

**ALBERTA TRANSPORTATION AND  
ECONOMIC CORRIDORS  
GEOHAZARD – INSTRUMENTATION MONITORING  
PEACE REGION – (PEACE RIVER DISTRICT)  
SPRING 2025**



Site Number	Location	Name	Hwy	km
PH072	HWY 744:04 C1 58.154	Sunshine Slide	744:04	Km 58.2
<b>Legal Description:</b>		<b>UTM Co-ordinates</b>		
16-20-83-21 W5		11U E 483111	N	6230075

<b>Current Monitoring:</b>	10-June-2025	<b>Previous Monitoring</b>	23-May-2024
<b>Instruments Read By:</b>	Mr. Niraj Regmi, G.I.T and Mr. Godfred Etiendem, of Thurber		

Instruments Read During This Site Visit			
<b>Slope Inclinometers (SIs):</b> Pile 34, Pile 59 and Pile 82	<b>Pneumatic Piezometers (PN):</b>	<b>Vibrating Wire Piezometers (VW):</b>	<b>Standpipe Piezometers (SP):</b>
<b>Load Cell (LC):</b> VC1801 to VC1806	<b>Strain Gauges:</b>	<b>SAA's:</b>	<b>Others:</b>

Readout Equipment Used			
<b>Slope Inclinometers:</b> RST Digital Inclinator probe with a 2 ft wheelbase and a RST Pocket PC readout	<b>Pneumatic Piezometers:</b>	<b>Vibrating Wire Piezometers:</b>	<b>Standpipe Piezometers:</b>
<b>Load Cell:</b> RST DT2040 datalogger	<b>Strain Gauges:</b>	<b>SAA's:</b>	<b>Others:</b>
<b>Note:</b>			

Discussion	
<b>Zones of New Movement:</b>	None
<b>Interpretation of Monitoring Results:</b>	<p><b>Slope Indicators</b></p> <p>All three slope indicators at this site are installed in the pile wall built in 2015. Slope indicator Pile 34 showed a rate of movement of less than 1 mm/yr over the length of the pile and no discernible movement over the combined length of the pile and waler since the 2015 readings. Pile 34 has shown a total cumulative pile head movement of 1.4 mm in the downslope direction since completion of construction and a total cumulative movement of 0.8 mm in the downslope direction over the combined length of the pile and waler.</p> <p>Pile 59 showed a rate of movement of 0.8 mm/yr over the length of the pile and a rate of movement of 0.7 mm/yr over the combined length of the pile and waler since the spring of 2024 readings. Pile 59 has shown a total cumulative pile head movement of 5.2 mm in the downslope direction since completion of construction, with a total cumulative movement of 6.4 mm in the downslope direction over the combined length of the pile and waler. The movement pattern at Pile 59 suggests a potential slight acceleration of movements is occurring.</p> <p>Pile 82 showed a rate of movement of 1.2 mm/yr over the length of the pile and a rate of movement of 0.9 mm/yr over the combined length of the pile and waler, since the spring of 2024 readings. Pile 82 has shown a total cumulative pile head movement of 6.6 mm in the downslope</p>



	<p>direction since completion of construction and a total cumulative movement of 5.5 mm in the downslope direction over the combined length of the pile and waler.</p> <p><b>Load Cells</b></p> <p>The six load cells (VC1805, VC1806, VC1801, VC1802, VC1803 and VC1804) are connected to an RST DT2040 datalogger which was initially programmed to take readings once per day. Starting in the spring of 2015, the datalogger was reprogrammed to take readings twice per day. The latest load cell readings, as of June 10, 2025, show minor changes compared to the previous readings taken in on May 23, 2024. The changes range from a decrease of 1.03 kN in load cell VC1806 (anchor 34L) to an increase of 1.15 kN in VC1805 (anchor 34U). Load cells VC1803 (anchor 82U) and VC1804 (anchor 82L) measured all-time high loads of 191.66 kN on February 5, 2025 and of 190.47 on March 20, 2025, respectively.</p> <p>Load cells VC1801 (anchor 60U) and VC1802 (anchor 60L) are showing loads that are higher than the design service load, but still lower than the ULS factored design load. Overall, the load cells show a trend of stable loads over the past several readings cycles. Experience at other pile wall sites suggests loads may increase in response to stress relief downslope of the pile wall.</p> <p>Overall, the SI and load cell readings show that the pile wall has been effective in stabilizing the landslide movement at this site.</p>
<b>Future Work:</b>	The instruments should be read again in the spring of 2026.
<b>Instrumentation Repairs:</b>	No instrument repairs are required at this time.
<b>Additional Comments:</b>	

<b>Attachments:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Table PH072-1 Spring 2025 – HWY 744:04 Judah Hill (Sunshine Slide) Slope Inclinator Instrumentation Reading Summary</li> <li>• Table PH072-2 Spring 2025 – HWY 744:04 Judah Hill (Sunshine Slide) Load Cell Instrumentation Reading Summary</li> <li>• Statement for Use and Interpretation of Report</li> <li>• APPENDIX A - PH072 SPRING 2025 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Field Inspector's report</li> <li>○ Site Plan Showing Approximate Instrument Locations (Drawings No. 32121 PH072-1 and 32121-PH072-2)</li> <li>○ SI Reading Plots</li> <li>○ Figure PH072-1(Load Cell Readings)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
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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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Geotechnical Engineer



**Table PH072-1 Spring 2025 – Hwy 744:04 Judah Hill (Sunshine Slide) Slope Inclinomometer Instrumentation Reading Summary**

Date Monitored: June 10, 2025

INSTRUMENT #	DATE INITIALIZED	TOTAL CUMULATIVE RESULTANT MOVEMENT AT NOTED DEPTH SINCE INITIAL READING (mm)	MAXIMUM RATE OF MOVEMENT (mm/yr.)	CURRENT STATUS	DATE OF PREVIOUS READING	INCREMENTAL MOVEMENT SINCE PREVIOUS READING (mm)	RATE OF MOVEMENT (mm/yr.)	CHANGE IN RATE OF MOVEMENT SINCE PREVIOUS READING (mm/y)
Pile 34	July 4, 2015	1.4 over 2.5 m to 19.5 m depth in 221° direction (pile only)	5.4 in September 2019	Operational	May 23, 2024	<0.1	<0.1	-0.5
		0.8 over 0.0 m to 19.5 m depth in 221° direction (pile and waler)	8.4 in September 2019			No Discernible Movement	N/A	-2.0
Pile 59	July 4, 2015	5.2 over 2.4 m to 19.5 m depth in 241° direction (pile only)	12.8 in July 2015	Operational	May 23, 2024	0.8	0.8	0.7
		6.4 over 0.0 to 19.5 m depth in 241° direction (pile and waler)	25.8 in July 2015			0.8	0.7	0.1
Pile 82	July 4, 2015	6.6 over 2.4 m to 19.5 m depth in 238° direction (pile only)	16.3 in July 2015	Operational	May 23, 2024	1.2	1.2	2.4
		5.5 over 0.0 m to 19.5 m depth in 238° direction (pile and waler)	18.5 in July 2015			0.9	0.9	2.1

Drawings 32121-PH072-1 and 32121-PH072-2 in Appendix A provide a sketch of the approximate location of the monitoring instrumentation for this site.



**Table PH072-2 Spring 2025 – Hwy 744:04 Judah Hill (Sunshine Slide) Load Cell Instrumentation Reading Summary**

Date Monitored: June 10, 2025

ANCHOR NUMBER	SERIAL #	DESIGN SERVICE LOAD / LOCK-OFF LOAD (kN)	MAXIMUM RECORDED LOAD (kN)	RECORDED LOAD (JUNE 10, 2025) <sup>(1)</sup> (kN)	PREVIOUS RECORDED LOAD (MAY 23, 2024) <sup>(1)</sup> (kN)	CHANGE IN LOAD SINCE PREVIOUS READING (kN)
34U	VC1805	192/162	178.28 on April 4, 2015	163.94	162.79	1.15
34L	VC1806	192/162	164.65 on November 13, 2014	132.70	133.73	-1.03
60U	VC1801	192/162	229.43 on January 6, 2022	214.09	215.67	-1.58
60L	VC1802	192/162	225.51 on January 16, 2022	214.24	215.85	-1.61
82U	VC1803	192/162	191.66 on February 5, 2025	181.94	181.25	0.69
82L	VC1804	192/162	190.47 on March 20, 2025	183.49	183.11	0.38

Drawings 32121-PH072-1 and 32121-PH072-2 in Appendix A provide a sketch of the approximate location of the monitoring instrumentation for this site.

1. Load cell data is recorded twice daily with datalogger on site. Dataloggers are uploaded twice annually during instrumentation readings. See Figure PH072-1 in Appendix A for combined historical instrument readings. Datalogger battery was dead between November 14, 2018 to July 25, 2019, October 27, 2019 to June 11, 2020, and between June 27, 2020 to July 10, 2021.



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**ALBERTA TRANSPORTATION AND ECONOMIC CORRIDORS GRMP (CON0022164)  
PEACE REGION (PEACE RIVER DISTRICT)  
INSTRUMENTATION MONITORING RESULTS**

**SPRING 2025**

**APPENDIX A  
DATA PRESENTATION**

**SITE PH072: HWY 744:04, JUDAH HILL (SUNSHINE SLIDE)**



**ALBERTA TRANSPORTATION AND ECONOMIC CORRIDORS  
PEACE REGION (PEACE RIVER DISTRICT)  
INSTRUMENTATION MONITORING FIELD SUMMARY (PH072)  
SPRING 2025**

<b>Location:</b> Sunshine Slide - Judah Hill (HWY 744:04 C1 58.154)	<b>Readout:</b>
<b>File Number:</b> 32121	<b>Casing diameter</b> 2.75
<b>Probe:</b> RST SET 8R	<b>Temp:</b> 9
<b>Cable:</b> RST SET 8R	<b>Read by:</b> NKR

