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OPERATING MANUAL FOR:

Luggage Point Waste Water Treatment Plant Final Settling Tanks No. 9,10,11 & 12. Cathodic Protection System.

CLIENT:

DEPARTMENT OF WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE Sewerage Operations Branch

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486/7/5-UT2C0331E Rectifier Wiring Diagram

Cathodic Protection Details

(No Number) Monthly Maintenance Program.

(1.0) **INTRODUCTION**

Steel when immersed or covered in water has a tendency to corrode (or rust) as the oxidized form is more stable than the metal.

Because of this, precaution must be taken to stop or minimize the corrosion reaction to an acceptable level consistent with the design life of the structure. This is normally achieved by the use of protective coatings which control the corrosion reaction by isolating the steel from its surrounding environment.

However, it is not practical to achieve a perfect coating and coating damage will always occur with time. Because of this, corrosion may occur at imperfections in the paint coating, causing further deterioration in the coating as well as loss of metal.

As a result of this, the coating defects must be rectified by periodic maintenance or an additional method of protection used to prevent this deterioration and corrosion occurring. This additional protection is achieved by the cathodic protection system.

(2.0) CORROSION AND CATHODIC PROTECTION

Corrosion is an electrochemical process in that it is accompanied by a flow of electrical current.

Corrosion occurs on the surface of metals at active areas known as anodes, which are electrically continuous with less active or passive areas known as cathodes. The electric current flows from the anode through the electrolyte to the cathode, with the circuit being completed by the electrical continuity between the cathode and anode. In practice anodes and cathodes are generally part of the same metallic surface and individual anodic areas may be small.

In applying cathodic protection and external current is applied to the surface so that the entire surface to be protected acts as a cathode. This involves the use of an auxiliary anode and when the current flow from this anode is sufficient, no part of the structure acts as an anode.

An external source of direct current such as a transformer rectifier is used in conjunction with an anode consisting of material with a very slow corrosion rate.

While it is the flow of current which achieves the cathodic protection of the surface it is impractical to measure these currents over individual anodic areas to determine when cathodic protection has been achieved. However, with the flow of cathodic protection current, the structure becomes more negative with respect to the surrounding electrolyte. Because of this, it is possible to state values of metal/electrolyte potential at which corrosion does not occur. This metal/electrolyte potential is generally measured against a standard reference electrode which allows a reproducible potential at which corrosion does not occur to be quoted.

(3.0) Structure Details

Size: Final tank bridges no. 9,10,11,&12.

Coating: Mild steel galvanised.

Length: not applicable.

Luggage Point waste water treatment plant. UBD Map No.22 D6

Construction

Drawings: as per attached sketch.

(4.0) CATHODIC PROTECTION DETAILS

- (4.1) Type of Cathodic Protection: Impressed Current & sacrificial.
- (4.2) Rectifier: Each final tank has standard 24V Volt,10 amp direct current output enclosed in a stainless steel switchboard. Rectifier has a 110V supply from from the MCC in the RAS building. The rectifier is located on bridge arm towards the centre.
- (4.3) Cathode: Each cathode point is located inside the rectifier bonding negative to structure. The cathode point is where the cabling from the rectifier is attached to the structure under cathodic protection.
- (4.4) Anodes: There are four strings of anodes with three anodes per string and one string of anodes with two anodes per string per arm, with three arms per final tank. The anode material is silicone iron and anodes measure 230mm long X 40mm diameter. Anode string cable is 16mm2 cu/pvc/pvc. Total silicone iron anodes per final tank is 42. There are also 10 zinc anodes attached to the centre spyder internal structure area.
- (4.5) Test Points: Test points are installed on cathodically protected structures to enable testing to ensure full protection of the structure. There are three permanant zinc reference installed on the structure with cables terminated in the rectifiers with 4mm test plug connection for ease of testing.
- (4.6) Associated Drawings:

 Cathodic Protection Details as per sketch.

 Standard Rectifier Wiring Diagram 486/7/5-UT2C0331E
- (4.7) Associated Standards:

 AS 3000 1986 Australia Wiring Rules

 AS 2832.1 1985 Pipes, Cables, Ducts, Guide to Cathodic Protection,

 Part One.
- (4.8) Government Regulations:
 Queensland Electricity Acts and Regulations.

(5.0) **PERFORMED TESTING**

- (1) Natural Potential Survey.
- (2) Current Drain Survey.
- (3) Rectifier Loop Resistance.
- (4) Foreign Structure Interference Survey and Mitigation.
- (5) Final Potential Survey and Commissioning.

NOTE:Details of above testing have not been included in this manual but are available upon request.

(6.0) <u>CONCLUSION</u>

Full Cathodic protection has been achieved on this final settling tank. The cathodic protection system is registered with the Queensland Electricity Commission and has approval to operate.

(7.0) MAINTENANCE

The cathodic protection system is maintained on a monthly basis after commissioning. These checks involve testing rectifier operation and recording of reference potentials.

