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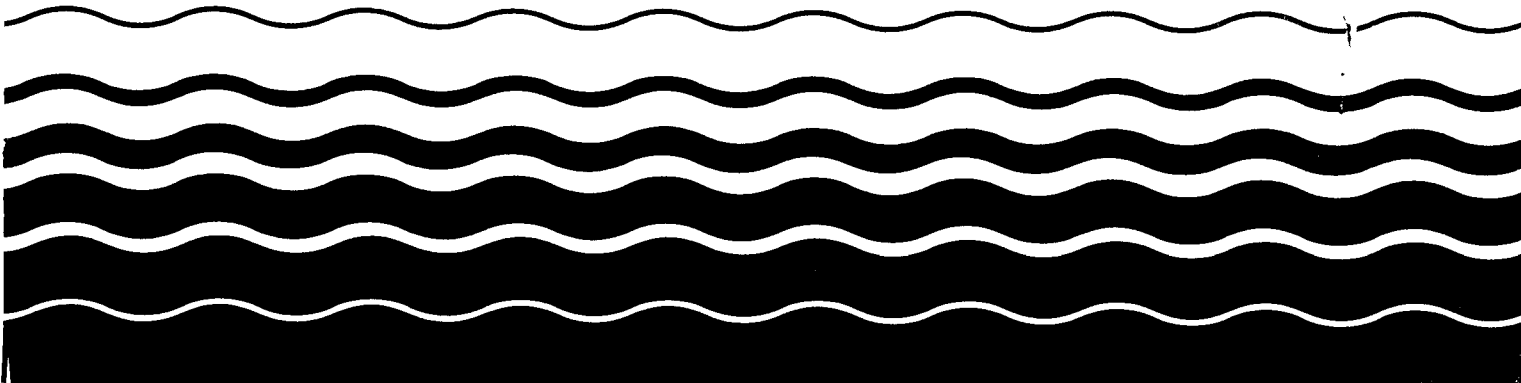
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CHAPTER I

INTRODUCTION

1-1. Purpose. This manual provides guidance for the selection of wastewater treatment processes and systems, and criteria for the design of wastewater treatment facilities using the Computer Assisted Procedure for the Design and Evaluation of Wastewater Treatment Systems (CAPDET).

1-2. Applicability. The provisions of this manual are applicable to Corps of Engineers Districts and Divisions, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, other Federal and State agencies, and private firms concerned with the design and cost effective analysis of new and upgraded wastewater treatment facilities for civil and public works and military construction projects.

1-3. References.

- a. EM 1110-2-501, Part 1, Design of Wastewater Treatment Facilities.
- b. EM 1110-2-501, Part 2 (Draft), Design of Small Systems Wastewater Treatment Facilities.
- c. EPA-430/9-75-003, Cost of Wastewater Treatment by Land Application.
- d. EPA 430/9-77-013, MCD-37, Construction Costs for Municipal Wastewater Treatment Plants: 1973-1977.
- e. EPA 430/9-77-014, MCD-38, Construction Costs for Municipal Wastewater Conveyance Systems: 1973-1977.
- f. EPA 430/9-77-015, MCD-39, Analysis of Operations & Maintenance Costs for Municipal Wastewater Treatment Systems.

1-4. Scope.

a. The user's guide contains detailed instruction for coding data for the CAPDET model. This computer-based design procedure can be used to select viable process trains to meet a given effluent criteria and will rank the selected trains according to least annual cost. Cost and design data are included for 0.3 to 500 million gallons per day (mgd) systems.

b. Available characterization data do not always include all of the input parameters required for certain processes. Therefore, typical default data have been included in the program to be used in the absence of user specified values. The default data provided for each unit process are average values and may need adjustment to accurately reflect site-specific or waste-specific conditions.

c. The program contains a library of unit processes that may be used to treat a waste stream. Individual unit processes comprising a waste treatment scheme may be supplied with the appropriate design parameters pertinent to each process or the default values included in the program may be used. The program is sufficient in size and flexibility to allow for the processing of up to four general types of treatment schemes (e.g. physical-chemical, biological, land treatment, etc.)

d. When a treatment scheme is analyzed, the influent waste stream is processed in turn by each unit process on the liquid line. The treatment processes use the effluent of the previous process for their influent. Those processes producing sludge automatically output the sludge into one of two sludge lines (primary or secondary). These sludges may be processed separately or they may be mixed together. Figure 1-1 presents the organization chart for a treatment scheme.

e. The sequence of analysis for the processes of a waste stream involves analyzing all of the liquid line processes first, then processing the secondary sludge line, and finally processing the primary sludge line. Once the sequence is finished for a given process train, the effluent may be checked against a preset effluent criteria. Those trains not meeting the desired effluent specifications are immediately discarded, while those meeting the desired effluent specifications are ranked in order by least annual cost. The costs are determined by a separate cost routine which estimates the capital and operating and maintenance (O&M) costs for each unit process and performs an average annual cost analysis on each train over the design life as the basis for economic comparison.

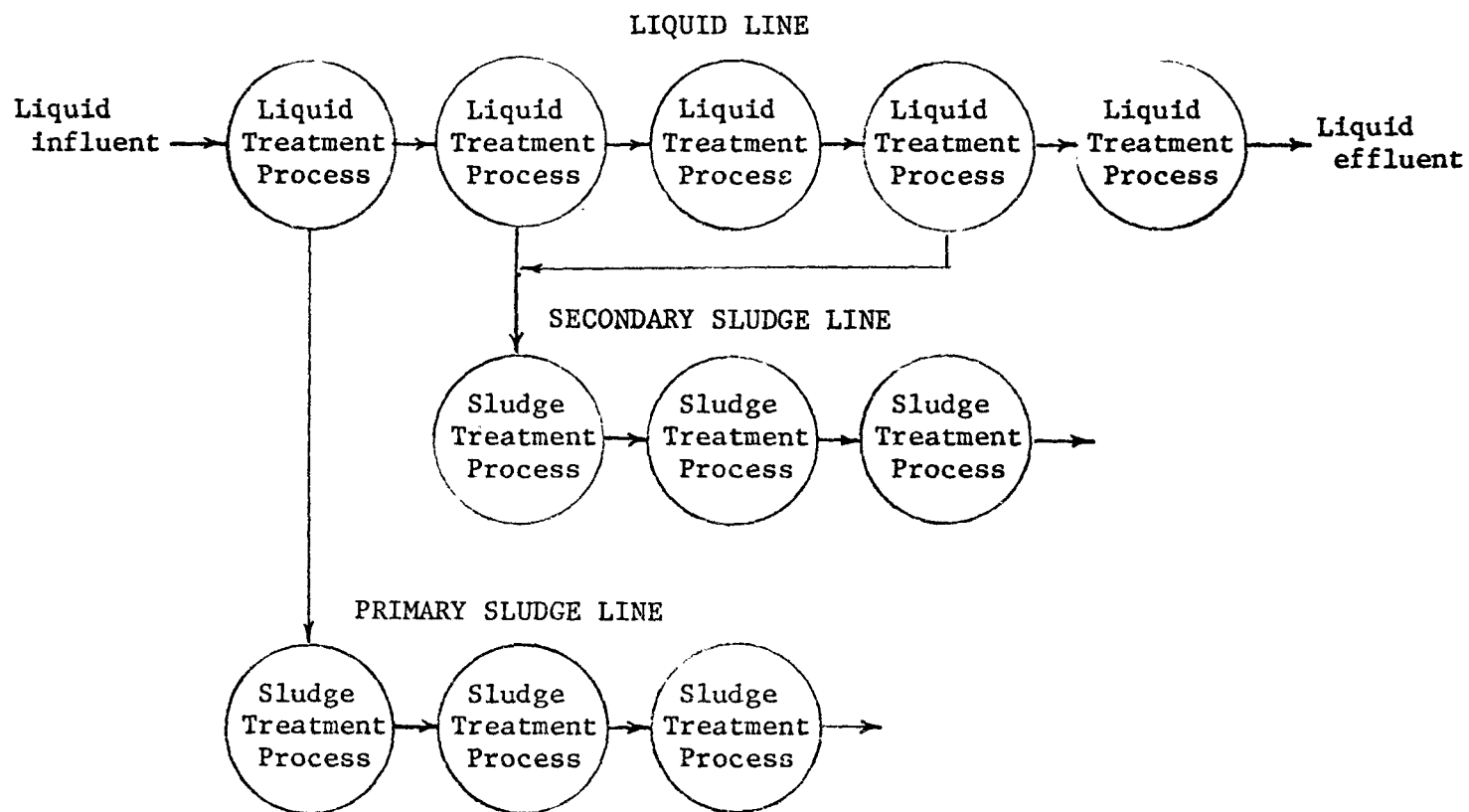


Figure 1-1. Organization of a Typical Treatment Scheme

CHAPTER 2

MODEL DESCRIPTION

2-1. Definitions.

a. Unit Process. A unit process is a single unique unit or group of parallel units of the same type. Examples of unit processes are bar screens, comminutors, grit chambers, contact stabilization processes, and secondary clarifiers.

b. Treatment Process. A treatment process is a sequence of one or more unit processes which are automatically linked together by CAPDET. For example, the preliminary treatment process consists of the unit processes bar screens, grit chambers, and comminutors linked in sequence. The contact stabilization treatment process consists of the contact stabilization unit process and a secondary clarifier. The filtration treatment process consist of merely the filtration unit process.

c. Block. A block is a treatment process location. The user of CAPDET may specify several alternative treatment processes for each treatment process location or block.

d. Scheme. A treatment scheme consists of the blocks on the liquid line, the secondary sludge line, and the primary sludge line.

e. Train. A train is similar to a scheme except that each block contains only one treatment process. A scheme may define several possible trains. CAPDET will automatically produce all trains specified in the treatment scheme by selecting all combinations of the alternatives in the blocks.

2-2. Program Organization.

a. This program allows the user to specify various types of unit processes for the treatment of wastewaters. A treatment process consists of one or more of these unit processes. The combination of unit processes into treatment processes is accomplished automatically by the CAPDET program. Treatment processes may then be assembled in sequence to form a treatment scheme. A scheme organization chart is shown in Figure 2-1 and a typical scheme is shown in Figure 2-2. A maximum of four treatment schemes may be specified. Each scheme contains a liquid line, a secondary sludge line, and a primary sludge line. A total of 20 blocks may be specified in each scheme. Each block may contain up to 10 alternative treatment processes.

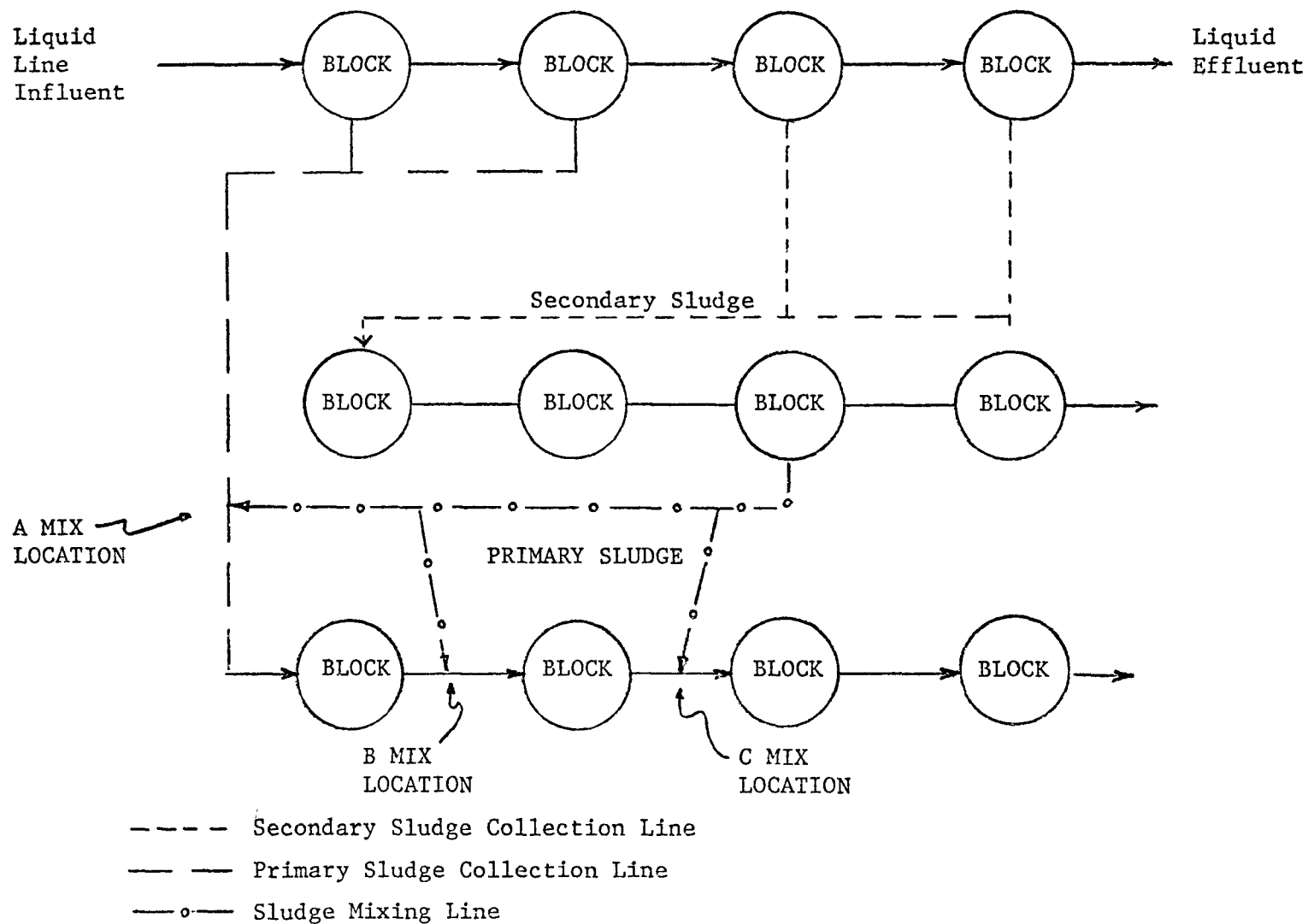


Figure 2-1. Scheme organization chart

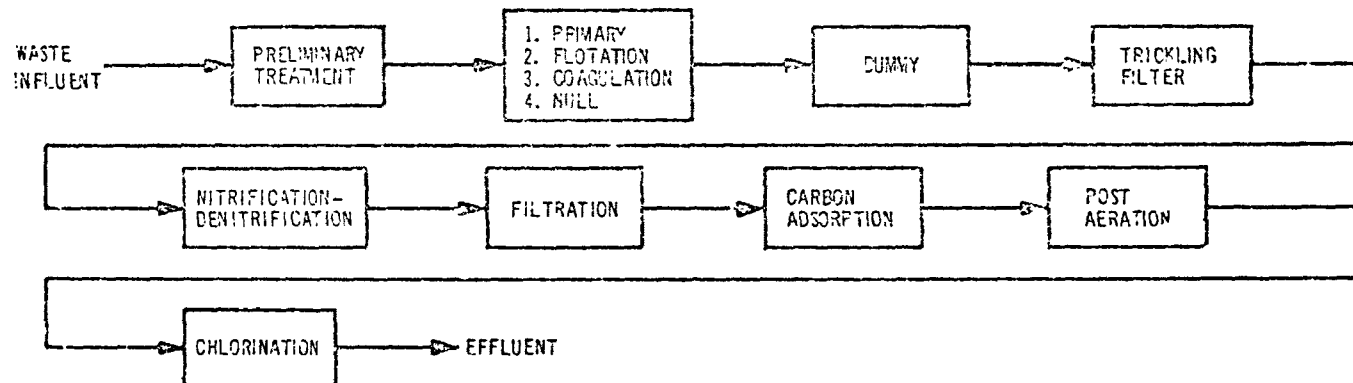
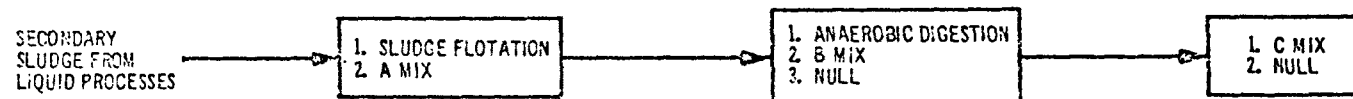
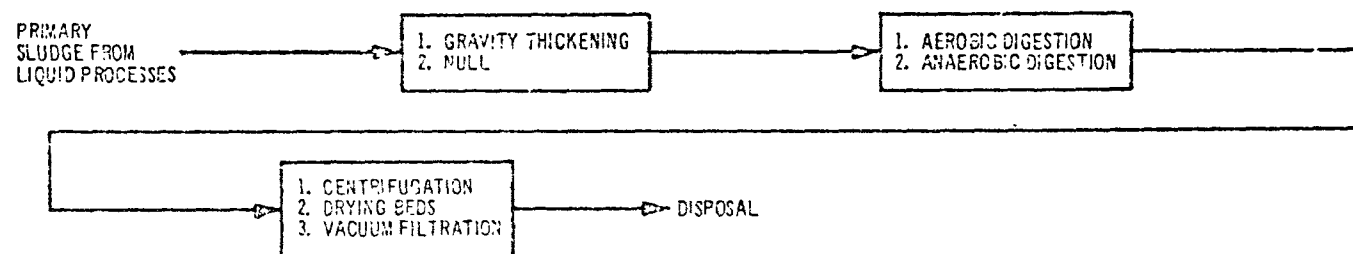
LIQUID LINESECONDARY SLUDGE LINEPRIMARY SLUDGE LINE

Figure 2-2. A typical scheme. This represents one scheme and 576 trains (or variations) of that scheme. The program will evaluate all 576 trains but will save only the 100 most cost-effective.

b. A train consists of one treatment process from each block connected together in the sequence of the blocks. The program examines all combinations of treatment processes in the series of blocks and determines the cost for each train. The trains are saved in the computer and ranked according to least equivalent annual cost. If desired, the user may have the effluent checked against desired effluent characteristics. Those trains not meeting the desired effluent characteristics will be discarded. A maximum of 100 trains will be saved.

c. Two types of output may be obtained. The first output lists the cost data for up to the 100 most cost-effective trains. The user may also specify which of these trains (or all if he chooses) he desires to investigate further. The second output gives detailed unit process design information for all chosen trains. Optionally, this output may include the quantities of materials required for construction.

2-3. Input data.

Data for this program consist of seven major divisions.

- a. Unit process specifications.
- b. Title card.
- c. Scheme descriptions.
- d. Waste influent characteristics.
- e. Desired effluent characteristics.
- f. Unit cost data.
- g. Program control.

For an outline of program input, the user may refer to the "Basic Procedure for Using CAPDET" in Appendix A. The following sections outline the complete procedure required to describe a proposed treatment scheme and obtain the desired output from CAPDET.

2-4. Unit Process Specification.

a. The data cards used in the specification of a unit process consist of a key word in the first six columns of the card followed by the required numeric data in columns 7-80. The numeric data may be placed in any of the allowed columns but must be in the order shown for that particular card. No other numeric characters may be placed in columns 7-80.

For purposes of this description, numeric characters are taken as the numerals 0-9, the minus sign (-), the plus sign (+), and the decimal point or period (.). Any other characters may be used in these columns to allow the user to identify the data items. Note, however, that the computer ignores these alpha descriptions and requires a specific order for the data on a card. The key word (columns 1-6) must appear exactly as shown on the card description^a.

b. The specification of a unit process begins with the process header card which names the process and terminates with an END card.

c. Data may be supplied for three separate modifications of each unit process. The three modifications are numbered 0, 1, and 2. If the modification number is omitted on the unit process header card, modification 0 will be assumed. Default data have been included in the program for modification zero. These data may be changed by the user by specifying a unit process header card, data cards for the items the user wishes to change, and an END card. If the user desires the use of modification 1 or 2 of a unit process, complete data for that modification of the unit process must be specified. Default data or user specified data must be available for each of the unit processes which will be used by the treatment processes specified on the BLOCK cards.

d. The following unit processes may be specified:

Header Card <u>Key Word</u>	<u>Unit Processes</u>
A SECO	Secondary clarification (activated sludge)
AERATE	Aerated lagoon
AEROBI	Aerobic digestion
ANAERO	Anaerobic digestion
ANION	Anion exchange
C PRIM	Primary clarification (coagulation)
CARBON	Carbon adsorption

^aThe input may be in the form of cards or teletype lines. Since a line is equivalent to a card, the format described also applies to lines of input.

Header Card Key Word	Unit Processes
CASCAD	Cascade aeration
CATION	Cation exchange
CENTRI	Centrifugation
CHLORI	Chlorination
COAGUL	Coagulation
COMMIN	Comminution
COMPLE	Complete mix activated sludge
CONTAC	Contact stabilization activated sludge
COSTS	User specified costs for processes
COUNTE	Counter current ammonia stripping
CROSS	Cross current ammonia stripping
DENITR	Denitrification
DRYING	Drying beds
DUMMY	User specified process
EQUALI	Equalization
EXTEND	Extended aeration activated sludge
FACULT	Facultative aerated lagoon
FILTRA	Filtration
FIRST	First stage recarbonation (lime treatment)
FLOCCU	Flocculation
FLOTAT	Flotation
FLTR P	Filter press
FLUIDI	Fluidized bed incineration

Header Card Key Word	Unit Processes
GRAVIT	Gravity thickening
GRIT R	Grit removal
HAULIN	Sludge hauling and land filling
HIGH R	High-rate activated sludge
L SECO	Secondary clarification (two-step lime clarification)
LAGOON	Lagoons (stabilization ponds)
MICROS	Microscreening
MULTIP	Multiple hearth incineration
N SECO	Secondary clarification (nitrification-denitrification)
NEUTRA	Neutralization
NITRIF	Nitrification
OVERLA	Overland flow land treatment
OXIDAT	Oxidation ditch
PLUG F	Plug flow activated sludge
POST A	Post aeration
PRESSU	Pressure filtration
PRIMAR	Primary clarification
PURE O	Pure oxygen activated sludge
RAPID	Rapid infiltration land treatment
RECARB	Recarbonation
SCREEN	Screening
SECOND	Second stage recarbonation (lime treatment)
SLOW I	Slow infiltration land treatment

Header Card	
<u>Key Word</u>	<u>Unit Processes</u>
SLUDGE	Sludge flotation
STEP A	Step aeration activated sludge
T SECO	Secondary clarification (trickling filters)
TRICKL	Trickling filtration
VACUUM	Vacuum filtration
WET OX	Wet oxidation

e. The data cards for each of the unit processes are described in Chapter 3. An xx.x shown on these cards indicates that a numeric value must be supplied. The last card for each unit process is an END card.

2-5. Title Card.

a. A title card should be placed after the END card of the last unit process specification and prior to the LIQUID LINE card of the first scheme description. This title card allows an identification to be given at the top of each sheet of output. The card has the word TITLE in the first five columns followed by the desired description.

b. If the user wishes to completely rely on the default data, he should begin the data input with a TITLE card, and should not specify modification numbers on the BLOCK cards.

2-6. Scheme Description.

a. The third major division of input is the desired scheme descriptions. This input begins with the liquid line of the first scheme.

b. Each scheme description must begin with a LIQUID LINE card and may contain a SECONDARY SLUDGE LINE card and a PRIMARY SLUDGE LINE card. Inputs immediately following each of these line cards are BLOCK cards describing the treatment processes to be considered for that block. As many as 10 treatment processes may be tried in each block. A total of 20 blocks may be used in each treatment scheme.

c. To eliminate the need for the user to continually link together unit processes that are often used in combination, treatment processes of one or more unit processes have been defined (e.g. secondary clarification following activated sludge).

d. Treatment processes consist of one or more unit processes (including the pseudo unit processes such as A MIX, B MIX, C MIX, and NULL). Only treatment process key words are used on the BLOCK cards.

e. Sludge treatment processes can only be used in conjunction with the secondary or primary sludge lines. Liquid processes can be used on the liquid line only. The NULL process can be used on any line. MIX processes can be used on the secondary sludge line only. Treatment processes are designated at a particular block by placing the six-character key word and one-character modification number describing that process in a position on the block card. The block card starts with the six-character key word "BLOCK " in columns 1-6, followed by the first treatment process key word and modification number in the seven column position beginning in column 11. Subsequent treatment process key words and modification numbers are placed in succeeding seven character fields.

f. Listed below are the various treatment processes and the associated key words describing the unit processes which comprise the treatment process. The first thirteen are sludge treatment processes, the last four are pseudo processes, and the others are liquid treatment processes.

	Treatment Process Key Words	Treatment Process	Key Words for Associated Unit Processes
<u>Sludge</u>	AEROBI	Aerobic digestion	AEROBI
	ANAERO	Anaerobic digestion	ANAERO
	CENTRI	Centrifugation	CENTRI
	DRYING	Drying beds	DRYING
	FLTR P	Filter press	FLTR P
	FLUIDI	Fluidized bed incineration	FLUIDI
	GRAVIT	Gravity thickening	GRAVIT
	HAULIN	Hauling and land filling	HAULIN

	Treatment Process Key Words	Treatment Process	Key Words for Associated Unit Processes
<u>Sludge</u>	MULTIP	Multiple hearth incineration	MULTIP
	PRESSU	Pressure filtration	PRESSU
	SLUDGE	Sludge flotation	SLUDGE
	VACUUM	Vacuum filtration	VACUUM
	WET OX	Wet oxidation	WET OX
<u>Liquid</u>	AERATE	Aerated lagoon	AERATE
	ANION	Anion exchange	ANION
	CARBON	Carbon adsorption	CARBON
	CASCAD	Cascade aeration	CASCAD
	CATION	Cation exchange	CATION
	CHLORI	Chlorination	CHLORI
	COAGUL	Coagulation	COAGUL, C PRIM
	COMBIN	Combined nitrification- denitrification	NITRIF, N SECO, DENITR, N SECO
	COMPLE	Complete mix activated sludge	COMPLE, A SECO
	CONTAC	Contact stabilization activated sludge	CONTAC, A SECO
	COUNTE	Counter current ammonia stripping	COUNTE
	CROSS	Cross current ammonia stripping	CROSS
	DITCH	Ditch irrigation land treatment	DITCH
	DUMMY	User specified process	DUMMY
	EQUALI	Equalization	EQUALI
	EXTDEN	Extended aeration with DENITRIFICATION	EXTDEN, A SECO, DENITR, N SECO

	Treatment Process Key Words	Treatment Process	Key Words for Associated Unit Processes
<u>Liquid</u>	EXTEND	Extended aeration activated sludge	EXTEND, A SECO
	FACULT	Facultative aerated lagoon	FACULT
	FILTRA	Filtration	FILTRA
	FLOOD	Flood irrigation land treatment	FLOOD
	FLOTAT	Flotation	FLOTAT
	HIGH R	High-rate activated sludge	HIGH R, A SECO
	LAGOON	Lagoon	LAGOON
	MICROS	Microscreening	MICROS
	NEUTRA	Neutralization	NEUTRA
	NITRIF	Nitrification	NITRIF, N SECO
	OVERLA	Overland flow land treatment	OVERLA
	OXIDAT	Oxidation ditch	OXIDAT, A SECO
	PLUG F	Plug flow activated sludge	PLUG F, A SECO
	POST A	Post aeration	POST A
	PRELIM	Preliminary treatment	GRIT R, SCREEN, COMMIN
	PRIMAR	Primary clarification	PRIMAR
	PURE O	Pure oxygen activated sludge	PURE O, A SECO
	RAPID	Rapid infiltration land treatment	RAPID
	RECARB	Recarbonation	RECARB
	SPRAY	Spray irrigation land treatment	SPRAY
	STEP A	Step aeration activated sludge	STEP A, A SECO
	TRANSM	Transmission and pumping	TRANSM
	TRICKL	Trickling filtration	TRICKL, T SECO

	Treatment Process Key Words	Treatment Process	Key Words for Associated Unit Processes
Liquid	TWO ST	Two-stage lime treatment	FLOCCU, L SECO, FIRST, SECOND
<u>Pseudo</u>	A MIX	Secondary and primary sludge mixing	NONE
	B MIX	Secondary and primary sludge mixing	NONE
	C MIX	Secondary and primary sludge mixing	NONE
	NULL	No process	NONE

g. A treatment process of a given modification number consists of one or more unit processes with the same modification number. For example, if the user wishes to specify modification 1 of the treatment process Extended Aeration, he must have supplied data for the associated unit processes Extended Aeration (EXTEND) and Secondary Clarification (A SECO).

h. The mixing process, A MIX, B MIX, or C MIX, is used to mix the secondary sludge line into the primary sludge line before the first, second, or third block on the primary sludge line, respectively (fig. 2-1). The presence of a MIX block in a process train will cause processing of the secondary line to be terminated at that point. The NULL block is used to allow the option of a "no process" in a block of the train.

i. A typical treatment scheme was shown in figure 2-2. The data cards describing that scheme are shown in figure 2-3. Up to four treatment schemes may be described.

COLUMN	1	11	Mod No. 18	Mod No. 25	Mod No. 32
	LIQUID LINE				
	BLOCK	PRELIM			
	BLOCK	PRIMAR	FLOTAT	COAGUL	NULL
	BLOCK	DUMMY			
	BLOCK	TRICKL			
	BLOCK	COMBIN			
	BLOCK	FILTRA			
	BLOCK	CARBON			
	BLOCK	POST A			
	BLOCK	CHLORI			
	SECONDARY	SLUDGE LINE			
	BLOCK	SLUDGE	A MIX		
	BLOCK	ANAERO	B MIX	NULL	
	BLOCK	C MIX	NULL		
	PRIMARY	SLUDGE LINE			
	BLOCK	GRAVIT	NULL		
	BLOCK	AEROBI	ANAERO		
	BLOCK	CENTRI	DRYING	VACUUM	

Figure 2-3. Scheme description format

2-7. Waste Influent Characteristics.

a. The fourth major division of input is the waste influent characteristics. The statement of waste influent characteristics begins with a header card containing the key word WASTE in the first five columns. The individual characteristic cards are in the same format as the Unit Process Specification cards. Numeric data cannot begin before column 7. The characteristic cards listed below may be used. The better the characterizations of the waste, the better will be the results of the model. However, all 20 waste influent specification cards need not be included in order for the program to operate. NOTE: the waste characterization data must be given in the units indicated.

Waste Influent Characteristic Cards

WASTE INFLUENT CHARACTERISTICS

MINIMUM FLOW	xx.x	MGD
AVERAGE FLOW	xx.x	MGD
MAXIMUM FLOW	xx.x	MGD
TEMPERATURE	xx.x	DEG CENT
SUSPENDED SOLIDS	xx.x	MG/L
VOLATILE SOLIDS	xx.x	% OF SUSPENDED
SETTLEABLE SOLIDS	xx.x	MG/L
BOD5	xx.x	MG/L
SBOD5 (SOLUBLE)	xx.x	MG/L
COD	xx.x	MG/L
SCOD (SOLUBLE)	xx.x	MG/L
PH	xx.x	
CATIONS	xx.x	MG/L
ANIONS	xx.x	MG/L
PO4 (as P)	xx.x	MG/L
TKN (as N)	xx.x	MG/L
NH3 (as N)	xx.x	MG/L
NO2 (as N)	xx.x	MG/L
NO3 (as N)	xx.x	MG/L
OIL AND GREASE	xx.x	MG/L

b. The order of the waste characteristic cards is not important.

c. Default data describing a typical municipal waste have been included in the program. Waste influent characteristics not specified by the user will be taken from these default data. The user must specify the average flow, as no default value is supplied for this data item. If minimum or maximum flows are not specified, they will be set equal to the average flow automatically.

d. The data included in the program are shown below:

TEMPERATURE	18 DEG CENT
SUSPENDED SOLIDS	200 MG/L
VOLATILE SOLIDS	60 %
SETTABLE SOLIDS	15 MG/L
BOD5	250 MG/L
SBOD SOLUBLE	75 MG/L
COD	500 MG/L
SCOD SOLUBLE	400 MG/L
PH	7.6
CATIONS	160 MG/L
ANIONS	160 MG/L
P04	18 MG/L
TKN	45 MG/L
NH3	25 MG/L
NO2	0.0 MG/L
NO3	0.0 MG/L
OIL AND GREASE	80 MG/L

2-8. Desired Effluent Characteristics.

a. The fifth major division of input data is the statement of the desired effluent characteristics. Only those characteristics the user wishes to have checked need be specified in the input. If the user does not wish to have any effluent characteristics checked, he need only list the header card.

b. The specification of the individual effluent characteristics is the same as for the waste influent and will not be repeated here. The header card must contain the key word DESIRE in the first six columns and may be specified as follows:

DESIRED EFFLUENT CHARACTERISTICS

c. The input of desired effluent characteristics is terminated with the unit cost header card "UNIT COST." This header card must contain the key word UNIT C in the first six columns.

d. There are no default data for the Desired Effluent characteristics included in the program.

