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# 1 Introduction

## 1.1 Background

The Earth Science Partnership Ltd (ESP) have been instructed by Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council (NPTCBC) to undertake Ground Investigations in the gardens behind the properties of 100 and 111 Cyfyng Road, Pantteg. The scope of this investigation has been designed by ESP and has been undertaken in general accordance with the ESP's email proposal dated 20<sup>th</sup> November 2017.

This report presents the findings of exploratory works within the areas outlined agreed between ESP and NPTCBC.

## 1.2 Objective and scope of works

The objective of the investigation is to provide detail of the ground conditions by handheld window sampling, mackintosh probe testing and the installation of groundwater monitoring wells.

The findings of this investigation will be incorporated into the wider hazard and risk assessment currently being undertaken by the ESP across Pantteg.

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## 2 Site Description

### 2.1 The Site

The site comprises the gardens extending south-east from houses 100 and 111 Cyfyng Road. An Investigation Point Plan is shown in Figure 1.

The sites comprise steeply sloped residential gardens consisting of paved areas, grass and flower beds. The area immediately south-east of the investigation area is heavily vegetated and very steeply sloping, access to these areas was not possible due to safety concerns.

### 2.2 Site Geology

The published 1:10560 scale geological map for the area (SN70NE) indicates the site to be underlain bedrock of the Middle Coal Measures Formation comprising siltstone, mudstone, sandstone and coal. Coal crops out upslope and downslope of the site, and bedrock in the area generally dips to around 10° to the south.

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### 3 Fieldwork

#### 3.1 Boreholes

Eight window sampling boreholes have been constructed to a maximum depth of 2.8m on the 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> of November, 2017. The window sample records are presented in Appendix A.

At the commencement of the borehole, a service inspection pit was excavated by hand to a depth of 1.2m, with a hydraulic breaker utilised in areas of hard standing.

Handheld window sampling was then advanced from 1.2m, with cores of the material recovered in plastic liners, until refusal of the sampling equipment.

#### 3.2 Mackintosh Probe

A mackintosh probe was advanced from the surface, until refusal, adjacent to each borehole position to measure the relative density of the ground encountered. The results of the mackintosh probe holes are presented in Appendix B.

#### 3.3 Installations

Upon completion of the boreholes, 5no. 50mm standpipes for groundwater monitoring have been installed as detailed in Table 1 below. To date one monitoring visit has been undertaken, with repeat readings to be carried out in due course.

Table 1 - Groundwater monitoring well installations

Well ID	Installation Type	Date of Installation	Response Zone depth	Response Zone Stratum	Rationale
WS501	50mm standpipe	23/11/2017	0.5 - 2.6m	Made ground and Grade E Weathered Coal Measures	2
WS504	50mm standpipe	23/11/2017	0.5 - 2.7m	Made ground, Colluvium, Grade E Weathered Coal Measures	2
WS505	50mm standpipe	24/11/2017	0.5 - 2.6m	Made Ground and Colluvium	2
WS507	50mm standpipe	24/11/2017	0.5 - 2.5m	Made ground and Grade E Weathered Coal Measures	2
WS508	50mm standpipe	24/11/2017	0.5 - 2.5m	Made Ground and Grade E Weathered Coal Measures	2
<b>Notes</b>					
1. Details of each monitoring well are presented on the individual borehole records (Appendix A).					
2. Well installed in shallow soils.					

### 3.4 Geotechnical Testing

Geotechnical laboratory testing was undertaken on samples from the exploratory holes to obtain information on the geotechnical properties on the soils beneath the site.

The following tests were undertaken by a UKAS accredited laboratory on samples selected by ESP in accordance with the methodologies presented in BS1377:1990. The results are presented in Appendix C.

- Natural moisture content.
- Atterberg limits.
- Particle size analysis.
- Immediate shear box testing (Peak shear strength)
- Consolidated drained shear strength (Peak and residual shear strength)

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## 4 Ground Conditions

### 4.1 Geology

The borehole constructed has identified the site to generally be underlain by Made Ground, over colluvium and grade E weathered south wales coal measures formation. A summary of the ground conditions encountered is outlined below.

#### 4.1.1 Made Ground

Encountered in all window sample boreholes from ground level to a maximum depth of 1.9m as either; very loose black slightly clayey gravel with occasional rootlets and wood fragments, gravel is fine to coarse angular mudstone; loose brown very clayey gravelly sand with rootlets and possible orange slag fragments, gravel is angular fine to coarse sandy siltstone and coal; soft orange mottled black gravelly sandy clay with occasional brick and wood fragments, gravel is fine to coarse angular sandy siltstone and coal.

#### 4.1.2 Colluvium

Encountered below the Made Ground in WS502 to WS506 to a maximum depth of 2.60m as a soft orange mottled grey and black very gravelly to gravelly clay. The gravel is fine to coarse subangular sandy siltstone and siltstone.

#### 4.1.3 Weathered South Wales Middle Coal Measures Formation Bedrock

Encountered to the base of all boreholes, except WS505, as a loose to medium dense clayey sandy gravel of angular fine to coarse siltstone.

### 4.2 Hydrogeology

Groundwater was not encountered during construction of the boreholes.

Details of the groundwater monitoring undertaken to date is presented in Table 2 below.

*Table 2 - Groundwater Monitoring Results*

Date		WS501	WS504	WS505	WS506	WS508
07/12/2017	Depth of water (m)	Dry	Dry	1.86	Dry	Dry
	Base of standpipe	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.5

## 5 References

BS 5930:2015. Code of practice for ground investigations. British Standards Institution.

BRITISH STANDARDS INSTITUTION (BSI). 1990. Methods of Test for Soils for Civil Engineering Purposes. BS1377, Parts 1 to 9, HMSO, London.

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Figure 1 – Investigation Point Plan

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- ⊗ Window Sampling Investigation Point

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Contours from LiDAR data (ESP, 2017) at 2m intervals.

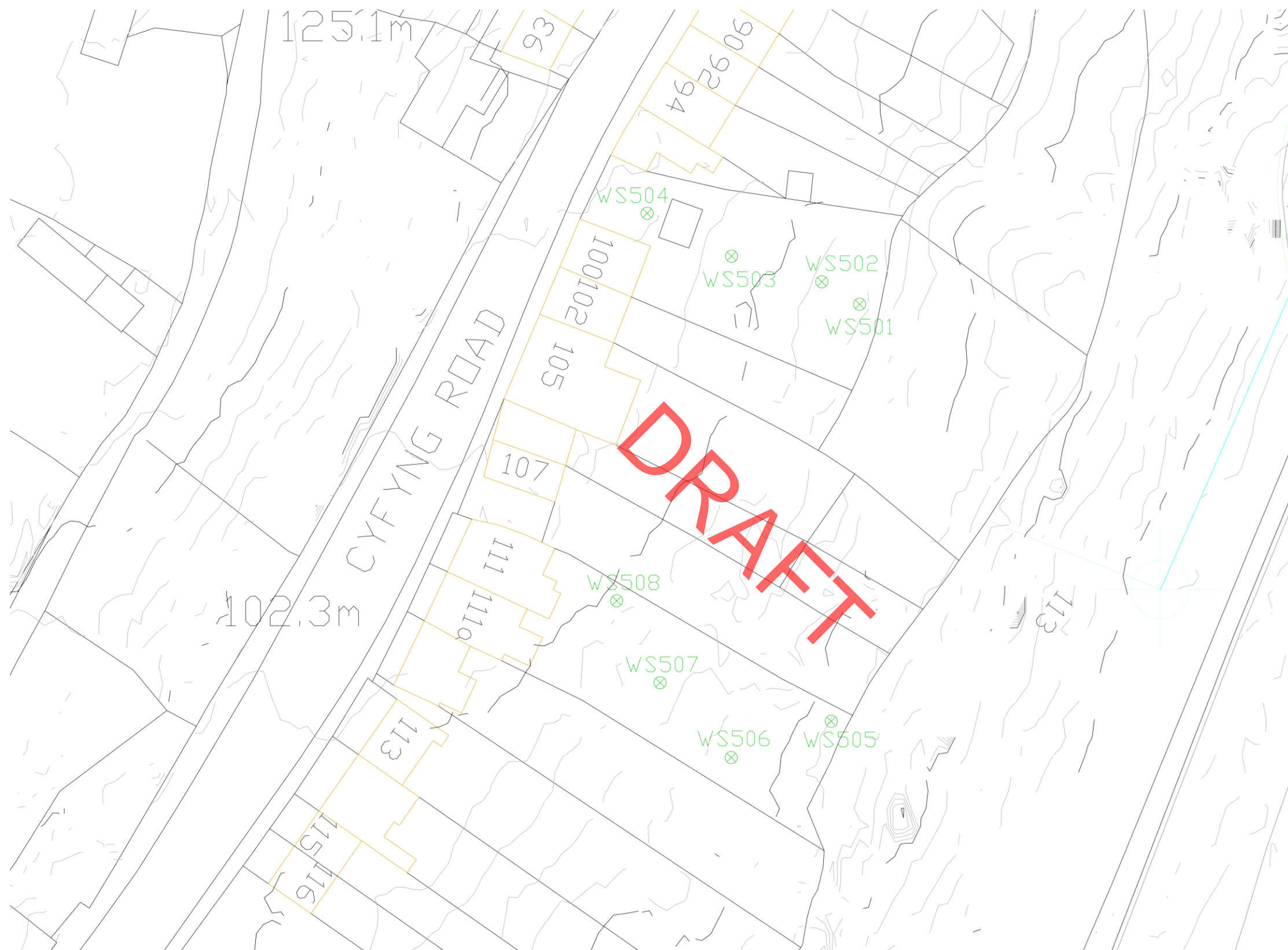
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100 & 111 CYFYNG ROAD,  
PANTTEG LANDSLIP

Scale: 1:500 at A3 (Approx.)

FIGURE 1: INVESTIGATION  
POINT PLAN

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Appendix A

Window Sampler Records



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100 and 111 Cyfyng Road  
**Site Location:**  
Cyfyng Road, Pantteg  
**Client:**  
NPTCBC  
**Project No.:**  
5859e.08

**Drilling method**  
Handheld Window Sampler  
**Equipment**  
Handheld Window Sampler  
**Ground Level:** 96.00 mOD  
**Easting:** 276290 m  
**Northing:** 208251 m

# WS501

**Start date:** 23-11-2017  
**End date:** 23-11-2017  
**Backfill date:** 23-11-2017  
**Driller:** GSTL  
**Logged by:** ESP-AW  
**Date logged:** 23-11-2017

Depth	Sample		Test Details		TCR (%)	Water Depth	Casing Depth	Strata Details		Water Strikes/ Standing	Depth		Backfill/ Installations
	Type	Class	Type	Result				Description	Legend		Depth (Thickness)	mOD	
0.30	D							Very loose dark brown organic very gravelly silty clayey SAND with roots and rootlets. (MADE GROUND)			(0.60)		
0.80	D							Very soft, becoming firm at 1.5m, orange slightly gravelly slightly sandy CLAY with rootlets and wood fragments. Gravel is fine to coarse angular sandy siltstone and coal. (MADE GROUND - Possible reworked natural)			0.60	95.40	
1.00	D											1	(1.20)
1.50	D							Loose to medium dense orange brown clayey silty sandy GRAVEL. Gravel is partially weathered fine to coarse angular sandy siltstone. (GRADE E SOUTH WALES MIDDLE COAL MEASURES FORMATION)			1.80	94.20	
1.70	D											2	(0.80)
2.60	D							End of Borehole at 2.600m			2.60	93.40	

Progress & Standing Water Levels					Water Strikes						Chiselling			Hole Diameter		Casing Diameter		
Date	Time	Hole Depth	Casing Depth	Water Depth	Date	Time	Strike Depth	Casing Depth	Elapsed Minutes	Depth to Water	Depth Sealed	Depth Top	Depth Base	Duration	Hole Depth	Hole Diameter	Casing Diameter	Casing Depth

**General Remarks**

- Coordinates and elevation interpolated from recent LiDAR data (ESP, 2017) from the area.
- Hand-dug pit excavated to 1.2m to check location for the presence of services.
- Borehole excavated utilising hand-held window sampling until refusal at 2.6m.
- Mackintosh probe carried out adjacent to borehole, see separate sheet for details.
- Groundwater not encountered during drilling.
- Groundwater well installed with a response zone between 0.5 to 2.6m.

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**Site Location:**  
Cyfyng Road, Pantteg  
**Client:**  
NPTCBC  
**Project No:**  
5859e.08

**Drilling method**  
Handheld Window Sampler  
**Equipment**  
Handheld Window Sampler  
**Ground Level:** 98.00 mOD  
**Easting:** 276288 m  
**Northing:** 208255 m

# WS502

**Start date:** 23-11-2017  
**End date:** 23-11-2017  
**Backfill date:** 23-11-2017

**Driller:** GSTL  
**Logged by:** ESP-AW  
**Date logged:** 23-11-2017

Depth	Sample		Test Details		TCR (%)	Water Depth	Casing Depth	Strata Details		Water Strikes/Standing	Depth		Backfill/Installations
	Type	Class	Type	Result				Description	Legend		Depth (Thickness)	mOD	
0.20	D							Grass surface over very loose dark brown organic clayey gravelly SAND with roots and rootlets. (MADE GROUND)			(0.50)		
0.70	D							Soft orange mottled black slightly gravelly slightly sandy CLAY with rootlets and occasional brick and wood fragments. Gravel is fine to coarse angular sandy siltstone and coal. (MADE GROUND - Possible reworked natural)			0.50	97.50	
1.00	D										1		
1.40	D										(1.20)		
1.70	D							Soft to firm orange mottled grey very gravelly CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse angular sandy siltstone. (Possible COLLUVIUM)			1.70	96.30	
2.00	D										(0.50)		
								Loose orange mottled grey and brown clayey GRAVEL. Gravel is tabular angular fine to coarse siltstone. (GRADE E SOUTH WALES MIDDLE COAL MEASURES FORMATION)			2.20	95.80	
											(0.60)		
								End of Borehole at 2.800m			2.80	95.20	
											3		

Progress & Standing Water Levels					Water Strikes							Chiselling			Hole Diameter		Casing Diameter		
Date	Time	Hole Depth	Casing Depth	Water Depth	Date	Time	Strike Depth	Casing Depth	Elapsed Minutes	Depth to Water	Depth Sealed	Depth Top	Depth Base	Duration	Hole Depth	Hole Diameter	Casing Diameter	Casing Depth	

**General Remarks**

- Coordinates and elevation interpolated from recent LiDAR data (ESP, 2017) from the area.
- Hand-dug pit excavated to 1.2m to check location for the presence of services.
- Borehole excavated utilising hand-held window sampling until refusal at 2.8m.
- Mackintosh probe carried out adjacent to borehole, see separate sheet for details.
- Groundwater not encountered during drilling.
- Borehole backfilled with arisings on completion.

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**Project No.:**  
5859e.08

**Drilling method**  
Handheld Window Sampler  
**Equipment**  
Handheld Window Sampler  
**Ground Level:** 100.00 mOD  
**Easting:** 276278 m  
**Northing:** 208256 m

# WS503

**Start date:** 23-11-2017  
**End date:** 23-11-2017  
**Backfill date:** 23-11-2017

**Driller:** GSTL  
**Logged by:** ESP-AW  
**Date logged:** 23-11-2017

Depth	Sample		Test Details		TCR (%)	Water Depth	Casing Depth	Strata Details		Water Strikes/Standing	Depth		Backfill/Installations
	Type	Class	Type	Result				Description	Legend		Depth (Thickness)	mOD	
0.40	D							Paved surface with a sand subbase. (MADE GROUD)			(0.20)	99.80	
								Loose brown silty clayey very sandy GRAVEL with rootlets and occasional orange slag fragments. Gravel is fine to coarse angular sandy siltstone and coal. (MADE GROUD)			0.20		
0.90	D										(0.80)		
1.10	D							Very loose orange slightly silty slightly clayey slightly sandy GRAVEL. Gravel is angular fine to coarse siltstone. (Possible COLLUVIUM)			1.00	99.00	
1.40	D										(0.60)		
1.70	D							Loose becoming medium dense orange mottled grey very gravelly clayey silty SAND. Gravel is angular fine to coarse siltstone with some fine to medium angular coal. (Possible COLLUVIUM)			1.60	98.40	
2.00	D										2		
2.40	D										(1.00)		
								End of Borehole at 2.600m			2.60	97.40	
											3		

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Progress & Standing Water Levels					Water Strikes							Chiselling			Hole Diameter		Casing Diameter		
Date	Time	Hole Depth	Casing Depth	Water Depth	Date	Time	Strike Depth	Casing Depth	Elapsed Minutes	Depth to Water	Depth Sealed	Depth Top	Depth Base	Duration	Hole Depth	Hole Diameter	Casing Diameter	Casing Depth	

**General Remarks**

- Coordinates and elevation interpolated from recent LiDAR data (ESP, 2017) from the area.
- Hand-dug pit excavated to 1.2m to check location for the presence of services.
- Borehole excavated utilising hand-held window sampling until refusal at 2.6m.
- Mackintosh probe carried out adjacent to borehole, see separate sheet for details.
- Groundwater not encountered during drilling.
- Borehole backfilled with arisings on completion.

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**Project No.:**  
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**Drilling method**  
Handheld Window Sampler  
**Equipment**  
Handheld Window Sampler  
**Ground Level:** 103.00 mOD  
**Easting:** 276269 m  
**Northing:** 208261 m

# WS504

**Start date:** 23-11-2017  
**End date:** 23-11-2017  
**Backfill date:** 23-11-2017  
**Driller:** GSTL  
**Logged by:** ESP-AW  
**Date logged:** 23-11-2017

Depth	Sample		Test Details		TCR (%)	Water Depth	Casing Depth	Strata Details		Water Strikes/Standing	Depth		Backfill/Installations
	Type	Class	Type	Result				Description	Legend		Depth (Thickness)	mOD	
0.20	D							Grass surface over very loose black slightly clayey gravelly SAND with a low angular tabular mudstone cobble content. Occasional rootlets and wood fragments. Gravel is fine to coarse angular mudstone. (MADE GROUND)			(0.40)	102.60	
0.80	D							Very loose brown very clayey sandy GRAVEL with occasional orange slag fragments. Gravel is partially weathered fine to coarse angular siltstone and mudstone. (MADE GROUND)			(0.60)	102.00	
1.10	D							Soft to firm becoming stiff very gravelly CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse subangular to angular mudstone. (Possible COLLUVIUM)			1.00	102.00	
1.40	D										(1.00)		
2.00	D							Loose brown mottled grey very clayey GRAVEL. Gravel is fine to coarse angular mudstone. (GRADE E SOUTH WALES MIDDLE COAL MEASURES)			2.00	101.00	
2.30	D										(0.70)		
								End of Borehole at 2.700m			2.70	100.30	
											3		

Progress & Standing Water Levels					Water Strikes							Chiselling			Hole Diameter		Casing Diameter		
Date	Time	Hole Depth	Casing Depth	Water Depth	Date	Time	Strike Depth	Casing Depth	Elapsed Minutes	Depth to Water	Depth Sealed	Depth Top	Depth Base	Duration	Hole Depth	Hole Diameter	Casing Diameter	Casing Depth	

**General Remarks**

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- Hand-dug pit excavated to 1.2m to check location for the presence of services.
- Borehole excavated utilising hand-held window sampling until refusal at 2.7m.
- Mackintosh probe carried out adjacent to borehole, see separate sheet for details.
- Groundwater not encountered during drilling.
- Groundwater monitoring well installed with a response zone between 0.5 to 2.7m.

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**Drilling method**  
Handheld Window Sampler  
**Equipment**  
Handheld Window Sampler  
**Ground Level:** 88.00 mOD  
**Easting:** 276288 m  
**Northing:** 208210 m

# WS505

**Start date:** 24-11-2017  
**End date:** 24-11-2017  
**Backfill date:** 24-11-2017

**Driller:** GSTL  
**Logged by:** ESP-AW  
**Date logged:** 24-11-2017

Depth	Sample		Test Details		TCR (%)	Water Depth	Casing Depth	Strata Details		Water Strikes/Standing	Depth		Backfill/Installations
	Type	Class	Type	Result				Description	Legend		Depth (Thickness)	mOD	
0.40	D							Very loose black organic slightly clayey gravelly SAND with rootlets, occasional brick, ceramic, wood and glass fragments. Rare tin cans present. Gravel is fine to coarse angular coal and siltstone. (MADE GROUND)			(1.10)		
0.70	D										1		
1.20	D							Soft becoming stiff orange mottled grey and brown very gravelly CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse subangular to angular siltstone. (Possible COLLUVIUM)			1.10	86.90	
1.50	D												
2.00	D										(1.50)		
2.40	D										2		
								End of Borehole at 2.600m			2.60	85.40	
											3		

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Progress & Standing Water Levels					Water Strikes							Chiselling			Hole Diameter		Casing Diameter		
Date	Time	Hole Depth	Casing Depth	Water Depth	Date	Time	Strike Depth	Casing Depth	Elapsed Minutes	Depth to Water	Depth Sealed	Depth Top	Depth Base	Duration	Hole Depth	Hole Diameter	Casing Diameter	Casing Depth	

**General Remarks**

- Coordinates and elevation interpolated from recent LiDAR data (ESP, 2017) from the area.
- Hand-dug pit excavated to 1.2m to check location for the presence of services.
- Borehole excavated utilising hand-held window sampling until refusal at 2.6m.
- Mackintosh probe carried out adjacent to borehole, see separate sheet for details.
- Groundwater not encountered during drilling.
- Groundwater monitoring well installed with a response zone between 0.5 to 2.6m.

