South Platte River at C.R. 87 near Masters, CO

#### **Site Location:**

Site ID:

Site Name: South Platte River at C.R. 87 near Masters, CO

Weld County:

Masters Nearest City: Contact:

State: CO

District Latitude: 401822

Longitude: 1041440

Denver, CO 80225

USGS Station ID: 6756995

Route Number: 87

Route Class: County

Mainline Service Level:

Route Direction: NA

Highway Mile Point:

Stream Name: South Platte River

River Mile:

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#### **Site Description:**

The study site is located at the County Road 87 bridge crossing the South Platte River, 1 mile north of Masters and U.S. Highway 34. The drainage basin (12,119 sq mi) includes rolling, irrigated farmland and mountainous areas. Natural streamflow is affected by reservoirs, diversions, ground-water withdrawals and return flows. A diversion dam is located about 1000 ft upsteam of the bridge. There is a sand-bed channel at this location. Two tributaries enter the South Platte River at about 100 ft and 25 ft upstream from the bridge on the right bank. The majority of the flow is along the right side of the channel. During low flows, there is a sandbar along the left side of the channel that extends upstream and downstream from the bridge.

The bridge, estimated to be at least 40 years old, is 361 ft long, and it has eight concrete piers spaced 40 ft apart. The piers are perpendicular to the bridge and generally aligned with the flow. The piers are square nosed with a width of 0.95 ft and a length of 24 ft. (Sediment samples taken from the pier-scour holes are identified with a "P".)

A USGS streamflow-gaging station is located on the right bank downstream from the bridge. The range of discharge during data collection was from 1,450 to 8,010 cubic feet per second. The maximum reported at-pier approach velocity was 5.2 feet per second. The maximum peak flow for 1984 (May 18) was 8,220 cubic feet per second.

Data collection near piers 6, 7, and 8 (numbered from the left bank) was complicated by accumulated debris and (or) velocities that made positioning the sounding weights difficult. The depth of scour was measured on either side

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of these piers.

The data reported herein were collected as part of a study of general scour at bridge crossings and local scour at bridge piers at sites in Colorado in 1984 (Jarret and Boyle, 1986). The purpose of the study was to develop and test guidelines for collecting streambed-scour data at bridges during high flows. Equipment and procedures commonly used in the the U.S. Geological Survey streamflow-gaging program were employed. A secondary purpose was to evaluate local-sour-prediction equations. The four data-collection sites were selected because record or near-record snow packs were present in the basin headwaters, and the bridges at the sites did not appear to contract the main-channel flow. Estimates of local scour at piers based on the stream cross-section data collected at the upstream and downstream side of the bridge are reported here. Approach depths at piers were computed as the total depth minus the estimated scour-hole depth. At-pier approach velocity and flow skew angle are reported if available.

#### **Elevation Reference**

Datum: Gage

MSL (ft):

#### Description of Reference Elevation:

The elevations given are referenced to the gage datum, the elevation of which was not determined. The gage altitude from the topographic map was 4450 ft. Reference point, gage elevation 11.23, was on the top of the H-beam in the upstream wingwall of the right-bank abutment. The gage was discontinued in 1988.

#### **Stream Data**

Drainage Area 12120 Floodplain Width: Unknown

(sq mi):

Slope in 0.00132 Natural Levees: Unknown

Vicinity(ft/ft):

Flow Impact: Straight Apparent Incision: Unknown

Channel Evolution Unknown Channel Boundary: Alluvial

Armoring: Unknown Banks Tree Cover: Medium

Debris Frequency: Frequent Sinuosity: Unknown

Debris Effect: Local Braiding: Locally

Stream Size: Medium Anabranching: Locally

Flow Habit: Perennial Bars: Unknown

Bed Material: Sand Stream Width Unknown

Variability:

Valley Setting: Low

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#### Roughness Data

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Left Overbank Channel Right Overbank

High:

Typical

Low:

