 3% of the capital cost for stations out-of-basin. This was obtained from expenses for given sized plants in Colorado based on past experience. As a check, maintenance and labor costs were added to power costs and compared to total annual O&M costs for pumping stations as defined by Havens and Emerson. Out-of-Basin costs are less because the pump station capital costs included shafts and other related items which would have an O&M of approximately 1/2% x capital.

REFERENCES:

See Sheet 1 of 2.

FINAL UNIT COST USED: 5% of Capital Cost, In-Basin  
3% of Capital Cost, Out-of-Basin

WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT SURVEY SCOPE STUDY  
CLEVELAND - AKRON METROPOLITAN AND THREE RIVERS WATERSHED AREA

Land Treatment/Formulation \_\_\_\_\_

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS SHEET NO. 1 OF 1  
FOR COLUMN #: 17 JOB NO. 712 - 70  
ITEM: Reservoir - Maintenance & Labor BY HAB DATE 9-20-72

- A. Cost Type: Capital Cost \_\_\_\_\_ Operation & Maintenance (O&M) X  
B. General Component Heading:  
Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_  
Storage Reservoirs X \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage \_\_\_\_\_  
Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_  
C. Cost Item: Reservoir - Maintenance & Labor Column: 17  
Name \_\_\_\_\_

COMPUTATION:

1/2% of Capital Cost

EXPLANATION:

Based on O&M cost for force mains and shafts plus general experience with similar type reservoirs.

REFERENCES:

Wright-McLaughlin Engineers

FINAL UNIT COST USED: 1/2% of Capital Cost

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Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS SHEET NO. 1 OF 1  
FOR COLUMN #: 18A - Power; 18B - Maintenance & Labor JOB NO. 71<sup>2</sup> - 70  
ITEM: Aeration BY HAB DATE 9-21-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost \_\_\_\_\_ Operation & Maintenance (O&M) X  
B. General Component Heading:  
Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_  
Storage Reservoirs X \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage \_\_\_\_\_  
Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_  
C. Cost Item: Aeration - Power/Maint. & Labor Column: 18A and 18B  
Name

COMPUTATION:

For Plans 9A and 12  
In-Basin

Power = \$20 x Storage Reservoir Volume In MG

Maintenance and Labor:

\$20 x Storage Reservoir Volume In MG

Out-of-Basin and In reservoirs for stormwater runoff in-basin  
there is no aeration of storage reservoirs.

EXPLANATION:

In-Basin, Plans 9A and 12 -- Power was determined by W-ME.

REFERENCES:

Wright-McLaughlin Engineers

FINAL UNIT COST USED: \$20 x Storage Reservoir Volume In MG for Power and  
\$20 x Storage Reservoir Volume In MG for Maintenance & Labor

WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT SURVEY SCOPE STUDY  
CLEVELAND - AKRON METROPOLITAN AND THREE RIVERS WATERSHED AREA

Land Treatment/Formulation \_\_\_\_\_

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS \_\_\_\_\_

SHEET NO. 1 OF 1

FOR COLUMN #: 198

JOB NO. 712-70

ITEM: Chlorination - Maint. & Labor (Assumes Power Cost

Negligible)

BY HAB

DATE 9-21-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost \_\_\_\_\_

Operation & Maintenance (O&M) X

B. General Component Heading:

Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_

Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_

Storage Reservoirs X

Drainage \_\_\_\_\_

Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_

Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_

C. Cost Item: Chlorination

Column: 198

Name

COMPUTATION:

Effluent to storage reservoirs to land site treatment:

$\$1,825 \times \text{Total ADF (MGD)}$

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EXPLANATION:

This is 1/2 of the H&E and OCE chlorination O&M costs as the chlorine treatment concentration is less than 1/2 required for secondary treated sewage. This cost is equivalent to that used by Bauer Engineering.

REFERENCES:

OCE  
Bauer Engineering

FINAL UNIT COST USED:  $\$1,825 \times \text{Total ADF (MGD)}$

WASTEWATER MANAGEMENT SURVEY SCOPE STUDY  
CLEVELAND - AKRON METROPOLITAN AND THREE RIVERS WATERSHED AREA

Land Treatment/Formulation \_\_\_\_\_

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

SHEET NO. 1 OF 1

FOR COLUMN #: 20 and 22 (Col. 21 Cost was dropped)

JOB NO. 712 - 70

ITEM: Purchase & Relocation; Site Preparation

BY W-ME DATE 9-22-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost \_\_\_\_\_ Operation & Maintenance (O&M) X

B. General Component Heading:  
 Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_  
 Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage \_\_\_\_\_  
 Land Treatment Site X \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_

C. Cost Item: Purchase & Relocation; Site Column: 20 and 22  
 Name Prep.

THERE ARE NO OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE COSTS FOR THE FOLLOWING:

<u>Component</u>	<u>Column</u>
Land Treatment Site	
Purchase and Relocation	20
Site Preparation	22

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CLEVELAND - AKRON METROPOLITAN AND THREE RIVERS WATERSHED AREA

Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

SHEET NO. 1 OF 2

FOR COLUMN #: 23A

JOB NO. 71.2 - 70

ITEM: Pump Station - Power

BY HAB DATE 9-21-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost \_\_\_\_\_

Operation & Maintenance (O&M) X

B. General Component Heading:

Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_

Irrigation System X

Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_

Drainage \_\_\_\_\_

Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_

Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_

C. Cost Item: Pump Station - Power  
Name \_\_\_\_\_

Column: 23A

COMPUTATION:

In-Basin = Wastewater: \$18 x acres  
Separate Stormwater: \$36 x acres

Out-of-Basin = \$16 x acres

EXPLANATION: In-Basin

Wastewater - TDH = 150'  
Average application rate = 75"  
Stormwater - TDH = 150'  
Average application rate = 150"

Out-of-Basin

TDH = 150'  
Average application rate = 66"

Basic data (\$.0121/kwhr and 65% wire to water efficiency) used to provide costs consistent and comparable to costs provided by H&E. The total W-ME O&M costs were also checked against OCE curves.

REFERENCES:

\$.0121/kwhr and 65% wire to water efficiency - Havens & Emerson  
ADF computed by Wright-McLaughlin Engineers and Havens & Emerson  
TDH - Wright-McLaughlin Engineers computations for individual plans

FINAL UNIT COST USED: In-Basin Wastewater - \$18 x acres  
In-Basin Separate Stormwater - \$36 x acres  
Out-of-Basin - \$16 x acres

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Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

SHEET NO. 2 OF 2

FOR COLUMN #: 23B

JOB NO. 712 - 70

ITEM: Pump Station - Maintenance and Labor

BY W-ME DATE 9-21-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost \_\_\_\_\_ Operation & Maintenance (O&M) X  
B. General Component Heading:  
Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Irrigation System X  
Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage \_\_\_\_\_  
Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_  
C. Cost Item: Pump Station - Maintenance & Labor Column: 23B  
Name Labor

COMPUTATION:

For In-Basin Pump Stations . . . . . 5% of Capital Cost

For Out-of-Basin Pump Stations . . . . . 3% of Capital Cost

EXPLANATION:

For annual maintenance and labor costs of pump stations, excluding power, 5% of the capital cost was used for in-basin stations and 3% of the capital cost for stations out-of-basin. This was obtained from expenses for given sized plants in Colorado based on past experience. As a check, maintenance and labor costs were added to power costs and compared to total annual O&M costs for pumping stations as defined by Havens and Emerson.

