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This report documents the development of a mathematical model of the consolidation/desiccation process in soft, fine-grained soils such as dredged material; provides for computer solution of the model; and verifies the solution through comparisons with field measurements.

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And nonlinear soil properties inherent in the very soft materials commonly found in maintenance dredgings. Pertinent equations necessary for process calculation are given. An empirical description of the desiccation process is presented in terms of the water balance in the uppermost crust in the dredged material layer and generally conforms with previous work. The first and second drying stages along with associated characteristic material properties (saturation limit and desiccation limit) are defined. Procedures for calculation of the effective depths of first and second stage drying, soil evaporation rates, and the surcharge induced by water table lowering are also given. The interaction of the consolidation and desiccation processes is discussed and the mathematical treatment proposed.

The mathematical model is next rewritten for computer solution through the computer program PCDDF. The program uses an explicit finite difference scheme for solving the consolidation portion of the problem and makes monthly adjustments in the top boundary condition and boundary location in accordance with the amount of desiccation which has occurred. In addition to material settlement which comes from a calculation of void ratio distribution, the program also calculates the distribution of stresses and pore pressures through the layer, which can be indicative of soil strength. Any sequence of material deposition as well as consolidation in an underlying foundation layer can be considered.

The model and computer solution are then tested through comparisons of predicted material settlements with measured settlements in three confined disposal areas. The areas include Canaveral Harbor where one layer of material was deposited, Drum Island where two layers were deposited about 1 year apart, and Craney Island where yearly depositions have occurred for a 24-year period. The results of these comparisons show that the proposed model and computer solution offer realistic indications of the material settlements under a wide variety of conditions.

Appendices to the report include a detailed user's manual (Appendix A) for computer program PCDDF along with a program listing (Appendix B) and sample input and output data (Appendix C). Consolidation properties (Appendix D) and the design of a comprehensive field verification site (Appendix E) are also included.
PREFACE

This report was prepared by the Geotechnical Laboratory (GL), US Army Engineer Waterways Experiment Station (WES), as part of the Dredging Operation Technical Support Program (DOTS) work unit for verification and refinement of engineering methodologies developed during the Dredged Material Research Program. The DOTS Program is sponsored by the Dredging Division of the Water Resources Support Center, Fort Belvoir, Va., and managed by the Environmental Effects of Dredging Programs (EEDP) in the WES Environmental Laboratory (EL).

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Background

1. The safe, efficient, and economical disposal of fine-grained material dredged from navigable waterways throughout this country is a problem which must be continually addressed by most Corps Districts. In the recent past, more stringent environmental concerns together with a general decrease in the number of available disposal areas have created the need for maximum utilization of both existing and planned dredged material containment areas. Benefits to be derived from optimal use of containment areas include both economic and environmental factors. By operating and managing the disposal sites in such a manner as to reduce the dredged material surface elevation, the useful service life of the containment areas and the volume of dredged material which can be stored in them will be increased. Thus the number of additional containment areas required in the future will be minimized, as will the environmental impacts of additional containment areas. The authority for site management is recognized in Section 148 of PL 94-587:

Sec. 148. The Secretary of the Army, acting through the Chief of Engineers, shall utilize and encourage the utilization of such management practices as he determines appropriate to extend the capacity and useful life of dredged material disposal areas such that the need for new dredged material disposal areas is kept to a minimum. Management practices authorized by this section shall include, but not be limited to, the construction of dikes, consolidation and dewatering of dredged material, and construction of drainage and outflow facilities.

As the management of disposal areas has intensified, the need has developed to improve the mainly empirical methods used in the past for containment area design. This report focuses on one of the primary factors in a well-engineered scheme for the disposal of dredged material within confined areas: namely, the prediction of settlements of the fine-grained portion of the dredged material due to consolidation and desiccation.
Problem Statement

2. In order that the maximum benefits can be derived from areas constructed for the confined disposal of dredged material, the areas' design and operation plan must accurately account for the increase in storage capacity resulting from future decreases in the height of dredged fill deposited. The height of the dredged fill decreases by three natural processes: sedimentation, consolidation, and desiccation. The sedimentation process is not covered in this report because its effect is complete within a few hours or few days after material deposition and therefore has no effect on the long-term operation or storage capacity of the disposal area. Tests to ascertain a material's sedimenting nature and procedures for calculating the effects on disposal area filling are described by Montgomery (1978). General guidance on design, operation, and management of disposal areas is given by Palermo, Montgomery, and Poindexter (1978).

3. Increases in the storage capacity of a confined dredged fill disposal site because of the decrease in dredged fill height due to consolidation and desiccation are important considerations when designing a containment area for maximum efficiency and economy. Many soft, fine-grained dredged materials consisting of clays and silts may ultimately undergo upwards of 50-percent strain during self-weight consolidation. If the site is well managed to eliminate surface water so that the material surface can dry through desiccation, much higher strains are possible. The problem then is to determine settlements as a function of time for dredged material subjected to the effects of self-weight consolidation, crust formation due to desiccation, and additional consolidation due to the surcharge created by crust formation.

Objectives

4. There are basically three objectives for this report:
   a. Develop a mathematical model which describes the combined processes of consolidation and desiccation within a typical soft, fine-grained dredged fill, and which is based on laboratory-determined material properties and site-specific climatic conditions.
   b. Codify the mathematical model in a computer program capable of forecasting dredged material settlements as a function of time for any particular filling history.
5. A review of the literature revealed some of the past attempts at solving the problem of dredged fill settlements. Casteleiro (1975) presented a mathematical model of consolidation and desiccation which was able to predict settlements of the same order of magnitude as those measured in a field site. The model is based on small strain consolidation theory, purports to calculate consolidation in both saturated and unsaturated layers, and considers evapotranspiration. The report's conclusion that the use of vegetation with high transpiration rates offers the most promise of accelerating dredged fill consolidation leads this author to believe that the model is deficient in its treatment of the consolidation process. Johnson (1976) has also presented a mathematical model for predicting consolidation of dredged material which is based on small strain consolidation theory and includes sedimentation calculations. This model, modified to include an empirical model of desiccation, was used by Palermo, Shields, and Hayes (1981) to make estimates of settlements in the Craney Island disposal area with very good results. Hayden (1978) and Haliburton (1978) have also produced procedures for estimating dredged fill settlements which consider desiccation and use a simplified approach to the consolidation process.

6. Two of the primary drawbacks to all of the above procedures are their reliance on small strain consolidation theory to describe the consolidation process and the unlimited depths through which unrestricted desiccation effects may proceed. The report presented herein is essentially an extension of a previous report by Cargill (1982) which documented a mathematical model for settlement calculation based on the finite strain theory of consolidation. The finite strain theory of consolidation, first proposed by Gibson, England, and Hussey (1967), has been shown to be superior to the conventional small strain consolidation theory in its ability to model the one-dimensional primary consolidation process for soft soils with nonlinear material properties (Gibson, Schiffman, and Cargill 1981; Schiffman and Cargill 1981; and Cargill 1983a). A new version of the mathematical description of the desiccation process to be fully described in Part II of this report will be coupled with
this finite strain model of the consolidation process to provide a state-of-the-art computer program for the prediction of settlements in dredged material.

Need for Field Verification

7. Field verification is a necessity for any analytical procedure before the procedure can be used confidently as a basis for new design. This is especially true where the variances of nature play a major part in the field performance as in the case of desiccation. Therefore, the results of analysis techniques developed in this study will be compared with available field measurements to develop some initial level of confidence in the method. It is recognized that the field sites used were not specifically monitored for the purpose of verifying this consolidation/desiccation calculation procedure, and some of the required input data will have to be assumed.

8. Additional field verification designed specifically for evaluation of the proposed mathematical model and calculation procedure would be particularly advantageous in providing guidelines upon which factors requiring engineering judgment can be based. The design of such a comprehensive field verification site is included as an appendix to this report. Such a program is considered essential before maximum benefits can be derived from this or any other method of dredged fill settlement prediction.

9. Several appendices accompany the main body of this report. Appendix A is a user's manual for the computer program PCDDF. Appendix B provides a source listing of PCDDF. Appendix C presents example input and output of PCDDF. Appendix D contains compressibility and permeability data referenced in the main body. A comprehensive field verification site is described in Appendix E.
PART II: MATHEMATICAL DESCRIPTION OF PROBLEM

10. In general, a problem must be described mathematically before a properly engineered solution can be obtained. The complexity of the mathematical description should conform with the certainty to which its constituent variables can be measured or specified. A rather complex model of the consolidation process is presented here because of the relative certainty with which its variables can be known. That is not to say that they will be absolutely known, but that the opportunity for reliable measurement or specification is great. A somewhat looser description of the desiccation process will be used because the primary factors governing the process are not normally predictable to any large degree of certainty.

The Consolidation Process

11. The mathematical model of one-dimensional primary consolidation used in this report is based on the finite strain theory of consolidation as described in detail by Cargill (1982). Thus, only the main points will be repeated here for ready reference without going into any of the derivations.

Governing equation

12. The governing equation of the consolidation process first presented by Gibson, England, and Hussey (1967) is

\[
\left( \frac{\gamma_s}{\gamma_w} - 1 \right) \frac{d}{de} \left[ k(e) \right] \frac{\partial e}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \left[ \frac{k(e)}{\gamma_w(1 + e)} \frac{d\sigma'}{de} \frac{de}{dz} \right] + \frac{\partial e}{\partial t} = 0
\]

(1)

where

- \( \gamma_s \) = unit weight of solids
- \( \gamma_w \) = unit weight of water
- \( e \) = void ratio
- \( k(e) \) = coefficient of soil permeability as a function of void ratio
- \( z \) = vertical material coordinate measured against gravity
- \( \sigma' \) = effective stress
- \( t \) = time

This equation is well suited for the prediction of consolidation in thick deposits of very soft, fine-grained dredged material because it provides for:
the effects of self-weight, permeability varying with void ratio, a nonlinear
void ratio-effective stress relationship, and large strains.

13. A closed form analytical solution of Equation 1 is probably not possible, but its numerical solution on a computer is quite feasible. Once initial and boundary conditions are defined and appropriate relationships between void ratio and effective stress and between void ratio and permeability are specified, the void ratio distribution in the consolidating layer can be calculated by an explicit finite difference scheme for any future time as fully described in Cargill (1982). In finite differences, Equation 1 can be written

\[ e_{i,j+1} = e_{i,j} - \frac{t}{\gamma_w} \left( \gamma_c \beta(e_{i,j}) + \left[ \frac{\alpha(e_{i+1,j}) - \alpha(e_{i-1,j})}{2\delta} \right] \right) \]

(2)

\[ \left[ \frac{e_{i+1,j} - e_{i-1,j}}{2\delta} \right] + \alpha(e_{i,j}) \left[ \frac{e_{i+1,j} - 2e_{i,j} + e_{i-1,j}}{\delta^2} \right] \]

where

\( t = \) time interval in finite difference mesh
\( \gamma_c = \) buoyant unit weight of solids or
\( \gamma_c = \gamma_s - \gamma_w \)

(3)

\( \beta(e) = \) a function of the void ratio and permeability defined by

\( \beta(e) = \frac{d}{de} \left[ \frac{k(e)}{1 + e} \right] \)

(4)

\( \alpha(e) = \) a function of the void ratio, permeability, and compressibility defined by

\( \alpha(e) = \frac{k(e)}{1 + e} \frac{da'}{de} \)

(5)

\( \delta = \) vertical space interval in material coordinates in finite difference mesh

Initial and boundary conditions

14. Typically, the initial conditions of a saturated dredged fill layer can be written as

\[ e(z,t) = e_{00} \text{ for } t = 0 \]

(6)
where $e_{00} =$ void ratio at zero effective stress. This is an instantaneous condition reached by the dredged material at the end of the sedimentation process just as the solids begin to form a continuous soil matrix. It is actually an approximation since the entire layer does not end sedimentation and begin consolidation at exactly the same instant in time. However, it should be a good approximation if the time to which consolidation is calculated is relatively long in comparison with the total time required for complete sedimentation.

15. In a dredged fill layer not subjected to surface desiccation, the top boundary condition is

$$e(x, t) = e_{00} \text{ for } t > 0$$

(7)

where $x =$ total layer thickness in material coordinates. The top boundary condition of the consolidating layer in the presence of a desiccated crust will be discussed in a later section.

16. The boundary condition at an impermeable lower interface is

$$\frac{\partial e}{\partial z} = \left(\gamma_w - \gamma_s\right) \frac{\partial e}{\partial \sigma^*} \text{ for } t > 0 \text{ and } z = 0$$

(8)

and at a semipermeable lower boundary is

$$\frac{\partial e}{\partial z} = \left(\gamma_w - \gamma_s - \frac{\partial u}{\partial z}\right) \frac{\partial e}{\partial \sigma^*} \text{ for } t > 0 \text{ and } z = 0$$

(9)

where $u =$ excess pore pressure. The impermeable boundary condition is used where the dredged fill overlays a relatively impervious, incompressible foundation layer. The semipermeable condition is used with either a compressible foundation layer which drains through the dredged fill or an incompressible foundation providing impeded drainage from the dredged fill.

17. At a free draining lower boundary, excess pore pressure is zero and the total pore pressure is equal to the static pore pressure or

$$u_w = u_o = h_w \gamma_w$$

(10)
where

\[ u_w = \text{total pore pressure} \]
\[ u_o = \text{static pore pressure} \]
\[ h_w = \text{height of the water table above the boundary} \]

Since the total weight of material above the boundary can be calculated, total stresses are known and effective stress may be calculated by the effective stress principle. Thus

\[ \sigma'(0,t) = \sigma(0,t) - u_w \] (11)

where \( \sigma = \text{total stress} \)

and since

\[ \sigma'(0,t) = f[e(0,t)] \] (12)

the persistent void ratio at the boundary is known.

18. There are several methods of relating void ratio to effective stress. Among them is

\[ e = e_1 - (\sigma' - \sigma'_1)a_v \] (13)

where

\[ e_1 = \text{void ratio at effective stress } \sigma'_1 \]
\[ a_v = \text{soil coefficient of compressibility} \]

which is the relationship used deriving the linear small strain theory of consolidation. There is also the well-known relationship for normally consolidated clays

\[ e = e_1 - C_c \log \left( \frac{\sigma'_1}{\sigma'_1} \right) \] (14)

where \( C_c = \text{compression index for the soil} \).

In linearizing the governing equation of finite strain consolidation theory, Gibson, Schiffman, and Cargill (1981) have proposed the relationship

\[ e = (e_{00} - e_\infty) \exp (-\lambda \sigma') + e_\infty \] (15)
where
\[ e_{\infty} = \text{void ratio at infinite effective stress} \]
\[ \lambda = \text{a constant describing the change in soil compressibility with void ratio} \]

19. Since none of these methods are completely adequate in representing the void ratio-effective stress relationship throughout the range of void ratios typical of a consolidating dredged fill layer, the mathematical model used here will be based on laboratory-determined curves. This is accomplished in the computer program by interpolating between relatively closely spaced points selected from the laboratory curve.

**Coordinates and settlement**

20. It is convenient to solve the consolidation governing equation in terms of the vertical material coordinate \( z \). However, since this is a measure of material solids which remains constant throughout the consolidation process, a coordinate transformation is required to obtain the height of points within the dredged fill layer. At any time, the actual coordinate within the layer is

\[
\xi(z_1, t) = \int_0^{z_1} [1 + e(z, t)] \, dz
\]  

(16)

where
\[ \xi = \text{convective coordinate} \]
\[ z_1 = \text{material coordinate of any point within the layer} \]

21. Total layer settlement between times \( t_1 \) and \( t_2 \) is now easily expressed by

\[
\delta = \xi(l, t_1) - \xi(l, t_2) = \int_0^l [e(z, t_1) - e(z, t_2)] \, dz
\]  

(17)

or if settlement is measured from the initial sedimented dredged fill height \( h \),
\[ \delta(t) = e_{00}^L - \int_{0}^{z} e(z,t)\,dz \quad \text{(18)} \]

since

\[ h = L(1 + e_{00}) \quad \text{(19)} \]

**Stresses and pore pressures**

22. The calculation of stresses and pore pressures within a saturated dredged fill layer is relatively simple once the void ratio distribution and thus effective stress distribution is determined from solution of the governing equation. The total stress at any point in the layer is equal to the total weights in a unit area of all materials above that point. Therefore,

\[ \sigma(z,t) = \gamma_w [h_1 + \int_{z}^{L} e(z,t)\,dz] + \gamma_s \int_{z}^{L} d\zeta \quad \text{(20)} \]

where \( h_1 \) = height of free water surface above the dredged fill layer. The static pore pressure is determined by

\[ u_0(z,t) = \gamma_w [h_2 - \xi(z,t)] \quad \text{(21)} \]

where \( h_2 \) = height of free water surface above the datum plane \( z = 0 \), and total pore pressure is

\[ u_w(z,t) = \sigma(z,t) - \sigma'(z,t) \quad \text{(22)} \]

by the effective stress principle. Then the excess pore pressure is

\[ u(z,t) = u_w(z,t) - u_0(z,t) \quad \text{(23)} \]

23. With the preceding equations, the state of the dredged fill layer is fully described at all times during the consolidation process. Many of the equations given thus far in this part will be modified when the dredged layer
develops a desiccated crust; therefore, care should be used during application when a crust or other surcharge is present.

The Desiccation Process--An Empirical Approach

24. As previously mentioned, the desiccation process is governed by many factors whose predictability is often difficult. The empirical process description to follow may then seem inconsistent with the rather sophisticated model of the consolidation process. However, by using the more exact model of consolidation, the reliability of the overall settlement calculation should be increased since the major cumulative errors are more likely to be limited to only one part of the calculation.

General process description

25. Desiccation of a dredged material is basically removal of water by changing the state of the water near the surface from a liquid to a gas. This change of state results primarily from evaporation and transpiration. In this report, plant transpiration is considered insignificant due to the recurrent deposition of dredged fill and is therefore disregarded. Evaporation is mainly controlled by such variables as radiation heating from the sun, convective heating from the earth, air temperature, ground temperature, relative humidity, and wind speed. While equations have been proposed which relate evaporation to these and other variables (Gardner and Hillel 1962; Linsley, Kohler, and Paulhus 1978; Ripple, Rubin, and Van Hylckama 1972; Van Bavel 1966), they are not used here due to the uncertainty in describing the variables over any period of time. Instead, evaporation from a dredged material surface will be defined as some function of the average Class A pan evaporation rate (Linsley, Kohler, and Paulhus 1978).

26. Thus, a simple mathematical description of the evaporative flux is

\[ E = C_E EP \]  

(24)

where

- \( E \) = evaporation from the dredged material surface
- \( C_E \) = evaporation efficiency
- \( EP \) = Class A pan evaporation

However, there are other factors which must also be taken into account. For
instance, the evaporation efficiency is normally not a constant but some function of depth to which the layer has been desiccated and also is dependent on the amount of water available for evaporation.

**Water balance**

27. A more accurate equation governing the desiccation process is possible from considering the water balance of a soil element of large areal extent at the surface of the dredged material as illustrated in Figure 1. As

![Figure 1. Water balance in a soil element of large areal extent](image)

suggested by the figure, the change in the amount of water contained in the upper crust over a finite period of time can be expressed as

\[ \Delta W = RF + CS - OF - E \]  \hspace{1cm} (25)

where

- \( \Delta W \) = change in amount of water within crust
- \( RF \) = rainfall
- \( CS \) = water supplied from lower consolidating soil
- \( OF \) = overland outflow of excess rainfall
28. With implementation of an active program to promote surface drainage, most of the water available from rainfall can be removed from the area before it is absorbed by the drying dredged material. The amount of water added to the crust due to RF and OF could then be written

\[ RF - OF = \left(1 - \frac{OF}{RF}\right) RF = (1 - C_D)RF \]

where \( C_D \) = drainage efficiency.

29. Equation 25 now becomes

\[ \Delta W = (1 - C_D)RF + CS - C_EEP \]

for specified periods of time. If \( \Delta W \) is a positive number, there is excess water available at the dredged material surface which could resaturate previously dried crust. However, a combination of the facts that \( C_E \) increases dramatically in the presence of small amounts of free water and that previously dried crust is very slow in adsorbing standing water (Brown and Thompson 1977) leads to the assumption that \( \Delta W \) can only be zero or less when the crust is exposed to the atmosphere. If \( \Delta W \) is a negative number, there is a net loss of water which means either that more water is removed from any previously dried crust or that the depth \( d \) of dried crust is increased.

30. It is practical to make the calculation of Equation 27 on a monthly basis because of the availability of long-term monthly average rainfall and pan evaporation data. Rainfall and pan evaporation data have been tabulated and published in climatic summaries by the US Weather Bureau for many areas of this country. Tables of average monthly rainfall for select stations are available in National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) (1980), and Brown and Thompson (1977) have developed maps of monthly pan evaporation. In the absence of more site-specific data, these sources can be used for specification of climatic data.

Drying stages

31. Studies by Brown and Thompson (1977) concluded that evaporation of water from dredged material occurs in two stages. During the first stage, sufficient free water is available at the surface of the material so that evaporation takes place at its full potential rate, i.e. \( C_E = 1.0 \). In the
second stage of evaporation, drying proceeds at some fraction of the potential rate, i.e. \( C_E < 1.0 \), and this fraction decreases as the depth of dried crust increases. A statistical analysis of moisture contents taken on the four materials studied led to an equation defining the moisture content at which water can no longer be decanted from the material,

\[
w = 2.53 \text{ LL}_r
\]  

(28)

where

- \( w \) = moisture content as a percentage by weight
- \( \text{LL}_r \) = liquid limit of samples which have been dried and reconstituted before testing

They also defined the point dividing first- and second-stage drying as when the top 2 cm of crust reached a moisture content of

\[
w = 1.86 \text{ LL}_r
\]  

(29)

again by a statistical analysis of moisture contents taken on samples of the four materials studied. They postulated that without the presence of a water table, a crust would form to a depth of about 120 cm and that the moisture content would increase uniformly from 1.86 \( \text{LL}_r \) at the top to 2.53 \( \text{LL}_r \) at the bottom. Brown and Thompson see evaporation beyond this second stage occurring at an ever decreasing rate with water being lost from the entire crust due to cracking. They made no further attempts at describing the process other than to say that ultimately the surface will dry to a fraction of the material's plastic limit while 5 to 10 cm deep the material will still be between the plastic and liquid limit.

32. Haliburton (1978) says dewatering by evaporative drying is a three-stage process but describes only the two which are important to fine-grained dredged material. First stage is characterized by free water surface evaporation at the potential rate, and second stage is governed by the capillary resupply potential of the soil and will be at something less than the potential rate. He asserts that, under normal conditions, long-term dredged material evaporative drying is essentially governed by the second-stage process. Haliburton's description of the stages is somewhat different from Brown and Thompson's. He defines the first stage as a period of decantation which
ceases when the moisture content of the top crust reaches 1.8 LL, which is called the "decant point." In the second stage, the crust dries to

\[ w = 1.2 \text{ PL} \]  \hspace{1cm} (30)

where \( \text{PL} \) = the plastic limit of the dredged material. The calculation of desiccation effects proposed by Haliburton assumes that initially the entire depth of dredged fill exists at 1.8 LL and that evaporation reduces the moisture content of the entire depth to 1.2 PL at the rates of 0.35 EP for a saltwater environment and 0.5 EP for a freshwater environment. No limits are placed on the depths to which these rates are effective.

33. Gardner and Hillel (1962) also characterize soil drying as a two-stage process with the drying rate in the first stage being constant and dependent upon evaporative conditions. During the second stage, the drying rate continuously decreases with time and decreasing moisture content of the soil. The authors point out that previous studies had concluded that during the constant initial stage of drying, the cumulative evaporation from a soil will approach a constant amount which is independent of the evaporation rate, and this conclusion was verified by the reported studies. They additionally report that, after a sufficiently long time, the evaporation rate becomes independent of potential evaporation and depends solely on the water content distribution and water transmitting properties of the soil.

Saturation and desiccation limits

34. Based on the above cited studies, it is concluded that effective evaporative drying of dredged material leading to the formation of a desiccated crust is a two-stage process. The first stage begins when all free water has been decanted or drained from the dredged material surface. In this study, this decant point does not correspond to 1.8 LL as proposed by Haliburton, but is the void ratio (void ratios will be used in lieu of moisture contents so that the desiccation process can be more directly related to the consolidation process as previously described) corresponding to zero effective stress \( \varepsilon_{00} \) as determined by laboratory sedimentation and consolidation testing. This initial void ratio may come very close to Brown and Thompson's decant point of 2.53 LL.

