



WATER MEASUREMENT MANUAL

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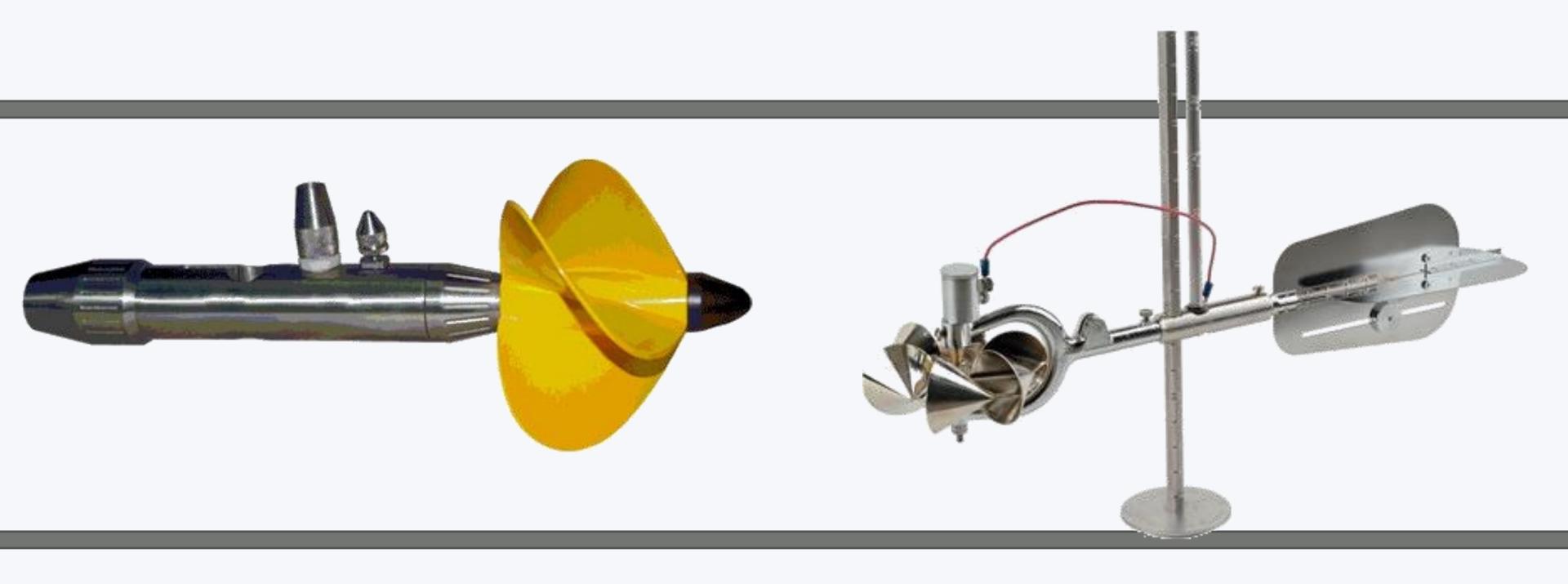
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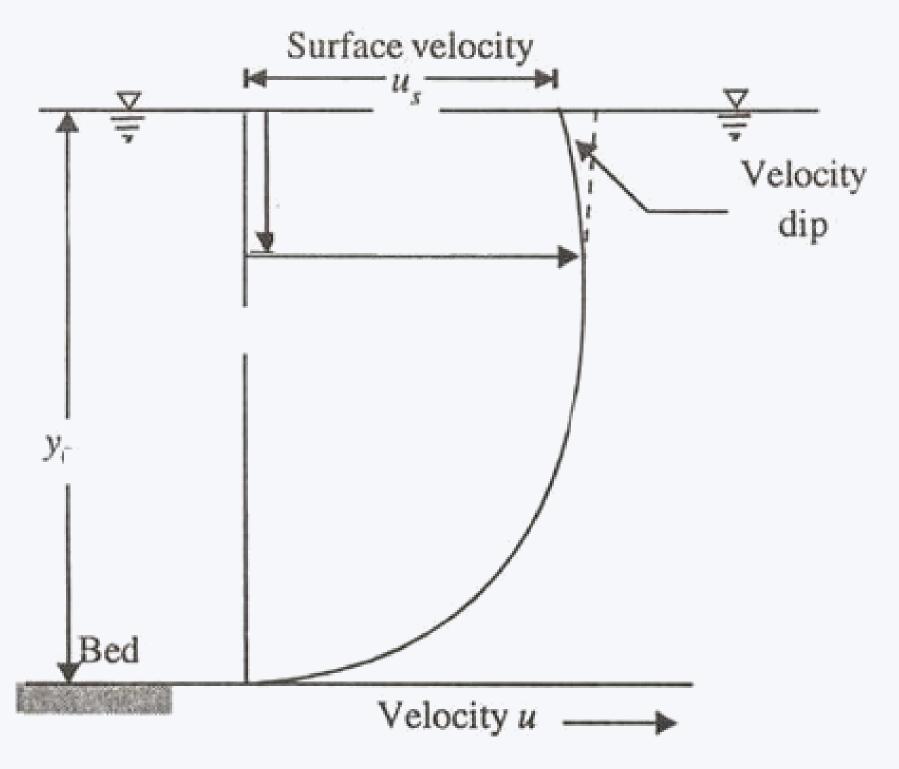
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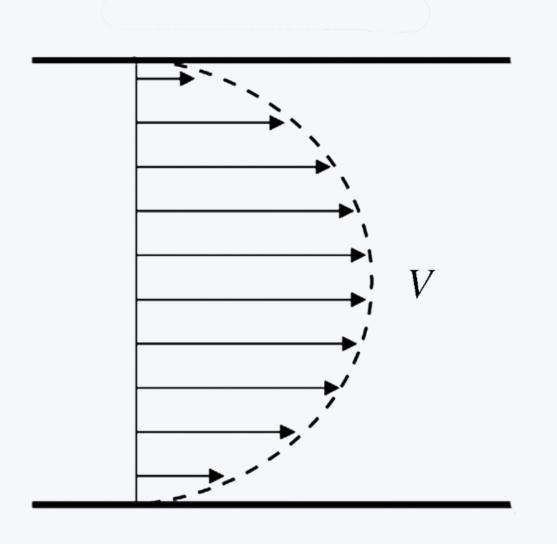