#### **Bed Material**

Measurement Number	Yr	Мо	Dy	Sampler	D95 (mm)	D84 (mm)	D50 (mm)	D16 (mm)	SP	Shape	Cohesion
1	1984	6	25	BM-54	16.8	9.4	2.29	0.52	2.65		Non-Cohesive
2	1984	6	25	BM-54 (P)	6.98	3.5	0.95	0.4	2.65		Non-Cohesive
3	1984	10	2	HAND	11.1	6.3	1.52	0.58	2.65		Non-Cohesive
4	1984	10	2	HAND (P)	9.3	2.1	0.67	0.31	2.65		Non-Cohesive

#### Bed Material Comments

Measurement No: 1

Measurement No: 2

Measurement No: 3

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Measurement No: 4

#### **Bridge Data**

Structure No: 87-44A

Length(ft): 361

Width(ft): 24

Number of Spans: 9

Vertical Configuration: Horizontal

Low Chord Elev (ft):

Upper Chord Elev (ft):

Overtopping Elev (ft):

Skew (degrees):

Guide Banks: Unknown

Waterway Classification: Unknown

Year Built:

Avg Daily Traffic:

Plans on File: Yes

Parallel Bridges No

 $\label{lownstream} \textbf{Upstream/Downstream:} \quad \mathbb{N}/\mathbb{A}$ 

Continuous Abutment: No

Distance Between Centerlines:

Distance Between Pier Faces:

#### Bridge Description:

The bridge is 361 ft long, and it has eight concrete piers (numbered left to right) spaced 40 ft apart with centerlines oriented perpendicular to the bridge centerline.

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#### **Abutment Data**

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Left Station:
               358
Right Station:
Left Skew (deg): 0
Right Skew (deg) 0
Left Abutment Length (ft): 24
Right Abutment Length (ft) 24
Left Abutment to Channel Bank (ft):
Right Abutment to Channel Bank (ft): 0
Left Abutment Protection:
Right Abutment Protection
Contracted Opening Type:
                           IV
Embankment Skew (deg):
                           0
Embankment Slope (ft/ft):
Abutment Slope (ft/ft)
Wingwalls:
                           No
Wingwall Angle (deg):
                           0
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#### **Pier Data**

Pier ID	Bridge Station(ft)	Alignment	Highway Station	PierType	# Of Piles	Pile Spacing(ft)
1	39	0	0	Single	0	
2	79	0	0	Single	0	
3	119	0	0	Single	0	
4	159	0	0	Single	0	
5	199	0	0	Single	0	
6	239	0	0	Single	0	
7	279	0	0	Single	0	

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8	319	0	0	Single	0	
Pier ID	Pier Width(ft)	Pier Shape	Shape Factor	Length(ft)	Protection	Foundation
1	0.95	Square		24	Unknown	Piles
2	0.95	Square		24	Unknown	Piles
3	0.95	Square		24	Unknown	Piles
4	0.95	Square		24	Unknown	Piles
5	0.95	Square		24	Unknown	Piles
6	0.95	Square		24	Unknown	Piles
7	0.95	Square		24	Unknown	Piles
8	0.95	Square		24	Unknown	Piles
Pier ID	Top Elevation			or Pile Width(ft)	Cap Shape	Pile Tip Elevation(ft)
1					Unknown	
2					Unknown	
3					Unknown	
4					Unknown	
5					Unknown	
6					Unknown	
7					Unknown	
8					Unknown	

#### Pier Description

Pier ID 1

The concrete pier encases six 8-inch by 8-inch steel "H" piles. Pier width is 0.95 ft, pier length is 24 ft, and pier height is at least 10.5 ft (exact height is unknown). Depth to pile tip is also unknown. (Detailed construction plans are unavailable.)

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#### Pier ID 2

The concrete pier encases five 8-inch by 8-inch steel "H" piles. Pier width is 0.95 ft, pier length is 24 ft, and pier height is at least 10.5 ft (exact height is unknown). Depth to pile tip is also unknown. (Detailed construction plans are unavailable.) NO Pier coordinates exist for pier ID 2.

