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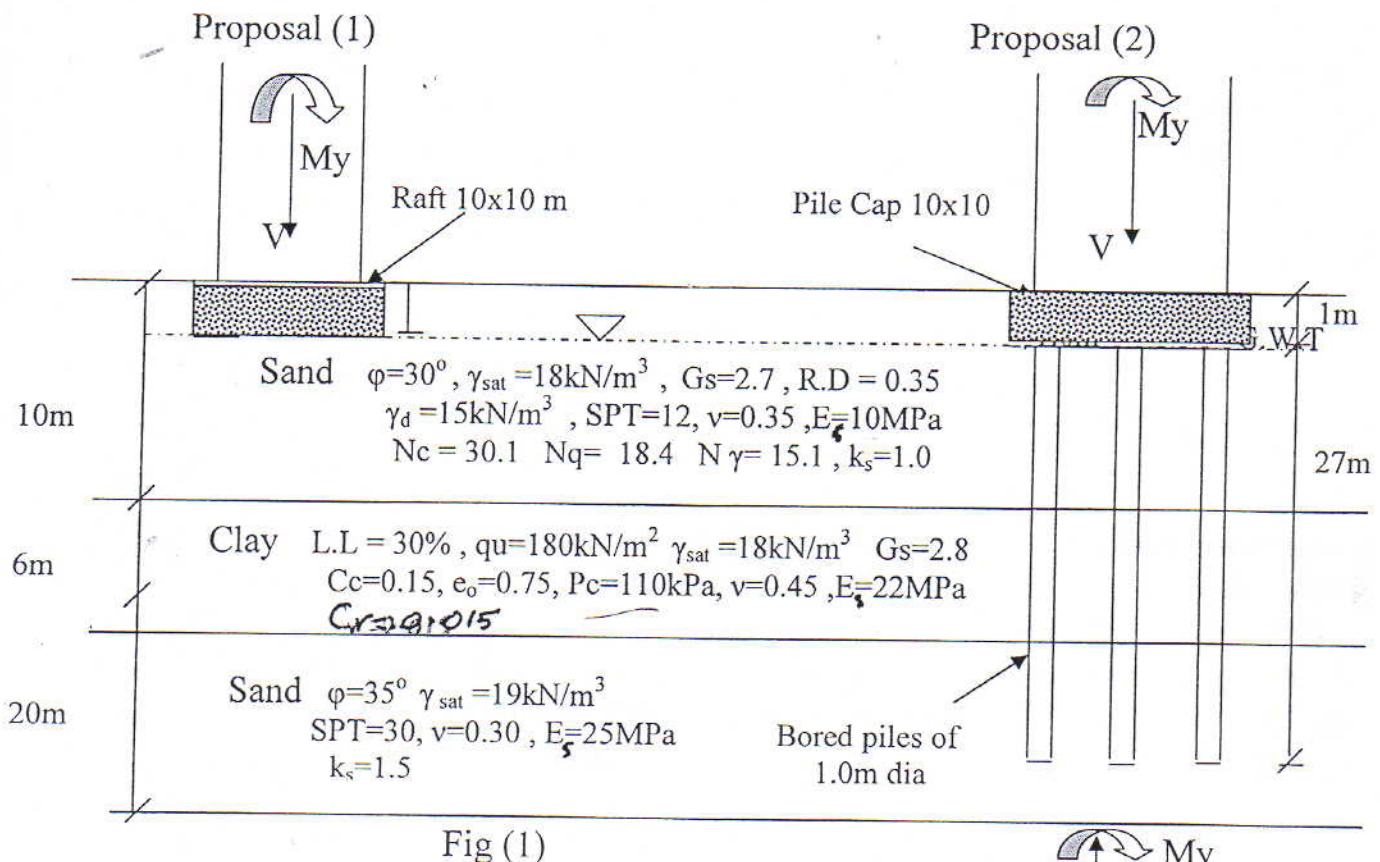
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Note: Attempt ( 4 ) Questions only

Q1- For the structure of the grain silo shown in figure (1), two proposals for its foundation are presented.

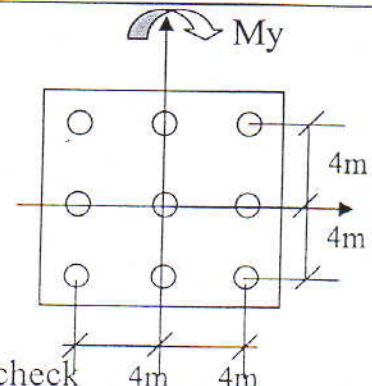
For a F.S =3 and an allowable settlement of 20mm. Check the suitability of foundation in terms of bearing capacity and settlement for proposal (1). (25 Marks)



If  $V = 15000 \text{ kN}$

$M_y = 30000 \text{ kN.m}$

Note : Weight of foundation or cap neglected

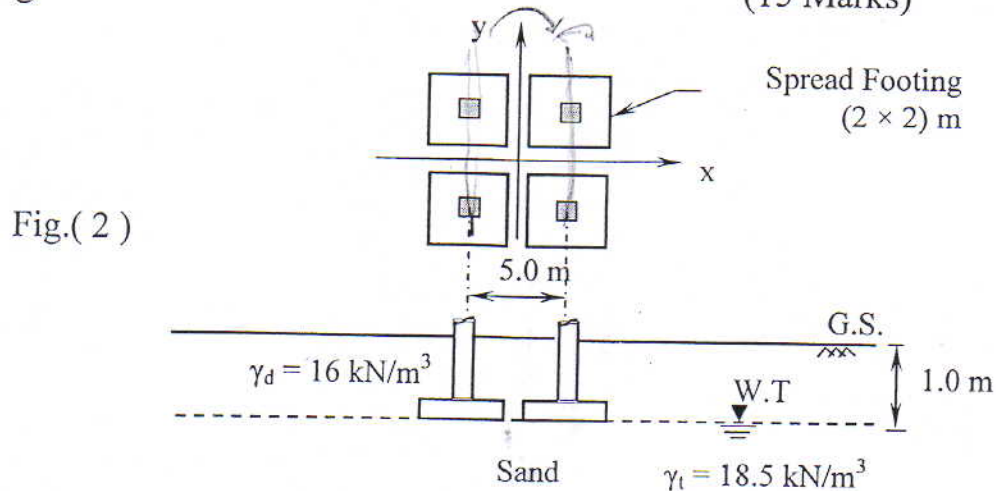


Q2- For the Pile foundation of proposal (2) of fig(1)