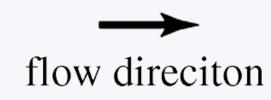
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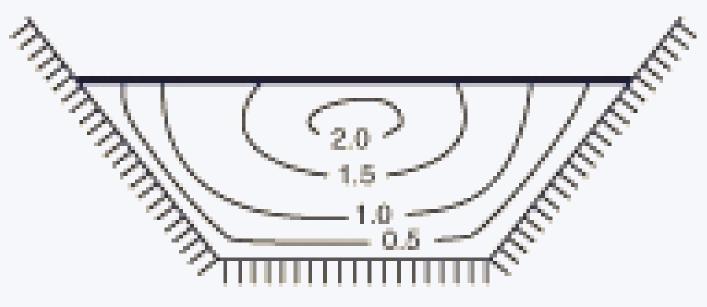


Theory

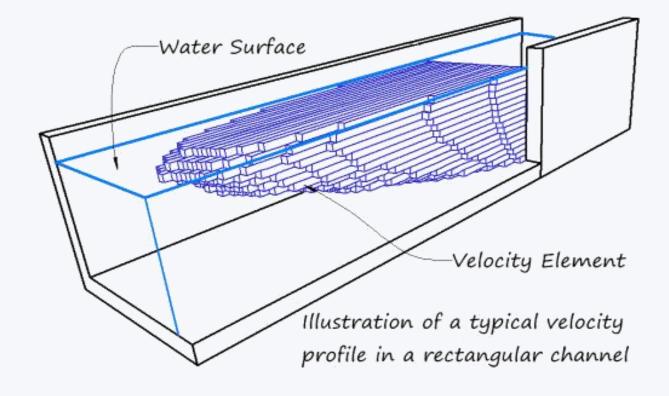












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Classes of Current Meters

Doppler Velocity Meters

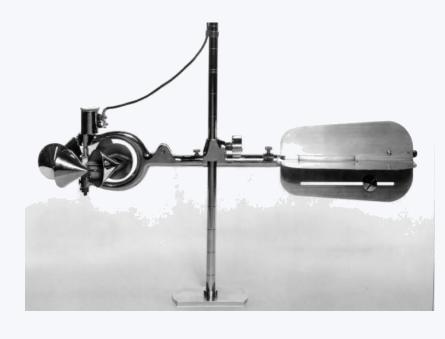


Optical Strobe Velocity Meters

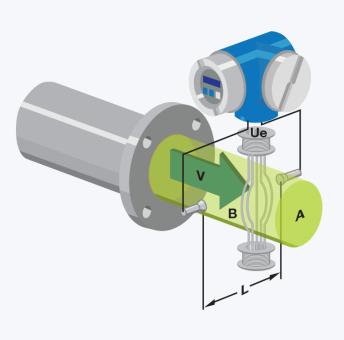


Anemometer And Propeller Velocity Meter

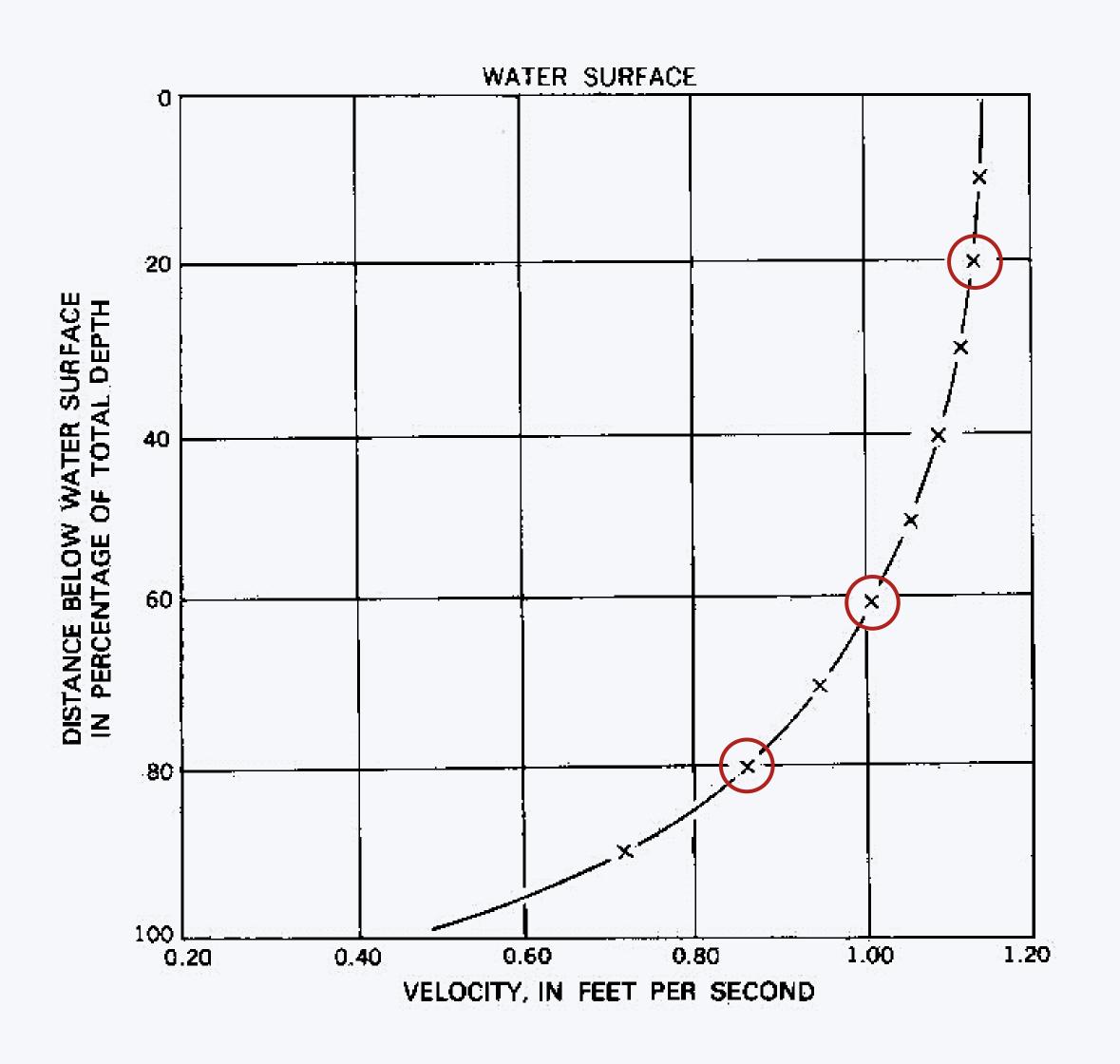




Electromagnetic Velocity Meters



Methods of Determining Mean Velocities





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> Two-point method

- Six-tenths-depth method
- Vertical velocity-curve method

Subsurface method

Depth integration method

- ✓ Consists of measuring the velocity at <u>0.6</u> of the depth from the water surface.
- ✓ Generally used for shallow flows where the two-point method is not applicable.
- ✓ The method gives satisfactory results.

