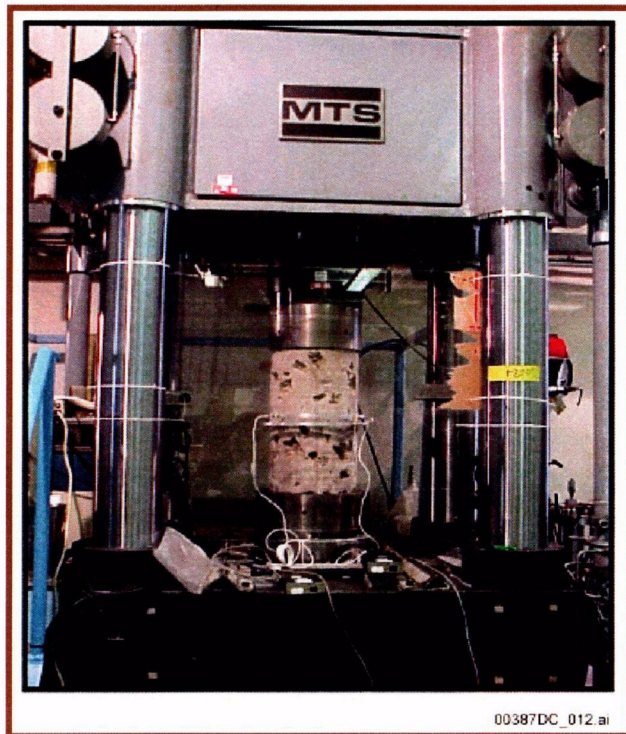
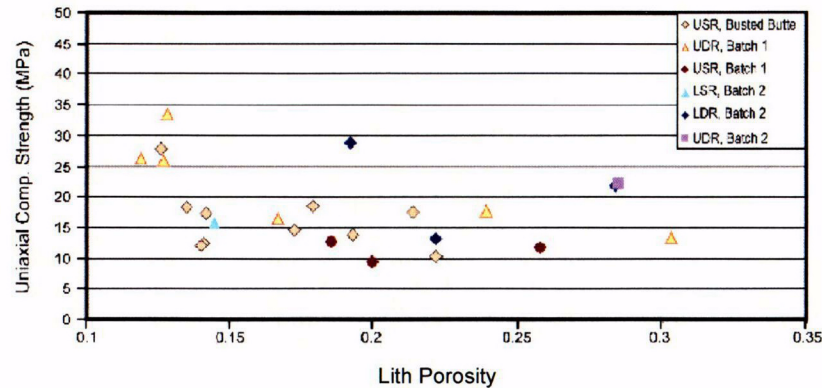


# Rock Mass Properties - Lithophysal Rock

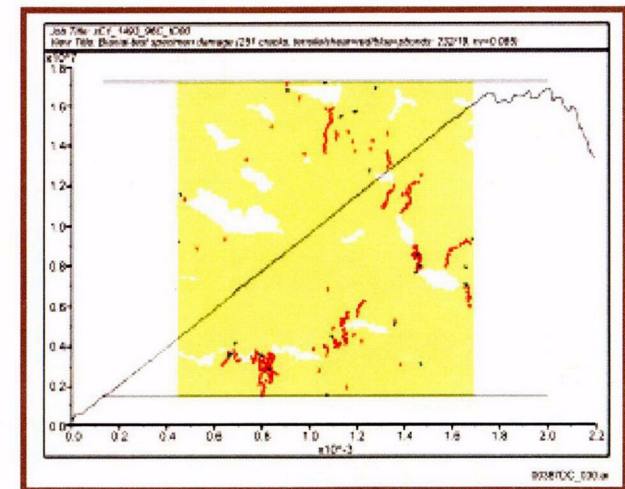
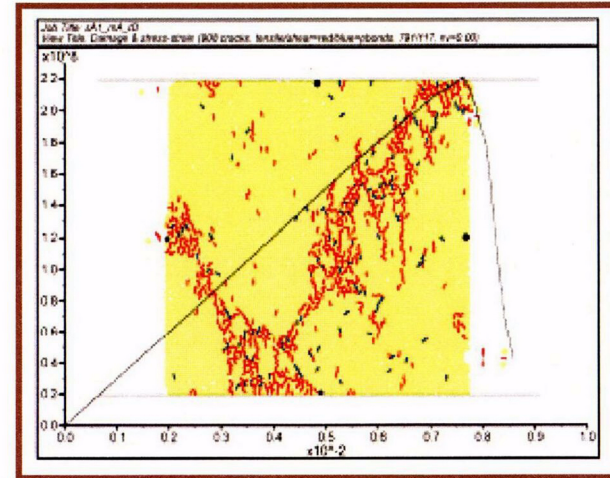
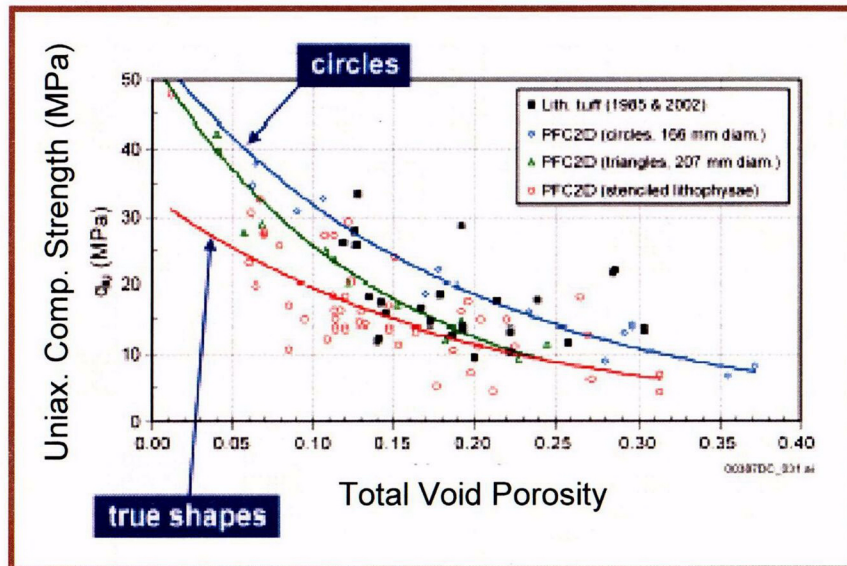


- Porosity has greatest impact on mechanical properties
- For design and analysis purposes:
  - Subdivide range of properties into strength categories that cover range of lithophysal porosities observed from mapping



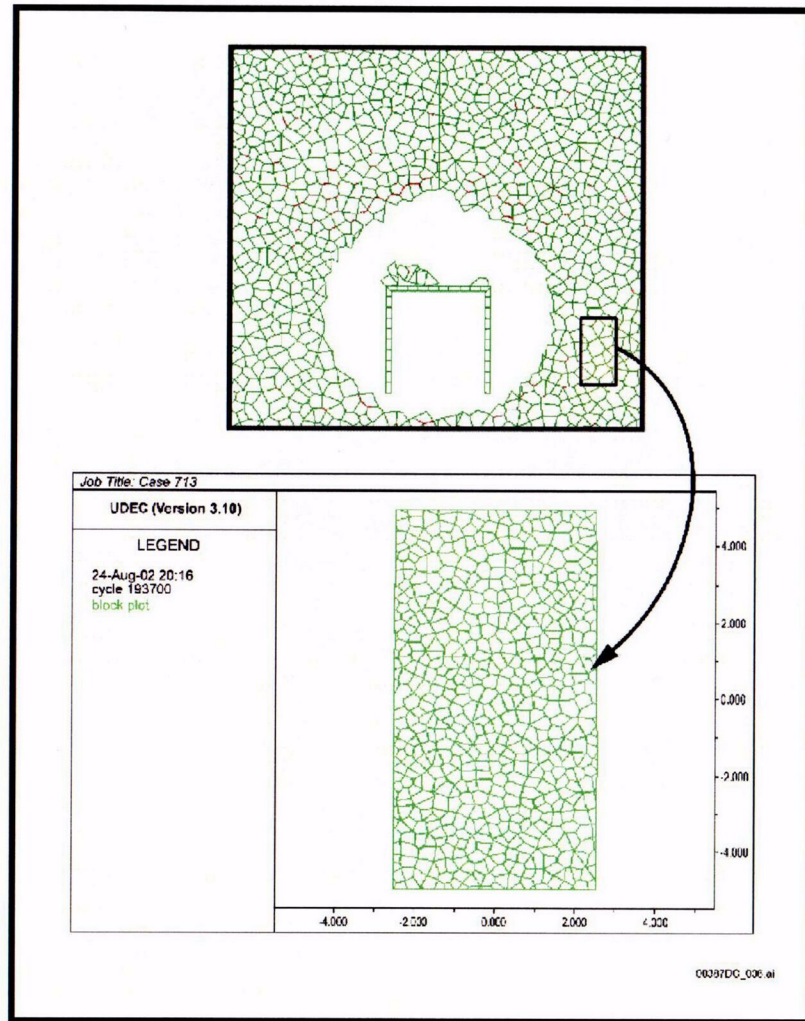
# Generalization of Lithophysal Rock into Numerical Modeling Approach

