

# VSP Preliminary Data Sheet

Date: 7 AUG 2000 Type of Phones 0170

1. Well Name Den 21K

2. Location of Well

X= 0 Y= 0 Z= 0

Casing Elevation: +0.35m

3. Depth to top of water table (measured from CE) NO Water

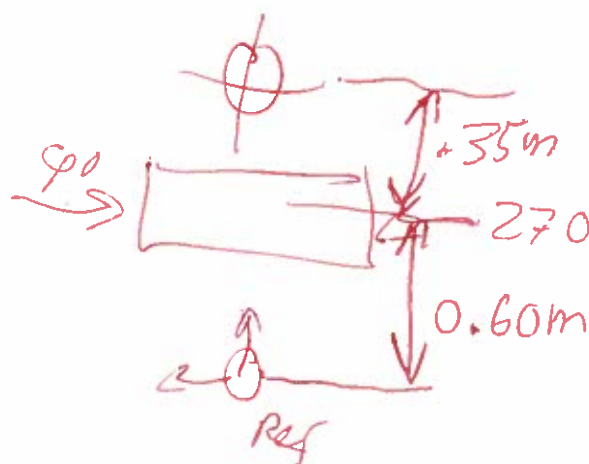
4. Casing Elevation, distance above ground level= 0.35m

5. Reference phone offset from borehole= 0.95m

6. Reference phone depth below ground level= 0.

7. Source Offset from borehole= 0.35m

8. Sketch of setup:



7.784m T/D  
(+1.02m)



9. Blue Box switch settings:

Channel	Component
<u>1</u>	Vertical
<u>2</u>	Longitudinal (radial)
<u>3</u>	Transverse

# BSU GEOPHYSICS VSP OBSERVER'S LOG

Coordinate System Origin at Borehole  
 Casing Elevation: 0.35 m above G.L.  
 Azimuth x-axis: 90  
 Azimuth y-axis: 0  
 Well Coord: X= 0 Y= -0.95 Z= 0 m  
 Channel Configuration: V=Channel 1 R=Channel 2 T=Channel 3  
 Reference Phone V=Channel 4 R=Channel 5 T=Channel 6  
 Ref. Polarization: V 0 R 0 T 270 Az 0 Vert. 0  
 Offset: 0.95 m  
 Azimuth 0 m below G.L.  
 X= 0 Y= -0.95 Z= 0 m  
 Date: 7 AUG 2003 Location: ARS Sand & Gravel Quarry, Denver 21C Field Doc  
 High-Cut 2000 Low-Cut 4 Sample Int. 0.1 ms Number Samples 5000

Shot		Borehole Phone			Source			Source Polarization		
Rec.	File	Depth	Elev.	Offset	Azimuth	Elev.	X	Y	Azimuth	Vertical
1		8.25					0	-0.35	270	135°
2		8.25							90	155°
3		8.00							270	
4		8.00							90	
5		7.75								
6		7.75								
7		7.50								
8		7.50								
9		7.25								
10		7.25								

# BSU GEOPHYSICS VSP OBSERVER'S LOG

Coordinate System Origin at Borehole  
 Casing Elevation: 0.35 m above G.L.  
 Azimuth x-axis: 90  
 Azimuth y-axis: 0  
 Well Coord: X=        Y=        Z=         
 Channel Borehole Phone Reference Phone  
 Configuration: V=Channel 1 V=Channel 4  
 R=Channel 2 R=Channel 5  
 T=Channel 3 T=Channel 6  
 Ref. Polarization: V 0 Az 0 Vert. 0  
 X= 0 m below G.L.  
 Y= -0.95 m  
 R 0  
 T 270

Date: 7 AUG 2000 Location: ARS DENVER CK  
 High-Cut 2000 Low-Cut 4 Sample Int. 0.1 ms Number Samples 5000

