



# **DE Karn History of Construction Bottom Ash Pond**

**Initial Compiled History Certification by Owner or Operator**

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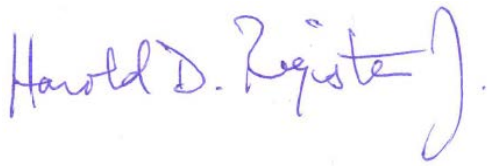
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## CERTIFICATION

### Certification Statement by Owner or Operator

I certify under penalty of law that I have personally examined and am familiar with the information submitted in this demonstration and all attached documents, and that, based on my inquiry of those individuals immediately responsible for obtaining the information, I believe that the submitted information is true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment.

Consumers Energy Company

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Harold D. Register, Jr." with a stylized flourish at the end.

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Signature

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October 17, 2016

Date of Report Certification

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Harold D. Register, Jr.

Name

## 1.0 INTRODUCTION

The United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) promulgated the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) Coal Combustion Residuals (CCR) Rule (“CCR RCRA Rule”) on April 17, 2015. The CCR RCRA Rule requires that owners or operators of existing CCR surface impoundments with a height of five feet or more and a storage volume of 20 acre-feet or more compile a history of construction, which shall contain, to the extent feasible, the information specified in 40 CFR 257.73 (c)(1)(i) through (xii). The history of construction, and any revisions of it, as required by 40 CFR 257.73(c) shall be placed in the operating record and shall be maintained until the CCR unit completes closure of the unit in accordance with 40 CFR 257.102 [40 CFR 257.105(f)(9)].

## 2.0 40 CFR 257.73 (C)(1)(I)

*The name and address of the person(s) owning or operating the CCR unit; the name associated with the CCR unit; and the identification number of the CCR unit if one has been assigned by the state.*

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Contact: Caleb Batts  
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Name of CCR Unit: DE Karn Bottom Ash Pond  
State Assigned Identification Number: None

## 3.0 40 CFR 257.73 (C)(1)(II)

*The location of the CCR unit identified on the most recent U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) 7½ minute or 15 minute topographic quadrangle map, or a topographic map of equivalent scale if a USGS map is not available.*

**Figure 1** – Site Location Map presents the 7 ½ minute USGS quadrangle map Bay City NE, Michigan dated 2014. The location of the CCR unit is denoted on the map with the callout box – Site Location.

## 4.0 40 CFR 257.73 (C)(1)(III)

*A statement of the purpose for which the CCR unit is being used.*

According to the “Potential Failure Mode Analysis (PFMA) Report” prepared by AECOM (2009), DE Karn power generation facility consists of two coal-fired electric generating units that were put into service in 1959 (Unit 1) and 1961 (Unit 2), and two oil and gas co-fired units that were added in 1975 (Unit 3) and 1977 (Unit 4). The facility is bound by Saginaw Bay to the north and east, the Saginaw River to the west, and the former J.C. Weadock generation facility to the south.

An elevated trestle and pipe system hydraulically conveys sluiced bottom ash to the Bottom Ash Pond. Stored bottom ash is removed from the pond via mechanical equipment as required to maintain storage

capacity. When an overflow condition exists, water is discharged from the Bottom Ash Pond via one 24-inch diameter steel pipe into a series of ditches that convey the flow to the permitted National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) outfall.

## 5.0 40 CFR 257.73 (C)(1)(IV)

*The name and size in acres of the watershed within which the CCR unit is located.*

The CCR RCRA Rule requires the name and size (in acres) of the watershed within which the CCR surface impoundment is located. According to the EPA MyWATERS Mapper website (USEPA 2016), the CCR surface impoundment is located within the Walther Drain-Frontal Lake Huron Subwatershed, which encompasses approximately 15,250 acres.

## 6.0 40 CFR 257.73 (C)(1)(V)

*A description of the physical and engineering properties of the foundation and abutment materials on which the CCR unit is constructed.*

As part of a subsurface investigation and sampling program conducted by Golder in 2015 and 2016, soil samples were collected from adjacent locations and from beneath the Bottom Ash Pond, respectively. Sampling locations are visually depicted on **Figure 2** – Existing Conditions Site Map. Physical properties of the soil samples are demonstrated by data included in **Appendix A** – Soil Sample Data.

Engineering properties for the foundation and abutment materials were selected from Cone Penetrometer Test (CPT) correlations, field testing, and laboratory testing that supplemented the structural stability and factor of safety assessments for the Bottom Ash Pond. A portion of the engineering properties of the foundation and abutment materials are presented in the “Structural Stability and Safety Factor Assessment Report” (Golder 2016c). Additional engineering properties of the foundation and abutment materials are presented in the “Summary of Monitoring Well Design, Installation, and Development, D.E. Karn Electric Generation Facility” (ARCADIS 2016).

## 7.0 40 CFR 257.73 (C)(1)(VI)

*A statement of the type, size, range, and physical and engineering properties of the materials used in constructing each zone or stage of the CCR unit; the method of site preparation and construction of each zone of the CCR unit; and the approximate dates of construction of each successive stage of construction of the CCR unit.*

### 7.1 Physical and Engineering Properties

Golder sampled and tested the materials that exists in the exterior berm of the Bottom Ash Pond to gather subsurface information and develop certifications for the structural stability and factor of safety assessment. The physical properties are provided in **Appendix A** – Soil Sample Data. A portion of the

engineering properties of the foundation and abutment materials are presented in the “Structural Stability and Safety Factor Assessment Report” (Golder 2016c). Additional engineering properties of the foundation and abutment materials are presented in the “Summary of Monitoring Well Design, Installation, and Development, D.E. Karn Electric Generation Facility” (ARCADIS 2016).

## 7.2 Site Preparation and Construction

Site drawings and historical aerial photographs from 1957, 1959 and 1963 included in the PFMA Report (AECOM 2009) were reviewed, and the following sequence of construction was developed:

- Based on a historical photo from 1957 which depicts the J. C. Weadock facility prior to the construction of the DE Karn facility, original dike structures at the facility were constructed at some time after 1957 and before 1959, when the DE Karn facility was placed in service. The ash disposal area was developed by reclaiming land from Saginaw Bay through the construction of a series of breakwater and perimeter dikes and in-filling with miscellaneous fill (AECOM 2009).
- A historical aerial photograph from 1963 depicts a discharge trestle which conveys ash to the area currently occupied by the Bottom Ash Pond (AECOM 2009).
- In a site development specifications drawing from 1985, the area of the current Bottom Ash Pond is identified as the “Karn Bottom Ash Storage Area”. It appears that the Bottom Ash Storage Area is bound on the north by a dike and bound on all other sides by the extent of the historic shoreline.

The site drawings contained no details regarding site construction methods for the Bottom Ash Pond, perimeter dike, and associated foundations.

## 8.0 40 CFR 257.73 (C)(1)(VII)

*At a scale that details engineering structures and appurtenances relevant to the design, construction, operation, and maintenance of the CCR unit, detailed dimensional drawings of the CCR unit, including a plan view and cross sections of the length and width of the CCR unit, showing all zones, foundation improvements, drainage provisions, spillways, diversion ditches, outlets, instrument locations, and slope protection, in addition to the normal operating pool surface elevation and the maximum pool surface elevation following peak discharge from the inflow design flood, the expected maximum depth of CCR within the CCR surface impoundment, and any identifiable natural or manmade features that could adversely affect operation of the CCR unit due to malfunction or mis-operation.*

Golder developed the following figures, which are attached hereto, for the Bottom Ash Pond at DE Karn:

- Figure 2 – Existing Conditions Site Map
- Figure 3 – Bottom Ash Pond Characterization Cross Section A-A'

Cross sections were developed based on an EES Survey (May 2016) and subsurface data collected and interpreted by Golder in 2015 and 2016. These cross sections are not intended to illustrate

a comprehensive conceptual site model representing all data that may be available for the Bottom Ash Pond.

## 9.0 40 CFR 257.73 (C)(1)(VIII)

*A description of the type, purpose, and location of existing instrumentation.*

The CCR RCRA Rule requires that a description of the type, purpose, and location of existing instrumentation be provided. Golder included the locations of the known instruments on **Figure 2 – Existing Conditions Site Map**.

CEC retained ARCADIS to install RCRA monitoring wells to characterize groundwater quality conditions in the vicinity of the Bottom Ash Pond. The description and location of this existing instrumentation can be found in the “Summary of Monitoring Well Design, Installation, and Development, DE Karn Electric Generation Facility” (ARCADIS 2016).

## 10.0 40 CFR 257.73 (C)(1)(IX)

*Area-capacity curves for the CCR unit.*

Area capacity curves for the Bottom Ash Pond were calculated by Golder using survey data collected by EES in May 2016. The area capacity curves are included in the “Inflow Design Flood Control System Plan” completed by Golder for Pond A (Golder 2016b).

## 11.0 40 CFR 257.73 (C)(1)(X)

*A description of each spillway and diversion design features and capacities and calculations used in their determination.*

### 11.1 Spillway and Diversion Description

Based on the “Annual RCRA CCR Surface Impoundment Inspection Report” completed by Golder for the Bottom Ash Pond (Golder 2016), an elevated trestle and pipe system hydraulically conveys sluiced bottom ash to the Bottom Ash Pond. Water is discharged from the pond via one 24-inch steel outflow pipe within the berm into a series of ditches that convey the flow to the NPDES outfall location.

Diversion is provided by the perimeter berm, minimum elevation of 598.00 (NAVD 88) (Golder 2016b), which surrounds the Bottom Ash Pond.

### 11.2 Capacities and Calculations

Capacities and calculations regarding the spillway and diversion features can be found in Golder’s “Inflow Design Flood Control System Plan” for the Bottom Ash Pond (2016b).

## **12.0 40 CFR 257.73 (C)(1)(XI)**

*The construction specifications and provisions for surveillance, maintenance, and repair of the CCR unit.*

### **12.1 Construction Specifications**

Construction specifications are detailed on drawings included in the PFMA Report (AECOM 2009).

### **12.2 Surveillance, Maintenance, and Repair**

The December 2010 "Coal Ash Landfill Surveillance and Monitoring Program" (SMP) (CEC 2010) outlines CEC's surveillance, maintenance, and repair program specific to each CCR surface impoundment at JH Campbell. Beginning in October 2015, Pond A was inspected by a qualified individual at least weekly and by a qualified professional engineer (QPE) annually in accordance with the CCR RCRA Rule.

## **13.0 40 CFR 257.73 (C)(1)(XII)**

*Any record or knowledge of structural instability of the CCR unit.*

Weekly inspections of the facility are performed by qualified individuals to detect potentially hazardous conditions or structural weakness per the CCR RCRA Rule and documented internally on CCR Weekly Inspection Observations Forms. Annual inspections at the facility have been performed by AECOM (2009a, 2012), Barr Engineering (2014), and Golder (2016, 2016a).

## **14.0 ATTACHMENTS**

Figure 1 – Site Location Map

Figure 2 – Existing Conditions Site Map

Figure 3 – Bottom Ash Pond Characterization Cross Section A-A'

Appendix A – Soil Sample Data



## 15.0 REFERENCES

- AECOM (2009). "Potential Failure Mode Analysis (PFMA) Report, D.E. Karn Generating Facility Ash Dike Assessment."
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## FIGURES



Channel Island

Windy Point

Gull Island

SITE LOCATION

CHESTNUT ST

Saginaw

WEADOCK HWY

JTELL RD

NES RD

TACEY RD



SITE LOCATION

MICHIGAN COUNTIES  
NOT TO SCALE

**REFERENCE(S)**

BASE MAP TAKEN FROM USGS 7.5 MINUTE QUADRANGLE  
BAY CITY NE, MICHIGAN  
DATED 2014



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PROJECT  
D.E. KARN HISTORY OF CONSTRUCTION

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	DESIGNED	MAL
	PREPARED	MAL
	REVIEWED	JTT
	APPROVED	JRP

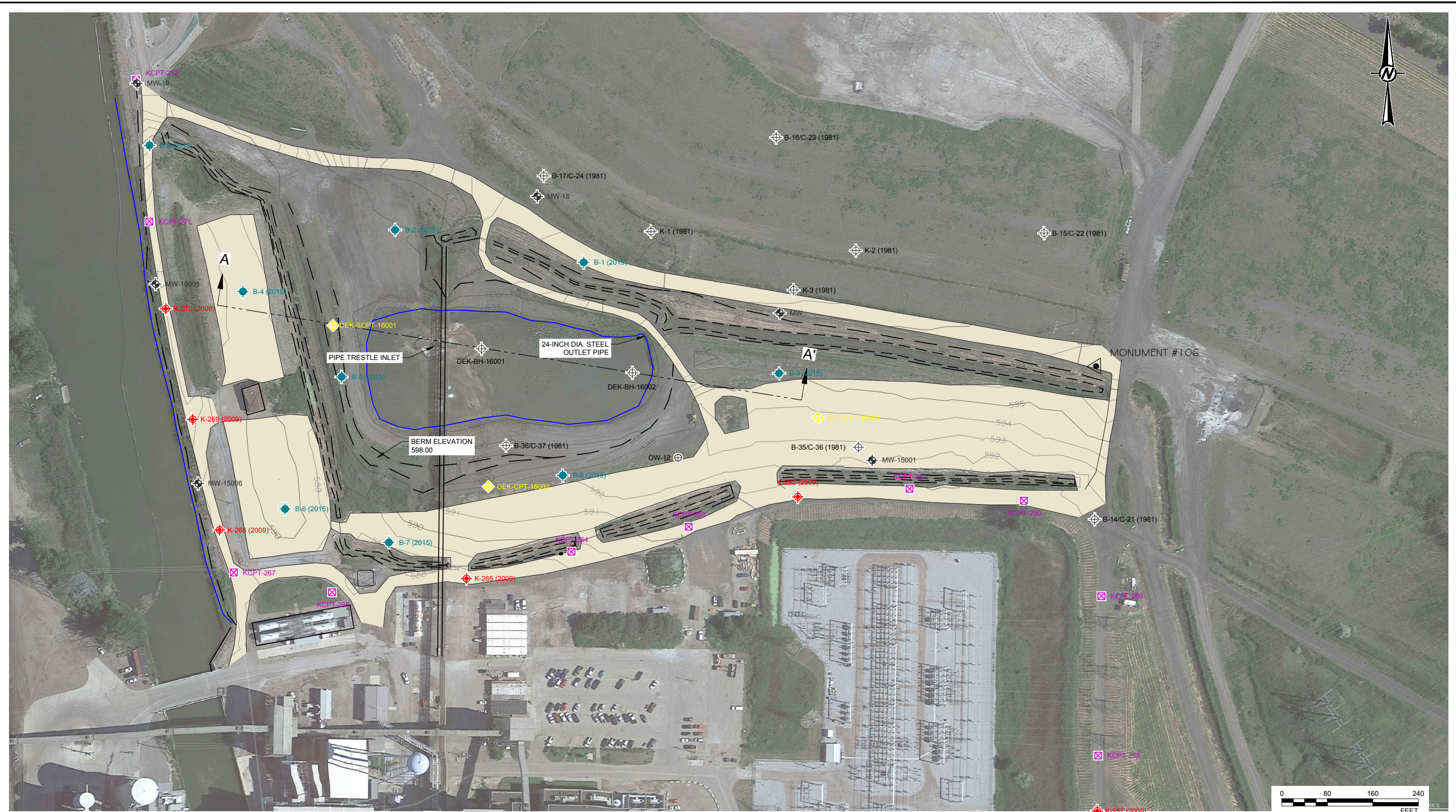


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**SITE LOCATION MAP**

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FIGURE  
**1**



- LEGEND**
- ⊕ B-35/C-36 (1981) HISTORIC BOREHOLE/ CPT
  - ⊕ K-262 (2009) HISTORIC AECOM BOREHOLE/ CPT
  - ⊕ B-9 (2015) GOLDER BOREHOLE
  - ⊕ DEK-CPT-16003 HISTORIC CONETEC PIEZOCONE PENETRATION TESTING (CPT)
  - ⊕ KCPT HISTORIC CPT LOCATION (BY AECOM, 2009)
  - ⊕ GW GAS VALVE
  - ⊕ LIGHT POLE
  - ⊕ POWER POLE
  - ⊕ POST (WOOD/METAL)
  - ⊕ GRVEL SURFACE / TRAVELED PATHWAY
  - ⊕ ASPHALT SURFACE
  - ⊕ CONCRETE SURFACE
  - Elec — OVERHEAD ELECTRIC LINE
  - GAS — ABOVE GROUND GAS LINE
  - Storm — UNDERGROUND STORM LINE
  - — — — — TOP OF BANK
  - — — — — TOE OF SLOPE