- **Use Particle Flow Code “Micromechanical” model to understand basic mechanical response**
- **Calibrated model used for extrapolation to define range of variability of lithophysal rock properties**





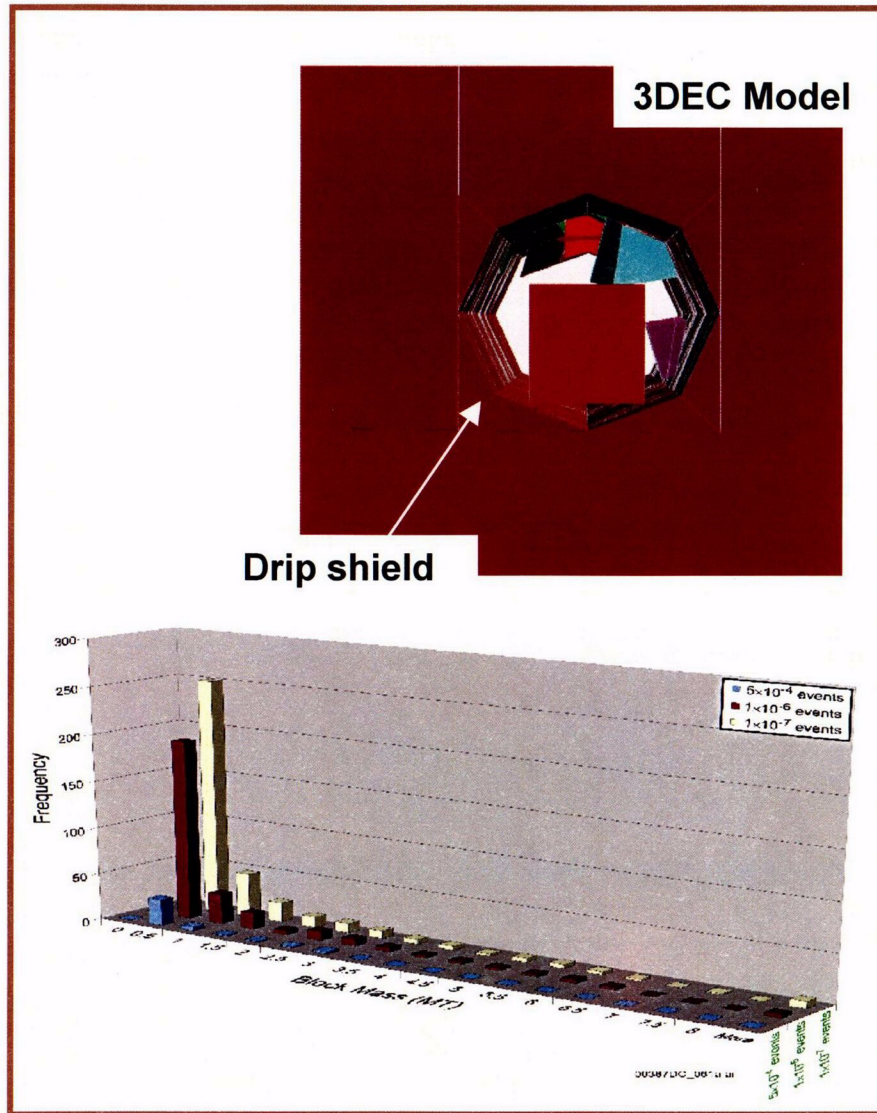
# Drift Scale Lithophysal Model



- **Encapsulate the material behavior of lithophysal rock into a discontinuum model**
- **Model capable of reproducing basic mechanical response**
- **Model capable of simulating fracture and rockfall**



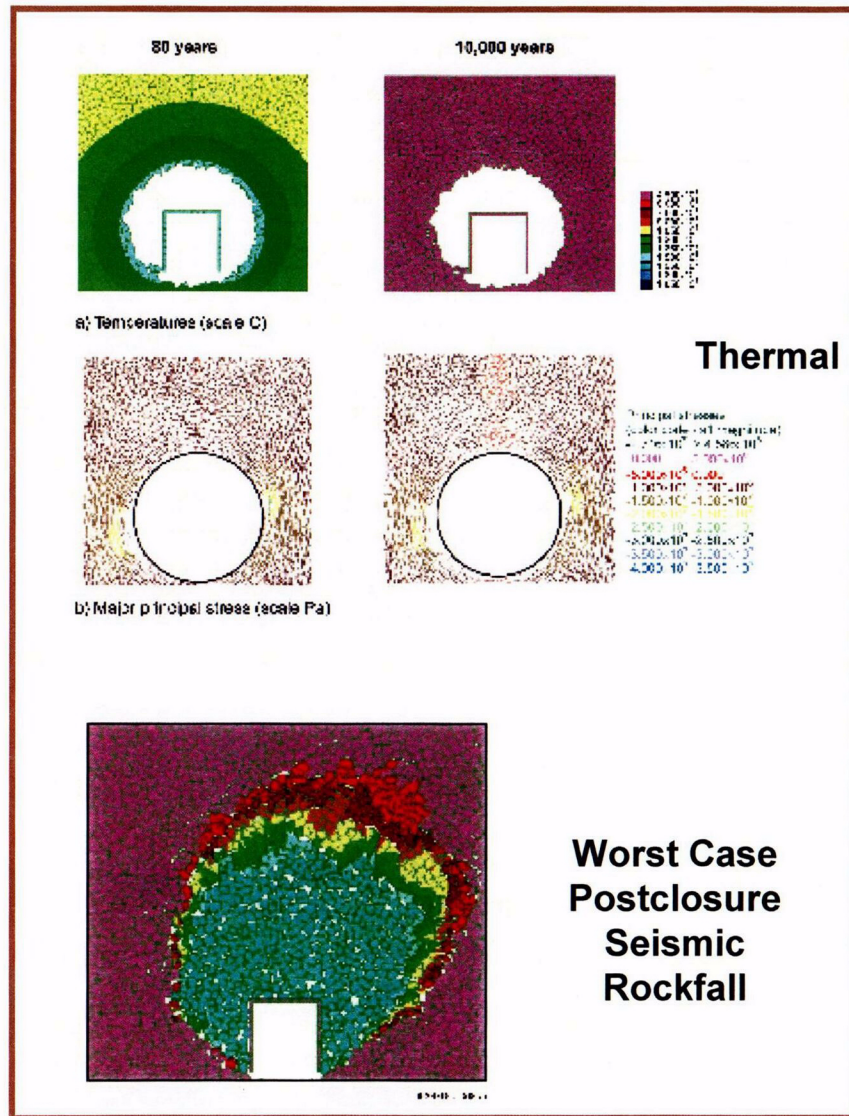
# Results of Rockfall Calculations - Non-Lithophysal Rock