REFERENCES:

See Sheet 1 of 2.

FINAL UNIT COST USED: 5% of Capital Cost In-Basin  
3% of Capital Cost Out-of-Basin

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Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

SHEET NO. 1 OF 1

FOR COLUMN #: 25

JOB NO. 712-70

ITEM: Equipment and Distribution Piping - Maint. & Labor

BY HAB DATE 9-21-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost \_\_\_\_\_ Operation & Maintenance (O&M) X  
B. General Component Heading:  
Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Irrigation System X  
Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage \_\_\_\_\_  
Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_  
C. Cost Item: Equipment and Distribution Column: 25  
Name PIPING

COMPUTATION:

In-Basin = \$4/acre

Out-of-Basin = \$10/acre

EXPLANATION:

Mini-border system used in-basin and some solid set system.  
Both would have same maintenance and labor costs.  
The \$10 rate reflects an increase due to higher labor and  
maintenance on pivot sprinklers.

REFERENCES:

Donald L. Miles - Agricultural Extension Agent for Colorado  
Wright-McLaughlin Engineers

FINAL UNIT COST USED: \$4/acre In-Basin  
\$10/acre Out-of-Basin

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Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

SHEET NO. 1 OF 1

FOR COLUMN #: 26

JOB NO. 712 - 70

ITEM: Tile - Maintenance and Labor

BY HAB DATE 9-21-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost \_\_\_\_\_ Operation & Maintenance (O&M) X  
B. General Component Heading:  
Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_  
Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage X  
Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_  
C. Cost Item: Tile - Maintenance and Labor Column: 26  
Name

COMPUTATION:

In-Basin = \$4/acre  
Out-of-Basin = \$4.50/acre

EXPLANATION:

Maintenance is approximately 1% of Capital Cost.

REFERENCES:

Donald L. Miles - Agricultural Extension Agent for Colorado  
Wright-McLaughlin Engineers

FINAL UNIT COST USED: In-Basin - \$4/acre  
Out-of-Basin - \$4.50/acre

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Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

SHEET NO. 1 OF 1

FOR COLUMN #: 27

JOB NO. 712 - 70

ITEM: Conduits and Canals - Maintenance & Labor

BY KRW DATE 9-16-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost \_\_\_\_\_ Operation & Maintenance (O&M) X  
B. General Component Heading:  
Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_  
Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage X \_\_\_\_\_  
Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_  
C. Cost Item: Conduits and Canals Column: 27  
Name

COMPUTATION:

Cost of construction will be an average of \$25/acre over and above drainage unit costs.

Maintenance and labor cost for conduits and canals will be \$2/acre.

EXPLANATION:

Conduits will be required to convey return flow to suitable discharge points. Canals will be used where volumes are large. Hydrological studies in western Ohio show stream regimes to be generally suitable. Based on evaluation of typical units and topographical maps, and on hydrological study of streams.

REFERENCES:

Wright-McLaughlin Engineers

FINAL UNIT COST USED: \$2/acre  
(Revision as of 9-14-72)

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Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

SHEET NO. 1 OF 1

FOR COLUMN #: 28

JOB NO. 712 - 70

ITEM: Sludge Management (Includes Power Cost)

BY HAB DATE 9-21-72

- A. Cost Type: Capital Cost \_\_\_\_\_ Operation & Maintenance (O&M) X
- B. General Component Heading:
- |                               |                         |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Transmission Facilities _____ | Irrigation System _____ |
| Storage Reservoirs _____      | Drainage _____          |
| Land Treatment Site _____     | Miscellaneous _____     |
- C. Cost Item: Sludge Management (Includes Column: 28  
Name Power Cost)

COMPUTATION:

In-Basin

No O&M cost for separate stormwater derived sludge.  
Plans 9A & 12 = \$750 x Total ADF (MGD)  
All other plans = \$1200 x Total ADF (MGD)

Out-of-Basin

Plans 9A and 12 = \$750 x Total ADF (MGD)  
All other plans = \$480 x Total ADF (MGD)

EXPLANATION:

The \$750/MGD is equivalent to \$25/ton for aerated lagoons. This was determined by W-ME based upon the required equipment and sludge disposal on land within approximately 6 miles.

The \$480/MGD rate is equivalent to \$16/ton which was obtained from the Bechtel Report on pipeline sludge disposal to strip mine areas.

The \$1200/MGD is equivalent to \$40/ton for In-Basin combined sludge disposal.

REFERENCES:

Wright-McLaughlin Engineers  
Bechtel Corporation

FINAL UNIT COST USED:

In-Basin - \$1200 x Total ADF (MGD)  
In-Basin Plans 9A and 12 - \$750 x Total ADF (MGD)  
Out-of-Basin - \$480 x Total ADF (MGD)  
Out-of-Basin Plans 9A and 12 - \$750 x Total ADF (MGD)

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Land Treatment/Formulation

Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS  
FOR COLUMN #: 29 SHEET NO. 1 OF 1  
JOB NO. 71<sup>2</sup> - 70  
ITEM: Miscellaneous - Maintenance & Labor BY KRW DATE 9-16-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost \_\_\_\_\_ Operation & Maintenance (O&M) X

B. General Component Heading:  
Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_  
Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage \_\_\_\_\_  
Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous X

C. Cost Item: Miscellaneous - Maint. & Labor Column: 29  
Name

COMPUTATION:

Compute O&M as 10% of capital cost of this item.

EXPLANATION:

Miscellaneous includes capital cost for administration building, monitoring holes for ground water, also outside electrical costs not already included in other major components and laboratories.

REFERENCES:

Wright-McLaughlin Engineers

FINAL UNIT COST USED: 10% of Capital Cost as computed for Miscellaneous in Column 29

CONTINGENCIES

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Phase: 2 Sub-Item: \_\_\_\_\_

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FOR COLUMN #:

JOB NO. 712 - 70

ITEM: Contingency

BY KRW DATE 9-16-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost X Operation & Maintenance (O&M) \_\_\_\_\_

B. General Component Heading:

Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_

Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage \_\_\_\_\_

Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_

C. Cost Item Contingency Column: ----  
Name

COMPUTATION:

1. A 20-percent contingency allowance will be added to the total cost estimate to allow for uncertainties.
  2. An additional 5-percent will be added for engineering and design.
  3. An additional 5-percent will be added for supervision and administration.
- Total contingency added is 30 percent to capital costs.

EXPLANATION:

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REFERENCES: Wastewater Management Program, "Study Procedure" by G.C.E. dated May 1, 1972.

