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BEFORE THE
FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of : DOCKET NO.
:
Application for a rate increase and : 950495-WS
increase in service availability charges:
by SOUTHERN STATES UTILITIES, INC. for :
Orange-Osceola Utilities, Inc. in :
Osceola County, and in Bradford, Brevard:
Charlotte, Citrus, Clay, Collier, Duval, :
Highlands, Lake, Lee, Marion, Martin, :
Nassau, Orange, Osceola, Pasco, Putnam, :
Seminole, St. Johns, St. Lucie, Volusia :
and Washington Counties. :

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COMMISSIONER J. TERRY DEASON
COMMISSIONER JULIA L. JOHNSON
COMMISSIONER DIANE K. KIESLING
COMMISSIONER JOE GARCIA

DATE: Wednesday, May 1, 1996

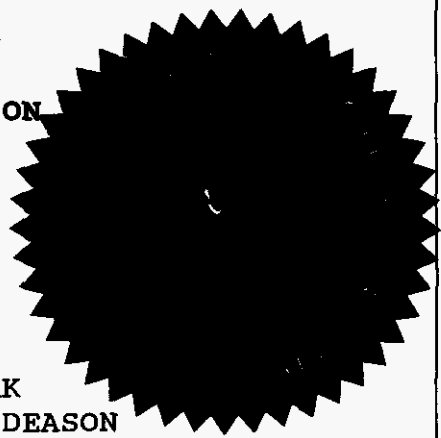
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P R O C E E D I N G S

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2 (Transcript follows in sequence from
3 Volume 6.)

4 MR. FEIL: Mr. Hartman has as part of his
5 summary to his rebuttal testimony several
6 demonstrative exhibits which are duplicated in GCH-6
7 attached to his rebuttal testimony. He would like to
8 use some boards to walk the Commission through those
9 exhibits as they are somewhat complicated. I ask that
10 you allow him to do that as part of his summary.

11 CHAIRMAN CLARK: You're indicating that it's
12 already in his exhibit.

13 MR. FEIL: Yes, ma'am, in GCH-6.

14 CHAIRMAN CLARK: Okay. Mr. Hartman may do
15 that as part of his summary of rebuttal.

16 MR. FEIL: Thank you.

17 CHAIRMAN CLARK: Mr. Feil, is Mr. Hartman
18 your witness?

19 MR. FEIL: Yes, ma'am.

20 CHAIRMAN CLARK: Okay. Mr. Hartman, are you
21 intending for us to see that exhibit?

22 WITNESS HARTMAN: Yes.

23 CHAIRMAN CLARK: It's not going to work.
24 It's too small on the screen, I think.

25 Can you make it larger on the screen?

1 COMMISSIONER KIESLING: I thought that these
2 were already part of what we have in paper.

3 CHAIRMAN CLARK: Well, there's no point in
4 him walking through them if we're going to be looking
5 here, so --

6 MR. FEIL: I thought it would simply aid the
7 Commission in being able to understand what is
8 contained in the exhibits. I suppose that if you
9 don't want him to use the larger boards then he could
10 still be able to walk you through the exhibits.
11 without --

12 CHAIRMAN CLARK: Mr. Feil, I can tell you
13 you have not taken into the account the age of some of
14 the Commissioners in how large you have written that
15 print. Even if you put it right here I probably can't
16 see it.

17 MR. FEIL: He does have overheads of the
18 same information.

19 CHAIRMAN CLARK: Well, what I would suggest
20 is you need to bring it around here, but I don't know
21 how you're going to get to a microphone then.

22 MR. FEIL: We do have a mobile mike
23 available.

24 CHAIRMAN CLARK: Okay.

25 COMMISSIONER GARCIA: Can we put it on

1 camera?

2 CHAIRMAN CLARK: No, it can't get close
3 enough. The camera can't do enough of a close-up, I
4 don't think.

5 COMMISSIONER GARCIA: We've got it right
6 before us, Madam Chairman.

7 CHAIRMAN CLARK: Oh, you mean here.

8 COMMISSIONER GARCIA: Technology is just --
9 just focus in on him.

10 CHAIRMAN CLARK: Mr. Hartman, that's not
11 going to work. Maybe if you still chose to use the
12 easel, you can bring it right near where Mr. Armstrong
13 is and turn that mike around as you do your summary.
14 But why don't you sit there while Mr. Feil goes
15 through the preliminaries.

16 I apologize. Someone has indicated he can
17 take a lapel mike, so for me, you need to bring it
18 closer.

19 MR. FEIL: We do have a hand-held mike.

20 CHAIRMAN CLARK: That's good. How is that,
21 Commissioners? Commissioner Garcia, can you see that?

22 COMMISSIONER KIESLING: My problem is it
23 would be helpful if I can also see Mr. Feil because
24 that's part of how I hear is by seeing the speaker.

25 CHAIRMAN CLARK: Okay. This is

1 Exhibit GCH-5 and it's attached to his rebuttal. All
2 right. Are we ready? Go ahead, Mr. Feil.

3 MR. FEIL: Mr. Hartman, have you been sworn?

4 WITNESS HARTMAN: Yes, I have.

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6 **GERALD CHARLES HARTMAN**

7 was called as a witness on behalf of Southern States
8 Utilities, Inc. and, having been duly sworn, testified
9 as follows:

10 **DIRECT EXAMINATION**

11 BY MR. FEIL:

12 Q Could you state your name and address for
13 the record, please?

14 A Gerald Charles Hartman. My business address
15 is 201 East Pine Street, Orlando, Florida 32801.

16 Q Are you the same Gerald Hartman for whom
17 prefiled direct testimony was filed in this case
18 consisting of 32 pages?

19 A Yes, I am.

20 Q If I asked you the questions listed in that
21 prefiled testimony today would your answers to those
22 questions be the same as printed in that prefiled
23 direct testimony?

24 A Yes, they would be.

25 Q Do you have any changes or corrections to

1 that testimony?

2 A No, I do not.

3 Q Did you also have attached to your prefiled
4 direct testimony a number of exhibits, GCH-1 through
5 GCH-3?

6 A Yes, I did.

7 Q Do you have any corrections or changes to
8 those I exhibits?

9 A No, I do not.

10 MR. FEIL: Madam Chairman, I ask that
11 Mr. Hartman's exhibits attached to his direct
12 testimony be identified with the next exhibit number.

13 CHAIRMAN CLARK: It will be identified as
14 Exhibit 90 and that's GCH-1 through 3.

15 (Exhibit No. 90 marked for identification.)

16 MR. FEIL: I would ask that Mr. Hartman's --
17 well, I suppose we'll insert his testimony into the
18 record after summary or before?

19 CHAIRMAN CLARK: We usually do it before.

20 MR. FEIL: Okay. I'd ask that Mr. Hartman's
21 prefiled direct testimony be inserted into the record
22 as though read.

23 CHAIRMAN CLARK: The prefiled direct
24 testimony of Mr. Gerald Hartman will be inserted into
25 the record as though read.

1 Q (By Mr. Feil) Mr. Hartman, did you also
2 prefile rebuttal testimony in this proceeding
3 consisting of 53 pages?

4 A Yes, I did.

5 Q Do you have any changes or corrections to
6 that rebuttal testimony?

7 A No, I don't.

8 Q If I asked you the questions asked of you in
9 that prefiled rebuttal testimony today would your
10 answers to those questions be the same?

11 A Yes.

12 Q Did you also have attached to your prefiled
13 rebuttal testimony a number of exhibits identified as
14 GCH-4 through GCH-9?

15 A Yes.

16 MR. FEIL: Madam Chairman, I'd ask that
17 Mr. Hartman's prefiled rebuttal testimony be inserted
18 into the record as though read.

19 CHAIRMAN CLARK: The prefiled rebuttal
20 testimony of Mr. Gerald Hartman will be inserted into
21 the record as though read.

22 MR. FEIL: I would also ask that
23 Mr. Hartman's prefiled rebuttal exhibits be identified
24 as a Composite Exhibit 91.

25 CHAIRMAN CLARK: What are the numbers? Is

1 it through 8, GC-H 4 through 8?

2 COMMISSIONER KIESLING: I believe it's 9.

3 CHAIRMAN CLARK: 9. Okay. Composite
4 exhibits -- exhibits GCH-4 through 9 will be labeled
5 as composite Exhibit 91.

6 (Exhibit No. 91 marked for identification.)

7 MR. FEIL: Thank you.

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1 Q. PLEASE STATE YOUR NAME AND BUSINESS ADDRESS.

2 A. My name is Gerald C. Hartman. My business address is Hartman &
3 Associates, Inc., Southeast Bank Building, Suite 1000, 201 East Pine
4 Street, Orlando, Florida 32801.

5 Q. COULD YOU BRIEFLY DESCRIBE YOUR EDUCATIONAL
6 BACKGROUND AND YOUR PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS
7 RELATIVE TO THE WATER AND WASTEWATER INDUSTRY?

8 A. I received my Bachelors of Science degree in Civil Engineering from Duke
9 University in 1975 and my Masters of Science degree in Environmental
10 Engineering in 1976 from Duke University. I have published over thirty
11 papers on water and wastewater utility systems and have been involved in
12 numerous technical training sessions and seminars. I have co-authored one
13 book and my second book concerning water and wastewater systems is in
14 preparation. I am a registered professional engineer in the States of
15 Florida, Georgia, Maryland, North Carolina, South Carolina, Alabama,
16 Pennsylvania and Virginia. I also am a member of and have served as an
17 officer in numerous organizations and associations operating in the
18 water/wastewater industry.

19 Q. PLEASE DESCRIBE YOUR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERING
20 EXPERIENCE CONCERNING WATER AND WASTEWATER
21 UTILITIES.

22 A. I have been the engineer of record for over thirty water and wastewater

1 master plans and five capital improvement programs. I have been involved
2 in over fifty hydraulic model analyses of water and wastewater systems.
3 In addition, I have been involved in numerous studies and investigations
4 ranging from pilot programs to value engineering investigations. I have
5 performed numerous water process evaluations from simple aeration to
6 reverse osmosis and wastewater process evaluations from secondary
7 treatment to advanced biological nutrient removal systems.

8 I also have been involved in the design of over \$300 million of
9 water and wastewater facilities in the State of Florida. These designs
10 range from small, single well systems to large municipal and investor-
11 owned systems. Finally, I have prepared used and useful analyses on over
12 200 water and wastewater facilities for investor-owned utilities across the
13 State of Florida.

14 **Q. HAVE YOU TESTIFIED BEFORE AS AN EXPERT IN THE AREA**
15 **OF WATER AND WASTEWATER FACILITY ENGINEERING**
16 **PREVIOUSLY?**

17 **A.** Yes. I have testified before this Commission as an expert in the area of
18 water and wastewater utility engineering in a number of cases, including
19 Southern States' last three rate filings. I have also testified as an expert
20 in water and wastewater proceedings before county regulatory authorities.

21 **Q. WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF YOUR TESTIMONY?**

22 **A.** To support the used and useful calculations submitted by Southern States

1 in its rate application.

2 **Q. WHERE IN THE MFRS ARE SOUTHERN STATES' USED AND**
3 **USEFUL METHODOLOGIES DESCRIBED AND PERCENTAGES**
4 **PRESENTED?**

5 A. The methodologies Southern States used are described in the Water
6 Discussion and Wastewater Discussion sections in Volume VI, Book 1, of
7 the MFRs. Schedules F-2 through F-10 contain the used and useful data
8 and percentages.

9 **Q. DID YOU PREPARE THE DISCUSSION SECTIONS TO AND THE**
10 **F SCHEDULES WHICH YOU REFERRED TO?**

11 A. No. Southern States' witness Bliss did. He will describe in his testimony
12 the used and useful calculations and the sources of the data necessary to
13 make the calculations. I have reviewed the Discussion sections and the
14 used and useful schedules. I agree with the used and useful methodologies
15 Southern States has proposed, and I adopt them as my own. I believe
16 Southern States' methodologies are adequately explained in the Discussion
17 sections and need not be repeated here.

18 **Q. ARE THERE ANY PARTICULAR ASPECTS OF SOUTHERN**
19 **STATES' USED AND USEFUL ANALYSIS FOR THE 1996 TEST**
20 **YEAR WHICH YOU WISH TO ADDRESS AT THIS TIME?**

21 A. Yes. I would like to discuss the relationship between environmental
22 regulatory requirements and the concept of used and useful generally and

1 then describe in greater detail Southern States' justification for the
2 following: (1) the use of the historic maximum day demand in evaluating
3 used and useful for water source of supply and treatment components, (2)
4 the use of the Commission's last established used and useful percentage
5 for certain water and wastewater facilities, (3) the treatment of all land and
6 facilities dedicated to reuse as 100% used and useful, (4) the use of a three
7 year margin reserve for water treatment plant and five year margin reserve
8 for wastewater treatment plant, and (5) the use of hydraulic modeling to
9 evaluate used and useful for the transmission and distribution facilities in
10 four of Southern States' service areas.

11 **Q. WILL YOU PLEASE ADDRESS FIRST YOUR VIEWS ON THE**
12 **RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS**
13 **AND USED AND USEFUL?**

14 **A.** In the recent past, the Commission has come to treat used and useful as a
15 mechanism for allocating costs between current and future connections.
16 In making such an allocation, proper consideration should be given to the
17 regulatory requirements which a utility must meet. I do not believe it is
18 appropriate for the Commission to disallow through the used and useful
19 mechanism utility investment required by governmental regulations or by
20 generally accepted design criteria, such as those set forth in the
21 authoritative technical publications, design manuals, and other standards
22 referenced by those regulations. I understand the Commission's concern

1 that 100 connections should not carry the burden of investment designed
2 to serve 10,000 connections. However, I believe that the Commission
3 must allow a utility to earn on that investment which regulatory agencies
4 require the utility to make to insure the provision of safe, reliable service
5 to the utility's customers. I also believe the Commission should utilize
6 and further develop used and useful practices which advance goals in the
7 areas of planning, environmental responsibility, and economies of scale --
8 all of which benefit the utility and its existing and future customers.

9 With regard to regulatory requirements, specifically, my point can
10 be summed up as follows. By Section 367.111(2), Florida Statutes, the
11 Commission is charged with insuring that utilities provide service "as
12 prescribed by Part VI of Chapter 403 and Parts I and II of Chapter 373,
13 or rules adopted pursuant thereto; but such service will not be less safe,
14 less efficient, or less sufficient than is consistent with the approved
15 engineering design of the system and the reasonable and proper operation
16 of the utility in the public interest." Rule 25-30.225, Florida
17 Administrative Code, basically reinforces the regulatory requirements
18 which Section 367.111 references. Thus, the Commission's controlling
19 statute and its rules require that the utility comply with Department of
20 Environmental Protection ("DEP") rules and standard design requirements.
21 Yet, through the vehicle of used and useful, the Commission may deprive
22 utilities of the ability to recover investment required by the standards

1 which the Commission must enforce. As a matter of principle, I believe
2 this is wrong. Moreover, in my experience it makes it especially difficult
3 for professional engineers to advise private utility clients to make
4 investment which DEP rules and regulations and standard design criteria
5 mandate when the economic signal sent by the Commission is to design
6 utility facilities in a manner which reduces the risk of not recovering
7 investment.

8 With regard to the used and useful goals I mentioned, my point is
9 basically that the incentive the Commission's recent used and useful
10 methodologies create is to design and construct facilities in the smallest
11 possible increments necessary to meet only immediate demand, and only
12 as that immediate demand becomes clear and present. Over time, this
13 incentive serves only to increase the cost to the customer and the
14 likelihood of harm to the environment.

15 It is not my testimony that a utility with 100 connections but
16 capacity for 10,000 be treated as 100% used and useful, but rather that
17 Southern States' used and useful proposals are consistent with regulatory
18 requirements, long-term cost effectiveness for its customers, and proper
19 engineering practice. To achieve the goals I've mentioned, one must adopt
20 these considerations. As I address specific subject areas of used and
21 useful, I will elaborate on the application of these general comments.

22 **Q. THE FIRST SPECIFIC SUBJECT AREA YOU REFERENCED WAS**

1 SOUTHERN STATES' USE OF A SINGLE MAXIMUM DAY
2 DEMAND FOR PURPOSES OF DETERMINING USED AND
3 USEFUL FOR WATER SOURCE OF SUPPLY AND TREATMENT
4 PLANT. WHAT JUSTIFICATION DO YOU OFFER FOR USE OF
5 THE MAXIMUM DAY DEMAND?

6 A. First and foremost, the maximum day demand placed on water source of
7 supply and treatment components is the level of service for which those
8 components are designed. Rule 62-555.330, F.A.C., entitled "Engineering
9 References for Public Water Systems" incorporates a number of standard
10 engineering design manuals and texts by reference including
11 Recommended Standards for Water Works ("The Ten States' Standards),
12 1987 Edition, and Water Treatment Plant Design, 2nd Edition, 1990. Part
13 3 of the Ten States' Standards, entitled "Source Development of the
14 Recommended Standards for Water Works," under section 3.2 -
15 Groundwater, subsection 3.2.1 - Quantity, sub-subsection 3.2.1.1 - Source
16 Capacity, states "The total developed groundwater source capacity shall
17 equal or exceed the design maximum day demand ..." In addition, in
18 Chapter 2 of Water Treatment Plant Design, page 17, under the heading
19 "Plant Capacity" the authors instruct, "[P]lot water use trends for average
20 24 hour, maximum 24 hour and peak hour demands. The peak hourly
21 demands are met from distribution storage and therefore do not have to
22 pass through the treatment facility. The treatment facility is normally

1 designed for **maximum 24 hour demand**, so that an adequate amount of
2 water will be treated and transmitted to the distribution storage system
3 throughout the year **including days when usage is maximum.**" Thus, as
4 clearly stated by these two standard references cited in 62-555.330, F.A.C.,
5 the **maximum day** must be considered in the design of the treatment
6 facility and supply sources. Moreover, it is my professional engineering
7 opinion that this design criteria is true and correct. As discussed in the
8 water treatment plant design manuals cited, different components of the
9 water system facilities are utilized for different purposes and thus have
10 different demands, i.e. storage and pumping as designed to meet peak hour
11 demands while treatment and supply sources must meet only maximum
12 day demands. Standard engineering design requires one to review as much
13 of the record available and no less than 5 years of historical data to
14 determine maximum day demands and variations arising from climactic
15 conditions, economic conditions, and seasonal population fluctuations.
16 Southern States' witness Bliss has examined the five year flow data of the
17 Southern States' plants as a frame of reference, and he reviewed and
18 analyzed the flow data selected for the used and useful calculations for the
19 purpose of removing, where appropriate, maximum demand days which
20 reflect unusual occurrences. Based on Southern States' examination of
21 these records, I believe the maximum day figures used in the F Schedules
22 represent the best information available, and I would rely on that

1 information in designing plant improvements or additions.

2 I agree that maximum day demands should be adjusted for natural
3 occurrences such as line breaks and fire fighting, but only if adequate
4 storage is available to meet the requirements of such conditions.
5 Typically, occurrences such as line breaks and fire flow are absorbed by
6 storage or peaking facilities. If a water plant has little or no storage, the
7 source of supply must be able to meet peak hour demands. Natural
8 occurrences such as fires are real world conditions which a utility must
9 give consideration to in plant design. Plant and facilities serving small
10 communities generally have small distribution lines and no storage, so the
11 source of supply must meet the instantaneous demands of the customers
12 because there is little buffering volume available to attenuate those
13 instantaneous demands.

14 In summary, I believe the use of the maximum day as explained in
15 the Water Discussion section of Book 1 of Volume VI of the MFRs is
16 appropriate and that methodology is substantiated by sound engineering
17 practice.

18 **Q. WOULD THE USE OF AN AVERAGE OF THE FIVE HIGHEST**
19 **DAYS OF DEMAND RATHER THAN THE MAXIMUM DAY TO**
20 **EVALUATE USED AND USEFUL FOR SOURCE OF SUPPLY AND**
21 **TREATMENT COMPONENTS BE AN EXAMPLE OF THE**
22 **DISPARITY BETWEEN REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS AND**

1 **USED AND USEFUL WHICH YOU REFERENCED?**

2 A. Yes, a very good example. DEP, generally accepted design criteria, and
3 the Commission itself require that utilities size plant to meet maximum day
4 demand. If the Commission were to utilize an average of the five peak
5 days for the purposes of determining used and useful, the Commission
6 would disallow through the used and useful mechanism investment
7 necessary to meet regulatory requirements, standard design criteria, and the
8 Commission's own rules.

9 **Q. WHAT RAMIFICATIONS DOES THIS DISPARITY HAVE?**

10 A. As I indicated in my comments earlier, it creates a direct disincentive for
11 proper facility sizing. It sends an economic signal to the utility to reduce
12 the size of its facilities, despite design requirements, so as to reduce the
13 risk of not recovering the investment associated with proper sizing. This
14 disincentive will only serve to increase the cost to the customer over time
15 and will endanger the utility's level of service to the customers.
16 Furthermore, the inequity of this situation is that if Southern States did not
17 have sufficient capacity available to meet the level of service required by
18 regulations, it would have experienced quality of service problems,
19 customer complaints, and, potentially, Commission censure for that failing.

20 **Q. IN FORMULATING YOUR OPINION REGARDING USE OF THE**
21 **MAXIMUM DAY, DID YOU RELY ON ANY SOURCES OF**
22 **INFORMATION OTHER THAN THE DESIGN REQUIREMENTS**

1 **YOU MENTIONED?**

2 A. Yes. I relied in part on the Commission staff's May 12, 1995, draft used
3 and useful rule wherein the Commission staff recognized that when
4 adequate storage is available, the maximum day demand placed on source
5 of supply and treatment components over the last five years, adjusted for
6 unusual occurrences, is the appropriate measure for evaluating used and
7 useful for those components. The draft rule also states that prudent
8 investment incurred in meeting statutory obligations to provide safe,
9 efficient, and sufficient service shall be considered used and useful and
10 that the Commission shall consider the design and construction
11 requirements in DEP's rules when establishing used and useful.

12 **Q. TO YOUR KNOWLEDGE, IS THE DRAFT RULE YOU REFERRED**
13 **TO A PUBLIC RECORD.**

14 A. Yes, it was received from the Commission by representatives of the
15 Florida Water Works Association, an industry organization I am a member
16 of.

17 **Q. DO YOU KNOW IF DEP HAS PROVIDED ITS INPUT TO THE**
18 **COMMISSION STAFF IN FORMULATING THE DRAFT RULE?**

19 A. Based on the correspondence I have seen, some of which I will refer to
20 later, yes. I am also aware from my involvement with the Florida Water
21 Works Association that meetings between DEP staff and Commission staff
22 concerning used and useful have taken place.

1 Q. THE SECOND SPECIFIC SUBJECT AREA YOU MENTIONED
2 WAS SOUTHERN STATES' USE OF THE COMMISSION'S LAST
3 ESTABLISHED USED AND USEFUL PERCENTAGES IN SOME
4 INSTANCES. IN WHAT INSTANCES DID SOUTHERN STATES
5 USE THE COMMISSION'S LAST ESTABLISHED PERCENTAGES?

6 A. Southern States used the Commission's last established used and useful
7 percentages for any plant components which would have had lower used
8 and useful percentages under test year conditions unless, however, capacity
9 was added to the component. If capacity was added to a component, used
10 and useful was reevaluated.

11 Q. WHAT JUSTIFICATION DO YOU OFFER FOR THE
12 COMMISSION'S ACCEPTING THIS POSITION?

13 A. As I stated earlier, water source of supply and treatment plant units are
14 generally designed to meet maximum day demand conditions. The design
15 requirements I've mentioned dictate that one examine at least five years
16 of historic demand information if available. If maximum day flows
17 decrease over time, the used and useful percentage should not similarly
18 decrease because the investment the utility has already made in accordance
19 with design criteria has not and cannot somehow be lessened. Moreover,
20 the potential for existing connections to recreate historic maximum day
21 demands will always exist. The same basic principles apply to wastewater
22 treatment plant and to distribution and collection lines. With regard to

1 lines, specifically, if the Commission previously determined that no less
2 than a particular level of distribution or collection facilities could provide
3 service to the customers, a subsequent experience which might reflect a
4 lower used and useful percentage should not affect used and useful because
5 the utility cannot somehow decrease the level of investment already found
6 necessary to provide service. In summary, once the required investment
7 is made, found to be prudent, and a level of used and useful is determined,
8 the utility should not be at risk in a future case for recovering any less of
9 its investment.

10 **Q. IF THE COMMISSION REFUSES TO ACCEPT SOUTHERN**
11 **STATES PROPOSAL IN THIS AREA, DO YOU BELIEVE THAT**
12 **SUCH REFUSAL WOULD CONSTITUTE ANOTHER EXAMPLE**
13 **OF THE DISPARITY BETWEEN REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS**
14 **AND USED AND USEFUL?**

15 **A. Yes.**

16 **Q. WOULD THE RAMIFICATIONS OF SUCH A DISPARITY BE**
17 **SIMILAR TO THOSE YOU MENTIONED PREVIOUSLY?**

18 **A. Yes. Since it is impossible for a utility to design plant and make**
19 **investment to somehow accommodate decreasing demand, a downgrading**
20 **of used and useful would create a direct disincentive for proper facility**
21 **sizing. That disincentive will increase the cost to the customer over time**
22 **and decrease the level of service. The utility would again be placed in the**

1 inequitable position of having to make investment to avoid customer
2 complaints and regulatory penalties, but not being allowed to recover that
3 investment.

4 **Q. OTHER THAN THE AUTHORITIES YOU HAVE ALLUDED TO AS**
5 **ESTABLISHING DESIGN REQUIREMENTS, DID YOU RELY ON**
6 **ANY OTHER SOURCES OF INFORMATION IN FORMULATING**
7 **YOUR OPINION ABOUT MAINTAINING CONTINUITY FOR**
8 **USED AND USEFUL DETERMINATIONS?**

9 **A.** Yes, I have reviewed two prior Commission orders where the Commission
10 has recognized that decreases in demand over time should not equate to
11 decreases in used and useful for treatment plant. Those orders are Order
12 No. PSC-93-1113-FOF-WS, issued July 30, 1993, in General Development
13 Utilities, Inc.'s consolidated rate cases for Silver Springs Shores and Port
14 Labelle and Order No. PSC-94-0739-FOF-WS, issued June 16, 1994, in
15 Utilities, Inc.'s rate case for Marion and Pinellas Counties. Also, as I
16 mentioned earlier, Commission staff's May 12 draft of used and useful
17 rules recognizes this principle in so far as the maximum day is selected
18 from five years of historic information notwithstanding whether that day
19 happens to fall within a rate case test year.

20 With regard to distribution and collection lines, I have seen more
21 than one instance where the Commission has utilized the used and useful
22 percentages of a prior case for a subsequent case. For example, in

1 Southern States' 1992 consolidated rate case, the Commission expressly
2 adopted the 100% used and useful determinations it made for water
3 distribution lines in Southern States' earlier Seminole County rate case in
4 Docket No. 890868-WS. The Commission did the same thing in Southern
5 States' recent Marco Island rate case; that is, it found that the Marco
6 Island water distribution and wastewater collection lines were 100% used
7 and useful because those were the used and useful percentages determined
8 in the prior Marco Island rate case.

9 I agree with the Commission decisions in the cases I've referenced,
10 and I believe the Commission's decision in this case should be consistent
11 with those decisions.

12 **Q. THE THIRD SUBJECT AREA YOU REFERRED TO WAS**
13 **SOUTHERN STATES' TREATMENT OF ALL LAND AND**
14 **FACILITIES DEDICATED TO REUSE AS 100% USED AND**
15 **USEFUL. WHAT JUSTIFICATION DO YOU OFFER FOR THIS**
16 **PROPOSAL?**

17 **A.** Two provisions of the Florida Statutes support Southern States' position
18 regarding reuse facilities. Section 403.064(10) states:

19 Pursuant to chapter 367, the Florida Public Service
20 Commission shall allow entities under its jurisdiction which
21 conduct studies or implement reuse projects, including, but
22 not limited to, any study required by subsection (2) or

1 facilities used for reliability purposes for a reclaimed water
2 reuse system, to recover the full, prudently incurred cost of
3 such studies and facilities through their rate structure.

4 Section 367.0817(3) states:

5 All prudent costs of a reuse project shall be recovered in
6 rates. The legislature finds that reuse benefits water,
7 wastewater, and reuse customers. The Commission shall
8 allow a utility to recover the costs of a reuse project from
9 the utility's water, wastewater, or reuse customers or any
10 combination thereof as deemed appropriate by the
11 Commission.

12 I note incidentally that Section 403.064(10) was modified in 1994,
13 making its statement regarding reuse costs clearer, and then renumbered
14 from Section 403.064(6) to 403.064(10). The legislative intent which I
15 perceive from the statutory provisions I have quoted is that reuse shall be
16 encouraged by allowing utilities to recover the complete costs of reuse
17 facilities without a used and useful adjustment. It goes without saying that
18 reuse is essential to conserving Florida's water resources and protecting the
19 environment. Southern States in particular has made great strides in
20 developing reuse over the last several years. However, if the Commission
21 were to apply a used and useful adjustment to facilities associated with
22 reuse, the incentive for a utility to invest in reuse would be greatly

1 diminished, to the detriment of Florida's conservation and environmental
2 efforts.

3 My opinion is also based on and supported by two letters from
4 representatives of the DEP contained in Exhibit 90 (GCH-1) and by a
5 memorandum of understanding between the Commission and DEP
6 contained in Exhibit 90 (GCH-2). I believe the contents of both of these
7 exhibits are public record.

8 The first letter in Exhibit 90 (GCH-1) is from Mr. Richard M.
9 Harvey, Director of the Division of Water Facilities, dated July 30, 1992,
10 and addressed to Mr. Charles Hill of the Commission staff. The second
11 is from Mr. Richard Drew, Bureau Chief of Water Facilities, Planning and
12 Regulation, dated July 14, 1993, and addressed to Mr. John Williams of
13 the Commission staff. Both Mr. Harvey, in the second paragraph of his
14 letter, and Mr. Drew, in the first numbered comment attached to his letter,
15 state that "the entire cost of a reuse project should be considered used and
16 useful." I know Mr. Harvey and Mr. Drew, and both are responsible for
17 policy and rule applications and determinations with respect to utilities for
18 DEP.

19 In paragraph six on page five of Exhibit 90 (GCH-2), the
20 Commission and DEP agreed that "as noted in Section 403.064(6), F.S.,
21 and pursuant to Chapter 367, F.S. the PSC shall allow utilities which
22 implement reuse projects to recover the full cost of such facilities through

1 their rate structures." The intent of the statement in the Memorandum of
2 Understanding is, in my perception, the same as the intent of the other
3 material referenced -- that reuse facilities not be adjusted for used and
4 useful.

5 Moreover, it must be understood that, if the Commission desires to
6 encourage reuse and advance the environmental and conservation benefits
7 that go along with reuse, the Commission must award utilities complete
8 recovery of all of the utilities' investment in reuse facilities without a used
9 and useful adjustment.

10 **Q. THE FOURTH SUBJECT AREA YOU WERE TO ADDRESS**
11 **CONCERNS MARGIN RESERVE. DO YOU HAVE ANY**
12 **GENERAL COMMENTS REGARDING MARGIN RESERVE?**

13 **A.** Yes. In previous cases, I have described margin reserve as the additional
14 water and wastewater facilities needed to meet customer demand while
15 additional facilities are being constructed.

16 With regard to the definition of margin reserve, I am of the opinion
17 that where regulations require capacity for future connections, it is not
18 necessarily proper to consider that additional capacity as something
19 separate and apart from what should be considered used and useful in the
20 first place. In other words, if DEP requires Southern States to maintain
21 excess capacity, there is no reason to evaluate and treat that excess
22 capacity as a margin reserve in the manner which the Commission has

1 done traditionally. It is simply excess capacity required by regulations and
2 therefore used and useful. This notwithstanding, Southern States has
3 isolated its requested margin reserve per standard Commission practice.

4 **Q. WHAT IS YOUR OPINION OF THE METHODOLOGY THE**
5 **COMMISSION HAS USED TO CALCULATE MARGIN RESERVE**
6 **IN THE PAST?**

7 A. I do not take issue in this case with the Commission's margin reserve
8 methodology for water distribution and wastewater collection lines. I
9 disagree only with the Commission's historic practice of limiting the
10 margin reserve for water and wastewater treatment facilities to 18 months.

11 **Q. WHY DO YOU DISAGREE WITH THE COMMISSION'S MARGIN**
12 **RESERVE LIMITATION FOR TREATMENT PLANT?**

13 A. My reasons fall into two general categories: theoretical and regulatory.
14 I will address my theoretical points first.

15 In a very fundamental way, I do not believe that the Commission's
16 past practice of allowing an 18 month margin reserve for treatment plant
17 can achieve the purpose of the margin reserve, to insure that utilities have
18 additional capacity available to meet changing demand. It should be noted
19 that the purpose of the margin reserve is summarized in the Commission
20 staff's May 12 draft used and useful rules as follows:

21 The Commission recognizes that for a utility to
22 meet its statutory responsibility, it must have

1 sufficient capacity and investment to meet the
2 existing and changing demands of present customers
3 and the demands of potential customers within a
4 reasonable time. The investment needed to meet the
5 demands of potential customers and the changing
6 needs of existing customers is defined as margin
7 reserve.

8 In most instances today, if a utility must construct additional
9 capacity to keep ahead of the customer demands, it needs more than
10 eighteen months to complete the process. This is especially true in some
11 areas such as Lehigh where there is a fragile water supply and a relatively
12 complex treatment process necessary to treat the water. For a very "clean"
13 process in which there are no permitting, design or construction delays,
14 two years is about the minimum time period in which additional capacity
15 can be provided. However, in reality, a two year completion time is not
16 frequently experienced. Three years is more realistic. Below I have
17 outlined a step by step process for the addition of water treatment capacity:

- 18 1. In house review of records, capacity, customer commitments, etc.
19 and the determination of the abilities and manpower to complete
20 the work.
- 21 2. Depending on the project's scope, a request for a proposal, review
22 of qualifications and selection of an outside consultant may be

- 1 undertaken.
- 2 3. Determination of the needed capacity increase to meet the demands
- 3 of the current and future customers via a planning document.
- 4 4. Study of the various raw water supply alternatives and the required
- 5 treatment facilities, as applicable.
- 6 5. Selection of the raw water supply and treatment alternatives and
- 7 selection of plant sites, as applicable, so as to ensure the highest
- 8 quality product for the lowest customer price.
- 9 6. Determination of the source of supply and the sizing of treatment
- 10 facilities taking into account economies of scale and used and
- 11 useful considerations.
- 12 7. Preliminary planning level engineering estimate of planning, design
- 13 permitting, construction and start up costs including overhead
- 14 expenses, capitalized interest, etc.
- 15 8. If applicable, study of financing alternatives and determination of
- 16 lowest cost financing alternatives.
- 17 9. If applicable, preliminary approval of financing alternative by
- 18 financial institution, local government, etc.
- 19 10. Consumptive Use Permit (CUP) application preparation with
- 20 supporting documentation.
- 21 11. Water Management District (WMD) review and request for
- 22 additional information.

- 1 12. Complete request for additional information.
- 2 13. WMD review and staff report.
- 3 14. WMD Board approval, noticing and CUP issuance.
- 4 15. Design wells and local government approval of wells.
- 5 16. Bidding, evaluation and award of well drilling contract.
- 6 17. Confirming funding for the well drilling contract.
- 7 18. Well construction and testing.
- 8 19. Water sampling and analysis.
- 9 20. Determination of water quality and its applicability to the treatment
- 10 process. At this point, project redesign may be necessary causing
- 11 significant delays.
- 12 21. Water treatment facilities design completion.
- 13 22. Application for DEP construction permit.
- 14 23. DEP review and request of additional information.
- 15 24. Complete request for additional information.
- 16 25. DEP review and notice of intent.
- 17 26. DEP construction permit noticing and permit issuance if no
- 18 objections.
- 19 27. Local government approvals: local jurisdictional agency's review
- 20 and permitting of construction; local zoning agency's review and
- 21 approval of any requested zoning changes; and local planning
- 22 agency's review for consistency with planning documents.

- 1 28. Final design completion and preparation of bidding documents.
- 2 29. Bidding, evaluation and award of construction contract.
- 3 30. Confirming funding for construction contract.
- 4 31. Water treatment plant construction and disinfection.
- 5 32. Substantial completion inspection and certification.
- 6 33. Punch list determination and completion of items.
- 7 34. Start up, operator training and operation and maintenance manual
- 8 review.
- 9 35. Final walk through and inspection and completion of final punch
- 10 list items.
- 11 36. Final payment to contractor and project close-out.
- 12 37. Final DEP certification and preparation of as built drawings.

13 It should be noted that the above list is not all inclusive and
14 outlines only the major activities for the addition of water system treatment
15 plant. This outline assumes a relatively simple water treatment facility
16 with no major delays in the permitting, design or construction processes.
17 In a more complicated process, for example one involving an R.O. facility
18 with an injection well, the permitting and construction time would more
19 than likely be extended by at least one year.

20 I have outlined these steps to illustrate the complexity of the
21 process. Some of the steps can be performed simultaneously; however, in
22 my experience, the process is only rarely completed within 18 months.

1 The basic steps for wastewater treatment plant expansion are
2 extensive and similar to the water treatment plant list discussed previously.
3 With wastewater plants, further delays can arise after construction. Since
4 effluent quality standards must be met for all wastewater treatment plant
5 additions as of the start-up date, additional time may be required to adjust
6 treatment operations prior to a plant's becoming fully operational.

7 In prior cases, including Southern States' rate cases in which I have
8 testified, the Commission has concluded that the margin reserve for
9 treatment plant should only represent the time necessary to construct
10 additional treatment plant. The Commission has justified this conclusion,
11 at least in part, with the statement that most of the costs expended for
12 adding additional treatment capacity are incurred during the construction
13 period. However, by its decision, the Commission has assumed that the
14 utility will not have any delay or difficulty anywhere along the processes
15 which I have described above. Stated differently, the Commission's
16 margin reserve theory assumes the utility is in the construction phase and
17 that construction will come off without a hitch. In today's complex
18 regulatory environment, I believe these presumptions are incomplete, in
19 error, and flawed. I also do not understand the importance of the
20 Commission's rationale that construction costs and construction time
21 should be matched for purposes of the margin reserve. I think this
22 matching argument ignores the goals which the Commission should strive

1 to achieve through the margin reserve, namely encouraging sound
2 planning, environmental responsibility, and economies of scale.

3 Furthermore, I have testified in previous cases that from an
4 engineering standpoint, the imputation of CIAC on the margin reserve is
5 incorrect because the margin reserve is a known and continuous obligation
6 whereas the collection of CIAC is an unpredictable future event. This
7 point remains my testimony, but I also point out that the imputation of
8 CIAC significantly undermines the stated purpose of the margin reserve
9 and negatively impacts the goals of achieving proper planning,
10 environmental preservation, and economies of scale for the benefit of the
11 customers. I have reviewed a number of instances where the CIAC
12 imputed on the margin reserve completely or substantially eliminates the
13 margin reserve.

14 In summary, my comments on margin reserve tie back to the
15 general comments I made earlier regarding used and useful. From an
16 engineering standpoint, I do not believe that the margin reserve in its
17 present form promotes the goals it should promote. The Commission is
18 sending an economic signal contrary to the stated purpose of the margin
19 reserve.

20 **Q. THE SECOND REASON YOU STATED FOR DISAGREEING WITH**
21 **THE 18 MONTH MARGIN RESERVE FOR TREATMENT PLANT**
22 **WAS REGULATORY IN NATURE. COULD YOU EXPLAIN WHAT**

1 **YOU MEAN?**

2 A. DEP's rules concerning planning for wastewater facilities expansion dictate
3 the extension of the margin reserve period beyond eighteen months for
4 wastewater treatment facilities. DEP Rule 62-600.405, F.A.C., attached to
5 my testimony as Exhibit D (GCH-3), requires a utility to provide timely
6 planning, design and construction of plant expansions based on the
7 schedule delineated in the rule. Essentially, this rule requires a utility
8 providing wastewater service to submit annual capacity analysis reports to
9 the DEP once a certain level of capacity is reached. These reports must
10 analyze an existing facility and its capacity to provide service. Basically,
11 the rule has established four triggers to determine when certain activities
12 need to be commenced concerning the design, permitting and construction
13 of additional wastewater treatment facilities. If the projected flows of the
14 facility exceed the permitted capacity of the facility within 5 years of the
15 date of the report, then the report must include a statement by a registered
16 engineer that planning and preliminary design of a plant expansion has
17 been initiated. When the projected flows are expected to exceed the
18 capacity within 4 years, the report must include a statement from the
19 registered engineer that plans and specifications for the expansion are
20 being prepared. If the engineer determines that projected flows are going
21 to exceed the capacity within 3 years, then a construction permit
22 application must be submitted to the DEP within 30 days of such a

1 determination. The final trigger is that if the capacity analysis report
2 indicates that the projected flows are going to exceed the permitted
3 capacity of the treatment facilities within 6 months, an operating permit
4 application must be submitted by the utility along with the capacity
5 analysis report.

6 Although the rule does not directly state that a utility must maintain
7 capacity necessary to meet demand for the next 5 years, the clear intent of
8 the rule is that capacity should be maintained for a 5-year window,
9 especially if the utility does not wish to perpetually be in a permitting and
10 expansion mode for every wastewater treatment plant it operates. The
11 stated purpose of the rule is to provide for the "timely planning, design,
12 and construction of wastewater facilities necessary to provide proper
13 treatment and reuse or disposal" Clearly, the rule reflects DEP's
14 recognition that the planning, design, and construction process takes five
15 years.

16 This situation with wastewater treatment plant expansions appears
17 to be another instance of DEP's requiring one thing -- reserve capacity for
18 five years -- and the Commission's sending a contrary signal -- by limiting
19 utilities to an 18 month margin reserve and by imputing CIAC. I can
20 bring this disparity into focus by stating that if a utility filed a permit
21 application in accordance with this DEP rule and suggested in the
22 application that it would build capacity sufficient only to serve 18 months

1 of growth beyond its present capacity, I have no doubt the application
2 would be rejected.

3 Therefore, in consideration of the DEP rule I have referenced, I
4 recommend that the Commission allow a five year margin reserve for
5 wastewater treatment plant.

6 **Q. DO THE COUNTIES AND CITIES WHICH YOU DO WORK FOR**
7 **GENERALLY CONSTRUCT WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT**
8 **IN INCREMENTS NEEDED TO MEET DEMAND OVER AT LEAST**
9 **A 5-YEAR PERIOD?**

10 **A.** Yes. A good number build for demand beyond five years. Their reasons
11 for building for at least five years include all of those I've already
12 mentioned, the rule requirements, prudent planning, environmental
13 protection, and economies of scale. Local governments also consider
14 growth management requirements. Although the Commission does not
15 enforce growth management laws, I mention this because it relates to
16 prudent planning. State planning requirements are such that public
17 facilities, including utilities, must be in place concurrent with growth. In
18 order to fulfill these requirements, local governments size their wastewater
19 and their water facilities to meet planned changes in demand within their
20 service areas over a five year, or longer, period.

21 **Q. DO THE COUNTIES AND CITIES WHICH YOU DO WORK FOR**
22 **GENERALLY CONSTRUCT WATER TREATMENT PLANT IN**

1 **INCREMENTS NEEDED TO MEET DEMAND OVER AT LEAST**
2 **A 3-YEAR PERIOD?**

3 A. Yes, and frequently beyond, for the same reasons I have just mentioned.

4 **Q. IN FORMULATING YOUR OPINION CONCERNING THE NEED**
5 **FOR A THREE YEAR MARGIN RESERVE FOR WATER**
6 **TREATMENT AND A FIVE YEAR MARGIN RESERVE FOR**
7 **WASTEWATER PLANT DID YOU RELY ON ANY SOURCES OF**
8 **INFORMATION OTHER THAN THAT WHICH YOU HAVE JUST**
9 **REFERENCED?**

10 A. Yes. In both of the letters contained in Exhibit 90 (GCH-1), specifically
11 in the second comment on page 2 of Mr. Drew's letter and in the second
12 paragraph of the first page of Mr. Harvey's letter, DEP's representatives
13 stated that the Commission's rules should allow a utility to recover
14 investment for timely expenses for needed wastewater treatment facilities
15 **consistent with** the rule which I have cited. I also note that the May 12,
16 1995, draft rule from the Commission staff recognizes the need for a three
17 year margin reserve for water treatment plant and a three year margin
18 reserve for wastewater treatment. The draft rule also states that utilities
19 are encouraged to undertake planning that recognizes conservation,
20 environmental protection, and economies of scale. While I agree with the
21 three year margin reserve proposed for water treatment plant, a three year
22 margin reserve for wastewater treatment plant would be in conflict DEP

1 rules. For the reasons I have explained, I believe a five year margin
2 reserve for wastewater treatment plant is appropriate.

3 **Q. THE FIFTH SUBJECT AREA YOU SAID YOU WISHED TO**
4 **ADDRESS CONCERNS SOUTHERN STATES' USE OF THE**
5 **HYDRAULIC MODELING TO DETERMINE USED AND USEFUL**
6 **FOR WATER TRANSMISSION AND DISTRIBUTION FACILITIES**
7 **IN FOUR OF SOUTHERN STATES SERVICE AREAS. WHAT**
8 **JUSTIFICATION DO YOU OFFER FOR THE COMMISSION'S**
9 **ACCEPTANCE OF THIS HYDRAULIC MODELING TO**
10 **DETERMINE USED AND USEFUL?**

11 **A.** I have performed hydraulic modeling in numerous instances in the past.
12 I agree with Southern States' witness Edmunds' testimony that: (1)
13 regulatory requirements and generally accepted design criteria dictate that
14 transmission and distribution facilities be designed to accommodate peak,
15 maximum day, and fire flow conditions, (2) hydraulic modeling will more
16 accurately reflect the demands placed on the transmission and distribution
17 facilities by current connections than would the Commission's
18 conventional lot count method for determining transmission and
19 distribution used and useful, (3) fire flow must be considered in the design
20 of water transmission and distribution facilities, and (4) the lot count
21 method does not accurately evaluate lines used for looping a system. I
22 also completely agree with Mr. Edmunds that the lot count method poses

1 a direct disincentive for proper facility design. Used and useful
2 considerations should parallel design and regulatory requirements, as I
3 have already testified, so as to abate this disincentive. I also agree that the
4 lot count method poses a disincentive for utilities to take advantage of the
5 economies of scale available through the bulk purchasing of materials,
6 taking advantage of the time value of money, competitively bidding
7 projects, paralleling water lines with other utility facilities, and minimizing
8 other costs such as contractor mobilization costs, permitting costs, pressure
9 testing, bacteriological testing and engineering costs. In fact, the
10 Commission's conventional lot count method for determining used and
11 useful for transmission and distribution facilities thoroughly discourages
12 utilities from taking advantage of the economies of scale. I also add that
13 the Commission's lot count methodology does not account for those fill-in
14 lots (unconnected lots located between connected lots) which may never
15 be built on by reason of zoning, the owner's purchase of a fill-in lot
16 adjacent to the one upon which he/she has built, or any other reason. The
17 utility has no control over the level of customer disuse of fill-in lots, so
18 the utility should not bear the cost of that disuse. Additionally, the lot
19 count method fails to recognize those situations, such as those present in
20 this filing, where no less than the investment the utility has already made
21 in lines could have been made in order for the utility to provide current
22 connections with reliable service.

1 Q. DO YOU HAVE ANYTHING TO ADD?

2 A. Yes, in designing its rate structure for this proceeding, Southern States has
3 created two rate categories, conventional treatment and reverse osmosis.
4 I agree with Southern States that reverse osmosis treatment has a
5 permanent cost difference associated with the treatment of brackish water
6 supplies as compared to the cost of conventional treatment methods used
7 for the treatment of fresh water supplies. I believe the Commission should
8 consider this difference in establishing rates as Southern States has
9 proposed.

10 Q. DOES THAT CONCLUDE YOUR TESTIMONY?

11 A. Yes.

1 Q. PLEASE STATE YOUR NAME AND ADDRESS FOR THE RECORD.

2 A. My name is Gerald C. Hartman. My business address
3 is Hartman & Associates, Inc., 201 E. Pine Street,
4 Suite 1000, Southeast Bank, Orlando, Florida 32801.

5 Q. ARE YOU THE SAME GERALD C. HARTMAN WHO PREVIOUSLY
6 FILED DIRECT TESTIMONY?

7 A. Yes, I am.

8 Q. WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF YOUR REBUTTAL TESTIMONY?

9 A. The purpose of my testimony is to rebut certain
10 statements made by the following witnesses with
11 regard to used and useful and various other
12 engineering matters: Mr. Ted Biddy, Mr. Hugh
13 Larkin and Ms. Donna DeRonne, Mr. Buddy L. Hansen,
14 Mr. Michael Woelffer, and Mr. Robert F. Dodrill. I
15 will also address some of the comments made by
16 staff witnesses Mr. John Starling, Dr. Janice
17 Beecher, and Mr. Gregory Shafer.

18 Q. DO ANY OF THESE WITNESSES ADDRESS THE SUBJECT OF
19 ECONOMIES OF SCALE?

20 A. Yes, a number of them do. Mr. Biddy and Mr. Hansen
21 argue against SSU's requested margin reserve
22 allowances. Mr. Biddy, Mr. Hansen, and Mr.
23 Woelffer argue in favor of the lot-count method for
24 determining the level of water transmission and
25 wastewater collection lines which are used and

1 useful. Mr. Bidy suggests a variety of used and
2 useful adjustments, including adjustments to
3 storage facilities, hydropneumatic tanks, emergency
4 generators, high service pumps, and the like. Mr.
5 Larkin and Ms. DeRonne purport to apply Mr. Bidy's
6 proposed used and useful adjustments to the utility
7 plant balances. These witnesses argue against
8 SSU's requested used and useful percentages and, in
9 so doing, disregard the economies of scale I cited
10 in my direct testimony as supportive of those
11 percentages.

12 I also note that beginning on line 22, page
13 16, of his testimony, Mr. Hansen opines that SSU
14 should install a larger ground storage tank at
15 Sugarmill Woods than the one proposed for SSU to
16 take advantage of economies of scale and to provide
17 better service. Staff witness Dr. Beecher makes
18 several comments concerning economies of scale on
19 pages 10 and 20 of her testimony. Staff witness
20 Mr. Starling has compiled certain comparative cost
21 information for different types of water treatment
22 facilities, apparently without considering
23 economies of scale pertinent to the underlying
24 data. Staff witness Shafer discusses several
25 Commission goals which I believe are impacted by

1 economies of scale.

2 **Q. MR. HARTMAN, HAS YOUR FIRM PREPARED AN ECONOMY OF**
3 **SCALE EVALUATION FOR WATER AND WASTEWATER UTILITY**
4 **TREATMENT FACILITIES AND COMPONENTS?**

5 A. Yes. An Economy of Scale Evaluation report was
6 completed by my firm in late February of this year
7 and a copy provided to the parties in this case by
8 mail on February 23, 1996, in response to OPC
9 Document Request No. 304. A copy the Economy of
10 Scale Evaluation is attached to my rebuttal
11 testimony and identified as Exhibit 91 (GCH-4).

12 **Q. WAS THIS ECONOMY OF SCALE EVALUATION PREPARED BY**
13 **YOU OR BY PERSONS UNDER YOUR SUPERVISION AND**
14 **CONTROL?**

15 A. Yes, it was.

16 **Q. COULD YOU FIRST EXPLAIN WHAT AN ECONOMY OF SCALE**
17 **IS AND THEN DISCUSS THE CONTENTS OF YOUR ECONOMY OF**
18 **SCALE EVALUATION?**

19 A. Yes. Generally stated, an economy of scale is the
20 phenomenon of a decreased per unit cost attained
21 through the use of larger units. To illustrate, a
22 10,000 gallon per day (gpd) wastewater treatment
23 plant may cost \$60,000 to build and thus have a per
24 unit cost of \$6.00 per gallon per day, whereas a
25 100,000 gpd plant may cost \$250,000 and have a per

1 unit cost of \$2.50 per gallon per day. In this
2 example, the per unit cost for building the larger
3 plant is much less than for building the smaller
4 plant and reflects an economy of scale. An economy
5 of scale can likewise be evident for the operation
6 and maintenance costs for running a larger versus a
7 smaller plant.

8 That the economy of scale phenomenon occurs
9 with water and wastewater facilities and facility
10 components, I believe, is without question. The
11 purpose of the Economy of Scale Evaluation was to
12 identify and measure any economies of scale for the
13 capital costs of water and wastewater treatment
14 facilities and components.

15 Briefly stated, the Evaluation examined the
16 average cost and per unit cost of the following
17 facilities/components: extended aeration package
18 wastewater treatment plants; contact stabilization
19 wastewater treatment plants; blowers, filters, and
20 chlorination units for wastewater plants; standby
21 generators for water and wastewater plants;
22 prestressed concrete ground storage tanks, steel
23 ground storage tanks; water plant disinfection
24 (chlorination) equipment; high service pumps;
25 hydropneumatic tanks; lime softening water

1 treatment plants; reverse osmosis water treatment
2 plants; gravity sewer lines; sewage pump stations;
3 sewer force mains; and water mains. Unit cost
4 curves, showing the cost per unit of capacity on
5 one axis of a graph and capacity on the other, were
6 created for all facilities/components examined.
7 These unit cost curves clearly demonstrate the
8 economy of scale associated with each
9 facility/component. Furthermore, the unit cost
10 curves in the evaluation also serve to illustrate
11 the threshold minimum size which selected
12 facilities/components must be before the rate of
13 change in the per unit cost begins to decline.
14 Exhibit 91 (GCH-5) is a one page summary
15 illustration of water plant component unit cost
16 curves.

17 **Q. COULD YOU EXPLAIN HOW THE ECONOMIES OF SCALE**
18 **REVEALED IN THE EVALUATION SPECIFICALLY RELATE TO**
19 **THE TESTIMONY OF THE WITNESSES YOU HAVE MENTIONED?**

20 A. Yes. Let us take as an example the issue of margin
21 reserve specifically as it relates to the sort of
22 concerns Mr. Hansen mentioned and ground storage
23 tanks.

24 The economy of scale associated with various
25 sized steel ground storage tanks is illustrated in

1 the series of graphs, charts and tables contained
2 in Exhibit 91 (GCH-6). Since a written
3 explanation or summary and conclusion sheet appears
4 before each of the various graphs, charts and
5 tables presented in the Exhibit, I will not repeat
6 the content of those sheets here. However, I would
7 like to point out a few items in order to better
8 focus the issue. The first graph included in the
9 Exhibit shows the cost curve and unit cost curve
10 for steel ground storage tanks. The unit cost
11 curve, simply stated, illustrates the economy of
12 scale. The "inflection point" of the unit cost
13 curve refers to that point at which the relative
14 maximum economy of scale is achieved and beyond
15 which the unit price remains nearly constant. In
16 the case of the steel ground storage tanks, the
17 inflection point is at the 100,000 gallon tank.
18 Therefore, to take advantage of the optimal economy
19 of scale, a 100,000 gallon tank would be the
20 threshold size necessary. This is not to say,
21 however, that a tank of that size is appropriate in
22 all cases -- only that it is the threshold size
23 required to achieve the optimal economy of scale.

24 The remaining graphs, charts and tables in the
25 Exhibit serve to illustrate the cost-effectiveness

1 of installing different size tanks over time under
2 various growth and economic conditions and
3 considering the Commission's present form of used
4 and useful determinations. The graphs immediately
5 following the cost curves provide a clear picture
6 of the following events and conditions for the tank
7 example over time: demand, tank phasing, total
8 tank capacity, total investment, investment used
9 and useful comparison, and used and useful
10 percentage. The next set of graphs depict: (1)
11 the investment savings associated with sizing tanks
12 in larger sizes and (2) the margin reserve period
13 necessary to promote larger sizing and, hence,
14 achieve that savings, 15 years in these examples.
15 The tables appearing next in the Exhibit show the
16 costs savings per ERC over time under various tank
17 sizing scenarios. These tables portray the long-
18 term cost savings to the customer with a larger
19 tank as compared to a smaller tank. Present value
20 charts appear last in the Exhibit. These charts
21 show the present value for installing a tank or
22 tanks assuming the scenarios described. These
23 charts are significant in that they invoke the
24 illogical economic signal the Commission sends
25 utilities by measuring used and useful as it has in

1 recent years. All things being equal, the most
2 cost effective choice for the utility engineer is
3 the choice with the lowest present value (both to
4 the utility and the customer), but the Commission's
5 used and useful practices act as a disincentive to
6 economies of scale and corrupt the decision-making
7 process. In other words, the Commission's used and
8 useful practices encourage a utility to install the
9 smallest tank necessary so the utility may recover
10 the greatest portion of its total investment in the
11 tank, but the present value tables in this Exhibit
12 reveal that the smallest tank necessary is not the
13 most cost-effective choice. It is my testimony
14 that one of the ways the Commission can correct
15 this illogical economic signal and encourage
16 economies of scale is through an appropriate
17 allowance for the margin reserve.

18 It should be noted that based on the
19 information and analyses in the Economy of Scale
20 Evaluation, the storage tank example is
21 representative of the economy of scale for all of
22 the components/facilities examined.

23 Mr. Hansen's testimony illustrates the irony
24 of used and useful in recent years. Mr. Hansen
25 opposes a margin reserve, suspects that SSU's goal

1 is to operate at or near capacity, yet he asks that
2 SSU install a ground storage tank larger than the
3 minimum currently needed. He embraces the service
4 benefits and long-term cost effectiveness of the
5 margin reserve and the economy of scale, but he
6 fails to grasp the economic penalty he proposes.

7 The cause-and-effect relationship at work with
8 used and useful and economies of scale is simple.
9 The Commission's used and useful practices of
10 recent years, combined with no margin reserve, an
11 insufficient margin reserve, or a margin reserve
12 with CIAC imputed thereon -- the various proposals
13 of the intervenors in this case -- provide
14 utilities no incentive to take advantage of
15 economies of scale and instead cause economic harm
16 to those utilities who do. No utility company can
17 be asked to make investment of shareholder money
18 when the recovery of and a return on a substantial
19 portion of that money is virtually totally at risk.
20 This is particularly true here as the rate of
21 return to the shareholders is set by regulators and
22 does not increase to the extent which would be
23 necessary to compensate for that risk. Thus, the
24 economic message from the Commission in recent
25 years, and the economic message the intervenors

1 would have the Commission send in this case, is to
2 build plant in small increments, ignore economies
3 of scale, and bear inordinate risk for even
4 threshold sizing.

5 In consideration of the results of the Economy
6 of Scale Evaluation, I believe that for the utility
7 and the customers to experience the benefits of
8 sizing all facilities/components to take advantage
9 of economies of scale, the minimum margin reserve
10 period for all facilities/components should be
11 seven years. The intervenor's suggestion that
12 there be no margin reserve at all will only serve
13 to harm the customers over time. A five-year
14 margin reserve period as SSU has suggested is an
15 initial step to more cost-effective rate setting.

16 **Q. MR. HARTMAN, DOESN'T YOUR ECONOMY OF SCALE**
17 **EVALUATION IN FACT SUPPORT USED AND USEFUL**
18 **PERCENTAGES HIGHER THAN THOSE REQUESTED BY SSU IN**
19 **ITS MFR'S?**

20 A. Yes, it does. SSU's position in this proceeding,
21 however, is that the Economy of Scale Evaluation
22 supports the used and useful percentages SSU
23 requested in its filing as a minimum. SSU's
24 requested used and useful percentages should
25 therefore not be reduced unless SSU accepts an

1 error in calculations.

2 In this case, SSU followed the basic formula
3 approach to used and useful which the Commission
4 accepted in SSU's last case. Generally, this
5 approach may capture economies of scale in the
6 margin reserve.

7 **Q. YOU MENTIONED THAT STAFF WITNESS MR. SHAFER**
8 **REFERENCES ECONOMIES OF SCALE OR MATTERS WHICH**
9 **ECONOMIES OF SCALE INFLUENCE. WHAT COMMENTS DO YOU**
10 **HAVE REGARDING HIS TESTIMONY?**

11 A. Mr. Shafer recites several Commission goals which I
12 believe should be influenced by economies of scale,
13 specifically the following: providing safe,
14 efficient service at an affordable price; resource
15 protection; and a financially healthy and
16 independent utility. As I stated in my direct
17 testimony, I do not believe the Commission can
18 promote resource protection and reliable service
19 unless used and useful considerations parallel
20 design and regulatory requirements. Efficient
21 service, moreover, must be considered on a long-
22 term basis. The economy of scale to be realized in
23 utility facilities, as well as in the operations
24 and administration functions, provides for long-
25 term, efficient, and cost-effective service. Thus,

1 if, as Mr. Shafer says, the Commission is to make
2 decisions which will give utilities an incentive to
3 be more efficient, economies of scale must be given
4 greater weight in used and useful considerations
5 than it has in recent years.

6 I note that applying the used and useful
7 formulae I have referred to has not always been the
8 Commission practice. Several years ago, the
9 Commission considered economies of scale in
10 evaluating used and useful because it was
11 recognized that economies of scale promoted safe
12 and efficient service and minimized long term
13 capital investment. Attached hereto as Exhibit
14 _____ (GCH-7) are copies of Commission staff
15 memoranda which served as a guide to used and
16 useful and wherein economies of scale are
17 emphasized criteria. In recent years, with only
18 occasional exceptions, the Commission came to
19 ignore ignoring economies of scale in favor of a
20 rigid formula approach to used and useful. This was
21 also about the time capital investment requirements
22 for water and wastewater utilities were heightened
23 due to increased regulatory requirements such as
24 those imposed by the Clean Water Act. In my view,
25 periods of increased capital investment

1 requirements are precisely the wrong time to
2 forsake economies of scale, especially where growth
3 is present to support the economies.

4 **Q. DO YOU HAVE ANY OTHER COMMENTS REGARDING THE**
5 **ECONOMY OF SCALE AS IT RELATES TO USED AND USEFUL?**

6 A. Yes, but I will make those comments as I address
7 specific areas of the intervenor's rebuttal. Also,
8 later on in my testimony, I will briefly address
9 economies of scale insofar as they relate to Mr.
10 Starling's cost comparisons and Dr. Beecher's
11 testimony on single-tariff pricing.

12 **Q. DO YOU HAVE ANY OTHER COMMENTS ON THE INTERVENOR'S**
13 **TESTIMONY ON MARGIN RESERVE NOTWITHSTANDING ECONOMY**
14 **OF SCALE?**

15 A. Yes. I believe I have already adequately addressed
16 Mr. Hansen's margin reserve comments. On page 3 of
17 Mr. Bidy's testimony, he characterizes Rule 62-
18 600.405 as establishing the intervals for
19 submitting a capacity analysis report ("CAR") and
20 not a 5 year reserve capacity requirement. I
21 disagree with Mr. Bidy's interpretation for the
22 reasons stated in my direct testimony and as
23 explained further by SSU witness Harvey in
24 rebuttal. The rule is applied by DEP to assure
25 that at least a 5 year margin reserve of capacity

1 exists or that the expansion process is underway.
2 To interpret the rule as Mr. Biddy suggests is to
3 separate the words of the rule, which on the
4 surface address reporting requirements, from the
5 rule's meaning, which focuses on performing the
6 acts one must report. Further, a shorter margin
7 reserve period would place utilities in a position
8 where the expansion activities for one interval and
9 the next interval overlap, which makes no economic
10 or regulatory sense whatsoever.

11 **Q. DO YOU AGREE WITH MR. BIDDY'S COMMENT ON PAGE 4**
12 **REGARDING THE WATER PLANT MARGIN RESERVE PERIOD?**

13 A. I agree that DEP does not presently have in place a
14 rule for water facilities similar to Rule 62.600-
15 405. Yet, on recent submittals I have made to the
16 DEP, adequate capacity has been an issue in the
17 permit application process. Those reviewing these
18 applications have with increased regularity asked
19 if 5 years of water plant capacity is available or
20 planned.

21 My direct testimony lists the multitude of
22 activities necessary for an expansion project. It
23 is simply wrong to restrict the water treatment
24 plant margin reserve to less than 3 years on the
25 basis of Mr. Biddy's paltry claim, "**Sometimes** it

1 does not take a long time to increase capacity for
2 water treatment, such as adding a new well and
3 filters." Further, as stated in DEP's letter of
4 June 29, 1995, attached to the testimony of SSU
5 witness Harvey, "[DEP] strongly recommend[s] that
6 the Commission recognize at least a five-year
7 reserve capacity when calculating the "used and
8 useful" percentage of water and wastewater
9 treatment facilities."

10 **Q. MR. BIDDY SUGGESTS A MARGIN RESERVE IS NOT**
11 **NECESSARY. DO YOU DISAGREE WITH HIM?**

12 **A.** Yes. Of course a margin reserve is necessary.
13 There are three basic reasons which support margin
14 reserve: (1) economic benefit to the customers and
15 the utility, (2) public health and environmental
16 protection, and (3) reduced regulatory costs.
17 First, a margin reserve permits the utility an
18 opportunity to achieve at least some portion of the
19 economy of scale benefit I have already described.
20 Second, if no margin reserve is permitted,
21 utilities will be forced into a situation where
22 they would constantly be butting up against the
23 capacity limitations of their facilities. The
24 dangers to the public health and the environment
25 which result from this are obvious: insufficient

1 water pressure, connection moratoria, insufficient
2 chlorine contact time, lack of sufficient disposal
3 facilities, improper discharge of wastewater, and
4 insufficient wastewater treatment to name a few.
5 And all of these problems can occur due simply to
6 the variability of demand if a margin reserve is
7 not present. Third, if utilities cannot earn a
8 return on economically sized plant, forcing the
9 utilities to constantly operate facilities on the
10 edge of their capacity limitations, all of the
11 activities associated with needed improvements and
12 expansions will likewise be in constant motion. A
13 perpetual permit and construction apparatus on the
14 part of utilities requires the perpetual attention
15 of the regulatory authorities' engineers,
16 inspectors, analysts, etc. -- all at an increased
17 cost to the utility, the customers and the state.
18 Each of these adverse consequences result from the
19 intervenors' no margin reserve position and should
20 be scrupulously avoided.

21 **Q. IS MARGIN RESERVE "SOLELY FOR NEW CUSTOMERS" AS MR.**
22 **BIDDY STATES?**

23 A. No. In fact, OPC witness Ms. Kim Dismukes suggests
24 that the current customers will consume more water
25 in the future. Therefore, OPC's witnesses are

1 inconsistent on this point. The Commission should
2 recognize that different OPC witnesses have made
3 directly conflicting assertions to support the
4 results OPC desires on different issues. Of
5 course, OPC cannot have it both ways -- customers
6 cannot consume more water to suit Ms. Dismukes'
7 proposed consumption adjustment while at the same
8 time not consume such additional quantities to
9 support Mr. Biddy's assertion that the margin
10 reserve is exclusively for future customers. I
11 would also note that it is not absolutely certain
12 what effect SSU's conservation efforts would have
13 on peak demands, as opposed to total consumption.
14 SSU's plants must meet the peak demands of the
15 existing customers and many components are designed
16 to meet that level of demand.

17 The existing customers benefit from the
18 capacity to serve their needs, to attenuate the
19 impacts of growth in connections, and from the
20 long-term economies of scale.

21 The variability of demand over the useful life
22 of an asset (30-50 years) can be great, and only
23 the existing customers create this variability.
24 Smaller facilities demonstrate higher variability
25 in demand than do larger facilities. SSU is

1 comprised mostly of small facilities; therefore,
2 all of the small SSU facilities require a margin of
3 reserve due to this factor alone.

4 Further, margin reserve is an accepted
5 regulatory allowance for growth in the need for
6 service from both existing and new customers. The
7 margin reserve cannot be sequestered for, or
8 dedicated exclusively to, future customers. If one
9 were to apply Mr. Biddy's premise to its logical
10 end, whenever test year customers use any water or
11 produce any wastewater in excess of test year
12 levels, the utility should disconnect those
13 customers because they have used all the capacity
14 they have paid for. Needless to say,
15 disconnections of this sort are impossible as a
16 practical matter, but it illustrates the point that
17 Mr. Biddy expects the customers to receive all the
18 benefits of the margin reserve but with the costs
19 therefor borne exclusively by the utility. If no
20 margin reserve is allowed as Mr. Biddy proposes,
21 the existing customers will not receive any of the
22 service benefits Mr. Biddy must expect them to
23 experience.

24 Generally, growth for SSU statewide is about
25 3% per year. In 3 years only 9% to 10% growth on

1 the average would occur. As indicated in the
2 Economies of Scale Evaluation, economical sizing is
3 typically in increments greater than 10%. For most
4 water plants, the variability of the maximum day
5 demand from existing customers can easily be 10%
6 from year to year. Thus, Mr. Biddy fails to
7 recognize the public health, safety and welfare
8 requirements of proper facility sizing which would
9 necessitate a margin reserve without growth and
10 which would necessitate a greater one with growth.

11 Mr. Biddy's suggestion that the utility could
12 recover its costs through "prepaid fees from future
13 customers" and "in other ways" is without
14 foundation. Prepayments from future customers or
15 developers would be a disincentive to growth and,
16 if imposed, may not ever occur, much less in an
17 orderly and economic fashion. To make the utility
18 entirely dependent on Mr. Biddy's nebulous
19 suggestion is inappropriate.

20 **Q. CONTINUING ON WITH MR. BIDDY'S TESTIMONY, DO YOU**
21 **BELIEVE FIREFLOW SHOULD BE APPLIED IN USED AND**
22 **USEFUL CALCULATIONS?**

23 A. Yes, if facilities are designed to and sized to
24 provide fireflow service, fireflow should be
25 included in used and useful. Mr. Biddy excluded

1 fireflow from his used and useful calculations
2 because SSU did not provide fireflow test records
3 with the original filing. It should first be noted
4 that fireflow test results are not a filing
5 requirement -- I would suggest for very practical
6 reasons. SSU has several thousand hydrants, and it
7 is unreasonable and uneconomical to test every last
8 one of them for a used and useful analysis,
9 especially when those tests are not always
10 conclusive. In this and in SSU's previous rate
11 case, the PSC staff and OPC had ample opportunity
12 to inspect all of SSU's facilities if there were
13 any concerns with fireflow. To arbitrarily delete
14 fire flow from the used and useful calculation is
15 wrong when the fireflow service needs to be
16 provided and facilities are sized to provide the
17 service as shown in the MFR's.

18 Even if the level of fireflow to a few
19 hydrants is unsatisfactory, fire fighting
20 requirements may still be met. Normal water
21 distribution pressures may be in the 40 to 60 psi
22 range. Fireflow requirements are at the 20 psi
23 level. As the pressure decreases, the flow rate
24 from the high service pumps increases and more flow
25 is available at lower pressures. Pumper trucks,

1 commonly used in the rural areas which SSU serves,
2 have the ability to pull water from the system and
3 can readily operate in the lower pressure ranges
4 and even at no pressure at a specific location.

5 Moreover, the appropriate action in response
6 to conclusive and unsatisfactory test results for
7 one or more hydrants, without any consideration to
8 the nature or extent of the cause, is certainly not
9 to exclude fireflow from used and useful. Such
10 action does not improve the security of the
11 customers and provides no incentive for a utility
12 to correct potential problem situations in service
13 areas where the utility should provide fireflow.
14 After evaluation, an operational change or capital
15 improvement should be designated to correct the
16 condition, a reasonable time allowed therefor, and,
17 if a capital improvement is required, an allowance
18 for the improvement made in rates.

19 Fire service requirements are shown in the
20 MFR's and reflected in the used and useful analysis
21 appropriately.

22 **Q. IS IT COST EFFECTIVE TO USE SOURCE OF SUPPLY TO**
23 **MEET INSTANTANEOUS DEMANDS?**

24 A. It depends on the water resource availability. In
25 productive and high yield aquifer areas, yes, it is

1 quite cost effective and common practice in
2 Florida. Mr. Bidde suggests that it is not cost
3 effective, while the majority of small plants in
4 Florida are designed, built, and function in this
5 fashion. Where the water resources are not
6 available, it is not cost effective due to higher
7 treatment, storage and pumping costs.

8 **Q. DO SMALL WATER FACILITIES WITHOUT STORAGE TANKS**
9 **PROVIDE FIRE PROTECTION?**

10 A. Yes, many do. Again, Mr. Bidde ignores the
11 majority of small facilities in Florida including
12 SSU's. If fire fighting service is needed, there
13 usually is a fire well pump or two or more wells
14 which together provide for fire service.

15 **Q. MR. BIDDE OPPOSES USE OF A SINGLE MAXIMUM DAY TO**
16 **DETERMINE USED AND USEFUL FOR WATER PLANT**
17 **COMPONENTS. SHOULD A SINGLE MAXIMUM DAY BE USED?**

18 A. Yes, the single maximum day water demand is the
19 minimum design requirement as I stated in my direct
20 testimony. The single maximum day demand is in
21 accordance with design standards, FDEP rules and
22 regulations and utility construction practice. The
23 average "of the five highest maximum daily flows in
24 the maximum month" is not in accordance with design
25 standards, DEP rules, the Florida Statutes, or

1 water utility construction practice in Florida. As
2 I explained at length in my direct testimony, used
3 and useful requirements must parallel design and
4 regulatory requirements. Mr. Biddy does not
5 directly address the many reasons I offered to
6 support this conclusion. Yet, interestingly
7 enough, throughout his testimony, Mr. Biddy
8 acknowledges that a single maximum day is the
9 design standard, for example on page 10, line 9 of
10 his testimony.

11 Mr. Biddy argues that a single maximum day is
12 not reliable for used and useful purpose because
13 precise records of line breaks, leaks, and other
14 water losses are difficult to keep. I think Mr.
15 Biddy's argument is completely unpersuasive. As
16 stated in SSU's direct testimony and in responses
17 to discovery requests, SSU has excluded known
18 unusual events such as line breaks from the maximum
19 days used in the analysis. Besides, even if one
20 accepts that leaks and various other water
21 measurements are difficult to keep track of with
22 precision, there is still no legitimate basis for
23 wholesale rejection of the maximum day. The
24 Commission should recognize the requirements of the
25 State of Florida. To suggest that the drafters of

1 the design manuals, engineering publications, and
2 Florida regulations somehow failed to recognize
3 these water measurement considerations is
4 illogical. If the maximum day data is reliable for
5 design purposes, it is reliable for used and useful
6 purposes. The utility should not be placed in a
7 position of having to explain to the permitting
8 authority that its design to construct a well or
9 pump did not use historic maximum day data because
10 the Public Service Commission thinks a lower number
11 is more appropriate.