35. First-stage drying ends and second stage begins at a void ratio which will be called the saturation limit or \( \varepsilon_{SL} \). The \( \varepsilon_{SL} \) of typical
dredged material probably comes very close to Haliburton's 1.8 LL. In this model it is assumed that the dredged fill surface material at void ratios higher than $e_s$ will dry to the $e_s$ at a rate equal to some constant percentage of the full evaporation potential. During the first stage, the free water table is expected to remain at the surface of the dredged material even though widely spaced and shallow surface cracks are very likely to develop. This is not to say that the water table will stay constant because the dredged fill surface will be settling due to the effects of primary consolidation and desiccation. It does mean that the material remains saturated and buoyant since any nonsaturated surface film will be negligible; hence, the term "saturation limit."

36. After the saturation limit has been reached to a depth which will be discussed in the next section, water cannot be supplied by the soil fast enough to sustain the first-stage evaporation rate. Two things then happen. First, the dredged material begins to lose saturation starting with the surface. Then, as the free water table begins to drop below the surface, the material develops negative pore pressures which shrink the material to a hard crust having a much lower permeability and thus drastically reduced evaporative rates. The evaporative rate in second-stage drying will depend not only on the water conductivity of the unsaturated crust but also its depth. For this study, it is assumed that second-stage drying will be an effective process until the material reaches a void ratio which will be called the desiccation limit or $e_{DL}$. When the $e_{DL}$ reaches a limiting depth, evaporation of additional water from the dredged material will effectively cease. What evaporation occurs will be limited to excess moisture from undrained rainfall and that water forced out of the material due to consolidation of material below the crust. The $e_{DL}$ of typical dredged material may roughly correspond to Haliburton's 1.2 PL or a similar quantity. Also associated with the $e_{DL}$ of a material is a particular percent saturation which probably varies from 100 percent to something slightly less, depending on the material.

37. The saturation and desiccation limits described above are considered characteristic of the top portions of a dredged fill subjected to evaporative drying. There may be a top film of material dried to less than the $e_s$ or $e_{DL}$ during the first- and second-stage process, respectively, but this film is considered to have negligible influence in the overall calculation of
material settlements. The film, however, is one of the primary factors determining the evaporation rate.

38. To determine the maximum depth of dredged fill which can be desiccated to the $e_{SL}$ at first-stage evaporation rates, it is proposed that one should consider the self-weight consolidation characteristics of the dredged material as deposited. As shown in Figure 2, a saturated dredged fill layer

![Diagram](image.png)

Figure 2. Maximum depth of material desiccated by first-stage drying

with a free water table at or above its surface will undergo self-weight consolidation to an ultimate void ratio distribution as noted. So long as the material remains saturated and the free water table is at the surface, the effects of evaporative drying cannot extend deeper than the intersection of the ordinate denoting $e_{SL}$ and the ultimate void ratio distribution curve. Thus, the maximum depth to which first-stage drying can occur is

$$h_{1st} = (z - z_{SL}) (1 + e_{SL})$$

(31)

where

$h_{1st} =$ maximum depth of first-stage drying
While void ratios lower than $e_{SL}$ may exist in the dredged material below $z_{SL}$, they are due to self-weight consolidation and not surface desiccation during first-stage drying.

39. The absolute maximum depth to which second-stage drying will proceed can also be related to the consolidation characteristics of the material. Figure 3 depicts the situation. As shown, the curve defining the ultimate void ratio distribution has shifted toward the origin because of a surcharge induced by the water table drop. Thus, the absolute maximum depth to which second-stage drying can occur is the water table depth (which sometimes can be measured in the field) or the intersection of the ordinate denoting $e_{DL}$ with the ultimate void ratio distribution curve which is based on the surcharge induced. In equation form

$$h_{2nd} = (P - z_{DL}) (1 + e_{DL})$$

(32)
where

\[ h_{2nd} = \text{maximum depth of second-stage drying} \]
\[ z_{DL} = \text{material coordinate at intersection of } e_{DL} \text{ and ultimate void ratio distribution curve} \]

Again it can be seen that void ratios lower than \( e_{DL} \) may exist below \( z_{DL} \) due to consolidation effects. It is also important to note that \( h_{1st} \) can be larger than \( h_{2nd} \) due to the low void ratio of a completely desiccated dredged material. A field indicator of the depth to which second-stage drying can be effective is the depth of cracks in the dredged material. Of course, cracks subjected to periodic rainfall are probably shallower than they would be under constant evaporative conditions.

40. The preceding two equations form a rational basis for estimating the depths of crust formation in dredged material under first- and second-stage drying. They should be applicable whenever sufficient dredged material is present to provide an intersection between the ultimate void ratio distribution and the appropriate limiting void ratio, and there is no external influence limiting the water table depth. If insufficient material is present, the entire dredged fill layer may be subjected to the first- and second-stage drying processes in turn. If the water table depth is limited, the second-stage drying depth will be similarly limited. Again, the practical maximum depth of second-stage drying is best estimated from the maximum depth of desiccation cracks.

41. The maximum depth of first-stage drying as expressed in Equation 31 should be a realistic measure for most fine-grained soils whose \( e_{SL} \) intersects the consolidated void ratio curve above the material coordinate defining the soil's maximum field crust thickness. For those soils whose \( e_{SL} \) is so low that \( z_{SL} \) is greater than \( z_{DL} \) when based on the preceding considerations, the \( z_{SL} \) should be limited to no greater than \( z_{DL} \).

Evaporation and drainage efficiencies

42. Previous research on evaporation of water from bare soils (Brown and Thompson 1977; Gardner and Hillel 1962; Ripple, Rubin, and Van Hylckama 1972; Ritchie and Adams 1974) suggests that evaporation rates are some constant fraction of the environmental potential rate (in this study, Class A pan potential) during first-stage drying. The rates exponentially decay to a negligible amount during second-stage drying as the water table falls below the surface of the material. This is illustrated graphically in Figure 4.
Figure 4. Soil evaporation efficiency as a function of time

where \( C_E \) is plotted as a function of time. While the maximum value of \( C_E \) has been plotted as less than 1.0 in the figure, it should be noted that some data have been presented which require \( C_E > 1.0 \), but these cases are limited to freshwater material and are not considered typical of most dredged material. Equations defining these relationships could be written

\[
C_E = C'_E \text{ for } 0 \leq t \leq t_1
\]

and

\[
C_E = C'_E \exp(-ct) \text{ for } t > t_1
\]

where

- \( C'_E \) = maximum evaporation efficiency for soil type
- \( t_1 \) = time first-stage drying ends
- \( c \) = a coefficient dependent on environmental and soil conditions

The literature also suggests that during second-stage drying \( C_E \) varies with the depth to water table as shown in Figure 5 for fine-grained materials. The relationship illustrated could be written
Figure 5. Soil evaporation efficiency as a function of water table depth

\[ C_E = C_E^\prime \exp \left(-c_1 h_{\text{wt}}\right) \]  

(35)

where

- \[ c_1 \] = another coefficient dependent on environmental and soil conditions
- \[ h_{\text{wt}} \] = depth of water table below surface

43. The relationships given above in Equations 33, 34, and 35 are primarily based on experiments conducted in the laboratory under constant evaporative conditions. It is appropriate to question their applicability to field situations where a soil layer will experience evaporation extremes every 24 hr and may periodically be rewetted from rainfall. However, based on controlled experiments, Gardner and Hillel (1962) have concluded that one could expect evaporation in the field under diurnally fluctuating conditions to be similar to those under constant conditions. They also describe an experiment which shows that the addition of small amounts of surface water to a soil has no long-term effect on the cumulative water loss from the soil.

44. This latter experiment by Gardner and Hillel together with the previously referenced findings of Brown and Thompson provide an impetus for simplifying Equation 27. A drainage efficiency \[ C_D \] equal to 1.0 effectively
means that all monthly rainfall is removed from the disposal area while an efficiency equal to 0.0 means that all monthly rainfall must be evaporated before any water can be removed from the dredged material by evaporation. Since all well-managed dredged fill disposal sites are usually sloped to drain as a result of normal placement operations, $C_D$ can be assumed to be 1.0 during periods of management to promote desiccation. Conceivably this period could start as soon as deposition has ceased and outflow weir boards are removed.

45. Owing to the uncertainties in the ability to predict potential evaporation rates at a specific site and the uncertainties associated with defining $C_E$, the necessity to use an expression as complex as Equation 35 in this study is not warranted. The expression adopted here for defining the drying rate during second-stage evaporation will be simply a linear function of the water table depth:

$$C_E = C_E' \left(1 - \frac{h_{wt}}{h_{2nd}}\right) \text{ for } h_{wt} < h_{2nd}$$ (36)

This relationship is also shown in Figure 5 for comparison.

Desiccation settlement

46. From the previous discussion, the water lost from a dredged material layer during first-stage drying can be written

$$\Delta W' = CS - C_E' - EP + (1 - C_D)RF$$ (37)

where $\Delta W'$ = water lost during first-stage drying. Even though some minor cracks may appear in the surface during this stage, the material will remain saturated and vertical settlement is expected to correspond with water loss or

$$\delta_D' = -\Delta W'$$ (38)

where $\delta_D'$ = settlement due to first-stage drying.

47. Water lost during second-stage drying can be written

$$\Delta W'' = CS - C_E' \left(1 - \frac{h_{wt}}{h_{2nd}}\right) \cdot EP + (1 - C_D)RF$$ (39)
where $\Delta W'' = $ water lost during second-stage drying. Two things prevent there being an exact correspondence between water loss and settlement during second-stage drying. First is appearance of an extensive network of cracks which may encompass up to 20 percent (Haliburton 1978) of the volume of the dried layer. Second is the probable loss of saturation within the dried material itself. Combining these two occurrences into one factor enables the vertical settlement to be written

$$\delta''_D = -\Delta W'' - \left(1 - \frac{PS}{100}\right) h_{wt}$$

where

- $\delta''_D = $ settlement due to second-stage drying
- $PS = $ gross percent saturation of dried crust which includes cracks

In determining the second-stage drying settlement, there are three unknowns and only two equations. Therefore, calculation will have to involve an iterative procedure of trial and error.

**Interaction of Consolidation and Desiccation**

48. The removal of water by desiccation from a normally consolidating dredged fill layer will affect the upper boundary condition of the consolidating material. The deposition of new material on previously dried material will leave an over consolidated material forming an interior boundary which will affect future consolidation. At present, there is no rigorous mathematical description of what occurs at these boundaries. Therefore, the succeeding descriptions are proposed as reasonable approximations of the influence of desiccated boundaries on consolidation.

**Surcharge induced by water table lowering**

49. At the end of the first stage of drying, the water table begins to drop below the surface of the dredged material. The effect of a dropping water table is to increase the effective weight of the material above the water table from a buoyant weight to the full weight of the soil solids plus any water present. The redistribution of stresses and pore pressure due to a lowered water table is illustrated in Figure 6. It should be noted that the distribution shown for pore pressure and effective stress in material below
Figure 6. Redistribution of soil stress under a falling water table.
the water table is correct only after all excess pore pressures have
dissipated.

50. Whereas Equation 20 fully describes the total stress distribution
in a dredged fill layer when the water table is at or above its surface, the
total stress at any point when the water table is below the surface is

\[
\sigma(z, t) = \int_{z_w}^{z} \left[ \gamma_s + S \gamma_w e(z, t) \right] dz \quad \text{for} \quad z_{wt} \leq z \leq \ell
\]  

(41)

and

\[
\sigma(z, t) = q + \int_{z}^{z_{wt}} \left[ \gamma_s + \gamma_w e(z, t) \right] dz \quad \text{for} \quad 0 \leq z \leq z_{wt}
\]  

(42)

where

- \( S \) = percent saturation of material above water table
- \( z_{wt} \) = material coordinate of water table
- \( q \) = total weight per unit area of material above water table which
  is Equation 41 evaluated for \( z = z_{wt} \) (surcharge due to crust)

51. The surcharge induced by water table lowering causes an increase
in the ultimate primary consolidation settlement of dredged material below
the water table above that which would occur in a layer due to self-weight
consolidation only. The effect of this surcharge can be expressed as a
modified boundary condition and is discussed next.

Upper boundary condition

52. During both drying stages, evaporation at the surface tends to pull
water from the lower mass of soil. Thus, the removal of water by evaporation
will increase the rate of consolidation in the soil below the desiccated sur-
face. This rate increase should be somewhat proportional to the degree of
desiccation. In the mathematical model of the consolidation process described
previously, boundary conditions are defined in terms of void ratio. Thus,
the lower void ratios brought on by desiccation will cause the consolidating
material to respond in the correct manner.

53. The series of illustrations in Figure 7 show the proposed process
for combining the desiccation/consolidation phenomena during first-stage
drying when the water table remains at the material surface. The uniform,
intermediate void ratio between \( e_{00} \) and \( e_{SL} \) in the dried portion is deter-
mined by the amount of water evaporated up to the time under consideration.
Figure 7. Void ratio distributions during first-stage drying
Intermediate curves in the consolidating portion are dependent on material properties and current boundary conditions. The heavy broken line represents the ultimate void ratio distribution of the total layer normally consolidated by self-weight only. The effect of drying the surface is to cause the effective weight of the dried material to be felt at the top of the consolidating material. Thus, the top boundary of the consolidating material behaves as if it were a drained boundary under a surcharge.

54. Under second-stage drying, the upper boundary condition is also controlled in a manner similar to that for first-stage drying. Differences occur because the water table is being lowered beneath the material surface and the ultimate void ratio distribution is shifting due to loss of buoyancy in the solids above the water table. The series of illustrations in Figure 8 show typical void ratio distributions for increasing times under second-stage drying. The upper boundary of the consolidating layer will follow the water table and its void ratio will be defined as the smaller of either the $e_{SL}$ or the ultimate void ratio at a drained boundary due to the surcharge above the water table.

Deposition of additional material on a previously dried crust

55. A further complication to the already complex mathematical model describing the consolidation/desiccation process in fine-grained dredged material involves the circumstance when additional dredged fill is deposited onto a layer which has previously dried to some degree. Experience indicates that all dredged fill surfaces subjected to desiccation will exhibit cracking, the extent of which depends on material type and the environmental conditions under which drying took place. When additional dredged slurry is deposited on this cracked surface, there is excess water available which will resaturate any material dried to less than saturation, but no vertical swelling of the material will occur. Any tendency for the old material to swell should be proportionate to the amount of cracking and thus will be absorbed by a partial closing of the cracks. There is also evidence which suggests that some of these cracks persist long after many layers of new material have been added and may perform as interior drainage boundaries. The photograph in Figure 9 illustrates how an interior boundary serves to help drain a very well managed dredged fill disposal area near Charleston, S. C.

56. In this study, it is assumed that previously desiccated material
Figure 8. Void ratio distributions during second-stage drying.
will remain at its desiccated void ratio when inundated by additional dredged slurry and behave essentially as an overconsolidated material. The effect this has on the normally consolidating material above and below the previously dried crust will be discussed in the next section.

Interior boundary conditions

57. When new dredged fill is placed on top of previously desiccated material, an overconsolidated interior sublayer remains which does not behave as the normally consolidating material above and below. In an intact state this overconsolidated material might be expected to seal the material below and thus impede its future consolidation. However, it is proposed here that this desiccated and overconsolidated material will initially function as a semipermeable drainage boundary due to its cracked and fissured nature developed during the evaporative dewatering process. It is also proposed that
consolidation in the lower overconsolidated material will cease until such time as the effective stresses from higher normally consolidating material cause existing void ratios to again fall above the ultimate void ratios.

58. In the mathematical model, the above postulated behavior of overconsolidated material will be accounted for in the calculation by assigning a temporary "calculation" void ratio commensurate with its effective stress. Effective stress is calculated from the top down by consideration of total material weight and developed pore pressures. Figure 10 illustrates the stresses and pore pressures immediately after additional slurry is placed on a previously desiccated layer and also the actual and calculation void ratios. When the calculation void ratios again equal the actual void ratios, consolidation of the entire layer proceeds in the normal manner as illustrated in Figure 11.
Figure 10. Soil stresses and void ratio distribution immediately after placement of new lift on partially consolidated layer.
Figure 11. Void ratio distributions after placement of additional dredged material on previously dried material
PART III: COMPUTER PROGRAM PCDDF

59. In this part, solution of the mathematical problem described in the previous part by the computer program Primary Consolidation and Desiccation of Dredged Fill (PCDDF) will be discussed. A user's manual giving specifics of program organization, input requirements, output format, and other information necessary for program use in predicting settlements of actual disposal sites is included as Appendix A to this report. A program listing is contained in Appendix B, and sample input and output are given in Appendix C.

Background

60. PCDDF is basically an extensively revised and expanded version of the computer program CSLFS (Cargill 1982) which solved the self-weight consolidation process through the finite strain consolidation theory by an explicit finite difference solution of the governing equation. The program has retained the features permitting semipermeable drainage boundaries and enabling simultaneous consolidation calculation in a lower compressible foundation layer. The principal alteration is the addition of a subroutine which calculates changes in void ratios due to desiccation and modifies the upper boundary condition of the consolidating material to account for the effective weight of the dried crust.

61. The program is primarily intended as an aid to design of dredged material containment areas where settlements are controlled by the self-weight consolidation characteristics of the material and the material's response to environmental factors causing desiccation of the surface. The calculation scheme is such that any sequence of filling is permissible so long as the basic dredged material properties are unchanged. Compressible foundation properties can be totally different from the dredged material.

62. Another feature of PCDDF is the calculation of soil stresses and pore pressures during the consolidation process. These values are helpful in assessing soil strength and determining when the material can be worked with conventional earthmoving equipment or possibly when the material can support construction loads such as interior dikes. The correlation of dredged material effective stress with load supporting strength is, however, a subject for future research and will not be addressed here.
63. It has been previously shown (Cargill 1983a) that the filling sequence of disposal areas can be safely approximated by lumping all material deposited over a period of time into one total deposition at the beginning of the time period if settlements are being calculated for a time period at least twice the deposition time period. For example, if one is interested in total settlement 2 years after a site is put in operation, for calculation purposes all material deposited throughout the first year can be considered deposited at the beginning of the first year. However, this approximation may introduce error if any desiccation occurs in the incrementally placed material. Thus, the filling sequence used to simulate site filling must be set up to account for all intermediate desiccation periods.

Solution Techniques

64. Closed form analytical solutions of the equations governing the consolidation/desiccation process are not available due to the highly non-linear nature of the equations' coefficients. However, incremental solutions over relatively short time periods when these coefficients can be assumed practically constant are feasible by computer techniques. In PCDDF the consolidation process and desiccation process are solved separately to a certain point in time when the solutions are combined to determine the net impact on the dredged material. This reconciliation occurs monthly in the program to conform with the availability of reasonably accurate average evaporation and rainfall data.

Consolidation

65. The consolidation process is solved in PCDDF by an explicit finite difference scheme which reduces the governing equation (Equation 1) to a tractable form. The procedure is fully described by Cargill (1982) and the details will not be repeated here. Suffice it to say that the void ratio at nodal points throughout the dredged fill or compressible foundation layer can be calculated for any point in time as illustrated in Figure 12.

66. The consolidation calculation is carried forward from the time of material deposition until the time desiccation starts. At the desiccation start time the void ratio integral for the normally consolidating dredged fill layer is evaluated. Normal consolidation then proceeds until 1 month after the desiccation start time when again the void ratio integral is evaluated. The
difference in these integrals provides the value of $C_S$ used in Equations 39 and 41. Adjustments for effective desiccation can then be made. The process is repeated on a monthly basis until new material is placed and desiccation starts anew or until the entire dredged layer is dried and consolidation ceases.

67. At each monthly interval during times when the desiccation process is effective, the material thickness of the consolidating dredged material will decrease by an amount dependent on the amount of effective evaporation. (This will be discussed in the next subsection.) The top boundary condition of the remaining consolidating material is also modified according to the amount of effective evaporation. The void ratio of the top nodal point in the consolidating layer will have a value greater than or equal to its ultimate void ratio as determined by the effective stress induced by desiccated material above. Thus, the consolidating layer behaves as if it were subjected to a drained surcharge at the top boundary.
68. The bottom boundary of the consolidating dredged material and/or compressible foundation is assumed to be unaffected by the desiccation process. Details of how this boundary condition is calculated may be found in the earlier report (Cargill 1982).

69. The use of an explicit finite difference scheme in solving the consolidation governing equation requires that strict stability criteria be observed at all times during the incremental solution process. PCDDF is coded to print an error message when certain criteria are not met in choosing an appropriate time step or material node spacing. Theoretically, the solution should be stable if

\[
\tau \leq \frac{(\Delta z)^2 \gamma_w}{2\sigma(e)_{\text{max}}} \tag{43}
\]

where

\( \tau \) = time step

\( \Delta z \) = difference in material coordinates of adjacent nodes

\( \sigma(e)_{\text{max}} = k(e) \frac{d\sigma'}{1 + e} \) (maximum value within layer)

70. Another criterion which has been found to be useful in selecting a time step for input to the program is

\[
\tau < \frac{h}{k(e_{oo}) \cdot N} \tag{44}
\]

where

\( h \) = layer thickness

\( N \) = number of material nodes in a layer

71. An unstable calculation will usually be characterized by void ratios considerably outside the range of possible values or by zero consolidation when consolidation should be taking place. The cure for an unstable calculation is usually to decrease the time step chosen, but other input data should also be checked to ensure consistency.

72. Two options exist for selecting the relationship of the time step and grid size:

a. Based on the compressibility and permeability characteristics entered as input data, PCDDF will determine a simulation time increment and node spacing consistent with the stability criteria presented in Equations 43 and 44. For each problem,
the dredged fill (and compressible foundation, if present) is represented by 10 equally spaced nodes, and a stable time step is determined.

b. The user may determine values of the time step and grid size. An algorithm for choosing a stable set is presented in the user's manual.

Desiccation

73. At the end of each monthly period during times when the desiccation process is effective, the effect of the previous month's evaporation is applied to the dredged material. For computational simplicity, changes in void ratio are applied only at nodal points beginning at the surface of the dredged material. Also, to avoid the trial-and-error method of solving Equation 40, the program calculates desiccation settlement as

\[ \delta_D = -\Delta w - \delta''_D \]

where \( \delta''_D \) = any carry-over desiccation. Carry-over desiccation normally includes that which is due to the loss of saturation the previous month (a figure which also takes into account the crack network during second-stage drying). It may also include a negative desiccation quantity from the previous month (water lost due to consolidation exceeds potential evaporation desiccation) and/or a quantity from any necessary adjustment in the void ratio at the top of the consolidating layer.

74. With the desiccation settlement from Equation 45, the program next determines the average void ratio reduction within a dredged material sublayer (that material between adjacent nodes) by

\[ \Delta e = \frac{\delta''_D}{\Delta z} \]

Starting with the uppermost adjustable node, void ratios are adjusted in turn toward or to the \( e_{DL} \) or \( e_{SL} \) (depending on whether first- or second-stage drying is effective) until the average required reduction has been achieved.

75. As the dredged material is desiccated below the \( e_{SL} \), the free water table drops below the material's surface. In PCDDF the water table is set at the first calculation nodal point having a void ratio less than \( e_{SL} \) but not deeper than the limiting value as defined by Equation 32. The solution of Equation 32 requires a value be known for \( z_{DL} \). Since \( z_{DL} \) occurs
at the intersection of the ultimate void ratio distribution curve with \( e_{DL} \), the chosen void ratio-effective stress relationship can be used to define the effective stress at this void ratio. Thus,

\[
\sigma'_{DL} = f(e_{DL}) \tag{47}
\]

and since

\[
\sigma'_{DL} = (\ell - z_{DL})[\gamma_s + (e_{DL} \cdot PS \cdot \gamma_w)] \tag{48}
\]

\( z_{DL} \) is determined.

76. The desiccation subroutine in PCDDF also recalculates a new ultimate void ratio distribution for material in the consolidating layer based on the surcharge created by dried material above the new water table. The uppermost void ratio in the consolidating layer is then set to its ultimate value (which may create some carry-over desiccation) which becomes the top boundary condition for the next series of consolidation calculations.