FINAL UNIT COST USED: CAPITAL COSTS - 30%

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UNIT COST CONTAINED IN DETAILED COSTING SHEETS

FOR COLUMN #: -- SHEET NO. 1 OF 1  
JOB NO. 71.2 - 70

ITEM: Contingency BY KRW DATE 9-16-72

A. Cost Type: Capital Cost \_\_\_\_\_ Operation & Maintenance (O&M) X

B. General Component Heading:  
Transmission Facilities \_\_\_\_\_ Irrigation System \_\_\_\_\_  
Storage Reservoirs \_\_\_\_\_ Drainage \_\_\_\_\_  
Land Treatment Site \_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous \_\_\_\_\_

C. Cost Item Contingency Column: --  
Name

COMPUTATION:

1. For O&M, a 20% contingency will be added for uncertainties and overhead/administration, and control operations. (No E&D or S&A added to O&M)

EXPLANATION:

REFERENCES: Wastewater Management Program, "Study Procedure," by OCE dated May 1, 1972

FINAL UNIT COST USED: O&M Costs - 20%









COMPARABLE ANNUAL COST INDEX — YEAR 2020  
COST IN \$ 1000

WASTE WATER TOTAL COST — A  
COMBINED FLOW/SEWER TREATMENT B  
STORM WATER TOTAL COST — C  
SEWER/WATER COST SEPARATE

FORMULATION PLAN LEVEL

ITEM	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	CAPITAL COST	EXISTING FACILITIES PREVIOUS VALUE	NET CAPITAL INVESTMENT	CAPITAL RECOVERY FACTOR	ESTIMATED USEFUL LIFE	REPLACEMENT PERCENT	ANNUAL CAPITAL COST (\$1000)	ANNUAL MAINTENANCE MATERIAL	ANNUAL POWER	ANNUAL CHEMICAL (\$1000)	ANNUAL SPAREPART VALUE (\$1000)	UNIT COST PER MGD
TREATMENT PLANT												
VENTILATION SOUARE												
SEWERS												
PUMP STATION												
GRAND												
SLUDGE												
SUB-TOTAL												
TRANSMISSION FACILITIES												
PUMP PLANT												
FIRE MANGROVE												
SECONDARY TREATMENT												
TRIPLE MAIN												
SEWERAGE TREATMENT												
STORAGE RESERVOIRS												
RESERVOIRS												
GENERATION												
GENERATION												
SUB-TOTAL												
LAND TREATMENT SITE												
PURCHASE RELOCATED												
AGRIATED LANDINGS												
SUB-TOTAL												
TRIGATION SYSTEMS												
PUMP STATIONS												
FORCE MAIN												
TRIGATION SYSTEMS												
SUB-TOTAL												
TRIGATION SYSTEM												
TILE												
6 MONTHS YEAR												
SUB-TOTAL												
TRIGATION MANAGEMENT												
SUB-TOTAL												

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SECTION III  
FARM MANAGEMENT TECHNIQUES  
OPERATION AND PERFORMANCE OF LAND TREATMENT SYSTEMS

Farm management varies from soil to soil. For optimum performance the management techniques must be specifically designed and operated to meet the physical and environmental constraints peculiar to each location.

Farm management for the Mahoning-Ellsworth soil association would utilize the overland-flow/infiltration method for both municipal/industrial wastewater and separate storm runoff.

On Chili soils, spray irrigation would be employed with center-pivot rigs and solid-set sprinklers.

The Western Land Treatment Area, which accounts for the major portion of irrigated lands in Plan C, is located on Cardington-Bennington soils, where center-pivot rigs and solid-set sprinklers would be used. The Western Land Treatment Area is shown in Figure 11-2.

WESTERN LAND TREATMENT AREA CROPS AND APPLICATION RATES

To enable farmers to maintain the current practice of growing 30 to 40 percent corn, farming would be done in circular strips whenever the center-pivot irrigation rigs were used. Alternate strips of Reed Canary grass and corn would form concentric rings approximately 14 feet wide. This width would accommodate modern machinery and allow six rows of corn at 30-inch spacing, although the row spacing is not critical.

Within the irregular areas between the center-pivot irrigation rigs, solid-set irrigation systems would be used. It is contemplated that Reed Canary grass would be grown in these smaller irregular areas..

Several patterns of corn-to-grass crop rotation would be possible under the center-pivot irrigation rigs.

For example, the grass strips could be maintained for three to ten years, after which they would be plowed under and planted in corn. The old corn strips would be planted in grass during the preceding autumn. This method would require lower than average irrigation rates until approximately the first cutting, to allow new grass to become established. The reduction, however, would not significantly diminish the annual capacity of the land treatment area, since the alternation between corn and grass would be made for only 10% to 30% of the irrigation rigs each year.

Another method of crop rotation would be to plant Reed Canary grass over the entire area using a desiccant to retard growth of the grass in the corn strips from spring to early fall. The grass would reassert itself in the fall and become the grass strips in the following year. Corn would be planted in the spring, on the preceding year's grass strips after the desiccant was applied, resulting in a no-tillage type of farming.

One of the desiccants used would be Paraquat, which is non-selective when applied at very high rates. At lower rates it kills annual weeds and grasses while preventing growth of perennial grasses until later in the season by acting as a contact desiccant.

Paraquat is subject to very rapid and complete inactivation by the soil. Therefore, there is no danger of its moving with the drainage water. (Herbicide Handbook of the Weed Society of America, Second Edition, 1970). Low concentrations which might occur in runoff have very little effect on plant and animal life on land or in water. (Ecological Effects of Pesticides on Non-Target Species, published by the Executive Office of the President, June 1971).

Regrowth of the grass before harvest time could be advantageous in a wet fall, since heavy corn-harvesting equipment could operate in the fields. During the fall of 1972, some of the corn crop was lost due to the problem of soft ground making fields impassable.

Center-pivot irrigation rigs would apply the treated wastewater directly only on the grass strips at twice the average application rate. For the Cardington-Bennington soils in western Ohio on which an average application rate of 75 inches per year is proposed, the grass strips would receive 150 inches per year. The spray nozzles would produce droplets having low kinetic energy, which would limit the dispersion of soil aggregates upon impact. Grass cover would also prevent soil dispersion on these silty soils.

The center-pivot rigs would make three to four revolutions daily applying approximately 0.18 inches of water on each pass. This water would infiltrate long before the next rotation of the sprinkler.

On the area irrigated by the solid-set sprinklers, 75 inches of water per year would be applied uniformly over the surface. Applications can be scheduled as desired at a rate of approximately 0.25 inches per hour. Applications of 2.5 inches per week would require ten total hours of sprinkling at this rate. Applications on these lands could readily be increased to 120 inches per year or more, which provides a safety factor of significant proportions.

#### APPLICATION RATES FOR THE THREE SELECTED SOILS

The selection of an application rate for each soil was based on the parameters of infiltration rate, permeability, nutrient balance, and renovative capacity of the soil.

### Infiltration Rate

Details of soil infiltration capacity are given in the Land Treatment Phase I Technical Appendix. This parameter may become the limiting condition for soils with a high silt content in the upper horizon, which is characteristic of both the Chili and Cardington-Bennington soils. Large drops of water on the bare soil have a tendency to disperse the soil structure, which reduces the infiltration capacity and forms a thin crust upon drying.

- a. Chili soils have a silt content of approximately 60 percent in the upper two feet. Below this depth, the soil generally changes drastically to a sand and gravel layer where the silt content drops to about 18 percent as shown in Table 11-1 of the Land Treatment Technical Appendix. Deep plowing to a depth of 30 to 36 inches could overturn the soil profile, depositing the coarser soil on top. Considerable mixing would be likely to occur under these circumstances.
- b. Cardington-Bennington soils in western Ohio have relatively high silt contents in the top layer, which gradually diminish with depth. Reed Canary grass used in conjunction with a solid-set irrigation system would avoid the soil dispersion effect of large droplets on bare soil. Similarly, the center-pivot irrigation rigs can be used successfully with alternate strips of corn and grass, as discussed above. The infiltration capacity of the Cardington-Bennington soil was the single most important constraint governing the selection of the farm management method. With a total grass crop, the average application rates could be increased to about 120 inches per year for optimum nitrogen balance.