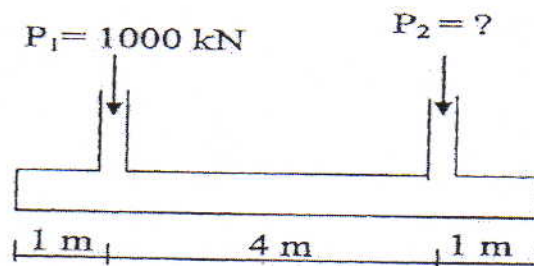
with a F.S=3.0 and allowable settlement of 20mm, check its suitability in terms of bearing capacity and settlement only. (25 Marks)

If  $E_p = 21 \times 10^6 \text{ kPa}$ .

Q3 : A- The spread footings shown in Figure (2) are subjected to a centric total load of 4000 kN and moment about y-axis of 1000 kN.m. Determine the depth of boring. (15 Marks)



B- For the rectangular footing (6×3)m shown in figure (3), find the maximum value of load on column ( $P_2$ ) if soil pressure is uniform and the allowable bearing capacity is 140 kPa. (10 Marks)

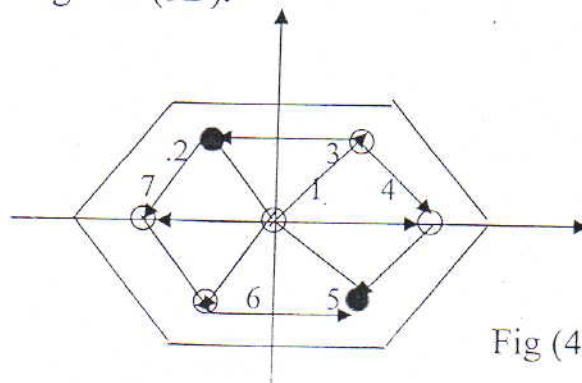


Fig(3)

Q4- A- (0.3 × 0.3) m reinforced concrete pile of 20 m length is driven through loose sand and then into gravel to a final set of 3 mm/blow using 30 kN single acting hammer with a stroke of 1.5 m. Determine the ultimate driving resistance ( $R_u$ ) of the pile if it is fixed with a helmet, plastic dolly and 50 mm of packing on the top of the pile. The weight of the (Pile + helmet and dolly) is 78 kN. ( $k = 0.9$  and  $e = 0.4$  for single acting hammer. (15 Marks)

B- For the pile group shown in fig( 4 ) if pile no.2 was broken what will be the load on pile no.5. If the total load on pile cap 3000kN, and pile dia. 0.4m installed with in clay layer with spacing  $S$  of (3D). (10 Marks)

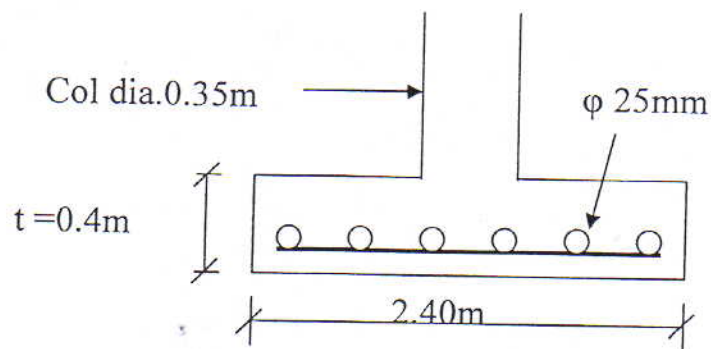
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Q5- A- Check the adequacy of footing thickness only for the square footing shown in fig ( 5 ) for the following conditions:

D.L= 320kN , L.L = 310kN,  $f_y = 350\text{MPa}$  ,  $F_c' = 20\text{MPa}$ ,  $q_{all} = 120\text{kN/m}^2$   
(10 Marks)

Fig (5)



b- For the sheet pile of 9.5m length and soil profile shown in Figure (6) check the suitability of penetration depth  
(15 Marks)

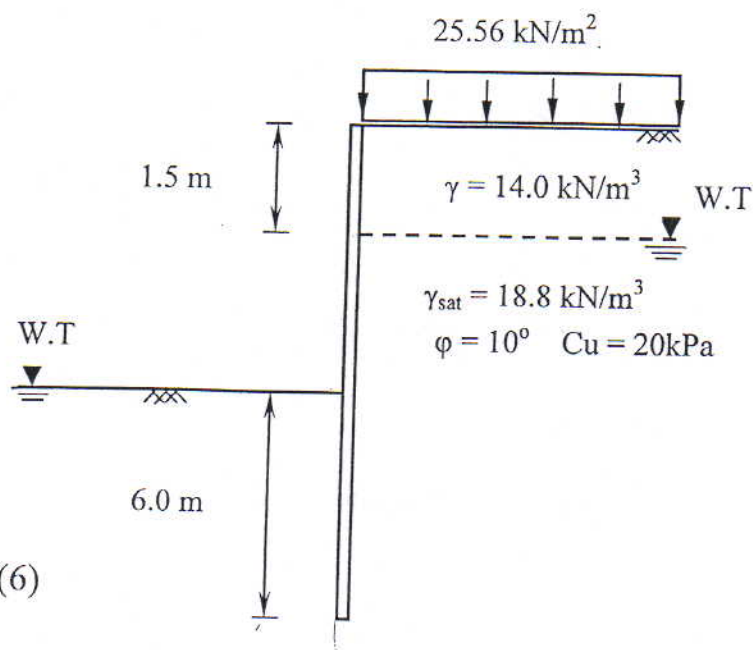


Fig. (6)