#### Pier ID 3

The concrete pier encases five 8-inch by 8-inch steel "H" piles. Pier width is 0.95 ft, pier length is 24 ft, and pier height is at least 10.5 ft (exact height is unknown). Depth to pile tip is also unknown. (Detailed construction plans are unavailable.) NO Pier coordinates exist for pier ID 3.

#### Pier ID 4

The concrete pier encases five 8-inch by 8-inch steel "H" piles. Pier width is 0.95 ft, pier length is 24 ft, and pier height is at least 10.5 ft (exact height is unknown). Depth to pile tip is also unknown. (Detailed construction plans are unavailable.) NO Pier coordinates exist for pier ID 4.

#### Pier ID 5

The concrete pier encases six 8-inch by 8-inch steel "H" piles. Pier width is 0.95 ft, pier length is 24 ft, and pier height is at least 10.5 ft (exact height is unknown). Depth to pile tip is also unknown. (Detailed construction plans are unavailable.) NO Pier coordinates exist for pier ID 5.

#### Pier ID 6

The concrete pier encases six 8-inch by 8-inch steel "H" piles. Pier width is 0.95 ft, pier length is 24 ft, and pier height is at least 10.5 ft (exact height is unknown). Depth to pile tip is also unknown. (Detailed construction plans are unavailable.) NO Pier coordinates exist for pier ID 6.

#### Pier ID 7

The concrete pier encases six 8-inch by 8-inch steel "H" piles. Pier width is 0.95 ft, pier length is 24 ft, and pier height is at least 10.5 ft (exact height is unknown). Depth to pile tip is also unknown. (Detailed construction plans are unavailable.) NO Pier coordinates exist for pier ID 7.

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Pier ID 8

The concrete pier encases six 8-inch by 8-inch steel "H" piles. Pier width is 0.95 ft, pier length is 24 ft, and pier height is at least 10.5 ft (exact height is unknown). Depth to pile tip is also unknown. (Detailed construction plans are unavailable.) NO Pier coordinates exist for pier ID 8.

Pier	Scour	Data
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Pier Sco	ur Data		
Pier ID	Date	Time	USOrDS
1	5/18/84	11:00	Upstream
1	5/18/84	13:30	Downstream
1	6/25/84	14:00	Upstream
1	6/25/84	16:30	Downstream
1	10/2/84	14:00	Upstream
1	10/2/84	16:00	Downstream
2	5/18/84	11:00	Upstream
2	5/18/84	13:00	Downstream
3	5/18/84	11:00	Upstream
3	5/18/84	13:30	Downstream
3	6/25/84	14:00	Upstream
3	6/25/84	16:30	Downstream
4	5/18/84	11:00	Upstream
4	5/18/84	13:30	Downstream
4	6/25/84	14:00	Upstream
4	6/25/84	16:30	Downstream
4	10/2/84	14:00	Upstream
5	5/18/84	11:00	Upstream
5	5/18/84	13:30	Downstream
5	6/25/84	14:00	Upstream
5	6/25/84	16:30	Downstream
5	10/2/84	14:00	Upstream
5	10/2/84	16:00	Downstream
6	5/18/84	11:00	Upstream
6	5/18/84	13:30	Downstream
6	6/25/84	14:00	Upstream
6	6/25/84	16:30	Downstream
6	10/2/84	14:00	Upstream
6	10/2/84	16:00	Downstream
7	5/18/84	11:00	Upstream
7	5/18/84	13:30	Downstream