- c. Mahoning-Ellsworth soils have a lower silt content than the Chili or Cardington-Bennington soil associations, so that the infiltration rate is dependent not on surface conditions, but on the sub-surface permeability of the soil. The overland-flow/infiltration method of irrigation is proposed for the Mahoning-Ellsworth soils.

Permeability.

The permeability of a soil controls the rate at which percolating water can reach the tile drain system and the degree of aeration in the root zone. Detailed drainage analyses have indicated suitable tile spacings greater than those selected in this study. The analyses were based upon computations using standard agricultural engineering methods, and upon recent Ohio field tests made on similar soils.

The drain tile spacing in the Western Land Treatment Area is satisfactory for root aeration of both the corn and the Reed Canary grass proposed. See Land Treatment Phase II Appendix.

The permeability of the Cardington-Bennington soils varies from 0.63 to 2.0 inches per hour in the plow layer. Beneath this zone, the permeability decreases to 0.2 to 0.63 inches per hour.

For the Mahoning soils the overland-flow/infiltration method on Reed Canary grass was chosen. This method simulates the border method (overland flow) of releasing the water at the upper end of a ten-foot wide strip and allowing the water to flow by gravity towards the lower end. Any water remaining at the lower end is collected and released to the next lower battery of borders. For this method, 90 inches per year for municipal/industrial effluent and 150 inches for storm water were selected. The higher rate for storm water was used because of the considerably lower concentration of

nutrients and BOD. Permeability of these soils will permit complete infiltration of the wastewater through the soil zone, which will result in a double treatment.

The Chili soils are sufficiently permeable so that this parameter does not limit any reasonable application rate. For the upper two feet, the permeability varies from 2.0 to 6.3 inches per hour and increases to more than 12.0 inches per hour below the C-horizon. The rate of 60 inches per year was selected on the basis of nitrate leaching potential. This application rate is considered conservative, and higher application rates may be found reasonable after testing.

#### Nutrient Balance

The subject of nutrient balance is discussed in a separate subsection beginning on page III-13. Generally, the application rate is selected to provide enough nitrogen for optimum crop yields without losing excessive nitrates by leaching. An allowance should also be made for up to 40 to 50 percent nitrogen loss before plant uptake of nitrogen. Much of this nitrogen is volatilized. The percentage lost to the atmosphere will depend on the soil texture, temperature, moisture conditions and acidity.

#### Renovative Capacity

The renovative capacity is dependent upon the soil and plants. Too high an application rate would cause an excess of nitrogen to be carried into the drainage water. The amount would depend on the type of crop, soil texture, organic matter in the soil, and other factors. The selection of application rates equal to 60, 90 and 75 inches per year on the Chili, Mahoning and Cardington-Bennington soils, respectively, was based primarily on providing enough nitrogen to the crops for satisfactory yields while meeting the max-

imum O.C.E. levels for nitrogen as N of 4 mg/l.

Renovation of wastewater for other pollutants such as phosphorous and heavy metals is related more to the soil's capacity to store these elements, although plant uptake is important for phosphorous removal, especially that which is in the soluble forms.

The renovation of the wastewater for each of the farm management methods is discussed in detail in the Land Treatment Phase II Appendix. The return flow will be renovated to a degree meeting the 1985 effluent goals.

#### DRAINAGE

Drainage, both surface and subsurface, is of paramount importance to farmers in Ohio. Artificial drainage helps the farmer to get into the fields early in the spring and at harvest time during a wet fall and lessens the possibility of depressed yields resulting from a prolonged rainy period.

#### The Chili Association

This soil is relatively coarse having a permeability range from 2.0 to 6.3 inches per hour in the A and B horizons. Below this, the soil has sand and gravel texture with permeabilities in excess of 12 inches per hour. For an application rate of 60 inches per year, subsurface drainage would not be required on high ground, but could be limited to the low areas where the water table is high in the spring. For cost purposes, drains were assumed to be constructed at a depth of five and one-half feet and spaced 60 feet apart. Shallow wells may be preferable to subsurface drains, especially for reuse of the renovated effluent.

#### Cardington-Bennington Association in Western Ohio

This soil association requires subsurface drainage under present con-

ditions. The drains are placed approximately 36 inches deep at the top of the glacial till. The drain spacing recommended by the 1965 Ohio Drainage Guide is 50 to 75 feet for general crops. The permeability of the "A" horizon is from 0.63 to 2.0 inches per hour and diminishes to 0.2 to 0.63 inches per hour in the "B" and "C" horizons.

Two types of irrigation, the center-pivot and the solid-set systems, have been proposed for these soils. The large center-pivot irrigation rigs would be suitable for about 75 percent of the area, and the irregular areas remaining would be irrigated by the solid-set system. All of the irrigation would take place on Reed Canary grass.

Irrigation will cease during wet periods, corn planting and during harvesting periods. When irrigation is interrupted during the planting and harvesting seasons, the water table will tend to drop to the level of the drains at about 36 inches. When the irrigation rigs are operating full time, the phreatic line will fluctuate within a relatively narrow range between the ground surface and the drains.

The best estimate of the drain system flow-through rate comes from Schwab and Fouss. Their experimental data for soils with characteristics similar to the Mahoning soils, documented the performance of a system with a drain spacing of 40 feet. This drain system discharged, from a saturated profile, two inches per day. For a 20-foot spacing, as proposed for the Cardington-Bennington soils, the discharge from the drains should approximately double. Since the water is to be applied on only one-half of the surface area, eight inches per day, including rainfalls, would be the theoretical maximum application rate for the hydraulic capacity of the soil zone-drain tile system under saturated conditions. The proposed irrigation rate is approximately five inches per week on the grass strips. A drainage analysis is presented in

the Land Treatment Phase II Technical Appendix.

#### Mahoning Soils

The method of irrigation proposed for these soils is similar to the border system still used in the western states. The borders would be ten feet wide. Water would be released at the upper end and allowed to run overland through a grass cover to the lower end. All of the water will infiltrate through the soil column so that there will be no excess at the lower end.

The permeability of these soils is lower than that of the Cardington-Bennington soils, ranging from 0.2 to 0.63 inches per hour in the upper foot, and from 0.063 to 0.2 inches per hour in the next 18 to 24 inches. These permeabilities are identical to the Fulton soils on which Schwab and Fous conducted their experiemnts. In this case, however, the water will be applied once a week at the rate of about two and one-half inches per week (90 inches per year) for municipal and industrial effluent, and about four inches per week (150 inches per year) for storm water. The application time will be governed by the infiltration rate and length of run.

#### CROPPING AND PROJECTED PRODUCTION

The crops currently grown in northern and western Ohio include corn, soybeans, wheat, oats and hay. In 1970 these crops represented approximately 32%, 33%, 13%, 7% and 15% of the harvest, respectively. On the Cardington-Bennington soils, by use of alternating strips of grass and corn, half of the area under the center-pivot system would be planted in corn. It is estimated that 75 percent of the area in the western Ohio land treatment site can be put under a center-pivot system which allows approximately 35 to 40 percent of the land to be planted in corn. The remainder would be in Reed Canary grass.

The overland-flow/infiltration method recommended for the Mahoning-Ellsworth soil association requires grass for the entire site. For convenience in estimating crop production, it has been assumed that the Chili soils will be 70 percent corn and 30 percent grass. With the above assumptions the values of the crops from the land treatment areas are shown in Table III-1.

