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PREFACE

In response to a request from the Government of the Arab Republic of Egypt, the Government of Japan decided to conduct a Detailed Design Study on the Urgent Development Plan of the Suez Bay Coastal Area Development in Egypt and entrusted the study to the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA).

JICA sent to Egypt a study team five times between March 1992 and November 1993, which was headed by Mr. Kazunari Makino, Advisor of Pacific Consultants International (PCI) and was composed of the staff members of PCI and Ocean Consultant Japan Co., Ltd.

The team conducted field surveys at the study area, and held discussions with officials concerned of the Government of Egypt and other public agencies. After the team returned to Japan, further studies were made and the present report was prepared.

I hope that this report will contribute to the promotion of the project and to enhance of friendly relations between out two countries.

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to the officials concerned of the Government of Arab Republic of Egypt and other public organizations for the close cooperation extended to the team.

November 1993



Kensuke Yanagiya

President

Japan International Cooperation Agency

November 1993

Mr. Kensuke Yanagiya
President
Japan International Cooperation Agency
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Dear Mr. Yanagiya,

Letter of Transmittal

We are pleased to submit to you the Final Report on the Urgent Development Plan of the Suez Bay Coastal Area Development Project in the Arab Republic of Egypt. The reports contain the results of the detailed design study carried out and the Tender Documents for the Project in accordance with the contract entered into with your Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA), by Pacific Consultants International in collaboration with Ocean Consultant, Japan Co., Ltd.

The study team conducted the field surveys five times at site during the period from March 1992 to November 1993. The results of the field surveys and of the studies made in Japan were fully discussed and exchanged views with the organizations concerned of the Government of Egypt, and the study team prepared the Tender Documents on various facilities and infrastructure for proposed construction of the industrial complex at Ataq and Adabiya areas, the outcomes of which were compiled in this report.

Taking this opportunity, we wish to express our sincere appreciation to the Ministry of Development, New Communities, Housing and Public Utilities and other organizations concerned of the Government of Arab Republic of Egypt for their close cooperation and assistance rendered to us during our stay in Egypt. And furthermore, our appreciation must also go your Agency the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, the Ministry of Transport and the Japanese Embassy in Egypt and JICA Egypt office for their valuable advice and support extended to us.

Yours faithfully,


Kazunari Makino
Team Leader

The Suez Bay Coastal Area Development Study Team

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SUMMARY

The Japanese Government, in response to the request of the Egyptian Government, made a decision to carry out a follow-up study relevant to the Ataq - Adabiya Short Term Development Plan included in the Suez Bay Coastal Area Development Study (hereinafter called Master Plan) which was completed in August 1986, after which the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) implemented its study in 1989.

The Short Term Development Plan was re-analyzed and re-evaluated by the follow-up study conducted by the JICA experts, by which the Egyptian Government was recommended to implement it under the name of an Urgent Development Study. Following this, the Egyptian Government made a request to the Japanese Government to implement the detailed design study of the project.

Based on this request, the Japanese Government made a decision to perform the Urgent Development Plan of the Suez Bay Coastal Area Development Study consisting of the preparation of the detailed design and tender documents for the international competitive tendering which were necessary for the construction project, and JICA implemented its design study during the period from March 1992 to October 1993.

The location plan for the Short Term Development Plan of the Suez Bay Coastal Area Development Study implemented by JICA in 1986 was revised and a new location plan was prepared taking into account the recent economic conditions in Egypt as well as the current situations of land use in the project area.

The main change made, among others, in the plan was such that the Adabiya Industrial Freezone originally scheduled to be built in Adabiya was shifted to the place where adjacent to the Ataq Industrial Estate.

Based on this new Master Plan, the Detailed Design Study was carried out on the following infrastructure/facilities relevant to the industrial complex:

- Roads
- Widening and improvement of 10.3 km section of the existing Suez - Adabiya Road;
 - New construction of roads for access to the industrial complex and within the complex;

Water Treatment
Facilities

- Water intake pump station (Capacity 100,000 t/day).
- Aqueduct (Lineal metre, approx. 20 km);
- Treatment facility (Capacity 100,000 t/day);
- Water distribution lines;
- Draw-off water distribution lines for watering the plantation in Green-belt, utility zone in Ataq Industrial Estate, medians and streets;

Wastewater Treatment Facilities

- Wastewater treatment plant (Capacity 55,800 t/day);
- Wastewater collection pipelines;
- Sewer pipelines and sewer relay pump stations from the residential area to U.S. Aid sewerage plant;

Grain Silo Terminal

- Handling quantity of grain products: 1,800,000 t/year;
- Grain berth: One (1) berth 300 m, depth of water C.D. -15 m
- Magnitude of vessels for berthing: 80,000 DWT
- Grain silo and mechanical tower:
Silo storage capacity: 100,000 t
- Administration building, workshop, etc.

Bulk Cargo Terminal

- Proposed handling quantity of bulk cargo: 767,000 t/year;
- Bulk cargo berth:
Two (2) berthes 420 m, Depth of Water C.D -13 m;

The berth can accommodate the following vessels:

- Cargo ship : 2 x 20,000 DWT,
- Container ship : 1 x 20,000 DWT,
- Container ship : 2 x 15,000 DWT,
- Incinerator : One (1) set
- Bulk cargo yard, concrete pavement : 24,000 m²
- Administration building, watching tower, etc.

Small Boat Basin - 5 berths 270 m, depth of water C.D. -5 m

Tugboat - 32 ton tugboat, One (1)
- 36 ton tugboat, Two (2)

Radar System - For use within the ports of Ataq, Adabiya and Ibrahim

Railway - Transport quantity: 1,260,000 t/year;
- Loading line, marshaling line, connecting line and various provisions thereof.
- Signaling system and telecommunications.

Building Works in Centre Area

- Centre "A" (Ataq coastal Industrial Estate)

- Centre "B" (Ataqa Industrial Estate)
- Centre "C" (Adabiya Freezone)
- The Centre Areas include various facilities, such as administration Bldg., Police Station, Fire Station, Mosque, Medical Clinic, Restaurant, Social Club, Post Office, Custom House, Substation facilities, etc.

Power Supply Network and Road Lightning

- 66 kV power supply lines routes and conduits
- 22 kV power supply lines and conduits
- Local Substation (Water Treatment Plant, Wastewater Treatment Plant, Water Intake Plant, Grain Terminal, Cargo Terminal, Railway, Centre "A", Centre "B", and Centre "C")
- Unit Substations
- Road lightning
- Telephone conduits

Grain Cargo Handling Equipment

- Grain unloaders : 2 units, 650 t/hr/unit

Incidentally, the detail design for relocation of high voltage wires, substations for 220/66 kV and 60/22 kV, supply and wastewater drainage pipe lines in the residential area is to be carried out by the Egypt side, therefore, the design preparation was excluded.

Environmental Impact Analysis Study included in the Detailed Design Study was carried out on the following two main points:

- (1) Impacts to the sea water quality by the proposed wastewater treatment plant.
- (2) Impacts to the ambient air quality by the proposed industrial complex.

In order to achieve these two study objectives, in the first place, the current conditions at the proposed project site and its neighborhood area were investigated, and the probable environmental impacts to be caused by the development plan were predicted and evaluated.

The results of this investigation revealed that the impacts to the sea water quality by the proposed wastewater treatment plant would be very limited. On one hand, it disclosed that the impacts to the ambient air quality by the proposed industrial complex indicate high concentration of SO₂ in the proposed residential area next to and located south of the industrial complex would suffer the deterioration of air quality as for SO₂ to some extent. The use of the natural gas containing a less sulfurous ingredient as fuel in the industrial complex would be one of the countermeasures.

In implementing this project, the whole project is divided into eleven (11) Work Components from A1 to A11 and three (3) procurement contracts from B1 to B3 (Unloaders, Tugboats and Radar System). And furthermore, the Tender Documents comprise (1) Instructions to Tenderers, (2) General Conditions of Contract (Civil and Building Works), (3) Special Specifications, (4) General Specifications (Civil & Building Works), (5) Bill of Quantities, (6) Design Drawings and, (7) Procurement Contract Documents; totaling 12 different kinds of documents were prepared.

The project cost estimate was prepared by deviding it into two parts, that is, the local currency components (Egyptian Pound) and the foreign currency components (U.S. Dollar) based on the prevailing market prices in 1993. The estimated project cost is L.E 482,900,000 and U.S\$ 215,800,000. The project implementation period is expected to be seven (7) years including one (1) year for tenderings, commencing in July 1994.

Chapter 1 Introduction

CHAPTER 1 INTRODUCTION

The Government of the Arab Republic of Egypt established the Second 5 year Social and Economic Development Plan (86/87-91/92), and has paid a persistent effort to improve the foreign exchange receipts and to decentralize the increasing population and industries from such major metropolitan areas as Cairo and Alexandria to local districts as far as possible.

The Egyptian Government put forward a request to the Japanese Government, in relation with the Development Plan, to set up a "Suez Bay Coastal Area Development Programme" in order to reconstruct the devastated Suez region caused by the war broke out in 1967 and furthermore, to help develop the region to a large city having the population as many as one million in 2000.

In response to this request, the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) implemented by 1986 the Suez Bay Coastal Area Development Study and worked out a Master Plan and carried out a Feasibility Study pertaining to the Short Term Development Plan for the Ataq Commercial Port, Ataq Industrial Estate, Adabiya Industrial Freezone, etc. in view of the Master Plan and according to the priority of the terms of the implementation.

Following this Study, JICA conducted a follow-up study in 1988 including the review of the Study and consequently, made a recommendation to implement the Urgent Development Plan for construction of the Ataq Commercial Port, Ataq Industrial Estate and Adabiya Industrial Freezone. After the completion of this Study, the construction of the Ataq Fishery Port was carried out during the period of 1989 and February 1993 on grant aid basis rendered by the Japanese Government.

In addition, the Egyptian Government made a request to the Japanese Government in June 1991 to carry out the detailed design study on various facilities and infrastructure which are requisite of constructing the Ataq Commercial Port, Ataq Industrial Estate and Adabiya Industrial Freezone.

This Detailed Design Study was implemented in conformity with the request, and the project was comprised of the detailed engineering design for the construction of various facilities and infrastructure and the preparation of a complete set of the tender documents to call for international competitive tenders.

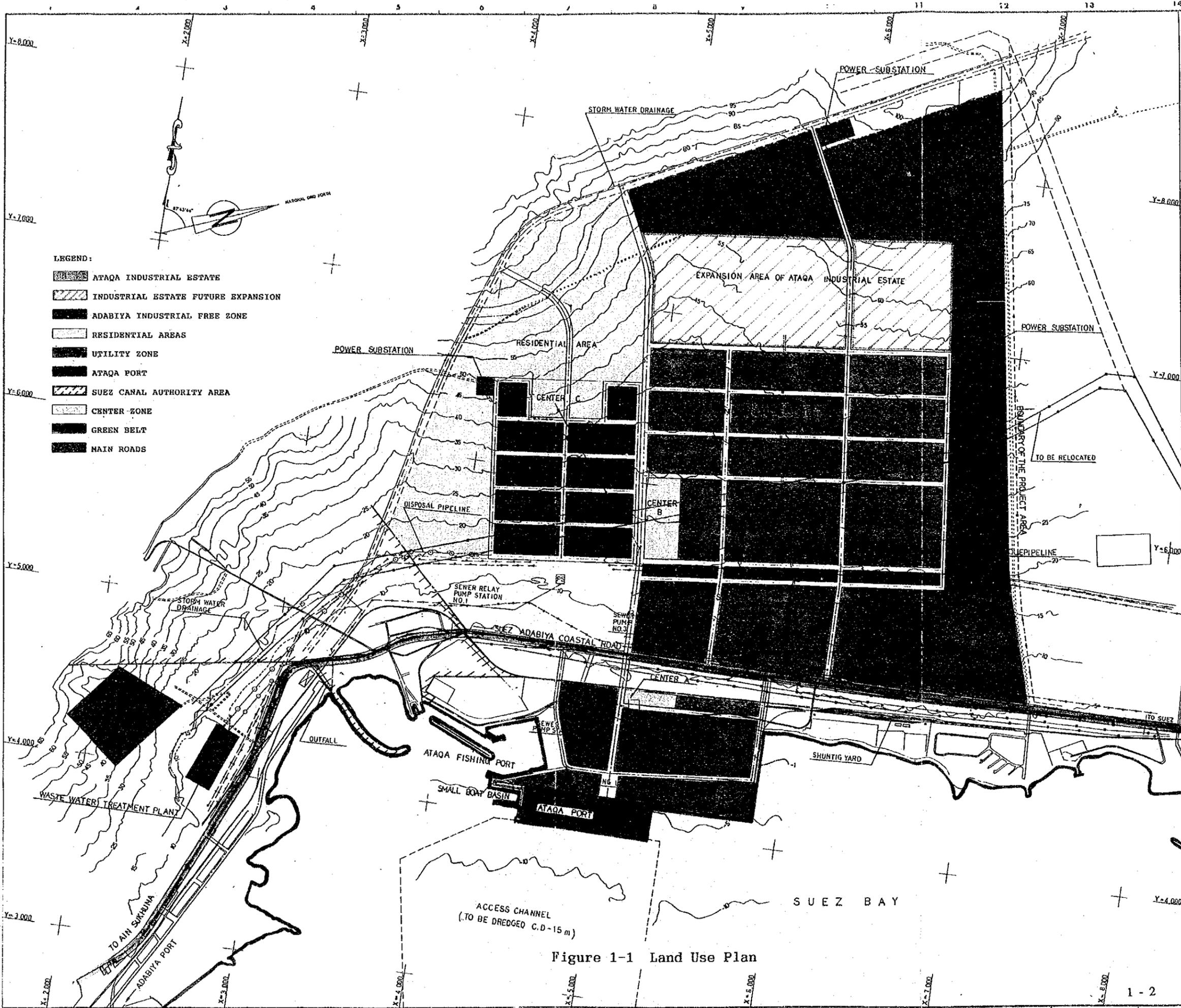


Figure 1-1 Land Use Plan

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LEGEND

- EXISTING FACILITIES
- +---+--- RAILWAY
 - ==== ASPHALT ROAD
 - TRACK
 - TELEPHONE LINE
 - POWER TRANS LINE
 - EMBEDDED PIPE LINE

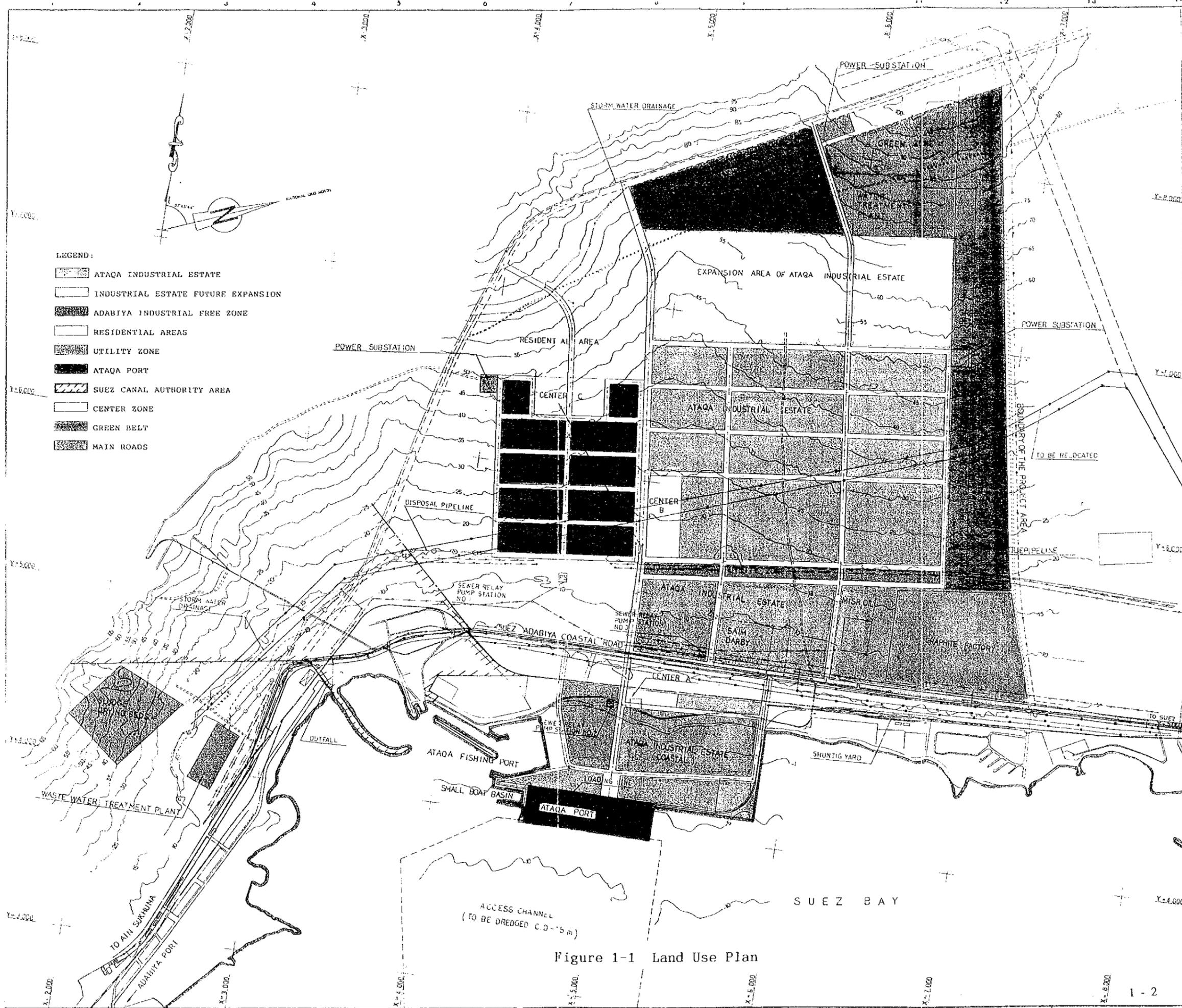
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GENERAL NOTES

- LEGEND:
- ATAQA INDUSTRIAL ESTATE
 - INDUSTRIAL ESTATE FUTURE EXPANSION
 - ADABIYA INDUSTRIAL FREE ZONE
 - RESIDENTIAL AREAS
 - UTILITY ZONE
 - ATAQA PORT
 - SUEZ CANAL AUTHORITY AREA
 - CENTER ZONE
 - GREEN BELT
 - MAIN ROADS

LEGEND

- EXISTING FACILITIES
- RAILWAY
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Figure 1-1 Land Use Plan

Chapter 2 Industrial Development

CHAPTER 2 INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT

2.1 OVERVIEW OF THE CURRENT EGYPTIAN ECONOMY

Almost 6 years have passed since a Master Plan and a Short Term Development Plan of Suez Bay Coastal Area were prepared by the JICA Study Team. During the period, the Egyptian economy has achieved annual growth rate in the range of around 4 - 6 %. However when the Gulf War broke out in 1990, the country had to face various difficulties such as a sudden rise of unemployment accompanied by sharp decrease of foreign exchange receipts due to the mass return of overseas Egyptian workers, decreased numbers of foreign tourists as well as ships passing through the Canal.