- Stable conditions under in situ and thermal loading - little or no rockfall
- Seismic loading produces relatively small blocks with approximately 90 percent less than 1 meter cubed in volume
- Results fed to dynamic calculations of drip shield stability



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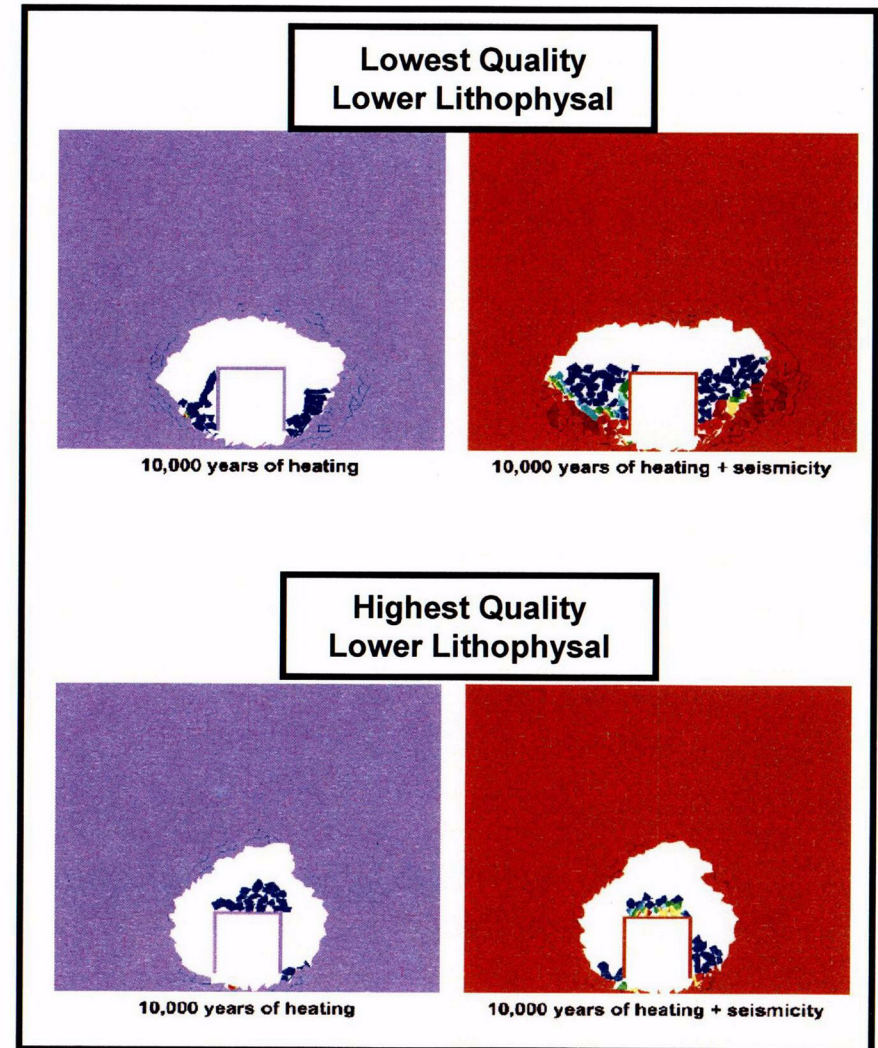


- Bounding study done for all range of rock mass quality categories
- Stable conditions under in situ and thermal loads
- Minor damage at springline (<0.5m depth) from in situ or thermal load
- Large acceleration postclosure ground motions cause self-filling of drifts
- Rock particles small - on order of 10 cm on a side



# Time-Dependent Degradation

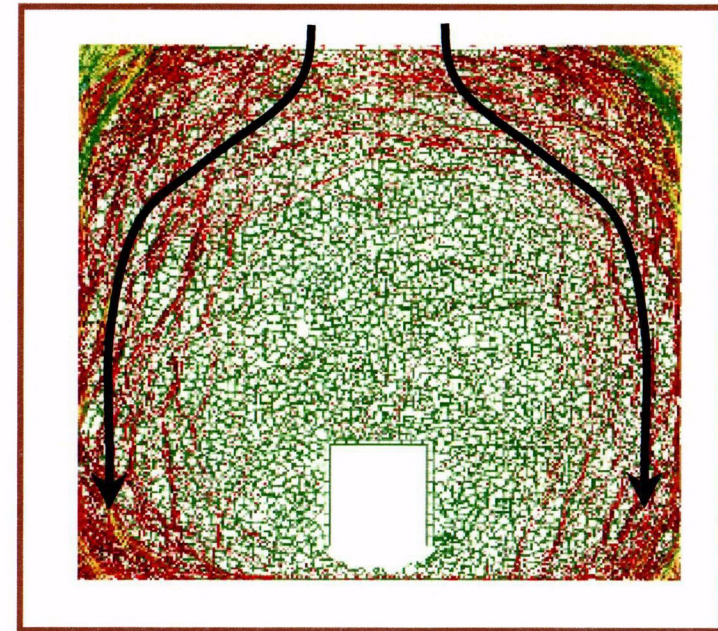
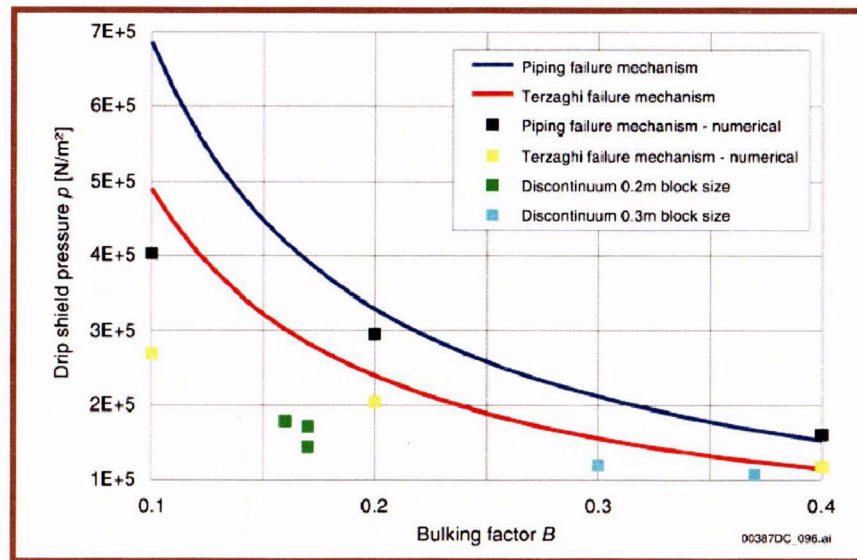
- Time-dependency estimate in hard rocks has not been extensively studied
- Complete collapse of tunnels is *not* inevitable
- Many tunnels and natural excavations (large lithophysae, caves, slopes) stand for millions of years without collapse
- Use of empirical “stand-up” time to predict degradation is not relevant
- Degradation rate is stress corrosion process, based on stress state and rock strength in presence of moisture
- Use static fatigue testing to estimate the “time-to-failure” as a function of stress state - incorporate in mechanics-based numerical model





# Static Loading on Drip Shield from Rockfall

- Most conservative case is full collapse of tunnels - estimate drip shield load for this case
- Used several different methods, including analytical kinematic solutions and modeling of progressive degradation and load development
- Most reasonable is discontinuum approach where load develops naturally and some arching occurs





# Conclusions

- **Drift degradation studies based on site-specific geologic mapping, in situ stress measurements and rock properties determination**
- **Appropriate discontinuum models used to extend testing to examine variation in properties**
- **Drift degradation studies conducted for applied in situ, thermal and seismic stressing. Calculations made for conservative range in material properties**
- **Time-dependent strength degradation estimated based on static fatigue testing of tuff and compared to granite**



