



Machine Drive Power (MDP) RICM Overview

CS56 (84")



800-series







MDP Principle: Stiffness Indicated by Rolling Resistance

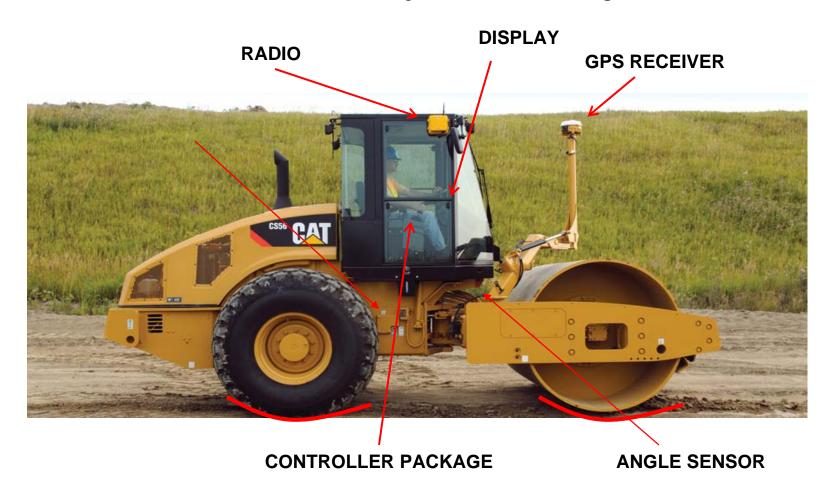
Soft ground condition = hard to push



Firm ground condition = easy to push

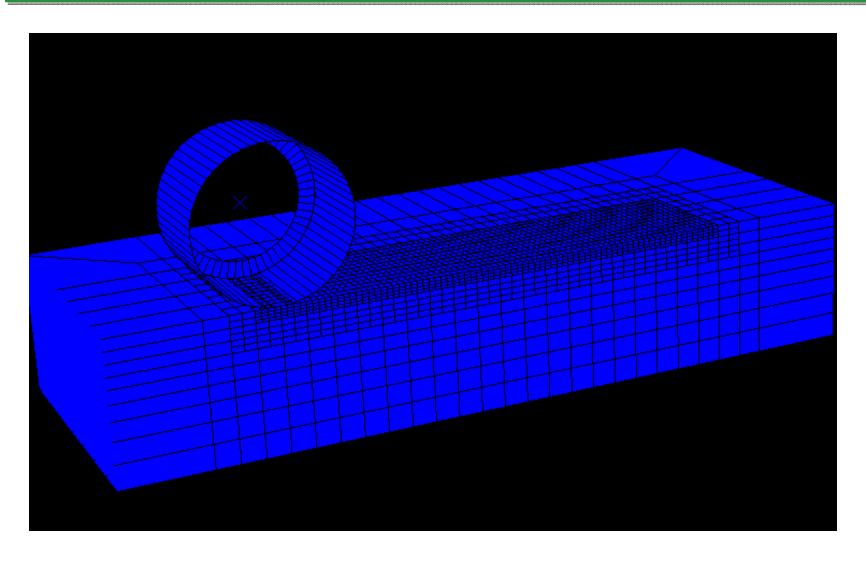


Soil Stiffness indicated by Vehicle Rolling Resistance.

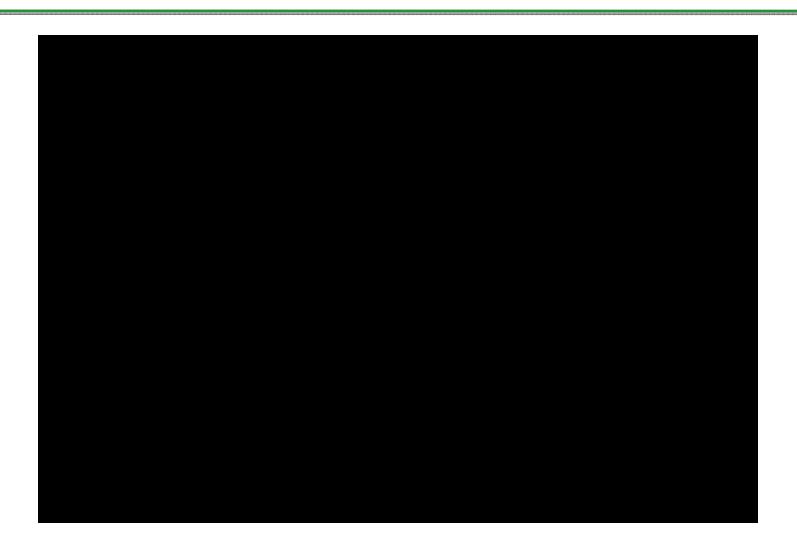




RICM Compaction Model Simulation







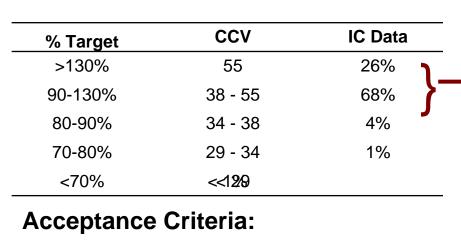
RICM Specification - Meet the Pavement Design