2-9. Unit Cost Data.

a. The sixth major division of input data is the unit cost data. This section begins with the header card "UNIT COST DATA" and ends with an "END" card. The unit cost data cards which may be specified are listed below with their associated units.

Unit Cost Data Cards

UNIT COST DATA

BUILDING COST	xx.x	\$/SQ FT
WALL CONCRETE	xx.x	\$/CU YD
SLAB CONCRETE	xx.x	\$/CU YD
EXCAVATION COST	xx.x	\$/CU YD
MARSHALL AND SWIFT INDEX ^a	xx.x	
CRANE RENTAL	xx.x	\$/HR
CANOPY ROOF COST	xx.x	\$/SQ FT
LABOR RATE	xx.x	\$/HR

(Continued)

Unit Cost Data Cards (Continued)

OPERATOR II LABOR RATE	xx.x	\$/HR
ELECTRICITY COST	xx.x	\$/KWHR
CHEMICALS LIME = xx.x ALUM = xx.x IRON = xx.x		
POLYMER = xx.x		\$/LB
ENGINEERING NEWS RECORD INDEX	xx.x	
HANDRAIL COST	xx.x	\$/FT
PIPE COST INDEX xx.x INSTALLATION LABOR RATE xx.x		\$/HR
EIGHT INCH PIPE COSTS PIPE = xx.x		\$/FT
BEND = xx.x \$/UNIT Tee = xx.x \$/UNIT VALVE = xx.x \$/UNIT		
LARGE CITY EPA INDEX ^b	xx.x	
SMALL CITY EPA INDEX ^b	xx.x	
BLOWERS ^c COSTBS = xx.x COSTSBM = xx.x COSTSBL = xx.x		
LAND COST	xx.x	\$/ACRE
MISCELLANEOUS COST	xx.x	PERCENT
ADMINISTRATIVE/LEGAL COST	xx.x	PERCENT
201 PLANNING COST	xx.x	PERCENT
INSPECTION COST	xx.x	PERCENT
CONTINGENCY COST	xx.x	PERCENT
PROFIT AND OVERHEAD COST	xx.x	PERCENT
TECHNICAL COST	xx.x	PERCENT
SPECIAL FOUNDATIONS ^d		
PUMPING (INFLUENT) ^d		
OUTFALL PUMPING ^d		

(continued)

Unit Cost Data Cards (Continued)

DIFFUSED OUTFALL^d

END

^a Available from Chemical Engineering magazine.

^b Use large city or small city index, but not both - default is First Quarter 1977 Small City EPA Index.

^c COSTSBS = Cost of standard 3000 scfm @ 8 psig capacity rotary positive displacement blower - default value = \$16,000.

COSTSBM = Cost of Standard 12,000 scfm @ 8 psig capacity vertically-split multistage centrifugal blower - default value = \$45,000.

COSTSBL = Cost of standard 50,000 scfm @ 8 psig capacity pedestal-type single-stage centrifugal blower - default value = \$300,000.

^d Optional cards which should be used only when the indicated facilities are required.

b. Default data for the unit cost items included in the program are listed below:

BUILDING COSTS	40.0	\$/SQ FT
EXCAVATION	1.15	\$/CU YD
WALL CONCRETE	300.00	\$/CU YD
SLAB CONCRETE	200.00	\$/CU YD
MARSHALL AND SWIFT INDEX	491.6	
CRANE RENTAL	40.00	\$/HR
CANOPY ROOF 10.0 \$/SQFT		
LABOR RATE	6.00	\$/HR
OPERATOR IT LABOR RATE	6.00	\$/HR
ELECTRICITY	0.04	\$/KWH
CHEMICAL COST LIME 0.02 \$/LB ALUM 0.10 \$/LB IRON 0.18 \$/LB POLYMER 1.0		
ENGINEERING NEWS RECORD COST INDEX 2470.0		
HAND RAIL 25.20 \$/FT		
PIPE COST INDEX 241.0 PIPE INSTALLATION LABOR RATE 10.0 \$/HR		
EIGHT INCH PIPE COST PIPE 7.41 BEND 70.88 TEE 104.90 VALVE 1099.0		
LARGE CITY EPA INDEX 132.0		
MISCELLANEOUS NONCONSTRU COSTS 5.0 %		
ADMIN/LFGAI 2.0 %		
201 PLANNING 3.5 %		
INSPECTION 2.0 %		
CONTINGENCIES 8.00 %		
PROFIT AND OVERHEAD 22.0 %		
TECHNICAL COSTS 2.0 %		
LAND COSTS 1000.00 \$/ACRF		

2-10. Program Control Cards.

a. The seventh and final major division of input is the control cards. This section begins with the header card "CONTROL CARDS" and will be terminated with the control card "GO."

b. Program control cards use the same format as the Unit Process Specification cards. The following control cards may be used:

CONTROL CARDS

ANALYZE

LIST TOTAL OF XXX TRAINS

OUTPUT QUANTITIES

PRINT DESIGNS FOR TRAIN NO X, X, X, . . . X.

SUMMARY ONLY

GO I = xx.x NY = xx.x

c. The GO card should be the last card included in the data. The "GO" card is required as it causes the program to begin its execution phase. The letters GO must appear in columns 1 and 2 of the card with all other data beginning no sooner than column 7. The sequence of the two numeric data values must be specified as shown. Both the interest rate and amortization period must be specified as no default data are provided for these two values. The data required on the GO card consist of:

I - annual interest rate, percent

NY - amortization period, years

d. All other output control cards are optional. Under the "LIST T" option, a specified number of trains are listed with capital, O&M, and equivalent annual costs. The "PRINT" option will provide detailed design and cost data for each treatment process within each specified train. Either or both options may be included for each run. The ANALYZE card causes unit process design data to be printed on the first pass through the computer in the order in which they are initially processed, i.e., prior to economic ranking or checking for desired effluent quality. The OUTPUT QUANTITIES will cause the quantities computed for estimate costing to be printed. These quantities include such items as volume of excavation, quantity of reinforced concrete and the annual energy requirement. The SUMMARY ONLY card will defeat the printing of design data and quantity output and will allow only the cost summary sheet for each train to be printed. The cost summaries will be printed only for those trains which would have had design data printed if this card was not present.

e. Figure 2-4 shows the total input needed to make the program run. The user should refer to the detailed procedure for data input in Appendix A.

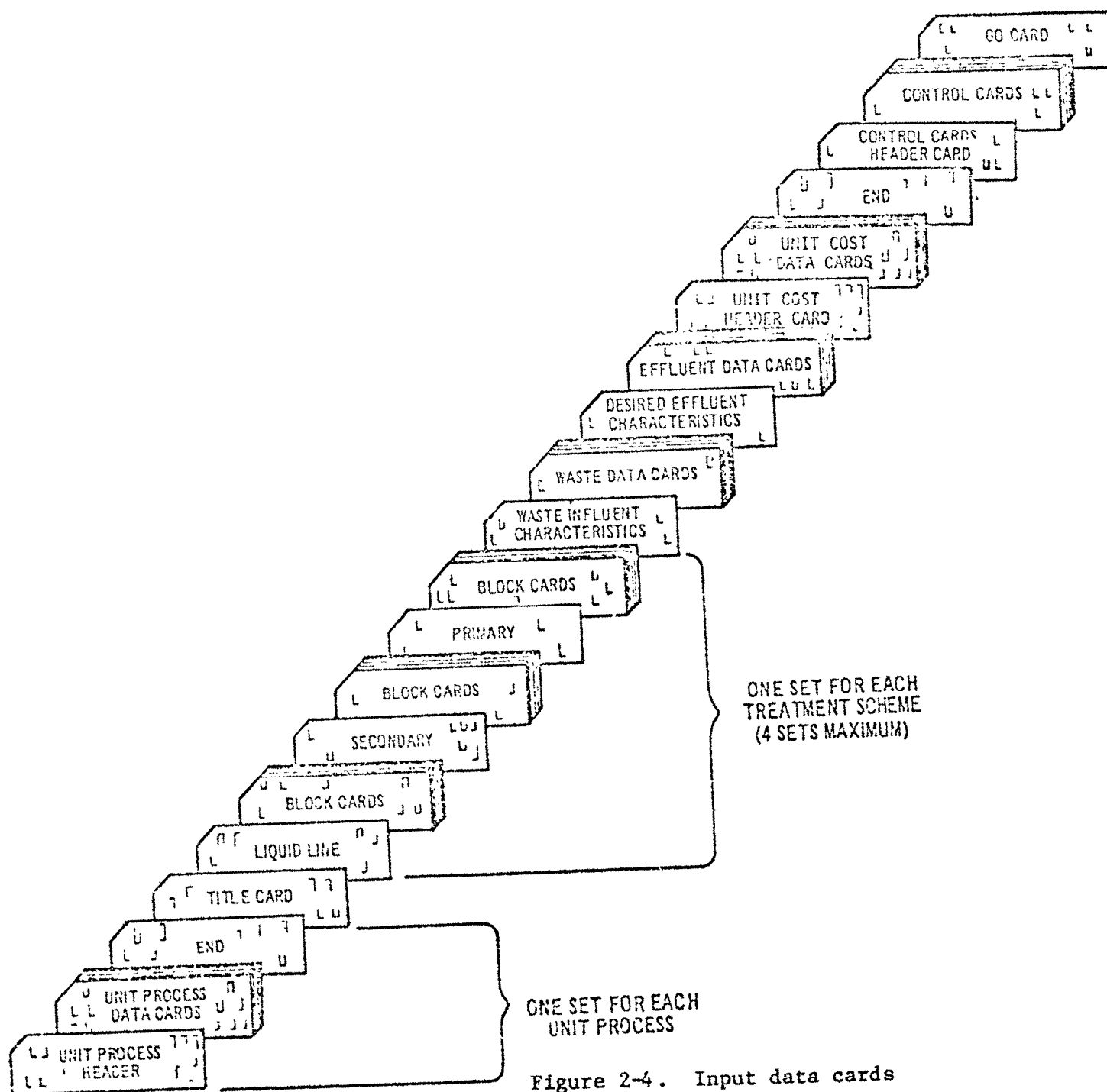


Figure 2-4. Input data cards

2-11. Cost Analysis in the Computerized Design Process.

- a. The user through the use of the "GO" control card inputs the interest rate and design life into the program. These parameters are described in 2-10c.
- b. The annual interest rate is used to amortize the capital cost and compute the equivalent annual cost to determine the most cost-effective process train. The design life pertains to the period over which the design is evaluated for cost-effectiveness.
- c. Cost data for the unit processes used in the process train are stored in the program. These cost data form the basis for an analysis of the capital, O&M, and equivalent annual costs of the process trains.
- d. To allow for unique site-specific problems, the user may elect to input locally generated costs for some or all unit processes. These cost data will then override the cost equations or cost estimate formulations used in the model. The format for the user specified costs for each process is shown in Chapter 3.
- e. The output of the program is generally a listing of the process trains that meet the desired effluent criteria in order of increasing average annual cost. The capital, O&M, and equivalent annual costs are listed for each process train. A more detailed cost analysis of individual processes in a particular train is available through the "PRINT" control card.

CHAPTER 3

UNIT PROCESS SPECIFICATIONS

3-1. a) General. This chapter contains the specific input data for each unit process. Each line of data that may be included for a particular unit process is listed along with the proper units. Each line of data under each unit process in this chapter corresponds to one card or line of input to the model. It is permissible to interchange whole lines of data; however, within each line the data must be typed in the order shown. The unit process name (header card) and the END card must be the first and last lines or cards for each unit process.

b) Estimate Costing. This is a new approach to planning level costing. For each process a typical configuration and method of construction has been assumed. Using these assumptions, quantities are calculated and costs extended by multiplying by unit costs supplied by the user. This allows the user to update the cost base to his specific location and to the current year by inputting the current unit prices. The user requests the use of this costing technique by including an ESTIMATE card in the input data for each unit process.

c) ESTIMATE Card. The ESTIMATE card which may optionally be included in the unit process input data specifies that estimate type costing is to be used for the particular process. In general, the data on this card will include the cost of one or more 'standard size' items of equipment. Costs of the required sizes of these items of equipment will be generated within the program. If the user elects to specify the costs of these items, he should use the current cost of the standard size unit. If these costs are omitted from the ESTIMATE card or are specified as zero, the program will use the ~~first~~^{first} quarter 1977 cost updated by the Marshall and Swift equipment cost index specified in the unit cost input.

d) Parametric Costing. If Estimate costing is not specified costs will be computed using parametric equations obtained from various sources. Where applicable the Dames and Moore equations will be used. These costs will be updated to the current year using the EPA construction cost index. Parametric cost equations are not available for all processes thus some costs will be indicated as zero. For this reason, extreme care should be used in evaluating costs generated using the parametric equations.

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e) Default Data. Default data have been included within the program for modification zero of all unit processes included within CAPDET. Thus, for modification zero of these processes it is necessary to include data only for those data items the user wishes to change. To change one or more data items the user should specify a unit process header card for modification zero of the process followed by data cards for those items the user wishes to change. An END card will conclude input of data for that process. The user will have to include an ESTIMATE card in the input for any process which he changes if he wishes to retain estimate type costing, as changing any item of data will revert that process to parametric costing unless otherwise specified. Estimate costing is the default option if no data are entered for the process. This default may be defeated and the process reverted to parametric costing by including a header card and an END card for the particular process.

NOTE: No data have been included in the program for modifications one or two of the unit processes. Complete data must be supplied by the user if he uses either of these modifications.

3-2. Aerated Lagoon (See page 7-205 of Design Manual).

a. Design Parameters

Eckenfelder's Approach

K	Reaction rate constant, 0.0007-0.002 l/mg-hr.
A	Fraction of BOD synthesized, ≈ 0.73 .
A^V	Fraction of BOD oxidized for energy, ≈ 0.52 .
B	Endogenous respiration rate (oxygen basis) $\approx 0.075/\text{day}$.
B^V	Endogenous respiration rate (sludge basis) $\approx 0.15/\text{day}$.
THETA	Temperature Coefficient ≈ 1.035 .
ALPHA	O_2 transfer in waste/ O_2 transfer in water, ≈ 0.9 .
BETA	O_2 saturation in waste/ O_2 saturation in water, ≈ 0.9 .
HP	Horsepower per 1000 gallons. Horsepower required to keep solids in suspension ≥ 0.06 hp/1000 gal.
STE	Standard transfer efficiency.
	Mechanical Aerators $\approx 2.0-3.5$ lb O_2 /hp-hr
	High Speed ≈ 2.0
	Slow Speed ≈ 3.5
	Diffused Aerator $\approx 6.0-11.0\%$
	Coarse bubble ≈ 6.0
	Fine bubble ≈ 11.0

b. Default Data

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ESTIMATE
LINER      1.00 PFR SQ FT
SUMMER TEMPERATURE      30      CENT
WINTER TEMPERATURE      10      CENT
EFFLUENT SOLUBLE BOD      20      MG/L
CONSTANTS  K=0.001 A=0.50 AP=0.53 B=0.06 BP=0.15 THETA=1.035
MECHANICAL AERATION ALPHA=0.9 BETA=0.9 HP=0.014 HP/TG STE=3.5 LB O/HP
  
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c. Aerated Lagoon Unit Process Data Cards.

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AERATED LAGOON          MOD  xx

SUMMER WATER TEMPERATURE      xx.x      DEG CENT

WINTER WATER TEMPERATURE      xx.x      DEG CENT

EFFLUENT SOLUBLE BOD          xx.x      MG/L

CONSTANTS K=xx.x  A=xx.x  A∇=xx.x  B∇=xx.x  THETA=xx.x

MECHANICAL AERATION ALPHAa=xx.x  BETA=xx.x  HP=xx.x  HP/TG
STE = xx.x  LB O/HP-HR

DIFFUSED AERATION ALPHAa=xx.x  BETA=xx.x  AFb=xx.x  CFM/TG
STE = xx.x  PERCENT

ESTIMATEc    COSTSA=xx.x $

LINER        UPILL=xx.x $/SQ FT

END

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^aUse mechanical or diffused; not both

^bAF (minimum air flow) specifies a lower limit on airflow. Model will calculate actual airflow and compare it with input value. Higher value will be output. Input zero for AF to obtain calculated value only.

^cCOSTSA = Cost of standard 5-hp aerator - default value = \$13,960.

3-3. Aerobic Digestion (See page 7-277 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Detention time, days at 20°C

Activated sludge only \approx 12-16 days

Activated sludge from plant without primary settling \approx 16-18 days

Primary sludge plus activated or trickling filter sludge \approx 18-22 days

Detention time should be increased for temperatures below 20°C

Volatile solids destroyed: 40 percent is common but it increases with temperature and retention time from approximately 33 to 70 percent

Mixed Liquor solids \approx 12000 mg/l

Solids in digested sludge \approx 2.5 percent

ALPHA O_2 transfer in waste/ O_2 transfer in water \approx 0.9

BETA O_2 saturation in waste/ O_2 saturation in water \approx 0.9

Standard Transfer Efficiency \approx 6.0-11.0%

Coarse bubble \approx 6.0

Fine bubble \approx 11.0

b. Default Data

ESTIMATE		
DIFFUSED		
DETENTION TIME	15	DAYS
VOLATILE SOLIDS DESTROYED	50	PERCENT
MIXED LIQUOR SOLIDS	12000	MG/L
SOLIDS IN DIGESTED SLUDGE	2.5	PERCENT
CONSTANTS ALPHA=0.9 BETA=0.9		
STANDARD TRANSFER EFFICIENCY	12.0	PERCENT
TEMPERATURE	20	CENT

c. Aerobic Digestion Unit Process Data Cards

AEROBIC DIGESTION MOD xx

DETENTION TIME xx.x DAYS

VOLATILE SOLIDS DESTROYED xx.x PERCENT

MIXED LIQUOR SOLIDS xx.x MG/L

SOLIDS IN DIGESTED SLUDGE xx.x PERCENT

DIFFUSED AERATION^a

MECHANICAL AERATION^a

CONSTANT ALPHA = xx.x BETA = xx.x

STANDARD TRANSFER EFFICIENCY xx.x PERCENT

TEMPERATURE xx.x DEG CENT

ESTIMATE^b SSXSA=xx.x COSTPD=xx.x COSTPH=ss.s

END

^aUse mechanical or diffused; not both.

^bSSXSA = Cost of standard slow-speed pier-mounted 20-hp aerator default value = \$16,300.

COSTPD = Cost of standard 12.0 scfm coarse-bubble diffuser - default value = \$6.50.

COSTPH = Cost of standard 550 scfm swing arm diffuser - default value = \$5,000.

3-4. Anaerobic Digestion (see page 7-291 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters.

Specific gravity ≈ 1.05

Percent volatile solids destroyed (See Figure 3-1 provided below) ≈ 40 -60 percent

Concentration of solids in digester ≈ 3 -7 percent

Detention time ≈ 15 -70 days

U Heat Loss Coefficient ≈ 0.18 BTU/hr/ft²/°F

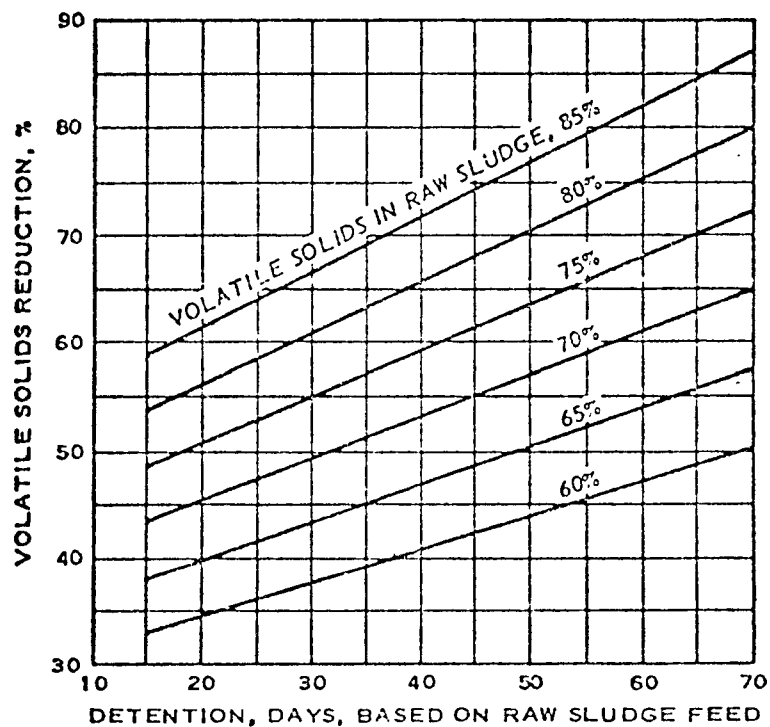


Figure 3-1. Reduction in volatile solids in raw sludge, for detentions from 15 to 70 days, T=85 to 95°F.

b. Default Data

SOUTHERN U S		
ESTIMATE		
SPECIFIC GRAVITY	1.05	PERCENT
PERCENT VS DESTROYED	50	PERCENT
CONCENTRATION IN DIGESTER	5	DEG F
TEMPERATURE RAW=70	DIGESTER=100	AIR=40
DETENTION TIME	15	DAYS
DEPTH	25	FT
CONSTANT	0=0.18	BTU HR/SQFT/F

c. Anaerobic Digestion Unit Process Data Cards

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ANAEROBIC DIGESTION      MOD xx

SPECIFIC GRAVITY          xx.x

PERCENT VS DESTROYED      xx.x          PERCENT

CONCENTRATION IN DIGESTER  xx.x          PERCENT

TEMPERATURE RAW = xx.x = xx.x Air= XX.X          DEG F

DETENTION TIME            xx.x          DAYS

DEPTHa                  xx.x          FT

CONSTANT                  U = xx.x          BTU/HR/
                                   SQFT/DEG F

AREAS WALLa = xx.x  FLOOR = xx.x  Cover xx.x          SQFT

SOUTHERN UNITED STATESb

MIDDLE UNITED STATESb

NORTHERN UNITED STATESb

ESTIMATEc SFLOCO = xx.x  CGCUS = xx.x  HRHXS = xx.x  CGSES = xx.x
          CSPUMP = xx.x

END

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^aList areas or depths, not both.

^bUse only one of Southern, Middle, or Northern cards - default is Southern United States.

^cSFLOCO = Cost of standard 70-foot diameter floating cover - default value = \$71,000.

CGCUS = Cost of standard 60-foot diameter gas circulation unit - default value = \$32,000.

HRHXS = Cost of standard 1 million Btu/hour heating unit - default value = \$49,000.

CGSES = Cost of standard 2-inch diameter gas safety equipment - default value = \$7,100

CSPUMP = Cost of standard size sludge pump (8- gpm @ 70 feet of head) - default value = \$2,500.

3-5. Anion Exchange (see page 6-43 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Treatment flow rate, 2-5 gpm/ft³

Regenerant flow rate, 1-2 gpm/ft³

Rinsing flow rate, 0.5-1.5 gpm/ft³

Amount of rinse water, 30-120 gal/ft³

Column depth, 24-30 inches minimum

Amount of backwash water, \approx 100 gal/ft³

Backwash water rate, \approx 15 gpm/ft³

Resin exchange capacity, lb/ft³ (consult manufacturer specifications)

Regenerant dose, level, concentration, and specific gravity (consult resin manufacturer specifications)

b. Default Data

EFFLUENT CONCENTRATION	2	MG/L
RESIN EXCHANGE CAPACITY	4	LB/CFT
REGENERATE DOSE=12 LB/CFT	LEVEL=7.5 LB/CFT	CONC=7.5 PER SG=1.0
FLOW RATES	TREAT=3	REGENT=1.5 RINSE=1.0 GPM/CFT
HOURS PER DAY	8	HOURS
AMOUNT OF RINSE WATER	60	G/CFT
COLUMN DEPTH	24	INCHES
BACKWASH	AMOUNT= 100	G/CFT RATE= 10 GPM/CFT

c. Anion Exchange Unit Process Data Cards

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ANION EXCHANGE          MOD xx

EFFLUENT CONCENTRATION          xx.x          MG/L

RESIN EXCHANGE CAPACITY        xx.x          LB/CFT

REGENERANT DOSE = xx.x  LB/CFT LEVEL = xx.x  LB/CUFT
      CONC = xx.x% SG = xx.x

FLOW RATES TREAT = xx.x  REGEN = xx.x  RINSE = xx.x  GPM/CFT

HOURS PER DAY                  xx.x          HOURS

AMOUNT OF RINSE WATER          xx.x          G/CFT

COLUMN DEPTH                    xx.x          INCHES

BACKWASH AMOUNT = xx.x  G/CFT      RATE = xx.x          GPM/CFT

END

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3-6. Carbon Adsorption (see page 6-3 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Carbon Requirements

Tertiary treatment \approx 250-350 lb/million gal

Secondary treatment \approx 500-1800 lb/million gal

Hydraulic loading, 4-8 gpm/ft²

Contact time, 30-60 min.

Backwash rate, 10-15 gpm/ft²

Backwash time, \approx 15 min.

Adsorption capacity (from laboratory study)

Rate Constant (from laboratory study)

b. Default Data

CARBON REQUIREMENTS	300	LB/MG
HYDRAULIC LOADING	6	GPM/SQFT
CONTACT TIME	45	MINUTES
BACKWASH RATE= 15 GPM/SQFT	TIME= 10 MIN	
ADSORPTION CAPACITY	4	LB/CFT
BREAKPOINT CONCENTRATION	5	MG/L
RATE CONSTANT	12	

c. Carbon Adsorption Unit Process Data Cards

CARBON ADSORPTION	MOD xx	
CARBON REQUIREMENTS	xx.x	LB/MG
HYDRAULIC LOADING	xx.x	GPM/SQFT
CONTACT TIME	xx.x	MIN
BACKWASH RATE = xx.x GPM/SQFT	TIME = xx.x	MIN
ADSORPTION CAPACITY	xx.x	LB/CFT
BREAKPOINT CONCENTRATION	xx.x	MG/L
RATE CONSTANT	xx.x	
END		

3-7. Cascade Aeration (see page 5-165 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Free weir indicates a free fall aeration process.

Step weir is a series of free falls. A step weir reduces the required head as it increases the oxygen transfer efficiency.

b. Default Data

DISSOLVED OXYGEN	INITIAL= 2.0	FINAL= 5.0	MG/L
FREE WEIR			
TEMPERATURE	18		DEG CFNT

c. Cascade Aeration Unit Process Data Cards

CASCADE AERATION MOD xx
DISSOLVED OXYGEN INITIAL = xx.x FINAL = xx.x MG/L
FREE WEIRS^a
STEP WEIRS^a
TEMPERATURE xx.x DEG CENT
END

^aUse free or step; not both.

3-8. Cation Exchange (see page 6-43 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Treatment flow rate, 2-5 gpm/ft³
Regenerant flow rate, 1-2 gpm/ft³
Rinsing flow rate, 0.5-1.5 gpm/ft³
Amount of rinse water, 30-120 gal/ft³
Column depth, 24-30 inches minimum
Amount of backwash water, \approx 100 gal/ft³
Backwash water rate, \approx 15 gpm/ft³
Resin exchange capacity, lb/ft³ (consult manufacturer specifications)
Regenerant dose, level, concentration, and specific gravity (consult resin manufacturer specifications)

b. Default Data

EFFLUENT CONCENTRATION	2	MG/L	
RESIN EXCHANGE CAPACITY	4	LB/CFT	
REGENERATE DOSE=12 LB/CFT	LEVEL=7.5 LB/CFT	CONC=7.5 PER	SG=1.04
FLOW RATES TREAT=3	REGEN=1.5	RINSE=1.0	GPM/CFT
HOURS PER DAY	8	HOURS	
AMOUNT OF RINSE WATER	50	G/CFT	
COLUMN DEPTH	24	INCHES	
BACKWASH AMOUNT=100.0 G/CFT	RATE=10	GPM/CFT	

c. Cation Exchange Unit Process Data Cards

CATION EXCHANGE MOD xx

EFFLUENT CONCENTRATION xx.x MG/L

RESIN EXCHANGE CAPACITY xx.x LB/CFT

REGENERANT DOSE = xx.x LB/CFT Level = xx.x LB/CUFT
 . CONC = xx.x % SG = xx.x

FLOW RATES TREAT = xx.x REGEN = xx.x
 RINSE = xx.x GPM/CFT

HOURS PER DAY xx.x HOURS

AMOUNT OF RINSE WATER xx.x G/CFT

COLUMN DEPTH xx.x INCHES

BACKWASH AMOUNT = xx.x GAL/CUFT RATE= xx.x GPM/CFT

END

3-9. Centrifugation (see page 5-131 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Power requirement for centrifuge \approx 0.5-2.0 hp/gpm

Excess capacity factors \approx 1.25

Chemical dosage \approx 10.0% of dry weight of solids

b. Default Data

ESTIMATE	1.0	HP/GPM
POWER REQUIREMENT	8	HOURS
HOURS PER DAY	5	DAYS
DAYS PER WEEK	2.0	UNITS
NUMBER OF UNITS	1.25	
EXCESS CAPACITY FACTOR	10	PERCENT DRY
CHEMICAL DOSE		

c. Centrifugation Unit Process Data Cards

CENTRIFUGATION	MOD xx		
POWER REQUIREMENT	xx.x	HP/GPM	
HOURS PER DAY	xx.x	HOURS	
DAYS PER WEEK	xx.x	DAYS	
NUMBER OF UNITS	xx.x	UNITS	
EXCESS CAPACITY FACTOR	xx.x	PERCENT	
CHEMICAL DOSE	xx.x	PERCENT DRY WT	
ESTIMATE ^a	COSTSC = xx.x		
END			

^aCOSTSC = Cost of standard 50-hp centrifuge - default value =
\$165,000

3-10. Chlorination (see page 6-35 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Contact time should not be less than 15 minutes at peak flow.

Typical chlorine dosages for disinfection and odor control are shown in Table 3-1.

Table 3-1. Typical Chlorine Dosages for Disinfection and Odor Control

Effluent from	Dosage Range mg/l
Untreated wastewater (prechlorination)	6 to 25
Primary sedimentation	5 to 20
Chemical precipitation plant	2 to 6
Trickling filter plant	3 to 15
Activated sludge plant	2 to 8
Multimedia filter following activated sludge plant	1 to 5

b. Default Data

ESTIMATE	100 \$/TON	
CONTACT TIME	30	MIN
CHLORINE DOSE	10	MG/L

c. Chlorination Unit Process Data Cards

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CHLORINATION          MOD xx

CONTACT TIME          xx.x          MIN

CHLORINE DOSE         xx.x          MG/L

NUMBER OF TANKS       xx

ESTIMATEa      CHLCOST = xx.x $/TON  COSTCLE xx.x

END
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^aCHLCOST = Cost of chlorine - no default value.

COSTCLE = Cost of standard 2000 lb/day chlorinator default
value = \$2,700.

3-11. Coagulation (see page 6-17 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Detention time in rapid mix basin \approx 1.0-3.0 minutes

Detention time in flocculator \approx 15-60 minutes

<u>Coagulant</u>	<u>Coagulant Dose (mg/l)</u>	<u>Optimum Ph</u>
Lime	200.0 - 500.0	10.0 - 11.0
Alum	50.0 - 100.0	5.0 - 6.5
Iron Salts	100.0 - 250.0	5.0 - 6.5

b. Design Parameters

ESTIMATE
DETENTION TIME RAPID MIX=2.0 FLOCCULATOR=45 MIN
OPTIMUM PH 10.5
COAGULANT DOSE 100 MG/L
LIME

c. Coagulation Unit Process Data Cards

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COAGULATIONa          MOD xx
DETENTION TIME  RAPID MIX = xx.x  FLOCCULATOR = xx.x  MIN
OPTIMUM PH                      xx.x
COAGULANT DOSE                      xx.x                MG/L
LIMEb
ALUMb
IRON SALTSb
ESTIMATEc          COSTCLd = xx.x
END
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^aUser must also specify primary clarification (coagulation).

^bUse only one of lime, alum, or iron salts cards - default is lime.

^cIf estimate costing is requested, pricing will be based on a combined flocculator and clarifier and separate prices for the clarifier will not be calculated. With parametric costing, the costs of both units will be calculated separately.

