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# Purpose Statement

This webinar will showcase the integration of NDE results into the bridge preservation decision-making process. Presenters will highlight cost savings by comparing the combined expense of NDE and subsequent interventions to the costs associated with deferring NDE-informed actions.

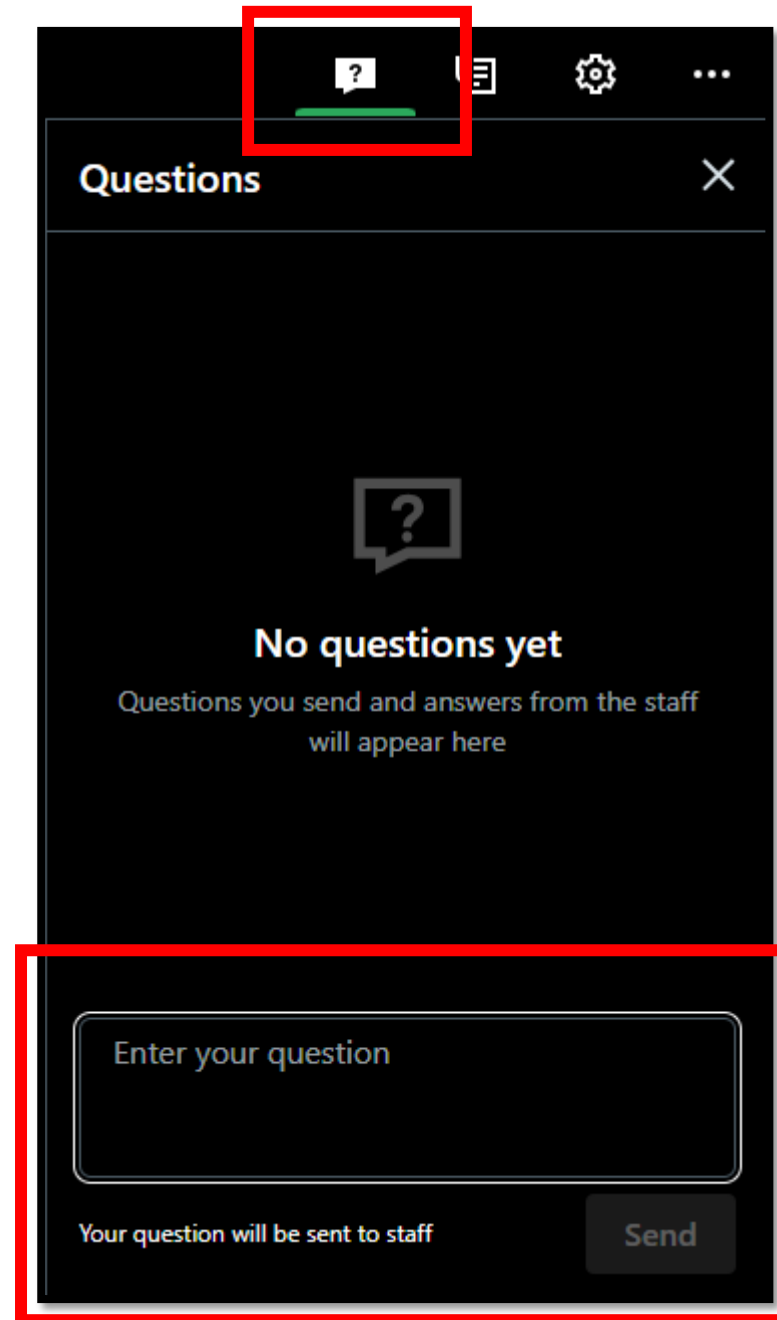
## Learning Objectives

At the end of this webinar, you will be able to:

- (1) Use a NDE framework for an informed preservation decision-making
- (2) Identify the economic impacts for NDE-informed actions
- (3) Provide examples of states' NDE use to guide their preservation actions

# Questions and Answers

- Please type your questions into your webinar control panel
- We will read your questions out loud, and answer as many as time allows



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# Incorporating Nondestructive Evaluation (NDE) Methods into Bridge Deck Preservation Strategies

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Source: FHWA.



