

## CHAPTER VI

### SCOUR AT BRIDGE PIERS

#### 1. Studies on Depth of Scour at Bridge Piers.

P. Andru (124 GB) has obtained the following formula expressing the relation among scoured depth, bed factor  $Q^2/B^2H^3$  and unit discharge on the basis of field measurements and model tests.

$$H_s (Q^2/B^2H^3)^{1/3} = 1.8(Q/B)^{2/3} \quad (6.1)$$

or 
$$H_s = 1.8 H$$

where  $H_s$  = scoured depth measured downwards from the water surface  
 $Q$  = discharge  
 $B$  = width of wide rectangular channel  
 $H$  = water depth.

On the other hand, E.M. Laursen has obtained the following formula on the basis of extensive experiments (123 GB).

$$H_s = H + d_s \times k_s \times k_\alpha \times k_\tau \quad (6.2)$$

where  $d_s$  = scoured depth measured downwards from the river bed before scour; the relation between  $H/b$  and  $d_s/b$  is given in Fig. 6-2-1,  
 $b$  = width of a pier,  
 $k_s$  = shape coefficient for nose forms to be used only for piers aligned with flow; Fig. 6-2-2 is prepared,  
 $k_\alpha$  = multiplying factor to be applied to the depth of scour obtained from the basic curve; a family of curves for  $\alpha$ ,  $L/b$  and  $k_\alpha$  is prepared in Fig. 6-2-3,  
 $\alpha$  = angle of attack between the pier and the flow,  
 $L$  = length of a pier in the direction of the flow,  
 $k_\tau$  = ratio of depth of scour under suspended-load conditions to depth of scour under bed-load conditions; curves for  $d_s/H$ ,  $u_*'/w_o$  and  $k_\tau$  are prepared in Fig. 6-2-4;  $k_\tau = 1$  in the case of  $u_*'/w_o < 1/2$ ,  
 $u_*'$  = friction velocity,  
 $w_o$  = settling velocity of sediment particle.

According to the study made by Breusers (133 GB), the equilibrium depth of scour with continuous sediment motion is given by

$$d_s = 1.4 b \quad (6.3)$$

for circular cylindrical piers. On the other hand, Larras (134 GB) found that

Fig. 6-1 Relation Between Scour Depth and Discharge (Andru)

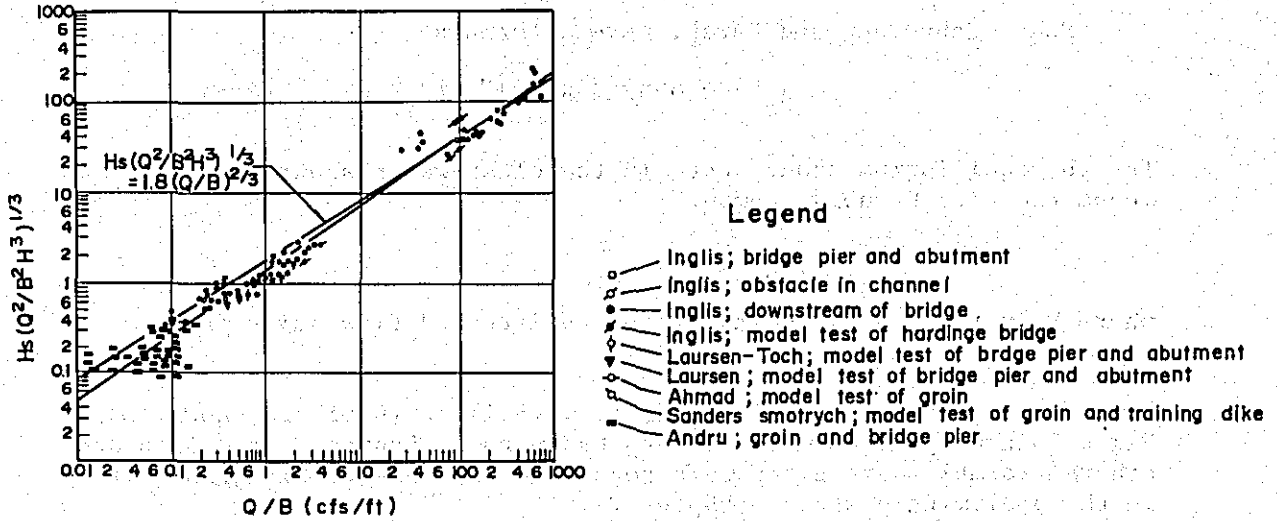


Fig. 6-2 Diagrams for Calculation of Scour Depth (Laursen)

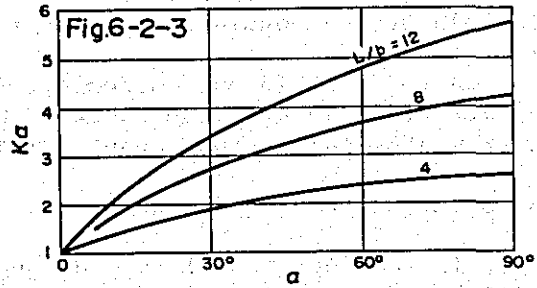
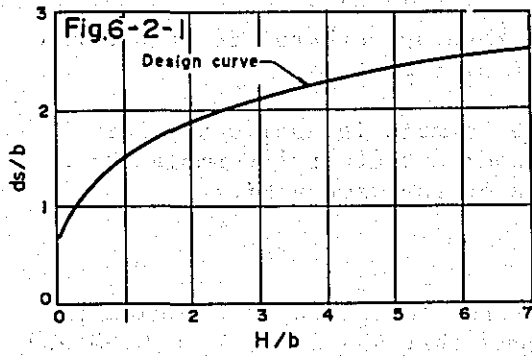
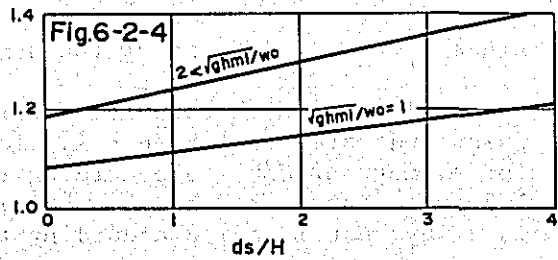


Fig. 6-2-2

Nose form	Length-width ratio	$K_s$
Rectangular		1.00
Semicircular		0.90
Elliptic	2 : 1	0.80
	3 : 1	0.75
Lenticular	2 : 1	0.80
	3 : 1	0.70



$$d_s = 1.05 b^{0.75} \quad (d_s, b : m) \quad (6.4)$$

also for circular cylindrical piers.

Shen, Schneider and Karaki gave a formula

$$d_s = 0.000223 R_e^{0.619} \quad (d_s : m) \quad (6.5)$$

for the equilibrium scour depth in the clear-water scour region.  $R_e$  means the pier Reynolds number

$$R_e = Ub/\nu$$

where  $U$  is the mean velocity of the undisturbed flow and  $\nu$  the kinematic viscosity.

The above-mentioned formulas from (6.1) to (6.5) are shown in Fig.6-3 in comparison. The values by Andru's, Laursen's and Shen and others' formulas are given with regard to the case of Sirajganj site in the preliminary study (Chapter V).

As seen in this figure, these formulas give a very wide range of values. It can be said, however, that (1) Andru's formula cannot hold with regard to piers of small diameter since scoured depth depends only on water depth according to the formula, (2) Laursen's formula may hold with regard to piers of large diameter because the formula was obtained for the range of  $H/b = 1$  to  $7$ , (3) Breuser's and Larras' formulas seem to be unreasonable in case of large diameter because these formulas are independent of water velocity and bed material and relate to pier width alone, but they seem to hold with regard to piers of small diameter such as pipes, and (4) Shen and others' formula seems to hold over a considerably wide range of pier width.

After all, in our judgement, Andru's formula is applicable for a pier width larger than about  $10$  m and Shen and others' formula for a pier width smaller than about  $3$  m in case of the Jamuna River.

## 2. Scour Depth around Wide Piers.

If we adopt a well type as substructure, the width or the diameter will be of the order of  $12$  m. If we assume that  $b = 12$  m,  $k_s = 0.90$  and  $k_\alpha = 1.0$ , Laursen's formula becomes

$$H_s = H + 0.9 k_\tau d_s \quad (6.6)$$

since  $u_* / w_o > 2$  in case of the Jamuna River.

Values of  $H_s / H$  calculated for  $H/b = 1$  to  $7$  are shown in Fig.6-4, which indicates that  $H_s / H < 1.8$  for a range of  $H/b > 3$  and  $H_s / H > 1.8$  for a range of  $H/b < 3$  according to Laursen's formula, while  $H_s / H > 1.8$  for a range of  $H/b > 3$  according to Laursen's formula, while  $H_s / H$  is always equal to  $1.8$  according to Andru's.

Fig. 6-3 Scoured Depth around Bridge Pier

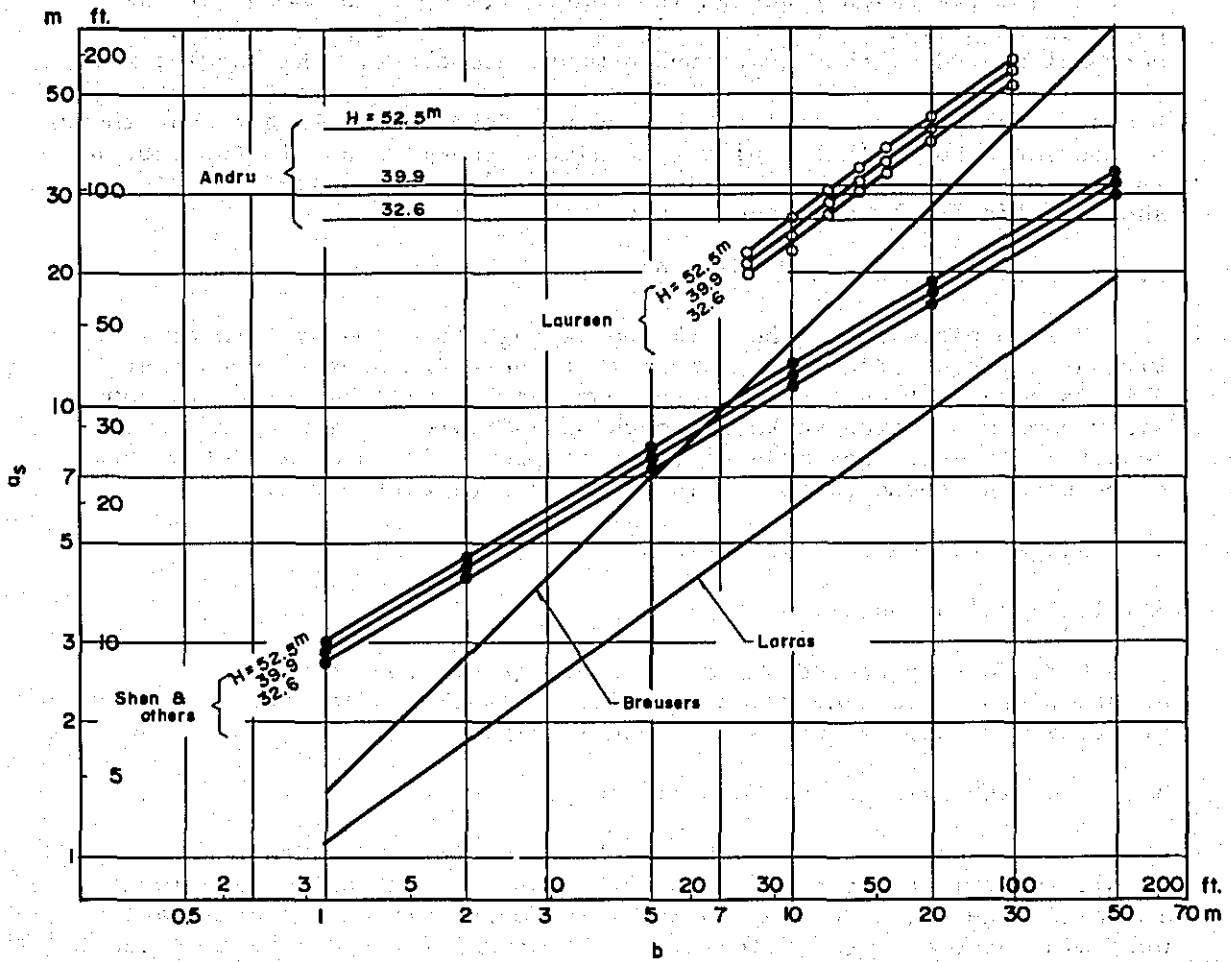
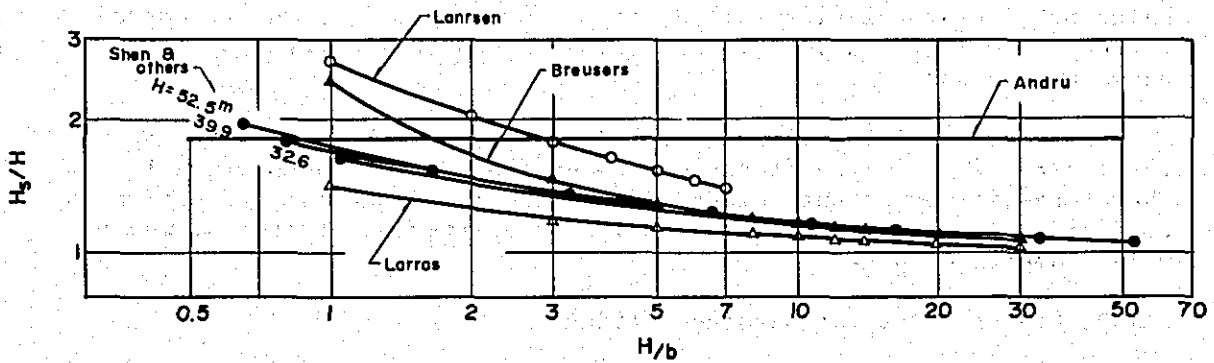
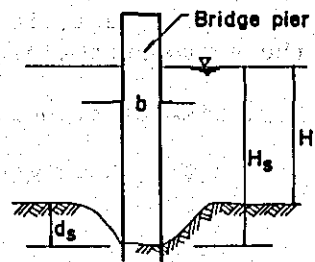


Fig. 6-4 Relation between  $H_s/H$  and  $H/b$



Notes ;

- Andru ;  $H_s/H = 1.8$
- Breusers ;  $d_s = 1.4b$
- Lorras ;  $d_s = 1.05b^{0.75}$  (m)
- Shen & others ;  $d_s = 0.000223Re^{0.619}$  (m)



In the preliminary design in Chapter V, depths of scour at the piers in each type of the constructions at the four proposed sites were calculated by the two formulas mentioned above. The results are shown in Table 6-1. It is seen from this table that, in the types of A and B, the values calculated by Andru's formula are larger than those by Laursen's but both formulas give almost equal values in the type C. In view of these facts, the values by Andru's were adopted and are shown in Fig.5-6 by double-circle points.

### 3. Protection Works around Wide Piers.

Bridge piers should be sunk deep enough to stand by themselves without any protection around them. If there are some reasons that this is very difficult or too uneconomical, we will be forced to consider some protection works although undesirable. Thinking of this condition, a study was made of range of protection and size of stones to be placed around piers. This may be called pier apron.

#### 3.1. Range of area for protection.

##### 3.1.1. Gales' proposal.

R.R. Gales proposed a protection range of area to be taken around piers in consideration of oblique attack of flow and scattering of stones in falling, which is shown in Fig. 6-5.

##### 3.1.2. K. Ishizaki and K. Honma's study.

Katsuyoshi Ishizaki and Katsuichi Honma (129 GB) obtained the result shown in Fig.6-6 and 6-7 on the basis of extensive experiments. In these figures,  $H$  denotes normal water depth without scour,  $q$  and  $v$  unit discharge and mean velocity in the normal water depth,  $X$  distance from the pier wall,  $r$  radius of the pier,  $d_s$  depth of scour at the pier wall or at  $X = 0$ ,  $H'$  the scoured depth measured from the water surface,  $q'$  and  $v'$  unit discharge and mean velocity at the pier wall, and  $y$  a value of  $q'/q$  at the pier wall or at  $X = 0$ . Fig.6-6 shows the correlation between  $q'/q$  and  $X/r$ , and Fig.6-7 shows the correlation between  $d_s/H$  and  $y$ .

As seen in Fig.6-6, the ratio  $q'/q$  is larger than unity in the range  $X/r > 2$  or in the distance smaller than  $D$  from the pier wall. Therefore, it may be sufficient, if we take the range for protection as  $2D$  from the pier wall in consideration of scattering of stones, where  $D$  is diameter of pier.

##### 3.1.3. Present state at Hardinge Bridge.

According to the results of pricking around the piers of Hardinge Bridge, it is reported that stones have been scattered around the piers approximately within the range of about  $2D$  from the pier wall.

#### 3.2. Size of stones.

S.V. Isbash studies the stability of rock-fill dam in running

Table 6-1 Scour Depth around Bridge Pier

b = 12.0<sup>m</sup>

Site	Type	Depth		Laurson's method		Andru's formula Hs/H	Andru's formula Hs(m)	Design water depth at piers I <sub>1</sub>
		H (m)	H/b	Hs/H	Hs(m)			
Nagarbari	A	56.139	4.678	1.56	87.577	1.80	101.050	102 <sup>m</sup> (334.4)
	B	42.384	3.532	1.69	71.629	"	76.291	77 (252.5)
	C	36.825	3.069	1.77	65.180	"	66.285	67 (219.7)
Sirajganj	A	53.862	4.489	1.57	84.563	"	96.952	97 (318.0)
	B	40.749	3.396	1.71	69.681	"	73.348	74 (242.6)
	C	33.473	2.789	1.82	60.921	"	60.251	61 (200.0)
Gabargaon	A	54.891	4.574	1.56	85.630	"	98.804	99 (324.6)
	B	41.041	3.420	1.70	69.770	"	73.874	74 (242.6)
	C	35.554	2.963	1.80	63.997	"	63.997	64 (209.8)
Bahadurabad	A	50.542	4.212	1.60	80.867	"	90.976	91 (298.4)
	B	37.682	3.140	1.75	65.944	"	67.828	68 (223.0)
	C	31.229	2.602	1.86	58.086	"	56.212	57 (186.9)

Fig. 6-5 Pler Apron

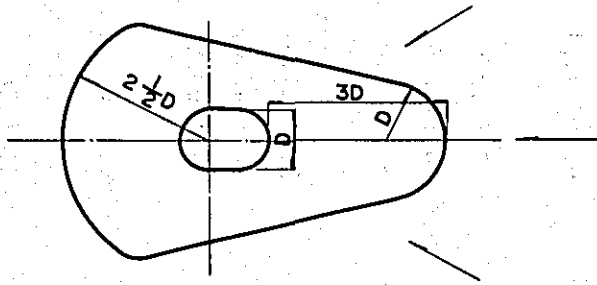


Fig. 6-6 Relation Between  $q'/q$  and  $x/r$

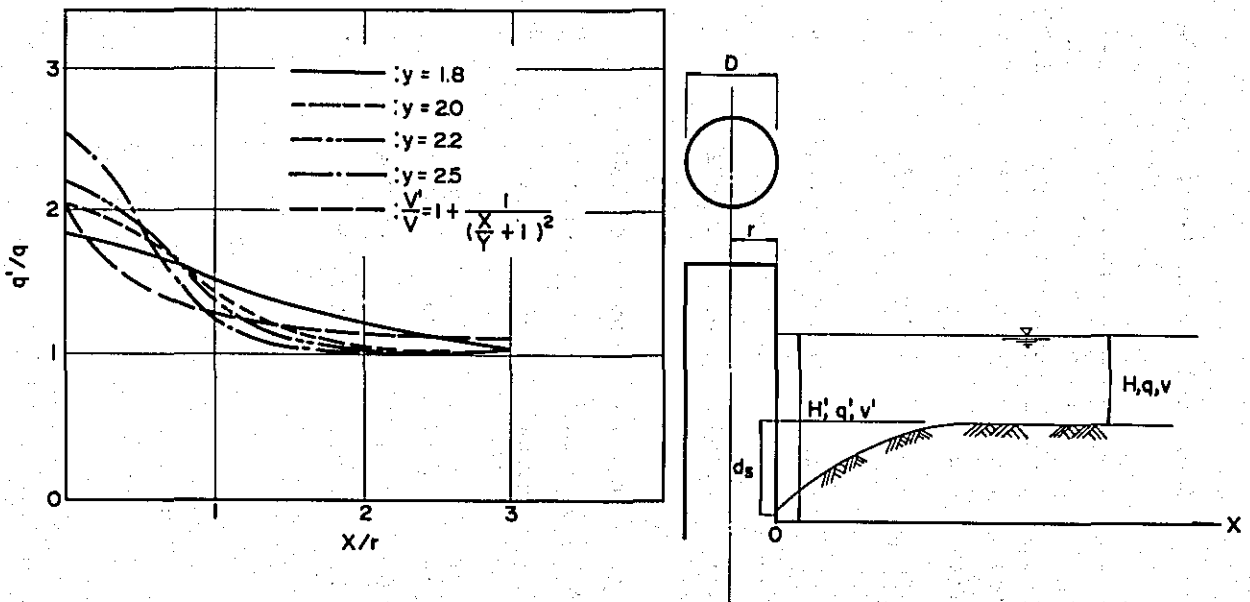
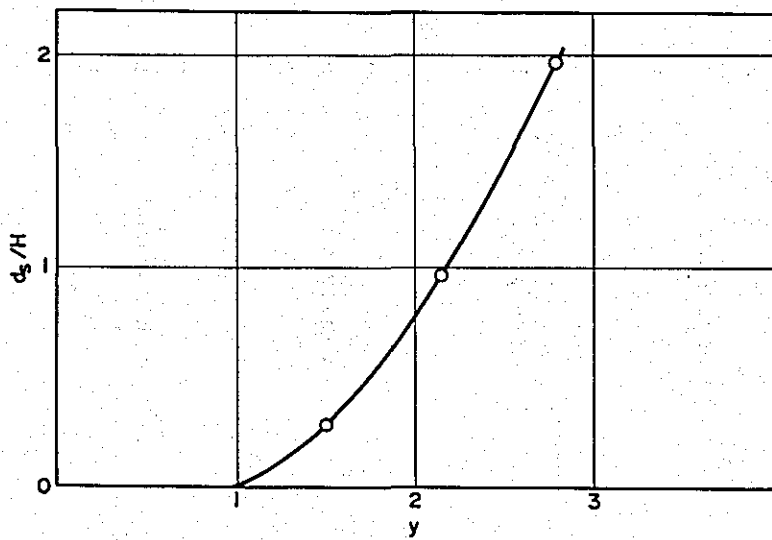


Fig. 6-7 Relation Between  $d_s/H$  and  $y$



water and obtained the following formula giving the relation between flow velocity and weight of stones required for stability.

$$v = EK\sqrt{d}$$

$$K = \sqrt{2g(w_s - w_o)/w_o} \quad (6.7)$$

where  $v$  = critical mean velocity (mean velocity on a vertical) (m/s)

$d$  = diameter of a stone (m)  
 $w$  = unit weight of stone (t/cub. m)  
 $w_s$  = unit weight of stone (t/cub. m)  
 $w_o$  = unit weight of water (t/cub. m)  
 $g$  = acceleration of gravity (m/sq. s)  
 $E$  = coefficient depending on shape of the crest of dam (nondimension).

