



**ETC SLOW SOILS PASK CONSTANT  
HEAD WELL PERMEAMETER  
SINGLE PONDED HEIGHT METHOD**

Toll Free 1-888-747-7645 (SOIL)

*Coarse and gravelly sands; may also  
include some highly structured soils  
with large cracks and /or macropores*

<b>d – well hole diameter (cm)</b>	8.3	<b>α* - sat/unsat flow ratio (cm-1)</b>	0.12
<b>H – height of water in well (cm)</b>	15.0	<b>C – shape factor</b>	1.36

R(cm/min)	Kfs (inch/hr)
0.01	0.002
0.02	0.004
0.03	0.005
0.04	0.007
0.05	0.009
0.06	0.011
0.07	0.013
0.08	0.014
0.09	0.02
0.10	0.02
0.15	0.03
0.20	0.04
0.25	0.05
0.30	0.05
0.35	0.06
0.40	0.07
0.45	0.08
0.50	0.09
0.55	0.10
0.60	0.11
0.65	0.12
0.70	0.13
0.75	0.14
0.80	0.14
0.85	0.15
0.90	0.16
0.95	0.17
1.0	0.2
1.1	0.2
1.2	0.2
1.3	0.2
1.4	0.3
1.5	0.3
1.6	0.3
1.7	0.3
1.8	0.3
1.9	0.3
2.0	0.4
2.1	0.4
2.2	0.4
2.3	0.4
2.4	0.4
2.5	0.5
2.6	0.5

R(cm/min)	Kfs (inch/hr)
2.7	0.5
2.8	0.5
2.9	0.5
3.0	0.5
3.1	0.6
3.2	0.6
3.3	0.6
3.4	0.6
3.5	0.6
3.6	0.7
3.7	0.7
3.8	0.7
3.9	0.7
4.0	0.7
4.1	0.7
4.2	0.8
4.3	0.8
4.4	0.8
4.5	0.8
4.6	0.8
4.7	0.8
4.8	0.9
4.9	0.9
5.0	0.9
5.5	1.0
6.0	1.1
6.5	1.2
7.0	1.3
7.5	1.4
8.0	1.4
8.5	1.5
9.0	1.6
9.5	1.7
10.0	2
11.0	2
12.0	2
13.0	2
14.0	3
15.0	3
16.0	3
17.0	3
18.0	3
19.0	3
20.0	4

R(cm/min)	Kfs (inch/hr)
21.0	4
22.0	4
23.0	4
24.0	4
25.0	5
26.0	5
27.0	5
28.0	5
29.0	5
30.0	5
31.0	6
32.0	6
33.0	6
34.0	6
35.0	6
36.0	7
37.0	7
38.0	7
39.0	7
40.0	7
41.0	7
42.0	8
43.0	8
44.0	8
45.0	8
46.0	8
47.0	8
48.0	9
49.0	9
50.0	9
52.0	9
54.0	10
56.0	10
58.0	10
60.0	11
62.0	11
64.0	12
66.0	12
68.0	12
70.0	13
72.0	13
74.0	13
76.0	14
78.0	14

**R – quasi steady-state rate of fall**

**Kfs – field saturated hydraulic conductivity**

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R(cm/min)	Kfs (inch/hr)
0.001	0.0001
0.002	0.0002
0.003	0.0003
0.004	0.0004
0.005	0.0005
0.006	0.0006
0.007	0.0007
0.008	0.0009
0.009	0.0010
0.010	0.0011
0.015	0.0016
0.020	0.002
0.025	0.003
0.030	0.003
0.035	0.004
0.040	0.004
0.045	0.005
0.050	0.005
0.055	0.006
0.060	0.006
0.065	0.007
0.070	0.007
0.075	0.008
0.080	0.009
0.085	0.009
0.090	0.010
0.095	0.010
0.10	0.01
0.15	0.02
0.20	0.02
0.25	0.03
0.30	0.03
0.35	0.04
0.40	0.04
0.45	0.05
0.50	0.05
0.55	0.06
0.60	0.06
0.65	0.07
0.70	0.07
0.75	0.08
0.80	0.09
0.85	0.09
0.90	0.10

