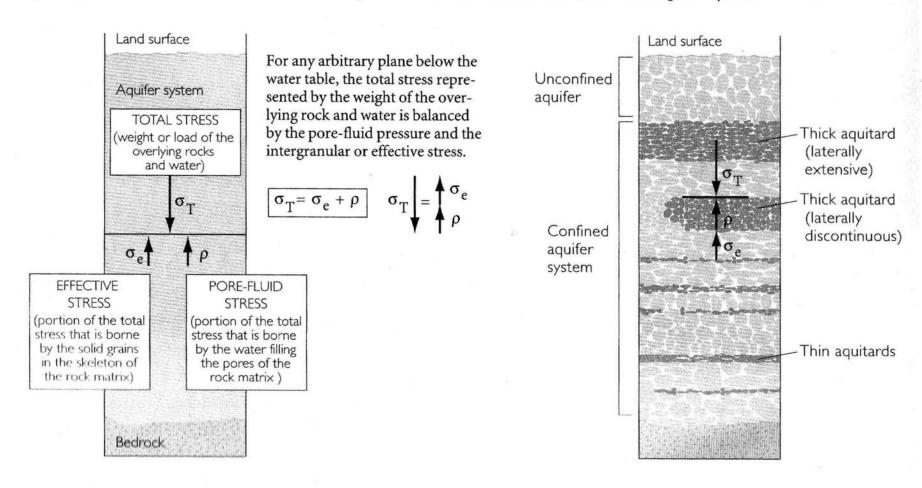
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The Principle of Effective Stress

This principle describes the relation between changes in water levels and deformation of the aquifer system.



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