Shot		Borehole Phone			Source			Source Polarization		
Rec.	File	Depth	Elev.	Offset	Azimuth	Elev.	X	Y	Azimuth	Vertical
<u>11</u>		<u>7.0</u>					<u>0</u>	<u>-0.35</u>	<u>270</u>	<u>135</u>
<u>12</u>		<u>7.0</u>							<u>90</u>	
<u>13</u>		<u>6.75</u>								
<u>14</u>		<u>6.75</u>								
<u>15</u>		<u>6.50</u>								
<u>16</u>		<u>6.50</u>								
<u>17</u>		<u>6.25</u>								
<u>18</u>		<u>6.25</u>								
<u>19</u>		<u>6.00</u>								
<u>20</u>		<u>6.00</u>								<u>0</u>

# BSU GEOPHYSICS VSP OBSERVER'S LOG

Coordinate System Origin at Borehole  
 Casing Elevation: 33 m above G.L.  
 Azimuth x-axis: 90  
 Azimuth y-axis: 0  
 Well Coord: X = 0 Y = 0 Z = 0  
 Channel  
 Configuration: Borehole Phone Reference Phone  
 V=Channel 1 V=Channel 4  
 R=Channel 2 R=Channel 5  
 T=Channel 3 T=Channel 6  
 Ref. Polarization: Az 0 Vert. 0  
 V 0 R 90 T 90

Date: 7 AUG 2000 Location: ARS DENVER 2K  
 High-Cut 2000 Low-Cut 4 HZ Sample Int. 0.1 ms Number Samples 5000

Shot		Borehole Phone			Source			Source Polarization		
Rec.	File	Depth	Elev.	Offset	Azimuth	Elev.	X	Y	Azimuth	Vertical
<u>21</u>		<u>5.75</u>					<u>0</u>	<u>-0.35</u>	<u>270</u>	<u>135</u>
<u>22</u>		<u>5.75</u>							<u>90</u>	<u>135</u>
<u>23</u>		<u>5.50</u>								
<u>24</u>		<u>5.50</u>								
<u>25</u>		<u>5.25</u>								
<u>26</u>		<u>5.25</u>								
<u>27</u>		<u>5.00</u>								
<u>28</u>		<u>5.00</u>								
<u>29</u>		<u>4.75</u>								
<u>30</u>		<u>4.75</u>								

clipped  
 21-42

# BSU GEOPHYSICS VSP OBSERVER'S LOG

Coordinate System Origin at Borehole  
 Casing Elevation: 35 m above G.L.  
 Azimuth x-axis: 90  
 Azimuth y-axis: 0  
 Well Cord: X=      Y=      Z=       
 Channel Borehole Phone Reference Phone  
 V=Channel 1 V=Channel 4  
 R=Channel 2 R=Channel 5  
 T=Channel 3 T=Channel 6  
 Ref. Polarization: Az 0 Vert. 0  
 V 0 R 90 T 90

Date: 2 AUG 2000 Location: ARS  
 High-Cut 2000 Low-Cut 4 Sample Int. 0.1 ms Number Samples 5000

Shot		Borehole Phone			Source			Source Polarization		
Rec.	File	Depth	Elev.	Offset	Offset	Azimuth	Elev.	X	Y	Vertical
<u>31</u>		<u>4.50</u>						<u>0</u>	<u>-35</u>	
<u>32</u>		<u>4.50</u>								
<u>33</u>		<u>4.25</u>								
<u>34</u>		<u>4.25</u>								
<u>35</u>		<u>4.80</u>								
<u>36</u>		<u>4.00</u>								
<u>37</u>		<u>3.75</u>								
<u>38</u>		<u>3.75</u>								
<u>39</u>		<u>3.50</u>								
<u>40</u>		<u>3.50</u>								

# BSU GEOPHYSICS VSP OBSERVER'S LOG

Coordinate System Origin at Borehole  
 Casing Elevation: 7.35 m above G.L.  
 Azimuth x-axis: 90  
 Azimuth y-axis: 0  
 Well Coord: X = 0 Y = -95 Z = 0 m  
 Channel Configuration: V=Channel 1 R=Channel 2 T=Channel 3  
 Reference Phone: V=Channel 4 R=Channel 5 T=Channel 6  
 Offset: 0 m  
 Elev.: 0 m below G.L.  
 Ref. Polarization: Az 0 V 0 R 0 T 90  
 Vert. 90

