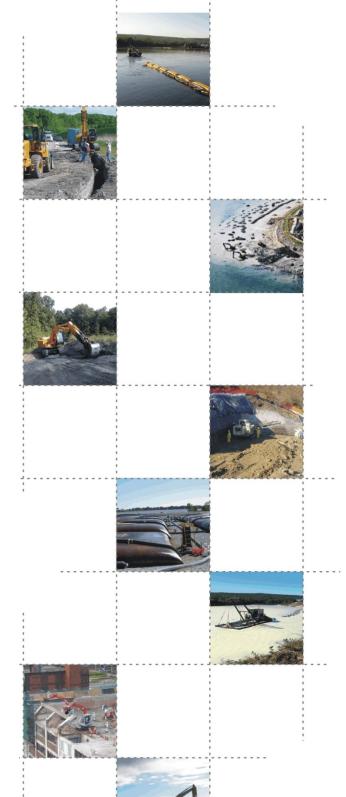
### **ALLIANT ENERGY Interstate Power and Light Lansing Generating Station**

## **CCR SURFACE IMPOUNDMENT**

#### **SAFETY FACTOR ASSESSMENT**

Report Issued: September 2, 2016 Revision 0





#### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

This Safety Factor Assessment (Report) is prepared in accordance with the requirements of the United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) published Final Rule for Hazardous and Solid Waste Management System – Disposal of Coal Combustion Residual (CCR) from Electric Utilities (40 CFR Parts 257 and 261, also known as the CCR Rule) published on April 17, 2015 and effective October 19, 2015.

This Report assess the safety factors of each CCR unit at Lansing Generating Station in Lansing, Iowa in accordance with §257.73(b) and §257.73(e) of the CCR Rule. For purposes of this Report, "CCR unit" refers to existing CCR surface impoundments.

Primarily, this Report is focused on assessing if each CCR surface impoundment achieves the minimum safety factors, which include:

- Static factor of safety under long-term, maximum storage pool loading condition,
- Static factor of safety under the maximum surcharge pool loading condition,
- Seismic factor of safety; and,
- Post-Liquefaction factor of safety for embankments constructed of soils that have susceptibility to liquefaction.

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#### 1 Introduction

The owner or operator of the Coal Combustion Residual (CCR) unit must conduct an initial and periodic safety factor assessments to determine if each CCR surface impoundment achieves the minimum safety factors, which include:

- Static factor of safety under long-term, maximum storage pool loading condition,
- Static factor of safety under the maximum surcharge pool loading condition,
- Seismic factor of safety; and,
- Post-Liquefaction factor of safety for embankments constructed of soils that have susceptibility to liquefaction.

This Report has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of §257.73(b) and §257.73(e) of the CCR Rule.

#### 1.1 CCR Rule Applicability

The CCR Rule requires a periodic safety factor assessment by a qualified professional engineer (PE) for existing CCR surface impoundments with a height of 5 feet or more and a storage volume of 20 acre-feet or more; or the existing CCR surface impoundment has a height of 20 feet or more.

# 1.2 Safety Factor Assessment Applicability

The Lansing Generating Station (LAN) in Lansing, Iowa (Figure 1) has one existing CCR surface impoundment, identified as LAN Upper Ash Pond

The identified existing CCR surface impoundment meets the requirements of §257.73(b)(1) and/or §257.73(b)(2), therefore is subject to the periodic safety factor assessment requirements of §257.73(e) of the CCR Rule.



**2 FACILITY DESCRIPTION** 

LAN is located approximately three miles southeast of Lansing, Iowa on the western

shore of the Mississippi River in Allamakee County, at 2320 Power Plant Drive, Lansing,

Iowa (Figure 1).

LAN is a fossil-fueled electric generating station that has used four steam turbine electric

generating units throughout its history. Unit 1, Unit 2, and Unit 3 were retired by 2014

and Unit 4 is the only operating unit. Sub-bituminous coal is the primary fuel for

producing steam at LAN. The CCR at LAN is categorized into three types: bottom ash,

fly ash, and scrubber byproduct. Fly ash is collected by electrostatic precipitators and

pneumatically conveyed to an onsite fly ash silo, which is equipped with a baghouse for

dust control. The fly ash is then either transported off-site for beneficial reuse, landfilled

(in the case of high loss on ignition), or sluiced to LAN Upper Ash Pond (typically during

startup and shutdown). Bottom ash is sluiced to a surface impoundment identified as

the LAN Upper Ash Pond, Figure 2, where it is dredged, dewatered, and transported to

the onsite landfill. The LAN Upper Ash Pond is located south of the generating plant

and is the only existing CCR surface impoundment. Scrubber byproduct consists of fly

ash, unreacted lime, and activated carbon. Scrubber byproduct is collected in the

byproduct silo prior to being landfilled.

A previous CCR surface impoundment at LAN, identified as the Lower Ash Pond, was

located west of the generating plant and north of Power Plant Drive. The Lower Ash

Pond was closed in September 2015 by removing the CCR from the surface impoundment

via hydraulic dredge and sluicing the CCR to the south end of the LAN Upper Ash Pond.

CCR was removed from the Lower Ash Pond prior to backfilling the surface

impoundment.

General Facility Information:

Date of Initial Facility Operations:

1946

NPDES Permit Number:

IA0300100

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Latitude / Longitude: 41°56'38.43"N 91°38'22.39"W

Nameplate Ratings: Unit 1 (1948): 16.6 MW (Retired)

Unit 2 (1949): 11.4 MW (Retired) Unit 3 (1957): 35.8 MW (Retired)

Unit 4 (1977): 270 MW

#### 2.1 LAN Upper Ash Pond

The LAN Upper Ash Pond is located southwest of the generating plant and south of Power Plant Drive. The LAN Upper Ash Pond receives influent flows from the Unit 4 boiler floor sumps, water treatment sumps, fly ash hydroveyor system, storm water runoff from the active dry ash landfill and hillside east of the impoundment, as well as sluiced fly ash and bottom ash. The LAN Upper Ash Pond is the only receiver of sluiced CCR at LAN. The CCR is sluiced from the generating plant to the south east corner of the LAN Upper Ash Pond, Figure 2. The sluiced CCR discharges into the southeast corner of the LAN Upper Ash Pond where the majority of the CCR settles. Ongoing maintenance dredging is conducted in the southern portion of the LAN Upper Ash Pond. The dredged CCR is temporarily stockpiled and dewatered prior to being transported to the on-site active dry ash landfill located south of the LAN Upper Ash Pond.

The sluiced water that is discharged into the LAN Upper Ash Pond flows to the west prior to flowing north through a series of five interconnected settling ponds separated by intermediate dikes. The intermediate dikes have 30-inch diameter corrugated metal pipes on the west and east sides, which hydraulically connects the five settling ponds. The water from each settling pond flows north until it enters the fifth large open settling pond area of the LAN Upper Ash Pond. The north end of the LAN Upper Ash Pond has a concrete wet well and overflow weir structure that controls the LAN Upper Ash Ponds water level, and is identified as Weir Box #1. The water in the LAN Upper Ash Pond overflows a stop log weir into Weir Box #1 and then through a 146 foot long 24 inch diameter corrugated metal pipe, under Power Plant Drive, and into Weir Box #2. The water leaves Weir Box #2 through a 225 foot long, 24-inch diameter high density polyethylene pipe, which connects Weir Box #2 to Weir Box #3. The water flows through



Weir Box #3 in the backfilled former Lower Ash Pond. The water flows through Weir Box #3 and discharges to the west through a 77 foot long, 24-inch diameter corrugated metal pipe into Unnamed Creek #1. Unnamed Creek #1 flows to the north into Unnamed Creek #2 which then discharges into the Mississippi River. The National Pollution Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) Outfall 002 monitoring location, which consists of flow monitoring instrumentation, is located at Weir Box #1 and compliance samples are collected from Weir Box #3.

The total surface area of the LAN Upper Ash Pond is approximately 11.5 acres and has an embankment height of approximately 20 feet from the crest to the toe of the downstream slope at its greatest height. The area of the entire CCR Unit inclusive of the impoundment and the dredging and dewatering areas is approximately 17 acres. The interior storage depth of the LAN Upper Ash Pond is approximately 28 feet. The volume of impounded CCR and water within the LAN Upper Ash Pond is approximately 587,000 cubic yards.