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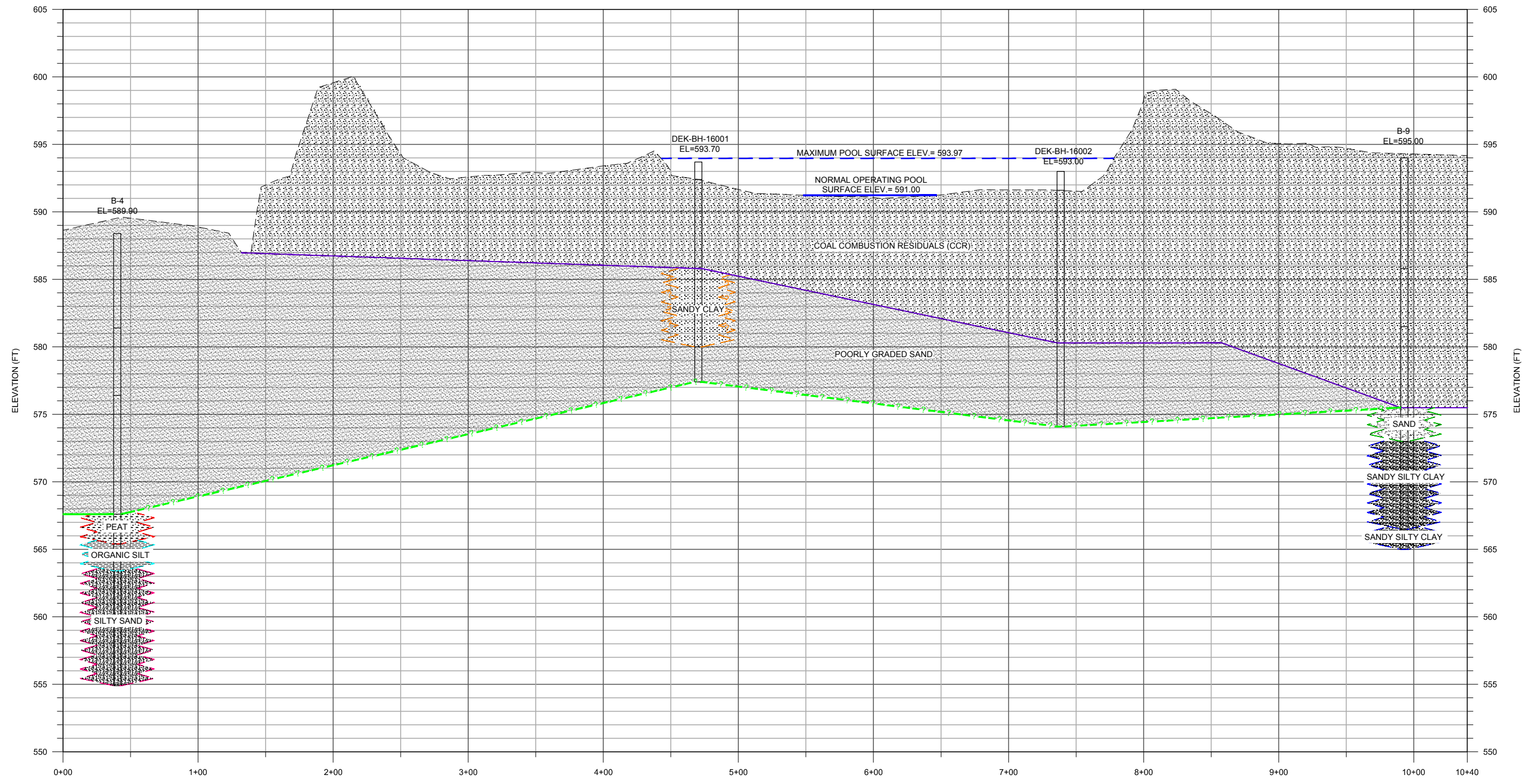
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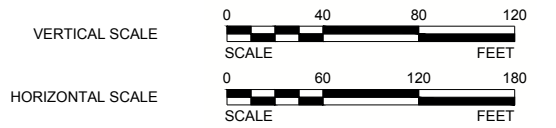
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A-A'

LEGEND		
	COAL COMBUSTION RESIDUALS (CCR)	
	SANDY CLAY	
	POORLY GRADED SAND	
	BASE OF CCR	
	BASE OF SANDY CLAY	
	BASE OF POORLY GRADED SAND	
	MAXIMUM POOL SURFACE ELEVATION	
	NORMAL OPERATING POOL SURFACE ELEVATION	



CLIENT  
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DESIGNED	MJ	
PREPARED	CMN	
REVIEWED	JRP	
APPROVED	MAB	



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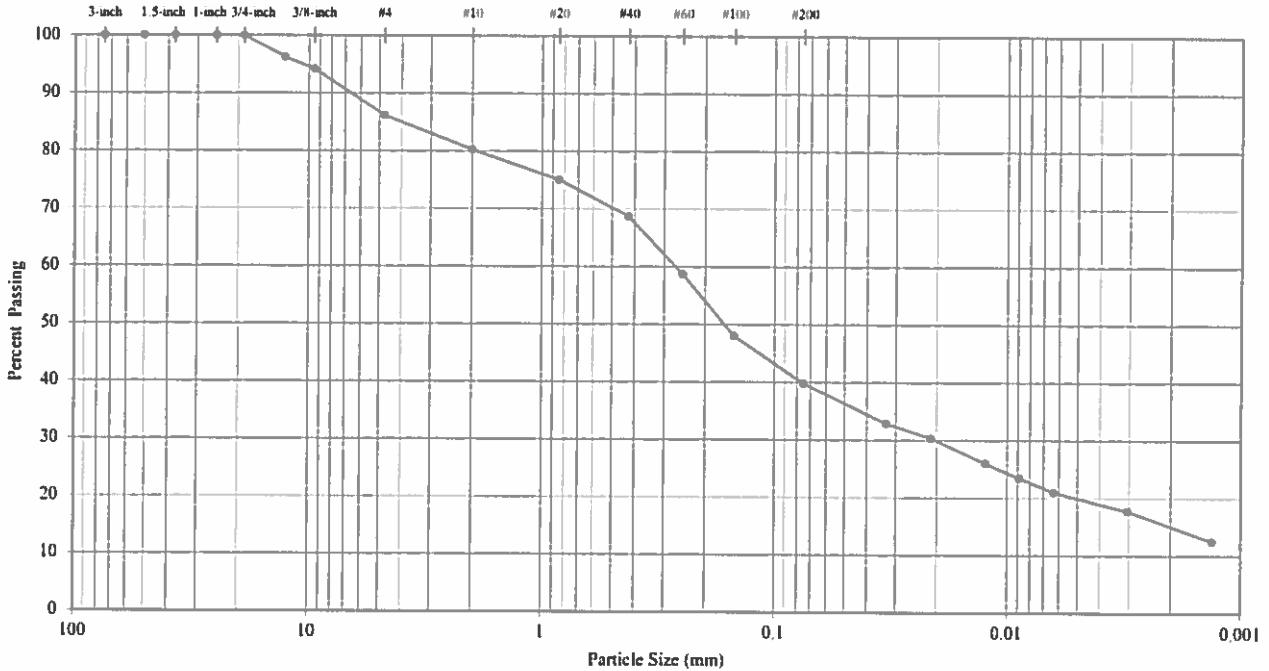
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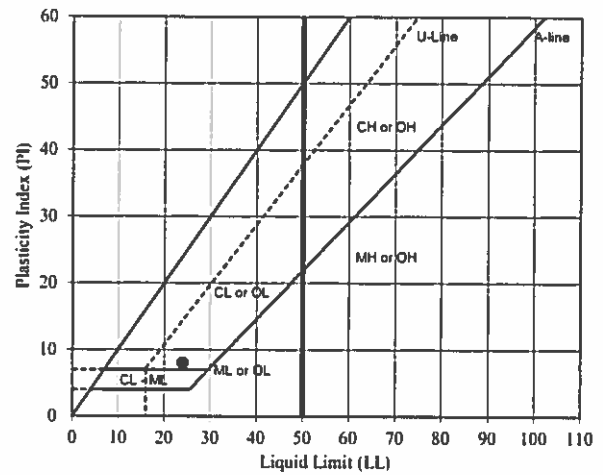
**APPENDIX A  
SOIL SAMPLE DATA**

### PARTICLE SIZE DISTRIBUTION & ATTERBERG LIMITS ASTM D421, D422, D4318

PROJECT NAME: **DE Karn Ash Pond Characterization**  
 SAMPLE ID: **DEK BH-16001 S-4**  
 TYPE: **Jar** DEPTH (ft): **7.2**



Sieve	Particle Size		Description	Percentage
	Sieve	(mm)		
3-inch	75.0	100.0	Cobbles	0.00
2-inch	50.8	100.0	Coarse Gravel	0.00
1.5-inch	37.5	100.0		
1-inch	25.0	100.0		
3/4-inch	19.0	100.0		
1/2-inch	12.7	96.3	Fine Gravel	13.82
3/8-inch	9.5	94.2		
#4	4.75	86.2		
#10	2.0	80.2	Coarse Sand	5.95
#20	0.85	75.0	Medium Sand	11.56
#40	0.425	68.7		
#60	0.25	58.7	Fine Sand	28.90
#100	0.15	48.0		
#200	0.075	39.8		
Hydrometer Analysis	0.033	32.9	Silt or Clay Fines	39.76
	0.021	30.3		
	0.012	26.0		
	0.009	23.4		
	0.006	21.0		
	0.003	17.7		
0.001	12.5			



USCS Description (ASTM D 2487):  
**Brownish gray, CLAYEY SAND, some gravel**

LL	PL	PI	LI
24	16	8	0.16

As-Received Moisture Content (%):  
**17.3**

USCS Group Symbol:  
**SC**

Notes: (1) Particle size analysis sample Mechanically dispersed using Stirring Apparatus A for about 1 Minute.  
 (2) Sample prepared for Atterberg Limits testing by the dry method. Material retained on No. 40 sieve removed from Atterberg Limits sample by dry sieving. Plastic Limit test performed by hand rolling. Method A Liquid Limit test performed using manual device.

TECH	DW
DATE	5/25/2016
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REVIEW	BSJ

**ASTM GRAIN SIZE ANALYSIS**  
**ASTM D 421, D 2217, D 1140, C 117, D 422, C 136, C 142**

<b>PROJECT TITLE</b> <b>PROJECT NO.</b> <b>REMARKS</b>	<b>D.E. Karn Ash Pond Characterization</b>		<b>SAMPLE ID</b>	<b>DEK-BH-16001 S-5</b>
	165-5284		<b>SAMPLE TYPE</b>	Jar
			<b>SAMPLE DEPTH (ft)</b>	13.5

<b>WATER CONTENT (Delivered Moisture)</b>			Hygroscopic Moisture For Sieve Sample	
Wt Wet Soil & Tare (gm)	(w1)	34.66	Wet Soil & Tare (gm)	1.00
Wt Dry Soil & Tare (gm)	(w2)	31.26	Dry Soil & Tare (gm)	1.00
Weight of Tare (gm)	(w3)	14.03	Tare Weight (gm)	0.00
Weight of Water (gm)	(w4=w1-w2)	3.40	Moisture Content (%)	0.00%
Weight of Dry Soil (gm)	(w5=w2-w3)	17.23	<b>Total Weight Of Sample Used For Sieve Corrected For Hygroscopic Moisture</b>	
Moisture Content (%)	(w4/w5)*100	19.73	Weight Of Sample (gm)	618.95
			Tare Weight (gm)	317.89
			(W6) Total Dry Weight (gm)	301.06

Tare Weight	Wt Ret +Tare	Cum. Ret. (Wt-Tare) (dry)	Cumulative (%Retained) ((wt ret/w6)*100)	% PASS (100-%ret)	SIEVE	
317.89						
	3.0"	317.89	0.00	0.00	100.00	3.0" coarse gravel
	2.5"	317.89	0.00	0.00	100.00	2.5" coarse gravel
	2.0"	317.89	0.00	0.00	100.00	2.0" coarse gravel
	1.5"	317.89	0.00	0.00	100.00	1.5" coarse gravel
	1.0"	317.89	0.00	0.00	100.00	1.0" coarse gravel
	0.75"	317.89	0.00	0.00	100.00	0.75" fine gravel
	0.50"	317.89	0.00	0.00	100.00	0.50" fine gravel
	0.375"	317.89	0.00	0.00	100.00	0.375" fine gravel
	#4	318.06	0.17	0.06	99.94	#4 coarse sand
	#10	320.47	2.58	0.86	99.14	#10 medium sand
	#20	326.32	8.43	2.80	97.20	#20 medium sand
	#40	355.05	37.16	12.34	87.66	#40 fine sand
	#60	466.00	148.11	49.20	50.80	#60 fine sand
	#100	583.53	265.64	88.23	11.77	#100 fine sand
	#200	616.78	298.89	99.28	0.72	#200 fines

% C GRAVEL	0.00	<b>Descriptive Terms</b> > 10% mostly coarse (c) > 10% mostly medium (m) < 10% fine (c-m) < 10% coarse (m-f) < 10% coarse and fine (m) < 10% coarse and medium (f) > 10% equal amounts each (c-f)	LL	-
% F GRAVEL	0.06		PL	-
% C SAND	0.80		PI	-
% M SAND	11.49		Gs	-
% F SAND	86.94			
% FINES	0.72			
% TOTAL	100.00			

**DESCRIPTION** Brown, POORLY GRADED SAND, trace gravel, trace fines

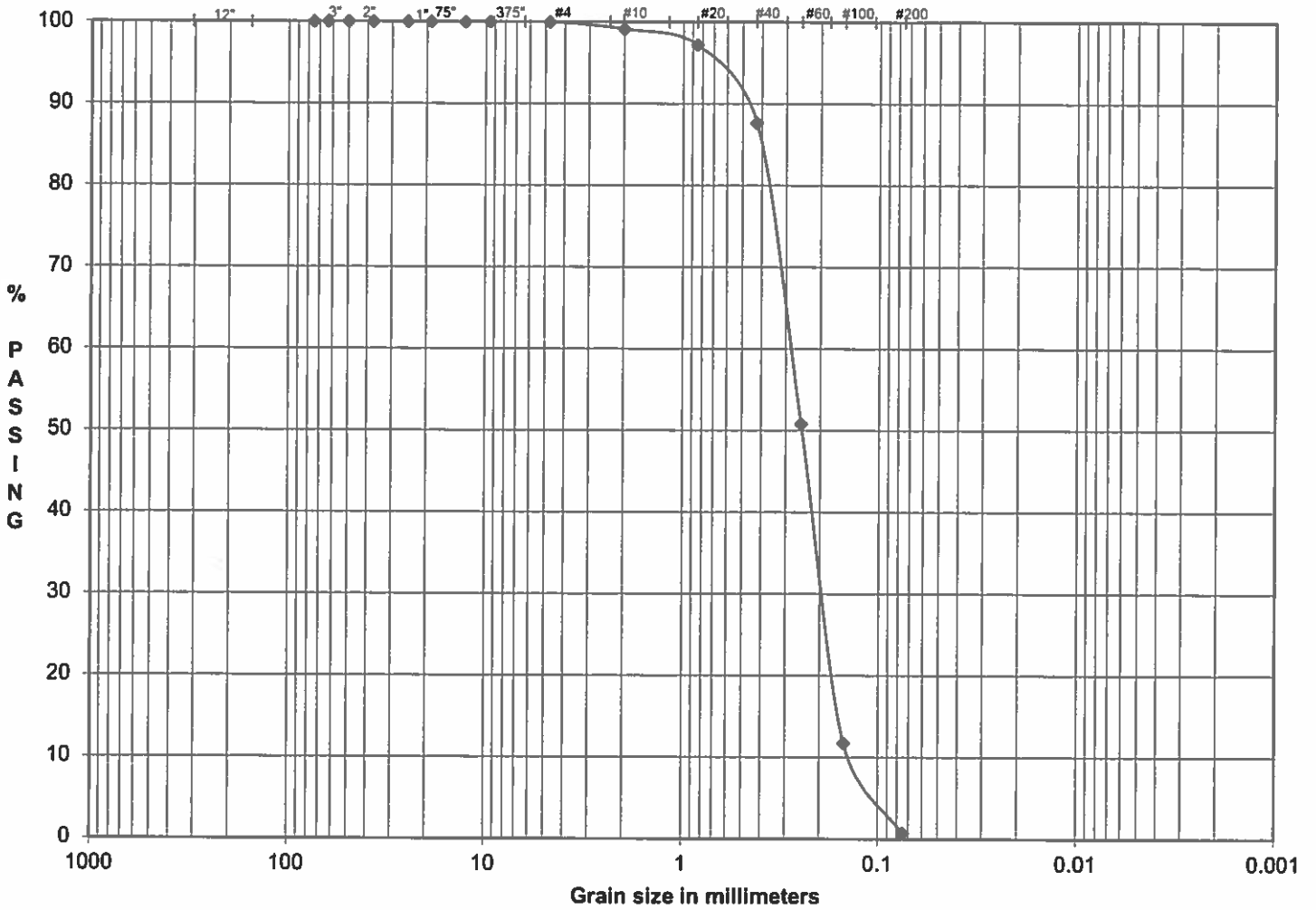
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\* material finer than #4 sieve corrected for hygroscopic moisture.