TABLE III-1

SUMMARY OF CROPS, YIELDS AND ANNUAL GROSS INCOME  
FOR 2020 FLOWS IN PLAN C

Soil Association	Crop	Acres <sup>(1)</sup>	Yield		Unit Price (\$)	Gross Value (\$/Acre)	Gross Total Value (\$1000)
			Amount	Unit			
Chili	Corn	9,284	160	Bu/Ac	1.50	240.00	2,228
	Reed Canary-grass	4,000	4	T/Ac	50.00	200.00	800
Mahoning	Reed Canary-grass	6,280	4	T/Ac	50.00	200.00	1,256
Cardington-Bennington	Corn	41,300	200	Bu/Ac	1.50	300.00	12,390
	Reed Canary-grass	<u>76,727</u>	5	T/Ac	50.00	250.00	<u>19,182</u>
TOTALS		137,591					35,856

(1) Does not include land irrigated by separate storm runoff treatment systems.

The yields for the crops shown above are based on recommended farm management practices. Nutrients will be provided by the wastewater. The unit prices are based on current (April, 1973) quotes which are now in an upward trend and higher than the depressed prices received by the farmers a year ago. The gross annual return per acre amounts to \$262, resulting in a net profit of about \$200 per acre to the farmer, disregarding costs of land treatment components. The net profit also includes the fertilizer value in the wastewater effluent which is provided at no cost to the farmer, but has a value of approximately \$60 per acre. Without the amount of nutrients provided in the sewage

effluent, the yields would generally be lower since most Ohio farmers would not spend more than \$40 per acre on commercial fertilizer. Furthermore, commercial fertilizers in Ohio are applied once or twice a year, rather than in steady daily or weekly doses, which would not provide the nutrients as efficiently as would the steady applications. Sewage effluent also contains other nutrients in readily available form which are not generally provided in commercial fertilizers unless a critical deficiency has been indicated by a county extension agent.

In the future, wastewater renovation ponds and reservoirs may provide a direct source of cattle feed. The University of California at Davis has developed and tested a pilot plant which removes algae from these basins and converts it to a high-protein cattle food. Analyses have shown that the protein content is comparable to mature alfalfa hay and high quality oat hay.

#### SALINITY CONTROL

In arid areas of the world, a hazard of irrigation is the salinization or alkalization of the soil. This hazard is related to the quality of irrigation water and to subsurface drainage.

Water quality for irrigation depends on (1) total dissolved solids concentration, (2) the proportion of sodium to other cations, and (3) the presence of special toxic ions such as borate or, for some crops, possibly chloride, sodium, or bicarbonate. Unfortunately, usual chemical analyses of the Cleveland shoreline plants' effluent does not include information on elements such as sodium, potassium, calcium and magnesium. On February 23, 1973, a sample of the Cleveland Southerly plant was analyzed for the pertinent elements with the following results:

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Calcium	92 mg/l
Sodium	150 mg/l
Magnesium	4.1 mg/l
Potassium	82 mg/l
Total Dissolved Solids	752 mg/liter

Sodium chloride and calcium chloride are used on the streets to melt the snow and ice in Cleveland. The snow was melting on February 23, 1973. The calcium, sodium and total dissolved solids in this sample are higher than would be normal.

The U.S. Salinity Laboratory uses the sodium adsorption ratio (SAR) and the electrical conductivity of the water as criteria to evaluate the sodium hazards of irrigation water. For this particular sample, the electrical conductivity and sodium adsorption ratio is equal to 1175 micromhos/cm x 10<sup>6</sup> and 4.2, respectively. A diagram used by the U.S. Salinity Laboratory for classifying irrigation water based on the above two parameters would place this sample into the better quality side of Class C3-S1. As far as sodium is concerned, the water could be used on almost all soils with little danger of accumulation of harmful amounts of exchangeable sodium. In an arid climate, where conservation of water is necessary, there would be little surplus water applied which would leach excess salts downward. With such practices in mind, the U. S. Salinity Laboratory classified this water as a medium salinity water, which can be used on soils of medium permeability. They also recommend that plants of moderate salt tolerance should be selected and that special salinity control management should be used. At the proposed irrigation application rates of 60 to 90 inches per year, however, salts would be leached to the drainage system, so that they would not tend to accumulate. In the moderately humid climate of Ohio, at high application rates and with the proposed drainage tile spacing of 20 feet the leaching would constitute

a special management control.

It has been concluded that the Cleveland area wastewater is quite suitable for irrigation from the standpoint of salinity and the SAR of the soil.

An advantageous aspect of the land treatment system in Plan C relative to total dissolved solids is the fact that combining storm runoff with municipal and industrial wastewater in the Western Land Treatment Area will reduce the TDS concentration of the municipal/industrial wastewater and of the effluent discharged to natural watercourses.

#### NUTRIENTS

Sewage effluent from an activated sludge plant, or an aerated lagoon, is rich in nutrients required for plant growth. Typical sewage effluent in the Study Area contains macro-nutrients such as nitrogen, phosphorous, potassium, calcium, magnesium and sulphur; and micro-nutrients such as iron, copper and zinc.

When sewage effluent is utilized in a land treatment program and applied at a rate of 60 inches or more a year, most of these nutrients (with the possible exception of nitrogen) exceed plant requirements. This excess is usually captured by soil adsorption onto clays, cation exchange or attachment to organic matter. In areas with heavy rainfall and good soil drainage, some calcium, magnesium and potassium will migrate with the soil solution into the ground water aquifer or into subsurface drains.

The nutrients, nitrogen, phosphorous, and potassium are considered primary nutrients for plant growth and are discussed below.

#### Nitrogen

More laboratory and field work has been done on nitrogen than on any other plant nutrient. Despite this research, conclusive statements about the

behavior of nitrogen in the soil are scarce. Nitrogen is mobile and can be transformed from the solid to the liquid or the gaseous state under the proper conditions. The soil's acidity, temperature, and moisture content, and the availability of oxygen, are the most important variables which influence the behaviour of the element.

The concentration of nitrogen in effluent from a standard activated sludge plant is approximately 20 mg/l. Typically, 80 to 90 percent of this nitrogen is in the form of ammonium ions. Most of the remainder is in the organic form with a small amount of nitrate and nitrite ions. Wastewater which has received treatment in an aerated lagoon system may contain more nitrogen in the form of nitrates than wastewater treated in an activated sludge plant.

Nitrogen uptake by plants reaches a peak during the growing season. In warm, moist weather nitrification of the ammonium ion also proceeds rapidly. Most plants require some of the nitrogen to be in the form of nitrates, although the roots can readily accept the ammonium ion and sometimes prefer it.

When the soil temperature is below 50°F, nitrification takes place much more slowly. Nitrogen is then stored in the form of ammonia and held by the soil colloids. Experiments have been conducted in which anhydrous ammonia fertilizer is applied to agricultural land for several years. After this period, succeeding applications do not increase the crop yields, as large amounts of nitrogen, stored in the form of the ammonium ion, are available in the soil profile.

In a sandy, coarse-textured soil, excess nitrates will eventually migrate with the ground water into the subsurface drainage system and pass into the creeks and rivers.