7	6/	25/84	14:00	Upstream				
7	6/	25/84	16:30	Downstream	n			
7	10	/2/84	14:00	Upstream				
7	10	/2/84	16:00	Downstream	n			
8	5/	18/84	11:00	Upstream				
8	5/	18/84	13:30	Downstream	n			
8	10	/2/84	14:00	Upstream				
8	10	/2/84	16:00	Downstream	n			
Pier ID	Scour Depth	Accuracy (ft)	Side Slope (ft/ft)			Apprch Depth(ft)	Effective Pier Width	Skew to Flow(deg)
1	2	0.5	10.5	44	2.6	3.3	0.95	26
1	1.9	0.5	5.9	18	2.6	3.3	0.95	26
1	0.7	0.5	10.7	17	2.3	1.9	0.95	15
1	1.4	0.5	6.2	17	2.3	1.9	0.95	15
1	1.7	0.5	10	34	2.4	0.5	0.95	15
1	0	0.5			2.4	0.5	0.95	15
2	0.5	0.5	5.1	16	3.5	3.3	0.95	26
2	1.5	0.5	5.7	15	3.5	3.3	0.95	26
3	1	0.5	15.2	24	3.8	3.3	0.95	14
3	1.1	0.5	9	16	3.8	3.3	0.95	14
3	1	0.5	11.5	23	2.7	1.1	0.95	20
3	0	0.5			2.7	1.1	0.95	20
4	0.6	0.5	5.5	10	3.9	4.3	0.95	23
4	1.1	0.5		25	3.9	4.3	0.95	23
4	1.2	0.5	7.5	22	3.3	1.1	0.95	16
4	0.8	0.5	9.9	15	3.3	1.1	0.95	16
4	1.3	0.5	5.5	19	2.4	3.4	0.95	16
5	2.1	0.5	4.9	18	4.1	6.1	0.95	16
5	1.6	0.5	14.4	18	4.1	6.1	0.95	16
5	1.8	0.5	2.5	9	3.7	1.4	0.95	11
5	1.3	0.5	5.5	16	3.7	1.4	0.95	11
5	1.7	0.5	3.4	11	3.5	2.8	0.95	11
5	1.5	0.5	5.7	16	3.5	2.8	0.95	11
6	2.4	0.5	5.8	30	3.9	8.7	0.95	16
6	2.5	0.5	7.4	37	3.9	8.7	0.95	16
6	1.7	0.5	5.1	16	3.6	1.7	0.95	8
6	1.3	0.5	6.9	15	3.6	1.7	0.95	8
6	2	0.5	2.2	9	3.7	2	0.95	8
6	2	0.5	3.4	16	3.7	2	0.95	8

-	1 2	0.5	0	F 0	0 0	0.05	
7 7		0.5 2.6 0.5 8.1	8	5.2 5.2	9.2 9.2	0.95 14 0.95 14	
7			17				
		0.5 5.2 0.5 6.2	14	3.7	2.2	0.95 13 0.95 13	
7			17	3.7			
7		0.5 5.7	20	2.4	2.2	0.95 13	
7		0.5 1.2	8	2.4	2.2	0.95 13	
8		0.5 3.3	10	4.3	9.4	0.95 11	
8		0.5 7.5	23	4.3	9.4	0.95 11	
8		0.5 7.7	8	2.4	2.6	0.95 11	
8	1 (	0.5 6.6	25	2.4	2.6	0.95 11	
PierID	Sediment Transport	Bed Material	BedForm	Trough (ft)	Crest (ft) Sigma	Debris Effects	
1	Live-bed	Non-cohesive	Unknown		2.9	8 Unknown	
1	Live-bed	Non-cohesive	Unknown		2.9	8 Unknown	
1	Live-bed	Non-cohesive	Unknown		2.9	8 Unknown	
1	Live-bed	Non-cohesive	Unknown		2.9	8 Unknown	
1	Live-bed	Non-cohesive	Unknown		2.6	2 Unknown	
1	Unknown	Non-cohesive	Unknown		2.6	2 Unknown	
2	Live-bed	Non-cohesive	Unknown		2.9	8 Substantial	
2	Live-bed	Non-cohesive	Unknown		2.9	8 Substantial	
3	Live-bed	Non-cohesive	Unknown		2.9	8 Unknown	
3	Live-bed	NON-COH	Unknown		2.9	8 Unknown	
3	Live-bed	Non-cohesive	Unknown		2.9	8 Unknown	
3	Unknown	Non-cohesive	Unknown		2.9	8 Unknown	
4	Live-bed	Non-cohesive	Unknown		2.9	8 Substantial	
4	Live-bed	Non-cohesive	Unknown		2.9	8 Substantial	
4	Live-bed	Non-cohesive	Unknown		2.9	8 Unknown	
4	Live-bed	Non-cohesive	Unknown		2.9	8 Unknown	
4	Live-bed	Non-cohesive	Unknown		2.6	2 Unknown	
5	Live-bed	Non-cohesive	Unknown		2.9	8 Unknown	
5	Live-bed	Non-cohesive	Unknown		2.9	8 Unknown	

