

San Simon Dam Break Study

The Second Status Update

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BRIEF PROJECT INTRODUCTION

- San Simon Barrier Dam
- Southeast Arizona near the city of Safford
- Scale: 300 ft x 50 ft x 27 ft
- Slope: 35°
- Flood control and sediment control
- Bureau of Land Management (BLM)

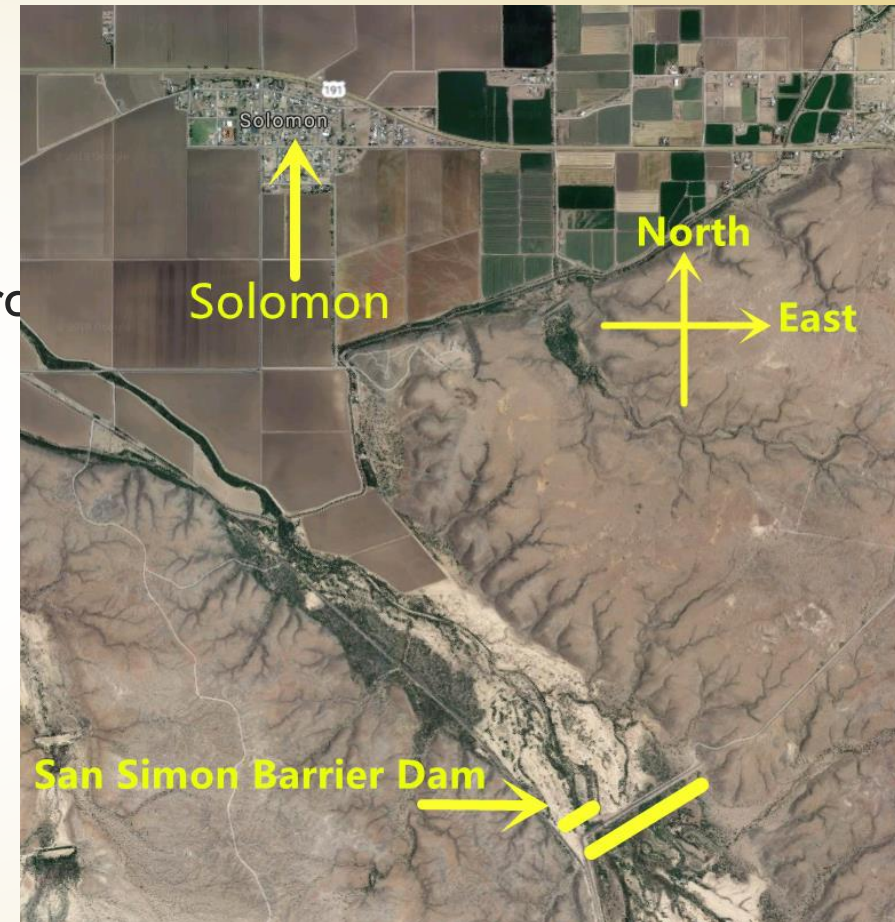


Figure 1: Location of San Simon Barrier Dam [1]

SCHEDULE

Table I: Schedule of Project

Task #	Task	Original		Actual	
		Start	Finish	Start	Finish
2	Hydrology	1/22/2018	1/26/2018	1/19/2018	2/13/2018
3	Hydraulic Analysis	1/27/2018	3/30/2018	2/15/2018	
3.1	Geometric Parameters	1/29/2018	1/30/2018	1/25/2018	
3.2	Routing and Reservoir Effect	1/31/2018	2/2/2018	1/31/2018	
3.3	Dam Breach Failure Method	2/8/2018	2/15/2018		
3.4	Peak Flow Estimation	2/16/2018	2/20/2018	2/16/2018	

HYDRAULIC ANALYSIS AND PEAK FLOW ESTIMATION

Table 2: 1931-2004 Stream Peak Flow From USGS [2] --- John Garrison

	Date and Year	Stream Peak Flow(cfs)
Max	Aug. 30, 1957	86500
Min	Aug. 13, 2001	11
Average		19362
Selected	Aug. 30, 1957	86500

Description: Required 500 years flow.
No flow data from client.
Suggestion from Technical Advisor.