12 **Q. MR. BIDDY ARGUES THAT THE CONSTRUCTION PERMIT**
13 **CAPACITY OF A WASTEWATER PLANT SHOULD BE USED TO**
14 **DETERMINE USED AND USEFUL RATHER THAN OPERATING**
15 **PERMIT CAPACITY. DO YOU THINK HIS SUGGESTION IS**
16 **APPROPRIATE?**

17 **A.** As a matter of principle, no. It is improper to
18 assume a change to the ongoing and permitted
19 process of an extended aeration plant to that of a
20 contact stabilization plant. Many plants have the
21 dual ratings Mr. Bidy discusses on page 8 of his
22 testimony. With a change in the treatment method
23 which Mr. Bidy presupposes, water quality,
24 performance, sludge handling, operator staffing,
25 electric usage, chemical usage and the sludge

1 stabilization costs all dramatically change.
2 Depending on the situation, additional investment
3 of significant sums may be required to make the
4 necessary alterations and the reliability of
5 treatment and level of environmental protection
6 could also be reduced by the conversion. These
7 facilities have operating permits from DEP
8 designating the treatment process to be used. It
9 is wrong to presuppose a change in the treatment
10 process for the sole purpose of lowering the used
11 and useful percentage as Mr. Biddy advocates.

12 **Q. DO YOU AGREE WITH MR. BIDDY'S FIRM RELIABLE**
13 **CAPACITY ADJUSTMENTS?**

14 A. No. Beginning on page 9 of his testimony, Mr.
15 Biddy argues that firm reliable capacity should not
16 be considered separately for wells, high service
17 pumps, and treatment units. It appears from Mr.
18 Biddy's explanation on page 9 that he discounts the
19 probability that one of the components he refers to
20 may be off-line for scheduled repairs while another
21 may be off-line due to an emergency. Mr. Biddy
22 states only that it is unlikely two components will
23 be "scheduled for service at the same time." Based
24 on my experience, I think Mr. Biddy errs by
25 ignoring a confluence of scheduled and emergency

1 events. Further, I would point out that Mr.
2 Bidy's notion of excluding certain components from
3 firm reliable capacity consideration is
4 inconsistent with the Commission's order in SSU's
5 last rate case in Docket No. 920199-WS. SSU's
6 proposed firm reliable capacity formula is
7 consistent with that decision.

8 SSU's method is also consistent with analogous
9 requirements for wastewater plant component
10 reliability as stated in the U.S. Environmental
11 Protection Agency's MCD-05 publication. To
12 illustrate, Provision 2.2.1.2 of that publication
13 states,

14 A backup pump shall be provided for each set
15 of pumps which performs the same function.
16 The capacity of the pumps shall be such that
17 with any one pump out of service, the
18 remaining pumps will have capacity to handle
19 the peak flow. It is permissible for one pump
20 to serve as a backup to more than one set of
21 pumps.

22 **Q. DO YOU AGREE WITH MR. BIDDY'S ASSESSMENT OF FIRM**
23 **RELIABLE CAPACITY FOR WELLS?**

24 A. No. Mr. Bidy on line 5, page 10, that when
25 "storage or high service pumping facilities are

1 available" SSU's firm reliable capacity methods
2 should not be applicable. It should be pointed out
3 that Mr. Biddy's statement is correct **only if** the
4 storage he refers to is elevated distribution
5 storage and the "or" in the statement is an "and."
6 As thus restated, the single largest pumping unit
7 could be out of service, assuming the elevated
8 storage volume is adequate and on site, and
9 elevated storage could be substituted for high
10 service pumping firm reliable capacity. However,
11 this alone does not justify accepting Mr. Biddy's
12 proposal for all SSU plants.

13 Further support for SSU's firm reliable
14 capacity calculations for wells can be found in the
15 results of the 1989/1990 consumptive use permit
16 case of the Corporation of the President of Jesus
17 Christ of Latter Day Saints ("COP") v. the City of
18 Cocoa. The final order of St. Johns River Water
19 Management District (the "District") in that case
20 accepted the findings of fact and conclusions of
21 law of the Division of Administrative Hearings'
22 Hearing Officer that reserve well capacity of
23 twenty percent in excess of projected maximum day
24 withdrawals is reasonable in order for the utility
25 to meet demands during either routine maintenance

1 or emergency well shutdowns. This ruling was made
2 without consideration for storage, elevated or
3 otherwise.

4 SSU's method for determining well firm
5 reliable capacity is consistent with design
6 standards, reliability design, and permitting
7 practice.

8 **Q. MR. BIDDY ARGUES THAT THE PEAK HOUR FACTOR SHOULD**
9 **BE 1.3 TIMES THE MAXIMUM DAY DEMAND. DO YOU AGREE**
10 **WITH HIS PROPOSED PEAKING FACTOR?**

11 A. No. Mr. Biddy quotes AWWA M32 for a suggested
12 range of 1.3 to 2.0. This manual applies to all
13 water systems in the United States. It is
14 recognized and accepted engineering practice that
15 as a system becomes larger, the peaking factor is
16 less. Large water systems such as those operated
17 by 1) the City of Tampa, 2) the City of
18 Jacksonville, 3) Miami-Dade Water and Sewer
19 Authority, 4) the City of St. Petersburg, 5) the
20 Orlando Utilities Commission, and 6) Pinellas
21 County Water have all reported peaking factors
22 between 1.3 to 1.6. The SSU water plants are quite
23 small in comparison to these. Indeed, all of the
24 SSU water plants combined do not serve as many
25 customers as large metropolitan systems. The 2.0

1 factor reflects sound engineering practice for
2 plants which are the size of the majority of SSU's
3 plants. One should not just arbitrarily say, "I
4 believe 1.3 should be used because it is the
5 minimum requirement," as Mr. Biddy does. Mr.
6 Biddy's proposed factor is insupportable and also
7 inconsistent with the Commission's order in SSU's
8 last rate case in Docket No. 920199-WS. SSU's
9 proposed peaking factor is consistent with that
10 decision, and consistent with the available and
11 relevant facts and the design, construction and
12 building practices for small water facilities in
13 Florida.

14 **Q. COULD YOU COMMENT ON MR. BIDDY'S USE OF EMERGENCY**
15 **STORAGE?**

16 A. Yes. Emergency storage does not have a specific
17 design criteria in AWWA M32, yet it is standard
18 practice in Florida to provide an amount for
19 emergency storage. The amount of emergency storage
20 built depends upon an assessment of risk and degree
21 of system dependability. To eliminate emergency
22 storage is to eliminate the degree of system
23 reliability and maximize risk. Water plants are
24 designed, constructed, and operated to protect the
25 public's health, safety and welfare. I cannot

1 agree with Mr. Bidby's elimination of all emergency
2 storage in all SSU plants notwithstanding whether
3 emergency storage was a specifically stated design
4 consideration. Marco Island residents were well
5 served by the emergency storage available during
6 the last hurricane and when the 30" raw water
7 supply line under the Marco River ruptured last
8 year. The Deltona Lakes plant's emergency storage
9 was crucial in saving lives during the huge forest
10 fire in Deltona several years back.

11 **Q. MR. BIDBY NEXT DISCUSSES "DEAD STORAGE." IS THERE**
12 **DEAD STORAGE IN AN ELEVATED STORAGE TANK?**

13 A. No.

14 **Q. IS THERE DEAD STORAGE IN SSU'S GROUND STORAGE**
15 **TANKS?**

16 A. Yes. The vortex situation is rare if you can place
17 the pumps at a grade low enough. Since the SSU
18 ground storage tanks are typically built on flat
19 ground, the centerline of the pumping units are
20 above the bottom of the tanks. "Dead storage" is
21 commonly encountered in Florida storage facilities
22 and has been approved for used and useful storage
23 calculations by the Commission (in the last Lehigh
24 rate case) and by Sarasota County. FDEP also
25 recognizes this situation in permitting.

1 Q. DO YOU AGREE WITH THE COMMENTS MR. BIDDY MAKES
2 REGARDING HIGH SERVICE PUMPING BEGINNING ON LINE
3 12, PAGE 12, OF HIS TESTIMONY?

4 A. No. High service pumps at the source in many
5 instances are the only pumping units for the SSU
6 plants. High service pumps must meet all service
7 conditions as are typical for the SSU service
8 areas. Mr. Biddy assumes multiple high service
9 pumping locations throughout the service area.
10 Such situations exist only in a few of the large
11 SSU service areas, and even there the hydraulics
12 are such that the units are necessary as SSU
13 reflected in the MFRs. In the two locations where
14 elevated storage exists, Lehigh Acres and Keystone
15 Heights, the elevated storage can offset the high
16 service pumping needs to some extent, but that fact
17 alone does not justify Mr. Biddy's proposed result.
18 Besides, while Mr. Biddy espouses the virtues of
19 distribution storage and asserts that it is more
20 cost effective than sizing up high service pumps,
21 he never provided or calculated the additional
22 theoretical storage and additional plant costs
23 required if such a convention is to be used.

24 Q. IS IT CORRECT TO USE HIGH SERVICE PUMPS TO HANDLE
25 PEAK HOURLY FLOWS AND FIRE FLOWS, CONTRARY TO WHAT

1 **MR. BIDDY ARGUES?**

2 A. It should first be understood that when
3 distribution storage is not available and fire flow
4 service is available, the standard design condition
5 according to the Insurance Services Office ("ISO")
6 in Jacksonville, many of the county codes, city
7 codes and related standards, is the single maximum
8 day plus fire flows or peak hourly demand whichever
9 is greater, not the average of the five highest
10 maximum days of the maximum month. All storage
11 facilities would be undersized if an average of the
12 five maximum days were used. In small service
13 areas, a couple of "jockey" pumps (50-250 gpm) may
14 be used to meet the peak hour flows but are
15 inadequate for fireflow demands. In such cases, a
16 single fire rated pump of 750 gpm or 1500 gpm may
17 be used to provide fireflow. Customer demands and
18 pressures versus fireflow requirements must be
19 recognized when providing pumping units for such
20 plants. In large plants without dedicated fire
21 pumps, the single maximum day plus the service area
22 fireflow is used.

23 **Q. WHAT COMMENTS DO YOU HAVE REGARDING MR. BIDDY'S**
24 **PROPOSALS TO ADJUST USED AND USEFUL FOR AUXILIARY**
25 **POWER AND HYDRO TANKS?**

1 A. Both of these components should be 100% used and
2 useful as indicated by my direct testimony and as
3 supported by the Commission's order in Docket No.
4 920199-WS. Moreover, the existing customers would
5 pay significantly more if auxiliary generators and
6 hydro tanks were built in multiple phases, which is
7 the result Mr. Biddy encourages by his suggestion
8 for used and useful adjustments. Exhibit 9
9 (GCH-4) shows that with respect to auxiliary
10 generators and hydro tanks.

11 **Q. MR. BIDDY ARGUES IN FAVOR OF THE LOT-COUNT METHOD**
12 **AS A MEANS FOR DETERMINE PIPELINE USED AND USEFUL.**
13 **IS THE LOT COUNT METHOD APPROPRIATE FOR SUCH AN**
14 **ANALYSIS?**

15 A. No, for several reasons: (1) the lot count method
16 only measures developed versus undeveloped lots or,
17 in other words, the status of land development over
18 which the utility has no control, and not utility
19 service; (2) one home can occupy two or more lots;
20 (3) a lot could be unbuildable due to a number of
21 factors; (4) redevelopment can occur; (5) many lots
22 are served by wells and/or septic tanks and will
23 never be customers; (6) no less of a system is
24 needed to serve six of ten lots as opposed to all
25 ten lots on a street and, since the Commission

1 requires the utility to provide service, the entire
2 system is necessary; (7) in many instances the
3 development code requires the water and sewer pipes
4 to be built before the subdivision phase can get
5 its first certificate of occupancy; (8) in most SSU
6 service areas, pipeline installations are
7 regulatory requirements for the protection of the
8 public health, safety, sanitation and welfare; (9)
9 the lot count method provides no consideration for
10 the economy of scale and cost-effective
11 construction practices for transmission and
12 distribution facilities as are identified in
13 Exhibit 91 (GCH-4) and which should be
14 considered as FPSC policy; (10) the lot count
15 method does not consider sizing lines to provide
16 fireflow or consider system looping, both of which
17 the utility is required to consider in design; (11)
18 the lot count method does not consider sound
19 engineering design and practice and State of
20 Florida, county and city rules and regulations
21 which also must be complied with as a FPSC
22 requirement; and (12) the lot count method
23 encourages the proliferation of septic tanks and
24 individual well construction which increases the
25 long-term cost to existing customers by creating

1 internal competition and by decreasing the economy
2 of scale.

3 The Commission staff policy memos identified
4 as Exhibit _____ (GCH-7) reveal that the Commission
5 did not strictly apply the lot count method
6 historically; but rather, the method was considered
7 as a base and appropriate adjustments made
8 increasing the used and useful percentages to take
9 into account the economy of scale which I have
10 demonstrated for transmission and distribution
11 facilities in Exhibit 9 (GCH-4).

12 **Q. IS A HYDRAULIC ANALYSIS APPROPRIATE TO EVALUATE**
13 **USED AND USEFUL?**

14 A. Yes. Hydraulic analyses of water distribution
15 facilities assists utilities and engineers
16 formulate the most economic and reliable design and
17 construction of those facilities. There is no
18 rational reason to reject a hydraulic analysis in
19 favor of a lot-count analysis for determining used
20 and useful. The hydraulic modeling used and useful
21 analysis (1) more accurately reflects the demands
22 placed on the transmission and distribution
23 facilities than the lot-count method, (2) parallels
24 design considerations, and (3) provides an
25 incentive to the utility to take advantage of the

1 significant economies of scale which can be
2 realized by reducing the installation costs
3 associated with water distribution facilities.

4 **Q. MR. BIDDY QUESTIONS WHETHER SSU'S PENDING RAW WATER**
5 **SUPPLY SITE FOR MARCO ISLAND SHOULD BE ELIMINATED**
6 **FROM RATE BASE IN THIS CASE. HAS AN EVALUATION OF**
7 **THE TOTAL WATER SUPPLY CAPACITY OF MARCO ISLAND AND**
8 **MARCO SHORES BEEN ACCOMPLISHED?**

9 A. Yes, on many occasions, and the results have
10 previously been submitted to the FPSC. Collier
11 County's most recent version of the planning
12 document for Marco Island shows the complete
13 utilization of the Marco Island and Marco Shores
14 raw water supply. In fact, this document, prepared
15 with the participation of SSU Marco Island
16 customers, recommends the expansion of the Marco
17 R.O. facilities from 4 MGD to 6 MGD in the near
18 future, the development of the new 160-acre site,
19 significant new increases in reuse to curtail fresh
20 water demand, new aquifer storage and recovery
21 facilities to meet peaking needs and a new strict
22 water conservation program on the island to allow
23 present sources to meet just the short-term demand.
24 All of the water supply facilities at Marco Island
25 have previously been found to be 100% used and

1 useful. The 160-acre site is needed to develop an
2 adequate supply to meet current and short-term
3 need. SSU witness Mr. Terrero will elaborate on
4 the permitting required. The water supply capacity
5 of the system is 9 MGD and the present demand has
6 reached over 10 MGD. At present, the level of
7 additional supply required is approaching 4 MGD,
8 referring again to the District's decision in the
9 COP v. City of Cocoa consumptive use permit case
10 where adequacy of resource supply is addressed.
11 Only by the efficient implementation of a
12 combination of the supply sources stated above --
13 first securing the land and the permits, then the
14 design, then the construction to eventually attain
15 operations -- will permit SSU to meet the critical
16 water supply needs of Marco Island in the coming
17 five (5) years. Removing the 160 acre site from
18 rate base has the effect of penalizing SSU for
19 planning ahead and discourages SSU from meeting the
20 water supply needs of Marco Island.

21 **Q. MR. BIDDY AND MR. WOELFFER ASSERT THAT REUSE**
22 **FACILITIES SHOULD NOT BE 100% USED AND USEFUL. IN**
23 **PARTICULAR, MR. BIDDY STATES REUSE FACILITIES**
24 **SHOULD NOT BE CONSIDERED 100% USED AND USEFUL**
25 **"WITHOUT EVALUATION." HAVE ALL OF THE EFFLUENT**

1 **REUSE FACILITIES BEEN EVALUATED?**

2 A. Yes, all effluent reuse facilities were evaluated
3 by professional consultants, SSU staff, and DEP
4 through the required reuse feasibility reports for
5 each of the facilities having reuse. These reports
6 are a matter of record and have been approved by
7 each entity and regulatory agency.

8 **Q. DO YOU MAINTAIN THAT REUSE FACILITIES SHOULD BE THE**
9 **100% USED AND USEFUL AS REQUESTED BY SSU?**

10 A. Yes. I believe it is quite clear why reuse
11 facilities should be 100% used and useful in my
12 direct testimony and exhibits. The financial
13 disincentive posed by a used and useful adjustment
14 to reuse facilities would be very direct because
15 the amount of investment required to provide reuse
16 is often substantial. Staff witness Shafer's
17 testimony speaks to this issue as well in that Mr.
18 Shafer mentions resource protection as one of the
19 Commission's goals. Reuse, as the Legislature has
20 recognized, is a means of resource protection. If
21 the Commission is to fulfill its resource
22 protection goal, it should provide utilities the
23 incentive to provide reuse which the Legislature
24 directed and DEP has repeatedly recommended through
25 a 100% used and useful percentage for reuse

1 facilities.

2 **Q. MR. BIDDY NEXT SUGGESTS A USED AND USEFUL**
3 **ADJUSTMENT TO THE DEEP INJECTION WELL ON MARCO**
4 **ISLAND. DO YOU THINK AN ADJUSTMENT SHOULD BE MADE**
5 **TO THE INJECTION WELL ON MARCO?**

6 A. No. 100% of the injection well's capacity is
7 required for the reverse osmosis water plant, and
8 the well also serves as back-up disposal source for
9 effluent reuse. Moreover, no less of a facility
10 could have been constructed to meet the present
11 functions.

12 **Q. DO YOU HAVE ANY GENERAL COMMENTS REGARDING THE**
13 **ADJUSTMENTS MR. BIDDY RECOMMENDS AS THEY APPEAR IN**
14 **THE EXHIBITS HE HAS ATTACHED TO HIS TESTIMONY?**

15 A. Yes, I would like to note the following
16 observations. In his exhibits, Mr. Bidy has not
17 accepted any prior Commission decisions on used and
18 useful. He makes no attempt to prove the
19 Commission was unaware of or misunderstood the
20 circumstances of its prior determination and
21 therefore erred in establishing used and useful. A
22 utility should not be penalized due to a witness's
23 lack of research, review and prudent consideration
24 of prior rate cases which were subjected to full
25 disclosure, public hearings and a full rate case

1 proceeding. Mr. Biddy completely ignored the
2 authority I cited in my direct testimony for the
3 proposition that used and useful should not
4 decrease from one case to the next where capacity
5 is unaffected, including Order No. PSC-93-1113-FOF-
6 WS, issued July 30, 1993, in General Development
7 Utilities, Inc.'s consolidated rate cases for
8 Silver Springs Shores and Port Labelle and Order
9 No. PSC-94-0739-FOF-WS, issued June 16, 1994, in
10 Utilities, Inc.'s rate case for Marion and Pinellas
11 Counties.

12 A practice of routinely readjusting used and
13 useful such as Mr. Biddy and Mr. Woelffer urge
14 would undermine the ability of the utility to
15 continue operations. Decisions to invest in plant
16 are made before plant is constructed. The prudence
17 of management in deciding to build plant must be
18 examined based on the facts and circumstances which
19 existed when that decision was made. For instance,
20 if a plant component is 100% used and useful at
21 time T^1 , that alone is fair justification showing
22 the utility's decision to build the plant was
23 prudent. The utility must be given the opportunity
24 to recover its investment as well as a return on
25 that plant. It is simply absurd to suggest that

1 when the demand placed on the plant at time T^2 is
2 10% or 20% less than at time T^1 (whether due to
3 conservation, price elasticity, rainfall, loss of
4 customers or any reason), the utility should be
5 denied recovery of and a return on a portion of
6 investment which the Commission already held was
7 prudent and needed when made. Putting it into
8 focus this way, only math is required to subtract
9 from rate base a dollar amount associated with a
10 reduction in demand; however, it is impossible for
11 the utility to similarly extract from plant-in-
12 service a portion of the prudent investment it
13 already made. Thus, a reduced used and useful
14 percentage in such situations is quite simply
15 punitive to the utility. Were the Commission to
16 adopt the practice of used and useful readjustments
17 as the intervenors suggest, investor owned
18 utilities, at a minimum, would face higher capital
19 costs caused by the pervasive risk of diminishing
20 returns which readjustment poses. Utilities would
21 be placed into financial crisis. Needless to say,
22 utilities would also have no motivation whatsoever
23 to promote conservation, for they would suffer used
24 and useful readjustment and greater revenue losses
25 if they did. Utilities would also have even less

1 of an incentive than they do now to take advantage
2 of economies of scale.

3 Mr. Biddy also errs in his recommendations by:
4 1) eliminating fire flows, 2) applying an
5 inappropriate peaking factor of 1.3 versus 2.0, 3)
6 lacking an understanding of SSU's ground tank
7 construction as related to its high service
8 pumping, 4) misapplying firm capacity to facilities
9 in direct conflict with State of Florida rules,
10 regulations, and determinations of law, 5)
11 advocating minimal facilities contrary to sound
12 engineering practice and the protection of the
13 environment, public health, safety and welfare, 6)
14 ignoring used and useful analyses as delineated in
15 prior Commission actions, and 7) contrary to DEP's
16 written recommendations, advocating removal of the
17 margins of reserve without consideration of the
18 resulting adverse impacts to sound long-term
19 economic stability for the rate payer and the
20 Company's ability to pay for prudently sized
21 facilities to protect the public health and the
22 environment an provide adequate service.

23 Mr. Biddy's testimony serves only to increase
24 costs to the customer in the long run; to expose
25 customers to minimal facilities, contrary to the

1 interests of the public health, the environment and
2 resource protection; and to increase the cost of
3 regulation.

4 **Q. MR. HARTMAN, HAVE YOU REVIEWED MR. LARKIN'S AND MS.
5 DERONNE'S DIRECT TESTIMONY?**

6 A. Yes.

7 **Q. DO YOU AGREE WITH THE ADJUSTMENTS REGARDING NON-
8 USED AND USEFUL WHICH THEY CALCULATE?**

9 A. No. Previously, I have commented on Mr. Biddy's
10 proposals. These witnesses adopt Mr. Biddy's
11 erroneous work and therefore they and the
12 calculations they propose are in error also. I
13 will not at this time address the specific
14 calculations Mr. Larkin and Ms. Deronne propose;
15 therefore, my comments are more general in nature.

16 **Q. DO YOU AGREE WITH TOTAL INCREASE TO NON-USED AND
17 USEFUL OF \$51,552,603 IDENTIFIED IN MR. LARKIN AND
18 MS. DERONNE'S TESTIMONY?**

19 A. No. Again, that value is based upon the erroneous
20 work I previously identified.

21 **Q. MR. HARTMAN, HAVE YOU REVIEWED STAFF AUDIT
22 EXCEPTION NUMBER 2, WHICH CONCERNS SSU'S
23 CONDEMNATION OF THE PROPERTY REFERRED TO AS THE
24 COLLIER PITS, AS WELL AS THE TESTIMONY OF STAFF
25 AUDITOR ROBERT F. DODRILL AS IT RELATES TO THAT**

1 **AUDIT EXCEPTION?**

2 A. Yes, I have. I would also note that Mr. Larkin and
3 Ms. DeRonne testify in support of Mr. Dodrill's
4 audit exception number 2, making no arguments other
5 than those made in the audit report.

6 **Q. ARE ALL OF THE 212.5 ACRES OF THE COLLIER PITS USED**
7 **AS A WATER SUPPLY SOURCE?**

8 A. Yes. I recommended SSU purchase that amount of
9 property as a minimum. First, the drawdown impacts
10 of pumping from this facility impact the entire
11 acreage condemned and more, as can be seen on
12 Exhibit 91 (GCH-8). This Exhibit displays the
13 drawdowns resulting from a 3.9 MGD withdraw during
14 wet and dry months and the subsurface capture zones
15 at various maturation stages. The South Florida
16 Water Management District has permitted these
17 impacts on the canal system which is hydraulically
18 connected by porous lime rock to the adjacent pits.
19 The Colliers' experts, my firm, and others all
20 demonstrated that the pits/lake system use not only
21 all 212.5 acres, but also water resources beneath
22 the other remaining Collier property to the east of
23 the canal. The wetlands clearly serve as
24 additional storage as reported by all the experts
25 involved in the case. It should also be noted that

1 DEP requires the control of a setback distance of a
2 minimum of 500 feet from the wetted perimeter.
3 This sanitary setback is necessary for pollution
4 mitigation and source integrity.

5 All witnesses who would advocate that only the
6 lake area is being used as a water supply source
7 ignore the facts, reality, the experts' opinions,
8 the regulatory analyses and such other requirements
9 necessary for use of the lakes as a water supply
10 source, such as access, pipeline easements, pump
11 station and storage tank property, facility berm
12 areas and the like. The facts as the experts have
13 reported and the regulatory agencies have
14 determined all conclude that the full acreage is
15 used, as well as the surrounding acreage not
16 purchased. The premise that the full 212.5 acres
17 is something less than 100% used and useful as a
18 water supply source is contrary to all the above
19 and completely insupportable.

20 **Q. WERE YOU INVOLVED IN THE CONDEMNATION ACTION FILED**
21 **BY SSU AGAINST THE COLLIER LAKES PROPERTY?**

22 A. Yes. SSU retained me as an engineering expert in
23 the matter. I have participated in dozens of
24 utility condemnation matters on behalf of both
25 condemnors and condemnees in several states, both

1 in cases where the acquisition concerned only
2 certain utility assets and entire utilities. On
3 each of the occasions where I have testified, I
4 have been accepted as an engineering valuation
5 expert.

6 **Q. DID YOU MAKE ANY RECOMMENDATIONS TO SSU CONCERNING**
7 **THE SETTLEMENT OF THE SSU CONDEMNATION ACTION?**

8 A. Yes. Exhibit 91 (GCH-9) contains a copy of my
9 recommendation to Southern States to settle the
10 action for a wrap around cost of \$8 million. The
11 rationale for my recommendation is fully explained
12 in the exhibit.

13 **Q. MARCO ISLAND RESIDENTS AND THEIR COUNSEL HAVE**
14 **SUGGESTED THAT SSU PAID TOO MUCH FOR THE MARCO**
15 **LAKES WATER SUPPLY -- DO YOU AGREE?**

16 A. No. The wrap around price paid by SSU for the
17 water supply was prudent and reasonable.
18 Assertions to the contrary have been
19 unsubstantiated. Based on my knowledge and
20 experience, I knew that the settlement, which I and
21 others worked hard to achieve, was prudent and
22 reasonable.

23 **Q. HAVE YOU REVIEWED THE DIRECT TESTIMONY OF MARCO**
24 **ISLAND CIVIC ASSOCIATION WITNESS MR. WOELFFER?**

25 A. Yes.

- 1 Q. MR. WOELFFER QUESTIONS WHY THE ERC NUMBERS IN THE E
2 SCHEDULES DO NOT MATCH THOSE IN THE F SCHEDULES.
3 COULD YOU TELL US WHAT THE ERC'S PRESENTED IN THE F
4 SCHEDULES REPRESENT?
- 5 A. The ERC's in the F Schedules represent ERC's based
6 on plant flows and/or meter equivalency factors for
7 used and useful purposes. The figures in the E
8 Schedules are prepared for rate design purposes and
9 need not match those for the F Schedules.
- 10 Q. ON PAGES 15 AND 16 OF HIS TESTIMONY, MR. WOELFFER
11 ALLEGES YOU ARE INCONSISTENT BY ADVOCATING USE OF A
12 SINGLE MAXIMUM DAY IN THIS CASE, WHEREAS YOU DID
13 NOT IN AN ENGLEWOOD WATER DISTRICT MATTER. DO YOU
14 HAVE ANY COMMENT REGARDING MR. WOELFFER'S TESTIMONY
15 AND HIS EXHIBIT _____ (MTW-1)?
- 16 A. Yes, Mr. Woelffer makes several errors with respect
17 to this portion of his testimony. First of all,
18 the Exhibit he relies on for the notion that I have
19 made inconsistent statements pertains to a
20 **wastewater** facility, not a **water** facility. My
21 testimony in this case is that used and useful for
22 various water plant components be computed using a
23 single maximum day; I make no such recommendation
24 for wastewater plants. If Mr. Woelffer had
25 selected the Englewood Water District ("EWD")

1 Report for **water** facilities, rather than the report
2 for **wastewater** facilities, he would have seen I
3 used the single maximum day demand for the EWD
4 water facilities, just as I advocate in this case.
5 Further, EWD, is a not-for-profit entity. The EWD
6 report Mr. Woelffer attached to his testimony was a
7 capital contribution charge study (Impact Fee
8 Study) and not a used and useful study for a rate
9 case.

10 **Q. DO YOU HAVE ANY OTHER COMMENTS REGARDING MR.**
11 **WOELFFER'S TESTIMONY?**

12 **A.** Yes. Mr. Woelffer states that he should be
13 considered a technical expert. I am personally
14 knowledgeable that in the (1) West Charlotte
15 Utilities rate case Mr. Woelffer refers to he was a
16 customer intervenor; (2) in both the EWD matters he
17 refers to he provided customer comments; and (3)
18 his background, experience and training is not in
19 water and wastewater utilities by his own admission
20 and previous testimony; and (4) he has demonstrated
21 on numerous occasions, as well as in this case,
22 that he simply does not understand the necessary
23 fundamentals to testify knowledgeably about water
24 and wastewater utility matters. He does not know
25 the appropriate demand condition for a water or

1 wastewater plant, that an impact fee study for a
2 publicly owned utility would employ a different
3 methodology than an investor-owned used and useful
4 analysis in a rate case would, and he otherwise
5 demonstrates a lack of professional experience and
6 knowledge relative to the Florida rules,
7 regulations and statutes which are applied to water
8 and wastewater facilities. Any opinions Mr.
9 Woelffer offers in this case should be viewed as
10 those of a customer (if he is one) or as a
11 concerned citizen of the State.

12 **Q. HAVE YOU REVIEWED THE PREFILED TESTIMONY OF JOHN**
13 **STARLING?**

14 A. Yes.

15 **Q. DO YOU HAVE ANY COMMENTS REGARDING THAT TESTIMONY?**

16 A. Yes. Mr. Starling has done a fine job in
17 identifying the types of treatment, the number of
18 plants, and performing his own theoretical cost
19 analysis. However, I would call to the
20 Commission's attention that there are many other
21 costs not shown in Mr. Starling's analysis and that
22 the validity of the exact values may vary by their
23 exclusion, which Mr. Starling concedes. What is
24 shown is that reverse osmosis ("R.O.") is
25 significantly more expensive in all categories.

1 R.O. treats saline water, not fresh water; yet, all
2 other conventional treatment techniques treat fresh
3 or non-saline water. I do not dispute that each
4 treatment type has different costs. However, it is
5 quite evident that R.O. has the distinguishing
6 characteristic of treating saline water and is
7 considerably more expensive than conventional
8 treatment techniques.

9 **Q. DO YOU HAVE ANY OTHER COMMENTS REGARDING MR.**
10 **STARLING'S TESTIMONY?**

11 A. Yes. Mr. Starling calculated an average per unit
12 cost for each type of treatment which he then
13 multiplied by a capacity requirement to arrive at a
14 hypothetical plant cost for each type of treatment.
15 In calculating the average per unit costs, Mr.
16 Starling did not account for the economies of scale
17 which clearly impact the per unit costs of the
18 various utility plants he examined. Had Mr.
19 Starling considered the economies of scale, perhaps
20 through a weighted average to calculate per unit
21 costs, the values he arrived at would differ.

22 **Q. YOU MENTIONED EARLIER THAT DR. BEECHER'S TESTIMONY**
23 **ALSO REFERS TO ECONOMIES OF SCALE. WHAT COMMENTS**
24 **WOULD YOU LIKE THE COMMISSION TO CONSIDER REGARDING**
25 **HER TESTIMONY?**

1 A. On page 10 of her testimony, Dr. Beecher correctly
2 recites the various cost factors impacting the
3 water and wastewater industry and refers to the
4 attainment of economies of scale. On page 20 of
5 her testimony, she seems to indicate that for the
6 greatest economies of scale of production to result
7 from single-tariff pricing, a physical
8 interconnection of plants is required. She also
9 seems to indicate that some economies of scale are
10 derived without physical interconnection. I agree
11 a physical interconnection of plants produces
12 economies of scale in production. However, I do
13 not believe economies of scale in production are
14 entirely dependent upon a physical interconnection
15 of plants for single-tariff pricing to impact
16 economies of scale. Single-tariff pricing can
17 serve to encourage economies of scale in production
18 notwithstanding the physical interconnection of
19 plants by virtue of its allowing the utility to
20 make investment decisions to best accomplish or
21 attain an economy of scale.

22 **Q. IT HAS BEEN SUGGESTED BY SSU CUSTOMERS TESTIFYING**
23 **AT THE MARCO ISLAND SERVICE HEARING THAT SSU SHOULD**
24 **HAVE PURSUED OBTAINING WATER FROM THE CITY OF**
25 **NAPLES AS OPPOSED TO CONDEMNING THE COLLIER PITS.**

1 **WERE YOU INVOLVED IN THE NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN SSU**
2 **AND THE CITY OF NAPLES CONCERNING THE POTENTIAL OF**
3 **SSU'S SECURING WATER SUPPLIES FROM THE CITY?**

4 A. Yes. As a result of my participation, I am aware
5 that while the City of Naples never withdrew from
6 the negotiations, the City indicated to SSU that
7 SSU would be required to compensate the City for
8 costs associated with building a new wellfield as
9 demands required more flow in excess of present
10 capacity to accommodate SSU's required capacity.
11 This factor, when combined with the Company's cost
12 for a pipeline, storage, pump stations, metering,
13 valving, land, professional fees and other costs,
14 which already exceeded the Collier Pit alternative,
15 caused SSU to cease negotiations with the City.

16 **Q. COULD YOU EXPLAIN THE CITY'S NEW WELLFIELD SCENARIO**
17 **FURTHER?**

18 A. Yes. During negotiations with the City, SSU
19 learned that the City's coastal wellfield had
20 experienced a water quality degradation in the
21 past. Thus, a significant factor which the City
22 and SSU confronted was whether incremental draws of
23 water from the wellfield to sell to SSU would
24 result in the loss of the wellfield as a supply
25 source due to water quality difficulties. The City

1 could not provide SSU with the exact cost of the
2 new wellfield or provide a fixed dollar figure
3 which SSU would be required to pay to the City. It
4 was SSU's assessment of the situation was that
5 SSU's cost of a pipeline, pumping facilities,
6 capacity contribution costs, potential exposure to
7 additional capacity contributions for a new
8 wellfield and other costs of the project made the
9 project less economical than the Collier Pit
10 alternative. Also, the unknowns associated with
11 when the City would build a new wellfield and how
12 much SSU's contribution would be presented an
13 unknown future liability.

14 **Q. DOES THIS COMPLETE YOUR REBUTTAL TESTIMONY?**

15 A. Yes, at this time. However, I note that several
16 witnesses reserved the right to update their
17 testimony at some future date. Of course if and
18 when such updates occur, I would appreciate the
19 opportunity to make such appropriate modifications
20 to my testimony as would be warranted.

1 Q (By Mr. Feil) Mr. Hartman, do you have
2 prepared summaries of your prefiled direct and
3 prefiled rebuttal?

4 A Yes, I have.

5 Q And those are separated by direct and
6 rebuttal are they not?

7 A Yes, they are.

8 Q Could you please tell the Commission your
9 prefiled summary of your direct testimony first.

10 A Yes. My direct testimony includes various
11 topics and points.

12 The first is that the historic maximum daily
13 demand for water systems, not wastewater systems, but
14 water systems be utilized in determining used and
15 useful calculations. This is consistent with the
16 state FDEP rules and regulations; it's consistent with
17 the 1982 memoranda in the Commission consideration of
18 design standards for water and wastewater facilities
19 that should be considered.

20 This is somewhat different than the average
21 of the five maximum days in a maximum month.

22 The second is that the used and useful
23 determinations, once made, should not be changed
24 unless additional plant is constructed, or in a rare
25 case, some error has been made. There should be proof

1 of an actual error, not necessarily a compromise.

2 The third point was that land and facilities
3 for reuse should be considered 100% used and useful as
4 a regulatory requirement and as a policy that the
5 Commission had in 1982, as well as buttressed by the
6 statutes of the state of Florida.

7 The fourth point was that the margin
8 reserves for this case be considered as three years
9 for water treatment facilities, five years for
10 wastewater, and then the one year margin reserves for
11 lines, water and wastewater respectively.

12 But also when a hydraulic model is used a
13 hydraulic model is superior to a lot count situation.
14 In fact, when you go back to the first aspect of the
15 rules and regulation of FDEP, that a hydraulic
16 analysis -- hydraulic analysis is required for the
17 design of all facilities. It's a regulatory
18 requirement for hydraulic analysis. And, in fact, in
19 1982 this Commission, in the engineering division,
20 supported a hydraulic analysis of the water systems.
21 That was your policy. So that was something that you
22 considered back then.

23 Things have changed over time. But back
24 then there was compliance with rules and regulations
25 of the state of Florida.

1 That these threshold requirements for
2 minimum sizing such as a six-inch pipe for fire
3 protection, you cannot invest less money to serve the
4 customer when you provide fire protection on a dead
5 end pipe other than a six-inch by example; that a
6 threshold facility required as a minimum be considered
7 100% used and useful for service. This also was
8 considered before.

9 That once a threshold facility is provided,
10 that there shouldn't be risk of investment for that
11 threshold facility. If a minimum size facility is
12 provided to meet a customer demand, and then the
13 demand goes away, whether it's variability in demand
14 that used and useful is not adjusted downward because
15 of that.

16 That the 18-month margin reserve provisions
17 are contrary really to the historical practices going
18 back to the Commission that provide up to 15 to 20%
19 margin reserves on a case-by-case basis. When you
20 look back a decade you can see that margin reserves
21 were considered not on a formulaic basis but on a
22 case-by-case basis that imputation of CIAC on the
23 margin reserve basically negates it. Because margin
24 reserves are for covering that period of time, and you
25 impute the CIAC, then there's very little difference

1 in that situation, and there's very little benefit
2 from the margin reserve.

3 I mention in my direct testimony that
4 cities, counties and not-for-profits all plan, based
5 on the State Comprehensive Planning Act a minimum of
6 five years in their capital improvement plan and
7 capital necessity budgets, 9J-5. They do not imput
8 connections for CIAC against that planning period.

9 Hydraulic analyses are generally accepted
10 and required by the state of Florida. Modeling is a
11 superior way of analysis when the analysis is large.
12 It accurately reflects the reality of the facilities
13 and, therefore, the investment, and used and useful
14 should track the investment and the reality of the
15 facilities.

16 The demands, the fire flows, the emergency
17 provisions, the public health, safety and welfare
18 requirements of the state of Florida, as well as the
19 economy of scale.

20 There are two major types of water
21 facilities in the state of Florida. One is treating
22 fresh water with a variety of treatment techniques.
23 The second is to treat saline water with
24 demineralization. And I would support those two
25 distinct categories of water treatment because they

1 are quite different in the industry and quite
2 different in investment. That summarizes my direct
3 testimony.

4 Q Could you please proceed with a summary of
5 your rebuttal testimony, Mr. Hartman?

6 A In my rebuttal I point out that the OPC and
7 intervenors do not reflect and do not show the economy
8 of scale situation. And there's a situation that
9 without clarification the customer actually is harmed
10 if you don't provide for the economy of scale. And
11 I'd like to go through a few boards very quickly and
12 describe that.

13 MR. REILLY: Matt, could you identify the
14 page number in the exhibit that reflects the schedule
15 that he's about to --

16 MR. FEIL: Since I cannot see the boards
17 simultaneously to his going through them, I can tell
18 you that they are in GCH-6.

19 MR. REILLY: And page?

20 MR. FEIL: I'm surmising that he'll begin
21 with Page 3 or Page 1.

22 CHAIRMAN CLARK: Mr. Feil, the first one up
23 here is GCH-5.

24 MR. FEIL: I think that the exhibits may
25 have been renumbered. He may have GCH-5 up on the

1 bored but it's GCH-6 in the prefiled rebuttal.

2 WITNESS HARTMAN: It's the last --

3 MR. FEIL: Oh, excuse me.

4 CHAIRMAN CLARK: Do you have the microphone?

5 MR. FEIL: Excused me. Mr. Hartman is
6 correct, GCH-5 in the prefiled rebuttal is a summary
7 sheet which is apparently the board he has up there
8 now. Excuse me.

9 WITNESS HARTMAN: The first board I have is
10 the overall -- and what I'll do is show this to
11 everyone so that everyone can see it -- is an overall
12 summary of what the economy of scale concept is. It's
13 this portion of my rebuttal testimony.

14 As an overview, and for a typical water
15 system, we have a well, we may or may not have ground
16 storage, a chlorination system, high service pump,
17 hydropneumatic tank, emergency power and then a whole
18 water treatment facility. This is a facility
19 component.

20 What we've done is we've looked at the
21 economy of scale and this is the increasing economy of
22 scale, the transition area and the decreasing economy
23 of scale with each of those components, and we have
24 data throughout the state of Florida on numerous water
25 and wastewater systems. These are facts. These are

1 known phenomena in the state of Florida.

2 That with larger facilities the dollar per
3 gallon goes down. You can see that even -- if I can
4 make the analogy to a grocery store. You can buy a
5 single box of corn flakes for 50 cents, costs you 50
6 cents to go there and come back, or you can buy the
7 family size box of corn flakes for \$1.60 and 50 cents
8 to go back and forth and the family size would last
9 for a week. So one costs you a dollar a day; the
10 other costs you 30 cents a day. When you apply used
11 and useful you get back the dollar per day when you
12 buy the individual package. But if you buy the family
13 size package, you only get back 30 cents a day and
14 don't have enough money to even go back to the store.

15 What you have is this concept, and this is
16 recognized by Staff in 1978, 1982, etcetera, that
17 there is an economy of scale. And that should be
18 promoted by this Commission for a savings to the
19 customer.

20 I'm taking one very simple example. A steel
21 ground storage reservoir. You can look at the
22 capacity of that reservoir and then the cost. A
23 25,000 gallon steel reservoir would cost \$42,000. Yet
24 100,000 gallon reservoir would cost \$77,550; 42 times
25 4 is a lot more than \$77,000. So you can see that

1 there's an economy of scale with that facility as you
2 get larger, so there should be a benefit when you look
3 at the costing, capital cost of these facilities.

4 MR. PELLEGRINI: Excuse me, Mr. Hartman,
5 could you identify the page number as you use the
6 exhibits?

7 WITNESS HARTMAN: This is GCH-6, steel
8 ground reservoir tank costs.

9 MR. FEIL: That's Page 3, Mr. Pellegrini.

10 MR. PELLEGRINI: Thank you.

11 WITNESS HARTMAN: The next is the expansion
12 using 25,000 gallon tanks. This is GCH-6.

13 MR. FEIL: I believe that is Page 5.

14 WITNESS HARTMAN: And what you can do is go
15 with the smallest tank size. Let's take the 25,000
16 gallon tank meeting a demand of 25,000 gallons. Okay.
17 Great. You put in the tank. It's \$42,000. It's 100%
18 used and useful. You have \$42,000 in rate base. The
19 customer pays for \$42,000. Then as demand increases
20 -- and we're just showing 3% growth, but in my report
21 I show a whole series of different growth percentages
22 -- after a little bit of time, you've got to expand
23 that plant to 50,000 gallons. So then what do you do?
24 You make another \$42,000 investment and this is with
25 zero inflation. I have it with zero, 3, 5, different

1 inflation rates also. But the real simple one was no
2 inflation. \$42,000 more, so now we have \$84,000
3 invested.

4 The percent used and useful drops way down.
5 It drops down to around the 55%, or so, 53%, and then
6 continues upwards. What money the customer is paying
7 for, though, exceeds \$50,000. What is in rate base
8 now as it keeps going up is quite great. And that's
9 what the customer is paying a return on, as well as
10 paying in rate base.

11 With a 3% growth rate 20 years later you put
12 in another tank, and then with renewals and
13 replacements and other tankage put in. So you can see
14 with small tankage you can stay fairly close to 70%
15 used and useful to 100% used and useful on an average
16 basis throughout the life of the facility at a very
17 low growth rate. So from a investment standpoint,
18 from the investor standpoint, I get more of my money
19 back. For the customer I'm going to show you they pay
20 more. Let's just take the next size tank --

21 MR. FEIL: This is Page 6 of GCH-6.

22 A -- which is a 50,000 gallon standard tank.
23 Okay. Well, Year One, with your policies right now
24 you get about a 50% used and useful. The investment
25 is only 55,000. Remember the other was \$42,000. So

1 in rate base Year One is only \$27,000. So the
2 investor is carrying, being hurt \$27,000. As you go
3 out with time, it takes a long time with a 3% growth
4 rate before you put in your next 50,000 gallon tank.
5 It then goes up to 100,000 gallon capacity. Your
6 total investment is \$110,000, less than the total but
7 look at the used and useful percentages. Here it's
8 50%, gets up to maybe, you know, 80, 90%, and then
9 drops down to 50%, and then works its way back up.
10 The average of this is well below the average of the
11 other. So the portion of investment the investor is
12 getting back is much less.

13 The 100,000 gallon per day tank is the next
14 one. It's a similar situation. It's a very simple
15 graph. You're only going to 100,000 gallons. So it
16 just goes up, practically the same. The initial money
17 in used and useful is only \$22,000, so the spread, the
18 carry on the company is very, very great. Where do
19 you put the cost burden? And we talk about used and
20 useful as allocating costs between company and
21 customers. And here the company would be carrying so
22 much of the cost.

23 In the analysis, and I'm just going to do
24 this very quickly, I'm available for cross examination
25 on this, but when you look at these curves we had that

1 left-hand side --

2 MR. PELLEGRINI: Excuse me, Mr. Hartman,
3 where are you? What pages?

4 WITNESS HARTMAN: This is the 3% growth rate
5 and the multiple interest rate and multiple growth
6 rate chart.

7 MR. FEIL: That begins on Page 17,
8 Mr. Pellegrini.

9 MR. PELLEGRINI: Thank you.

10 WITNESS HARTMAN: If you look at the various
11 places on the chart, left of the curve, transition or
12 decreasing economy of scale, if you go to the
13 left-hand side, you can look at inflation rates of no
14 inflation, 2.5 or 2.45, 5% inflation. Look at cost of
15 money, 5%, 7%, 9%, things like that and you can run
16 through a present worth analysis of this, which we
17 did. It shows in every place on those curves, that
18 the smallest sized facility is not the most cost
19 effective for the customer. Never to the left when
20 you have increasing economy of scale, in the
21 transition or with the decreasing economy of scale in
22 water and wastewater facilities, when you just have a
23 little bit of growth, you have to have a no-growth
24 situation, to have the smallest sized facility to be
25 cost effective.

1 To explain this a little bit better, I've
2 provided a summary.

3 MR. FEIL: Mr. Pellegrini, this chart is not
4 included in the rebuttal exhibits, but it's simply
5 showing the same thing on Pages 17, 18 and 19 a
6 different way.

7 WITNESS HARTMAN: This just summarizes the
8 economy of scale situation.

9 You can see that where you are in the chart
10 makes no difference, the small size tank costs the
11 most on a present worth cost. Here the medium size
12 tank is the best choice for economic growth of that
13 community. That's what should be built. As
14 engineers, we would recommend that. Here slightly the
15 largest tank, under this condition, zero inflation,
16 100,000 gallon tank with a different growth rate would
17 be the least cost and we would recommend that, but
18 only 25% of the investment would be in used and
19 useful. That company has a disincentive to do that.

20 To summarize the economy of scale situation
21 for you, what I would mention is what we used -- what
22 was contemplated back in the '80s and what the
23 engineering judgment that used to be applied in used
24 and useful did. You looked at the minimum investment.

25 COMMISSIONER KIESLING: I have a question.

1 Is this one that's in the exhibit or is this another
2 one?

3 WITNESS HARTMAN: No, it's GCH Exhibit 6.

4 COMMISSIONER KIESLING: What page?

5 WITNESS HARTMAN: I'm sorry. It's 6, near
6 the end.

7 MR. FEIL: It's on Page 10, Madam
8 Commissioner.

9 WITNESS HARTMAN: And the next one will be
10 on Page 11.

11 And what makes the most sense for your
12 customers is to recognize an economy of scale. The
13 lowest total cost long term for your customer.

14 Look at the minimum size facility. Provide,
15 let's say, okay, build the larger size most cost-
16 effective facility. But in the used and useful
17 analysis don't penalize the company for building the
18 larger facility. Run it with the economy of scale up
19 to the investment in that facility. From the \$42,000
20 up to the \$55,000. Quench the cost of the customer
21 there. There's no additional burden on present
22 customers. They would have paid for the 25,000 gallon
23 tank anyway. But it keeps those customers from that
24 period of time forward paying no more than when the
25 system is expanded; in other words, it would be 100%

1 used and useful from here along the top here, down
2 here would be a little bit less. And then when you
3 expand, again follow the minimum size analysis and
4 then quench it going across here such that the used
5 and useful analysis when considered with the economy
6 of sale historically was not a straight line. We
7 considered the economies of building the larger
8 facility. So what we did, we said, "Okay, that's the
9 minimum size. We'll allow that much in used and
10 useful, but then we'll stop it at such long term the
11 customers save tremendous amounts of dollars. That's
12 the practice in used and useful that should be
13 happening here. And it used to be considered here.
14 We've gotten to a formula now. We're not taking
15 engineering reality of investment and facility
16 considerations into play.

17 COMMISSIONER DEASON: Mr. Hartman, could you
18 put that back up for a moment. I have a question.

19 (Witness Hartman complies.)

20 The area on your graph which are the
21 diagonal lines that are fairly close together, and
22 then the area to the left, what does that represent?

23 WITNESS HARTMAN: Those represent the
24 dollars of savings to the customer by the economy of
25 scale versus the minimum plant sizing. So in other

1 words, the customer will actually save these dollars
2 in used and useful by using this approach, the economy
3 of scale.

4 COMMISSIONER DEASON: Now, in this example
5 your recommendation to the Company would be to
6 construct the 50,000 gallon tank; is that correct?

7 WITNESS HARTMAN: That would be the
8 engineering recommendation.

9 COMMISSIONER DEASON: Okay. And you're
10 saying that starting Year One the used and useful
11 should be the cost of constructing the 25,000 gallon
12 tank; is that correct?

13 WITNESS HARTMAN: That's the demand on the
14 system. Yes, the minimum size to meet the demand.

15 COMMISSIONER DEASON: Not a percentage of
16 the cost of the 50, but the cost of the minimum which
17 could have --

18 WITNESS HARTMAN: Met the demands.

19 COMMISSIONER DEASON: -- could have met the
20 demand but was not the most economic choice.

21 WITNESS HARTMAN: That's right.

22 COMMISSIONER DEASON: Okay. Now, as demand
23 increases, how do you recommend that used and useful
24 be calculated?

25 WITNESS HARTMAN: It would follow the demand

1 on the same percentage -- as demand would go up to the
2 investment. Once it got to the investment, it's
3 quenched, no additional growth.

4 COMMISSIONER DEASON: 100% used and useful.

5 WITNESS HARTMAN: Yes, and no additional
6 dollars in rate base. It goes across and you save
7 money for those customers.

8 This is in the policy, 1982 memorandum to
9 this Commission. I think it was a May 12th workshop
10 that you had, the concept of providing for the used
11 and useful through economies of scale were basically
12 adopted, but concurred upon by the Commission.

13 COMMISSIONER GARCIA: Just out of curiosity
14 I'd say that the system made a miscalculation. The
15 Company made a miscalculation and built a system for
16 half a million gallons and a plant of 25,000 can meet
17 that demand, then the only used and useful would be
18 for the cost of building a \$25,000 plant and the
19 Company would eat the rest.

20 WITNESS HARTMAN: That's correct. That's
21 exactly -- here, you can have a bigger spread here.
22 If someone wanted to go out and build, instead of
23 these 25s and 50s -- well, let me show you the
24 hundred, there's a bigger spread. In the 100,000
25 gallon situation, which is, Commissioner, your analogy

1 is a little bit bigger spread, it takes longer to get
2 there, but the customer would pay the same amount that
3 they would have paid anyway for the minimum size
4 facility necessary to provide the service, the 25,000
5 gallon, even though you built 100,000. The 100,000
6 gives you other benefits; more reliability, more
7 emergency service, more redundancy, more environmental
8 protection. There's a lot of other benefits, but the
9 customer is only exposed to the investment of the
10 minimum sized facility. Then over time it reaches the
11 100% used and useful. And then from the rest of the
12 time, all of that money versus the small facility
13 savings, versus the small facility expansions, would
14 be saved by the customers. That's what we do in
15 not-for-profit nonregulated utilities. I do most of
16 my practice in those facilities. I do these analyses
17 and show the decision makers that's the right way to
18 go. That's the way it used to be done here in the
19 early '80s. We've gone off to a simple formula.

20 MR. PELLEGRINI: Chairman Clark.

21 CHAIRMAN CLARK: Mr. Pellegrini.

22 MR. PELLEGRINI: May I ask Mr. Feil if
23 Mr. Hartman would supply the summary chart as a
24 late-filed exhibit?

25 WITNESS HARTMAN: Sure.

1 MR. PELLEGRINI: Do you know the one I mean,
2 the one you used towards the end of your
3 demonstration?

4 WITNESS HARTMAN: Yes, sir.

5 CHAIRMAN CLARK: All right. That will be
6 Exhibit 92 and it's the summary page which was part of
7 his exhibits.

8 Does that include his rebuttal summary?

9 WITNESS HARTMAN: That's on the economy of
10 scale, Madam Chairman.

11 CHAIRMAN CLARK: Okay.

12 (Exhibit No. 92 marked for identification.)

13 WITNESS HARTMAN: My next rebuttal aspect is
14 for the margin reserve.

15 It's necessary due to the economic benefit
16 to the customer, public health, safety and welfare,
17 and reduction in regulatory costs. It's not good for
18 the customers to keep going back and having the
19 Company come back for rate cases repeatedly. There is
20 a regulatory cost associated with that that's
21 administered to all of the customers.

22 In the 1982 memoranda margins of reserve are
23 shown not for a short time period necessarily, but
24 from 15 to 20%. And that provided for the variability
25 and demand over the asset life. Understand the

1 variability demand in one year is totally
2 inappropriate when you build an asset that has an
3 asset life of 30 to 50 years. Demands change,
4 policies change, laws change in the state of Florida
5 in 30 to 50 years.

6 Fire flows should be in used and useful --
7 and this is responding to Mr. Bidy -- when fire
8 service is being provided. It's stated so many
9 different times. And, of course, I have to rebut the
10 provision that to remove all fire flows out of this
11 rate case in used and useful. That is an element of
12 providing for the public health, safety and welfare.
13 When fire service is provided it should be in used and
14 useful. It's been done many, many times, and it
15 should be part of that.

16 Instantaneous peaks can come from wells and
17 hydropneumatic tanks and this is again rebutting
18 Mr. Bidy. He said that wells and hydropneumatic
19 tanks should not be meeting instantaneous peaks,
20 rather, ground storage reservoirs. It's common
21 practice. The largest reservoir in the state of
22 Florida is the Florida aquifer when it is available
23 and of high quality.

24 There are many systems throughout the state
25 of Florida that are simply a well and hydropneumatic

1 tank because it pulls from a vast fresh water reserve.
2 Now, in other areas where the resources are not
3 available, of course, different configurations would
4 be present; those would be storage tanks, etcetera.

5 I cannot condone the advocacy of a change in
6 process to lower used and useful, and Mr. Bidy in his
7 testimony mentions that, "Well, because a treatment
8 plant is in the extended aeration mode, but could be
9 in the future contact stabilization," ignoring that it
10 costs more capital investment to get there, ignoring
11 that it has different operational and maintenance
12 costs, ignoring it changes the useful life of the
13 facility. But because it could be we're going to
14 reduce the used and useful because you can get more
15 sewage through that facility and have less
16 environmental protection. There's no basis for that.

17 To exclude the redundant capacity or the
18 reliability capacity -- it's a requirement to have two
19 wells. To exclude a well because a backup pump make
20 do and only one component should have reliability is
21 illogical. Okay. Let's think about that. Well, if
22 we only exclude one high service pump, what happens if
23 one well goes down? We can't pump the same amount.
24 It's the continuum. The facilities are only as good
25 as the chain all the way through. You can't just pick

1 one of the components, or the least cost component for
2 reliability purposes to have one out of service, and
3 then write your used and useful on all the rest. It's
4 against --

5 MR. REILLY: Commissioner Clark, could I
6 inquire just for a minute? Is this an opportunity
7 just to readvocate all of the points in the testimony
8 or is it going to be more in the nature of a summary?
9 It's really your pleasure.

10 CHAIRMAN CLARK: Well, he's summarizing his
11 testimony and this matter is in his testimony.

12 MR. REILLY: Okay.

13 WITNESS HARTMAN: So that is inappropriate.
14 MCD-05, U.S. EPA, reliability requirements of the
15 state of Florida are 100% against that position. So a
16 finding in that area has no basis, the argument and
17 rebuttal on the 1.3 peaking factor for peak hour to
18 maximum day.

19 Reference to Manual Practice 31. But has no
20 applicability when you look at the range 1.3 to 2.
21 The 1.3 is for the largest systems. Now, as I said in
22 my summary and in my deposition, the Pinellas County
23 water system that serves a bulk, as many as 1.5
24 million people, far bigger than Southern States
25 Utilities has a maximum -- or peak hour to maximum day

1 ratio of 1.5 greater than what Mr. Bidy says should
2 be applied to all of the SSU systems. I have -- later
3 on, if you wish, I have in my testimony in the backup
4 sheets of the work we did, we have a statistical
5 analysis of non-SSU systems that show that two times
6 maximum day for peak hour on smaller systems is
7 appropriate. And I can take off 20 or 30 cities that
8 their actual data backs that up besides Southern
9 States. 1.3 has no basis at all.

10 Not to have emergency storage because it's
11 not specifically required. Under 471, Florida
12 Statutes, for professional engineer you must consider
13 emergency storage. You must provide for emergencies
14 in your water and sewer systems. For an engineer to
15 ignore that is inappropriate. For this Commission to
16 ignore the rules and regulations of the state of
17 Florida that address that is inappropriate. We have
18 included it. We don't think it should be arbitrarily
19 rejected.

20 Hydro tanks and auxiliary power to be fully
21 utilize. In the used and useful analysis that we've
22 done and the economy of scale analysis, you'll see
23 that these facilities have a tremendous economy of
24 scale. They are fully used. Understand a
25 hydropneumatic tank. You use the entire tank all of

1 the time. It's 100% in service. It provides the
2 chlorine contact time for disinfection for the proper
3 public health of the customers. And to say that only
4 a portion of it is used is wrong. It's not even
5 close.

6 To ignore the prior decisions of the
7 Commission on used and useful, I feel, puts the
8 Company and puts the detailed analysis to a scrutiny
9 that is not really founded. There was a prior
10 decision made, there was a lot of consideration made,
11 and to open up all of that I don't believe is
12 appropriate.

13 The 160-acre site, and I guess this comes up
14 with my Marco Island experience, should be looked at
15 even in comparison to the Marco Pits. The Marco Pits
16 were an investment of \$8 million. Understand that
17 investment.

18 That investment was not only for the
19 property, it was also for all of the damages and
20 impacts -- it says it right on the order -- as well as
21 attorney fees and costs for the acquisition of those
22 properties because the owner of the property was not
23 willing to sell.

24 That acquisition of water resources for the
25 public health, safety and welfare of those people of

1 Marco Island so they could continue to drink water was
2 essential.

3 There are a matter of record alternative
4 analysis that that are in our report that shows the
5 least cost alternative. So there's no basis really to
6 reduce the used and useful of those facilities less
7 than 100%. They were found 100% before. But let's
8 take that one step further: What is the rational to
9 reduce it from 100%, wetted area to total area of the
10 parcel? If you did that for North Port and GDU it
11 would be the 13% used and useful for the reservoir.
12 That was not the case. If you did that for Manatee
13 County in the public system, it would be 10% used and
14 useful for the entire reservoir for Manatee County.
15 That's not the case. It's not a rational analysis for
16 used and useful for investment in water source.

17 Understand that we went back from the
18 trenches and the pits to solely the pits. We
19 optimized the use of Henderson Creek and got a permit
20 to withdraw from Henderson Creek to go into it. The
21 previous was about 1,000 acres. It got cut down to
22 212 acres and the impacts off the property were paid
23 for in that overall thing. So 100% used and useful,
24 that source.

25 And that ends my rebuttal testimony.

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1 CHAIRMAN CLARK: Thank you.

2 MR. FEIL: Tender for cross.

3 CHAIRMAN CLARK: We're going to go ahead
4 take a break until 1:00 and then we will begin with
5 cross examination.

6 (Lunch recess 12:30 to 1:00 p.m.)

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Dear Mr. Williams:

Thank you for the opportunity to review the draft version of Rule 25-30.432, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.), "Used and Useful in Rate Case Proceedings." This version was hand-delivered on June 18 by Patti Daniel. We commented on a previous draft of this rule by letter dated July 30, 1992. It appears that many of our previous comments were not incorporated into this version. Our general and specific comments on the wastewater portions are enclosed.

If you have any questions about our comments, please contact Elsa Potts, P.E., Administrator, Domestic Wastewater Section, at the letterhead address or at 904/488-4524.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "RD Drew".

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General Comments

1. Section 403.064(6), Florida Statutes, states "Pursuant to Chapter 367, the Florida Public Service Commission shall allow entities which implement reuse projects to recover the full cost of such facilities through their rate structure." The intent of this statutory provision was that the full cost of capital investments be included in the cost recoverable through a rate structure. In essence, the entire cost of a reuse project should be considered used and useful. We recommend that Chapter 25-30, F.A.C., include this provision.
2. A significant wastewater management problem in Florida involves overloaded wastewater treatment facilities. Rule 17-600.405, F.A.C., (copy attached) is a pollution prevention measure designed to ensure that the permittees conduct the planning necessary to allow for timely expansion of the wastewater facilities. This rule contains requirements for capacity analysis reports. The capacity analysis report is a detailed assessment of flow projections as they relate to future needs for expansion of domestic wastewater facilities. Time frames are established in the rule for submittal of the initial capacity analysis report, as well as for updates of the report and for the planning design, and construction of expanded facilities. This rule became effective in 1991 and has been well received by the regulated public, as well as the utilities. We believe that Chapter 25-30, F.A.C., should allow utilities to recover investment for timely expansion of needed wastewater treatment facilities consistent with our rule requirements.

Specific Comments

1. Rule 25-30.432(3)(a), F.A.C. - Design and construction requirements for collection systems and transmission facilities are contained in Chapter 17-604, F.A.C. We suggest including this chapter as a reference.
2. Rule 25-30.432(4), F.A.C. - The statement "To encourage long-term planning and least cost system design, the Commission, at a minimum, shall consider as used and useful the level of investment that would have been required had the utility designed and constructed the system to serve only its existing customer base" is unclear. This statement doesn't seem to promote long-term planning. Suggest deletion of "To encourage long-term planning and least cost system design."
3. Rule 25-30.432(5)(a)4, F.A.C. - The margin reserve for treatment facilities is 12 percent of the permitted or actual ERC capacity, whichever is greater. The previous draft we reviewed contained a 20 percent margin reserve. We agree that there is a need to balance a utilities' incentive for making plant investment and planning for future needs with some type of mechanism to control imprudent investments in order to protect existing ratepayers. How was the 12 percent derived? Have other mechanisms to achieve this balance been explored?

4. Rules 25-30.432(5)(a)4 b and c, F.A.C. - It is suggested that definitions for "off-site" and "on-site" be included in the rule.
5. Rule 25-30.432(5)(a)4 e, F.A.C. - The relationship between "available capacity" and the used and useful default formulas is unclear. How were the 500 percent and five-year customer base derived?
6. Rules 25-30.432(5)(d)1 and 2, F.A.C. - The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) used the following standard in the Construction Grants program to determine if a system would be subject to further I/I analysis: No further I/I analysis will be necessary if domestic wastewater plus non-excessive infiltration does not exceed 120 gallons per capita per day (gpcd) during periods of high ground water. The total daily flow during a storm should not exceed 275 gpcd, and there should be no operational problems, such as surcharges, bypasses, or poor treatment performance resulting from hydraulic overloading of the treatment works during storm events. The PSC could consider this criteria as an alternative to the 500 gpd/inch/diameter/mile allowance for infiltration and 7 percent of treated flows allowance for inflow.
7. Rule 25-30.432(5)(d)1, F.A.C. - The rule states that a utility "has little control over inflow" and allows inflow of "7 percent of treated flows." There are numerous methods for correction of inflow sources, including manhole raising, manhole cover replacement, cross connection plugging, and drain disconnection. A utility should discover the locations of inflow, determine legitimacy and assign responsibility for cost-effective correction. How was the 7 percent of treated flows allowance for inflow derived?
8. Rule 25-30.432(5)(e), F.A.C. - It is suggested that analysis for "inflow" be added to this section. Cost effective correction of inflow should be encouraged.
9. Rule 25-30.432(6)(d) 3 and 4, F.A.C. - The basis of design of a WWTP can be stated in various ways including, annual average daily flow, maximum monthly average daily flow, or three-month average daily flow. It appears that only "Maximum Month Flow" is considered.
10. Rule 25-30.432(7)(h), F.A.C. - Firm reliable capacity is defined as the capacity of a treatment plant component in which "at least the largest unit is assumed to be out of service." Would a treatment plant with one aeration basin, without regard to design or permit capacity, be considered 100 percent used and useful because of no firm reliable capacity in the used and useful default formula? You could consider the use of the EPA technical bulletin entitled "Design Criteria for Mechanical, Electric, and Fluid System and Component Reliability" referenced in Rule 17-500.300(4)(1), F.A.C., for reliability criteria.

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July 30, 1992

Carol M. Browner, Secretary

Mr. Charles H. Hill, Director
Division of Water and Wastewater
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Dear Mr. Hill:

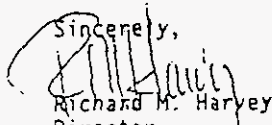
Thank you for the opportunity to review the draft version of Rule 25-30.432, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.), Used and Useful in rate case proceedings. Our specific comments are enclosed, but I would like to highlight two of our major concerns.

Section 403.064(6), Florida Statutes, states "Pursuant to Chapter 367, the Florida Public Service Commission shall allow entities which implement reuse projects to recover the full cost of such facilities through their rate structure." The intent of this statutory provision was that the full cost of capital investments be included in the costs recoverable through a rate structure. In essence, the entire cost of a reuse project should be considered used and useful. We recommend that Chapter 25-30, F.A.C., include this provision:

A significant wastewater management problem in Florida involves overloaded wastewater treatment facilities. Rule 17-600.405, F.A.C., (copy enclosed) is a pollution prevention measure designed to ensure that the permittees conduct the planning necessary to allow for timely expansion of the wastewater facilities. This rule contains requirements for capacity analysis reports. The capacity analysis report is a detailed assessment of flow projections as they relate to future needs for expansion of domestic wastewater facilities. Timeframes are established in the rule for submittal of the initial capacity analysis report as well as for updates of the report and for the planning design, and construction of expanded facilities. This rule became effective in 1991 and has been well received by the regulated public, as well as the utilities. We believe that Chapter 25-30, F.A.C., should allow utilities to recover investment for timely expansion of needed wastewater treatment facilities consistent with our rule requirements.

If you have any questions about our comments, please contact Robert Heilman, P.E., Chief, Bureau of Water Facilities Planning and Regulation, at the letterhead address or at 904/487-0563.

Sincerely,



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Enclosures

ENCLOSURE

Rule 25-30.432, F.A.C.

Used and Useful in Rate Case Proceedings

Specific Comments

1. Rule 25-30.432(3)(a), F.A.C. - Design and construction requirements for collection systems and transmission facilities are contained in Chapter 17-604, F.A.C. We suggest including this chapter as a reference.
2. Rule 25-30.432(4), F.A.C. - The statement that to "encourage long-term planning and least cost system design, the Commission, at a minimum, shall consider as used and useful the level of investment that would have been required had the utility designed and constructed the system to serve only its existing customer base" is unclear. This statement doesn't seem to promote long-term planning.
3. Rule 25-30.432(5), F.A.C. - The definition of ERC demand, as that used for design/permitting and actual historical demand, is unclear. When would each apply?
4. Rule 25-30.432(5)(a)4, F.A.C. - Here margin reserve for treatment facilities is 20 percent of the permitted or actual ERC capacity, whichever is greater. We agree that there is a need to balance a utilities' incentive for making plant investments and planning for future needs with some type of mechanism to control imprudent investments in order to protect existing ratepayers. How was the 20 percent derived? Have other mechanisms to achieve this balance been explored?
5. Rule 25-30.432(5)(a)4 ii and iii, F.A.C. - It is suggested that definitions for "off-site" and "on-site" be included in the rule.
6. Rule 25-30.432(5)(d)1, F.A.C. - The rule states that a utility "has little control over inflow." There are numerous methods for correction of inflow sources including, manhole raising, manhole cover replacement, cross connection plugging, and drain disconnection. A utility should discover the locations of inflow, determine legitimacy and assign responsibility for cost-effective correction.
7. Rule 25-30.432(5)(d)2, F.A.C. - The EPA used the following standard in the Construction Grants program to determine if a system would be subject to further I/I analysis: No further I/I analysis will be necessary if domestic wastewater plus non-excessive infiltration does not exceed 120 gallons per capita per day (gpcd) during periods of high groundwater. The total daily flow during a storm should not exceed 275 gpcd, and there should be no operational problems, such as

surcharges, bypasses, or poor treatment performance resulting from hydraulic overloading of the treatment works during storm events. You may want to consider this as an alternative to the Water Pollution Control Federation Manual of Practice No. 9.

8. Rule 25-30.432(5)(e), F.A.C. - It is suggested to add "inflow" in the first sentence of this section. Cost effective correction of inflow should be encouraged.
9. Rule 25-30.432(5)(f)2 ii, F.A.C. - We suggest that Number "2" be defined as the same time period as that used for Number "1" (capacity of the plant) in order for the formula to be consistent. The basis of design of a WWTP can be stated in various ways including, annual average daily flow, maximum monthly average daily flow, or three-month average daily flow. Also, we suggest that excessive "inflow" in Number "4" be added.

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATION

AND

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

The Florida Department of Environmental Regulation (DER) and the Florida Public Service Commission (PSC) recognize that water conservation and reuse of reclaimed water are key elements of Florida's long-term water management strategy. It is our joint goal and high priority to ensure that Florida water and wastewater utilities provide safe and efficient treatment and use of water and wastewater. This memorandum of understanding (MOU) formally establishes the policies and procedures to be followed by the DER and PSC to promote and encourage water conservation and reuse, and safe and efficient water supply and wastewater management services.

BACKGROUND

Water Supply

The Federal Safe Drinking Water Act requires certain monitoring, testing, treatment, and reporting to ensure the quality of potable waters. The Florida Safe Drinking Water Act, contained in Chapter 403, Florida Statute (F.S.), outlines the basic requirements for Florida's water supply program. Chapters 17-550, 17-551, 17-555, and 17-560, Florida Administrative Code (F.A.C.), contain specific requirements governing water supply in Florida. The PSC's responsibilities for regulation of private water supply utilities are outlined in Chapter 367, F.S.

Wastewater Management

The Federal Clean Water Act requires effective treatment and management of wastewater in order to protect the nation's ground water and surface water resources. Florida's wastewater management and environmental control programs are contained in Chapter 403, F.S. Specific regulations governing domestic wastewater management are contained in Chapters 17-600, 17-601, 17-602, 17-604, 17-610, 17-611, 17-640, and 17-650, F.A.C. The PSC's responsibilities for regulation of private wastewater utilities are outlined in Chapter 367, F.S.

Reuse of Reclaimed Water

The encouragement and promotion of water conservation and reuse of reclaimed water are established as state objectives in Section 403.064(1), F.S.

The DER has developed and implemented a comprehensive reuse program designed to meet those objectives. This reuse program includes:

1. Comprehensive rules governing the reuse of reclaimed water (Chapter 17-610, F.A.C.);
2. A mandatory reuse program;
3. An Antidegradation Policy;
4. The Indian River Lagoon System and Basin Act; and
5. Requirements for evaluation of reuse feasibility.

Section 403.064, F.S., requires that after January 1, 1992, all applicants for permits to construct or operate a domestic wastewater treatment facility in a critical water supply problem area evaluate the cost and benefits of reusing reclaimed water as part of their application for the permit.

The Antidegradation Policy is contained in Chapter 17-4, F.A.C., "Permits," and Chapter 17-302, F.A.C., "Surface Water Quality Standards." These rules require an applicant for a new or expanded discharge to surface waters to demonstrate that the discharge is clearly in the public interest. As part of this public interest test, the applicant must evaluate the feasibility of reuse of reclaimed water. If reuse is economically and technologically reasonable, it will be preferred over the surface water discharge.

The Indian River Lagoon System and Basin Act, which is contained in Chapter 90-262, Laws of Florida, provides increased protection to the Indian River Lagoon System. Section 3 of the Act requires the owner of an existing sewage treatment facility within the Indian River Lagoon Basin to investigate the feasibility of using reclaimed water for beneficial purposes. These reuse feasibility studies were to be completed before July 1, 1992.

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OBJECTIVES

The common objectives, as they relate to domestic water supply and wastewater management facilities subject to regulation by the DER and the PSC, are as follows:

1. To monitor water supply systems to ensure that safe and reliable water is produced and delivered in accordance with applicable rules and drinking water standards;
2. To monitor domestic wastewater systems to ensure the safe and efficient collection, treatment, and reuse or disposal of wastewater and residuals;
3. To encourage and promote water conservation and reuse of reclaimed water;
4. To foster conservation and to reduce the withdrawal of ground and surface water through employment of conservation-promoting rate structures, reuse of reclaimed water, and consumer education programs.

PSC RESPONSIBILITIES

The following presents the general description of the roles and responsibilities of the PSC related to water supply, water conservation, wastewater management, and reuse of reclaimed water. The PSC's jurisdiction is limited to economic regulation of investor-owned utilities and is effective in only some of the counties in Florida. The PSC will offer assistance to the extent provided by law and agency priority and workload. The PSC agrees to adopt and implement policies and procedures necessary to administer these duties.

Water supply

1. When appropriate, arrange for joint public meetings with customers to ensure that customers are aware of the need for water supply system improvement projects, and the potential impacts the projects will have on service rates.
2. Inform the DER of the PSC public meetings with customers and hearings in which water supply projects will be discussed.
3. Review proposed rate structures for private utilities within PSC jurisdiction.

4. Provide assistance in review of water conservation rate structures within PSC jurisdiction.
5. Monitor abandonment and bankruptcy proceedings for private water utilities within PSC jurisdiction. Inform the DER of pending abandonment and bankruptcy cases.
6. If an applicant for a DER permit challenges the interpretation of Section 367.031, F.S., the PSC agrees to provide legal and technical support to the DER in any related administrative hearings or legal proceedings.