5	Live-bed	Non-cohe	esive	Unknown			2.98	Unknown
5	Live-bed	Non-cohe	esive	Unknown			2.98	Unknown
5	Live-bed	Non-cohe	esive	Unknown			2.62	Unknown
5	Live-bed	Non-cohe	esive	Unknown			2.62	Unknown
6	Live-bed	Non-cohe	esive	Unknown			2.98	Unknown
6	Live-bed	Non-cohe	esive	Unknown			2.98	Unknown
6	Live-bed	Non-cohe	esive	Unknown			2.98	Unknown
6	Live-bed	Non-cohe	esive	Unknown			2.98	Unknown
6	Live-bed	Non-cohe	esive	Unknown			2.62	Unknown
6	Live-bed	Non-cohe	esive	Unknown			2.62	Unknown
7	Live-bed	Non-cohe	esive	Unknown			2.98	Substantial
7	Live-bed	Non-cohe	esive	Unknown			2.98	Substantial
7	Live-bed	Non-cohe	esive	Unknown			2.98	Unknown
7	Live-bed	Non-cohe	esive	Unknown			2.98	Unknown
7	Live-bed	Non-cohe	esive	Unknown			2.62	Unknown
7	Live-bed	Non-cohe	esive	Unknown			2.62	Unknown
8	Live-bed	Non-cohe	esive	Unknown			2.98	Substantial
8	Live-bed	Non-cohe	esive	Unknown			2.98	Substantial
8	Live-bed	Non-cohe	esive	Unknown			2.62	Insignificant
8	Live-bed	Non-cohe	esive	Unknown			2.62	Unknown
Pier	ID D95	(mm)	D84 (mm	ı) D50	0 (mm)	D16 (m	m)	
1	6	.98	3.51		0.94	0.4		
1	6	.98	3.51		0.94	0.4		
1	6	.98	3.51		0.94	0.4		
1	6	.98	3.51		0.94	0.4		
1	9	.3	2.1		0.67	0.3		
1	9	. 3	2.1		0.67	0.3		
2	6	.98	3.51		0.94	0.4		

2	6.98	3.51	0.94	0.4
3	6.98	3.51	0.94	0.4
3	6.98	3.51	0.94	0.4
3	6.98	3.51	0.94	0.4
3	6.98	3.51	0.94	0.4
4	6.98	3.51	0.94	0.4
4	6.98	3.51	0.94	0.4
4	6.98	3.51	0.94	0.4
4	6.98	3.51	0.94	0.4
4	9.3	2.1	0.67	0.3
5	6.98	3.51	0.94	0.4
5	6.98	3.51	0.94	0.4
5	6.98	3.51	0.94	0.4
5	6.98	3.51	0.94	0.4
5	6.98	3.51	0.94	0.4
5	6.98	3.51	0.94	0.4
6	6.98	3.51	0.94	0.4
6	6.98	3.51	0.94	0.4
6	6.98	3.51	0.94	0.4
6	6.98	3.51	0.94	0.4
6	9.3	2.1	0.67	0.3
6	9.3	2.1	0.67	0.3
7	6.98	3.51	0.94	0.4
7	6.98	3.51	0.94	0.4
7	6.98	3.51	0.94	0.4
7	6.98	3.51	0.94	0.4
7	9.3	2.1	0.67	0.3
7	9.3	2.1	0.67	0.3