Electrical Workshop Cathodic Protection

CPS Monthly Maintenance Details.

Required:

- 1/ Notify plant operator and/or sign entry logs where necessary.
- 2/ Have appropriate keying.

Labour:

One tradesperson, one vehicle. 20 minutes per site.

Procedure:

- 1/ Identify installation.
- 2/ Check system for operation.
- 3/ Record voltmeter.
- 4/ Record ammeter.
- 5/ Comments.
- 6/ Log entry.

Electrical Workshop Cathodic Protection

CPS 6 Monthly Maintenance Details.

Required:

- 1/ Notify plant operator and/or sign entry logs where necessary.
- 2/ Have appropriate keying.
- 3/ Set of tools. (Electricians)
- 4/ Multimeter.
- 5/ DC clampmeter.
- 6/ Copper sulphate reference cell and leads.
- 7/ Cleaning equipment.
- 8/ Gatic cover lifters.

Labour:

One tradesperson electrical, one laborer, one vehicle. Two hours per site.

Procedure:

- 1/ Identify system.
- 2/ Check system for operation.
- 3/ Record voltmeter.
- 4/ Record ammeter.
- 5/ Record "on" potentials for all test points.
- 6/ Record "instant off" potentials for all test points.
- 7/ Record "off" potentials for all test points.
- 8/ Perform loop resistance and record.
- 9/ Check and record anode string currents.
- 10/ Comments.
- 11/ Log entry.

Electrical Workshop Cathodic Protection

CPS 60 Monthly Maintenance Details.

Required:

- 1/ Notify plant operator and/or sign entry logs where necessary.
- 2/ Have appropriate keying.
- 3/ Set of tools. (Electricians)
- 4/ Multimeter.
- 5/ DC clampmeter.
- 6/ Copper sulphate reference cell and leads.
- 7/ Cleaning equipment.
- 8/ Gatic cover lifters.
- 9/ Rectifier load bank.
- 10/ PCS2000 Detection Equipment.

Labour:

One tradesperson electrical, one laborer, one vehicle. Eight hours per site.

Procedure:

- 1/ Identify system.
- 2/ Check system for operation.
- 3/ Record voltmeter.
- 4/ Record ammeter.
- 5/ Record "on" potentials for all test points.
- 6/ Record "instant off" potentials for all test points.
- 7/ Record "off" potentials for all test points.
- 8/ Perform loop resistance and record.
- 9/ Check and record anode string currents.
- 10/ Load test rectifier for 10 minutes.
- 11/ Check all switchboard and testpoint terminals for tightness.
- 12/ Check all switchboard and testpoints are labelled and I.D. tags attached.
- 13/ Check plans are correctly drawn and modify if necessary.
- 14/ Remove and inspect anodes.
- 15/ Recheck all interference (CPS) bleeds.
- 16/ Pipecamp structure if applicable.
- 17/ Apply for "continue to operate" permit if applicable.

LUGGAGE POINT FINAL SETTLING TANK NO. 9

C.P.S. 109

SWB 157

42 SIL Fe Anodes

230 X 40mm

10 Zinc Sacrificial Anodes

3 Zinc References

Natural Potentials

CuSO₄

Outer Area of Bridge

950 mV

Middle Area of Bridge

960 mV

Centre Area of Bridge

970 mV

Centre Tank

920 mV

Sacrificial Anode Area

1100 mV

Zinc

REF 9.1

182 mV

9.2

188 mV

9.3

188 mV

Loop Resistance

- 2 Volts at 1.0 amps
- 3 Volts at 3.0 amps
- 4 Volts at 5.5 amps
- 5 Volts at 7.5 amps
- 6 Volts at 10.0 amps
- 7 Volts at 13.0 amps

Unit Reading 4.0 V at 4.6 amps

CuSO₄ to Structure

Average F.S.T. On - 1010 mV

(Main) Off - 960 mV

Centre On - 1180 mV

Off - 980 mV

Anode Current

15 Anodes Centre 1.56 amps

27 Anodes Main 2.71 amps

Interference Test on Outer Ring (At top of stairs)

Before Arm Off - 105 mV On - 76 mV Swing + 29 mV

After Arm Off - 34 mV On - 49 mV Swing - 15 mV

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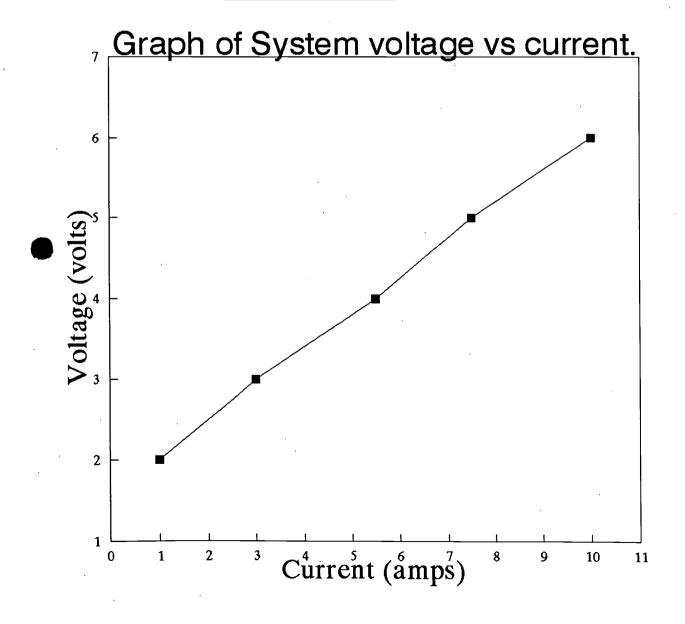
Cathodic Protection System Loop Resistance

