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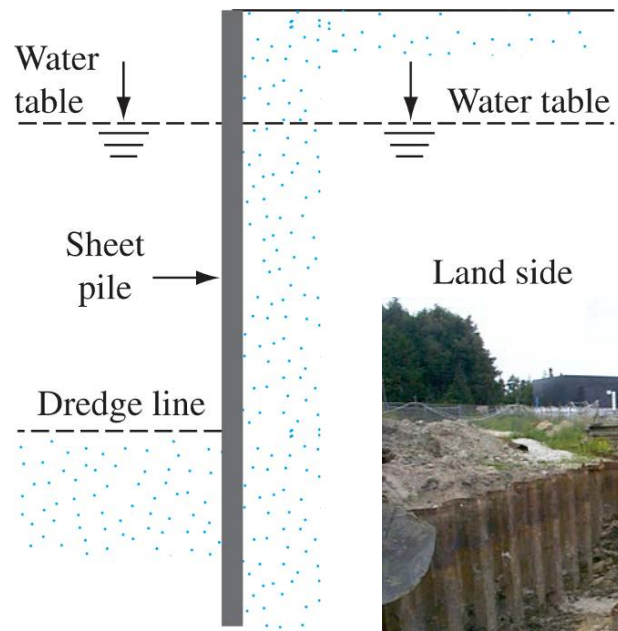
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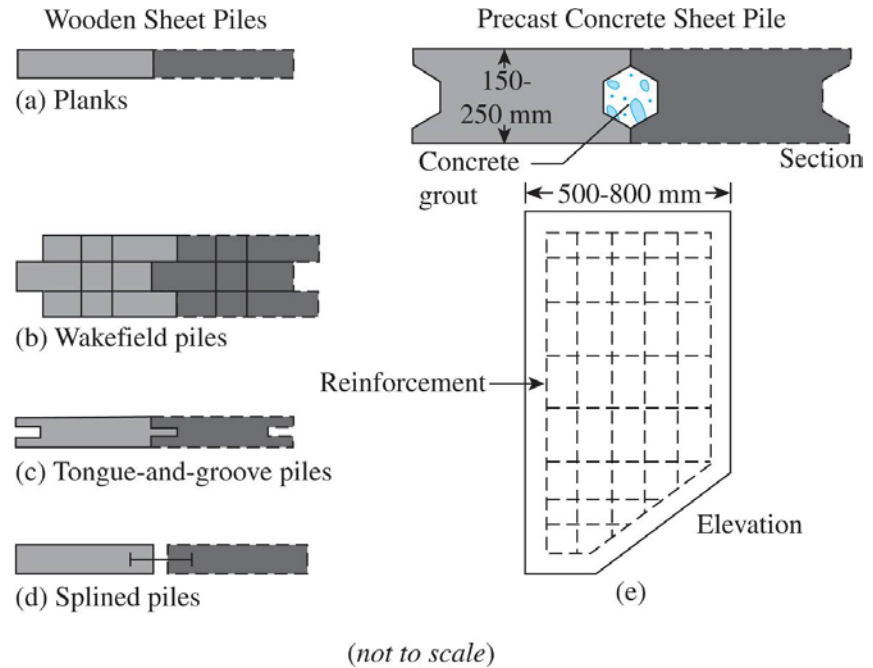
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# Chapter 9: Sheet Pile Walls

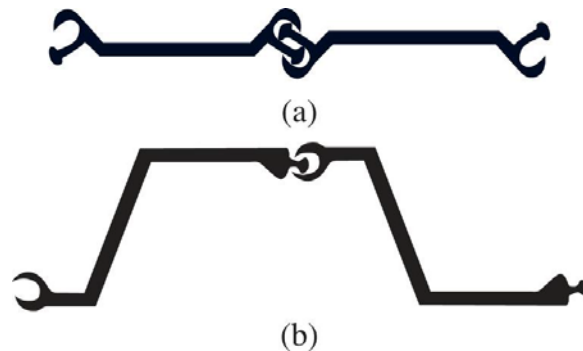


## Types of Sheet Pile Wall

- Wooden Sheet Pile Wall
- Precast concrete sheet pile wall
- Steel Sheet Pile wall
- Aluminium Sheet Pile wall



**Figure 9.2** Various types of wooden and concrete sheet pile



**Figure 9.3** (a) Thumb-and-finger type sheet pile connection; (b) ball-and-socket type sheet-pile connection



**Figure 9.4** A steel sheet pile wall (Courtesy of N. Sivakugan, James Cook University, Australia )

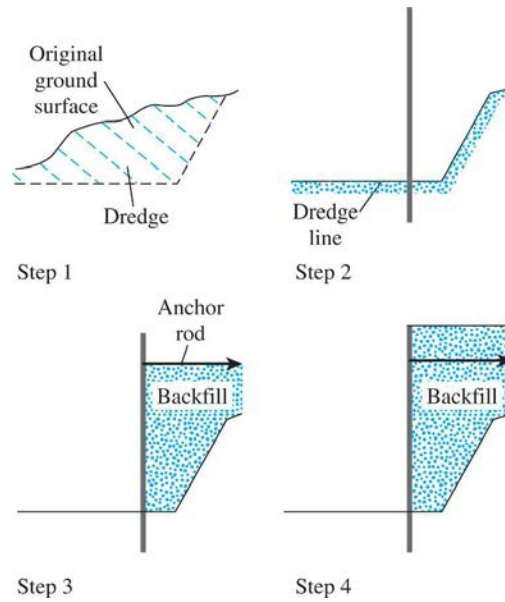
**Table 9.1** Properties of Some Sheet-Pile Sections Produced by Bethlehem Steel Corporation

Section designation	Sketch of section	Section modulus		Moment of inertia	
		m <sup>3</sup> /m of wall	in <sup>3</sup> /ft of wall	m <sup>4</sup> /m of wall	in <sup>4</sup> /ft of wall
PZ-40		$326.4 \times 10^{-5}$	60.7	$670.5 \times 10^{-6}$	490.8

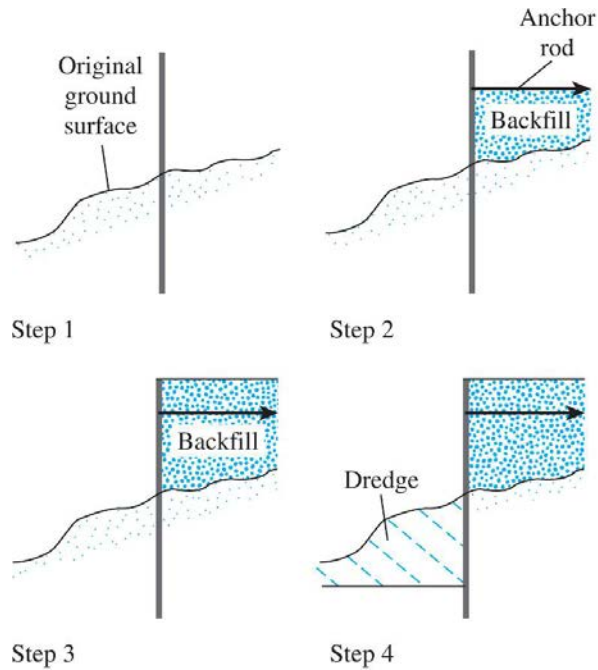
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		m <sup>3</sup> /m of wall	in <sup>3</sup> /ft of wall	m <sup>4</sup> /m of wall	in <sup>4</sup> /ft of wall
PZ-35		$260.5 \times 10^{-5}$	48.5	$493.4 \times 10^{-6}$	361.2
PZ-27		$162.3 \times 10^{-5}$	30.2	$251.5 \times 10^{-6}$	184.2
PZ-22		$97 \times 10^{-5}$	18.1	$115.2 \times 10^{-6}$	84.4
PSA-31		$10.8 \times 10^{-5}$	2.01	$4.41 \times 10^{-6}$	3.23
PSA-23		$12.8 \times 10^{-5}$	2.4	$5.63 \times 10^{-6}$	4.13