**SLOPE INCLINOMETER (SI) READINGS**

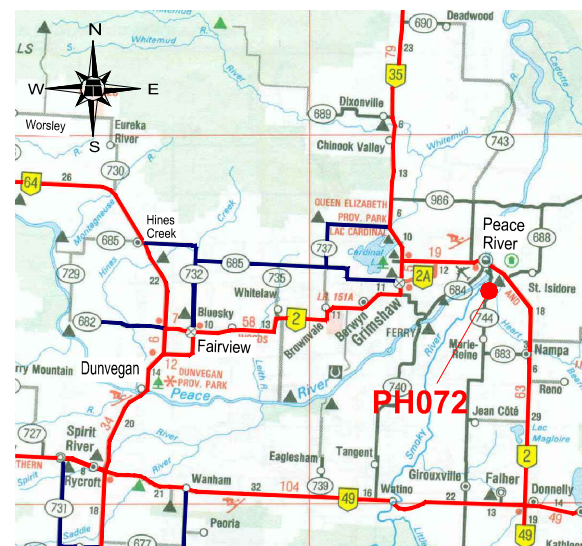
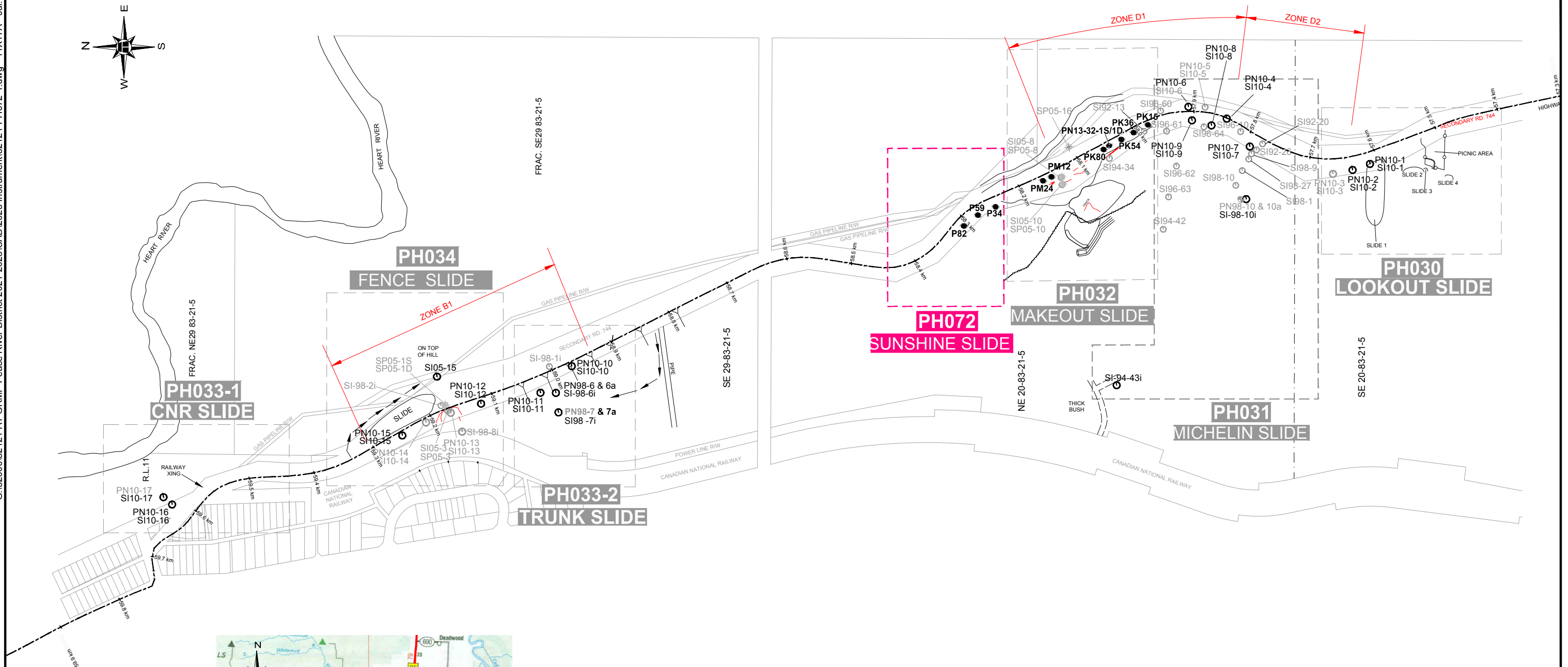
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	Northing (m)	Easting (m)					A+	A-	B+	B-			
Pile 34	6230075	483111	10-Jun-25	0.88	66 to 2	215	-518	527	569	-565	8R/8R	2.75	
Pile 59	6230103	483098	10-Jun-25	0.91	66 to 2	210	16	-2	-558	558	8R/8R	2.75	
Pile 82	6230124	483082	10-Jun-25	0.93	66 to 2	170	232	-217	136	-135	8R/8R	2.75	

**VIBRATING WIRE LOAD CELL (VC) READINGS**

VC#	GPS Location (UTM 11)		Datalogger Serial #	Date	Remarks
	Easting (m)	Northing (m)			
VC1801- VC1806			RST 0	10-Jun-25	Downloaded







**INSPECTOR REPORT**



**KEY MAP**  
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### LEGEND

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| PN<br> | APPROX. PNEUMATIC PIEZOMETER LOCATION                           |
| SP<br> | APPROX. STANDPIPE PIEZOMETER LOCATION                           |
| SI<br> | APPROX. SLOPE INCLINOMETER LOCATION                             |
| SP<br> | APPROX. STANDPIPE PIEZOMETER LOCATION<br>(CURRENTLY NOT IN USE) |
| SI<br> | APPROX. SLOPE INCLINOMETER LOCATION<br>(CURRENTLY NOT IN USE)   |
|        | APPROXIMATE PILE LOCATION                                       |



**PEACE REGION (PEACE RIVER DISTRICT)**

**PH072: HWY 744:02 - JUDAH HILL(SUNSHINE SLIDE)**  
**INSTRUMENT LOCATIONS**

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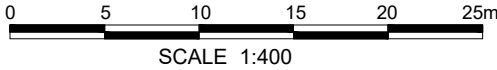




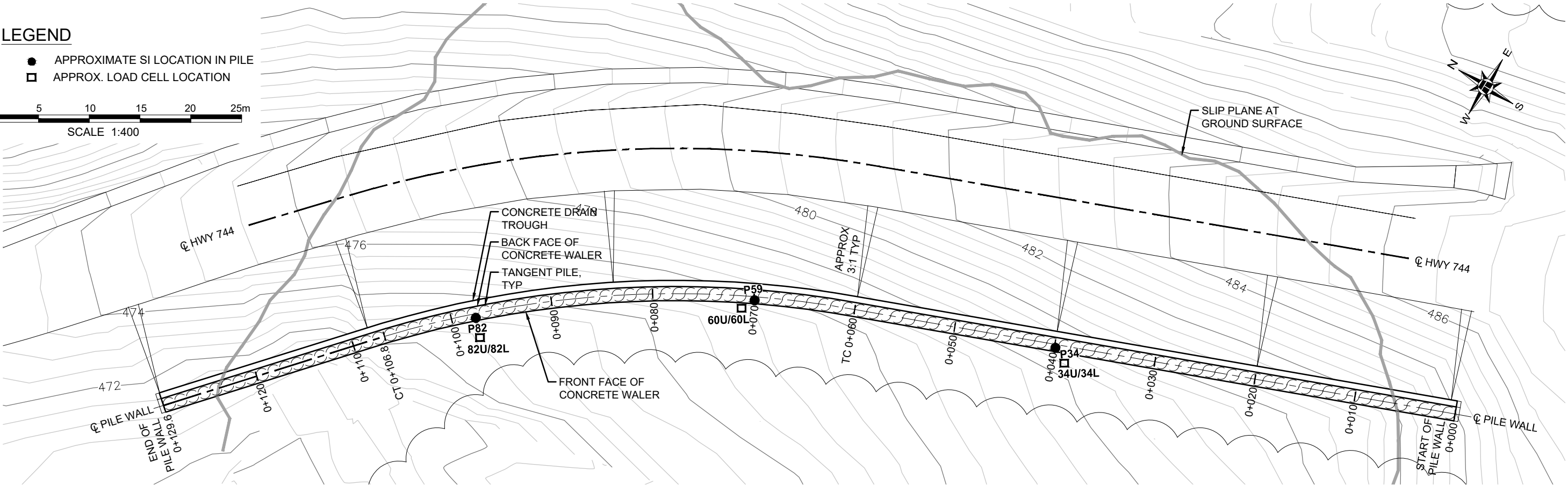
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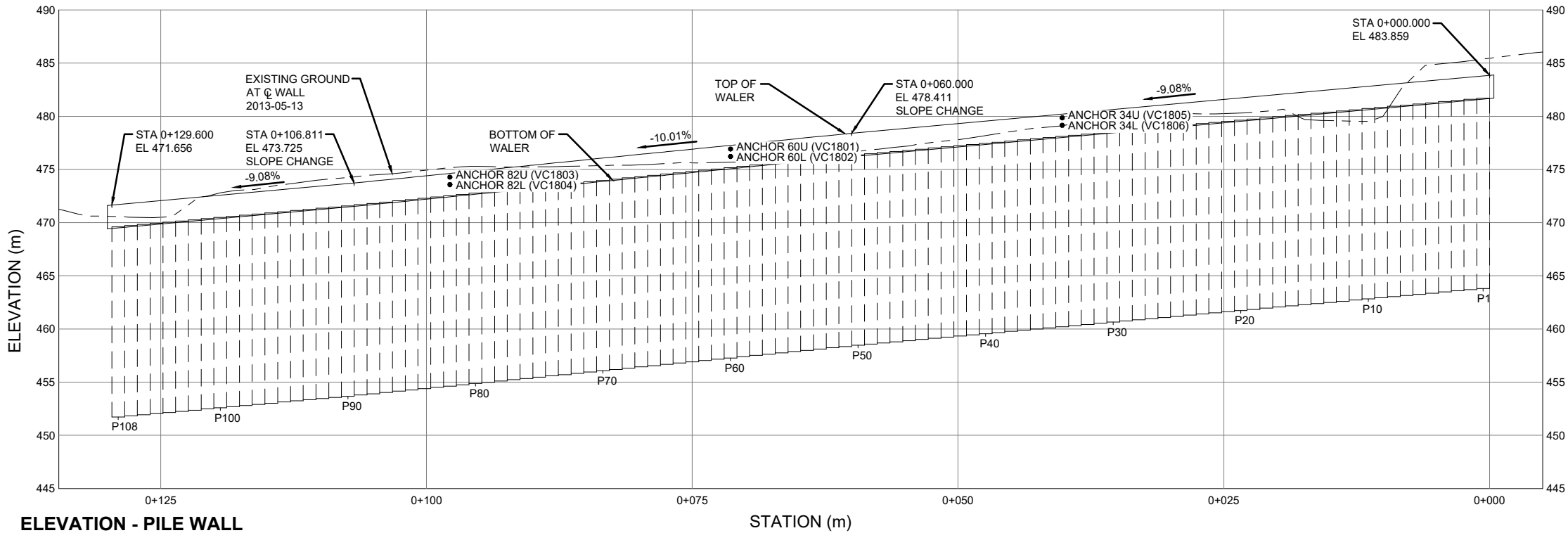
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SITE PLAN  
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PILE NO.	NORTHING (m)	EASTING (m)
P34	6230075.448	483111.042
P59	6230102.621	483098.357
P82	6230124.419	483081.571