77. There are obviously some drawbacks to this rather simplistic treatment of the desiccation process in fine-grained dredged material. No attempt has been made to model the complex mechanisms of how a soil gets to its final desiccated volumetric condition nor how and to what magnitude stresses and pore pressures develop in the desiccated portion. As previously stated, such a rigorous explanation is felt not to be warranted due to the paucity of information available on the factors which actually control the process. The mathematical model and solution technique proposed here avoid the necessity of knowing the complex mechanisms at work or the multitude of factors which control them. The overall effect is correctly represented, i.e. desiccation leads to a reduction of voids in the dried material. The presence of a dried surface does change the boundary condition in the consolidating material, and the effect of an extensively cracked crust is to increase the speed and magnitude of consolidation in the underlying material. The accuracy of this method obviously depends on properly defining the proposed quantities \( e_{SL} \) and \( e_{DL} \) and how well these quantities can be used to represent the true boundary condition of the consolidating layer.

Deposition of additional dredged material

78. PCDDF allows the deposition of additional dredged material at any monthly interval after filling begins. The only program restriction is that
the new material have the same properties as previously placed material. In the absence of any desiccation in prior deposits, there is a natural transition between the old and new since the void ratio at the top of the old matches that of the new. However, when the top of the old layer has been desiccated and extensively cracked, there is no natural transition between the two layers. Again, the program takes a simplistic approach in accordance with the mathematical model previously described.

79. When new material is deposited, there is a discrepancy in the value of the actual void ratio at the boundary node. Due to probable extensive cracking at this point, it appears quite reasonable to approximate the actual void ratio as an average of the zero effective stress void ratio and the desiccated void ratio. Void ratios in the remainder of previously desiccated material are assumed to be maintained at their desiccated values.

80. To calculate consolidation based on these desiccated interior void ratios which may be at or below their ultimate values would be saying that there is a completely free draining interior boundary within the consolidating layer. While evidence does exist to indicate that these old layer boundaries do offer some enhancement to material drainage, it would be overly optimistic to assume they are free draining. Therefore, future consolidation is based on an artificially set initial condition through the previously dried material. The initial condition was previously illustrated in Figure 10 and in the previously dried zone is based on a linear variation of void ratio between the boundary node at the zero effective stress void ratio and the node below the dried zone at a void ratio due to prior consolidation. This scheme of calculation is considered a realistic representation of the effect the previously dried zone has on future consolidation.

Stresses and pore pressures

81. The program calculates stresses and pore pressures by numerical integration of the previous Equations 20 and 23 for all material nodes where the void ratio has not been reduced below its ultimate value due to current or past desiccation. In the consolidating material, effective stress is dependent on the input effective stress-void ratio relationship and exact values are interpolated between input points. At nodes where the void ratio has been desiccated below its ultimate value based on material weights, excess pore pressures are arbitrarily set to zero and effective stress is set equal to the effective weight of material above.
82. The variables required for solution of the finite strain theory consolidation governing equation include a relationship between void ratio and effective stress in the form of point values, a void ratio-permeability relationship in the form of point values, and unit weights of material solids and water. The determination of these variables has been previously discussed by Cargill (1982 and 1983a).

83. Input quantities governing the desiccation calculations in PCDDF include the saturation limit ($e_{SL}$), desiccation limit ($e_{DL}$), average monthly Class A pan evaporation rates, average monthly rainfall, site drainage efficiency, and maximum potential soil evaporation efficiency. Specification of these quantities will involve considerable engineering judgment until an extensive experience base is developed which compares model predictions against actual site performance. At the present time, NOAA data appear to be the best source for average rainfall and evaporation rates. Sites of interest for a consolidation/desiccation prediction will normally be well managed for drainage of surface water and thus have a drainage efficiency of 1.0, but site-specific conditions may be judged to warrant some lower factor. The $e_{SL}$, $e_{DL}$, and maximum evaporation efficiency are soil-related variables for which there is no current convenient method of determination. Recommendations on their specification will be made after some site-specific problems are analyzed in the next section.
PART IV: FIELD VERIFICATION SITES

84. The analysis procedure proposed in the previous parts of this report must be tested against measured field performance before it can be judged useful or appropriate for field design purposes. Therefore, the procedure will be used to predict performance at three dredged material disposal sites where settlements have been measured. These sites are not ideal because they were not monitored as comprehensive field verification sites as recommended in Appendix E. Some assumptions affecting the material's behavior had to be made in order to apply the theory. However, the sites chosen are deemed the best available and sufficient information is considered available to perform valid comparisons of predicted and measured performance.

85. The first site is a confined disposal area for Canaveral Harbor near Cape Canaveral, Fla.; the second site is a confined disposal area for Norfolk Harbor and vicinity called Craney Island which is near Hampton Roads, Va. These two sites were previously used by Cargill (1983a) in verification of procedures for the hand calculation of consolidation only. The third site is a confined disposal area called Drum Island in Charleston Harbor near Charleston, S. C. Settlements at this site were monitored and documented by Mr. Braxton Kyzer of the Charleston District, Corps of Engineers.

Site Descriptions

86. Even though the Canaveral Harbor and Craney Island sites have been previously described (Cargill 1983a; Palermo, Shields, and Hayes 1981), pertinent information will be repeated here for completeness. The description of the Drum Island site is from Kyzer (1981). Tabulated rainfall data are from NOAA (1980), and pan evaporation amounts are estimated from charts by Brown and Thompson (1977).

Canaveral Harbor

87. This disposal site was constructed in 1980 and used for one dredging operation in Canaveral Harbor. The site covers an area of about 20 acres* and was filled with dredged material during or about the last week of September 1980. Although detailed information on dredged volumes and disposal area

* A table of factors for converting US customary units of measurement to metric (SI) units is presented on page 5.
foundation elevations is not available, a sampling program was conducted in conjunction with this study. Two settlement plates were also installed at the interface of the foundation and dredged material prior to filling; thus, good data on material settlement are available after 3 November 1980 when the plates were first read. Surface desiccation at the site was probably non-existent before outflow weir boards were removed, but was probably a critical factor over the majority of the site afterwards. Project records indicate weir boards were routinely removed beginning in December 1980 and the dike was breached in the summer of 1981 to aid in the removal of surface water from rainfall. Because of its relatively small size, the area around the settlement plates would have been subjected to desiccation when the program of surface water removal was initiated even though the plates were situated toward the lower part of the disposal area.

88. In February 1983, the dredged material deposited at Canaveral Harbor was sampled the full depth of the layer in the vicinity of the settlement plates. Figure 13 shows void ratio profiles developed from water content measurements based on the assumption of saturated samples and a specific gravity of solids of 2.70. From these profiles, an accurate measurement of the depth of material solids can be obtained. The material collected from the fill site was also reconstituted into a slurry with harbor water for the purpose of a self-weight consolidation test as described by Cargill (1983b). From the self-weight consolidation test, the material's zero effective stress void ratio was determined to be 11.5. Using an average height of solids of 0.756 ft, the unconsolidated height of dredged material would have been 9.45 ft. This corresponds reasonably well with the 8.5-ft average height used in a previous analysis (Cargill 1983a) even though the initial void ratio and height of solids do not. The discrepancy is possibly due to the sampling technique used in the survey previously reported.

89. It should also be noted that there were no open desiccation cracks in the area of the settlement plates at the time of the sampling in 1983 while in November 1981, open cracks approximately 8 in. deep were observed. Thus, in the analysis to follow, predicted material height which is based on open desiccation cracks should be slightly higher than measured height.

90. Percent saturation testing conducted on material taken from the top of the desiccated crust showed saturations from 90 to 94 percent. This provided the impetus for assuming 100-percent saturation in lower parts of the
Figure 13. Void ratio profiles at Canaveral Harbor
crust and enabled calculation of void ratio from water content measurements.

91. Average monthly rainfall and pan evaporation data for the site are shown in Table 1 along with the data from other sites to be analyzed. Since the site is generally sloped toward the outflow, a drainage efficiency of 1.0 is probable once the material begins to dry, and the rainfall amounts are not critical to the analysis. They are thus listed as a matter of interest only. For lack of any better specific information, it will be assumed that desiccation in the area of the settlement plates became effective in December 1980 and that prior to that time there was free water at the surface of the dredged material.

Table 1
Average Monthly Rainfall and Pan Evaporation (feet)

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92. Two recent (February 1983) photographs of the site are shown in Figure 14. It is evident from these pictures that the site has experienced considerable desiccation.

Craney Island

93. The Craney Island disposal site is a 2,500-acre area confined by dikes about 28 ft high. Dike bottom elevation is about -10.0 ft mlw (mean low water), and top elevation averages about +18.0 ft mlw. Dike construction
a. View of area from south dike looking north. East settlement plate in center of photo

b. View of extremely desiccated nature of material. Notice impressions of previous widely spaced cracks

Figure 14. Canaveral Harbor disposal area
started in August 1954 and since 1956 over 130 million cu yd of in situ channel sediments has been deposited in the area almost continuously by both direct pipeline discharge and hopper pumpout. Figure 15 illustrates typical recent conditions at the site. As can be seen from these photographs, the size of the disposal area is sufficient that disposal and desiccation can occur simultaneously.

94. Settlement plates have only recently been installed at Craney Island and therefore material settlement at the site had to be inferred from topographic surveys conducted in December 1964, August 1965, October 1968, December 1975, October 1977, and March 1980 as reported by Palermo, Shields, and Hayes (1981). Meaningful comparisons of settlements inferred from site elevations with calculated settlements require detailed information about the volume of solids deposited and the area of deposition.

95. Field sampling and testing reported by Palermo, Shields, and Hayes (1981) indicated that the average in situ void ratio of channel sediments was about 5.93 and that the sediments averaged about 15 percent sand (particle size 0.075 mm). A self-weight consolidation test on material taken from the area in August 1982 indicated the zero effective stress void ratio to be 9.0. If it is assumed that the sand solids will separate and settle immediately after disposition to a void ratio conservatively estimated at about 2.0 (the void ratio would usually be lower), then about 4 percent of the disposal area will be required for sand deposition. Thus, the fine-grained portion will then settle and consolidate in the remaining 2,400 acres. The presence of sand mounds commonly found at the outfall of dredged material discharge pipes verifies the validity of this assumption.

96. It is very unlikely that any of the dredged material deposited in Craney Island spread evenly across the 2,400 acres available for deposition, but the assumption of uniform spreading is the only choice available in the absence of more detailed information. Errors inherent in this assumption should average out over the 24-year disposal history to be examined. Based on this uniform spreading, Table 2 shows the yearly totals of volumes of material deposited, total solids, height of material, and height of solids. The "Height of Solids" column is the equivalent height of solids with no voids in the dredged fill layer and is calculated from the dredged volume, disposal area, and in situ void ratio.

97. Surface desiccation at Craney Island was not possible over a
a. View from west dike looking northeast

b. View from center of disposal area looking north

Figure 15. Craney Island disposal area
### Table 2
Annual Volumes and Height of Materials Deposited in Craney Island Disposal Area

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<th>Year</th>
<th>Dredged Volume at ( e = 5.93 ) ( 10^6 ) cu yd</th>
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Note: Numbers in parentheses are cumulative totals.
* Considers only fine-grained material, which is 85 percent of the total.
majority of the site until about the end of 1965 when the average surface elevation of the disposal area came above the mean low water elevation of the surrounding harbor. After 1965 surface desiccation was probably limited due to the almost continual input of large volumes of dredged material and the fact that average pan evaporation was zero for nearly half the year as shown in Table 1. However, as previously shown in Figure 15, desiccation does occur at the site. It will therefore be assumed for the purpose of calculation that annual material deposition occurs from August to December and that during the remainder of most years after 1965, desiccation is active. This should approximate an average condition for the entire site and is expected to give full benefit to desiccation which has actually occurred. As shown by Table 2, the years 1967 and 1971 saw exceptionally large amounts of material deposited. Therefore, no desiccation will be assumed to have occurred during those years.

Drum Island

98. This confined disposal area in Charleston Harbor is approximately 125 acres in size and has been used intermittently for storing dredged material since the 1940's. Since 1977 it has been intensively managed by the Charleston District to promote material desiccation. A program of perimeter and interior ditching and even an underdrainage system in a portion of the area has been used. Material taken from the ditches has been thoroughly dried through repeated handling by construction equipment and ultimately used in raising the area's confining dike. This dewatered material has been found to be well suited for dike construction as there has been little loss of dike height due to long-term drying and consolidation of the material.

99. The present study will be concerned only with the two most recent disposal operations at Drum Island because settlement plates were installed just prior to them and have been available for settlement measurements since then. The first disposal operation after settlement plates were installed on the previously placed material occurred between the end of November 1980 and then end of January 1981. Approximately 540,000 cu yd of channel sediments was pumped into the area. Settlement plates were read several times in the months immediately following the first disposal, and readings will be graphically portrayed in a later section.

100. During the month of March 1982, the area was again used for dredged material disposal. Approximately 560,000 cu yd was deposited during this operation. Unfortunately, no settlement plate readings were made in
conjunction with this latest filling operation and until readings were again made in January 1983, the only available data come from interpretation of photographs taken in August 1982.

101. At the time of the last settlement plate reading, the dredged material was sampled in the area of each settlement plate through the full depth of the layers resulting from the two latest disposal operations. At the time of the sampling, desiccation cracks about 10 in. deep as shown in Figure 16 were very prominent and completely filled with free water. Figure 17 shows void ratio profiles developed from water content measurements based on saturated samples and a specific gravity of solids of 2.60 for samples taken through undisturbed material between desiccation cracks. From these profiles, an average depth of material solids was determined to be 0.270 ft for the top layer and 0.370 ft for the bottom layer. The gross depth of solids for the top layer calculated from the void ratio profiles was reduced to account for the crack network in arriving at the 0.270-ft figure.

102. A self-weight consolidation test conducted on material from the site reconstituted into a slurry indicated the zero effective stress void ratio to be 12.15. Together with the average solids height, this leads to unconsolidated heights of about 3.6 ft for the top layer and 4.8 ft for the bottom layer.

Material Properties

103. The analysis of consolidation/desiccation settlements accomplished by the computer program PCDDF requires knowledge of the basic material properties controlling or describing the processes. The quantities included in a complete geotechnical description of the material for the purpose of settlement computation are the relationship between void ratio and effective stress for the full range of possible void ratios, the relationship between void ratio and permeability, the specific gravity of soil solids and water, the dredged materials' saturation limit \( e_{SL} \), and its desiccation limit \( e_{DL} \). Void ratio-effective stress and void ratio-permeability relationships for each of the field verification sites are given in Appendix D. The relationships for Canaveral Harbor and Craney Island material have been modified from those previously reported by Cargill (1983a) due to information gained from self-weight consolidation testing.
a. View of settlement plate No. 4

b. Reference scale is approximately 18 in.$^2$

Figure 16. Drum Island disposal area
Figure 17. Void ratio profiles at Drum Island

104. Specification of the desiccation variables for the sites is based partially on unpublished water content measurements taken in the dredged material crust during the past few years and partially on the more recent material sampling program. In interpreting the previously collected data, whenever the dredged material was referred to as "at the decant point" (which should correspond to that physical state as described by Haliburton (1978)) it was assumed that the material was saturated, and its void ratio corresponds to the saturation limit $e_{SL}$. Whenever measurements were made on "dried crust" it was assumed that the material was at the desiccation limit $e_{DL}$, and it was not necessarily saturated.

105. Calculation of a soils void ratio can be accomplished by the equation

$$e = \frac{W}{PS} \cdot G_s$$ (49)
where \( G_s \) = specific gravity of solids and other terms are as previously defined. Using this equation and the facts that \( PS \) is 100 percent at the \( e_{SL} \) and approximately 80 percent (as suggested by Haliburton (1978) and verified through photographs such as shown in Figure 16) at the \( e_{DL} \) when the crack network is considered, appropriate void ratios were calculated from all available data and the selected values for the verification sites are shown in Table 3 along with average specific gravity of solids and other information.

While the dried material between desiccation cracks may not be completely saturated, it is felt that the approximation of the crack area makes a more accurate calculation of an effective void ratio in the dried crust infeasible.

Table 3

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Desiccation Parameters</th>
<th>Canaveral Harbor</th>
<th>Craney Island</th>
<th>Drum Island</th>
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<tr>
<td>Specific gravity of solids ( G_s )</td>
<td>2.70</td>
<td>2.75</td>
<td>2.60</td>
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<td>Liquid limit ( LL ), %</td>
<td>143</td>
<td>125</td>
<td>140</td>
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<td>Plastic limit ( PL ), %</td>
<td>40</td>
<td>42</td>
<td>49</td>
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<tr>
<td>Zero effective stress void ratio ( e_{oo} )</td>
<td>11.5</td>
<td>9.0</td>
<td>12.15</td>
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<tr>
<td>Saturation limit ( e_{SL} )</td>
<td>3.7</td>
<td>6.5</td>
<td>6.7</td>
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<td>Desiccation limit ( e_{DL} )</td>
<td>2.5</td>
<td>3.2</td>
<td>3.1</td>
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<td>Typical maximum crust depth, in.</td>
<td>11</td>
<td>6</td>
<td>10</td>
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<td>Desiccation cracks as percentage of surface area</td>
<td>20</td>
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<td>20</td>
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<tr>
<td>Maximum evaporation efficiency, %</td>
<td>75</td>
<td>75</td>
<td>75</td>
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<tr>
<td>Site drainage efficiency, %</td>
<td>100</td>
<td>100</td>
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106. The percentages given for evaporation and drainage efficiencies in Table 3 represent "best estimates" at the present time. Previously cited work supports the 100-percent figure for site drainage efficiency since the chosen sites have been managed to promote drying. The maximum evaporation efficiency represents a compromise between the absolute maximum of 100 percent and the probable minimum of 50 percent. The sensitivity of settlement calculations to the maximum evaporation efficiency was checked for each site by performing the calculations at 50, 75, and 100 percent. The results of this analysis indicated that there are practically no differences in the long-term settlements.
calculated by either of the evaporation efficiencies and usually less than about 5 percent differences in the intermediate settlements. Similar checks of drainage efficiency between 0.5 and 1.0 also indicated no differences in long-term settlements and only minor differences for the intermediate times.

107. The reason for this insensitivity to the drainage and evaporation efficiencies lies in the specification of a maximum depth of crust for the particular material. Thus, under most normal drying conditions, a maximum crust will have sufficient time to develop and whether this takes 2 months or 12 months is insignificant over the long term. However, even if the crust does not fully develop, it has also been found that the combined total effect on settlements from desiccation and the additional induced consolidation remains roughly the same magnitude and is mainly dependent on the maximum depth of crust in conjunction with the material's saturation and desiccation limits.
PART V: COMPARISON OF MEASURED WITH PREDICTED PERFORMANCE

108. In this part, the mathematical model of the consolidation/desiccation process in dredged material will be used to predict material settlements at the three verification sites previously described using basic material properties and parameters as determined from field sampling and consolidation testing. In addition to the consolidation/desiccation prediction, a prediction based on the finite strain theory and considering consolidation only will be made to illustrate the differences which desiccation makes in material settlement. This is also an ideal opportunity to illustrate the differences between the finite strain and conventional small strain consolidation theories, and so the results of a small strain analysis for two of the sites are also given. (See Cargill (1983a) for details of calculation procedure for multiple layers.) A small strain consolidation analysis of the Canaveral Harbor site yielded no significant settlement over the period of interest.

Canaveral Harbor

109. Figure 18 shows the predicted height of the dredged material layer at Canaveral Harbor using the mathematical model of the consolidation/desiccation process as proposed in this report. While agreement between the predicted and measured material height is not perfect, there is obviously good correspondence. Differences at the early times when the effects of desiccation become the controlling factor are possibly attributed to more extreme drying conditions at the site than were assigned as problem input. The input pan evaporation rates are average values over many years and thus may seriously underestimate (in this case) the actual pan evaporation rates for any one particular year.

110. Some of the discrepancy between measurements and predictions in the later times is due to the noted fact that the surface of the material has been eroded to fill in the deeper desiccation cracks. However, most of the discrepancy is thought due to the effects of secondary consolidation which is not accounted for in the model. Evidence in support of this hypothesis comes from the measured void ratios in the consolidating material below the crust as shown previously in Figure 13 and the measured relationship between void ratio and effective stress for the material. A calculation of effective weights of
material assuming the water table is at the bottom of desiccation cracks (11 in. below surface) reveals that the void ratio at the bottom of the layer should be about 4.27, yet the void ratio measured was about 3.5. Secondary consolidation is a possible reason for this difference.

**Craney Island**

111. The average material heights measured and predicted by the various models are shown in Figure 19. It is obvious that again the consolidation/desiccation model developed in this report comes very close to simulating actual field performance. It is also interesting to note that the cumulative amount of desiccation settlement at Craney Island is relatively small compared with overall settlement. This is due to the fact that potential evaporation is zero for much of the year and that regular disposal operations prevent desiccation some of the time when potential evaporation is not zero. The very poor correlation of the small strain theory prediction should also be noted.
112. Considering the 24-year time span covered by the Craney Island disposal history, prediction results are considered very good. The fact that slightly more settlement was predicted than was determined by averaging the topographic survey results is thought to be due mainly to the inherent inaccuracies of trying to characterize average conditions over a 2,500-acre site.

113. Some interesting aspects of the interaction of desiccation and consolidation over a long term are illustrated by Table 4 which lists settlements by type at the end of the 24-year period for various evaporation efficiencies. In studying the computer runs for \( C'_E \) of 1.00 and 0.75, it became apparent that a higher evaporation efficiency tended to lead to greater desiccation settlement at the earlier times but that this greater early desiccation led to greater consolidation (and increased the water available for evaporation) and thus less later desiccation. However, in comparing the calculations for a \( C'_E \) of 0.75 and 0.50, it appeared that the earlier desiccation was not sufficient to trigger greater consolidation and that the expected tendency of greater desiccation for a greater evaporation efficiency was maintained. The overall effect is that calculated total settlements are somewhat insensitive to evaporation efficiency in the long term as shown also in Table 4.
Table 4
Calculated Settlements at Craney Island

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Evaporation Efficiency ( E )</th>
<th>Consolidation Settlement ( ft )</th>
<th>Desiccation Settlement ( ft )</th>
<th>Total Settlement ( ft )</th>
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<tr>
<td>0.50</td>
<td>11.86</td>
<td>5.65</td>
<td>17.51</td>
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<td>0.75</td>
<td>10.60</td>
<td>6.82</td>
<td>17.51</td>
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<td>1.00</td>
<td>14.06</td>
<td>3.48</td>
<td>17.54</td>
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Drum Island

114. Predicted versus measured material height during the two latest disposal operations at Drum Island is shown in Figure 20. As can be seen, desiccation causes a relatively major part of the total material settlement, and the consolidation/desiccation model more reliably simulates average material heights throughout the history of the two layers.

![Figure 20. Measured and predicted material heights at Drum Island](image-url)
115. The discrepancy of about 4 in. toward the end is considered about the limit of the accuracy of settlement plate readings, but the discrepancy is more likely attributable to secondary consolidation in the very soft material. A review of the void ratio profiles in Figure 17 shows void ratios lower than would normally be expected considering the void ratio-effective stress relationship of the material, the effective weight of the material, and a normal water table at the bottom of the desiccation cracks.
PART VI: SUMMARY, CONCLUSIONS, AND RECOMMENDATIONS

116. In this report, a concise, consistent, and cogent mathematical model of the consolidation/desiccation process in dredged material has been presented. The consolidation portion of the model is well founded on the finite strain theory of consolidation, which is most applicable to the large strains and nonlinear nature of the consolidation process in soft, fine-grained dredged material. The desiccation portion of the model is based on a simplified empirical concept of water evaporation from the dredged material surface. It conforms to observations as documented in previous work by soil scientists and the experimental work of others conducted on dredged material. The coupling of the desiccation process to the consolidation process is accomplished through manipulation of the upper consolidating layer boundary location and the boundary condition.

117. The solution of the mathematical model developed is accomplished by numerical techniques on a computer. The computer program PCDDF as documented herein can calculate dredged material settlements due to consolidation and desiccation for any site-specific application using only the fundamental properties of the dredged material and average site environmental conditions. The fundamental soil properties required are the soil's specific gravity, relationship between void ratio and effective stress, and relationship between void ratio and permeability. Additional soil properties defined in this study and required for modeling the desiccation process are its maximum evaporation efficiency, saturation limit, and desiccation limit. Required environmental conditions include monthly averages of potential Class A pan evaporation and rainfall amounts.

118. Based on the comparisons of predicted with measured field settlements in this report, it is concluded that the proposed mathematical model and solution procedure offer both unique and realistic opportunities for more economical and efficient management of confined dredged material disposal areas. It has been shown that the model can reproduce with a great deal of accuracy material heights resulting from disposal activities involving one lift, two lifts, or even twenty-four lifts of dredged material over relatively short time periods or relatively long time periods. The predictions are based on fundamental soil properties determined during laboratory testing or field sampling and have been shown to be relatively insensitive to those factors.
requiring engineering judgment such as site drainage efficiency and soil evaporation efficiency.