^dCOSTCL = Cost of standard 60-foot diameter upflow clarifier - default value = \$110,000.

3-12. Comminution (see page 5-29 of Design Manual)

a. Default Data

NUMBER OF UNITS

2

b. Comminution Unit Process Data Cards

COMMINUTION^a MOD xx
NUMBER OF UNITS xx
END

^aThis process used with preliminary treatment.

3-13. Complete Mix Activated Sludge (see page 7-37 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Eckenfelder's Approach

Reaction rate constants

- k, BOD removal rate constant $\approx 0.0007-0.002$ l/mg/hr
- a, fraction of BOD synthesized ≈ 0.73
- ∇ a, fraction of BOD oxidized for energy ≈ 0.52
- b, endogenous rate (oxygen basis) ≈ 0.075 /day
- ∇ b, endogenous rate (sludge basis) ≈ 0.15 /day
- f, nonbiodegradable fraction of VSS in influent ≈ 0.40
- ∇ f, degradable fraction of the MLVSS ≈ 0.53

F/M ratio $\approx 0.3 - 0.6$

Mixed liquor suspended solids $\approx 3000 - 6000$ mg/l

Mixed liquor volatile solids $\approx 2100 - 4200$ mg/l

Temperature correction coefficient $\approx 1.0 - 1.04$

Effluent BOD soluble ≈ 10 mg/l

ALPHA O_2 transfer in waste/ O_2 in water ≈ 0.90

BETA O_2 saturation in waste/ O_2 saturation in water ≈ 0.90

HP Horsepower per 1000 gallons ≥ 0.10 hp/1000 gal

STE Standard transfer efficiency

Mechanical Aerators $\approx 2.0 - 3.5$ 16 O_2 /hp-hr

High Speed ≈ 2.0

Slow Speed ≈ 3.5

Diffused Aerator $\approx 6.0 - 11.0\%$

Coarse bubble ≈ 6.0

Fine bubble ≈ 11.0

b. Default Data

ESTIMATE
 CONSTANTS K=0.00135 A=0.73 AP=0.52 B=0.075 BP=0.15 F=0.4 FP=0.53
 F/M RATIO 0.5 LB BOD/LB VSS
 MIXED LIQUOR SS=4500 VS=3150 MG/L
 TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT 1.035
 EFFLUENT BOD SOLUBLE 30 MG/L
 DIFFUSED AERATION ALPHA=0.9 BETA=0.9 AP=0.0 CPM/TG STE=12 PFRCE

c. Complete Mix Activated Sludge Unit Process Data Cards

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COMPLETE MIX ACTIVATED SLUDGEa      MOD xx
CONSTANTS K = xx.x  A = xx.x  A∇ = xx.x  B∇ = xx.x  F = xx.x
          F∇ = xx.x

F/M RATIO                                xx.x                LB BOD/LB VSS

MIXED LIQUOR SS = xx.x  VS = xx.x                MG/L

TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT                  xx.x

EFFLUENT BOD SOLUBLE                    xx.x                MG/L

MECHANICAL AERATION ALPHAb = xx.x  BETA = xx.x  HP = xx.x
          HP/TG  STE = xx.x  LB O/HP-HR

DIFFUSED AERATION ALPHAb = xx.x  BETA = xx.x  AFc = xx.x
          CFM/TG  STE = xx.x PER

ESTIMATEd SSXSA = xx.x  COSTPD = xx.x  COSTPH = xx.x
          COSTPS = xx.x

END

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^aUser must also specify secondary clarification (activated sludge).

^bUse mechanical or diffused, not both.

^cAF (minimum airflow) specifies a lower limit on airflow. Model will calculate actual airflow and compare it with input value. Higher value will be output. Input zero for AF to obtain calculated value only.

^dSSXSA = Cost of standard slow-speed pier-mounted 20-hp aerator - default value = \$16,300.

COSTPD = Cost of standard 12.0 scfm coarse-bubble diffuser - default value = \$6.50.

COSTPH = Cost of standard 550 scfm swing arm diffuser - default value = \$5,000.

COSTPS = Cost of standard 3000 gpm pump and driver unit - default value = \$17,250.

3-14. Contact Stabilization Activated Sludge (see page 7-15 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

	<u>Contact Tank</u>	<u>Stabilization Tank</u>
Contact time, hrs	0.5 - 1.0	2.0 - 4.0
Mixed liquor SS, mg/l	2500-3500	4000-8000
Percent volatile \approx 70 percent		
Oxygen Required \approx 1.25 - 1.50		1b O ₂ /1b BOD removed/day
Sludge Production \approx 0.2 - 0.4		1b solids/1b BOD removed/day
f^V , nonbiodegradable fraction of VSS \approx 0.53		
Effluent BOD soluble \approx 10 mg/l		
ALPHA O ₂ transfer in waste/O ₂ transfer in water \approx 0.90		
BETA O ₂ saturation in waste/O ₂ saturation in water \approx 0.90		
HP Horsepower per 1000 gallons \geq 0.10 hp/1000 gal		
STE Standard transfer efficiency		
Mechanical Aerators \approx 2.0 - 3.5	16 O ₂ /hp-hr	
High Speed \approx 2.0		
Slow Speed \approx 3.5		
Diffused Aerator \approx 6.0 - 11.0%		
Coarse bubble \approx 6.0		
Fine bubble \approx 11.0		

b. Default Data

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ESTIMATE
AERATION TIME CONTACT 1.0 STABILIZATION 3 HOURS
MIXED LIQUOR SS CONTACT=3000 STABILIZATION=6000 MG/L
PERCENT VOLATILE 70 PERCENT
OXYGEN REQUIRED 1.25 LB O2/LB BOD/DAY
SLUDGE PRODUCTION 0.3 LB/LB BOD/DAY
CONSTANTS FP=0.5
EFFLUENT BOD SOLUBLE 10 MG/L
DIFFUSED AERATION ALPHA=0.9 BETA=0.9 AP=0.0 CPM/TG STE=12 PERCENT
  
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c. Contact Stabilization Activated Sludge Unit Process Data Cards

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CONTACT STABILIZATION ACTIVATED SLUDGEa      MOD  xx
AERATION TIME CONTACT = xx.x  STAB BASIN = xx.x      HOURS
MIXED LIQUOR SS CONTACT = xx.x  STAB BASIN = xx.x    MG/L
PERCENT VOLATILE          xx.x                      PERCENT
OXYGEN REQUIRED            xx.x                      LB O/LB
                                                BOD/DAY
SLUDGE PRODUCTION        xx.x                      LB SOLID/LB
                                                BOD/DAY
CONSTANT F∇ = xx.x                      FRACTION
EFFLUENT BOD SOLUBLE      xx.x                      MG/L
MECHANICAL AERATION ALPHAb = xx.x  BETA = xx.x
  HP = xx.x  HP/TG STE = xx.x  LB O/HP-HR
DIFFUSED AERATION ALPHAb = xx.x  BETA = xx.x
  AFc = xx.x  CFM/TG  STE = xx.x PER
ESTIMATEd      SSXSA = xx.x  COSTPD = xx.x  COSTPH = xx.x
                  COSTPS = xx.x
END

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^aUser must also specify secondary clarification (activated sludge).

^bUse mechanical or diffused, not both.

^cAF (minimum airflow) specifies a lower limit on airflow. Model will calculate actual airflow and compare it with input value. Higher value will be output. Input zero for AF to obtain calculated value only.

^dSSXSA = Cost of standard slow-speed pier-mounted 20-hp aerator - default value = \$16,300.

COSTPD = Cost of standard 12.0 scfm coarse-bubble diffuser - default value = \$6.50.

COSTPH = Cost of standard 550 scfm swing arm diffuser - default value = \$5,000.

COSTPS = Cost of standard 3000 gpm pump and driver unit - default value = \$17,250.

3-15. Costs Overrides

a. To allow for unique site-specific problems, the user may elect to input locally generated costs for some or all unit processes. Within the Unit Specification Section, the user has the option to insert, under the COSTS header card, costs of unit processes for which the user has more accurate data than that generated by the CAPDET model. There are four values required for each process. The first item of data is present day capital cost in dollars, the second item is the number of operational man-hours per year associated with the process, the third item is the number of maintenance man-hours per year required, and the fourth item is the supply cost in present day dollars per year.

b. The COSTS section is loaded with the value -1 in all four data items. These values are simply space fillers which represent no cost override options. To override CAPDET cost estimates the user would substitute the four items for the -1's.

EXAMPLE:

COSTS				
AERATED LAGOON	-1	-1	-1	1200
AEROBIC DIGESTION	86870	700	400	0
PRIMARY CLARIFICATION	0	0	0	0
END				

This example shows three unit processes which will use the cost override option. Only the supply cost is overridden for the lagoon. This might be done in the cases where electric rates are extremely high. All aerobic digestion CAPDET values are overridden with actual figures for cost and man-hours required. In the last process, primary clarification, all costs are overridden with zeroes. This may be used when studying treatment plant expansion, where it is necessary to evaluate the characteristics of the waste stream through the existing facility but it is unnecessary to include the existing processes in the system cost evaluation.

C. Cost Override Data Cards

	<u>CAPITAL COST \$</u>	<u>OPERATION MAN-HOURS HR/YEAR</u>	<u>MAINT MAN- HOURS HR/ YEAR</u>	<u>SUPPLY COST \$/YEAR</u>
COSTS				
A SECONDARY CLARIFICATION (ACTIVATED SLUDGE)	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
AERATED LAGOON	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
AEROBIC DIGESTION	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
ANAEROBIC DIGESTION	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
ANION EXCHANGE	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
C PRIMARY CLARIFICATION (COAGULATION)	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
CARBON ADSORPTION	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
CASCADE AERATION	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
CATION EXCHANGE	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
CENTRIFUGATION	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
CHLORINATION	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
COAGULATION	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
COMMINUTORS	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
COMPLETE MIX ACTIVATED SLUDGE	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
CONTACT STABILIZATION	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
COUNTER CURRENT AMMONIA STRIPPING	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
CROSS CURRENT AMMONIA STRIPPING	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X

^aList only those lines describing the unit process whose cost functions are to be replaced.

^bIf any value is changed in a line all other values must be reset to -1.0.

c. Cost Override Data Cards (Continued)

	<u>CAPITAL COST \$</u>	<u>OPERATION MAN-HOURS HR/YEAR</u>	<u>MAINT MAN- HOURS HR/ YEAR</u>	<u>SUPPLY COST \$/YEAR</u>
DENITRIFICATION	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
DIFFUSED AERATION	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
DRYING BEDS	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
DUMMY PROCESS	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
EQUALIZATION	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
EXTENDED AERATION ACTIVATED SLUDGE	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
FACULTATIVE LAGOON	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
FILTRATION	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
FIRST-STAGE RECARBONATION	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
FLOCCULATOR	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
FLUIDIZED BED INCINERATION	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
FLOTATION	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
FLTR PRESS	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
GRAVITY THICKENING	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
GRIT REMOVAL & SCREENS & FLOW MEASUREMENT	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
HAULING AND LAND FILLING	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
HIGH RATE ACTIVATED SLUDGE	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
L CLARIFICATION (LIME TREATMENT)	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
LAGOONS	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
MECHANICAL AERATION	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
MICROSCREENING	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
MULTIPLE HEARTH INCINERATION	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
N SECONDARY CLARIFICATION (NITRIFY-DENITRIFY)	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
NEUTRALIZATION	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
NITRIFICATION	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X
OVERLAND FLOW LAND TREATMENT	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X	XX.X

c. Cost Override Data Cards (Continued)

	<u>CAPITAL</u> <u>COST \$</u>	<u>OPERATION</u> <u>MAN-HOURS</u> <u>HR/YEAR</u>	<u>MAINT</u> <u>MAN-</u> <u>HOURS</u> <u>HR/</u> <u>YEAR</u>	<u>SUPPLY</u> <u>COST</u> <u>\$/YEAR</u>
OXIDATION DITCH	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x
PLUG FLOW ACTIVATED SLUDGE	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x
POST AERATION	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x
PRESSURE FILTRATION	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x
PRIMARY CLARIFICATION	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x
PURE OXYGEN ACTIVATED SLUDGE	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x
RAPID INFILTRATION LAND TREATMENT	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x
RECARBONATION	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x
RECYCLE PUMPING (ACTIVATED SLUDGE)	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x
SCREENS	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x
SECOND STAGE RECARBONATION	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x
SLUDGE FLOTATION	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x
SLOW IRRIGATION LAND TREATMENT	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x
STEP AERATION ACTIVATED SLUDGE	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x
T SECONDARY CLARIFICATION (TRICKLING FILTER)	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x
TRICKLING FILTRATION	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x
VACUUM FILTRATION	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x
WET OXIDATION	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x

3-16. Counter Current Ammonia Stripping (see page 6-25 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Liquid loading rate $\approx 500-1000$ lb water/hr/ft²
Gas loading rate $\approx 2-4$ times liquid loading rate
(consult manufacturer for packing characteristics)
Lime Dosage $\approx 200-500$ mg/l
Height of transfer unit (consult manufacturer specifications)
Ammonia concentration in air at top of tower $\approx 0.02-0.05$ mg/l
Desired effluent quality $\approx 2.0-8.0$ mg/l

b. Default Data

DESIRED EFFLUENT QUALITY	2.0	MG/L	
LIQUID LOADING RATE	600	LB/HR/SQFT	
GAS LOADING RATE	1800	LB/HR/SQFT	
LIME DOSE	200	MG/L	
HEIGHT OF TRANSFER UNIT	15	FEET	
AMMONIA CONCENTRATION IN AIR LEAVING TOWER	0.03	MG/L	

c. Counter Current Ammonia Stripping Unit Process Data Cards

COUNTER CURRENT AMMONIA STRIPPING	MOD	xx	
DESIRED EFFLUENT QUALITY	xx.x	MG/L	
LIQUID LOADING RATE	xx.x	LB/HR/SQFT	
GAS LOADING RATE	xx.x	LB/HR/SQFT	
LIME DOSE	xx.x	MG/L	
HEIGHT OF TRANSFER UNIT	xx.x	FT	
AMMONIA CONCENTRATION IN AIR TOP OF TOWER	xx.x	MG/L	
END			

3-17. Cross Current Ammonia Stripping (see page 6-25 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Liquid loading rate $\approx 500-1000$ lb water/hr/ft²
Gas loading rate $\approx 2-4$ times liquid loading rate
(consult manufacturer for packing characteristics)
Lime dosage $\approx 200-500$ mg/l
Height of transfer unit (consult manufacturer specifications)
Ammonia concentration in air at the top of tower \approx
0.02-0.05 mg/l
Desired effluent quality $\approx 2.0-8.0$ mg/l

b. Default Data

DESIRED EFFLUENT QUALITY	2.0	MG/L
LIQUID LOADING RATE	600	LB/HR/SQFT
GAS LOADING RATE	1800	LB/HR/SQFT
LIME DOSE	200	MG/L
HEIGHT OF TRANSFER UNIT	15	FT

c. Cross Current Ammonia Stripping Unit Process Data Cards

CROSS CURRENT AMMONIA STRIPPING	MOD	xx	
DESIRED EFFLUENT QUALITY	xx.x		MG/L
LIQUID LOADING RATE	xx.x		LB/HR/SQFT
GAS LOADING RATE	xx.x		LB/HR/SQFT
LIME DOSE	xx.x		MG/L
HEIGHT OF TRANSFER UNIT	xx.x		FT
AMMONIA CONCENTRATION IN AIR TOP OF TOWER	xx.x		MG/L
END			

3-18. Denitrification (see page 7-253) of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Mixed liquor volatile solids $\approx 1200-2000$ mg/l
 Dissolved oxygen ≈ 2.0 mg/l
 Nitrate loading rate (see Figures 3-2 and 3-3
 based on winter temperature and MLVSS)
 Efficiency (removal based on pH; see Table 3-2)

Table 3-2. Effect of pH on Denitrification

<u>pH</u>	<u>Condition</u>
At $6.5 \leq \text{pH} \leq 7.5$	Optimum
At $6.3 \leq \text{pH} \leq 6.5$ }	90% of optimum
At $7.5 \leq \text{pH} \leq 7.7$ }	
At $5.6 \leq \text{pH} \leq 6.3$ }	50% of optimum
At $7.7 \leq \text{pH} \leq 8.6$ }	

b. Default Data

MIXED LIQUOR VS	2000	MG/L
WINTER TEMPERATURE	10	DEG CENT
NITRATE LOADING	20	LB/TCFT/DAY
DISSOLVED OXYGEN	4	MG/L
EFFICIENCY	90	PERCENT

c. Denitrification (Biological) Unit Process Data Cards

DENITRIFICATION ^a	MOD	xx	
MIXED LIQUOR	VS =	xx.x	MG/L
WINTER TEMPERATURE		xx.x	DEG CENT
NITRATE LOADING		xx.x	LB/TCFT/D
DISSOLVED OXYGEN		xx.x	MG/L
EFFICIENCY		xx.x	PERCENT
END			

^aThis process used with combined nitrification-denitrification and can not be used independently.

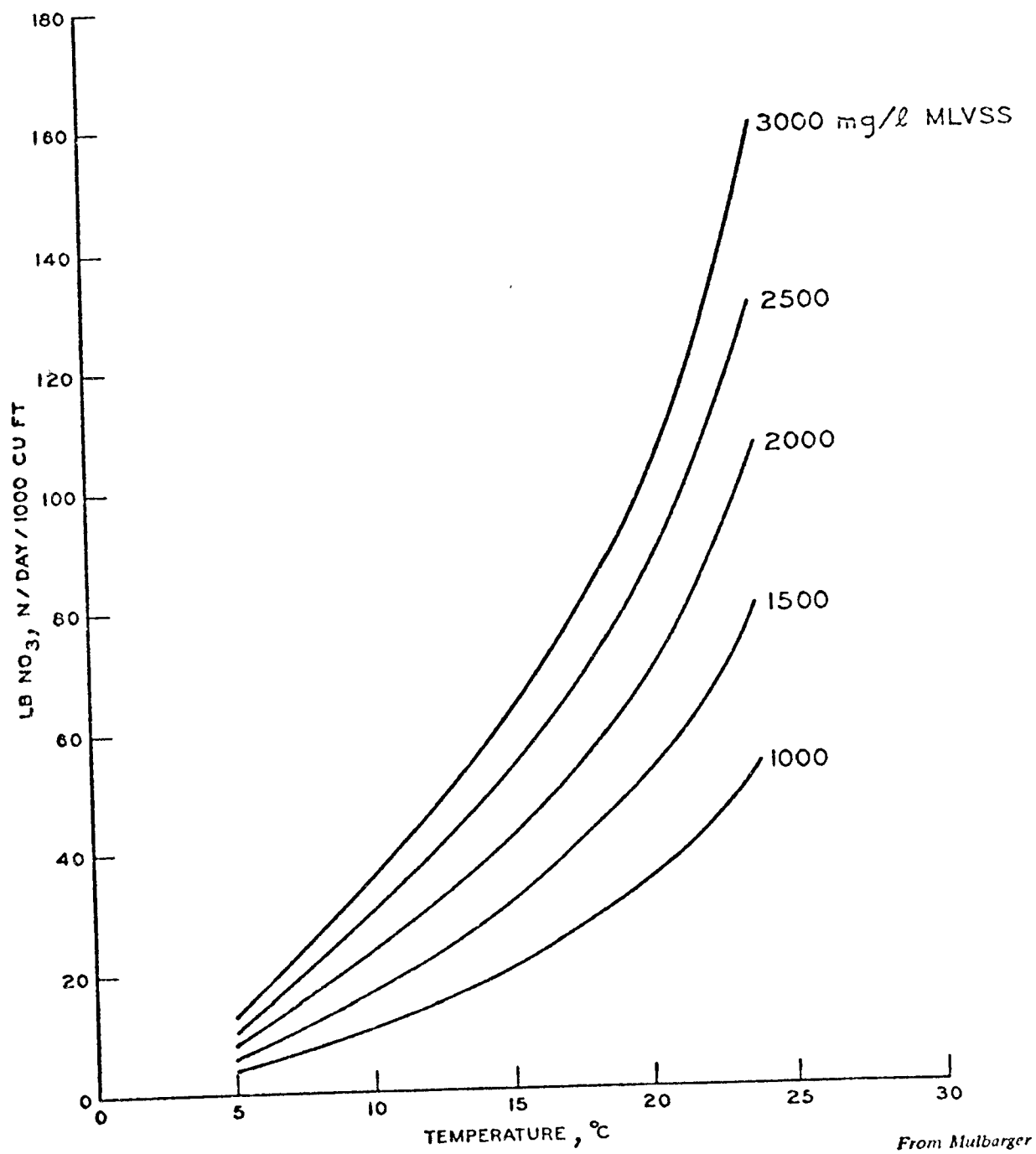


Figure 3-2. Permissible denitrification tank loadings.

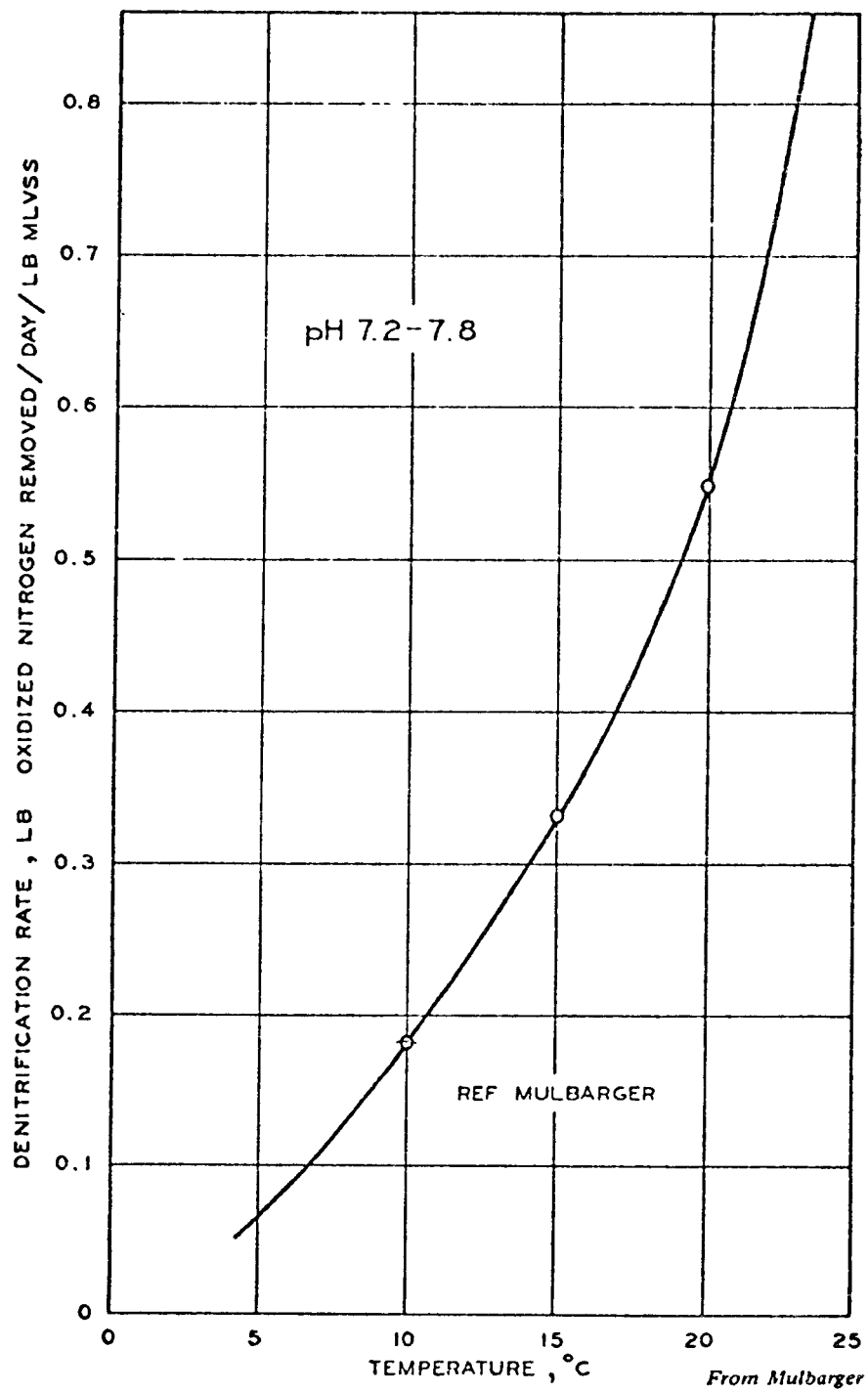


Figure 3-3. Effect of temperature upon rate of denitrification.

3-19. Drying Beds (see page 5-149 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Depth of sludge applied $\approx 8-12$ inches

Time to drain $\approx 1-8$ days

Drained solids content after T days $\approx 15-25\%$

Final solids content $\approx 30\%$

Evaporation rate (available from U.S. Weather Bureau)

Rainfall during wet month (available from U.S. Weather Bureau)

Correction for evaporation rate for sludge ≈ 0.75

Fraction of rainfall absorbed by sludge ≈ 0.57

b. Default Data

ESTIMATE		
DEPTH	12	INCHES
TIME TO DRAIN	2	DAYS
FINAL SOLIDS	50	%
DRAIN SOLIDS	20	%
EVAPORATION RATE	5	IN/MO
RAINFALL	3	IN/MO
CORRECTION FOR EVAPORATION	0.75	
FRACTION ADSORBED	0.50	
NUMBER OF SECTIONS	4	

c. Drying Beds Unit Process Data Cards

DRYING BEDS	MOD	xx	
DEPTH APPLIED	xx.x		INCHES
TIME TO DRAIN	xx.x		DAYS
DRAINED SOLIDS	xx.x		PERCENT
FINAL SOLIDS	xx.x		PERCENT
EVAPORATION RATE	xx.x		IN/MO.
RAINFALL	xx.x		IN/MO.
CORRECTION FOR EVAPORATION	xx.x		
FRACTION ABSORBED	xx.x		
NUMBER OF SECTIONS	xx.x		
ESTIMATE ^a PIPE COSTS =	xx.x	xx.x	xx.x
COGRVL =	xx.x		
COSAND =	xx.x		
END			

^aPipe costs for 4-, 6-, 8-inch perforated clay pipe in place, \$/FT - default values are \$2.15, \$2.75, and \$4.25 per foot respectively.

COSAND = Cost of sand in place, \$/Cu Yd - default value = \$5.90.

COGRVL = Cost of gravel in place, \$/Cu YD - default value = \$4.30.

3-20. Dummy Process

- a. In certain situations, the user may wish to adjust the waste characteristics at some point within the train (to simulate side flows, new processes, etc.). For these cases, the DUMMY process is available. The DUMMY process is a liquid line process and is listed on the BLOCK card with the key word DUMMY. The data cards for the DUMMY process are shown on the following page. The parameters of flow, temperature, and pH are set to describe the waste stream at that point in the train. All other waste characteristic parameters are modified as percent reductions of that particular parameter from the value it possessed as influent to the DUMMY process. The cost data are user input and the data card is of the same format as the cost override card. The sludge lines can be modified to indicate sludge production at that point in the train, by inputting values for volume of sludge, percent solids of sludge, and volatile portion of the sludge. If the sludge cards are included, all three values must be present and in the proper order.
- b. The schematic description of a process in CAPDET is shown in Figure 3-4. Q_i , C_i , T_i , and pH_i are waste descriptors which are either input by the user, if it is at the head of the plant, or are effluent characteristics generated by the flow through previous processes. Since for the DUMMY process there is no standard design and cost formulation within CAPDET, the user must simulate the effect of the process on the waste stream. This is done by setting Q_i , T_i , pH_i , sludge volumes, costs, and describing the C_e 's as percent reductions of the C_i 's.

c. Dummy Process Data Cards

DUMMY PROCESS

MINIMUM FLOW	xx.x	MGD
AVERAGE FLOW	xx.x	MGD
MAXIMUM FLOW	xx.x	MGD
TEMPERATURE	xx.x	DEG
SUSPENDED SOLIDS	xx.x	PER RED
VOLATILE SOLIDS	xx.x	PER RED
BOD5	xx.x	PER RED
BOD5 SOLUBLE	xx.x	PER RED
COD	xx.x	PER RED
COD SOLUBLE	xx.x	PER RED
PH	xx.x	UNITS
CATIONS	xx.x	PER RED
ANIONS	xx.x	PER RED
TKN	xx.x	PER RED
PO4	xx.x	PER RED
NH3	xx.x	PER RED
SETTLEABLE SOLIDS	xx.x	PER RED
OIL AND GREASE	xx.x	PER RED
NO2	xx.x	PER RED
NO3	xx.x	PER RED
PRIMARY SLUDGE xx.x GAL/DAY xx.x PER SOLIDS xx.x PER VOLATILE		
SECONDARY SLUDGE xx.x GAL/DAY xx.x PER SOLIDS xx.x PER VOLATILE		
COSTS xx.x CAPITAL xx.x OPER MAN HRS xx.x MAINT MAN HRS xx.x SUPPLY COST		
END		

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Q = FLOW

C = CONCENTRATION OF VARIOUS WASTE DESCRIPTORS

T = TEMPERATURE

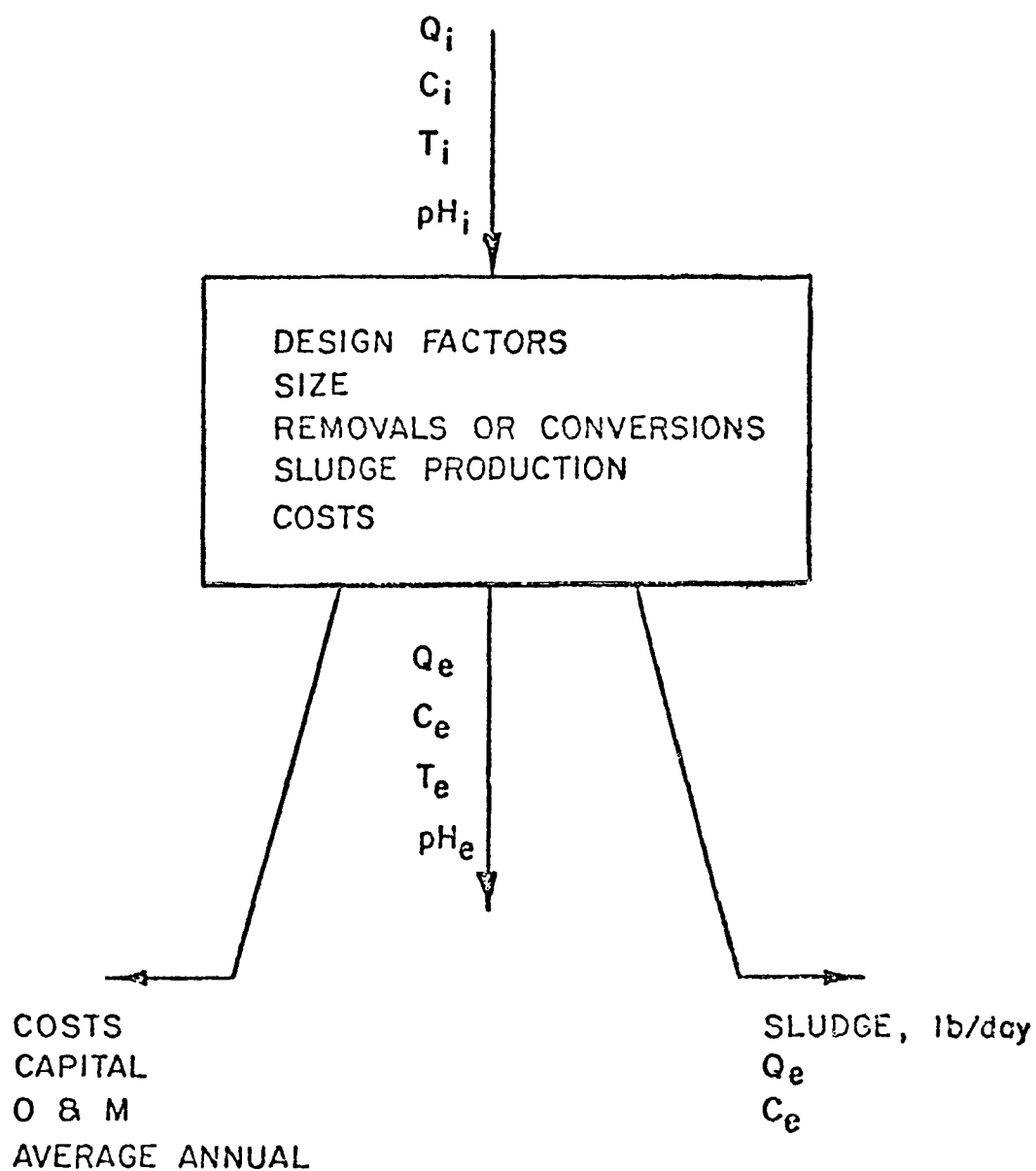


Figure 3-4. A schematic description of a CAPDET unit process

3-21. Equalization (see page 5-33 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Detention time (dependent on the fluctuation cycle) \approx
0.1-0.7 days

