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1. A random error of  $\pm 0.11$  ft. is estimated for each of 12 length measurements that are added together to get the total length. What is the estimated total error?

$$E_{Total} = E\sqrt{n} = \pm 0.11 \text{ ft.} \sqrt{12} = \pm 0.3811 = \pm 0.38$$

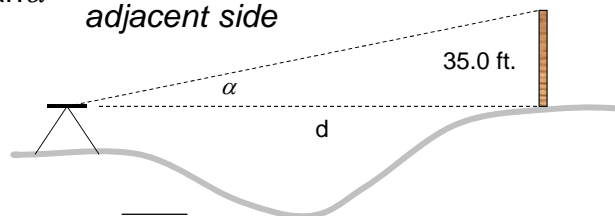
- A.  $\pm 0.38$  ft.
- B.  $\pm 0.33$  ft.
- C.  $\pm 0.28$  ft.
- D.  $\pm 0.19$  ft.
- E.  $\pm 0.01$  ft.

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2. What is the distance to the flag pole if the pole is 35.0 ft. in height and the measured angle  $\alpha = 7^\circ 45' 30''$ .

- A. 4.87 ft.  
B. 35.0 ft.  
C. 100 ft.  
D. 257 ft.  
E. 295 ft.

$$\tan \alpha = \frac{\text{opposite side}}{\text{adjacent side}}$$



$$\text{adjacent side} = \frac{35.0 \text{ ft}}{\tan(7.7583^\circ)} = 257 \text{ ft.}$$

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3. Complete and check the above set of level notes and estimate the height of the instrument between points  $TP_2$  and  $TP_3$ .

Station	BS	HI	FS	Elevation
BM <sub>1</sub>	1.23	101.23		100.00
TP <sub>1</sub>	2.25	98.96	4.52	96.71
TP <sub>2</sub>	6.25	100.56	4.65	94.31
TP <sub>3</sub>	4.23	101.58	3.21	97.35
TP <sub>4</sub>	1.47	97.36	5.69	95.89
BM <sub>2</sub>			8.42	88.94

- A. 102.42 ft.  
B. 101.58 ft.  
C. 100.56 ft.  
D. 97.36 ft.  
E. 95.48 ft.

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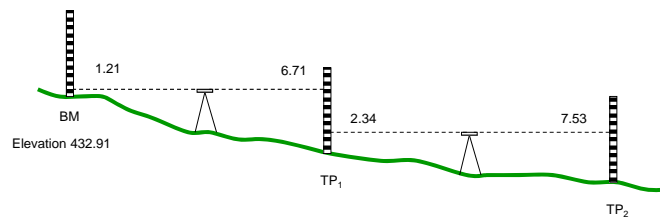
4. Complete and check the above set of level notes and estimate the elevation of point BM<sub>2</sub>.

Station	BS	HI	FS	Elevation
BM <sub>1</sub>	1.23	101.23		100.00
TP <sub>1</sub>	2.25	98.96	4.52	96.71
TP <sub>2</sub>	6.25	100.56	4.65	94.31
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TP <sub>4</sub>	1.47	97.36	5.69	95.89
BM <sub>2</sub>			8.42	88.94

- A. 101.02 ft.  
 B. 100.02 ft.  
 C. 98.02 ft.  
 D. 97.35 ft.  
 E. 88.94 ft.

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5. Develop and check a set of level notes from the above figure. What is the FS at point TP<sub>2</sub>?



Station	BS	HI	FS	Elevation
BM <sub>1</sub>	1.21	434.12		432.91
TP <sub>1</sub>	2.34	429.75	6.71	427.41
TP <sub>2</sub>		422.22	7.53	422.22

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5. Develop and check a set of level notes from the above figure. What is the FS at point TP<sub>2</sub>?

- A. 1.34 ft.
- B. 3.20 ft.
- C. 4.41 ft.
- D. 6.71 ft.
- E. 7.53 ft.

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6. What is the change in elevation between points BM<sub>1</sub> and TP<sub>2</sub>?

- A. -16.40 ft.
- B. -10.69 ft.
- C. 4.54 ft.
- D. 10.94 ft.
- E. 432.91 ft.