$$q_{ult} = C N_c S_c d_c + q N_q S_q d_q + 0.5 \gamma B N_\gamma S_\gamma d_\gamma \quad , \quad H = 0.5 B \tan^2 (45 + \phi/2)$$

$$S_c = 1 + (N_q/N_c)(B'/L') \quad , \quad S_q = 1 + (B'/L') \sin \phi \quad , \quad S_\gamma = 1 - 0.4 B'/L'$$

$$d_c = 1 + 0.4 D/B \quad , \quad d_q = 1 + 2 \tan \phi (1 - \sin \phi)^2 D/B \quad , \quad d_\gamma = 1$$

$$\text{for } \phi=0 \quad , \quad q_{ult} = 5.14 C_u (1 + S_c' + d_c') + q' \quad S_c' = 0.2 B/L \quad , \quad d_c' = 0.4 D/B$$

$$S_c = \frac{C_c}{1 + e_o} \text{Ho log} \frac{P_o' + \Delta P}{P_o'} \quad \text{For N.c.c} \quad , \quad S_i = \frac{q B (1 - \mu^2)}{E_s} I_p \quad \text{for } H > 2B$$

$$\delta = S_1 = \frac{(Q_{wb} + 0.5 Q_{ws}) L}{A_p E_p} \quad , \quad S_2 = \frac{Q_{wb} B (1 - v^2)}{A_b E_s} I_p \quad , \quad S_3 = \frac{Q_{ws} B (1 - v^2)}{A_s E_s} I_w$$

$$I_w = (2 + 0.35 \sqrt{D/B}) \quad S_g = \sqrt{(W_g / B S_{total})}$$

$$S_c = \frac{C_r}{1 + e_o} \text{Ho log} \frac{P_c}{P_o'} + \frac{C_c}{1 + e_o} \text{Ho log} \frac{P_o' + \Delta P}{P_c} \quad \text{For O.c.c If } P_o' < P_c < P_o' + \Delta P$$

$$S_i = \frac{H}{C_s} \text{Log}_e \frac{P_o' + \Delta P}{P_o'} \quad , \quad C_s = \frac{1.5 C_r}{P_o'} \quad , \quad S_i = \frac{q B (1 - \mu^2) \mu_o \mu_1}{E_s} \quad \text{for } H < 2B$$

$$T_v = \frac{C_v \cdot t}{d^2} \quad , \quad U = \sqrt{\frac{4 \cdot T_v}{\pi}} \quad , \quad \text{For } U < 60\% \quad , \quad T_v = \pi/4 (U_z/100)^2 \quad \text{For } U > 60\%$$

$$, \quad S_s = C_\alpha H \log \frac{t_1 + \Delta t}{t_1} \quad , \quad C_c = 0.009(L.L - 10)$$

$$S_i = C1.C2. \Delta P \sum (I_z/2C_r) \Delta z \quad , \quad C1 = 1 - 0.5 \frac{P_o'}{\Delta P} \quad , \quad C2 = 1 + 0.2 \log \frac{t}{0.1}$$

$$X_c = \frac{L}{3} \left( \frac{2b_1 + b_2}{b_1 + b_2} \right) \quad , \quad q_{max} = \frac{\sum V}{L.B} \left( 1 + \frac{6e_x}{L} + \frac{6e_y}{B} \right) \quad \text{for } e < \frac{B}{6}$$

$$q_{max} = \frac{2 \sum V}{L.B} \quad \text{for } e = \frac{B}{6} \quad , \quad q_{max} = \frac{4 Q}{3L(B - 2e)} \quad \text{for } e > \frac{B}{2}$$

$$B' = B - 2e_y \quad L' = L - 2e_x$$

$$Z_1 = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{v_2 - v_1}{v_2 + v_1}} \cdot X_c, \quad Z_2 = \frac{1}{2} \left[ T_{i2} - 2Z_1 \frac{\sqrt{v_3^2 - v_1^2}}{v_3 \cdot v_1} \right] \frac{v_3 \cdot v_2}{\sqrt{v_3^2 - v_2^2}}$$

$$Q_{ult} = C_u \cdot N_c A_b + C_a \cdot A_s$$

For piles in Cohesive Soils

$$Q_{ult} = \sigma_v N_q A_b + K_s \sigma_{v(av)} \tan \delta A_s$$

For piles in Cohesionless soils

$$\epsilon_g = 1 - \frac{\theta}{90} \left[ \frac{(n-1)m + (m-1)n}{mn} \right], \quad \theta = \tan^{-1} \frac{B}{S}$$

$$Q_{ult}(\text{group}) = Q_{ult}(\text{Single}) \times n \times \epsilon_g,$$

$$Q_{ult}(\text{group})_{\text{Block}} = 2(Bg + Lg) \times L \times C_u' + C_u \times N_c \times Bg \times Lg$$

$$Q_{pile} = \frac{\sum V}{n} + \frac{M_x \cdot Y}{\sum y^2} + \frac{M_y \cdot X}{\sum x^2}$$

$$P_a = K_a \gamma H - 2c \sqrt{K_a}, \quad P_p = K_p \gamma H + 2c \sqrt{K_p}$$

$$F.S (\text{Sliding}) = \frac{\sum P_p}{\sum P_a}, \quad F.S (\text{overturining}) = \frac{\sum M_p}{\sum M_a}$$

$$Ru = \frac{W \times h \times \eta}{S + C/2}, \quad \gamma_{sat} = \frac{Gs + S \cdot e}{1 + e} \gamma_w, \quad \gamma_d = \frac{Gs \cdot \gamma_w}{1 + e}$$

$$P_u = 1.4 D.L + 1.7 L.L, \quad V_c = 0.08 \phi \left( 2 + \frac{4}{B_c} \right) \sqrt{f_c'} < 0.34 \phi \sqrt{f_c'} \text{ for two way shear}$$

$$d^2 \left( V_c + \frac{q_u}{4} \right) + d \left( V_c + \frac{q_u}{2} \right) a = \frac{B^2 - a^2}{4} q_u$$

$$V_c = 0.17 \phi \sqrt{f_c'} \text{ for one way shear}$$

$$V_c b d = q_u \left( \frac{B}{2} - \frac{a}{2} - d \right) B$$

Table Influence factors ( $I_p$ ) for vertical displacement due to elastic compression