ELEVATION - PILE WALL  
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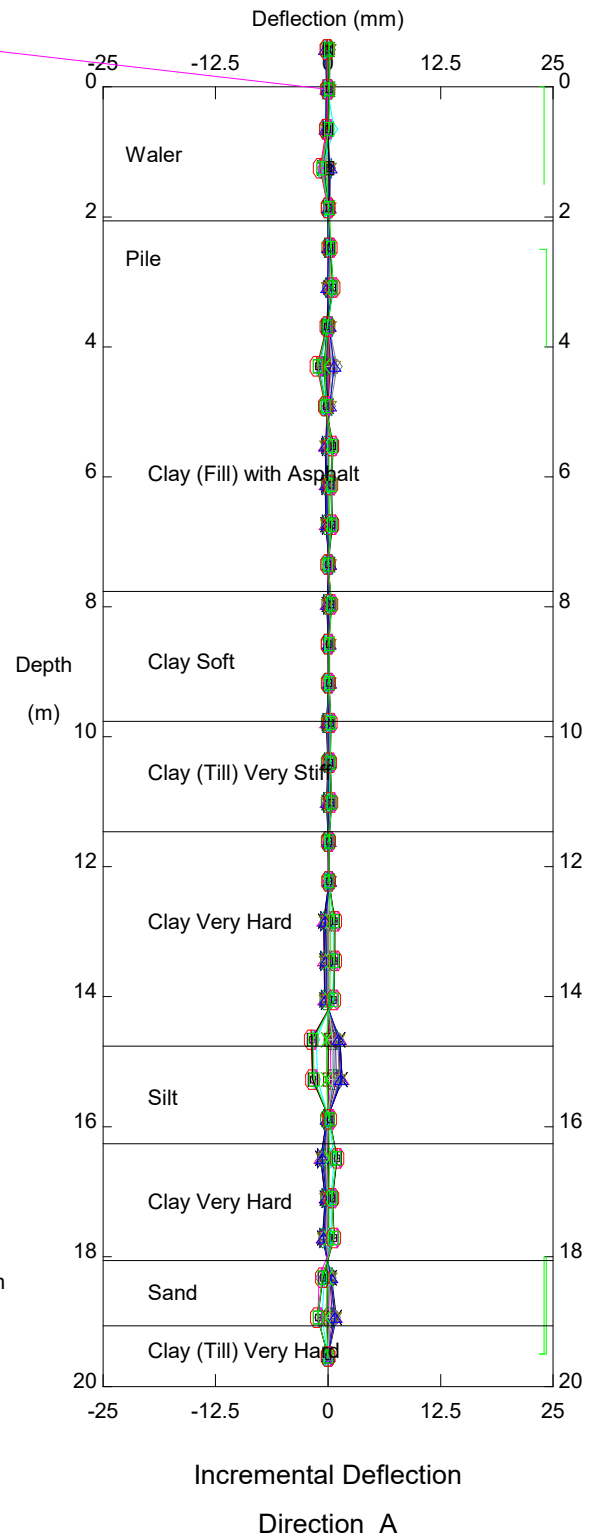
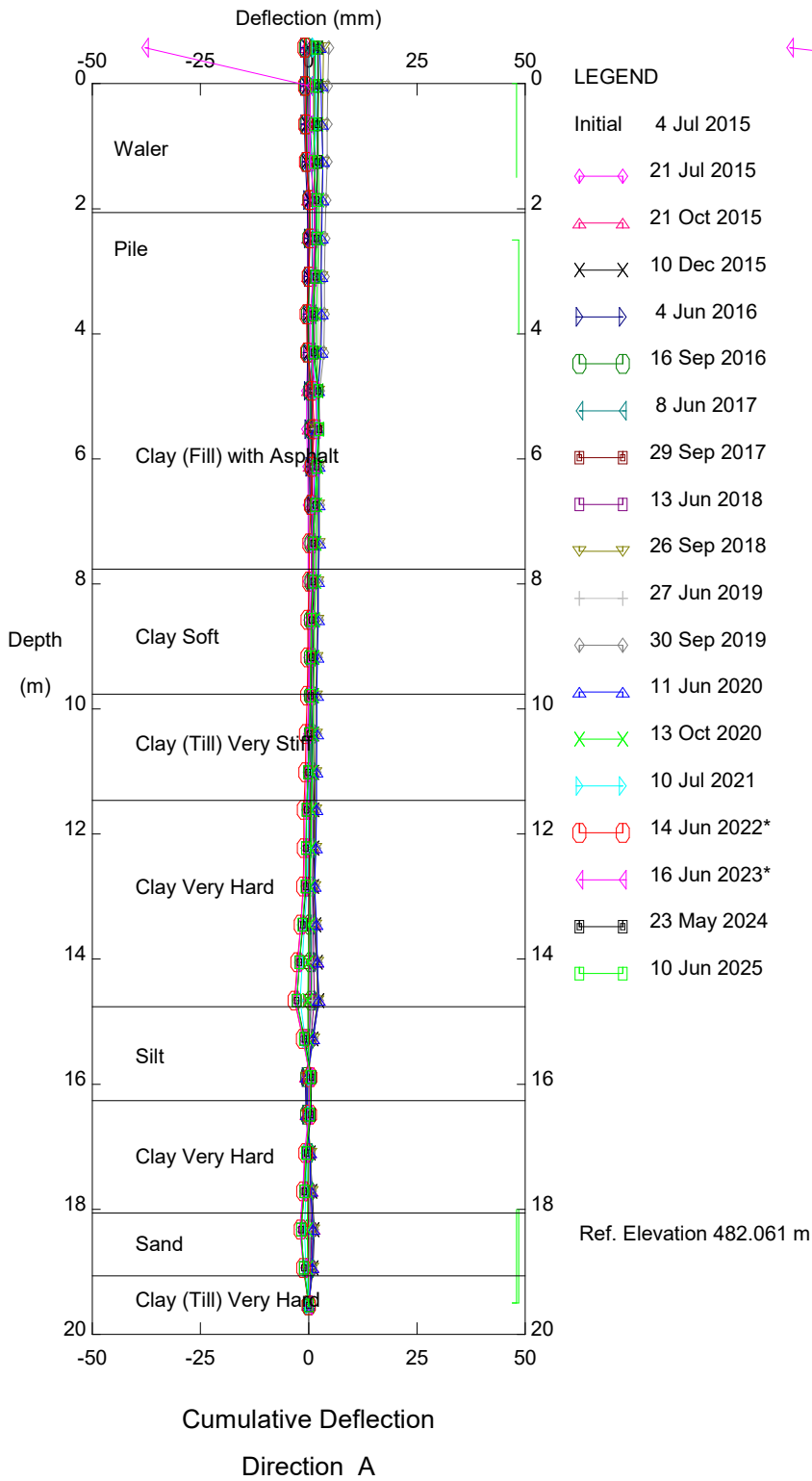
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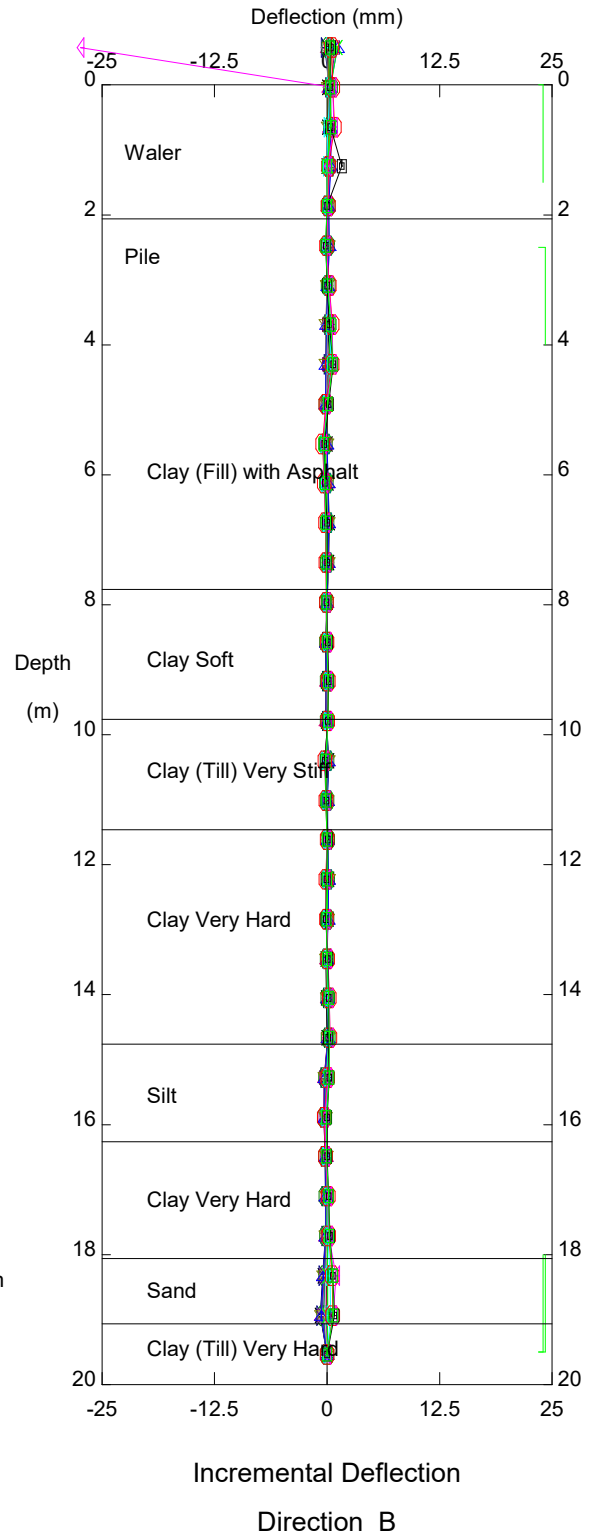
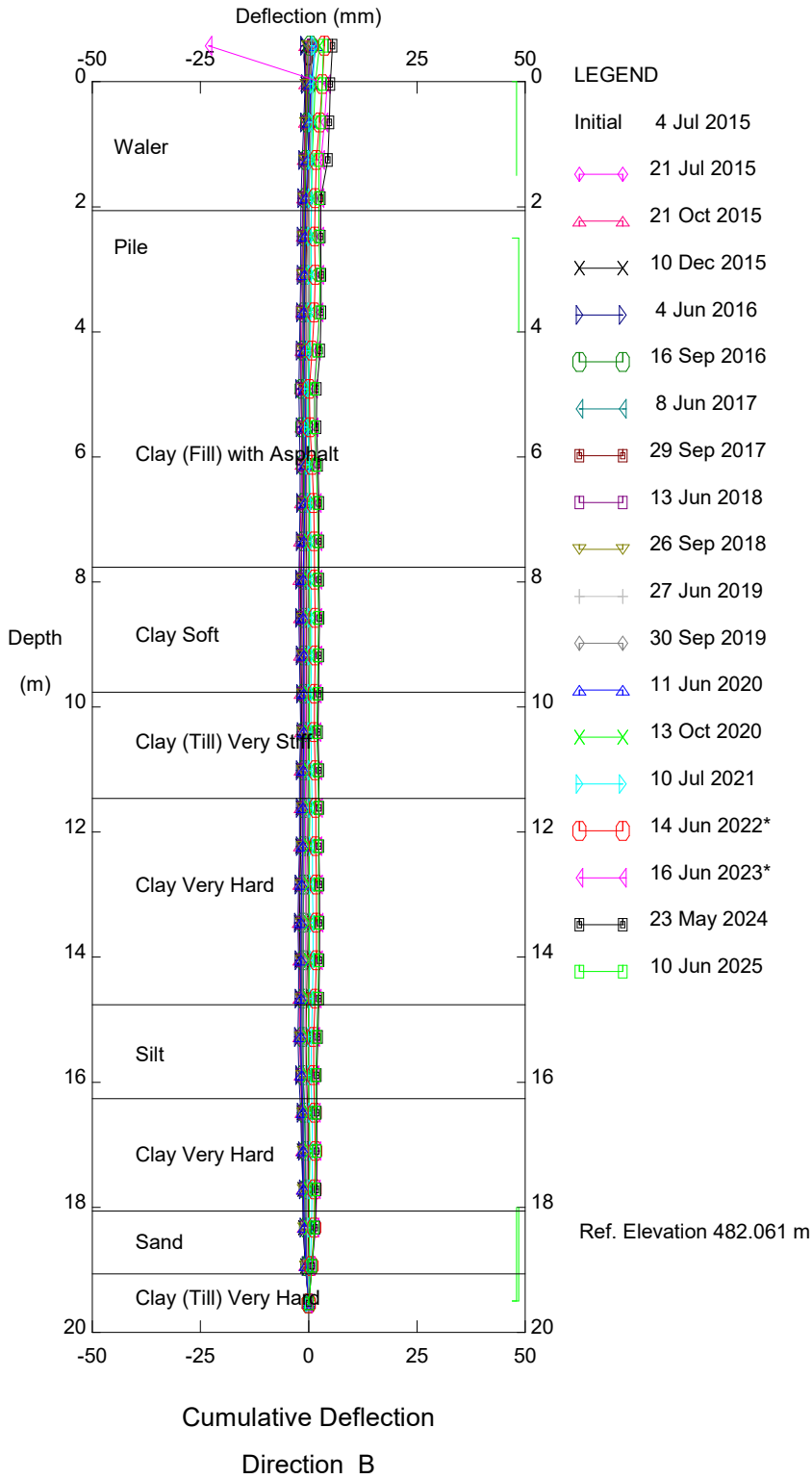
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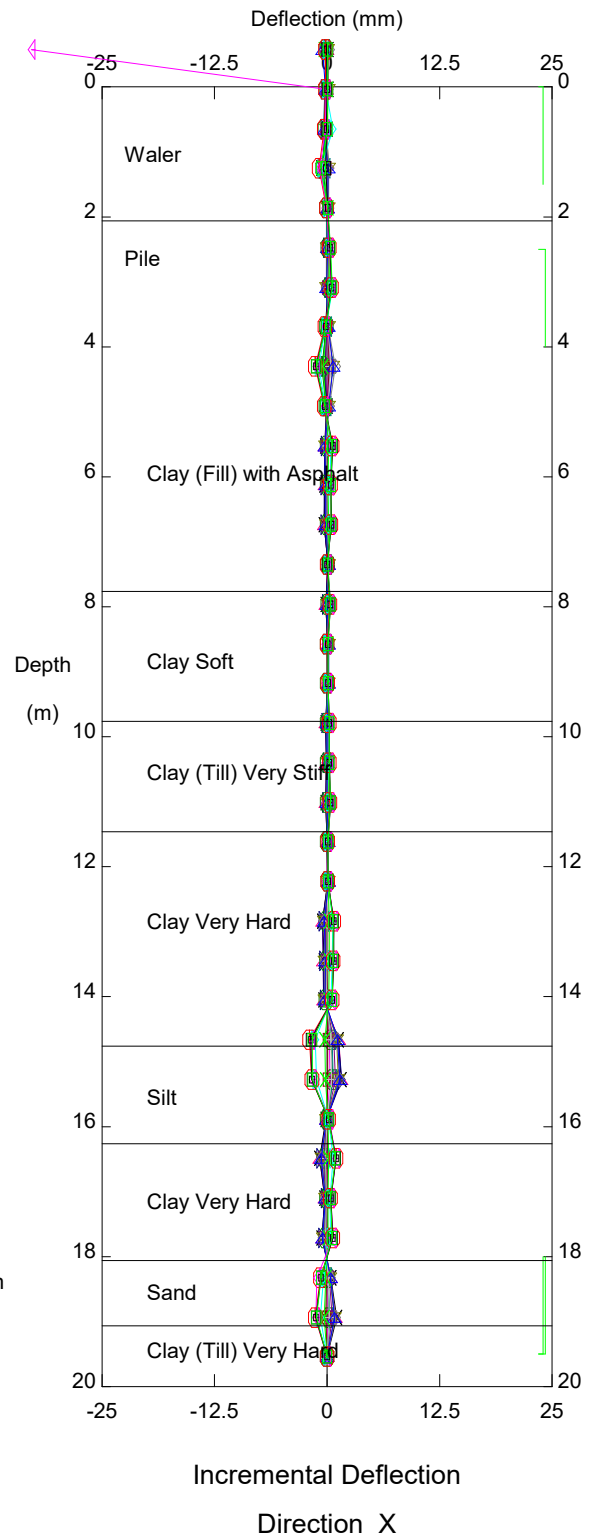
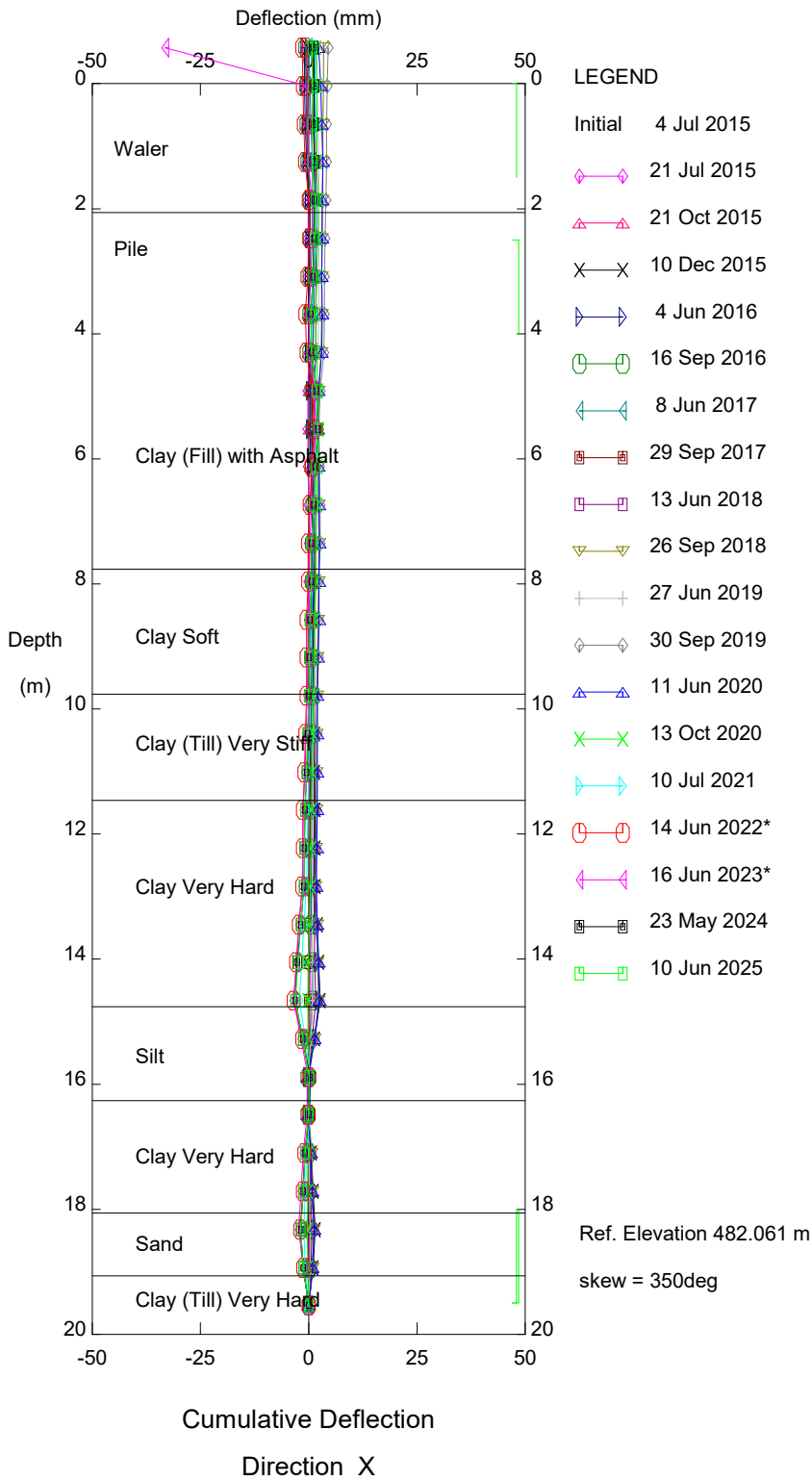
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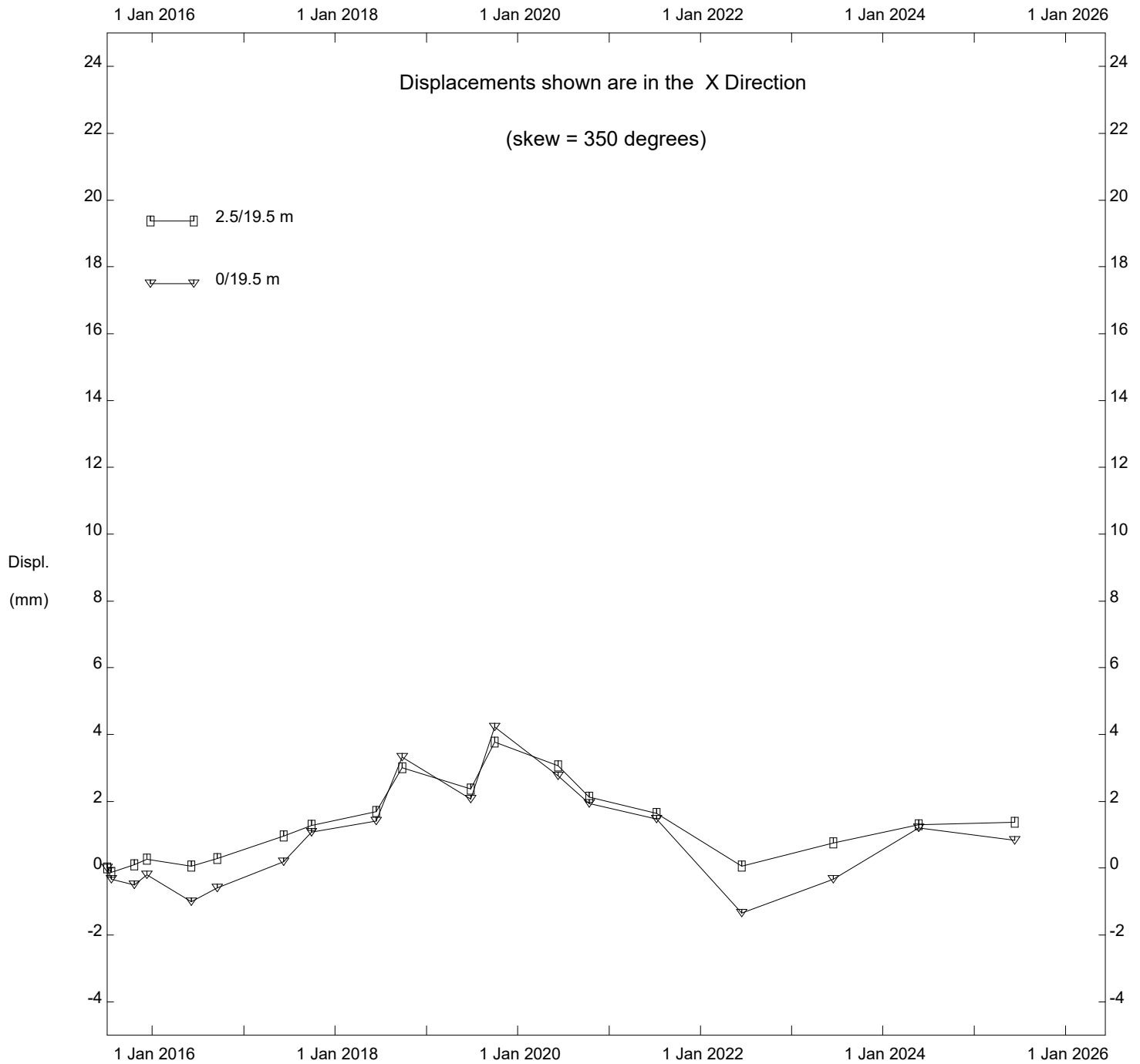
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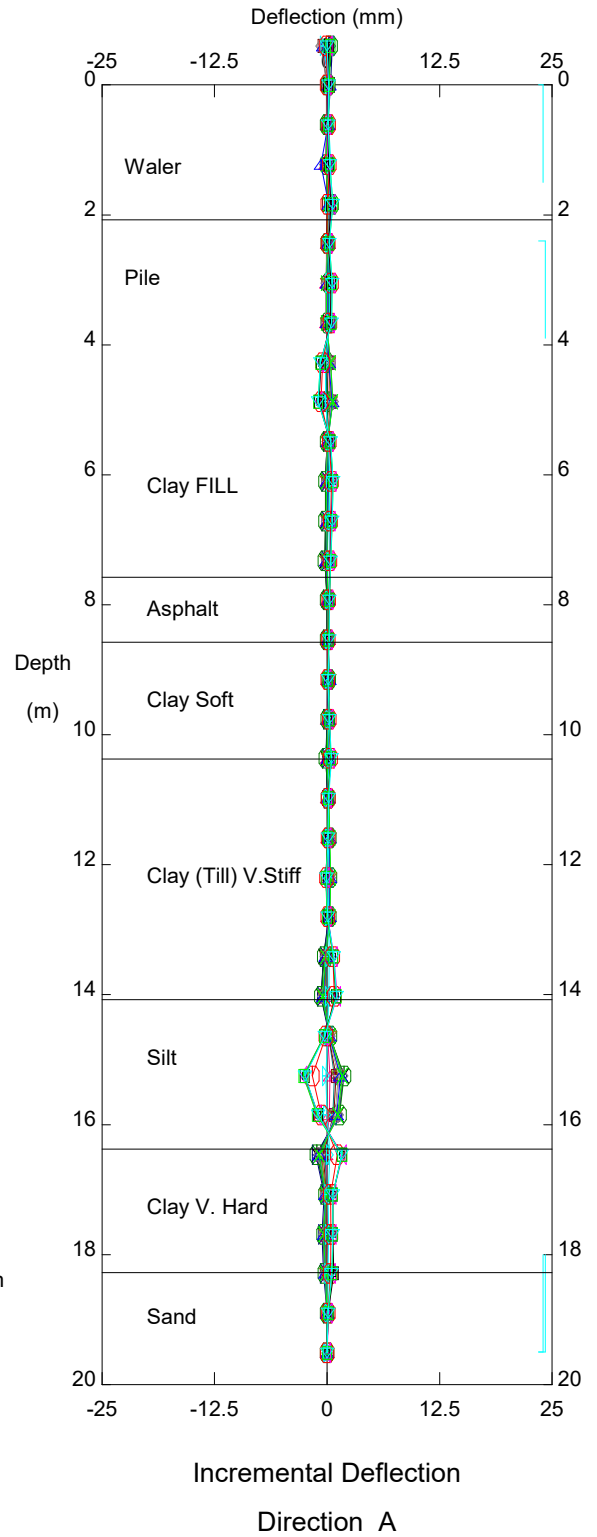
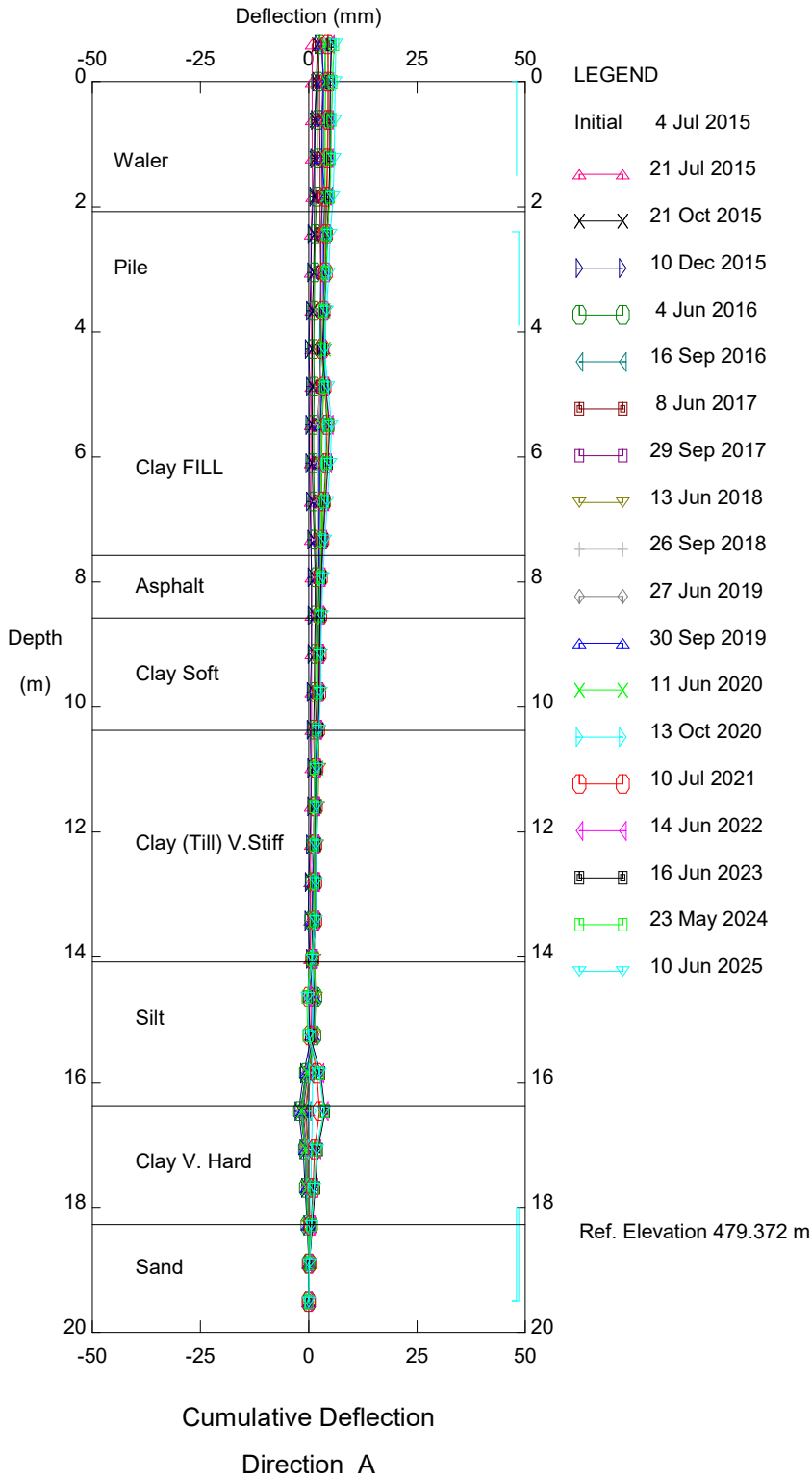


