

5. WATER RESOURCES & WATER QUALITY DATA

Table 2-1: Stream flow measurement

Binaturi River (measured on 6 June 2000)

Distance from one end of water surface (m)	1.0	6.0	11.0	16.0	21.0	26.0	31.0	35.0
Depth (m)	2.30	3.00	4.00	4.80	5.85	4.70	1.60	1.50
Average velocity (m/s)	0.032	0.165	0.290	0.395	0.344	0.362	0.159	0.032
Discharge in the strip (m ³ /s)	0.074	2.468	5.800	9.468	10.062	8.507	1.272	0.192
Total flow (m³/s)	37.8							

KUPIANO

Lako R. intake (measured on 27 June 2000)

Distance from one end of water surface (m)	1.0	5.0	10.0	20.0	30.0	40.0	49.0
Depth (m)	0.26	0.30	0.76	0.53	0.51	0.76	0.53
Average velocity (m/s)	0.232	1.555	1.677	2.3335	2.2125	2.494	1.542
Discharge in the strip (m ³ /s)	0.060	1.866	6.373	12.368	11.284	18.954	7.355
Total flow (m³/s)	58.3						

POPONDETTA

Bangoho R. intake (measured on 20 May 2000)

Distance from one end of water surface (m)	1.5	2.0	2.5	3.0	3.5	4.0	4.5	5.0
Depth (m)	0.21	0.27	0.35	0.42	0.56	0.61	0.71	0.60
Average velocity (m/s)	0.519	0.799	0.815	0.785	1.002	0.9275	0.674	0.356
Discharge in the strip (m ³ /s)	0.163	0.108	0.143	0.165	0.281	0.283	0.239	0.107

Distance from one end of water surface (m)	5.5	6.0	6.5	7.0
Depth (m)	0.36	0.24	0.30	0.20
Average velocity (m/s)	0.318	0.2555	0.169	0.41
Discharge in the strip (m ³ /s)	0.057	0.031	0.025	0.041
Total flow (m³/s)	1.6			

FINSCHHAFEN

Buta Creek (measured on 23 May 2000)

The stream flow was measured to be 16.5 L/s (0.0165 m ³ /s).

Table XX: Water Qualities of Existing Water Sources from the Eight Sites in the Study Area

Study Area	Location	Source	Date of year 2000	Weather	Air Temp. °C	Physical Parameters						Elements																		
						W. temp. ^{*1} °C	pH	EC mS/m	Turb. ^{**2}	Color	Odour & Taste	Cd mg/l	Hg mg/l	Se mg/l	Pb mg/l	As mg/l	Cr mg/l	F mg/l	Ba mg/l	Zn mg/l										
Detection Limit												0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.01	0.1	0.1										
1. Popondetta	a. Agr. College	Borehole	24, May	Fine	29.0	28.0	7.2	25.9	0	6	Nil	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.70	<0.1	<0.1										
	b. Village	Spring	25, May	Rain	26.5	25.8	6.3	14.8	0	2	Nil	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.002	<0.001	0.64	<0.1	<0.1										
	c. W. B. Intake	River	25, May	Cloudy	25.8	27.3	7.8	24.2	1	6	Algae	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.006	<0.001	0.59	<0.1	<0.1										
	d. Town	Tap	25, May	Cloudy	24.7	26.8	7.5	24.1	0	8	Chlorine	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.008	<0.001	0.56	<0.1	<0.1										
2. Daru	a. Ujme Intake	River	5, June	Rain	28.8	25.0	8.3	5.1	0.5	75	Nil	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.003	<0.001	0.14	<0.1	<0.1										
	b. Treatment Plant	Tap	6, June	Cloudy	27.3	26.6	5.4	9.1	0.5	5	Nil	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.002	<0.001	0.05	<0.1	0.3										
	c. Town A	S. Well ^{*3}	6, June	Rain	27.3	27.9	7.2	82.9	0	0	Nil	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.002	0.002	0.56	<0.1	0.1										
	d. Town B	S. Well	7, June	Cloudy	27.1	26.4	7.0	14.0	50	100	Soil	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.21	<0.1	0.2										
	e. Town C	S. Well	7, June	Cloudy	27.3	27.2	8.3	21.1	0.5	0	Sulfide	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.003	<0.001	0.25	<0.1	<0.1										
	f. Town D	S. Well	7, June	Cloudy	28.4	26.9	7.2	184.3	15	20	Scented	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.002	0.005	0.005	0.49	0.1	<0.1										
3. Bereina	b. Training C.	Borehole	23, May	Clear	28.3	26.7	7.8	53.2	0	0	Nil	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.005	<0.001	0.43	<0.1	<0.1										
	c. P.S #1	S. Well	23, May	Clear	27.2	27.7	7.6	175.3	5	6	Nil	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.005	<0.001	0.43	<0.1	<0.1										
	d. Mainohana Intake	River	23, May	Fine	28.3	24.7	8.0	12.4	150	100	Nil	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.003	0.003	0.019	0.23	<0.1	0.1										
	e. High School	Borehole	23, May	Fine	29.3	27.4	8.2	117.1	0	2	Nil	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.006	<0.001	0.77	<0.1	<0.1										
	f. Angabang	River	23, May	Clear	28.0	24.8	7.9	12.6	150	100	Nil	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.008	0.004	0.023	0.33	0.1	0.1										
	4. Kupiano	a. Lako R. intake	River	27, June	Fine	27.7	28.3	7.7	18.4	2	0	Nil	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.003	<0.001	0.28	<0.1	<0.1									
c. Isosora		Spring	27, June	Fine	27.0	27.5	8.0	6.5	0	0	Nil	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.19	<0.1	<0.1											
5. Kwikila	a. High School	Borehole	18, May	Fine	30.8	27.9	7.3	73.6	0	0	Nil	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.66	<0.1	<0.1											
	b. Hospital	Borehole	18, May	Fine	29.5	27.2	7.3	84.3	0	0	Nil	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.70	0.1	0.1											
	c. Salvation Army A	Borehole	18, May	Fine	30.0	28.7	6.9	79.7	0	2	Nil	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.49	<0.1	<0.1											
	d. Salvation Army B	Borehole	18, May	Fine	30.0	28.8	7.0	86.7	0	0	Nil	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.47	<0.1	0.2											
	e. Kemp Welch R.	River	19, May	Fine	29.6	24.5	7.8	13.4	20	50	Nil	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.30	0.1	<0.1											
6. Finschhafen	a. Intake	River	30, May	Fine	27.1	25.1	8.0	40.1	0	0	Nil	<0.001	<0.001	0.003	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.71	<0.1	<0.1										
	b. Hospital	River	30, May	Cloudy	28.8	25.1	8.2	31.3	0.5	0	Nil	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.80	0.2	<0.1											
	c. Village Intake	River	30, May	Cloudy	28.3	25.7	8.2	29.5	3	4	Nil	<0.001	<0.001	0.004	<0.001	<0.001	0.56	<0.1	<0.1											
	d. Seminary Spring	Spring	30, May	Cloudy	28.0	25.7	7.8	29.9	0	0	Nil	<0.001	<0.001	0.006	<0.001	<0.001	0.41	<0.1	<0.1											
	e. Town	Tap	30, May	Clear	31.0	28.3	8.1	36.1	0	0	Nil	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.003	<0.001	0.43	<0.1	<0.1										
7. Mutzing	a. Manging R.	River	28, May	Fine	31.2	32.3	8.5	28.8	150	100	Soil	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.41	0.1	0.1										
	b. Supply Source-2	Borehole	28, May	Fine	31.2	27.8	7.3	53.4	0	0	Nil	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.003	<0.001	0.58	<0.1	<0.1										
	c. Village	S. Well	28, May	Clear	31.2	27.9	7.3	52.7	0	1	Soil	<0.001	<0.001	0.002	<0.001	0.002	<0.001	0.82	<0.1	<0.1										
	d. High School	Borehole	28, May	Clear	32.3	28.0	7.8	45.2	0	0	Nil	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.60	<0.1	<0.1											
8. Oro Bay	a. Koisai R.	River	25, May	Fine	32.9	26.3	7.4	5.4	8	20	Nil	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.002	<0.001	0.24	<0.1	<0.1										
	b. Baana R.	River	25, May	Fine	34.0	28.6	7.9	8.0	1	6	Nil	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.002	<0.001	0.22	<0.1	0.1										
	c. Hospital	River	25, May	Fine	29.0	26.8	7.2	8.0	1	20	Nil	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.002	<0.001	0.17	<0.1	<0.1										
	d. Fishery	S. Well	25, May	Fine	29.5	28.5	7.5	75.3	5	20	Nil	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.56	<0.1	<0.1											
Guidelines/Standards for Drinking Water Quality									5NTU	15TCU	Acceptable	0.003	0.001	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.05	1.5	0.7	3										
WHO (1993)						-	-	-	5NTU	15TCU	Acceptable	0.003	0.001	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.05	1.5	0.7	3										
PNG (1984)						-	6.5-9.2	-	25 units**	50 units**	Unobjectionable	0.01	0.001	0.01	0.1	0.05	-	1.5	-	15										
Japan (1993)						-	5.8-8.6	-	2	5	Acceptable	0.01	0.0005	0.01	0.05	0.01	0.05	0.8	-	1										

Table XX: continued

Study Area	Location	Elements											Compounds & Others					Bacteria		Residual Cl
		Fe	Cu	Na	Mn	Cl	Ni	Sb	B	Mo	Al	CN	NO ₂	NO ₃	SO ₄	TOC	TDS	Total Coli ^{*9}	SPC ^{*4}	Cl
		mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l			mg/l
		0.1	0.1	0.1	0.01	1	0.01	0.001	0.1	0.01	0.1	0.01	0.1	0.1	0.1	1	1	1	1	0.05
1. Popondetta	a. Agr. College	0.2	<0.1	7.5	0.36	10	<0.01	<0.001	0.1	0.01	0.1	<0.01	<0.1	0.8	54.9	1	160	13	77	
	b. Village	0.1	<0.1	7.2	0.09	9	<0.01	<0.001	<0.1	0.01	<0.1	<0.01	<0.1	0.5	8.5	1	118	69	200	
	c. W. B. Intake	0.1	<0.1	13.8	0.02	12	<0.01	<0.001	0.1	0.01	0.1	<0.01	<0.1	0.9	80.7	1	152	200	200	
	d. Town	<0.1	<0.1	13.8	0.01	13	<0.01	<0.001	0.1	0.01	0.2	<0.01	<0.1	0.6	82.2	1	154	0	1	1
2. Daru	a. U'ume intake	0.5	<0.1	2.4	0.01	11	<0.01	<0.001	<0.1	0.01	0.2	<0.01	<0.1	0.5	3.9	3	160	61	73	
	b. Treatment Plant	0.1	<0.1	7.0	0.01	11	<0.01	<0.001	<0.1	<0.01	<0.1	<0.01	<0.1	1.2	51.3	1	34	0	6	0.2
	c. Town A	<0.1	<0.1	20.0	<0.01	100	<0.01	<0.001	<0.1	<0.01	<0.1	<0.01	<0.1	0.6	55.5	3	524	30	200	
	d. Town B	<0.1	<0.1	5.5	0.49	11	0.01	0.002	<0.1	0.01	0.2	<0.01	<0.1	0.4	2.2	1	72	21	200	
	e. Town C	0.8	<0.1	20.0	0.04	50	0.01	<0.001	<0.1	0.03	<0.1	<0.01	<0.1	0.5	19.1	1	98	200	200	
	f. Town D	0.3	<0.1	157.0	0.16	350	<0.01	<0.001	<0.1	0.02	0.1	<0.01	<0.1	0.6	163.8	1	1030	200	200	
3. Beresina	b. Training C.	<0.1	<0.1	95.1	0.03	110	<0.01	<0.001	0.1	0.01	<0.1	<0.01	<0.1	0.6	4.0	1	39	6	62	
	c. P.S #1	0.8	<0.1	172.0	0.29	341	<0.01	<0.001	0.1	0.01	<0.1	<0.01	<0.1	0.7	52.3	1	1020	47	113	
	d. Mainohana Intake	0.2	<0.1	4.0	0.15	9	0.02	<0.001	<0.1	0.02	0.1	<0.01	<0.1	0.6	4.9	1	104	200	200	
	e. High School	<0.1	<0.1	206.0	0.05	16	<0.01	<0.001	0.2	0.02	<0.1	<0.01	<0.1	0.5	8.8	1	726	8	7	
	f. Angabang	1.4	<0.1	4.2	0.17	8	0.02	0.002	<0.1	0.01	0.1	<0.01	<0.1	0.4	6.1	1	118	200	200	
4. Kupiano	a. Lako R. intake	0.3	<0.1	4.2	0.02	1	<0.01	<0.001	<0.1	<0.01	0.2	<0.01	<0.1	0.6	4.6	1	13	32	81	
	c. Iopora	0.2	<0.1	21.4	0.02	4	<0.01	<0.001	0.1	<0.01	<0.1	<0.01	<0.1	0.6	17.6	1	32	4	5	
5. Kwikila	a. High School	0.1	<0.1	47.8	0.02	54	<0.01	<0.001	<0.1	0.01	<0.1	<0.01	<0.1	1.0	3.1	1	404	200	99	
	b. Hospital	0.2	<0.1	48.4	<0.01	48	0.01	<0.001	<0.1	<0.01	<0.1	<0.01	<0.1	1.2	9.1	1	444	11	70	
	c. Salvation Army A	0.1	<0.1	51.2	<0.01	50	<0.01	<0.001	<0.1	0.01	<0.1	<0.01	<0.1	0.8	4.0	1	478	0	0	
	d. Salvation Army B	0.4	<0.1	54.1	0.01	50	<0.01	<0.001	<0.1	0.01	<0.1	<0.01	<0.1	1.8	7.9	1	490	72	0	
	e. Kemp Welch R.	0.2	<0.1	4.2	<0.01	35	<0.01	<0.001	<0.1	0.01	0.2	<0.01	<0.1	1.1	3.2	1	28	200	200	
6. Finschhafen	a. Intake	<0.1	<0.1	5.7	<0.01	10	<0.01	<0.001	<0.1	<0.01	<0.1	<0.01	<0.1	0.7	9.5	1	250	92	58	
	b. Hospital	<0.1	<0.1	1.8	<0.01	9	<0.01	<0.001	<0.1	0.01	<0.1	<0.01	<0.1	0.8	3.6	1	194	82	103	
	c. Village Intake	0.1	<0.1	1.1	0.02	8	<0.01	<0.001	<0.1	0.01	<0.1	<0.01	<0.1	0.5	2.1	1	182	112	84	
	d. Seminary Spring	<0.1	<0.1	1.0	<0.01	11	<0.01	<0.001	<0.1	<0.01	<0.1	<0.01	<0.1	1.5	2.4	1	166	200	200	
	e. Town	<0.1	<0.1	5.8	0.01	7	<0.01	<0.001	<0.1	0.01	<0.1	<0.01	<0.1	0.5	9.3	1	248	200	200	
7. Mutzing	a. Manzing R.	0.1	0.1	40.8	0.02	10	<0.01	<0.001	0.2	<0.01	<0.1	<0.01	<0.1	0.5	10.2	1	158	200	200	
	b. Supply Source-2	<0.1	<0.1	35.9	<0.01	9	<0.01	<0.001	0.2	0.01	<0.1	<0.01	<0.1	0.5	18.2	4	326	109	200	
	c. Village	0.1	<0.1	35.3	0.03	15	<0.01	<0.001	0.1	<0.01	<0.1	<0.01	<0.1	0.8	18.9	2	310	15	71	
	d. High School	<0.1	<0.1	29.3	<0.01	7	<0.01	<0.001	0.1	<0.01	<0.1	<0.01	<0.1	0.8	14.5	1	344	35	200	
8. Oro Bay	a. Kosisi R.	0.3	<0.1	3.6	0.01	10	<0.01	<0.001	<0.1	0.01	0.1	<0.01	<0.1	0.7	0.3	4	46	173	74	
	b. Beana R.	0.1	<0.1	5.3	0.01	8	<0.01	<0.001	<0.1	<0.01	0.2	<0.01	<0.1	0.6	0.2	4	60	200	200	
	c. Hospital	0.3	<0.1	4.2	0.02	9	<0.01	<0.001	<0.1	<0.01	0.1	<0.01	<0.1	0.8	0.3	1	36	148	200	
	d. Fishery	0.9	<0.1	35.3	0.11	80	<0.01	<0.001	0.1	<0.01	<0.1	<0.01	<0.1	0.7	3.6	1	426	23	37	
Guidelines/Standards for Drinking Water Quality																				
WHO (1993)		0.3	2	200	0.5	250	0.02	0.005	0.5	0.07	0.2	0.07	3	50	250	-	1000	*9	5	
PNG (1984)		1	1.5	-	0.5	1900	-	-	-	-	-	0.05	-	45	-	-	-	*10	-	
Japan (1993)		0.3	1	200	0.05	200	0.01	0.002	0.2	0.07	0.2	0.01	10	-	*8	500		*11	1	

NB

1. These analyses were carried out to check the water qualities for drinking.

*1: Water temperature

*2: Turbidity

*3: Total Coliform

*4: Standard Plate Count

*5: Shallow well

*6: Jacksons Turbidity Units

*7: on the Platinum-Cobalt scale

*8: COD 10mg/L

*9: WHO

All water intended for drinking: E. coli or thermotolerant coliform bacteria must not be detectable in any 100ml sample.

*10: PNG

(1) There shall be no E. coli in any sample of 100 ml. (2) If E. coli is absent, no sample shall contain more than 3 coliform organisms per 100 ml.

*11: JPN

SPC: shall be less than 100 in any 1ml sample. Total Coliform: must not be detectable in any sample.

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Table XX-2: Water Qualities of Existing Water Sources from the Eight Sites in the Study Area (parameters relating to geological characteristics)