# 3 SAFETY FACTOR ASSESSMENT- §257.73(e)

This Report evaluates whether each CCR surface impoundment achieves the minimum safety factors, which are identified on the table below.

Safety Factor Assessment	Minimum Safety Factor		
Static Safety Factor Under	1.50		
Maximum Storage Pool Loading	1.50		
Static Safety Factor Under	1.40		
Maximum Surcharge Pool Loading	1.40		
Seismic Safety Factor	1.00		
Liquefaction Safety Factor	1.20		

#### 3.1 Safety Factor Assessment Methods

The safety factor assessment is completed with the two dimensional limit-equilibrium slope stability analyses program STABL5M (1996)¹. The program analyzes many potential failure circles or block slides by random generation of failure surfaces using the toe and crest search boundaries set for each analysis. The solution occurs by balancing the resisting forces along the failure plane due to the Mohr-Columb failure strength parameters of friction angle and cohesion. The gravity driving forces are divided by the resisting forces to produce a safety factor for the slope. The minimum of hundreds of searches is presented as the applicable safety factor.

There are both total stress and effective stress friction angle and cohesion values for soil. In the case of cohesionless soil (gravel, sand and silt) the values are the same. For clay the total stress value is cohesion only. At the LAN Upper Ash Pond only cohesionless soil is present in and under the embankments.

#### 3.1.1 Soil Conditions In and Under the Impoundment

The LAN Upper Ash Pond is constructed in the valley of Unnamed Creek #1 south of the LAN Generating Station. The Unnamed Creek #1 was rerouted to the west side of the

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> STABL User Manual by Ronald A. Siegal, Purdue University, June 4, 1975 and STABL5 – The Spencer Method of Slices: Final Report by J. R. Carpenter, Purdue University, August 28, 1985

valley in the northern half of the LAN Upper Ash Pond when the impoundment was constructed in 1974. At the north end of the LAN Upper Ash Pond, Unnamed Creek #1 drops over a manmade riffle structure under the Power Plant road Bridge losing approximately 14 feet of elevation to reach the elevation of Pool #9 of the Mississippi River. The drop structure prevents backwater flooding of the Mississippi River from encroaching on the toe of the LAN Upper Ash Pond embankment.

In early 2015, four soil borings were installed at the locations shown on Figure 2, to determine the types of and density of soil present in the embankments and foundation of the LAN Upper Ash Pond. The soil borings logs SB-1, SB-3, SB-5 and SB-7 including the penetration resistance measured by the Standard Split Spoon (SPT) (ASTM D 1556) are enclosed in Appendix A. The results of laboratory testing on selected soil samples for grain size, water content and Atterberg limits are shown in Appendix B.

The test results indicate that the embankment is constructed of uniform fine to medium sand (SP). The sand was compacted to medium dense to dense consistency as shown by the SPT results. Below the embankment, the two northern borings SB-1 and SB-7, Figure 2, show that a very loose to loose silt is present under the embankment overlying a medium dense gravel. In borings SB-3 and SB-5, Figure 2, the silt is thin and overlies the same gravel. The silt deposit in the two northern borings is from backwater deposition by the Mississippi River prior to the installation of the LAN Upper Ash Pond and the thin silt layer to the south is natural deposition from flooding of the Unnamed Stream #1. The Iowa Bedrock Survey Map available from the Iowa Geology and Water Survey, July 2013 indicates that bedrock is at elevation 564 (depth of 90 feet below top of embankment) in the northern part of the LAN Upper Ash Pond and rises in elevation moving south up the valley of the Unnamed Stream #1.

A cement-bentonite slurry wall was installed in the West embankment of the LAN Upper Ash pond in the summer of 2015. The cement-bentonite wall prevents water from the LAN Upper Ash Pond from flowing through the embankment sand and discharging as



surface seepage at the toe of the embankment. During installation of the wall it was observed that the sand below the normal water elevation in the embankment had higher strength than sand above the water table likely due to cementation of the sand particles by calcium hydroxide in the impoundment water. The observation was used along with the SPT values in the boring logs to assign soil properties to the embankment and foundation soils using NAVFACS DM-7<sup>2</sup>. The internal friction angles selected based on the SPT results are:

Soil Type	Internal Friction Angle	Total Unit Weight (lb/ft3)		
Embankment Sand above GW	32	110		
Embankment Sand below GW	36	108		
River Silt	26	100		
Valley Gravel	35	120		

The ground water elevation in the embankment is monitored by piezometers installed on both sides of the cement-bentonite wall in 2015. The monitoring results show that the water elevation in the embankment drops 17 feet across the cement-bentonite cut off wall at the north end of the west embankment.

# 3.1.2 Design Water Surface in Impoundment: Maximum Normal Pool and Maximum Pool Under Design Inflow Storm

The LAN Upper Ash Pond water elevation is controlled by stop logs in the overflow structure, Weir Box #1, Figure 2. The normal pool is elevation 648.75 feet that occurs when operating with stop logs installed to elevation 648 feet and with the normal process water flow to the LAN Upper Ash Pond of 8.0 cubic feet per second.

During passage of the 1,000 year return period design storm, the impoundment elevation rises to elevation 652.5 feet according to the Inflow Flood Control Plan (a separate document developed to comply with 40 CFR 257.82). The rise in pool elevation during

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Naval Facilities Engineering Command Design Manual DM-7, Figure 3-7 "Density versus Angle of Internal Friction for Cohesionless Soils", March 1971
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the storm flow is 3.75 feet with a remaining freeboard of 1.5 feet on the minimum crest elevation of 654.

3.1.3 Selection of Seismic Design Parameters and Description of Method

The design earthquake ground acceleration is selected from the United States Geologic Survey (USGS) detailed seismic design maps based on the latitude and longitude of the station. The peak ground acceleration (PGA) value is selected for a 2% probability of exceedance in 50 years (2500 year return period) as required by 40 CFR 257.53. Since the site soils with the exception of the river silt layer are medium dense to dense sand and gravel and extend to bedrock at 90 feet, the site class as defined in the 2009 International Building Code 1613.5.5 is Site Class D. For Site Class D the ground surface PGA for slope stability and liquefaction assessment is 0.044 g, Appendix C.

3.1.4 Liquefaction Assessment Method and Parameters

Certain soils may have zero effective stress (liquefaction) during an earthquake from static shear of a saturated embankment slope. Soils that will liquefy include loose or very loose uniform fine sand or silt, and low plasticity clay (plastic index of less than 12). The liquefaction resistance of a soil is based on its strength and effective confining stress. The strength of the saturated embankment sand, river silt and valley gravel are measured by the SPT results shown on the borings in Appendix A.

The test results for SB-1 located on the west embankment, Figure 1, at the highest embankment height and with the lowest river silt strength measured indicate the silt is very loose (blowcounts weight of rod only).

The simplified assessment of liquefaction procedure as first proposed by Seed and most recently updated and published by Idriss and Boulanger<sup>3</sup> is used to assess the potential for liquefaction of the river silt. The procedure uses the strengths determined by the SPT test, adjusted to normalize for overburden pressure and for fines content, to determine

<sup>3</sup> Idriss I. M. and R. W. Boulanger, "Soil Liquefaction During Earthquakes", EERI MNO-12, 2008. Interstate Power and Light – Lansing Generating Station

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the cyclic resistance ratio for the soil at earthquake magnitude 7.5 and at 1 atmosphere pressure. The cyclic resistance ratio is then adjusted for the actual earthquake magnitude of the design event which is 7.7 for a New Madrid Fault source earthquake<sup>4</sup>. The cyclic stress ratio caused by the design surface PGA is then used to determine the actual cyclic stress ratio at 65% of maximum strain at depth in the soil profile. The cyclic resistance

The results for the soil profile of SB-1 at the north end of the west embankment of the LAN Upper Ash Pond is shown in Appendix C. The results indicate that the river silt layer will not liquefy during the site design earthquake.

ratio is divided by the cyclic stress ratio to determine the factor of safety for liquefaction.

#### 3.2 LAN Upper Ash Pond

The LAN Upper Ash Pond is incised on the east and south sides of the impoundment. The north and west sides the impoundment is created by construction of medium to fine sand embankments reported to be sand from maintenance dredging of the Mississippi River. All of the embankments have the same outer slope of 3 horizontal to 1 vertical. The southern end of the west embankment has lower embankment height and sits on more competent foundation soil and is not the critical section of the embankment.