119. A logical extension of the research documented in this report involves both theoretical and practical considerations. Improvements in the laboratory determination of the consolidation properties of the very soft, fine-grained soils such as dredged material to include the correlation of some standard consolidation parameters with the standard soil classifiers such as Atterberg limits and activity ratio should be undertaken. Procedures for the laboratory determination of the saturation limit $e_{SL}$, desiccation limit $e_{DL}$, and maximum evaporation efficiency $C_E$ must also be developed to enable before-the-fact predictions in material not previously subjected to field desiccation. Comparisons made here indicate that the role of secondary consolidation in these very soft soils may be more important to ultimate settlement than originally thought. It is therefore recommended that the theory be extended to include appropriate consideration of time-dependent secondary consolidation. Of course, the procedures and equipment required for laboratory determination of the fundamental soil properties governing secondary compression (creep) as a function of the void ratio in these soft materials should proceed concurrently.

120. Special attention is again drawn to the opening assertion that all mathematical problem treatments must be rigorously verified through comparison with field performance. The mathematical model proposed herein should continue to be tested against performance in future comprehensive field verification sites instrumented and monitored as recommended in Appendix E to provide the experience base for any possible refinements necessary to improve its validity.
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APPENDIX A: USER'S GUIDE FOR COMPUTER PROGRAM PCDDF

1. This appendix will provide information useful to users of the computer program Primary Consolidation and Desiccation of Dredged Fill (PCDDF) to include a general description of the program processing sequence, definitions of principal variables, and format requirements for problem input. The program was originally written for use on the US Army Engineer Waterways Experiment Station (WES) time-sharing system but could be readily adapted to batch processing through a card reader and high-speed line printer. Some output format changes would be desirable if the program were used in batch processing to improve efficiency.

2. The program is written in FORTRAN IV computer language with eight-digit line numbers. However, characters 9 through 80 are formatted to conform to the standard FORTRAN statement when reproduced in spaces 1 through 72 of a computer card. Program input is through a quick access type file previously built by the user. Output is either to the time-sharing terminal or to a quick access file at the option of the user. Specific program options will be fully described in the remainder of this appendix.

3. A listing of the program is provided in Appendix B. Typical solution input and output are contained in Appendix C.

Program Description and Components

4. PCDDF is composed of the main program and 12 subroutines. It is broken down into subprograms to make modification and understanding easier. The program is also well documented throughout with comments, so a detailed description will not be given. However, an overview of the program structure is shown in Figure A1, and a brief statement about each part follows:

Main Program. In this part, input data are read according to the option specified and the various subroutines are called to print initial data; calculate consolidation, desiccation, and stresses; and print solution output.

Subroutine INTRO. This subprogram causes a heading to be printed, prints soil and calculation data, and prints initial conditions in each consolidating layer.

Subroutine SETUP1. SETUP1 calculates the time step and grid size, initial and final void ratios, coordinates, stresses, and final settlements in each initial consolidating layer. It also calculates the various void ratio functions.
Figure A1. Flow diagram of computer program PCDDF
\[
\frac{K(e)}{1 + e} \frac{d\sigma'}{de} \alpha(e), \text{ and } \beta(e)
\]

where
\( e = \) void ratio
\( K(e) = \) coefficient of permeability
\( \sigma' = \) effective stress
\( \alpha(e) = \) a function of the void ratio, compressibility, and permeability
\( \beta(e) = \) a function of the void ratio and permeability

from input relationships between void ratio, effective stress, and permeability.

Subroutine SETUP2. SETUP2 performs the same functions as SETUP1 with the exception of determining the time step and grid size.

Subroutine RESET. In this subroutine initial conditions are modified and certain variables reset each time a new dredged fill layer is added to the consolidating layers. The subroutine also calculates new final settlements and resets the bottom boundary pressure gradient based on the effective weight of the added layer.

Subroutine FDIFEQ. This is where consolidation is actually calculated. A finite difference equation is solved for each nodal point in the consolidating layers at each time step between specified output times. Void ratio functions and pore pressure gradients at layer boundaries are also recalculated at each time step. Subroutine DESIC is called at specified times to modify upper void ratios to account for desiccation. Just before each output time, consistency and stability criteria are checked.

Subroutine DESIC. This subroutine makes adjustments to the top void ratios in a layer based on the amount of desiccation which has been calculated to have occurred during the previous month. The subprogram adjusts toward the \( e_{SL} \) or \( e_{DL} \) depending on which stage of drying is currently effective (where \( e_{SL} \) is the void ratio at the saturation limit and \( e_{DL} \) is the void ratio at the desiccation limit).

New final void ratios are calculated whenever second-stage drying is in effect. When the entire layer has been dried to the \( e_{DL} \) or only four nodes are left in the consolidating layer, a warning message is printed.

Subroutine VRFUNC. The functions \( \alpha(e) \) and \( \beta(e) \) required at each time step in FDIFEQ are calculated in this subprogram.

Subroutine STRESS. Here, the current convective coordinates, soil stresses, and pore pressures are calculated for each output time.

Subroutine INTGRL. This subroutine evaluates the void ratio integral used in determining convective coordinates, settlements,
and soils stresses. The procedure is by Simpson's rule for odd- or even-numbered meshes.

Subroutine DATOUT. DATOUT prints the results of consolidation/desiccation calculations and initial conditions in tabular form. Examples are shown in Appendix C.

Subroutine DATAIN. This routine reads the data from a previous program run so that future consolidation calculations can be continued without having to recalculate previous consolidation.

Subroutine SAVDAT. The data from the current program run is written to a file in the format required to be read by DATAIN.

**Variables**

5. The following is a list of the principal variables and variable arrays that are used in the computer program PCDDF. The meaning of each variable is also given along with other pertinent information. If the variable name is followed by a number in parentheses, it is an array, and the number denotes the current array dimensions. If these dimensions are not sufficient for the problem to be run, they must be increased throughout the program.

- **A(101)** the Lagrangian coordinate of each space mesh point in the dredged fill layers.
- **A1(11)** the Lagrangian coordinate of each space mesh in the compressible foundation.
- **AEV** the amount of water removed from the dried crust due to a loss of saturation, and which is carried over to the next month and used to adjust the desiccation amount.
- **AF(101)** the function \( \alpha(e) \) corresponding to the current void ratios at each space mesh point in the dredged fill layers.
- **AF1(11)** the function \( \alpha(e) \) corresponding to the current void ratios at each space mesh point in the compressible foundation.
- **AHDF(25)** the initial height of added dredged fill layers in Lagrangian coordinates.
- **ALPHA(51)** the function \( \alpha(e) \) corresponding to the void ratios input when describing the void ratio-effective stress and permeability relationships for the dredged fill.
- **ALPHA1(51)** the function \( \alpha(e) \) as above except for the compressible foundation.
- **ATDS(25)** an array which stores the various times at which desiccation starts throughout the current problem.
- **BETA(51)** the function \( \beta(e) \) corresponding to the void ratios input when describing the void ratio-effective stress and permeability relationships for the dredged fill.
BETA1(51) the function $\beta(e)$ as above except for the compressible foundation.

BF(101) the function $\beta(e)$ corresponding to the current void ratios at each space mesh point in the dredged fill layers.

BF1(11) the function $\beta(e)$ corresponding to the current void ratios at each space mesh point in the compressible foundation.

CE the maximum dredged material evaporation efficiency for desiccation drying.

CSET the consolidation settlement occurring during the most recent monthly period in which desiccation was active.

DA the difference between the Lagrangian coordinates of space mesh points in the dredged fill layer.

DL the desiccation limit of the dredged material defined as the lowest void ratio the material will assume under second-stage drying.

DREFF the drainage efficiency of the dredged material containment area. In practically every case where this program is useful, the value of this variable should be input as 1.0, which signifies a well-drained area.

DSC the amount of desiccation carried over from the previous month due to a loss of saturation, adjustment to top boundary condition, or evaporation less than consolidation settlement.

DSDE(51) the calculated value of $d\sigma'/d\varepsilon$ corresponding to the void ratios input when describing the void ratio-effective stress relationship for the dredged fill.

DSDE1(51) the calculated value of $d\sigma'/d\varepsilon$ as above except for the compressible foundation.

DSET the desiccation settlement occurring during the most recent monthly period.

DTIM the next time at which the subroutine DESIC will be called to calculate the results of a month's desiccation.

DUØ the drainage path length in an incompressible boundary layer used for computing the semipermeable boundary condition. This value is originally input in Lagrangian coordinates but is changed to material coordinates by the program.

DUDZ1Ø the excess pore pressure gradient in an incompressible foundation at its boundary with the compressible layer.

DUDZ11 the excess pore pressure gradient in the compressible foundation at its boundary with an incompressible foundation.

DUDZ21 the excess pore pressure gradient in the dredged fill layer at its boundary with a compressible foundation or incompressible foundation.
DZ the difference between the material or reduced coordinates of space mesh points in the dredged fill.

DZ1 the difference between the material or reduced coordinates of space mesh points in the compressible foundation.

E(101) the current void ratios at each space mesh point in the dredged fill.

E0 the void ratio in the incompressible foundation at its boundary with the compressible layer.

E00 the initial void ratio assumed by the dredged fill after initial sedimentation and before consolidation.

E1(101) the initial void ratios at each space mesh point in the dredged fill.

E11(11) the initial void ratios at each space mesh point in the compressible foundation.

EFFSTR(101) the effective stress at each space mesh point in the dredged fill.

EFIN(101) the final (100 percent primary consolidation) void ratios at each space mesh point in the dredged fill.

EFIN1(11) the final (100 percent primary consolidation) void ratios at each space mesh point in the compressible foundation.

EFSTR1(11) the effective stress at each space mesh point in the compressible foundation.

ELL the total depth of the dredged fill in material or reduced coordinates.

ELL1 the depth of the compressible foundation in material or reduced coordinates.

EP(12) the monthly potential evaporation after correction for monthly rainfall and drainage efficiency.

ER(11) the current void ratios at each space mesh point in the compressible foundation.

ES(51) the void ratios input when describing the void ratio-effective stress and permeability relationships in the dredged fill.

ES1(51) the void ratios input when describing the void ratio-effective stress and permeability relationships in the compressible foundation.

ET(101) an array for storing the values of void ratios in the consolidating and desiccating layers just before a new lift of dredged material is placed. These values are used in all calculations except consolidation so long as the corresponding "calculation" void ratios are larger.

F(101) the void ratios at each space mesh point of the previous time step in the dredged fill.
\( F1(11) \) the void ratios at each space mesh point of the previous time step in the compressible foundation.

\( FINT(101) \) the void ratio integrals evaluated from the bottom to the subscripted space mesh point in the dredged fill.

\( FINTI(11) \) the void ratio integrals evaluated from the bottom to the subscripted space mesh point in the compressible foundation.

\( GC \) the buoyant unit weight of the dredged fill soil solids.

\( GC1 \) the buoyant unit weight of the soil solids of the compressible foundation.

\( GS \) the unit weight of the dredged fill soil solids.

\( GS1 \) the unit weight of the soil solids of the compressible foundation.

\( GSBL \) the specific gravity of the soil solids of the compressible foundation.

\( GSDF \) the specific gravity of the dredged fill soil solids.

\( GW \) the unit weight of water.

\( H2 \) the maximum depth to which second-stage drying will occur in convective coordinates.

\( HBL \) the initial height of the compressible foundation in Lagrangian coordinates.

\( HDF \) the initial height of the first dredged fill layer in Lagrangian coordinates.

\( HDF1 \) the initial height of later dredged fill layers in Lagrangian coordinates.

\( IMPLY \) an integer denoting the following options:

\[ 1 = \text{program will determine the simulation time increment and grid size to satisfy the stability criteria} \]

\[ 2 = \text{user will input } TAU, NBDIV, \text{ and } NBDIV1 \]

\( IN \) an integer denoting the input mode or device for initial problem data which has the value "10" in the present program.

\( INS \) an integer denoting the input mode or device for problem data from a previous computer run which has the value "12" in the present program.

\( IOUT \) an integer denoting the output mode or device for recording the results of program computations in a user's format which has the value "11" in the present program.

\( IOUTS \) an integer denoting the output mode or device for recording the results of program computations in a format for continuing the computations in a later run which has the value "13" in the present program.
LBL the number of data points used in describing the void ratio-effective stress and permeability relationships in the compressible foundation. The number should be sufficient to cover the full range of expected or possible void ratios.

LDF the number of data points as above except for the dredged fill.

M an integer used for tracking the month of the year for desiccation calculation purposes.

MM an integer used to flag the start of desiccation and for the purpose of calculating consolidation settlements.

MS the month in which desiccation starts for the current loop to print time.

MTIME the number of additional output times when continuing a previous computer run.

NBDIV the number of parts the initial dredged fill layer is divided into for computation purposes.

NBDIV1 the number of parts the compressible foundation layer is divided into for computation purposes.

NBL an integer denoting the following options:
1 = consolidation calculated for dredged fill layers and compressible foundation.
2 = consolidation calculated for dredged fill layers only.

ND the total number of space mesh points in the dredged fill layers.

NDATA1 an integer denoting the following options:
1 = this is a new problem and data will be read from file "10."
2 = this is a continuation of a previous computer run and data will be read from file "12."

NDATA2 an integer denoting the following options:
1 = do not save data for later computer run.
2 = save data on file "13" so that calculations can be continued in a later computer run.

NDIV the number of space mesh points in the initial dredged fill layer.

NDIV1 the total number of space mesh points in the compressible foundation layer.

NDT the total number of space mesh points in the consolidating portion of the dredged fill layers or "ND" minus those topmost nodes where void ratios have been reduced due to desiccation.
NFLAG  an integer denoting the following:
  0 = print current conditions heading.
  1 = print initial conditions heading.

NM  an integer counter which is used in tracking the output
times for each computer run.

NMS(25) an array which stores the various months at which desiccation
starts throughout the current problem.

NND  an integer used to denote the total number of parts into
which the dredged fill layers are divided for computation
purposes.

NNN  an integer counter which is used in tracking the total
number of time steps through which consolidation has
proceeded.

NNSC(25) an array which stores the various stress print option codes
for the current problem. The following values are
permissible:
  1 = print stress and pore pressure calculations for the
     succeeding print time.
  2 = do not print stress and pore pressure calculations
     for succeeding print time.
  3 = do not print void ratio, stress, and pore pressure
calculations.

NPROB  an integer used as a label for the current consolidation
problem.

NPT  an integer denoting the following options:
  1 = make a complete computer run, printing soil data,
     initial conditions, and current conditions for all
     specified print times.
  2 = make a complete computer run but do not print soil
     data and initial conditions.
  3 = terminate computer run after printing soil data and
     initial conditions.

NSC the value of the stress print option code used in the cur-
rent loop to print time.

NST  an integer line number used on each line of data input and
on data lines output for use in a later computer run.

NTIME the number of output times during the initial computer run
of a consolidation problem.

PEP(12) the monthly Class A pan or maximum environmental potential
evaporation expected at the containment site for each month
of the year.

PK(51) the function $k/1 + e$ corresponding to the void ratios in-
put when describing the void ratio-permeability relation-
ship in the dredged fill.
PK0 the function $k/(1 + e)$ for the incompressible foundation layer.

PK1(51) the function $k/(1 + e)$ corresponding to the void ratios input when describing the void ratio-permeability relationship in the compressible foundation.

PRINT(25) the real times at which current conditions in the consolidating layers will be output.

QDF the weight per unit area of the partially saturated dredged material crust which acts as a drained surcharge to lower consolidating material.

RF(12) the monthly rainfall expected at the containment site for each month of the year.

RK(51) the permeabilities input when describing the void ratio-permeability relationship in the dredged fill.

RK1(51) the permeabilities input as above except for the compressible foundation.

RS(51) the effective stresses input when describing the void ratio-effective stress relationship in the dredged fill.

RS1(51) the effective stresses input as above except for the compressible foundation.

SAT the saturation (expressed as a decimal number) of dredged material dried to the desiccation limit which also includes the crack network.

SETC the cumulative total amount of settlement in the dredged material due to consolidation only since the material was placed.

SETD the cumulative total amount of settlement in the dredged material due to desiccation only since the material was placed.

SETT the current total settlement in the dredged fill due to consolidation and desiccation.

SETT1 the current settlement in the compressible foundation.

SFIN the final settlement in the dredged fill layer presently existing without further desiccation effects.

SFIN1 the final settlement in the compressible foundation under present loading conditions.

SL the saturation limit of the dredged material, defined as lowest void ratio the material will assume under first-stage drying and in which the material remains saturated.

TAU the value of the time step in the finite difference calculations.

TDS the time at which desiccation starts in the current loop to print time.

TIME the real time value after each time step.
TPM the number of basic time periods in a month. Used for counting to desiccation calculation time. If time is measured in days, this will be 30.0.

TPRINT the real time value of the next output point.

TOSTRI(11) the current total stress at each space mesh point in the compressible foundation.

TOTSTR(101) the current total stress at each space mesh point in the dredged fill.

U(101) the current excess pore pressure at each space mesh point in the dredged fill.

UØ(101) the current static pore pressure at each space mesh point in the dredged fill.

UØI(11) the current static pore pressure at each space mesh point in the compressible foundation.

U1(11) the current excess pore pressure at each space mesh point in the compressible foundation.

UCON the current degree of consolidation in the dredged fill.

UCONI the current degree of consolidation in the compressible foundation.

UW(101) the current total pore pressure at each space mesh point in the dredged fill.

UWI(11) the current total pore pressure at each space mesh point in the compressible foundation.

VRII the initial total void ratio integral for the compressible foundation.

VRINT the void ratio integral at the start of each month when desiccation is effective. Used for calculating the amount of consolidation settlement during the month.

XEL the initial elevation of the top of the incompressible foundation, i.e., bottom of dredged fill if NBL = 2 or bottom of compressible foundation if NBL = 1.

XI(101) the current convective coordinate of each space mesh point in the dredged fill.

XI1(11) the current convective coordinate of each space mesh point in the compressible foundation.

Z(101) the material or reduced coordinate of each space mesh point in the dredged fill.

ZI(11) the material or reduced coordinate of each space mesh point in the compressible foundation.

ZKØ the permeability in the incompressible foundation at its boundary with the compressible layer.
Problem Data Input

5. The method of inputting problem data in PCDDF is by a free field data file containing line numbers. The line number must be eight characters or less for ease in file editing and must be followed by a blank space. The remaining items of data on each line must be separated by a comma or blank space. Real data may be either written in exponential or fixed decimal formats, but integer data must be written without a decimal.

7. For an initial problem run (i.e., NDATA1 = 1), the data file should be sequenced in the following manner:
   a. NST, NPROB, NDATA1, NDATA2
   b. NST, NPT, NBL
   c. NST, GSBL, HBL, LBL
   d. NST, ES1(I), RS1(I), RK1(I)
   e. NST, GSDF, HDF, LDF, EØØ, GW
   f. NST, ES(I), RS(I), RK(I)
   g. NST, EØ, ZKØ, DUØ, XEL
   h. NST, IMPLY
   i. NST, NTIME
   j. NST, PRINT(I), AHDF(I), ATDS(I), NMS(I), NNSC(I)
   k. NST, DL, SL, TPM, DREFF, TDS, MS, NSC
   l. NST, PEP(I), RF(I)
   m. NST, CE, SAT, H2

8. It should be pointed out here that NST may be any positive integer but must increase throughout the file so that it will be read in the correct sequence in the time-sharing system.

9. The following exceptions and explanations should also be noted for particular line types:

   Line type c: If NBL = 2, all data values are set to zero except NST.
   Line type d: There are LBL of these lines unless NBL = 2, and then there will be one line with all values set to zero except NST.
   Line type f: There are LDF of these lines.
   Line type i: If IMPLY = 2, line type i will contain NST, NBDIV, NBDIV1, TAU, NTIME.
   Line type j: There are NTIME of these lines. If AHDF(I) = 0.0 (no additional dredged material is added at this print time),
then normally, \( \text{ATDS}(I) = \text{PRINT}(I) \), and \( \text{NMS}(I) = \text{corresponding month} \).

Line type \( k \): The values input for TDS, MS, and NSC are used in the first loop to print time.

Line type \( l \): There are 12 of these lines corresponding to the 12 months of a year.

10. For the continuation of a previous problem run (i.e., \( \text{NDATA1} = 2 \)), the data file should be input in the following sequence:
   
   Line type \( aa \). \( \text{NST}, \text{NPROB}, \text{NDATA1}, \text{NDATA2} \)
   
   Line type \( bb \). \( \text{NST, MTIME} \)
   
   Line type \( cc \). \( \text{NST, AHDF(NTIME), ATDS(NTIME), NMS(NTIME), NNSC(NTIME)} \)
   
   Line type \( dd \). \( \text{NST, PRINT(I), AHDF(I), ATDS(I), NMS(I), NNSC(I)} \)

The following explanations should be noted for particular line types:

Line type \( cc \): AHDF, ATDS, NMS, and NNSC are the values from the last line of the previous computer run.

Line type \( dd \): There are \( \text{MTIME} \) of these lines.

11. All input data having particular units must be consistent with all other data. For example, if layer thickness is in feet and time is in days, then permeability must be in feet per day. If stresses are in pounds per square foot, then unit weights must be in pounds per cubic foot. Any system of units is permissible so long as consistency is maintained.

12. The following algorithm is offered as guidance for users who wish to determine a stable set of values for the time step and grid size.

a. Determine the maximum value of \( \alpha(e) \) where

\[
\alpha(e) = \frac{K(e) \text{ de}}{1 + \text{de}}
\]

based on the compressibility and permeability data.

b. Select the number of layers that the dredged fill simulation will employ, \( \text{NBDIV} \). A minimum of three layers is required to simulate the desiccation process.

c. Calculate the grid size from

\[
\Delta z = \left( \frac{\text{Initial thickness}}{1.0 + e_0} \right) / \text{NBDIV}
\]

d. Calculate the maximum time step from the smaller of:

1. \( \tau_{max} = \frac{(\Delta z)^2 \gamma u}{2 \alpha(e)_{max}} \)
2. \( \tau_{max} = \frac{\Delta z}{K(E00)} \)
Select a time step, TAU, that is less than or equal to $t_{max}$

e. If a compressible foundation is to be modeled, determine the number of layers, NBDIV1, from

$$\Delta z_{\text{min}} = \left[ \frac{\text{TAU} + 2 + \sigma(e)_{\text{max}}}{\gamma_w} \right]^{1/2}$$

$$NBDIV_{\text{max}} = \frac{\text{Initial thickness of foundation}}{1 + e_{oo}, \text{foundation} / \Delta z_{\text{min}}}$$

f. Select an integer value for NBDIV1 that is less than or equal to NBDIV1. If $NBDIV_{\text{max}}$ is less than 1.0, repeat steps 2 through 5 with a larger value of NBDIV.

**Program Execution**

13. Once an input data file has been built as described in the previous section, the program is executed on the WES time-sharing system by one of the following FORTRAN commands:

a. For an initial run where data are not to be saved for later continuation of the problem

RUN R$\text{GEO}$33/PCDDF,R#(filename 1)"10";"11"

where: (filename 1) = the name of the previously built file in the user's catalog which contains the input data set as described in paragraph 7 above.

b. For an initial run where data are to be saved for later continuation of the problem

RUN R$\text{GEO}$33/PCDDF,R#(filename 1)"10";"11";(filename 2)"13"

where: (filename 2) = the name of the previously built blank file in the user's catalog to which data will be written by the subroutine SAVDAT.

c. For a continuation run where data are not to be saved for later continuation of the problem

RUN R$\text{GEO}$33/PCDDF,R#(filename 3)"10","11";(filename 4)"12"

where: (filename 3) = the name of the previously built file in the user's catalog which contains the input data set as described in paragraph 7 above.

(filenamer 4) = the name of the file used in the initial run to save data. Should correspond to (filename 2).

d. For a continuation run where data are to be saved for later continuation of the problem.

RUN R$\text{GEO}$33/PCDDF,R#(filename 3)"10","11";(filename 4)"12";

(filenamer 2)"13"
14. In the above commands, "11" indicates normal program output is to be printed at the time-sharing terminal. The program is easily modified to utilize other modes of input and output by simply changing the mode identifiers in the main program to whatever is desired.