R(cm/min)	Kfs (inch/hr)
0.95	0.10
1.00	0.11
1.10	0.12
1.20	0.13
1.30	0.14
1.40	0.15
1.50	0.16
1.60	0.17
1.70	0.18
1.80	0.19
1.90	0.20
2.00	0.21
2.10	0.2
2.20	0.2
2.30	0.2
2.40	0.3
2.50	0.3
2.60	0.3
2.70	0.3
2.80	0.3
2.90	0.3
3.00	0.3
3.10	0.3
3.20	0.3
3.30	0.4
3.40	0.4
3.50	0.4
3.60	0.4
3.70	0.4
3.80	0.4
3.90	0.4
4.00	0.4
4.10	0.4
4.20	0.4
4.30	0.5
4.40	0.5
4.50	0.5
4.60	0.5
4.70	0.5
4.80	0.5
4.90	0.5
5.00	0.5
5.10	0.5
5.20	0.6

R(cm/min)	Kfs (inch/hr)
5.30	0.6
5.40	0.6
5.50	0.6
5.60	0.6
5.70	0.6
5.80	0.6
5.90	0.6
6.00	0.6
6.10	0.6
6.20	0.7
6.30	0.7
6.40	0.7
6.50	0.7
6.60	0.7
6.70	0.7
6.80	0.7
6.90	0.7
7.00	0.7
7.50	0.8
8.00	0.9
8.50	0.9
9.00	1.0
9.50	1.0
10.0	1.1
11.0	1.2
12.0	1.3
13.0	1.4
14.0	1.5
15.0	1.6
16.0	1.7
17.0	1.8
18.0	1.9
19.0	2.0
20.0	2.1
25.0	3
30.0	3
35.0	4
40.0	4
45.0	5
50.0	5
55.0	6
60.0	6
65.0	7
70.0	7

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0.015	0.0005
0.020	0.001
0.025	0.001
0.030	0.001
0.035	0.001
0.040	0.001
0.045	0.002
0.050	0.002
0.055	0.002
0.060	0.002
0.065	0.002
0.070	0.002
0.075	0.003
0.080	0.003
0.085	0.003
0.090	0.003
0.095	0.003
0.10	0.004
0.15	0.005
0.20	0.007
0.25	0.009
0.30	0.011
0.35	0.012
0.40	0.014
0.45	0.016
0.50	0.018
0.55	0.019
0.60	0.021
0.65	0.023
0.70	0.025
0.75	0.027
0.80	0.028
0.85	0.030
0.90	0.032

R(cm/min)	Kfs (inch/hr)
0.95	0.03
1.00	0.04
1.10	0.04
1.20	0.04
1.30	0.05
1.40	0.05
1.50	0.05
1.60	0.06
1.70	0.06
1.80	0.06
1.90	0.07
2.00	0.07
2.10	0.07
2.20	0.08
2.30	0.08
2.40	0.08
2.50	0.09
2.60	0.09
2.70	0.10
2.80	0.10
2.90	0.10
3.00	0.11
3.10	0.11
3.20	0.11
3.30	0.12
3.40	0.12
3.50	0.12
3.60	0.13
3.70	0.13
3.80	0.13
3.90	0.14
4.00	0.14
4.10	0.14
4.20	0.15
4.30	0.15
4.40	0.16
4.50	0.16
4.60	0.16
4.70	0.17
4.80	0.17
4.90	0.17
5.00	0.18
5.10	0.18
5.20	0.18

R(cm/min)	Kfs (inch/hr)
5.30	0.19
5.40	0.19
5.50	0.19
5.60	0.20
5.70	0.20
5.80	0.20
5.90	0.21
6.00	0.21
6.10	0.22
6.20	0.22
6.30	0.22
6.40	0.23
6.50	0.23
6.60	0.23
6.70	0.24
6.80	0.24
6.90	0.24
7.00	0.25
7.50	0.27
8.00	0.28
8.50	0.30
9.00	0.32
9.50	0.34
10.0	0.4
11.0	0.4
12.0	0.4
13.0	0.5
14.0	0.5
15.0	0.5
16.0	0.6
17.0	0.6
18.0	0.6
19.0	0.7
20.0	0.7
25.0	0.9
30.0	1.1
35.0	1.2
40.0	1.4
45.0	1.6
50.0	1.8
55.0	1.9
60.0	2.1
65.0	2.3
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