

Section 3

Handling Complex

and Large

Systems Models

Robustness and Efficiency

- ◆ Model must be run with wide ranging data in many combinations
- ◆ Model must be executed thousands of times
- ◆ model must be focussed to calculate the desired results and must include the essential features in an efficient way
- ◆ judgement is subjective and this is where some of the real skill of modelling lies

OVERVIEW

- Validation** - models and data represent underlying phenomena
- Verification** - computer code accurately represents models and data
- Configuration Control** - audit trail demonstrates code development process

SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT CYCLE

Model Specifications



Design Specifications



Computer Software



Tests



Installation

← Change Request

Purpose of Configuration Control

- **provide an audit trail of all code and data changes**
- **protect against unauthorized damages**

CONFIGURATION CONTROL (1 of 2)

**A PROCEDURE FOR STEPWISE MODIFICATION
TO A CODE PACKAGE IN A SERIES OF
FROZEN VERSIONS**

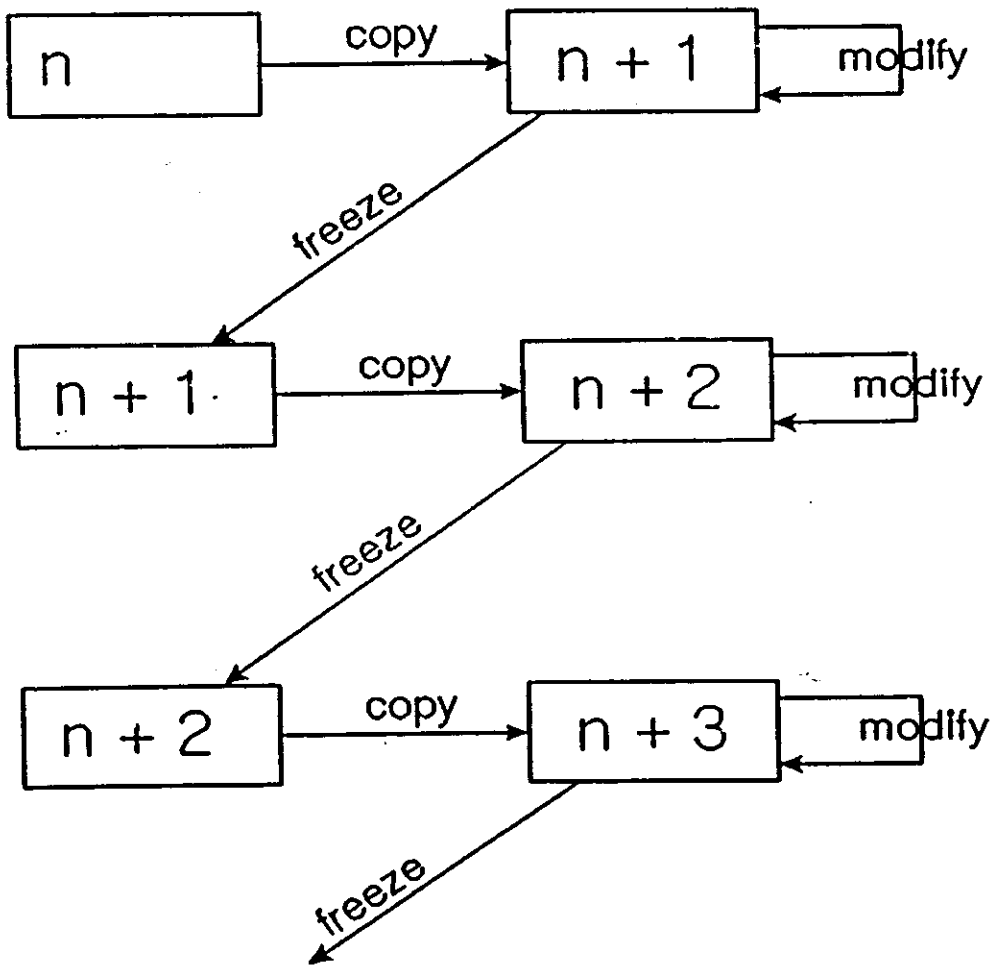
**APPLY PROCEDURES FOR FREEZING AND
PROCEDURES FOR MODIFYING**

**ALL APPLICATIONS OR USE OF THE
PACKAGE MAKE REFERENCE TO A
FROZEN REFERENCE VERSION**

CONFIGURATION CONTROL (2 of 2)

