

Concrete Pavements

Parking lots, streets and local roads, bike paths

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Agenda

Why Concrete?

Tools and Resources

Concrete Paving Applications

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Why Concrete?

Reflectivity

Safety

Low Life Cycle Cost

Low Maintenance

Resiliency

Environmentally Friendly Material

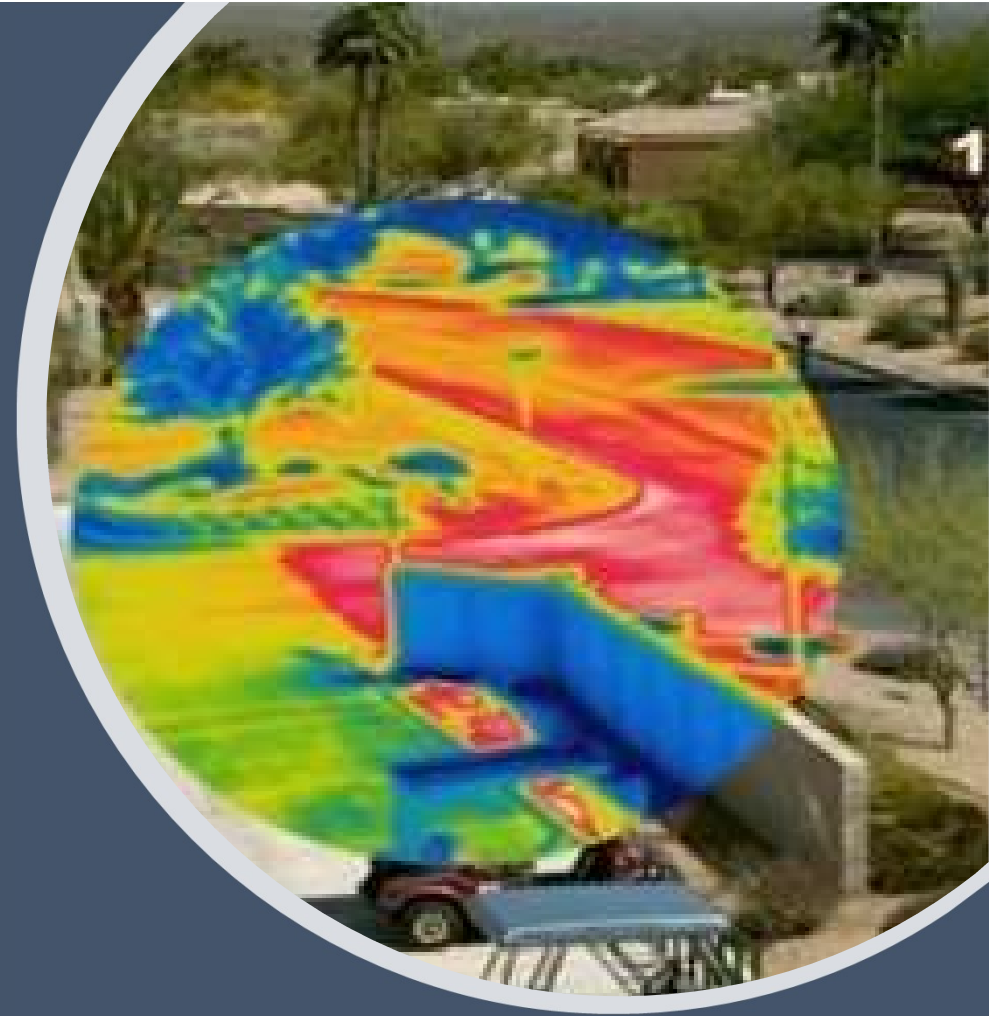
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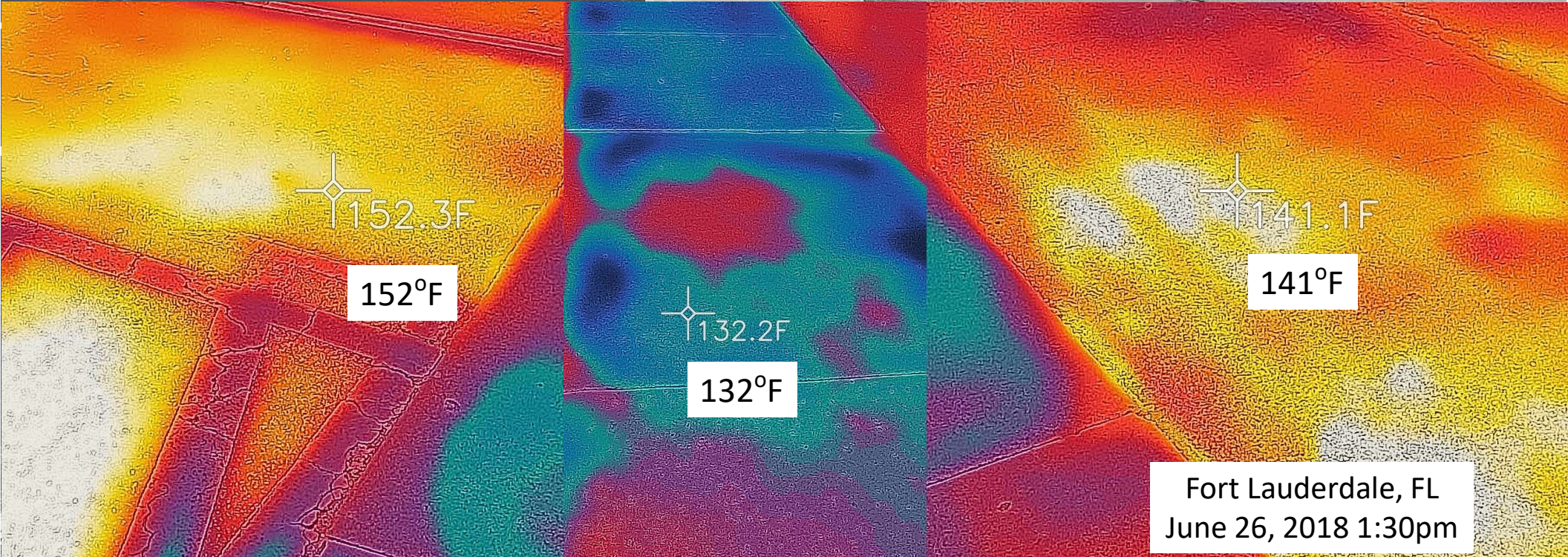
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Reflectivity / Urban heat Islands

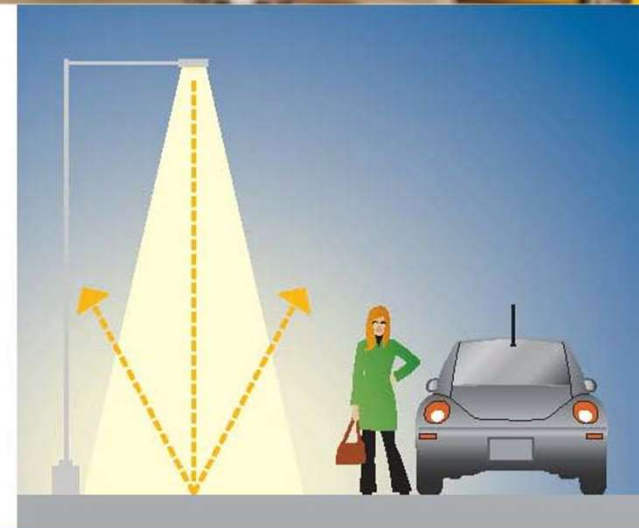
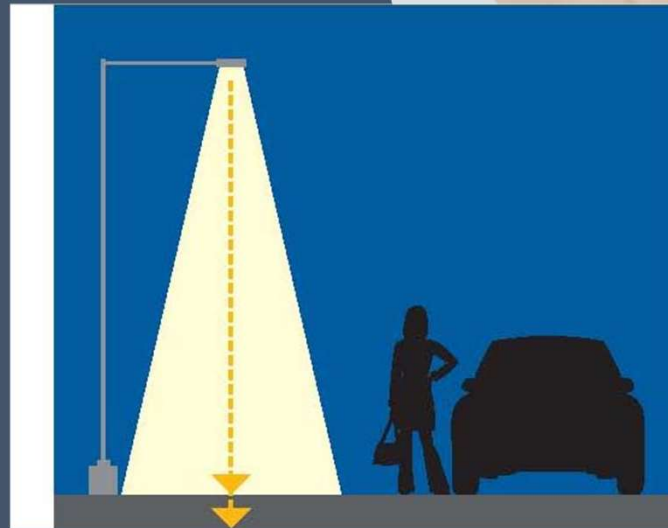
- Reduced urban heat islands
 - 10 to 20 degrees cooler
- Reduced AC needs
 - 1 degree equals 1.5% change in energy consumption
- Improve air quality





Reflectivity / Safety

- Better visibility reduces crime
- Better visibility reduces accidents

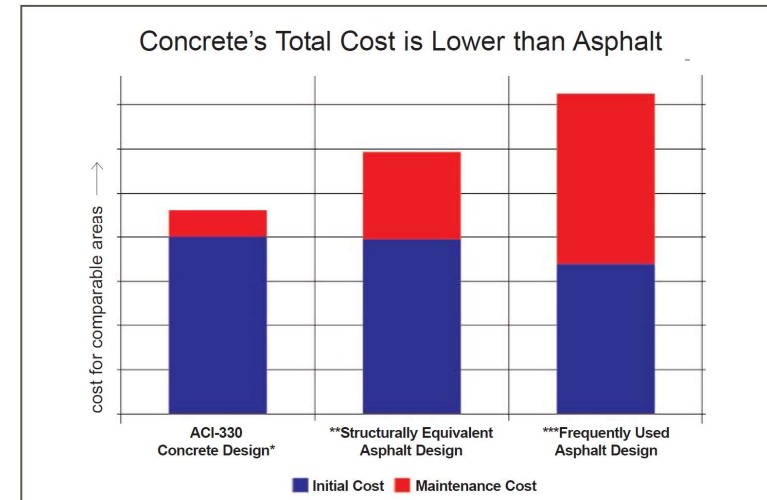


Low Life Cycle Cost

- Competitive first costs
- Lowest costs in 5 to 10 years

Lowest cost of ownership!

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Concrete parking delivers value: Factoring initial placement, maintenance and repair costs, compared to asphalt, concrete costs less over its useful life.

*ACI-330 is the American Concrete Institute's authoritative document on concrete parking area design.
** A structurally equivalent asphalt design is engineered to have the same load carrying capacity as the ACI-330 Concrete Design.

***While the frequently used asphalt design may be the cheapest to buy, because it is often under-designed in load carrying capacity, it is the most expensive to own.