Computer Output

15. Program output is formatted for the 80-character line of a time-sharing terminal. Since printing at a time-sharing terminal is relatively slow, several options are provided which can be used to eliminate some data which may not be required for the problem at hand or may be repetitions of previous problem runs. These options are fully described in the previous sections of this appendix.
APPENDIX B: PCDDF PROGRAM LISTING

The following is a complete listing of PCDDF as written for the US Army Engineer Waterways Experiment Station time-sharing system.
1000CPDDF PRIMARY CONSOLIDATION AND DESICCATION OF DREDGED FILL
1005C
1010C
1015C
1020C
1025C
1030C
1035C
1040C
1045C
1050C
1055C
1060C
1070C
1080C
1090C
1095C
1100C
1105C
1110C
1115C
1120C
1125C
1130C
1135C
1140C
1145C
1150C
1155C
1160C
1165C
1170C
1175C
1180C
1185C
1190C
1195C
1200C
1205C
1210C
1215C
1220C
1225C
1230C
1235C
1240C
1245C
1250C
1255C
1260C
1265C
1270C

PARAMETER P01=51, P02=501, P03=51

COMMON DA,DUO,DUDZI0,DUDZI1,DUDZI2,DZ1,DZ1,E0,E00,ELL,ELL1,
DG,DG1,DG1,DGB1,GSDF,GBH,GBH1,HDF,HDF1,IN,INS,INOUT,
IODS,LDB,LDM,HDL,DLL,NTIME,NBL,NBL,NDIV,NDIV1,
NFLAG,NN,NPROB,NPT,NND,NNN,NTIME,PK,PSETT,SETT1,
SFOUT,SNOUT,TAU,TIME,TPRINT,UCON,UCON1,VR1,ZK0,
A(PQ2),A1(PQ1),AF(PQ2),AF1(PQ1),ALPHA(PQ3),ALPHA1(PQ3),
BETA(PQ3),BETA1(PQ3),BF(PQ2),BF1(PQ1),DSDE(PQ3),DSDE1(PQ3),
E(PQ2),E1(PQ1),E11(PQ1),EFIN(PQ2),EFIN1(PQ1),ER(PQ1),
ES(PQ3),ES1(PQ3),EFSTR(PQ2),EFSTR1(PQ1),F(PQ2),F1(PQ1),
FIN(TPQ2),FIN1(TPQ1),PK(PQ3),PK1(PQ3),PK1(PQ3),PK1(PQ3),
RS(PQ3),RS1(PQ3),TOSTR(PQ2),TOSTR1(PQ1),U(PQ2),U1(PQ1),
UO(PQ2),UO1(PQ1),UW(PQ2),UW1(PQ1),XI(PQ2),XI1(PQ1),
Z(PQ2),Z1(PQ1),
AEV,CE,CSET,DL,DREFF,DSB,DSBT,DTIM,H2,M,MM,MS,NDT,NSC,
QDF,SAT,SATC,SBD,SL,TS,TPM,URINT,XEL,
EP(12),ET(PO2),EP(12),RF(12),IMPLY,
DIMENSION AHDF(1000),PRINT(1000),ATDS(1000),NMS(1000),NNSC(1000)
SET INPUT AND OUTPUT MODES
IN = 10
IOUT = 11
INS = 12
IOUTS = 13

READ PROBLEM INPUT FROM FREE FIELD DATA FILE
CONTAINING LINE NUMBERS

FORMAT(U)

PROBLEM NUMBER, DATA OPTIONS, INTRO OPTION, FDT OPTION
READ(IN,100) NST,NPROB,NDATA1,NDATA2
IF (NDATA1 .EQ. 2) GOTO 4
READ(IN,100) NST,NPT,NBL

SOIL DATA FOR FOUNDATION LAYER OR SOFT LAYER
READ(IN,100) NST,GSBL,HBL,LBL
DO 1 I=1,LBL
READ(IN,100) NST,ES1(I),RS1(I),RK(I)
1 CONTINUE

SOIL DATA FOR DREDGED FILL
READ(IN,100) NST,GSDF,HDF,LDF,E00,GW
DO 2 I=1,LDF
READ(IN,100) NST,ES(I),RS(I),RK(I)
2 CONTINUE

CONSOLIDATION CALCULATION DATA
READ(IN,100) NST,E0,ZKO,DUO,XEL
READ(IN,100) NST,IMPLY
IF(IMPLY.EQ.1)GOTO 10
READ(IN,100) NST,NBDIV,NBDIV1,TAU,NTIME
GOTO 20
10 READ(IN,100) NST,NTIME
NBDIV=9
NBDIV1=1
IF(NBL.EQ.1)NBDIV1=9
DO 3 I=1,NTIME
READ(IN,100) NST,PRINT(I),AHDF(I),ATDS(I),WMS(I),NNSC(I)
3 CONTINUE

DESICCATION CALCULATION DATA
READ(IN,100) NST,SL,TPM,DREFF,TDS,MS,NSC
DO 9 I=1,12
READ(IN,100) NST,PEP(I),RF(I)
9 CONTINUE
READ(IN,100) NST,CE,SAT,H2

SET INITIAL VARIABLES
AEV = 0.0 ; DSC = 0.0 ; QDF = 0.0
M = MS - 1
BTIM = TBS + TPM
SETC = 0.0 ; SETD = 0.0
ELL1=0.0
TIME = 0.0
UCON = 0.0 ; UCON1 = 0.0
SETT = 0.0 ; SETT1 = 0.0
SF1N = 0.0 ; SF1N1 = 0.0 ; VR11 = 0.0
NM = 1 ; NM = 1 ; MM = 1
DA = 0.0 ; HDF1 = 0.0
DZ = 1.0

B3
DUDZ1I = 0.0 ; DUDZ21 = 0.0

PRINT INPUT DATA AND MAKE INITIAL CALCULATIONS
CALL INTRO
IF (NPT .EQ. 3) STOP
GOTO 6

NEW CONSOLIDATION TIMES AND DATA
READ(IN=100) NST, NTIME
CALL DATAIN
READ(IN=100) NST, AHDF(NM-1), ATDS(NM-1), NMS(NM-1), NSNCS(NM-1)
DO 5 I=NM, NTIME
READ(IN=100) NST, PRINT(I), AHDF(I), ATDS(I), NMS(I), NSNCS(I)
5 CONTINUE

PERFORM CALCULATIONS TO EACH PRINT TIME AND OUTPUT RESULTS

DO 8 K=NM, NTIME
TPRINT = PRINT(K)
IF (K .EQ. 1) GOTO 7
HDF1 = AHDF(K-1)
TDS = ATDS(K-1)
MS = NMS(K-1)
NSC = NSNCS(K-1)
CALL RESET
7 CALL FDIFEO
CALL STRESS
CALL DATOUT
8 CONTINUE

IF (NDATA2 .EQ. 2) CALL SAVDAT
STOP
END

SUBROUTINE INTRO

PARAMETER PQ1=51, PQ2=501, PQ3=51
COMMON DA, DUO, DUDZ10, DUDZ11, DUDZ21, DZ, DZ1, E0, E00, ELL, ELL1,
GC, GC1, GS, GS1, GSBL, GSDF, GW, HBL, HDF, HDF1, IN, INS, IOUT,
IOUTS, LBL, DLF, NTIME, NBDIV, NBDIV1, NBL, ND, NDIV, NDIV1,
NFLAG, NM, NPRED, NPT, NND, NNN, NTIME, PK, PKO, SETT, SETT1,
SFN, SFIN, TAU, TIME, TPRINT, UCON, UCON1, URI, ZK0,
A(PQ2), A1(PQ1), A1F(PQ2), AF1(PQ1), ALPHA(PQ3), ALPHAS(PQ3),
BETA(PQ3), BETA1(PQ3), BF(PQ2), BF1(PQ1), DSD(PQ3), DSD1(PQ3),
E(PQ2), E1(PQ2), E1(PQ1), EFIN(PQ2), EFIN1(PQ1), ER(PQ1),
E8(PQ3), E81(PQ3), EFSSTR1(PQ2), EFSSTR1(PQ1), F(PQ2), F1(PQ1),
FIN1(PQ1), PK(PQ3), PK1(PQ3), RK(PQ3), RK1(PQ3),
RS(PQ3), RS1(PQ3), RSTSTR(PQ2), RSTSTR1(PQ1), U(PQ2), U1(PQ1),
U0(PQ2), U01(PQ1), UW(PQ2), UW1(PQ1), XI(PQ2), XI1(PQ1),
Z(PQ2), Z1(PQ1),
AEV, CE, CBET, DL, DREFF, DSE, DSET, DTIM, H2, M, NM, MS, NDT, NSC,
PRINT PROBLEM NUMBER AND HEADING
WRITE(IOUT,100)
WRITE(IOUT,101)
WRITE(IOUT,102)
WRITE(IOUT,103) NPROB
IF(IMPLY.EQ.1)CALL SETUP1
IF(IMPLY.EQ.2)CALL SETUP2
IF(NPT .EQ. 2) RETURN
IF(NBL .EQ. 2) GOTO 2
PRINT SOIL DATA FOR COMPRESSIBLE FOUNDATION
WRITE(IOUT,104)
WRITE(IOUT,105)
WRITE(IOUT,106)
WRITE(IOUT,107) HBL,GSBL
WRITE(IOUT,108)
WRITE(IOUT,109)
DO 1 I=1,LBL
WRITE(IOUT,110) I,ES(I),RS(I),RK(I),PK(I),BETA(I),
           DSDE(I),ALPHA(I)
1 CONTINUE
PRINT SOIL DATA FOR DREDGED FILL
WRITE(IOUT,111)
WRITE(IOUT,112)
WRITE(IOUT,113)
WRITE(IOUT,114) HDF,GSDF,E00,SL,DL
WRITE(IOUT,115)
WRITE(IOUT,109)
DO 3 I=1,LDF
WRITE(IOUT,110) I,ES(I),RS(I),RK(I),PK(I),BETA(I),
           DSDE(I),ALPHA(I)
3 CONTINUE
PRINT SUMMARY OF RAINFALL AND EVAPORATION POTENTIAL
WRITE(IOUT,119)
WRITE(IOUT,120)
DO 4 I=1,12
WRITE(IOUT,121) I,RF(I),PEP(I)
4 CONTINUE
PRINT CALCULATION DATA
WRITE(IOUT,115)
WRITE(IOUT,116)
WRITE(IOUT,117)
WRITE(IOUT,118) TAU,E0,ZK0,DUO
PRINT TABLES OF INITIAL CONDITIONS
MFLAG = 1
CALL DATOUT
MFLAG = 0
PRINT FORMATS
100 FORMAT(1H1//////|9X,60(1Hx))
101 FORMAT(9X,47HCONSOLIDATION AND DESiccATION OF SOFT LAYERS---,
           12HDREDGED FILL)
102 FORMAT(9X,60(1Hx))
103 FORMAT(//9X,14HPROBLEM NUMBER,I4)
SUBROUTINE SETUP1

PARAMETER P91=51, P92=501, P03=51

COMMON DA,DUO,DUD10,DUD11,DUD21,DZ,DZ1,E0,E00,ELL,ELL1,E
   & 6C,6C1,6S,6S1,6SDL,GW,HBL,HDF,HDF1,IN,INS,INOUT,
   & IOUT,LBL,LDH,NTIME,NBDIV,NBDIV1,NBL,NDIV,NDIV1,
   & NFLAG,NM,NPROB,NPT,NNN,NN,NTIME,PK,PK1,PK11,PK111,
   & SFIN,FIN1,TAU,TIME,TPRINT,UCON,UCON1,VR1,ZK0,
   & A(PQ2),A1(PQ1),AF(PQ2),AF1(PQ1),ALPHA(PQ3),ALPHA1(PQ3),
   & BETA(PQ3),BETA1(PQ3),BF(PQ2),BF1(PQ1),DSDE(PQ3),DSDE1(PQ3),
   & E(PQ2),E1(PQ2),E11(PQ1),EF1(PQ2),EFIN(PQ2),EFIN1(PQ1),ER(PQ1),
   & E5(PQ3),E51(PQ3),EEFSTR(PQ2),EEFSTR1(PQ1),F(PQ2),F1(PQ1),
   & FINT(PQ2),FINT1(PQ1),PK(PQ3),PK1(PQ3),PK11(PQ3),PK111(PQ3),
   & R5(PQ3),R51(PQ3),TOSTR(PQ2),TOSTR1(PQ1),U(PQ2),U1(PQ1),
   & U0(PQ2),U01(PQ1),UW(PQ2),UW1(PQ1),UW11(PQ2),XI(PQ1),
   & Z(PQ2),Z1(PQ1),
   & AEV,CE,CSET,DL,DDENS,DDST,DTIM,H2,MM,MS,NDT,NSC,
   & QDF,SAT,SET,ST,F,SL,TDS,TPM,UINT,XEL,
   & EP,ET,PQ2,PEP(12),RF(12)

RETURN
END

SUBROUTINE SETUP1

PARAMETER P91=51, P92=501, P03=51

COMMON DA,DUO,DUD10,DUD11,DUD21,DZ,DZ1,E0,E00,ELL,ELL1,E
   & 6C,6C1,6S,6S1,6SDL,GW,HBL,HDF,HDF1,IN,INS,INOUT,
   & IOUT,LBL,LDH,NTIME,NBDIV,NBDIV1,NBL,NDIV,NDIV1,
   & NFLAG,NM,NPROB,NPT,NNN,NN,NTIME,PK,PK1,PK11,PK111,
   & SFIN,FIN1,TAU,TIME,TPRINT,UCON,UCON1,VR1,ZK0,
   & A(PQ2),A1(PQ1),AF(PQ2),AF1(PQ1),ALPHA(PQ3),ALPHA1(PQ3),
   & BETA(PQ3),BETA1(PQ3),BF(PQ2),BF1(PQ1),DSDE(PQ3),DSDE1(PQ3),
   & E(PQ2),E1(PQ2),E11(PQ1),EF1(PQ2),EFIN(PQ2),EFIN1(PQ1),ER(PQ1),
   & E5(PQ3),E51(PQ3),EEFSTR(PQ2),EEFSTR1(PQ1),F(PQ2),F1(PQ1),
   & FINT(PQ2),FINT1(PQ1),PK(PQ3),PK1(PQ3),PK11(PQ3),PK111(PQ3),
   & R5(PQ3),R51(PQ3),TOSTR(PQ2),TOSTR1(PQ1),U(PQ2),U1(PQ1),
   & U0(PQ2),U01(PQ1),UW(PQ2),UW1(PQ1),UW11(PQ2),XI(PQ1),
   & Z(PQ2),Z1(PQ1),
   & AEV,CE,CSET,DL,DDENS,DDST,DTIM,H2,MM,MS,NDT,NSC,
   & QDF,SAT,SET,ST,F,SL,TDS,TPM,UINT,XEL,
   & EP,ET,PQ2,PEP(12),RF(12)

RETURN
END
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2415  GC = GS - GW
2420  GS1 = GSBL & GW
2425  GC1 = GS1 - GW
2430  IF( NBL .EQ. 2 ) NDIV1 = NBDIV1 + 1
2435  PKO = ZKO / (1.0+EO)
2440  DUO = DUO / (1.0+EO)
2445  IF (NBL .EQ. 2) GOTO 10
2450  CONTINUE
2455  GOTO 10
2460  CONTINUE
2465  IF( NBL .EQ. 2 ) GOTO 3891
2470  CONTINUE
2475  NDIV1=NBDIV1+1
2480  DZZ = 0.0
2485  NBD = 10 * NBDIV1
2490  DABL = HBL / FLOAT(NBD)
2495  EFS = 0.0
2500  DO 4 I=1,NBD
2505  DO 1 N =2,LBL
2510  SI = EFS - RS1(N)
2515  IF (SI .LE. 0.0) GOTO 2
2520  1 CONTINUE
2525  V = ES1LBL ; GOTO 3
2530  2 NN = N-1
2535  V = ES1(N) + (SI*(ES1(NN)-ES1(N))/(RS1(NN)-RS1(N)))
2540  3 TDZ = DABL / (1.0+V)
2545  EFS = EFS + GC1*TDZ
2550  DZZ = DZZ + TDZ
2555  4 CONTINUE
2560  ELL1 = DZZ
2565  DZ1 = ELL1 / FLOAT(NBDIV1)
2570  IF(DZ1.GE.DZ1MIN)GOTO 3040
2575  IF(NBDIV1.GT.3)GOTO 2565
2580  NBDIV=NBDIV1+1
2585  GOTO 10
2590  CONTINUE
2595  NBDIV1=NBDIV1-1
2600  GOTO 2840
2605  CONTINUE
2610  CONTINUE
2615  CONTINUE
2620  ZI(I)=0.0 ; AI(I)=0.0 ; XI1(I)=0.0
2625  EFS = GC1 * ELL1
2630  DO 8 I=1,NDIV1
2635  DO 5 N=2,LBL
2640  SI = EFS - RS1(N)
2645  IF (SI .LE. 0.0) GOTO 6
2650  5 CONTINUE
2655  EII(I) = ES1LBL ; GOTO 7
2660  6 NN = N-1
2665  EII(I) = ES1(N) + (SI*(ES1(NN)-ES1(N))/(RS1(NN)-RS1(N)))
2670  7 FI(I) = EII(I)
2675  ER(I) = EII(I)
2680  EFS = EFS - GC1*DZI
2685  8 CONTINUE
2690  CONTINUE
2695  CALL INTGRL(ER,DZ1,NDIV1,FINT1)
2700  CONTINUE
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2700 \quad Z1(I) = Z1(I-1) + DZ1
2705 \quad A1(I) = Z1(I) + FINT1(I)
2710 \quad XI1(I) = A1(I)
2715 \quad 9 \quad \text{CONTINUE}
2720 \quad \text{GOTO 3891}
2725C
2730C \quad \ldots \text{CALCULATE ELL FOR FIRST DREDGED FILL LAYER}
2735 \quad 10 \quad \text{ELL} = \text{HDF} / (1.0+\text{E00})
2740 \quad \text{VRINT} = \text{ELL} \times \text{E00}
2745C
2750C \quad \ldots \text{CALCULATE INITIAL COORDINATES AND SET VOID RATIOS}
2755 \quad \text{DZ} = \text{ELL} / \text{FLOAT(NDIV)}
2760 \quad \text{GOTO 2679}
2765 \quad \text{TAU} = 0.99 \times \text{DZ}/\text{RK}(1)
2770 \quad \text{IF(TAU.LT.} \text{STAB) GOTO 2351}
2775 \quad \text{TAU} = 0.99 \times \text{STAB}
2780 \quad \text{Z1(1)} = 0.0 \times \text{A1(1)} = 0.0 \times \text{XI1(1)} = 0.0
2785 \quad \text{EI(1)} = \text{EO0} \times \text{F1(1)} = \text{EO0} \times \text{E1(1)} = \text{EO0} \times \text{ET(1)} = \text{EO0}
2790 \quad \text{DA} = \text{HDF} / \text{FLOAT(NDIV)}
2795 \quad \text{NDIV} = \text{NBDIV} + 1
2800 \quad \text{ND} = \text{NDIV}
2805 \quad \text{NDT} = \text{ND}
2810 \quad \text{DO 11 I=2,NDIV}
2815 \quad \text{II} = I-1
2820 \quad \text{Z(I)} = \text{Z(II)} + \text{DZ}
2825 \quad \text{A(I)} = \text{A(II)} + \text{DA}
2830 \quad \text{XI(I)} = \text{A(I)}
2835 \quad \text{E1(I)} = \text{EO0}
2840 \quad \text{F(I)} = \text{EO0}
2845 \quad \text{E1(I)} = \text{EO0}
2850 \quad \text{ET(I)} = \text{EO0}
2855 \quad 11 \quad \text{CONTINUE}
2860C
2865C \quad \ldots \text{CALCULATE FINAL VOID RATIOS FOR DREDGED FILL}
2870 \quad \text{DO 14 I=1,NDIV}
2875 \quad \text{SI} = 6 \times \text{ELL} - Z(I)
2880 \quad \text{IF} (\text{SI} .LT. 0.0) \text{SI} = 0.0
2885 \quad \text{DO 12 N=2,LDF}
2890 \quad \text{S2} = \text{SI} - \text{RS(N)}
2895 \quad \text{IF} (\text{S2} .LE. 0.0) \text{GOTO 13}
2900 \quad 12 \quad \text{CONTINUE}
2905 \quad \text{EFINT1(I)} = \text{ES(LDF)} \times \text{GOTO 14}
2910 \quad 13 \quad \text{NN} = \text{N-1}
2915 \quad \text{EFINT1(I)} = \text{ES(N)} + (S2 \times (\text{ES(NN)} - \text{ES(N)})/(\text{RS(NN)} - \text{RS(N)}))
2920 \quad 14 \quad \text{CONTINUE}
2925 \quad \text{EFINT(NDIV)} = \text{EO0}
2930C
2935C \quad \ldots \text{CALCULATE MAXIMUM SECOND STAGE DRYING DEPTH}
2940 \quad \text{DO 30 N=2,LDF}
2945 \quad \text{C1} = \text{DL} - \text{ES(N)}
2950 \quad \text{IF} (\text{C1} .GE. 0.0) \text{GOTO 31}
2955 \quad 30 \quad \text{CONTINUE}
2960 \quad \text{EFS_DL} = \text{RS(LDF)} \times \text{GOTO 32}
2965 \quad 31 \quad \text{NN} = \text{N-1}
2970 \quad \text{EFS_DL} = \text{RS(N)} + (C1 \times (\text{RS(N)} - \text{RS(NN)})/(\text{ES(N)} - \text{ES(NN)}))
2975 \quad 32 \quad \text{DZ2} = \text{EFS_DL} / (\text{G5} \times \text{GDL*SAT})
2980 \quad \text{H2MAX} = \text{DZ2} \times (1.0+\text{DL})
2985 IF (H2 .GT. H2MX) H2 = H2MX
2990C 2995 IF( NBL .EQ. 1 ) GOTO 4640
3000 GOTO 2840
3005 3091 CONTINUE
3010C 3015C ...
CALCULATE FINAL VOID RATIOS FOR FOUNDATION
3020 IF (NIL .EQ. 2) GOTO 20
3025 C1 = ELL1*GC1 + C2 = ELL0*GC
3030 S1 = C1 + C2
3035 DO 18 I=1,NDIV1
3040 S2 = S1 - Z1(I)*GC1
3045 DO 16 N=2,LBL
3050 S3 = S2 - RSI(N)
3055 IF (S3 .LE. 0.0) GOTO 17
3060 16 CONTINUE
3065 EFIN1(I) = ES1(LBL) / GOTO 18
3070 17 NN = N-1
3075 EFIN1(I) = ES1(N) + (S3*(ES1(NN)-ES1(N))/(RS1(NN)-RS1(N)))
3080 18 CONTINUE
3085C ...
CALCULATE INITIAL STRESSES AND PORE PRESSURES
3090C ..... FOR FOUNDATION LAYER
3095C WL1 = XI(NDIV1) + XI(NDIV)
3100 DO 19 I=1,NDIV1
3105 UI(I) = G0 * (WL1-XI1(I))
3110 U01(I) = C2
3115 UW1(I) = U01(I) + U(I)
3120 EFSTR1(I) = C1 - GC1*Z1(I)
3125 TOSTR1(I) = EFSTR1(I) + UW1(I)
3130 19 CONTINUE
3135C ...
ULTIMATE SETTLEMENT FOR COMPRESSIBLE FOUNDATION
3140C VRI1 = FIN1(NDIV1)
3145 CALL INTBRL(EFIN1,DZ1,NDIV1,FINT1)
3150 SFIN1 = VRI1 - FINT1(NDIV1)
3155C ...
FOR DREDGED FILL LAYER
3160C DO 21 I=1,NDIV
3165 UO(I) = GW * (XI(NDIV)-XI(I))
3170 U(I) = GC * (ELL-Z(I))
3175 UW(I) = U0(I) + U(I)
3180 EFFSTR(I) = 0.0
3185 TOSTR(I) = UW(I)
3190 21 CONTINUE
3195C ...
ULTIMATE SETTLEMENT FOR DREDGED FILL
3200 CALL INTORL(EFIN,DZ,NDIV,FINT)
3205 SFIN = E00*ELL - FINT(NDIV)
3210 GOTO 2776
3215C ...
CALCULATE FUNCTIONS FOR DREDGED FILL
3220C ..... PERMEABILITY FUNCTION
3225C DO 22 I=1,LDF
3230 PK(I) = RK(I) / (1.0+ES(I))
3235 22 CONTINUE
3240C ..... SLOPE OF PERMEABILITY FUNCTION -- BETA
3245C AND SLOPE OF EFF STRESS-VOID RATIO CURVE -- DSDE
MATHMATICAL MODEL OF THE C. (U) ARMY ENGINEER WATERWAYS EXPERIMENT STATION VICKSBURG MS ENVIR. UNCLASSIFIED K W CARGILL JUL 85 WES/TR/D-85-4 F/G 8/13 NL
CD = ES(2) - ES(1)
BETA(1) = (PK(2)-PK(1)) / CD
DSDE(1) = (RS(2)-RS(1)) / CD
L = LDF - 1
DO 23 I=2:L
II=I-1 # IJ=I+1
CD = ES(IJ) - ES(II)
BETA(I) = (PK(IJ)-PK(II)) / CD
DSDE(I) = (RS(IJ)-RS(II)) / CD
23 CONTINUE
CD = ES(LDF) - ES(L)
BETA(LDF) = (PK(LDF)-PK(L)) / CD
DSDE(LDF) = (RS(LDF)-RS(L)) / CD