**PARTICLE SIZE DISTRIBUTION ASTM D 421 AND D 422  
US STANDARD SIEVE OPENING SIZES**



Boulders	Cobbles	Coarse	Fine	Cor	Med	Fine	SILT OR CLAY
		GRAVEL		SAND			FINES
	0.00	0.00	0.06	0.80	11.49	86.94	0.72
		0.06		99.22			

SAMPLE ID	DEK-BH-16001 S-5
SAMPLE TYPE	Jar
SAMPLE DEPTH (ft)	13.5

LL	-
PL	-
PI	-

DESCRIPTION: Brown, POORLY GRADED SAND, trace gravel, trace fines

USCS: SP

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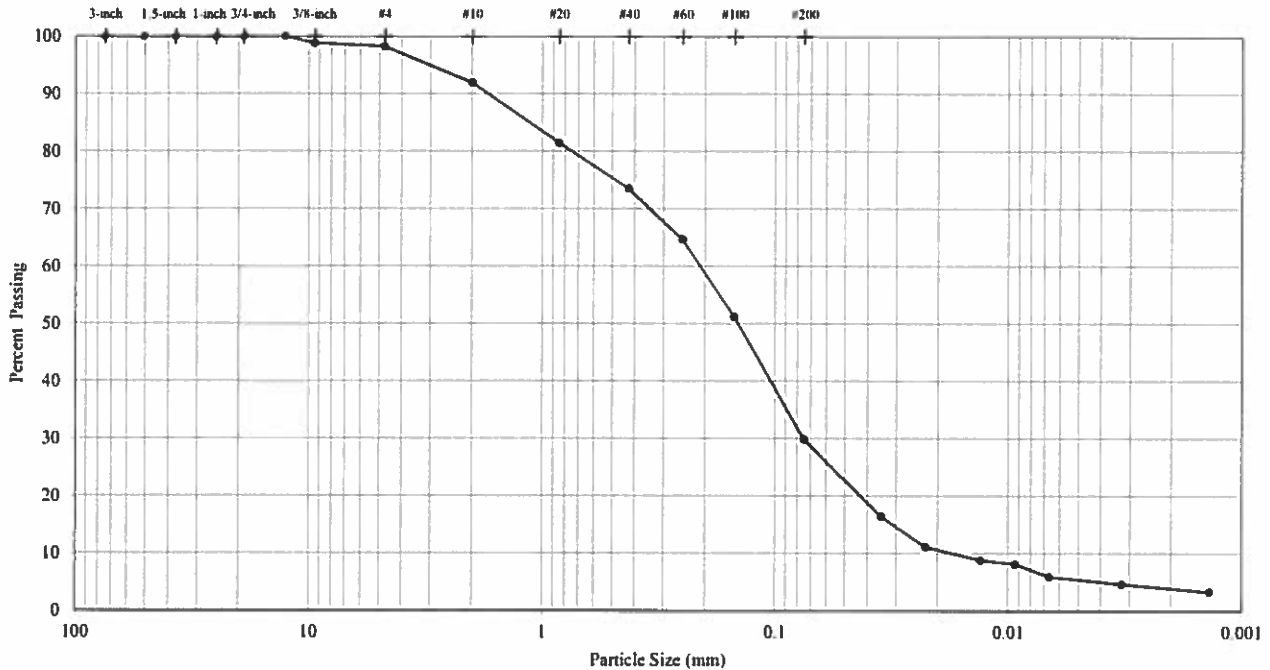
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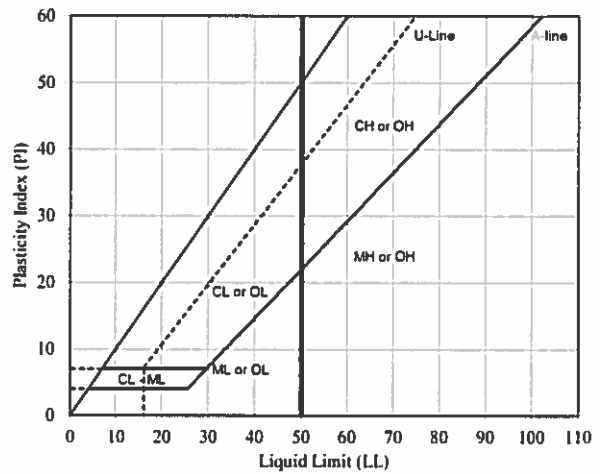
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DEPTH (ft): 7.0

TYPE: Jar



Sieve	Particle Size		Description	Percentage
	(mm)	% Passing		
3-inch	75.0	100.0	Cobbles	0.00
2-inch	50.8	100.0	Coarse Gravel	0.00
1.5-inch	37.5	100.0		
1-inch	25.0	100.0		
3/4-inch	19.0	100.0		
1/2-inch	12.7	100.0	Fine Gravel	1.82
3/8-inch	9.5	98.8		
#4	4.75	98.2	Coarse Sand	6.29
#10	2.0	91.9		
#20	0.85	81.4		
#40	0.425	73.5	Medium Sand	18.43
#60	0.25	64.6		
#100	0.15	51.2	Fine Sand	43.62
#200	0.075	29.8		
	0.035	16.5		
	0.023	11.1		
	0.013	8.8	Silt or Clay Fines	29.84
	0.009	8.2		
	0.007	5.9		
	0.003	4.6		
	0.001	3.3		



Visual Description:  
Very dark gray, CCR, trace gravel

LL	PL	PI	LI
69.7	-	-	-

As-Received Moisture Content (%)

69.7

USCS Group Symbol

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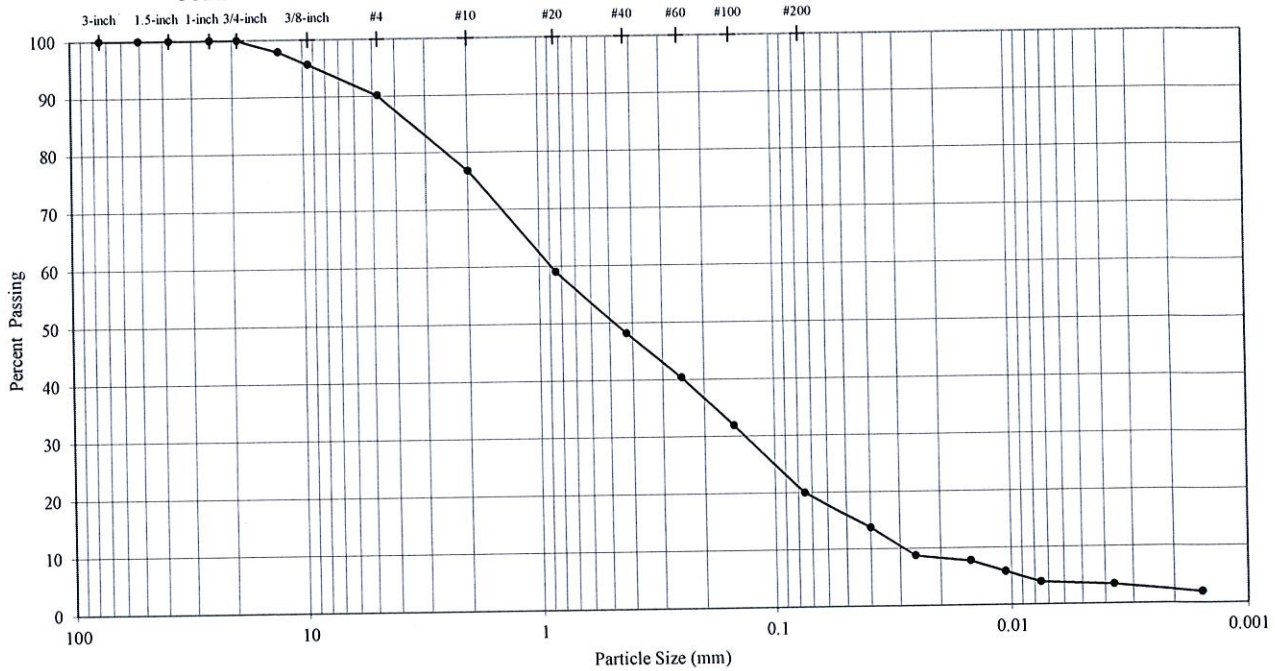
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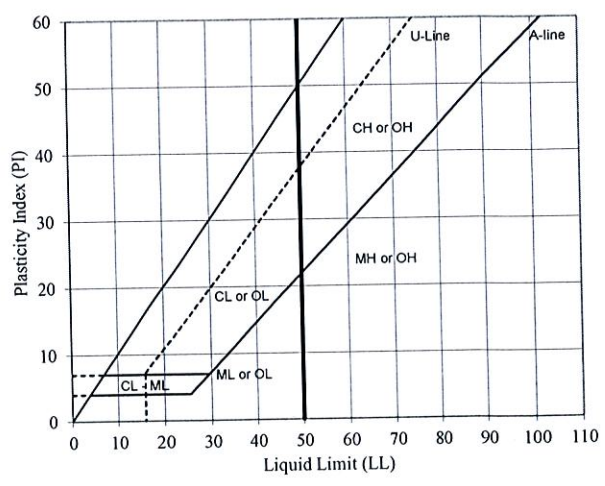
**PARTICLE SIZE DISTRIBUTION & ATTERBERG LIMITS**  
**ASTM D421, D422, D4318**

PROJECT NAME: **D.E. Karn**  
SAMPLE ID: **B-1**  
TYPE: **Jar**

DEPTH (ft): **9.5-10.0**



Sieve	Particle Size	% Passing	Description	Percentage
	(mm)			
3-inch	75.0	100.0	Cobbles	0.00
2-inch	50.8	100.0	Coarse Gravel	0.00
1.5-inch	37.5	100.0		
1-inch	25.0	100.0		
3/4-inch	19.0	100.0		
1/2-inch	12.7	97.9	Fine Gravel	9.85
3/8-inch	9.5	95.7		
#4	4.75	90.2		
#10	2.0	76.8	Coarse Sand	13.36
#20	0.85	59.0	Medium Sand	28.59
#40	0.425	48.2		
#60	0.25	40.4	Fine Sand	28.21
#100	0.15	31.9		
#200	0.075	20.0		
	0.040	13.7		
Hydrometer Analysis	0.026	8.8	Silt or Clay Fines	20.00
	0.015	7.8		
	0.011	5.9		
	0.008	4.0		
	0.004	3.4		
	0.002	2.0		



Visual Description:  
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As-Received Moisture Content (%)  
**16.2**

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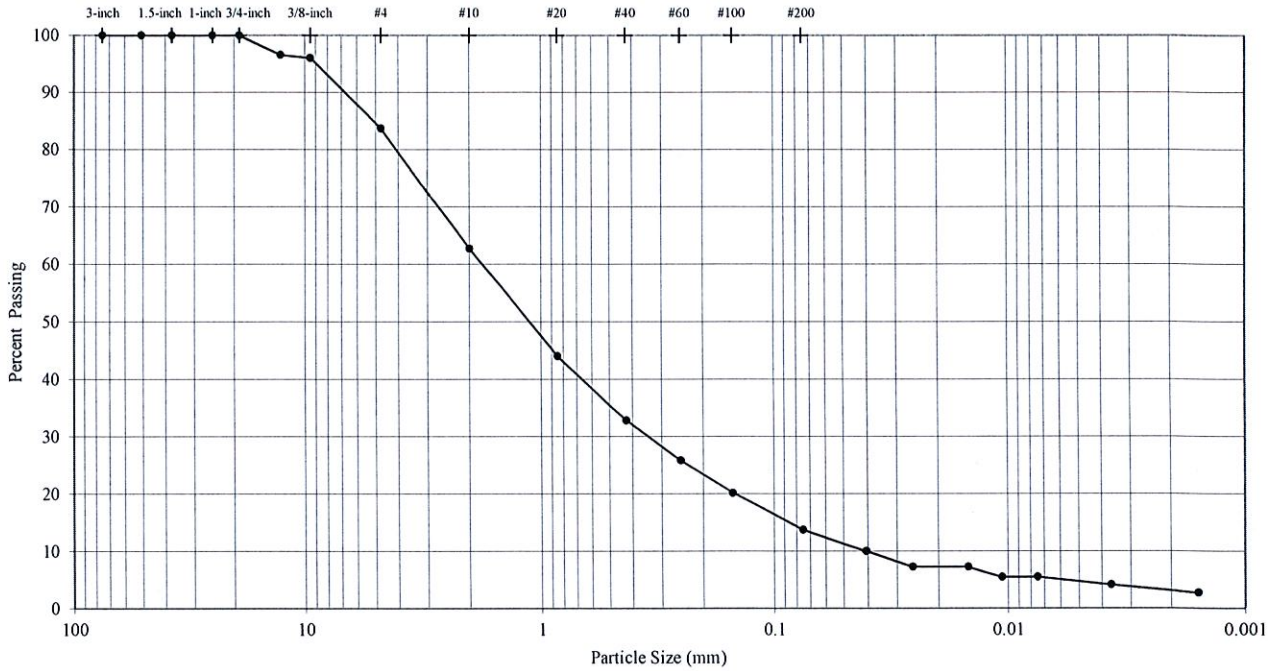
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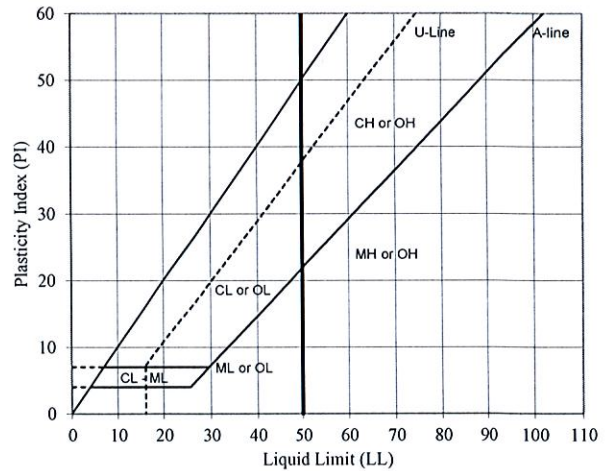
## PARTICLE SIZE DISTRIBUTION & ATTERBERG LIMITS ASTM D421, D422, D4318

PROJECT NAME: **D.E. Karn**  
 SAMPLE ID: **B-1**  
 TYPE: **Jar**

DEPTH (ft): **13.5-14.5**



	Sieve	Particle Size (mm)	% Passing	Description	Percentage	
Sieve Analysis (Initial Separation on No. 4 Sieve)	3-inch	75.0	100.0	Cobbles	0.00	
	2-inch	50.8	100.0	Coarse Gravel	0.00	
	1.5-inch	37.5	100.0			
	1-inch	25.0	100.0			
	3/4-inch	19.0	100.0	Fine Gravel	16.34	
	1/2-inch	12.7	96.6			
	3/8-inch	9.5	96.1	Coarse Sand	21.00	
	#4	4.75	83.7			
	Hydrometer Analysis	#10	2.0	62.7	Medium Sand	29.83
		#20	0.85	44.0		
#40		0.425	32.8	Fine Sand	19.09	
#60		0.25	25.8			
#100		0.15	20.2			
#200		0.075	13.7	Silt or Clay Fines	13.74	
		0.041	10.0			
		0.026	7.3			
		0.015	7.3			
		0.011	5.5			
	0.007	5.5				
	0.004	4.1				
	0.002	2.8				



Visual Description:  
 Very dark gray, BOTTOM ASH

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As-Received Moisture Content (%)  
**23.7**

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Notes: (1) Particle size analysis sample Mechanically dispersed using Stirring Apparatus A for about 1 Minute.