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Table 3: Manning's Roughness Coefficient Selection [3]

Material	Number
Concrete (Cement) - finished	0.012
Floodplains - light brush	0.050
Floodplains - pasture, farmland	0.035

- Manning's Equation: $V = \frac{1.486}{n} R^{2/3} S^{1/2}$ [4]
- Continuity Equation: $Q = VA$ [5]
 - Q = Flow Rate, (ft³/s)
 - v = Velocity, (ft/s)
 - A = cross-section area(ft²)
 - n = Manning's Roughness Coefficient
 - R = Hydraulic Radius, (ft)
 - S = Channel Slope, (ft/ft)

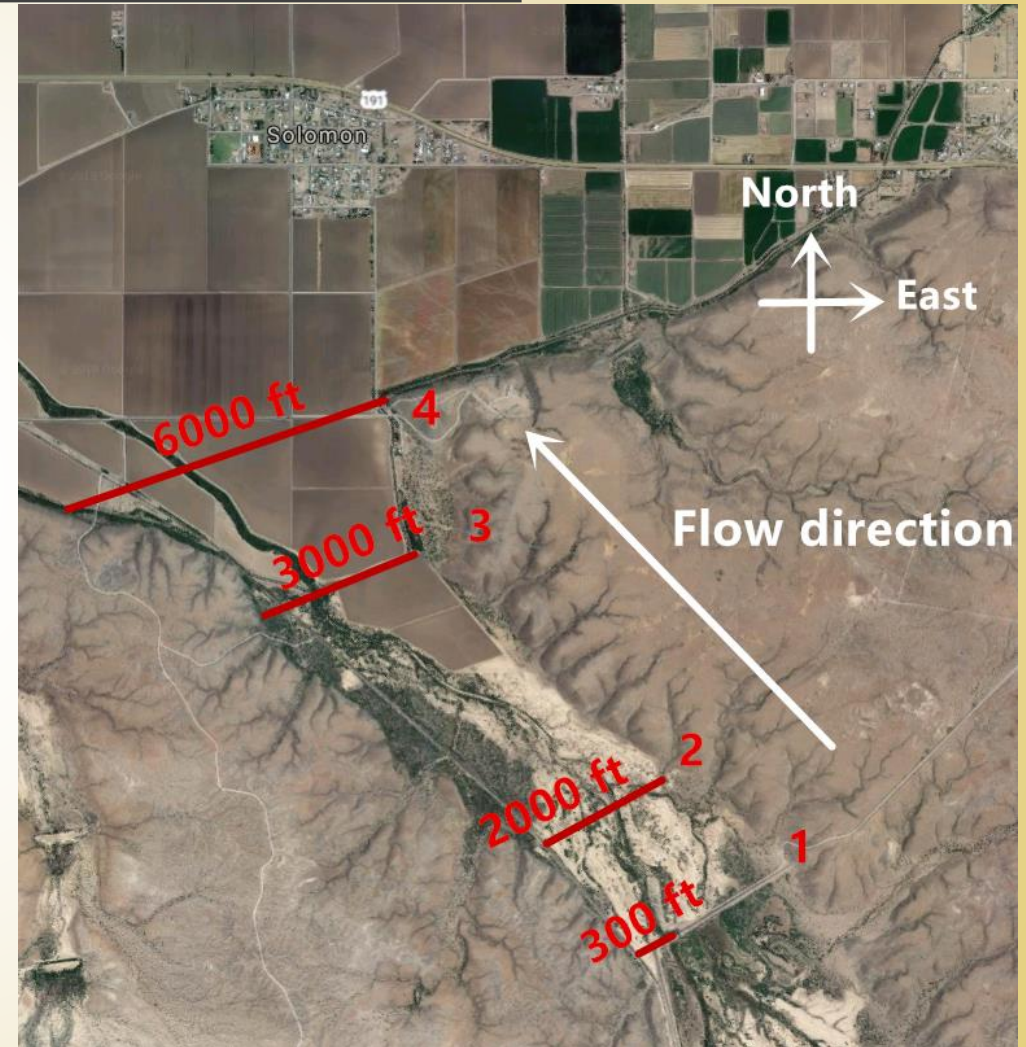


Figure 2: Cross-section selection

RESULTS OF HYDRAULIC ANALYSIS AND PEAK FLOW ESTIMATION

Table 5: Results of water depth

Cross-section #	Slope	Water Depth
1	0.52	2.1
2	0.01	5.9
3	0.01	2.8
4	0.01	2.2

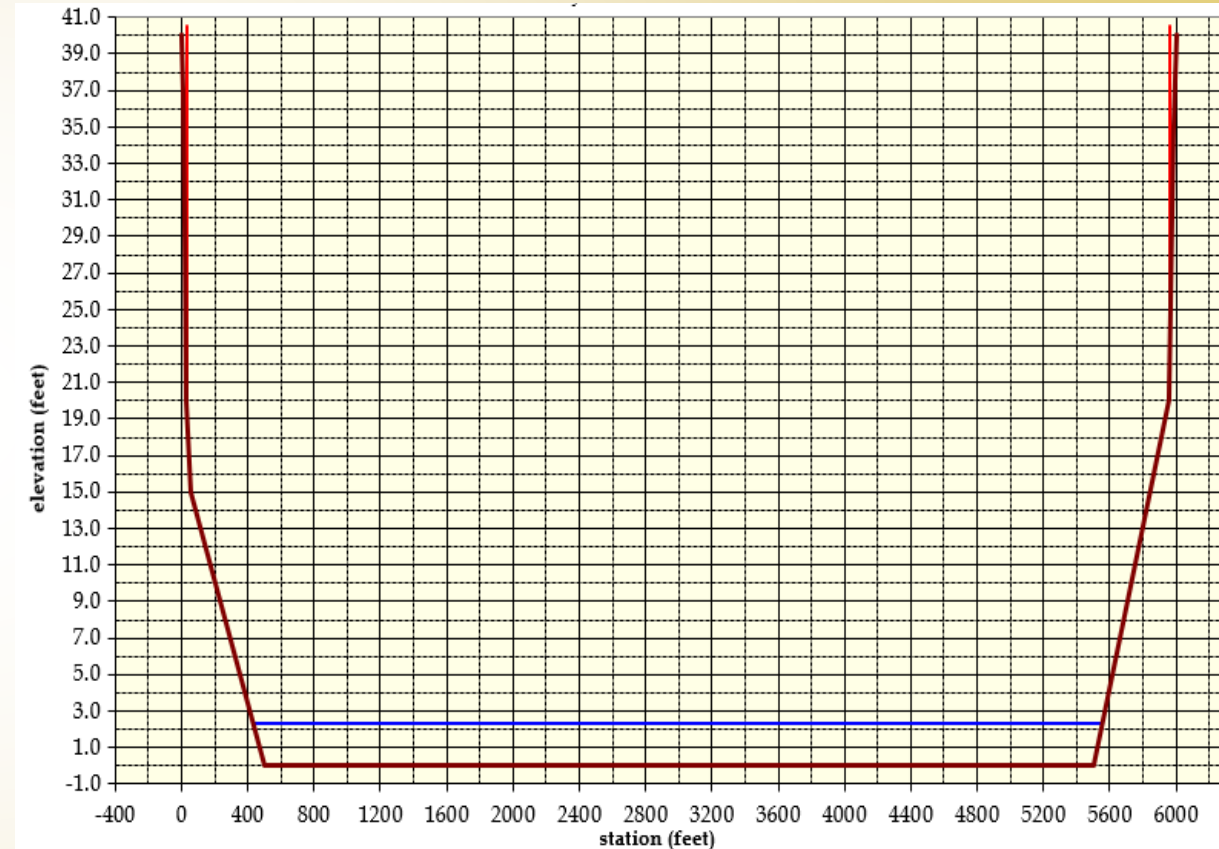


Figure 6: Result of cross-section 4

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Thanks

Question ?