# Conclusions

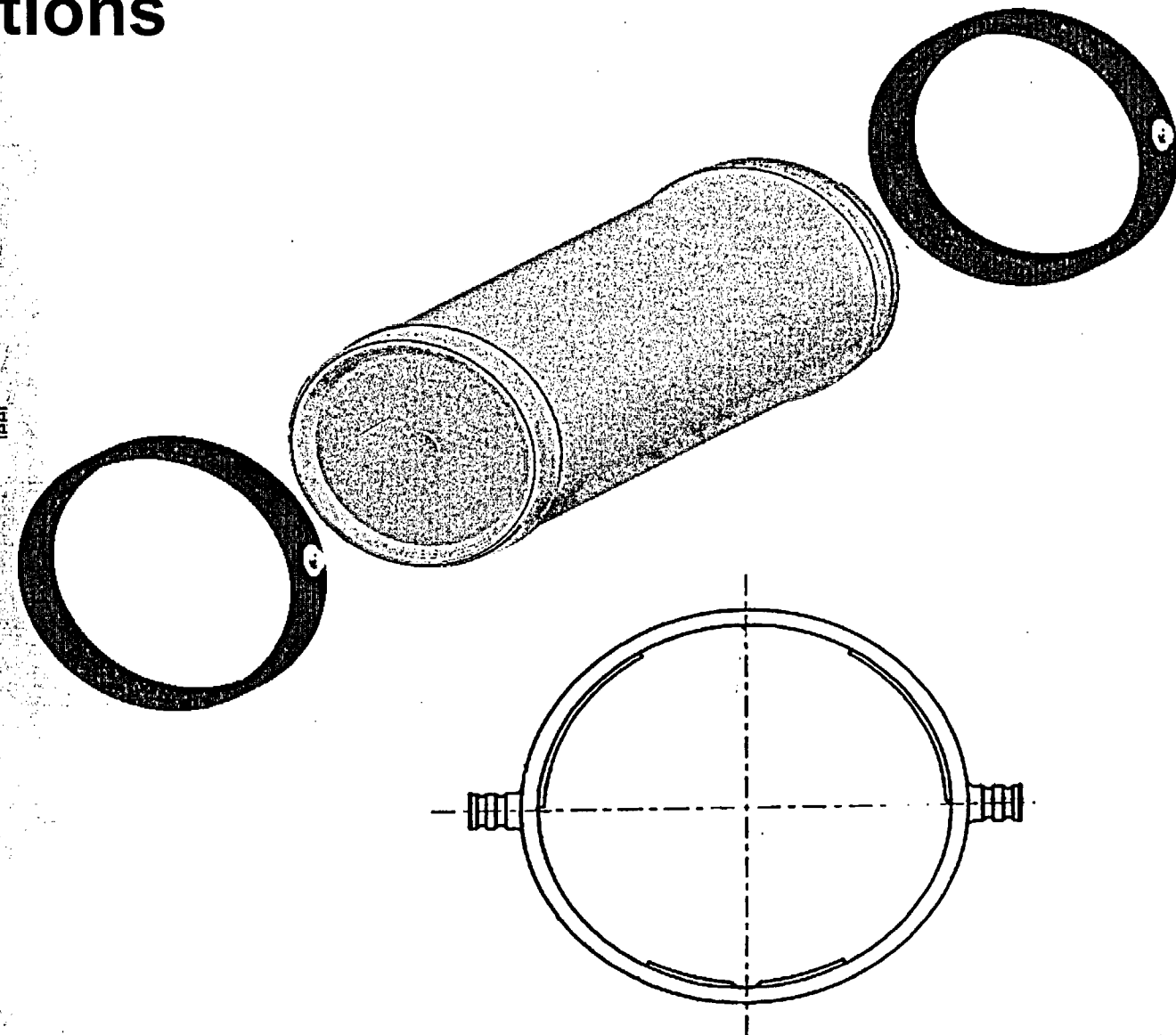
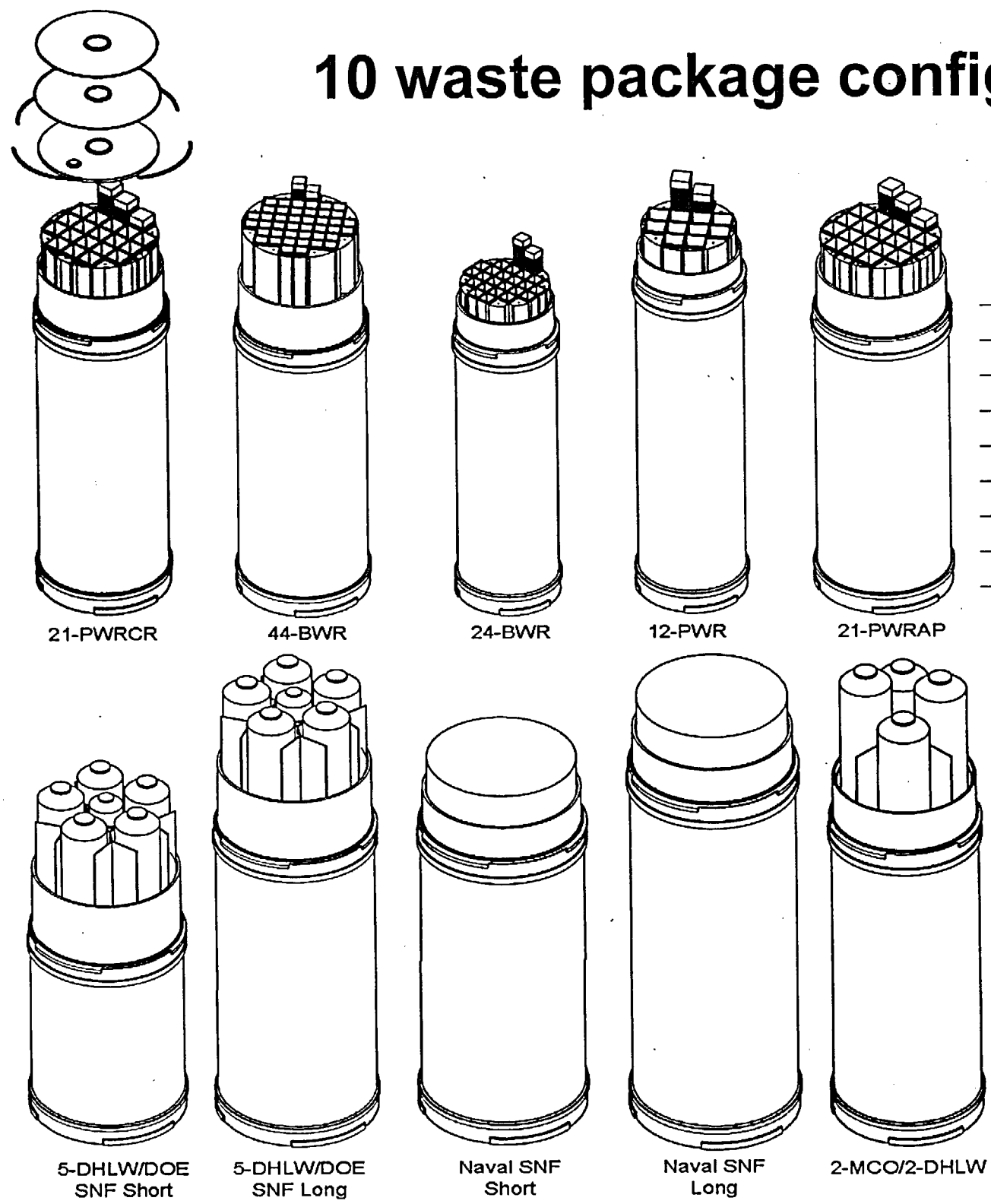
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- **Non-lithophysal rock**
  - Elastic conditions for in situ and thermal loading conditions
  - Rockfall size under seismic loading is typically small with mean block size of approx. 0.5 tonne. Most energetic rock block is 14 tonne
- **Lithophysal rock**
  - Minor sidewall yielding for in situ and thermal loading conditions for all strength categories
  - Time-dependent damage under action of in situ, thermal and seismic loading results in some sidewall yield shakedown
  - Large postclosure seismic events (likely not physically realizable) result in significant small rockfall in tunnels with associated quasi-static loading