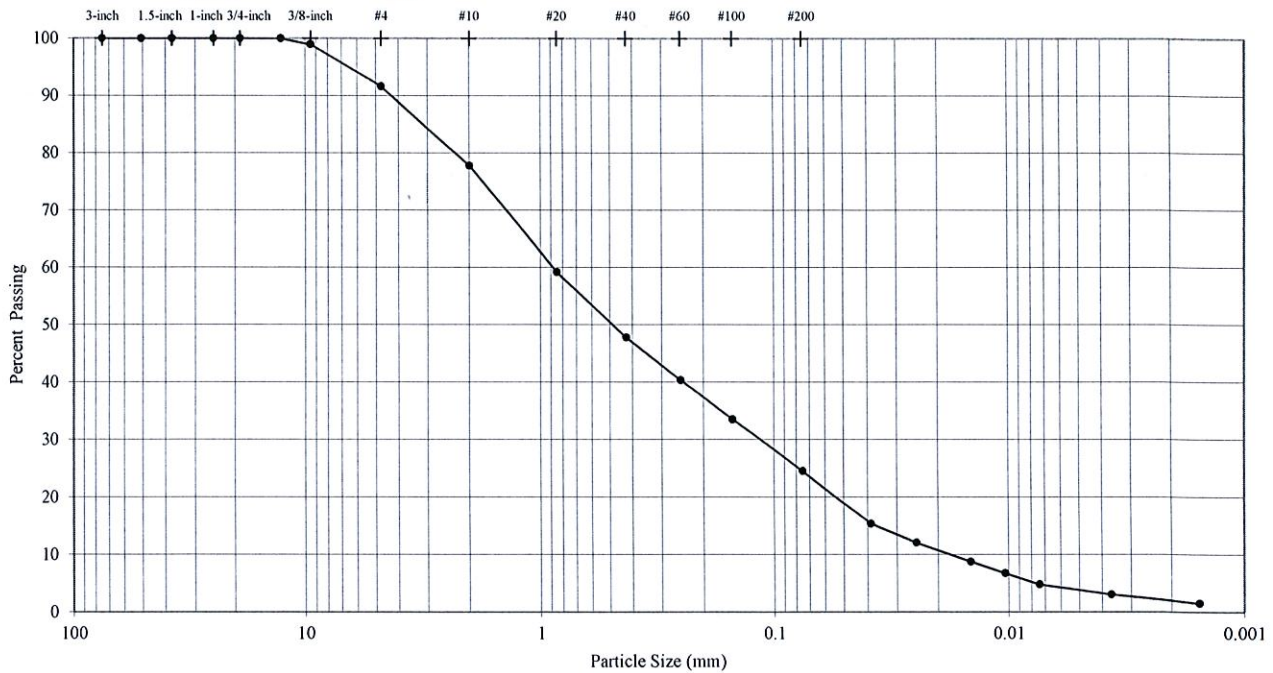
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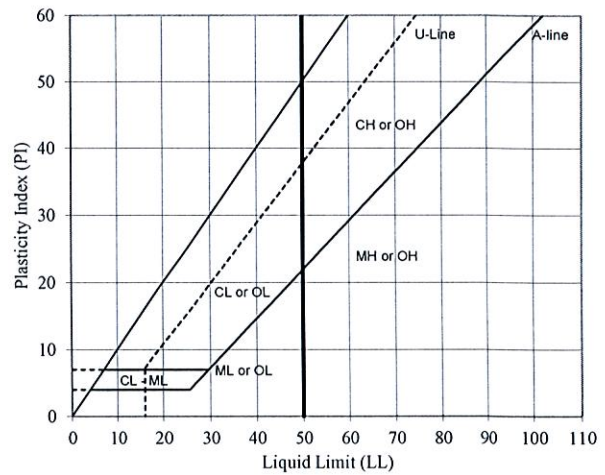
**PARTICLE SIZE DISTRIBUTION & ATTERBERG LIMITS  
ASTM D421, D422, D4318**

PROJECT NAME: **D.E. Karn**  
 SAMPLE ID: **B-1**  
 TYPE: **Jar**

DEPTH (ft): **18.5-20.0**



Sieve	Particle Size		Description	Percentage
	(mm)	% Passing		
3-inch	75.0	100.0	Cobbles	0.00
2-inch	50.8	100.0	Coarse Gravel	0.00
1.5-inch	37.5	100.0		
1-inch	25.0	100.0		
3/4-inch	19.0	100.0		
1/2-inch	12.7	100.0	Fine Gravel	8.37
3/8-inch	9.5	98.9		
#4	4.75	91.6		
#10	2.0	77.8	Coarse Sand	13.85
#20	0.85	59.2	Medium Sand	30.02
#40	0.425	47.8		
#60	0.25	40.3		
#100	0.15	33.5	Fine Sand	23.23
#200	0.075	24.5		
Hydrometer Analysis			Silt or Clay Fines	24.54
	0.039	15.4		
	0.025	12.1		
	0.015	8.8		
	0.010	6.8		
	0.007	4.8		
	0.004	3.1		
	0.002	1.5		



Visual Description:  
 Very dark grayish brown, BOTTOM ASH

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As-Received Moisture Content (%)  
 24.6

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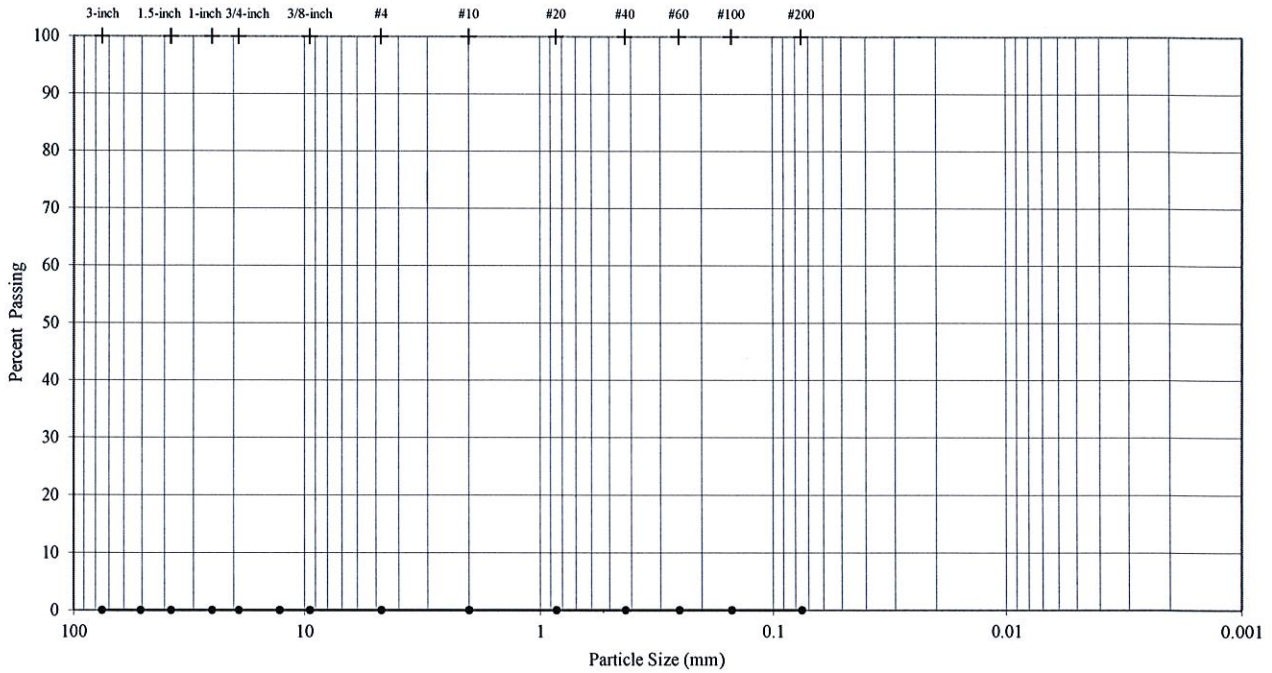
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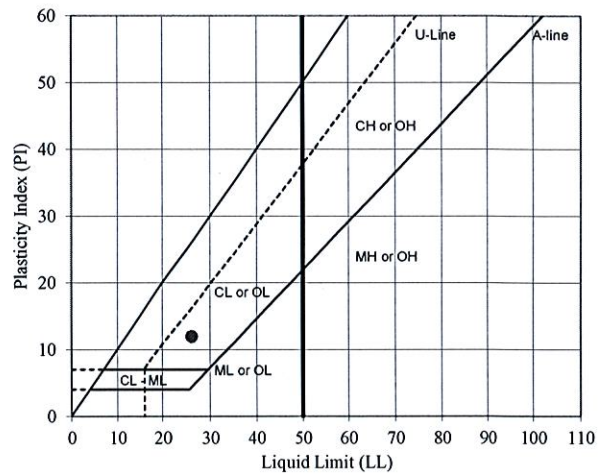
## PARTICLE SIZE DISTRIBUTION & ATTERBERG LIMITS ASTM D421, D422, D4318

PROJECT NAME: **D.E. Karn**  
 SAMPLE ID: **B-1**  
 TYPE: **Jar**

DEPTH (ft): **39.3-40.0**



Sieve	Particle Size (mm)	% Passing	Description	Percentage
3-inch	75.0	-	Coarse Gravel	-
2-inch	50.8	-		
1.5-inch	37.5	-		
1-inch	25.0	-		
3/4-inch	19.0	-		
3/8-inch	9.5	-	Fine Gravel	-
#4	4.75	-		
#10	2.0	-	Coarse Sand	-
#20	0.85	-		
#40	0.425	-	Medium Sand	-
#60	0.25	-		
#100	0.15	-	Fine Sand	-
#200	0.075	-		
Hydrometer Analysis		-		
		-		
		-		
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Visual Description:  
 Grayish brown, CLAY

LL	PL	PI	LI
26	14	12	0.03

As-Received Moisture Content (%)  
 14.4

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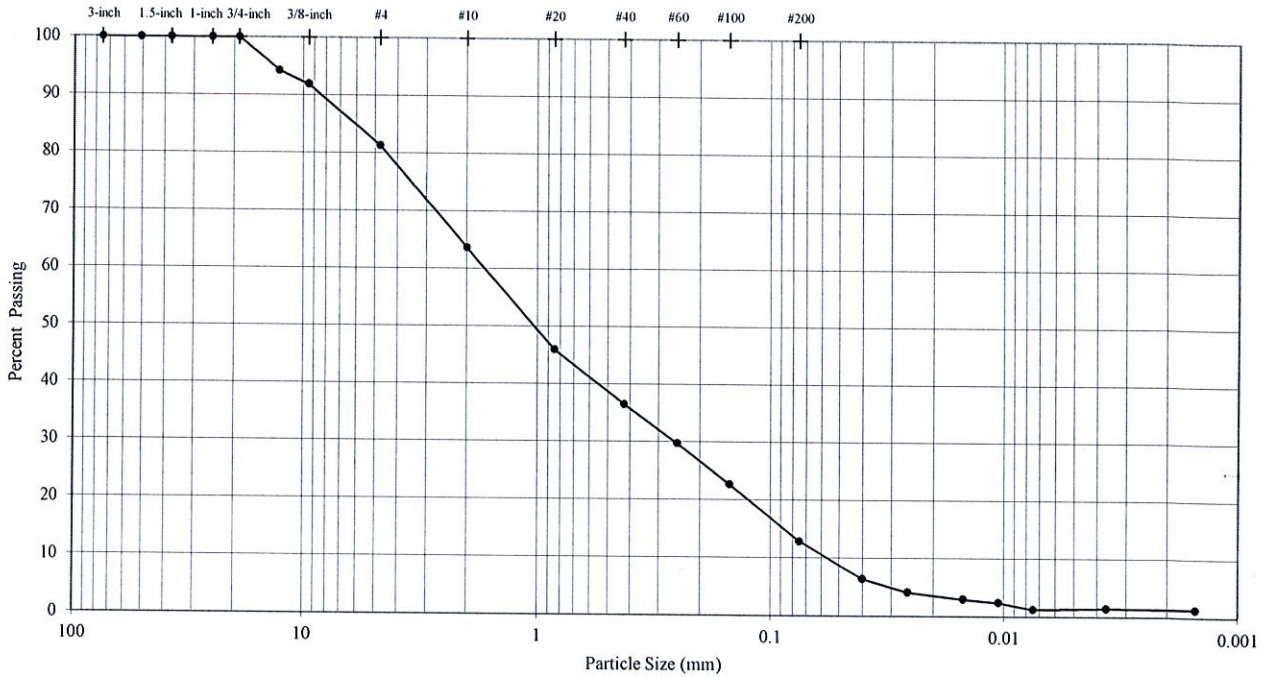
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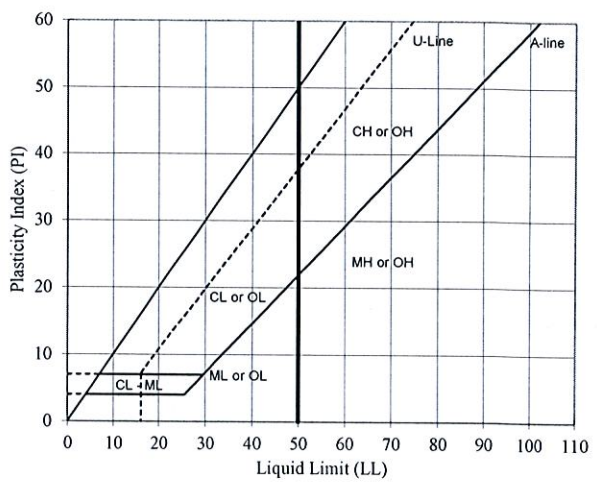
## PARTICLE SIZE DISTRIBUTION & ATTERBERG LIMITS ASTM D421, D422, D4318

PROJECT NAME: **D.E. Karn**  
 SAMPLE ID: **B-2**  
 TYPE: **Jar**

DEPTH (ft): **18.5-20.0**



Sieve	Particle Size (mm)	% Passing	Description	Percentage
3-inch	75.0	100.0	Cobbles	0.00
2-inch	50.8	100.0	Coarse Gravel	0.00
1.5-inch	37.5	100.0		
1-inch	25.0	100.0		
3/4-inch	19.0	100.0		
1/2-inch	12.7	94.3	Fine Gravel	18.72
3/8-inch	9.5	91.9		
#4	4.75	81.3		
#10	2.0	63.6	Coarse Sand	17.65
#20	0.85	46.0	Medium Sand	27.17
#40	0.425	36.5		
#60	0.25	29.7	Fine Sand	23.63
#100	0.15	22.6		
#200	0.075	12.8		
Hydrometer Analysis	0.040	6.4	Silt or Clay Fines	12.83
	0.026	4.1		
	0.015	3.0		
	0.011	2.4		
	0.007	1.3		
	0.004	1.5		
	0.002	1.3		



Visual Description:  
 Black, BOTTOM ASH

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As-Received Moisture Content (%)  
**18.7**

USCS Group Symbol  
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Notes: (1) Particle size analysis sample Mechanically dispersed using Stirring Apparatus A for about 1 Minute.  
 (2) Sample prepared for Atterberg Limits testing by the dry method. Material retained on No. 40 sieve removed from Atterberg Limits sample by dry sieving. Plastic Limit test performed by hand rolling. Method A Liquid Limit test performed using manual device.