The values of coefficient  $E$  are

$E = 0.86$  for triangular crest  
 $E = 1.20$  for trapezoidal crest.

In a local scour as shown in Fig.6-6,

$$v = q/H, \quad v' = q'/H'$$

$$\therefore v' = (H/H')yv \quad (6.8)$$

Substituting the equation (6.8) into the equation (6.7), we get

$$d = (H/H')^2 (y/EK)^2 v^2 \quad (6.9)$$

Therefore, we can estimate the size of a stone which will not be moved by the flow in the scour hole, if we can get the values of scoured depth, unit discharge at the pier wall and the mean velocity at the normal depth. Weight of the stone can be approximately estimated by the following equation.

$$W = 2.65(4/3)\pi(d/2)^3 \quad (6.10)$$

Regarding the mean velocity  $v$ , we must take the velocity at the thalweg. Now, let  $v$  be the mean velocity at the thalweg and  $v_M$  the mean velocity of the whole water area, we get

$$v = (1/n)H^{2/3}I^{1/2}, \quad v_M = (1/n_M)R^{2/3}I_M^{1/2}$$

where  $n$  is coefficient of roughness,  $H$  water depth and  $I$  water-surface slope at the thalweg and  $n_M$  is coefficient of roughness,  $R$  mean depth and  $I_M$  water surface slope of the whole cross-sectional area. If we can approximately put

$$n = n_M, \quad I = I_M$$

the mean velocity at the thalweg between both the guide banks can be estimated by the following equation



$$v = (H/R)^{2/3} v_M \quad (6.11)$$

Now, if we take the values,  $g = 9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$ ,  $w_s = 2.65 \text{ t/m}^3$ ,  $w_o = 1 \text{ t/m}^3$ , and  $E = 1.20$ , the equation (6.9) becomes

$$d = 0.0215(H/H')^2 y^2 v^2 \quad (6.12)$$

According to the study made by Ishizaki and Honma, the relation between  $d/H$  and  $y$  is given by Fig.6-7. If we take  $H'/H = 1.8$  or  $d/H = 0.8$ , we get  $y = 2.05$  from Fig.6-7. On the other hand, the theoretical solution gives

$$v'/v = 1 + (X/r + 1)^{-2}$$

for the stage of non-scour, or  $y = 2$  at the pier wall. Therefore, we can understand that the value of  $y$  varies from 2 to 2.05 depending on the state of scour, from the beginning to the equilibrium, on the assumption that  $H'/H = 1.8$  or  $d_s/H = 0.8$ .

Since the value of  $y$  at the equilibrium state of scour scarcely differ from that at the beginning of scour, we can use the value  $y = 2.05$  for the intermediate state of scour. In this case, the equation (6.12) becomes

$$d = 0.09035(H/H')^2 v^2 \quad (6.13)$$

Tables 6-2-1 to 6-2-2 give the values of diameter  $d$  and weight  $W$  of the stones which will resist to the flow expected to occur at the bottom of scour hole. For this calculation, the equations (6.13) and (6.10) were used and, as mentioned above,  $H$  means water depth at a thalweg,  $H_s$  the water depth from the water surface to the bottom of the scour in the equilibrium state and  $H'$  a water depth of the scour in a state on the way to the equilibrium.

It will be considered on the basis of the results of the calculation shown in Table 6-2-1 to 6-2-2 as follows.

(a) Theoretically, it is necessary to place stones larger than those shown below so as not to allow any scour around piers. In practice, stones smaller than these may serve if additional supply for maintenance is considered.

Type A;	Nagarbari site	$d = 135 \text{ cm}$	$w = 3,430 \text{ kg}$
	Sirajganj site	$d = 171 \text{ cm}$	$w = 6,960 \text{ kg}$
	Gabargaon site	$d = 166 \text{ cm}$	$w = 6,370 \text{ kg}$
	Bahadurabad site	$d = 196 \text{ cm}$	$w = 10,480 \text{ kg}$
Type B;	Nagarbari site	$d = 115 \text{ cm}$	$w = 2,120 \text{ kg}$
	Sirajganj site	$d = 146 \text{ cm}$	$w = 4,340 \text{ kg}$
	Gabargaon site	$d = 144 \text{ cm}$	$w = 4,160 \text{ kg}$
	Bahadurabad site	$d = 171 \text{ cm}$	$w = 6,960 \text{ kg}$
Type C;	Nagarbari site	$d = 100 \text{ cm}$	$w = 1,380 \text{ kg}$
	Sirajganj site	$d = 122 \text{ cm}$	$w = 2,520 \text{ kg}$
	Gabargaon site	$d = 125 \text{ cm}$	$w = 2,740 \text{ kg}$
	Bahadurabad site	$d = 140 \text{ cm}$	$w = 3,820 \text{ kg}$

Table 6-2-1 Weight of Pitching Stone for Pier Apron

Site: Nagarbari

Type	B (m)	vm (m/s)	H (m)	v (m/s)	H'	H/H'	d (m)	W (t)
Hs = 101.050 Hs/H = 1.8								
A	2,000	1.993	56.139	3.871	56.139	1	1.352	3.429
					67	0.838	0.950	1.190
					78	0.720	0.701	0.480
					89	0.631	0.538	0.216
					101.050	0.556	0.418	0.101
Hs = 76.291 Hs/H = 1.8								
B	4,200	1.580	42.384	3.573	42.384	1	1.152	2.121
					50	0.848	0.828	0.788
					59	0.718	0.594	0.291
					68	0.623	0.447	0.125
					76.291	0.556	0.356	0.063
Hs = 66.285 Hs/H = 1.8								
C	5,200	1.468	36.825	3.319	36.825	1	0.997	1.379
					44	0.837	0.696	0.468
					51	0.722	0.518	0.193
					58	0.635	0.401	0.090
					66.285	0.556	0.307	0.041

Site: Sirajganj

Hs = 96.952 Hs/H = 1.8								
A	2,000	2.246	53.862	4.356	53.862	1	1.712	6.959
					60	0.898	1.381	3.653
					70	0.769	1.013	1.442
					80	0.673	0.776	0.648
					96.952	0.556	0.529	0.205
Hs = 73.348 Hs/H = 1.8								
B	4,200	1.780	40.749	4.026	40.749	1	1.463	4.343
					50	0.815	0.971	1.270
					60	0.679	0.674	0.425
					70	0.582	0.495	0.168
					73.348	0.556	0.452	0.128
Hs = 60.251 Hs/H = 1.8								
C	5,600	1.625	33.473	3.676	33.473	1	1.220	2.518
					40	0.837	0.854	0.864
					50	0.669	0.546	0.226
					60	0.558	0.380	0.076
					60.251	0.556	0.377	0.074

Table 6-2-2 Weight Pitching Stone for Pier Apron

Site: Gabargaon

Type	B (m)	vm (m/s)	H (m)	v (m/s)	H' (m)	H/H'	d (m)	w (t)
						Hs = 98.804	Hs/H = 1.8	
A	2,000	2.209	54.891	4.291	54.891	1	1.662	6.370
					65	0.844	1.184	2.303
					76	0.722	0.866	0.901
					87	0.631	0.662	0.403
					98.804	0.556	0.514	0.188
						Hs = 73.874	Hs/H = 1.8	
B	4,200	1.767	41.041	3.997	41.041	1	1.442	4.160
					49	0.838	1.012	1.438
					57	0.720	0.748	0.581
					65	0.631	0.574	0.262
					73.874	0.556	0.446	0.123
						Hs = 63.997	Hs/H = 1.8	
C	5,200	1.648	35.554	3.728	35.554	1	1.254	2.736
					42	0.847	0.900	1.011
					49	0.726	0.661	0.403
					56	0.635	0.506	0.180
					63.997	0.556	0.388	0.081

Site: Bahadurabad

						Hs = 90.976	Hs/H = 1.8	
A	2,000	2.400	50.542	4.662	50.542	1	1.961	10.479
					60	0.842	1.391	3.807
					70	0.722	1.022	1.481
					80	0.632	0.783	0.669
					90.976	0.556	0.606	0.309
						Hs = 67.828	Hs/H = 1.8	
B	4,200	1.925	37.682	4.354	36.682	1	1.711	6.962
					45	0.837	1.199	2.400
					52	0.725	0.899	1.011
					60	0.628	0.675	0.429
					67.828	0.556	0.529	0.207
						Hs = 56.212	Hs/H = 1.8	
C	5,600	1.742	31.229	3.940	31.229	1	1.401	3.824
					37	0.844	0.998	1.379
					43	0.726	0.738	0.558
					50	0.625	0.547	0.228
					56.212	0.556	0.433	0.113

(b) If a pier be sunk deep enough to have a required grip length from the bottom of the equilibrium scour hole, it is of course unnecessary to place stones in the hole, because, in the state of equilibrium, the scoured hole will be supplied with sediment by water flow and hold a definite equilibrium depth. The values given in the tables mean the sizes of stones which will not be moved without the supply of sediment.

(c) If we want to reduce secured depth or hold a depth  $H'$  smaller than  $H_s$ , it will be necessary to place stones of the order of sizes calculated in the tables with regard to scoured depth  $H'$ . Also in this case, stones smaller than these will serve if we consider the continuous supply of sediment to the hole and maintenance supplement of stones.

(d) Since the sizes of stones given in the tables are those capable of resisting to the maximum velocity at the pier wall, it may be allowed to use smaller stones on the downstream side of the pier.

### 3.3. Thickness of stones to be placed.

In our judgement, it will be necessary to provide the same thickness as in the case of the apron in the meaning of preventing the leakage of sand through voids of the placed stones.

## CHAPTER VII

### COMPARISON OF THE FOUR PROPOSED SITES

#### 1. Geomorphological Comparison.

M. Ohya prepared geomorphological land classification maps of the four areas including the proposed bridge sites by photointerpretation and field investigations. These are shown in Figs.7-1 and 7-2.

##### 1.1. Bahadurabad site and its vicinity.

There are alluvial fans along both banks of the river. The alluvial fans in Japan consist of sand and gravel and have steep slopes, but it is merely sand and very flat in the Bahadurabad region. This phenomena are caused by severer chemical-weathering of rock than in Japan because this area belongs to a subtropical region. Also the width of the fan is narrow but the length is short. Two alluvial fans are developed as long narrow stripes along the left bank. Old alluvial plains which consist of natural levees and back-swamps are located in the above-mentioned fans. The old alluvial fans were formed before 1830. The shape of the fan indicates that the formation process is not completed yet.

##### 1.2. Gabargaon site and its vicinity.

Width of the alluvial fan in this area is wider than that in the Bahadurabad region. Old alluvial plains formed before 1830 are seen here and there in the fan. The old alluvial plains consist of natural levees, back-swamps, former river courses, etc. On the right bank, there are a number of large river courses.

##### 1.3. Sirajganj site and its vicinity.

The above-mentioned two places are alluvial fans but the Sirajganj area is a natural levee region. Several distributaries are diverted at Bahadurabad but astricted at the upper part of the Sirajganj area. Namely the distributaries form anabranches. Thereafter the distributaries are diverted again at the lower reaches of the Sirajganj area. There are cliffs about 4 m high between the present alluvial plain and the old alluvial plain on the left bank of the Jamuna River. Distinct regional differences in topography are seen between the present alluvial plain and the old alluvial plain as shown in Fig.7-2. There are many natural levees in the old alluvial plain but few in the present alluvial plain. The town of Sirajganj is located in the old alluvial plain, that is, the town is located in a narrow of the plain (about 10 km or 6.2 mi in width) which was formed by the old alluvial plain. The villages located on the natural levees on the right bank were founded 150 or 200 years ago.

##### 1.4. Aricha, Nagarbari and their Vicinity.

There are distinct differences in regional geomorphology between the left and the right banks in this region. There is a big swamp-area

Fig.7-1 Geomorphological Land Classification Map of the Jamuna River Basin

Bahadura bad, Gabargoon and it's Surrounding Area

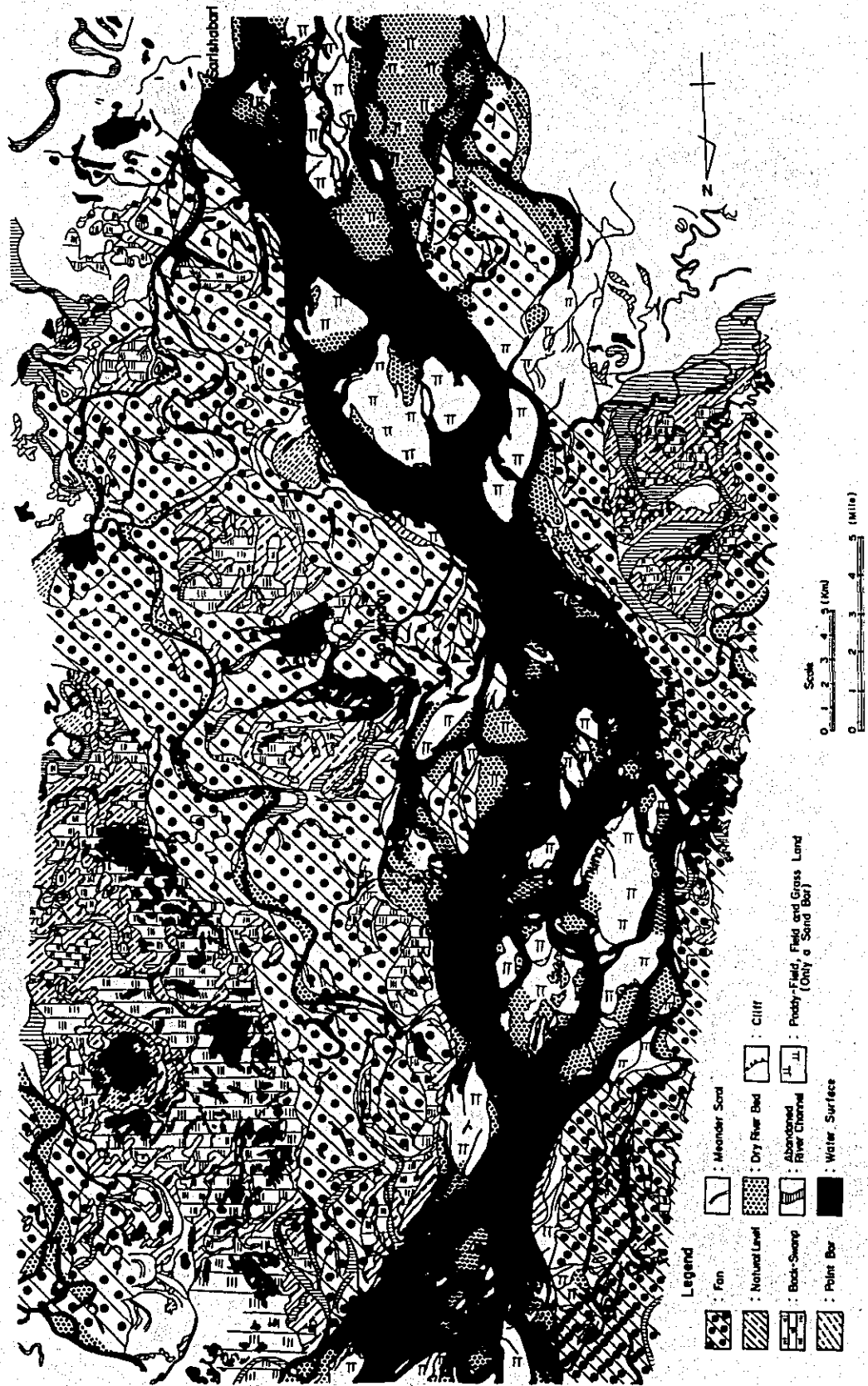


Fig.7 - 2 Geomorphological Land Classification Map of the Jamuna River Basin

Sirajganj and its Surrounding Area



Naqarbari, Aricha and its Surrounding Area



- Legend
- : Fan
  - : Natural Level
  - : Back-Swamp
  - : Point Bar
  - : Meander Scrot
  - : Dry River Bed
  - : Abandoned River Channel
  - : Water Surface
  - : Cliff
  - : Paddy-Field, Field and Grassland (Only a Sand Bar)

on the right bank. The area was formed by the back-water of the Ganges during flood time. On the left bank, natural levees are developed. The levees were formed not by the present Jamuna River but the former rivers. There is a distinct former river course whose width is about 3.5 km or 2.2 mi on the left bank.

#### 1.5. Comparison of the four sites.

The geomorphological features of the four sites are summarized in Table 7-1. Namely the Bahadurabad and Gabargaon sites are located on the alluvial fan, whereas Sirajganj is located in a natural levee region and Nagarbari and Aricha are located in natural-levee or delta regions.

Generally speaking, shifting of river courses in the alluvial fan was frequent. The width of the river in the alluvial fan is wider than that in the natural levee region because it is difficult to confine flood water within banks in the former cases. Furthermore, age of formation of the alluvial fan is new, namely since 1830. Therefore, it is still unstable in the Bahadurabad and Gabargaon regions. But we can find that the stage of the Jamuna River in these regions is advancing little by little. There are small and narrow natural levees being formed along the river courses. This shows that the river courses are being stabilized little by little.

River course in natural-levee region is more stable than that in alluvial fan. The reason is as follows; natural levee has not been formed by flood flow from upper reaches but by overflow from the main channel to its adjacent regions. Natural levees formed in stripes indicate stability of the river course. In Japan, there are more bridges in natural levee region than in alluvial fan. From this viewpoint, we can regard that the Sirajganj site is the most stable place among the four.

Aricha and Nagarbari are located in the natural levee or the delta region. But the region is remarkably influenced by the flow of the Ganges. It was found that changes in river banks in this region are the largest among the four.

At Sirajganj, there is a narrow which has been formed by the old alluvial plain, whose width is about 10 km or 6.2 mi. According to studies of plains in Japan, a narrow is located in an anticline region but a wider area is located in a syncline region. If further research can be conducted in this region, we will be able to confirm the process of formation of this narrow.

#### 2. River-morphological Comparison.

Changes in bank lines of the Jamuna River were studied in 3, Chapter II and they were shown in Fig.2-7 and Fig.2-8. It is seen from these figures that the proposed bridge sites are rightly situated at nodes of width variation along the river course and the variation of the banklines is comparatively stable at these nodes.

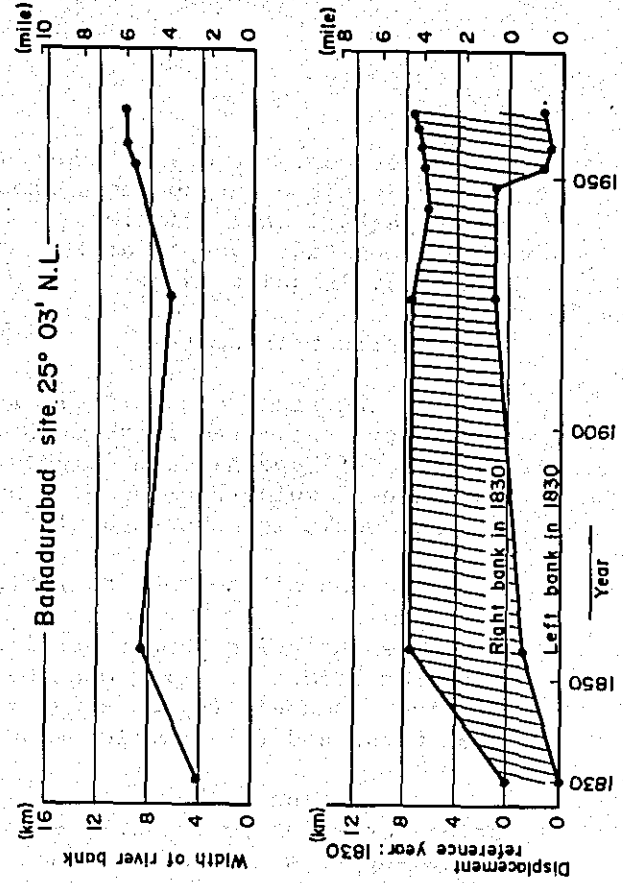
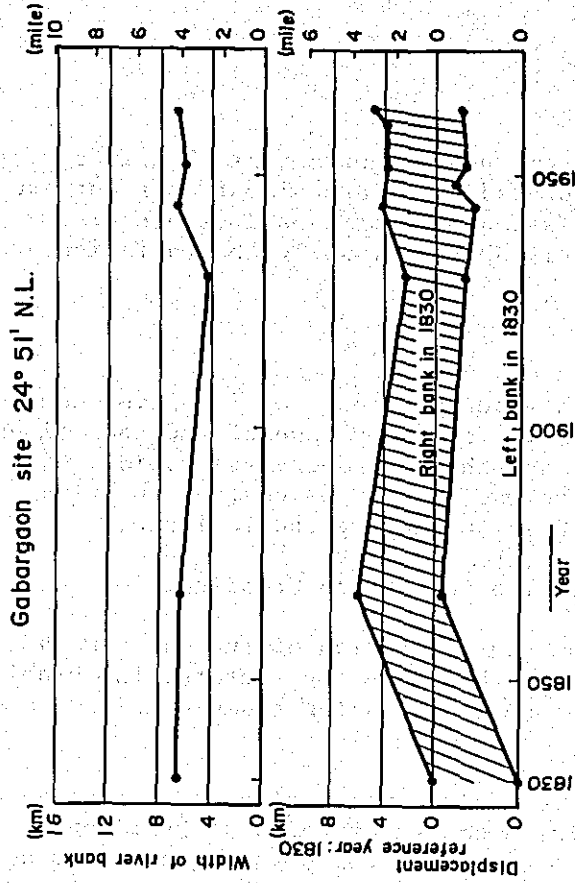
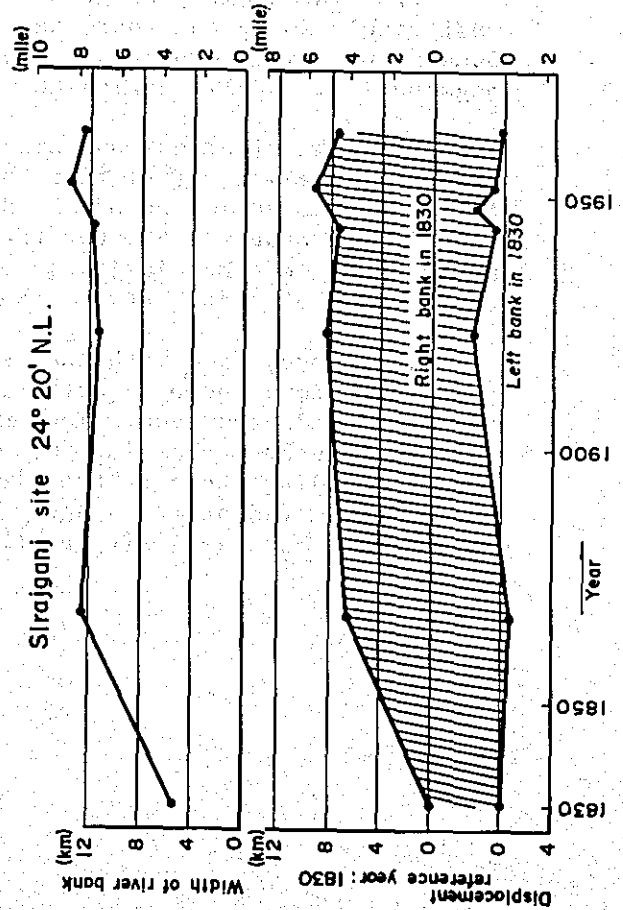
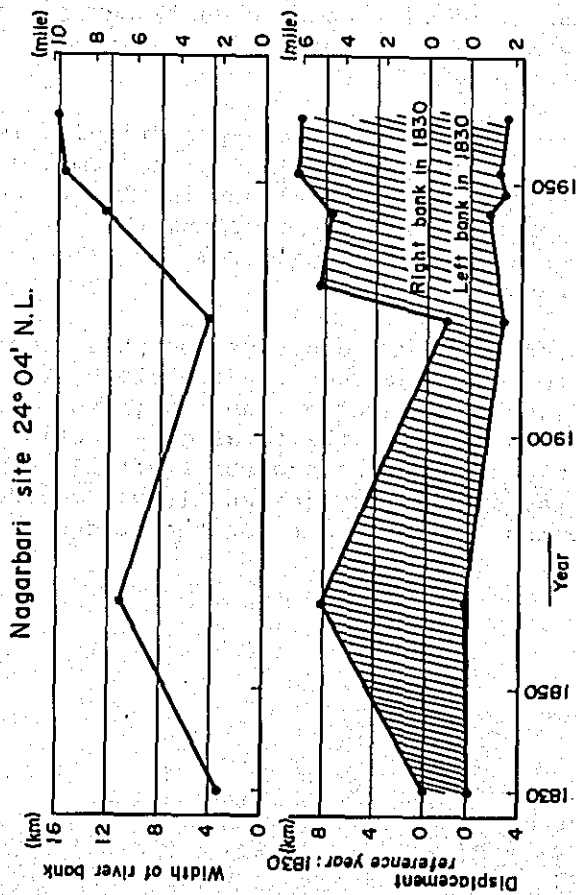
Fig. 7-3 shows time variation of river width and time variation of banklines at the proposed bridge sites taking the year of 1830 as