Wastewater Management

1. When appropriate, arrange for joint public meetings with customers to ensure that customers are aware of the need for wastewater management system improvement projects, and the potential impacts the projects will have on service rates.
2. Inform the DER of the PSC public meetings with customers and hearings in which wastewater management projects will be discussed.
3. Review proposed rate structures for private wastewater management utilities within PSC jurisdiction.
4. Monitor abandonment and bankruptcy proceedings for private wastewater utilities within PSC jurisdiction. Inform the DER of pending abandonment and bankruptcy cases.
5. If an applicant for a DER permit challenges the interpretation of Section 367.031, F.S., the PSC agrees to provide legal and technical support to the DER in any related administrative hearings or legal proceedings.
6. The DER has adopted rules requiring utilities to perform timely planning, design, and construction of expanded facilities to ensure that sufficient wastewater treatment, disposal, and reuse capacity is available. In light of DER rules, the PSC agrees to evaluate capacity constraints imposed by statute and rules on private utilities within PSC jurisdiction, by PSC's application of the "used and useful" concept. If justified, this evaluation shall include assessment of possible need for statutory or rule revisions.

Reuse

1. When appropriate, arrange for joint public meetings with customers to ensure that customers are made aware of the need for reuse system improvement projects, and the potential impacts the projects will have on service rates.

2. Inform the DER of the PSC public meetings with customers and hearings in which reuse of reclaimed water will be discussed.
3. Provide feasibility analyses of the financial impacts, if any, of reuse system projects on both the customers and the wastewater utilities within PSC jurisdiction.
4. Within 10 days of receipt of a reuse feasibility study, the PSC staff shall review the document for completeness of the financial aspects and shall notify the DER whether or not the document is complete and whether or not the PSC will be able to conduct a complete review. If the PSC staff determines that it will be able to review the document, the PSC staff shall provide comments and recommendations to the DER within 30 days of receipt of the complete document.
5. Participate in appropriate DER hearings in which the feasibility of reuse will be discussed.
6. Review proposed rate structures for reuse projects for private utilities within PSC jurisdiction. As noted in Section 403.064(6), F.S., and pursuant to Chapter 367, F.S., the PSC shall allow utilities which implement reuse projects to recover the full cost of such facilities through their rate structures.
7. Assist the water management districts in review of reuse feasibility studies associated with the mandatory reuse program in Chapter 17-40, F.A.C., and other reuse-related activities of the water management districts in the counties within PSC jurisdiction. A separate MOU between the water management districts and the PSC governs these activities.

DER RESPONSIBILITIES

The following is a general description of the roles and responsibilities of the DER related to potable water supply, water conservation, wastewater management, and reuse of reclaimed water. The DER agrees to adopt and implement policies and procedures necessary to administer these duties.

Water Supply

1. Review applications for construction of potable water supply systems.
2. Monitor compliance of potable water supply systems with applicable rules and drinking water standards.

3. Notify the PSC of impending abandonment or bankruptcy cases involving water utilities and assist the PSC in such cases, as needed.
4. For utilities subject to Chapter 367, F.S., the DER shall verify the existence of a certificate of authorization or order indicating exempt status from the PSC before issuance of a construction permit for a new water system.

Wastewater Management

1. Review applications for construction and operation of domestic wastewater facilities.
2. Monitor compliance of domestic wastewater management facilities with applicable rules and effluent discharge limitations.
3. Monitor water quality in the State's ground waters and surface waters.
4. Notify the PSC of impending abandonment or bankruptcy cases involving wastewater utilities and assist the PSC in such cases, as needed.
5. For utilities subject to Chapter 367, F.S., the DER shall verify the existence of a certificate of authorization or order indicating exempt status from the PSC before issuance of a construction permit for a new wastewater facility.

Reuse

1. Administer the State's reuse program.
2. Review reuse feasibility studies required by Section 403.064, F.S., the Antidegradation Policy, or the Indian River Lagoon System and Basin Act.
3. Within five working days after receipt of a reuse feasibility study required by Section 403.064, F.S., the Antidegradation Policy, or the Indian River Lagoon System and Basin Act, the DER shall provide a copy of the reuse feasibility study to the PSC. This applies only to feasibility studies produced by private utilities located within counties regulated by the PSC.
4. Final determinations on the adequacy of reuse feasibility studies will be made by the DER. Comments and recommendations made by the PSC on the financial aspects of these reuse feasibility studies will be considered by the DER.

5. Participate in appropriate PSC public meetings with customers and hearings in which reuse issues raised by the DER are to be discussed. This may include, but is not limited to, expert witness testimony.

PROJECT COORDINATION

Water Supply

1. The PSC will designate a Water Supply Project Manager.
2. The DER's Drinking Water Section Administrator will serve as the DER's Water Supply Project Manager.
3. Exchange of information between the DER and the PSC shall be through the designated Water Supply Project Managers. Copies of pertinent correspondence related to water supply and water conservation issues shall be sent to the appropriate agency's Water Supply Project Manager.

Wastewater Management

1. The PSC will designate a Wastewater Management Project Manager.
2. The DER's Domestic Wastewater Section Administrator will serve as the DER's Wastewater Management Project Manager.
3. Exchange of information between the DER and the PSC shall be through the designated Wastewater Management Project Managers. Copies of pertinent correspondence related to wastewater management issues shall be sent to the appropriate agency's Wastewater Management Project Manager.

Reuse

1. The PSC will designate a Reuse Project Manager. All reuse feasibility studies provided to the PSC by the DER will be directed to this Project Manager.
2. The DER's Reuse Coordinator will serve as the DER's Reuse Project Manager for purposes of this agreement.
3. Reuse feasibility studies to be submitted to the PSC will be submitted over the signature of the DER Reuse Coordinator or over the signature of one of the six Water Facilities Administrators located in the DER district offices.

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4. The DER Reuse Coordinator shall be copied on any correspondence between the PSC's Project Manager and the DER's Water Facilities Administrators regarding reuse feasibility studies.
5. Whenever a potential conflict regarding a specific project is identified, each agency will examine the alternative solutions available and then meet to discuss the issues involved and attempt to reach an agreement before announcing a position. If an agreement cannot be reached after due deliberations, several positions may be advocated. Such disagreements, if any, will not obviate this MOU.
6. Exchange of information between the DER and the PSC shall be through the designated Reuse Project Managers. Copies of pertinent correspondence between an agency and other parties concerning a reuse project shall be sent to the Reuse Project Manager of each agency until project completion.

Overall Coordination

The designated Water Supply, Wastewater Management, and Reuse Project Managers from the DER and the PSC shall meet as necessary, but at least annually, with the Director of the Water and Wastewater Division of the PSC and the Director of the Division of Water Facilities of the DER. The meetings will address and review progress on the water supply, wastewater management, and reuse programs in Florida and attempt to resolve any issues which may be identified by the staffs.

AMENDMENTS

This MOU may be amended by mutual agreement of the DER and PSC. It shall remain in effect until it is dissolved by mutual agreement among the agencies or terminated by an agency after giving written notice 30 days in advance to the other agency.

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EFFECTIVE DATE AND SIGNATURES

This MOU will become effective after being signed by both parties.



Thomas M. Beard, Chairman
Florida Public Service
Commission



Carol M. Browner, Secretary
Department of Environmental
Regulation

Date

Nov 20, 92
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2. The preliminary design report does not provide reasonable assurances that the proposed wastewater facility technology will function as intended at the design capacity requested by the permittee.

(c) When the permit includes the treatment facilities and reuse or disposal systems, different permitted capacities may be established for the treatment, reuse, and disposal systems.

(4) Sampling Points

(a) Provisions shall be made in the design for easy access points for the purpose of obtaining representative influent and effluent samples. These access points shall be dry points which can be reached safely.

(b) Provisions for flow measurements shall be in accordance with Chapter 62-601, F.A.C.

Specific Authority: 403.061, 403.087, F.S.

Law Implemented: 403.021, 403.061, 403.062, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088, F.S.

History: New 11-27-89, Amended 1-30-91, 6-8-93, Formerly 17-600.400.

62-600.405 Planning for Wastewater Facilities Expansion.

(1) The permittee shall provide for the timely planning, design, and construction of wastewater facilities necessary to provide proper treatment and reuse or disposal of domestic wastewater and management of domestic wastewater residuals.

(2) The permittee shall routinely compare flows being treated at the wastewater facilities with the permitted capacities of the treatment, residuals, reuse, and disposal facilities.

(3) When the three-month average daily flow for the most recent three consecutive months exceeds 50 percent of the permitted capacity of the treatment plant or reuse and disposal systems, the permittee shall submit to the Department a capacity analysis report.

(4) The initial capacity analysis report shall be submitted according to the following:

(a) For new or expanded wastewater facilities for which the Department received a complete construction permit application after July 1, 1991, the initial capacity analysis report shall be submitted within 180 days after the last day of the last month in the three-month period referenced in Rule 62-600.405(3), F.A.C.

(b) For wastewater facilities for which the Department received a complete construction permit application on or before July 1, 1991, the initial capacity analysis report shall be submitted when the next application for a permit to construct or operate wastewater facilities is submitted to the Department unless:

1. The three-month average daily flow for any three consecutive months during the period July 1, 1990, to June 30, 1991, exceeds 90 percent of the permitted

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capacity. In such cases, the initial capacity analysis report shall be submitted to the Department no later than January 1, 1992.

2. The three-month average daily flow for any three consecutive months during the period July 1, 1990, to June 30, 1991, exceeds 75 percent of the permitted capacity. In such cases, the initial capacity analysis report shall be submitted to the Department no later than July 1, 1992.

(c) In no case shall the initial capacity analysis report be required to be submitted before July 1, 1991, or before the three-month average daily flow exceeds 50 percent of the permitted capacity of the treatment plant or reuse or disposal systems, as described in Rule 62-600.405(3), F.A.C.

(5) The permittee shall submit updated capacity analysis reports to the Department according to the following:

(a) If the initial capacity analysis report or an update of the capacity analysis report documents that the permitted capacity will not be equaled or exceeded for at least 10 years, an updated capacity analysis report shall be submitted to the Department at five-year intervals or at each time the permittee applies for an operation permit or renewal of an operation permit, whichever occurs first.

(b) If the initial capacity analysis report or an update of the capacity analysis report documents that the permitted capacity will be equaled or exceeded within the next 10 years, an updated capacity analysis shall be submitted to the Department annually.

(6) The capacity analysis report or an update of the capacity analysis report shall evaluate the capacity of the plant and contain data showing the permitted capacity; monthly average daily flows, three-month average daily flows, and annual average daily flows for the past 10 years or for the length of time the facility has been in operation, whichever is less; seasonal variations in flow; flow projections based on local population growth rates and water usage rates for at least the next 10 years; an estimate of the time required for the three-month average daily flow to reach the permitted capacity; recommendations for expansions; and a detailed schedule showing dates for planning, design, permit application submittal, start of construction, and placing new or expanded facilities into operation. The report shall update the flow-related and loading information contained in the preliminary design report submitted as part of the most recent permit application for the wastewater facilities pursuant to Rules 62-600.710 and 62-600.715, F.A.C.

(7) The capacity analysis report shall be signed by the permittee and shall be signed and sealed by a professional engineer registered in Florida.

(8) Documentation of timely planning, design, and construction of needed expansions shall be submitted according to the following schedule:

(a) If the initial capacity analysis report or an update of the capacity analysis report documents that the permitted capacity will be equaled or exceeded within the next five years, the report shall include a statement, signed and sealed by a professional engineer registered in Florida, that planning and preliminary design of the necessary expansion have been initiated.

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(b) If the initial capacity analysis report or an update of the capacity analysis report documents that the permitted capacity will be equaled or exceeded within the next four years, the report shall include a statement, signed and sealed by an engineer registered in Florida, that plans and specifications for the necessary expansion are being prepared.

(c) If the initial capacity analysis report or an update of the capacity analysis report documents that the permitted capacity will be equaled or exceeded within the next three years, the permittee shall submit a complete construction permit application to the Department within 30 days of submittal of the initial capacity analysis report or the update of the capacity analysis report.

(d) If the initial capacity analysis report or an update of the capacity analysis report documents that the permitted capacity will be equaled or exceeded within the next six months, the permittee shall submit to the Department an application for an operation permit for the expanded facility. The operation permit application shall be submitted no later than the submittal of the initial capacity analysis report or the update of the capacity analysis report.

(9) If requested by the permittee, and if justified in the initial capacity analysis report or an update to the capacity analysis report based on design and construction schedules, population growth rates, flow projections, and the timing of new connections to the sewerage system such that adequate capacity will be available at the wastewater facility, the Secretary or Secretary's designee shall adjust the schedule specified in Rule 62-600.405(8), F.A.C.

Specific Authority: 403.061, 403.087, F.S.

Law Implemented: 403.021, 403.061, 403.086, 403.087, 403.088, 403.0881, ² 403.101, F.S.

History: New 1-30-91, Formerly 17-600.405.

62-600.410 Operation and Maintenance Requirements.

(1) All domestic wastewater treatment plants shall be operated and maintained in accordance with the applicable provisions of this chapter and so as to attain, at a minimum, the reclaimed water or effluent quality required by the operational criteria specified in this chapter, and to meet the appropriate domestic wastewater residuals management criteria specified in Chapters 62-2, 62-7, 62-640, and 62-701, F.A.C.

(2) All reuse and land application systems shall be operated and maintained in accordance with the applicable provisions of this chapter and the provisions of Chapter 62-610, F.A.C.

(3) All underground injection effluent disposal systems shall be operated and maintained in accordance with the applicable provisions of this chapter and the provisions of Chapter 62-28, F.A.C.

(4) Wetlands application systems shall be operated and maintained in accordance with the applicable provisions of this chapter and the provisions of Chapter 62-611, F.A.C.

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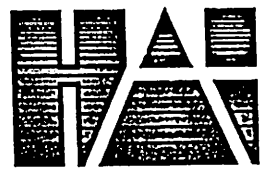
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SECTION 1

The third objective is to demonstrate that economies of scale are achieved through savings in costs of engineering, mobilization, and permitting on projects in which there are not significant economies of scale in the materials.

1.3 SUMMARY AND CONCLUSIONS

Components and systems reviewed are classified as Wastewater Treatment Facilities, Water Treatment Facilities, and Wastewater Collection/Water Distribution. Economies of scale were found to exist on all unit components and systems. Table 1-1 presents the economic minimum threshold sizes for each component and system.

Such threshold sizes should not be construed or interpreted to mean that significant savings are not achieved above or greater than these values. They should be interpreted as the primary point at which the rate of change of the unit price begins to decrease. Thus, when considering system or component expansions, it is prudent to give serious consideration to construct or procure the component of the threshold size or larger.

The engineering economic considerations of the size of unit to construct are as follows:

- Initial demand of system
- Growth rate of system
- Projected build-out demand
- Useful life of the component
- Rules and Regulations
- Operational Considerations
- Interest rates and rate of inflation

If the initial or current demand of the system is less than the economic minimum threshold size, the selection of size must consider the build-out capacity of the facility and when it will be necessary to expand again, which can be computed using the growth rate. If the build-out demand is beyond the economic threshold size, it follows that phases of construction should be implemented in sizes to fully take advantage of the economy of scale offered.

If build-out is less than the economic minimum size, it follows that it does not make sense to purchase capacity that is not needed. However, in smaller systems and units, there are the factors of operational flexibility and standard sizes to be considered. With small systems, it is often impossible to predict peak demands and loadings. In these cases, special consideration should be given to oversizing to standard sizes to ensure satisfactory service and for environmental protection.

SECTION 2

SECTION 2
METHODOLOGY

2.1 GENERAL

This section details the sources of information for this report; as well as, the method used to construct the unit cost curves.

2.2 SOURCES

In order to give a fair and accurate representation of the costs of constructing water and wastewater systems, information was obtained from many balancing sources. Previous curves were obtained from the United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) and Culp/Wesner/Culp, an engineering firm. Also, quotes were obtained from Florida manufacturers and suppliers. Rounding out the information were bid tabulations from completed construction that took place in the State of Florida.

2.2.1 USEPA

Throughout the years, the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) developed many reports involving the cost of the different components of water and wastewater collection, treatment, disposal, and distribution. The figures presented in these technical reports display the cost of the process versus the capacity (or size) of the component. The curves are typically accompanied by text which explains the function of the cost component and the assumptions made in determining the overall cost. The conversion of the overall cost to unit cost is accomplished by simply dividing the cost by the capacity of the component being studied.

The EPA references used for this study range in years from 1977 to 1984. Therefore, the cost must be updated in order to allow for a present day comparison. The EPA sources that were used are as follows:

- (1) "State of the Art of Small Water Treatment Systems." U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Water Supply. Washington, D.C., August 1977.

- (2) "The Cost Digest: Cost Summaries of Selected Environmental Control Technologies." U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. Washington, D.C., October 1984.
- (3) "Construction Costs for Municipal Wastewater Treatment Plants: 1973-1978.: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Facility Requirements Division. Washington, D.C., April 1980.
- (4) "Innovative and Alternative Technology Assessment Manual." U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Water Programs Operations. Washington, D.C., February 1980.
- (5) "Costs of Wastewater Treatment by Land Application.: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Water Program Operations. Washington, D.C., June 1975.
- (6) "Construction Costs for Municipal Wastewater Conveyance Systems: 1973-1979." U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Facility Requirements Division. Washington, D.C., January 1981.
- (7) "Construction Cots for Municipal Wastewater Conveyance Systems: 1973-1977." U.S. Environmental Protection Agency. May 1978.
- (8) "Report on Initial Investment Costs, Operation and Maintenance Costs, and Manpower Requirements for Conventional Wastewater Treatment Plants." U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Water Quality Office. Black & Veatch, 1971.

2.2.2 Culp/Wesner/Culp

The engineering firm Culp/Wesner/Culp, based in Santa Ana, California, produced water treatment, transmission, and distribution cost reports for the United States Environmental Protection Agency. They also produced an independent water component cost summary. For each component, the overall cost versus capacity is illustrated along with the operation and maintenance costs. As with the EPA generated curves, the Culp/Wesner/Culp curves were adjusted using ENR indexes to the present day cost. Also, a detailed explanation of each

- b. Modern Welding Company, Inc.
1801 Atlanta Avenue
Orlando, Florida

(9) Vertical Turbine Pumps

- a. Peerless Pump Company
811 50th Street North
Tampa, Florida
- b. Peabody-Floway, via Flanagan-Metcalf & Associates, Inc.
6708 Benjamer Road
Tampa, Florida

(10) Sewage Pump Stations (Precast items and Pumps)

- a. Taylor Precast
P.O. Box 369
Deland, Florida 32721
- b. Gorman Rupp Pumps, via Blankenship & associates
3004 Konarwood Court
Oviedo, Florida
- c. Flygt Pumps, via Ellis K. Phelps & Company
2152 Sprint Boulevard
Apopka, Florida

(11) PVC and Ductile Iron Piping

- a. B&H Sales, Inc.
11114 Satellite Boulevard
Orlando, Florida
PVC force main, water main, and gravity sewer.

2.3.1 Updating Process

The various sources of data utilized in this study, provided cost information at different time periods over the previous 25 years. In order for these values to be comparable, they were indexed. In other words, the costs must be updated to the time of this study, which is June, 1995. The costs are updated using established cost indexes. The two (2) indexes used during this study are the Engineering News Record (ENR) and The Handy-Whitman Index of Public Utility Construction Costs. In order to update the costs, original costs were multiplied by the ratio of the June, 1995 index number to the original index number. This cost updating method is shown below.

$$\text{June 1995 Cost} = \text{Original Cost} * \frac{(\text{June 1995 Index})}{(\text{Original Index})}$$

2.3.2 Design Considerations

To construct reliable cost curves, more than one (1) set of values were used for each component. However, these values are not comparable unless they involved the same design considerations. Therefore, the manufacturers and sales representatives were given the same criteria with which to evaluate the cost. Also, when the manufacturer's values were used in combination with the Environmental Protection Agency or Culp/Wesner/Culp curves, the manufacturer's values were adjusted to include the identical components as found in the source curves.

Some of the commonly added costs were electrical, piping, sitework, and installation. These components were adjusted by percentage on a case-by-case basis to reflect the different needs of the various components.

2.3.3 Finalization

Once the cost data was normalized, the values were compared and plotted. By plotting the values, the relationships of the cost values versus capacity are illustrated. So for a construction cost curve, which is the total cost for installation, the economy of scale is difficult to visualize. In order to see the economy of scale clearly, the cost curves were transformed into unit cost curves. These curves display the cost per unit on the y-axis and the capacity or other size measurement on the x-axis. For example, the unit cost curve involves cost in dollars per gallon (\$/gal) versus

gallon capacity for such components as: treatment plants, storage facilities, chlorine feed facilities, hydropneumatic tanks, water supply wells, etc. Other unit cost curve components are as follows:

- dollars per gpm (\$/gpm) for pumps and pump stations
- dollars per lot (\$/lot) for gravity sewers
- dollars per foot (\$/Ft) for force and water mains
- dollars per scfm (\$/scfm) for blowers

In this format, the graphs show that cost per unit capacity decreases with increased capacity.

SECTION 3

SECTION 3 ANALYSIS

3.1 THRESHOLD SIZING

This section discusses the reasons behind the design of water and wastewater systems with respect to sizing. The factors affecting the size of certain treatment systems are cost, regulations, and the health and safety of those served. There are plant capacities which are established minimums.

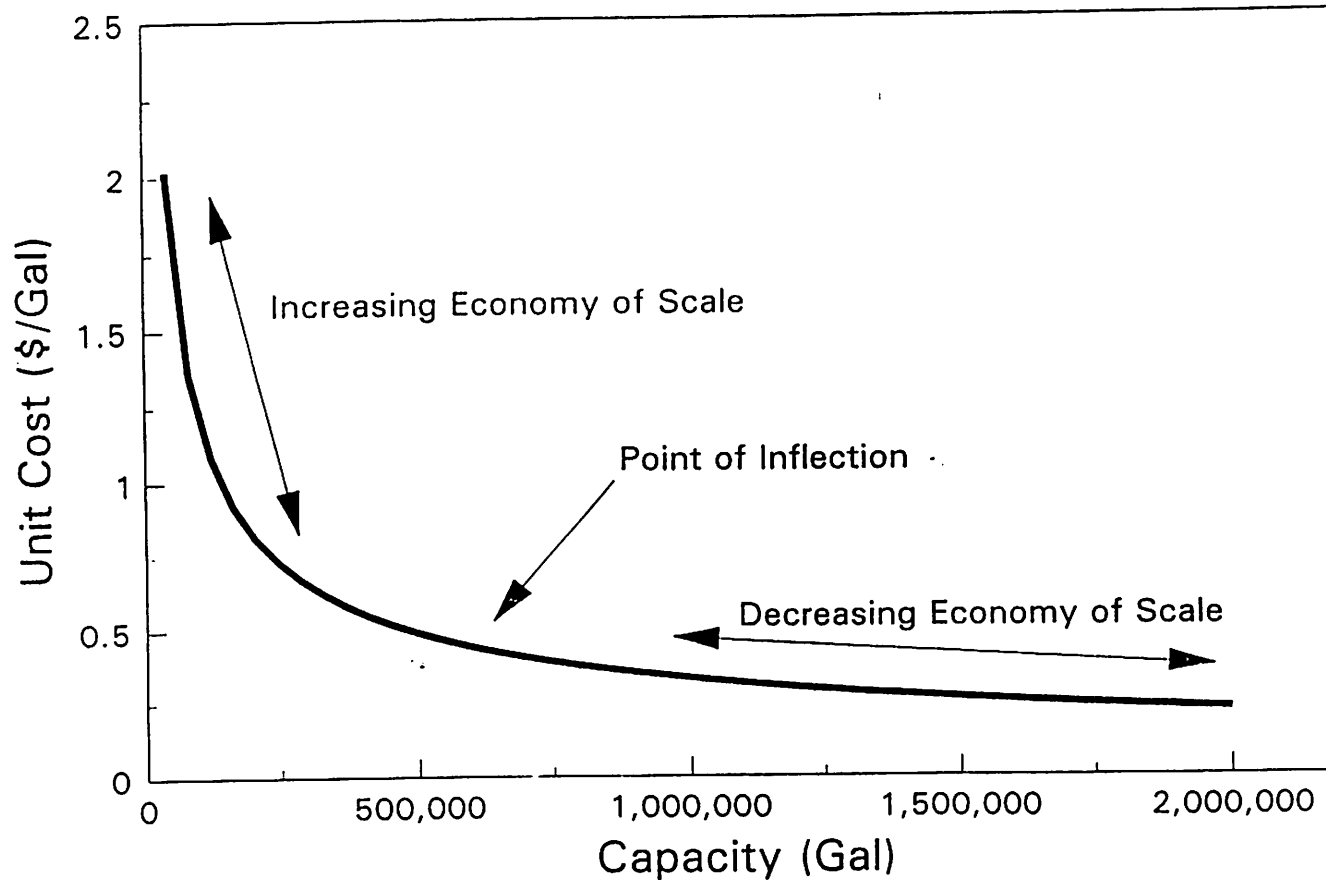
3.1.1 Inflection Points

In the water and wastewater unit cost curves of this study, the economy of scale was apparent in all cases. However, the manner in which the economy of scale is displayed differs between two styles of graphical representation.

The first case, displayed in Figure 3-1, is best represented by the prestressed ground storage tank unit cost curve. The curve is basically an exponential type curve where the low capacity yields an extremely high unit cost and the high capacity has leveled out with a much lower unit cost. The beginning of the curve displays an increasing economy of scale. In other words, at the smaller capacities, the economy of scale is very large with each increase in capacity. The change in unit cost in this range is so significant that it makes it generally undesirable to design in this range to the left of the point of inflection. The point of inflection occurs when the slope of the curve begins to level out with respect to the X-axis. This is the point where the component design becomes economically feasible with respect to smaller and larger capacity options. Following the point of inflection, the economy of scale begins to decrease. Even though the economy of scale still exists in this range, the unit cost change between sizes is much less. However, the savings between capacities in this area of the curve remain very significant. This is a section of the curve where capacity options are not as obvious and the monetary savings should be balanced together with other factors.

The other type of unit cost curve, Figure 3-2, is well represented by the potable water well curve. In this curve, the unit cost appears to steadily decline with respect to the capacity plotted on the X-axis. The relationship, however, is identical to that of Figure 3-1. The differing factor is that

Ground Storage Tanks Prestressed Concrete



- Notes:
- 1) Costs include complete tank, concrete floor, prestressed wall, free-span concrete dome, aluminum interior and exterior ladders, vents, precast overflows, painting, and installation. These costs were obtained directly from manufacturers' quotes.
 - 2) Includes 5% piping, 0% electrical, and 5% sitework.
 - 3) Costs are based on the June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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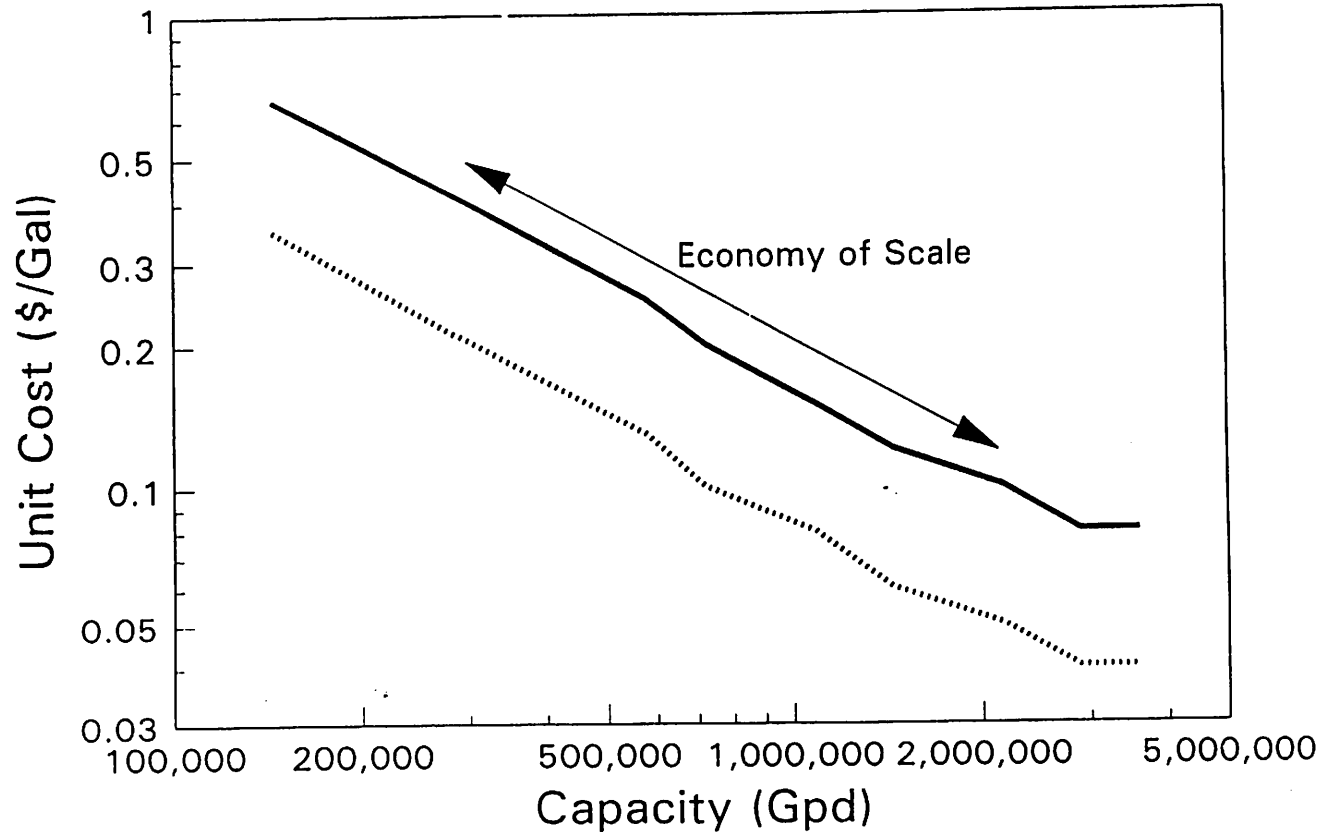
FIGURE 3-1



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INCREASING AND DECREASING ECONOMIES OF SCALE

Potable Water Wells



250' deep 500' deep _____

- Notes: 1) Vertical turbine pump, cement grout, black steel well and surface casing, well screen, and well development costs from manufacturers' quotes and bid tabulations.
 2) Includes 10% electrical, 15% well head, and 30% labor.
 3) Costs are based on the June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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FIGURE
3-2



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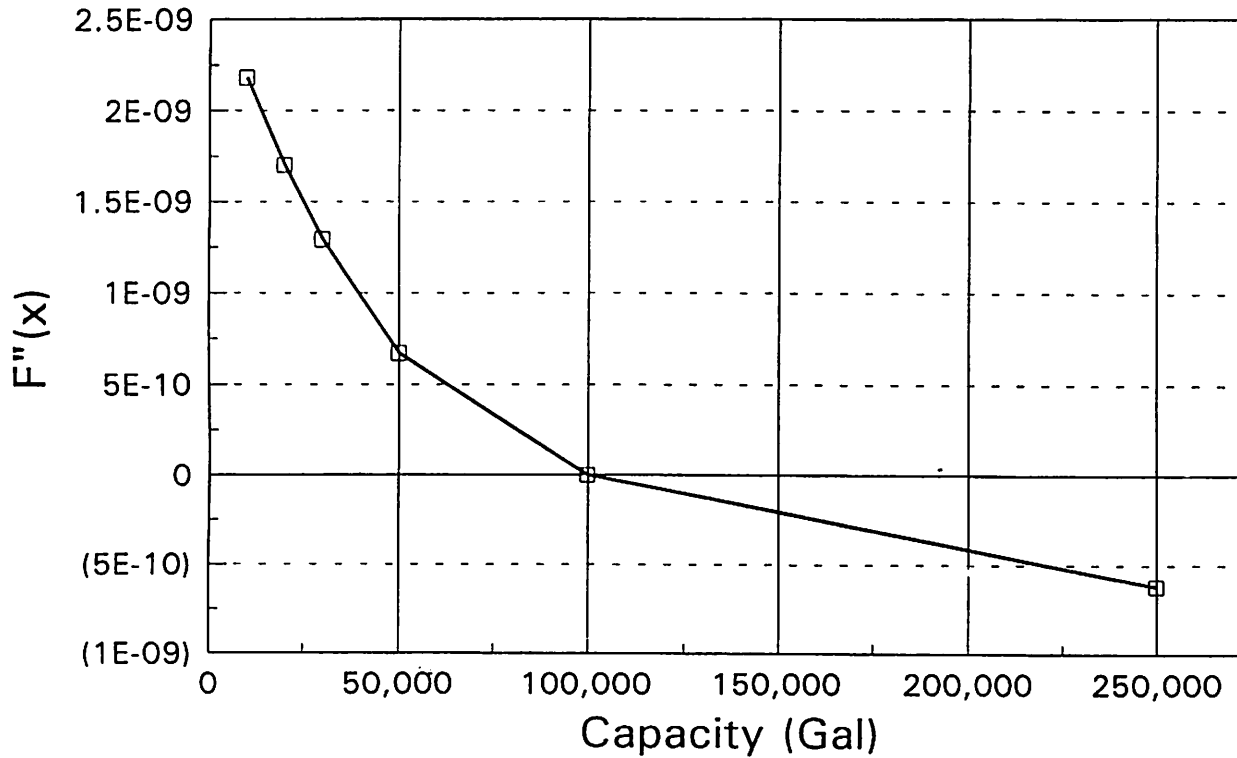
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ECONOMY OF SCALE ON LOGARITHMIC AXES

Ground Storage Tanks

Steel



Manufacturers

Notes: 1) Polynomial equation for the Steel GST's unit cost curve is the following: $f(x) = 3.565 + (-9.337E-5)X + (1.3717E-9)X^2 + (-1.0034E-14)X^3 + (3.5115E-20)X^4 + (-4.6878E-26)X^5$

2) The second derivative of the Steel GST unit cost polynomial is as follows: $f''(x) = 2.743E-9 + (-6.02E-14)X + (42.138E-20)X^2 + (-93.756E-26)X^3$



3.13 Curve Fitting

The curves determined to represent the manufacturers' and EPA cost curve data were generated with the use of either the Sigma Plot program by [©]Jardel Scientific or the Hydrology and Water Quality Control course accompanied programs produced by [©]John Wiley & Sons. The Sigma Plot program was used mainly to determine polynomial fits for the data, while the other program determined the equations for the data better represented by the power function equation. In all cases, the equations were determined to be the best fit for the given data.

3.1.4 Regulatory

For most instances, regulations do not affect the sizing of water and wastewater systems. Usually, the type of disposal or source of supply determine the stipulations on the plant type or size. However, there are occurrences where size regulates cost. The water supply wells must be double (one standby) above 150 connections, and over 150 connections necessitates an Auxiliary Power Supply.

SECTION 4

SECTION 4 WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT FACILITIES

4.1 EXTENDED AERATION PACKAGE WWTP

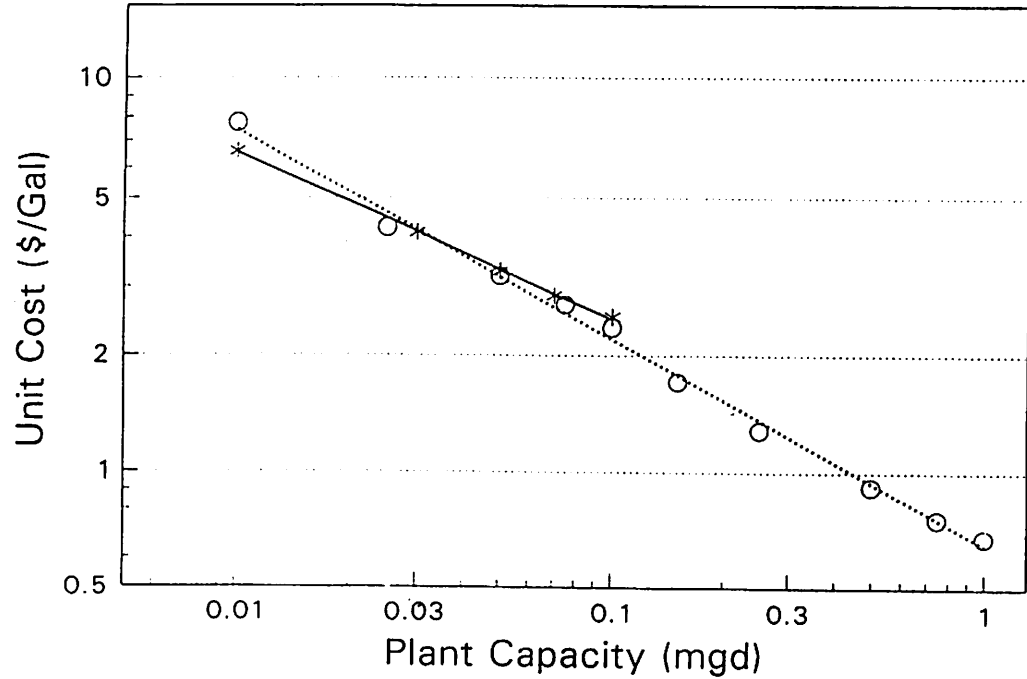
The extended aeration treatment process is a version of the activated sludge process in which the detention time is approximately 24 hours. The extended detention time will require a larger volume than most activated sludge processes, which in turn will raise the costs. The costs do, however, display an economy of scale over the entire range of capacities. The unit cost of the extended aeration package plants, Figure 4-1, is a display of dollars per gallon of capacity versus gallon per day capacity. In this form, the economy of scale will be visible if the unit cost decreases as the capacity increases.

The unit cost curve of the package extended aeration plant shows a considerable economy of scale from the 0.01 MGD to the 1.0 MGD limits of the graph. The unit cost steadily decreases in a straight line from approximately \$7/gallon at 0.01 MGD to \$0.7/gallon at 1.0 MGD. The straight line relationship of the unit cost translates into considerable savings with increased sizing.

The curves in Figure 4-2 represent the construction cost as a function of package extended aeration treatment plant capacity. By examining the costs as they are related to capacity, the economy is apparent. For instance, the cost of a 500,000 gallon per day package plant is approximately \$465,000, and the cost of a 1,000,000 gallon per day package plant is approximately \$710,000. Therefore, in order to expand a 500,000 gallon per day facility to a 1,000,000 gallon per day plant, the cost would be approximately \$930,000. The design of the 1.0 MGD plant originally would have saved approximately \$220,000 overall. The savings would be greater if contractor mobilization, engineering, and permitting costs were considered.

The unit cost and construction cost curves were developed using an Environmental Protection Agency cost curve and manufacturers' quotations. The quotes from the manufacturers included the tankage (ring steel with internal clarifier), concrete slabs, sitework, electrical, piping, blowers and installation. To normalize these quotes with the EPA curve, a chlorination feed system cost had to be added to the overall cost. The chlorination feed system cost was obtained through other manufacturers' quotations. From this point, the two (2) curves are equivalent and can be compared.

Package Extended Aeration WWTP



EPA Manual MFR. Data
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- Notes:
- 1) Costs include materials, electrical, piping, blowers, grading, installation, chlorination feed system, and conc. slab.
 - 2) Costs exclude land, engineering, fencing, paving, drainage lighting, and building facilities.
 - 3) All costs obtained from manufacturers' quotes and EPA cost curve
 - 4) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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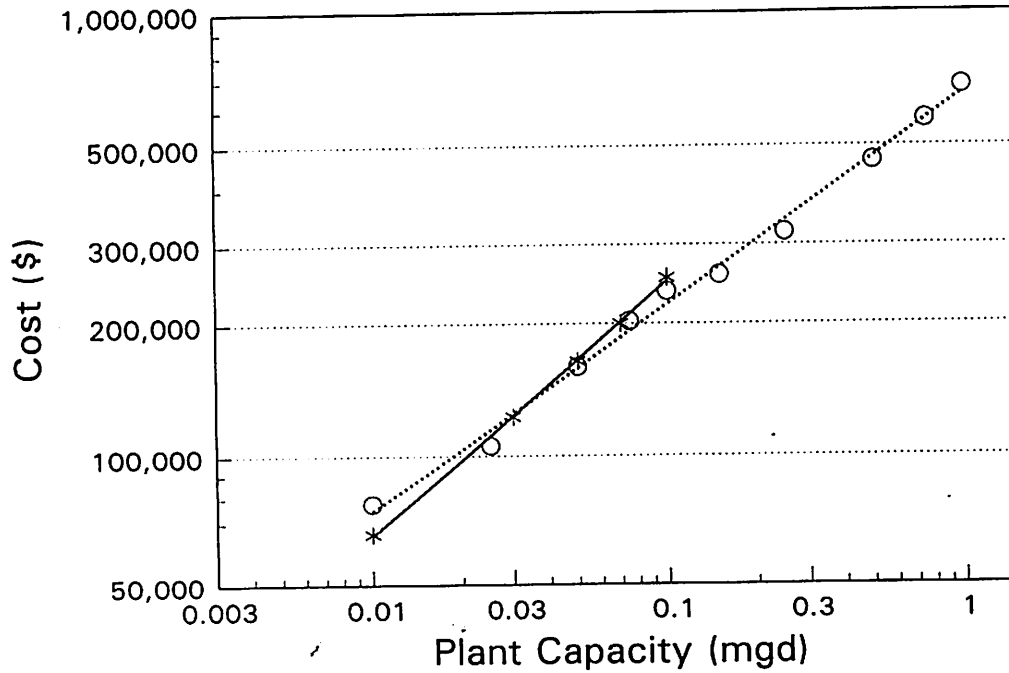
FIGURE 4-1



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EXTENDED AERATION UNIT COST CURVE

Package Extended Aeration WWTP



EPA Manual MFR Data

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- Notes:
- 1) Costs include materials, electrical, piping, blowers, grading, installation, chlorination feed system, and conc. slab.
 - 2) Costs exclude land, engineering, fencing, paving, drainage, lighting, and building facilities.
 - 3) All costs obtained from manufacturers' quotes and EPA cost curves.
 - 4) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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FIGURE
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**EXTENDED AERATION CONSTRUCTION
 COST CURVE**

The extended aeration package treatment plant costs exclude the costs of land, engineering, paving, grading, drainage, lighting, fencing, and building facilities.

4.2 CONTACT STABILIZATION PACKAGE WWTP

The contact stabilization is a version of the activated sludge process that requires an average detention time of between 4 and 6 hours. When compared with the extended aeration process, the contact stabilization package plant will require less volume due to the considerable difference in detention time. Even though the overall cost differs, the economies of scale are still very evident in the contact stabilization package treatment plants. These costs versus capacity relationships are displayed on Figures 4-3 and 4-4, which are the unit cost and construction cost curves, respectively.

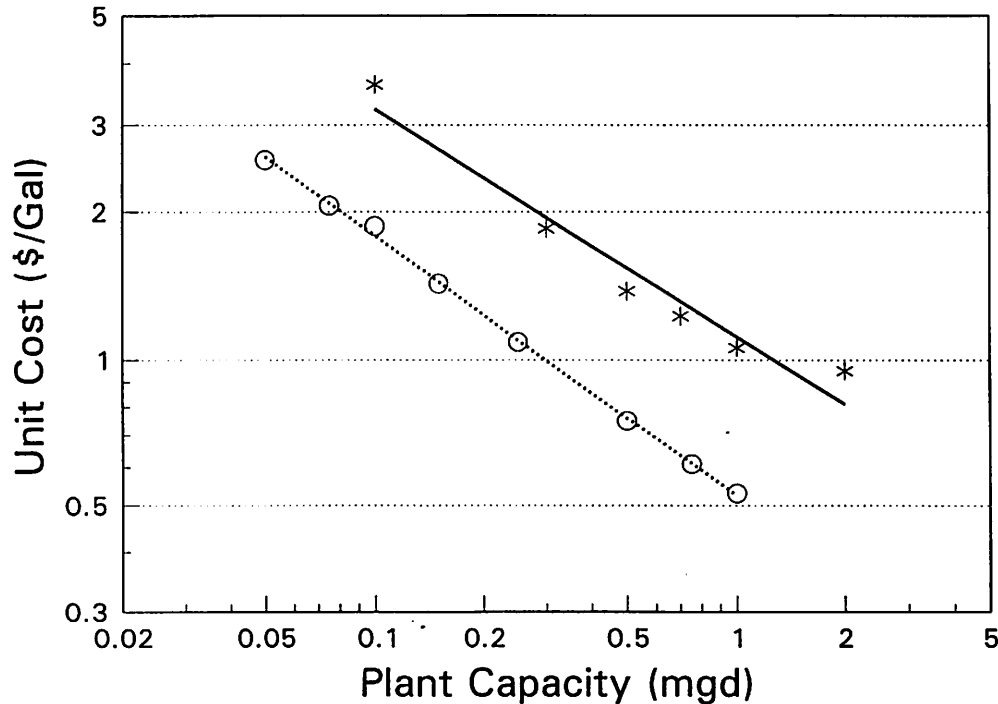
The unit cost curve, Figure 4-3, is a presentation of the relationship between the unit cost, dollars per gallon versus the capacity, gallons per day. From 0.05 MGD, the unit cost curve shows a solid economy of scale. Even though the values of the Environmental Protection Agency and the manufacturers are not identical, their relationship is identical. They both show a very similar economy of scale relationship that stretches from a little over \$3/gallon to approximately \$0.5/gallon.

The straight line decreasing aspect of the curve translates into considerable savings with the increase in design capacity. This relationship is further solidified when the capacities and unit costs are plotted on linear axes.

In Figure 4-4, the considerable savings in the sizing of package contact stabilization plants is noticeable. For instance, using the manufacturers' cost values, the cost to construct a 500,000 gallon per day contact stabilization plant would be approximately \$375,000. On the other hand, the cost to build a 1,000,000 gallon per day treatment plant would be about \$525,000. Therefore, the cost to build the smaller 500,000 gallon plant and then expand it by another 500,000 gallons would be \$750,000. By comparing this cost to the \$525,000 cost for the larger plant, a savings of \$225,000 is realized for the addition of 500,000 gallons of capacity. This same trend is also represented by the EPA cost curve.

The unit cost and construction cost curves were created using values obtained from the Environmental Protection Agency and manufacturers' quotations. The manufacturers' costs

Package Contact Stabilization WWTP



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- Notes: 1) Costs include materials, electrical, piping, blowers, grading, installation, chlorination feed system, and conc. slab.
 2) Costs exclude land, engineering, fencing, paving, drainage, lighting, and building facilities.
 3) All costs obtained from manufacturers' quotes and EPA cost curves.
 4) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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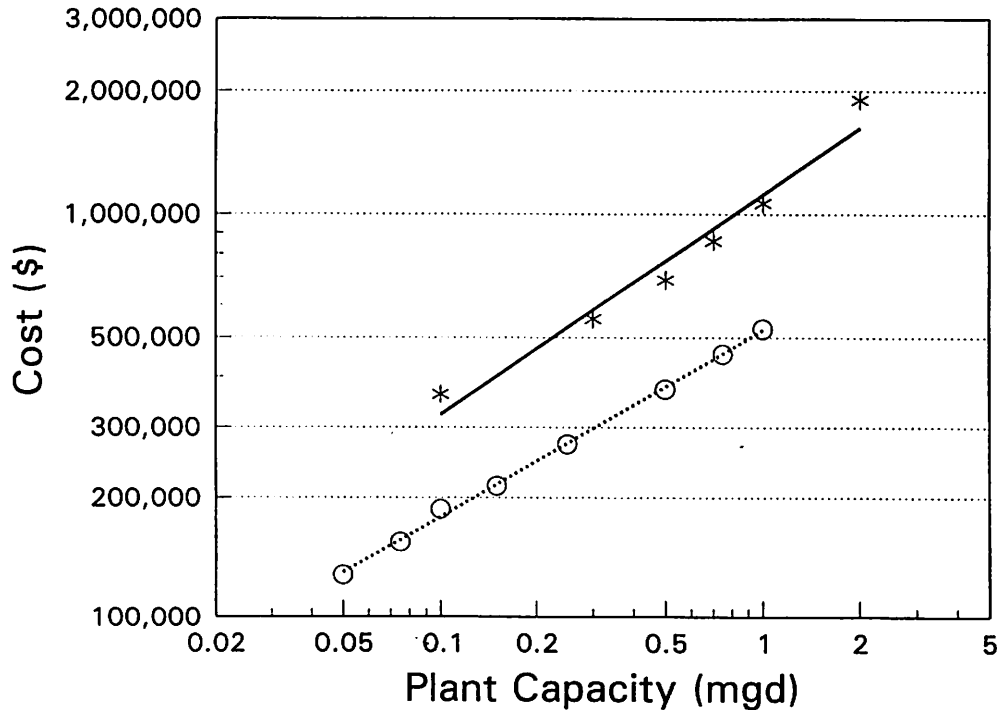
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**CONTACT STABILIZATION UNIT
 COST CURVE**

Package Contact Stabilization WWTP



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- Notes:
- 1) Costs include materials, electrical, piping, blowers, grading, installation, chlorination feed system, and conc. slab.
 - 2) Costs exclude land, engineering, fencing, paving, drainage, lighting, and building facilities.
 - 3) All costs obtained from manufacturers' quotes and EPA cost curves.
 - 4) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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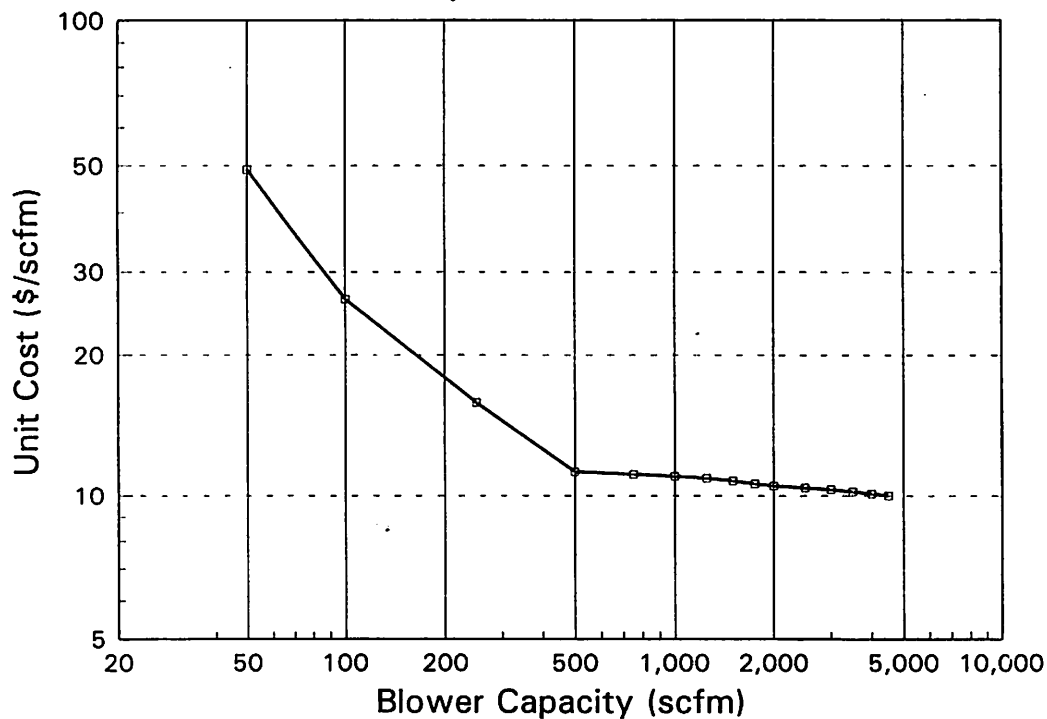
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CONTACT STABILIZATION CONSTRUCTION COST CURVE

Positive Displacement Blowers



- Notes:
- 1) All costs obtained from manufacturer's quotes.
 - 2) Costs include blower, TEFC motor, steel base, silencers, relief valve, pressure gauge, and check valve.
 - 3) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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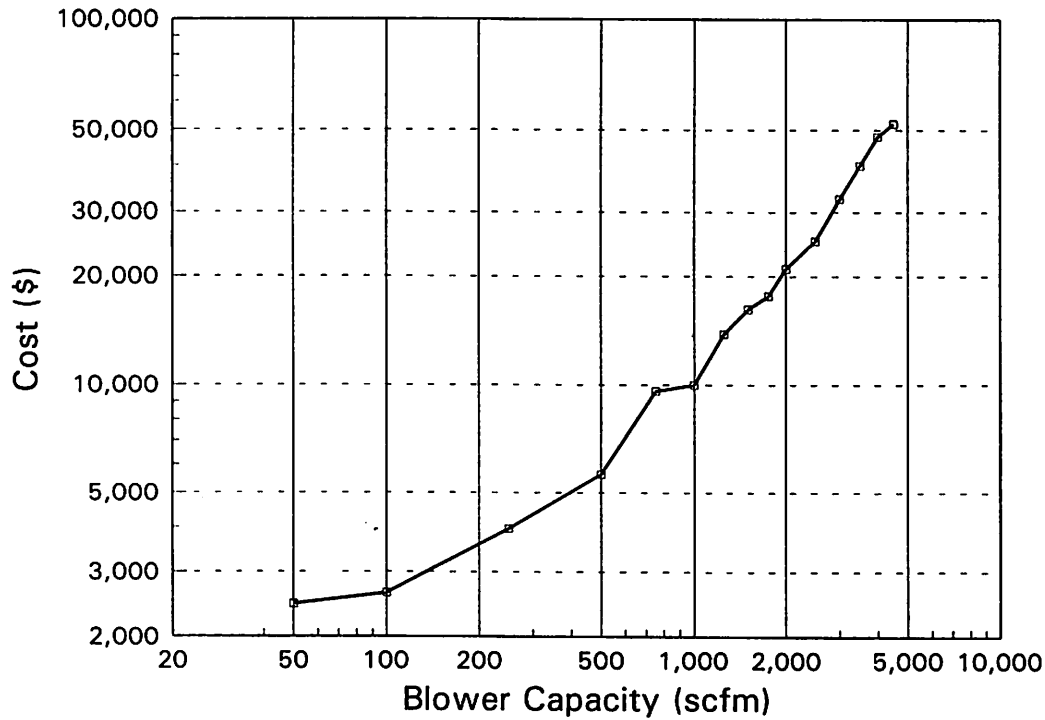
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**POSITIVE DISPLACEMENT BLOWER UNIT
 COST CURVE**

Positive Displacement Blowers



- Notes:
- 1) All costs obtained from manufacturer's quotes.
 - 2) Costs include blower, TEFC motor, steel base, silencers, relief valve, pressure gauge, and check valve.
 - 3) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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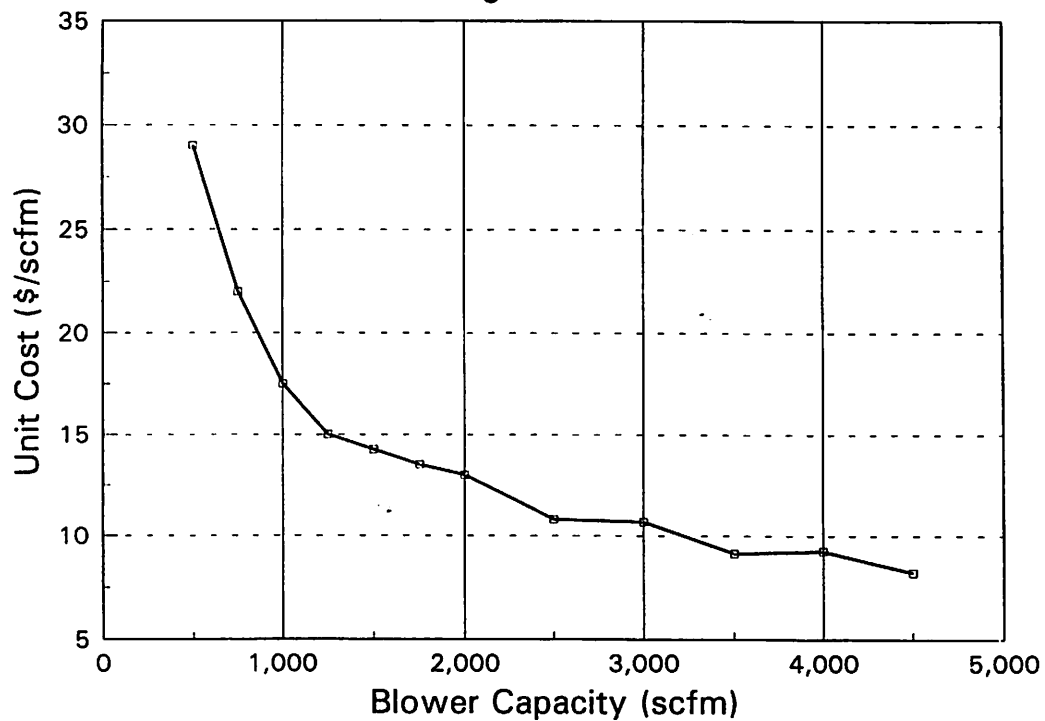
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**POSITIVE DISPLACEMENT BLOWER CONSTRUCTION
COST CURVE**

Centrifugal Blowers



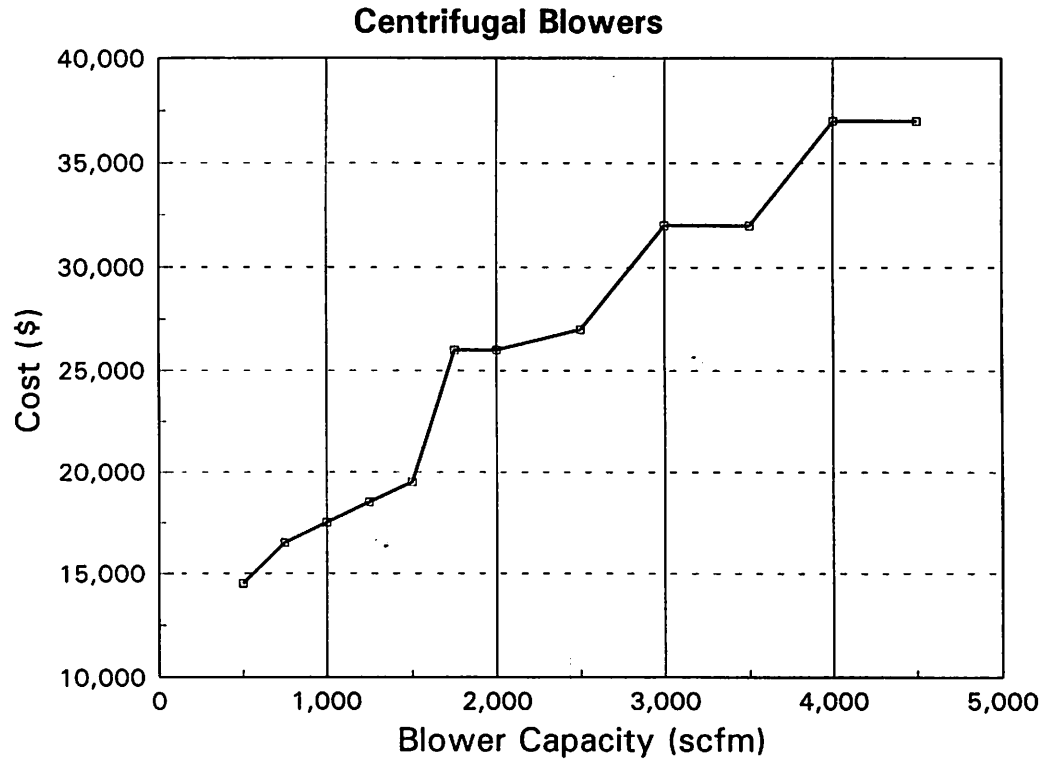
- Notes:
- 1) All costs obtained from manufacturer's quotes.
 - 2) Costs include a centrifugal blower and TEFC motor.
 - 3) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

FIGURE
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**CENTRIFUGAL BLOWER UNIT
 COST CURVE**



- Notes: 1) All costs obtained from manufacturer's quotes.
 2) Costs include blower and TEFC motor.
 3) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

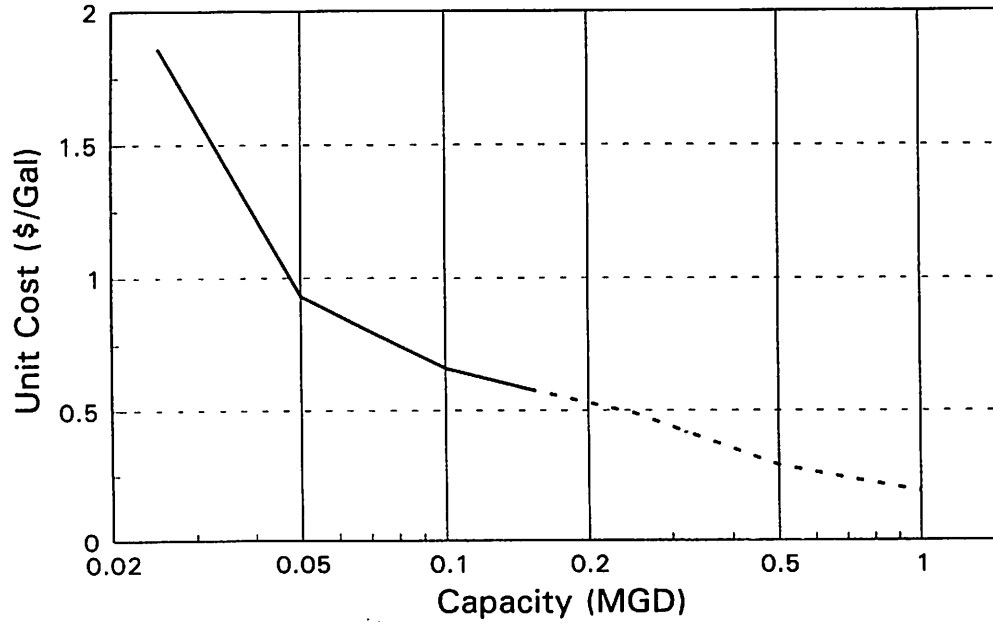
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**CENTRIFUGAL BLOWER CONSTRUCTION
 COST CURVE**

Wastewater Treatment Filters



Gravity Filter
Traveling Bridge

- Notes: 1) Filter and media costs obtained from manufacturers' quotes.
 2) Includes 15% piping, 15% electrical, 5% sitework, 20% installation, and 5% for the concrete slab.
 3) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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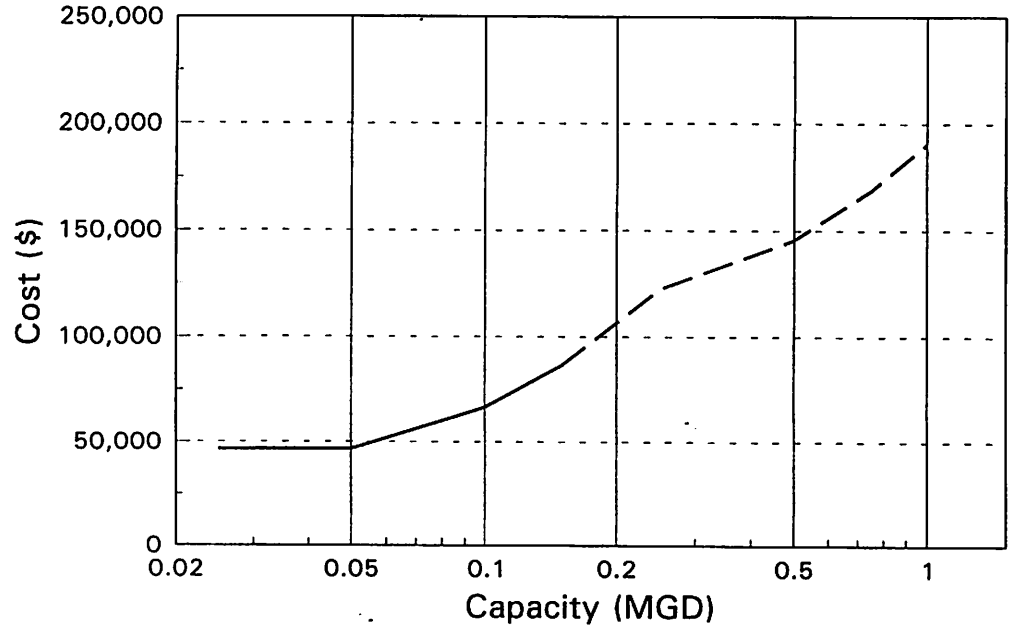
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**TERTIARY TREATMENT FILTER UNIT
 COST CURVE**

Wastewater Treatment Filters



Gravity Filter Traveling Bridge

- Notes:
- 1) Filter and media costs obtained from manufacturers' quotes.
 - 2) Includes 15% piping, 15% electrical, 5% sitework, 20% installation, and 5% for the concrete slab.
 - 3) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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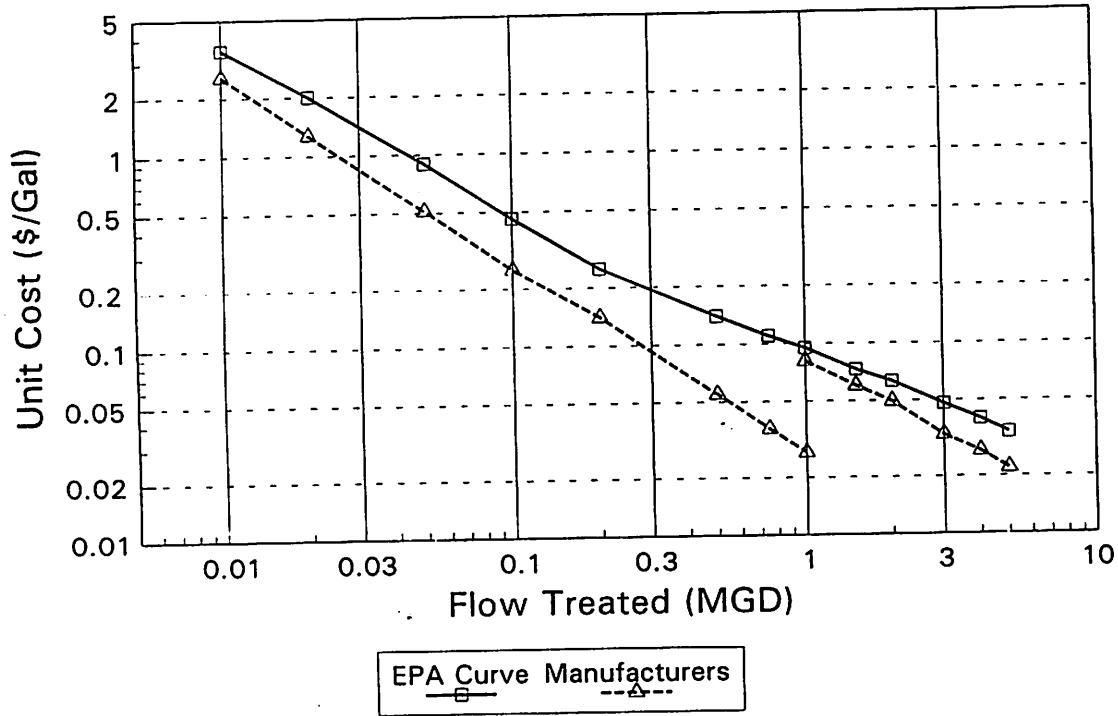
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**TERTIARY TREATMENT FILTER CONSTRUCTION
COST CURVE**

Chlorine Feed Systems Wastewater Treatment



- Notes:
- 1) Gas chlorination unit with 10 mg/l feed rate at capacity.
 - 2) Dual chlorinators w/ switchover, dual scales, gas detector, alarm panel, vacuum switch, booster pump, housing, and hoists all are included in the manufacturers' quotations.
 - 3) Includes 20% electrical, 15% piping, and 20% installation costs.
 - 4) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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FIGURE
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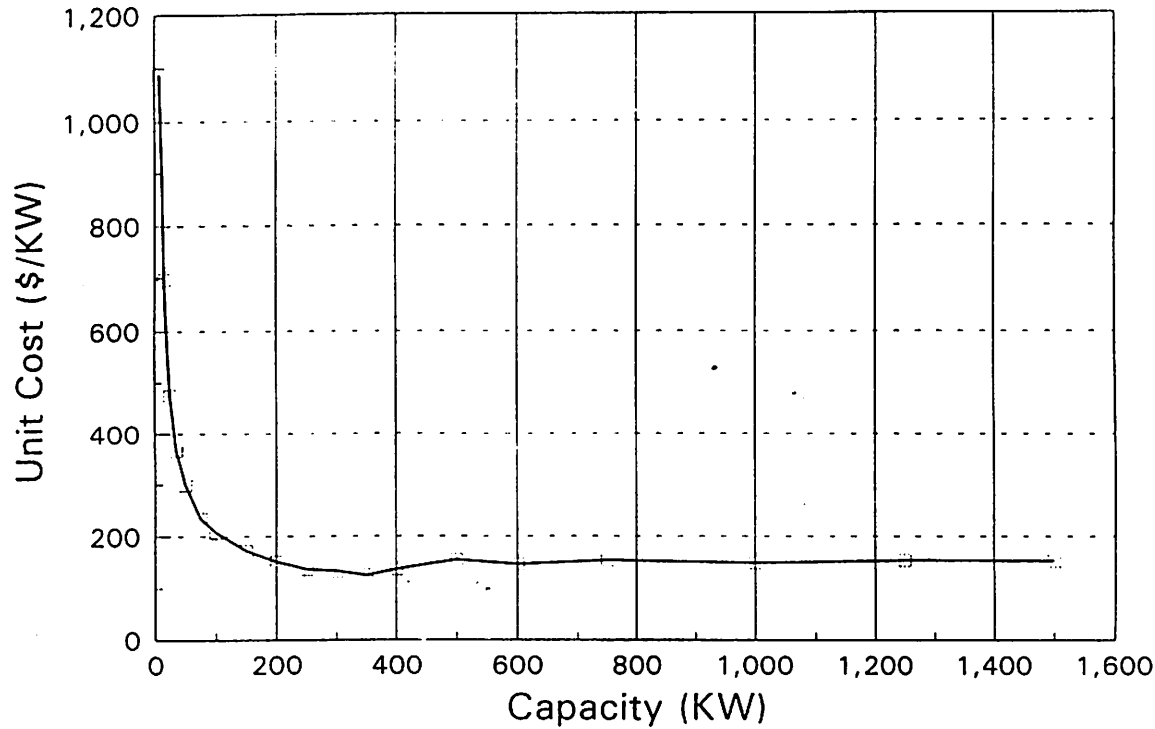
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**CHLORINE FEED SYSTEM UNIT
COST CURVE**

Standby Generator Sets Diesel System



- Notes:
- 1) Values obtained from manufacturer's quotations.
 - 2) Costs include a packaged diesel electric set with base, a unit mounted radiator cooling system, and a control panel.
 - 3) Costs are based on December 1995, ENR Index = 5471.

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FIGURE
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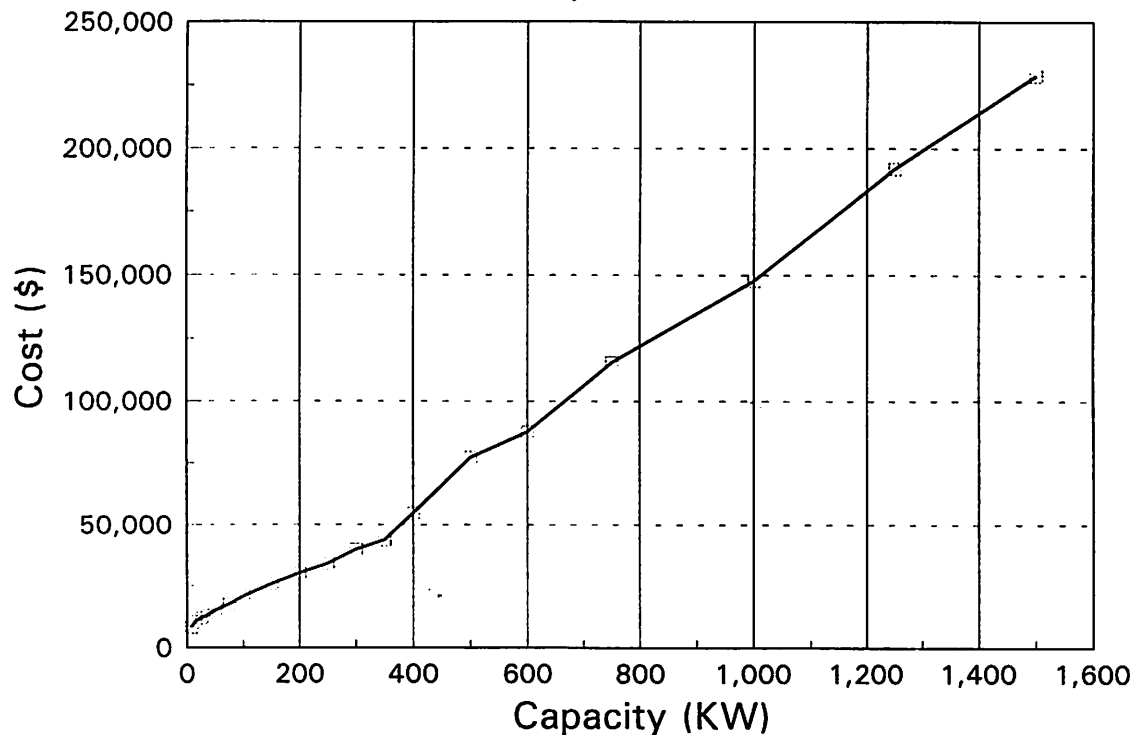
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**STANDBY GENERATOR UNIT
COST CURVE**

Standby Generator Sets Diesel System



- Notes:
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 - 2) Costs include a packaged diesel electric set with base, a unit mounted radiator cooling system, and a control panel.
 - 3) Costs are based on December 1995, ENR Index = 5471.