# Construction Methods

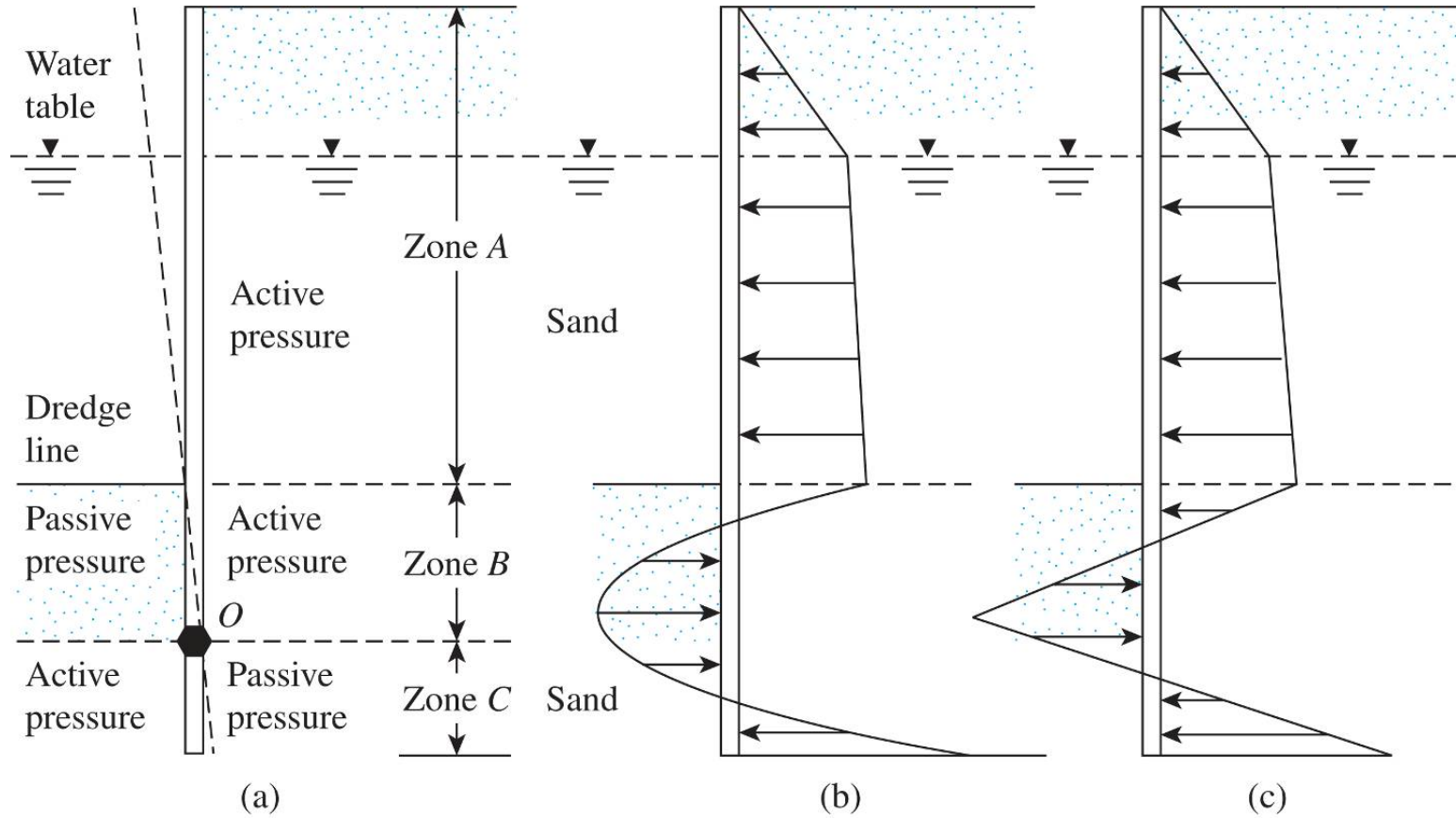


**Figure 9.5** Sequence of construction for a backfilled structure



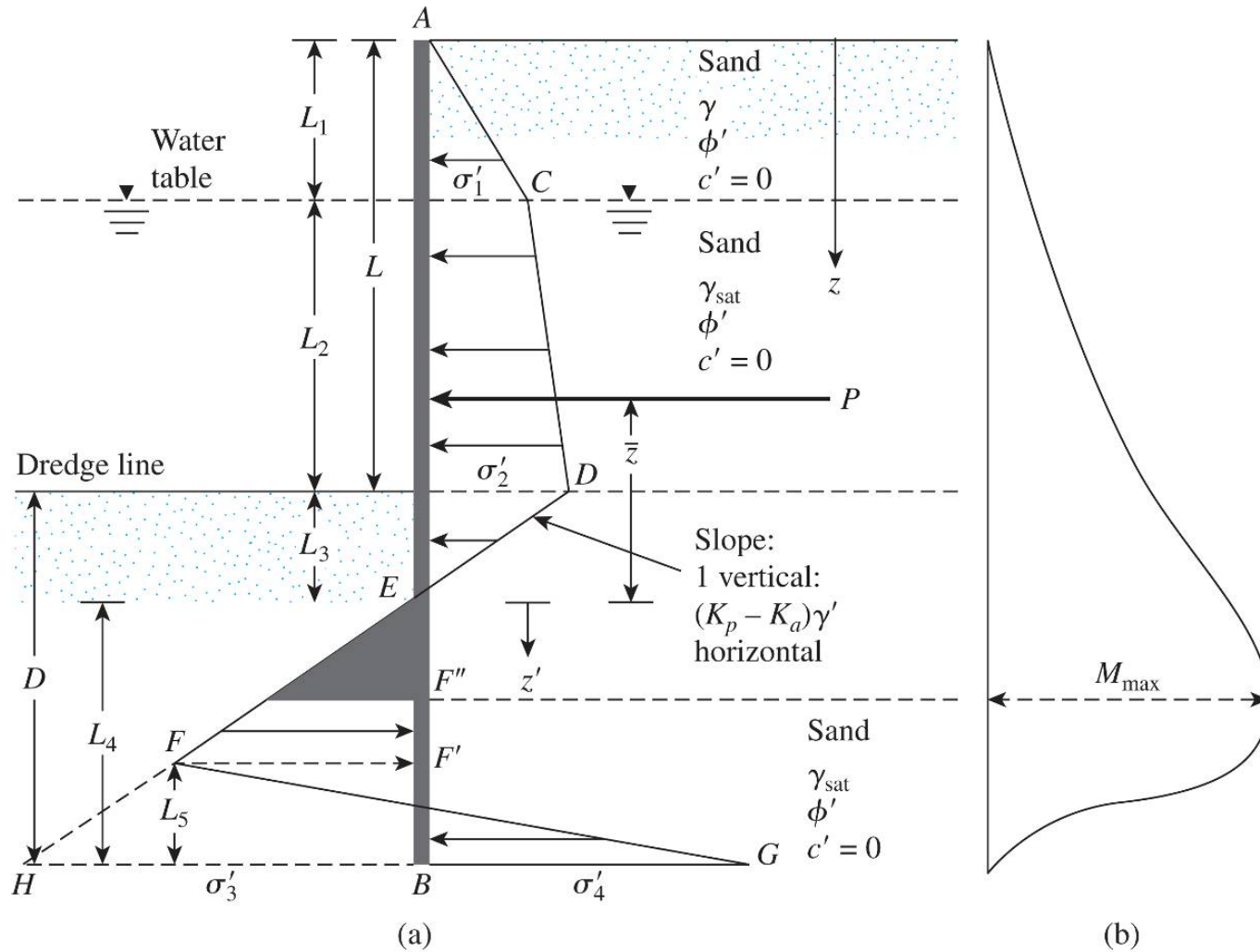
**Figure 9.6** Sequence of construction for a dredged structure

# Cantilever Sheet Pile walls



**Figure 9.7** Cantilever sheet pile penetrating sand

# Cantilever Sheet Pile walls penetrating sandy soils



**Figure 9.8** Cantilever sheet pile penetrating sand: (a) variation of net pressure diagram; (b) variation of moment

### **Step-by-Step Procedure for Obtaining the Pressure Diagram**

Based on the preceding theory, a step-by-step procedure for obtaining the pressure diagram for a cantilever sheet pile wall penetrating a granular soil is as follows:

- Step 1.* Calculate  $K_a$  and  $K_p$ .
- Step 2.* Calculate  $\sigma'_1$  [Eq. (9.1)] and  $\sigma'_2$  [Eq. (9.2)]. (*Note:*  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  will be given.)
- Step 3.* Calculate  $L_3$  [Eq. (9.6)].
- Step 4.* Calculate  $P$ .
- Step 5.* Calculate  $\bar{z}$  (i.e., the center of pressure for the area  $ACDE$ ) by taking the moment about  $E$ .
- Step 6.* Calculate  $\sigma'_5$  [Eq. (9.11)].
- Step 7.* Calculate  $A_1$ ,  $A_2$ ,  $A_3$ , and  $A_4$  [Eqs. (9.17) through (9.20)].
- Step 8.* Solve Eq. (9.16) by trial and error to determine  $L_4$ .
- Step 9.* Calculate  $\sigma'_4$  [Eq. (9.10)].
- Step 10.* Calculate  $\sigma'_3$  [Eq. (9.7)].
- Step 11.* Obtain  $L_5$  from Eq. (9.15).
- Step 12.* Draw a pressure distribution diagram like the one shown in Figure 9.8a.
- Step 13.* Obtain the theoretical depth [see Eq. (9.12)] of penetration as  $L_3 + L_4$ . The actual depth of penetration is increased by about 20 to 30%.

Note that some designers prefer to use a factor of safety on the passive earth pressure coefficient at the beginning. In that case, in Step 1,

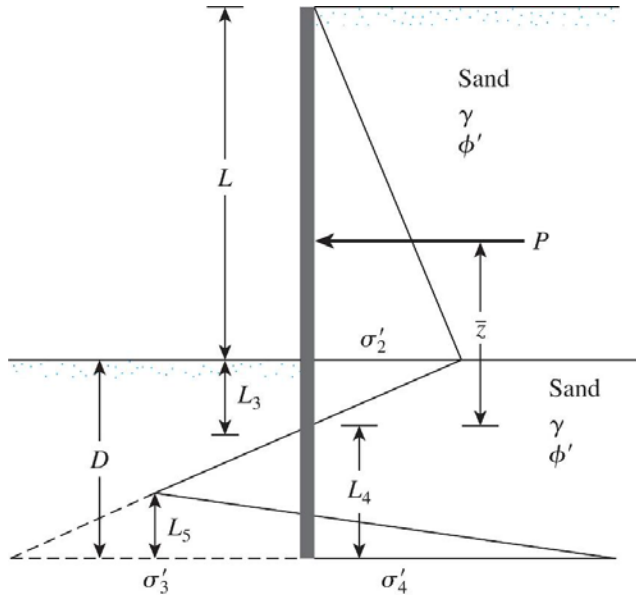
$$K_{p(\text{design})} = \frac{K_p}{\text{FS}}$$

where FS = factor of safety (usually between 1.5 and 2).

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# Cantilever Sheet Pile walls penetrating sandy soils – Special case #1



$$\sigma'_2 = \gamma L K_a$$

$$\sigma'_3 = L_4(K_p - K_a)\gamma$$

$$\sigma'_4 = \sigma'_5 + \gamma L_4(K_p - K_a)$$

$$\sigma'_5 = \gamma L K_p + \gamma L_3(K_p - K_a)$$

$$L_3 = \frac{\sigma'_2}{\gamma(K_p - K_a)} = \frac{L K_a}{(K_p - K_a)}$$

$$P = \frac{1}{2}\sigma'_2 L + \frac{1}{2}\sigma'_2 L_3$$

$$\bar{z} = L_3 + \frac{L}{3} = \frac{L K_a}{K_p - K_a} + \frac{L}{3} = \frac{L(2K_a + K_p)}{3(K_p - K_a)}$$

and Eq. (9.16) transforms to

$$L_4^4 + A'_1 L_4^3 - A'_2 L_4^2 - A'_3 L_4 - A'_4 = 0$$

where

$$A'_1 = \frac{\sigma'_5}{\gamma(K_p - K_a)}$$

$$A'_2 = \frac{8P}{\gamma(K_p - K_a)}$$

$$A'_3 = \frac{6P[2\bar{z}\gamma(K_p - K_a) + \sigma'_5]}{\gamma^2(K_p - K_a)^2}$$

$$A'_4 = \frac{P(6\bar{z}\sigma'_5 + 4P)}{\gamma^2(K_p - K_a)^2}$$

# Cantilever Sheet Pile walls penetrating sandy soils – Special case #2

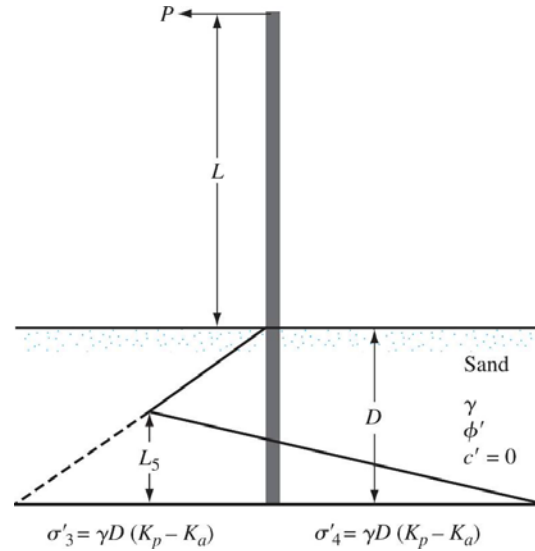


Figure 9.11 Free cantilever sheet piling penetrating a layer of sand

## Free Cantilever Sheet Piling

Figure 9.11 shows a free cantilever sheet-pile wall penetrating a sandy soil and subjected to a line load of  $P$  per unit length of the wall. For this case,

$$D^4 - \left[ \frac{8P}{\gamma(K_p - K_a)} \right] D^2 - \left[ \frac{12PL}{\gamma(K_p - K_a)} \right] D - \left[ \frac{2P}{\gamma(K_p - K_a)} \right]^2 = 0 \quad (9.36)$$