Shape	Flexible			Rigid†
	Centre	Corner	Average	
Circle	1.00	0.64	0.85	
Rectangle				0.79
$L/B$ 1.0	1.122	0.561	0.946	0.82
1.5	1.358	0.679	1.148	1.06
2.0	1.532	0.766	1.300	1.20
3.0	1.783	0.892	1.527	1.42
4.0	1.964	0.982	1.694	1.58
5.0	2.105	1.052	1.826	1.70
10.0	2.540	1.270	2.246	2.10
100.0	4.010	2.005	3.693	3.47

\* After Giroud (1968)

† After Skempton (1951)

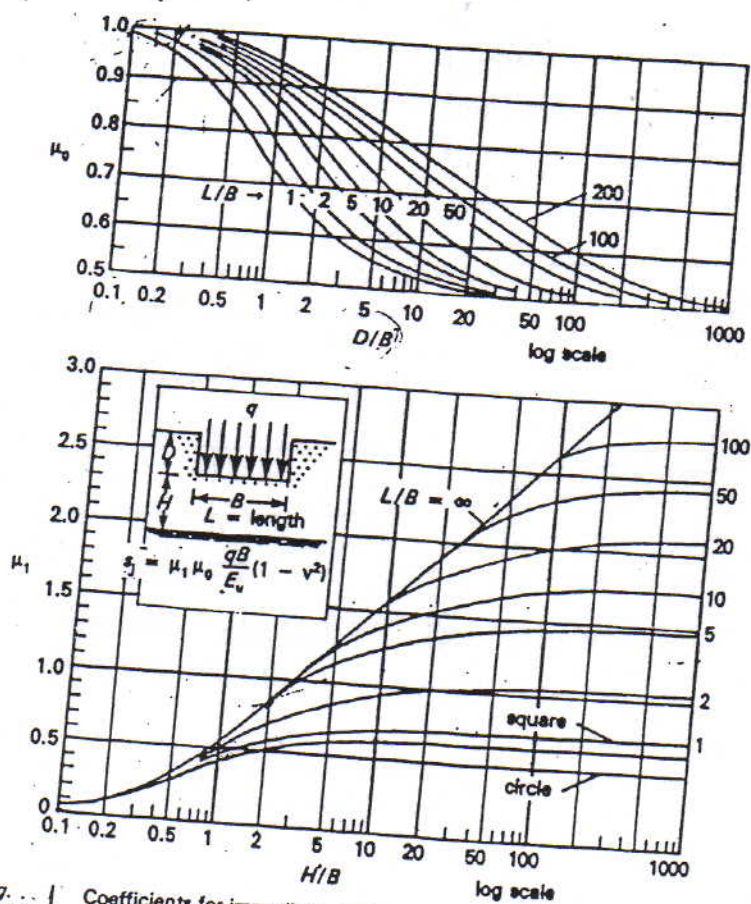


Fig. ... Coefficients for immediate settlement under a flexible foundation (After Janbu et al. 1956)

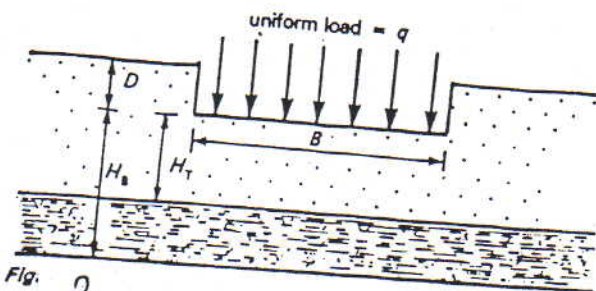
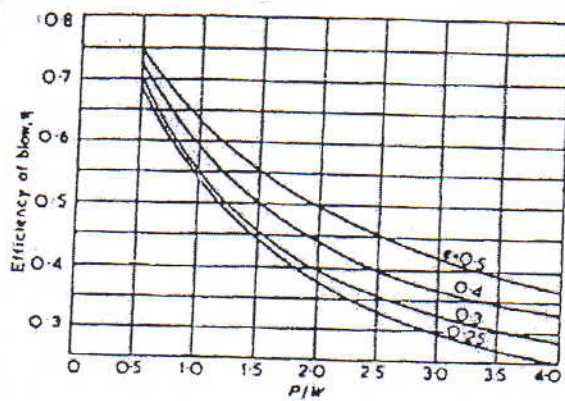
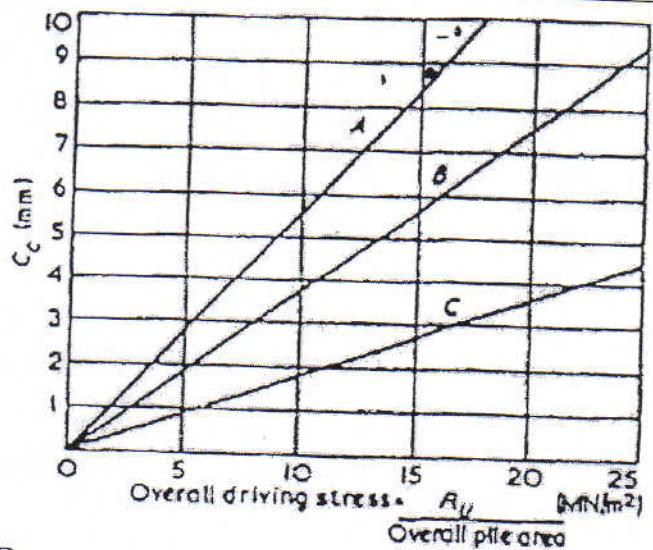


