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SOUTHERLY WWTP-PRIMARY & AERATION  
IMPROVEMENTS



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**Re: Storm Water Inspection at Southerly WWTP – Primary & Aeration  
Improvements / Franklin County  
Permit #: 4GC02526\*AG**

Dear Mr. Blake:

This letter is written in follow-up to a construction storm water inspection by Amber Miller and Clarissa Lawlis, of the Ohio EPA, at Southerly WWTP – Primary & Aeration Improvements located at 6977 South High Street on July 13, 2009. The purpose of the inspection was to evaluate compliance with the General Storm Water Permit Associated with Construction Activities. During the inspection, we noted the following:

**Sediment and Erosion Controls:**

- This site appears to be void of any sediment controls. The General Permit states that all sediment controls must be implemented prior to initial grading of the site. Please implement these controls immediately to ensure compliance with the General Storm Water Permit.
- Silt fence must be installed by the wash-out area to prevent material from being washed off-site (See Figure 1).
- The entrances to the site (See Figures 2 and 3) must be stabilized to minimize off-site vehicle tracking.
- Silt fence must be installed along the perimeter of the site to prevent erosion of sediment and run-off to surrounding areas.
- Be aware the General Permit states that all barren areas which remain idle in excess of 21 days must be protected from erosion within seven days of the last earth disturbing activities. In addition, erosion protection must be implemented for all areas of final grade within seven (7) days.

Ted Strickland, Governor  
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If you have any questions regarding this letter or the inspection, please do not hesitate to contact me at our Central District Office at (614) 728-3844. Follow-up inspections will be conducted to ensure the conditions of the General Permit are continuing to be met.