Date: 7 AUG 2000 Location: ARS  
 High-Cut 2000 Low-Cut 4 Sample Int. 0.1ms Number Samples 5000

Shot		Borehole Phone			Source			Source Polarization		
Rec.	File	Depth	Elev.	Offset	Azimuth	Elev.	X	Y	Azimuth	Vertical
41		3.25					0	-0.35	270°	135°
42		3.25							90°	135°
43		3.00								
44		3.00								
45		2.75								
46		2.75								
47		2.50								
48		2.50								
49		2.25								
50		2.25								

# BSU GEOPHYSICS VSP OBSERVER'S LOG

Coordinate System Origin at Borehole  
 Casing Elevation: +3.35 m above G.L.  
 Azimuth x-axis: 90  
 Azimuth y-axis: 90  
 Well Coord: X= 0 Y= -1.95 Z= 0 m  
 Channel Configuration: V=Channel 1 R=Channel 2 T=Channel 3  
 Reference Phone: V=Channel 4 R=Channel 5 T=Channel 6  
 Ref. Polarization: Az 0 V 0 R 90 T 90  
 Date: 7 AUG 2000 Location: ARS  
 High-Cut 7000 Low-Cut 4 Sample Int. 0.1 m.s Number Samples 5000

Shot		Borehole Phone			Source			Source Polarization		
Rec.	File	Depth	Elev.	Offset	Azimuth	Elev.	X	Y	Azimuth	Vertical
51		2.00					0	-1.35	270°	135°
52		2.00							90°	138°
53		1.75								
54		1.75								
55		1.50								
56		1.50								
57		1.25								
58		1.25								
59		1.00								
60		1.00								



# BSU GEOPHYSICS VSP OBSERVER'S LOG

Coordinate System Origin at Borehole  
 Casing Elevation: 90 m above G.L.  
 Azimuth x-axis: 0  
 Azimuth y-axis: 0  
 Well Coord: X=        Y=        Z=         
 Channel Borehole Phone Reference Phone  
 V=Channel 4 V=Channel         
 R=Channel 2 R=Channel 5  
 T=Channel 3 T=Channel 6

Reference Phone: Offset:        m  
 Azimuth        m below G.L.  
 Elev.        m  
 X= 0 m  
 Y= -95 m  
 Ref. Polarization: Az 0 Vert. 0  
 V 0  
 R 0  
 T 270



Date: 7 Nov 2000 Location: ARS  
 High-Cut 2000 Low-Cut 4 Sample Int. 0.1 ms Number Samples 5000

Shot		Borehole Phone			Source			Source Polarization		
Rec.	File	Depth	Elev.	Offset	Azimuth	Elev.	X	Y	Azimuth	Vertical
<u>61</u>		<u>0.75</u>					<u>0</u>	<u>-135</u>	<u>270</u>	<u>135'</u>
<u>62</u>		<u>0.75</u>							<u>90</u>	<u>135'</u>
<u>63</u>		<u>0.50</u>							<u>↓</u>	<u>↓</u>
<u>64</u>		<u>0.50</u>							<u>↓</u>	<u>↓</u>
<u>65</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>66</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>67</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>68</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>69</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>70</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>71</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>72</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>73</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>74</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>75</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>76</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>77</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>78</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>79</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>80</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>81</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>82</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>83</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>84</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>85</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>86</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>87</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>88</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>89</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>90</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>91</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>92</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>93</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>94</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>95</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>96</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>97</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>98</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>99</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>
<u>100</u>		<u>0.5</u>							<u>Single Blow</u>	<u>Blow</u>

Repeat  
 Spillow  
 Level



# BSU GEOPHYSICS VSP OBSERVER'S LOG

Coordinate System Origin at Borehole  
 Casing Elevation: 135 m above G.L.  
 Azimuth x-axis: 90  
 Azimuth y-axis: 0  
 Well Coord: X= 0 Y= -1.85 m  
 Channel Configuration: Borehole Phone V=Channel 1 R=Channel 2 T=Channel 3  
 Reference Phone V=Channel 4 R=Channel 5 T=Channel 6  
 Ref. Polarization: V 0 R 20 T 30  
 Azimuth 0 m below G.L.  
 X= 0 m  
 Y= -1.85 m  
 Offset: 0 m  
 Azimuth 0 m  
 Elev. 0 m below G.L.  
 Vert. 0

