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Shoring Design Software

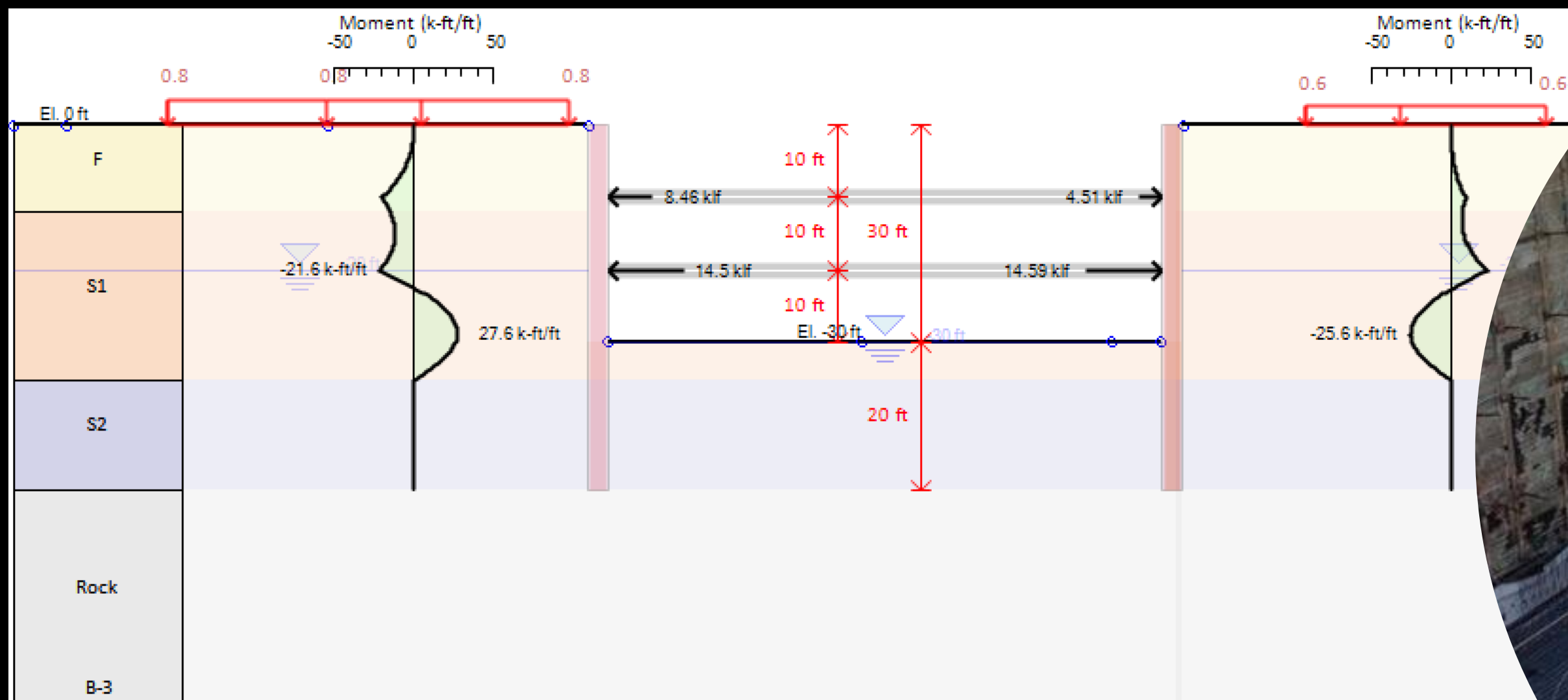


DEEP EXCAVATION
GEOTECHNICAL SOFTWARE & SOLUTIONS

Design of Deep Excavations DeepEX Software Application

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Introduction

Part 1: DeepEX: Theory and Implemented Methods - Limit Equilibrium, Non-Linear Analysis

Part 2: Use of DeepEX - Wall Types, Support Systems, Software Interface, Soil Properties & Stratigraphy

Part 3: DeepEX - Design Examples & Training

- ✓ **Anchored Walls - Excavations with Tiebacks**
- ✓ **Braced Excavations & Cofferdams**
- ✓ **Top-Down Excavations (Slabs)**
- ✓ **Deadman Wall Systems**
- ✓ **Circular Shafts**
- ✓ **Box Excavations**
- ✓ **Stepped Excavations**

Part 4: Deep Excavation Case Studies

Part 5: DeepEX Additional Modules



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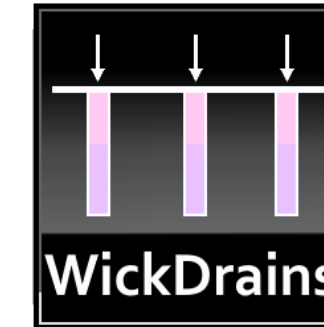
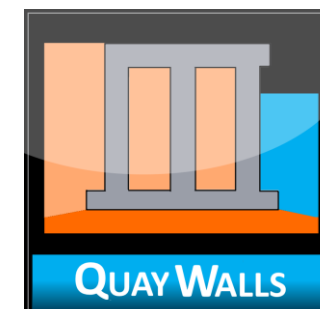
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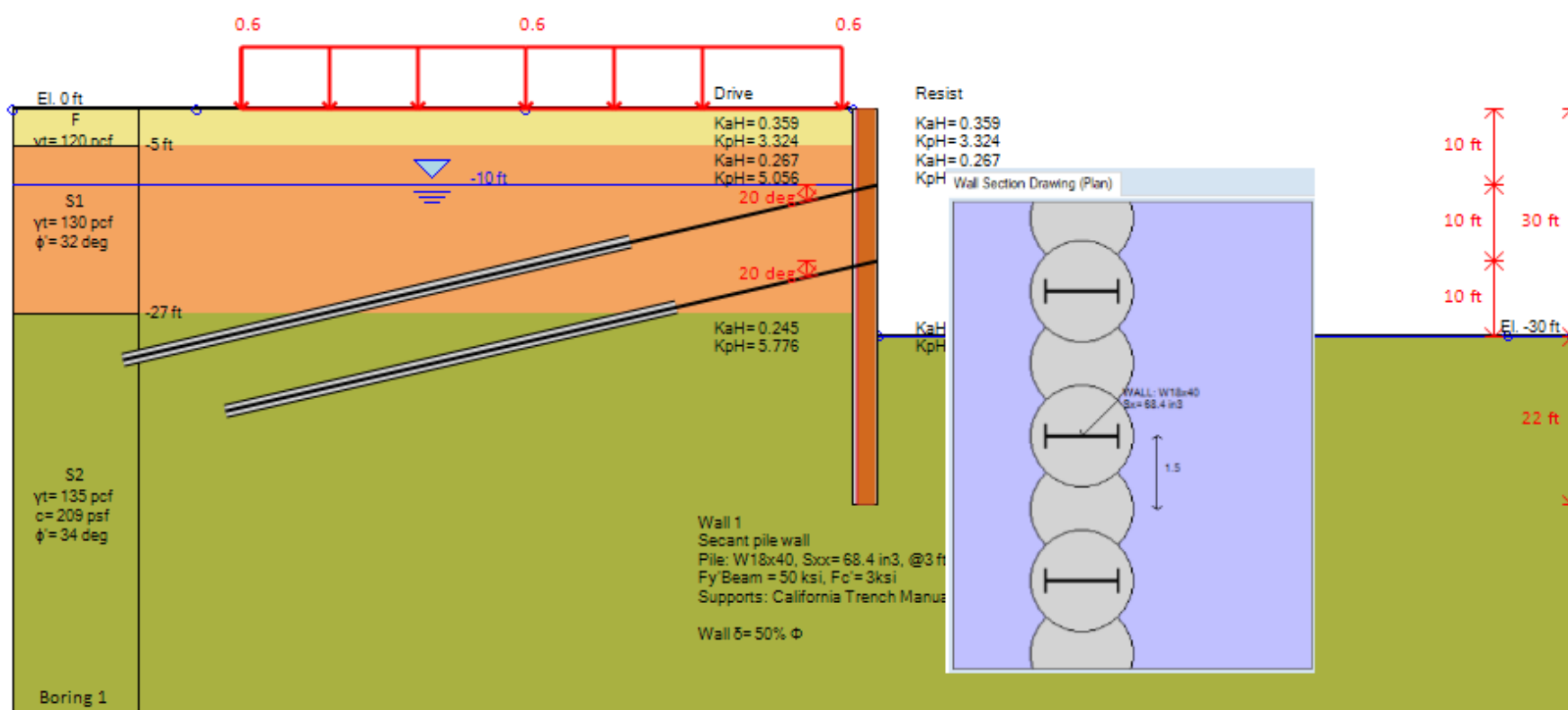
- ✓ Software solutions for excavation and foundation professionals
- ✓ Consulting Services - Design of deep excavations and pile foundations
- ✓ Virtual Reality applications for geotechnical engineers and contractors



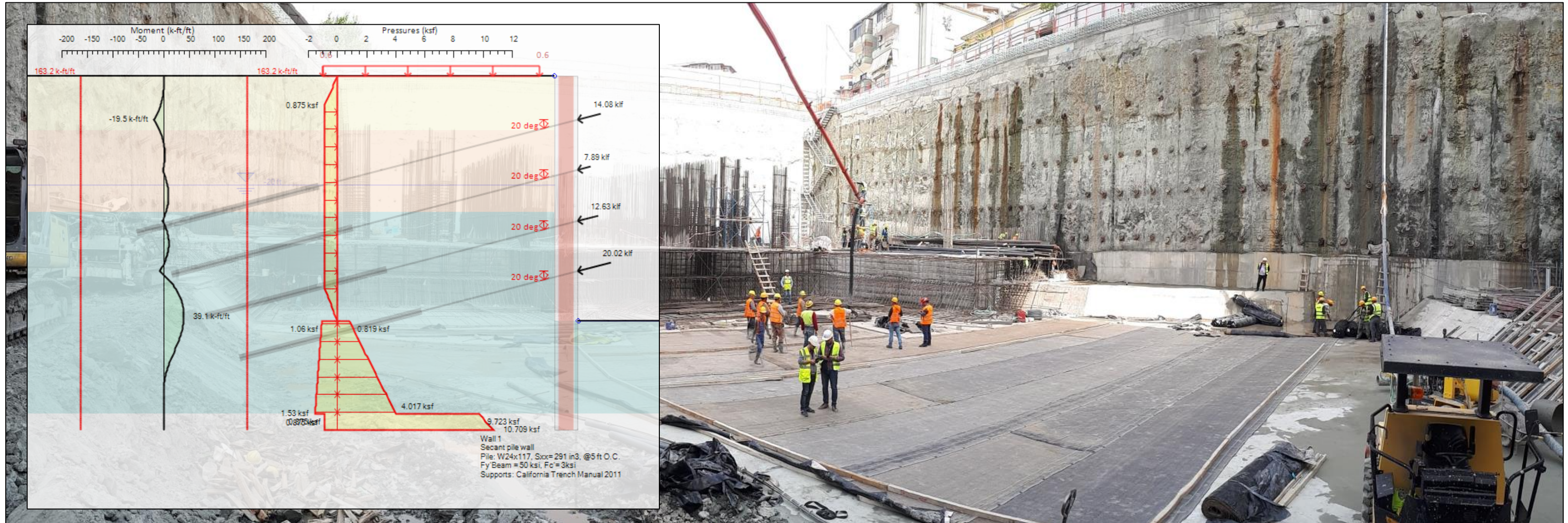


Deep Excavation: Typically deeper than 3.5m, that requires structural support.

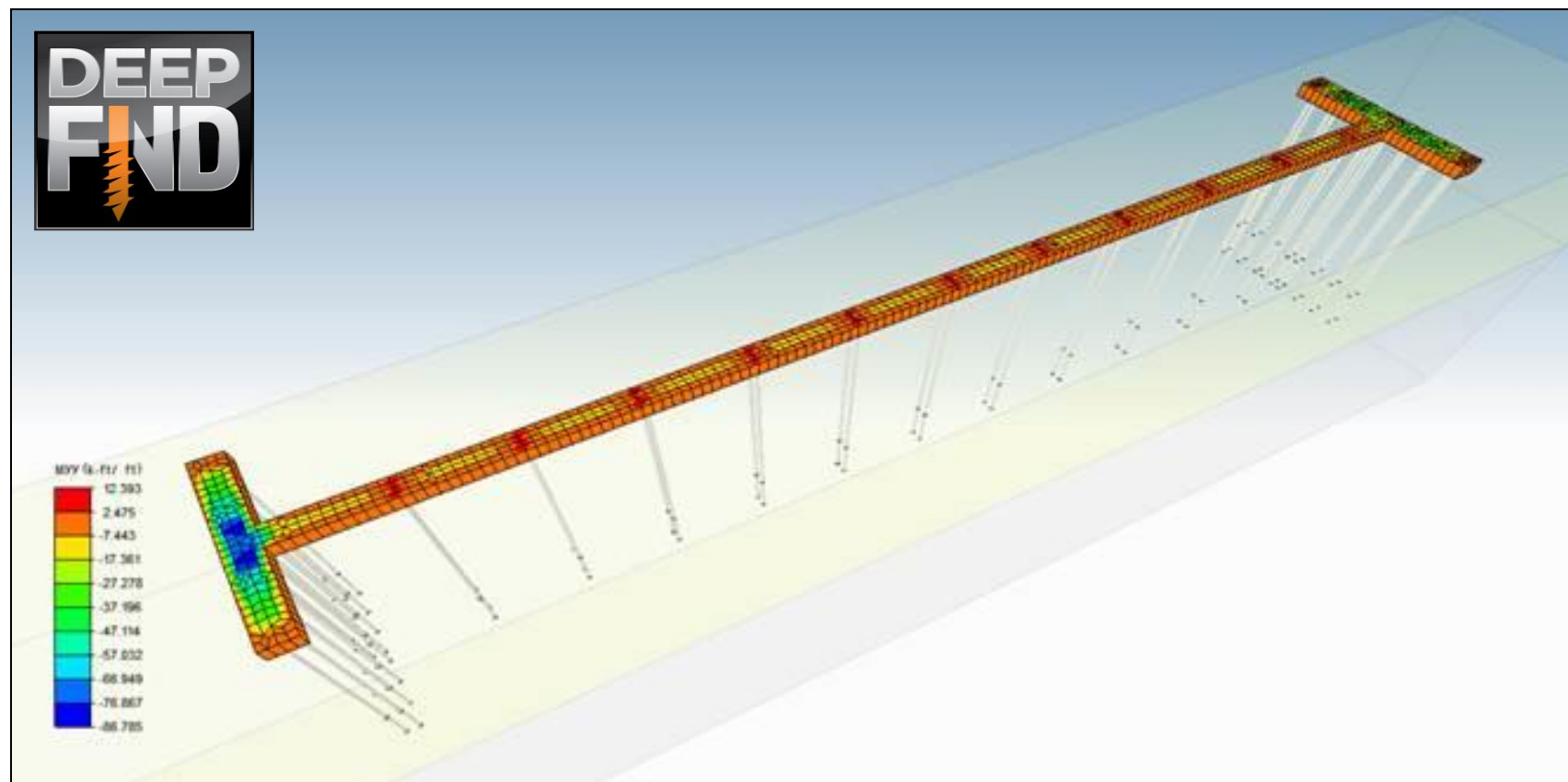
- A deep excavation system has to retain earth, water, and neighboring structures
- Unknown factors and risks
- Soil properties estimation
- Protect adjacent properties
- Design issues and Code issues
- Economy
- Constructability



DeepEX: Theoretical Background & Methods

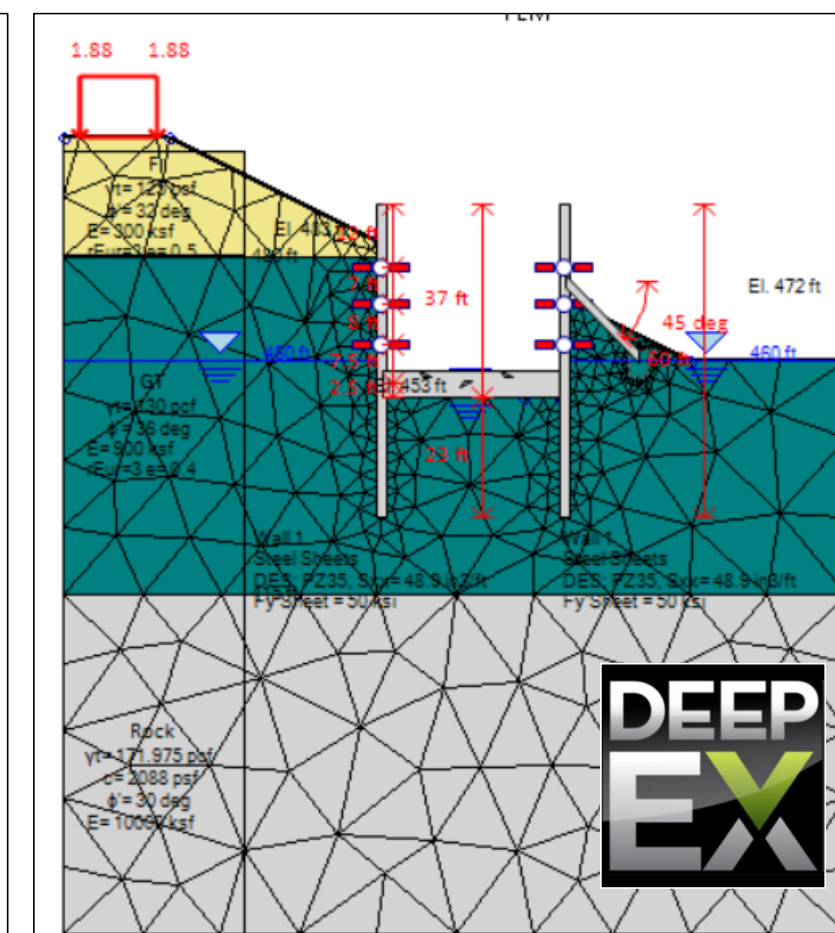
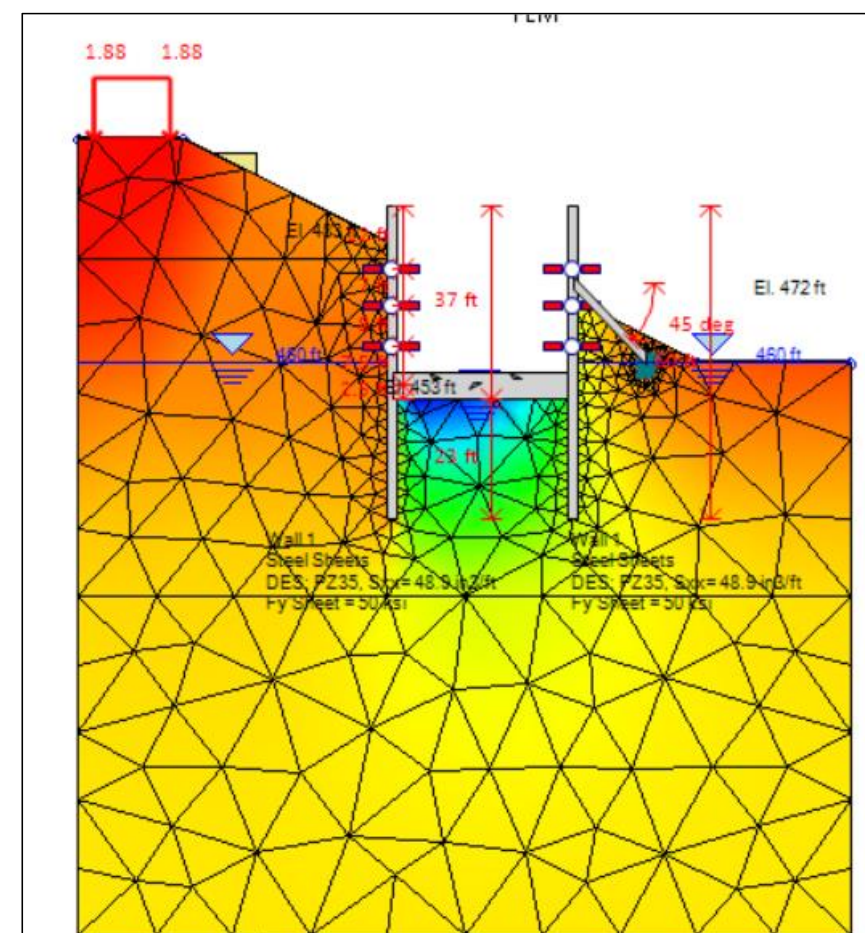


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Theory and Methods

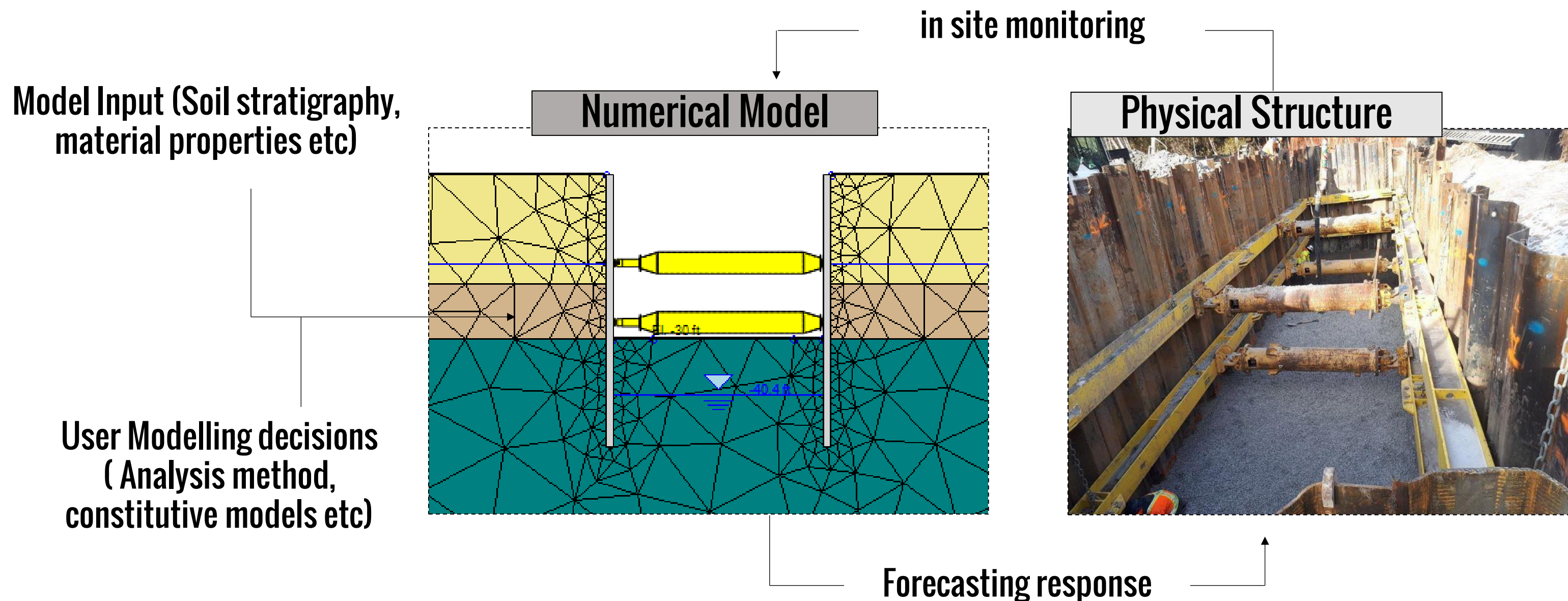


Numerical simulations are part of everyday design tasks.

**Necessary condition:
Model Accuracy!!!**



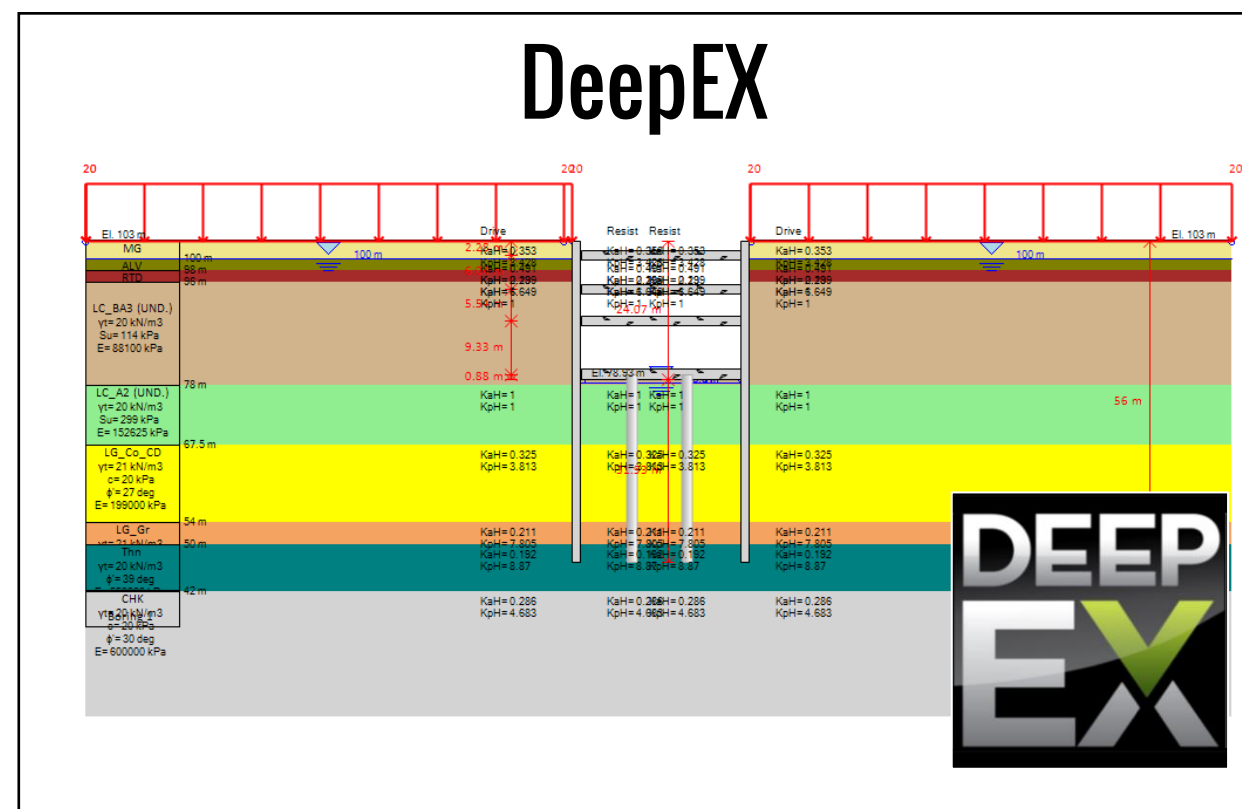
Quantitative and qualitative accuracy!!





Different Constitutive material models

Different analysis Methods:
LEM,NL,FEM

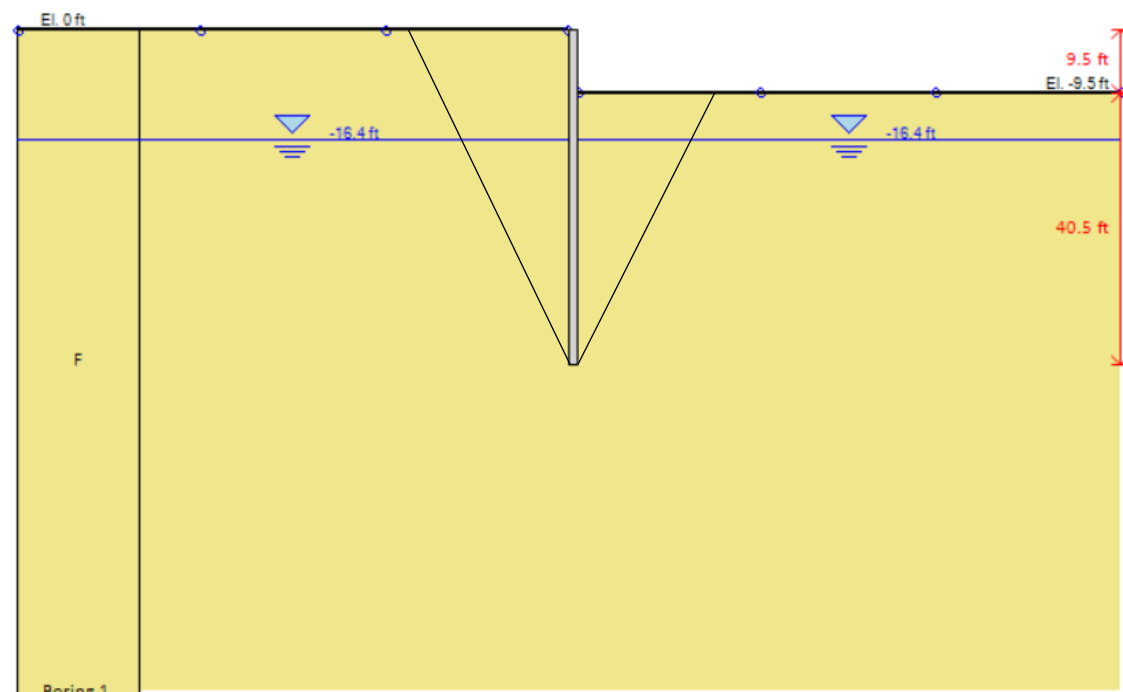


Different support models

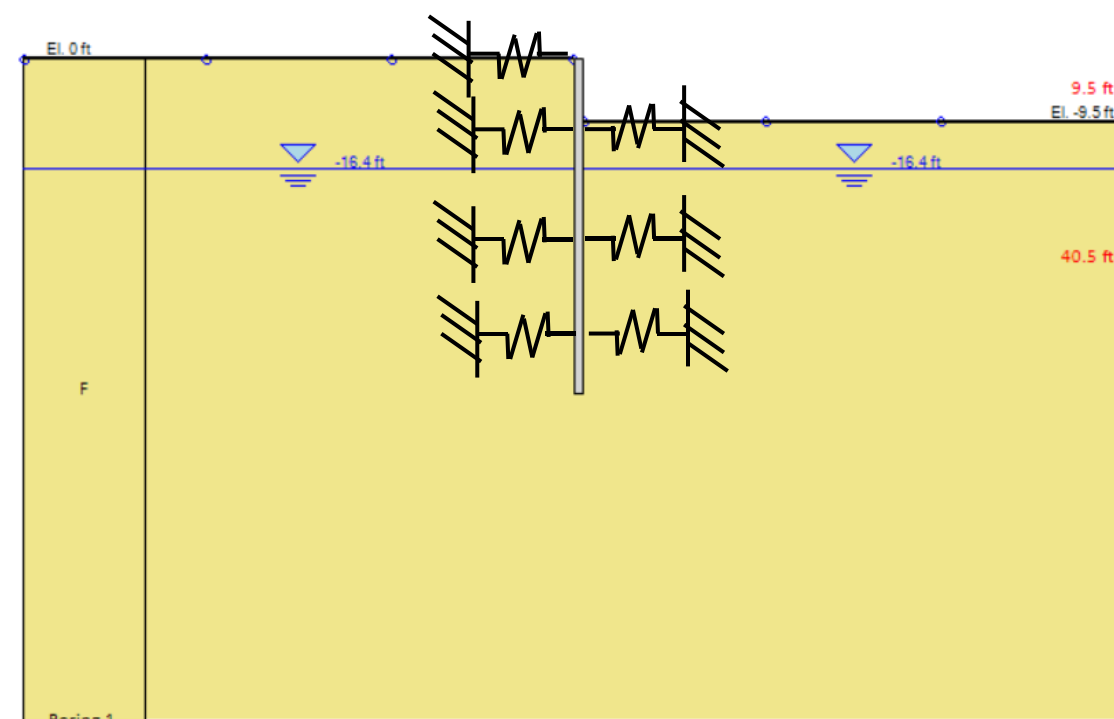
Different soil pressure methods

It is important to have a good understanding of the analysis method derivation and limitations

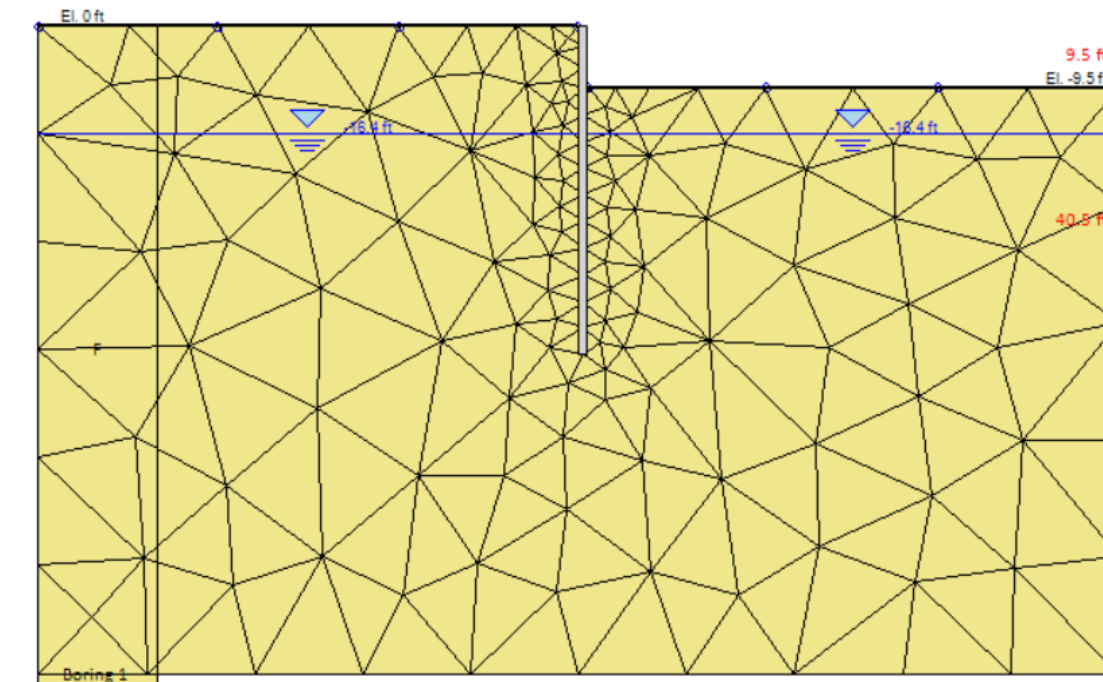
METHODS available in the software:



Limit equilibrium Method



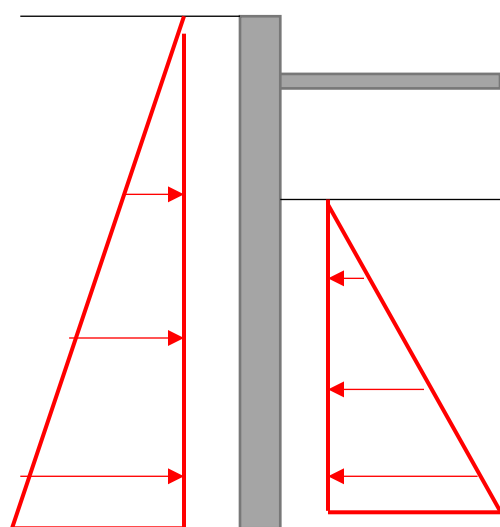
Elastoplastic Winkler spring Method



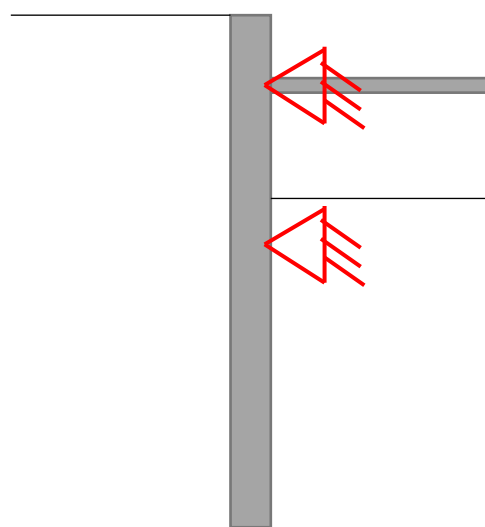
Finite element Method

Limit Equilibrium Method (LEM) :

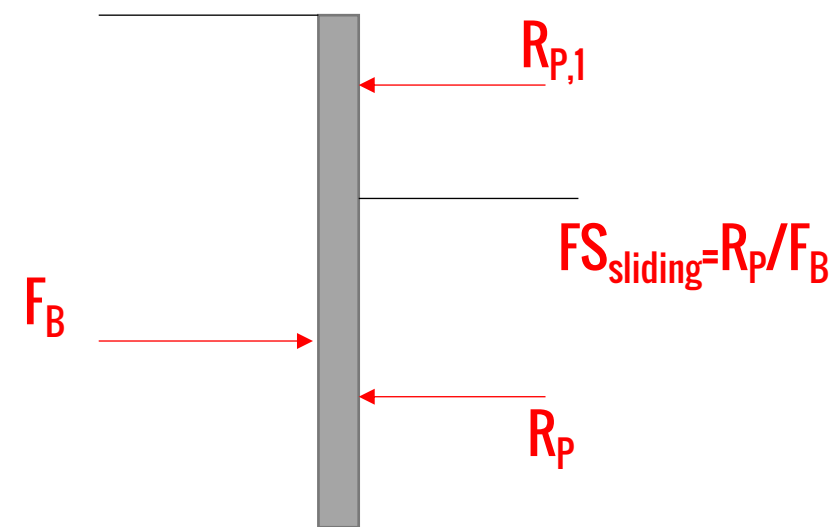
- Easy method to verify. Gives a back check for more rigorous methods.
- pre-failure strain is ignored
- Soil-structure interaction ignored



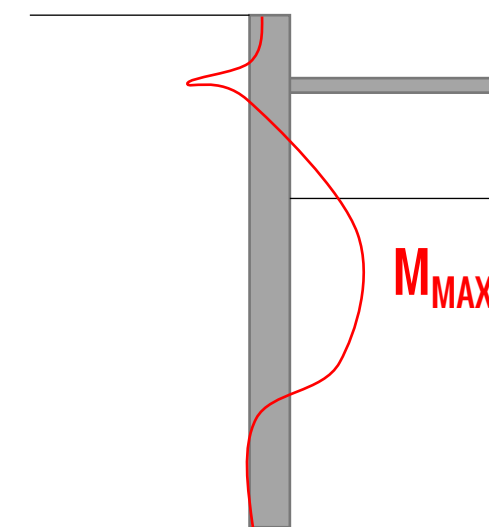
Calculation of lateral earth pressures.



Determine fixity locations and run beam analysis.

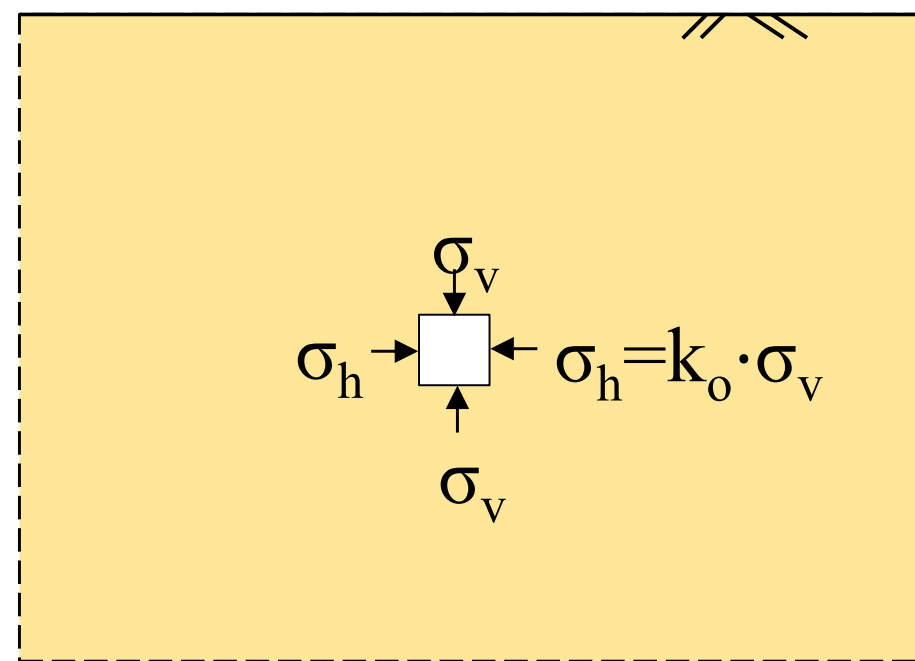


Calculate stability checks on the wall



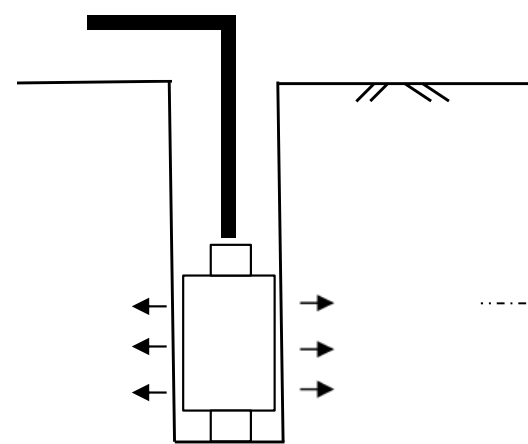
Calculate structural design checks

At rest conditions (field stress conditions prior to the excavation):

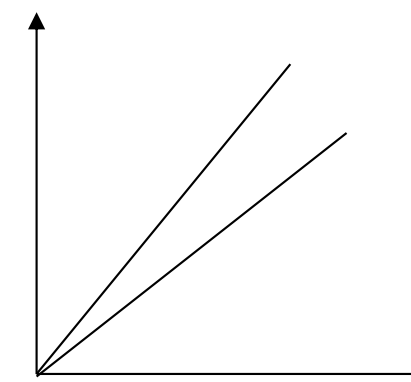


Imposed stress field

(k_o)



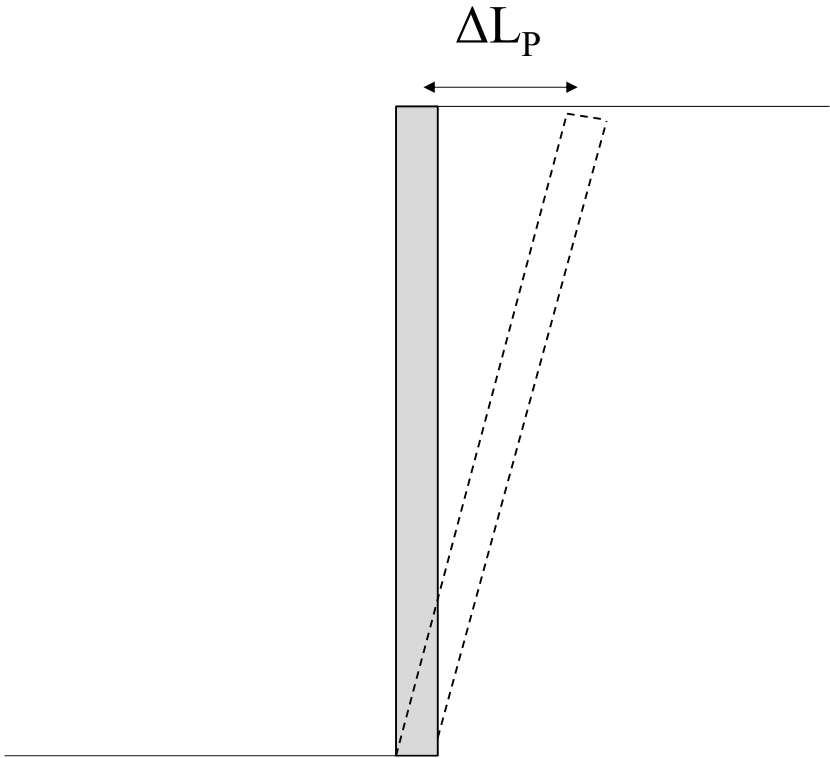
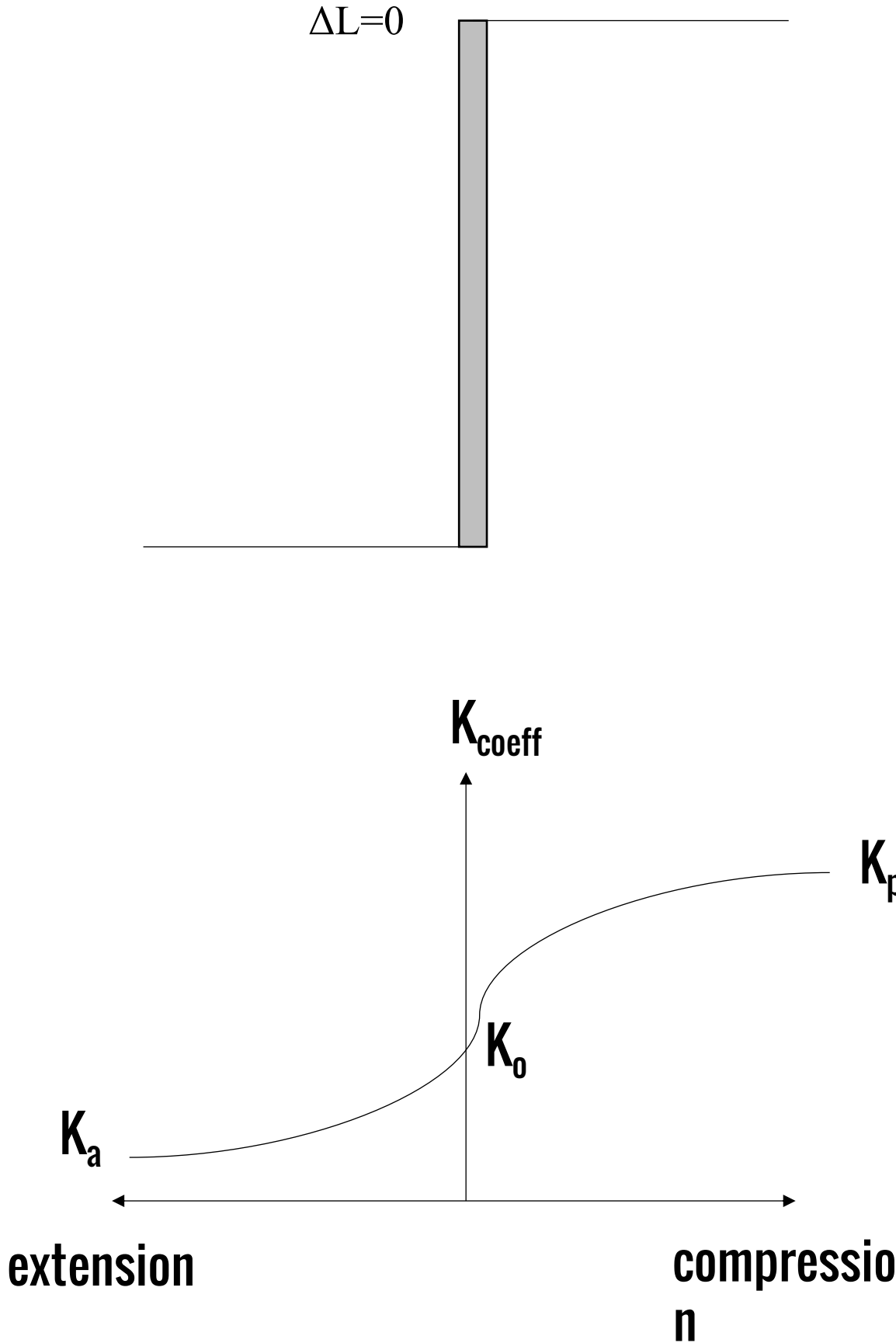
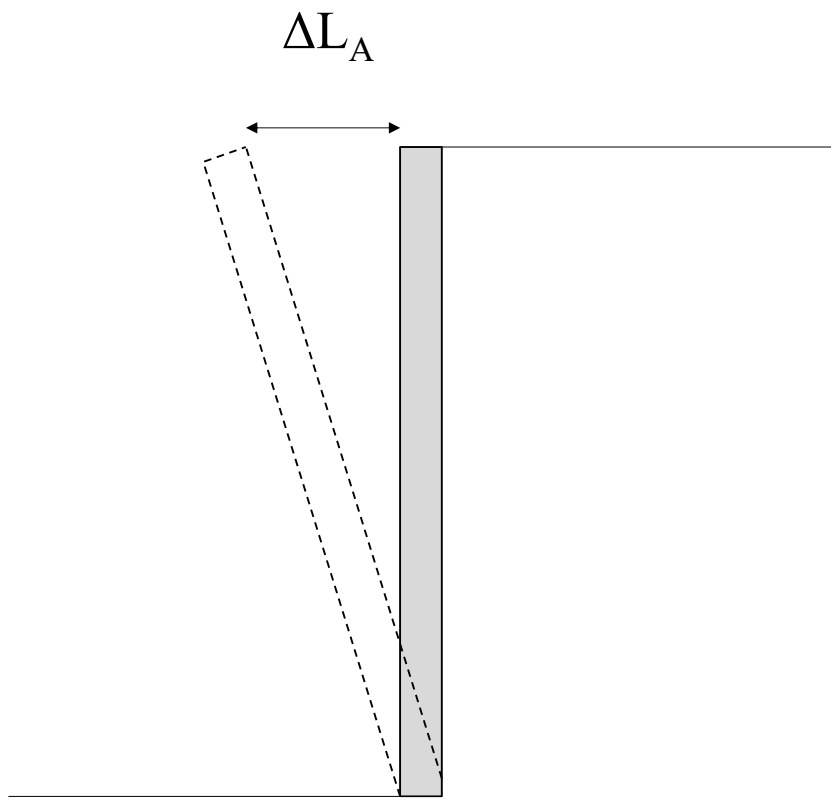
On site measurement
(pressuremeter test)



Corelation formulas
(k_o to OCR etc)

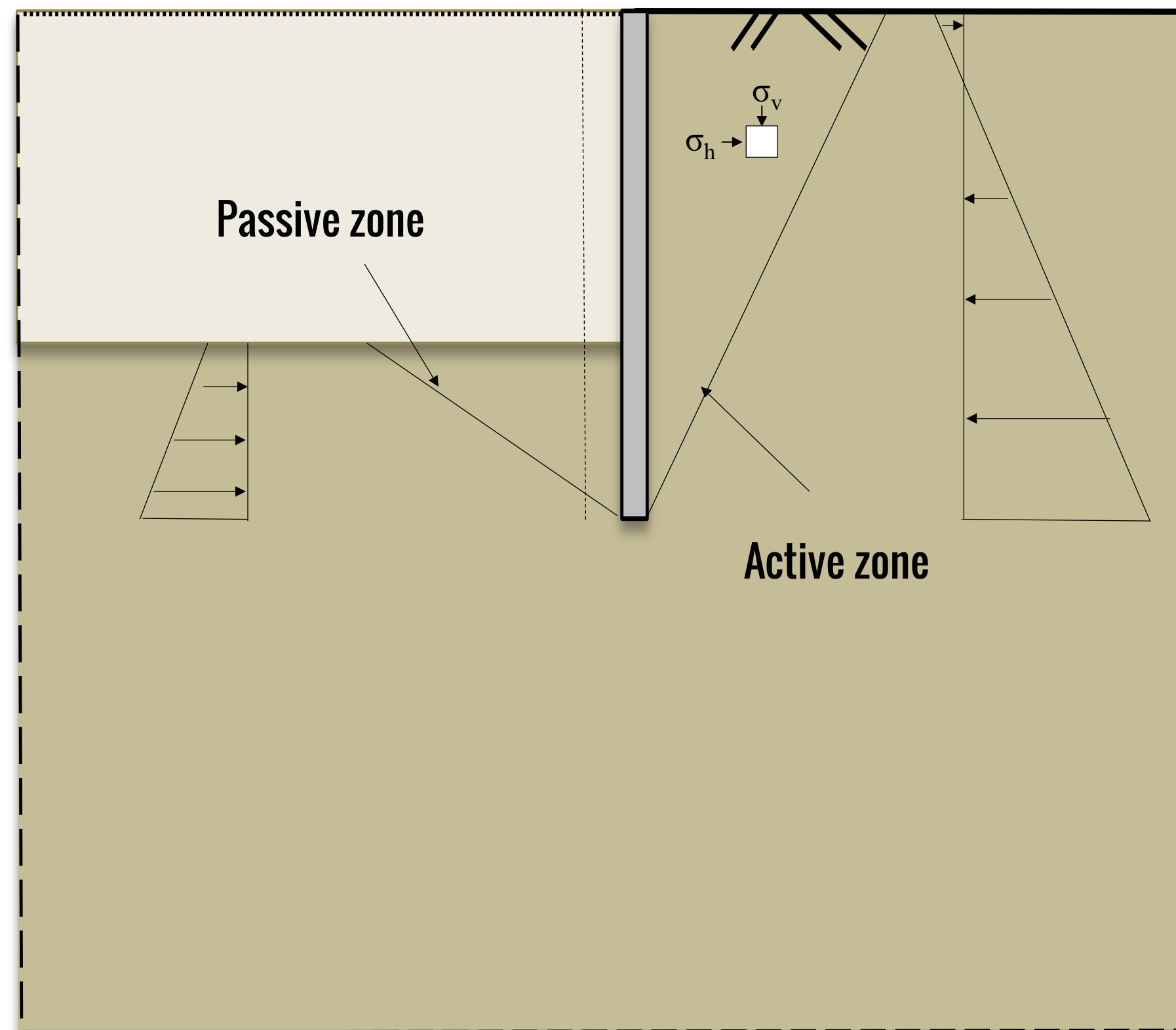
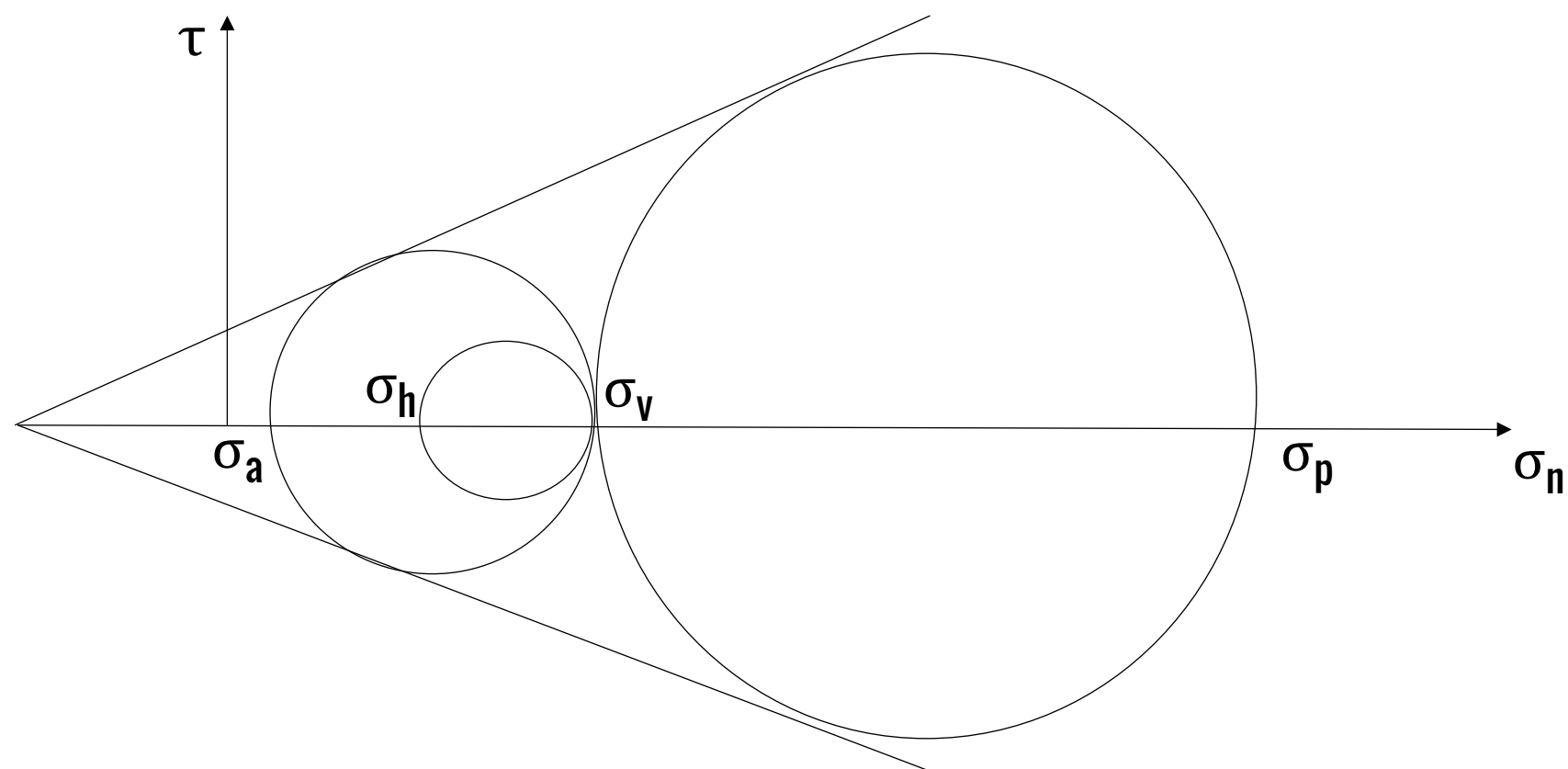


Earth Coefficients in DeepEX



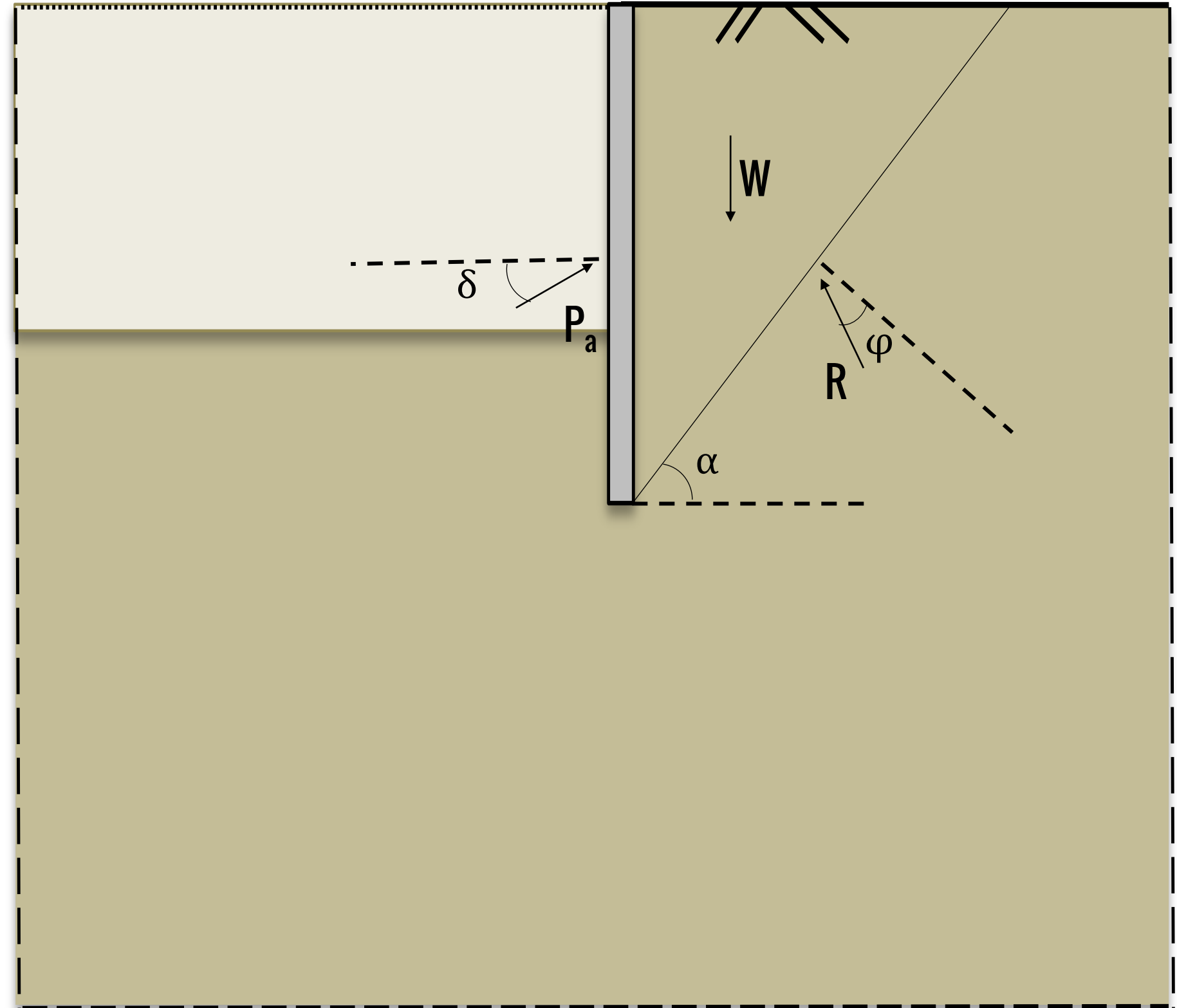
Rankine earth pressure theory (1857):

- Based on plastic equilibrium concept
- No friction between wall and soil



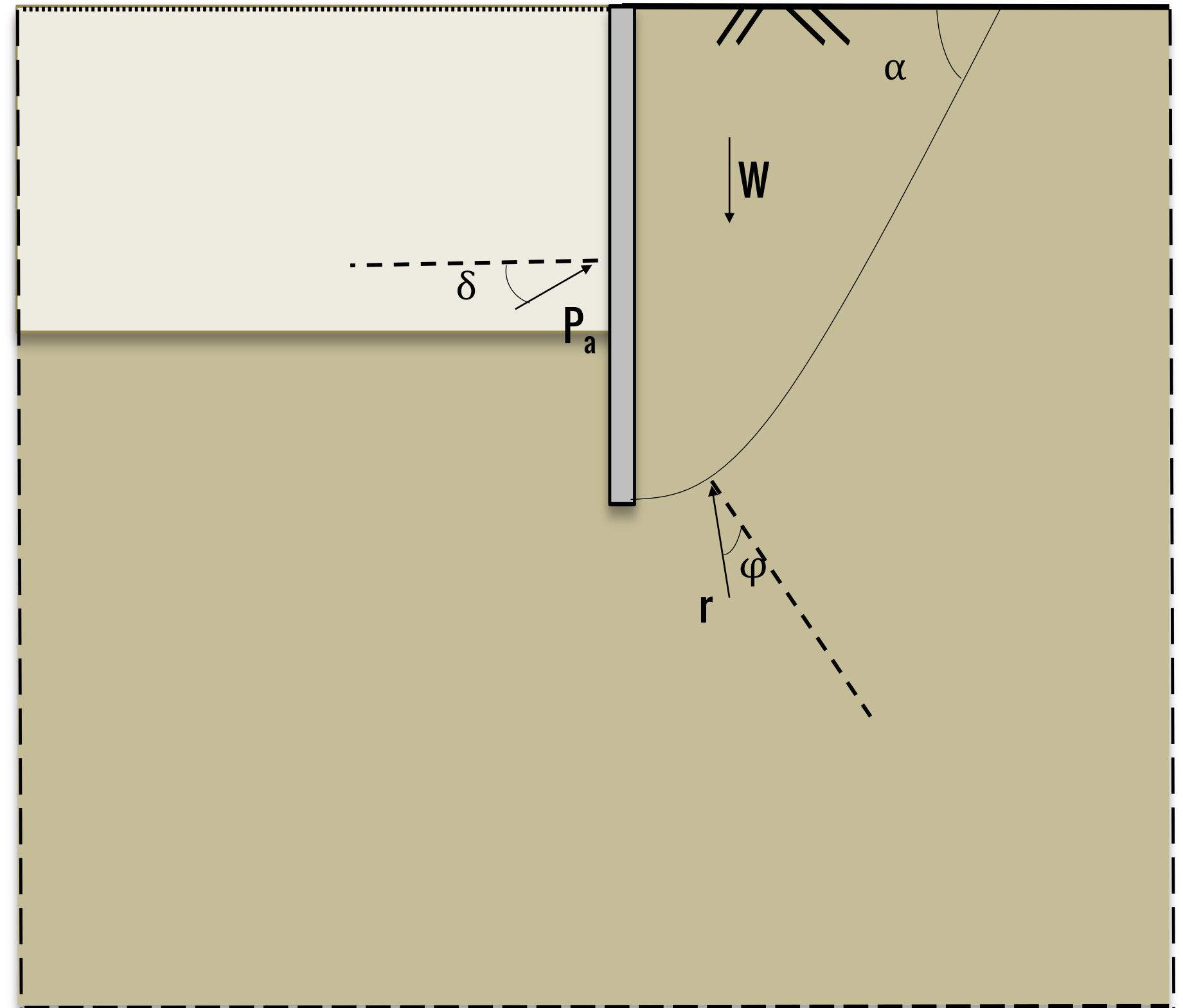
Coulomb earth pressure theory (1776):

- Failure surface is a plane
- friction between wall and soil can be considered
- Arbitrary slope at the sides of the wall



Caquot and Kerisel earth pressure theory (1948):

- Failure surface is an elliptical curved plane
- Eurocode 7 and NAVFAC charts based on the theory

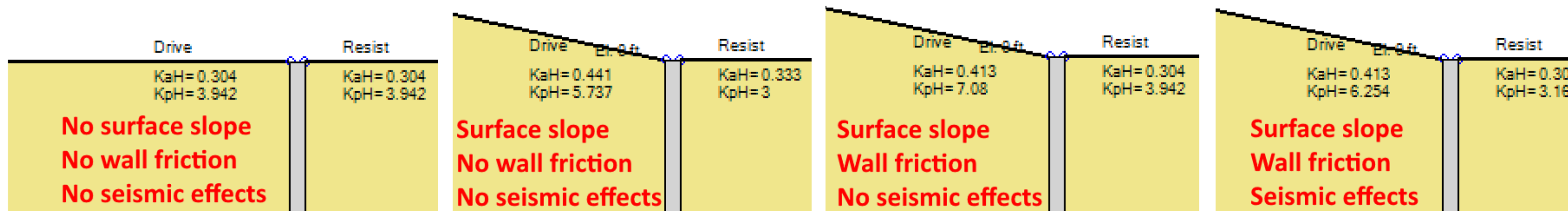




DeepEX Automatic Method Selection According to Project Parameters

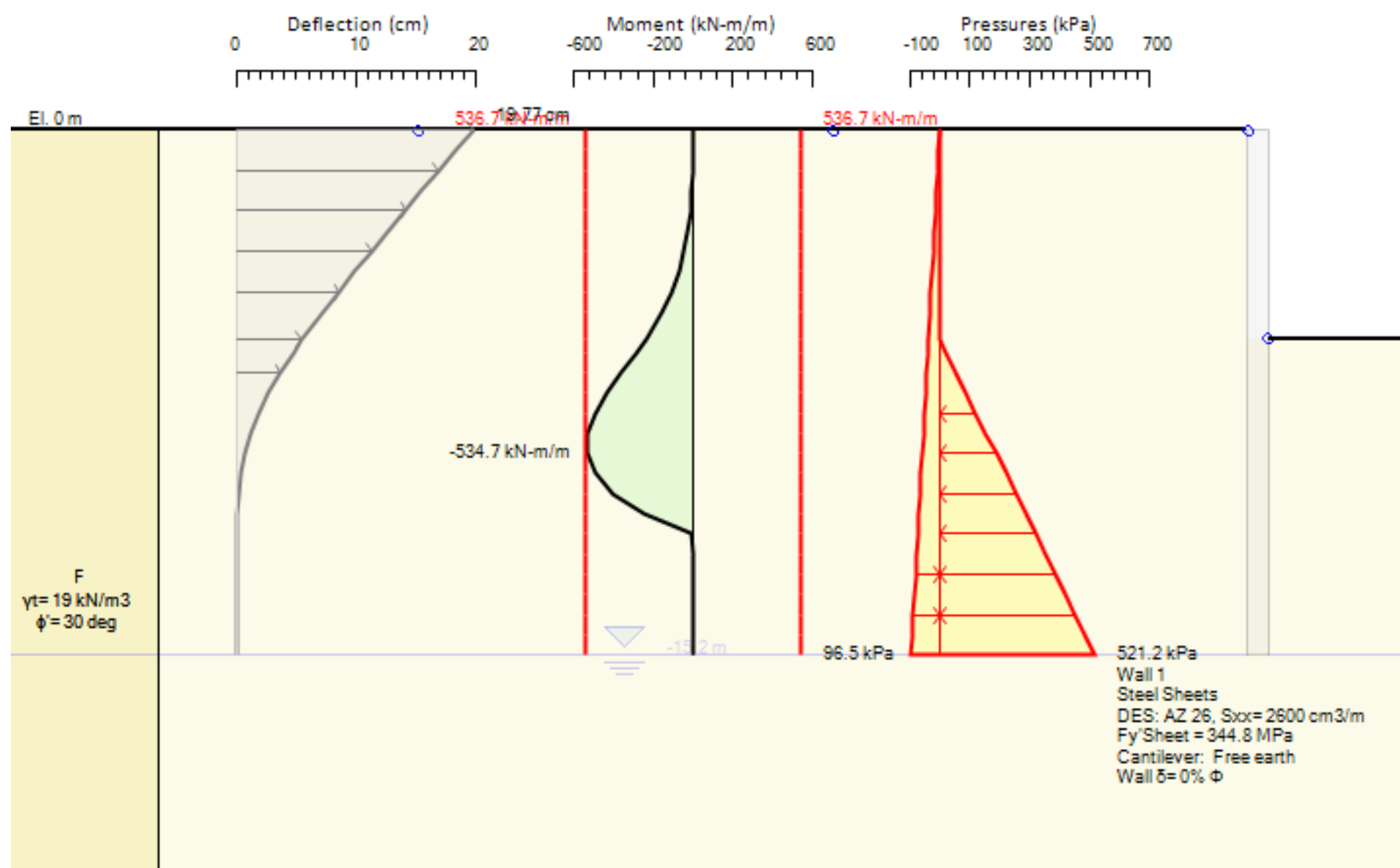
Active Coefficient K_a				
Parameters	Horizontal Surface	Inclined Surface	Wall Friction Considered	Seismic Effects Applied
Method	Rankine	Coulomb	Coulomb	No Effect

