

Surveying - CE 260 Home Work #3

A topographic survey was performed on a tract of land using theodolite/EDM techniques to locate the topographic detail. The sketch shows the traverse (A to G) and the grid baseline (0 + 00 at A) used to control the survey. Also given are grid elevations. Numerical values can be chosen as meters or feet.

1 Establish the grid, plot the elevations (the decimal point is the plot point from Table 8.5), and interpolate the data to establish contours at 1-m (1-ft) intervals. Scale at 1:500 for metric units, or 1 in = 10 ft or 15 ft for foot units. Use pencil.

A highway is to be constructed to pass through points A and X. The proposed highway CL grade is + 2.30 percent rising from A to X (CL elevation at A = 67.15). The proposed cut and fill sections are shown in Figure below. Plot the highway and calculate approximate volume of Cut and Fill material.

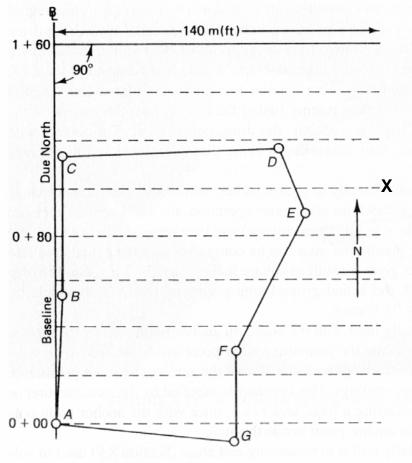


FIGURE 8.25 Grid traverse and control.

| Station | Baseline | 20 m (ft) E | 40 m (ft) E | 60 m (ft) E | 80 m (ft) E | 100 m (ft) E | 120 m (ft) E | 140 m (ft) E |
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| 1 + 40 | 69.34 | 69.82 | 71.12 | 71.00 | 71.26 | 71.99 | | |
| 1 + 20 | 69.29 | 70.75 | 69.98 | 71.24 | 72.07 | 72.53 | 72.61 | |
| 1 + 00 | 69.05 | 71.02 | 70.51 | 69.91 | 72.02 | 73.85 | 74.00 | 75.18 |
| 0 + 80 | 69.09 | 71.90 | 74.13 | 71.81 | 69.87 | 71.21 | 74.37 | 74.69 |
| 0 + 60 | 69.12 | 70.82 | 72.79 | 72.81 | 71.33 | 70.97 | 72.51 | 73.40 |
| 0 + 40 | 68.90 | 69.66 | 70.75 | 72.00 | 72.05 | 69.80 | 71.33 | 72.42 |
| 0 + 20 | 68.02 | 68.98 | 69.53 | 70.09 | 71.11 | 70.48 | 69.93 | 71.51 |
| 0 + 00 | 67.15 | 68.11 | 68.55 | 69.55 | 69.92 | 71.02 | | |
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Table 8.5 ELEVATION DATA: SURVEYING GRID ELEVATIONS (PROBLEM 8.1)