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**FIGURE
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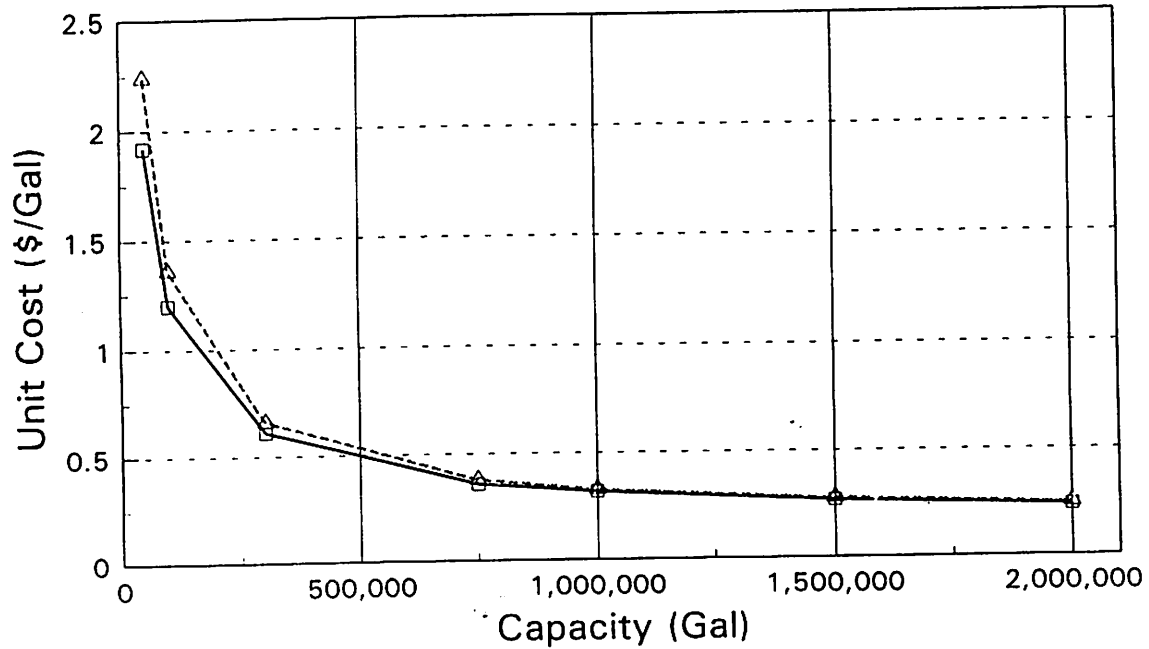
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**STANDBY GENERATOR CONSTRUCTION
COST CURVE**

SECTION 5

Ground Storage Tanks

Prestressed Concrete



w/ 1000 gpm aerator w/ 4000 gpm aerator

- Notes:
- 1) Prestressed concrete tank, concrete floor, prestressed wall, free-span concrete dome, aluminum interior and exterior ladders, vents, precast overflows, painting, aeration unit, and installation costs are included in the manufacturers' quotations.
 - 2) Includes 5% piping, 0% electrical, and 5% sitework costs.
 - 3) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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FIGURE 5-1

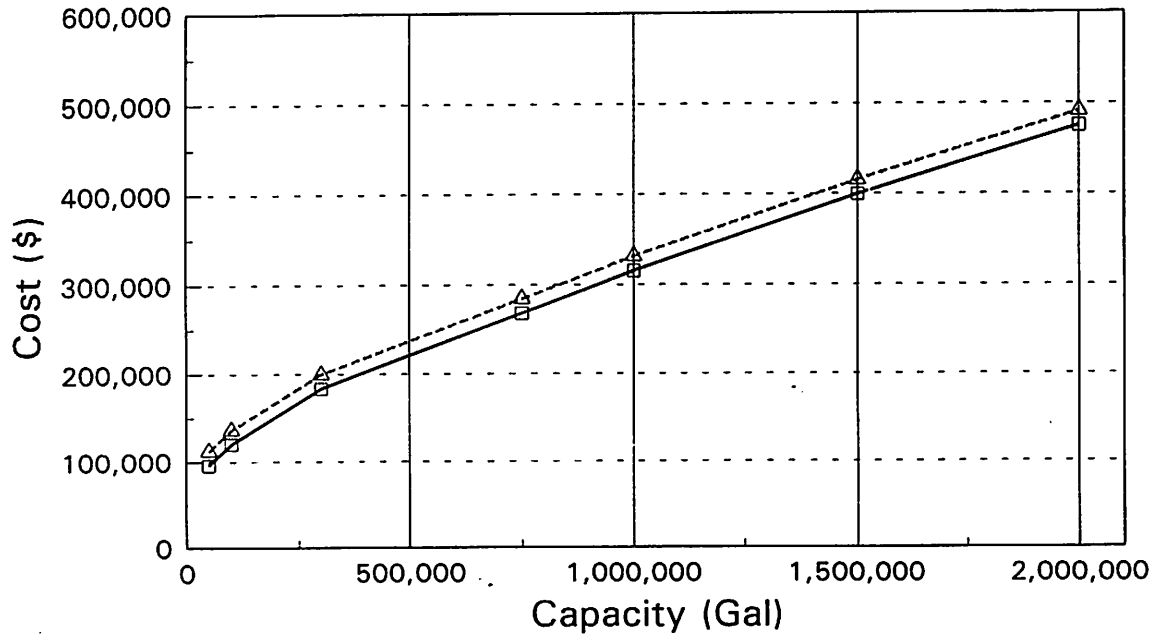


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**PRESTRESSED GST UNIT
 COST CURVE**

Ground Storage Tanks

Prestressed Concrete



w/ 1000 gpm aerator w/ 4000 gpm aerator

- Notes: 1) Prestressed concrete tank, concrete floor, prestressed wall, free-span concrete dome, aluminum interior and exterior ladders, vents, precast overflows, painting, aeration unit, and installation costs are included in the manufacturers' quotations.
- 2) Includes 5% piping, 0% electrical, and 5% sitework costs.
- 3) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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FIGURE 5-2



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**PRESTRESSED G&T CONSTRUCTION
 COST CURVE**

5.2 STEEL GROUND STORAGE TANKS

Steel ground storage tanks are typically found in the smaller capacity range (10,000 gallon to 250,000 gallon). In this size range they are able to compete with the prestressed concrete ground storage tanks. The installations of the steel tanks in Florida are commonly above-ground. These tanks are commonly used for the storage of raw or finished water intended for the distribution system, but they can also store effluent or reuse flows. In order to study the cost relationships of these tanks, the design must be uniform throughout. Therefore, the steel tanks are above-ground and not equipped with an aeration unit.

The unit cost curve, Figure 5-3, is very similar to the prestressed concrete ground storage tank with cost curve. There is a sharply increasing economy of scale in the small design capacity range, which lies between 10,000 and 100,000 gallons. The inflection point occurs at 50,000 gallons and thereafter the economy of scale begins to decrease. The decreasing economy of scale occurs between the 100,000 gallon and maximum 250,000 gallon capacity range. Since the unit cost is decreasing throughout the entire curve, the economy of scale is present through all sizes. This means that even though the economy of scale is decreasing in the larger sizes, there are still savings in the larger designs. The construction cost curve, Figure 5-4, shows these savings by plotting the total cost of the storage tank versus the capacity of the tank. For example, by taking the average of the two curves, the cost to construct a 250,000 gallon tank is approximately \$145,000. The cost to construct a 150,000 gallon tank is about \$108,000. Therefore, there is a savings of \$50,000 by designing the tank for the larger capacity as opposed to expanding the steel ground storage tanks capacity by adding another 100,000 gallons of capacity.

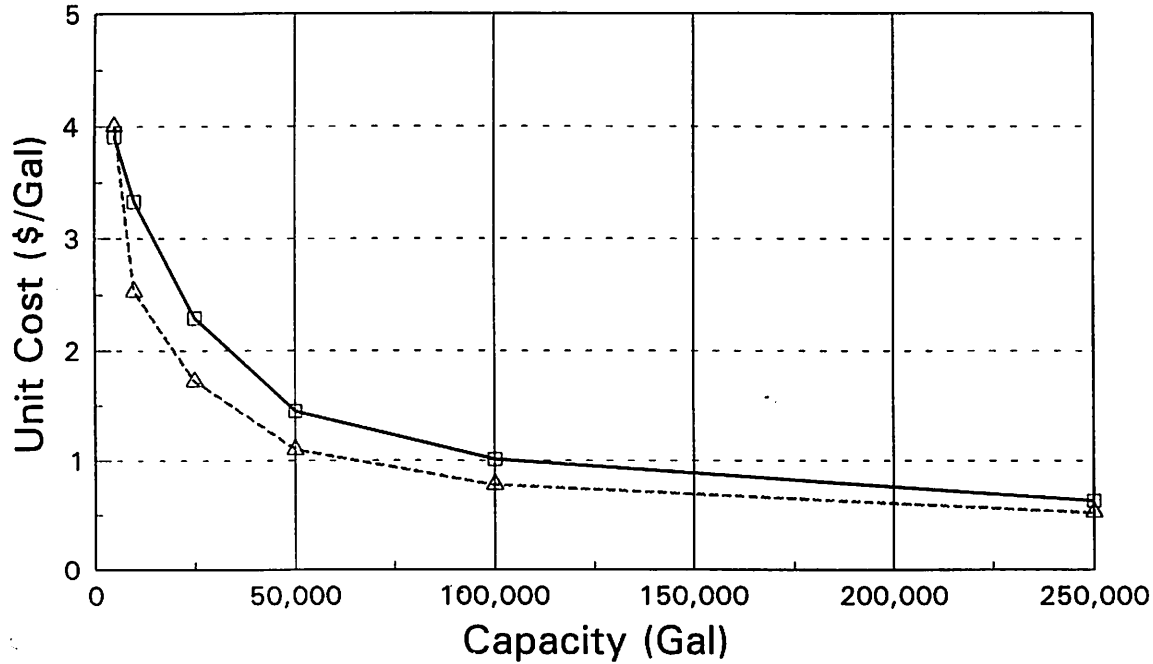
The cost curves for steel ground storage tanks were prepared with values obtained from EPA cost curves and manufacturers' quotes. In order to compare the two sources of costs, the quotes were modified to meet the same criteria as the Environmental Protection Agencies cost curves. The steel tank costs include the complete tank, concrete foundation, roof, roof manway, gravity vent, bottom manway hatch, ladder and cage assembly, top manway platform, protective bolt caps, installation, 5% sitework, and 5% piping.

5.3 CHLORINATION

The chlorination of raw water is commonly accomplished using gas chlorinators. The gas is fed to the chlorinators via 150 pound, or 1 ton storage cylinders. The size of the storage cylinders is

Ground Storage Tanks

Steel



EPA Curve Manufacturers
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- Notes: 1) Complete steel tank, concrete foundation, roof, roof manway, gravity vent, bottom manway hatch, ladder & cage assembly, top manway platform, protective bolt caps, and installation costs are included in the manufacturers' quotations.
 2) Includes 5% piping, 0% electrical, and 5% sitework costs.
 3) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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FIGURE 5-3

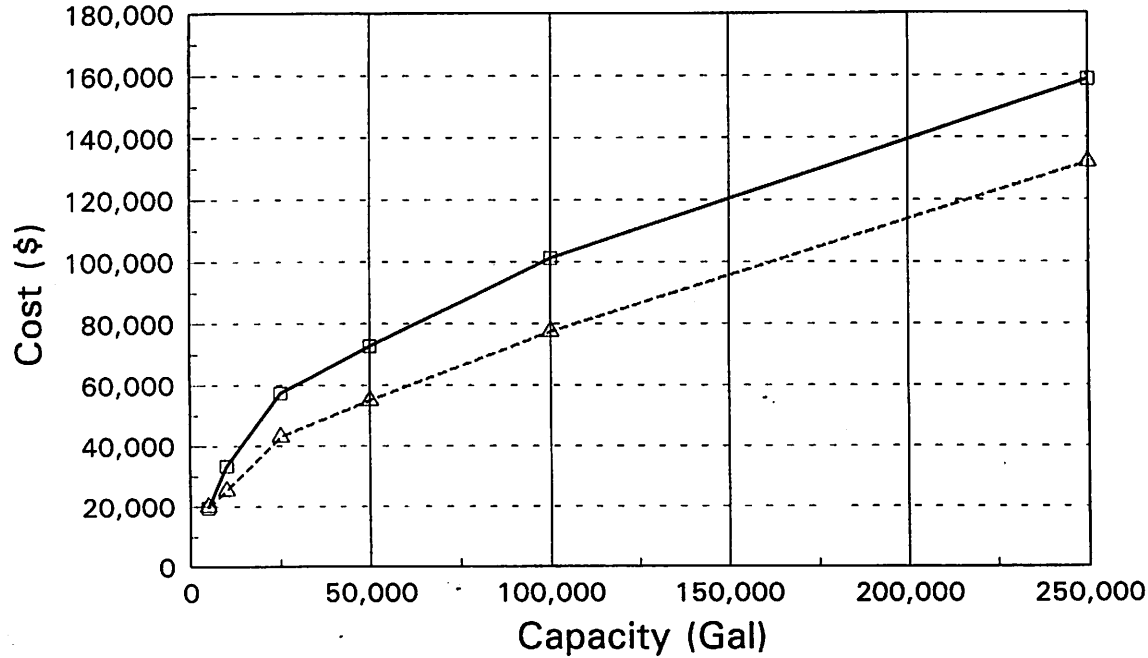


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STEEL GST UNIT COST CURVE

Ground Storage Tanks

Steel



EPA Curve Manufacturers

- Notes: 1) Complete steel tank, concrete foundation, roof, roof manway, gravity vent, bottom manway hatch, ladder & cage assembly, top manway platform, protective bolt caps, and installation costs are included in the manufacturers' quotations.
- 2) Includes 5% piping, 0% electrical, and 5% sitework costs.
- 3) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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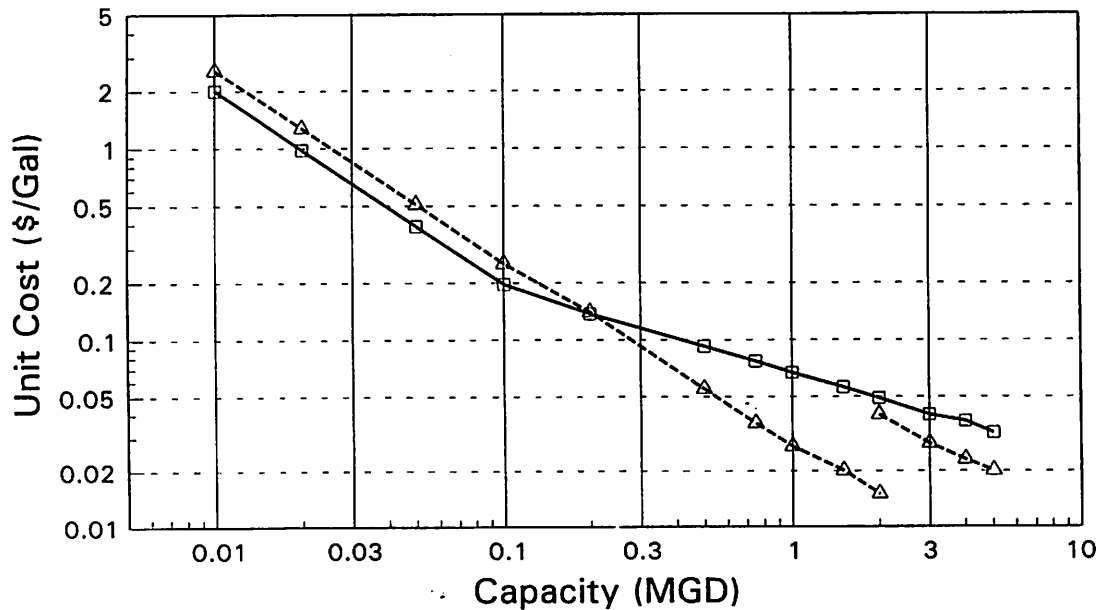
FIGURE 5-4



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STEEL GST CONSTRUCTION COST CURVE

Chlorine Feed Systems Water Treatment



EPA Curve Manufacturers

- Notes:
- 1) Gas chlorination unit with 5 mg/l feed rate capacity.
 - 2) Dual chlorinators w/ switchover, dual scales, gas detector, alarm panel, vacuum switch, booster pump, housing, and hoists are included in the manufacturers' quotations.
 - 3) Includes 20% electrical, 15% piping, and 20% installation costs.
 - 4) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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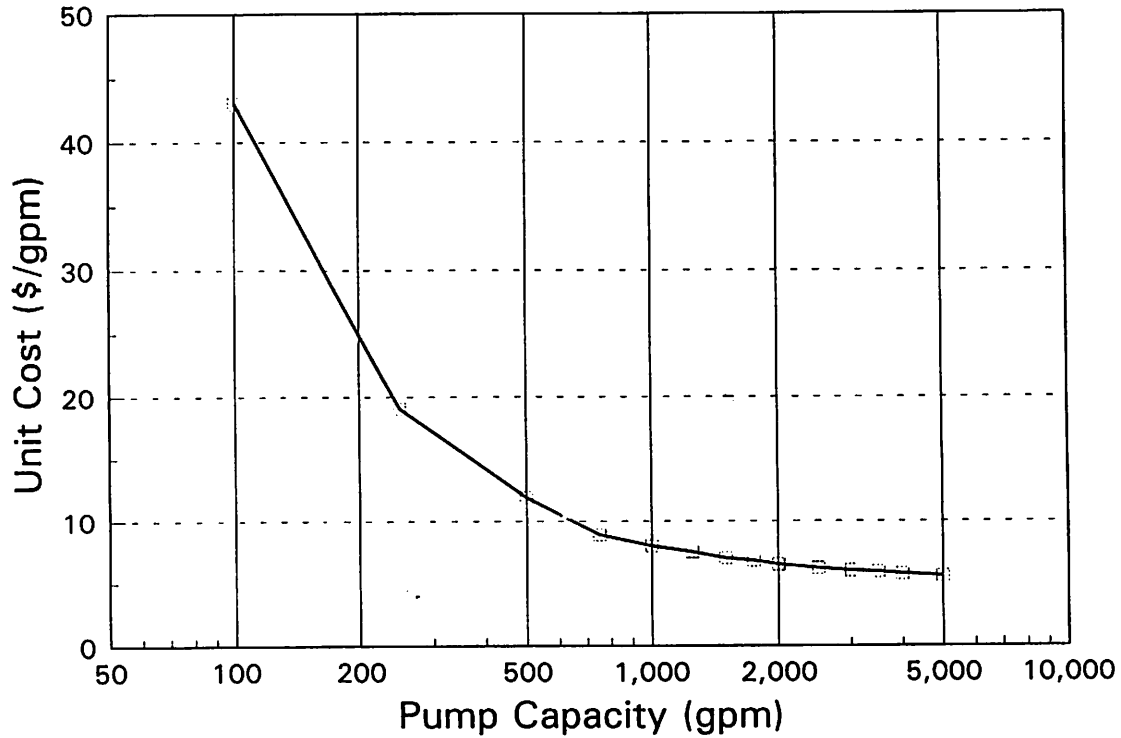
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**CHLORINE FEED SYSTEM UNIT
COST CURVE**

High-Service Pumps Horizontal Split Case



- Notes:
- 1) All costs obtained from manufacturer's quotations include pumps, factory testing, and freight to jobsite.
 - 2) Horizontal Split Case pumps and motors.
 - 3) Pump head is 175 feet (76 psi).
 - 4) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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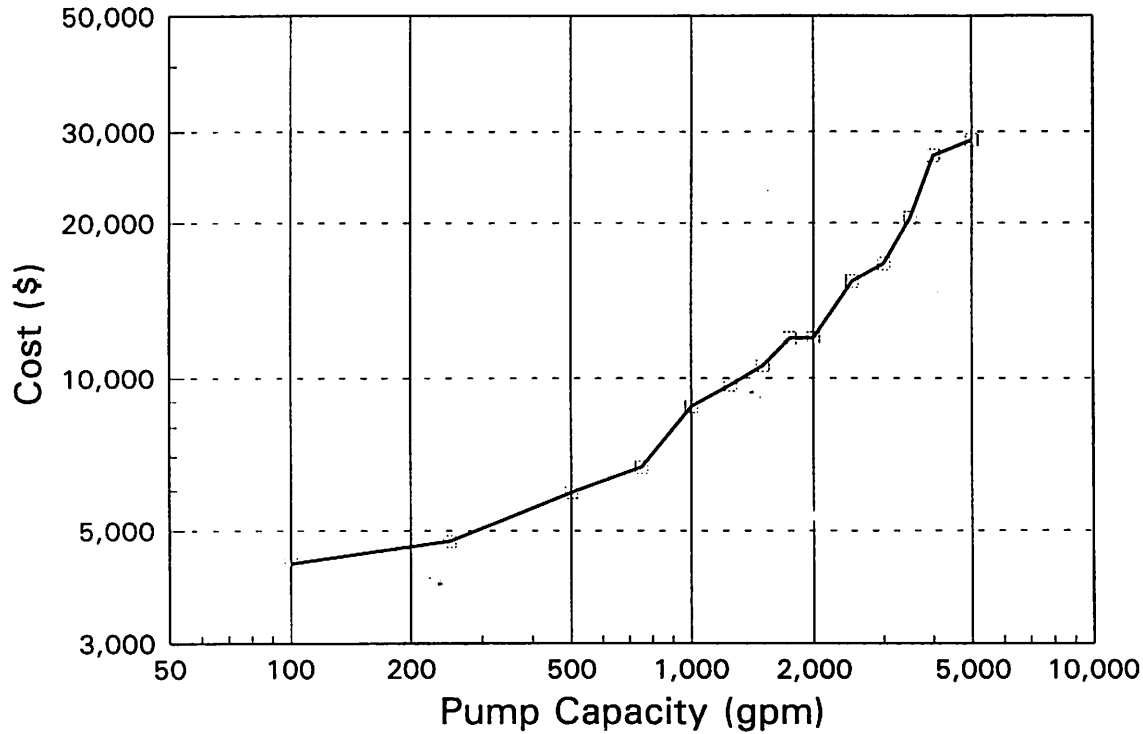
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**HIGH SERVICE PUMP UNIT
COST CURVE**

High-Service Pumps Horizontal Split Case



- Notes:
- 1) Values obtained from manufacturer's quotations include pumps, factory testing, and freight to jobsite.
 - 2) Horizontal Split Case pumps and motors.
 - 3) Pump head is 175 feet (76 psi).
 - 4) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

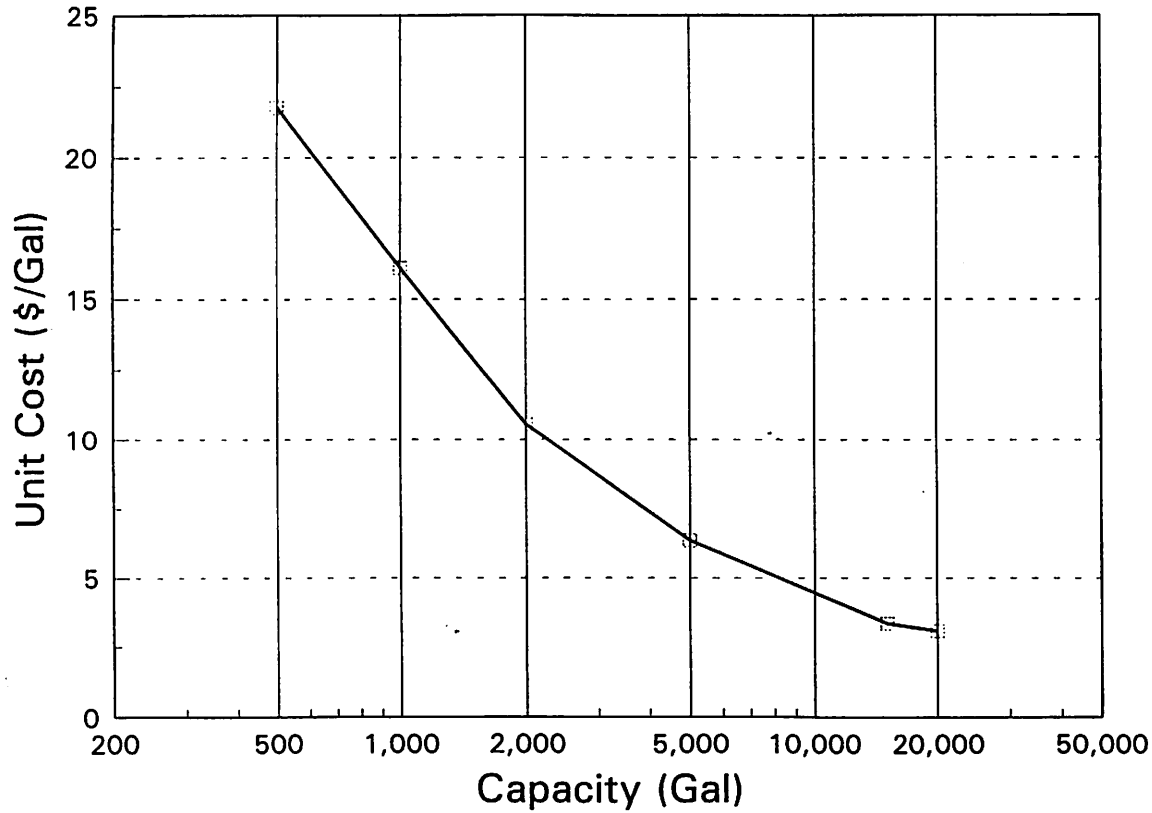
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**HIGH SERVICE PUMP CONSTRUCTION
COST CURVE**

Hydropneumatic Tanks



- Notes:
- 1) Costs of the tank, air volume control compressor, and a control panel were included in the manufacturers' quotations.
 - 2) 15% piping, 20% electrical, 20% installation, and 10% sitework were added to the quoted costs.
 - 3) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

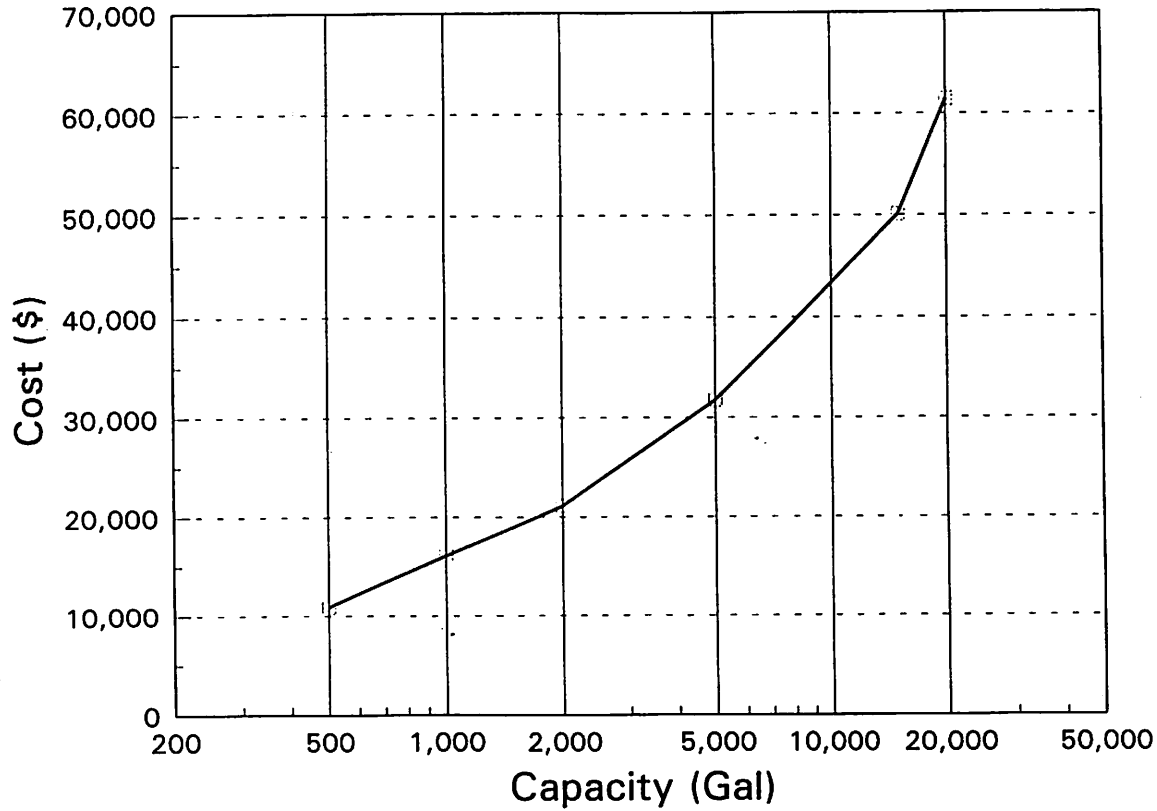
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**HYDROPNEUMATIC TANK UNIT
 COST CURVE**

Hydropneumatic Tanks



- Notes:
- 1) Costs of the tank, air volume control compressor, and a control panel were included in the manufacturers' quotations.
 - 2) 15% piping, 20% electrical, 20% installation, and 10% sitework were added to the quoted costs.
 - 3) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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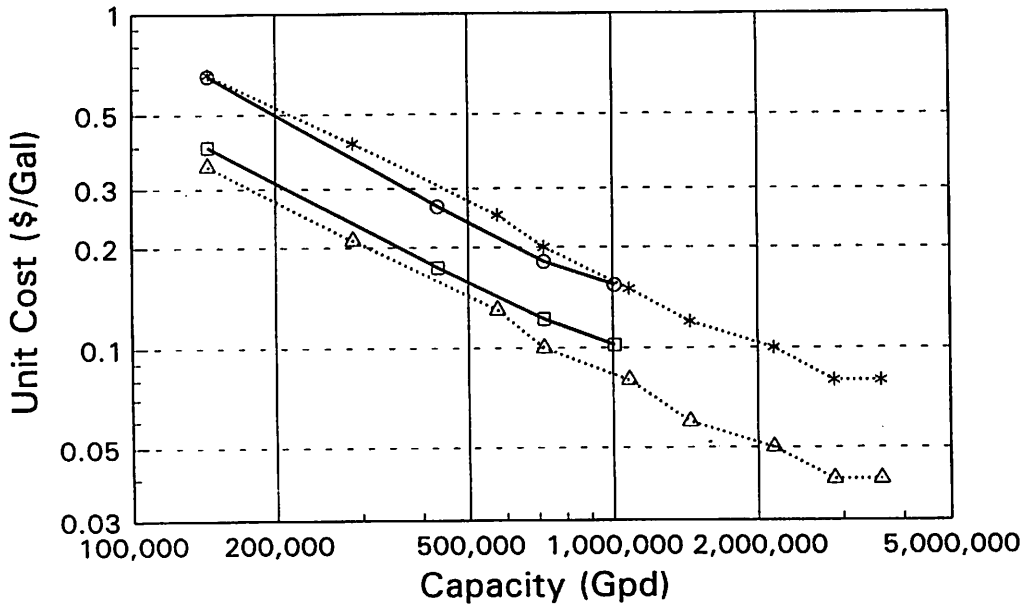
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HYDROPNEUMATIC TANK CONSTRUCTION COST CURVE

Potable Water Wells



EPA Curve (250' deep) Manufacturers (250' deep)
 EPA Curve (500' deep) Manufacturers (500' deep)

- Notes:
- 1) Vertical turbine pump, cement grout, black steel well and surface casing, well screen, and well development costs from manufacturers' quotes and bid tabulations.
 - 2) Includes 10% electrical, 15% for well head assembly, and 30% labor costs.
 - 3) EPA cost curves contain all costs.
 - 4) Costs are based on the June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

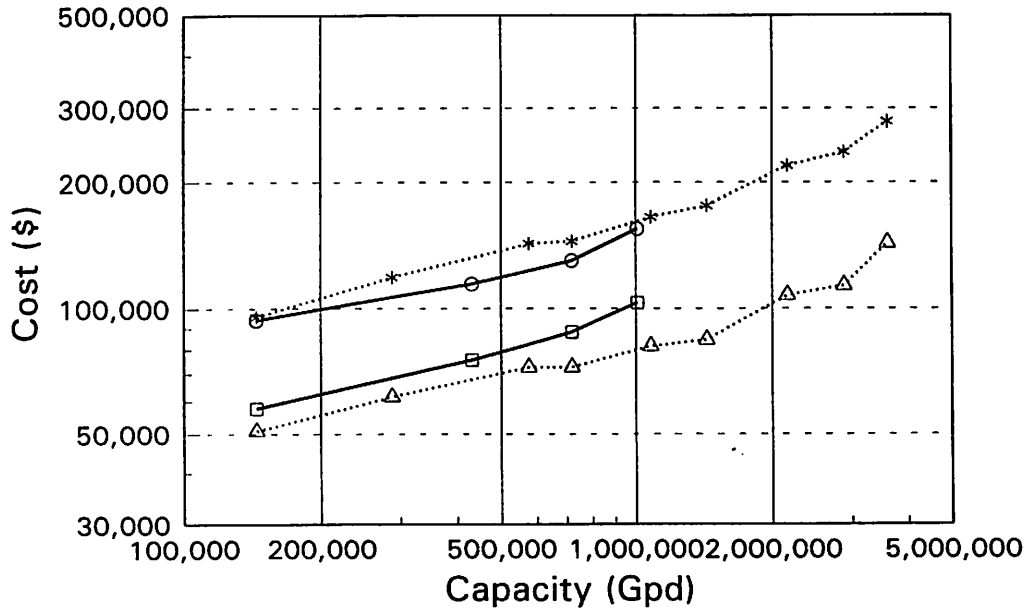
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SUPPLY WELL UNIT COST CURVE

Potable Water Wells



EPA Curve (250' deep) Manufacturers (250' deep)
 EPA Curve (500' deep) Manufacturers (500' deep)

- Notes: 1) Vertical turbine pump, cement grout, black steel well and surface casing, well screen, and well development costs from manufacturers' quotes and bid tabulations.
 2) Includes 10% electrical, 15% for well head assembly, and 30% labor costs.
 3) EPA cost curves contain all costs.
 4) Costs are based on the June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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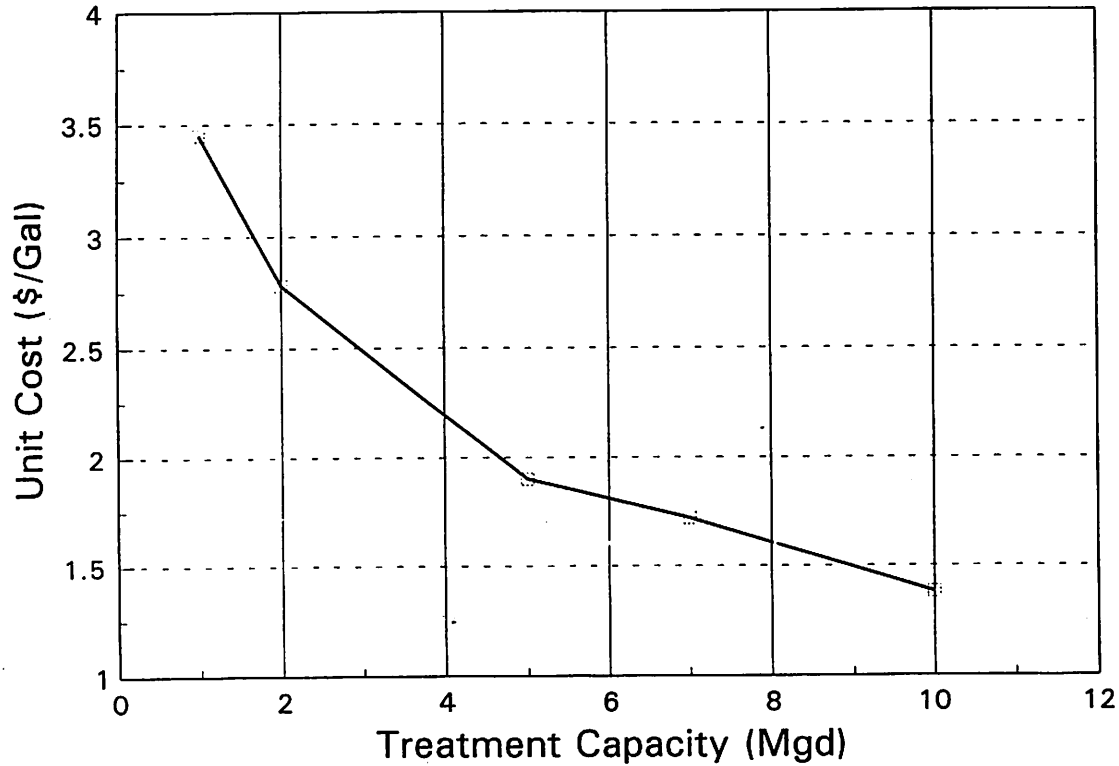
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SUPPLY WELL CONSTRUCTION COST CURVE

Lime Softening WTP



- Notes:
- 1) Values obtained using EPA cost curves.
 - 2) Costs include raw water influent pumping, chemical addition, rapid mix/flocculation, sedimentation, filtration, disinfection, finished water storage, finished water pumping, and sludge disposal.
 - 3) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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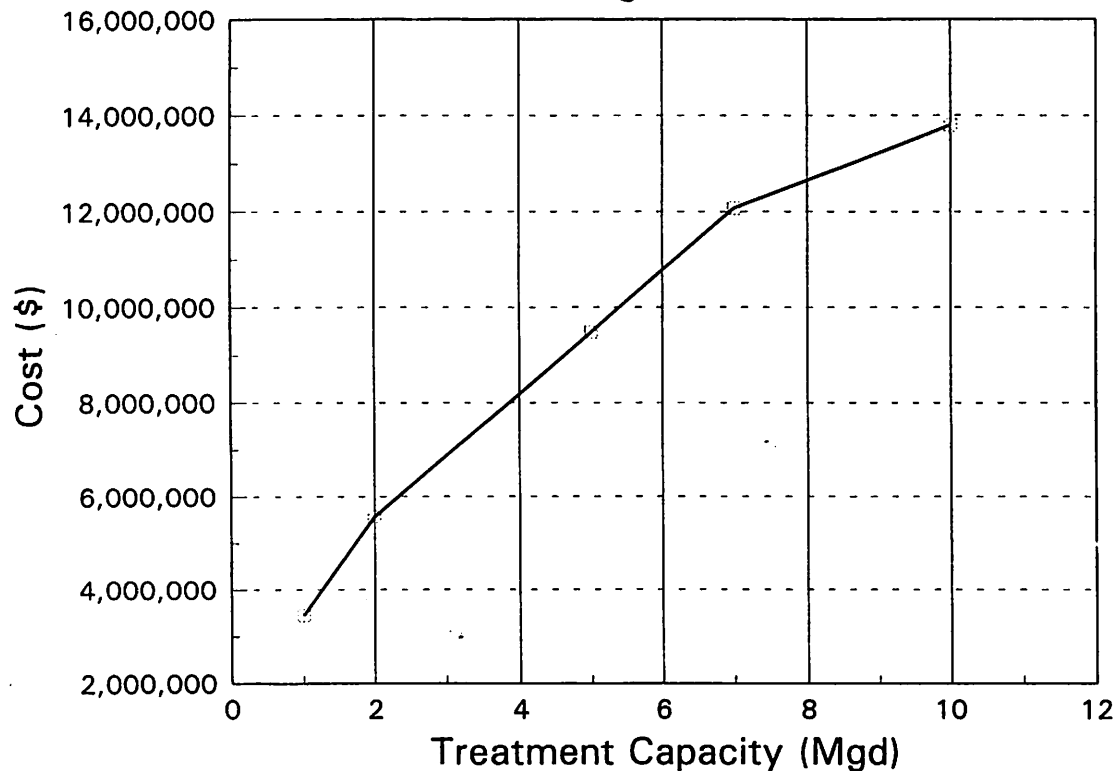
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**LIME SOFTENING WTP UNIT
COST CURVE**

Lime Softening WTP



- Notes:
- 1) Values obtained using EPA cost curves.
 - 2) Costs include raw water influent pumping, chemical addition, rapid mix/flocculation, sedimentation, filtration, disinfection, finished water storage, finished water pumping, and sludge disposal.
 - 3) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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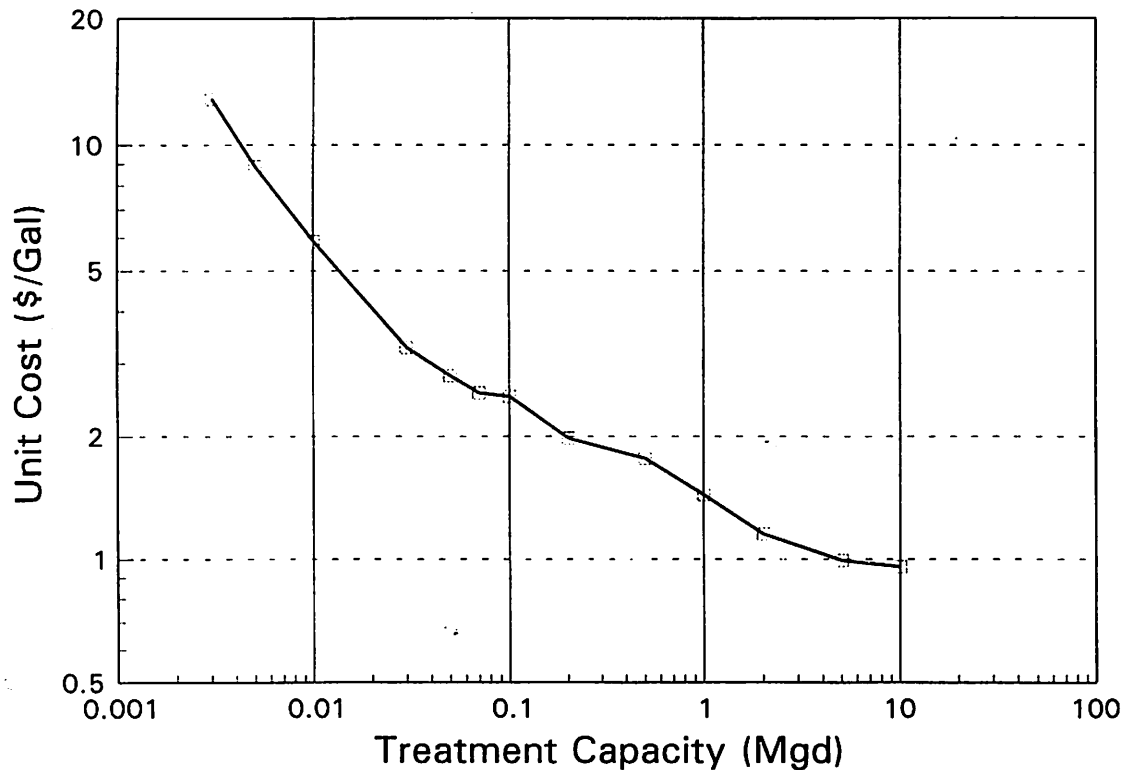
FIGURE 5-13



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LIME SOFTENING WTP CONSTRUCTION COST CURVE

Reverse Osmosis WTP



- Notes:
- 1) Values obtained using EPA cost curves.
 - 2) Costs include housing, structural steel, tanks, piping, valves, pumps, reverse osmosis membrane elements and pressure vessels, flow meters, cartridge filters, acid and polyphosphate equipment, and cleaning equip.
 - 3) The EPA cost curves have also added costs for contingencies, sitework, engineering & administration, and electrical.
 - 4) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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FIGURE
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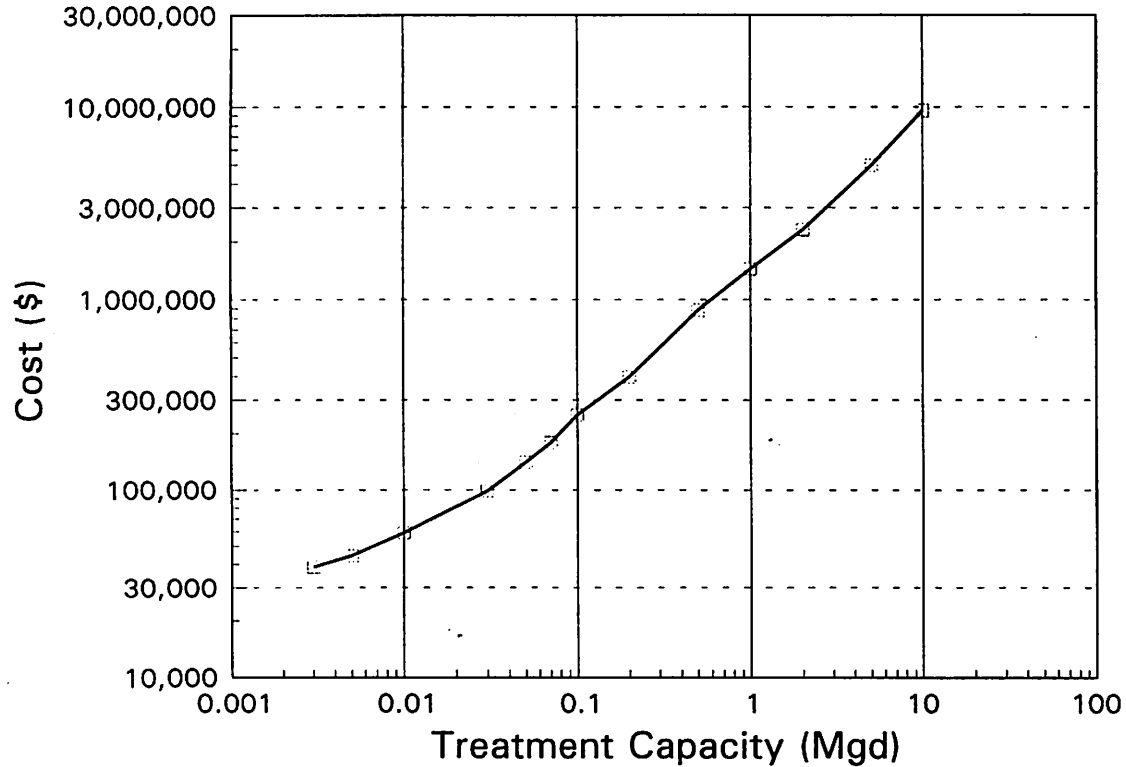
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**REVERSE OSMOSIS UNIT
COST CURVE**

Reverse Osmosis WTP



- Notes:
- 1) Values obtained using EPA cost curves.
 - 2) Costs include housing, structural steel, tanks, piping, valves, pumps, reverse osmosis membrane elements and pressure vessels, flow meters, cartridge filters, acid and polyphosphate equipment, and cleaning equip.
 - 3) The EPA cost curves have also added costs for contingencies, sitework, engineering & administration, and electrical.
 - 4) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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FIGURE
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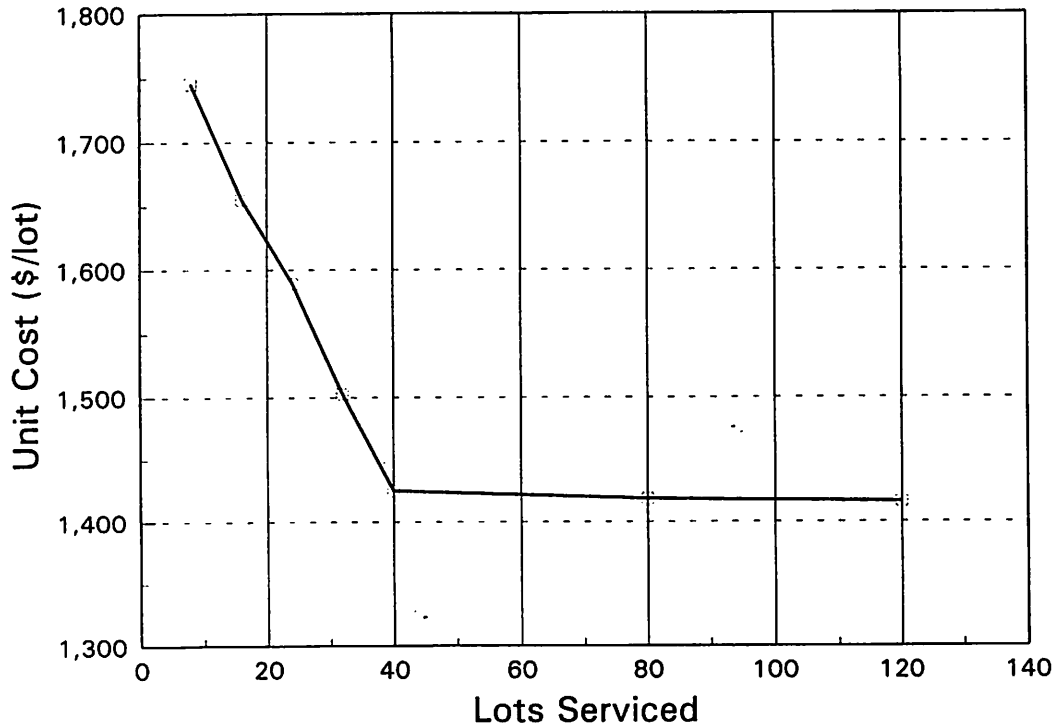
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**REVERSE OSMOSIS CONSTRUCTION
COST CURVE**

SECTION 6

Gravity Sewer Installations



- Notes:
- 1) Assumed 100 foot lots, 12 foot maximum pipe depth, and 120 lots served by a 100 gpm pump station.
 - 2) Manufacturers' quotes and bid tabulations provided costs for precast manholes, pipe material, and the \$1/ft line testing cost for low pressure air exfiltration.
 - 3) Includes a \$500 permitting fee, electrical, installation, and 10% for mobilization.
 - 4) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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FIGURE
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**GRAVITY SEWER UNIT
 COST CURVE**

transmission components is directly related to the amount of wastewater that is entering the wet well. The range of capacities of the pump stations are from 100 gallons per minute to 1,000 gallons per minute.

The unit cost curve, Figure 6-3, was produced by dividing the total cost of a submersible pump station by the capacity of the main pump and plotting this value, versus the capacity of the pump, in gallons per minute. This curve shows an increasing economy of scale between 100 gpm and 400 gpm. The inflection point lies around 400 gpm, and from 400 gpm to 1,000 gpm the economy of scale is slightly decreasing. Due to the unit cost relationship, the design of a pump station under 400 gpm should be avoided, if there are any possibilities for further expansion. After 400 gpm, there is still an economy of scale; however, it is not as significant. To show that there is still considerable savings after 400 gpm, we must study the construction cost curve, Figure 6-4. The cost of a 1,000 gpm duplex pump station is approximately \$63,000, and the cost of a 500 gpm pump station is \$46,000. Therefore, there is a \$29,000 savings to build the 1,000 gpm pump station when compared to two (2) 500 gpm pump stations.

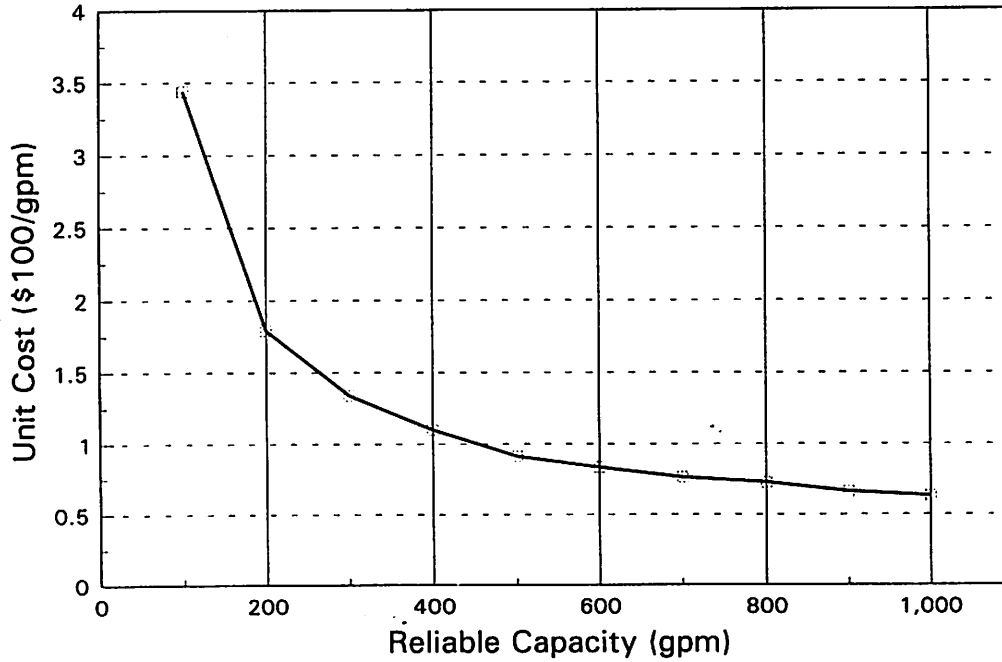
The unit cost and construction cost curves were produced using the quotations obtained from manufacturers. The cost includes two (2) equivalent submersible pumps, the precast wet well, precast valve box, piping, fittings, 20% for electrical, and installation, which includes excavating, backfilling, and dewatering. The pumps were designed to run on a 6-minute cycle time, which minimized wet well sizing.

6.3 FORCE MAINS

In the transmission of wastewater, force mains are used to convey wastewater from a sewage pump station directly to the treatment plant, another pump station, or a manhole. The force main materials that were studied in this project were the PVC (C900-DR25) and the Class 50 DIP with epoxy coating. These pipes are presented on unit cost curves as illustrated in Figure 6-5 and Figure 6-6.

The PVC force main unit cost curve, Figure 6-5, was produced for pipe sizes between 4-inches and 12-inches in diameter. The unit cost of the pipe is in dollars per linear foot and this is based on different lengths of pipe. In other words, there are three (3) different total lengths of pipe: 25,000 feet (large project), 2,500 feet (medium project) and 250 feet (small project). For these different lengths, manufacturers quoted the actual material prices per foot that would apply to

Sewage Pump Stations



- Notes:
- 1) Pump station design was based on a 6 minute cycle time, a peak factor of 3 to 4 respective of average flow, and a 3 ft high effective volume.
 - 2) Costs include two (2) equal size pumps, precast wetwell, precast valve box, installation (excavating, backfilling, dewatering), piping, fittings, and 20% electrical.
 - 3) Wet well sizes: 100-400 gpm => 6' diam., 500-600 gpm => 8' diam., 700-900 gpm => 10' diam., 1000 gpm => 12' diam.
 - 4) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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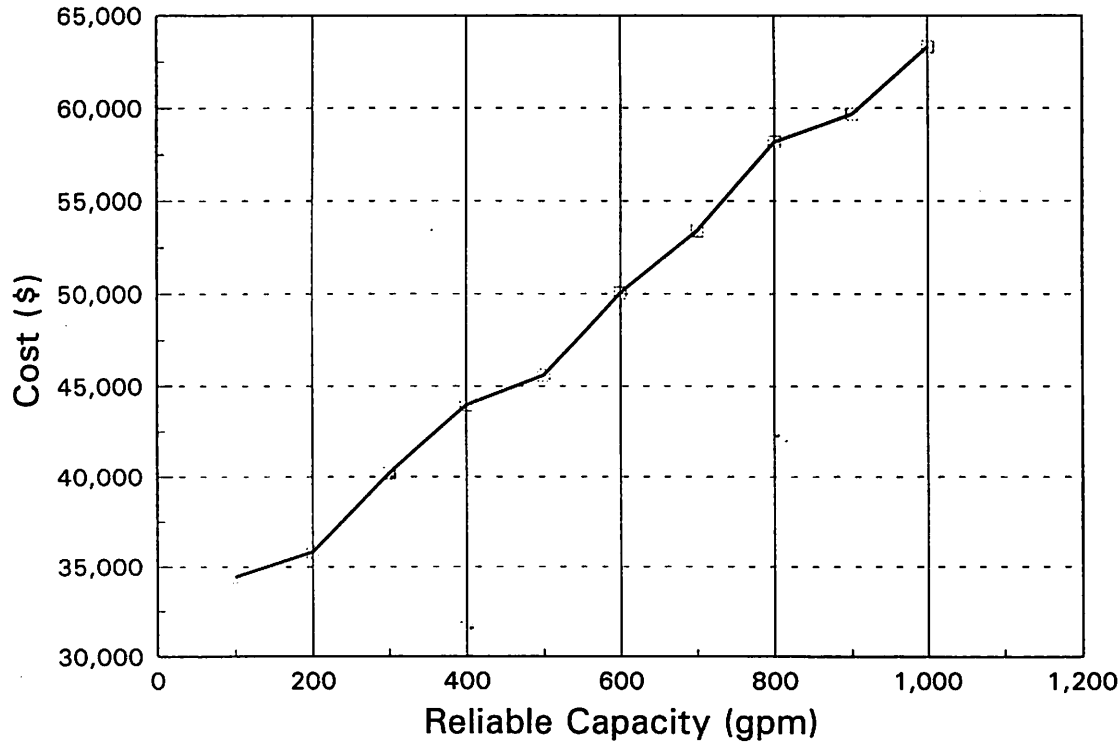
**FIGURE
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**SEWAGE PUMP STATION UNIT
COST CURVE**

Sewage Pump Stations



- Notes:
- 1) Pump station design was based on a 6 minute cycle time, peak factor of 3 to 4 respective of average flow, and a 3 ft high effective volume.
 - 2) Costs include two (2) equal size pumps, precast wetwell, precast valve box, installation (excavating, backfilling, dewatering), piping, fittings, and 20% electrical.
 - 3) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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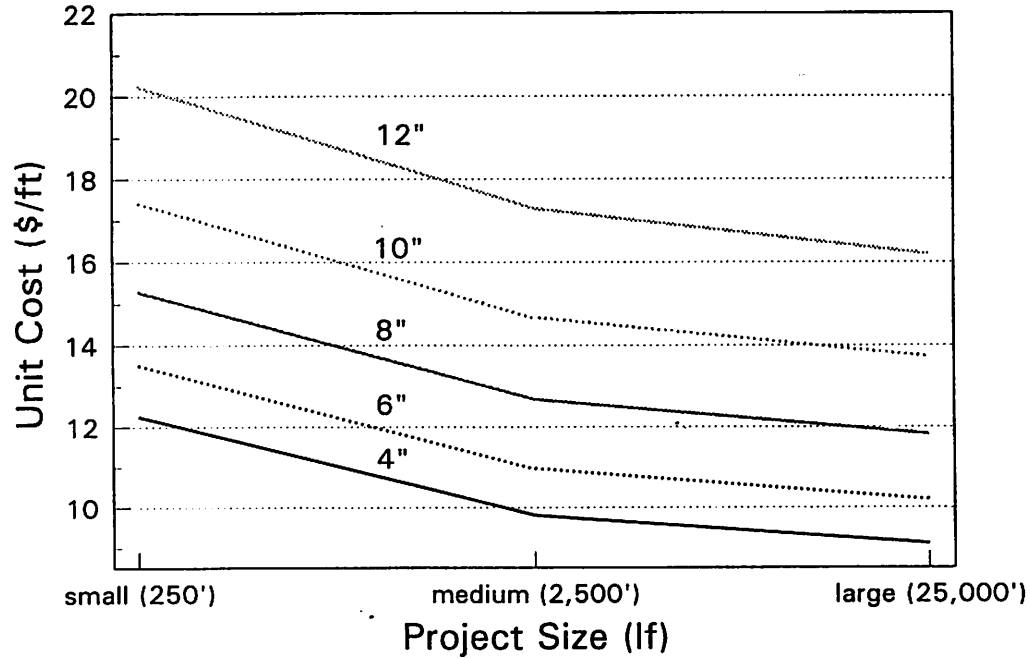
FIGURE 6-4



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SEWAGE PUMP STATION CONSTRUCTION COST CURVE

PVC (C900 - DR25) Force Main



4"	6"	8"	10"	12"
pipe	pipe	pipe	pipe	pipe

- Notes:
- 1) Material cost obtained from manufacturers' quotes.
 - 2) Costs include \$500 permitting, 10%-15% mobilization, \$.25-\$.75/ft for pressure testing, and \$7/ft for excavating, backfilling, and compacting.
 - 3) Costs exclude valves, fittings, and restoration work.
 - 4) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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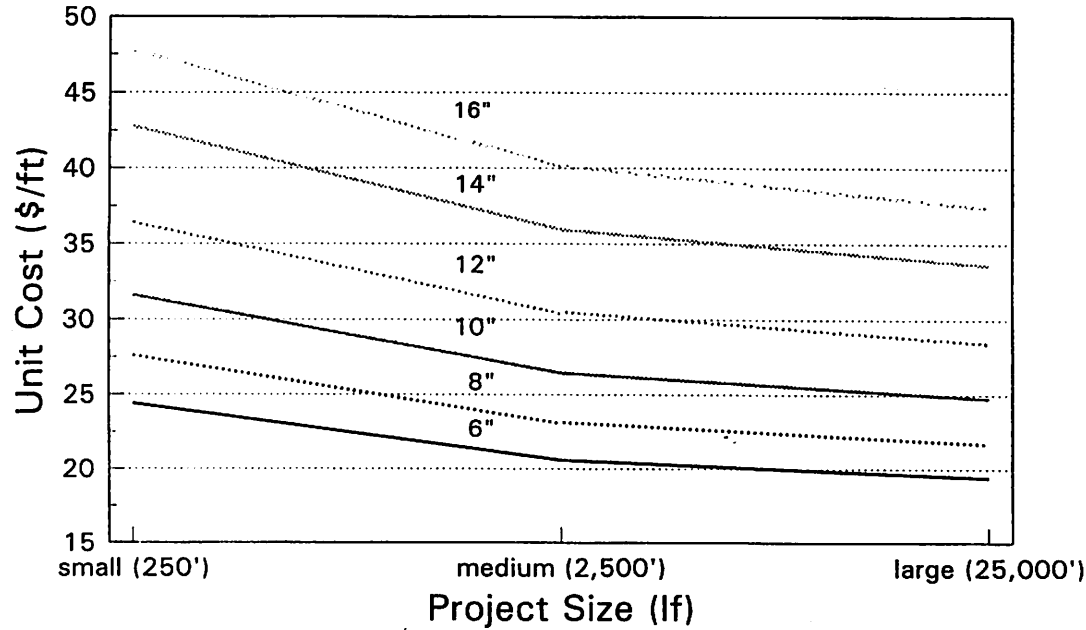
FIGURE 6-5



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PVC FORCE MAIN UNIT COST CURVE

DIP (Class 50 - Epoxy Lined) Force Main



6" pipe 8" pipe 10" pipe 12" pipe 14" pipe 16" pipe

- Notes:
- 1) Material cost obtained from manufacturers' quotes.
 - 2) Costs include \$500 permitting, 10%-15% mobilization, \$.25-\$.75/ft pressure testing, and \$7/ft for excavating, backfilling, and compacting.
 - 3) Costs exclude valves, fittings, and restoration work.
 - 4) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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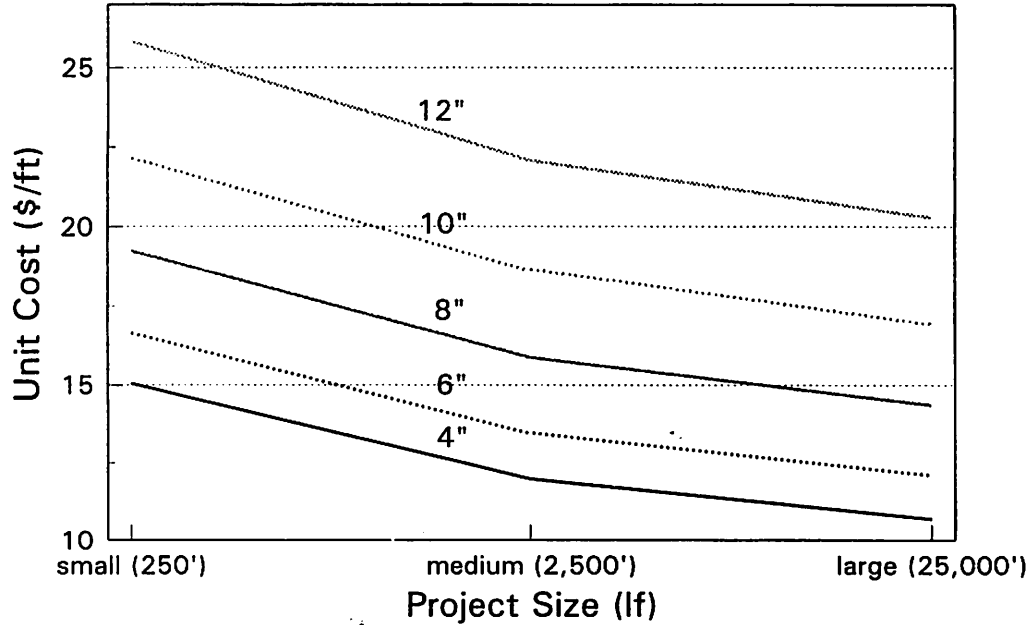
FIGURE 6-6



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DIP FORCE MAIN UNIT COST CURVE

PVC (C900 - DR18) Water Main



4"	6"	8"	10"	12"
pipe	pipe	pipe	pipe	pipe

- Notes:
- 1) Material cost obtained from manufacturers' quotes.
 - 2) Costs include \$500 permitting, 10%-15% mobilization, \$1-\$2/ft disinfection, \$.25-\$.75/ft for pressure testing, and \$7/ft for excavating, backfilling, and compacting.
 - 3) Costs exclude valves, fittings, and restoration work.
 - 4) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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FIGURE
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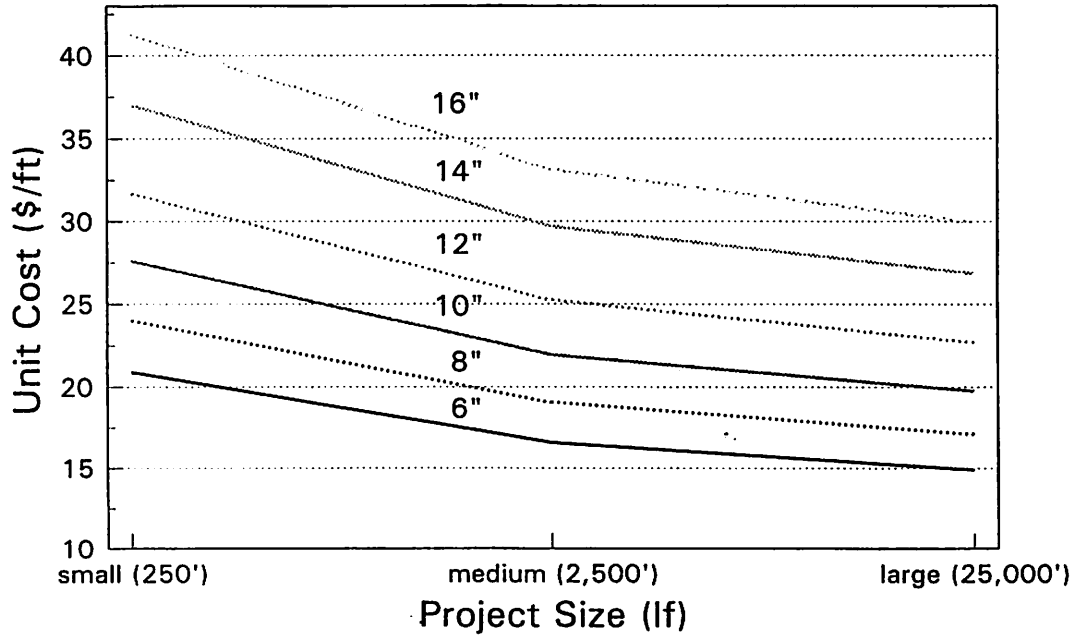
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**PVC WATER MAIN UNIT
COST CURVE**

DIP (Class 50 - Cement Lined) Water Main



6"	8"	10"	12"	14"	16"
pipe	pipe	pipe	pipe	pipe	pipe

- Notes:
- 1) Material cost obtained from manufacturer's quotes.
 - 2) Costs include \$500 permitting, 10%-15% mobilization, \$1-\$2/ft disinfection, \$.25-\$.75/ft for pressure testing, \$7/ft for excavating, backfilling, and compacting.
 - 3) Costs exclude valves, fittings, and restoration work.
 - 4) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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FIGURE 8-8



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DIP WATER MAIN UNIT COST CURVE

between the small and large projects. Once again, the unit costs prove the existence of a strong economy of scale in the water mains. Therefore, to capture the economy of scale it is desirable to construct as much water main as possible.

The unit cost curves for the PVC and DIP water mains were constructed from values obtained from manufacturers' quotes. The unit cost includes the material cost, a \$7/foot trenching cost, a permitting fee, mobilization, disinfection of water mains, and the pressure testing on the water mains.

APPENDIX A

Package Wastewater Treatment Plants
Unit Costs

Capacity (MGD)	Davco Ext. Aer. (\$)	Sanitaire Ext. Aer. (\$)	Total Ext. Aeration Const. Cost (\$)	Overall E.A. Cost w/ Chlor. (\$)	Unit Cost (\$/Gal)
0.01	50000	--	50000	77500	7.75
0.025	78000	--	78000	105500	4.22
0.05	135000	125495	130247.5	160248	3.205
0.075	185000	159630	172315	202315	2.6975
0.1	217000	184948	200974	235974	2.3597
0.15	210000	233535	221767.5	256768	1.7118
0.25	260000	309045	284522.5	319523	1.2781
0.5	375000	479368	427184	462184	0.9244
0.75	450000	622920	536460	571460	0.7619
1	533000	758860	645930	680930	0.6809

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EXTENDED AERATION. MECHANICAL AND DIFFUSED AERATION

FACT SHEET 2.1.10

Description - Extended aeration is the "low rate" modification of the activated sludge process. The F/M loading is in the range of 0.05 to 0.15 lb BOD₅/d/lb MLVSS, and the detention time is about 24 hours. Primary clarification is rarely used. The extended aeration system operates in the endogenous respiration phase of the bacterial growth cycle, because of the low BOD₅ loading. The organisms are starved and forced to undergo partial auto-oxidation. Volatile compounds are driven off to a certain extent in the aeration process. Metals will also be partially removed, with accumulation in the sludge.

In the complete mix version of the extended aeration process, all portions of the aeration basin are essentially homogeneous, resulting in a uniform oxygen demand throughout the aeration tank. This condition can be accomplished fairly simply in a symmetrical (square or circular) basin with a single mechanical aerator or by diffused aeration. The raw wastewater and return sludge enter at a point (e.g., under a mechanical aerator) where they are quickly dispersed throughout the basin. In rectangular basins with mechanical aerators or diffused air, the incoming waste and return sludge are distributed along one side of the basin and the mixed liquor is withdrawn from the opposite side.

Common Modifications - Step aeration, contact stabilization, and plug flow regimes. Alum or ferric chloride is sometimes added to the aeration tank for phosphorus removal.

Technology Status - Extended aeration plants have evolved since the latter part of the 1940's. Pre-engineered, package plants have been widely utilized for this process.

Typical Equipment/No. of Mfrs. - Aerators/30; package treatment plants/21; air diffusers/19; compressors/44.

Applications - Commonly flows of less than 50,000 gal/d; emergency or temporary treatment needs; and biodegradable wastewater.

Limitations - High power costs, operation costs, and capital costs (for large permanent installations where the pre-engineered plants would not be appropriate).

PerformanceBOD₅ Removal

85-95%

NH₄⁻ - N Removed (Nitrification)

50-90%

Residuals Generated - Because of the low F/M loadings and long hydraulic detention times employed, excess sludge production for the extended aeration process (and the closely related oxidation ditch process) is the lowest of any of the activated sludge process alternatives, generally in the range of 0.15 to 0.3 lb excess total suspended solids/lb BOD₅ removed.