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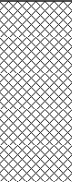
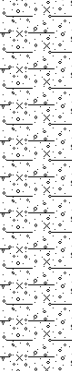
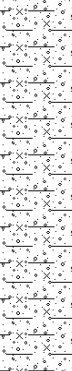
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**Drilling method**  
Handheld Window Sampler  
**Equipment**  
Handheld Window Sampler  
**Ground Level:** 92.00 mOD  
**Easting:** 276278 m  
**Northing:** 208205 m

# WS506

**Start date:** 24-11-2017  
**End date:** 24-11-2017  
**Backfill date:** 24-11-2017

**Driller:** GSTL  
**Logged by:** ESP-AW  
**Date logged:** 24-11-2017

Depth	Sample		Test Details		TCR (%)	Water Depth	Casing Depth	Strata Details		Water Strikes/ Standing	Depth		Backfill/ Installations
	Type	Class	Type	Result				Description	Legend		Depth (Thickness)	mOD	
0.30	D							Very loose organic slightly gravelly sandy CLAY with roots and rootlets. Rare glass fragments. (MADE GROUND)			(0.50)		
0.80	D							Very soft becoming soft orange brown clayey silty slightly sandy GRAVEL. Gravel is subangular fine to coarse siltstone. (Possible COLLUVIUM)			0.50	91.50	
1.20	D										(1.00)		
1.40	D											1.50	90.50
2.00	D							Loose becoming medium dense orange and brown mottled grey clayey silty slightly sandy GRAVEL. Gravel is angular fine to coarse siltstone. (GRADE E SOUTH WALES MIDDLE COAL MEASURES)			(1.00)		
2.40	D							End of Borehole at 2.500m				2.50	89.50
												3	

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Progress & Standing Water Levels					Water Strikes							Chiselling			Hole Diameter		Casing Diameter		
Date	Time	Hole Depth	Casing Depth	Water Depth	Date	Time	Strike Depth	Casing Depth	Elapsed Minutes	Depth to Water	Depth Sealed	Depth Top	Depth Base	Duration	Hole Depth	Hole Diameter	Casing Diameter	Casing Depth	

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- Borehole excavated utilising hand-held window sampling until refusal at 2.5m.
- Mackintosh probe carried out adjacent to borehole, see separate sheet for details.
- Groundwater not encountered during drilling.
- Borehole backfilled with arising on completion.

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Handheld Window Sampler  
**Equipment**  
Handheld Window Sampler  
**Ground Level:** 94.00 mOD  
**Easting:** 276270 m  
**Northing:** 208213 m

# WS507

**Start date:** 24-11-2017  
**End date:** 24-11-2017  
**Backfill date:** 24-11-2017

**Driller:** GSTL  
**Logged by:** ESP-AW  
**Date logged:** 24-11-2017

Depth	Sample		Test Details		TCR (%)	Water Depth	Casing Depth	Strata Details		Water Strikes/Standing	Depth		Backfill/Installations
	Type	Class	Type	Result				Description	Legend		Depth (Thickness)	mOD	
0.30	D							Very loose organic slightly clayey gravelly SAND with roots and rootlets. Rare glass fragments. (MADE GROUND)			(0.60)		
0.70	D							Very loose becoming loose orange mottled grey and black clayey sandy GRAVEL. Gravel is fine to coarse angular siltstone and sandy siltstone. (GRADE E SOUTH WALES MIDDLE COAL MEASURES)			0.60	93.40	
1.10	D										1		
1.20 - 2.20	B										(1.90)		
								End of Borehole at 2.500m			2.50	91.50	
											3		

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Progress & Standing Water Levels					Water Strikes							Chiselling			Hole Diameter		Casing Diameter		
Date	Time	Hole Depth	Casing Depth	Water Depth	Date	Time	Strike Depth	Casing Depth	Elapsed Minutes	Depth to Water	Depth Sealed	Depth Top	Depth Base	Duration	Hole Depth	Hole Diameter	Casing Diameter	Casing Depth	

**General Remarks**

- Coordinates and elevation interpolated from recent LiDAR data (ESP, 2017) from the area.
- Hand-dug pit excavated to 1.2m to check location for the presence of services.
- Borehole excavated utilising hand-held window sampling until refusal at 2.5m.
- Mackintosh probe carried out adjacent to borehole, see separate sheet for details.
- Groundwater not encountered during drilling.
- Groundwater monitoring well installed with a response zone between 0.5 to 2.5m.

# Earth Science Partnership

Consulting Engineers | Geologists | Environmental Scientists

**Project Name:**  
100 and 111 Cyfyng Road  
**Site Location:**  
Cyfyng Road, Pantteg  
**Client:**  
NPTCBC  
**Project No.:**  
5859e.08

**Drilling method**  
Handheld Window Sampler  
**Equipment**  
Handheld Window Sampler  
**Ground Level:** 96.00 mOD  
**Easting:** 276266 m  
**Northing:** 208221 m

# WS508

**Start date:** 24-11-2017  
**End date:** 24-11-2017  
**Backfill date:** 24-11-2017

**Driller:** GSTL  
**Logged by:** ESP-AW  
**Date logged:** 24-11-2017

Depth	Sample		Test Details		TCR (%)	Water Depth	Casing Depth	Strata Details		Water Strikes/ Standing	Depth		Backfill/ Installations
	Type	Class	Type	Result				Description	Legend		Depth (Thickness)	mOD	
0.50	D							Very loose dark brown organic gravelly slightly clayey SAND with roots and rootlets. Occasional cobble sized bricks and ceramic fragments. Gravel is fine to coarse subangular to angular siltstone. Rare pockets of orange brown gravelly clay. (MADE GROUND)					
1.00	D										(1.90)	1	
1.20 1.20 - 2.20	B D												
2.00	D							Very loose orange mottled grey and brown very gravelly slightly sandy CLAY. Gravel is fine to coarse angular siltstone. (GRADE E SOUTH WALES MIDDLE COAL MEASURES)			1.90	94.10	
											(0.60)	2	
								End of Borehole at 2.500m			2.50	93.50	
												3	

Progress & Standing Water Levels					Water Strikes							Chiselling			Hole Diameter		Casing Diameter	
Date	Time	Hole Depth	Casing Depth	Water Depth	Date	Time	Strike Depth	Casing Depth	Elapsed Minutes	Depth to Water	Depth Sealed	Depth Top	Depth Base	Duration	Hole Depth	Hole Diameter	Casing Diameter	Casing Depth

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Appendix B Mackintosh Probe Testing Records

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**APPENDIX B - MACKINTOSH PROBE RECORD**

**WS501**

<b>Project Name:</b>	100 and 111 Cyfyng Road	<b>Ground Level:</b>	96 mOAD
<b>Site Location:</b>	Pantteg	<b>Easting:</b>	276290 mE
<b>Client :</b>	NPTCBC	<b>Northing:</b>	208251 mN
<b>Date of Testing:</b>	24/11/2017		
<b>Weather:</b>	Dry and Cold		

Depth (m)	M blows per 100mm per 100mm	Correlated SPT-N Value (per 300mm)	Plot of Correlated SPT-N Value		Anticipated Soils. See App A. - WS501 for further detail.
			0	2	
GL	3	1	[Bar chart showing SPT-N value of 1 at ground level]		Made ground
0.50	3	0	[Bar chart showing SPT-N value of 0 at 0.50m depth]		
	5	1	[Bar chart showing SPT-N value of 1 at 0.50m depth]		Made Ground - Possilbe reworked natural
1.00	3	4	[Bar chart showing SPT-N value of 4 at 1.00m depth]		
	5	5	[Bar chart showing SPT-N value of 5 at 1.00m depth]		Grade E South Wales Middle Coal Measures Fromation
1.50	9	8	[Bar chart showing SPT-N value of 8 at 1.50m depth]		
	17	10	[Bar chart showing SPT-N value of 10 at 1.50m depth]		Grade E South Wales Middle Coal Measures Fromation
2.00	24		[Bar chart showing SPT-N value of 10 at 2.00m depth]		
2.50	22				
3.00	35				
3.50	29				
4.00	37				
4.50	35				
5.00					
5.50					
6.00					
6.50					
7.00					
7.50					
8.00					
8.50					
9.00					
9.50					
10.00					

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**REMARKS:**

- Coordinates and elevation inferred from LIDAR data for the area (ESP, 2017)
- See WS501 record for detailed description of the ground conditions.
- Test ended at 2.1m due to refusal of the Mackintosh Probe.

**APPENDIX B - MACKINTOSH PROBE RECORD**

**WS502**

Project Name:	100 and 111 Cyfyng Road	Ground Level:	98
Site Location:	Pantteg	Easting:	276288
Client :	NPTCBC	Northing:	208255
Date of Testing:	24/11/2017		
Weather:	Dry and Cold		

Depth (m)	M blows per 100mm per 100mm	Correlated SPT-N Value (per 300mm)	Plot of Correlated SPT-N Value		Anticipated Soils. See App A. - WS502 for further detail.
			0	2 4 6 8 10 12	
GL	2 3	1	[Bar chart showing 1 blow]		Made Ground
0.50	2 8	3	[Bar chart showing 3 blows]		Made Ground - Possible reworked natural
1.00	5 11 7	3	[Bar chart showing 3 blows]		
1.50	9 13 10	3	[Bar chart showing 3 blows]		Possible Colluvium
2.00	12 28 38	10	[Bar chart showing 10 blows]		
2.50	20 21 23	6	[Bar chart showing 6 blows]		Grade E South Wales Middle Coal Measures Formation
3.00	25 29 36 50	8	[Bar chart showing 8 blows]		
3.50					
4.00					
4.50					
5.00					
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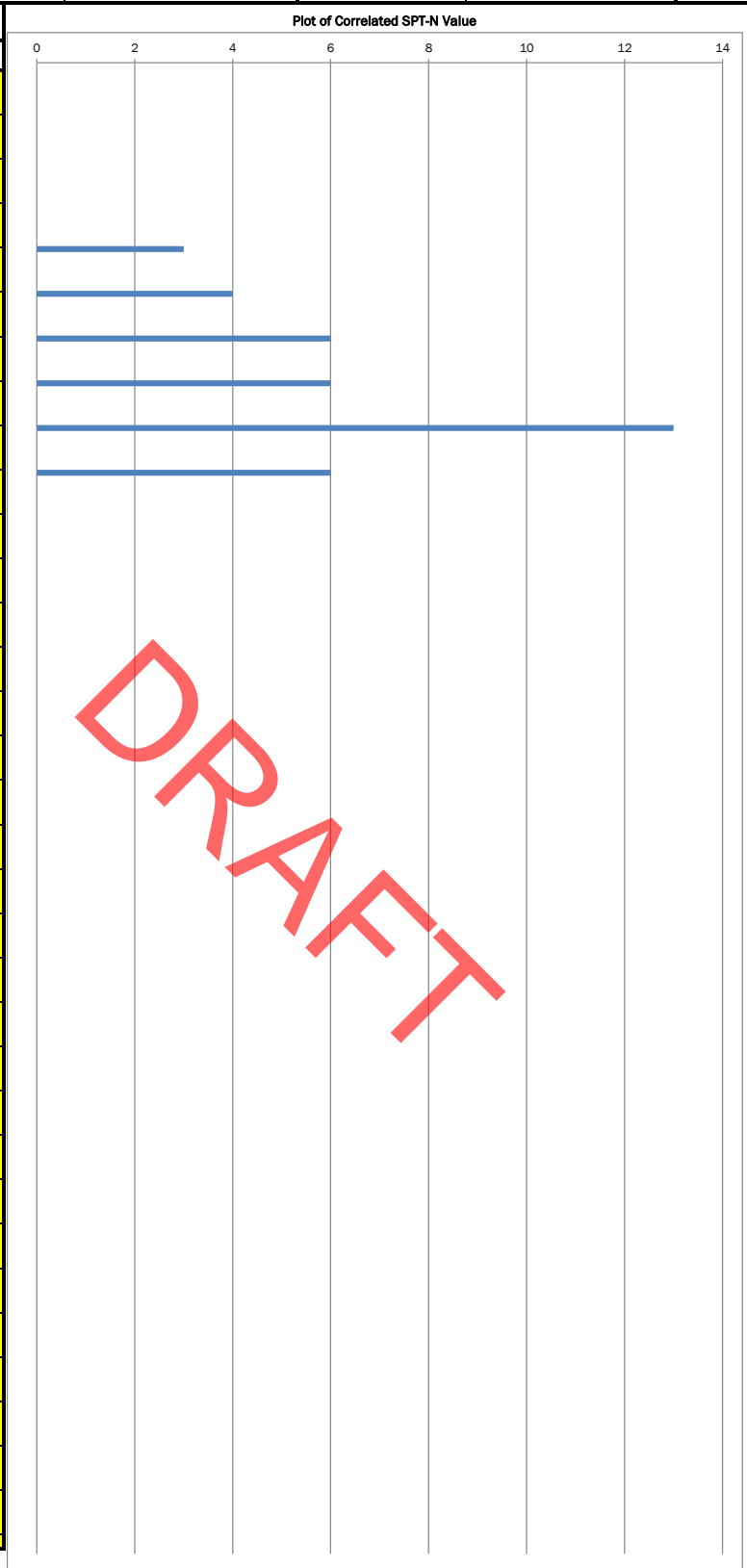
- Coordinates and elevation inferred from LIDAR data for the area (ESP, 2017)
- See WS502 record for detailed description of the ground conditions.
- Test ended at 2.9m due to refusal of the Mackintosh Probe.

**APPENDIX B - MACKINTOSH PROBE RECORD**

**WS503**

Project Name:	100 and 111 Cyfyng Road	Ground Level:	100
Site Location:	Pantteg	Easting:	276278
Client :	NPTCBC	Northing:	208256
Date of Testing:	24/11/2017		
Weather:	Dry and Cold		

Depth (m)	M blows per 100mm per 100mm	Correlated SPT-N Value (per 300mm)
GL		
0.50		
1.00		
1.50	8 12 19	3
2.00	15 23 18 21	4 6
2.50	21 23 32 55 62	6 6 13
3.00	70	6
3.50		
4.00		
4.50		
5.00		
5.50		
6.00		
6.50		
7.00		
7.50		
8.00		
8.50		
9.00		
9.50		
10.00		



**Anticipated Soils.**  
See App A. - WS503 for further detail.

Paved surface
Made Ground
Possible Colluvium
Grade E South Wales Middle Coal Measures Formation

**REMARKS:**

- Coordinates and elevation inferred from LIDAR data for the area (ESP, 2017)
- See WS503 record for detailed description of the ground conditions.
- Test ended at 2.8m due to refusal of the Mackintosh Probe.

**APPENDIX B - MACKINTOSH PROBE RECORD**

**WS504**

<b>Project Name:</b>	100 and 111 Cyfyng Road	<b>Ground Level:</b>	103
<b>Site Location:</b>	Pantteg	<b>Easting:</b>	276269
<b>Client :</b>	NPTCBC	<b>Northing:</b>	208261
<b>Date of Testing:</b>	24/11/2017		
<b>Weather:</b>	Dry and Cold		

Depth (m)	M blows per 100mm per 100mm	Correlated SPT-N Value (per 300mm)	Plot of Correlated SPT-N Value		Anticipated Soils. See App A. - WS504 for further detail.
			0	2 4 6 8 10 12	
GL	3 2 4 5	1	[Bar chart showing SPT-N values]		Made Ground
0.50	3 2 12 18 25	1	[Bar chart showing SPT-N values]		
1.00	29 30 40 39 38	8	[Bar chart showing SPT-N values]		Possilbe Colluvium
1.50	35 45 25 48 30	10	[Bar chart showing SPT-N values]		
2.00	33 25 34 30 34	10	[Bar chart showing SPT-N values]		Grade E South Wales Coal Measures Formation
2.50	40 30 65	8	[Bar chart showing SPT-N values]		
3.00		9	[Bar chart showing SPT-N values]		
3.50		6	[Bar chart showing SPT-N values]		
4.00			[Bar chart showing SPT-N values]		
4.50			[Bar chart showing SPT-N values]		
5.00			[Bar chart showing SPT-N values]		
5.50			[Bar chart showing SPT-N values]		
6.00			[Bar chart showing SPT-N values]		
6.50			[Bar chart showing SPT-N values]		
7.00			[Bar chart showing SPT-N values]		
7.50			[Bar chart showing SPT-N values]		
8.00			[Bar chart showing SPT-N values]		
8.50			[Bar chart showing SPT-N values]		
9.00			[Bar chart showing SPT-N values]		
9.50			[Bar chart showing SPT-N values]		
10.00			[Bar chart showing SPT-N values]		

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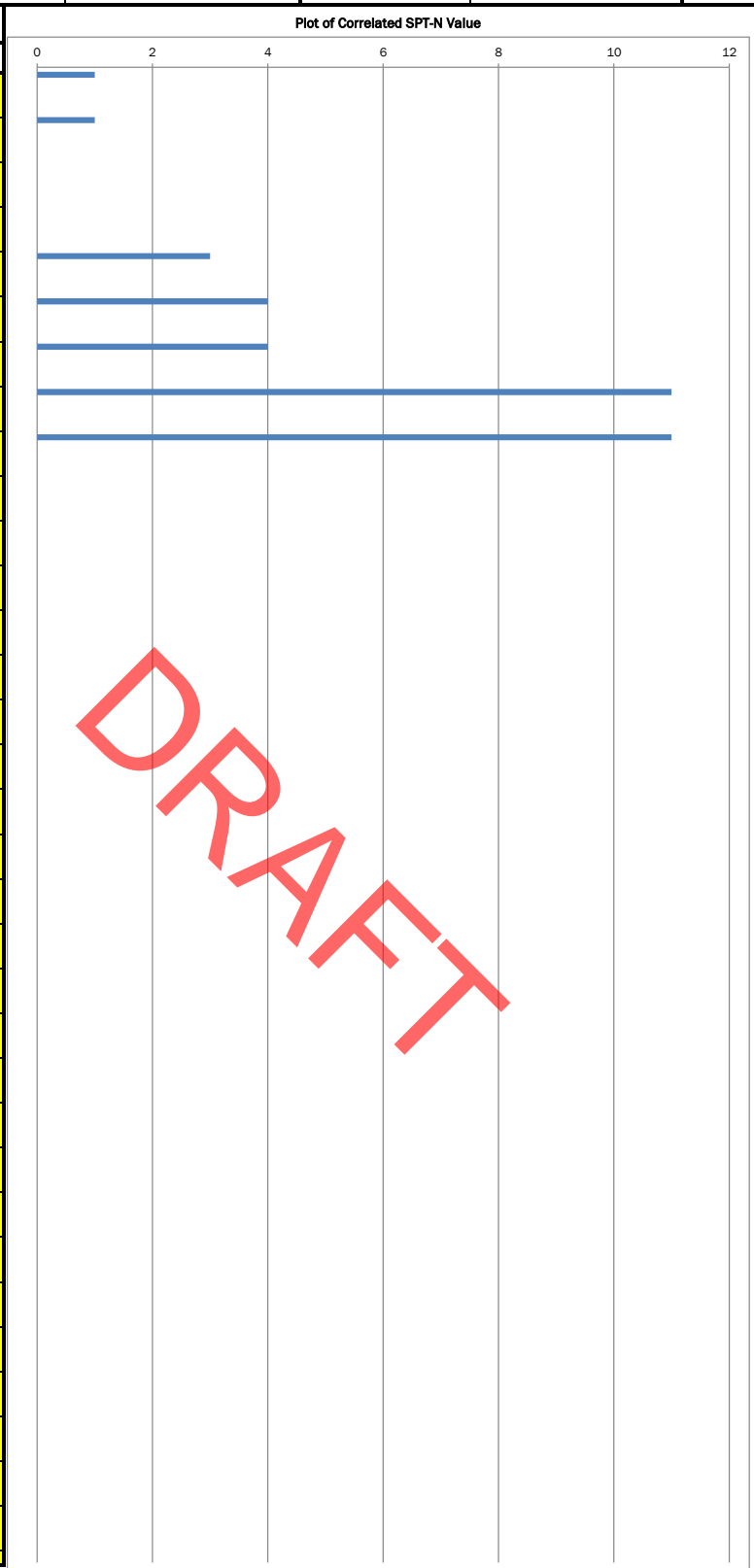
- Coordinates and elevation inferred from LIDAR data for the area (ESP, 2017)
- See WS504 record for detailed description of the ground conditions.
- Test ended at 2.8m due to refusal of the Mackintosh Probe.

**APPENDIX B - MACKINTOSH PROBE RECORD**

**WS505**

Project Name:	100 and 111 Cyfyng Road	Ground Level:	88
Site Location:	Pantteg	Easting:	276288
Client :	NPTCBC	Northing:	208210
Date of Testing:	24/11/2017		
Weather:	Dry and Cold		

Depth (m)	M blows per 100mm per 100mm	Correlated SPT-N Value (per 300mm)
GL	4 3 4 4	1
0.50	2 1 1 2 3	1
1.00	1 2 7 1	0
1.50	21 15 13 15 20	3
2.00	20 37 38 50 48	4
2.50	75	11
3.00		
3.50		
4.00		
4.50		
5.00		
5.50		
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6.50		
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7.50		
8.00		
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10.00		



Anticipated Soils.  
See App A - WS505 for further detail.