Mixing requirements \approx 0.02-0.04 hp/1000 gal

Air requirements \approx 5-20 cfm/cubic foot

Oxygen concentration (minimum) in tank \approx 2.0 mg/l

ALPHA O_2 transfer in waste/ O_2 transfer in water \approx 0.90

BETA O_2 saturation in waste/ O_2 saturation in water \approx 0.90

STE Standard transfer efficiency

Mechanical Aerators \approx 2.0-3.5 lb O_2 /hp-hr

High Speed \approx 2.0

Slow Speed \approx 3.5

Diffused Aerator \approx 6.0-11.0%

Coarse bubble \approx 6.0

Fine bubble \approx 11.0

b. Default Data

DETENTION TIME	0.5	DAYS
MIXING REQUIREMENTS	0.03	HP/TG
AIR REQUIREMENTS	15	CFM/CFT
ALPHA	0.9	
BETA	0.9	
STANDARD TRANSFER EFFICIENCY	3.4	LB O_2 /HP HR
OXYGEN CONCENTRATION IN TANK	2	MG/L

c. Equalization Unit Process Data Cards

EQUALIZATION	MOD	xx	
DETENTION TIME		xx.x	DAYS
MIXING REQUIREMENTS		xx.x	HP/TG
AIR REQUIREMENTS		xx.x	CFM/CFT
ALPHA		xx.x	
BETA		xx.x	
STANDARD TRANSFER EFFICIENCY		xx.x	LB O/HP-HR
OXYGEN CONCENTRATION IN TANK		xx.x	MG/L
END			

3-22. Extended Aeration Activated Sludge (see page 7-95 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Eckenfelder's Approach

Reaction rate constants

k, BOD removal rate constant $\approx 0.0007-0.002$ $\ell/\text{mg}/\text{hr}$

a, fraction of BOD synthesized ≈ 0.73

∇
a', fraction of BOD oxidized for energy ≈ 0.52

b, endogenous rate (oxygen basis) $\approx 0.075/\text{day}$

∇
b', endogenous rate (sludge basis) $\approx 0.15/\text{day}$

f, nonbiodegradable fraction of VSS in influent ≈ 0.40

∇
f', degradable fraction of the MLVSS ≈ 0.53

a_o, fraction of BOD₅ synthesized to degradable solids $\approx 0.77a \approx 0.56$

F/M ratio $\approx 0.05-0.15$

Mixed liquor suspended solids $\approx 3000-6000$ mg/ℓ

Mixed liquor volatile solids $\approx 2100-4200$ mg/ℓ

Temperature correction coefficient $\approx 1.0-1.04$

Effluent BOD soluble ≈ 10 mg/ℓ

ALPHA O_2 transfer in waste/ O_2 transfer in water ≈ 0.90

BETA O_2 saturation in waste/ O_2 saturation in water ≈ 0.90

HP Horsepower per 1000 gallons ≥ 0.10 $\text{hp}/1000$ gal

STE Standard transfer efficiency

Mechanical Aerators $\approx 2.0-3.5$ $\text{lb O}_2/\text{hp-hr}$

High Speed ≈ 2.0

Slow Speed ≈ 3.5

Diffused Aerator $\approx 6.0-11.0\%$

Coarse bubble ≈ 6.0

Fine bubble ≈ 11.0

b. Default Data

ESTIMATE
CONSTANTS $K=0.0012$ $A=0.73$ $AP=0.52$ $B=0.075$ $BP=0.15$ $F=0.4$ $FP=0.53$ $AO=0.56$
F/M RATIO 0.1 LB BOD/LB VSS
MIXED LIQUOR $SS=3500$ $VS=2000$ 1.03 MG/L
TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT 5 MG/L
EFFLUENT BOD SOLUBLE
DIFFUSED AERATION ALPHA=0.9 BETA=0.9 AP=0.0 CFM/TG STE=12 PERCENT

c. Extended Aeration Activated Sludge Unit Process Data Cards

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EXTENDED AERATION ACTIVATED SLUDGEa      MOD xx
CONSTANTS  K=xx.x  A=xx.x  A∇=xx.x  B=xx.x  B∇=xx.x  F=xx.x
           F∇=xx.x  AO=xx.x

F/M RATIO                xx.x                LB BOD/LB VSS
MIXED LIQUOR SS = xx.x  VS =xx.x                MG/L
TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT   xx.x
EFFLUENT BOD SOLUBLE      xx.x                MG/L

MECHANICAL AERATION ALPHAb=xx.x  BETA=xx.x  HP=xx.x  HP/TG
STE=xx.x  LB O/HP-HR
DIFFUSED AERATION ALPHAb=xx.x  BETA=xx.x  AFc=xx.x CFM
STE=xx.x  PERCENT
ESTIMATEd  SSXSA = xx.x  COSTPD = xx.x  COSTPH = xx.x
           COSTPS = xx.x

END

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^aUser must also specify secondary clarification (activated sludge).

^bUse mechanical or diffused, not both.

^cAF (minimum airflow) specifies a lower limit on airflow. Model will calculate actual airflow and compare it with input value. Higher value will be output. Input zero for AF to obtain calculated value only.

^dSSXSA = Cost of standard slow-speed pier-mounted 20-hp aerator - default value = \$16,300.

COSTPD = Cost of standard 12.0 scfm coarse-bubble diffuser - default value = \$6.50.

COSTPH = Cost of standard 550 scfm swing arm diffuser - default value = \$5,000.

COSTPS = Cost of standard 3000 gpm pump and driver unit - default value = \$17,250.

3-23. Faculative Aerated Lagoon (see page 7-223 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

K, reaction rate constant $\approx 0.5-1.0$ per day (avg 0.75)

a^V , fraction of BOD oxidized for energy $\approx 0.90-1.40$

THETA, temperature correction coefficient ≈ 1.075

Effluent soluble BOD ≈ 10 mg/l

Suspended solids in effluent $\approx 50-150$ mg/l

ALPHA O_2 transfer in waste/ O_2 in water ≈ 0.90

BETA O_2 saturation in waste/ O_2 saturation in water ≈ 0.90

HP Horsepower per 1000 gallons ≥ 0.10 hp/1000 gal

STE Standard transfer efficiency

Mechanical Aerators $\approx 2.0-3.5$ lb O_2 /hp-hr

High speed ≈ 2.0

Slow speed ≈ 3.5

Diffused Aerator $\approx 6.0-11.0\%$

Coarse bubble ≈ 6.0

Fine bubble ≈ 11.0

b. Default Data

SUMMER TEMPERATURE	30	CENT
WINTER TEMPERATURE	10	CENT
EFFLUENT SOLUBLE BOD	30	MG/L
CONSTANTS	K=0.5	AP=1.2
	THETA=1.075	
SUSPENDED SOLIDS IN EFFLUENT	150	MG/L
MECHANICAL AERATION	ALPHA=0.9	BETA=0.9
	HP=0.01	HP/TG
	STE=3.5	LB O_2 /HP HR

c. Facultative Aerated Lagoon Unit Process Data Cards

FACULTATIVE AERATED LAGOON MOD xx

SUMMER TEMPERATURE xx.x DEG CENT

WINTER TEMPERATURE xx.x DEG CENT

EFFLUENT SOLUBLE BOD xx.x MC/L

CONSTANTS K = xx.x A^{∇} = xx.x THETA = xx.x

SUSPENDED SOLIDS IN EFFLUENT xx.x MG/L

MECHANICAL AERATION ALPHA^a=xx.x BETA=xx.x HP=xx.x HP/TG
STE=xx.x LB O/HP-HR

DIFFUSED AERATION ALPHA^a=xx.x BETA=xx.x AF^b=xx.x CFM/TC
STE=xx.x PERCENT

END

^aUse mechanical or diffused, not both.

^bAF (minimum airflow) specifies a lower limit on airflow. Model will calculate actual airflow and compare it with input value. Higher value will be output. Input zero for AF to obtain calculated value only.

3-24. Filter Press

a. Design Parameters

Cake solids content \approx 35-50%
 Density of cake (see Table 3-3 for typical specific gravities)
 Chamber volume (see manufacturer specifications) \approx 1.0-2.0 ft³
 Hours operation per day \approx 8-16 hours
 Cycle time of filter \approx 2.0 hours

Table 3-3. Normal Quantities of Sludge Produced by Different Treatment Processes

<u>Wastewater Treatment Process</u>	<u>Gallons Sludge/ mg Treated</u>	<u>Solids Percent</u>	<u>Sludge Specific Gravity</u>
Primary sedimentation			
Undigested	2,950	5.0	1.02
Digested in separate tanks	1,450	6.0	1.03
Trickling filter	745	7.5	1.025
Chemical precipitation	5,120	7.5	1.03
Primary sedimentation and activated sludge			
Undigested	6,900	4.0	1.02
Digested in separate tanks	2,700	6.0	1.03
Activated sludge			
Waste sludge	19,400	1.5	1.005
Septic tanks, digested	900	10.0	1.04
Imhoff tanks, digested	500	15.0	1.04

b. Default Data

CAKE SOLIDS CONTENT	45.0 PERCENT
DENSITY OF CAKE	65.0 LB/CUFT
CHAMBER VOLUME	2.0 CUFT
HOURS OF OPERATION	8.0 HOURS
CYCLE TIME	2.0 HOURS

c. Filter Press Unit Process Data Cards

FLTR PRESS ^a	MOD xx	
CAKE SOLIDS CONTENT	xx.x	PERCENT
DENSITY OF CAKE	xx.x	LB/CUFT
CHAMBER VOLUME	xx.x	CUFT
HOURS OPERATION PER DAY	xx.x	HRS
CYCLE TIME	xx.x	HRS
END		

^aThe user must spell the process name 'FLTR' ~~PROCESS~~ ^{PRESS} as shown to insure the proper input for the Filter Press process.

3-25. Filtration (see page 5-93 of Design Manual)

- a. Design Parameters (for general design characteristics see Table 3-4)

Filter media characteristics (see Table 3-5)

Loading rate, dual media $\approx 2-10$ gpm/ft²; multi media $\approx 2-12$ gpm/ft²

K, coefficient of permeability ≈ 6

POR, porosity ≈ 0.50 for anthracite and ≈ 0.40 for sand

DIA, particle diameter or effective size (Table 3-5)

SF, shape factor ≈ 6.0 for spherical or 8.5 for crushed granules

SG, specific gravity ≈ 1.67 for anthracite or 2.65 for sand

Sixty percent finer size of the sand ≈ 0.75 mm

Density of water ≈ 62.4 lb/ft³

Viscosity of water ≈ 1.009 centipoises

Porosity of unexpanded bed ≈ 0.40

b. Default Data

ESTIMATE		
LOADING RATE	2	G/M/SQFT
APPROACH VELOCITY	0.005	FT/SEC
LAYERS	NUMBER=4 (FOLLOW WITH ONE CARD PER LAYER TOP TO BOTTOM)	
D=1.00 K=6 POR=0.50 DIA=0.0046 SF=7.0 SG=1.40		(ANTHRACITES)
D=1.00 K=5 POR=0.40 DIA=0.0020 SF=8.5 SG=2.65		(SAND)
D=1.00 K=4 POR=0.47 DIA=0.0010 SF=8.0 SG=3.85		(GARNET SANDS)
D=1.00 K=6 POR=0.60 DIA=0.0500 SF=6.0 SG=6.00		(GRAVEL)
SIXTY PERCENT FINER SIZE	0.75	MM
SPECIFIC WEIGHT OF SAND	165.4	LB/CF
DENSITY OF WATER	62.4	LB/CF
KINEMATIC VISCOSITY (PGM WILL COMPUTE UNLESS VALUE SPECIFIED)		SQFT/SEC
POROSITY OF BED	0.4	
EXPANDED DEPTH	5	FEET
NUMBERS OF TROUGHS	50	THOUGHS
WIDTH OF TROUGHS	1	FEET
UNDERDRAIN DEPTH	1	FEET
HEAD LOSS IN UNDERDRAIN	1	FEET
OPERATING DEPTH OF WATER ABOVE SAND		FEET
HEIGHT OF TROUGH FROM UNDERDRAIN	6.5	FEET
BACKWASH TIME	10	MINUTES
FREEBOARD	1	FEET
ABSOLUTE VISCOSITY OF WATER	1.0087	CENTIPOISES

c. Filtration Unit Process Data Cards

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FILTRATION          MOD xx

LOADING RATE                xx.x                G/MSQFT
APPROACH VELOCITY          xx.x                FT/SEC
LAYERSa NUMBER = xx.x (follow with one card/layer top to
    bottom) D=xx.x  FT K=xx.x  POR=xx.x  DIA=xx.x
    FT SF=xx.x  SG=xx.x
SIXTY PERCENT FINER SIZE    xx.x                MM
SPECIFIC WEIGHT OF SAND      xx.x                LB/CFT
DENSITY OF WATER             xx.x                LBS/CFT
KINEMATIC VISCOSITY (may
    be specified or will
    be calculated if left
    blank)                   xx.x                SQFT/SEC
POROSITY OF BED              xx.x
EXPANDED DEPTH               xx.x                FT
NUMBER OF TROUGHS           xx.x
WIDTH OF TROUGHS            xx.x                FT
UNDERDRAIN DEPTH            xx.x                FT
HEAD LOSS IN UNDERDRAIN     xx.x                FT
OPERATING DEPTH OF WATER
    ABOVE SAND              xx.x                FT
HEIGHT OF TROUGH FROM
    UNDERDRAIN              xx.x                FT
BACKWASH TIME                xx.x                MIN
FREEBOARD                   xx.x                FT
ABSOLUTE VISCOSITY OF WATER  xx.x                CENTIPOISES
ESTIMATEb COSF = xx.x  COSTPS = xx.x
END

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^aThe "LAYERS" card must be followed immediately with one card per layer in the order of top to bottom. These cards have no key word. They must contain the depth (ft), permeability, porosity, mean diameter (ft), shape factor, and specific gravity for the layers in the order shown.

^bCOSF=Cost of standard 784 square ft filter unit-default value=\$165,000.
 COSTPS=Cost of standard 3000 gpm pump and driver unit-default value=\$17,250.

Table 3-4. General Features of Construction and Operation of
Conventional Slow and Rapid Sand Filters

Feature	Slow Sand Filters	Rapid Sand Filters
Rate of filtration	1 to 3 to 10 mgad	100 to 125 cc 300 mgad
Size of bed	Large, half acre	Small, 1/100 to 1/10 acre
Depth of bed	12 in. of gravel; 42 in. of sand, usually reduced to no less than 24 in. by scraping	18 in. of gravel; 30 in. of sand or less; not reduced by washing
Size of sand	Effective size 0.25 to 0.3 to 0.35 mm; coefficient of nonuniformity 2 to 2.5 to 3	0.45 mm and higher; coefficient of nonuniformity 1.5 and lower, depending on underdrainage system
Grain size distribution of sand in filter	Unstratified	Stratified with smallest or lightest grains at top and coarsest or heaviest at bottom
Underdrainage system	Split tile laterals laid in coarse stone and discharging into tile or concrete main drains	(1) Perforated pipe laterals discharging into pipe mains; (2) porous plates above inlet box; (3) porous blocks with included channels
Loss of head	0.2 ft initial to 4 ft final	1 ft initial to 8 or 9 ft final
Length of run between cleanings	20 to 30 to 60 days	12 to 24 hr
Penetration of suspended matter	Superficial	Deep
Method of cleaning	(1) Scraping off surface layer of sand and washing and storing cleaned sand for periodic resanding of bed; (2) washing surface sand and sand in place by washer traveling over sand bed	Dislodging and removing suspended matter by upward flow or back-washing, which fluidizes the bed. Possible use of water or air jets, or mechanical rakes to improve scour
Amount of wash water used in cleaning sand	0.2 to 0.6 percent of water filtered	1 to 4 to 6 percent of water filtered

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Table 3-4. General Features of Construction and Operation of
Conventional Slow and Rapid Sand Filters (Concluded)

Feature	Slow Sand Filters	Rapid Sand Filters
Preparatory treatment of water	Generally none	Coagulation, flocculation, and sedimentation
Supplementary treatment of water	Chlorination	Chlorination
Cost of construction, U.S.	Relatively high	Relatively low
Cost of operation	Relatively low where sand is cleaned in place	Relatively high
Depreciation cost	Relatively low	Relatively high

From Fair, Geyer, and Okun, 1958

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Table 3-5. Typical Design Data for Dual-Media and Multimedia Filters

Characteristic	Value	
	Range	Typical
<u>Dual-Media</u>		
Anthracite		
Depth, in.	8 to 24	18.0
Effective size, mm	0.8 to 2.0	1.2
Uniformity coefficient	1.4 to 1.8	1.5
Sand		
Depth, in.	10 to 24	12.0
Effective size, mm	0.3 to 0.8	0.5
Uniformity coefficient	1.2 to 1.6	1.4
Filtration rate, gpm/ft ²	2 to 10	6.0
<u>Multimedia</u>		
Anthracite		
Depth, in.	8 to 20	15.0
Effective size, mm	1.0 to 2.0	1.4
Uniformity coefficient	1.4 to 1.8	1.5
Sand		
Depth, in.	8 to 16	12.0
Effective size, mm	0.4 to 0.8	0.6
Uniformity coefficient	1.2 to 1.6	1.4
Garnet ^a		
Depth, in.	2 to 4	3.0
Effective size, mm	0.2 to 0.6	0.3
Uniformity coefficient		1.0
Filtration rate, gpm/ft ²	2 to 12	6.0

^aGarnet becomes intermixed with sand and anthracite.

From Metcalf and Eddy, 1972

3-26. Flocculation (see page 6-17 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Lime dosage (determine from jar test) \approx 200-500 mg/l

Optimum Ph (determine from jar test) \approx 10-11

Detention time for flash mix basin \approx 1.0 - 3.0 minutes

Detention time for flocculator basin \approx 15.0 - 60.0 minutes

b. Default Data

LIME			DOSE \approx 100	MG/L
DETENTION TIME	FLASH MIX \approx 3		FLOCCULATOR \approx 45	MIN
OPTIMUM PH			10.5	

c. Flocculation Unit Process Data Cards

FLOCCULATION	MOD	xx		
LIME DOSE	xxx			MG/L
DETENTION TIME	FLASH MIX	xxx	FLOCCULATOR	xxx MIN
OPTIMUM PH	xxx			
END				

3-27. Flotation (see page 5-41 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Air pressure \approx 40-70 psig

Detention time in float tank \approx 0.25-0.5 hrs

Solid loading (determine from laboratory tests)

Hydraulic loading \approx 1.0-4.0 gal/min/ft²

Recycle time in pressure tank \approx 1.0-3.0 min

Percent removal of solids (determine from bench test) \approx 80.0

Air/solids ratio (determine from laboratory test)

Float concentration (determine from bench test) \approx 5.0%

Removal of BOD (determine from bench test)

Removal of COD (determine from bench test)

Removal of TKN (determine from bench test)

b. Default Data

ESTIMATE		
AIR PRESSURE	40	PSIG
DETENTION TIME IN FLOAT TANK	0.5	HRS
SOLID LOADING	15	LB/SQFT/DAY
HYDRAULIC LOADING	3.5	GPM/SQFT
RECYCLE TIME IN PRESS TANK	3.0	MIN
PERCENT REMOVAL OF SOLIDS	85	PERCENT
AIR/SOLIDS RATIO	0.02	
FLOAT CONCENTRATION	3	PERCENT
REMOVAL BOD=30 COD=30 TKN=10		PERCENT

c. Flotation Unit Process Data Cards

FLOTATION	MOD	xx	
AIR PRESSURE ^a		xx.x	PSIG
DETENTION TIME IN FLOAT TANK		xx.x	HRS
SOLID LOADING		xx.x	LB/SQFT/DAY
HYDRAULIC LOADING		xx.x	GPM/SQFT
RECYCLE TIME IN PRESS TANK ^a		xx.x	MIN
PERCENT REMOVAL OF SOLIDS		xx.x	PERCENT
AIR/SOLIDS RATIO		xx.x	
FLOAT CONCENTRATION		xx.x	PERCENT
REMOVAL BOD = xx.x	COD = xx.x	TKN = xx.x	PERCENT
Estimate ^b	COSTFS = xx.x		
END			

^aUse with recycle only.

^bCOSTFS = Cost of standard 350 square foot air flotation
unit - default value = \$44,200

3-28. Fluidized Bed Incineration (see page 5-189 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Sludge analysis (determine from bench tests)

Carbon content \approx 43.6%
Hydrogen content \approx 6.4%
Oxygen content \approx 33.4%
Sulfur content \approx 0.3%

Fuel analysis (use reported values for desired fuel;
typical values for fuel oil are provided)

Carbon content \approx 87.3%
Hydrogen content \approx 12.6%
Oxygen content \approx 0.0%
Sulfur content \approx 1.0%

Heat value of fuel (use reported value for desired fuel),
for fuel oil \approx 18,000 BTU/lb

Operating temperature of preheater unit \approx 1000-1200°F

Sand to sludge ratio \approx 3.0-8.0

Detention time \approx 10.0-60.0 sec

b. Default Data

HOURS PER DAY	8 HOURS		
DAYS PER WEEK	5		
SLUDGE ANALYSIS	C=59.8	H=9.4	O=27.5 S=1.0
FUEL ANALYSIS	C=87.3	H=12.6	O=0.0 S=1.0
HEAT VALUE OF FUEL	18000	BTU/LB	
OPERATING TEMPERATURE	1000	DEGREES F	
AMBIENT TEMPERATURE	75	DEGREES F	
SAND TO SLUDGE RATIO	6.0	LB/LB/HR	
SPECIFIC WEIGHT OF SAND	110	LB/CUFT	
DETENTION TIME	60	SECONDS	
ELECTRIC POWER COST	0.04	\$/KWH	
ESTIMATE			

c. Fluidized Bed Incineration Unit Process Data Cards

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FLUIDIZED BED INCINERATION          MOD  xx

HOURS PER DAY                      xx.x

DAYS PER WEEK                      xx.x

SLUDGE 15-FOOTa C=xx.x H=xx.x O=xx.x S=xx.x      PERCENT

FUEL ANALYSISa C=xx.x H=xx.x O=xx.x S=xx.x      PERCENT

HEAT VALUE OF FUEL                  xx.x          BTU/LB

OPERATING TEMPERATURE              xx.x          DEG F

AMBIENT TEMPERATURE                xx.x          DEG F

SAND TO SLUDGE RATIO               xx.x

SPECIFIC WEIGHT OF SAND             xx.x          LB/CUFT

RETENTION TIME                     xx.x          SECONDS

ELECTRIC POWER COST                 xx.x          DOLLARS/KWHR

ESTIMATEb COSTFI = xx.x

END

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^a
C = Carbon content
H = Hydrogen content
O = Oxygen content
S = Sulfur content

^b COSTFI = Cost of standard 15-foot diameter incinerator -
default value = \$1,100,000.

3-29. Gravity Thickening (see page 5-57 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Underflow concentration (determine from bench test)

Mass loading rate (See Table 3-6.)

Settling velocity (determine from lab test with results similar to Figure 3.5)

Initial height (determine from lab test with results similar to Figure 3.5)

Intercept (determine from lab test with results similar to Figure 3.5)

Table 3-6. Concentrations of Unthickened and Thickened Sludges and Solids Loadings for Mechanical Thickeners

Type of Sludge	Sludge, Solid, Percent		Solids Loading for Mechanical Thickeners lb/ft ² /day
	Unthickened	Thickened	
Separate sludges			
Primary	2.5 to 5.5	8.0 to 10.0	20 to 30
Trickling filter	4.0 to 7.0	7.0 to 9.0	8 to 10
Modified aeration	2.0 to 4.0	4.3 to 7.9	7 to 18
Activated	0.5 to 1.2	2.5 to 3.3	4 to 18
Combined sludges			
Primary and trickling filter	3.0 to 6.0	7.0 to 9.0	12 to 20
Primary and modified aeration	3.0 to 4.0	8.3 to 11.6	12 to 20
Primary and activated	2.6 to 4.8	4.6 to 9.0	8 to 16

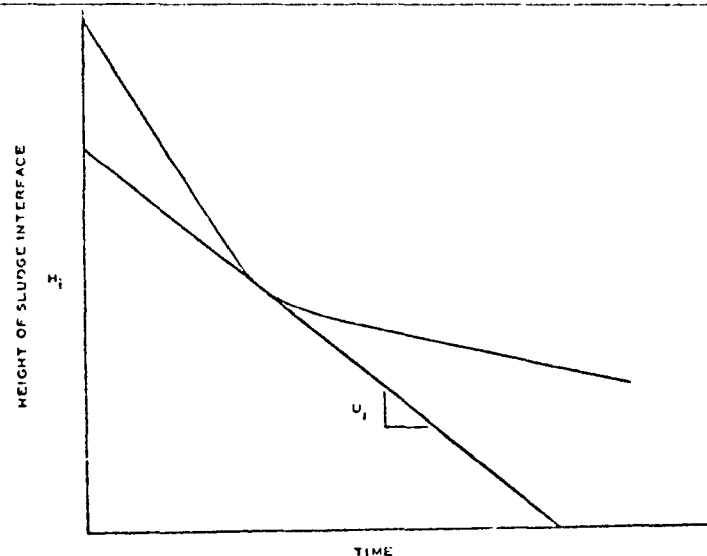


Figure 3-5. Typical settling curve from laboratory test.

b. Default Data

ESTIMATE	5	PERCENT
UNDERFLOW CONCENTRATION	10	LB/SQFT/DAY
MASS LOADING	9	FEET
DEPTH	2	
NUMBER OF TANKS		

c. Gravity Thickening Unit Process Data Cards

GRAVITY THICKENING	MOD	xx	
UNDERFLOW CONCENTRATION		xx.x	PERCENT
MASS LOADING ^a		xx.x	LB/SQFT/DAY
DEPTH		xx.x	FT
NUMBER OF TANKS		xx	
SETTLING VELOCITY ^a		xx.x	FT/DAY
INITIAL HEIGHT ^a		xx.x	FT
INTERCEPT ^a		xx.x	FT
ESTIMATE ^b	COSTTS =	xx.x	
END			

^aList either mass loading or the three parameters: settling, velocity, initial height, and intercept; not both.

^bCOSTTS = Cost of standard 90-foot diameter thickener-default value = \$82,500.

3-30. Grit Removal (see page 5-3 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Specific gravity of particles ≈ 2.65

Particle size (see Table 3-7)

Table 3-7. Grit Settling Velocities

Particle Size		Settling Velocity			Area Required
Mesh	mm	ft/min	gpd/ft ²	mgd/ft ²	ft ² /million gal
18	0.833	14.7	160,000	0.1600	6.3
20	0.595	10.5	114,500	0.1145	8.7
35	0.417	7.4	80,100	0.0801	12.5
48	0.295	5.2	56,700	0.0567	17.7
65(a)	0.208	3.7	40,000	0.0400	25.0
100	0.147	2.6	28,200	0.0282	35.5
150	0.105	1.8	20,200	0.0202	49.5

From Metcalf and Eddy, 1972

(a) Minimum particle size desirable for removal.

Depth ≈ 1.0 foot

Current allowance ≈ 1.70

Manning coefficient ≈ 0.03

Aerated grit chamber design parameters

Air supply - 3 cfm/ft of tank length

Air diffusers - located 2 to 3 ft above tank bottom on one side of tank

Surface velocity - 1.5 to 2 fps

Tank floor velocity - 1 to 1.5 fps

Grit collectors - air lift pumps to decanting channels, grit conveyors or grit pumps

Detention time - 2 to 3 min

Efficiency - 100% removal of 65-mesh grit

From Metcalf and Eddy, 1972

b. Default Data

ESTIMATE			
PARTICLE SIZE	0.2	MM	
SPECIFIC GRAVITY	2.65		
HORIZONTAL FLOW	VMAX=1.25	VAVE=1.00	FPS
NUMBER OF UNITS	2		
DEPTH	4		FT
CURRENT ALLOWANCE	1.7		
MANING COEFFICIENT	0.035		
VOLUME OF GRIT	4		CFT/MG

c. Grit Removal Unit Process Data Cards

GRIT REMOVAL ^a	MOD xx	
PARTICLE SIZE	xx.x	MM
SPECIFIC GRAVITY	xx.x	
HORIZONTAL FLOW ^b	VMAX=xx.x VAVG=xx.x	FPS
AERATED ^b	VMAX=xx.x VAVG=xx.x	FPX
NUMBER OF UNITS	xx.x	
DEPTH ^c	xx.x	FT
WIDTH ^c	xx.x	FT
CURRENT ALLOWANCE	xx.x	
MANNING COEFFICIENT	xx.x	
VOLUME OF GRIT	xx.x	CFT/MG
DETENTION TIME ^d	xx.x	MIN
AIR SUPPLY ^d	xx.x	CFM/FT
ESTIMATE ^e		
END		

^aThis process is part of preliminary treatment.

^bUse horizontal flow or aerated, not both.

^cUse depth or width card, not both.

^dUse with aerated flow only.

^eThe ESTIMATE card in Grit Removal specifies estimate pricing for Preliminary Treatment which includes Grit Removal, Comminutors, and Bar Screens.

3-31. High-rate Activated Sludge (see page 7-129 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Eckenfelder's Approach

Reaction rate constants

a , fraction of BOD synthesized ≈ 0.73

a^∇ , fraction of BOD oxidized for energy ≈ 0.52

b , endogenous rate (oxygen basis) $\approx 0.075/\text{day}$

b^∇ , endogenous rate (sludge basis) $\approx 0.15/\text{day}$

f , nonbiodegradable fraction of VSS in influent ≈ 0.40

f^∇ , degradable fraction of the MLVSS ≈ 0.53

F/M ratio $\approx 1.5 - 5.0$

Mixed liquor suspended solids $\approx 200 - 1000 \text{ mg/l}$

Mixed liquor volatile solids $\approx 140 - 700 \text{ mg/l}$

Temperature correction coefficient $\approx 1.0 - 1.04$

Effluent BOD soluble $\approx 10 \text{ mg/l}$

ALPHA O_2 transfer in waste/ O_2 transfer in water ≈ 0.90

BETA O_2 saturation in waste/ O_2 saturation in water ≈ 0.90

HP Horsepower per 1000 gallons $\geq 0.10 \text{ hp/1000 gal}$

STE Standard transfer efficiency

Mechanical Aerators $\approx 2.0 - 3.5 \text{ lb } O_2/\text{hp-hr}$

High speed ≈ 2.0

Slow speed ≈ 3.5

DIFFUSED AERATOR $\approx 6.0 - 11.0\%$

Coarse bubble ≈ 6.0

Fine bubble ≈ 11.0

b. Default Data

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ESTIMATE-
CONSTANTS  A=0.7  AP=0.53  B=0.075  BP=0.15  F=0.4  FP=0.53
F/M RATIO      1.0      LB BOD/LB VSS
MIXED LIQUOR  SS=6000  VS=4500  MG/L
TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT  1.035
EFFLUENT BOD SOLUBLE  20  MG/L
DIFFUSED AERATION  ALPH=0.9  BETA=0.9  AF=0.0  CFM/10  STE=12  PERCENT
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c. High Rate Activated Sludge Unit Process Data Cards

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HIGH RATE ACTIVATED SLUDGEa          MOD xx
CONSTANTS A=xx.x  A∇=xx.x  B=xx.x  B∇=xx.x  F=xx.x  F∇=xx.x
F/M RATIO                                xx.x          LB BOD/LB VSS
MIXED LIQUOR  SS=xx.x  VS=xx.x          MG/L
TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT                  xx.x
EFFLUENT BOD SOLUBLE                     xx.x          MG/L
MECHANICAL AERATION ALPHAb=xx.x  BETA=xx.x  HP=xx.x  HP/TG
STE=xx.x  LB O/HP-HR
DIFFUSED AERATION ALPHAb=xx.x  BETA=xx.x  AFc=xx.x  CFN/TG
STE=xx.x  PER
ESTIMATEd  SSXSA=xx.x  COSTPD=xx.x  COSTPH=xx.x  COSTPS=ss.s
END

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^aUser must also specify secondary clarification (activated sludge).