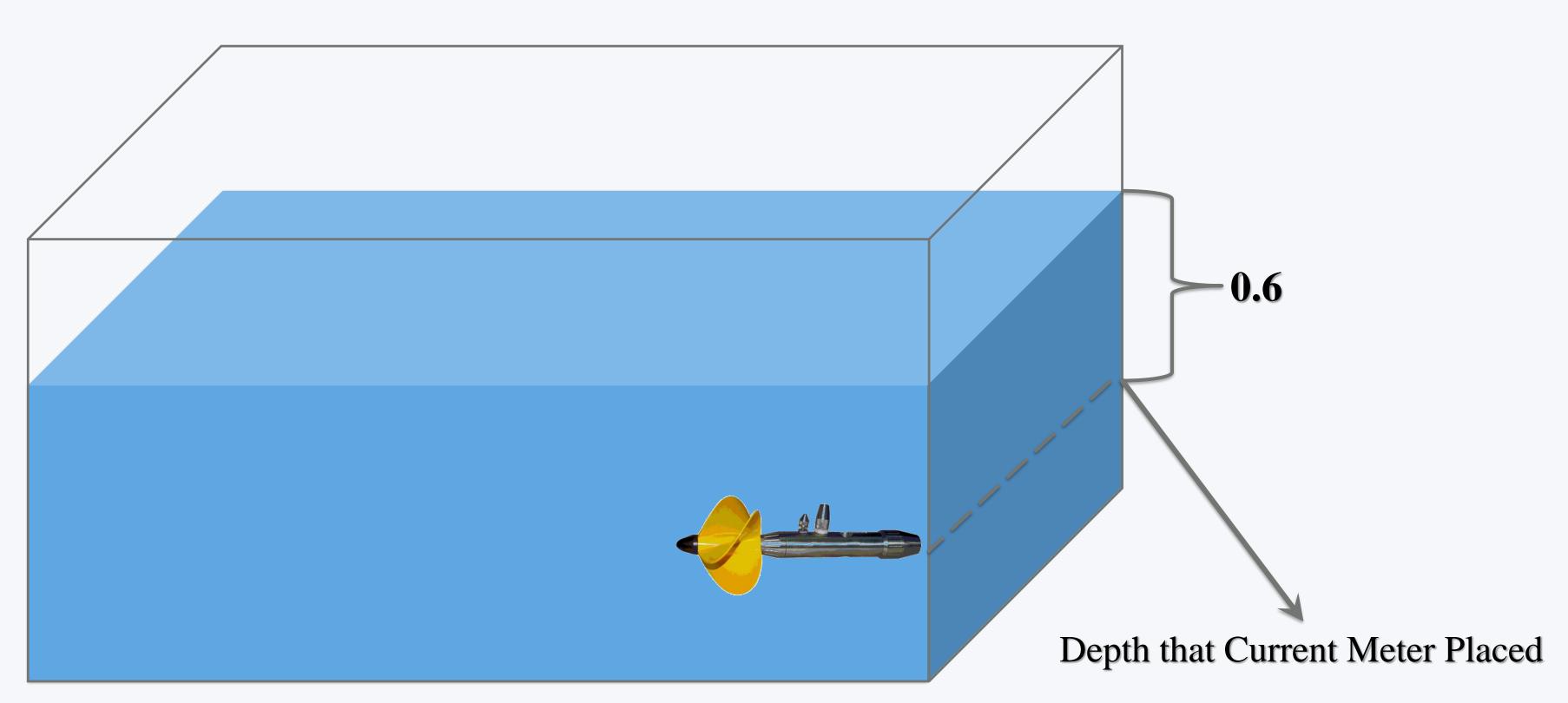
Equipment

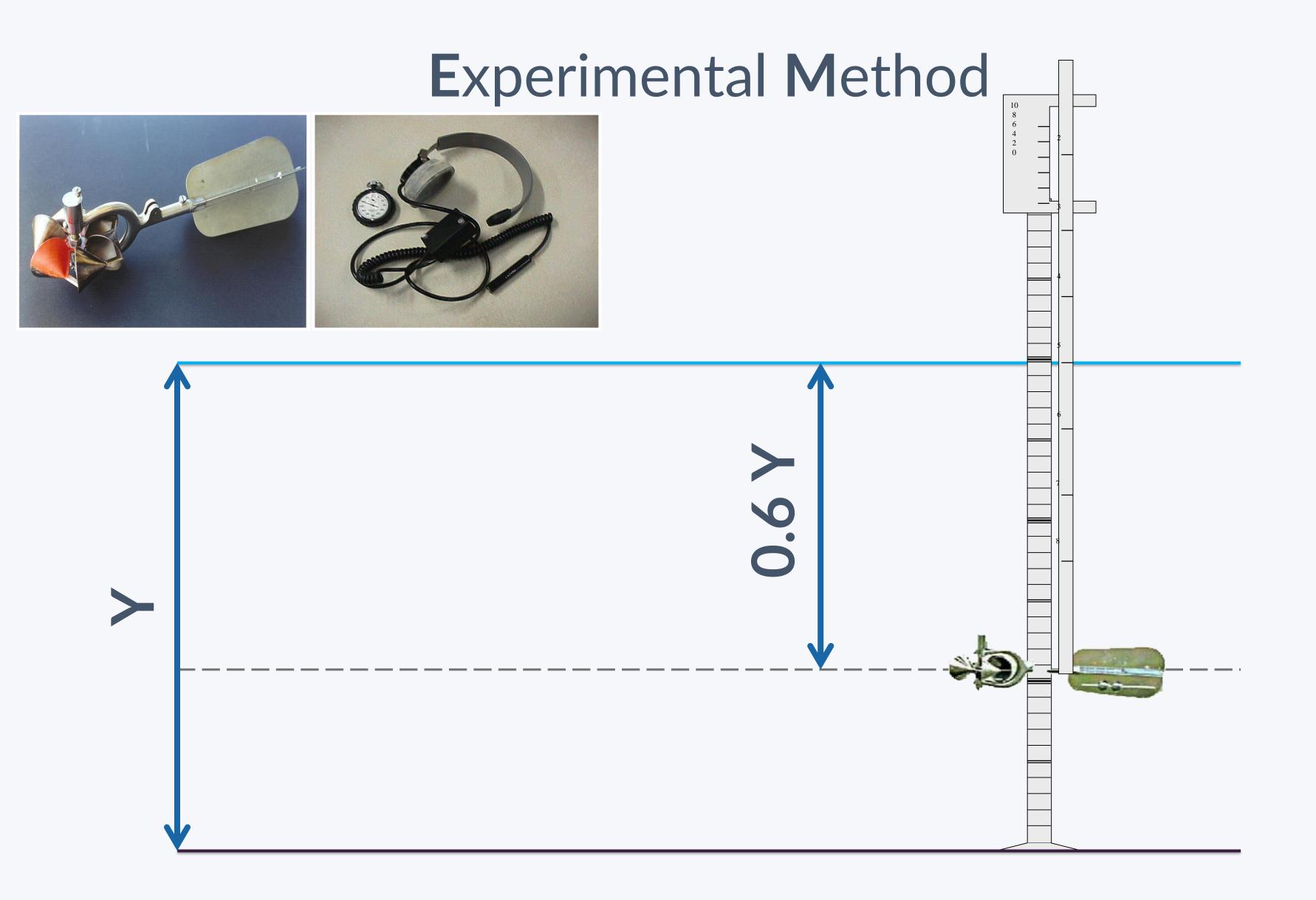


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$$Q = A \times V$$





	METRIC RATING TABLE FOR No. 622 CURRENT METER VELOCITY IN METERS PER SECOND																
Time	1	2	3	5	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	150	200	Time
Secs	Rev	Rev	Rev	Rev	Rev	Rev	Rev	Rev	Rev	Hev	Rev	Rev	Rev	Rev	Rev	Rev	Secs
40	0 027	0 046	0 064	0 094	0 177	0 344	05.2	0 680	0.84"	1 018	1 189	1 356	1 527	1 695	2 542	3 389	40
41	0 027	0 046	0.061	0 091	0 174	0 335	0.500	0 664	0 926	0 994	1 161	1 323	1 490	1 655	2 481	3 307	41
42	0.027	0 043	0 061	0 091	0 171	0 326	0 498	0 649	0.808	0 969	1 134	1 292	1 454	1 615	2 423	3 229	42
1 43	0 027	0.043	0 061	0 088	0 165	0.320	0 475	0 634	0 789	0 948	1 106	1 252	1 420	1 579	2 368	3 152	43
44	0 027	0 043	0 058	0 085	0 162	0 314	0.466	0 619	J 77 }	0 927	_1 C82	1 231	1 397	1 542	2 313	3 078	44
45	0 027	0 043	0 058	0 085	0 158	0.308	0 457	0 607	0 756	0.905	1 058	1 204	1 356	1 509	2 252	3 009	45
45	0 027	0 043	0.058	0 085	0 155	0.302	0 448	0.594	0 741	0 884	1 033	1 190	1 325	1 475	2.213	2 941	46