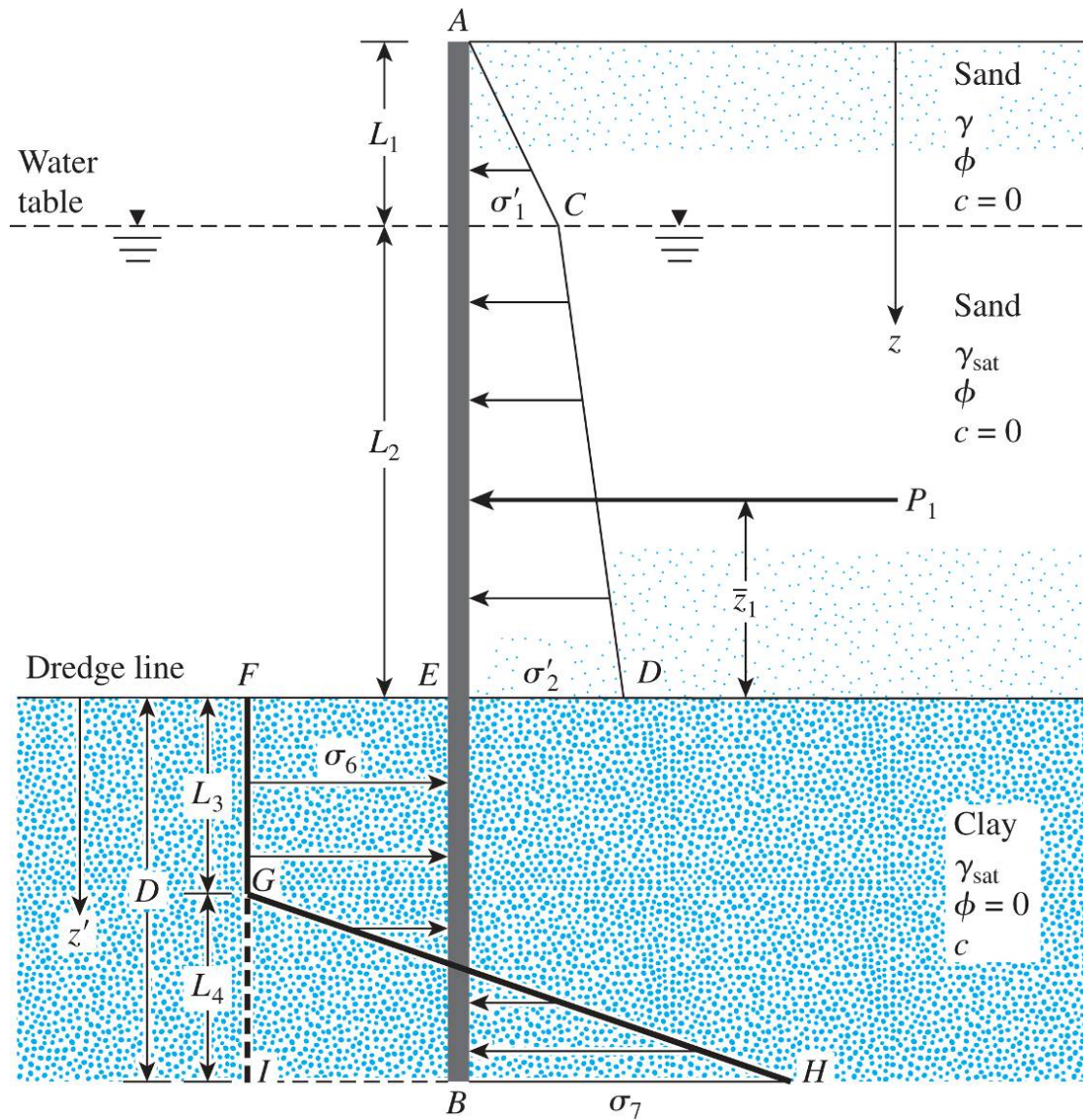
$$L_5 = \frac{\gamma(K_p - K_a)D^2 - 2P}{2D(K_p - K_a)\gamma} \quad (9.37)$$

$$M_{\max} = P(L + z') - \frac{\gamma z'^3(K_p - K_a)}{6} \quad (9.38)$$

and

$$z' = \sqrt{\frac{2P}{\gamma'(K_p - K_a)}} \quad (9.39)$$

# Cantilever Sheet Pile walls penetrating Clay



**Figure 9.12** Cantilever sheet pile penetrating clay

# Cantilever Sheet Pile walls penetrating Clay – Design Steps

## ***Step-by-Step Procedure for Obtaining the Pressure Diagram***

- Step 1.* Calculate  $K_a = \tan^2(45 - \phi'/2)$  for the granular soil (backfill).
- Step 2.* Obtain  $\sigma'_1$  and  $\sigma'_2$ . [See Eqs. (9.1) and (9.2).]
- Step 3.* Calculate  $P_1$  and  $\bar{z}_1$ .
- Step 4.* Use Eq. (9.48) to obtain the theoretical value of  $D$ .
- Step 5.* Using Eq. (9.46), calculate  $L_4$ .
- Step 6.* Calculate  $\sigma_6$  and  $\sigma_7$ . [See Eqs. (9.42) and (9.45).]
- Step 7.* Draw the pressure distribution diagram as shown in Figure 9.12.
- Step 8.* The actual depth of penetration is

$$D_{\text{actual}} = 1.4 \text{ to } 1.6(D_{\text{theoretical}})$$

# Cantilever Sheet Pile walls penetrating Clay – Special case #1

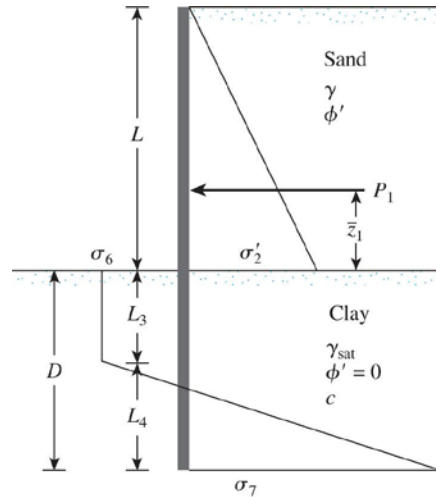


Figure 9.14 Sheet-pile wall penetrating clay

$$\sigma'_2 = \gamma L K_a$$

$$\sigma_6 = 4c - \gamma L$$

$$\sigma_7 = 4c + \gamma L$$

$$P_1 = \frac{1}{2} L \sigma'_2 = \frac{1}{2} \gamma L^2 K_a$$

$$L_4 = \frac{D(4c - \gamma L) - \frac{1}{2} \gamma L^2 K_a}{4c}$$

$$D^2(4c - \gamma L) - 2DP_1 - \frac{P_1(P_1 + 12c\bar{z}_1)}{\gamma L + 2c} = 0$$

$$\text{where } \bar{z}_1 = \frac{L}{3}$$

The magnitude of the maximum moment in the wall is

$$M_{\max} = P_1(z' + \bar{z}_1) - \frac{\sigma_6 z'^2}{2}$$

$$\text{where } z' = \frac{P_1}{\sigma_6} = \frac{\frac{1}{2} \gamma L^2 K_a}{4c - \gamma L}$$

# Cantilever Sheet Pile walls penetrating Clay – Special case #2

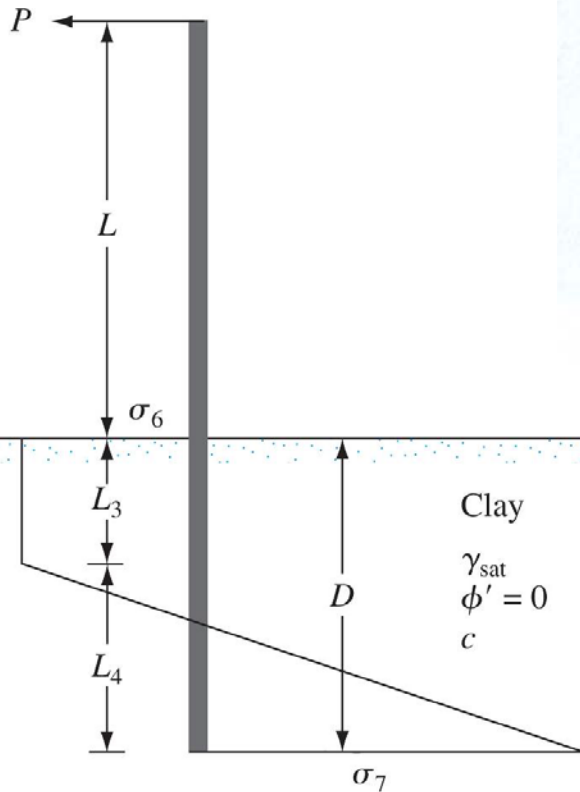


Figure 9.15 Free cantilever sheet piling penetrating clay

$$\sigma_6 = \sigma_7 = 4c$$

The depth of penetration,  $D$ , may be obtained from the relation

$$4D^2c - 2PD - \frac{P(P + 12cL)}{2c} = 0$$

Also, note that, for a construction of the pressure diagram,

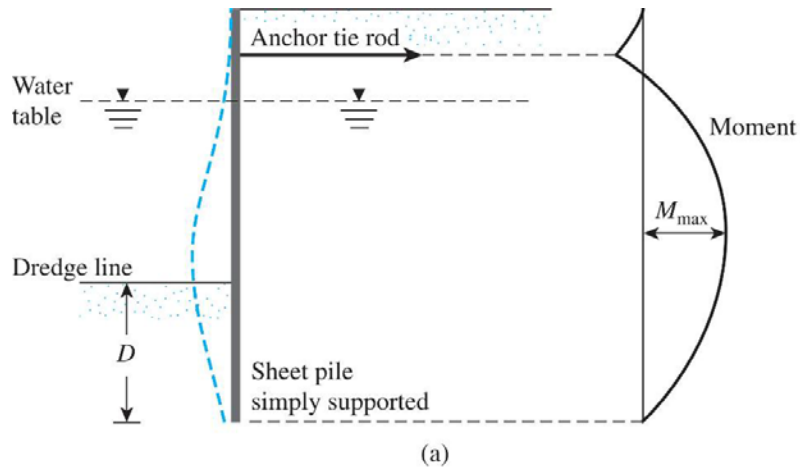
$$L_4 = \frac{4cD - P}{4c}$$

The maximum moment in the wall is

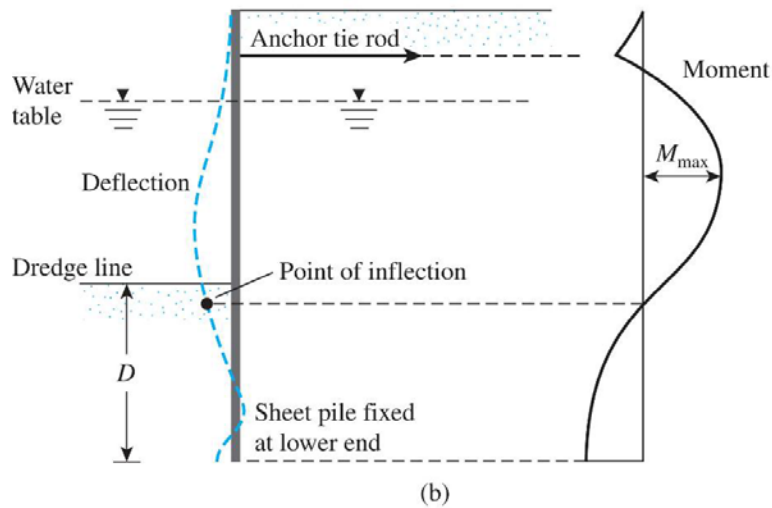
$$M_{\text{max}} = P(L + z') - \frac{4cz'^2}{2}$$