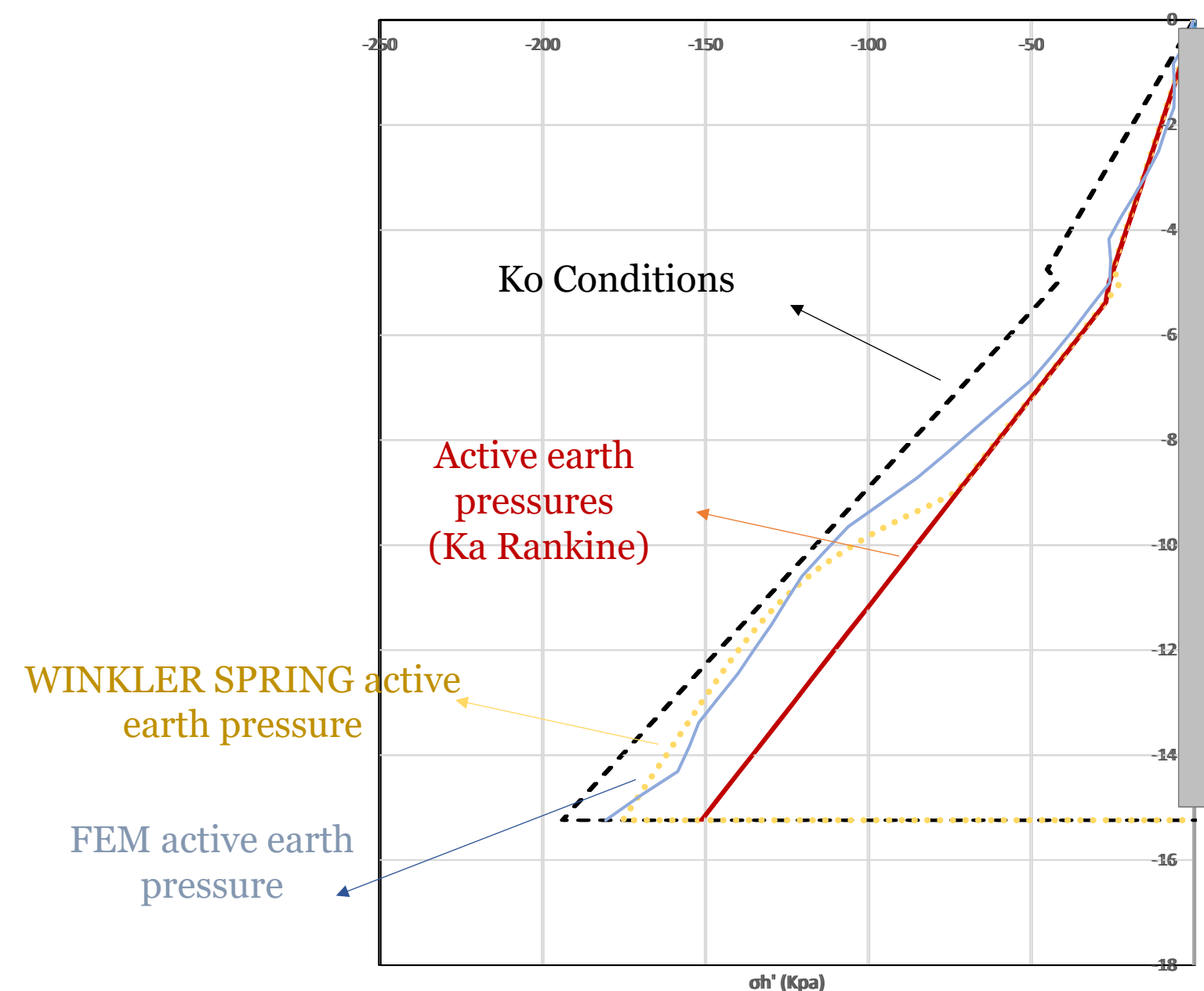
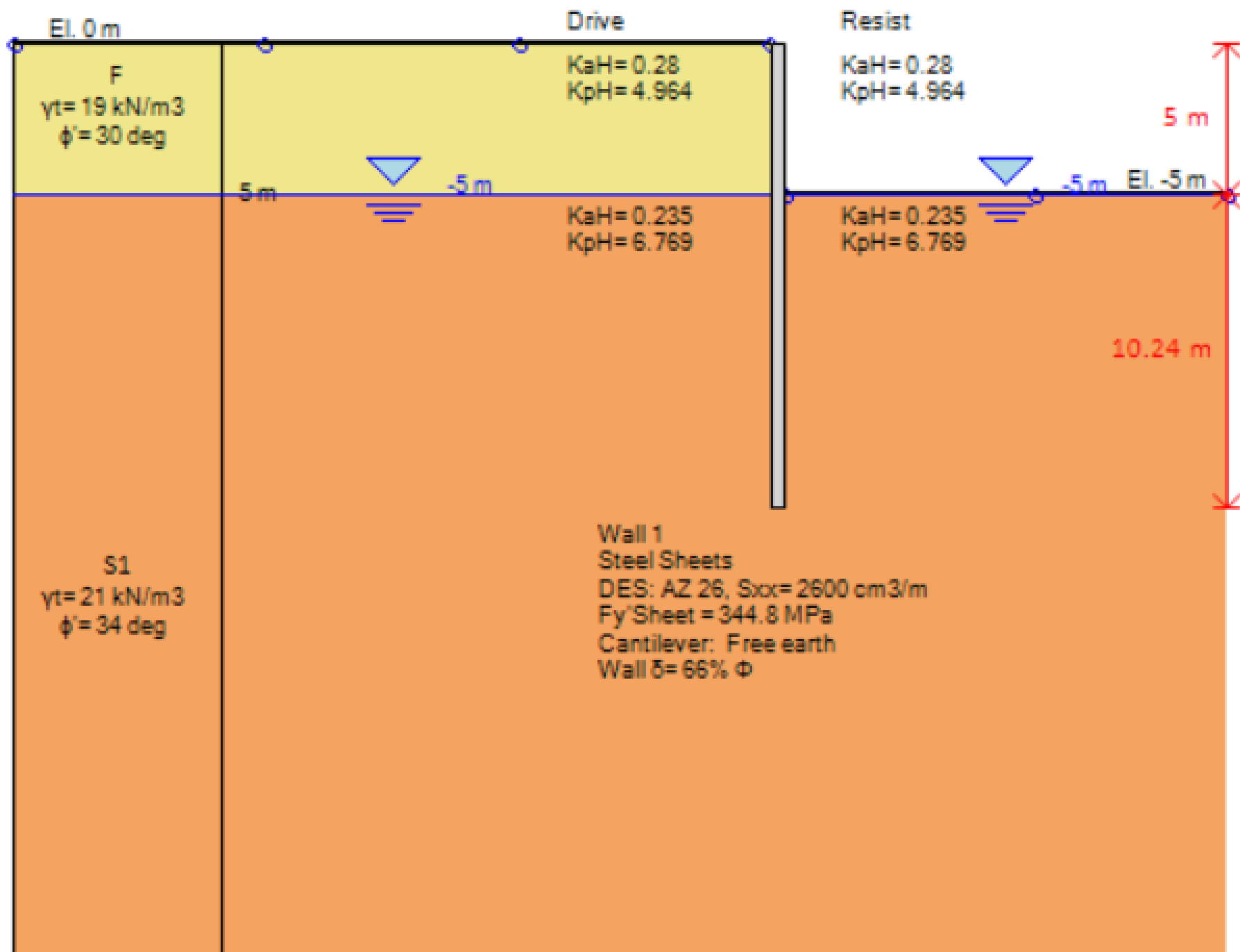
Passive Coefficient K_p				
Parameters	Horizontal Surface	Inclined Surface	Wall Friction Considered	Seismic Effects Applied
Method	Rankine	Coulomb	Caquot-Kerisel	Lancelotta



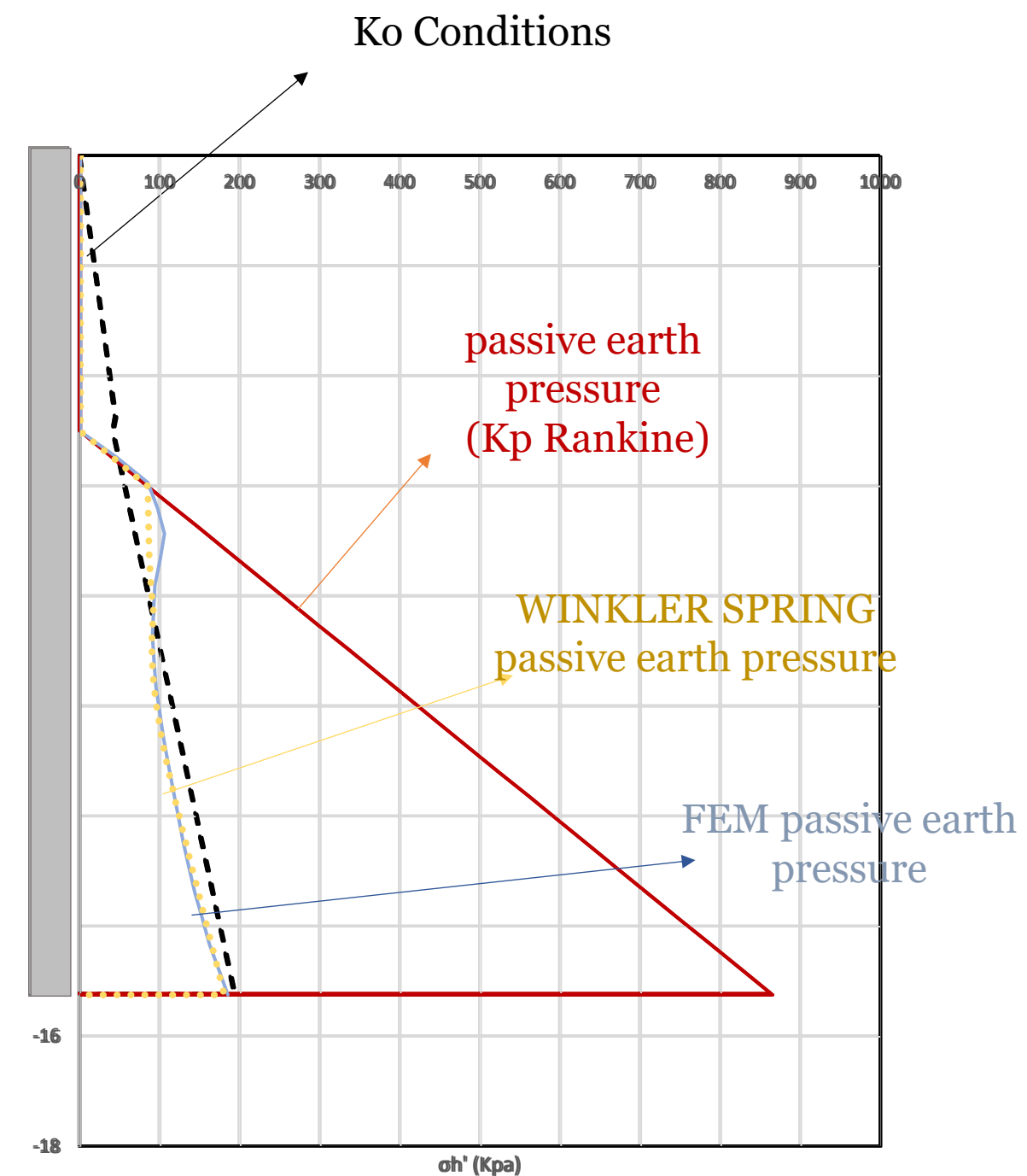
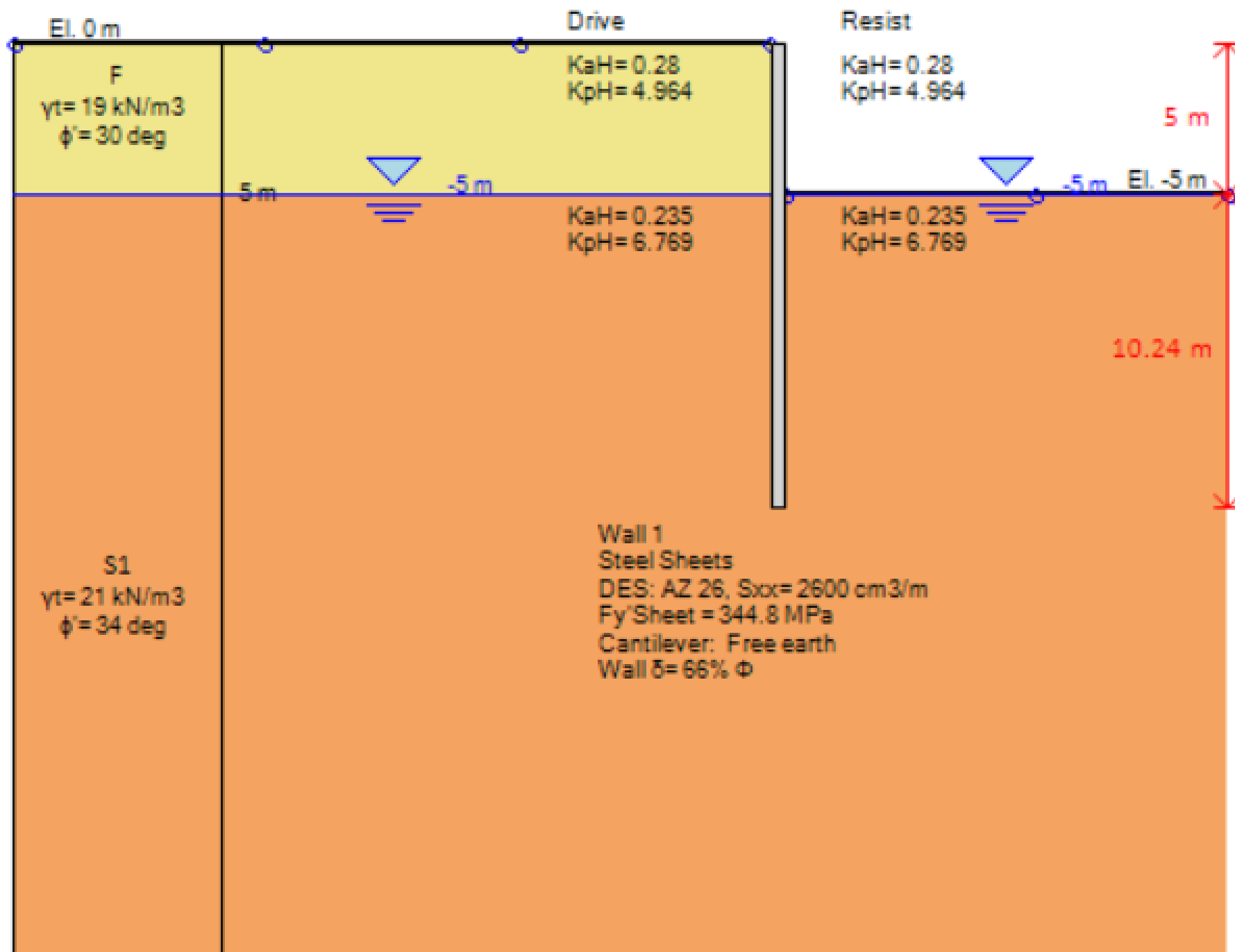


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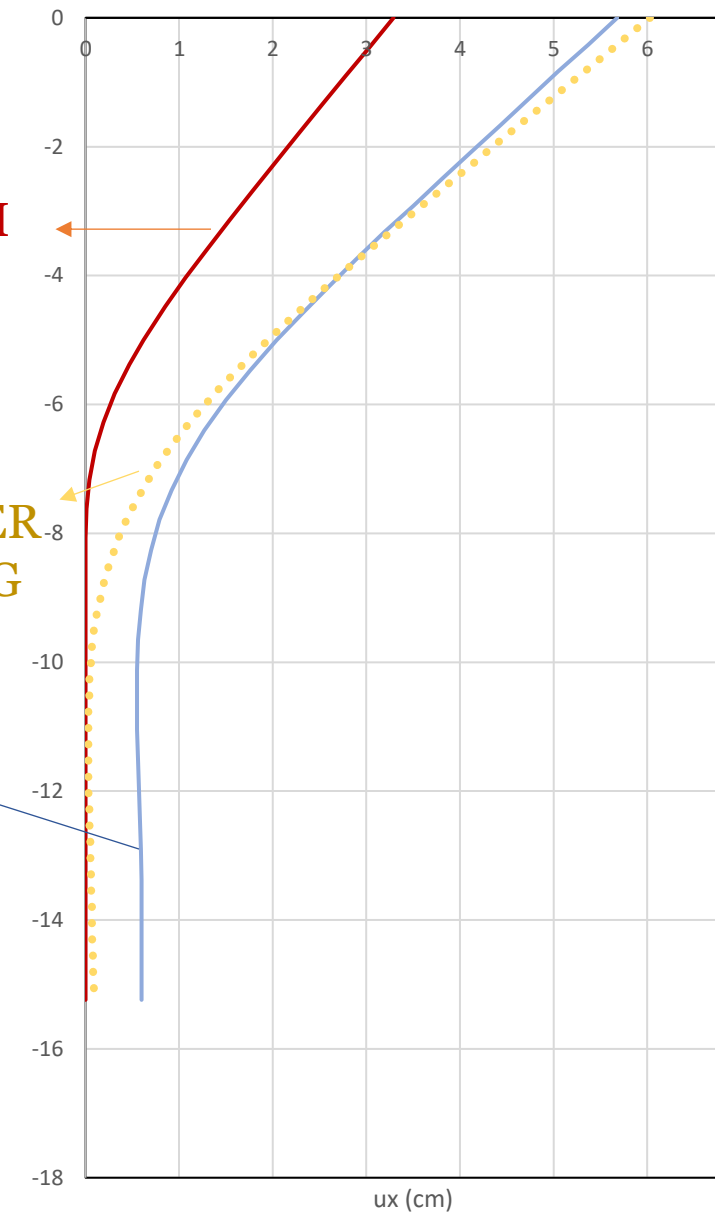
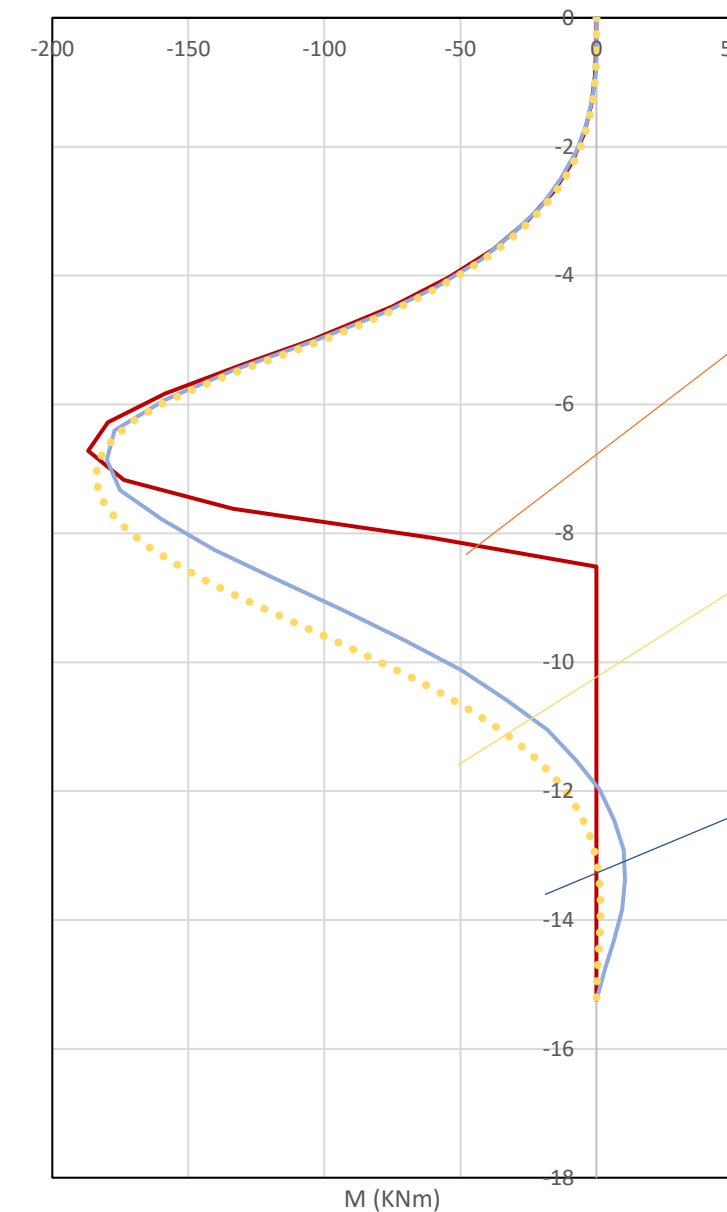
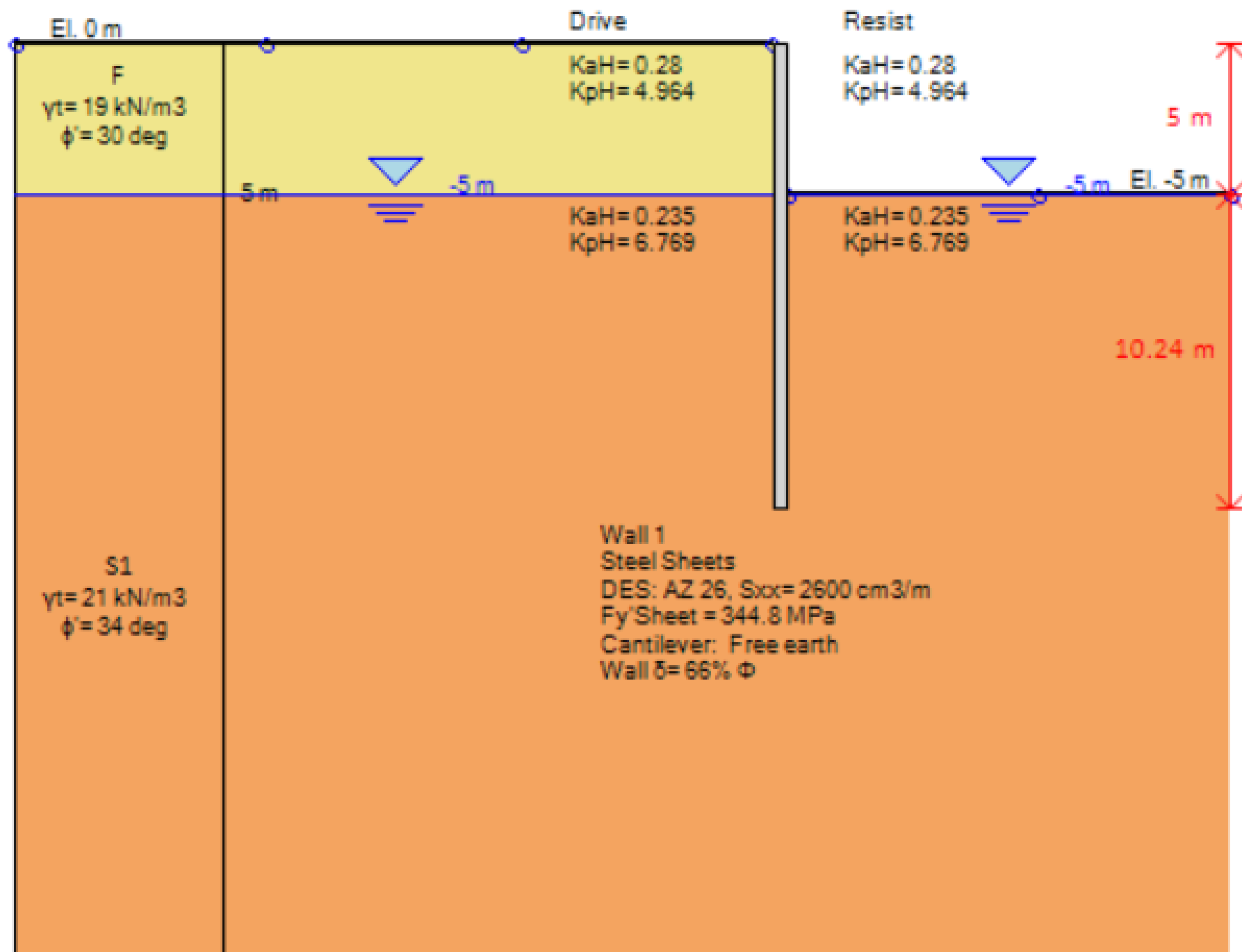




Active pressure



Active pressure



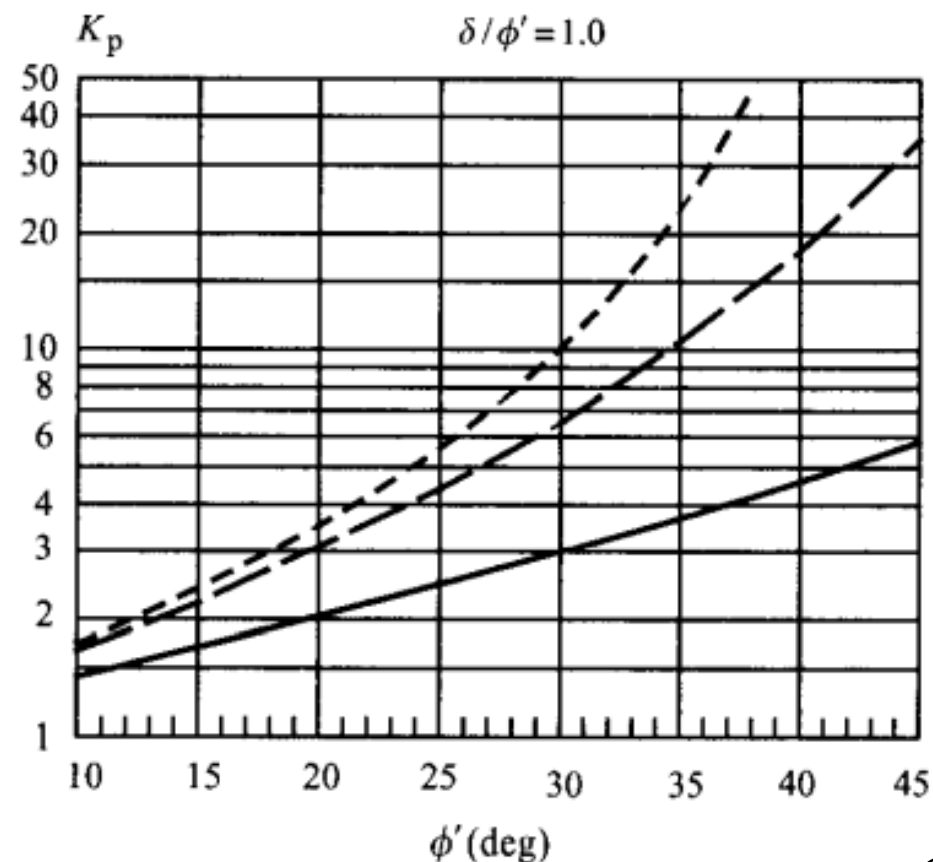
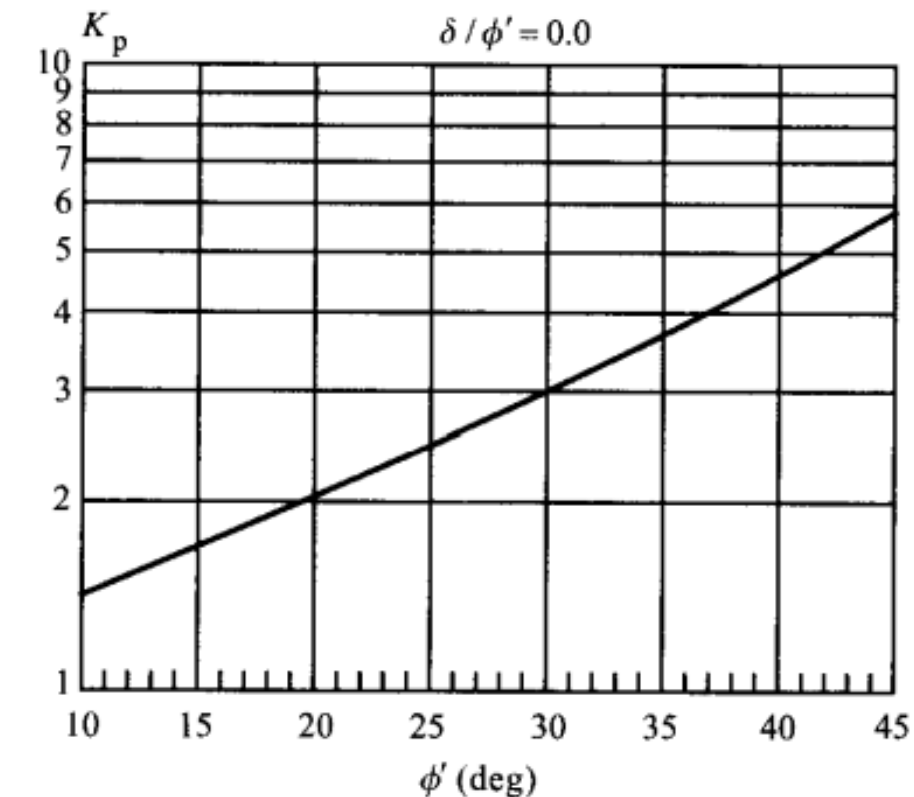
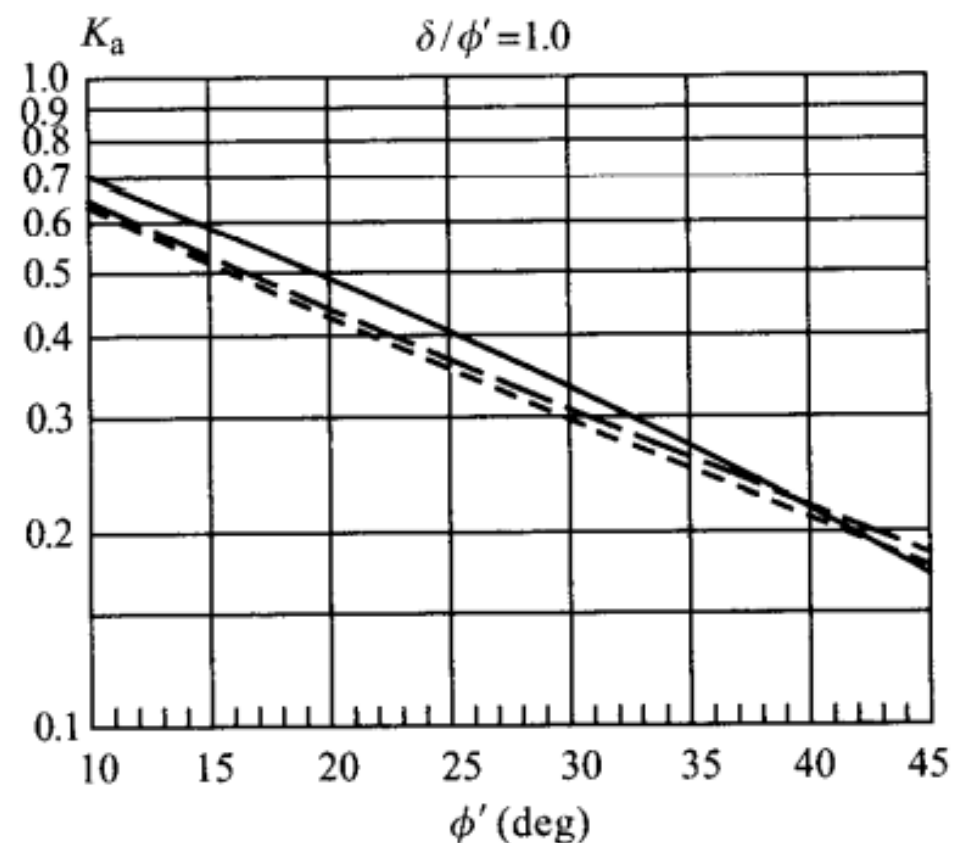
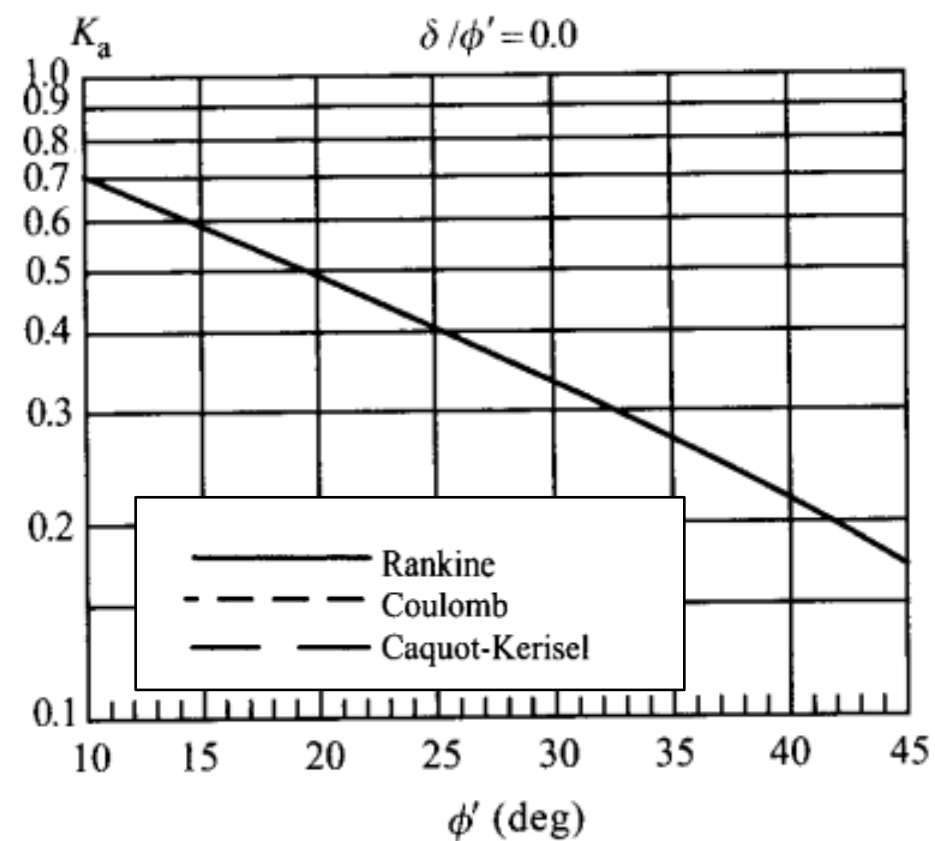
Displacements and moments on the wall



Earth pressure theories comparison:

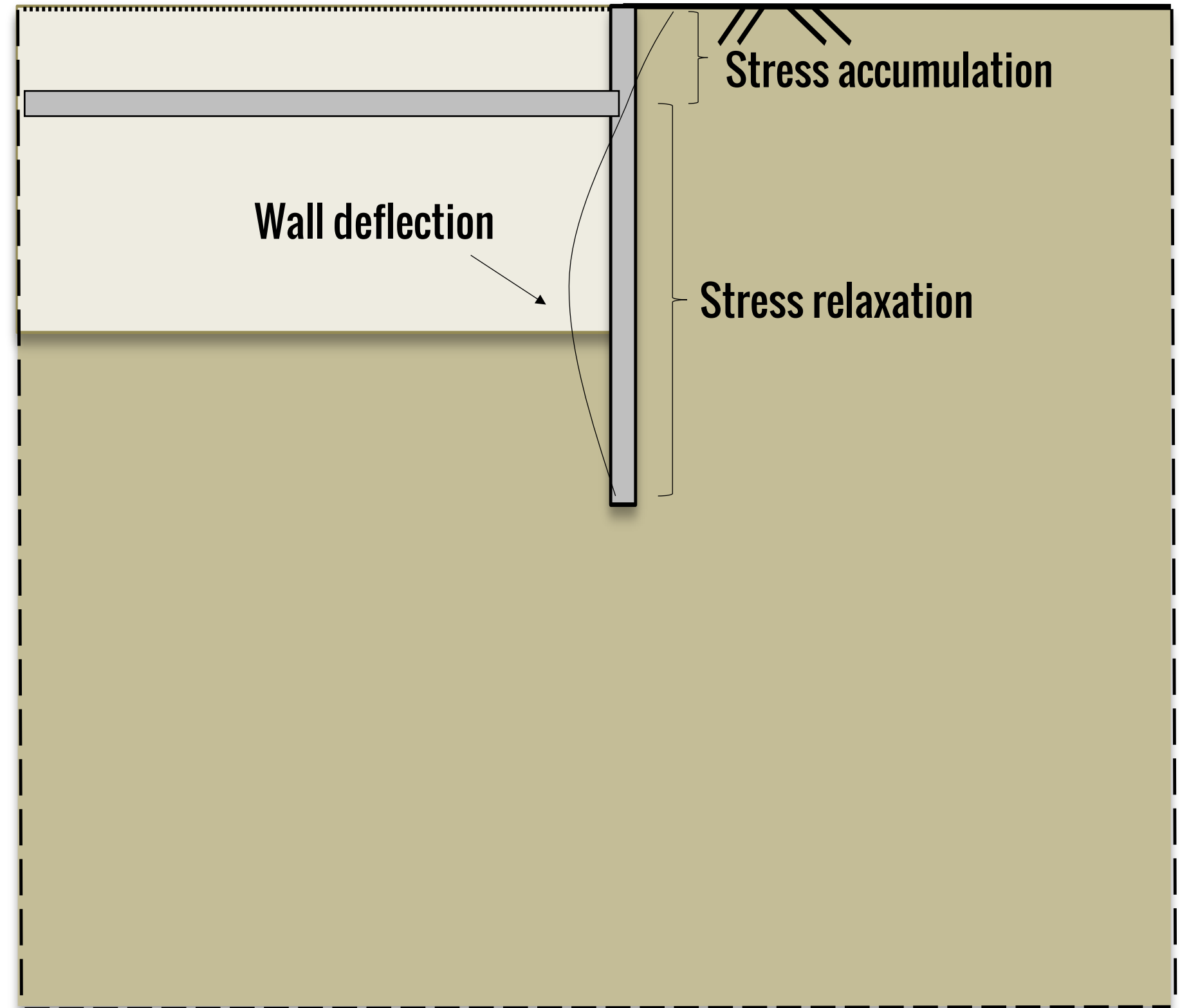
Differences are not that significant in K_a but mainly in K_p

$\delta=0$ all methods identical, for $\delta>0$ difference higher for higher δ



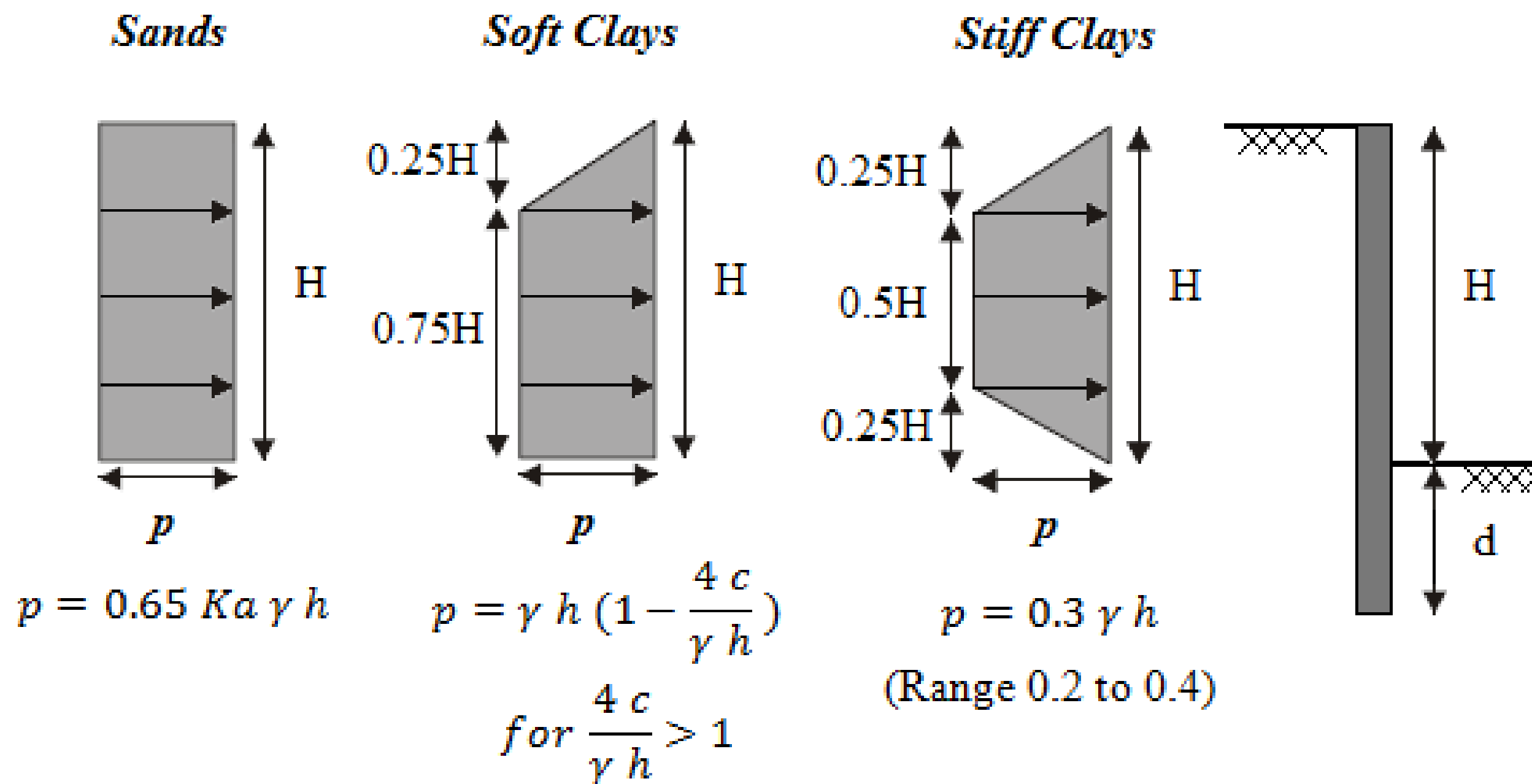
Apparent earth pressures

- Multilevel supported excavations experience different earth pressures
- effective active pressures multiplied by a factor and redistributed.



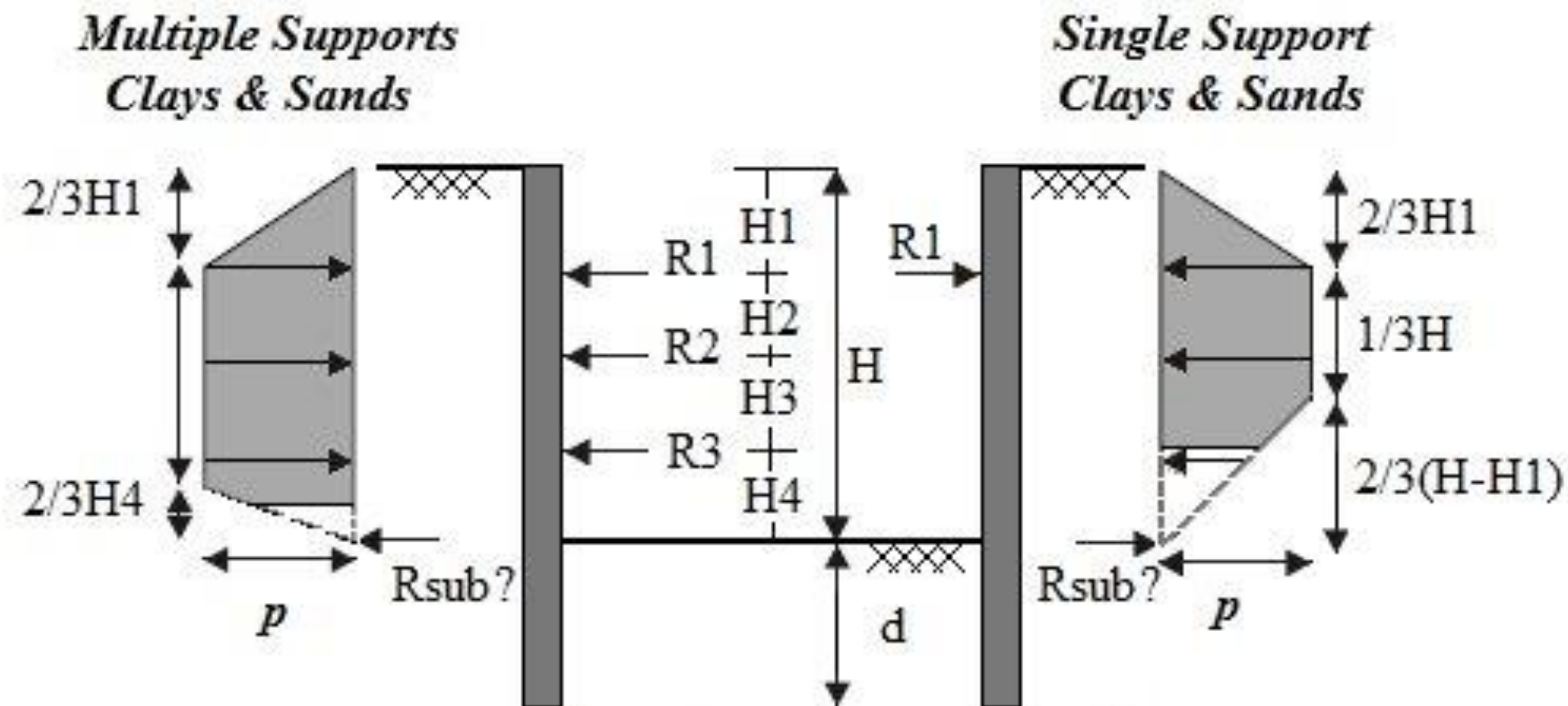
Peck (1969) Method:

- based on multiple measurements of strut reactions of strutted excavations



FHWA Method:

- based on multiple measurements of strut reactions of strutted excavations



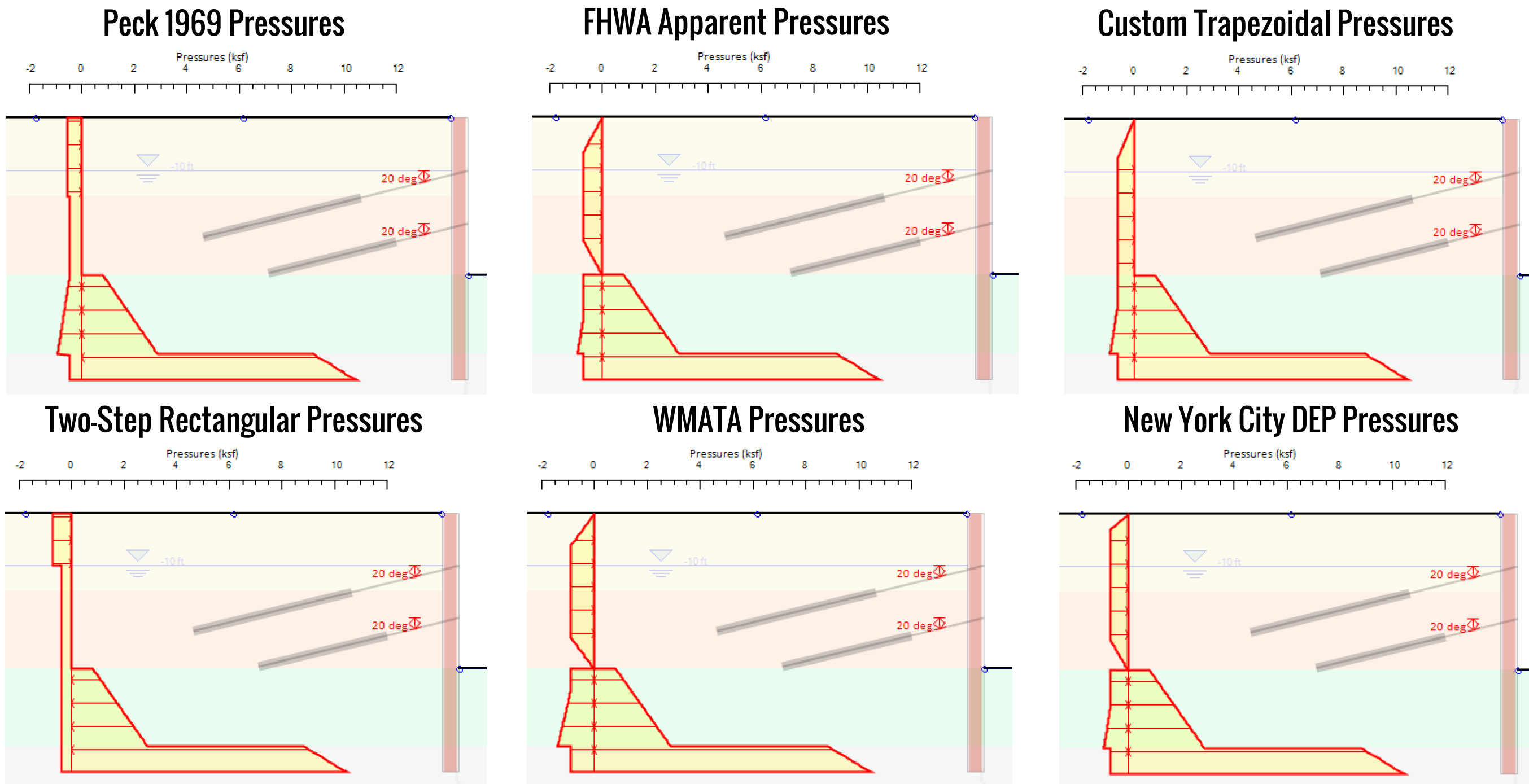
Sands: Total Load = $0.65 K_a \gamma h^2$

Clays: $p = 0.2 \gamma h$ to $0.4 \gamma h$

R_{sub} = Apparent virtual reaction at subgrade

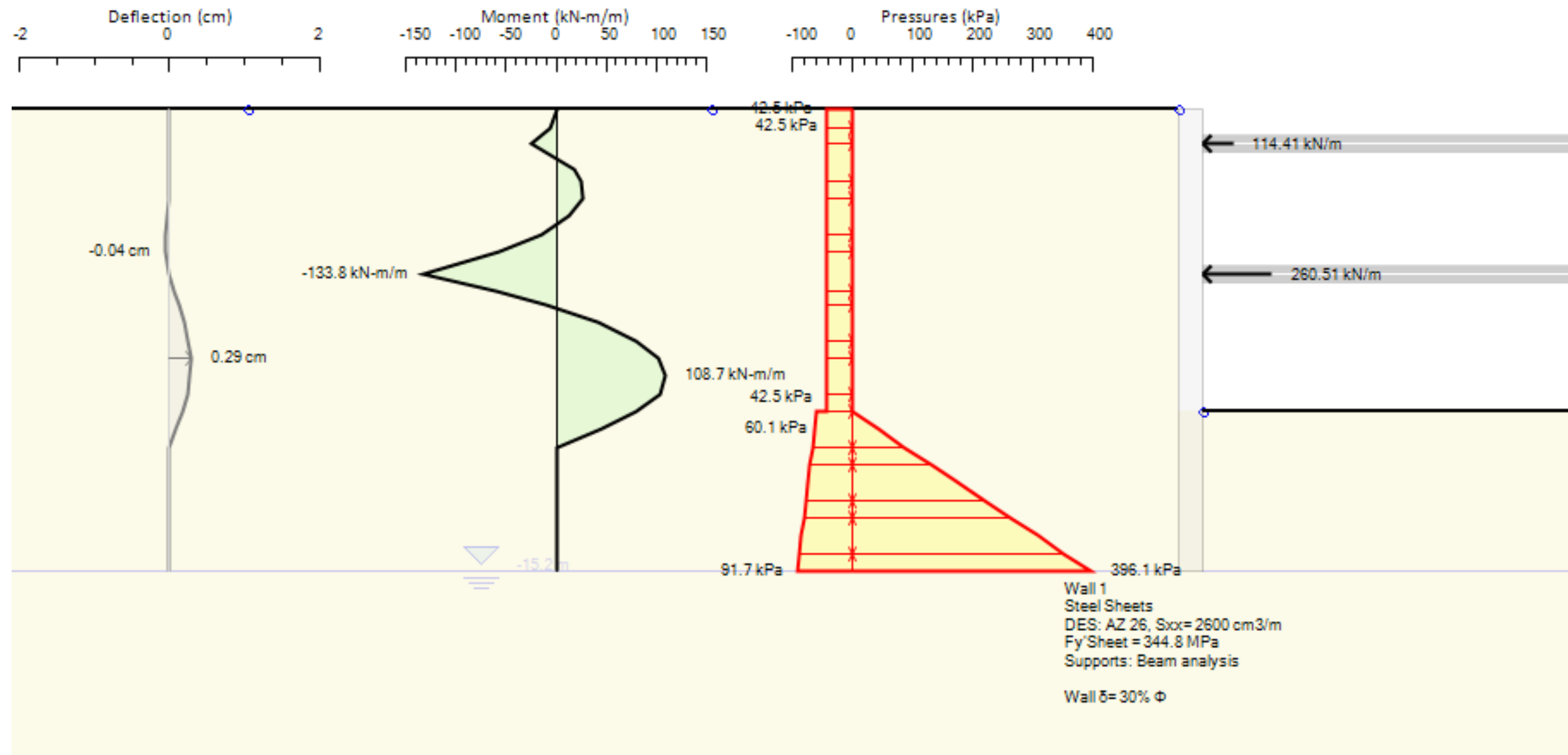


Construction Stages with multiple support levels

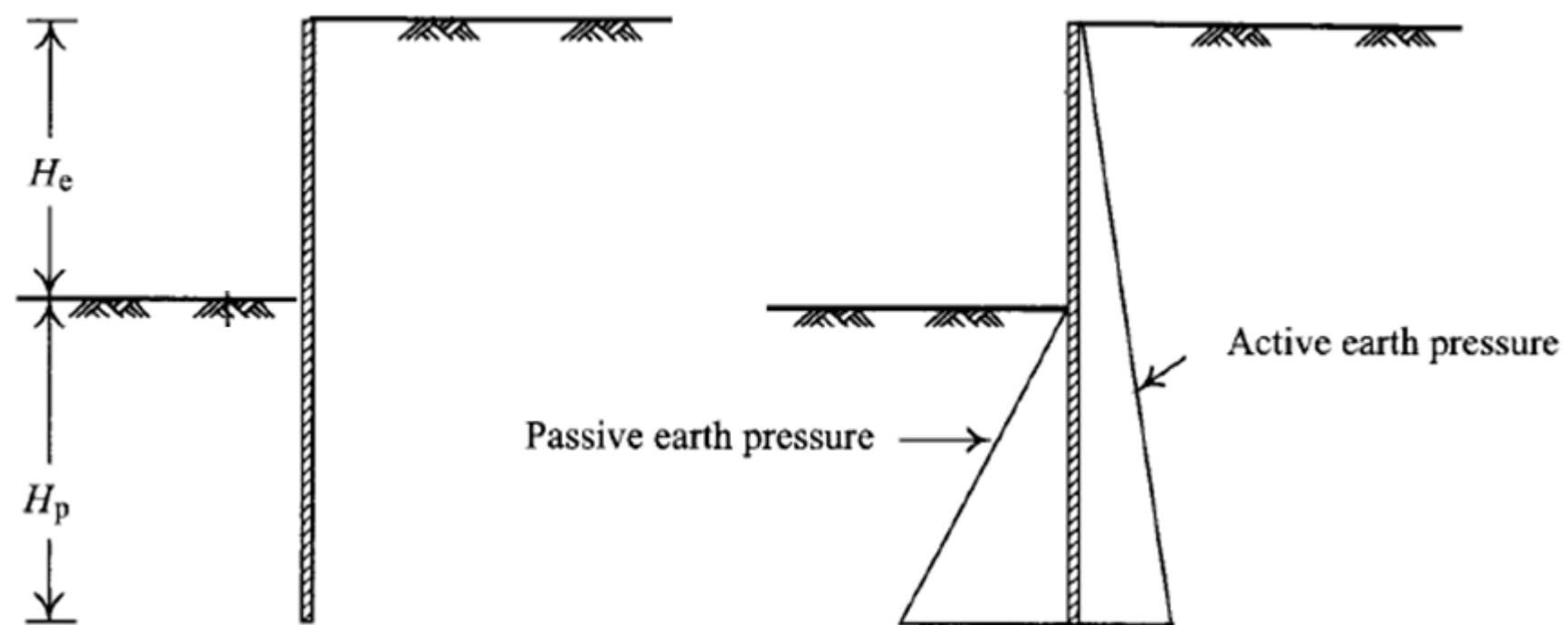




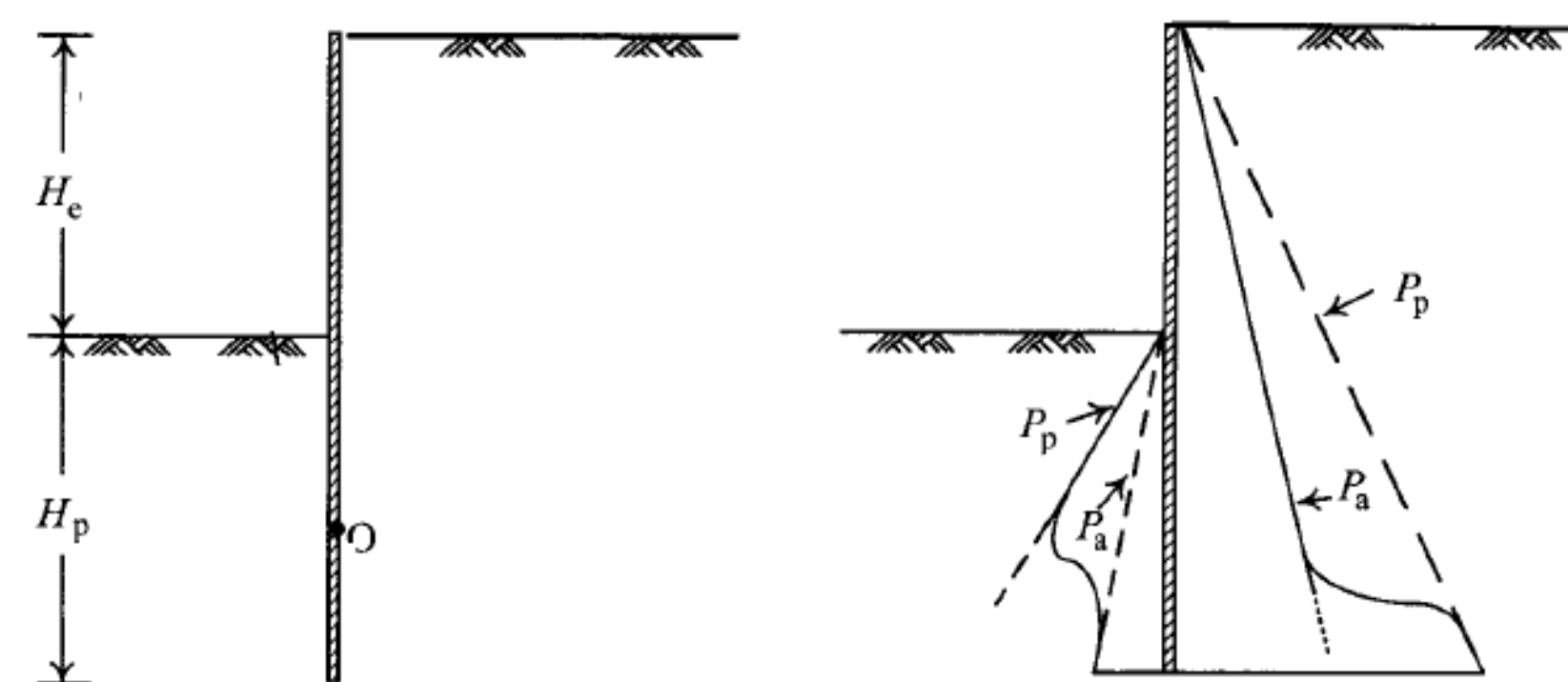
Example 2:



Free earth method



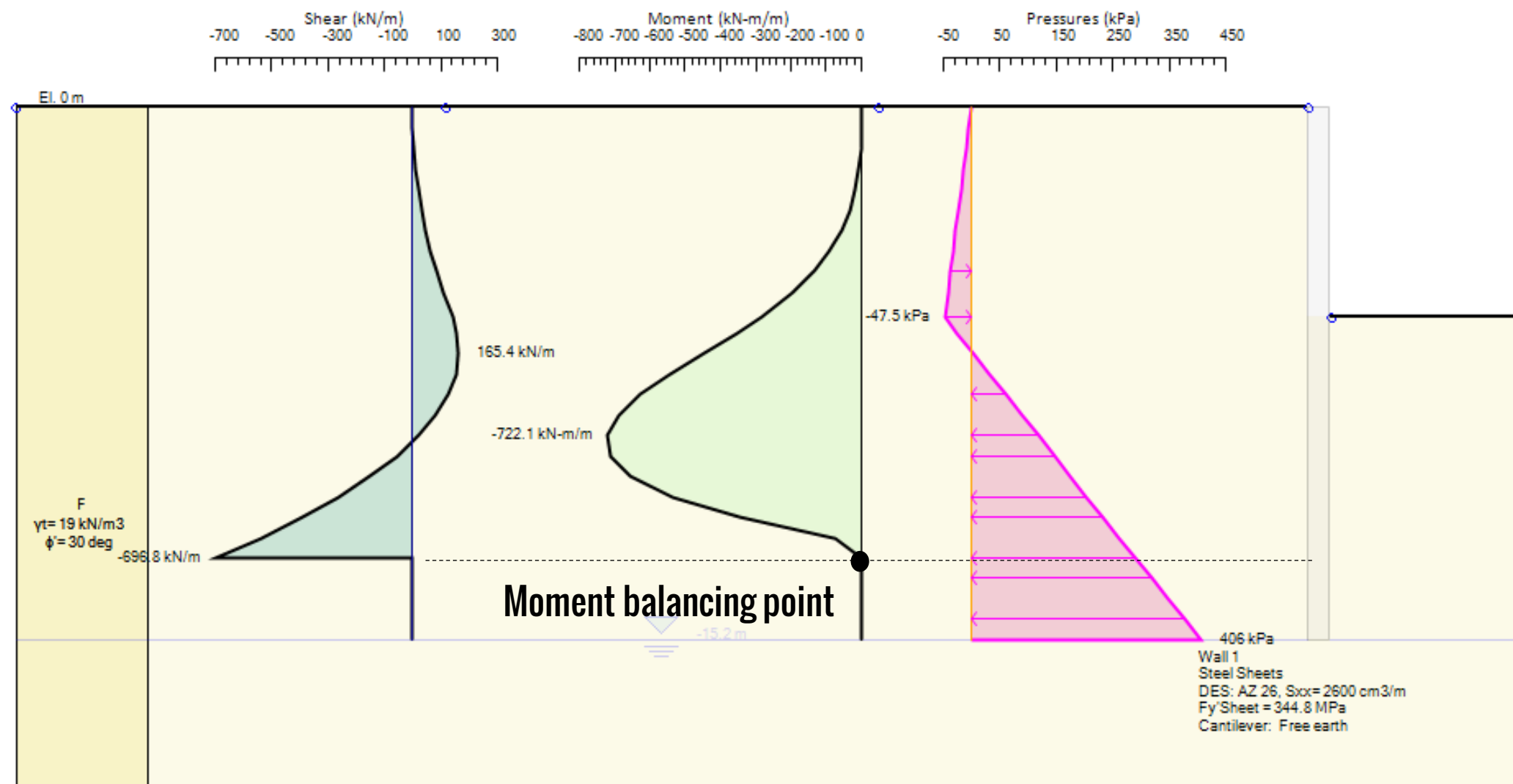
Fixed earth method





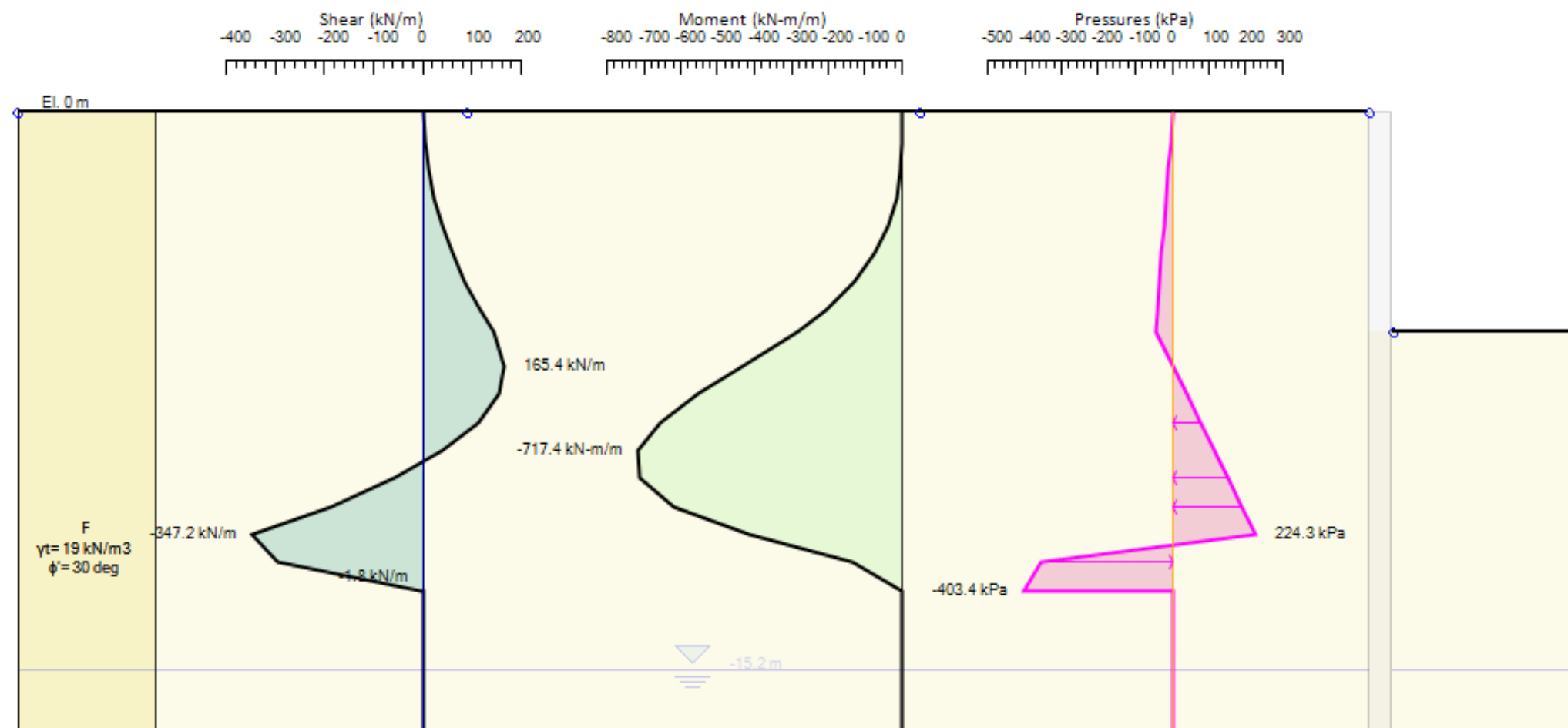
Free earth method

Balances out Moment - Shear not balanced



Fixed earth method

Reversal of active-passive stress bellow pivot point
Comparison with advanced methods is recommended

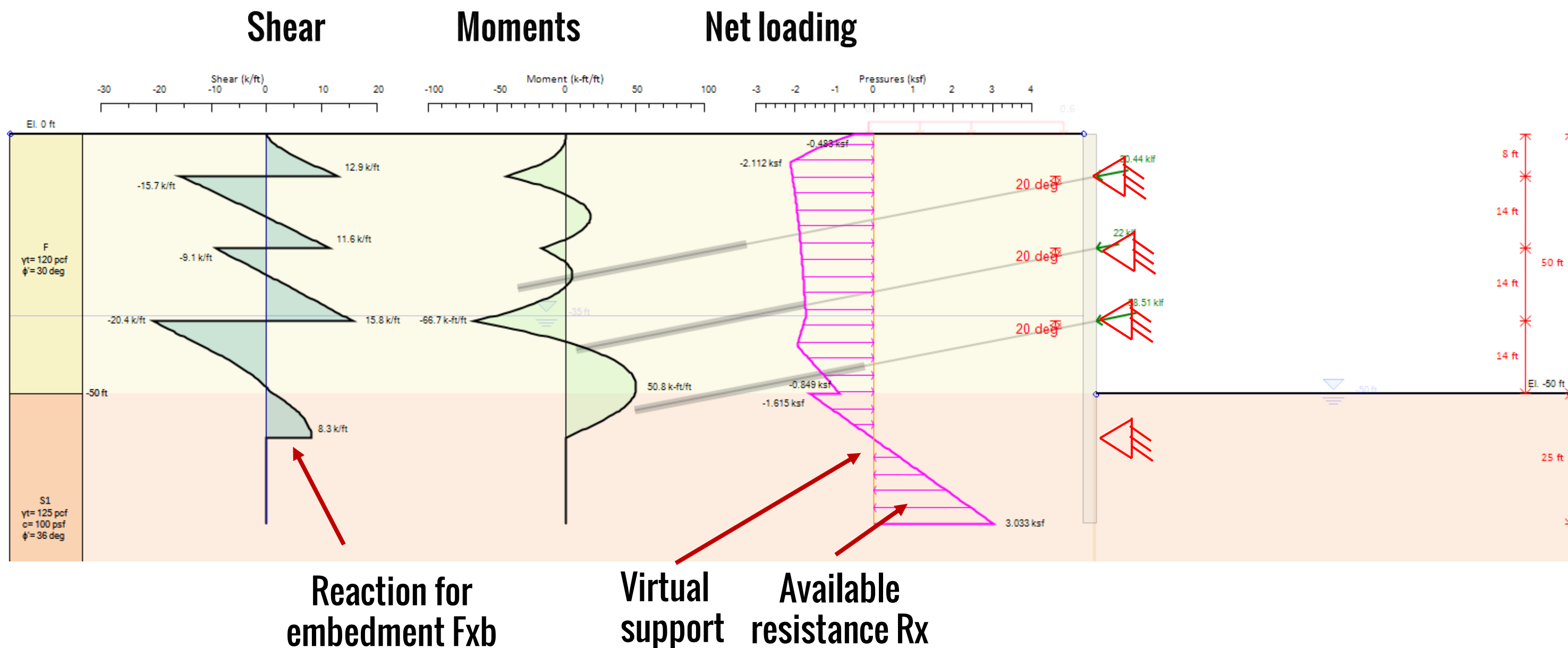




- **Blum's method**
- **FHWA method with simple spans (GEC-4)**
- **Mix between FHWA and Blum's**
- **CALTRANS Trenching and Shoring Manual**



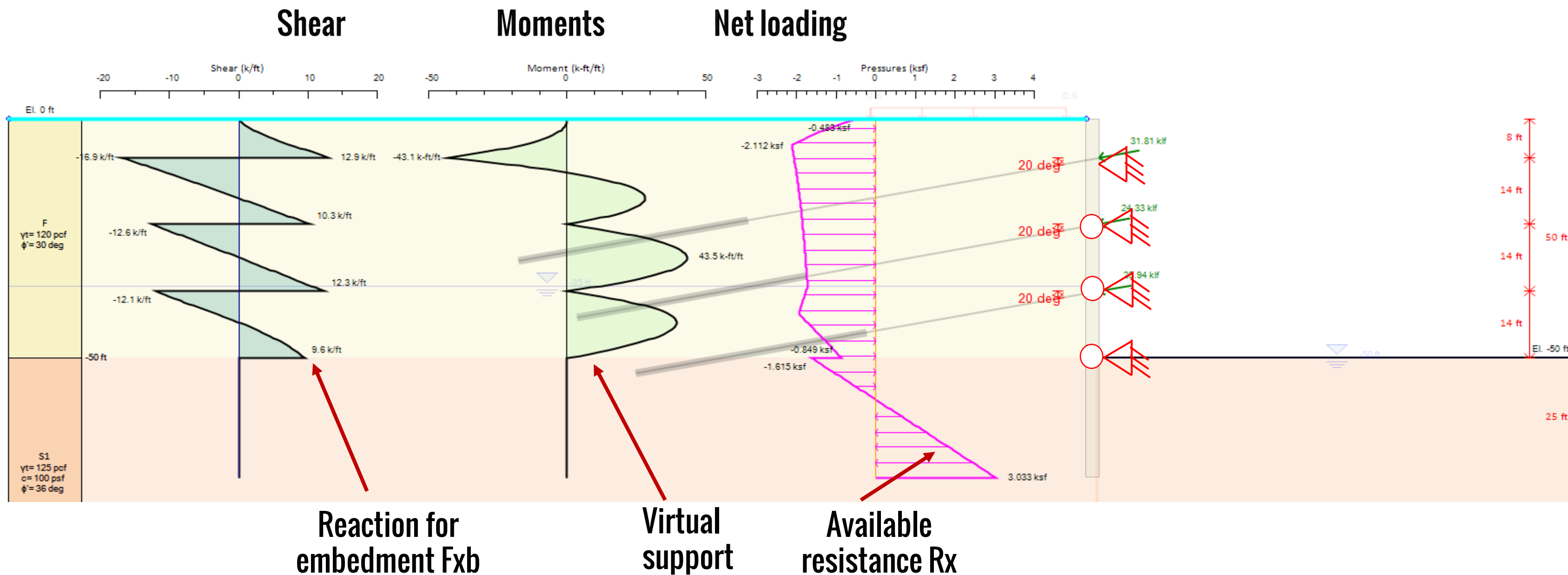
Pinned supports - continuous beam
Point of zero net soil shear below subgrade.
Use point of zero shear as a virtual support.