...PERMEABILITY FUNCTION TIMES DSDE -- ALPHA
ALPHMAX=0.0
DO 24 I=1:LDF
ALPHA(I) = PK(I) * DSDE(I)
IF(JABS(ALPHA(I)).GT.ABS(ALPHMAX)) ALPHMAX = ALPHA(I)
24 CONTINUE

STAB = ABS((D**2 * OW) / (ALPHHAX))
SOTO = 2
IF(NDL.EQ.2) GOTO 29
COTO
CONTINUE

...CALCULATE FUNCTIONS FOR COMPRESSIBLE FOUNDATION
...PERMEABILITY FUNCTION
...AND SLOPE OF EFF STRESS-VOID RATIO CURVE -- DSDE

CD = ES1(2) - ES1(1)
BETA1(1) = (PK1(2)-PK1(1)) / CD
DSDE1(1) = (RS1(2)-RS1(1)) / CD
L = LBL - 1
DO 27 I=2:L
II=I-1 # IJ=I+1
CD = ES1(IJ) - ES1(II)
BETA1(I) = (PK1(IJ)-PK1(II)) / CD
DSDE1(I) = (RS1(IJ)-RS1(II)) / CD
27 CONTINUE
CD = ES1(LBL) - ES1(L)
BETA1(LBL) = (PK1(LBL)-PK1(L)) / CD
DSDE1(LBL) = (RS1(LBL)-RS1(L)) / CD

...PERMEABILITY FUNCTION TIMES DSDE -- ALPHA1
ALPHMAX=0.0
DO 28 I=1:LBL
ALPHA1(I) = PK1(I) * DSDE1(1)
IF(JABS(ALPHA1(I)).GT.ABS(ALPHMAX)) ALPHMAX = ALPHA1(I)
28 CONTINUE

DZININ = SQRT(TAU**2 + OSAABS(ALPHNAX)/GW)

***CALCULATE BOTTOM BOUNDARY DUDZ

GOTO 2840
GOTO 4891
CONTINUE

CALCULATE BOTTOM BOUNDARY DUDZ
DUDZ10 = U1(1) / DUO

B10
IF (NBL .LE. 2) DUDZ10 = U(1) / DUO

CALL VRFUNC

RETURN

END

SUBROUTINE RESET

* RESET UPDATES PREVIOUS CALCULATIONS TO HANDLE *

* ADDITIONAL DEPOSITIONS OF DREDGED FILL. *

***CALCULATE ADDITIONAL COORDINATES AND SET VOID RATIOS***

PARAMETER P01=51, PQ2=501, PQ3=51

COMMON DC,DUO,DUDZ10,DUDZ11,DUDZ21,DZ,DZ1,E0,E00,ELL,ELL1,'!

& GC,OC1,BS,BS1,BSDF,DUB,DUB1,HDF,HDF1,IN,INS,IOUT,!

& IOUT6,LDF,MTIME,NBDIV,NBDIV1,NBL,ND,NDIV,NDIV1,!

& NFLAG,NP,NPROB,NPT,NND,NNN,NTIME,PKO,SETT,SETT1,!

& SFIN,SFIN1,TAU,TIMES,PRINT,UCON1,UCON1,VR1,VR1,ZK0,!

A(PQ2),AI(PQ1),AF(PQ2),AF1(PQ1),ALPHA(PQ3),ALPHA1(PQ3),!

BETA(PQ3),BETA1(PQ3),BF(PQ2),BF1(PQ1),DSDE(PQ3),DSDE1(PQ3),!

E(PQ2),E1(PQ2),E11(PQ1),EFIN(PQ2),EFIN1(PQ1),ER(PQ1),!

ES(PQ3),ES1(PQ3),ESFSTR(PQ2),ESFSTR1(PQ1),F(PQ2),F1(PQ1),!

FIN(PQ2),FIN1(PQ1),FK(PQ3),PK(PQ3),PK1(PQ3),PK11(PQ3),!

Q(PQ3),Q1(PQ3),QTSSTR(PQ2),QTSSTR1(PQ1),QUP(PQ2),QUP1(PQ1),!

U(PQ2),U101(PQ1),U2(PQ2),U21(PQ1),XI(PQ2),XI1(PQ1),!

Z(PQ2),Z1(PQ1),!

AEV,CE,CSET,DL,DREFF,DSC,DSET,DIM,H2,M,N,M,E,N,MST,SC,!

QDF,SAT,SETC,SETD,SL,TDS,TPM,VRINT,XEL,!

EP(12),ET(PQ2),EP(12),RF(12)

***RESET DESICCATION VARIABLES***

DTIM = TDS + TPM

M = MS - 1

IF (HDF1 .LE. .0) RETURN

AEV = 0.0 ; DSC = 0.0

QDF = 0.0

MM = 1

***CALCULATE ELL FOR NEXT DREDGED FILL LAYER AND RESET CONSTANTS***

EL = HDF1 / (1.0+E00)

IF (NBL .LE. 2) U(1) = U(1) + EL*GC

U1(1) = U1(1) + EL*GC

MDZ = IFIX((EL/DZ)*1.5)

ELL = ELL + DZ*FLOAT(MDZ)

VRINT = (ELL*E00) - SETD - SETC

NT = ND

NV = ND + 1

MD = MD + NDZ

MB = MD - 1

***CALCULATE ADDITIONAL COORDINATES AND SET VOID RATIOS***

DO 1 I=NV,ND

1 CONTINUE
I1 = I-1
Z(I) = Z(II) + DZ
A(I) = A(II) + DA
XI(I) = XI(II) + DA
E1(I) = E00
F(I) = E00
E(I) = E00
1 CONTINUE
E(NT) = (E(NT)+E00) / 2.0
F(NT) = E(NT)

...CALCULATE FINAL VOID RATIOS FOR DREDGED FILL
DO 4 I=1,NB
S1 = GC*(ELL-Z(I))
IF (S1 .LT. 0.0) S1=0.0
DO 2 N=2,LDF
S2 = S1 - RS(N)
IF (S2 .LE. 0.0) GOTO 3
2 CONTINUE
EFIN(I) = ES(LDF) ; GOTO 4
3 NN = N-1
EFIN(I) = ES(N) + (S2*(ES(NN)-ES(N))/(RS(NN)-RS(N)))
4 CONTINUE
EFIN(ND) = E00

...CALCULATE FINAL VOID RATIOS FOR FOUNDATION
C1 = ELL*GC1 ; C2 = ELL*GC
S1 = C1 + C2
DO 8 I=1,NDIV1
S2 = S1 - Z1(I)*GC1
DO 6 N=2,LBL
S3 = S2 - RS1(N)
IF (S3 .LE. 0.0) GOTO 7
6 CONTINUE
EFIN1(I) = ES1(LBL) ; GOTO 8
7 NN = N-1
EFIN1(I) = ES1(N) + (S3*(ES1(NN)-ES1(N))/(RS1(NN)-RS1(N)))
8 CONTINUE

.....ULTIMATE SETTLEMENT FOR COMPRESSIBLE FOUNDATION
CALL INTGRL(EFIN1,DZ1,NDIV1,FINT1)
SFIN1 = VRI1 - FINT1(NDIV1)

...RESET BOTTOM BOUNDARY DUDZ
IF (NBL .EQ. 3) U1(1) = U1(1) + HDF1
DUDZIO = U1(1) / DUO
IF (NBL .EQ. 2) DUDZIO = U(1) / DUO

.....ULTIMATE SETTLEMENT FOR TOTAL DREDGED FILL
CALL INTGRL(EFIN,DZ,ND,FINT)
SFIN = E00*ELL - FINT(ND)

...SET VOID RATIO FUNCTIONS FOR RESET VALUES
DO 10 I=NT+ND
AF(I) = ALPHA(I)
BF(I) = BETA(I)
10 CONTINUE
**SUBROUTINE FDIFEO**

**FDIFEO** CALCULATES NEW VOID RATIOS AS CONSOLIDATION PROCEEDS. SOIL PARAMETER FUNCTIONS ARE CONSTANTLY UPDATED TO CORRESPOND WITH CURRENT VOID RATIO.

**PARAMETER** P01=51, P02=501, P03=51

**COMMON** DA, DUO, DUDZ10, DUDZ11, DUDZ21, DZ, DZ1, E0, E00, ELL, ELL1,

**$** G0, G01, G08, G08L, G08L, GW, HBL, HDF, HDF1, IIN, INI, IOUT,

**$** IOUTS, LBL, MTIME, MBDIV, MBDIV1, NBL, ND, NBIV, NBIV1,

**$** NFLAG, NM, NPROB, NPT, NND, NNN, NTIME, PKO, SETT, SETTI,

**$** SF, SFIN, TAU, TIME, TPRINT, UCON, UCON1, VR1, ZK0,

**$** A(PQ2), A1(PQ1), AF(PQ2), AF1(PQ1), ALPHA(PQ3), ALPHA1(PQ3),

**$** B(PQ3), B1(PQ3), BF(PQ2), BF1(PQ1), DSDE(PQ3), DSDE1(PQ3),

**$** E(PQ2), E1(PQ2), E11(PQ1), EFIN(PQ2), EFIN1(PQ1), ER(PQ1),

**$** ES(PQ3), ES1(PQ3), EFFSTR(PQ2), EFFSTR1(PQ1), F1(PQ2), F1(PQ1),

**$** FINT(PQ2), FINT1(PQ1), PK(PQ3), PK1(PQ3), PK1(PQ3),

**$** R(S(PQ3), RS(PQ3), RS1(PQ3), TOSTR(PQ2), TOSTR1(PQ1), U(PQ2), U1(PQ1),

**$** U0(PQ2), U01(PQ1), U1(PQ2), U11(PQ1),

**$** Z(PQ2), Z1(PQ1),

**$** AEV, CE, CSF, BL, DREFF, DSC, DSET, DTIM, H2, NA, NM, MS, NDT, NDC,

**$** QDF, SAT, SETC, SETD, SL, TDS, TPM, UPRINT, XEL,

**$** EP(12), ET(PQ2), PEP(12), RF(12)

**...SET CONSTANTS**

**CF** = TAU/(GW*DZ)

**DO 11 I=1, ND**

**ET(I) = E(I)**

**11 CONTINUE**

**N = NT-NDT-1**

**IF (N .LE. 0) GOTO 13**

**DE = (E00 - E(NDT-1)) / FLOAT(N)**

**DO 12 I=NDT, NT**

**E(I) = E(I) + DE**

**12 CONTINUE**

**NDT = NT**

**CALL VRFUNC**

**RETURN**

**END**
4410C .LOOP THROUGH FINITE DIFFERENCE EQUATIONS UNTIL PRINT TIME
4415C
4420C .....CALCULATE VOID RATIO OF IMAGE POINT AND FIRST REAL POINT
4425C .....FOR COMPRESSIBLE LAYER
4430 DO 2 I=1,LBL
4435 C1 = ER(1) - ES1(I)
4440 IF (C1 .GE. 0.0) GOTO 3
4445 2 CONTINUE
4450 DSED = DSDE1(LBL) ; GOTO 4
4455 3 II = I-1
4460 DSED = DSDE1(I) + (C1*(DSDE1(I)-DSDE1(II))/(ES1(I)-ES1(II)))
4465 4 F10 = F1(2) + DZ12*(GC1+DUDZ11)/DSED
4470 DF = (F1(2)-F10) / 2.0
4475 DF2DZ = (F1(2)-2.0F1(1)+F10) / DZ1
4480 AC = (AF1(2)-AF1(1)) / DZ1
4485 ER(I) = F1(I) - CF1*(DF*(GC1*BF1(1)+AC)+DF2DZ*AF1(1))
4490 IF (ER(I) .GE. 0.0) GOTO 5
4495 IF (ER(I) .LT. EFII(I)) ER(I) = EFII(I)
4500C .....FOR DREDGED FILL
4505 DO 6 I=1,LDF
4510 C1 = E1(I) - ES(I)
4515 IF (C1 .GE. 0.0) GOTO 7
4520 6 CONTINUE
4525 DSED = DSDE(LDF) ; GOTO 8
4530 7 II = I-1
4535 DSED = DSDE(I) + (C1*(DSDE(I)-DSDE(II))/(ES(I)-ES(II)))
4540 8 FO = F2(2) + DZ22*(GC+DUDZ21)/DSED
4545 DF = (F2(2)-FO) / 2.0
4550 DF2DZ = (F2(2)-2.0F2(1)+FO) / DZ
4555 AC = (AF2(2)-AF2(1)) / DZ
4560 E(I) = F2(I) - CF#*(DF*(GC#BF2(1)+AC)+DF2DZ*AF2(1))
4565 IF (E(I) .GE. 0.0) GOTO 9
4570 IF (E(I) .LT. EFII(I)) E(I) = EFII(I)
4575C .....CALCULATE VOID RATIO OF TOP POINT IN COMPRESSIBLE LAYER
4580 IF (NDL * EGO) 27
4585 DO 9 I=2,LDF
4590 C1 = E1(I) - ES(I)
4595 IF (C1 .GE. 0.0) GOTO 10
4600 9 CONTINUE
4605 ESTR = RS(LDF) ; GOTO 11
4610 10 II = I-1
4615 EST = RS(I) + (C1*(RS(I)-RS(II))/(ES(I)-ES(II)))
4620 11 EST = EST - EFFSTR(I)
4625 UT = U(I) - DEST
4630 EFS1 = EFFSTR1(NDIV1) + DEST
4635 DO 12 I=2,LBL
4640 C1 = EFS1 - RS1(I)
4645 IF (C1 .LE. 0.0) GOTO 13
4650 12 CONTINUE
4655 ER(NDIV1) = ES1(LBL) ; GOTO 14
4660 13 II = I-1
4665 ER(NDIV1) = ES1(I) + (C1*(ES1(II)-ES1(I))/(RS1(II)-RS1(I)))
4670C .....RESET BOUNDARY DUDZ FOR DREDGED FILL
4680 DO 14 I=1,LDF
4685 C1 = ER(NBDIV1) - ES1(I)
4690 IF (C1 .GE. 0.0) GOTO 16
CONTINUE

ESTI = RS1(LBL) \# GOTO 17

II = I-1

ESTI = RS1(I) + \text{C1} \times (RS1(I)-RS1(II))/(ES1(I)-ES1(II))

UT1 = UT(NBDIV1) - ESTI + EFSTR1(NBDIV1)

DUDZ12 = \frac{(UT - UT1)}{DZ1}

DO 18 I=2,LBL

C1 = ER(NDIV1) - ES1(I)

IF (C1 .GE. 0.0) GOTO 19

18 CONTINUE

RPKER = PK1(LBL) \# GOTO 20

II = I-1

RPKER = PK1(I) + \text{C1} \times (PK1(I)-PK1(II))/(ES1(I)-ES1(II))

DO 21 I=2,LDF

C1 = E(I) - ES1(I)

IF (C1 .GE. 0.0) GOTO 22

21 CONTINUE

PKE = PK(LDF) \# GOTO 23

II = I-1

PKE = PK(I) + \text{C1} \times (PK(I)-PK(II))/(ES(I)-ES(II))

DO 25 I=2,NDDIV1

IF (E(I) .LE. EFIN(I)) GOTO 28

II = I-1 \# IJ = I+1

DF = (F(IJ)-F(II)) / 2.0

DF2DZ = (F(IJ)-F(I)) \times 2.0 + F(II) / DZ

AC = (AF(IJ)-AF(II)) / DZ2

ER(I) = F(I) - CF1*\frac{DF*(GC1*BF(I)+AC)}{DF2DZ*AF1(I)}

25 CONTINUE

IF (E(I) .LE. EFIN(I)) E(I) = EFIN(I)

DO 29 I=2,NMD

IF (E(I) .GE. 0.0) GOTO 30

29 CONTINUE

NEW VOID RATIOS IN DREDGED FILL

DO 28 I=2,NMD

IF (E(I) .LE. EFIN(I)) GOTO 28

II = I-1 \# IJ = I+1

DF = (F(IJ)-F(II)) / 2.0

DF2DZ = (F(IJ)-F(I)) \times 2.0 + F(II) / DZ

AC = (AF(IJ)-AF(II)) / DZ2

E(I) = F(I) - CF1*\frac{DF*(GC1*BF(I)+AC)+DF2DZ*AF1(I)}{DZ3}

28 CONTINUE

RESET FOR NEXT LOOP

26 CONTINUE

IF (NBL .EQ. 3) GOTO 30

IF (NDT .LT. 4) GOTO 30

DO 31 I=2,LBL

B15
4980  C1 = ER(I) - ES1(I)
4985  IF (C1 .GE. 0.0) GOTO 32
4990  31 CONTINUE
4995  RPKER = PK1(LBL)
5000  EST1 = RS1(LBL)  & GOTO 33
5005  32 II = I-1
5010  C2 = C1 / (ES1(I)-ES1(II))
5015  RPKER = PK1(I) + C2*(PK1(I)-PK1(II))
5020  EST1 = RS1(I) + C2*(RS1(I)-RS1(II))
5025  33 DUDZ11 = DUDZ10 * PK0 / RPKER
5030  UT1 = U1(I) - EST1 + EFFSTR1(I)
5035  DUDZ10 = UT1 / DUO
5040  GOTO 38
5045  
5050C  ...RESET BOTTOM BOUNDARY DUDZ FOR DREDGED FILL
5055  34 DO 35 I=2,LDF
5060  C1 = E(I) - ES(I)
5065  IF (C1 .GE. 0.0) GOTO 36
5070  35 CONTINUE
5075  PKE = PK(LDF)
5080  EST = RS(LDF)  & GOTO 37
5085  36 II = I-1
5090  C2 = C1 / (ES(I)-ES(II))
5095  PKE = PK(I) + C2*(PK(I)-PK(II))
5100  EST = RS(I) + C2*(RS(I)-RS(II))
5105  37 DUDZ21 = DUDZ10 * PK0 / PKE
5110  UT = U(I) - EST + EFFSTR(I)
5115  DUDZ10 = UT / DUO
5120C  
5125C  ...CALCULATE ALPHA AND BETA FOR CURRENT VOID RATIOS
5130  CALL VRFUNC
5135C  
5140C  ...CALCULATE CURRENT TIME AND CHECK AGAINST
5145C  ....DESSICATION TIME AND PRINT TIME
5150  TIME = TAU * FLOAT(NNN)
5155  IF (TIME .GT. TDS .AND. MM .EQ. 1) GOTO 41
5160  39 IF (TIME .GE. DTIM) CALL DESIC
5165  NNN = NNN + 1
5170  IF (TIME .LT. TPRINT .AND. NBL .EQ. 1) GOTO 1
5175  IF (TIME .LT. TPRINT .AND. NBL .EQ. 2) GOTO 5
5180C  
5185C  ...RECOVER ACTUAL VOID RATIOS
5190  DO 44 I=2,NDT
5195  IF (E(I) .GT. ET(I)) E(I) = ET(I)
5200  44 CONTINUE
5205  CALL VRFUNC
5210C  
5215C  ...CHECK STABILITY AND CONSISTENCY
5220  IF (NBL .EQ. 2) GOTO 40
5225  RBF = BF1(I)
5230  RAF = AF1(I)
5235  DO 42 I=2,NBDIV1
5240  II = I+1
5245  IF (AF(I) .LE. RAF) GOTO 42
5250  RAF = AF1(I)
5255  RBF = BF1(II)
5260  42 CONTINUE
5265 STAB = ABS((DZ**2*GW)/(2.0*RAF))
5270 IF (STAB .LT. TAU) WRITE(IOUT,100) NPROB
5275 CONS = ABS((2.0*RAF)/(GC*RAF))
5280C IF (CONS .LE. DZI) WRITE(IOUT,101) NPROB
5285 40 RBF = BF(1)
5290 RAF = AF(1)
5295 DO 43 I=2,NND
5300 II = I+1
5305 IF (AF(II) .LE. RAF) GOTO 43
5310 RAF = AF(II)
5315 RBF = BF(II)
5320 43 CONTINUE
5325 STAB = ABS((DZ**2*GW)/(2.0*RAF))
5330 IF (STAB .LT. TAU) WRITE(IOUT,102) NPROB
5335 CONS = ABS((2.0*RAF)/(GC*RAF))
5340C IF (CONS .LE. DZ) WRITE(IOUT,103) NPROB
5345 IF (TAU .GE. A(ND)/RK(1)*FLOAT(N'D)) WRITE(IOUT,104)
5350C ...CALCULATE CONSOLIDATION SINCE LAST DESICCATION
5360 RETURN
5365 41 M = 2
5370 CALL INTEGR(Ev,DZ,NDT,FINT)
5375 CSET = VRINT - FINT(NDT)
5380 SETC = CSET + CSET
5385 VRINT = FINT(NDT)
5390 IF (M .EQ. 2) GOTO 39
5395C 5400C ***FORMATS
5405 100 FORMAT(///3STABILITY ERROR --FOUNDATION --PROBLEM,I5)
5410 101 FORMAT(///4CONSISTENCY ERROR --FOUNDATION --PROBLEM,I5)
5415 102 FORMAT(///5STABILITY ERROR --DREDGED FILL --PROBLEM,I5)
5420 103 FORMAT(///6CONSISTENCY ERROR --DREDGED FILL --PROBLEM,I5)
5425 104 FORMAT(///7STABILITY PROBLEM--DECREASE TAU)
5430C 5435C RETURN
5440 END
5445C SUBROUTINE VRFUNC
5445C
5470C ****PARAMETER P01=51, P02=501, P03=51
5500C COMMON DADUOPDUDZ1,DUDZ11,DUDZ21,DZI1,DZI,DZ1,E0,E00,ELL,ELL1,
5505 & GC,GCL,BLSL,SLDF,BWSL,BWSL,BWSL,BWSL,BWSL,BWSL,BWSL,BWSL,BWSL,
5510 & IM,INS,INS1,INS1,INS1,INS1,INS1,INS1,INS1,INS1,INS1,INS1,INS1,
5515 & NFLAG,NMM,NPROB,NPT,NND,NNN,NTIME,PKO,SETT,SETT1,
5520 & SFINS,FINS,FINS,FINS,FINS,FINS,FINS,FINS,FINS,FINS,FINS,FINS,
5525 & A(PQ2),A(PQ1),AF(PQ2),AF1(PQ1),ALPHA(PQ3),ALPHA1(PQ3),
5530 & BETA(PQ3),BETA1(PQ3),B(PQ2),BF1(PQ1),DSDE(PQ3),DSDE1(PQ3),
5535 & E(PQ2),E(PQ1),E1(PQ2),E1(PQ1),EFIN(PQ2),EFIN1(PQ1),ER(PQ1),
5540 & E8(PQ2),E81(PQ3),EFFST(PQ2),EFFST1(PQ1),F(PQ2),F1(PQ1),
5545 & FINT(PQ2),FINT1(PQ1),PK(PQ3),PK1(PQ3),RK(PQ3),RK1(PQ3),
FOR COMPRESSIBLE FOUNDATION
DO 3 I=1,NDIV1
DO 1 N=2,LDF
CI = E(I) - ES(N)
IF (CI .GE. 0.0) GOTO 2
1 CONTINUE
AF1(I) = ALPHA1(LDF)
BF1(I) = BETA1(LDF) + GOTO 3
2 NN = N-1
CM = CI / (ES(N)-ES(NN))
AF1(I) = ALPHA1(N) + CM*(ALPHA1(N)-ALPHA1(NN))
BF1(I) = BETA1(N) + CM*(BETA1(N)-BETA1(NN))
3 CONTINUE
4 DO 7 I=1,NDT
DO 5 N=2,LDF
CI = E(I) - ES(N)
IF (CI .GE. 0.0) GOTO 6
5 CONTINUE
AF(I) = ALPHA1(LDF)
BF(I) = BETA1(LDF) + GOTO 7
6 NN = N-1
CM = CI / (ES(N)-ES(NN))
AF(I) = ALPHA(N) + CM*(ALPHA(N)-ALPHA(NN))
BF(I) = BETA(N) + CM*(BETA(N)-BETA(NN))
7 CONTINUE
RETURN
END

