

## Worksheet 3: Time of Concentration ( $T_C$ ) or travel time ( $T_t$ )

Project <b>MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE LANDFILL FORT BLISS - TEXAS</b>	By <b>DC</b>	Date <b>06/06/2014</b>
Location <b>WATERSHED #12</b>	Checked	Date

Check one:  Present  Developed

Check one:   $T_C$    $T_t$  through subarea

Notes: Space for as many as two segments per flow type can be used for each worksheet.  
Include a map, schematic, or description of flow segments.

### Sheet flow (Applicable to $T_C$ only)

	Segment ID			
1. Surface description (table 3-1) .....	12A			
2. Manning's roughness coefficient, n (table 3-1) .....	BARE			
3. Flow length, L (total L + 300 ft) ..... ft	0.011			
4. Two-year 24-hour rainfall, $P_2$ ..... in	30			
5. Land slope, s ..... ft/ft	1.5			
	0.20			
6. $T_t = \frac{0.007 (nL)^{0.8}}{P_2^{0.5} s^{0.4}}$ Compute $T_t$ ..... hr	0.004	+	/	= 0.004

### Shallow concentrated flow

	Segment ID			
7. Surface description (paved or unpaved) .....	12B			
8. Flow length, L .....ft	UNPAVED			
9. Watercourse slope, s ..... ft/ft	950			
10. Average velocity, V (figure 3-1) ..... ft/s	0.0137			
11. $T_t = \frac{L}{3600 V}$ Compute $T_t$ ..... hr	1.82			
	0.145	+	/	= 0.145

### Channel flow

	Segment ID			
12. Cross sectional flow area, a ..... ft <sup>2</sup>	12C			
13. Wetted perimeter, $p_w$ ..... ft	33.00			
14. Hydraulic radius, $r = \frac{a}{p_w}$ Compute r ..... ft	37.25			
15. Channel slope, s ..... ft/ft	0.89			
16. Manning's roughness coefficient, n .....	0.0077			
17. $V = \frac{1.49 r^{2/3} s^{1/2}}{n}$ Compute V .....ft/s	0.022			
18. Flow length, L ..... ft	5.50			
19. $T_t = \frac{L}{3600 V}$ Compute $T_t$ ..... hr	400			
	0.020	+	/	= 0.020
20. Watershed or subarea $T_C$ or $T_t$ (add $T_t$ in steps 6, 11, and 19) ..... Hr				0.169

**Peak Discharge Using The Rational Method  
25-Year Storm Event**

Equation:  $Q = CIA$

Total Watershed Peak Discharge Runoff and Flow Velocity at Drainage Interceptors						
Watershed No.	Area (A; acres)	Time of Concentration (hrs)	Time of Concentration (min)	Intensity (I; in/hr)	Coefficient (C)	Peak Flow (cfs)
1	4.4	0.14	10	6.1	0.38	10.2
2	12.5	0.11	10	6.1	0.38	29.0
3	2.0	0.03	10	6.1	0.38	4.5
4	0.8	0.03	10	6.1	0.38	1.9
5	1.3	0.01	10	6.1	0.38	3.0
6	2.0	0.09	10	6.1	0.38	4.7
7	2.1	0.11	10	6.1	0.38	4.9
8	0.8	0.08	10	6.1	0.38	1.9
9	1.9	0.16	10	6.1	0.38	4.5
10	1.3	0.04	10	6.1	0.38	3.0
11	0.5	0.03	10	6.1	0.38	1.2
12	11.1	0.17	10.1	6.1	0.38	25.8
13	3.4	0.04	10	6.1	0.38	7.8
14	4.4	0.07	10	6.1	0.38	10.1
15	4.4	0.07	10	6.1	0.38	10.3
16	7.9	0.1	10	6.1	0.38	18.3
17	19.3	0.14	10	6.1	0.38	44.8
18	17.1	0.14	10	6.1	0.38	39.5
19	4.2	0.06	10	6.1	0.38	9.8
20	2.6	0.03	10	6.1	0.38	6.0
21	4.9	0.07	10	6.1	0.38	11.3



### Rainfall Intensity-Duration-Frequency Coefficients for Texas

Based on "National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration's (NOAA) Atlas 14  
Precipitation-Frequency Atlas of the United States, Volume 11 Version 2.0: Texas" (Perica et al. 2018)

**Parameter Selection**

**1. Select Units**

English

**2. Select Methodology**

Partial Duration Series (PDS)