Conservative approximation of reactions, but non conservative calculation of Moment II



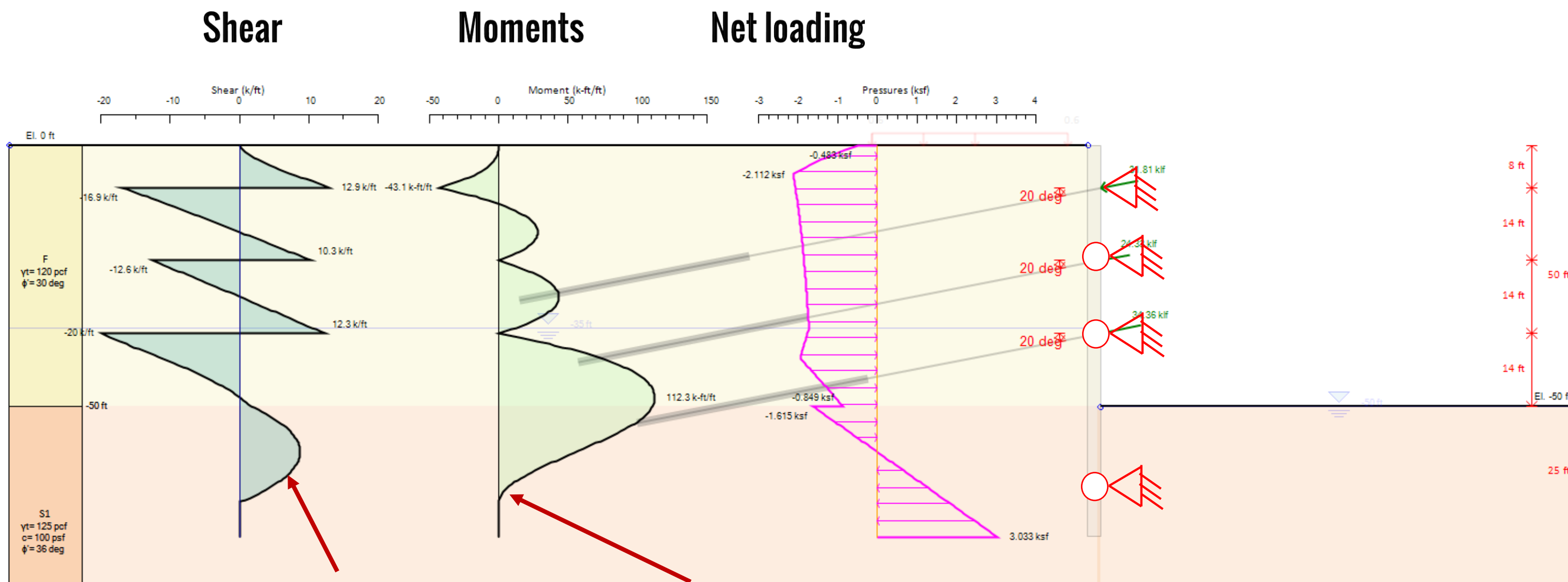
Pin support at excavation base, simple spans



Lower support reactions, no negative moments, but higher positive moments



Pinned supports - simple span
Base at point of zero moment below bottom support
Shears and moments balance out



No Embedment Reaction

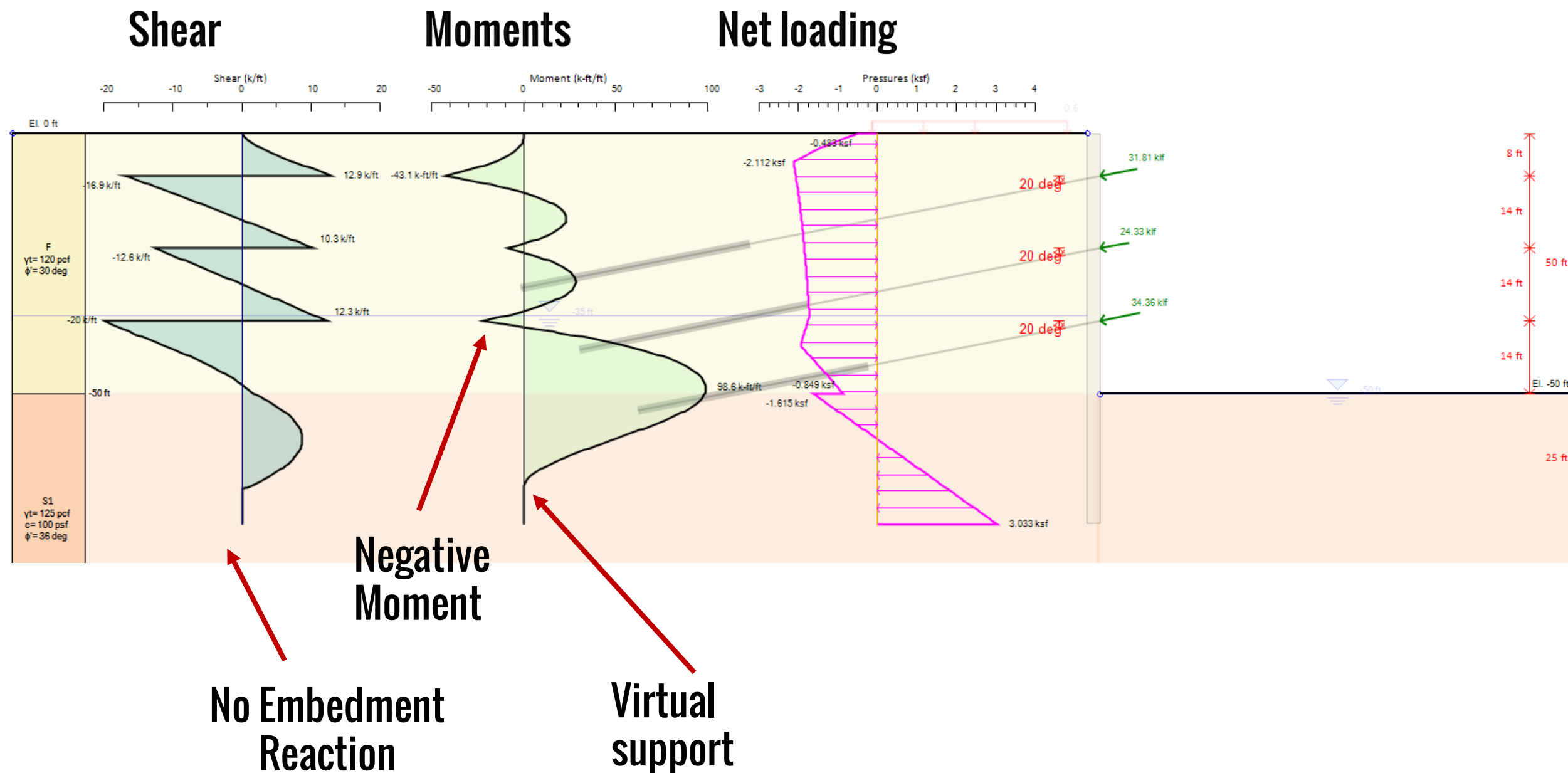
Virtual support

$$FS.rotation = \frac{F_{resist}}{F_{drive}}$$

Lower support reactions, no negative moments, but higher positive moments

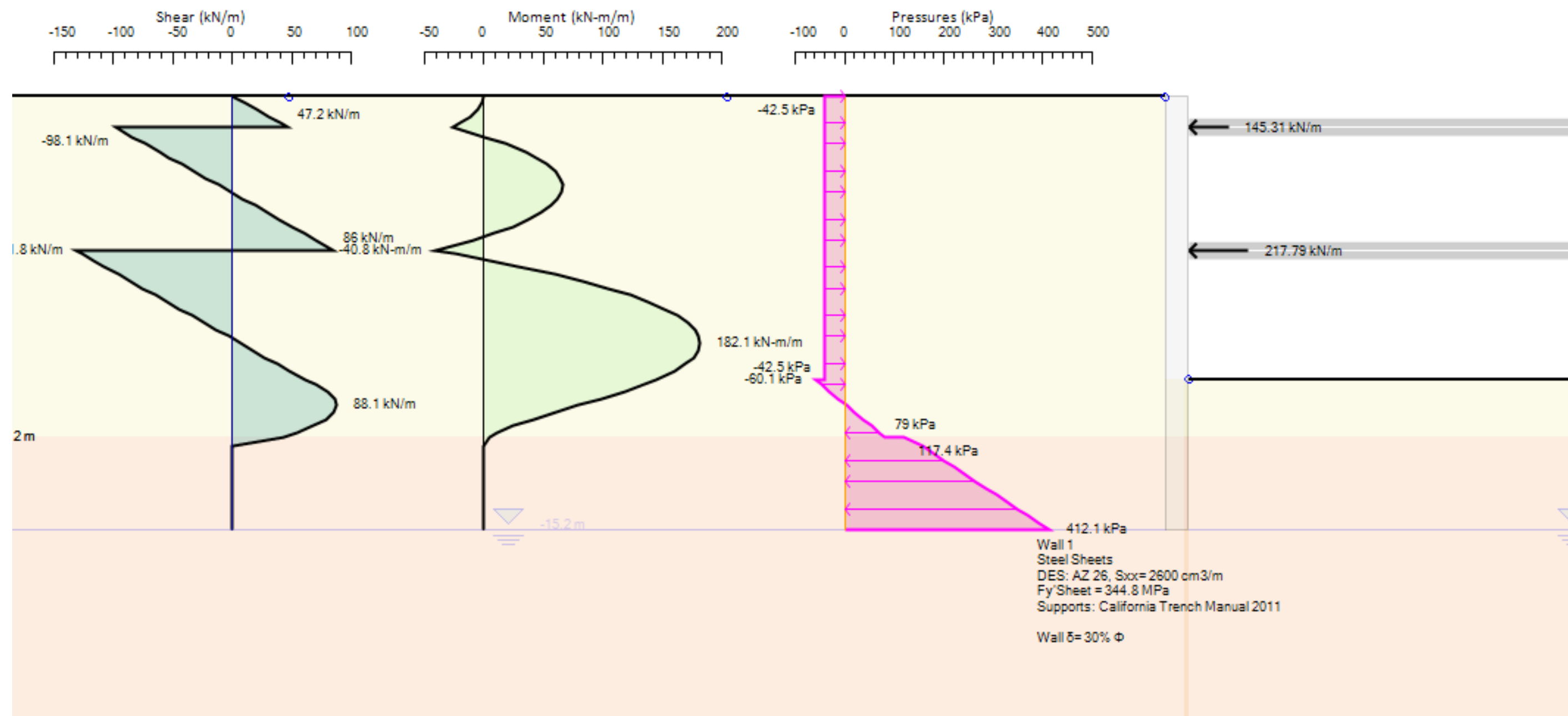


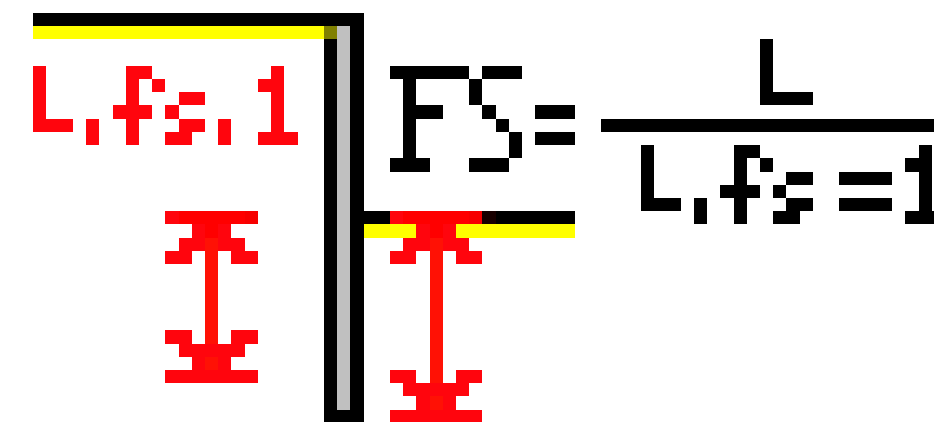
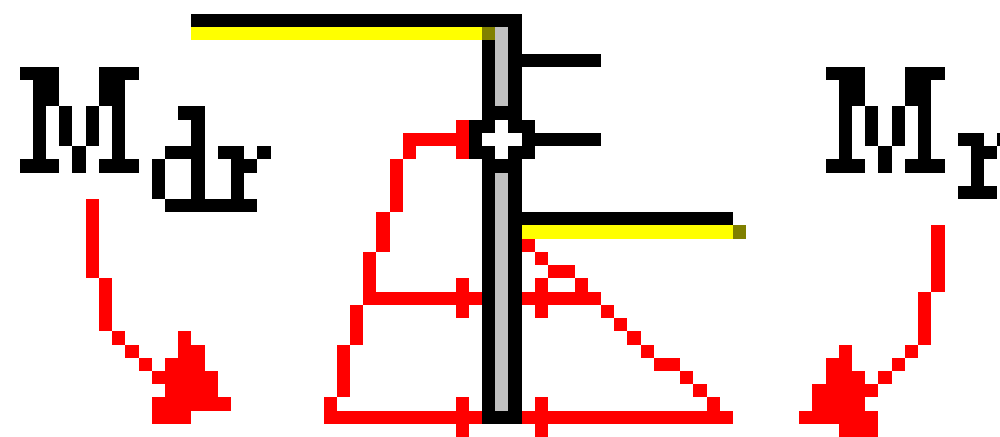
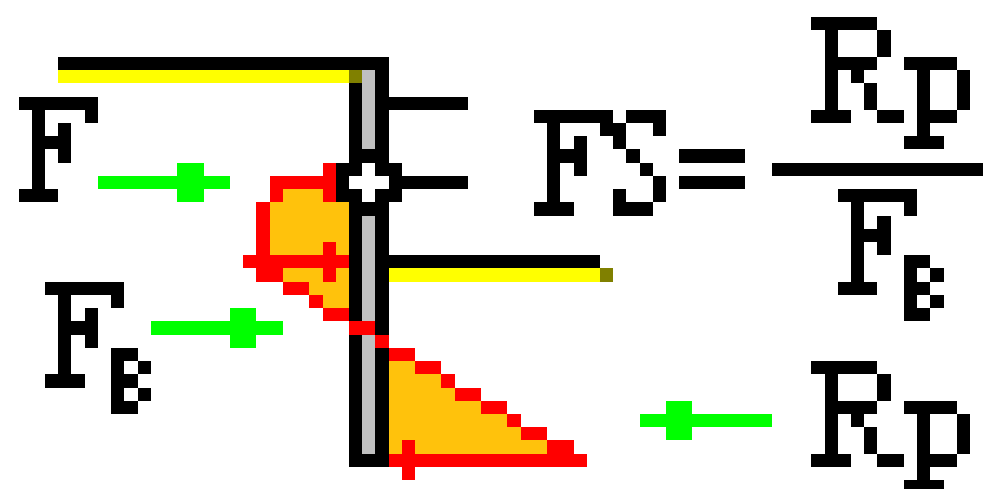
Simple span may be very conservative
Assume negative moments (20% of simple span)





Example 3:





$$FS_{pas} = \frac{\text{Available Resistance beneath virtual fixity point}}{\text{Hor. reaction at virtual point + driving pressures beneath virtual fixity point}}$$

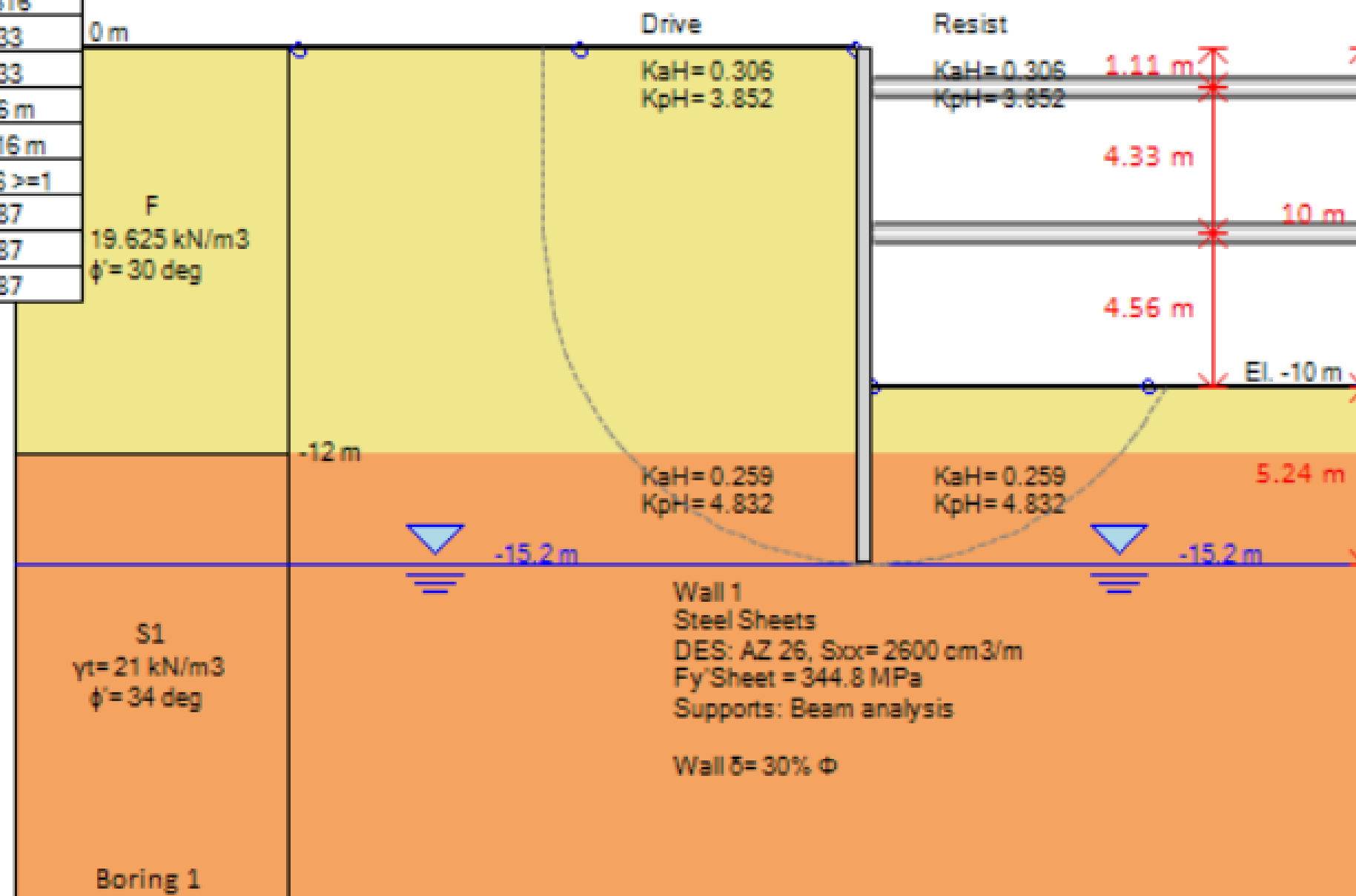
$$FS_{rotation} = \frac{\text{Resisting moments about a point}}{\text{Driving moments about the same point}} \quad (\text{Eq. 9.2})$$

$$FS_{embed} = \frac{\text{Available wall embedment depth}}{\text{Max. Required embedment depth for } FS = 1 \text{ from Equations 1\& 2 above}} \quad (\text{Eq. 9.3})$$



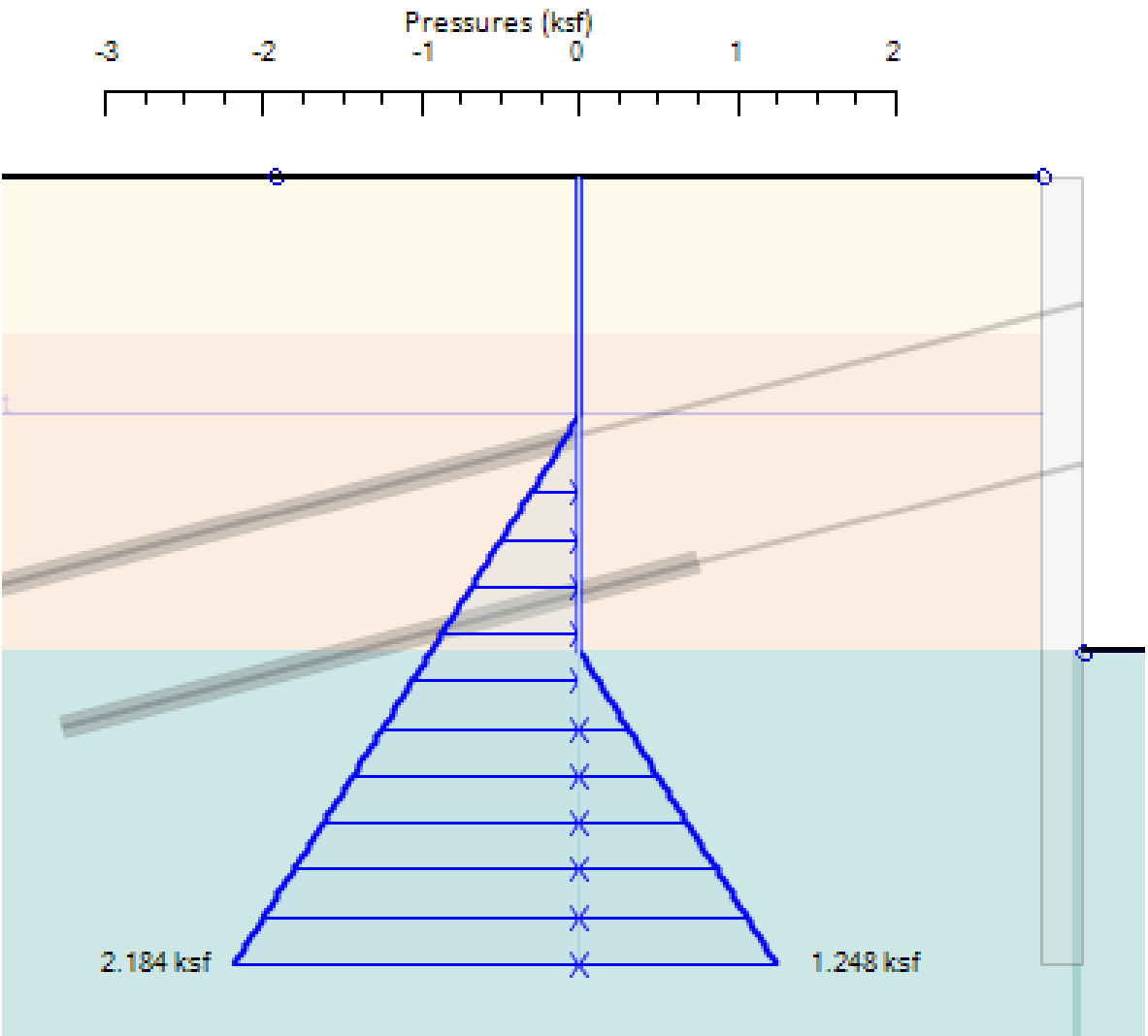
Example 4:

Wall Toe Safety:	Wall 1
Min FS=	2.262
FS Embed=	2.262
FS pas.=	10.616
FS Rot.=	3.333
FS circular=	2.533
Req. toe FS=1:	2.316 m
Toe El. FS=1:	-12.316 m
Note:	Toe FS >=1
FS Basal=	3.587
Basal standard	3.587
Basal standard	3.587

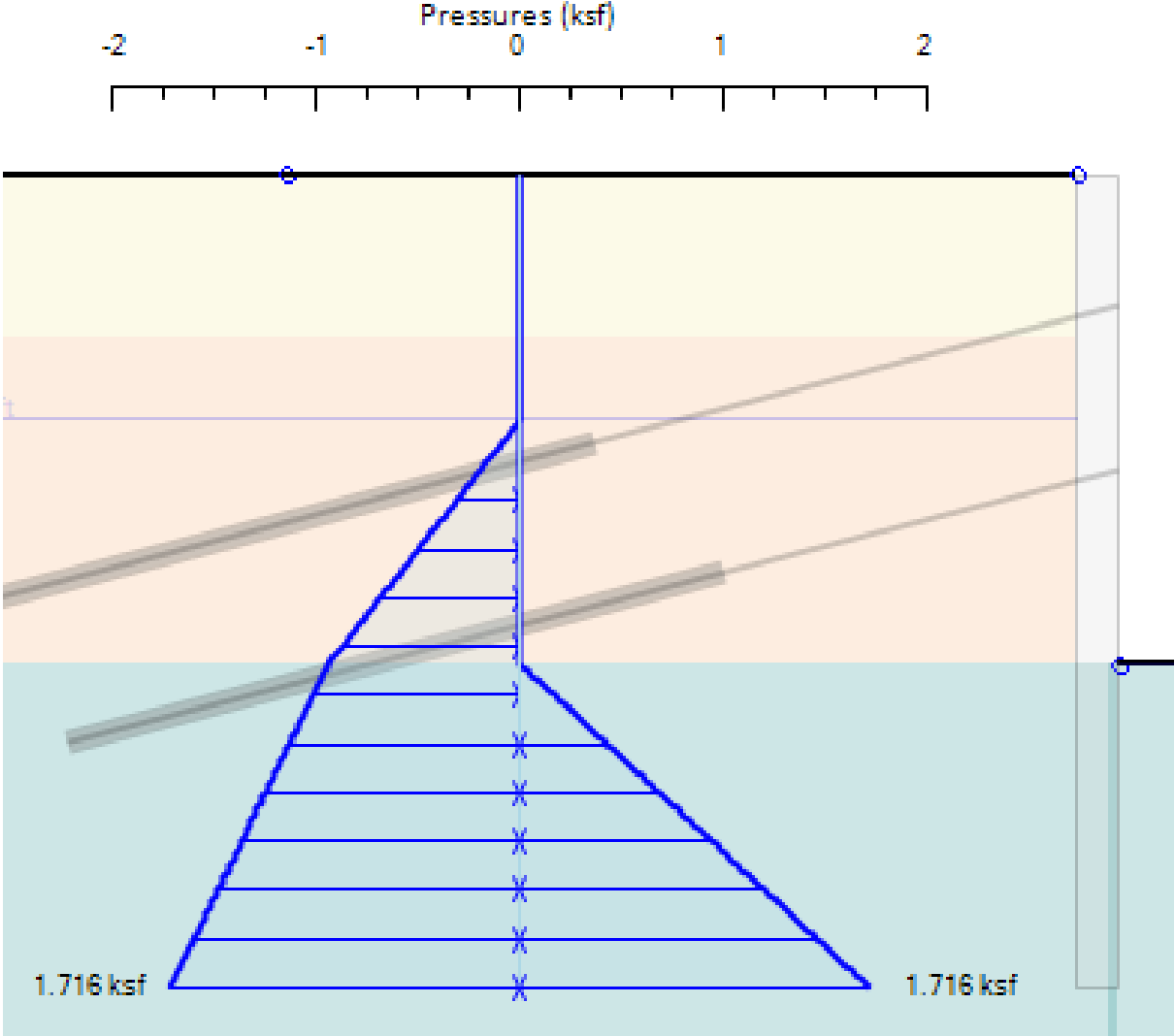




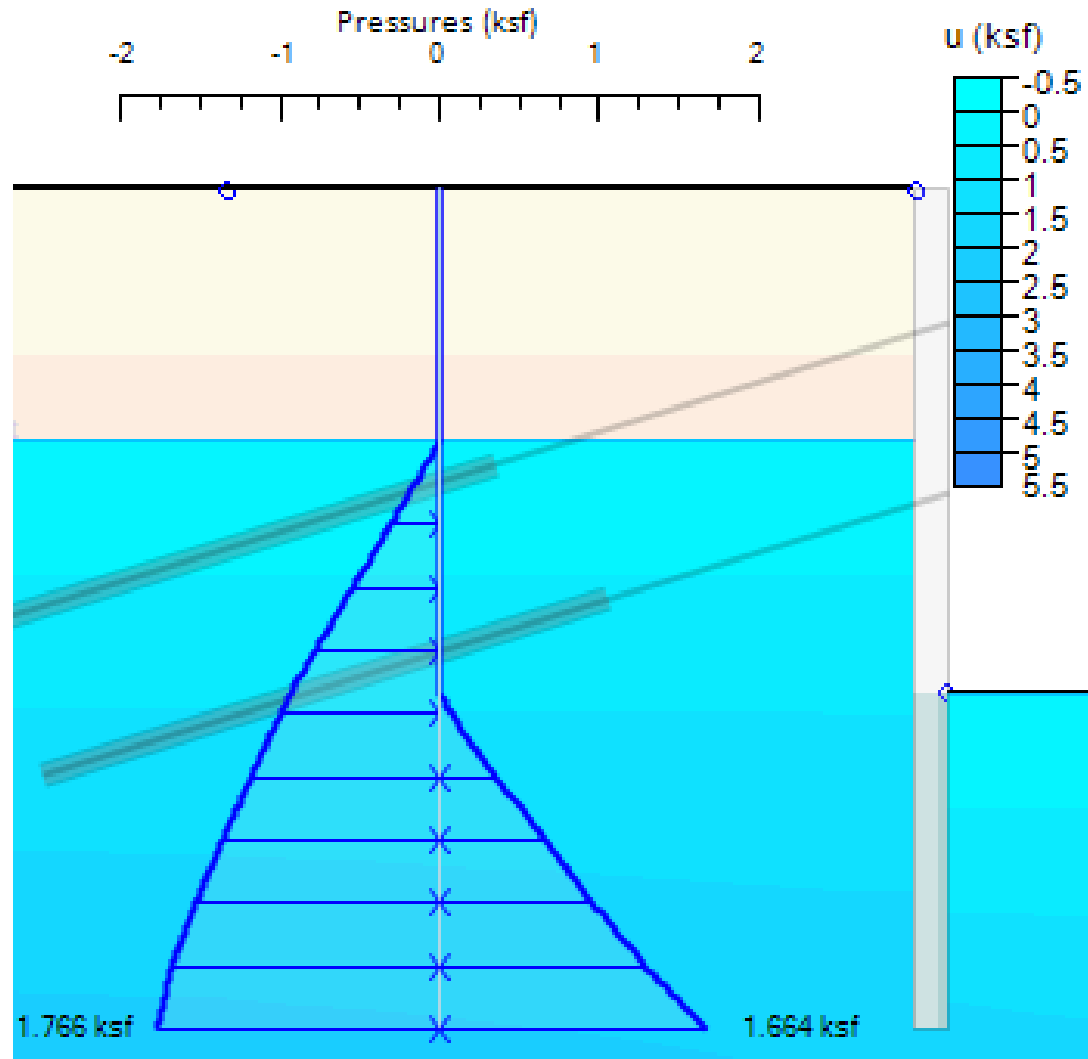
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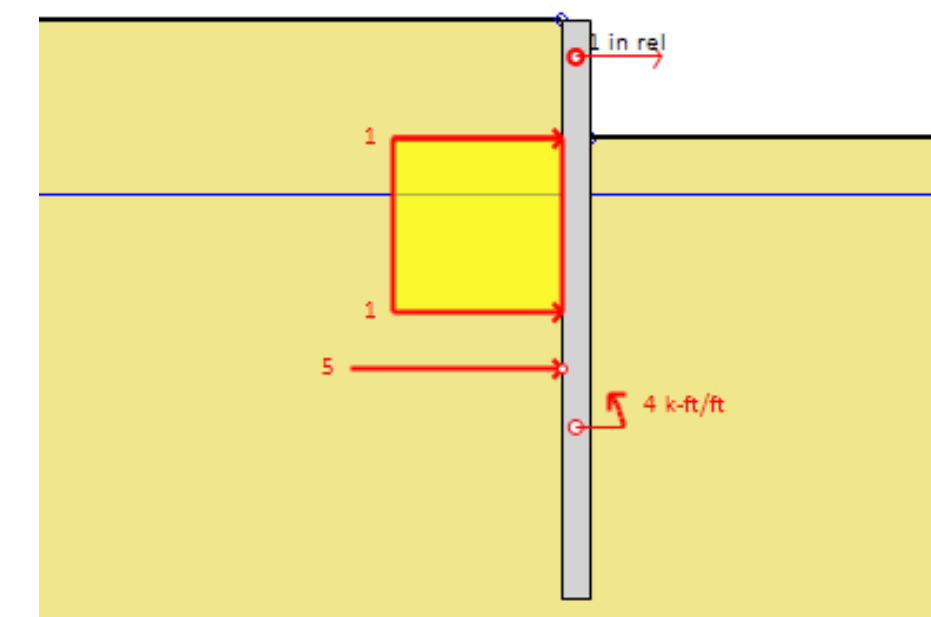
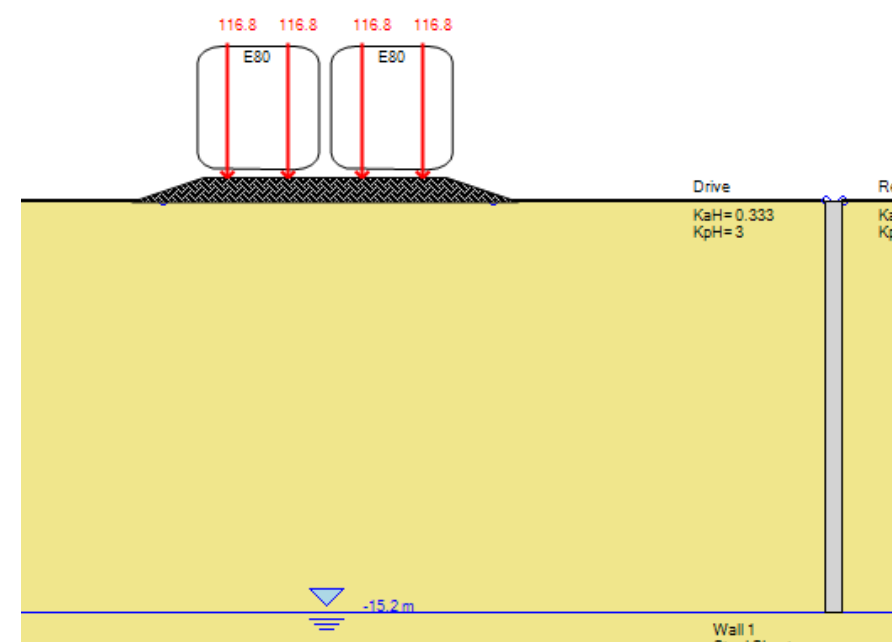
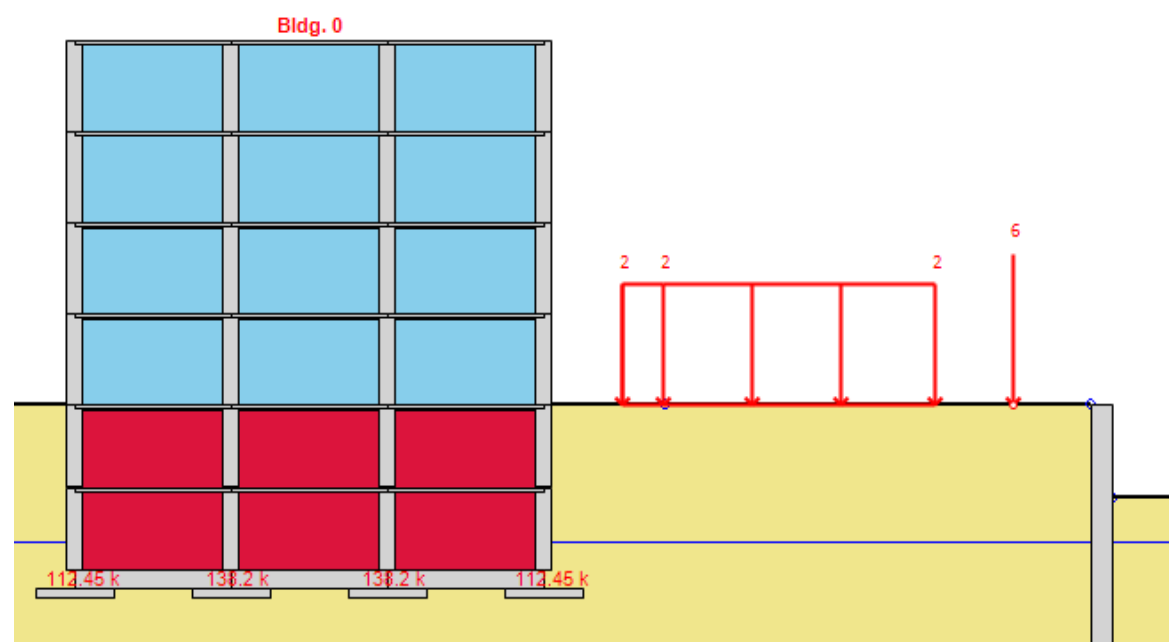


Simplified Flow



Full Flownet Analysis





Loads on ground surface:

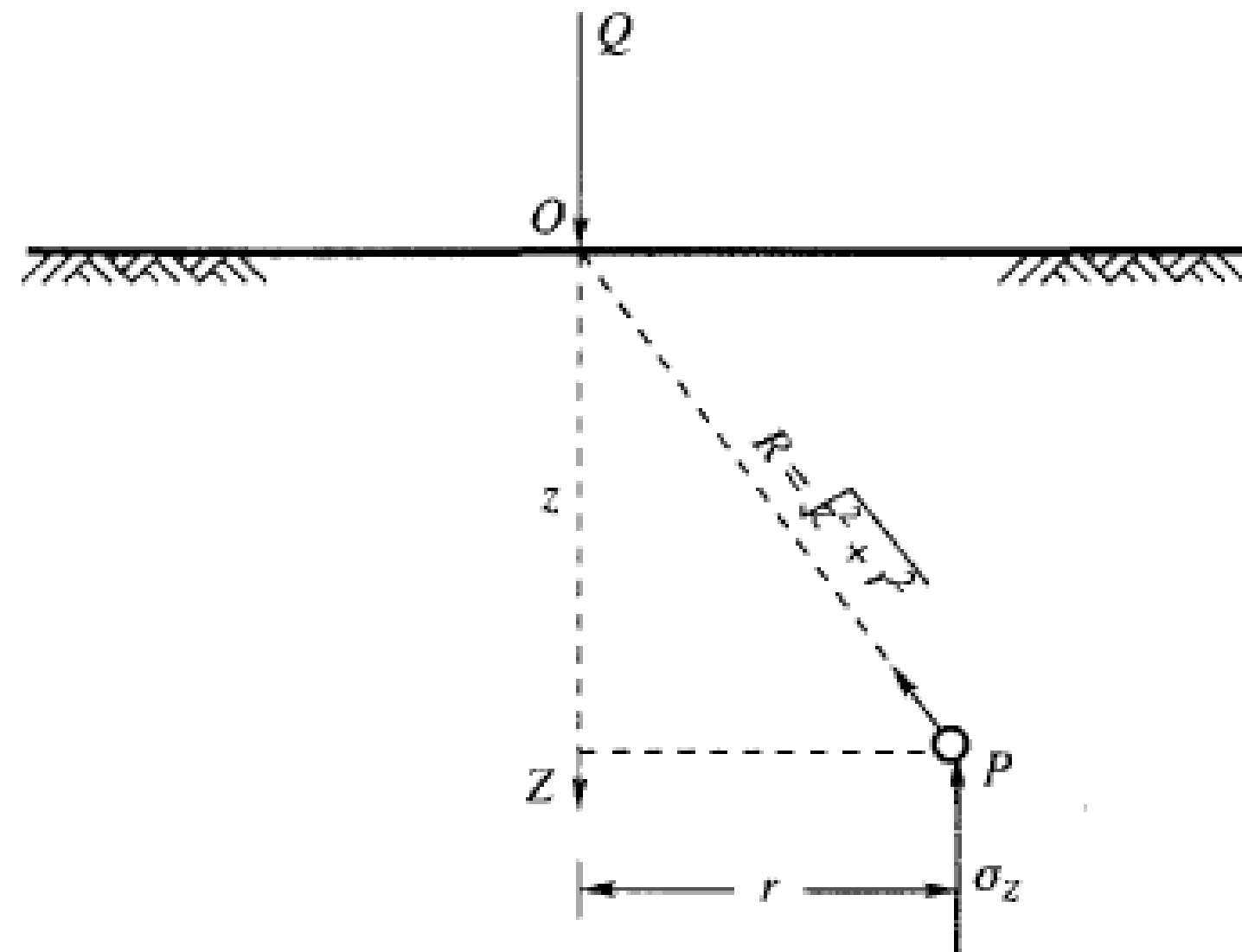
- ✓ Strip surcharges
- ✓ Linear loads
- ✓ Railway embankment loads
- ✓ 3D loads (buildings, footings, 3D surface loads)

Loads on the wall:

- ✓ Strip surcharges
- ✓ Linear loads
- ✓ External moments
- ✓ Prescribed displacements

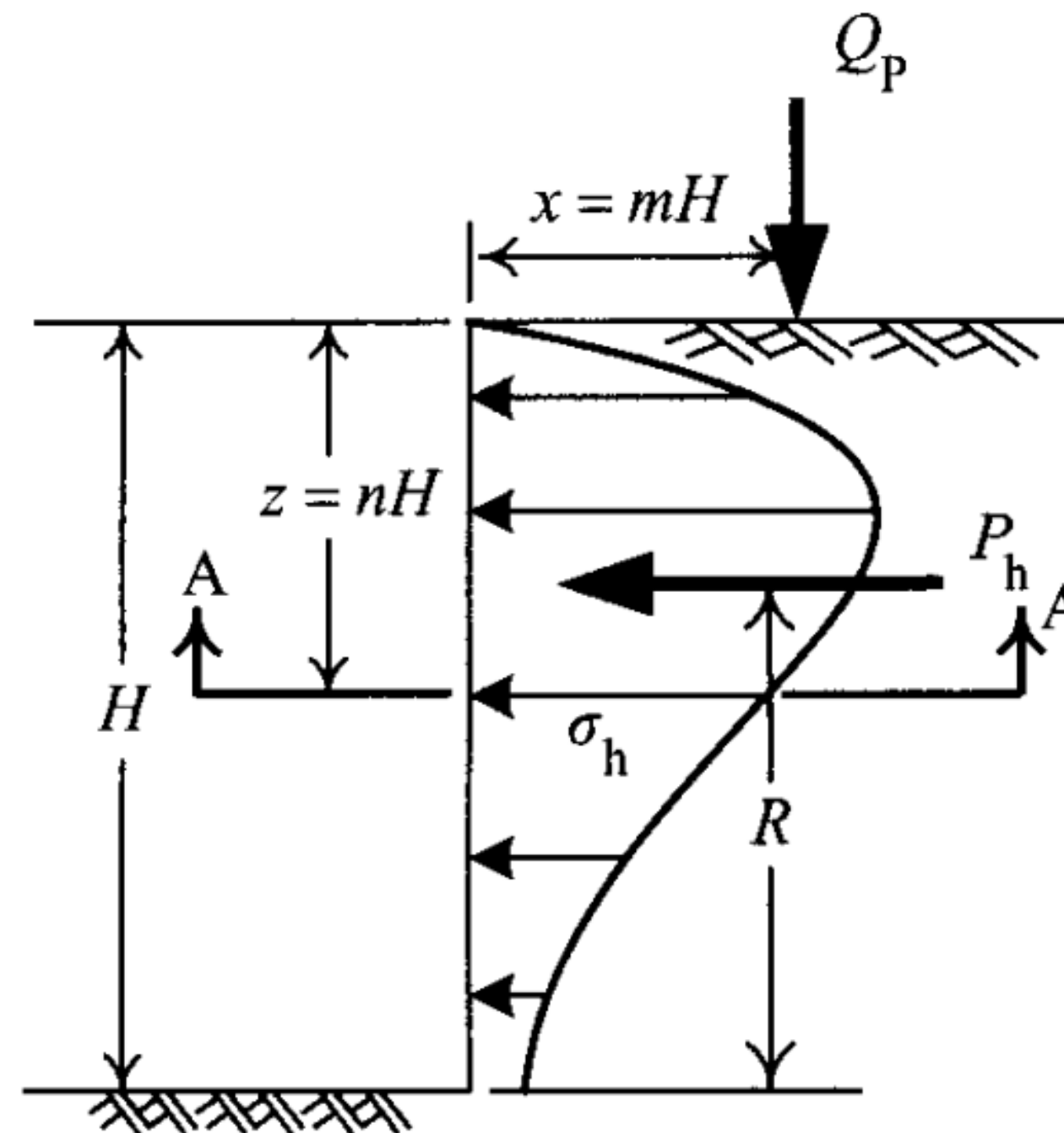
Boussinesq's Equation:

- Point load on the surface of a semi-infinite homogeneous soil mass.
- Wall presence is neglected
- Pressure loads are considered through integration of multiple point loads



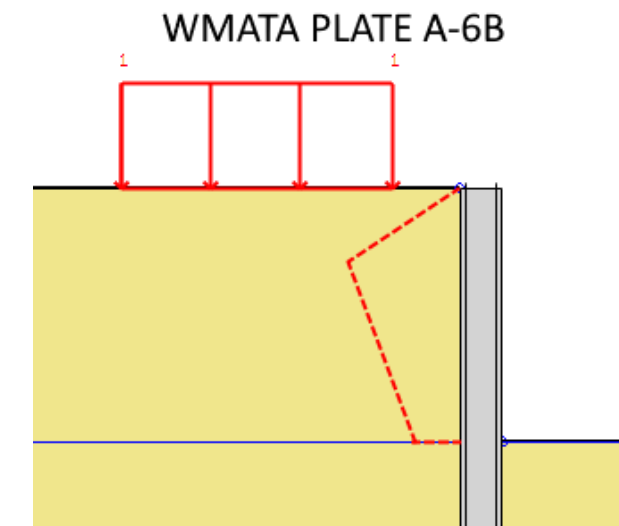
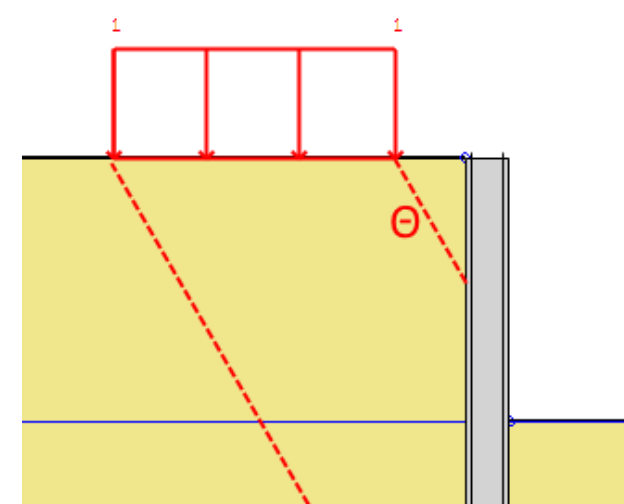
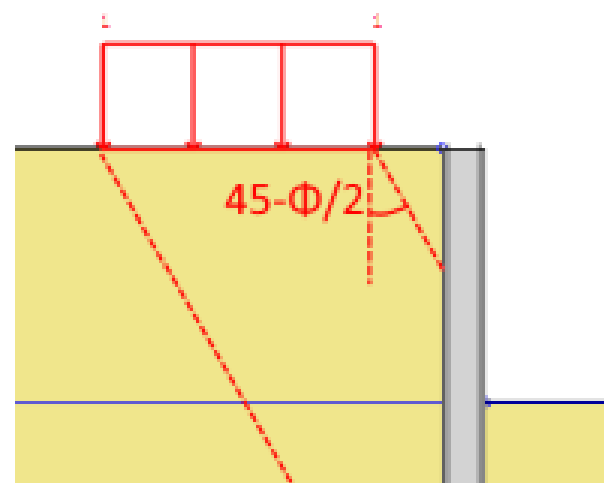
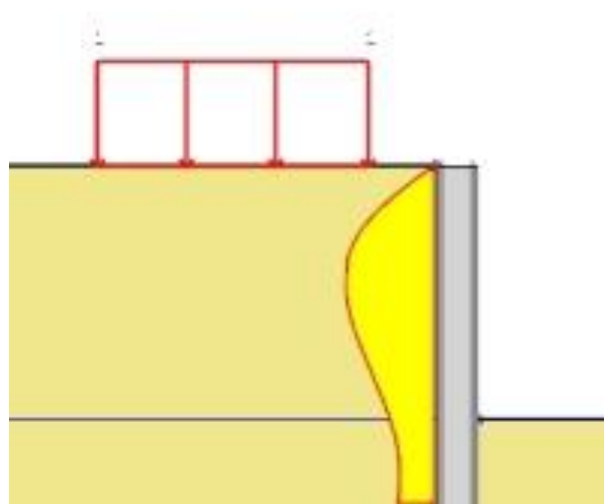
Terzaghi modification of Boussinesq's Equation:

- Modified Boussinesq's equation based on experiments on rigid walls.
- Rigid wall presence is considered

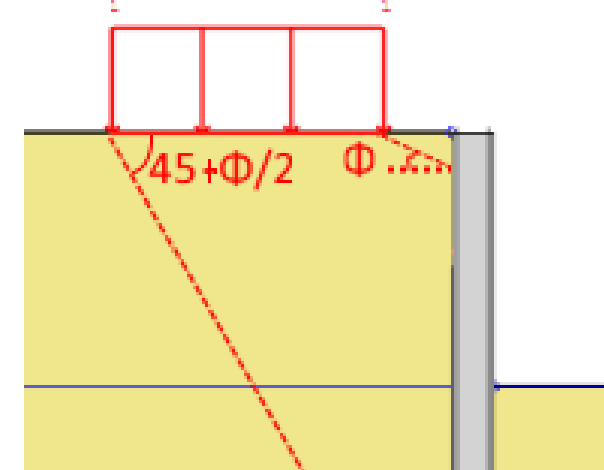
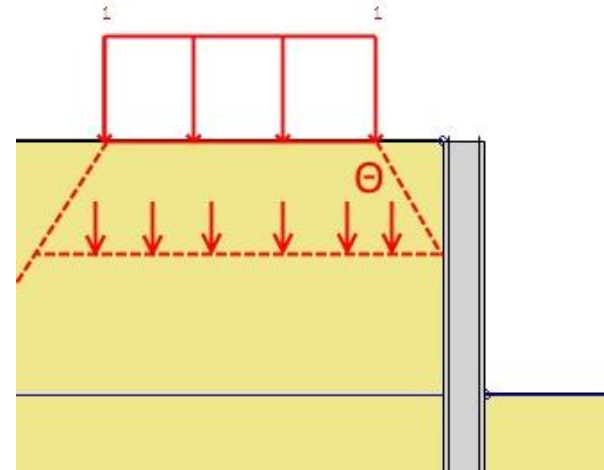
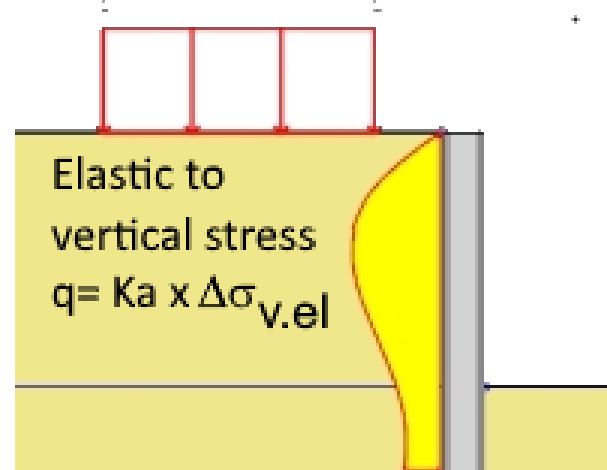




Elasticity 1-Way Distribution 1-Way Distribution

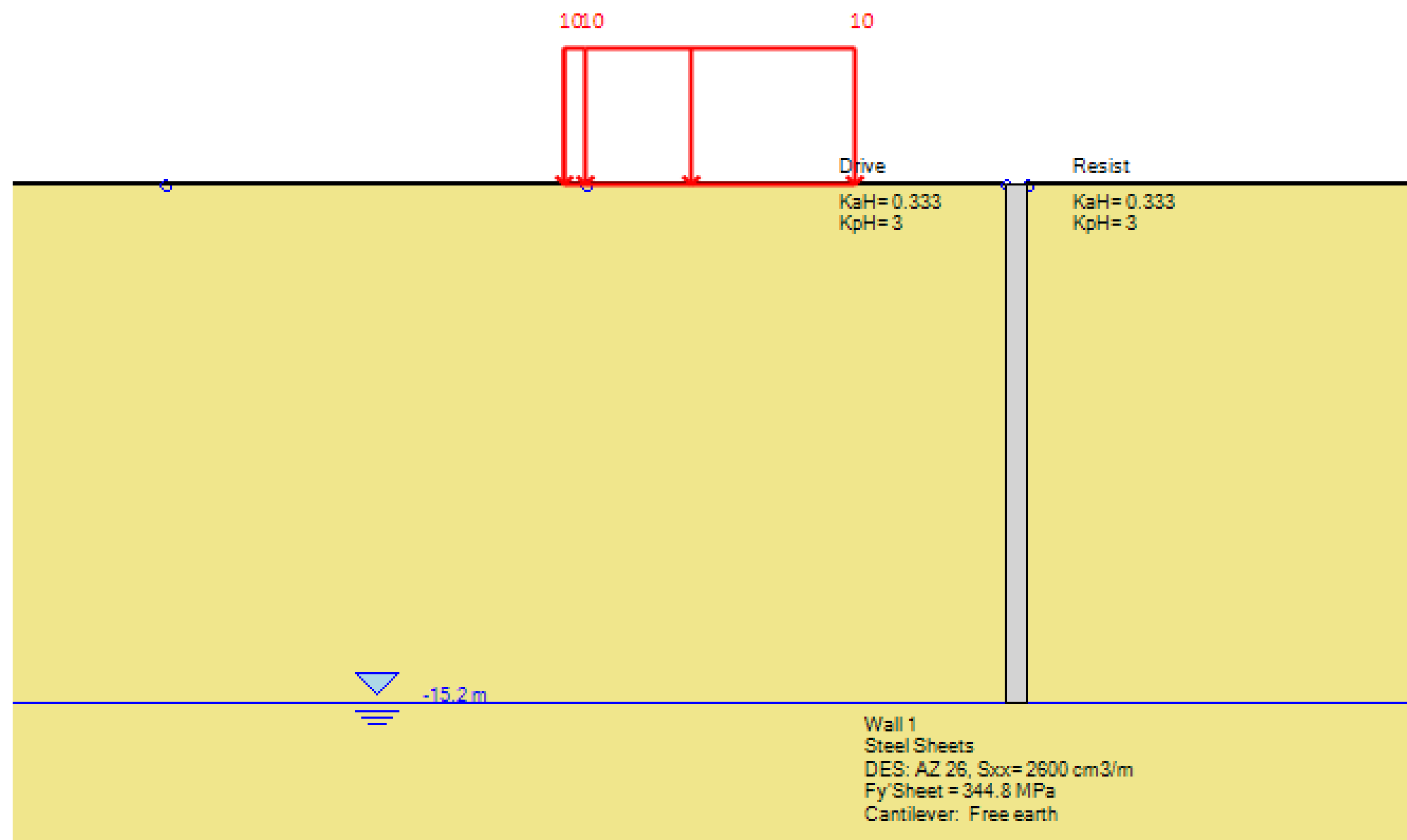


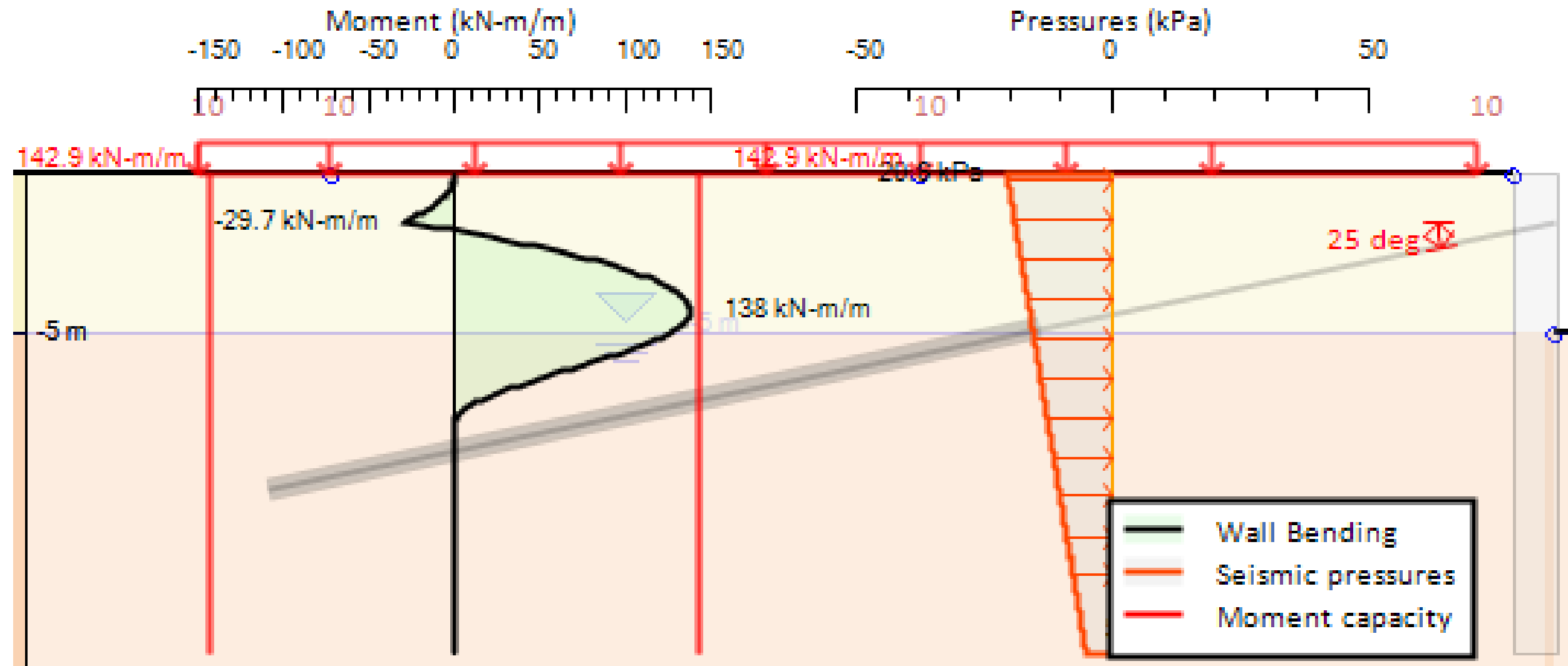
Elasticity σ_v 2-Way Distribution CIRIA Approach





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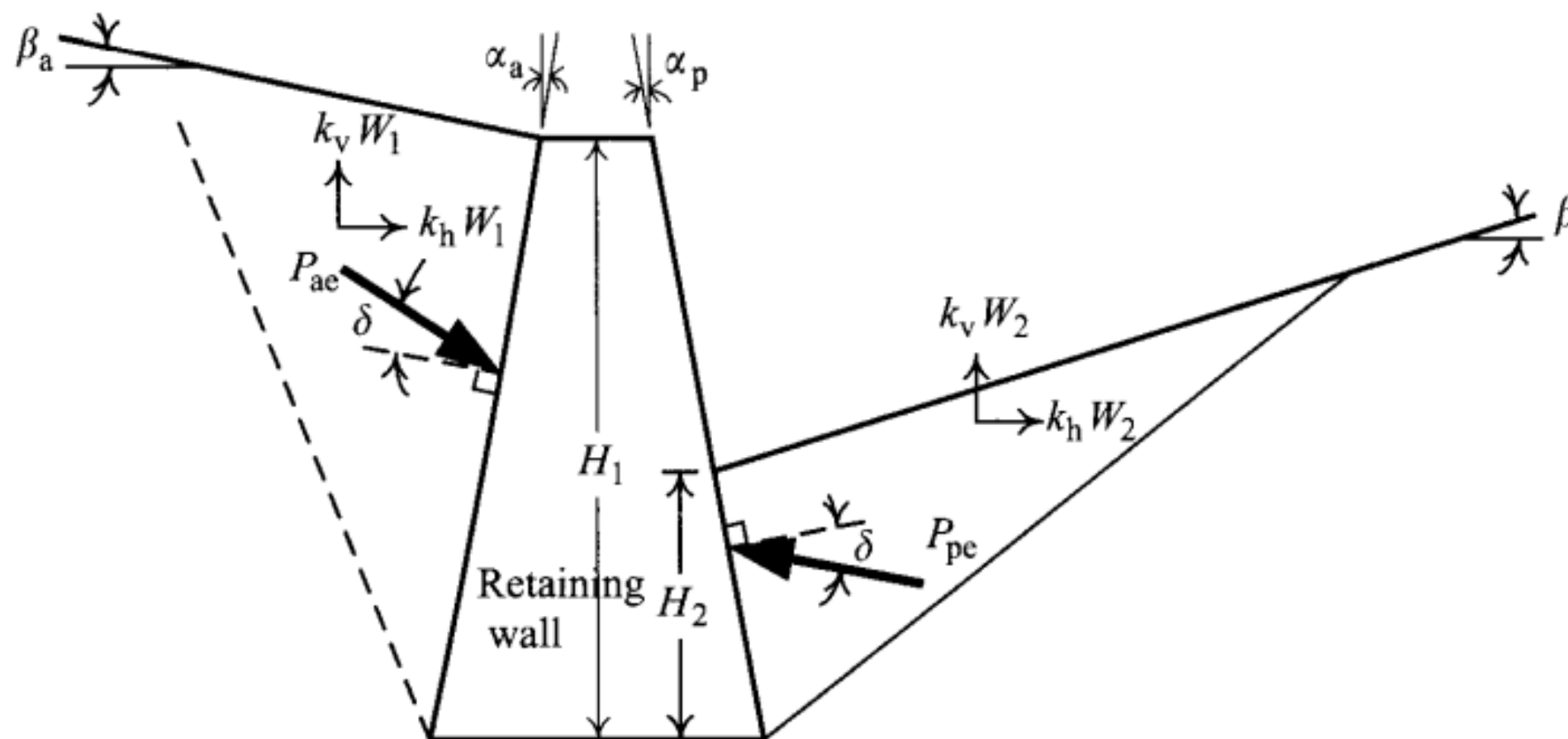




Procedure in DeepEX

- Define Seismic Accelerations A_x and A_z
- Select Seismic Pressures Calculation Method
- Select a Seismic Design Standard

Mononobe-Okabe :



W_1 : Weight of wedge in the active zone

W_2 : Weight of wedge in the passive zone

Other Seismic Pressure Methods

- Semirigid
- Wood Automatic
- Wood Manual

Calculation of design acceleration

- The user can directly prescribe the design acceleration
- Use bedrock acceleration and factors to generate a_{de}

Seismic code	Occupancy category		
	Higher	Moderate	Lower
IS 1893-Part1	1.5	1.2	1.0
Canadian Building Code Act	1.5	—	1.0
BS EN 1998-1	1.5	—	0.8
ASCE/SEI 7	1.5	1.25	1.0
NZS 1170 Part 5	1.3	—	0.6
NBC 105	2.0	1.5	1.0
EAK 2000	1.3	—	0.85
Iranian Standard 2800	1.2/1.4	1.0	0.8

2.b Base Acceleration and Site Effects

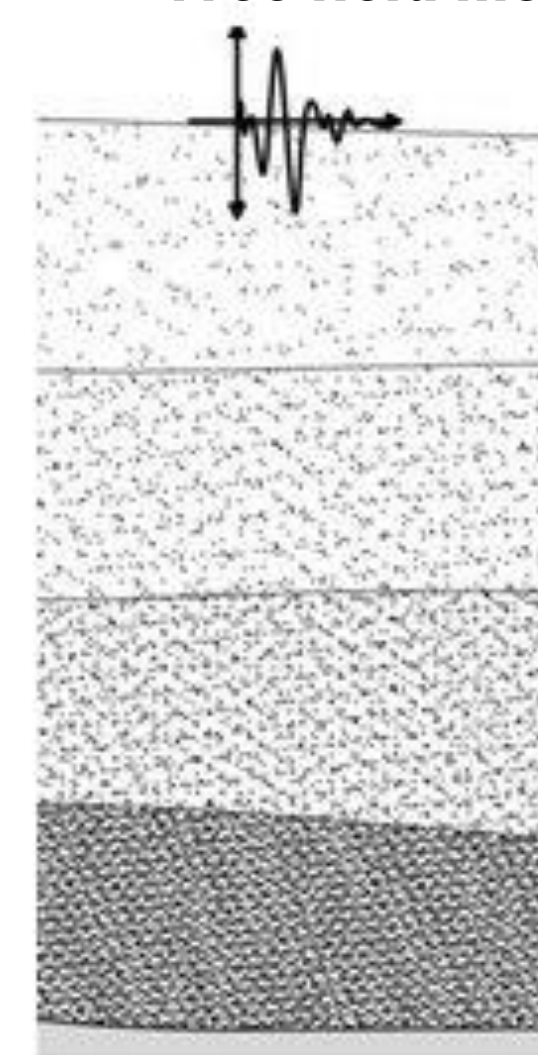
Base Acceleration
AxBase= g

Site Soil Response Factor Ss= >

Topographic Site Response St= >

Importance Factor I= >

Free-field motion



Earthquake at Bedrock

$$k_b = \left(\frac{a_g}{g} \right) S \frac{1}{r}$$

Calculation of Response R factor

- Rigid walls experience greater forces compared to yielding walls

$$k_b = \left(\frac{a_g}{g} \right) S \frac{1}{r}$$

Table 7.1 — Values of factor r for the calculation of the horizontal seismic coefficient

Type of retaining structure	r
Free gravity walls that can accept a displacement up to $d_r = 300 \alpha \cdot S$ (mm)	2
Free gravity walls that can accept a displacement up to $d_r = 200 \alpha \cdot S$ (mm)	1,5
Flexural reinforced concrete walls, anchored or braced walls, reinforced concrete walls founded on vertical piles, restrained basement walls and bridge abutments	1

Eurocode EC8

3. Wall Behavior and Response R factor

3.a Basic Wall Behavior

Flexible Rigid (Wood Method)

3.b. Flexible Wall Behavior - R calculations

R= User R according to Richards Elms

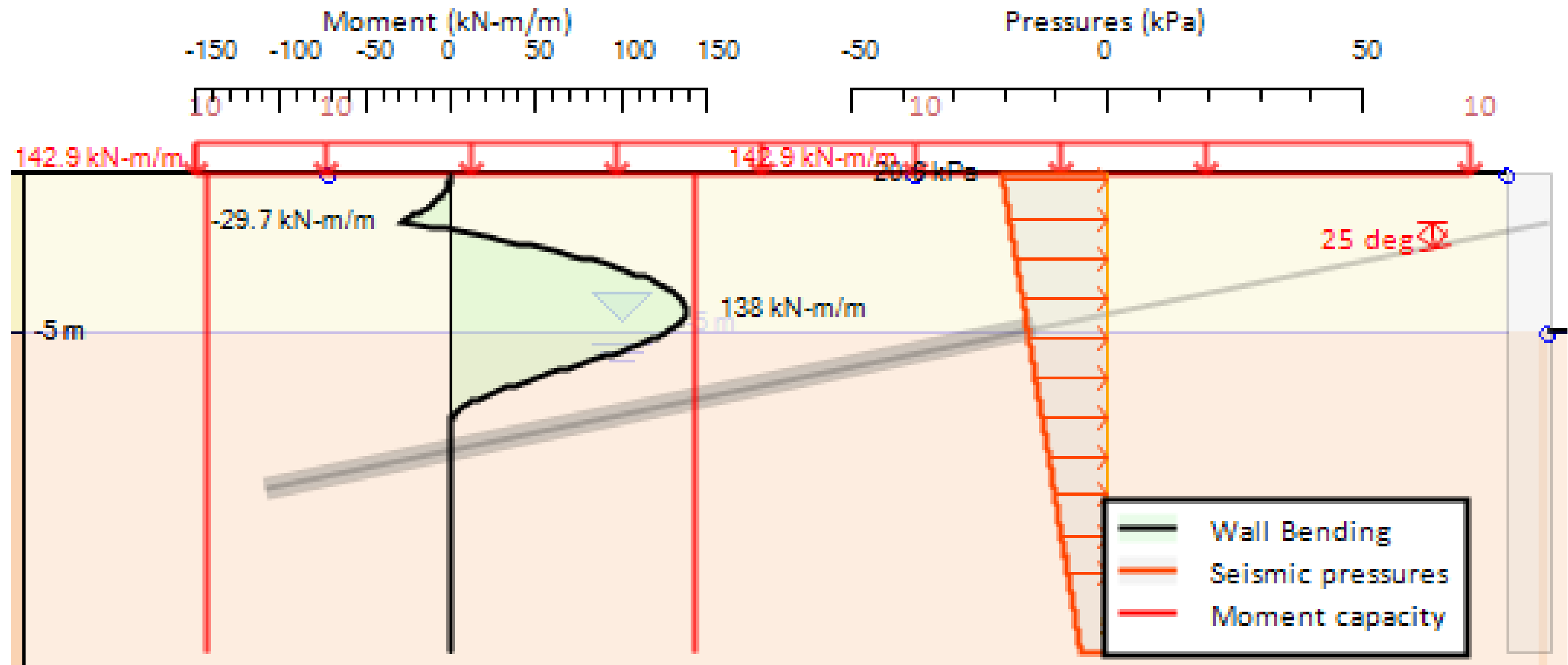
R according to Building Code R according to Liao Whitman

3.c Specific R method options

3.c.1: R value (Structure Response)