# Concrete Deck/Wearing Surface Types

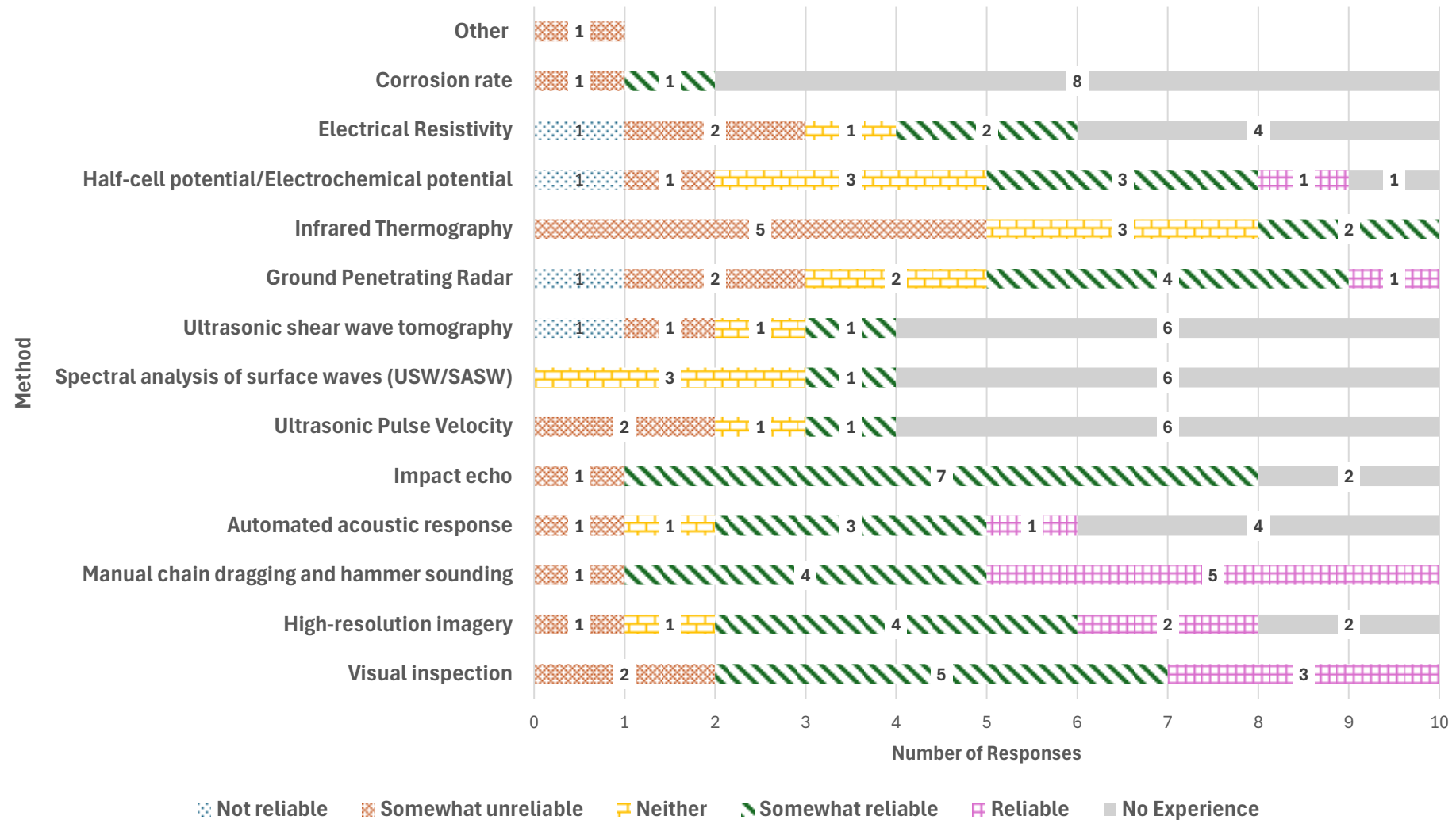
- ▶ Bare concrete.
- ▶ Various sealers:
  - ▷ Penetrating sealers.
  - ▷ Healer-sealer.
  - ▷ Crack sealers.
- ▶ Bituminous overlays:
  - ▷ Hot-mix asphalt (HMA).
  - ▷ Warm-mix asphalt (WMA).
  - ▷ polymer-modified HMA.
- ▶ Polymer overlays:
  - ▷ Thin bonded polymer overlay (TBPO).
  - ▷ Premixed polymer concrete (PPC).
  - ▷ Urethanes.
- ▶ Cementitious overlays:
  - ▷ Portland cement concrete (PCC).
  - ▷ Low-slump dense concrete (LSDC).
  - ▷ Silica fume concrete (SFC).
  - ▷ Latex-modified concrete (LMC).
  - ▷ Ultra-high performance concrete (UHPC).
- ▶ Reinforcement (not a surface type, but important to durability):
  - ▷ Black bars.
  - ▷ Epoxy-coated bars.
  - ▷ Corrosion-resistant or stainless-steel bars.
  - ▷ Polymer composite bars.