where  $z' = \frac{P}{4c}$

# Anchored Sheet Pile Walls

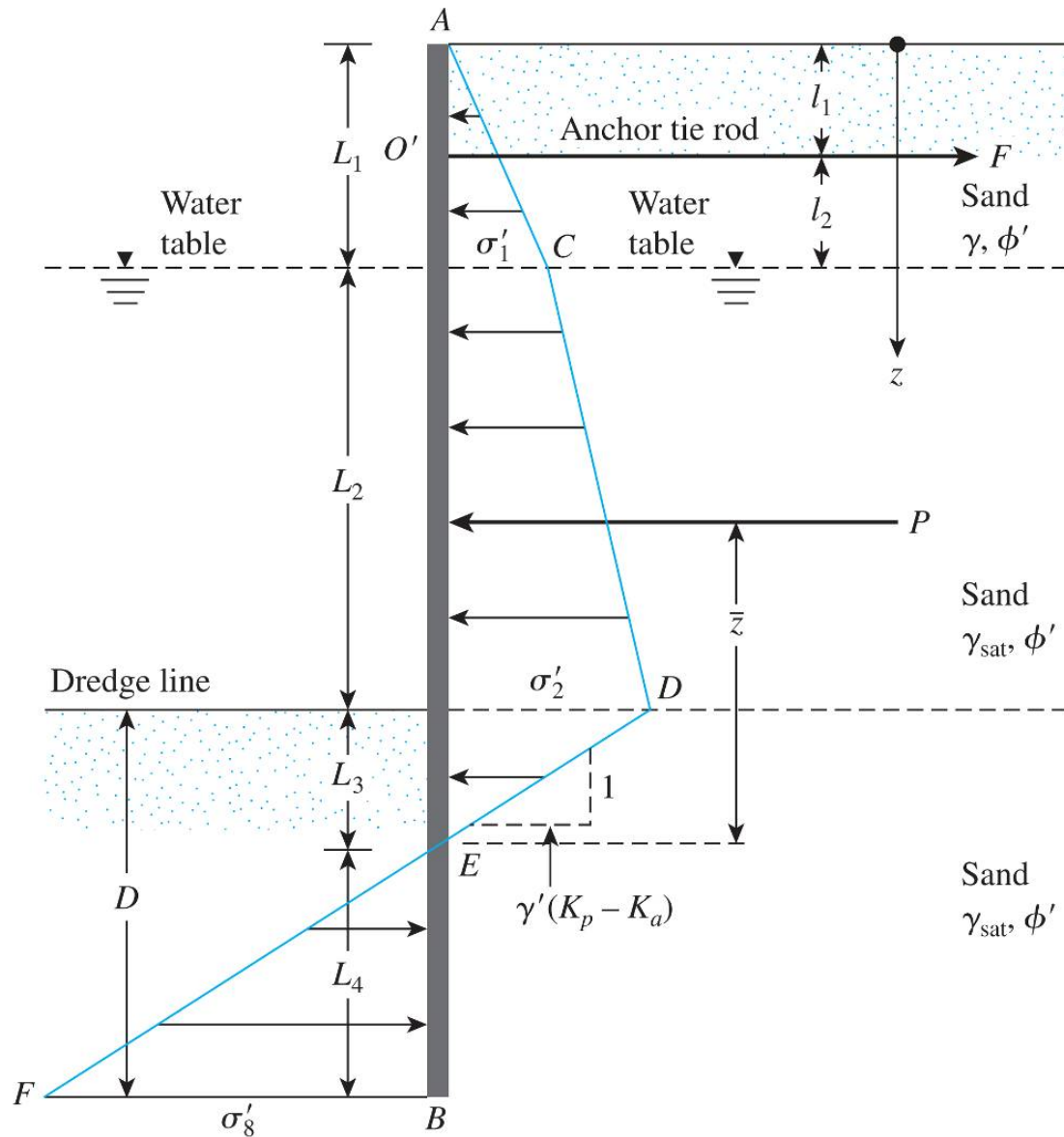


- for sheet pile wall height >20 feet
- free earth support method
- fixed earth support method



**Figure 9.16** Nature of variation of deflection and moment for anchored sheet piles:  
(a) free earth support method; (b) fixed earth support method

# Anchored sheet pile --- free earth support method for penetration of sandy soil



**Figure 9.17** Anchored sheet-pile wall penetrating sand

# Anchored sheet pile – Design charts for free earth support method

(penetration into sandy soil)

Hagerty & Nofal (1992)

$$\frac{D}{L_1 + L_2} = (GD)(CDL_1)$$

$$\frac{F}{\gamma_a(L_1 + L_2)^2} = (GF)(CFL_1)$$

$$\frac{M_{\max}}{\gamma_a(L_1 + L_2)^3} = (GM)(CML_1)$$

where

$\gamma_a$  = average unit weight of soil

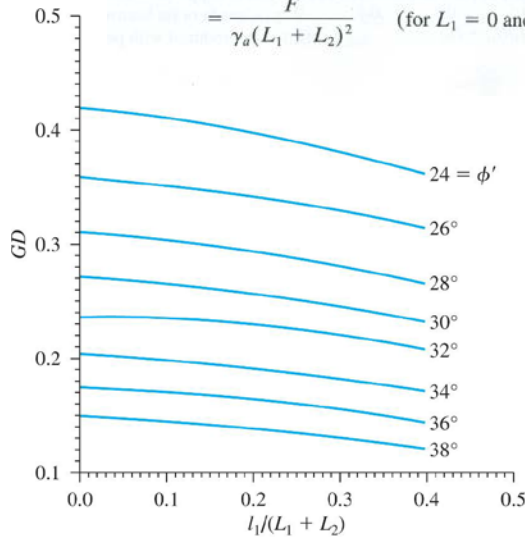
$$= \frac{\gamma L_1^2 + (\gamma_{\text{sat}} - \gamma_w)L_2^2 + 2\gamma L_1 L_2}{(L_1 + L_2)^2}$$

GD = generalized nondimensional embedment

$$= \frac{D}{L_1 + L_2} \quad (\text{for } L_1 = 0 \text{ and } L_2 = L_1 + L_2)$$

GF = generalized nondimensional anchor force

$$= \frac{F}{\gamma_a(L_1 + L_2)^2} \quad (\text{for } L_1 = 0 \text{ and } L_2 = L_1 + L_2)$$



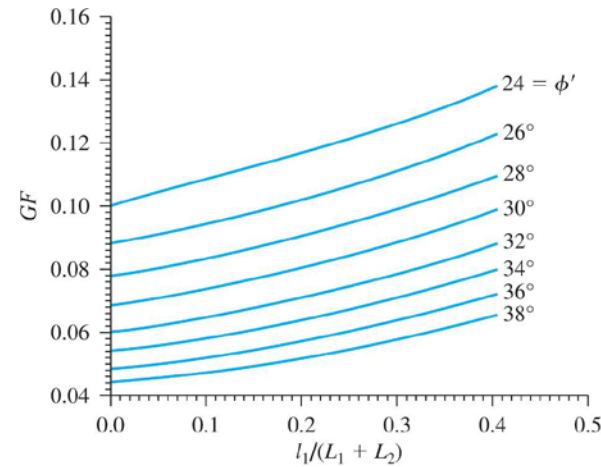
**Figure 9.18** Variation of GD with  $l_1/(L_1 + L_2)$  and  $\phi'$  (Hagerty, D. J., and Nofal, M. M. (1992).

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GM = generalized nondimensional moment

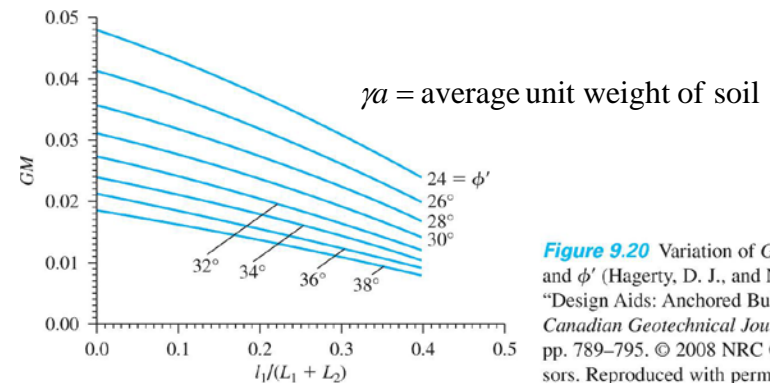
$$= \frac{M_{\max}}{\gamma_a(L_1 + L_2)^3} \quad (\text{for } L_1 = 0 \text{ and } L_2 = L_1 + L_2)$$

CDL<sub>1</sub>, CFL<sub>1</sub>, CML<sub>1</sub> = correction factors for  $L_1 \neq 0$



**Figure 9.19** Variation of GF with  $l_1/(L_1 + L_2)$  and  $\phi'$  (After Hagerty and Nofal, 1992)

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**Figure 9.20** Variation of GM with  $l_1/(L_1 + L_2)$  and  $\phi'$  (Hagerty, D. J., and Nofal, M. M. (1992). "Design Aids: Anchored Bulkheads in Sand," *Canadian Geotechnical Journal*, Vol. 29, No. 5, pp. 789–795. © 2008 NRC Canada or its licensors. Reproduced with permission.)

# Anchored sheet pile – Design charts for free earth support method (penetration into sandy soil)

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$$\frac{F}{\gamma_a(L_1 + L_2)^2} = (GF)(CFL_1)$$

$$\frac{M_{\max}}{\gamma_a(L_1 + L_2)^3} = (GM)(CML_1)$$

where

$\gamma_a$  = average unit weight of soil

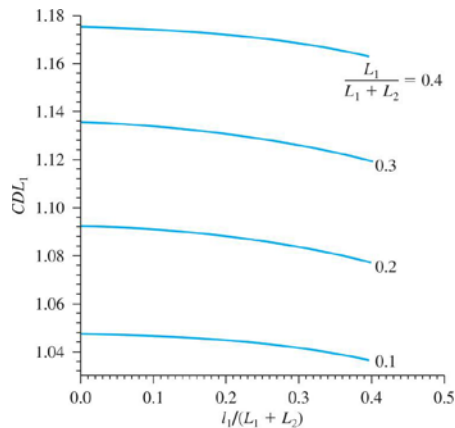
$$= \frac{\gamma L_1^2 + (\gamma_{\text{sat}} - \gamma_w)L_2^2 + 2\gamma L_1 L_2}{(L_1 + L_2)^2}$$

$GD$  = generalized nondimensional embedment

$$= \frac{D}{L_1 + L_2} \quad (\text{for } L_1 = 0 \text{ and } L_2 = L_1 + L_2)$$

$GF$  = generalized nondimensional anchor force

$$= \frac{F}{\gamma_a(L_1 + L_2)^2} \quad (\text{for } L_1 = 0 \text{ and } L_2 = L_1 + L_2)$$

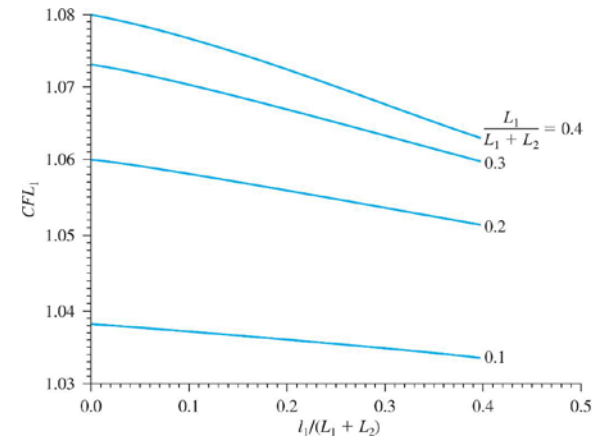


**Figure 9.21** Variation of  $CDL_1$  with  $L_1/(L_1 + L_2)$  and  $I_1/(L_1 + L_2)$  (Hagerty, D. J., and Nofal, M. M. (1992). "Design Aids: Anchored Bulkheads in Sand," *Canadian Geotechnical Journal*, Vol. 29, No. 5, pp. 789–795. © 2008 NRC Canada or its licensors. Reproduced with permission.)