SUBROUTINE DESIC

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# DESIC CALCULATES THE NEW VOID RATIOS DUE TO DESICCATON #
# IN THE UPPER PARTS OF THE DREDGED FILL ON A MONTHLY #
# BASIS. NEW BOUNDARY CONDITION FOR THE CONSOLIDATING #
# MATERIAL BELOW THE DRIED UPPER CRUST IS ALSO CALCULATED. #
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PARAMETER P01=51, P02=501, P03=51
COMMON DA,DUO,DUDZ10,DUDZ11,DZ,DZ1,E0,E00,ELL,ELL1,
GC,GC1,GS,GS1,GS9,GDF,GW,HBL,HDF,HDF1,IN,INS,IOUT,
IOUTS,LDF,LDF,NTIME,NBDIV,NBDIV1,NBL,ND,NDIV,NDIV1,
MFLAG,NPROB,NPT,NND,NNN,NTIME,PK0,SEIT,SETI,
SFINS,FINS,TAUTIME,TPRINT,UCON,UCON1,VR11,ZKO,
DIMENSION PS(PQ2)

... RECOVER ACTUAL VOID RATIOS

DO 20 I=2,NDT
IF (E(I) .GT. ET(I)) E(I) = E(I)
20 CONTINUE

... CALCULATE NET DESICCATION FOR MONTH

DTIM = DTIM + TPM
CALL INTBRL(EpDZvNDpFINT)
CT - Z(ND) + FINT(ND) - Z(NDT) - FINT(NDT)
CSET = VRINT - FINT(NDT)
SETC = CSET + CSET
M = M + 1; MM = 2
IF (M .EQ. 13) M=1
EP(M) = PEP(M) - ((1.0-DREFF)*RF(M))
EVEFF = CE * (1.0-(CT/H2))
EP(M) = EP(M) * EVEFF
DS: = EP(N) - CB: - DSC
DSC = 0.0
IF (DS = LE. 0.0) GOTO 16
IF (CT .GE. H2) GOTO 16
SETD = SETD + DSET
MN = ND-4
IF (E(ND) .LT. SL) GOTO 5

... DETERMINE WHICH POINTS ARE ADJUSTABLE TO SL

1 DO 2 I=1,ND
II = ND+1-I
IF (E(I) .GT. SL .AND. EFIN(I) .GE. SL) GOTO 3
4040 IF (EFIN(I) .LT. SL) GOTO 5
2 CONTINUE

... CHECK CRUST DEPTH

3 CD = Z(ND) + FINT(ND) - Z(II) - FINT(II)
H2T = H2 * (SL/DL)
IF (CD .GT. H2T) GOTO 5

... ADJUST VOID RATIOS WHICH ARE ABOVE SL

DEAV = DSET / DZ
IF (II .EQ. ND) DEAV = 2.0*DEAV
V = E(I) - DEAV
IF (V .LE. SL) GOTO 4
E(I) = V
GOTO 16
4 RV = DEAV - E(II) + SL
6125 E(II) = SL
6130 IF (II .EQ. ND) RV = RV / 2.0
6135 DSET = RV + DZ
6140 IF (DSET .GT. 0.0001) GOTO 1
6145 GOTO 16
6150C ...
6155C ...Determine which points are adjustable to DL
6160 5 DO 6 I11NN
6165 II = ND+1-I
6170 IF (E(II) .LT. DL .AND. EFIN(II) .GE. DL) GOTO 7
6175 IF (EFIN(II) .LT. DL) GOTO 14
6180 6 CONTINUE
6185 GOTO 15
6190C ...
6195C ...Adjust void ratios which are above DL
6200 7 NDT = II
6205 DEAV = DSET / DZ
6210 IF (II .EQ. ND) DEAV = DEAV * 2.0
6215 V = E(II) - DEAV
6220 IF (V .LE. DL) GOTO 8
6225 E(II) = V
6230 IF (EFIN(II) .LT. SL) RL = SL
6235 IF (EFIN(II) .LT. SL) RL = EFIN(II)
6240 PC = 0.0
6245 IF (E(II) .LT. RL) PC = 1.0
6250 IF (E(II) .LT. RL .AND. RL .GT. DL)
6255 PC = (E(II) - DL) / (RL - DL)
6260 PS(II) = SAT + ((1.0 - SAT) * PC)
6265 GOTO 9
6270 8 RV = DEAV - E(II) + DL
6275 NDT = II - 1
6280 PS(NDT) = 1.0
6285 E(II) = DL
6290 EFIN(II) = DL
6295 PS(II) = SAT
6300 IF (II .EQ. ND) RV = RV / 2.0
6305 DSET = RV * DZ
6310 SETD = SETD - DSET
6315C ...
6320C ...Check new crust thickness
6325 CT = Z(NDT) + FINT(NDT) - Z(NDT) - FINT(NDT)
6330 IF (CT .GE. H2) GOTO 9
6335 REF = CE * (1.0 - (CT / H2))
6340 RAT = REF / EVERFF
6345 DSET = RAT * DSET
6350 SETD = SETD + DSET
6355 IF (DSET .GT. 0.0001) GOTO 5
6360C ...
6365C ...Determine surcharge due to partially saturated crust
6370C ...... And carry over desiccation due to loss of saturation
6375C ...... And reset stresses in crust
6380 9 IF (NDT .EQ. ND) GOTO 16
6385 J = ND-1
6390 QDF = 0.0
6395 AEV1 = 0.0
6400 DO 10 J=NDT,J

B20
I = J + NDT -JI
IJ = I+1

EFFSTR(IJ) = QDF
TOTSTR(IJ) = QDF
U(IJ) = 0.0
UO(IJ) = 0.0
UW(IJ) = 0.0

EAV = (E(I)+E(IJ))/2.0
SAVE = (PS(I)+PS(IJ))/2.0
AEV1 = (DZ*EAV*1.0-SAV) + AEV

QDF = QDF + (DZ*(GS+(EAV*GW*SAV)))

10 CONTINUE

DSC = AEV1 - AEV
AEV = AEV1

...CALCULATE NEW FINAL VOID RATIOS DUE TO LOWER WATER TABLE

QD = QDF + GC*Z(NDT)
DO 13 I=1,NDT
SD = QD - GC*Z(I)
DO 11 N=2,LDF
S2 = S1 - RS(N)
IF (S2 .LE. 0.0) GOTO 12
11 CONTINUE
EFIN(I) = ES(LDF); GOTO 13
12 NT = N-1
EFIN(I) = ES(N) + (S2*(ES(NT)-ES(N))/(RS(NT)-RS(N)))
13 CONTINUE

...RESET UPPER BOUNDARY CONDITION FOR DREDGED FILL

V = E(NDT)
IF (V .GT. EFIN(NDT)) E(NDT) = EFIN(NDT)
F(NDT) = E(NDT)
DSC = (V-E(NDT)) * DZ + DSC

...CALCULATE NEW FINAL VOID RATIOS DUE TO LOWER WATER TABLE

V = E(NDT)
IF (V .LE. EFIN(NDT)) GOTO 16

S1 = (ELL1*GC1) + (Z(NDT)*GC) + QDF
DO 19 I=1,NDIV1
S2 = S1 - ZI(I)*GC1
DO 17 N=2,LBL
S3 = S2 - RS1(N)
IF (S3 .LE. 0.0) GOTO 18
17 CONTINUE
EFIN1(I) = ES1(LBL); GOTO 19
18 NT = N-1
EFIN1(I) = ES1(N) + (S3*(ES1(NT)-ES1(N))/(RS1(NT)-RS1(N)))
19 CONTINUE
GOTO 16

...PRINT MESSAGE WHEN ALL POINTS ARE AT DL OR EFINAL
WRITE(IOUT100)
FORMAT(1X/8X,H1//SXP39/HALL POINTS AT DL OR EFINAL--REFORMULATE)
GOTO 16

...PRINT MESSAGE WHEN LESS THAN 4 POINTS NOT AT DL
**SUBROUTINE STRESS**

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PARAMETER (PO1=51, PQ2=501, PQ3=51)
COMMON DA,DU0,DUDZ10,DUDZ11,DUDZ1, DZ1, E0, E00, ELL, ELL1,
      0,8, GC1, BS, GS1, GSBL, GSF, GW, HBL, HDF, HIF, IN, INS, IOUT,
      IOUTL, LBL, LDF, NHTIME, NBDIV, NBDIV1, NBL, ND, NDIV, NDIV1,
      NFLAB, NM, NPROB, NPT, NND, NNN, NTIME, PKO, SETT, SETT1,
      SFIN, SFIN1, TAU, TIME, TPRINT, UCON, UCON1, VR11, ZK0,
      A(PQ2), A1(PQ1), AF(PQ2), AF1(PQ1), ALPHA(PQ3), ALPHA1(PQ3),
      BETA(PQ3), BETA1(PQ3), BF(PQ2), BF1(PQ1), DSDE(PQ3), DSDE1(PQ3),
      D(PQ2), D1(PQ1), EFIN(PQ2), EFIN1(PQ1), EFIN2(PQ1),
      E(PQ2), E1(PQ2), E11(PQ1), E111(PQ1), E1111(PQ1),
      EFIN(PQ1), EFIN1(PQ1), EFIN2(PQ1), EFIN3(PQ1),
      FINT(PQ2), FINT1(PQ1), PK(PQ3), PK1(PQ3), RK(PQ3), RK1(PQ3),
      R8(PQ3), R81(PQ3), TOSTR(PQ2), TOSTR1(PQ1), TOSTR2(PQ1),
      U0(PQ2), U01(PQ1), U1(PQ1), U11(PQ1), U111(PQ1),
      U(PQ2), U1(PQ1), U11(PQ1), U111(PQ1),
      Z(PQ2), Z1(PQ1),
      AEV, CE, CSET, DL, DREFF, DSC, DSET, DTIM, H2, HN, HM, MS, NDT, NSC,
      QDF, SAT, SETG, SETG, SL, TDP, TPD, VRINT, XEL,
      EP(12), ET, PQ2, PEP(12), RF(12)

...CALCULATE VOID RATIO INTEGRAL AND XI COORDINATES
CALL INTGRL(E,DZ,NDT,FINT)
DO 1 I=1,NDT
XI(I) = Z(I) + FINT(I)
1 CONTINUE
IF (NBL .EQ. 2) GOTO 7
CALL INTGRL(ER,DZ,NDIV,FINT)
DO 2 I=1,NDIV
XI1(I) = Z1(I) + FINT1(I)
2 CONTINUE
...FOR COMPRSSIBLE FOUNDATION
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*CALCULATE STRESSES

\[ W_1 = \xi(NDT) + \xi(I, NDIV1) \]

\[ G_1 = \text{QDF} + (Z(NDT) - G_0) \]

\[ W_1 = \text{FINT}(NDIV1) + \xi(NDT) \]

DO 6 I=1,NDIV1

DO 3 N=2,LBL

C1 = E(I) - ES(N)

IF (C1 .GE. 0.0) GOTO 4

DO 3 CONTINUE

EFSTR(I) = RS1(LBL) + GOTO 5

4 NN = N-1

EFSTR(I) = RS1(N) + (C1*(RS1(N)-RS1(NN))/(ES1(N)-ES1(NN)))

5 UO(I) = GW * (WL1-XI(I))

TOTSTR(I) = GW*(W1-FINT(I)) + GS1*(ELL1-ZI(I)) + G1

UM(I) = TOTSTR(I) - EFSTR(I)

UO(I) = UM(I) - UO1(I)

6 CONTINUE

FOR DREDGED FILL

******CALCULATE STRESSES

DO 12 I=1,NDT

IF (E(I) .LE. EFIN(I)) GOTO 11

DO 9 N=2,LDF

C1 = E(I) - ES(N)

IF (C1 .GE. 0.0) GOTO 10

9 CONTINUE

EFFSTR(I) = RS(LDF) + GOTO 11

10 NN = N-1

EFFSTR(I) = RS(N) + (C1*(RS(N)-RS(NN))/(ES(N)-ES(NN)))

11 IF (E(I) .LE. EFIN(I)) EFFSTR(I) = GC*(Z(NDT)-Z(I)) + QDF

12 CONTINUE

CALCULATE SETTLEMENT AND DEGREE OF CONSOLIDATION

IF (NIL .EQ. 2) GOTO 14

SETT1 = A1(NDIV1) - XI1(NDIV1)

UCOM1 = SETT1 / SFIN1

14 SETT = A(ND) - XI(ND)

UCOM = SETT / SFIN

SETC = SETT - SETD

RETURN

RETURN

SUBROUTINE INTBRL(E,DZ,N,F)

DIMENSION E(101),F(101)
**BY SIMPSONS RULE FOR ALL ODD NUMBERED MESH POINTS**

F(1) = 0.0

DO 1 IM=N,2

F(I) = F(I-2) + DZ*(E(I-2)+4.0*E(I-1)+E(I))/3.0

1 CONTINUE

**BY SIMPSONS 3/8 RULE FOR EVEN NUMBERED MESH POINTS**

DO 2 IN=N,2

F(I) = F(I-3) + DZ*(E(I-3)+3.0*(E(I-2)+E(I-1))+E(I))*3.0/8.0

2 CONTINUE

**BY DIFFERENCES FOR FIRST INTERVAL**

F2 = DZ*(E(2)+4.0*E(3)+E(4))/3.0

F(2) = F(4) - F2

RETURN

END

**SUBROUTINE DATOUT**

PARAMETER PD1=51, PD2=501, PD3=51

COMMON DA,DUO,DUDZ10,DUDZ11,DUDZ21,DZ1,E0,E00,ELL,ELL1,
B,,G1,G6,G11,G61,G6DF,GW,HBL,HDF,HDF1,IN,INS,IOU,
IOUT8,LBL,LDF,NTIME,NBDIV1,NBDIV2,NBL,ND,NDIV,NDIV1,
NFLAG,NPROD,NPT,NND,NNN,TIME,PK0,SETT,SET1,
SFIN,SFIN1,TAU,TIME,TPRINT,UCON,UCON1,VR1,VR11,
A(PQ2),A1(PQ1),AF(PQ2),AF1(PQ1),ALPHA(PQ3),ALPHA1(PQ3),
BETA(PQ3),BETA1(PQ3),BF(PQ2),BF1(PQ1),DSBE(PQ3),DSBE1(PQ3),
E(PQ2),E1(PQ2),E11(PQ1),EFIN(PQ2),EFIN1(PQ1),ER(PQ1),
ES(PQ3),ES1(PQ3),EFFSTR(PQ2),EFFSTR1(PQ1),F(PQ2),F1(PQ1),
FIN2(PQ2),FIN1(PQ1),PK(PQ3),PK1(PQ3),PK1(PQ3),PK1(PQ3),
RS(PQ3),RS1(PQ3),TOSTR(PQ2),TOSTR1(PQ1),U(PQ2),U1(PQ1),
U2(PQ2),U01(PQ1),U2(PQ2),UW1(PQ1),XI(PQ2),XI1(PQ1),
Z(PQ2),Z1(PQ1),

AEV,CE,CSET,DL,DFE,DS,DSET,DTIM,H2,H21,MM1,M5,NDT,NSC,
OEF,SAT,SETC,SETD,SL,STT,TPH,VR1NT,XEL,
EP12,ET(PQ2),EP(P12),RF(12)

PRINT CONDITIONS IN COMPRESSIBLE FOUNDATION

IF (NBL .EQ. 2) GOTO 4

IF (NFLAG .EQ. 1) WRITE(IOUT,100)

IF (NFLAG .EQ. 0) WRITE(IOUT,108)

IF (MSC .EQ. 3) GOTO 3

WRITE(IOUT,101)

WRITE(IOUT,102)

DO 1 IN=1,NDIV1

1 J = NDIV1+1-I

WRITE(IOUT,103) AI(J),XI1(J),Z1(J),E11(J),ER(J),EFIN1(J)

1 CONTINUE

IF (MSC .EQ. 2) GOTO 3
WRITE(IOUT, 104)
WRITE(IOUT, 105)
DO 2 I = 1, MDIV1
J = MDIV1 + I - 1
WRITE(IOUT, 103) XI(J), TOSTR1(J), EFSTR1(J), UW1(J), UO1(J), U1(J)
2 CONTINUE
3 WRITE(IOUT, 107) TIME, UCON
WRITE(IOUT, 110) SETT1, SFIN1
WRITE(IOUT, 111) DUD21

*** PRINT CONDITIONS IN DREDGED FILL
4 IF (NFLAG = 0) WRITE(IOUT, 106)
5 IF (NFLAG .EQ. 0) WRITE(IOUT, 109)
6 IF (NSC .EQ. 3) GOTO 7
7 WRITE(IOUT, 101)
WRITE(IOUT, 102)
DO 3 I = 1, ND
J = ND + I - 1
WRITE(IOUT, 103) XI(J), TOSTR(J), EFFSTR(J), UW(J), UO(J), U(J)
3 CONTINUE
4 IF (NSC *Eg. 2) GOTO 7
WRITE(IOUT, 104)
WRITE(IOUT, 105)
DO 5 I = 1, ND
J = ND + I - 1
WRITE(IOUT, 103) XI(J), TOSTR(J), EFFSTR(J), UW(J), UO(J), U(J)
5 CONTINUE
6 IF (TIME .LT. TDS) GOTO 8
WRITE(IOUT, 112) SETC
WRITE(IOUT, 113) SETD
WRITE(IOUT, 111) DUD21

*** CALCULATE AND WRITE SURFACE ELEVATION
ELEV = XEL - SETT1 + XI(ND) + HBL
WRITE(IOUT, 114) ELEV

*** FORMATS
100 FORMAT(1H1/14(1H*), 34HINITIAL CONDITIONS IN COMPRESSIBLE,
11H FOUNDATION, 13(IH*))
101 FORMAT(1X, 5(IH*), 13H COORDINATES, 5(1H*), 13X, 5(1H*),
13H VOID RATIOS, 5(1H*))
102 FORMAT(7X, 1HA, 10X, 2HXI, 11X, 1HZ, 7X, 8HEINITIAL, 8X, 1HE, 8X,
6HEFINAL)
103 FORMAT(2X, 5(F10.4, 2X), F10.4)
104 FORMAT(15X, 5(1H*), 10H STRESSES, 5(1H*), 7X, 5(1H*),
16H PORE PRESSURES, 5(1H*))
105 FORMAT(6X, 2HXI, 9X, 5HTOTAL, 5X, 9HEFFECTIVE, 5X, 5HTOTAL, 6X,
6HSTATIC, 6X, 6HEXCESS)
106 FORMAT(1H1/19(1H*), 34HINITIAL CONDITIONS IN DREDGED FILL,
19(1H*))
107 FORMAT(1X, 7HTIME = .E10.4, 5X, 26DEGREE OF CONSOLIDATION = ,
F10.6)
108 FORMAT(1H1/14(1H*), 34HCURRENT CONDITIONS IN COMPRESSIBLE,
11H FOUNDATION, 13(IH*))
109 FORMAT(1H1/19(1H*), 34HCURRENT CONDITIONS IN DREDGED FILL,
SUBROUTINE DATAIN

PARAMETER P01=51, PQ2=501, PQ3=51

COMMON DA,DUO,DUDZ10,DUDZ11,DUDZ21,BZ,DZI,E0,E00,ELL,ELL1,
& BC,BG,GS1,GS1,GSL,GSDL,GW,HBL,HDF,HDF1,IN,INS,INTOUT,
& IOUTSLBL,LDF,NTIME,NBDIV,NBDIV1,NBDIV11,NBL,NDIV,NDIV1,
& MFLAG,MN,MPROB,NP,NN,NN,MNTIME,PKO,SETT,SETT1,
& SFIN,SFIN1,TAU,TIME,TPRINT,UCON,UCON1,VR1,PK,
& A(PQ2),A1(PQ1),AF(PQ2),AF1(PQ1),ALPHA(PQ3),ALPHA1(PQ3),
& BETA(PQ3),BETA1(PQ3),BF(PQ2),BF1(PQ1),DSDE(PQ3),DSDE1(PQ3),
& E(PQ2),E1(PQ2),E11(PQ1),EFIN(PQ2),EFIN1(PQ1),ER(PQ1),
& ES(PQ3),ES1(PQ3),EFSSTR(PQ2),EFSSTR1(PQ1),F(PQ2),F1(PQ1),
& FINT(PQ2),FINT1(PQ1),PK(PQ3),PK1(PQ3),RK(PQ3),RK1(PQ3),
& RS(PQ3),RS1(PQ3),TOSTR(PQ2),TOSTR1(PQ1),U(PQ2),U1(PQ1),
& U0(PQ2),U01(PQ1),UW(PQ2),UW1(PQ1),XI(PQ2),XI1(PQ1),
& Z(PQ2),Z1(PQ1),
& AEV,CE,SETS,DLS,DREFF,DEC,DSET,DTIM,H2,H,M,M,M,MS,NDN,NSC,
& QDF,SA,SBE,SETD,SL,TDS,TP,VRINT,XEL,
& E(P12),ET(PQ2),EPEP(12),RF(12)

READ(INSP100) NST,INS,IOUTS,LBL,LDF
READ(INSP100) NST,NTIME,NN,NNTIME,NN
READ(INSP200) NST,DA,DUDZ11,DUDZ21,BZ,DZI,
READ(INSP200) NST,DUO,DUDZ10,DZ1,DZI,
READ(INSP200) NST,GS,GS1,GSL,GSDL,GW,
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READ(INSP200) NST,DUO,DUDZ10,DZ1,DZI,
DO 1 I=1,ND
READ(INS#200) NST,AF(I),BF(I),E(I),E1(I)
1 CONTINUE
IF (NBL.EQ.2) GOTO 4
DO 3 I=1,NDIV
READ(INS#200) NSTA(I),AFI(I),BFI(I),ER(I),EII(I)
READ(INSP200) NSTEFIN(I),EFFSTR(I),F(I),FINT(I),TOTSTR(I)
READ(INSP200) NST#U(I),U0(I),UW(I),XI(I),Z(I)
CONTINUE
IF (NBL.EQ.2) GOTO 8
DO 7 I=1,LDF
READ(INSP200) NSTALPHA(I),BETA(I),DSDE(I),ES(I),PK(I)
READ(INSP200) NSTPRK(I),PRS(I)
CONTINUE
IF (NBL.EQ.2) GOTO 8
DO 7 I=1,LDF
READ(INSP200) NSTALPHA1(I),BETA1(I),DSDE1(I),ES1(I),PK1(I)
READ(INSP200) NSTPRK1(I),PRS1(I)
CONTINUE
...RESET TIME CONTROL
8 NM = NTIME + 1
8240 NTIME = NTIME + MTIME
WRITE(IOUTP300) NPROB
FORMAT(15,5E13.6)
FORMAT(/9XP30HCONTINUATION OF PROBLEM NUMBERP14)
8390 \& FINT(PQ2),FINT1(PQ1),PK(PQ3),PK1(PQ3),RK(PQ3),RK1(PQ3),
8395 \& RS(PQ3),RS1(PQ3),TOSTR(PQ2),TOSTR1(PQ1),U(PQ2),U1(PQ1),
8400 \& U0(PQ2),U01(PQ1),UR(PQ2),UR1(PQ1),XI(PQ2),XI1(PQ1),
8405 \& Z(PQ2),Z1(PQ1),
8410 \& AEV,CE,CSET,DL,DREFF,DS,DSFLD,H2,M,MM,MS,NBT,NSC,
8415 \& QDF,SB,SETC,SETD,SL,TDS,TPM,VRINT,XEL,
8420 \& EP(12),ET(PQ2),PEP(12),RF(12)
8425
8430 NST = 1
8435 WRITE(IOUTS,100) NST,INH,INS,IOUT,LBL,LDF
8440 NST = NST + 1
8445 WRITE(IOUTS,100) NST,MBDIV,NBDIV1,NDIV1,NDIV1+MBL
8450 NST = NST + 1
8455 WRITE(IOUTS,100) NST,ND,NDG,NDG1,NN,NNN,NTIME
8460 NST = NST + 1
8465 WRITE(IOUTS,200) NST,DA,DUDZ11,DUDZ21,XD,X1
8470 NST = NST + 1
8475 WRITE(IOUTS,200) NST,E00,ELL,ELL1,GC,G1
8480 NST = NST + 1
8485 WRITE(IOUTS,200) NST,GS,GS1,GSBL,GSDF,GW
8490 NST = NST + 1
8495 WRITE(IOUTS,200) NST,HBL,HDF,HDF1,SE1,SETT,SETT1
8500 NST = NST + 1
8505 WRITE(IOUTS,200) NST,SC,SC1,TU,TM,TPRINT
8510 NST = NST + 1
8515 WRITE(IOUTS,200) NST,UCON,UCON2,VR1
8520 NST = NST + 1
8525 WRITE(IOUTS,200) NST,DUO,DUDZ10,DO
8530 NST = NST + 1
8535 WRITE(IOUTS,200) NST,ZKO,PKO,XEL
8540 NST = NST + 1
8545 WRITE(IOUTS,100) NST,MM,MS,NBT,NSC
8550 NST = NST + 1
8555 WRITE(IOUTS,200) NST,AEV,CSET,DL,DREFF
8560 NST = NST + 1
8565 WRITE(IOUTS,200) NST,DSC,DSET,DTIM,CE,M
8570 NST = NST + 1
8575 WRITE(IOUTS,200) NST,DF,BAT,SETC,SETD
8580 NST = NST + 1
8585 WRITE(IOUTS,200) NST,SL,TDS,TPM,VRINT
8590 DO I=1,12
8595 NST = NST + 1
8600 WRITE(IOUTS,200) NST,EP(I),PEP(I),RF(I)
8605 CONTINUE
8610 DO 1 I=1,ND
8615 NST = NST + 1
8620 WRITE(IOUTS,200) NST,A(I),AF(I),BF(I),E(I),E1(I)
8625 NST = NST + 1
8630 WRITE(IOUTS,200) NST,EFIN(I),EFFSTR(I),F(I),FIN(I),TOTSTR(I)
8635 NST = NST + 1
8640 WRITE(IOUTS,200) NST,UI(),U0(I),U1(I),XI(I),X2(I)
8645 NST = NST + 1
8650 WRITE(IOUTS,200) NST,ET(I)
8655 CONTINUE
8660 IF (NBL.EQ.2) GOTO 4
8665 CONTINUE
8670 2 DO 3 I=1,NDIV1
SUBROUTINE SETUP2

SETUP MAKES INITIAL CALCULATIONS AND MANIPULATIONS OF INPUT DATA FOR LATER USE.