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8	6.98	3.5	51	0.94	0.4	
8	6.98	3.5	51	0.94	0.4	
8	9.3	2.	1	0.67	0.3	
8	9.3	2.	1	0.67	0.3	
Pier Sc	our Comments					
Pier ID	1	Time:	11:00		US/DS:	Upstream
Pier ID	1	Time:	13:30		US/DS:	Downstream
Pier ID	1	Time:	14:00		US/DS:	Upstream
Pier ID	1	Time:	16:30		US/DS:	Downstream
Pier ID	1	Time:	14:00		US/DS:	Upstream

The velocity reported is the average velocity of the approach cross section. The scour hole may be a remnant from previous scour activity. There was no skew measured during the October measurement, however, based on all previous measurements it is anticipated that skew would be present. Skew was evident in an approach section collected in October but the stationing could not be aligned with the bridge. The skew reported is that of the previous measurement

Pier ID 1 Time: 16:00 US/DS: Downstream

Average approach section velocity was 2.40 feet per second. There was no skew measured during the October measurement, however, based on all previous measurements it is anticipated that skew would be present. Skew was evident in an approach section collected in October but the stationing could not be aligned with the bridge. The skew reported is that of the previous measurement

Pier ID 2 Time: 11:00 US/DS: Upstream

Pier ID 2 Time: 13:00 US/DS: Downstream

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Pier ID 3 Time: 11:00 US/DS: Upstream

Pier ID 3 Time: 13:30 US/DS: Downstream

The maximum scour-hole depth is to the right of the pier.

Pier ID 3 Time: 14:00 US/DS: Upstream

Pier ID 3 Time: 16:30 US/DS: Downstream

Channel bottom rises in vicinity of the pier.

Pier ID 4 Time: 11:00 US/DS: Upstream

Pier ID 4 Time: 13:30 US/DS: Downstream

The maximum scour-hole depth is to the right of the pier.

Pier ID 4 Time: 14:00 US/DS: Upstream

Pier ID 4 Time: 16:30 US/DS: Downstream

Pier ID 4 Time: 14:00 US/DS: Upstream

The reported velocity is the average velocity of the approach section. The reference surface was difficult to determine at this pier, which is located at the channel thalweg.

There was no skew measured during the October measurement, however, based on all previous measurements it is anticipated that skew would be present. Skew was evident in an approach section collected in October but the stationing could not be aligned with the bridge. The skew reported is that of the previous measurement

Pier ID 5 Time: 11:00 US/DS: Upstream

Pier ID 5 Time: 13:30 US/DS: Downstream

The maximum scour-hole depth is to the right of the pier.

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Pier ID 5 Time: 14:00 US/DS: Upstream

Pier ID 5 Time: 16:30 Us/Ds: Downstream

Pier ID 5 Time: 14:00 US/DS: Upstream

There was no skew measured during the October measurement, however, based on all previous measurements it is anticipated that skew would be present. Skew was evident in an approach section collected in October but the stationing could not be aligned with the bridge. The skew reported is that of the previous measurement

Pier ID 5 Time: 16:00 US/DS: Downstream

The maximum scour-hole depth is to the left of the pier. There was no skew measured during the October measurement, however, based on all previous measurements it is anticipated that skew would be present. Skew was evident in an approach section collected in October but the stationing could not be aligned with the bridge. The skew reported is that of the previous measurement

Pier ID 6 Time: 11:00 US/DS: Upstream

High velocity prevented depth measurement at the pier nose. Scour depth estimated based on nearby measurements. Actual scour depth may be larger than the estimate.