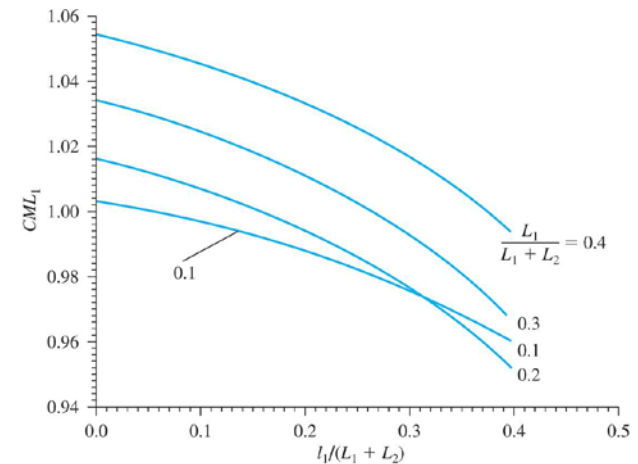
$GM$  = generalized nondimensional moment

$$= \frac{M_{\max}}{\gamma_a(L_1 + L_2)^3} \quad (\text{for } L_1 = 0 \text{ and } L_2 = L_1 + L_2)$$

$CDL_1, CFL_1, CML_1$  = correction factors for  $L_1 \neq 0$



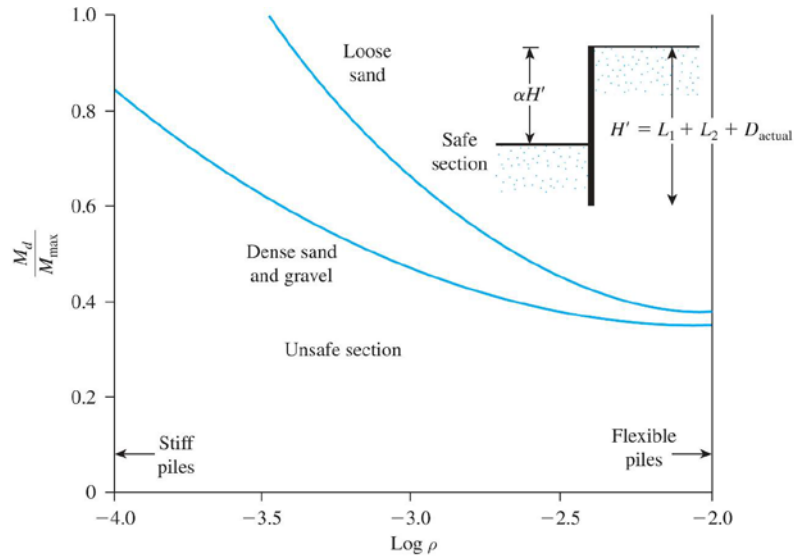
**Figure 9.22** Variation of  $CFL_1$  with  $L_1/(L_1 + L_2)$  and  $I_1/(L_1 + L_2)$  (Hagerty, D. J., and Nofal, M. M. (1992). "Design Aids: Anchored Bulkheads in Sand," *Canadian Geotechnical Journal*, Vol. 29, No. 5, pp. 789–795. © 2008 NRC Canada or its licensors. Reproduced with permission.)



**Figure 9.23** Variation of  $CML_1$  with  $L_1/(L_1 + L_2)$  and  $I_1/(L_1 + L_2)$  (Hagerty, D. J., and Nofal, M. M. (1992). "Design Aids: Anchored Bulkheads in Sand," *Canadian Geotechnical Journal*, Vol. 29, No. 5, pp. 789–795. © 2008 NRC Canada or its licensors. Reproduced with permission.)

# Moment reduction for Anchored sheet pile walls

(Rowe, 1952, 1957)



**Figure 9.24** Plot of  $\log \rho$  against  $M_d/M_{max}$  for sheet-pile walls penetrating sand (From Rowe, P. W. (1952). "Anchored Sheet Pile Walls," Proceedings, Institute of Civil Engineers, Vol. 1, Part 1, pp. 27–70. )

1.  $H' =$  total height of pile driven (i.e.,  $L_1 + L_2 + D_{actual}$ )

$$2. \text{ Relative flexibility of pile } = \rho = 10.91 \times 10^{-7} \left( \frac{H'^4}{EI} \right) \quad (9.74a)$$

where

$H'$  is in meters

$E =$  modulus of elasticity of the pile material ( $\text{MN}/\text{m}^2$ )

$I =$  moment of inertia of the pile section per meter of the wall ( $\text{m}^4/\text{m}$  of wall)

3.  $M_d =$  design moment

4.  $M_{max} =$  maximum theoretical moment

In English units, Eq. (9.74a) takes the form

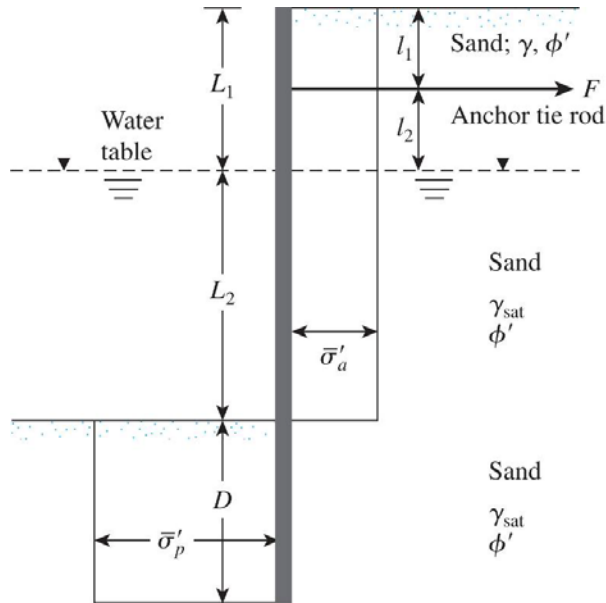
$$\rho = \frac{H'^4}{EI} \quad (9.74b)$$

where  $H'$  is in ft,  $E$  is in  $\text{lb}/\text{in}^2$ , and  $I$  is in  $\text{in}^4/\text{ft}$  of the wall.

- Step 1. Choose a sheet pile section (e.g., from among those given in Table 9.1).
- Step 2. Find the modulus  $S$  of the selected section (Step 1) per unit length of the wall.
- Step 3. Determine the moment of inertia of the section (Step 1) per unit length of the wall.
- Step 4. Obtain  $H'$  and calculate  $\rho$  [see Eq. (9.74a) or Eq. (9.74b)].
- Step 5. Find  $\log \rho$ .
- Step 6. Find the moment capacity of the pile section chosen in Step 1 as  $M_d = \sigma_{all} S$ .
- Step 7. Determine  $M_d/M_{max}$ . Note that  $M_{max}$  is the maximum theoretical moment determined before.
- Step 8. Plot  $\log \rho$  (Step 5) and  $M_d/M_{max}$  in Figure 9.24.
- Step 9. Repeat Steps 1 through 8 for several sections. The points that fall above the curve (in loose sand or dense sand, as the case may be) are *safe sections*.

The points that fall below the curve are *unsafe sections*. The cheapest section may now be chosen from those points which fall above the proper curve. Note that the section chosen will have an  $M_d < M_{max}$ .

# Computational Pressure Diagram method for penetration into sandy soil (Natarag & Hoadley)



**Figure 9.26** Computa diagram method (Note:

$$\bar{\sigma}'_a = CK_a\gamma'_{av}L$$

and

$$\bar{\sigma}'_p = RCK_a\gamma'_{av}L = R\bar{\sigma}'_a$$

where

$\gamma'_{av}$  = average effective unit weight of sand

$$\approx \frac{\gamma L_1 + \gamma' L_2}{L_1 + L_2}$$

$C$  = coefficient

$$R = \text{coefficient} = \frac{L(L - 2l_1)}{D(2L + D - 2l_1)}$$

The range of values for  $C$  and  $R$  is given in Table 9.2.

## Depth of Penetration

For the depth of penetration, we have

$$D^2 + 2DL \left[ 1 - \left( \frac{l_1}{L} \right) \right] - \left( \frac{L^2}{R} \right) \left[ 1 - 2 \left( \frac{l_1}{L} \right) \right] = 0 \quad (9.79)$$

## Anchor Force

The anchor force is

$$F = \bar{\sigma}'_a(L - RD) \quad (9.80)$$

**Table 9.2** Range of Values for  $C$  and  $R$  [from Eqs. (9.75) and (9.76)]

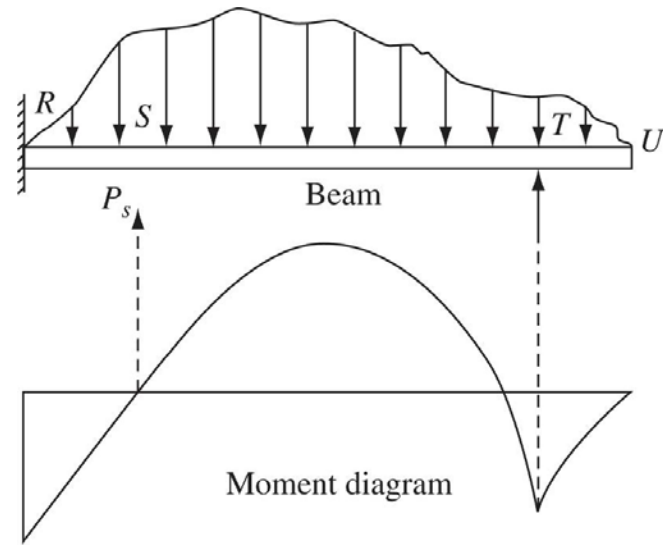
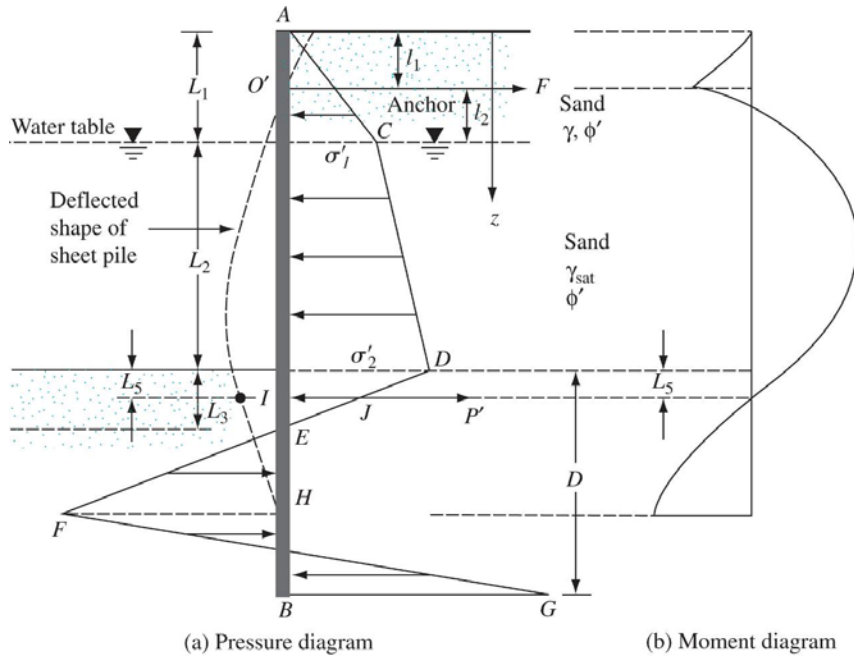
Soil type	$C^a$	$R$
Loose sand	0.8–0.85	0.3–0.5
Medium sand	0.7–0.75	0.55–0.65
Dense sand	0.55–0.65	0.60–0.75