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**ASTM GRAIN SIZE ANALYSIS**  
**ASTM D 421, D 2217, D 1140, C 117, D 422, C 136, C 142**

<b>PROJECT TITLE</b>	D.E. Karn Ash Tank	<b>SAMPLE ID</b>	B-2	
	152-4652		<b>SAMPLE TYPE</b>	Jar
				<b>SAMPLE DEPTH</b>
<b>PROJECT NO.</b>				
<b>REMARKS</b>				

<b>WATER CONTENT (Delivered Moisture)</b>		Hygroscopic Moisture For Sieve Sample	
Wt Wet Soil & Tare (gm)	(w1) 336.71	Wet Soil & Tare (gm)	1.00
Wt Dry Soil & Tare (gm)	(w2) 280.90	Dry Soil & Tare (gm)	1.00
Weight of Tare (gm)	(w3) 52.05	Tare Weight (gm)	0.00
Weight of Water (gm)	(w4=w1-w2) 55.81	Moisture Content (%)	0.00%
Weight of Dry Soil (gm)	(w5=w2-w3) 228.85	Total Weight Of Sample Used For Sieve Corrected For Hygroscopic Moisture	
Moisture Content (%)	(w4/w5)*100 24.39	Weight Of Sample (gm)	280.90
		Tare Weight (gm)	52.05
		(W6) Total Dry Weight (gm)	228.85

Tare Weight	Wt Ret +Tare	Cum. Ret. (Wt-Tare) (dry)	Cumulative (%Retained) {(wt ret/w6)*100}	% PASS (100-%ret)	SIEVE	
52.06						
	3.0"	52.06	0.00	0.00	100.00	3.0" coarse gravel
	2.5"	52.06	0.00	0.00	100.00	2.5" coarse gravel
	2.0"	52.06	0.00	0.00	100.00	2.0" coarse gravel
	1.5"	52.06	0.00	0.00	100.00	1.5" coarse gravel
	1.0"	52.06	0.00	0.00	100.00	1.0" coarse gravel
	0.75"	52.06	0.00	0.00	100.00	0.75" fine gravel
	0.50"	52.06	0.00	0.00	100.00	0.50" fine gravel
	0.375"	52.06	0.00	0.00	100.00	0.375" fine gravel
	#4	52.06	0.00	0.00	100.00	#4 coarse sand
	#10	52.71	0.65	0.28	99.72	#10 medium sand
	#20	54.24	2.18	0.95	99.05	#20 medium sand
	#40	59.82	7.76	3.39	96.61	#40 fine sand
	#60	76.18	24.12	10.54	89.46	#60 fine sand
	#100	190.58	138.52	60.53	39.47	#100 fine sand
	#200	269.13	217.07	94.85	5.15	#200 fines

% C GRAVEL	0.00	<b>Descriptive Terms</b> > 10% mostly coarse (c) > 10% mostly medium (m) < 10% fine (c-m) < 10% coarse (m-f) < 10% coarse and fine (m) < 10% coarse and medium (f) > 10% equal amounts each (c-f)	LL	-
% F GRAVEL	0.00		PL	-
% C SAND	0.28		PI	-
% M SAND	3.11		Gs	-
% F SAND	91.46			
% FINES	5.15			
% TOTAL	100.00			

**DESCRIPTION** Light brown, POORLY GRADED SAND WITH SILT

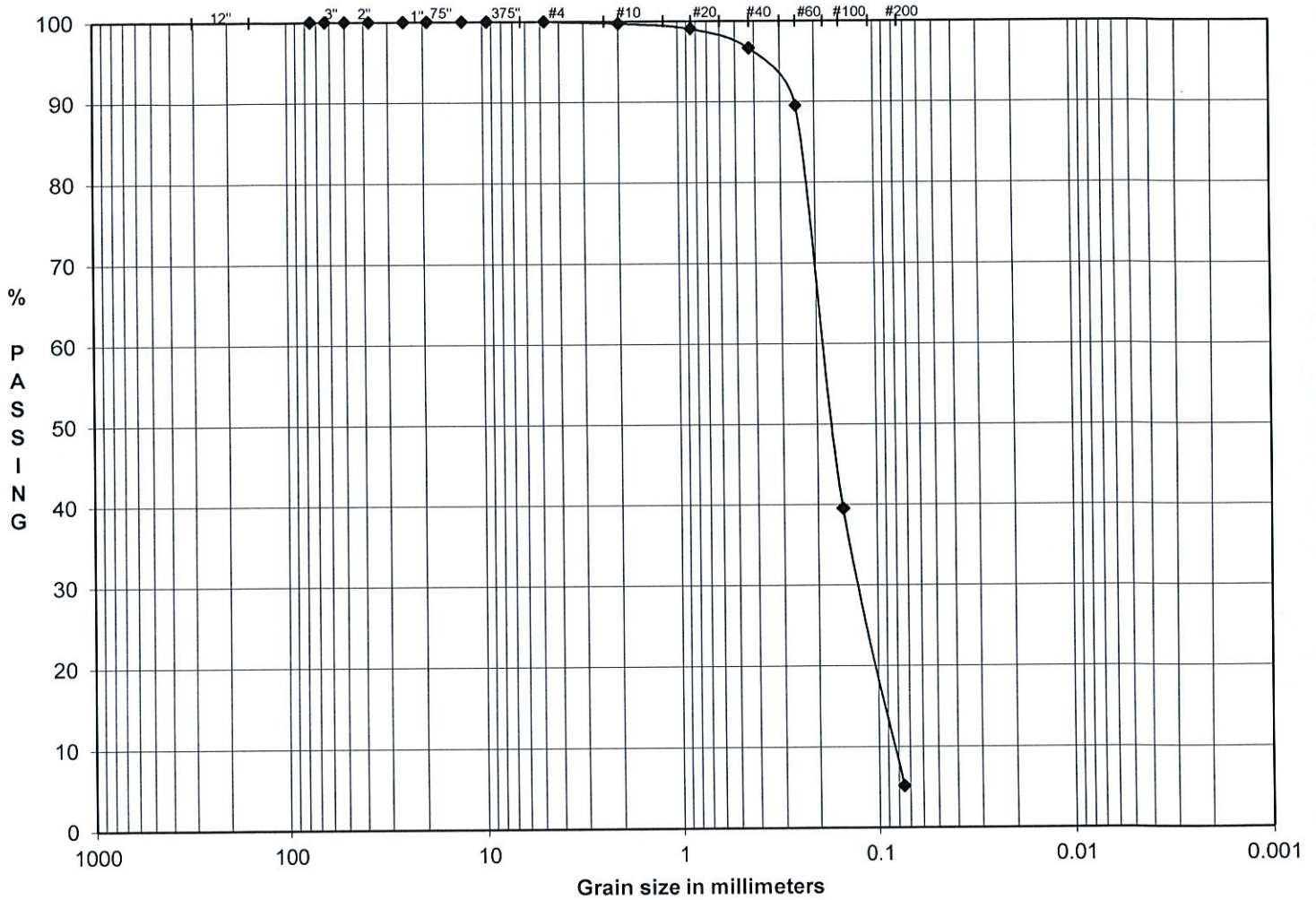
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**PARTICLE SIZE DISTRIBUTION ASTM D 421 AND D 422  
US STANDARD SIEVE OPENING SIZES**



		Coarse	Fine	Cor	Med	Fine	SILT OR CLAY
Boulders	Cobbles	GRAVEL		SAND			FINES
	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.28	3.11	91.46	5.15
		0.00		94.85			

SAMPLE ID	B-2
SAMPLE TYPE	Jar
SAMPLE DEPTH	26.0'-27.5'

LL	-
PL	-
PI	-

DESCRIPTION: Light brown, POORLY GRADED SAND WITH SILT

USCS: SP-SM

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**ASTM GRAIN SIZE ANALYSIS**  
**ASTM D 421, D 2217, D 1140, C 117, D 422, C 136, C 142**

<b>PROJECT TITLE</b>	D.E. Karn Ash Tank	<b>SAMPLE ID</b>	B-4
<b>PROJECT NO.</b>	152-4652	<b>SAMPLE TYPE</b>	Jar
<b>REMARKS</b>		<b>SAMPLE DEPTH</b>	28.5'-30.0'

<b>WATER CONTENT (Delivered Moisture)</b>		Hygroscopic Moisture For Sieve Sample	
Wt Wet Soil & Tare (gm)	(w1) 292.73	Wet Soil & Tare (gm)	1.00
Wt Dry Soil & Tare (gm)	(w2) 252.17	Dry Soil & Tare (gm)	1.00
Weight of Tare (gm)	(w3) 51.65	Tare Weight (gm)	0.00
Weight of Water (gm)	(w4=w1-w2) 40.56	Moisture Content (%)	0.00%
Weight of Dry Soil (gm)	(w5=w2-w3) 200.52	Total Weight Of Sample Used For Sieve Corrected For Hygroscopic Moisture	
Moisture Content (%)	(w4/w5)*100 20.23	Weight Of Sample (gm)	252.17
		Tare Weight (gm)	51.65
		(W6) Total Dry Weight (gm)	200.52

SIEVE ANALYSIS	Tare Weight	Wt Ret	Cum. Ret. (Wt-Tare)	Cumulative (%Retained)	% PASS	SIEVE
	51.57	+Tare	(dry)	{(wt ret/w6)*100}	(100-%ret)	
3.0"	51.67	51.67	0.10	0.05	99.95	3.0" coarse gravel
2.5"	51.67	51.67	0.10	0.05	99.95	2.5" coarse gravel
2.0"	51.67	51.67	0.10	0.05	99.95	2.0" coarse gravel
1.5"	51.67	51.67	0.10	0.05	99.95	1.5" coarse gravel
1.0"	51.67	51.67	0.10	0.05	99.95	1.0" coarse gravel
0.75"	51.67	51.67	0.10	0.05	99.95	0.75" fine gravel
0.50"	51.67	51.67	0.10	0.05	99.95	0.50" fine gravel
0.375"	51.67	51.67	0.10	0.05	99.95	0.375" fine gravel
#4	51.67	51.67	0.10	0.05	99.95	#4 coarse sand
#10	52.08	52.08	0.51	0.25	99.75	#10 medium sand
#20	52.42	52.42	0.85	0.42	99.58	#20 medium sand
#40	53.50	53.50	1.93	0.96	99.04	#40 fine sand
#60	65.61	65.61	14.04	7.00	93.00	#60 fine sand
#100	141.68	141.68	90.11	44.94	55.06	#100 fine sand
#200	201.13	201.13	149.56	74.59	25.41	#200 fines

% C GRAVEL	0.00	Descriptive Terms	> 10% mostly coarse (c)	LL	-	
% F GRAVEL	0.00		> 10% mostly medium (m)		PL	-
% C SAND	0.20		< 10% fine (c-m)		PI	-
% M SAND	0.71		< 10% coarse (m-f)		Gs	-
% F SAND	73.62		< 10% coarse and fine (m)			
% FINES	25.41		< 10% coarse and medium (f)			
% TOTAL	99.95		> 10% equal amounts each (c-f)			

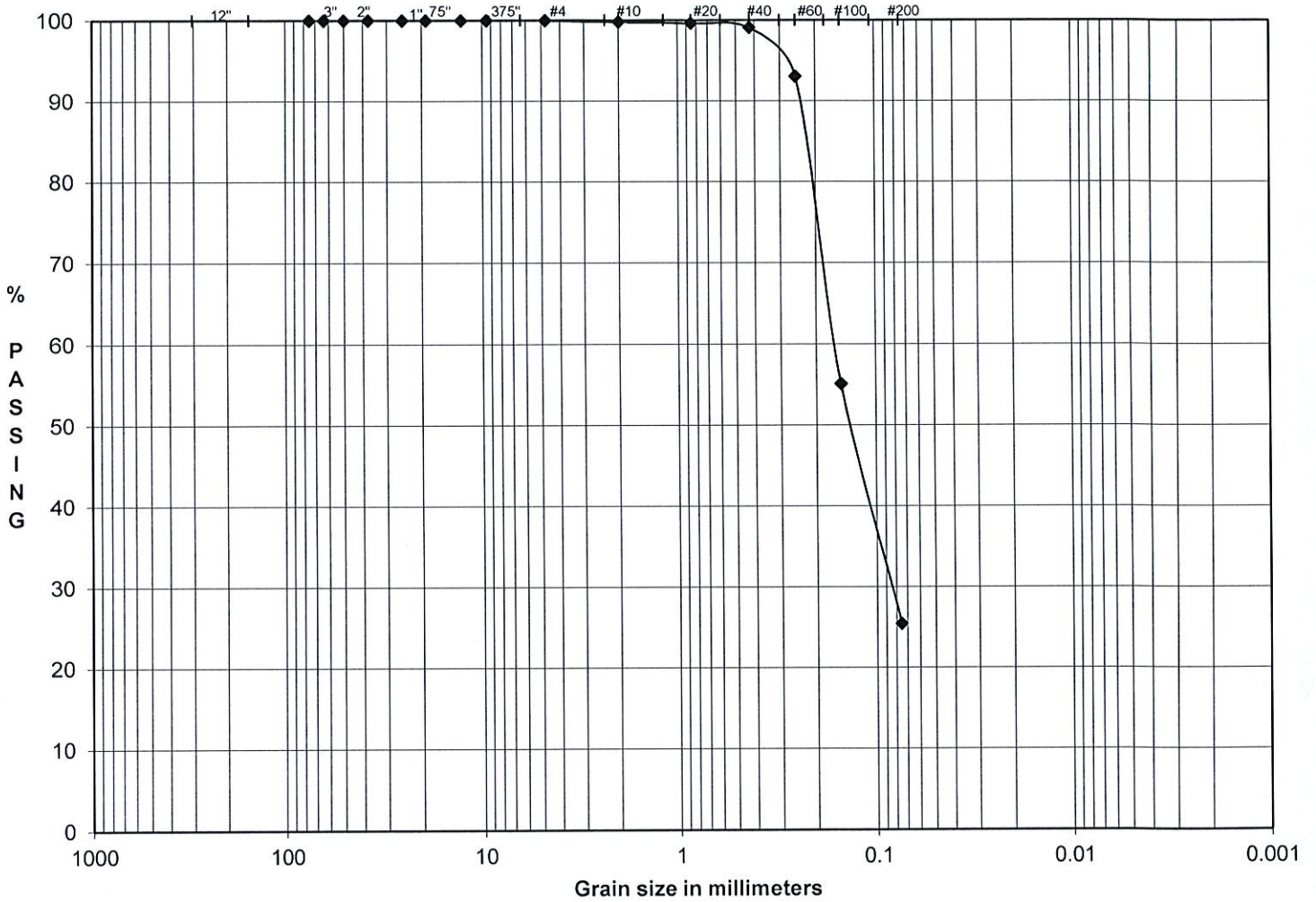
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\* material finer than #4 sieve corrected for hygroscopic moisture.