Design Criteria (39) - A partial listing of design criteria for the extended aeration modification of the activated sludge process is summarized as follows:

Volumetric loading, lb BOD ₅ /d/1,000 ft ³	5 to 10
MLSS, mg/l	3,000 to 6,000
F/M, lb BOD ₅ /d/lb MLVSS	0.05 to 0.15
Aeration detention time, hours (based on average daily flow)	18 to 36
Standard ft ³ air/lb BOD ₅ applied	3,000 to 4,000
lb O ₂ /lb BOD ₅ applied	2.0 to 2.5 (based on 1.5 lb O ₂ /lb BOD ₅ removed + 4.6 lb O ₂ /lb NH ₄ -N removed)
Sludge retention time, days	20 to 40
Recycle ratio (R)	0.75 to 1.5
Volatile fraction of MLSS	0.6 to 0.7

Process Reliability - Good

Environmental Impact - See Fact Sheet 2.1.1

References - 23, 26, 31, 39



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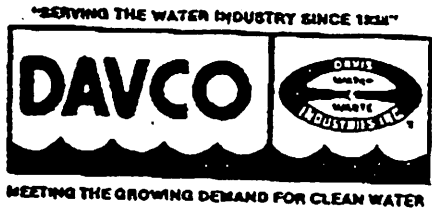
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Stair Ring Steel List Costs

Capacity (GPD)	Extended Aeration		Combiot Stabilization	
	List Price (\$)	Turn Key Install.	List Price (\$)	Turn Key Install.
10,000	∅		∅	
25,000	∅		∅	
50,000	\$ 82,000	\$ 110,000	\$ 75,000	\$ 100,000
75,000	\$ 100,000	\$ 135,000	\$ 81,000	\$ 109,000
100,000	\$ 115,000	\$ 155,000	\$ 96,000	\$ 130,000
150,000	\$ 142,000	\$ 192,000	\$ 109,000	\$ 148,000
200,000	\$ 185,000	\$ 240,000	\$ 148,000	\$ 200,000
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APPENDIX B

Package Wastewater Treatment Plants
Unit Costs

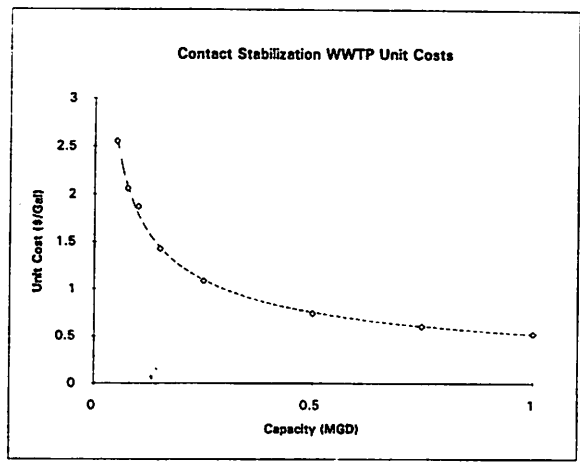
Capacity (MGD)	Davco Con. Stab. (\$)	Sanitaire Con. Stab. (\$)	Total Con. Stab. Const. Cost (\$)	Overall Con. Stab. w/ Chlor. (\$)	Unit Cost (\$/Mgd)
0.010	--	--	--	--	
0.025	--	--	--	--	
0.050	83,000	112,350	97,675	127,675	2.5535
0.075	122,000	127,225	124,613	154,613	2.0615
0.100	152,000	152,321	152,161	187,161	1.8716
0.150	180,000	177,950	178,975	213,975	1.4265
0.250	230,000	244,320	237,160	272,160	1.0886
0.500	320,000	356,540	338,270	373,270	0.7465
0.750	375,000	466,160	420,580	455,580	0.6074
1.000	420,000	560,430	490,215	525,215	0.5252

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CURVE FORMULA (For any capacity on the curve)

$$Y = (0.5249354) * X^{(-0.5321867)}$$

Capacity (MGD)	Cost (\$)	Manuf. Cost (\$)
0.05	2.58522	2.554
0.065	2.24832	
0.075	2.08345	2.062
0.09	1.89079	
0.1	1.78769	1.872
0.115	1.65955	
0.13	1.55472	
0.15	1.44072	1.427
0.165	1.36946	
0.18	1.30749	
0.195	1.25297	
0.21	1.20451	
0.225	1.16109	
0.24	1.12189	
0.25	1.09778	1.089
0.265	1.06426	
0.28	1.03353	
0.295	1.00522	
0.31	0.97903	
0.325	0.95472	
0.34	0.93207	
0.355	0.9109	
0.37	0.89105	
0.385	0.87241	
0.4	0.85484	
0.415	0.83825	
0.43	0.82256	
0.445	0.80769	
0.46	0.79356	
0.475	0.78013	
0.49	0.76733	
0.5	0.75912	0.747
0.515	0.74727	
0.53	0.73594	
0.545	0.72509	
0.56	0.71469	
0.575	0.70471	
0.59	0.69511	
0.605	0.68589	
0.62	0.67701	
0.635	0.66845	
0.65	0.66019	
0.665	0.65223	
0.68	0.64453	
0.695	0.63709	
0.71	0.62989	
0.725	0.62292	
0.74	0.61617	
0.75	0.61178	0.607
0.765	0.60537	
0.78	0.59914	
0.795	0.5931	
0.81	0.58723	
0.825	0.58152	
0.84	0.57597	
0.855	0.57057	
0.87	0.56532	
0.885	0.5602	
0.9	0.55521	
0.915	0.55035	
0.93	0.54561	
0.945	0.54098	
0.96	0.53646	
0.975	0.53206	
1	0.52494	0.525



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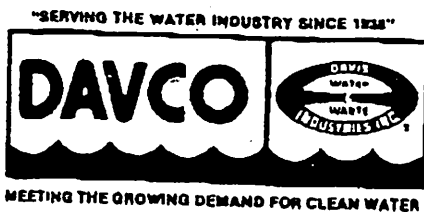
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**SANITARI
 24" Ring Steel List Costs**

Capacity (gpd)	Extended Aeration		Contact Stabilization	
	List Price (\$)	Turn Key Install.	List Price (\$)	Turn Key Install.
10,000	φ		φ	
25,000	φ		φ	
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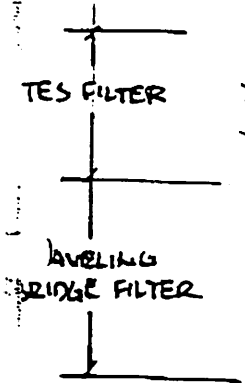
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FACTORY BUILT AND BUDGET
 Davco Ring Steel ~~List~~ Costs

	Extended Aeration			Contact Stabilization	
	Capacity (gpd)	Budget Price (\$)	Turn Key Install.	Budget Price (\$)	Turn Key Install.
EQUIPMENT AIRLIFT TUBE TANKS 4 PHASES + CCC	10,000	36000	14000	N/A	N/A
	25,000	60000	18000	N/A	N/A
	50,000	110000	25000	65000	18000
	75,000	150000	35000	100000	22000
	100,000	175000	42000	125000	27000
EQUIPMENT RING STEEL + PHASING	150,000	140000	70000	120000	60000
	250,000	175000	85000	155000	75000
	500,000	250000	125000	215000	105000
	750,000	300000	150000	250000	125000
	1,000,000	358000	175000	280000	140000

FILTERS (NO INSTALLATION COSTS INCLUDED)



- 0 to .05 MG/D = 28000
- > .05 ≤ .10 MG/D = 40000
- > .10 ≤ .15 MG/D = 50000
- .25 MG/D = 55000 OR 2 @ .2 MG/D = 107000
- .50 MG/D = 70000 OR 2 @ .375 MG/D = 135000
- .75 MG/D = 85000 OR 2 @ .56 MG/D = 145000
- 1.0 MG/D = 98000 OR 2 @ .75 MG/D = 170000

APPENDIX C

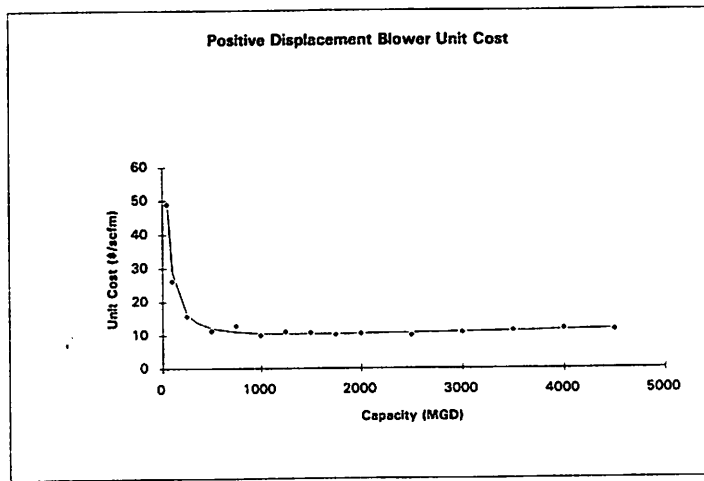
CURVE EQUATION:

$$Y = (2150.968) + (7.348993)X + (1.133403E-03)X^2 + (-5.4948E-08)X^3$$

*** For Unit costs, just divide the output by the blower capacity.

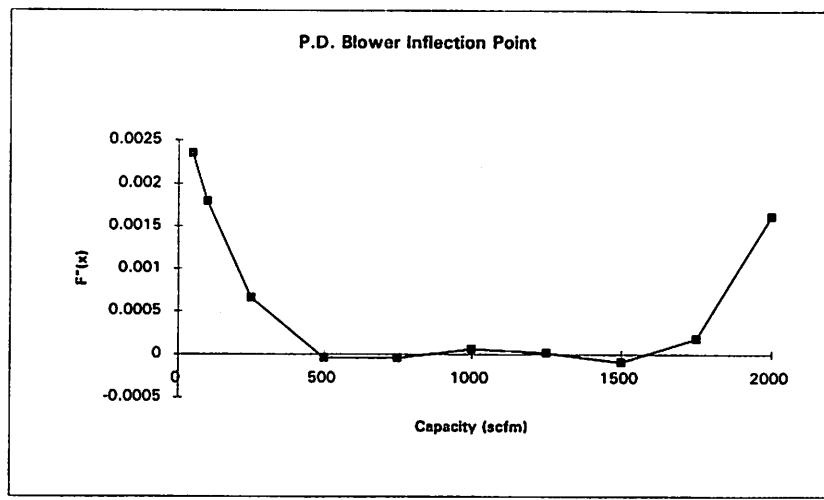
Capacity @ 7 psig (scfm)	P.D. Blower Cost (\$)	Manuf. Blower Cost
50	50.42489	49
100	28.97146	26
250	16.23278	16
350	13.88458	
500	12.20389	11
600	11.5942	
750	11.03609	13
850	10.80324	
950	10.64031	
1000	10.57842	10
1100	10.48467	
1250	10.40066	11
1350	10.37225	
1500	10.35944	11
1600	10.36613	
1750	10.39329	10
1850	10.42041	
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2100	10.51109	
2200	10.55424	
2300	10.60035	
2400	10.6489	
2500	10.69946	10
2600	10.75169	
2700	10.80526	
2800	10.85993	
2900	10.91546	
3000	10.97166	10.83333
3100	11.02835	
3200	11.08539	
3300	11.14265	
3400	11.2	
3500	11.25735	11.42857
3600	11.31461	
3700	11.37169	
3800	11.42852	
3900	11.48504	
4000	11.54118	12
4100	11.5969	
4200	11.65214	
4300	11.70686	
4400	11.76103	
4500	11.8146	11.55556

Positive Displacement Blower Construction Cost Curve



POSITIVE DISPLACEMENT BLOWER INFLECTION POINT

Capacity (scfm)	F'(x)
50	0.00235
100	0.001796
250	0.000657
500	-4.4E-05
750	-4.2E-05
1000	6.29E-05
1250	1.64E-05
1500	-8.9E-05
1750	0.000184
2000	0.001623



Hoffman
Centrifugal Blowers
Construction Costs

Capacity @ 7 psig (scfm)	Motor Size (HP)	Cent. Blower Cost (\$)	Cent. Blower Unit Cost (\$/scfm)
500	40	14,500	29
750	50	16,500	22
1,000	60	17,500	17.5
1,250	75	18,500	14.8
1,500	100	19,500	13
1,750	100	26,000	14.857143
2,000	100	26,000	13
2,500	125	27,000	10.8
3,000	150	32,000	10.666667
3,500	150	32,000	9.1428571
4,000	200	37,000	9.25
4,500	200	37,000	8.2222222

NOTES:

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- 2) Costs include blower and TEFC motor.
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Hoffman
Centrifugal Blowers
Construction Costs

Capacity @ 7 psig (scfm)	Motor Size (HP)	Centrifugal Blower Complete Package Cost (\$)
50	--	--
100	--	--
250	--	--
500	40	14,500
750	50	16,500
1,000	60	17,500
1,250	75	18,500
1,500	100	19,500
1,750	100	26,000
2,000	100	26,000
2,500	125	27,000
3,000	150	32,000
3,500	150	32,000
4,000	200	37,000
4,500	200	37,000

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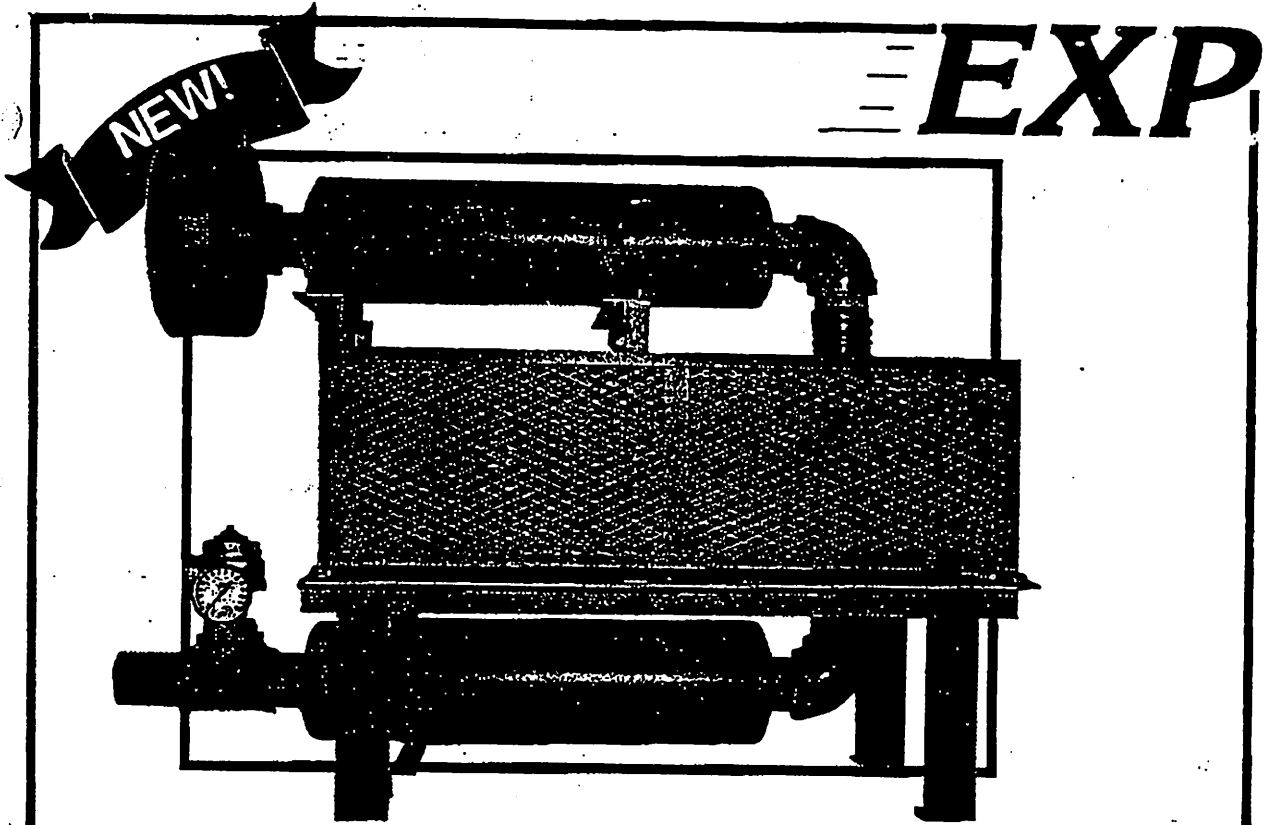
Budget Price for Package as shown with

Budget Price for Filter Blower + Motor (TEFC) only

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50	5	2450.00	N/A
100	5	2625.00	N/A
250	15	3950.00	N/A
500	25	5625.00	40 14,500.00
750	40	9600.00	50 16,500.00
1000	50	10,000.00	60 17,500.00
1250	60	13,850.00	75 18,500.00
1500	75	16,225.00	100 19,500.00
1750	75	17,675.00	100 20,000.00
2000	100	21,000.00	100 26,000.00
2500	125	25,000.00	125 27,000.00
3000	150	32,500.00	150 32,000.00
3500	200	40,000.00	150 32,000.00
4000	200	48,000.00	200 37,000.00
4500	200	52,000.00	200 37,000.00

Notes: (Any extra costs needed) 1) P.D.'s require B.V.'s
 2) Centrifugal requires C.U.'s and B.V.'s

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Universal Blower Pac, Inc.

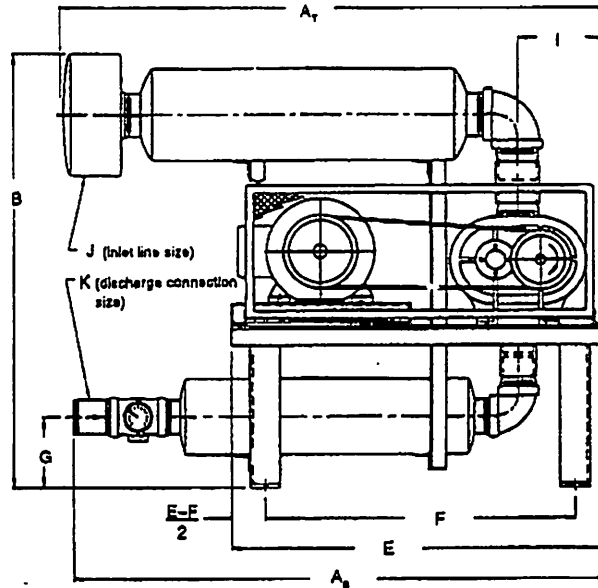
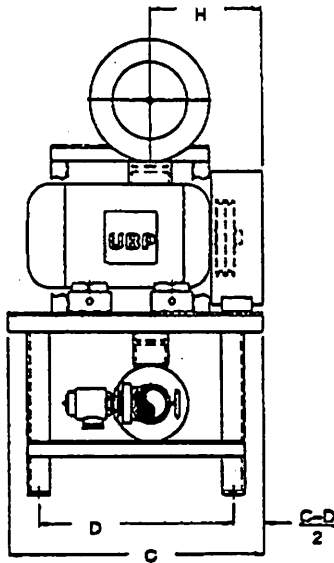
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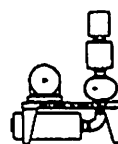
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- Tool gray machinery enamel paint
- Spring-loaded relief valve set at maximum blower pressure
- Pressure gauge w/ snubber & petcock protection
- Check valve w/ EPDM seal & stainless steel spring
- Rugged flex joints
- Inlet filter w/ weatherhood
- EZ access belt guard
- Completely assembled units

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BLOWER	A _T	A _B	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K*	WEIGHT
2ML	**	33.5	35	24	17.5	40	33.5	10	10	8	1.5	1.25	300
2LL	**	46.5	34	24	17.5	40	33.5	8.5	10	8	2	2	300
3HL	**	39	60	24	17.5	40	33.5	8.5	10	8	2	1.5	400
3ML	**	46.5	62	24	17.5	40	33.5	8.5	10.5	8	2.5	2	400
3LL	**	58.5	73	24	17.5	40	33.5	8.5	12	8	3	2.5	450
4HL	**	47.5	64	34	26	50	41	9	14	9	2.5	2	550
4ML	**	57.5	75	34	26	50	41	10	14	9	3	2.5	650
4LL	**	61.5	82	34	26	50	41	8.5	15	9	3.5	3	750
5HL	**	59	76	34	26	50	41	10	14	10.5	3	2.5	900
5ML	**	62	84	34	26	50	41	8	15	10.5	3.5	3	1000
5LL	80	70.5	60	34	26	50	41	13.5	17	10.5	5	4	1200
6HL	**	64.5	87	34	26	50	41	9	14	12	3.5	3	1350
6ML	81	72	61	34	26	50	41	12	15	12	5	4	1600
6LL	75	65	85	38	28	60	48	13.5	19	15	6	6	1900
7HL	70	77	64	38	28	60	48	13	16	15	4	4	1850
7ML	75	85.5	82	38	28	60	48	17	18	15	6	5	2300
7LL	96	79	99	44	36.5	72	62.5	13.5	22	15	8	8	2800
8HL	84	75	70	44	36.5	72	62.5	14	20	15	5	4	2450
8ML	96	65	102	44	36.5	72	62.5	14.5	20	15	8	6	3400
8LL	97	79	110	44	36.5	72	62.5	17.5	22	15	10	8	4150

* 1"-5" are MPT, 6"-10" are 125/150 lb. ANSI flange.
 ** Inlet silencer is in vertical position.
 All mounting holes are 5/8" diameter.
 Dimensional tolerance to mounting holes is +/- 1/4".
 Other dimensions are nominal, request certified drawing.



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APPENDIX D

Davco
Wastewater Treatment Filters
Construction & Unit Costs

Capacity (GPD)	Type of Filter	Filter Cost (\$)	Filter (1) Construction Cost (\$)	Unit Cost (\$/gal)
50,000	Gravity	29,000	46,400	0.928
100,000	Gravity	41,500	66,400	0.664
150,000	Gravity	54,000	86,400	0.576
250,000	Traveling Bridge	76,500	122,400	0.4896
500,000	Traveling Bridge	91,000	145,600	0.2912
750,000	Traveling Bridge	105,500	168,800	0.22506667
1,000,000	Traveling Bridge	119,000	190,400	0.1904

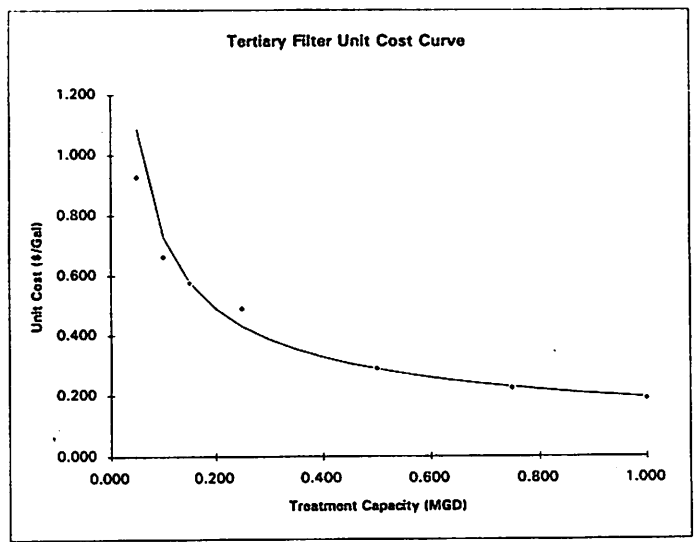
NOTES:

- (1) Filter and media costs obtained from manufacturer's quotes.
- (2) Costs include filter, media, 15% piping, 15% electrical, 5% sitework, 20% installation, and 5% for the concrete slab.
- (3) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

CURVE EQUATION

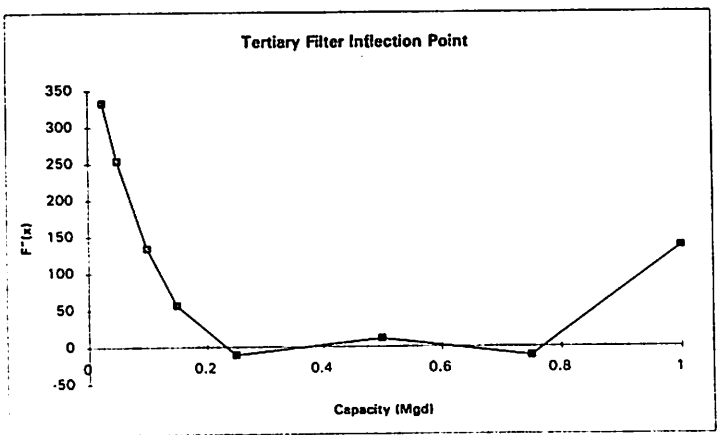
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Capacity (MGD)	Unit Cost (\$/Gal)	Manuf. Unit Cost (\$/Gal)
0.050	1.087	0.928
0.100	0.730	0.664
0.150	0.578	0.576
0.200	0.490	
0.250	0.431	0.490
0.300	0.388	
0.350	0.355	
0.400	0.329	
0.450	0.307	
0.500	0.289	0.291
0.550	0.274	
0.600	0.260	
0.650	0.249	
0.700	0.238	
0.750	0.229	0.225
0.800	0.221	
0.850	0.213	
0.900	0.206	
0.950	0.200	
1.000	0.194	0.190



TERTIARY FILTER INFLECTION POINT

Capacity (MGD)	F''(x)
0.025	332.944256
0.05	253.868194
0.1	134.067582
0.15	56.3672339
0.25	-10.894528
0.5	11.35955
0.75	-12.063528
1	136.3878



Davco
Wastewater Treatment Filters
Construction Costs

<u>Capacity (GPD)</u>	<u>Type of Filter</u>	<u>Filter Cost (\$)</u>	<u>Filter (1) Construction Cost (\$)</u>
50,000	Gravity	29,000	46,400
100,000	Gravity	41,500	66,400
150,000	Gravity	54,000	86,400
250,000	Traveling Bridge	76,500	122,400
500,000	Traveling Bridge	91,000	145,600
750,000	Traveling Bridge	105,500	168,800
1,000,000	Traveling Bridge	119,000	190,400

- NOTES: (1) Values obtained from manufacturer's quotes.
(2) Costs include filter, media, 15% piping, 15% electrical, 5% sitework, 20% installation, and 5% for the concrete slab.

RECORD OF TELEPHONE COMMUNICATION

DATE: 10/19 TIME: 2:15

PROJECT NAME: SSU - Economy of Scale PROJECT NO.: 95-145.00

PARTY CALLING: Janay Wallace COMPANY: HAI

PARTY CONTACTED: Jim Kelley (Patty) COMPANY: Mass-Kelley

SUBJECT: Tertiary treatment filter costs

TELEPHONE COMMUNICATION SUMMARY (Including Decisions & Commitments)

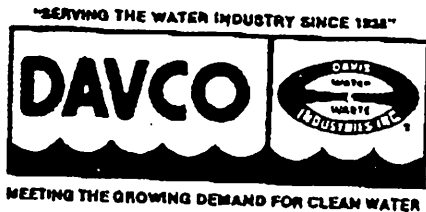
Package Gravity Filter	50,000 GPD → # 30,000	} Freight to jobsite
	100,000 GPD → # 43,000	
	150,000 GPD → # 58,000	

) ABW (Travelling Bridge)

6x16	0.25 MGD → (Steel) # 98,000
9x20	0.5 MGD → (S) # 112,000 (Concrete) # 92,000
9x30	0.75 MGD → (S) # 126,000 (C) # 101,000
9x40	1.0 MGD → (S) # 140,000 (C) # 110,000

ACTION REQUIRED

_____)
 _____)
 _____)
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Thomasville, Georgia 31792
Phone 912-226-5733
Telefax No.
912-228-0312

FACSIMILE TRANSMITTAL SHEET

From: Tommy Tyson
Phone 941-646-7694
Fax. 941-644-6319

To: HAI - Jamie Wallace Re: Budget Estimates

Fax. number: 407-839-3790 Date: 7-2-95

Total number of pages including this page is: 2

REMARKS:

Budget estimates are for "DAVCO standard" equipment delivered to central Florida. DAVCO std. is Aluminum grating and aluminum handrails.

Also depending on size, duplex or triplex rotary positive blowers and controls are included. I have not included any accessories such as comminutor, flowmeter or telemetry equipment (or cl2 feed eq).

Turn key price includes slabs, grout for clarifier (if applicable) and installation and finish coating of equipment (if applicable). As we discussed these prices are for "conventional" single train, single clarifier units and will not meet FDEP Class I, II or III Regulations. Mainly on clarifier requirements (multiple units).

FILTER PRICES include media. Coarse bubble diffusers for plants was utilized. Chain + sprocket drive w/ shear pin overload protection.

* Making changes such as: Aluminum weir launders or stainless steel Air headers and drop pipes, direct drive clarifier drive and so forth can add significantly to the prices I have given - Please adjust accordingly.

FACTORY BUILT AND BUDGET
Davco Ring Steel ~~List~~ Costs

Capacity (gpd)	Extended Aeration		Contact Stabilization	
	Budget Price (\$)	Turn Key Install.	Budget Price (\$)	Turn Key Install.
10,000	36000	14000	N/A	N/A
25,000	60000	18000	N/A	N/A
50,000	110000	25000	65000	18000
75,000	150000	35000	100000	22000
100,000	175000	42000	125000	27000
150,000	140000	70000	120000	60000
250,000	175000	85000	155000	75000
500,000	250000	125000	215000	105000
750,000	300000	150000	250000	125000
1,000,000	358000	175000	280000	140000

FACTORY BUILT AND BUDGET EQUIPMENT
 RING STEEL + PIPING
 MODULE TUBE TANKS + FILTERS + CCC

FILTERS (NO INSTALLATION COSTS INCLUDED)

TES FILTER	0 to .05 MGD = 28000
	> .05 ≤ .10 MGD = 40000
	> .10 ≤ .15 MGD = 50000
AVELING BRIDGE FILTER	.25 MGD = 55000 OR 2 @ .2 MGD = 107000
	.50 MGD = 70000 OR 2 @ .375 MGD = 135000
	.75 MGD = 85000 OR 2 @ .56 MGD = 145000
	1.0 MGD = 98000 OR 2 @ .75 MGD = 170000

Wastewater Treatment Systems
Chlorine Feed Systems
Unit Costs

Chlorine Feed Rate (lb/day)	System Type (150# or 1 ton)	Package Cost (\$)	Treatment Capacity (Mgd)	Overall Construction Cost (\$)	Unit Cost \$
100	150 lb. (1)	16,400	0.01	25,420	2.54
200	150 lb.	17,600	0.50	27,280	0.05
500	1 Ton (2)	52,200	1.00	80,910	0.08
1,000	1 Ton	63,900	2.00	99,045	0.05
2,000	1 Ton	71,145	5.00	110,275	0.02

NOTES:

- (1) The 150 lb facilities are equipped with a 25 square foot shelter.
- (2) The Ton systems are equipped with a 400 square foot shelter which consists of a concrete base, steel supports, a fiberglass panel roof, and an overhead crane.
- (3) Costs include dual chlorinators w/ switchover, dual scales, gas detector, alarm panel, vacuum switch, booster pump, housing, and hoists all are included in the manufacturer's quotes.
- (4) Includes 20% electrical, 15% piping, and 20% installation costs.
- (5) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

Heyward
INCORPORATED



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July 5, 1995

Hartman & Associates, Inc.
201 East Pine St.
Suite 1000
Orlando, FL 32801

Attention: Jamey Wallace

Subject: Wallace & Tiernan
Chlorination System

Dear Jamey:

In response to your request for an estimate for Wallace & Tiernan Chlorine Gas Vacuum Systems with manual chlorinators, injectors, gas handling fixtures, cylinder scales, booster pump, gas detector and miscellaneous safety items, pricing is as follows:

<u>Chlorinator Model</u>	<u>Feed Rate Per Day</u>	<u>Gas Supply</u>	<u>Estimated Cost</u>
V-500	100	150# Cylinder	\$ 22,300
V-500	200	150# Cylinder	\$ 23,200
V-500	500	Ton Cylinder	\$ 25,600
V-2000	1000	Ton Cylinder	\$ 41,800
V-2000	2000	Ton Cylinder	\$ 44,900

For the 150# cylinder systems, I have included a standard 4x6 FRP building with appropriate fixtures and safety devices. For the ton cylinder units, a facility for handling ton cylinders will be required. Also, you will find the scales required for the 150# systems are included along with the ton cylinder scales to be mounted in your handling facility.

COPY BY RETURNING MEMBER NAME: JAMES WALLACE, 1100 W. HEYWARD BLVD., HEYWARD, CALIF. 94542-1000

Jamey Wallace
July 5, 1995
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The above are basic equipment costs and can be utilized for basic estimates. Please advise if any additional peripheral equipment is required, such as chlorine analyzers or pH recorders.

I have included the two (2) basic chlorinator sales information bulletins and can elaborate on other equipment if you require. Thank you very much.

Kindest regards,

HEYWARD INCORPORATED - FOR
WALLACE & TIERNAN, INC.

Richard E. Neal
Richard E. Neal
Winter Park Office

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Enclosure

Capital Controls Chlorine Feed System
List Costs

20% Elect.
15% Pipe
10% ENG
10% Site work
*

TON
Chlorine Storage Bldg. *

20'x20' concrete, Fiberglass
panels, overhead crane
(2/92) concrete - 2,200
structural steel - 10,000
Fiberglass - 7,800
overhead crane - 3,500
Painting - 4,000
27,500
↓
35,000

Type: Gas Chlorination => Includes: Dual trunnions, Dual chlorinators, Auto Switch over, Ejector, Booster pump, FRP housing (150 lb system), Leak detector, etc.

	Chlorine Feed Rate (lb/day)	Type of System (150 lb cyl.) or (1 ton)	Package Cost (\$)
150	100 ①	150 #	\$ 10,500 -
150	200 ①	150 #	12,000 -
	500 ②	TON	18,200 -
TON	1000 ③	TON	18,800 -
TON	2000 ③	TON	26,000 -
TON			37,380 -

Note: (Any extra costs needed).

- ① 100/200 PPD, 150 # CYL SYSTEMS INCLUDE: COMPLETE CHLORINATION w/ SWITCHOVER EJECTOR, GAS DETECTOR, DUAL SCALE, ALARM PANEL, VACUUM SWITCH, BOOSTER PUMP, 5' X 5' FIBERGLASS SHELTER (2 CONTAINER MANIFOLD ON 200 PPD).
- ② 200/500 PPD, TON SYSTEMS INCLUDE: ALL OF ABOVE EXCEPT FIBERGLASS SHELTER BUT DUAL GAS DETECTORS, (2) TON SCALE, (2) PPD OR TON STORAGE TRUNNIONS.
- ③ 1000/2000 PPD SYSTEMS INCLUDE: ALL OF ABOVE BUT (2) TWO TON MANIFOLD (1000 PPD) OR (2) 4 TON MANIFOLD (2000 PPD), WALL MOUNTED CHLORINATION CABINET, (2) DUAL TON SCALES (1000 PPD) OR (2) 4-TON SCALES (2000 PPD), (4) PAIR STORAGE TRUNNIONS.

HARTMAN & ASSOCIATES, INC. engineers, hydrogeologists, surveyors & management consultants	SH. NO.: <u>1</u>	JOB NO.: <u>95-145.00</u>
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Chlorination Curve! (wastewater)

Values 1,000,000 Gallon / Day and less \Rightarrow 150 lb cylinders
 $> 1,000,000$ GPD \Rightarrow ton cylinders

MANUFACT
INFO

10,000 \Rightarrow \$ 2.54
 20,000 \Rightarrow \$ 1.27
 50,000 \Rightarrow \$ 0.51
 100,000 \Rightarrow \$ 0.25
 200,000 \Rightarrow \$ 0.14
 500,000 \Rightarrow \$ 0.055
 750,000 \Rightarrow \$ 0.036
 1,000,000 \Rightarrow \$ 0.027

1,000,000 \Rightarrow \$ 0.081
 1,500,000 \Rightarrow \$ 0.06
 2,000,000 \Rightarrow \$ 0.0495
 3,000,000 \Rightarrow \$ 0.033
 4,000,000 \Rightarrow \$ 0.027
 5,000,000 \Rightarrow \$ 0.022

EPA
INFO

10,000 \Rightarrow \$ 3.5
 20,000 \Rightarrow \$ 2.0
 50,000 \Rightarrow \$ 0.90
 100,000 \Rightarrow \$ 0.46
 200,000 \Rightarrow \$ 0.25
 500,000 \Rightarrow \$ 0.14
 750,000 \Rightarrow \$ 0.11
 1,000,000 \Rightarrow \$ 0.095

1,500,000 \Rightarrow \$ 0.073
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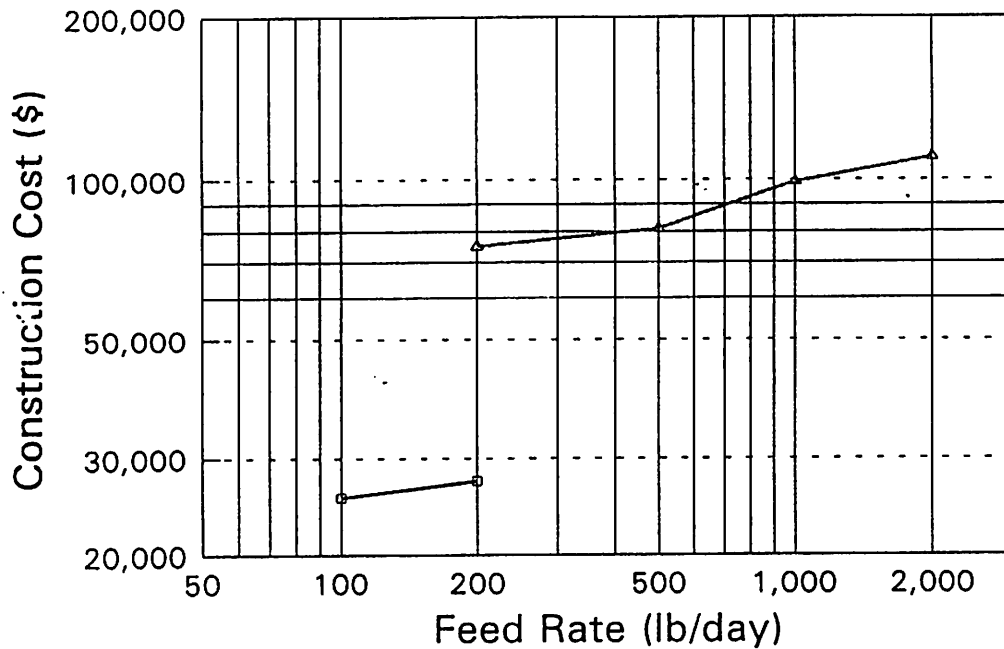
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EPA Wastewater Source E, pages 19-21.

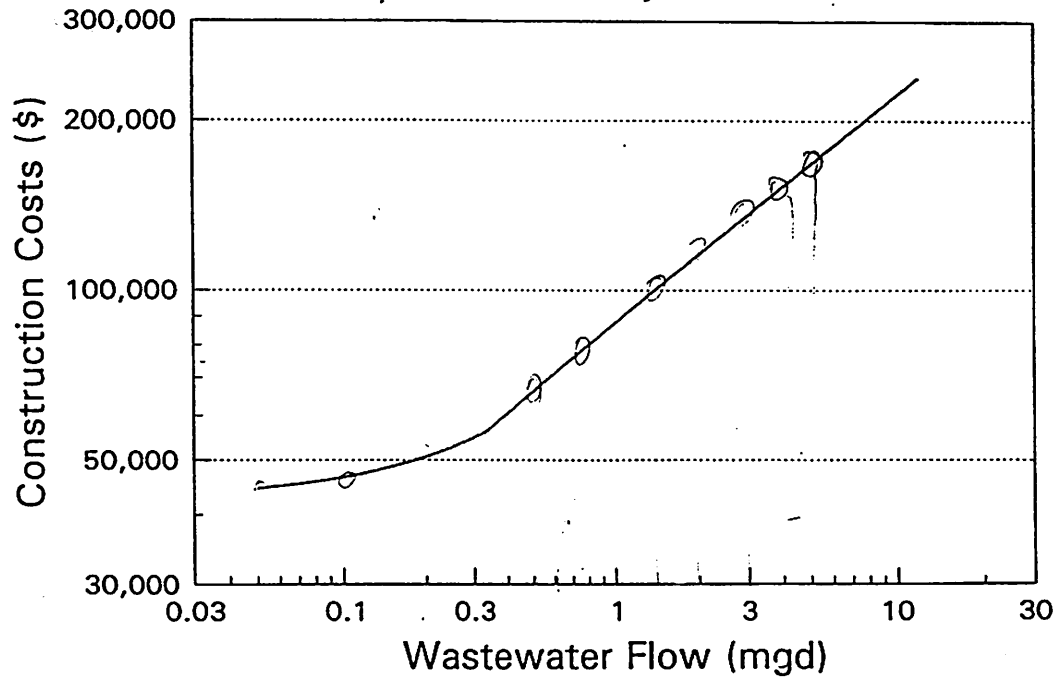
GRAPH #4

Chlorine Feed Systems



150 lb cylinders 1 ton cylinders

GRAPH #33
Chlorination Feed System



Note: Source E, Figure 10, pp. 19-21.

* Everything included.

Water Treatment Systems
Chlorine Feed Systems
Unit Costs

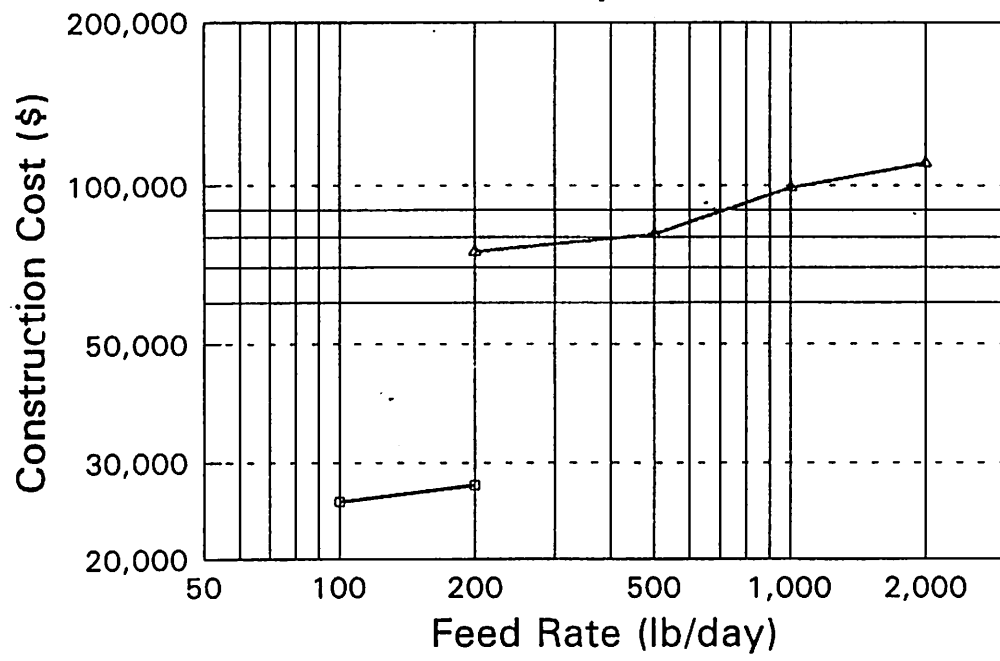
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1,000	1 Ton	63,900	4.00	99,045	0.02
2,000	1 Ton	71,145	5.00	110,275	0.02

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- (5) Costs are vased on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

GRAPH #4

Chlorine Feed Systems



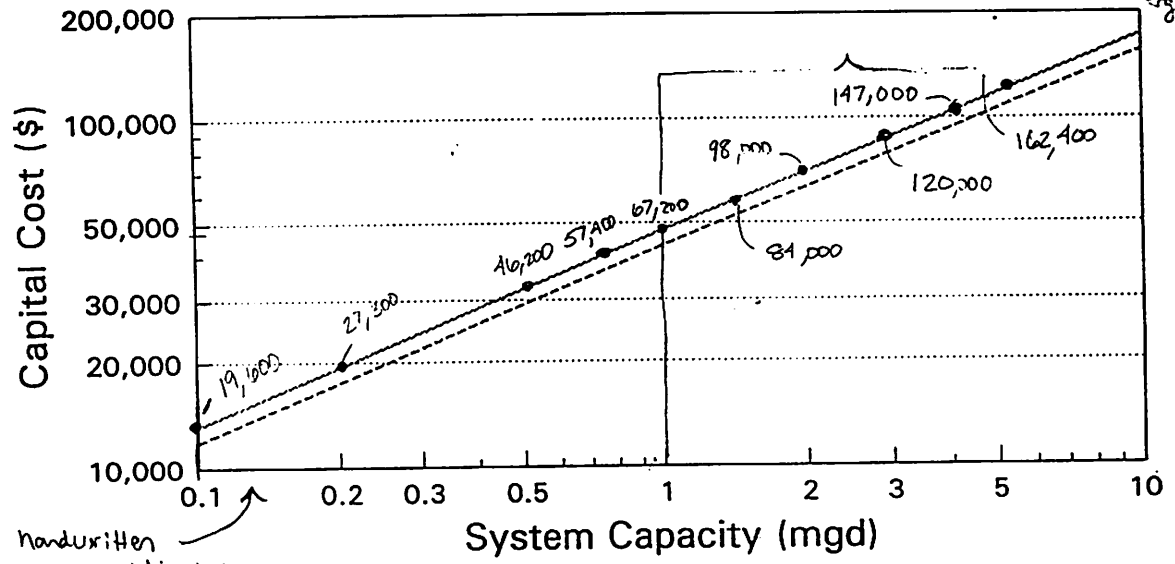
150 lb cylinders 1 ton cylinders

100,000	⇒	18¢	=	43.6 ¢
200,000	⇒	14¢	=	33.9 ¢
500,000	⇒	9¢	=	21.8 ¢
1,000,000	⇒	7¢	=	16.9 ¢
2,000,000	⇒	5¢	=	12.1 ¢
5,000,000	⇒	3¢	=	7.3 ¢

DRINKING WATER

GRAPH #5

Chlorination System for Drinking Water (Adjust for Inst., site eng.)



* All handwritten values are adjusted values.

ENR Index Handy Whitman

Note: Source B, Figure 2-6, pp. 13-14.

- * For 1m³/day + less ⇒ 150 lb cylinders + Feed Houses
- * > 100 m³/day ⇒ ton cylinders
- Includes: Duplicate chlorinator, injector pumps, housing, 30-day storage capacity included, piping,

* Below 0.1 mgd ⇒ \$7000 ⇒ \$13,071 ⇒ **\$18,300** < 100,000 GPD

Add: Installation, ^{30%} electrical, ^{20%} site, ^{1%} engineering, ^{1%}

APPENDIX F

Standby Generator Set
Construction Costs

Capacity (KW)	Ringhaver GenSet Cost (\$)	Cummins GenSet Cost (\$)	GenSet Cost (\$)	GenSet Unit Cost (\$/KW)
8	\$8,800	\$7,524	\$8,162	\$1,088.27
15	\$9,550	\$11,357	\$10,454	\$696.90
25	\$11,000	\$12,760	\$11,880	\$475.20
35	\$12,000	\$13,629	\$12,815	\$366.13
50	\$13,700	\$16,152	\$14,926	\$298.52
75	\$15,400	\$19,666	\$17,533	\$233.77
100	\$19,000	\$22,378	\$20,689	\$206.89
150	\$22,400	\$29,137	\$25,769	\$171.79
200	\$24,400	\$35,947	\$30,174	\$150.87
250	\$27,300	\$40,773	\$34,037	\$136.15
300	\$33,500	\$46,175	\$39,838	\$132.79
350	\$36,000	\$51,396	\$43,698	\$124.85
400	\$42,200	\$66,818	\$54,509	\$136.27
500	\$60,500	\$93,896	\$77,198	\$154.40
600	\$72,600	\$102,521	\$87,561	\$145.93
750	\$95,000	\$135,697	\$115,349	\$153.80
1,000	\$130,000	\$165,798	\$147,899	\$147.90
1,250	\$168,000	\$215,888	\$191,944	\$153.56
1,500	\$192,000	\$265,200	\$228,600	\$152.40

NOTES:

- 1) All costs obtained from manufacturer's quotes.
- 2) Costs include a packaged diesel electric set with base, a unit mounted radiator cooling system, and a control panel.
- 3) Costs are based on December 1995, ENR Index = 5471.

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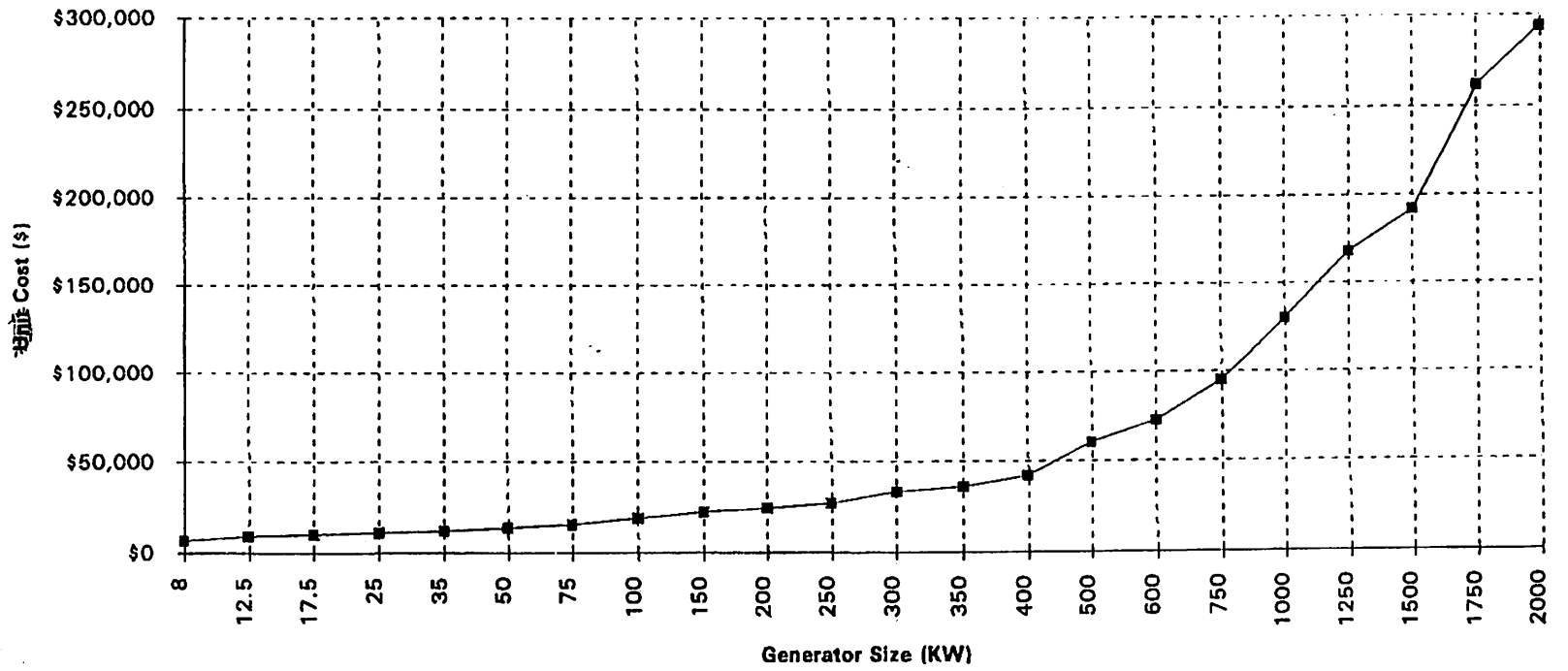
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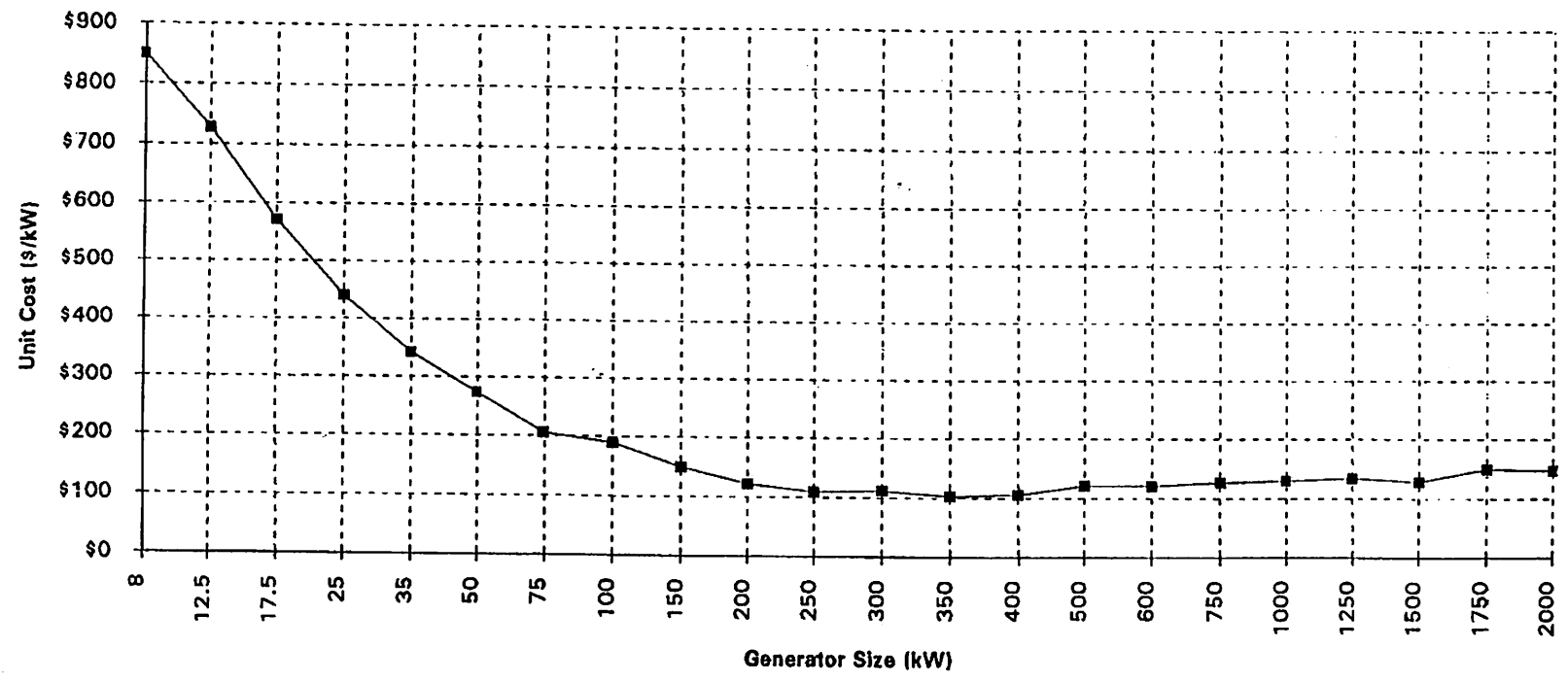
UNIT RATING (KW)	BUDGET PRICING
8	\$8,800
12.5	\$9,100
17.5	\$10,000
25	\$11,000
35	\$12,000
50	\$13,700
75	\$15,400
100	\$19,000
150	\$22,400
200	\$24,400
250	\$27,300
300	\$33,500
350	\$36,000
400	\$42,200
500	\$60,500
600	\$72,600
750	\$95,000
1000	\$130,000
1250	\$168,000
1500	\$192,000
1750	\$262,000
2000	\$294,000



Generator Cost



Generator Unit Cost



01/31/96 21:30 407359748
From: RICK COOPER To: PETE HOANSHELT

EMI CONSUL 1143
Date: 1/31/96 Time: 21:30:20

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(407) 298-2080 (Rick Cooper) FAX (407) 290-8727

FACSIMILE COVER LETTER

Date: 1/31/96
Company Name: EMI
FAX Number: 359-0748
Attention: **PETE HOANSHELT**
Subject: **GENSET PRICING**

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To	<i>JAMES WALLACE</i>	From	<i>PETE HOANSHELT</i>
Co./Dept.	<i>HAE/EMV</i>	Co.	<i>EMI</i>
Phone #		Phone #	<i>359-0747</i>
Fax #		Fax #	<i>359-0748</i>

PER YOUR REQUEST:

<u>KW</u>	<u>PRICING</u>	<u>KW</u>	<u>PRICING</u>
7.5	7,524	15	11,357
20	11,773	25	12,780
35	13,629	40	14,640
50	16,152	80	19,666
100	22,378	150	28,137
200	35,947	250	40,773
300	46,175	350	51,398
400	66,818	500	93,896
600	102,521	750	135,697
1000	165,798	1250	215,888
1500	265,200		

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Rick Cooper

Rick G. Cooper
Energy System Sales Manager 813-664-5831

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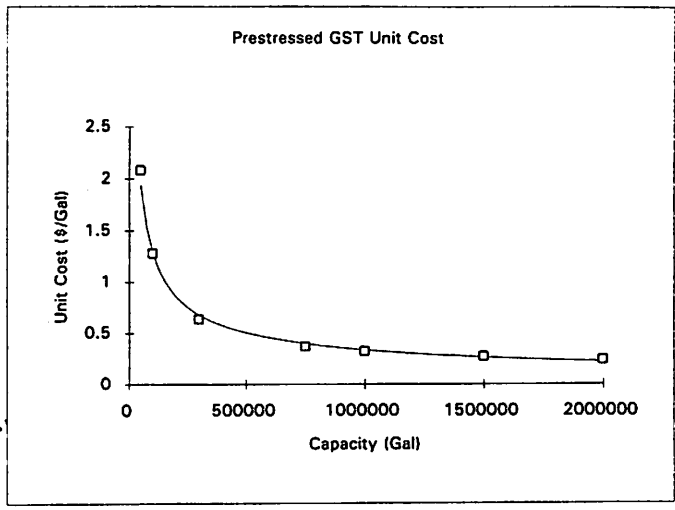
APPENDIX G

UNIT COST CURVE & GRAPH

CURVE EQUATION:

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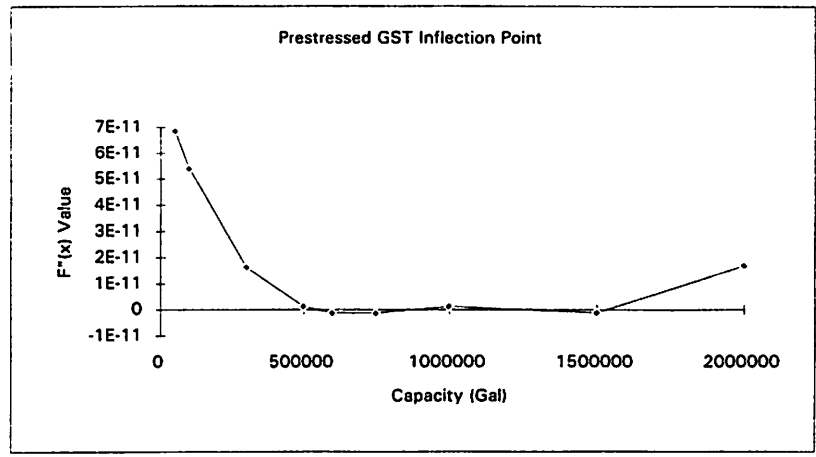
Capacity (MGD)	Cons. Cost (\$)	Manuf. Cost (\$)
50000	1.941743	2.08221
75000	1.531815	
100000	1.294604	1.280865
125000	1.136213	
150000	1.021295	
175000	0.933225	
200000	0.863141	
225000	0.805686	
250000	0.757539	
275000	0.716468	
300000	0.68092	0.638003
325000	0.64978	
350000	0.622219	
375000	0.597612	
400000	0.575476	
425000	0.555429	
450000	0.537169	
475000	0.520449	
500000	0.505068	
525000	0.49086	
550000	0.477685	
575000	0.465427	
600000	0.453985	
625000	0.443275	
650000	0.433223	
675000	0.423765	
700000	0.414847	
725000	0.40642	
750000	0.398441	0.368362
775000	0.390873	
800000	0.383683	
825000	0.376839	
850000	0.370317	
875000	0.364092	
900000	0.358143	
925000	0.352449	
950000	0.346995	
975000	0.341763	
1000000	0.33674	0.323114
1100000	0.318483	
1200000	0.302682	
1300000	0.288839	
1400000	0.276588	
1500000	0.26565	0.271612
1600000	0.25581	
1700000	0.246899	
1800000	0.238782	
1900000	0.231349	
2000000	0.224512	0.241643



INFLECTION POINT OF PRESTRESSED GST

Prestressed Concrete GST's

Capacity (GPD)	F''(x)
50000	6.86E-11
100000	5.41E-11
300000	1.64E-11
500000	1.32E-12
600000	-1.09E-12
750000	-1.26E-12
1000000	1.26E-12
1500000	-1.15E-12
2000000	1.68E-11



**** The y-axis values on the graphic are the same as f''(x) listed; however, you must choose the graphic window to see the values listed on the y-axis.

HARTMAN & ASSOCIATES, INC. engineers, hydrogeologists, surveyors & management consultants	SH. NO.:	JOB NO.:
	MADE BY:	DATE:
	CHECKED BY:	DATE:

(Ground Storage Tanks) (Concrete)

	Cost (\$)		Ratio (\$/gal)	
	1000 Aer	4000 Aer	1000 Aer	4000 Aer
50,000 gal	\$ 96,034	\$ 112,188	\$ 1.92	\$ 2.24
100,000 gal	\$ 120,010	\$ 136,164	\$ 1.20	\$ 1.36
300,000 gal	\$ 183,324	\$ 199,478	\$ 0.61	\$ 0.66
750,000 gal	\$ 268,195	\$ 284,349	\$ 0.36	\$ 0.38
1,000,000 gal	\$ 315,037	\$ 331,191	\$ 0.32	\$ 0.33
1,500,000 gal	\$ 399,341	\$ 415,495	\$ 0.27	\$ 0.28
2,000,000 gal	\$ 475,210	\$ 491,364	\$ 0.24	\$ 0.25

MANUFACT
INFO

- Note:
- ① All values include tank materials, sitework, concrete base, painting, aeration components, electrical, and installation.
 - ② Values obtained by averaging Manufacturers Cost estimates.



THE CROM CORPORATION

Prestressed Composite Tanks

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June 13, 1995

FAX: 407-839-3790

Mr. Jamie Wallace
Hartman & Associates, Inc.
201 East Pine Street, Suite 1000
Orlando, FL 32801

Subject: Preliminary Prices for Ground Storage Reservoirs

Dear Jamie:

Thank you for your call and interest in prestressed concrete reservoirs. We are always pleased to work up an estimate for you. In confirming our telephone conversation we estimate the following:

300,000-Gallon Domed Reservoir 50'-0" ID x 20'-6" SWD	\$145,000
750,000-Gallon Domed Reservoir 65'-0" ID x 30'-3" SWD	\$218,000
1.0-MG Domed Reservoir 80'-0" ID x 26'-8" SWD	\$255,000

Handwritten notes:
1.5 mg 333,000
2 mg 392,000
40' x 50'
100' x 34'
J.G.!!!
June 13
1995

The above estimates are based on open shop labor conditions with construction beginning in 1995. If construction should take place later, escalate accordingly.

Our estimates are for our standard tank and includes the following:

- Complete structural tank with concrete floor, prestressed composite wall and free-span concrete dome.
- Standard accessories: aluminum interior ladder, aluminum exterior ladder, fiberglass hatch, fiberglass vent and precast concrete overflows. Painting the exterior surface with one coat of primer and two coats of latex paint.

Not included in the above estimates are the costs of site preparation, excavation, piping, backfilling, landscaping and disinfecting the tank.

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Also per your request, to add a 1300 GPM aerator to the above tanks would be approximately \$11,100 and for a 2600 GPM aerator, \$17,300. Also please note that if we add aerators to the tanks, we usually paint the underside of the dome and approximately 2 feet down the wall. The additional cost for this would be approximately \$15,000 per tank.

We hope this information is sufficient for you and if you need any additional information, please give us a call.

Sincerely,

THE CROM CORPORATION

Richard L. Bice
Richard L. Bice, P.E.
Project Manager

RLB/pd



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Prestressed Concrete Tanks

115 S.W. 140th Terrace
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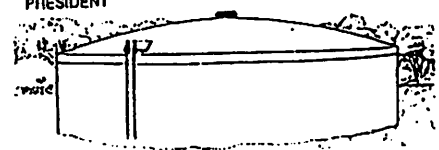
TO: JAMEY WALLACE
HARTMAN & ASSOC

DATE: 6.22.95
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FROM: RICK MOORE, P.E.
PRESIDENT

(904) 332-1200
Fax 332-1199

FAX NO.: (407) 839-3790
T 839-3955



PRECON CORPORATION PRESTRESSED CONCRETE TANKS
115 S.W. 140th TERRACE FOR WATER STORAGE
NEWBERRY, FLORIDA 32669 AND TREATMENT

SUBJECT: TYPICAL ESTIMATES

MESSAGE: CALL WITH QUESTIONS

THANKS FOR CALLING.



PRECON CORPORATION

**ESTIMATE PRICE
CIRCULAR PRESTRESSED TANK
WITH AERATOR**

Prestressed Concrete Tanks

115 S.W. 140th Terrace
Newberry, Florida 32669
(904) 332-1200 (Fax) 332-1199

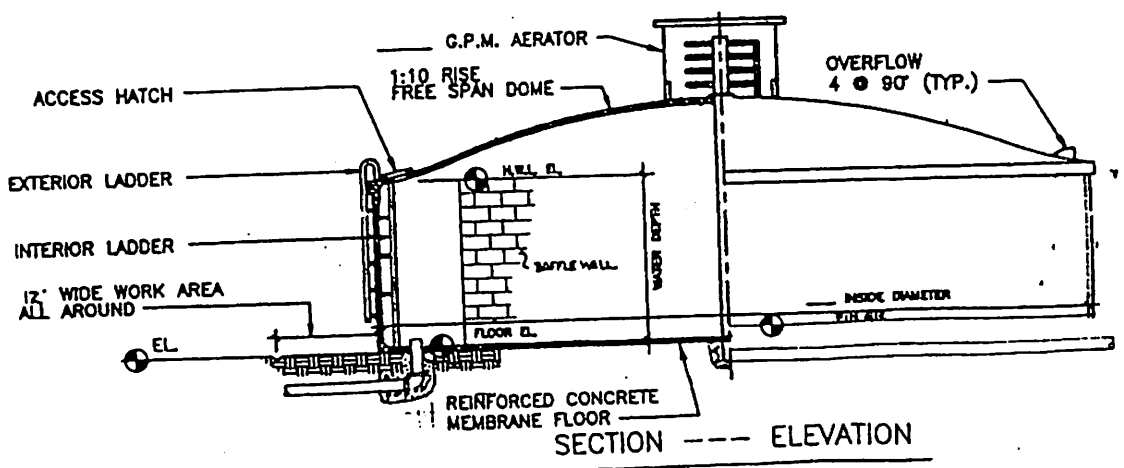
PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

Name: TYPICAL By: RICK MOORE
 Location: CENTRAL FLORIDA Date: 6.23.95
 Tank Capacity (Gal.): 0.05MG 0.1MG 0.3MG
 Diameter (Ft.): 30'-0" 35'-0" 50'-0"
 Water Depth (Ft.): 9'-6" 13'-11" 20'-6"
 Aerator (GPM): _____

ESTIMATE:

	0.05MG	0.1MG	0.3MG
Base Tank (incl accessories, ext paint):	\$ 70,000	91,000	151,000
Aerator SEE BELOW	:	:	:
Bafflewall (concrete block) 4.50/SQ. FT.	+\$ (900)	\$ 1500	\$ 3080
Interior paint (dome, 2' down wall) ADD 2% TO TANK PRICE	:	:	:
Pipe (estimate) ADD 10% TO TANK PRICE	:	:	:
Site Work (estimate) ADD 5% TO 10% TO TANK PRICE	:	:	:
	:	:	:
	:	:	:
	:	:	:

AERATOR PRICING
 1000 GPM. \$ 10,000 TOTAL \$ _____
 2500 GPM \$ 17,000
 4000 GPM \$ 28,000





PRECON CORPORATION

**ESTIMATE PRICE
CIRCULAR PRESTRESSED TANK**

Stressed Concrete Tanks 115 S.W. 140th Terrace
Newberry, Florida 32669
(904) 332-1200 (Fax) 332-1199

PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

Name: TYPICAL By: RICK MOORE
Location: CENTRAL FLORIDA Date: 6.23.95

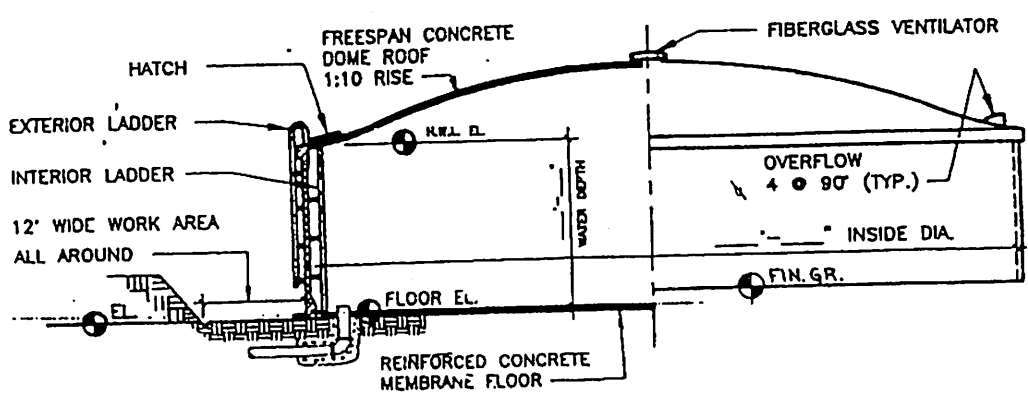
Tank Capacity (Gal.): 0.75MG 1MG 2MG
Diameter (Ft.): 65'-0" 80'-0" 100'-0"
Water Depth (Ft.): 30'-3" 26'-8" 34'-1"

ESTIMATE:

		<u>0.75MG</u>	<u>1MG</u>	<u>2MG</u>
Base Tank (incl accessories, ext paint):	\$	<u>228,000</u>	<u>275,000</u>	<u>423,000</u>
Pipe (estimate) (SEE NOTE BELOW)	:	_____	_____	_____
Site Work (estimate)	:	_____	_____	_____
USUALLY 5% TO 10% OF TANK PRICE.	:	_____	_____	_____
Baffle wall	:	<u>+6000</u>	<u>+6400</u>	<u>\$10,000</u>
	:	_____	_____	_____
TOTAL	\$	<u>_____</u>		

PIPE - WITHOUT AERATOR - 6% OF TANK PRICE.
- WITH AERATOR - 9% OF TANK PRICE.

for
1.5 MG
\$8,500



SECTION --- ELEVATION

APPENDIX H

Steel Ground Storage Tanks

Construction & Unit Costs

<u>Volume (Gal)</u>	<u>Manuf. Steel Tank Standard Cost (\$)</u>	<u>Manuf. Steel Tank Installed Cost (\$)</u>	<u>Overall Steel Tank Unit Cost (\$/Gal)</u>
10,000	23,000	25,300	2.53
20,000	37,000	40,700	2.035
30,000	40,000	44,000	1.4666667
50,000	50,000	55,000	1.1
100,000	70,500	77,550	0.7755
250,000	120,000	132,000	0.528

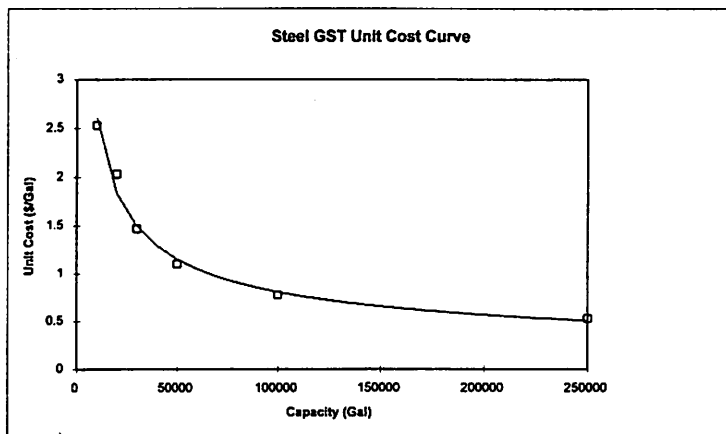
NOTES:

- (1) Complete steel tank, concrete foundation, roof, roof manway, gravity vent, bottom manway hatch, ladder & cage assembly, top manway platform, protective bolt caps, and installation costs are included in the manufacturers' quotations.
- (2) Includes 5% piping, 0% electrical, and 5% sitework costs.
- (3) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

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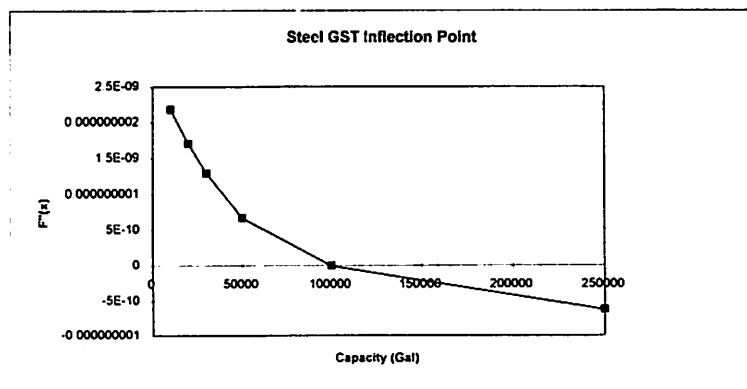
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Capacity (MGD)	Cons. Cost (\$)	Manuf. Cost (\$)
10000	2.61513404	2.53
20000	1.83769621	2.035
30000	1.49501527	1.46666667
40000	1.2913783	
50000	1.15272998	1.1
60000	1.05057097	
70000	0.97129326	
80000	0.90747204	
90000	0.85466772	
100000	0.81004166	0.7755
110000	0.77168318	
120000	0.7382529	
130000	0.70878042	
140000	0.6825432	
150000	0.65899066	
160000	0.63769501	
170000	0.61831807	
180000	0.60058858	
190000	0.58428603	
200000	0.56922913	
210000	0.55526724	
220000	0.54227402	
230000	0.53014263	
240000	0.51878203	
250000	0.50811407	0.528



STEEL GST INFLECTION POINT

Capacity (Gal)	F''(x)
10000	2.1822E-09
20000	1.7001E-09
30000	1.2909E-09
50000	6.6926E-10
100000	-7.6E-13
250000	-6.2012E-10



HARTMAN & ASSOCIATES, INC. engineers, hydrogeologists, surveyors & management consultants	SH. NO.:	JOB NO.:
	MADE BY:	DATE:
	CHECKED BY:	DATE:

Ground Storage Tanks (Steel)

Values include: sitework, conc., steel, elect., contingencies, inst.

<u>EPA INFO</u>	<u>Capacity</u>	<u>Cost</u>	<u>Ratio (\$/gal)</u>
	5,000 gal	⇒ \$ 19,564	⇒ \$ 3.91
	10,000 gal	⇒ \$ 33,312	⇒ \$ 3.33
	25,000 gal	⇒ \$ 57,370	⇒ \$ 2.29
	50,000 gal	⇒ \$ 72,700	⇒ \$ 1.45
	100,000 gal	⇒ \$ 101,125	⇒ \$ 1.01
	250,000 gal	⇒ \$ 158,628	⇒ \$ 0.63

<u>MANUFACT INFO</u>	<u>Capacity</u>	<u>Cost</u>	<u>Ratio (\$/gal)</u>
	5,000 gal	\$ 20,000	\$ 4.00
	10,000 gal	\$ 25,300	\$ 2.53
	25,000 gal	\$ 43,000	\$ 1.72
	50,000 gal	\$ 55,000	\$ 1.10
	100,000 gal	\$ 77,550	\$ 0.776
	250,000 gal	\$ 132,000	\$ 0.528

* Note: ① All values include materials, sitework, concrete base, electrical, contingencies and installation.

② Values obtained using manufactures cost data and water treatment Component Source C, pages 412-415.

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MARTMAN ASSOC

Florida Aquastore Water Reservoirs

List Costs

Capacity (Gal)	Standard Tank w/ Concrete Floor	Model	Standard Tank w/ Glass Coated, Bolted Steel Floor (Conc Floor On)
10,000	\$ 23,000	1410	\$ 25,000
20,000	\$ 37,000	1419	\$ 39,000
30,000	\$ 40,000	1719	\$ 42,200
50,000	\$ 50,000	2024	\$ 53,000
100,000	\$ 70,500	3119	\$ 77,500
250,000	\$ 120,000 *	4224	\$ 130,000

* with Temcor Dome

Notes: (Any variations or extra costs required)

Must Add for any tank piping/Nozzles, liquid level gauge, color selection, etc...

Std. tank includes concrete foundation, roof, roof manway, gravity vent, bottom manway hatch, exterior protective bolt caps, ladder & cage assembly, top manway platform, cobalt blue color. (Delivered & installed with tax)

Handwritten signature and notes: Electrical Piping, 20% 5% 10% 10% Engineering

CLEARWELL STORAGE

Construction Costs

Product filtered water is commonly stored in a clearwell at the plant site which serves as a supplement to distribution system storage before high-service pumping. In many cases, filter backwash pumps also draw from the clearwell, eliminating the need for a separate sump. Clearwell storage may be either below ground in reinforced concrete structures, or above ground in steel tanks. Conceptual designs for below and above-ground level clearwells are shown in Table 171.

TABLE 171. CONCEPTUAL DESIGNS FOR CLEARWELL STORAGE

Below-Ground Concrete Clearwells				Ground-Level Steel Clearwells		
Capacity, gal	Size, ft			Capacity, gal	Size, ft	
	Length	Width	Depth		Diameter	Depth
5,000	8	8	10	1,000	5.7	5
10,000	11	11	12	5,000	8.5	12
50,000	18	18	20	10,000	12	12
100,000	26	26	20	25,000	15	20
500,000	58	58	20	100,000	23.5	32
				500,000	52	32
				1,000,000	74	32

Construction costs are shown in Table 172 for below-ground reinforced concrete clearwells and in Table 173 for ground-level steel clearwells. Costs for ground-level clearwells are based on field erected welded steel tanks designed to meet AWWA D100 for 18.93 m³ (5,000 gal) and more, and on shop fabricated welded steel tanks for the 3.79 m³ (1,000 gal) tank. Steel tanks are painted inside and out and are installed on a concrete ring wall with oiled sand cushion. Cathodic protection is included for tanks with capacities of 94.63 m³ (25,000 gal) and larger. A typical ground-level storage reservoir is shown in Figure 166. Figure 167 presents the construction costs for both types of clearwells.