FROZEN
VERSION

DEVELOPMENT
VERSION



CODE PACKAGE CONTENTS

**** CODE**

**** CHANGE SUMMARY**

*** ARCHIVED CODE FROM CURRENT
MODIFICATIONS**

*** DICTIONARY**

**OTHER - SPECIFICATIONS AND
REFERENCES
- DESIGN DOCUMENTS
- STRUCTURE CHARTS
- CROSS REFERENCE
DICTIONARIES
- LINKING TEMPLATES
- ETC.**

MODEL SPECIFICATIONS

- **contribute to validation**

- **typical elements are:**

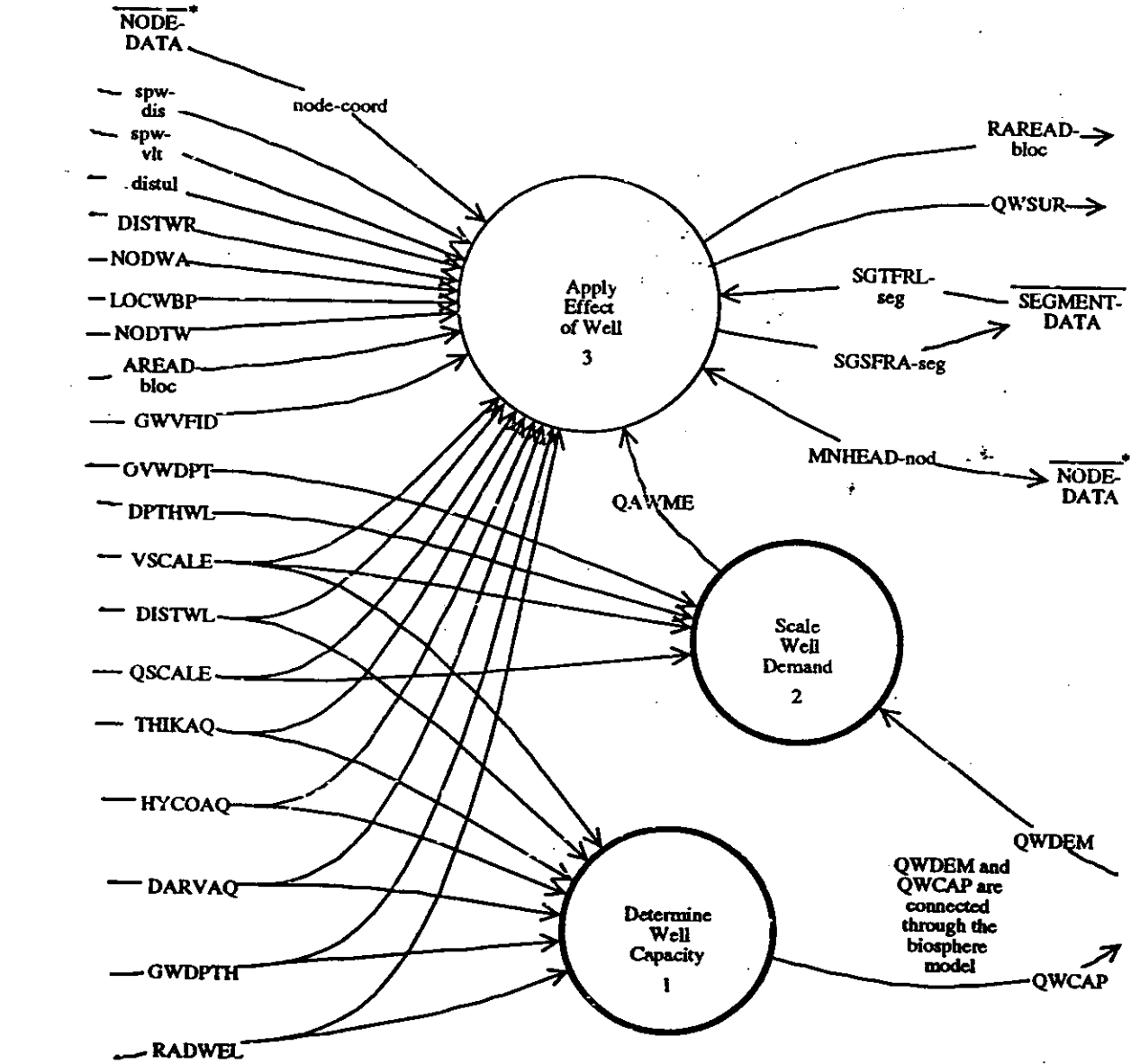
data flow diagram

data dependency diagrams

data dictionary

DATA FLOW DIAGRAM

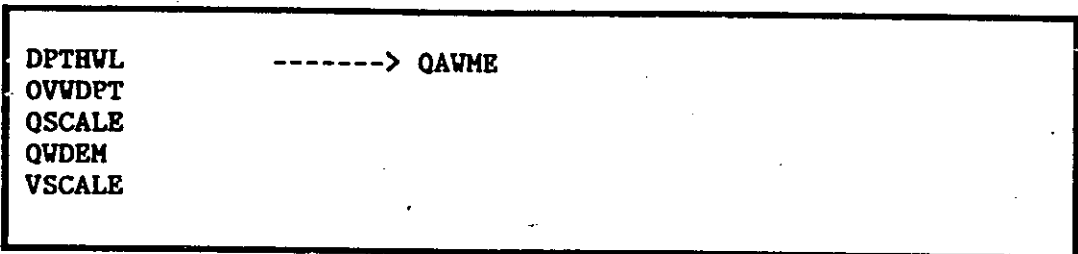
Diagram-2.3.1.3
 Do-Well-Model-Calculations
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Do Well Model Calculations : Diagram 2.3.1.3

QAWME well demand used in equations Q'_{dem} [m³/a] Annual volume of water demanded of and supplied by well from the well aquifer, as used in the analytical well model equations. This quantity is obtained from QWDEM after scaling by both QSCALE and VSCALE, but is zero for overburden wells.

Diagram 2.3.1.3.2
 Page 1 of 1
 Scale Well Demand
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 Version 02A TWM



Short Name	Long Name	Mathematical Symbol	Units
DPTHWL	depth of well	d_w	[m]
OVWDPT	overburden well maximum depth	$d_{w,ov}$	[m]
QAWME	well demand used in equations	Q'_{dem}	[m ³ /a]
QSCALE	well demand scaling fctr	S_w	[-]
QWDEM	volumetric demand on well	Q_{dem}	[m ³ /a]
VSCALE	gw velocity scaling factor	S_v	[-]

If $d_w \geq d_{w,ov}$, then the well demand is scaled by both S_v and S_w :