Made Ground

Possible Colluvium

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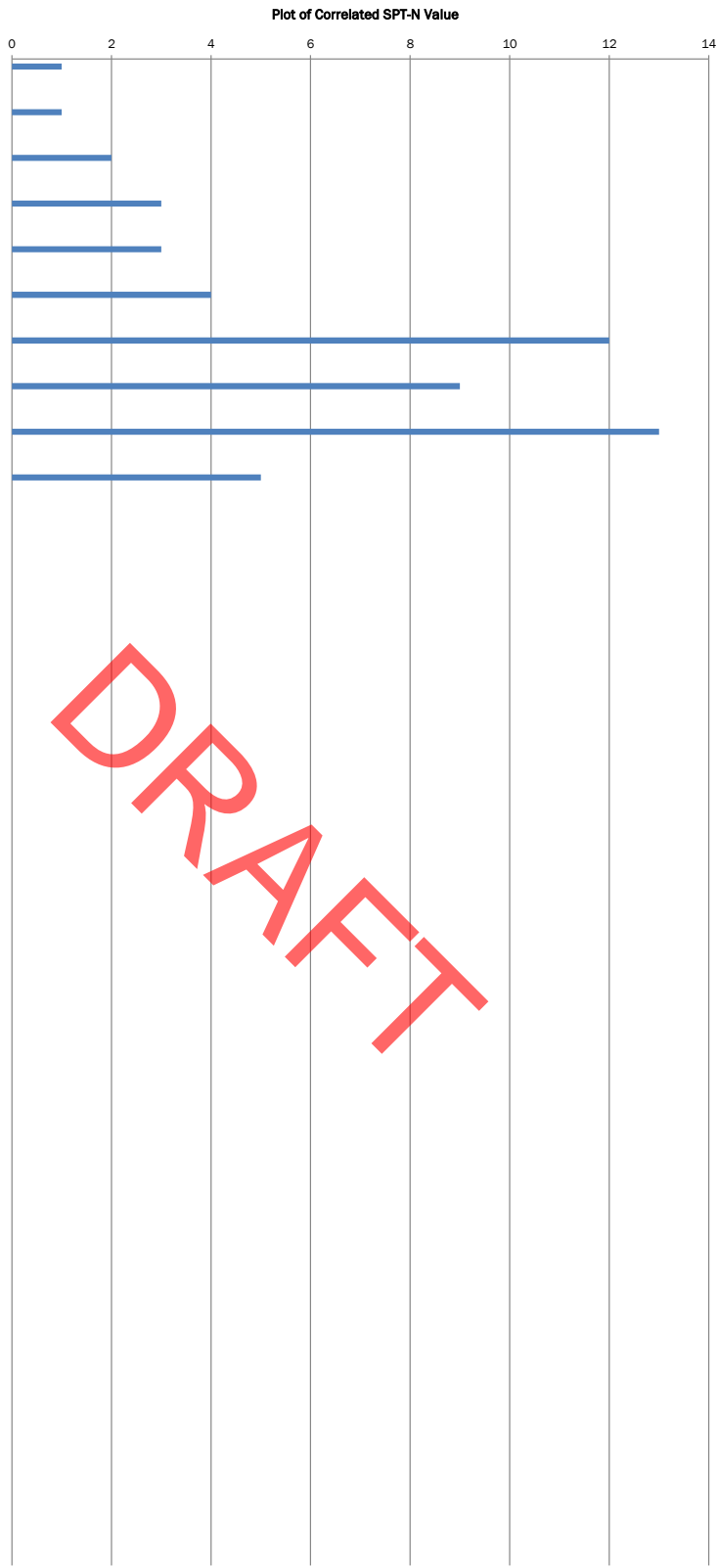
- Coordinates and elevation inferred from LIDAR data for the area (ESP, 2017)
- See WS505 record for detailed description of the ground conditions.
- Test ended at 2.6m due to refusal of the Mackintosh Probe.

**APPENDIX B - MACKINTOSH PROBE RECORD**

**WS506**

Project Name:	100 and 111 Cyfyng Road	Ground Level:	92
Site Location:	Pantteg	Easting:	276278
Client :	NPTCBC	Northing:	208205
Date of Testing:	24/11/2017		
Weather:	Dry and Cold		

Depth (m)	M blows per 100mm per 100mm	Correlated SPT-N Value (per 300mm)
GL	2 3	1
	2 2 3	1
0.50	3 8 11	2
	7 12	3
1.00	13 10	3
	10 15	4
1.50	13 14	12
	14 25 30	9
2.00	80 34 39	13
	30 35	5
2.50	43 65 59	
3.00		
3.50		
4.00		
4.50		
5.00		
5.50		
6.00		
6.50		
7.00		
7.50		
8.00		
8.50		
9.00		
9.50		
10.00		



Anticipated Soils.  
See App A. - WS506 for further detail.

Made Ground

Possible Colluvium

Grade E South Wales  
Middle Coal Measures  
Formation

**REMARKS:**

- Coordinates and elevation inferred from LIDAR data for the area (ESP, 2017)
- See WS506 record for detailed description of the ground conditions.
- Test ended at 2.8m due to refusal of the Mackintosh Probe.

**APPENDIX B - MACKINTOSH PROBE RECORD**

**WS507**

Project Name:	100 and 111 Cyfyng Road	Ground Level:	94
Site Location:	Pantteg	Easting:	276270
Client :	NPTCBC	Northing:	208213
Date of Testing:	24/11/2017		
Weather:	Dry and Cold		

Depth (m)	M blows per 100mm per 100mm	Correlated SPT-N Value (per 300mm)	Plot of Correlated SPT-N Value											Anticipated Soils. See App A. - WS507 for further detail.
			0	2	4	6	8	10	12	14				
GL	2	1	[Bar chart showing SPT-N value of 1 at ground level]											Made Ground
0.50	2	1	[Bar chart showing SPT-N value of 1 at 0.50m depth]											
	5	3	[Bar chart showing SPT-N value of 3 at 0.75m depth]											Grade E South Wales Middle Coal Measures
1.00	11	3	[Bar chart showing SPT-N value of 3 at 1.00m depth]											
	10	3	[Bar chart showing SPT-N value of 3 at 1.25m depth]											
1.50	7	3	[Bar chart showing SPT-N value of 3 at 1.50m depth]											
	12	3	[Bar chart showing SPT-N value of 3 at 1.75m depth]											
2.00	15	3	[Bar chart showing SPT-N value of 3 at 2.00m depth]											
	14	4	[Bar chart showing SPT-N value of 4 at 2.25m depth]											
2.50	14	4	[Bar chart showing SPT-N value of 4 at 2.50m depth]											
	16	4	[Bar chart showing SPT-N value of 4 at 2.75m depth]											
3.00	26	4	[Bar chart showing SPT-N value of 4 at 3.00m depth]											
	59	12	[Bar chart showing SPT-N value of 12 at 3.25m depth]											
3.50	50		[Bar chart showing SPT-N value of 12 at 3.50m depth]											
4.00			[Bar chart showing SPT-N value of 12 at 4.00m depth]											
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**REMARKS:**

- Coordinates and elevation inferred from LIDAR data for the area (ESP, 2017)
- See WS507 record for detailed description of the ground conditions.
- Test ended at 3.3m due to refusal of the Mackintosh Probe.



**APPENDIX B - MACKINTOSH PROBE RECORD**

**WS508**

<b>Project Name:</b>	100 and 111 Cyfyng Road	<b>Ground Level:</b>	96
<b>Site Location:</b>	Pantteg	<b>Easting:</b>	276266
<b>Client :</b>	NPTCBC	<b>Northing:</b>	208221
<b>Date of Testing:</b>	24/11/2017		
<b>Weather:</b>	Dry and Cold		

Depth (m)	M blows per 100mm per 100mm	Correlated SPT-N Value (per 300mm)	Plot of Correlated SPT-N Value										Anticipated Soils. See App A. - WS508 for further detail.	
			0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9		
GL	1 3 7 5 4	1	[Bar chart showing SPT-N values from 0 to 9]										Made Ground	
0.50	5 13 7 6 5	1	[Bar chart showing SPT-N values from 0 to 9]											
1.00	7 3 4 4 3	2	[Bar chart showing SPT-N values from 0 to 9]											
1.50	5 6 9 10 15	1	[Bar chart showing SPT-N values from 0 to 9]											
2.00	11 8 9 25 10	2	[Bar chart showing SPT-N values from 0 to 9]											
2.50	9 15 20 16 20	3	[Bar chart showing SPT-N values from 0 to 9]											Grade E South Wales Middle Coal Measures Formation
3.00	30 35 25 20 20	4	[Bar chart showing SPT-N values from 0 to 9]											
3.50	20 35 25	3	[Bar chart showing SPT-N values from 0 to 9]											
4.00		5	[Bar chart showing SPT-N values from 0 to 9]											
4.50		8	[Bar chart showing SPT-N values from 0 to 9]											
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**REMARKS:**

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- See WS508 record for detailed description of the ground conditions.
- Test ended at 3.8m due to refusal of the Mackintosh Probe.

Appendix C Geotechnical Laboratory Results

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# Laboratory Report



GEO Site & Testing Services Ltd

## Contract Number: 37620

Client Ref: **5859e.08**

Report Date: **06-01-2018**

Client PO: **6614 (Framework Rates)**

Client **Earth Science Partnership**  
**33 Cardiff Road**  
**Taff's Well**  
**Cardiff**  
**CF15 7RB**

Contract Title: **Pantteg, Ystalyfera**  
For the attention of: **Mat Elcock**

Date Received: **15-12-2017**  
Date Commenced: **15-12-2017**  
Date Completed: **06-01-2018**

Test Description	Qty
<b>Moisture Content</b> 1377 : 1990 Part 2 : 3.2 - * UKAS	8
<b>4 Point Liquid &amp; Plastic Limit (LL/PL)</b> 1377 : 1990 Part 2 : 4.3 & 5.3 - * UKAS	8
<b>PSD Wet Sieve method</b> 1377 : 1990 Part 2 : 9.2 - * UKAS	12
<b>Immediate Shear Strength - set of 3 60 x 60 mm Shear Box Specimens by Direct Shearing (note suitable for free draining material only)</b> BS1377 : Part 7 : 1990 Clause 4 - * UKAS	1
<b>Consolidated Drained Peak and Residual Shear Strength - set of 3 60 x 60mm Shear Box Specimens (5 days)</b> 1377 : 1990 Part 7 : 4 - * UKAS	3
<b>Disposal of Samples on Project</b>	1

Notes: **Observations and Interpretations are outside the UKAS Accreditation**  
\* - denotes test included in laboratory scope of accreditation  
# - denotes test carried out by approved contractor  
@ - denotes non accredited tests

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**LIQUID LIMIT, PLASTIC LIMIT AND PLASTICITY INDEX  
( BS 1377 : Part 2 : 1990 Method 5 )**

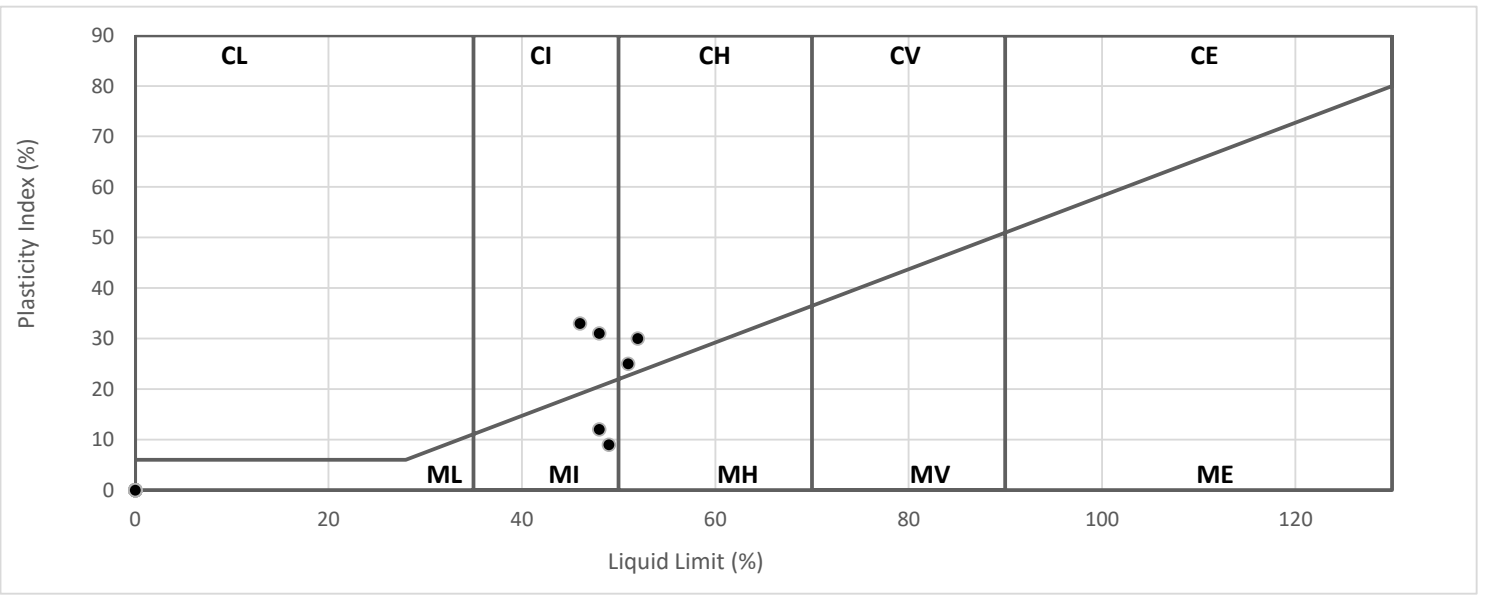
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Site Name	<b>Pantteg, Ystalyfera</b>


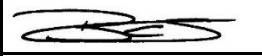
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WS501		D	0.30	-		31		NP		46	
WS501		D	1.00	-		25	52	22	30	79	CH High Plasticity
WS502		D	1.00	-		31	51	26	25	73	CH High Plasticity
WS503		D	0.40	-		26	48	36	12	46	MI Intermediate Plasticity
WS503		D	1.10	-		5.4		NP		5	
WS506		D	0.30	-		19	48	17	31	72	CI Intermediate Plasticity
WS506		D	1.20	-		18	46	13	33	34	CI Intermediate Plasticity
WS508		D	0.50	-		35	49	40	9	38	MI Intermediate Plasticity
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Symbols: NP : Non Plastic

# : Liquid Limit and Plastic Limit Wet Sieved

**PLASTICITY CHART FOR CASAGRANDE CLASSIFICATION  
BS 5930:1999+A2:2010**



Operators	Checked	05/01/2018	Sean Penn	
DB	Approved	06/01/2018	Ben Sharp	

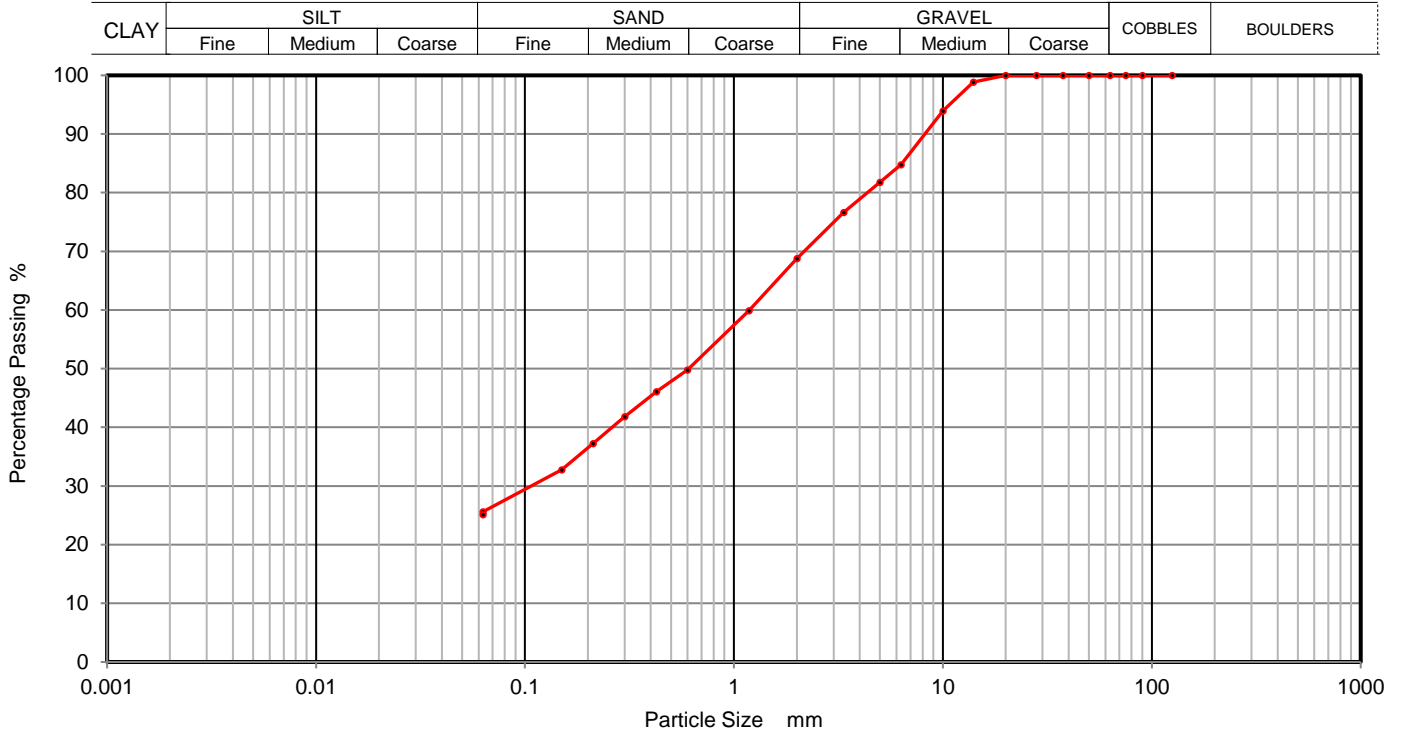




**PARTICLE SIZE DISTRIBUTION**  
**BS 1377 Part 2:1990**  
**Wet Sieve, Clause 9.2**

Contract Number	<b>37620</b>
Borehole/Pit No.	<b>WS501</b>
Sample No.	
Depth Top	<b>0.30</b>
Depth Base	
Sample Type	<b>D</b>

Site Name	<b>Pantteg, Ystalyfera</b>
Soil Description	Brown slightly clayey silty fine to medium gravelly fine to coarse SAND



Sieving		Sedimentation	
Particle Size mm	% Passing	Particle Size mm	% Passing
125	100	0.0200	
90	100	0.0060	
75	100	0.0019	
63	100		
50	100		
37.5	100		
28	100		
20	100		
14	99		
10	94		
6.3	85		
5	82		
3.35	77		
2	69		
1.18	60		
0.6	50		
0.425	46		
0.3	42		
0.212	37		
0.15	33		
0.063	26		

Sample Proportions	% dry mass
Cobbles	0
Gravel	31
Sand	43
Silt and Clay	26

Grading Analysis	
Uniformity Coefficient	

Remarks  
 Preparation and testing in accordance with BS1377 unless noted below

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**Wet Sieve, Clause 9.2**

Contract Number **37620**

Borehole/Pit No. **WS501**

Site Name **Pantteg, Ystalyfera**

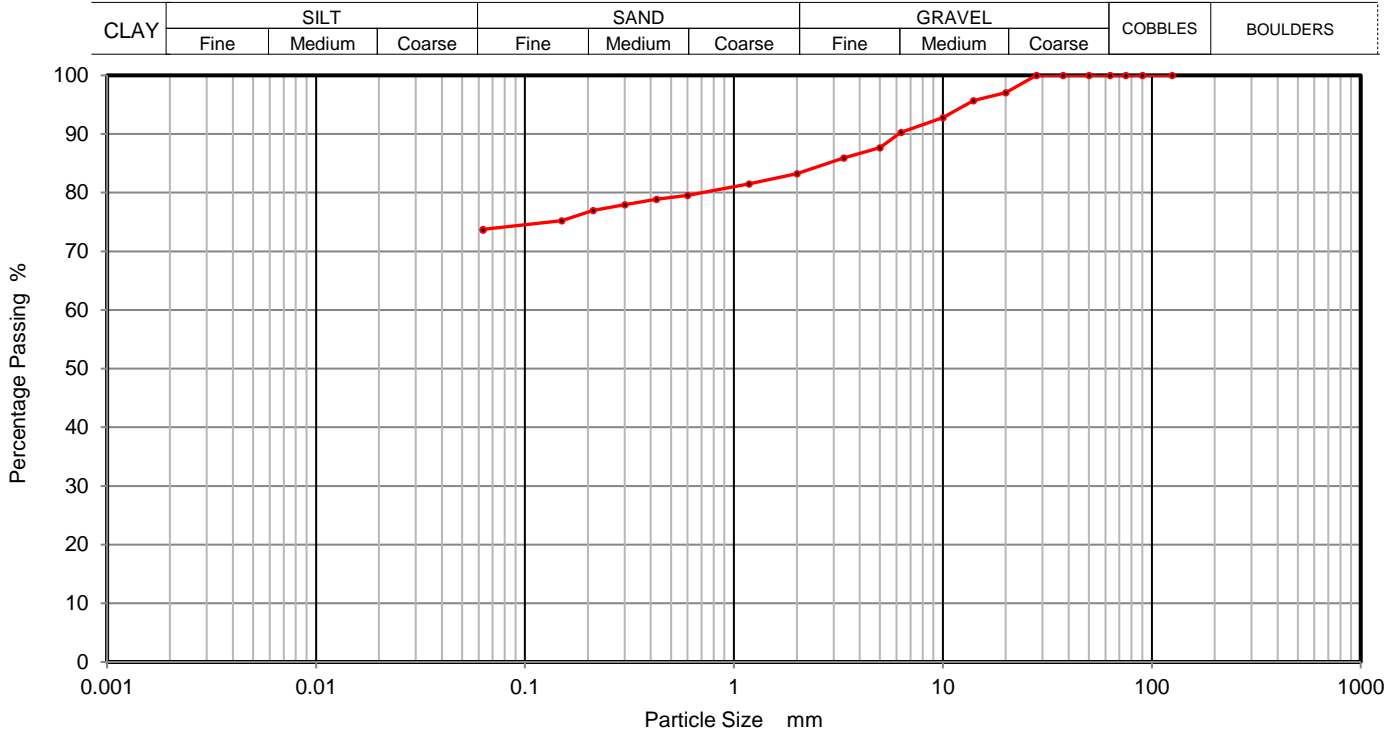
Sample No.