## Maximum Moment

The maximum moment is calculated from

$$M_{\max} = 0.5\bar{\sigma}'_a L^2 \left[ \left( 1 - \frac{RD}{L} \right)^2 - \left( \frac{2l_1}{L} \right) \left( 1 - \frac{RD}{L} \right) \right]$$

# Fixed Earth Support method for Penetration into Sandy soil



**Figure 9.29** Equivalent cantilever beam concept

**FIGURE 9.28** Fixed earth support method for penetration of sandy soil

*Step 1.* Determine  $L_5$ , which is a function of the soil friction angle  $\phi'$  below the dredge line, from the following:

$\phi'$ (deg)	$\frac{L_5}{L_1 + L_2}$
30	0.08
35	0.03
40	0

- Step 2.* Calculate the span of the equivalent beam as  $l_2 + L_2 + L_5 = L'$ .
- Step 3.* Calculate the total load of the span,  $W$ . This is the area of the pressure diagram between  $O'$  and  $I$ .
- Step 4.* Calculate the maximum moment,  $M_{\max}$ , as  $WL'/8$ .
- Step 5.* Calculate  $P'$  by taking the moment about  $O'$ , or

$$P' = \frac{1}{L'} \text{ (moment of area } ACDJI \text{ about } O') \quad (9.82)$$

*Step 6.* Calculate  $D$  as

$$D = L_5 + 1.2\sqrt{\frac{6P'}{(K_p - K_a)\gamma'}} \quad (9.83)$$

*Step 7.* Calculate the anchor force per unit length,  $F$ , by taking the moment about  $I$ , or

$$F = \frac{1}{L'} \text{ (moment of area } ACDJI \text{ about } I)$$

# Free Earth Support method for Penetration of clay

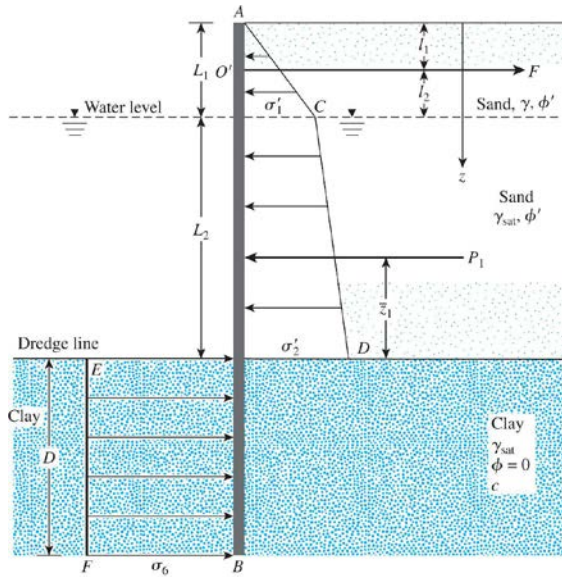


Figure 9.34 Anchored sheet-pile wall penetrating clay

A moment reduction technique similar to that in Section 9.11 for anchored sheet piles penetrating into clay has also been developed by Rowe (1952, 1957). This technique is presented in Figure 9.35, in which the following notation is used:

1. The stability number is

$$S_n = 1.25 \frac{c}{(\gamma L_1 + \gamma' L_2)} \quad (9.86)$$

where  $c$  = undrained cohesion ( $\phi = 0$ ).

For the definition of  $\gamma$ ,  $\gamma'$ ,  $L_1$ , and  $L_2$ , see Figure 9.34.

2. The nondimensional wall height is

$$\alpha = \frac{L_1 + L_2}{L_1 + L_2 + D_{\text{actual}}} \quad (9.87)$$

3. The flexibility number is  $\rho$  [see Eq. (9.74a) or Eq. (9.74b)]

4.  $M_d$  = design moment

$M_{\text{max}}$  = maximum theoretical moment

The procedure for moment reduction, using Figure 9.35, is as follows:

- Step 1. Obtain  $H' = L_1 + L_2 + D_{\text{actual}}$ .
- Step 2. Determine  $\alpha = (L_1 + L_2)/H'$ .
- Step 3. Determine  $S_n$  [from Eq. (9.86)].
- Step 4. For the magnitudes of  $\alpha$  and  $S_n$  obtained in Steps 2 and 3, determine  $M_d/M_{\text{max}}$  for various values of  $\log \rho$  from Figure 9.35, and plot  $M_d/M_{\text{max}}$  against  $\log \rho$ .
- Step 5. Follow Steps 1 through 9 as outlined for the case of moment reduction of sheet-pile walls penetrating granular soil. (See Section 9.11.)

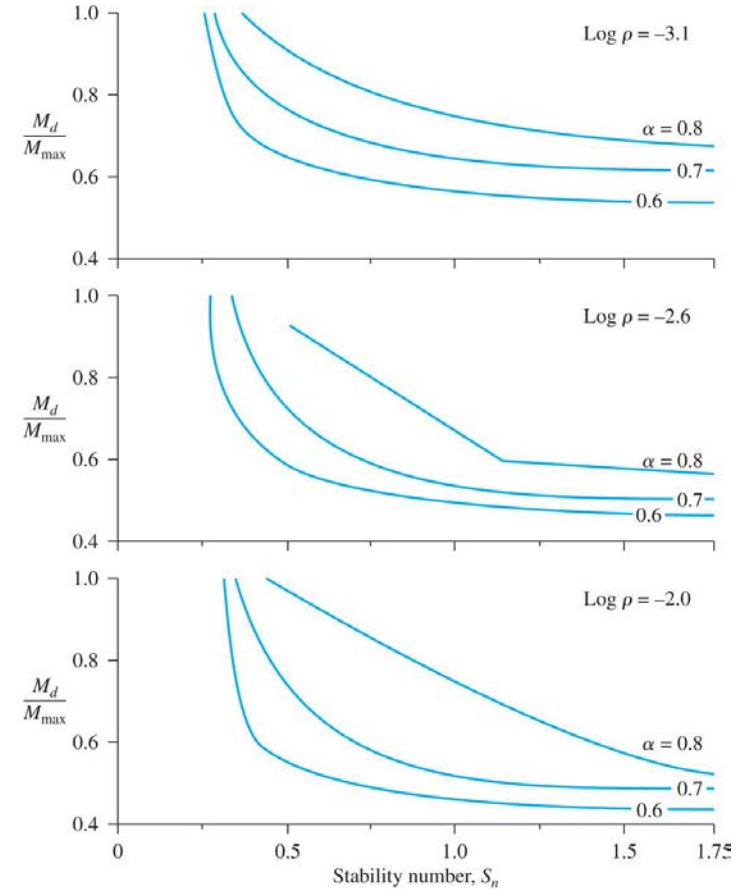
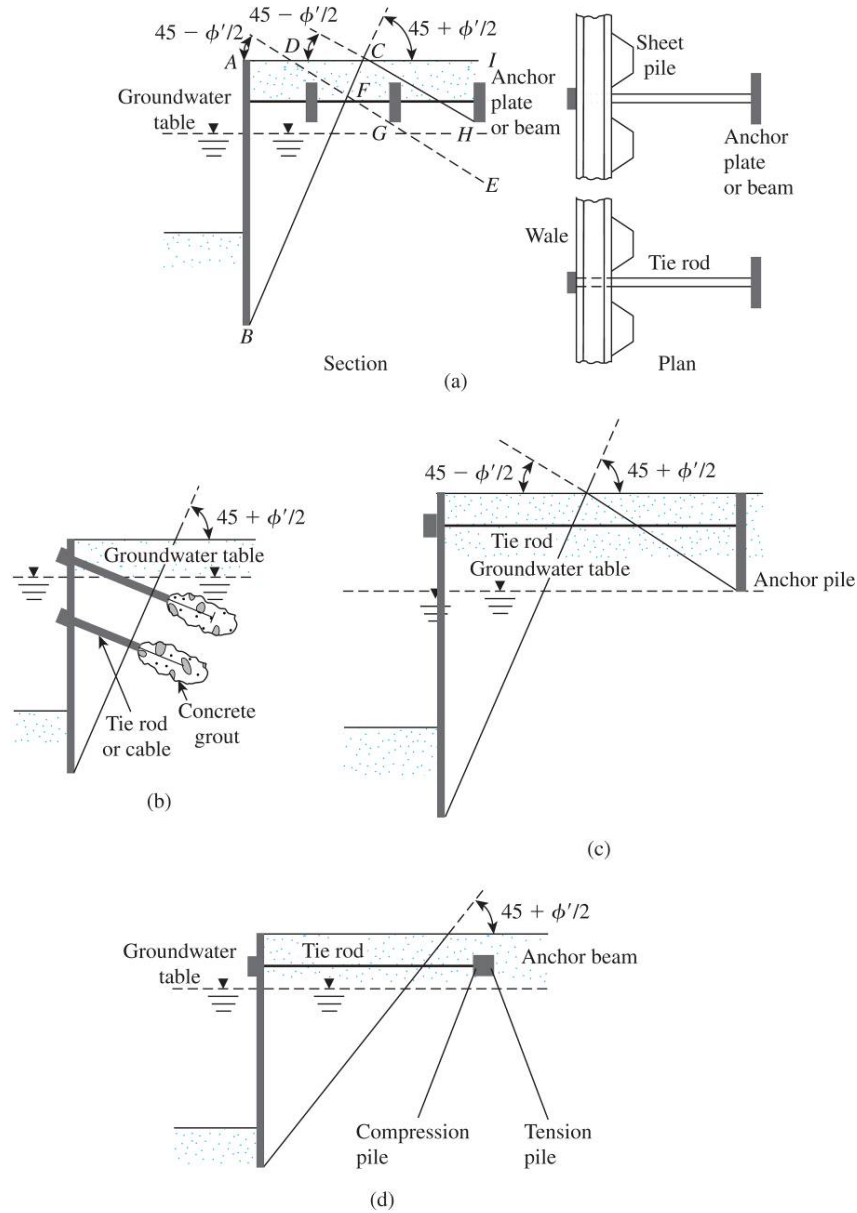


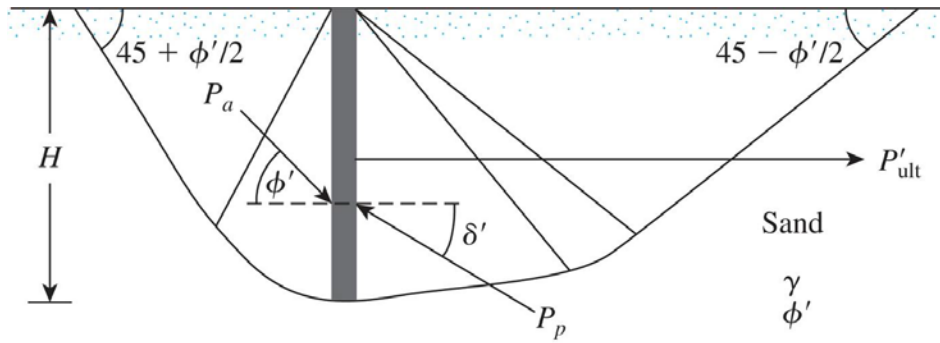
Figure 9.35 Plot of  $M_d/M_{\text{max}}$  against stability number for sheet-pile wall penetrating clay (From Rowe, P. W. (1957). "Sheet Pile Walls in Clay," *Proceedings, Institute of Civil Engineers*, Vol. 7, pp. 654–692.)