Date: Feb 2000 Location: Delta 21K ARS Number Samples 5000  
 High-Cut 2000 Low-Cut 4 Sample Int. 1.0001

Shot		Borehole Phone		Source				Source Polarization			
Rec.	File	Depth	Elev.	Offset	Azimuth	Elev.	X	Y	Azimuth	Vertical	
1		5.75					0	-0.35	270	135	
2		5.75							90	1	
3		5.50							270	1	
4		5.50							90	1	
5		5.25							270	1	
6		5.25							90	1	
7		5.00							270	1	
8		5.00							90	1	
9		4.75							270	1	
10		4.75							90	1	

Reshoot clipped levels plus same  
 Report on report of A. Stord + time stamp  
 page 8 of 12  
 Had to redo 7 8 Ref  
 1 (no key over)

# BSU GEOPHYSICS VSP OBSERVER'S LOG

Coordinate System Origin at Borehole  
Casing Elevation: +35 m above G.L.

Azimuth x-axis: 90

Azimuth y-axis: 0

Well Coord: X= 0

Y= 0

Z= 0

Reference Phone: 0

Offset: 0 m

Azimuth 0

Elev. 0 m below G.L.

X= 0

Y= -0.95 m

Reference Phone

V=Channel 4

R=Channel 2

T=Channel 6

Ref. Polarization: V 0

R 0

T 270

Vert. 0

90

90

Date: 8/16/2000 Location: ARS  
High-Cut 2000 Low-Cut 4 Sample Int. 0.1ms Number Samples 5000

Shot		Borehole Phone		Source			Source Polarization			
Rec.	File	Depth	Elev.	Offset	Azimuth	Elev.	X	Y	Azimuth	Vertical
11		4.50					0	-35	270	135'
12		4.50							90	135'
13		4.25							270	↓
14		4.25							90	
15		4.00							270	↓
16		4.00							90	↓
17		3.75							270	↓
18		3.75							90	
19		3.50							270	↓
20		3.50							90	↓

# BSU GEOPHYSICS VSP OBSERVER'S LOG

Coordinate System Origin at Borehole  
 Casing Elevation: +0.35 m above G.L.  
 Azimuth x-axis: 90  
 Azimuth y-axis: 0  
 Well Coord: X=      Y=      Z=       
 Channel Borehole Phone Reference Phone  
 Configuration: V=Channel 1 V=Channel 4 Vert. 0  
 R=Channel 2 R=Channel 0 90  
 T=Channel 3 T=Channel 6 90

Date: 8/10/2006 Location: ARS

High-Cut      Low-Cut      Sample Int.      Number Samples     

Shot		Borehole Phone		Source		Source Polarization			
Rec.	File	Depth	Elev.	Offset	Azimuth	Elev.	X	Y	Vertical
<u>21</u>		<u>3.25</u>					<u>0</u>	<u>-0.35</u>	<u>135°</u>
<u>22</u>		<u>3.25</u>							<u>135°</u>
<u>23</u>		<u>3.00</u>							
<u>24</u>		<u>3.00</u>							
<u>25</u>		<u>2.75</u>							
<u>26</u>		<u>2.75</u>							
<u>28</u>		<u>2.50</u>							
<u>29</u>		<u>2.50</u>							
<u>30</u>		<u>2.25</u>							
<u>31</u>		<u>2.25</u>							

26 also at 90°

diff bore 26??

Yes Ch 02 Radial || to source  
 27 is a second repeat at same depth  
 Thus 28 should → 27, 29 → 28, etc.  
 45 → 44

source same polarity as 26, both 90° Az  
 Probably did an extra at 90° Az

# BSU GEOPHYSICS VSP OBSERVER'S LOG

Coordinate System Origin at Borehole  
Casing Elevation: 4.35 m above G.L.