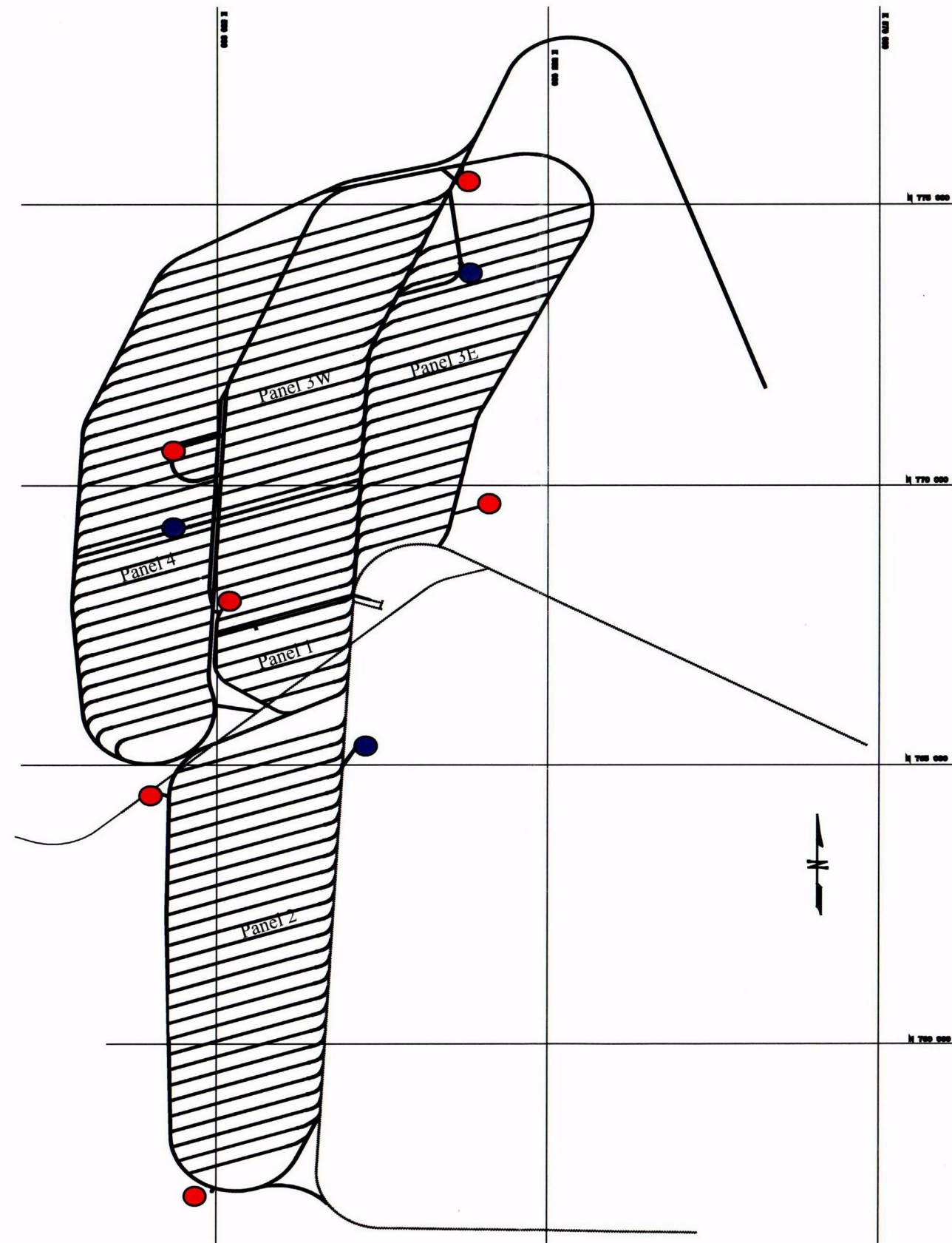




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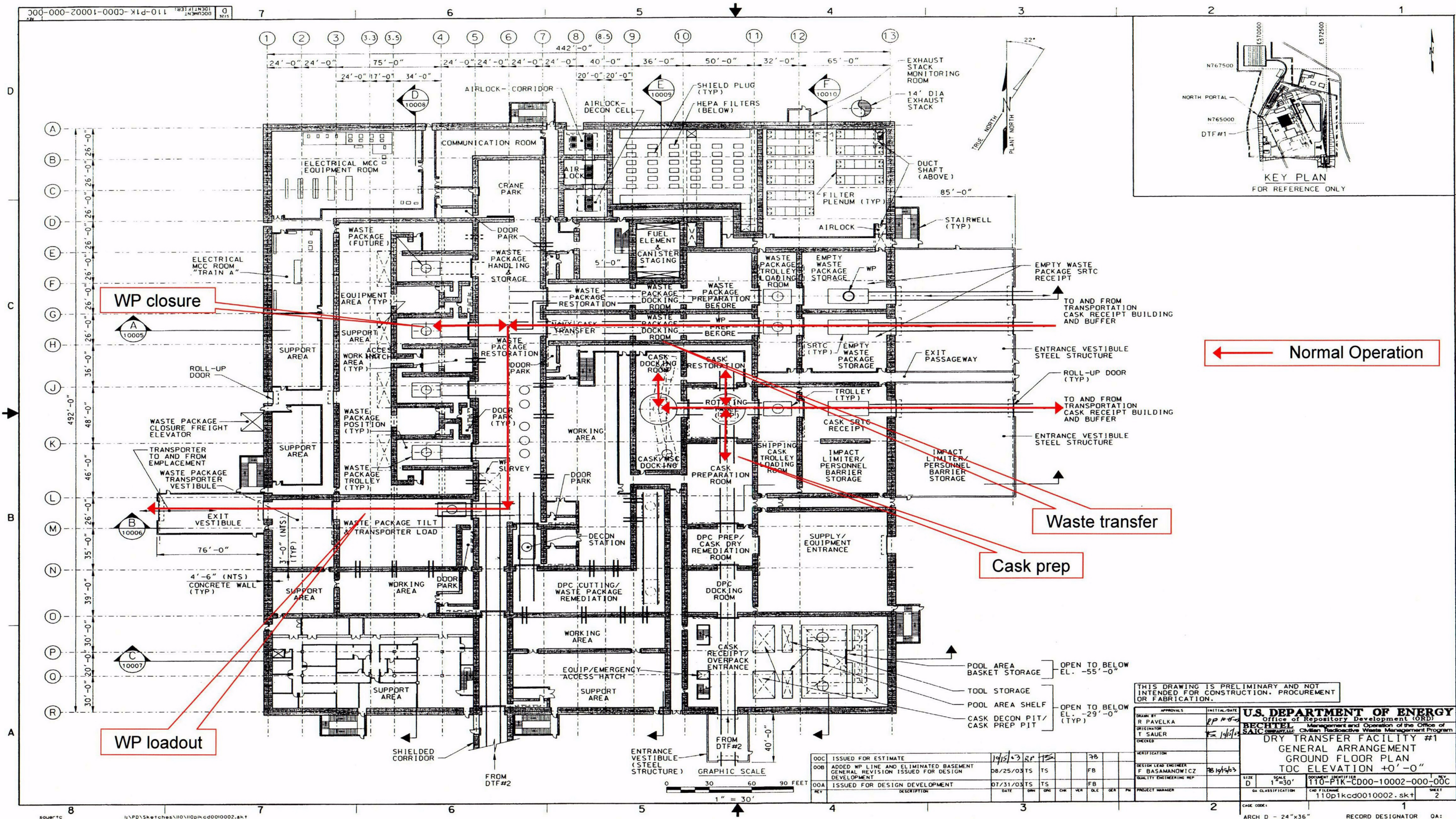
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- Intake Shaft
- Exhaust shaft or raise