Sincerely,



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Enclosure

c: Jeff Bohne, Water Quality Supervisor, DSW/CDO

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Figure 1: Wash out area

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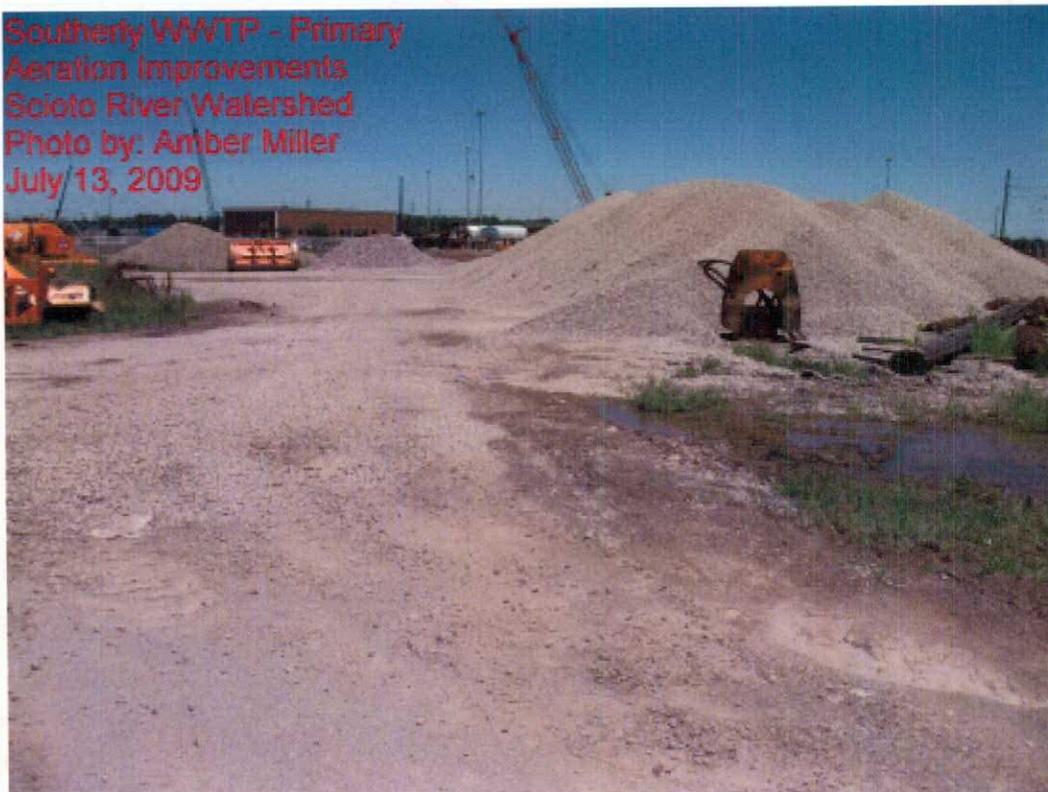
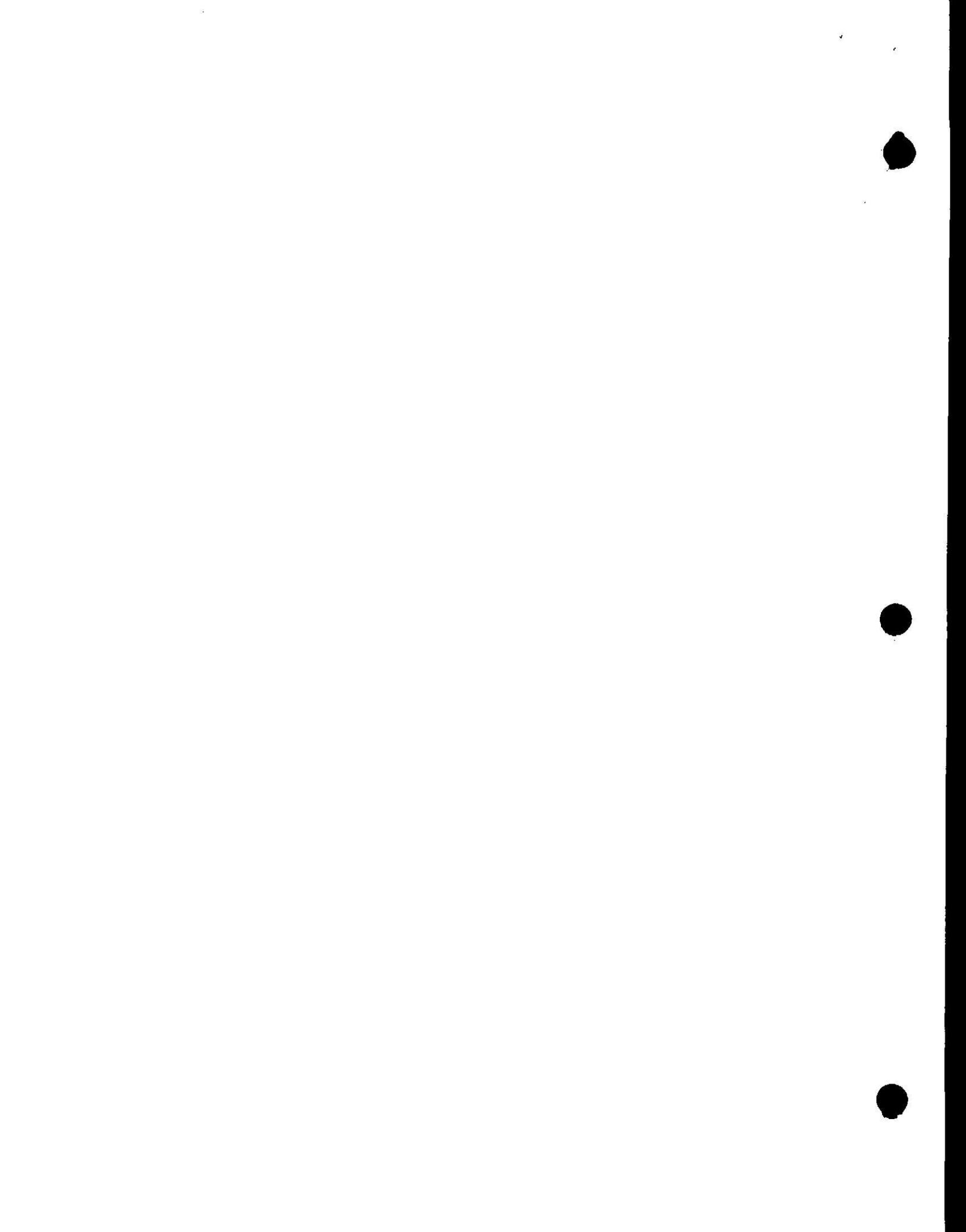