The northern embankment and the north half of the west embankment sit on a layer of loose to very loose river silt. After closure of the former LAN Lower Ash Pond, the north embankment height was reduced and has more confinement on the river silt layer than the west embankment. In addition, the north embankment has a much wider crest to accommodate Power Plant Road.

For all of the above reasons, the west embankment in the vicinity of boring SB-1 is the critical embankment slope for the LAN Upper Ash Pond, Figure 2.

<sup>4</sup> Elnashi et al, "Impact of Earthquakes on the Central USA", FEMA Report 8-02, Mid-American Earthquake Center, 2002

# 3.2.1 Static Safety Factor Assessment Under Maximum Storage Pool Loading - §257.73(e)(1)(i)

The critical cross-section is analyzed with the maximum storage pool under normal operations at elevation 649 feet (648.75 feet rounded up). Analysis for both a circular and block sliding surface, Appendix D, show a minimum factor of safety of 1.8 for both the circular and block slide surface.

#### 3.2.2 Static Safety Factor Assessment Under Maximum Surcharge Pool Loading - §257.73(e)(1)(ii)

The LAN Upper Ash Pond storm water flow with the design 1,000 year return flow is elevation 653 feet (652.5 feet rounded up). The increase in water elevation is considered with Unnamed Stream #1 flowing at bank full capacity under the assumption that it would be transmitting rainfall from the same storm event. Analysis for both a circular and block slide surface, Appendix D, show a minimum factor of safety of 1.7 for a block slide surface.

#### 3.2.3 Seismic Safety Factor Assessment - §257.73(e)(1)(iii)

The LAN Upper Ash Pond was assigned a pseudo-static earthquake coefficient equal to 0.04 g and a vertical upward component equal to  $^2/_3$  of the horizontal component (0.027 g) as recommended by Newmark<sup>5</sup>. Analysis for both circular and block slide surfaces, Appendix D, show a minimum factor of safety of 1.4 for a block slide surface.

#### 3.2.4 Post-Liquefaction Safety Factor Assessment - §257.73(e)(1)(iv)

The embankment and foundation soils of the LAN Upper Ash Pond will not liquefy during the design earthquake. No post-liquefaction slope stability assessment is required.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Newmark, N. M. and W. J. Hall, "Earthquake Spectra and Design", EERI Monograph, Earthquake Engineering Research Institute, Berkeley, California, 1982

# 4 Results Summary

The results of the safety factor assessment indicate that the embankment of the LAN Upper Ash Pond meets the requirements of 40 CFR 257.73(e). The results are summarized as:

	Static Stability Normal Water Elevation	Static Stability Flood Water Elevation	Pseudo Static Earthquake with Normal Water Elevation	Liquefaction Potential	Post- Earthquake Static Stability Normal Water Elevation
Required Safety Factor	1.5	1.4	1.0		1.2
LAN Upper Ash Pond	1.8	1.7	1.4	no	Not applicable

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# 5 QUALIFIED PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER CERTIFICATION

To meet the requirements of 40 CFR 257.73(e)(2), I Mark W. Loerop hereby certify that I am a licensed professional engineer in the State of Iowa; and that, to the best of my knowledge, all information contained in this document is correct and the document was prepared in compliance with all applicable requirements in 40 CFR 257.73(b) and 40 CFR 257.73(e).

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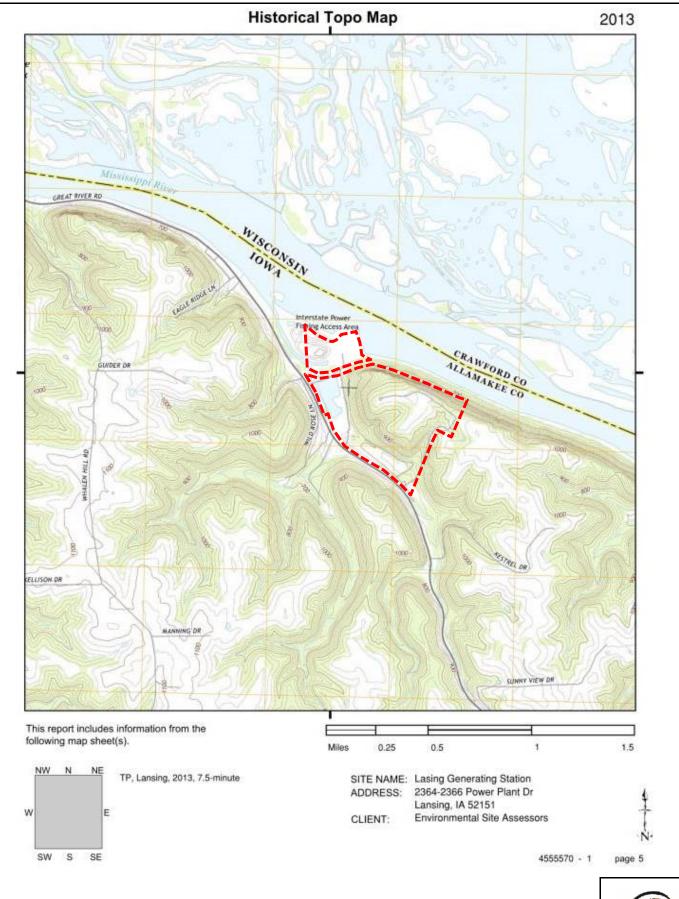
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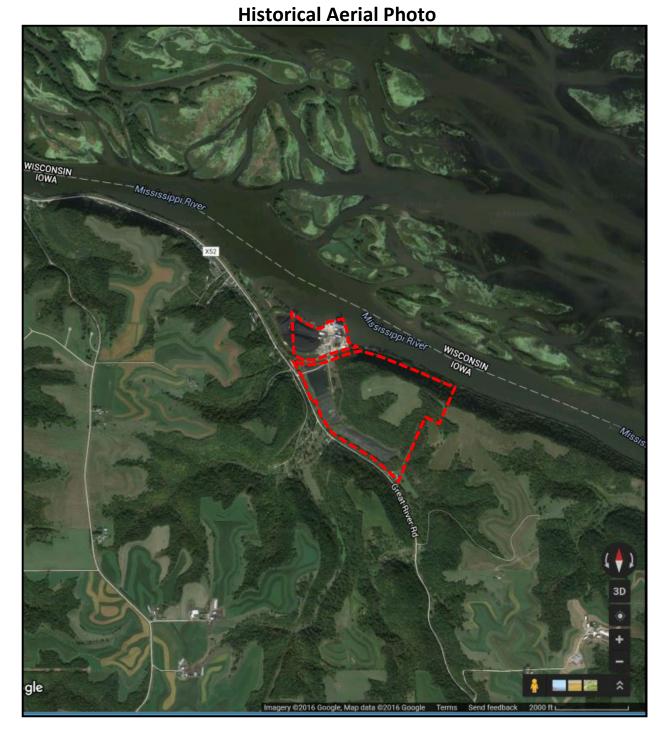
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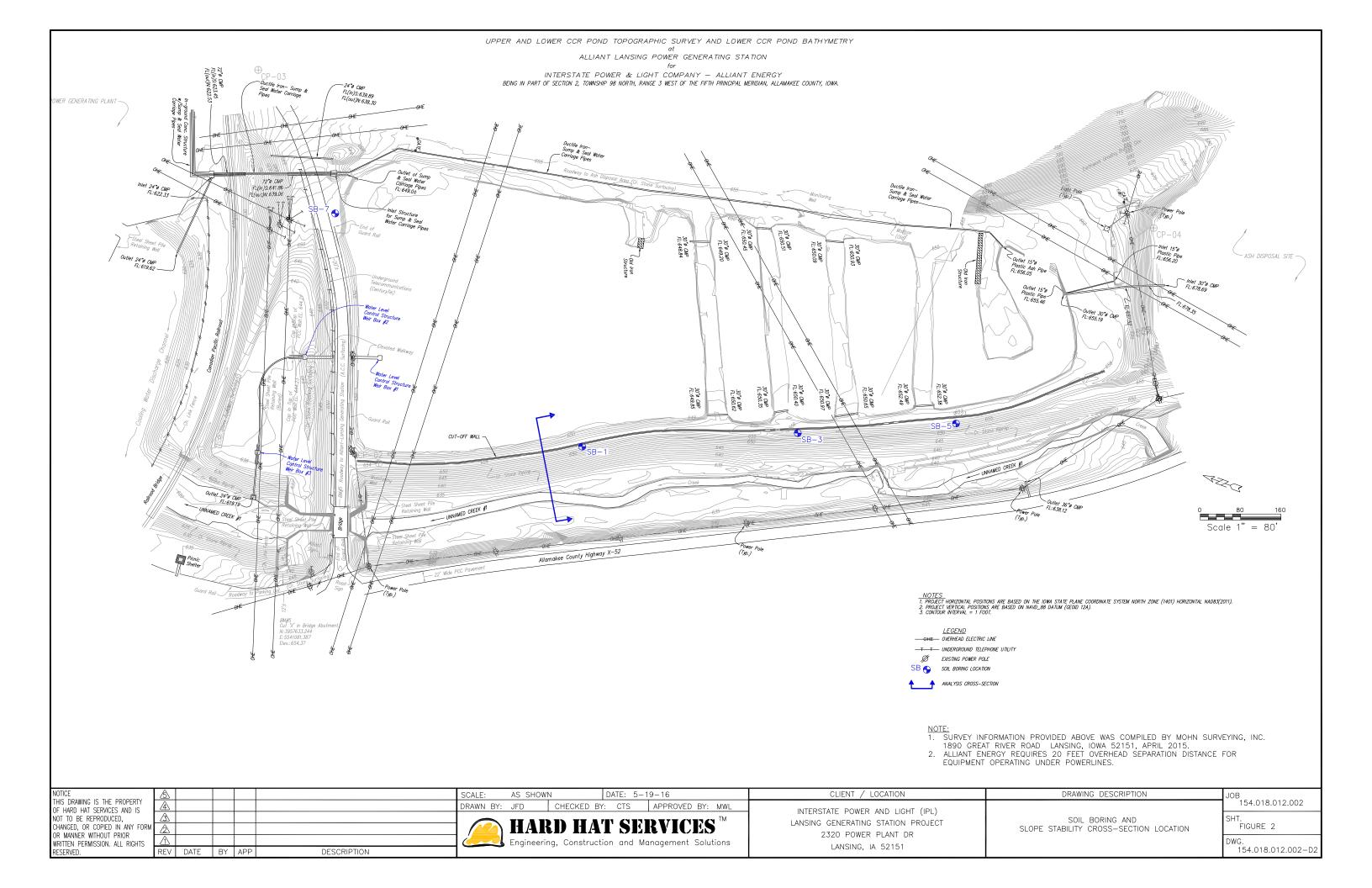
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Approximate Property Boundary