Minimal Maintenance

- No closing for repairs
- No resurfacing
- No potholes, bumps, wrinkles

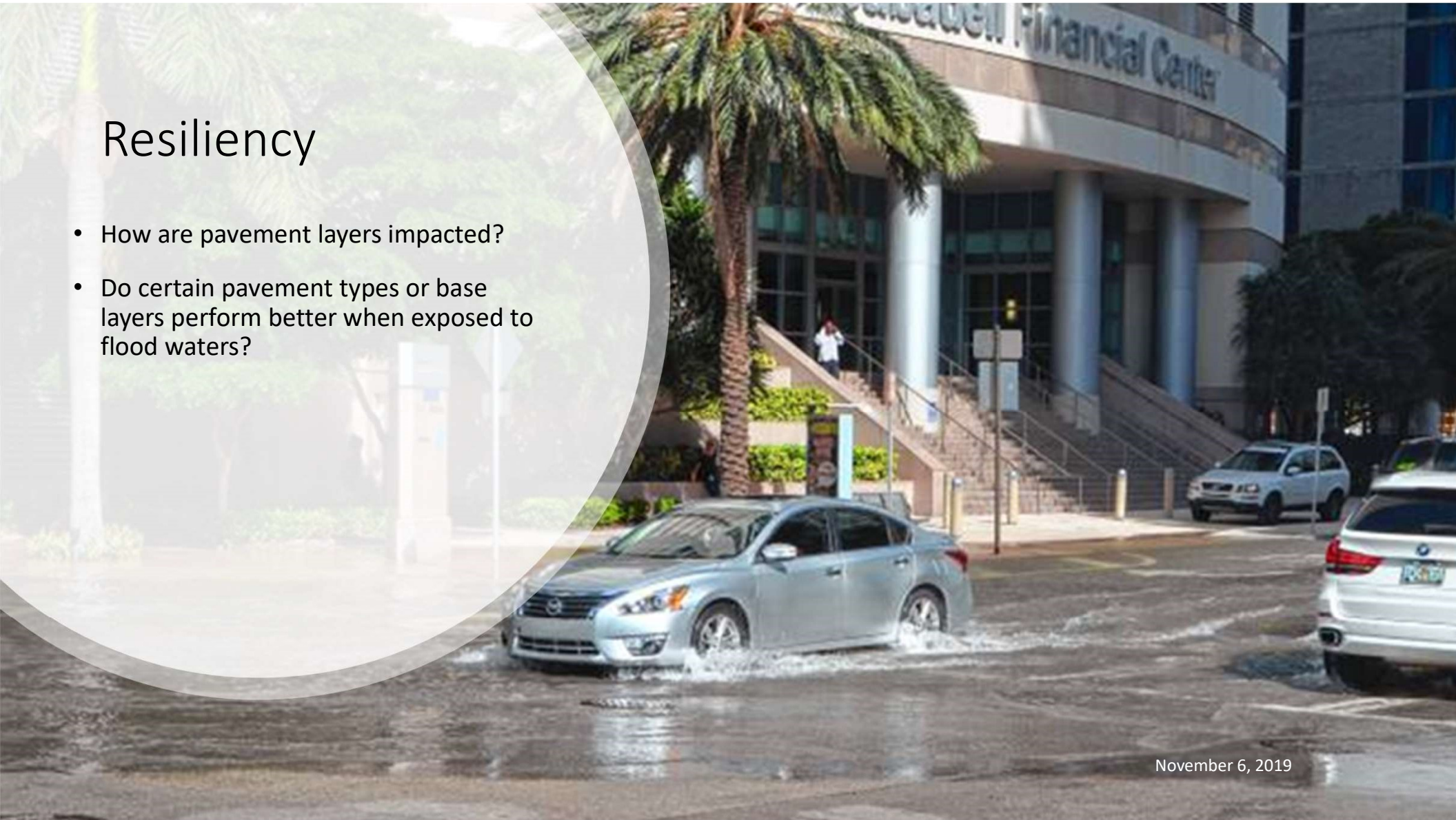


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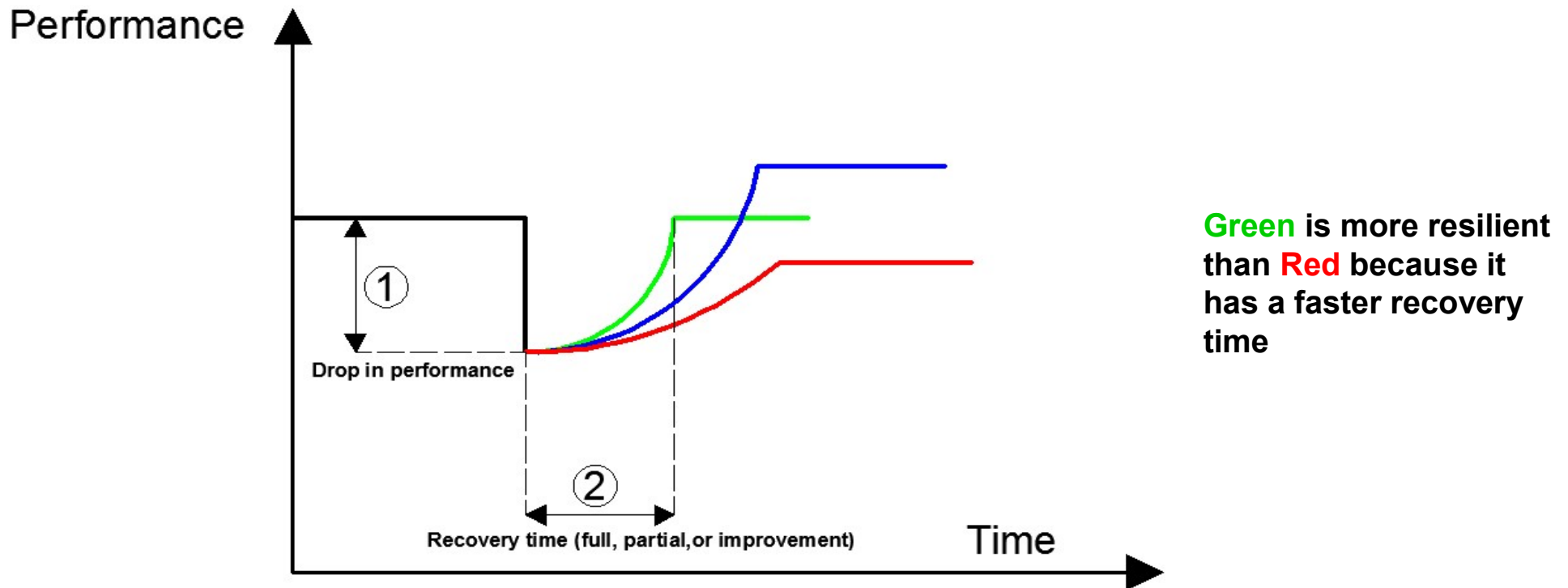
Resiliency

- How are pavement layers impacted?
- Do certain pavement types or base layers perform better when exposed to flood waters?

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PAVEMENT RESILIENCE



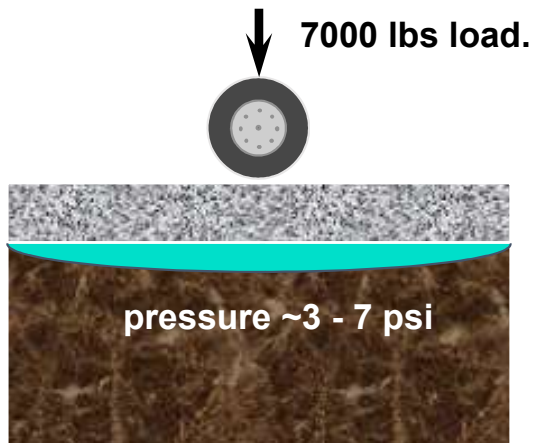
Pavement Resilience with respect to an event (eg. Flooding) is characterized by two parameters:

1. Drop in performance, induced by a the event (eg. reduced ability to carry load).
2. Recovery time to reinstate or improve performance (LCA, LCCA).

CONCRETE AND ASPHALT PAVEMENTS ARE DIFFERENT DUE TO HOW THEY DELIVER LOADS TO THE SUBGRADE

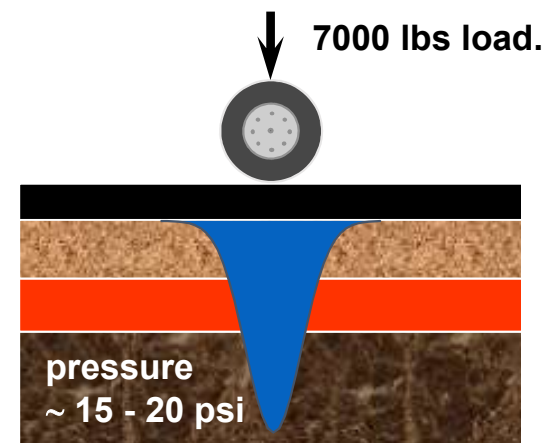
Concrete Pavements are Rigid

- Concrete carries the load and distributes it over a large area
- Minor deflection
- Low subgrade contact pressure
- Subgrade uniformity is more important than strength



Asphalt Pavements are Flexible

- The load is more concentrated and transferred to the underlying layers
- Higher deflection
- Subgrade, base/subbase strength are important
- Usually require more layers and greater thickness in order to protect the subgrade



Concrete's rigidity spreads the load over a large area & keeps pressures on the subgrade low
(therefore the flooded support system does not impact the load carrying capacity to the same degree as asphalt)

WHEN LOOKING AT FLOODING, NEED TO DISTINGUISH BETWEEN INUNDATION AND WASHOUT IMPACTS

Inundation



The rise of water and flooding that submerges the pavement, but has no rapid flow or current

Pavement type does have an impact

Washout



Rapid flow of flood water / high current that scours and washes out the pavement structure layers

Pavement type has little impact

Relief and Rescue Efforts Must take place!
Pavements are loaded...Are their lives shortened?