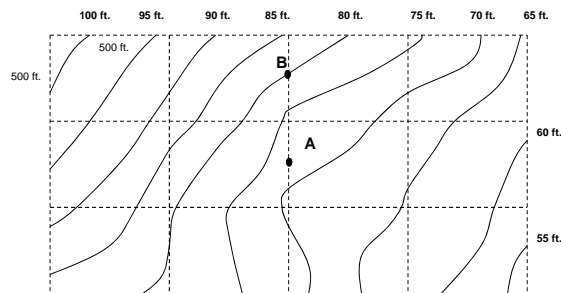
$$TP_2 - BM_1 = 422.22 \text{ ft.} - 432.91 \text{ ft.} = -10.69 \text{ ft.}$$

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7. Estimate the elevation of Point A?

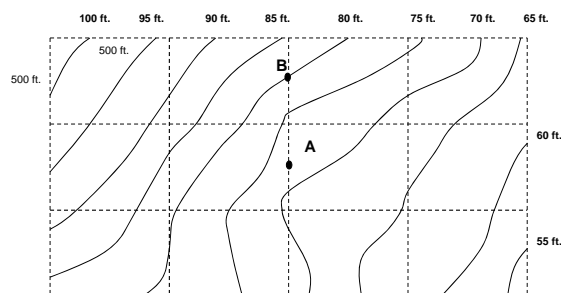
- A. 65 ft.
- B. 68 ft.
- C. 70 ft.
- D. 73 ft.**
- E. 75 ft.



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8. Which of the following values is most nearly slope between Point A and Point B?

- A. 1%**
- B. 3%
- C. 5%
- D. 7%
- E. 9%



$$\text{Slope} = \frac{\Delta h}{L} = \frac{80 \text{ ft.} - 73 \text{ ft.}}{500 \text{ ft.}} = 0.014$$

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9. For the following site data, what would be an appropriate square grid spacing to develop a contour map using one-foot intervals?

- A. 5 foot  
B. 10 foot  
C. 15 foot  
**D. 20 foot**  
E. 25 foot

Side	Distance	Point	Elevation
AB	100.0	A	100.0
BC	150.0	B	105.0
CD	200.0	C	108.0
DA	100.0	D	105.0

$$AB = \frac{100 \text{ ft.}}{5 \text{ ft.}} = 20.0$$

$$BC = \frac{150 \text{ ft.}}{3 \text{ ft.}} = 50.0$$

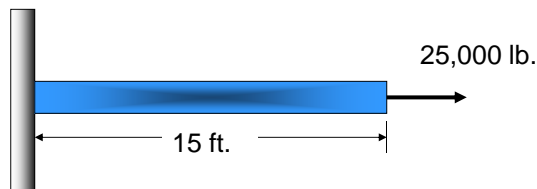
$$CD = \frac{200 \text{ ft.}}{3 \text{ ft.}} = 66.7$$

$$DA = \frac{100 \text{ ft.}}{5 \text{ ft.}} = 20.0$$

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10. If the bar fails at strains greater than 0.05, what is the largest allowable deformation of bar to prevent failure?

- A. 11 in.  
**B. 9 in.**  
C. 7 in.  
D. 5 in.  
E. 2 in.



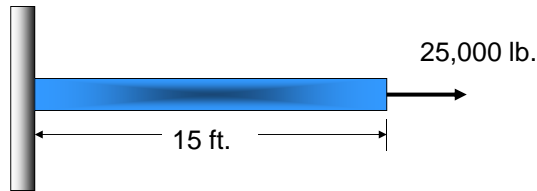
$$\varepsilon = \frac{\delta}{L} \Rightarrow \delta = \varepsilon L = 0.05(15 \text{ ft.}) \left( \frac{12 \text{ in.}}{\text{ft.}} \right) = 9 \text{ in.}$$

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11. If the bar yields at a deformation of 0.25 in. under an axial load, estimate the yield stress in the material if the modulus of elasticity of 29,000 ksi?