Therefore the trend of growth began to decline and it is likely to become difficult to achieve the national target rate of 5.3 % set under the Second 5 Year Social and Economic Development Plan (86/87 - 91/92). Under these circumstances, the government considers seriously the increased number of unemployment as an important issue and has paid utmost efforts in opening new labor export markets in other neighboring countries and to create more job opportunities through prioritization of the government housing construction programs.

Another important policy issue is the economic reform from the traditional planned economy to the market economy. The government has implemented her reform policies such as liberalization of foreign exchange rate and interest, promotion of privatization in the economic activities and reduction and abolishment of the various subsidies according to the schedule. These efforts in the transitional period always accompany more or less pains but will definitely revitalize and enhance her economy with better results in the long run.

2.2 NATIONAL POLICIES FOR INDUSTRIALIZATION

The industrial sector contributed 17.7 % of the GDP and 14.1 % of employment in 1988/89. The current major industrial policies area; (1) Increase production of such commodities as iron and steel, ceramics and cement, paper, fertilizer, spinning and weaving and petroleum, (2) Coordination between heavy industries of basic material groups and light industries of consumer products groups to secure self-sufficiency, to reduce imports and to increase manufactured export, (3) Privatization of economic activities, (4) Cancellation negative lists for industrial license except for production of military hardware.

2.3 INVESTMENT PROMOTION POLICIES

A new investment law was promulgated as No. 230 of 1989 which incorporated and amended the previous Law No. 43 of 1974 (Investment of Arab and Foreign Funds and Free Zones) and Law No. 159 of 1981 (Law on Joint Stock Companies, Partnership Limited by Shares and Limited

Liability Companies). The features of the new law are; (1) Unrestricted ownership of investment capital, (2) No discrimination with regard to privileges granted under the Law, (3) Right of acquisition of land and real estate, (4) No control of price and profit and other tax incentives.

2.4 DEMOGRAPHIC CHANGES

While the national growth rate of population during the period under review was 2.5 % per annum, Suez City recorded 5.1 % growth rate which is more than double the national growth rate. The population share of the urban governorates of Cairo, Alexandria, Port Said and Suez has decreased by one point. However the population of the Greater Cairo (Cairo City, Giza City, Markaz El-Giza and Shobra El-Khiema City) is still growing with annual increase of 200 thousand. To cope with the various urban problems in the Greater Cairo, Suez is expected more to play a vital role to help control and release these population pressures to the Greater Cairo.

2.5 CHANGES IN THE PHYSICAL SETTINGS OF SUEZ - ATAQA - ADABIYA

There has been impressive achievements in reconstruction and development and an image of the war damaged city almost disappeared. A number of development have taken place within the area planned in the previous study and it becomes necessary to review the previous plans to a large extent. Such projects are either built and or under construction as utility facilities of the Suez City sewage treatment plant in Ataqa, an additional installation of the power transmission lines, transportation facilities of Adabiya - Cairo Diversion Road, Ataqa Fishery Port, additional berths at Adabiya Port, new location of the Adabiya Port Management Office Building, an extension of Adabiya Naval Base, Edible Oil and Graphite Factories and a Gas Station.

2.6 LOCATION AND LAND USE PLAN

Taking into consideration these changes, the Steering Committee of the MODANC and the Study Team mutually confirmed the premises of reviewing. Then the Study Team initially developed 4 alternative location and land use plans and evaluated from development costs, land use efficiency, revenue, attraction to investors as well as to the surrounding communities and degree of easiness in coordination with the concerned agencies, which resulted in formulation of No. 5 plan approved in principle by the MODANC on September 10, 1992. Then in the course of basic design and detail design, some minor modifications were made and finally approved by the MODANC as shown in Figure 2.1. Changes in land use of Ataqa Industrial Estate and Adabiya Industrial Free Zone are as follows:

(1) ATAQA INDUSTRIAL ESTATE

| | <u>Previous Plan</u> | <u>Plan reviewed</u> |
|-------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Gross Area | 400 ha | 432 ha |
| Factory Lot Area | 310 | 347 |
| Utilities | 15 | 15 |
| Common Facilities | 13 | 11 |
| Road and Others | 62 | 59 |

(2) ADABIYA INDUSTRIAL FREE ZONE

| | <u>Previous Plan</u> | <u>Plan reviewed</u> |
|-------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Gross Area | 82 | 84 |
| Factory Lot Area | 52 | 56 |
| Utilities | 1 | - |
| Common Facilities | 7 | 7 |
| Road and Others | 22 | 21 |

Types of Industry Likely to be Located and its Model Zone.

An attempt was made to identify the types of industry which are likely to be located through analysis of the data of the enterprises located in the 7 New Communities developed by the MODANC, trend of national industrial production in the past 5 years, trend of foreign trade, national policies for industrialization and investment, the data of some selected export processing zone in South East Asia and locational features of Ataqa and Adabiya. The results are shown below and Figure 2.2.

| <u>Broad Class</u> | <u>Medium Class</u> | <u>Characteristics</u> |
|-------------------------------------|--|---|
| Consumer related Industries | flour milling, sugar refining, wood prod. furniture, textiles apparels, leather goods toys | coastal/imported materials labor intensive |
| Basic Material Industries | plastic, rubber, paper products, iron, steel ceramics, cement, fertilizer chemicals | coastal/imported materials local materials |
| Engineering and Assembly Industries | electric & electronic, appliances, transportation machinery & equipment | labor & market accessibility |

Assumed planning frameworks are as follows:

(1) ATAQA INDUSTRIAL ESTATE

| | <u>Previous Plan</u> | <u>Plan reviewed</u> |
|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Number of Factories | 70 | 380 |
| Number of Employment | 14,000 | 22,000 |
| Investment | - | EL1296 million |
| Production | EL203 million | EL1272 million |
| Water | 40,300 tonspd | 40,000 tonspd |

(2) ADABIYA INDUSTRIAL FREE ZONE

| | <u>Previous Plan</u> | <u>Plan reviewed</u> |
|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Number of Factories | 40 | 380 |
| Number of Employment | 6,600 | 12,000 |
| Investment | - | EL700 million |
| Production | EL76 million | EL820 million |
| Water | 2,500 tonspd | 6,700 tonspd |

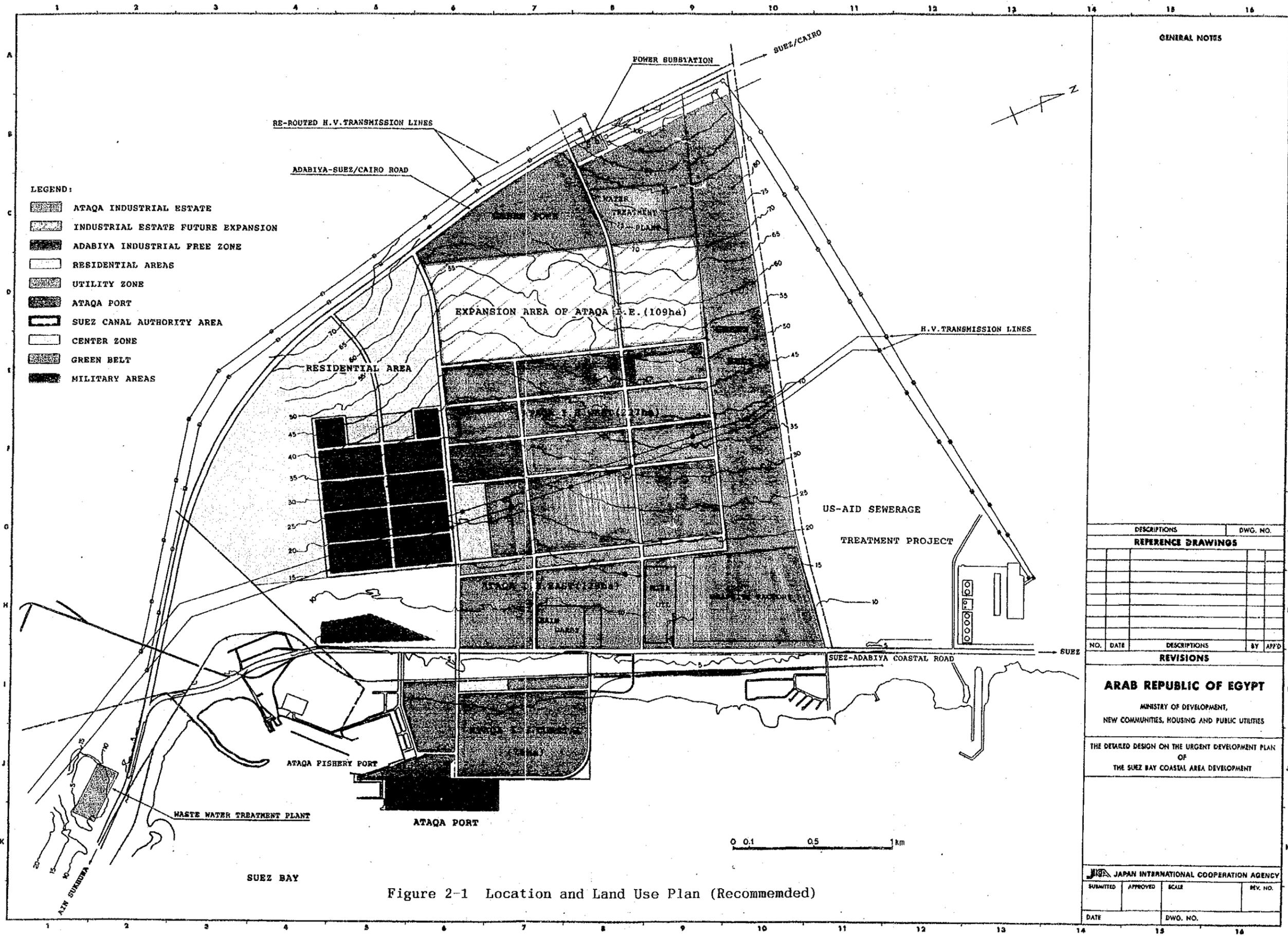


Figure 2-1 Location and Land Use Plan (Recommended)

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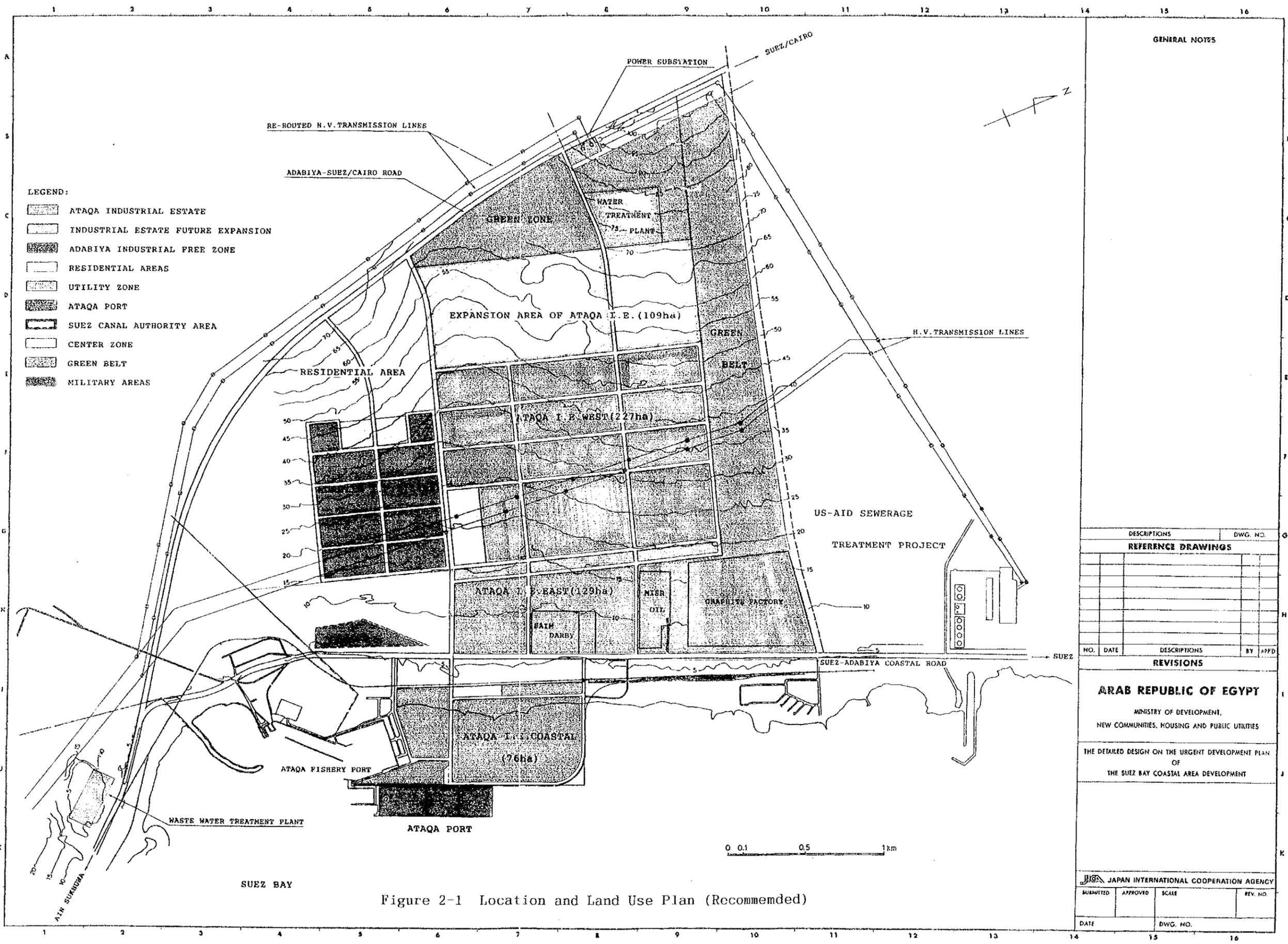