Table 7-1 Comparison of geomorphology among the four proposed bridge sites

Item of Comparison	Geomorphology of inland region				
	River morphology	Left bank		Right bank	
		Geomorphological element	Deposition by Jamuna River	Geomorphological element	Deposition by Jamuna River
Place Name	Geomorphological element	Deposition by Jamuna River	Geomorphological element	Deposition by Jamuna River	
BAHADURABAD	Braided stream	Alluvial fan	Natural levee	Alluvial fan	Natural levee
	Alluvial fan	Natural levee	Back-swamp	Natural levee	Back-swamp
		Back-swamp	Point bar		
		Point bar	Former river course (big)		
GABARGAON	Braided stream	Alluvial fan	Natural levee	Alluvial fan	Natural levee
	Alluvial fan	Natural levee	Back-swamp	Natural levee	Back-swamp
		Former river course (big)		Back-swamp	
SIRAJGANJ	Natural levee	Natural levee	Natural levee (big)	Natural levee	Natural levee (big)
		Back-swamp	Back swamp	Former river course (clear)	
NAGARBARI	Natural levee	Natural levee	Natural levee	Natural levee	Natural levee
	Change of the river bank is remarkable	Back-swamp	Back-swamp	Back-swamp	Back-swamp
		Delta	Delta	Delta	Delta

Fig. 7-3 Displacement of River Banks



the reference. It may be found from these figures that the river widths at Sirajganj, Gabargaon and Bahadurabad sites are almost constant except for Nagarbari and variations of displacement of banklines are also almost constant except for the early 30 years, while the variation at Nagarbari is quite large.

### 3. Comparison in Costs.

At the stage of the preliminary design, costs of the river control works were estimated in 8, Chapter V. In every case of the four sites, the cost of Type-A is the highest and the cost decreases rapidly with increase of guide-bank span. Therefore, so far as cost of the river control works is concerned, Type-C is the most economical one.

### 4. Selection of the Most Suitable Site for Bridge Crossing.

The Inception Report mentions that selection of the most suitable site for bridge crossing must be made based on the factors; (a) stability of river channel, (b) construction costs including those of river control works and (c) traffic volume.

As mentioned above, all the four sites which have been proposed as bridge crossing points are certainly located at nodes of braiding, which suggests that any of them is favorable for spanning a bridge across the river.

From the geomorphological point of view, the Sirajganj narrow is most stable among the four, the Gabargaon site comes closely next, the Bahadurabad site compares unfavorably with the former two and the Nagarbari site falls behind any of the others.

From the river-morphological point of view, the Nagarbari site is the worst one while the other three are almost equal judging from the fact that the variation of the displacement of banklines is almost constant since nearly 1860, but the Gabargaon site is best and the Bahadurabad and the Sirajganj sites are almost equal from the aspect of the size of width between the banks.

Therefore, from both the geomorphological and river-morphological points of view, there is nothing to choose between the two sites of Sirajganj and Gabargaon. Taking into consideration the other two factors together, that is, further considering the total construction costs including those of the river control works and the traffic volume estimated at the stage of the preliminary design, it was decided to take the Sirajganj site as the most suitable one for the bridge crossing.

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## CHAPTER VIII

### RIVER CONTROL WORKS AT SIRAJGANJ SITE

#### 1. Determination of Spanning Site.

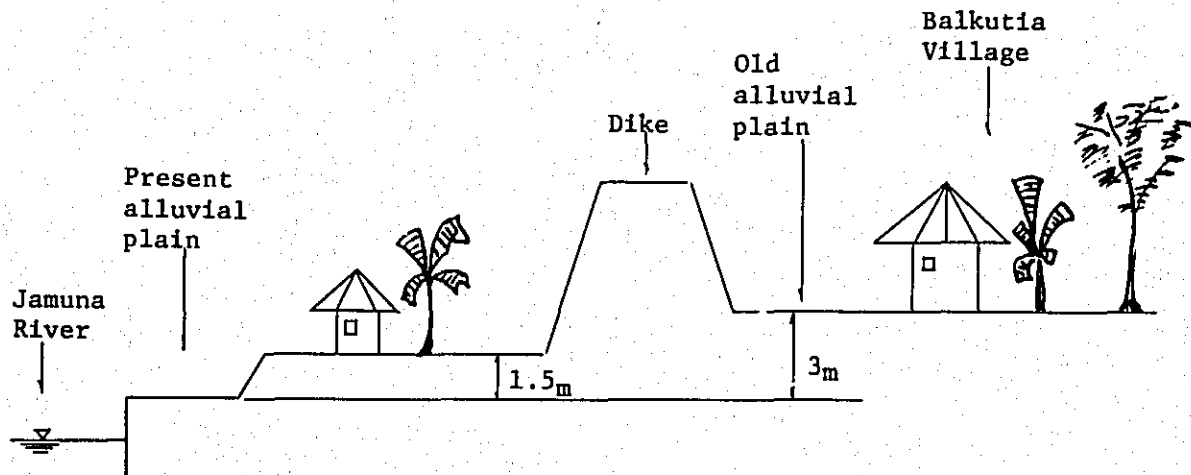
At a meeting which was held at Dacca from Oct. 28, 1974 to Nov. 6, 1974, Sirajganj site was chosen as the most suitable site and the spanning site or the bridge axis was located during the Study Teams' stay in Dacca from Nov. 29, 1974 to Dec. 14, 1974 based on the aerophotographs newly taken by the Japanese Surveying Team in Nov. 1974.

Topography of the area surrounding the bridge axis is shown in Fig.8-1.

M. Ohya prepared a geomorphological land classification map of the Sirajganj area utilizing the above-mentioned photographs. This is shown in Fig.8-2.

Two alluvial terraces are found on the left bank in the Sirajganj site. As shown in Fig.8-3, relative height of the lower terrace is 1.5 m and that of the higher terrace is 3 m. The lower terrace is utilized as upland-crops field. This area is not inundated by ordi-

Fig.8-3 Schematic Cross Section of the Left Bank of the Sirajganj Area



nary floods but occasionally inundated when high floods occur. The depth of inundation is relatively shallow. Small villages have been settled for 25 or 30 years on this lower terrace.

The higher terrace is surrounded by cliffs as shown in Fig.8-3. The cliff continues from north to south but the relative height is highest on the opposite side of Sirajganj Town. Balkutia Village which is located on this terrace is surrounded by dikes which were con-

Fig. 8-1 Topography of the Area Surrounding the Axis

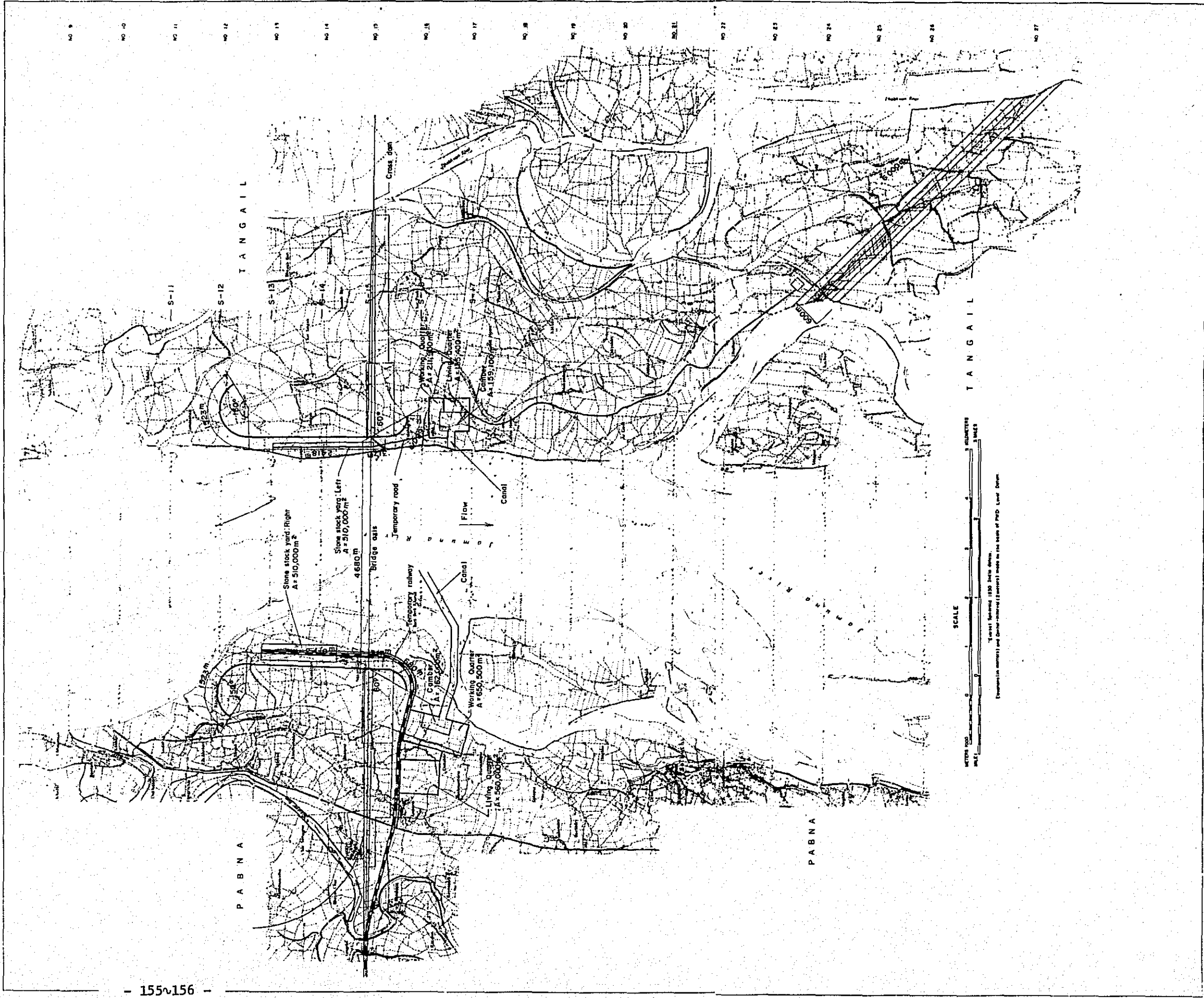


Fig. 8-2 GEOMORPHOLOGIC MAP OF THE BRAHMAPU  
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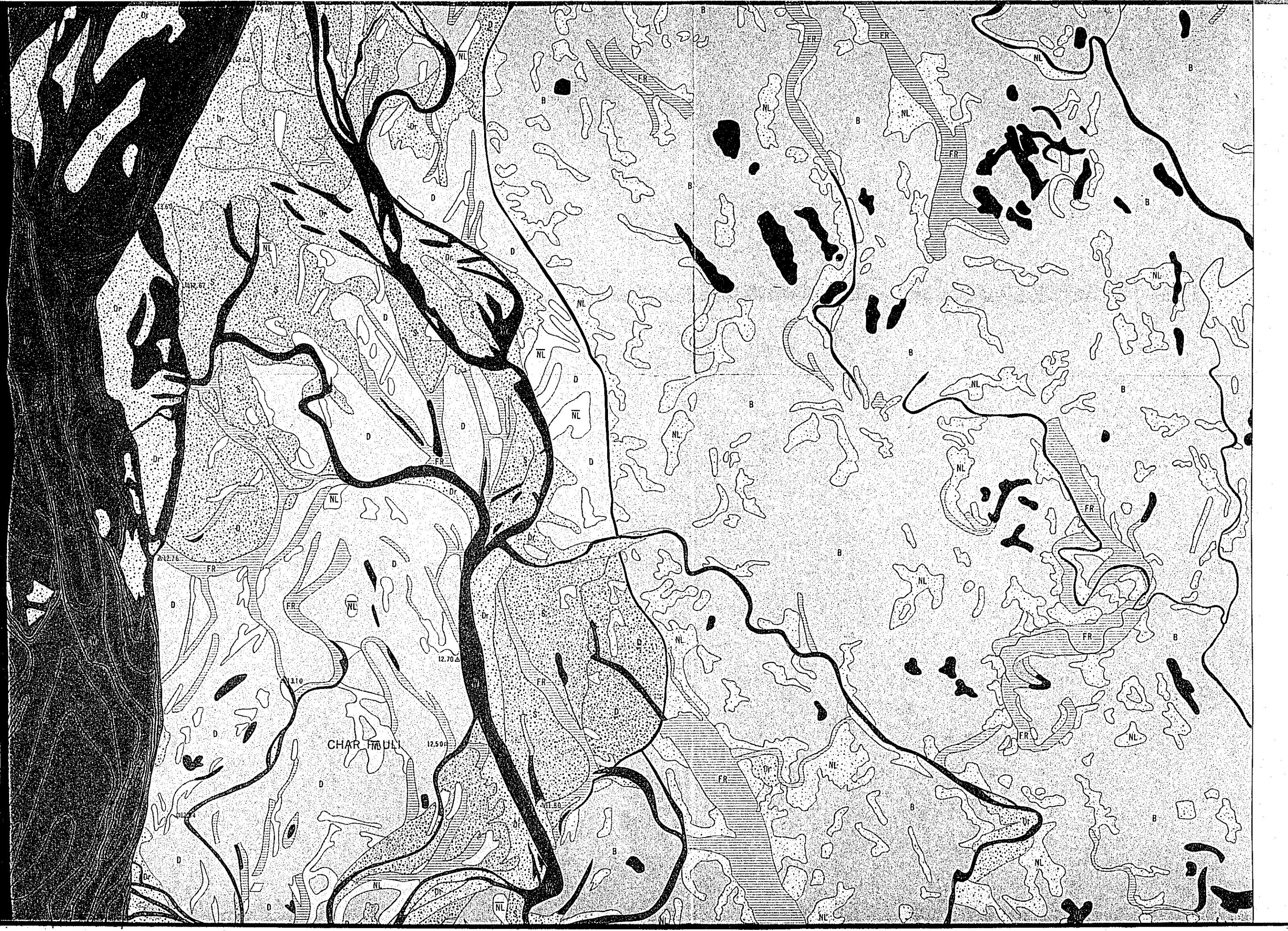
# MAP OF THE BRAHMAPUTRA-JAMUNA RIVER BASIN (AJGANJ AND ITS SURROUNDING AREA)







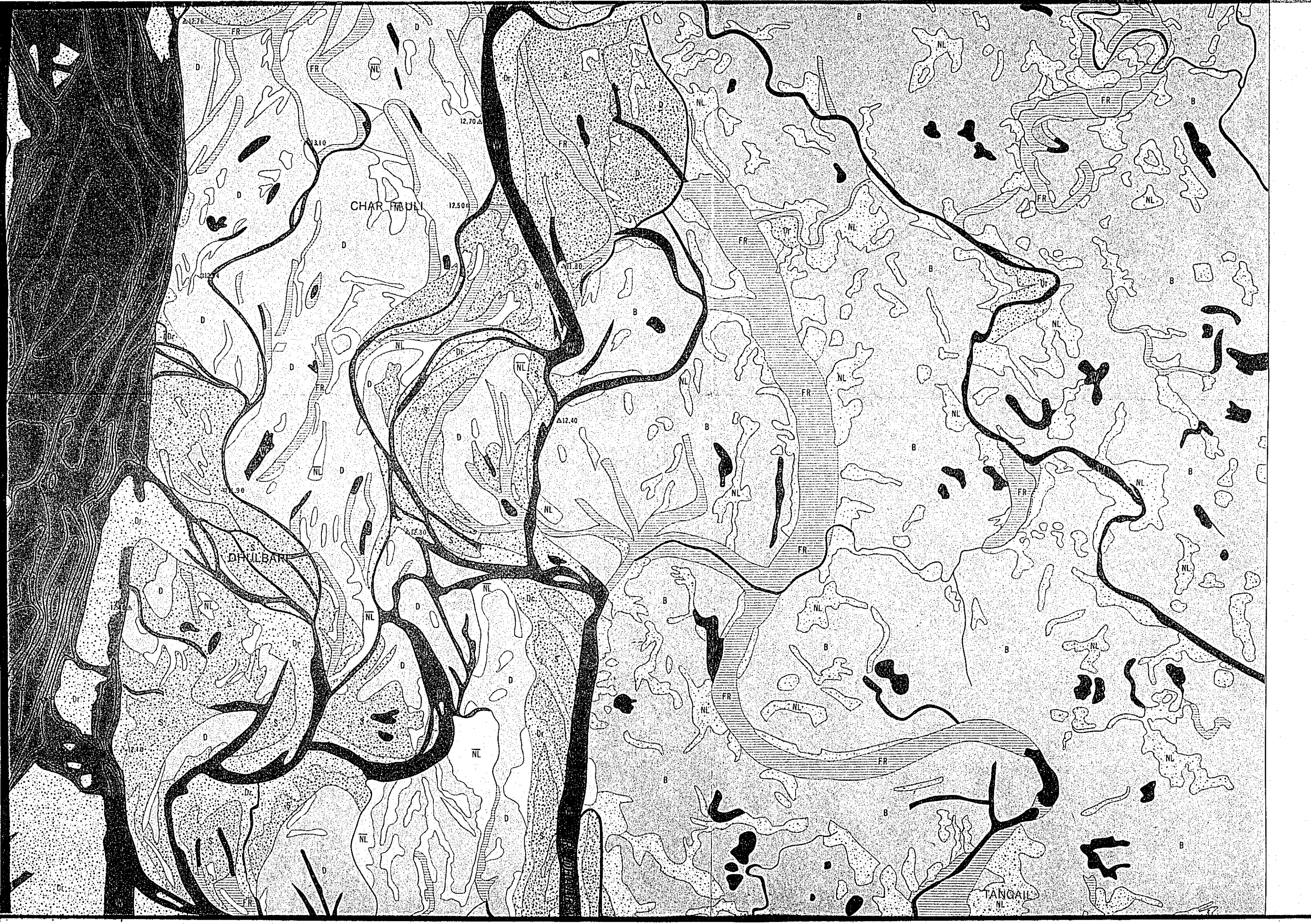










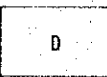



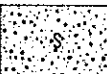
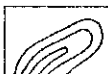
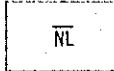
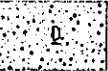









EXPLANATORY NOTES

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|  BOUNDARY OF TOPOGRAPHY AND CLIFF  |  BACK-SWAMP          |  SANDY DELTA FORMED BY R. BRAHMAPUTRA-JAMUNA DURING THE LAST 140-160 YEARS |  WATER SURFACE  |
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BASE PHOTO MAP WAS MADE FROM AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHS TAKEN IN DECEMBER 1974.  
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PUTRA-JAMUNA  WATER SURFACE

 CONTOUR LINE OF THE GROUND HEIGHT IN METERS OF THE RIVER BED

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structed in 1965. Before construction of the dikes, this area was sometimes inundated during high floods but after the construction of dikes, no inundation has occurred. There are not only upland-crop fields, but also many big trees. From the research by hearing and the size of these big trees, it was found that the village was founded 150 or 200 years ago, that is, around the same year or just before the present Brahmaputra-Jamuna River was formed. Sirajganj is also an old town.

As seen in Fig.8-3, there are geomorphological regional differences between the inside of the cliff i.e. protected area and the outside of it i.e. unprotected area. The former has many but small natural levees but the latter was few. M. Ohya presumed that the natural levees were formed not by the present Brahmaputra-Jamuna River but by the rivers such as the Tista which flowed in the area before formation of the present Brahmaputra-Jamuna River.

Based on the photo-interpretation of the ERTS, M. Ohya found a light black-colored belt crossing the Brahmaputra-Jamuna River from NNW to SSE at Sirajganj. The belt is presumed to be an old alluvial plain. This indicates that the old alluvial plain which had been formed not by the present Brahmaputra-Jamuna River but by the former rivers such as the Tista was developed around Sirajganj. At Sirajganj, there is a narrow (about 10 km in width) which consists of old alluvial plain which was formed 150 or 200 years ago. This means that Sirajganj and its opposite side have been stable for the last 150 or 200 years. Except for Sirajganj and its opposite side we can not find any place of old alluvial plain. This is the main reason why this place is suitable for bridge construction from the viewpoint of geomorphology.

As mentioned previously in Chapter VII, the upper region from Sirajganj is an alluvial fan, whereas the lower region is a natural levee region. The river course in the natural levee region is more stable than that in the alluvial fan. Also from this viewpoint, the Sirajganj site is suitable for bridge crossing.