R= >

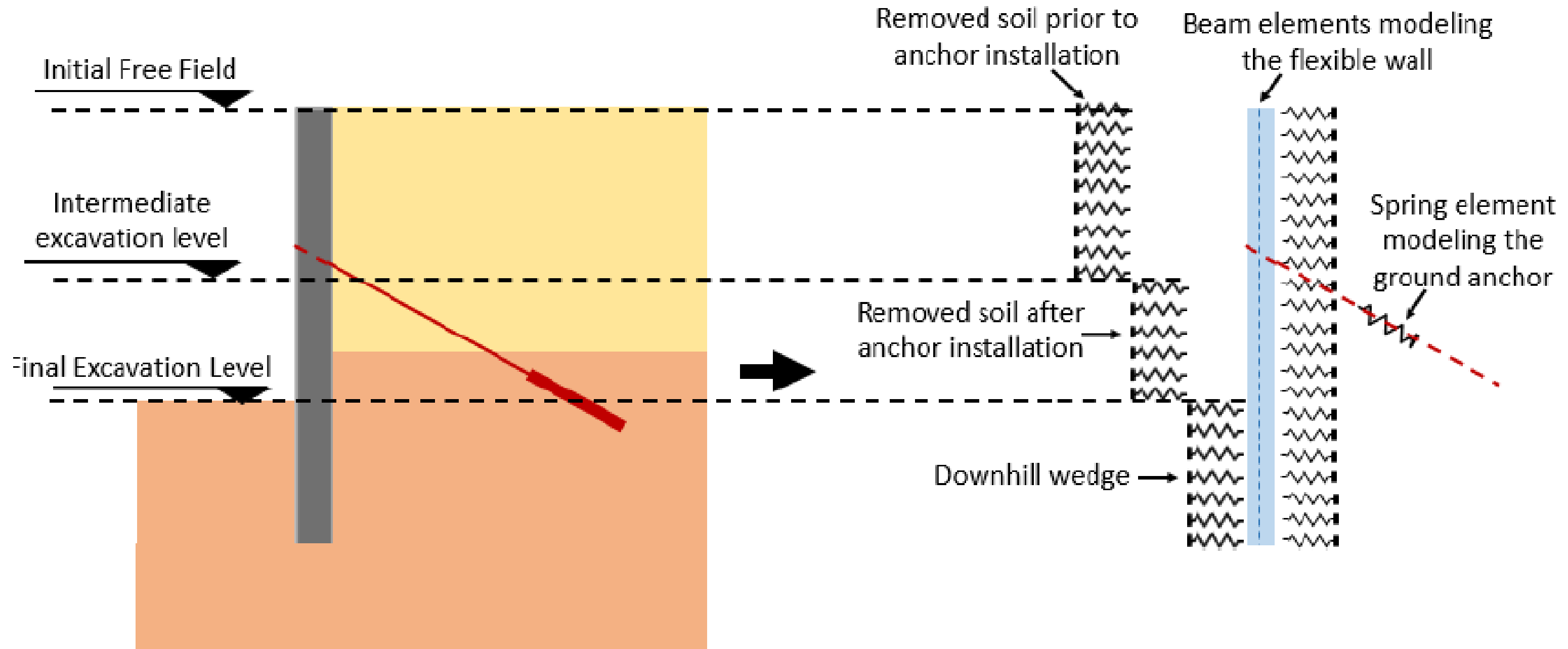
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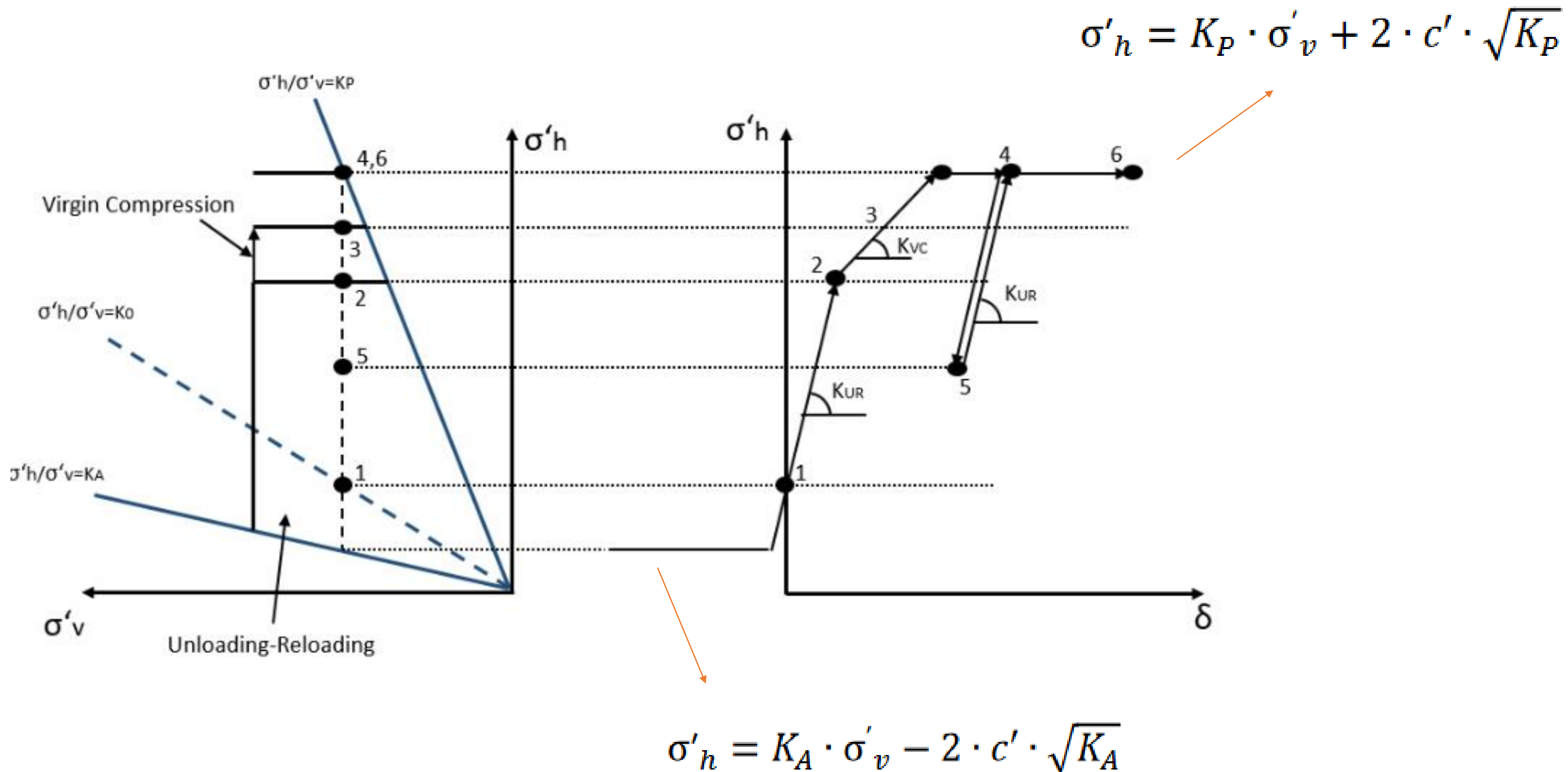


NON LINEAR ANALYSIS

- **Fundamentals**
- **Setting up elasticity properties**
- **Limitations**

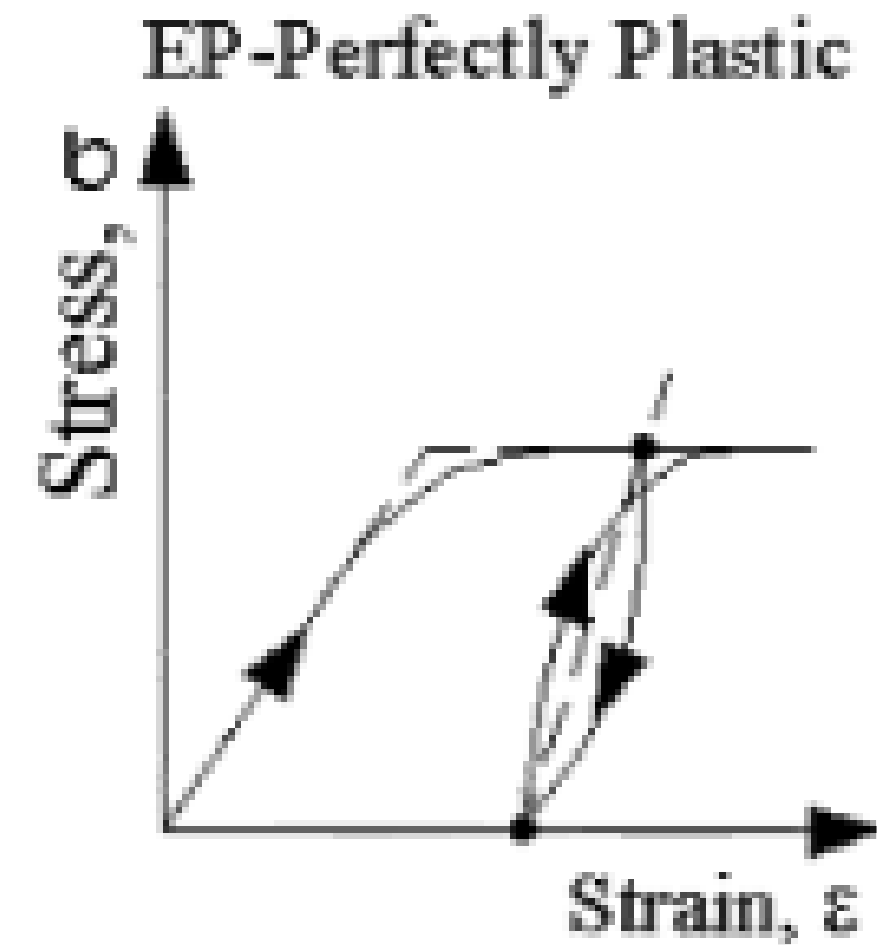
Non-linear winkler analysis

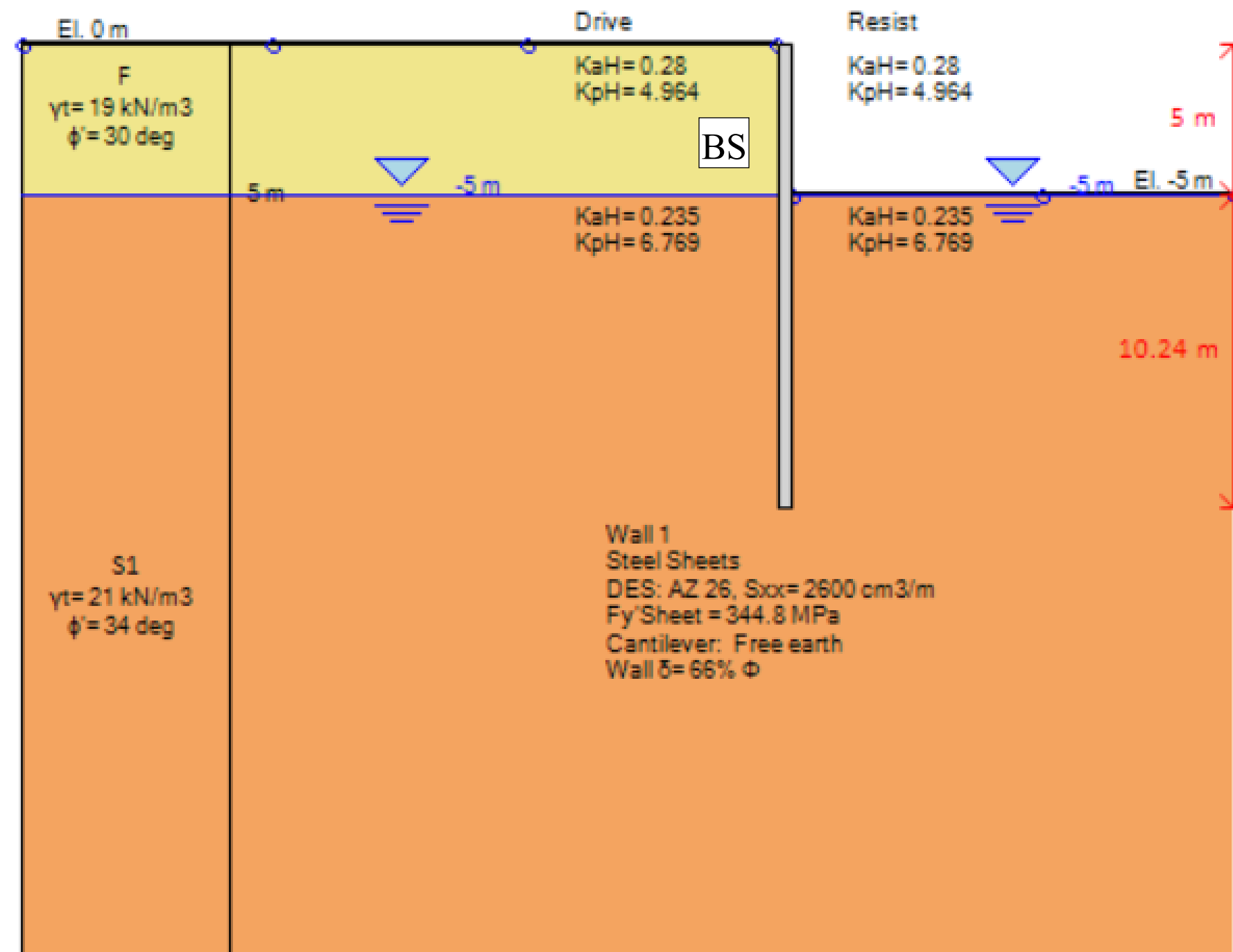
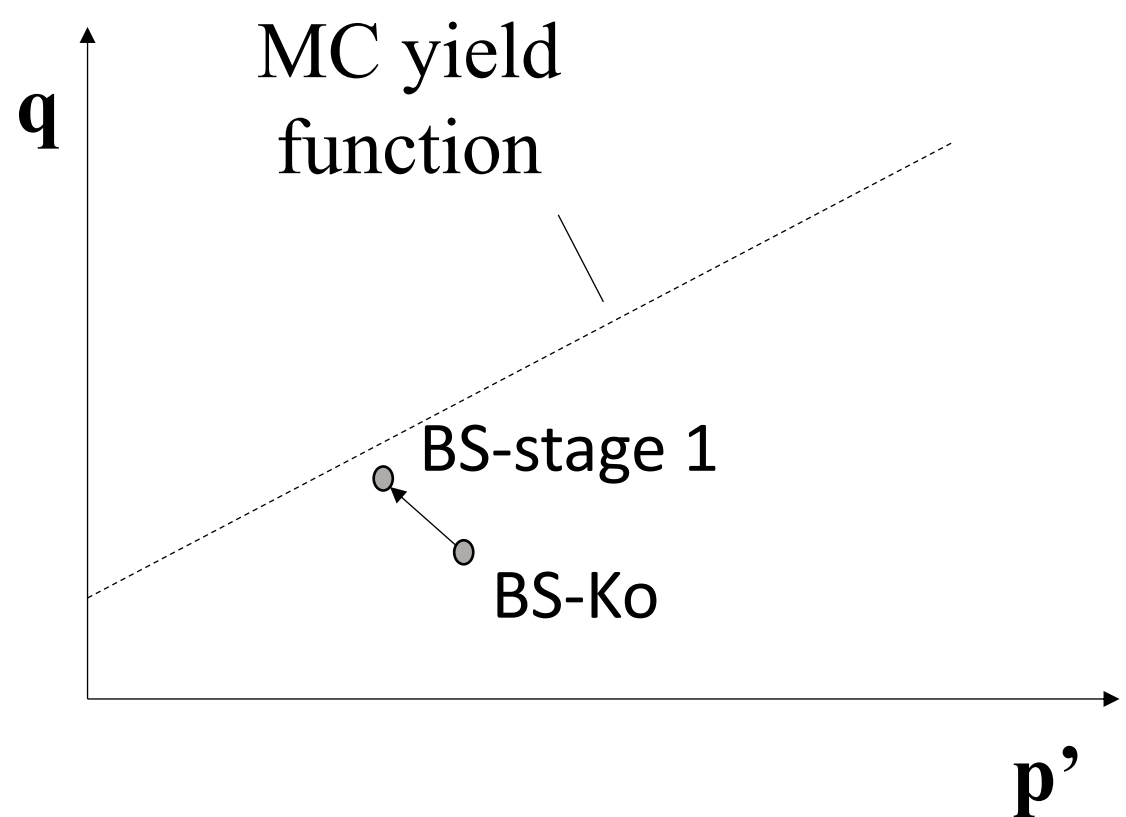
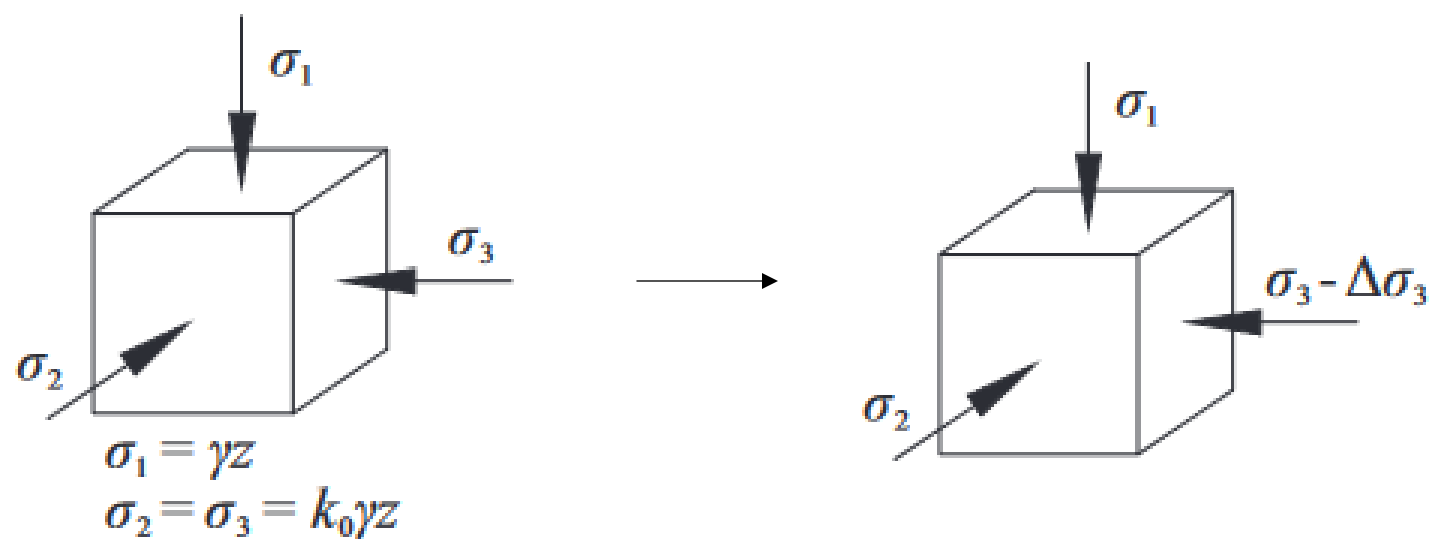


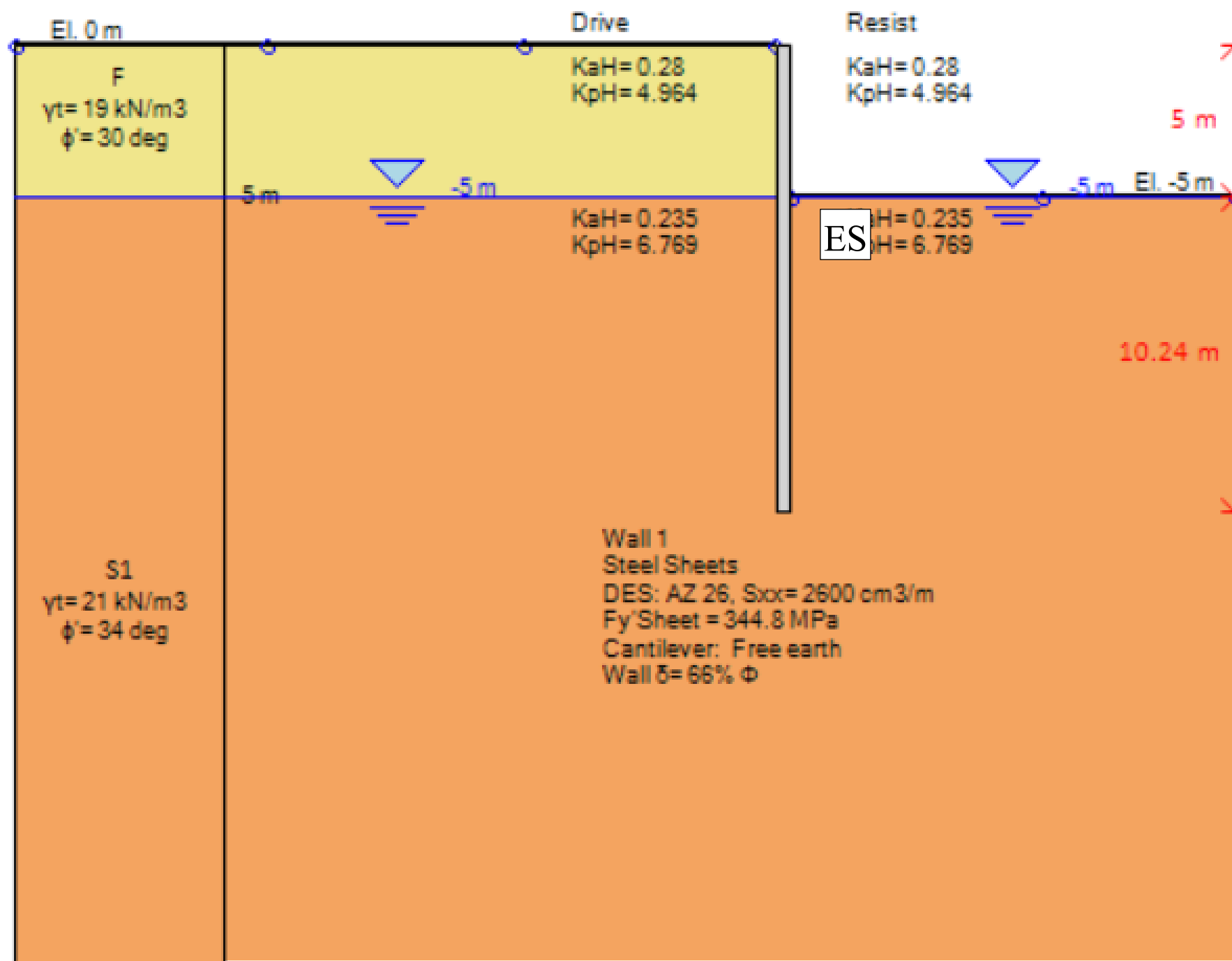
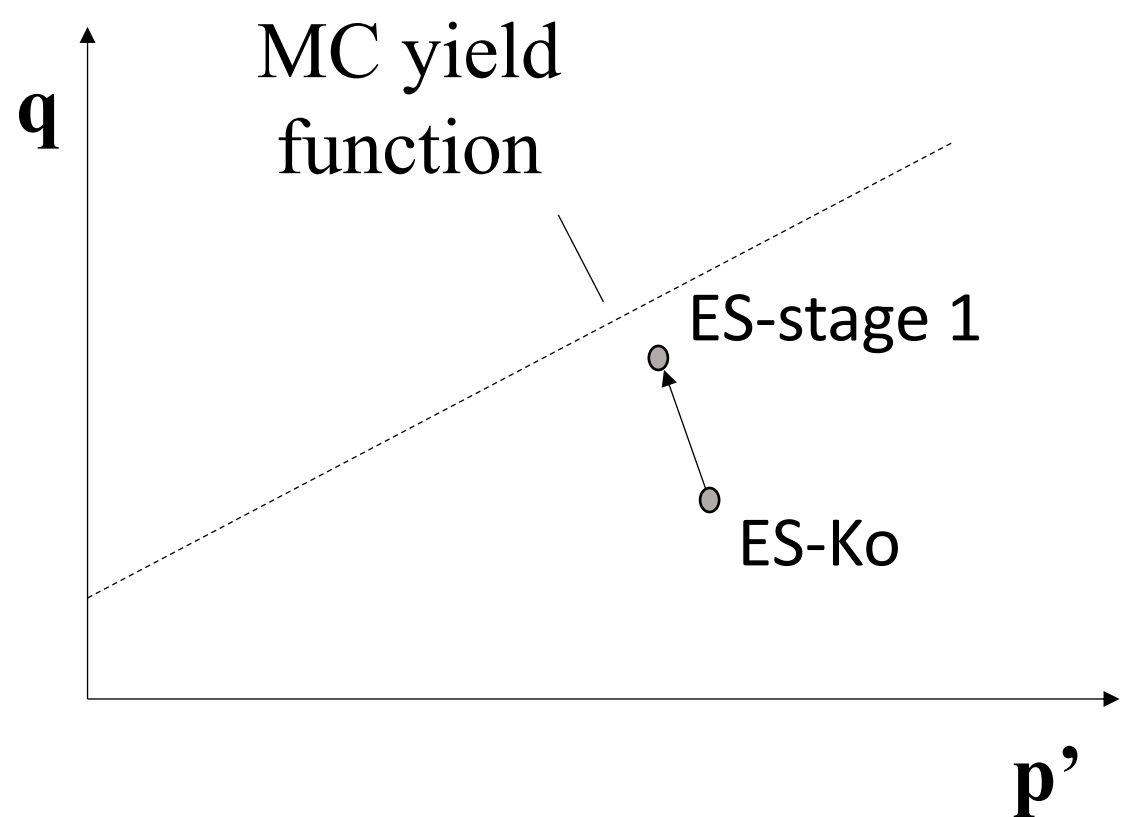
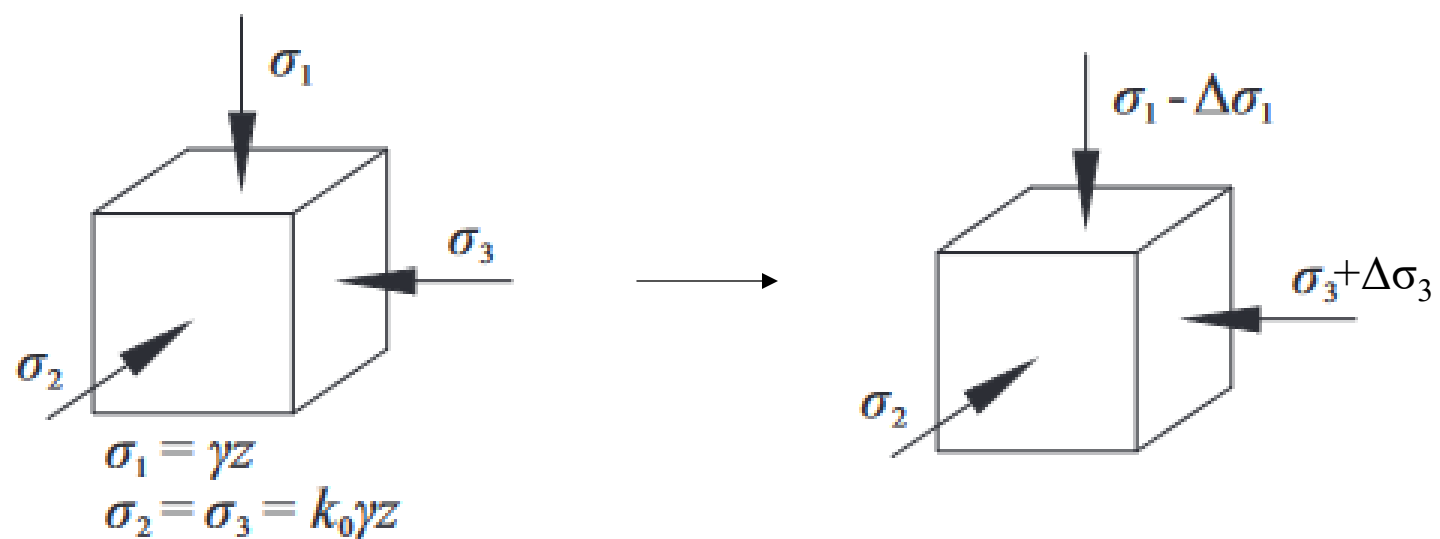


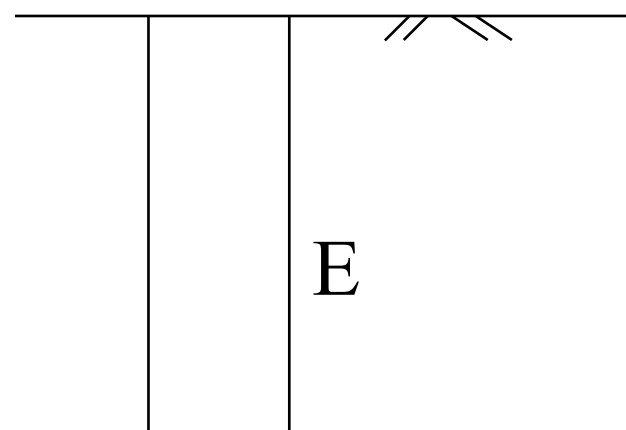
Linear Perfectly plastic Model

- Elastic behavior prior to yielding
- Detailed unloading reloading behavior

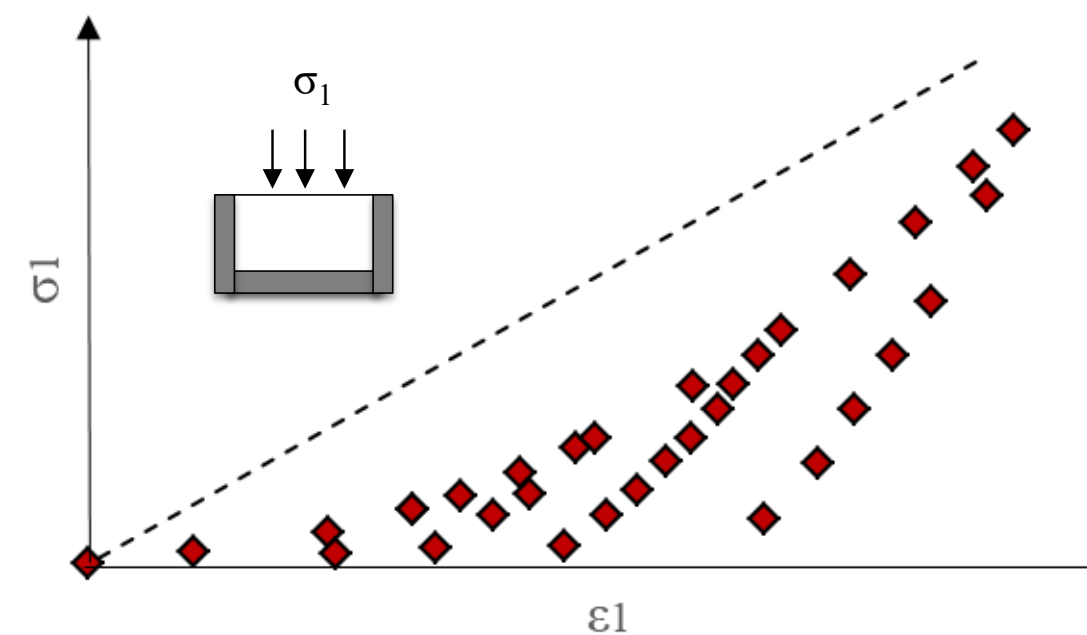




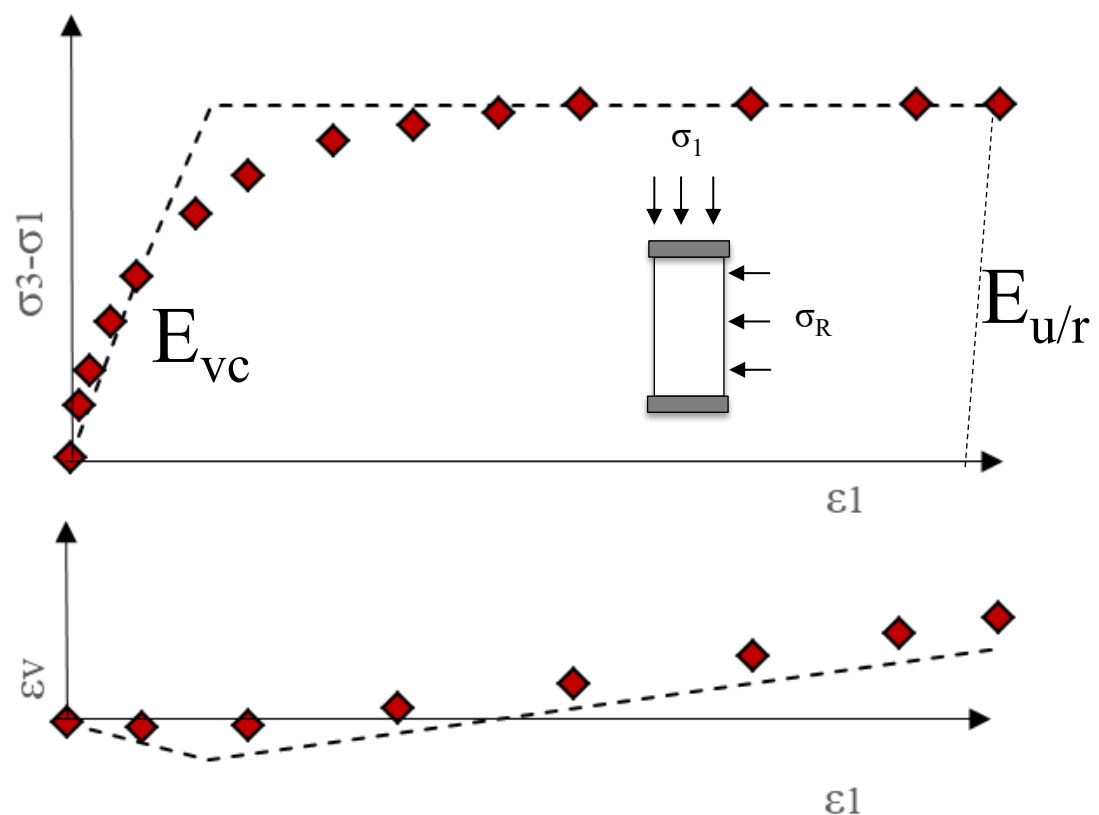




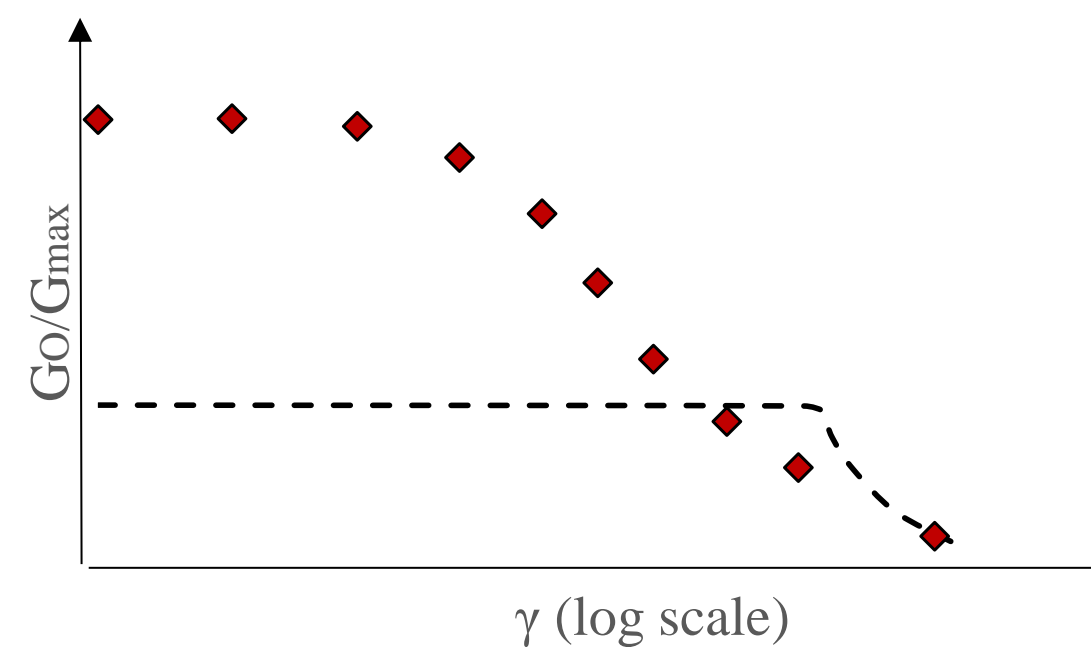
(a) Stress dependent elastic properties



(c) Oedometer test results



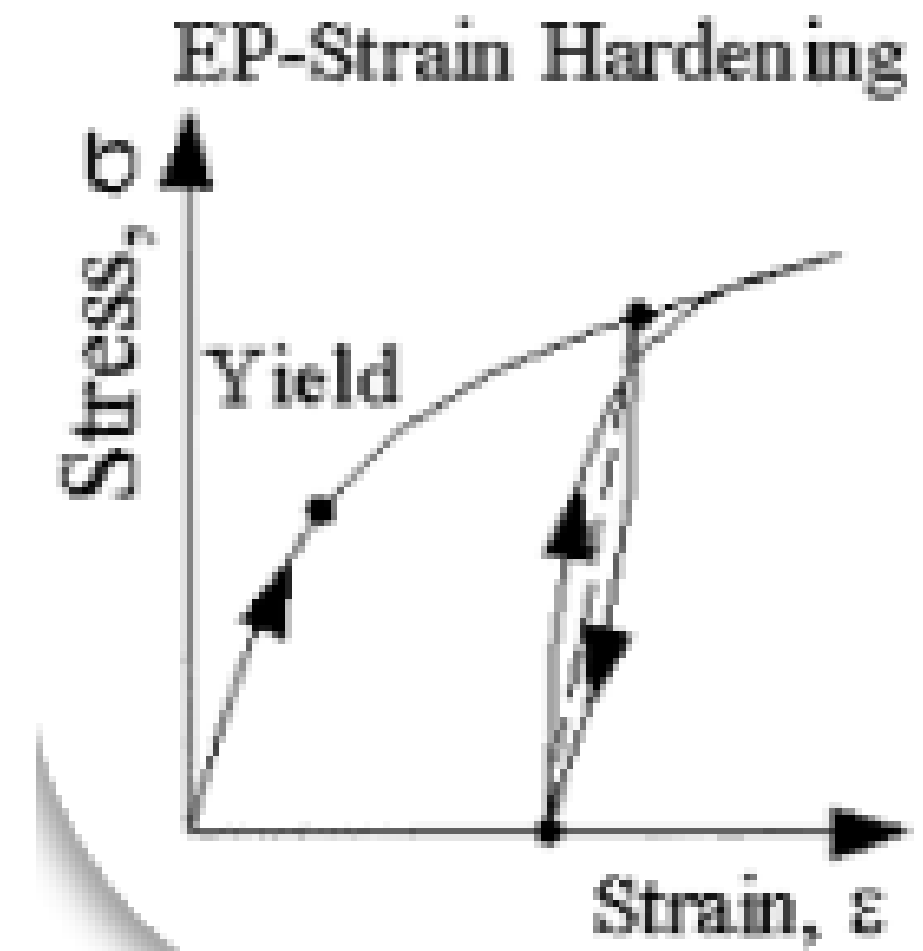
(b) Triaxial test results



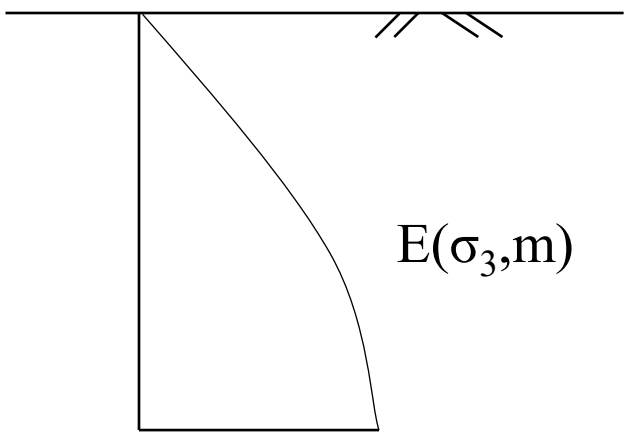
(d) Small strain Stiffness

Hyperbolic elastoplastic Model

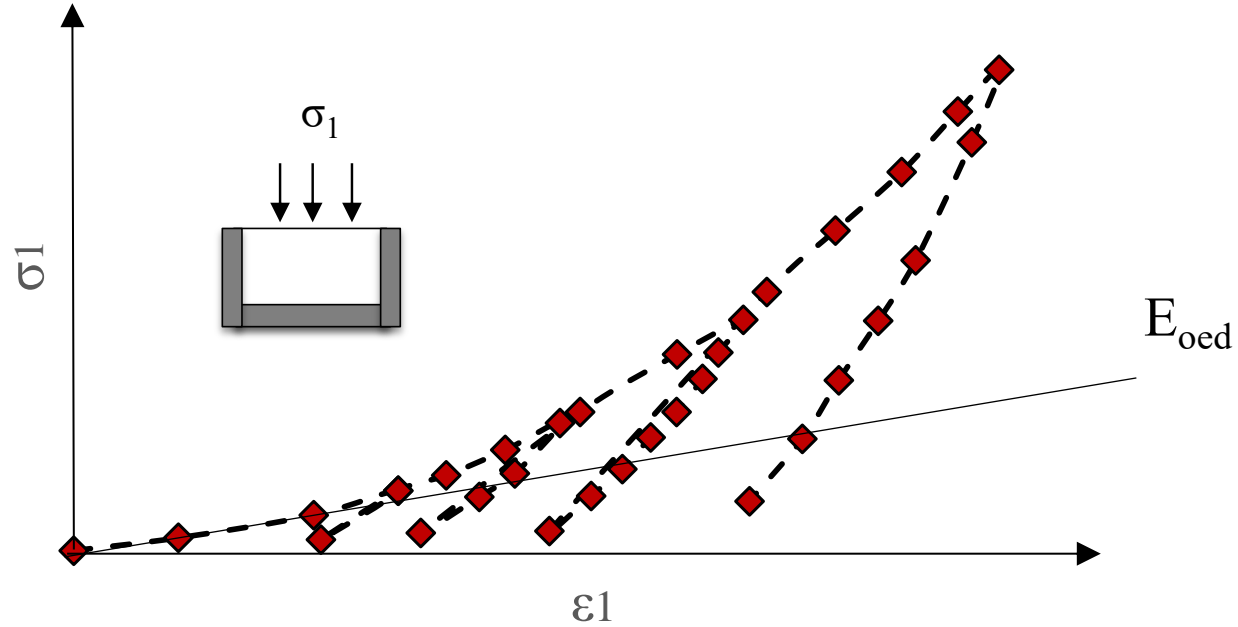
- Inelastic behavior prior to yielding
- Pressure dependent nonlinear stiffness
- Detailed unloading reloading behavior



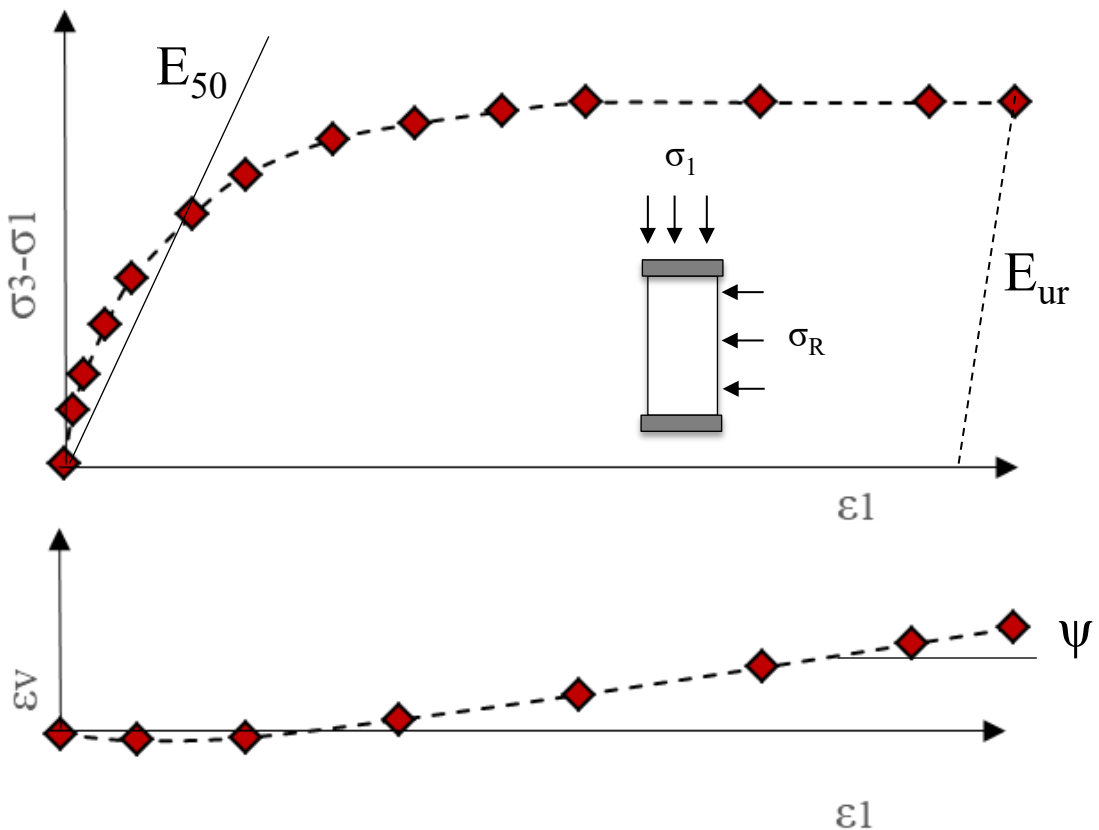
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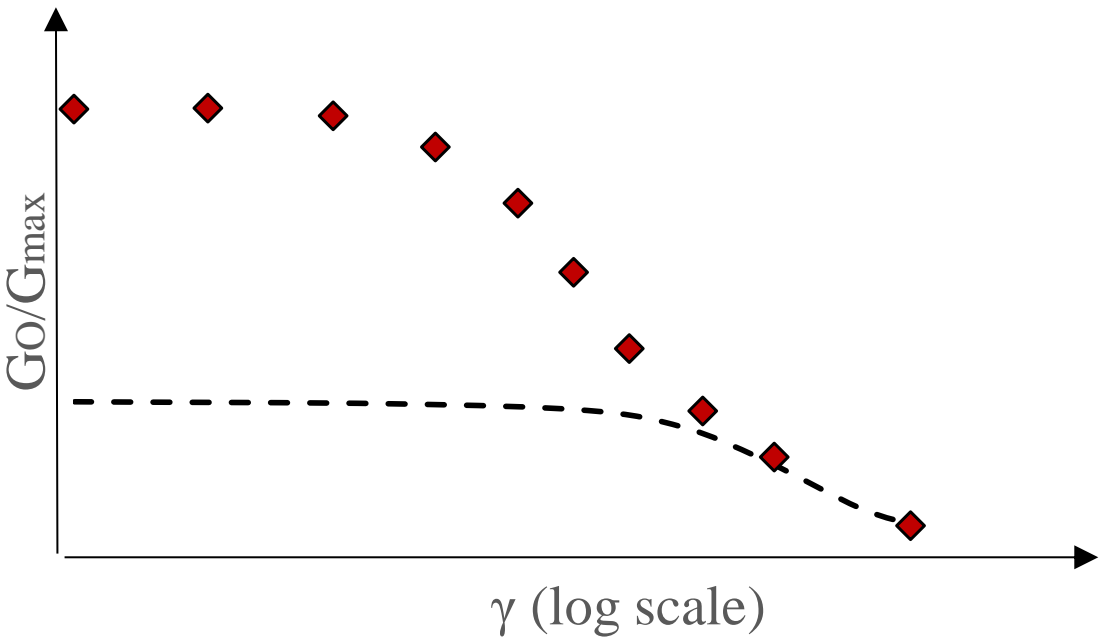
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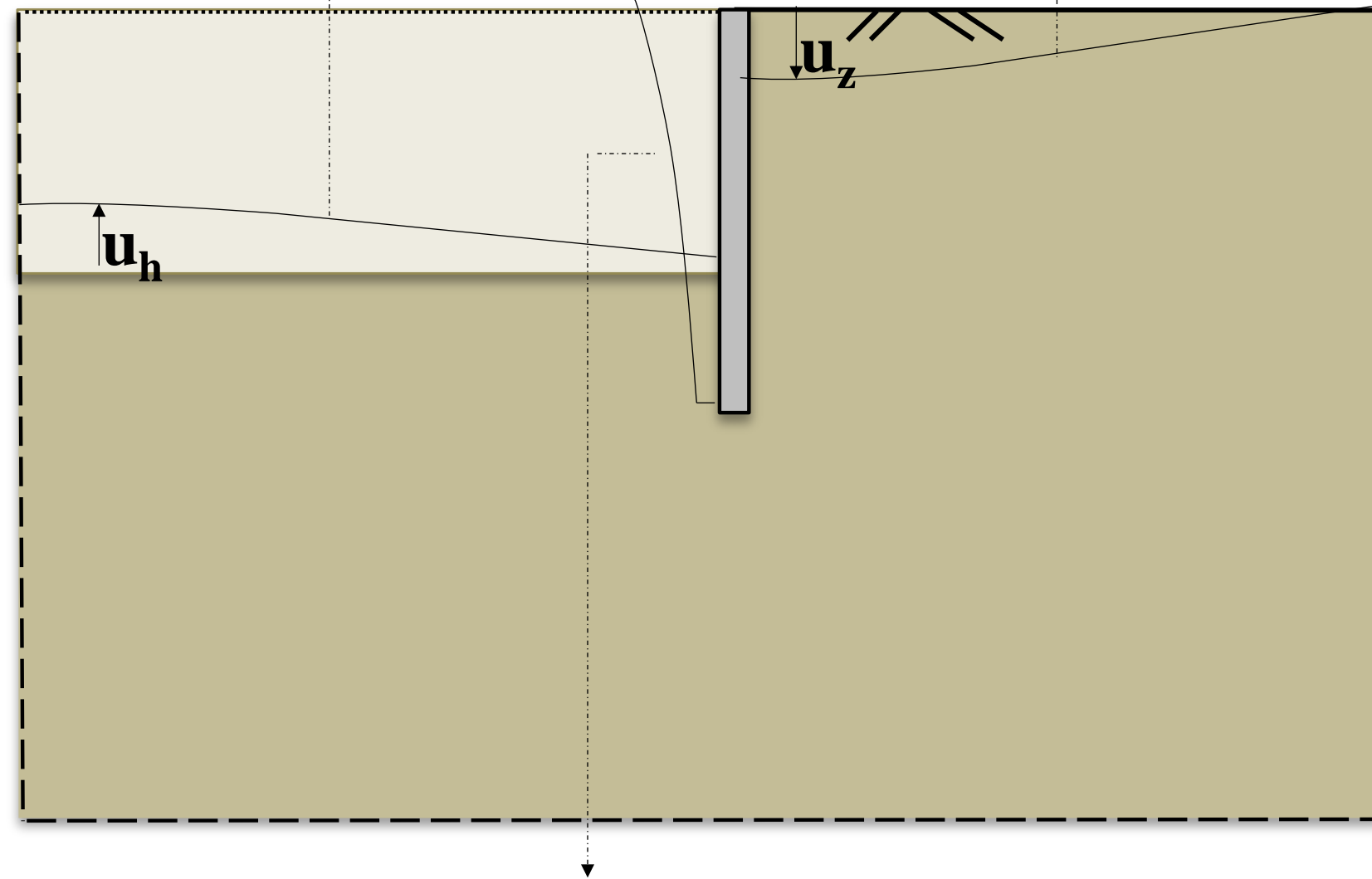
(d) Triaxial test results

Non-linear winkler analysis

Dominating properties in excavations:

unrealistic bottom heave [unloading/reloading
stiffness]

Unrealistic surface settlement [pre yielding
stiffness]

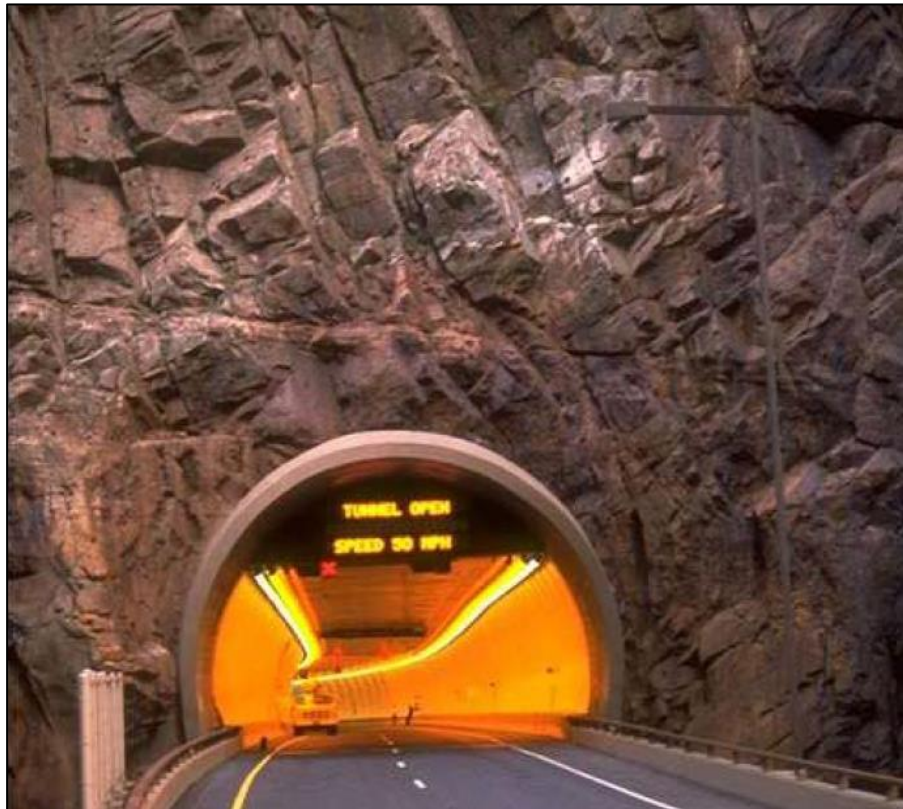


Unrealistic wall displacement without [small
strain stiffness and stress dependency]



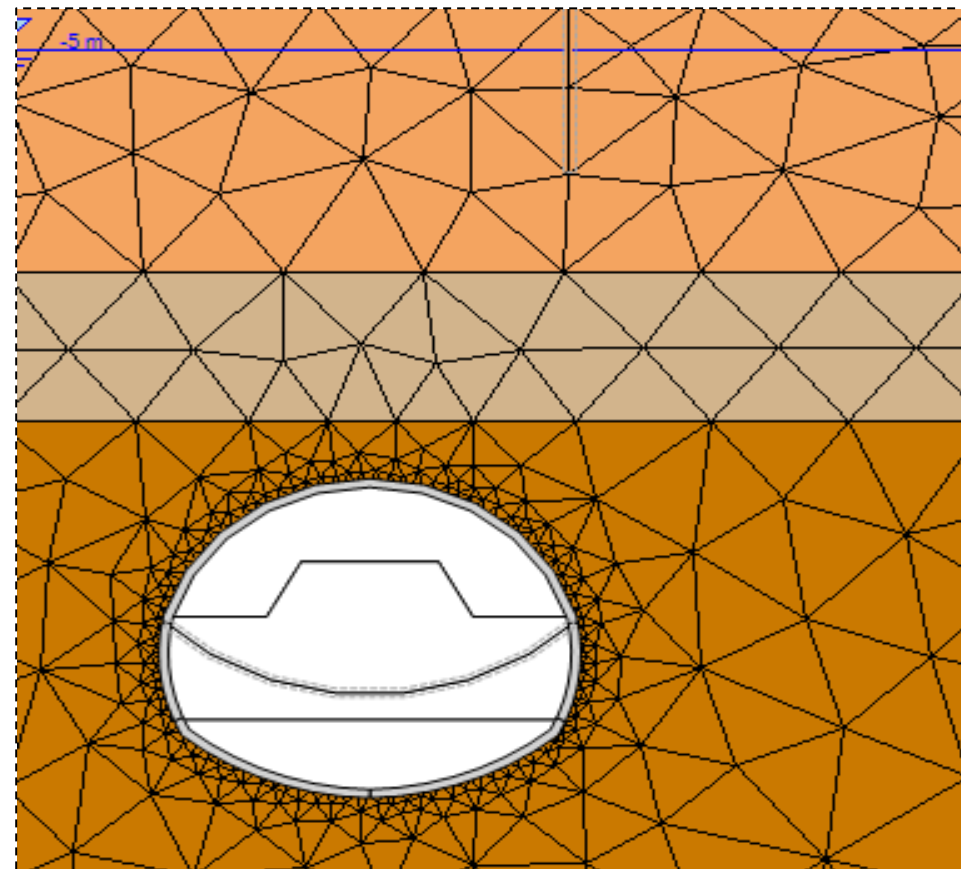
Subgrade Model

- Elastic behavior
- Defined by a K_{subgrade} modulus
- mainly use for calibration with elastic assumption



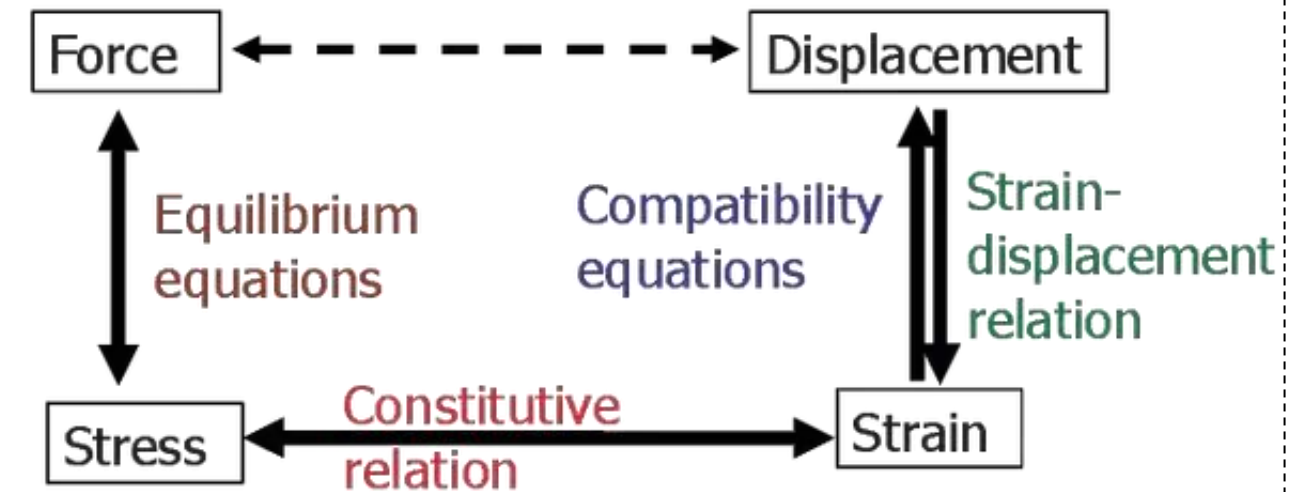
Physical structure

Modelling assumptions



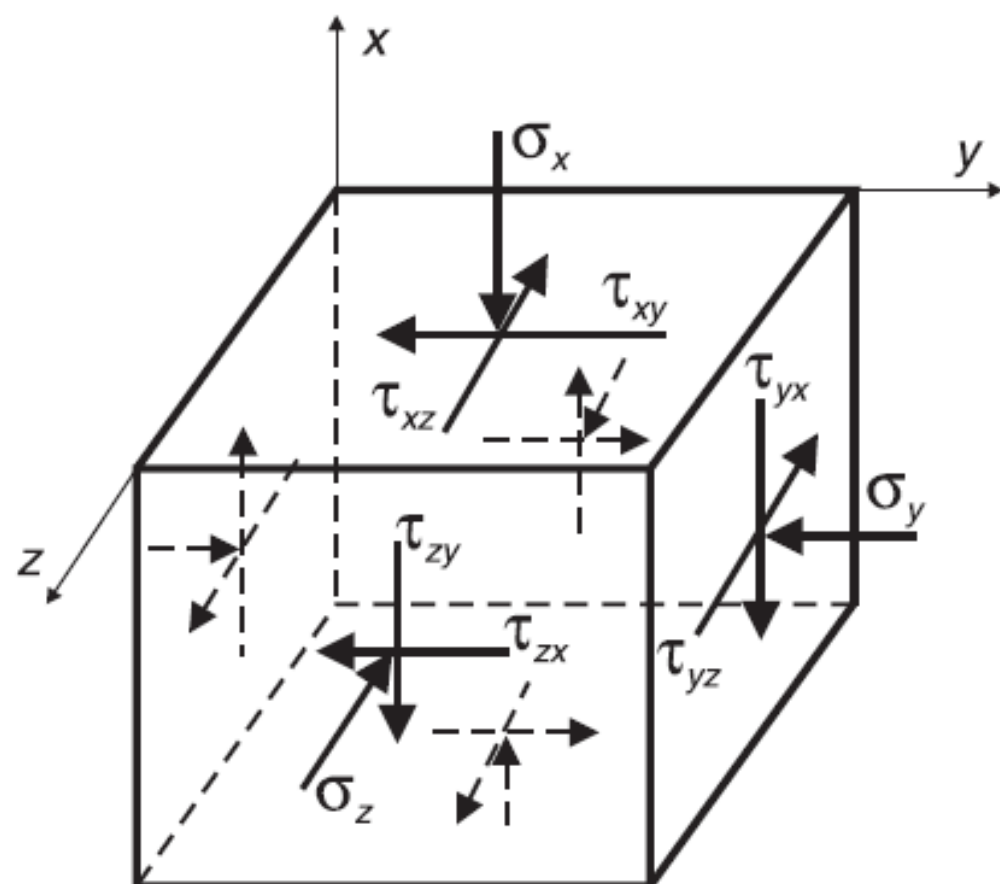
FEM numerical model

Mathematical formulation



Discretization

(a) Equilibrium equations



Stresses within the soil medium must satisfy equilibrium

Mathematical form: Cauchy momentum equation

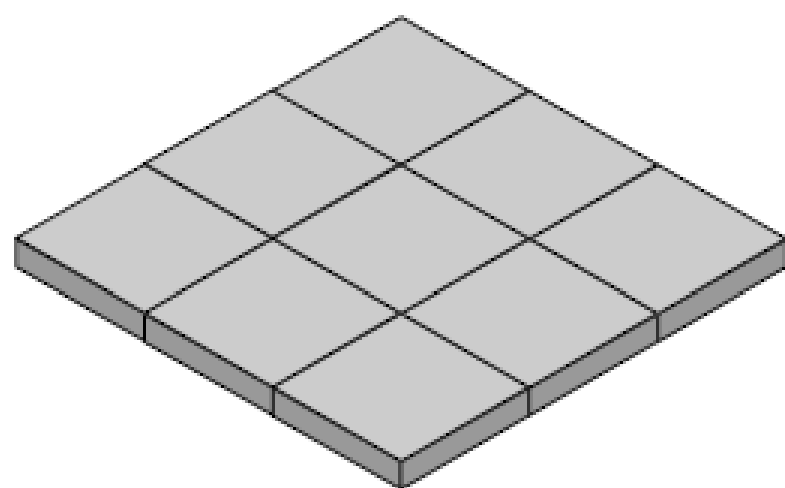
$$\text{External body forces} \quad \text{Divergence of stress tensor} \quad \text{Acceleration (equal to zero for static analysis)}$$

$$\text{div}_x \boldsymbol{\sigma} + \mathbf{b} = \rho \ddot{\mathbf{u}}$$

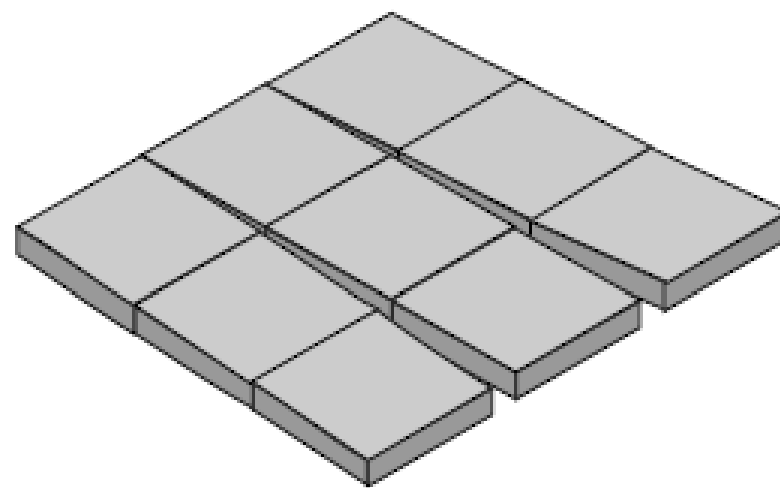
Divergence of stress tensor

Acceleration
(equal to zero for static analysis)

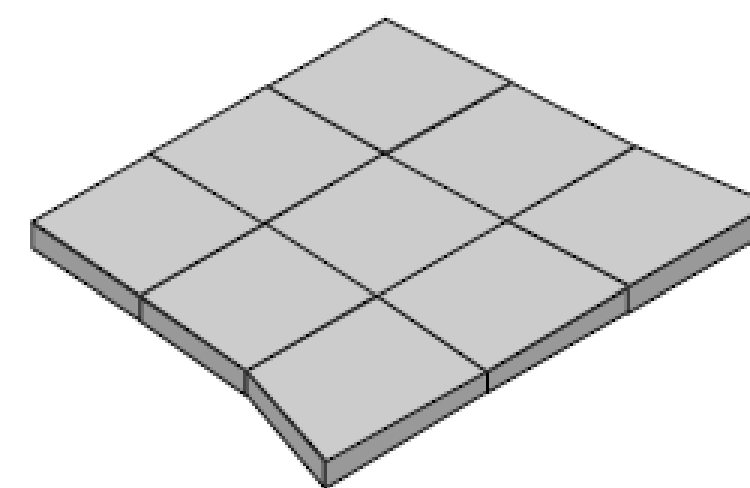
(b) Compatibility equations



(a) Original



(b) Non-compatible

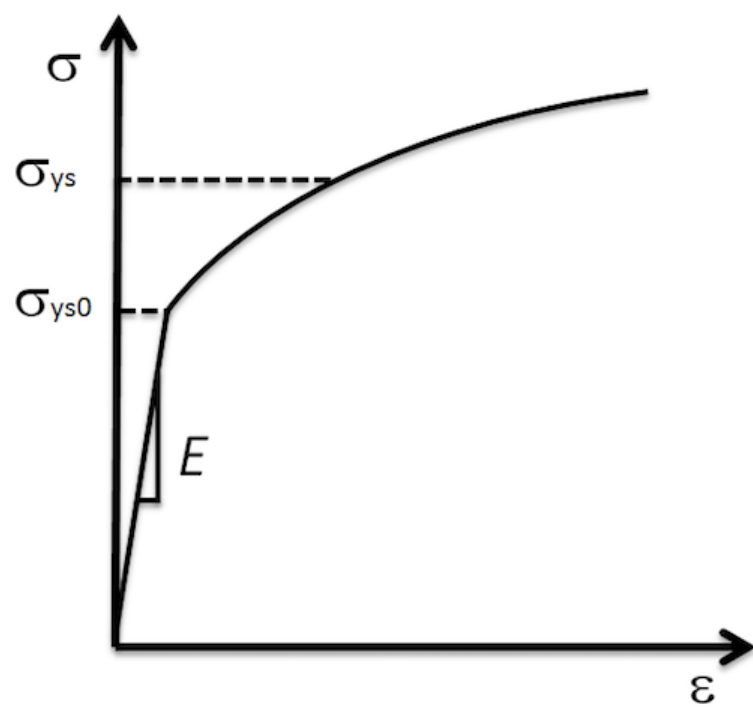


(c) Compatible

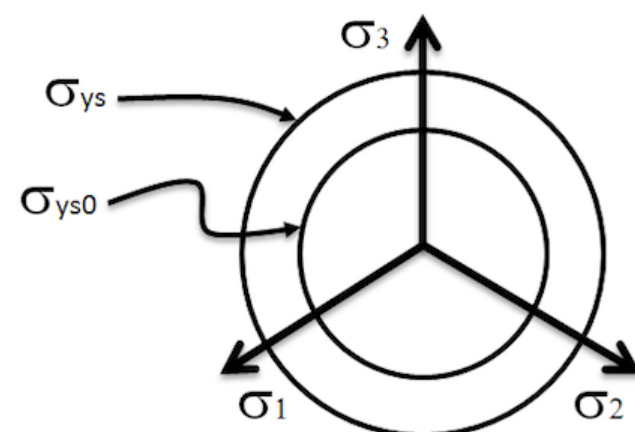
Strain to displacement relationship:

$$\begin{aligned} \epsilon_x &= \frac{\partial u}{\partial x}; & \epsilon_y &= \frac{\partial v}{\partial y}; & \epsilon_z &= \frac{\partial w}{\partial z} \\ \gamma_{xy} &= \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial y}; & \gamma_{yz} &= \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial z}; & \gamma_{xz} &= \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial u}{\partial z} \end{aligned}$$

(c) Constitutive law



Uniaxial stress-strain curve



Yield surface in principal stress-space

$$\begin{Bmatrix} \Delta\sigma_x \\ \Delta\sigma_y \\ \Delta\sigma_z \\ \Delta\tau_{xy} \\ \Delta\tau_{xz} \\ \Delta\tau_{zy} \end{Bmatrix}$$

Stress
increment

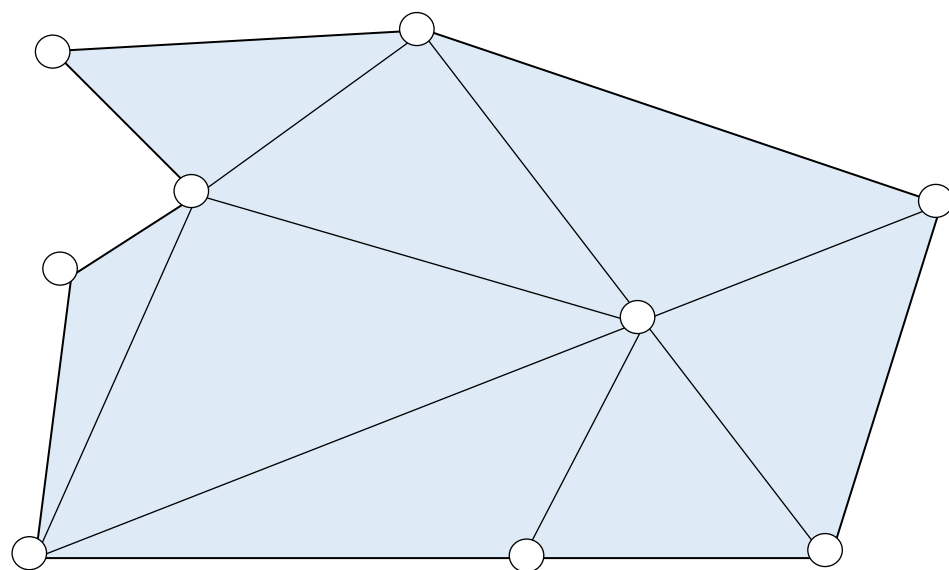
Constitutive law

$$\Delta\sigma = f_m(\Delta\epsilon)$$

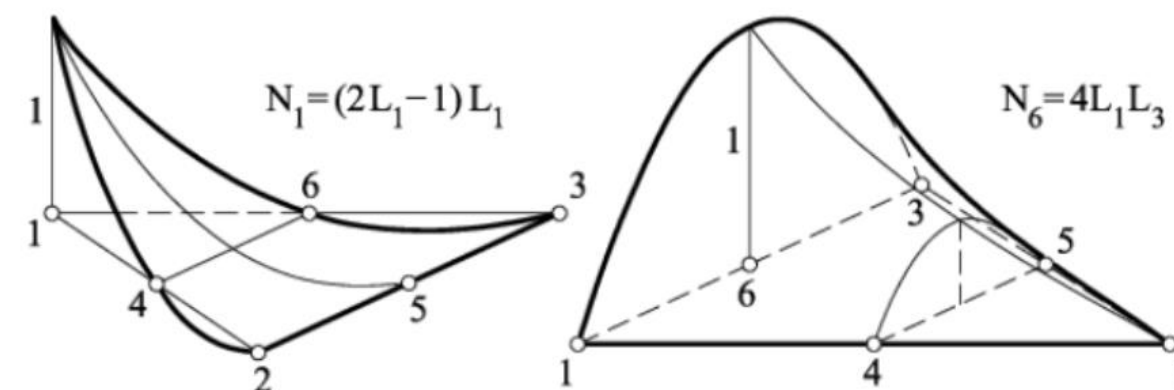
$$\begin{Bmatrix} \Delta\epsilon_x \\ \Delta\epsilon_y \\ \Delta\epsilon_z \\ \Delta\gamma_{xy} \\ \Delta\gamma_{xz} \\ \Delta\gamma_{zy} \end{Bmatrix}$$

Strain
Increment

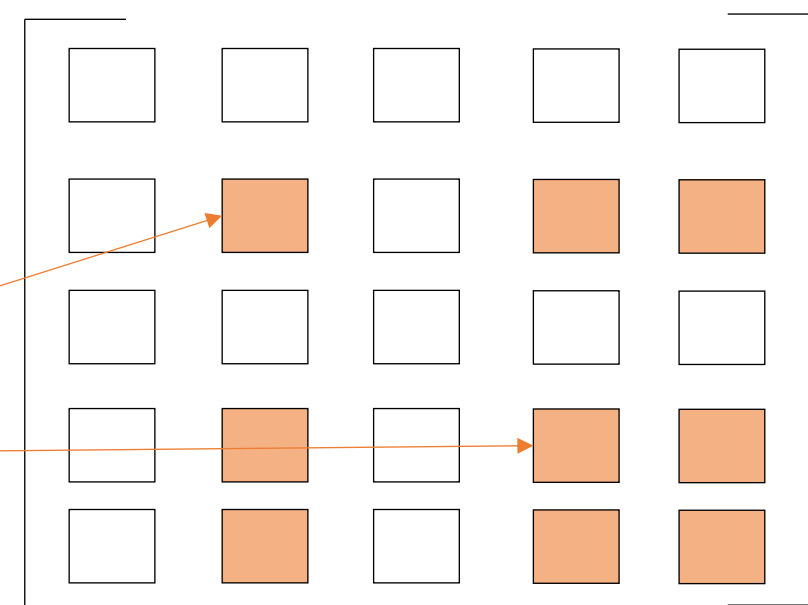
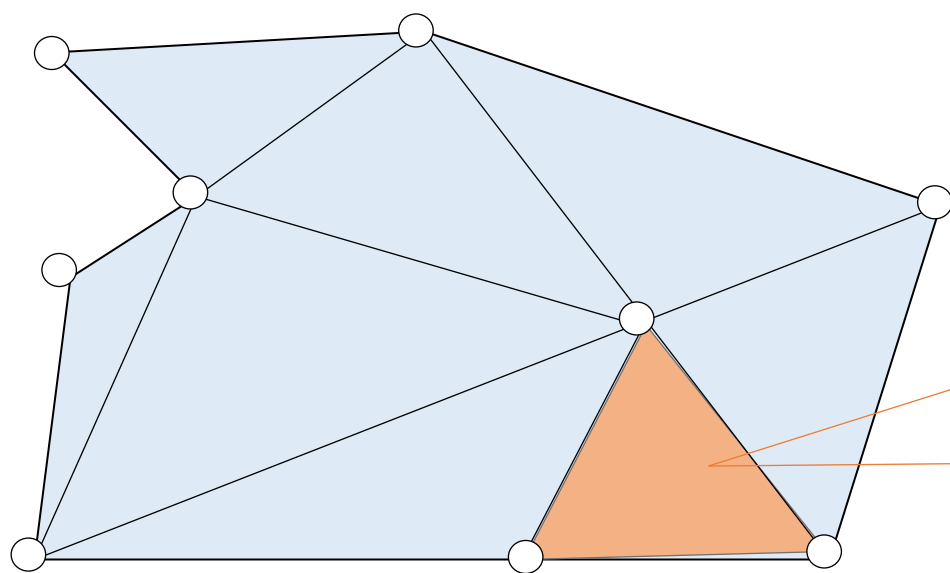
Reformulating the PDE system to an easily solvable system of algebraic equations!!