**3. Select County**

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**4. Select County Zone**

Zone-2

**5. Select Time of Concentration ( $t_c$ )**

10 Minute

**Design Annual Exceedance Probability (Design Annual Recurrence Interval)**

Coefficient	50% (2-year)	20% (5-year)	10% (10-year)	4% (25-year)	2% (50-year)	1% (100-year)	0.2% (500-year)
<b>e</b>	0.8410	0.8420	0.8401	0.8366	0.8327	0.8288	0.8220
<b>b</b>	30.4982	41.4244	50.4431	62.9070	72.3130	82.1738	109.1844
<b>d (min)</b>	6.6647	6.6057	6.4757	6.2796	6.0841	5.9165	5.7812
<b>Intensity (Inches/hour)</b>	<b>2.86</b>	<b>3.89</b>	<b>4.79</b>	<b>6.10</b>	<b>7.15</b>	<b>8.29</b>	<b>11.31</b>

Note: El Paso County has 2 rainfall zones. Since El Paso County county has more than 1 rainfall zone, consider using the accompanying Google Earth file to accurately locate a project.

\* for Time of Concentration = 10 min.

## Runoff Coefficient

Hydraulic Design Manual (TxDOT)

	Value
Relief ( $C_r$ )	0.08
Soil Infiltration ( $C_i$ )	0.07
Vegetal Cover ( $C_v$ )	0.12
Surface ( $C_s$ )	0.11
Coefficient ( $C = C_r + C_i + C_v + C_s$ )	0.38
Coefficient Adjustment Factor ( $C_f$ )	1.1

**Diversion Swale Hydraulic Analysis  
25-Year Storm Event**

Diversion Swale	Contributing Watershed	Slope (ft/ft)	Manning Roughness, n	Side Slope 1 (z <sub>1</sub> :1)	Side Slope 1 (z <sub>1</sub> :1)	Depth (ft)	Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	Wetted Perimeter (ft)	Hydraulic Radius (ft)	Average Velocity (ft/s)	Flow (cfs)
DS-1A	4	0.036	0.020	10.0	2.0	0.29	0.50	3.54	0.14	3.82	1.9
DS-1B	5	0.021	0.020	10.0	2.0	0.38	0.86	4.64	0.18	3.50	3.0
DS-1C	6	0.017	0.020	10.0	2.0	0.47	1.30	5.72	0.23	3.62	4.7
DS-1D	7	0.015	0.020	10.0	2.0	0.48	1.40	5.93	0.24	3.48	4.9
DS-1E	8	0.020	0.020	10.0	2.0	0.32	0.61	3.93	0.16	3.06	1.9
DS-1F	9	0.005	0.020	10.0	2.0	0.57	1.98	7.05	0.28	2.26	4.5
DS-2A	19	0.020	0.020	10.0	2.0	0.60	2.12	7.31	0.29	4.62	9.8
DS-3A	11	0.037	0.020	10.0	2.0	0.24	0.35	2.96	0.12	3.44	1.2
DS-3B	21	0.015	0.020	10.0	2.0	0.30	0.54	3.69	0.15	2.54	1.4
DS-4A	12	0.006	0.020	10.0	2.0	0.30	0.54	3.69	0.15	1.60	0.9
DS-4B	17	0.008	0.020	10.0	2.0	0.79	3.78	9.76	0.39	3.54	13.4
DS-4C/4D	14, 15 & 17	0.017	0.020	10.0	10.0	0.99	9.86	19.96	0.49	6.07	59.9
DS-SDA	14	0.005	0.020	10.0	2.0	0.78	3.65	9.58	0.38	2.77	10.1
DS-SDB	15	0.006	0.020	10.0	2.0	0.76	3.47	9.34	0.37	2.98	10.3

