

ALBERTA TRANSPORTATION AND
ECONOMIC CORRIDORS GRMP
PEACE REGION
(GRANDE PRAIRIE DISTRICT - NORTH)
INSTRUMENTATION MONITORING - FALL 2025



Site Number	Location	Name	Hwy	km
GP004A	HWY 49:06 C1 10.586	Burnt River Bridge	49:06	Km 10.6
Legal Description: 12-10-78-4 W6		UTM Co-ordinates		
		11U E 403183.13	N	6178764.13

Current Monitoring:	1-Oct-2025	Previous Monitoring	17-June-2025
Instruments Read By:	Mr. Niraj Regmi, G.I.T and Mr. Angelo Castillo, of Thurber		

Instruments Read During This Site Visit			
Slope Inclinometers (SIs): SI-16	Pneumatic Piezometers (PN): PN-15	Vibration Wire Piezometers (VW): N/A	Standpipe Piezometers (SP): N/A
Load Cell (LC): N/A	Strain Gauges: N/A	SAA's: N/A	Others: N/A

Readout Equipment Used			
Slope Inclinometers: RST Digital Inclinator probe with a 2 ft. wheelbase and a RST Pocket PC readout	Pneumatic Piezometers: RST C108 pneumatic piezometer readout	Vibration Wire Piezometers: N/A	Standpipe Piezometers: N/A
Load Cell: N/A	Strain Gauges: N/A	SAA's: N/A	Others: N/A
Note: A stickup protector was installed at PN-15 in November 2024, in the frozen soil. The soil around the casing protector was excavated manually and the stickup protector was sunk down during the current readings.			

Discussion	
Zones of New Movement:	None
Interpretation of Monitoring Results:	<p>Slope inclinometer SI-16 showed a rate of movement of -5.3 mm/yr over 19.4 m to 29.7 m depth since the spring of 2025 readings. SI-16 had previously shown movement in a northwest direction towards the slope over the previous reading cycles, and a small movement downslope in this reading cycle. Based on the readings, it is possible that SI-16 is not installed deep enough to capture a deeper slide surface at the site.</p> <p>Pneumatic piezometer PN-15 showed a decrease in groundwater level of 0.21 m since the spring of 2025 readings. Pneumatic piezometer results are summarized in Table GP004A -2 and are plotted in Figure GP004A-1 in Appendix A.</p>
Future Work:	The instruments at this site have shown little change for the past several years, and the reading frequency should be reduced to once annually.
Instrumentation Repairs:	No instrumentation repairs are required at this time.
Additional Comments:	

Attachments:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Table GP004A-1 Fall 2025 – HWY 49:06 Burnt Bridge, Slope Inclinator Instrumentation Reading Summary ▪ Table GP004A-2 Fall 2025 – HWY 49:06 Burnt Bridge, Pneumatic Piezometer Instrumentation Reading Summary ▪ Statement for Use and Interpretation of Report ▪ APPENDIX A – GP004A-1 FALL 2025 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> □ Field Inspector's report □ Site Plan Showing Approximate Instrument Locations (Drawing No. 32123-GP004A) □ SI Reading Plots □ Figure GP004A-1 (Piezometric Depths)
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We trust this report meets your requirements at present. If you have any questions, please contact the undersigned at your convenience.

Yours very truly,
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Table GP004A-1: Fall 2025 – HWY 49:06, Burnt River Bridge Slope Inclinator Instrumentation Reading Summary

Date Monitored: October 1, 2025

INSTRUMENT #	DATE INITIALIZED	TOTAL CUMULATIVE RESULTANT MOVEMENT AND DEPTH OF MOVEMENT TO DATE (mm)	MAXIMUM RATE OF MOVEMENT (mm/yr)	CURRENT STATUS OF SI	DATE OF PREVIOUS READING	INCREMENTAL MOVEMENT SINCE PREVIOUS READING (mm)	CURRENT RATE OF MOVEMENT (mm/yr)	CHANGE IN RATE OF MOVEMENT SINCE PREVIOUS READING (mm/yr)
SI-16	September 24, 1998	58.4 mm over 19.4 m to 29.7 m depth in 333° direction	42.3 in October 2016	Operational	June 17, 2025	-1.5	-5.3	-5.4