Meals that Matter
#MtMFlorence Update

(New) Location 1 98 S Trade Way Rocky Point, NC	Location 2 7701 S Raeford Rd Fayetteville, NC
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RESEARCH LOOKING AT PAVEMENTS THAT WERE SUBMERGED BY HURRICANE KATRINA

Key Findings

- Pavements that were submerged were found to be weaker than non-submerged pavements
- Asphalt pavements
 - Overall strength **loss was equivalent to two inches** of new asphalt
 - Duration of submergence was not a factor – damage occurred regardless of the length of time the pavement was submerged
 - Estimated cost of rehabilitating the 200 miles of submerged state (asphalt) roads would be **\$50 million**
- Concrete Pavements
 - **Little relative loss of strength** due to flooded versus non-flooded conditions
 - Mr (subgrade strength) for concrete pavements is similar for submerged and non-submerged pavements
 - No information given on repairs or repair costs

Impact of Hurricane Katrina on Roadways in the New Orleans Area

Technical Assistance Report No. 07-2TA

by

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ROADWAYS ARE ECONOMIC ENGINES THAT CAN NOT BE CLOSED

Pavement is a concrete roadway with thin Asphalt Overlay

I-45 in Houston TX after heavy rains flooded the interstate (May 2015)

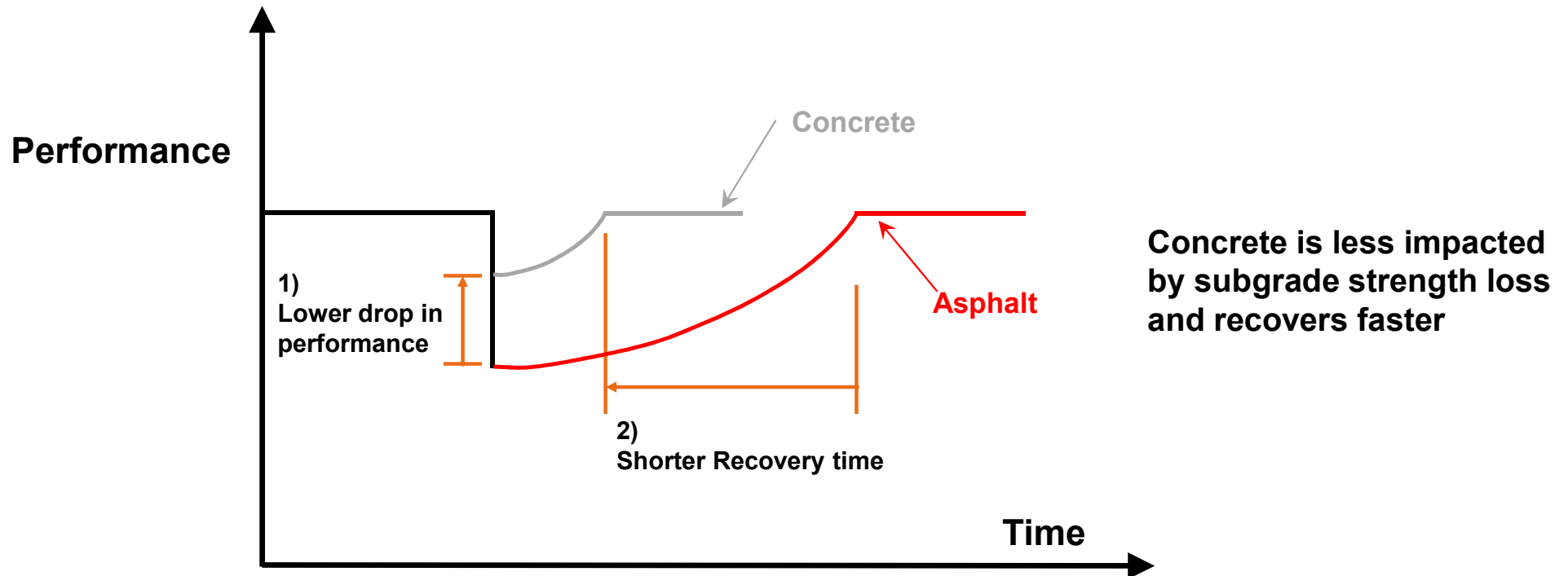


May 26, 2015



Same road 3 days later

CONCRETE PAVEMENT'S STIFFNESS MEANS IT IS MORE RESILIENT TO INUNDATION FLOODING



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1. Drop in performance, induced by a the event (eg. reduced ability to carry load).
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Environmentally Friendly Material

- Local materials
- Recycled materials
- No hazardous materials
- Stormwater management
(pervious concrete)



Beautiful

- Flexible Design Options
 - Colored
 - Texture / Stamped
 - Combined with pavers



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Benefits Recap

Owner

- Resilient
- Comfort
- Energy savings
- Safety
- Low Life Cycle costs
- Low maintenance
- Beautiful

Contractor

- Faster construction

Community

- Resilient
- Cool
- Clean
- Safe
- Beautiful
- Environmentally responsible material

Tools & Resources

Concrete Pavement Analysis

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Design Elements

Certified Contractors

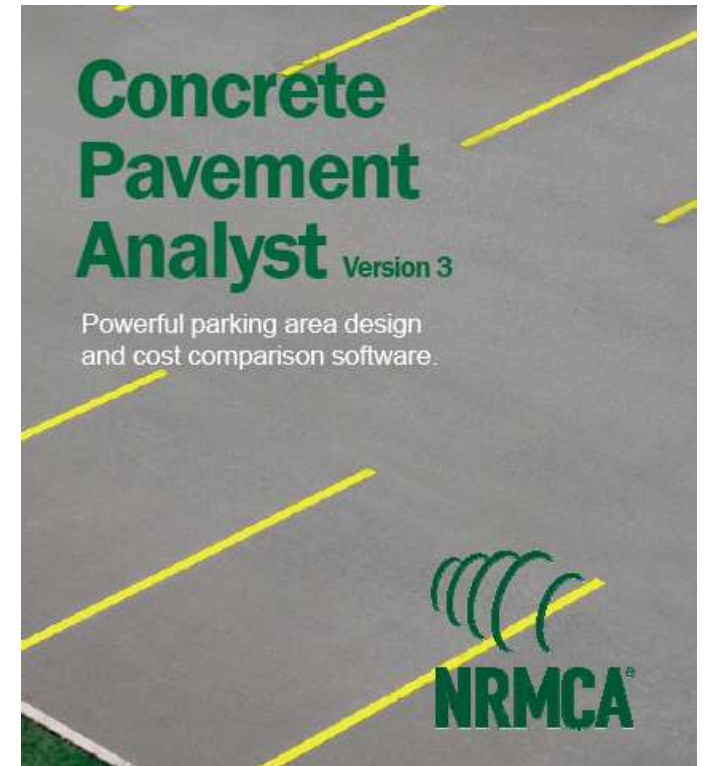
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Concrete Pavement Analyst

- Uses Customer Inputs
- Compares Asphalt and Concrete designs per industry standard specifications
- Also compares Local Design Criteria
- Provides design and life-cycle cost comparisons
- Allows user to make a more educated decision



NRMCA -Concrete Pavement Analyst

File Config Help

Project Information | **Pavement Design** | Locally Specific Design | Costs / Rates | Results

Compressive Strength (psi)

Flexural Strength (M_R)

Soil

Modulus of subgrade reaction (k) - or - CBR

Aggregate Base Thickness

Parking Area inches Drive Areas inches

*Use of aggregate base with concrete pavement is not required per ACI 330 and is optional at user's discretion.

Average Daily Truck Traffic (ADTT)

Parking Area Traffic Category

Drive Areas

Project Design Life

	Recommended Concrete American Concrete Institute		Full Depth Asphalt Asphalt Institute			
	Thickness	Structural #	Full Depth Thickness	Structural #	Surface Course	Base Course
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- Project Information
- Soil Information
- Traffic information

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Asphalt Specifications

Car Parking Area

Surface Course

Fine Graded Asphalt

inches

3.00

Bituminous-Treated Base

Fine Graded Base

0.00

Other Base Course

Crushed Stone

6.00

Structural #

1.86

Drive and Truck Area

Surface Course

Fine Graded Asphalt

inches

4.50

Bituminous-Treated Base

Fine Graded Base

0.00

Other Base Course

Crushed Stone

8.00

Structural #

2.67

Anecdotal Concrete Equivalent

Car Parking Area

Base Course Thickness (in inches)

0.00

Concrete Thickness (in inches)

3.72

Structural #

1.86

Drive and Truck Area

Base Course Thickness (in inches)

0.00

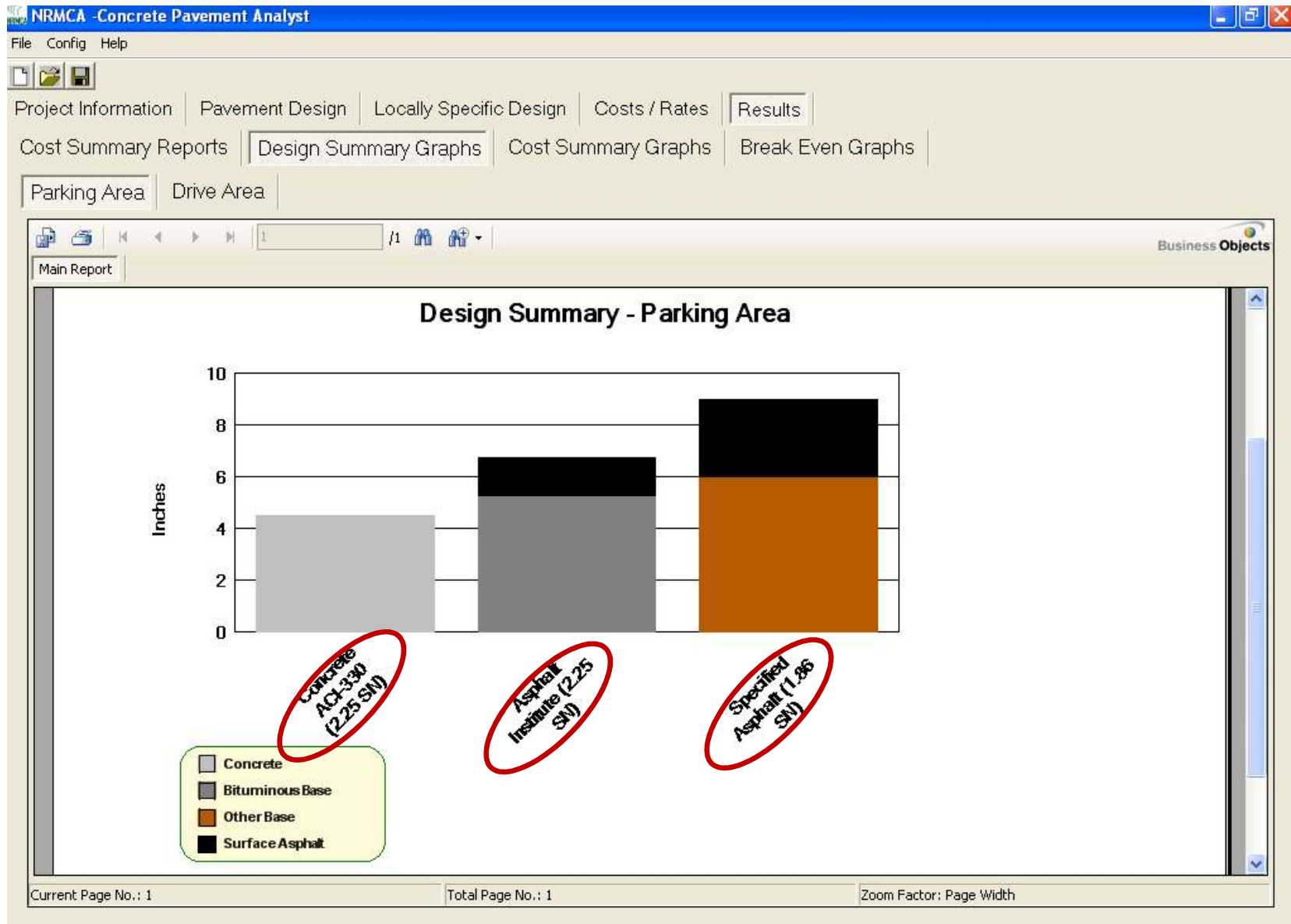
Concrete Thickness (in inches)