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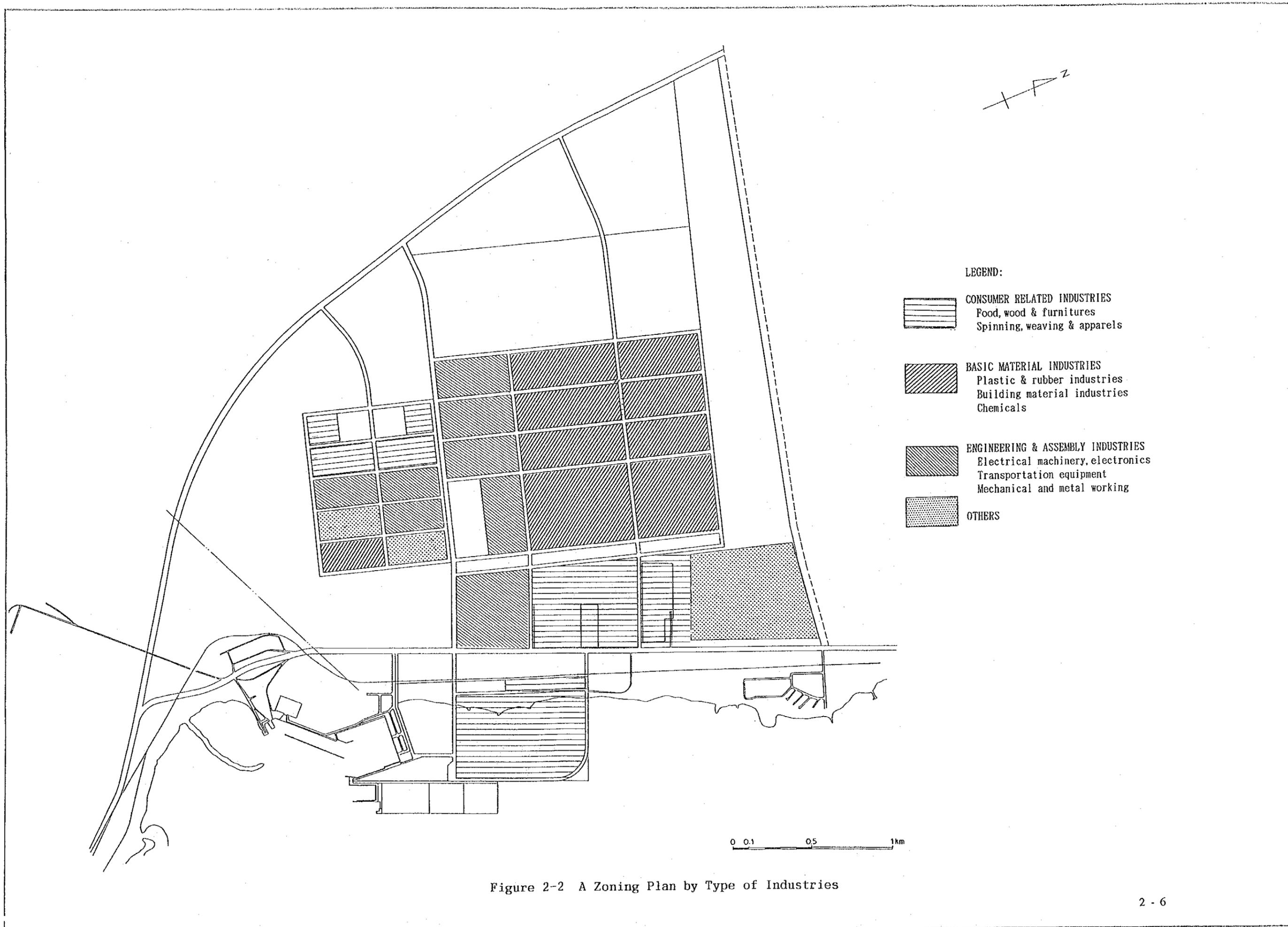


Figure 2-2 A Zoning Plan by Type of Industries

Chapter 3 Detailed Design Study

CHAPTER 3 DETAILED DESIGN STUDY

3.1 SURVEY AND SOIL INVESTIGATIONS

3.1.1 TOPOGRAPHIC AND BATHYMETRIC SURVEY

Topographic and bathymetric survey for the Project were conducted during the period from April to June 1992 in the project area, such as, (1) Topographic survey at and nearby the proposed Ataqā I.E. and Adabiya I.F.Z., (2) Route survey along the proposed raw water pipeline including water intake area, (3) Route survey along the Adabiya/Suez Coastal Road, (4) Sounding in and nearby the proposed Ataqā I.E. Coastal and Ataqā Port Area.

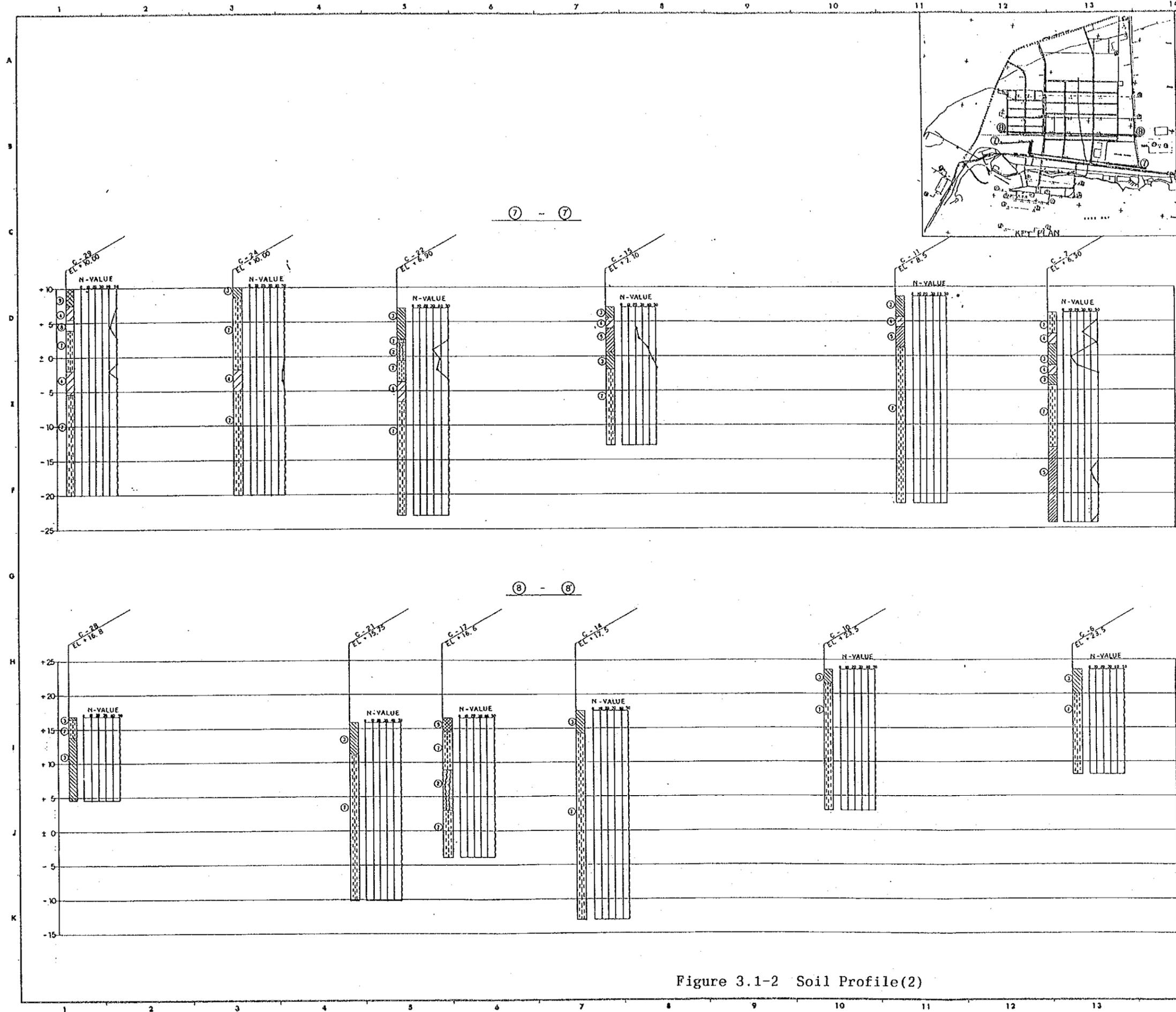
The following main features were obtained from the survey;

- (1) In the Ataqā I.E. area , the Adabiya/Suez Coastal Road runs about 300 m land side from the offshore line, and the elevation of the road is in the range of EL +5 m and EL 6 m.
- (2) The foot of Mt. Ataqā exists toward land side about 3 km form the Coastal Road, and the elevation of the foot is approximately above EL +80. The proposed Ataqā I.E. and Adabiya I.F.Z. gently slope at 1 : 40 (2.5 %).
- (3) The area of the proposed Waste Water Treatment Plant, which locates at between Adabiya Port and Ataqā I.E., has been excavated to use the material for reclamation of Adabiya Port construction. The size of the excavated hole is about 250 m x 450 m and the elevation of bottom of the hole is EL +1 m, while the original elevation of the area about EL +10 m.
- (4) From the shore line toward the sea, the sea bed of 1,500 m in length gradually becomes deep allay down to CD -15 m which a slope of 1 : 100. Farther off the shore arc, the sea bed has been dredged down to CD -15 m and CD -18 m.

3.1.2 SOIL INVESTIGATION

In order to obtain the information relevant to the sub-surface conditions and soil characteristics required for the detailed design of the Project, the soil investigation was performed during the period from April to July 1992.

The soil investigation consisting of 24 off-shore borings and 44 on -land borings were conducted in the proposed Ataqā I.E., Adabiya I.F.Z., and Ataqā Port area. In addition to these investigations, 11 borings and 11 C.B.R. tests, along the Adabiya/Suez Coastal Road, and 21 borings along the raw water pipeline were carried out.



GENERAL NOTES

- LEGEND**
- ① COLTIC SAND
 - ② SILTY CLAY WITH LIMESTONE PIECES
 - ③ LIMY SILTY WITH LIMESTONE PIECES
 - ④ SILTY CLAY
 - ⑤ LIMY SILTY CLAY WITH SAND
 - ⑥ SAND
 - ⑦ DOLOMITIC LIMESTONE FRAGMENTS
 - ⑧ GRAVEL AND SAND
 - ⑨ SAND AND SILT WITH GRAVEL
- Elevation : Refer to Egypt National Datum Level
 Horizontal Scale : None

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THE DETAILED DESIGN ON THE URGENT DEVELOPMENT PLAN
 OF
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SOIL PROFILE (3)

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Figure 3.1-2 Soil Profile(2)

Typical boring logs of the off-shore and on-land borings are shown in Figure 3.1-1 and Figure 3.1-2 and the main findings of the soil investigation are as follows:

- (1) Off-shore boring showed that the sea bed along the quay consists of layer having N-value of 2-10 with thickness about 4 m (CD -6 m to CD -10 m), the clay layer with silt and shale having N-value of 8 to 15, and the layer of sand or limy silt with limestone pieces of N-value of 50-100. The sea bed of the two shallower spots (about 1,500 m off-shore) consists of sand with shale and cemented sand pieces. Thickness of this layer is about 6 m (form CD -2 m to -8 m), and N-value is about 7 to 27. Below the layer, the coral layer with thickness of 1.5 m having N-value of 80, and from CD -8 m to -15 m, sandy layer with coral pieces and clay layer with limestone pieces having N-value of 6-10 are existing.
- (2) On-land boring reveals that surface layer is composed of limy silt with limestone pieces and sand with gravel. The thickness of this layers is 2-5, and N-value is in the range of 40-50 m. Below the surface layer, a layer of dolomite limestone fragments, limy silty clay with sand, and silty clay with limestone pieces having N-value of more than 50 are existing.
- (3) Field CBR value along the Adabiya/Suez Coastal Road varies in the rage of 3.2 - 17.5 %.

The results of these field soil investigations and laboratory tests are reflected in the detailed design of the Project.

3.2 DESIGN CONDITIONS

Design conditions described in the chapter are applied for all the project components otherwise described in the following chapters.

3.2.1 NATURAL CONDITIONS

(1) METEOROLOGICAL CONDITIONS

- | | | | |
|-----------------|---|---|---|
| (a) Temperature | : | Max. 45.8 °C | Min. 10.4 °C |
| (b) Rainfall | : | 9.6 mm/hr | 23.4 mm-day (30 year return period) |
| (c) Wind | : | Wind velocity for wave hindcast : 41 knot (21.1 m/sec.) | (For design of structures : 70 m/sec. is applied) |
| Wind Direction | : | N and NE | |

(2) MARITIME CONDITIONS

(a) Tide

- | | | |
|------------------------------------|---|---------|
| High Water Level Spring (H.W.L.S.) | : | +1.90 m |
| High Water Level Neap (H.W.L.N.) | : | +1.60 m |

| | | |
|--|---|----------|
| Low Water Level Neap (L.W.L.N.) | : | +0.70 m |
| Low Water Level Spring (L.W.L.S.) | : | +0.40 m |
| Chat Datum (CD) | : | ±0.00 m |
| Egyptian National Datum Level (E.N.D.L.) | : | ±1.137 m |
| (Elevation for land structures refers to E.N.D.L. and for Marine Structures refers to CD.) | | |

(b) Wave

| | | |
|------------------------------|---|-----------|
| Significant Wave Height H1/3 | : | 1.3 m |
| Wave Period T1/3 | : | 5.2 sec. |
| Wave Direction | : | E and SSE |

(c) Current

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|---|-----------------------|
| Max. velocity near the Suez Canal | : | 1 knot (51.4 cm/sec.) |
|-----------------------------------|---|-----------------------|

(3) TOPOGRAPHY AND HYDROGRAPHY

The design of structures and facilities are based on the results of the survey conducted by JICA Study Team from April to July in 1992 and the available maps provided by MODANC.

(4) SOIL CONDITIONS

Table 3.2-1 Reclamation and Filling Materials

| Items | Unit Weight (t/m ³) | Internal Angle (Degree) |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Dredged Material (sand silt) | 1.7 | 30 |
| Rubble Stone | 1.8 | 40 |
| Compacted Fill Sand | 1.8 | 30 |

Soil conditions at each site are shown in CHAPTER 3.1.2.

5) SEISMIC CONDITIONS

No seismic force is considered for the structures to be constructed for the project except the following:

Kh = 0.05 for quaywall and silos of Ataq Port

(Kh : horizontal seismic coefficient)

3.2.2 MATERIALS

(1) CONCRETE

Concrete structure should be designed in accordance with the Standard Specifications for Plain and Reinforced Concrete (Japan Society of Civil Engineers) for civil structures, unless otherwise described in each chapter.

The following conditions should be taken into consideration for civil structures:

Table 3.2-2 Concrete Strength

| Compressive Strength (28 days) (kg/cm ²) | Allowable Bending Compressive Strength (kg/cm ²) | Allowable Shear Stress (kg/cm ²) | Allowable Bond Stress (kg/cm ²) Round/Deformed |
|--|---|---|--|
| 240 | 90 | 4.5 | 8.0/16.0 |
| 180 | 70 | 4.0 | 7.0/14.0 |

Table 3.2-3 Concrete Unit Weight

| Type | Unit Weight (t/m ³) |
|----------------|---------------------------------|
| RC Concrete | 2.45/2.50 |
| Plain Concrete | 2.30 |

Table 3.2-4 Increase of Allowable Stress

| Type | Normal Condition | Seismic Condition |
|-----------------|------------------|-------------------|
| RC Concrete | 1.0 | 1.5 |
| Reinforcing Bar | 1.0 | 1.5 |

(2) REINFORCING STEEL BAR

Table 3.2-5 Allowable Stress

| Type | Allowable Stress (kg/m ²) | Unit Weight (t/m ³) |
|--------------|--|------------------------------------|
| Round Bar | 1,400 | 7.85 |
| Deformed Bar | 1,800 | 7.85 |

(3) STONE

Table 3.2-6 Internal Angle and Unit Weight

| Type | Internal Angle (Degree) | Unit Weight (t/m ³) |
|-------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Rubble Stone | 40 | 1.8 |
| Unscreened Gravel | 30 | 1.8 |

3.3 PORT

3.3.1 PORT FACILITIES SUBJECT TO DESIGN

Some of the main port facilities of this project are outlined in the following:

(1) ATAQA PORT

The main facilities proposed for the Ataq Commercial Port comprise the construction of one (1) grain berth for ships of 80,000 DWT (the depth of water CD. -15.0 m, length 310 m) and of two (2) bulk cargo berths for ships of 20,000 DWT (the depth of water CD. 13.0 m, length 420 m; the construction of the proposed yard for grain terminal and bulk cargo terminal (approx. 18 ha); and the construction of the proposed area for the coastal industrial complex (approx. 60 ha) with dredging and reclamation works and of the navigational channel, quaywall, and berthing facilities.

(2) SMALL BOAT BASIN

The small boat basin is to be constructed adjacent to the south of the grain terminal and it includes the construction of quaywalls for five (5) berths (CD. -5.0 m, length 50 m x 5 = 250 m) to be used by service boats which are requisite of berthing of the vessels to the Adabiya Commercial Port and Ataq Commercial Port as well as the construction of the breakwater.

(3) TUGBOATS

Two different size of tugboats are assigned, that is, one (1) 32 tons tugboat and two (2) 25 tons tugboats to assist maximum 80,000 DWT ships in berthing and deberthing.

(4) RADA SYSTEM

A rada system is provided to manage and control the ship maneuvering within the Ataq Port, Adabiya Port and Ibrahim Port and at the same, time to assist the ships in the navigation in the harbour area.

3.3.2 ITEMS AND SCOPE OF WORK FOR PORT DESIGN

In the Feasibility Study carried out by JICA in 1986, the functional share assigned to the Ataq Commercial Port and Adabiya Commercial Port are defined, that is, the Adabiya Port was expected to handle general cargoes, special cargoes, container cargoes, etc., while the Ataq Port was expected to handle grain products and other bulk cargoes. Development of the Adabiya Port was proceeded by the Red Sea Port Authority of the Ministry of Maritime Transport and is expected to complete the construction of the proposed seven berths including the development of the existing berth in 1995 which is the target year set forth by the Short Term Development Plan in the Feasibility Study. In the Ataq Commercial Port Development Plan, the coal terminal project was deleted from the Short Term Developments Plan in the JICA Feasibility Study, nevertheless, the construction plans for the grain terminal and bulk cargo terminal remain unchanged.

Inasmuch as the construction plan for the Adabiya Port was deleted from this Study, the detailed design relevant to the navigational channel onto the Adabiya Port as well as the berth facilities were excluded, and furthermore, the coal terminal plan of the Ataq Port was excluded. Because of this, it was decided to leave off the detail design for the navigational channel at the north side to access the Ataq Port.

The items of the port facilities for which the detailed design were carried out are shown in Table 3.3-1 and the magnitude of the facilities designed is as indicated in Table 3.3-2.