$$Q'_{dem} = Q_{dem} / (S_v S_w) \quad \text{Eqn. (1)} \quad \text{Section 4.2.2.1, Section 4.2.3}$$

If $d_w < d_{w,ov}$, then the well does not intersect the fracture zone (Section 4.1.5.1) and

$$Q'_{dem} = 0 \quad \text{Eqn. (2)} \quad \text{Section 4.1.5.1}$$

Unit Checks:

$$[m^3/a] = [m^3/a] / \{[-][-]\} \quad \text{Eqn. (1)}$$

Notes:

none

QAWME

well demand used in equations $Q'_{d\cdot m}$ [m^3/a] Annual volume of water demanded of and supplied by well from the well aquifer, as used in the analytical well model equations. This quantity is obtained from QWDEM after scaling by both QSCALE and VSCALE, but is zero for overburden wells. Calculated.

QSCALE

well demand scaling fctr S_w [-] Scaling factor applied to well demand QWDEM to give modified demand QAWME for use in well model equations. This modification is used to adjust demand to account for inaccuracies in simple well model equations to describe full 3D simulations of detailed well models. Sampled.

QWCAP

volumetric well capacity Q_{cap} [m^3/a] The maximum annual capacity of the well to supply water. Calculated, as a function of the well location in the well aquifer, in the geosphere model and passed to the biosphere model. Calculated.

QWCRT

critical well demand Q_{crt} [m^3/a] Well demand at which the stagnation point reaches the constant head boundary at the surface. At larger well demands the stagnation point separates into two stagnation points and capture of infiltrated water from the surface begins. Calculated.