Study Area	Location	Source	Date of year 2000	Weather	Air Temp. °C	Physical Parameters				Parameters Representing Geological Characteristics							Hardness & Others				Non-metals			
						W.temp*1 °C	pH	EC mS/m	Turb.*2	Na mg/l	K mg/l	Ca mg/l	Cl mg/l	Mg mg/l	HCO ₃ mg/l	CO ₃ mg/l	SO ₄ mg/l	T-Acid mg/l	T-Alka. mg/l	T-Hard mg/l	TDS mg/l	LI mg/l	NH ₄ -N mg/l	T-P mg/l
1.Popondetta	a. Agr.College	Borehole	24,May	Fine	29.0	28.0	7.2	25.9	0	7.5	5.22	24.4	10	13.1	75.6	0.8	54.9	12.0	76	114	160	-0.8	<0.1	0.24
	b. Village	Spring	25,May	Rain	26.5	25.9	8.3	14.8	0	7.2	4.59	12.2	9	8.0	69.1	0.5	8.5	34.5	69	55	118	-2.2	0.2	0.22
	c. W. B. Intake	River	25,May	Cloudy	25.8	27.3	7.8	24.2	1	13.8	5.88	20.7	12	7.8	38.5	0.3	60.7	8.3	39	82	152	-0.7	<0.1	0.15
	d. Town	Tap	25,May	Cloudy	24.7	26.8	7.5	24.1	0	13.8	5.74	20.4	13	7.6	32.9	0.3	82.2	7.8	33	81	154	-1.1	<0.1	0.09
2.Daru	a. U'ume Intake	River	5,June	Rain	28.6	26.0	6.3	5.1	0.5	2.4	0.55	3.1	11	1.4	7.1	0.1	3.9	0.0	7	14	160	-3.5	<0.1	<0.01
	b. Treatment Plant	Tap	6,June	Cloudy	27.3	26.6	5.4	9.1	0.5	7.0	0.54	3.7	11	1.3	36.1	0.3	51.3	0.0	36	14	34	-3.6	<0.1	<0.01
	c. Town A	S. Well*3	6,June	Rain	27.3	27.9	7.2	92.9	0	20.0	0.88	95.4	100	33.6	123.0	1.0	55.5	0.5	124	371	524	-0.1	<0.1	0.03
	d. Town B	S. Well	7,June	Cloudy	27.1	26.4	7	14	50	5.5	0.20	6.7	11	4.8	29.9	0.2	2.2	0.1	30	36	72	-2.1	<0.1	<0.01
	e. Town C	S. Well	7,June	Cloudy	27.3	27.2	6.3	21.1	0.5	20.0	1.43	4.6	50	5.2	21.0	0.2	19.1	0.1	21	33	98	-3.2	<0.1	0.16
	f. Town D	S. Well	7,June	Cloudy	28.4	26.9	7.2	184.3	15	157.0	4.62	94.5	350	62.0	27.0	0.2	163.8	1.0	27	486	1030	-0.9	<0.1	0.04
3.Bereina	b. Training C.	Borehole	23,May	Clear	28.3	28.7	7.8	53.2	0	95.1	7.18	4.5	110	3.9	208.0	1.6	4.0	6.0	208	26	39	-0.7	<0.1	0.48
	c. P.S #1	S. Well	23,May	Clear	27.2	27.7	7.8	175.3	5	172.0	9.52	111.0	341	36.8	76.1	0.6	52.3	10.5	77	435	1020	0.0	<0.1	0.14
	d. Mainohana Intake	River	23,May	Fine	29.3	24.7	8	12.4	150	4.0	2.95	19.3	9	3.9	122.0	1.0	4.9	7.0	123	92	104	0.0	<0.1	0.32
	e. High School	Borehole	23,May	Fine	29.3	27.4	8.2	117.1	0	206.0	14.50	8.1	18	7.9	432.0	3.4	6.8	11.3	441	52	726	0.2	<0.1	0.45
	f. Angabang	River	23,May	Clear	28.0	24.8	7.9	12.6	150	4.2	2.46	20.7	8	4.0	142.0	1.1	6.1	4.0	143	103	116	0.0	<0.1	0.40
	4.Kupiano	a. Lako R. intake	River	27,June	Fine	27.7	28.3	7.7	16.4	2	4.2	0.33	18.5	1	7.0	89.7	0.6	4.6	4.9	90	75	13	-0.3	<0.1
c. Iopora		Spring	27,June	Fine	27.0	27.5	8	6.5	0	21.4	0.59	92.3	4	18.4	369.9	0.1	17.6	11.5	371	306	32	1.2	<0.1	0.03
5.Kwikila	a. High School	Borehole	18,May	Fine	30.6	27.9	7.3	73.6	0	47.6	1.44	70.8	54	28.5	342.0	2.7	3.1	22.0	342	294	404	0.3	<0.1	<0.01
	b. Hospital	Borehole	18,May	Fine	29.5	27.2	7.3	84.3	0	46.4	0.94	98.5	46	33.1	427.0	3.3	9.1	22.0	428	382	444	0.4	0.7	<0.01
	c. Salvation Army A	Borehole	18,May	Fine	30.0	28.7	6.9	79.7	0	51.2	0.78	87.2	50	26.9	398.0	3.1	4.0	43.0	359	329	478	0.0	0.7	<0.01
	d. Salvation Army B	Borehole	18,May	Fine	30.0	28.6	7	86.7	0	54.1	0.84	97.2	50	29.8	323.0	2.5	7.9	37.5	323	252	490	0.1	<0.1	<0.01
	e. Kemp Welch R.	River	19,May	Fine	29.6	24.5	7.6	13.4	20	4.2	1.43	17.1	35	5.2	63.0	0.5	3.2	4.5	33	50	28	-1.1	<0.1	0.05
6.Finschhafen	a. Intake	River	30,May	Fine	27.1	25.1	6	40.1	0	5.7	6.13	71.9	10	5.9	189.0	1.5	9.5	6.8	190	201	250	0.8	<0.1	0.04
	b. Hospital	River	30,May	Cloudy	28.8	25.1	8.2	31.3	0.5	1.8	0.93	69.1	9	2.0	151.0	1.2	3.6	5.5	153	178	194	0.8	<0.1	<0.01
	c. Village Intake	River	30,May	Cloudy	28.3	25.7	8.2	29.5	3	1.1	0.30	67.1	6	1.4	149.0	1.2	2.1	5.0	151	170	182	0.8	<0.1	0.03
	d. Seminary Spring	Spring	30,May	Cloudy	29.0	25.7	7.8	29.9	0	1.0	0.15	67.2	11	0.9	134.0	1.0	2.4	9.5	135	169	166	0.3	<0.1	0.03
	e. Town	Tap	30,May	Clear	31.0	28.3	8.1	38.1	0	5.6	6.06	71.0	7	5.5	187.0	1.5	9.3	7.0	190	197	248	0.9	<0.1	0.04
7.Mutzing	a. Manang R.	River	28,May	Fine	31.2	32.3	8.5	28.6	150	40.8	2.12	81.2	10	27.5	560.0	4.4	10.2	5.3	571	315	158	2.0	<0.1	1.02
	b. Supply Source-2	Borehole	28,May	Fine	31.2	27.6	7.3	53.4	0	35.9	0.78	73.1	9	9.5	293.0	2.3	18.2	12.3	295	219	326	0.3	<0.1	<0.01
	c. Village	S. Well	28,May	Clear	31.2	27.9	7.3	52.7	0	35.3	0.51	72.7	15	8.4	281.0	2.2	18.9	19.5	282	214	310	0.4	<0.1	0.02
	d. High School	Borehole	28,May	Clear	32.3	28.0	7.6	45.2	0	29.3	0.64	62.4	7	8.9	244.0	1.9	14.5	10.5	246	181	344	0.5	<0.1	<0.01
8.Oro Bay	a. Kosisi R.	River	25,May	Fine	32.9	26.3	7.4	5.4	6	3.6	1.28	3.1	10	2.4	9.0	0.1	0.3	8.3	9	19	46	-2.4	<0.1	0.04
	b. Basana R.	River	25,May	Fine	34.0	28.6	7.9	6	1	5.3	1.39	4.5	8	3.8	29.0	0.2	0.2	5.8	29	27	60	-1.3	<0.1	0.05
	c. Hospital	River	25,May	Fine	29.0	28.8	7.2	6	1	4.2	1.74	3.6	9	2.5	16.0	0.1	0.3	7.8	16	19	36	-2.4	<0.1	0.04
	d. Fishery	S. Well	25,May	Fine	29.5	28.5	7.5	75.3	5	35.3	7.91	94.8	80	19.5	248.0	1.9	3.6	18.5	249	310	426	0.4	<0.1	0.07

NB *1: Water temperature
 *2: Turbidity
 *3: Shallow well

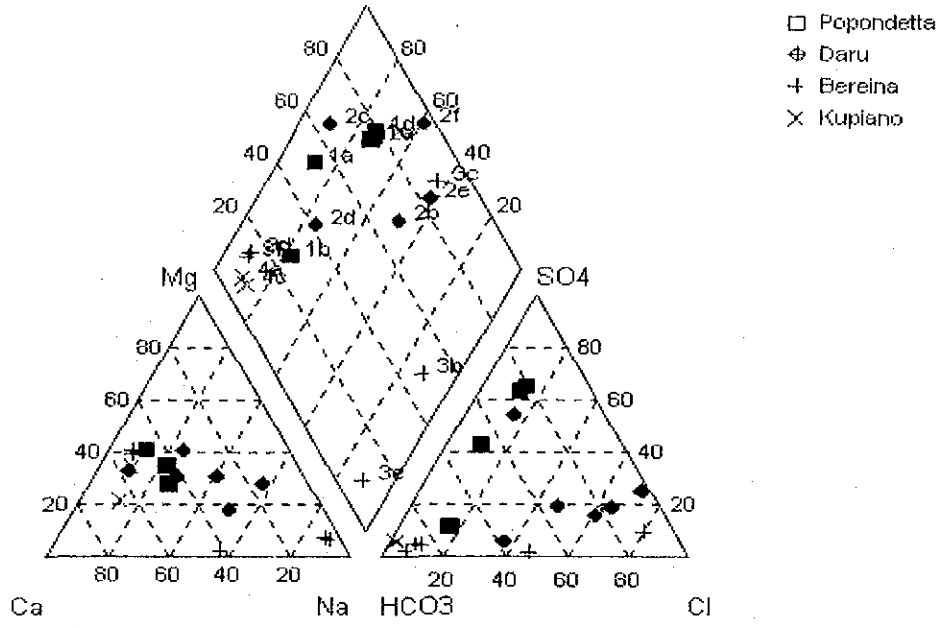


Figure 2-1 (1): Characteristics of water samples in 4 towns

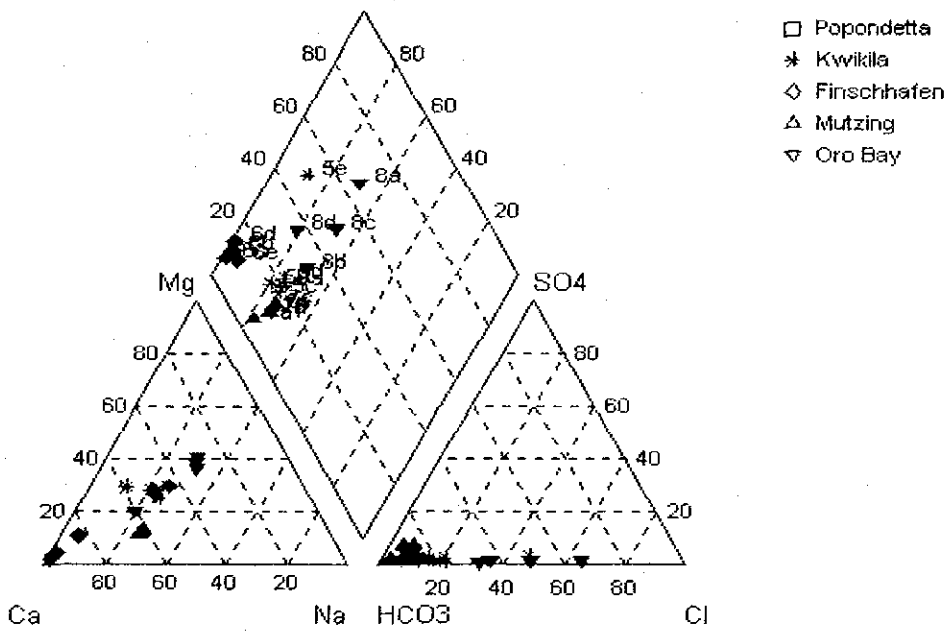


Figure 2-1 (2): Characteristics of water samples in 4 towns

Table XX: Qualities of Bianturi River Water

Point	Depth from the surface	Elements						Others			
		Ca mg/l	Cl mg/l	F mg/l	K mg/l	Na mg/l	Mg mg/l	T- Acidity mg/l	T- Alkalinity mg/l	Hardness mg/l	TDS mg/l
1A	to 25cm	405	13500	1.33	494	9540	1310	14.8	115.0	6.41	15074
	to 50cm	499	13900	1.23	565	9460	1650	17.2	116.3	8.04	14210
	to 100cm	529	13900	1.23	599	9340	1770	14.1	113.8	8.61	12095
	to 200cm	552	14000	1.23	626	9260	1960	19.1	113.1	9.45	15618
	to 300cm	510	14500	1.26	638	9220	1950	15.5	114.4	9.30	16087
1B	to 25cm	485	12500	1.40	580	9040	1600	17.5	120.0	7.80	32174
	to 50cm	509	13000	1.40	610	9060	1620	17.0	113.8	7.86	31076
	to 100cm	543	12000	1.45	626	9100	1830	17.5	116.5	12.59	31754
	to 200cm	755	12000	1.45	766	9020	2600	19.0	115.0	17.95	37030
	to 300cm	1070	12500	1.40	934	9000	3710	19.3	114.8	0.07	11364
2A	to 25cm	13	58	0.22	3	12	9	9.0	58.8	0.08	462
	to 50cm	15	40	0.24	3	14	10	7.0	58.8	0.08	460
	to 100cm	16	37	0.27	2	11	10	8.3	57.5	0.08	252
	to 200cm	16	38	0.23	3	21	11	9.5	59.3	0.09	146
	to 300cm	17	35	0.23	3	9	11	9.3	57.5	0.07	266
2B	to 25cm	15	19	0.22	1	11	8	14.8	52.5	0.07	268
	to 50cm	15	17	0.21	1	11	8	10.0	56.3	0.08	262
	to 100cm	16	15	0.21	1	11	9	11.3	56.3	0.07	230
	to 200cm	15	13	0.19	1	10	8	9.5	55.0	0.07	110
	to 300cm	15	11	0.18	1	10	8	9.1	56.3	0.04	122
3	to 25cm	9	10	0.15	1	7	5	13.5	40.3	0.04	188
	to 50cm	10	8	0.13	1	7	5	13.3	39.8	0.04	94
	to 100cm	10	7	0.13	1	7	5	12.5	38.0	0.04	136
	to 200cm	10	6	0.12	1	7	5	12.8	40.0	0.04	274
	to 300cm	10	6	0.13	1	8	5	11.5	38.8	0.04	132
4	to 25cm	13	8	0.14	1	9	6	12.3	48.0	0.06	800
	to 50cm	13	7	0.13	1	9	6	12.0	47.5	0.06	380
	to 100cm	13	7	0.14	1	9	6	12.2	48.8	0.06	236
	to 200cm	14	6	0.13	1	9	6	10.5	47.8	0.06	240
	to 300cm	13	6	0.15	1	9	6	11.6	47.8	0.06	246
5	to 25cm	11	10	0.16	1	9	5	10.0	39.3	0.05	204
	to 50cm	11	9	0.12	1	8	5	10.0	38.3	0.05	166
	to 100cm	11	8	0.14	1	9	5	9.6	38.2	0.05	214
	to 200cm	11	8	0.09	1	8	5	11.3	39.4	0.05	122
	to 300cm	11	7	0.09	1	8	5	10.5	38.0	0.05	200

Table XX: Qualities of Shallow Wells in Binaturi Area

Site	Source	Date of 2000	Physical Parameters			Elements																				Compounds & Others						Bacteria	
			W. temp ^{*1} °C	pH	EC mS/m	Taste & odours	Al mg/l	As mg/l	B mg/l	Ba mg/l	Cd mg/l	Cl mg/l	Cr mg/l	Cu mg/l	F mg/l	Fe mg/l	Hg mg/l	Mn mg/l	Mo mg/l	Na mg/l	Ni mg/l	Sb mg/l	Se mg/l	Pb mg/l	Zn mg/l	CN mg/l	NO ₂ mg/l	NO ₃ mg/l	SO ₄ mg/l	TOC mg/l	TDS mg/l	Total Coliform ^{*2}	SPC ^{*3}
Old Mawatta	S. well ^{*4}	10-Dec	30.8	6.7	39.9	acceptable	0.07	<0.001	0.1	0.01	<0.001	105	0.005	0.02	0.73	0.16	<0.001	0.19	0.006	45	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.03	0.003	0.008	0.01	4.1	2	222	>200	>200
Masingie	S. well	10-Dec	28.3	7.5	70.6	acceptable	0.05	<0.001	<0.01	0.01	<0.001	125	0.018	0.02	1.30	0.22	<0.001	0.14	0.013	77	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.03	0.002	0.106	0.18	2.8	3	404	>200	>200
Kunini	S. well	12-Dec	28.7	6.2	877.0	acceptable	0.10	<0.001	<0.01	0.02	<0.001	1895	0.035	0.02	0.80	0.12	<0.001	0.08	0.004	1107	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.16	0.002	0.007	1.03	76.5	2	4220	>200	>200
Boze	S. well	8-Dec	28.6	4.1	30.5	acceptable	0.54	<0.001	<0.01	0.04	<0.001	45	0.006	0.03	0.37	0.04	<0.001	0.10	0.006	22	0.012	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.06	0.001	0.003	1.30	10.8	3	484	>200	>200
Daru Tap	Tap	8-Dec	28.3	7.4	49.9	acceptable	0.11	<0.001	<0.01	0.02	<0.001	70	0.010	0.07	0.41	0.01	<0.001	0.01	0.009	17	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.009	0.20	0.003	0.003	0.70	6.1	2	498	0	0
Guidelines/Standards for Drinking Water Quality																																	
			WHO (1993)	-	-	-	acceptable	0.2	0.01	0.5	0.7	0.003	250	0.05	2	1.5	0.3	0.001	0.5	0.07	200	0.02	0.005	0.01	0.01	3	0.07	3	50	250	-	1000	*6
			PNG (1984)	-	6.5-9.2	-	unobjectionable	-	0.05	-	-	0.01	1000	-	1.5	1.5	1	0.001	0.5	-	-	-	-	0.01	0.1	15	0.05	-	45	-	-	-	*7
			JPN (1993)	-	5.8-8.6	-	acceptable	0.2	0.01	0.2	-	0.01	200	0.05	1	0.8	0.3	0.0005	0.05	0.07	200	0.01	0.002	0.01	0.05	1	0.01	10	-	*5	500	*8	

NB

*1: Water temperature

*2: Total coliform

*3: Standard plate count

*4: Shallow well

*5: In Japanese standard, COD should be less than 10mg/L instead of TOC.

*6: WHO - All water intended for drinking: E. coli or thermotolerant coliform bacteria must not be detectable in any 100ml sample.

*7: PNG - (i) There shall be no E. coli in any sample of 100 ml. (ii) If E. coli is absent, no sample shall contain more than 3 coliform organisms per 100 ml.

*8: JPN - SPC: shall be less than 100 in any 1ml sample. Total Coliform: must not be detectable in any sample.

Water Qualities of Drilled Boreholes in the Eight Sites

Site	No.	Water source	Date of Year 2000	Weather	Air Temp °C	Physical Parameters						Elements								
						W. temp* ¹ °C	pH	EC mS/m	Turb* ²	Colour	Odour & taste	Cd mg/l	Hg mg/l	Se mg/l	Pb mg/l	As mg/l	Cr mg/l	F mg/l	Ba mg/l	Zn mg/l
						Detection limit						0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.001	0.1	0.001	0.01
1.Popondetta	#1	Borehole	30-Aug	Fine	32.0	27.8	7.6	25.7	0	0	Acceptable	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.001	<0.001	0.1	0.018	<0.01
	#2	Borehole	25-Aug	Fine	31.6	28.7	7.1	27.1	0	0	Acceptable	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.001	0.001	<0.001	0.1	0.022	<0.01
2.Daru	#1	Borehole	29-Sep	Fine	32.5	28.8	8.1	330.0	0	0	Salty	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.3	0.048	0.01
	#2	Borehole	5-Oct	Cloudy	35.5	29.5	8.3	340.0	0	0	Salty	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	1.0	0.044	0.01
3.Bereina	#1	Borehole	27-Jul	Fine	33.3	29.0	8.5	58.2	0	0	Acceptable	<0.001	0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.004	<0.001	0.6	0.010	<0.01
4.Kupiano	#1	Borehole	27-Jul	Cloudy	32.4	29.4	7.7	110.0	0	0	Acceptable	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.9	0.024	0.01
5.Kwikila	#1	Borehole	6-Nov	Fine	31.5	28.8	7.4	101.5	0	0	Acceptable	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.001	<0.001	0.2	0.020	0.01
6.Finschnafen	#2	Borehole	10-Oct	Rain	32.2	28.5	7.9	31.2	0	0	Acceptable	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.6	0.004	0.01
7.Mutzing	#1	Borehole	8-Oct	Fine	33.5	28.2	7.4	25.5	0	1	Acceptable	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.1	0.003	<0.01
8.Oro Bay	#1	Borehole	3-Sep	Fine	31.8	28.7	6.9	24.6	1	0	Acceptable	<0.001	<0.001	<0.001	0.001	<0.001	0.002	0.1	0.016	<0.01
Guidelines/Standards for Drinking Water Quality																				
WHO (1993)						-	-	-	5NTU	15TCU	Acceptable	0.003	0.001	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.05	1.5	0.7	3
PNG (1984)						-	6.5-9.2	-	25 units* ⁹	50 units* ⁶	Unobjectionable	0.01	0.001	0.01	0.1	0.05	-	1.5	-	15
Japan (1993)						-	5.8-8.6	-	2	5	Acceptable	0.01	0.0005	0.01	0.05	0.01	0.05	0.8	-	1

NB

*1: Water temperature. *2: Turbidity, *3: Total coliform, *4: Standard plate count, *5: Jacksons turbidity units. *6: on the Platinum-cobalt scale, *7: COD 10mg/L

*8: WHO

All water intended for drinking: E. coli or thermotolerant coliform bacteria must not be detectable in any 100ml

*9: PNG

(i) There shall be no E. coli in any sample of 100 ml, (ii) If E. coli is absent, no sample shall contain more than 3 coliform organisms per 100 ml.

*10: JPN

SPC: shall be less than 100 in any 1ml sample.

