

2-10 DITCH EXCAVATION**2-10.1 Description**

This Work consists of excavating open ditches to the required lines, grades, and cross-sections. The Work also includes disposing of all excavated material regardless of its nature or type.

Ditch Excavation: Includes all excavation in open ditches less than 8-feet wide at the bottom, but excludes ditches that are part of the Roadway. Ditches 8 or more feet wide at the bottom shall be constructed in accordance with the requirements of Section 2-03.3(14)M.

2-10.2 Vacant**2-10.3 Construction Requirements**

Before excavating any open ditch, the Contractor shall clear and grub the area as required by Section 2-01.

The Contractor may build dikes or berms with excavated material, or may dispose of it as the Plans or the Engineer requires.

2-10.4 Measurement

Ditch excavation will be measured by the cubic yard in its original site, and the quantities calculated by the neat lines of the staked cross-sections.

2-10.5 Payment

Payment will be made in accordance with Section 1-04.1, for the following Bid item when included in the Proposal:

“Ditch Excavation”, per cubic yard.

For hauling, the Contracting Agency will pay the unit Contract price for hauling excavated material (Section 2-04). If the pay item for excavation includes haul, the unit Contract price per cubic yard shall cover all costs for hauling the material any distance required.