

$$m_s = \frac{x V_w \rho_s}{100 \rho_s - x(\rho_s - 1) - x}$$

$$m_s = \frac{\rho_s V_p (\rho_p - 1)}{\rho_s - 1}$$

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$$V_w = \frac{V_p \{ 100 \rho_s - x(\rho_s - 1) - x \}}{\{ 100 \rho_s - x(\rho_s - 1) \}}$$

where m_s = mass of solids

x = pulp density

V_w = volume of water

ρ_s = SG of dry solids