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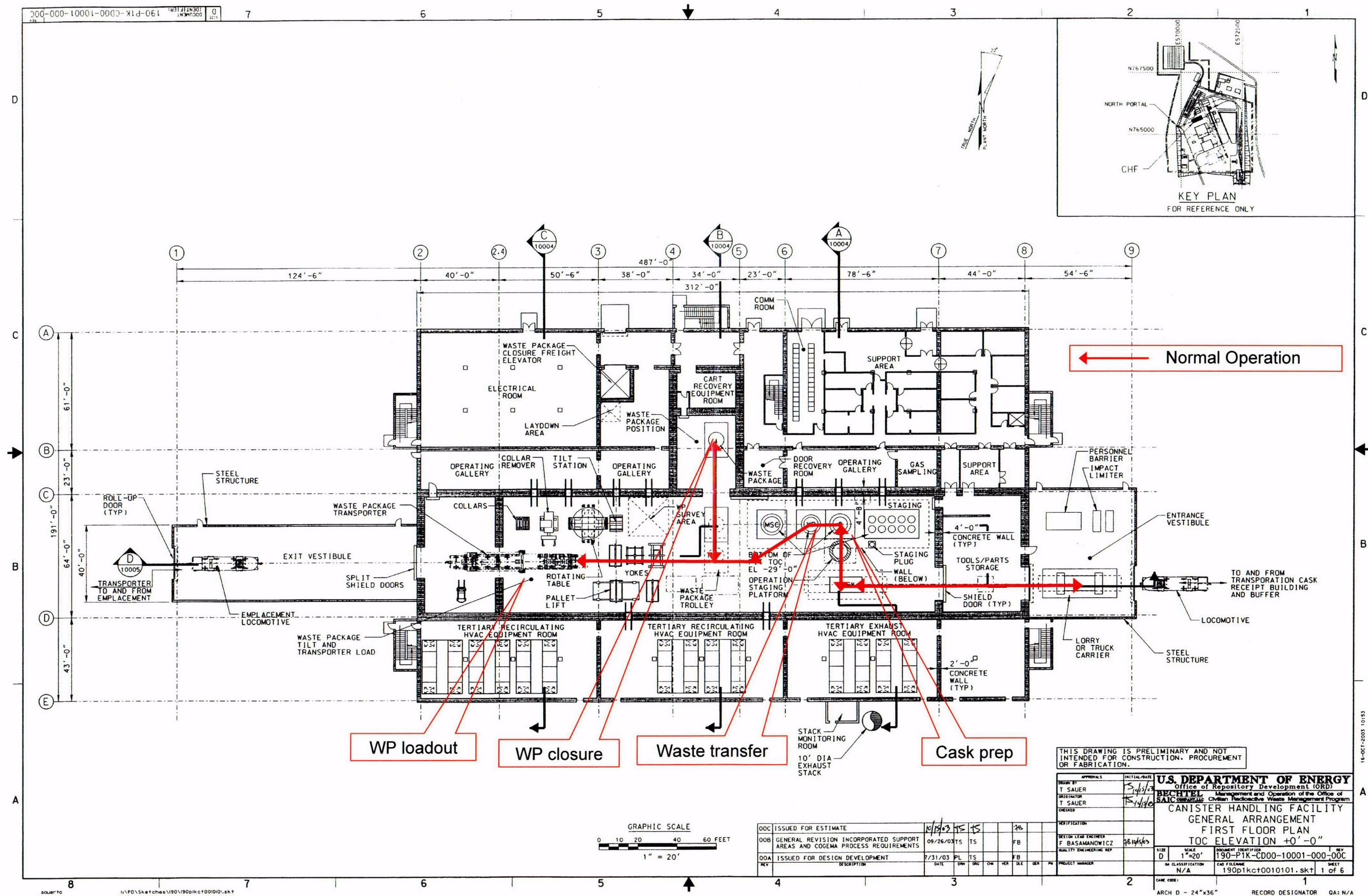
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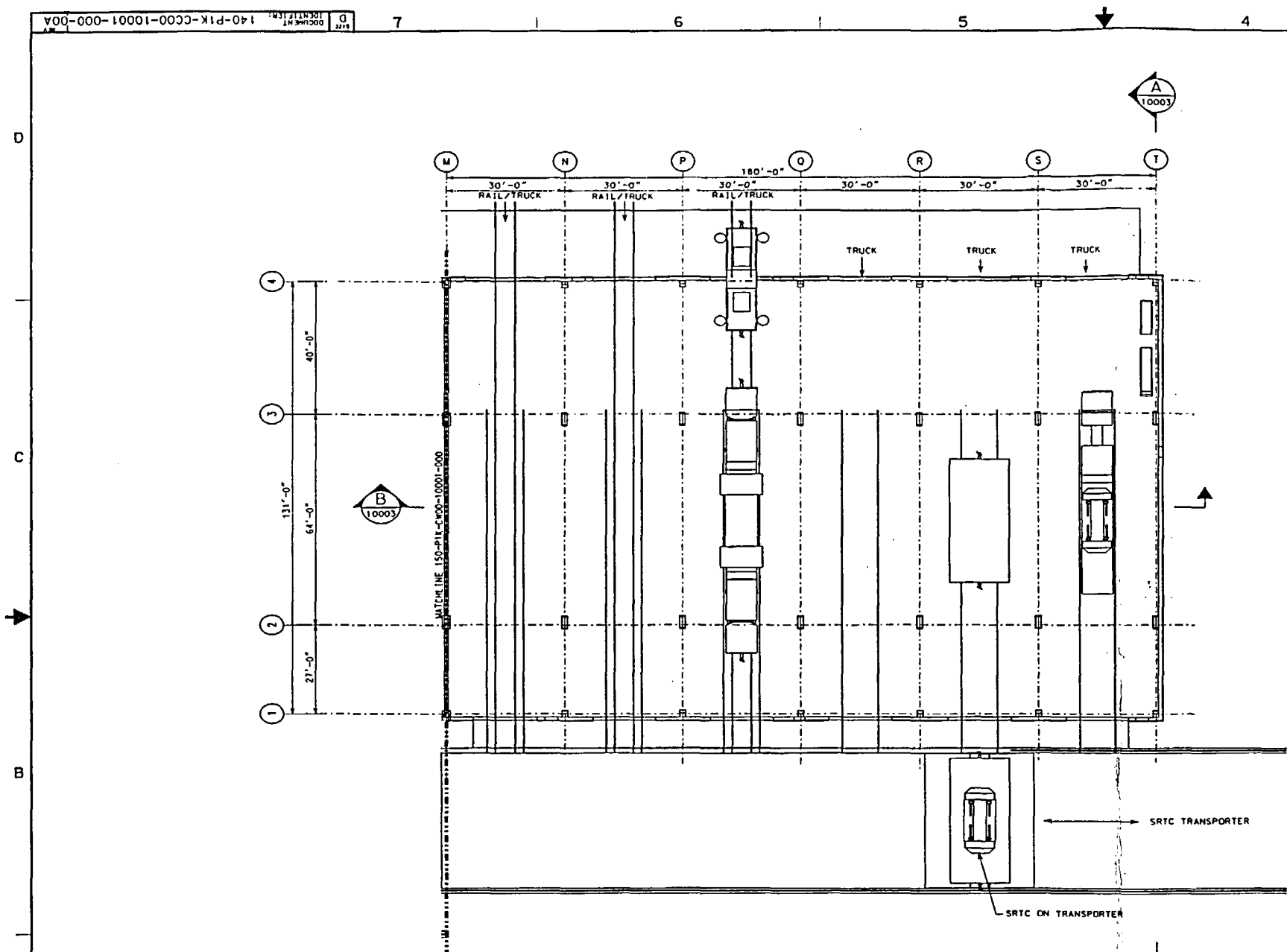
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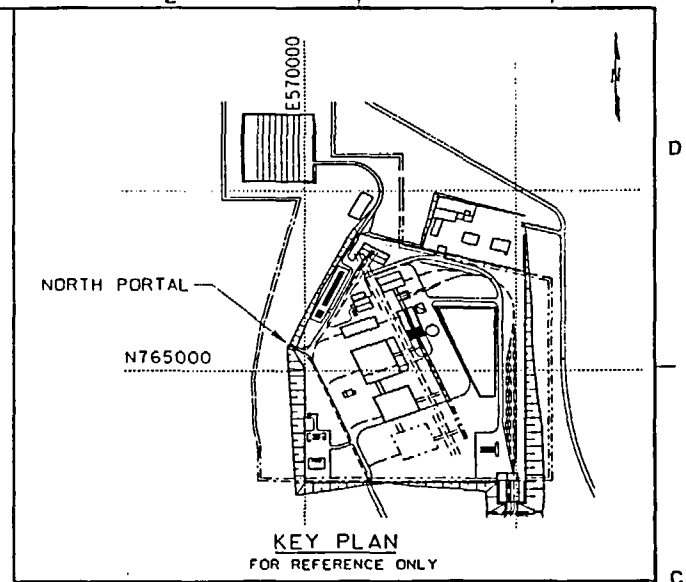
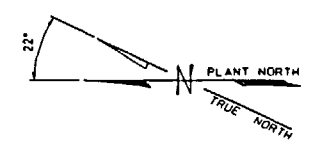
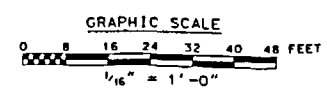