Fig. 2

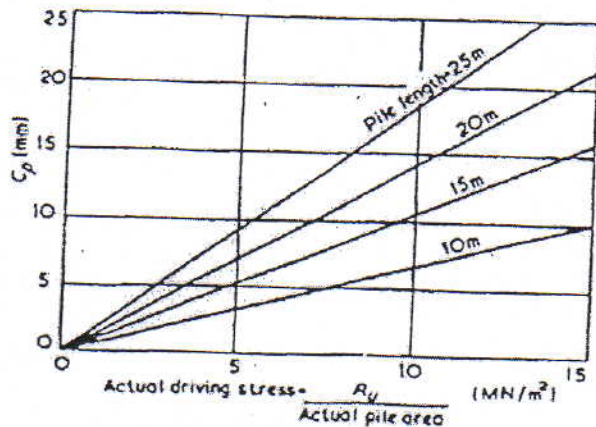


Determination of efficiency factor,  $\eta$  for use in Hiley pile driving formula.

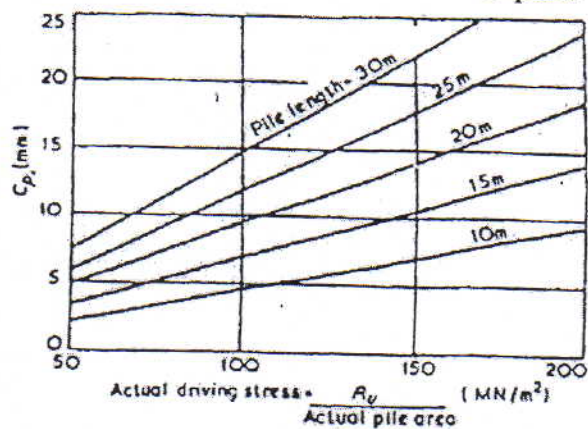


Determination of temporary elastic compression,  $C_c$ .

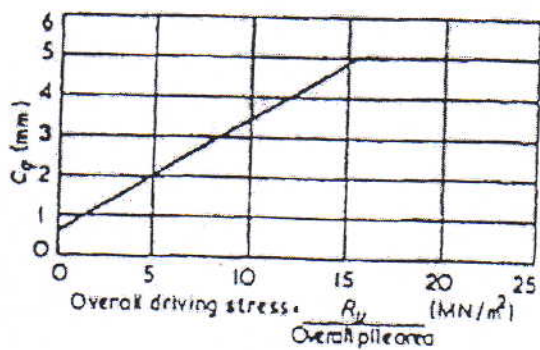
Key: A = concrete pile, 75 mm packing under helmet, B = concrete or steel pile, helmet with dolly or helmet of timber pile. C = 25 mm pad only on head of RC pile.



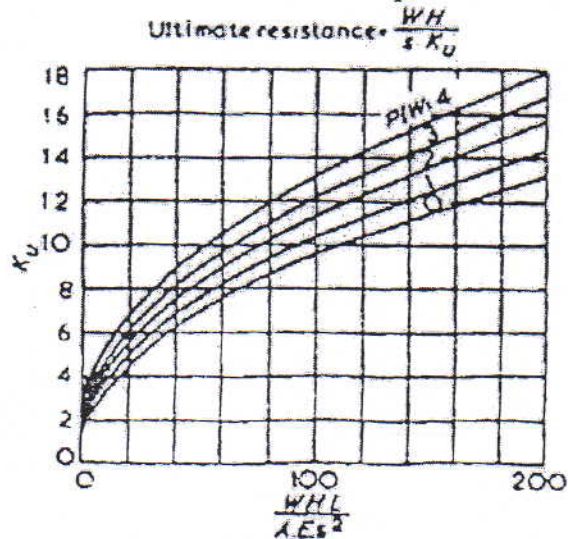
Determination of temporary elastic compression,  $C_p$  for concrete piles.



Determination of temporary elastic compression,  $C_p$  for steel piles.



Determination of temporary elastic compression,  $C_q$ .



Design chart for the Janbu pile driving formula.

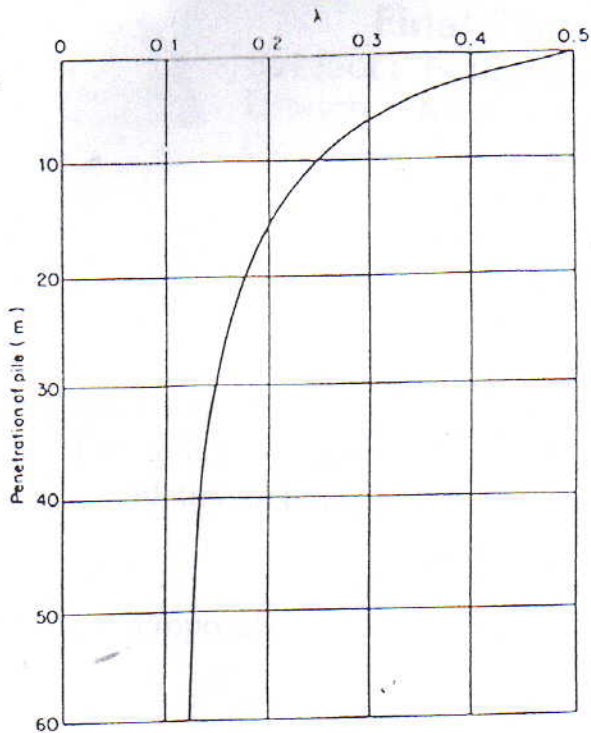
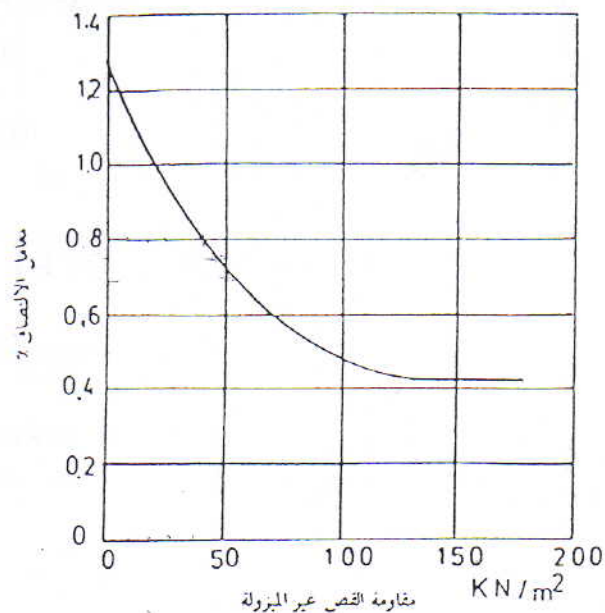