(1) SCOPE OF THE WORKS

Table 3.3-1 Project Components in Urgent Development Plans

| Components | Sub Components/Work Item |
|--------------------------|--|
| (1) Ataq Commercial Port | |
| 1) Terminals | 1 Land Reclamation 2 Fence & Gate 3 Roads & Pavement in the Port Area 4 Water Supply in the Port Area 5 Sewerage System in the Port Area 6 Power Supply System and telephone in the Port Area 7 Railway in the Port Area 8 Incinerator 9 Port administration building and building works in the port area 10 Revetment and temporary revetment 11 Channel & Basin 12 Navigational aid |
| 2) Grain Terminal | 1 -15.0 m Quaywall 2 Foundation of Unloader Crane 3 Utility Duct on the Quay 4 Unloader 5 Grain Handling Silo 6 Apron Pavement |
| 3) Bulk Cargo Terminal | 1 -13.0 m Quaywall 2 Utility Duct 3 Pavement of Open Storage Yard |
| (2) Small Boat Basin | 1 -5.0 m Quaywall 2 Breakwater |
| (3) Tug Boats | Radar System |
| (4) Radar System | Tug Boats |

Table 3.3-2 Scale and Dimensions of the Port Facilities

| Components | Scale and Dimensions | |
|--|---|----------------------------|
| (1) Ataq Commercial Port | | |
| 1) Land Reclamation | Port Area | Approx. 18 ha |
| | Coastal I.E. | Approx. 60 ha |
| 2) Navigational Channel and Basin (Dredging) | Channel | L = 7,100 m CD. -15.0 m |
| | Basin for Grain Berth | A = 20 ha CD. -15.0 m |
| | Basin for Bulk Cargo Berths | A = 35 ha CD. -13.0 m |
| 3) Grain Quaywall | Concrete Caisson | L = 15 m 22 Units |
| | Caisson Quaywall | L = 330 m CD. -15.0 m |
| | Super Structures etc. | |
| 4) Bulk Cargo Quaywall | Concrete Caisson | L = 15 m 29 Units |
| | Caisson Quaywall | L = 435 m CD. -13.0 m |
| | Super Structures etc. | |
| 5) Revetment | South Revetment | L = 144 m |
| | Temporary Revetment | L = 810 m |
| | Dyke for Disposal of Fines | L = 800 m |
| | Boundary Concrete of Reclaimed Land Block | L = 570 |
| 6) Incinerator | Incinerator | |
| (2) Small Boat Basin | | |
| 1) Quaywall (CD. -5.0 m) | North Quaywall (1 Berth) and Revetment | L = 70 m |
| | West Quaywall (2 Berths) and Revetment | L = 112 m |
| | South Quaywall (2 Berths) and Revetment | L = 110 m |
| 2) Breakwater | Breakwater | |
| | Inside the Berth | L = 140 m |
| | Outside the Berth | L = 155 m |
| (3) Tugboats | Tugboats | |
| | One (1) 32 ton Tugboats | |
| | Two (2) 25 ton Tugboats | |
| (4) Radar System | Radar System | One, complete |

3.3.3 ARRANGEMENT PLAN OF PORT FACILITIES

The plan has been set up on the assumption that the annual handling quantity of grain products at the grain berth in 2000 would be 1,300,000 ton and the same in 2010 would be 1,800,000 ton. The annual cargo handling quantity at the bulk cargo berth was assumed to be 767,000 ton similar to that of the Short Term Development Plan in *JICA's Feasibility Study.

Note : * JICA, Short Term Development Plan Report on page 20.

The condition of the Port Facilities Plan are tabulated in Table 3.3-3, and a plan arrangement of the Grain Berth, Bulk Cargo Berth and Small Boat Basin is shown in Figure 3.3-1, 3.3-2 and 3.3-3.

Table 3.3-3 Conditions of the Port Facilities Plan

| Port | Ataqa Commercial Port | | | Small Boat Basin | |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------|----------------|----------------------|--------------|
| | Grain Wharf | Bulk Cargo Wharf | | Small Boat Wharf | |
| Objective Ships | | | | | |
| Kind of Ships | Grain Carrier | Cargo Ships | Container Ship | Tug Boat | Service Boat |
| Tonnage | 80,000 DWT | 20,000 DWT | 20,000 DWT | 300 G.T. | 300 G.T. |
| Overall length | 250 m | 170 m | 201 m | 38.7 m | 39.2 m |
| Moulded depth | 38.5 m | 23.7 m | 27.1 m | 10.0 m | 8.0 m |
| Full Load Draft | 14.5 m | 9.6 m | 10.6 m | 3.5 m | 2.2 m |
| Design Condition | | | | | |
| Approach Velocity | 0.1 m/sec. | 0.15 m/sec. | | 0.3 m/sec. | |
| Approach Angle | 0 - 6 Degree | 0 - 6 Degree | | 0 - 6 Degree | |
| Design Surcharge | 4.0 t/m ² | 6.0 t/m ² | | 1.0 t/m ² | |
| Berth Length | 300 m | 210 m | | 50 m | |
| Design Depth | CD. -15.0 m | CD. -13.0 m | | CD. -5.0 m | |
| Necessary Number of Berth | 1 Berth | 2 Berths | | 5 Berths | |
| Cargo Handling Equipment | | | | | |
| Equipment Handling Capacity | Unloader 630 Ton 2 Units | Ship Loader | | | |
| Weight of Unloader | 420 Ton | | | | |
| Wheel Gauge | 9 m | | | | |
| Design Wheel Load | 35 Ton/Wheel | | | | |
| Off-shore Facilities | | | | | |
| Depth of Channel | | CD. -15.0 m | | CD. -5.0 m | |
| Depth of Turning Basin | | CD. -15.0 m | | CD. -5.0 m | |
| Depth of Mooring Basin | CD. -15.0 m | CD. -13.0 m | | | |

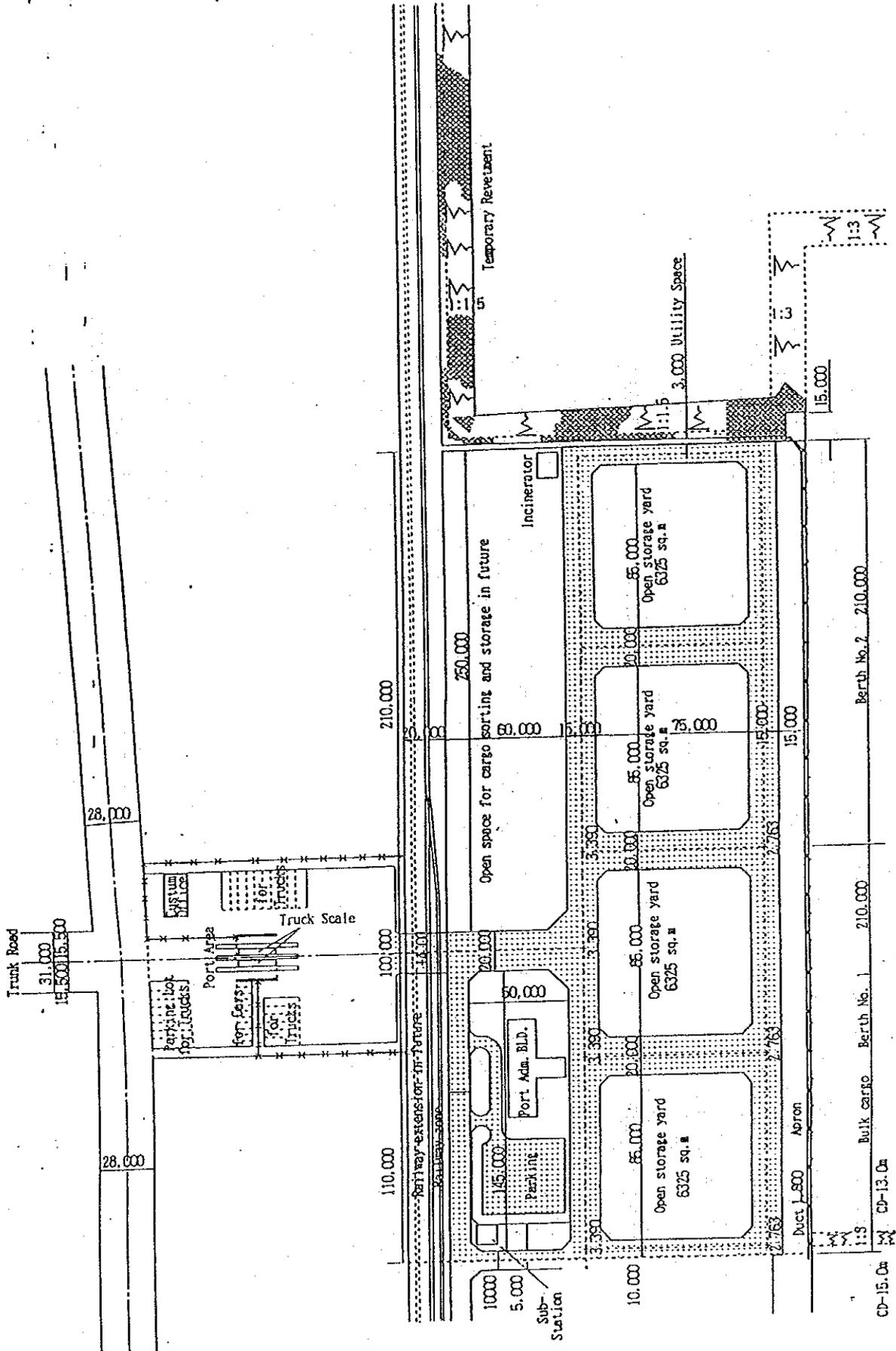
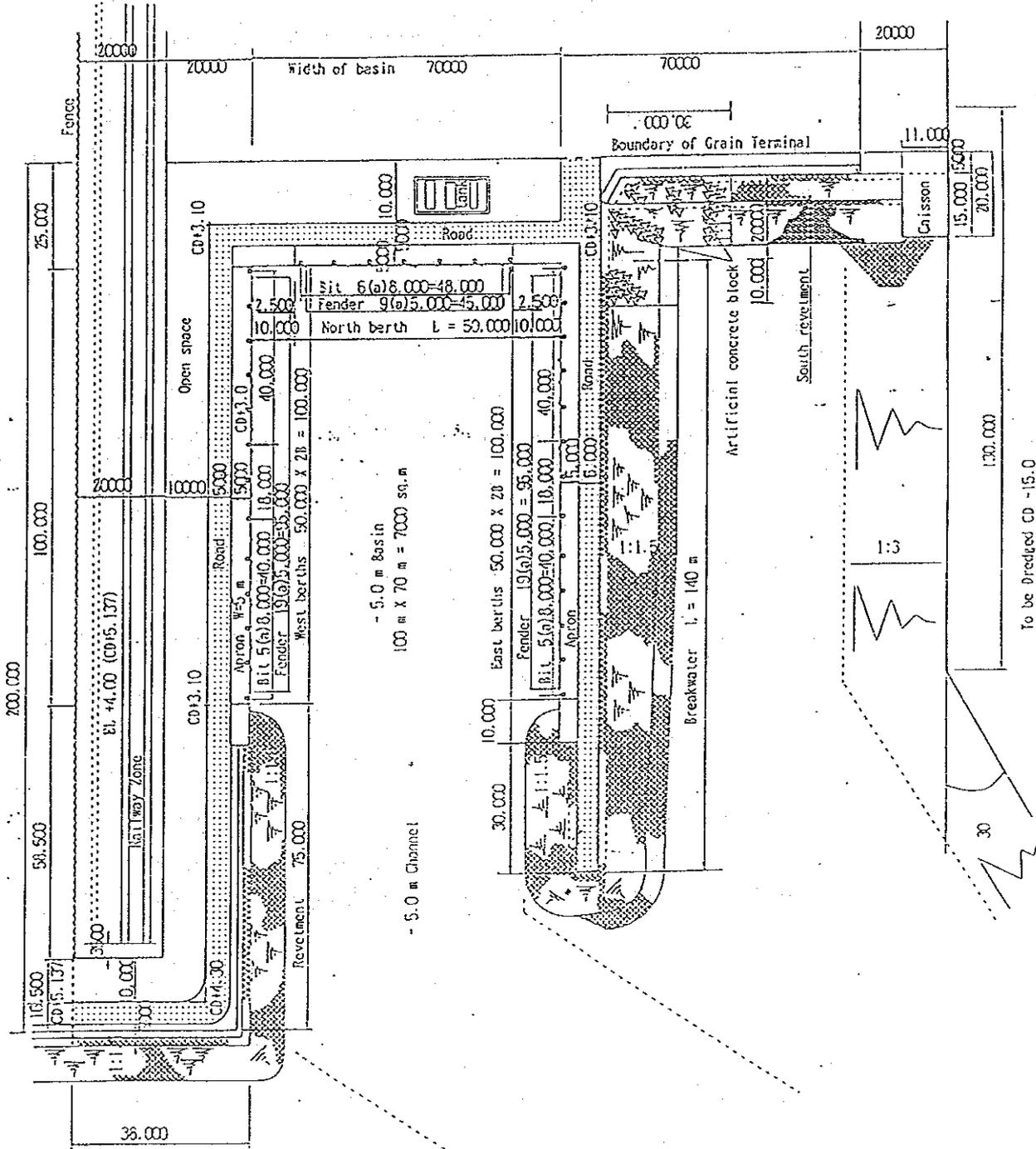


Figure 3.3-2 General Plan of Bulk Cargo Terminal



To be Predicted CD -15.0

Figure 3.3-3 Small Boat Basin General Layout Plan

3.3.4 DETAILED DESIGN FOR PORT FACILITIES

(1) DREDGING AND RECLAMATION

In the construction of the reclaimed land for Ataqa Industrial Coastal Area as well as the port area for Grain Terminal and Bulk Cargo Terminal, it is proposed to utilize the material which could be obtained by the dredging at proposed navigational channel, turning basin, construction site of the berth, quaywall, etc. The total estimated quantity of the dredged material and reclamation is as shown below. The material which would fall short amounting to approximately 1,100,000 m³ would be supplemented by either excavating the navigation channel deeper or widening the berthing area.

| | | |
|-----------------------------|---|----------------------------|
| Dredging material quantity | : | 5 million m ³ |
| Reclaimed material quantity | : | 6.1 million m ³ |

The dredging and reclamation plan is shown in Figure 3.3-4. Incidentally, the silt material which would be generated at the time when the reclaiming work is in progress, it is proposed to be stored in an area surrounded with dikes of 250 m x 550 m to be built on off-shore at the north side of the reclaimed area.

(2) DESIGN CRITERIA OF WHARF AND STRUCTURE OF QUAYWALL

The design criteria of Grain Wharf, Bulk cargo wharf and of Small Boat Basin to be adopted in the preparation of the detailed design is as shown in Table 3.3-4.

The results of a comparative design carried out on the type of structures of the Grain Wharf and of the Bulk Cargo Wharf which are important out of the port structures disclosed that the concrete caisson structure would be the most appropriate, as it is most economical and free from any problems in the terms of technical aspects and of the availability of materials at site. The design criteria of the concrete caisson is tabulated in Table 3.3-5, and the typical cross-section of the wharf is shown in Figure 3.3-5.

(3) SMALL BOAT BASIN AND REVETMENT

It was decided to adopt a concrete block structure and a rock mound structure for the small boat basin and for the revetment respectively from the viewpoint of various reasons, that is, the existing soil conditions at the proposed construction site is considered good, 2) the stone masonry material is available in the neighbourhood area at a reasonable price 3) many of the existing structures at site are employing the same type of structures as mentioned above.

A typical type of the basin built with the concrete block for the small boat basin and of the revetment constructed with the rock mound is shown in Figure 3.3-6 and 3.3-7.

(4) NAVIGATIONAL CHANNEL

The existing access navigational channel and the anchorage area for vessels passing through the Suez Canal has been dredged down to the depth of CD. -15 m to CD. -18 m and the width of the navigational channel is kept to 500 m. In the light of this, it was determined to utilize this channel for access to that of the Ataq Commercial Port.