**PARTICLE SIZE DISTRIBUTION ASTM D 421 AND D 422  
US STANDARD SIEVE OPENING SIZES**



		Coarse	Fine	Cor	Med	Fine	SILT OR CLAY
<b>Boulders</b>	<b>Cobbles</b>	<b>GRAVEL</b>			<b>SAND</b>		<b>FINES</b>
	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.20	0.71	73.62	25.41
		0.00		74.54			

SAMPLE ID	B-4
SAMPLE TYPE	Jar
SAMPLE DEPTH	28.5'-30.0'

LL	-
PL	-
PI	-

VISUAL DESCRIPTION Light brown, SILTY SAND

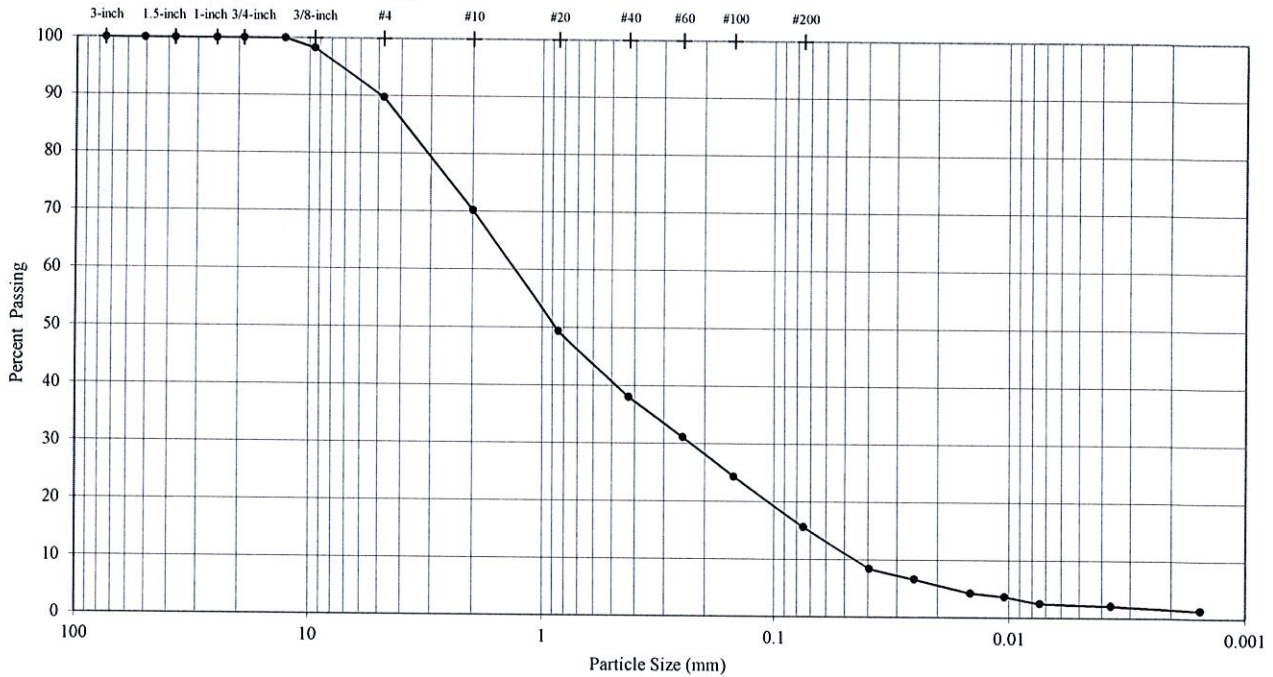
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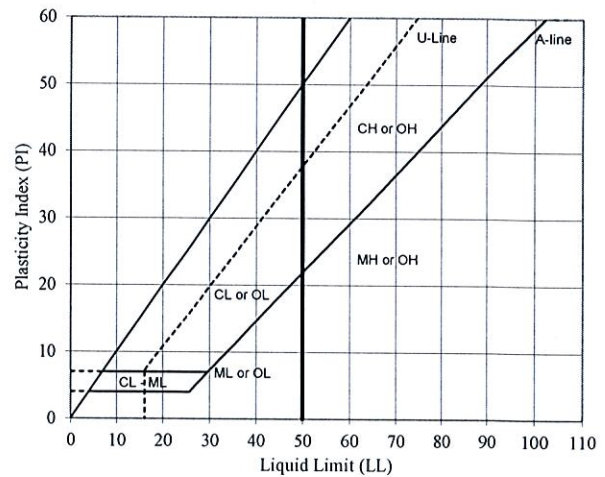
## PARTICLE SIZE DISTRIBUTION & ATTERBERG LIMITS ASTM D421, D422, D4318

PROJECT NAME: **D.E. Karn**  
 SAMPLE ID: **B-5**  
 TYPE: **Jar**

DEPTH (ft): **13.5-15.0**



Sieve	Particle Size (mm)	% Passing	Description	Percentage
3-inch	75.0	100.0	Cobbles	0.00
2-inch	50.8	100.0	Coarse Gravel	0.00
1.5-inch	37.5	100.0		
1-inch	25.0	100.0		
3/4-inch	19.0	100.0		
1/2-inch	12.7	100.0	Fine Gravel	10.26
3/8-inch	9.5	98.3		
#4	4.75	89.7	Coarse Sand	19.58
#10	2.0	70.2		
#20	0.85	49.4		
#40	0.425	38.1	Medium Sand	32.10
#60	0.25	31.1		
#100	0.15	24.3	Fine Sand	22.41
#200	0.075	15.6		
	0.040	8.5		
	0.025	6.7		
	0.015	4.3		
	0.010	3.7		
	0.007	2.5		
	0.004	2.1		
	0.002	1.4		



Visual Description:

Very dark grayish brown, BOTTOM ASH

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As-Received Moisture Content (%)  
24.8

USCS Group Symbol  
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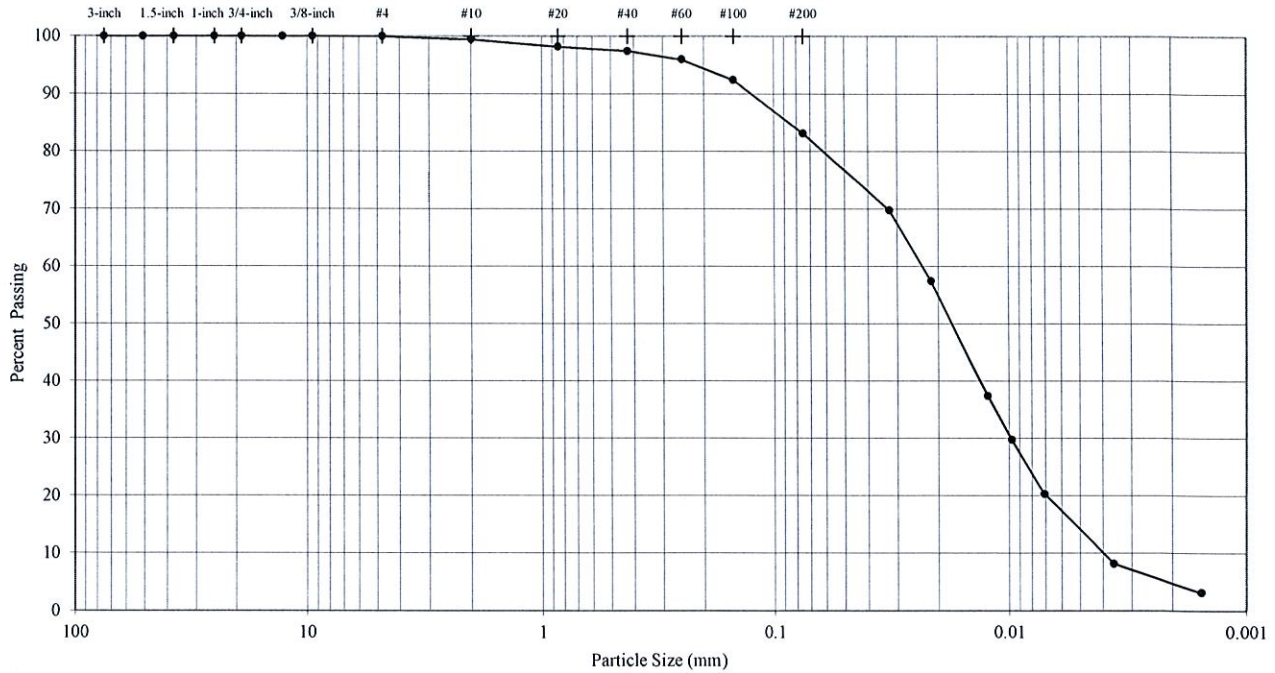
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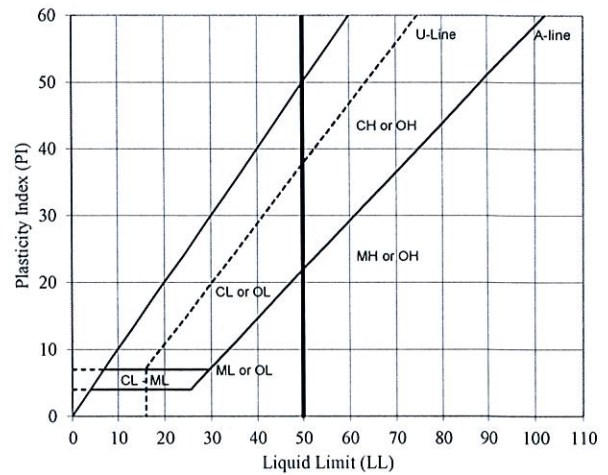
### PARTICLE SIZE DISTRIBUTION & ATTERBERG LIMITS ASTM D421, D422, D4318

PROJECT NAME: **D.E. Karn**  
 SAMPLE ID: **B-5**  
 TYPE: **Jar**

DEPTH (ft): **18.5-20.0**



Sieve	Particle Size (mm)	% Passing	Description	Percentage
3-inch	75.0	100.0	Cobbles	0.00
2-inch	50.8	100.0	Coarse Gravel	0.00
1.5-inch	37.5	100.0		
1-inch	25.0	100.0		
3/4-inch	19.0	100.0		
1/2-inch	12.7	100.0		
3/8-inch	9.5	100.0	Fine Gravel	0.00
#4	4.75	100.0		
#10	2.0	99.4	Coarse Sand	0.55
#20	0.85	98.2	Medium Sand	2.01
#40	0.425	97.4		
#60	0.25	96.0	Fine Sand	14.28
#100	0.15	92.4		
#200	0.075	83.2		
Hydrometer Analysis	0.032	69.8	Silt or Clay Fines	83.16
	0.022	57.4		
	0.012	37.4		
	0.010	29.7		
	0.007	20.3		
	0.004	8.2		
	0.002	3.2		



Visual Description:  
 Dark gray, FLY ASH

LL	PL	PI	LI
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As-Received Moisture Content (%)  
**58.4**

USCS Group Symbol  
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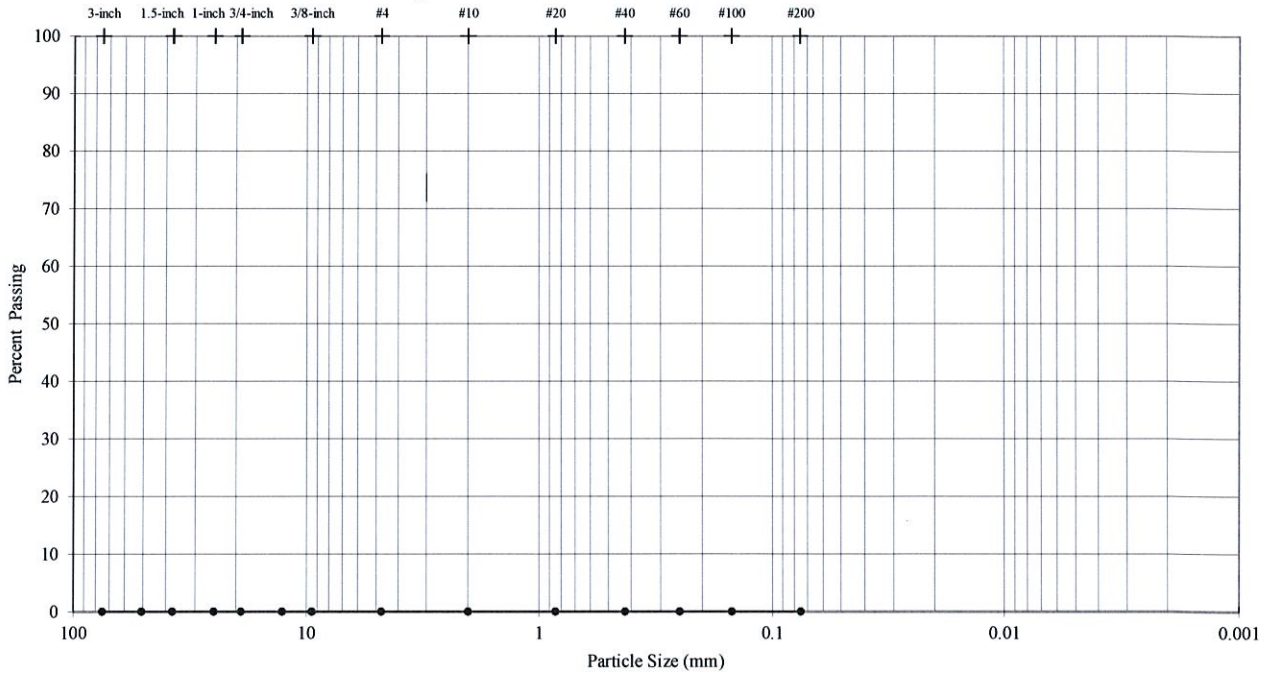
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 (2) Sample prepared for Atterberg Limits testing by the dry method. Material retained on No. 40 sieve removed from Atterberg Limits sample by dry sieving. Plastic Limit test performed by hand rolling. Method A Liquid Limit test performed using manual device.

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**PARTICLE SIZE DISTRIBUTION & ATTERBERG LIMITS (WET)  
ASTM D421, D422, D4318**

PROJECT NAME: **D.E. Karn**  
 SAMPLE ID: **B-5**  
 TYPE: **Bag**

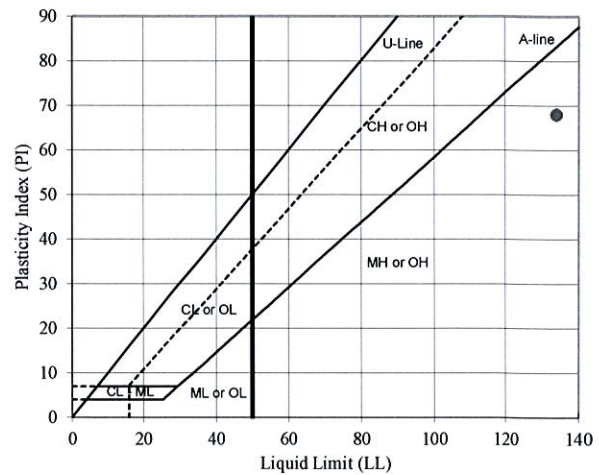
DEPTH (ft): **33.5-35.0**



Sieve	Particle Size	% Passing	Description	Percentage
	(mm)			
3-inch	75.0	-	Cobbles	-
2-inch	50.8	-	Coarse Gravel	-
1.5-inch	37.5	-		
1-inch	25.0	-		
3/4-inch	19.0	-		
1/2-inch	12.7	-	Fine Gravel	-
3/8-inch	9.5	-		
#4	4.75	-		
#10	2.0	-	Coarse Sand	-
#20	0.85	-	Medium Sand	-
#40	0.425	-		
#60	0.25	-	Fine Sand	-
#100	0.15	-		
#200	0.075	-		
			Silt or Clay Fines	-

Sieve Analysis  
(Initial Separation on No. 4 Sieve)

Hydrometer Analysis



USCS Description (ASTM D 2487):

Very dark gray, PEAT

LL	PL	PI	LI
134	66	68	0.76

As-Received Moisture Content (%)

117.5

USCS Group Symbol

PT

- Notes: (1) Particle size analysis sample Mechanically dispersed using Stirring Apparatus A for about 1 Minute.  
 (2) Sample prepared for Atterberg Limits testing by the dry method. Material retained on No. 40 sieve removed from Atterberg Limits sample by dry sieving. Plastic Limit test performed by hand rolling. Method A Liquid Limit test performed using manual device.