In view of topographical consideration of the aerophotograph and geomorphological consideration mentioned above, the bridge axis was chosen about 12 km downstream of the town of Sirajganj as shown in Fig.8-1. In accordance with the idea mentioned in Chapter III, guide-bank system was adopted together with cross dikes for the purpose of guiding flow and protecting bridge abutments and approaches. The arrangement of the guide banks and the cross dikes are shown in Fig. 8-1. In this case, the left-side approach must cross the Dhaleswari River. But, if the approach will cross the river by a bridge, this opening on the approach may have a possibility of inducing flood flow and causing serious damages to the approach and the bridge as well. In order to protect the approach from this menace, we will have to place another pair of guide banks around this opening. This pair of guide banks will be built nearly on the same scale as the main guide banks and especially, the right bank on the Dhaleswari will have to be connected with the left guide bank of the Jamuna.

This system ought to need another huge cost and, in spite of this treatment, will not be able to escape from the menace of strong



flood flow to run through the opening. Therefore, we decided to cross the Dhaleswari by a cross dam and to connect the Dhaleswari with the Jamuna by excavating a new channel making use of a branch located about 6 km downstream of the bridge axis. This is also shown in Fig. 8-1.

Further in future, in making detail designs, hydraulic model tests are recommendable for determining the alignment and the length of the guide banks including the Dhaleswari new channel.

## 2. Design discharge.

The flood said to be the biggest discharge in the record of Jamuna River arose in July 1974. According to B.W.D.B., water level and discharge recorded at Bahadurabad station are as follows.

Date	Aug. 7th, 1974
W.L.	65.55 ft PWD
Discharge	3,210,000 cfs (90,920 m <sup>3</sup> /s)

This discharge, as easily recognized when compared with the discharges in Table 2-3, is extremely big.

This flood is not included in the samples for statistical analysis in 1, Chapter IV, because this happened after the study on Phase I. As this discharge is very important, the statistical analysis has been executed again with the same procedure as in 1, Chapter IV, including this discharge and data in 1971 that were proved to be available afterwards, into the samples in Table 2-3.

Table 8-1 shows the data and Fig.8-4 shows the calculation result by Thomas plot method.

Table 8-2 shows the return period of discharge based on Fig.8-4. The series 1, 2, 3, 4 of these calculation are the same as mentioned in 1, Chapter IV.

Based upon this results, under the same reason as in 1, Chapter IV, the average value of the series 1, 2, 3, 4 has been taken as the return period of discharge at Bahadurabad site.

Design discharge is as shown in Fig.8-5 as the results of discharge allocation with the same idea as explained in 2, 3, Chapter IV.

Based on Fig.8-5, the design discharge for bridge construction at Sirajganj site has been determined as 96,850 m<sup>3</sup>/s (3,420,000 cfs).

## 3. Guide-bank Span and Design High-water Level.

The design discharge was determined as 3,420,000 cfs or 96,850 m<sup>3</sup>/s as already mentioned above. Net minimum width between the pair of guide banks was calculated at 4,200 m for this discharge by using the third method mentioned in Chapter III. On the other hand, the study in the bridge planning gives a span of 177.5 m as the most economical one and a pier width of 13 m as required therefore. Hence we need 26



Fig. 8-4 Return Period of Discharge at Bahadurabad

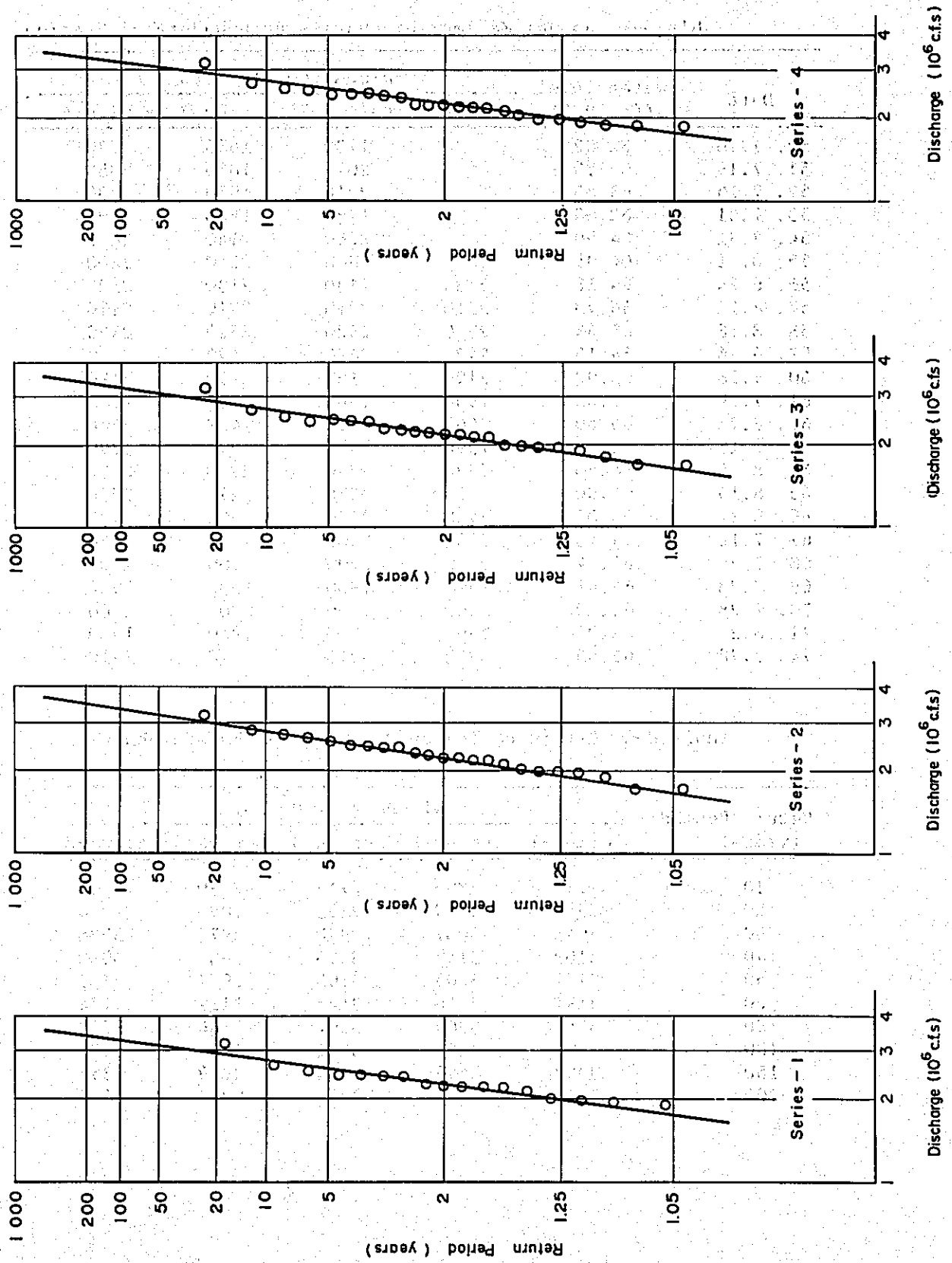


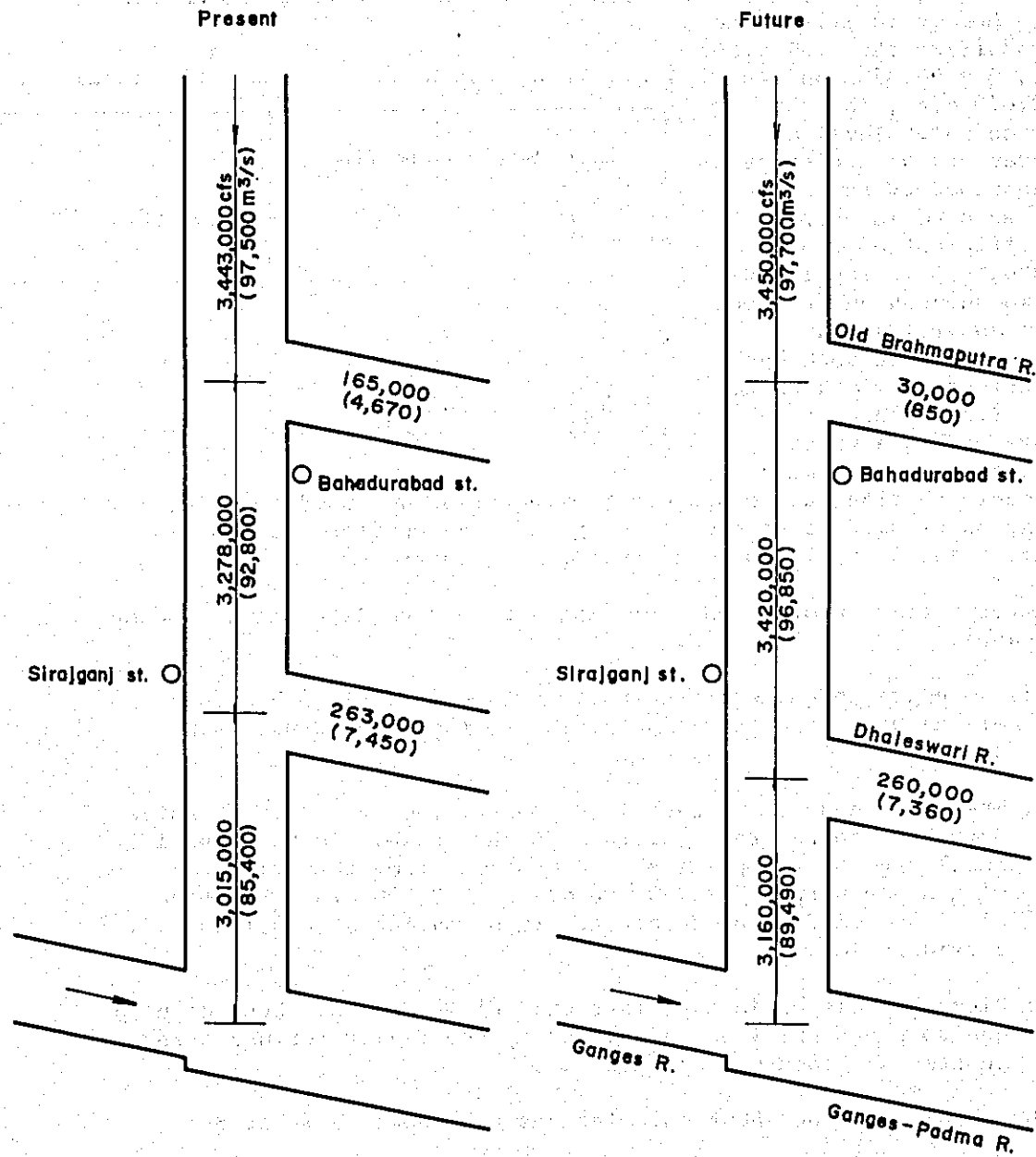
Table 8-1 Annual Maximum Discharges at Bahadurabad Station

Date	water level (ft, PWD)	Discharge ( $10^3$ cfs)			
		series-1	series-2	series-3	series-4
50. 7.20	62.02		1730	1680	1870
51. 7.19	62.80		2020	1800	2050
52. 7.15	63.55		2310	1950	2230
53. 7.31	62.00		1730	1680	1890
54. 7.31	64.50		2660	2140	2450
55. 8. 1	64.95		2800	2240	2600
56. 6.24	64.18	2130	2130	2130	2130
57. 8.12	64.78	2210	2210	2210	2210
58. 8.18	65.65	2520	2520	2520	2520
59. 6.26	64.15	2420	2420	2420	2420
60. 9.18	63.90	2190	2190	2190	2190
61. 7.19	62.03	1900	1900	1900	1900
62. 8.23	65.60	2460	2460	2460	2460
63. 7.16	63.43	1990	1990	1990	1990
64. 8. 4	64.40	2230	2230	2230	2230
65. 8.15	64.00	2270	2270	2270	2270
66. 8.31	64.05	2430	2430	2430	2430
67. 7.12	63.43	2460	2460	2460	2460
68. 7.25	64.22	2200	2200	2200	2200
69. 7.23	64.65	1980	1980	1980	1980
70. 7.28	65.20	2700	2700	2700	2700
71. 8.21	63.05	1960	1960	1960	1960
74. 7.28	65.55	3210	3210	3210	3210

Table 8-2 Return Period of Discharge at Bahadurabad  
(by Thomas method)

Return Period (years)	Discharge ( $10^3$ cfs)				
	Series-1	Series-2	Series-3	Series-4	Average
10	2797	2809	2719	2739	2766
20	2960	2989	2893	2893	2934
30	3048	3087	2990	2977	3026
40	3109	3154	3055	3-34	3088
50	3154	3205	3105	3077	3135
60	3191	3246	3145	3112	3174
80	3248	3309	3207	3166	3233
100	3291	3358	3254	3207	3278
150	3369	3444	3338	3279	3358
200	3422	3504	3396	3330	3413

Fig. 8-5 Discharge Allocation of Jamuna River  
 ( for 100yr. flood')

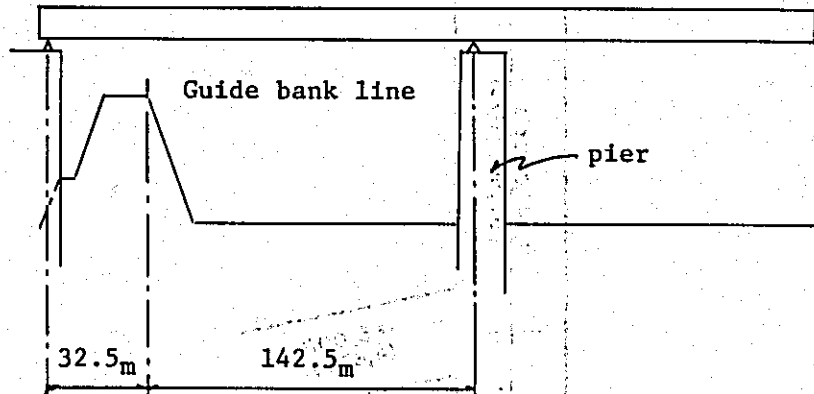


piers in total. If we assume 25 % of the total widths of the piers to be a loss of width to be added to the total piers width and assume an arrangement of guide bank and abutment as shown below, we obtain 4,680 m or 15,354.3 ft as the guide-bank span.

Using the topographic map and the cross sections of the river which were prepared by the Japanese Surveying Team based on the surveyings which were made during the dry season from November 1974 to February 1975, water level was calculated on the stretch of 23 km from Section No. 26 to Section No.

3 on condition that (a) discharge;  $Q = 96,850 \text{ cub.m/s}$  (3,420,000 cfs), (b) the reference water level at the lower end of the stretch is determined by the same method as used in Chapter V, (c) coefficient of roughness is 0.020, (d) interval between two successive sections is 1 km and (e) distance between cliffs on both banks is an effective width of the river. Since there are shallows within a width, river section was treated

as a double section and nonuniform-flow equation was used for the calculation assuming that the discharge will be confined within two embankments to be built on both banks in the future.



Water surface profile was calculated with regard to the following three cases.

Case 1: There are no guide banks and the Dhaleswari River branches at the present bifurcation; that is, the present natural state.

Case 2: The river channel in Case 1 is constricted by a pair of guide banks but there are no piers. In this case, the Dhaleswari shall branch at a point 6 km downstream from the bridge axis with a discharge of 7,360 cub.m/s or 260,000 cfs. Lowering of river bed due to the constriction shall be taken into consideration.

Case 3: Piers are placed in the river channel in Case 2. Loss of head due to piers shall be calculated by the Nagler formula using constants obtained by Yarnel.

The results of the above calculations are shown in Table 8-3.

Table 8-3 Water Level on the Stretch of 23 km  
of the Sirajganj Bridge Site

NO	Case 1		Case 2		Case 3	
	P.W.D.(m)	P.W.D.(ft)	P.W.D.(m)	P.W.D.(ft)	P.W.D.(m)	P.W.D.(ft)
26	14.550	47.74	14.550	47.74	14.550	47.74
25	14.611	47.94	14.611	47.94	14.611	47.94
24	14.654	48.08	14.654	48.08	14.654	48.08
23	14.685	48.18	14.685	48.18	14.685	48.18
22	14.710	48.26	14.710	48.26	14.710	48.26
21	14.747	48.38	14.753	48.40	14.753	48.40
20	14.847	48.71	14.882	48.83	14.882	48.83
19	14.876	48.81	14.913	48.93	14.913	48.93
18	14.936	49.00	14.983	49.16	14.983	49.16
17	15.032	49.32	15.079	49.47	15.079	49.47
16	15.109	49.57	15.162	49.74	15.162	49.74
15	15.106	49.56	15.196	49.86	15.221	49.94
14	15.090	49.51	15.151	49.71	15.176	49.79
13	15.230	49.97	15.303	50.21	15.327	50.29
12	15.348	50.35	15.445	50.67	15.468	50.75
11	15.420	50.59	15.546	51.00	15.568	51.08
10	15.419	50.59	15.494	50.83	15.517	50.91
9	15.562	51.06	15.659	51.37	15.680	51.44
8	15.705	51.53	15.821	51.91	15.840	51.97
7	15.783	51.78	15.909	52.19	15.928	52.26
6	15.947	51.99	16.094	52.80	16.112	52.86
5	16.049	52.65	16.208	53.18	16.226	53.23
4	16.136	52.94	16.306	53.50	16.323	53.55
3	16.215	53.20	16.382	53.75	16.398	53.80

This table indicates that (a) in cases 1 and 2, water-level difference at a point closely upstream of the bridge (Section No.15) is 9 cm, that is, the constriction due to the guide banks and the replacement of the inlet channel of the Dhaleswari will cause a rise of water level of 9 cm at a point closely upstream of the bridge and (b) water-level difference between case 2 and case 3 is 2.5 cm or loss of head due to piers is 2.5 cm. It must be noticed that these rises of water level are all those in case flood water is confined within embankments to be built on both river banks.

In consideration of the water level 15.221 m at Section No.15 in Case 3, we decided to take 15.25 m or 50.033 ft PWD as the design high water level at the bridge axis.

#### 4. Guide Banks and Cross Dikes.

##### 4.1. Guide banks.

According to the study mentioned in 2, Chapter V, guide banks were arranged as shown in Fig.8-1. Length of circular arc at the upper end of one guide bank is 1,523 m, length of straight portion is 2,735 m, length of the lower arc is 680 m and total length of one guide bank is

4,938 m or 16,200 ft. If we place another guide bank of the same shape and the same length on the opposite side, the length of the pair of guide banks amounts to 9,876 m or 32,400 ft in total. Other dimensions were also determined by the same methods as studied in 4, Chapter V.

(a) Crown height of guide bank.

Crown height of guide bank was set at 18.25 m PWD adding 3 m of freeboard to the design high-water level.

(b) Crown width.

Crown width of guide bank was set at 10 m.

(c) Gradient of slope face.

Gradient of river-side face was set at 1 : 3 and that of land-side face was set at 1 : 2. But the latter shall be 1 : 3 as a whole including berms on the face.

(d) Apron.

Lowering of river bed between the pair of guide banks and water depth at thalweg between the guide banks were calculated by the methods mentioned in 4, Chapter V. The calculation is shown in Table 8-4. From this table, it was found that depth at thalweg below ground level would be 37.1 m at the foot of the left guide bank and 36.1 m at the foot of the right guide bank. Based on these depths, lengths of aprons were determined as follows.

Left apron:  $L = 1.5 D = 55.7$  m.

Right apron:  $L = 1.5 D = 54.2$  m.

Table 8-4 Mean Depth and Thalweg Depth between Both Guide-Banks

Without guide-banks:

B (m)	$B_m$ (m)	$H_m$ (m)	A ( $m^2$ )
5,560	4,697	9.776	45,915

With guide banks:

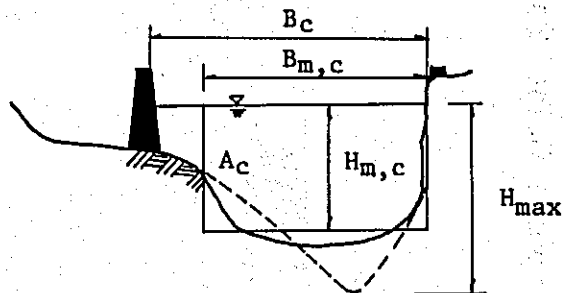
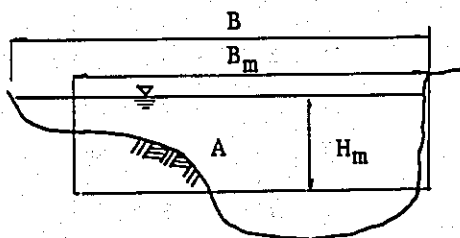
$B_c$ (m)	$B_{m,c}$ (m)	$B_{m,c}/B_m$	$(B_{m,c}/B_m)^{-0.69}$	$H_{m,c}$	$H_{max}$ (m)
4,680	3,628	0.7724	1.195	11.682	39.719

Without guide banks

$B$  : River width  
 $A$  : Water area  
 $H_m$  : Mean depth  
 $B_m$  :  $A/H_m$

With guide-banks

$B_c$  : River width  
 $A_c$  : Water area  
 $H_{m,c}$  : Mean depth  
 $B_{m,c}$  :  $A_c/H_{m,c}$   
 $H_{max}$  : Thalweg depth



It was decided that stone should be used for apron after study of alternative materials or methods. Thickness of the apron was set at 3 m after the idead mentioned in Chapter V.

(e) Weight of pitching stone.

Weight of pitching stone was determined at 60 to 100 kg for revetment on river-side face and 30 to 70 kg for aprons according to the study in Chapter V.

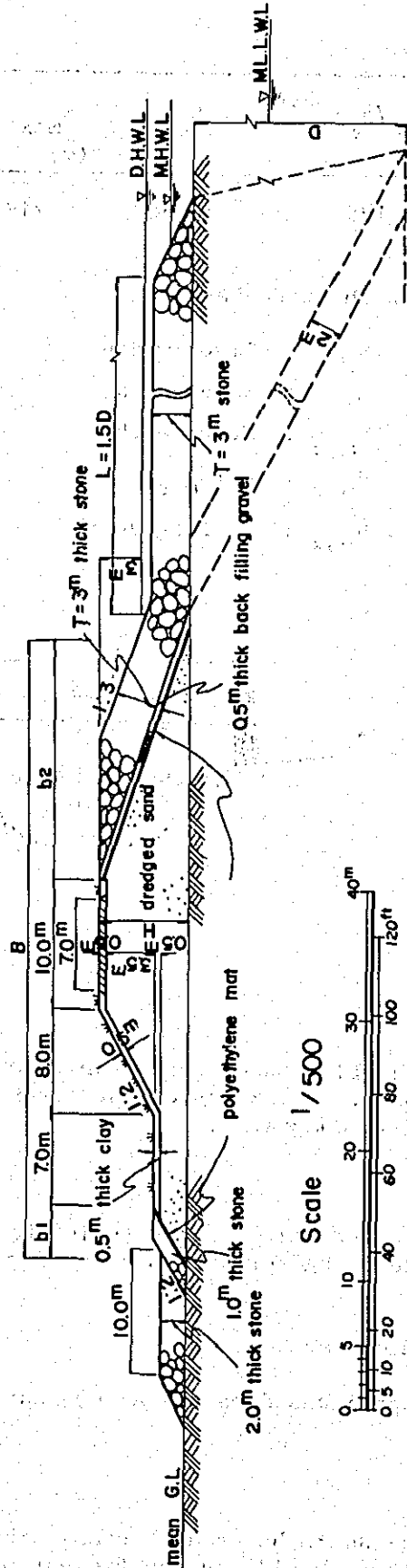
(f) Standard cross section of guide bank.