Figure 2: Stabilize entrance



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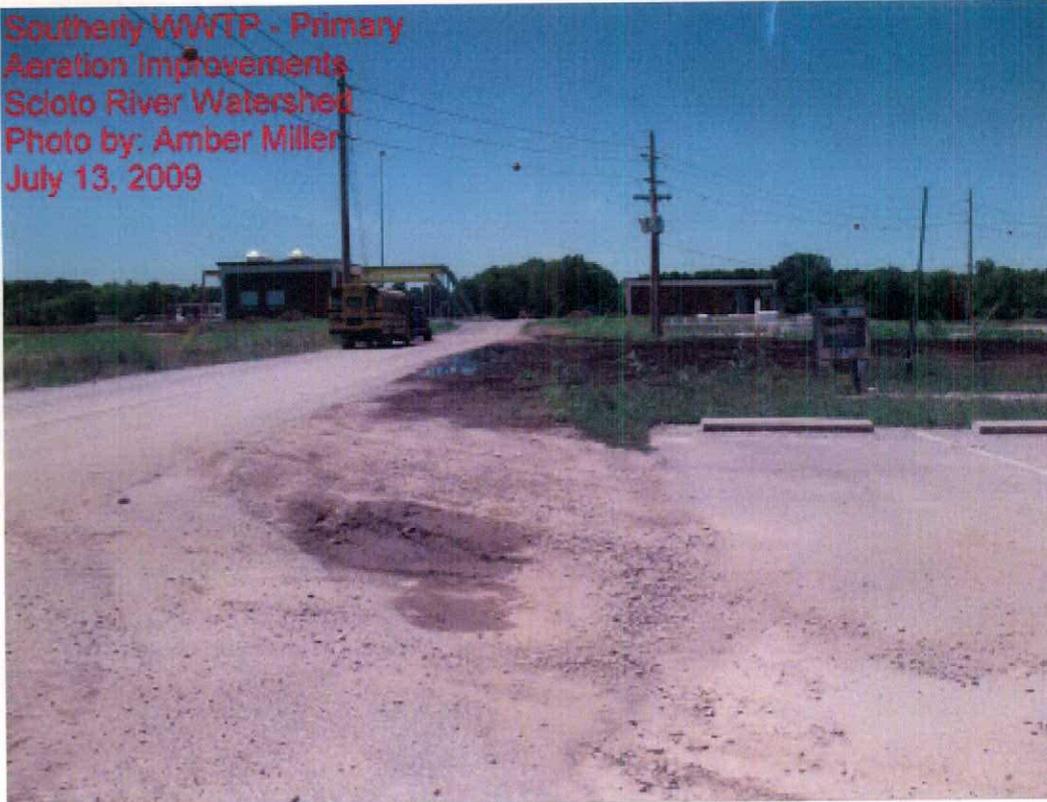