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PLAN ON GROUND FLOOR  
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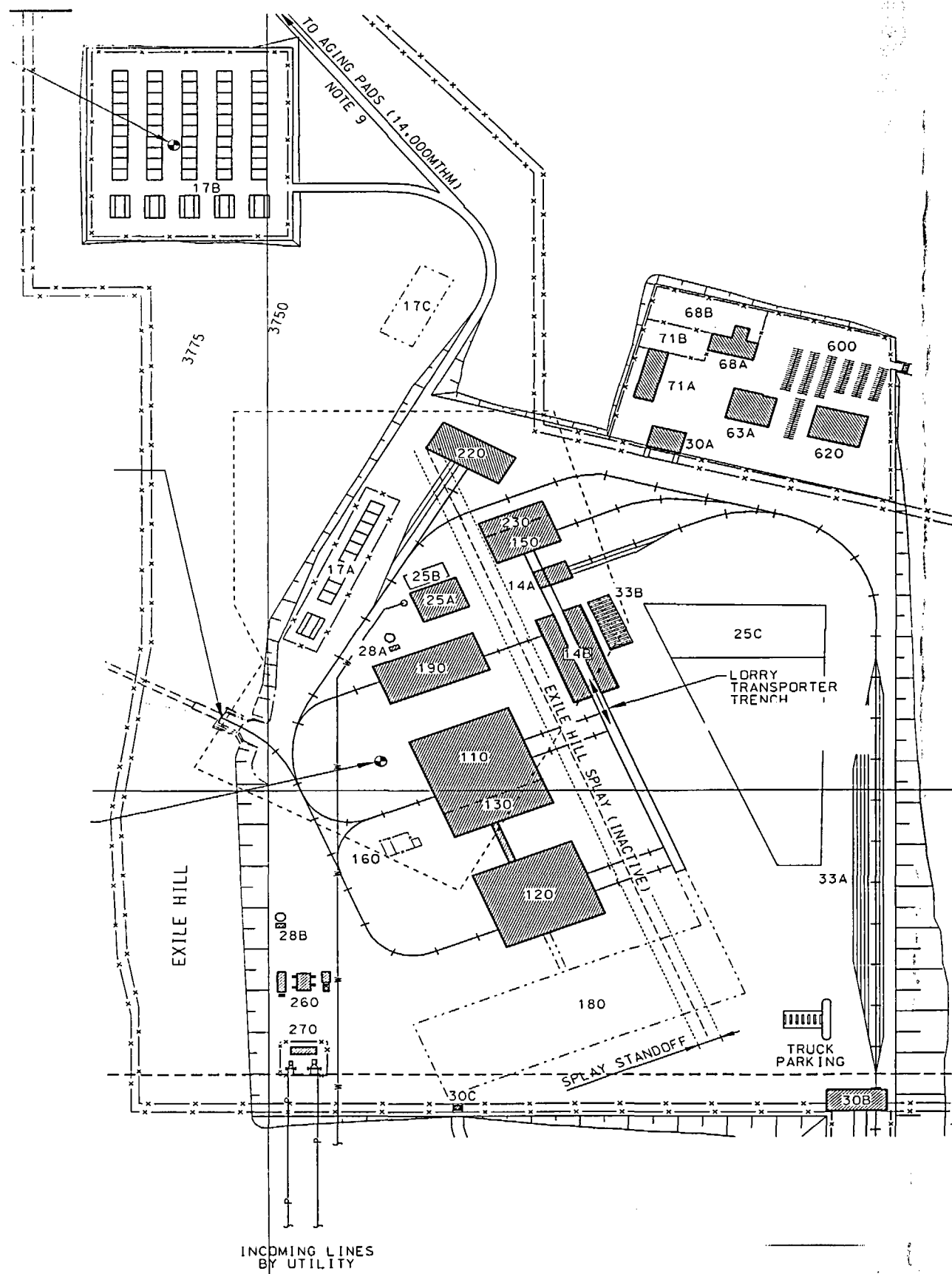
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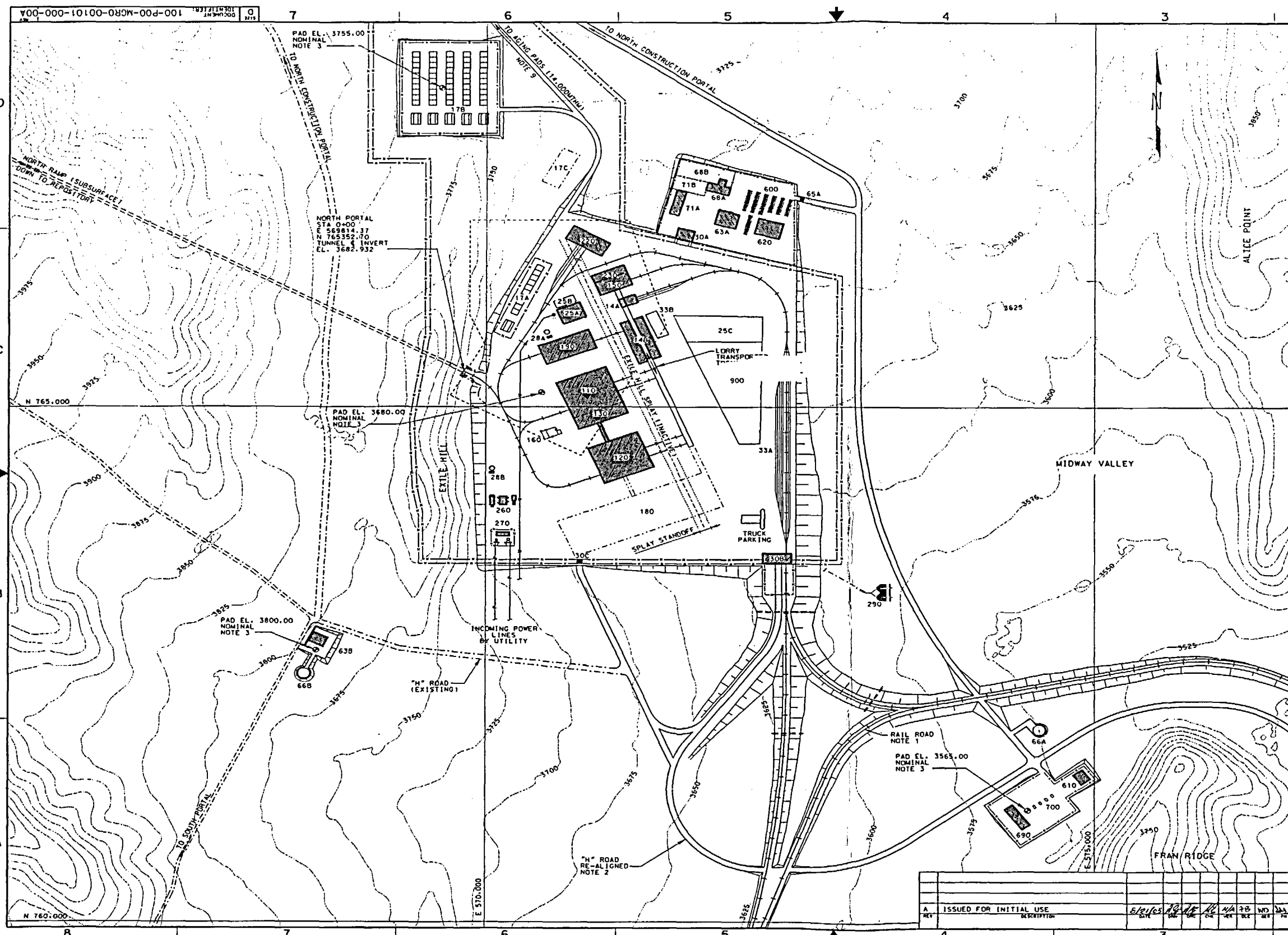