Total Coliform: must not be detectable in any sample.

continued

Site	No.	Elements										Compounds & Others						Bacteria	
		Fe	Cu	Na	Mn	Cl	Ni	Sb	B	Mo	Al	CN	NO ₂	NO ₃	SO ₄	TOC	TDS	Total	SPC ^{*4}
		mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	mg/l	Coli ^{*3}	
		0.01	0.001	1	0.001	1	0.001	0.001	0.1	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01	1	1	0.1	1	1	1
1.Popondetta	#1	<0.01	0.005	16	0.010	6	<0.001	<0.001	0.1	<0.01	0.57	<0.01	<0.01	<1	11	1.7	200	0	0
	#2	0.54	0.006	5	0.002	4	<0.001	<0.001	0.1	<0.01	1.60	<0.01	<0.01	<1	10	2.8	230	0	0
2.Daru	#1	<0.01	<0.001	408	0.002	700	<0.001	<0.001	<0.1	<0.01	0.06	<0.01	<0.01	1	11	5	1940	0	0
	#2	<0.01	<0.001	399	0.011	700	<0.001	<0.001	<0.1	<0.01	0.03	<0.01	<0.01	1	10	5	2402	0	0
3.Bereina	#1	0.20	<0.001	66	0.045	20	<0.001	<0.001	0.1	<0.01	0.01	<0.01	0.37	1	7	1.9	437	0	0
4.Kupiano	#1	0.01	0.001	88	0.004	30	<0.001	<0.001	0.1	<0.01	0.04	<0.01	0.03	<1	4	3	745	0	0
5.Kwikila	#1	<0.01	<0.001	66	0.184	11	<0.001	<0.001	<0.1	<0.01	<0.01	0.01	0.01	<1	10	1.4	440	0	0
6.Finschhafen	#2	0.08	0.005	6	0.001	2	<0.001	<0.001	<0.1	<0.01	0.65	<0.01	<0.01	<1	10	3.2	260	0	0
7.Mutzing	#1	<0.01	0.007	16	0.030	4	<0.001	<0.001	<0.1	<0.01	0.57	<0.01	0.04	2	16	3.9	190	0	0
8.Oro Bay	#1	0.71	0.008	6	0.020	2	<0.001	<0.001	<0.1	<0.01	0.69	<0.01	0.02	<1	3	4.8	110	0	0
Guidelines/Standards for Drinking Water Quality																			
WHO (1993)		0.3	2	200	0.5	250	0.02	0.005	0.5	0.07	0.2	0.07	3	50	250	-	1000		*8
PNG (1984)		1	1.5	-	0.5	1000	-	-	-	-	-	0.05	-	45	-	-	-		*9
Japan (1993)		0.3	1	200	0.05	200	0.01	0.002	0.2	0.07	0.2	0.01	10	-	*7	500		*10	

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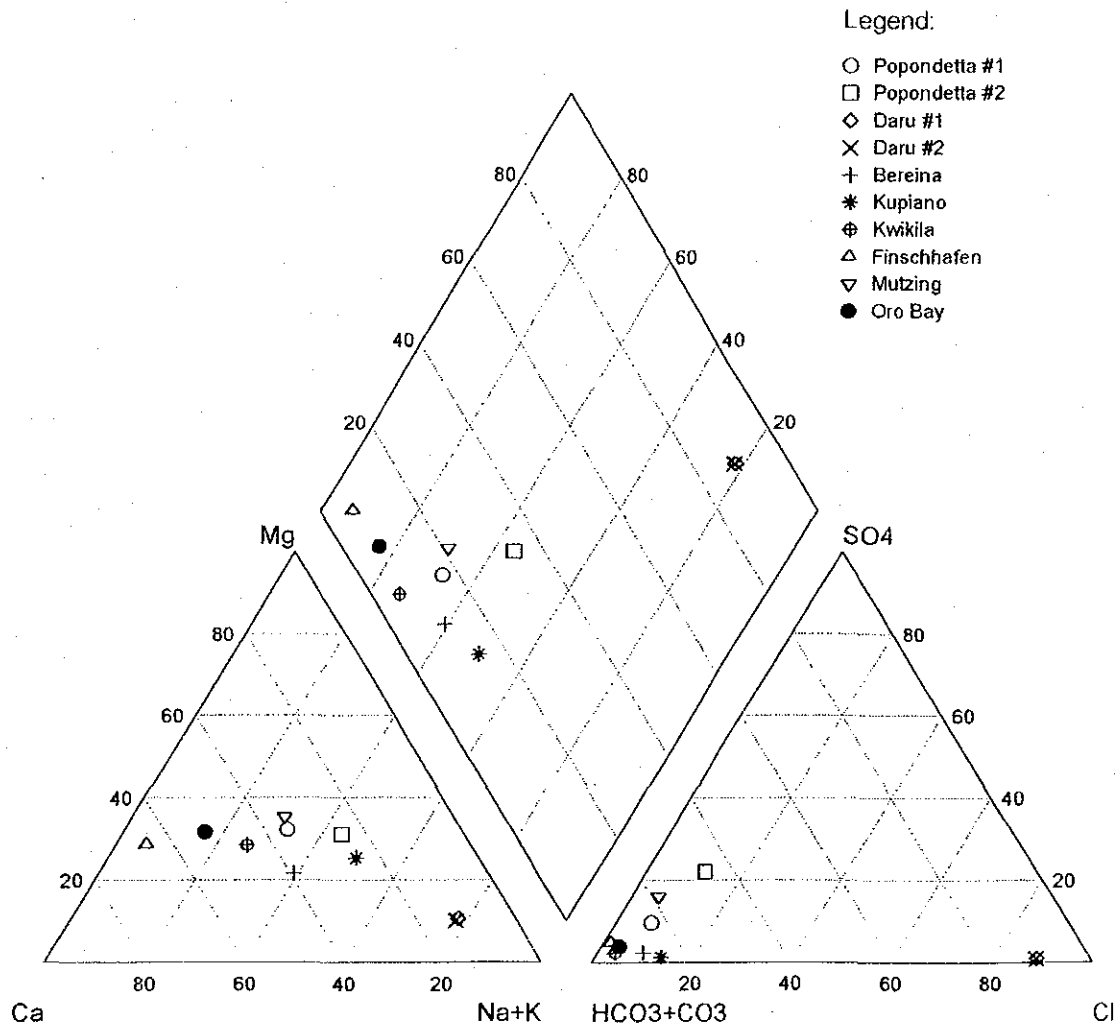
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Water Qualities of Drilled Boreholes in the Eight Sites (parameters relating to geological characteristics)

Site	No.	Water Source	Date of Year 2000	Physical Parameters						Parameters representing Geological Characteristics								Hardness & Others					Non-metals	
				W. temp* °C	pH	EC mS/m	Turb* ²	Colour	Odour & taste	Na mg/l	K mg/l	Ca mg/l	Cl mg/l	Mg mg/l	HCO ₃ mg/l	CO ₃ mg/l	SO ₄ mg/l	Acid mg/l	T-Alka mg/l	T-Hard mg/l	TDS mg/l	LI* ³ mg/l	NH ₄ mg/l	T-P mg/l
1.Popondetta	#1	Borehole	30-Aug	27.8	7.6	25.7	0	0	acceptable	16	5.3	18	6	10	120	<1	11	5.6	120	87	200	-0.3	<0.01	0.21
	#2	Borehole	25-Aug	28.7	7.1	27.1	0	0	acceptable	5	5.2	4	4	3	38	<1	10	7.6	38	20	230	-2.0	0.01	0.63
2.Daru	#1	Borehole	29-Sep	28.8	8.1	330.0	0	0	salty	408	12.9	53	700	30	141	1.7	11	<5.0	143	257	1940	0.6	0.47	<0.05
	#2	Borehole	5-Oct	29.5	8.3	340.0	0	0	salty	399	10.2	55	700	28	142	2.6	10	<5.0	145	252	2402	0.8	0.52	<0.05
3.Bereina	#1	Borehole	27-Jul	29.0	8.5	58.2	0	0	acceptable	66	4.8	60	20	20	331	1.4	7	48.0	333	231	437	1.4	0.09	0.31
4.Kupiano	#1	Borehole	27-Jul	29.4	7.7	110.0	0	0	acceptable	88	1.4	39	30	24	329	2.1	4	<5.0	331	197	1	0.5	<0.01	<0.05
5.Kwikila	#1	Borehole	6-Nov	28.8	7.4	101.5	0	0	acceptable	66	0.4	100	11	38	510	1.3	10	48.0	511	406	440	0.7	0.08	0.17
6.Finschhafen	#2	Borehole	10-Oct	28.5	7.9	31.2	0	0	acceptable	6	1.6	64	2	17	240	<1	10	17.0	240	228	260	0.8	0.01	<0.05
	#1	Dry																						
7.Mutzing	#1	Borehole	8-Oct	28.2	7.4	25.5	0	1	acceptable	16	0.6	16	4	10	100	<1	16	7.2	100	81	190	-0.7	0.01	0.08
8.Oro Bay	#1	Borehole	3-Sep	28.7	6.9	24.6	1	0	acceptable	6	1.3	19	2	7	90	<1	3	5.6	90	76	110	-1.1	<0.01	0.12

NB

- 1: Water temperature
- 2: Turbidity
- 3: Langelier index



Water characteristics of boreholes in PNG

6. GROUNDWATER DEVELOPMENT BOREHOLE DATA

**ELECTRICAL WELL LOGGING OF TEST BOREHOLES
FOR
THE STUDY ON GROUNDWATER DEVELOPMENT
FOR WATER SUPPLY SYSTEMS
IN PAPUA NEW GUINEA**

INTRODUCTION

The project for test Boreholes for The Study on groundwater Development for Water Supply Systems in Papua New Guinea had been granted by Japan International Co-operation (JICA). It is proposed to construct 10 wells at the eastern part of Papua New Guinea Island.

PURPOSE OF WORK

The purpose of the electrical well logging of the test boreholes is to survey and obtain the hydrogeological conditions of the drilling site in order to be the criterior of well screen position to get the sufficient yield of groundwater.

LOCATION OF WORK

The test boreholes for the electrical well logging were designated by the Client in eight (8) study areas, i.e. ; Mutzing and Finschhafen in Morobe Province, Popondetta and Oro Bay in Oro Province, Bereina, Kwikila and Kupiano in Central Province, and Daru in Western Province (To be referred to the attached map). The Total ten (10) numbers of test boreholes were constructed as summerised in figure 1.

BOREHOLE GEOPHYSICAL LOGGING

Geophysical logs was taken by the geologger 3030 Mark 2 in all holes drilled.

The logging device is capable of producing a continuous simultaneous strip record of spontaneous potential, resistivity and separately a continuous strip of gamma radiation.

AUTOMATIC ELECTRIC LOGGING METHOD

1. Set E-Logging machine (Geologger-3030, OYO) at specified location (see fig. 2)
2. Connect cable with combination probe to electric logging machine.
3. Set zero depth, then, set the suitable detecting range in electric logging programme.
4. In case of carry out by upward method, the combination probe shall be lower down to the bottom of the hole.
5. After that the combination probe shall be slowly pull up by winch or handle device in suitable rate, and at the same time the measuring shall be started.
6. The computerized electric logging machine shall automatically read the value every spacing depth and record in disket.
7. After completion, the recorded data shall be printed out in the selected scale.

RESISTIVITY LOGGING (MANUAL) METHOD

1. Set resistivity machine, ABEM meter (see fig. 3).
2. Marking on cable at every 1 meter interval.
3. Install the lead probes until the bottom of hole. The reading point shall be at the center between P1 and P2.
4. Pull up the probes slowly and take recording of the resistance value(R) that show on the monitor at every 1 m.
5. The resistivity value shall be calculated by the formula as follows :

$$\rho = 4\pi aR$$

$$\rho = \text{Resistivity (Ohm)}$$

$$a = \text{Distance (spacing) from pole to pole (0.5 m.)}$$

$$R = \text{Resistance value (Ohm-m)}$$

$$\text{Then, } \rho = 6.28 R$$

6. Plot on normal graph $y = \text{depth (m.)}$, $X = \text{Resistivity value (ohm)}$

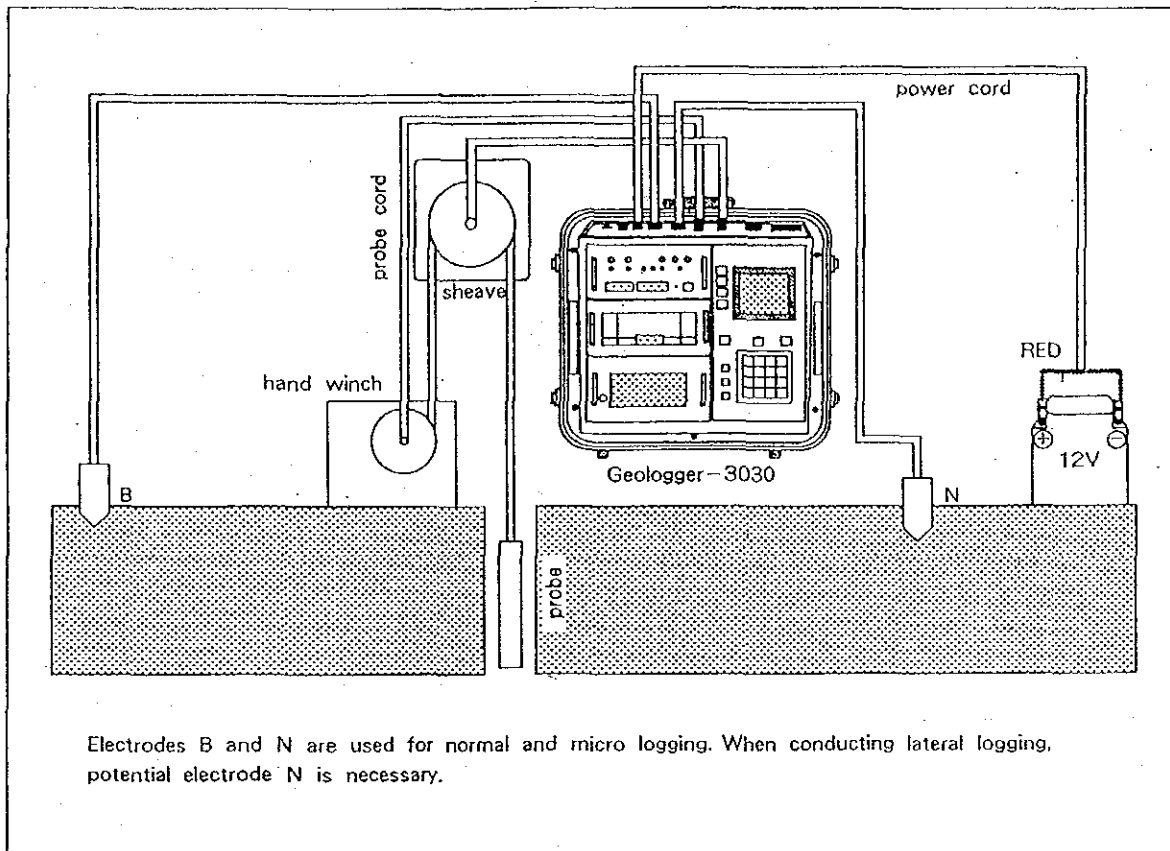
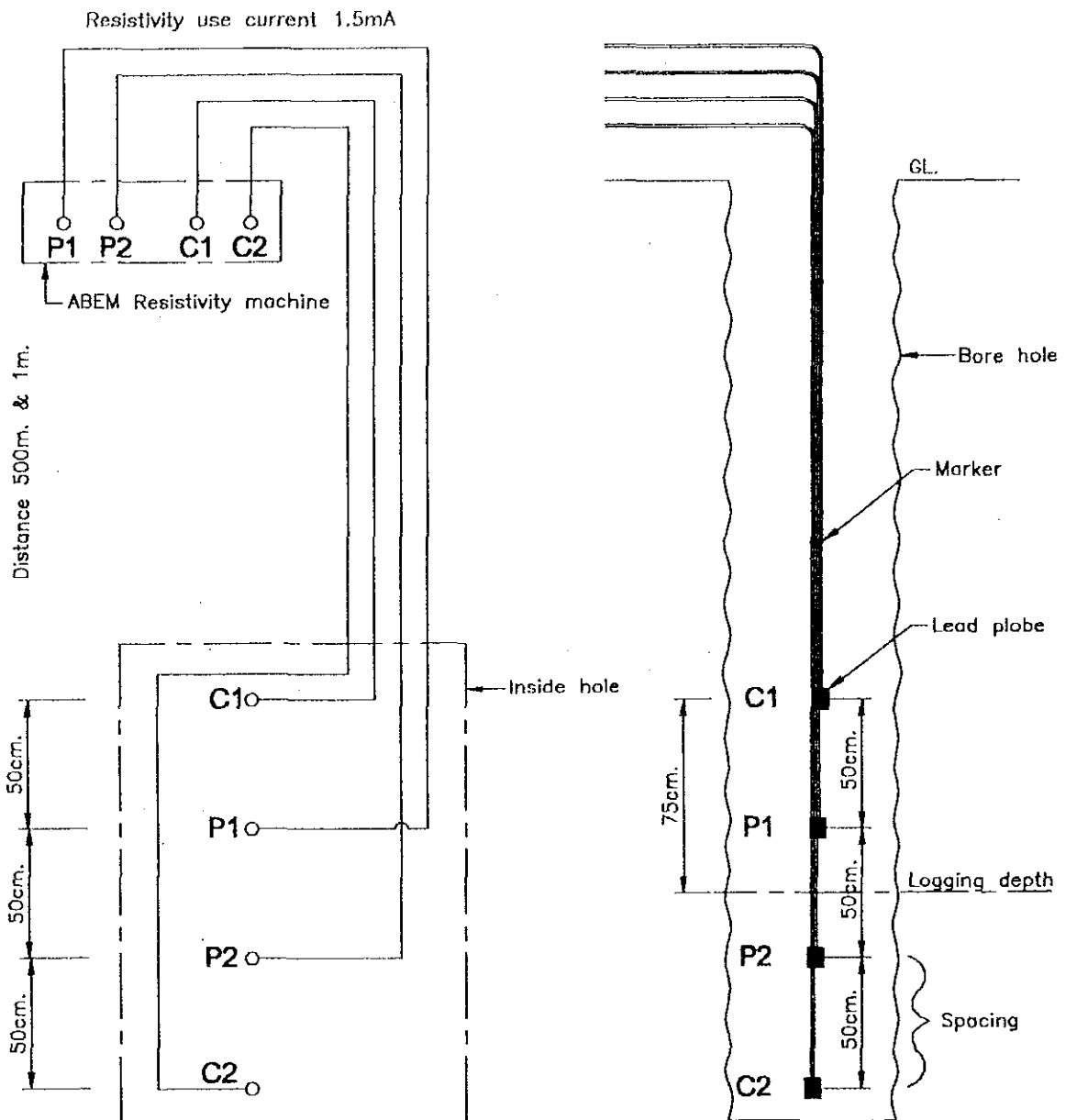


Fig 2. Electric Logging Machine



Resistivity Value are $\rho = 4\pi aR$
 $\rho = 6.28R$ (0.5m. spacing)
 R = Reading from ABEM meter