Drawing 32123-GP004A in Appendix A provides a sketch of the approximate location of the monitoring instrumentation for this site

Table GP004A-2: Fall 2025 – HWY 49:06, Burnt River Bridge Pneumatic Piezometer Instrumentation Reading Summary

Date Monitored: October 1, 2025

INSTRUMENT #	DATE INITIALIZED	TIP DEPTH (m)	GROUND ELEV. (m)	CURRENT STATUS	HIGHEST MEASURED WATER LEVEL BGS (m)	MEASURED PORE PRESSURE (kPa)	CURRENT WATER LEVEL BGS (m)	PREVIOUS WATER LEVEL BGS (m)	CHANGE IN WATER LEVEL SINCE PREVIOUS READING (m)
PN-13	September 24, 1998	14.0	-	Malfunctioning	-0.29* in June 2017	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
PN-15	September 24, 1998	23.8	-	Operational	3.50 in August 2013	189.5	567.62	567.83	-0.21

Drawing 32123-GP004A in Appendix A provides a sketch of the approximate location of the monitoring instrumentation for this site

* Denotes above-ground (artesian) groundwater level

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PEACE REGION (GRANDE PRAIRIE DISTRICT – NORTH)
INSTRUMENTATION MONITORING RESULTS**

FALL 2025

**APPENDIX A
DATA PRESENTATION**

SITE GP004A: HWY 49:06, BURNT RIVER BRIDGE

**ALBERTA TRANSPORTATION AND ECONOMIC CORRIDORS
PEACE REGION (GRANDE PRAIRIE - NORTH DISTRICT)
INSTRUMENTATION MONITORING FIELD SUMMARY (GP004A)
FALL 2025**

Location: Burnt River Bridge (HWY 49:06 C1 10.586)	Readout: RST PN C108 U
File Number: 32123	Casing Size: 3.34"
Probe: RST SET 8R	Temp: 10/ Cloudy
Cable: RST SET 8R	Read by: AFC/NKR

SLOPE INCLINOMETER (SI) READINGS

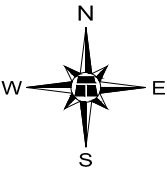
SI#	GPS Location (UTM 11)		Date	Stickup (m)	Depth from top of casing (ft)	Azimuth of A+ Groove	Current Bottom Depth Readings				Probe/ Reel #	Size (")	Remarks
	Easting (m)	Northing (m)					A+	A-	B+	B-			
SI-16	403183.13	6178764.13	1-Oct-25	0.46	98 to 2	167	2174	-2160	-3623	3630	8R/8R	3.34	*

PNEUMATIC PIEZOMETER (PN) READINGS


PN#	GPS Location (UTM 11)		Date	Reading (kPa)	Identification Number
	Easting (m)	Northing (m)			
PN-15	403213.94	6178816.02	1-Oct-25	189.5	49333

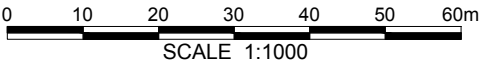
INSPECTOR REPORT

* SI-16 is hard to pull from 94-92' and 74-70' depth. Use dummy probe readings
Stickup Protector at PN-15 excavated and sunk down, as it was installed in winter.