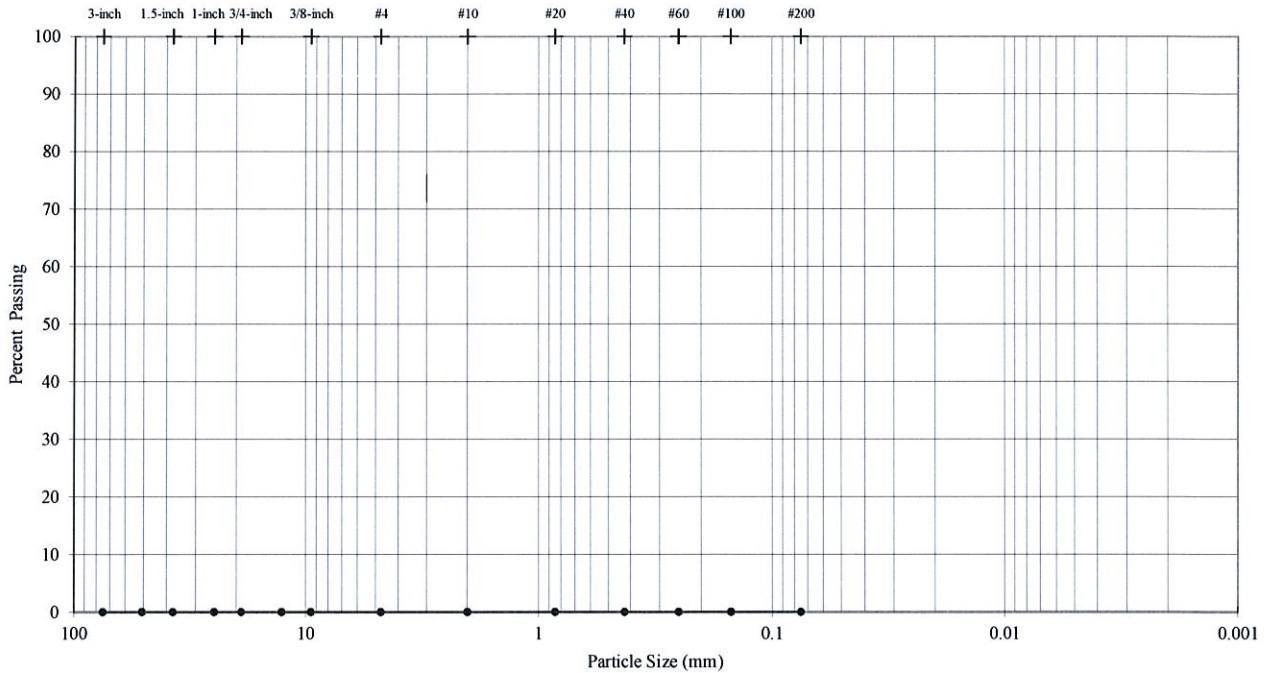
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### PARTICLE SIZE DISTRIBUTION & ATTERBERG LIMITS (WET)

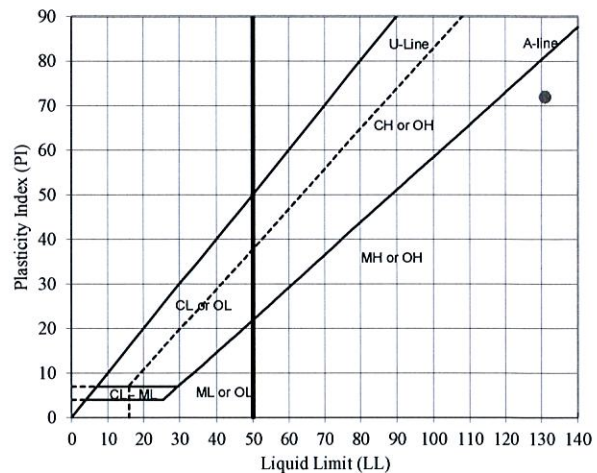
#### ASTM D421, D422, D4318

PROJECT NAME: **D.E. Karn**  
 SAMPLE ID: **B-5 ST-1**  
 TYPE: **Tube**

DEPTH (ft): **35.0-35.5**



	Particle Size		Description	Percentage
	Sieve	(mm)		
Sieve Analysis (Initial Separation on No. 4 Sieve)	3-inch	75.0	Cobbles	-
	2-inch	50.8	Coarse Gravel	-
	1.5-inch	37.5		
	1-inch	25.0		
	3/4-inch	19.0	Fine Gravel	-
	1/2-inch	12.7		
	3/8-inch	9.5		
Hydrometer Analysis	#4	4.75	Coarse Sand	-
	#10	2.0		
	#20	0.85	Medium Sand	-
	#40	0.425		
	#60	0.25	Fine Sand	-
	#100	0.15		
	#200	0.075		
	-	-	Silt or Clay Fines	-
	-	-		
	-	-		
-	-			
-	-			



USCS Description (ASTM D 2487):

Black, PEAT

LL	PL	PI	LI
131	59	72	0.40

As-Received Moisture Content (%)

87.7

USCS Group Symbol

PT

- Notes: (1) Particle size analysis sample Mechanically dispersed using Stirring Apparatus A for about 1 Minute.  
 (2) Sample prepared for Atterberg Limits testing by the dry method. Material retained on No. 40 sieve removed from Atterberg Limits sample by dry sieving. Plastic Limit test performed by hand rolling. Method A Liquid Limit test performed using manual device.

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DATE	3/13/2015
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REVIEW	EJD

## SPECIFIC GRAVITY OF SOIL SOLIDS

ASTM D 854

**PROJECT NAME: D.E. Karn**  
**PROJECT NUMBER: 152-4652**  
**SAMPLE ID: B-5 ST-1**  
**SAMPLE TYPE: Tube**

**SAMPLE DEPTH (ft): 35.0-35.5**

### SAMPLE PREPARATION

Wet (A) or Dry (B) B

% Passing #4 Sieve #DIV/0!

### SAMPLE DESCRIPTION

Black, PEAT

### NOTES

### CALCULATIONS

Test Temperature, $T_t$	18.5	°C
Density of Water @ $T_t$	0.99850	g/mL
Pycnometer Number	10	
Mass of Pycnometer, Water, & Soil ( $M_{pws} @ T_t$ )	383.98	g
Mass of Pycnometer & Water ( $M_{pw} @ T_t$ )	362.75	g
Mass of Dish & Dry Soil	404.43	g
Mass of Dish	367.99	g
Mass of Oven Dry Soil ( $M_s$ )	36.44	g
Specific Gravity ( $G_s @ T_t$ )	2.40	
Temperature coefficient (K)	1.00030	
Specific Gravity ( $G_s @ 20\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ )	2.40	

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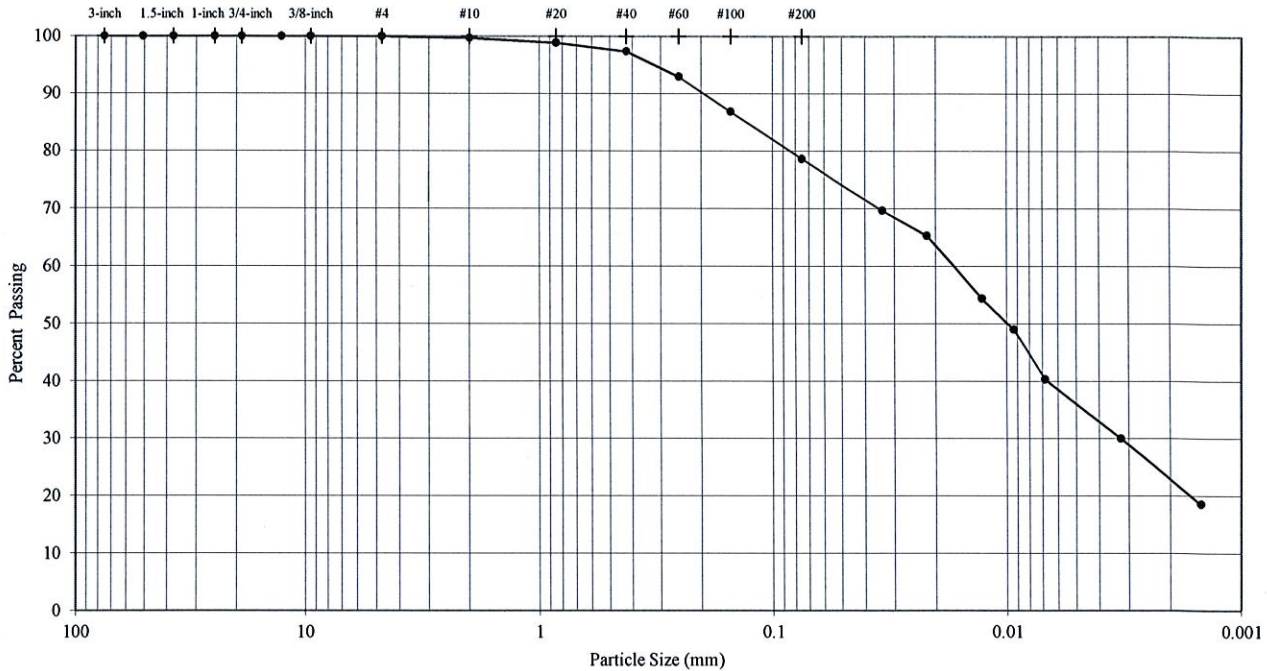
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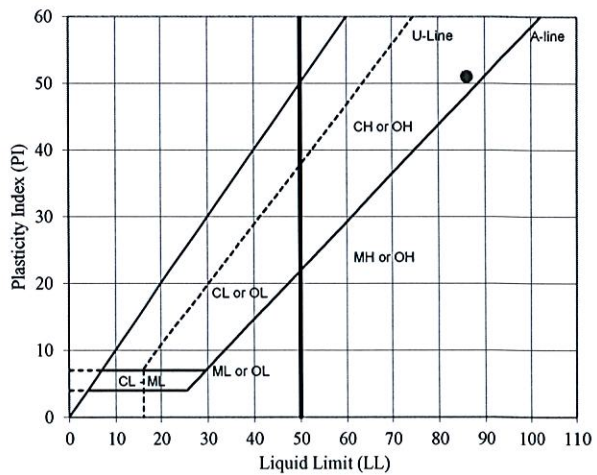
**PARTICLE SIZE DISTRIBUTION & ATTERBERG LIMITS (WET)  
ASTM D421, D422, D4318**

PROJECT NAME: **D.E. Karn**  
 SAMPLE ID: **B-5 ST-1**  
 TYPE: **Tube**

DEPTH (ft): **35.5-36.0**



Sieve	Particle Size (mm)	% Passing	Description	Percentage
3-inch	75.0	100.0	Cobbles	0.00
2-inch	50.8	100.0	Coarse Gravel	0.00
1.5-inch	37.5	100.0		
1-inch	25.0	100.0		
3/4-inch	19.0	100.0		
1/2-inch	12.7	100.0		
3/8-inch	9.5	100.0	Fine Gravel	0.00
#4	4.75	100.0		
#10	2.0	99.7		
#20	0.85	98.9	Coarse Sand	0.28
#40	0.425	97.4		
#60	0.25	93.0	Medium Sand	2.36
#100	0.15	86.8		
#200	0.075	78.6		
	0.034	69.6	Silt or Clay Fines	78.63
	0.022	65.3		
	0.013	54.4		
	0.009	49.0		
	0.007	40.4		
	0.003	30.0		
	0.001	18.6		



USCS Description (ASTM D 2487):  
**Dark grayish brown, ORGANIC CLAY WITH SAND**

LL	PL	PI	LI
86	35	51	0.14

As-Received Moisture Content (%)  
**42.3**

USCS Group Symbol  
**OH**

Notes: (1) Particle size analysis sample Mechanically dispersed using Stirring Apparatus A for about 1 Minute.  
 (2) Sample prepared for Atterberg Limits testing by the dry method. Material retained on No. 40 sieve removed from Atterberg Limits sample by dry sieving. Plastic Limit test performed by hand rolling. Method A Liquid Limit test performed using manual device.

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USCS Description (ASTM D 2487):

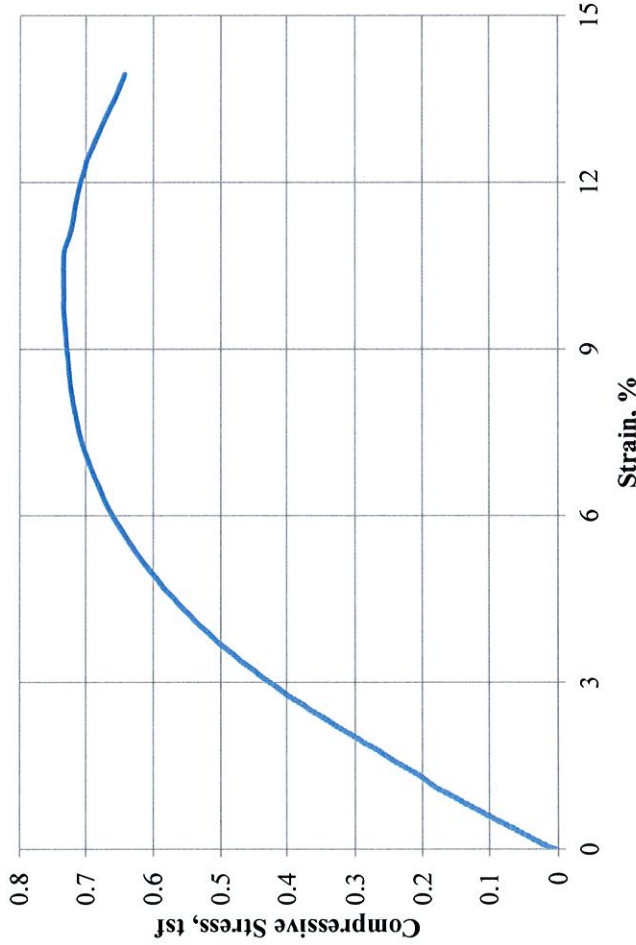
(OH) Dark grayish brown. ORGANIC CLAY WITH SAND

Sample Data

Average Height = 6.144 in  
 Average Diameter = 2.830 in  
 Height to Diameter Ratio = 2.17 H:D  
 Water Content = 67.7 %  
 Initial Dry Unit Weight = 58.3 pcf  
 Saturation = 103.5 %

Unconfined Compressive Strength = 0.73 tsf  
 Shear Strength = 0.37 tsf  
 Strain at Failure = 10.5 %

Picture of Failed Specimen:



Notes

Water content evaluated using trimmings from the specimen after shear. Specimen tested was intact. Average rate of strain was 1%/min.

Title:

UNCONFINED COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH  
 ASTM D2166  
 TEST RESULTS



Golder Associates Inc.

Project Name:

D.E. Karn

Sample ID:

B-5 ST-1 35'-37'

Depth:

35.5-36 ft

Job Number:

1524652

Date:

10/30/2014

Checked:

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Reviewed:

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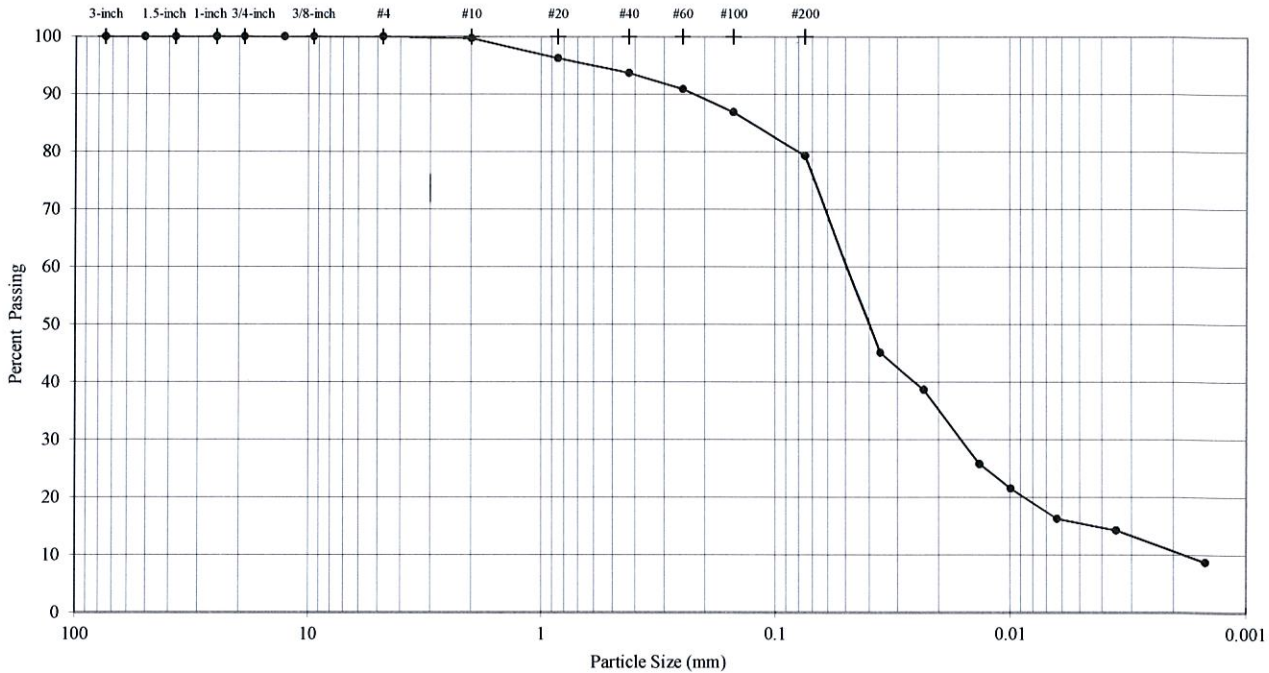
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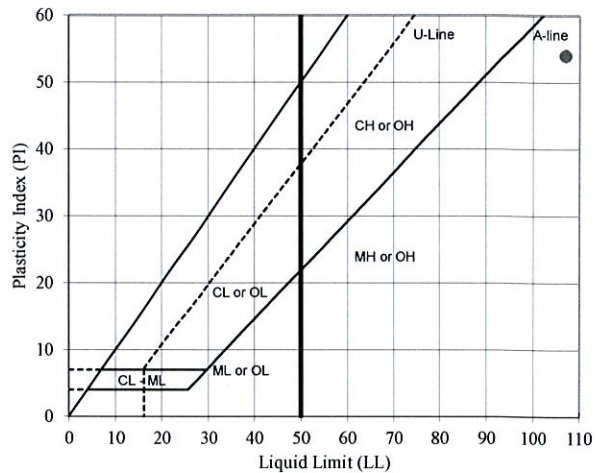
**PARTICLE SIZE DISTRIBUTION & ATTERBERG LIMITS WET  
ASTM D421, D422, D4318**