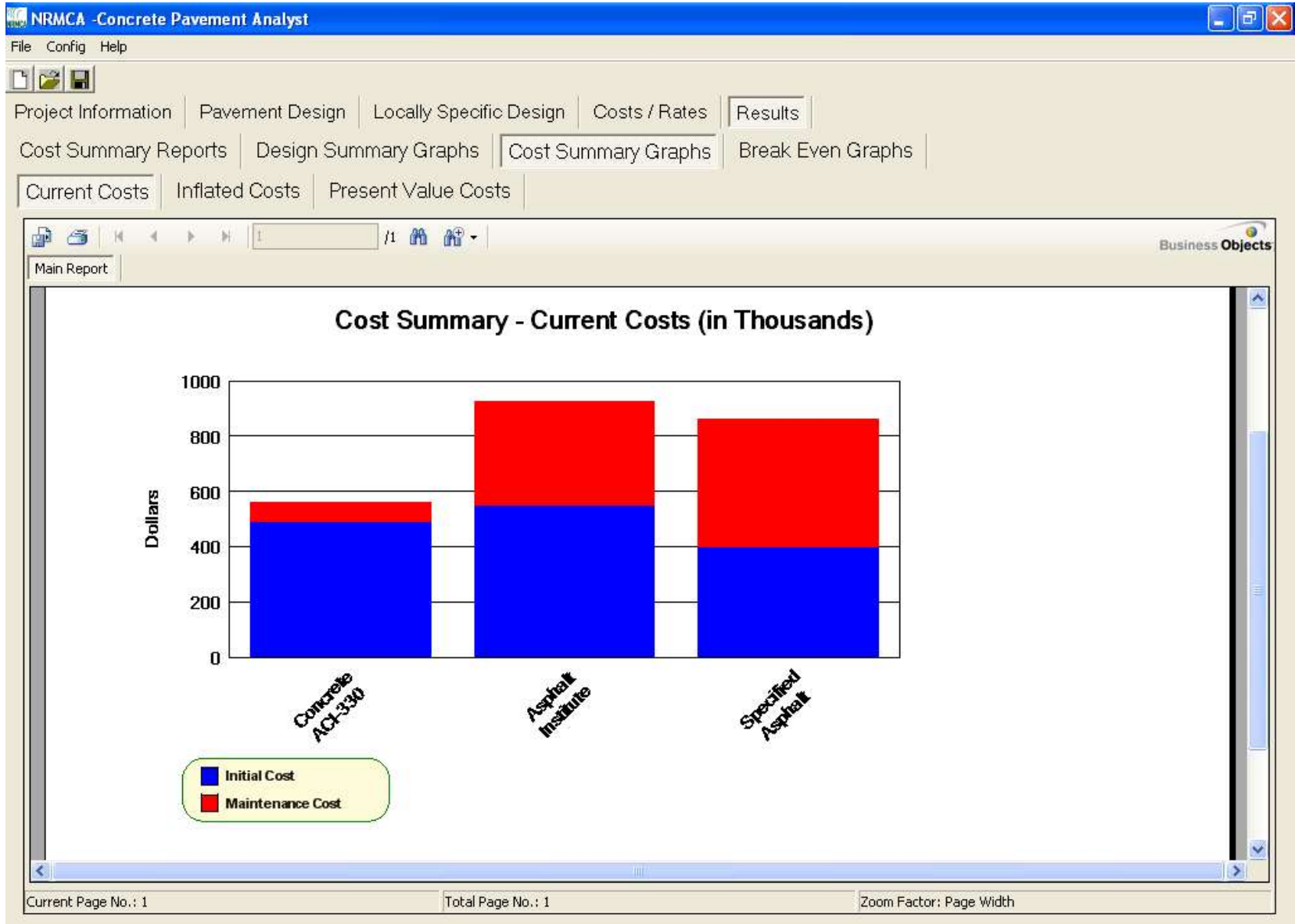
5.34

Structural #

2.67

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Select Project Type

PARKING

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2 PAVEMENT STRUCTURE

3 SUMMARY

Help ?

Project Type: Parking

TRAFFIC

ACI 330 Traffic Spectrum A

Design Life

20 (Years)

Trucks/Day

1

GLOBAL




Reliability

95 (%)

% of Slabs Cracked at End of Design Life

15 (%)

TRAFFIC SUMMARY DETAILS

 Single		 Tandem		 Tridem	
AXLE LOAD (kips)	AXLES/ 1000 TRUCKS	AXLE LOAD (kips)	AXLES/ 1000 TRUCKS	AXLE LOAD (kips)	AXLES/ 1000 TRUCKS
16	38.02	32	69.59	0	0
14	56.11	28	68.48	0	0
12	124	24	39.18	0	0
10	204.96	20	57.1	0	0
8	483.1	16	75.02	0	0
6	732.28	12	139.3	0	0
4	1693.31	8	85.59	0	0
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SUMMARY

Project Type: **Parking**

SUBGRADE SOIL TYPES & APPROXIMATE SUPPORT VALUES

SELECT SOIL TYPE

	SUPPORT	k, psi/in	CBR	R-Value	SSV
Fine-Grained Soils in which silt and clay-size particles predominate	LOW	75 - 120	2.5 - 3.5	10 - 22	2.3 - 3.1
Sands and sand-gravel mixtures with moderate amounts of silt and clay	MEDIUM	130 - 170	4.5 - 7.5	20 - 41	3.5 - 4.9
Sand and sand-gravel mixtures relatively free of plastic fines	HIGH	180 - 220	8.5 - 12	45 - 52	5.3 - 6.1

SUBGRADE

Subgrade CBR Value

6

Calculated MRSG Value

6,618

psi

CONCRETE

Compressive Strength

Compressive Strength

4,000

psi

Modulus of Elasticity

4,000,000

psi

Calculated Flexural Strength

580

psi

Help ?

STRUCTURE

Subbase Layers

0

Layer Type

Resilient Modulus

Layer Thickness

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SUBGRADE

Calculated Composite K-Value of Substructure

154

psi/in

Override



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Project Type: **Parking**

Calculated Minimum Thickness

4.55

in

Recommended Design Thickness

4.75

in

Maximum Joint Spacing

10

ft

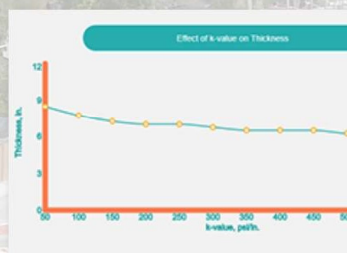
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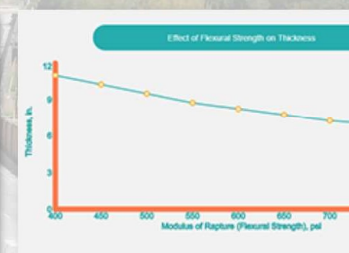
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EROSION

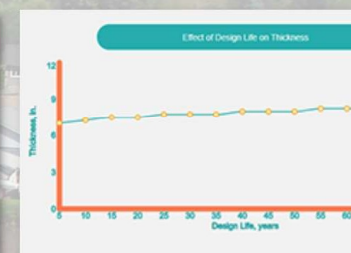
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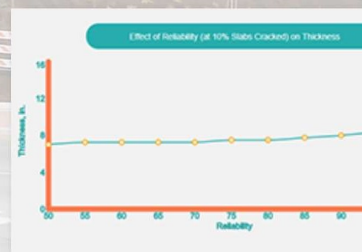
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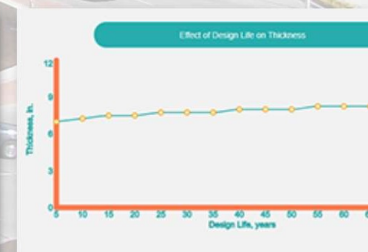
Flexural Strength



Design Life



Reliability



% Slabs Cracked


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Project Type: **Parking**

Calculated Minimum Thickness

4.55

in

Recommended Design Thickness

4.75

in

Maximum

K-value

CONCRETE
STRENGTH

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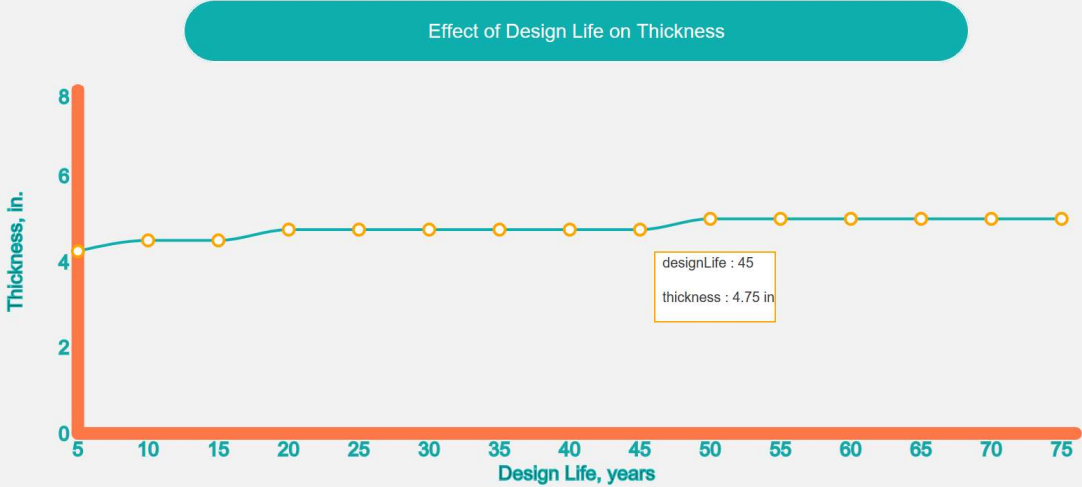
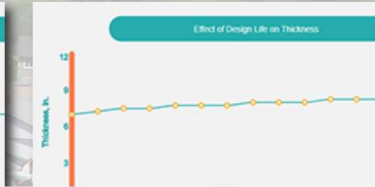
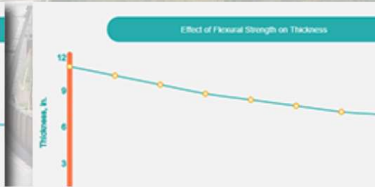
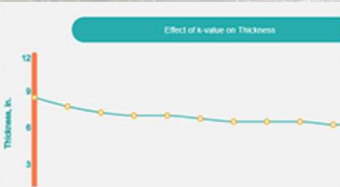
RELIABILITY