LEGEND

-  APPROXIMATE INSTRUMENT LOCATION
- SI SLOPE INCLINOMETER
- PN PNEUMATIC PIEZOMETER



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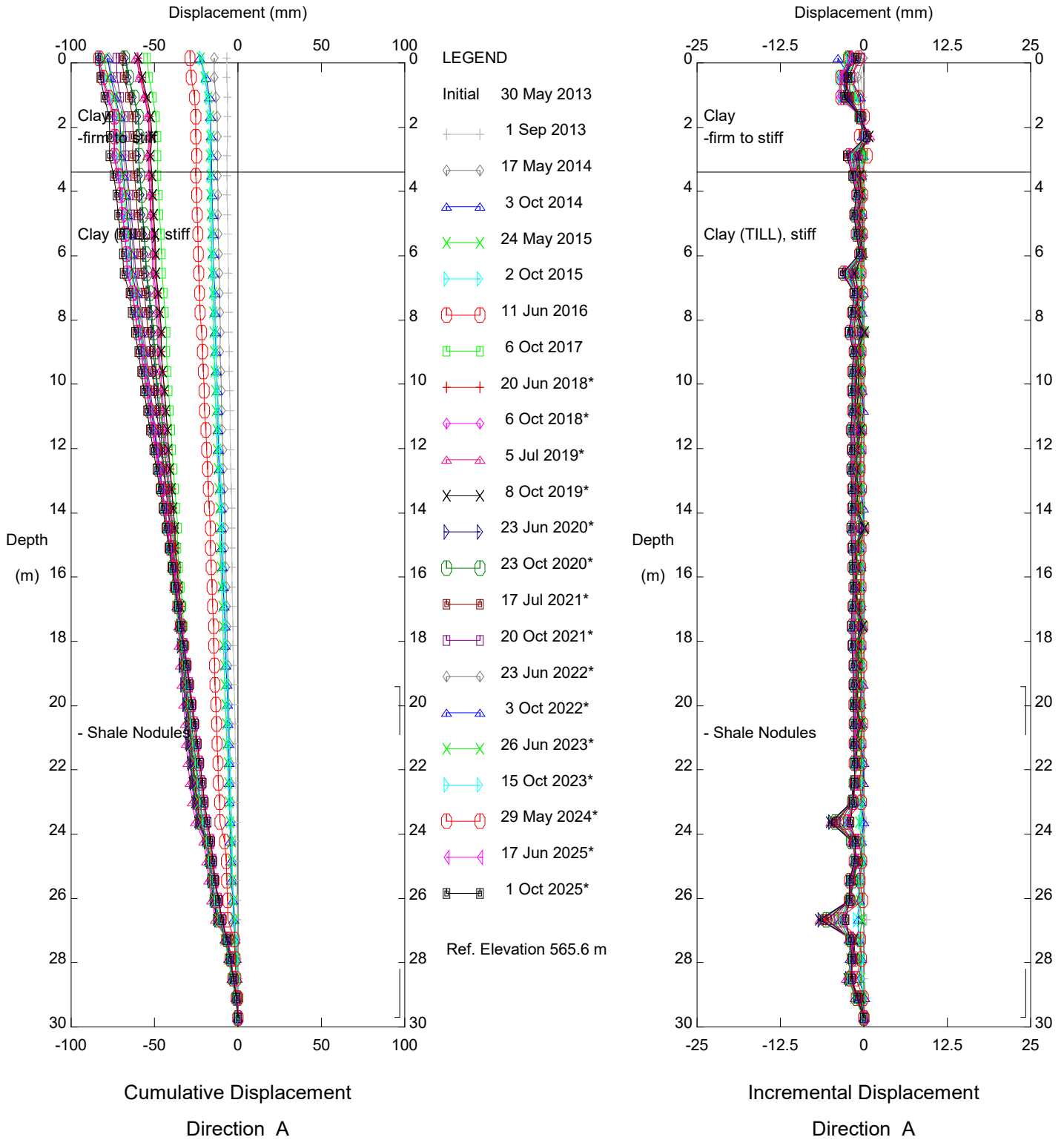
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INSTRUMENT LOCATIONS

DWG No. 32123-GP004A

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SCALE	1:1000
DATE	JULY 2025
FILE No.	32123