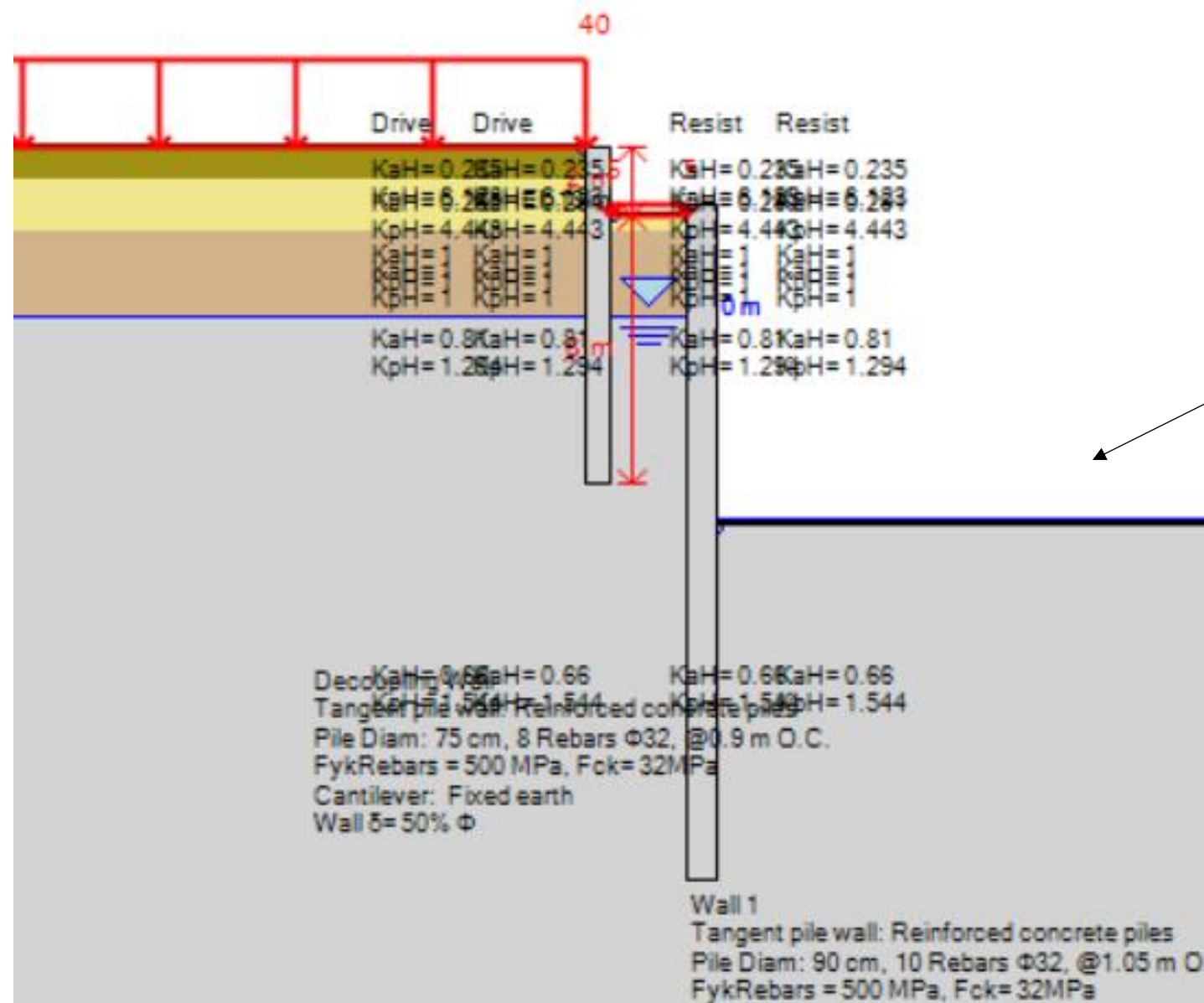
Step 1: Discretize the continuum



Step 2: Select interpolation functions



Step 3: Assemble the global equation system



Excavation to install oil separator tanks next to preexisting wall



DeepEX Features & Capabilities

DEEP EX DeepEX
Superior Software Solution
for Excavation Professionals

Deflection (inch) -1 0 1
Moment (k-ft/ft) -50 0 50

6ft El. 0ft
El. -20ft -20ft

N1 77.661k
N2 57.466k
N3 78.674k
N4 254.285k
N5 57.466k

338.288k
338.288k
225.113k
380.063k
511.6k

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DeepEX Features & Capabilities



Full Structural and Geotechnical Design of any Deep Excavation Model



Wall Types in DeepEX

- ✓ Soldier Pile and Lagging Walls
- ✓ Sheet Pile Walls
- ✓ Secant / Tangent Pile Walls
- ✓ Concrete Diaphragm Walls (Slurry Walls)
- ✓ Soldier Pile and Tremied Concrete Walls
- ✓ Combined Sheet Pile Walls (King Piles)
- ✓ Box Sheet Pile Walls
- ✓ Custom Walls

Support Systems in DeepEX

- ✓ Anchored Walls (Tiebacks and Helical Anchors)
- ✓ Braced Excavations (Steel Struts and Rakers)
- ✓ Top/Down Excavations with Concrete Slabs
- ✓ Dead-man Walls
- ✓ Bin-Type Walls
- ✓ Cofferdams
- ✓ Circular Shafts
- ✓ Cantilever Walls

ANALYSIS METHODS: LIMIT EQUILIBRIUM ANALYSIS



Soil Pressures: Active/Passive, At-rest, Apparent Pressures (FHWA, Peck, Adaptive, Custom Trapezoidal +more)

Beam Analysis: Blum's, FHWA Simple Span, CALTRANS +more

NON-LINEAR ANALYSIS (SOIL SPRINGS)



Moments and Reactions from Spring Analysis

Cumulative Results from Stages

Realistic Displacements

FINITE ELEMENT ANALYSIS

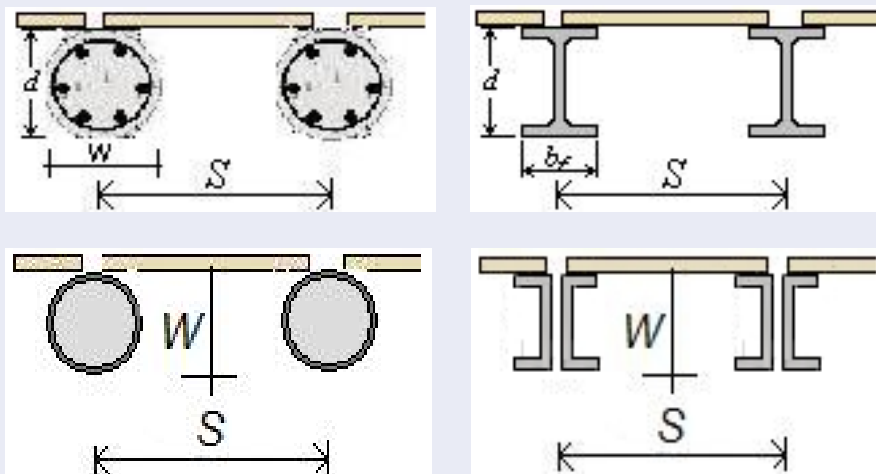


Moments and Reactions from Finite Elements

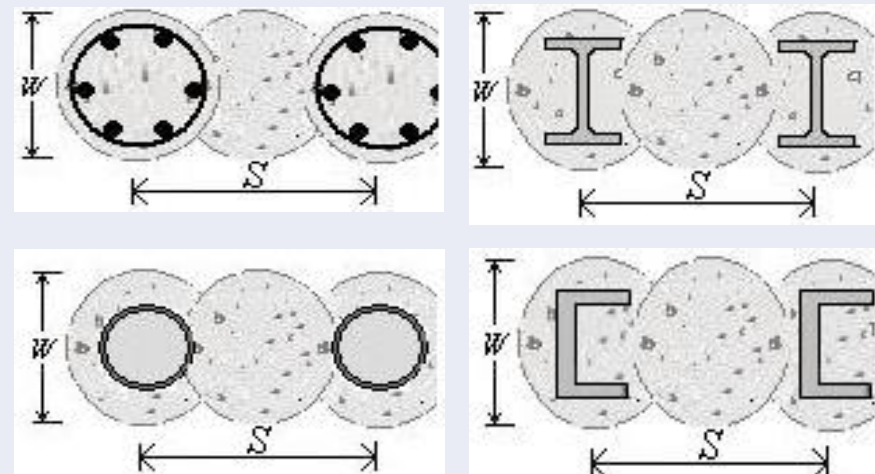
Full Soil-Structure Interaction

Calculate Surface Settlements

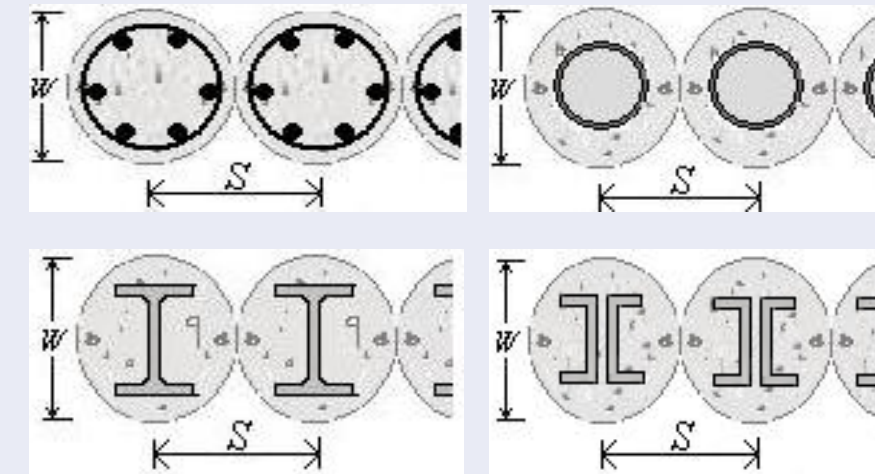
Soldier pile and lagging walls



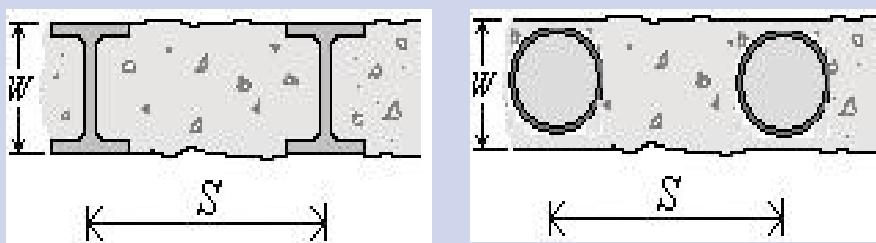
Secant pile walls



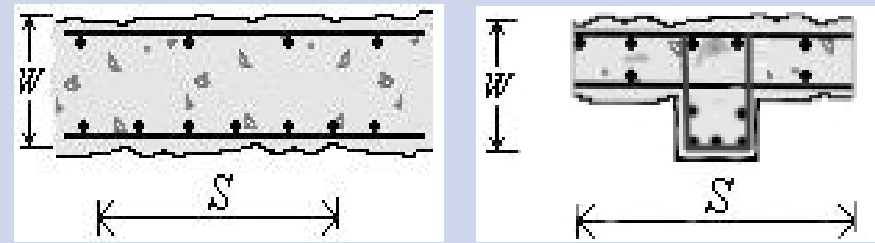
Tangent pile walls



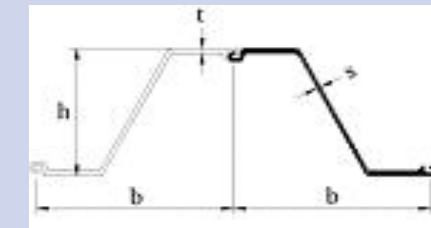
SPTC walls



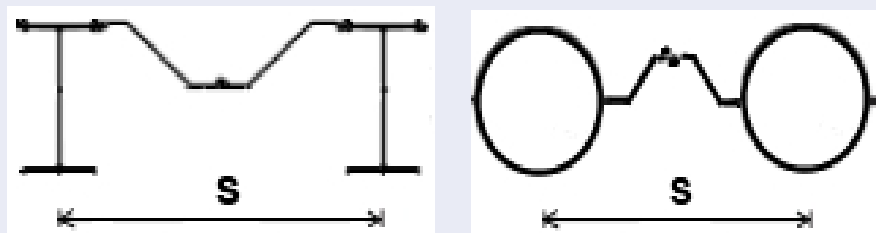
Diaphragm (slurry) walls



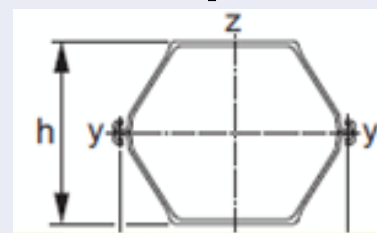
Sheet pile walls



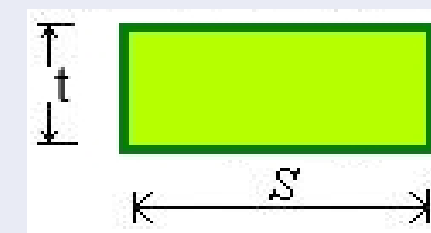
Combined sheet pile walls



Box sheet pile walls

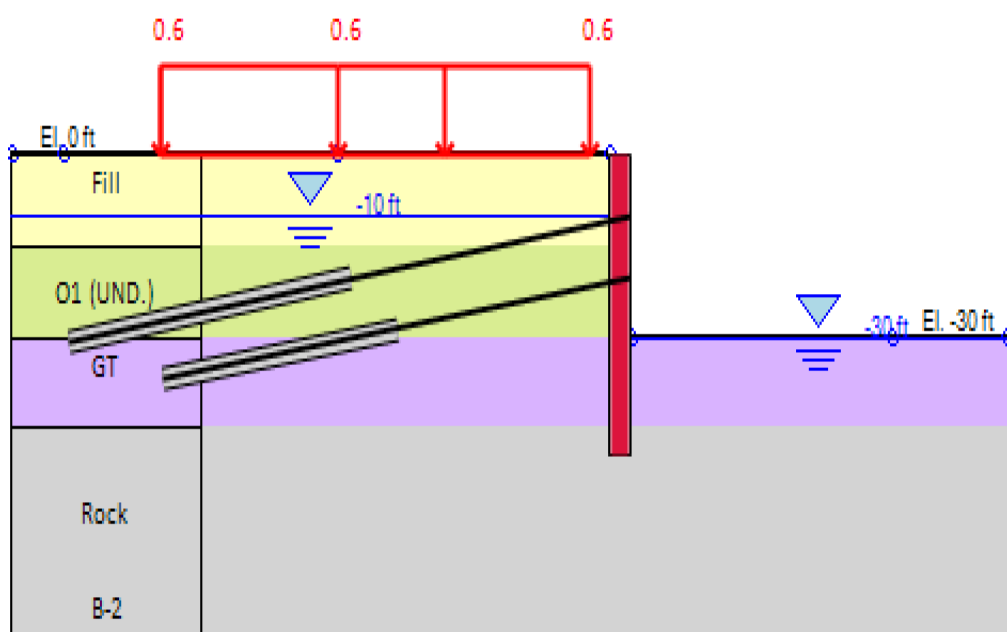


Custom walls

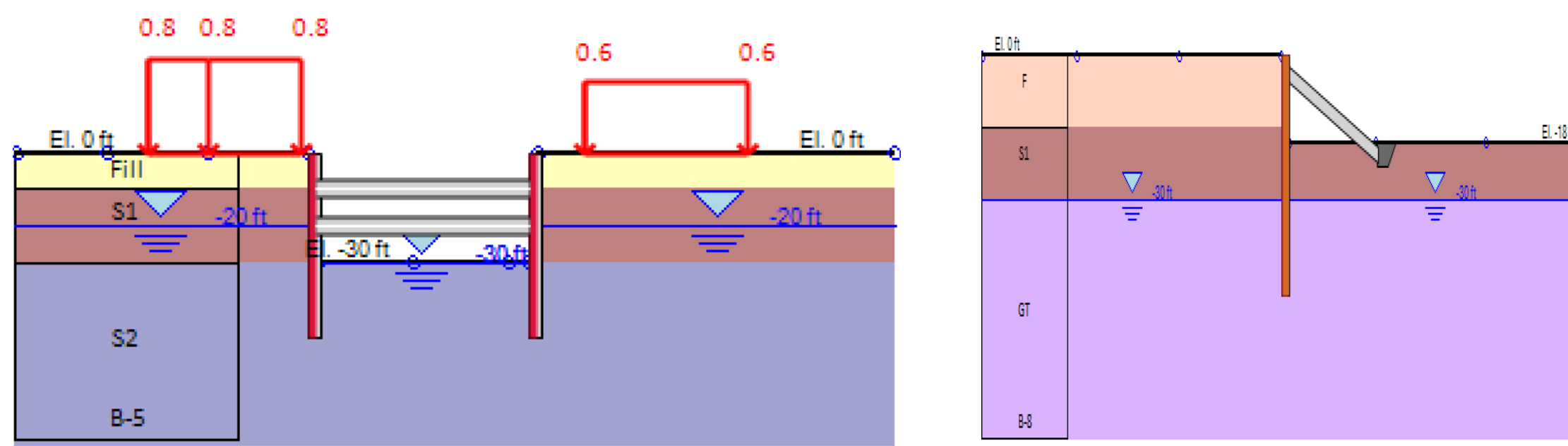




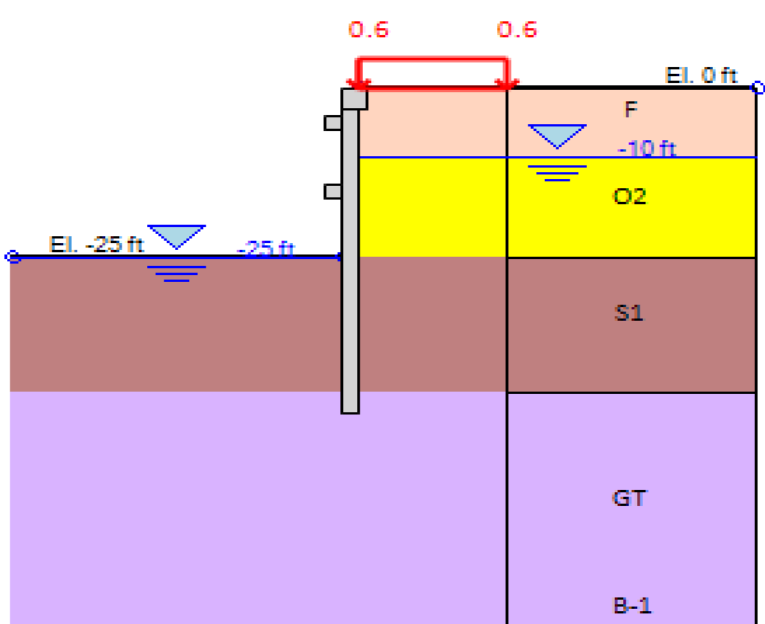
Anchored Walls (Tiebacks)



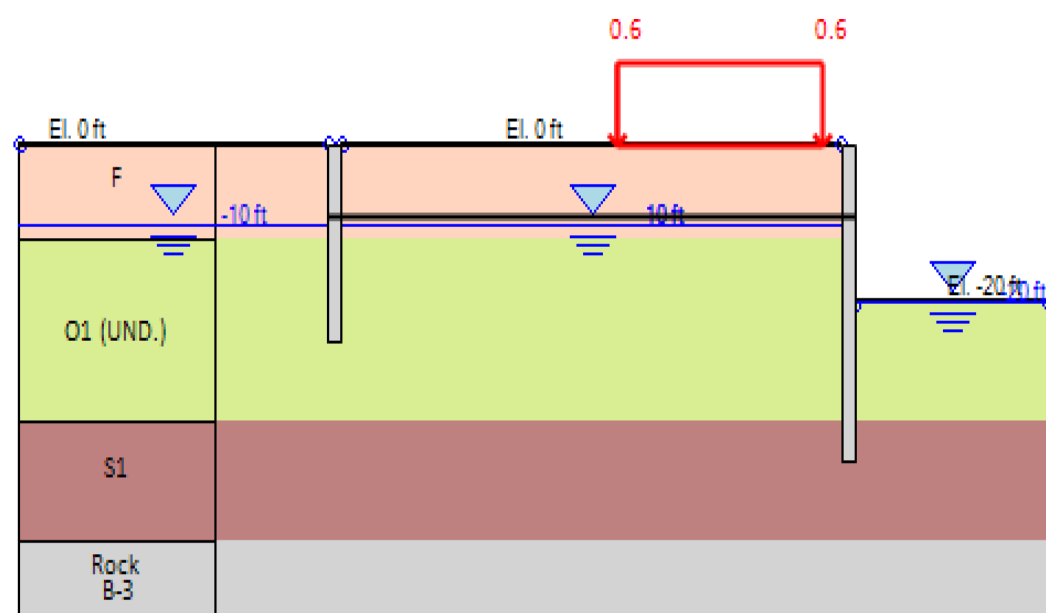
Braced Excavations (Struts and Rakers)



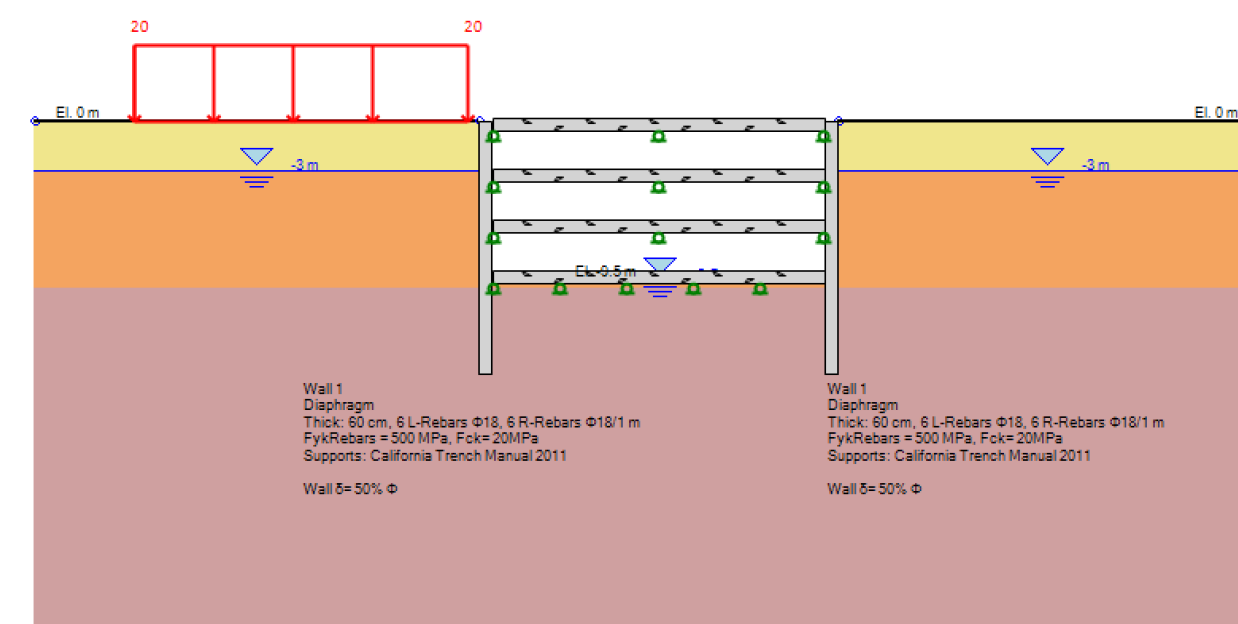
Circular Shafts (Ring Beams)



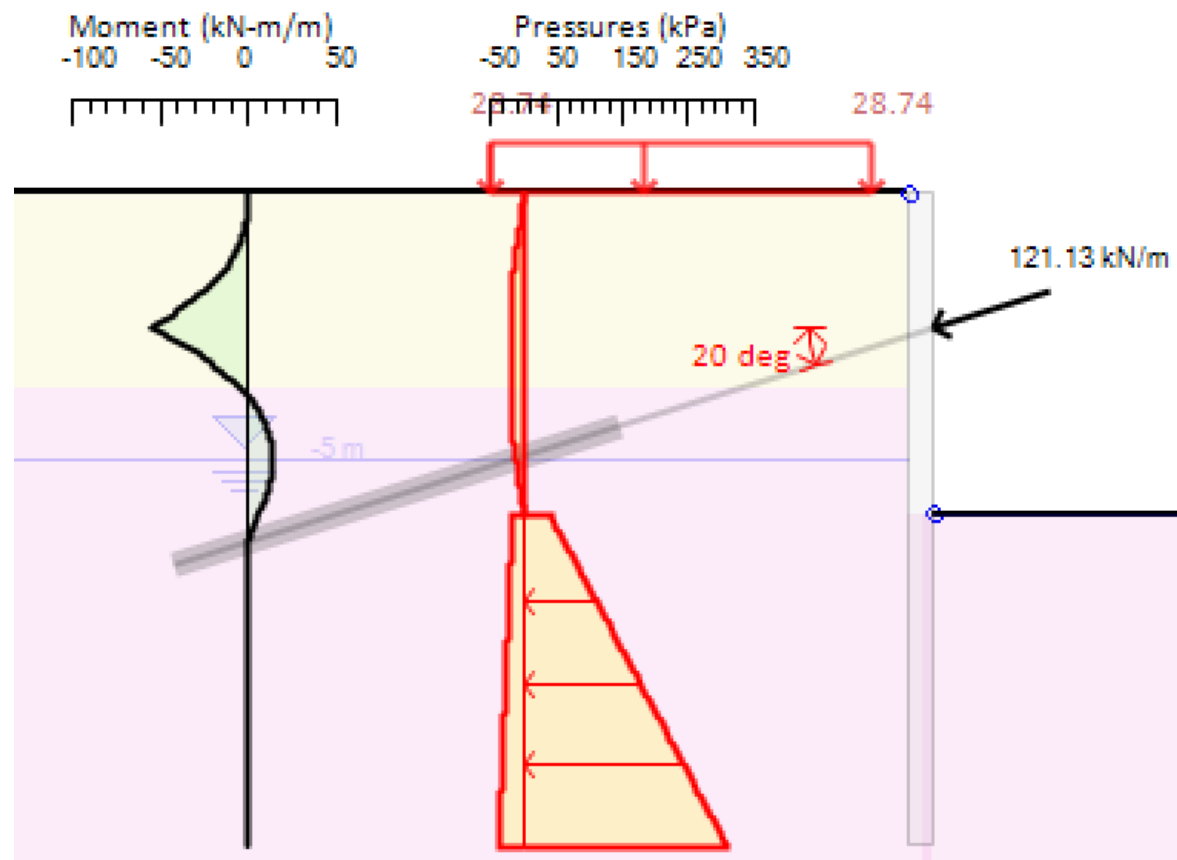
Dead-man Walls (Tierods)



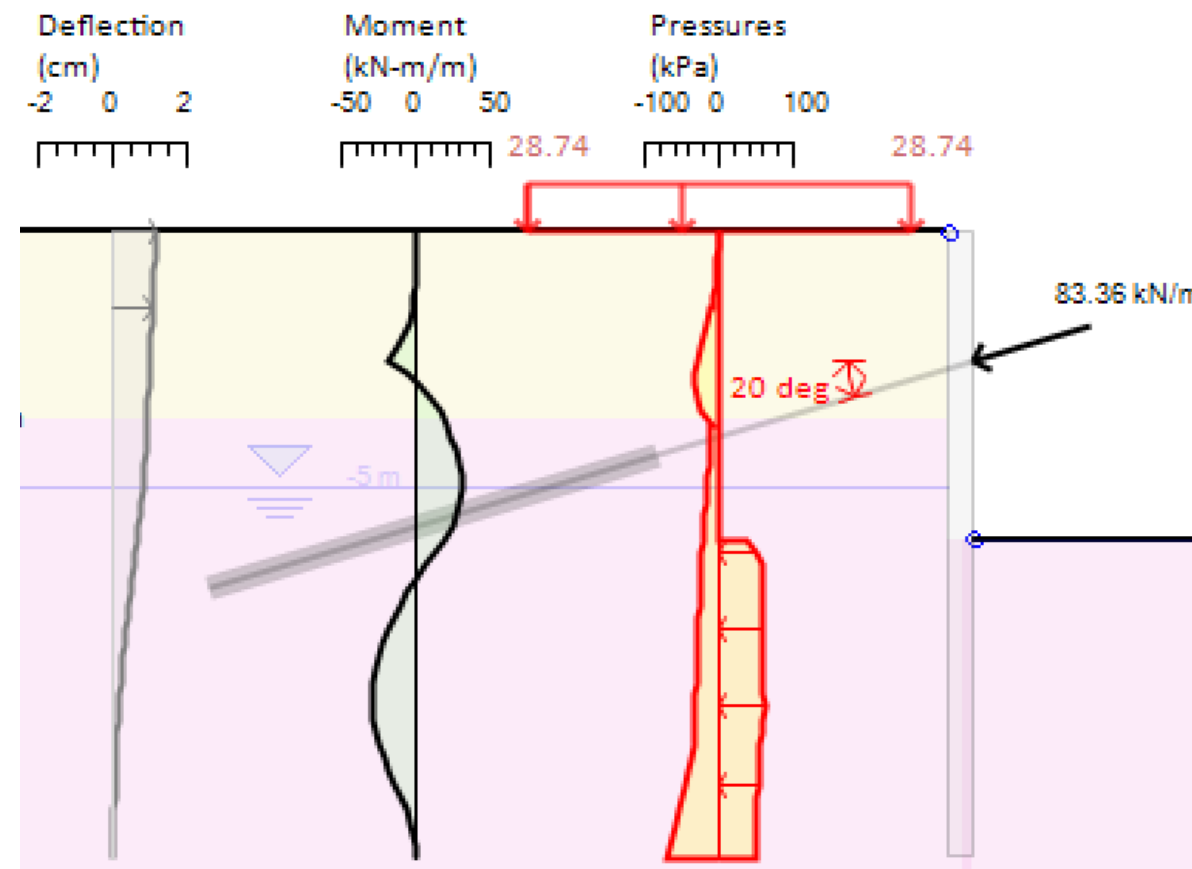
Top-Down Excavations (Concrete Slabs)



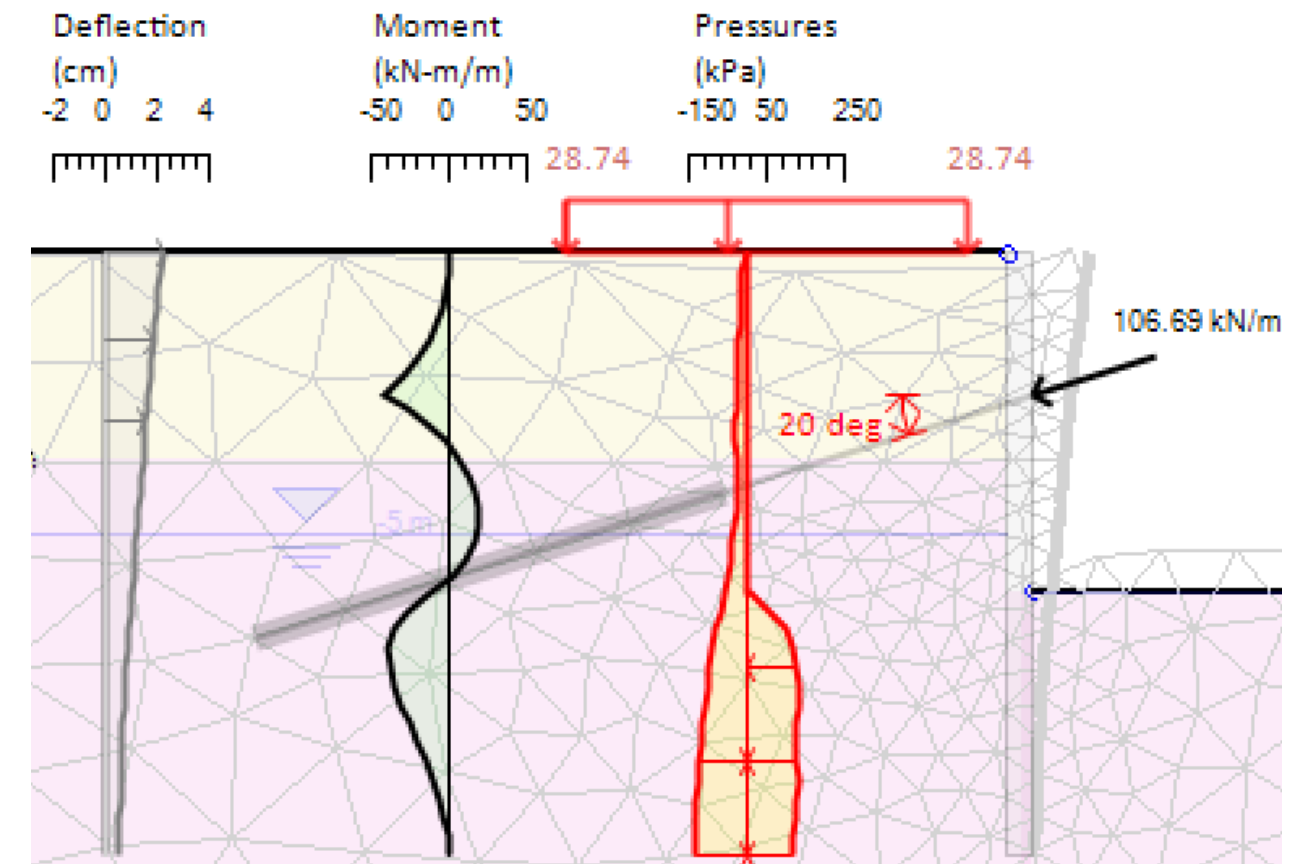
Limit Equilibrium Analysis (LEM)



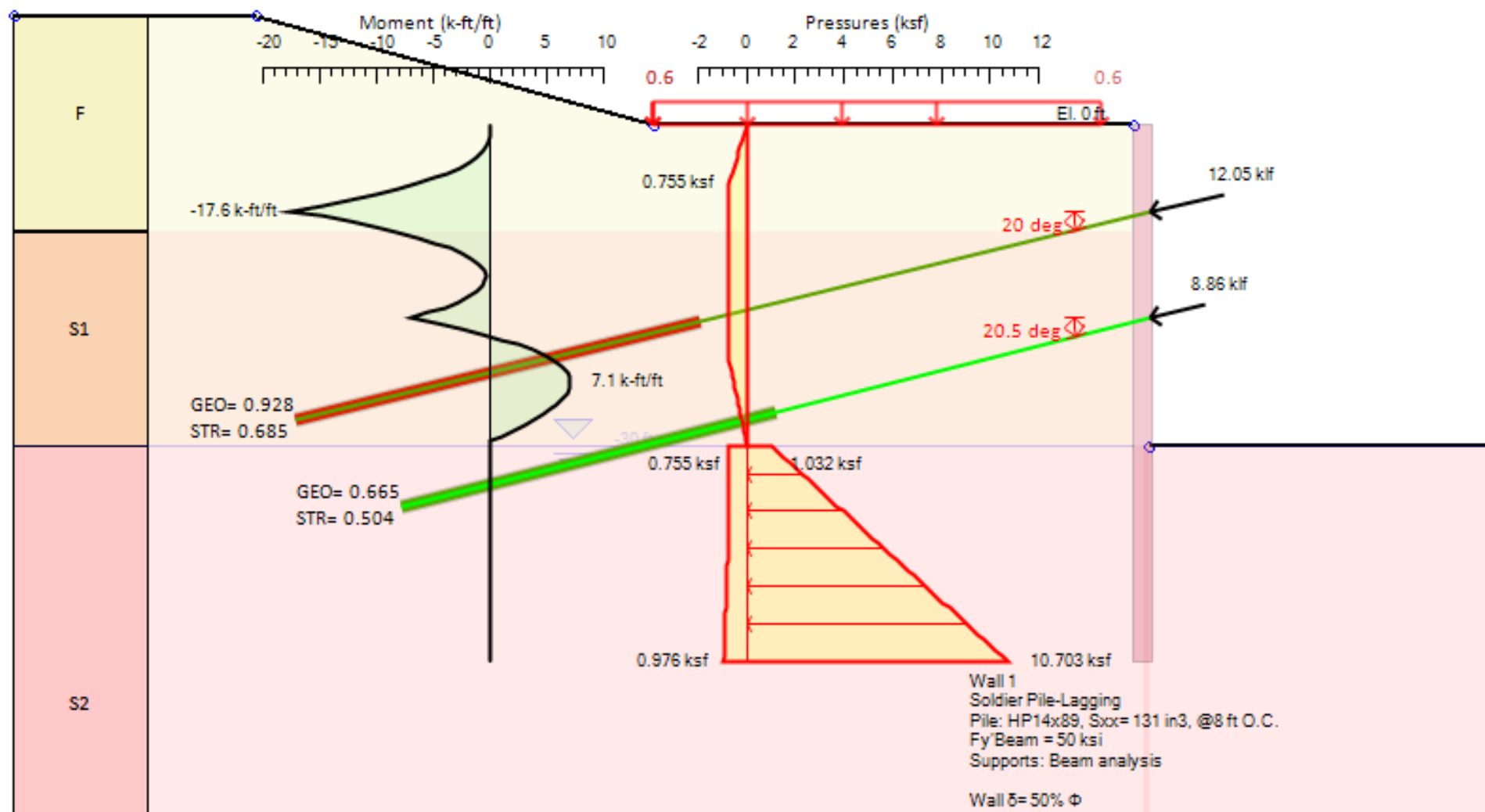
Non-Linear Analysis (NL) (Elastoplastic Springs)



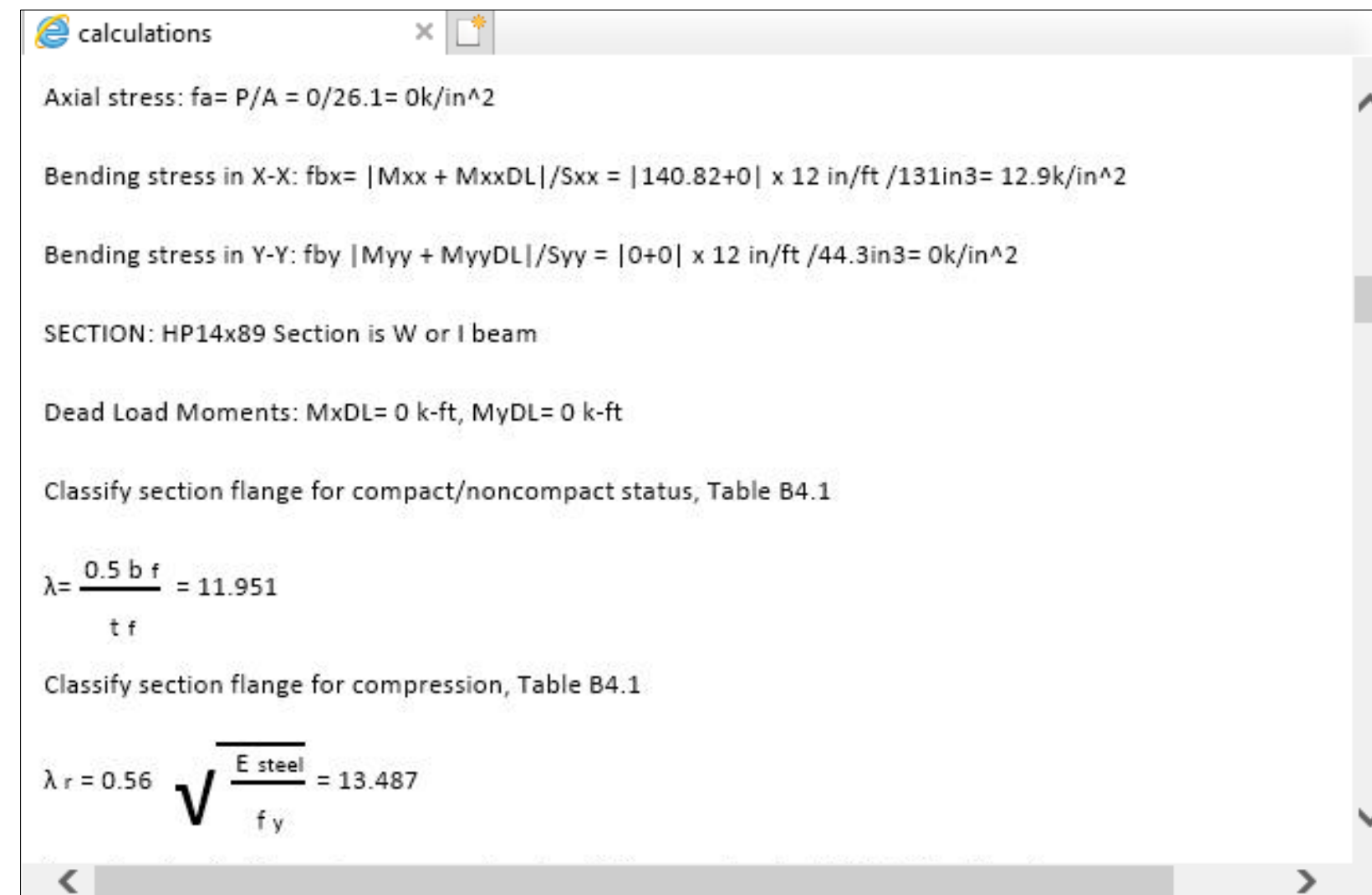
Finite Element Analysis (FEM)



Diagrams, Reactions & Check Ratios:



Structural Checks & Design Calculations:



Structural Codes: Eurocodes 1,2 & 8, ACI, LRFD, AISC, AS 3600 & 4100, CN (China) + more

Design Standards: Eurocode 7, DIN, BS, XP, AASHTO LRFD, CALTRANS, CN (China) + more



- ✓ Create multiply soil types and define soil properties
- ✓ Soil properties estimation tools (NSPT values - test data)
- ✓ Create multiple borings and define the horizontal stratigraphy
- ✓ Add CPT logs and SPT Records - Estimate properties from records
- ✓ Custom Layer mode: Create inclined soil layers
- ✓ Soil Change Commands: Change soil properties through stages

Soil Types

Soil Name: F
Description: Fill

Soil Type - Behaviour: Sand
Clean fine sands, and slightly silty sands

Unit Weights - Density: γ_t 19 kN/m³

Strength Parameters: c^* 5 kPa

Permeability: K_x 9.999999 m/sec

At-rest coefficients: K_{oNC} 0.577

Soil Layers

Available Borings: Boring 1

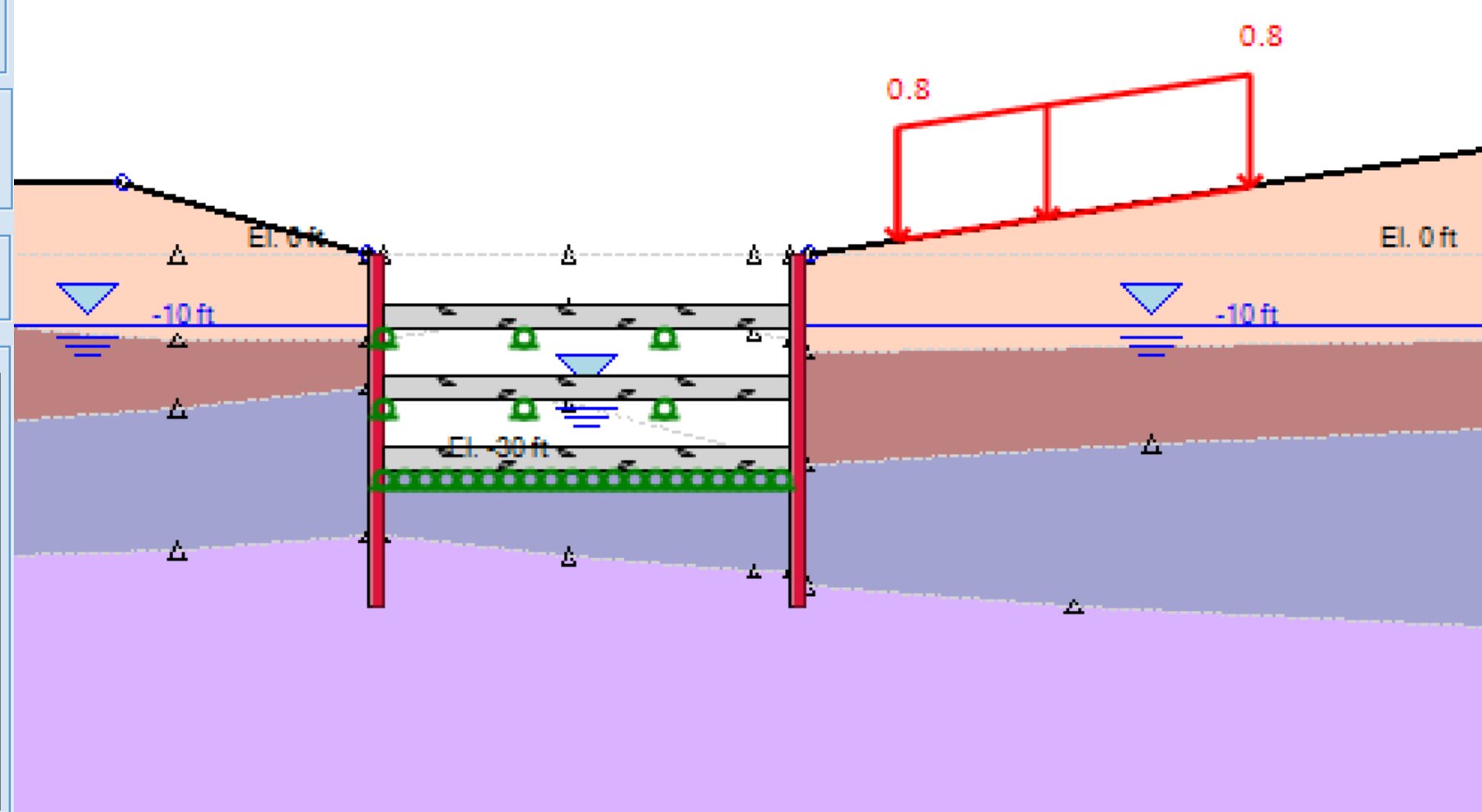
1. General Boring Information - Coordinates
Name: Boring 1
Coordinates X: -20 m, Y: 0 m

SPT Data Option (Applies to Design Section)
SPT Record: Not assigned
 Pass same SPT log to boring (3D visualizations)

CPT Record Option (Applies to Design Section)
CPT Record: Not assigned

2. Boring Layers - Layer Elevations

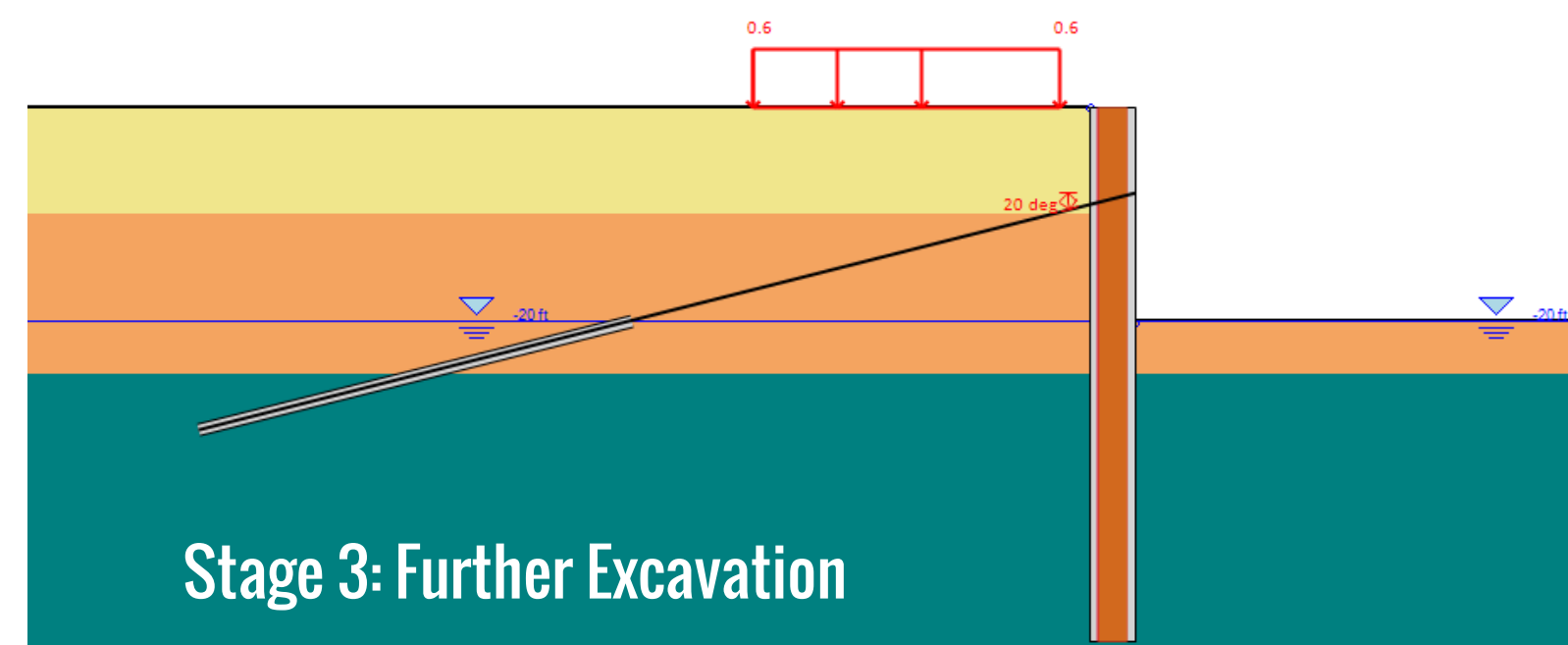
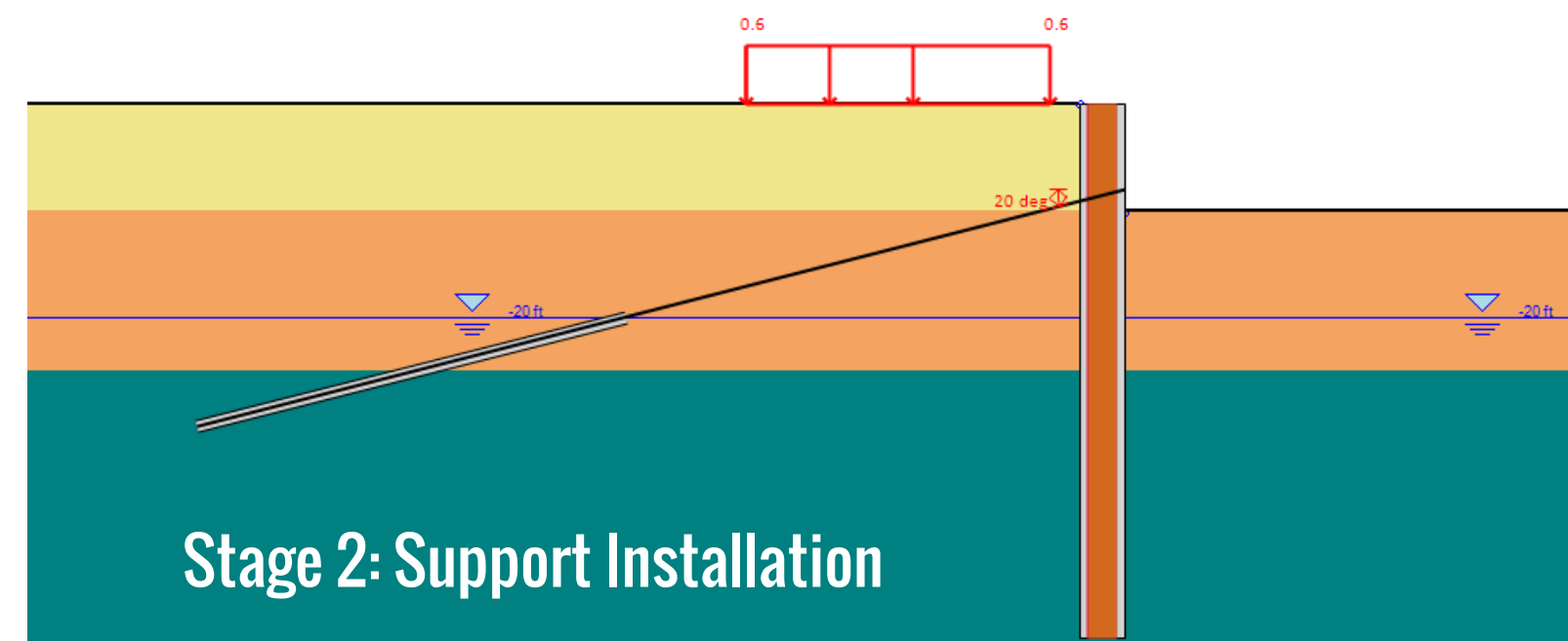
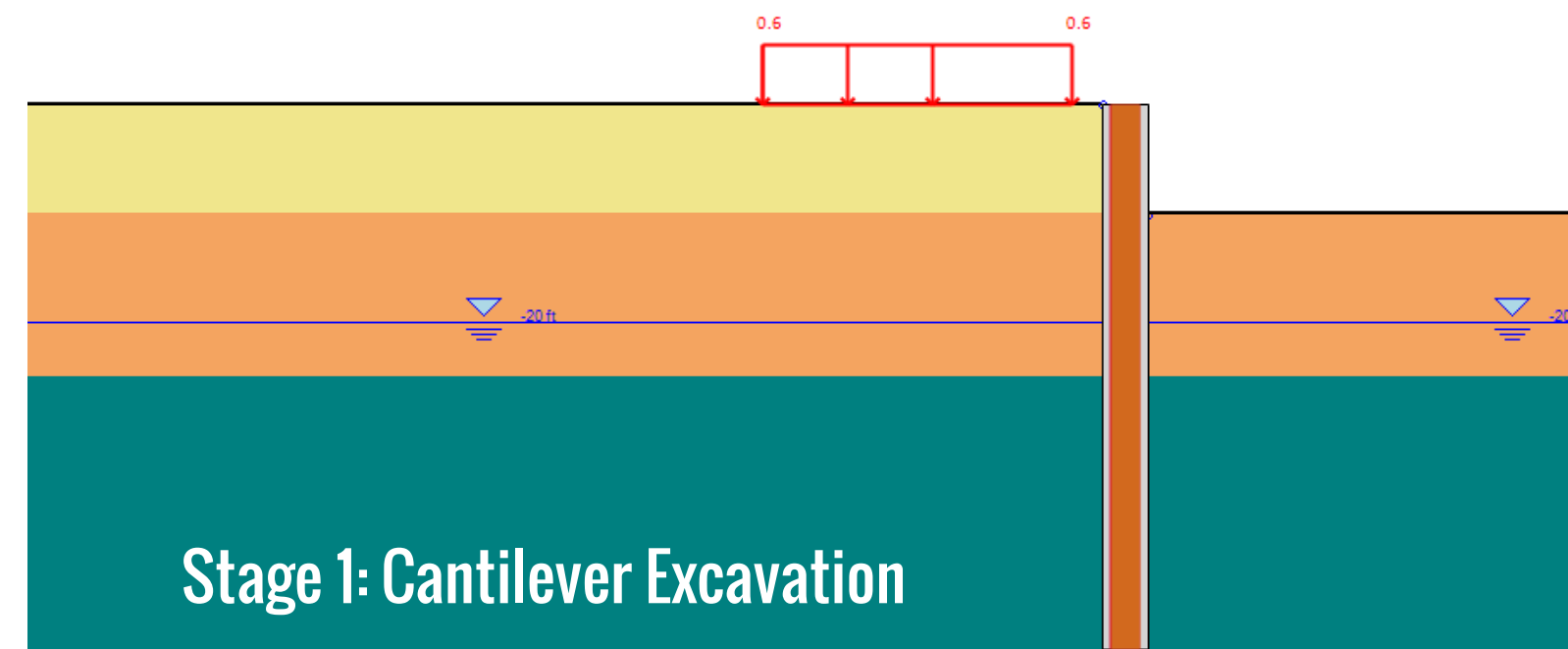
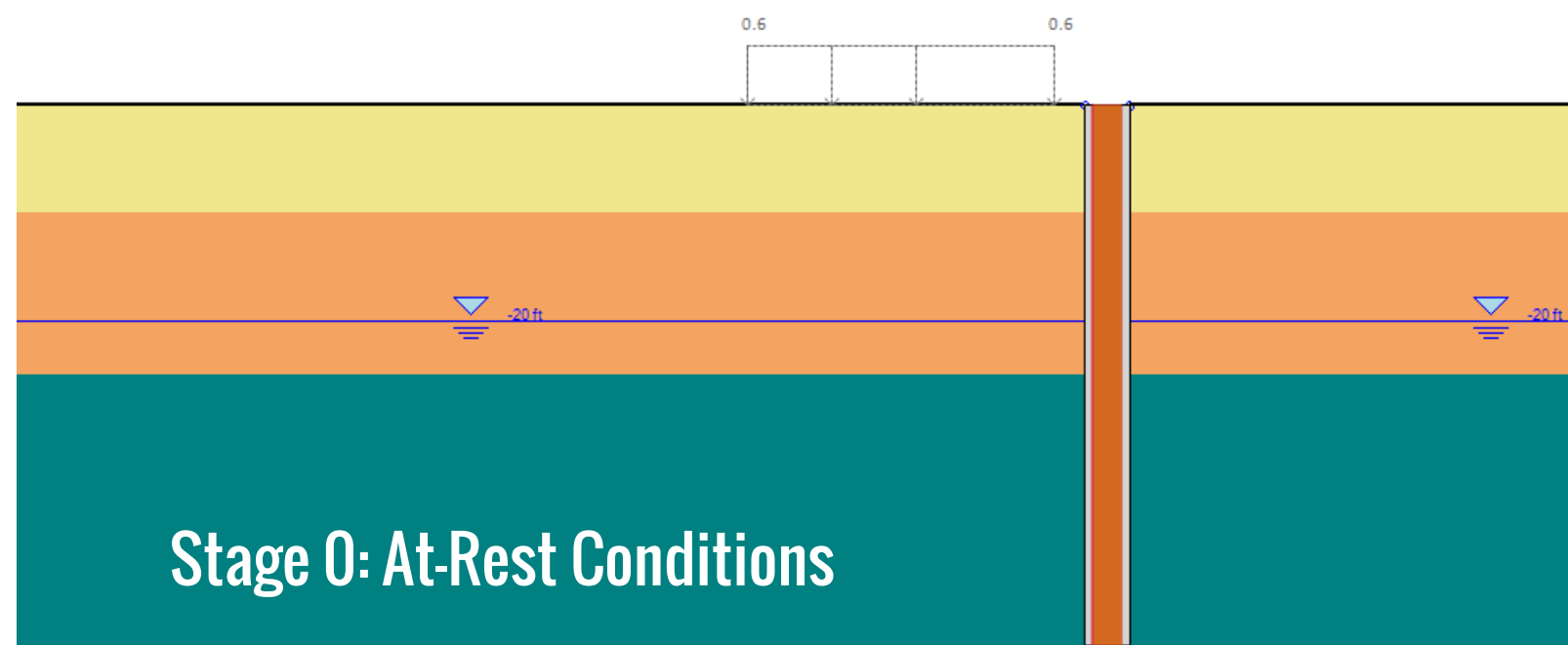
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Include All Construction Stages

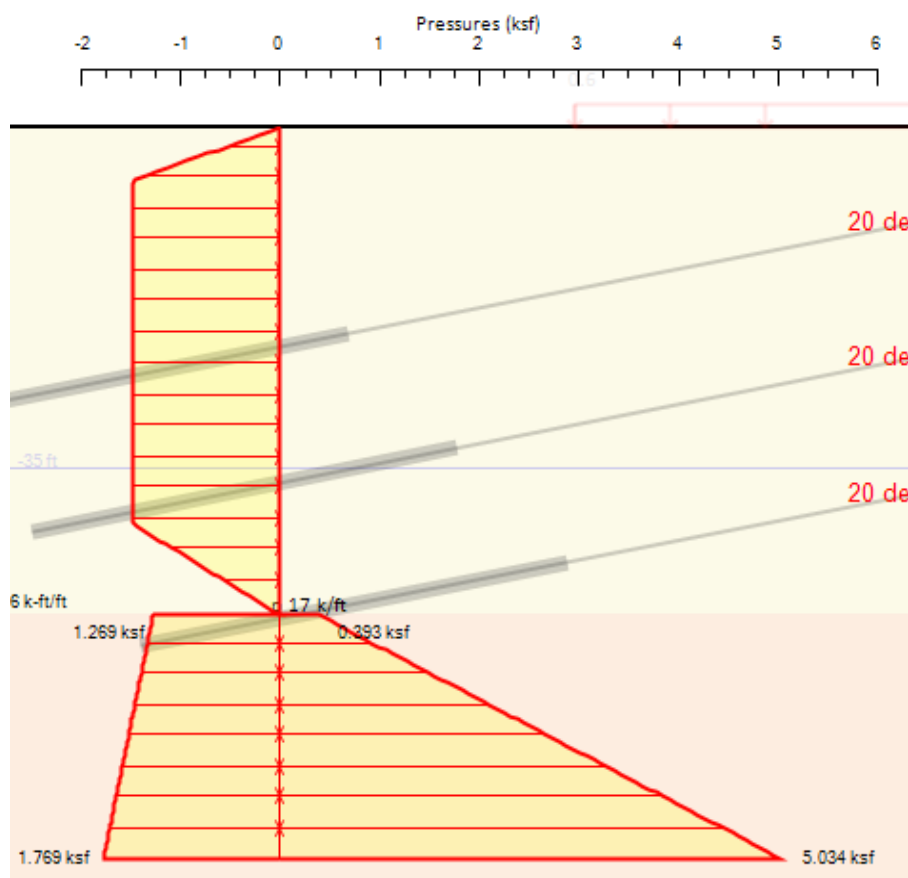
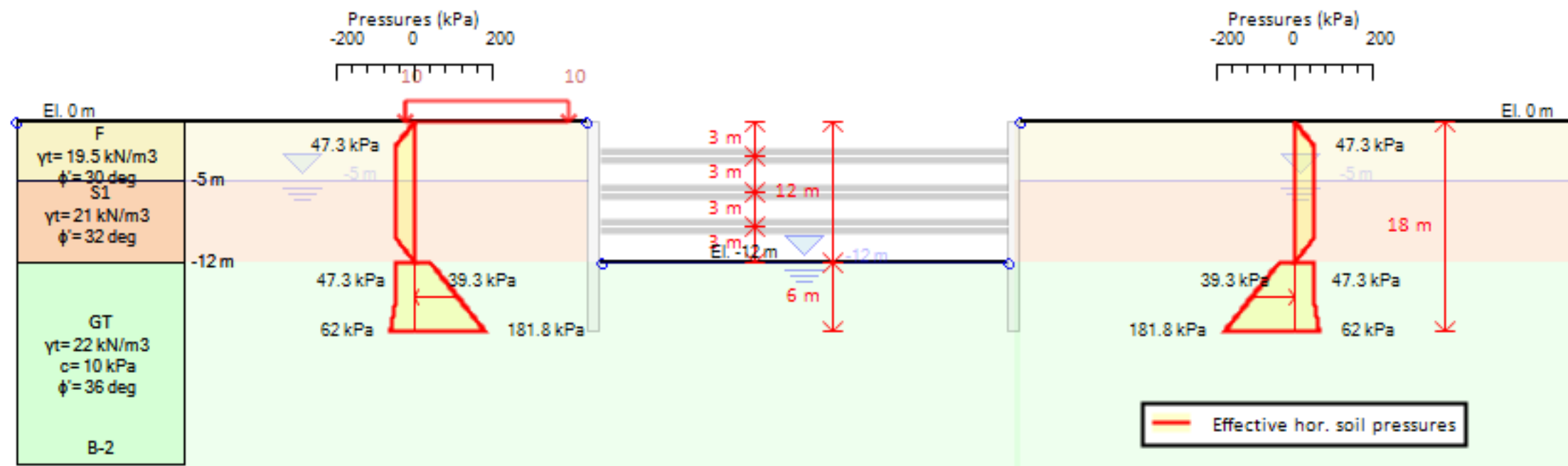


- ✓ Create all intermediate construction stages
- ✓ Review the results for each stage & recognize the critical stages
- ✓ Perform an efficient model optimization
- ✓ Get more realistic results for methods that consider staging (NL, FEM)

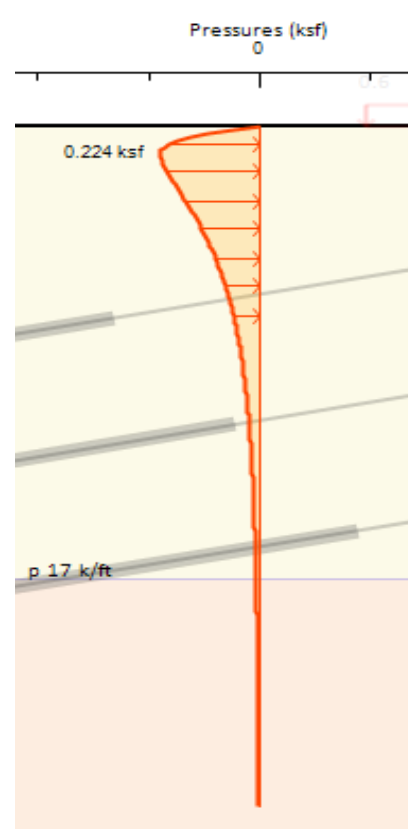




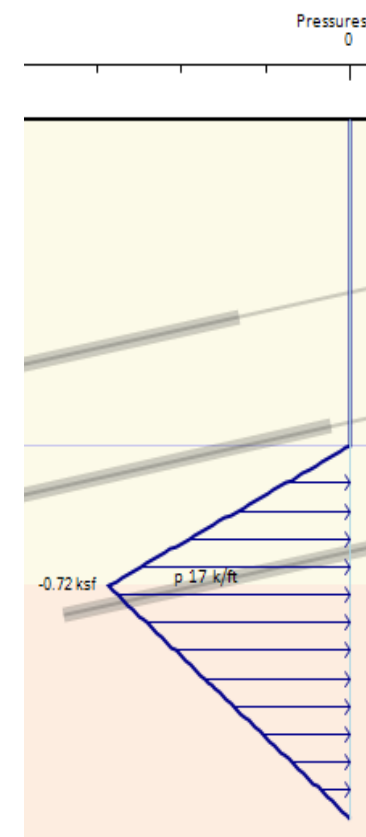
- ✓ Assume lateral earth pressures.
- ✓ Determine fixity locations for forces at subgrade.
- ✓ Analyze wall beam with assumed loads.
- ✓ Advantages: Easy method to verify. Gives a back check for more rigorous methods.
- ✓ Disadvantages: Soil-structure interaction ignored.