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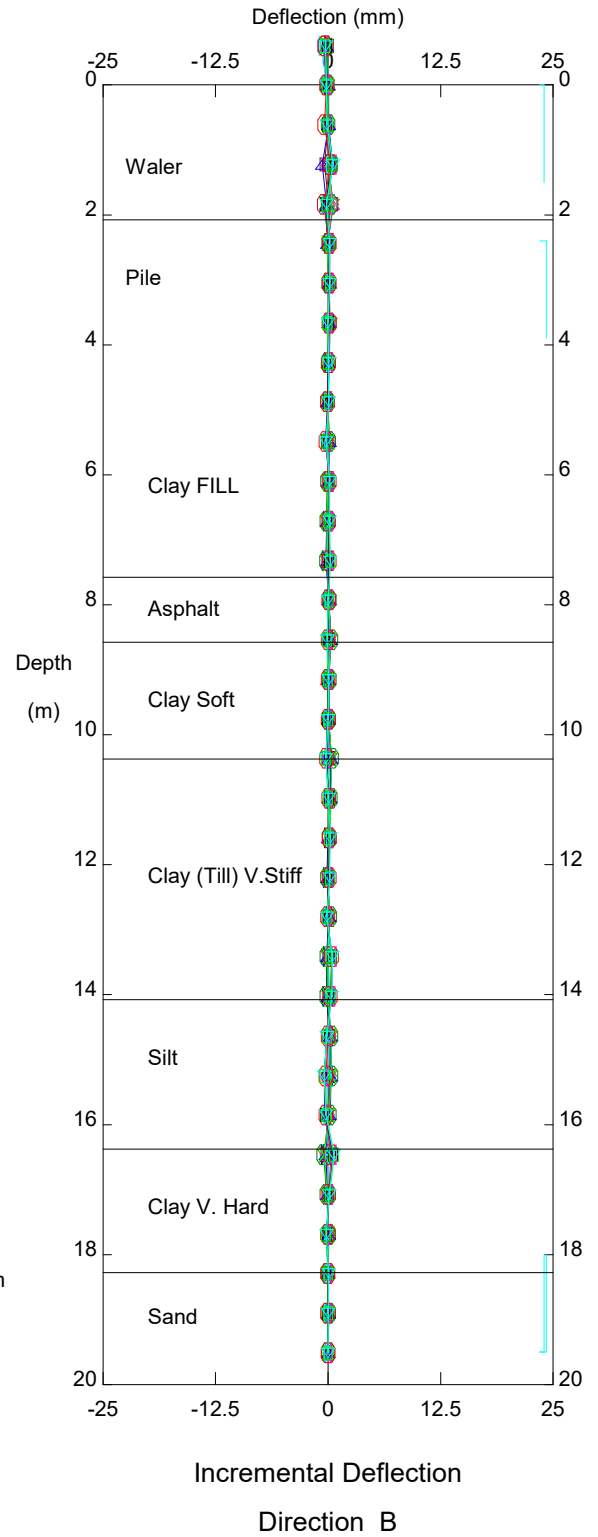
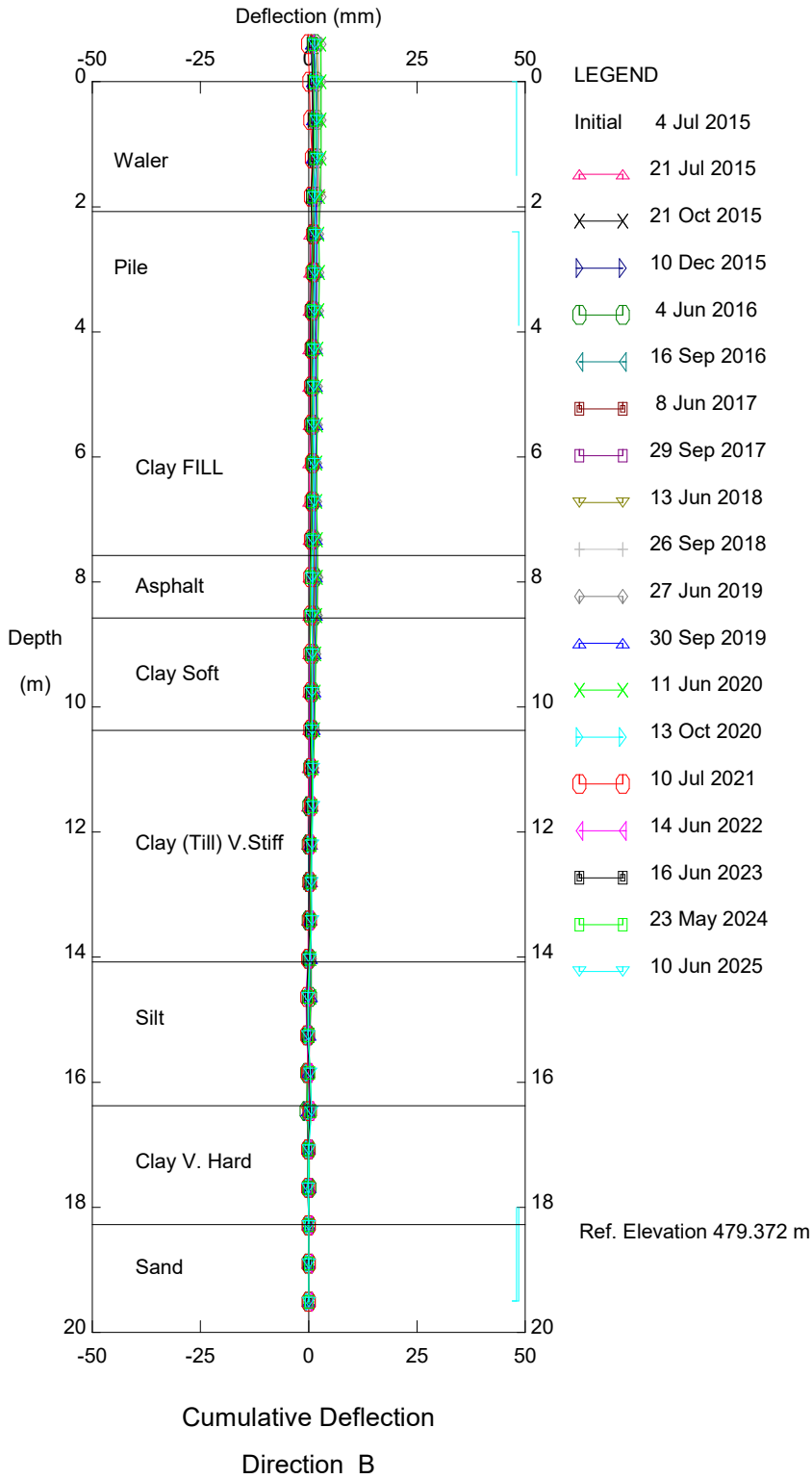