QWDEM

volumetric demand on well $Q_{d\cdot m}$ [m^3/a] Annual volume of water demanded of and supplied by well, including both surface water captured and deep groundwater captured. Passed to geosphere model from biosphere model. Calculated.

QWSUR

surface water flow into well Q_{sur} [m^3/a] Annual volume of surface water captured by the well from the constant head boundary which mixes with and dilutes deep groundwater captured by well. This surface water may itself be contaminated but to a different extent than the deep groundwater. Passed to the biosphere model from geosphere model. Calculated.

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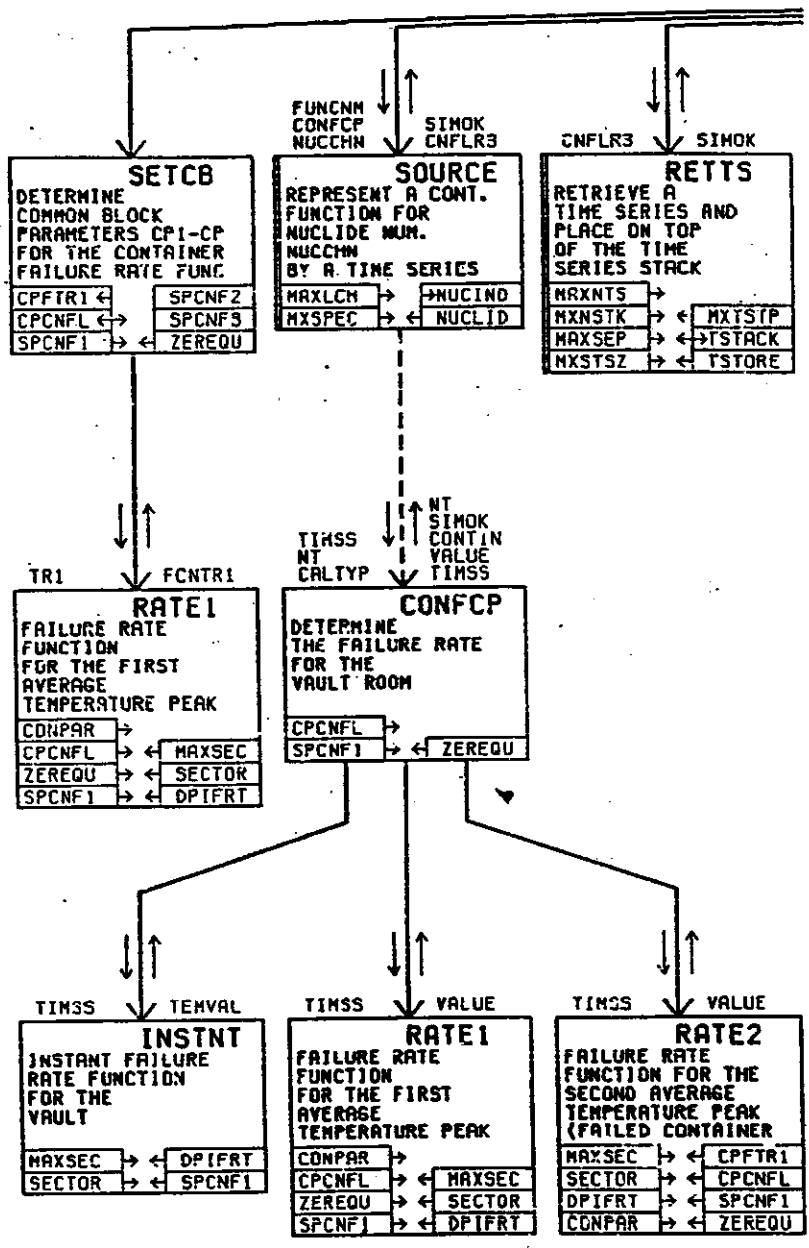
RADWEL

well casing radius r_w [m] Radius of well casing, used to determine the maximum drawdown at the well location due to the well demand, QWDEM. Sampled.

RAREAD-bloc

reduced discharge area $A'_{dis, }$ [m^2] Discharge area at discharge bloc after modification for influences of the well. Calculated.