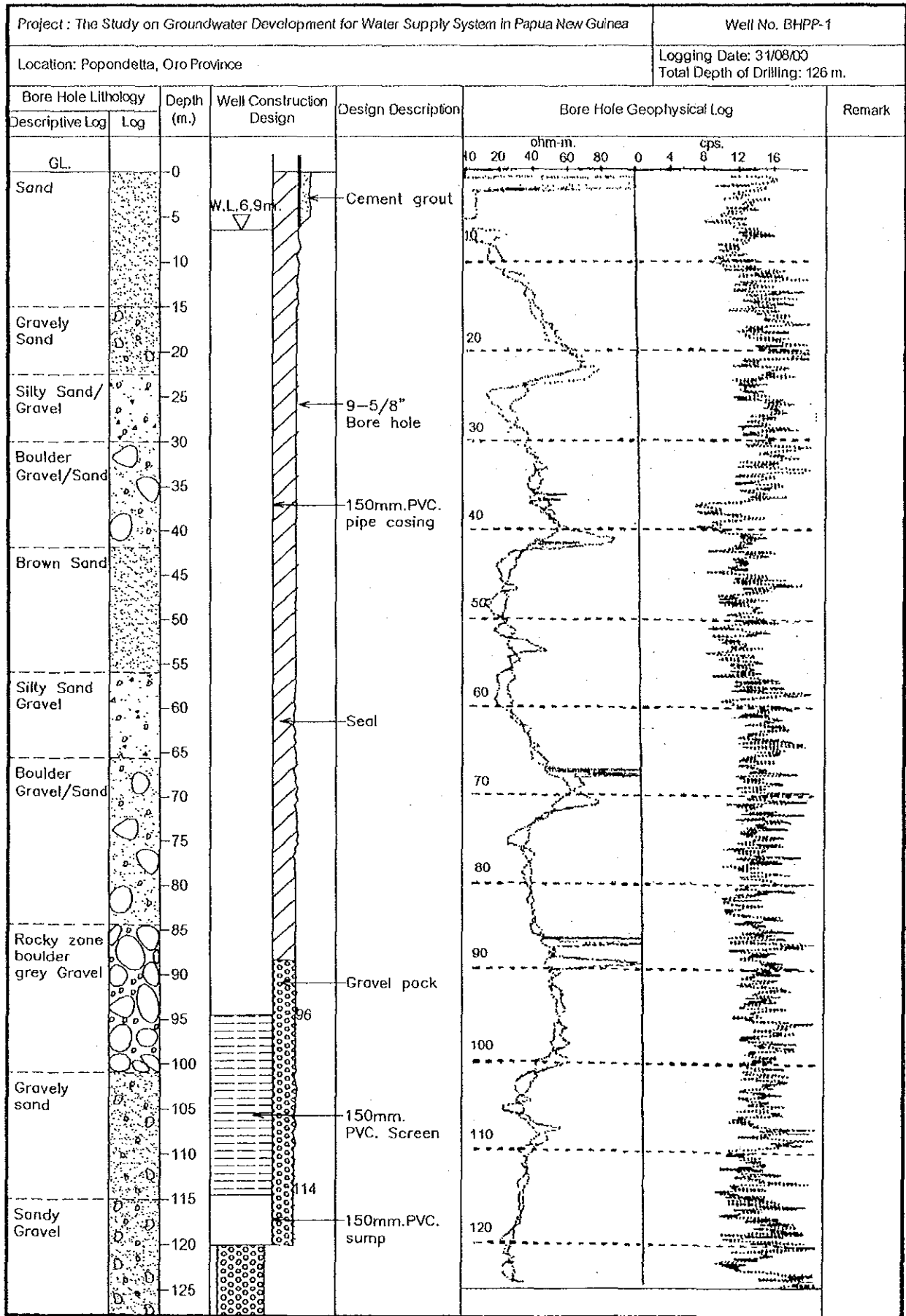
FIG.3 WELL LOGGING BY ABEM MACHINE

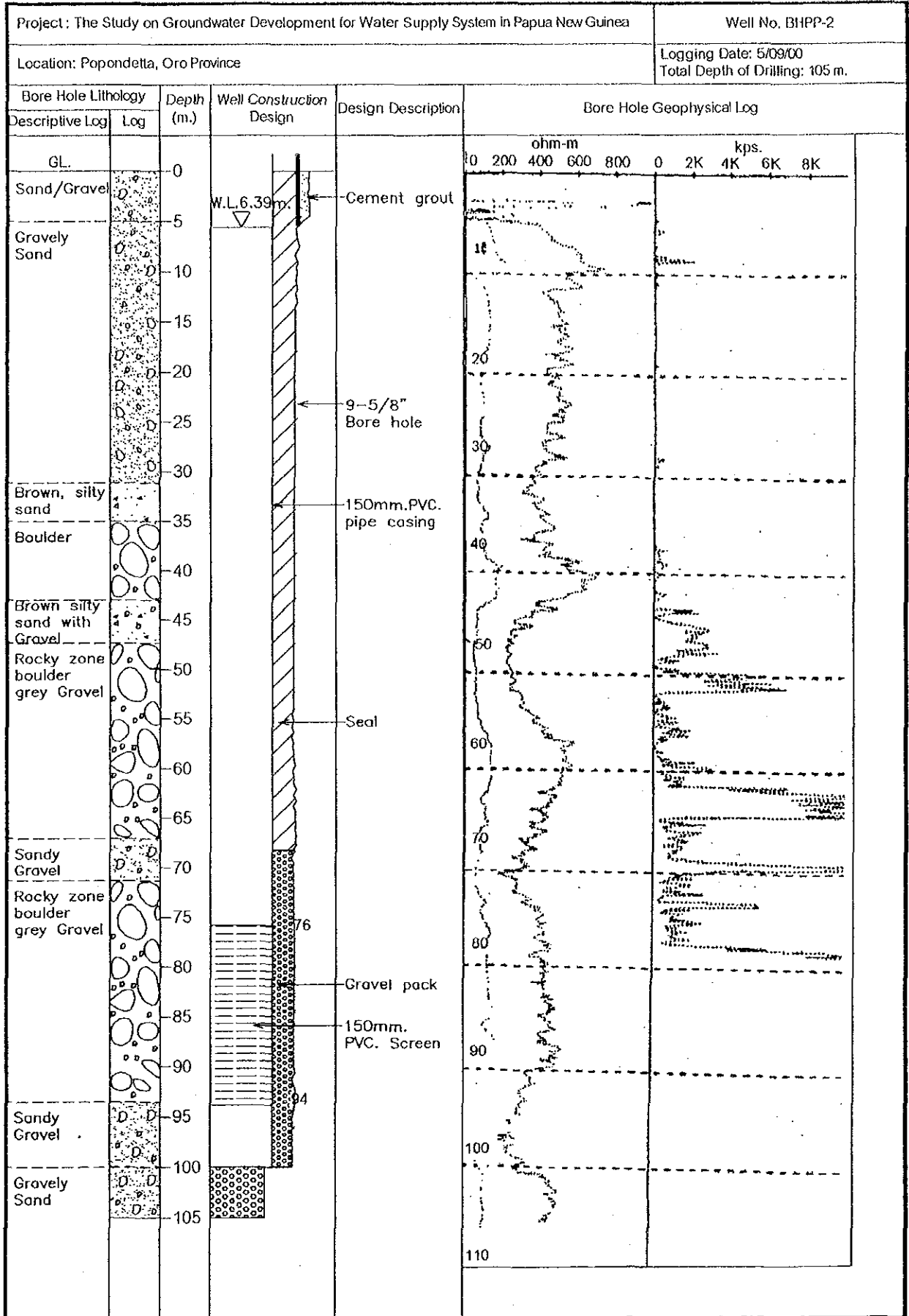
TABLE 1 : SUMMARY OF LOGGING BOREHOLE

Item	Hole No	Location	Depth of Drilling (m)	Depth of Logging (m)	Date of Logging	Remark
1	BHPP-1	Popondetta / Oro	126	126	31/08/00	
2	BHPP-2	"	105	105	05/09/00	
3	DABH-1	Daru / Western	80	45	20/09/00	Probe struck at depth 45 m.
4	DABH-2	"	42	25	25/09/00	Logging when drilled at depth 25 m. (instruction by Client)
5	* KUBH-1	Kupiano / Central	63	60	02/11/00	Probe struck at 60 m.
6	BRBH-1	Bereina / Central	36	32	21/07/00	Probe struck at depth 32 m.
7	KKBH-1	Kwikila / Central	100	72	10/08/00	Probe struck at depth 72 m.
8	KKBH-2	"	44	32	16/08/00	Probe struck at depth 32 m.
9	FIBH-1	Finschfen / Morobe	13	13	29/09/00	(Logging inside casing) = no data
10	MUBH-1	Mutzing / Morobe	73	58	28/09/00	No record (Logging inside casing) = no data
11	ORBH-1	Orabag/Oro				Callaped hole no logging = no data

Remark : - In case probe struck, logging was stoped by instruction of client.

- (*) Borehole was logged by ABEM machine.





Project : The Study on Groundwater Development for Water Supply System in Papua New Guinea				Well No. DABH-1		
Location: Daru, Central Province				Logging Date: 20/09/00 Total Depth of Drilling: 80 m.		
Bore Hole Lithology		Depth (m.)	Well Construction Design	Design Description	Bore Hole Geophysical Log	Remark
Descriptive Log	Log					
GL.		0				GL.
Red, brown, yellow white mottled EW-HW tuffaceous CLAY grading into fresh volcanic tuff to about 15.0m. depth.		4		Cement grout		EW-HW
		8		300mm. Steel surface casing		↓ SW-fresh volcanic tuff
		12				
		16				
		20		14mm. rounded river gravel pack		
		24				
		28		150mm. P.V.C. blank casing		Shallow marine sediments
		32				
		36				
		40				
		44				
Grey and yellow mottled Mudstone with occasional sandstone, siltstone interbeds some shell fragments indicating shallow marine depositional environment.		48				
		52				
		56		150mm. factory slotted P.V.C. screen		
		60				
		64				
		68		150mm. P.V.C. blank sump		Coraline Limestone with Mudstone interbeds.
		72				Shallow marine deposit
		76		Caved-in material settled at bottom		
E.O.H.		80		E.O.H.		

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Project : The Study on Groundwater Development for Water Supply System in Papua New Guinea					Well No. DABH-2			
Location: Daru, Central Province					Logging Date: 25/09/00 Total Depth of Drilling: 42 m.			
Bore Hole Lithology		Depth (m.)	Well Construction Design	Design Description	Bore Hole Geophysical Log			Remark
Descriptive Log	Log				200mV	ohm-m	cps.	
GL.		0						GL.
Brownish lateritic volc. tuff with some Fe&Mn oxide nodules	+	2		Cement grout				EW-HW volcanic tuff
EW-HW tuff	+	4		300mm. Steel surface casing	5			
Grey, yellow mottled mudstone with shell fragments	-	6						Shallow marine sediments
	-	8						
	-	10		14mm. rounded river gravel pack	10			
	?	12						
	?	14		150mm. P.V.C. blank casing	15			
	?	16						
	?	18						
	?	20			20			
	?	22						
	?	24						
	?	26						
	?	28		150mm. factory slotted P.V.C. screen				
	?	30						
	?	32						
	?	34		150mm. P.V.C. blank sump				
	?	36						
	?	38		Caved-in material settled at bottom				
	?	40						
	?	42						No samples recovered due to 100% mud lose.
E.O.H.			E.O.H.					

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Project : The Study on Groundwater Development for Water Supply System in Papua New Guinea				Well No. KUBH-1		
Location: Kuplano, Central Province				Logging Date: 2/10/00 Total Depth of Drilling: 63 m.		
Bore Hole Lithology		Depth (m.)	Well Construction Design	Design Description	Bore Hole Geophysical Log	Remark
Descriptive Log	Log					
CL.		0		Cement grout		
Yellowish-brown Mudstone with siltstone interbeds.		3		300mm. Steel surface casing		
		6		150mm. P.V.C. blank casing		
		9				
		12				
		15				
As above but yellow/blue mottled.		18		14mm. rounded river gravel pack		
		21				
		24				
Bluish grey Mudstone with minor siltstone interbeds.		27		150x4mm. factory slotted P.V.C. screen		
		30				
		33				
		36		150mm. P.V.C. blank sump		
		39				
Bluish grey siltstone with Mudstone interbeds.		42				
		45				
		48				
		51				
Bluish grey Mudstone with siltstone interbeds.		54				
		57		Drill cuttings (Caved-in material)		
		60				
E.O.H.		63	E.O.H.			

Project : The Study on Groundwater Development for Water Supply System in Papua New Guinea					Well No. BRBH-1		
Location: Beraina, Central Province					Logging Date: 2/08/00 Total Depth of Drilling: 36 m.		
Bore Hole Lithology		Depth (m.)	Well Construction Design	Design Description	Bore Hole Geophysical Log		Remark
Descriptive Log	Log				1000mV	ohm-m.	
GL.		0					
Yellowish brown silty Clay		0-2		Cement grout			
Clean well rounded cobble Gravelly coarse sand clean coarse sand rounded		2-12		300mm. surface steel casing			
		6	W.L. 6m.	undisturbed formation			
		10		14mm. rounded river gravel pack			
		12		150mm. factory sloted P.V.C. screen			
		14					
		16					
		18					
		20		150mm. Blank P.V.C. casing			
		22					
		24					
Medium to coarse gravel well rounded, fine sand and silt, overlying by dark bluish stiff clay		12-24					
		26					
		28					
		30					
		32		Drill cutting and covered-in formation			
		34					
		36					
100% Mud loss no sample	?	24-36					
		36	E.O.H.		E.O.H. at 36.0m.		100% Mud loss

Project: The Study on Groundwater Development for Water Supply System in Papua New Guinea				Well No. KKBH-1			
Location: Kwikila, Central Province				Logging Date: 10/08/00 Total Depth of Drilling: 100 m.			
Bore Hole Lithology		Depth (m.)	Well Construction Design	Design Description	Bore Hole Geophysical Log		Remark
Descriptive Log	Log				mV.	ohm-m	
GL.		0	W.L. 2m	250mm. Steel surface casing	0 1000 1 1216 10 20 30 40		
Black stiff CLAY mottled angular cobbly gravel		5		Cement grout Colluvium			
		10					
HW-fresh agglomerate		15					
		20					
		25					
		30					
		35		Uncased open hole			
		40					
Gabbro		45					
		50					
		55					
		60					
		65					
		70					
		75					
		80		Drill cutting and caved-in formation			
		85					
		90					
		95					
E.O.H.		100	E.O.H.				

Project: The Study on Groundwater Development for Water Supply System in Papua New Guinea					Well No. KKBH-2		
Location: , Central Province					Logging Date: 16/08/00 Total Depth of Drilling: 44 m.		
Bore Hole Lithology		Depth (m.)	Well Construction Design	Design Description	Bore Hole Geophysical Log		Remark
Descriptive Log	Log				1000mV	ohm-m	
GL.		0		Cement grout			
Black and brown stiff Clay		0-2		250mm. Steel surface casing			
Well rounded coble, gravel medium to coarse sand		2-4					
Gravelly sand with interbeds of reddish brown clay		4-12		150mm. factory slotted P.V.C. screen			
Greyish brown mottled clay with medium to fine sand some silt		12-22		14mm. rounded river gravel pack			
Brown silty sand		22-32		150mm. Blank P.V.C. casing			
Gabbro		32-44		Drill cutting and caved-in formation material			
E.O.H.		44	E.O.H.				

Project : The Study on Groundwater Development for Water Supply System In Papua New Guinea				Well No. FBH-1		
Location: Finschafen, Morobe Province				Logging Date: 29/06/00 Total Depth of Drilling: 13 m.		
Bore Hole Lithology		Depth (m.)	Well Construction Design	Design Description	Bore Hole Geophysical Log	Remark
Descriptive Log	Log					
GL.		0	Surface			
Over burden						
	++	1		Backfilled to surface		
	++	2				
	++	3				
	++	4		Blank P.V.C. Bentonite seal S.W.L. 4 m.		
	++	5				
	++	6		Gravel pack (3-5mm.)		
	++	7				
	++	8				
	++	9		3m. Stainless steel screen		
	++	10				
	++	11				
	++	12		Blank P.V.C.		
	++	13		Class 18 Bottom cap		
E.O.H.		13	13m. B.G.L.			

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**REPORT ON
GROUNDWATER DEVELOPMENT FOR WATER SUPPLY
SYSTEMS IN PAPUA NEW GUINEA
- POPONDETTA #1 BORE COMPLETION REPORT**

1.0 INTRODUCTION

This report describes the test bore completion details and analysis of pumping test data for Popondetta #1 that was recently installed in the Popondetta district. It is understood the bore was drilled and installed as part of the study on Groundwater Development for Water Supply Systems in Papua New Guinea, which is funded by JICA and being carried out by Japan Techno Co Ltd. Douglas Partners Pty Ltd (DP) were commissioned by New Britain Drillers Ltd (NBD) to prepare this bore completion report.

The pumping test carried out on the bore by NBD included:

- a step drawdown test;
- a 24 hour constant rate test; and
- a water level recovery test.

The pumping test data, supplied by NBD, was analysed with the objective of assessing the long term 'safe' yield for the bore (i.e. Popondetta #1).

DP did not supervise the drilling, construction, or pump testing of this test bore on-site. All information (i.e. bore construction, logging and pump test data) contained in this report was obtained by third parties including NBD and sent to DP. Therefore DP cannot be held responsible for the accuracy of the pump test data or the subsequent analysis contained in this report.

2.0 DRILLING AND BORE CONSTRUCTION

The exploratory drilling and bore construction was undertaken by NBD during the period August 2000 using a Bournedrill THD25 truck-mounted drilling rig.

Test bore Popondetta #1 was drilled initially with a 310 mm diameter hole to 6 m depth and installing 254 mm diameter steel casing (collar pipe). A 244 mm diameter hole was then drilled to 126 m depth using conventional rotary mud drilling techniques. A biodegradable liquid polymer mud was used as drilling fluid to remove the cuttings from the borehole.

The rock cuttings were logged on-site by Jim Devlin of NBD. At completion of drilling a suite of geophysical logs consisting of natural Gamma and Resistivity were run. A composite bore log showing both the lithological and geophysical logs is provided in Appendix A. The geological sequence encountered during the drilling of Popondetta #1 consisted primarily of alluvium and some pumiceous ash deposits to 126 m depth. The deposits comprised a layered sequence of sand, silty sand and sandy gravel material. It was reported a hard layer was intersected at 84 m depth and possibly comprised broken, fractured basalt interlayered with sand.

It is understood Popondetta #1 was completed by installing an in-line string of sump, screen and casing into the bore. Class 12 PVC pipe 150 mm diameter, supplied by Islex (Australia) Pty Ltd, was used as a casing and a sump (6 m long). A 150 mm diameter factory slotted screen, with 0.8 mm aperture and an open surface area of 8%, was installed from 96 m to 114 m depth. A filter pack consisting of 5-10 mm diameter gravel was placed in the annulus between the hole wall and casing/screen. The bore was developed by jetting, chemical treatment, and airlift surging until it produced clean, essentially sand free water. The top section of the annulus between the surface casing and the bore casing was cemented and bentonite sealed to prevent surface contamination from entering the bore.

The construction details provided by NBD for Popondetta #1 are summarised in Table 1 and are shown on the composite bore log in Appendix A.

Table 1: Bore Construction Details – Popondetta #1

Bore No.	Total Depth (mbgL)	Casing Diameter (mm)	Slotted Interval (mbgL)	Gravel Pack (mbgL)	Static Water Level (29/8/00) (mbgL)
Popondetta #1	120	150	96-114	20-126	7.34

Notes: mbgL - metres below ground level

NBD reported the yield whilst airlifting the bore, at the end of the development process, was about 15 L/s.

3.0 PUMPING TESTS AND ANALYSIS

Following completion of Popondetta #1, pumping tests were undertaken to assess the hydraulic parameters of the aquifer and long term yield of the bore. The pumping tests and analysis were carried out in accordance with Australian Standard AS2368-1990¹.

3.1 Pumping Test Set-Up

A Calpeda (4SD15\23, 5.5 kW) multistage, electric submersible pump powered by a 60 kVA generator was used for the step drawdown and constant rate pumping tests. The pump intake was set at 32.5 m below ground level, about 27 m below the standing water level. Flow was controlled by an inline gate valve and was monitored using a 50 mm PMS inline flow meter.

Water level drawdown was manually measured in Popondetta #1 using electric dipmeters.

3.2 Step Drawdown Test

The step test was conducted in order to provide information on bore yield and efficiency in relation to the bore's construction and development. The data was analysed using the Eden and Hazel² method which gives an equation for the bore, enabling drawdown for the chosen flow rate over a given time period to be calculated, viz:

$$S_{wt} = (a + b \log t) Q + cQ^2$$

where:

S_{wt}	=	drawdown of the water table at a given time (t)
Q	=	pumping rate (m ³ /day)
t	=	time in minutes
a, b, c	=	bore constants assessed from the step drawdown data

An assessment of the efficiency of the bore was made using the equation, viz:

$$\text{bore efficiency} = \frac{(a + b \log t) Q}{(a + b \log t) Q + cQ^2} \times 100$$

where:

$(a + b \log t) Q$	=	drawdown due to formation loss
cQ^2	=	drawdown due to bore loss

¹ Standards Australia, 1990. *Test Pumping of Water Wells AS2368-1990*, Published by Standards Assoc. of Australia.

² Eden, R.N. and Hazel, C.P. (1973) "Computer and Graphical Analyses of Variable Discharge Pumping Test of Wells", *Inst. Engrs. Australia, Civil Engng. Trans.* pp 5-10

3.2.1 Popondetta #1 Analysis

A step drawdown test on Popondetta #1 comprising four, two hour steps, was undertaken on 29 August 2000. Prior to commencement of the test, the static water level was measured at 7.34 m below ground level. The step test analysis sheets are given in Appendix B. The pumping rates were progressively increased as follows:

- Step 1 - 126.7 m³/day (1.5 L/s)
- Step 2 - 259.2 m³/day (3.0 L/s)
- Step 3 - 345.6 m³/day (4.0 L/s)
- Step 4 - 540 m³/day (6.25 L/s)

The step drawdown test data is summarised in Table 2.

Table 2: Step Test Analysis

Step	Q (m ³ /day)	Δs (m)	Δs/Q (m/m ³ /day)	S _w (1min) (m)	S _w (1min)/Q (m/m ³ /day)
1	126.7	0.12	9.47 x 10 ⁻⁴	0.55	4.34 x 10 ⁻³
2	259.2	0.34	1.31 x 10 ⁻³	1.56	6.02 x 10 ⁻³
3	345.6	0.34	9.84 x 10 ⁻⁴	2.65	7.67 x 10 ⁻³
4	540.0	0.54	1.00 x 10 ⁻³	5.05	9.35 x 10 ⁻³

By undertaking graphical analysis as shown in Appendix B, values for the bore constants were obtained as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
 a &= 3.2 \times 10^{-3} \\
 b &= 1.06 \times 10^{-3} \\
 c &= 1.125 \times 10^{-5}
 \end{aligned}$$

Based on these, the 'bore equation' for test bore Popondetta #1 is assessed to be:

$$S_{wt} = (3.2 \times 10^{-3} + 1.06 \times 10^{-3} \log t) Q + 1.125 \times 10^{-5}$$

This equation predicts a drawdown of 6.82 m after 24 hours pumping at a rate of 540 m³/day (6.25 L/s) which compares favourably with a measured drawdown of 6.69 m during the 24 hour constant rate pumping test, undertaken at the same time.

Using this scenario, the 'bore equation' indicates that Popondetta #1 is about 50% efficient.

The bore equation indicates that pumping the bore at a constant rate of 2160 m³/day (25 L/s) for ten years will give a drawdown of approximately 75 m, about 82.3 m below ground level (maximum available drawdown is 84.6 m about 92 m below ground level, i.e. recommended pump intake level).

This is considered to be the maximum long term safe yield for this bore based on the step test analysis of the data supplied to DP.

3.3 Constant Rate and Recovery Tests

A constant rate test is undertaken to assess the hydraulic parameters of the aquifer and the presence of boundary conditions which may increase or decrease the rate of drawdown. Boundaries may be in the form of a barrier (impermeable) boundary which will increase the rate of drawdown, or recharge boundaries which would reduce the rate of drawdown. The information, together with the hydraulic parameters, allows a more accurate assessment of the long term 'safe' yield of a bore or borefield.

A 24 hour constant rate pumping test was commenced at 0800 hours on 30 August 2000 and was completed at 0800 hours on 31 August 2000. The bore was pumped continuously at a rate of 540 m³/day (6.25 L/s), and at completion of pumping a water level recovery test was undertaken.

The constant rate drawdown and recovery data by Popondetta #1 were analysed using the "Aquifer Test Version 2.0" software package³.

The constant rate drawdown data was analysed using the Cooper-Jacob straight line analysis and curve matching techniques of the Neuman method for an unconfined aquifer. The recovery data was analysed using the Theis recovery method. Details of these analysis methods are outlined in Kruseman and de Ridder (1991)⁴.

Analysis of the drawdown and recovery data provides an estimate of the hydraulic parameter of aquifer transmissivity. Transmissivity is the coefficient of hydraulic conductivity (permeability) multiplied by the aquifer thickness. The drawdown and recovery analysis sheets for Popondetta #1 are given in Appendix C and a summary of the analysis is provided in Table 3.

Table 3: Summary of Analysis of Pumping Test Data

Bore	Pumping Rate 'Q' (m ³ /day)	SWL (mbgL)	Depth of Screen (mbgL)	Maximum Drawdown (m) During Test	Transmissivity 'T' (m ² /day)	Method of Analysis
Popondetta #1	540 (6.25 L/s)	7.34	96-114	6.69	133 94 143	Cooper/Jacob Neuman Theis Recovery

Note: mbgL – metres below ground level

³ Waterloo Hydrogeologic 1996, "Aquifer Test Version 2.0".

⁴ Kruseman, G.P., and N.A. de Ridder, 1991. *Analysis and Evaluation of Pumping Test Data. Second Edition, ILRI publication 47, Wageningen, The Netherlands.*

The constant rate test data and analysis indicate that the aquifer is unconfined and receives delayed yield as a result of the groundwater extraction. The delayed yield is indicated by a slight flattening of the drawdown curve, refer to Theis – Jacobs analysis plot in Appendix C, towards the end of the test.

The pumping test data indicates that the aquifer has a transmissivity of about 125 m²/day at the drilling site.