3.3.5 DETAILED DESIGN

(1) QUAYWALL

Table 3.3-4 Wharf

| Wharf | Grain Wharf | Bulk Cargo Wharf | Small Boat Wharf |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Scale and Dimensions | | | |
| Number of Berths | 1 Berth | 2 Berths | 5 Berths |
| Length of Berths | 310 m | 420 m | 250 m |
| Overall Length of Quaywall | 330 m | 435 m | 292 m |
| Water Depth | CD -15.0 m | CD -13.0 m | CD -5.0 m |
| Crown Height (Face line) | CD +3.6 m | CD +3.6 m | CD +3.0 m |
| Width of Apron | 20 m | 15 m | 5 m |
| Gradient of Apron | 2.0 % | 2.0 % | 2.0 % |
| Structural Type | Reinforced concrete caisson | Reinforced concrete caisson | Concrete block |
| Foundation | | | |
| Material | Rubble Stone 30 - 200 kg/pcs | Rubble Stone 30 - 200 kg/pcs | Rubble Stone 30 - 200 kg/pcs |
| Thickness of Stone | 2.0 m | 2.0 m | 2.0 m |
| Top Level of Foundation Stone | CD -15.5 m | CD -13.5 m | CD -5.0 m |
| Scoring protection | 500 kg/pcs Armor stone | 500 kg/pcs Armor stone | - |
| Super Structure | | | |
| Type of Concrete | Sulfate Resistance Cement | Sulfate Resistance Cement | Sulfate Resistance Cement |
| Design Strength of Concrete | 240 kg/m ² | 240 kg/m ² | 240 kg/m ² |
| Fender | Rubber Fender | Rubber Fender | Rubber Fender |
| Energy Absorption | Min. 55 t-m | Min. 32 t-m | Min. 7 t-m |
| Reaction Force | Max. 130 ton | Max. 100 ton | Max. 50 ton |
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| Tractive Force on Bollard | 200 ton | 100 ton | - |
| Tractive Force on Bitt | 100 ton | 70 ton | 15 ton |

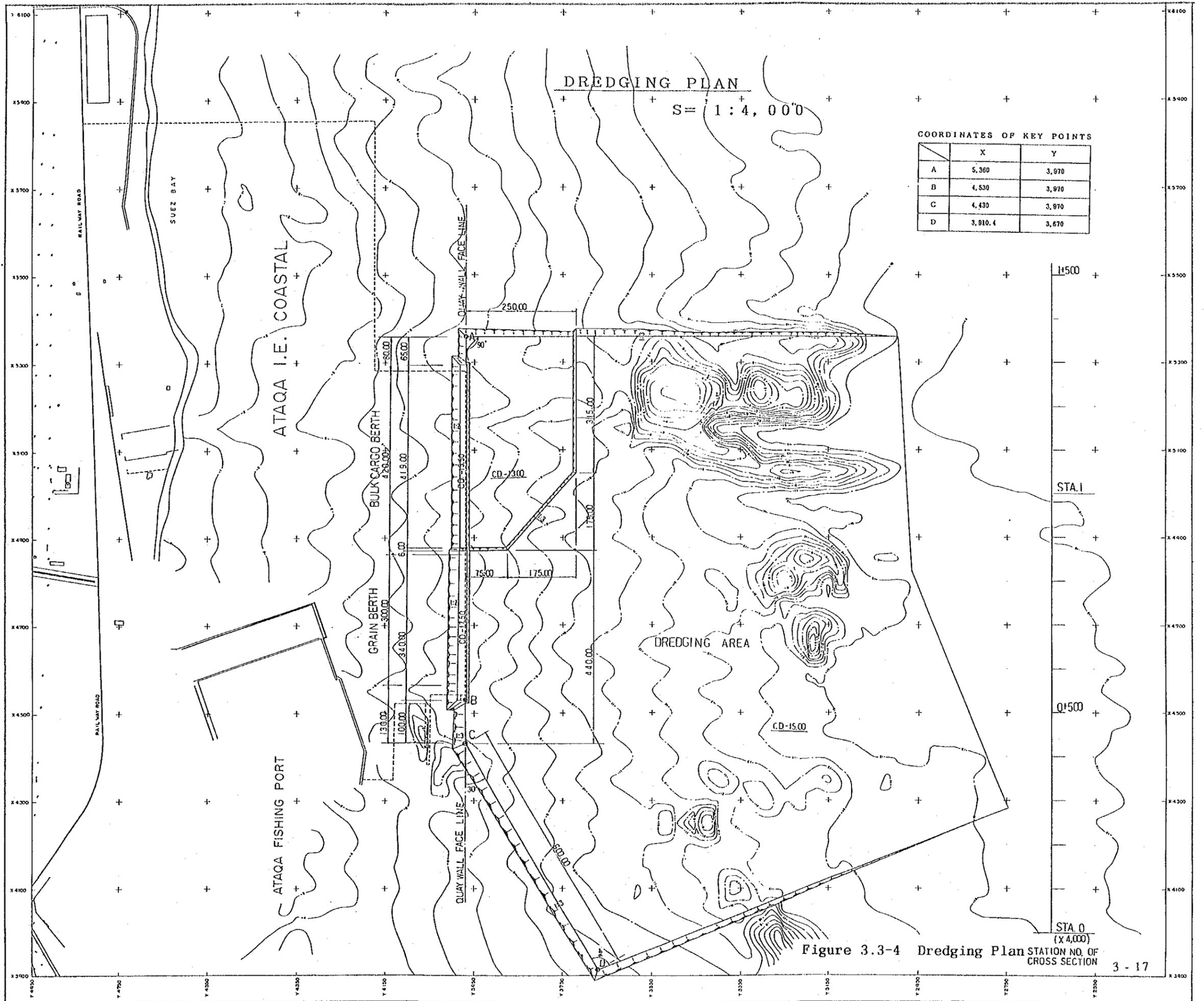


Figure 3.3-4 Dredging Plan STATION NO. OF CROSS SECTION 3 - 17

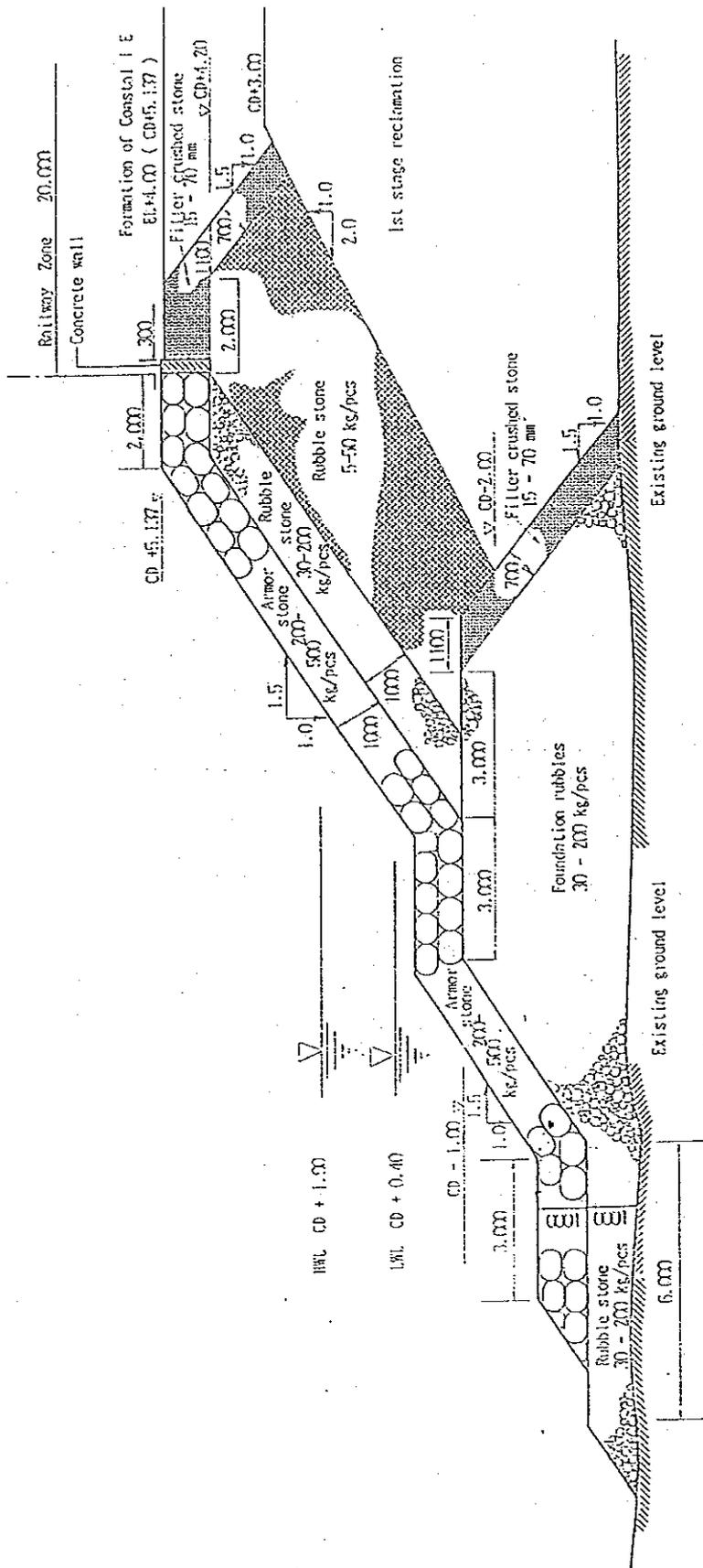


Figure 3.3-6 Typical Cross Section of Revetment

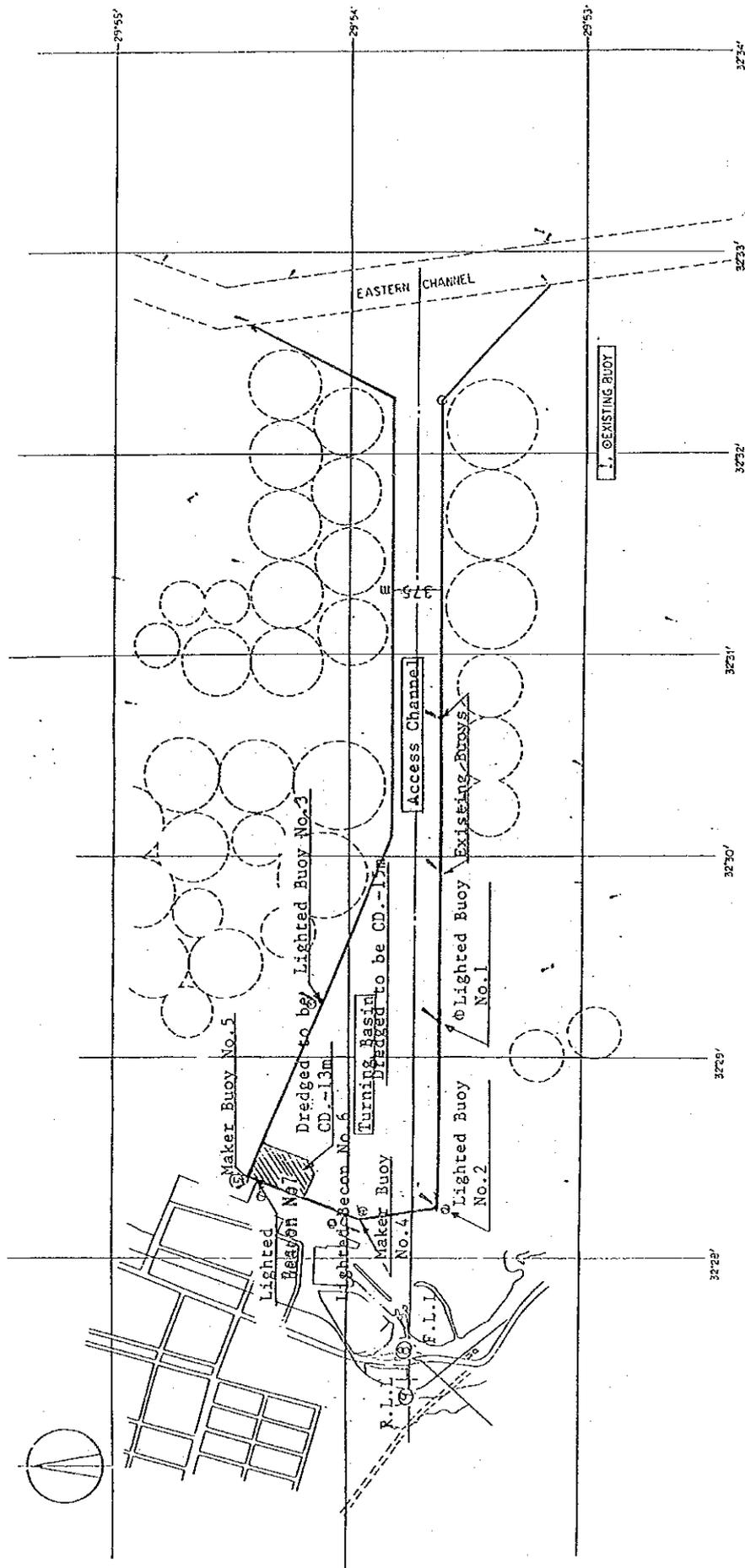


Figure 3.3-8 Layout of Navigation Aid

(2) REINFORCED CONCRETE CAISSON

Table 3.3-5 Design Criteria Caisson

| Type of Caisson | Type A | Type B |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Scale and Dimensions of Caisson | | |
| Height | 17.0 m | 15.0 m |
| Width | 11.9 m | 10.0 m |
| Width of Footing | 14.5 m | 12.0 m |
| Length | 15.0 m | 15.0 m |
| Thickness of Side wall | 50 cm | 50 cm |
| Thickness of Partition wall | 20 cm | 20 cm |
| Thickness of Slab | 55 cm | 55 cm |
| Caisson | | |
| Concrete | Sulfate Resistance Cement | 240 kg/m ² |
| Steel Bar | STK 40 | |
| Content of Steel Bar | 100 kg/Concrete m ³ | 103 kg/Concrete m ³ |
| Filling Material | 5 - 50 kg gravel | |
| Thickness of Cover Concrete | D = 300 mm | D = 300 mm |

(3) NAVIGATION AID

To provide a navigation aid, it was designed to set up three (3) sets of lighting buoys and two (2) sets of marker buoys at the boundary of the navigational channel, and two (2) sets of lighting beacons on the wharf and two (2) sets of leading lights on the ground over the extended centre line of the navigational channel. The location of setting up these navigational aid to indicated in Figure 3.3-8.

3.3.6 TUGBOAT

One 32 ton bollard pull tugboat and two 25 ton bollard pull tugboats should be provided to assist the vessels up to 80,000 DWT in berthing.

In addition to the towing and pushing functions, the tugboats should have the following special equipment of fire fighting and salvage purposes:-

- 32 ton tugboat:
- a) Fire fighting equipment by sea water and form with three (3) monitors
 - b) Salvage equipment and diving equipment
- 25 ton tugboat
- a) Fire fighting equipment with one (1) monitor

The principal particulars and equipment of the tugboats are outlined below.

Table 3.3-6 Principal Particulars and Equipment of Tugboats

| Particulars | 32 ton tugboat | 25 ton tugboat |
|---|--|--|
| Number of boat | One (1) | Two (2) |
| Loa (m) | about 32.0 | about 20.0 |
| lpp (m) | about 30.0 | about 18.0 |
| Beam (m) | about 8.6 | about 7.0 |
| Draft (m) | not more than 4.5 m | about 2.5 |
| Gross Ton | about 300 | about 150 |
| Bollard Pull (ton) at MCR Ahead | at least 32.0 at least 32.0 | at least 25.0 at least 25.0 |
| Complement | at least 8 | at least 8 |
| Classification Society | LR-ABS or equivalent | LR-ABS or equivalent |
| Trial Speed (knots) (100 % loaded Cond.) | at least 12.0 | at least 11.0 |
| Cruising Range (N.M) | at least 1,500 | at least 1,200 |
| Main Engine | 4-cycle Marine Diesel x 2 sets | 4-cycle Marine Diesel x 2 sets |
| Propulsion | Voith-Schneider x 2 | Voith-Schneider x 2 |
| Towing Equipment | Winch combined with windlass (force) towing hook | Winch combined with windlass (force) towing hook |
| Fire Fighting | Sea water and foam 3 monitors | Sea water and foam 1 monitor |
| Salvage Equipment | Welding, cutting machine, diving equipment, under water video camera, etc. 1 - work boat | not provided |
| Spare Parts | 1,500 working hours | 1,500 working hours |

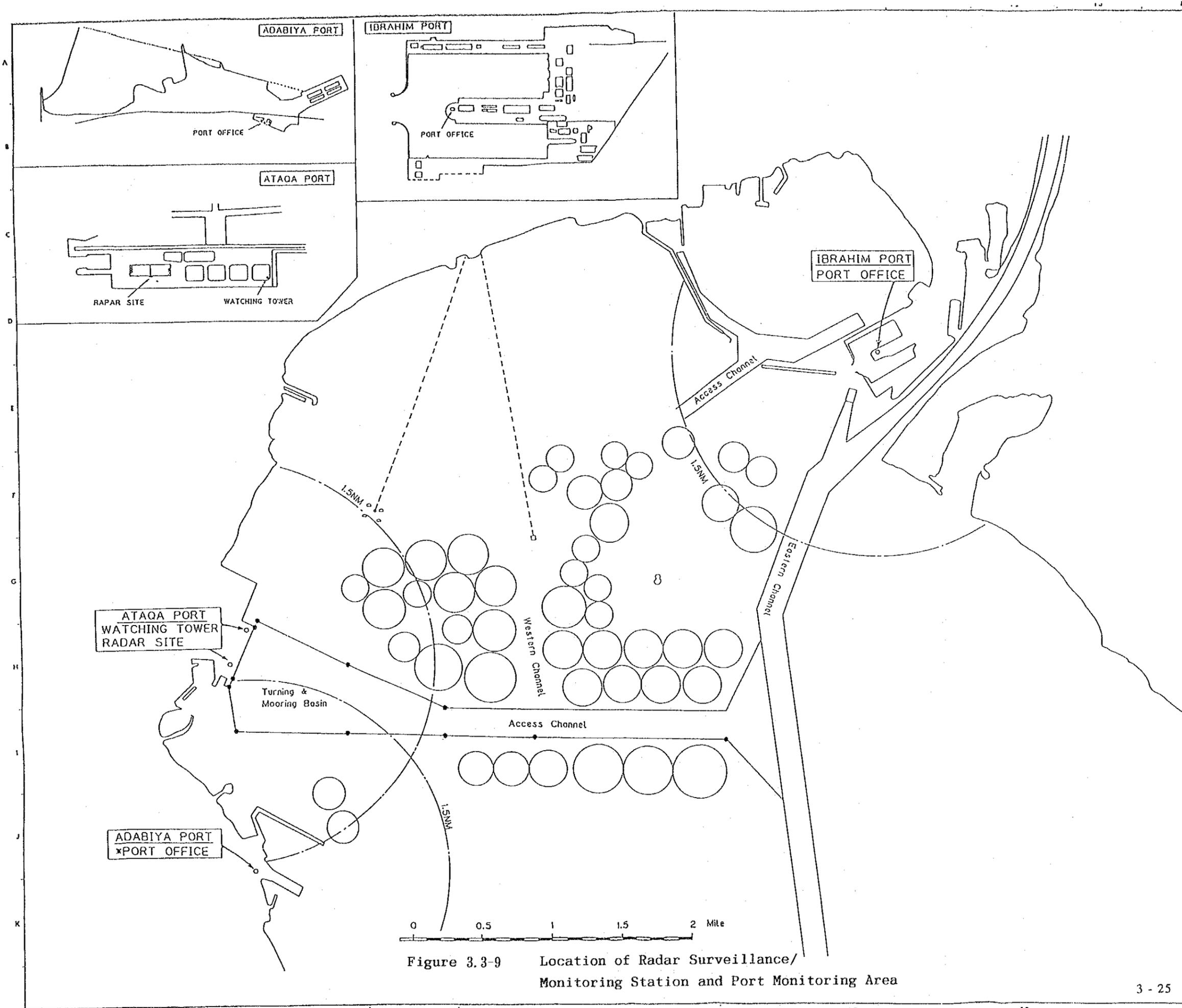


Figure 3.3-9 Location of Radar Surveillance/
Monitoring Station and Port Monitoring Area

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(3) IBRAHIM PORT

Port Station : Port office at Ibrahim Port

- VHF Radio Equipment 2 sets

(4) RADIO DATA LINK (BETWEEN ATAQA AND ADABIYA)

- 2 GHZ band TDM/PSK Multiplex Radio Equipment 1 system

3.3.8 INCINERATOR

Incinerator is to be installed in the Ataqqa Port area. The material to be incinerated are garbage generated from the Ataqqa Port.