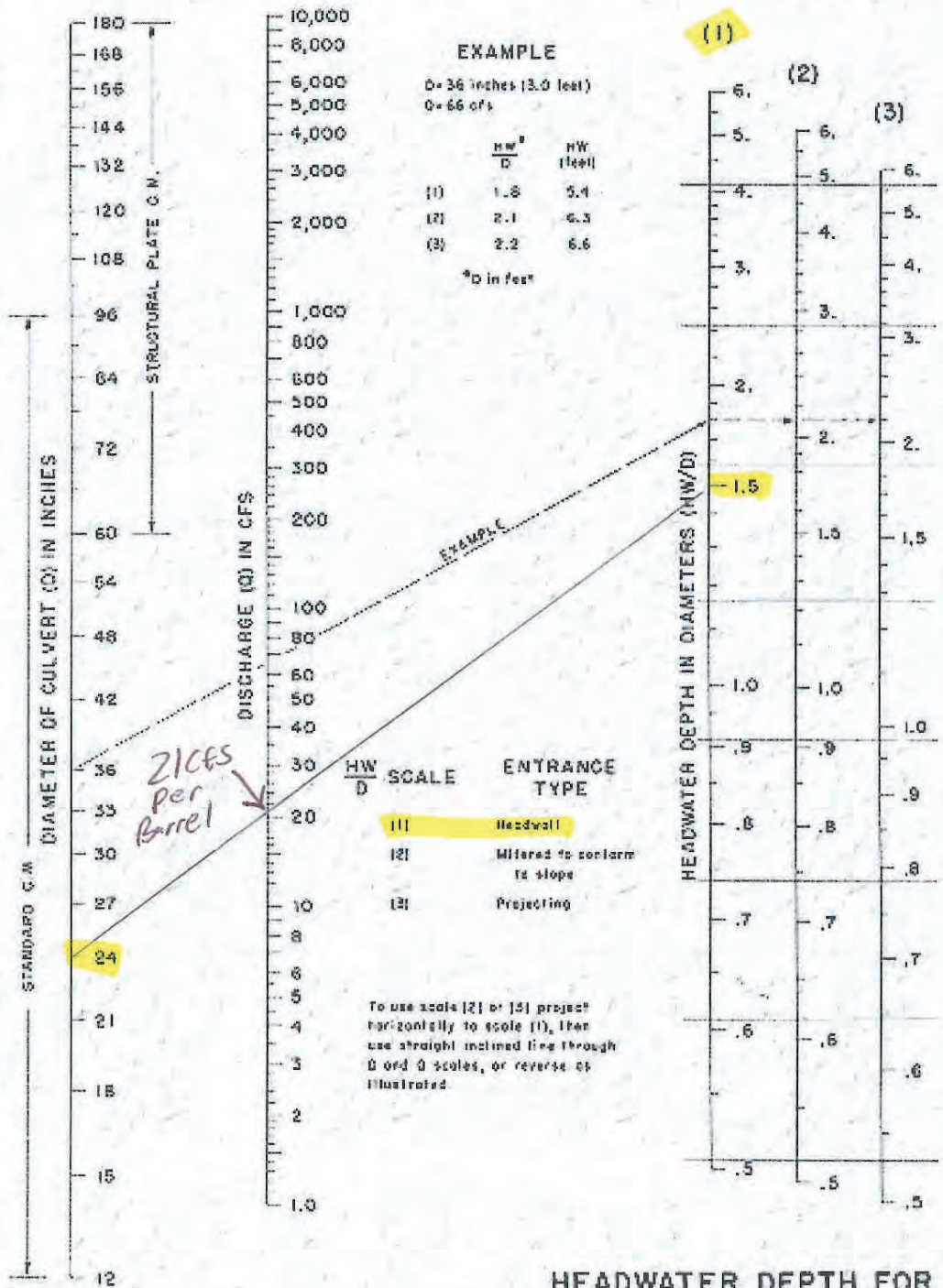
**Perimeter Swale Hydraulic Analysis  
25-Year Storm Event**

Diversion Swale	Contributing Watershed	Slope (ft/ft)	Manning Roughness, n	Side Slope 1 (z <sub>1</sub> :1)	Side Slope 1 (z <sub>1</sub> :1)	Bottom Width (ft)	Depth (ft)	Area (ft <sup>2</sup> )	Wetted Perimeter (ft)	Hydraulic Radius (ft)	Average Velocity (ft/s)	Flow (cfs)
PS-1A	3 thru 5, 10 & 19	0.0070	0.026	4	4	20.00	0.41	8.87	23.38	0.38	2.51	22.3
PS-1B	10	0.0031	0.026	4	4	13.00	0.21	2.83	14.69	0.19	1.07	3.0
PS-2B	1, 6 thru 9	0.0041	0.026	4	4	70.00	0.25	17.97	72.09	0.25	1.45	26.1
PS-3A	2	0.0041	0.026	4	4	10.00	0.81	10.65	16.64	0.64	2.73	29.0
PS-4A	16 & 18	0.0024	0.026	4	4	60.00	0.52	32.47	64.31	0.50	1.78	57.8
PS-4B	16	0.0107	0.026	4	4	30.00	0.25	7.88	32.09	0.25	2.32	18.3
PS-5A	1, 12, 13, 17, 20 & 2	0.0056	0.026	4	4	50.00	0.62	32.40	55.09	0.59	3.01	97.5
PS-5B	11, 12, 20 & 21	0.0023	0.026	4	4	40.00	0.57	24.23	44.73	0.54	1.83	44.3
PS-5C	11, 20 & 21	0.0077	0.026	4	4	30.00	0.35	11.15	32.93	0.34	2.44	27.2