Soil Description **Brown slightly fine to coarse sandy fine to coarse gravelly silty CLAY**

Depth Top **1.00**

Depth Base

Sample Type **D**



Sieving		Sedimentation	
Particle Size mm	% Passing	Particle Size mm	% Passing
125	100	0.0200	
90	100	0.0060	
75	100	0.0019	
63	100		
50	100		
37.5	100		
28	100		
20	97		
14	96		
10	93		
6.3	90		
5	88		
3.35	86		
2	83		
1.18	82		
0.6	80		
0.425	79		
0.3	78		
0.212	77		
0.15	75		
0.063	74		

Sample Proportions	% dry mass
Cobbles	0
Gravel	17
Sand	9
Silt and Clay	74

Grading Analysis	
Uniformity Coefficient	

Remarks  
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Contract Number **37620**

Borehole/Pit No. **WS501**

Site Name **Pantteg, Ystalyfera**

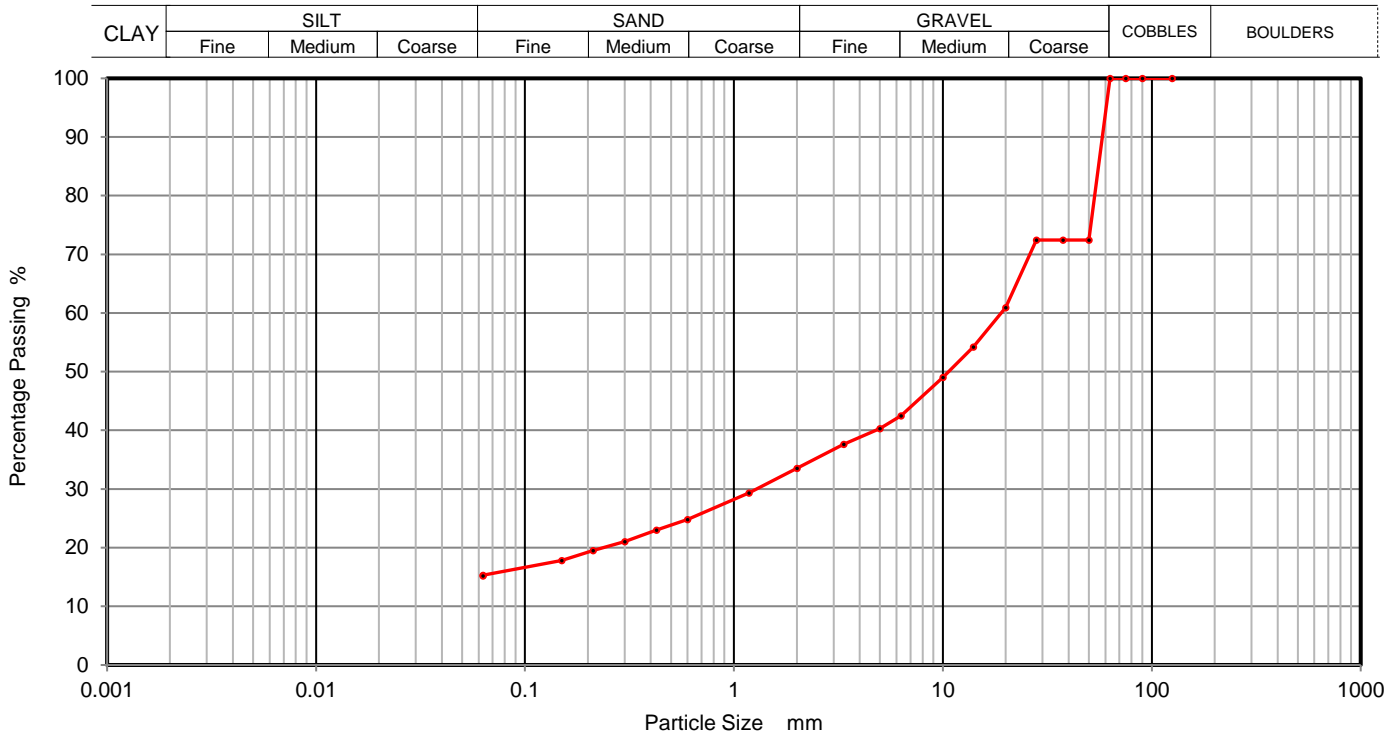
Sample No.

Soil Description  
Brown silty fine to coarse sandy fine to coarse GRAVEL

Depth Top **2.60**

Depth Base

Sample Type **D**



Sieving		Sedimentation	
Particle Size mm	% Passing	Particle Size mm	% Passing
125	100	0.0200	
90	100	0.0060	
75	100	0.0019	
63	100		
50	72		
37.5	72		
28	72		
20	61		
14	54		
10	49		
6.3	42		
5	40		
3.35	38		
2	34		
1.18	29		
0.6	25		
0.425	23		
0.3	21		
0.212	20		
0.15	18		
0.063	15		

Sample Proportions	% dry mass
Cobbles	0
Gravel	66
Sand	19
Silt and Clay	15

Grading Analysis	
Uniformity Coefficient	

Remarks  
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Contract Number **37620**

Borehole/Pit No. **WS502**

Site Name **Pantteg, Ystalyfera**

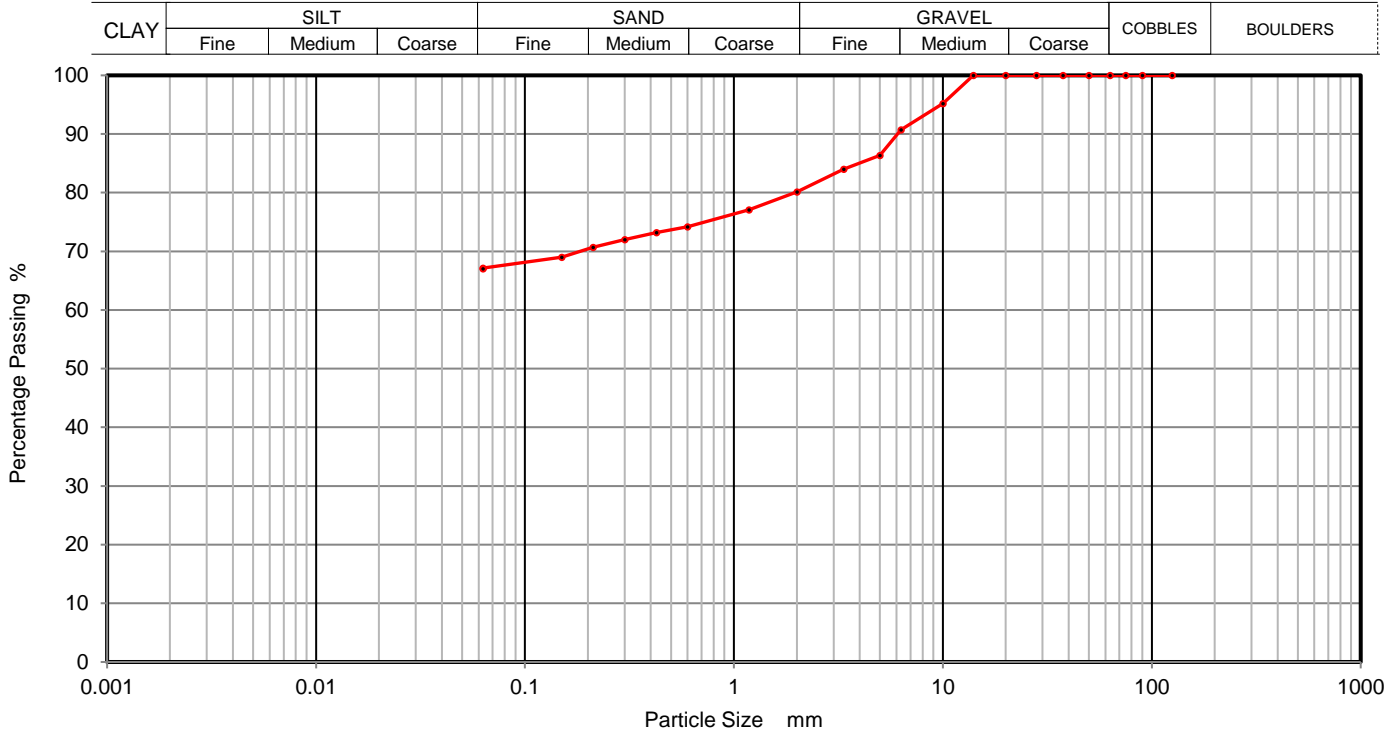
Sample No.

Soil Description **Brown fine to coarse sandy fine to medium gravelly silty CLAY**

Depth Top **1.00**

Depth Base

Sample Type **D**



Sieving		Sedimentation	
Particle Size mm	% Passing	Particle Size mm	% Passing
125	100	0.0200	
90	100	0.0060	
75	100	0.0019	
63	100		
50	100		
37.5	100		
28	100		
20	100		
14	100		
10	95		
6.3	91		
5	86		
3.35	84		
2	80		
1.18	77		
0.6	74		
0.425	73		
0.3	72		
0.212	71		
0.15	69		
0.063	67		

Sample Proportions	% dry mass
Cobbles	0
Gravel	20
Sand	13
Silt and Clay	67

Grading Analysis	
Uniformity Coefficient	

Remarks  
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Contract Number **37620**

Borehole/Pit No. **WS503**

Site Name **Pantteg, Ystalyfera**

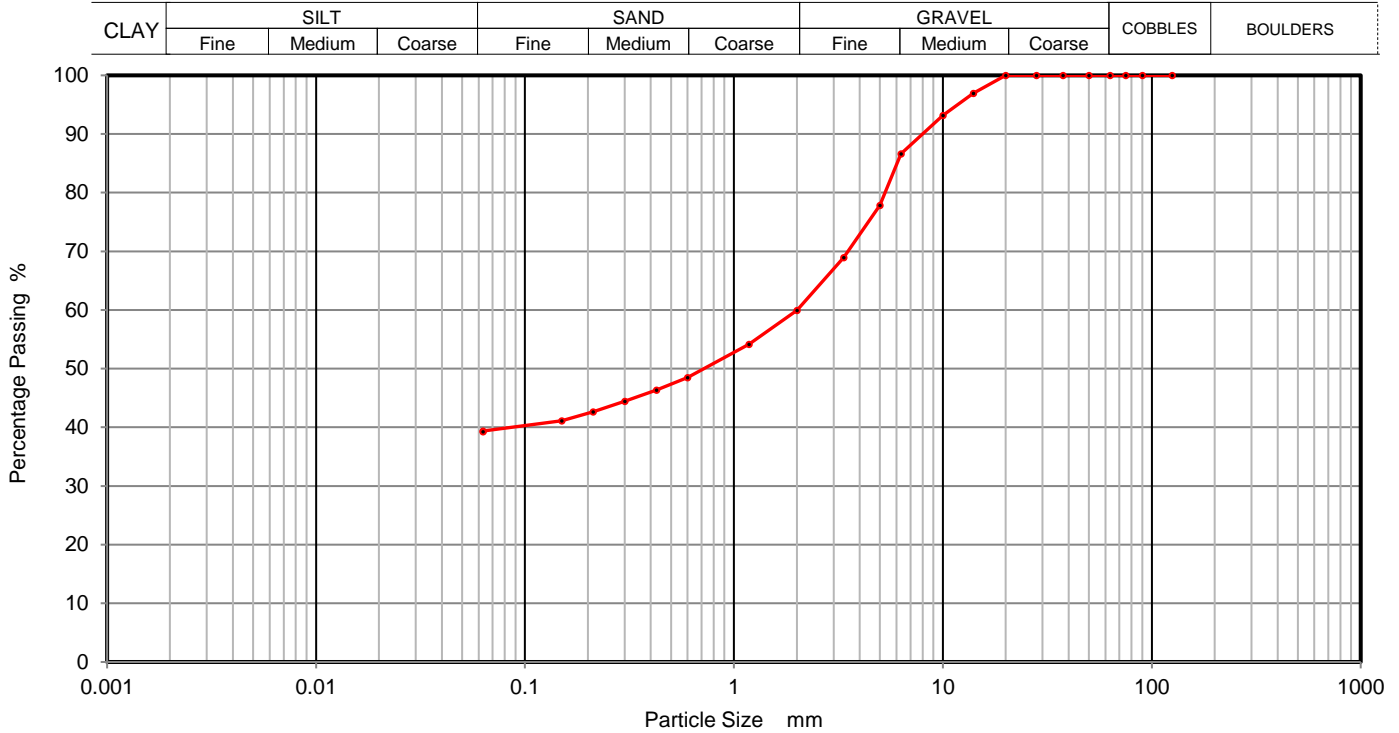
Sample No.

Soil Description  
Brown fine to coarse sandy clayey silty fine to medium GRAVEL

Depth Top **0.40**

Depth Base

Sample Type **D**



Sieving		Sedimentation	
Particle Size mm	% Passing	Particle Size mm	% Passing
125	100	0.0200	
90	100	0.0060	
75	100	0.0019	
63	100		
50	100		
37.5	100		
28	100		
20	100		
14	97		
10	93		
6.3	87		
5	78		
3.35	69		
2	60		
1.18	54		
0.6	48		
0.425	46		
0.3	44		
0.212	43		
0.15	41		
0.063	39		

Sample Proportions	% dry mass
Cobbles	0
Gravel	40
Sand	21
Silt and Clay	39

Grading Analysis	
Uniformity Coefficient	

Remarks  
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Contract Number **37620**

Borehole/Pit No. **WS503**

Site Name **Pantteg, Ystalyfera**

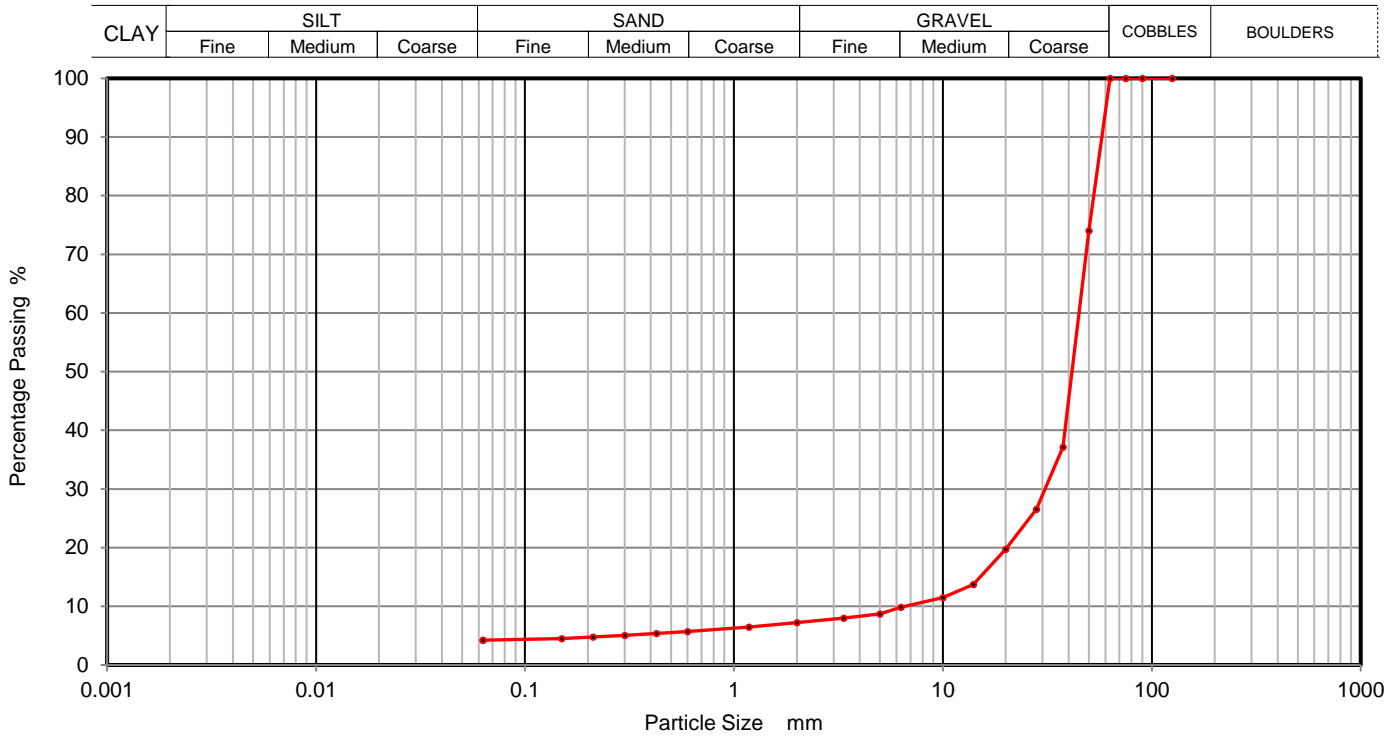
Sample No.

Soil Description **Brown slightly clayey slightly silty slightly fine to coarse sandy fine to coarse GRAVEL**

Depth Top **1.10**

Depth Base

Sample Type **D**



Sieving		Sedimentation	
Particle Size mm	% Passing	Particle Size mm	% Passing
125	100	0.0200	
90	100	0.0060	
75	100	0.0019	
63	100		
50	74		
37.5	37		
28	27		
20	20		
14	14		
10	12		
6.3	10		
5	9		
3.35	8		
2	7		
1.18	6		
0.6	6		
0.425	5		
0.3	5		
0.212	5		
0.15	5		
0.063	4		

Sample Proportions	% dry mass
Cobbles	0
Gravel	93
Sand	3
Silt and Clay	4

Grading Analysis	
Uniformity Coefficient	

Remarks  
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Borehole/Pit No. **WS503**

Site Name **Pantteg, Ystalyfera**

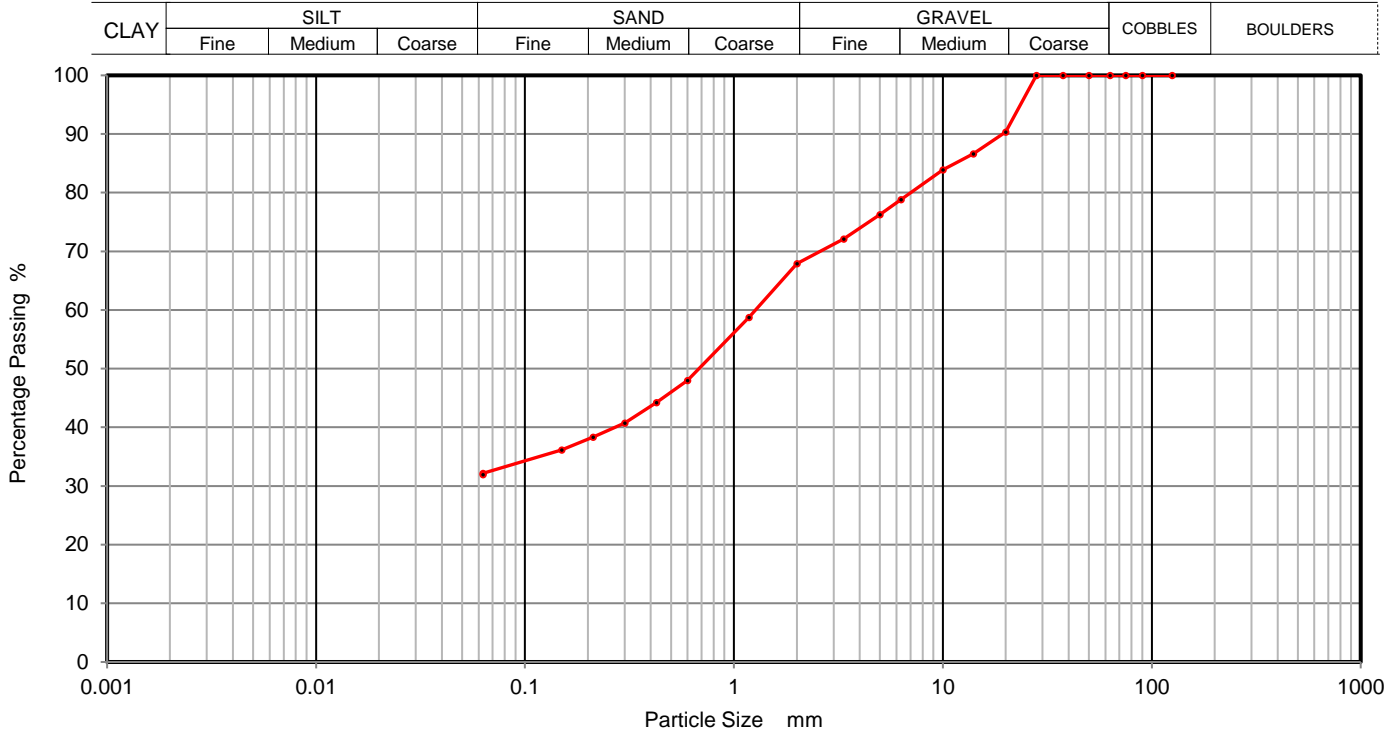
Sample No.