PROCEDURES FOR FREEZING

1. DOCUMENT PROCEDURES AND FOLLOW THEM
2. BASIC PROCEDURES
 - BACKUP VERSION
 - ALLOW NO MORE CHANGES
 - COPY TO NEW DEVELOPMENT VERSION
3. EXTRA PROCEDURES
 - MAINTAIN "OTHER" ELEMENTS OF CODE PACKAGE
 - TESTING PROGRAM
 - QUALITY ASSURANCE PROCEDURES
 - DOCUMENTATION/USER'S GUIDE

PROCEDURES

- **change control is implemented by completion of a change request**
- **steps in the change process are submission, analysis, implementation, inspection, integration, review, and installation.**
- **a person is responsible for one or more steps in the change process**
- **work is completed in directories assigned to a particular step**

PROCEDURES FOR MODIFICATION

1. **DOCUMENT PROCEDURES AND FOLLOW THEM**

2. **BASIC PROCEDURES**
 - **DESIGN, CODE, IMPLEMENT, TEST, REVIEW, INSTALL MODIFIED CODE**
 - **KEEP ARCHIVE COPY OF OLD CODE**
 - **MAINTAIN CHANGE RECORD**
 - **MAINTAIN DICTIONARY**

3. **EXTRA PROCEDURES**
 - **DETAILED DOCUMENTATION OF MODIFICATION**
 - **QUALITY ASSURANCE PROCEDURES**
 - **MAINTAIN "OTHER" ELEMENTS OF CODE PACKAGE**

Number: _____

SOFTWARE CHANGE REQUEST

Submitted by:	Date:	LIBRARIANSHIP
Version number of the division(s) affected: SV3___ ML3___ CC3___ SUP___ TLS___ CFG___ Other_____		
Packages or Programs affected:		
Modules affected:		
Description of the change or problem: (attach if necessary)		
Change description summary (for folder records file):		
Recorded by:	Date:	

Analysis by:	Date:	ANALYSIS
Comments / Names and versions of analysis products:		
Functional Test Data: not required [] or attached []		
Approved [] with priority ____, or terminated [](give reason above)		

Implemented by:	Date:	IMPLEMENTATION
Comments / Names and versions of implementation products:		
Implementation completed [], or terminated [](give reasons above)		

FILE IDENTIFICATION

Each source code file (*.FOR and *.INC) and each design document are identified:

- 1) internally and externally by module name and
- 2) by an internal version number.

Older files are retired by renaming the file (i.e. *.FOR becomes *.FOR12A).