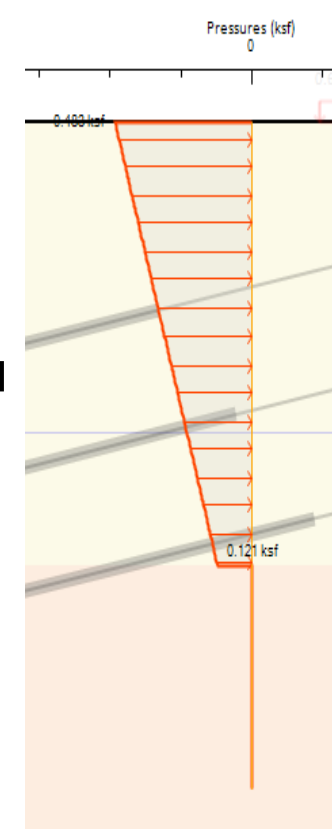
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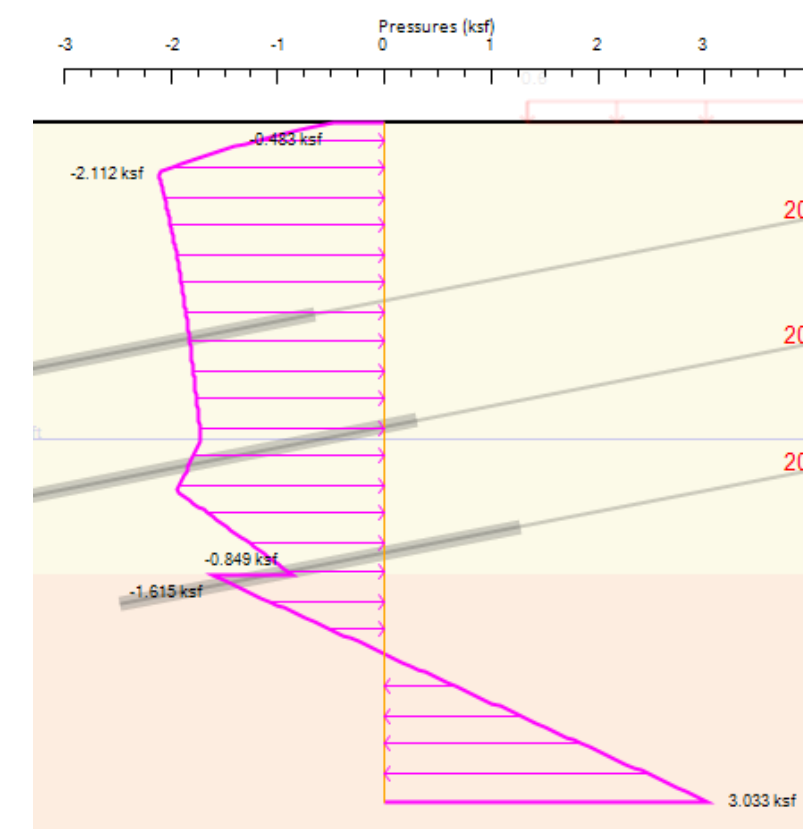
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Water Pressures



Seismic Pressures



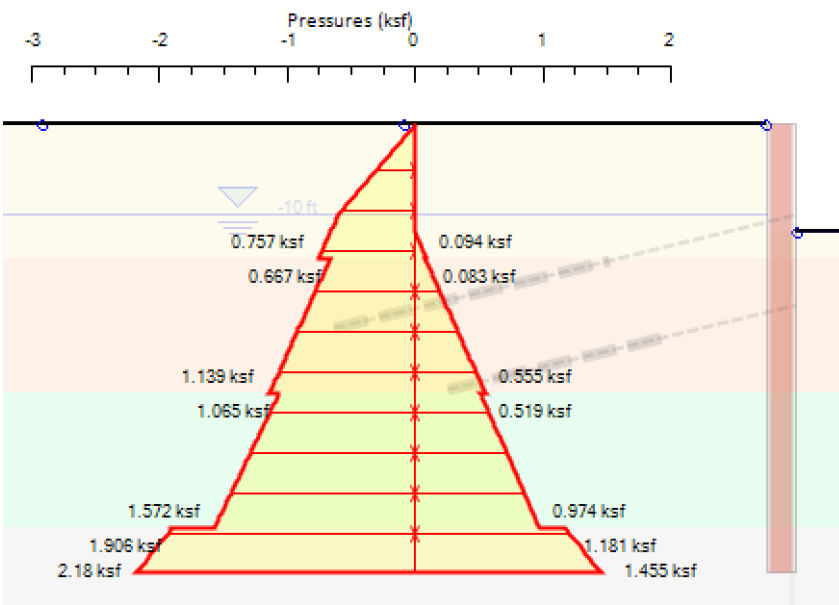
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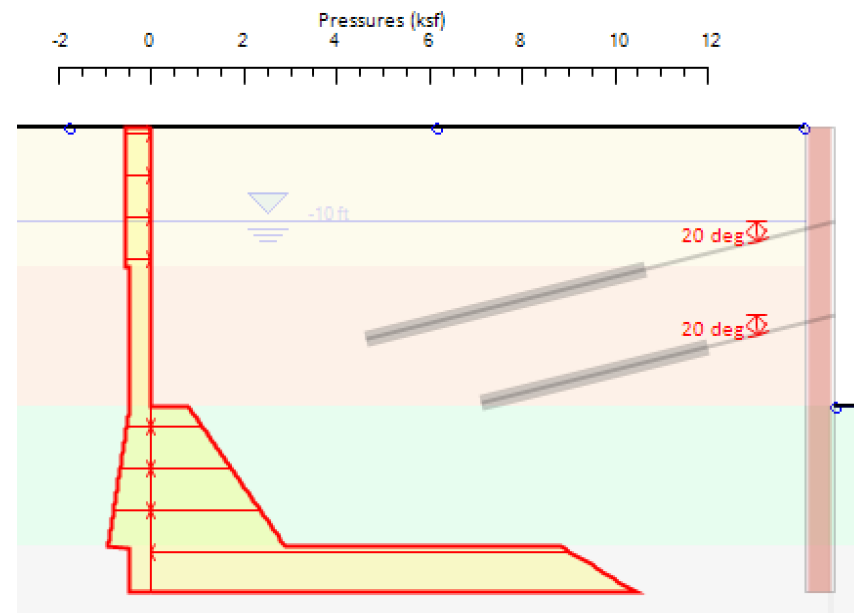
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Construction Stages with multiple support levels

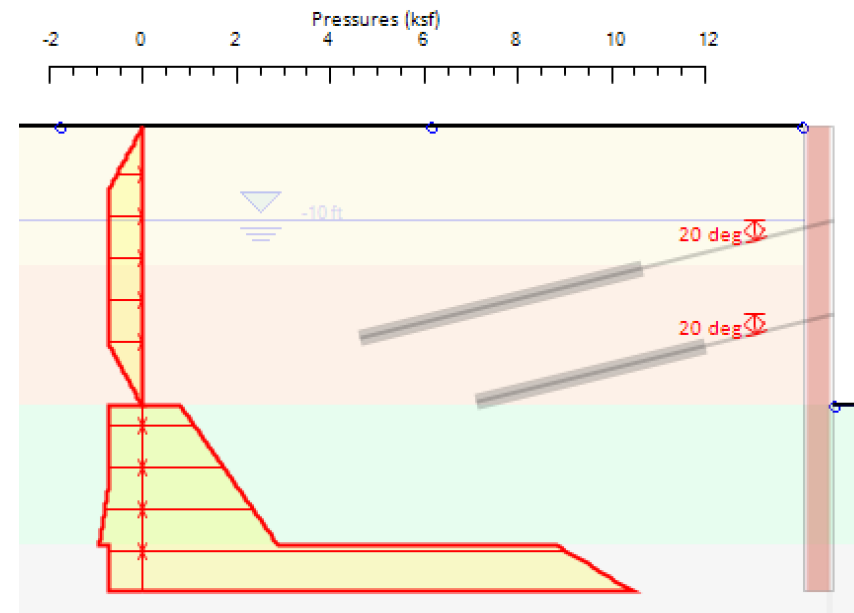
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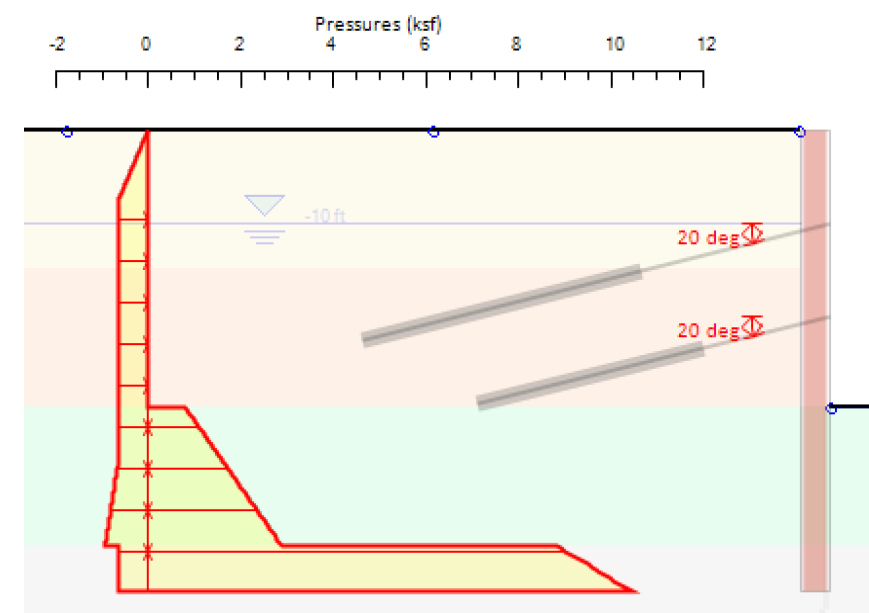
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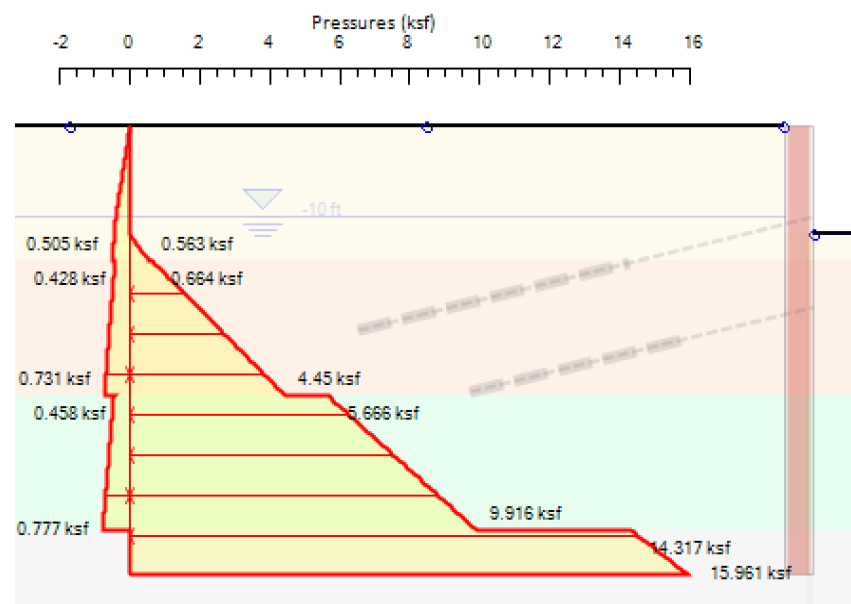
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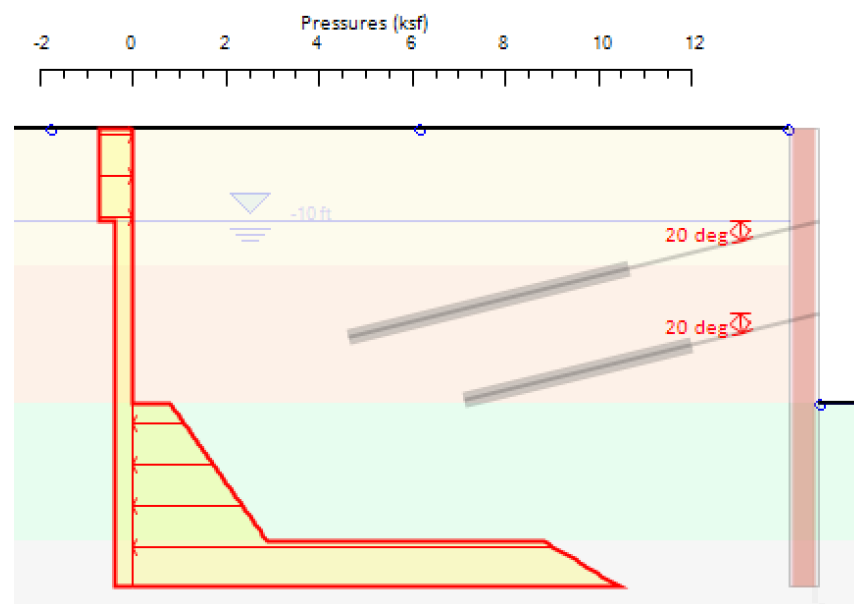
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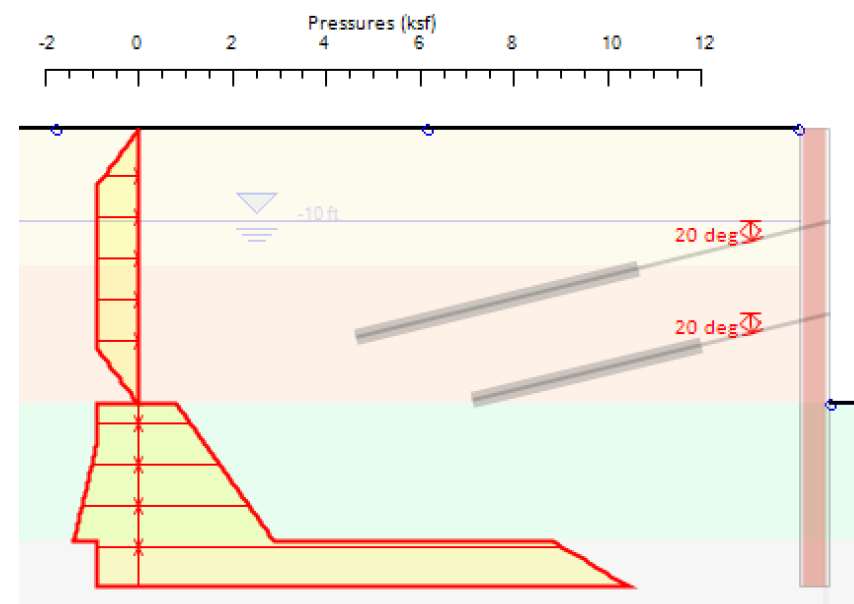
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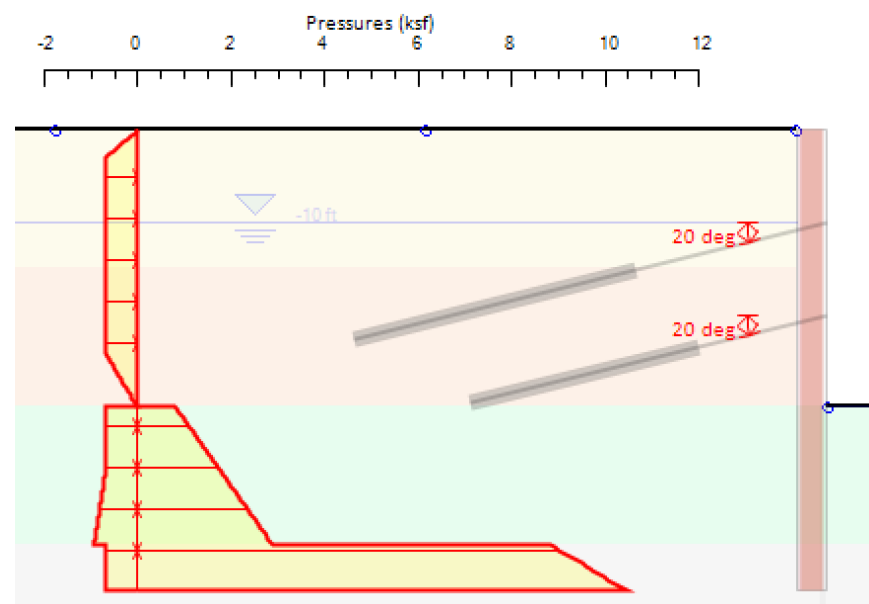
Two-Step Rectangular Pressures



WMATA Pressures



New York City DEP Pressures

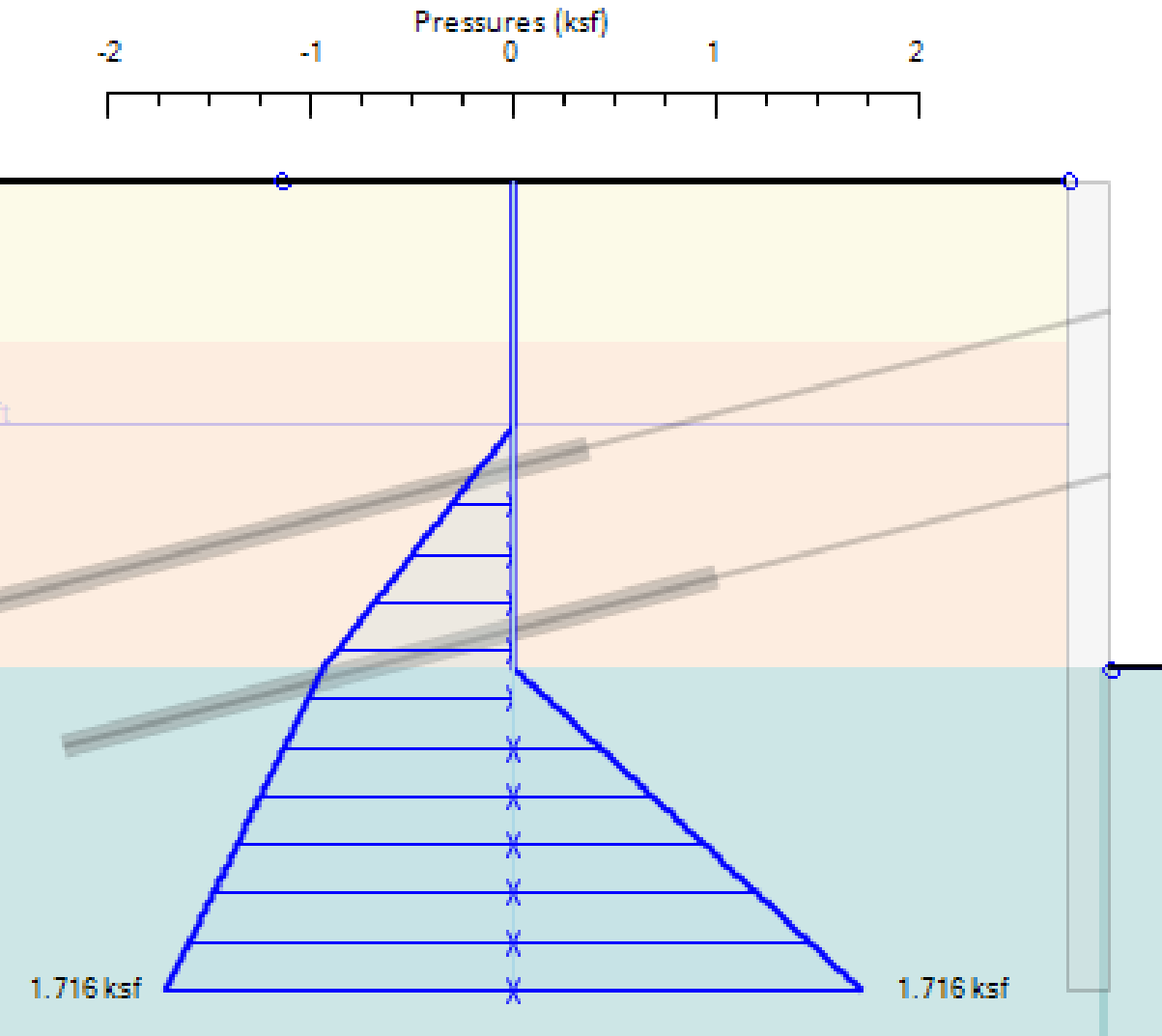




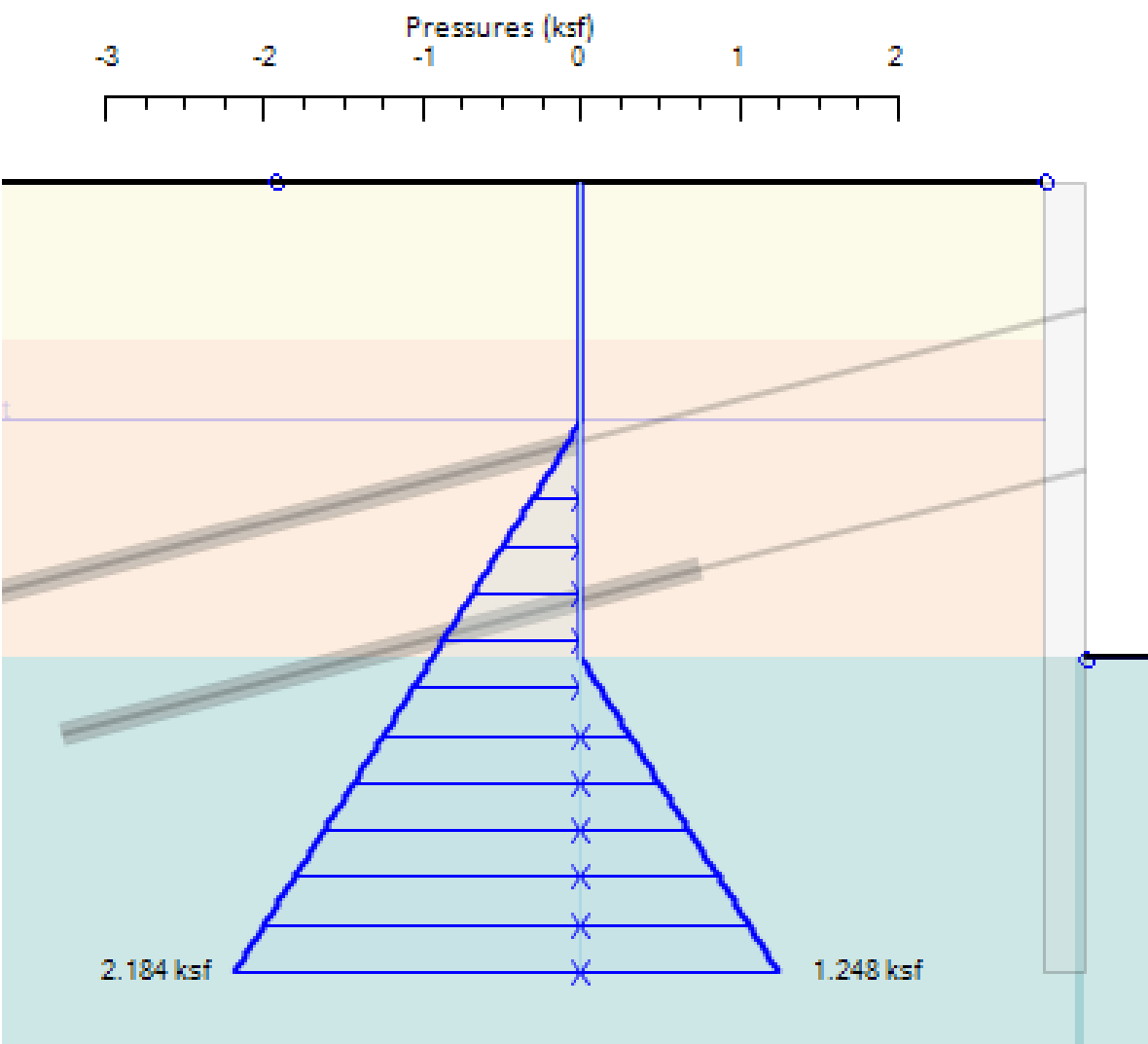
Water Pressure Methods



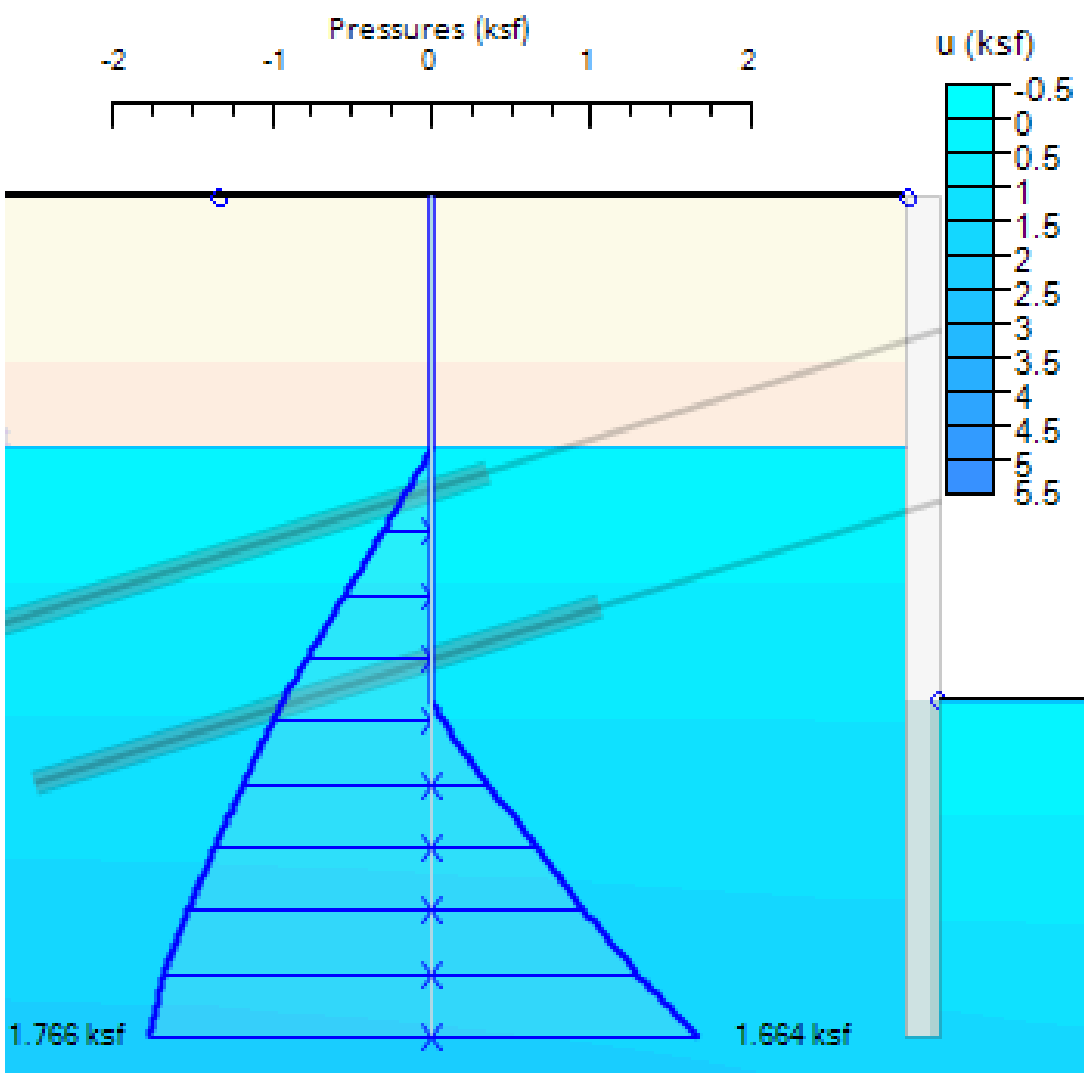
Simplified Flow

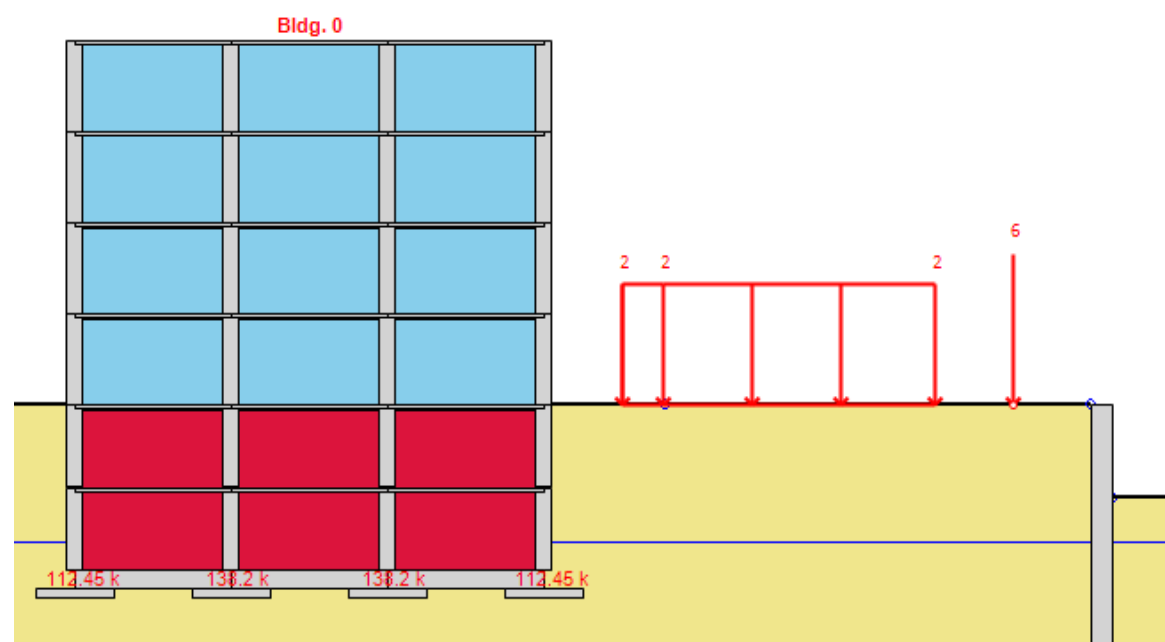


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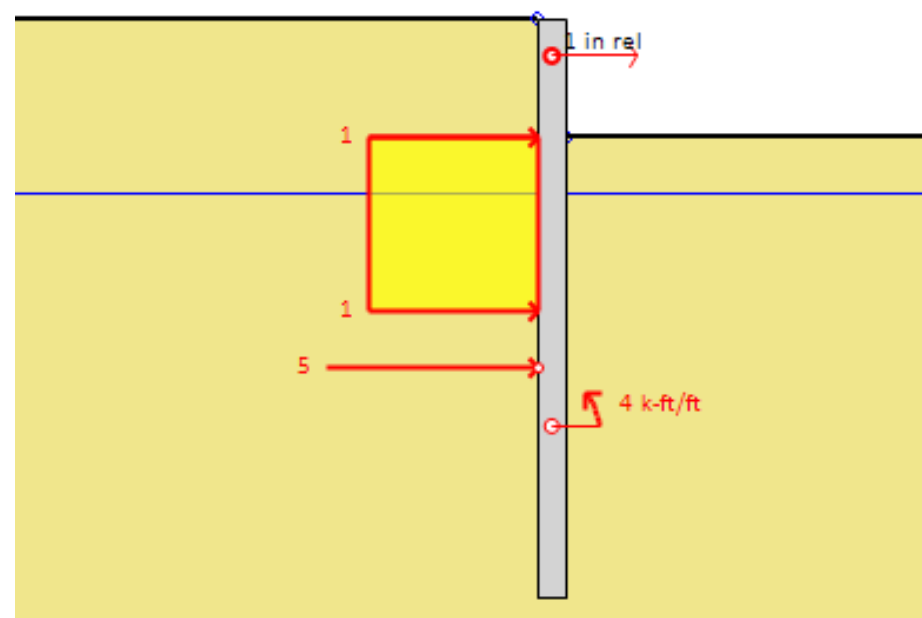
Full Flownet Analysis





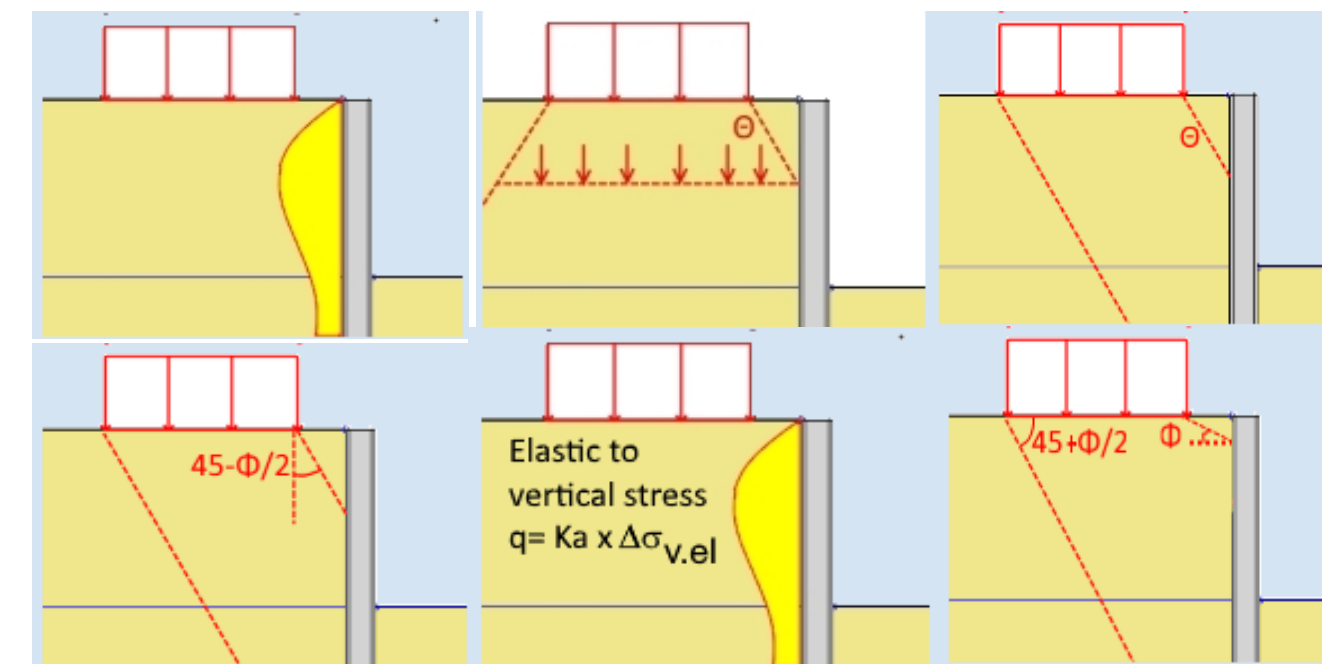
Loads on ground surface:

- ✓ Strip surcharges
- ✓ Linear loads
- ✓ 3D loads (buildings, footings, 3D surface loads)



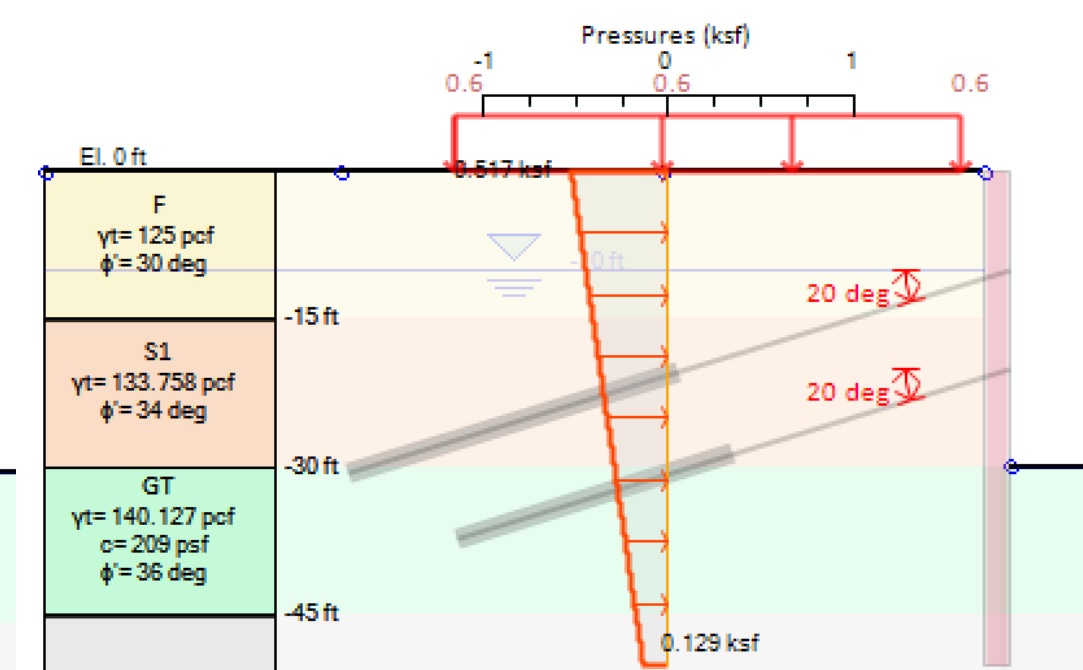
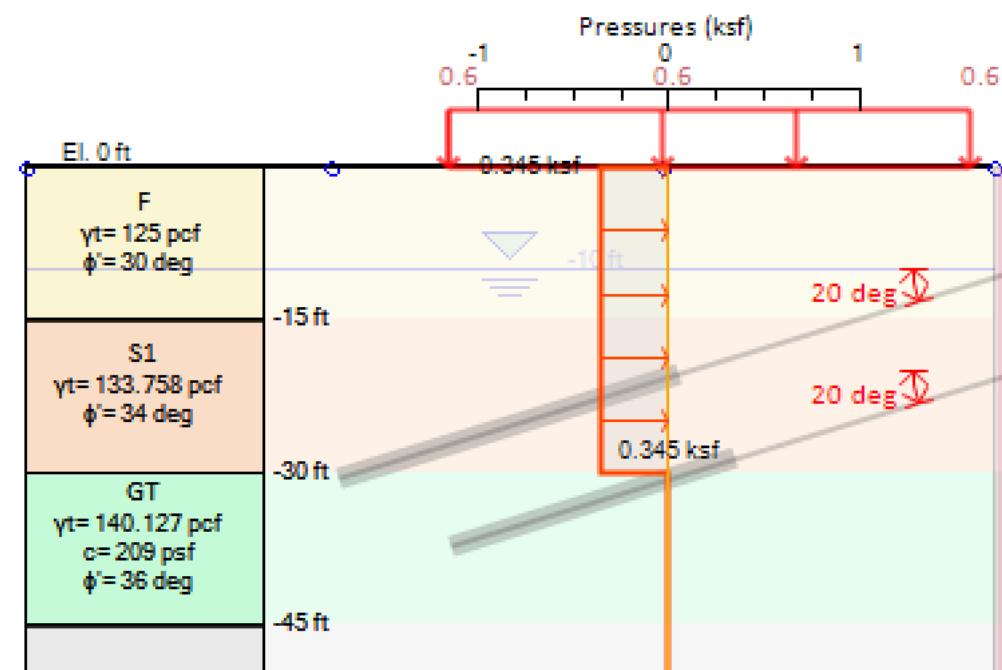
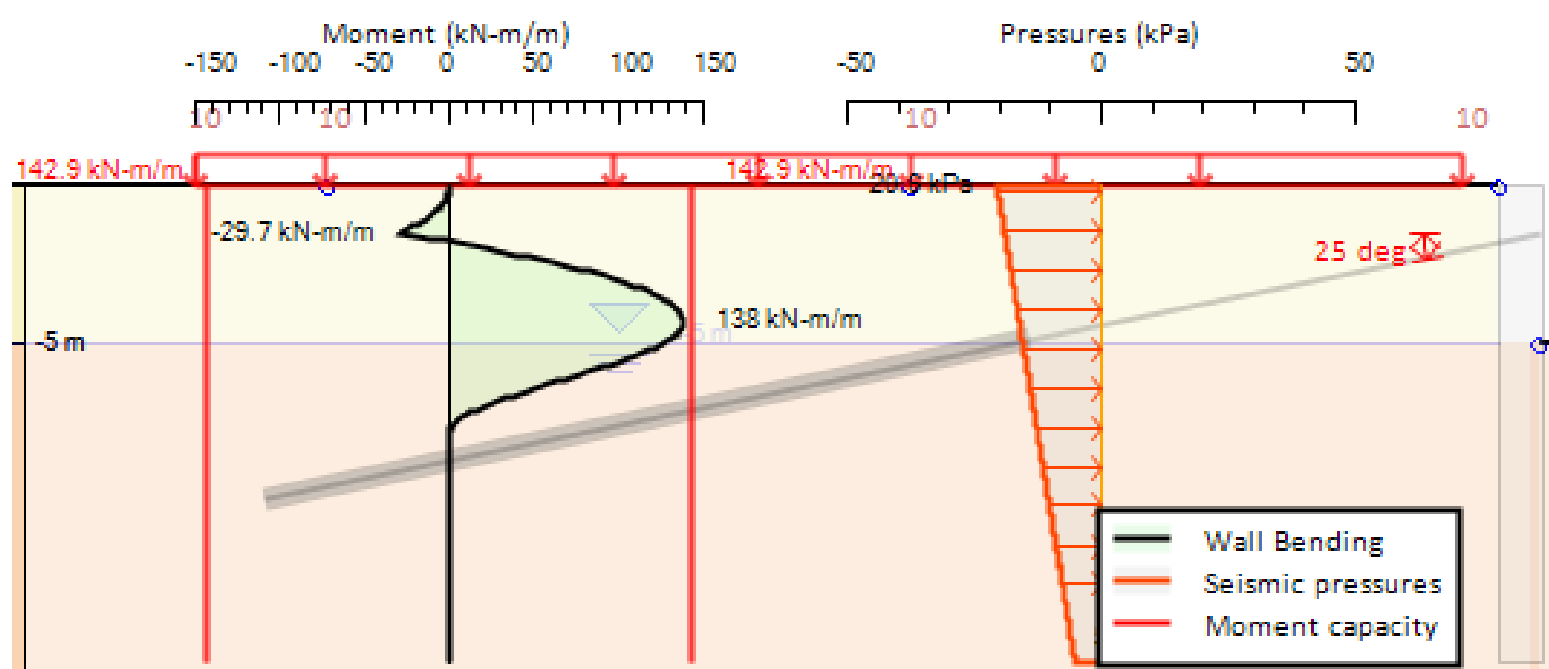
Loads on the wall:

- ✓ Strip surcharges
- ✓ Linear loads
- ✓ External moments
- ✓ Prescribed displacements



Load modeling options:

- ✓ Elasticity equations
- ✓ Two-way distribution angle
- ✓ One-way distribution angle
- ✓ One-way distribution angle from soil friction
- ✓ Elasticity to vertical stress x K_a (or K_o)
- ✓ CIRIA Special Pub 95 - 1993



Procedure in DeepEX

- Define Seismic Accelerations A_x and A_z
- Select Seismic Pressures Calculation Method
- Select a Seismic Design Standard

Seismic Pressure Methods

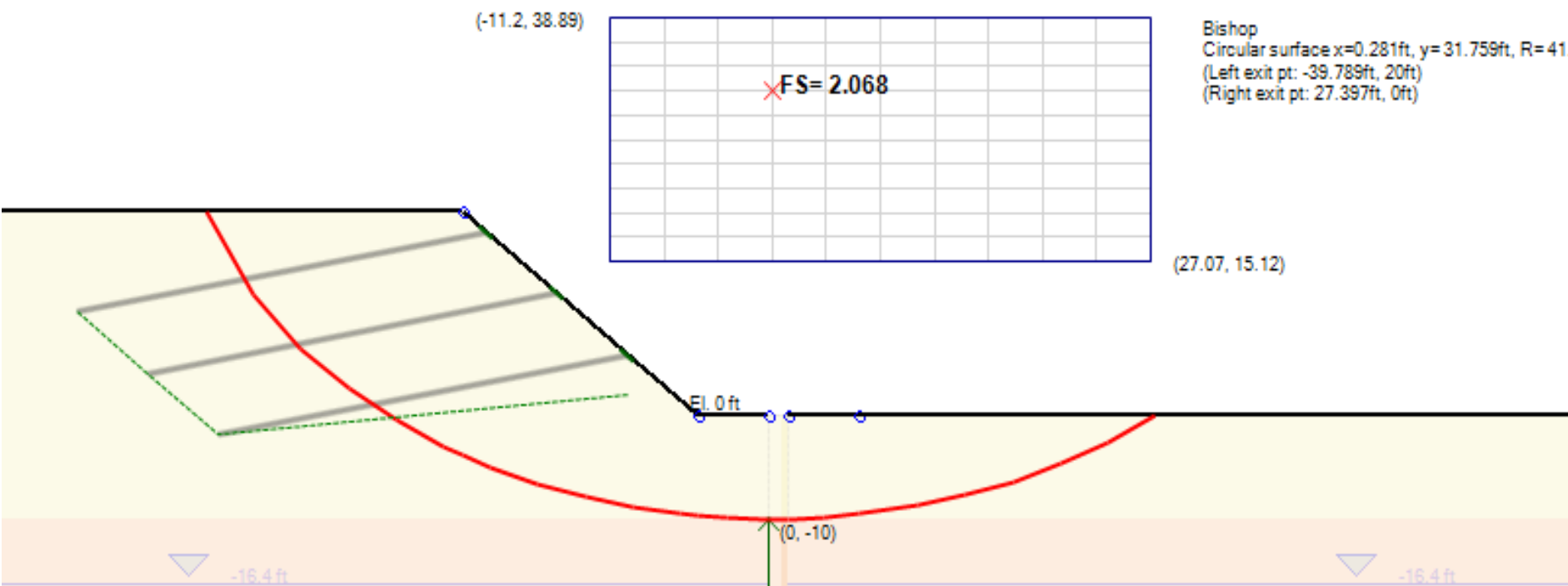
- ✓ Semirigid
- ✓ Mononobe-Okabe (frictional soils)
- ✓ Wood Automatic
- ✓ Wood Manual

Semirigid Method

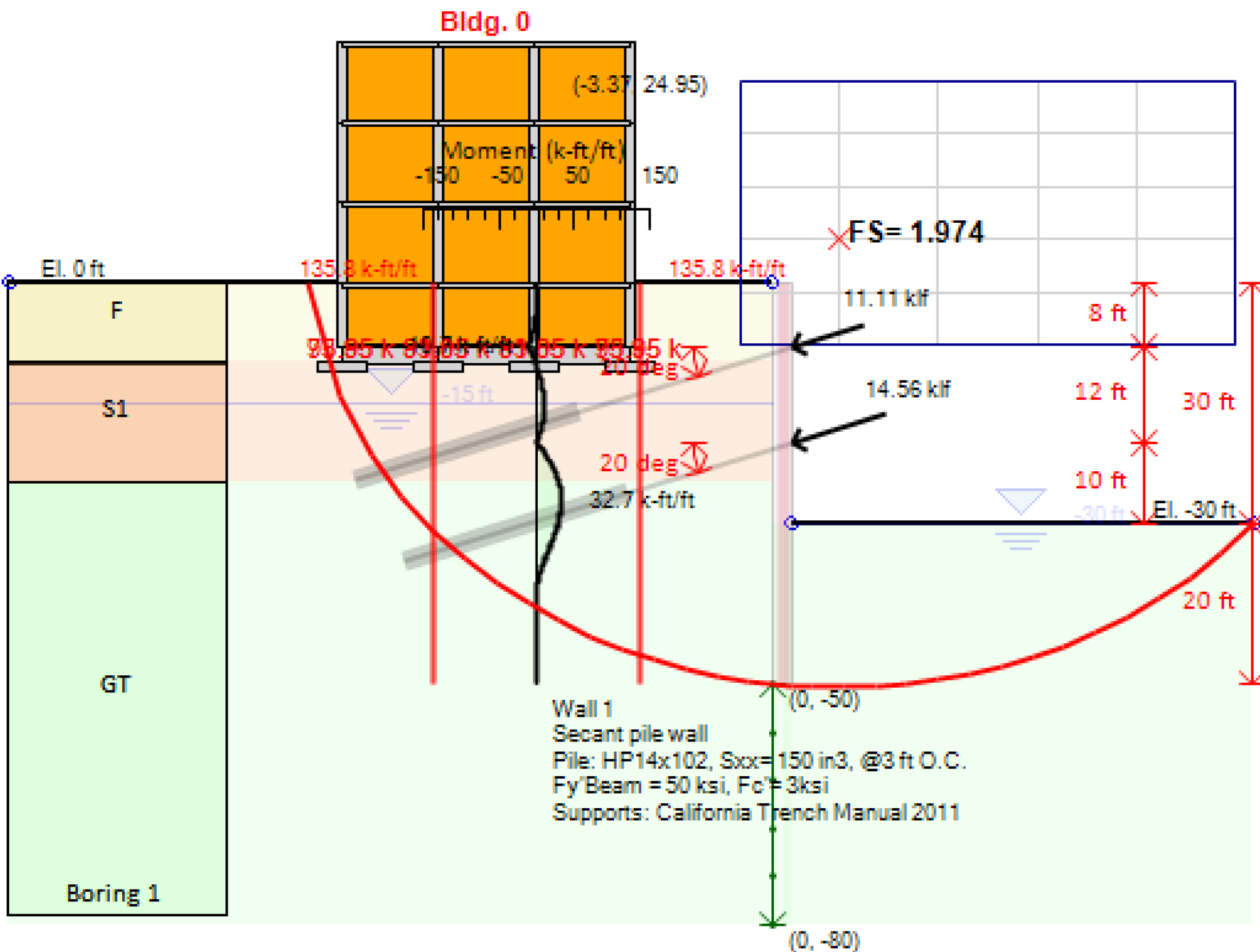
- Total Vertical Stress at Bottom of Wall $\times B$
- $B = 0.75$ in DeepEX
- Rectangular Pressure Diagram

Mononobe-Okabe Method (Frictional Soils)

- Extension of the Coulomb Static Theory
- Accelerations added to a Coulomb Wedge
- Seed & Whitman (1970) Seismic Thrust Redistribution
- Inverse Trapezoid Pressure Diagram

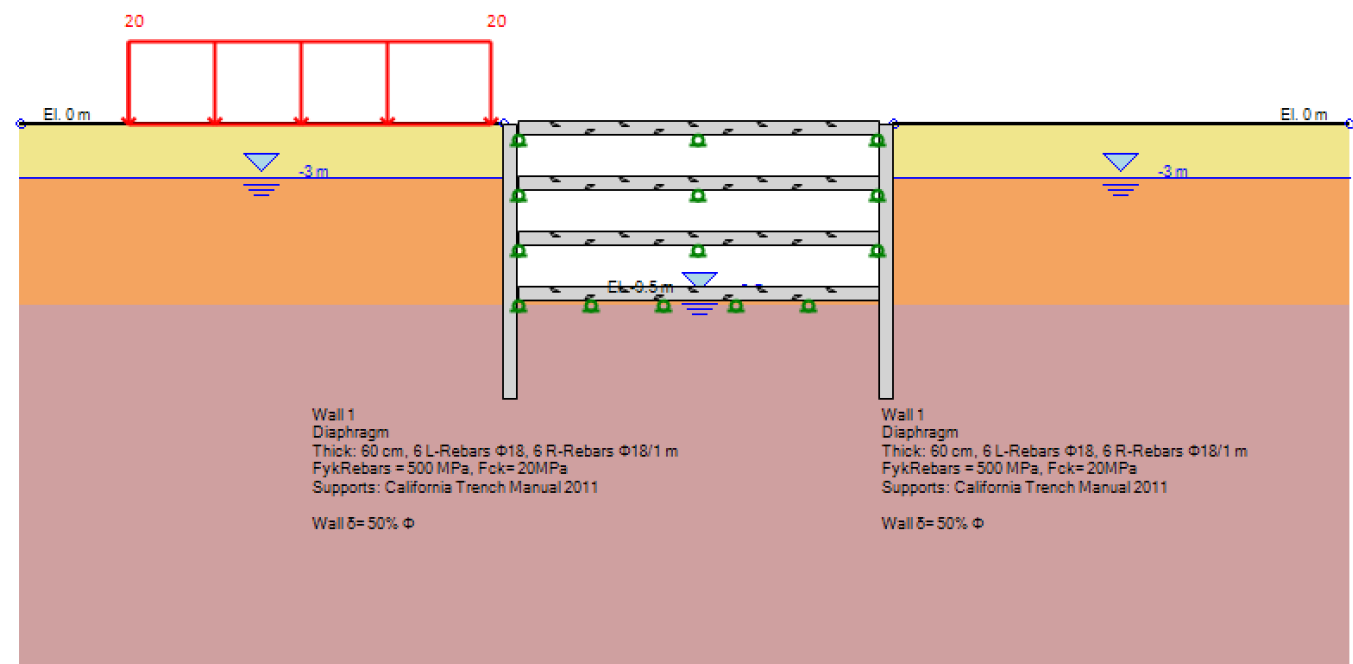
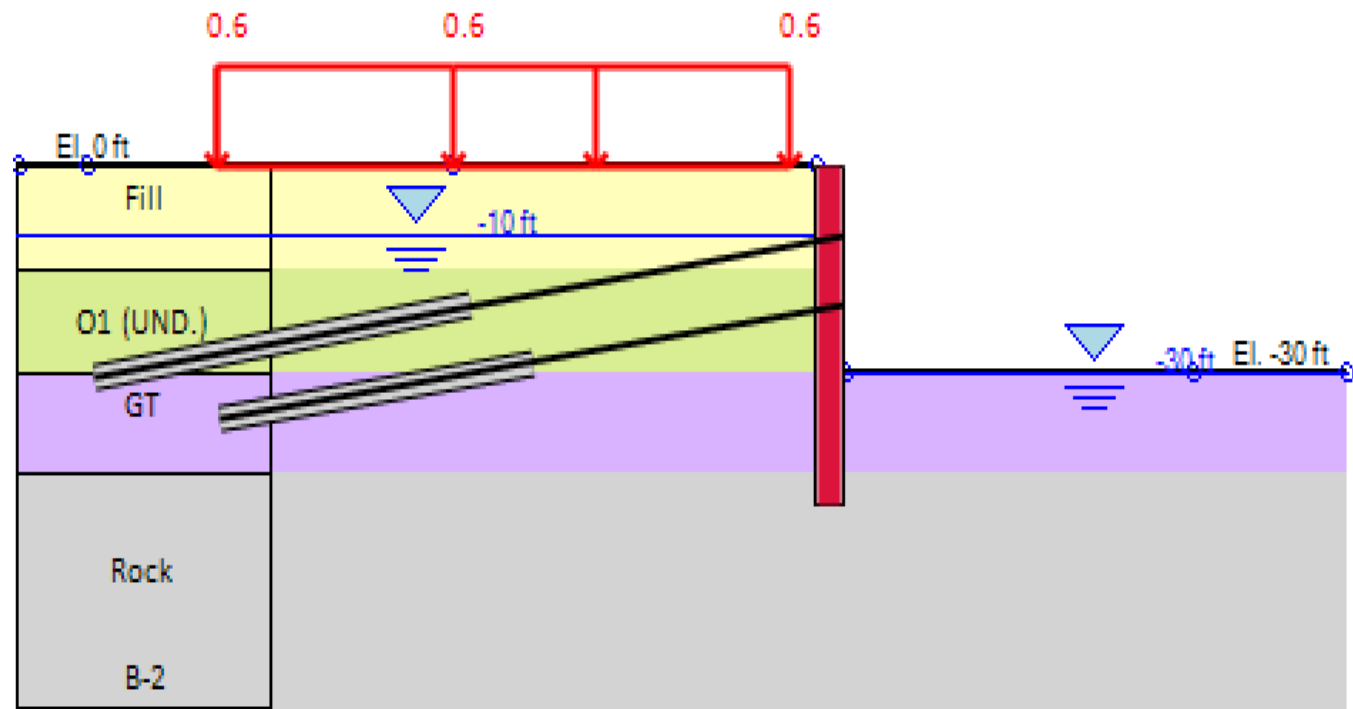


- ✓ Bishop Method
- ✓ Morgenstern Price Method (G.L.E.)
- ✓ Spencer Method
- ✓ Ordinary (Swedish) Method
- ✓ Automatic Slope Search Method
- ✓ Single Point Slope Center
- ✓ Rectangular Slope Center
- ✓ Define Radius Search Limits
- ✓ Clouterre Standards for Soil Nails

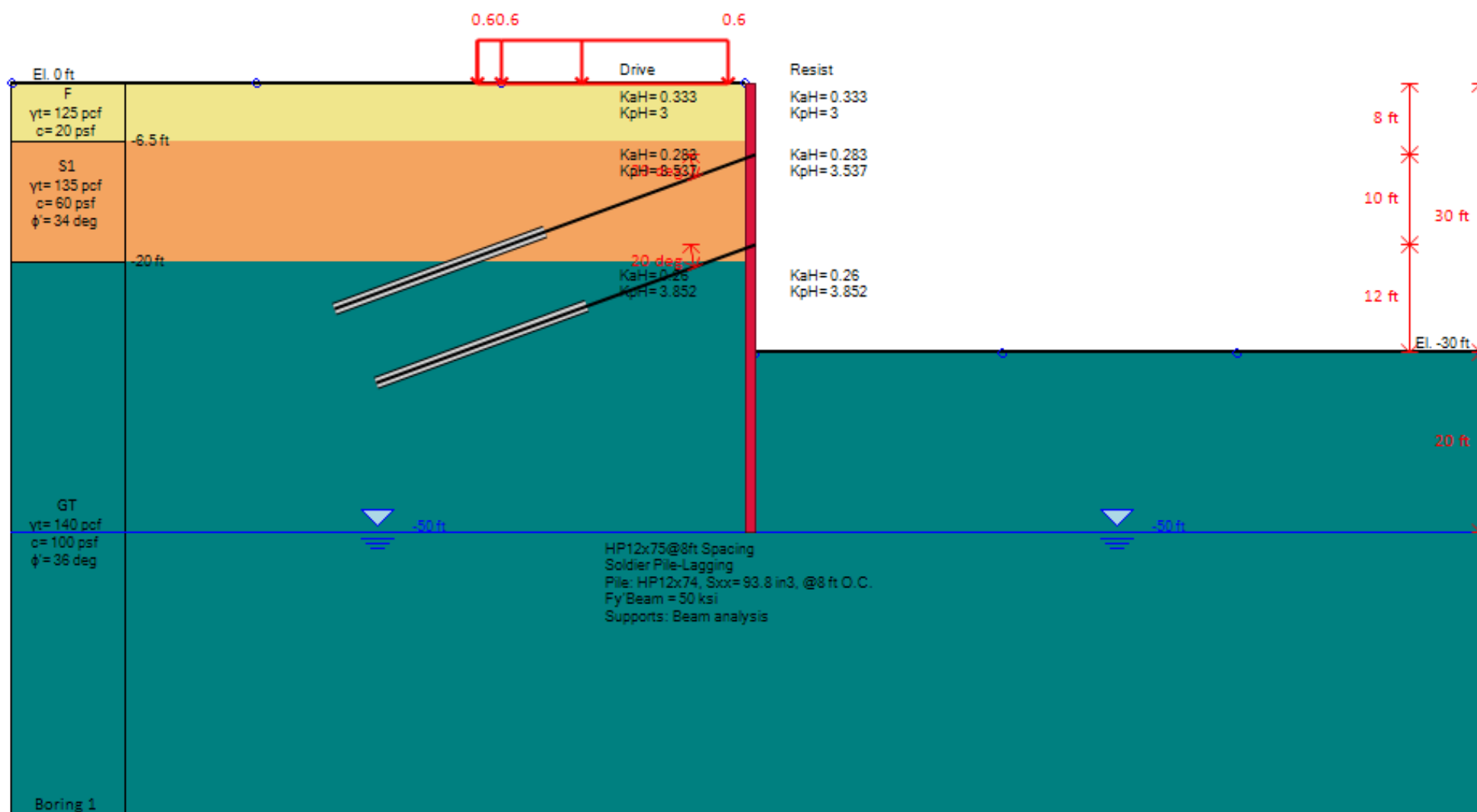




DeepEX - Shoring Design Examples



Access deepexcavation.com
Review Training Materials



- ✓ Create Model Graphically (All Stages)
- ✓ Review Different Driving Pressure Diagrams (Peck, FHWA)
- ✓ Use Wall Friction
- ✓ Review and Evaluate the Results
- ✓ Perform Model Optimization (Embedment Depth, Wall Section, Anchors)
- ✓ Evaluate Drilled Soldier Piles in 2 ft Holes
- ✓ Examine Seismic Pressures
- ✓ Estimate Prestress for the Anchors
- ✓ Run Non-Linear Analysis

Soil Properties & Stratigraphy

Elev. (ft)	Soil (-)	yt (pcf)	γbulk (kN/m ³)	C' (psf)	φ' (deg)	Eoed (ksf)	Eur (ksf)	m (-)
0	F - Sand	125	120	20	30	300	900	0.5
-6.5	S1 - Sand	135	125	60	34	520	1560	0.4
-20	GT - Till	140	130	100	36	600	1800	0.4

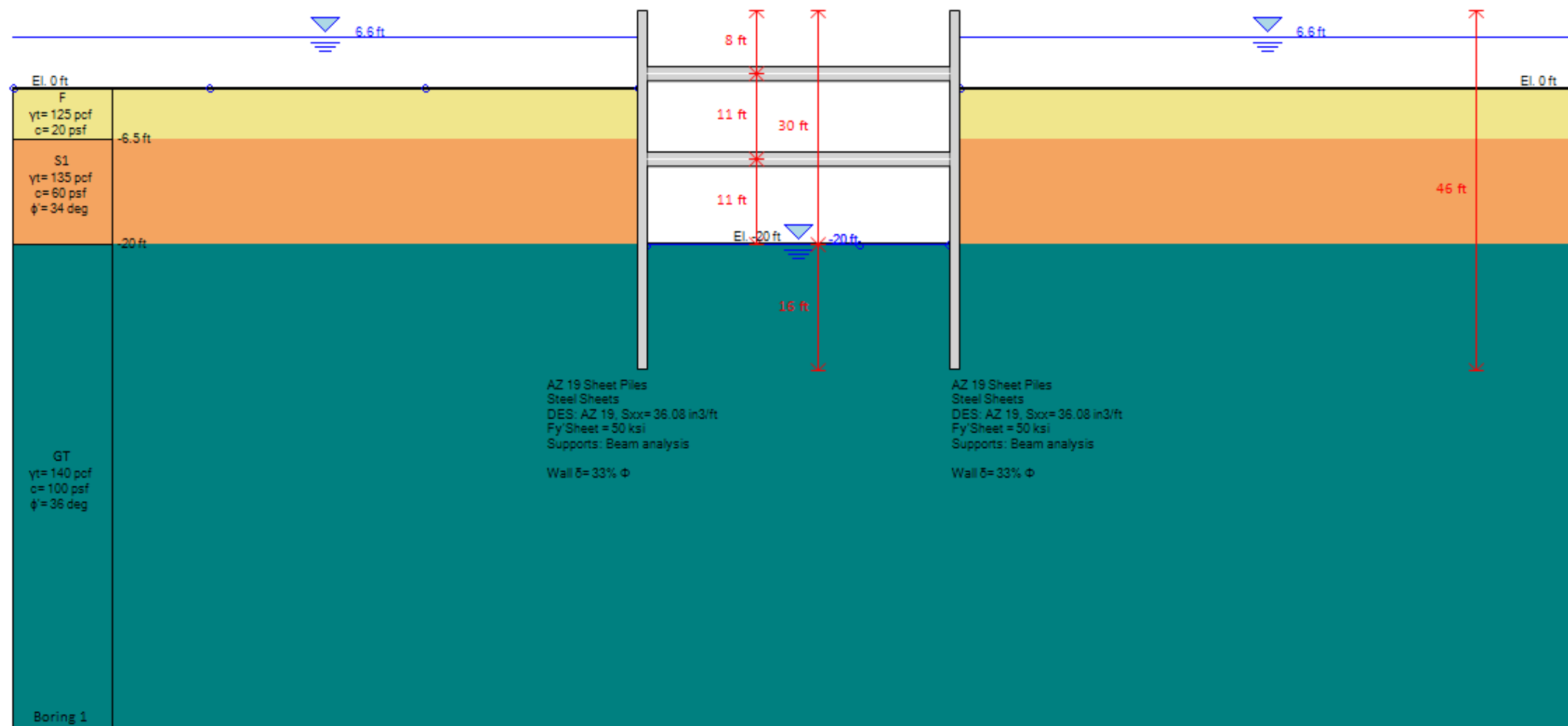
Water table at El: -50ft

Wall Section Properties

X-Coordinate	X = 0
Top Elevation	Z = 0
Wall Type	Driven Soldier Piles
Pile Section	HP12x75 (H Beams)
Pile Spacing	8ft
Lagging	2 in Timber Lagging

Support Properties (Tiebacks)

Support	First Row	Second Row
Elevation	Z = -8 ft	Z = -18 ft
Hor. Spacing	8 ft	8 ft
Section Type	4 x 0.6 in Strands	4 x 0.6 in Strands
Material	Strands 270 ksi	Strands 270 ksi
Free Length	25 ft	20 ft
Fixed Length	25 ft	25 ft



Soil Properties & Stratigraphy

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Water table at El: 6.6ft

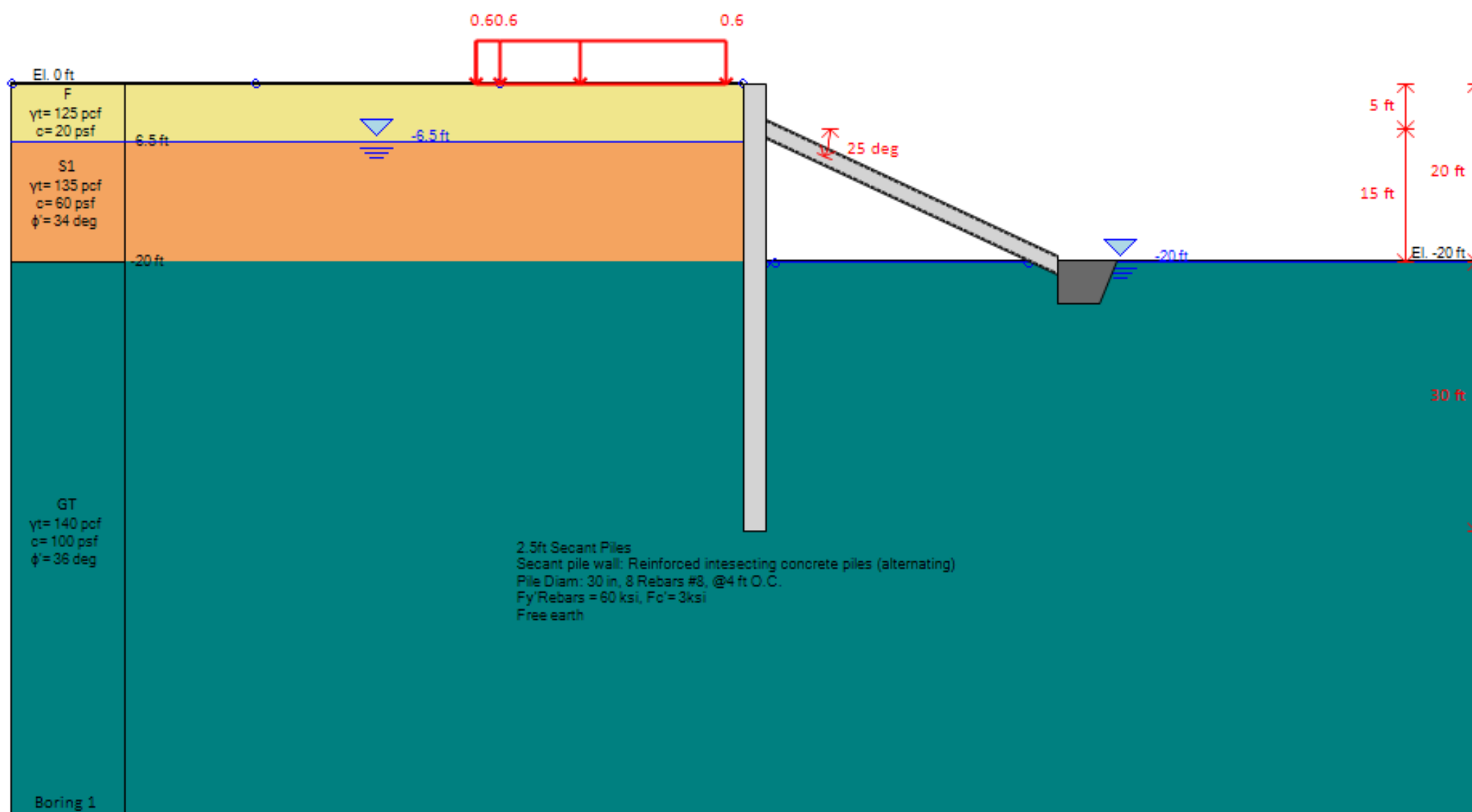
Wall Section Properties

X-Coordinate	X = 0	X = 40 ft
Top Elevation	Z = 10 ft	Z = 10 ft
Wall Type	Steel Sheet Piles	Steel Sheet Piles
Pile Section	AZ 19	AZ 19
Material	A50 Steel	A50 Steel

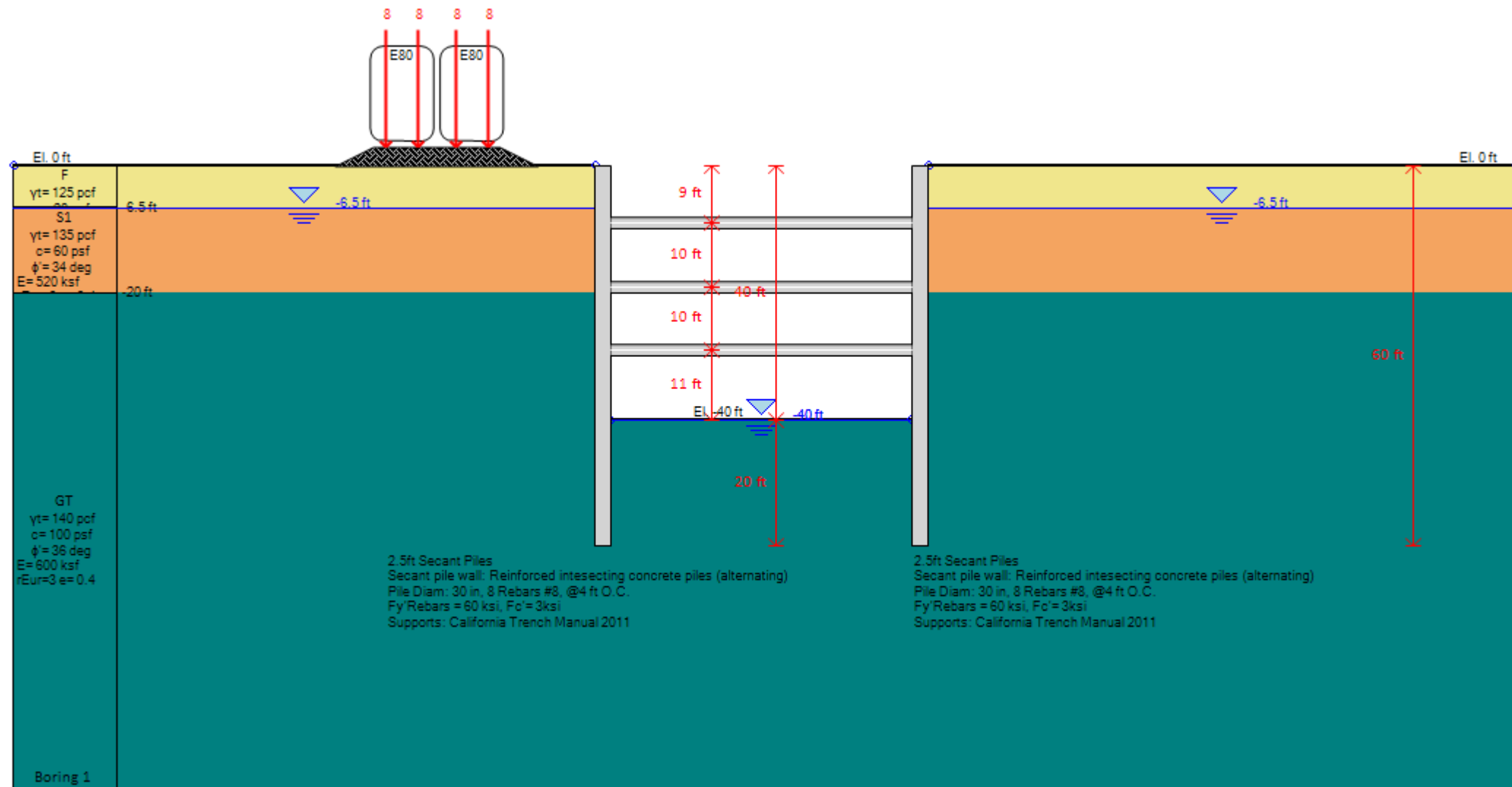
Support Properties (Struts)

Support	First Row	Second Row
Elevation	Z = 2 ft	Z = -9 ft
Hor. Spacing	10 ft	10 ft
Section Type	PP24x0.5 (Pipes)	PP24x0.5 (Pipes)
Material	A50 Steel	A50 Steel

- ✓ Create Model Graphically (All Stages)
- ✓ Use Wall Friction
- ✓ Review and Evaluate the Results
- ✓ Perform Model Optimization (Embedment Depth, Wall Section, Struts)
- ✓ Examine Water Pressure Methods (Simplified Flow, Full Flownet)
- ✓ Run Non-Linear Analysis



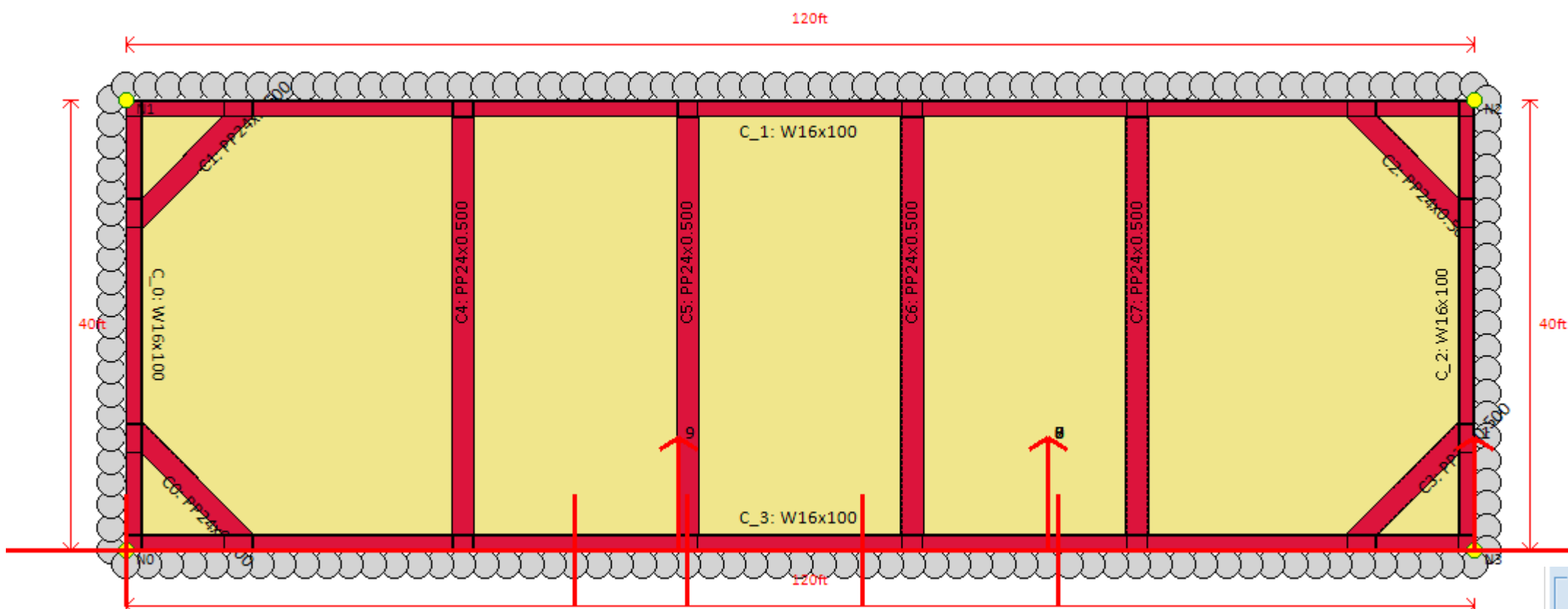
- ✓ Create Model Graphically (All Stages)
- ✓ Use Wall Friction
- ✓ Review and Evaluate the Results
- ✓ Run Non-Linear Analysis



- ✓ Create Model with the Model Wizard (All Stages)
- ✓ Add Train Loads
- ✓ Review and Evaluate the Results
- ✓ Run Non-Linear Analysis
- ✓ Add Basement Walls and Base Slab - Remove Struts



Example 4: Excavation with Struts



- ✓ Create the 3D Frame Model (120ft x 40ft Excavation)
- ✓ Review Structural Sections for Struts and Walers
- ✓ Review Locations of Struts for each Bracing Level
- ✓ Analyze the 3D Model and Review Results
- ✓ Review Steel Connection Options
- ✓ Export the 3D Model Hologram

Waler data

A. Waler Data B. Loading Patterns C. Stages-Activate D. Joints

Name: C_1

Elevation: -29 ft

General waler section (steel or concrete)

Waler section: H-Waler

Waler is a cap beam:

Wall perimeter: Perimeter 0

Wall segment: WN1

Attach to bracing level: Not attached to a bracing line

Start-End Nodes: Connection options: Extensions

Connect to other waler

Start node: N1 C_0 Loading:

End node: N2 C_2 Loading:

Support index: 2@ El. -29

Loading check box will treat the edge as free but connected waler will be loading as point load.