# Anchors



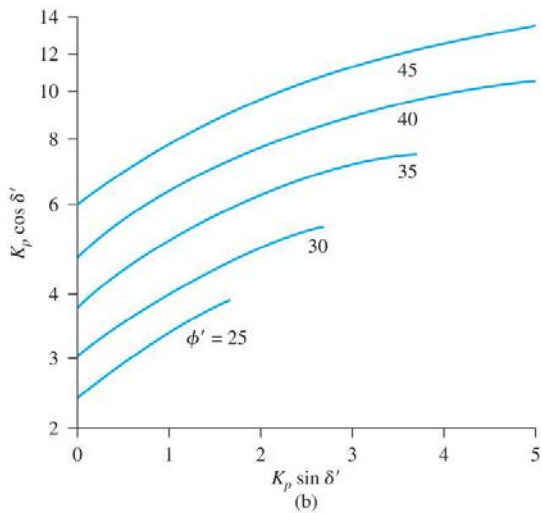
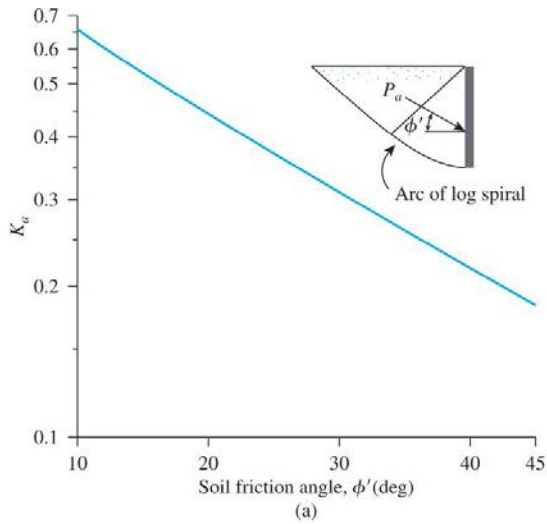
**Figure 9.37** Various types of anchoring for sheet-pile walls: (a) anchor plate or beam; (b) tieback; (c) vertical anchor pile; (d) anchor beam with batter piles

# Holding Capacity of Anchor plates in Sand

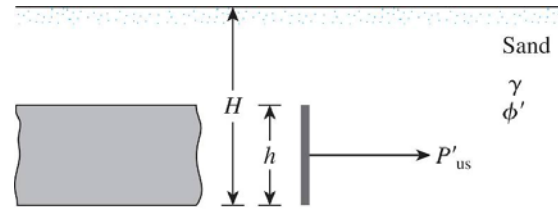


**Figure 9.38** Basic case: continuous vertical anchor in granular soil

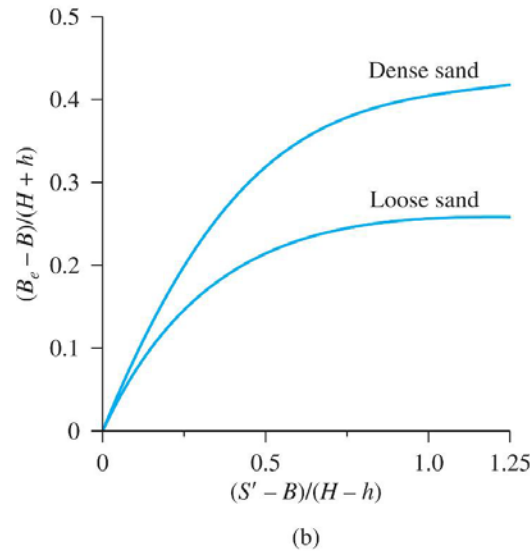
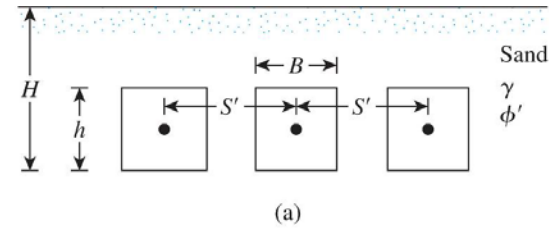
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**Figure 9.39** (a) Variation of  $K_a$  for  $\delta' = \phi'$ , (b) variation of  $K_p \cos \delta'$  with  $K_p \sin \delta'$  (Based on Ovesen and Stromann, 1972)

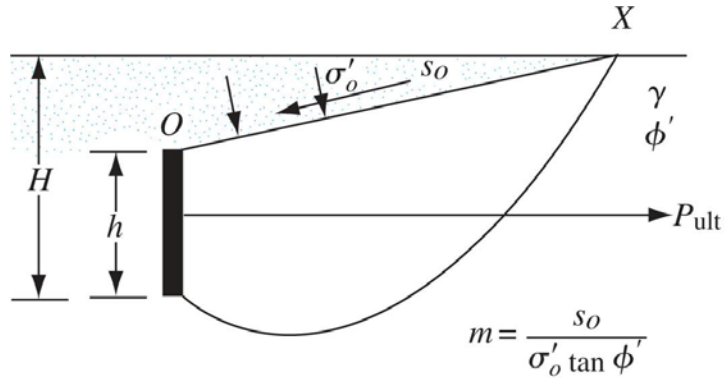


**Figure 9.40** Strip case: vertical anchor

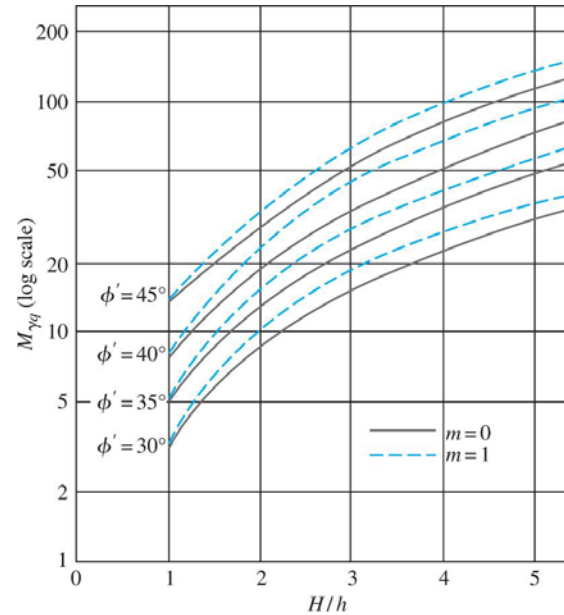


**Figure 9.41** (a) Actual case for row of anchors; (b) variation of  $(B_e - B)/(H + h)$  with  $(S' - B)/(H - h)$  (Based on Ovesen and Stromann, 1972)

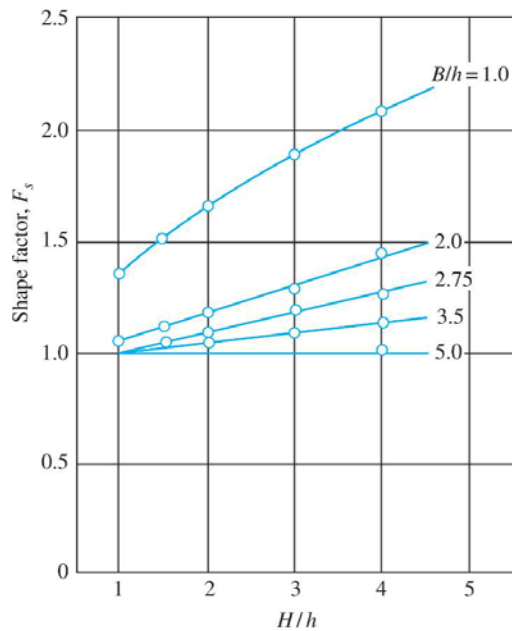
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**Figure 9.42** Assumed failure surface in soil for stress characteristic solution

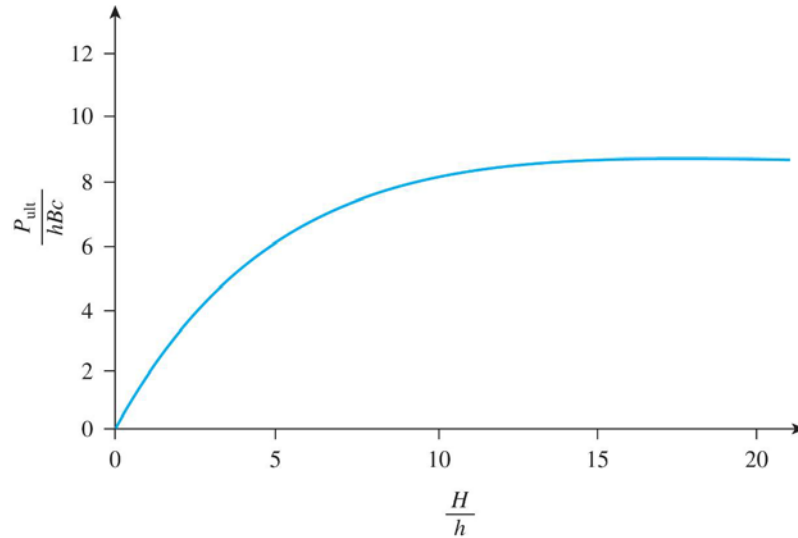


**Figure 9.43** Variation of  $M_{\gamma q}$  with  $H/h$  and  $\phi'$  (After Neeley *et al.*, 1973. With permission from ASCE.)

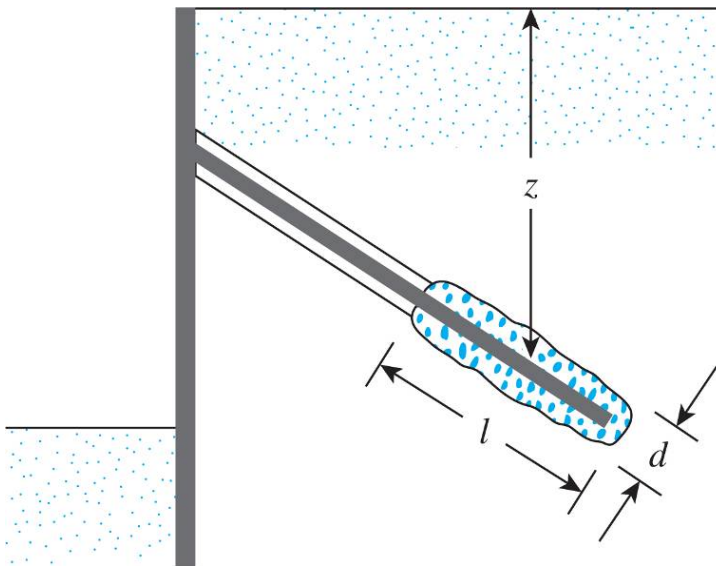


**Figure 9.44** Variation of shape factor with  $H/h$  and  $B/h$  (After Neeley *et al.*, 1973. With permission from ASCE.)