^bUse mechanical or diffused, not both.

^cAF (minimum airflow) specifies a lower limit on airflow. Model will calculate actual airflow and compare it with input value. Higher value will be output. Input zero for AF to obtain calculated value only.

^dSSXSA - Cost of standard slow-speed pier-mounted 20-hp aerator - default value = \$16,300.

COSTPD = Cost of standard 12.0 scfm coarse-bubble diffuser - default value = \$6.50.

COSTPH = Cost of standard 550 scfm swing arm diffuser - default value = \$5,000.

COSTPS = Cost of standard 3000 gpm pump and driver unit - default value = \$17,250.

3-32. Lagoons (see page 7-307 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters (see Table 3-8)

Table 3-8. Design Parameters for Stabilization Ponds.

Parameter	Type of Pond			
	Aerobic ^(a)	Facultative	Facultative	Anaerobic
Flow regime	Intermittently mixed	--	Mixed surface layer	--
Pond size, acres	<10 multiples	2 to 10 multiples	2 to 10 multiples	0.5 to 2.0 mult
Operation ^(b)	Series or parallel	Series or parallel	Series or parallel	Series
Detention time, days ^(b)	10 to 40	7 to 30	7 to 10	20 to 50
Depth, ft	3 to 4	3 to 6	3 to 8	8 to 15
pH	6.5 to 10.5	6.5 to 9.0	6.5 to 8.5	6.8 to 7.2
Temperature range, °C	0 to 40	0 to 50	0 to 50	6 to 50
Optimum temperature, °C	20	20	20	30
BOD ₅ loading, lb/acre/day ^(c)	60 to 120 ^(d)	15 to 50	30 to 100	200 to 500
BOD ₅ conversion	60 to 70	60 to 70	60 to 70	50 to 70
Principal conversion products	Algae, CO ₂ , bacterial cell tissue	Algae, CO ₂ , CH ₄ , bacterial cell tissue	CO ₂ , CH ₄ , bacterial cell tissue	CO ₂ , CH ₄ , bacterial cell tissue
Algal concentration, mg/l	80 to 200	40 to 160	20 to 10	--
Effluent suspended solids, mg/l ^(e)	140 to 340	160 to 400	110 to 340	80 to 160

(a) Conventional aerobic ponds designed to maximize the amount of oxygen produced rather than the amount of oxygen consumed.

(b) Depends on climatic conditions.

(c) Typical values (much higher values have been applied at various loadings). Loading values are often specified by state control agencies.

(d) Some states limit this figure to 50 or less.

(e) Includes algae, microorganisms, and residual influent suspended solids. Values are based on an influent suspended solids concentration of 200 mg/l and, with the exception of the aerobic ponds, an influent suspended-solids concentration of 200 mg/l.

From Metcalf and Eddy

b. Default Data

DEPTH	6	FT
BOD ₅ LOADING	50	LB/ACRE/DAY
EFFLUENT SS	50	MG/L

c. Lagoons Unit Process Data Cards

LAGOONS	MOD	xx	
DEPTH		xx.x	FT
BOD LOADING		xx.x	LB/ACRE/DA
EFFLUENT SS		xx.x	MG/L
END			

3-33. Microscreening (see page 5-139 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Initial resistance of clean filter fabric (see manufacturer specifications) \approx 0.25-0.50 feet

Filterability index of influent (determine from bench test) \approx 1.50-2.50

Number of Units \approx 2

Speed of strainer \approx 4.0-7.0 rev/min

Table 3-9. Suggested Removals from Secondary Effluents by Microscreens

Fabric Aperture microns	Anticipated Removal, %		Flow, gpm/ft ² of Submerged Area
	Suspended Solids	BOD	
23	70 to 80	60 to 70	6.7
35	50 to 60	40 to 50	10.0

From Culp and Culp, 1971

Table 3-10. Microscreen Sizes Available from Glenfield and Kennedy

Drum Sizes, ft		Motors, bhp		Approximate Ranges of Capacity, mgd	Recommended Maximum Flow for Tertiary Sewage Applications, mgd	
Diameter	Width	Drive	Wash Pump		23 microns	35 microns
5	1	1/2	1	0.05 to 0.5	0.075	0.11
5	3	3/4	3	0.3 to 1.5	0.20	0.30
7-1/2	5	2	5	0.8 to 4	0.70	1.00
10	10	4	7-1/2	3 to 10	2.00	3.00

From Culp and Culp, 1971

Table 3-11. Microscreen-Sizes (Zurn Industries)

Drum Sizes, ft		Screen Area ft ²
Diameter	Width	
4	2	24
4	4	48
6	4	72
6	6	108
6	8	144
10	10	3.5

From Culp and Culp, 1971

b. Default Data

INITIAL RESISTANCE
SPEED OF STRAINER

1.8
1.0

FT
REV/MIN

c. Microscreening Unit Process Data Cards

MICROSCREENING	MOD xx	
NUMBER OF UNITS ^a	xx.x	UNITS
INITIAL RESISTANCE	xx.x	FT
FILTERABILITY INDEX ^a	xx.x	
SPEED OF STRAINER	xx.x	REV/MIN
END		

^aValue will be calculated if input is left blank.

3-34. Multiple Hearth Incineration (see page 5-177 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Wet sludge loading rate $\approx 7.0-12.0 \text{ lb/hr/ft}^2$ @ 20-25% total solids

b. Default Data

WET SLUDGE LOADING RATE
DAYS PER YEAR OPERATION
ESTIMATE

10.0 #/HR/SQFT
260.0 DAYS

c. Multiple Hearth Incineration Unit Process Data Cards

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MULTIPLE HEARTH INCINERATION      MOD xx
WET SLUDGE LOADING RATE            xx.x      LB/HR/SQFT
DAYS PER YEAR OPERATION            xx.x      DAYS
ESTIMATEa      COSTIS = xx.x
END
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^aCOSTIS = Cost of standard 1580-square foot incinerator -
default value = \$1,190,000.

3-35. Neutralization (see page 6-55 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Buffer capacity (determine from titration curves) \approx
pound of reagent per gallon of waste required to
neutralize the waste to the desired pH.

Degree of mixing (see manufacturer specifications) \approx
0.2-0.4 hp/1000 gallons

Mixing time (see manufacturer specifications) \approx 5.0-10.0 min

b. Default Data

BUFFER CAPACITY	0.1	LB/GAL
DEGREE OF MIXING	0.3	HP/TG
MIXING TIME	5	MIN

c. Neutralization Unit Process Data Cards

NEUTRALIZATION	MOD	xx	
BUFFER CAPACITY		xx.x	LB/GAL
DEGREE OF MIXING		xx.x	HP/TG
MIXING TIME		xx.x	MIN
END			

3-36. Nitrification (see page 7-253 of the Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Effluent ammonia

Mixed liquor volatile SS $\approx 1200-2000$ mg/l

Ammonia loading (see Figure 3-6)

Correction for pH $\approx 60-70\%$ (see Figure 3-7 DM)

ALPHA O_2 transfer in waste/ O_2 transfer in water ≈ 0.90

BETA O_2 saturation in waste/ O_2 saturation in water ≈ 0.90

HP Horsepower per 1000 gallons ≥ 0.10 hp/1000 gal

STE Standard transfer efficiency

Mechanical Aerators $\approx 2.0-3.5$ lb O_2 /hp-hr

High speed ≈ 2.0

Slow speed ≈ 3.5

Diffused Aerator $\approx 6.0-11.0\%$

Coarse bubble ≈ 6.0

Fine bubble ≈ 11.0

b. Default Data

WINTER TEMPERATURE	10	DEG CFNT
EFFLUENT AMMONIA	2.0	MG/L
MIXED LIQUOR	VS=2000	MG/L
AMMONIA LOADING	10	LB/TCFT/DAY
DIFFUSED AERATION ALPHA=0.9 BETA=0.9 AF=0.0		CFM/TG STE=12 PFR
CORRECTION FACTOR FOR PH	0.8	

c. Nitrification Unit Process Data Cards

NITRIFICATION^a

WINTER TEMPERATURE	xx.x	DEG CENT
EFFLUENT AMMONIA	xx.x	MG/L
MIXED LIQUOR VS=xx.x		MG/L
AMMONIA LOADING	xx.x	LB/TCFT/DAY
MECHANICAL AERATION ALPHA ^b =xx.x BETA=xx.x HP=xx.x		
HP/TG STE=xx.x LB/HP-HR		
DIFFUSED AERATION ALPHA ^b =xx.x BETA=xx.x AF ^c =xx.x		
CFM/TG STE=xx.x PER		
CORRECTION FOR PH	xx.x	
END		

^aUser must also specify secondary clarification (nitrify-dentrify).

^bUse mechanical or diffused, not both.

^cAF (minimum airflow) specifies a lower limit on airflow. Model will calculate actual airflow and compare it with input value. Higher value will be output. Input zero for AF to obtain calculated value only.

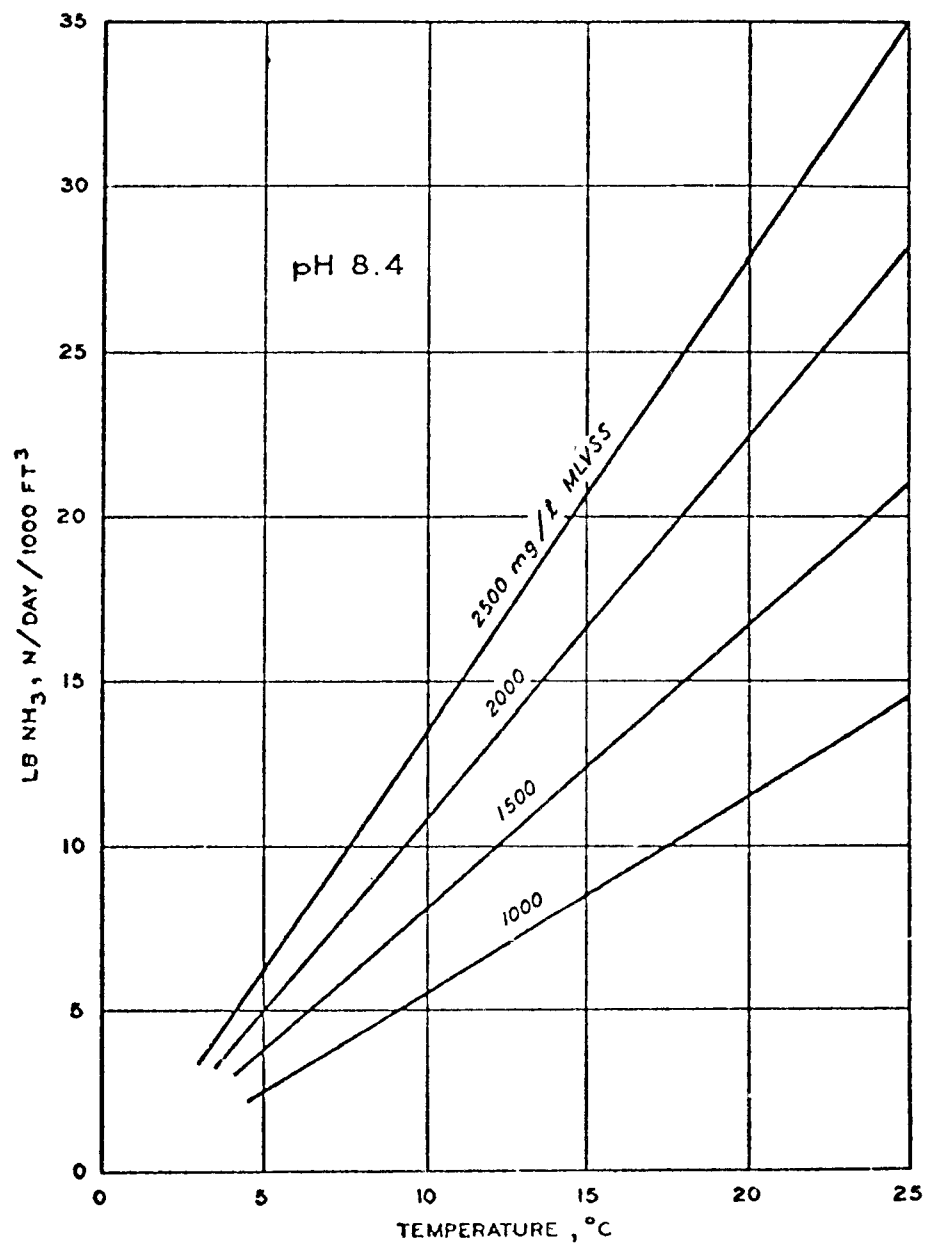


Figure 3-6. Permissible nitrification tank loadings.

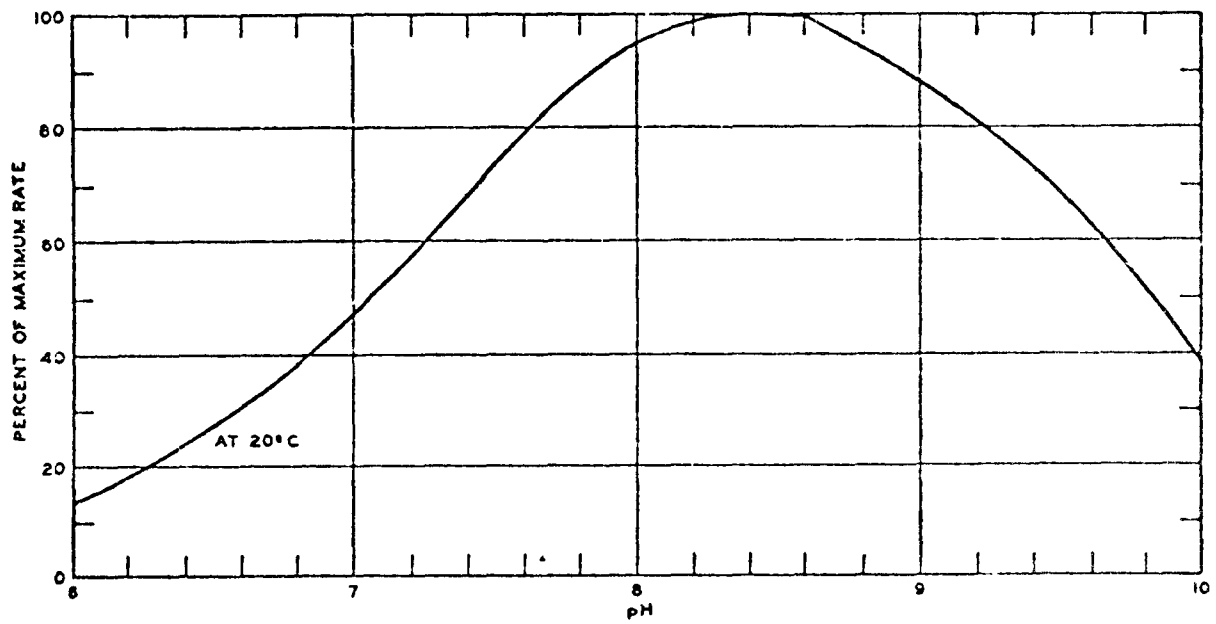


Figure 3-7. Percent of maximum rate of nitrification at constant temperature versus pH.

3-37. Overland Flow Land Treatment

a. Design Parameters

Application rate \approx 2.5-6.0 in/wk (screened wastewater)
 Application rate \approx 6.0-16.0 in/wk (lagoon or secondary effluent)
 Runoff (site dependent) \approx 0.0 in/wk
 Spray evaporation (percent of application rate) \approx 2.0-8.0%
 Percolate of soil (percent of application rate) \approx 8.0%
 Buffer zone (site dependent) \approx 0.0-500.0 ft
 Slope \approx 2.0-8.0% (over 8.0% requires finished slopes)
 Fraction of nitrogen loading denitrified \approx 75.0-90.0%
 Ammonia volatilization \approx 0.0
 Removal of phosphorus \approx 50.0%
 NW Number of recovery wells
 WDIA Diameter of recovery wells
 DW Depth of recovery wells
 PS Cost of standard 3000 gpm pump and driver unit -
 default value = \$17,250.00
 SP Cost of 12-inch welded steel pipe in-place -
 default value = \$12.80 per foot
 SV Cost of 12-inch butterfly valve - default value = \$952.10
 CS Cost of 6-15 gpm impact type rotor pop-up full circle
 sprinkler - default value = \$61.65
 CG Cost of clearing and grubbing - default value = \$3000.00
 per acre
 MW Cost of 4-inch water well - default value = \$8.00 per foot
 SC Cost of 24-inch reinforced concrete drain pipe -
 default value = \$10.20 per foot

b. Default Data

APPLICATION RATE	5.0	IN/WEEK
PRECIPITATION RATE	0.8	IN/WEEK
EVAPOTRANSPIRATION RATE	0.4	IN/WEEK
RUNOFF	0.0	IN/WEEK
WASTEWATER GENERATION PERIOD	364.0	DAYS/YR
FIELD APPLICATION PERIOD	52.0	WEEKS/YR
SPRAY EVAPORATION RATE	5.0	PERCENT
PERCOLATE RATE OF SOIL	8.0	PERCENT
NO STORAGE		
GRAVITY PIPE RECOVERY SYSTEM		
BUFFER ZONE	0.0	FEET
CURRENT GROUND COVER	20.0	%
FOREST		
BRUSH	30.0	%
PASTURE	50.0	%
SLOPE	2.0	PERCENT
MONITORING WELLS	9	WELLS AT 10 FT/WELL
FENCING	2.75	\$/FT
FRACTION DENITRIFIED	90.0	PERCENT OF APPLIED N
AMMONIA VOLATILIZATION	0.0	PERCENT OF APPLIED N
REMOVAL OF PHOSPHORUS	80.0	PERCENT OF APPLIED P
DAYS PER WEEK OPERATION	7.0	DAYS/WEEK
HOURS PER DAY OPERATION	8.0	HOURS/DAY
ESTIMATE		

c. Overland Flow Land Treatment Unit Process Data Cards

OVERLAND FLOW LAND TREATMENT	MOD	xx	
APPLICATION RATE	xx.x		IN/WK
PRECIPITATION RATE	xx.x		IN/WK
EVAPOTRANSPIRATION RATE	xx.x		IN/WK
RUNOFF	xx.x		IN/WK
WASTEWATER GENERATION PERIOD	xx.x		DAYS/YR
FIELD APPLICATION PERIOD	xx.x		DAYS/YR
SPRAY EVAPORATION	xx.x		PERCENT
PERCOLATE OF SOIL	xx.x		PERCENT
NO STORAGE ^a			
STORAGE ^{a,b} (MINIMUM)	xx.x		DAYS/YR
LINER REQUIRED ^b	xx.x		\$/SQ FT
EMBANKMENT PROTECTION ^b	xx.x		\$/CU YD
GRAVITY PIPE RECOVERY SYSTEM ^c			
OPEN CHANNEL RECOVERY SYSTEM ^c			
BUFFER ZONE WIDTH	xx.x		FT
CURRENT GROUND COVER	FOREST xx.x%	BRUSH xx.x%	PASTURE xx.x%
SLOPE OF LAND	xx.x		PERCENT
MONITORING WELLS	NO.=xx.x	DEPTH/WELL xx.x	FT
FENCING	xx.x		\$/FT
FRACTION DENITRIFIED	xx.x		PERCENT
AMMONIA VOLATILIZATION	xx.x		PERCENT
REMOVAL OF PHOSPHORUS	xx.x		PERCENT
HOURS PER DAY OPERATION	xx.x		HOURS
DAYS PER WEEK OPERATION	xx.x		DAYS
ESTIMATE	PS xx.x	SP xx.x	SV xx.x CS xx.x CG xx.x MW xx.x SC xx.x
END			

^aUse no storage or storage, not both.

^bLiner or embankment protection should only be used with storage.

^cUse gravity pipe or open channel, not both.

3-38. Oxidation Ditch Activated Sludge (see page 7-235 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Reaction rate constants

k, BOD removal rate constant $\approx 0.0007-0.002$ l/mg/hr

a, fraction of BOD synthesized ≈ 0.73

a_{∇} , fraction of BOD oxidized for energy ≈ 0.52

b, endogenous rate (oxygen basis) ≈ 0.075 /day

b_{∇} , endogenous rate (sludge basis) ≈ 0.15 /day

f, nonbiodegradable fraction of VSS in influent ≈ 0.40

f_{∇} , degradable fraction of the MLVSS ≈ 0.53

a_o , fraction of BOD₅ synthesized to degradable solids ≈ 0.56

F/M ratio $\approx 0.03-0.10$

Mixed liquor suspended solids $\approx 4000-8000$ mg/l

Mixed liquor volatile solids $\approx 2800-5600$ mg/l

Temperature correction coefficient $\approx 1.0-1.03$

Effluent BOD soluble ≈ 10 mg/l

ALPHA O₂ transfer in waste/O₂ transfer in water ≈ 0.90

BETA O₂ saturation in waste/O₂ saturation in water ≈ 0.90

HP Horsepower per 1000 gallons ≥ 0.10 hp/1000 gal

STE Standard transfer efficiency

Mechanical Aerators $\approx 2.0-3.5$ lb O₂/hp-hr

High speed ≈ 2.0

Slow speed ≈ 3.5

Diffused Aerator $\approx 6.0-11.0\%$

Coarse bubble ≈ 6.0

Fine bubble ≈ 11.0

b. Default Data

ESTIMATE
CONSTANTS K=0.0012 A=0.7 AP=0.5 R=0.075 RP=0.15 F=0.4 FP=0.5 AO=0.76
F/M RATIO 0.065 LB BOD/LB VSS
MIXED LIQUOR SS=6000 VS=3750 MG/L
TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT 1.035
EFFLUENT BOD SOLUBLE 10 MG/L
MECHANICAL AERATION ALPHA=0.9 BETA=0.9 HP=0.08 STE=3.5 LB O/HP HR

c. Oxidation Ditch Activated Sludge Unit Process Data Cards

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OXIDATION DITCH ACTIVATED SLUDGEa
CONSTANTS K=xx.x  A=xx.x  A∇=xx.x  B=xx.x  B∇=xx.x  F=xx.x
          F∇=xx.x  AO=xx.x

F/M RATIO                                xx.x                LB BOD/LB VSS
MIXED LIQUOR  SS=xx.x                    MG/L
TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT                  xx.x
EFFLUENT BOD SOLUBLE                     xx.x                MG/L
MECHANICAL AERATION ALPHAb=xx.x  BETA=xx.x  HP=xx.x  HP/TG
          STE=xx.x  LB O/HP-HR
DIFFUSED AERATION ALPHAb=xx.x  BETA=xx.x  AFc=xx.x  CFM/TG
          STE=xx.x  PER
ESTIMATEd  COSTDS = xx.x  COSTPS = xx.x
END

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^aUser must also specify secondary clarification (activated sludge).

^bUse mechanical or diffused, not both.

^cAD (minimum airflow) specifies a lower limit on airflow. Model will calculate actual airflow and compare it with input value. Higher value will be output. Input zero for AF to obtain calculated value only.

^dCOSTDS = Cost of standard 42-inch diameter by 20-foot rotor - default value = \$15,340.

COSTPS = Cost of standard 3000 gpm pump and driver unit - default value = \$17,250.

3-39. Plug Flow Activated Sludge (see page 7-13 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Eckenfelder's Approach

Reaction rate constants

k, BOD removal rate constant $\approx 0.0007-0.002$ $\ell/\text{mg}/\text{hr}$

a, fraction of BOD synthesized ≈ 0.73

a^{∇} , fraction of BOD oxidized for energy ≈ 0.52

b, endogenous rate (oxygen basis) $\approx 0.075/\text{day}$

b^{∇} , endogenous rate (sludge basis) $\approx 0.15/\text{day}$

f, nonbiodegradable fraction of VSS in influent ≈ 0.40

f^{∇} , degradable fraction of the MLVSS ≈ 0.53

F/M ratio $\approx 0.2-0.4$

Mixed liquor suspended solids $\approx 1500-3000$ mg/ℓ

Mixed liquor volatile solids $\approx 1050-2100$ mg/ℓ

Temperature correction coefficient $\approx 1.0-1.03$

Effluent BOD soluble ≈ 10 mg/ℓ

ALPHA O_2 transfer in waste/ O_2 transfer in water ≈ 0.90

BETA O_2 saturation in waste/ O_2 saturation in water ≈ 0.90

HP Horsepower per 1000 gallons ≥ 0.10 $\text{hp}/1000$ gal

STE Standard transfer efficiency

Mechanical Aerators $\approx 2.0-3.5$ lb $O_2/\text{hp}\cdot\text{hr}$

High speed ≈ 2.0

Slow speed ≈ 3.5

Diffused Aerator $\approx 6.0-11.0\%$

Coarse bubble ≈ 6.0

Fine bubble ≈ 11.0

b. Default Data

ESTIMATE
CONSTANTS $k=0.00135$ $A=0.73$ $AP=0.52$ $B=0.075$ $BP=0.15$ $F=0.4$ $FP=0.53$
F/M RATIO 0.3 LB BOD/LB VSS
MIXED LIQUOR $SS=2500$ $VS=1750$ MG/L
TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT 1.03
EFFLUENT BOD SOLUBLE 5 MG/L
DIFFUSED AERATION ALPHA=0.9 BETA=0.9 AP=0.0 CPM/TG STE=12 PERCENT

c. Plug Flow Activated Sludge Unit Process Data Cards

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PLUG FLOW ACTIVATED SLUDGEa          MOD  xx

CONSTANTS K=xx.x  A=xx.x  A∇=xx.x  B=xx.x  B∇=xx.x  F=xx.x
          F∇=xx.x

F/M RATIO                      xx.x                      LB BOD/LB VSS
MIXED LIQUOR  SS=xx.x        VS=xx.x                      MG/L
TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT        xx.x
EFFLUENT BOD SOLUBLE           xx.x                      MG/L
MECHANICAL AERATION ALPHAb=xx.x  BETA=xx.x  HP=xx.x  HP/TG
          STE=xx.x  LB O/HP-HR
DIFFUSED AERATION ALPHAb=xx.x  BETA=xx.x  AFc=xx.x  CFM/TG
          STE=xx.x  PER
ESTIMATEd    SSXSA = xx.x  COSTPD = xx.x  COSTPH = xx.x
          COSTPS = xx.x

END

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^aUser must also specify secondary clarification (activated sludge).

^bUse mechanical or diffused, not both.

^cAF (minimum airflow) specifies a lower limit on airflow. Model will calculate actual airflow and compare it with input value. Higher value will be output. Input zero for AF to obtain calculated value only.

^dSSXSA = Cost of standard slow-speed pier-mounted 20-hp aerator - default value = \$16,300.

COSTPD = Cost of standard 12.0 scfm coarse-bubble diffuser - default value = \$6.50.

COSTPH = Cost of standard 550 scfm swing arm diffuser - default value = \$5,000.

COSTPS = Cost of standard 3000 gpm pump and driver unit - default value = \$17,250.

3-40. Post Aeration (see page 5-159 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Detention time \approx 5.0-10.0 min

Air flow \approx 20.0-30.0 cfm/1000 gal

Dissolved oxygen (determine initial DO from standard tables based on summer temperature)

Final dissolved oxygen \approx 2.0 mg/l

ALPHA O_2 transfer in waste/ O_2 transfer in water \approx 0.90

BETA O_2 saturation in waste/ O_2 saturation in water \approx 0.90

HP Horsepower per 1000 gallons \geq 0.10 hp/1000 gal

STE Standard transfer efficiency

Mechanical Aerators \approx 2.0-3.5 lb O_2 /hp-hr

High speed \approx 2.0

Slow speed \approx 3.5

Diffused Aerator \approx 6.0-11.0%

Coarse bubble \approx 6.0

Fine bubble \approx 11.0

b. Default Data

MECHANICAL AERATION ALPHA=0.9 BETA=0.9 HP=0.1 HP/TG STE=6.5 LB O_2 /HP HR
DETENTION TIME 30 MIN
DISSOLVED OXYGEN INITIAL=2.0 FINAL=5.0 MG/L

c. Post Aeration Unit Process Data Cards

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POST AERATION          MOD  xx

MECHANICAL AERATION ALPHAa=xx.x  BETA=xx.x  HP=xx.x
  HP/TG  STE=xx.x  LB 0/HP-HR

DIFFUSED AERATION ALPHAa=xx.x  BETA=xx.x  AFb=xx.x
  CFM/TG  STE=xx.x  PER

DETENTION TIME          xx.x          MIN

DISSOLVED OXYGEN INITIAL = xx.x  FINAL = xx.x  MG/L

END
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^aUse mechanical or diffused, not both.

^bAF (minimum airflow) specifies a lower limit on airflow. Model will calculate actual airflow and compare it with input value. Higher value will be output. Input zero for AF to obtain calculated value only.

3-41. Pressure Filtration

a. Design Parameters

Density of cake $\approx 70.0\text{--}80.0 \text{ lb/ft}^3$

Solids loading rate (determine from lab tests) $\approx 5.0\text{--}8.0 \text{ lb/ft}^2/\text{hr}$

Operating schedule $\approx 8.0\text{--}16.0 \text{ hours/day}$

Cake solids content (see Table 3-12)

Table 3-12. Normal Quantities of Sludge Produced by Different Treatment Processes

Wastewater Treatment Process	Gallons Sludge MG Treated	Solids %	Sludge Specific Gravity
Primary sedimentation			
Undigested	2950	5.0	1.02
Digested in separate tanks	1450	6.0	1.03
Trickling filter	745	7.5	1.025
Chemical precipitation	5120	7.5	1.03
Primary sedimentation & activated sludge			
Undigested	6900	4	1.02
Digested in separate tanks	2700	6	1.03
Activated Sludge			
Waste sludge	19400	1.5	1.005
Septic tanks, digested	900	10	1.04
Imhoff tanks, digested	500	15	1.04

From Metcalf & Eddy, Inc., 1979

b. Default Data

CAKE SOLIDS CONTENT	5.0	PERCENT
DENSITY OF CAKE	75.0	PERCENT
OPERATING SCHEDULE	8.0	HOURS/DAY
SOLIDS LOADING RATE	6.0	LB/SQFT/HR

c. Pressure Filtration Unit Process Data Cards

PRESSURE FILTRATION	MOD xx	
CAKE SOLIDS CONTENT	xx.x	PERCENT
DENSITY OF CAKE	xx.x	LB/CUFT
OPERATING SCHEDULE	xx.x	HOURS/DAY
SOLIDS LOADING RATE	xx.x	LBS/SQFT/HR
END		

3-42. Primary Clarification (see page 5-67 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Sidewater depth 7.0-12.0 ft
 Underflow concentration of solids \approx 4.0-6.0%
 Weir overflow rate \approx 10,000-15,000 gal/day/ft
 Surface overflow rate (see Table 3-13)

Table 3-13. Recommended Surface-Loading Rates for Various Suspensions

Suspension	Loading Rate, gpd/ft ²	
	Range	Peak Flow
Untreated wastewater	600 to 1200	1200
Alum floc ^a	360 to 600	600
Iron floc ^a	540 to 800	800
Lime floc ^a	540 to 1200	1200

^aMixed with the settleable suspended solids in the untreated wastewater and colloidal or other suspended solids swept out by the floc.