Analysis Options

Analysis: Automatic - Point loads for soldier/tangent pile To all

Start corner taken at: At edge of waler

End corner taken at: At edge of waler

Reductions in axial force due to interface friction: Ignore (full axial load calculated)

Unsupported length in vertical directions: Braced at support locations Apply to all walers

Use custom waler angle:

Use user defined angle from horizontal:

Strut reaction method: Position strut reaction at strut center (largest) Apply to all walers

Show full calculations

OK Cancel

Select

Show all items Show only selected elevation Elev. -9

Results for walers (3D)

Name	Elev. (ft)	Moment (k-ft)	Shear (k)	Axial (k)	RAT	RAT M	RAT V	Length (ft)	Weight (k)	Section
A_0	-9	301.63	107.25	217.08	1.14	1.14	0.679	40	4.0028	W16x100
A_1	-9	378.97	112.41	214.5	1.363	1.363	0.712	120	12.0084	W16x100
A_2	-9	301.63	107.25	217.08	1.14	1.14	0.679	40	4.0028	W16x100
A_3	-9	378.97	112.41	214.5	1.363	1.363	0.712	120	12.0084	W16x100

Results for steel connections (walers to struts)

	Waler	Strut	Weld size (in)	Weld Length (in)	Stiffeners	RAT Welds	RAT Stiffeners	Base-PL	Base-PL Welds (in)
WALE: A_0-STRUT: A0	A_0	A0	0.375	19.628	4x4.908 ...	1.748	0.339	N/A	N/A
WALE: A_3-STRUT: A0	A_3	A0	0.375	0	4x4.908 ...	1.748	0.339	N/A	N/A

Results for struts and anchors (3D)

Results for struts (3D)

Name	Length (ft)	Moment (k-ft)	Axial force (k)	RAT	Weight (k)	Section
A0	12.139	2.31	270.17	0.253	1.5256	PP24x0....
A1	12.139	2.31	270.17	0.253	1.5256	PP24x0....
A2	12.139	2.31	270.17	0.253	1.5256	PP24x0....
A3	12.139	2.31	270.17	0.253	1.5256	PP24x0....



Soil Properties & Stratigraphy

Elev. (ft)	Soil (-)	γ_t (pcf)	γ_{bulk} (kN/m ³)	C' (psf)	ϕ' (deg)	E_{oed} (ksf)	E_{ur} (ksf)	m (-)
0	F - Sand	125	120	20	30	300	900	0.5
-6.5	S1 - Sand	135	125	60	34	520	1560	0.4
-20	GT - Till	140	130	100	36	600	1800	0.4

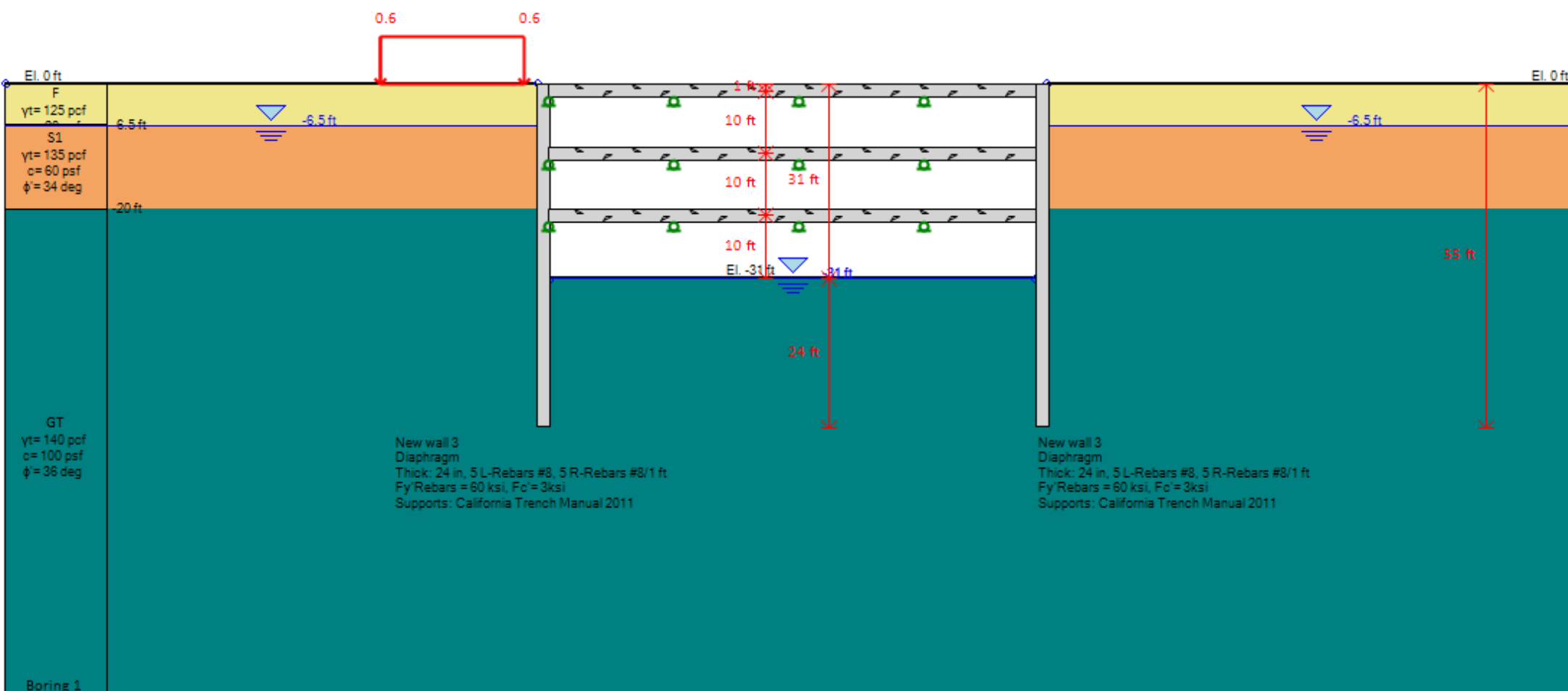
Water table at El: -6.5ft

Wall Section Properties

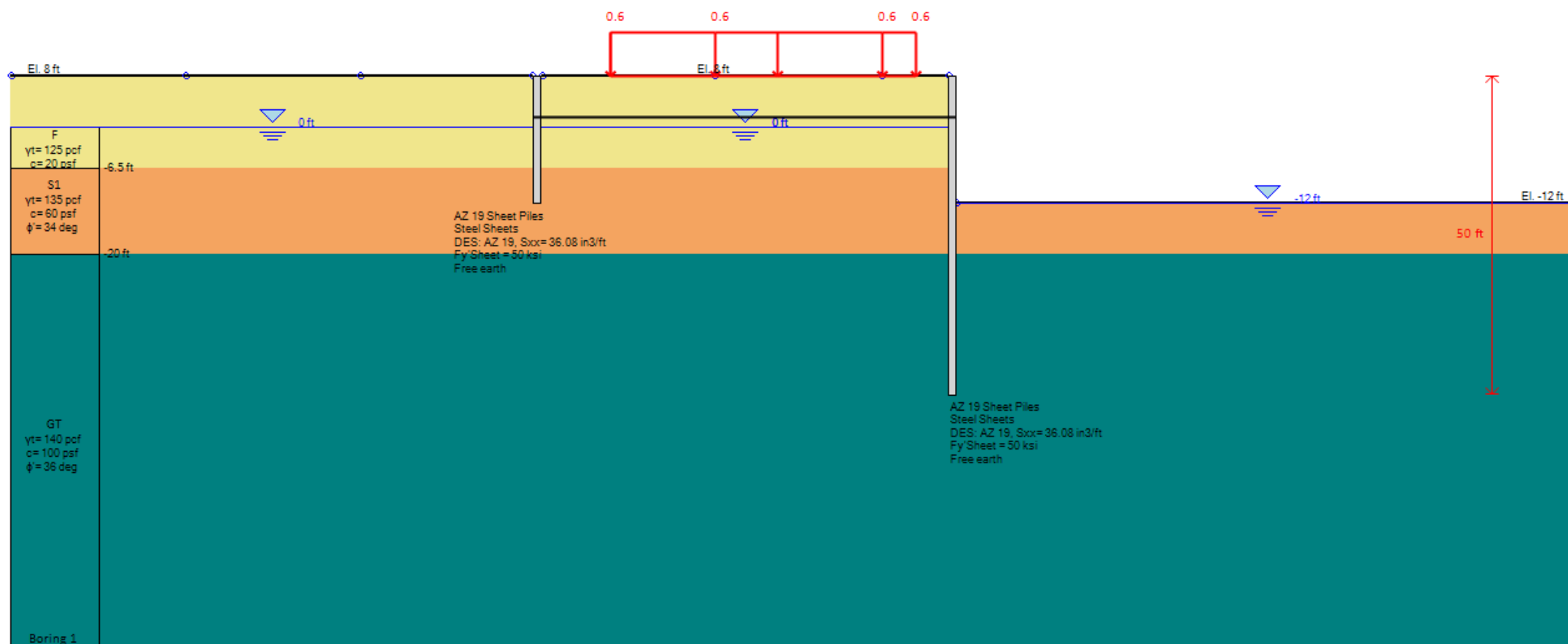
X-Coordinate	X = 0	X = 80 ft
Top Elevation	Z = 0	Z = 0
Wall Section	2ft Thick Concrete Diaphragm	2ft Thick Concrete Diaphragm
Long. Reinf.	3 #8 Bars /ft of wall (left and right)	3 #8 Bars /ft of wall (left and right)
Shear Reinf	#4 Bars @ 6in Spacing	#4 Bars @ 6in Spacing

Support Properties (Slabs)

Support	First Row	Second Row	Third Row
Elevation	Z = -1 ft	Z = -10 ft	Z = -21 ft
Slab Thickness	2 ft	2 ft	2 ft



- ✓ Create Model with the Model Wizard (All Stages)
- ✓ Review and Evaluate the Results
- ✓ Run NL Analysis - Adjust Slab Stiffness (shrinkage)



Soil Properties & Stratigraphy

Elev. (ft)	Soil (-)	γ_t (pcf)	γ_{bulk} (kN/m ³)	C' (psf)	ϕ' (deg)	E_{oed} (ksf)	E_{ur} (ksf)	m (-)
0	F - Sand	125	120	20	30	300	900	0.5
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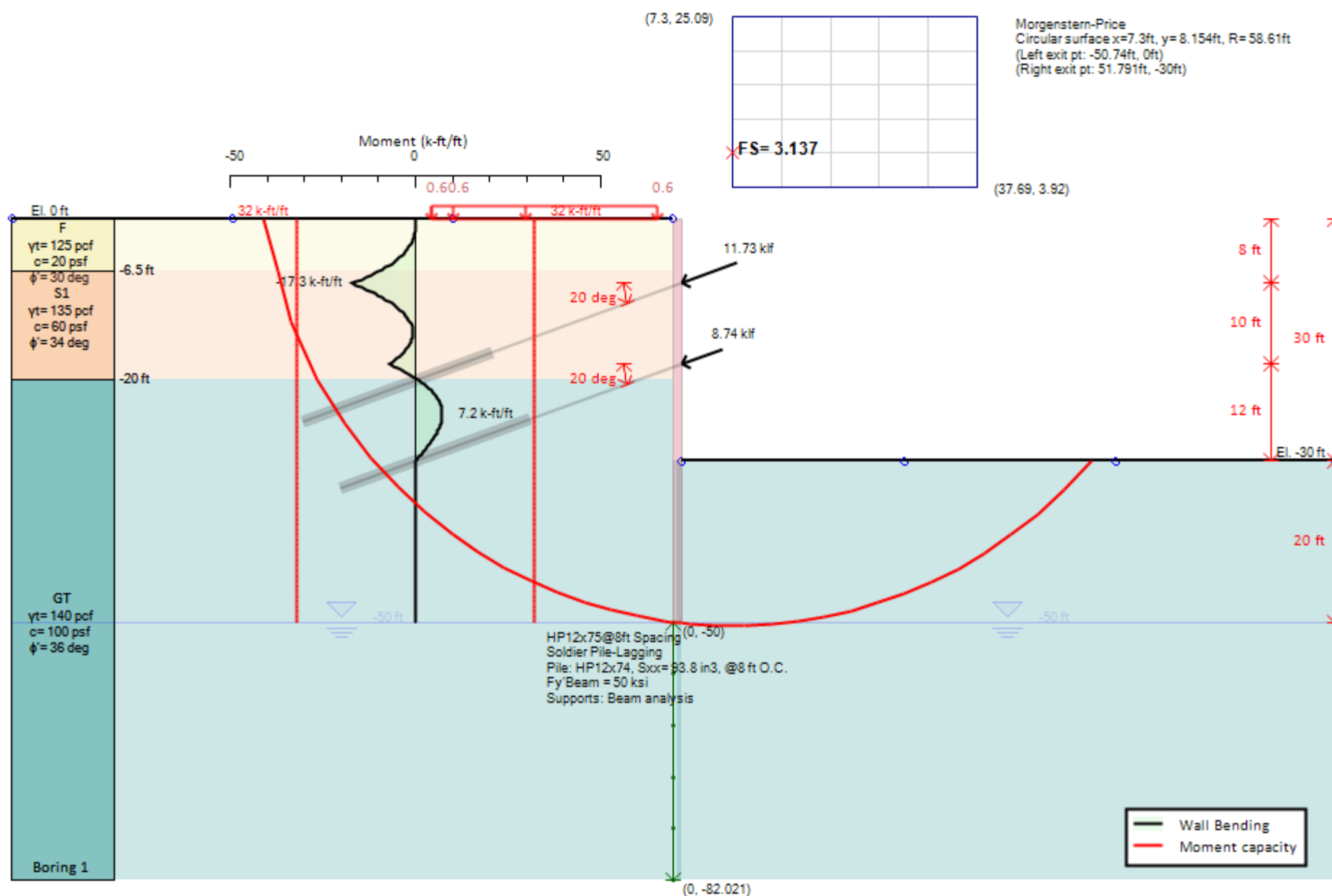
Wall Section Properties

X-Coordinate	X = 0	X = 12 m
Top Elevation	Z = 8 ft	Z = 8 ft
Wall Type	Steel Sheet Piles	Steel Sheet Piles
Pile Section	AZ 19	AZ 19
Material	A50 Steel	A50 Steel

Support Properties (Tierods)

Elevation	Z = 1.5 ft
Hor. Spacing	6 ft
Section Type	1 Rebar #14
Material	Grade 75

- ✓ Create Model Graphically (All Stages)
- ✓ Use Wall Friction
- ✓ Review and Evaluate the Results
- ✓ Examine the Interaction between the Walls
- ✓ Impact Load Adjustment Factor



Elev. (ft)	Soil (-)	yt (pcf)	γbulk (kN/m3)	C' (psf)	φ' (deg)	Eoed (ksf)	Eur (ksf)	m (-)
0	F - Sand	125	120	20	30	300	900	0.5
-6.5	S1 - Sand	135	125	60	34	520	1560	0.4
-20	GT - Till	140	130	100	36	600	1800	0.4

Water table at El: -50ft

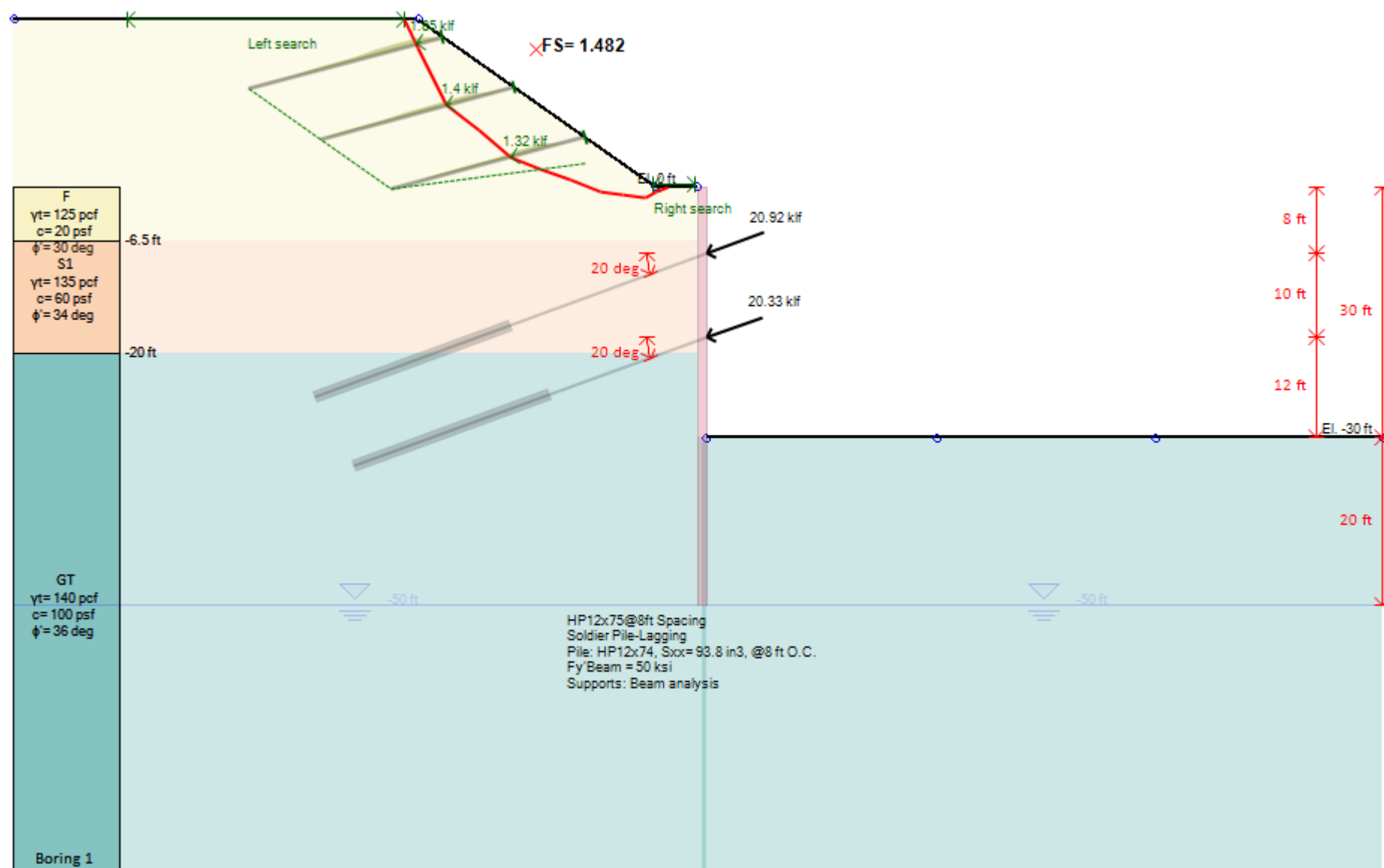
Wall Section Properties

X-Coordinate	X = 0
Top Elevation	Z = 0
Wall Type	Driven Soldier Piles
Pile Section	HP12x75 (H Beams)
Pile Spacing	8ft
Lagging	2 in Timber Lagging

Support Properties (Tiebacks)

Support	First Row	Second Row
Elevation	Z = -8 ft	Z = -18 ft
Hor. Spacing	8 ft	8 ft
Section Type	4 x 0.6 in Strands	4 x 0.6 in Strands
Material	Strands 270 ksi	Strands 270 ksi
Free Length	25 ft	20 ft
Fixed Length	25 ft	25 ft

- ✓ Copy the Anchored Wall Model (Example 1)
- ✓ Slope Stability Analysis (Morgenstern-Price, Circular Slope Surface Options)



- ✓ Copy the Anchored Wall Model (Example 1)
- ✓ Create a Bench and Add Soil Nails
- ✓ Slope Stability Analysis (Morgenstern-Price, Automatic Slope Surface Options)

Elev. (ft)	Soil (-)	γ_t (pcf)	γ_{bulk} (kN/m ³)	C' (psf)	ϕ' (deg)	E_{oed} (ksf)	E_{ur} (ksf)	m (-)
0	F - Sand	125	120	20	30	300	900	0.5
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-20	GT - Till	140	130	100	36	600	1800	0.4

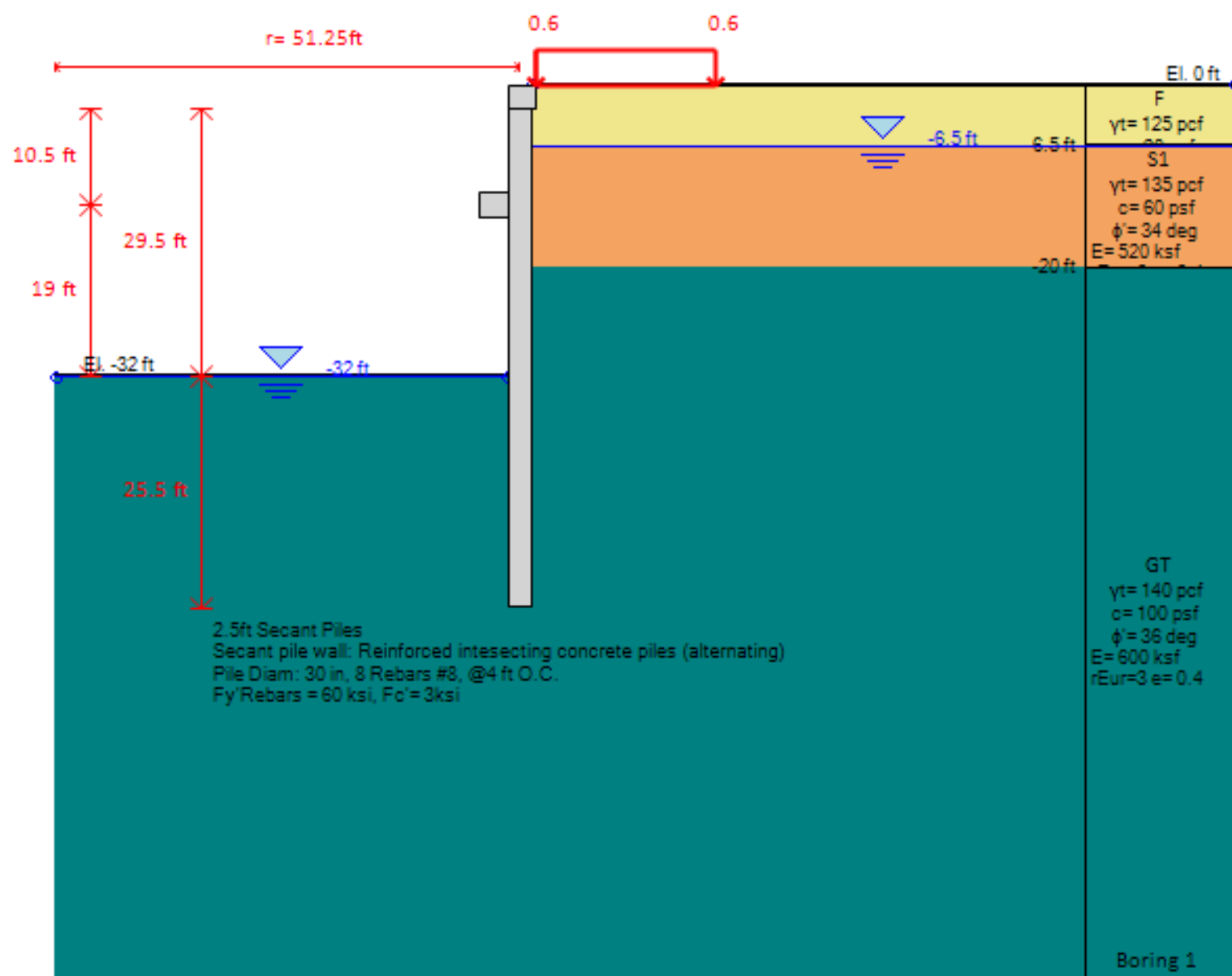
Water table at El: -50ft

Wall Section Properties

X-Coordinate	X = 0
Top Elevation	Z = 0
Wall Type	Driven Soldier Piles
Pile Section	HP12x75 (H Beams)
Pile Spacing	8ft
Lagging	2 in Timber Lagging

Support Properties (Tiebacks)

Support	First Row	Second Row
Elevation	Z = -8 ft	Z = -18 ft
Hor. Spacing	8 ft	8 ft
Section Type	4 x 0.6 in Strands	4 x 0.6 in Strands
Material	Strands 270 ksi	Strands 270 ksi
Free Length	25 ft	20 ft
Fixed Length	25 ft	25 ft



- ✓ Create Model with the Model Wizard (All Stages)
- ✓ Review and Evaluate the Results

Soil Properties & Stratigraphy

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-6.5	S1 - Sand	135	125	60	34	520	1560	0.4
-20	GT - Till	140	130	100	36	600	1800	0.4

Water table at El: -6.5ft

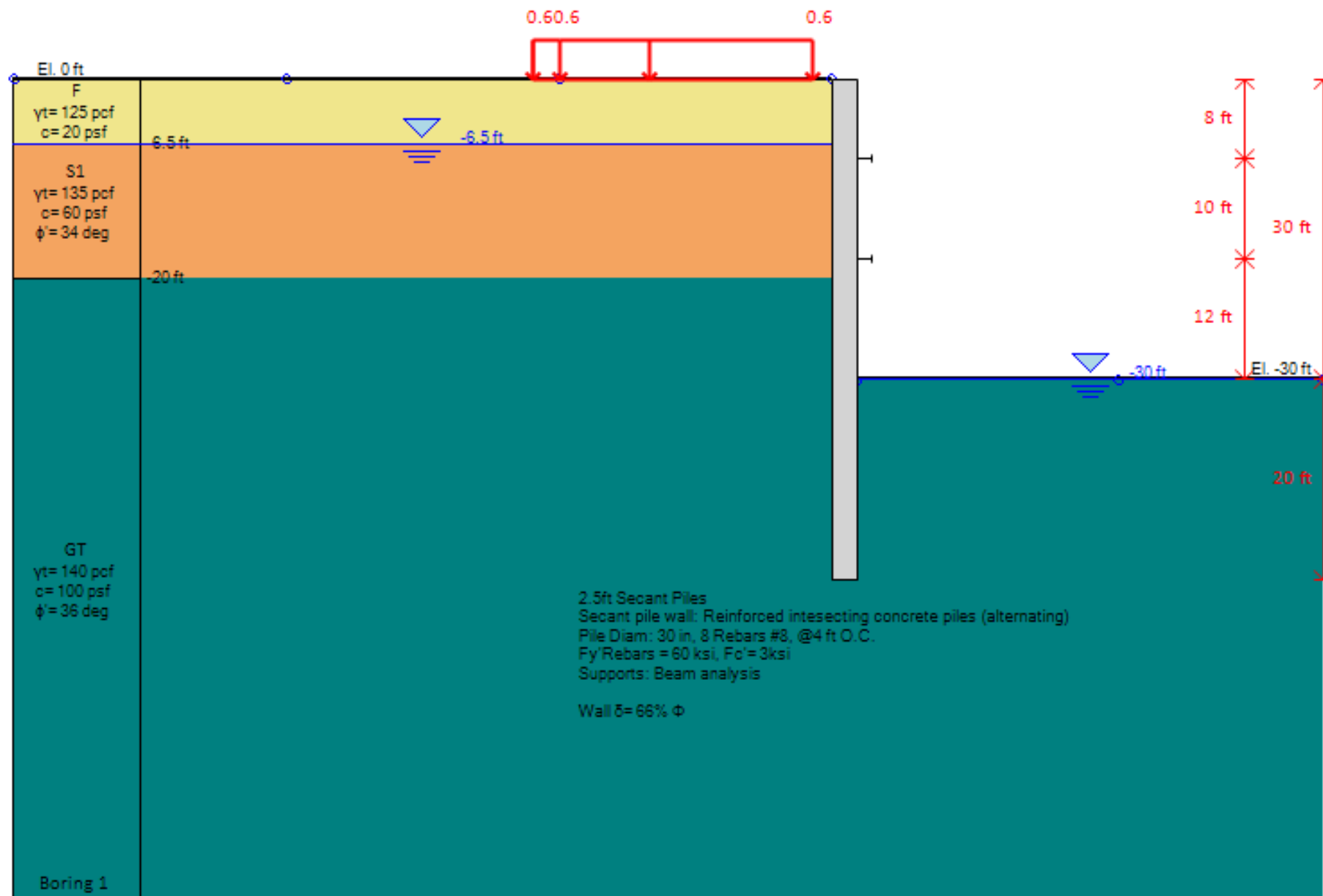
Wall Section Properties

X-Coordinate	X = 0
Top Elevation	Z = 0
Wall Type	Secant Piles
Pile Section	2.5 ft Diam. Concrete Piles
Pile Spacing	4 ft
Reinforcement	8#8 Bars, #4 Shear Reinf.

Support Properties

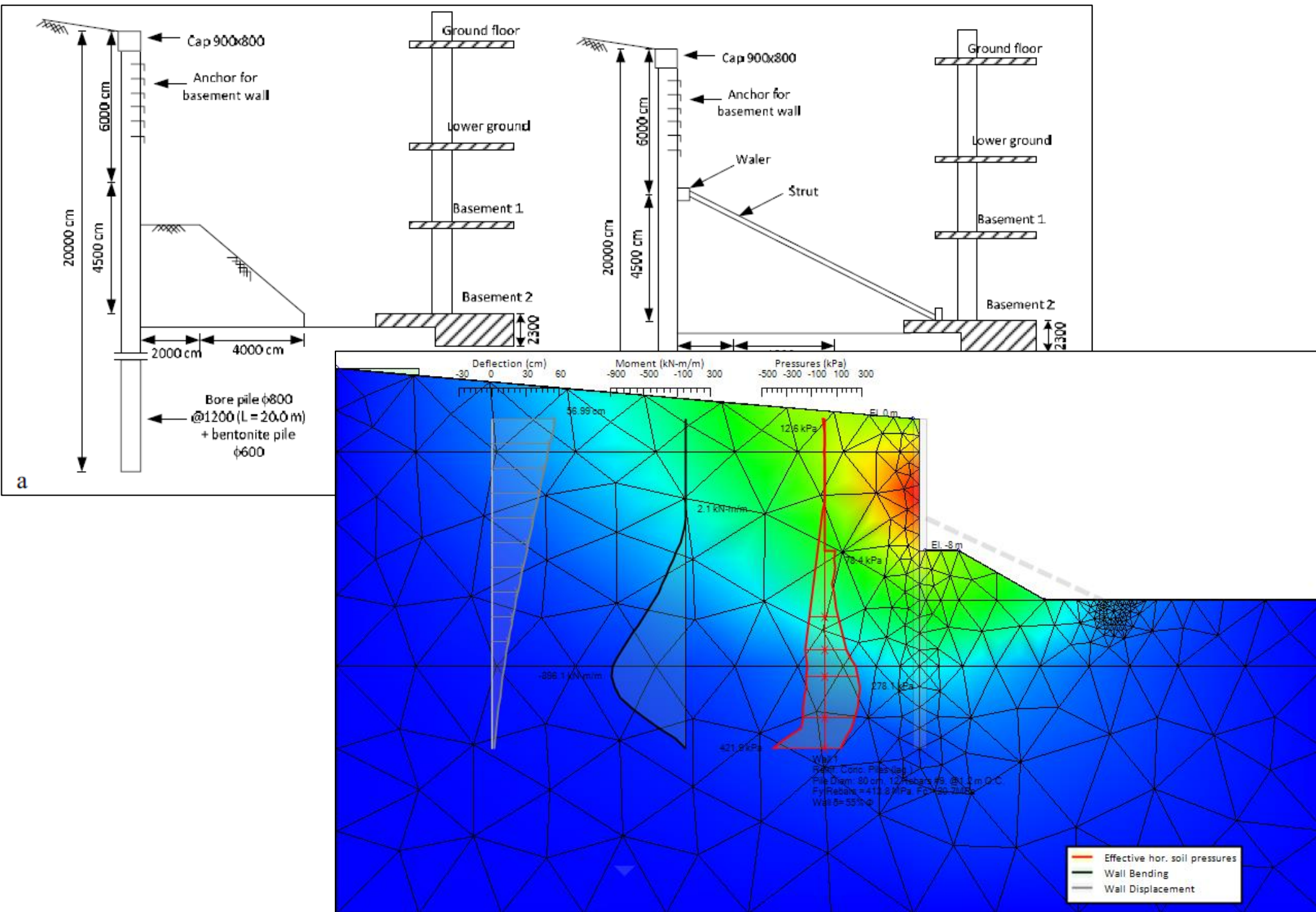
Support	Cap Beam	Ring Beam
Elevation	Z = -1.5 ft	Z = -13 ft
Section Type	3ft x 3 ft Concrete Beam	36 in x 42 in Concrete Beam

Example 10: Box Excavation



- ✓ Create Model Graphically (All Stages)
- ✓ Review and Evaluate the Results

Deep Excavation Case Studies



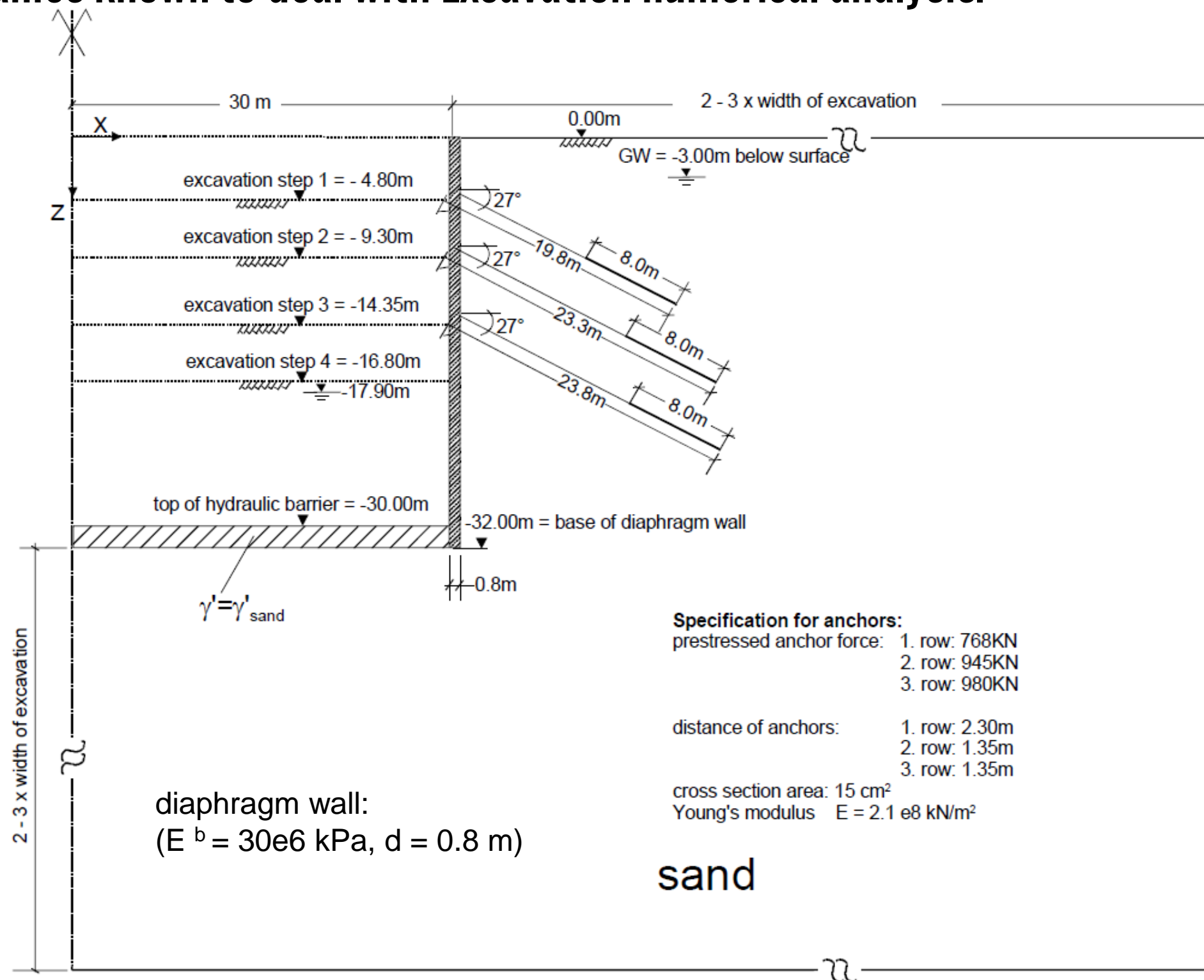
[Access deepexcavation.com](http://www.deepexcavation.com)
Review Case Studies

BERLIN EXCAVATION (benchmark case study)

- Selected an existing excavation in Berlin (with monitoring results and detailed soil investigation)
- Sent to various university institutes and consulting companies known to deal with Excavation numerical analysis.
- Gathered analysis results and created a comprehensive report

Example with prescribed properties as published
By Schweiger.

depth of layer	E_{50}^{ref}	E_{ur}^{ref}	E_{oed}^{ref}	ν	P	c	ϕ_{ur}	p_{ref}	m	R_f	R_{inter}
m	kPa	kPa	kPa	°	°	kPa	-	kPa	-	-	-
0 - 20	45 000	180 000	45 000	35	5	1.0	0.2	100	0.55	0.9	0.8
20 - 40	75 000	300 000	75 000	38	6	1.0	0.2	100	0.55	0.9	0.8
> 40	105 000	315 000	105 000	38	6	1.0	0.2	100	0.55	0.9	-





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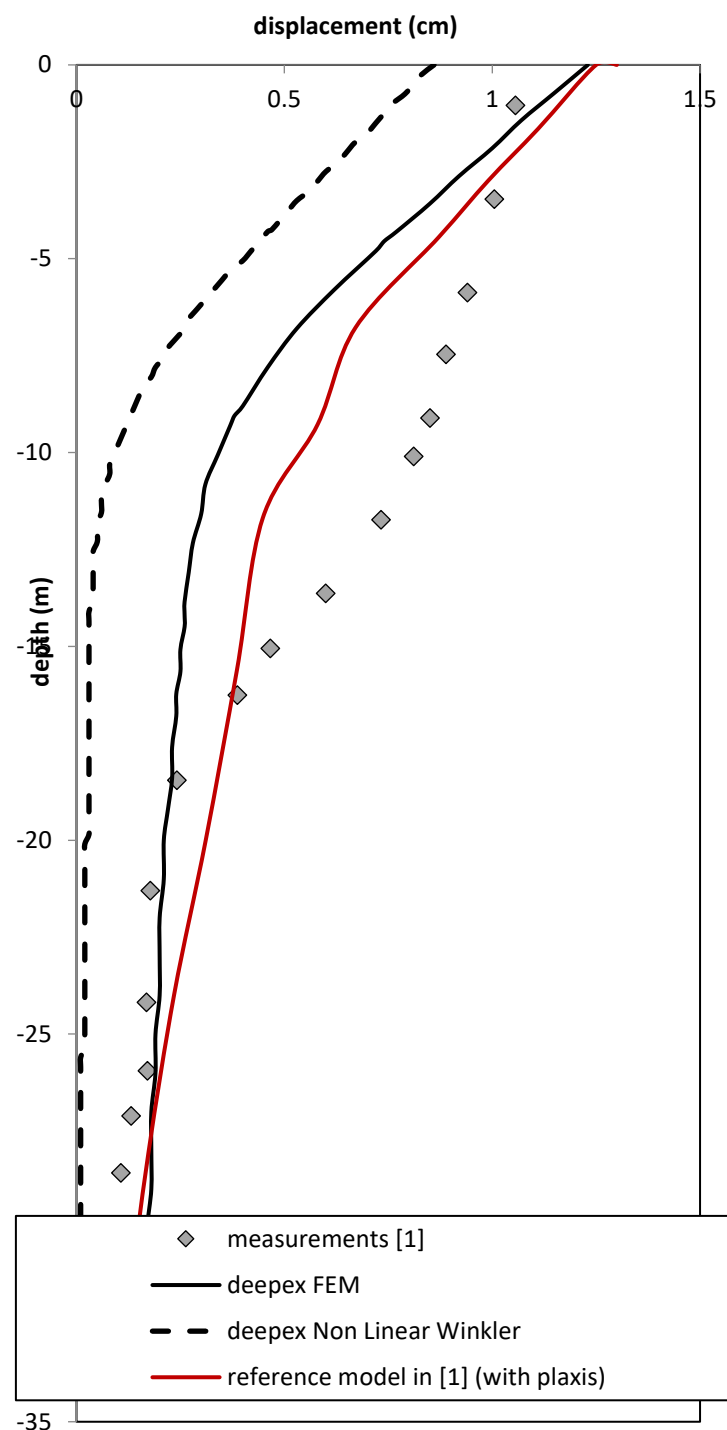
Stage 5: groundwater lowering to -14.5m

Stage 6: excavation at level -14.35m

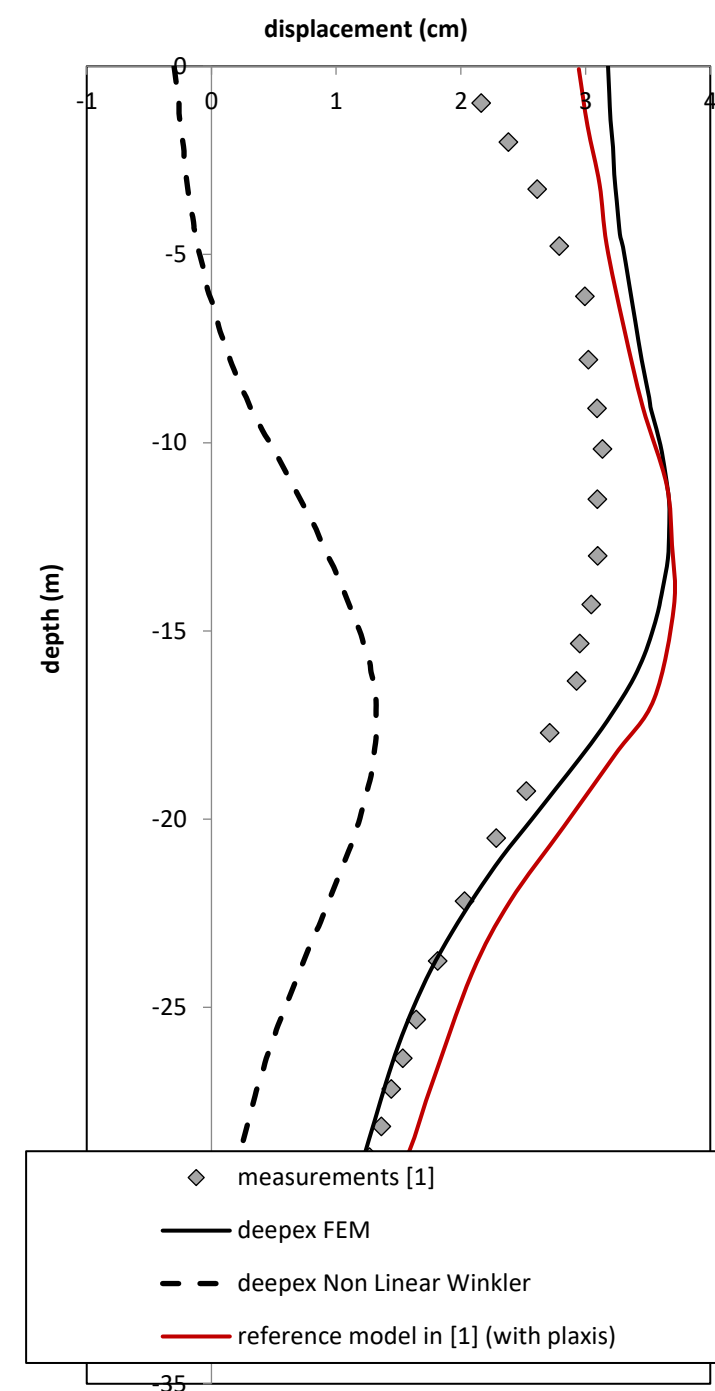
Stage 7: activation of anchor 3 and prestressing

Stage 8: groundwater lowering to -17.9m

Stage 9: final excavation at level -16.8m



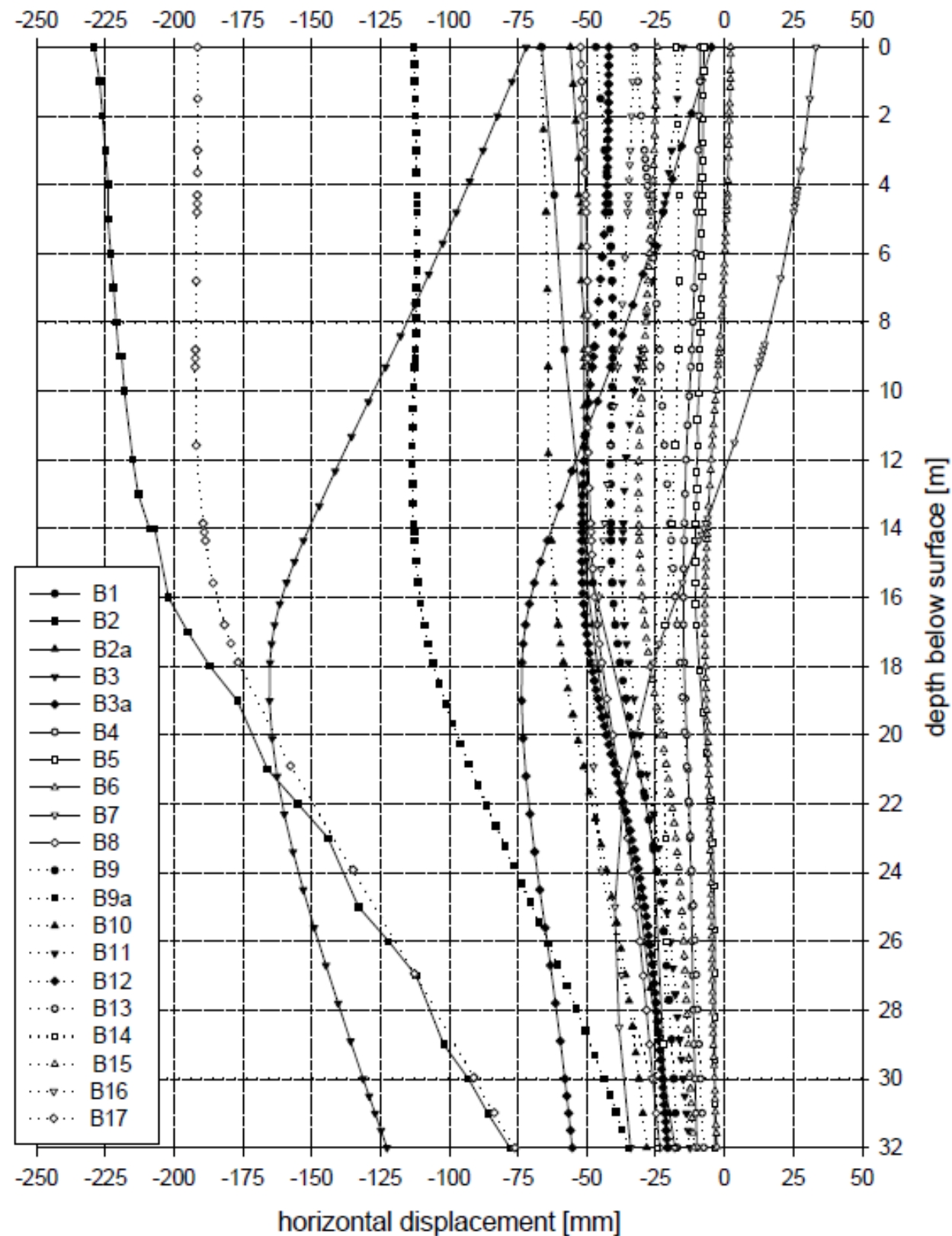
Stage 1



Stage 9



- **Most participants trusted the strength indicated from the experiments**
- **stiffness generated from the tests was considered too low by many participants**
- **significant variation was observed however in the assumption of the dilatancy angle ψ , ranging from 0° to 15° .**



- Some of the participants used an incorrect stiffness
- some participants incorrectly calculated the prestress force
- Mohr coulomb based models
- Fixed anchors
- the difference in modelling the groundwater lowering (0.5-1.5cm)

Major issues where caused by the selection of the soil properties prior to the FEM model construction

EXCAVATION OF TAIPEI NATIONAL ENTERPRISE CENTER

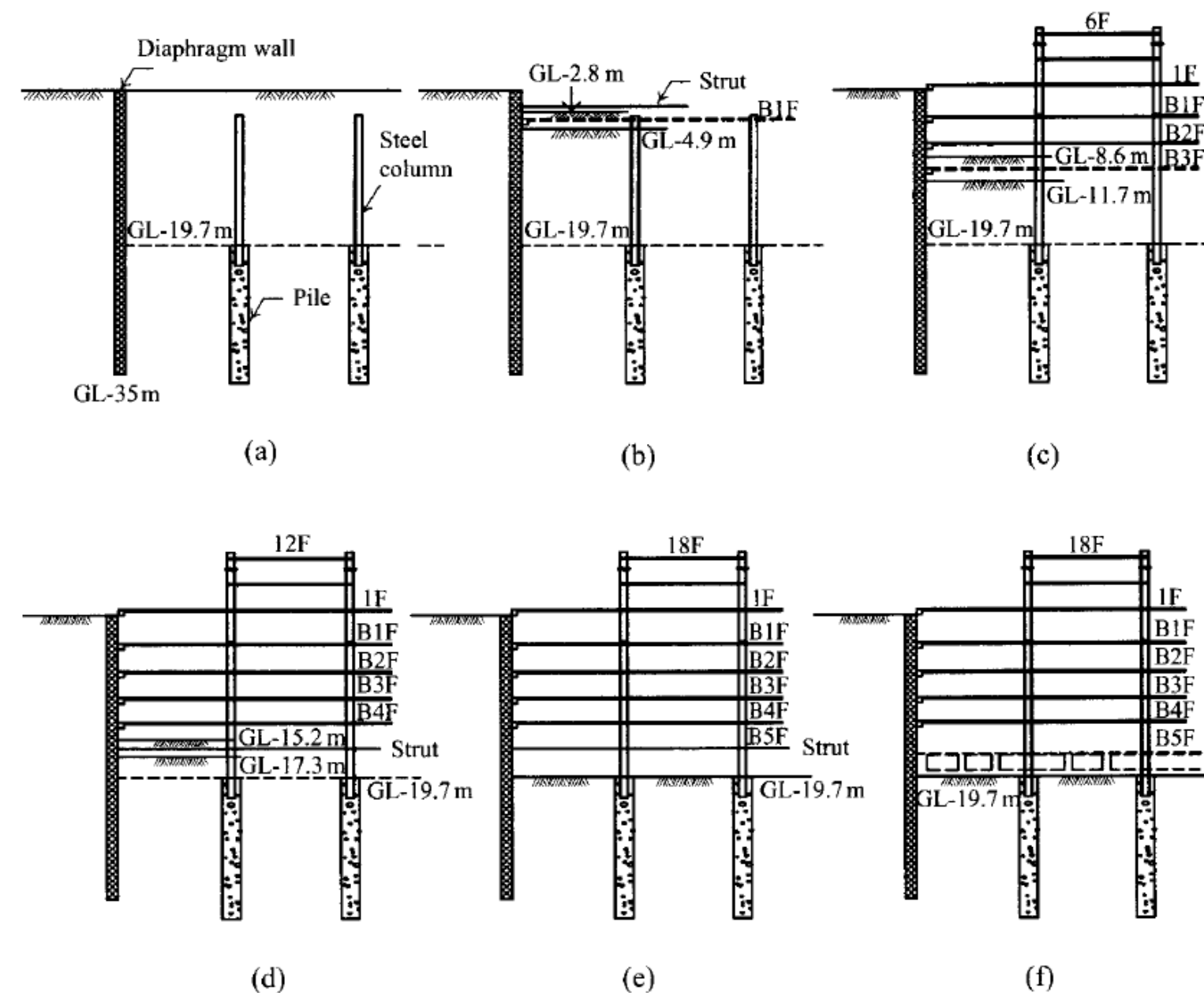
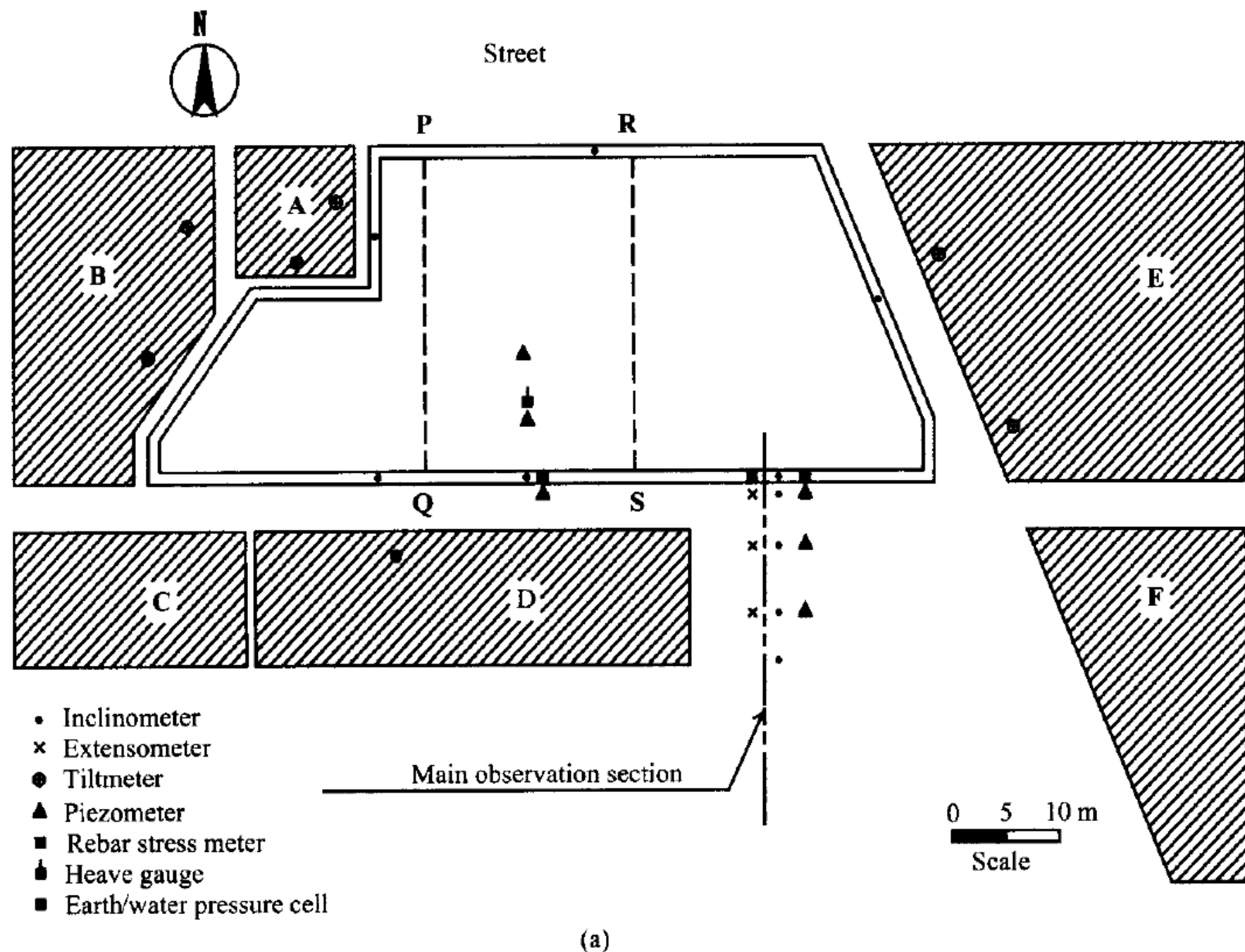


Figure 3.34 Construction procedure of the Taipei National Enterprise Center (see Table 3.3 for the description of the construction procedure).

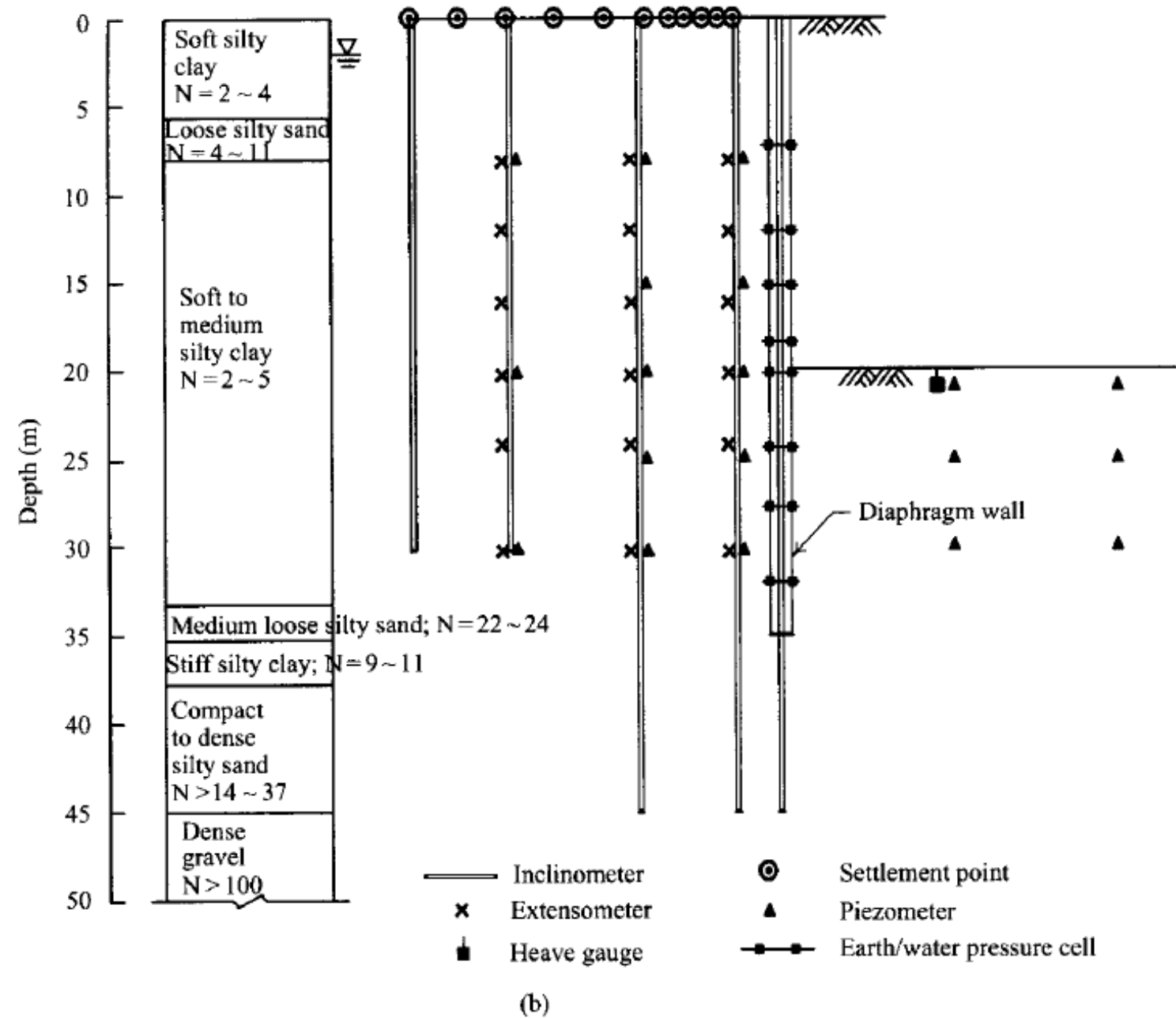
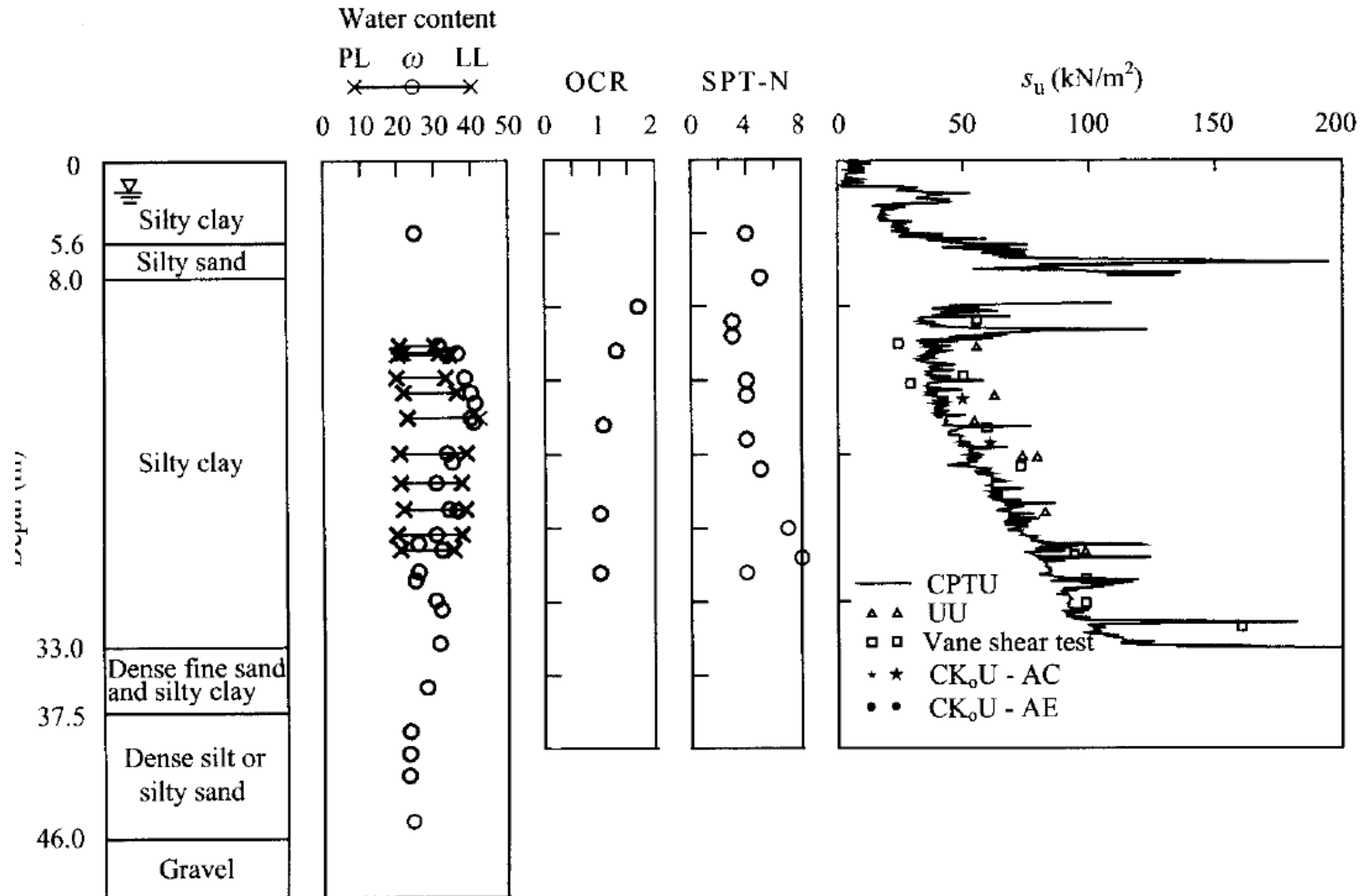


Table 3.3 Excavation process of TNEC

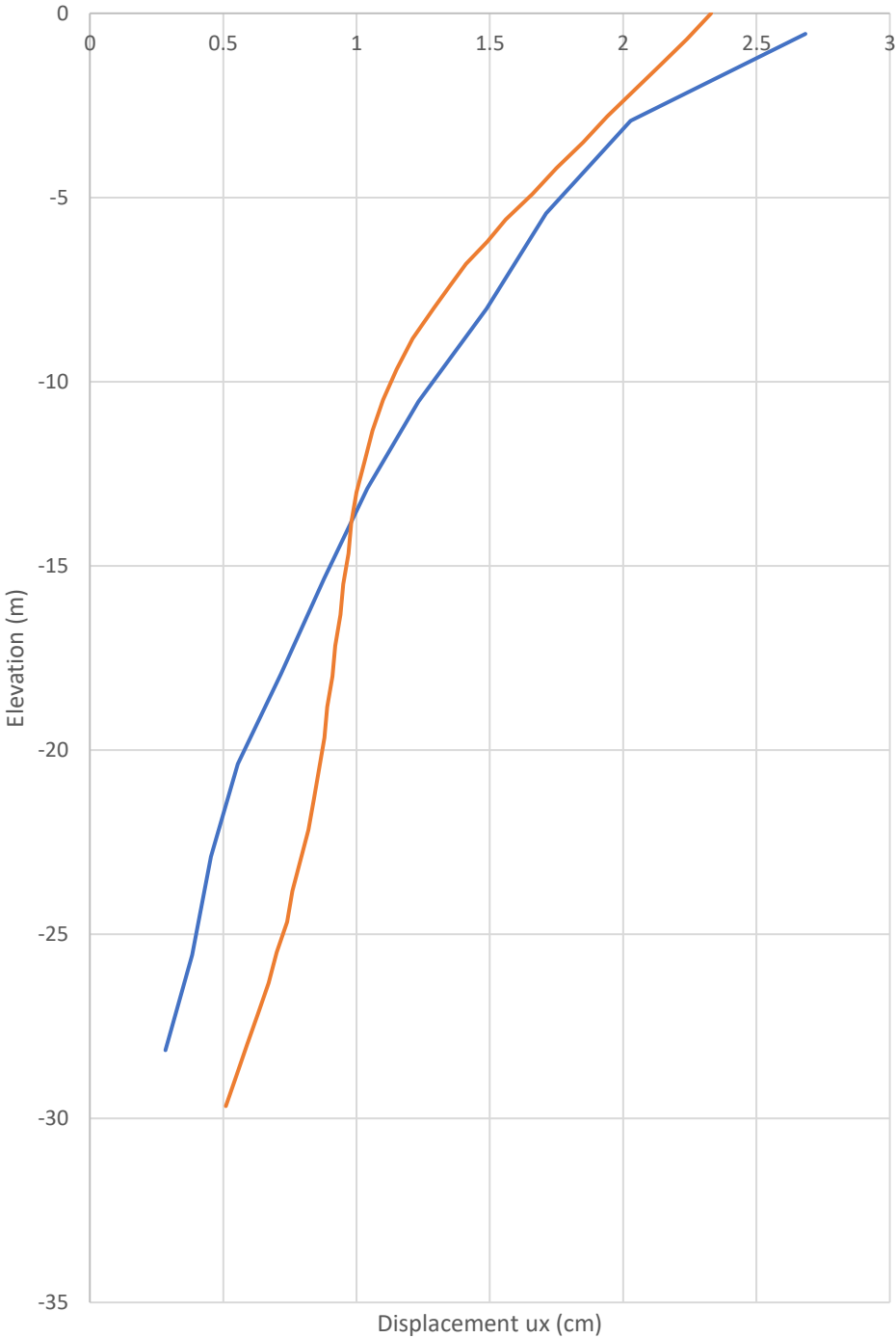
Stage	Day	Excavation activities
	-29 ~	Installed devices outside of the excavation zone, including in-soil inclinometers, extensometers, observation wells, and electronic piezometers
	1-89	Constructed the diaphragm wall, including installation of the earth/water pressure cells, in-wall rebar strain meters, and in-wall inclinometers
	89-147	Constructed piles and the steel columns
	147-155	Installed devices inside of the excavation zone, including the piezometers and heave gauges
1	156-162	Excavated to the depth of GL-2.80 m
2	164-169	Installed struts H 300 × 300 × 10 × 15 at the depth of GL-2.0 m. The preload of each strut = 784.8 kN
3	181-188	Excavated to the depth of GL-4.9 m
4A	217	Constructed B1F floor slab at the depth of GL-3.5 m
4B	222-238	Dismantled the first level of strut and constructed the 1F floor slab. Started the construction of the superstructure
5	233-255	Excavated to the depth of GL-8.6 m
6	279	Constructed the B2F floor slab at the depth of GL-7.1 m
7	318-337	Excavated to the depth of GL-11.8 m
8	352	Constructed the B3F floor slab at the depth of GL-10.3 m
9	363-378	Excavated to the depth of GL-15.2 m
10	400	Constructed the B4F floor slab at the depth of GL-13.7 m
11A	419-423	Excavated the central zone to the depth of GL-17.3 m
12A	425-429	Installed struts H 400 × 400 × 13 × 21 at the depth of GL-16.5 m in the central zone. The preload of each strut = 1177 kN
11B	430-436	Excavated the side zones to the depth of GL-17.3 m
12B	437-444	Installed struts H 400 × 400 × 13 × 21 in the two side zones at the depth of GL-16.5 m. The preload of each strut = 1177 kN
13	445-460	Excavated to the depth of GL-19.7 m
	457	Finished the superstructure
14	464-468	Cast the foundation slab
15	506-520	Constructed the B5F floor slab at the depth of GL-17.1 m
16	528	Dismantled the second level of struts

Figure 3.33 Excavation of the Taipei National Enterprise Center: (a) plan and (b) profile.