SLABS
CRACKED

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Project Type: Intermodal

Recommended Design Thickness

10.50 in

Calculated Minumim Thickness

10.30 in

Maximum Joint Spacing

13 ft

Stress Ratio

0.5 %

* Control vehicle with greatest fatigue impact

Vehicle Name	Maximum Angle	Maximum Stress	Allowable Total Repetitions	Thickness
Container Truck - Taylor TEC - 155H	0	309.29 psi	638,186	8.8 in
Forklift - Valmet TD 1812	0	311.2 psi	585,953	10.3 in *



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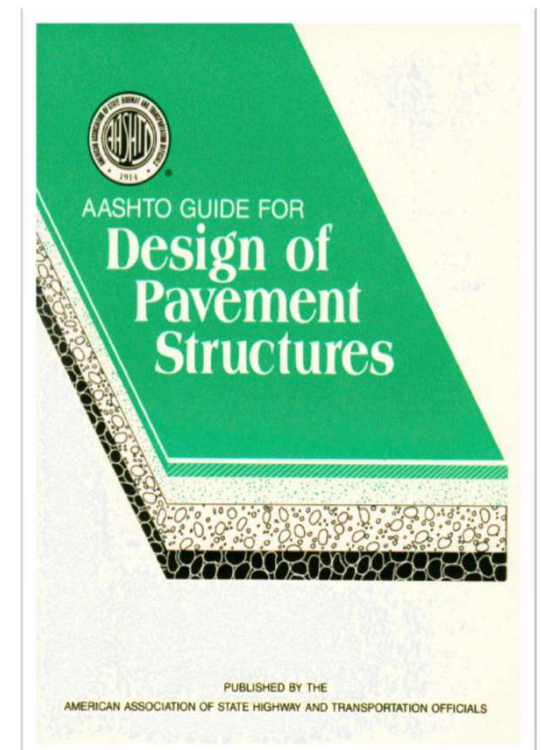
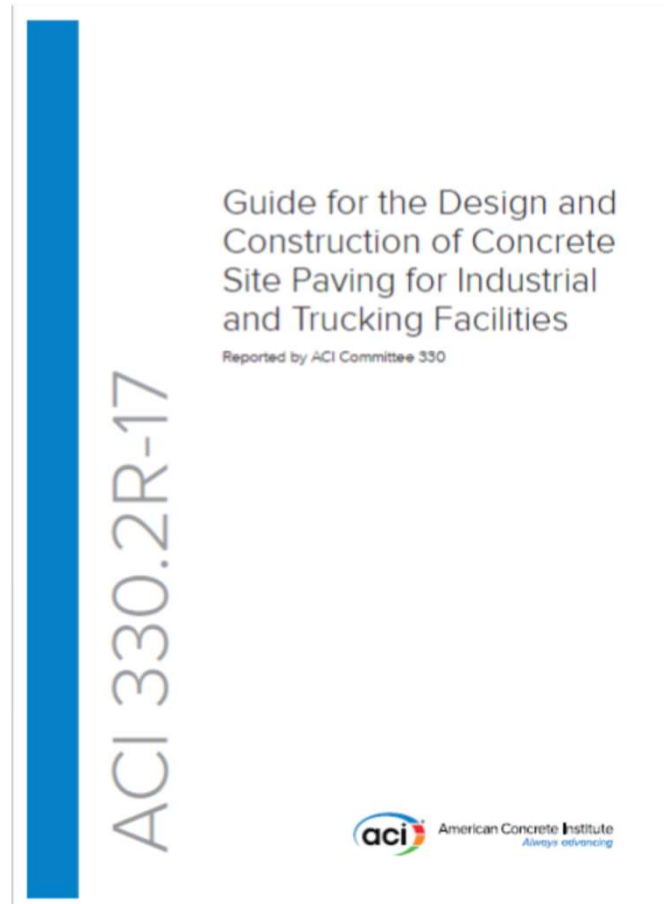
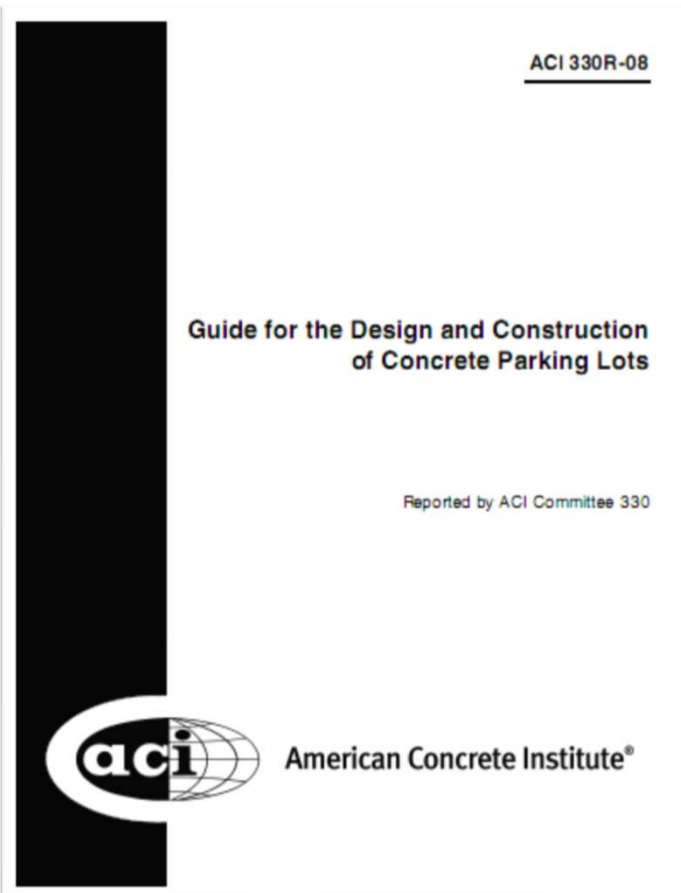
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ACI 330 -Concrete parking lots

AASHTO 93



AASHTO Pavement ME



Distribution Center Project

1,200,000 s.f. exterior pavement

Old Concrete Design:

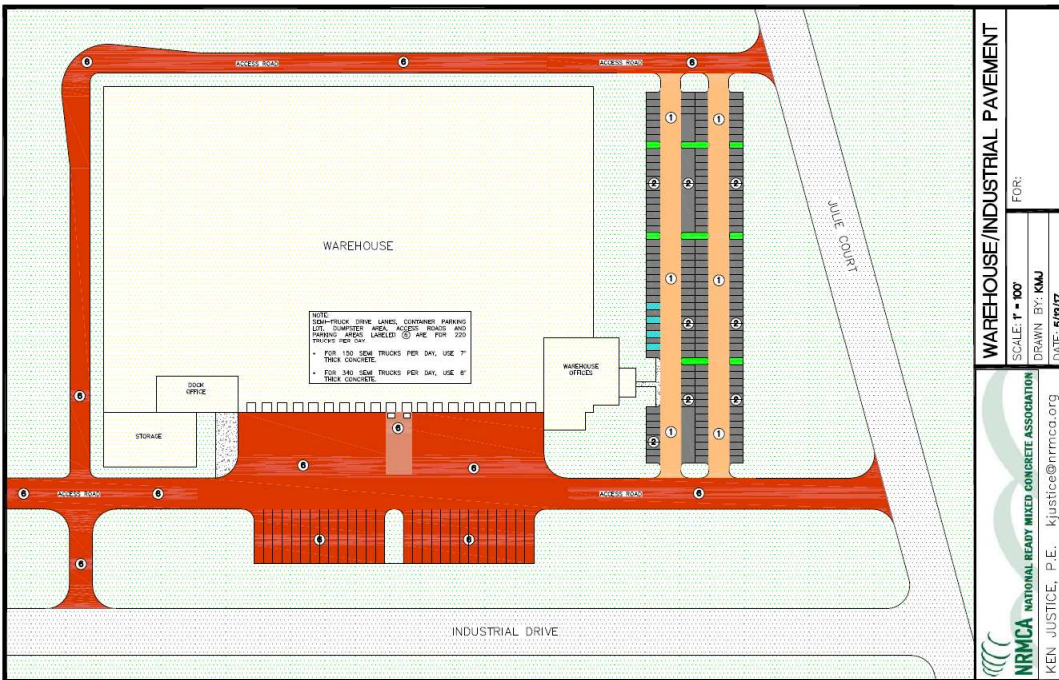
- AASHTO 93 - 9 1/4" with 15' joint spacing

Proposed Design for Cost Saving:

- Asphalt throughout

New Concrete Design:

- Heavy Duty – 7" with 12' joint spacing
- Medium Duty – 5.5" with 6' joint spacing
- Light Duty – 4" with 6' joint spacing



Design Elements – Contraction joints

- **Timing:** As soon as you can get a clean cut, max 8 - 12 hours
- **Spacing:** Recommendation of 2.5 times the depth in feet (24"-36")
 - 4" thick: 10' max (4 x 2.5)
 - Panel shall be kept as square as possible 1.5:1 (Length to width ratio)
- **Depth:** Minimum of $\frac{1}{4}$ of the depth: 8" thick = 2" deep (Recommended $t/3$)

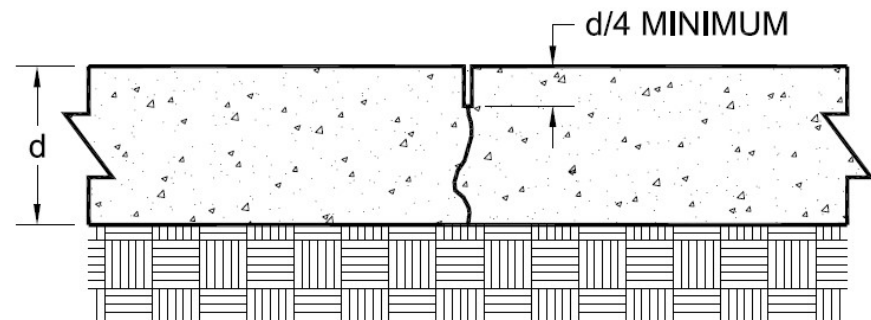


Table 3.5—Spacing between joints

Pavement thickness, in. (mm)	Maximum spacing, ft (m)
4, 4.5 (100, 113)	10 (3.0)
5, 5.5 (125, 140)	12.5 (3.8)
6 or greater (150 or greater)	15 (4.5)

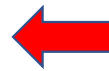
Jointing Layouts: Corners, acute angles, edges with extreme curvature



Carry joint through curb
(integral curb shown)



Intersect joints
(Avoids acute angles)