# Summary of NDE Application (Concrete)

Test Method	Impact Echo	Ultrasonic Tomography	Ultrasonic Pulse Velocity	GPR	Half-Cell Potential	Electrical Resistivity
Thickness	✓	✓	✓	✓	-	-
Delamination	✓	✓	-	✓*	-	-
Honeycomb/Void	✓	✓	✓	-	-	-
Relative Concrete Quality	-	✓	✓	-	-	-
UngROUTED Tendons	✓	✓	-	-	-	-
Cold Joint	-	✓	-	✓	-	-
Rebar Layout	-	✓	-	✓	-	-
Rebar Cover	-	✓	-	✓	-	-
Active Corrosion	-	-	-	✓	✓	-
Inadequate Rebar Protection	-	-	-	-	-	✓

\* = If corrosion induced; - = not applicable; GPR = ground-penetrating radar.

# Level of Confidence—Concrete Decks



Source: FHWA.

# Summary of Findings—Impediments

## **Impediments:**

- ▶ Misconceptions about NDE limitations and capabilities.
- ▶ Constraints on production use.
- ▶ Inconsistent guidance.
- ▶ Lack of owner expertise.
- ▶ Expense.

# Condition Rating-Based Thresholds

Rating	Primary Criteria (Defect 1080 Delamination/Spall/Patch Area)	Preservation/Maintenance Action
9*	0 percent Spalls and delamination	Surface sealer, do nothing
8	0 percent < Spalls and delamination < 2 percent	Repair and surface sealer, fill cracks, thin-polymer overlay**
7	2 percent < Spalls and delamination < 5 percent	Repair and surface sealer, fill cracks, thin-polymer overlay, HMA+membrane, premixed polymer overlay
6	5 percent < Spalls and delamination < 10 percent	Repair and/or mill/hydro-demolition and HMA+membrane, premixed polymer overlay, rigid overlay
5	10 percent < Spalls and delamination < 20 percent	Repair and/or mill/hydro-demolition and HMA+membrane, premixed polymer overlay, rigid overlay
4***	20 percent < Spalls and delamination < 30 percent	Repair and/or mill/hydro-demolition and late-life asphalt overlay, rigid overlay, replace
3***	30 percent < Spalls and delamination	Replace, mill/hydro-demolition and late-life asphalt overlay, repair and rigid overlay

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\*\*Some agencies do not apply polymer overlays until they reach a certain maturity.

\*\*\*Not considered as preservation actions.