47	0 024	0 043	0 055	0.082	0.152	0 296	0 439	0 582	0 725	0 866	1 012	1 155	1 298	l 445	2 167	2 890	47
48	0 024	0 043	0 055	0 079	0 149	0.290	0 430	0 570	0.710	0 047	0 991	1 131	1 271	1 414	2 121	2 619	48
49	0 024	0 040	0 055	0 079	0 (46	C 283	0 42!	0 558	0 695	0 829	0 969	1 105	1 247	1 384	2 075	2 761	49
50	0.024	0 040	0 052	0 079	0 143	0 277	0 411	0 546	0 680	0 814	0 951	1 005	1 222	1 356	2 033	2 710	50
51		0 (14)	0.052	0 076	0.140	0 274	0.402	0.533	0 668	0 799	0 933	1 054	i 198	1 329	1 993	2 558	51
52		0 040	0 052	0 076	0 140	0 268	0 393	0.524	0 655	0 783	0 914	1 042	1 173	1 305	1 957	2 609	52
53		0 040	0.049	0 073	0 137	0 262	0 387	0.515	0 643	0.758	û 8 96	1 024	1 152	1 280	1 920	2 560	53
54		0 040	0 049	0 073	0 134	0 259	0 361	0.506	0 631	ე 753	0 878	1 006	1 131	1 256	1 094	2 512	54
55		0 040	0.049	0 073	0.131	0 253	0 375	0.497	0.619	0 741	0 863	0 988	1 109	1 234	1 850	2 456	55
5δ		0.037	0.049	0.070	0 131	0.250	0 369	0 488	0 607	0 728	0 947	0 969	1 091	1 213	1 817	2 423	56
57		0 037	0.049	0.070	0 128	0 244	0 363	0.479	0 597	0 716	0 932	0 951	1 073	1 192	1 786	2 360	57
58		0.037	0.046	0.067	0.125	0.241	0 357	0.469	0 588	0 704	0 917	0 936	1 055	1 170	1 756	2.341	58