TABLE 172. CONSTRUCTION COST SUMMARY FOR BELOW-GROUND CONCRETE CLEARWELL STORAGE

Cost Category	Clearwell Capacity, gal				
	5,000	10,000	50,000	100,000	500,000
Excavation and Sitework	\$ 3,300	\$ 5,700	\$16,500	\$ 25,300	\$ 75,400
Concrete	9,800	16,500	37,000	64,000	216,400
Steel	300	400	500	500	600
Electrical, Instrumentation	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,600
Subtotal	16,000	25,200	56,600	92,400	295,000
Design Contingencies	2,400	3,800	8,500	13,900	44,300
Total	\$18,400	\$29,000	\$65,100	\$106,300	\$299,300

TABLE 173. CONSTRUCTION COST SUMMARY FOR GROUND-LEVEL STEEL CLEARWELLS

Cost Category	Clearwell Capacity, gal						
	1,000	5,000	10,000	25,000	100,000	500,000	1,000,000
Excavation and Sitework	\$ 100	\$ 100	\$ 100	\$ 100	\$ 200	\$ 400	\$ 500
Concrete	3,100	5,300	6,600	8,400	11,400	25,700	37,100
Steel Tank	3,000	4,900	12,600	26,600	52,300	121,200	191,000
Electrical, Instrumentation	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,600	2,600
Subtotal	8,800	12,900	21,900	37,700	66,500	149,900	231,200
Design Contingencies	1,300	1,900	3,300	5,700	10,000	22,500	34,700
Total	\$10,100	\$14,800	\$25,200	\$43,400	\$76,500	\$172,400	\$265,900

Notes: 1. Oiled sand cost is included in concrete category.
2. Cathodic protection cost is included in the steel tank category.

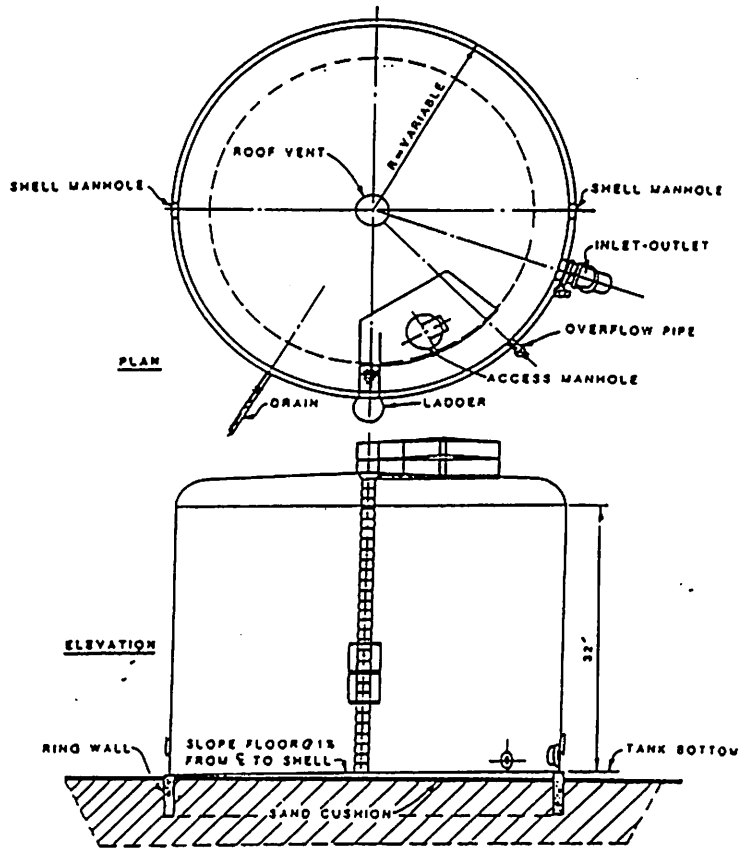


Figure 166. Typical ground-level steel clearwell.

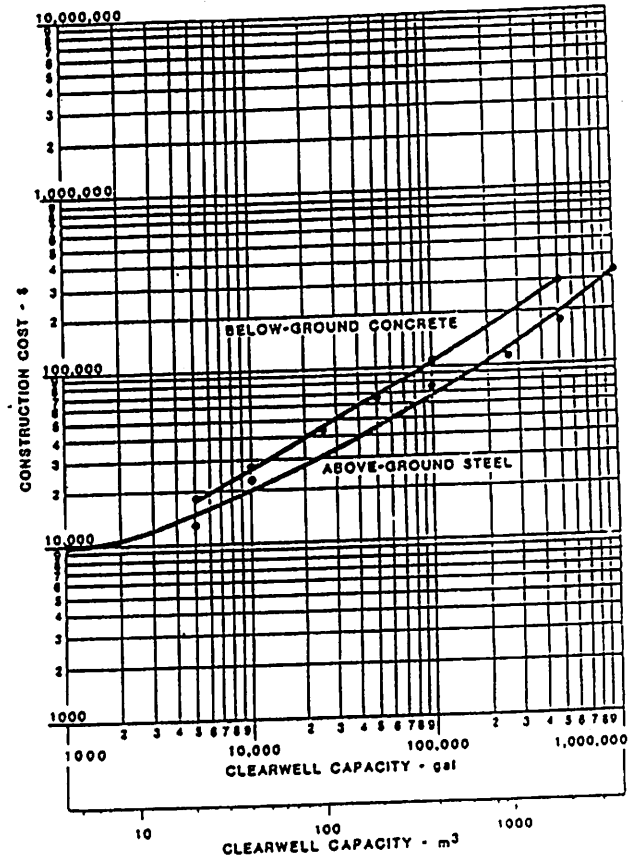


Figure 167. Construction cost for clearwell storage.

APPENDIX I

High Service Pumps
Standard Horizontal Split Case Pumps
Package Costs

Capacity @ 175' of Head (gpm)	Motor Size (HP)	Worthing. Package Cost (\$)	Peerless Package Cost (\$)	Worthing. Const. Cost (\$)	Peerless Const. Cost (\$)	Overall Package Cost (\$)	Overall Unit Cost (\$/gpm)
100	20	4,300	--	4,300	--	4,300	43
250	25	4,600	4,925	4,600	4,925	4,763	19.05
500	40	5,700	6,185	5,700	6,185	5,943	11.885
750	50	6,000	7,350	6,000	7,350	6,675	8.9
1,000	60	8,000	--	8,000	--	8,000	8.7875
1,000	75	--	9,575	--	9,575	9,575	8.7875
1,250	75	8,600	10,800	8,600	10,800	9,700	7.76
1,500	100	9,500	11,650	9,500	11,650	10,575	7.05
1,750	125	10,800	13,150	10,800	13,150	11,975	6.8429
2,000	125	10,800	13,150	10,800	13,150	11,975	5.9875
2,500	150	14,700	16,200	14,700	16,200	15,450	6.18
3,000	200	15,600	17,800	15,600	17,800	16,700	5.5667
3,500	200	--	17,800	--	17,800	17,800	5.8571
3,500	250	23,200	--	23,200	--	23,200	5.8571
4,000	250	23,200	30,700	23,200	30,700	26,950	6.7375
5,000	300	24,600	33,200	24,600	33,200	28,900	5.78

- Notes:
- 1) All costs obtained from manufacturers' quotations include pumps, factory testing, and freight to jobsite.
 - 2) Horizontal Split Case pumps and motors.
 - 3) Pump head is 175 feet (76 psi)
 - 4) Costs are based on June 1995, ENR Index = 5433.

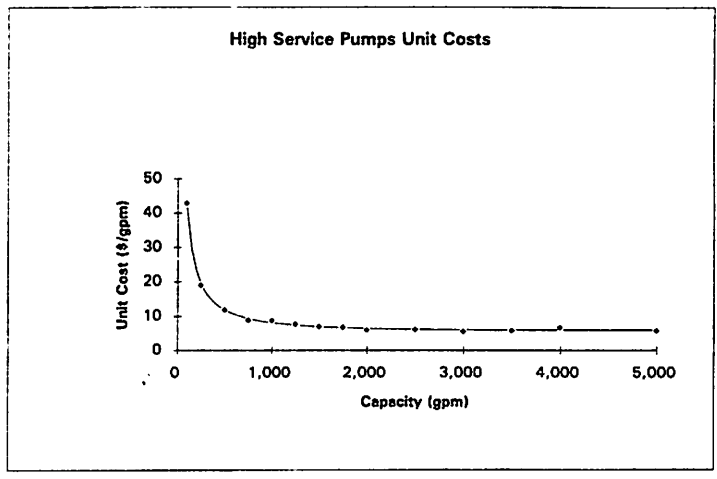
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*** Const. Cost curve, divide by capacity for unit cost values.

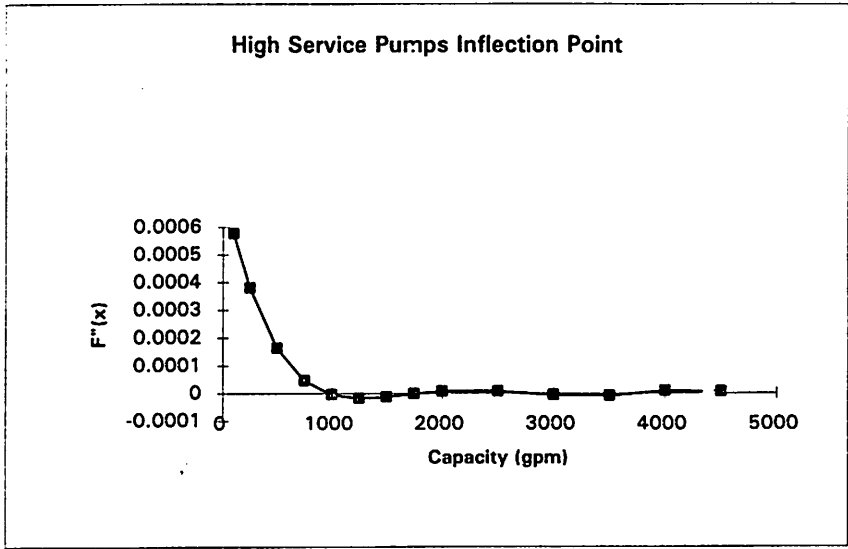
Capacity @ 175' of Head (gpm)	Curve Unit Cost (\$/gpm)	Manuf. Unit Cost (\$/gpm)
100	42	43
150	30	
200	23	
250	19	19.05
300	17	
350	15	
400	14	
450	13	
500	12	11.885
600	11	
750	9	8.9
850	9	
950	8	
1,000	8	8.7875
1,250	7	7.76
1,500	7	7.05
1,750	7	6.84286
2,000	6	5.9875
2,250	6	
2,500	6	6.18
2,750	6	
3,000	6	5.56667
3,250	6	
3,500	6	5.85714
3,750	6	
4,000	6	6.7375
4,250	6	
4,500	6	
4,750	6	
5,000	6	5.78

High Service Pump Unit Cost Curve



HIGH SERVICE PUMP INFLECTION POINT

Capacity (gpm)	F''(x)
100	0.0006
250	0.0004
500	0.0002
750	5E-05
1000	-4E-06
1250	-2E-05
1500	-1E-05
1750	-1E-06
2000	8E-06
2500	8E-06
3000	-5E-06
3500	-8E-06
4000	1E-05
4500	7E-06



Peerless Pump Company
811 North 50th Street
Tampa, FL 33619

Fax Message

Number of pages including cover: 2

Phone:
Fax:

To: HARTMAN & ASSOCIATES
Fax Number: 407-839-3790
From: JIM GOSSETT

Date: 07/07/95

Copy to:

Subject: REQUEST FROM JAMEY WALLACE FOR VARIOUS PRICING.

I HAVE ENCLOSED PRICING THAT YOU ASKED FOR, SEE NOTES AS TO WHAT IS, AND WHAT ISN'T INCLUDED.

LET ME KNOW IF I CAN BE OF FURTHER SERVICE TO YOU.



BARNEY'S PUMPS INC.
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BARNEY'S PUMPS INC.
3907 HIGHWAY 98 SOUTH
P.O. BOX 3529
LAKELAND, FLORIDA 33802

PHONE : (813) 665-8500
FAX: (813) 666-3858

TO: JAMEY WALLACE

COMPANY: HARTMAN & ASSOC.

FROM: DAVID THOMPSON

SUBJECT: WORTHINGTON HORIZONTAL SPLIT CASE PUMPS

3 SELECTIONS ATTACHED!

REGARDS

FAX NUMBER: (407) 839-3790

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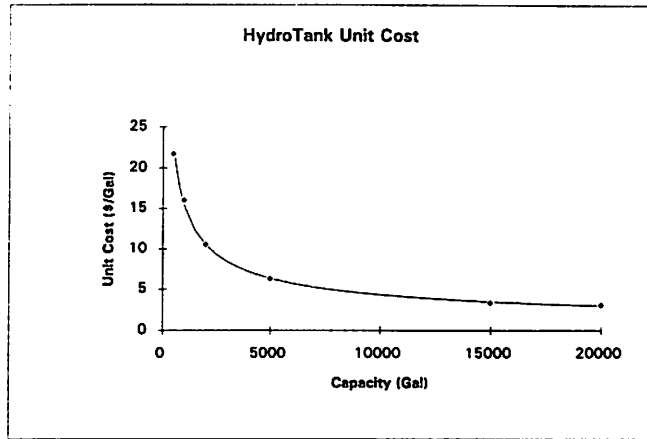
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APPENDIX J

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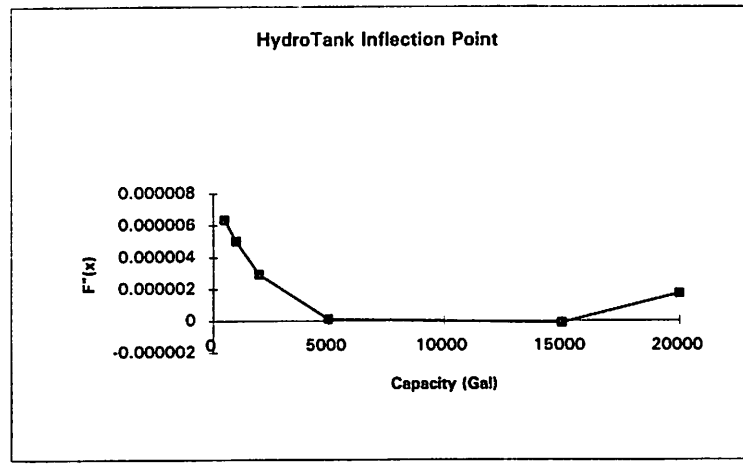
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Capacity (Gal)	Curve Unit Cost (\$/Gal)	Manuf. Unit Cost (\$/Gal)
500	23	21.7602
600	20	
700	19	
800	17	
900	16	
1000	15	16.08915
1500	12	
2000	11	10.54845
2500	9	
3000	8	
3500	8	
4000	7	
4500	7	
5000	6	6.34953
6000	6	
7000	5	
8000	5	
9000	5	
10000	4	
11000	4	
12000	4	
13000	4	
14000	4	
15000	3	3.33784
16000	3	
17000	3	
18000	3	
19000	3	
20000	3	3.072383



HYDROTANK INFLECTION POINT

Capacity (gpm)	F''(x)
500	6.36E-06
1000	5.02E-06
2000	2.93E-06
5000	1.3E-07
15000	-1.2E-07
20000	1.74E-06



RECORD OF TELEPHONE COMMUNICATION

DATE: 10/19 TIME: 9:50

PROJECT NAME: SSU - Economy of Scale PROJECT NO.: 95-145.00

PARTY CALLING: Bob Black COMPANY: Modern Tanks

PARTY CONTACTED: James Wallace COMPANY: HAI

SUBJECT: Costs for Hydropneumatic Tanks

Modern Welding Company Incorporated

TELEPHONE COMMUNICATION SUMMARY (Including Decisions & Commitments)

+ extras (15% piping, 20% elect., 20% install., 10% site)

500 Gal	→ \$4,800 + \$3000	Compressor	= 7800 (1.65) = 12,870
1000 Gal	→ \$6,400 + \$4000	+ Valves	= 10,400 (1.65) = 17,160
2000 Gal	→ \$8,600 + \$4000		= 12,600 (1.65) = 20,790
5000 Gal	→ \$12,500 + \$4000		= 16,500 (1.65) = 27,225
16,000 Gal	→ \$27,000 + \$5000		= 32,000 (1.65) = 52,800
20,000 Gal	→ \$33,000 + \$5000		= 38,000 (1.65) = 62,700

ACTION REQUIRED

H.A.

HARTMAN & ASSOCIATES, INC.

engineers, hydrogeologists, scientists & management consultants

EXHIBIT (CCH-4)

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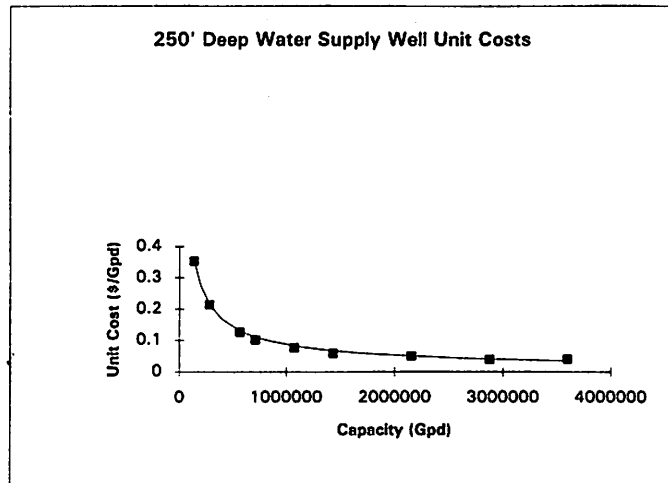
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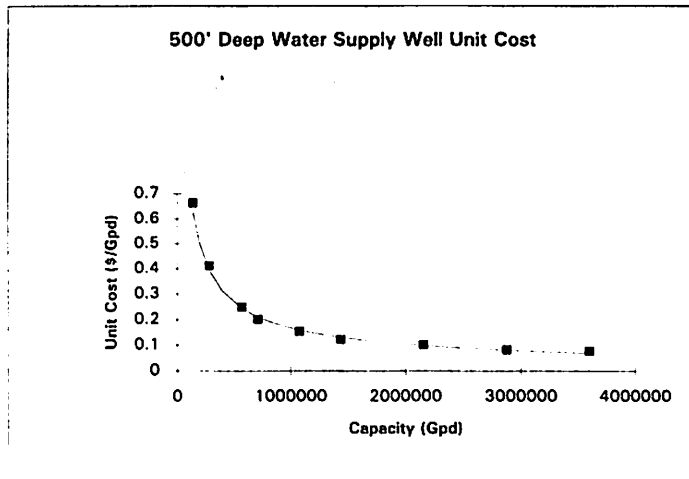
(250' deep) $Y = (1780.326)X^{(-0.7180454)}$

(500' deep) $Y = (2064.79)X^{(-0.6817897)}$

Capacity (GPD)	250' Curve Cost (\$/Gal)	250' Manuf. Cost (\$/Gal)
144000	0.352014923	0.35
200000	0.278047715	
288000	0.213997092	0.21
400000	0.169030909	
576000	0.130093221	0.13
600000	0.126335269	
720000	0.110832946	0.10
850000	0.098380166	
1080000	0.082837572	0.08
1200000	0.076801801	
1440000	0.067377621	0.06
1750000	0.058575335	
2160000	0.050358659	0.05
2500000	0.045340692	
2880000	0.040960238	0.04
3000000	0.039777035	
3600000	0.034896083	0.04



Capacity (GPD)	500' Curve Cost (\$/Gal)	500' Manuf. Cost (\$/Gal)
144000	0.62799686	0.66
200000	0.501982108	
288000	0.39148788	0.41
400000	0.31293136	
576000	0.244050202	0.25
600000	0.237351445	
720000	0.20960755	0.20
850000	0.187179868	
1080000	0.158982644	0.15
1200000	0.147962864	
1440000	0.130667557	0.12
1750000	0.114402852	
2160000	0.099108423	0.10
2500000	0.089706991	
2880000	0.081457039	0.08
3000000	0.079221184	
3600000	0.069961059	0.08



Capacity (Gpd)	Design Cost	(15%) Well Head	(30%) Labor	(10%) Electrical	Total	Unit Cost (\$/Gal)
144,000	32,770	4,916	9,831	3,277	\$50,794	0.35
288,000	39,730	5,960	11,919	3,973	\$61,582	0.21
576,000	46,720	7,008	14,016	4,672	\$72,416	0.13
720,000	46,770	7,016	14,031	4,677	\$72,494	0.10
1,080,000	52,560	7,884	15,768	5,256	\$81,468	0.08
1,440,000	54,460	8,169	16,338	5,446	\$84,413	0.06
2,160,000	69,450	10,418	20,835	6,945	\$107,648	0.05
2,880,000	73,250	10,988	21,975	7,325	\$113,538	0.04
3,600,000	92,450	13,868	27,735	9,245	\$143,298	0.04
144,000	61,660	9,249	18,498	6,166	\$95,573	0.66
288,000	76,615	11,492	22,985	7,662	\$118,753	0.41
576,000	92,275	13,841	27,583	9,228	\$143,026	0.25
720,000	93,375	14,006	28,013	9,338	\$144,731	0.20
1,080,000	106,615	15,992	31,985	10,662	\$165,253	0.15
1,440,000	113,515	17,027	34,055	11,352	\$175,948	0.12
2,160,000	141,360	21,204	42,408	14,136	\$219,108	0.10
2,880,000	152,370	22,856	45,711	15,237	\$236,174	0.08
3,600,000	179,730	26,960	53,919	17,973	\$278,582	0.08

Final
Well
Costs

Design Well Costs

Address: (Surface casing, well casing, boring, cement grout, well development, ~~well~~)

Flow	Cost	N/200' column	Casing	Cost	Surface Casing	Cost	Grout	Cost
100	11,000	4,870	6"	3,750	10"	1,650	4 yd ³	2,000
200	12,500	5,180	10"	4,950	16"	2,300	6 yd ³	3,000
400	14,200	6,020	12"	6,000	18"	2,500	10 yd ³	5,000
500	14,700	6,020	12"	6,000	18"	2,500	10 yd ³	5,000
750	18,700	7,810	12"	6,000	18"	2,500	10 yd ³	5,000
1000	20,600	7,810	12"	6,000	18"	2,500	10 yd ³	5,000
1500	29,500	10,250	16"	6,900	20"	3,300	12 yd ³	6,000
2000	33,300	10,250	16"	6,900	20"	3,300	12 yd ³	6,000
2500	44,000	13,450	18"	7,500	24"	3,750	15 yd ³	7,500
<u>W/ 400' column</u>								
100	14,300	14,610	6"	9,375	10"	4,125	10 yd ³	5,000
200	17,300	16,440	10"	12,375	16"	5,750	18 yd ³	7,500
400	20,200	19,500	12"	15,000	18"	6,250	25 yd ³	12,500
500	21,300	19,500	12"	15,000	18"	6,250	25 yd ³	12,500
750	28,900	25,140	12"	15,000	18"	6,250	25 yd ³	12,500
1000	35,800	25,140	12"	15,000	18"	6,250	25 yd ³	12,500
1500	48,600	32,010	16"	17,250	20"	8,250	30 yd ³	15,000
2000	57,000	34,620	16"	17,250	20"	8,250	30 yd ³	15,000
2500	68,000	43,230	18"	18,750	24"	9,375	38 yd ³	19,000

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Design Well Costs

Address (surface casing, well casing, well screen, boring, cement grout, well development)

Flow	Well Screen	Cost	Drill/Bore	Cost	Well Development (10 hrs.)
100	6"	3,500	6" (#15)	\$ 3,750	6,000
200	10"	5,500	10" (#2.5)	\$ 4,375	6,000
400	12"	6,550	12" (#20)	\$ 5,000	6,000
500	12"	6,550	12" (#20)	\$ 5,000	6,000
750	12"	6,550	12" (#20)	\$ 5,000	6,000
1000	12"	6,550	12" (#20)	\$ 5,000	6,000
1500	16"	7,500	16" (#25)	\$ 6,250	6,000
2000	16"	7,500	16" (#25)	\$ 6,250	6,000
2500	18"	8,250	18" (#27.5)	\$ 6,875	6,000
100	6"	5,250	6" (#15)	\$ 7,500	9,000
200	10"	8,250	10" (#17.5)	\$ 8,250	9,000
400	12"	9,825	12" (#20)	\$ 10,000	9,000
500	12"	9,825	12" (#20)	\$ 10,000	9,000
750	12"	9,825	12" (#20)	\$ 10,000	9,000
1000	12"	9,825	12" (#20)	\$ 10,000	9,000
1500	16"	11,250	16" (#25)	\$ 12,500	9,000
2000	16"	11,250	16" (#25)	\$ 12,500	9,000
2500	18"	12,375	18" (#27.5)	\$ 13,750	9,000

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Well Design

Design Parameters

ENCLOSURE

100 gpm	4" column ⇒ 6" casing ⇒ 10" OD casing	40 ft ²
200 gpm	5-6" column ⇒ 10" casing ⇒ 16" OD casing	50 ft ²
400 gpm	6" column ⇒ 12" casing ⇒ 18" OD casing	70 ft ²
500 gpm	6" column ⇒ 12" casing ⇒ 18" OD casing	80 ft ²
750 gpm	8" column ⇒ 12" casing ⇒ 18" OD casing	100 ft ²
1000 gpm	8" column ⇒ 12" casing ⇒ 18" OD casing	120 ft ²
1500 gpm	10" column ⇒ 16" casing ⇒ 20" OD casing	150 ft ²
2000 gpm	10" column ⇒ 16" casing ⇒ 20" OD casing	175 175 ft ²
2500 gpm	12" column ⇒ 18" casing ⇒ 24" OD casing	200 ft ²

for 250' wells

OD. casing Depth ⇒ ~~50'~~ 50'
 Screen-perf. pipe ⇒ 50'
 ID casing Depth ⇒ 150'
 Grout ⇒ 50'
 Drilled - Bore ⇒ 250'

for 500' wells

O.D. casing Depth ⇒ 125' screen-perf. pipe ⇒ 75'
 I.D. casing Depth ⇒ 375'
 Grout ⇒ 125'
 Drilled - Bore ⇒ 500'

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Vertical Turbine Pump Costs

Flow (GPM)	Head (Psi)	Motor Size (HP)	Cost (\$)	COLUMN AREA PER 10' LENGTH
100	130	15	\$11,000	487
200	130	25	12,500	548
400	130	50	14,200	602
500	130	50	14,700	602
750	130	75	18,700	781
1000	130	100	20,600	781
1500	130	150	29,500	1025
2000	130	200	33,300	1025
2500	130	250	46,000	1345
100	250	25	\$14,300	487
200	250	50	17,300	548
400	250	100	20,200	650
500	250	100	21,300	650
750	250	150	28,900	838
1000	250	200	35,800	838
1500	250	300	48,600	1067
2000	250	400	57,000	1154
2500	250	500	68,000	1441

NOTES: (Any Extra Costs provided or needed).

WATER WELLS

Introduction

Water wells are drilled by the cable tool, hydraulic rotary or reverse rotary methods, with hydraulic rotary currently the most common method. Construction of these types of water wells is covered by "American Water Works Association Standard for Deep Wells, AWWA A100-66" and by "Manual of Water Well Construction Practices, EPA-570/9-75-001."^{1,2}

Construction of water wells by the hydraulic rotary method takes place in the following sequence:

1. Install protective casing and grout in place for sanitary seal.
2. Drill 15.2 to 30.5 cm (6 to 12 in) diameter pilot hole.
3. Electric log pilot hole to help determine location of water bearing formations.
4. Ream hole to required diameter and depth.
5. Install blank and perforated casing or well screen.
6. Place gravel pack and grout seals.
7. Develop well by pumping and bailing.
8. Conduct pumping test to verify capacity before permanent pump is installed.
9. Install pump and construct enclosure.

Conceptual design criteria for wells are shown in Table 154 and a cross-section for a typical well is shown in Figure 146.

TABLE 154. CONCEPTUAL DESIGNS FOR WATER WELLS

Well Capacity,		Casing Diameter, in	Well Depth, ft	Pump Motor Size, hp	Enclosure, sq ft
gal/day	gal/min				
144,000	100	8	250	10	40
			500	20	
432,000	300	10	250	25	60
			500	50	
720,000	500	12	250	40	80
			500	75	
1,008,000	700	16	250	50	100
			500	100	

- Notes: 1. Maximum pumping depth 50-100 ft less than well depth.
2. Enclosure has a 10 ft height.

Construction Costs

Construction costs were developed for water well construction by the hydraulic rotary method, as outlined in the previous section. The protective casing and grout was installed to a depth of 7.62 m (25 ft). Casing is blank

and perforated copper bearing steel, with gravel packing and grout seals. After construction, the well is developed by bailing and pumping to remove drilling mud, silt and fine sand. The completed well is then test pumped until the water has sufficient clarity for potable use. This often requires pumping for up to 60 hours.

The permanent pump is the oil lubricated, deep-well turbine type and the electric motor is 220/440 volt. A submersible type pump at somewhat reduced cost could be used in some cases, particularly for shallow, small capacity wells. Pump motor sizes and casing diameter used in the cost development are shown in Table 154.

The electrical cost includes all work required at the well but does not include providing service to the site. Costs include a valve and totalizing flow meter on the discharge, but no other piping or equipment. An enclosure is provided over the motor, totalizing meter, and valve.

Construction costs are summarized in Table 155 and presented in Figure 147 for wells capable of producing 545, 1,635, 2,725, and 3,815 m³/d (144,000, 432,000, 720,000 and 1,008,000 gpd) from wells 76.2 and 152.4 m (250 and 500 ft) deep.

Operation and Maintenance Requirements and Costs

Electricity requirements are based on continuous operation of the motor, at a pumping head 15.24 m (50 ft) less than the well depth. No energy is included for the housing, as it was assumed that heating and ventilation are unnecessary, and that lighting requirements are minimal. Many wells do not operate continuously and in these cases the energy requirements will be reduced according to the actual load factor. Material requirements are based on necessary lubricants and other routine maintenance items and servicing the pump and motor once in five years. Labor requirements are based on daily visits for inspection and routine maintenance. Labor and material required to remove and service the pump and motor once every five years are included in the average annual values.

Operation and maintenance requirements and costs are summarized in Table 156 and presented in Figures 148 and 149.

References

1. "AWWA Standard for Deep Wells," AWWA A100-66, January 23, 1966, American Water Works Association, 2 Park Avenue, New York, N. Y. 10016
2. "Manual of Water Well Construction Practices," EPA-570/9-75-001, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Office of Water Supply, Washington, D.C.

TABLE 155. CONSTRUCTION COST SUMMARY FOR WATER WELLS

Cost Category	100 GPM		Well Capacity				700 GPM	
	144,000 gpd		432,000 gpd		720,000 gpd		1,008,000 gpd	
	Well Depth		Well Depth		Well Depth		Well Depth	
	250 FE	500 FE	250 FE	500 FE	250 FE	500 FE	250 FE	500 FE
Excavation & Sitework	\$ 1,100	\$ 1,100	\$ 1,600	\$ 1,600	\$ 2,100	\$ 2,100	\$ 2,700	\$ 2,700
Manufactured Equipment	10,300	13,400	15,500	18,500	18,500	21,600	21,600	25,800
Concrete	1,600	2,900	1,800	3,100	2,000	3,200	2,100	40,900
LABOR	17,300	33,200	49,000	36,200	20,800	39,300	22,500	42,400
Pipe & Valves	5,600	10,300	7,500	13,300	9,200	16,100	12,900	23,000
Electrical, Instrumentation	7,700	10,100	11,600	13,900	13,900	16,200	16,200	19,300
Housing	3,400	3,400	4,700	4,700	6,100	6,100	10,100	10,100
Subtotal	47,000	74,400	81,700	81,300	72,600	104,600	88,100	164,200
Design Contingencies	7,100	11,200	9,300	13,700	10,900	15,700	13,200	24,600
Total	\$54,100	\$85,600	\$91,000	\$95,000	\$83,500	\$120,300	\$101,300	\$188,800

Subtract out

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w/o labor, housing, cont.

	250'	500'	250'	500'
100 GPM	26,300	37,800	34,706	49,968
300 GPM	38,000	50,400	50,232	66,624
500 GPM	45,700	59,200	60,411	79,257
700 GPM	55,500	74,890	73,366	98,997

	250'	500'
100 GPM	57,635	93,855
300 GPM	75,348	114,477
500 GPM	87,906	130,207
700 GPM	103,108	155,096

w/o housing & Des. cont.

TABLE 156. OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE SUMMARY FOR WATER WELLS

Well Capacity, gpd	Well Depth	Building Process	Energy, kWh/yr	Maintenance Material, \$/yr	Labor, hr/yr	Total Cost, \$/yr
144,000	250 ft	---	44,100	1,800	450	9,300
432,000	250 ft	---	132,000	2,800	550	16,600
720,000	250 ft	---	220,200	3,300	600	23,800
1,008,000	250 ft	---	308,300	3,300	650	30,900
	500 ft	---	99,700	2,500	500	14,300
	500 ft	---	297,300	2,800	550	29,400
	500 ft	---	495,500	3,300	600	44,100
	500 ft	---	693,700	3,300	650	59,000

Notes: 1. Total cost is based on 50.07/kwh of electrical energy and \$11.00/ hour of labor.
 2. Pumping heads are 200 ft for the 250 ft deep well, and 450 ft for the 500 ft deep well.
 3. Pumping is continuous, 24 hours/day, 365 days/year.

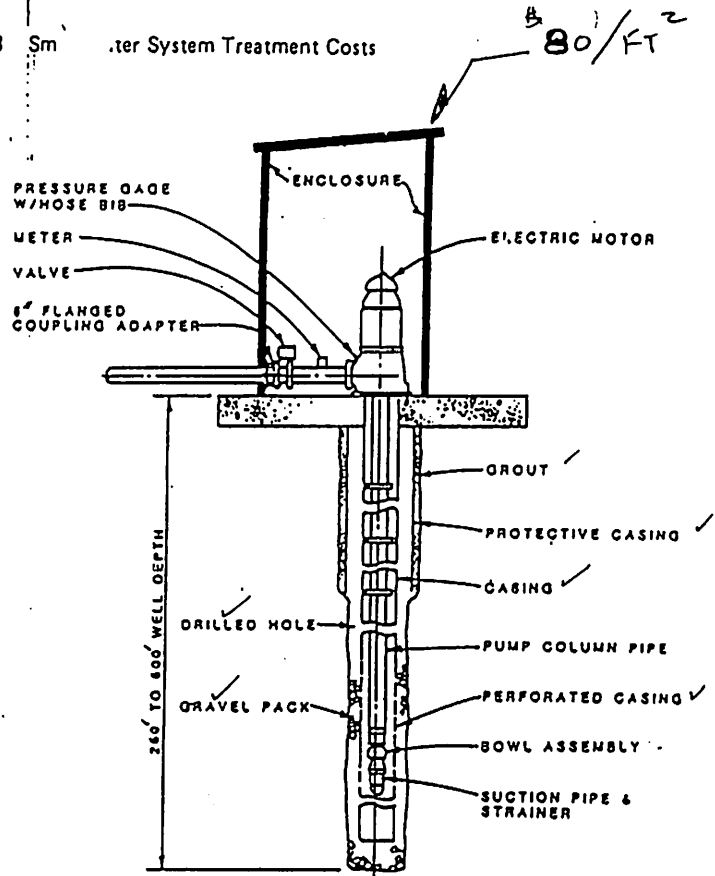


Figure 146. Typical water well.

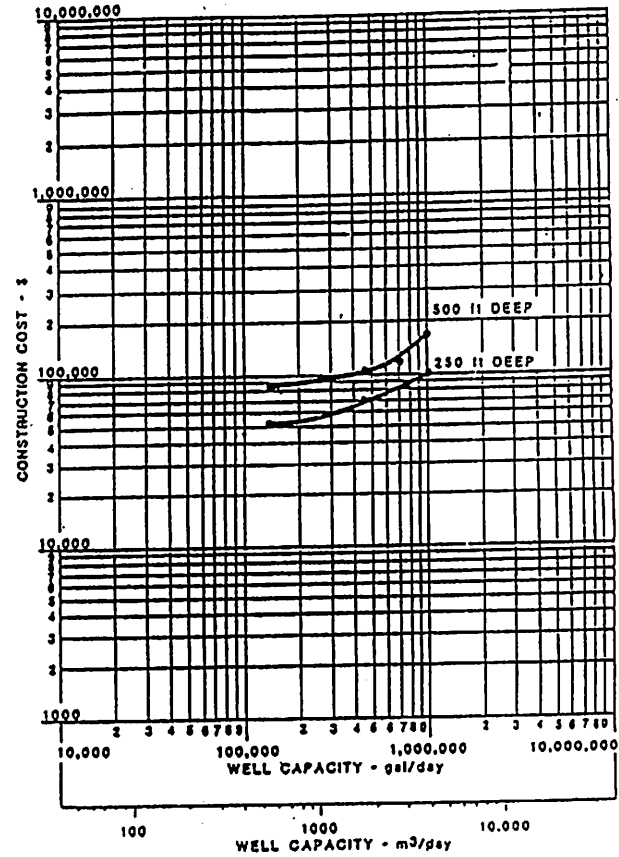


Figure 147. Construction cost for water wells.

discharge to a municipal sewer or hauled to a landfill for disposal. Clarified water then flows to the filter unit.

The filters consist of one or more steel or concrete vessels containing granular materials such as graded sands, anthracite, and garnet. Solids are strained from the water as it passes through the filters. When the pressure drop through the filters becomes great enough due to accumulated solids, a backwash stream of filtered water passes through the units in reverse flow to clean the solids from the filter bed. The spent backwash stream is sent to a sewer. Backwashing is intermittent; the backwash cycle depends on the character and concentration of solids in the water, as well as on filter design parameters such as application rate and filter medium particle size.

Filtered water is disinfected with chlorine and stored. From storage it is pumped to the water supply distribution system.

Direct Filtration (2,4,5)

A direct filtration plant is essentially the same as the conventional filtration plant shown in Figure 2-1 except the sedimentation step is deleted.

Direct filtration is applicable to any drinking water supply where suspended solids levels are sufficiently low to result in a reasonable backwash cycle on the filter units. Unlike conventional filtration plants, there is an upper limit to the influent suspended solids concentration that can be tolerated. This upper limit must be determined by testing. Above such a level, conventional treatment procedures or sedimentation prior to filtration are required.

Lime Softening (2,4,5)

The major features of a lime softening plant are also essentially the same as those for a conventional filtration plant, except that lime is substituted for other chemicals and a recarbonation step is added after sedimentation. A lime softening plant is typically used to treat raw water with a higher concentration of dissolved minerals, such as calcium and magnesium, than can be treated in a conventional or direct filtration plant. In the context of the Safe Drinking Water Act, a lime softening plant can also be expected to achieve a greater removal of toxic mineral substances. For example, a lime softening plant operating in a pH range of 8.5 to 11 can reduce cadmium concentrations from 0.5 mg/l to 0.01 mg/l. To achieve the same cadmium concentration in the treated effluent, a conventional filtration plant using alum or iron salts can only accommodate a cadmium concentration up to 0.1 mg/l of cadmium in the raw water (2). The choice of overall treatment process therefore depends on individual raw water characteristics.

Lime can be added directly to the influent raw water as a solid, or as a pre-mixed water slurry. If a slurry is used, the solid lime is usually purchased and the slurry prepared on-site. Details of lime feed systems are described elsewhere (6, 7).

Recarbonation is the addition of gaseous carbon dioxide (CO₂) to the lime-treated water to neutralize excess alkalinity resulting from lime addition. Gaseous CO₂ may be obtained from liquid CO₂ stored onsite, submerged burners, or stack gas compressed through a sparger system. The choice of carbonation method depends on site specific considerations.

2.1.2 Design Basis and Costs (2,4,5)

The design basis in this report for conventional filtration plant costs includes the following major process modules and design parameters:

- Raw water pumping.
- Chemical addition.
- Rapid mix/Flocculation.
- Sedimentation.
- Filtration.
- Disinfection.
- Finished water storage.
- Finished water pumping.
- Sludge disposal.

As stated in the process descriptions, there is no sedimentation step in direct filtration. The filtration directly follows the rapid mix and flocculation step. The chemical feed system consists of chemical storage and metering pump facilities. The rapid mix tank and flocculation vessel is one vessel partitioned into separate sections. Filtration units are gravity flow steel or concrete vessels. The clear well is a concrete storage basin. System design parameters depend on raw water quality and the finished water quality required.

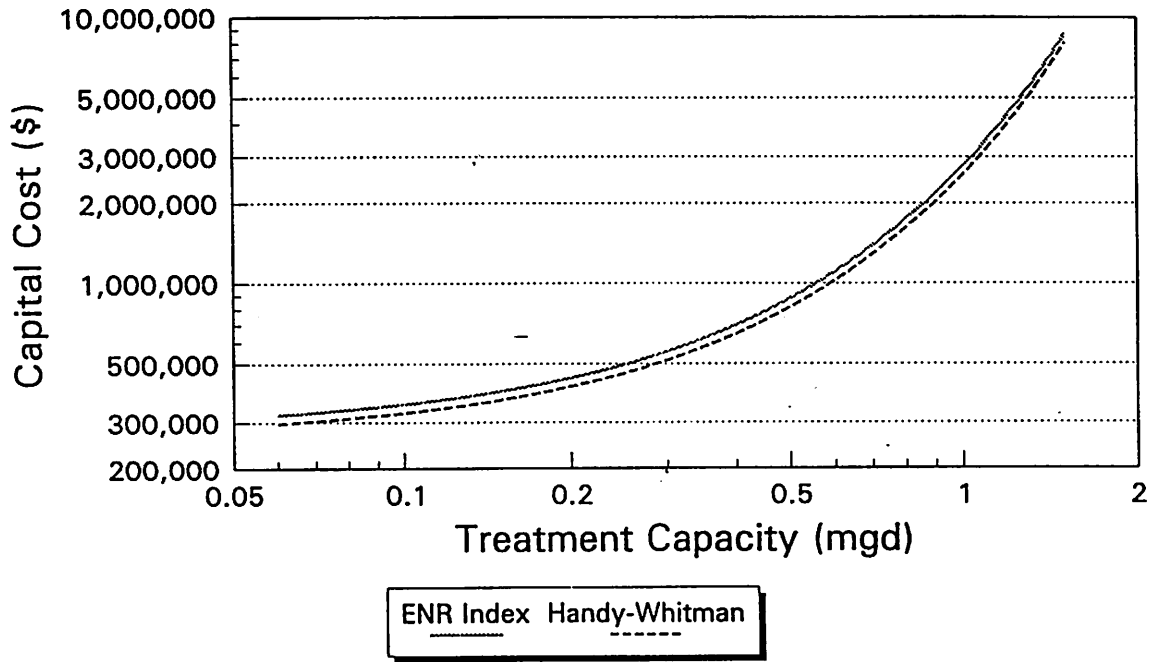
The major process modules for the lime softening plant are very similar to those for conventional filtration, except for modifications to the chemical feed system and addition of recarbonation equipment. Recarbonation basins are reinforced concrete, and submerged natural gas burners are used for the CO₂ source in the system considered here based on the configuration and costs in Reference 2.

The plant cases represented here include chlorine disinfection, the usual procedure in conventional plants. Alternative disinfectants such as chlorine dioxide, ozone, or ammonia added with chlorine can also be used. The disinfection systems for each of these alternatives are discussed in Section 2.2

Total capital investment for conventional filtration, direct filtration, and lime softening is presented in Figure 2-2. Net annual operating expenses are shown in Figure 2-3. Figure 2-4 shows corresponding unit annualized costs.

APPENDIX M

GRAPH #1 Reverse Osmosis



Note: Source A, Figure 19, page VI-11.

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GRAPH #1
Reverse Osmosis (Fig. 19)

Treatment Capacity (Mgd)	Const. Cost (\$)	ENR Index	June 1995 ENR Index	Current Cost (\$)	Handy Whitman	Current Handy Whitman	Current Cost (\$)
0.07	125,000	2494	5433	272,304	158	319	252,373
0.1	140,000	2494	5433	304,980	158	319	282,658
0.3	280,000	2494	5433	609,960	158	319	565,316
0.5	525,000	2494	5433	1,143,675	158	319	1,059,968
1.0	1,500,000	2494	5433	3,267,642	158	319	3,028,481
1.5	3,250,000	2494	5433	7,079,892	158	319	6,561,709

GRAPH #2
Reverse Osmosis Enclosure (Fig. 20)

Treatment Capacity (Mgd)	Const. Cost (\$)	ENR Index	June 1995 ENR Index	Current Cost (\$)	Handy Whitman	Current Handy Whitman	Current Cost (\$)
0.07	7,000	2494	5433	15,249	158	319	14,133
0.1	8,000	2494	5433	17,427	158	319	16,152
0.3	19,000	2494	5433	41,390	158	319	38,361
0.5	29,000	2494	5433	63,174	158	319	58,551
0.7	40,000	2494	5433	87,137	158	319	80,759
1.0	58,000	2494	5433	126,349	158	319	117,101

A. CAPITAL COSTS

Cost curves were developed for treatment processes judged applicable to small water treatment systems. These curves relate capital costs to quantities of water treated and to population served. Estimates of complete water treatment plants or additions to existing plants may be developed on the basis of these relationships.

Yard piping, fencing (where applicable), and sitework have been included in the curve for each unit process. When adding unit process costs together some of these items may overlap; this may cause the total cost to exceed actual plant costs by 10 to 25 per cent.

Cost data, developed specifically for this report, are based on information from various manufacturers and on the experience and judgment of the investigators. Preliminary designs and engineering cost estimates were developed for each unit process at various low rates. Estimates of construction costs are representative of average price levels as of January, 1977. The Engineering News Record Building Cost Index of that date had a value of 1489.

Included in the capital costs are necessary construction costs, a contingency amount and engineering, legal and administration fees. A cost for fencing is provided for mechanical aeration, diffused aeration, rapid mix, flocculation, sedimentation, ozone contact chamber and waste disposal (lagoons). For each of the other treatment methods an enclosure is recommended and separate cost curves are provided.

Capital costs for unit processes, package plants and enclosures are developed as follows:

- (1) Construction cost — included are necessary costs for equipment, materials, installation, freight and start-up.
- (2) Sitework — estimated as 10 per cent of the construction cost.
- (3) Electrical — estimated as 20 per cent of the construction cost.

Graph
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m. **Electrodialysis.** The electrodialysis capital cost curve was developed for a complete multiple-stage electrodialysis system. Costs were obtained for standard units as rated by the manufacturer for operation with a raw water TDS concentration of 1500 to 4000 mg/l. For these electrodialysis units, predicted per cent water recovery ranges from 65 to 85 and predicted per cent TDS removal ranges from 82 to 96. Local water quality may change the rated capacity of these units.

Electrodialysis capital costs include costs for the following equipment and materials: skid-mounted reverse polarity electrodialysis unit with membrane stacks, rectifiers, low pressure feed pump, brine recirculation pump, chemical cleaning equipment, cartridge filters, necessary valves, piping and automatic controls. Refer to Figure 17 for the electrodialysis capital cost curve. The enclosure capital cost curve for electrodialysis is shown on Figure 18.

n. **Reverse Osmosis.** The reverse osmosis capital cost curve was developed for a complete reverse osmosis treatment system. Costs obtained were for standard units as rated by the manufacturer for operation with a feed of 1500 mg/l NaCl at 400 psi, 25°C (77°F), and 75 per cent conversion. Local water quality may change the rated capacity of these units.

Capital costs for reverse osmosis include costs for the following equipment and materials: skid-mounted, membrane-type reverse osmosis unit with hollow fine fiber membranes, high pressure pumps, cartridge filters, acid and polyphosphate feeding equipment, necessary valves, piping and automatic controls. Refer to Figure 19 for the reverse osmosis capital cost curve. Presented on Figure 20 is a capital cost curve for an enclosure for this unit process.

o. **Chemical Feed.** Capital costs have been determined for the following chemical feed systems:

- (1) powdered activated carbon.
- (2) coagulants.
- (3) hydrated lime.

GRAPH #7
 Package Lime Softening Plants (Fig. 12)

Treatment Capacity (gpd)	Const. Cost (\$)	ENR Index	June 1995 ENR Index	Current Cost (\$)	Handy Whitman	Current Handy Whitman	Current Cost (\$)
20,000	86,000	4110	5433	113,683	261	319	105,111
40,000	95,000	4110	5433	125,580	261	319	116,111
70,000	100,000	4110	5433	132,190	261	319	122,222
100,000	115,000	4110	5433	152,018	261	319	140,556
200,000	140,000	4110	5433	185,066	261	319	171,111
500,000	190,000	4110	5433	251,161	261	319	232,222
1,000,000	290,000	4110	5433	383,350	261	319	354,444

GRAPH #8
 Reverse Osmosis (Fig. 37)

Treatment Capacity (gpd)	Const. Cost (\$)	ENR Index	June 1995 ENR Index	Current Cost (\$)	Handy Whitman	Current Handy Whitman	Current Cost (\$)
3,000	42,000	4110	5433	55,520	261	319	51,333
5,000	48,000	4110	5433	63,451	261	319	58,667
10,000	60,000	4110	5433	79,314	261	319	73,333
30,000	86,000	4110	5433	113,683	261	319	105,111
60,000	130,000	4110	5433	171,847	261	319	158,889
100,000	180,000	4110	5433	237,942	261	319	220,000
200,000	300,000	4110	5433	396,569	261	319	366,667
500,000	650,000	4110	5433	859,234	261	319	794,444
1,000,000	1,300,000	4110	5433	1,718,467	261	319	1,588,889

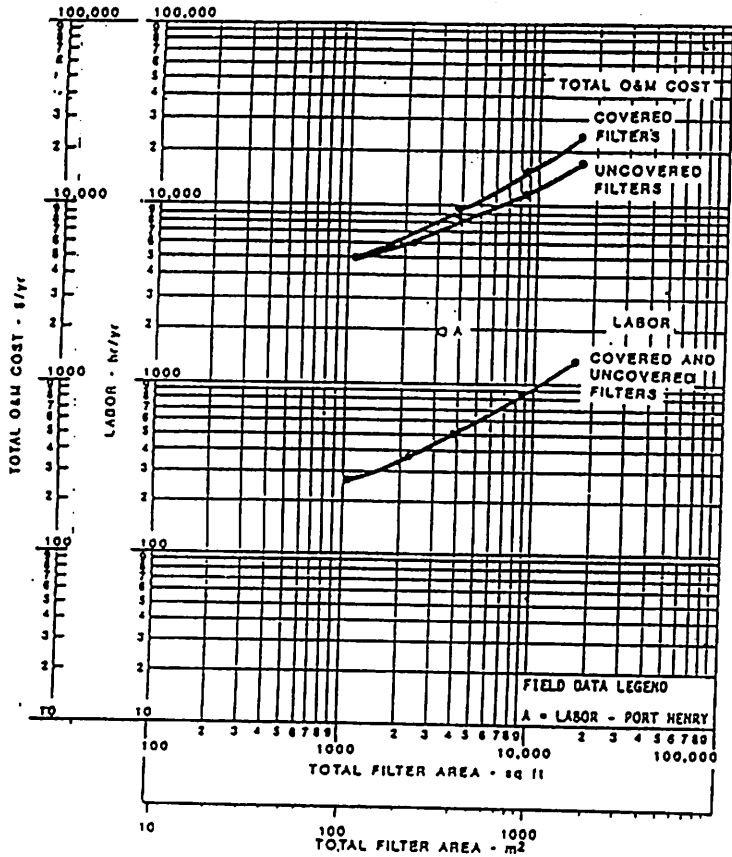


Figure 35. Operation and maintenance requirements for covered and uncovered slow sand filters - labor and total O&M cost.

REVERSE OSMOSIS

Introduction

Reverse osmosis utilizes semi-permeable membranes to remove a high percentage of almost all inorganic ions, turbidity, bacteria, and viruses. Most organic matter is also removed, with the exception of many halogenated and low-molecular-weight compounds.

There are differences between different membrane types in their ability to handle variations in pH, turbidity, and chlorine. The cellulose acetate membranes generally require the feedwater pH to be between 5 and 6 to minimize hydrolysis of the membrane. Polyamide type membranes are damaged by exposure to chlorine. The two most commonly used membrane configurations are hollow fine fiber and spiral wound. The spiral wound element has a higher tolerance for suspended solids and is less susceptible to fouling than the hollow fine fiber element.

The efficiency of the membrane elements in reverse osmosis systems may be impaired by scaling (because of slightly soluble or insoluble compounds) or by fouling (because of the deposition of colloidal or suspended materials). Because of the possibility of scaling and/or fouling, a very important consideration in the design of reverse osmosis systems is the provision of adequate pretreatment to protect the membrane from excessive scaling and fouling and to avoid frequent cleaning requirements. In the development of cost data for reverse osmosis, adequate pretreatment was assumed to precede the reverse osmosis process, but costs for pretreatment facilities such as chemical clarification and filtration are not included.

Brine disposal can also be a major cost consideration. Potential disposal methods include sewer discharge, evaporation ponds, ocean disposal and well injection. Brine disposal facilities and costs are not included in the reverse osmosis systems presented in this section. A separate section is included in this report for brine disposal.

Advances in membrane technology have led to the development of membranes which are capable of operating at low pressures, about 14.06 kg/cm² (200 psi), in contrast to high pressure membranes which operate at 28.12 kg/cm² (400 psi) or more. Advantageously, low pressure membranes result in a substantial savings in process electrical energy. There may be disadvantages to the use of low pressure membranes however. Disadvantages relative to high pressure membranes include lower percentage removal of many contaminants¹, lower allowable feed water TDS or lower percent water recovery, and membrane technology which is still developing.

In the following discussion, low pressure refers to systems operated at 14.06 kg/cm² (200 psi) and high pressure to systems operated at 28.12 kg/cm² (400 psi).

Impact of Raw Water Quality on Treatment CostPretreatment Cost--

Pretreatment chemicals customarily utilized are sodium hexametaphosphate and sulfuric acid, with quantities required being highly variable, depending upon raw water quality. Another important parameter is silica, which may necessitate pretreatment for its removal. Costs for pretreatment chemicals and for silica pretreatment are not included in the following cost data.

Reverse osmosis units may be used for TDS removal, as well as the removal of individual contaminants addressed in the Interim Primary Drinking Water Regulations. The following paragraphs discuss the impact of raw water TDS, as well as individual contaminants in the raw water, upon treatment cost.

Total Dissolved Solids--

Feed water concentrations above 5,000 mg/L can lead to excessively high brine concentrations (>20,000 mg/L), which will generally result in a decrease in product water quality. To prevent this brine concentration buildup, it is necessary to lower the percentage of product water recovery. Lower product water recovery does not require a major change in the reverse osmosis unit, but does necessitate pumping larger quantities of feed water to the reverse osmosis unit. A revision in piping between the pressure vessels may also be required to change vessels to parallel operation, rather than operating some in series. This increases capital cost only slightly, due to the need for larger feed water pumps, but can create a large increase in electrical consumption and pretreatment chemicals, due to the larger quantity of water passed through the reverse osmosis units. A single pass unit will normally have a rejection of over 85% of feed water TDS. If a higher salt rejection is required, a high rejection membrane can be used, or the system can be operated at lower water recovery.

Individual Contaminants--

Little work has been conducted to determine the impact of varying feed concentrations of individual contaminants upon their percentage removal or the cost of removal. A recent publication by Huxstep¹ on work at Charlotte Harbor, Florida, indicated that arsenic (III), arsenic (V), fluoride, and nitrate percentage rejections were all independent of the feed concentrations. These contaminants were each added by spiking a natural groundwater of known concentration. High pressure membranes removed significantly higher percentages of these four components than did low pressure membranes.

Construction Costs

Construction cost data was developed for single stage (only one pass through the membrane) treatment systems which are capable of treating TDS concentrations up to about 2,000 mg/L for low pressure membranes and 10,000 mg/L for high pressure membranes. An operating pressure of 14.06 kg/cm² (200 psi) was utilized for low pressure membranes, and 28.12 kg/cm² (400 psi) for high pressure membranes. Construction costs are comparable for high and low pressure systems.

The temperature of the feedwater was assumed to be between 18.3° and 29.4°C (65° and 85°F), and the pH of the feedwater was assumed to be adjusted using acid injection to about 5.5 to 6.0 before the reverse osmosis process. The acid injection will prolong the life of a cellulose acetate membrane, but the primary function is to prevent calcium carbonate scale formation in the system. A degasifier following reverse osmosis will remove dissolved gases such as carbon dioxide and hydrogen sulfide from the product water, and will reduce neutralization requirements.

At TDS concentrations up to 5,000 mg/L, the assumed water recoveries for different flow ranges are as follows:

Feed Water Flow Range	Water Recovery (%)
2,500 - 10,000 gpd	40
10,000 - 50,000 gpd	50
50,000 - 100,000 gpd	65
100,000 gpd - 1.0 mgd	75

At concentrations above 5,000 mg/L, the percent recovery should be decreased in order to maintain a brine concentration less than 20,000 mg/L, which is necessary to limit osmotic pressure on the brine side of the membrane as well as to maintain quality of the product water. Salt rejections of over 85% should be achieved under these operating conditions. To maintain 20,000 mg/L in the brine, the following percent water recoveries are necessary:

TDS Concentration	Water Recovery (%)
5,000 mg/L	75
6,000 mg/L	70
7,000 mg/L	65
8,000 mg/L	60
9,000 mg/L	55
10,000 mg/L	50

It may be assumed that the capital cost of reverse osmosis treatment remains essentially unchanged as the TDS increases up to 10,000 mg/L, although the water recovery is decreased. This does increase the capacity (and therefore the capital cost) of the feedwater pumps, but this would increase the overall reverse osmosis system cost less than 5 percent. Thus, no separate cost data is presented for systems treating TDS concentrations greater than 5,000 mg/L. The largest effect is on O&M costs since the energy and pretreatment costs would increase in proportion to the increase in flow rate.

Commercial reverse osmosis systems are available from numerous manufacturers as either complete skid-mounted units or custom systems. For sizes ranging from 9.47 m³/d (2,500 gpd) up to between 378.5-946.3 m³/d (100,000-250,000 gpd), skid-mounted systems are generally used. Above 946.3 m³/d (250,000 gpd), either skid-mounted or custom systems are used. An advantage of using multiple standard systems above 946.3 m³/d (250,000 gpd), is the reliability provided by having several systems in case one unit needs to be shut

down for repairs. This cost analysis used skid-mounted units, or multiples of such units, for all size ranges.

Components taken into account in the construction cost estimates include housing, structural steel and miscellaneous metalwork, tanks, piping, valves, high pressure feed water pumps, reverse osmosis membrane elements and pressure vessels, flowmeters, cartridge filters, acid and polyphosphate feed equipment, cleaning equipment, caustic feed equipment, and a degasifier. The cost data are based on the use of either spiral-wound or hollow fine-fiber reverse osmosis membranes. Membrane materials can be cellulose acetate, polyamide, or thin film composite. A layout of a typical small system reverse osmosis system is shown in Figure 36.

Brine disposal costs and product water pumping costs are not included in the estimates. Construction cost estimates are presented in Table 46 and also in Figure 37.

Operation and Maintenance Requirements and Costs

Process electrical energy is required for the feed water pumps, pre- and post-treatment chemical feed pumps, and the degasifier. The combined feed water pump/motor efficiency increases as flow increases. The feed water pump/motor efficiencies which were used in the calculations were: 40% up to 37.85 m³/d (10,000 gpd) plant capacity, 50% up to 378.5 m³/d (100,000 gpd) plant capacity, and 60% over 378.5 m³/d (100,000 gpd) plant capacity. Energy requirements used for the chemical feed pumps and degasifier were 10% of the high pressure pump energy for plant capacities less than 189.3 m³/d (50,000 gpd), and 5% for plant capacities over 189.3 m³/d (50,000 gpd).

Process energy varies with the percent water recovery. As discussed under Construction Costs, higher percent water recoveries are typically used as system size increases, resulting in lower process energy requirements per unit of water produced. However, as TDS increases above 5,000 mg/L, lower percent water recoveries are necessary to maintain a reasonable brine concentration and to prevent deterioration of product water quality. Process electrical data has been developed for feed water TDS concentrations of 2,000 mg/L for low pressure systems and 5,000, 8,000, and 10,000 mg/L for high pressure systems.

Electrical energy for building lighting, heating, and ventilating was calculated based on an estimated floor area required for complete housing of the reverse osmosis equipment, with the exception of the degasifier, which is located outside. A building energy requirement of 209.8 kWh/m²/yr (19.5 kWh/10 ft²/yr) was used for lighting, heating, and ventilation. This requirement is based upon a lighting use factor of three hours per day.

The largest maintenance material requirement is for membrane replacement; a membrane life of three years was used in the cost estimates. Other maintenance material requirements are for replacement of cartridge filters, membrane cleaning chemicals, and for materials needed for periodic repair of pumps, motors, and electrical control equipment. Costs for pretreatment chemicals, such as acid and polyphosphate, and post-treatment chemicals, such as caustic, are not included in the maintenance material estimates, but they

TABLE 46. CONSTRUCTION COST SUMMARY FOR REVERSE OSMOSIS SYSTEMS

Cost Category	Plant Capacity, gpd					
	2,500	10,000	50,000	100,000	500,000	1,000,000
Manufactured Equipment	\$20,300	\$30,000	\$ 69,600	\$123,000	\$454,800	\$ 877,400
Labor	800	1,200	1,500	2,800	7,500	14,600
Electrical, Instrumentation	3,200	4,600	10,700	18,700	45,900	62,100
Housing	11,900	13,900	16,400	18,500	38,400	52,500
Subtotal	36,200	49,700	98,200	163,000	546,600	1,006,600
Design Contingencies	5,400	7,500	14,700	24,500	82,000	151,000
Total	\$41,600	\$57,200	\$112,900	\$187,500	\$628,600	\$1,157,600

- Notes: 1. Housing requirements from smallest plant capacity to largest are 140, 170, 210, 250, 800, and 1,500 sq ft. Ceiling height in buildings is 14 ft.
 2. Costs are valid for feed water TDS concentrations up to 10,000 mg/L. However, percentage recovery of feed water decreases above 5,000 mg/L TDS.

are discussed in the following section. Maintenance material costs increase slightly as the percent recovery drops, due to increased pumping to the reverse osmosis unit.

Labor requirements are for cleaning and replacing membranes, replacing cartridge filters, maintaining the high pressure and other pumps, preparing treatment chemicals and determining proper dosages, maintaining chemical feed equipment, and monitoring performance of the reverse osmosis membranes. Membrane cleaning was assumed to occur monthly. In estimating labor requirements, a minimum of about one hr/day of labor was assumed for the smallest plant.

Operation and maintenance requirements are summarized in Table 47 for low pressure systems and in Table 48 for high pressure systems, and are illustrated for both high and low pressure systems in Figures 38 and 39.

TABLE 47. OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE SUMMARY FOR LOW PRESSURE REVERSE OSMOSIS SYSTEMS

Average Plant Flow Rate, gpd	Energy, kWh/yr		Maintenance Material, \$/yr	Labor, hr/yr	Total Cost, \$/yr
	Building	Process			
2,500	2,800	9,900	500	340	5,100
10,000	3,300	26,300	1,700	360	7,800
50,000	4,100	100,100	8,000	480	27,000
100,000	4,900	180,400	14,500	610	45,800
500,000	15,600	853,200	67,100	870	137,500
1,000,000	29,300	1,606,000	117,900	1,130	244,800

Note: Total cost is based on \$0.07/kwh of electrical energy and \$11.00/hour of labor.

Typical Chemical Requirements and Costs

The principal chemicals required in small reverse osmosis systems are sodium hexametaphosphate for control of scaling and fouling, sulfuric acid for pH adjustment prior to treatment, and sodium hydroxide to increase the pH dosage. The unit cost of the chemical for each chemical is a function of the percentage of water recovery discussed previously in the text, and the following dosages and unit chemical costs, the annual chemical costs in Table 49 were calculated.

Chemical	Dosage	Unit Cost
Sodium Hexametaphosphate	6 mg/L	\$1.10/lb
Sulfuric Acid	75 mg/L	\$0.08/lb
Sodium Hydroxide	15 mg/L	\$0.17/lb

TABLE 48. OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE SUMMARY FOR REVERSE OSMOSIS SYSTEMS

Average Plant Flow Rate, gpd	Energy, kWh/yr			Maintenance Material, \$/yr	Labor, hr/yr	Total Cost, \$/yr
	Building	Process	Total			
Feed Water TDS Concentrations Up to 5,000 mg/L						
2,500	2,800	18,000	20,800	500	340	5,700
10,000	3,300	48,200	51,500	1,700	360	9,300
50,000	4,100	191,100	195,200	8,000	480	27,000
100,000	4,900	344,400	349,300	14,500	610	45,800
500,000	15,600	1,629,000	1,644,600	67,100	870	191,800
1,000,000	29,300	3,066,000	3,095,300	117,900	1,130	347,000
Feed Water TDS Concentrations = 8,000 mg/L						
2,500	2,800	18,000	20,800	500	340	5,700
10,000	3,300	48,200	51,500	1,700	360	9,300
50,000	4,100	191,100	195,200	8,000	480	27,000
100,000	4,900	373,000	377,900	14,900	630	48,300
500,000	15,600	2,036,200	2,051,800	70,200	940	224,200
1,000,000	29,300	3,832,500	3,861,800	122,900	1,220	406,700
Feed Water TDS Concentrations = 10,000 mg/L						
2,500	2,800	18,000	20,800	500	340	5,700
10,000	3,300	48,200	51,500	1,700	360	9,300
50,000	4,100	191,100	195,200	8,000	480	27,000
100,000	4,900	447,700	452,600	15,500	600	54,700
500,000	15,600	2,443,500	2,459,100	73,200	1,020	256,600
1,100,000	29,300	4,599,000	4,628,300	127,700	1,310	466,100

Note: Total cost is based on \$0.07/kwh of electrical energy and \$11.00/hour of labor.

TABLE 49. TYPICAL CHEMICAL COSTS FOR REVERSE OSMOSIS SYSTEMS

Average Plant Flow Rate, gpd	Sodium Hexametaphosphate, \$/yr	Sulfuric Acid, \$/yr	Sodium Hydroxide, \$/yr	Total Chemical Cost, \$/yr
Feed Water TDS Concentrations Up to 5,000 mg/L				
2,500	130	120	50	300
10,000	500	460	200	1,160
50,000	2,000	1,830	780	4,610
100,000	3,100	2,800	1,200	7,100
500,000	13,400	12,200	5,200	30,800
1,000,000	26,800	24,300	10,300	61,400
Feed Water TDS Concentrations = 8,000 mg/L				
2,500	130	120	50	300
10,000	500	460	200	1,160
50,000	2,000	1,830	780	4,610
100,000	3,400	3,000	1,300	7,700
500,000	16,800	15,200	6,500	38,500
1,000,000	33,500	30,400	12,900	76,800
Feed Water Concentrations = 10,000 mg/L				
2,500	130	120	50	300
10,000	500	460	200	1,160
50,000	2,000	1,830	780	4,610
100,000	4,000	3,700	1,600	9,300
500,000	20,100	18,300	7,800	46,200
1,000,000	40,200	36,500	15,500	92,200

Note: Chemical dosages and costs used in this table were:
 Sodium Hexametaphosphate - 6 mg/L; \$1.10/lb
 Sulfuric Acid - 75 mg/L; \$0.08/lb
 Sodium Hydroxide - 15 mg/L; \$0.17/lb

The required chemical dosages will vary widely between water supplies, and laboratory or pilot plant testing should be used to determine requirements. Additionally, the cost of chemicals will be a function of the geographical area and the quantity of chemical purchased.

Field Data Collection

Operating data on reverse osmosis treatment systems were collected at the Charlotte Harbor Water Association, Harbor Heights, Florida, and the Bryn Mawr Water Company, Vero Beach, Florida. The Charlotte Harbor plant has two treatment modules which operate at 27.4 kg/cm² (390 psi) and have a combined

treatment capacity of 1,136 m³/d (0.3 mgd) and one low pressure unit which operates at 16.5 kg/cm² (235 psi) and has a treatment capacity of 568 m³/d (0.15 mgd). The total operating flow rate of both the high and low pressure units is 1,120 m³/d (0.296 mgd). The TDS concentration in the raw water supply was not obtained during the field sampling.

The Bryn Mawr plant at Vero Beach has an installed capacity of 454 m³/d (0.12 mgd) and an operating flow rate of 163 m³/d (0.043 mgd). The operating pressure is 28.1 kg/cm² (400 psi). The TDS in the raw water supply was not noted during collection of field data.

A comparison of field operating data and information from Figures 38 and 39 is shown following:

	Charlotte Harbor		Vero Beach	
	Field Data	Data From Figures 38 and 39	Field Data	Data From Figures 38 and 39
Electrical Energy, kwh/hr				
Process	-	750,000	-	160,000
Building	-	14,000	-	4,000
Total	788,200	764,000	218,800	164,000
Maintenance Material, \$/yr	10,400	38,000	890	6,000
Labor, hr/yr	5,140	800	640	480

Maintenance material requirements are low at both plants because replacement of membranes has not been necessary at either plant. However, Figure 38 data include a cost for membrane replacement every three years. The large difference in labor requirement at Charlotte Harbor is believed to be the result of an inappropriate division of labor between the treatment plant and the water distribution system.

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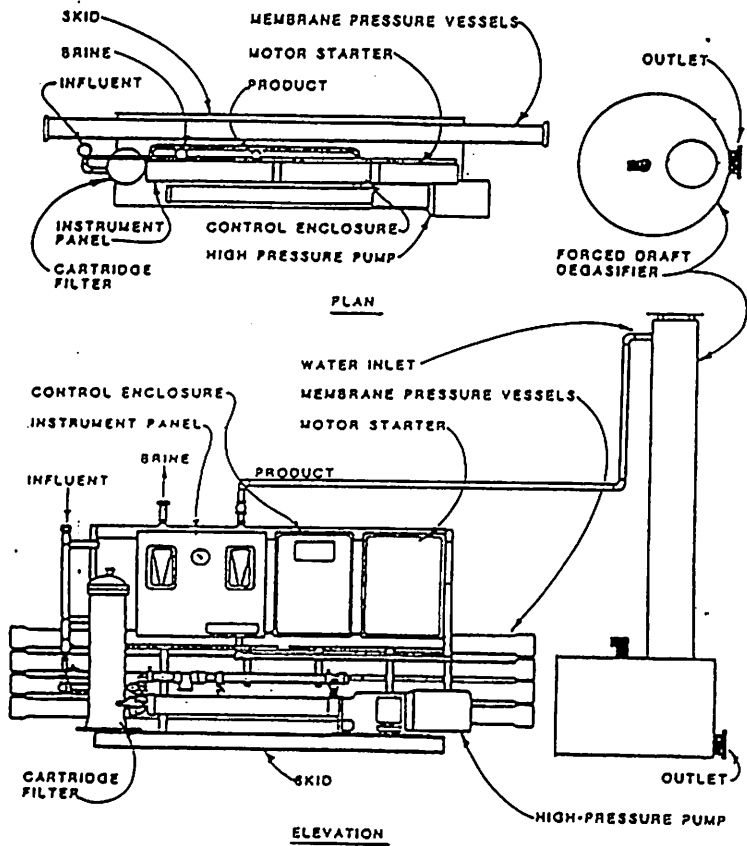


Figure 36. Typical-skid mounted reverse osmosis installation

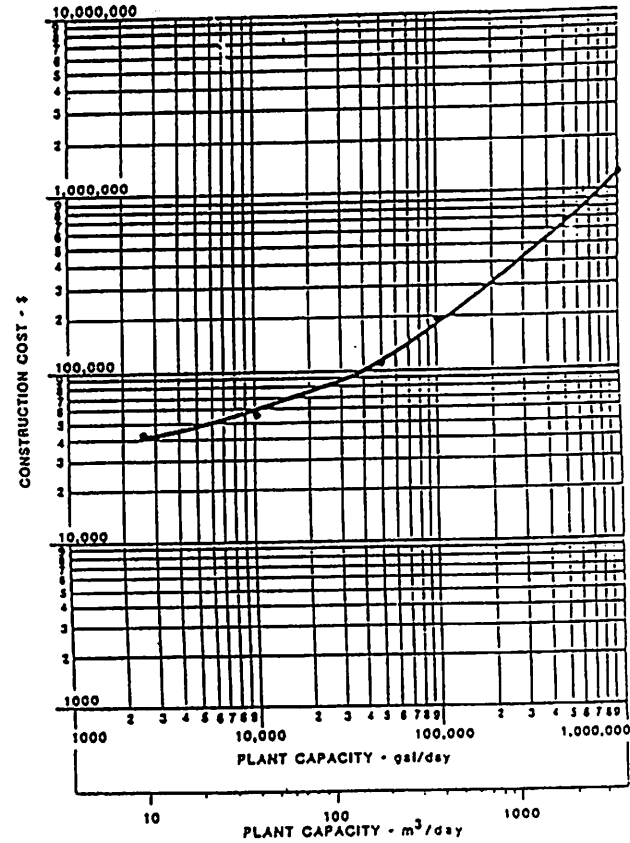


Figure 37. Construction cost for reverse osmosis system.

GRAPH #11
Reverse Osmosis (Fig. 113)

Treatment Capacity (mgd)	Const. Cost (\$)	ENR Index	June 1995 ENR Index	Current Cost (\$)	Handy Whitman	Current Handy Whitman	Current Cost (\$)
1	780,000	2851	5433	1,486,405	171	303	1,382,105
2	1,300,000	2851	5433	2,477,341	171	303	2,303,509
5	2,800,000	2851	5433	5,335,812	171	303	4,961,404
10	5,400,000	2851	5433	10,290,495	171	303	9,568,421

GRAPH #12
Raw Water Pumping Facilities (Fig. 201)

Treatment Capacity (mgd)	Const. Cost (\$)	ENR Index	June 1995 ENR Index	Current Cost (\$)	Handy Whitman	Current Handy Whitman	Current Cost (\$)
30 Feet TDH							
1	20,000	2851	5433	38,113	171	303	35,439
2	25,000	2851	5433	47,641	171	303	44,298
5	37,000	2851	5433	70,509	171	303	65,561
10	55,000	2851	5433	104,811	171	303	97,456
20	86,000	2851	5433	163,886	171	303	152,386
50	180,000	2851	5433	343,016	171	303	318,947
100	325,000	2851	5433	619,335	171	303	575,877
100 Feet TDH							
1	26,000	2851	5433	49,547	171	303	46,070
2	31,000	2851	5433	59,075	171	303	54,930
5	49,000	2851	5433	93,377	171	303	86,825
10	74,000	2851	5433	141,018	171	303	131,123
20	125,000	2851	5433	238,206	171	303	221,491
50	250,000	2851	5433	476,412	171	303	442,982
100	490,000	2851	5433	933,767	171	303	868,246

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SECTION 4

COST CURVES

CONSTRUCTION COST CURVES

The construction cost curves were developed using equipment cost data supplied by manufacturers, cost data from actual plant construction, unit takeoffs from actual and conceptual designs, and published data. When unit cost takeoffs were used to determine costs from actual and conceptual designs, estimating techniques from Richardson Engineering Services Process Plant Construction Estimating Standards,¹⁹ Mean's Building Construction Cost Data,²⁰ and the Dodge Guide for Estimating Public Works Construction Costs²¹ were often utilized. An example illustrating how costs were determined using unit cost takeoffs from an actual design for a reinforced concrete wall (similar to a wall for a clarifier or a filter structure) is presented in Appendix C. The cost curves that were developed were then checked and verified by a second engineering consulting firm, Zurheide-Herrmann, Inc., using an approach similar to that a general contractor would utilize in determining his construction bid. Every attempt has been made to present the conceptual designs and assumptions that were incorporated into the curves. Adjustment of the curves may be necessary to reflect site-specific conditions, geographic or local conditions, or the need for standby power. The curves should be particularly useful for estimating the relative economics of alternative treatment systems and in the preliminary evaluation of general cost level to be expected for a proposed project. The curves contained in this report are based on October 1978 costs.

