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Appendix C - Groundwater Calculations

$$v = K_j / n_e$$

$$V_s = \text{southern} \quad j_s = 0.036$$

$$V_c = \text{northern/central} \quad j_c = 0.006$$

$$K = 2.1 \times 10^{-4} \text{ ft/sec}$$

$$n_e = 30 \text{ to } 40 \%$$

$$V_s = \frac{(2.1 \times 10^{-4} \text{ ft/sec})(0.036)}{0.30} = 2.5 \times 10^{-5} \text{ ft/sec or } 794 \text{ ft/yr}$$

$$= \frac{(2.1 \times 10^{-4} \text{ ft/sec})(0.036)}{0.40} = 1.9 \times 10^{-5} \text{ ft/sec or } 596 \text{ ft/yr}$$

$$V_c = \frac{(2.1 \times 10^{-4} \text{ ft/sec})(0.006)}{0.30} = 4.2 \times 10^{-6} \text{ ft/sec or } 132 \text{ ft/yr}$$

$$\frac{(2.1 \times 10^{-4} \text{ ft/sec})(0.006)}{0.40} = 3.15 \times 10^{-6} \text{ ft/sec or } 99 \text{ ft/yr}$$

SOUTHERN

GW Elev 09/97  
 MW-1 58.47  
 MW-2 38.88  
 $\Delta h = 19.59 \text{ ft}$   $\Delta l = 570 \text{ ft}$

$i \text{ (GRADIENT)} = \Delta h / \Delta l \text{ or } 0.034$

GW Elev 09/97  
 PZ-5 53.53  
 PZ-8 36.83  
 $\Delta h = 16.7 \text{ ft}$   $\Delta l = 680 \text{ ft}$

$i \text{ (GRADIENT)} = \Delta h / \Delta l \text{ or } 0.025$

GW Elev 09/97  
 PZ-5 53.53  
 OW-7 37.55  
 $\Delta h = 15.98 \text{ ft}$   $\Delta l = 320 \text{ ft}$

$i \text{ (GRADIENT)} = \Delta h / \Delta l \text{ or } 0.05$

AVE. GRADIENT ( $i$ ) = 0.036

CENTRAL

GW Elev 09/97  
MW-11 41.65  
MW-4 36.9  
 $\Delta h = \frac{4.75 \text{ ft}}{\Delta l = 880 \text{ ft}}$

$i$  (GRADIENT) =  $\Delta h / \Delta l$  or 0.00539

GW Elev 09/97  
MW-11 41.65  
MW-18 37.59  
 $\Delta h = \frac{4.06 \text{ ft}}{\Delta l = 840 \text{ ft}}$

$i$  (GRADIENT) =  $\Delta h / \Delta l$  or 0.00483

GW Elev 09/97  
MW-15 46.35  
MW-18 37.59  
 $\Delta h = \frac{8.76 \text{ ft}}{\Delta l = 1100 \text{ ft}}$

$i$  (GRADIENT) =  $\Delta h / \Delta l$  or 0.008

AVE GRADIENT ( $i$ ) = 0.006