The incinerator shall be of 600 ton/year combustion capacity with combustion chamber volume of 6.3 m³ or more.

3.4 ROADS, PAVEMENT AND EARTH WORK

3.4.1 SUMMARY OF DESIGN CONDITIONS AND CRITERIA

(1) ROAD NETWORK PLAN

The road network plan is based on the Feasibility Study, and the roads form a checker-board pattern to ensure the convenience of vehicles to and from each factory lot as shown in Figure 3.4-1.

(2) TYPE OF ROADS

The road network comprises four (4) different configurations in terms of the roadway width as tabulated in the following:

Table 3.4-1 Road Width

| Roadway Width (m) | No. of Lanes | R.O.W. Width (m) | Type of Construction Work |
|-------------------|--------------|------------------|---------------------------|
| *35 | 4 | 45 | Widening of re-alignment |
| 30 | 4 | 40 | New construction |
| 21 | 2 | 31 | New construction |
| 18 | 2 | 28 | New construction |

* Suez - Adabiya Coastal Road

(3) EARTHWORK

The roads have been designed according to the existing topography and to keep the road elevations similar to the existing ground levels as practicable as possible to ensure that the roadway cut and embankment volume could be minimized and yet well-balanced. The design of grading for each proposed factory lot has been excluded leaving the grading work to the investor.

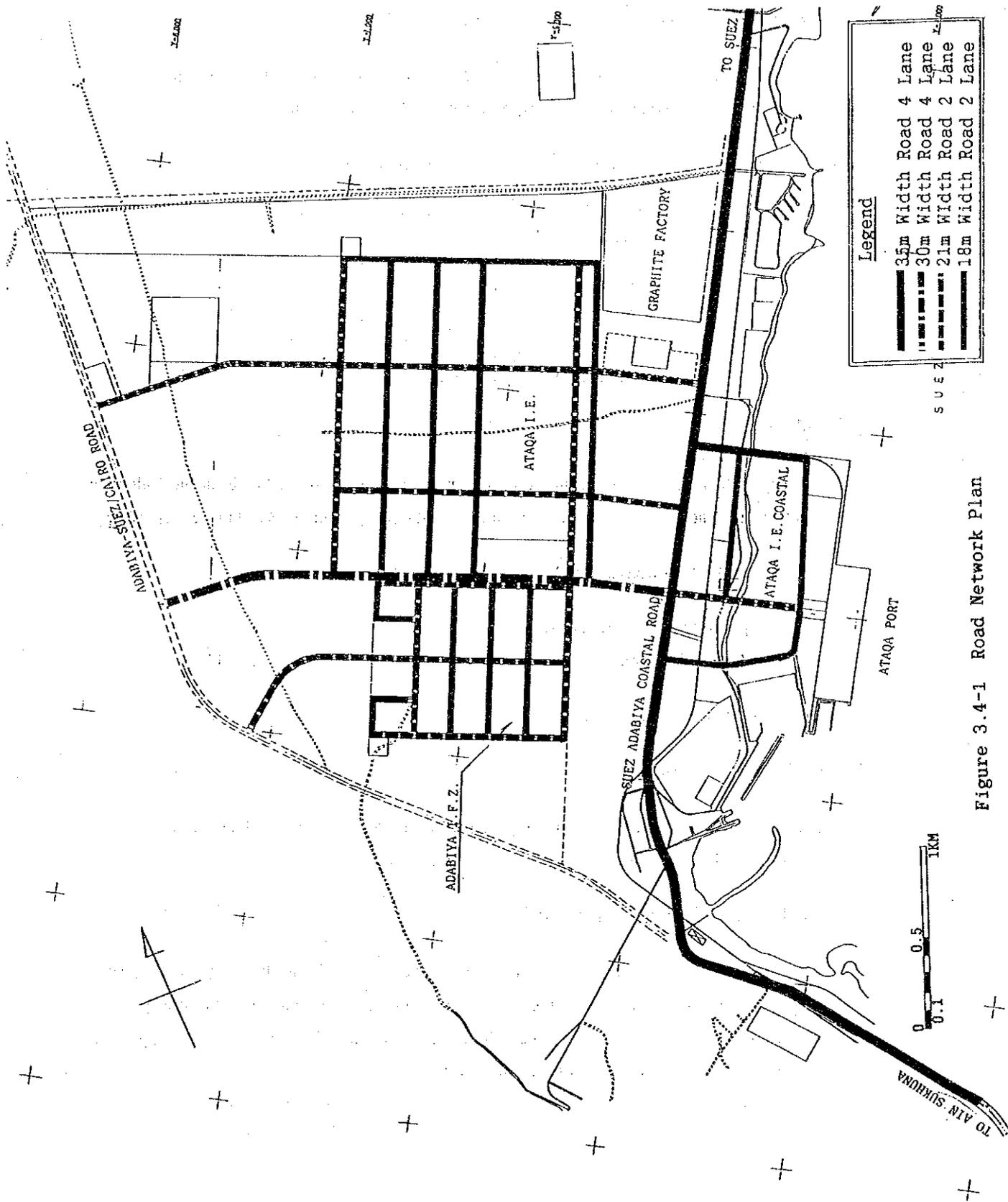


Figure 3.4-1 Road Network Plan

(4) ROAD ALIGNMENT AND INTERSECTIONS

The road alignment and intersections have been designed meeting the road network plan, design speed and existing topography. The design speeds are tabulated as follow:

Table 3.4-2 Road Design Speed

| Road Width | Design Speed |
|------------|--------------|
| 35 m | 120 km/hr |
| 30 m | 100 km/hr |
| 21 m | 80 km/hr |
| 18 m | 80 km/hr |

(5) PAVEMENT

The asphalt concrete pavement structure design has been carried out based on the following C.B.R. values and the expected traffic volume forecast referred to in the Feasibility Study Report:

- Suez - Adabiya Coastal Road : 6
- Ataq Industrial Estate (Land area)
and Adabiya Industrial Free-Zone : 12
- Ataq Industrial Estate (Coastal) : 8

(6) ROAD FURNITURES

The road furnitures such as road markings, traffic signs, etc. have been designed in line with the Egyptian traffic rules, regulations and codes wherever applicable.

(7) TYPICAL PAVEMENT STRUCTURE

All project roads have been designed to all weather type paved with asphalt concrete consisting of subbase course, base course, asphalt concrete binder course and asphalt concrete surface course. Figure 3.4-2 shows the Typical Pavement Structure. This road pavement design was prepared in compliance with the Egyptian and Japanese standard.

3.4.2 TOTAL ROAD LENGTH DESIGNED

The total road lengths designed and classified accord to the road width in each area is as follows:

Table 3.4-3 Road Length

| Area | Road Width 30.0 m | 21.0 m | 18.0 m | Total |
|-------------------------------------|----------------------|--------|--------|--------|
| Ataqa Industrial Estate (Land area) | 2,728 | 8,551 | 8,237 | 19,516 |
| Adabiya Industrial Free-zone | - | 5,570 | 3,280 | 8,850 |
| Ataqa Industrial Estate (Coastal) | - | 684 | 3,141 | 3,825 |
| Total | 2,728 | 14,805 | 14,658 | 32,191 |

Note: The existing Suez - Adabiya Coastal road scheduled to undergo the widening to make up to 35 m in width for a section of 10.3 km in length is excluded from the table mentioned above.

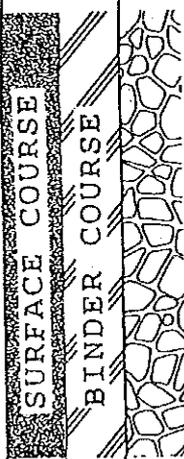
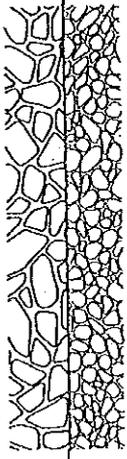
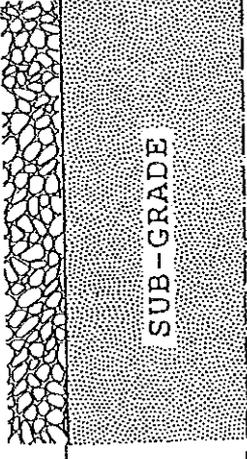
| Cross Section | Materials | Thickness Conversion Factor |
|---|--|-----------------------------|
|  <p>SURFACE COURSE BINDER COURSE</p> | Hot Mixture (Bituminous Material) | 1.00 |
|  <p>BASE COURSE</p> | Graded Crushed Stone (Modified C.B.R. more than 80) | 0.35 |
|  <p>SUB-BASE COURSE SUB-GRADE</p> | Crushed Stone (Modified C.B.R. more than 20) | 0.20 |
| <p>C.B.R. - Suez Adabiya Coastal Road : 6 -Ataga I.E. (Land Area) and Adabiya I.F.Z. : 12 -Ataga I.E. (Coastal) : 8</p> | | |

Figure 3.4-2 Typical Pavement Structure

3.5 RAILWAY

3.5.1 ROLE OF PROPOSED RAILWAY

The purpose of the proposed railway is to transport imported wheat and other grain products from the proposed Ataq Port to the inland areas. The role of the proposed railway is to receive empty trains from the main line, to break down the trains in the yard, to load wheat or other grain products on the loading line in the proposed bonded area of the Ataq Port, to build up trains in the shunting yard and to despatch the loaded trains to the main line. To achieve these objectives, a branch station, a shunting yard, loading lines and their connecting line have been designed.

3.5.2 DESIGN CONDITIONS

(1) TRAFFIC VOLUME FORECAST

The traffic volume of wheat and other grains is forecasted as follows:

Table 3.5-1 Traffic Volume Forecast

| Year | 2000 | 2010 |
|--|-------|-------|
| Total volume (thousand ton/year) | 1,300 | 1,800 |
| Volume transported by rail (thousand ton/year) (70 % of total) | 910 | 1,260 |

(2) TRAIN COMPOSITION

The train to transport grain products has been planned to consist of a locomotive and maximum 25 wagons on the main line. The train will be divided into two portions in the shunting yard and each portion with maximum 13 wagons will be operated to the loading area one by one, because the effective length of the loading line is too short to accommodate the whole trainset due to lack of Right-of-Way.

(3) NUMBER OF TRAINS TO BE OPERATED

The number of trains to be operated on the main line to transport the forecasted traffic volume of grain products has been computed as follows:

| | |
|-----------|----------|
| Year 2000 | 3 trains |
| Year 2010 | 4 trains |

3.5.3 DESIGN CRITERIA

(1) STRUCTURE GAUGE AND LOADING GAUGE

The Egyptian National Railways (hereinafter referred to as ENR) standard has been adopted for the structure gauge and loading gauge of the proposed railway.

(2) TRACK ALIGNMENT

The ENR design criteria have been adopted for track alignment in the station yard.

(3) TRACK STRUCTURE

Basically, a ballasted track has been adopted for the proposed railway. Only for the loading line and crossing with road, a paved track has been adopted.

(4) SIGNALLING AND TELECOMMUNICATION SYSTEM

The signalling and telecommunication systems have been designed based on the train operation system so as to conform to the train operating regulations of ENR. The system has been composed of the almost same system as already installed on the existing Suez-Adabiya Line.

3.5.4 ALIGNMENT OF RAILWAY

The alignment of the railway is shown in Figure 3.5-1 and Figure 3.5-2.

(1) LOADING LINE

(a) Length of Loading Line

Loading has been planned to be carried out on the trainset divided into two portions as mentioned above. Each portion comprises a maximum of 13 wagons and a locomotive. The effective length required to accommodate the portion has been computed at 252 meters.

(b) Track Alignment

The track alignment has been planned as shown in Figure 3.5-2. The dotted line on the figure is to be constructed in the future when the train operation becomes busy.

(2) SHUNTING YARD

Two despatching lines, two receiving lines, one locomotive running line, one draw up line, two stabling lines and three inspection lines have been designed in the shunting yard. The alignment of the tracks is shown in Figure 3.5-2.

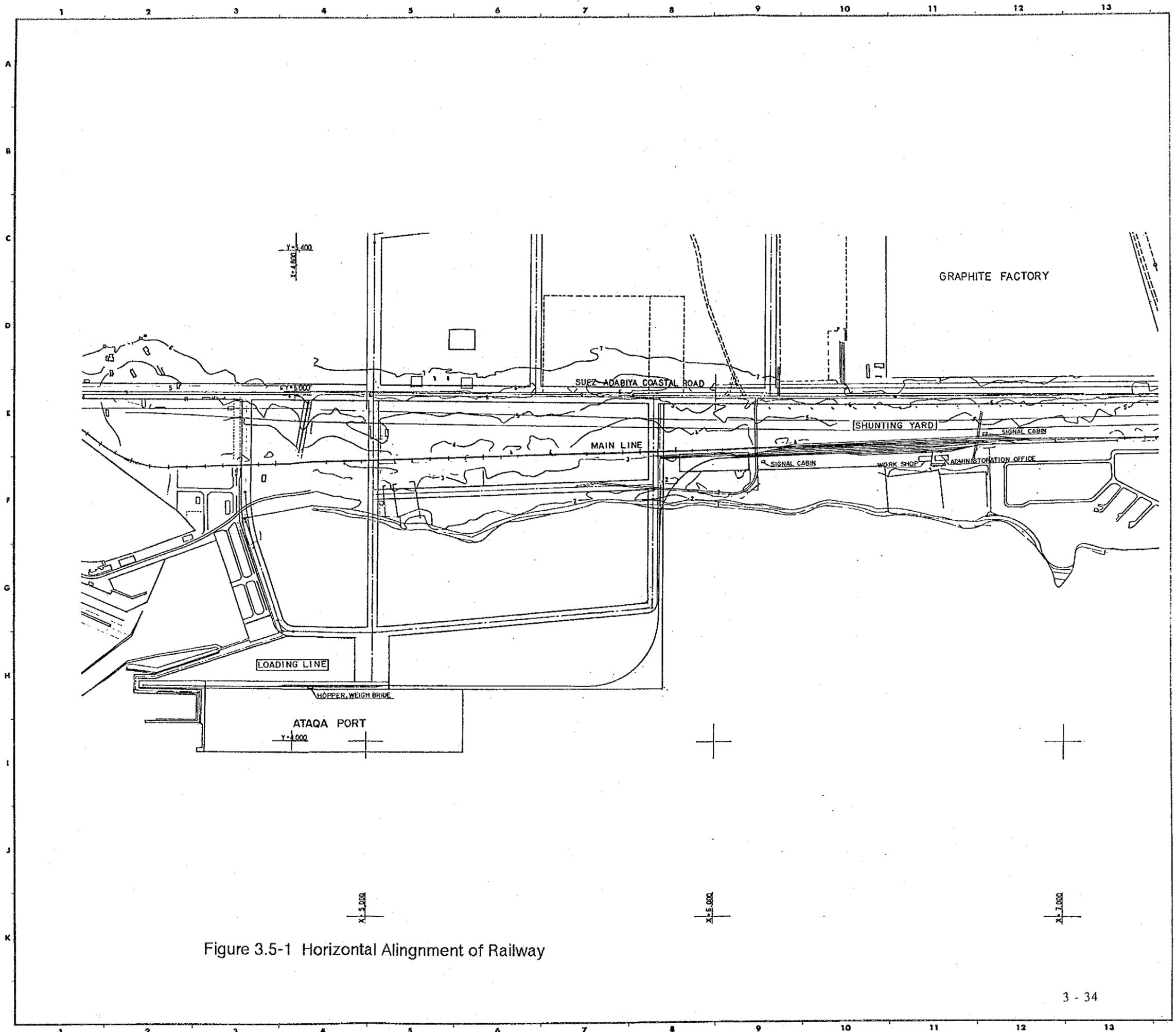
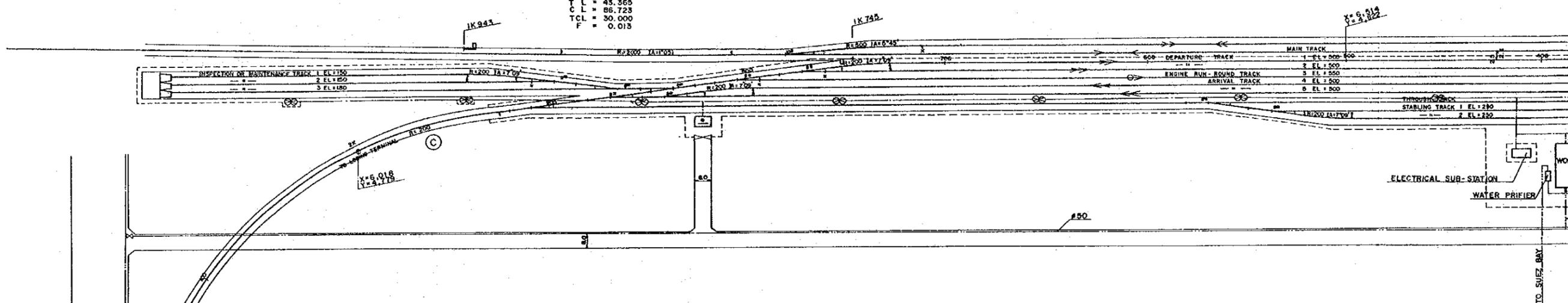