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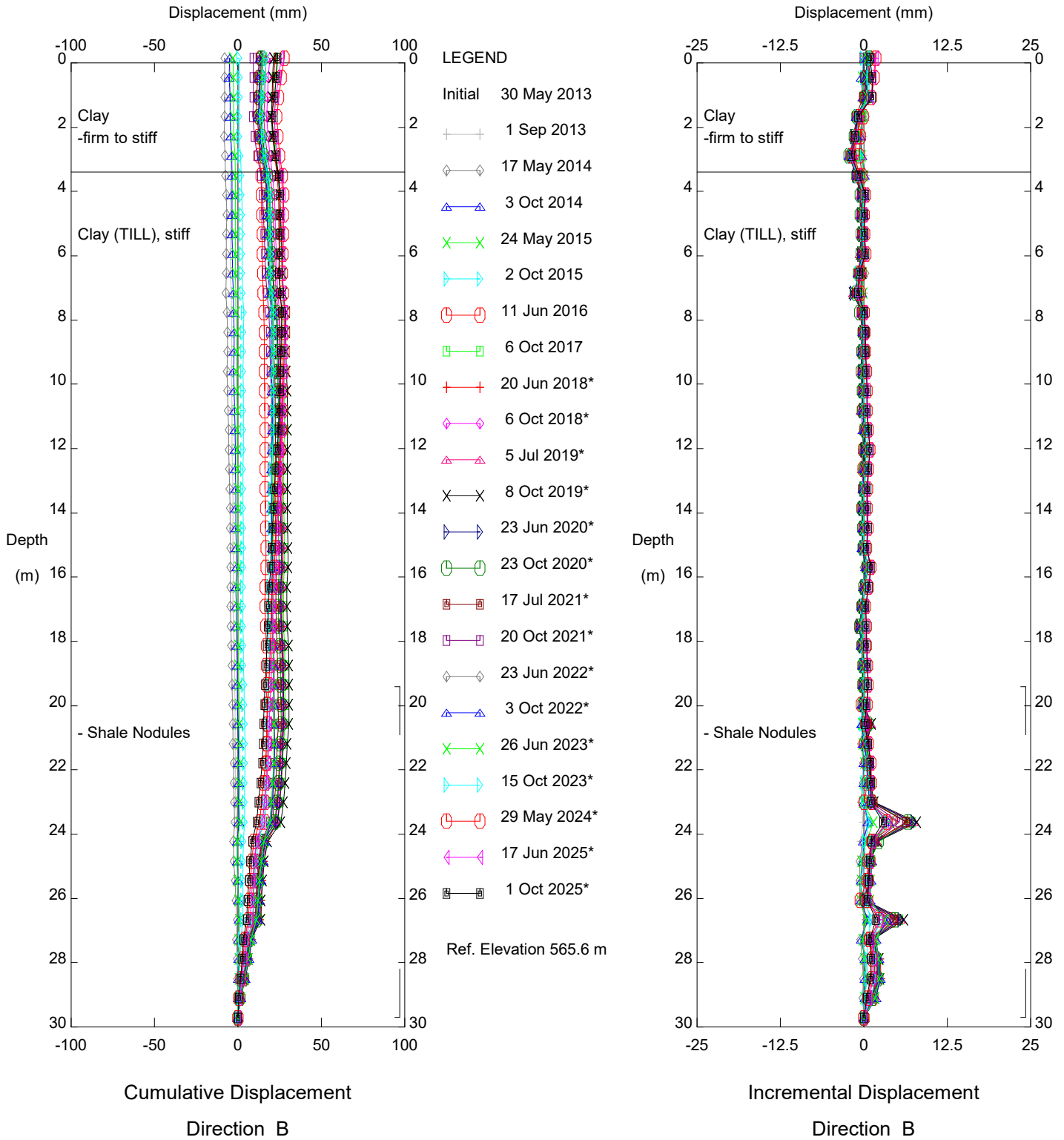