Standard cross section designed based on the above-mentioned factors is shown in Fig.8-6.

#### 4.2. Cross dikes.

The approaches to the bridge shall be used as cross dikes. They can serve as cross dikes since they should have sufficient strength. But they shall be protected by riprap revetment up to a height of 14.0

Fig. 8-6 Standard Cross Section of Guide Banks



Dimension of Guide Banks on Bridge Axis

G.B	Water Level (ft), PWD		Elevation (ft), PWD		Height (ft)		Width (ft)					
	DH.W.L	M.H.H.W.L	MLL.W.L	Crown Height	Berm	G.L	H	D	B	b1	b2	L
Left side	15.25 (50.03)	13.14 (43.11)	6.22 (20.41)	18.25 (59.88)	14.25 (46.75)	12.6 (41.34)	5.65 (18.54)	37.1 (121.72)	45.25 (148.46)	3.3 (10.83)	16.95 (55.61)	55.7 (182.74)
Right side	15.25 (50.03)	13.14 (43.11)	6.22 (20.41)	18.25 (59.88)	14.25 (46.75)	11.6 (38.06)	6.65 (21.82)	36.1 (118.44)	50.25 (164.86)	5.3 (17.39)	19.95 (65.45)	54.2 (177.82)



m PWD or 45.93 ft PWD so as to resist to flow and wave. The standard section is shown in DRW No. II-1.

#### 4.3. Study on the material alternative to stone.

Concrete block with sufficient strength and specific weight can be used as the material alternative to stone. But it is hard to say that it is economical compared with stone to use concrete block because it needs a great amount of cement and aggregates.

It is very economical to use the soil cement block if it is possible to make the soil cement blocks by using the site sands and use them, because materials for soil cement blocks except cement can be cheaply obtained at site. But the soil cement block has defects that it is rather easy to break down and lacks in durability and the specific weight is small.

If the specific weight is small, a block shall be made bigger to be able to stand with water flow. If a block is made bigger, water flow resistance become bigger, and accordingly a block shall be made bigger that much.

On this point, assuming that the specific weight of stone is 2.65 and that of soil cement block is 1.83, eq. (6.7) in 3.2, Chapter VI shows that soil cement block about 6 times of stone in weight is necessary in place of stone. In other words, a block about 420 kg in weight is necessary for stone 70 kg in weight. Soil cement block can not be considered to be suitable as the material for this kind of river works because pitching block work so big as mentioned above is not economical compared with stone and besides soil cement block is easy to break down and lacks in durability.

Covering works with Stell Jack over the blocks was adopted to make up for these defects of soil cement block for the revetment works at Sirajganj. According to the survey result by the survey team of unit price and others dispatched in July 1975, unit construction cost of block per 100 cfs for this revetment work is about 1200 TK/10<sup>2</sup> cfc. It is not economical compared with the unit price of stone. Furthermore, the works are now under construction and it is still impossible to decide whether it is successful or not as a working method method at the present stage.

As studied above, good material alternative to stone can not be found technically and economically as the material for apron at the present stage.

But if stone is to be used for this work, a great deal of stone will be needed and stone will be needed to be imported because stone has not been produced in the country. But it is necessary to study enough before the time of execution of works, about exploiting stone in the country or a new working method which does not need stone so much, because it will be greatly economical.

5. Quantity of Works.

Quantity of the guide-bank works was calculated based upon the design shown in DRW No. II-1 and is shown in Table 8-5. Quantity of the cross dike works will be incorporated in that of the bridge approach works in Volume III BRIDGE.

Table 8-5 Quantity of Works of Guide-banks and Cross-dikes

Works		Left	Right	Total
<b>GUIDE-BANK</b>				
Embankment	(1,000 m <sup>3</sup> )	727.6	692.5	1,420.0
Stone pitching	(1,000 m <sup>3</sup> )	1,278	1,273	2,551
Placing of mat	(1,000 m <sup>2</sup> )	112	108	220
Sodding	(1,000 m <sup>2</sup> )	80	80	160
Crown protection	(1,000 m <sup>2</sup> )	35	35	70
<b>CROSS-DIKES (BRIDGE APPROACH)</b>				
Embankment	(1,000 m <sup>3</sup> )	2,894	3,367	6,262
Gabion (brick)	(1,000 m <sup>3</sup> )	58.5	50.3	108.8
Placing of mat	(1,000 m <sup>2</sup> )	42	35	77
Sodding	(1,000 m <sup>2</sup> )	124	150.7	274.7
Slope protection (brick)	(1,000 m <sup>2</sup> )	134.7	130.9	265.6

## CHAPTER IX

### TREATMENT OF THE DHALESWARI RIVER

#### 1. Cross dam across the Dhaleswari River.

As already mentioned in 1, Chapter VIII, it was decided to cross the Dhaleswari River by a cross dam and, as a substitute therefore, to excavate a new channel connecting the Dhaleswari with the Jamuna by making use of a branch located about 6 km downstream of the bridge axis. The alignment of this new channel has already been shown in Fig.8-1.

The Dhaleswari River may easily be closed, since the river almost runs out of flow in the dry season. The river shall be closed by a cross dike and road-cum-railway approach shall be banked thereon. Fig.9-1 shows a typical cross section of the cross dam. As seen in this figure, the river shall first be closed by stone dikes at both feet of the cross dike up to a height of 9.00 m PWD (29.52 ft PWD) and then the space between both stone dikes shall be reclaimed by earth up to a height of mean ground level 12.0 m PWD, on which the bridge approach shall be built.

#### 2. New Inlet Channel of the Dhaleswari River.

The 100-year discharge of the Dhaleswari River, that is, 260,000 cfs or 7,360 cub.m/s is not the present discharge but a future discharge to be expected in case the discharge of the Old Brahmaputra is limited to 30,000 cfs and the discharge of the Jamuna is confined within both the levees. At present, without regard to this discharge, it is sufficient for the new inlet channel to secure the same water area as the present one. The water area below the average ground level is 1,400 m<sup>2</sup> and the mean bank-full width of the river is about 600 m. Considering these factors, standard cross section of the new channel was determined as shown in Fig.9-2. In actual construction, it will be sufficient only to dredge the central portion 300 m in width up to the depth shown in Fig.9-2.

#### 3. Quantity of Works.

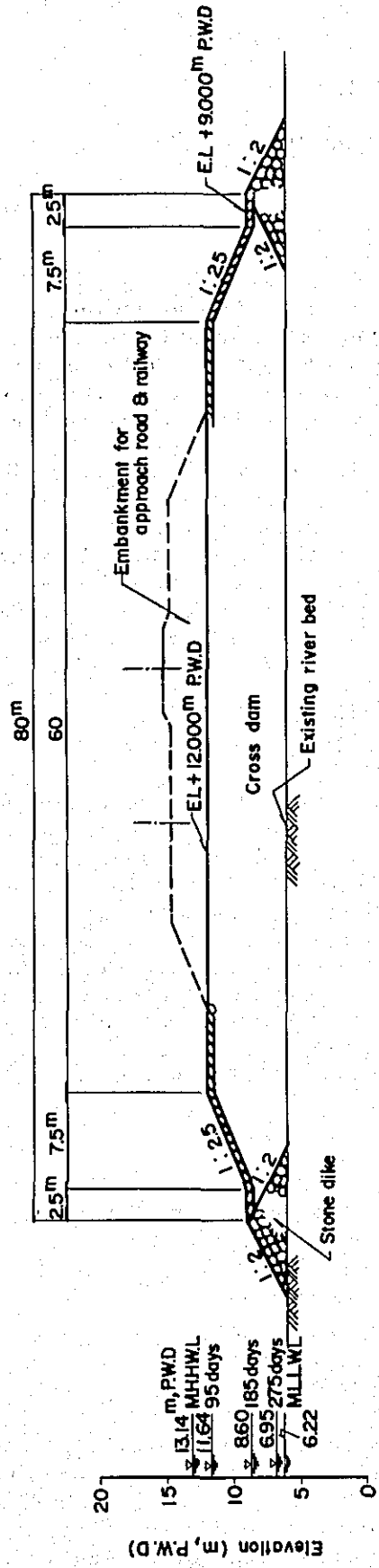
Quantity of the dredging works of the Dhaleswari New Channel is as follows.

##### Dredging works

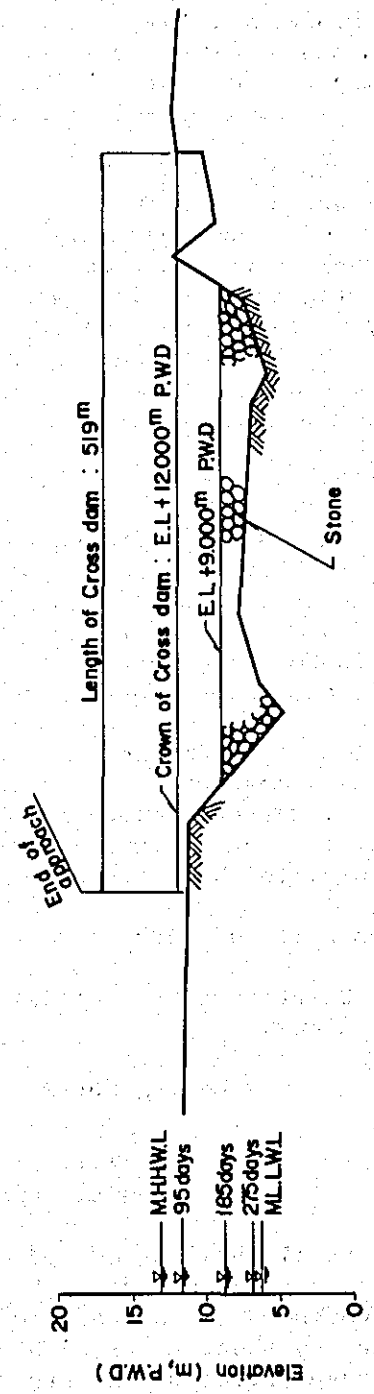
Length	6 km
Quantity of earth	6,400,000 m <sup>3</sup>
Area of land for spoil	2,970,000 m <sup>2</sup>

Spoil shall be dumped into stream channels which will become unnecessary by dredging the new channel. Before starting the dredging works, small streams to be crossed by the new channel shall be closed by sheet piles with a view to prevent returning of spoil. The sheet piles which were employed in embankment of the guide banks

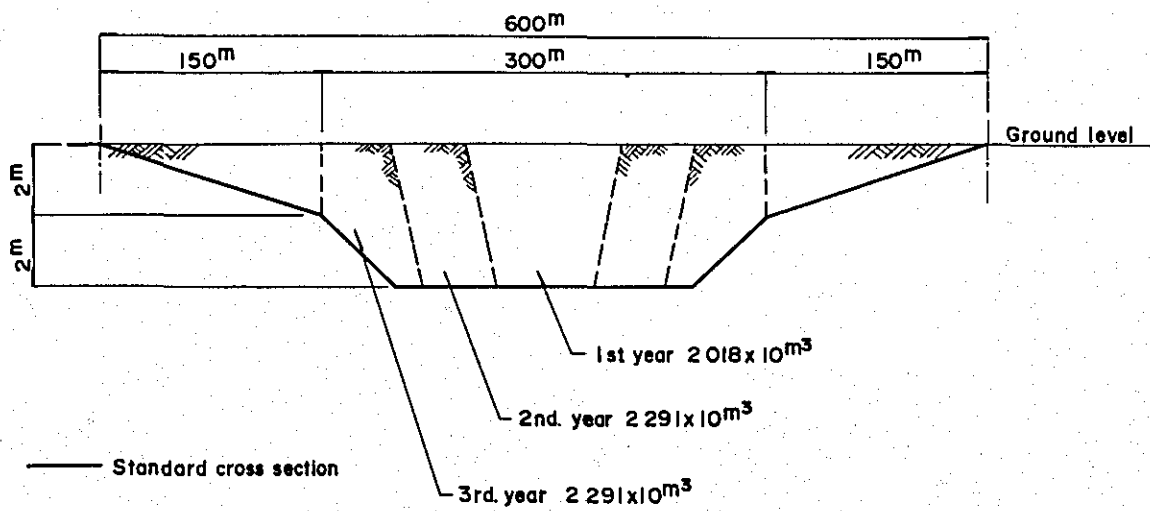
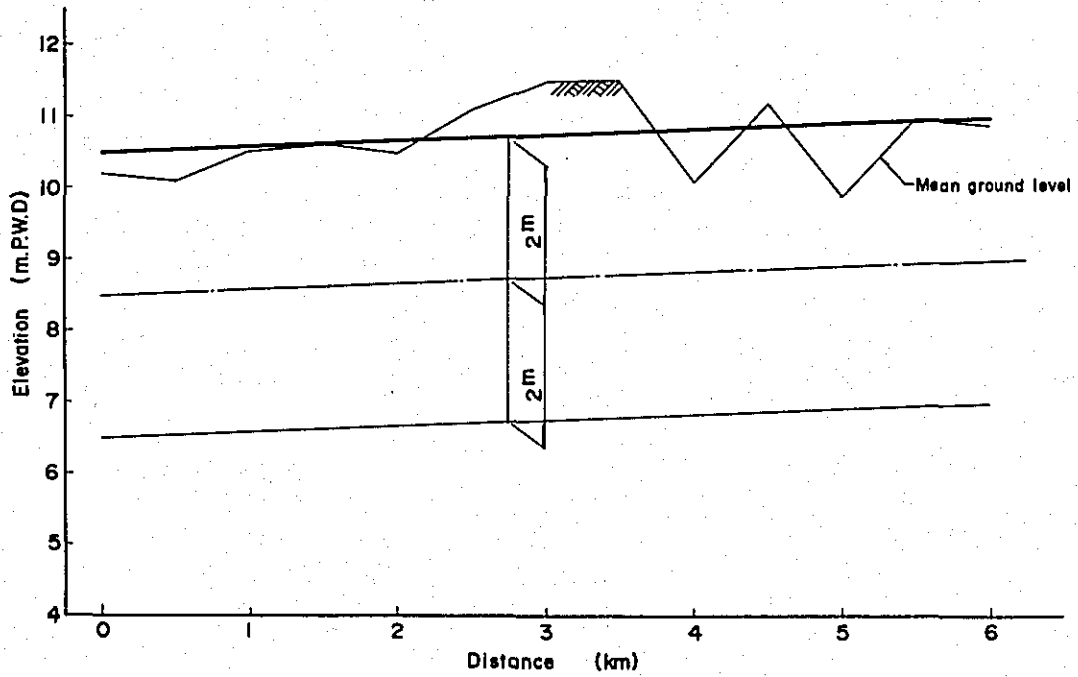
Fig. 9-1 Typical Cross Section of Cross dam ( No.26 + 399 ) : 1 / 500



Cross Section of the Dhaleswari R.on Bridge Axis : H = 1 / 5000, V = 1 / 500



**Fig. 9-2 Standard Cross Section and Profile of New Inlet Channel of the Dhaleswari**



shall again be used in these closing works.

The cross dam works will consist of stone dike 350 m in length (6,500 m<sup>3</sup> in volume) and earth work 141,300 m<sup>3</sup> in volume. These works are incorporated in the bridge approach works in Volume III BRIDGE.

CHAPTER X

EXECUTION OF THE RIVER WORKS AND COSTS

1. Natural Conditions at the Work Site.

Such natural conditions at the work site as temperature, wind rainfall and water level were already mentioned in detail in 7.1, Chapter V. These were used for establishing work schedules.

2. Quantity of Works.

Quantity of guide-bank works and Dhaleswari new channel works are shown in Table 10-1, in which quantity of stone pitching work is increased by 10 % and that of earth work is increased by 20 % considering losses of those in the course of the works and shrinkage

Table 10-1 Quantity of River Works

Guide Banks						
Works	Unit	Right G.B.	Left G.B.	Total	Remarks	
<b>Apron works</b>						
Loading, transportation and unloading	10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>3</sup>	1,400	1,406	2,806	Rate of increase 1.1 (including chip)	
Stone pitching	10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>3</sup>	1,400	1,406	2,806		
<b>Embankment works</b>						
Embankment	10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>3</sup>	831	874	1,705	Rate of increase 1.2	
Dredging	10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>3</sup>	1,188	1,248	2,436	Rate of increase 10/7	
Placing of mats	10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>2</sup>	108	112	220		
<b>Dike protection works</b>						
Sodding	10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>2</sup>	80	80	160		
Crown pavement	10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>2</sup>	35	35	70		
<b>Miscellaneous works</b>						
<b>Dhaleswari New Channel</b>						
Works	Unit	Quantity				
<b>Dredging work</b>						
Sheet pile driving	m	3,000				
Dredging	10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>3</sup>	6,600				
Sheet pile drawing	m	3,000				
<b>Miscellaneous works</b>						

allowance of embankments. Construction roads for apron works form a part of the works hence the quantity of the construction roads is included in the apron works. Quantity of cross-dike works is included in the bridge approach works to be mentioned in the bridge planning.

### 3. Execution Schedule of the River Works.

#### (a) Guide banks.

Guide-bank works shall be started with the right bank. The work shall be commenced after stone of about 700,000 m<sup>3</sup> which is about a half of the total quantity required for one guide bank have been stocked in the right-bank stock yard by railway in a year. One guide bank shall be completed in two years; earth work and about a half of stone-pitching work shall be carried out in the first year and the remaining work shall be completed in the second year. The guide-bank works shall be shifted to the left bank after completion of the right bank. The left guide-bank works, in the same way as in the case of the right bank, shall be commenced after about a half of the total quantity of stone required for this bank have been stocked in stock yard and completed in two years. The stone for the left bank shall be transported by boats.

After all, the guide-bank works shall be completed in four years. The execution schedule of the guide-bank works is shown in Fig.10-1.

#### (b) Dhaleswari new channel.

Opening works of the Dhaleswari new channel shall be commenced in the year following completion of the left guide-bank and completed in three years. In order to avoid being filled up by sediment during the flood season, the new channel shall be opened in the first year over the whole length in a small width and completed by widening in the following two years. Further, in the year of commencement of the cross dam works, the left road link as well as the left bridge approach shall be completed contemplating that these structures will prevent disturbances of streams located over the area in the north of the new channel and assist the new channel to function as a floodway without being filled up by sediment. The execution schedule of the new channel works is shown in Fig.10-1.

#### (c) Execution schedule of the river works.

Fig.10-2 shows the whole schedule of the river works.

### 4. Execution of the River Works.

#### 4.1. Temporary railways and temporary roads.

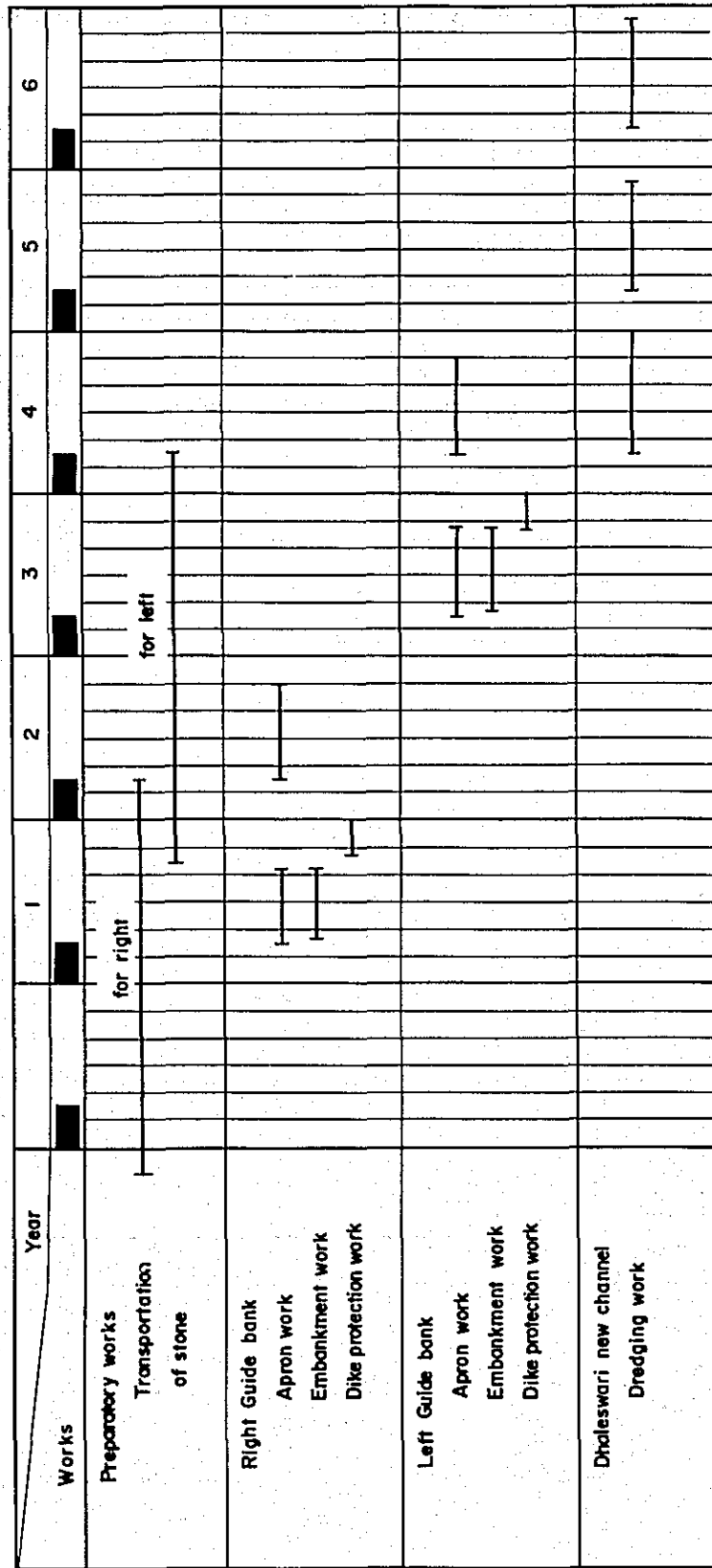
For the purpose of transportation of stone and other materials required for the construction works on the right bank, temporary railways shall be laid between the end of the railway link and the stone stock yard to be built near the central part of the right guide-bank. The length of the railway is about 8,400 m, alignment of which is shown in Fig.10-3.