Azimuth x-axis: 90

Azimuth y-axis: 0

Well Coord: X=        Y=        Z=        m

Channel Borehole Phone        Reference Phone       

Configuration: V=Channel 1 V=Channel 8

R=Channel 2 R=Channel 5

T=Channel 3 T=Channel 6

Date: 8 AUG 2000 Location: ARS

High-Cut 2000 Low-Cut 4 Sample Int. 0.1 ms Number Samples 5000

Reference Phone: Offset:        m  
Azimuth        m below G.L.

Elev.        m

X= 0 m

Y= -95 m

Ref. Polarization: Az 8

V 90

R 90

T 90

Shot		Borehole Phone			Source			Source Polarization		
Rec.	File	Depth	Elev.	Offset	Azimuth	Elev.	X	Y	Azimuth	Vertical
32		2.0					0	-135	270	135°
33		2.0							90	135°
34		1.75							740 Reclined	
35		1.75							90	
36		1.50							270	
37		1.50							90	
38		1.25							270	
39		1.25							90	
40		1.00							270	
41		1.00							90	

24 Bow Springs

Offset: \_\_\_\_\_ m  
Azimuth \_\_\_\_\_  
Elev. \_\_\_\_\_ m below G.L.

Elev. \_\_\_\_\_ m below G.L.

$$\underline{\underline{x = 0 \text{ m}}}$$
$$Y = -0.95 \text{ m}$$

**Phone**

V=Channel 4

R=Channel

T=Channel

Number Samples *5000*

**Number Samples** *5000*

24 Bow Springs

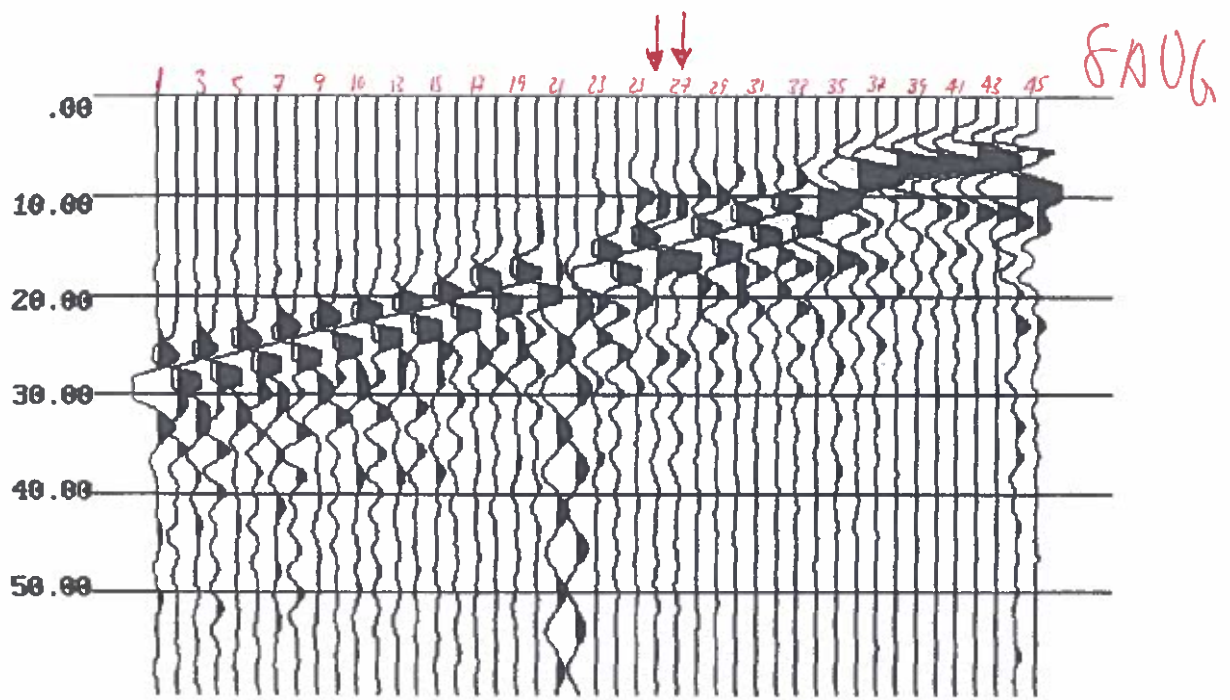
These data repeat the clipped data recorded one day earlier (7aug2000).