No barrier or impermeable boundaries were reflected in the data recorded during the 24 hour constant rate test for Popondetta #1.

4.0 GROUNDWATER QUALITY

A groundwater sample collected during the pumping test was analysed on-site for water electrical conductivity (EC), salinity, pH and temperature with a standard hand held instrument. The results of the field measurements are summarised in Table 4.

Table 4: Results of Field Water Quality Analysis

Date	Analysis			
	pH	EC (μ S/cm)	Salinity (ppk)	Temp ($^{\circ}$ C)
29/8/2000	7.7	30	0.03	25.7

Note: μ S/cm - micro siemens per centimetre
ppk - parts per thousand

The water is of a high quality with respect to EC and hence salinity or total dissolved solids. For comparison, the World Health Organisation (WHO) guidelines for total dissolved solids of 1000 mg/L in drinking water is approximately equal to an EC of 1500 μ S/cm. The pH is slightly alkaline but is well within the WHO guidelines range of 6.5 to 8.5.

5.0 CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The groundwater exploratory drilling program was successful in locating a viable groundwater resource at the location of test bore Popondetta #1. The analysis of the pumping tests indicates the bore has intersected an unconfined aquifer with a transmissivity of about 125 m²/day. Field water quality measurements indicated the water to be fresh with a slightly alkaline pH of 7.7.

The pumping test analysis indicates the long term 'safe' yield of Popondetta #1 is up to 2160 m³/day or 25 L/s. A relatively steady state drawdown of about 75 m, about 82-83 m below ground level, is expected to result from long term pumping at this rate.

It is recommended the pump intake be set at 92 m below ground level to allow for seasonal water level fluctuations, deterioration of bore efficiency and drought conditions. Under no circumstances should the intake of the pump be installed within or close (<2 m) to the slotted screen section (refer composite log in Appendix A) of the bore as this will induce turbulent flow within the bore, thereby decreasing the bore efficiency.

Future pump testing of production bores in this area should be carried out with a pump that is capable of producing 16-20 L/s at least in order to confirm the long term safe (maximum) yields of the bores. Assessing the drawdown with the 'bore equation' (from the step test analysis) for pumping rates 3 times or greater than the test pumping rate (i.e. 6.25 L/s) is difficult and prone to error, especially when the bore efficiency is low.

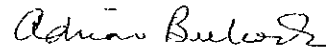
In order to confirm the potential bore yields from this aquifer, future production bores should be constructed with 200 mm diameter (minimum) casing and 10 m of stainless steel screens in order to take full advantage of the potential bore yields. This should increase the bore's efficiency and allow the housing of a pump capable of pumping up to 25 L/s.

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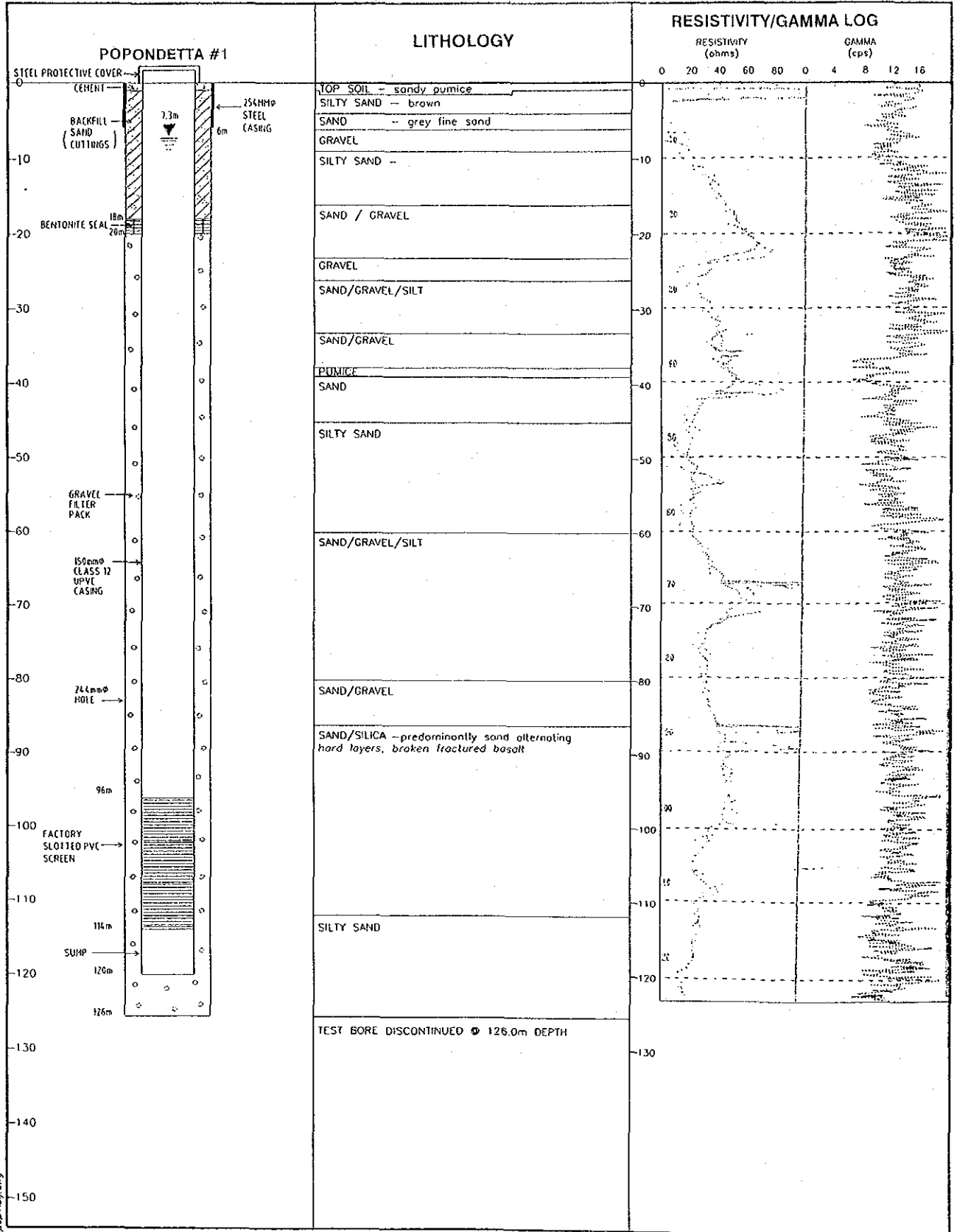


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COMPOSITE BORE LOG OF: TEST BORE POPONDETTA #1



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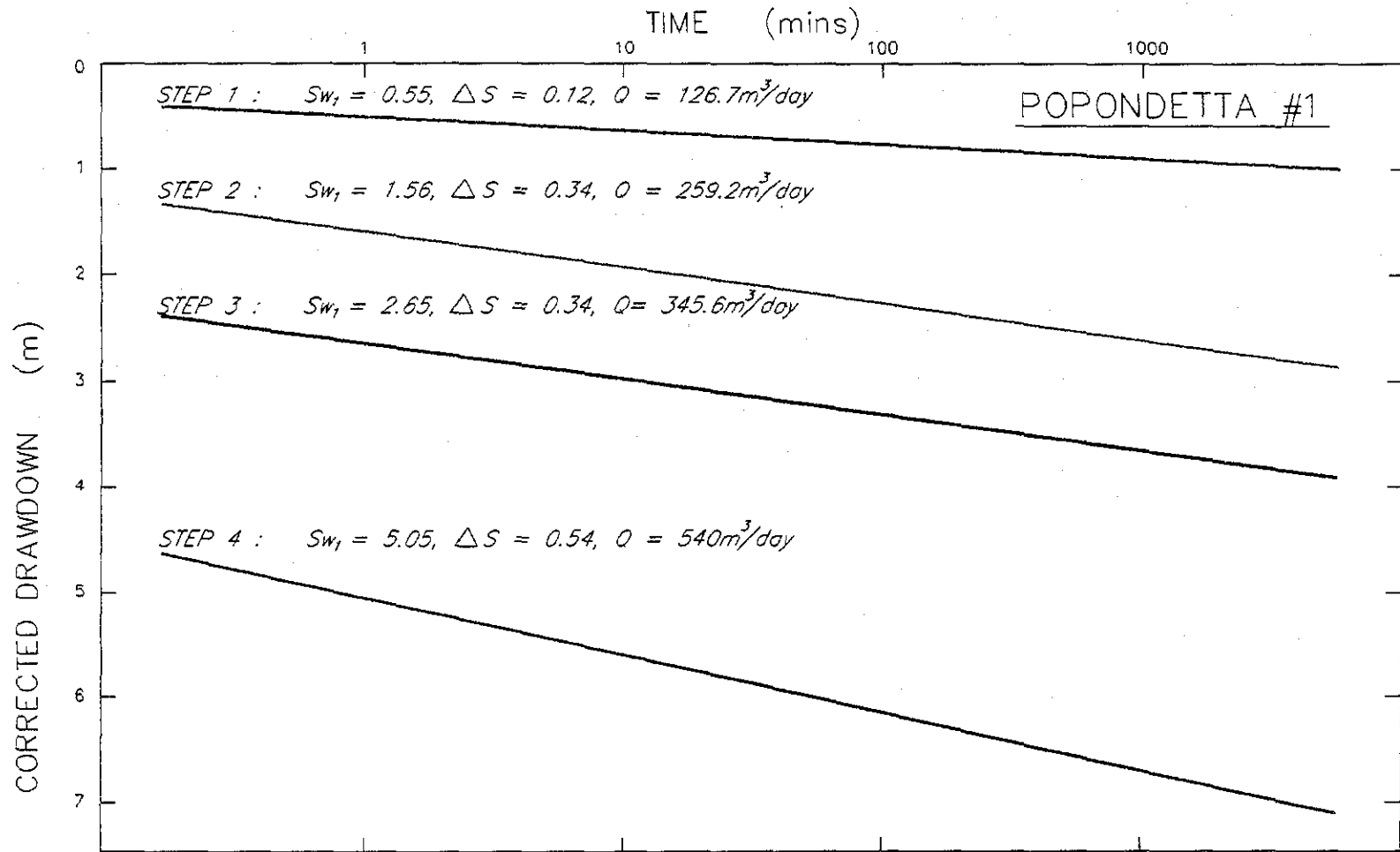
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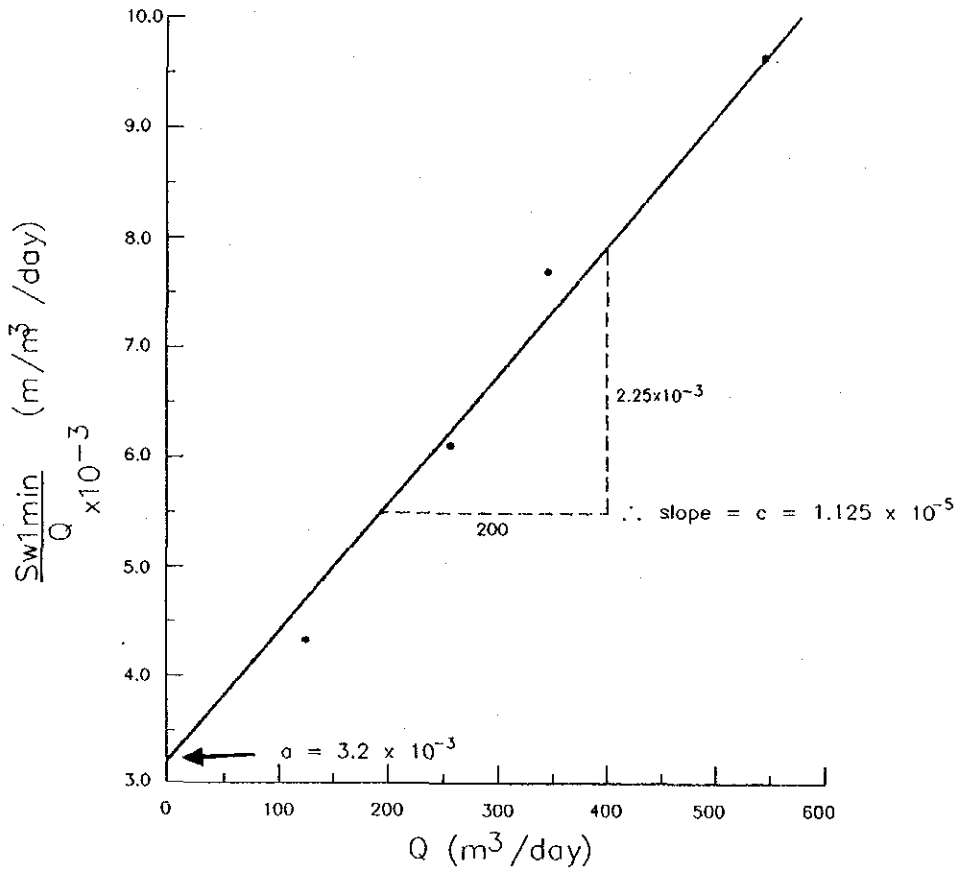
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Since $b = \text{average } \frac{\Delta s}{Q} = 1.06 \times 10^{-3}$

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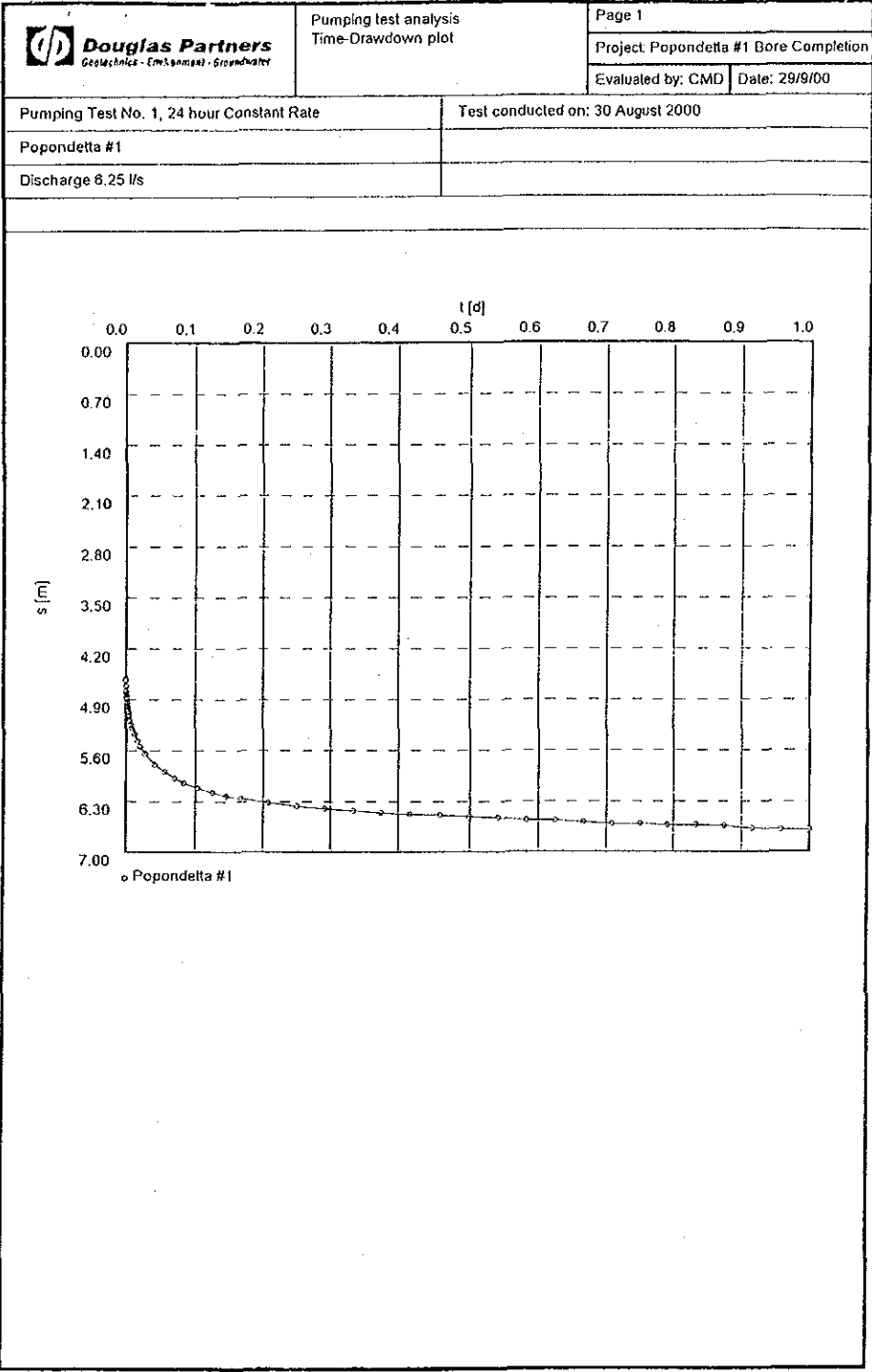
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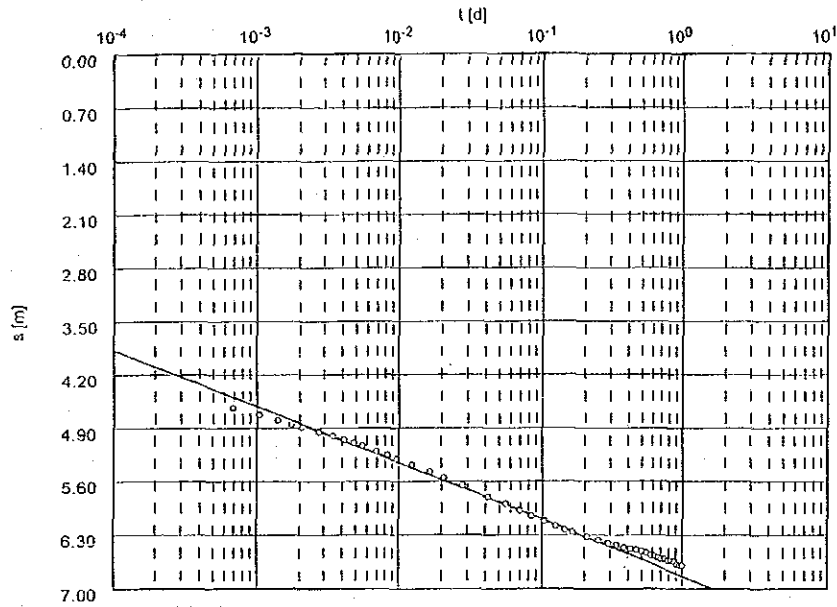
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	Pumping test duration	Water level	Drawdown
	(d)	(m)	(m)
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2	0.00104	12.060	4.720
3	0.00139	12.130	4.790
4	0.00174	12.190	4.850
5	0.00208	12.220	4.880
6	0.00278	12.290	4.950
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17	0.02778	12.990	5.650
18	0.04167	13.140	5.800
19	0.05556	13.230	5.890
20	0.06944	13.320	5.980
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25	0.16667	13.600	6.260
26	0.20833	13.660	6.320
27	0.25000	13.710	6.370
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41	0.83333	13.970	6.630
42	0.87500	13.980	6.640
43	0.91667	14.020	6.680
44	0.95833	14.030	6.690
45	1.00000	14.030	6.690

Pumping Test No. 1, 24 hour Constant Rate

Test conducted on: 30 August 2000

Popondetta #1

Discharge 6.25 l/s



o Popondetta #1

Transmissivity [m²/d]: 1.33 x 10²



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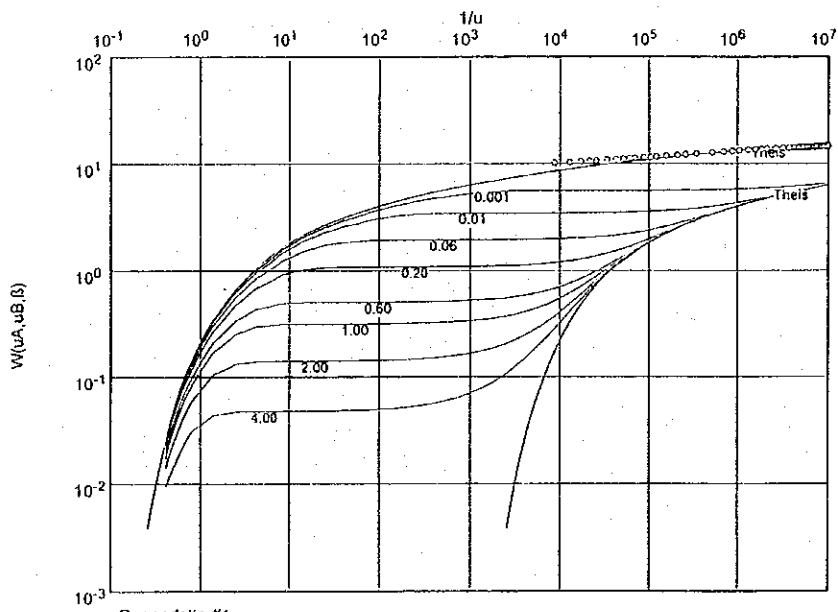
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Discharge 6.25 l/s



Transmissivity [m²/d]: 9.43 x 10¹



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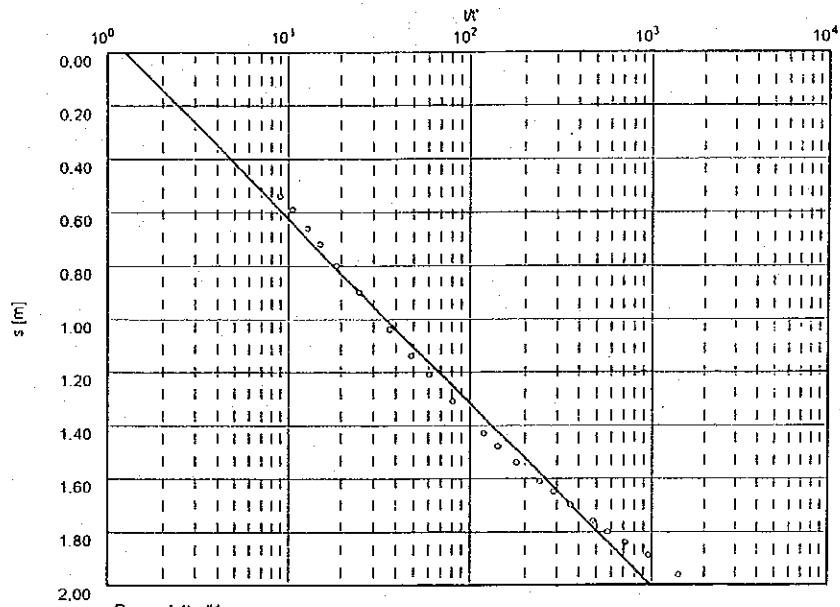
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Popondetta #1

Discharge 6.25 l/s

Pumping test duration: 1.00000 d



◦ Popondetta #1

Transmissivity [m^2/d]: 1.43×10^2

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**REPORT ON
GROUNDWATER DEVELOPMENT FOR WATER SUPPLY
SYSTEMS IN PAPUA NEW GUINEA
- POPONDETTA #2 BORE COMPLETION REPORT**

1.0 INTRODUCTION

This report describes the test bore completion details and analysis of pumping test data for Popondetta #2 that was recently installed in the Popondetta district. It is understood the bore was drilled and installed as part of the study on Groundwater Development for Water Supply Systems in Papua New Guinea, which is funded by JICA and being carried out by Japan Techno Co Ltd. Douglas Partners Pty Ltd (DP) were commissioned by New Britain Drillers Ltd (NBD) to prepare this bore completion report.