Nitrate leaching may occur in fine-textured soils but the extent of the

leaching is limited by the soil's basic properties. The abundant clay colloids tend to store the nitrogen as ammonia and to release it according to the plant demand. In addition, the nitrates migrate more slowly through a fine-textured soil, giving root fibers more time to absorb these ions. When sewage effluent is applied to fine-textured soils at a rate of two to four inches per week, alternating aerobic and anaerobic conditions result in a nitrification-denitrification process. During these reversals, nitrogen will be lost to the atmosphere in the form of nitrogen gas (N<sub>2</sub>). This loss may equal up to fifty percent of the nitrogen applied.

#### Application Rates and Nitrogen Balance

To ensure the proper nitrogen balance in soils receiving applications of sewage effluent, the application rates were calculated separately for each soil type. In the coarse-textured soils of the Cuyahoga Basin where there is some risk of nitrate leaching to the ground water, application rates have been limited to 60 inches per year. On the tighter Cardington-Bennington and Mahoning-Ellsworth soils, the application rates have been set at 75 and 90 inches per year, respectively.

The effluent applied on the Cardington-Bennington soils in western Ohio will be a mixture of municipal/industrial wastewater and storm runoff, with nitrogen concentrations of 19.7 and 2.2 mg/l respectively. The mixture of 83 percent M & I wastewater, and 17 percent storm runoff will result in an effluent containing nitrogen at approximately 16.4 mg/l, as stated in the Phase II Land Treatment Report. At an average application rate of 75 inches per year, the average nitrogen application would amount to 278 lbs/acre/year. The direct application rate of 150 inches per year on one-half of the area irrigated by center-pivot rigs would result in a nitrogen application of 556 lbs/acre/year to the grass strips only. Volatilization losses of nitrogen

will range up to 50 percent of the total amount applied. Assuming a 40% volatilization loss of 225 lbs/acre/year from the Cardington-Bennington soils planted in strips of Reed Canary grass, 331 pounds of nitrogen would be available for crop uptake annually. Assuming a harvest of 4.5 tons of Reed Canary grass per acre per year and a nitrogen content of 62 lbs. per ton, the crop uptake would be 279 lbs/acre/year leaving a balance of 52 lbs/acre/year.

There are three possibilities for the disposition of the balance: leaching, uptake by the adjacent corn rows and storage in the soil. It is estimated that the adjacent corn rows would utilize at least 30 pounds of the excess nitrogen from the irrigated grass strips. Neglecting storage of nitrogen in the soil, approximately 22 lbs. of nitrogen per acre per year would migrate through the soil zone to be carried in the return flow. However, this represents an average migration of 11 lbs/acre/year from the gross acreage under irrigation by the center-pivot rigs.

Based upon the effluent criterion for nitrogen of 4.0 mg/l for Level II Standards, the permissible leaching of nitrogen with the return flow should be limited to the range of 50 - 70 lbs/acre/year or approximately 120 lbs/acre/year from the directly-irrigated grass portion of the center-pivot rig acreage.

If only Reed Canary grass were grown, as described in the Phase II Report, average application rates should be raised to 120 inches/year for optimum balance between high-protein grass and nitrogen application.

That portion of the Cardington-Bennington soil irrigated by solid-set sprinklers (25 percent) would receive a nitrogen application of only 278 lbs/acre/year. The optimum nitrogen application for Reed Canary grass is approximately 445 lbs/acre/year. Therefore, a substantial safety factor exists

for readjusting the application rates between areas irrigated by the center-pivot rigs and the solid-set equipment. The amount of water applied by the solid-set equipment might be increased to 120 inches per year, permitting a reduction in the application rate of the center-pivot rigs.

On Chili soils within the Three Rivers Watershed, where an irrigation rate of 60 inches/year of municipal/industrial effluent has been proposed, the annual nitrogen application would be 268 lbs/acre. Volatilization from this relatively coarse-grained soil would account for a lower percentage of the nitrogen than would volatilization from the Cardington-Bennington soils. Assuming a nitrogen loss of 25 percent of 67 lbs/acre/year through volatilization from the Chili soils, an annual balance of 201 lbs/acre would be available for crop uptake or leaching. The rate of nitrogen uptake would be 160 lbs/acre/year for corn and significantly more for Reed Canary grass, leaving a maximum of 41 lbs/acre/year for leaching and storage in the soil.

The application of 90 inches/year to the fine-grained Mahoning soils, using the overland-flow/infiltration method would result in a nitrogen application of 400 lbs/acre/year. It is anticipated that crop uptake by the Reed Canary grass and the volatilization of nitrogen would account for essentially the full amount of nitrogen applied.

#### Phosphorous Loading

According to the Phase I Report by Havens & Emerson, the phosphate contents of municipal/industrial wastewater and storm runoff are 10.2 mg/l and 2.2 mg/l, respectively. At the Western Land Treatment Area, the combination of municipal/industrial wastewater and storm runoff would result in an approximate phosphorous concentration of 8.3 mg/l, as stated in the Phase II Land Treatment Report. With an application rate of 75 inches per year the phosphorous loading would amount to 145 pounds per acre per year. This repre-

sents approximately three times as much phosphorous as would normally be applied in commercial fertilizers for good yields on typical soils. The excess phosphorous would react chemically with the aluminum and iron ions abundant in the Cardington-Bennington soils. This process would proceed rapidly and the phosphorous would not easily be released. Calcium ions, provided by lime applications, would combine chemically with phosphorous to form a tightly held precipitate.

These processes would provide a high level of removal at the Western Land Treatment Area. The treatment will meet the Level II Standards easily and may satisfy the more stringent O.C.E. Goals of 0.10 mg/l for phosphorous as  $PO_4$ . Treatment on the Mahoning-Ellsworth soils utilizing the overland-flow/infiltration method should achieve a similar level of removal. On the more coarsely textured Chili soils, the application rates have been limited to 60 inches per year to meet the Level II Standards.

#### Potassium Application

Potassium is a primary crop nutrient. The Ohio Agronomy Guide suggests an application rate of 250 pounds/acre of potassium as K for best crop yields. This crop requirement would be satisfied by a concentration of 15 mg/l in effluent applied at a rate of 75 inches per year. The potassium content of wastewater from the Study Area has not been documented by this study, but certainly exceeds the crop requirement. Excess potassium would be leached to the drainage system. The Level II water quality standards do not set a limitation on the concentration of potassium in treated effluent, since it is not considered a harmful pollutant.

#### RECYCLED NUTRIENTS

Nutrients contained in wastewater from the Cleveland-Akron Metropolitan

and Three Rivers Watershed Area represent a substantial resource, which will become more valuable as the elements become scarce and the cost and energy required to process them escalate. Table III-2 presents the amounts of nitrogen, phosphorous and potassium contained in Study Area wastewater, storm runoff and sludge, summarized according to treatment facilities proposed in Plan C for the year 2020. The value of these nutrients was based on 1972 unit costs of 15 cents per pound for nitrogen, ten cents per pound for phosphorous, and five cents per pound for the amount of potassium recommended for crops. The net totals for the value of phosphorous were halved, since the total amount applied to the land would be twice that required for top yields.

The estimated value of the reclaimable nutrients is \$9,450,000 for the year 2020. (Approximately \$705,000 worth of nutrients from the water-based Akron plant are not included.) The additional value of the secondary nutrients sulfur, calcium and magnesium, and the micro-nutrients contained in the effluent and sludge has not been estimated. However, the value of these nutrients may increase considerably as the costs to process similar fertilizers escalate.