An error in acquisition occurred. Record 27 is a repeat of record 26. Having stored record 26 (source pol at 90 azimuth) I went back and reshot the same thing again, apparently having forgot that I already did it. This is evident from ch06 (T-comp) on reference phone, 26 and 27 same. It is also evident from down hole R-component, ch02, which was essentially parallel to source, 26 and 27 are almost identical realizations at the same depth.

To correct the situation, discard record 27, and rename 28 as 27. Rename 29 as 28, rename 30 as 29, etc. until 45 is renamed 44.

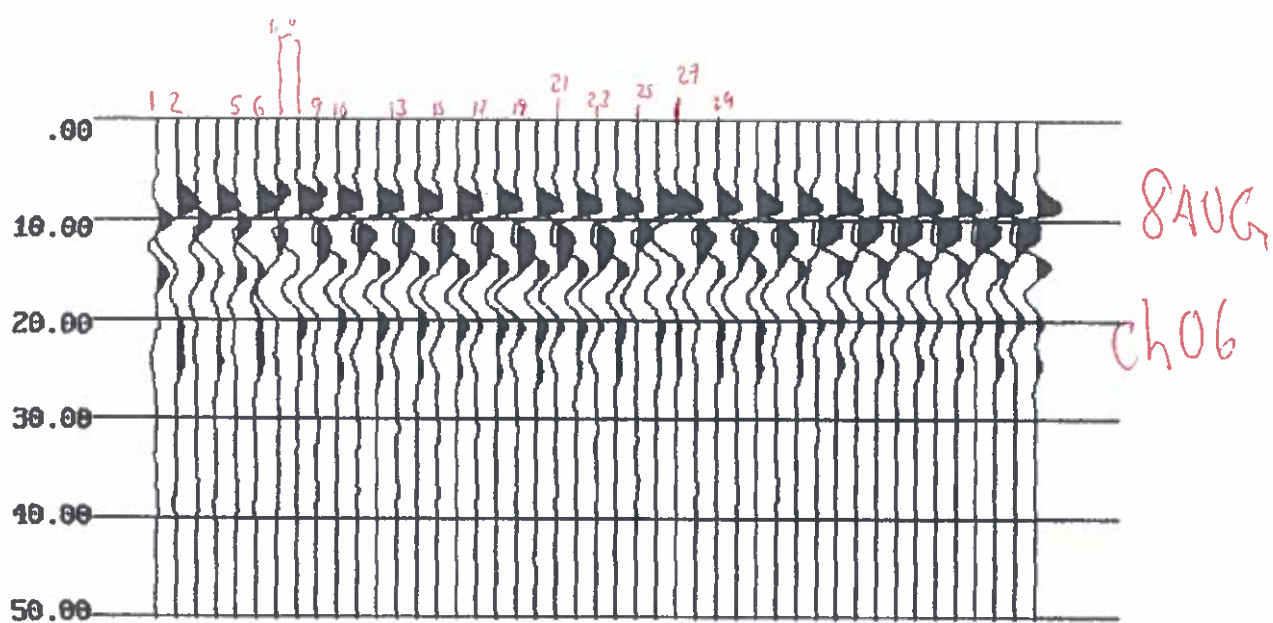
The data here have not had this done, and it should be part of a batch flow to document it in processing.