The pumping test carried out on the bore by NBD included:

- a step drawdown test;
- a 24 hour constant rate test; and
- a water level recovery test.

The pumping test data, supplied by NBD, was analysed with the objective of assessing the long term 'safe' yield for the bore (i.e. Popondetta #2).

DP did not supervise the drilling, construction, or pump testing of this test bore on-site. All information (i.e. bore construction, logging and pump test data) contained in this report was obtained by third parties including NBD and sent to DP. Therefore DP cannot be held responsible for the accuracy of the pump test data or the subsequent analysis contained in this report.

2.0 DRILLING AND BORE CONSTRUCTION

The exploratory drilling and bore construction was undertaken by NBD during the period August 2000 using a Bournedrill THD25 truck-mounted drilling rig.

Test bore Popondetta #2 was drilled initially with a 310 mm diameter hole to 6 m depth and installing 254 mm diameter steel casing (collar pipe). A 244 mm diameter hole was then drilled to 108 m depth using conventional rotary mud drilling techniques. A biodegradable liquid polymer mud was used as drilling fluid to remove the cuttings from the borehole.

The rock cuttings were logged on-site by Jim Devlin of NBD. At completion of drilling a suite of geophysical logs consisting of natural Gamma and Resistivity were run. A composite bore log showing both the lithological and geophysical logs is provided in Appendix A. The geological sequence encountered during the drilling of Popondetta #2 consisted primarily of alluvial deposits to 108 m depth. The alluvial deposits comprised a layered sequence of basaltic boulders interlayered with sand, gravel, silty sand and sandy gravel material. It was reported a hard layer was intersected between 84 m and 108 m depth and possibly comprised broken, fractured or vuggy basalt interlayered with sand.

It is understood Popondetta #2 was completed by installing an in-line string of sump, screen and casing into the bore. Class 12 PVC pipe, 150 mm diameter, supplied by Islex (Australia) Pty Ltd, was used as a casing and a sump (6 m long). A 150 mm diameter factory slotted screen, with 0.8 mm aperture and an open surface area of 8%, was installed from 76 m to 94 m depth. A filter pack consisting of 5-10 mm diameter gravel was placed in the annulus between the hole wall and casing/screen. The bore was developed by jetting, chemical treatment, and airlift surging until it produced clean, essentially sand free water. The top section of the annulus between the surface casing and the bore casing was cemented and bentonite sealed to prevent surface contamination from entering the bore.

The construction details provided by NBD for Popondetta #2 are summarised in Table 1 and are shown on the composite bore log in Appendix A.

Table 1: Bore Construction Details – Popondetta #2

Bore No.	Total Depth (mbgL)	Casing Diameter (mm)	Slotted Interval (mbgL)	Gravel Pack (mbgL)	Static Water Level (22/8/00) (mbgL)
Popondetta #2	100	150	76-94	60-108	5.55

Notes: mbgL - metres below ground level

NBD reported the yield whilst airlifting the bore, towards the completion of the development process, was about 15 L/s.

3.0 PUMPING TESTS AND ANALYSIS

Following completion of Popondetta #2, pumping tests were undertaken to assess the hydraulic parameters of the aquifer and long term yield of the bore. The pumping tests and analysis were carried out in accordance with Australian Standard AS2368-1990¹.

3.1 Pumping Test Set-Up

A Calpeda (4SD23, 5.5 kW) multistage, electric submersible pump powered by a 60 kVA generator was used for the step drawdown and constant rate pumping tests. The pump intake was set at 32.5 m below ground level, about 27 m below the standing water level. Flow was controlled by an inline gate valve and was monitored using a 50 mm PMS inline flow meter.

Water level drawdown was manually measured in Popondetta #2 using electric dipmeters.

3.2 Step Drawdown Test

The step test was conducted in order to provide information on bore yield and efficiency in relation to the bore's construction and development. The data was analysed using the Eden and Hazel² method which gives an equation for the bore, enabling drawdown for the chosen flow rate over a given time period to be calculated, viz:

$$S_{wt} = (a + b \log t) Q + cQ^2$$

where:

S_{wt}	=	drawdown of the water table at a given time (t)
Q	=	pumping rate (m ³ /day)
t	=	time in minutes
a, b, c	=	bore constants assessed from the step drawdown data

An assessment of the efficiency of the bore was made using the equation, viz:

$$\text{bore efficiency} = \frac{(a + b \log t) Q}{(a + b \log t) Q + cQ^2} \times 100$$

where:

$(a + b \log t) Q$	=	drawdown due to formation loss
cQ^2	=	drawdown due to bore loss

¹ Standards Australia, 1990. *Test Pumping of Water Wells AS2368-1990*, Published by Standards Assoc. of Australia.

² Eden, R.N. and Hazel, C.P. (1973) "Computer and Graphical Analyses of Variable Discharge Pumping Test of Wells", *Inst. Engrs. Australia, Civil Engng. Trans.* pp 5-10

This is considered to be the maximum long term safe yield for this bore based on the step test analysis of the data supplied to DP.

3.3 Constant Rate and Recovery Tests

A constant rate test is undertaken to assess the hydraulic parameters of the aquifer and the presence of boundary conditions which may increase or decrease the rate of drawdown. Boundaries may be in the form of a barrier (impermeable) boundary which will increase the rate of drawdown, or recharge boundaries which would reduce the rate of drawdown. The information, together with the hydraulic parameters, allows a more accurate assessment of the long term 'safe' yield of a bore or borefield.

A 24 hour constant rate pumping test was commenced at 0800 hours on 25 August 2000 and was completed at 0800 hours on 26 August 2000. The bore was pumped continuously at a rate of 540 m³/day (6.25 L/s), and at completion of pumping a water level recovery test was undertaken.

The constant rate drawdown and recovery data by Popondetta #2 were analysed using the "Aquifer Test Version 2.0" software package³.

The constant rate drawdown data was analysed using the Cooper-Jacob straight line analysis and curve matching techniques of the Neuman method for an unconfined aquifer. The recovery data was analysed using the Theis recovery method. Details of these analysis methods are outlined in Kruseman and de Ridder (1991)⁴.

Analysis of the drawdown and recovery data provides an estimate of the hydraulic parameter of aquifer transmissivity. Transmissivity is the coefficient of hydraulic conductivity (permeability) multiplied by the aquifer thickness. The drawdown and recovery analysis sheets for Popondetta #2 are given in Appendix C and a summary of the analysis is provided in Table 3.

Table 3: Summary of Analysis of Pumping Test Data

Bore	Pumping Rate 'Q' (m ³ /day)	SWL (mbgL)	Depth of Screen (mbgL)	Maximum Drawdown (m) During Test	Transmissivity 'T' (m ² /day)	Method of Analysis
Popondetta #2	540 (6.25 L/s)	5.55	76-94	7.39	94 87 100	Cooper/Jacob Neuman Theis Recovery

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The constant rate test data and analysis indicate that the aquifer is unconfined and receives delayed yield as a result of the groundwater extraction. The delayed yield is indicated by a slight flattening of the drawdown curve, refer to Theis – Jacobs analysis plot in Appendix C, towards the end of the test.

The pumping test data indicates that the aquifer has a transmissivity of about 94 m²/day at the drilling site.

No barrier or impermeable boundaries were reflected in the data recorded during the 24 hour constant rate test for Popondetta #2.

4.0 GROUNDWATER QUALITY

A groundwater sample collected during the pumping test was analysed on-site for water electrical conductivity (EC), salinity, pH and temperature with a standard hand held instrument. The results of the field measurements are summarised in Table 4.

Table 4: Results of Field Water Quality Analysis

Date	Analysis			
	pH	EC ($\mu\text{S}/\text{cm}$)	Salinity (ppk)	Temp ($^{\circ}\text{C}$)
29/8/2000	8.0	170	0.07	24.3

Note: $\mu\text{S}/\text{cm}$ - micro siemens per centimetre
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The water is of a high quality with respect to EC and hence salinity or total dissolved solids. For comparison, the World Health Organisation (WHO) guidelines for total dissolved solids of 1000 mg/L in drinking water is approximately equal to an EC of 1500 $\mu\text{S}/\text{cm}$. The pH is slightly alkaline but is well within the WHO guidelines range of 6.5 to 8.5.

5.0 CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The groundwater exploratory drilling program was successful in locating a viable groundwater resource at the location of test bore Popondetta #2. The analysis of the pumping tests indicates the bore has intersected an unconfined aquifer with a transmissivity of about 94 m²/day. Field water quality measurements indicated the water to be fresh with a slightly alkaline pH of 8.0.

The pumping test analysis indicates the long term 'safe' yield of Popondetta #2 is up to 1642 m³/day or 19 L/s. A relatively steady state drawdown of about 53 m, about 59 m below ground level, is expected to result from long term pumping at this rate.

It is recommended the pump intake be set at 72 m below ground level to allow for seasonal water level fluctuations, deterioration of bore efficiency and drought conditions. Under no circumstances should the intake of the pump be installed within or close (<2 m) to the slotted screen section (refer composite log in Appendix A) of the bore as this will induce turbulent flow within the bore, thereby decreasing the bore efficiency.

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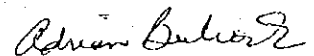
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3.2.1 Popondetta #2 Analysis

A step drawdown test on Popondetta #2 comprising four, two hour steps, was undertaken on 22 August 2000. Prior to commencement of the test, the static water level was measured at 5.55 m below ground level (6.35 m below top of casing). The step test analysis sheets are given in Appendix B. The pumping rates were progressively increased as follows:

Step 1 -	172.8 m ³ /day (2.0 L/s)
Step 2 -	259.2 m ³ /day (3.0 L/s)
Step 3 -	345.6 m ³ /day (4.0 L/s)
Step 4 -	540 m ³ /day (6.25 L/s)

The step drawdown test data is summarised in Table 2.

Table 2: Step Test Analysis

Step	Q (m ³ /day)	Δs (m)	Δs/Q (m/m ³ /day)	S _w (1min) (m)	S _w (1min)/Q (m/m ³ /day)
1	172.8	0.17	9.84 x 10 ⁻⁴	0.91	5.27 x 10 ⁻³
2	259.2	0.33	1.27 x 10 ⁻³	1.91	7.37 x 10 ⁻³
3	345.6	0.41	1.19 x 10 ⁻³	3.14	9.09 x 10 ⁻³
4	540.0	0.65	1.20 x 10 ⁻³	5.53	1.02 x 10 ⁻²

By undertaking graphical analysis as shown in Appendix B, values for the bore constants were obtained as follows:

$$\begin{aligned}
 a &= 3.5 \times 10^{-3} \\
 b &= 1.16 \times 10^{-3} \\
 c &= 1.29 \times 10^{-5}
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Based on these, the 'bore equation' for test bore Popondetta #2 is assessed to be:

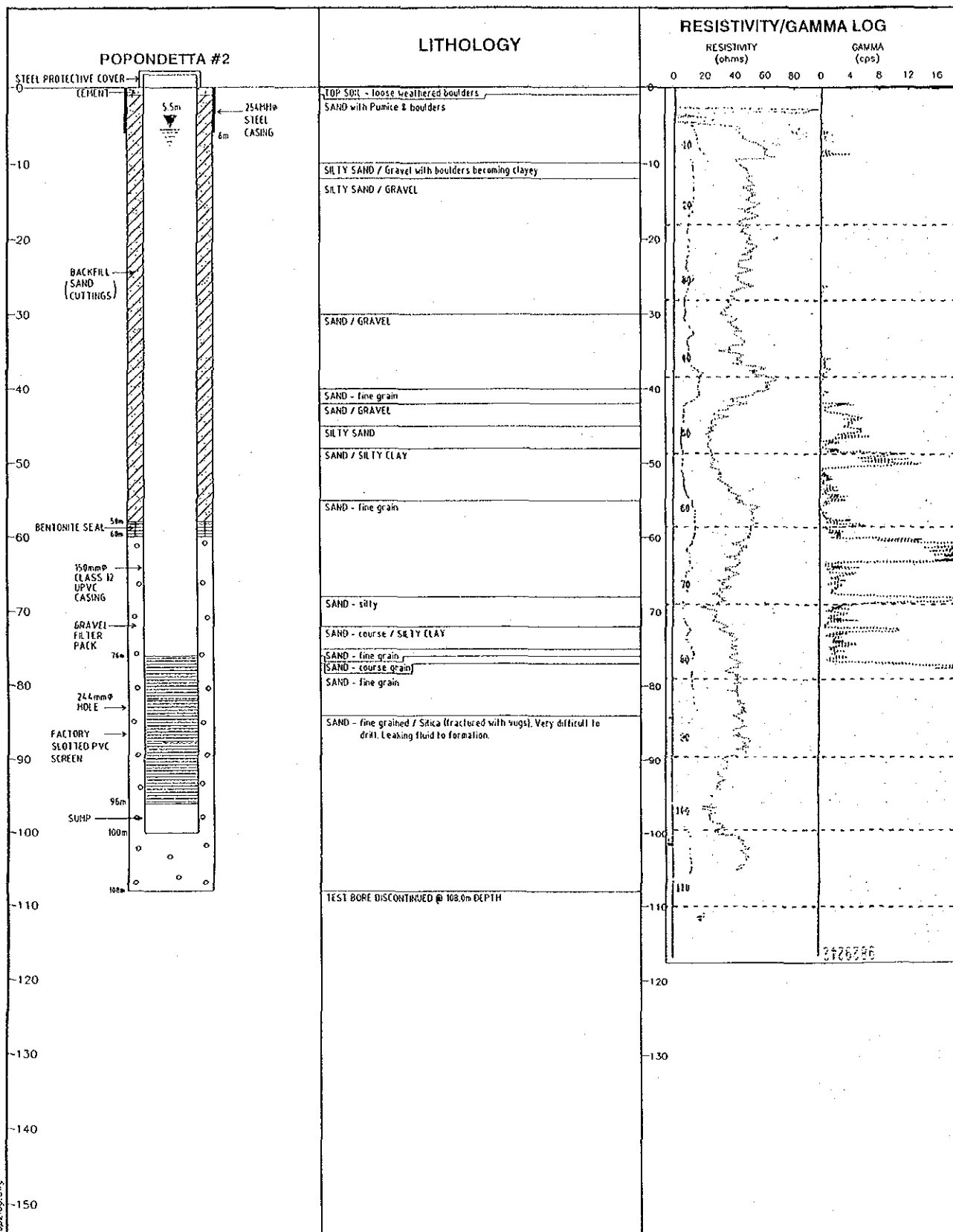
$$S_w = (3.5 \times 10^{-3} + 1.16 \times 10^{-3} \log t) Q + 1.29 \times 10^{-5}$$

This equation predicts a drawdown of 7.63 m after 24 hours pumping at a rate of 540 m³/day (6.25 L/s) which compares favourably with a measured drawdown of 7.39 m during the 24 hour constant rate pumping test, undertaken at the same time.

Using this scenario, the 'bore equation' indicates that Popondetta #2 is about 51% efficient.

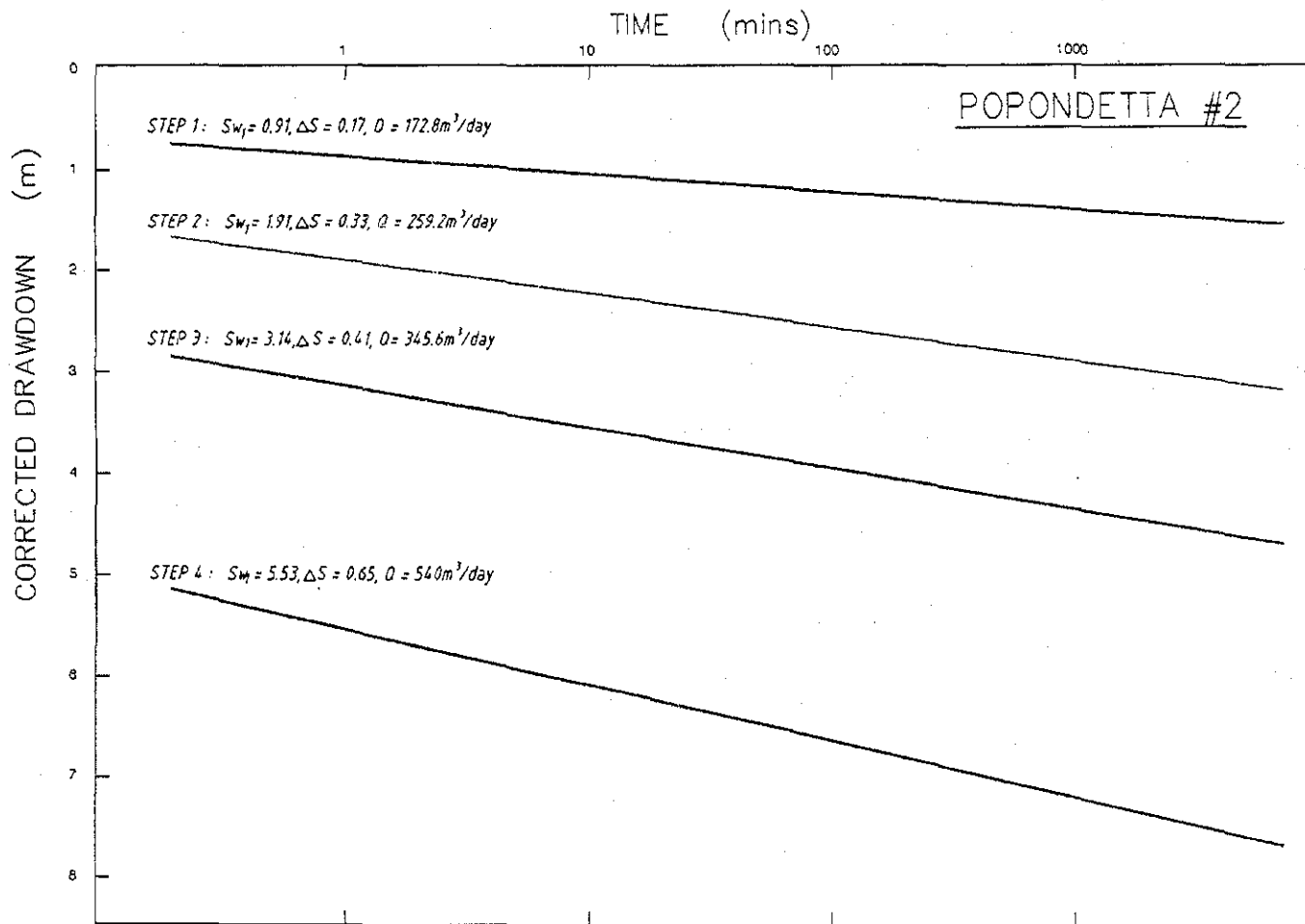
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COMPOSITE BORE LOG OF: TEST BORE POPONDETTA #2