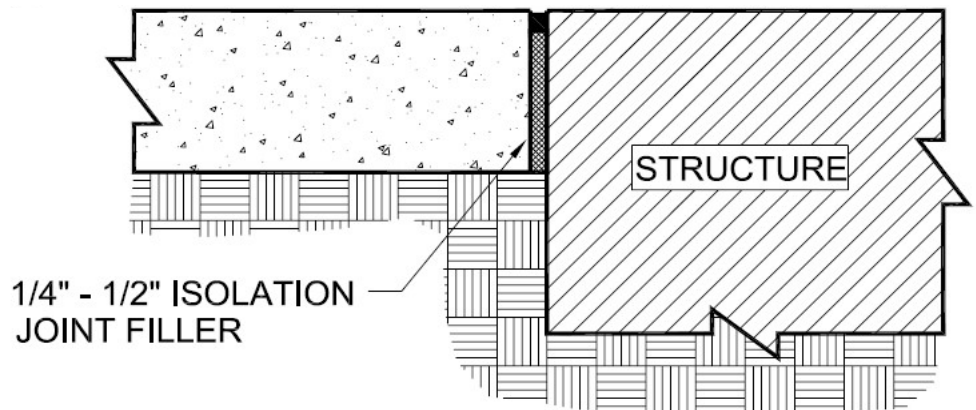


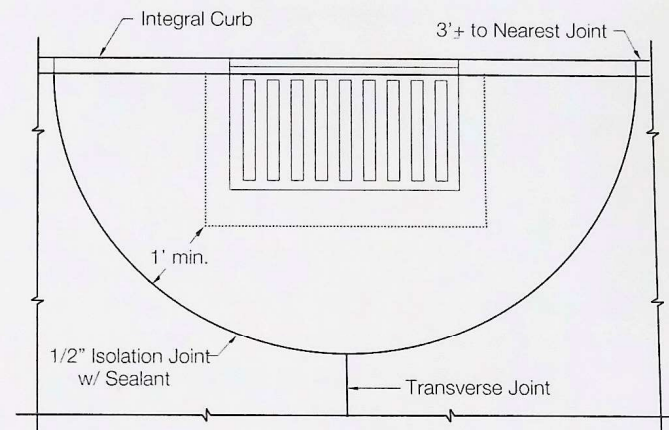
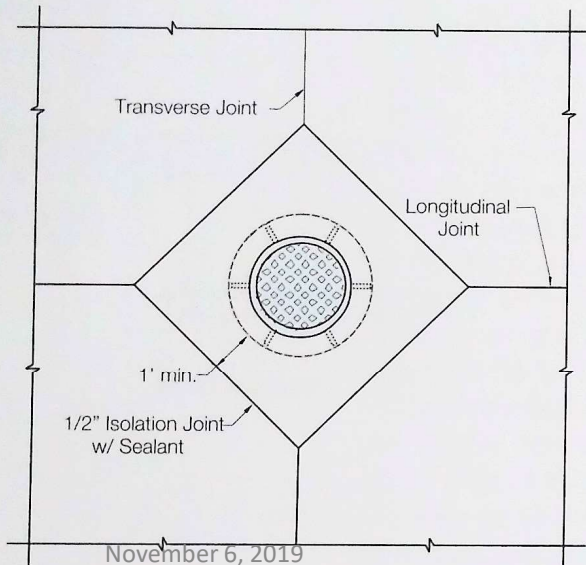
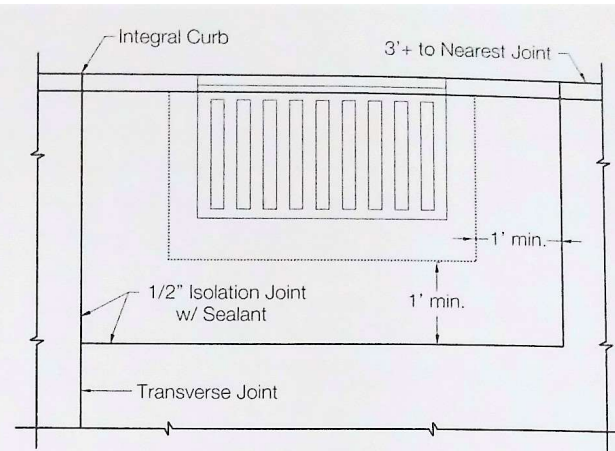
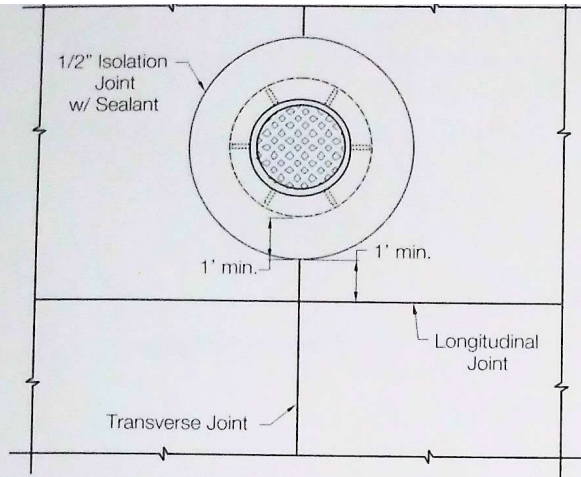
Intersect at corners



Design Elements – Isolation joints

- ...are sometimes called expansion joints but should generally not be used to provide for expansion. They provide no load transfer and should not be used as regularly spaced joints in a joint layout. Their proper use is to isolate fixed objects, providing for slight differential

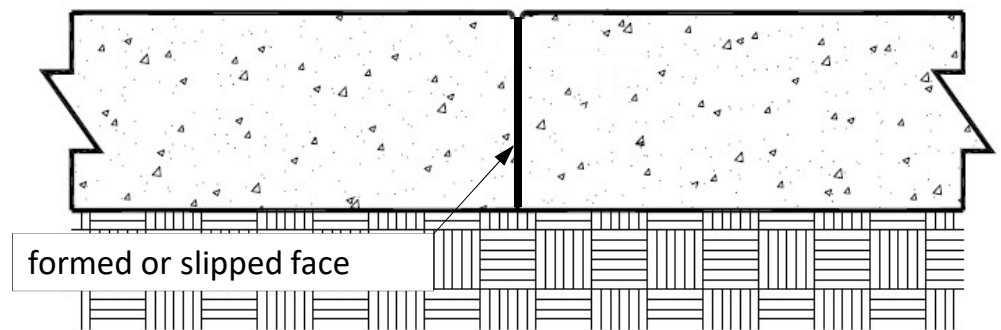




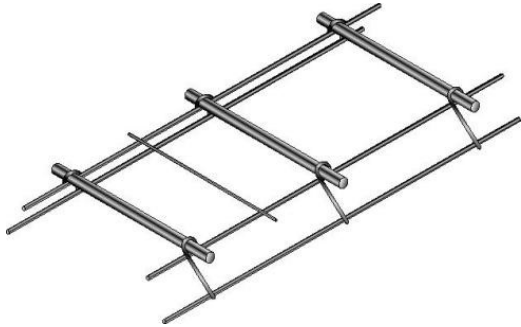
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Design Elements – Construction joints

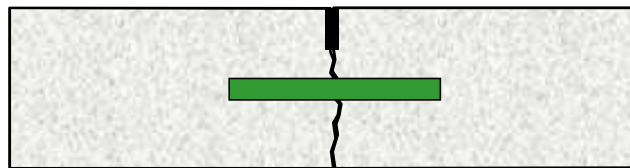
- Construction joints are used between separate concrete placements, typically along placement lane edges.
- Butt joints are recommended for most parking lots where load transfer needs are minimal.



Design Elements – Dowels



Dowels provide load transfer and allow the joints to move



ACI 330 Section 3.8.2

Generally not used in low volume situations. May be needed when there is poor subgrade and/or many trucks.

Step 1:

Determine concrete compressive strength requirement. 4000 is recommended.

Step 2:

Determine Modulus of Subgrade Reactivity, k . Use guidelines below.

Step 3:

Determine Traffic Categories (Car parking area, entrances, etc.).

Step 4:

Determine Average Daily Truck Traffic (ADTT) on the pavement. It is safe to always assume at least one ADTT.

Step 5:

Read across row that corresponds to your Traffic Category and ADTT to the column that represents your concrete strength and k value.

Example:

- Car parking area truck access lane.
- Traffic Category A, ADTT = 1.
- Concrete strength of 4000 psi.
- Soil is sands & sand-gravel mixtures relatively free of plastic fines; k value is 180–220; therefore use $k = 200$.
- Under area with $k = 200$, read across row with "Traffic Category A (ADTT = 1)" to column under $f'c = 4000$.
- Thickness necessary is 4.0; Minimum is 4.5.

Minimum Thickness Recommendation:

- ♦ Light weight vehicular parking area = 4.5 inches
- ♦ Heavy/ industrial parking area = 6.0 inches

Modulus of Subgrade Reaction

Type of Subgrade Soil	k Value	LBR
Fine-grained soils in which silt and clay-sized particles predominate	75 - 120	3 - 3.5
Sands and sand-gravel mixtures with moderate amounts of silt and clay	130 - 170	5.5 - 9.5
Sands and sand-gravel mixtures relatively free of plastic fines	180 - 220	10 - 15
Cement treated subbase	250 - 500	22 - 62

Traffic Categories

Select Category A, B, C or D.

♦ Car Parking Areas & Access Lanes (Autos, pick-ups, and panel trucks only)	Category A
♦ Shopping Center Entrance and Service Lanes	Category B
♦ City & School Bus Parking Areas:	
♦ Parking area and interior lanes.	Category B
♦ Entrance and exterior lanes.	Category C
♦ Truck Parking Areas:	
Parking Areas & Interior Lanes	Single-Unit Trucks* Category B
	Multiple-Unit Trucks** Category C
Entrance & Exterior Lanes	Single-Unit Trucks* Category C
	Multiple-Unit Trucks** Category D

* Single-Unit Trucks = Bobtailed Trucks

** Multiple-Unit Trucks = Tractor-trailer units with 1 or more trailers

Twenty-Year Design Thickness Recommendations in Inches (No Dowels)