P M. 8 Aug 2000



CH02







August 5-6, 2000  
Pre-conference short courses August 3-4, 2000  
Denver Marriott Tech Center - Denver, Colorado

sessions  
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field demos  
tech tours  
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#### Soil Descriptions

ARS, Inc. AEE Project No. Pit Evaluation June 2, 1997 Douglas County, Colorado

#### 3.0 FIELD AND LABORATORY INVESTIGATION

On March 18 and 19, 1997, we logged and sampled four exploratory borings made at the site. The borings were advanced with a CME 55 truck-mounted drill, utilizing 3-3/4 inch ID hollow stem auger. Samples were taken at 5-foot depth intervals with a 2 1/2 inch ID (3-inch OD) split spoon barrel sampler, driven with standard hammer energy (in substantial accordance with ASTM D1586 procedures). The sampler was driven 18 inches at most locations. The number of hammer blows for each 1-inch increment was recorded. The Boring Logs, Fig. 2, show an interpretation of the materials encountered and the hammer blow counts for the last 12 inches of sampling are presented at each sample location. A legend and notes related to the field investigation are presented on Fig. 2A. The number of hammer blows required to penetrate the strata can be used as an indication of the density or consistency of a deposit, with experience and judgement. The hammer blows are not similar to the "Standard Penetration Test" because the sampler presents a considerably larger frontal area than the standard split spoon sampler.

We found that, in general, the finer-grained materials (clays, silty clays) had lower penetration resistance than the predominantly coarse materials. During drilling, only Boring 3 encountered groundwater, at a depth of 51 feet. The other borings remained dry while drilling.

The project engineer visually classified all of the samples retrieved and formulated a laboratory testing plan. Tests included grain size analysis, moisture content, Atterberg Limits, Hvem RV value to gain a measure of the stability of the material under load and sodium sulfate soundness to determine the resistance of the material to weathering. The test results are summarized on Table 1. Graphical presentations of the grain size analysis and R-Value testing are presented on Figs. 3-16.

Starting with the deposits at the highest elevation, the following sections describe the strata encountered:

#### 3.1 Silty Sand

Borings 1 and 2, located on the upper terrace, encountered about 8 feet of medium brown, slightly calcareous, silty to slightly clayey sand from the ground surface. This material was formed by the forces of wind, plucking fine to medium sand from the South Platte River, depositing them on the plain between the South Platte and Plum Creek. This material is absent from the lower terrace on the property, and has been stripped from portions of the upper terrace.

Figures 3 and 7 present gradation curves for representative samples of this material, both non-plastic, with about 22% fines. In general, the deposit is cleaner near the upper part and becomes more clayey at its base. Of the many samples tested of the silty sand, the range of fines is between 13 and 32% and most have non-plastic fines. Liquid limits, where obtainable, are generally 16 to 20%.

The silty sand has been used for trail topping, ballfield skinned infield and pitcher's mound fill.

The material has qualities of non-cohesiveness to avoid sticking to cleats and allowing quick drainage and drying without overly hard compaction, mostly fine to medium sand content for ease of working and traction, and a medium brown color for aesthetics. The material is fairly unique in the area, due to its thickness and general lack of plastic clay fines.

#### 3.2 Clayey, Gravelly Sand

Several feet of reddish, clayey, gravelly sand separates the upper silty sand from cleaner sand deposits in the upper terrace. The reddish color is common in Slocum Alluvium deposits. The deposit appears to be only ~5 feet thick. Previous testing (Feb. 13, 1997) indicates the material has a gradation similar to CDOT Class 6 Road Base, but with a liquid limit (LL) of 22-23 and plasticity index (PI) of 7-10, would be considered too clayey for specification material. The material would make a good quality light-duty road base for driveways because of its tendency of slight cohesion and high compactability, at the expense of somewhat less drainage capacity when compared to specification road base.

#### 3.3 Well-Graded Sand with Gravel

Below the above-described materials, the next 30-40 feet in Borings 1 - 2 consist of well-graded sand with gravel. About 10% of the thickness of the deposit appears to contain clayey sand layers of medium plasticity. Gravel, to the 1/2-inch size represents about 18-22% of the material, with about ~8% mostly non-plastic fines. Close examination of the gravel particles indicates that most are round, subangular mineral aggregates of orthoclase-biotite-quartz granite. The sand particles are chiefly subangular crystalline quartz and pink orthoclase feldspar. Fines are silty, with muscovite mica flakes. Rare particles of lightweight igneous rock (Castle Rock Welded Tuff) were noted on the surface of the pit, but were not found in samples from the boring. Although generally considered a detrimental material, its rarity is believable considering the large size of the Plum Creek drainage and the very limited outcrop of these materials south of Castle Rock. We do not consider these materials as detrimental to the overall quality of the deposit.