- A. 20 ksi
- ☒ B. 40 ksi
- C. 60 ksi
- D. 80 ksi
- E. 100 ksi



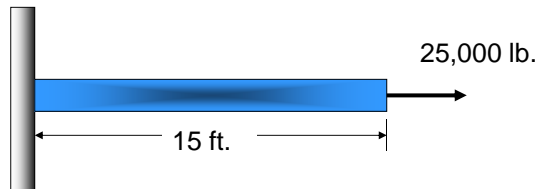
$$\sigma = E\varepsilon = 29,000 \text{ ksi} \left( \frac{0.25 \text{ in.}}{15 \text{ ft.} \left( 12 \frac{\text{in.}}{\text{ft.}} \right)} \right) = 40 \text{ ksi}$$

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12. What is the deformation of the bar shown above if its cross-sectional area is 0.5 in.<sup>2</sup> and the modulus of elasticity of the material is 29,000 ksi?

- A. 0.03 in.
- ☒ B. 0.31 in.
- C. 0.62 in.
- D. 1.25 in.
- E. 2.50 in.



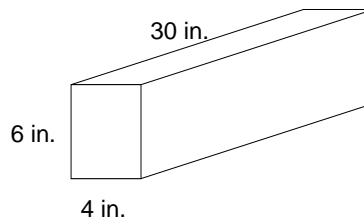
$$\sigma = E\varepsilon \Rightarrow \frac{P}{A} = E \frac{\delta}{L} \Rightarrow \delta = \frac{PL}{AE}$$

$$\delta = \frac{PL}{AE} = \frac{25 \text{ kips}(180 \text{ in.})}{0.5 \text{ in.}^2 (29,000 \text{ ksi})} = 0.31 \text{ in.}$$

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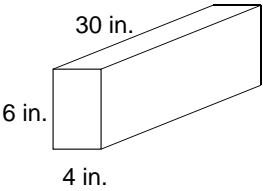
Construct **ten** beams, each having the dimensions shown in the figure below. Include a “make-sure-you-have-enough” factor of 1.2 in your mix calculations. Assume a w/c ratio of 0.35 and a mix design of 1:2:3. All weights should be reported in quarter-pound. Assume concrete weights about 145 lb./ft.<sup>3</sup> for all calculations.



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13. The total volume of concrete required for this application is estimated to be:


$$V = 10(4\text{ in.})(6\text{ in.})(30\text{ in.})(1.2)$$

Number of beams

make-sure-you-have-enough” factor

- A. 1,080 in<sup>3</sup>
- B. 2,700 in<sup>3</sup>
- C. 7,200 in<sup>3</sup>
- D. 8,640 in<sup>3</sup>
- E. 9,640 in<sup>3</sup>

$$= 8,640\text{ in.}^3$$



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14. The weight of cement required to make 600 lb. of the concrete mix describe above is:

$$\text{Cement} = 600\text{lb.} \left( \frac{1}{6} \right) = 100\text{lb.}$$

Cement ratio

Sum of mix portions

- A. 40 lbs
- B. 60 lbs
- C. 80 lbs
- D. 100 lbs
- E. 120 lbs

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15. The weight of coarse aggregate required to make 300 lb. of the concrete mix describe above is:

$$\text{Coarse Aggregate} = 300\text{ lb.} \left( \frac{3}{6} \right) = 150\text{ lb.}$$

Coarse aggregate ratio

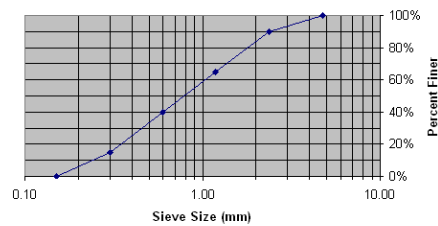
Sum of mix portions

- A. 75 lbs
- B. 100 lbs
- C. 125 lbs
- D. 150 lbs
- E. 175 lbs

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From the data given below, develop a particle-size distribution plot. Use the table and blank graph shown below:

Sieve Number	Diameter (mm)	Mass of Soil Retained on Each Sieve (g)	Percent Retained (%)	Percent Finer (%)	D <sub>10</sub>	D <sub>30</sub>	D <sub>60</sub>
4	4.750	0.0	0.0%	100.0%			
8	2.360	40.0	10.0%	90.0%			
16	1.180	100.0	25.0%	65.0%			
30	0.600	100.0	25.0%	40.0%			1.06
50	0.300	100.0	25.0%	15.0%		0.48	
100	0.150	60.0	15.0%	0.0%	0.25		
PAN		0.0	0.0%	0.0%			
Sum =		400.0			0.25	0.48	1.06

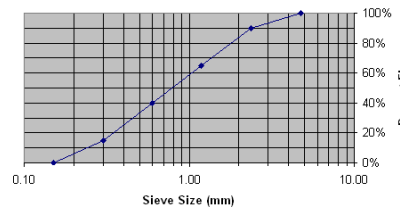


Effective Size (mm)	0.25
Uniformity Coefficient	4.26
Coefficient of Gradation	0.87

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16. The percent passing the #30 sieve may be most closely approximated as:

Sieve Number	Diameter (mm)	Mass of Soil Retained on Each Sieve (g)	Percent Retained (%)	Percent Finer (%)	D <sub>10</sub>	D <sub>30</sub>	D <sub>60</sub>
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50	0.300	100.0	25.0%	15.0%		0.48	
100	0.150	60.0	15.0%	0.0%	0.25		
PAN		0.0	0.0%	0.0%			
Sum =		400.0			0.25	0.48	1.06



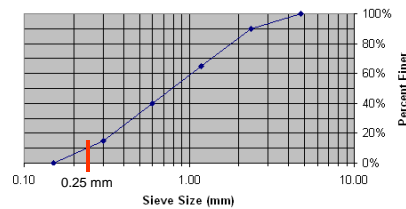
- A. 100%  
B. 80%  
C. 40%  
D. 20%  
E. 10%

Effective Size (mm)	0.25
Uniformity Coefficient	4.26
Coefficient of Gradation	0.87

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17. The effective size of the soil may be most closely approximated as:

Sieve Number	Diameter (mm)	Mass of Soil Retained on Each Sieve (g)	Percent Retained (%)	Percent Finer (%)	D <sub>10</sub>	D <sub>30</sub>	D <sub>60</sub>
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30	0.600	100.0	25.0%	40.0%			
50	0.300	100.0	25.0%	15.0%			
100	0.150	60.0	15.0%	0.0%			
PAN		0.0	0.0%	0.0%	0.25	0.48	1.06
Sum =		400.0					

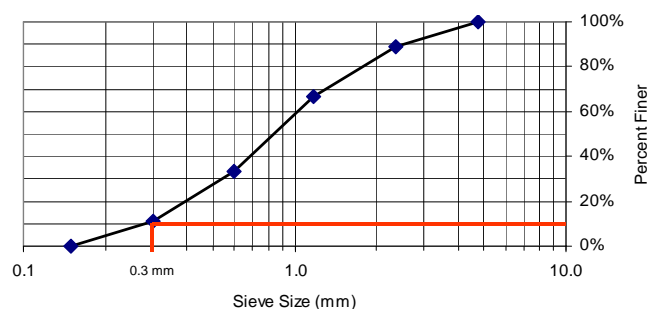


Effective Size (mm) **0.25**  
 Uniformity Coefficient **4.26**  
 Coefficient of Gradation **0.87**

- A. 0.01 mm  
 B. 0.10 mm  
 C. 0.20 mm  
 D. 0.25 mm  
 E. 0.40 mm

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18. The effective size of the soil shown in the graph above is most closely approximated by:

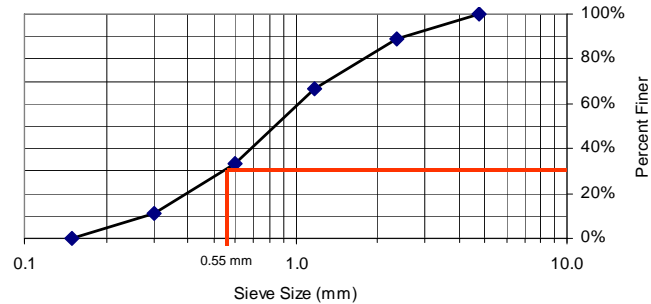


- A. 0.3 mm  
 B. 0.4 mm  
 C. 0.5 mm  
 D. 0.6 mm  
 E. 0.7 mm

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19. The particle-size  $D_{30}$  is most closely approximated as:



- A. 0.55 mm
- B. 0.65 mm
- C. 0.75 mm
- D. 0.85 mm
- E. 1.05 mm

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20. Which of the following filtration mechanisms is **not** involved in removing suspended solids in a granular-media filter?

- A. interception
- B. straining
- C. flocculation
- D. hydration
- E. sedimentation

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21. The hydraulic loading rate in the 3.5 in. diameter filters in lab, with a flowrate of 1,250 ml/min, is most nearly approximated as:

$$\text{Loading Rate} = \frac{\text{Flowrate}}{\text{Area}}$$
$$= \frac{1,250 \text{ ml/min}}{\frac{\pi (3.5 \text{ in.})^2}{4}} \times \frac{1 \text{ gallon}}{3,785 \text{ ml}} \times \frac{144 \text{ in.}^2}{\text{ft.}^2} = 4.94 \text{ gpm/ft.}^2$$

- A. 1.0 gpm/ft.<sup>2</sup>
- B. 2.0 gpm/ft.<sup>2</sup>
- C. 3.0 gpm/ft.<sup>2</sup>
- D. 4.0 gpm/ft.<sup>2</sup>
- E. 5.0 gpm/ft.<sup>2</sup>

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22. The backwash velocity required to expand a sand bed filter to a porosity of 0.70 for a sand with a settling velocity is 0.20 ft./s and the initial porosity of the sand is 0.35 is most nearly approximated as:

$$V = V_s \alpha_e^{4.5}$$
$$= (0.20 \text{ ft./s})(0.70)^{4.5}$$
$$= 0.04 \text{ ft./s}$$

- A. 0.01 ft./s
- B. 0.03 ft./s
- C. 0.04 ft./s
- D. 0.05 ft./s
- E. 0.07 ft./s

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23. The results of a filter run, operated in a manner identical to that used in lab, are shown in the table above. Which of the following volumes most closely estimates the total volume treated after 60 minutes?

Initial Turbidity (NTU) **100**

time (min)	Flowrate (ml/min)	Turbidity (NTU)	V (ml)	Average Turbidity
0	1,000	2.00	---	---
10	1,000	2.00	10,000	0.37
20	900	3.00	10,000	0.46
30	900	5.00	9,000	0.67
40	800	6.00	9,000	0.92
50	800	8.00	8,000	1.04
60	---	10.00	8,000	1.33
Sum			54,000	4.79

- A. 24,000 ml  
B. 36,000 ml  
C. 48,000 ml  
D. 54,000 ml  
E. 72,000 ml

**%FTU Removed** 95.2%

**Filter Efficiency** 51.415

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24. Which of the following values most closely estimates the average turbidity after 60 minutes?

Initial Turbidity (NTU) **100**

time (min)	Flowrate (ml/min)	Turbidity (NTU)	V (ml)	Average Turbidity
0	1,000	2.00	---	---
10	1,000	2.00	10,000	0.37
20	900	3.00	10,000	0.46
30	900	5.00	9,000	0.67
40	800	6.00	9,000	0.92
50	800	8.00	8,000	1.04
60	---	10.00	8,000	1.33
Sum			54,000	4.79

- A. 0 NTU  
B. 3 NTU  
C. 5 NTU  
D. 7 NTU  
E. 9 NTU

**%FTU Removed** 95.2%

**Filter Efficiency** 51.415

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25. If the average turbidity is 10 NTU at the end of 60 minutes, which of the following values most closely estimates the %NTU removed?

$$\%Turbidity (NTU) \text{ Removed} = \frac{100 - 10}{100} \times 100\% = 90\%$$

- A. 100%
- B. 95%
- C. 90%
- D. 85%
- E. 75%

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