From Metcalf and Eddy, Inc., 1971

Specific gravity of sludge (see Table 3-14)

Table 3-14. Specific Gravity of Raw Sludge Produced From Various Types of Sewage

Type of Sewerage System	Strength of Sewage	Specific Gravity
Sanitary	Weak	1.02
Sanitary	Medium	1.03
Combined	Medium	1.05
Combined	Strong	1.07

From Metcalf and Eddy, Inc., 1971

Suspended solids removal (see figure 3-8)

BOD removal (see Figure 3-9)

b. Default Data

CIRCULAR CLARIFIER				
ESTIMATE		1000	G/D/SQFT	
SURFACE OVERFLOW RATE		9	FEET	
SIDE WATER DEPTH		1.05		
SPECIFIC GRAVITY		4	PERCENT	
UNDERFLOW CONCENTRATION		50	TKN=5	PO=5 PERCENT
REMOVAL SOLIDS=50	800=36	15000	G/D/FT	
WEIR OVERFLOW RATE				

c. Primary Clarification Unit Process Data Cards

PRIMARY CLARIFICATION

SURFACE OVERFLOW RATE **xx.x** G/D/SQFT

SIDEWATER DEPTH xx.x FT

SPECIFIC GRAVITY xx.x

UNDERFLOW CONCENTRATION	xx.x	PERCENT
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REMOVAL SOLIDS=xx.x BOD=xx.x COD=xx.x TKN=xx.x

PO=xx.x PERCENT

WEIR OVERFLOW RATE xx.x G/D/FT

RECTANGULAR CLARIFIER^a

CIRCULAR CLARIFIER^a

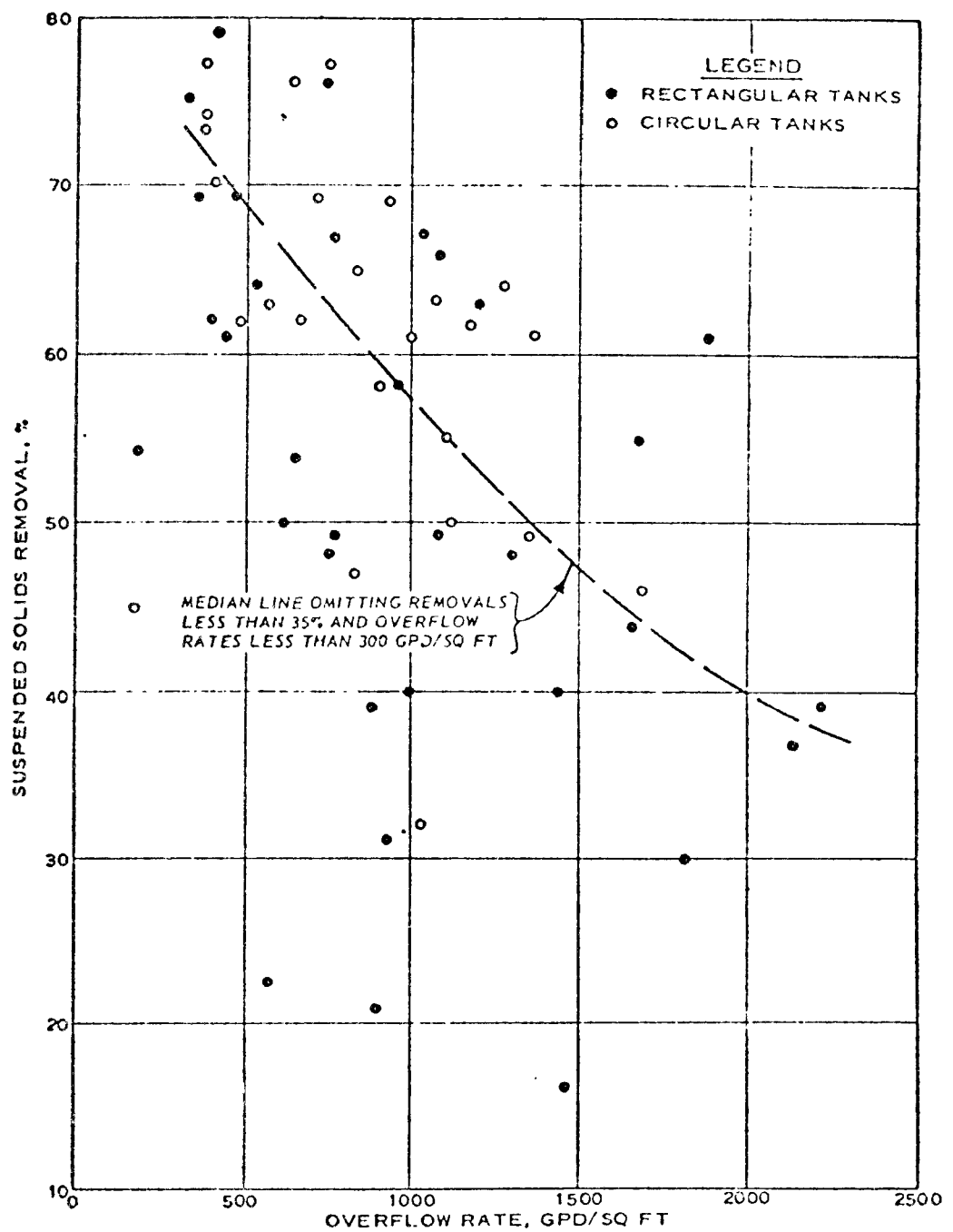
ESTIMATE^b STANDARD MECHANISM COST=xx.x

END

^aUse rectangular or circular clarifier, not both-default is circular clarifier.

^bRectangular clarifier-cost of standard 20-foot by 120-foot clarifier mechanism-default value = \$42,000.

Circular clarifier - cost of standard 90-foot diameter clarifier mechanism-default value = \$75,000.



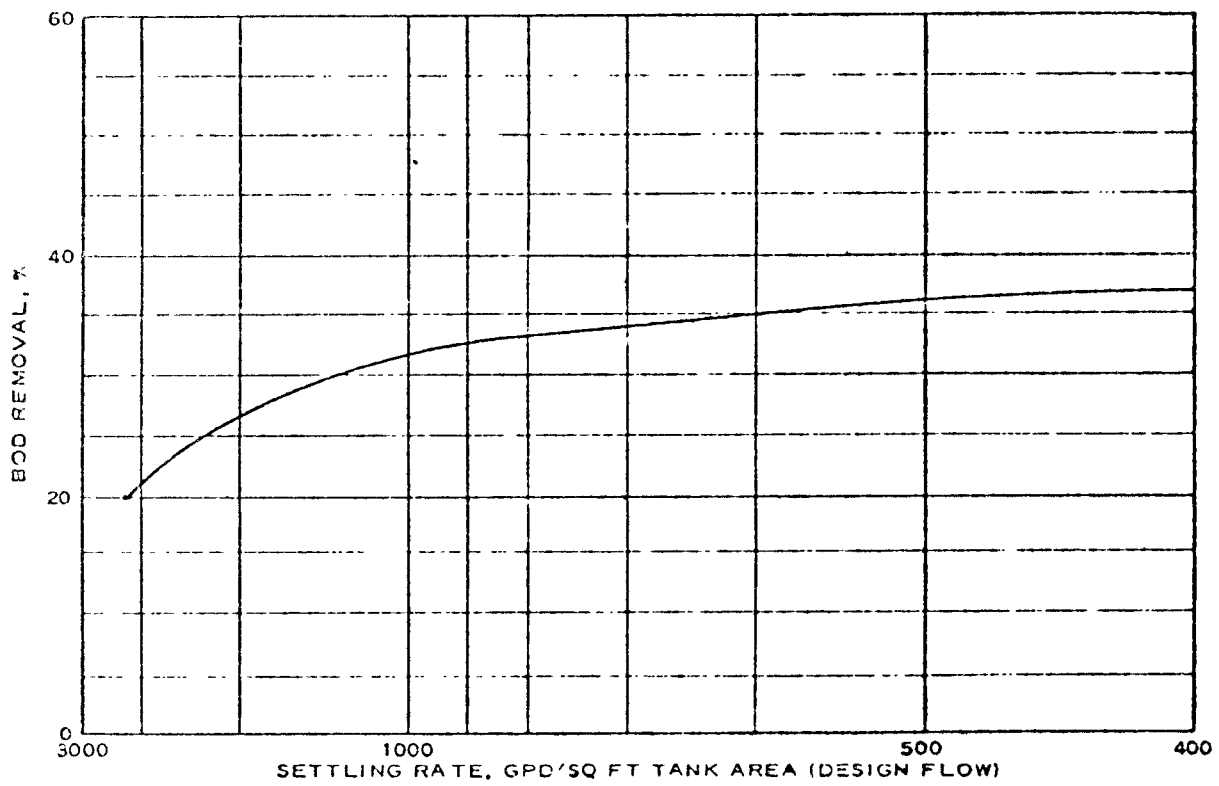


Figure 3-9. BOD removal rate in primary clarifier.

3-43. Primary Clarification (coagulation; see page 5-67 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Sidewater depth \approx 7.0-12.0 ft
 Underflow concentration of solids \approx 4.0-6.0%
 Weir overflow rate \approx 10,000-15,000 gal/day/ft
 Surface overflow rate (see Table 3-15)

Table 3-15. Recommended Surface-Loading Rates for Various Suspensions

Suspension	Loading Rate, gpd/ft ²	
	Range	Peak Flow
Untreated wastewater	600 to 1200	1200
Alum floc ^a	360 to 600	600
Iron floc ^a	540 to 800	800
Lime floc ^a	540 to 1200	1200

^a Mixed with the settleable suspended solids in the untreated wastewater and colloidal or other suspended solids swept out by the floc.

From Metcalf and Eddy, Inc., 1971

Specific gravity of sludge (see Table 3-16)

Table 3-16. Specific Gravity of Raw Sludge Produced from Various Types of Sewage

Type of Sewerage System	Strength of Sewage	Specific Gravity
Sanitary	Weak	1.02
Sanitary	Medium	1.03
Combined	Medium	1.05
Combined	Strong	1.07

From Metcalf and Eddy, Inc., 1971

Suspended solids removal (see Figure 3-10)

BOD removal (see Figure 3-11)

b. Default Data

SURFACE OVERFLOW RATE	500	G/D/SQFT
SIDE WATER DEPTH	9	FEET
SPECIFIC GRAVITY	1.05	
UNDERFLOW CONCENTRATION	4	PERCENT
REMOVAL SS=90 BOD=60 COD=60	TKN=40	PO=50 PERCENT
WEIR OVERFLOW RATE	15	G/D/FT

c. Primary Clarification (Coagulation) Unit Process Data Cards

C PRIMARY CLARIFICATION (COAGULATION)^a MOD xx

SURFACE OVERFLOW RATE	xx.x	G/SQFT/DAY
SIDEWATER DEPTH	xx.x	FT
SPECIFIC GRAVITY	xx.x	
UNDERFLOW CONCENTRATION	xx.x	PERCENT
REMOVAL SS=xx.x BOD ^d =xx.x COD=xx.x TKN=xx.x		PERCENT
WEIR OVERFLOW RATE	xx.x	G/FT/DAY
RECTANGULAR CLARIFIER ^b		
CIRCULAR CLARIFIER ^b		
ESTIMATE ^c STANDARD MECHANISM COST = xx.x		
END		

^aThis process is used as part of the coagulation process.

^bUse rectangular or circular clarifier, not both. Default is circular clarifier.

^cRectangular clarifier - cost of standard 20-foot by 120-foot clarifier mechanism - default value = \$42,000.

Circular clarifier - cost of standard 90-foot diameter clarifier mechanism - default value = \$75,000.

^dBOD removal rate is rate of removal of non-soluble BOD5.

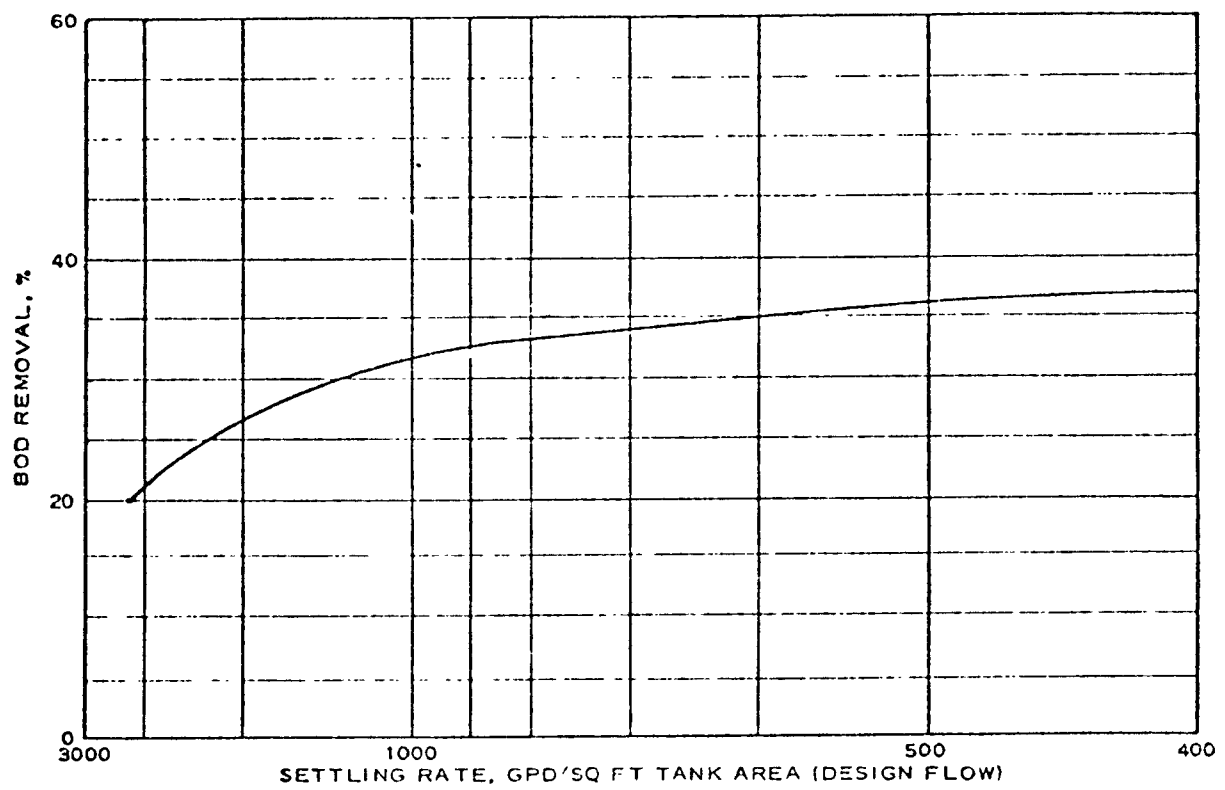


Figure 3-11. BOD removal rate in primary clarifier.

3-44. Primary clarification (Two Stage Lime Treatment; see page 5-67 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Sidewater depth 7.0-12.0 ft
 Underflow concentration of solids 4.0-6.0%
 Weir overflow rate 10,000-15,000 gal/day/ft
 Surface overflow rate (see Table 3-17)

Table 3-17. Recommended Surface-Loading Rates for Various Suspensions

Suspension	Loading Rate, gpd/ft ²	
	Range	Peak Flow
Untreated wastewater	600 to 1200	1200
Alum floc ^a	360 to 600	600
Iron floc ^a	540 to 800	800
Lime floc ^a	540 to 1200	1200

^aMixed with the settleable suspended solids in the untreated wastewater and colloidal or other suspended solids swept out by the floc.

From Metcalf and Eddy, Inc., 1971

Specific gravity of sludge (see Table 3-18)

Table 3-18. Specific Gravity of Raw Sludge Produced from Various Types of Sewage

Type of Sewerage System	Strength of Sewage	Specific Gravity
Sanitary	Weak	1.02
Sanitary	Medium	1.03
Combined	Medium	1.05
Combined	Strong	1.07

From Metcalf and Eddy, Inc., 1971

Suspended solids removal (see Figure 3-12)

BOD removal (see Figure 3-13)

b. Default Data

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ESTIMATE
SURFACE OVERFLOW RATE      1000      G/SQFT/DAY
SIDE WATER DEPTH           9        FEET
SPECIFIC GRAVITY           1.03
UNDERFLOW CONCENTRATION    1.00
REMOVAL SS=80 BOD=85 COD=85 TKN=30 PO=80 PERCENT
WEIR OVERFLOW RATE        15000     G/FT/DAY
  
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c. Primary Clarification (Two-Stage Lime Treatment) Unit Process Data Cards

L PRIMARY CLARIFICATION (TWO-STAGE LIME TREATMENT) MOD xx

SURFACE OVERFLOW RATE	xx.x	G/SQFT/DAY
SIDEWATER DEPTH	xx.x	FT
SPECIFIC GRAVITY	xx.x	
UNDERFLOW CONCENTRATION	xx.x	PERCENT
REMOVAL SOLIDS = xx.x	BOD = xx.x	COD = xx.x
TKN = xx.x	PO = xx.x	PERCENT
WEIR OVERFLOW RATE	xx.x	G/FT/DAY

RECTANGULAR CLARIFIER^a

CIRCULAR CLARIFIER^a

ESTIMATE^b STANDARD MECHANISM COST = xx.x

END

^aUse rectangular or circular clarifier, not both - default is circular clarifier.

^bRectangular clarifier - cost of standard 20-foot by 120-foot clarifier mechanism - default value = \$42,000.

Circular clarifier - cost of standard 90-foot diameter clarifier mechanism - default value = \$75,000.

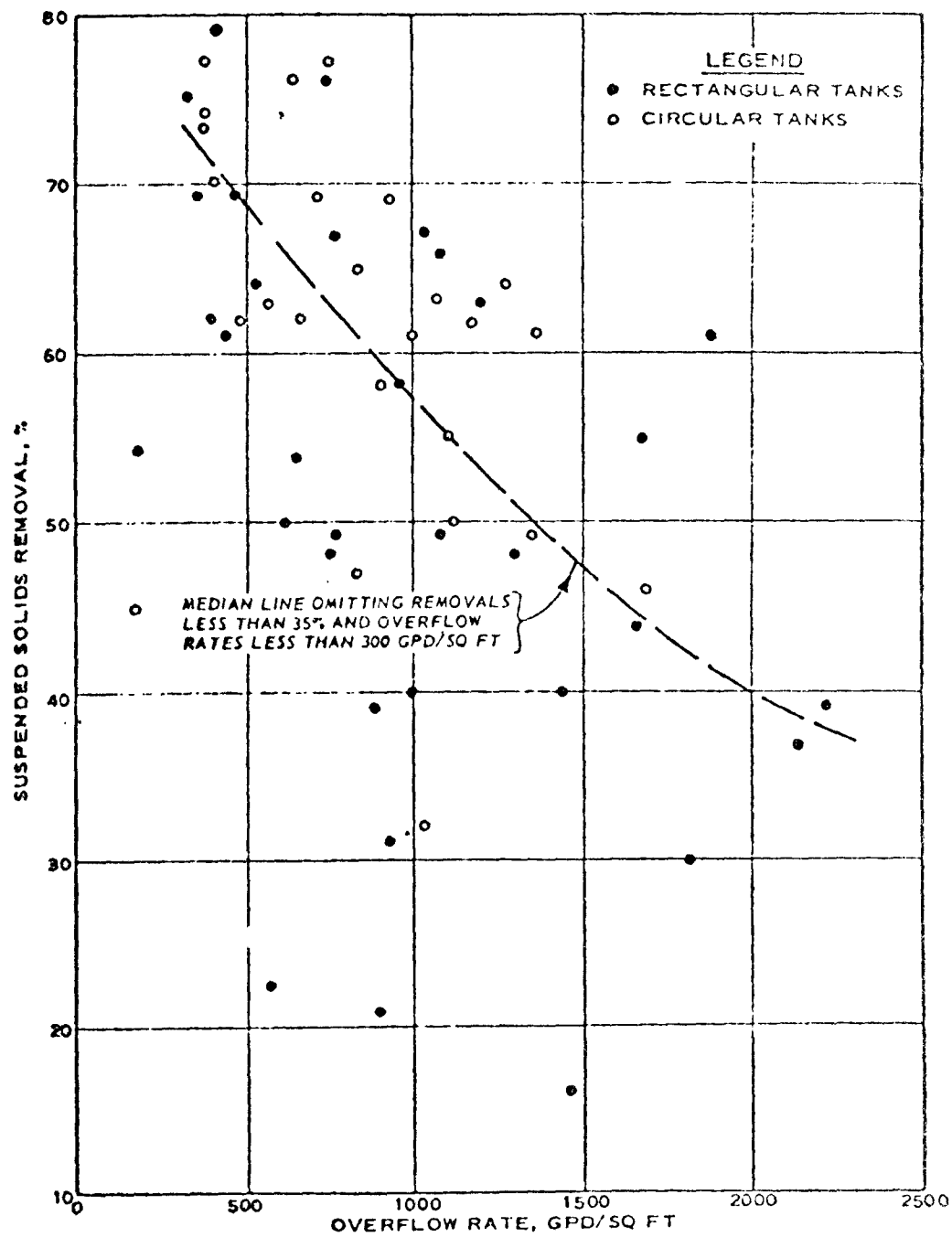


Figure 3-12. Suspended solids removal versus overflow rate for primary clarifiers.

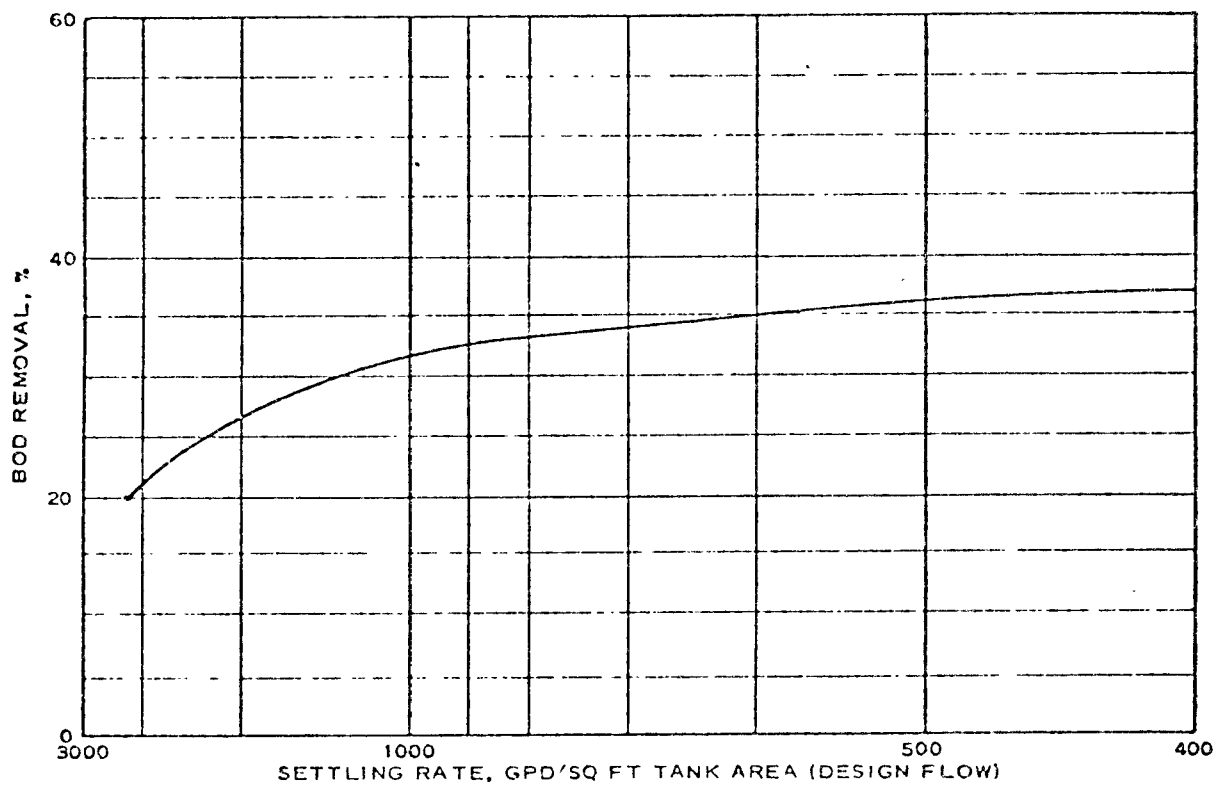


Figure 3-13. BOD removal rate in primary clarifier.

3-45. Pure Oxygen Activated Sludge (see page 7-171 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Eckenfelder's Approach

Reaction rate constants

k , BOD removal rate constant $\approx 0.0007-0.002$ $\ell/\text{mg}/\text{hr}$

a , fraction of BOD synthesized ≈ 0.73

a' , fraction of BOD oxidized for energy ≈ 0.52

b , endogenous rate (oxygen basis) $\approx 0.075/\text{day}$

b' , endogenous rate (sludge basis) $\approx 0.15/\text{day}$

f , nonbiodegradable fraction of VSS in influent ≈ 0.40

f' , degradable fraction of the MLVSS ≈ 0.53

F/M ratio $\approx 0.25-1.0$

Mixed liquor suspended solids $\approx 4000-7000$ mg/ℓ

Mixed liquor volatile solids $\approx 3200-5600$ mg/ℓ

Temperature correction coefficient $\approx 1.0-1.03$

Effluent BOD soluble ≈ 10 mg/ℓ

ALPHA O_2 transfer in waste/ O_2 transfer in water ≈ 0.90

BETA O_2 saturation in waste/ O_2 saturation in water ≈ 0.70

HP Horsepower per 1000 gallons ≥ 0.10 $\text{hp}/1000$ gal

STE Standard transfer efficiency

Mechanical Aerators $\approx 2.0-3.5$ $\text{lb O}_2/\text{hp-hr}$

High speed ≈ 2.0

Slow speed ≈ 3.5

Diffused Aerator 6.0-11.0%

Coarse bubble ≈ 6.0

Fine bubble ≈ 11.0

b. Default Data

ESTIMATE
CONSTANTS $K=0.00135$ $A=0.73$ $AP=0.52$ $B=0.075$ $BP=0.15$ $F=0.40$ $FP=0.53$
F/M RATIO 0.625 LB BOD/LB VSS
MIXED LIQUOR $SS=7000$ $VS=5500$ MG/L
TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT 1.03
EFFLUENT BOD SOLUBLE 5 MG/L
MECHANICAL AERATION ALPHA $=0.9$ BETA $=0.9$ HP $=0.10$ HP/TG STE $=3.5$ $\text{LB O}_2/\text{HP HR}$

c. Pure Oxygen Activated Sludge Unit Process Data Cards

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PURE OXYGEN ACTIVATED SLUDGEa MOD xx
CONSTANTS K=xx.x A=xx.x A∇=xx.x B=xx.x B∇=xx.x F=xx.x
          F∇=xx.x

F/M RATIO                                xx.x                LB BOD/LB VSS
MIXED LIQUOR SS=xx.x                    VS=xx.x                MG/L
TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT                  xx.x
EFFLUENT BOD SOLUBLE                     xx.x                MG/L
MECHANICAL AERATION ALPHAb=xx.x  BETA=xx.x  HP=xx.x  HP/TG
STE=xx.x LB O/HP-HR
DIFFUSED AERATION ALPHAb=xx.x  BETA=xx.x  AFc=xx.x  CFM/TG
STE=xx.x PER
ESTIMATEd SSXSA = xx.x  COSTSP = xx.x  COSTSCR = xx.x
COSTPS = xx.x
END

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^aUser must also specify secondary clarification (activated sludge).

^bUse mechanical or diffused, not both.

^cAF (minimum airflow) specifies a lower limit on airflow. Model will calculate actual airflow and compare it with input value. Higher value will be output. Input zero for AF to obtain calculated value only.

^dSSXSA = Cost of standard slow-speed pier-mounted 20-hp aerator - default value = \$16,300.

COSTSP = Cost of standard 10-ton PSA oxygen generation unit - default value = \$800,000.

COSTSCR = Cost of standard 50-ton cryogenic oxygen generation unit - default value = \$1,900,000.

COSTPS = Cost of standard 3000 gpm pump and driver unit - default value = \$17,250.

3-46. Rapid Infiltration Land Treatment

a. Design Parameters

Application rate≈4.0-150.0 in/wk

Runoff (site dependent)≈0.0

Buffer zone (site dependent)≈0.0-500.0 ft

Slope is not critical but values over 8.0% require excessive earthwork

Fraction of nitrogen loading denitrified≈30.0-60.0%

Ammonia volatilization≈0.0%

Removal of phosphorus≈90.0%

NW Number of recovery wells

WDIA Diameter of recovery wells

DW Depth of recovery wells

SP Cost of 12-inch welded steel pipe in-place -
default value = \$12.80 per foot

BV Cost of 12-inch butterfly valve -
default value = \$952.10

PP Cost of 6-inch perforated PVC pipe
default value = \$6.94 per foot

CP Cost of 24-inch concrete Class III pipe -
default value = \$10.20 per foot

WW Cost of 4-inch water well -
default value = \$8.00 per foot

RW Cost of 4-inch recovery well -
default value = \$8.00 per foot

PS Cost of standard 3000 gpm pump and driver unit -
default value = \$17,250.

b. Default Data

APPLICATION RATE	35.0	IN/WEEK
PRECIPITATION RATE	0.8	IN/WEEK
EVAPOTRANSPIRATION RATE	0.4	IN/WEEK
RUNOFF	0.0	IN/WEEK
WASTEWATER GENERATION PERIOD	364.0	DAYS/YR
FIELD APPLICATION PERIOD	52.0	WEEKS/YR
NO RECOVERY SYSTEM		
BUFFER ZONE	0.0	FEET
MONITORING WELLS	9 WELLS	AT 10 FT/WELL
FENCING	2.75	\$/FT
FRACTION DENITRIFIED	45.0	PERCENT OF APPLIED N
AMMONIA VOLATILIZATION	0.0	PERCENT OF APPLIED N
REMOVAL OF PHOSPHORUS	90.0	PERCENT OF APPLIED P
ESTIMATE		

c. Rapid Infiltration Land Treatment Unit Process Data Cards

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RAPID INFILTRATION LAND TREATMENT      MOD xx
APPLICATION RATE                        xx.x          IN/WK
PRECIPITATION RATE                      xx.x          IN/WK
EVAPOTRANSPIRATION RATE                 xx.x          IN/WK
RUNOFF                                  xx.x          IN/WK
WASTEWATER GENERATION PERIOD             xx.x          DAYS/YR
FIELD APPLICATION PERIOD                  xx.x          WKS/YR
NO RECOVERY SYSTEMa
UNDERDRAIN RECOVERY SYSTEMa
RECOVERY WELLS SYSTEMa                NW xx.x   WDIA xx.x   IN   DW xx.x FT
BUFFER WIDTH                            xx.x          FT
MONITORING WELLS    NO = xx.x   DEPTH/WELL = xx.x          FT
FENCING                                  xx.x          $/FT
FRACTION DENITRIFIED                     xx.x          PERCENT
AMMONIA VOLATILIZATION                     xx.x          PERCENT
REMOVAL OF PHOSPHORUS                      xx.x          PERCENT
ESTIMATE  SP xx.x  BV xx.x  PP xx.x  CP xx.x  WW xx.x  RW xx.x  PS xx.x
END

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^aUse recovery wells, underdrains, or no recovery system, but no more than one.

3-47. Recarbonation (see page 6-61 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Detention time ≈ 15.0 – 30.0 min

Alkalinity of hydroxide (determine from waste characterization study) ≈ 50.0 mg/l

Alkalinity of carbonate (determine from waste characterization study) ≈ 150.0 mg/l

b. Default Data

DETENTION TIME		15	MIN
ALKALINITY	HYDROXIDE=50	CARBONATE=150	MG/L

c. Recarbonation Unit Process Data Cards

```
RECARBONATION      MOD  xx
DETENTION TIME      xx.x      MIN
ALKALINITY          HYDROXIDE=xx.x  CARBONATE=xx.x  MG/L
END
```

3-48. First Stage Recarbonation (see page 6-61 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Detention time≈15.0-30.0 min

Alkalinity of hydroxide (determine from waste characterization study)≈50.0 mg/l

Alkalinity of carbonate (determine from waste characterization study≈150.0 mg/l

b. Default Data

DETENTION TIME		15	MIN	
ALKALINITY	HYDROXIDE=50	CARBONATE=150	MG/L	

c. First Stage Recarbonation Unit Process Data Cards

FIRST STAGE RECARBONATION	MOD	xx	
DETENTION TIME	xx.x		MIN
ALKALINITY	HYDROXIDE=xx.x	CARBONATE=xx.x	MG/L
END			

3-49. Second Stage Recarbonation (see page 6-61 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Detention time \approx 15.0-30.0 min

Alkalinity of hydroxide (determine from waste characterization study) \approx 50.0 mg/l

Alkalinity of carbonate (determine from waste characterization study) \approx 150.0 mg/l

b. Default Data

DETENTION TIME			
ALKALINITY	HYDROXIDE=50	¹⁵ CARBONATE \approx 150	^{MIN} MG/L

c. Second Stage Recarbonation Unit Process Data Cards

```
SECOND STAGE RECARBONATION      MOD   xx
DETENTION TIME                   xx.x           MIN
ALKALINITY                       HYDROXIDE=xx.x  CARBONATE=xx.x  MG/L
END
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3-50. Screening (see page 5-19 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Bar shape factor

Sharp-edged rectangular bars \approx 2.42

Rectangular bars with semi-circular upstream face \approx 1.83

Circular bars \approx 1.79

Rectangular bars with both ends semi-circular \approx 1.67

Rectangular bars with semi-circular upstream face and tapered symmetrical circular downstream face \approx 0.76

Bar screen width (see Table 3-19)

Bar screen spacing (see Table 3-19)

Bar screen slope (see Table 3-19)

Approach velocities (see Table 3-19)

Table 3-19. General Characteristics of Bar Screens

Item	Hand Cleaned	Mechanically Cleaned
Bar screen size		
Width, in.	1/4 to 5/8	1/4 to 5/8
Depth, in.	1 to 3	1 to 3
Spacing, in.	1 to 2	5/8 to 3
Slope from vertical, deg	30 to 45	0 to 30
Approach velocity, fps	1 to 2	2 to 3
Allowable head loss, in.	6	6

b. Default Data

MECHANICALLY CLEANED DEPTH=1 FEET
 BARS WIDTH=0.25 IN SPACE=1.5 IN SLOPE=30 DEG SHAPE FACT=2.42
 VELOCITIES APPROACH=2.5 MAX=3.0 AVE=2.5 FPS

c. Screening Unit Process Data Cards

```
SCREENINGa          MOD   xx
MECHANICALLY CLEANEDb      WIDTH=xx.x      FT
MANUALLY CLEANEDb        WIDTH=xx/x      FT
BARS WIDTH=xx.x  IN SPACE=xx.x  IN SLOPE=xx.x  DEG
  SHAPE FACTOR=xx.x
VELOCITIES APPROACH=xx.x  MAX=xx.x  AVG=xx.x      FT/SEC
END
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^aThis process is part of preliminary treatment.