GP004A Burnt River West Approach, Inclinator SI-16

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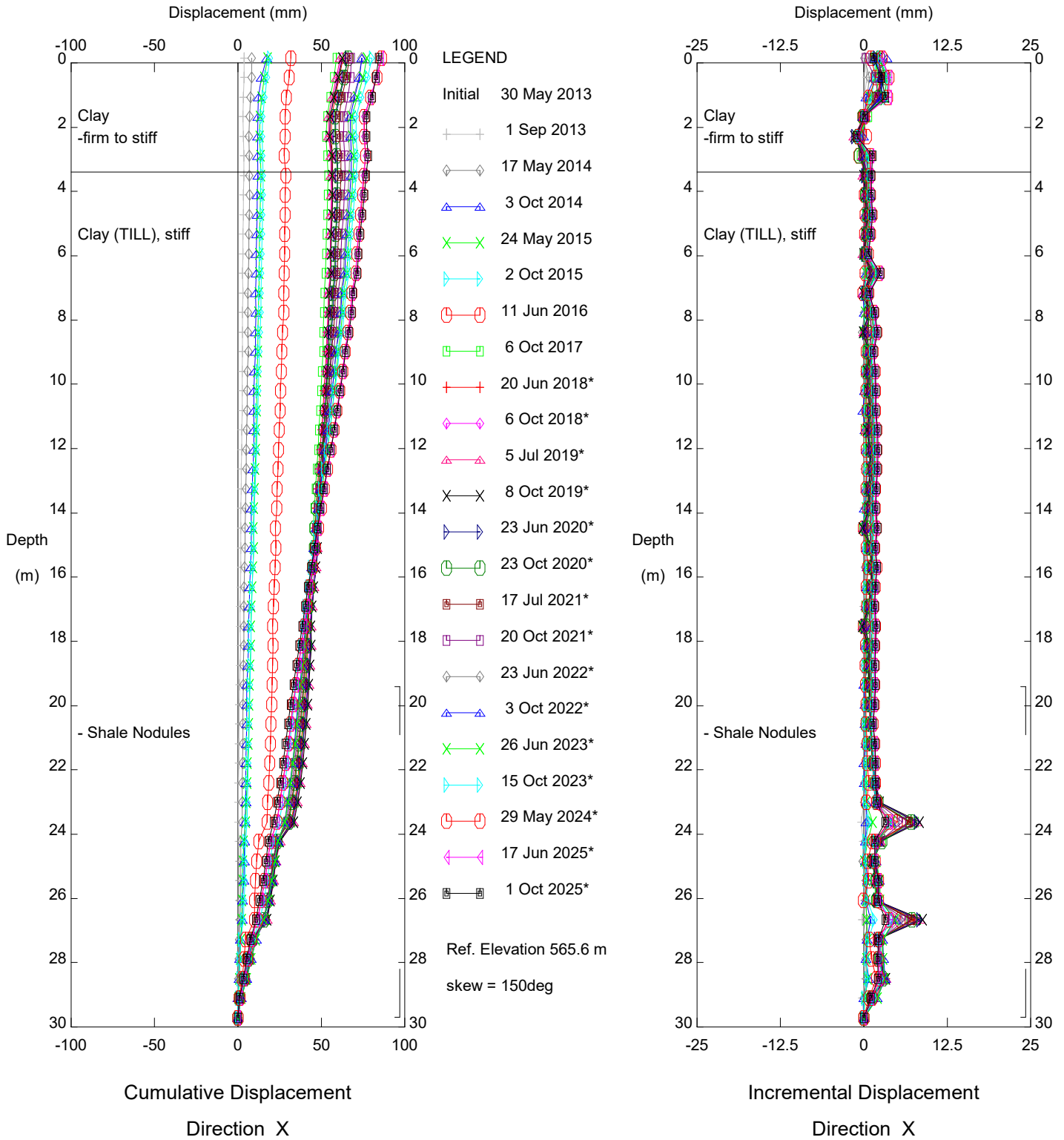