Fig. 2 Values of coefficient  $\lambda$  for various penetration depths of pile driven into cohesive soils (after Vijayvergiya and Focht<sup>7,17</sup>).



الشكل - 1 العلاقة بين معامل الالتصاق  $\alpha$  ومقاومة القص غير المبزولة للأطيان (نوملسون). (٦٩)

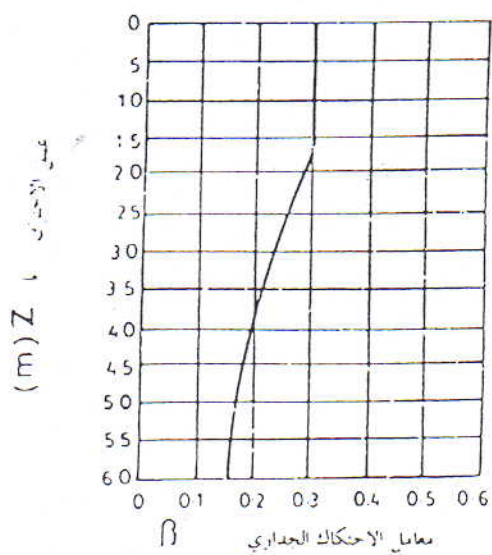


Fig 3 : معامل الاحتكاك الجداري  $\beta$  : معكاف دفع في أطيان رطوبة متوسطة

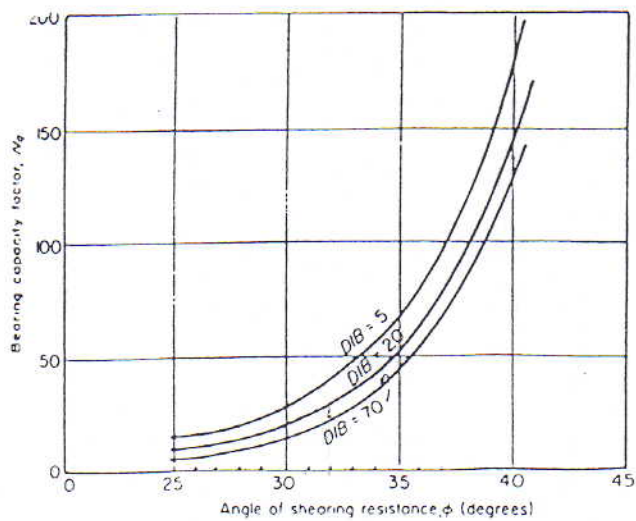


Fig 4 Berezantsev's bearing capacity factor,  $N_q$ .

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$$Q_1) H = 0.5 \times B \tan(45 + \phi/2)$$

$$= 0.5 \times 10 \tan(45 + 30/2) = 8.66 < 10 \text{ m}$$

= it one layer

For  $C=0 \rightarrow 0$

$$q_{ult} = C N_c \bar{s}_c d_c + q N_q \bar{s}_q d_q + 0.5 \gamma \bar{B} N_\gamma \bar{s}_\gamma d_\gamma$$

$$\text{for } Q = 30, N_c = 30.1, N_q = 18.4, N_\gamma = 15.1$$

$$q = \gamma D_f = 15 \times 1 = 15 \text{ kN/m}^2$$

$$\bar{B} = B - 2e$$

$$e_x = \frac{M}{V} = \frac{30000}{15000} = 2 \text{ m}, \quad \bar{B}/6 = \frac{10}{6} = 1.66 \text{ m}$$

$$\bar{B} = 10 - 2 \times 2 = 6 \text{ m}$$

$$\bar{L} = 10 - 0 = 10 \text{ m}$$

$$\bar{s}_q = 1 + \left(\frac{\bar{B}'}{\bar{L}'}\right) \sin Q = 1 + \left(\frac{6}{10}\right) \sin 30 = 1.3$$

$$d_q = 1 + 2 \tan Q (1 - \sin Q)^2 \frac{D}{B} =$$

$$d_q = 1 + 2 \tan 30 (1 - \sin 30)^2 \frac{1}{10} = 1.02$$

$$\bar{s}_\gamma = 1 - 0.4 \frac{\bar{B}'}{\bar{L}'} = 1 - 0.4 \frac{6}{10} = 0.76$$

$$d_\gamma = 1.0$$

$$q_{ult} = 0 + 15 \times 18.4 \times 1.3 \times 1.02 + 0.5 \times 8 \times 6 \times 15.1 \times 0.76 \times 1.0$$

$$= 0 + 365.9 + 275.4 = 541.3 \text{ kN/m}^2$$

$$q_{all} = \frac{541.3}{3} = 180.4 \text{ kN/m}^2$$

Since  $e > \frac{B}{6} \therefore q_{max} = \frac{4Q}{3L(B-2e)}$

$$q_{max} = \frac{4 \times (15000 - W_{\text{of soil}} (15 \times 10 \times 10))}{3 \times 10 (10 - 2 \times 2)} = 300 \text{ kN/m}^2$$

(net)

Since  $q_{max} > q_{all} \therefore$  it is not adequate.