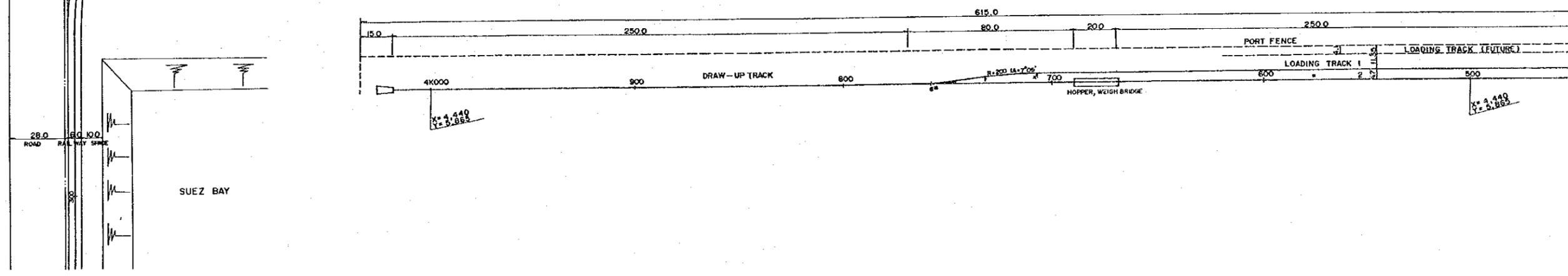
Figure 3.5-1 Horizontal Alignment of Railway

TRACK ALIGNMENT OF SHUNTING YARD

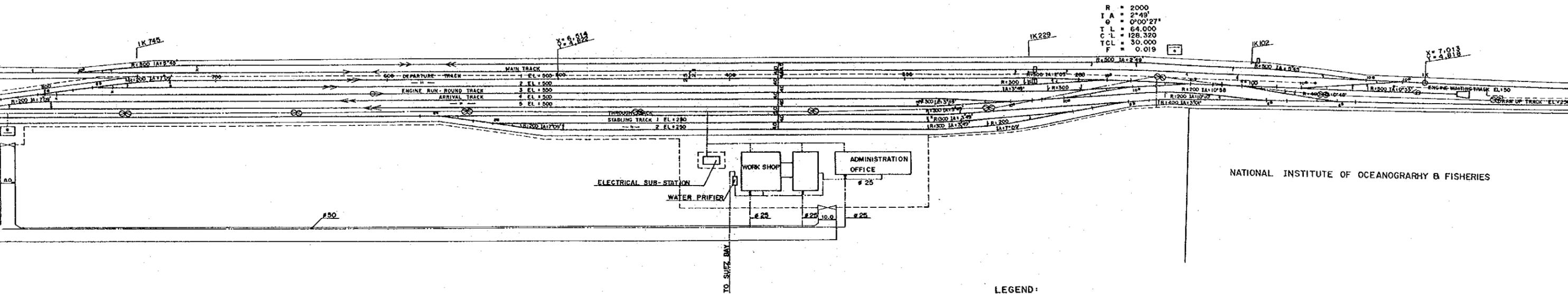
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TRACK ALIGNMENT OF LOADING YARD



TRACK ALIGNMENT OF SHUNTING YARD



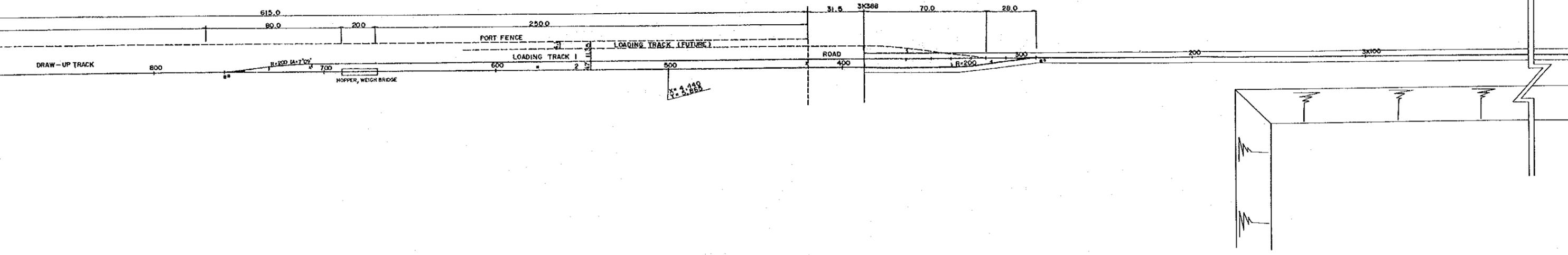
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 C L = 28.320
 T C L = 30.000
 F = 0.019

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LEGEND:

- Underground electrical line
- Water supply pipe line
- Drainpipe
- - - Fence
- ⊗ Lighting tower
- ⊠ Signal cabin
- ∇ Sand trap
- P Signal
- ⊣ Water valve

TRACK ALIGNMENT OF LOADING YARD



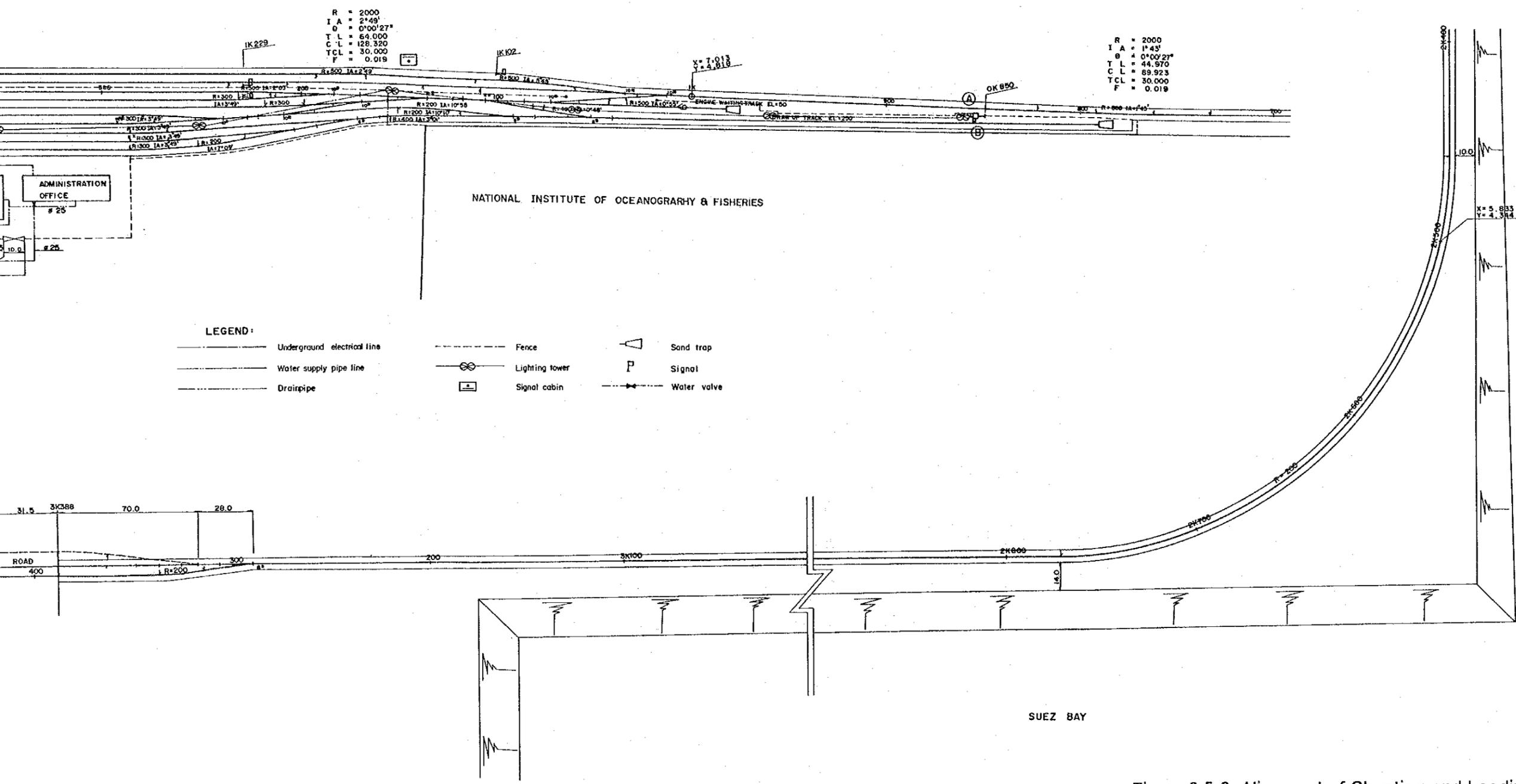


Figure 3.5-2 Alignment of Shunting and Loading Yard

(3) CONNECTING LINE

A line connecting the loading line with the shunting yard has been designed. The line is of single track, because only one train will be operated on the line at the same time.

3.5.5 SIGNALLING SYSTEM

(1) BLOCK SYSTEM

A staff block system has been applied on the main line.

(2) INTERLOCKING MACHINE

A mechanical interlocking system has been adopted to the signalling system.

(3) SIGNAL CABIN

Two signal cabins, Cabin No. 1 and No. 2, have been designed. The staff instrument and block telephone to be installed in the Cabin No. 1.

(4) SIGNAL

Semaphore signal system has been adopted for the signals related to the main line. Shunting signals has been designed to be erected in front of the turnouts to control the shunting of cars and locomotives.

(5) SAFETY DEVICE AT LEVEL CROSSING

Safety device has been designed to be installed at the level crossing with the main road to/from the port. The safety device includes barriers and warning devices.

3.5.6 TELECOMMUNICATIONS

(1) TELECOMMUNICATION FACILITIES TO BE CONNECTED TO THE EXISTING ENR NETWORK

The telecommunication facilities to be connected to the existing ENR network include the following devices:

- Telephone system for general use
- Block telephone
- Train despatching telephone

(2) TELECOMMUNICATION FACILITIES FOR THE PROPOSED YARD

The telecommunication facilities to be equipped for the shunting yard, loading line and connecting line include the following devices:

Station premises telephone

Radio system for operation and maintenance

3.5.7 BUILDING

An office building and a workshop and storage building for the railway operation have been designed so as to be constructed adjacent to the shunting yard.

3.6 BUILDINGS

3.6.1 SCOPE OF WORKS

The scope of the building design was as follows:

- Conceptual planning study
- Preliminary design
- Detailed design and tender documents preparation

The buildings covered by the planning, study and design were as follows:

In-Ataqa Industrial Estate (Center A)

- Administration Building
- Police and Fire Station
- Dispensary (Clinic)
- Mosque
- Restaurant
- Power Substation

In Ataqa Industrial Estate (Center B)

- Administration Building
- Police and Fire Station
- Post Office
- Dispensary
- Mosque
- Restaurant
- Social Club
- Power Substation

In Adabiya Industrial Free Zone (Center C)

- Administration Building
- Police and Fire Station
- Field Customs Office
- Dispensary
- Mosque
- Restaurant
- Control Gate
- Power Substation

In Ataq Port Grain Terminal

- Administration Building
- Service Building
- Grease and Oil Storage
- Grain Sacks Storage
- Grain Sacks Bagging
- Maintenance Shop/Spare Parts Storage

In Ataq Port Bulk Cargo Terminal

- Administration Building
- Field Customs Office
- Control Gate
- Viewing Tower
- Power Substation
- Incinerator Station

3.6.2 DESIGN CONDITIONS AND CRITERIA

The design conditions and criteria established were as described below.

(1) FLOOR AREA REQUIREMENTS

The floor area requirements for the buildings in each zone were set up by means of calculating the net area of the zone mentioned below and taking into consideration the expected number of the employees.

| <u>Zone</u> | <u>Number of employees</u> |
|------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Ataq Industrial Estate | 12,000 |
| Adabiya Industrial Free Zone | 16,800 |
| Coastal Area | 4,020 |

Meetings and communications with the following authorities and entities were conducted to confirm the floor area requirements:

For the Ataq Industrial Estate

- Head of the engineering department at the Silo And Storage Company
- Ministry Of Development And New Communities (MODANC)
- General Organization For Industry (GOFI)

For the Adabiya Industrial Free Zone

- Head of the General Authority for Investment (GAFI)
- Head of the engineering department at GAFI
- Administrators of the Ameriya Free Zone in Alexandria
- MODANC

(2) ARCHITECTURAL DESIGN CRITERIA

The major criteria, among others established for architectural designs of the buildings were as follows:

- National standards and codes authorized in Egypt shall be applied to the design of the buildings primarily.
- Style and form of the buildings shall suit the local climate, culture and social needs.
- While the buildings shall be functional in terms of operation and maintenance, the project cost shall be kept as low as possible.
- The buildings shall be monumental to represent the image of the respective areas and become landmarks in the areas.

(3) STRUCTURAL DESIGN CRITERIA

The major criteria established for structural designs of the buildings were as follows:

- The structural designs shall be carried out in accordance with the Egyptian Code of practice.
- The design method shall be Ultimate Strength Design Method.

(4) MECHANICAL DESIGN CRITERIA

The major criteria established for mechanical designs of the buildings were as follows:

- The areas and spaces in the buildings shall be designated to be either air-conditioned, mechanically ventilated or naturally ventilated.
- The domestic cold and hot water supply systems and the sanitary drainage system within the buildings shall be designed using the fixture demand method in accordance with the Uniform Plumbing Code 1988.
- The fire fighting system for the buildings should be of stand pipe system.

(5) ELECTRICAL DESIGN CRITERIA

The major criteria established for electrical designs of the buildings were as follows:

- The building electrical system shall be designed for a high level of continuity, safety, quality, efficiency and reliability with a minimum maintenance.
- The high voltage distribution system shall be of 20 kV, 3 phase, 3 wire, 50 Hz. The low voltage system shall be 380/220 V, 3 phase, 4 wire, 50 Hz.
- As a general rule, each building should be provided with an emergency standby generator, lightning protection system, grounding system, central annunciation and control system, telephone system, and fire detection and alarm system.

(6) LANDSCAPE DESIGN CRITERIA

The major criteria established for landscape designs were as follows:

- The general concept shall be that the outdoor spaces are vital in the creation of a pleasant environment.
- Care shall be taken to conserve the existing natural character of the area.
- Spaces dominated by vehicles and by pedestrians shall be clearly separated from each other to ensure the traffic safety.

3.6.3 PRELIMINARY DESIGN

The preliminary design of the buildings were conducted as described below.

(1) ARCHITECTURAL DESIGN

As an overall concept, Center B was planned to function as a center of the industrial community, therefore, such major facilities common to the community as main facilities of police and fire offices, dispensary, mosque and social club would be located in this area, while Center A was designed to serve only for the nearby industry community and the port area, and Center C was to serve for only specifically designated areas of Adabiya industrial Free Zone.

As a general study, alternative solutions to the following have been studied and evaluated:

- Allocation of the buildings within Center C

The Scheme A and Scheme B were planned for the Center C and evaluated from the viewpoint of functions such as the security control, circulation of vehicles and pedestrians, and flexibility in site utilization, and the Scheme A was selected as a more suitable one.

- Integration of facilities to minimize number of the buildings

Although the given site areas for center zones are sufficient enough to allocate the required number of buildings, an approach to minimize number of the buildings was taken in order to lower the construction costs, to reduce the operation and maintenance problems without sacrificing the functions of each building. As a result of this study, the following recommendations were established:

- (a) Individual buildings are required for
 - Customs and quarantine field office
 - Mosque
 - Control gate
 - Fire and police stations
- (b) Either an individual building or a combined building is good for
 - Exhibition hall
 - Restaurant
 - Dispensary
 - Social club
 - Spare parts, grease/oil and other storage
- (c) A combined building is recommendable for
 - Branch office of Ministry
 - Customs and quarantine office
 - Post and telecommunication office
 - Trading offices
 - Branch offices of banks
 - Administration office

In addition to the above-mentioned studies, various aspects such as the site environment, security control, traffic circulation and future expansion possibility were taken into account in the preliminary design.