TABLE III-2

## SUMMARY OF NUTRIENTS IN SEWAGE EFFLUENT, STORMWATER AND SLUDGE

(Based on 2020 Flows in Plan C)

	<u>NITROGEN</u>		<u>PHOSPHOROUS</u>		<u>POTASSIUM</u>	
	Million Lbs.	\$1000	Million Lbs.	\$1000	Million Lbs.	\$1000
<b>WESTERN OHIO LAND TREAT- MENT AREA</b>						
Sewage Effluent	32.9	\$4800	17.3	\$ 860	24.4	\$1220
Storm Runoff	.2	30	.1	5	.2	10
Sludge	<u>2.9</u>	<u>435</u>	<u>1.7</u>	<u>85</u>	<u>.9</u>	<u>45</u>
Subtotal	36.0	\$5265	19.1	\$ 950	34.5	\$1275
<b>IN-BASIN TREATMENT</b>						
Sewage Effluent	5.6	\$ 840	2.9	\$ 145	4.3	\$ 215
Storm Runoff	1.5	225	.3	15	1.3	65
Sludge	<u>0.5</u>	<u>75</u>	<u>0.3</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>0.1</u>	<u>5</u>
Subtotal	7.6	\$1140	3.5	\$ 175	7.1	\$ 285
<b>AKRON TREATMENT PLANT</b>						
Sewage Effluent *	9.0	\$ 135	4.6	\$ 230	6.8	\$ 340
Sludge	<u>1.6</u>	<u>240</u>	<u>1.6</u>	<u>80</u>	<u>0.8</u>	<u>40</u>
Subtotal	<u>10.6</u>	<u>\$ 375</u>	<u>6.2</u>	<u>\$ 310</u>	<u>9.9</u>	<u>\$ 380</u>
<b>TOTAL</b>	54.2	\$6780	28.8	\$1435	51.5	\$1940

\* These nutrients would be discharged to the Cuyahoga River and would not be reclaimable.

## HEAVY METALS

### Sources of Heavy Metals

The metals in urban wastewater are generated by industry, domestic wastes and storm runoff. The industrial sources have been studied by AWARE and are discussed in detail in their Industrial Wastes Phase I Report. Five possible levels of industrial pretreatment were defined and costed by AWARE. These alternatives varied substantially in cost, depending upon their removal criteria. Alternative 3 provided for the most complete in-house industrial treatment and was the most expensive alternative, with a present worth cost, at seven percent interest, of \$1,013.8 million. Alternative 5A, which called for a lower degree of industrial pretreatment with removal completed by land treatment, had a present worth of \$518.7 million ( at seven percent interest), or a present worth approximately half that of Alternative 3. The cost of industrial pretreatment is thus in the same general range as that of the total municipal/industrial treatment system, which is approximately \$1,400 million.

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers has directed that all three wastewater management plans include Alternative 3, with a high removal of heavy metals; therefore, the discussion of confined disposal of heavy metals from industry in the soil zone using land treatment is intended for general information purposes only.

Section X of the Land Treatment Phase I Report provides a discussion concerning the potential load of heavy metals from industry and their accumulation in the soil. Specific reference is made to Table X-8 which tabulated long-term concentrations of some typical heavy metals, assuming no industrial pretreatment to remove them. Furthermore, these metal loadings assume no major future change in the present philosophy of use and conservation of natural resources by industry.

Stormwater contributes heavy metals to the total treatment load as it cleanses the streets, parking lots, lawns, driveways, raw material stockpiles, and open industrial areas. The stormwater carries litter, particulate exhaust emissions, hydrocarbons, heavy metals, toxic compounds, fertilizers, and pesticides.\*

The heavy metals washed into receiving waters during a 0.5 inch/hour rainstorm from a typical urban area of one (1) million people were estimated by Condon:

TABLE III-3.

STORM RUNOFF FLUSHING OF HEAVY METALS

<u>Elements</u>	<u>Runoff Load in Lbs/Hours</u>
Zinc	2,600
Copper	800
Lead	2,300
Nickel	200
Mercury	290

The domestic contribution of heavy metals is not well known because nearly all municipal effluent contains industrial wastes to some extent. However, a review of the labels of typical household products such as cleaners, breakfast foods, vitamin pills, toothpaste and common medicines indicates that a steady stream of heavy metals is contributed by domestic sewage.

Heavy Metal Uptake by Crops

Typical quantities of some heavy metals found in common crop plants are presented in Table III-4. Since general agricultural conditions cause tremendous variability in uptake, the figures given represent values near the middle of the range reported. (Allaway, 1968, and Chapman, 1966). The average values given in the final column were used to calculate the amounts of heavy metals removed from the soil by typical plant growth, as shown in Table III-5. The annual heavy metals uptake was calculated based upon an average removal of

\* Condon, Francis J. "Treatment of Urban Runoff", APWA Reporter.

TABLE 111-4

CONTENT OF SOME HEAVY METALS IN TYPICAL CROPS\*  
(Ppm in dry plant material)

<u>Element</u>	<u>Alfalfa</u>	<u>Barley</u>	<u>Beans</u>	<u>Cabbage</u>	<u>Carrot</u>	<u>Clover</u>	<u>Coffee</u>	<u>Corn</u>	<u>Soybean</u>	<u>Tomatoes</u>	<u>Plant Matter Typical Values</u>
Cadmium											0.5
Chromium	1							0.5			0.8
Copper	10				10		10	9		20	10
Iron								100	120	107	110
Lead	5	1	2	0.5	2.6	6				5	5
Nickel	2	4		3	1	1	0.4	0.14	4		2
Silver	0.3					0.5	0.02				0.3
Zinc	30					39	7	50		13	30

\*Values near the middle of the range reported by Allaway (1968) and Chapman (1966). See references No. 1 and 2.

TABLE III-5

## REMOVAL OF TYPICAL HEAVY METALS BY PLANTS

Element	Annual Loading Rate (Lbs/Acre) (1)	Additional Annual Concentration in Soil from Irrigation Water (ppm/Acre-foot Slice)	Concentration of Elements After 100 Years (ppm/Acre-foot Slice) (2)	Normal Plant Content (ppm) (3)	Annual Plant Removal (Lbs/Acre) (4)	Percent of Annual Addition Removed By Plant	Normal Soil Content (ppm)
Cadmium	0.075	0.019	1.9	0.5	0.003	4.0	.01 - 7
Chromium	3.41	0.85	85	0.8	0.0048	1.4	5 - 3,000
Copper	2.12	0.53	53	10	0.06	2.8	2 - 180
Iron	16.4	4.1	410	110	0.66	4.0	50,000
Lead	0.066	0.016	1.6	5	0.03	45	2 - 200
Nickel	2.12	0.53	53	2	0.012	0.57	10 - 1,000
Silver	0.0115	0.0029	0.29	0.3	0.0018	15.6	1 - 5
Zinc	2.63	0.66	66	30	0.18	6.8	10 - 300

(1) Values taken from Table X-8, Wright-McLaughlin Land Treatment Phase I Report.

(2) These values are based on an irrigation rate of 75 inches per year.

(3) Values derived from preceding Table III-4.

(4) These values are based on removal of 6,000 pounds of dry plant material per acre, and the normal plant content.

three tons of dry plant material per acre. This removal figure is too high for some plants and too low for others, but it is sufficiently accurate to illustrate the point that a fairly low percentage of the heavy metals added each year would be removed with the crops. As indicated in Column 6 of Table III-5, the percentage removal would range from less than 1 to about 16 percent.