Fig. 10-1 Execution Schedule of River Control Works

Works	Jul.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	Remrks
(Working Days)	0	0	0	13	28	29	29	26	28	27	25	10	215
<b>1st. year (Right G.B.)</b>													
Preparatory work				-----	-----								
Apron work				-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----			
Embankment work				-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----			
Dike protection work										-----	-----	-----	
<b>2nd. year (Right G.B.)</b>													
Preparatory work				-----	-----								
Apron work				-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----		
<b>3rd. year (Left G.B.)</b>													
Preparatory work				-----	-----								
Apron work				-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----			
Embankment work				-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----			
Dike protection work										-----	-----	-----	
<b>4th. year (Left G.B.)</b>													
Preparatory work				-----	-----								
Apron work				-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----		
(D. New channel)													
Preparatory work				-----	-----								
Sheet pile driving work				-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----			
Dredging work					-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----		
<b>5th. year (D. New channel)</b>													
Preparatory work				-----	-----								
Dredging work				-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----		
<b>6th. year (D. New channel)</b>													
Preparatory work				-----	-----								
Dredging work				-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----		
Sheet pile driving work							-----	-----	-----	-----	-----		

Fig. 10-2 Execution Schedule of River Works



Legend ■ : Rainy season

For the purpose of communication and transportation, temporary roads shall be built from a nearest road on the right bank to the stone stock yard, from the branch construction base on the left bank to the stone stock yard on the left bank and from the branch base to the work site of the Dhaleswari new channel. Their lengths are as follows.

Temporary roads on the right bank:	3,100 m
Temporary roads on the left bank :	3,150 m
Temporary road to the new channel:	7,400 m
Total:	14,000 m (roughly)

The alignment of the temporary roads is shown in Fig.10-3.

#### 4.2. Guide banks.

##### 4.2.1. Embankment.

Since the construction area is submerged every flood season, banking work of one guide bank together with stone pitching work on the slope faces and a part of apron on one side shall be completed in one dry season in order to avoid losses of construction materials and works due to flood flow in the course of the construction. For this purpose, we adopted a method of banking by dredging which is capable of moving a large quantity of earth in a shortest time and at a cheapest cost.

Outline of the banking work is shown in Fig.10-4. Dredged sand will be banked in blocks which will be formed by sheet-pile partition walls. Length of a block shall be 500 m. Height of banking shall be 1.5 m at a time. For supporting the sheet-pile walls, earth shall be moved and heaped up at the back of the walls by swamp-type bulldozers. For this dredging, a 4,000-PS-class dredger was adopted taking into consideration height of banking, distance of transportation of sand and quantity of banking works. Flow of the construction works is shown in Fig.10-5 and main construction equipment for the works are as follows.

- 4,000-PS Diesel pump dredger.
- 200-PS anchor barges
- 15-KW vibro-pile drivers (drawer).
- 20-ton crawler cranes.
- 125-KVA engine dynamos.
- 16-ton swamp-type bulldozers.

##### 4.2.2. Stone pitching works.

River banks seldom retreat more than 500 m in a year. In consideration of this fact, the alignment of the guide banks was planned to keep distance of about 500 m from bank edge and stone pitching works of one guide bank were planned to be completed in two years. Accordingly, stone pitching works in the first year shall be done simultaneously with banking works. For these works, about a half of total quantity of stone required for one guide bank shall be spent.

The stone pitching works shall be completed in the second year using the remainder of stone.

Fig.10-6 shows horizontal arrangement and cross section of construction roads for guide bank work. They are planned as one-way roads located along apron part of guide bank. The first layer shall be built with 0.5 m-thick stone chip. The road shall be raised by 0.5 m with the progress of apron construction and shall be switched to new ones which shall be built beside the preceding ones. The second and subsequent layers shall be built with stone and filling-up chip. Thus, every new road shall be built 0.5 m higher than the preceding one.

Stone pitching shall be carried out by loading in the stock yards by tractor shovels, carrying by heavy-duty dump trucks and pitching by man power. The number of workers for pitching was counted assuming that the maximum carriage distance by manpower is 40 m, one unit of workers consists of 20 persons and the units are distributed on the pitching area as uniformly as possible. Further, tiredozers of 19-ton-class were added for assisting manpower pitching. Principal machinery required for stone pitching is as follows.

Loading:	5 m <sup>3</sup> wheel-type tractor shovels.
Carrying:	32-ton heavy-duty dump trucks.
Pitching:	Manpower.
	19-ton tiredozers.

#### 4.3. Cross dikes.

Execution of cross-dike works is mentioned in Volume III BRIDGE.

#### 4.4. Cross dam and Dhaleswari new channel.

##### 4.4.1. Cross dam.

Stone dikes of the cross dam shall be built with stone transported by 32-ton heavy-duty dump trucks in the first year of the bridge approach works. In this case, the dump trucks used in guide-bank works shall again be used and pitching of stone shall be carried out by manpower. After completion of stone dikes, banking shall be carried out by the same method as approach construction works. Plan of the works is included in the bridge approach works in Volume III. Principal machinery required for the stone pitching work is as follows.

Loading:	5 m <sup>3</sup> wheel-type tractor shovels.
Carrying:	32-ton heavy-duty dump trucks.
Pitching:	Manpower

##### 4.4.2. Dhaleswari new channel.

Construction of Dhaleswari new channel shall be carried out by the dredger which was used in the guide-bank works. As seen in Fig.9-2, a center channel 65 m in bottom width shall be opened over the whole length in the first year and shall be completed in the third year after widening the width in two years. Spoil shall be dumped in adjacent

Fig. 10-3 Location of Guide banks, Temporary Railways, Temporary Roads, Construction Base and Stone Stock Yard

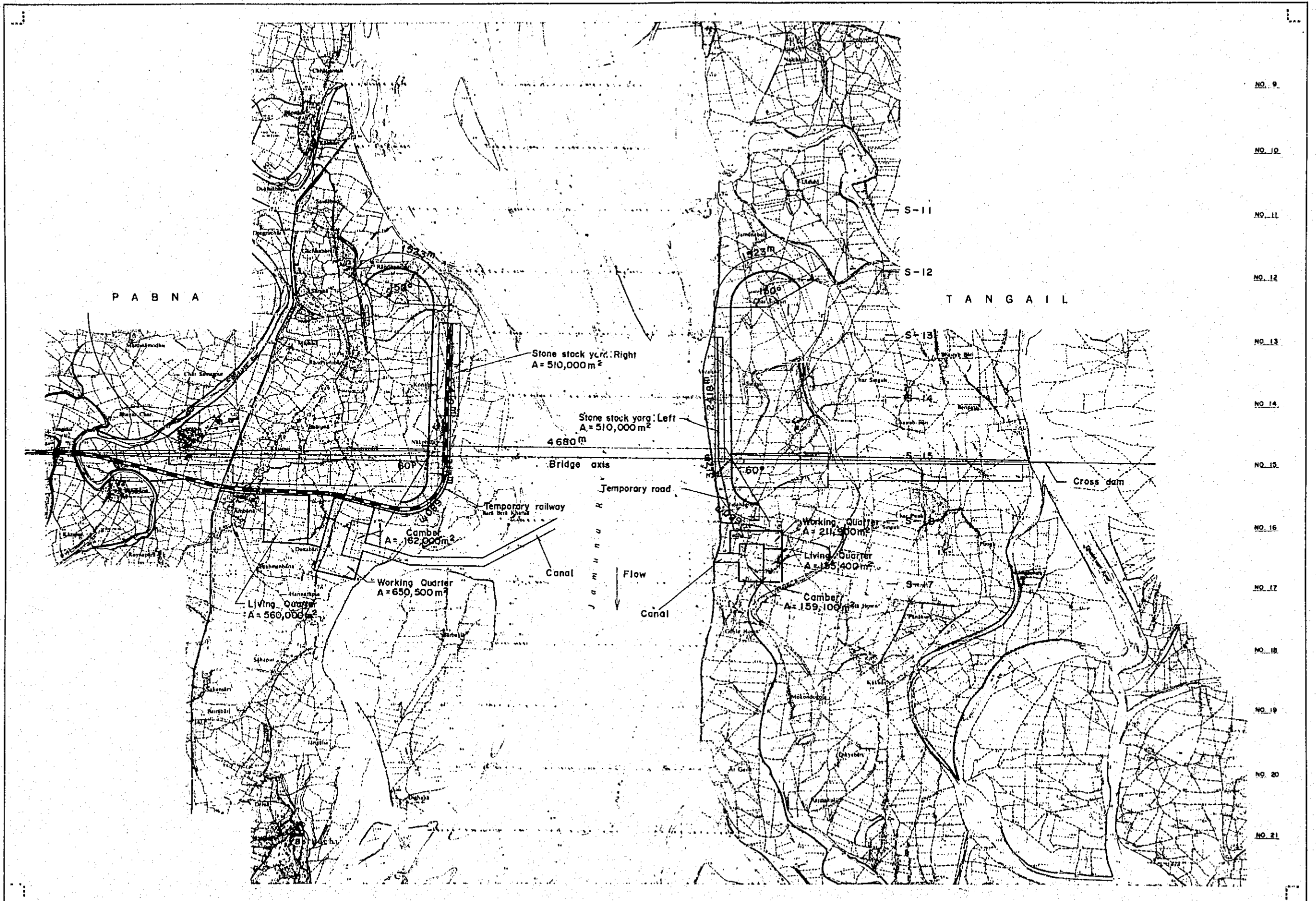
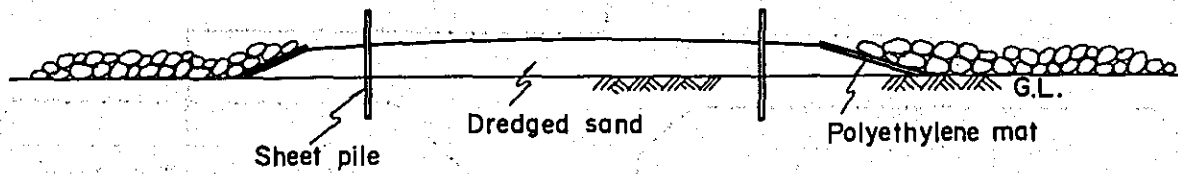


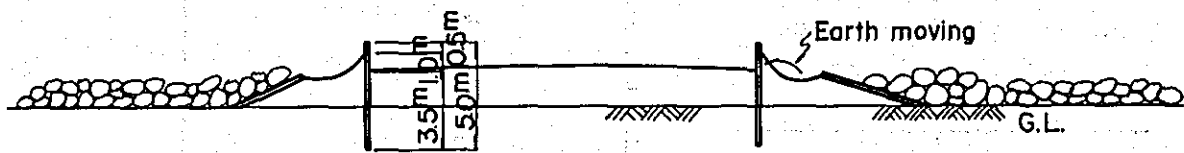


Fig. 10-4 Schematic View of Banking Work

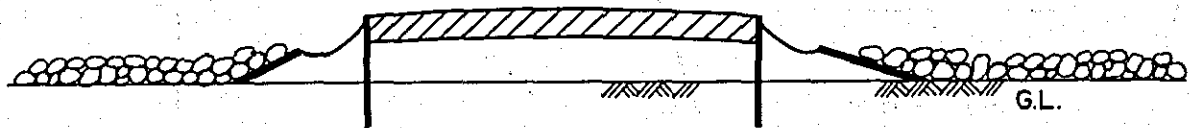
(1) Sheet pile driving



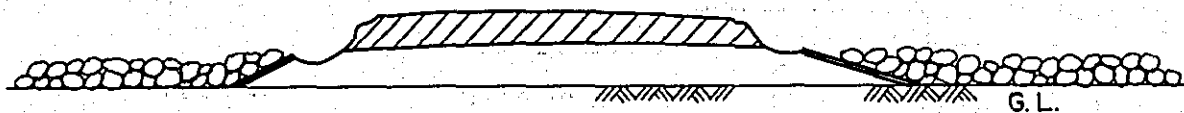
(2) Banking against the back of sheet pile walls



(3) Dredging, banking and drying-up



(4) Sheet pile drawing



(5) Polyethylene mat and filling-up chips

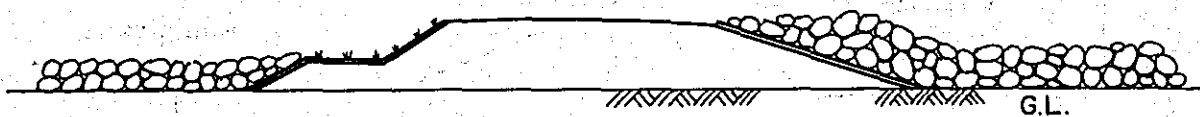


Fig. 10-5 Flow of Construction Works of Guide Banks

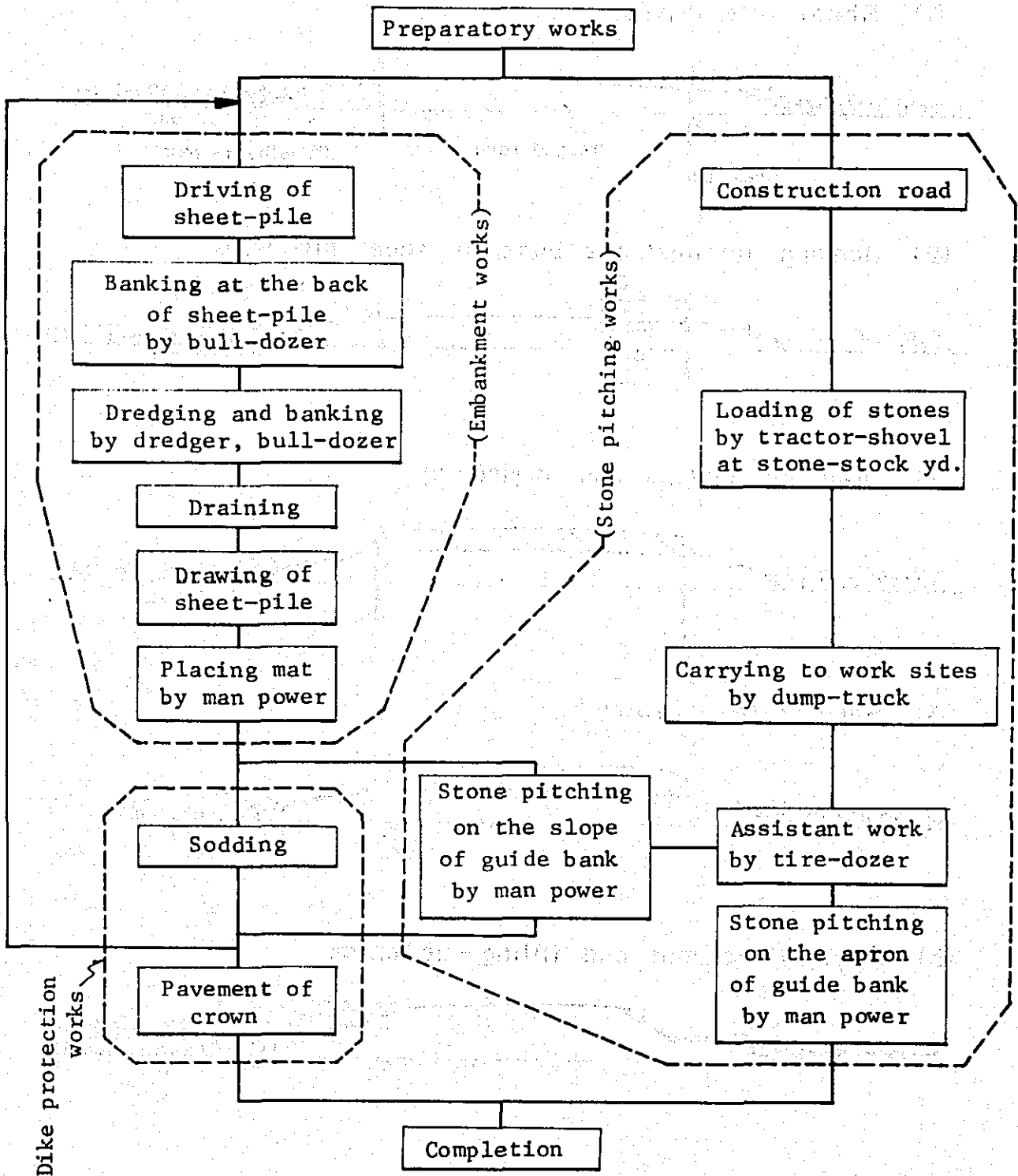
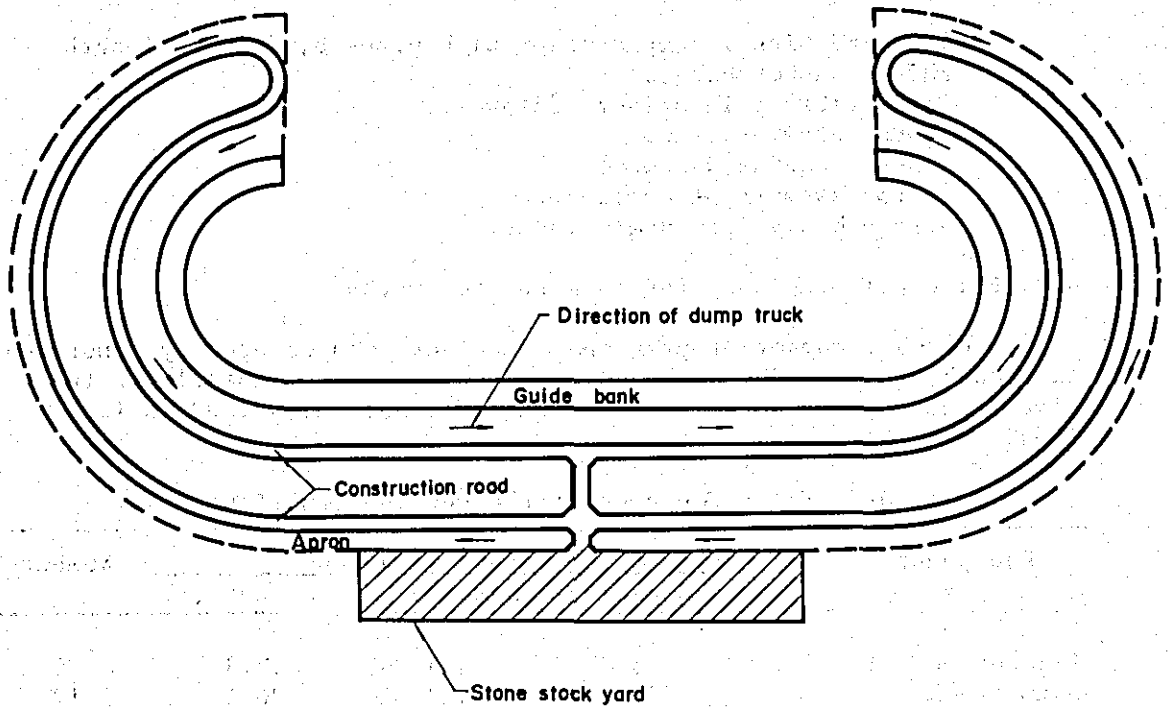


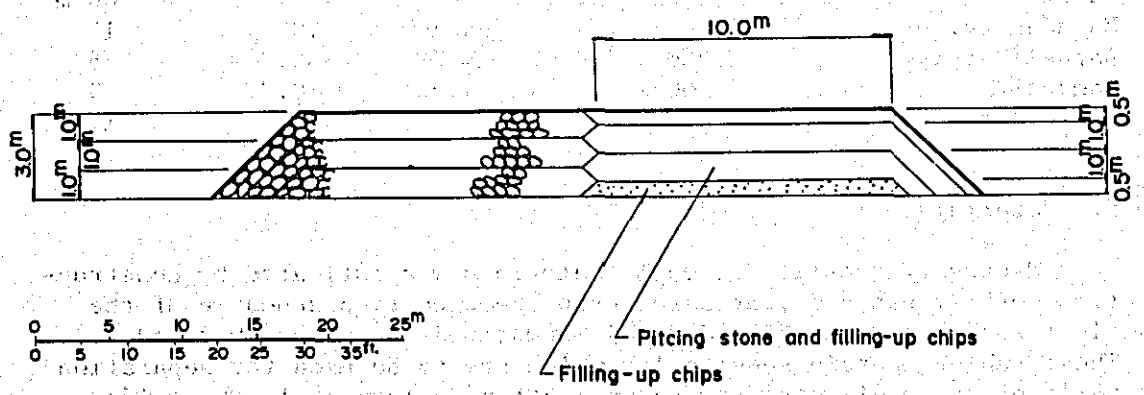


Fig. 10-6 Construction Roads

Construction Road Schematic



Cross Section



depressions of 2,970,000 m<sup>2</sup>. Swamp-type bulldozers shall be provided as assistant machinery for the dredging works. In dumping spoil, sheet-pile walls shall be used for separating the depressions from Dhaleswari new channel and swamp-type bulldozers shall also be used as assistant machinery. Principal machinery required for the works is as follows.

- 4,000-PS Diesel pump dredger with pipes 6,000 m in length.
- 200-PS anchor barge.
- 15-KW vibro-pile drivers (drawer).
- 20-ton crawler cranes.
- 125-KVA engine dynamos.
- 16-ton swamp-type bulldozers.
- 32-ton heavy-duty dump trucks.

#### 4.5. Principal machinery for construction works.

Necessary number of principal machinery was counted by construction work, month and year based upon the execution schedule of the river construction works shown in Fig.10-2 and summarized in Table 10-2.

Table 10-2 Major Equipment for River Construction Works

Equipment	Specification			Number
	Capacity	Rated H.P.	Weight (t)	
Tractor shovel	5 m <sup>3</sup>	325 PS	29.9	5
Damp truck	32 t	427 PS	26.1	17
Tire dozer	19 t	200 PS	18.9	5
Bull dozer (swamp)	16 t	140 PS	16.2	8
Vibro pile driver	15 kw	15 kw	1.1	68
Crawler crane	20 t	98 PS	26.5	68
Sheet pile	1 = 5 m b = 0.333 m (1,235 t)		0.074	5,550 m
Engine dynamo	125 kvA	160 kw	3.1	18
Diesel pump dredger	4,000 PS	4,000 PS		1
Anchor barge	15 t	200 PS		1
Pipe	1 = 5 m D = 710 mm (1,000 sets)			6,000 m
Floater	1 = 4.5 m D = 1,300 mm (268 sets)			1,210 m
Joint	1 = 1.5 m (266 sets)			400 m
Macadam roller	10 - 12 t	65 kw	10	15
Asphalt sprayer	200 l	4 PS	0.2	6
Tamper	60 kg	4 PS	0.08	5
Spare parts				1.s.

#### 5. Materials.

Necessary quantity of major materials was estimated by construction work, month and year based upon the execution schedule of the river works shown in Fig.10-2 and summarized in Tables 10-3 and 4. These tables contain sheet piles which are to be used for separation walls of the Dhaleswari new channel after employment in the guide-bank works.

