## Upper Castle Hayne Aquifer-Lower Unit

Contours at the base of the Local confining unit also represent the top of the Lower unit of the Upper Castle Hayne aquifer. The structure of the surface of the Lower unit of the Upper Castle Hayne aquifer is similar to the top of the Local confining unit with lower altitudes. Maximum altitudes occur in the vicinity of Montford Point and Tarawa Terrace at about
-40 ft . The surface declines relatively uniformly to the southeast with minor interruptions at local highs or depressions in the vicinity of Brewster Boulevard and near the southeastern margin of the study area. Minimum altitude is about -130 ft and occurs north of the headwaters of Wallace Creek near the southeastern limit of the study area (Table B9, Figure B17).

Maximum thickness of the Lower unit of the Upper Castle Hayne aquifer is about 45 ft and is centered on a zone of high

Table B9. Altitude at the top of the Upper Castle Hayne aquifer-Lower unit, Tarawa Terrace and vicinity, U.S. Marine Corps Base Camp Lejeune, North Carolina.
[NGVD 29, National Geodetic Vertical Datum of 1929]

| Site name ${ }^{\mathbf{1}}$ | Location coordinates $^{2}$ |  | Unit altitude, <br> in feet below <br> NGVD 29 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | East | North | 364902 |
| C2 | 2490793 | -37 |  |
| C5 | 2491233 | 364107 | -33 |
| C11 | 2492130 | 362300 | -66 |
| HP-614 (new) | 2512180 | 353670 | -113 |
| HP-619 (new) | 2515870 | 352640 | -104 |
| HP-621 (new) | 2505510 | 354290 | -106 |
| HP-622 | 2494248 | 353323 | -97 |
| HP-623 | 2495617 | 350860 | -98 |
| HP-627 (new) | 2508310 | 354030 | -108 |
| HP-629 (new) | 2504800 | 355152 | -112 |
| HP-641 | 2504106 | 353016 | -122 |
| HP-643 | 2494346 | 356083 | -101 |
| HP-645 | 2497333 | 356430 | -91 |
| HP-646 | 2497870 | 357826 | -88 |
| HP-647 | 2499461 | 356343 | -106 |
| HP-648 | 2506809 | 355200 | -99 |
| HP-649 | 2508630 | 354860 | -112 |
| HP-663 | 2510881 | 352712 | -124 |
| HP-698 | 2492410 | 355870 | -81 |
| HP-699 | 2490430 | 355560 | -83 |
| HP-703 | 2496450 | 358140 | -82 |
| HP-704 | 2495650 | 359580 | -85 |
| HP-705 | 2501260 | 356200 | -104 |
| HP-706 | 2502990 | 355940 | -112 |
|  |  |  |  |


| Site name ${ }^{1}$ | Location coordinates $^{2}$ |  | Unit altitude, <br> in feet below <br> NGVD 29 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| HP-708 | North | 2514450 | 353090 |
| HP-711 | 2509200 | 352130 | -111 |
| LCH-4009 | 2499585 | 358589 | -130 |
| M-161 | 2477550 | 362560 | -42 |
| M-197 | 2477626 | 361621 | -49 |
| M-267 | 2476609 | 359232 | -53 |
| M-628 | 2479434 | 362735 | -56 |
| ON-T2-87 | 2487495 | 353878 | -100 |
| S190A | 2487640 | 353870 | -103 |
| T-1 | 2507870 | 355030 | -113 |
| T-9 | 2490489 | 364648 | -53 |
| T-10 | 2487680 | 364960 | -41 |
| T-11 | 2485278 | 365352 | -47 |
| T-12 | 2476550 | 355830 | -88 |
| T-13 | 2481170 | 363930 | -58 |
| T-14 | 2476788 | 364170 | -37 |
| TT-23 | 2491024 | 363208 | -46 |
| TT-25 | 2491984 | 364042 | -51 |
| TT-52 | 2489060 | 362321 | -53 |
| TT-67 | 2490160 | 362730 | -46 |
| X24C2 | 2490640 | 363540 | -44 |
| SeP |  |  |  |

${ }^{1}$ See Plate 1 for location
${ }^{2}$ Location coordinates are North Carolina State Plane coordinates, North American Datum of 1983
thickness near Brewster Boulevard, about midway between Paradise Point and Holcomb Boulevard (Figure B18). Thickness declines relatively rapidly east, west, and southeast of this zone to a minimum of about 10 ft south of Brewster Boulevard and north of the headwaters of Wallace Creek. Thickness trends are somewhat to highly irregular, and a consistent directional trend does not occur.