Date: 12th November 1993

Cathodic Protection System: Luggage Point Waste Water T/P Final Tank #9
System Operating Volts: 4 System Operating amps 4.6

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Test Voltage	e:	Test Current:	
(volts)		(amps)	
5 5 6		1 3 5.5 7.5 10	

Loop Resistance	
(ohms)	
0.444444	



LUGGAGE POINT FINAL SETTLING TANK NO. 10

C.P.S. 110 SWB 158

42 SIL Fe Anodes 230 X 40mm

10 Zinc Sacrificial Anodes

3 Zinc References

Natural Potentials

CuSO₄

Outer Area of Bridge - 960 mV

Middle Area of Bridge - 970 mV

Centre Area of Bridge - 980 mV

Centre Tank - 945 mV

Sacrificial Anode Area - 1045 mV

Zinc

REF 10.1 + 140 mV 10.2 + 139 mV

10.3 + 150 mV

Loop Resistance

- 2 Volts at 1.4 amps
- 3 Volts at 3.5 amps
- 4 Volts at 6.0 amps
- 5 Volts at 8.5 amps
- 6 Volts at 11.0 amps
- 7 Volts at 13.7 amps

Unit Reading 4.0 V at 5.5 amps

CuSO₄ to Structure

Average F.S.T. On - 1100 mV

(Main) Off - 1010 mV

Centre On - 1400 mV

Off - 1100 mV

Anode Current

15 Anodes Centre 2.05 amps

27 Anodes Main 3.51 amps

Interference Test on Outer Ring (At top of stairs)

Before Arm Off - 229 mV On - 1.95 mV Swing + 34 mV

After Arm Off - 76 mV On - 38 mV Swing + 38 mV

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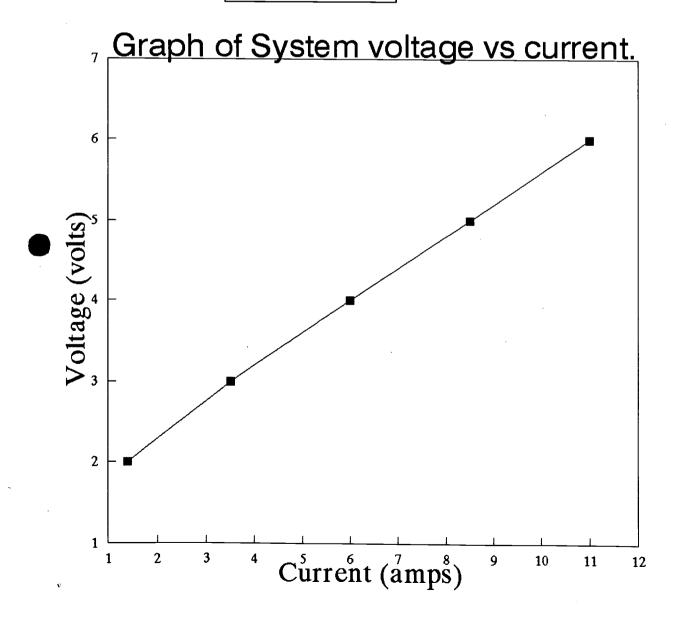
Cathodic Protection System Loop Resistance

Date: 12th November 1993

Cathodic Protection System: Luggage Point Waste Water T/P Final Tank #10 System Operating Volts: 4 System Operating amps 5.5

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Test Voltage:	age: Test Current:	
(volts)	(amps)	
2 3 4 5 5	1.4 3.5 6 8.5	
6		

Loop Resistance (ohms)	
0.4	



LUGGAGE POINT FINAL SETTLING TANK NO. 11

C.P.S. 111

SWB 232

42 SIL Fe Anodes

230 X 40mm

10 Zinc Sacrificial Anodes

3 Zinc References

Natural Potentials

CuSO₄

Outer Area of Bridge

925 mV

Middle Area of Bridge

960 mV

Centre Area of Bridge

950 mV

Centre Tank

936 mV

Sacrificial Anode Area

1052 mV

Zinc

REF 11.1

135 mV

11.2

- 144 mV

11.3

159 mV

Loop Resistance

- 2 Volts at 1.0 amps
- 3 Volts at 3.9 amps
- 4 Volts at 5.6 amps
- 5 Volts at 8.5 amps
- 6 Volts at 11.0 amps
- 7 Volts at 13.5 amps