Check Settlement

- First layer

$$S_i = \frac{q_{net} B (1 - \nu^2)}{E_s} I_p$$

$$S_i = \frac{300 \times 10 (1 - 0.35^2)}{10 \times 1000} \times 0.82 = 0.215 \text{ m}$$

$$= 215 \text{ mm} > 20 \text{ mm}$$

$\therefore$  it is not adequate

Q2

$$Q_{ult} = Q_s + Q_b$$

Note:  $Q$  for bored pile =  $Q - 3$ .  $N_q$  for  $Q = 32 = 25$

$$= 1 \left( \frac{1+10}{2} \right) * 8 + \tan(-75 \times 27) * \pi * 1 * 9 +$$

$$0.45 * 90 * \pi * 1 * 6 + 1.0 \left( \frac{16+27}{2} \right) * 9 * \tan(-75 \times 32)$$

$$* \pi * 1 * 9 + 27 * 9 * 25 \frac{\pi * 1^2}{4} =$$

$$= 375.3 + 763.0 + 2434.6 + 4768.8$$

$$q_{ball} = 3572.9 + 1589.6 = 5162.5 \text{ kN}$$

$$E_g = 1 - \frac{Q}{q_0} \left( \frac{(n-1)m + (m-1)n}{mn} \right)$$

$$Q = \tan^{-1} \frac{B}{S} = \tan^{-1} \frac{1}{4} = 14.03$$

$$E_g = 1 - \frac{14.03}{90} \left[ \frac{(3-1)3 + (3-1)3}{3 \times 3} \right] = 0.793$$

$$Q_{ult \text{ group}} = 5162.5 * 9 * 0.793 = 36844.7 \text{ kN}$$

$$Q_{max} = \frac{15000}{9} + 0 + \frac{30000 * 4}{6 * 4^2} = 2916.6 \text{ kN}$$

$\leq 5162.5 \text{ kN}$   
 $\therefore \text{o.k.}$

Check Elastic Settlement

$$S_T = S_1 + S_2 + S_3$$

$$S_1 = \frac{(1589.6 + 0.5 * 3572.9) 27}{\frac{\pi * 1^2}{4} * 21 * 10^6} = 0.0055 \text{ m}$$

(7)

$$S_2 = \frac{1589.6 \times 1(1 - 0.35^2)}{\frac{\pi \times 1^2}{4} \times 25000} \times 0.79 = 0.0561 \text{ m}$$

$$S_3 = \frac{3572.9 \times 1(1 - 0.35^2)}{\pi \times 1 \times 27 \times 25000} (2 + 0.35 \sqrt{\frac{27}{1}}) = 0.0056 \text{ m}$$

$$S_T = 0.0055 + 0.0561 + 0.0056 = 0.0671$$

$$S_g = \sqrt{\frac{10}{1 \times 0.0671}} = 12.2 \text{ mm} < 20 \text{ mm} \therefore \text{o.k.}$$

Q3 - depth of borehole for single footing =  $3 \times B$   
 $= 3 \times 2 = 6 \text{ m}$

- For heavy structure 7200 kN

The load each Footing from the axial load =  $\frac{4000}{4} = 1000 \text{ kN}$

The load on two footing on each side due to moment

$$\frac{1000}{5} = 200 \text{ kN}$$

$$\text{The on each footing} = \frac{200}{2} = 100 \text{ kN}$$

The total load on a single Footing =  $1000 + 100 = 1100 \text{ kN}$

$$q = \frac{1100}{2 \times 2} = 275 \text{ kN/m}^2 > 200 \therefore \text{heavy structure}$$

Therefore  $z$  for heavy structure =  $2B$

$$z = 2 \times 2 = 4 \text{ m}$$

- For deep compressible soil

= assume 2:1 method of stress distribution

$$q_{\text{net}} \times \text{Area} = 0.1 q_{\text{net}} (B+z)^2$$

$$2 \times 2 = 0.1 (2+z)^2$$

$$z = 4.3 \text{ m}$$

$$0.05 p_0' = \frac{q_{\text{net}} \times \text{Area}}{(B+z)^2}$$

$$p_0' = 16 \times 1 + (18.5 - 10) z = 16 + 8.5 z$$

$$0.05 \times (16 + 8.5 z) = \frac{(275 - 16) \times 2 \times 2}{(2+z)^2}$$

$$z = 11.5 \text{ m}$$

So use  $z = 6 \text{ m}$  & Total depth =  $6 + 1 = 7 \text{ m}$ .

Q3 b-

For Uniform Soil Pressure

$$\frac{P_1 + P_2}{A} = q_{all}$$

$$\frac{1000 + P_2}{6 \times 3} = 140$$

$$P_2 = 1570 \text{ kN}$$

For max value of  $P_2$  of Non Uniform

$$q_{all} = \frac{\Sigma V}{A} \left( 1 + \frac{6e}{L} \right)$$

$$e = \frac{\Sigma M}{\Sigma V} = \frac{(P_2 - 1000) \times 2}{P_2 + 1000}$$

$$\therefore 140 = \frac{P_2 + 1000}{6 \times 3} \left( 1 + \frac{6 \left( \frac{P_2 - 1000}{P_2 + 1000} \right)}{6} \right)$$

$$P_2 = 1173 \text{ kN}$$

$$A) \frac{P}{W} = \frac{78}{30} = 2.6$$

$$\text{For } e = -4 \text{ From } F_g \quad \eta = 0.39$$

$$h = k + l = 0.9 + 1.5 = 1.35 \text{ m}$$

$$\text{Assume } R_u = 1000 \text{ kN}$$

$$\text{overall driven stress} = \frac{R_u}{A} = \frac{1000}{(0.3^2)} = 11111.1 \text{ kN} \\ = 11.1 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\text{From } F_g \quad C_c = \frac{2}{3} \times 6 + 4 = 8 \text{ mm}$$

$$C_p = 15.5 \text{ mm}$$

$$C_g = 3.6 \text{ mm}$$

$$\text{Total } C = 27.14 \text{ mm}$$

$$\therefore R_u = \frac{30 \times 1.35 \times 1000 \times 0.39}{3 + \frac{27.14}{2}} = 953 \text{ kN}$$

which is close enough to assumed  $R_u$ .