The construction cost was developed by determining and then aggregating the cost of the following eight principal components: (1) Excavation and site work; (2) manufactured equipment; (3) concrete; (4) steel, (5) labor; (6) pipe and valves; (7) electrical equipment and instrumentation; and (8) housing. These eight categories were utilized primarily to facilitate accurate cost updating, which is discussed in a subsequent section of this chapter. The division will also be helpful where costs are being adjusted for site-specific, geographic and other special conditions. The eight categories include the following general items:

Excavation and Site Work. This category includes work related only to the applicable process and does not include any general site work such as sidewalks, roads, driveways, or landscaping.

Manufactured Equipment. This category includes estimated purchase cost of pumps, drives, process equipment, specific purpose controls, and other items that are factory made and sold with equipment.

Concrete. This category includes the delivered cost of ready mix concrete and concrete-forming materials.

Steel. This category includes reinforced steel for concrete and miscellaneous steel not included under manufactured equipment.

Labor. The labor associated with installing manufactured equipment, and piping and valves, constructing concrete forms, and placing concrete and reinforcing steel are included here.

Pipe and Valves. Cast iron pipe, steel pipe, valves, and fittings have been combined into a single category. The purchase price of pipe, valves, fittings, and associated support devices are included within this category.

Electrical Equipment and Instrumentation. The cost of process electrical equipment, wiring, and general instrumentation associated with the process equipment is included in this category.

Housing. In lieu of segregating building costs into several components, this category represents all material and labor costs associated with the building, including heating, ventilating, air conditioning, lighting, normal convenience outlets, and the slab and foundation.

The subtotal of the costs of these eight categories includes the cost of material and equipment purchase and installation, and subcontractor's overhead and profit. To this subtotal, a 15-percent allowance has been added to cover miscellaneous items not included in the cost takeoff as well as contingency items. Experience at many water treatment facilities has indicated that this 15-percent allowance is reasonable. Although blanket application of this 15-percent allowance may result in some minor inequity between processes, these are generally balanced out during the combination of costs for individual processes into a treatment system.

The construction cost for each unit process is presented as a function of the most applicable design parameter for the process. For example, construction costs for package gravity filter plants are plotted versus capacity in gallons per minute, whereas ozone generation system costs are presented versus pounds per day of feed capacity. Use of such key design parameters allows the curves to be utilized with greater flexibility than if all costs were plotted versus flow.

The construction costs shown in the curves are not the final capital cost for the unit process. The construction cost curves do not include costs for special site work, general contractor overhead and profit, engineering, or land, legal, fiscal, and administrative work and interest during construction. These cost items are all more directly related to the total cost of a project rather than the cost of the individual unit processes. They are therefore most appropriately added following cost summation of the individual unit processes, if more than one unit process is required. The examples presented in a subsequent section of this volume illustrate the recommended method for the addition of these costs to the construction cost,

Table 92
 Construction Cost for
 Reverse Osmosis

Cost Category	Plant Capacity (mgd)			
	1.0	10	100	200
Manufactured Equipment	\$474,210	\$3,456,480	\$29,174,260	\$56,438,930
Labor	70,420	346,850	2,312,340	2,837,870
Electrical and Instrumentation	65,740	486,270	3,635,690	6,947,480
Housing	<u>64,260</u>	<u>462,650</u>	<u>2,409,660</u>	<u>4,176,740</u>
SUBTOTAL	674,630	4,754,250	37,531,950	70,401,020
Miscellaneous and Contingency	<u>101,190</u>	<u>713,140</u>	<u>5,629,790</u>	<u>10,560,150</u>
TOTAL	775,820	5,467,390	43,161,740	80,961,170

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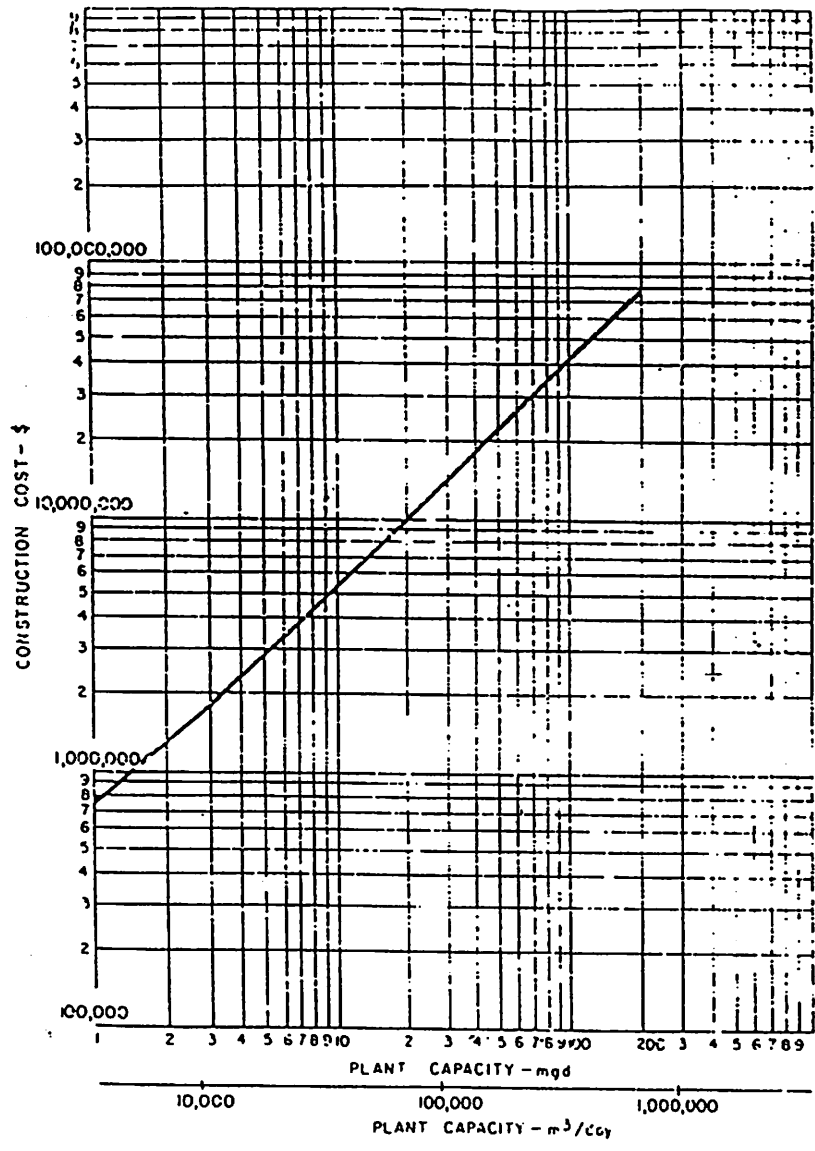


Figure 111. Construction cost for reverse osmosis.

GRAPH #15
Reverse Osmosis (Fig. 35)

Treatment Capacity (gpd)	Const. Cost (\$)	ENR Index	June 1995 ENR Index	Current Cost (\$)	Handy Whitman	Current Handy Whitman	Current Cost (\$)
2,500	14,000	2851	5433	26,679	181	319	24,674
5,000	17,000	2851	5433	32,396	181	319	29,961
7,000	20,000	2851	5433	38,113	181	319	35,249
10,000	25,000	2851	5433	47,641	181	319	44,061
50,000	79,000	2851	5433	150,546	181	319	139,232
100,000	140,000	2851	5433	266,791	181	319	246,740
200,000	225,000	2851	5433	428,771	181	319	396,547
500,000	450,000	2851	5433	857,541	181	319	793,094
1,000,000	760,000	2851	5433	1,448,292	181	319	1,339,448

GRAPH #16
Package High—Service Pump Stations (Fig. 53)

Treatment Capacity (gpm)	Const. Cost (\$)	ENR Index	June 1995 ENR Index	Current Cost (\$)	Handy Whitman	Current Handy Whitman	Current Cost (\$)
30	12,500	2851	5433	23,821	155	259	20,887
50	13,000	2851	5433	24,773	155	259	21,723
70	14,000	2851	5433	26,679	155	259	23,394
100	14,500	2851	5433	27,632	155	259	24,229
200	16,000	2851	5433	30,490	155	259	26,735
500	18,000	2851	5433	34,302	155	259	30,077
1,000	20,000	2851	5433	38,113	155	259	33,419

was assumed, with only occasional shutdown to clean cells and replace weak ultraviolet lamps. Building energy is for heating, lighting, and ventilation.

Maintenance materials are related to the replacement cost of the ultraviolet lamps, which are generally replaced after operating continuously for about 8,000 hr.

Labo- requirements are related to occasional cleaning of the quartz sleeves and periodic replacement of the ultraviolet lights.

Operation and maintenance requirements are summarized in Table 38 and also presented in Figures 33 and 34.

REVERSE OSMOSIS

Construction Cost

Reverse osmosis utilizes membranes to remove a high percentage of almost all inorganic ions, turbidity, bacteria, and viruses. Most organic matter is also removed, with the exception of several materials, including most halogenated and low-molecular-weight compounds.

Construction costs were developed for complete reverse osmosis plants in the size ranges from 2,500 gpd to 1 mgd. Commercial units are available in sizes up to about 5,000 gpd for the membrane elements and up to 30,000 gpd for the reverse osmosis modules (pressure vessels). Therefore, large-scale plants are composed of many smaller, parallel modules. Components taken into account in the construction cost estimates include housing, structural steel and miscellaneous metalwork, tanks, piping, valves, pumps, reverse osmosis membrane elements and pressure vessels, flow meters, cartridge filters, acid and polyphosphate feed equipment, and also cleaning equipment. The cost curves are based on the use of either spiral-wound or hollow fine-fiber reverse osmosis membranes.

The efficiency of the membrane elements in reverse osmosis systems may be impaired by scaling (because of slightly soluble or insoluble compounds) or by fouling (because of the deposition of colloidal or suspended materials). Because of this possibility, a very important consideration in the design of a reverse osmosis system is the provision of adequate pretreatment to protect the membrane from excessive scaling and fouling and to avoid frequent cleaning requirements. In the development of the cost curves, adequate pretreatment was assumed to precede the reverse osmosis process, but costs for pretreatment are not included in the estimates.

The construction cost curve applies to waters with a total dissolved solids (TDS) concentration ranging up to about 10,000 mg/l. Other considerations, such as calcium sulfate and silica concentrations and also the desired water recovery, affect cost more than the influent TDS concentration. The temperature of the feedwater is assumed to be between 65° and 95° F, and the pH of the feedwater is adjusted to about 5.5 to 6.0 before the reverse osmosis process. A single-pass treatment system (only one pass through the membrane) is assumed, with an operating pressure of 400 to 450 psi. The

assumed water recoveries for different flow ranges are as follows:

<u>Flow Range</u>	<u>Water Recovery (%)</u>
2,500 - 10,000 gpd	60
10,000 - 100,000 gpd	70
100,000 gpd - 1.0 mgd	75

Brine disposal costs are not included in the estimates. Construction cost estimates are presented in Table 39 and also in Figure 35.

Operation and Maintenance Cost

Electrical energy usage is included for the high-pressure feedwater pumps, based on an operating pressure of 450 psi and on the water recoveries listed in the construction cost write-up. For other pumps and chemical feed equipment, an energy usage of 10 percent of the usage for the high-pressure pumps was assumed. Electrical energy for lighting, heating, and ventilating was calculated, based on an estimated floor area required for complete housing of the reverse osmosis equipment.

The largest maintenance material requirement is for membrane replacement; a membrane life of 3 years was used in the cost estimates. Other maintenance material requirements are for replacement of cartridge filters, for membrane cleaning chemicals, and for materials needed for periodic repair of pumps, motors, and electrical control equipment. Costs for pretreatment chemicals, such as acid and polyphosphate, are not included in the estimates. The chemicals utilized and the dosages required will show great variability between different water supplies and should be determined from pilot plant testing.

Labor requirements are for cleaning and replacing membranes, replacing cartridge filters, maintaining the high-pressure and other pumps, preparing treatment chemicals and determining proper dosages, maintaining chemical feed equipment, and monitoring performance of the reverse osmosis membranes. Membrane cleaning was assumed to occur monthly. In estimating labor requirements, a minimum of about 1.5 hr/day of labor was assumed for the smallest plant.

Operation and maintenance requirements are summarized in Table 40 and illustrated in Figures 36 and 37.

PRESSURE ION EXCHANGE SOFTENING

Construction Cost

Cation exchange resins can be utilized for the removal of hardness, barium, trivalent chromium, lead, manganese, mercury, and radium. Construction costs were developed for pressure ion exchange softening systems using the conceptual information presented in Table 41. The contact vessels were fabricated steel, with a baked phenolic lining added after fabrication and constructed for 100 psi working pressure. The depth of resin was 6 ft,

Table 39
Construction Cost for
Reverse Osmosis

Cost Category	Plant Capacity (gpd)			
	2,500	10,000	100,000	1,000,000
Manufactured Equipment	\$ 3,710	\$11,140	\$81,050	\$ 474,210
Labor	770	2,210	16,080	70,420
Electrical and Instrumentation	4,190	4,710	10,680	65,740
Housing	2,680	4,070	6,430	64,260
SUBTOTAL	11,350	22,130	114,240	674,630
Miscellaneous and Contingency	1,700	3,320	17,140	101,190
TOTAL	13,050	25,450	131,380	775,820

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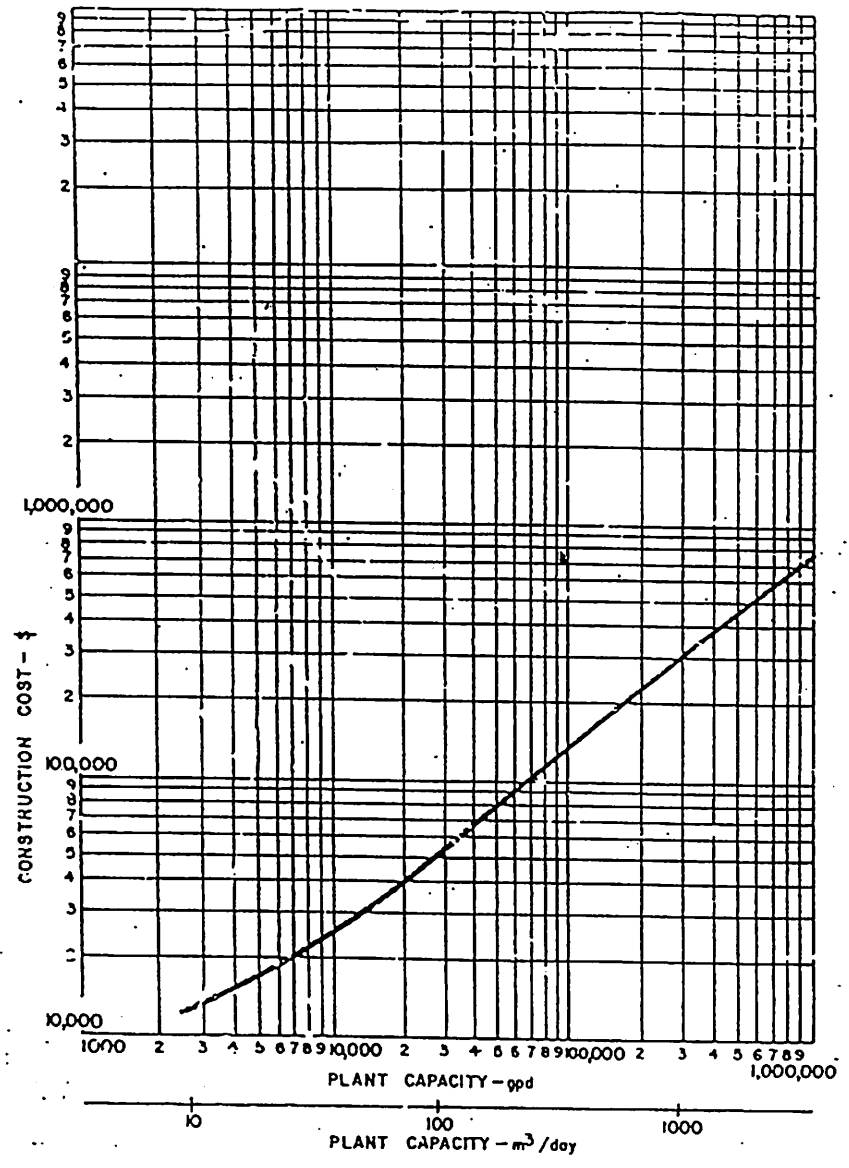
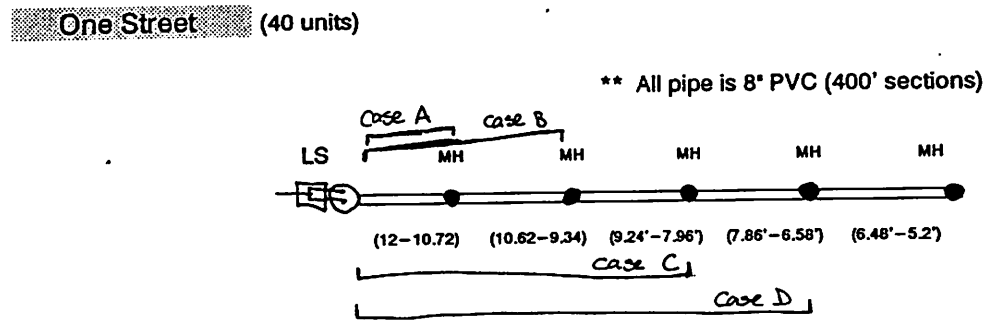
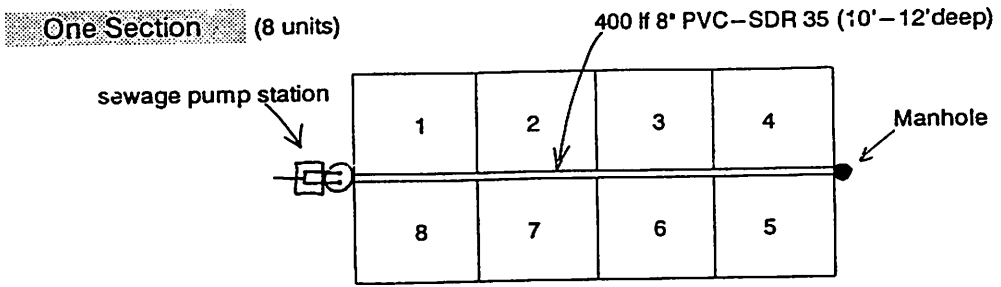


Figure 35. Construction cost for reverse osmosis.

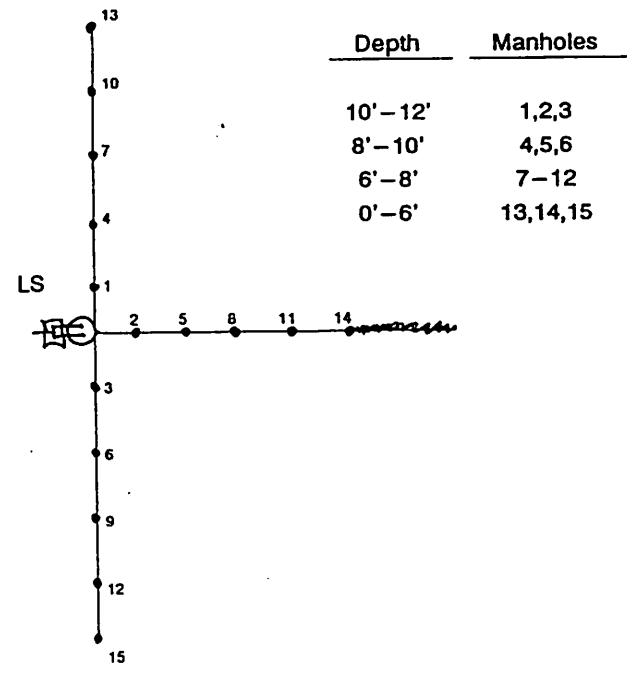
APPENDIX N



Whole Installation (120 units)

8" Gravity Sewer

10'-12' deep =>	1782 lf
8'-10' deep =>	1782 lf
6'-8' deep =>	1689 lf
0'-6' deep =>	750 lf



Case E

Gravity Sewer Costs

① 8" Gravity Sewer (SDR 35-PVC)

0-6' ⇒ \$9.25/ft

6-8' ⇒ \$12.00/ft

8-10' ⇒ \$16.00/ft

10-12' ⇒ \$18.50/ft

② Full Installation Adders

a) Mobilization ≈ 10%

b) Testing ≈ \$1/ft

c) Permitting ≈ \$500

③ Manholes * (Installed Cost using Bid Tabs + precast

∴ manufacturers' values)

0-6' ⇒ \$1300/ea.

6-8' ⇒ \$1550/ea.

8-10' ⇒ \$1800/ea.

10-12' ⇒ \$2100/ea.

Cost Calculations

* CASE A

- manhole \Rightarrow = \$ 2100
- pump station $\Rightarrow (34,411.2)(\frac{8}{120})$ = \$ 2,294.08
- 400' 8" sewer $\Rightarrow (400)(18.5)$ = \$ 7,400
- 400' Testing $\Rightarrow (400)(\#1)$ = \$ 400
- Permitting \Rightarrow = \$ 500
- Mobilization $\Rightarrow (12,694)(0.1)$ = \$ 1,269.41

TOTAL \Rightarrow = \$ 13,963.50

units / lots = 8 lots

UNIT COST \Rightarrow # / LOT = \$ 1,745.44

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Cost Calculations

Case B

Cost (\$)

Manholes ⇒ (10-12') # 2100 (8-10') # 1800		→	\$ 3,900
pump station ⇒ (31,411.2) (16/120)		→	\$ 4,588.16
8" gravity sewer ⇒ (10-12') # 10,989 (8-10') # 3,296		→	\$ 14,285
800' Testing ⇒ (800) (#1/ft)		=	\$ 800
Permitting ⇒		=	\$ 500
Mobilization ⇒ (24,073.16) (0.1)		=	<u>\$ 2,407.32</u>

TOTAL \$ 26,480.5

units / lots = 16 lots

UNIT COST ⇒ \$/lot = \$ 1,655.03

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Cost Calculations

Case D

	<u>Cost (\$)</u>									
Manholes \Rightarrow <table style="display: inline-table; vertical-align: middle;"> <tr> <td>(10-12')</td> <td>\$ 2100</td> <td rowspan="3" style="font-size: 3em; vertical-align: middle;">}</td> <td rowspan="3" style="vertical-align: middle;">=</td> <td rowspan="3" style="vertical-align: middle;">\$ 7,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>(8-10')</td> <td>\$ 1800</td> </tr> <tr> <td>(6-8')</td> <td>\$ 3100</td> </tr> </table>	(10-12')	\$ 2100	}	=	\$ 7,000	(8-10')	\$ 1800	(6-8')	\$ 3100	
(10-12')	\$ 2100	}				=	\$ 7,000			
(8-10')	\$ 1800									
(6-8')	\$ 3100									
1 pump station \Rightarrow (34,111.20)(32/120)	= \$ 9,176.32									
8" gravity sewer \Rightarrow <table style="display: inline-table; vertical-align: middle;"> <tr> <td>(10-12')</td> <td>\$ 10,989</td> <td rowspan="3" style="font-size: 3em; vertical-align: middle;">}</td> <td rowspan="3" style="vertical-align: middle;">=</td> <td rowspan="3" style="vertical-align: middle;">\$ 25,437</td> </tr> <tr> <td>(8-10')</td> <td>\$ 9,504</td> </tr> <tr> <td>(6-8')</td> <td>\$ 4,944</td> </tr> </table>	(10-12')	\$ 10,989	}	=	\$ 25,437	(8-10')	\$ 9,504	(6-8')	\$ 4,944	
(10-12')	\$ 10,989	}				=	\$ 25,437			
(8-10')	\$ 9,504									
(6-8')	\$ 4,944									
1600' Testing \Rightarrow (1600)(\$1/ft)	= \$ 1600									
Permitting \Rightarrow	\$ 500									
Mobilization \Rightarrow (43,713.32)(0.1)	= <u>\$ 4,371.33</u>									
TOTAL	\$ 48,085									
# lots/units	= 32 lots									
UNIT COST = \$/lot	= \$ 1,502.65									

RECORD OF TELEPHONE COMMUNICATION

DATE: 9/8/95 TIME: 9:30

PROJECT NAME: SSU - Economy of Scale PROJECT NO.: 95-145.00

PARTY CALLING: Jamey Wallace COMPANY: HAI

PARTY CONTACTED: Scott Edwards COMPANY: Taylor Precast

SUBJECT: Manhole Costs 4' diameter Susan Pope
Todd Phillips

TELEPHONE COMMUNICATION SUMMARY (Including Decisions & Commitments)

Depth	#	* 8" Wall Thickness *
0-6	# 578	
6-8	# 698	
8-10	# 836	
10-12	# 950	* No Economies of Scale *
12-14	# 1076	

ACTION REQUIRED

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RECORD OF TELEPHONE COMMUNICATION

9/7/95 TIME: 3:40

PROJECT NAME: SSU - Economy of Scale PROJECT NO.: 95-145.00

PARTY CALLING: J J W COMPANY: HAI

PARTY CONTACTED: Brian Penner COMPANY: Mitchell & Stark

SUBJECT: Pipe install. costs (813) 597-2165

TELEPHONE COMMUNICATION SUMMARY (Including Decisions & Commitments)

* Pressure testing (w+F.M.) Avg. 50¢/ft small job → 75¢/ft
large job → 25¢/ft

* Disinfection (w.m.) # Avg. 1/ft small job → \$2/ft
\$1.50 large job → \$1/ft

* Gravity Sewer - T.V. Test \$1.00/ft

ACTION REQUIRED

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APPENDIX O

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Calculations (L.S. Flow)

$$\textcircled{1} \quad 100 \text{ gpm} \Rightarrow 144,000 \text{ gpd} (\div 4) = 36,000 \text{ gpd (ADF)}$$

$$36,000 \text{ gpd} / 300 \text{ gpd/unit} = \boxed{120 \text{ units}}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad 200 \text{ gpm} \Rightarrow 288,000 \text{ gpd} (\div 4) = 72,000 \text{ gpd (ADF)}$$

$$72,000 \text{ gpd} / 300 \text{ gpd/unit} = \boxed{240 \text{ units}}$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad 300 \text{ gpm} \Rightarrow 432,000 \text{ gpd} (\div 3.5) = 123,429 \text{ gpd (ADF)}$$

$$123,429 \text{ gpd} / 300 \text{ gpd/unit} = \boxed{411 \text{ units}}$$

$$\textcircled{4} \quad 400 \text{ gpm} \Rightarrow 576,000 \text{ gpd} (\div 3.5) = 164,571 \text{ gpd (ADF)}$$

$$164,571 \text{ gpd} / 300 \text{ gpd/unit} = \boxed{549 \text{ units}}$$

$$\textcircled{5} \quad 500 \text{ gpm} \Rightarrow 720,000 \text{ gpd} (\div 3.5) = 205,715 \text{ gpd (ADF)}$$

$$205,715 \text{ gpd} / 300 \text{ gpd/unit} = \boxed{686 \text{ units}}$$

$$\textcircled{6} \quad 600 \text{ gpm} \Rightarrow 864,000 \text{ gpd} (\div 3.5) = 246,857 \text{ gpd (ADF)}$$

$$246,857 \text{ gpd} / 300 \text{ gpd/unit} = \boxed{823 \text{ units}}$$

$$\textcircled{7} \quad 700 \text{ gpm} \Rightarrow 1,008,000 \text{ gpd} (\div 3) = 336,000 \text{ gpd (ADF)}$$

$$336,000 \text{ gpd} / 300 \text{ gpd/unit} = \boxed{1120 \text{ units}}$$

$$\textcircled{8} \quad 800 \text{ gpm} \Rightarrow 1,152,000 \text{ gpd} (\div 3) = 384,000 \text{ (ADF)}$$

$$384,000 \text{ gpd} / 300 \text{ gpd/unit} = \boxed{1280 \text{ units}}$$

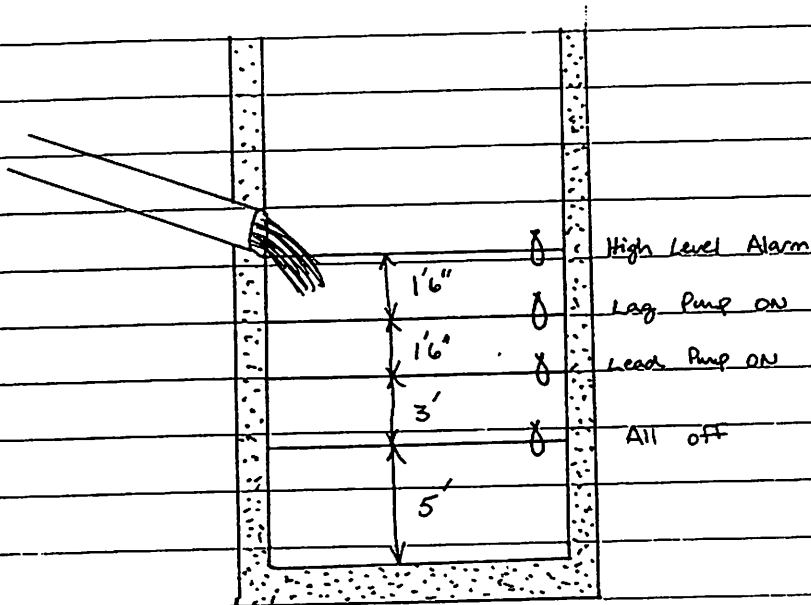
$$\textcircled{9} \quad 900 \text{ gpm} \Rightarrow 1,296,000 \text{ gpd} (\div 3) = 432,000 \text{ gpd (ADF)}$$

$$432,000 \text{ gpd} / 300 \text{ gpd/unit} = \boxed{1440 \text{ units}}$$

$$\textcircled{10} \quad 1000 \text{ gpm} \Rightarrow 1,440,000 \text{ gpd} (\div 3) = 480,000 \text{ gpd (ADF)}$$

$$480,000 \text{ gpd} / 300 \text{ gpd/unit} = \boxed{1600 \text{ units}}$$

Sewage Pump Station Design



① 100 Gpm Pump $\Rightarrow Y = QT/4 = (100\text{gpm})(6\text{min})/4 = 150\text{ gal}$

$$Y = 150\text{ gal} = 20.05\text{ ft}^3$$

6' ϕ well $h = \frac{Y}{\pi R^2} = \frac{(20.05\text{ ft}^3)}{\pi (3\text{ft})^2} = \underline{1.06\text{ ft}}$

6' Diameter Well

② 200 Gpm Pump $\Rightarrow Y = QT/4 = \frac{(200\text{gpm})(6\text{min})}{4} = 300\text{ gal}$

$$Y = 40.1\text{ ft}^3$$

6' ϕ well $h = \frac{Y}{\pi R^2} = \frac{(40.1\text{ ft}^3)}{\pi (3\text{ft})^2} = \underline{1.42\text{ ft}}$

6' Diameter Well

Sewage Pump Station Design

$$\textcircled{3} \quad 300 \text{ gpm pump} \Rightarrow V = QT/4 = \frac{(300 \text{ gpm})(6 \text{ min})}{4} = 450 \text{ gal}$$

$$V = 60.16 \text{ ft}^3$$

$$\text{6' Diam. well} \quad h = \frac{(60.16 \text{ ft}^3)}{\pi (3 \text{ ft})^2} = \underline{\underline{2.13 \text{ ft}}}$$

6' Diameter Well

$$\textcircled{4} \quad 400 \text{ gpm pump} \Rightarrow V = QT/4 = \frac{400 \text{ gpm}(6 \text{ min})}{4} = 600 \text{ gal}$$

$$V = 80.21 \text{ ft}^3$$

$$\text{6' Diam. Well} \quad h = \frac{(80.21 \text{ ft}^3)}{\pi (3 \text{ ft})^2} = \underline{\underline{2.84 \text{ ft}}}$$

6' Diameter Well

$$\textcircled{5} \quad 500 \text{ gpm pump} \Rightarrow V = QT/4 = \frac{(500 \text{ gpm})(6 \text{ min})}{4} = 750 \text{ gal}$$

$$V = 100.27 \text{ ft}^3$$

$$\text{8' Diam. Well} \quad h = \frac{(100.27 \text{ ft}^3)}{\pi (4 \text{ ft})^2} = \underline{\underline{1.99 \text{ ft}}}$$

8' Diameter Well

Sewage Pump Station Design

$$\textcircled{6} \quad 600 \text{ gpm pump} \Rightarrow V = QT/4 = \frac{(600 \text{ gpm})(6 \text{ min})}{4} = 900 \text{ gal}$$

$$V = 120.32 \text{ ft}^3$$

8' ϕ well

$$h = \frac{(120.32 \text{ ft}^3)}{\pi (4 \text{ ft})^2} = \underline{\underline{2.39 \text{ ft}}}$$

8' Diameter Well

$$\textcircled{7} \quad 700 \text{ gpm pump} \Rightarrow V = QT/4 = \frac{(700 \text{ gpm})(6 \text{ min})}{4} = 1050 \text{ gal}$$

$$V = 140.4 \text{ ft}^3$$

8' ϕ well

$$h = \frac{(140.4 \text{ ft}^3)}{\pi (4 \text{ ft})^2} = \underline{\underline{2.79 \text{ ft}}}$$

10' ϕ well

$$h = \frac{(140.4 \text{ ft}^3)}{\pi (5 \text{ ft})^2} = \underline{\underline{1.79 \text{ ft}}}$$

10' Diameter Well

$$\textcircled{8} \quad 800 \text{ gpm pump} \Rightarrow V = QT/4 = \frac{(800 \text{ gpm})(6 \text{ min})}{4} = 1200 \text{ gal}$$

$$V = 160.4 \text{ ft}^3$$

10' ϕ well

$$h = \frac{(160.4 \text{ ft}^3)}{\pi (5 \text{ ft})^2} = \underline{\underline{2.04 \text{ ft}}}$$

10' Diameter Well

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Station No. 4 Submersible

Installed	<u>1995</u>	Depth (ft):	<u>20</u>	Diameter (ft):	<u>6</u>
Precast Well					
Wet Well(ft)	<u>20.00</u>	\$125/FT		COST=	<u>\$2,500</u>
Top Slab(cy)	<u>0.70</u>	\$450/cy		COST=	<u>\$314</u>
Base Slab(cy)	<u>3.11</u>	\$450/cy		COST=	<u>\$1,398</u>
Excavation					
Surface Diameter (ft)	$(2 * \text{Depth}) + 10\text{ft} + \text{Dia.} =$			"SD" =	<u>56</u>
Surface Area (ft)	$((3.1415) * ("SD")^2) / 4 =$			"SA" =	<u>2463</u>
Base Diameter (ft)	$\text{Dia} + 10\text{ft} =$			"BD" =	<u>16</u>
Base Area (ft)	$((3.1415) * ("BD")^2) / 4 =$			"BA" =	<u>201.1</u>
Volume (cy)	$(1/3 * ("SA") * (\text{Depth} + "BD") - 1/3 * ("BA") * ("BD")) / 27 =$			"Vol" =	<u>1055</u>
		\$1.25/cy		COST=	<u>\$1,319</u>
Backfill(cy)	$"Vol" - ((3.1415) (\text{Dia.})^2 (\text{Depth})) / 27 =$			"BK" =	<u>971</u>
		\$1.25/cy		COST=	<u>\$1,214</u>
Dewatering					
Circumference	$2 * (3.1415) (("SD" + 2) / 2) =$		<u>182.2</u>		
		\$75/LF		COST=	<u>\$13,666</u>
Valve Box:					
	Length(ft)	<u>5</u>			
	Width(ft)	<u>5</u>			
	Walls	<u>8"</u>			
	Base Slab (ft)	<u>25</u>			
	Top Slab	<u>Aluminum Hatch</u>		COST=	<u>\$1,440</u>
TOTAL STRUCTURAL COST=					<u>\$21,850.47</u>
Pumps:	<u>2</u>	Motors:	<u>2</u>		
Horsepower	<u>12</u>		<u>5</u>		
GPM	<u>400</u>				
Manufacturer Flyght/ABS					
Model No.				TOTAL PUMP COST=	<u>\$14,200.00</u>
Controls/Electrical: Estimated at 20% of Total Package Cost					
TOTAL CONTROL COST =					<u>\$3,550.00</u>
Piping/Fittings/Equipment:					
TOTAL EQUIPMENT COST =					<u>\$4,370.09</u>
TOTAL LIFT STATION COST =					<u>\$43,970.57</u>

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Station No. 6 Submersible

Installed	<u>1995</u>	Depth (ft):	<u>20</u>	Diameter (ft):	<u>8</u>
Precast Well					
Wet Well(ft)	<u>20.00</u>	\$125/FT		COST =	<u>\$2,500</u>
Top Slab(cy)	<u>1.24</u>	\$450/cy		COST =	<u>\$559</u>
Base Slab(cy)	<u>4.42</u>	\$450/cy		COST =	<u>\$1,991</u>
Excavation					
Surface Diameter (ft)	$(2 * \text{Depth}) + 10\text{ft} + \text{Dia.} =$			"SD" =	<u>58</u>
Surface Area (ft)	$((3.1415) * (\text{"SD"}^2) / 4 =$			"SA" =	<u>2642</u>
Base Diameter (ft)	$\text{Dia} + 10\text{ft} =$			"BD" =	<u>18</u>
Base Area (ft)	$((3.1415) * (\text{"BD"}^2) / 4 =$			"BA" =	<u>254.5</u>
Volume (cy)	$(1/3 * (\text{"SA"} * (\text{Depth} + \text{"BD"}) - 1/3 * (\text{"BA"} * (\text{"BD"}))) / 27 =$			"Vol" =	<u>1183</u>
		\$1.25/cy		COST =	<u>\$1,479</u>
Backfill(cy)	$\text{"Vol"} - ((3.1415) (\text{Dia.})^2 (\text{Depth}) / 27 =$			"BK" =	<u>1034</u>
		\$1.25/cy		COST =	<u>\$1,293</u>
Dewatering					
Circumference	$2 * (3.1415) ((\text{"SD"} + 2) / 2) =$		<u>188.5</u>		
		\$75/LF		COST =	<u>\$14,137</u>
Valve Box:					
	Length(ft)	<u>5</u>			
	Width(ft)	<u>5</u>			
	Walls	<u>8"</u>			
	Base Slab (ft)	<u>25</u>			
	Top Slab	<u>Aluminum Hatch</u>		COST =	<u>\$1,440</u>
TOTAL STRUCTURAL COST =					<u>\$23,398.00</u>
Pumps:	<u>2</u>	Motors:	<u>2</u>		
Horsepower	<u>17.5</u>		<u>5</u>		
GPM	<u>600</u>				
Manufacturer Flyght/ABS					
Model No.				TOTAL PUMP COST =	<u>\$16,640.00</u>
Controls/Electrical:					
	Estimated at 20% of Total Package Cost				
				TOTAL CONTROL COST =	<u>\$4,160.00</u>
Piping/Fittings/Equipment:					
				TOTAL EQUIPMENT COST =	<u>\$5,849.50</u>
8" Plug Valve (2)					
8" Check Valve (2)					
8" connector					
Emergency pump out					
8" DI piping					
TOTAL LIFT STATION COST =					<u>\$50,047.50</u>

Station No. 7 Submersible

Sheet No.	Job No. 95-145.00
Made By JJW	Date: 8/14/95
Checked By	Date:

Installed	<u>1995</u>	Depth (ft):	<u>20</u>	Diameter (ft):	<u>10</u>
Precast Well					
Wet Well(ft)	<u>20.00</u>	\$125/FT		COST =	<u>\$2,500</u>
Top Slab(cy)	<u>1.94</u>	\$450/cy		COST =	<u>\$873</u>
Base Slab(cy)	<u>5.98</u>	\$450/cy		COST =	<u>\$2,689</u>
Excavation					
Surface Diameter (ft)	$(2 * \text{Depth}) + 10\text{ft} + \text{Dia.} =$		"SD" =	<u>60</u>	
Surface Area (ft)	$(3.1415) * (\text{"SD"}^2) / 4 =$		"SA" =	<u>2827</u>	
Base Diameter (ft)	Dia + 10ft =		"BD" =	<u>20</u>	
Base Area (ft)	$(3.1415) * (\text{"BD"}^2) / 4 =$		"BA" =	<u>314.2</u>	
Volume (cy)	$(1/3 * (\text{"SA"} * (\text{Depth} + \text{"BD"}) - 1/3 * (\text{"BA"} * (\text{"BD"}))) / 27 =$		"Vol" =	<u>1319</u>	
		\$1.25/cy	COST =	<u>\$1,648</u>	
Backfill(cy)	$\text{"Vol"} - ((3.1415) * (\text{Dia.})^2 * (\text{Depth})) / 27 =$		"BK" =	<u>1086</u>	
		\$1.25/cy	COST =	<u>\$1,357</u>	
Dewatering					
Circumference	$2 * (3.1415) * ((\text{"SD"} + 2) / 2) =$		<u>194.8</u>	COST =	<u>\$14,608</u>
		\$75/LF			
Valve Box:					
	Length(ft)	<u>5</u>			
	Width(ft)	<u>5</u>			
	Walls	<u>8"</u>			
	Base Slab (ft)	<u>25</u>			
	Top Slab	<u>Aluminum Hatch</u>	COST =	<u>\$1,440</u>	
TOTAL STRUCTURAL COST =					<u>\$25,116.18</u>
Pumps:	<u>2</u>	Motors:	<u>2</u>		
Horsepower	<u>20.5</u>		<u>5</u>		
GPM	<u>700</u>				
Manufacturer	<u>Flyght/ABS</u>				
Model No.				TOTAL PUMP COST =	<u>\$17,600.00</u>
Controls/Electrical:	Estimated at 20% of Total Package Cost				
				TOTAL CONTROL COST =	<u>\$4,400.00</u>
Piping/Fittings/Equipment:				TOTAL EQUIPMENT COST =	<u>\$6,279.04</u>
8" Plug Valve (2)					
8" Check Valve (2)				TOTAL LIFT STATION COST =	<u>\$53,395.22</u>
8" connector					
Emergency pump out					
8" DI piping					

Sheet No.	Job No. 95-145.00
Made By JJW	Date: 8/14/95
Checked By	Date:

Station No. 8 Submersible

Installed	<u>1995</u>	Depth (ft):	<u>20</u>	Diameter (ft):	<u>10</u>
Precast Well					
Wet Well(ft)	<u>20.00</u>	\$125/FT		COST =	<u>\$2,500</u>
Top Slab(cy)	<u>1.94</u>	\$450/cy		COST =	<u>\$873</u>
Base Slab(cy)	<u>5.98</u>	\$450/cy		COST =	<u>\$2,689</u>
Excavation					
Surface Diameter (ft)	$(2 * \text{Depth}) + 10\text{ft} + \text{Dia.} =$		"SD" =	<u>60</u>	
Surface Area (ft)	$((3.1415) * ("SD")^2) / 4 =$		"SA" =	<u>2827</u>	
Base Diameter (ft)	Dia + 10ft =		"BD" =	<u>20</u>	
Base Area (ft)	$((3.1415) * ("BD")^2) / 4 =$		"BA" =	<u>314.2</u>	
Volume (cy)	$(1/3 * ("SA") * (\text{Depth} + "BD") - 1/3 * ("BA") * ("BD")) / 27 =$		"Vol" =	<u>1319</u>	
		\$1.25/cy	COST =	<u>\$1,648</u>	
Backfill(cy)	$"Vol" - ((3.1415) (\text{Dia.})^2 (\text{Depth})) / 27 =$		"BK" =	<u>1086</u>	
		\$1.25/cy	COST =	<u>\$1,357</u>	
Dewatering					
Circumference	$2 * (3.1415) (("SD" + 2) / 2) =$		<u>194.8</u>	COST =	<u>\$14,608</u>
		\$75/LF			
Valve Box:					
	Length(ft)	<u>5</u>			
	Width(ft)	<u>5</u>			
	Walls	<u>8"</u>			
	Base Slab (ft)	<u>25</u>			
	Top Slab	<u>Aluminum Hatch</u>	COST =	<u>\$1,440</u>	
TOTAL STRUCTURAL COST =				<u>\$25,116.18</u>	
Pumps:	<u>2</u>	Motors:	<u>2</u>		
Horsepower	<u>21</u>		<u>5</u>		
GPM	<u>800</u>				
Manufacturer Flyght/ABS					
Model No.					TOTAL PUMP COST =
					<u>\$18,400.00</u>
Controls/Electrical:	Estimated at 20% of Total Package Cost				
	TOTAL CONTROL COST =				<u>\$4,600.00</u>
Piping/Fittings/Equipment:	TOTAL EQUIPMENT COST =				<u>\$10,046.47</u>
10" Plug Valve (2)					
10" Check Valve (2)					
10" connector					
Emergency pump out					
10" DI piping					
TOTAL LIFT STATION COST =				<u>\$58,162.65</u>	

Sheet No.	Job No. 95-145.00
Made By JJW	Date: 8/14/95
Checked By	Date:

Station No. 9 Submersible

Installed	<u>1995</u>	Depth (ft):	<u>20</u>	Diameter (ft):	<u>10</u>
Precast Well					
Wet Well(ft)	<u>20.00</u>	\$125/FT		COST=	<u>\$2,500</u>
Top Slab(cy)	<u>1.94</u>	\$450/cy		COST=	<u>\$873</u>
Base Slab(cy)	<u>5.98</u>	\$450/cy		COST=	<u>\$2,689</u>
Excavation					
Surface Diameter (ft)	$(2 * \text{Depth}) + 10\text{ft} + \text{Dia.} =$		"SD" =		<u>60</u>
Surface Area (ft)	$((3.1415) * (\text{"SD"})^2) / 4 =$		"SA" =		<u>2827</u>
Base Diameter (ft)	Dia + 10ft =		"BD" =		<u>20</u>
Base Area (ft)	$((3.1415) * (\text{"BD"})^2) / 4 =$		"BA" =		<u>314.2</u>
Volume (cy)	$(1/3 * (\text{"SA"} * (\text{Depth} + \text{"BD"})) - 1/3 * (\text{"BA"} * (\text{"BD"}))) / 27 =$		"Vol" =		<u>1319</u>
		\$1.25/cy	COST=		<u>\$1,648</u>
Backfill(cy)	$\text{"Vol"} - ((3.1415) (\text{Dia.})^2 (\text{Depth})) / 27 =$		"BK" =		<u>1086</u>
		\$1.25/cy	COST=		<u>\$1,357</u>
Dewatering					
Circumference	$2 * (3.1415) ((\text{"SD"} + 2) / 2) =$		<u>194.8</u>	COST=	<u>\$14,608</u>
		\$75/LF			
Valve Box:					
	Length(ft)	<u>5</u>			
	Width(ft)	<u>5</u>			
	Walls	<u>8"</u>			
	Base Slab (ft)	<u>25</u>			
	Top Slab	<u>Aluminum Hatch</u>	COST=		<u>\$1,440</u>
TOTAL STRUCTURAL COST=					<u>\$25,116.18</u>
Pumps:	<u>2</u>	Motors:	<u>2</u>		
Horsepower	<u>27.5</u>		<u>5</u>		
GPM	<u>900</u>				
Manufacturer	<u>Flyght/ABS</u>				
Model No.				TOTAL PUMP COST =	<u>\$19,600.00</u>
Controls/Electrical:					
	Estimated at 20% of Total Package Cost				
	TOTAL CONTROL COST =				<u>\$4,900.00</u>
Piping/Fittings/Equipment:					
	TOTAL EQUIPMENT COST =				<u>\$10,046.47</u>
10" Plug Valve (2)					
10" Check Valve (2)					
10" connector					
Emergency pump out					
10" DI piping					
TOTAL LIFT STATION COST =					<u>\$59,662.65</u>

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Made By	JJW	Date: 8/14/95
Checked By		Date:

Station No. 10 Submersible

Installed	<u>1995</u>	Depth (ft):	<u>20</u>	Diameter (ft):	<u>12</u>	
Precast Well						
Wet Well(ft)	<u>20.00</u>	\$125/FT		COST =	<u>\$2,500</u>	
Top Slab(cy)	<u>2.79</u>	\$450/cy		COST =	<u>\$1,257</u>	
Base Slab(cy)	<u>7.76</u>	\$450/cy		COST =	<u>\$3,492</u>	
Excavation						
Surface Diameter (ft)	$(2 * \text{Depth}) + 10\text{ft} + \text{Dia.} =$			"SD" =	<u>62</u>	
Surface Area (ft)	$((3.1415) * ("SD")^2) / 4 =$			"SA" =	<u>3019</u>	
Base Diameter (ft)	$\text{Dia} + 10\text{ft} =$			"BD" =	<u>22</u>	
Base Area (ft)	$((3.1415) * ("BD")^2) / 4 =$			"BA" =	<u>380.1</u>	
Volume (cy)	$(1/3 * ("SA") * (\text{Depth} + "BD") - 1/3 * ("BA") * ("BD")) / 27 =$			"Vol" =	<u>1462</u>	
		\$1.25/cy		COST =	<u>\$1,828</u>	
Backfill(cy)	$"Vol" - ((3.1415) (\text{Dia.})^2 (\text{Depth})) / 27 =$			"BK" =	<u>1127</u>	
		\$1.25/cy		COST =	<u>\$1,409</u>	
Dewatering						
Circumference	$2 * (3.1415) (("SD" + 2) / 2) =$		<u>201.1</u>			
		\$75/LF		COST =	<u>\$15,080</u>	
Valve Box:						
	Length(ft)	<u>5</u>				
	Width(ft)	<u>5</u>				
	Walls	<u>8"</u>				
	Base Slab (ft)	<u>25</u>				
	Top Slab	<u>Aluminum Hatch</u>		COST =	<u>\$1,440</u>	
TOTAL STRUCTURAL COST =					<u>\$27,005.01</u>	
Pumps:	<u>2</u>	Motors:	<u>2</u>			
Horsepower	<u>30</u>		<u>5</u>			
GPM	<u>1000</u>					
Manufacturer	<u>Flyght/ABS</u>					
Model No.				TOTAL PUMP COST =	<u>\$20,400.00</u>	
Controls/Electrical:						
	Estimated at 20% of Total Package Cost					
				TOTAL CONTROL COST =	<u>\$5,100.00</u>	
Piping/Fittings/Equipment:						
	TOTAL EQUIPMENT COST =				<u>\$10,802.00</u>	
10" Plug Valve (2)						
10" Check Valve (2)						
10" connector						
Emergency pump out						
10" DI piping				TOTAL LIFT STATION COST =	<u>\$63,307.02</u>	

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PRECAST WETWELL INSTALLED COST SUMMARY

Diameter (feet)	Material Cost				
	4	6	8	10	12
Cost (\$/ft of depth)	\$65	\$125	\$175	\$300	\$375
Base	\$645	\$1,045	\$1,825	\$2,821	\$3,605
Top	\$125	\$225	\$500	\$1,000	\$1,400

Diameter (feet)	Installation Adder @ 30%				
	4	6	8	10	12
Cost (\$/ft of depth)	\$20	\$38	\$53	\$90	\$113
Base	\$194	\$314	\$548	\$846	\$1,082
Top	\$38	\$68	\$150	\$300	\$420

Diameter (feet)	Total Installed Cost				
	4	6	8	10	12
Cost (\$/ft of depth)	\$85	\$163	\$228	\$390	\$488
Base	\$839	\$1,359	\$2,373	\$3,667	\$4,687
Top	\$163	\$293	\$650	\$1,300	\$1,820



Base	Nominal Diameter (ft)	Actual Diameter (ft)	Thickness (ft)	Actual Area (sq.ft)	Quantity of Concrete (cu.ft)	Quantity of Concrete (cu.yd.)	Item Cost @ \$275 (\$)	cu.yd.
		4	7.33	1.50	42	63	2	\$645
	6	9.33	1.50	68	103	4	\$1,045	
	8	12.33	1.50	119	179	7	\$1,825	
	10	15.33	1.50	185	277	10	\$2,821	
	12	17.33	1.50	236	354	13	\$3,605	

Top	Nominal Diameter (ft)	Actual Diameter (ft)	Thickness (ft)	Actual Area (sq.ft)	Quantity of Concrete (cu.ft)	Quantity of Concrete (cu.yd.)	Item Cost @ \$275 (\$)	cu.yd.
		4	5.33	0.67	22	15	1	\$152
	6	7.33	0.67	42	28	1	\$287	
	8	9.33	0.67	68	46	2	\$465	
	10	11.33	1.00	101	101	4	\$1,027	
	12	13.33	1.00	140	140	5	\$1,422	



ELLIS K. PHELPS & COMPANY

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FAX: (407) 880-2962

To: Hartman & Associates
Bobby Wyatt
407-839-3790 (Fax)

From: Juan Citarella

<u>Reference #</u>	<u>Reference HP</u>	<u>Package Estimate</u>	<u>Current Flygt Pump</u>
3825-1	9.4	\$21,000	CP 3127
3825-1	5	\$18,000	CP 3102
?	5	\$18,000	CP 3102
5443A	7.5	\$21,000	CP 3127
80-200/3085	2.5	\$16,000	CP 3085
C-3082	3	\$16,000	CP 3085
C-3101	2.5	\$16,000	CP 3085
3085	3	\$16,000	CP 3085
3085	1.5	\$16,000	CP 3085
C-3101	5	\$18,000	CP 3102
C-3101	10	\$21,000	CP 3127
3126	9.4	\$21,000	CP 3127
?	2	\$16,000	CP 3085
CP 3127	9.4	\$21,000	CP 3127
CP 3127	10	\$21,000	CP 3127
CP 3127	9.5	\$21,000	CP 3127
CP 3152	20	\$26,000	CP 3152
3085.181	2.3	\$16,000	CP 3085
3085	2	\$16,000	CP 3085

Note: Package estimates include (2) Flygt submersible pumps, accessories, control panel, and access covers.

Thank you for your inquiry!

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 BHP &= \frac{(Q)(TDH)(5.9)}{3960 \text{ (eff.)}} \\
 &= \frac{(100 \text{ gpm})(60 \text{ ft})(1)}{(3960)(0.5)} = 3.03
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MEMO ABS FLORIDA BRANCH

TO: HARTMAN & ASSOCIATES

DATE: 3/18/95

ATTN: BOBBY WYATT

FROM: COLIN MARTIN

SUBJECT: YOUR FAX INQUIRY 3/2/95
CITY OF PORT ST. LUCIE REPLACEMENT COSTS

Mr. Wyatt,
In response to your subject inquiry I would like to offer the following pricing for the pump models you requested. I have indicated the old pump model number as well as the new current model number. Please note that the pricing is per pump with accessories. For a typical duplex station multiply price by two. Controls are priced seperately.
The CP3127 model no. is a Flygt, equal to the 8 HP ABS model.

OLD MODEL	HP	NEW MODEL	PRICE EACH UNIT WITH ACCESSORIES
AF15-4-4	2	AFP1040M15/4-11.60-4"	\$2,380.00
AF22-4-4	3	AFP1040M22/4-11.80-4"	2,550.00
AF40-4-4	6	AFP1042M46/4-21.60-4"	2,990.00
AF80-4-4	8	AFP1046M70/4-22.80-4"	3,300.00
AF90-4-4	12	AFP1046M90/4-22.60-4"	3,400.00

DUPLEX CONTROLS PER ST. LUCIE SPECS HP	PRICE EACH DUPLEX CONTROL W/FLOATS
2 or 3	\$4,700.00
6	4,800.00
8 or 10	5,000.00
12 or 15	5,300.00

Pricing is for budgetary usage only. Taxes are not included. Freight and startup are included.

Should you have any questions or require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Regards,

To: Rusty Nelson

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From: Bobby Wyatt

Date: June 2, 1995

Gorman Rupp

Lift station pump package (pump, guide rails, controls, floats, etc.)

MODEL	HP	PACKAGE (S)
T4A3-B (Duplex)	20 hp	65,570 -
T4A3-B (Duplex)	15 hp	65,152 -
T4A3-B (Duplex)	5 hp	64,156 -
T4A3-B (Duplex)	7.5 hp	64,356 64,356 -
T4A3-B (Duplex)	10 hp	64,571 -
T3A3-B (Duplex)	7.5 hp	63,026 -
T6A3-B (Duplex)	15 hp	68,907 -

ALL THESE STATIONS ARE BELOW GROUND, DRY PIT DESIGN SO GUIDE RAILS ARE NOT USED. THESE PRICES INCLUDE BUBBLE LEVEL CONTROLS, IF FLOATS ARE USED, PLEASE DEDUCT \$1,363 - FROM EACH OF THE ABOVE PRICES.

STATIONS ARE PRICED AS A PACKAGE SO I CAN NOT GIVE INDIVIDUAL COMPONENT PRICES. HOWEVER, BELOW ARE LISTED APPROXIMATE CONTROL PANEL PRICES WHICH ARE INCLUDED IN THE ABOVE PRICES, ALL STATIONS ASSUMED TO BE 460 VOLT.

5 HP	-	\$ 5,408 -
7.5 HP	-	5,408 -
10 HP	-	5,408 -
15 HP	-	5,686 -
20 HP	-	5,702 -

PLEASE CALL IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS.

BWW/dt/MS/pumps.bww

THANKS,
RUSTY NELSON

DATE: 3/7/95 TIME: 2:30 pm

PROJECT NAME: City of Port St. Lucie PROJECT NO.: 94-354.1a
1-800-342-7099

PARTY CALLING: Scott Edwards COMPANY: Taylor Precast

PARTY CONTACTED: Bobby Wyatt COMPANY: HAI

SUBJECT: Replacement costs for city of Port St. Lucie, and wetwell
Replacement costs

TELEPHONE COMMUNICATION SUMMARY (Including Decisions & Commitments)

Following costs were given by Mr. Edwards:

Manholes	Depth	\$	Wetwells	Diameter	\$/ft	Bases/top (\$)
	0-6	500		4'	65 w/paint	125
	6-8	615		6'	125	225
	8-10	725		8'	175	500
	10-12	875		10'	300	1000
	12-15	995		12'	375	1400
	15+	1125				

ACTION REQUIRED

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HARTMAN & ASSOCIATES, INC.

engineers, hydrogeologists, scientists & management consultants

EXHIBIT (GCH-4)

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APPENDIX P

Piping Costs

DIP (Class 50 – Epoxy Lined) Force Main

<u>Size (in)</u>	<u>Small Job (250') (\$/ft)</u>	<u>Med. Job (2,500') (\$/ft)</u>	<u>Large Job (25,000') (\$/ft)</u>
4"	24.39	20.57	19.39
6"	27.58	23.13	21.71
8"	31.58	26.44	24.75
10"	36.41	30.49	28.50
12"	42.76	35.93	33.59
16"	47.75	40.13	37.47

- Notes:
- 1) Values obtained using manufacturer's quotes.
 - 2) Costs include \$500 permitting, 10%–15% mobilization, \$7/ft installation, and \$.25–\$.75 per foot pressure testing.
 - 3) Costs exclude valves, fittings, and restoration work.

HARTMAN & ASSOCIATES, INC. engineers, hydrogeologists, surveyors & management consultants	SH. NO.: <u>2</u>	JOB NO.: <u>95-145.00</u>
	MADE BY: <u>JJW</u>	DATE:
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Pipe Costs

* Includes pressure testing

④ DIP (Fastite Conent Lined Class 50) Force Main

Pipe Size	Job Size			Epoxy Lining
	Small job 250' 100' (\$/ft)	Med. job 250' 1,500' (\$/ft)	Large job 25,000' (\$/ft)	
6"	7.69 18.89 ¹⁵	6.28 15.07 ¹³	5.61 13.89 ¹¹	5.50
8"	10.40 22.01 ²⁴	8.50 17.56 ¹⁹	7.65 16.14 ¹⁴	5.57
10"	13.50 25.58 ³³	11.07 20.44 ²⁴	10.03 18.75 ¹⁶	6.00
12"	17.05 29.66 ²⁵	14.02 23.74 ²³	12.75 21.75 ¹⁹	6.75
14"	21.70 35.01 ³⁵	17.98 28.18 ²⁴	16.47 25.84 ²⁹	7.75
16"	25.39 39.25 ³³	21.06 31.63 ²⁹	19.32 28.97 ²⁹	8.50
20"	33.17 48.20 ⁵²	27.55 38.90 ⁴⁹	25.34 35.59 ⁴⁶	9.25
24"	41.65 55.57	34.62	31.90	11.40
30"	55.57	51.02	43.23	15.50

⑤ DIP (Restrained Joint Class 50) Force Main

Pipe Size	Job Size			Epoxy Lining
	Small job	Med. job	Large job	
6"	11.94 23.78	10.53 19.83	9.86 18.57	5.50
8"	15.28 27.62	13.38 23.03	12.52 21.49	5.57
10"	19.56 32.59	17.14 27.24	16.09 25.42	6.00
12"	24.30 38.00	21.27 31.86	20.00 29.72	6.75
14"	32.01 46.86	28.29 39.72	26.78 37.18	7.75
16"	38.21 53.99	33.18 45.97	32.13 43.06	8.50
20"	50.17	44.55	42.34	9.25
24"	64.15	57.12	54.40	11.40
30"	85.57	76.65	73.23	15.50

* Add \$1/ft for water main on a big job.
 \$1.50/ft for water main on a medium job.
 \$2.00/ft for water main on a small job.

Also force mains must be epoxy lin

RECORD OF TELEPHONE COMMUNICATION

DATE: 9/7/95 TIME: 3:40

PROJECT NAME: SSU - Economy of Scale PROJECT NO.: 95-145.00

PARTY CALLING: JJW COMPANY: HAI

PARTY CONTACTED: Brian Penner COMPANY: Mitchell & Stark

SUBJECT: Pipe install. costs (813) 597-2165

TELEPHONE COMMUNICATION SUMMARY (Including Decisions & Commitments)

* Pressure testing (W+F.M.) Avg. 50¢/ft small job → 75¢/ft
large job → 25¢/ft

* Disinfection (W.M.) Avg. \$1/ft small job → \$2/ft
\$1.50 large job → \$1/ft

* Gravity Sewer - T.V. Test \$1.00/ft

ACTION REQUIRED



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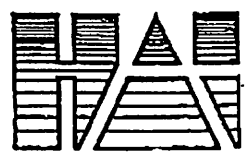
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																	WT/CFT	
3"	N/A	4.72	5.23	5.73					4.71	N/A	N/A	N/A					3"	N/A
4"	N/A	5.17	5.78	6.31					5.10	N/A	9.17	9.10					4"	5.25
6"	5.36	5.93	6.50	7.07					5.33	9.61	10.18	9.58					6"	5.50
8"	7.40	8.14	8.90	9.64					6.96	12.27	13.01	11.84					8"	5.57
10"	9.78	10.73	11.63	12.58					8.99	15.84	16.79	15.03					10"	6.00
12"	12.50	13.61	14.72	15.83					11.54	19.75	20.86	18.79					12"	6.75
14"	16.22	17.56	18.91	20.26			14.33	14.93	15.28	26.53	27.88	25.59	25.25	24.64			14"	7.75
16"	19.07	20.61	22.14	23.65			17.42	18.03	18.95	31.88	33.42	31.77	30.86	30.23			16"	8.50
18"	22.02	23.74	25.47	27.20			20.20	21.45	22.46	36.64	38.37	37.08	36.08	34.82			18"	9.00
20"	25.09	27.01	28.93	30.85			23.53	25.09	26.35	42.09	44.01	43.33	42.09	40.53			20"	9.25
24"	31.65	33.95	36.26	38.53		28.72	31.45	33.26	35.54	54.15	56.45	58.04	55.76	53.95	51.22		24"	11.40
30"	42.98	47.05	51.13	55.20	37.63	41.71	45.80	48.86	52.88	72.98	77.05	82.88	78.86	75.80	71.71	67.63	30"	15.50
36"	59.31	64.85	70.35	75.85	53.27	57.71	63.26	67.70	73.23	100.25	105.78	114.16	108.64	104.20	98.65	94.21	36"	18.00
42"	73.23	80.94	89.84	97.58	66.06	73.79	80.28	86.90	95.38	121.54	129.25	143.89	135.21	128.59	122.10	114.37	42"	22.50
48"	99.09	109.40	119.72	129.97	92.63	101.51	110.39	119.24	128.06	158.78	169.09	187.75	178.93	170.07	161.19	152.31	48"	28.00
54"	133.08	147.92	162.80	177.57	122.33	135.44	148.49	161.53	174.57	204.58	219.42	246.07	233.03	219.99	206.94	193.83	54"	34.00
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64"					174.62	193.34	217.00	230.56	246.79					324.50	305.84	287.12	64"	

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3"	Class 30	FASTITE CEMENT LINED PER FT ESTIMATING PRICES												POLYBOND				
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3"	N/A	4.96	5.49	6.01				4.94	N/A	N/A	N/A						3"	N/A
4"	N/A	5.46	6.11	6.67				5.38	N/A	9.46	9.38						4"	5.25
6"	5.78	6.40	7.01	7.63				5.74	10.03	10.63	9.99						6"	5.50
8"	8.00	8.80	9.63	10.42				7.51	12.88	13.67	12.39						8"	5.57
10"	10.57	11.60	12.60	13.60				9.69	16.64	17.67	15.76						10"	6.00
12"	13.52	14.72	15.92	17.12				12.45	20.77	21.97	19.70						12"	6.75
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30"	46.15	50.52	54.89	59.27	40.39	44.77	49.16	52.45	56.76	76.15	80.52	86.76	82.45	79.16	74.77	70.39	30"	15.50
36"	63.49	69.48	75.43	81.38	56.96	61.76	67.77	71.56	78.54	104.43	110.42	119.47	113.50	108.70	102.70	97.90	36"	18.00
42"	78.53	86.86	96.40	104.76	70.77	79.12	86.13	93.28	102.39	126.84	135.18	150.90	141.39	134.45	127.43	119.08	42"	22.50
48"	103.65	116.80	127.95	139.03	98.63	108.23	117.83	127.40	136.93	165.34	176.48	196.62	187.09	177.52	167.92	158.32	48"	28.00
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10"	12.73	13.99	15.20	16.40					11.63	18.81	20.06	17.69					10"	6.00
12"	16.30	17.75	19.19	20.64					14.94	23.35	25.00	22.19					12"	6.75
14"	20.93	22.69	24.43	26.16			18.32	19.20	19.67	31.26	33.00	29.98	29.51	28.63			14"	7.75
16"	24.64	26.63	28.61	30.56			22.28	23.21	24.42	37.46	39.44	37.24	36.02	35.09			16"	8.50
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42"	95.36	103.88	115.87	124.41	87.90	96.25	103.26	110.76	122.15	143.87	152.19	170.47	159.07	151.57	144.56	136.21	42"	22.50
48"	139.66	150.82	162.02	173.11	132.89	142.48	152.07	161.66	171.19	199.35	210.51	230.88	221.34	211.76	202.17	192.58	48"	28.00
54"	175.70	191.61	207.37	223.42	164.12	178.18	192.17	206.17	220.16	247.20	263.11	291.66	277.67	263.67	249.68	235.62	54"	34.00
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EXHIBIT (GCH-4)

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APPENDIX Q

RECORD OF TELEPHONE COMMUNICATION

DATE: 9/7/95 TIME: 3:40
 PROJECT NAME: SSU - Economy of Scale PROJECT NO.: 95-145.00
 PARTY CALLING: JJW COMPANY: HAI
 PARTY CONTACTED: Brian Penner COMPANY: Mitchell & Stark
 SUBJECT: Pipe install. costs (813) 597-2165

TELEPHONE COMMUNICATION SUMMARY (Including Decisions & Commitments)

Pressure testing (W+F.M.) Avg. 50¢/ft small job → 75¢/ft
 large job → 25¢/ft

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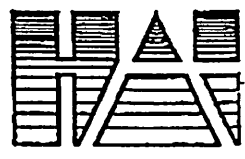
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30"	42.98	47.05	51.13	55.20	37.63	41.71	45.80	48.86	72.98	77.05	82.88	78.86	75.80	71.71	67.63		30"	15.50
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36"	63.49	69.48	75.43	81.38	56.96	61.76	67.77	72.56	78.54	104.43	110.42	119.47	113.50	108.70	102.70	97.90	36"	18.00
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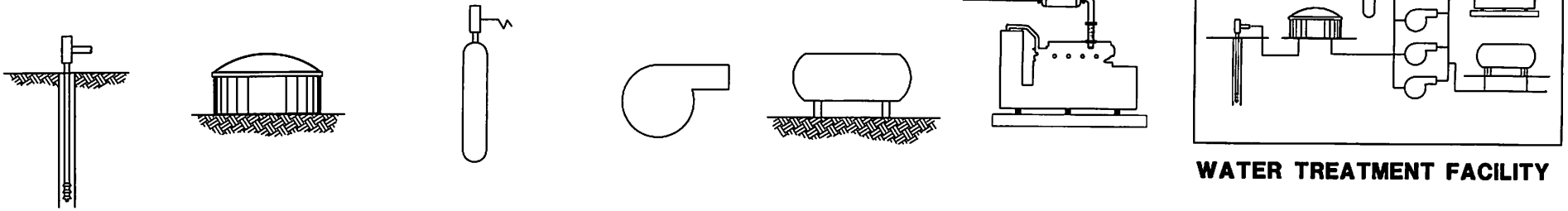
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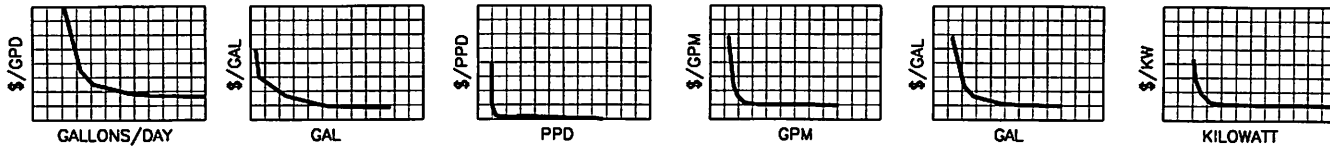
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24"	40.90	43.87	46.85	49.79		36.72	40.36	42.85	45.80	63.40	66.37	64.30	65.35	62.86	59.22		24"	11.40
30"	54.82	60.01	65.21	70.41	47.96	53.17	58.37	62.28	67.40	84.82	90.01	97.40	92.28	88.57	83.17	77.96	30"	15.50
36"	80.60	86.59	92.53	98.47	73.88	78.69	84.71	89.51	95.51	121.53	127.52	136.45	130.45	125.65	119.63	114.82	36"	18.00
42"	95.56	103.88	115.87	124.41	87.90	96.25	103.26	110.76	122.15	143.87	152.19	170.47	159.07	151.57	144.56	136.21	42"	22.50
48"	139.66	150.82	162.02	173.11	132.89	142.48	152.07	161.66	171.19	199.55	210.51	230.88	221.54	211.76	202.17	192.58	48"	28.00
54"	175.70	191.61	207.57	223.42	164.12	178.18	192.17	206.17	220.16	247.20	263.11	291.66	277.67	263.67	249.68	235.62	54"	34.00
60"					229.87	245.19	260.58	277.75	292.88					367.88	352.69	337.37	60"	
64"					241.22	260.20	279.06	297.79	314.15					391.56	372.70	353.72	64"	

UNIT COST RELATIONSHIP OF FACILITY EQUALS THE SUM OF ITS COMPONENTS

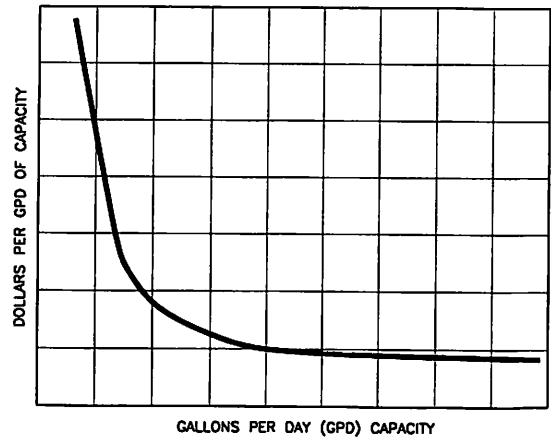
WATER TREATMENT PLANT FACILITY COMPONENTS



WELL + GROUND STORAGE TANK + CHLORINATION SYSTEM + HIGH SERVICE PUMP + HYDRO-PNEUMATIC TANK + EMERGENCY POWER GENERATOR = COMPOSITE UNIT COST CURVE



UNIT COST CURVES



WATER TREATMENT FACILITY COMPOSITE UNIT COST CURVE



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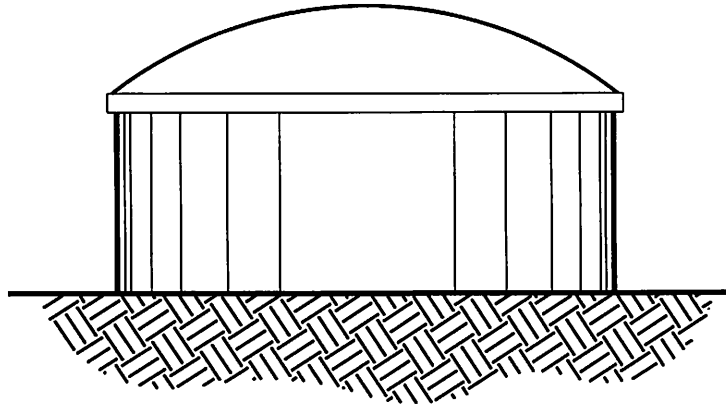
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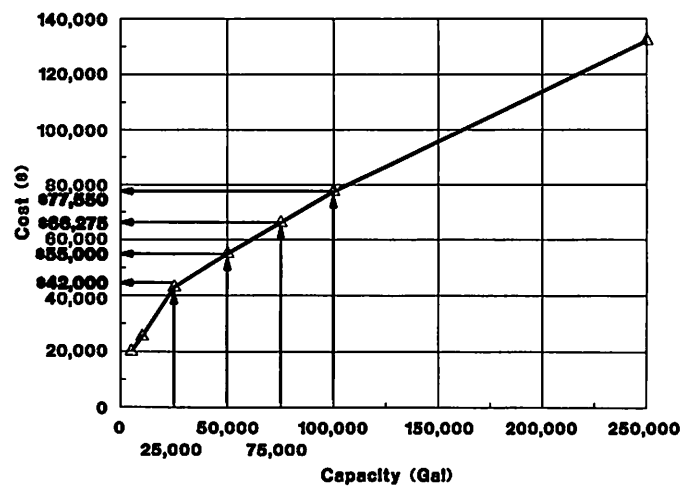
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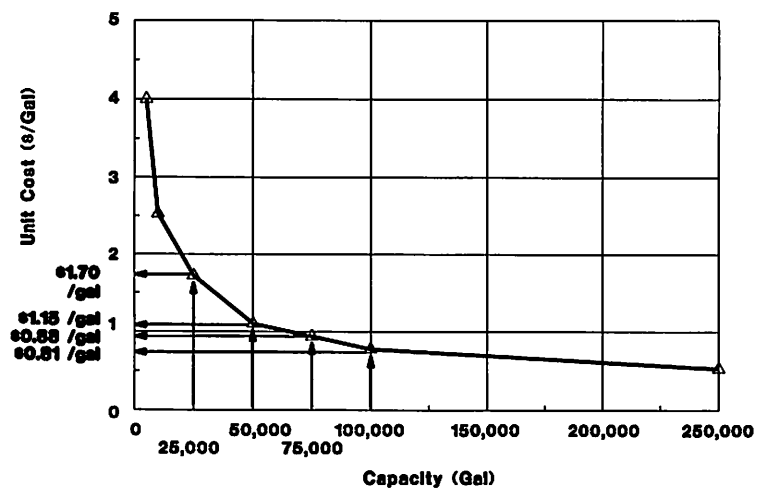
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COST



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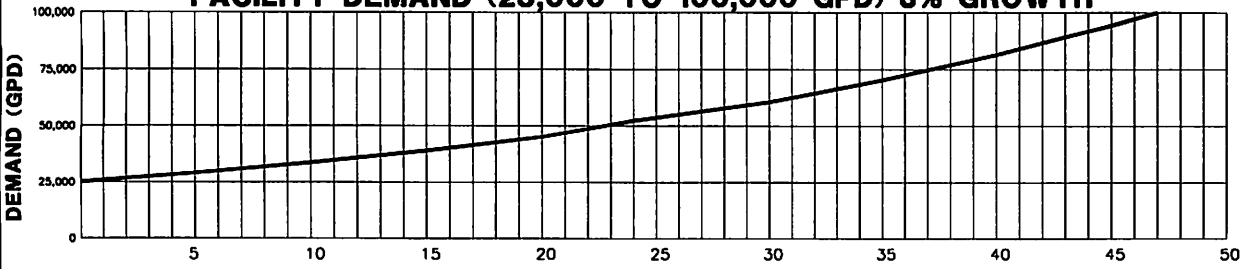


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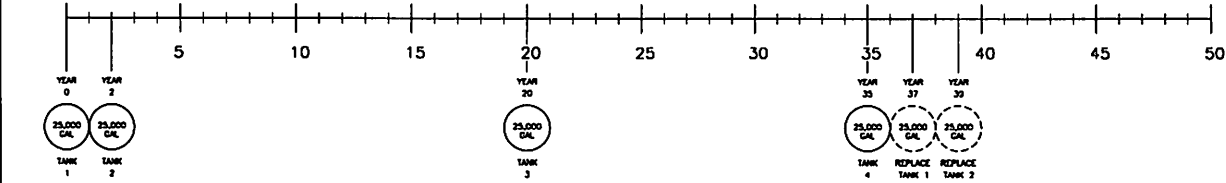
- 1) Complete steel tank, concrete foundation, roof, roof manway, gravity vent, bottom manway hatch, ladder & cage assembly, top manway platform, protective bolt caps, and installation costs are included in the manufacturers' quotations.
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- 3) Costs are based on June 1985, ENR Index = 5433.