**Downchute Hydraulic Analysis  
25-Year Storm**

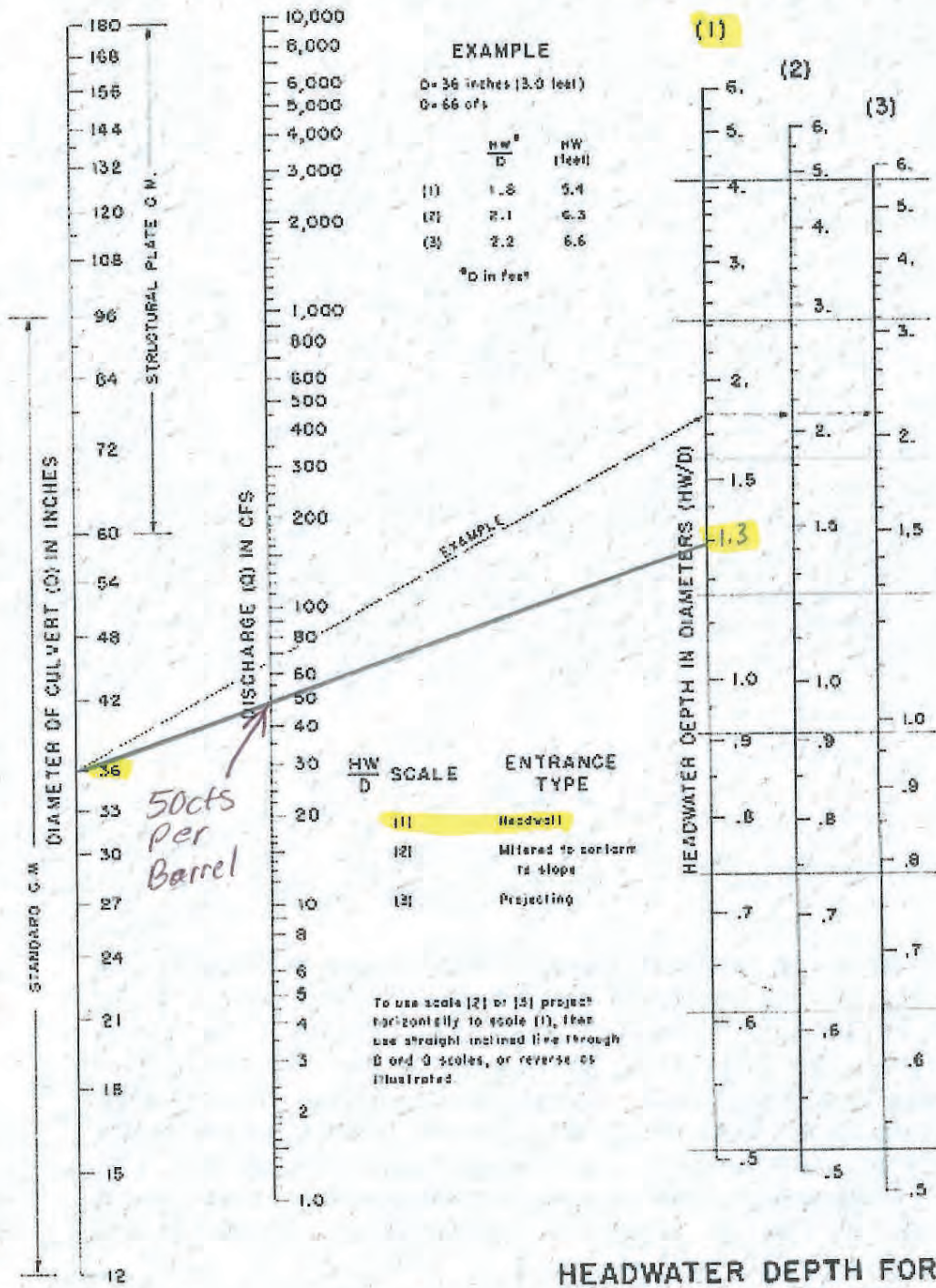
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DC-1	4 & 5	0.25	0.033	1	1	12.00	0.09	1.09	12.25	0.09	4.49	4.9
DC-2	6 & 7	0.25	0.033	1	1	12.00	0.14	1.64	12.38	0.13	5.86	9.6
DC-3	8 & 9	0.25	0.033	1	1	12.00	0.11	1.27	12.30	0.10	4.97	6.3
DC-4	14 & 15	0.25	0.033	1	1	12.00	0.21	2.59	12.60	0.21	7.86	20.4

# CHART 5



**HEADWATER DEPTH FOR  
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