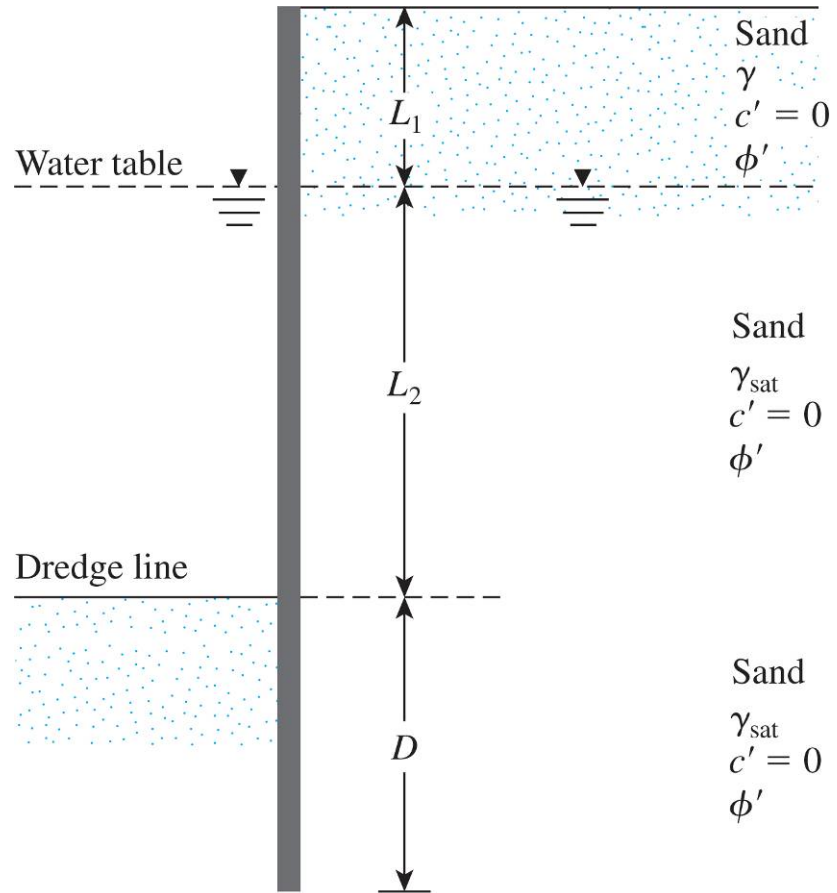
# Holding Capacity of Anchor plates in Clay



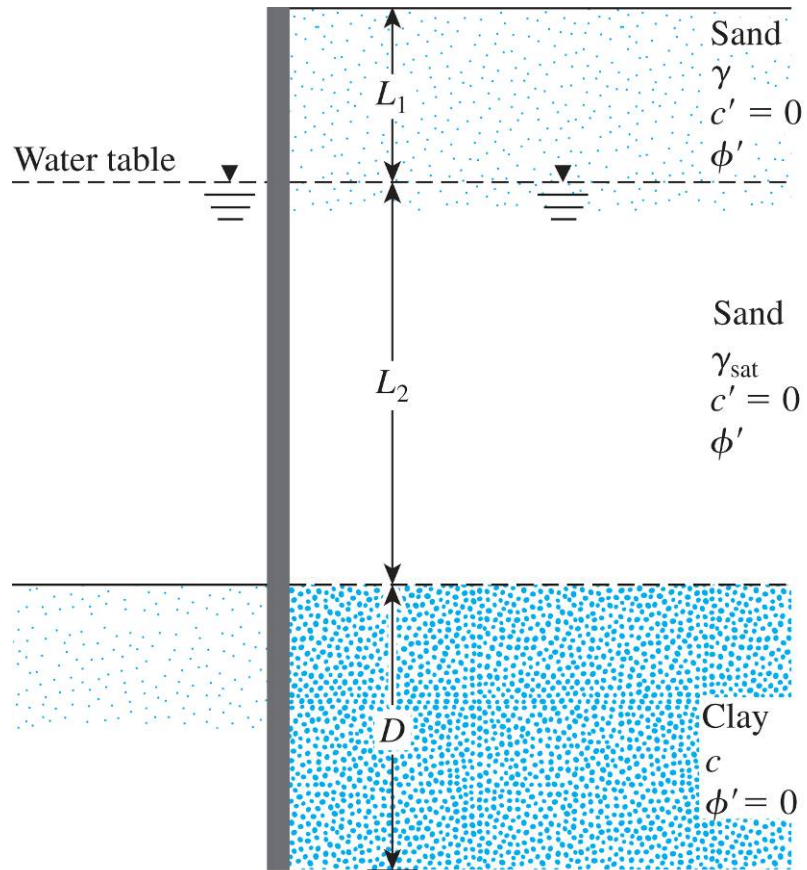
**Figure 9.45** Experimental variation of  $\frac{P_{ult}}{hBc}$  with  $H/h$  for plate anchors in clay  
(Based on Mackenzie (1955) and Tschebotarioff (1973))



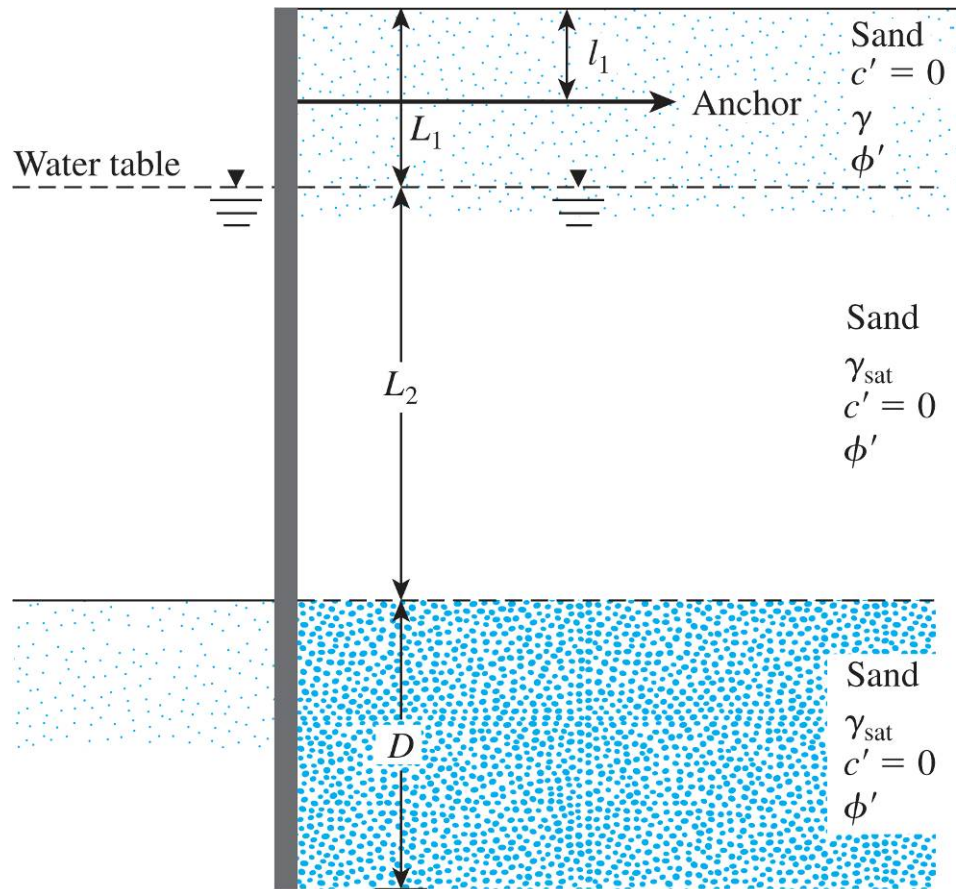
**Figure 9.46** Parameters for defining the ultimate resistance of tiebacks



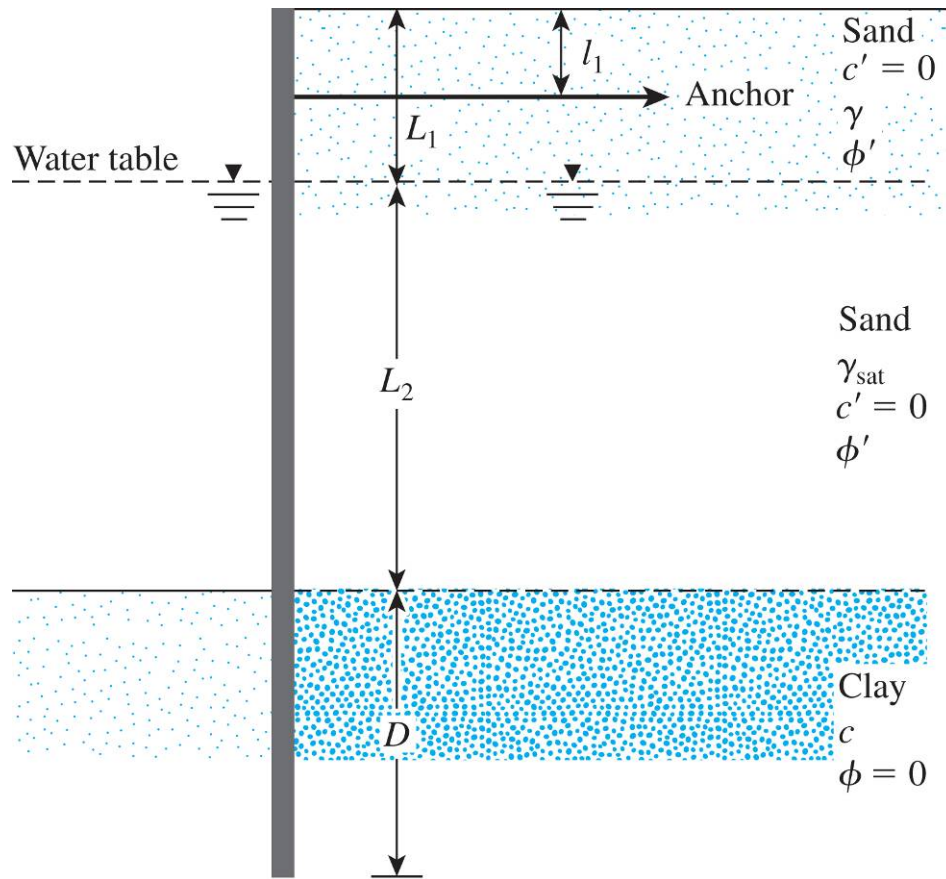
**Figure P9.1**



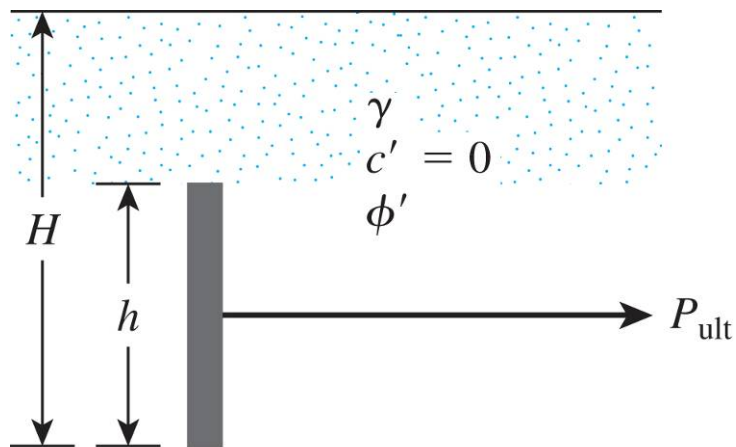
**Figure P9.4**



**Figure P9.6**



**Figure P9.10**



**Figure P9.12**