Table 10-3 Materials Required for River Construction Works (1)

Guide banks

Materials	Unit	Right G.B.	Left G.B.	Total
<b>Apron works</b>				
Stone	10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>3</sup>	1,400	1,406	2,806
Light oil	kl	1,345	1,368	2,713
Miscellaneous		1.s.	1.s.	1.s.
<b>Embankment works</b>				
Log	m <sup>3</sup>	1,073	1,100	2,173
Polyethylene mat	10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>2</sup>	119	123	242
Light oil	kl	734	734	1,468
Heavy oil	kl	1,680	1,764	3,444
Miscellaneous		1.s.	1.s.	1.s.
<b>Dike protection works</b>				
Sodding	10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>2</sup>	88	88	176
Ballast (chip)	10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>3</sup>	30	30	60
Asphalt emulsion	kl	305	305	610
Light oil	kl	81	81	162
Miscellaneous		1.s.	1.s.	1.s.

Dhaleswari new Channel

Materials	Unit	Quantity
<b>Sheet pile driving work</b>		
Light oil	kl	44
Miscellaneous		1.s.
<b>Dredging</b>		
Light oil	kl	298
Heavy oil	kl	9,341
Log	m <sup>3</sup>	396
Miscellaneous		1.s.
<b>Sheet pile drawing work</b>		
Light oil	kl	34
Miscellaneous		1.s.

Table 10-4 Materials Required for River Construction Works (2)

Materials	Unit	Right G.B.	Left G.B.	Dhaleswari	Total
Stone	10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>3</sup>	1,400	1,406		2,806
Sand	10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>3</sup>	831	874		1,705
Polyethylene mat	10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>2</sup>	119	123		242
Log	m <sup>3</sup>	1,073	1,100	396	2,569
Light oil	kl	2,160	2,183	376	4,719
Heavy oil	kl	1,680	1,764	9,341	12,785
Sod	10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>2</sup>	88	88		176
Ballast (chip)	10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>3</sup>	30	30		60
Asphalt emulsion	kl	305	305		610
Miscellaneous		l.s.	l.s.	l.s.	l.s.

#### 6. Labor

Number of skilled labour and unskilled labour was counted by construction work, month and year based upon the execution schedule of the river work shown in Fig.10-2, and daily maximum number of labor is listed in Table 10-5 by skilled, unskilled and year, in which miscellaneous labor is not included.

Table 10-5 Daily maximum Number of Labor at Work Sites

	1st year	2nd year	3rd year	4th year	5th year	6th year
Skilled	2,090	150	2,090	300	120	120
Unskilled	2,215	2,205	2,210	2,210	0	0

#### 7. Major Facilities Required for Managing the River Works.

A construction office shall be built in the main construction base on the right bank, sub-offices shall be put at work sites and control offices shall be put in the stone stock yards. Sub-offices are for controlling the guide-bank works and the Dhaleswari new channel works.

Construction office in the main construction base.

Plottage	2,000 m <sup>2</sup>
Floorage	300 m <sup>2</sup>

Three sub-offices for right guide-bank, left guide-bank and Dhaleswari new channel.

Plottage	6,000 m <sup>2</sup>
Floorage	900 m <sup>2</sup>

Two control offices in the stone stock yards.

Plottage	1,600 m <sup>2</sup>
Floorage	400 m <sup>2</sup>

Communication system, cars and other facilities are required for the above offices.

As shown in Fig.10-3, stone stock yards shall be put near the central part of the guide-banks. Each stock yard shall be provided with a plottage required for storing 700,000 m<sup>3</sup> in a year. On the right bank, stone shall be carried in by railway; and on the left bank, by boat. Polyethylene mat shall also be stored in the stone stock yards. Other miscellaneous materials and machinery shall be stored in warehouses to be built in the stone stock yards. Area required for the stock yards and floorage of the warehouses are as follows.

Area of the stock yards	510,000 m <sup>2</sup> each.
Floorage of the warehouses	800 m <sup>2</sup>

Motor-pools required for construction of guide-banks shall be put on the both banks of the river. The motor-pool for the left guide-bank works shall also be used for the opening works of the Dhaleswari new channel.

Detailed plan for the above-mentioned facilities will be incorporated in Volume VIII OVERALL CONSTRUCTION PLAN AND ECONOMIC ANALYSIS.

## 8. Costs.

### 8.1. Unit Prices.

In estimating the costs of the river works, unit prices of materials, equipment and labor to be procured locally and to be imported from abroad were set based on the results of surveying of the Price Survey Team (143CS) which was organized by the JICA in July 1975. Accordingly the costs estimated in this report are those as of July 1975.

Besides the materials mentioned above, purchase plan of pitching stone was made as shown in Table 10-6 based on the results of surveying of the Stone Material Survey Team (Feasibility Report Volume VI GEOLOGY AND STONE MATERIAL). For estimating the cost of stone pitching works was used the weighted-mean unit price of stone to be collected from Manikarchar, Dhubri, Jagioghopa, Dhulian and Pakur of India.

We assumed that import and excise taxes will not be imposed upon the materials and equipment to be imported for this project. The unit prices which were used in this report are summarized in Table 10-7, in which the unit prices of oils, lubricants and asphalt emulsion are given in CIF prices and inland transportation costs which were estimated on the basis of breakdown of the local prices but polyethylene mat price is given in CIF price added FOB price to transportation cost and inland transportation cost.

Table 10-6 Purchase Plan of Pitching Stone

Unit	Sources of stone in India						Total
	Assam			Bihar			
	Manikarchar	Dhubri	Jagioghopa	Dhulian	Pakur		
Transportation	by boat	by boat	by boat	by boat	by boat	by train	
Quantity required per annum	Tk/yr 10 <sup>2</sup> cft/yr	162,540 32,508	141,750 28,350	124,740 24,948	378,000 75,600	900,000 180,000	1,707,030 341,406
Unit price F O B	Tk/10 <sup>2</sup> cft	390	243	165	312	234	
Annual cost F O B	Tk/yr	12,687,120	6,889,050	4,116,420	23,587,200	42,120,000	89,399,790
Unit Price at site	Tk/10 <sup>2</sup> cft	570	453	404	645	391	
Annual cost at site		18,529,560	12,842,560	10,078,992	48,762,000	70,380,000	160,593,103
Mean unit price;		$\text{F O B : } \frac{89,399,790}{34,140,600} = 262 \text{ Tk}/10^2 \text{ cft}$ $\text{At site : } \frac{160,593,102}{34,140,600} = 470 \text{ Tk}/10^2 \text{ cft}$					

Table 10-7 Unit Price

1. Wages.

Labor	\$/day	Tk./day
Skilled labor		
Operator 1 (Crawler crane)	66.5	45
Operator 2	66.5	28
Assistant operator (Crawler crane)	44.8	
Driver	60.8	28
High class crew	110	
Crew	81.8	
Special skilled labor	70.2	
Skilled labor	62.7	23
Foreman	66.5	45
Unskilled labor		17

2. Materials

Item	Unit	FOB	Transportation Tk	At site Tk
Stone and chip	100 cft	*20.15 (Tk 262)	208	470
Light oil	IG	*0.2815(Tk 3.66)	0.80	4.46
Lubricants	IG	*3.255 (Tk 42.31)	1.93	44.24
Heavy oil	IG	*0.2892(Tk 3.76)	0.88	4.64
Polyethylene mat	m <sup>2</sup>	2.967		
Asphalt emulsion	kl	*115.4 (Tk 1500)	194	1694
Log	cft			90
Sod	100 ft			8

Note: IG = Imperial gallon

\* = C I F

3. Land acquisition 1 acre

Tk 12,000

### 8.2. Costs of river control works including Dhaleswari new channel works.

Costs of the river control works including the opening works of Dhaleswari new channel were calculated on the basis of the unit prices mentioned above. These are shown in Table 10-8. The costs required for cross-dike works and cross dam crossing the Dhaleswari River are incorporated in the costs of bridge construction as a part of the bridge approaches.

It was decided to import all the equipment required for the river control works. For estimation of the construction costs were used the CIF price which was added the transportation cost to FOB price to be planned in a lump of the equipment. Also cost of inland transportation were estimated as to be carried out by water channel from the Chalna port to the site.

Table 10-9 shows breakdown of the labor costs given in Table 10-8. Table 10-10 shows breakdown of the purchase costs of the equipment and Table 10-11 breakdown of the costs of materials.

The annual costs of construction are shown in Table 10-12-1 and Table 10-12-2, which were estimated on basis of the work schedule of the Table 10-2.

### 8.3. Maintenance costs.

Maintenance costs for the river facilities will contain those required for inspection, surveying, repair of the guide banks, maintenance of the Dhaleswari new channel and management including maintenance of offices. Therefore, the maintenance costs, together with those required for the bridge, will be dealt with in Volume VIII OVERALL CONSTRUCTION PLAN AND ECONOMIC ANALYSIS.



Table 10-8 Construction Costs of Guide-banks and New Channel

Works	Unit	Quantity	Costs		
			Local	Foreign	Total
			10 <sup>3</sup> Tk	10 <sup>3</sup> \$	10 <sup>3</sup> Tk
<b>(1) Right guide-bank</b>					
Apron	10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>3</sup> (10 <sup>3</sup> cft)	1,400 (49,435)	118,450	11,933	273,579
Embankment	10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>3</sup> (10 <sup>3</sup> cft)	831 (29,343)	4,756	14,345	191,241
Dike protection	10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>2</sup> (10 <sup>3</sup> cft)	Sodding 80(861) Pavement 35(377)	3,985	254	7,287
Miscellaneous			6,357	1,315	23,452
Subtotal			133,548	27,847	495,559
<b>(2) Left guide-bank</b>					
Apron	10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>3</sup> (10 <sup>3</sup> cft)	1,406 (49,647)	119,140	11,947	274,451
Embankment	10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>3</sup> (10 <sup>3</sup> cft)	874 (30,862)	4,867	14,366	191,625
Dike protection	10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>2</sup>	Sodding 80(861) Pavement 35(377)	3,985	255	7,300
Miscellaneous			6,397	1,319	23,544
Subtotal			134,389	27,887	496,920
<b>(3) Dhaleswari new channel</b>					
Sheet pile	m (ft)	3,000 (9,843)	17	572	7,453
Dredging	10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>3</sup> (10 <sup>3</sup> cft)	6,600 (233,051)	3,697	4,325	59,922
Miscellaneous			186	245	3,371
Subtotal			3,900	5,142	70,746
Total (1)+(2)+(3)			271,837	60,876	1,063,225
<b>(4) Equipment</b>					
Total (1)+(2)+(3)+(4)			273,644	77,092	1,275,840
<b>(5) Land acquisition</b>					
Right guide-bank	acre	157	1,883		1,883
Left guide-bank	acre	151	1,812		1,812
Dhaleswari new channel	acre	900	10,799		10,799
Subtotal			14,494		14,494
<b>Grand total</b>			<b>288,138</b>	<b>77,092</b>	<b>1,290,334</b>

1\$ = 13 Tk

Table 10-9 Labor Cost

Works	Description	Person No. (m.d)	Amount (10 <sup>3</sup> )
<b>Right guide-bank</b>			
Apron	Skilled	29,620	Tk 1,210
	Unskilled	877,500	Tk 14,930
	Foreign	29,620	\$ 1,946
	Subtotal	936,740	Tk 41,430
Embankment	Skilled	28,700	Tk 670
	Unskilled	680	Tk 10
	Foreign	210,690	\$ 14,430
	Subtotal	240,070	Tk 188,270
Dike protection	Skilled	35,990	Tk 940
	Unskilled	45,980	Tk 780
	Foreign	-	\$ -
	Subtotal	81,970	Tk 1,720
Total	Skilled	94,310	Tk 2,820
	Unskilled	924,160	Tk 15,720
	Foreign	240,310	\$ 16,376
	Total	1,258,780	Tk 231,420
<b>Left guide-bank</b>			
Apron	Skilled	30,090	Tk 1,230
	Unskilled	891,540	Tk 15,170
	Foreign	30,090	\$ 1,977
	Subtotal	951,720	Tk 42,090
Embankment	Skilled	28,700	Tk 670
	Unskilled	710	Tk 10
	Foreign	210,690	\$ 14,420
	Subtotal	240,100	Tk 188,270
Dike protection	Skilled	35,990	Tk 930
	Unskilled	45,980	Tk 780
	Foreign	-	\$ -
	Subtotal	81,970	Tk 1,720
Total	Skilled	94,780	Tk 2,830
	Unskilled	938,230	Tk 15,960
	Foreign	240,780	\$ 16,406
	Total	1,273,790	Tk 232,070
<b>Dhaleswari new channel</b>			
Sheet pile	Skilled	-	Tk -
	Unskilled	-	Tk -
	Foreign	8,700	\$ 595
	Subtotal	8,700	Tk 7,730
Dredging	Skilled	25,020	Tk 600
	Unskilled	-	Tk -
	Foreign	51,180	\$ 3,895
	Subtotal	76,200	Tk 51,230
Total	Skilled	25,020	Tk 600
	Unskilled	-	Tk -
	Foreign	59,880	\$ 4,490
	Total	84,900	Tk 58,970
Grand total	Skilled	214,110	Tk 6,250
	Unskilled	1,862,390	Tk 31,680
	Foreign	504,970	\$ 37,272
	Grand total	2,617,470	Tk 522,470

Including miscellaneous work (5%)

Table 10-10 Cost of Equipment

Equipment	Quantity	Unit price (\$)	Costs	
			F.C. (10 <sup>3</sup> \$)	D.C. (10 <sup>3</sup> Tk)
Tractor shovel (5 m <sup>3</sup> )	6	167,800	1,007	-
Dump truck (32t)	19	135,800	2,756	-
Tire dozer (19t)	6	66,000	396	-
Bull dozer (16t, swamp)	9	63,390	571	-
Vibro pile driver (15 kw)	73	8,645	631	-
Crawler crane (20t)	73	59,660	4,355	-
Sheet pile (l=5m, b=0.333m)	1,355t	267	356	-
Engine dynamo (125kVA)	20	20,000	400	-
Diesel Pump dredger (4,000PS)	1	accounted in construction base works		
Anchor barge (15t)	1	-do-		
Dredging pipe (φ710mm, 5m)	500sets	808	404	-
Floater (φ1,300mm, 4.5m)	134sets	3,630	486	-
Joint (l-1.5m, rubber)	500sets	1,400	186	-
Macadam roller (10-12t)	16	20,700	331	-
Asphalt sprayer (200 l)	7	1,220	9	-
Tamper (60kg)	6	495	3	-
Spare parts and others (30% above)			3,568	-
Total amount in FOB price			15,459	-
Total amount in CIF price			16,216	1,807

Notes: These equipments are used for the guide-bank works and some of them are applied for the Dhaleswari new channel works.

Table 10-11 Cost of Materials

Item	Quantity		Cost		Remarks
	Unit	Quantity	D.C. (10 <sup>3</sup> Tk)	F.C. (10 <sup>3</sup> \$)	
<b>GUIDE BANK WORKS</b>					
Domestic materials					
Log	m <sup>3</sup>	2,173	6,902	-	
Sod	10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>2</sup>	176	150	-	
Miscellaneous	1.s.	1	353	-	
Total			7,405	-	
Foreign materials					
Stone	10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>3</sup>	2,806	206,090	19,969	
Ballast (chip)	"	60	4,410	427	
Light oil	Kl	4,341	764	269	
Heavy oil	"	3,444	665	219	
Lubricants	1.s.	1	153	54	
Asphalt emulsion	Kl	610	118	70	
Polyethylene mat	10 <sup>3</sup> m <sup>2</sup>	242	-	718	FOB
Miscellaneous	1.s.	1	10,522	1,080	
Subtotal of CIF			222,722	22,052	
Subtotal of FOB			-	752	
CIF cost for above			480	900	
Total			223,202	22,952	
Grand Total			230,607	22,952	
<b>DHALESWARI NEW CHANNEL WORKS</b>					
Domestic materials					
Log	m <sup>3</sup>	396	1,258	-	
Miscellaneous	1.s.	1	63	-	
Total			1,321	-	
Foreign materials					
Light oil	Kl	378	66	23	
Heavy oil	"	9,341	1,805	594	
Lubricants	1.s.	1	13	5	
Miscellaneous	1.s.	1	95	30	
Total			1,979	652	
Grand Total			3,300	652	

Table 10-12-1 Construction Cost by Year

Works: Guide Banks

Outline of works: Embankment, stone pitching, sodding, pavement and miscellaneous.

Year	Equipment		Materials		Labor			Total	
	D.C. (10 <sup>3</sup> Tk)	F.C. (10 <sup>3</sup> \$)	D.C. (10 <sup>3</sup> Tk)	F.C. (10 <sup>3</sup> \$)	Skilled D.C. (10 <sup>3</sup> Tk)	F.C. (10 <sup>3</sup> \$)	Unskilled D.C. (10 <sup>3</sup> Tk)		
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
1st.									
2nd.									
3rd.									
4th									
5th									
6th	1,807	16,216	53,997	5,655	2,180	15,360	7,930	55,804	21,871
7th			60,850	5,733	630	1,016	7,790	70,960	21,093
8th			54,790	5,784	2,210	15,394	8,190	63,210	6,800
9th			60,820	5,729	630	1,012	7,770	71,220	21,123
10th			150	51				8,550	1,063
11th									
12th									
13th									
Total	1,807	16,216	230,607	22,952	5,650	32,782	31,680	269,744	71,950

Table 10-12-2 Construction Cost by Year

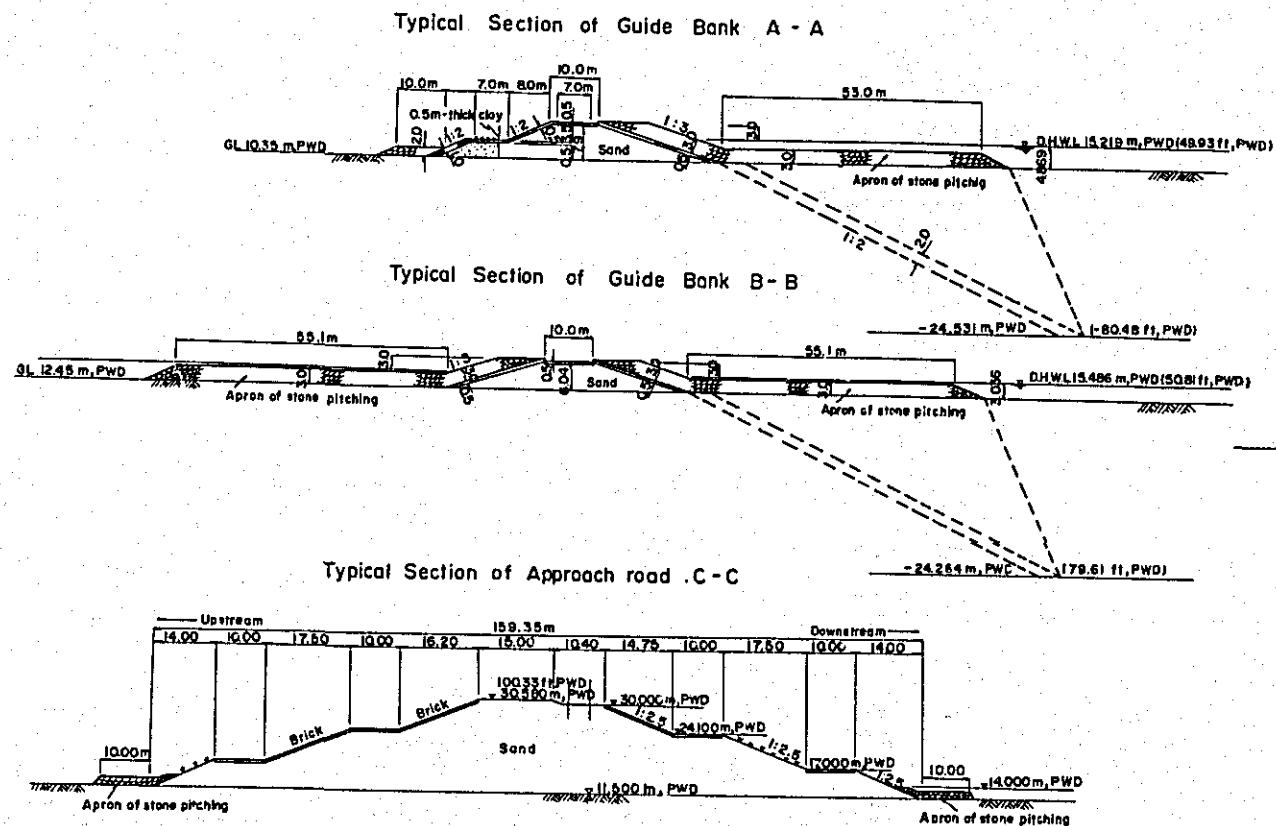
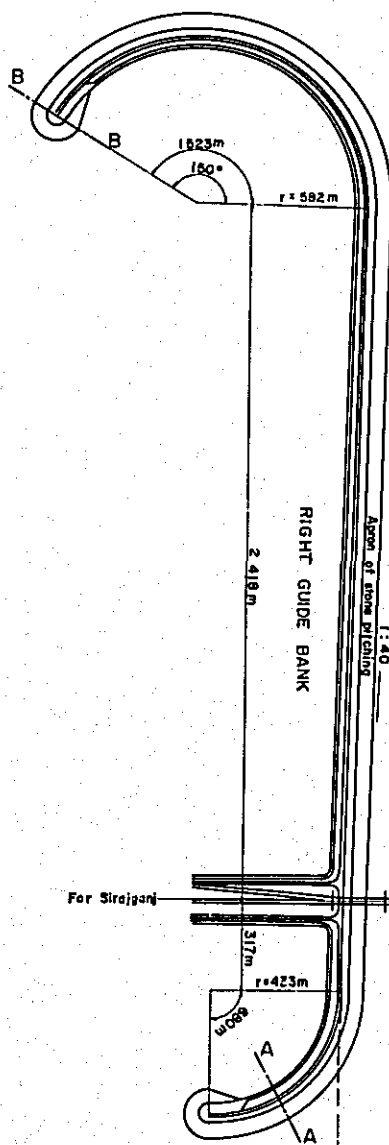
Works: Dhaleswari New Channel

Outline of works: Dredging and miscellaneous.