59		0 037	0.046	0 067	0 125	0.238	0 351	0 460	0 579	0 692	0 802	0 920	1 036	1 149	1 725	2 301	59
60		0.037	0.046	0.067	0.122	0.235	0 344	0.451	0.570	0360	0 789	0 905	1 018	1 131	1 693	2 252	60
61		0.037	0.046	0.067	0.119	0.229	0 338	0.445	0.561	0 668	0.777	0 690	1 003	1.113	1.667	2 225	61
52		0.034	0.045	0.064	0.119	0.226	0 332	0.439	0.552	0.658	0 765	0.875	0 989	1.094	1.640	2 168	62
63		0.034	0.043	0 064	0.116	0 223	0 326	0.433	0.543	0 649	0 753	0 850	0 972	1 076	1615	2 155	63
64		0.034	0.043	0.064	0 116	0.219	0 320	0.427	0 533	0 640	0 741	0 844	0 957	1 061	1.591	2 121	64
65		0.034	0.043	0 061	0 113	0.216	0 314	0.421	0.524	0 631	0 728	0.832	0.942	1 045	1 567	2 088	65
56		0.034	0 043	0 061	0.113	0.213	0 311	0.415	0 515	0 622	0 716	0 820	0.927	1.030	1.542	2 057	66 ,
67		0.034	0.043	0.061	0 110	0.210	0 308	0 408	0.506	0 613	0.707	0 808	0.911	1.015	1.518	2 027	67
68		0.034	0.043	0.061	0.110	0.207	0 305	0.402	0.500	0 604	0.038	0 795	0.899	1.000	1 497	1 996	68
69		0.034	0.040	0.058	0 107	0 204	0 302	0 396	0 494	Ú 594	0 689	0 783	0 887	0.985	l 475	1 966	69
70		0.034	0.040	0.058	0 107	0 201	0 299	0 390	0 488	0 585	0 680	0.771	0 875	0 969	1 454	1 939	70