Soil Description  
Brown fine to coarse gravelly silty fine to coarse SAND

Depth Top **2.00**

Depth Base

Sample Type **D**



Sieving		Sedimentation	
Particle Size mm	% Passing	Particle Size mm	% Passing
125	100	0.0200	
90	100	0.0060	
75	100	0.0019	
63	100		
50	100		
37.5	100		
28	100		
20	90		
14	87		
10	84		
6.3	79		
5	76		
3.35	72		
2	68		
1.18	59		
0.6	48		
0.425	44		
0.3	41		
0.212	38		
0.15	36		
0.063	32		

Sample Proportions	% dry mass
Cobbles	0
Gravel	32
Sand	36
Silt and Clay	32

Grading Analysis	
Uniformity Coefficient	

Remarks  
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Contract Number **37620**

Borehole/Pit No. **WS506**

Site Name **Pantteg, Ystalyfera**

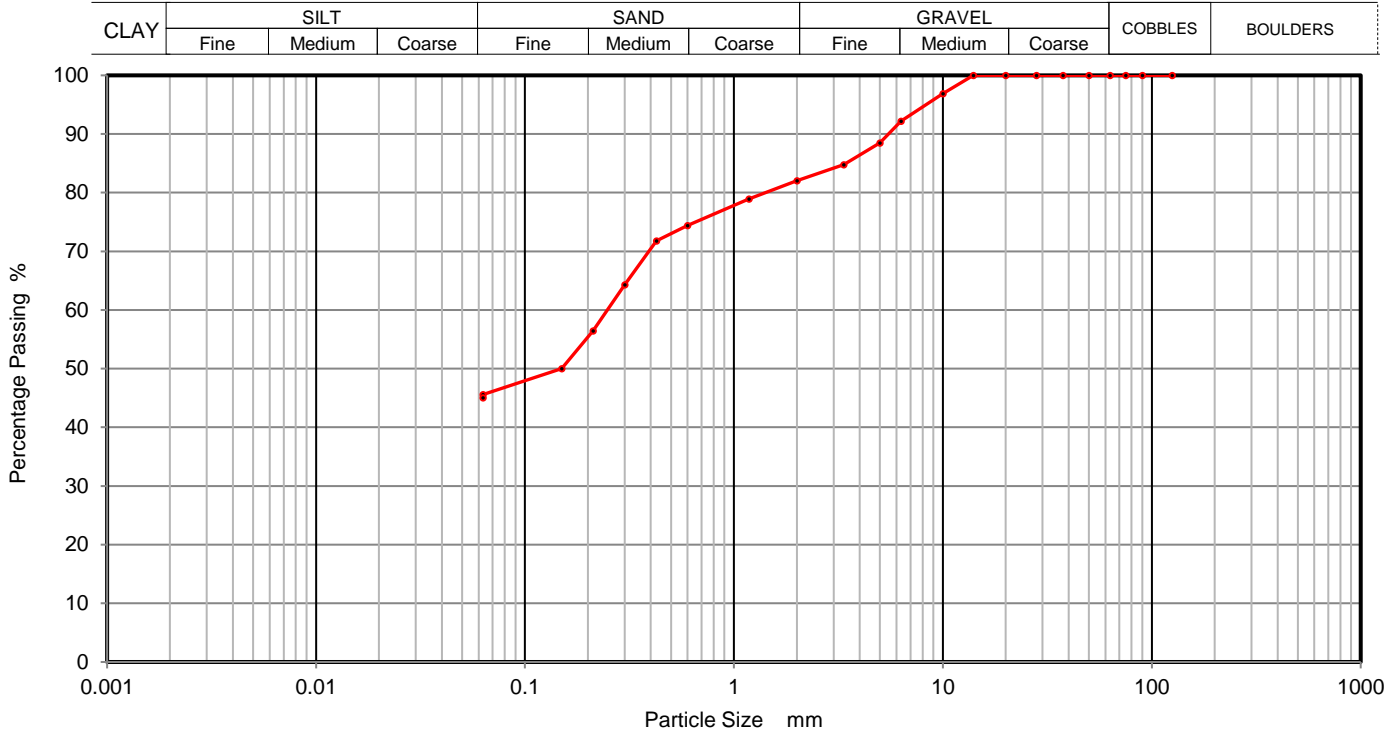
Sample No.

Soil Description **Brown fine to medium gravelly fine to coarse sandy silty CLAY.(With rootlets)**

Depth Top **0.30**

Depth Base

Sample Type **D**



Sieving		Sedimentation	
Particle Size mm	% Passing	Particle Size mm	% Passing
125	100	0.0200	
90	100	0.0060	
75	100	0.0019	
63	100		
50	100		
37.5	100		
28	100		
20	100		
14	100		
10	97		
6.3	92		
5	88		
3.35	85		
2	82		
1.18	79		
0.6	74		
0.425	72		
0.3	64		
0.212	56		
0.15	50		
0.063	46		

Sample Proportions	% dry mass
Cobbles	0
Gravel	18
Sand	36
Silt and Clay	46

Grading Analysis	
Uniformity Coefficient	

Remarks  
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Contract Number **37620**

Borehole/Pit No. **WS506**

Site Name **Pantteg, Ystalyfera**

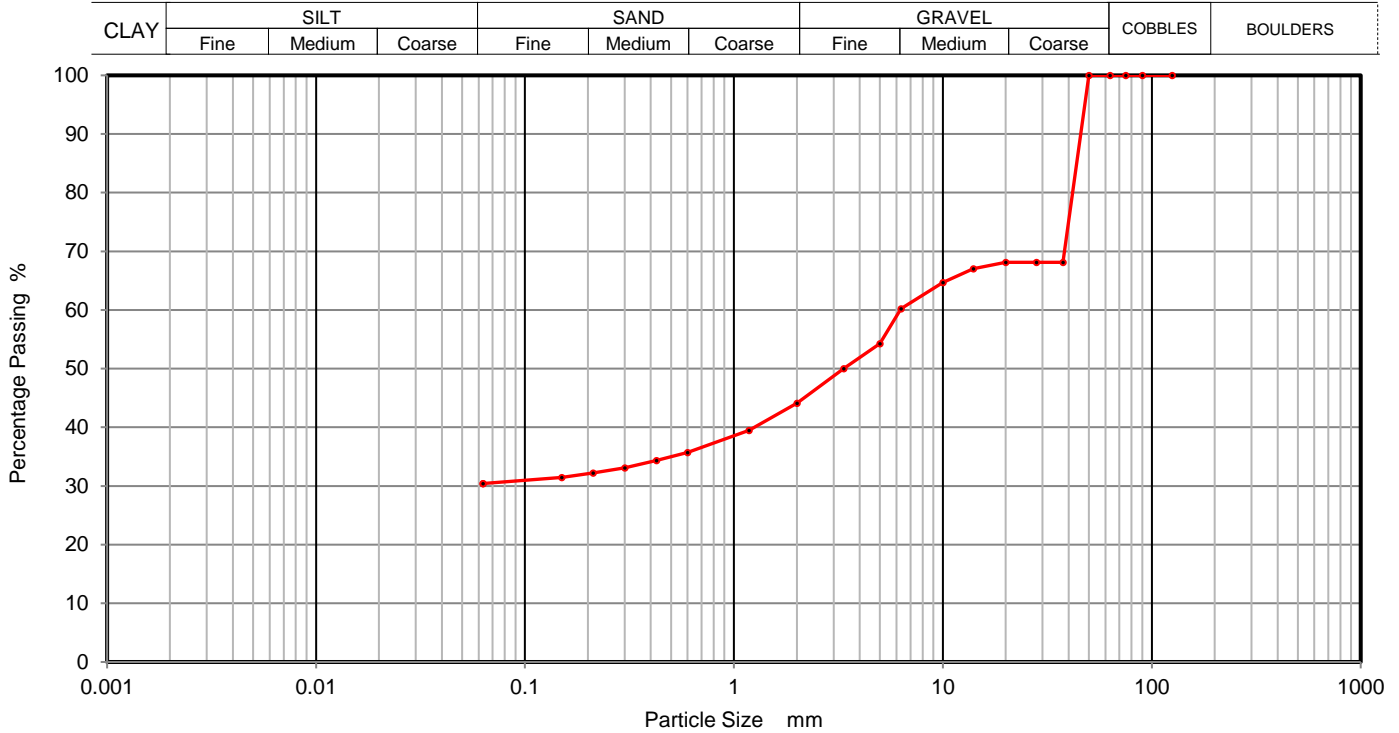
Sample No.

Soil Description **Brown fine to coarse sandy silty clayey fine to coarse GRAVEL**

Depth Top **1.20**

Depth Base

Sample Type **D**



Sieving		Sedimentation	
Particle Size mm	% Passing	Particle Size mm	% Passing
125	100	0.0200	
90	100	0.0060	
75	100	0.0019	
63	100		
50	100		
37.5	68		
28	68		
20	68		
14	67		
10	65		
6.3	60		
5	54		
3.35	50		
2	44		
1.18	39		
0.6	36		
0.425	34		
0.3	33		
0.212	32		
0.15	31		
0.063	30		

Sample Proportions	% dry mass
Cobbles	0
Gravel	56
Sand	14
Silt and Clay	30

Grading Analysis	
Uniformity Coefficient	

Remarks  
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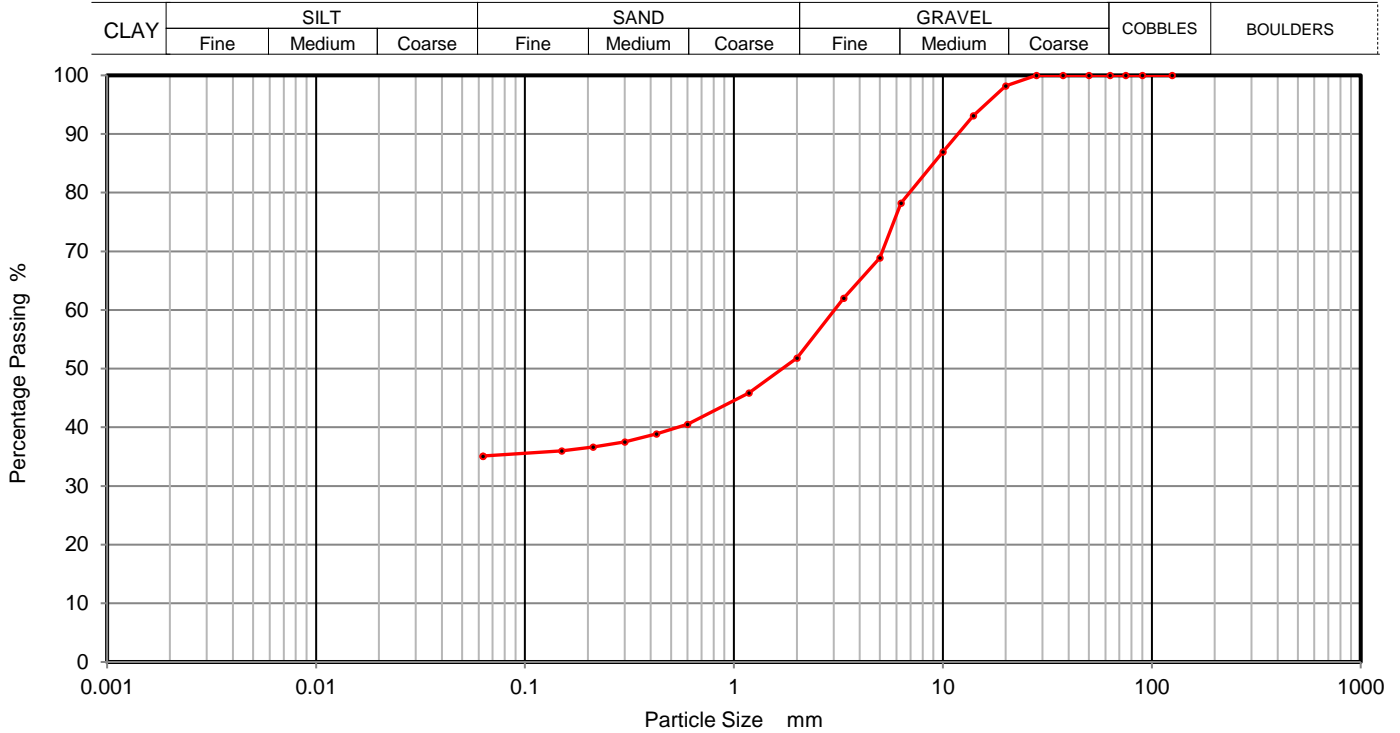
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Contract Number	<b>37620</b>
Borehole/Pit No.	<b>WS506</b>
Site Name	<b>Pantteg, Ystalyfera</b>
Sample No.	
Soil Description	Brown fine to coarse sandy silty clayey fine to coarse GRAVEL
Depth Top	<b>2.40</b>
Depth Base	
Sample Type	<b>D</b>



Sieving		Sedimentation	
Particle Size mm	% Passing	Particle Size mm	% Passing
125	100	0.0200	
90	100	0.0060	
75	100	0.0019	
63	100		
50	100		
37.5	100		
28	100		
20	98		
14	93		
10	87		
6.3	78		
5	69		
3.35	62		
2	52		
1.18	46		
0.6	41		
0.425	39		
0.3	38		
0.212	37		
0.15	36		
0.063	35		

Sample Proportions	% dry mass
Cobbles	0
Gravel	48
Sand	17
Silt and Clay	35

Grading Analysis	
Uniformity Coefficient	

Remarks  
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Contract Number **37620**

Borehole/Pit No. **WS508**

Site Name **Pantteg, Ystalyfera**

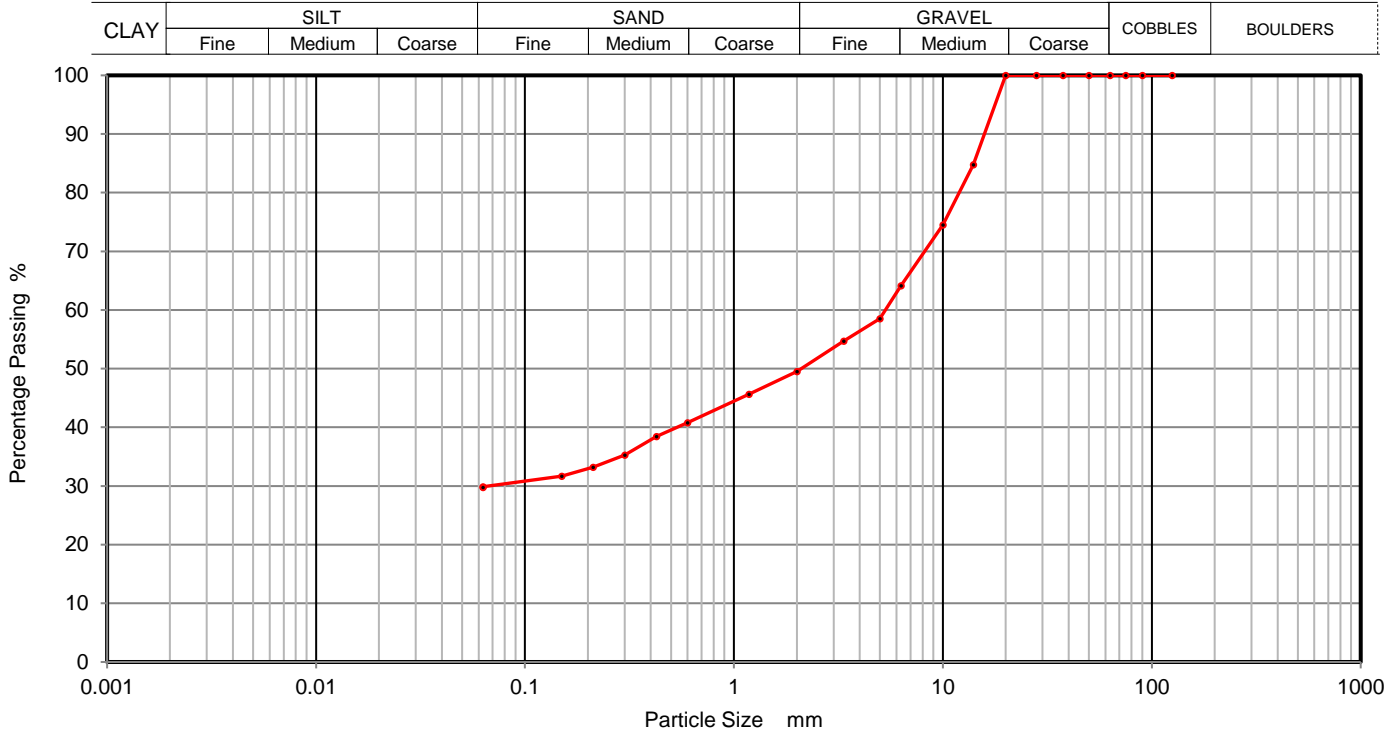
Sample No.

Soil Description  
Brown fine to coarse sandy clayey silty fine to medium GRAVEL

Depth Top **0.50**

Depth Base

Sample Type **D**



Sieving		Sedimentation	
Particle Size mm	% Passing	Particle Size mm	% Passing
125	100	0.0200	
90	100	0.0060	
75	100	0.0019	
63	100		
50	100		
37.5	100		
28	100		
20	100		
14	85		
10	75		
6.3	64		
5	59		
3.35	55		
2	50		
1.18	46		
0.6	41		
0.425	38		
0.3	35		
0.212	33		
0.15	32		
0.063	30		

Sample Proportions	% dry mass
Cobbles	0
Gravel	50
Sand	20
Silt and Clay	30

Grading Analysis	
Uniformity Coefficient	

Remarks  
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Contract Number **37620**

Borehole/Pit No. **WS508**

Site Name **Pantteg, Ystalyfera**

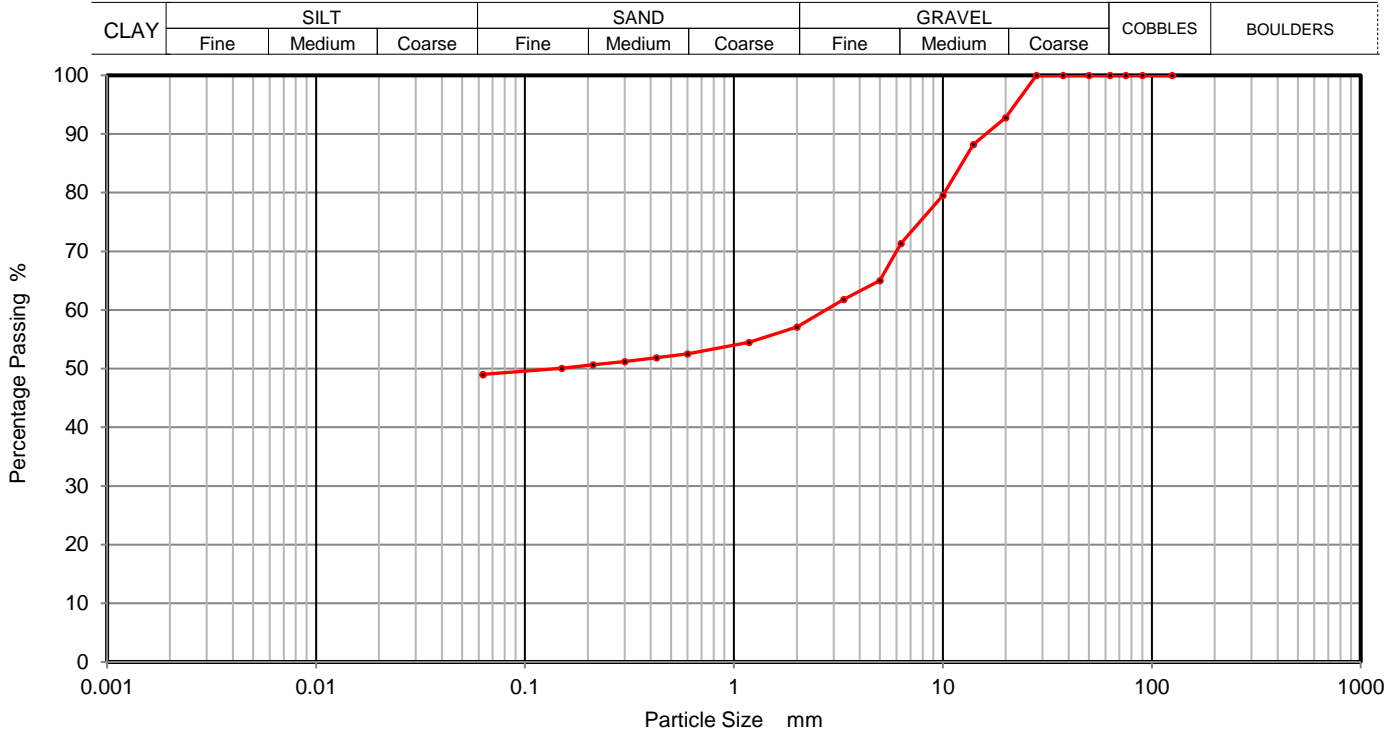
Sample No.