Pier ID 6 Time: 13:30 US/DS: Downstream

The maximum scour-hole depth is to the right of the pier.

Pier ID 6 Time: 14:00 US/DS: Upstream

Pier ID 6 Time: 16:30 US/DS: Downstream

Pier ID 6 Time: 14:00 US/DS: Upstream

There was no skew measured during the October measurement, however, based on all previous measurements it is anticipated that skew would be present. Skew was evident in an approach section collected in October but the stationing could not be aligned with the bridge. The skew reported is that of the previous measurement

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Pier ID 6 Time: 16:00 US/DS: Downstream

There was no skew measured during the October measurement, however, based on all previous measurements it is anticipated that skew would be present. Skew was evident in an approach section collected in October but the stationing could not be aligned with the bridge. The skew reported is that of the previous measurement

Pier ID 7 Time: 11:00 US/DS: Upstream

High velocity and debris accumulation prevented depth measurement at the pier nose. Scour depth estimated based on nearby measurements. Actual scour depth may be larger than the estimate.

Pier ID 7 Time: 13:30 US/DS: Downstream

The maximum scour-hole depth is to the right of the pier.

Pier ID 7 Time: 14:00 US/DS: Upstream

Pier ID 7 Time: 16:30 US/DS: Downstream

Pier ID 7 Time: 14:00 US/DS: Upstream

The velocity reported is the average velocity of the approach cross section. There was no skew measured during the October measurement, however, based on all previous measurements it is anticipated that skew would be present. Skew was evident in an approach section collected in October but the stationing could not be aligned with the bridge. The skew reported is that of the previous measurement

Pier ID 7 Time: 16:00 US/DS: Downstream

The velocity reported is the average velocity of the approach cross section. There was no skew measured during the October measurement, however, based on all previous measurements it is anticipated that skew would be present. Skew was evident in an approach section collected in October but the stationing could not be aligned with the bridge. The skew reported is that of the previous measurement

Pier ID 8 Time: 11:00 US/DS: Upstream

Debris pile prevented measurement of depth at pier nose. Scour depth estimated based on nearby measurements. Actual scour depth may be larger than the estimate.

Pier ID 8 Time: 13:30 US/DS: Downstream

The maximum scour depth is to the right of the pier.

12 South Platte River at C.R. 87 near Masters, CO

Pier ID 8 Time: 14:00 US/DS: Upstream

The reported velocity is the average velocity in the approach cross section. There was no skew measured during the October measurement, however, based on all previous measurements it is anticipated that skew would be present. Skew was evident in an approach section collected in October but the stationing could not be aligned with the bridge. The skew reported is that of the previous measurement

Pier ID 8 Time: 16:00 US/DS: Downstream

The maximum scour-hole depth is to the left of the pier. The velocity reported is the average velocity in the approach cross section. There was no skew measured during the October measurement, however, based on all previous measurements it is anticipated that skew would be present. Skew was evident in an approach section collected in October but the stationing could not be aligned with the bridge. The skew reported is that of the previous measurement

#### **Abutment Scour**

#### **ContractionScour**

Stage and Discharge Data

Pe	ak D	iscl	narge		Flow			Peal	. St	age		Stage	Water	Return
year	mo	dу	hr	mi	(cfs)	Qacc	year	mo	dу	hr	mi	(ft)	Temp (C)	) Period(yr)
1984	5	18	11:0	0 0	8010	10	1984	5	18	11:0	0 0	8.04		
1984	6	25	14:0	0 0	2750	10	1984	6	25	14:0	0 0	5.33		
1984	10	1	15:3	0 30	1570	10	1984	10	1	15:3	0 30	4.57		
1984	10	2	14:0	0 0	1450	10	1984	10	2	14:0	0 0	4.5		

## Hydrograph

Hydrograph								Discharge
Number	Year	Month	Day	$\mathtt{Hr}$	Min	Sec	Stage(ft)	(cfs)

### **Supporting Files**