Unit Reading 4.0 V at 5.5 amps

CuSO, to Structure

Average F.S.T. On - 1140 mV

(Main) Off - 1010 mV

Centre On - 1300 mV

Off - 1012 mV

Anode Current

15 Anodes Centre 1.70 amps

27 Anodes Main 2.83 amps

Interference Test on Outer Ring (At top of stairs)

Before Arm Off - 202 mV On - 181 mV Swing + 21 mV

After Arm Off - 34 mV On - 66 mV Swing + 62 mV

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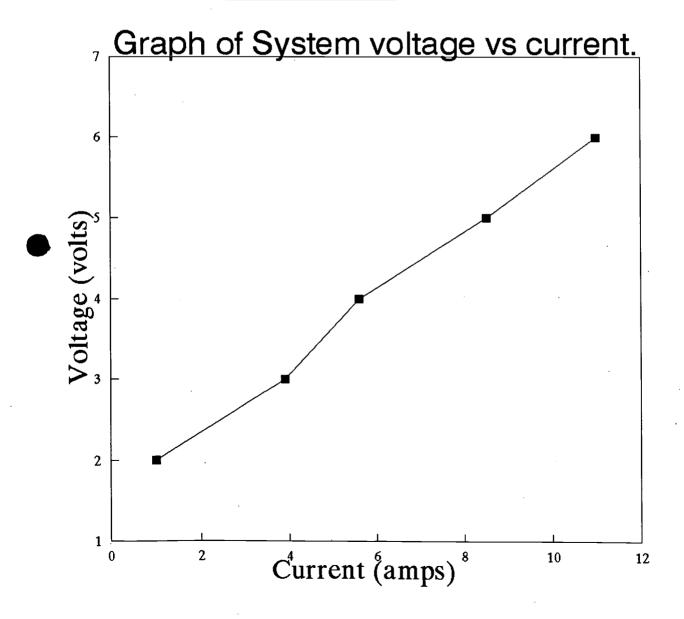
Cathodic Protection System Loop Resistance

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Cathodic Protection System: Luggage Point Waste Water T/P Final Tank #11 System Operating Volts: 4 System Operating amps 5.5

Test Voltage:	Test Current:
(volts)	(amps)
2 3 4 5	1 3.9 5.6 8.5 11

Loop Resistance (ohms)	
0.37037	



LUGGAGE POINT FINAL SETTLING TANK NO. 12

C.P.S. 112

SWB 230

42 SIL Fe Anodes

230 X 40mm

10 Zinc Sacrificial Anodes

3 Zinc References

Natural Potentials

CuSO₄

Outer Area of Bridge

950 mV

Middle Area of Bridge

940 mV

Centre Area of Bridge

950 mV

Centre Tank

930 mV

Sacrificial Anode Area

1054 mV

Zinc

REF 12.1

188 mV

12.2

182 mV

+

+

12.3

181 mV

Loop Resistance

- 2 Volts at 1.0 amps
- 3 Volts at 2.9 amps
- 4 Volts at 5.6 amps
- 5 Volts at 8.1 amps
- 6 Volts at 10.9 amps
- 7 Volts at 13.5 amps

Unit Reading 4.0 V at 5.5 amps

CuSO₄ to Structure

Average F.S.T. On - 1050 mV

(Main) Off - 980 mV

Centre On - 1320 mV

Off - 1030 mV

Anode Current

15 Anodes Centre 1.95 amps

27 Anodes Main 3.34 amps

Interference Test on Outer Ring (At top of stairs)

Before Arm Off - 240 mV On - 207 mV Swing + 33 mV

After Arm Off - 216 mV On - 155 mV Swing + 61 mV

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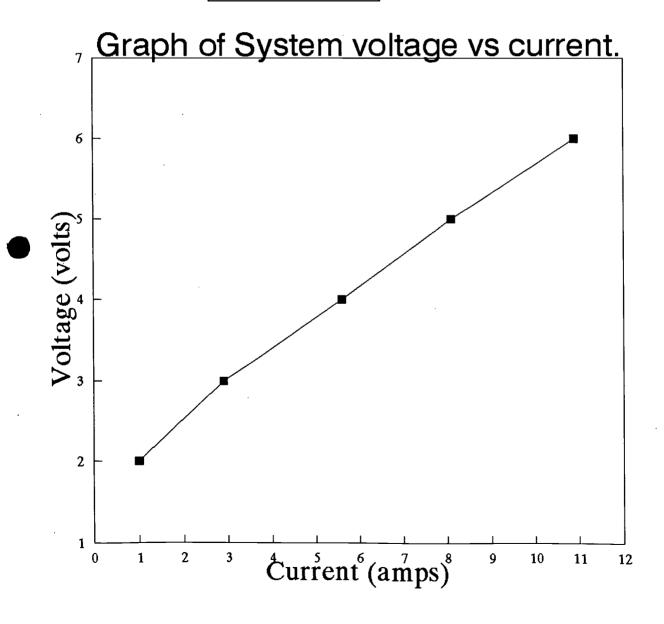
Cathodic Protection System Loop Resistance

