

Biax Experiment

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Exp. Name: p5729

Operator(s): Wood, Affinito

Temperature (°C):

Relative Humidity (%):

Date/Time: 13/05/2022

Hydraulics start: 5320.9

Hydraulics end: 5328.8

Data Logger/Control File: 16-chan

Purpose/Description: Measure changes in perm in response to NS/PP oscillations of sawcut sample roughened with 120/80 grit. Onboard DCDTs on A/B intensifiers.
Sample Block Used and Thickness with **no** Sample: SDS Vessel 5x5 cm

Material: Westerly Granite Benchtop Sample Thickness (mm): 32.5
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Load Cells:

Contact Area: 0.0022231311 m²

Load cell name	Calibrations (mV/kN)	Target stress (MPa)	Init. Voltage	Volt. @ load
44mm Solid Horiz	129.984 (V/MPa): 0.289	4, 8.25, 18	0.048	1.20389, 2.43201, 5.24949
44mm Solid Vert	120.364 (V/MPa): 0.2676	0	0	0.

Vessel Pressures:

Pore Fluid:H2O

Calibrations (V/MPa)	Pressures (MPa)	Init. Voltage	Volt. @ load
<i>P_c</i> : 0.1456	2, 8.25, 12	0.029	0.3202, 1.2302, 1.7762
<i>P_{pA}</i> : 1.5177	2.6, 1.4	0.112	4.05802, 2.23678
<i>P_{pB}</i> : 1.483	2.6	-0.076	3.7798

Displacement Transducers

Name	Gain (mm/V)
Horiz. Load-point	0.658
Vert. Load-point	3.51
Horiz. On-Board	0.416

Horizontal Servo Settings	
P:	D _{atten} :
I:	Feedback:
D:	E-gain:
Vertical Servo Settings	
P:	D _{atten}
I:	Feedback:
D:	E-gain:

Chilled water at HPS	Chiller Unit	Proc. water @ Chiller
1. Temp In (°F):	6. Panel Temp (°F):	10. Temp In (°F):
2. Pres. In (psi):	7. Panel Pres. (psi):	11. Pres. In (psi):
3. Temp Out (°F):	8. Near Pres. In (psi):	12. Temp Out (°F):
4. Pres. Out (psi):	9. Near Pres. Out (psi):	13. Pres. Out (psi):
5. Flow (lpm):	Hyd. Power Supply (HPS)	
14. Tank Temp (°C):	15. Temp. Out (°C):	16. Pres. Out (psi):

Experiment Notes

- # 150 NS to 10 kN
- # 1850 Pc to 2 MPa
- # 2100 saturate PpA to 1-1.5 MPa
- # 7000 NS to 9.25 MPa, Pc to 8.25 MPa
- # 22200 PpB, A to 2.6 MPa. PpA to 1.4 MPa.
On-board Pp DCDTs have opposite sign of respective LVDTs.
- # 44000 Start PpB oscillations and acoustics. First oscillation is practice.
- # 1119800 PpB oscillation [0.2, 0.4, 0.6, 0.8, 1.0] MPa and repeat, acoustics run2.
- # 2277000 PpB/A to 0 MPa, Pc to 0 MPa.
- # 2281900 NS to 10 kN.