b- Since the Pile Configuration is symmetry So,  
the load on each Pile after Pile No. 2 Broken will be

$$S = 3 \times 0.4 = 1.2 \text{ m}$$

$$X = 0.6 \text{ m}$$

$$Y = \sqrt{1.2^2 - 0.6^2} = 1.04 \text{ m}$$

$$\sum X^2 = 3 \times 0.6^2 + 2(1.2)^2 = 3.96$$

$$\sum Y^2 = 3 \times (1.04)^2 = 3.24$$

$$M_y = 500 \times 0.6 = 300 \text{ kN.m}$$

$$M_x = 500 \times 1.04 = 519.6 \text{ kN.m}$$

$$P_s = \frac{3000}{6} + \frac{519.6(1.04)}{3.24} + \frac{300 \times 0.6}{3.96} = 712.2 \text{ kN}$$

Q5 -

$$A_T = \frac{320 + 310}{120} = 5.25 \text{ m}^2$$

$$B = \frac{5.25}{2.4} = 2.18 \text{ m}$$

Use  $B = 2.2 \text{ m}$  &  $L = 2.4 \text{ m}$

$$U = 1.4 \times 320 + 1.7 \times 310 = 975 \text{ kN}$$

$$q_{ult} = \frac{975}{2.2 \times 2.4} = 184.66 \text{ kN/m}^2$$

Determine (d)

1- By two way action then check by beam action

$$V_c = 0.34 \times 0.85 \sqrt{f_c} = 1.292 \text{ MN/m}^2$$

$$= 1292 \text{ kN/m}^2$$

$$b_o = (0.35 + d) \pi = 1.1 + 3.14 d$$

$$V_c b_o d = q_{ult} \times \text{Critical area}$$

$$V_c (1.1 + 3.14 d) d = q_u \left[ B \times L - \left( \pi \times (a + d)^2 / 4 \right) \right]$$

$$1421.2 d + 4056.8 d^2 = 184.6 \left[ 2.2 \times 2.4 - \left( \pi (0.35 + d)^2 / 4 \right) \right]$$

$$d^2 + 0.367 d = 0.227$$

$$d = 0.33 \text{ m which governs.}$$

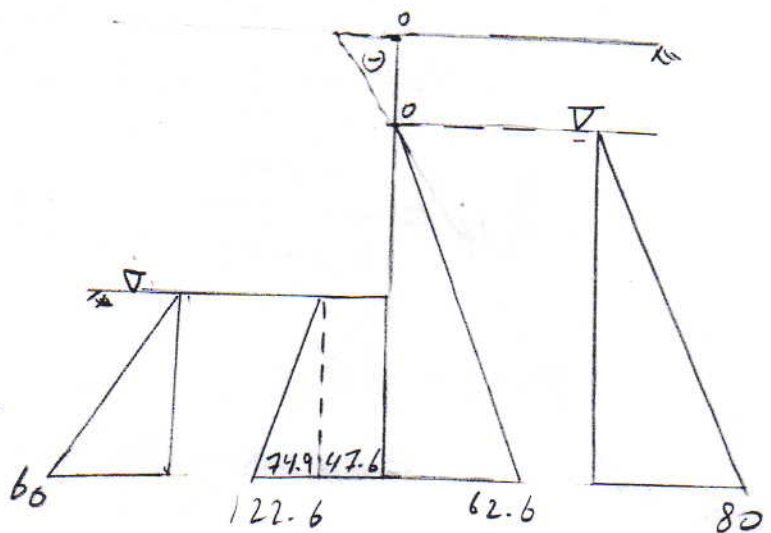
$$t = 0.33 + 0.075 + 0.0125 = 0.417$$

$$\text{Use } t = 0.42 \text{ m}$$

$$b) \quad k_a = \frac{1 - \sin 10}{1 + \sin 10} = 0.704$$

$$k_p = \frac{1}{k_a} = 1.42$$

$$\begin{aligned} P_{a9.5} &= k_a \gamma h - 2c \sqrt{k_a} \\ &= 0.704 \times 25.56 - 2 \times 20 \sqrt{0.704} \\ &= -15.56 \text{ kN/m}^2 \end{aligned}$$



$$\begin{aligned} P_{a8} &= (25.56 + (1.5 \times 14)) \times 0.704 - 2 \times 20 \sqrt{0.704} \\ &= -0.755 \text{ kN/m}^2 \end{aligned}$$

$$P_{a8} = (25.56 + 21 + (8 \times 8.8)) \times 0.704 - 33.56 = 62.6 \text{ kN/m}^2$$

$$P_{aw} = 8 \times 10 = 80 \text{ kN/m}^2$$

$$P_o = 1.42 \times (18.8 - 10) \times 6 + 2 \times 20 \sqrt{1.42} = 122.64 \text{ kN/m}^2$$

$$P_w = 6 \times 10 = 60 \text{ kN/m}^2$$

Total Active Pressure

$$\Sigma A_{act} = 62.6 \times \frac{8}{2} + 80 \times \frac{8}{2} = 570.4$$

$$\Sigma A_{passive} = 47.6 \times 6 + 74.9 \times \frac{6}{2} + 60 \times \frac{6}{2} = 452.3$$

$$\sum M_{active} = 62.6 \times 4 \times \frac{8}{3} + 80 \times 4 \times \frac{8}{3} = 1521.0 \text{ kN.m}$$

$$\sum M_{passive} = 47.6 \times 6 \times 3 + 74.9 \times 3 \times \frac{6}{3} + 60 \times 3 \times \frac{6}{3} = 1666.2$$

$$F.s_{sliding} = \frac{\sum Area_{Passive}}{\sum Area_{Active}} = \frac{452.3}{570.4} = 0.797 < 2 \text{ Not ok}$$

$$F.s_{overturning} = \frac{\sum M_{Passive}}{\sum M_{Active}} = \frac{1666.2}{1521.0} = 1.09 < 2 \text{ Not ok.}$$