PROJECT NAME: **D.E. Karn**  
 SAMPLE ID: **B-4 ST-1**  
 TYPE: **Tube**

DEPTH (ft): **24.0-26.0**



	Particle Size		Description	Percentage	
	Sieve	(mm)			
Sieve Analysis (Initial Separation on No. 4 Sieve)	3-inch	75.0	Cobbles	0.00	
	2-inch	50.8	Coarse Gravel	0.00	
	1.5-inch	37.5			
	1-inch	25.0			
	3/4-inch	19.0	Fine Gravel	0.00	
	1/2-inch	12.7			
	3/8-inch	9.5			
Hydrometer Analysis	#4	4.75	100.0	Coarse Sand	0.28
	#10	2.0	99.7		
	#20	0.85	96.2	Medium Sand	6.03
	#40	0.425	93.7		
	#60	0.25	90.9	Fine Sand	14.40
	#100	0.15	86.9		
	#200	0.075	79.3		
		0.036	45.1	Silt or Clay Fines	79.28
		0.023	38.7		
		0.013	25.8		
	0.010	21.5			
	0.006	16.3			
	0.003	14.3			
	0.001	8.7			



USCS Description (ASTM D 2487):  
**Dark brown, ORGANIC CLAY WITH SAND**

LL	PL	PI	LI
107	53	54	0.19

As-Received Moisture Content (%)  
**63.4**

USCS Group Symbol  
**OH**

- Notes: (1) Particle size analysis sample Mechanically dispersed using Stirring Apparatus A for about 1 Minute.  
 (2) Sample prepared for Atterberg Limits testing by the dry method. Material retained on No. 40 sieve removed from Atterberg Limits sample by dry sieving. Plastic Limit test performed by hand rolling. Method A Liquid Limit test performed using manual device.

TECH	HD
DATE	3/17/2015
CHECK	<i>BS</i>
REVIEW	<i>LDP</i>

## SPECIFIC GRAVITY OF SOIL SOLIDS

ASTM D 854

**PROJECT NAME: D.E. Karn**  
**PROJECT NUMBER: 152-4652**  
**SAMPLE ID: B-4 ST-1**  
**SAMPLE TYPE: Tube**

**SAMPLE DEPTH (ft): 24.0-26.0**

### SAMPLE PREPARATION

Wet (A) or Dry (B)	B
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% Passing #4 Sieve	100.0
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#### SAMPLE DESCRIPTION

Dark brown, ORGANIC CLAY WITH SAND
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#### NOTES

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### CALCULATIONS

Test Temperature, $T_1$	18.5	°C
Density of Water @ $T_1$	0.99850	g/mL
Pycnometer Number	3	
Mass of Pycnometer, Water, & Soil ( $M_{pws} @ T_1$ )	371.76	g
Mass of Pycnometer & Water ( $M_{pw} @ T_1$ )	350.95	g
Mass of Dish & Dry Soil	350.49	g
Mass of Dish	314.86	g
Mass of Oven Dry Soil ( $M_s$ )	35.63	g
Specific Gravity ( $G_s @ T_1$ )	2.40	
Temperature coefficient (K)	1.00030	
Specific Gravity ( $G_s @ 20\text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ )	2.40	

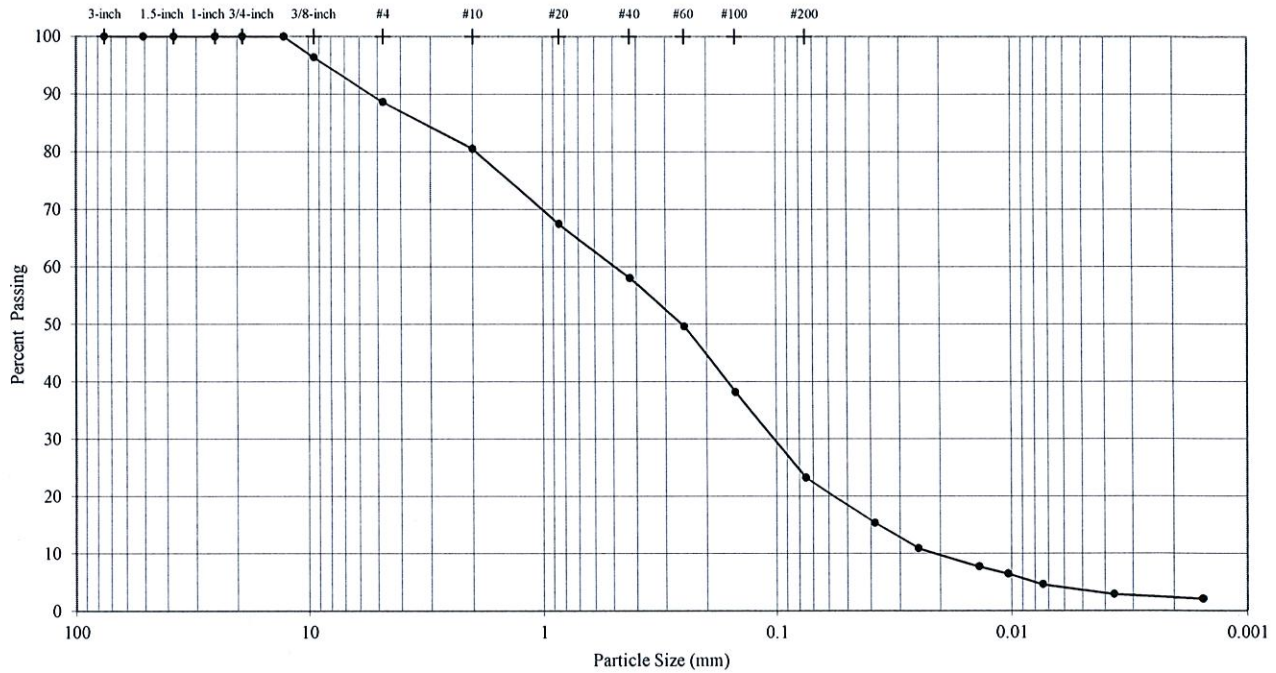
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**PARTICLE SIZE DISTRIBUTION & ATTERBERG LIMITS  
ASTM D421, D422, D4318**

PROJECT NAME: **D.E. Karn**  
 SAMPLE ID: **B-9**  
 TYPE: **Jar**

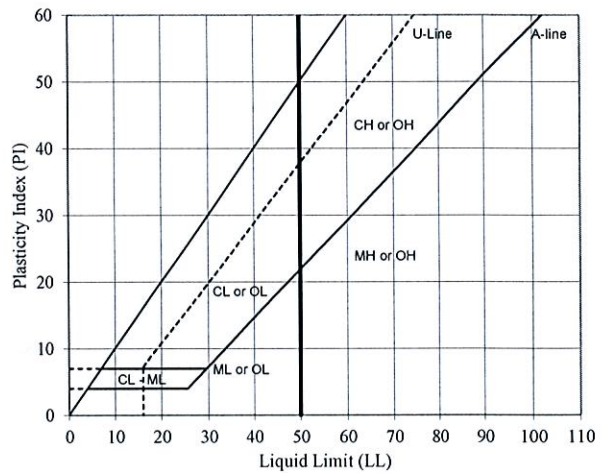
DEPTH (ft): **8.5-10.0**



Sieve	Particle Size	% Passing	Description	Percentage	
	(mm)				
3-inch	75.0	100.0	Cobbles	0.00	
2-inch	50.8	100.0	Coarse Gravel	0.00	
1.5-inch	37.5	100.0			
1-inch	25.0	100.0			
3/4-inch	19.0	100.0			
1/2-inch	12.7	100.0	Fine Gravel	11.36	
3/8-inch	9.5	96.4			
#4	4.75	88.6	Coarse Sand	8.09	
#10	2.0	80.6			
#20	0.85	67.5	Medium Sand	22.51	
#40	0.425	58.0			
#60	0.25	49.6	Fine Sand	34.81	
#100	0.15	38.2			
#200	0.075	23.2			
		0.038	Silt or Clay Fines	23.23	
		0.025			
		0.014			
		0.010			
		0.007			
		0.004			
		0.002			

Sieve Analysis  
(Initial Separation on No. 4 Sieve)

Hydrometer Analysis



Visual Description:

Very dark gray, BOTTOM ASH

LL	PL	PI	LI
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As-Received Moisture Content (%)  
57.0

USCS Group Symbol  
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Notes: (1) Particle size analysis sample Mechanically dispersed using Stirring Apparatus A for about 1 Minute.  
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**ORGANIC CONTENT**  
**ASTM D2974, METHOD C**

JOB NAME: D.E. Karn

DATE: March-15

JOB NUMBER: 152-4652

TECH: TDS

REVIEW: 

**MOISTURE CONTENT DETERMINATION**

sample #	B-2	B-4	B-4	B-5	B-5	B-7
depth (ft)	33.5-35.0	21.5-23.0	24.0-26.0	33.5-35.0	35.5-36.0	18.5-20.0
tare #	1	2	2	3	1	4
wt wet soil & tare (g)	181.14	169.55	165.85	172.19	178.12	162.52
wt dry soil & tare (g)	142.41	131.44	141.00	124.70	175.37	116.05
wt tare (g)	80.82	81.93	81.92	83.69	83.69	79.89
wt lost (g)	38.73	38.11	24.85	47.49	2.75	46.47
wt soil, dry (g)	61.59	49.51	59.08	41.01	91.68	36.16
% moisture	<b>62.9%</b>	<b>77.0%</b>	<b>42.1%</b>	<b>115.8%</b>	<b>3.0%</b>	<b>128.5%</b>

**ASH & ORGANIC CONTENT DETERMINATION**

wt soil & tare, dry (g)	142.41	131.44	141.00	124.70	175.37	116.05
wt soil & tare, burnt (g)	137.16	125.71	132.77	116.90	168.00	108.93
wt tare (g)	80.82	81.93	81.92	83.69	83.69	79.89
wt lost (g)	5.25	5.73	8.23	7.80	7.37	7.12
wt soil, dry (g)	61.59	49.51	59.08	41.01	91.68	36.16
% ash	<b>91.5%</b>	<b>88.4%</b>	<b>86.1%</b>	<b>81.0%</b>	<b>92.0%</b>	<b>80.3%</b>
% Volatile organics	<b>8.5%</b>	<b>11.6%</b>	<b>13.9%</b>	<b>19.0%</b>	<b>8.0%</b>	<b>19.7%</b>

Note: Gravel removed from test specimen prior to moisture content determination  
 Furnace temperature for ash content determination was approximately 450° C

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## MOISTURE CONTENT DETERMINATIONS

Project Number  
Project Name

152-4652
D.E. Karn Bottom Ash Tank

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<i>GRS</i>

Borehole Number	Sample Depth (ft)	Sample Number	Wt. of Wet Soil & Tare (g)	Wt. of Dry Soil & Tare (g)	Weight of Tare (g)	Weight of Water (g)	Weight of Dry Soil (g)	Water Content (%)
B-1	3.5-5.0	-	62.92	50.44	13.51	12.48	36.93	33.8
B-1	14.5-14.9	-	54.49	39.65	13.71	14.84	25.94	57.2
B-1	24.5-25.0	-	69.40	61.57	13.82	7.83	47.75	16.4
B-1	28.5-30.0	-	66.12	55.88	13.64	10.24	42.24	24.2
B-1	33.5-35.0	-	72.20	62.65	13.52	9.55	49.13	19.4
B-2	3.5-5.0	-	33.11	28.30	14.76	4.81	13.54	35.5
B-2	8.5-10.0	-	35.31	30.93	13.46	4.38	17.47	25.1
B-2	13.5-14.5	-	50.47	38.78	14.82	11.69	23.96	48.8
B-2	14.5-15.0	-	43.71	25.70	13.56	18.01	12.14	148.4
B-2	21.0-22.5	-	67.67	57.29	14.85	10.38	42.44	24.5
B-2	23.5-24.0	-	78.54	61.05	13.59	17.49	47.46	36.9
B-2	28.5-30.0	-	95.85	82.67	13.72	13.18	68.95	19.1
B-2	33.5-35.0	-	43.66	31.80	13.76	11.86	18.04	65.7
B-2	35.0-35.5	-	82.36	71.98	13.75	10.38	58.23	17.8
B-3	1.0-2.5	-	45.99	39.80	13.73	6.19	26.07	23.7
B-3	3.5-5.0	-	75.31	68.24	13.79	7.07	54.45	13.0
B-3	8.5-10.0	-	105.35	87.44	13.67	17.91	73.77	24.3
B-3	13.5-15.0	-	53.81	44.51	13.74	9.30	30.77	30.2
B-3	18.5-20.0	-	63.33	53.68	14.97	9.65	38.71	24.9
B-3	23.5-25.0	-	51.22	43.28	13.53	7.94	29.75	26.7
B-4	1.0-2.5	-	74.39	66.43	13.61	7.96	52.82	15.1
B-4	3.5-5.0	-	63.68	57.87	13.83	5.81	44.04	13.2
B-4	8.5-10.0	-	72.15	64.87	13.86	7.28	51.01	14.3
B-4	13.5-15.0	-	58.99	51.15	14.73	7.84	36.42	21.5
B-4	18.5-20.0	-	57.56	49.84	13.86	7.72	35.98	21.5
B-4	20.0-21.5	-	62.73	51.94	13.59	10.79	38.35	28.1
B-4	33.5-35.0	-	54.38	47.71	13.72	6.67	33.99	19.6
B-5	1.0-2.5	-	39.38	35.87	13.60	3.51	22.27	15.8
B-5	3.5-5.0	-	42.57	37.40	13.69	5.17	23.71	21.8
B-5	6.0-7.5	-	36.45	30.87	13.50	5.58	17.37	32.1
B-5	9.5-10.0	-	43.22	31.18	13.71	12.04	17.47	68.9
B-5	12.0-15.5	-	36.45	30.87	13.50	5.58	17.37	32.1
B-5	23.5-25.0	-	64.61	49.50	13.86	15.11	35.64	42.4
B-5	28.3-29.5	-	48.11	38.45	13.86	9.66	24.59	39.3
B-5	29.5-30.0	-	45.83	39.48	14.80	6.35	24.68	25.7
B-5	33.5-35.0	-	36.36	25.99	13.60	10.37	12.39	83.7
B-5	37.5-39.0	-	43.49	39.14	13.71	4.35	25.43	17.1
B-6	3.5-5.0	-	42.52	38.81	13.74	3.71	25.07	14.8
B-6	8.5-10.0	-	40.60	37.17	13.56	3.43	23.61	14.5
B-6	13.5-15.0	-	46.72	42.61	13.62	4.11	28.99	14.2
B-6	18.5-20.0	-	46.96	40.02	13.60	6.94	26.42	26.3

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