Figure 3: Stabilize entrance

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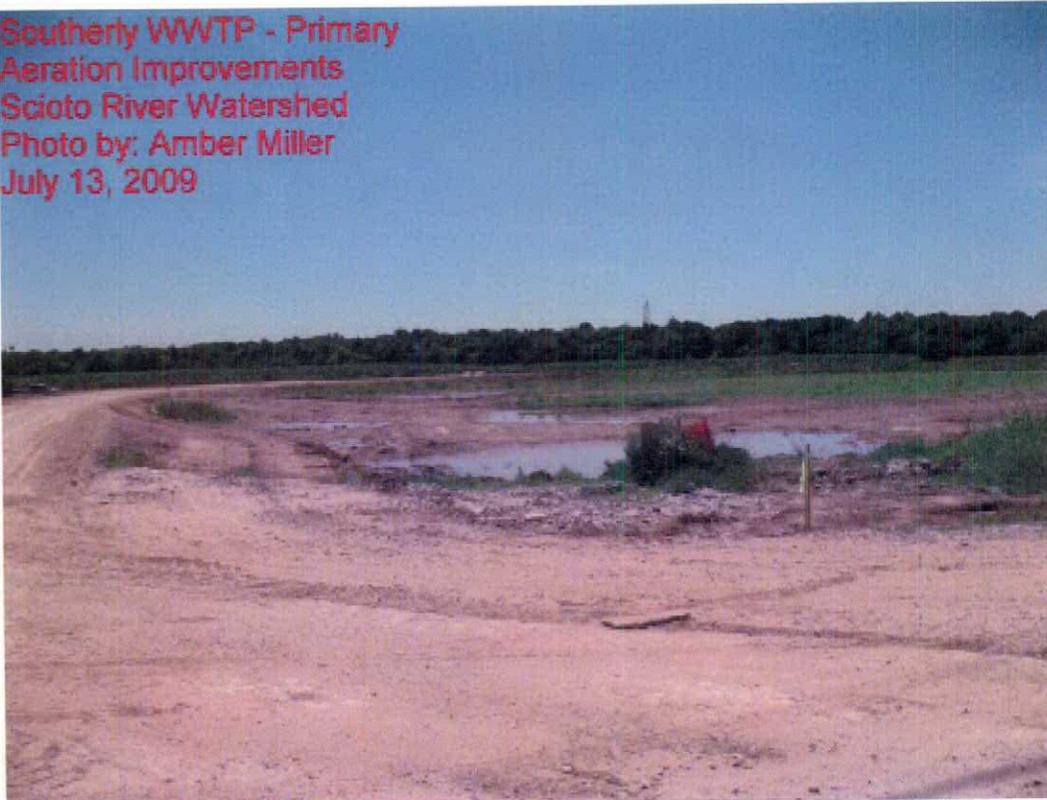
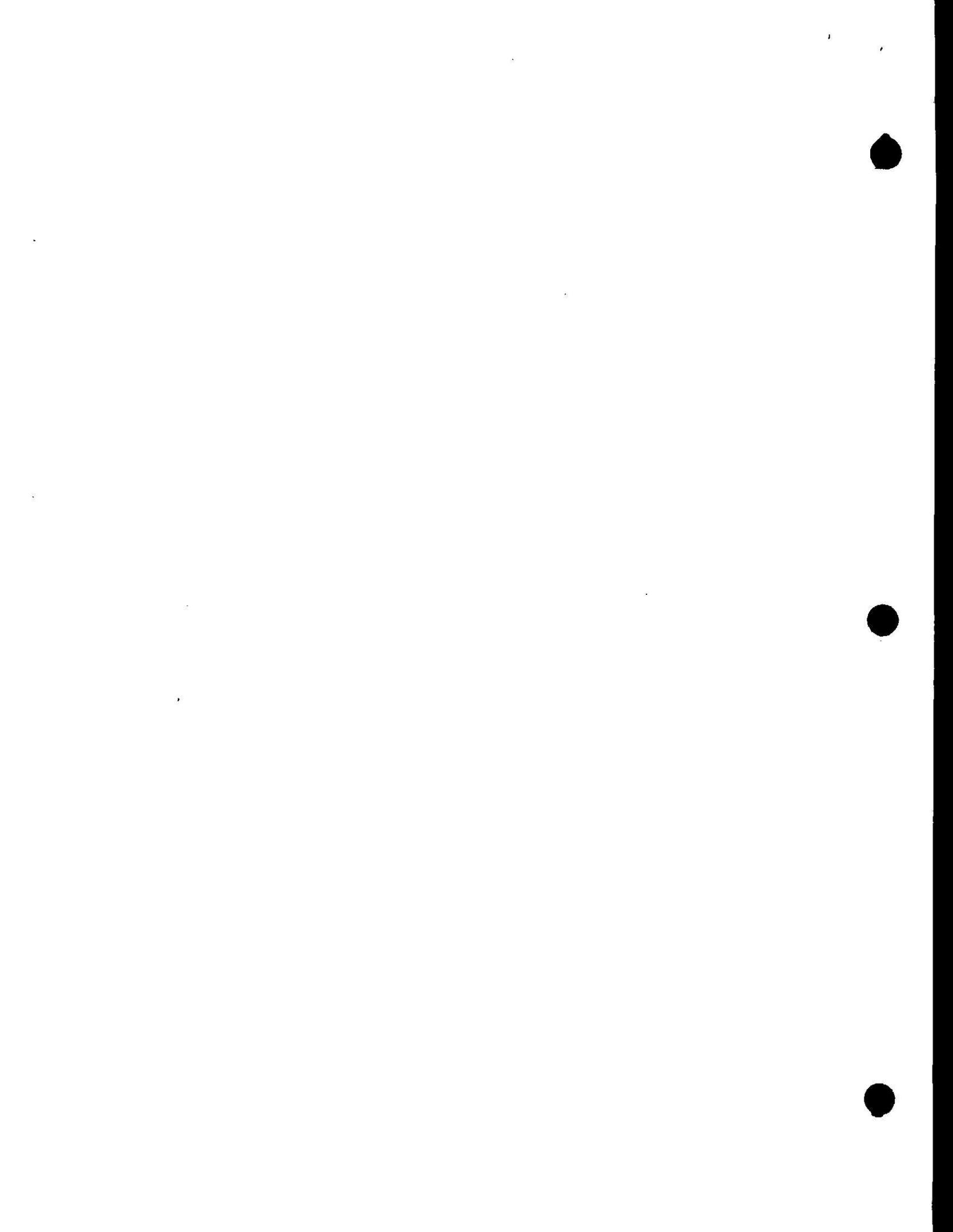


Figure 4



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Figure 5