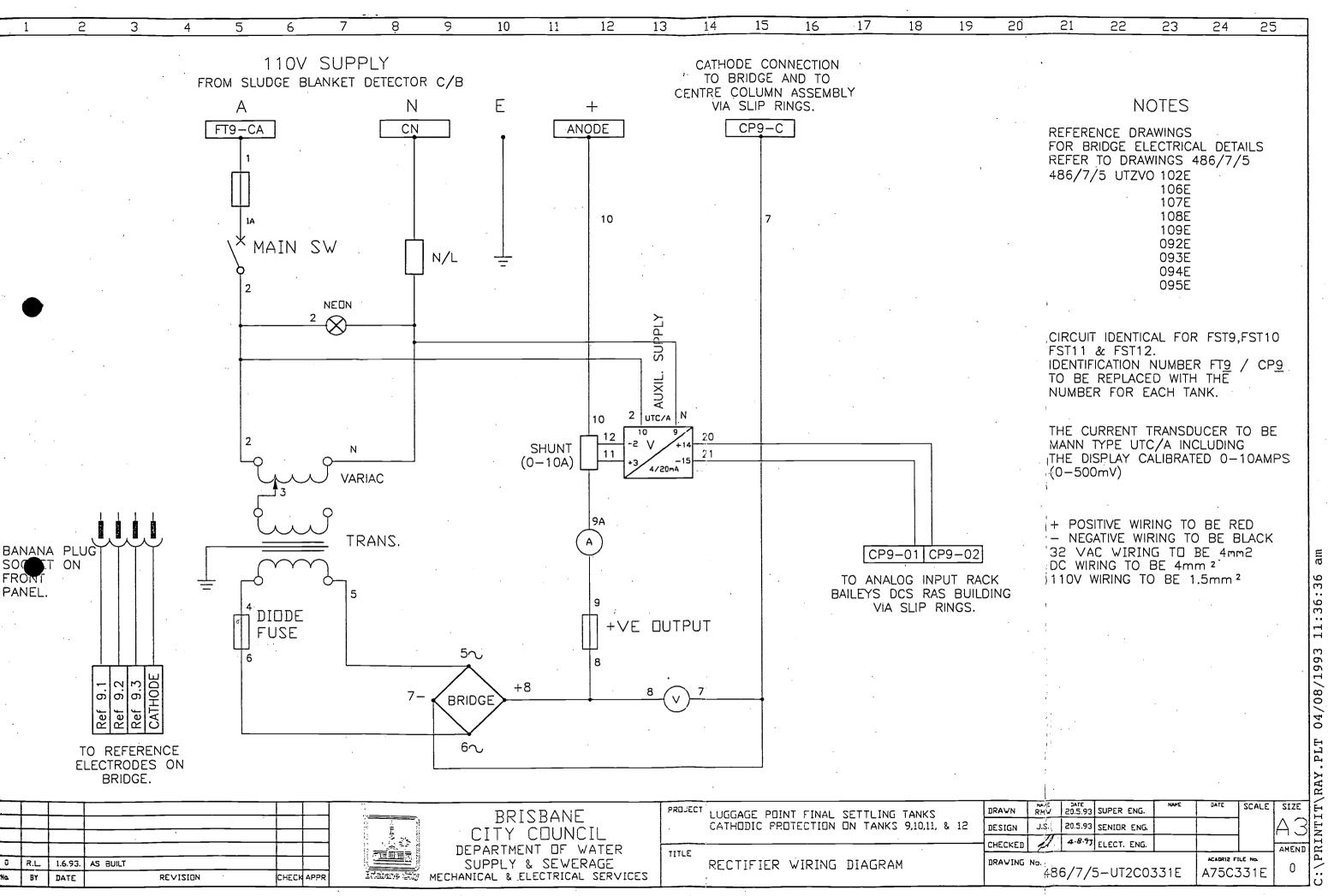
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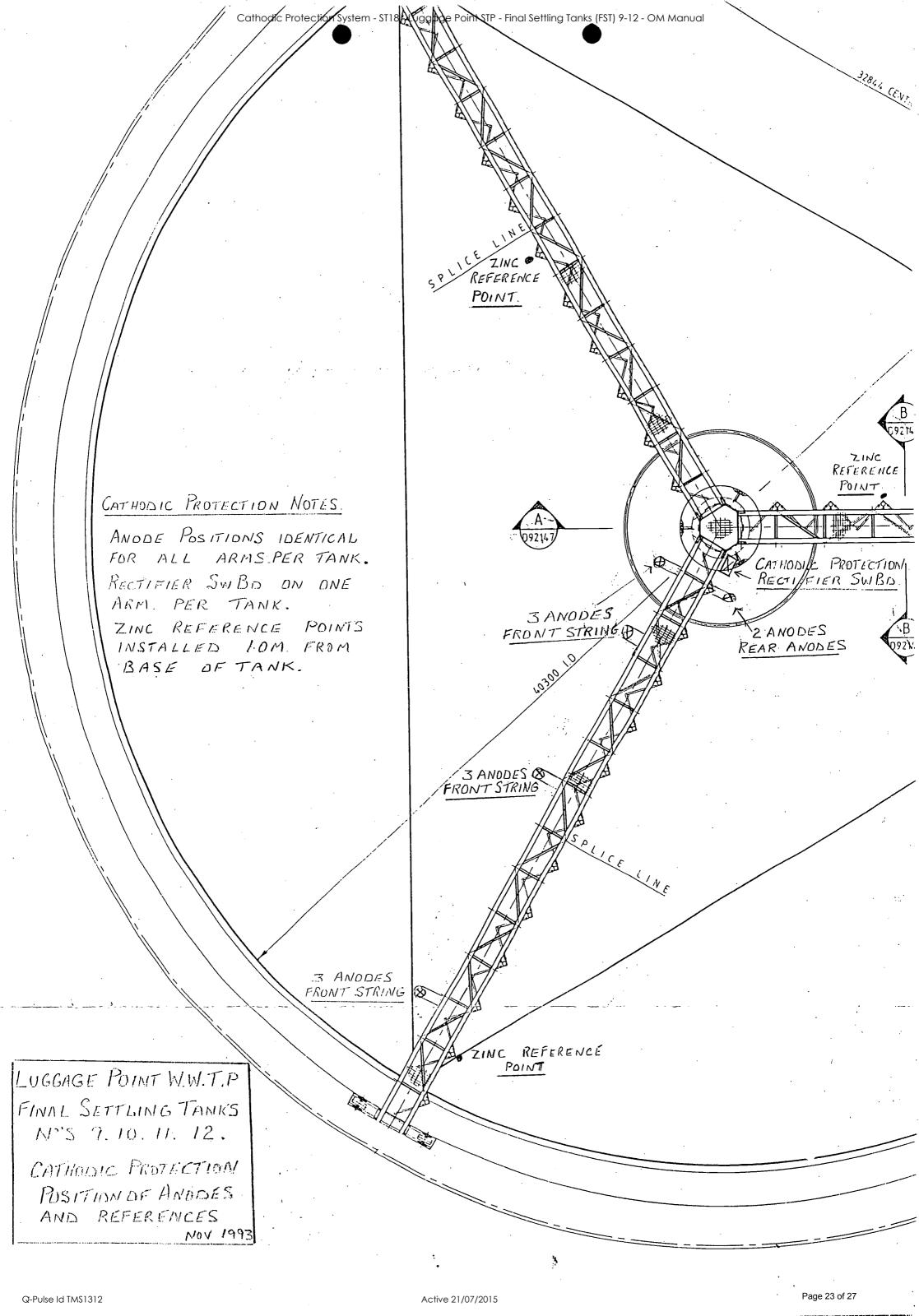