#### **APPENDIX A – Soil Borings**

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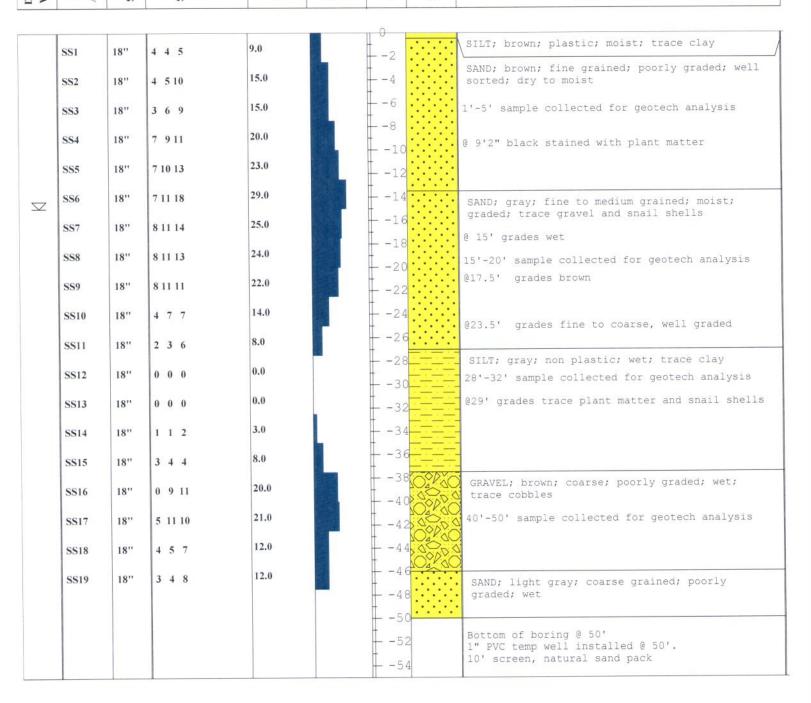
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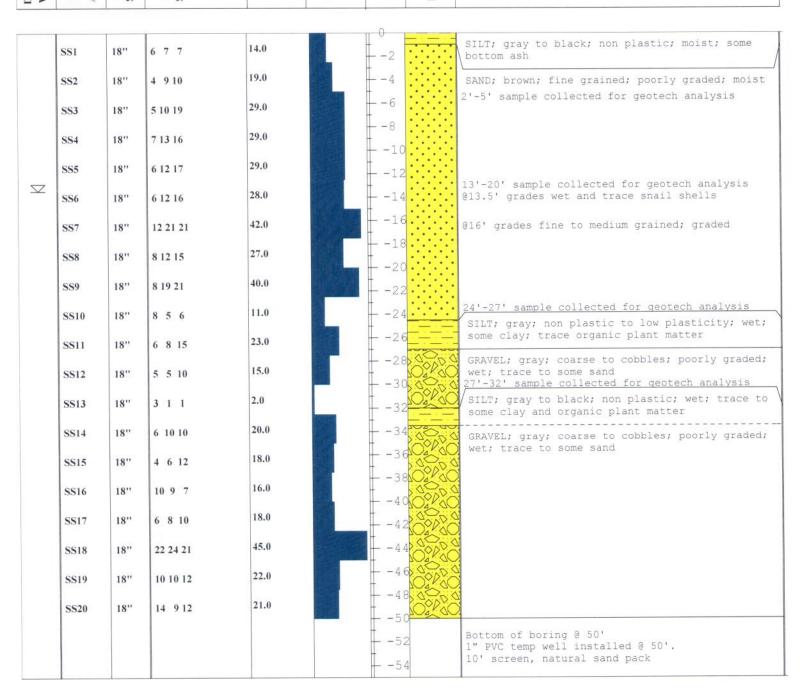
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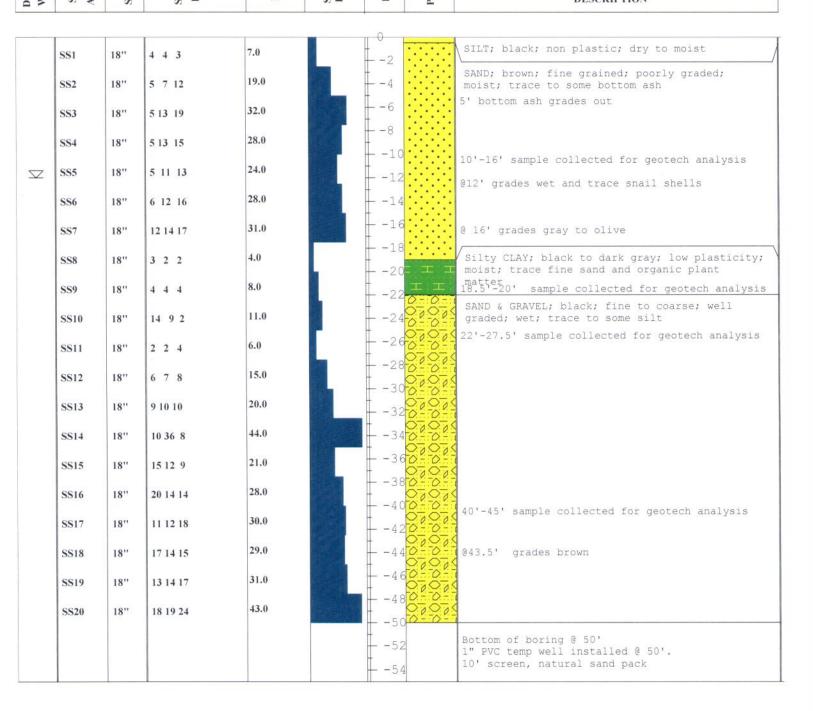
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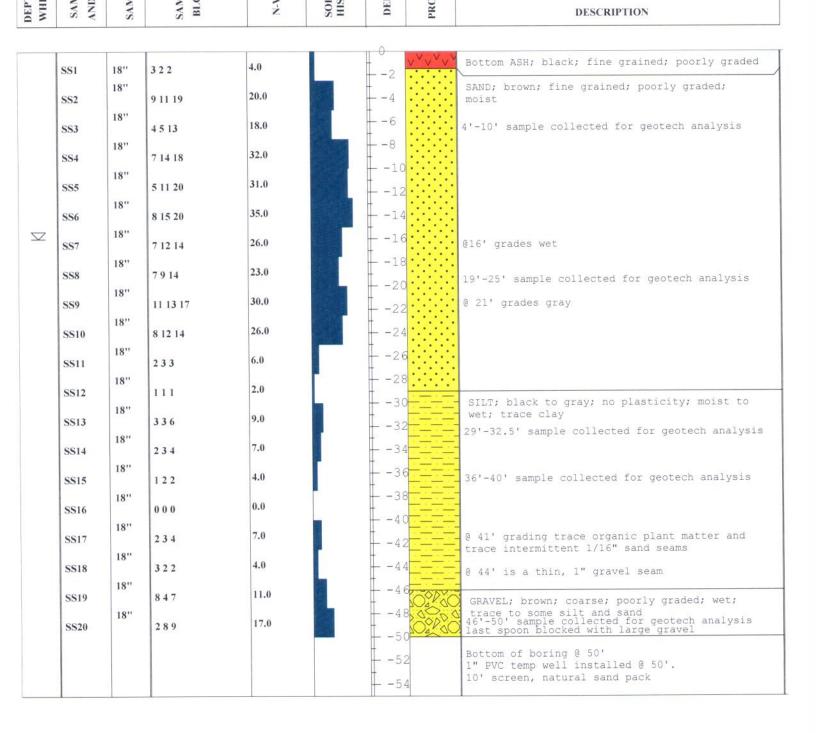
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# **APPENDIX B – Soil Laboratory Testing**