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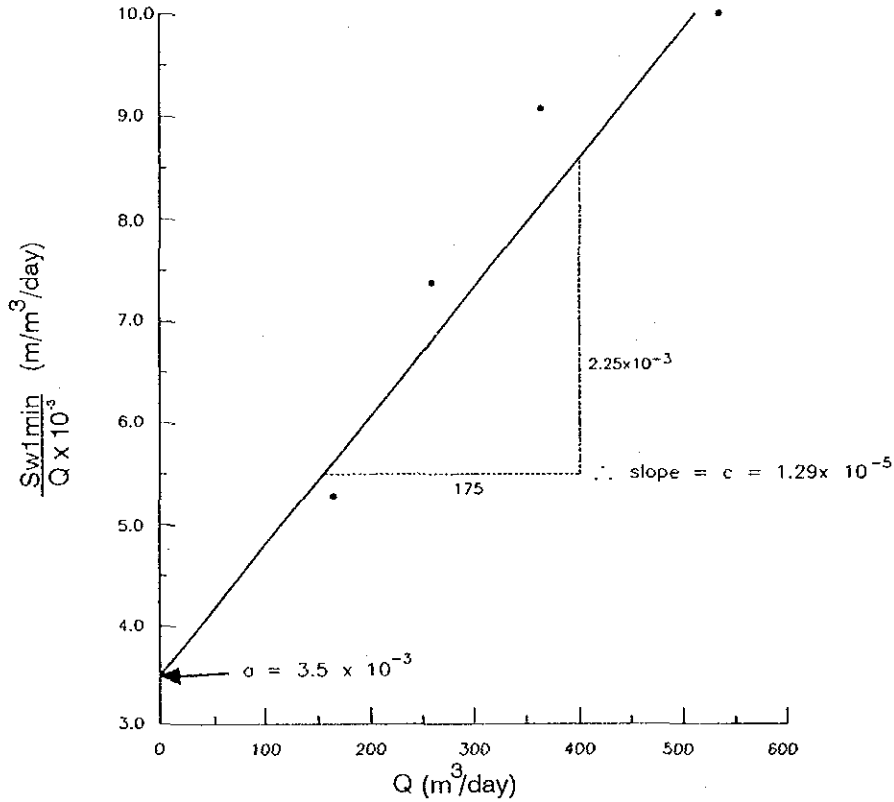
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Since $b = \text{average } \frac{\Delta S}{Q} = 1.16 \times 10^{-3}$

∴ Bore Equation is :

$$S_{w1} = (3.5 \times 10^{-3} + 1.16 \times 10^{-3} \log t) Q + 1.29 \times 10^{-5} Q^2$$

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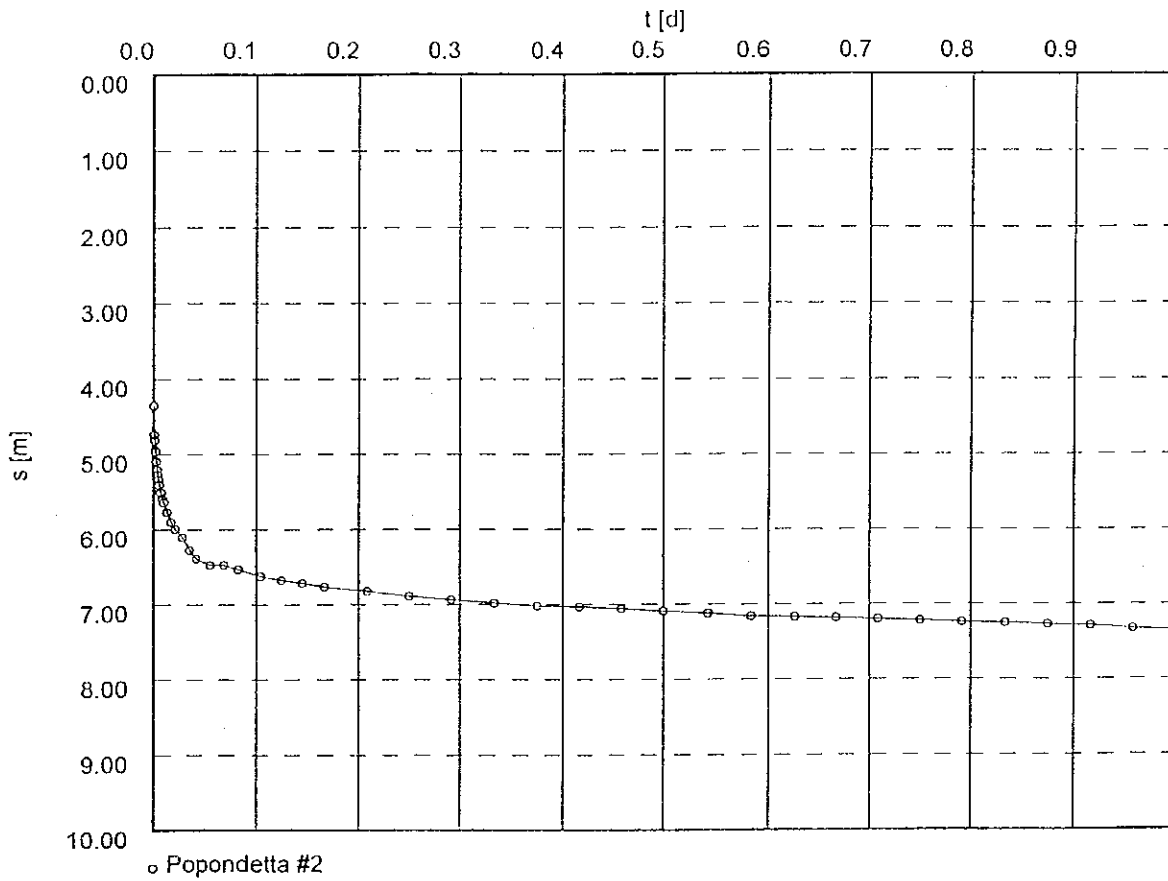


Pumping Test No. 1, 24 hour Constant Rate

Test conducted on: 25 August 2000

Popondetta #2

Discharge 6.25 l/s





Pumping Test No. 1, 24 hour Constant Rate

Test conducted on: 25 August 2000

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Discharge 6.25 l/s

Distance from the pumping well 0.010 m

Static water level: 6.390 m below datum

	Pumping test duration	Water level	Drawdown
	[d]	[m]	[m]
1	0.00069	10.740	4.350
2	0.00104	11.120	4.730
3	0.00139	11.200	4.810
4	0.00174	11.320	4.930
5	0.00208	11.350	4.960
6	0.00278	11.480	5.090
7	0.00347	11.590	5.200
8	0.00417	11.660	5.270
9	0.00486	11.730	5.340
10	0.00556	11.790	5.400
11	0.00694	11.900	5.510
12	0.00833	11.990	5.600
13	0.00972	12.030	5.640
14	0.01250	12.160	5.770
15	0.01667	12.290	5.900
16	0.02083	12.380	5.990
17	0.02778	12.490	6.100
18	0.03472	12.660	6.270
19	0.04167	12.770	6.380
20	0.05556	12.860	6.470
21	0.06944	12.860	6.470
22	0.08333	12.920	6.530
23	0.10417	13.010	6.620
24	0.12500	13.060	6.670
25	0.14583	13.100	6.710
26	0.16667	13.150	6.760
27	0.20833	13.210	6.820
28	0.25000	13.280	6.890
29	0.29167	13.320	6.930
30	0.33333	13.370	6.980
31	0.37500	13.410	7.020
32	0.41667	13.420	7.030
33	0.45833	13.450	7.060
34	0.50000	13.480	7.090
35	0.54167	13.510	7.120
36	0.58333	13.550	7.160
37	0.62500	13.560	7.170
38	0.66667	13.570	7.180
39	0.70833	13.590	7.200
40	0.75000	13.610	7.220
41	0.79167	13.630	7.240
42	0.83333	13.640	7.250
43	0.87500	13.660	7.270
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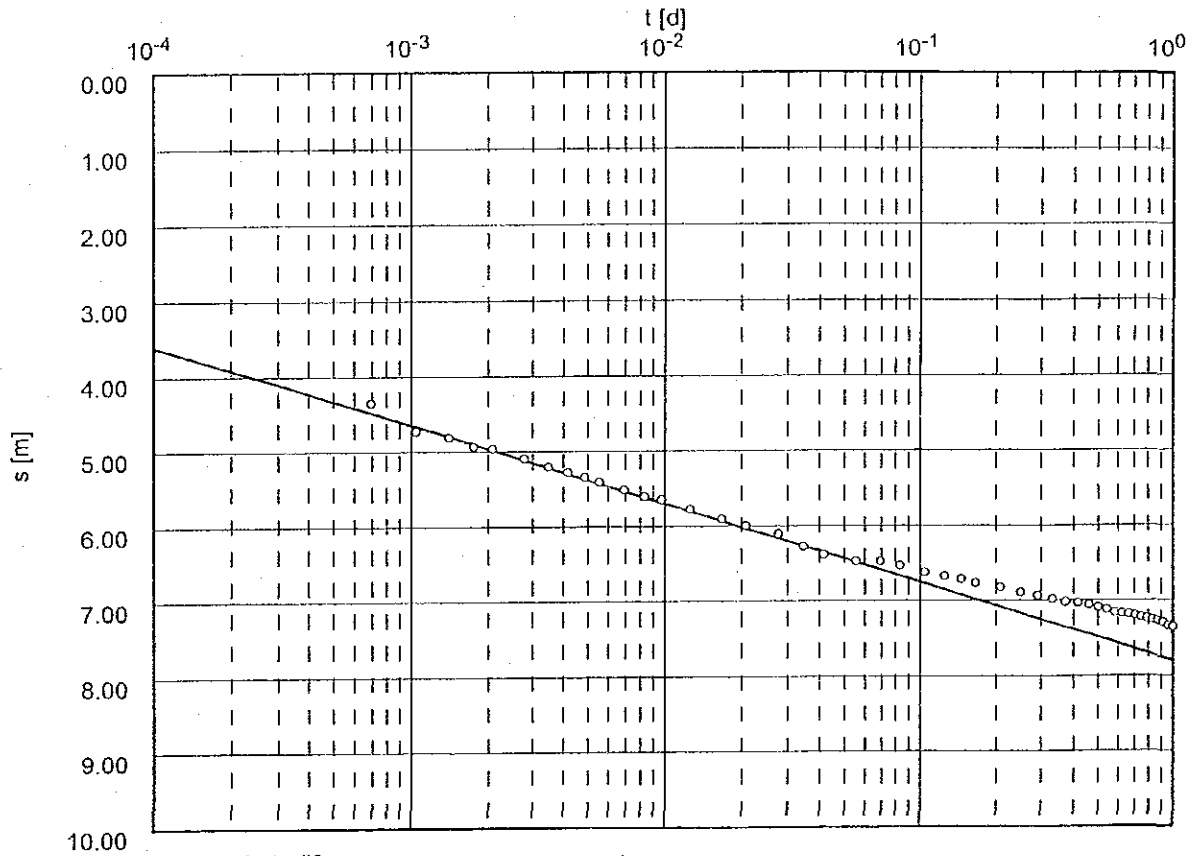


Pumping Test No. 1, 24 hour Constant Rate

Test conducted on: 25 August 2000

Popondetta #2

Discharge 6.25 l/s



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Transmissivity [m²/d]: 9.40×10^1

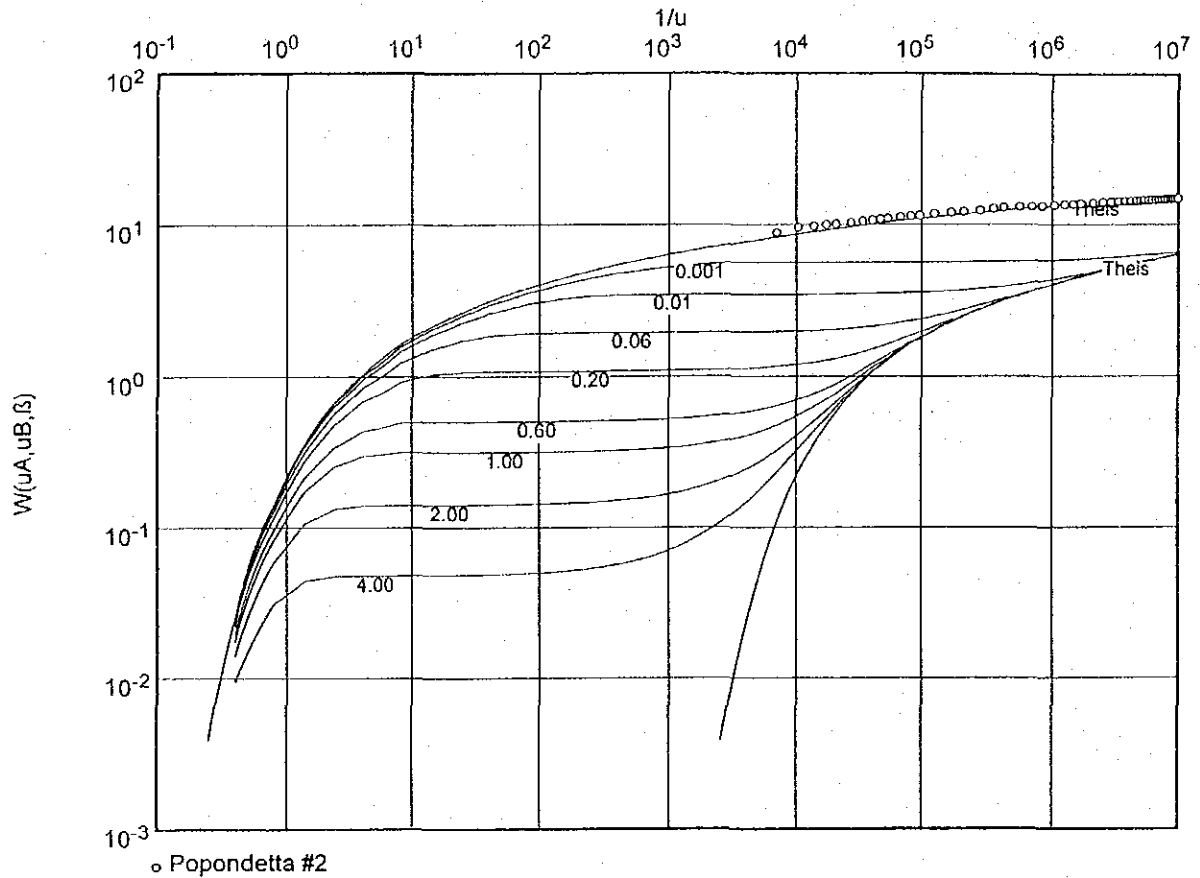


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Test conducted on: 25 August 2000

Popondetta #2

Discharge 6.25 l/s



Transmissivity [m²/d]: 8.71×10^1



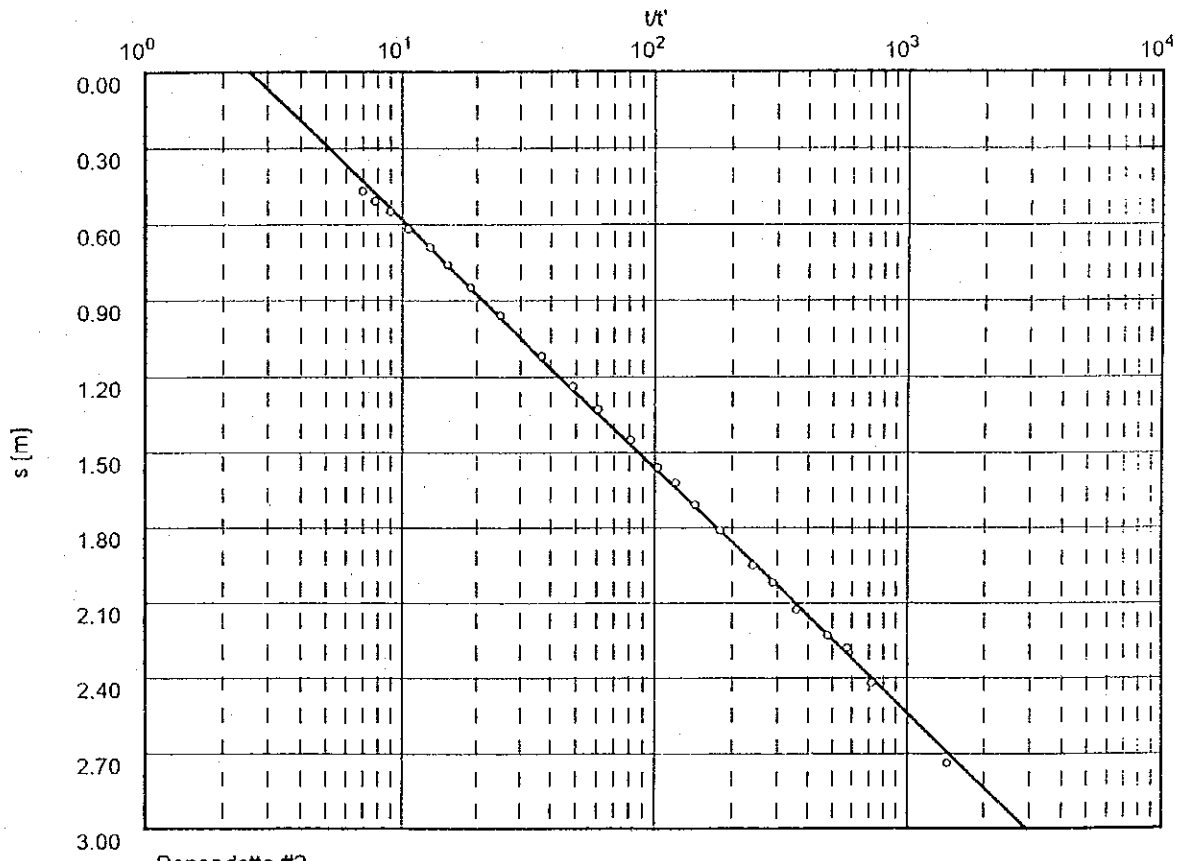
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Discharge 6.25 l/s

Pumping test duration: 1.00000 d



Transmissivity [m^2/d]: 1.00×10^2

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**REPORT ON
GROUNDWATER DEVELOPMENT FOR WATER SUPPLY
SYSTEMS IN PAPUA NEW GUINEA
- FINSCHHAFEN #2**

1.0 INTRODUCTION

This report describes the test bore completion details and analysis of pumping test data for Finschhafen #2 that was recently installed in the primary school yard in the Finschhafen district. It is understood the bore was drilled and installed as part of the study on Groundwater Development for Water Supply Systems in Papua New Guinea, which is funded by JICA and being carried out by Japan Techno Co Ltd. Douglas Partners Pty Ltd (DP) were commissioned by New Britain Drillers Ltd (NBD) to prepare this bore completion report.

The pumping test carried out on the bore by NBD included:

- a step drawdown test;
- a 24 hour constant rate test; and
- a water level recovery test.

The pumping test data, supplied by NBD, was analysed with the objective of assessing the long term 'safe' yield for the bore (i.e. Finschhafen #2).

DP did not supervise the drilling, construction, or pump testing of this test bore on-site. All information (i.e. bore construction, logging and pump test data) contained in this report was obtained by third parties including NBD and sent to DP. Therefore DP cannot be held responsible for the accuracy of the pump test data or the subsequent analysis contained in this report.

2.0 DRILLING AND BORE CONSTRUCTION

The exploratory drilling and bore construction was undertaken by NBD during the month of October 2000 using a Bournedrill THD25 truck-mounted drilling rig.

Test bore Finschhafen #2 was drilled initially with a 310 mm diameter hole to 6 m depth and installing 254 mm diameter steel casing (collar pipe). A 244 mm diameter hole was then drilled to 37 m depth using conventional rotary mud drilling techniques. As circulation loss was encountered whilst drilling, 203 mm (eight inch) diameter steel casing was required to be installed to 34 m in order to stabilise the borehole. Once the test bore had been installed this casing was removed. A biodegradable liquid polymer mud was used as drilling fluid to remove the cuttings from the borehole.

The rock cuttings were logged on-site by Jim Devlin of NBD. At completion of drilling a suite of geophysical logs consisting of natural Gamma and Resistivity were run, but were reported by NBD to be unsuccessful due to equipment failure. A composite bore log showing the lithological log is provided in Appendix A. The geological sequence encountered during the drilling of Finschhafen #2 consisted of brown coronous limestone and tuff to 6 m depth, underlain by grey coronous limestone with some silt to 28 m depth, which in turn is underlain by white coronous gravel and sand to the total depth drilled.

Finschhafen #2 was completed by installing an in-line string of screen and casing into the bore. Steel ultrapipe 152 mm (six inch) diameter nominal bore casing, 6.4 mm wall thickness, supplied by Tubemakers Australia Pty Ltd was used as the casing. A 152 mm diameter stainless steel screen, with 0.8 mm aperture and an open surface area of 20%, was installed from 30 m to 36 m depth. A filter pack consisting of 5-10 mm diameter gravel was placed in the annulus between the hole wall and casing/screen. The bore was developed by jetting, chemical treatment and airlift surging until it produced clean, essentially sand free water. The top section of the annulus between the surface casing and the bore casing was cemented and bentonite sealed to prevent surface contamination from entering the bore.

The construction details provided by NBD for Finschhafen #2 are summarised in Table 1 and are shown on the composite bore log in Appendix A.

Table 1: Bore Construction Details

Bore No.	Total Depth (mbgL)	Casing Diameter (mm)	Screen Interval (mbgL)	Gravel Pack (mbgL)	Static Water Level (29/8/00) (mbgL)
Finschhafen #2	36.2	152	30-36	10-37	5.90

NBD reported the yield whilst airlifting the bore, at the end of the development process, was about 15 L/s. This is considered to be the limit of the air compressor on the drilling rig airlifting from within a 152 mm (six inch) diameter bore casing, rather than a limit of the bore's yield.

3.0 PUMPING TESTS AND ANALYSIS

Following completion of Finschhafen #2, pumping tests were undertaken to assess the hydraulic parameters of the aquifer and long term yield of the bore. The pumping tests and analysis were carried out in accordance with Australian Standard AS2368-1990¹.

3.1 Pumping Test Set-Up

A Calpeda (4SD15\23, 5.5 kW) multistage, electric submersible pump powered by a 60 kVA generator was used for the step drawdown and constant rate pumping tests. The pump intake was set at 26.5 m below ground level, about 20 m below the standing water level. Flow was controlled by an in-line gate valve and was monitored using a 50 mm PMS in-line flow meter.