(2) STRUCTURAL DESIGN

The structural system chosen for the buildings is reinforced concrete post-and-beam system, except for the grain sacks storage, as the spans of the buildings planned are appropriate for the system.

As the superstructures of the buildings are light and the bearing capacity of the soil is big enough according to the soil report, isolated footing are proposed.

(3) MECHANICAL DESIGN

A chilled water central air-conditioning system is proposed for the administrative buildings. Large areas such as bank offices, trading shops and waiting halls are air-conditioned using air handling units, while relatively small areas such as office rooms and examination rooms are by using fan coil units.

Package air-conditioners are proposed for the restaurants, social buildings and exhibition hall.

A mechanical ventilation system is recommended for toilets, workshops and storage areas. Toilets are provided with only exhaust fans, while the workshops and store areas are equipped with both the fresh air intake and exhaust fans.

Mosque and fire and police stations are designed for natural ventilation. If there is a need for air-conditioning of the offices in these buildings, window type air-conditioners can be provided.

As to the plumbing system, pressurized water supply network are recommended. Sewerage conveyance system proposed in general is the gravity system where practical.

(4) ELECTRICAL DESIGN

Lighting for the office rooms, reading rooms, library, etc. are by fluorescent lamps, while a combination of fluorescent lamps and incandescent lamps are proposed for the conference and meeting rooms, cafeteria, restaurants, etc. Lighting system for all other rooms and spaces are selected in accordance with the functional requirements.

(5) LANDSCAPE DESIGN

The preliminary landscaping design was prepared taking into account the vehicular traffic safety, separation of the vehicular and pedestrian movements, separation of public and private spaces, improvement of micro-climate, grading for storm water drainage, enhancement of continuity of appearance, distinction of specific areas as required, etc., by introduction of variety of landscaping elements such as street furniture, pavements, plants, walls, and screens.

The preliminary designs were presented to the relevant authorities, and several comments such as the following were received.

- Add a power station to the Ataq Port grain terminal site.
- Separate the grain storage from the oil storage.

- Separate the grain sacks storage from the grain sacks bagging.
- Change the orientation of some buildings.
- Add lockers in the restaurant for the workmen.
- The boundary fences shall be of chain links to decrease the number of guard posts.

3.6.4 DETAILED DESIGN

The detailed design was developed based on the results of the preliminary design and taking into account the comments from the relevant authorities. At the initial stage of the detailed design, the revised preliminary design and drawings were approved by the following authorities:

- General Organization for Industries for facilities in Centers A. and B
- GAFI for facilities in Center C
- Red Sea Port Authority and the customs for facilities in Ataq Port Area
- General Company for Silo and Storage for facilities in Ataq Port Area
- MODANC for all facilities

The detailed design and the back up information and data were compiled into the Interim Report 2, the Design Drawing Package and the Calculation Sheet Package. Site plans of Centers Band C are attached to the following pages.

Table 3.6-1 List Buildings in Detailed Design

| <u>Area and Building Name</u> | <u>No. of stories</u> | <u>Type of structure</u> | <u>Gross floor area (m²)</u> |
|--|-----------------------|--------------------------|---|
| <u>Ataqa Industrial Estate (Center A)</u> | | | |
| 1) Administration building | 1 | RC | 728 |
| 2) Police and fire station | 1 | RC | 276 |
| 3) Mosque | 2 | RC | 650 |
| 4) Dispensary (clinic) | 1 | RC | 103 |
| 5) Restaurant | 1 | RC | 378 |
| 6) Power substation | 1 | RC | 187 |
| Subtotal | | | 2,322 |
| <u>Ataqa Industrial Estate (Center B)</u> | | | |
| 1) Administration building | 2 | RC | 1,477 |
| 2) Police and fire station | 2 | RC | 921 |
| 3) Mosque | 2 | RC | 2,073 |
| 4) Dispensary | 1 | RC | 1,544 |
| 5) Restaurant | 1 | RC | 440 |
| 6) Power substation | 1 | RC | 187 |
| 7) Social club | 1 | RC | 907 |
| 8) Post office | 1 | RC | 207 |
| Subtotal | | | 7,756 |
| <u>Adabiya Industrial Free Zone (Center C)</u> | | | |
| 1) Administration building | 2 | RC | 1,935 |
| 2) Police and fire station | 1 | RC | 444 |
| 3) Mosque | 2 | RC | 650 |
| 4) Dispensary | 1 | RC | 104 |
| 5) Restaurant | 1 | RC | 516 |
| 6) Power substation | 1 | RC | 187 |
| 7) Field customs office | 1 | RC | 203 |
| 8) Control gate | 1 | RC | 56 |
| Subtotal | | | 4,095 |
| <u>Ataqa Port Bulk Cargo Terminal</u> | | | |
| 1) Administration building | 2 | RC | 2,070 |
| 2) Power substation | 1 | RC | 187 |
| 3) Field customs office | 1 | RC | 204 |
| 4) Control gate | 1 | RC | 25 |
| 5) Viewing tower | 35 m high | RC | 99 |
| 6) Incinerator station | 1 | RC | 14 |
| Subtotal | | | 2,599 |

| <u>Area and Building Name</u> | <u>No. of stories</u> | <u>Type of structure</u> | <u>Gross floor area (m²)</u> |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|---|
| <u>Ataqa Port Grain Terminal</u> | | | |
| 1) Administration building | 2 | RC | 1,375 |
| 2) Service building | 1 | RC | 184 |
| 3) Grease and oil storage | 1 | RC | 104 |
| 4) Grain sacks storage | 1 | STL | 415 |
| 5) Grain sacks bagging | 1 | RC | 400 |
| 6) Maintenance shop/spare parts store | 1 | RC | 894 |
| Subtotal | | | 3,372 |
| Total | | | 20,144 |

Legend: RC = Reinforced concrete
STL = Steel frame

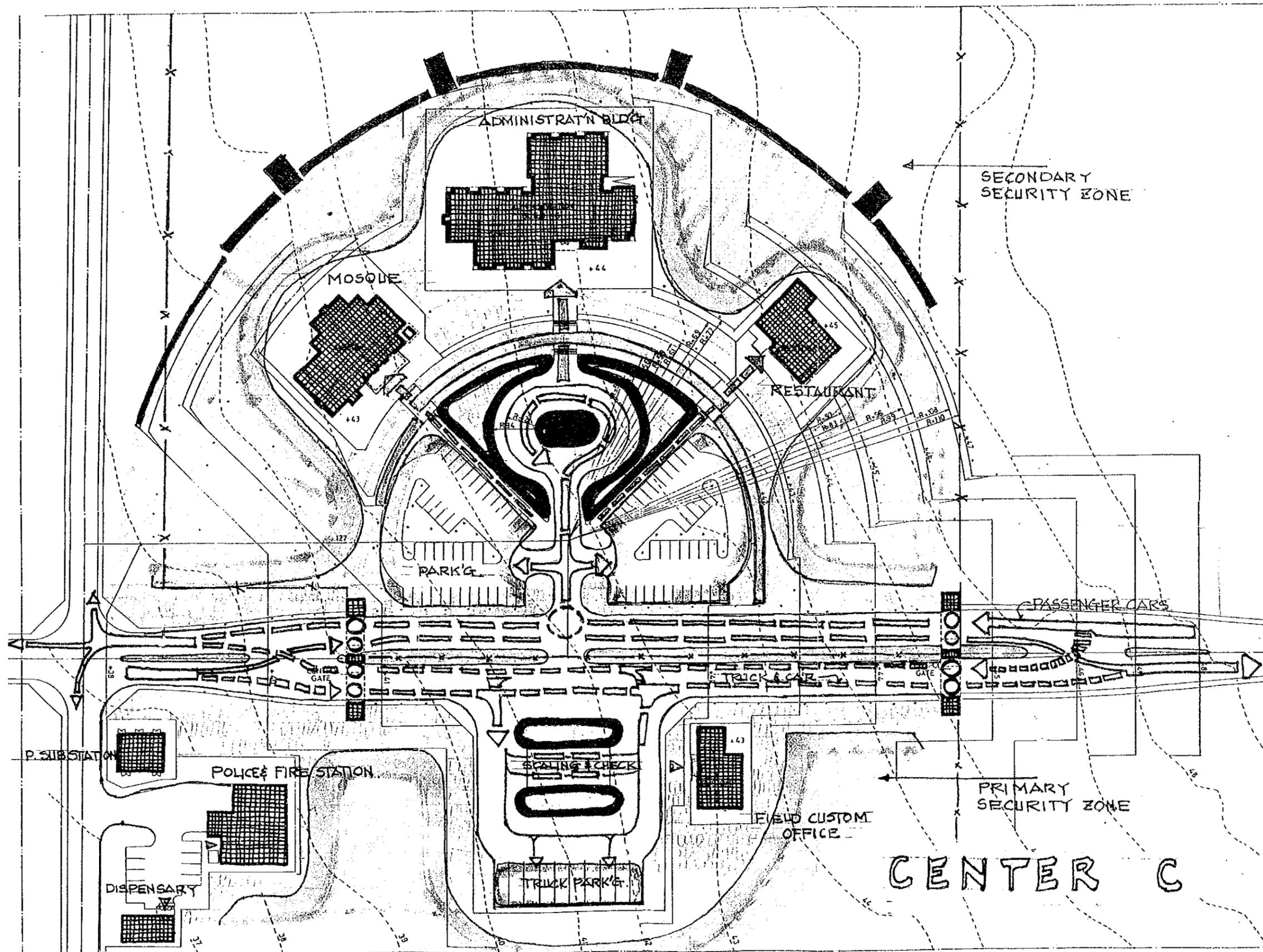


Figure 3.6-1 Center-C Landscaping Plan 3 - 47

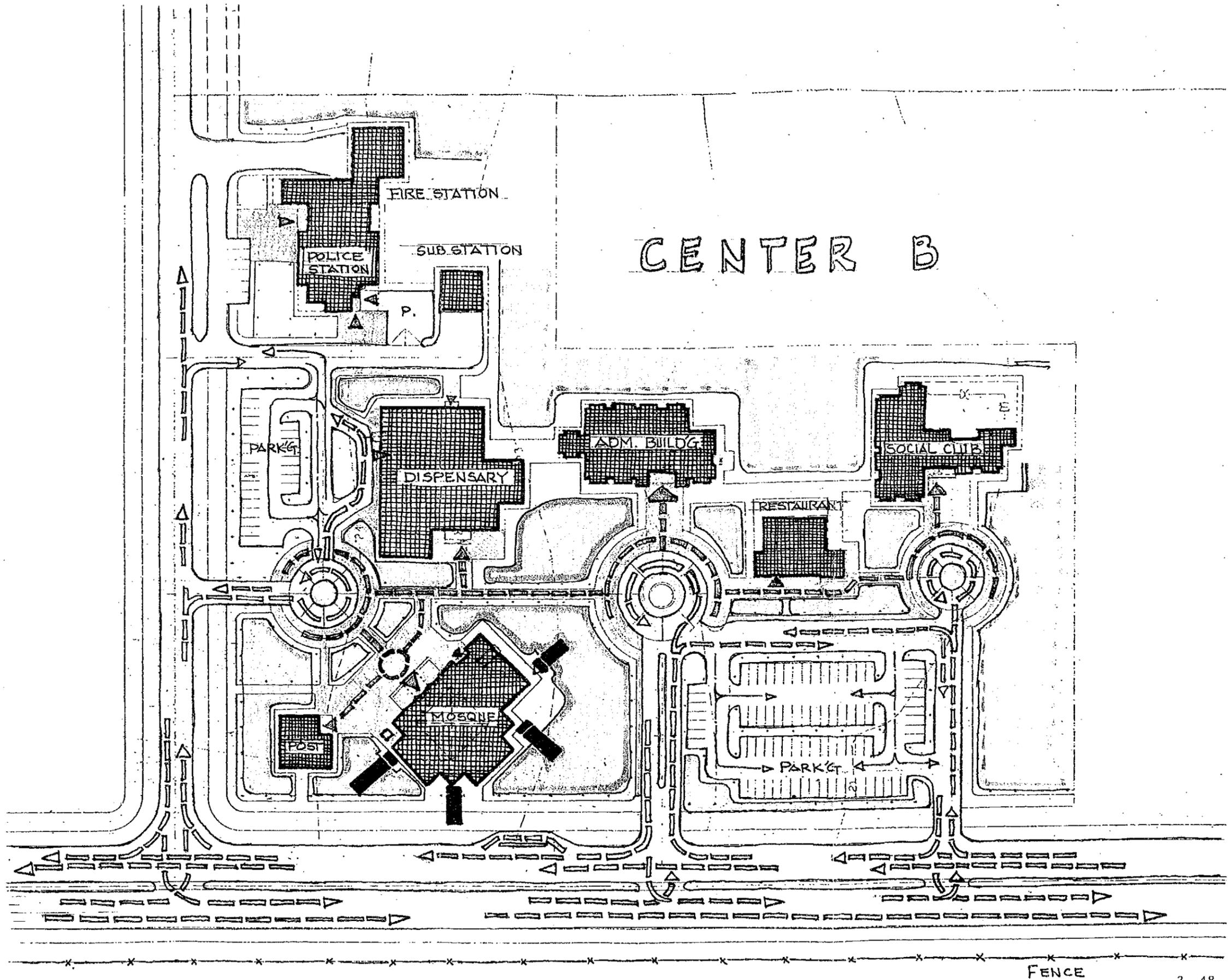


Figure 3.6-2 Center-B Landscaping Plan

3.7 WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM

3.7.1 OUTLINE OF WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM

Location and general layout of the water supply facilities are shown in Figure 3.7-1.

(1) RAW WATER

The water source of the system is the Suez Sweetwater Canal. This raw water is originated from the Nile River. The water of the Nile River, firstly, flow into the Ismilia Canal, then branches off to the Suez Sweetwater Canal. The distance between the Nile River and the intake point (traced along canals) is approximately 230 km.

(2) WATER SUPPLY FACILITIES

The water supply system to be constructed under this project consists of the Intake, Aqueduct, Water treatment plant, Treated water distribution pipeline and Draw-off water distribution pipeline.

The production and supply capacity of the water supply system is 100,000 cu.m per day.

(3) INTAKE FACILITIES

The Intake facilities are located at about 3 km up-stream from the end of Suez sweetwater canal in the Suez city. The raw water is collected from the Suez Sweetwater Canal at the rate of 100,000 cu.m per day as maximum, then pumped up to the water treatment plant to be constructed at the Ataq Industrial Estate through the Aqueduct Pipeline.

(4) AQUEDUCT PIPELINE

The raw water is to be conveyed to the water treatment plant through the aqueduct is about 19.5 km in length with 85.3 m of elevation differences. The pipeline route runs from the intake pump station, through the Suez Railway Station, the North-West desert, El Zaytla road, the Suez Thermal Power Plant, Carbon factory in Ataq, then reaches to the water treatment plant. This route keeps is kept away from the urban area of the Suez City, to facilitate construction and land acquisition. This pipeline route includes two railroad crossings, one aque-bridge and road crossings.

(5) WATER TREATMENT FACILITIES

The water treatment plant (WTP) is located in the Ataq Industrial Estate. Design treated water production capacity is 100,000 m³/day in all. The treatment system is divided into 4 series of production lines. Each series has a production capacity of 25,000 m³/day. This division is due to consideration of expandability for the production capacity in accordance with the growth of water demand. The water treatment plant consists of water treatment facilities, sludge treatment facilities, operation and maintenance facilities and power supply facilities. As a major feature of the plant, the sludge treatment facilities have a function to recycle the sludge water for plantation purpose.

(6) DISTRIBUTION PIPELINE

The treated water is distributed to the service area by gravity flow from the WTP. The service area is about 437 ha, including Ataq Industrial Estate East, West and Coastal (Ataq I.E. East, West and Coastal), Adabiya Industrial Free Zone (Adabiya I.F.Z.), Ataq Port (Bulk cargo terminal, Grain silo and Railway facilities) and Wastewater treatment plant. Other than the above service areas, Ataq I.E. Expansion and ancillary residential area as the future expanding projections, also include the elements of the production capacity. However, the distribution system of these future projection are excluded from this design. The treated water distribution pipeline network includes from trunk line (main) to secondary/tertiary lines, but house connection system is not covered in this design. As well as the treated water, the draw-off water will also be distributed to the service area through the draw-off water pipeline network for the irrigation and planning purpose.

(7) MAINTENANCE OF SLUDGE DRAW-OFF (RECYCLING)

The sludge draw-off water generated in the course of treatment process is partially recycled. The draw-off water is collected in the draw-off water reservoir, and separated with super-natant and sub-natant. The super-natant, which is expected to be SS 50 mg/l, is distributed for the above mentioned purpose. The remaining sub-natant is dewatered in the sludge drying beds by evaporation and disposed at the surrounding desert. According to the demand calculation, the draw-off water supply quantity is scheduled at 3,200 m³/day. The service area of draw-off water is the project area except for the Ataq port and the wastewater treatment plant.

(8) POWER SUPPLY SYSTEM

The water supply facilities use two individual power supply lines. The first one is for the intake pumping station which receives 11 kV from supply line, and the other is for the water treatment