The lithology of the Lower unit of the Upper Castle Hayne aquifer north and west of Tarawa Terrace, in the vicinity of SR 24, was described as a calcareous, fossiliferous, somewhat silty sand (Roy F. Weston, Inc. 1992, 1994). In the same area, in the vicinity of borehole T - 10 , the unit is described as "shellrock and fine sand in streaks." In the vicinity of well TT-25, located north and slightly east of


Figure B17. Altitude at the top of the Upper Castle Hayne aquifer-Lower unit, Tarawa Terrace and vicinity, U.S. Marine Corps Base Camp Lejeune, North Carolina.

Tarawa Terrace, the unit is described as a gray, fine sand containing shells and "shell hash." North of Montford Point, in the vicinity of boreholes T-13 and T-14, the Lower unit of the Upper Castle Hayne aquifer is described as a fine- to mediumgrained sand. Between Northeast and Wallace Creeks, this unit is poorly differentiated in drillers' logs. In the vicinity of borehole T-1, near SR 24 in the southeastern part of the study area, the Lower unit is described as "medium soft shellrock
and sand." North of Wallace Creek near the center of the study area in the vicinity of borehole T-7, the unit is described as a medium-grained, gray sand containing loose shells and "streaks" of shellrock. The Lower unit of the Upper Castle Hayne aquifer of this study is equivalent to the unit variously described by Roy F. Weston, Inc. $(1992,1994)$ as the Castle Hayne Formation, "Castle Hayne aquifer," and "Castle Hayne limestone."


Figure B18. Thickness of the Upper Castle Hayne aquifer-Lower unit, Tarawa Terrace and vicinity, U.S. Marine Corps Base Camp Lejeune, North Carolina.

## Middle Castle Hayne Confining Unit

Contours of equal altitude at the top of the Middle Castle Hayne confining unit are shown in Figure B19. Maximum surface altitudes of about -55 or -60 ft occur north of Tarawa Terrace in the vicinity of borehole T-10 and SR 24 and in the northern part of Montford Point in the vicinity of borehole T-14 (Table B10). Surface altitude decreases somewhat irregu-
larly northwest to southeast. Minimum surface altitudes are less than -140 ft and are associated with several minor depressions in the vicinity and south of SR 24 in the east-central part of the study area and north of the headwaters of Wallace Creek in the southeastern part of the study area.

Thickness of the Middle Castle Hayne confining unit is somewhat to highly variable and ranges from a minimum thickness of about 14 ft to a maximum thickness of about 26 ft

Table B10. Altitude at the top of the Middle Castle Hayne confining unit, Tarawa Terrace and vicinity, U.S. Marine Corps Base Camp Lejeune, North Carolina.
[NGVD 29, National Geodetic Vertical Datum of 1929]

| Site name ${ }^{1}$ | Location coordinates ${ }^{2}$ |  | Unit altitude, in feet below NGVD 29 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | East | North |  |
| C1 | 2490503 | 365232 | -69 |
| CCC-1 | 2483873 | 360997 | -66 |
| CCC-2 | 2483431 | 362506 | -73 |
| HP-607 (new) | 2496820 | 352510 | -114 |
| HP-614 (new) | 2512180 | 353670 | -140 |
| HP-619 (new) | 2515870 | 352640 | -124 |
| HP-621 (new) | 2505510 | 354290 | -129 |
| HP-622 | 2494248 | 353323 | -104 |
| HP-623 | 2495617 | 350860 | -116 |
| HP-627 (new) | 2508310 | 354030 | -131 |
| HP-629 (new) | 2504800 | 355152 | -129 |
| HP-641 | 2504106 | 353016 | -132 |
| HP-643 | 2494346 | 356083 | -121 |
| HP-645 | 2497333 | 356430 | -123 |
| HP-646 | 2497870 | 357826 | -122 |
| HP-647 | 2499461 | 356343 | -124 |
| HP-648 | 2506809 | 355200 | -117 |
| HP-649 | 2508630 | 354860 | -126 |
| HP-650 | 2510615 | 354300 | -149 |
| HP-651 | 2503790 | 348090 | -129 |
| HP-663 | 2510881 | 352712 | -144 |
| HP-698 | 2492410 | 355870 | -129 |
| HP-699 | 2490430 | 355560 | -123 |
| HP-700 | 2488520 | 355270 | -124 |
| HP-701 | 2487690 | 353540 | -119 |
| HP-703 | 2496450 | 358140 | -116 |
| HP-704 | 2495650 | 359580 | -103 |
| HP-705 | 2501260 | 356200 | -124 |