		$k = 500$ psi/in. (LBR = 62; $R = 86$)				$k = 400$ psi/in. (LBR = 48; $R = 80$)				$k = 300$ psi/in. (LBR = 31; $R = 67$)			
$f'c$		4500	4000	3500	3000	4500	4000	3500	3000	4500	4000	3500	3000
MOR, psi		650	600	550	500	650	600	550	500	650	600	550	500
Traffic Category*	A (ADTT=1)	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.5
	A (ADTT=10)	4.0	4.0	4.0	4.5	4.0	4.0	4.5	4.5	4.0	4.5	4.5	4.5
	B (ADTT=25)	4.0	4.5	4.5	5.0	4.5	4.5	5.0	5.5	4.5	4.5	5.0	5.5
	B (ADTT=300)	5.0	5.0	5.5	5.5	5.0	5.0	5.5	5.5	5.0	5.5	5.5	6.0
	C (ADTT=100)	5.0	5.0	5.5	5.5	5.0	5.5	5.5	6.0	5.5	5.5	6.0	6.0
	C (ADTT=300)	5.0	5.5	5.5	6.0	5.5	5.5	6.0	6.0	5.5	6.0	6.0	6.5
	C (ADTT=700)	5.5	5.5	6.0	6.0	5.5	5.5	6.0	6.5	5.5	6.0	6.5	6.5
	D (ADTT=700)†	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5	6.5
		$k = 200$ psi/in. (LBR = 12.5; $R = 48$)				$k = 100$ psi/in. (LBR = 3.7; $R = 18$)				$k = 50$ psi/in. (LBR = 2.5; $R = 5$)			
$f'c$		4500	4000	3500	3000	4500	4000	3500	3000	4500	4000	3500	3000
MOR, psi		650	600	550	500	650	600	550	500	650	600	550	500
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	B (ADTT=300)	5.5	5.5	6.0	6.5	6.0	6.0	6.5	7.0	6.5	7.0	7.0	7.5
	C (ADTT=100)	5.5	6.0	6.0	6.5	6.0	6.5	6.5	7.0	6.5	7.0	7.5	7.5
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	C (ADTT=700)	6.0	6.5	6.5	7.0	6.5	7.0	7.0	7.5	7.0	7.5	8.0	8.5
	D (ADTT=700)†	7.0	7.0	7.0	7.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0	9.0	9.0	9.0	9.0

* ADTT = Average Daily Truck Traffic. Trucks are defined as vehicles with at least 6 wheels; excludes panel trucks, pickup trucks, and other 4-wheeled vehicles. Refer to Appendix A.

k = Modulus of subgrade reaction; CBR = California Bearing Ratio; R = Resistance value; and MOR = Modulus Of Rupture.

† Thickness of Category D (only) can be reduced by 1.0 in. (25 mm) if dowels are used at all transverse joints (that is, joints located perpendicular to direction of traffic). Note: 1 in. = 25.4 mm; 1 psi = 0.0069 MPa; and 1 psi/in. = 0.27 MPa/m.



FAQ

Concrete Parking Lot Design & Construction Specifications

The intent of this document is to address, through references to industry publications and expertise, common design questions and issues that arise during the course of designing and constructing concrete parking lots.

Reinforcement

We've always used Welded Wire Mesh (WWM) and you are telling us not to. What gives? Welded wire mesh provides no increase in pavement structural capacity as some mistakenly believe. The job of WWM is to keep cracks tight that may form from environmental or traffic loading stresses. To keep cracks tight, the mesh has to be put in the correct place, which is rarely done. Below are references citing more explanations:

1. **ACI 330R-08** "When pavement is jointed to form short panel lengths that will minimize intermediate cracking, distributed steel reinforcing is not necessary. The practice of adding distributed steel to increase panel lengths has largely been discredited, and generally leads to excessive joint movements and interior panel cracks that deteriorate over time."
2. **ACPA (RT3.01)** (<http://www.concreteparking.org/downloads/RT3.01.pdf>) "If the pavement is jointed to form relatively short panels that will control cracking, distribute steel is not necessary. This design is called plain or non-reinforced concrete. For light traffic situations, load transfer is provided by aggregate interlock – the roughness of the cracked faces beneath the joint."



Welded Wire Mesh Is no longer recommended!




Use Certified Finishers

- ACI Flatwork Finisher
- Certified Pervious Concrete Installer
- Quality Team (Experienced)
- Proper Equipment
- Trained Through FC&PA, NRMCA, ACI

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Free Design Assistance



DESIGN SUMMARY REPORT FOR
CONCRETE PARKING LOT
DATE CREATED:
Wed Sep 25 2019 16:59:37 GMT-0400 (Eastern Daylight Time)

Project Description

Project Name: Concrete Paving- TP 4Owner: Zip Code:
Designer's Name: Route:
Project Description:

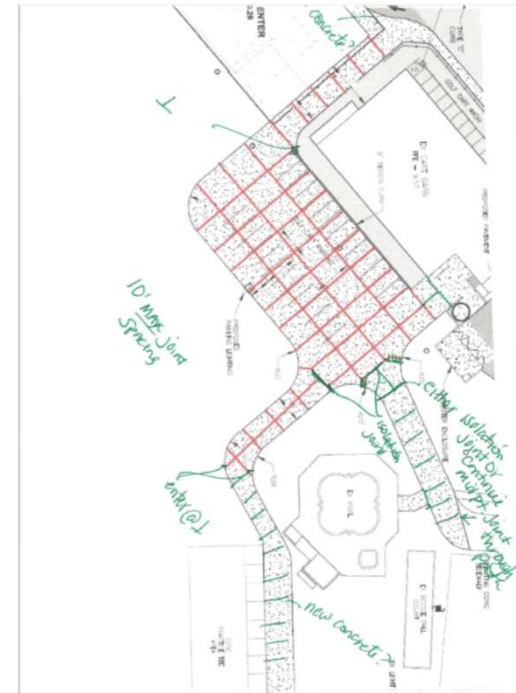
Design Summary

Recommended Design Thickness:	Undoweled 6.00 in.	Maximum Joint Spacing:	Undoweled 13 ft.
Calculated Minimum Thickness:	5.91 in.		

Pavement Structure

SUBBASE
Calculated Composite K-Value of Substructure: 100 psi/in

Layer Type	Resilient Modulus	Layer Thickness
PARKING CONCRETE SURFACE		
SUBGRADE		



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Concrete Paving Applications

Pervious Concrete

Roller Compacted Concrete RCC

Concrete Overlays

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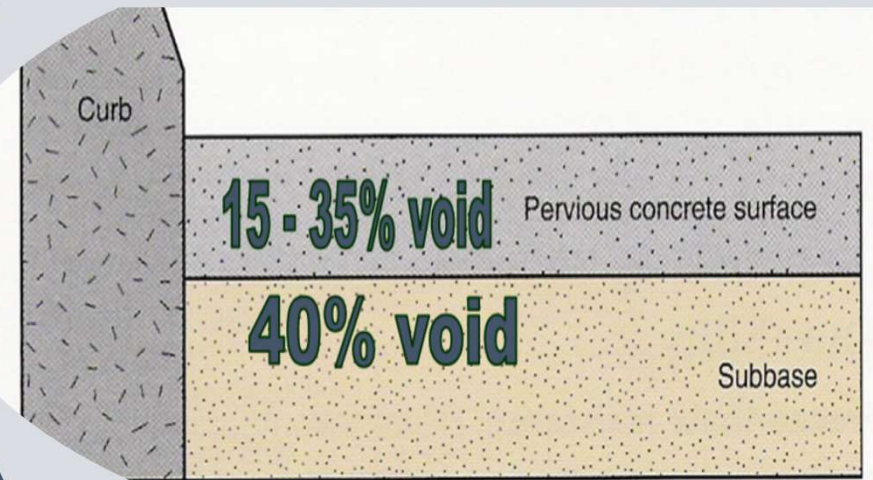
Pervious Concrete

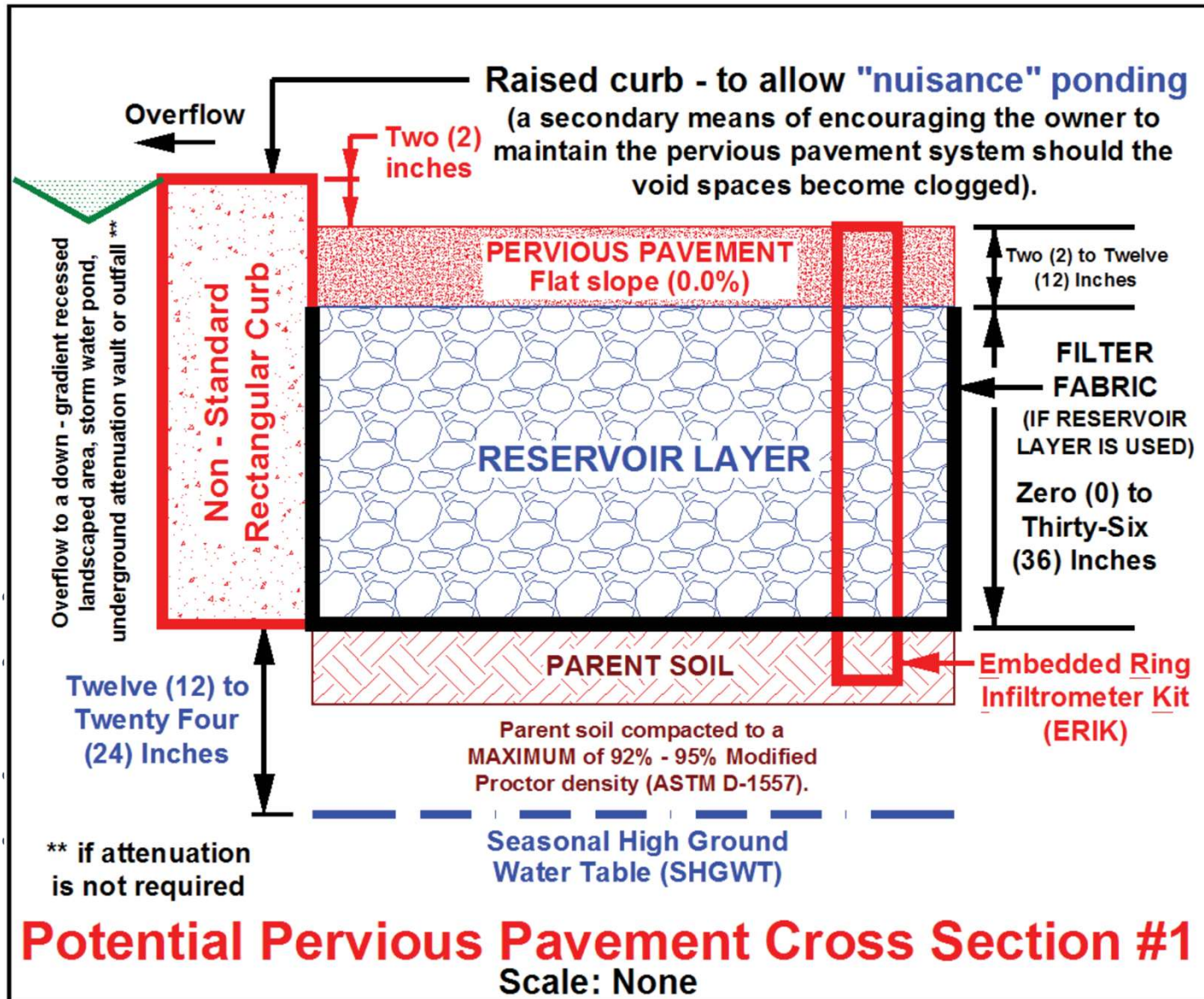
- Stormwater management
 - Quality & Quantity control
- Certified contractors
- Drainage rate = 3-5 gal/min/ft²
- Equivalent of 275" to 450" of rain per hour!