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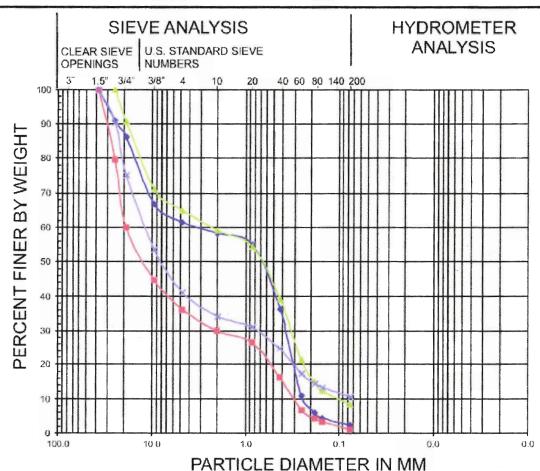






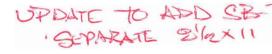
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Borling No. SB-1, SB-3 & SB-5 "SAND & GRAVEL"



COBBLES	GRA	WEL	SAND			
COBBLES	coarse	fine	coarse	medium	fine	SILT AND CLAY FRACTION

SYMBOL	BORING	DEPTH (FT.)	SOIL DESCRIPTION	U.S.C.S.	W %
*	SB-1	40 - 50	SAND & GRAVEL	SW/GW	16.5
N.	SB-3	27 - 32	SAND & GRAVEL	SW/GW	13.4
*	SB-5	22 - 27.5	SAND & GRAVEL	SW/GW	32.1
X	SB-5	44 - 45	SAND & GRAVEL	SW/GW	9.8





# Particle Size Distribution

2/3/2015 Tested By Test America Project IPL - Lansing Generating Station SB-1, SB-3 & SB-5 "SANDY SILT" Boring No. **HYDROMETER** SIEVE ANALYSIS **ANALYSIS** CLEAR SIEVE U.S. STANDARD SIEVE OPENINGS NUMBERS 40 60 80 140 200 100 BY WEIGHT FINER PERCENT 0.001 PARTICLE DIAMETER IN MM

COBBLES	GRA	VEL		SANE	)	SILT AND CLAY FRACTION
COBBLES	coarse	fine	coarse	medium	fine	SILI AND CLAY PRACTION

SYMBOL	BORING	DEPTH (FT.)	SOIL DESCRIPTION	U.S.C.S.	L.L.	P.L.	W %
8	SB-1	28 - 32	Sandy Silt	ML	28	26	36.1
	SB-3	24.5 - 27	Sandy Silt	ML	27	23	25.4
A	SB-5	18.5 - 20	Sandy Silt	ML	24	20	21.8

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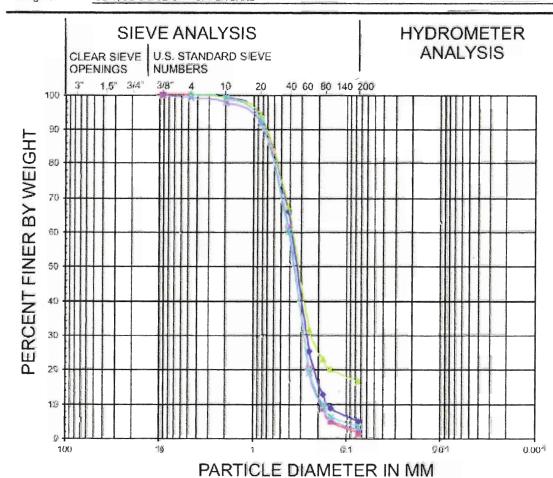
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COBBLES	GRAVEL			SAND		
SOBBLES	coarse	fine	coarse	medium	fine	SILT AND CLAY FRACTION

SYMBOL	BORING	DEPTH (FT.)	SOIL DESCRIPTION	U.S.C.S.	W %
M	SB-1	1-5	Medium - Fine Sand	SP	4.1
直	SB-1	15 - 20	Medium - Fine Sand	SP	29.1
Y	SB-3	2-5	Sitty Wedium - Fine Sand	SAA	3.1
X	SB-3	13 - 20	Medium - Fine Sand	SP	19.0
*	SB-5	10-16	Medium - Fire Sand	SP	13.3

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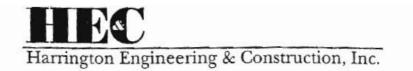
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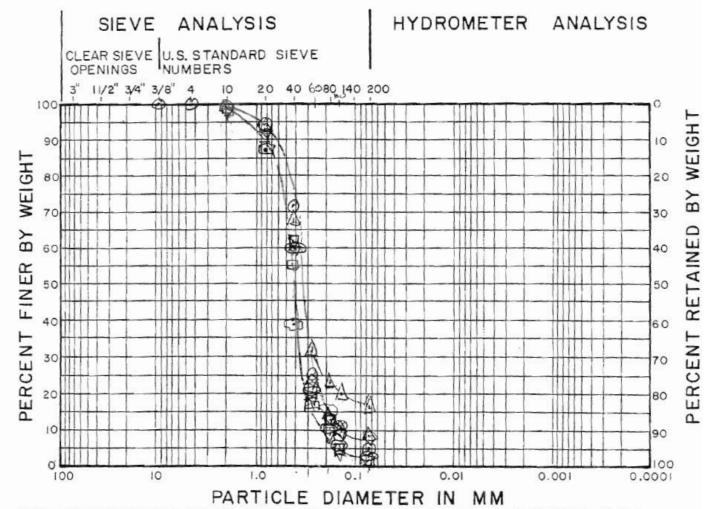
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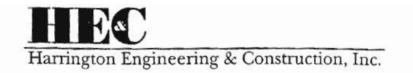
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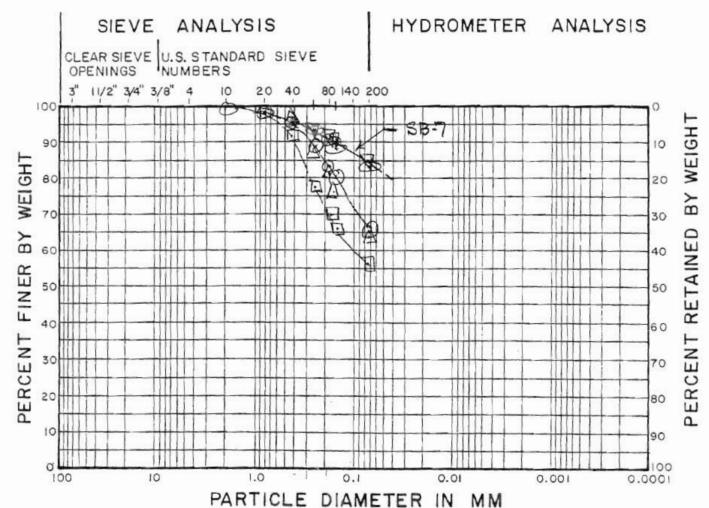
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0	58-1	1-5	MED-FINE SULD	SP	14.1
- CI	SB-1	15-20	11	SP	201
$\triangle$	SE-3	2-5	SILTY MED-FOUE SAUD	SM	3.1
V	38-3	13-20	MEW - FOUE SAULA	48	19.0
0	SB-5	10-16	11	SP	13.3
0	SB-7	4-10	1,	<b>S</b> PSM	3,1
	98-7	R-25	1.	SP	17.1