| Site name ${ }^{1}$ | Location coordinates ${ }^{2}$ |  | Unit altitude, in feet below NGVD 29 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | East | North |  |
| HP-706 | 2502990 | 355940 | -145 |
| HP-708 | 2514450 | 353090 | -143 |
| HP-709 | 2505650 | 351270 | -140 |
| HP-710 | 2507770 | 351490 | -130 |
| HP-711 | 2509200 | 352130 | -138 |
| LCH-4009 | 2499585 | 358589 | -108 |
| M-161 | 2477550 | 362560 | -68 |
| M-168 | 2477500 | 362910 | -66 |
| M-197 | 2477626 | 361621 | -71 |
| M-244 | 2475713 | 361306 | -81 |
| M-267 | 2476609 | 359232 | -83 |
| M-628 | 2479434 | 362735 | -82 |
| ON-T2-87 | 2487495 | 353878 | -115 |
| S190A | 2487640 | 353870 | -116 |
| T-1 | 2507870 | 355030 | -127 |
| T-7 | 2500628 | 349685 | -120 |
| T-9 | 2490489 | 364648 | -61 |
| T-10 | 2487680 | 364960 | -51 |
| T-11 | 2485278 | 365352 | -71 |
| T-12 | 2476550 | 355830 | -98 |
| T-13 | 2481170 | 363930 | -84 |
| T-14 | 2476788 | 364170 | -59 |
| TT-23 | 2491024 | 363208 | -76 |
| TT-25 | 2491984 | 364042 | -67 |
| TT-52 | 2489060 | 362321 | -65 |
| TT-67 | 2490160 | 362730 | -66 |
| X24C2 | 2490640 | 363540 | -66 |
| X24S2 | 2495523 | 347221 | -133 |
| ${ }^{1}$ See Plate 1 for <br> ${ }^{2}$ Location coor North American | ation <br> es are North m of 1983 | olina State | coordinates, |

(Figure B20). Contours of equal thickness indicate local areas of greater or lesser thickness rather than a consistent trend in a single direction across the study area, particularly south and east of Brewster Boulevard. In the vicinity of well TT25, northeast of Tarawa Terrace, unit lithology is described as a "gray silty clay with shell." At borehole T-12, near the southern extremity of Montford Point, the Middle Castle Hayne confining unit is comprised of soft clay and "streaks"
of rock. In the northern part of Montford Point, in the vicinity of borehole T-13, the unit is described as a "medium soft clay." At Paradise Point, in the vicinity of well HP-700 and Brewster Boulevard, the unit is a green clay with "limestone." Elsewhere the unit is poorly differentiated or not differentiated at all in drillers' logs. The Middle Castle Hayne confining unit is also recognized as a relatively thick zone of low resistivity in borehole electric logs of appropriate depth. Harned et al. (1989)


Figure B19. Altitude at the top of the Middle Castle Hayne confining unit, Tarawa Terrace and vicinity, U.S. Marine Corps Base Camp Lejeune, North Carolina.
and Cardinell et al. (1993, Section A-A') recognized this lowresistivity zone in geophysical logs of several wells and, with minor differences compared to interpretations by this study, correlated the clay identified herein as the Middle Castle Hayne confining unit from well TT-25 near Tarawa Terrace, continuously across Northeast Creek to borehole T-7 and, from there, continuously southeastward across Wallace Creek to the vicinity of Frenchs Creek (Figure B3). On Section B-B'
of Cardinell et al. (1993), the low-resistivity zone identified herein as the Middle Castle Hayne confining unit was recognized at a depth of about 100 ft at borehole T-12, near the southernmost extremity of Montford Point, and correlated continuously from well site to well site eastward to the vicinity of well HP-705, east of Brewster Boulevard near SR 24 (Figure B3).


Figure B20. Thickness of the Middle Castle Hayne confining unit, Tarawa Terrace and vicinity, U.S. Marine Corps Base Camp Lejeune, North Carolina.

## Middle Castle Hayne Aquifer

The Middle Castle Hayne aquifer is recognized in borehole electric logs as a thick zone of relatively high resistivity and is comprised within most of the study area of fine- to medium-grained, probably calcareous, sand interbedded with silt, clay, and limestone. Northwest of Tarawa Terrace in the vicinity of SR 24 the aquifer is described as a fine sand or fine gray sand in the vicinity of boreholes T-10 and T-11. At Montford Point in the vicinity of well M-267 aquifer lithology is described as a gray, fine- to medium-grained sand with shells and shell fragments. Drillers' logs at several wells in the vicinity of Brewster Boulevard describe the Middle Castle Hayne aquifer as comprised almost entirely of sand and limestone. At borehole T-1, near SR 24 in the southeastern part of the study area, aquifer lithology between 180 and 233 ft below ground surface is described as a fine- to medium-grained gray sand. A loss of drilling fluid is reported across the bottom half of the aquifer at this site, indicating the occurrence of cavernous or highly fractured limestone. At borehole T-7, north of Wallace Creek and near the center of the study area, aquifer lithology is described as "fine gray sand and loose shells."