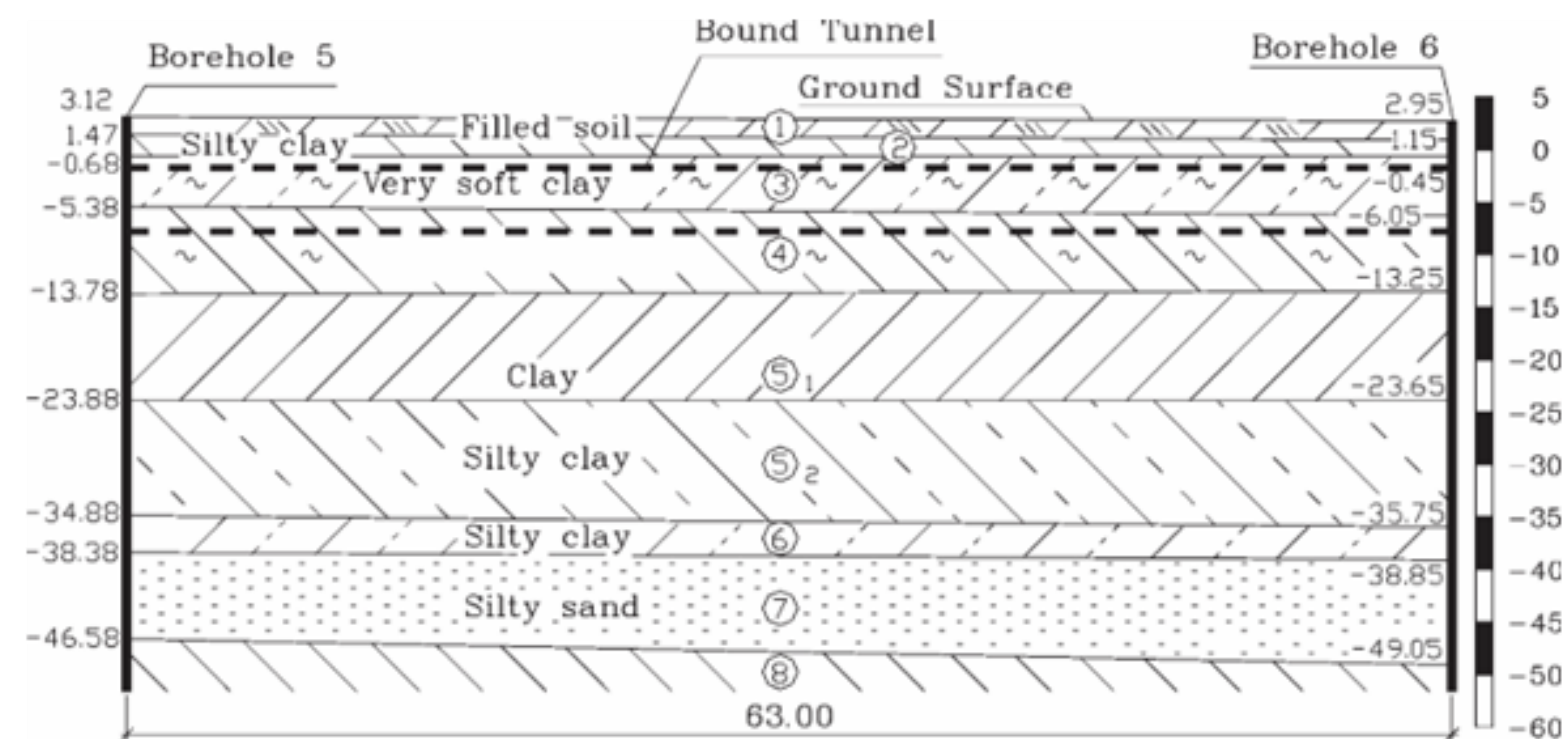
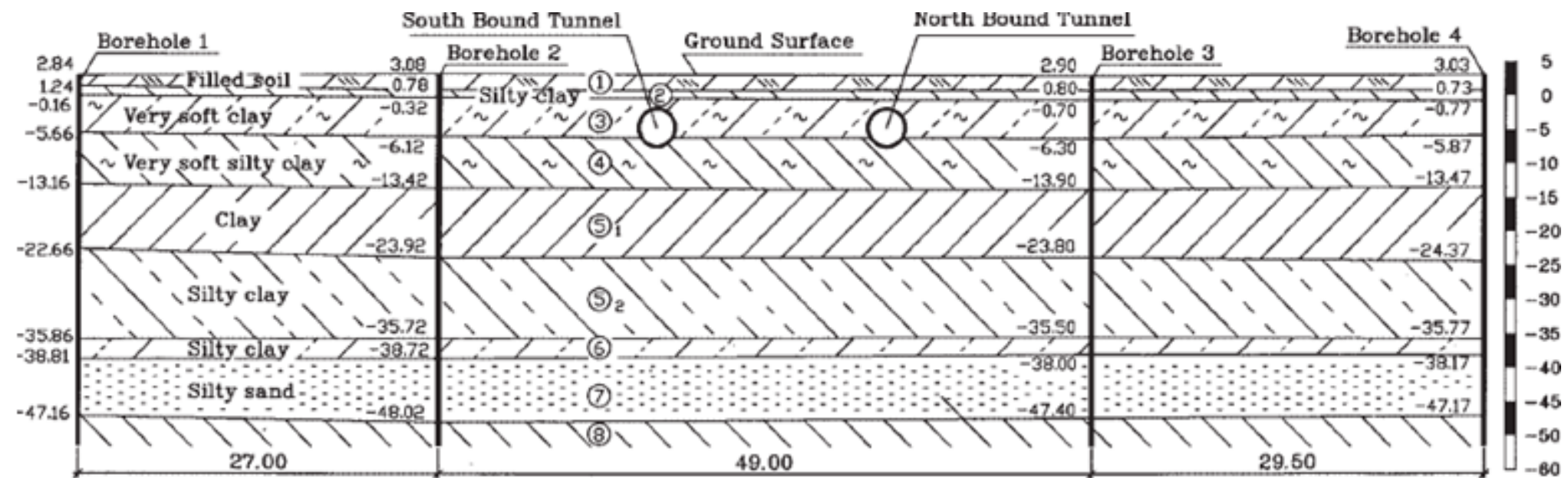
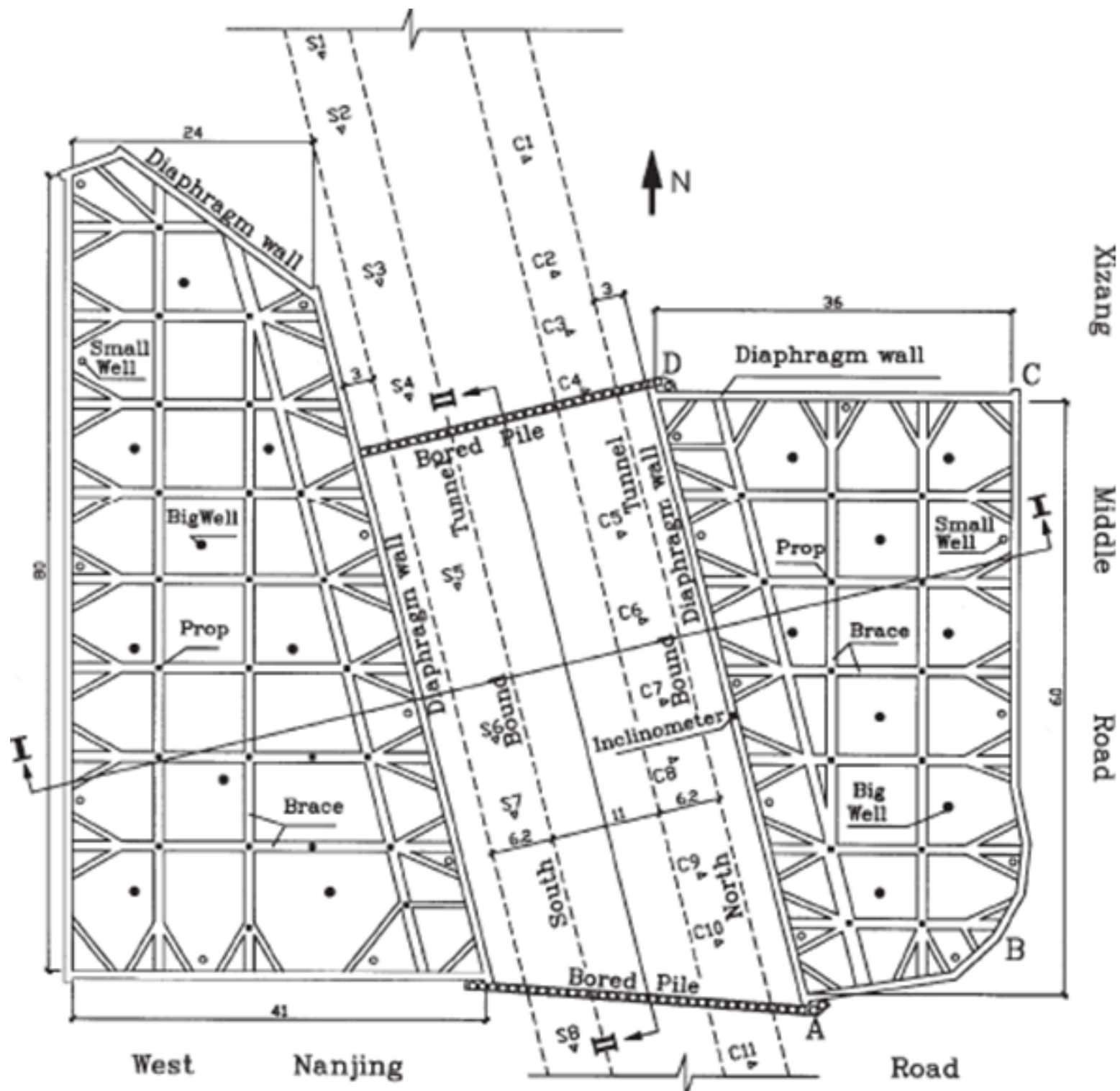




TNEC



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- **Design of deep excavations has high epistemic and aleatory uncertainty**
- **Different levels of verification are essential**
- **At the end of the day numerical models are just tools**



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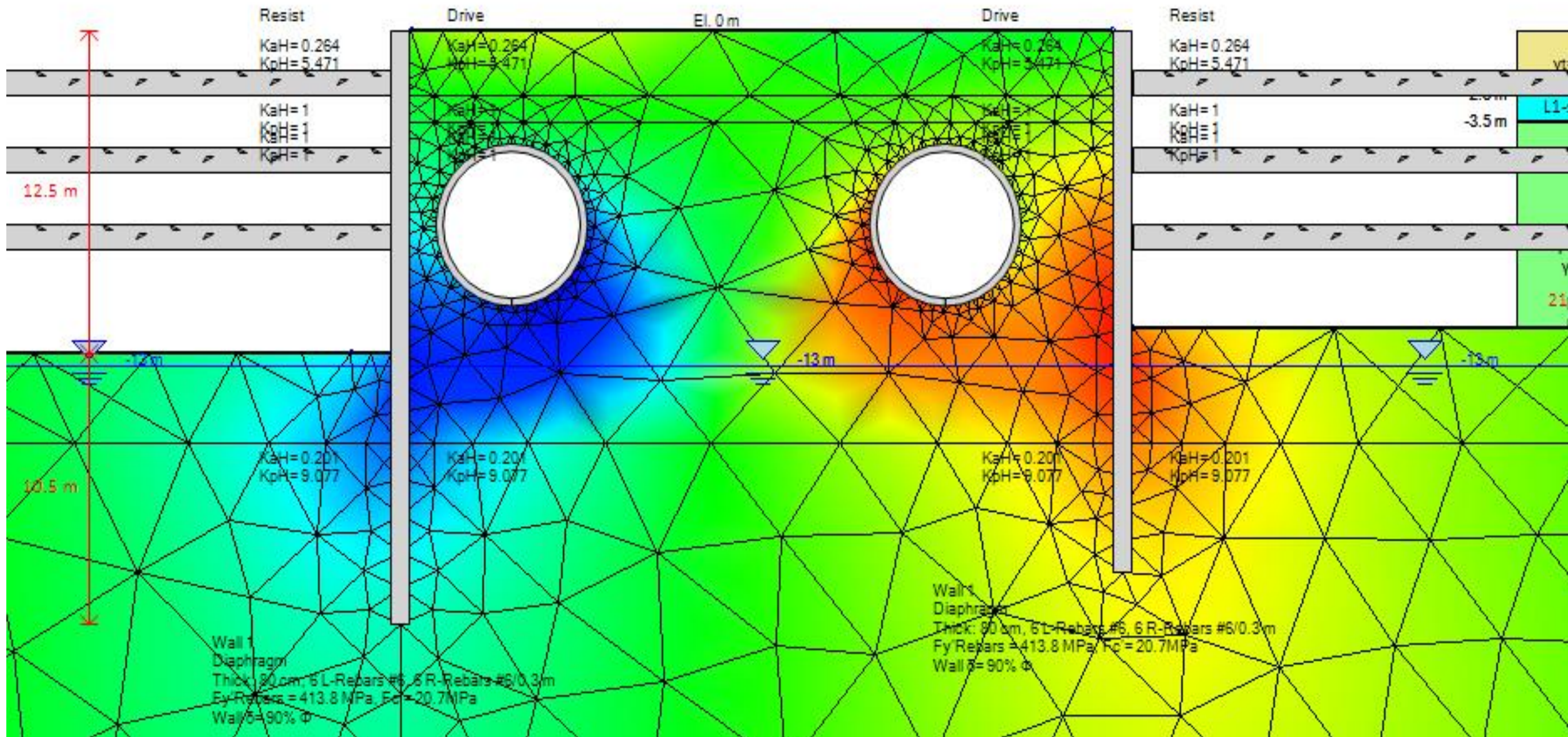
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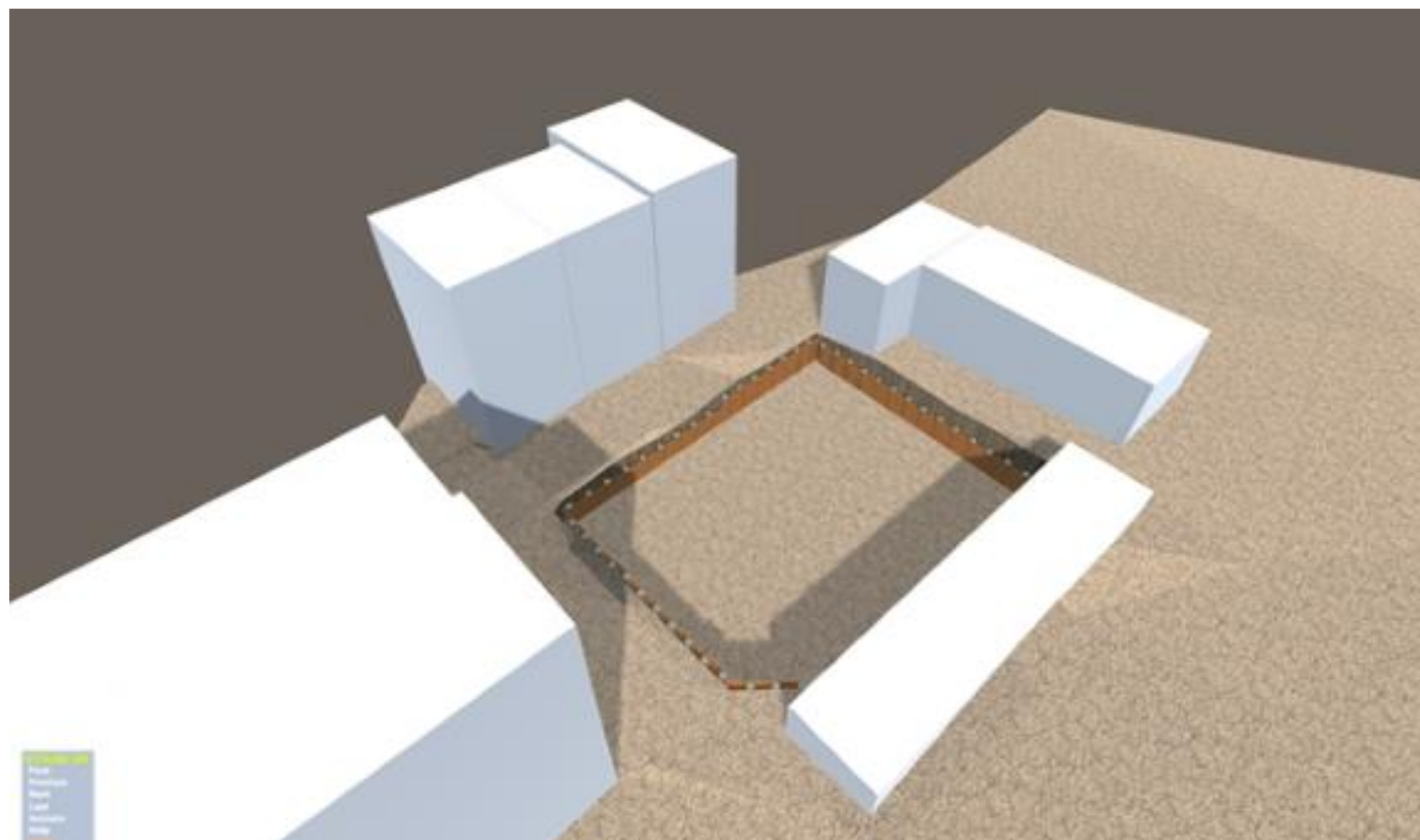
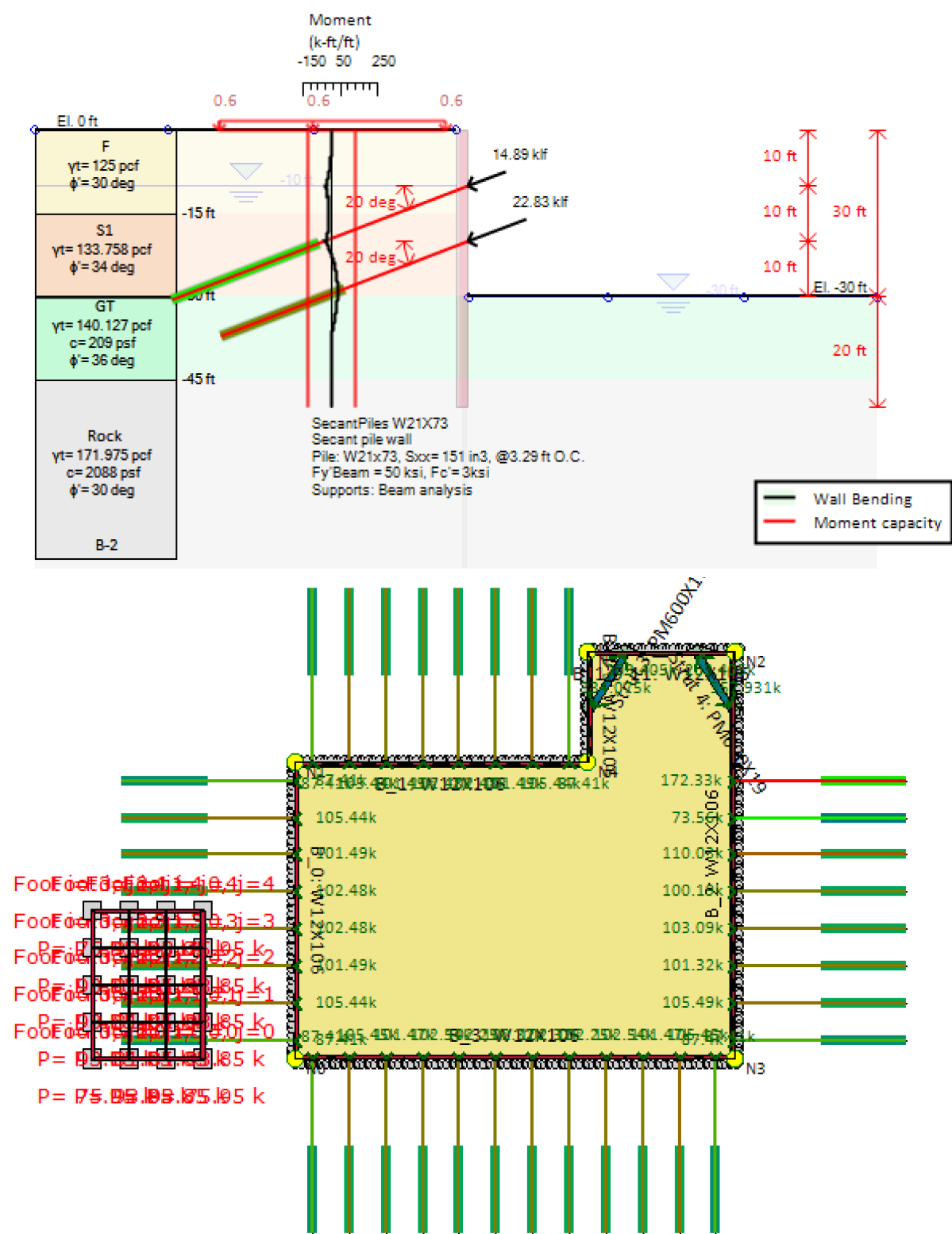
- ✓ DeepEX 2D FEM Engine (DeepFEM)
- ✓ Consider full soil-structure interaction
- ✓ Automatic FE options
- ✓ Soil Models for FEM
- ✓ Include Tiedowns & Foundation Piles

Tunnel Options:

- ✓ Tunnel Analysis with FEM
- ✓ TBM Tunnels
- ✓ NATM - SEM Tunnels
- ✓ Oval and Complex Tunnel Shapes
- ✓ Tunnel Model Wizard
- ✓ Cut-and-Cover Tunnels



- ✓ Full Design - 2D Sections and 3D Model
- ✓ Structural & Geotechnical design of Tiebacks and Struts
- ✓ 3D Building Loads
- ✓ Full Model Optimization (Walls and Supports)
- ✓ Virtual Reality Model Visualization - Export Model to HoloDeepEX





Steel Connection Data

Name and section type
Name: Stiffeners are not required
Horizontal angle: deg Max. weld stress check (all stages):

Input Stage Results

Connection Options
Weld Size: in Selected Welds:

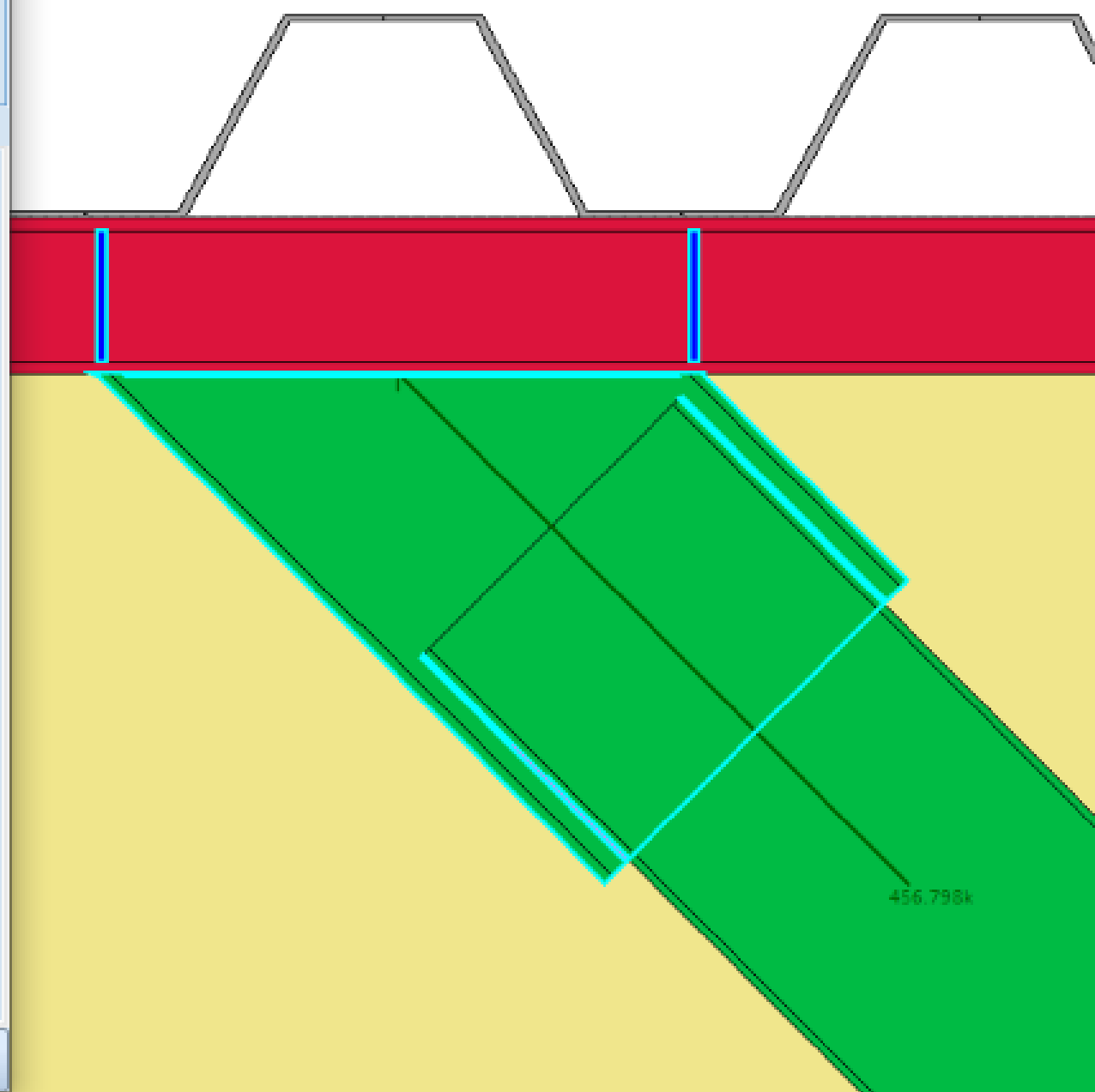
Connection Stub
Type:
Stub section:
Min. overlap with strut: in
Clearance to strut: in
Weld (pipe to connector): in

Stiffeners

Stiffener Name	Location	Thick (in)	Height (in)	Width (in)
PL1_T	Top	0.75	5.7955	10.929
PL1_B	Bottom	0.75	5.7955	10.929
PL2_T	Top	0.75	5.7955	10.929
PL2_B	Bottom	0.75	5.7955	10.929

Weld Size: in

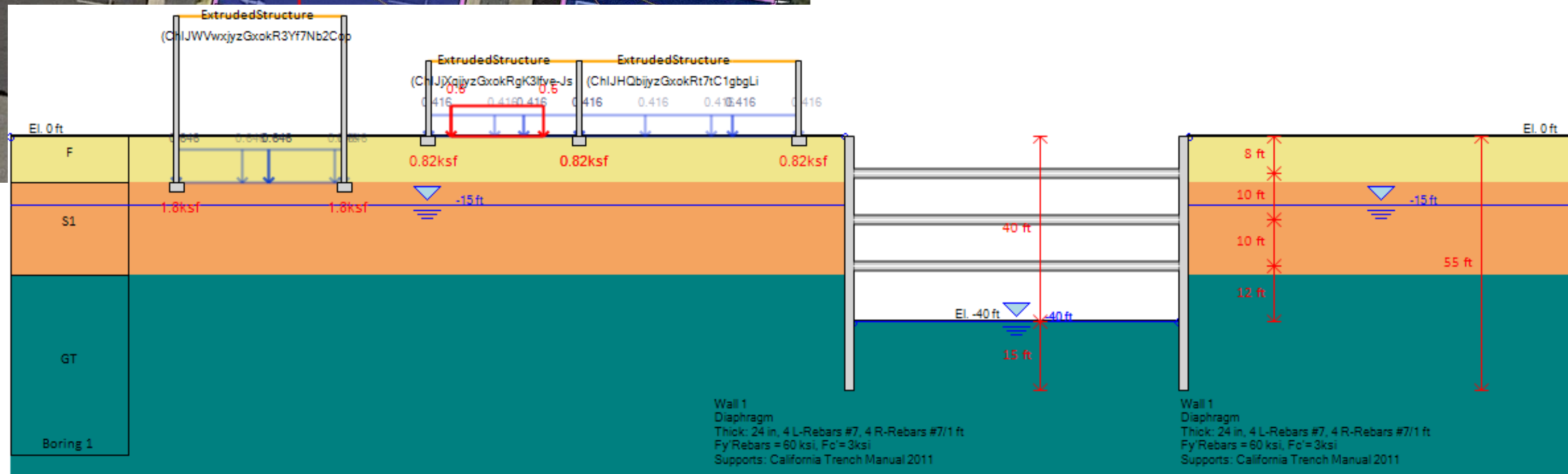
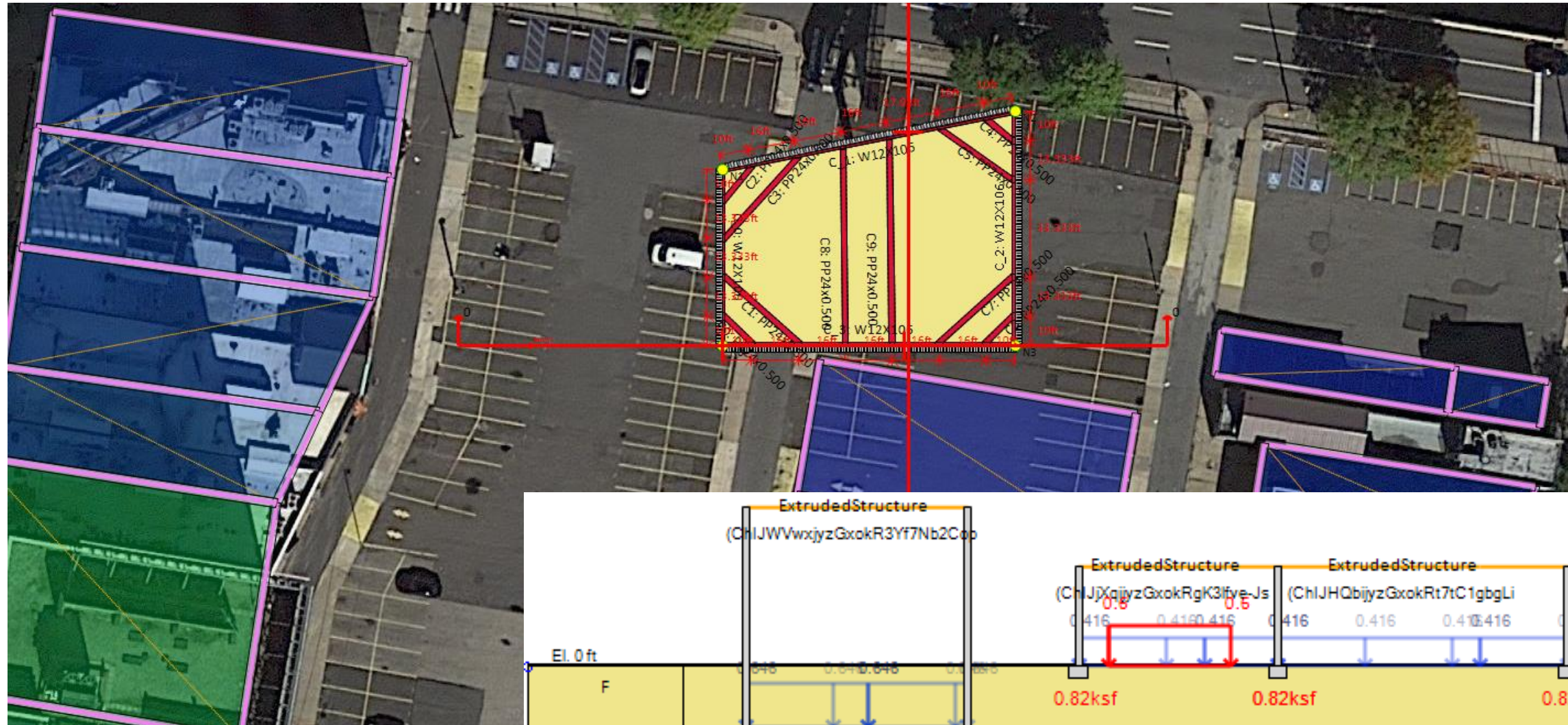
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- ✓ Generate all steel connections
- ✓ Check Steel Connections (Struts and Walers)
- ✓ Optimize Steel Connections with a Click
- ✓ Adjust weld sizes and apply plate stiffeners

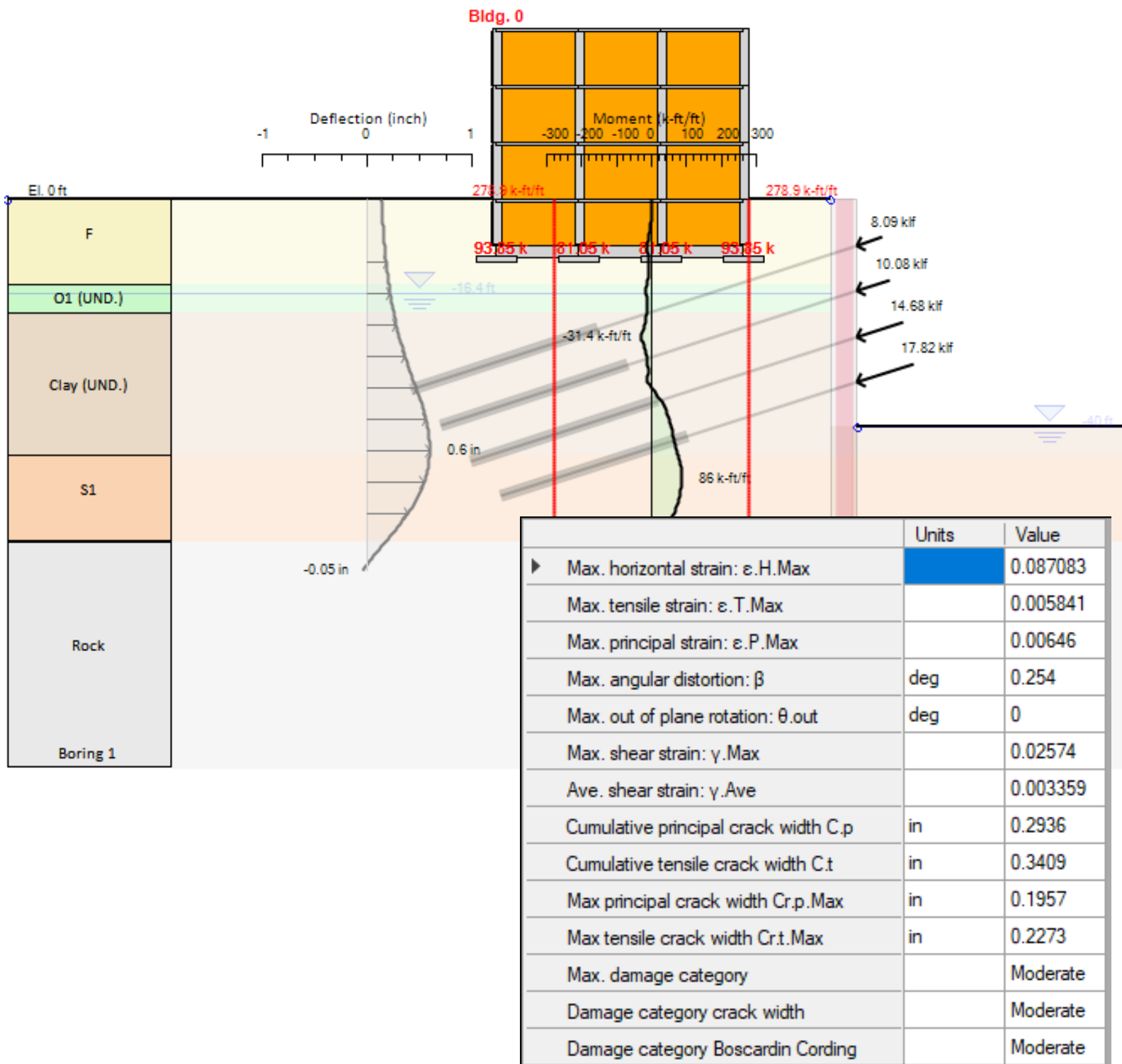


- ✓ Import your Excavation Site from Google Maps
- ✓ Import all buildings directly from Google
- ✓ Estimate the building dimensions and loads
- ✓ Generate 2D cut sections
- ✓ Perform Damage Assessment for all buildings

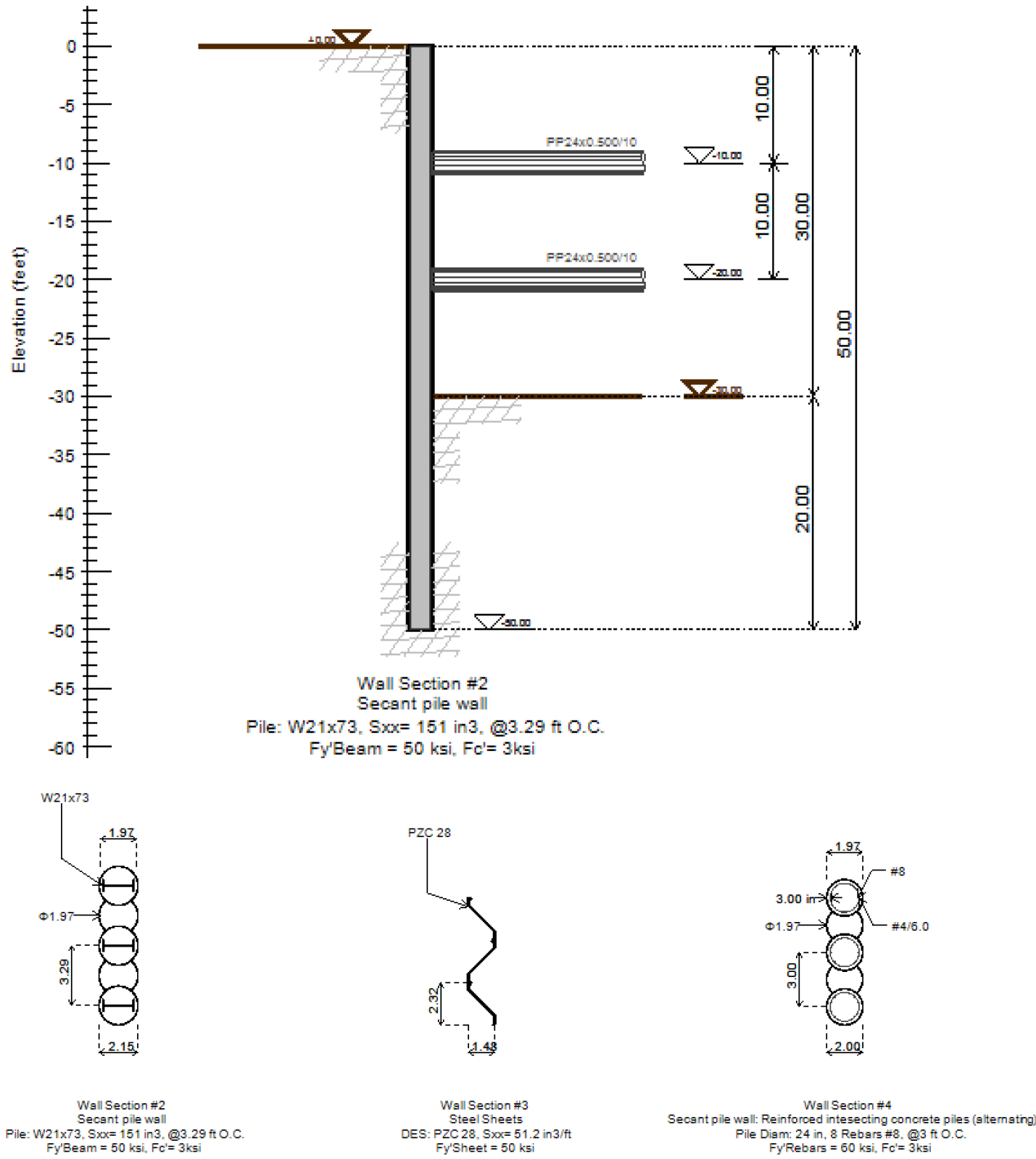




- ✓ Perform Damage Assessment of all Buildings close to an excavation site
- ✓ Review Crack widths, Damage Categories, Strains etc. for all building walls.



Bldg. 0											
Maximum values All elements Individual elements Horizontal movement Settlement Boscardin-Cording Chart Hogging Chart (Burland 1979)											
		$\theta.out$	$\gamma.Max$	$\gamma.Ave$	C.p (in)	C.t (in)	Cr.p (in)	Cr.t (in)	Damage Cat	Dam. Crack width	Dam. Boscardin
▶ Bottom side continuous basement wall	203	0	0.005103	0.002551	0	0	0	0	Moderate	Negligibe	Moderate
Left side continuous basement wall	277	0	0.000752	0.000376	0	0	0	0	Negligibe	Negligibe	Negligibe
Right side continuous basement wall	926	0	0.002511	0.001256	0	0	0	0	Negligibe	Negligibe	Negligibe
Top side continuous basement wall		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Negligibe	Negligibe	Negligibe
Exterior wall at floor 1El. 0, (-10.67, 30 to -20.67,30)	407	0	0.025554	0.001561	0.2327	0.3337	0.1551	0.2225	Moderate	Moderate	N/A
Exterior wall at floor 1El. 0, (-20.67, 70 to -10.67,70)		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Negligibe	Negligibe	N/A
Exterior wall at floor 1El. 0, (-20.67, 30 to -30.67,30)	872	0	0.022453	0.002095	0.0798	0.0299	0.0532	0.0199	Slight	Slight	N/A
Exterior wall at floor 1El. 0, (-30.67, 70 to -20.67,70)		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Negligibe	Negligibe	N/A
Exterior wall at floor 1El. 0, (-40.67, 30 to -30.67,30)	558	0	0.014831	0.001949	0	0	0	0	Negligibe	Negligibe	N/A
Exterior wall at floor 1El. 0, (-40.67, 70 to -30.67,70)		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Negligibe	Negligibe	N/A
Exterior wall at floor 1El. 0, (-10.67, 40 to -10.67,30)	439	0	0.02574	0	0.153	0.2154	0.102	0.1436	Slight	Slight	N/A
Exterior wall at floor 1El. 0, (-40.67, 30 to -40.67,40)	34	0	0.007772	0.001901	0	0	0	0	Negligibe	Negligibe	N/A
Exterior wall at floor 1El. 0, (-10.67, 50 to -10.67,40)	169	0	0.02417	0	0.2936	0.1803	0.1957	0.1202	Slight	Slight	N/A
Exterior wall at floor 1El. 0, (-40.67, 40 to -40.67,50)	391	0	0.002266	0	0	0	0	0	Negligibe	Negligibe	N/A
Exterior wall at floor 1El. 0, (-10.67, 60 to -10.67,50)	336	0	0.013545	0	0.0476	0	0.0317	0	Very slight	Very slight	N/A
Exterior wall at floor 1El. 0, (-40.67, 50 to -40.67,60)		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Negligibe	Negligibe	N/A
Exterior wall at floor 1El. 0, (-10.67, 70 to -10.67,60)		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Negligibe	Negligibe	N/A
Exterior wall at floor 1El. 0, (-40.67, 60 to -40.67,70)		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	Negligibe	Negligibe	N/A
Exterior wall at floor 2El. 10, (-10.67, 30 to -20.67,30)	407	0	0.025554	0.001561	0.1975	0.2805	0.1317	0.187	Slight	Slight	N/A
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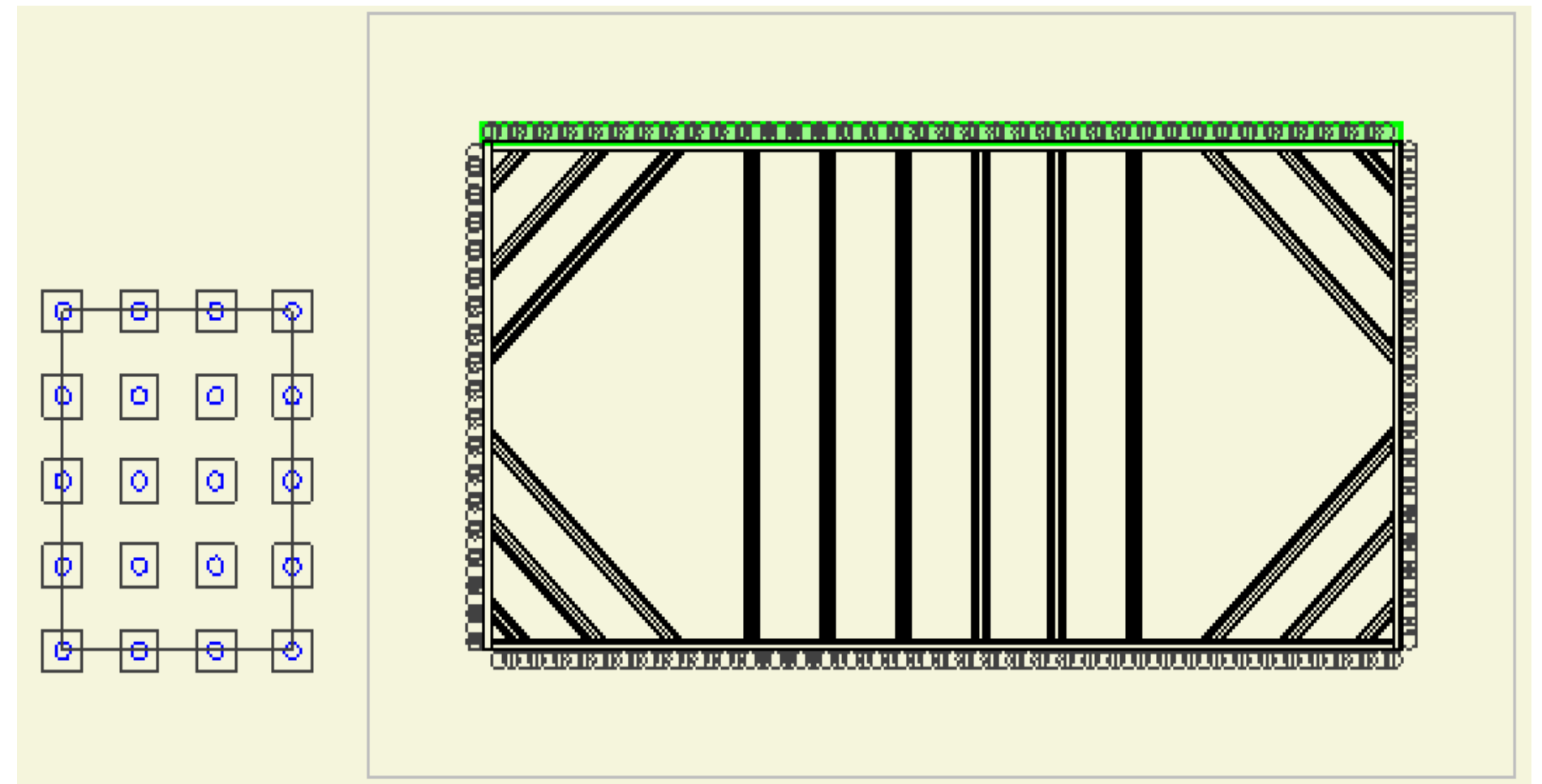


2D Sections:

- ✓ Export all 2D Sections Sketches for each Construction Stage
- ✓ Export Wall Section Details
- ✓ Export 2D Sections with Result Diagrams

3D Models:

- ✓ Export all 2D Sections and Wall Details
- ✓ Export Full Project Plan Sketches
- ✓ Export Elevation Sketches for each Project Wall

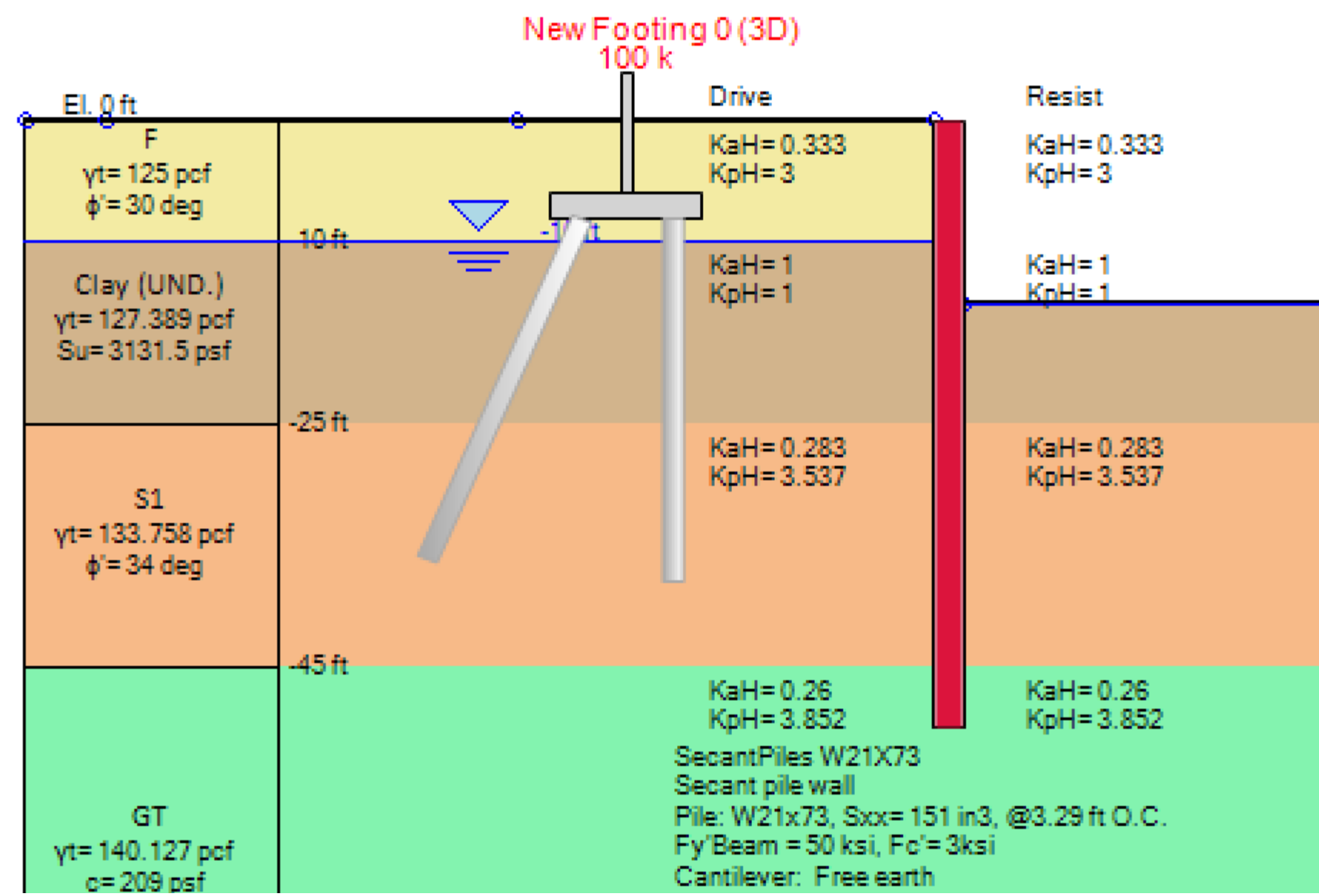
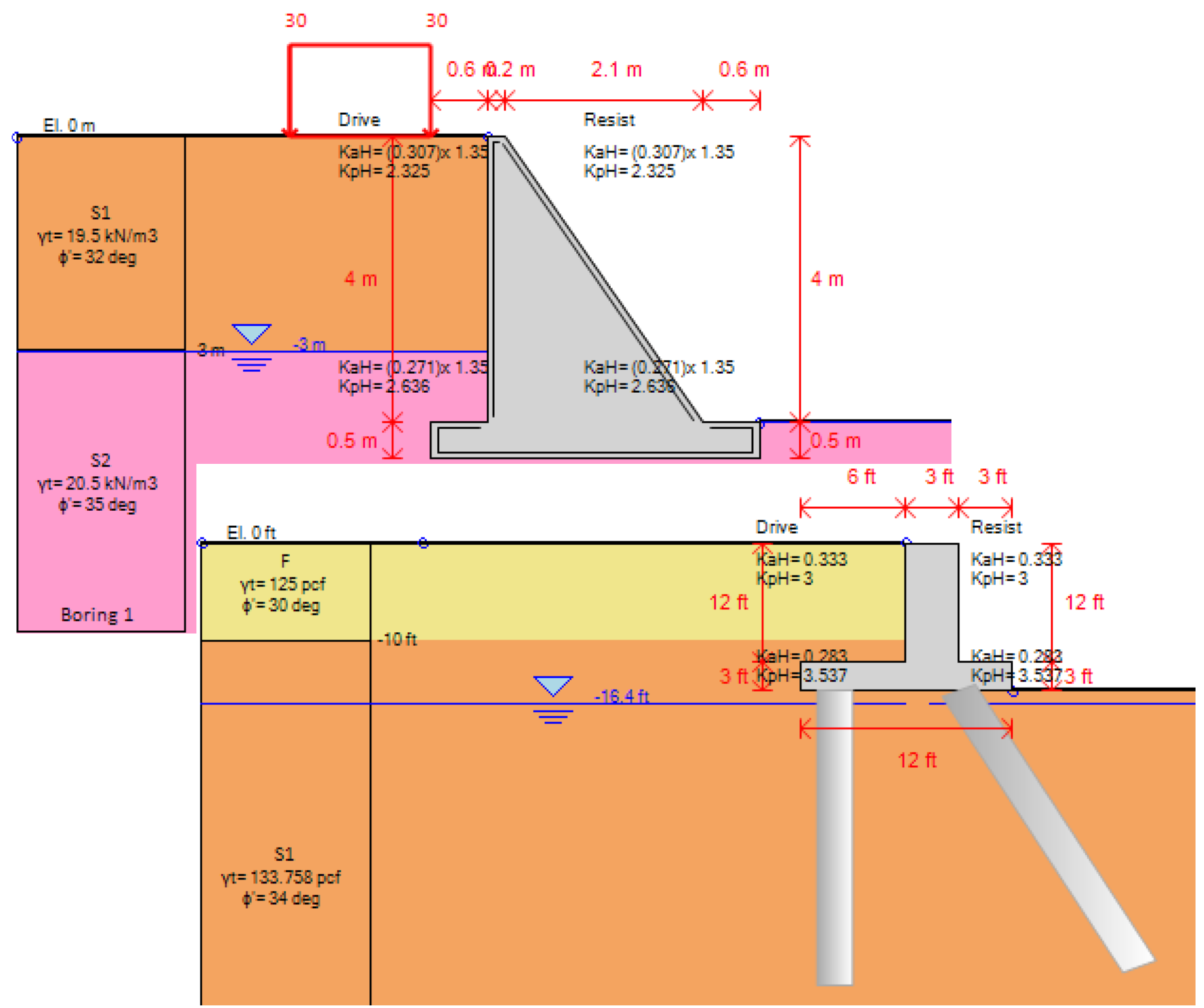




Gravity Walls & Pile Abutments

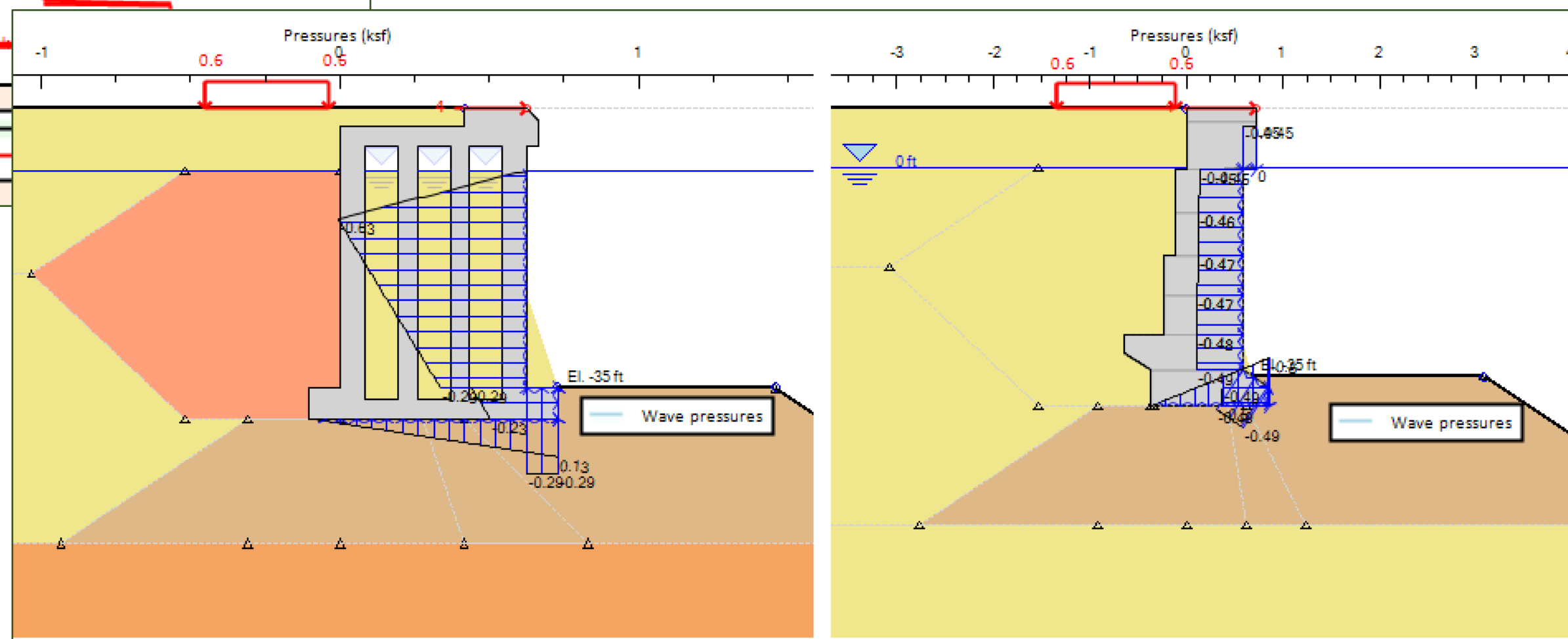
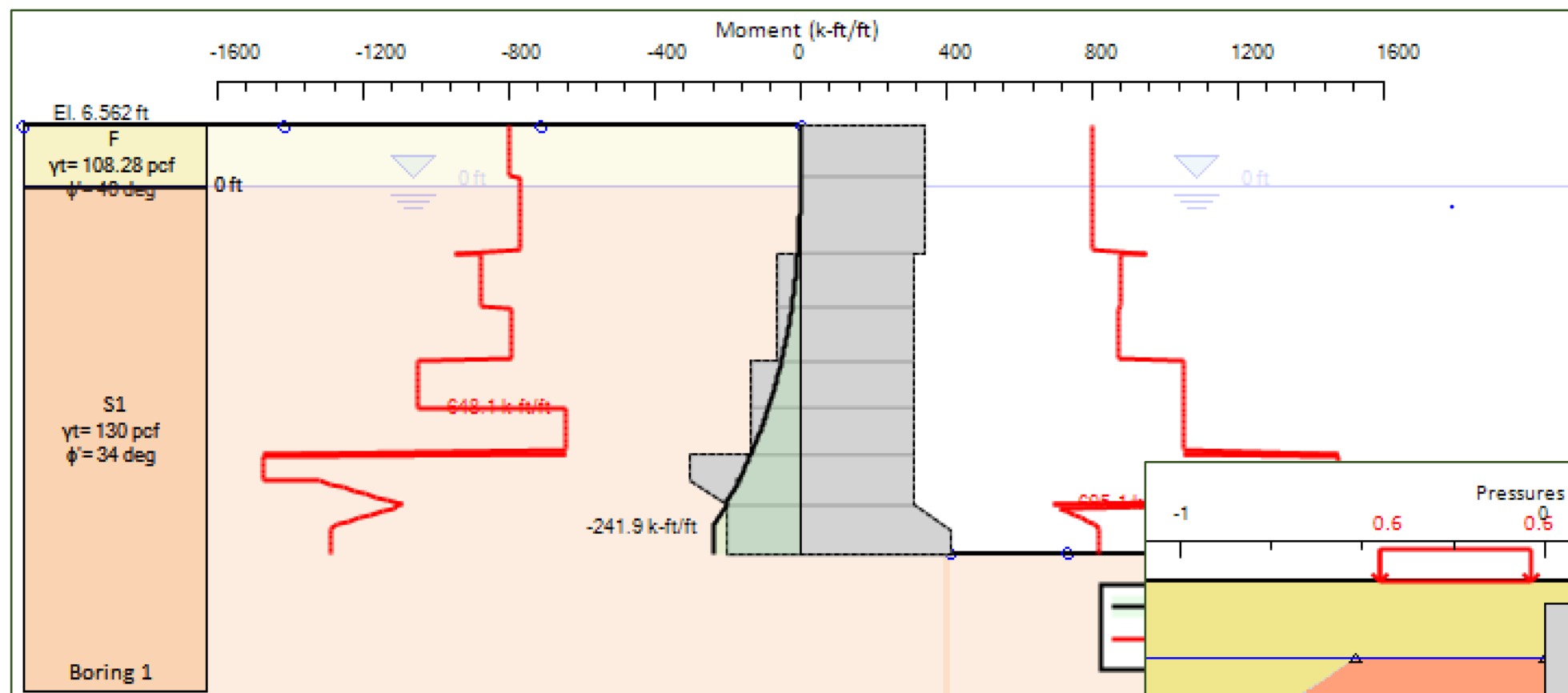


- ✓ Design gravity walls (any shape)
- ✓ Design pile supported abutments
- ✓ Use footings (3D loads) and design the foundation piles





- ✓ Load combinations for British Standards 6349 Parts 1-2 (Marine Structures-Quay Walls)
- ✓ Wave pressures with Sainflou, McConnel, Proverbs
- ✓ Average overtopping volume calculations
- ✓ Block/segmental walls with individual shear resistances and densities
- ✓ Quay caisson walls (3D) with infill zones. The program can calculate the 3D weight
- ✓ Quay wall wizard - Create a model in minutes





- ✓ Estimate Soil Properties with different methods
- ✓ Review a statistical analysis of the estimated properties
- ✓ Select the project values with a high level of certainty

Depth	SPT	RQD (%)
1	4	0
6	5	0
11	11	0
16	11	0
21	16	0
26	13	0
31	18	0
36	18	0
41	14	0
46	19	0

Buttons: Add New Record, Delete Selected Record, Import from tab delimited file, Insert point, Delete point, OK, Cancel.

1. Name and material: Set 1, Determine confidence values at Lower bound 25 %

2. Density and Strength 3. Elasticity 4. Bond Resistances 5. Lateral Pile 6. OCR

Select Equations to use for estimating soil parameters

2.A: Soil Density

- γ Kullhawy, Mayne, 1990, Table 2-9, pg. 1-54
- DR, Bowles et. al., DeepEX approach
- DR, Manual of Estimating Soil Parameters, Table 2-9, pg. 2-19

2. B: Effective Friction Angle

- Φ Parry, 1977 (Perko, Helical Pile Design Manual)
- Φ triaxial compression calibration, FHWA NHI 132031
- Φ Kullhawy, Chen, 2007
- Φ Terzaghi & Peck, 1967
- Φ FHWA pilot database calibrations
- Φ_{cv} , Parry 1977 for clays
- Φ Kullhawy, Mayne, 1990
- Φ Sabatini et. al, 2002, FHWA NHI-10-106
- Φ_{cv} , Holtz-Kovac 1991, 1985 for clays vs. PI, lower bound
- Φ_{cv} , Holtz-Kovac 1991, 1985 for clays vs. PI, average
- Φ_{cv} , Holtz-Kovac 1991, 1985 for clays vs. PI, upper bound

2. C: Undrained Shear Strength

- $S_u = 0.06 N Pa = 0.125 N (ksf)$, Kullhawy, Mayne, 1990, Eq 4-59, p
- $S_u (ksf) = 0.13 N$, Terzaghi-Peck 1967
- S_u vs OCR, Ladd 1977, Jamiolkowski 1985
- S_u clays, Koutsoftas & Ladd, 1985, vs. OCR and PI

1. Select Set: Set 1

2. Result Type: γ estimate

4. Summary Results

Parameter estimation for:
 Density: γ
 Soil type: F
 Sample count: 13
 Average Input values
 Average Nspt= 15.31 bpf
 Average Relative density DR= 40.52 %

Estimate results
 Average estimate $\gamma = 115.138$ pcf
 Standard deviation $\gamma = 4.266$ pcf
 Max. value $\gamma_{max} = 120.9$ pcf
 Min. value $\gamma_{min} = 109.4$ pcf
 Confidence level $\gamma_{des} = 115.138$ pcf
 Confidence level at 50% lower bound

5. Adjust or Pass to soil type
 Lower bound 50 %

Buttons: Determine new design value based on lower bound percentage, Pass value to soil type, Preview Report, OK

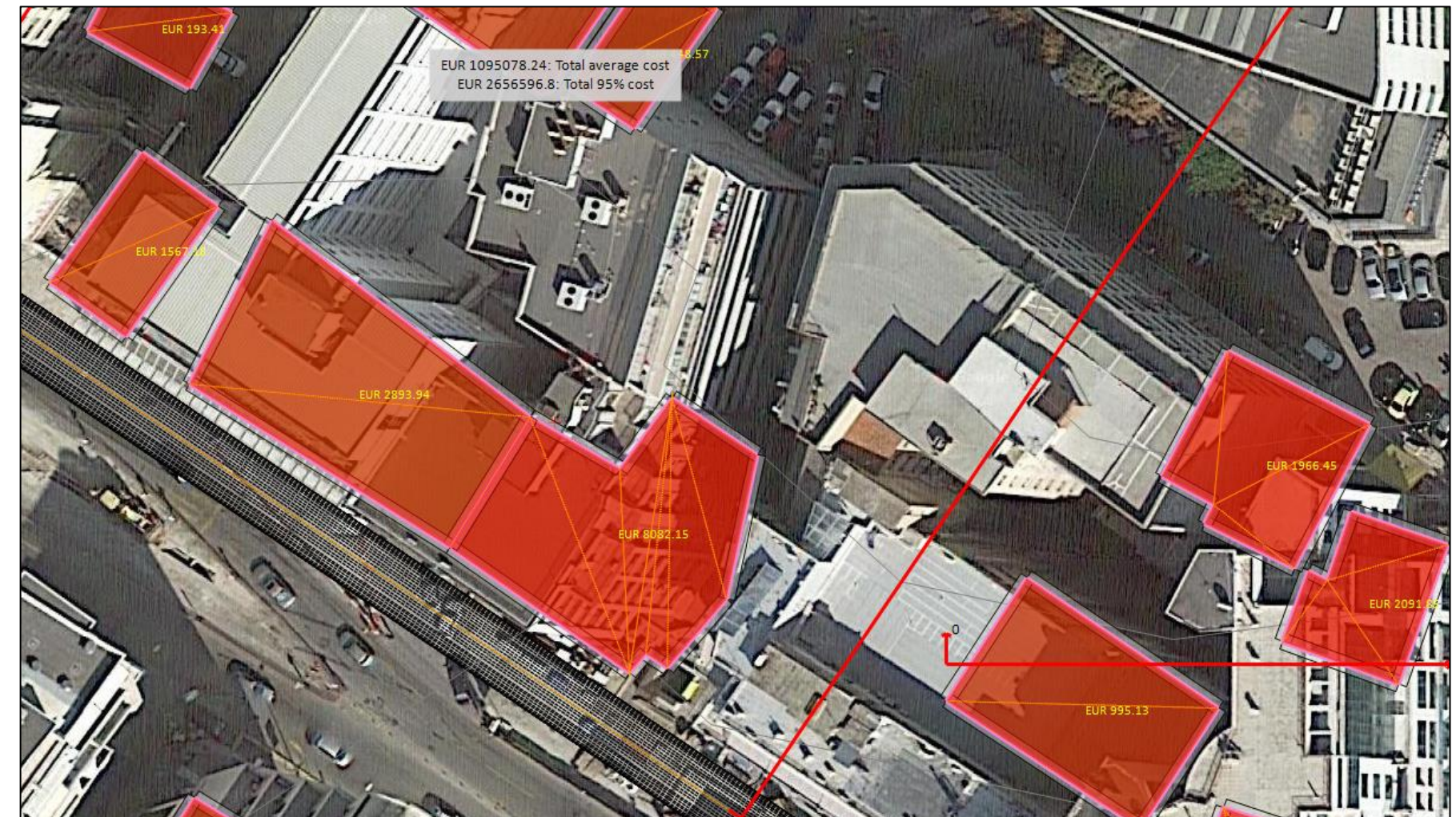
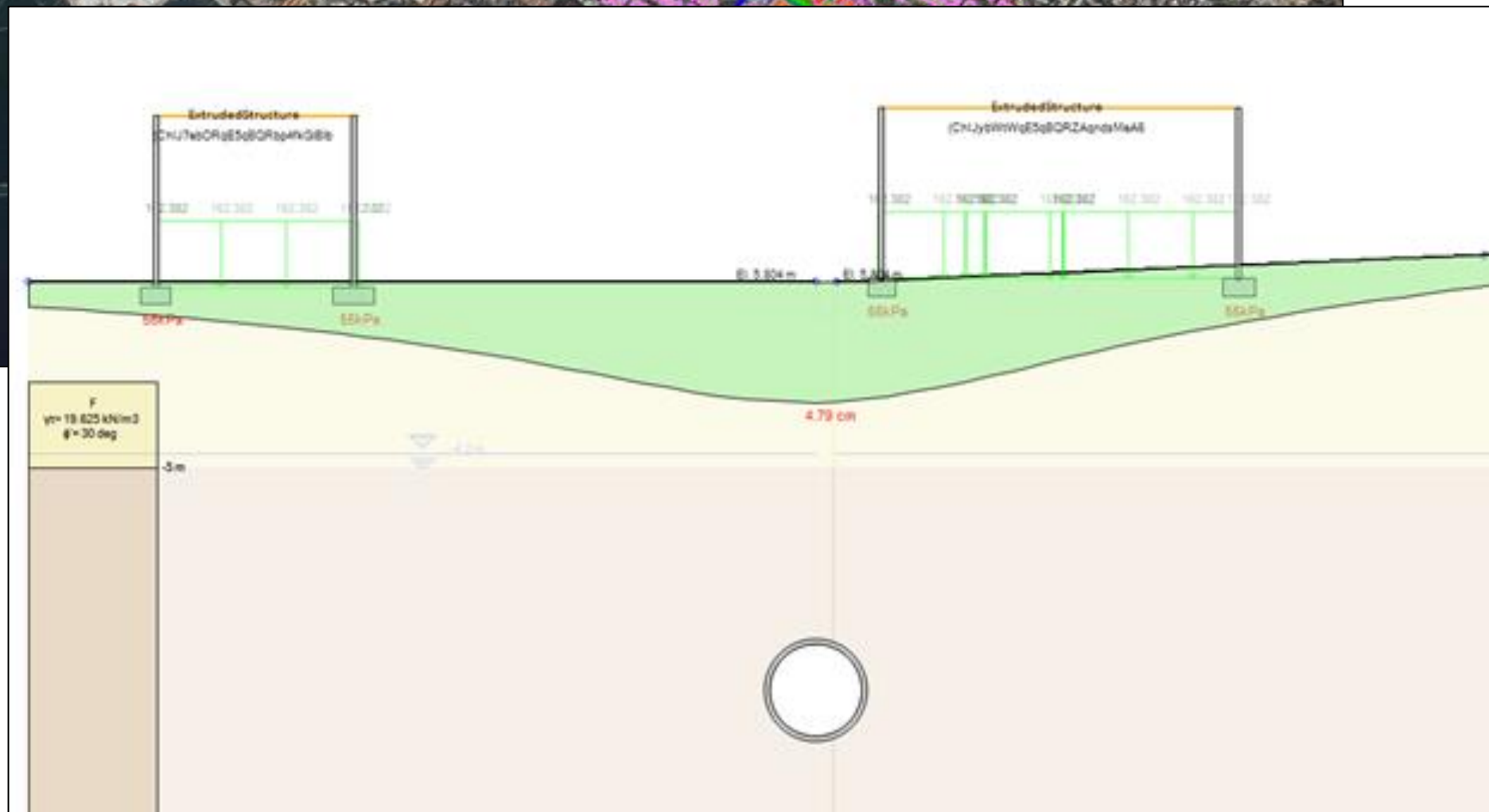
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Graph: Histogram of γ pcf. X-axis: 80 to 160 pcf. Y-axis: % (0 to 100). Average: 115.14 pcf. 50% Range: 115.14 pcf. Percentages: 23.08%, 53.85%, 23.08%.



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