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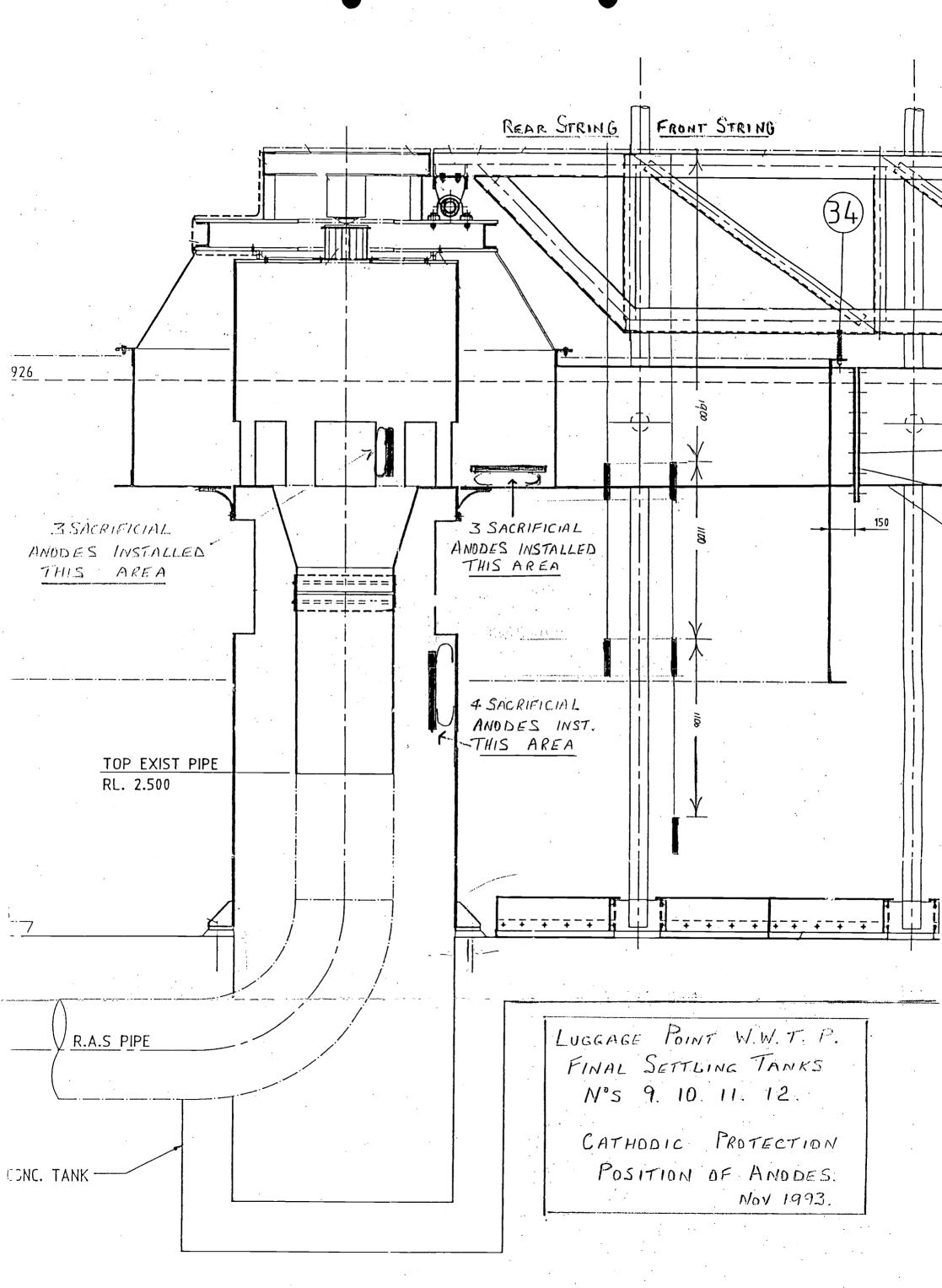
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(volts)	(amps)