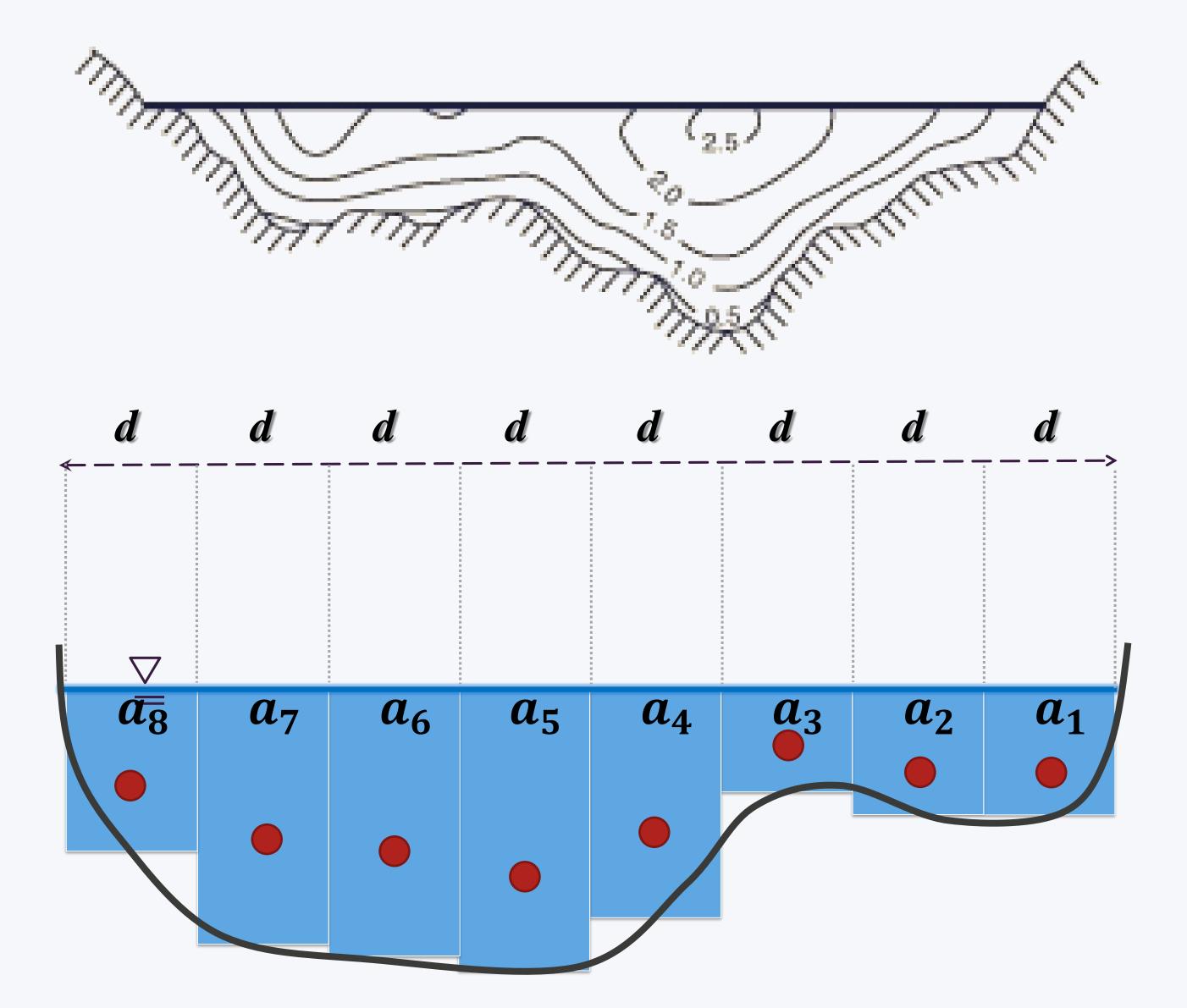
This table applies when measurements are made with meter suspended by cable. When measurements are made with meter suspended by rod, reduce the tabular velocities by 2 per cent