EXAMPLE:

```
      SUBROUTINE BIOCQ1(NUCCHN, SIMOK)
C***** BIOCQ1
C
C Calculate the consequences for the biosphere
C
C 89-JAN-17   VERSION 01A   K. DOUGAN
C 90-MAR-08   VERSION 11A   C.M. SAUNDERS
C 90-MAR-27   VERSION 12A   L. WOJCIECHOWSKI
C
C*****
C
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Number: _____

Inspection by: _____	Date: _____	I N S P E C T ' I O N
Comments (attach if necessary): 		
Inspection completed [], or terminated [](give reason above)		

Integration by: _____	Date: _____	I N T E G R A T I O N
Run request number _____ Comments / Names and versions of integration products: 		
Integration completed [], or terminated [](give reason above)		

Review by: _____	Date: _____	R E V I E W
Comments (attach if necessary): 		
Approved for installation [], or terminated [](give reason above)		

Computer files installed by: _____	Date: _____	I N S T A L L A T I O N
Paper files installed by: _____	Date: _____	
Version number of the division(s) installed into: SV3__ CC3__ ML3__ SUP__ TLS__ CFG__ Other____		
Comments: 		
Installation completed [], or terminated [](give reason above)		

QUALITY ASSURANCE PROCEDURES

1. FOLLOW DOCUMENTED PROCEDURES
 - SYVAC3-CC3 QUALITY CONTROL MANUAL
2. FOLLOW DEVELOPMENT AND CODE STANDARDS
 - SYVAC3-CC3 SOFTWARE STANDARD
3. TEST CODE WITH
 - NORMAL DATA
 - EXTREME DATA
 - INVALID DATA
 - RETAIN AND DOCUMENT TEST RESULTS
4. OTHER VERIFICATION AND VALIDATION STEPS
 - CODE INTERCOMPARISONS
 - INTRACOIN, BIOMOVs, PSAC
 - SENSITIVITY ANALYSIS
 - PEER REVIEW
 - VALIDATION AGAINST PHYSICAL DATA

EXAMPLES OF TEST PROCEDURES

- **inspection**
- **unit tests**
- **function tests**
- **integration tests**
- **dimensional checks**
- **FORTRAN standards check**

SOFTWARE TOOLS

- INSDEF - inserts data dictionary definitions into the code
- DDMERG - merges data dictionaries
- VAX DIFF - compare code versions
- CHECKER - checks ESAB coding standards
- UNITCK - checks unit balance in definitions
- RESEQ - resequence statement labels
- FPE - test code compliance with ANSI FORTRAN 77

SUMMARY

- **configuration control maintains the integrity of the software and provides an audit trail**
- **change control is implemented using the change request process**
- **files are identified internally and externally**
- **directories are used to maintain packages of files**
- **releases are created for several reasons**

PSAG

- **Organized in 1985 by the OECD/NEA**
- **Aimed at developing the SVA approach**
- **Code intercomparisons:**

Level 0

Level E

Level 1a

Level 1b

(Level 2)

CC3 VERIFICATION STUDIES

- SYVAC2-CC2 and SYVAC3-CC3
- VAULT3 and AREST
- GEONET and INTRACOIN
- BIOTRAC and BIOMOVs

SYVAC-CC3 DATA BASE

- MAINTAINED IN WORD PROCESSOR LIST FORMAT

- DATA SUPPLIED BY R&D GROUPS ON SUBMITTAL FORMS