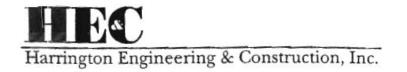
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		SAMPLE	DEPTH	SOIL DESCRIPTION	U.S.C.S.	L.L.	RL	W %
0	SB-1		28-32	SANDY STLT	ML	28	26	36,1
D	SB-3		24.5-27	SANDY STUT	ML	27	23	25.4
1 S	5B-5		18.5-20	SWDY SELF	ML	24	20	21.8
VIS	5B-7		29-32.5	SOULY STUT	ML	29	25	27.0
0 9	3B-7		36-40	SAUDY STIT	ML	31	26	35.7



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COBBLES	GRA	VEL		SAND		CILT	4 NID CL AV	FRACTION
COBBLES	coarse	fine	coarse	medium	fine	SILI	AND CLAY	FRACTION

SYMBOL	BORING SAMPLE	DEPTH	SOIL DESCRIPTION	U.S.C.S. L.L.	PL W%
0	58-1	40-50	SAND I GRAVEL	3W/64/	16.5
山	SB-3	27-32		- 11	13.4
1	58-5	22-27,5	(,	(1	32.1
V	SB-5	44-45	1,	1,	9.8
0	SB-7	46-50	- 11	'(	35.7

## **APPENDIX C – Earthquake and Liquefaction Analysis**

Alliant Energy Interstate Power and Light Lansing Generating Station Lansing, Iowa

Safety Factor Assessment



# **USGS** Design Maps Detailed Report

ASCE 7-10 Standard (43.334°N, 91.168°W)

Site Class D - "Stiff Soil", Risk Category I/II/III

#### Section 11.4.1 — Mapped Acceleration Parameters

Note: Ground motion values provided below are for the direction of maximum horizontal spectral response acceleration. They have been converted from corresponding geometric mean ground motions computed by the USGS by applying factors of 1.1 (to obtain S<sub>s</sub>) and 1.3 (to obtain S<sub>1</sub>). Maps in the 2010 ASCE-7 Standard are provided for Site Class B. Adjustments for other Site Classes are made, as needed, in Section 11.4.3.

**From Figure 22-1** [1]

 $S_s = 0.059 q$ 

From Figure 22-2<sup>[2]</sup>

 $S_1 = 0.039 g$ 

#### Section 11.4.2 — Site Class

The authority having jurisdiction (not the USGS), site-specific geotechnical data, and/or the default has classified the site as Site Class D, based on the site soil properties in accordance with Chapter 20.

Table 20.3-1 Site Classification

Site Class	$\overline{v}_{s}$	$\overline{\it N}$ or $\overline{\it N}_{\rm ch}$	- s <sub>u</sub>		
A. Hard Rock	>5,000 ft/s	N/A	N/A		
B. Rock	2,500 to 5,000 ft/s	N/A	N/A		
C. Very dense soil and soft rock	1,200 to 2,500 ft/s	>50	>2,000 psf		
D. Stiff Soil	600 to 1,200 ft/s	15 to 50	1,000 to 2,000 psf		
E. Soft clay soil	<600 ft/s	<15	<1,000 psf		
	Any profile with more that characteristics:  • Plasticity index PI		aving the		

Plasticity index PI > 20,

Moisture content w ≥ 40%, and

• Undrained shear strength  $\overline{s}_{\parallel}$  < 500 psf

F. Soils requiring site response analysis in accordance with Section 21.1

See Section 20.3.1

For SI:  $1ft/s = 0.3048 \text{ m/s} 1 \text{lb/ft}^2 = 0.0479 \text{ kN/m}^2$ 

# Section 11.4.3 — Site Coefficients and Risk-Targeted Maximum Considered Earthquake (MCE<sub>R</sub>) Spectral Response Acceleration Parameters

Table 11.4-1: Site Coefficient F<sub>a</sub>

Site Class	Mapped MCE	<sub>R</sub> Spectral Resp	onse Acceleration	on Parameter at	Short Period		
	S <sub>s</sub> ≤ 0.25	$S_{S} = 0.50$	S <sub>S</sub> = 1.00	S <sub>s</sub> ≥ 1.25			
А	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8 0.8			
В	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0		
С	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.0		
D	1.6	1.4	1.2	1.1	1.0		
Е	2.5	1.7	1.2	0.9	0.9		
F		See Se	ection 11.4.7 of	ASCE 7			

Note: Use straight-line interpolation for intermediate values of  $S_s$ 

For Site Class = D and  $S_s = 0.059 g$ ,  $F_a = 1.600$ 

Table 11.4–2: Site Coefficient F<sub>v</sub>

Site Class	Mapped MC	E <sub>R</sub> Spectral Res	sponse Accelerat	ion Parameter a	nt 1-s Period		
	S <sub>1</sub> ≤ 0.10	$S_1 = 0.20$	$S_1 = 0.40$	$S_1 \ge 0.50$			
А	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8		
В	1.0	1.0	1.0 1.0				
С	1.7	1.6	1.5	1.4	1.3		
D	2.4	2.0	1.8	1.6	1.5		
Е	3.5	3.2	2.8	2.4	2.4		
F		See Se	ection 11.4.7 of	ASCE 7			

Note: Use straight-line interpolation for intermediate values of  $S_1$ 

For Site Class = D and  $\rm S_1$  = 0.039 g,  $\rm F_v$  = 2.400

$$S_{MS} = F_a S_S = 1.600 \times 0.059 = 0.094 g$$

$$S_{M1} = F_v S_1 = 2.400 \times 0.039 = 0.095 g$$

Section 11.4.4 — Design Spectral Acceleration Parameters

$$S_{DS} = \frac{2}{3} S_{MS} = \frac{2}{3} \times 0.094 = 0.062 g$$

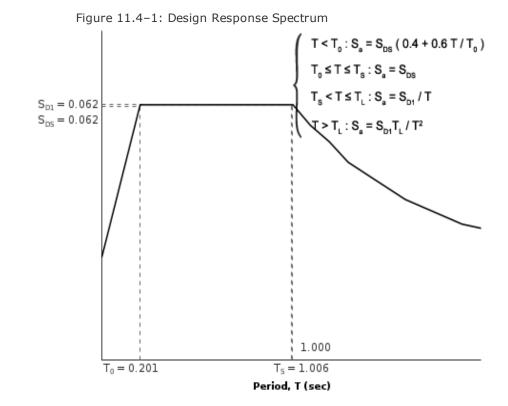
$$S_{D1} = \frac{2}{3} S_{M1} = \frac{2}{3} \times 0.095 = 0.063 g$$

Section 11.4.5 — Design Response Spectrum

From <u>Figure 22-12</u> [3]

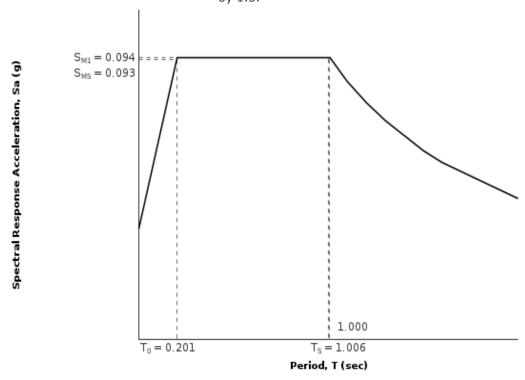
 $T_1 = 12$  seconds





## Section 11.4.6 — Risk-Targeted Maximum Considered Earthquake (MCE<sub>R</sub>) Response Spectrum

The  $\mathsf{MCE}_\mathsf{R}$  Response Spectrum is determined by multiplying the design response spectrum above by 1.5.