Year	Equipment		Materials		Labor		Total		
	D.C. (10 <sup>3</sup> Tk)	F.C. (10 <sup>3</sup> \$)	D.C. (10 <sup>3</sup> Tk)	F.C. (10 <sup>3</sup> \$)	Skilled	Unskilled			
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
1st.									
2nd.									
3rd.									
4th									
5th									
6th									
7th									
8th									
9th									
10th			1,050	201	200	1,569		1,250	1,770
11th			1,120	225	200	1,334		1,320	1,559
12th			1,130	226	200	1,587		1,330	1,813
13th									
Total			3,300	652	600	4,490		3,900	5,142

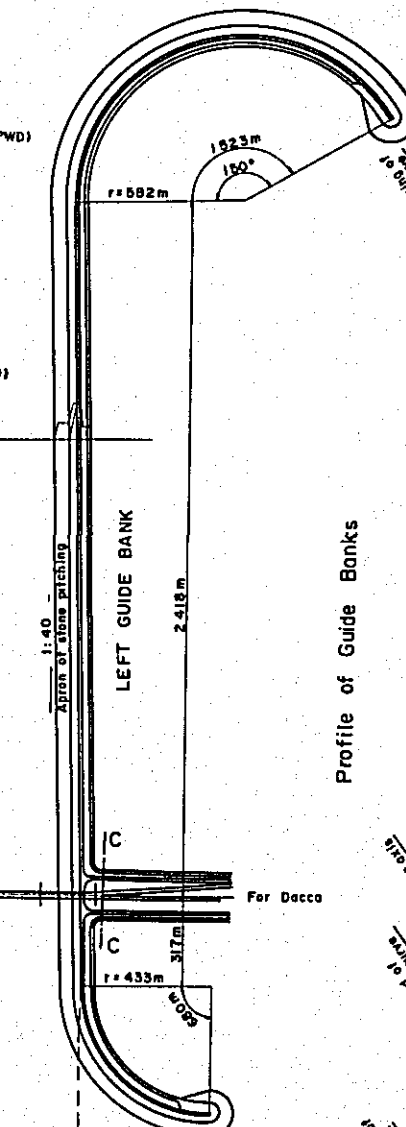
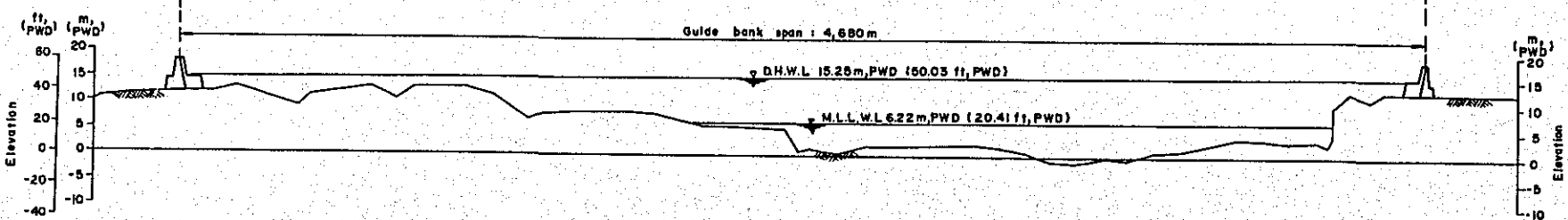
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General Plan of Guide Banks and Bridge

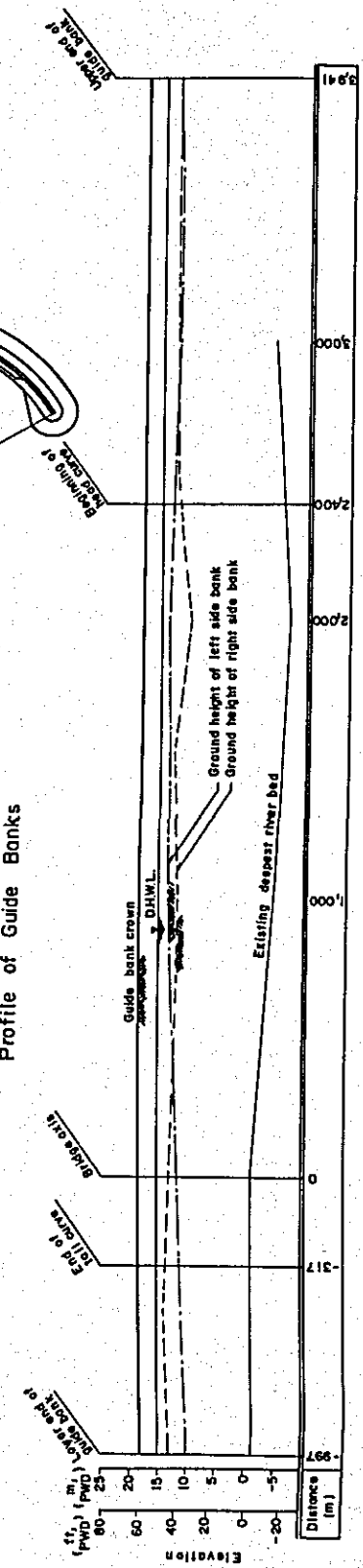


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Cross Section of the River on Bridge Axis

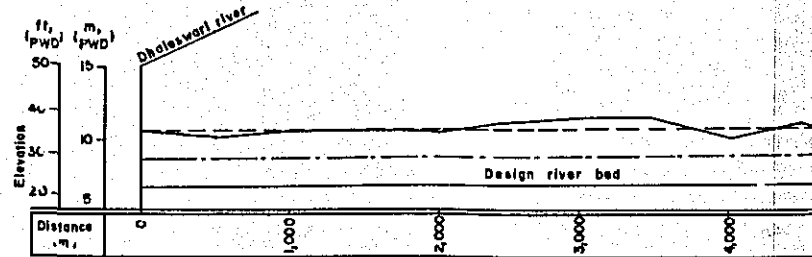


Profile of Guide Banks

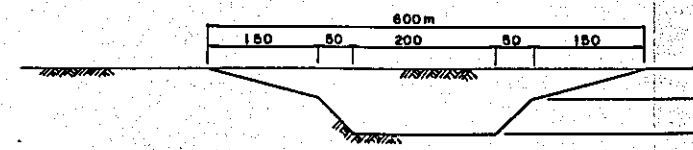


Dhaleswari New Channel

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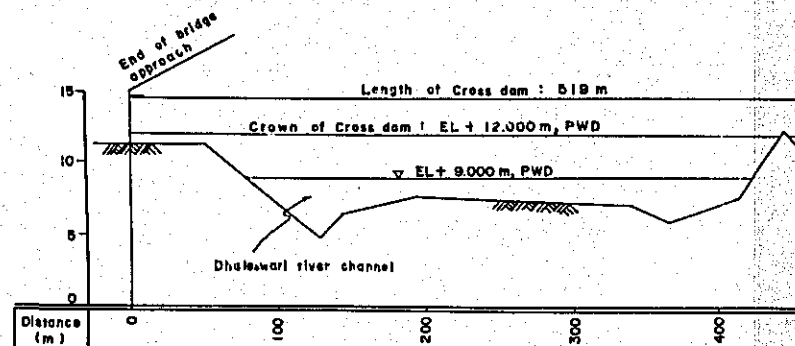


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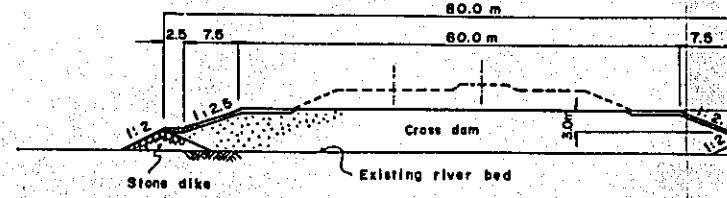


Cross dam Crossing the Dhaleswari River

Profile

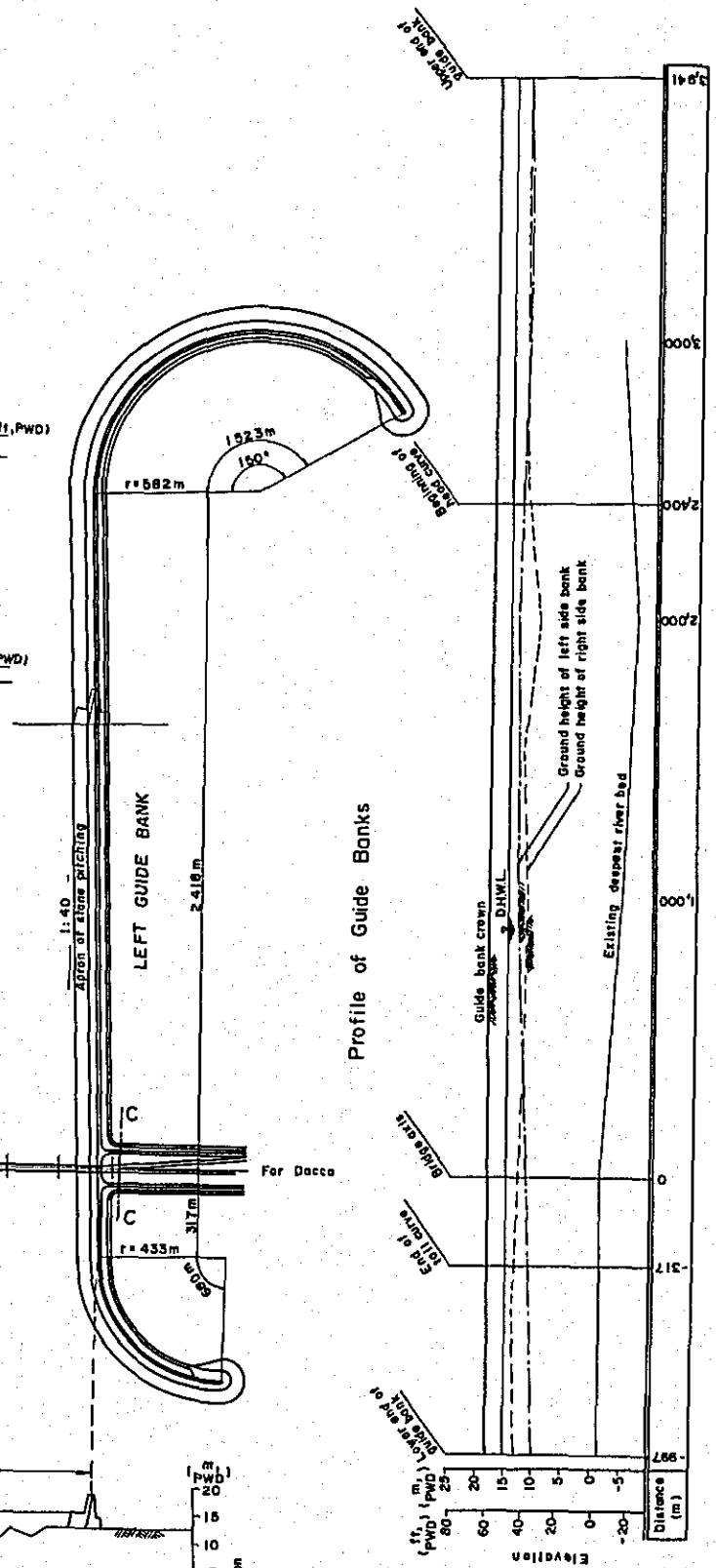
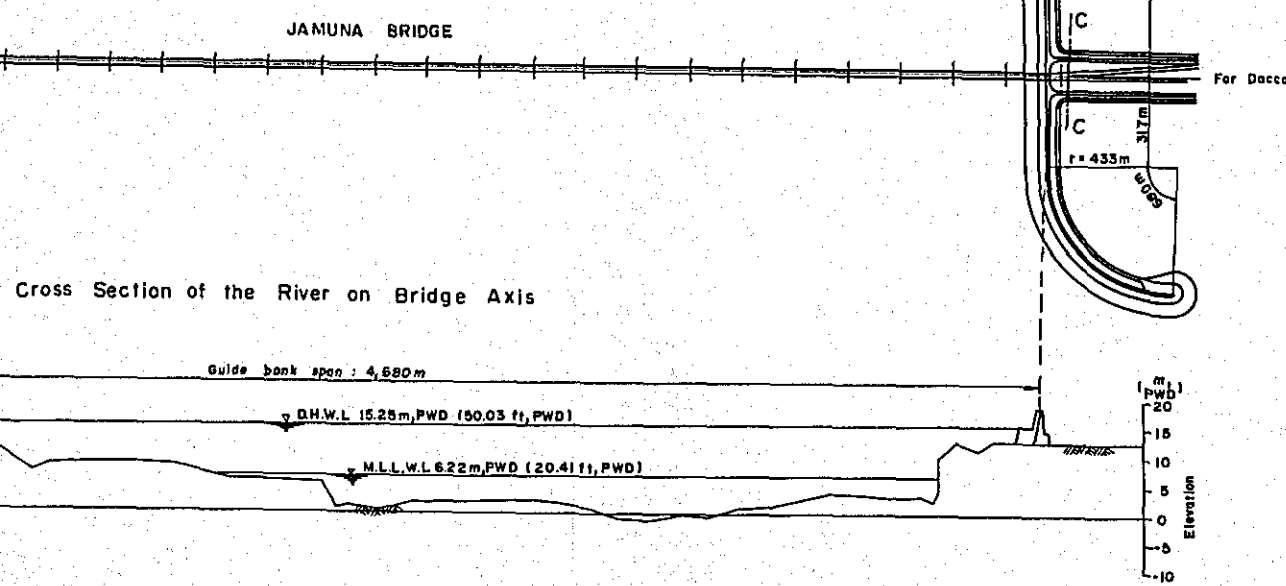
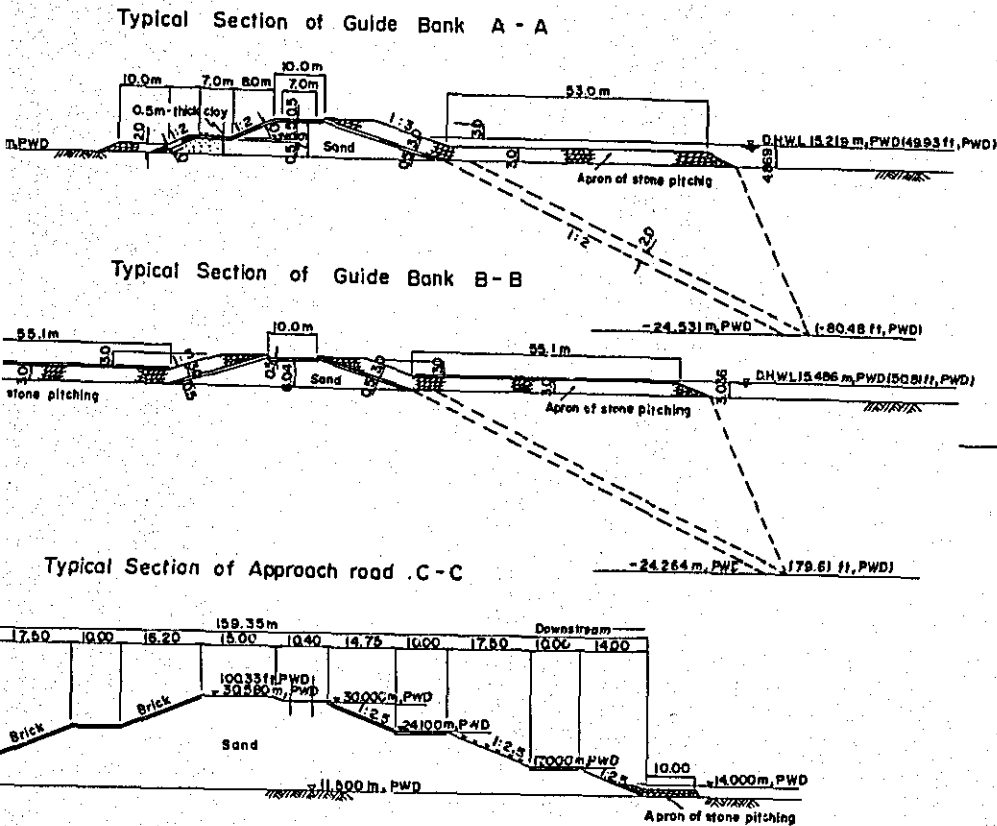


Typical Cross Section of Cross dam

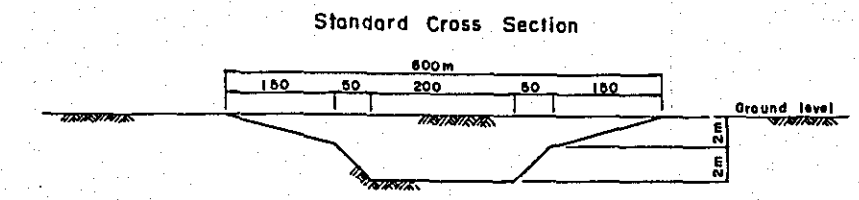
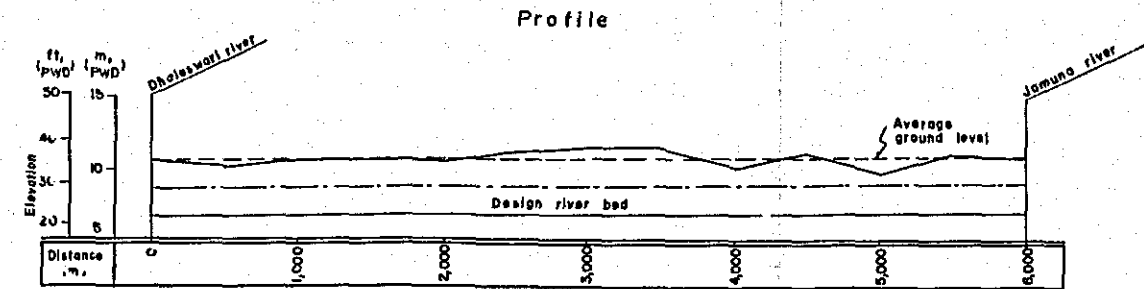




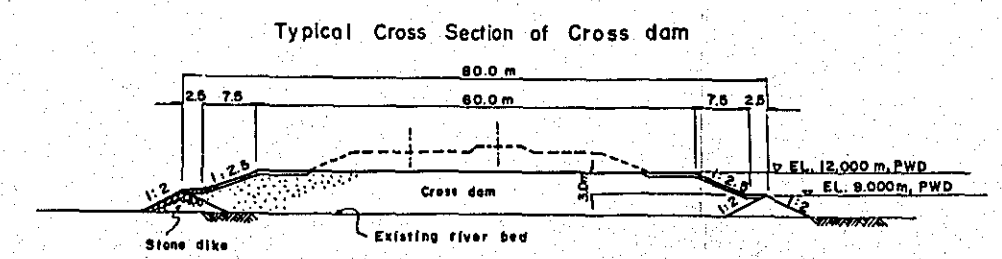
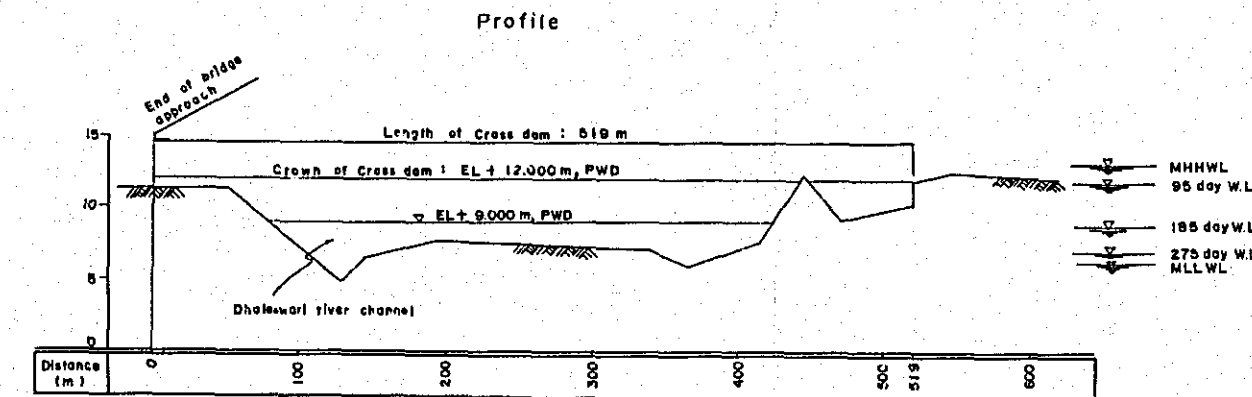
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Dhaleswari New Channel



Cross dam Crossing the Dhaleswari River



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Appendix B Equipment Schedule

Works: Guide bank

Item	Unit	Year							Total	
		6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th		13th
EQUIPMENT (FOREIGN)										
Tractorshovel (5m <sup>3</sup> )	nos		6	6	6	6				
Dump truck (32t)	"		19	19	19	19				
Tire-dozer (19t)	"		6	6	6	6				
Bull-dozer(swamp,,16t)	"		9		9					
Vibro-pile driver(15KW)	"		73		73					
Crawler crane (20t)	"		73		73					
Sheet pile (5mx0.333m)	t		1,355		1,355					
Engine dynamo (125KW)	nos		20		20					
Diezel pump dredger (4,000PS)	"		1		1					
Anchor barge (15t)	"		1		1					
Dredging pipe (φ710mmx5m)	"		1,000		1,000					
Flooter(φ1,300mmx4.5m)	"		268		268					
Joint (rubber, 1.5m)	"		266		266					
Macadam roller (10t)	"		16		16					
Asphalt sprayer(200 l)	"		7		7					
Tamper (60Kg)	"		6		6					

Works: Dhaleswari new channel

Item	Unit	Year							Total	
		6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th		13th
EQUIPMENT (FOREIGN)										
Dump truck (32t)	nos					2	2	2		
Bull-dozer(swamp.,16t)	"					5	5	5		
Vibro-pile driver(15KW)	"					3		3		
Crawler crane (20t)	"					3	2	3		
Engine dynamo (125KW)	"					3		2		
Diezel pump dredger (4,000PS)	"					1	1	1		
Anchor barge	"					1	1	1		
Dredging pipe (φ710mmx5m)	"					1,000	1,000	1,000		
Flooter(φ310mmx4.5m)	"					268	268	268		
Joint (rubber, 1.5m)	"					266	266	266		
Sheet pile(5mx0.333m)	t					1,355	1,355	1,355		

Appendix C Labor Schedule (Max. Number of field labor per a day)

Works	Description	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th
<b>Guide-banks</b>							
Apron	Skilled	76	76	76	76	-	-
	Local labor	77	77	77	77	-	-
Embankment	Unskilled	2,208	2,203	2,203	2,209	-	-
	Skilled	1,218	-	1,218	-	-	-
	Local labor	167	-	167	-	-	-
Dike protection	Unskilled	5	-	5	-	-	-
	Skilled	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Local labor	625	-	625	-	-	-
Dhaleswari new channel	Unskilled	796	-	796	-	-	-
	Local labor	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sheet pile	Skilled	-	-	-	33	-	33
	Local labor	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dredging	Unskilled	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Skilled	-	-	-	79	81	79
	Local labor	-	-	-	40	40	40
	Unskilled	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Local labor	-	-	-	-	-	-

APPENDIX D  
BIBLIOGRAPHY AND DATA

All bibliography and data collected in Bangladesh and in Japan and used in the present study are listed in this appendix. For the convenience of reference, they have been classified into the categories shown below.

- WL : Data on water level.
- DIS : Data on discharge.
- RF : Data on rainfall.
- FLD : Data on flood.
- SED : Data on sediment.
- BR : Data on boring test.
- RC : Data on river course.
- SVY : Data on surveying.
- TOP : Topographic map.
- PHT : Photograph.
- CS : Data on construction cost.
- PJT : Report on project concerning the Jamuna River.
- GN : Data on general description of the Jamuna River.
- ADM : Data on administration.
- CF : Data on consulting firm.
- MET : Data on meteorology.
- CON : Data on construction works.
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