- ▶ Production Rolling
- ▶ Proof Mapping
- ▶ QC Testing (Process Control)
- ▶ QA Testing (Project Acceptance)

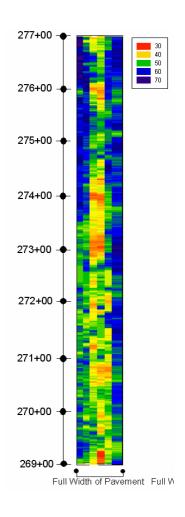


Proof Mapping

Compaction Target Value (CTV) = 42
Current TxDOT QA



>90% of IC Data should be greater than 80% of CTV



Courtesy of Dr. David White – Iowa State University



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Moisture Testing by Nuclear Gauge





QC Testing

Light Weight Deflectometer





QA Testing



Measures Modulus of Subgrade Reaction

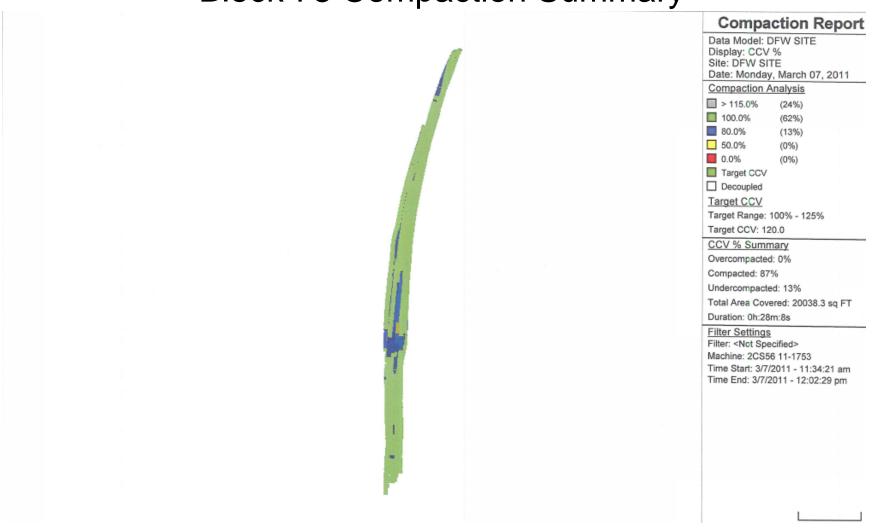
Strength not Density

Plate Load Testing

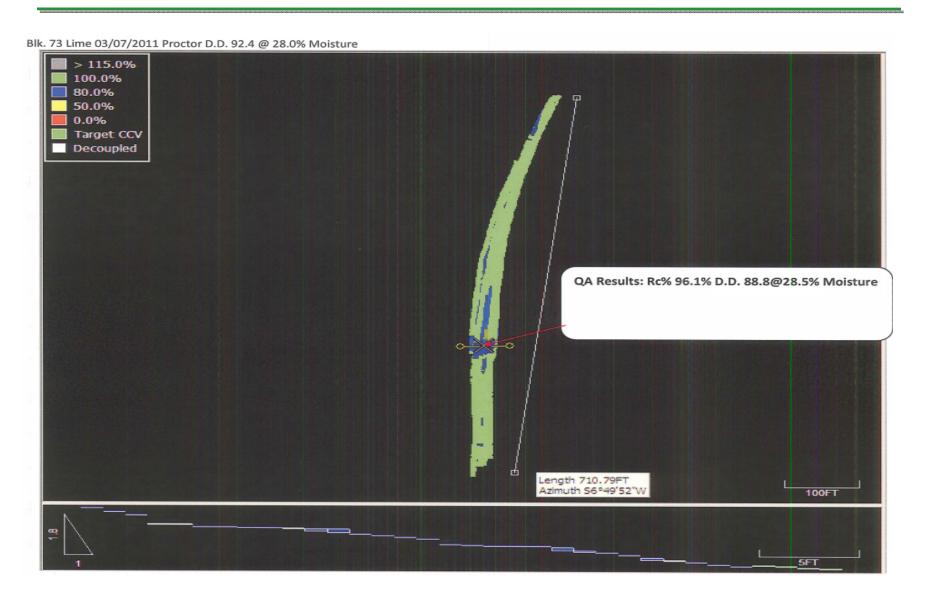


















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