Pervious concrete properties

- Pervious concrete: 6 inches typical
- Open-graded stone subbase: determined by local hydrologic conditions
- Geotext prevents movement of fines into stone bed







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RESOURCES

Concrete Overlays

- ▶ [CP Tech Center Guide to Concrete Overlays for Streets and Roads](#)
- ▶ [CP Tech Center Guide to Concrete Overlays for Asphalt Parking Lots](#)
- ▶ [Concrete Overlays: A new lease on life for old, damaged pavement](#)
- ▶ [Concrete Overlays: Pinehurst Country Club](#)

[Concrete Overlays: Glenlake Middle School](#)

[Concrete Overlays: Armar Plaza](#)

- ▶ [Concrete Overlays: Brookshire Park](#)

Concrete Parking

Paveahead.com



**Pervious Concrete
Pavement Maintenance
and Operations Guide**

RCC roller compacted concrete

- Speed of Construction
- Durability
- Low Maintenance
- Cost effective solution for heavy duty traffic areas





- Lowe's Distribution Center – 7" RCC was selected in lieu of asphalt by the owner based on pricing and performance expectations. The RCC was placed in 30-foot pavement lanes with control joints cut longitudinally and transversely at 15 feet.
- Project Description: Distribution Facility
- Project Size: Over 3 Million SF
- Project Duration: 2.5 Months



Richland Ave (US 78) Aiken, SC - 2009

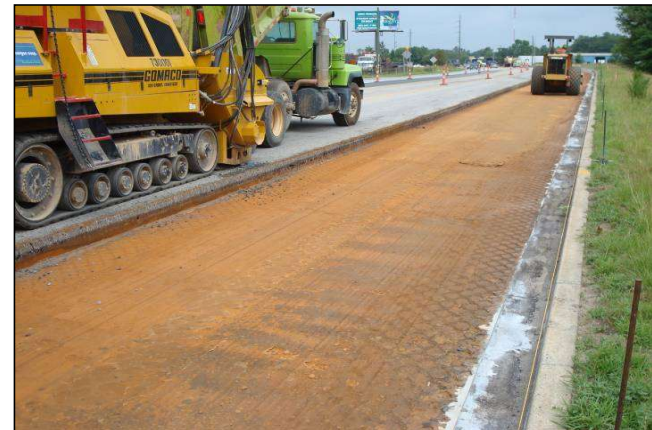
Pavement Design Information

- Owner: South Carolina DOT
- Use Type: US Highway
- Year Built: 2009
- Thickness: Milled 10" asphalt
Placed 10" RCC
- Traffic: 6000 ADT, 4 lanes
- Speed: 45 mph



Additional Details

- Replaced 27,500 SY in 15 days
- Placed 10" RCC in 1 lift
- All milled areas were paved within same day
- Maintained 1 lane open in each direction
 - Transverse Joints : 20 ft, early entry saw cut within 3 hours
- Traffic re-opened within 24 hours



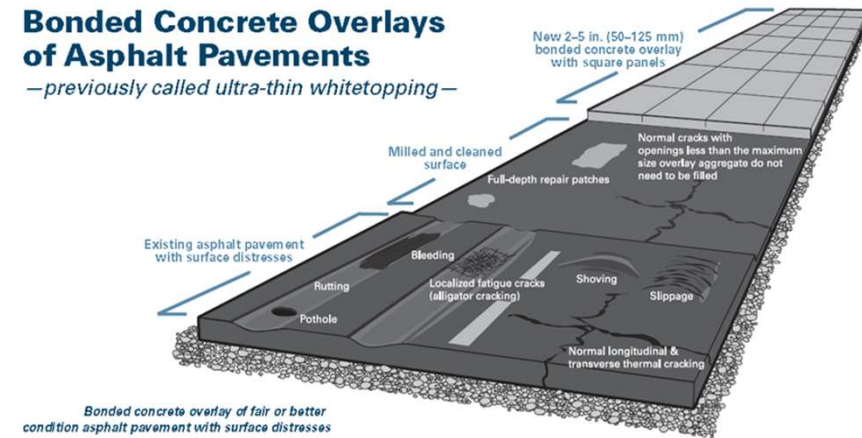
Concrete Overlays

- Concrete overlay (3" - 7") on existing asphalt surface
- Existing asphalt serves as compacted base for concrete pavement
- Cost effective
- Durable (30 years 2018 FDOT)



Why Concrete Overlays?

- Concrete overlays are a method to *resurface* existing asphalt paving-and then some:
 - Renew the wear surface-black to white
 - Increase the load carrying capacity of the pavement
 - Improve lighting-reduce heat island
 - Eliminate perpetual asphalt maintenance
 - To give owners a *choice*

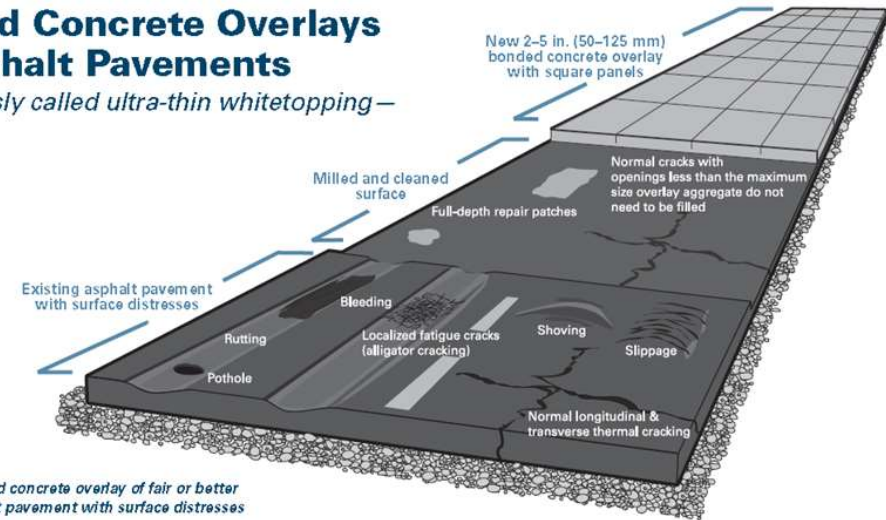


Concrete Overlays:

New life for existing *parking lots* without reconstruction

Bonded Concrete Overlays of Asphalt Pavements

—previously called ultra-thin whitetopping—



Bonded concrete overlay of fair or better condition asphalt pavement with surface distresses



Project Profile

Scope of Work:

- 28 year old asphalt parking lot with one overlay and numerous patch and sealcoat
- 3" concrete overlay

Design Factors:

- Asphalt alligator cracks with spot repair during it's life
- Car and light truck traffic

Concrete:

- 4000 PSI
- No fibers

Placement:

- Truss screed
- 4'x4' joint spacing—early entry saw with narrow blade
- Full coverage white curing compound

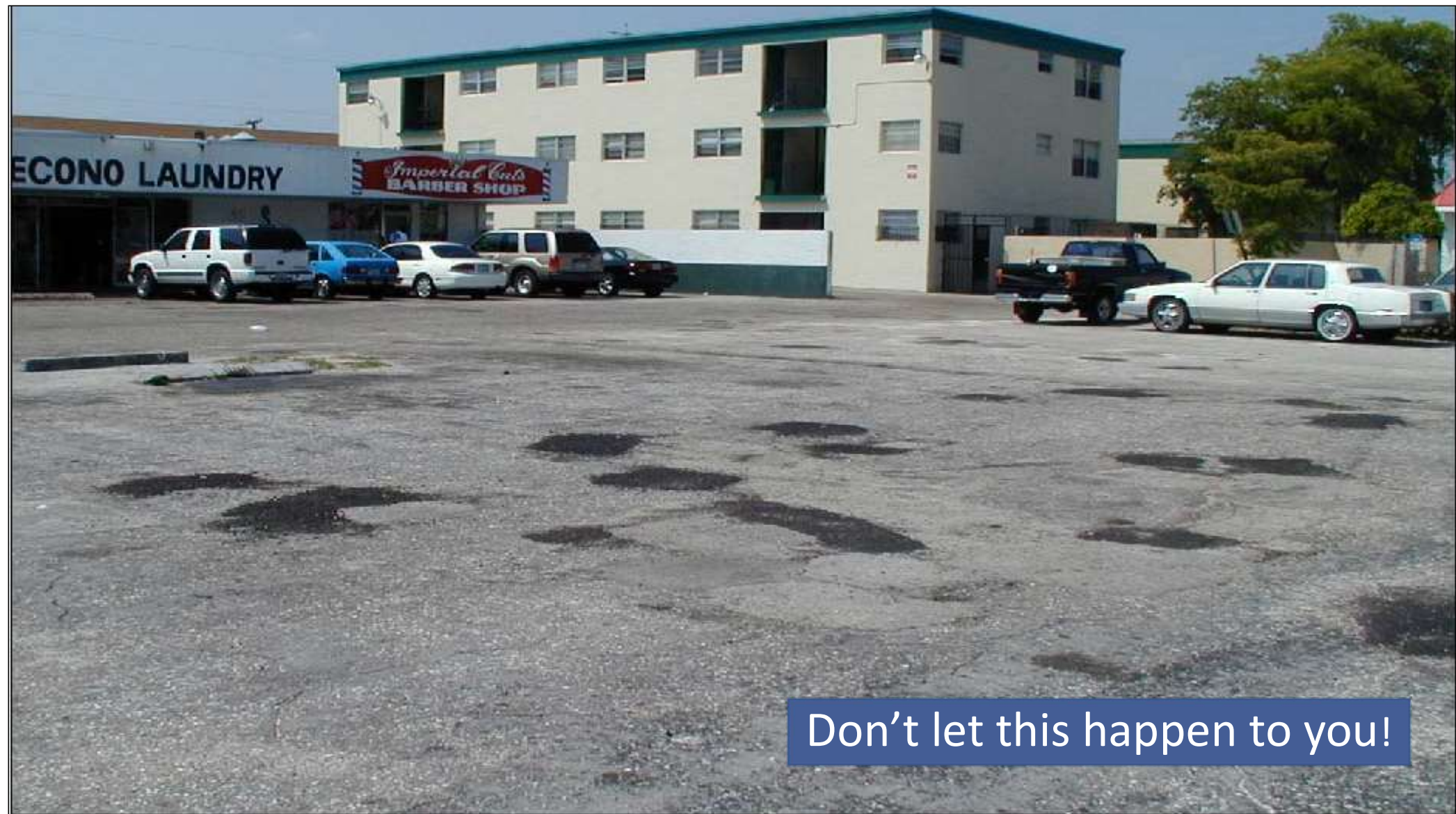


Grimm Chevrolet
Morton, IL
Constructed: 2008

Always Specify Concrete Spurs Competition



Providing designs for at least 2 pavement types introduces competition.



Questions?

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Thank you!