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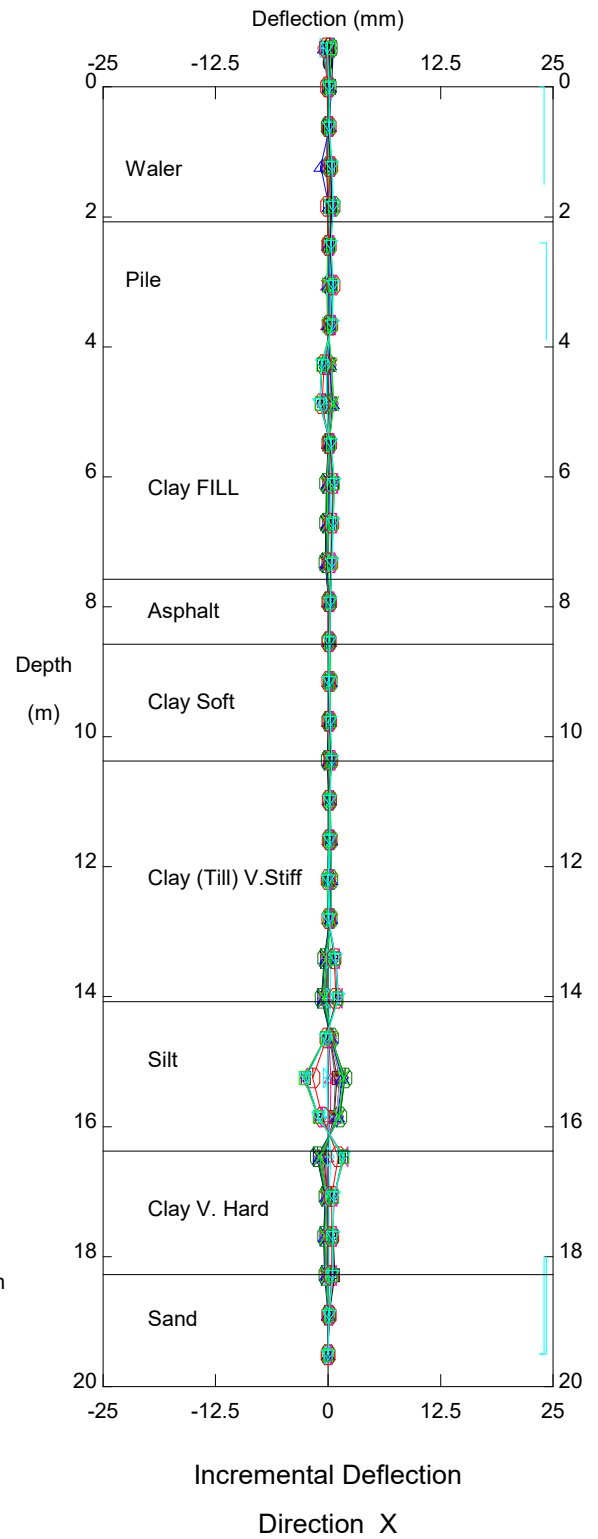
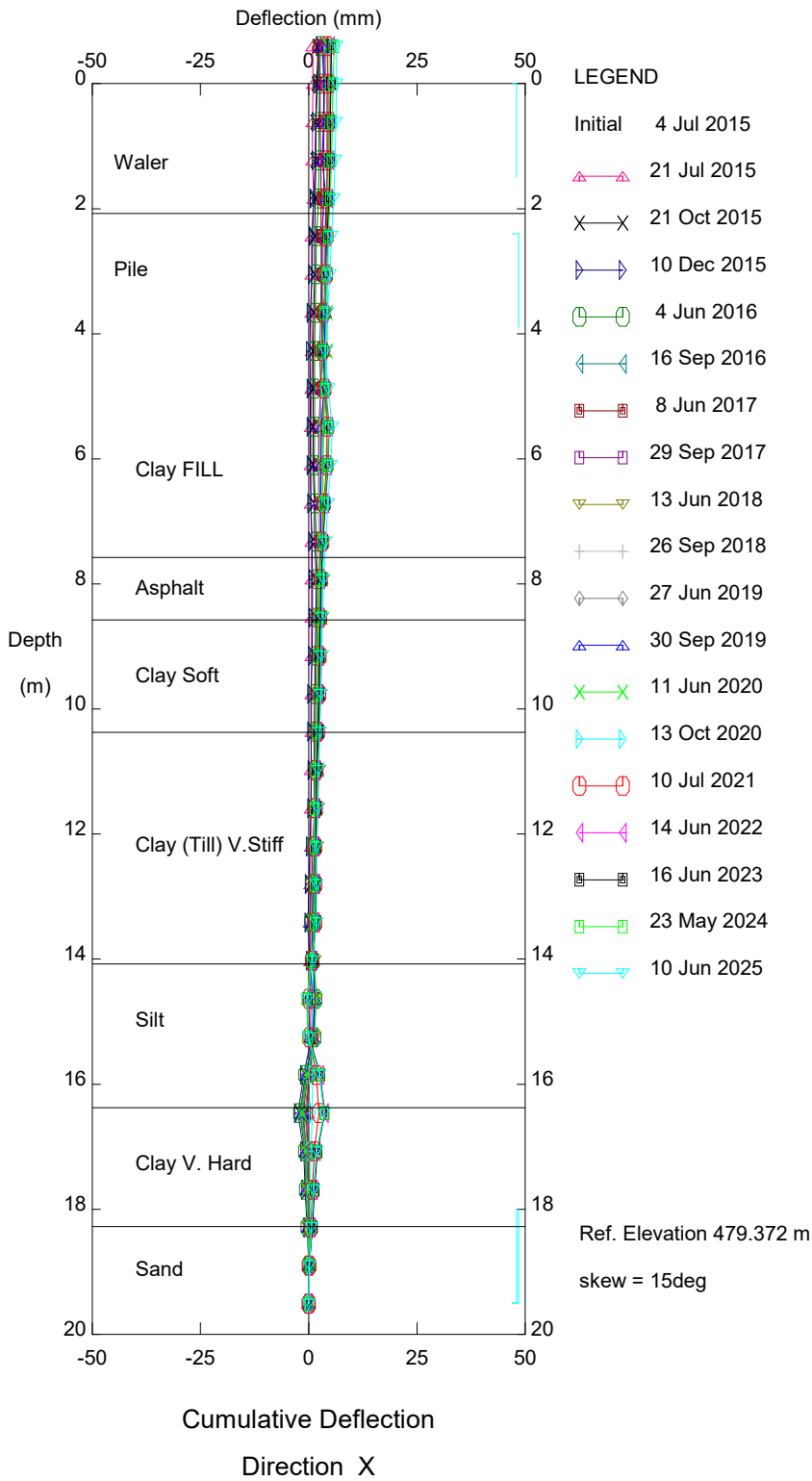