Section 11.8.3 — Additional Geotechnical Investigation Report Requirements for Seismic Design Categories D through F

From Figure 22-7<sup>[4]</sup>

PGA = 0.028

**Equation (11.8-1):** 

$$PGA_{M} = F_{PGA}PGA = 1.600 \times 0.028 = 0.044 g$$

Table 11.8–1: Site Coefficient  $F_{PGA}$ 

Site	Маррес	Mapped MCE Geometric Mean Peak Ground Acceleration, PGA										
Class	PGA ≤ 0.10	PGA = 0.20	PGA = 0.30	PGA = 0.40	40 PGA ≥ 0.50							
А	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8							
В	1.0	1.0	1.0	.0 1.0 1.0								
С	1.2	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.0							
D	1.6	1.4	1.2	1.1	1.0							
Е	2.5	1.7 1.2		0.9	0.9							
F		See Se	ction 11.4.7 of	ASCE 7								

Note: Use straight-line interpolation for intermediate values of PGA

For Site Class = D and PGA = 0.028 g,  $F_{PGA}$  = 1.600

Section 21.2.1.1 — Method 1 (from Chapter 21 – Site-Specific Ground Motion Procedures for Seismic Design)

From <u>Figure 22-17</u> [5]

 $C_{RS} = 0.905$ 

From <u>Figure 22-18</u> [6]

 $C_{R1} = 0.862$ 

#### Section 11.6 — Seismic Design Category

Table 11.6-1 Seismic Design Category Based on Short Period Response Acceleration Parameter

VALUE OF S <sub>DS</sub>		RISK CATEGORY			
VALUE OF S <sub>DS</sub>	I or II	III	IV		
S <sub>DS</sub> < 0.167g	А	А	А		
$0.167g \le S_{DS} < 0.33g$	В	В	С		
$0.33g \le S_{DS} < 0.50g$	С	С	D		
0.50g ≤ S <sub>DS</sub>	D	D	D		

For Risk Category = I and  $S_{DS}$  = 0.062 g, Seismic Design Category = A

Table 11.6-2 Seismic Design Category Based on 1-S Period Response Acceleration Parameter

VALUE OF S <sub>D1</sub>	RISK CATEGORY								
VALUE OF 9 <sub>D1</sub>	I or II	III	IV						
S <sub>D1</sub> < 0.067g	А	А	А						
$0.067g \le S_{D1} < 0.133g$	В	В	С						
$0.133g \le S_{D1} < 0.20g$	С	С	D						
0.20g ≤ S <sub>D1</sub>	D	D	D						

For Risk Category = I and  $S_{D1}$  = 0.063 g, Seismic Design Category = A

Note: When  $S_1$  is greater than or equal to 0.75g, the Seismic Design Category is **E** for buildings in Risk Categories I, II, and III, and F for those in Risk Category IV, irrespective of the above.

Seismic Design Category ≡ "the more severe design category in accordance with Table 11.6-1 or 11.6-2'' = A

Note: See Section 11.6 for alternative approaches to calculating Seismic Design Category.

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#### Simplified Seed and Idriss Liquefaction Analysis SPT Based Analysis Lansing Generating Station Interstate Electric Power

# Equations from "Soil Liquefaqction During Earthqakes" Idriss & Boulanger Soil Conditions at Boring SB-1 "Critical Slope Stability Cross-Section

#### Input Parameters:

 Peak Ground Acceleration (g) =
 0.04

 Earthquake Magnitude, M =
 7.7

 Water Table Depth (ft) =
 20

 Average Soil Density above water table (lb/ft³) =
 115.0

 Average Soil Density below water table (lb/ft³) =
 120.0

 Borehole Diameter (mm) =
 100

Rod Lengths assumed equal to depth plus 5.0 feet (for the above ground extension)

SPT#	Depth (ft)	Measured N	Soil Type (USCS)	Flag "Clay" "Unsaturated"	Fines Content (%)	Energy Ratio, ER (%)	C <sub>e</sub>	C <sub>b</sub>	C <sub>r</sub>	N <sub>60</sub>	$\sigma_{vc}$ (lb/ft $^2$ )	σ <sub>vc</sub> ' (lb/ft²)	C <sub>n</sub>	(N <sub>1</sub> ) <sub>60</sub>	ΔN for fines content	(N <sub>1</sub> ) <sub>60-cs</sub>	Stress Reduction Coeff, r <sub>d</sub>	CSR	MSF for sand	k <sub>σ</sub> for sand	CRR 7.5M & 1 atm	CRR	Factor of Safety
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1	2.4	9	SP	Unsaturated	5	75%	1.25	1	0.75	8.4	276	276	1.70	14.3	0.0	14.3	1.00	0.026	0.95	1.10	0.151	n.a.	n.a.
2	4.8	15	SP	Unsaturated	5	75%	1.25	1	0.75	14.1	552	552	1.70	23.9	0.0	23.9	1.00	0.026	0.95	1.10	0.266	n.a.	n.a.
3	7.2	15	SP	Unsaturated	5	75%	1.25	1	0.8	15.0	828	828	1.60	24.0	0.0	24.0	0.99	0.026	0.95	1.10	0.268	n.a.	n.a.
4	9.6	20	SP	Unsaturated	5	75%	1.25	1	0.85	21.3	1104	1104	1.38	29.4	0.0	29.4	0.99	0.026	0.95	1.10	0.451	n.a.	n.a.
5	12	23	SP	Unsaturated	5	75%	1.25	1	0.85	24.4	1380	1380	1.24	30.3	0.0	30.3	0.98	0.025	0.95	1.09	0.502	n.a.	n.a.
6	14.4	29	SP	Unsaturated	5	75%	1.25	1	0.85	30.8	1656	1656	1.13	34.8	0.0	34.8	0.97	0.025	0.95	1.06	1.072	n.a.	n.a.
7	16.8	25	SP	Unsaturated	5	75%	1.25	1	0.95	29.7	1932	1932	1.05	31.1	0.0	31.1	0.97	0.025	0.95	1.02	0.561	n.a.	n.a.
8	19.2	24	SP	Unsaturated	5	75%	1.25	1	0.95	28.5	2208	2208	0.98	27.9	0.0	27.9	0.96	0.025	0.95	0.99	0.380	n.a.	n.a.
9	21.6	22	SP		5	75%	1.25	1	0.95	26.1	2492	2392	0.94	24.6	0.0	24.6	0.95	0.026	0.95	0.98	0.280	0.261	2.00
10	24	14	SP		5	75%	1.25	1	0.95	16.6	2780	2530	0.91	15.2	0.0	15.2	0.94	0.027	0.95	0.98	0.158	0.147	2.00
11	26.4	8	SP		5	75%	1.25	1	0.95	9.5	3068	2669	0.89	8.5	0.0	8.5	0.93	0.028	0.95	0.98	0.108	0.100	2.00
12	28.8	0	ML		70	75%	1.25	1	1	0.0	3356	2807	0.87	0.0	5.6	5.6	0.92	0.029	0.95	0.98	0.089	0.083	2.00
13	31.2	0	ML		70	75%	1.25	1	1	0.0	3644	2945	0.85	0.0	5.6	5.6	0.92	0.029	0.95	0.97	0.089	0.083	2.00
14	33.6	3	ML		70	75%	1.25	1	1	3.8	3932	3083	0.83	3.1	5.6	8.7	0.91	0.030	0.95	0.97	0.109	0.100	2.00
15	36	8	GP		3	75%	1.25	1	1	10.0	4220	3222	0.81	8.1	0.0	8.1	0.90	0.031	0.95	0.96	0.105	0.096	2.00
16	38.4	20	GP		3	75%	1.25	1	1	25.0	4508	3360	0.79	19.8	0.0	19.8	0.89	0.031	0.95	0.94	0.204	0.182	2.00
17	40.8	21	GP		3	75%	1.25	1	1	26.3	4796	3498	0.78	20.4	0.0	20.4	0.88	0.031	0.95	0.93	0.211	0.187	2.00
18	43.2	12	GP		3	75%	1.25	1	1	15.0	5084	3636	0.76	11.4	0.0	11.4	0.87	0.032	0.95	0.95	0.128	0.115	2.00
19	45.6	12	SP		5	75%	1.25	1	1	15.0	5372	3775	0.75	11.2	0.0	11.2	0.86	0.032	0.95	0.94	0.127	0.114	2.00