^bUse mechanically cleaned or manually cleaned, not both.

3-51. Secondary clarification (Activated Sludge; see page 5-83 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Solids loading rate $\approx 12.0-30.0 \text{ lb/ft}^2/\text{day}$

Surface overflow rate (small plants $\leq 1.0 \text{ mgd}$) $\approx <600 \text{ gal/ft}^2/\text{day}$

Surface overflow rate (large plants $> 1.0 \text{ mgd}$) $\approx <800 \text{ gal/ft}^2/\text{day}$

Underflow concentration $\approx 0.8-1.2\%$

Weir overflow rate $\approx 10,000-15,000 \text{ gal/ft/day}$

Sidewater depth $\approx 7.0-12.0 \text{ ft}$

Specific gravity of sludge (see Table 3-20)

Table 3-20. Specific Gravity of Raw Sludge
Produced from Various Types of Sewage

Type of Sewerage System	Strength of Sewage	Specific Gravity
Sanitary	Weak	1.02
Sanitary	Medium	1.03
Combined	Medium	1.05
Combined	Strong	1.07

From Metcalf and Eddy, Inc., 197

b. Default Data

ESTIMATE		
RECTANGULAR		
SOLID LOADING TIME	15	LB/SQFT/DAY
SURFACE OVERFLOW RATE (MAXIMUM)	800	G/SQFT/DAY
SPECIFIC GRAVITY OF SLUDGE	1.03	
UNDERFLOW CONCENTRATION	1.0	PERCENT
WEIR OVERFLOW RATE (MAXIMUM)	15000	G/D/FT
SIDE WATER DEPTH	9	FEET
EFFLUENT SUSPENDED SOLIDS	20	MG/L

c. Secondary Clarification (Activated Sludge)^a Unit Process Data Cards

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A SECONDARY CLARIFICATION (ACTIVATED SLUDGE)  MOD  xx
SOLID LOADING RATE                xx.x          LB/SQFT/DAY
SURFACE OVERFLOW RATE             xx.x          G/SQFT/DAY
SPECIFIC GRAVITY OF SLUDGE        xx.x
UNDERFLOW CONCENTRATION            xx.x          PERCENT
WEIR OVERFLOW RATE                xx.x          G/FT/DAY
SIDEWATER DEPTH                   xx.x          FT
EFFLUENT SUSPENDED SOLIDS          xx.x          MG/L
RECTANGULAR CLARIFIERb
CIRCULAR CLARIFIERb
ESTIMATEc    STANDARD MECHANISM COST = xx.x
END
```

^aThis process is used with all activated sludge processes. It need be specified only once.

^bUse rectangular or circular clarifier, not both - default is circular clarifier.

^cRectangular clarifier - cost of standard 20-foot by 120-foot clarifier mechanism - default value = \$42,000.

Circular clarifier - cost of standard 90-foot diameter clarifier mechanism - default value = \$75,000.

3-52. Secondary Clarification (Nitrify-Denitrify; see page 5-83 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Solids loading rate $\approx 12.0\text{--}30.0 \text{ lb/ft}^2/\text{day}$
 Surface overflow rate $\approx <600 \text{ gal/ft}^2/\text{day}$
 Underflow concentration $\approx 0.8\text{--}1.2\%$
 Weir overflow rate $\approx 10,000\text{--}15,000 \text{ gal/ft/day}$
 Sidewater depth $\approx 7.0\text{--}12.0 \text{ ft}$
 f^{∇} , degradable fraction of the MLVSS ≈ 0.53
 Specific gravity of sludge (see Table 3-21)

Table 3-21. Specific Gravity of Raw Sludge
Produced from Various Types of Sewage

Type of Sewerage System	Strength of Sewage	Specific Gravity
Sanitary	Weak	1.02
Sanitary	Medium	1.03
Combined	Medium	1.05
Combined	Strong	1.07

From Metcalf and Eddy, Inc., 1971

b. Default Data

SOLID LOADING RATE	15	LB/SOFT/DAY
SURFACE OVERFLOW RATE (MAXIMUM)	1000	G/SOFT/DAY
SPECIFIC GRAVITY OF SLUDGE	1.03	
UNDERFLOW CONCENTRATION	1.0	PERCENT
WEIR OVERFLOW RATE (MAXIMUM)	15000	G/D/FT
SIDE WATER DEPTH	9	FEET
EFFLUENT SUSPENDED SOLIDS ESTIMATE	20	MG/L

c. Secondary Clarification (Nitrify/Denitrify)^a Unit Process Data Cards

N SECONDARY CLARIFICATION (NITRIFY/DENITRIFY)	MOD	xx
SOLID OVERFLOW RATE (MAXIMUM)	xx.x	LB/SQFT/DAY
SURFACE LOADING RATE	xx.x	G/SQFT/DAY
CONSTANT $F^{\nabla} =$ xx.x		FRACTION
SPECIFIC GRAVITY OF SLUDGE	xx.x	
UNDERFLOW CONCENTRATION	xx.x	PERCENT
WEIR OVERFLOW RATE (MAXIMUM)	xx.x	G/FT/DAY
SIDEWATER DEPTH	xx.x	FT
EFFLUENT SUSPENDED SOLIDS	xx.x	MG/L
RECTANGULAR CLARIFIER ^b		
CIRCULAR CLARIFIER ^b		
ESTIMATE ^c	STANDARD MECHANISM COST = xx.x	
END		

^a This process is used with the nitrification process and with the combined nitrivication/denitrification process. It need be specified only once.

^b Use rectangular or circular clarifier, not both - default is circular clarifier.

^c Rectangular clarifier - cost of standard 20-foot by 120-foot clarifier mechanism - default value = \$42,000.

Circular clarifier - cost of standard 90-foot diameter clarifier mechanism - default value = \$75,000.

3-53. Secondary Clarification (Trickling Filters; see page 5-83 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Solids loading rate $\approx 12.0-30.0 \text{ lb/ft}^2/\text{day}$

Surface overflow rate (small plants $\leq 1.0 \text{ mgd}$) $\approx <600 \text{ gal/ft}^2/\text{day}$

Surface overflow rate (large plants $\geq 1.0 \text{ mgd}$) $\approx <800 \text{ gal/ft}^2/\text{day}$

Underflow concentration $\approx 2.0-4.0\%$

Weir overflow rate $\approx 10,000-15,000 \text{ gal/ft/day}$

Sidewater depth $\approx 7.0-12.0 \text{ ft}$

Mixed liquor volatile solids $\approx 1000-2500 \text{ mg/l}$

Specific gravity of sludge (see Table 3-22)

Table 3-22. Specific Gravity of Raw Sludge
Produced from Various Types of Sewage

Type of Sewerage System	Strength of Sewage	Specific Gravity
Sanitary	Weak	1.02
Sanitary	Medium	1.03
Combined	Medium	1.05
Combined	Strong	1.07

From Metcalf and Eddy, Inc., 1971

b. Default Data

ESTIMATE		
SOLID LOADING RATE	15	LB/SOFT/DAY
SURFACE OVERFLOW RATE (MAXIMUM)	1000	G/SOFT/DAY
SPECIFIC GRAVITY OF SLUDGE	1.03	
UNDERFLOW CONCENTRATION	1.0	PERCENT
WEIR OVERFLOW RATE (MAXIMUM)	15000	G/D/FT
SIDE WATER DEPTH	9	FEET
EFFLUENT SUSPENDED SOLIDS	20	MG/L
MIXED LIQUOR VSS	800	MG/L

c. Secondary Clarification (Trickling Filters)^a Unit Process Data Cards

T SECONDARY CLARIFICATION (TRICKLING FILTERS)	MOD	xx
SOLID LOADING RATE	xx.x	LB/SQFT/DAY
SURFACE OVERFLOW RATE (MAXIMUM)	xx.x	G/SQFT/DAY
SPECIFIC GRAVITY OF SLUDGE	xx.x	
UNDERFLOW CONCENTRATION	xx.x	PERCENT
WEIR OVERFLOW RATE (MAXIMUM)	xx.x	G/FT/DAY
SIDEWATER DEPTH	xx.x	FT
EFFLUENT SUSPENDED SOLIDS	xx.x	MG/L
MIXED LIQUOR VS	xx.x	MG/L
RECTANGULAR CLARIFIER ^b		
CIRCULAR CLARIFIER ^b		
ESTIMATE ^c STANDARD MECHANISM COST =	xx.x	
END		

^aThis process is part of the trickling filtration process.

^bUse rectangular or circular clarifier, not both - default is circular clarifier.

^cRectangular clarifier - cost of standard 20-foot by 120-foot clarifier mechanism - default value = \$42,000.

Circular clarifier - cost of standard 90-foot diameter clarifier mechanism - default value = \$75,000.

3-54. Slow Infiltration Land Treatment

a. Design Parameters

Average Application rate $\approx 0.5-4.0$ in/wk

Maximum Application rate $\approx 0.10-0.50$ in/hr

Runoff (site dependent) ≈ 0.0

Buffer zone (site dependent) $\approx 0.0-500.0$ ft

Fraction of nitrogen loading denitrified $\approx 15.0-25.0\%$

Ammonia volatilization $\approx 0.0\%$

Removal of phosphorus $\approx 80.0\%$

Slope on cultivated land $\leq 20.0\%$

Slope on noncultivated land $\leq 40.0\%$

NW Number of recovery wells

WDIA Diameter of recovery wells

DW Depth of recovery wells

PS Cost of standard 3000 gpm pump and driver unit -
default value = \$17,250.0

SP Cost of 12-inch welded steel pipe in-place -
default value = \$12.80 per foot

SV Cost of 12-inch butterfly valve -
default value = \$952.10

EN Cost of 6-15 gpm impact type rotor pop-up full circle
sprinkler - default value = \$61.65

CG Cost of clearing and grubbing - default value =
\$3000.00 per acre

MW Cost of 4-inch water well - default value = \$8.00 per foot

PC Cost of center pivot 100 acre sprinkler system -
default value = \$27,690.00

b. Default Data

FORAGE GRASSES				
APPLICATION RATE	AVERAGE	2.0	IN/WEEK	MAXIMUM 0.20 IN/HR
PRECIPITATION RATE		0.8	IN/WEEK	
EVAPOTRANSPIRATION RATE		0.4	IN/WEEK	
RUNOFF		0.0	IN/WEEK	
WASTEWATER GENERATION PERIOD		364.0	DAYS/YR	
FIELD APPLICATION PERIOD		52.0	WEEKS/YR	
SOLID SET PIPING AND PUMPING				
NO STORAGE				
NO RECOVERY SYSTEM				
BUFFER ZONE		0.0	FEET	
CURRENT GROUND COVER	FOREST	20.0	%	BRUSH 30.0 % PASTURE 50.0%
SLOPE		2.0	PERCENT	
MONITORING WELLS		9	WELLS AT 10' FT/WELL	
FENCING		2.75	\$/FT	
FRACTION DENITRIFIED		20.0	PERCENT OF APPLIED N	
AMMONIA VOLATILIZATION		0.0	PERCENT OF APPLIED N	
REMOVAL OF PHOSPHORUS		80.0	PERCENT OF APPLIED P	
DAYS PER WEEK OPERATION		7.0	DAYS/WEEK	
HOURS PER DAY OPERATION		8.0	HOURS/DAY	
ESTIMATE				

c. Slow Infiltration Land Treatment Unit Process Data Cards

```

SLOW INFILTRATION LAND TREATMENT      MOD      xx
FORAGE GRASSESa
CORNa
APPLICATION RATE      AVERAGE xx.x  IN/WEEK  MAXIMUM xx.x  IN/HOUR
PRECIPITATION RATE                    xx.x                    IN/ WK
EVAPOTRANSPIRATION RATE                xx.x                    IN/ WK
RUNOFF                                xx.x                    IN/ WK
WASTEWATER GENERATION PERIOD            xx.x                    DAYS/YR
FIELD APPLICATION PERIOD                xx.x                    WKS/YR
SOLID SET PIPINGa
CENTER PIVOT PIPINGa
NO STORAGEb
STORAGEb,c (MINIMUM)                    xx.x                    DAYS/YEAR
LINER REQUIREDc                        xx.x                    $/SQFT
EMBANKMENT PROTECTIONc                xx.x                    $/CUFT
NO RECOVERY SYSTEMd
UNDERDRAIN RECOVERY SYSTEMd
BUFFER WIDTH                        xx.x                    FT
CURRENT GROUND COVER  FOREST xx.x%  BRUSH xx.x%  PASTURE xx.x%
SLOPE                                xx.x                    PERCENT
MONITORING WELLS      NO = xx.x    DEPTH/WELL = xx.x    FT
FENCING                                xx.x                    $/FT
FRACTION DENITRIFIED                    xx.x                    PERCENT
AMMONIA VOLITILIZATION                xx.x                    PERCENT
SOIL RETENTION                        xx.x                    PERCENT
HOURS PER DAY OPERATION                xx.x                    HOURS
DAYS PER WEEK OPERATION                xx.x                    DAYS
ESTIMATE  PS xx.x  SP xx.x  SV xx.x  EN xx.x  CG xx.x  MW xx.x  PC xx.x
END

```

^aUse solid set or center pivot, not both.

^bUse storage or no storage, not both.

^cLiner or embankment protection should only be used with storage.

^dUse underdrain or no recovery, not both.

3-55. Sludge Flotation (see page 5-41 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Air pressure \approx 40-70 psig

Detention time in float tank \approx 0.25-0.5 hrs

Solid loading (determine from laboratory tests)

Hydraulic loading \approx 1.0-4.0 gal/min/ft²

Recycle time in pressure tank \approx 1.0-3.0 min

Percent removal of solids (determine from bench test) \approx 80.0

Air/solids ratio (determine from laboratory test)

Float concentration (determine from bench test) \approx 5.0%

Removal of BOD (determine from bench test)

Removal of COD (determine from bench test)

Removal of TKN (determine from bench test)

Polymer dosage required \approx 10.0 lb/ton dry solids

b. Default Data

ESTIMATE		
AIR PRESSURE	60	PSIG
DETENTION TIME IN FLOAT TANK	3	HRS
SOLID LOADING	8	LB/SQFT/DAY
HYDRAULIC LOADING	2.5	GPM/SQFT
RECYCLE TIME IN PRESS TANK	2	MIN
PERCENT REMOVAL OF SOLIDS	85	PERCENT
AIR/SOLIDS RATIO	0.02	
FLOAT CONCENTRATION	3	PERCENT
POLYMER REQUIRED	1	LB/TON

c. Sludge Flotation Unit Process Data Cards

SLUDGE FLOTATION	MOD	xx	
AIR PRESSURE		xx.x	PSIG
DETENTION TIME IN FLOAT TANK		xx.x	HRS
SOLID LOADING		xx.x	LB/SQFT/DAY
HYDRAULIC LOADING		xx.x	GPM/SQFT
RECYCLE TIME IN PRESS TANK		xx.x	MIN
PERCENT REMOVAL OF SOLIDS		xx.x	PERCENT
AIR/SOLIDS RATIO		xx.x	
FLOAT CONCENTRATION		xx.x	PERCENT
POLYMER REQUIRED		xx.x	LB/TON
ESTIMATE ^a COSTFS =	xx.x		
END			

^aCOSTFS = Cost of standard 350-square foot air flotation unit -
default value = \$44,200.

3-56. Sludge Hauling and Landfilling (see page 5-169 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Distance to disposal site (based on local conditions)

Hours per day working schedule≈6.0-8.0 hours

Loading time per vehicle≈0.2-2.0 hrs

Hauling time (based on local conditions)

b. Default Data

DISTANCE TO DISPOSAL SITE	10 MILES
HOURS PER DAY	8 HOURS
LOADING TIME PER VEHICLE	0.75 HOURS
HAULING TIME PER TRIP	1.0 HOUR
ESTIMATE 0.0 8000 \$/YR	

c. Sludge Hauling and Landfilling Unit Process Data Cards

HAULING AND LAND FILLING MOD xx
DISTANCE TO DISPOSAL SITE xx.x MILES
HOURS PER DAY xx.x HOURS
LOADING TIME PER VEHICLE xx.x HOURS
HAULING TIME PER TRIP xx.x HOURS
ESTIMATE^a COSTSSV=xx.x CYC=xx.x^b CPCY=xx.x^b CPT=xx.x^b
END

^aCOSTSSV = Cost of standard 22 cubic yard vehicle - default value = \$51,700.

CYC = Constant annual charge for landfill, \$/year.

CPCY = Cost of sludge disposal per cubic yard, \$/Cu Yd.

CPT = Cost of sludge disposal per ton, \$/ton.

^bOne of the three land fill charges must be specified; the other must be specified as 0.0.

3-57. Step Aeration Activated Sludge (see page 7-69 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Eckenfelder's Approach

Reaction rate constants

k, BOD removal rate constant $\approx 0.0007-0.002$ l/mg/hr

a, fraction of BOD synthesized ≈ 0.73

\bar{a} , fraction of BOD oxidized for energy ≈ 0.52

b, endogenous rate (oxygen basis) ≈ 0.075 /day

\bar{b} , endogenous rate (sludge basis) ≈ 0.15 /day

f, nonbiogradable fraction of VSS in influent ≈ 0.40

\bar{f} , degradable fraction of the MLVSS ≈ 0.53

F/M ratio $\approx 0.2-0.4$

Mixed liquor suspended solids $\approx 2000-3500$ mg/l

Mixed liquor volatile solids $\approx 1400-2450$ mg/l

Temperature correction coefficient $\approx 1.0-1.04$

Effluent BOD soluble ≈ 10 mg/l

ALPHA O_2 transfer in waste/ O_2 transfer in water ≈ 0.90

BETA O_2 saturation in waste/ O_2 saturation in water ≈ 0.90

HP Horsepower per 1000 gallons ≥ 0.10 hp/1000 gal

STE Standard transfer efficiency

Mechanical Aerators $\approx 2.0-3.5$ lb O_2 /hp-hr

High speed ≈ 2.0

Slow speed ≈ 3.5

Diffused Aerator $\approx 6.0-11.0\%$

Coarse bubble ≈ 6.0

Fine bubble ≈ 11.0

b. Default Data

ESTIMATE
 CONSTANTS $k=0.0012$ $A=0.73$ $\bar{A}=0.52$ $\bar{b}=0.075$ $\bar{b}_p=0.15$ $F=0.4$ $\bar{F}=0.53$
 F/M RATIO 0.3 LB BOD/LB VSS
 MIXED LIQUOR SS=2500 VS=1750 MG/L
 TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT 1.035
 EFFLUENT BOD SOLUBLE 5 MG/L
 MECHANICAL AERATION ALPHA=0.9 BETA=0.9 HP=0.0 HP/TG STE=3.5 LB O_2 /HP HR

c. Step Aeration Activated Sludge Unit Process Data Cards

```

STEP AERATION ACTIVATED SLUDGEa      MOD      xx
CONSTANTS  K=xx.x  A=xx.x  A∇=xx.x  B=xx.x  B∇=xx.x  F=xx.x  F∇=xx.x
F/M RATIO                                xx.x                LB BOD/LB VS5
MIXED LIQUOR  SS=xx.x                VS=xx.x                MG/L
TEMPERATURE COEFFICIENT                  xx.x
EFFLUENT BOD SOLUBLE                    xx.x                MG/L
MECHANICAL AERATION ALPHAb=xx.x  BETA=xx.x  HP=xx.x  HP/TG
STE=xx.x  LB O/HP-HR
DIFFUSED AERATION ALPHAb=xx.x  BETA=xx.x  AFc=xx.x  CFM/TG
STE=xx.x  PER
ESTIMATEd  SSXSA = xx.x  COSTPH = xx.x  COSTPS = xx.x
END

```

^aUser must also specify secondary clarification (activated sludge).

^bUse mechanical or diffused, not both.

^cAF (minimum airflow) specifies a lower limit on airflow. Model will calculate actual airflow and compare it with input value. Higher value will be output. Input zero for AF to obtain calculated value only.

^dSSXSA = Cost of standard slow-speed pier-mounted 20-hp aerator - default value = \$16,300.

COSTPH = Cost of standard 550 scfm swing arm diffuser - default value = \$5,000.

COSTPS = Cost of standard 3000 gpm pump and driver unit - default value = \$17,250.

3-58. Trickling Filtration (see page 7-3 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Desired effluent \approx BOD 15.0-30.0 mg/l

Recirculation ratio \approx 1.00-1.20

b. Default Data

ESTIMATE	FILTER MEDIA COST	3.0 \$/CUFT
DESIRED EFFLUENT	30.0	MG/L
RECIRCULATION RATIO	1.2	

c. Trickling Filtration Unit Process Data Cards

```
TRICKLING FILTRATIONa      MOD  xx
DESIRED EFFLUENT BOD5      xx.x      MG/L
RECIRCULATION RATIO      xx.x
ESTIMATEb  UPFM=xx.x $/CUFT  CODAS=xx.x  COSTPS=xx.x
END
```

^aUser should also specify secondary clarification (trickling filters).

^bUPFM = Cost of selected plastic media per cubic foot, installed -
default value = \$2.50 per cubic foot.

CODAS = Cost of standard 50-foot diameter distributor arm -
default value = \$39,000.

COSTPS = Cost of standard 3000 gpm pump and driver unit -
default value = \$17,250.

3-59. Vacuum Filtration (see page 5-119 of Design Manual)

a. Design Parameters

Chemical dosage 1.0%
 Hours per day 8.0-16.0 hrs
 Loading rate (see Table 3-23)

Table 3-23. Expected Performance of Vacuum
 Filters Handling Properly Conditioned Sludge

Type of Sludge	Yield, lb/ft ² /hr
Fresh solids	
Primary	4 to 12
Primary plus trickling filter	4 to 8
Primary plus activated	4 to 5
Activated (alone)	2.5 to 3.5
Digested solids (with or without elutriation)	
Primary	4 to 8
Primary plus trickling filter	4 to 5
Primary plus activated	4 to 5

From Simpson, 1964

b. Default Data

ESTIMATE		10	PERCENT DRY WT
CHEMICAL DOSE		5	DAYS
DAYS PER WEEK		8	HOURS
HOURS PER DAY			
LOADING RATE	3.5	LB/SQFT/HR	

c. Vacuum Filtration Unit Process Data Cards

VACUUM FILTRATION	MOD	xx	
CHEMICAL DOSE		xx.x	PERCENT DRY WT
DAYS PER WEEK		xx.x	DAYS
HOURS PER DAY		xx.x	HOURS
LOADING RATE		xx.x	LB/SQFT/HR
ESTIMATE ^a	COSTSF=xx.x		
END			

^aCOSTSF = Cost of standard 300-square foot vacuum filter -
default value = \$150,000.

3-60. Wet Oxidation

a. Design Parameters

Sludge COD ≈ 20.0 – 40.0 mg/l

Saturated steam pressure (determine from standard steam tables; see Figure 3-14 below) ≈ 600.0 – 3000.0 psia

Specific volume of saturate steam (determine from standard steam tables; see Figure 3-14 below) ≈ 1.446 ft³/lb @ 450°F

COD removed ≈ 60.0 – 90.0%

Temperature of reactor 250.0–700.0°F

Retention time (from Figure 3-14)

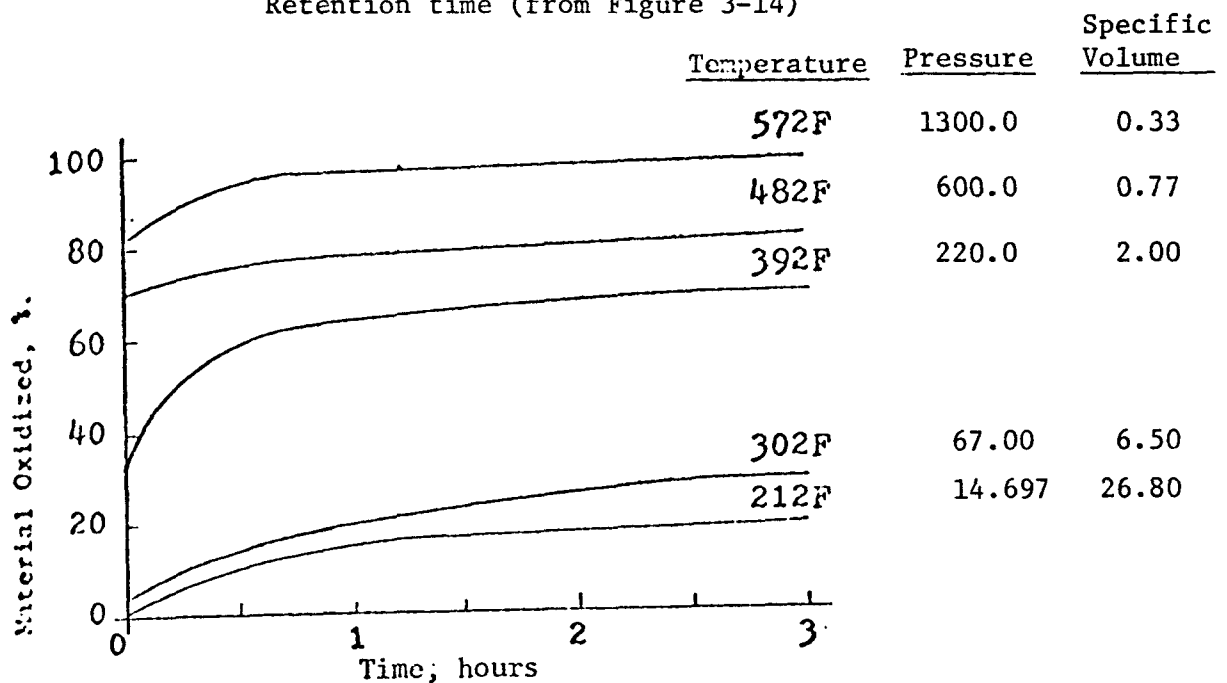


Figure 3-14. Material Oxidized Versus Time at Various Temperatures.

b. Default Data

SLUDGE COD	30.0	MG/L
SATURATED STEAM PRESSURE	600.0	PSIA
SPECIFIC VOLUME OF STEAM	0.77	CUFT/LB
COD REMOVED	75.0	PERCENT
TEMPERATURE	482.0	DEGREES F
RETENTION TIME	1.0	HOURS

c. Wet Oxidation Unit Process Data Cards

WET OXIDATION	MOD	xx	
SLUDGE COD	xx.x		GM/L
SATURATED STEAM PRESSURE	xx.x		PSIA
SPECIFIC VOLUME OF SATURATE STEAM	xx.x		CUFT/LB
RETENTION TIME	xx.x		HOURS
COD REMOVED	xx.x		GM/L
TEMPERATURE OF REACTOR	xx.x		DEG F
END			

APPENDIX A

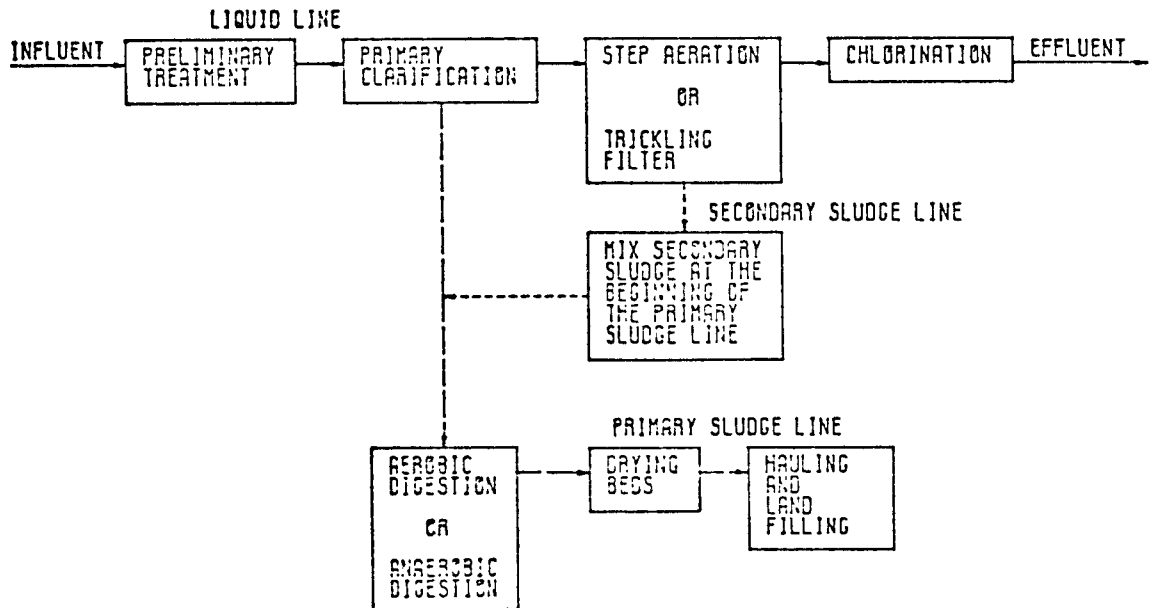
BASIC PROCEDURE FOR USING CAPDET

A-1. This section provides the user with a comprehensive outline of a recommended procedure for using the CAPDET program. The ten recommended steps are intended to illustrate to the user the logical sequence of events which will allow the user to accurately describe a proposed treatment scheme to the CAPDET program.

BASIC PROCEDURE FOR USING CAPDET

1. From the list on page 2-9 select those treatment processes which are to be investigated. Make a sketch showing the treatment scheme including in each treatment process block those options or alternatives to be used.

EXAMPLE:



2. For each treatment process selected, list the unit process key words associated with the treatment processes and identify the unit process involved by referring to the list on page 2-3.

EXAMPLE:

<u>Treatment Process Key Word</u>	<u>Associated Unit Process Key Words</u>	<u>Unit Process Name</u>
PRELIM	GRIT R SCREEN COMMIN	Grit Removal Bar Screens Comminution
PRIMAR	PRIMAR	Primary Clarification
STEP A	STEP A A SECE	Step Aeration Secondary Clarification (Activated Sludge)
TRICKL	TRICKL T SECO	Trickling Filter Secondary Clarification (Trickling Filter)
CHLORI	CHLORI	Chlorination
A MIX	None	None
AEROBI	AEROBI	Aerobic digestion
ANAERO	ANAERO	Anaerobic digestion
DRYING	DRYING	Drying beds
HAULIN	HAULIN	Sludge hauling and land filling

3. In Chapter 3 review the default data supplied for modification zero for each of the unit processes you have listed in 2 above. For each process in which you wish to change data code a unit process header card for the process and data for those items you wish to change. Close the input for each process with an END card. Be sure to include an ESTIMATE card if you wish to retain estimate type costing.

EXAMPLE: After examining the default data you wish to change the sidewater depth of the primary clarifier and the rainfall for drying beds, code the following data.