- COMPLETED FORM IS REVIEWED FOUR TIMES BEFORE DATA IS INSTALLED
 - SUBMITTOR
 - GROUP CHAIRMAN
 - SYVAC3-CC3 MODELLER
 - DATA BASE MANAGER

- DATA IS EXTRACTED FROM DATA BASE DIRECTLY INTO SYVAC3 INPUT FILES USING SOFTWARE TOOLS

Glen Bird

SGPERM(57)

SYVAC3-CC3 Parameter Characteristics for the CAD Post-Closure Assessment

1. Data Authorization

Data submitted by: Glen Bird

(signature)

Date: 89/05/23

PLEASE TYPE. SEE ESAB GUIDELINES FOR DEFINITIONS OF TERMS.

2. Parameter Full Name, Complete Definition and Mathematical Symbol

Full Name: permeability

Complete Definition:

permeability

Symbol: k

3. SI Units m²

4. Probability Density Function (PDF) for the Parameter

PDF Type: lognormal

Upper bound: 1.0E-10

Bound Type: value

Lower bound: 1.0E-14

Attributes (a, b, c, μ , σ , GM, GSD, α_1 , α_2 , n, $\{a_1, b_1, v_1\}$) as appropriate for type:
(List on back of page or on a separate page if you need more space.)

GM
1.0E-12

GSD
10.0

5. Dependence (if any) on Another Parameter via a Correlation Coefficient

Correlated to parameter: THIKSS(02)

with Correlation Coefficient: -0.90

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6. Reasons for This Choice of PDF (Please provide justification for the given information, including PDF type, attributes, bounds, the principal sources of uncertainty, underlying assumptions, simplifications and qualifying conditions, and attach a plot of the PDF and data points used. Alternatively, please provide a reference where this information may be found.)

Data for silty sand taken from Groundwater, Freeze and Cherry, (1979), p. 29. See Surface Model Submodel Report, Appendix, Table D.

Comments:

89/05/12 T. Melnyk. Sediment layer at boggy creek short time discharge. 89/06/21 T. Chan. It is necessary to limit the permeability of the sediment layers to values greater than or equal to that of the uppermost rock zone. The truncation limits used are consistent with this limitation.

7. SYVAC3-CC3 Information (TO BE COMPLETED BY ESAB)

Short name of the parameter in SYVAC3-CC3: _____

Long name (up to 32 characters): _____

Data are compatible with CC3 model constraints.

Checked by:

T. Melnyk
(signature)

Date: 89/07/06

Data have been correctly entered into SYVAC3-CC3 data base. Checked by:

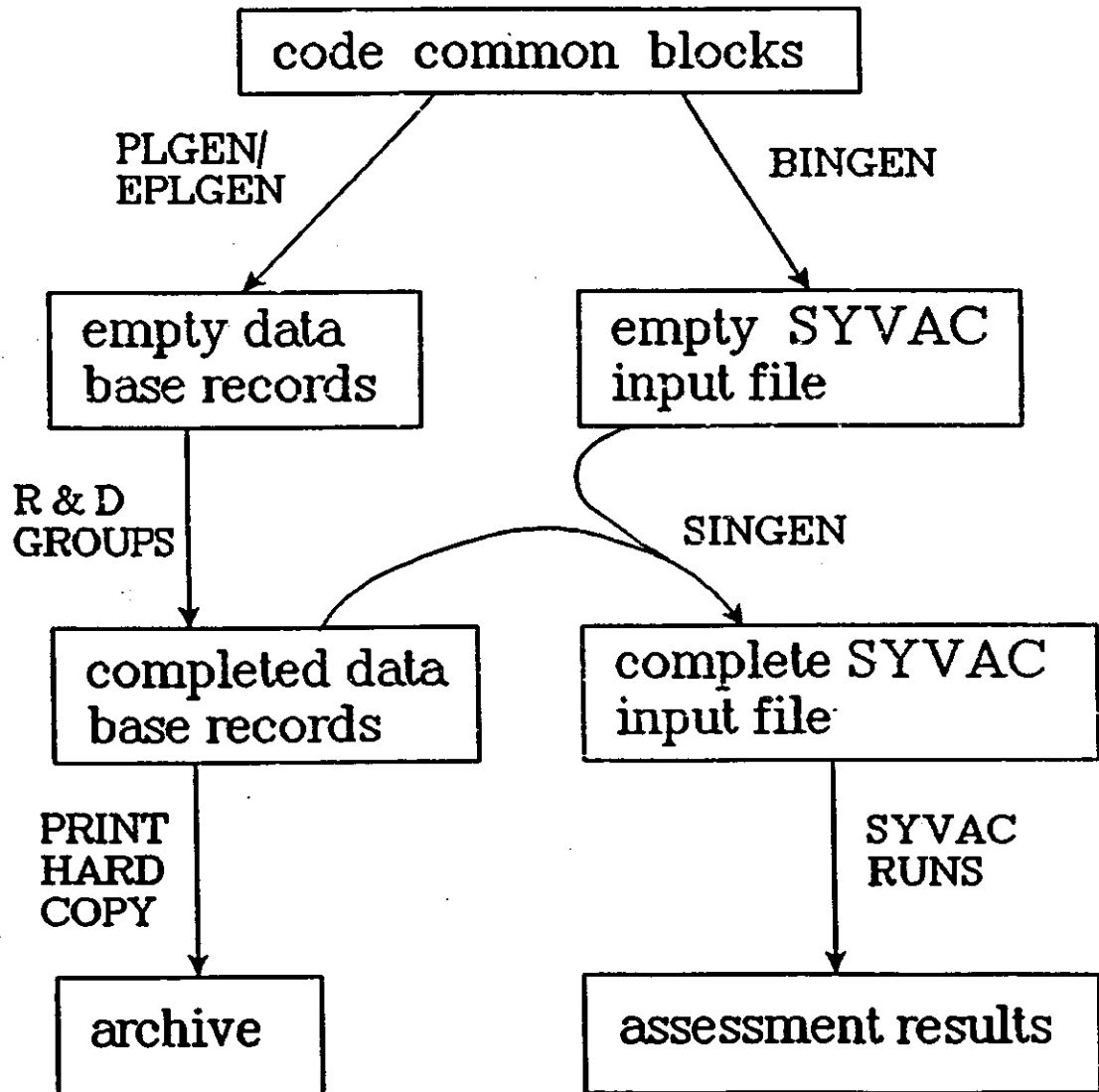
(signature)

Date: _____

DATA BASE RECORD (LIST FORMAT)

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Report, Appendix, Table D.
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SYVAC3 *.INP FILE TOOLS



SYVAC3-CC3 Data Base

Summary

- contains data for about 8000 parameters
- about 4000 parameters are constants
- about 4000 parameters are sampled from distributions
- input file generation is almost completely automatic