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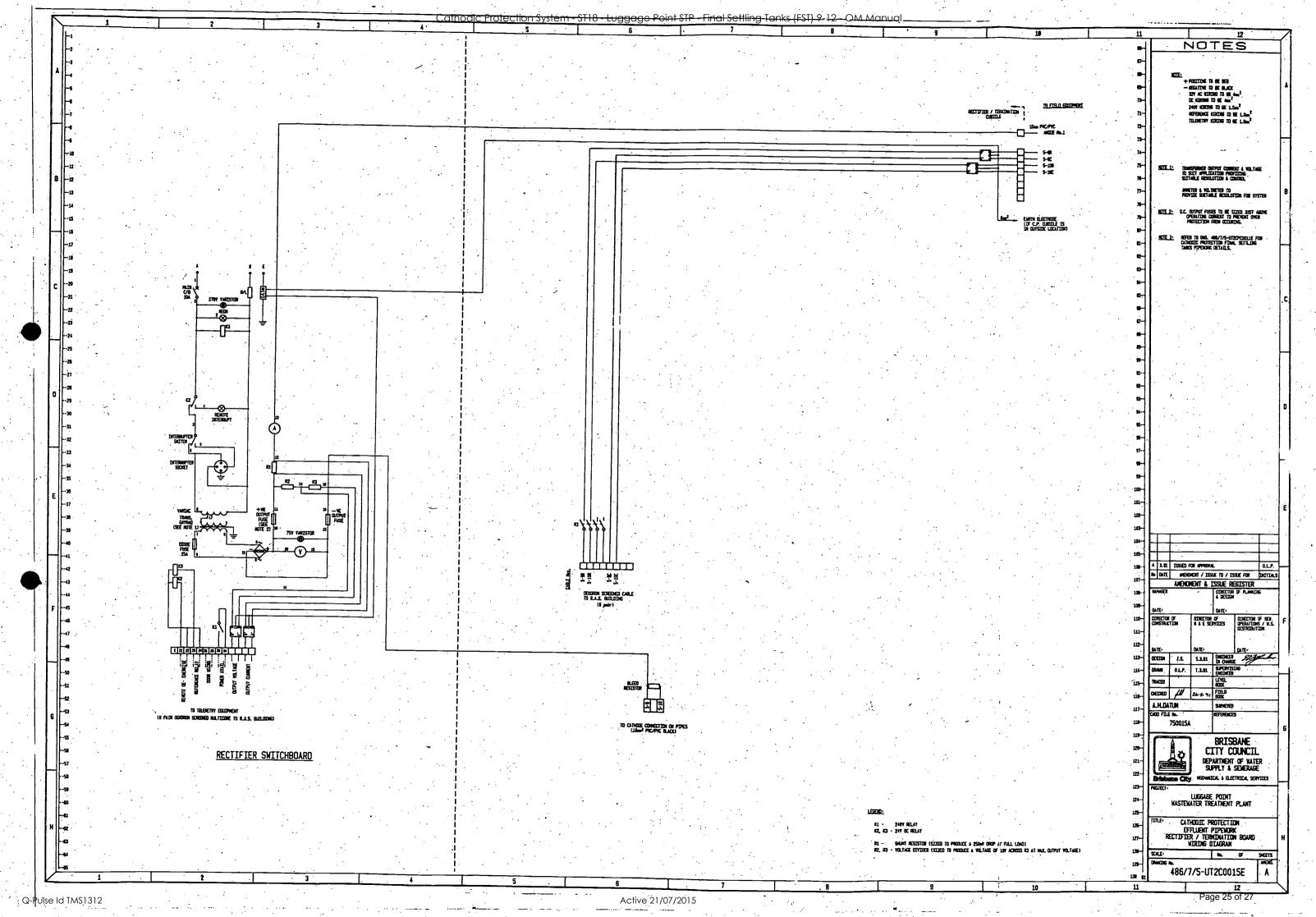
Loop Resistance	
(ohms)	
0.377358	