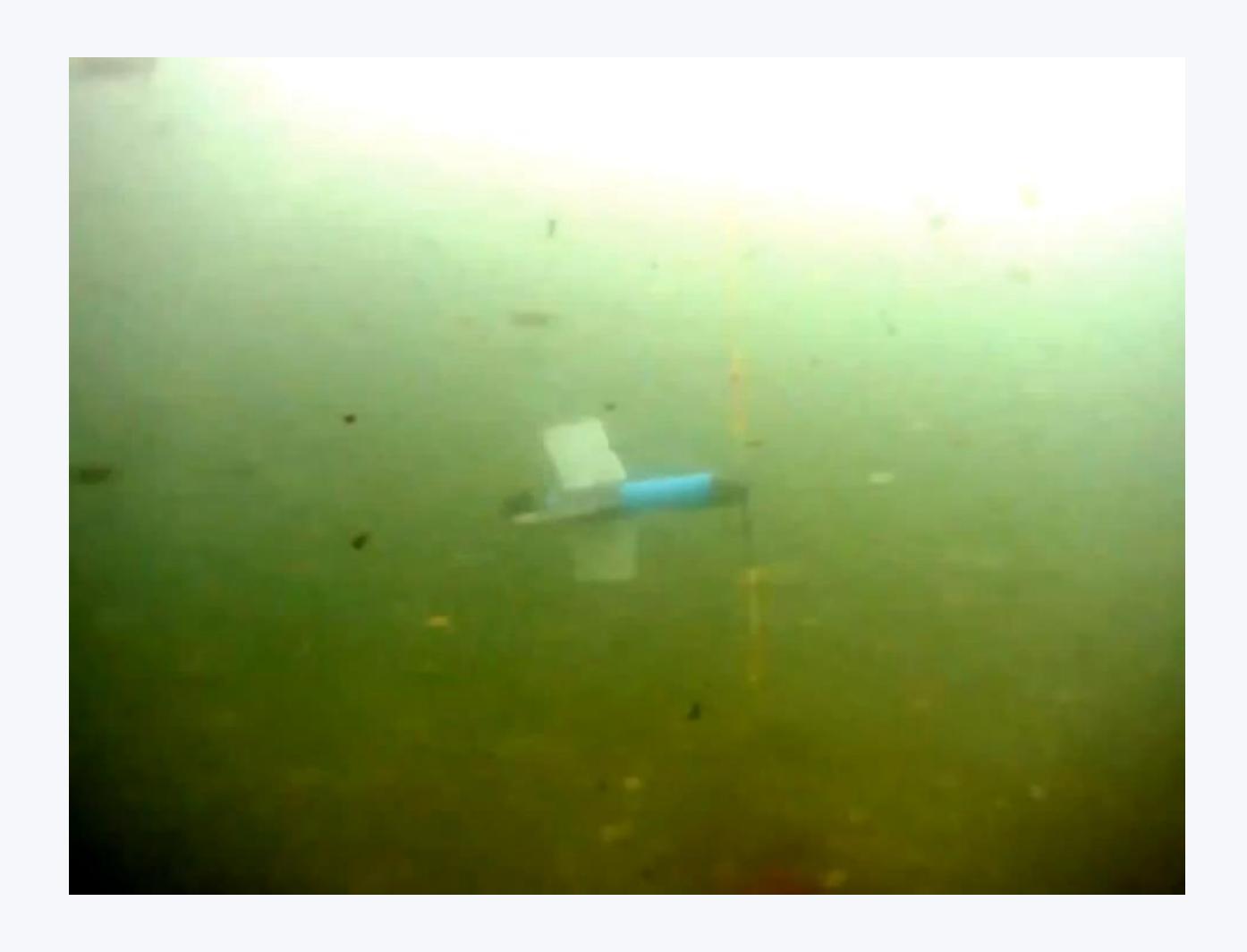
Equations for Standard Rating Tables



$$V = aR + b$$

R = Revolutions per Second





Any Questions?