Soil Description **Brown slightly fine to coarse sandy fine to coarse gravelly silty CLAY**

Depth Top **2.00**

Depth Base

Sample Type **D**



Sieving		Sedimentation	
Particle Size mm	% Passing	Particle Size mm	% Passing
125	100	0.0200	
90	100	0.0060	
75	100	0.0019	
63	100		
50	100		
37.5	100		
28	100		
20	93		
14	88		
10	80		
6.3	71		
5	65		
3.35	62		
2	57		
1.18	54		
0.6	53		
0.425	52		
0.3	51		
0.212	51		
0.15	50		
0.063	49		

Sample Proportions	% dry mass
Cobbles	0
Gravel	43
Sand	8
Silt and Clay	49

Grading Analysis	
Uniformity Coefficient	

Remarks  
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# Test Report: Quick Shearbox Test

BS1377:Part 7:4.5 :1990.

Borehole: WS505 + WS506      Depth (m) from: 0.4 + 0.30  
 Sample Number :                      Depth (m) to: 0.00

Sample Type:	B
Particle Density - Mg/m <sup>3</sup> :	2.65 (Assumed)
Specimen Tested:	Submerged, Remoulded material above 2.00mm removed

Sample Description:

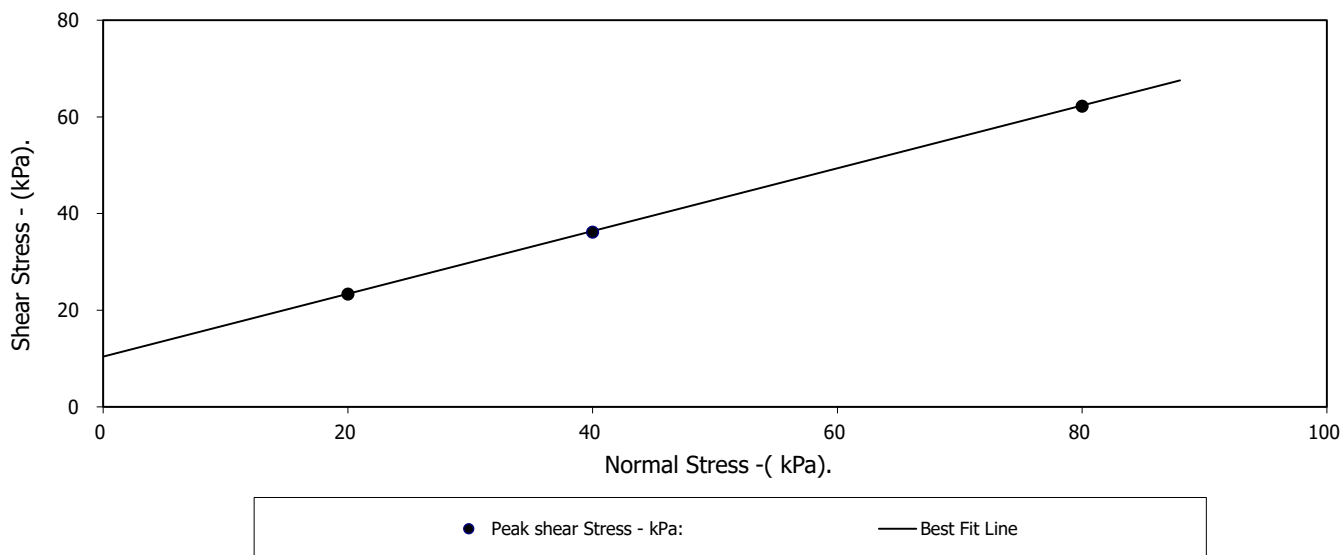
**Black slightly clayey sandy GRAVEL (fine-coarse/angular-subrounded)**

STAGE	1	2	3
<b>Initial Conditions</b>			
Height - mm:	23.98	23.98	23.98
Length - mm:	60.00	60.00	60.00
Moisture Content - %:	8	8	8
Bulk Density - Mg/m <sup>3</sup> :	1.33	1.33	1.33
Dry Density - Mg/m <sup>3</sup> :	1.23	1.23	1.23
Voids Ratio:	1.1542	1.1486	1.1468
Normal Pressure- kPa	20	40	80
<b>Consolidation</b>			
Consolidated Height - mm:	23.89	23.56	23.23
<b>Shear</b>			
Rate of Strain (mm/min)	0.625	0.625	0.625
Strain at peak shear stress (mm)	4.34	5.19	5.26
Peak shear Stress - kPa:	23	36	62

**PEAK**

Angle of Shearing Resistance:( $\theta$ )	33.0
Effective Cohesion - kPa:	10

FAILURE CONDITIONS



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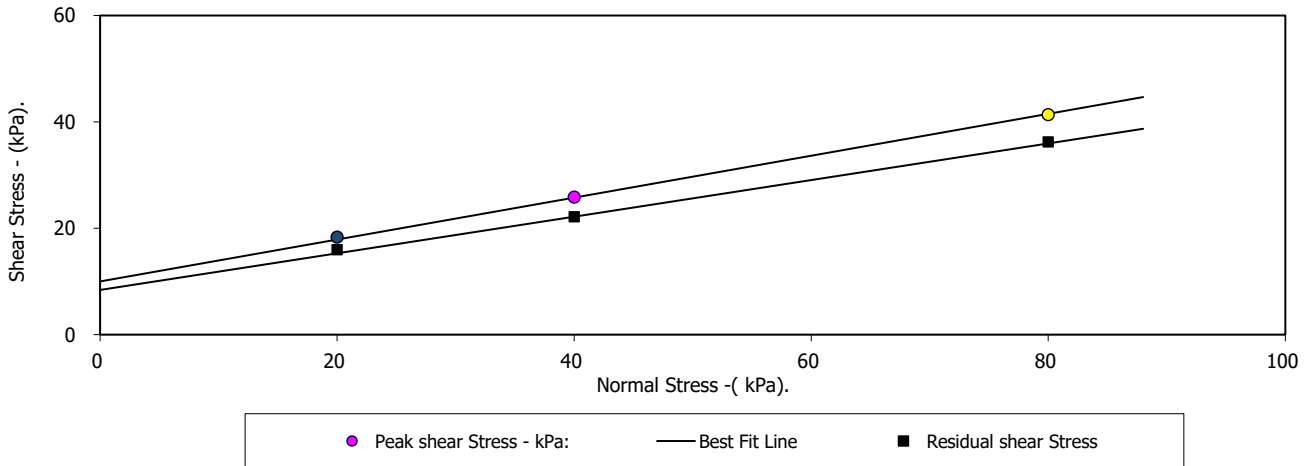
# Test Report: CONSOLIDATED DRAINED PEAK AND RESIDUAL SHEARBOX TEST.

BS1377:Part 7.4.5.5 Shearing: multi-reversal test :1990

Borehole Number:	WS2	Depth from (m):	0.70
Sample Number:		Depth to (m):	0.00
Sample Type:	D	Remoulded (Light Tamping) material above 2.5mm removed	
Particle Density - Mg/m <sup>3</sup> :	2.65	(Assumed)	
Specimen Tested:	Submerged		
Sample Description: <b>Brown slightly silty slightly gravelly (fine-coarse/angular-subangular) soft CLAY</b>			
<b>STAGE</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>Initial Conditions</b>			
Height - mm:	23.98	23.98	23.98
Length - mm:	60.00	60.00	60.00
Moisture Content - %:	37	37	37
Bulk Density - Mg/m <sup>3</sup> :	1.77	1.78	1.78
Dry Density - Mg/m <sup>3</sup> :	1.29	1.29	1.30
Voids Ratio:	1.0531	1.0477	1.0451
Normal Pressure- kPa	20	40	80
<b>Consolidation</b>			
Consolidated Height - mm:	23.84	23.19	22.51
<b>Shear</b>			
Rate of Strain (mm/min)	0.010	0.010	0.010
Strain at peak shear stress (mm)	3.69	3.53	5.61
Peak shear Stress - kPa:	18	26	41

<b>PEAK</b>	
Angle of Shearing Resistance:( $\theta$ )	<b>21.5</b>
Effective Cohesion - kPa:	<b>10</b>
<b>RESIDUAL</b>	
Angle of Shearing Resistance:( $\theta$ )	<b>19.0</b>
Effective Cohesion - kPa:	<b>8</b>

Failure Conditions



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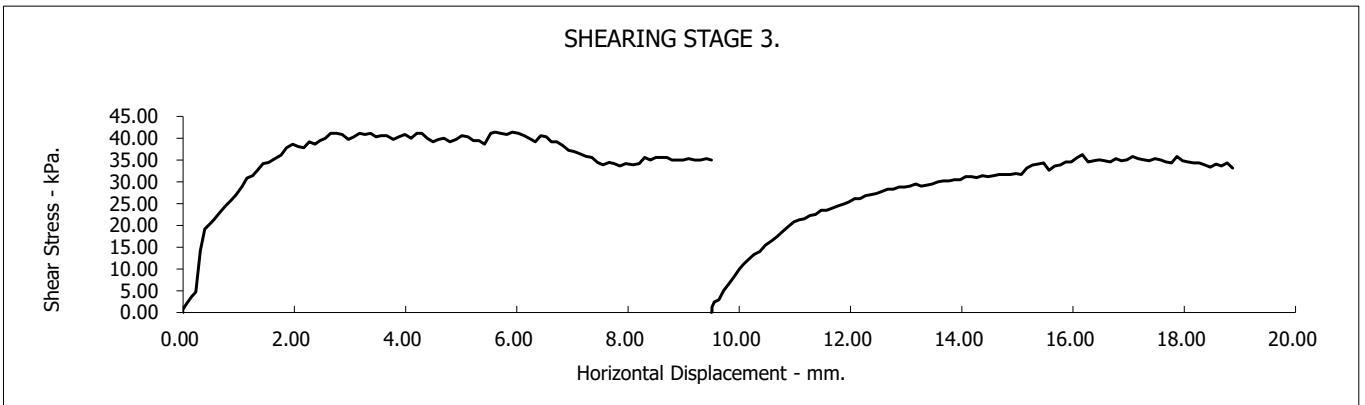
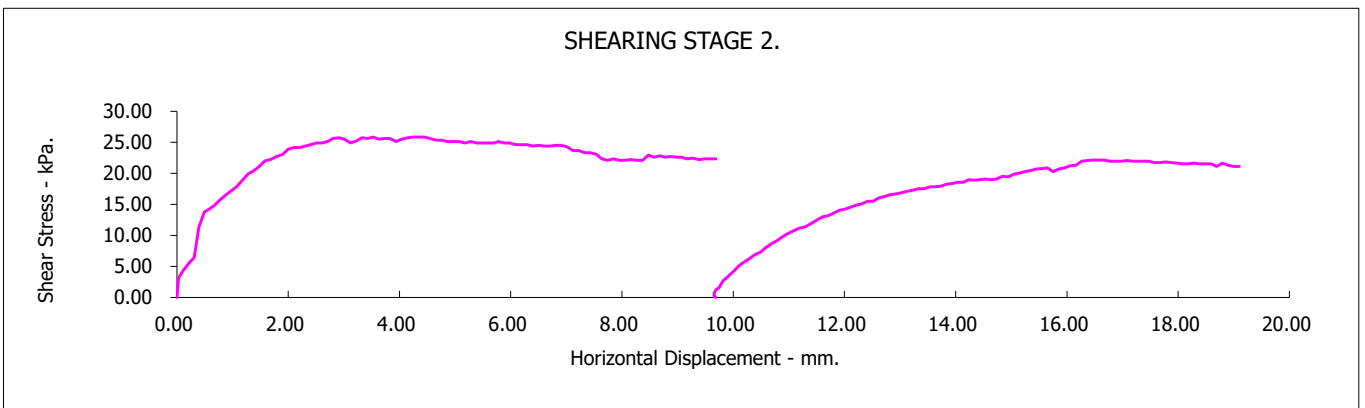
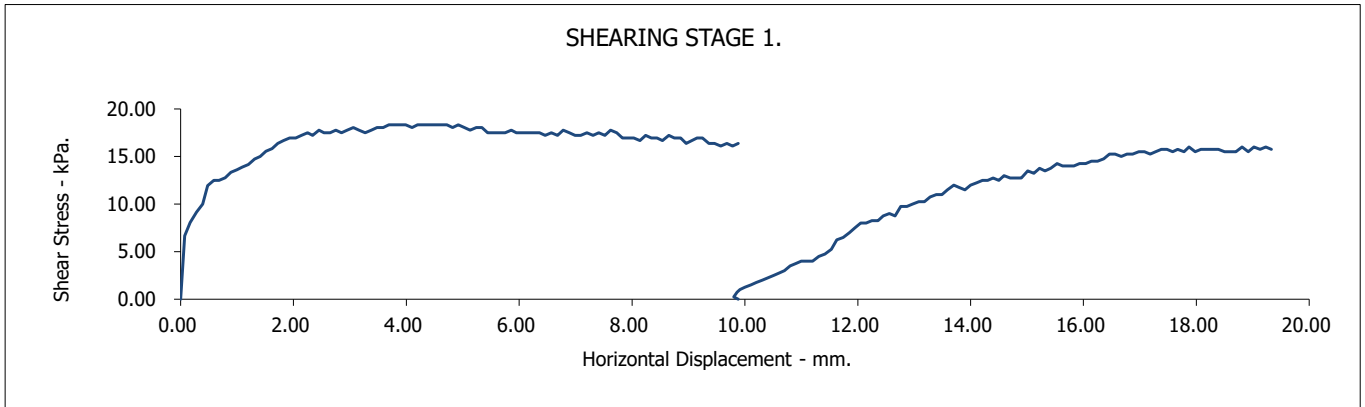
BS1377:Part 7.4.5.5 Shearing: multi-reversal test :1990

Borehole/Sample Number:

WS2

Depth (m):

0.70



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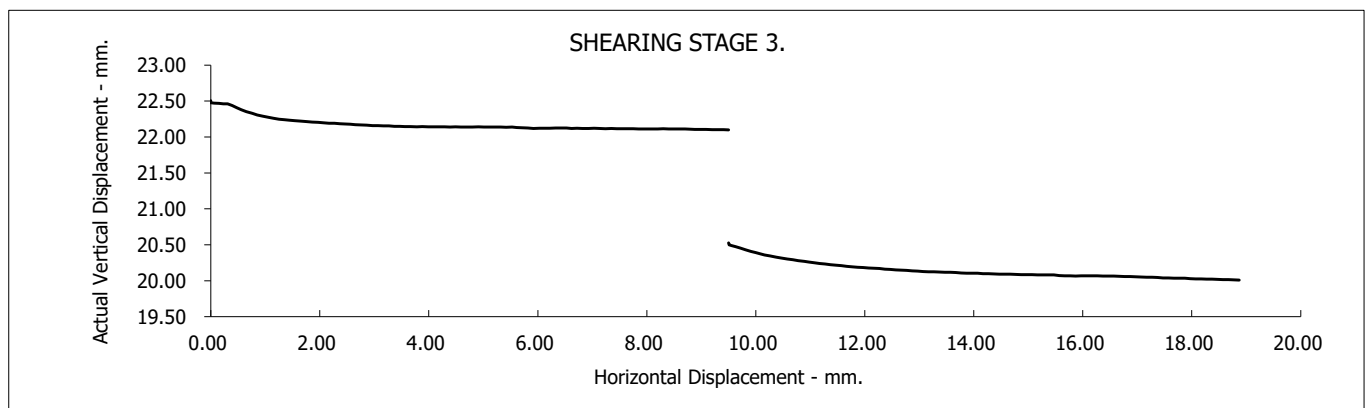
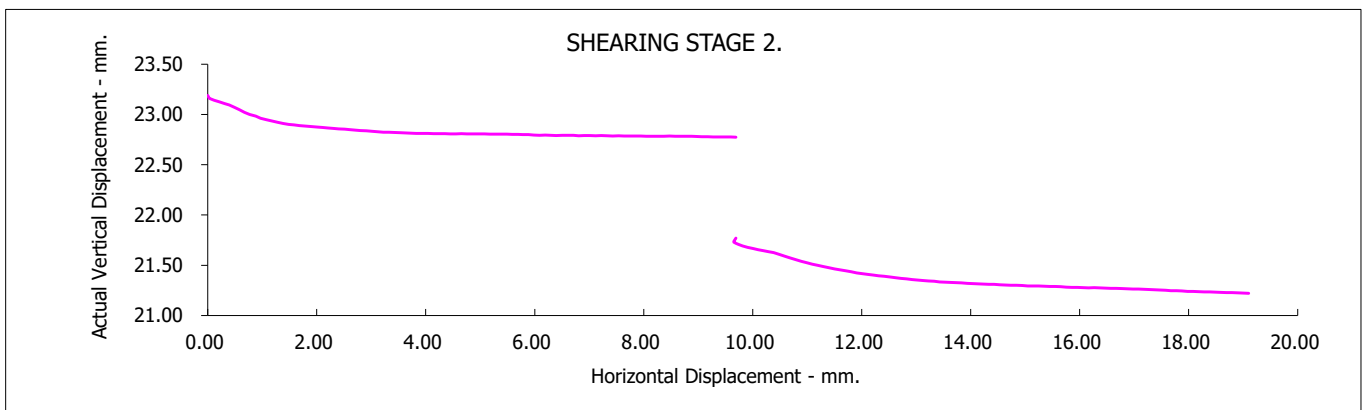
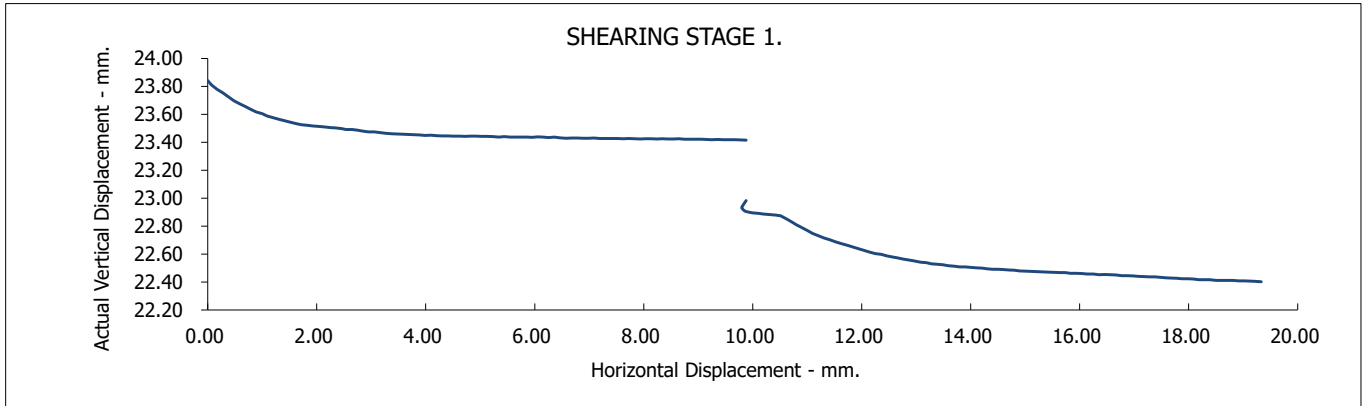
BS1377:Part 7.4.5.5 Shearing: multi-reversal test :1990

Borehole/Sample Number:

WS2

Depth (m):