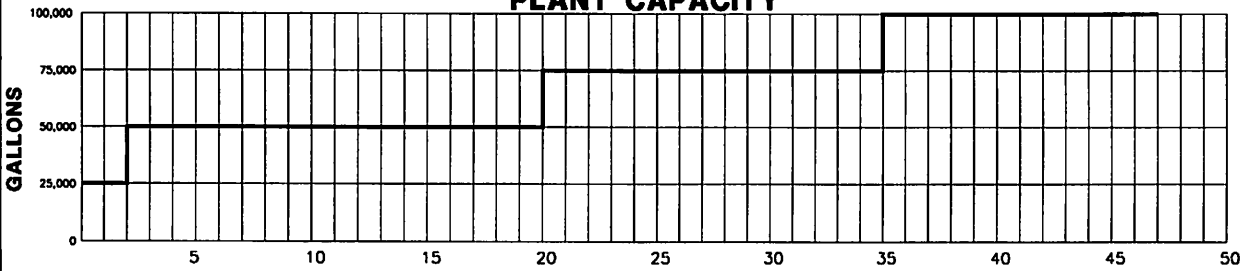
FACILITY DEMAND (25,000 TO 100,000 GPD) 3% GROWTH



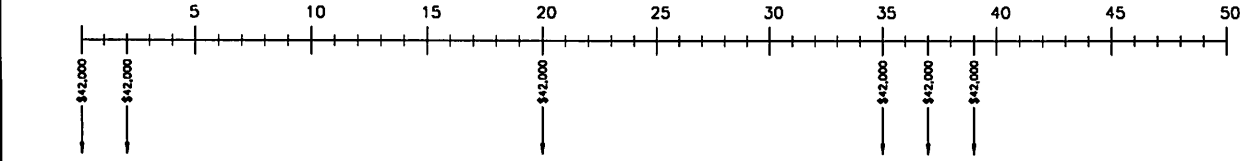
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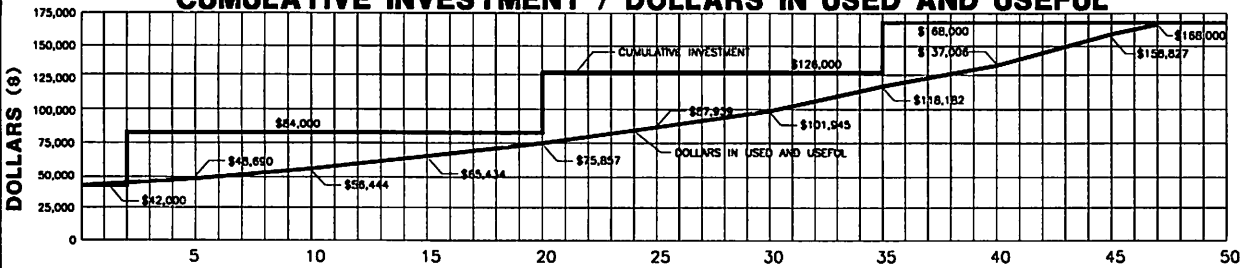
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CASH FLOW DIAGRAM (0% INFLATION)



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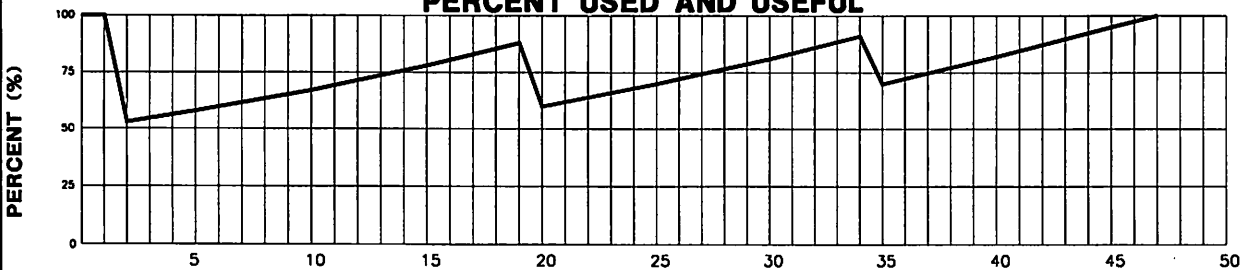


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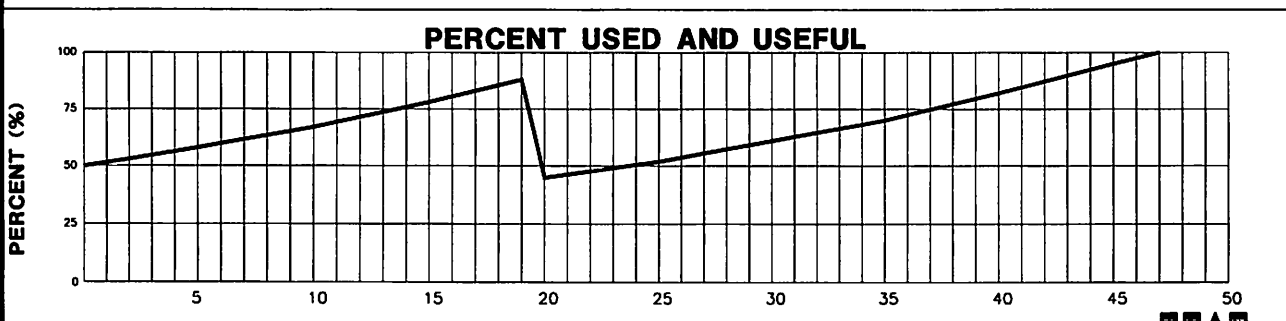
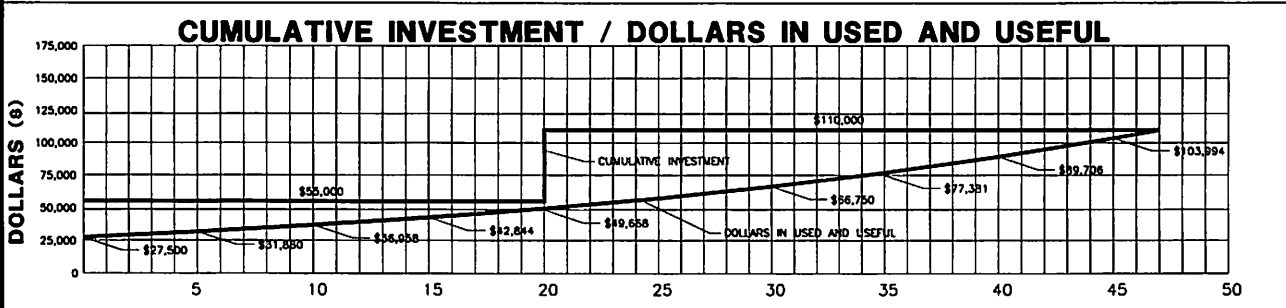
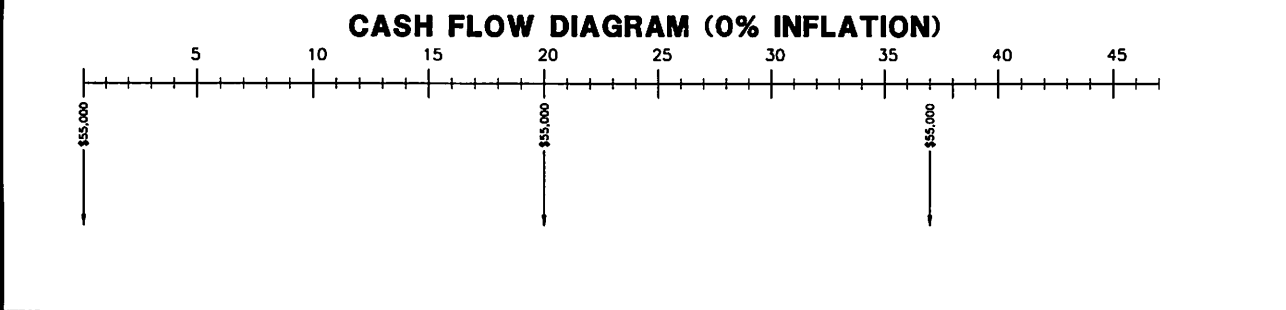
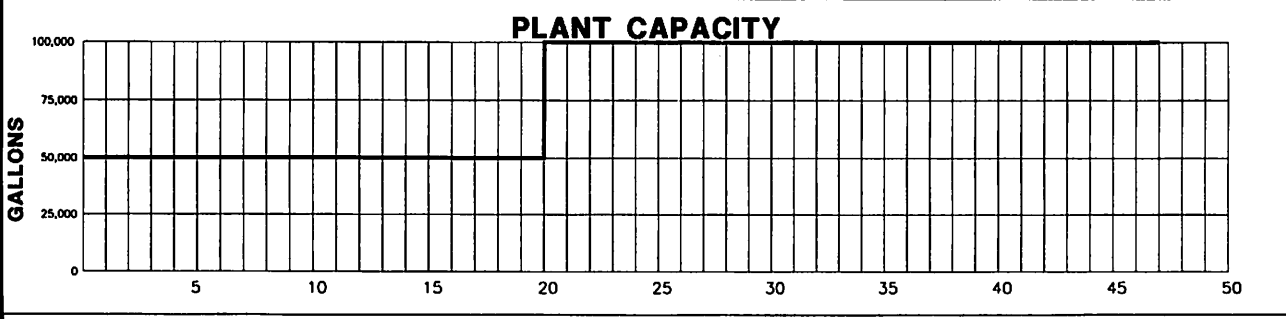
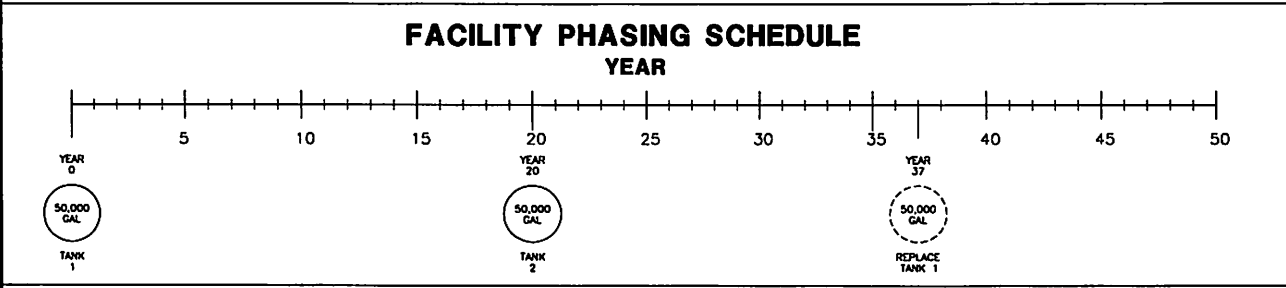
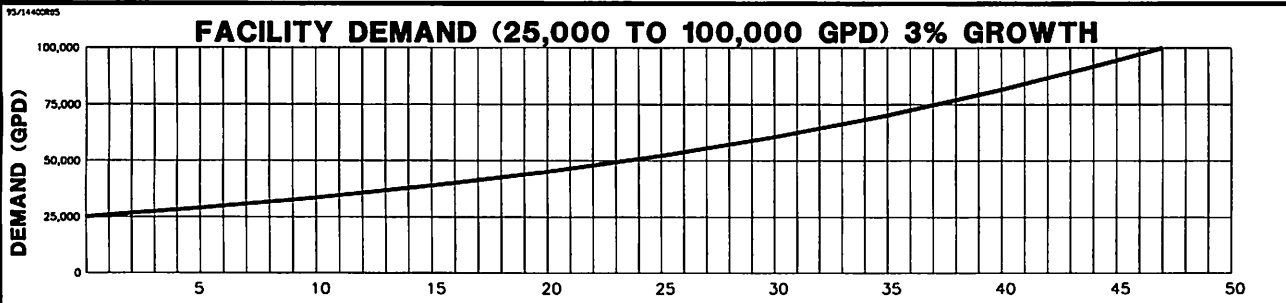
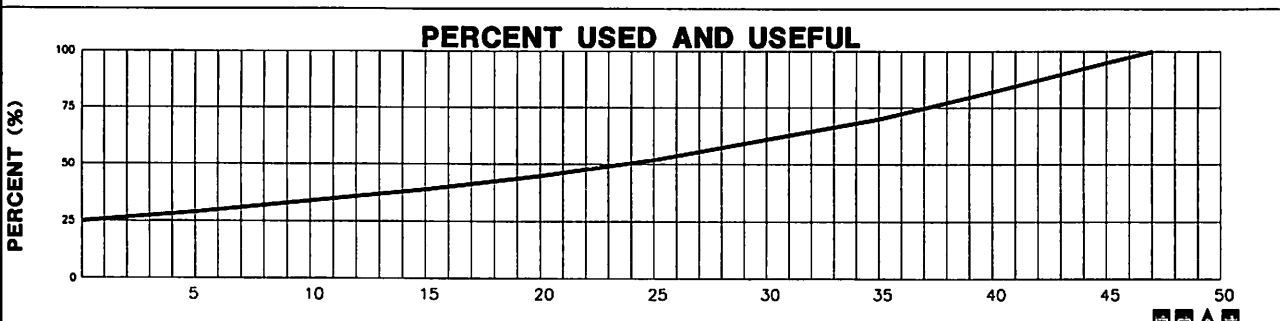
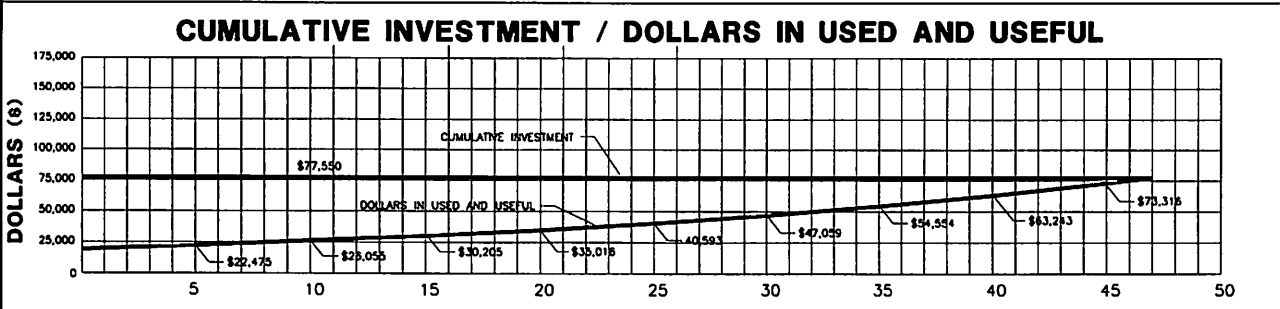
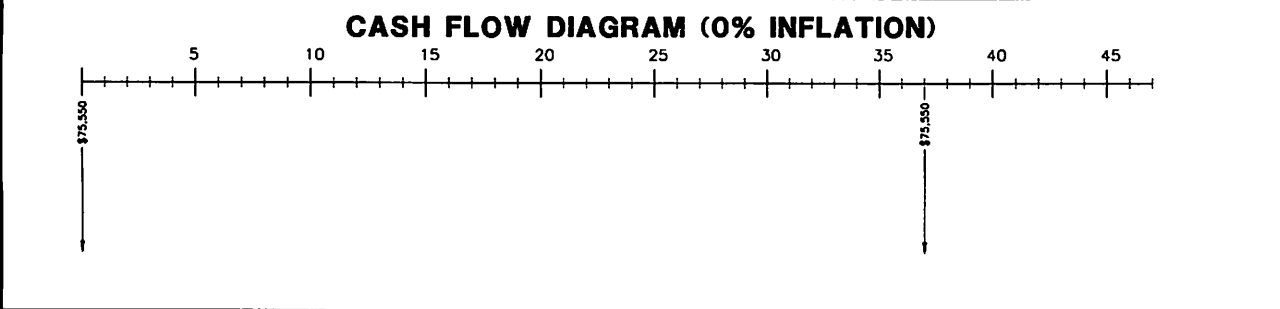
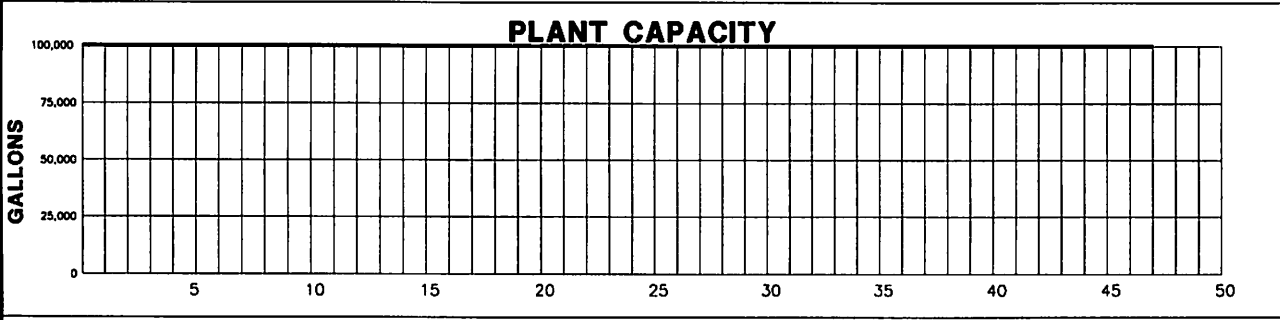
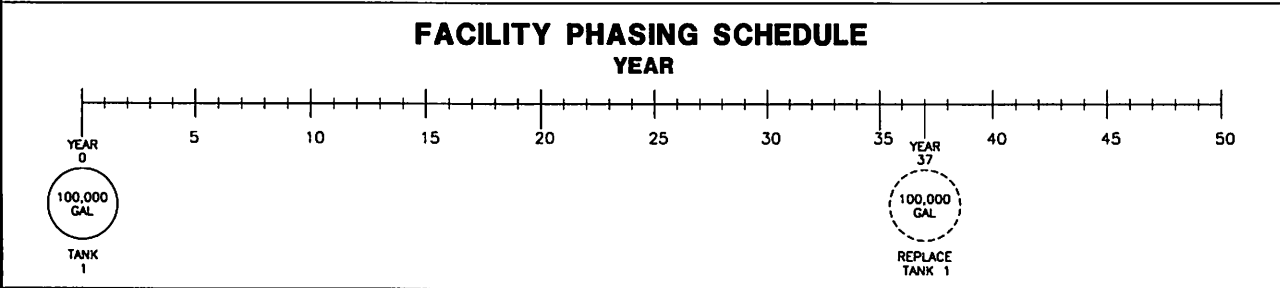
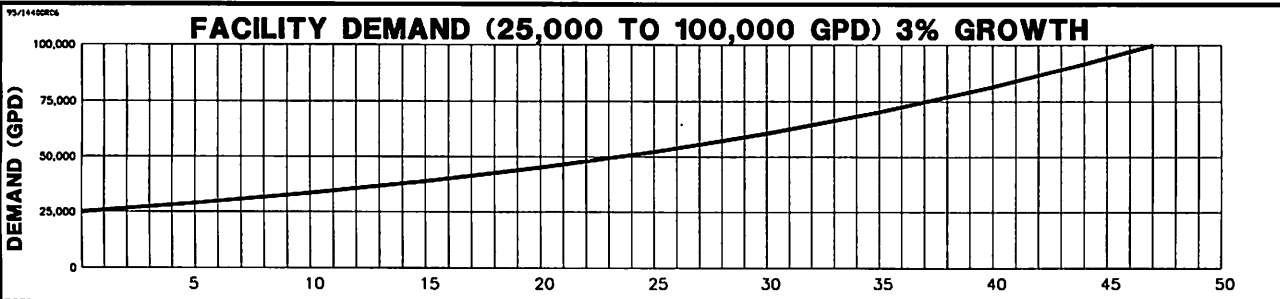
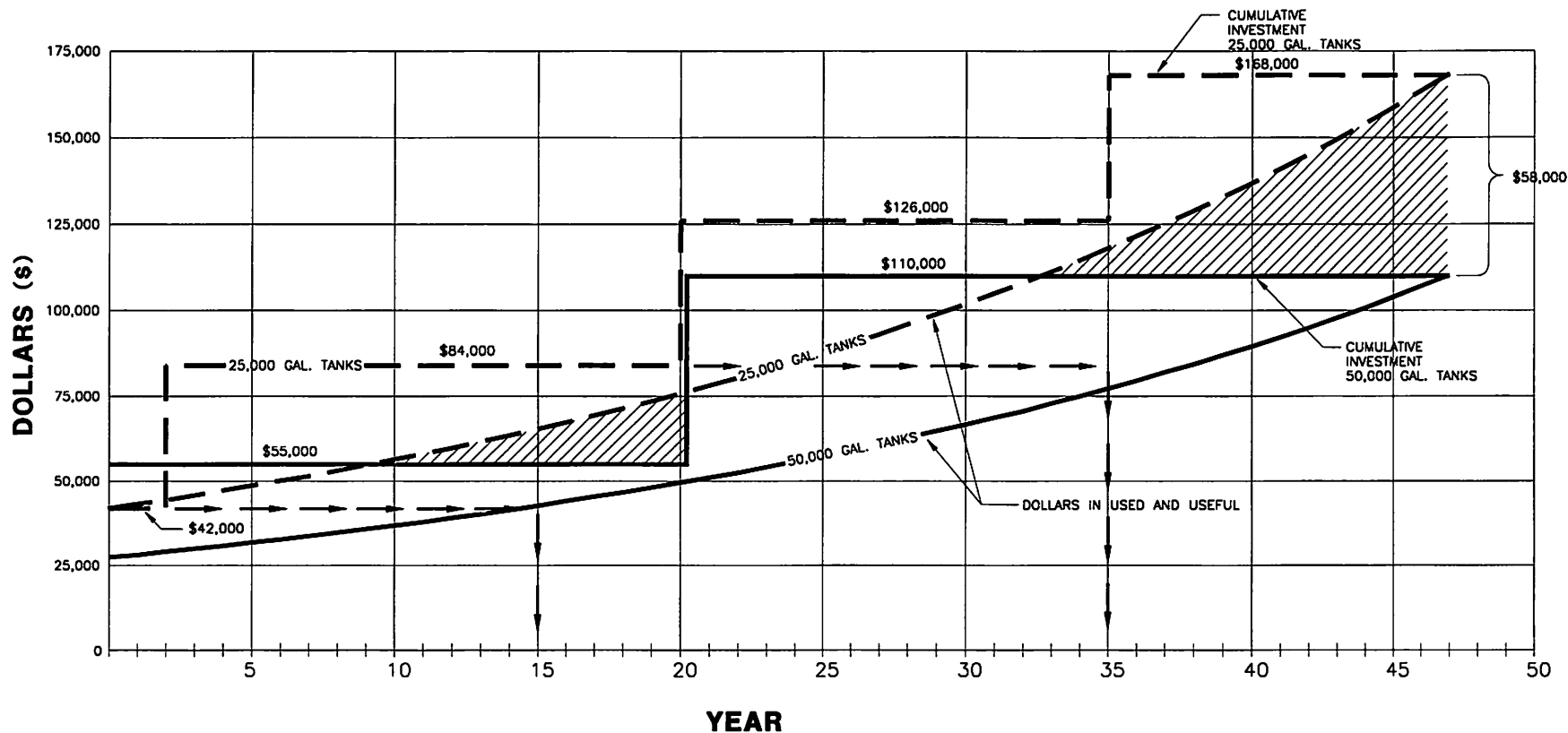


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NOTE: 3% GROWTH RATE
0% INFLATION



▪ POTENTIAL \$ SAVED BY USING 50,000 GAL. TANKS

EXHIBIT GCH-6

CUMULATIVE INVESTMENT / DOLLARS IN USED AND USEFUL
FOR EXPANSION WITH 25,000 GAL. TANKS AND 50,000 GAL. TANKS



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**COMMENTARY ON COMPARISON OF COST PER ERC
TABLES**

SUMMARY

THE FOLLOWING TWO TABLES SHOW THE CUSTOMER COST SAVINGS ON AN ERC BASIS RESULTING FROM EXPANSIONS MADE WITH LARGER, RATHER THAN SMALLER TANKS WHEN USED AND USEFUL EQUALS NEEDED CAPACITY DIVIDED BY TOTAL CAPACITY. THE FIRST TABLE SHOWS SAVINGS FROM 50,000 GPD TANK VERSUS 25,000 GPD TANK EXPANSIONS, ASSUMING 3% GROWTH AND 0% INFLATION. THE SECOND SHOWS SAVINGS FROM 25,000 GPD TANK VERSUS 100,000 GPD TANK EXPANSIONS, ASSUMING 10% GROWTH AND 0% INFLATION.

CONCLUSION

THE LARGE TANK ALTERNATIVES PRODUCE ANNUAL SAVINGS PER ERC OF 53% AND 117%, RESPECTIVELY.

**Comparison of Cost per ERC Based On
25,000 Gallon vs. 50,000 Gallon Tank Phasing Schedules – 0 % Inflation**

Year	Demand (gpd)	Number of ERC's (1)	25,000-gal Tank Phasing				50,000-gal Tank Phasing				Annual	
			Cumulative Investment	Percent Used and Useful	Dollars Used and Useful	Annual Cost per ERC (2)	Cumulative Investment	Percent Used and Useful	Dollars Used and Useful	Annual Cost per ERC (2)	Savings per ERC	Percent Savings
0	25,000	95	\$42,000	100.0%	\$42,000.00	\$53.05	\$55,000	50.0%	\$27,500.00	\$34.74	\$18.32	53%
1	25,750	98	\$42,000	103.0%	\$43,260.00	\$52.97	\$55,000	51.5%	\$28,325.00	\$34.68	\$18.29	53%
2	26,523	100	\$84,000	53.0%	\$44,557.80	\$53.47	\$55,000	53.0%	\$29,174.75	\$35.01	\$18.46	53%
3	27,318	103	\$84,000	54.6%	\$45,894.53	\$53.47	\$55,000	54.6%	\$30,049.99	\$35.01	\$18.46	53%
4	28,138	107	\$84,000	56.3%	\$47,271.37	\$53.01	\$55,000	56.3%	\$30,951.49	\$34.71	\$18.30	53%
5	28,982	110	\$84,000	58.0%	\$48,689.51	\$53.12	\$55,000	58.0%	\$31,880.04	\$34.78	\$18.34	53%
6	29,851	113	\$84,000	59.7%	\$50,150.20	\$53.26	\$55,000	59.7%	\$32,836.44	\$34.87	\$18.39	53%
7	30,747	116	\$84,000	61.5%	\$51,654.70	\$53.44	\$55,000	61.5%	\$33,821.53	\$34.99	\$18.45	53%
8	31,669	120	\$84,000	63.3%	\$53,204.34	\$53.20	\$55,000	63.3%	\$34,836.18	\$34.84	\$18.37	53%
9	32,619	124	\$84,000	65.2%	\$54,800.47	\$53.03	\$55,000	65.2%	\$35,881.26	\$34.72	\$18.31	53%
10	33,598	127	\$84,000	67.2%	\$56,444.49	\$53.33	\$55,000	67.2%	\$36,957.70	\$34.92	\$18.41	53%
11	34,606	131	\$84,000	69.2%	\$58,137.82	\$53.26	\$55,000	69.2%	\$38,066.43	\$34.87	\$18.39	53%
12	35,644	135	\$84,000	71.3%	\$59,881.96	\$53.23	\$55,000	71.3%	\$39,208.42	\$34.85	\$18.38	53%
13	36,713	139	\$84,000	73.4%	\$61,678.42	\$53.25	\$55,000	73.4%	\$40,384.68	\$34.86	\$18.38	53%
14	37,815	143	\$84,000	75.6%	\$63,528.77	\$53.31	\$55,000	75.6%	\$41,596.22	\$34.91	\$18.40	53%
15	38,949	148	\$84,000	77.9%	\$65,434.63	\$53.06	\$55,000	77.9%	\$42,844.10	\$34.74	\$18.32	53%
16	40,118	152	\$84,000	80.2%	\$67,397.67	\$53.21	\$55,000	80.2%	\$44,129.43	\$34.84	\$18.37	53%
17	41,321	157	\$84,000	82.6%	\$69,419.60	\$53.06	\$55,000	82.6%	\$45,453.31	\$34.74	\$18.32	53%
18	42,561	161	\$84,000	85.1%	\$71,502.19	\$53.29	\$55,000	85.1%	\$46,816.91	\$34.89	\$18.40	53%
19	43,838	166	\$84,000	87.7%	\$73,647.25	\$53.24	\$55,000	87.7%	\$48,221.42	\$34.86	\$18.38	53%
20	45,153	171	\$126,000	60.2%	\$75,856.67	\$53.23	\$110,000	45.2%	\$49,668.06	\$34.85	\$18.38	53%
21	46,507	176	\$126,000	62.0%	\$78,132.37	\$53.27	\$110,000	46.5%	\$51,158.10	\$34.88	\$18.39	53%
22	47,903	181	\$126,000	63.9%	\$80,476.34	\$53.35	\$110,000	47.9%	\$52,692.84	\$34.93	\$18.42	53%
23	49,340	187	\$126,000	65.8%	\$82,890.63	\$53.19	\$110,000	49.3%	\$54,273.63	\$34.83	\$18.36	53%
24	50,820	192	\$126,000	67.8%	\$85,377.35	\$53.36	\$110,000	50.8%	\$55,901.84	\$34.94	\$18.42	53%
25	52,344	198	\$126,000	69.8%	\$87,938.67	\$53.30	\$110,000	52.3%	\$57,578.89	\$34.90	\$18.40	53%
26	53,915	204	\$126,000	71.9%	\$90,576.83	\$53.28	\$110,000	53.9%	\$59,306.26	\$34.89	\$18.39	53%
27	55,532	210	\$126,000	74.0%	\$93,294.14	\$53.31	\$110,000	55.5%	\$61,085.45	\$34.91	\$18.40	53%
28	57,198	217	\$126,000	76.3%	\$96,092.96	\$53.14	\$110,000	57.2%	\$62,918.01	\$34.79	\$18.35	53%
29	58,914	223	\$126,000	78.6%	\$98,975.75	\$53.26	\$110,000	58.9%	\$64,805.55	\$34.87	\$18.39	53%
30	60,682	230	\$126,000	80.9%	\$101,945.02	\$53.19	\$110,000	60.7%	\$66,749.72	\$34.83	\$18.36	53%
31	62,502	237	\$126,000	83.3%	\$105,003.37	\$53.17	\$110,000	62.5%	\$68,752.21	\$34.81	\$18.36	53%
32	64,377	244	\$126,000	85.8%	\$108,153.48	\$53.19	\$110,000	64.4%	\$70,814.78	\$34.83	\$18.36	53%
33	66,308	251	\$126,000	88.4%	\$111,398.08	\$53.26	\$110,000	66.3%	\$72,939.22	\$34.87	\$18.39	53%
34	68,298	259	\$168,000	68.3%	\$114,740.02	\$53.16	\$110,000	68.3%	\$75,127.40	\$34.81	\$18.35	53%
35	70,347	266	\$168,000	70.3%	\$118,182.22	\$53.32	\$110,000	70.3%	\$77,381.22	\$34.91	\$18.41	53%
36	72,457	274	\$168,000	72.5%	\$121,727.69	\$53.31	\$110,000	72.5%	\$79,702.65	\$34.91	\$18.41	53%
37	74,631	283	\$168,000	74.6%	\$125,379.52	\$53.16	\$110,000	74.6%	\$82,093.73	\$34.81	\$18.35	53%
38	76,870	291	\$168,000	76.9%	\$129,140.91	\$53.25	\$110,000	76.9%	\$84,556.55	\$34.87	\$18.39	53%
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40	81,551	309	\$168,000	81.6%	\$137,005.59	\$53.21	\$110,000	81.6%	\$89,706.04	\$34.84	\$18.37	53%
41	83,997	318	\$168,000	84.0%	\$141,115.75	\$53.25	\$110,000	84.0%	\$92,397.22	\$34.87	\$18.38	53%
42	86,517	328	\$168,000	86.5%	\$145,349.23	\$53.18	\$110,000	86.5%	\$95,169.14	\$34.82	\$18.36	53%
43	89,113	338	\$168,000	89.1%	\$149,709.70	\$53.15	\$110,000	89.1%	\$98,024.21	\$34.80	\$18.35	53%
44	91,786	348	\$168,000	91.8%	\$154,201.00	\$53.17	\$110,000	91.8%	\$100,964.94	\$34.82	\$18.36	53%
45	94,540	358	\$168,000	94.5%	\$158,827.03	\$53.24	\$110,000	94.5%	\$103,993.89	\$34.86	\$18.38	53%
46	97,376	369	\$168,000	97.4%	\$163,591.84	\$53.20	\$110,000	97.4%	\$107,113.70	\$34.83	\$18.37	53%
47	100,000	379	\$168,000	100.3%	\$168,499.59	\$53.35	\$110,000	100.3%	\$110,327.11	\$34.93	\$18.42	53%

Notes :

- (1) Based on a average day unit demand of 264 gpd.
- (2) Calculated as follows : Cost per ERC = [(Dollars Used and Useful) * 0.12] / Number of ERC's.
(Assuming a 12 % rate of return with no adjustments made for taxes, etc.)

COMMENTARY ON PRESENT WORTH COSTS OF EXPANSIONS UNDER VARYING GROWTH AND ECONOMIC CONDITIONS

SUMMARY

THE FOLLOWING THREE PAGES OF FIGURES ILLUSTRATE THE PRESENT WORTH COSTS OF TANK EXPANSIONS ASSUMING DIFFERENT GROWTH RATES UNDER VARIOUS ECONOMIC CONDITIONS. EACH PAGE REFLECTS A DIFFERENT GROWTH RATE, 1%, 3% AND 5%, RESPECTIVELY. PRESENT WORTH VALUES ARE LISTED ACROSS THE BOTTOM OF EACH OF THE THREE FIGURES DISPLAYED ON A PAGE. THE PRESENT WORTH VALUES REPRESENT THE TOTAL COST TO THE UTILITY IN TODAY'S DOLLARS FOR INSTALLING STORAGE TANKS ONLY OF THE SIZE SHOWN IN THE ROW ABOVE PRESENT WORTH AND ASSUMING (1) THE ECONOMIC CONDITIONS OF THE TWO PRECEDING ROWS, AND (2) THE PHASING PARAMETERS AT THE TOP OF THE FIGURE, SUCH AS THE PROGRESSION FROM 25,000 GPD TO 100,000 GPD ON THE TOP FIGURE OF EACH PAGE. PRESENT WORTH VALUES VARY FROM ONE PAGE TO THE NEXT BECAUSE THE GROWTH RATES SPECIFIC TO EACH PAGE DICTATE THE TIMING OF THE TANK INSTALLATIONS. THE TANK PHASING OPTION WITH THE LOWEST TOTAL PRESENT WORTH ASSUMING THE CONDITIONS ABOVE IS ENCLOSED IN A BOX.

CONCLUSION

IN ALL CASES THE SMALLEST TANK ALTERNATIVE
PRODUCES THE HIGHEST PRESENT WORTH COST.

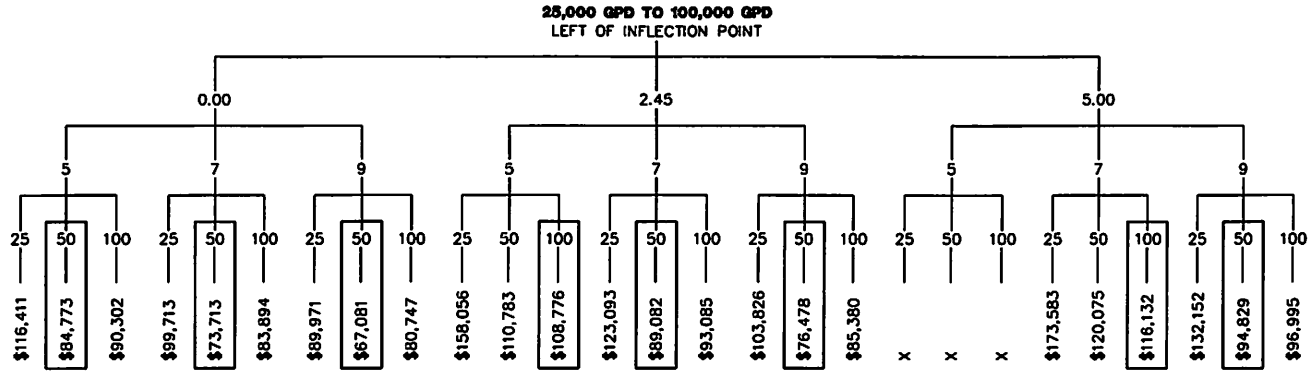
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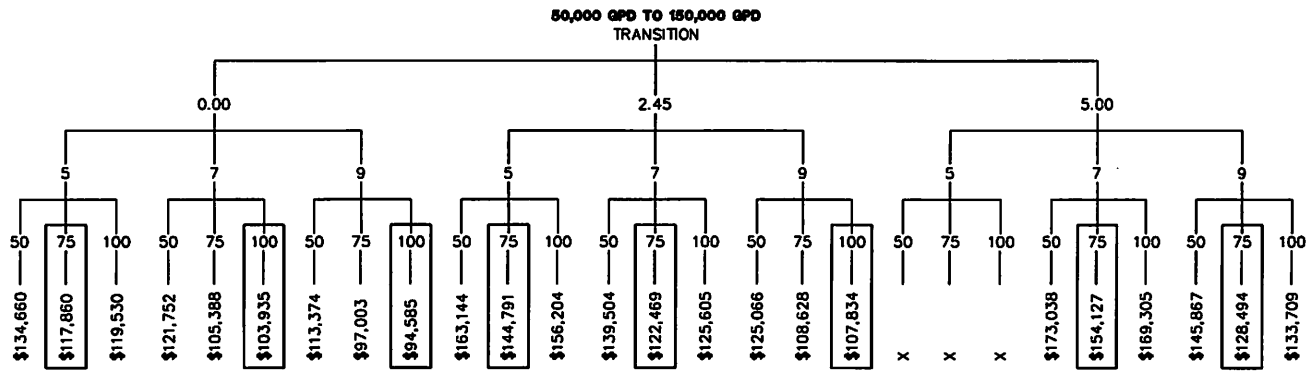
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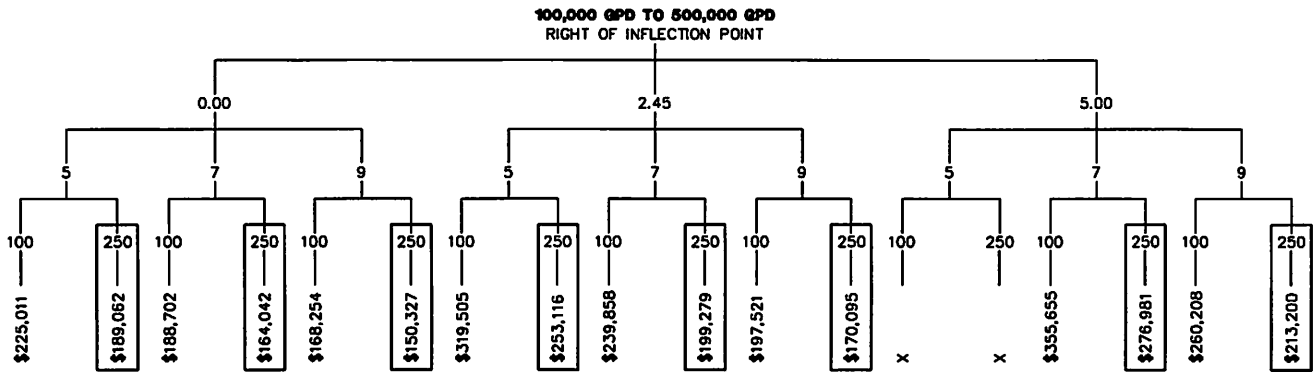
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- 2.03 Calculate maximum day demand to establish a maximum baseline for test year - $.55 \text{ GPM} \times 1000 \text{ ERC's} \times 960 = 528,000$ gal.
- 2.04 Calculate maximum day demand for 1 year's growth to determine need for expansion - $.55 \text{ GPM} \times 1300 \text{ ERC's} \times 960 = 686,400$ gal.
- 2.05 Calculate maximum hour demand (200% max. day) -
 $2.0 \times 528,000 = 1,056,000$ gal.
- 2.06 Calculate four hour peak demand -
 $1.1 \text{ GPM} \times 1000 \text{ ERC's} \times 240 \text{ min.} = 264,000$ gal.
- 2.07 Calculate four hour peak demand @ 1 year's growth
 $264,000 \times 130\% = 343,200$ gallons
- 2.08 Calculate four hour fire flow - Use 1250 GPM overriding 500 GPM - $1250 \text{ GPM} \times 240 \text{ Min.} = 300,000$ gal.
- 2.09 Determine total four hour peak demand
 Domestic peak demand - 264,000 gal.
 Four hour fire flow - 300,000 gal.
Assumed Utility Plant use - 20,000 gal.
 Maximum 4 hour peak demand- 584,000 gal.
- 2.10 Calculate Maximum high service @ 4 hour pumping rate
 $2100 \text{ GPM} \times 240 \text{ Min.} = 504,000$ gal.
- 2.11 Calculate 4 hour plant throughput
 $1.0 \text{ MGD} = 695 \text{ GPM} \times 240 \text{ Min.} = 166,800$ Gal.
- 2.12 Determine if 4 hour maximum is available
 Ground Storage - 1,000,000 gal.
Plant throughput - 166,800 gal.
 4 hr. total available water 1,166,800 gal.
- 2.13 Calculate 16 hour plant throughput
 $695 \text{ GPM} \times 960 \text{ Min.} = 667,200$ gal.
- 2.14 Determine if throughput and ground storage are sufficient for 16 hour demand -
 16 hr plant throughput - 667,200 gal.
Ground storage - 1,000,000 gal.
 16 hr total water avail. - 1,667,200 gal.
- 2.15 Determine if high service pumping is sufficient for 16 hour maximum and fire flow - 16 hr max. flow - $528,000 \div 960 \text{ min.} = 550 \text{ GPM}$
 Fire Flow = 1,250 GPM
Total pumping demand in 16 hr per. = 1,800 GPM

- 3.00 Actual usage from plant records - Max. day-May-finished water 617,000 gal.
- 3.01 ^{MIN} Max. Day - August - 168,000 Gal.
- 3.02 Calculate average day
Max. Column Total $4863 \div 12 = 405,000$ Gal.
- 3.03 Calculate Max. usage/ERC
 $617,000 \div 1000 \text{ ERC} = 617 \text{ Gal/Day}$
- 3.04 Calculate Min. usage/ERC
 $168,000 \div 1000 \text{ ERC} = 168 \text{ Gal/Day}$
- 3.05 Calculate average usage/ERC
 $405,000 \div 1000 \text{ ERC} = 405 \text{ Gal/Day}$
- 3.06 Calculate excess % of Max. Day over H/D allowable of 350 Gal.
 $617 - 350 = 267 \div 350 = 76\% \text{ More}$
- 3.07 Calculate excess % of average
 $405 - 350 = 55 \div 350 = 16\% \text{ more}$
- 3.08 1974 max. day - April - 1,101,000 Gal.
1974 Max. Day - July - 370,000 Gal.
- 3.09 1975 Max. Day - Feb. - 959,000 Gal.
1975 Max. Day - April - 245,000 Gal.
- 3.10 Calculate actual demand on system using average day of 405,000 Gal.
Max Day $225\% \times 405,000 = 911,250$ Gal.
- 3.11 10% Growth - $911,250 + 91125 = 1002375$
- 3.12 20% Contingency - Utility use, line Breaks Etc.
 $1002375 + 200475 = 1,202,850$
- 4.00 Conclusions and recommendations
- 4.01 Item 2.03 - Test year - Plant capacity is sufficient
.53 MGD \div 1.0 MG - 53% capacity
- 4.02 Item 2.04 - An expansion program is indicated
300 ERC's brings plant demand to 686,400 Gallons (Approx. 70%)
- 4.03 Item 2.09 and 2.12 four hour peak demand is within plant capability using ground storage - 584,000 gal. required vs 1,166,800 available
- 4.04 Item 2.10 and item 2.15 - High service pumping would be deficient at worst possible condition of a 4 hr peak domestic demand and fire flow, but is more than adequate for 16 hr. max. and fire flow - 1800 GPM demand vs 2100 GPM available - This is a very flexible pump combination.
- 4.05 Items 2.10 and 2.12 - Plant throughput and ground storage suffi-

cient for 16 hour demand by a comfortable margin - 1,188,000 gal. demand vs 1,667,200 gal. available.

4.06 There is an apparent excess of ground storage capacity, however, with the "economy of size" concept, the capacity was doubled for approximately 25% more cost.

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M E M O R A N D U M

November 14, 1982

TO : DALE A. KNAPP, DIRECTOR, WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT
FROM: J. O. COLLIER, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR, WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT
RE : USED AND USEFUL DETERMINATIONS - WATER AND SEWER CASES
PROJECT WE-81-11-012

Our most recent research and restudy of the used and useful determinations made in water and sewer cases is complete.

The result is a composition of methodology and standards. This composition is intended to guide each person making a used and useful determination in a professional and consistent manner. It is proposed that the resultants from the engineer's used and useful calculations be noted on pre-prepared data sheets and presented with each docketed case. These data sheets will provide a clear accountability for the key computations and adjustments made as a result of the computations.

The Florida Waterworks Association has expressed a desire to participate in discussions of this subject with the Commissioners when it is scheduled for their consideration.

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Attachments

USED AND USEFUL DETERMINATIONS IN WATER AND SEWER CASESINTRODUCTION

The Commissioners, in considering water and sewer cases at agenda conferences, have voiced concern over the seeming lack of consistency in used and useful computations. Several attempts were made to clarify individual measurement terms used that were confusing to the Commissioners and the Administrative staff.

A presentation was made by the Water and Sewer staff at the May 3, 1982 Internal Affairs conference with the Commissioners. This meeting clearly brought to light the ambiguities that the Commissioners were facing in understanding the methodology used in making used and useful determinations.

This Internal Affairs conference served well to identify those specific concerns and to provide guidance in our efforts to design an understandable working formula in determining used and useful plant for rate-making purposes.

The Commissioners have expressed a desire for a "formula". Naturally we all visualize a formula as a fixed procedure with little or no room for flexibility which is so necessary in used and useful determinations.

We have interpreted the need of a formula to be a requirement to establish and identify key standards applied in used and useful determinations. These standards are expected to be constant and utilized in a step by step manner so that any necessary deviation can be readily recognizable and properly judged by the Commissioners.

To solidify these standards and avoid future conflicts we have thoroughly researched those that are proposed to be utilized with the Department of Environmental Regulation and the Florida Waterworks Association. This will assure consistency and less variables in used and useful determinations.

An identifiable basis and legal authority should be established. This we have provided through research and interpretation of applicable law and rules and regulations.

METHODOLOGY

The engineering investigation develops the necessary information used in making the used and useful determinations. The steps taken in this process are as follows:

- 1) Accomplish a complete evaluation and inventory of plant and system components.
- 2) Make a study of the service area, numbers and types of customers.
- 3) Make a comprehensive review and analysis of plant operational data.
- 4) Make an evaluation of the capacity of the existing plant and system.
- 5) Make an economy of scale and prudence determination regarding the design and construction of the plant and system.
- 6) Complete a study of the past and future utility customer growth.

Having completed these essential actions the Engineer should have all of the necessary information upon which to base his conclusions and computations. The standards used in applying and measuring this information are listed later in this document.

A single formula which would be totally usable in all cases is not feasible as we previously mentioned. However, a very simplified formula is noted here to illustrate the functions of key considerations in determining the percentage of a plant or system to be used and useful.

TREATMENT PLANT FORMULA

Components

- 1) Capacity of plant in gallons per day
- 2) Maximum daily flow in test year in gallons per day
- 3) Average daily flow in test year in gallons per day
- 4) Fire flow requirements in test year in gallons per day
- 5) Margin reserve in gallons per day
- 6) Excessive infiltration or excessive unaccounted for water in gallons per day

Formula - Water Plant - $\frac{[(2 + 5) + 4] - 6}{1} = \% \text{ used and useful}$

Formula - Sewage Treatment Plant - $\frac{(3 + 5) - 6}{1} = \% \text{ used and useful}$

Note: Gallons per day shall be expressed in thousands

Water Transmission or Sewage Collection System Formula

Components

- 1) Capacity of system in ERCs
- 2) Number of connections during test year in ERCs
- 3) Margin reserve in ERCs

Formula

$$\frac{2 + 3}{1} = \% \text{ used and useful}$$

Note: ERCs = Equivalent Residential Connections

It should be noted that in some cases this percentage would not apply to all of the NARUC accounts covering plant and systems. Some plant components are not capacity oriented and therefore would be 100% used and useful. Therefore, the Engineer will designate those accounts that are 100% and justify this reasoning.

Attached are data sheets which would show the final computations for used and useful. They would be available to be included with staff recommendations for agendas.

STANDARDS

The standards used must be consistent in use and set in quality. Consistency will facilitate identification of variances when required. Definitive standards insure fairness and quality of determinations.

All of the standards utilized are arranged in an alphabetical glossary for reference. Selected critical and most readily used standards are mentioned as follows:

1. AVERAGE DAILY FLOW - An average of the daily flows during the peak usage month during the test year. Care should be exercised to be sure the flow data is not influenced by abnormal infiltration due to rainfall periods.
2. CAPACITY 1) General - The quantity that can be contained exactly, or the rate of flow that can be carried exactly. The load for which a machine, apparatus, station or system is rated.
2) Treatment Plants - The hydraulic rated capacity expressed in "thousands gallons per day".
3) "Water Distribution and Sewage Collections Systems" - The capacity in terms of ability to serve a designated number of Equivalent Residential Connections. The capacity then can be related to actual connected density in terms of ERCs.
3. EQUIVALENT RESIDENTIAL CONNECTION - A basic design criteria tool. Based on 100 gallons per day per person. A single family connection is considered to serve 3.5 persons @ 100 gpcd which makes the ERC equate to 350 gallons per day. Other types

of connections have different flow characteristics and can be equated to ERC Equivalencies. For example:

	<u>ERC EQUIVALENTS</u>		
Single Family	1.0	@	350 GPD
Duplex or Triplex	0.86	@	300 GPD
Townhouse	0.86	@	300 GPD
Mobile Home	0.86	@	300 GPD
Apartment	0.71	@	250 GPD

- 4. FIRE FLOW CAPABILITY - A recognition of the utilities' ability to furnish fire protection for their customers' general protection. The standards will be those as set by the Insurance Service Organization or by a governmental agency ordinance. The minimum standards to date are 500 gpm in residential areas for a two hour period or 1500 gpm for a four hour period when customers are a mix of residential and sizeable commercial connections. Higher standards can prevail in higher density conditions.

Fire-flow capabilities are usually calculated over and above maximum daily requirements. Therefore, any water system that provides fire protection capacity over and above maximum daily consumptive needs should be reimbursed for the cost of the excess capacity, which it cannot use for the sale of revenue producing water. The excess capacity is determined from the formula; water supply capacity - Maximum Daily Consumption Rate.

Note: The excess capacity for fire capability shall not exceed the needed fire flow requirements.

5. INFILTRATION - The quantity of groundwater that leaks into a pipe through joints, porous walls or breaks. This amount is measured above the peak sanitary flows. Sanitary sewers are designed to carry unavoidable amounts of groundwater infiltration or seepage in addition to the peak sanitary flows. Infiltration specifications are generally in the range of 250 to 500 gallons per day/inch diameter/mile. The standard reference used is Water Pollution Control Federation Manual or Practi

No. 9 entitled "Design and Construction of Sanitary and Storm Sewers". This is a joint preparation of the NPCF and the American Society of Civil Engineers.

6. MARGIN RESERVE - A proportionate share of the existing treatment facilities or water distribution system or sewage collection system. This share is intended to afford the utility the ability to accept additional connections as noted in 367.111. Plants cannot be constructed rapidly and economically to always just have the capacity to serve only the test year customers. There will more often always be some excess capacity available.

Margin reserve is to recognize an appropriate and fair amount of "readiness to serve capacity" and not to unjustly burden the existing customers with an unnecessary amount of excess plant in rate base.

To determine margin reserve the yearly growth rate in ERCs is averaged for the most recent 5 year period. A construction period necessary to add capacity to the existing facilities is established. Then the growth rate in ERCs for the construction period is developed as the margin reserve. A representative construction period is 18 months for an average treatment plant and 12 months for collection and distribution systems but can vary depending on many facets to be considered by the Engineer. Generally margin reserve should not be permitted to exceed 15-20% of plant serving existing customers.

7. MAXIMUM DAILY FLOW - An average of the 5 days with the highest pumpage rate from the month with the highest pumpage rate during the test year. These five days should be verified against fire, line breaks or other unusual occurrences that would effect the pumpage rate.
8. PRUDENCE - Care, caution and good judgment as well as wisdom in looking ahead. Examples of an imprudent investments in water or sewer facilities would be:
- Economies of scale were not considered
 - Present customers would be burdened for considerable future periods
 - Mismanagement of construction
 - Improper engineering input
 - Excessive construction costs

UNACCOUNTED-FOR-WATER - Water that is taken from a source into a distribution system which is not delivered to the customers or otherwise accounted for.

The proper amount of unaccounted-for-water in any given system is a function of that system alone. A fair average of unaccounted-for-water might be 10-20 percent for full metered systems with good meter maintenance programs and average conditions of service.

The standard reference used is American Waterworks Association Manual No. 8 entitled "Water Distribution Training Course".

Note: All technical terms used in the used and useful determinations will adhere to the Glossary, Water and Wastewater Control Engineering. This Glossary is a joint publication of the American Public Health Association, American Society of Civil Engineers, American Waterworks Association and Water Pollution Control Federation. This will insure consistency in terminology and definition.

CONSIDERATIONS IN EVALUATING PLANTS AND SYSTEMS

Preparing to apply the aforementioned criteria and formula to a used and useful conclusion will require a considerable amount of technical judgment and appraisal. The following are items to be considered during the Engineer's evaluation of data and utility systems.

- 1) Design criteria imposed by the State, Local and Federal Regulatory Agencies.
- 2) The requirements of the community to meet the needs of the public for safe, adequate, sufficient, responsive and economic service to serve all those that apply.

Such factors shall include but not be limited to peak demands, fire flows, connection to regional systems, sizes of mains, type of construction, pollution control, air and ground and service waters, availability of service and any other demand of the community affecting the utility.

- 3) Regulatory requirements for standby wells, emergency power and other standby facilities should be considered used and useful.
- 4) Any facility required to be installed by a regulatory agency other than lines

- required by real estate regulatory agencies, should be considered used and useful.
- 5) Actual operating data shall be utilized in computations when available and reliable. Accepted design criteria shall be used in the absence of experienced, historical data.
 - 6) Marginal reserves should be determined on a case by case basis considering all the factors of community needs, lead time for managerial decisions, engineering, construction and regulatory approvals.
 - 7) The utility should have capacities sufficient to allow for down time for maintenance of portions of its plant.
 - 8) Seasonal variations should be taken into account for population changes, occupancy rates, infiltration or usage variations.
 - 9) Safe withdrawal levels from water wells for prevention of salt water intrusion and all other safe well levels of operation shall be considered.
 - 10) When determining required storage capacity consideration should be given to peak hour and fire flow requirements.
 - 11) An economy of scale cost determination should be made and compared to hydraulic share cost allocation.
 - 12) A formula for the very small systems is often very difficult or impossible to apply. It requires a great amount of flexibility to develop reasonable allocations which will result in reasonable rates to the customers.

CONCLUSIONS

The sole purpose of this presentation is to provide standards and formulization for an engineering determination. There will no doubt be cases where other rate-making philosophies and concepts will be considered. None of these have been considered here because the variables that would be involved are too numerous.

Application of these foregoing standards and methodology will provide for a consistent and equitable engineering evaluation of the plant and system necessary to render safe and efficient service to the utility's customers.

WATER TREATMENT PLANT

USED AND USEFUL DATA

Docket No. _____ Utility _____ Date _____

- 1) Capacity of Plant _____ gallons per day
- 2) Maximum Daily Flow _____ gallons per day
- 3) Average Daily Flow _____ gallons per day
- 4) Fire Flow Capacity _____ gallons per day
 - a) Needed Fire Flow _____ gallons per day
- 5) Margin Reserve _____ gallons per day
 *Not to exceed 20% of present customers

a) Test Year Customers in ERC's - Begin _____ End _____ Av. _____

b) Average Yearly Customer Growth in ERC's For Most Recent 5 Years Including Test Year _____ ERC's

c) Construction Time for Additional Capacity _____ Years

(b) x (c) x $\left[\frac{2}{(a)} \right]$ = _____ gallons per Day Margin Reserve

6) Excessive Unaccounted for Water _____ gallons per day

- a) Total Amount _____ gallons per day _____ % of Av. Daily Flow
- b) Reasonable Amount _____ gallons per day _____ % of Av. Daily Flow
- c) Excessive Amount _____ gallons per day _____ % of Av. Daily Flow

PERCENT USED AND USEFUL FORMULA

$\frac{(2 + 5) + 4a}{6} - 6 =$ _____ % Used and Useful

WATER DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM

USED AND USEFUL DATA

Docket No. _____ Utility _____ Date _____

- 1) Capacity _____ ERC's (Number of potential customers without expansion)
 - 2) Number of Test Year Connections _____ ERC's
 - a) Begin Test Year _____ ERC's
 - b) End Test Year _____ ERC's
 - c) Average Test Year _____ ERC's
 - 3) Margin Reserve _____ ERC's
 - *Not to exceed 20% of present customers
 - a) Average Yearly Customer Growth in ERC's for Most Recent 5 Years Including Test Year _____ ERC's
 - b) Construction Time for Additional Capacity _____ Years
- (a) x (b) = _____ ERC's Margin Reserve

PERCENT USED AND USEFUL FORMULA

$$\frac{2 + 3}{1} = \text{_____} \% \text{ Used and Useful}$$

_____ Engineer

SEWER TREATMENT PLANT

USED AND USEFUL DATA

Docket No. _____ Utility _____ Date _____

- 1) Capacity of Plant _____ gallons per day
- 2) Maximum Daily Flow _____ gallons per day
- 3) Average Daily Flow _____ gallons per day
- 4) Fire Flow Requirements NOT APPLICABLE gallons per day
- 5) Margin Reserve _____ gallons per day
*Not to exceed 20% of present customers

- a) Test Year Customers in ERC's - Begin _____ End _____ Av. _____
- b) Average Yearly Customers Growth in ERC's For Most Recent 5 Years Including Test Year _____ ERC's
- c) Construction Time for Additional Capacity _____ Years

(b) x (c) x $\left[\frac{3}{(a)} \right]$ = _____ gallons per day

- 6) Excessive Infiltration _____ gallons per day
 - a) Total Amount _____ gallons per day _____ % of Av. Daily Flow
 - b) Reasonable Amount _____ gallons per day _____ % of Av. Daily Flow
 - c) Excessive Amount _____ gallons per day _____ % of Av. Daily Flow

PERCENT USED AND USEFUL FORMULA

$\frac{(3) + (5)}{1} - 6 =$ _____ % Used and Useful

Engineer

SEWAGE COLLECTION SYSTEM

USED AND USEFUL DATA

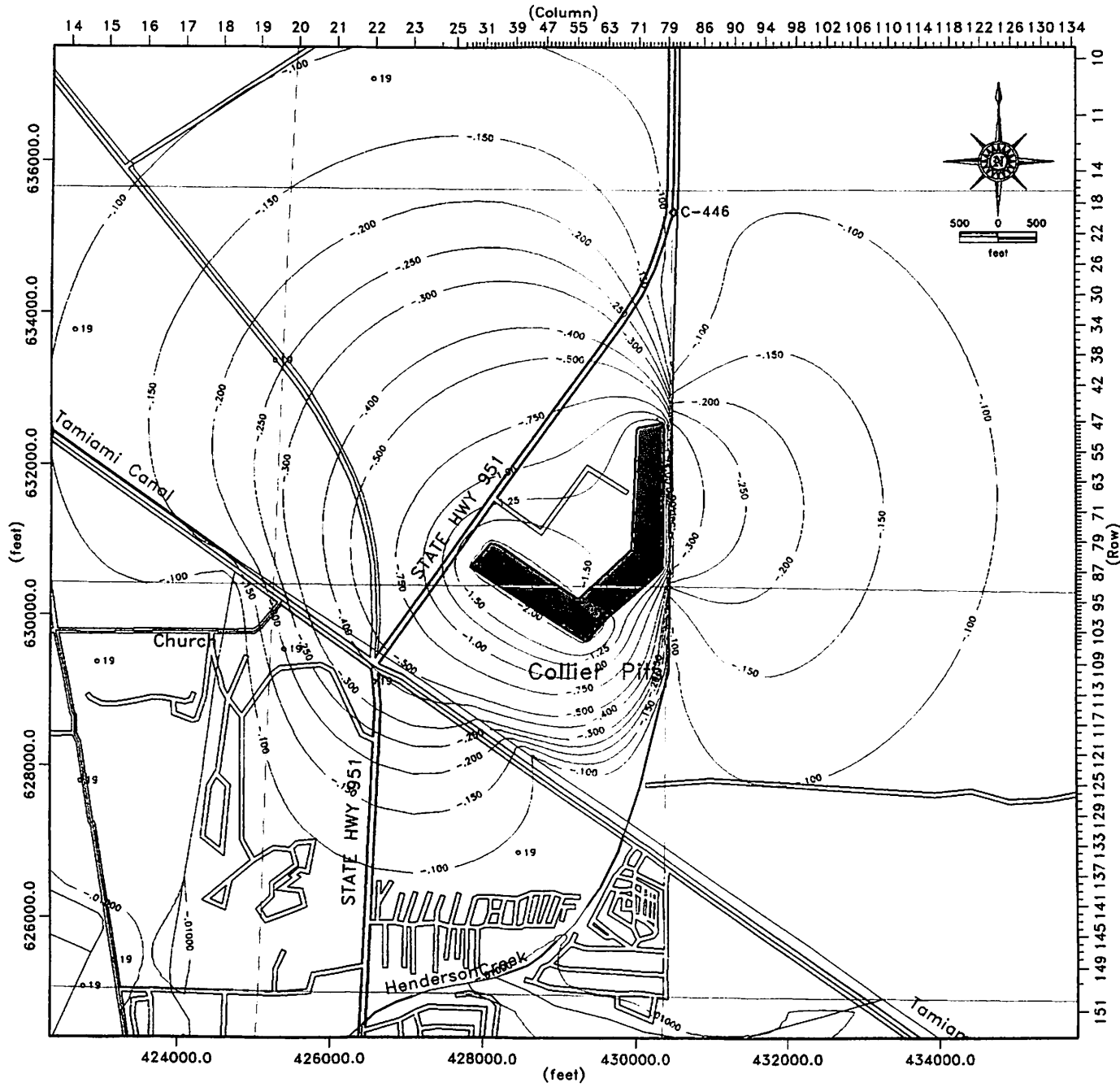
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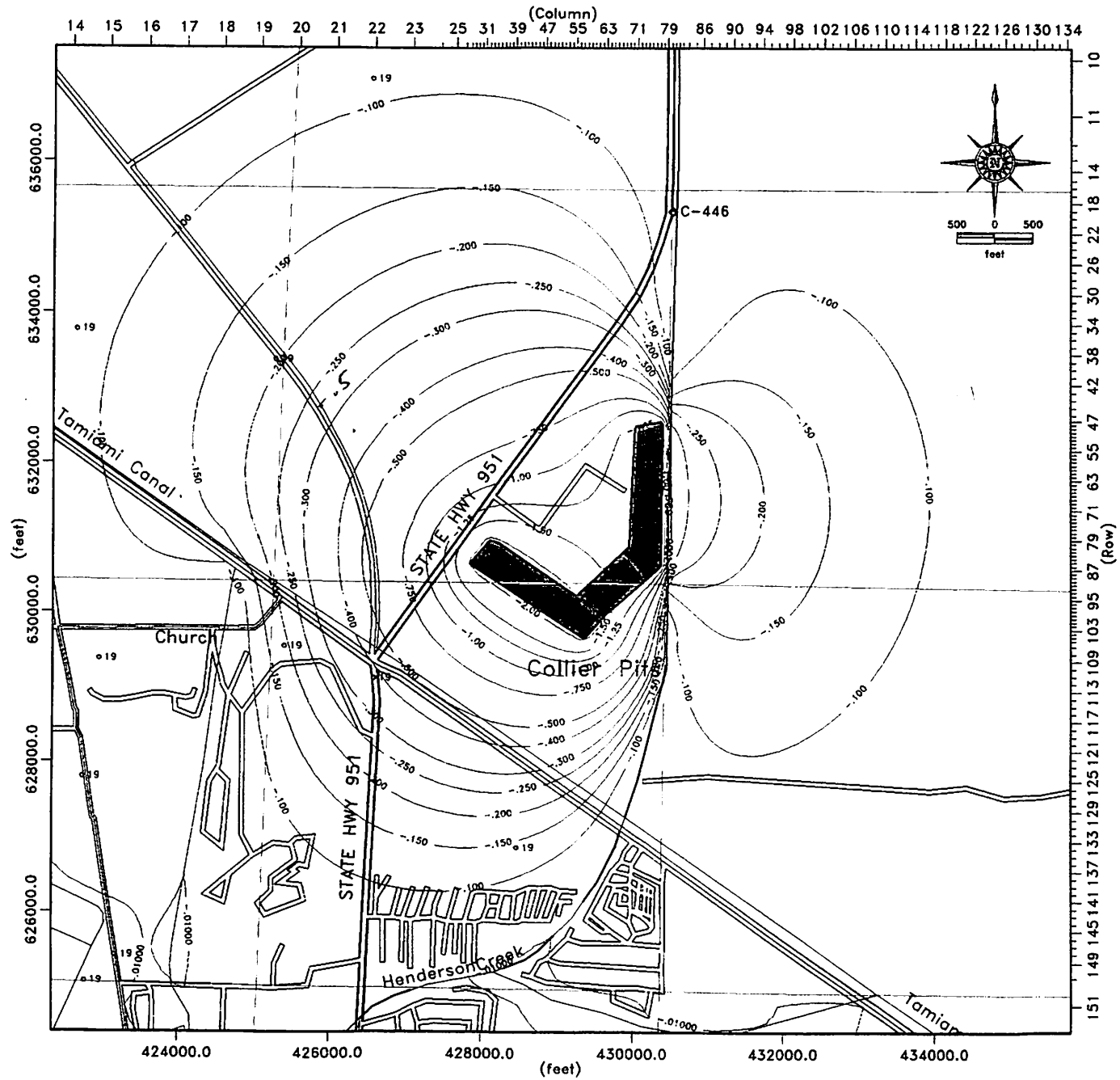
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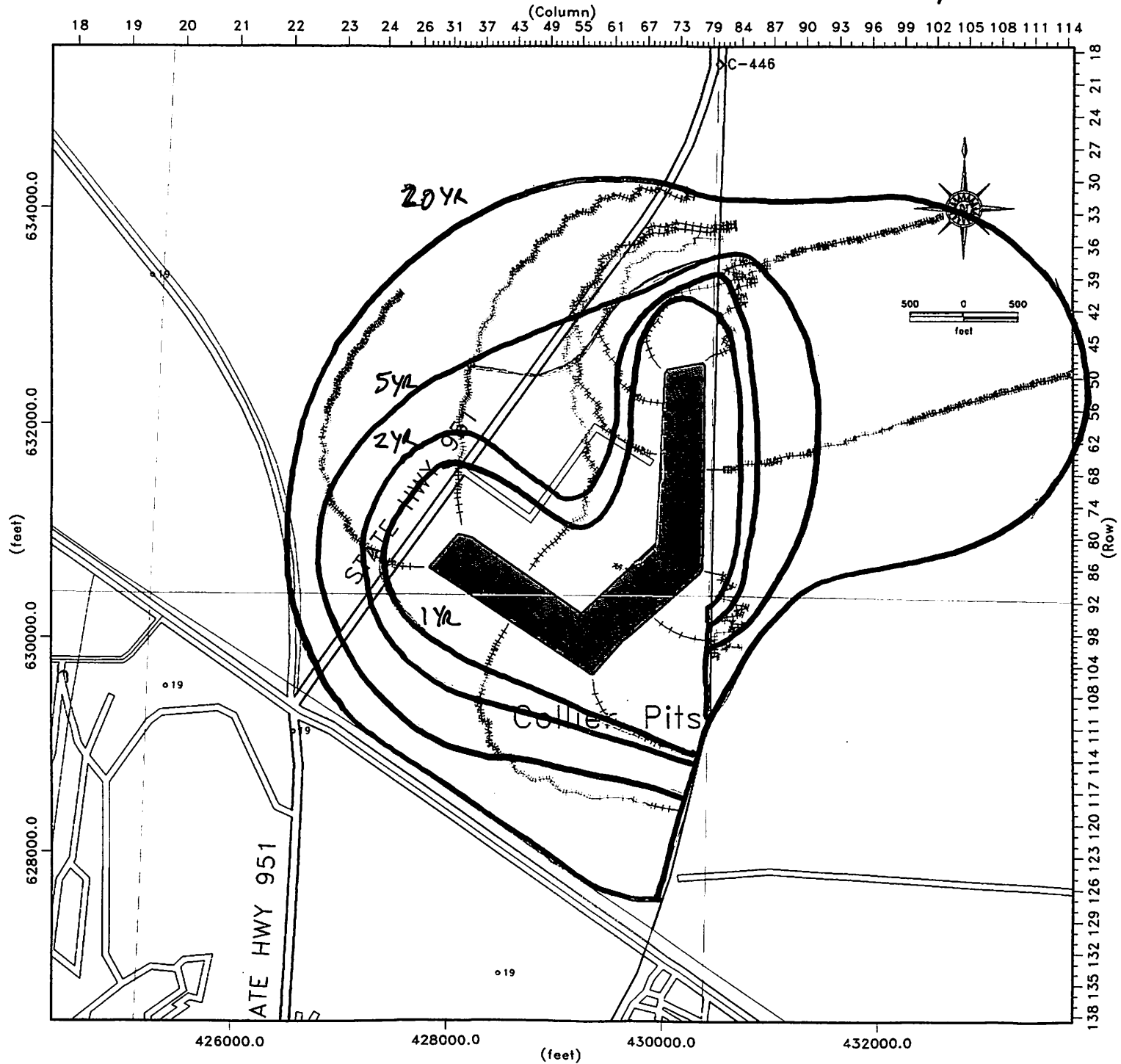
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Drawdown at 3.9 MGD During Wet Month



CAPTURE ZONES: 1YR, 2YR, 5YR, 20YR



Brian Armstrong, Esquire
July 20, 1995
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In addition, the previous FPSC rate case found that the supply facilities were 100 percent used and useful. If the same functional use was maintained, then it is highly probable that the acquired property would also be 100 percent used and useful.

The Company condemned the property underlying the water supply facilities. In the course of the process, it was learned that the Colliers were claiming extensive damages and costs. The valuation, interim use, damages and costs were addressed by the Company's special counsel, appraisers and experts.

The settlement reached attains the goal of securing the raw water supply for the Company and provides reasonable terms and conditions which may not otherwise have been obtained.

I expect that the appraisers will provide to you the reasonableness of the purchase price and the attorneys the reasonableness of the acquisition costs. Our firm believes that the terms and conditions negotiated are superior to those anticipated as a result of litigation, and from an engineering and viability standing, the source of supply acquired is the optimal long-term source for SSU's Marco Island customer base, given the limited alternatives. Moreover, the annual resource lease cost is eliminated.

If you desire any other assistance in this regard, please do not hesitate to call us.

Very truly yours,

Hartman & Associates, Inc.



Gerald C. Hartman, P.E.
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