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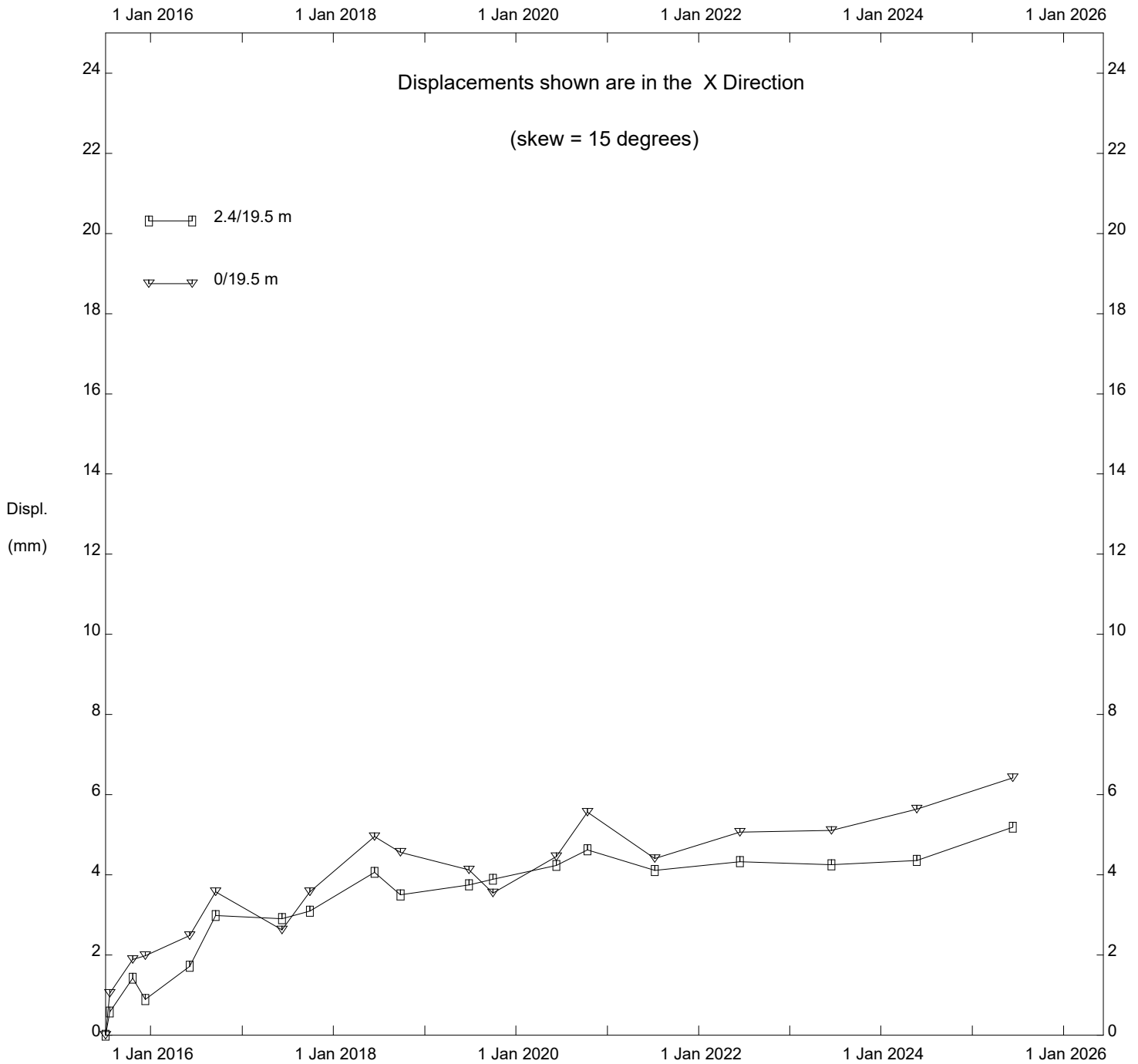