0.70



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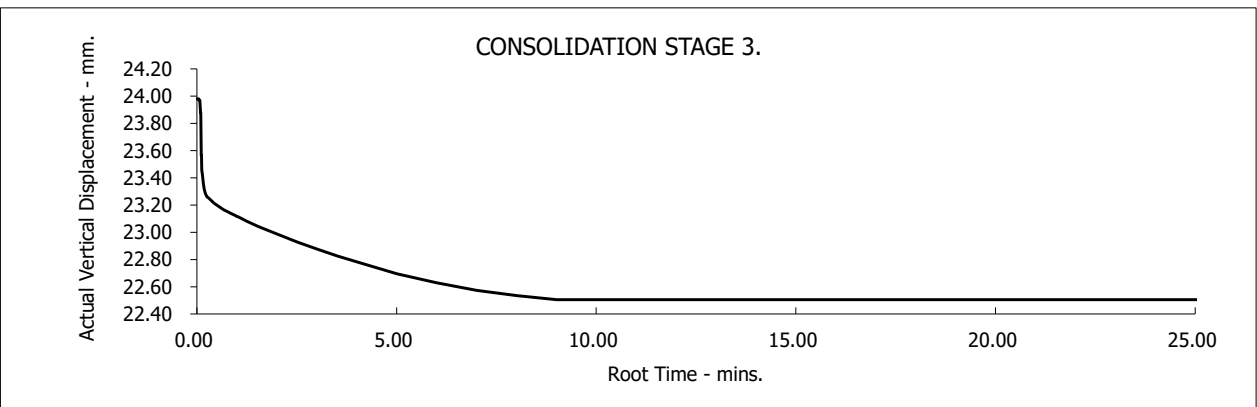
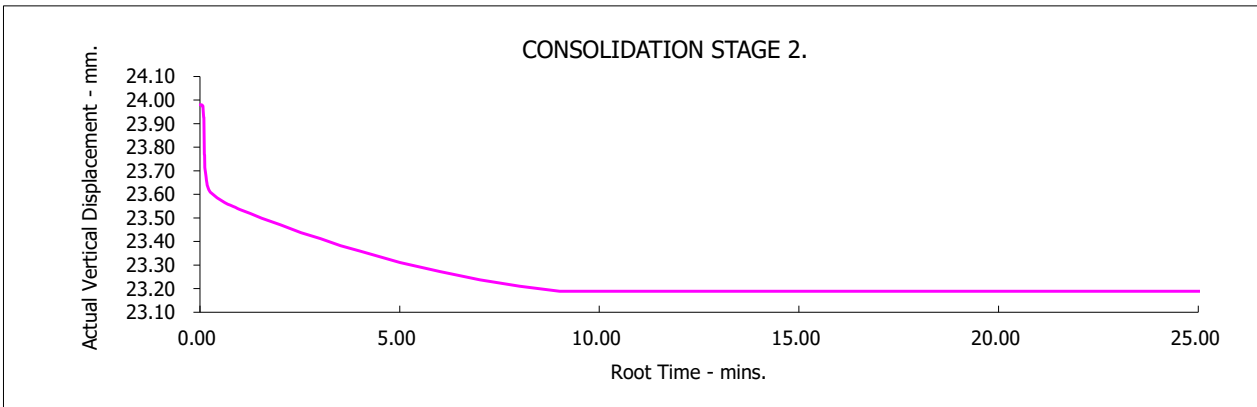
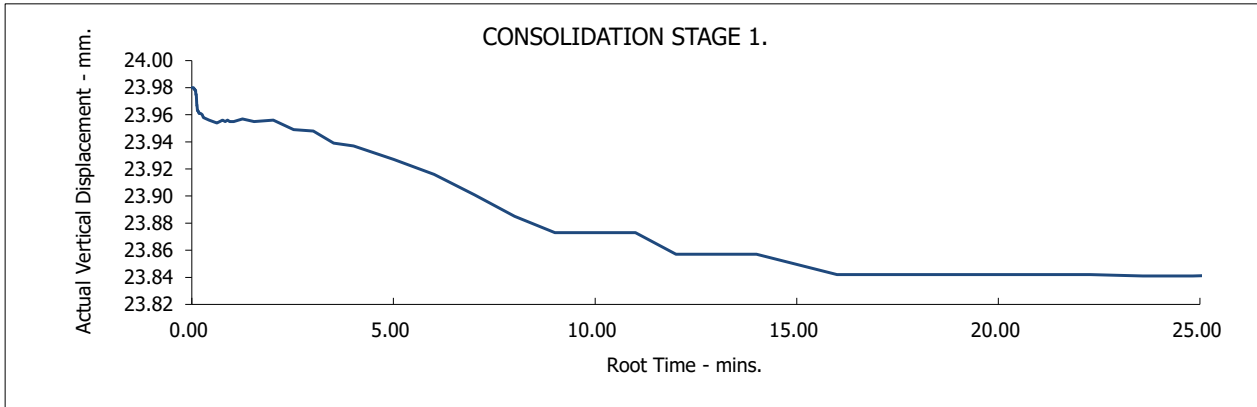
BS1377:Part 7.4.5.5 Shearing: multi-reversal test :1990

Borehole/Sample Number:

WS2

Depth (m):

0.70



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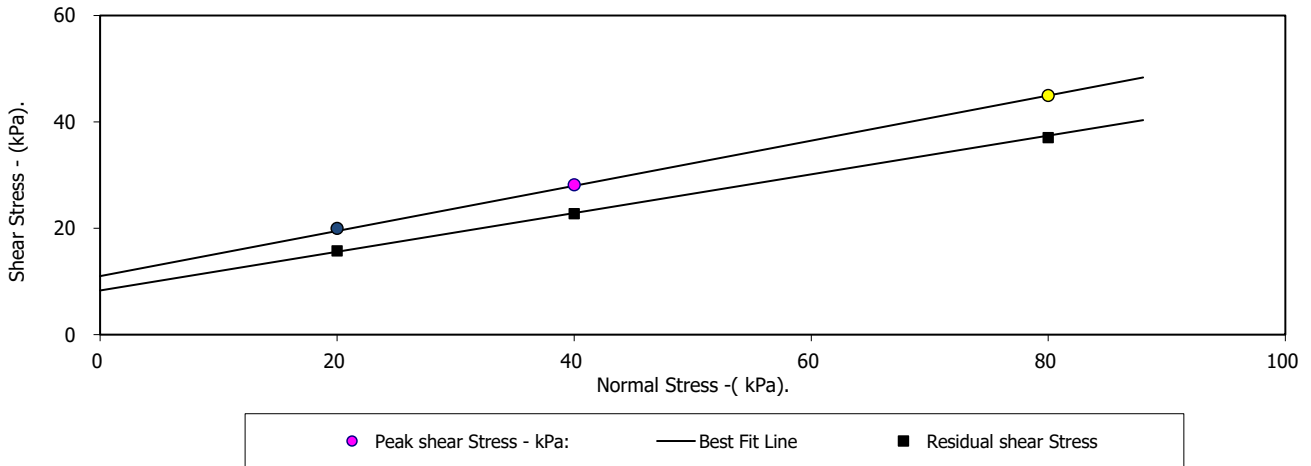
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Borehole Number:	WS4	Depth from (m):	2.30
Sample Number:		Depth to (m):	0.00
Sample Type:	D	Remoulded (Light Tamping) material above 2.5mm removed	
Particle Density - Mg/m <sup>3</sup> :	2.65	(Assumed)	
Specimen Tested:	Submerged		
Sample Description: <b>Orange brown slightly sandy slightly silty gravelly (fine-coarse/angular-sub angular) soft CLAY</b>			
<b>STAGE</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>Initial Conditions</b>			
Height - mm:	23.98	23.98	23.98
Length - mm:	60.00	60.00	60.00
Moisture Content - %:	24	24	24
Bulk Density - Mg/m <sup>3</sup> :	1.86	1.85	1.85
Dry Density - Mg/m <sup>3</sup> :	1.49	1.49	1.49
Voids Ratio:	0.7762	0.7796	0.7785
Normal Pressure- kPa	20	40	80
<b>Consolidation</b>			
Consolidated Height - mm:	23.75	23.45	23.08
<b>Shear</b>			
Rate of Strain (mm/min)	0.010	0.010	0.010
Strain at peak shear stress (mm)	9.21	6.47	6.22
Peak shear Stress - kPa:	20	28	45

<b>PEAK</b>	
Angle of Shearing Resistance:( $\theta$ )	<b>23.0</b>
Effective Cohesion - kPa:	<b>11</b>
<b>RESIDUAL</b>	
Angle of Shearing Resistance:( $\theta$ )	<b>20.0</b>
Effective Cohesion - kPa:	<b>8</b>

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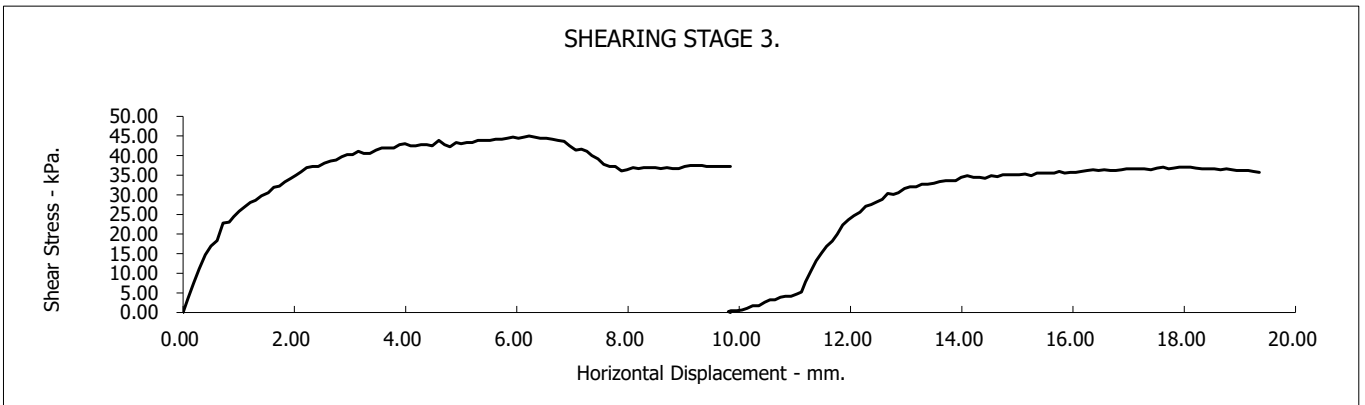
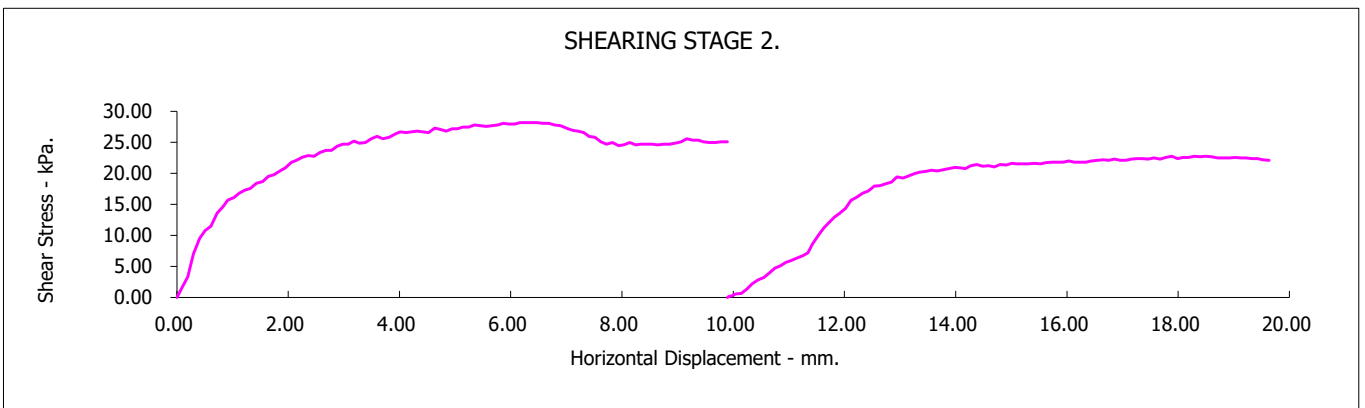
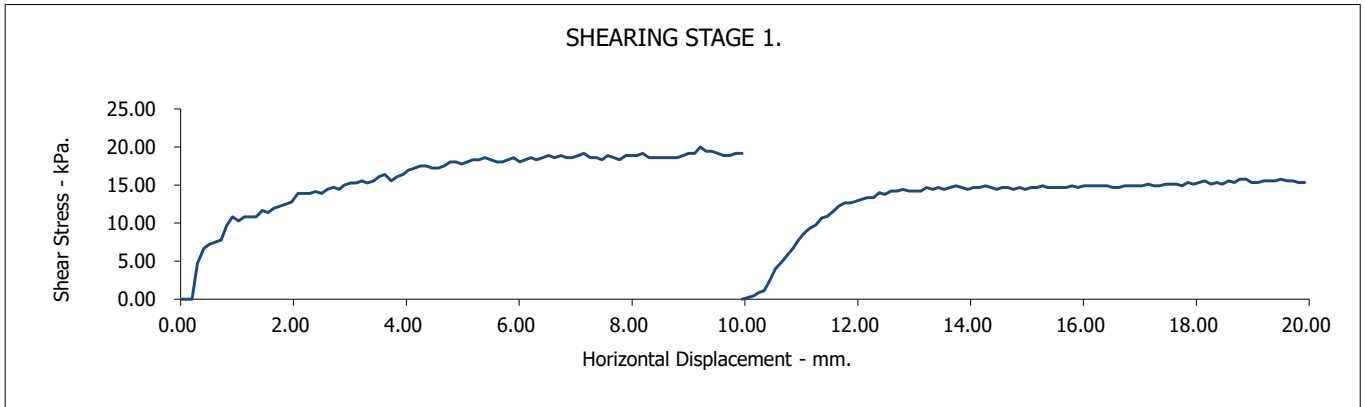
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Depth (m):

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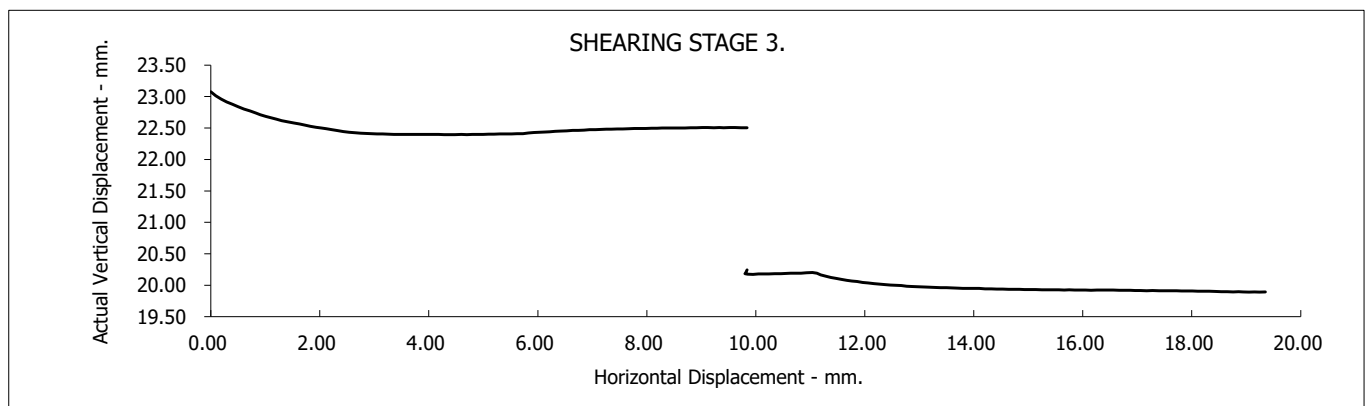
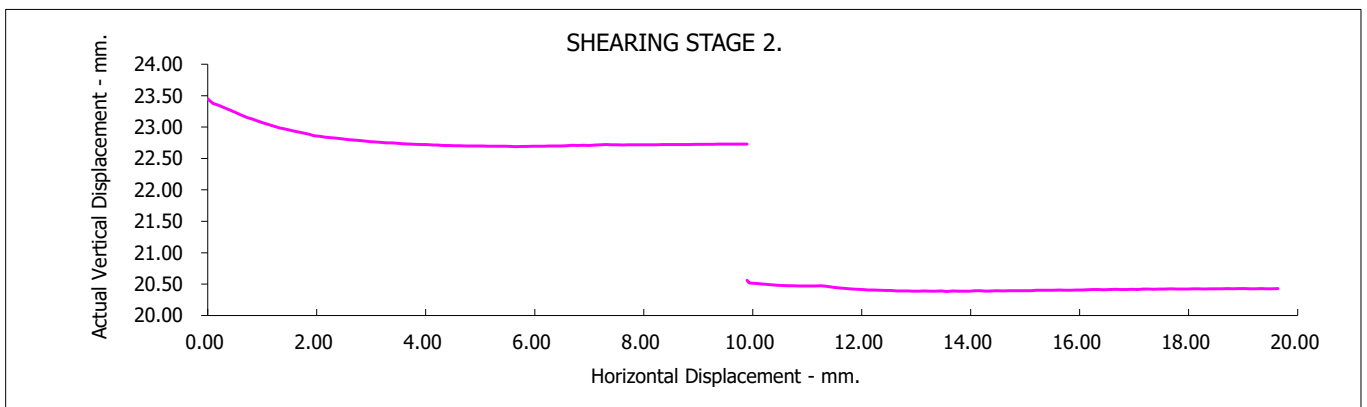
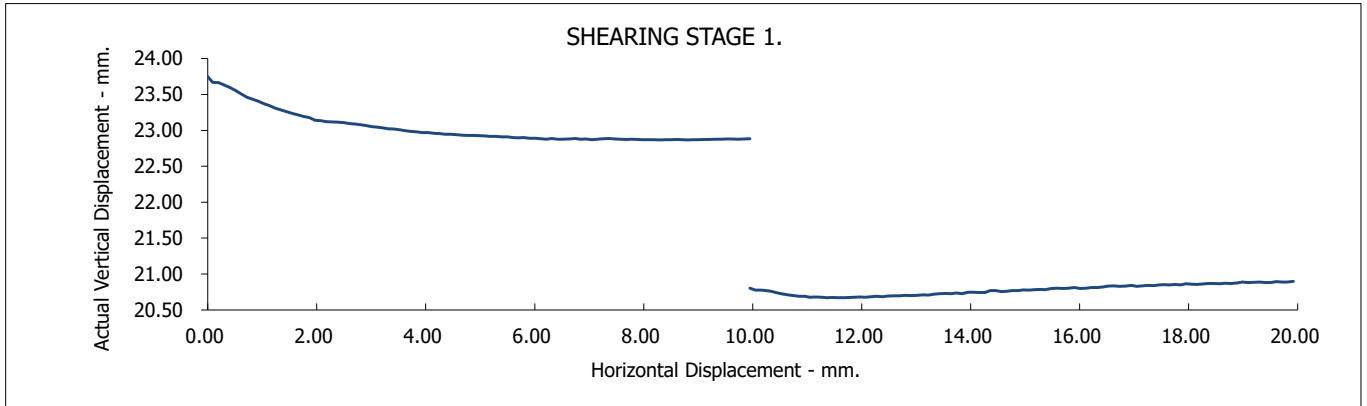
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Depth (m):

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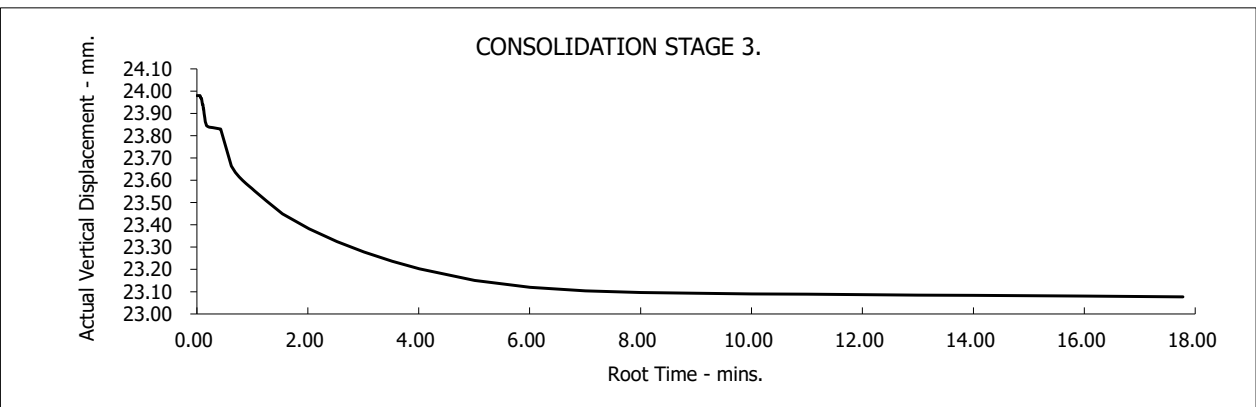
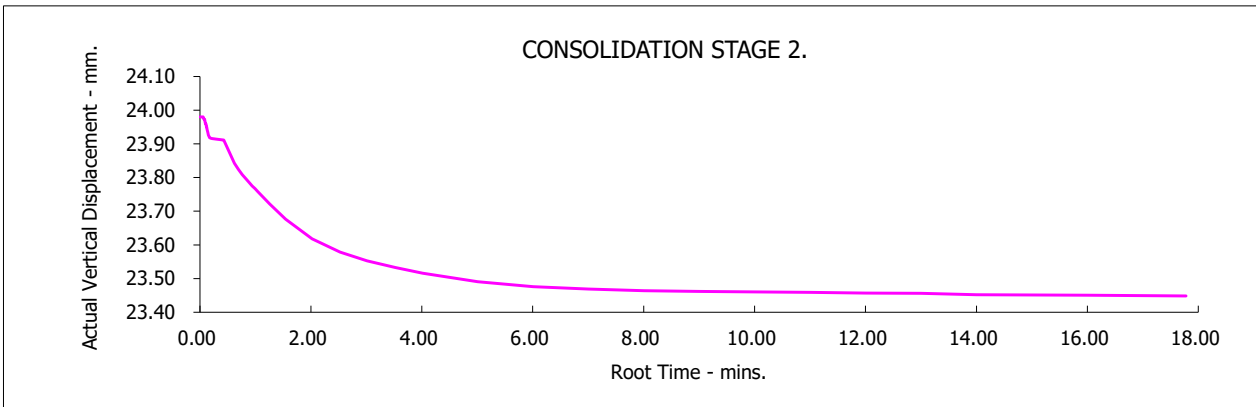
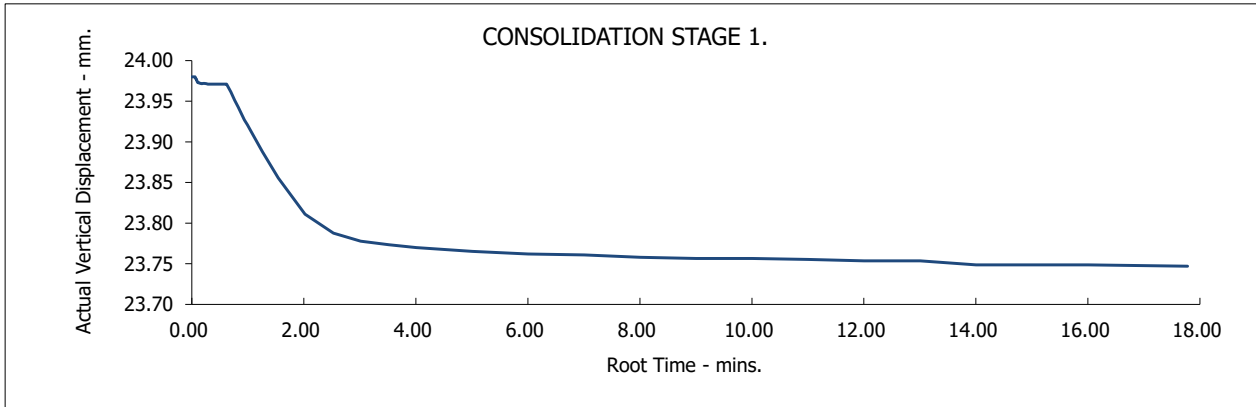
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Borehole/Sample Number:

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Depth (m):

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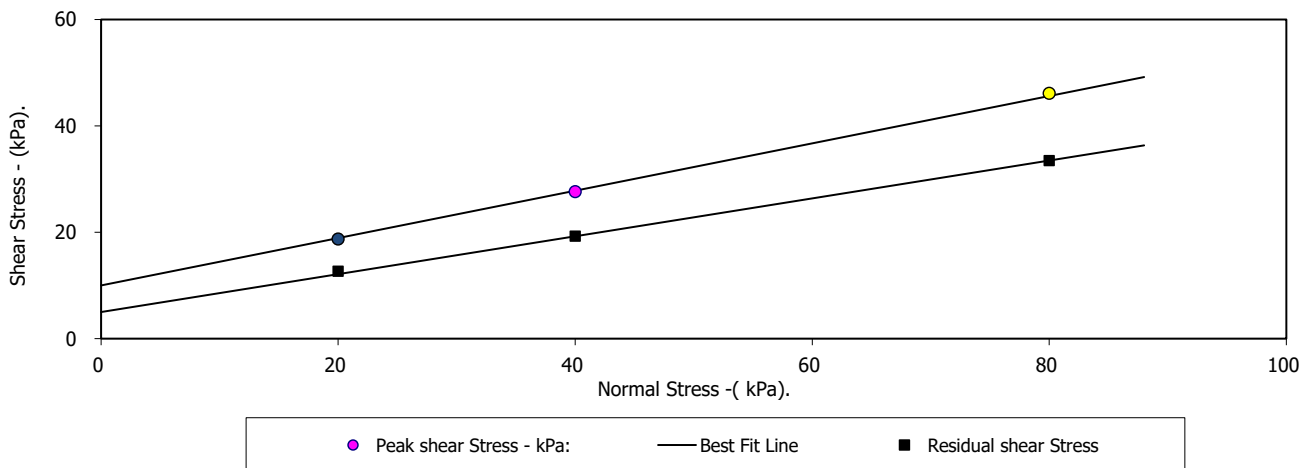
Borehole Number:	WS6	Depth from (m):	0.80
Sample Number:		Depth to (m):	0.00
Sample Type:	D	Remoulded (Light Tamping) material above 2.5mm removed	
Particle Density - Mg/m <sup>3</sup> :	2.65	(Assumed)	
Specimen Tested:	Submerged		

Sample Description:  
**Brown slightly silty gravelly (fine-coarse/angular-subangular) soft CLAY**

STAGE	1	2	3
<b>Initial Conditions</b>			
Height - mm:	23.98	23.98	23.98
Length - mm:	60.00	60.00	60.00
Moisture Content - %:	19	19	19
Bulk Density - Mg/m <sup>3</sup> :	1.91	1.92	1.91
Dry Density - Mg/m <sup>3</sup> :	1.61	1.61	1.61
Voids Ratio:	0.6424	0.6420	0.6429
Normal Pressure- kPa	20	40	80
<b>Consolidation</b>			
Consolidated Height - mm:	23.92	23.52	23.13
<b>Shear</b>			
Rate of Strain (mm/min)	0.010	0.010	0.010
Strain at peak shear stress (mm)	6.57	5.05	4.67
Peak shear Stress - kPa:	19	28	46

<b>PEAK</b>	
Angle of Shearing Resistance:( $\theta$ )	<b>24.0</b>
Effective Cohesion - kPa:	<b>10</b>
<b>RESIDUAL</b>	
Angle of Shearing Resistance:( $\theta$ )	<b>19.6</b>
Effective Cohesion - kPa:	<b>5</b>

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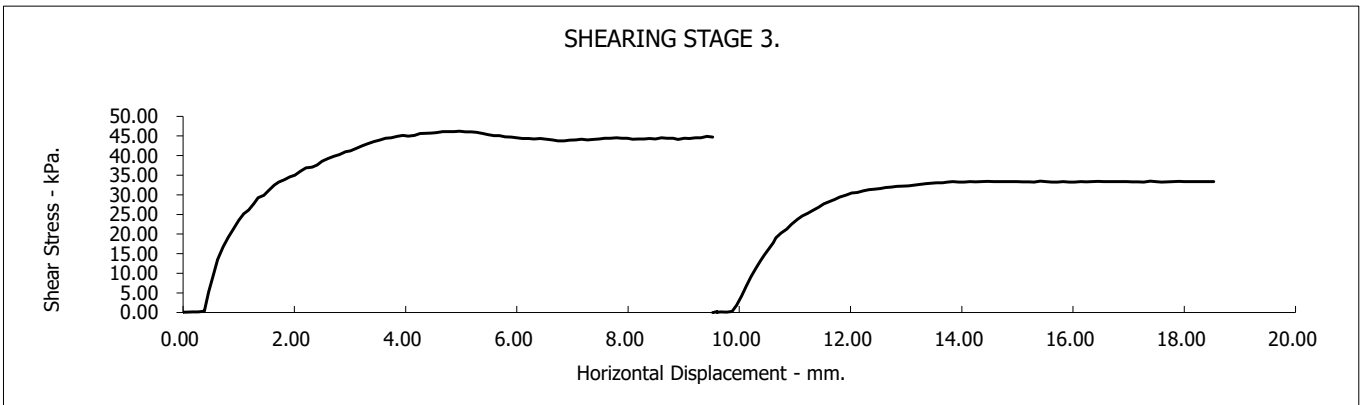
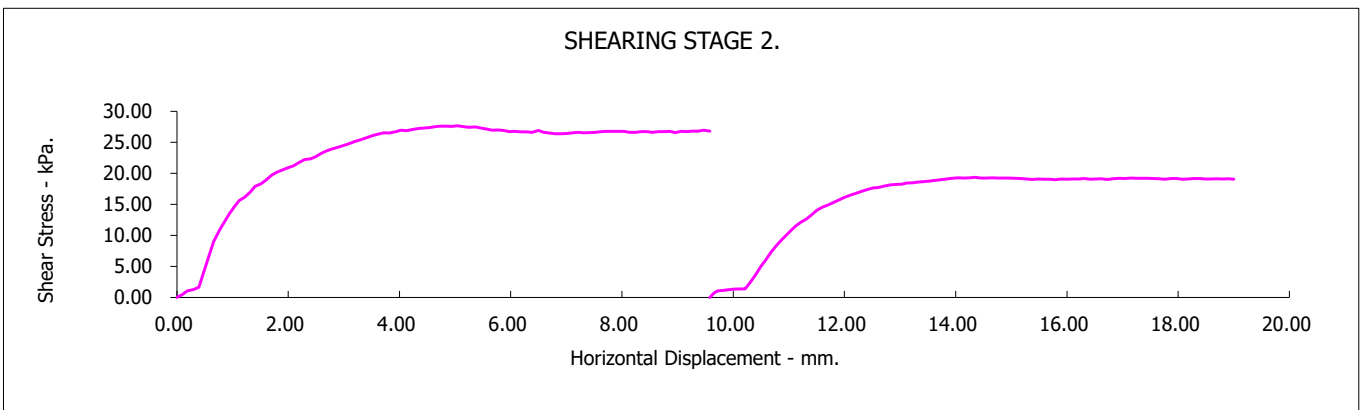
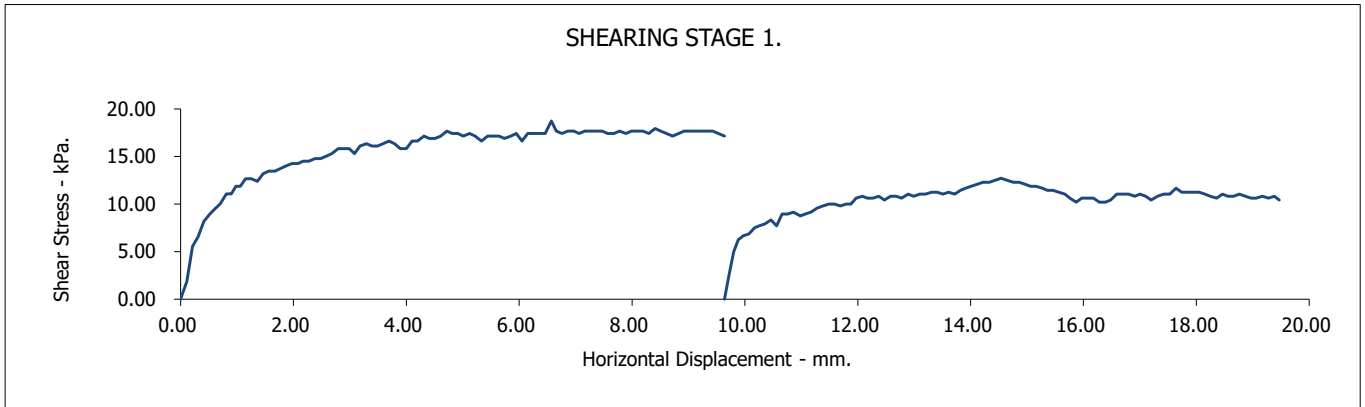
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Borehole/Sample Number:

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Depth (m):

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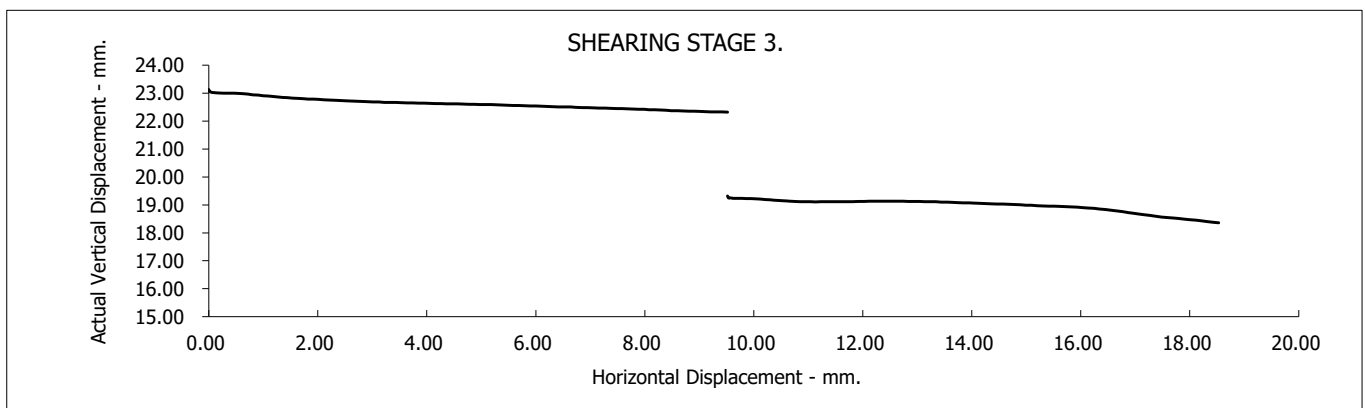
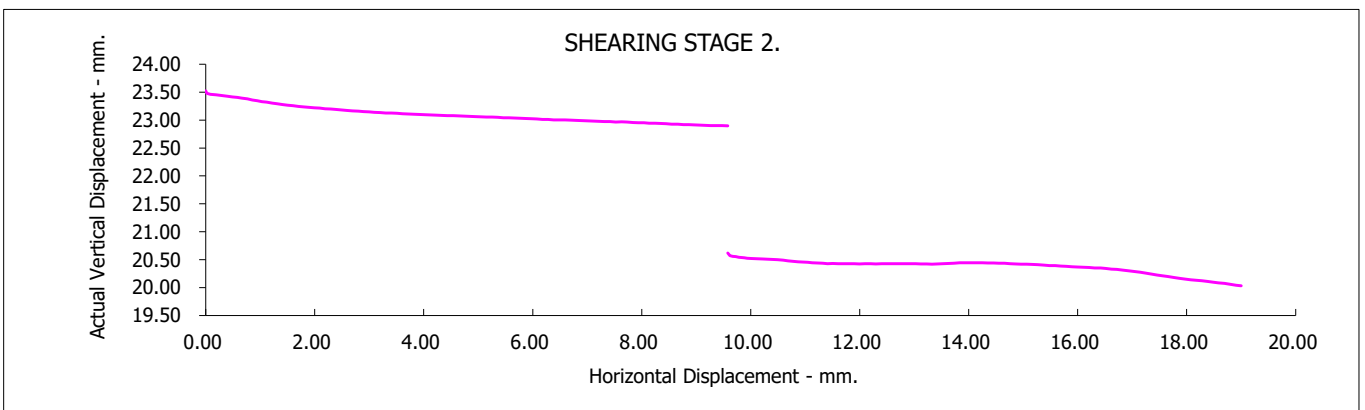
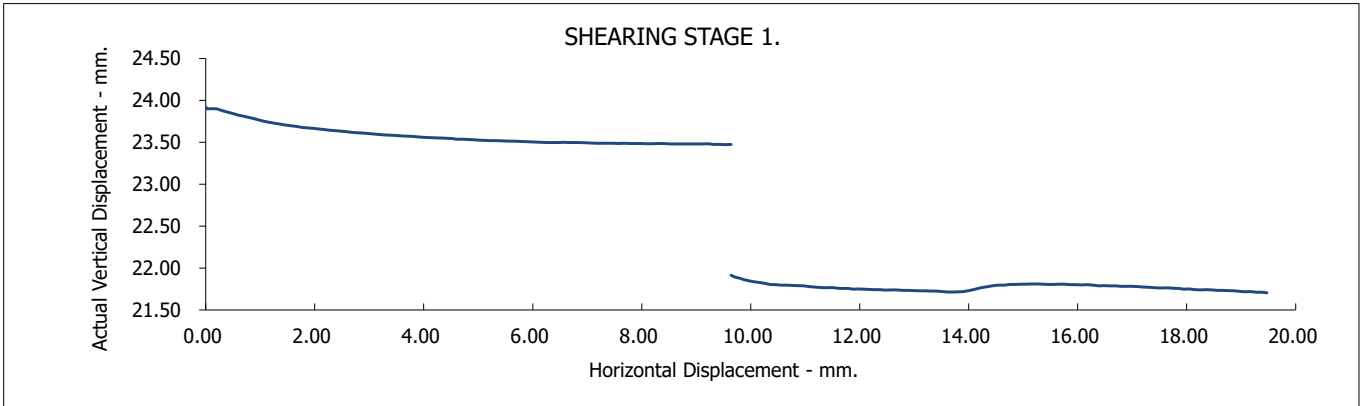
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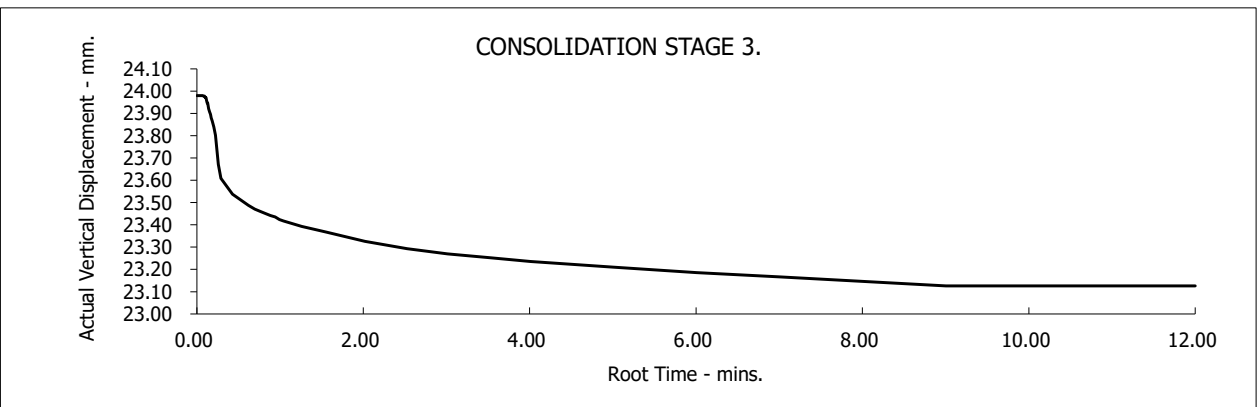
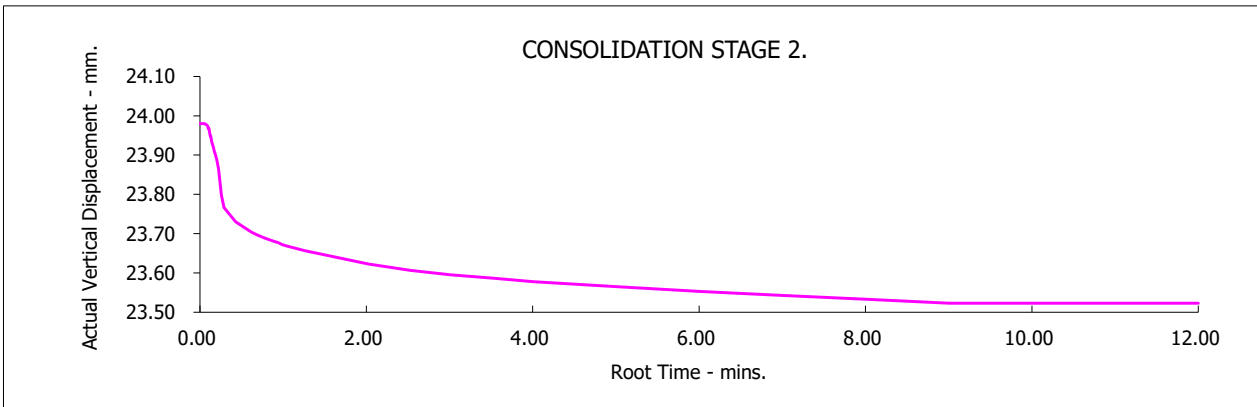
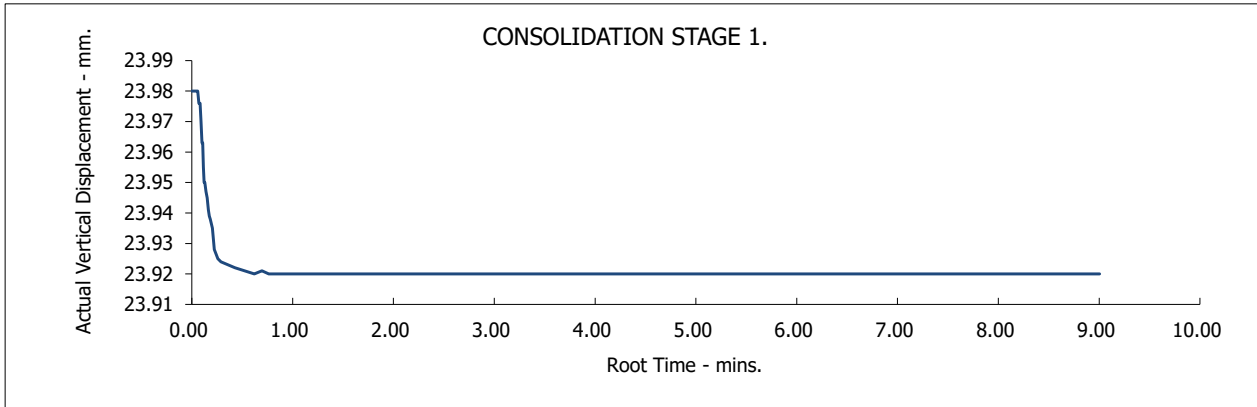
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