The coefficient of uniformity is generally high, on the order of 10 to 25, indicating well graded material with a wide size variety. We obtained Hvem Sublimeter R-Value test results from two composited samples of this material. The results of 71 and 76 indicate excellent stability for road subgrade materials. Because of a relative deficiency of gravel and somewhat variable fines content, the deposit does not make a specification road base as a pit-run, but could be used, with sieving, for asphalt or concrete fine aggregate, or without sieving for high-quality select fill where close packing, relatively free-draining fill with very high stability is required, such as road subbase or Mechanically Stabilized Earth (MSE) retaining wall backfill. The angle of internal friction would vary somewhat with density and confining pressure, but a conservative estimate would be 38 degrees for the well-graded sand. If sieved, the resulting gravel would be a saleable product. The results of a sodium sulfate soundness test indicate negligible loss over the sieve sizes, with weighted loss of 0.01 to 0.07% in the No. 30 to No. 100 Std. Sieve sizes.

#### 3.4 Interlayered Micaceous Clay and Clean Medium Sands

Encountered at a depth of 48 feet in B-1, 41 feet in B-2, and from the surface in B-3 and B-4, we noted a layer that contained mixed micaceous lean to fat clay with clean sand lenses. The deposit was only about 5 feet thick in B-1 and about 20 feet thick in B-2, with mostly thin sand lenses separated by silty lean clay layers. In B-3 and B-4, the upper 20 and 45 feet, respectively were predominantly fat clay and clayey sand, with the exception of a 5-1/2 foot thick layer of wellgraded sand with gravel in B-3 and a 14 foot thick layer in B-4.

Generally well graded sands with gravel were found below the clay in all borings. Near bedrock in B-1 and B-2, we encountered what appeared to be small cobbles in the sand.

The interlayered micaceous clay and clean sands are assumed to be waste material, because of the thin layers that will generally preclude sorting.

### 3.5 Bedrock

Hard, blue-gray claystone bedrock was encountered in B-1, B-2 and B-4 at depths of 81, 105.5 and 65 feet respectively. We did not drill down to bedrock in B-3, because we encountered groundwater at a depth of 51 feet in sands and gravels.

### 4.0 PIT RESERVES

We assume that this mining operation would not be able to utilize large quantities of water for washing aggregate products. Where silty, non-plastic fines exist, particularly the surface layer and the well-graded sand with gravel, a variety of products could be made by utilizing dry sieving. The area studied has available the following saleable products:

Fine to medium grained silty sand; currently of value as ballfield skinned infield surface and pitcher's mound fill  
Clayey road base; suitable for driveways and light-duty gravel-surfaced roads

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**Subject: Re: waiver**

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**From:** "Jeff Farrar" <JFARRAR@do.usbr.gov>

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Installed your casing yesterday to 28.5 ft - with about 1 to 1.5 stickup. Top 20 ft is SC-SM soil with about 20-30 % fines. From about 20 to 28.5 is a cleaner gravelly sand - fine gravel max size. Hole stayed open well - dumped 10-20 sand as backfill looks like it went in well.

I have the place set up just down from the radar pit - and there is room for your van.

I'll have the waiver forms - and I will be around all weekend workking out there so don't worry we'll get is signed. We will be doing some pre work on stone columns, and earthwork test fills that weekend also.

Thanks for participating! I'll be interested to see your modulus and damping in the unsaturated stuff. Did I give you the drill logs earlier?

best regards

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>>> "P. Michaels" <pm@cgiss.boisestate.edu> 07/25 4:43 PM >>>  
Jeff,

I will be leaving Boise on 1 August for Denver 2k. Will the waiver for the field day reach me before then? If not, let's figure out a place I can go when I get there to fill this form out. I would like to collect some data the day before the event (on Monday), and don't want to get tripped up about the waiver.

Thanks

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