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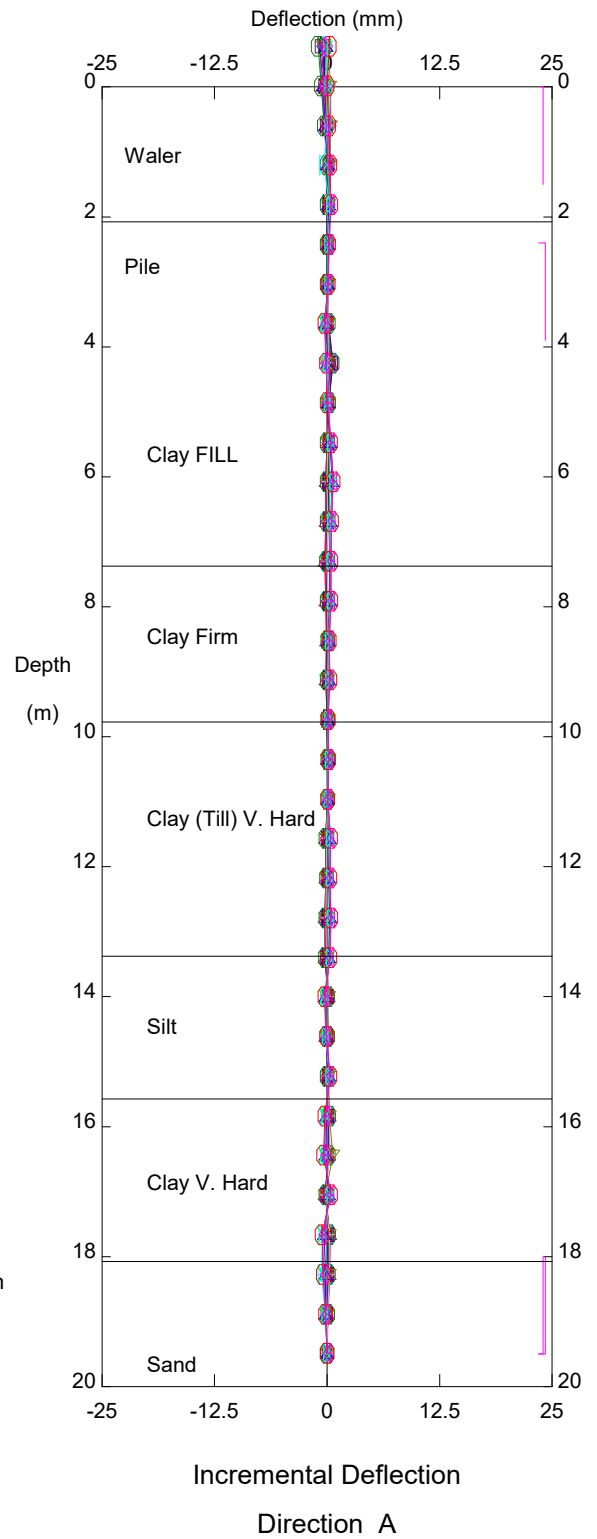
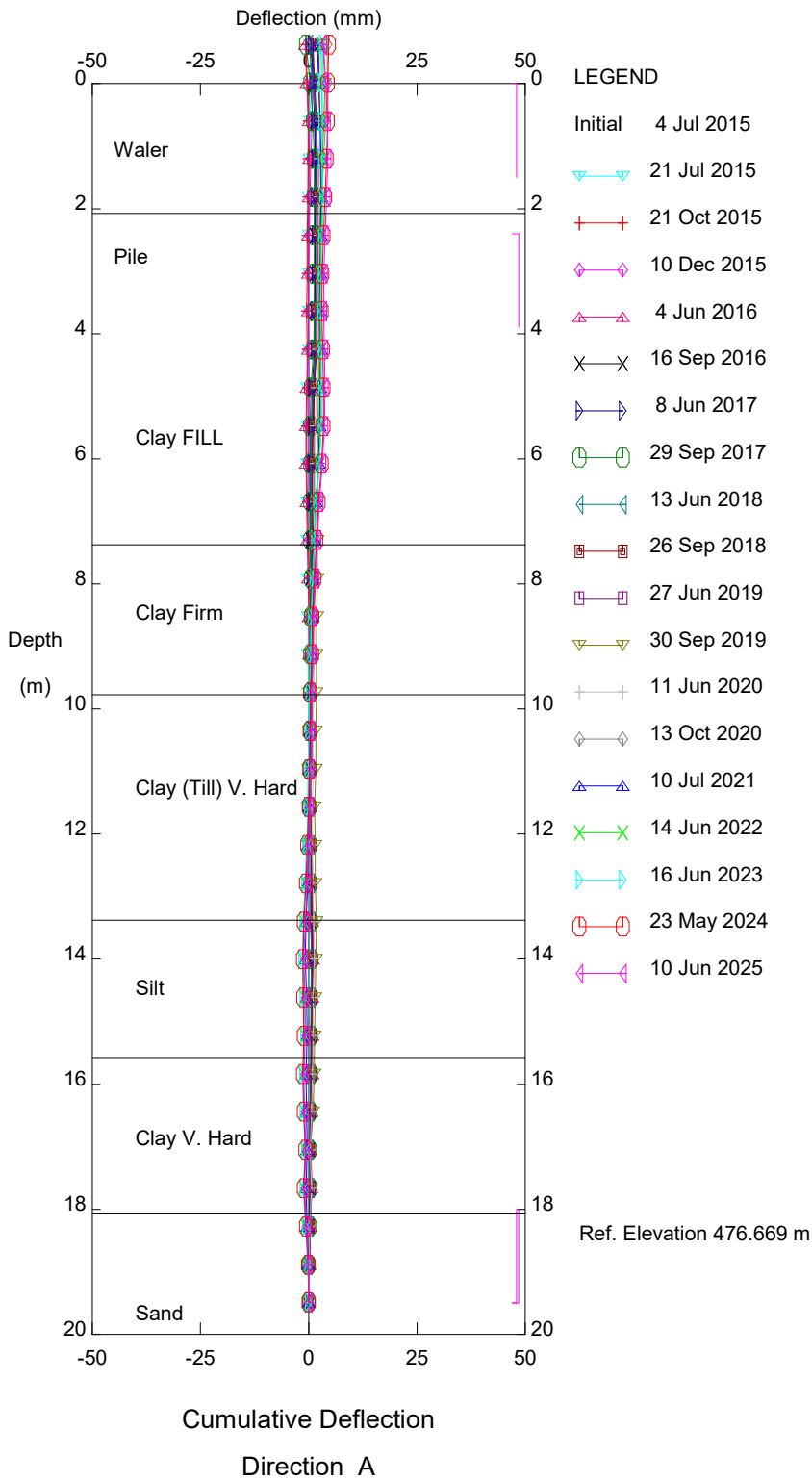


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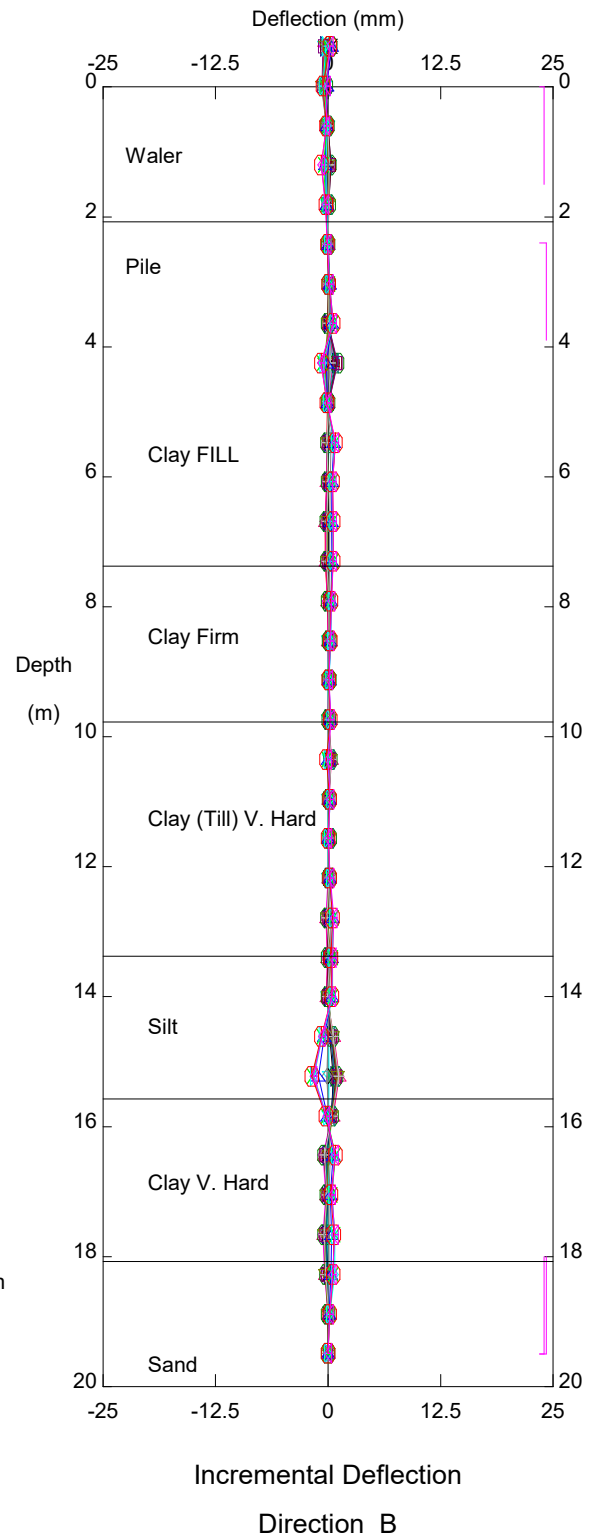
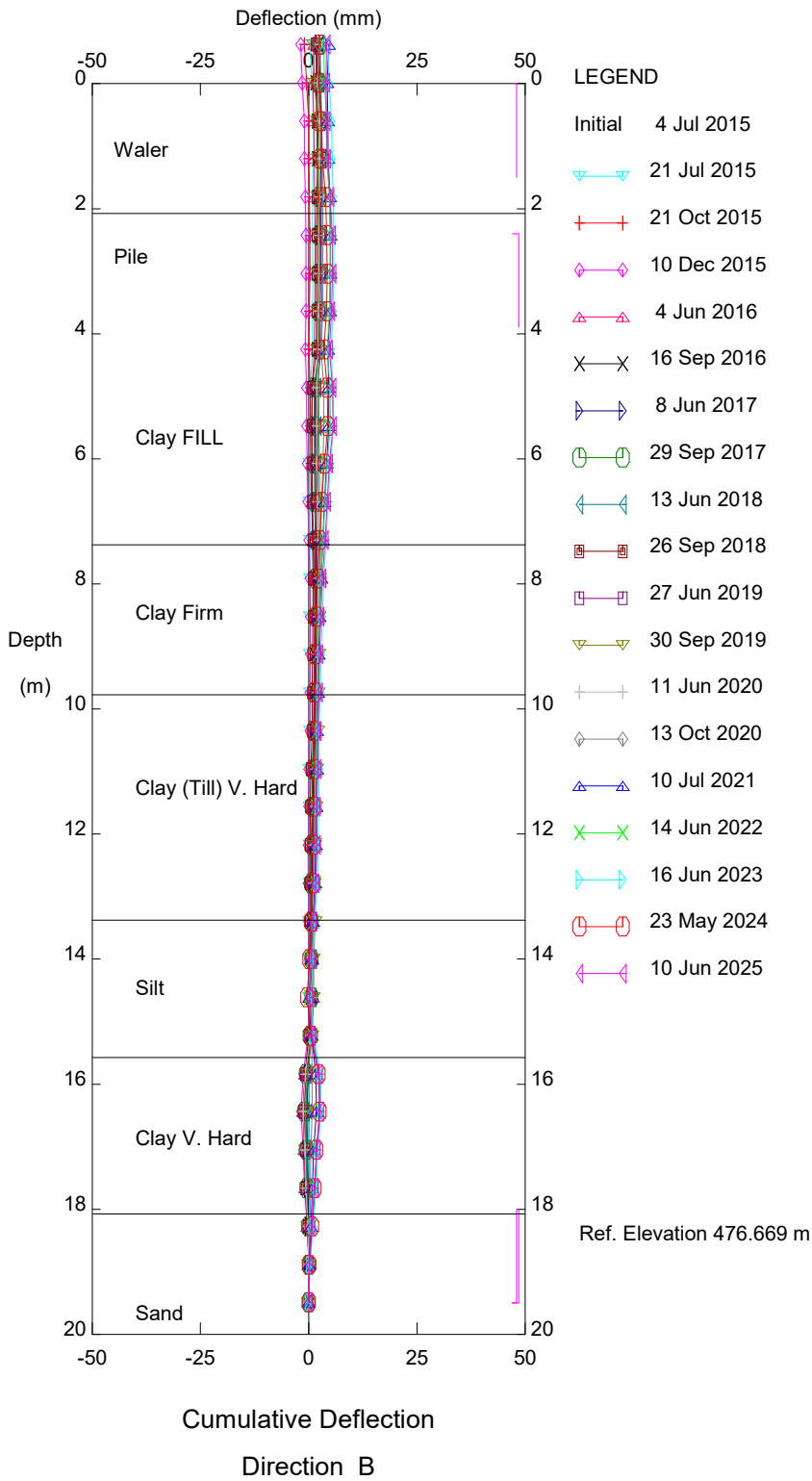