```
PRIMARY CLARIFICATION
SIDEWATER DEPTH          10.0          FEET
ESTIMATE
END
DRYING BEDS
RAINFALL                 6            IN/MO
ESTIMATE
END
```

4. Code a TITLE card.

EXAMPLE:

```
TITLE EXAMPLE PROBLEM
```

5. Refer to the sketch in 1 above and code the scheme description as outlined in section 2-5.

EXAMPLE:

```
LIQUID LINE
BLOCK    PRELIM
BLOCK    PRIMAR
BLOCK    STEP A TRICKL
BLOCK    CHLORI
SECONDARY SLUDGE LINE
BLOCK    A MIX
PRIMARY SLUDGE LINE
BLOCK    AEROBI ANAERO
BLOCK    DRYING
BLOCK    HAULIN
```

6. Examine the default data for the waste influent (page 2-15) and select those items you wish to change. Code a waste influent header card and data cards for those items you wish to change.

EXAMPLE: After examining the waste influent default data you wish to change the BOD5 to 300 mg/l and the oil and grease to zero. You wish an average flow of 10 mgd. You should code the following:

WASTE INFLUENT

AVERAGE FLOW	10.0	MGD
BOD5	300	MG/L
OIL AND GREASE	0	MG/L

7. Code a desired effluent header card and data for those items you wish checked. Those trains that do not meet the specified effluent values will be discarded. If you have specified only a few trains you should use this option with care as over-rigid specifications may cause all of the alternative trains to be discarded.

EXAMPLE: As only four trains have been specified in this sample problem, no desired characteristics will be specified. This will allow all four trains to be retained. You may examine them for effectiveness after they are printed. In this case we will only have to code the desired effluent header card as follows:

DESIRED EFFLUENT CHARACTERISTICS

8. Review the unit cost default data (page 2-19) and select those items you wish to change. Code these data items following a unit cost header card and terminate this input with an END card.

EXAMPLE: You wish to change the building costs, excavation costs, concrete costs, and the Marshall and Swift and EPA indices. You should code the following:

UNIT COSTS

BUILDING	42.0	\$/SQFT
EXCAVATION	1.75	\$/CUYD
WALL CONCRETE	275.0	\$/CUYD
SLAB CONCRETE	230.0	\$/CUYD
MARSHALL AND SWIFT	490.0	
SMALL CITY EPA INDEX	140.0	

END

9. Refer to section 2-7 and select the type of output you desire. Code the appropriate output control cards followed by the GO card.

EXAMPLE: You desire the cost information for all four trains and complete design information including construction quantities for the most cost effective train. You should code the following:

CONTROL CARDS

LIST	4	TRAINS
PRINT TRAIN NO 1		
OUTPUT QUANTITIES		
GO	I = 6.625	30 YEARS

10. Assemble all data in the order coded above and submit to the CAPDET program.

EXAMPLE: The complete data list for the example coded above would be:

PRIMARY CLARIFICATION		
SIDEWATER DEPTH	10.0	FEET
ESTIMATE		
END		
DRYING BEDS		
RAINFALL	6	IN/MO
ESTIMATE		
END		
TITLE EXAMPLE PROBLEM		
LIQUID LINE		
BLOCK PRELIM		
BLOCK PRIMAR		
BLOCK STEP A TRICKL		
BLOCK CHLORI		
SECONDARY SLUDGE LINE		
BLOCK A MIX		
PRIMARY SLUDGE LINE		
BLOCK AEROBI ANAERO		
BLOCK DRYING		
BLOCK HAULIN		
WASTE INFLUENT		
AVERAGE FLOW	10.0	MGD
BOD5	300	MG/L
OIL AND GREASE	0	MG/L
DESIRED EFFL. CHARACTERISTICS		
UNIT COSTS		
BUILDING	42.0	\$/SQFT
EXCAVATION	1.75	\$/CUYD
WALL CONCRETE	275.0	\$/CUYD
SLAB CONCRETE	230.0	\$/CUYD
MARSHALL AND SWIFT	490.0	
SMALL CITY EPA INDEX	140.0	
END		
CONTROL CARDS		
LIST	4	TRAINS
PRINT TRAIN NO 1		
OUTPUT QUANTITIES		
GO	I=6.625	30 YEARS

APPENDIX B

CAPDET EXAMPLE PROBLEM OUTPUT

B-1. This section provides the user with the output of the example problem outlined in Appendix A.

COST ANALYSIS INPUT PARAMETERS

INTEREST RATE	6.62 %
PLANNING PERIOD	30 YRS
WAGE RATE	6.00 \$/HR

UNIT PRICES AND COSTS INDICES

I BUILDING	42.00	\$/SQ FT
I EXCAVATION	1.75	\$/CU YD
I WALL CONCRETE	275.00	\$/CU YD
I SLAB CONCRETE	230.00	\$/CU YD
I MARSHALL AND SWIFT INDEX	490.00	
D CRANE RENTAL	40.00	\$/HR
I EPA CONSTRUCTION COST INDEX	140.00	
D CANOPY ROOF	10.00	\$/SQ FT
D LABOR RATE	6.00	\$/HR
D OPERATOR CLASS II	6.00	\$/HR
D ELECTRICITY	.04	\$/KWHR
D CHEMICAL COSTS		
LIME	.02	\$/LB
ALUM	.10	\$/LB
IRON SALTS	.18	\$/LB
POLYMER	1.00	\$/LB
D ENGINEERING NEWS RECORD COST INDEX	2470.00	
D HANDRAIL	25.20	\$/FT
D PIPE COST INDEX	241.00	
D PIPE INSTALLATION LABOR RATE	10.00	\$/HR
D EIGHT INCH PIPE	7.41	\$/FT
D EIGHT INCH PIPE BEND	70.88	\$/UNIT
D EIGHT INCH PIPE TEE	104.90	\$/UNIT
D EIGHT INCH PIPE VALVE	1099.00	\$/UNIT

EXAMPLE PROBLEM

TRAIN NO 1

LIQUID	PREL	0	PRIM	0	TRIC	0	CHLO	0
SECONDARY	A MI	0						
PRIMARY	AFRO	0	DRYI	0	HAUL	0		
CAPITAL COST								\$19,674,405.
OPERATING	MAINTENANCE							COST \$288,548.
EQUIVALENT	ANNUAL COST							\$1,869,273.

TRAIN NO 2

LIQUID	PREL	0	PRIM	0	TRIC	0	CHLO	0
SECONDARY	A MI	0						
PRIMARY	ANAF	0	DRYI	0	HAUL	0		
CAPITAL COST								\$21,003,101.
OPERATING	MAINTENANCE							COST \$290,269.
EQUIVALENT	ANNUAL COST							\$1,969,374.

TRAIN NO 3

LIQUID	PREL	0	PRIM	0	STFP	0	CHLO	0
SECONDARY	A MI	0						
PRIMARY	AFRO	0	DRYI	0	HAUL	0		
CAPITAL COST								\$25,873,662.
OPERATING	MAINTENANCE							COST \$803,408.
EQUIVALENT	ANNUAL COST							\$3,069,861.

TRAIN NO 4

LIQUID	PREL	0	PRIM	0	STFP	0	CHLO	0
SECONDARY	A MI	0						
PRIMARY	ANAF	0	DRYI	0	HAUL	0		
CAPITAL COST								\$30,023,492.
OPERATING	MAINTENANCE							COST \$804,813.
EQUIVALENT	ANNUAL COST							\$3,401,366.

EXAMPLE PROBLEM

TRAIN NO 1

INFLUENT

FLOW (MGD)		LIQUID CHARACTERISTICS			
MAXIMUM	10.0000	SOLIDS (MG/L)			
AVERAGE	10.0000	SUSPENDED 200.00	BOD5 300.00	TKN 45.00	
MINIMUM	10.0000	VOLATILE 60.00 %	BOD5S 75.00	NH3 25.00	
		SETTLABLE 15.00	COD 500.00	NO2 .00	
			CODS 400.00	NO3 .00	
TEMP	18.0 C	OIL & GREASE .00	PO4 18.00		
PH	7.60	CATIONS 160.00			
		ANIONS 160.00			
		SLUDGE CHARACTERISTICS			
		PRIMARY	SECONDARY		
VOLUME (GAL/D)		.00	.00		
% SOLIDS		.00	.00		
% VOLATILE		.00	.00		

EXAMPLE PROBLEM

TRAIN NO 1

MECHANICALLY CLEANED BAR SCREEN

D BAR SIZE	.250+00	IN
D BAR SPACING	.150+01	IN
D SLOPE OF BARS FROM HORIZONTAL	.300+02	DEG
HEAD LOSS THROUGH SCREEN	.206-01	FT
D APPROACH VELOCITY	.250+01	FPS
D AVERAGE FLOW THROUGH VELOCITY	.250+01	FPS
D MAXIMUM FLOW THROUGH VELOCITY	.300+01	FPS
SCREEN CHANNEL WIDTH	.616+01	FT
D AVERAGE CHANNEL DEPTH	.100+01	FT

EXAMPLE PROBLEM

TRAIN NO 1

HORIZONTAL FLOW GRIT CHAMBER

MAXIMUM FLOW	.154+02	CFS
AVERAGE FLOW	.154+02	CFS
MINIMUM FLOW	.154+02	CFS
TEMPERATURE	.180+02	DEG C
D MAXIMUM FLOW THROUGH VELOCITY	.125+01	FPS
D AVERAGE FLOW THROUGH VELOCITY	.100+01	FPS
D SIZE SMALL. PART. 100% REMOVED	.200+00	MM
D SPECIFIC GRAVITY OF PARTICLE	.265+01	
D NUMBER OF UNITS	.200+01	
MAXIMUM FLOW/UNIT	.770+01	CFS
D WIDTH OF CHANNEL	.154+01	FT
D DEPTH OF CHANNEL	.400+01	FT
LENGTH OF CHANNEL	.108+03	FT
SETTLING VELOCITY OF PARTICLE	.785+01	FPS
SLOPE OF CHANNEL BOTTOM	.947+03	
D ALLOWANCE FOR CURRENTS	.170+01	
D DETENTION TIME	.867+02	SEC
D MANNING COEFFICIENT	.350+01	
VOLUME OF GRIT	.400+02	CUFT/DA

EXAMPLE PROBLEM

TRAIN NO 1

COMMINUTION

D NUMBER OF UNITS	.200+01 UNITS
DRUM DIAMETER	.250+02 INCHES
DRUM RPM	.250+02 REV/MIN
AVERAGE SLOT WIDTH	.380+00 INCHES
HORSEPOWER/UNIT	.150+01 HP
STANDARD HEIGHT	.579+01 FEET
STANDARD NET WEIGHT	.210+04 POUNDS

		LIQUID CHARACTERISTICS			
		SOLIDS (MG/L)	(MG/L)		(MG/L)
FLOW (MGD)					
MAXIMUM	10.0000	SUSPENDED 200.00	BOD5 300.00	TKN 45.00	
AVERAGE	10.0000	VOLATILE 60.00 %	BOD5S 75.00	NH3 25.00	
MINIMUM	10.0000	SETTLABLE 15.00	COD 500.00	NO2 .00	
			CODS 400.00	NO3 .00	
TEMP 18.0 C		OIL & GREASE .00	PO4 18.00		
PH 7.60		CATIONS 160.00			
		ANIONS 160.00			

		SLUDGE CHARACTERISTICS	
		PRIMARY	SECONDARY
VOLUME (GAL/D)		.00	.00
% SOLIDS		.00	.00
% VOLATILE		.00	.00

EXAMPLE PROBLEM

TRAIN NO 1

PRIMARY CLARIFIER

CIRCULAR CLARIFIER

D OVERFLOW RATE	.100+04	GD/SQFT
SURFACE AREA	.100+05	SQFT
I SIDE WATER DEPTH	.100+02	FT
RETENTION TIME	.180+01	HOURS
SOLID LOADING	.167+01	PSF/D
D WEIR LOADING	.150+05	GD/FT
WEIR LENGTH	.667+03	FEET
VOLUME OF SLUDGE PRODUCED	.238+05	GAL/DAY
D SUSPENDED SOLIDS REMOVAL	.500+02	%
D BOD REMOVAL	.360+02	%
NUMBER OF TANKS	.100+01	UNITS
D COD REMOVAL	.500+02	%
D TKN REMOVAL	.500+01	%
D PO4 REMOVAL	.500+01	%

EXAMPLE PROBLEM

TRAIN NO 1

QUANTITIES FOR SEDIMENTATION

CIRCULAR CLARIFIER

PRIMARY CLARIFIER

EXCESS CAPACITY FACTOR	.192+01	
CALCULATED SURFACE AREA	.100+05	SQFT
ADJUSTED SURFACE AREA	.192+05	SQFT
AVERAGE DAILY WASTEWATER FLOW	.100+02	MGD
NUMBER OF CIRCULAR CLARIFIERS	2	
NUMBER OF BATTERIES	1	
SURFACE AREA PER UNIT	.960+04	SQFT
DIAMETER OF UNIT	.111+03	FT
EARTHWORK REQUIRED	.269+06	CUFT
SIDEWATER DEPTH	.100+02	FT
THICKNESS OF THE SLAB	.104+02	INCHES
WALL THICKNESS	.120+02	INCHES
TOTAL QUANTITY OF R.C. WALL REQUIRED	.824+04	CUFT
TOTAL QUANTITY OF R.C. SLAB REQUIRED	.183+05	CUFT
MAINTENANCE MANPOWER REQUIRED	.839+03	MAN-HOURS/YR
OPERATION MANPOWER REQUIRED	.152+04	MAN-HOURS/YR
ELECTRICAL ENERGY REQUIRED	.119+05	KWHR/YR

		LIQUID CHARACTERISTICS					
FLOW	(MGD)	SOLIDS	(MG/L)	(MG/L)	(MG/L)		
MAXIMUM	10.0000	SUSPENDED	100.00	BOD5	219.00	TKN	44.00
AVERAGE	10.0000	VOLATILE	60.00 %	BOD5S	75.00	NH3	25.00
MINIMUM	10.0000	SETTLABLE	.00	COD	450.00	NO2	.00
				CODS	400.00	NO3	.00
TEMP	18.0 C	OIL & GREASE	.00	P04	17.10		
PH	7.60	CATIONS	160.00				
		ANIONS	160.00				

SLUDGE CHARACTERISTICS		
	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
VOLUME (GAL/D)	23809.52	.00
% SOLIDS	4.00	.00
% VOLATILE	60.00	.00

EXAMPLE PROBLEM

TRAIN NO 1

TRICKLING FILTRATION

REMOVAL EFFICIENCY	.863+02 %
TOTAL VOLUME	.109+06 CUFT
TOTAL SURFACE AREA	.184+05 SQFT
DEPTH	.118+02 FT
D RECIRCULATION RATIO	.120+01
DIAMETER/UNIT	.108+03 FT
NUMBER OF UNITS	.200+01 UNITS

EXAMPLE PROBLEM

TRAIN NO 1

QUANTITIES FOR TRICKLING FILTER

NUMBER OF TOWERS	2	
VOLUME PER FILTER TOWER	.109+06	CU FT
DEPTH OF TOWER	.118+02	FT
DIAMETER OF FILTER TOWER	.108+03	FT
TOTAL NUMBER OF POSTS	640	
TOTAL LENGTH OF PRECAST BEAMS	.101+05	FT
TOTAL R.C. WALL IN PLACE	.136+05	CU FT
TOTAL R.C. SLAB IN PLACE	.123+05	CU FT
TOTAL EARTHWORK REQUIRED	.254+06	CU FT
AVERAGE DAILY WASTEWATER FLOW	.100+02	MGD
ELECTRICAL ENERGY REQUIRED	.192+06	KWHR/YR
OPERATIONAL MANPOWER	.520+03	MAN-HOUR/YR
MAINTENANCE MAN-HOURS	.407+03	MAN-HOUR/YR

EXAMPLE PROBLEM

TRAIN NO 1

QUANTITIES FOR INTERMEDIATE PUMPING

AVERAGE DAILY WASTEWATER FLOW	.100+02 MGD
DESIGN CAPACITY PER PUMP	.417+04 GPM
NUMBER OF PUMPS	3
NUMBER OF BATTERIES	1
AREA OF PUMP BUILDING	.877+03 SQ FT
VOLUME OF EARTHWORK REQUIRED	.701+04 CU FT
FIRM PUMPING CAPACITY	.120+02 MGD
OPERATING MANPOWER REQUIRED	.677+03 MAN-HOURS/YR
MAINTENANCE MANPOWER REQUIRED	.572+03 MAN-HOURS/YR
ELECTRICAL ENERGY REQUIRED	.666+06 KWHR/YR

EXAMPLE PROBLEM

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SECONDARY CLARIFIER

CIRCULAR CLARIFIER

D SOLIDS LOADING RATE	.150+02 LB/SQFT/D
SURFACE OVERFLOW RATE	.100+04 G/SQFT/D
DETENTION TIME	.355+01 HOURS
D WEIR OVERFLOW RATE	.150+05 G/FT/D
D TANK SIDEWATER DEPTH	.900+01 FEET
WEIR LENGTH	.147+04 FEET
VOLUME OF WASTED SLUDGE	.800+04 G/DAY
D UNDERFLOW CONCENTRATION	.100+01 %
TOTAL SURFACE AREA	.220+05 SQFT
NUMBER OF TANKS	.100+01 UNITS

EXAMPLE PROBLEM

TRAIN NO 1

QUANTITIES FOR SEDIMENTATION

CIRCULAR CLARIFIER

SECONDARY CLARIFIER	
EXCESS CAPACITY FACTOR	.193+01
CALCULATED SURFACE AREA	.220+05 SQFT
ADJUSTED SURFACE AREA	.425+05 SQFT
AVERAGE DAILY WASTEWATER FLOW	.100+02 MGD
NUMBER OF CIRCULAR CLARIFIERS	2
NUMBER OF BATTERIES	1
SURFACE AREA PER UNIT	.212+05 SQFT
DIAMETER OF UNIT	.165+03 FT
EARTHWORK REQUIRED	.697+06 CUFT
SIDEWATER DEPTH	.900+01 FT
THICKNESS OF THE SLAB	.101+02 INCHES
WALL THICKNESS	.115+02 INCHES
TOTAL QUANTITY OF R.C. WALL REQUIRED	.106+05 CUFT
TOTAL QUANTITY OF R.C. SLAB REQUIRED	.399+05 CUFT
MAINTENANCE MANPOWER REQUIRED	.136+04 MAN-HOURS/YR
OPERATION MANPOWER REQUIRED	.244+04 MAN-HOURS/YR
ELECTRICAL ENERGY REQUIRED	.189+05 KWHR/YR

FLOW		LIQUID CHARACTERISTICS			
	(MGD)	SOLIDS	(MG/L)	(MG/L)	(MG/L)
MAXIMUM	10.0000	SUSPENDED	20.00	ROD5	30.00
AVERAGE	10.0000	VOLATILE	80.00 %	ROD5S	15.00
MINIMUM	10.0000	SETTLEABLE	.00	COD	45.00
				CODS	22.50
TEMP	18.0 C	OIL & GREASE	.00	PO4	11.97
PH	7.60	CATIONS	160.00		
		ANIONS	160.00		

	SLUDGE CHARACTERISTICS	
	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
VOLUME (GAL/D)	23809.52	8000.00
% SOLIDS	4.00	1.00
% VOLATILE	60.00	80.00

EXAMPLE PROBLEM

TRAIN NO 1

CHLORINATION

MAXIMUM FLOW	.100+02	MGD
AVERAGE FLOW	.100+02	MGD
D CONTACT TIME	.300+02	MIN
TOTAL VOLUME	.208+06	GAL
AVERAGE CHLORINE REQUIREMENT	.834+03	LB/DAY
PEAK CHLORINE REQUIREMENT	.834+03	LB/DAY
COLIFORM REDUCTION	.996+02	%

EXAMPLE PROBLEM

TRAIN NO 1

QUANTITIES FOR DISINFECTION

NUMBER OF CHLORINATORS AND EVAPORATORS	1
CHLORINATION BUILDING AREA	.220+03 SQFT
NUMBER OF CHLORINE CYLINDERS	13
AREA OF CHLORINE STORAGE BUILDING	.182+04 SQFT
AVERAGE DAILY WASTEWATER FLOW MGD	.100+02 MGD
VOLUME OF EARTHWORK REQUIRED	.144+05 CUFT
VOLUME OF R.C. FOR WALLS	.565+04 CUFT
VOLUME OF R.C. FOR SLAB	.307+04 CUFT
CHLORINE REQUIREMENT PER YEAR	.152+03 TONS/YR
OPERATIONAL LABOR	.145+04 MAN-HOURS/YR
MAINTENANCE MANPOWER REQUIRED	.363+03 MAN-HOURS/YR
ELECTRICAL ENERGY REQUIRED	.131+06 KWH/YR
CHLORINE REQUIREMENT	.834+03 LB/DAY
O & M MATERIAL AND SUPPLY COSTS	.313+01 PERCENT

		LIQUID CHARACTERISTICS			
FLOW	(MGD)	SOLIDS	(MG/L)	(MG/L)	(MG/L)
MAXIMUM	10.0000	SUSPENDED	20.00	BOD5	30.00
AVERAGE	10.0000	VOLATILE	80.00 %	BOD5S	15.00
MINIMUM	10.0000	SETTLABLE	.00	COD	45.00
				CODS	22.50
TEMP	18.0 C	OTL & GREASE	.00	PO4	11.97
PH	7.60	CATIONS	160.00		
		ANIONS	160.00		

		SLUDGE CHARACTERISTICS	
VOLUME (GAL/D)		PRIMARY	SECONDARY
% SOLIDS	23809.52	4.00	8000.00
% VOLATILE	60.00	1.00	80.00

EXAMPLE PROBLEM

TRAIN NO 1

**** SECONDARY SLUDGE LINE MIXED INTO PRIMARY SLUDGE LINE ****

INFLUENT

		LIQUID CHARACTERISTICS				
FLOW	(MGD)	SOLIDS	(MG/L)		(MG/L)	(MG/L)
MAXIMUM	10.0000	SUSPENDED	20.00	BOD5	30.00	TKN 30.80
AVERAGE	10.0000	VOLATILE	80.00 %	BOD5S	15.00	NH3 30.80
MINIMUM	10.0000	SETTLABLE	.00	COD	45.00	NO2 .00
				CODS	22.50	NO3 .00
TEMP	18.0 C	OIL & GREASE	.00	P04	11.97	
PH	7.60	CATIONS	160.00			
		ANIONS	160.00			

	SLUDGE CHARACTERISTICS	
	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
VOLUME (GAL/D)	31809.52	.00
% SOLIDS	3.25	.00
% VOLATILE	61.55	.00

EXAMPLE PROBLEM

TRAIN NO 1

AEROBIC DIGESTION

RAW SLUDGE SPECIFIC GRAVITY	.105+01	
D DETENTION TIME	.150+02	DAYS
D VOLATILE SOLIDS DESTROYED	.500+02	%
D MIXED LIQUOR SOLIDS	.120+05	MG/L
D SOLIDS IN DIGESTED SLUDGE	.250+01	%
D ALPHA	.900+00	
D BETA	.900+00	
D STANDARD TRANSFER EFFICIENCY	.120+02	%
DIGESTER VOLUME	.477+06	GAL
VOLATILE SOLIDS LOADING	.872+01	#VS/CUFT/D
SOLIDS ACCUMULATED PER DAY	.626+04	#/DA
DIGESTER CAPACITY	.478+05	#
VOLUME OF WASTED SLUDGE	.218+06	GAL
SOLIDS RETENTION TIME	.763+01	DAYS
OXYGEN REQUIREMENT	.556+04	#/DAY
AIR SUPPLY	.602+02	CFM/TCFT

EXAMPLE PROBLEM

TRAIN NO 1

QUANTITIES FOR ACTIVATED SLUDGE PROCESSES: MECHANICAL AERATION SYSTEMS

COMPLETELY MIXED FLOW	
AVERAGE DAILY FLOW	.318-01 MGD
TOTAL NUMBER OF TANKS	2
NUMBER OF AERATORS PER TANK	1
NUMBER OF BATTERIES OF UNITS	1
CAPACITY OF EACH INDIVIDUAL AERATOR	.400+02 HP
WATER DEPTH OF THE AERATION TANKS	.120+02 FT
WIDTH OF AERATION TANK	.589+02 FT
LENGTH OF AERATION TANK	.589+02 FT
PIPING GALLERY WIDTH	.200+02 FT
QUANTITY OF EARTHWORK REQUIRED	.673+05 CUFT
WIDTH OF THE PLATFORM	.812+01 FT
TOTAL QUANTITY OF R.C. SLAB	.143+05 CUFT
TOTAL QUANTITY OF R.C. WALL	.118+05 CUFT
HANDRAIL LENGTH	.405+03 FT
TOTAL CAPACITY OF AERATION EQUIPMENT	.800+02 HP
OPERATIONAL MANPOWER REQUIRED	.124+04 MAN-HOURS/YR
MAINTENANCE MANPOWER REQUIRED	.622+03 MAN-HOURS/YR
ELECTRICAL ENERGY FOR OPERATION	.536+06 KWHR/YR
LAND AND MATERIAL AND SUPPLY COST	.237+01 PERCENT

FLOW		LIQUID CHARACTERISTICS					
	(MGD)	SOLIDS (MG/L)		(MG/L)		(MG/L)	
MAXIMUM	10.0000	SUSPENDED	20.00	ROD5	30.00	TKN	30.80
AVERAGE	10.0000	VOLATILE	80.00 %	ROD5S	15.00	NH3	30.80
MINIMUM	10.0000	SETTLEABLE	.00	COD	45.00	NO2	.00
				CODS	22.50	NO3	.00
TEMP	18.0 C	OIL & GREASE	.00	PO4	11.97		
PH	7.60	CATIONS	160.00				
		ANIONS	160.00				

SLUDGE CHARACTERISTICS		
	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
VOLUME (GAL/D)	28586.67	.00
% SOLIDS	2.50	.00
% VOLATILE	44.46	.00

EXAMPLE PROBLEM

TRAIN NO 1

SLUDGE DRYING BEDS

TOTAL SURFACE AREA REQUIRED	.193+06	SQ FT
D INITIAL DEPTH OF SLUDGE	.120+02	INCHES
D FINAL PERCENT SOLIDS	.500+02	
BED HOLDING TIME	.380+02	DAYS

EXAMPLE PROBLEM

TRAIN NO 1

QUANTITIES FOR DRYING BED

TOTAL DRYING BED SURFACE AREA	.193+06	SQ FT
NUMBER BEDS	33	
SURFACE AREA OF EACH INDIVIDUAL BED	.585+04	SQ FT
LENGTH OF EACH BED	.293+03	FT
VOLUME OF EARTHWORK REQUIRED	.937+06	CU FT
VOLUME R.C. IN-PLACE FOR DIVIDING WALL	.570+05	CU FT
VOLUME OF R.C. IN-PLACE FOR TRUCK TRACKS	.290+05	CU FT
VOLUME OF SAND	.145+06	CU FT
VOLUME OF GRAVEL	.193+06	CU FT
CLAY PIPE DIAMETER	.800+01	IN
TOTAL LENGTH CLAY PIPE	.193+05	FT
SLUDGE SOLIDS PER DAY	.298+01	TONS/DAY
OPERATION MANPOWER REQUIRED	.318+04	MAN-HOURS/YR
MAINTENANCE MANPOWER REQUIRED	.159+04	MAN-HOURS/YR

FLOW (MGD)		LIQUID CHARACTERISTICS (MG/L)					
MAXIMUM	10.0000	SOLIDS	(MG/L)				
AVERAGE	10.0000	SUSPENDED	20.00	RODS	30.00	TKN	30.80
MINIMUM	10.0000	VOLATILE	80.00 %	RODS	15.00	NH3	30.80
		SETTLABLE	.00	COD	45.00	NO2	.00
				CODS	22.50	NO3	.00
TEMP	18.0 C	OIL & GREASE	.00	PO4	11.97		
PH	7.60	CATIONS	160.00				
		ANIONS	160.00				

SLUDGE CHARACTERISTICS		
	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
VOLUME (GAL/D)	3783.53	.00
% SOLIDS	17.00	.00
% VOLATILE	44.46	.00

EXAMPLE PROBLEM

TRAIN NO 1

SLUDGE HAULING AND LAND FILLING

VOLUME OF SLUDGE HAULED	.187+02 CUYD/DAY
TRUCK CAPACITY	.190+02 CUYD
D ROUND TRIP TIME TO DISPOSAL SITE	.100+01 HRS
D TRUCK LOADING TIME	.750+00 HRS
D HOURS OF OPERATION PER DAY	.800+01 HRS
TONS OF SLUDGE HAULED PER DAY	.166+02 TONS
D DISTANCE TO DISPOSAL SITE	.100+02 MILES

EXAMPLE PROBLEM

TRAIN NO 1

QUANTITIES FOR SLUDGE HAULING AND LANDFILL

TOTAL SLUDGE VOLUME HAULED	.187+02 CU YD/DAY
MAXIMUM ANTICIPATED LANDFILL DOWNTIME	.300+02 DAYS
ANTICIPATED SLUDGE STORAGE HEIGHT	.800+01 FT
SLUDGE STORAGE SHED AREA	.190+04 SQ FT
WIDTH OF SLUDGE STORAGE SHED SLAB	.308+02 FT
LENGTH OF SLUDGE STORAGE SHED SLAB	.616+02 FT
VOLUME OF EARTHWORK	.534+04 CU FT
VOLUME OF SLAB CONCRETE	.232+04 CU FT
SURFACE AREA OF CANOPY ROOF	.190+04 SQ FT
DISTANCE TO DISPOSAL SITE	.100+02 MILES
ROUND TRIP HAUL DISTANCE	.200+02 MILES
TONS OF SLUDGE HAULED PER DAY	.166+02 TONS/DAY
OPERATION MANPOWER REQUIRED	.293+03 MAN-HOURS/YR
ROUND TRIPS PER DAY PER TRUCK	.100+01
DISTANCE TRAVELED PER YEAR PER TRUCK	.500+04 MTLES/YR
MAINTENANCE AND MATERIAL SUPPLY COST	.650+01 PERCENT

FLOW (MGD)		LIQUID CHARACTERISTICS (MG/L)					
MAXIMUM	10.0000	SOLIDS	(MG/L)				
AVERAGE	10.0000	SUSPENDED	20.00	ROD5	30.00	TKN	30.80
MINIMUM	10.0000	VOLATILE	80.00 %	ROD5S	15.00	NH3	30.80
		SETTLABLE	.00	COD	45.00	NO2	.00
				CODS	22.50	NO3	.00
TEMP	18.0 C	OIL & GREASE	.00	PO4	11.97		
PH	7.60	CATIONS	160.00				
		ANIONS	160.00				

	SLUDGE CHARACTERISTICS	
	PRIMARY	SECONDARY
VOLUME (GAL/D)	.00	.00
% SOLIDS	.00	.00
% VOLATILE	.00	.00

EXAMPLE PROBLEM

TRAIN NO 1

AVERAGE WASTEWATER FLOW 10.00 MGD

LIQUID 0 TRIC 0 CHLO 0
SECONDARY 0
PRIMARY 0 DRYI 0 HAUL 0

COST SUMMARY

UNIT	INITIAL COST	ANMORT COST \$/YR	OPER LABOR COST \$/YR	MAINT LABOR COST \$/YR	POWER COST \$/YR	MATERIAL COST \$/YR	CHEMICAL COST \$/YR
PRELIMIN	159496	11018	11132	4701	1859	3983	0
PRIM CLF	106693	35192	8821	4129	476	5566	0
T SEC CL	103847	80373	14224	6700	756	9286	0
TRIC FIL	100000	91048	3026	2004	7678	8313	0
PUR PING	100000	16584	3939	2815	26652	1288	0
CH CLF IN	100000	25535	8415	1788	5250	20610	0
AERO CLF	100000	38558	7235	3061	21444	1378	0
DRY CLF	100000	93088	18496	7817	0	7590	0
HAUL PIP	100000	45038	1705	0	0	10746	0
TOTAL		417458	76996	33018	64118	68764	0

DIRECT COST

MODIFIED COST	639000 \$
STATION	991290 \$
STATION EQUIPMENT	1289798 \$
CONSTRUCTION	632606 \$
YARD EQUIPMENT	1012143 \$
RAIL EQUIPMENT	1493826 \$
LABOR EQUIPMENT	1638576 \$
ADDITIONAL EQUIPMENT	188887 \$
PROJECT EQUIPMENT	2763577 \$
TOTAL	10649703 \$
TOTAL CONSTRUCTION COST 15325292 \$	

INDIRECT COST	
MANAGEMENT	766264 \$
ADMINISTRATION	306505 \$
20% PROFIT	536385 \$
20% INTEREST	880934 \$
10% TAXES	306505 \$
CONSTRUCTION	1226023 \$
SECONDARY COST	306505 \$
TOTAL	4329121 \$

LAND COST 19992 \$ (20. ACRES)

ADMINISTRATIVE 22731 \$/YR
LABORATORY 22919 \$/YR

CAPITAL COST 19874405 \$
OPERATING COST 288548 \$/YR
EQUIPMENT COST 1889273 \$/YR

PERMIT FEE