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| 14B      | TRANSPORTATION CASK BUFFER AREA                         |
| 150      | WASTE PACKAGE RECEIPT BUILDING (WPRB)                   |
| 160      | LOW LEVEL WASTE HANDLING (LLWH)                         |
| 17A      | AGING (1000 MTHM)                                       |
| 17B      | AGING (5,000 MTHM)                                      |
| 17C      | SHIELDED CANISTER FACILITY (SCF) FUTURE                 |
| 180      | SPACE FOR FUTURE WASTE PROCESSING FACILITIES            |
| 190      | CANISTER HANDLING FACILITY (CHF)                        |
| 220      | HEAVY EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE BUILDING (HEMB)             |
| 230      | EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE/WAREHOUSE BUILDING (EMWB)         |
| 25A      | UTILITY BUILDING  |
| 25B      | COOLING TOWER   |
| 25C      | EVAPORATION POND  |
| 260      | ELECTRICAL GENERATORS AND SWITCH HOUSE                  |
| 270      | MAIN SWITCHYARD   |
| 28A      | FIRE WATER FACILITY                                     |
| 28B      | FIRE WATER FACILITY                                     |
| 290      | SEPTIC TANK & LEACH FIELD (EXISTING)                    |
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| 30B      | CASK RECEIPT SECURITY STATION                           |
| 30C      | SOUTH PERIMETER SECURITY STATION                        |
| 33A      | RAIL CAR STAGING AREA                                   |
| 33B      | TRUCK STAGING   |
| 600      | NORTH CENTRAL PARKING                                   |
| 610      | VISITOR CENTER  |
| 620      | ADMINISTRATION BUILDING                                 |
| 63A      | FIRE, RESCUE AND MEDICAL BUILDING                       |
| 63B      | FIRE, RESCUE AND MEDICAL BUILDING (CONSTRUCTION/REMOTE) |
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| 66B      | HELICOPTER PAD (CONSTRUCTION/REMOTE)                    |
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| 68B      | MATERIALS/YARD STORAGE                                  |
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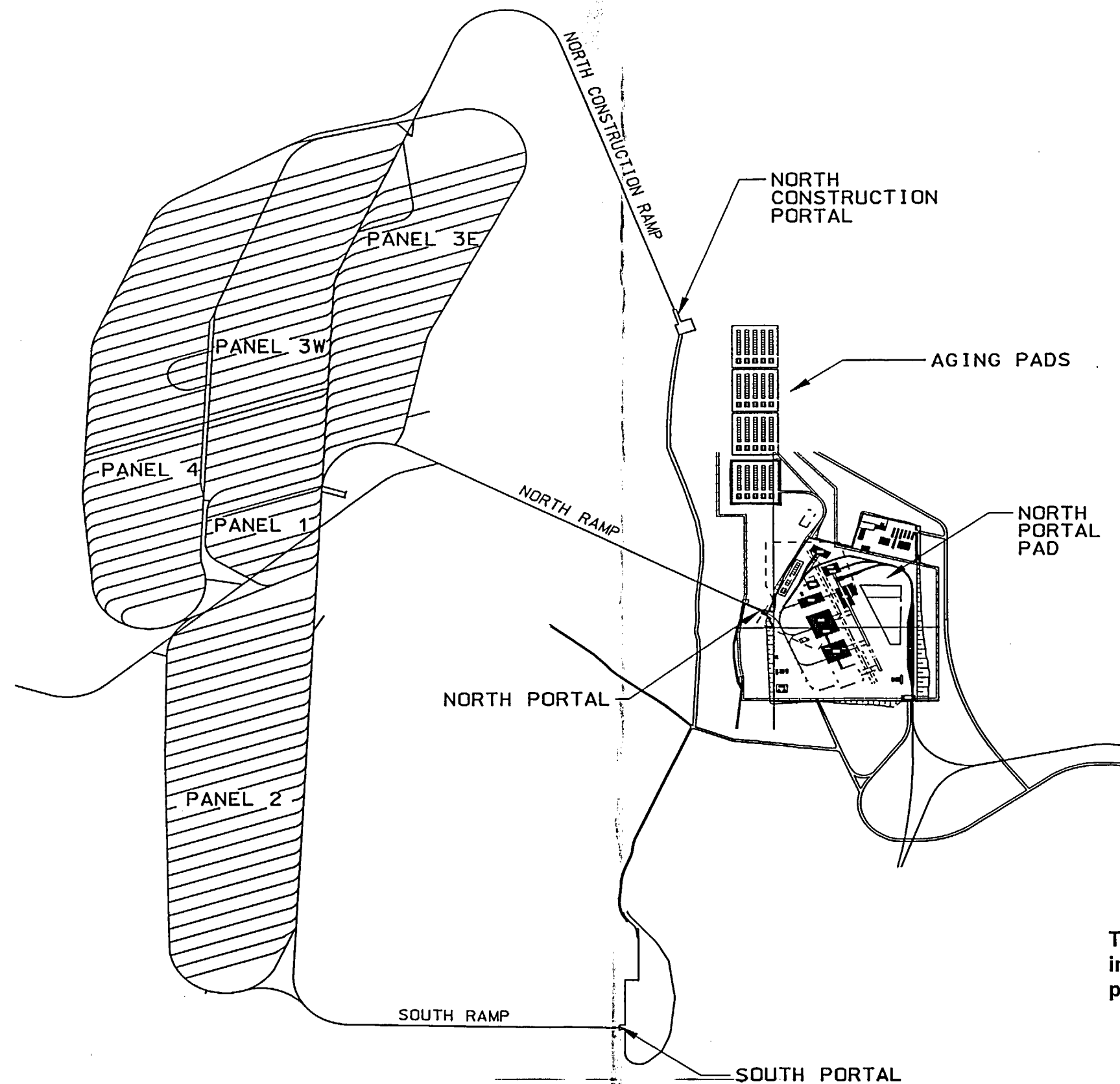
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