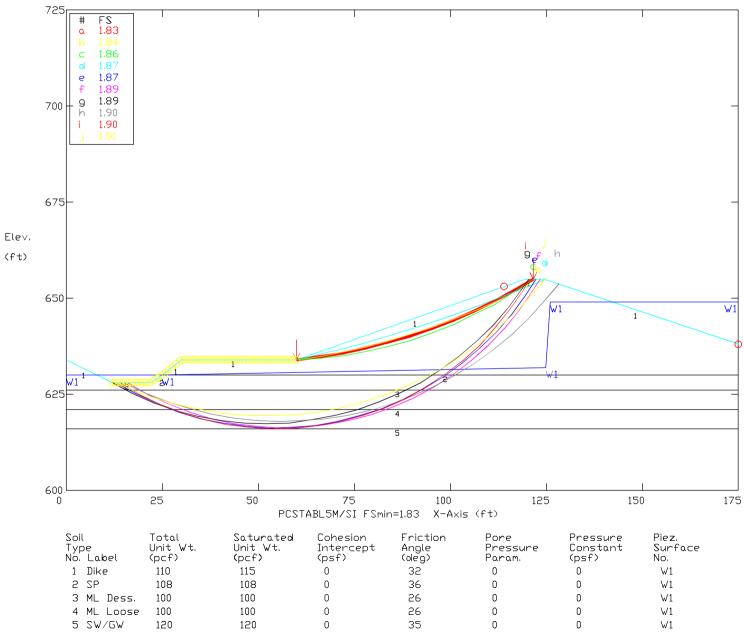
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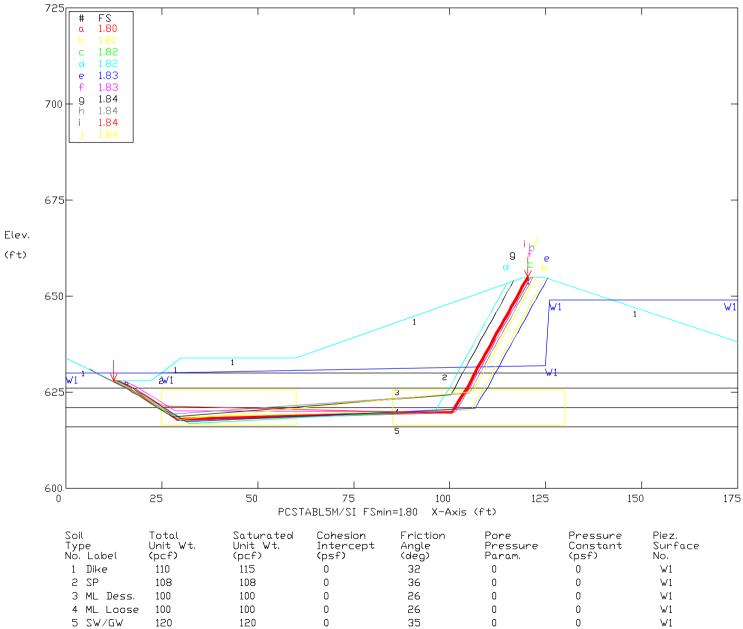
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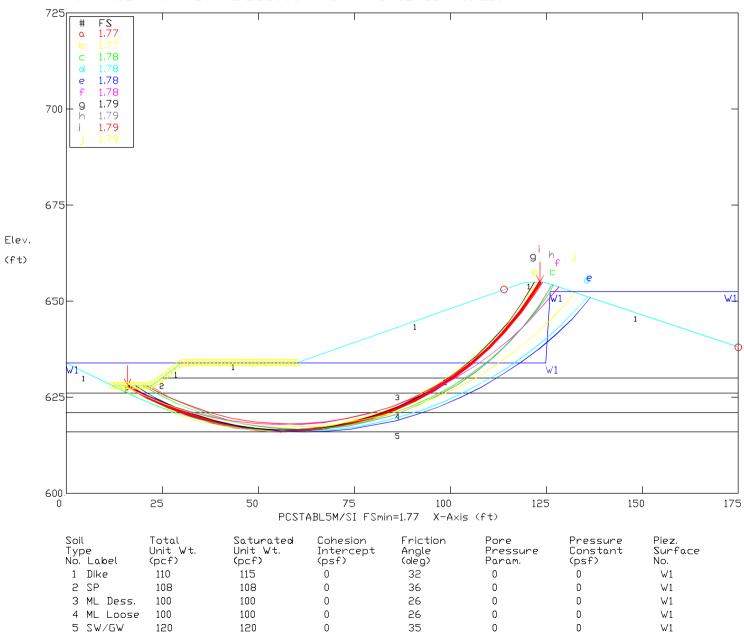
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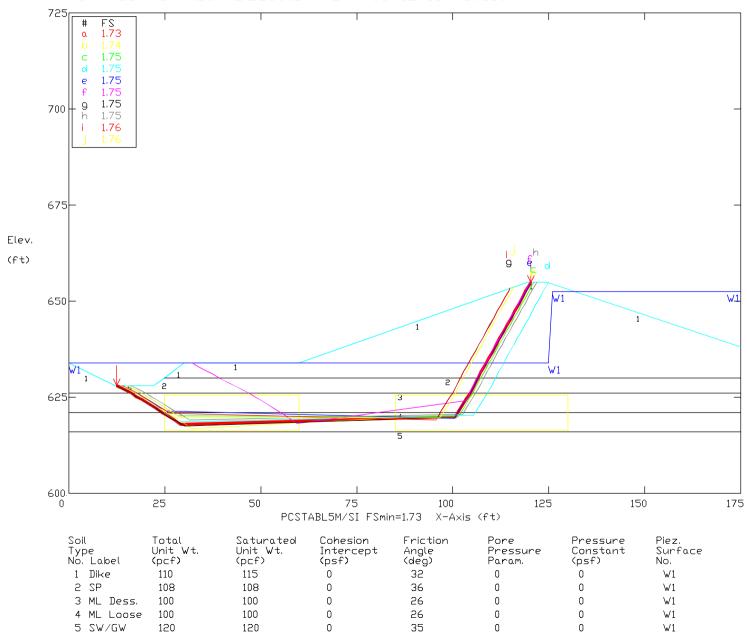
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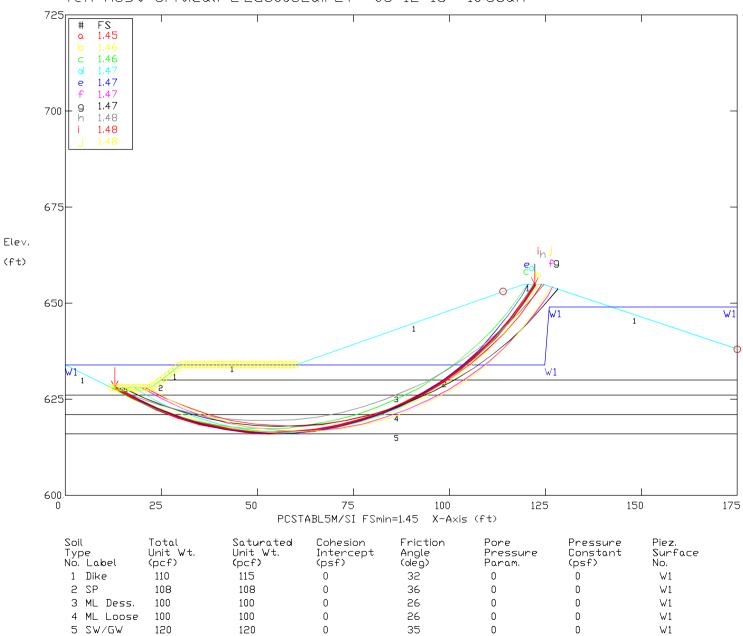
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