Contours of equal altitude at the top of the Middle Castle Hayne aquifer are shown in Figure B21. The surface generally declines northwest to southeast but is irregular in the vicinity of several depressions near and south of Brewster Boulevard and to the southeast near SR 24. Maximum altitude occurs northwest of Tarawa Terrace at about -65 ft (Table B11). A minimum altitude of less than -155 ft occurs near the center of a relatively large depression, generally south of SR 24 near the eastern limit of the study area.

Contours of equal thickness of the Middle Castle Hayne aquifer are shown in Figure B22. Thickness varies lesser to greater northwest to southeast and from east to west across the study area toward a maximum of about 120 ft near SR 24 and east southeast of the intersection of Brewster and Holcomb Boulevards. A minimum thickness of about 35 ft occurs just east of Montford Point.

Table B11. Altitude at the top of the Middle Castle Hayne aquifer, Tarawa Terrace and vicinity, U.S. Marine Corps Base Camp Lejeune, North Carolina.
[NGVD 29, National Geodetic Vertical Datum of 1929]

| Site name ${ }^{1}$ | Location coordinates ${ }^{2}$ |  | Unit altitude, in feet below NGVD 29 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | East | North |  |
| HP-607 (new) | 2496820 | 352510 | -129 |
| HP-614 (new) | 2512180 | 353670 | -160 |
| HP-619 (new) | 2515870 | 352640 | -144 |
| HP-621 (new) | 2505510 | 354290 | -150 |
| HP-622 | 2494248 | 353323 | -119 |
| HP-623 | 2495617 | 350860 | -134 |
| HP-627 (new) | 2508310 | 354030 | -147 |
| HP-629 (new) | 2504800 | 355152 | -147 |
| HP-643 | 2494346 | 356083 | -141 |
| HP-645 | 2497333 | 356430 | -143 |
| HP-646 | 2497870 | 357826 | -140 |
| HP-647 | 2499461 | 356343 | -138 |
| HP-648 | 2506809 | 355200 | -131 |
| HP-649 | 2508630 | 354860 | -136 |
| HP-650 | 2510615 | 354300 | -163 |
| HP-651 | 2503790 | 348090 | -155 |
| HP-663 | 2510881 | 352712 | -162 |
| HP-699 | 2490430 | 355560 | -141 |
| HP-700 | 2488520 | 355270 | -144 |
| HP-703 | 2496450 | 358140 | -138 |
| HP-704 | 2495650 | 359580 | -129 |
| HP-708 | 2514450 | 353090 | -167 |
| HP-709 | 2505650 | 351270 | -156 |
| HP-710 | 2507770 | 351490 | -146 |
| HP-711 | 2509200 | 352130 | -154 |
| LCH-4009 | 2499585 | 358589 | -122 |
| M-161 | 2477550 | 362560 | -82 |
| M-197 | 2477626 | 361621 | -87 |
| M-267 | 2476609 | 359232 | -95 |
| M-628 | 2479434 | 362735 | -98 |
| ON-T2-87 | 2487495 | 353878 | -129 |
| S190A | 2487640 | 353870 | -130 |
| T-1 | 2507870 | 355030 | -139 |
| T-7 | 2500628 | 349685 | -134 |
| T-9 | 2490489 | 364648 | -86 |
| T-10 | 2487680 | 364960 | -65 |
| T-11 | 2485278 | 365352 | -83 |
| T-12 | 2476550 | 355830 | -114 |
| T-13 | 2481170 | 363930 | -102 |
| T-14 | 2476788 | 364170 | -75 |
| TT-23 | 2491024 | 363208 | -101 |
| TT-25 | 2491984 | 364042 | -95 |
| TT-67 | 2490160 | 362730 | -88 |
| X24C2 | 2490640 | 363540 | -86 |
| X24S2 | 2495523 | 347221 | -155 |

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Figure B21. Altitude at the top of the Middle Castle Hayne aquifer, Tarawa Terrace and vicinity, U.S. Marine Corps Base Camp Lejeune, North Carolina.


Figure B22. Thickness of the Middle Castle Hayne aquifer, Tarawa Terrace and vicinity, U.S. Marine Corps Base Camp Lejeune, North Carolina.

