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HISTORICAL SHORELINES AND EROSION RATES

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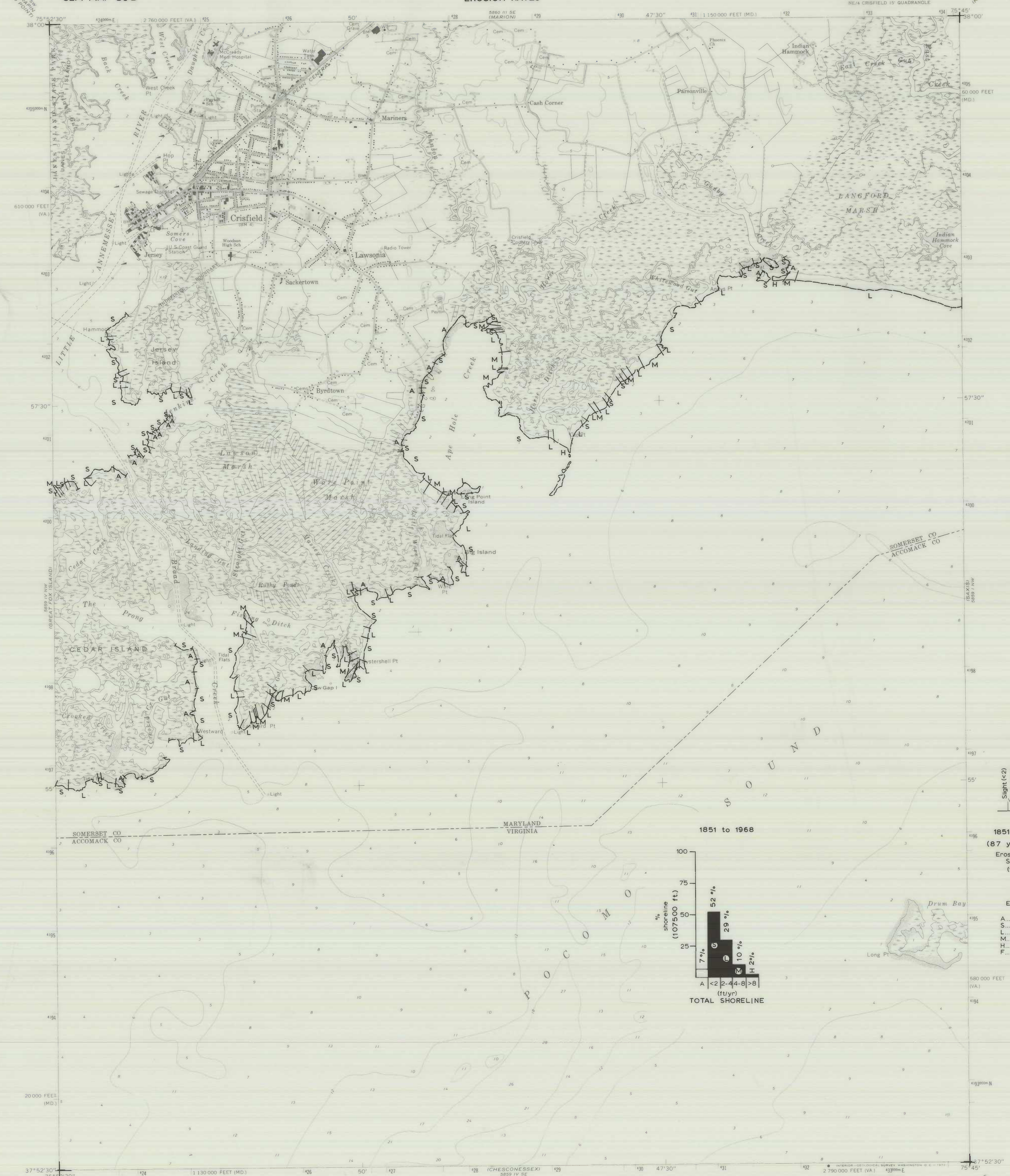
CRISFIELD QUADRANGLE
MARYLAND–VIRGINIA
7.5 MINUTE SERIES (TOPOGRAPHIC)
NE/4 CRISFIELD 15' QUADRANGLE



Slight (<2)
Low (2-4)
Moderate (4-8)
High (>8)

1851 to 1968
(87 yr. period)
Erosion Rate Scales (ft/yr)

Erosion Rate Symbols
A.....accretion
S.....slight
L.....low
M.....moderate
H.....high
F.....fill

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Topography by photogrammetric methods from aerial photographs taken 1967. Field checked 1968

Supersedes Army Map Service map dated 1942

Selected hydrographic data compiled from USC&GS Chart 568 (1969)
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MN
GN
7½°
133 MILS
0°30'
9 MILS
UTM GRID AND 1968 MAGNETIC NORTH DECLINATION AT CENTER OF SHEET

SCALE 1:24 000

CONTOUR INTERVAL 5 FEET
DATUM IS MEAN SEA LEVEL

DEPTH CURVES AND SOUNDINGS IN FEET—DATUM IS MEAN LOW WATER
SHORELINE SHOWN REPRESENTS THE APPROXIMATE LINE OF MEAN HIGH WATER
THE MEAN RANGE OF TIDE IS APPROXIMATELY 2 FEET

Erosion Rate Graphs

Histograms indicate prevalent erosion rate categories for different shoreline areas.

1851 SHORELINE
BASE MAP SHORELINE 1968

MARYLAND
QUADRANGLE LOCATION

Erosion Rates

Exact erosion rates can be calculated by dividing the distance between shorelines by the difference in their dates. Erosion rate categories can be estimated by using the Erosion Rate Scale in the right-hand margin. Place the left-hand line of the scale against the earliest shoreline and read the name of the erosion rate category.

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