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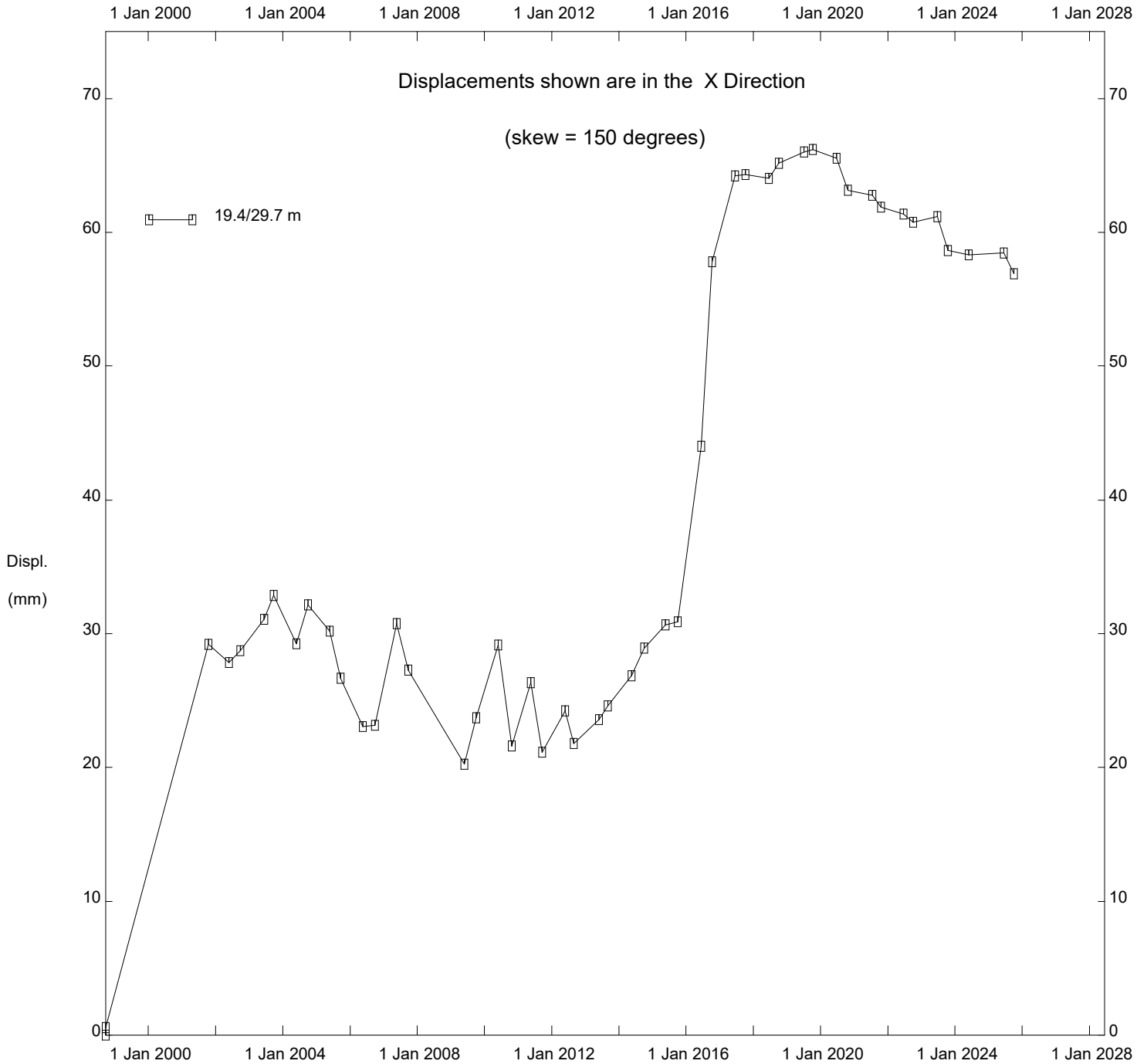


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FIGURE GP004A-1
PIEZOMETER DATA FOR HWY 49:06, BURNT RIVER BRIDGE