PARAMETER P01=51, P02=501, P03=51

COMMON DAPDU0, DUDZ1, DUDZ2, DZPDZ1, E0.E00, GCGC1, GSBS1, GSDLOSDFGWHDLHDFI4DF1, ININS, IOUT, IOUTSL, DLLDF, MTIME, PNDIV, PNDIV1, NFLAON, MNPROD, NPRO, NND, NNN, NTIME, PK0, SETT, SETT1, SFIN, SFIN1, TAU, TIME, TPRINT, UCON, UCON1, URI, ZK0, A(PQ2), A1(PQ1), AF(PQ2), AF1(PQ1), ALPHA(PQ3), ALPHA1(PQ3), BETA(PQ3), BETA1(PQ3), BF(PQ2), BF1(PQ1), DSDE(PQ3), DSDE1(PQ3), E(PQ3), E11(PQ1), EFIN(PQ2), EFIN1(PQ1), ER(PQ1), ES(PQ3), ES1(PQ3), EFFSTR(PQ2), EFFSTR1(PQ1), F(PQ2), F1(PQ1), FINT(PQ2), FINT1(PQ1), PK(PQ3), PK1(PQ3), RK(PQ3), RK1(PQ3), RS(PQ3), RS1(PQ3), TOSTR(PQ2), TOSTR1(PQ1), U(PQ2), U1(PQ1), UO(PQ2), UO1(PQ1), UW(PQ2), UW1(PQ1), XI(PQ2), XI1(PQ1), Z(PQ2), Z1(PQ1), AEV, CE, CSET, DL, DREFF, DSC, DSET, DTIM, H2, H3, HH, HS, NDT, NSC, QDF, SAT, SETC, SETD, SL, TDS, TPH, VPRINT, XEL, EP(12), ET(PQ2), PEP(12), RF(12)

RETURN

END
S.

\[ \text{NDIV} = \text{NDIV} \]

\[ \text{ND} = \text{ND} \]

\[ \text{GS} = \text{GS} \times \text{GW} \]

\[ \text{GC} = \text{GC} \times \text{GW} \]

\[ \text{GB1} = \text{GB1} \times \text{GW} \]

\[ \text{GC} = \text{GC} \times \text{GW} \]

\[ \text{NDIV1} = \text{NDIV1} + 1 \]

\[ \text{PKO} = \text{ZKO} / (1.0 + \text{EO}) \]

\[ \text{DUO} = \text{DUO} / (1.0 + \text{EO}) \]

\[ \text{IF} (\text{ND} \leq \text{EQ} \leq 2) \text{ GOTO 10} \]

\[ \ldots \text{CALCULATE ELL FOR 'COMPRESSIBLE FOUNDATION LAYER} \]

\[ \text{DZZ} = 0.0 \]

\[ \text{ND} = 10 \times \text{NDIV1} \]

\[ \text{DABL} = \text{HBL} / \text{FLOAT(ND)} \]

\[ \text{EF8} = 0.0 \]

\[ \text{DO} 4 \text{ I=1,ND} \]

\[ \text{DO} 1 \text{ N=2,LBL} \]

\[ \text{S1} = \text{EF8} - \text{RS1(N)} \]

\[ \text{IF} (\text{S1} \leq 0.0) \text{ GOTO 2} \]

\[ 1 \text{ CONTINUE} \]

\[ \text{V} = \text{ES1(LBL)} / \text{FLOAT(NDIV1)} \]

\[ \text{NN} = \text{N-1} \]

\[ \text{V} = \text{ES1(N)} + (\text{S1} \times (\text{ES1(NN)} - \text{ES1(N)}) / (\text{RS1(NN)} - \text{RS1(N)})) \]

\[ \text{TDZ} = \text{DABL} / (1.0 + \text{V}) \]

\[ \text{EF8} = \text{EF8} + \text{GC1*TDZ} \]

\[ \text{DZZ} = \text{DZZ} + \text{TDZ} \]

\[ 4 \text{ CONTINUE} \]

\[ \text{ELL1} = \text{DZZ} \]

\[ \text{DZ1} = \text{ELL1} / \text{FLOAT(NDIV1)} \]

\[ \ldots \text{CALCULATE INITIAL COORDINATES AND VOID RATIOS} \]

\[ \ldots \text{FOR COMPRESSIBLE FOUNDATION LAYER} \]

\[ \text{Z1(1)} = 0.0 \]

\[ \text{A1(1)} = 0.0 \]

\[ \text{XII(1)} = 0.0 \]

\[ \text{EFS} = \text{GC1*ELL1} \]

\[ \text{DO} 8 \text{ I=1,NDIV1} \]

\[ \text{DO} 5 \text{ N=2,LBL} \]

\[ \text{S1} = \text{EF8} - \text{RS1(N)} \]

\[ \text{IF} (\text{S1} \leq 0.0) \text{ GOTO 6} \]

\[ 5 \text{ CONTINUE} \]

\[ \text{E11(I)} = \text{ES1(LBL)} / \text{FLOAT(NDIV1)} \]

\[ \text{NN} = \text{N-1} \]

\[ \text{E11(I)} = \text{ES1(N)} + (\text{S1} \times (\text{ES1(NN)} - \text{ES1(N)}) / (\text{RS1(NN)} - \text{RS1(N)})) \]

\[ \text{F11(I)} = \text{E11(I)} \]

\[ \text{ER11(I)} = \text{E11(I)} \]

\[ \text{EF8} = \text{EF8} - \text{GC1*DZ1} \]

\[ 8 \text{ CONTINUE} \]

\[ \text{CALL } \text{INTORL(ER*DZ1,NDIV1,FINT1)} \]

\[ \text{DO} 9 \text{ I=2,NDIV1} \]

\[ \text{Z1(I)} = \text{Z1(I-1)} + \text{DZ1} \]

\[ \text{A1(I)} = \text{Z1(I)} + \text{FINT1(I)} \]

\[ \text{XII(I)} = \text{A1(I)} \]

\[ 9 \text{ CONTINUE} \]

\[ \ldots \text{CALCULATE ELL FOR FIRST DREDGED FILL LAYER} \]

\[ \text{ELL} = \text{MDF} / (1.0 + \text{EO0}) \]

\[ \text{VPRINT} = \text{ELL} \times \text{EO0} \]

B30
...CALCULATE INITIAL COORDINATES AND SET VOID RATIOS
DZ = ELL / FLOAT(NDIV)
Z(1)=0.0; A(1)=0.0; XI(1)=0.0
E1(1)=E00; F(1)=E00; E(1)=E00; ET(1)=E00
DA = HDF / FLOAT(NDIV)
DO 11 I=2:NDIV
II = I-1
Z(I) = Z(II) + DZ
A(I) = A(II) + DA
XI(I) = A(I)
E1(I) = E00
F(I) = E00
E(I) = E00
ET(I) = E00
11 CONTINUE

...CALCULATE INITIAL COORDINATES AND SET VOID RATIOS
S1 = GC*(ELL-Z(I))
IF (S1 .LT. 0.0) S1 = 0.0
DO 12 N=2:LDF
S2 = S1 - RS(N)
IF (S2 .LE. 0.0) GOTO 13
12 CONTINUE
EFINI(I) = ES(LDF) ; GOTO 14
13 NN = N-1
EFINI(I) = ES(N) + (S2*(ES(NN)-ES(N))/(RS(NN)-RS(N)))
14 CONTINUE
EFINI(NDIV) = E00

...CALCULATE MAXIMUM SECOND STAGE DRYING DEPTH
DO 30 N=2:LDF
C1 = DL - ES(N)
IF (C1 .GE. 0.0) GOTO 31
30 CONTINUE
EFSDL = RS(LDF) ; GOTO 32
31 NN = N-1
EFSDL = RS(N) + (C1*(RS(N)-RS(NN))/(ES(N)-ES(NN)))
32 DZ2 = EFSDL / (GS+(GW*DL*SAT))
H2MX = DZ2 *(1.0+DL)
IF (H2 .GT. H2MX) H2 = H2MX

...CALCULATE FINAL VOID RATIOS FOR FOUNDATION
IF (NBL .EQ. 2) GOTO 20
C1 = ELL1*GC1 ; C2 = ELL2*GC
S1 = C1 + C2
DO 18 I=2:NDIV1
S2 = S1 - Z(I)*GC1
DO 16 N=2:LBL
S3 = S2 - RS1(N)
IF (S3 .LE. 0.0) GOTO 17
16 CONTINUE
EFINI(I) = ES1(LBL) ; GOTO 18
17 NN = N-1
EFINI(I) = ES1(N) + (S3*(ES1(NN)-ES1(N))/(RS1(NN)-RS1(N)))
18
18 CONTINUE

...CALCULATE INITIAL STRESSES AND PORE PressURES

......FOR FOUNDATION LAYER

WL1 = XI1(NDIV1) + XI(NDIV)

DO 19 I=1,NDIV1

U01(I) = GW * (WL1-XI1(I))

UI(I) = C2

UW1(I) = U01(I) + UI(I)

EFSTR1(I) = C1 - OC1*ZI(I)

TOTSTR1(I) = EFSTR1(I) + UW1(I)

19 CONTINUE

.....ULTIMATE SETTLEMENT FOR COMPRESSIBLE FOUNDATION

VRI1 = FINT1(NDIV1)

CALL INTGRL(EFIN1,DZINDIV1,FINT1)

SFIN1 = VRI1 - FINT1(NDIV1)

20 DO 21 I=1,NDIV

UO(I) = GW * (XI(NDIV)-XI(I))

U(I) = GC * (ELL-Z(I))

UM(I) = U0(I) + U(I)

EFFSTR(I) = 0.0

TOTSTR(I) = UW(I)

21 CONTINUE

.....ULTIMATE SETTLEMENT FOR DREDGED FILL

CALL INTGRL(EFINvDZvNDIVvFINT)

SFIN = E00*ELL - FINT(NDIV)

22 CONTINUE

...CALCULATE FUNCTIONS FOR DREDGED FILL

.....PERMEABILITY FUNCTION

DO 22 I=1,LDF

PK(I) = RK(I) / (1.0+ES(I))

22 CONTINUE

.....SLOPE OF PERMEABILITY FUNCTION -- BETA

.....AND SLOPE OF EFF STRESS-VOID RATIO CURVE -- DSDE

CD = ES(2) - ES(1)

BETA(I) = (PK(2)-PK(I)) / CD

DSDE(I) = (RS(2)-RS(I)) / CD

L = LDF - 1

DO 23 I=2,L

II=I-1 ; JJ=I+1

CD = ES(JJ) - ES(I)

BETA(I) = (PK(IJ)-PK(I)) / CD

DSDE(I) = (RS(IJ)-RS(I)) / CD

23 CONTINUE

CD = ES(LDF) - ES(L)

BETA(LDF) = (PK(LDF)-PK(L)) / CD

DSDE(LDF) = (RS(LDF)-RS(L)) / CD

......PERMEABILITY FUNCTION TIMES DSDE -- ALPHA

DO 24 I=1,LDF

ALPHA(I) = PK(I) * DSDE(I)

24 CONTINUE

IF (NML .EQ. 2) GOTO 29

29 CONTINUE

...CALCULATE FUNCTIONS FOR COMPRESSIBLE FOUNDATION

.....PERMEABILITY FUNCTION
DO 26 I=1,LBL
PK1(I) = RK1(I) / (1.0 + ES1(I))
26 CONTINUE
C.....SLOPE OF PERMEABILITY FUNCTION -- BETA1
C.....AND SLOPE OF EFF STRESS-VOID RATIO CURVE -- DSDE1
CD = ES1(2) - ES1(1)
BETA1(I) = (PK1(2) - PK1(1)) / CD
DSDE1(I) = (RS1(I) - RS1(1)) / CD
L = LBL - 1
DO 27 I=2,L
II=I-1 ; IJ=I+1
CD = ES1(IJ) - ES1(II)
BETA1(I) = (PK1(IJ) - PK1(II)) / CD
DSDE1(I) = (RS1(IJ) - RS1(II)) / CD
27 CONTINUE
CD = ES1(LBL) - ES1(L)
BETA1(LBL) = (PK1(LBL) - PK1(L)) / CD
DSDE1(LBL) = (RS1(LBL) - RS1(L)) / CD
C.....PERMEABILITY FUNCTION TIMES DSDE -- ALPHA1
DO 29 I=1,LBL
ALPHA1(I) = PK1(I) * DSDE1(I)
29 CONTINUE
C.....CALCULATE BOTTOM BOUNDARY DUDZ
DUDZ1O = U1(1) / DUO
IF (NBL .EQ. 2) DUDZ1O = U1(1) / DUO
C.....COMPUTE VOID RATIO FUNCTION FOR INITIAL VALUES
CALL VRFUNC
RETURN
END

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LIST GTEST.3
APPENDIX C: SAMPLE PROBLEM LISTINGS

The following pages contain sample data input and calculation results from the Drum Island site previously discussed.
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APPENDIX D: CONSOLIDATION PROPERTIES

1. Figures D1-D6 show the relationships between void ratio and effective stress and void ratio and permeability used in the settlement calculations discussed in the main text. Cargill (1983a)* provides a complete description of the different tests performed.

2. The $g$ function referenced in Figure D2 is the finite strain co-efficient of consolidation

\[ g(e) = \frac{K(e)}{\gamma_w (1 + e)} \frac{d\sigma'}{de} \]

which is considered to be a constant over the range of void ratios expected in the containment area (Cargill 1983a).

* See References at the end of the main text.
Figure D1. Void ratio-effective stress relationship for Canaveral Harbor material ($e_o$ is the initial void ratio)

Figure D2. Void ratio-permeability relationship for Canaveral Harbor material
Figure D3. Void ratio-effective stress relationship for Craney Island material

Figure D4. Void ratio-permeability relationship for Craney Island material
Figure D5. Void ratio-effective stress relationship for Drum Island material

Figure D6. Void ratio-permeability relationship for Drum Island material
APPENDIX E: A COMPREHENSIVE FIELD VERIFICATION SITE

1. This report and others related to dredged material settlement in confined disposal areas have recognized the need for comparing mathematical model predictions to actual field performance. While this and a previous report (Cargill 1982b)* have made some comparisons between theoretically predicted and field measured quantities with good results, the field sites were not specifically monitored for the purposes that they have been used. Therefore, the data have been incomplete and some assumptions have been required in order to make the comparisons. While the data used in this and the previous report have been sufficient to illustrate the validity and usefulness of the procedures and to establish a basic level of confidence in them, there remains a need for additional comparisons at sites specifically monitored for verification purposes. Only then can the analysis procedures be fine tuned and the level of confidence in them be raised to a level acceptable for use in routine design. This appendix documents the measurements and observations which should be made in future contained disposal areas.

General

2. The geometry and size of a comprehensive field verification site are not critical so long as deposited material is able to spread relatively easily and evenly throughout the site and the areal extent or any cross dimension is very large in comparison with the depth of material deposited. The theory is one-dimensional and not applicable where two- or three-dimensional effects are possible.

3. Prior to the commencement of the dredging operation, channel sediments to be dredged should be thoroughly sampled in situ for later correlation with material deposited in the site. Data collected should include in situ void ratio, grain-size distribution, specific gravity of coarse- and fine-grained portions, Atterberg limits, and consolidation parameters of the fine-grained portion. Consolidation testing recommended here and later for material after deposition in the site should be conducted on disturbed samples at a void ratio comparable with the state of the material as it is discharged

* See References at the end of the main text.
from the dredge pipe. This testing is best accomplished in a controlled rate of strain device (Cargill 1983b) or slurry consolidometer since conventional oedometers cannot accommodate the very high void ratios common to dredged material.

4. A complete initial topographic survey of the containment area and dikes is required to correlate volumes dredged and pumped to volumes stored. While theoretical settlement predictions may be absolutely accurate for known heights of dredged material solids in the disposal area, unless the solids height can be deduced accurately from volume dredged, there is little hope of obtaining a useful settlement prediction.

**Foundation Sampling and Testing**

5. The material properties of the foundation upon which dredged material is deposited will have some effect on the overall settlement experienced by the surface of the dredged material. Therefore, some sampling and testing of foundation material are required. The specific material will determine how extensive the program of sampling and testing should be.

6. The basic information needed from a sampling program for a comprehensive field verification site includes boring logs identifying the material to a depth from one to two times the maximum height of dredged material to be deposited (so foundation effects can be considered), regular and closely spaced undisturbed samples throughout all compressible layers, and relative density correlations through coarse-grained material along with samples. Correct specification of the boundary condition between foundation and dredged material requires knowledge of the permeability and void ratio at the foundation surface. Undisturbed sampling and field permeability testing should be accomplished to define these variables.

7. A laboratory testing program is needed mainly for the characterization of fine-grained compressible materials. Coarse-grained foundations are normally expected to be relatively incompressible under the loading of typical dredged material thicknesses. Theoretical prediction of foundation settlement requires knowledge of the material's specific gravity, consolidation parameters (derived through testing of material at various depths and reconciled with a measured in situ void ratio distribution when possible), and layer thickness. For completeness and possible use in future correlations, the grain-size distribution and Atterberg limits should also be determined.
8. Measurement of settlements in both the foundation and dredged material within a confined disposal area is very easy with the aid of a simple settlement plate as illustrated in Figure E1. All comprehensive field verification sites should be initially equipped with at least three settlement plates:

- one located on the inflow side of the area, one near the middle, and one near the effluent discharge side. Since most areas gently slope toward the outflow side and desiccation drying varies across the site, this arrangement allows measurement of settlement under a variety of conditions which can be related to other monitored variables. If a site is used for more than one major dredging disposal operation, additional settlement plates should be placed on top of previously deposited dredged material so that the contribution to total settlement can be individually tracked for all major layers.

9. At sites subjected to extensive evaporative forces, desiccation settlement can be a large part of the total. Theoretical prediction of desiccation settlement is dependent upon knowledge of the environmental potential...
evaporation at the site. Therefore, all comprehensive field verification sites should also be equipped with a Class A pan and rain gauge for determining evaporation potential. This equipment should be installed, monitored, and maintained in accordance with the National Weather Service (NWS) standards so that data gathered can be compared with NWS data. After an extended period of favorable correlation between site data and published NWS data for nearby stations, site monitoring can possibly be discontinued, but should be checked periodically throughout the life of the disposal area to ensure consistency of data.

10. The theoretical prediction of consolidation settlement involves very precise calculation of void ratio, effective stress, and pore pressure distributions through the consolidating layer. The accuracy of these calculations at any point in time can be best judged by comparison of predicted and measured pore pressure distributions. Due to the relative impermeability of dredged material and the large unknown relative displacements likely to be experienced by any permanently installed pore pressure measuring device, it is recommended that pore pressure distribution measurements be accomplished with an electronic pore pressure probe such as the one described by Cooper and Franklin (1982). Since the structural integrity of the device is not expected to present a problem in soft dredged fill, a hand-pushed, simplified probe such as shown in Figure E2 may be found to be quite suitable for the intended

![Figure E2. Typical pore pressure measurement probe](image)
application. Before the use of any pore pressure probe in dredged material becomes routine, a study on how to account for possible probe-induced pore pressures should be conducted.

**Dredged Material Sampling and Testing**

11. Immediately upon the completion of dredged material deposition, the entire layer should be sampled on the same foundation contour and in the vicinity of each settlement plate, but not so close as to interfere with the settlement plate. It may be necessary to maintain a pond of water over the site to permit access to the sampling locations by boat since the material will be too soft for foot traffic. This initial sampling is considered crucial to any comprehensive field verification site. From it, an initial void ratio and height of material solids will be determined. The height of material solids is the base number upon which all other calculations are based. If possible, the initial sampling should include well-preserved samples at various depths as well as a tube sample of the entire layer. Techniques for conducting the sampling should recognize the very soft nature of normally consolidated dredged material.

12. Laboratory testing to determine in situ void ratio, grain-size distribution, specific gravity of solids, Atterberg limits, and consolidation parameters should be performed on these initial samples. Correlations between these test results and similar testing on channel sediments should be sought.

13. Once a desiccated crust begins to form in the vicinity of a settlement plate, it should be statistically sampled monthly for determination of thickness, depth and areal percentage of cracks, and void ratio distribution and saturation through the crust. This sampling is crucial for the verification of the saturation limit and desiccation limit concepts and determination of the maximum soil evaporation efficiency and its relationship to water table depth.

**Site Monitoring and Operation**

14. Once material disposal activities have ended, a regular monitoring program should be initiated to track changes in the material and weather variations over an extended period of time. Settlement plates, evaporation pans,
and rainfall gauges require reading at least monthly and possibly more often in the early stages of consolidation or desiccation. A quarterly determination of pore pressure distribution in the vicinity of settlement plates is considered sufficient for monitoring this aspect of the consolidation phenomenon. A complete topographic survey of the disposal area should be accomplished on a yearly basis to ensure that settlement predictions are correctly translated to volume reduction.

15. At sites operated for field verification purposes, consideration should be given to maintaining the site at various degrees of desiccation through control of surface drainage. For instance, the upper or inflow side of the containment area should be decanted of free surface water as soon as possible to get maximum benefit from evaporative drying; the middle portion of the site should be managed for desiccation starting 3 to 4 months later than the upper end; and the lower or outflow side of the site should be managed to maintain a pond of water so that material desiccation is prevented. Of course, the site must be quite large and positively sloped to enable this type management without benefit of interior dikes. Figure E3 illustrates a comprehensive field verification site as recommended by this appendix.
Area A: Maintained for maximum benefit from evaporative drying.

Area B: Managed for desiccation starting 3 to 4 months later than Area A.

Area C: Free water maintained to prevent desiccation so that self-weight consolidation only occurs.

1 - Station for monitoring site rainfall and potential evaporation.
2 - Topographic survey of entire disposal area.
3 - Determination of pore water pressure distribution.
4 - Settlement plate reading.
5 - Material sampling through full depth of all newly placed lifts.
6 - Settlement plates installed before each major lift of dredged material is placed.

Figure E3. Comprehensive field verification site