Water level drawdown was manually measured in Finschhafen #2 using electric dipmeters.

3.2 Step Drawdown Test

The step test was conducted in order to provide information on bore yield and efficiency in relation to the bore's construction and development. The data was analysed using the Eden and Hazel² method which gives an equation for the bore, enabling drawdown for the chosen flow rate over a given time period to be calculated, viz:

$$S_{wt} = (a + b \log t) Q + cQ^2$$

where:

S_{wt}	=	drawdown of the water table at a given time (t)
Q	=	pumping rate (m ³ /day)
t	=	time in minutes
a, b, c	=	bore constants assessed from the step drawdown data

An assessment of the efficiency of the bore was made using the equation, viz:

$$\text{bore efficiency} = \frac{(a + b \log t) Q}{(a + b \log t) Q + cQ^2} \times 100$$

¹ Standards Australia, 1990. *Test Pumping of Water Wells AS2368-1990*, Published by Standards Assoc. of Australia.

² Eden, R.N. and Hazel, C.P. (1973) "Computer and Graphical Analyses of Variable Discharge Pumping Test of Wells", *Inst. Engrs. Australia, Civil Engng. Trans.* Pp 5-10

where:

$$(a + b \log t) Q = \text{drawdown due to formation loss}$$
$$cQ^2 = \text{drawdown due to bore loss}$$

3.2.1 Finschhafen #2

A step drawdown test on Finschhafen #2 comprising four, two hour steps, was undertaken on 8 October 2000. Prior to commencement of the test, the static water level was measured at 6.90 m below top of casing which was 5.90 m below ground level. The step test drawdown versus time plot and step test data is given in Appendix B. The pumping rates were progressively increased as follows:

Step 1 -	172.8 m ³ /day (2.0 L/s)
Step 2 -	259.2 m ³ /day (3.0 L/s)
Step 3 -	345.6 m ³ /day (4.0 L/s)
Step 4 -	540 m ³ /day (6.25 L/s)

A step test analysis was not able to be carried out on the data provided due to the lack of drawdown observed whilst pumping at the rates mentioned above. The data shows rising water levels throughout steps 1, 2, 3 and 4 suggesting the variation in water levels was mainly due to tidal variations and ongoing bore development instead of the pumping. The maximum drawdown observed throughout the step drawdown test was 0.06 m during step 2.

3.3 Constant Rate and Recovery Tests

A constant rate test is undertaken to assess the hydraulic parameters of the aquifer and the presence of boundary conditions which may increase or decrease the rate of drawdown. Boundaries may be in the form of a barrier (impermeable) boundary which will increase the rate of drawdown, or recharge boundaries which would reduce the rate of drawdown. The information, together with the hydraulic parameters, allows a more accurate assessment of the long term 'safe' yield of a bore or borefield.

A 24 hour constant rate pumping test was commenced at 0800 hours on 9 October 2000 and was completed at 0800 hours on 10 October 2000. Prior to commencement of the test the static water level was measured at 7.05 m below top of casing or 6.05 m below ground level. The bore was pumped continuously at a rate of 540 m³/day (6.25 L/s), and at completion of pumping a water level recovery test was undertaken.

The constant rate drawdown and recovery data for Finschhafen #2 were attempted to be analysed using the "Aquifer Test Version 2.0" software package³. The data and drawdown versus time plots are given in Appendix C.

³ Waterloo Hydrogeologic 1996, "Aquifer Test Version 2.0".

Pumping the bore at a rate of 540 m³/day (6.25 L/s) caused an insufficient drawdown of the static water level for the data to be analysed with the industry accepted methods. As such, no analysis of the constant rate or the recovery data to obtain the aquifer's hydraulic parameters could be carried out.

The constant rate and recovery test data showed the maximum drawdown throughout the test was 0.19 m indicating the aquifer intersected by the bore has a very high permeability or transmissivity. The water level was observed to rise and fall over a range of 0.23 m, reflecting the tidal variations in the nearby ocean. It is understood the bore is approximately 600 m from the coastline.

The maximum drawdown of 0.19 m was recorded at the end of the test which coincided with low tide. The water level recovered during the recovery test to only 7.19 m or by 0.05 m, suggesting the drawdown due to pumping was only 0.05 m.

In conclusion, no barrier or impermeable boundaries were able to be observed in the data recorded during the 24 hour constant rate test for Finschhafen #2. However, the data indicated the bore is affected by tidal influences.

4.0 GROUNDWATER QUALITY

A groundwater sample collected during the pumping test was analysed on-site for water electrical conductivity (EC), salinity, pH and temperature with a standard hand held instrument. The results of the field measurements are summarised in Table 2.

Table 2: Results of Field Water Quality Analysis

Date	Analysis			
	pH	EC ($\mu\text{S}/\text{cm}$)	Salinity (ppk)	Temp ($^{\circ}\text{C}$)
29/8/00	7.9	190	0.06	24.3

Note: $\mu\text{S}/\text{cm}$ - micro siemens per centimetre
ppk - parts per thousand

The water is of a high quality with respect to EC and hence salinity or total dissolved solids. For comparison, the World Health Organisation (WHO) guidelines for total dissolved solids of 1000 mg/L in drinking water is approximately equal to an EC of 1500 $\mu\text{S}/\text{cm}$. The pH is slightly alkaline (at 7.9) due to the carbonate nature of the aquifer matrix but is well within the WHO guidelines range of 6.5 to 8.5.

5.0 CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The groundwater exploratory drilling program was successful in locating a viable groundwater resource at the location of test bore Finschhafen #2. The pumping tests indicate the bore has intersected an aquifer with a very high transmissivity. Field water quality measurements indicated the water to be fresh and slightly alkaline (pH of 7.9).

The pumping test data for Finschhafen #2 was unable to be analysed due to tidal influences and insufficient drawdown achieved by pumping the bore at 540 m³/day or 6.25 L/s. As a result of this it is impossible to recommend a long term 'safe' yield for this test bore without another pumping test being undertaken at a greater extraction rate. Pumping rates of 3500-4320 m³/day or 40-50 L/s may be sustainable but cannot be confirmed without the additional pump testing.

It is recommended the pump intake for this bore be set at 27 m below ground level. Under no circumstances should the intake of the pump be installed within or close (<1 m) to the stainless steel screen section (refer composite log in Appendix A) of the bore as this will induce turbulent flow within the bore, thereby decreasing the bore efficiency.

Future pump testing of this test bore and future production bores in this area should be carried out with a pump that is capable of producing 25-30 L/s at least in order to confirm the long term safe (maximum) yields of the bores.

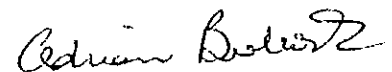
To confirm the potential bore yields from this aquifer, future production bores should be constructed with 200 mm diameter (minimum) casing and 6 m of stainless steel screens in order to take full advantage of the potential bore yields. This should increase the bore's efficiency and allow the housing of a pump capable of pumping 40-50 L/s. As the test bore Finschhafen #2 is in close proximity to the coast and is affected by tidal fluctuations, it is recommended any future groundwater resource investigation comprises an assessment of the potential for salt water intrusion.

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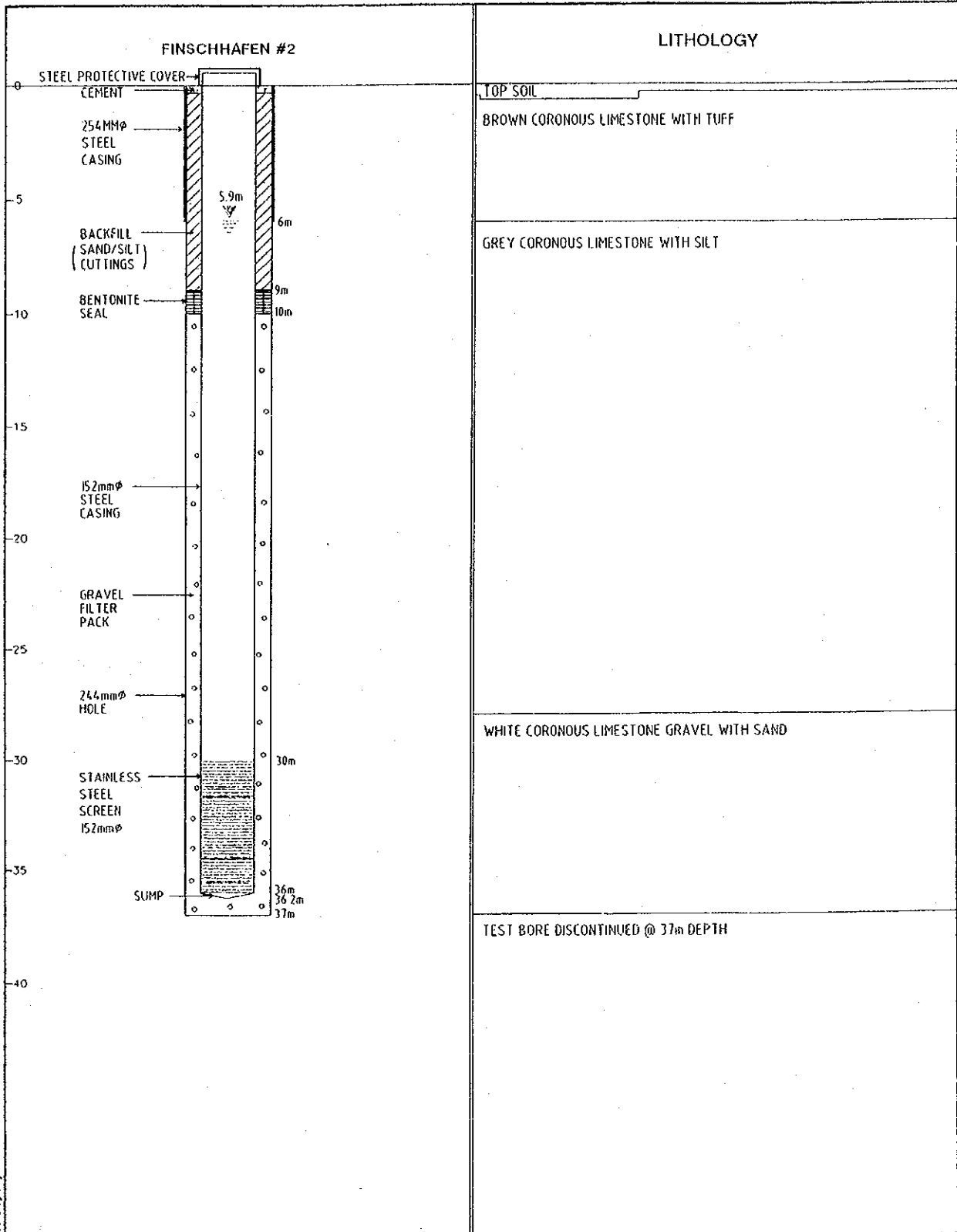


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**COMPOSITE BORE LOG OF:
TEST BORE FINSCHHAFEN #2**



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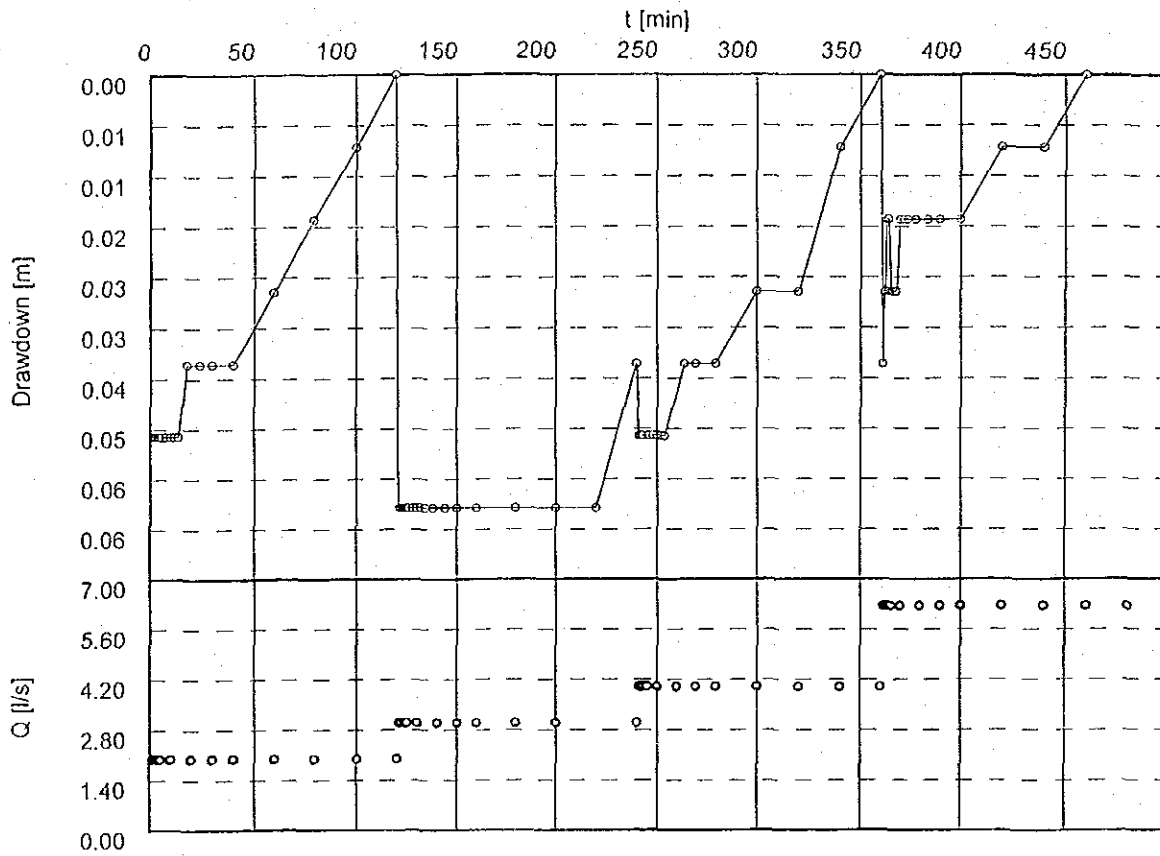
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Pumping Test No. Step Drawdown Test

Test conducted on: 8 October 2000

Finschhafen #2



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Pumping Test No. Step Drawdown Test

Test conducted on: 8 October 2000

Finschhafen #2

Finschhafen #2

Static water level: 6.900 m below datum

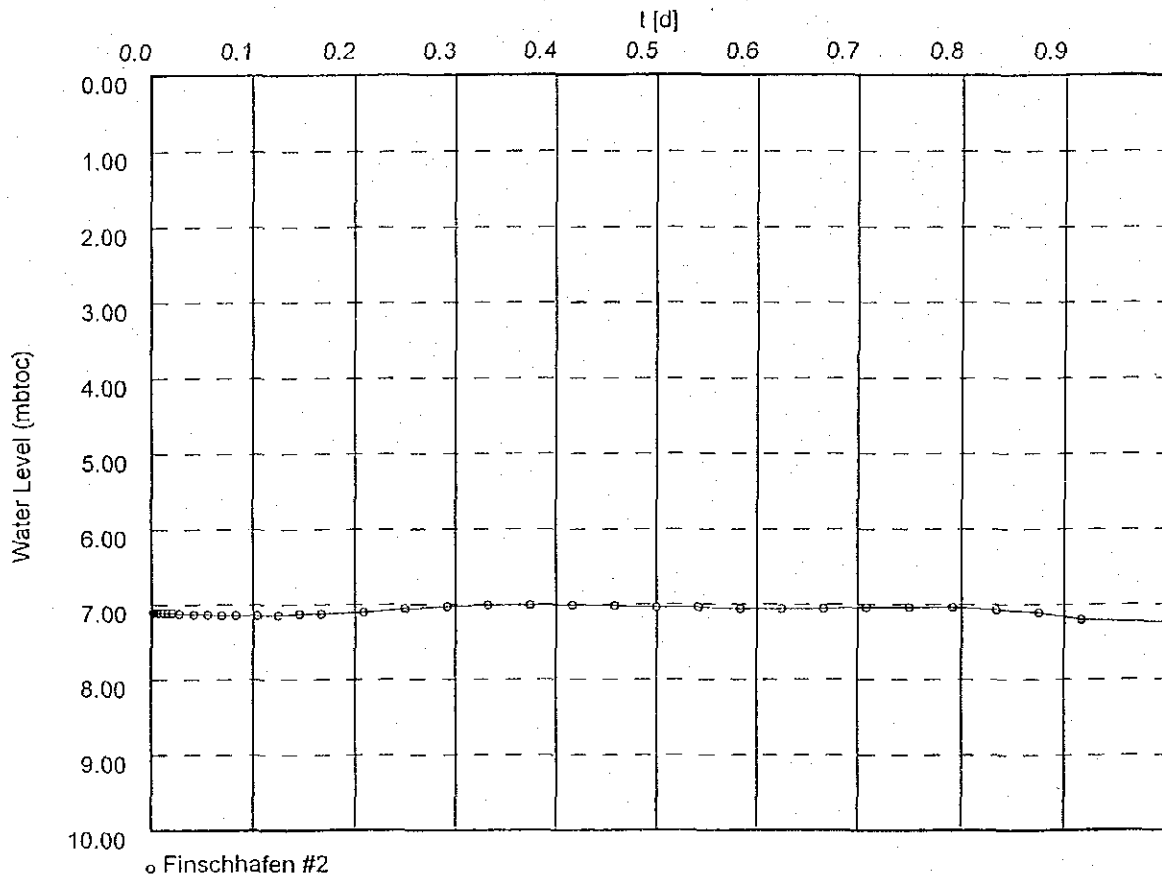
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4	2.50	6.950	0.050
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6	4.00	6.950	0.050
7	5.00	6.950	0.050
8	6.00	6.950	0.050
9	8.00	6.950	0.050
10	10.00	6.950	0.050
11	12.00	6.950	0.050
12	14.00	6.950	0.050
13	18.00	6.940	0.040
14	24.00	6.940	0.040
15	30.00	6.940	0.040
16	40.00	6.940	0.040
17	60.00	6.930	0.030
18	80.00	6.920	0.020
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Pumping Test No. 24 Hour Constant Rate Test

Test conducted on: 9-10 October 2000

Finschhafen #2





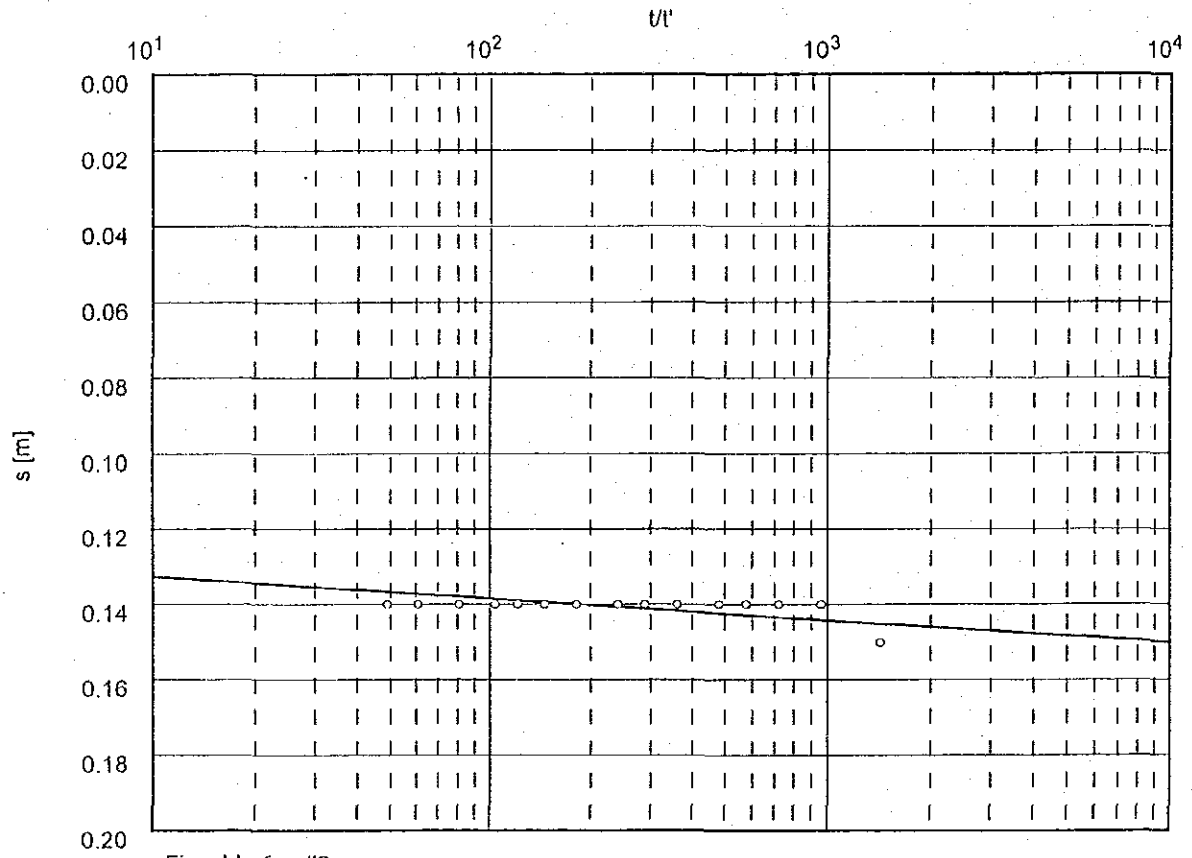
Pumping Test No. Recovery Test

Test conducted on: 10 October 2000

Finschhafen #2

Discharge 6.25 l/s

Pumping test duration: 1.00000 d



Transmissivity [m^2/d]: 1.71×10^4