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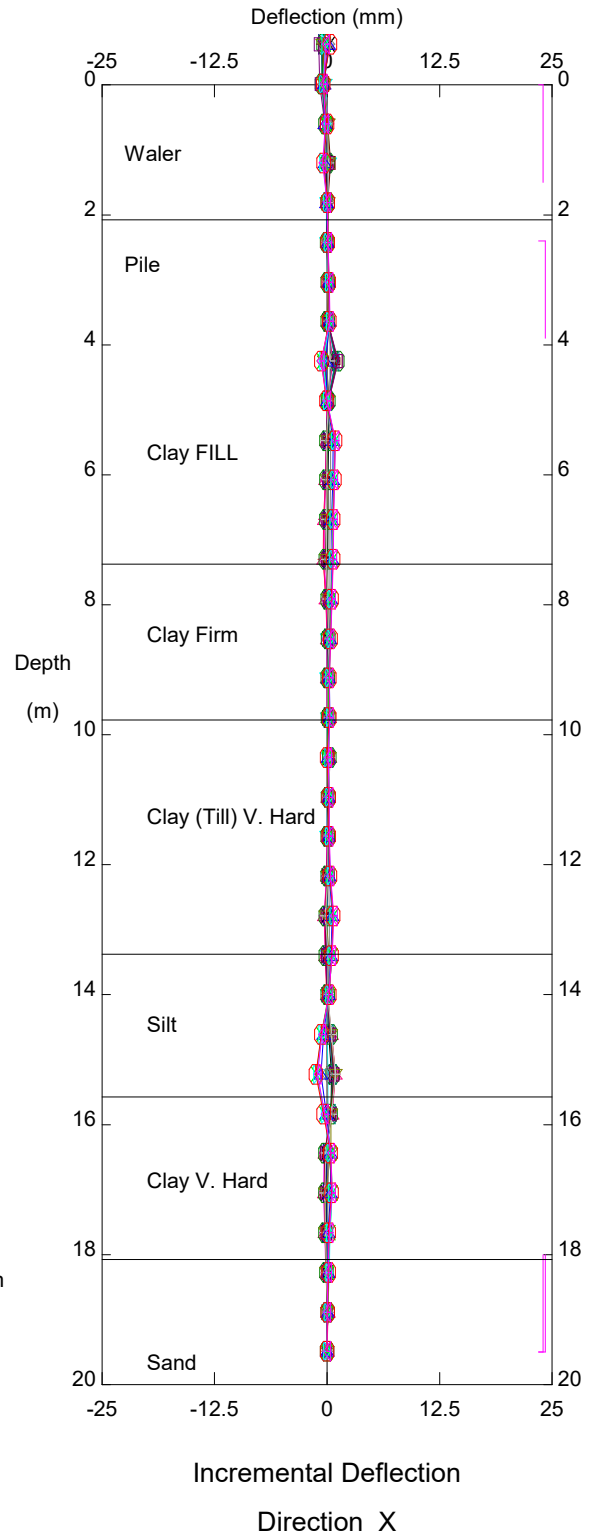
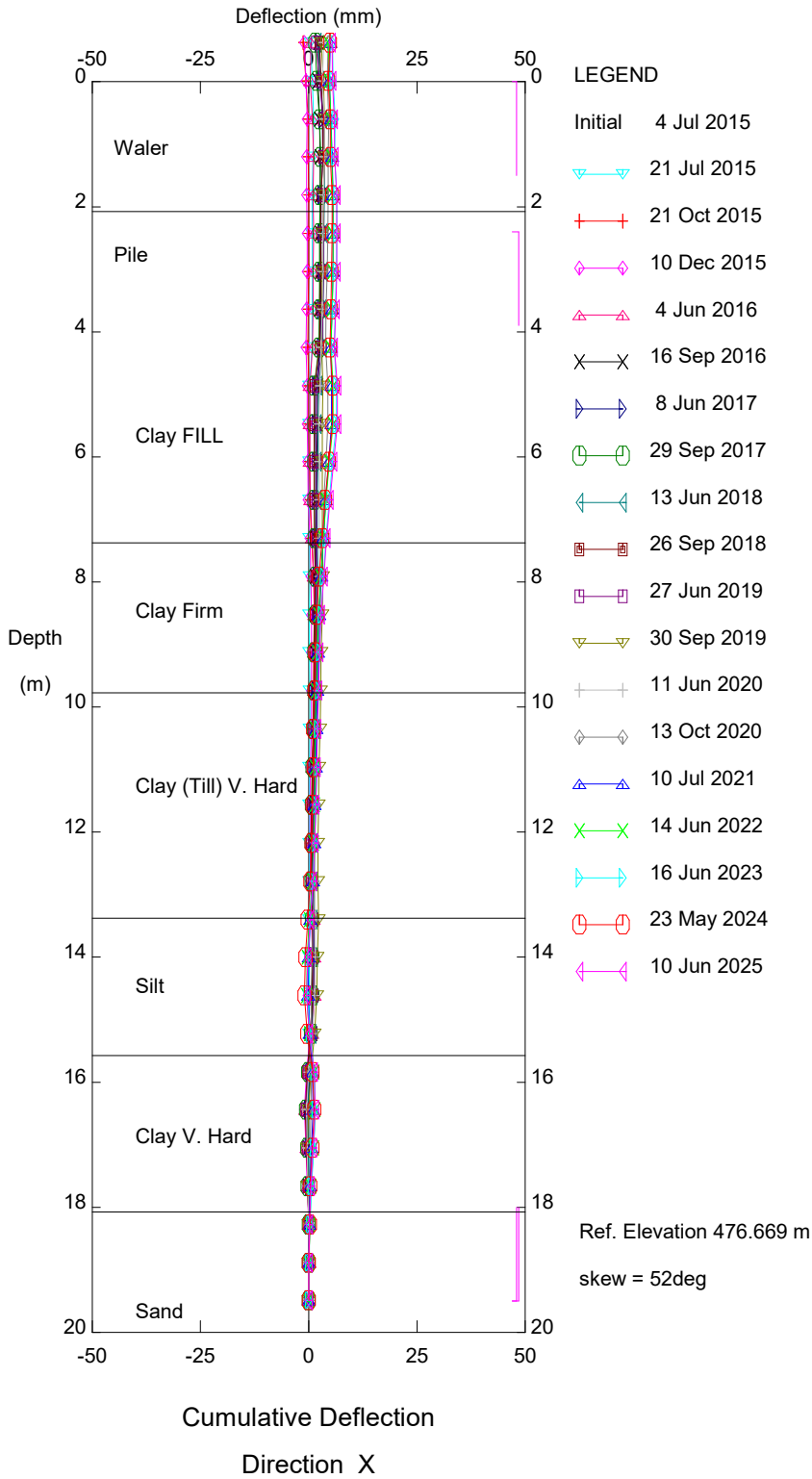


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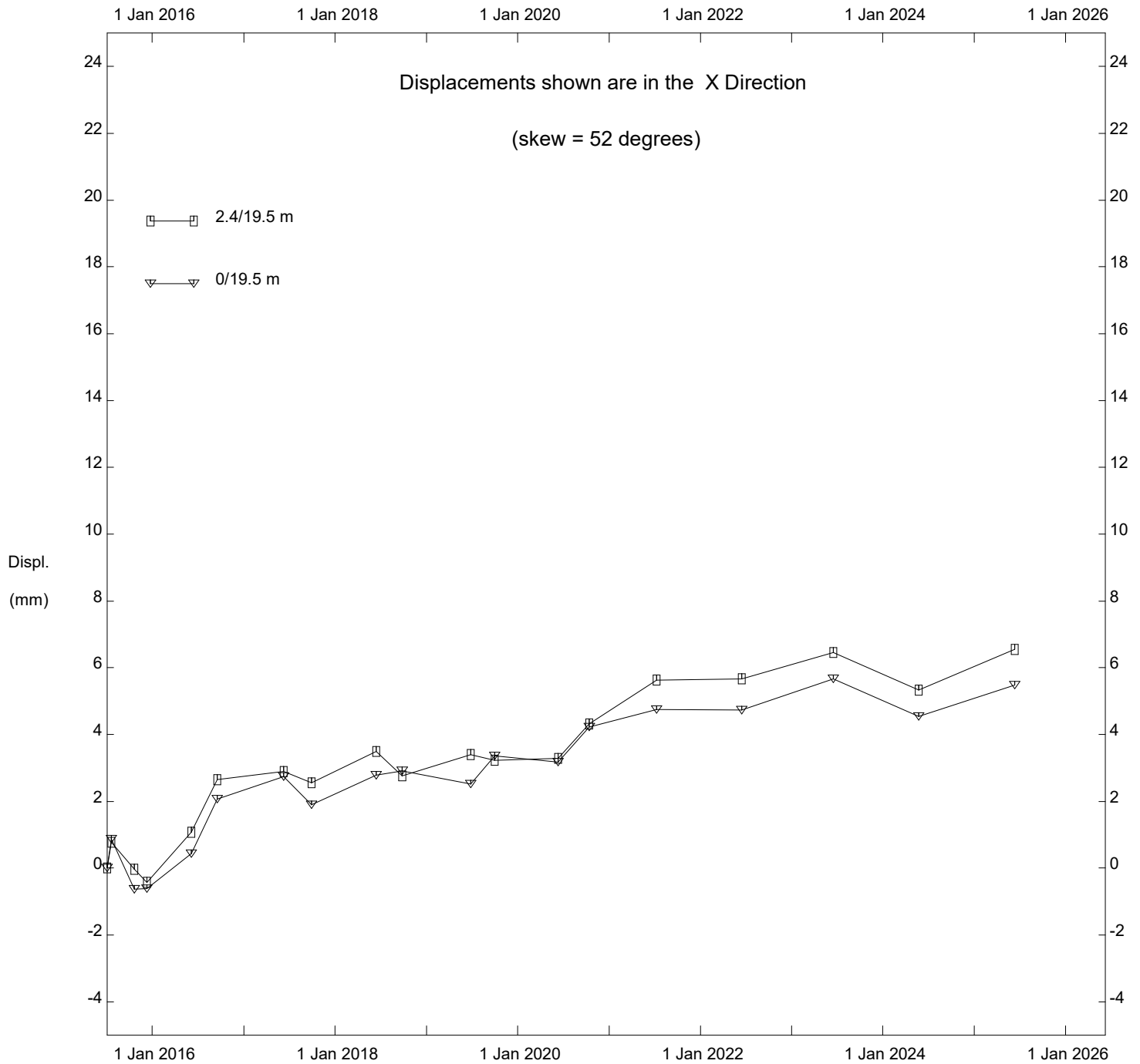


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# FIGURE PH072-1 SUNSHINE PILE WALL - LOAD CELLS