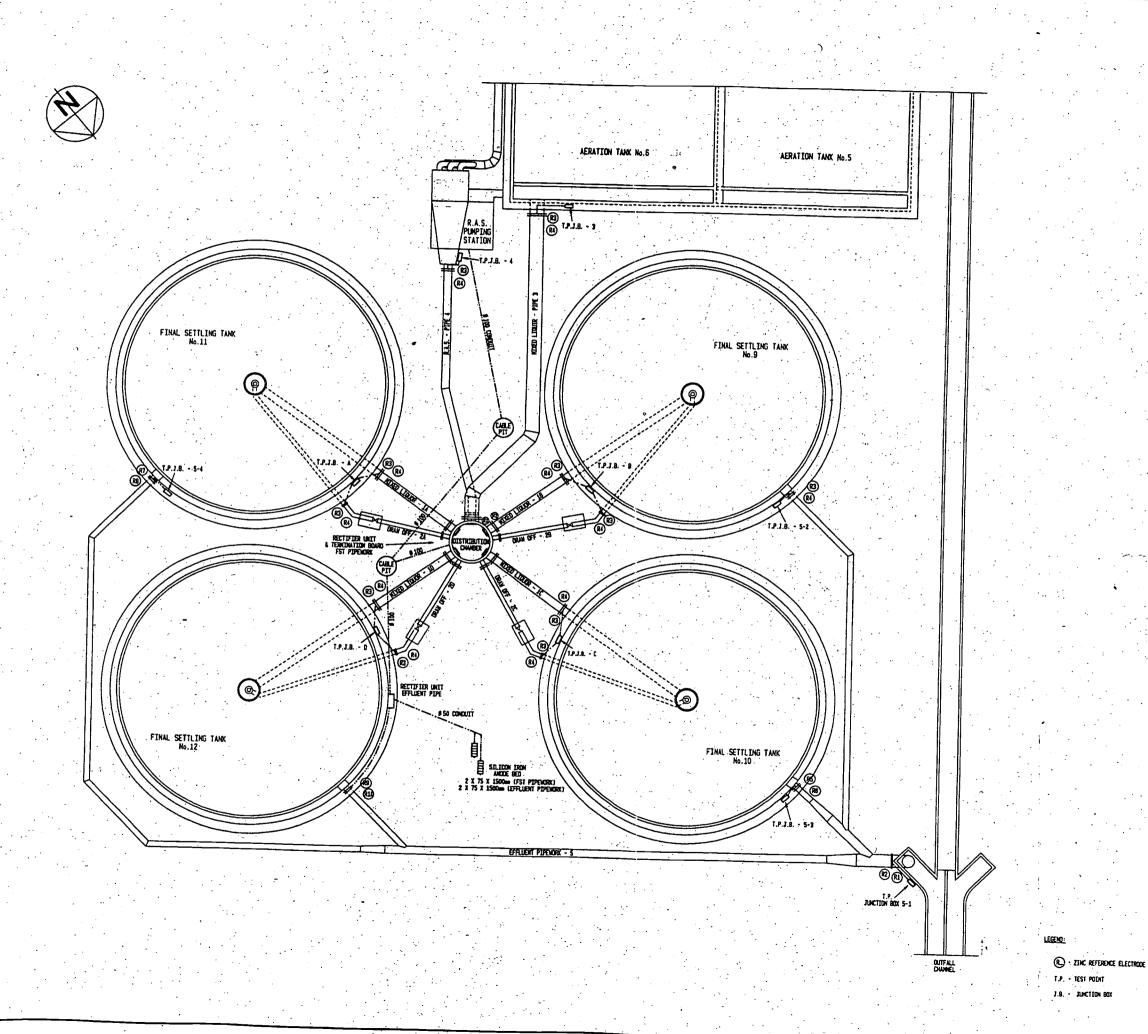












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2. REFERENCE ELECTRODES WITH OCO NUMBERS CONCRETE

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