## Lower Castle Hayne Confining Unit

Contours of equal altitude at the top of the Lower Castle Hayne confining unit indicate the top of the unit declines relatively uniformly northwest to southeast and ranges from a maximum altitude of about -125 ft (Table B12) north of Montford Point to about -265 ft near the southeastern limit of the study area (Figure B23). Confining unit thickness also declines gradually northwest to southeast in a pattern somewhat similar to that of surface altitude (Figure B24). Confining unit thickness ranges from a maximum of about 32 ft in the northern part of Tarawa Terrace to a minimum of about 20 ft north of the confluence of Wallace and Northeast Creeks and near the southeastern limit of the study area in the vicinity of SR 24.

The lithology of the Lower Castle Hayne confining unit in the vicinity of Tarawa Terrace and Montford Point is generally described as a gray, sandy or silty, "medium hard," clay containing shells and shell fragments. At borehole T-12, in the southern part of Montford Point, the confining unit is described as a "greenish," soft, sandy clay. At borehole T-1, near SR 24 and the southeastern corner of the study area, the unit is described as a soft sandy clay containing "soft rock." Elsewhere the confining unit is poorly differentiated in drillers' logs and specific descriptions are not available. Cardinell et al. (1993, Section A-A') recognized the clay described herein as the Lower Castle Hayne confining unit at a depth of about 190 ft in the electric $\log$ obtained at well TT-25 northeast of Tarawa Terrace and extrapolated this unit to well HP-645 located near the intersection of Brewster and Holcomb Boulevards (Figure B3). Section B-B' of Cardinell et al. (1993) shows a continuous correlation of the zone of low resistivity designated herein as the Lower Castle Hayne confining unit beginning at borehole $\mathrm{T}-12$ in the southern part of Montford Point eastward and southeastward to the vicinity of borehole T-1, near the southeastern corner of the study area.

Table B12. Altitude at the top of the Lower Castle Hayne confining unit, Tarawa Terrace and vicinity, U.S. Marine Corps Base Camp Lejeune, North Carolina.
[NGVD 29, National Geodetic Vertical Datum of 1929]

| Site name ${ }^{1}$ | Location coordinates ${ }^{2}$ |  | Unit altitude, in feet below NGVD 29 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | East | North |  |
| HP-614 (new) | 2512180 | 353670 | -268 |
| HP-621 (new) | 2505510 | 354290 | -252 |
| HP-623 | 2495617 | 350860 | -220 |
| HP-643 | 2494346 | 356083 | -211 |
| HP-645 | 2497333 | 356430 | -227 |
| HP-646 | 2497870 | 357826 | -221 |
| HP-647 | 2499461 | 356343 | -230 |
| HP-648 | 2506809 | 355200 | -253 |
| HP-649 | 2508630 | 354860 | -250 |
| HP-699 | 2490430 | 355560 | -223 |
| HP-704 | 2495650 | 359580 | -191 |
| LCH-4009 | 2499585 | 358589 | -200 |
| M-161 | 2477550 | 362560 | -125 |
| M-197 | 2477626 | 361621 | -134 |
| M-267 | 2476609 | 359232 | -130 |
| M-628 | 2479434 | 362735 | -140 |
| ON-T2-87 | 2487495 | 353878 | -197 |
| S190A | 2487640 | 353870 | -200 |
| T-1 | 2507870 | 355030 | -252 |
| T-9 | 2490489 | 364648 | -153 |
| T-10 | 2487680 | 364960 | -155 |
| T-11 | 2485278 | 365352 | -173 |
| T-12 | 2476550 | 355830 | -146 |
| T-13 | 2481170 | 363930 | -146 |
| T-14 | 2476788 | 364170 | -127 |
| TT-23 | 2491024 | 363208 | -170 |
| TT-25 | 2491984 | 364042 | -155 |
| TT-67 | 2490160 | 362730 | -156 |
| X24C2 | 2490640 | 363540 | -156 |
| X24S2 | 2495523 | 347221 | -223 |

${ }^{1}$ See Plate 1 for location
${ }^{2}$ Location coordinates are North Carolina State Plane coordinates, North American Datum of 1983


Figure B23. Altitude at the top of the Lower Castle Hayne confining unit, Tarawa Terrace and vicinity, U.S. Marine Corps Base Camp Lejeune, North Carolina.


Figure B24. Thickness of the Lower Castle Hayne confining unit, Tarawa Terrace and vicinity, U.S. Marine Corps Base Camp Lejeune, North Carolina.


[^0]:    ${ }^{1}$ See Plate 1 for location
    ${ }^{2}$ Location coordinates are North Carolina State Plane coordinates, North American Datum of 1983