The capacity of soil to adsorb heavy metal ions varies widely, but is at least 20,000 lbs/acre-foot slice. Of the elements treated in this report, exclusive of iron, soils contain about 2,000 - 2,500 lbs/acre-foot slice. The amount of these elements added each year with 75 inches of effluent, would be about 20 - 40 lbs/acre-foot slice (exclusive of iron). This is a fairly insignificant amount compared to the total adsorption capacity of the soil. It also represents a small percentage of the natural "background" concentration of these elements in soils.

The total amount of a particular heavy metal present in the soil may not be very meaningful in terms of plant growth, plant toxicity or leaching. It is the solubility of the element that is most critical and this information is difficult to isolate due to the many factors, such as soil pH, degree of soil aeration, texture and kind of clay mineral, organic matter, temperature and moisture, which cause variations. The most critical factor is soil pH, because the solubility of heavy metals is closely dependent upon it. Generally, as pH increases, solubility decreases.

A brief discussion of some important heavy metals is given below:

Cadmium. The chemistry of cadmium is somewhat similar to zinc. It would take more than 100 years of adding .075 lbs/acre/year to reach the upper limit of the normal range of cadmium in soils. John et al. (1972) showed that 90 lbs/acre of cadmium added to the soil surface over several years did not move below

the 4-inch level in the soil profile. They also showed little increase in cadmium uptake in oats. Traynor and Knezek (1972) found some increase in uptake in corn with cadmium application to the soil. Unless soluble and mobile complexes with low molecular weight organic compounds are formed, there should be little danger of leaching in high pH soils (Murrmann and Koutz, 1972).

Chromium. Although the three pounds of chromium per acre per year to be added to soil through land treatment of effluent is relatively high compared to some of the other heavy metals, it has a low solubility and for several years this addition should be well within the normal range in soils. Knezek (1973) indicated that soils have a high capacity to fix chromium. Pratt (1966) found no appreciable accumulation of chromium in plants in cases where chromium toxicity has been thought to exist. However, Turner and Rust (1971) found a chromium toxicity in soybeans when 10 lbs. chromium per acre was added, although the concentration of chromium in the plants was not reported. Soane and Saunder (1959) showed that chromium added to sand cultures at concentrations of 10 ppm caused toxicity to tobacco plants; however, they did not prove that a high chromium content in the serpentine soils was the cause of infertility.

Copper. Ellis and Knezek (1972) showed that copper would be bound to organic and clay complexes near the soil surface. Reuther and Labanauskas (1966) reviewed the chemistry and toxicity of copper and indicated that it should cause no plant toxicity problems. Mitchell (1964) showed that there would be a minimal leaching of organic complexes containing copper into drainage waters. With the small amount of copper added each year in effluent there should be few if any problems for many years, as long as the pH of the soil is maintained near 7.0.

Iron. Relatively large quantities of iron compared to other heavy metals will be added in the effluent, but compared to the total of 50 tons or more per acre-foot slice in soil already, it is a minute amount. Since the added iron will be fixed rapidly (Mitchell, 1962), and since iron is seldom toxic to plants grown in natural soils (Wallahan, 1966), little if any problem should result from the effluent addition to soils of high pH. The major potential problem could be interaction with the uptake of zinc and manganese, if the pH of the soil were to drop. (Mitchell, 1964; Sauchelli, 1969; Wallahan, 1966).

Lead. Plants can accumulate high concentrations of lead (64 - 196 lbs/acre, according to Cox and Rains, 1972) although it is not known to be essential for animal or plant growth. Much of the lead from sewage treatment plants remains with the sludge, so that the effluent has a low concentration of this element. (Lead solubility is low at pH of 7.0, so leaching should present little problem.) Plants will die of lead toxicity before the concentration reaches levels high enough to be toxic to animals (Allaway, 1968). Solution culture with lead concentrations up to 200 ppm had no depressing effect on apples and grapes (Childers, 1941). Similar results with orange seedlings were found in California (Vanselow and Bradford, 1960). However, Wilkins (1957) found that lead concentrations of 10, 30, and 100 ppm in solution cultures, measurably retarded, markedly retarded and stopped growth respectively of fescue plants.

Nickel. Nickel is not known to be essential for plant growth but is taken up by plants in concentrations of 0.5 to 150 ppm. Two ppm of nickel is quite normal. A middle-of-the-range concentration in soils would be 100 ppm (Swaine, 1955), most of which is not soluble at any given time. The amount of soluble nickel approaches 1 ppm (Vanselow, 1966). In all but serpentine and basic igneous rock-derived soils, nickel toxicity should not be a serious problem.

Silver. Little is known about silver in soils, except that it occurs almost universally but only in minute amounts. Seldom does it exceed 1 ppm (Vanselow, 1966; Rogers et al., 1939; Swaine, 1951). It has been reported in plant tissue in amounts of less than 0.01 and no higher than 1.3 ppm in the dry matter. The occurrence of toxic amounts of silver is quite unlikely because of its extremely low solubility. Little leaching and movement through the soil profile should occur.

Zinc. Although zinc additions may be high from some effluents, comparable quantities are added as a fertilizer on field beans and corn in Michigan (Virande et al., 1967) with beneficial effects. Melton, et al. (1970) indicates that there is little danger of leaching or toxicity from zinc added with effluent, unless a zinc-sensitive plant is grown. Allaway (1968) indicated that some animal feeds are deficient in zinc, so additional zinc could be beneficial to animals. Zinc is needed at a concentration of 8 - 15 ppm in the forage dry matter. Animals require about 10 - 40 ppm zinc in the diet. At 200 ppm of the dry matter zinc is toxic.

An unpublished work of Sabey and Hart (1973) indicated that there was a build-up of extractable zinc, copper, iron and manganese on an irrigated sandy loam in the zone of incorporation of sewage sludge. No downward movement of these elements occurred during the first year after application.

The elements in Table III-IV should pose no serious threat to the groundwater or to plants growing on medium to fine-textured soils if the pH of the soil is maintained near 7.0. If however, the pH of the soil decreased to below 6.0, there is a possibility of increasing solubility of several of the elements, therefore increasing the likelihood of groundwater pollution and plant toxicity.

#### Heavy Metal Management

Maintenance of a sufficiently high pH (equal to 6.0 or more) in soils

receiving heavy metals would be an important part of land management unless monitoring demonstrated that somewhat increased solubilization of the heavy metals at lower pH values was not a hazard. Maintaining the pH at this level should pose no problem for agriculturalists, as good farm management generally dictates the use of lime to raise the pH to approximately 6.5. Lime applications are common on Ohio soils.

The Ohio 1972-1973 Agronomy Guide, Bulletin 472, published by the Cooperative Extension Service of Ohio State University, reported that lime applications on acid soils often return \$6.00 to \$9.00 for every dollar invested. According to this bulletin, approximately ten tons per acre would be required to increase the present soil pH of about 5.5 to a level of 6.5. Subsequent annual lime applications of about three tons per acre per year may be required to maintain the pH at about the 6.5 level.

It is clear that the possibility of toxicity to plants is greatest with an acid soil (pH less than approximately 6.0).

Field tests conducted at the University of Illinois have shown the feasibility of managing heavy metals on agricultural land. Should monitoring indicate an undesirable rate of accumulation for a particular heavy metal, management steps might include reduction of that metal at the source, incorporation of special removal processes at the secondary treatment stage, recycling of the element by industry, and rotation or substitution of crops.