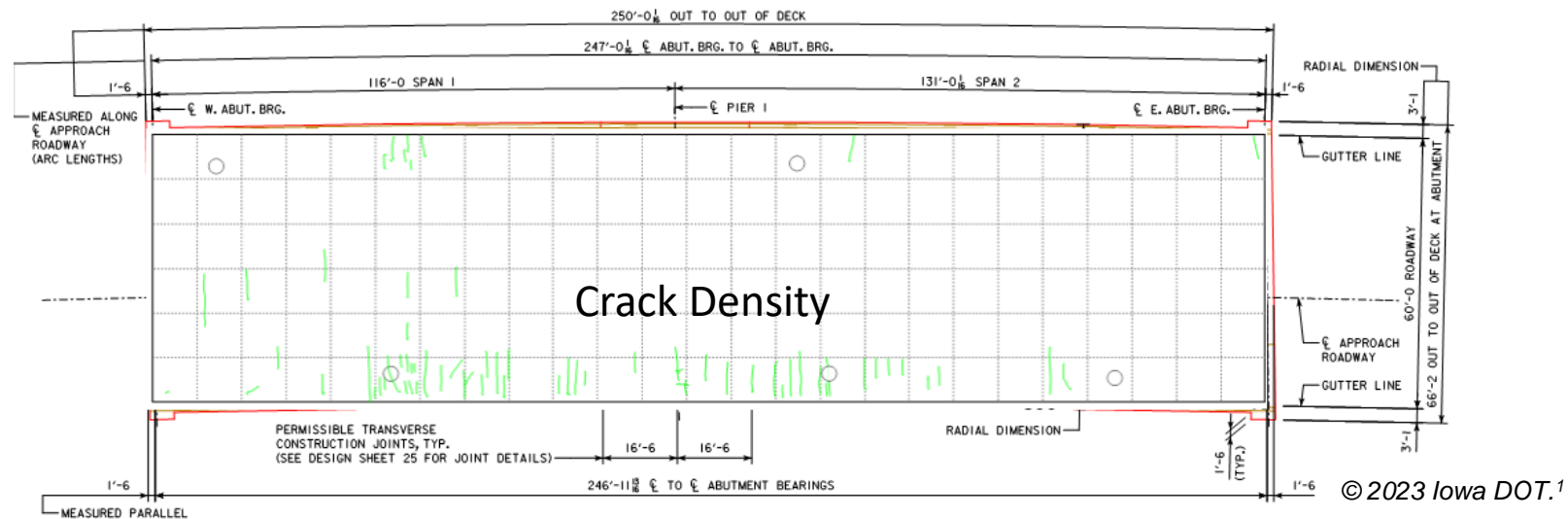
# Framework for NDT-Specific Thresholds

- ▶ NDE methods used to directly guide the selection of bridge deck preservation strategies.
- ▶ Approach was complex with limited available literature and supporting data to fully develop NDT thresholds for all available NDE techniques.
- ▶ Focus was to develop a guiding framework.
- ▶ Example NDE methods:
  - ▷ GPR (concrete cover distribution).
  - ▷ High-resolution imagery (crack / spall / patch quantification).
  - ▷ Half-cell potential (HCP) (active corrosion probability).

# High Resolution Imagery (Crack Assessment)

High-resolution imagery:

- ▶ Potential for use as a QA/QC method for crack mapping of newly constructed bridge decks.
- ▶ Information related to crack density and width can be used to guide the selection of preservation techniques.



<sup>1</sup>EIBatanouny, M., K. Hawkins, M. Abdelrahman, J. Lawler, T. Nelson, and P. Krauss. 2022. *Guide to Remediate Bridge Deck Cracking*. Ames, IA: Iowa Highway Research Board.

# High-Resolution Imagery (Treatment Criteria)

Data-driven selection of crack remediation options based on cracking characteristics of a generic Iowa DOT bridge deck.<sup>1</sup>

Crack Width	Low Crack Density (< 0.10 ft/ft <sup>2</sup> )	Moderate Crack Density (0.10 to < 0.22 ft/ft <sup>2</sup> )	Severe Crack Density (0.22 to < 0.37 ft/ft <sup>2</sup> )	Very Severe Crack Density (≥ 0.37 ft/ft <sup>2</sup> )
<b>Narrow cracks &lt; 5 mils or map cracks</b>	Do Nothing or Penetrating Sealer; Flood Coat	Do Nothing or Penetrating Sealer; Flood Coat	Do Nothing or Penetrating Sealer; Flood Coat	Flood Coat; Penetrating Sealer; Do Nothing
<b>5 to &lt; 15 mils</b>	Do Nothing; Penetrating Sealer + Reapplication; Crack Fill or Flood Coat; Polymer Overlays	Flood Coat; Penetrating Sealer + Reapplication; Thin Polymer Overlay or Premixed Polymer Overlay	Flood Coat; Polymer Overlays	Polymer Overlays; Flood Coat
<b>15 to &lt; 30 mils</b>	Crack Fill or Flood Coat; Thin Polymer Overlay	Flood Coat; Thin Polymer Overlay or Premixed Polymer Overlay	Flood Coat; Thin Polymer Overlay or Premixed Polymer Overlay	Flood Coat; Thin Polymer Overlay or Premixed Polymer Overlay
<b>30 to &lt; 40 mils</b>	Crack Fill; Thin Polymer Overlays	Thin Polymer Overlay; Premixed Polymer Overlay	Thin Polymer Overlay; Premixed Polymer Overlay	Thin Polymer Overlay; Premixed Polymer Overlay
<b>≥ 40 mils</b>	Requires further investigation	Requires further investigation	Requires further investigation	Requires further investigation

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# Approach

Recommendations for NDE programs were classified into three categories:

- ▶ New construction.
- ▶ Early to middle-age structures.
- ▶ Bridge deck repair or rehabilitation.

The lifecycle cost analysis (LCCA) in Task 4 and the decision tree examples developed in Task 5 focus on these three stages of the deck lifecycle.

# New Construction

- ▶ Use GPR to map the location and cover depth of the reinforcement.
- ▶ Review high-resolution imagery for crack density and width.
- ▶ Include VDOT new decks in example case studies.

# GPR to Map the Location and Cover Depth of the Reinforcement

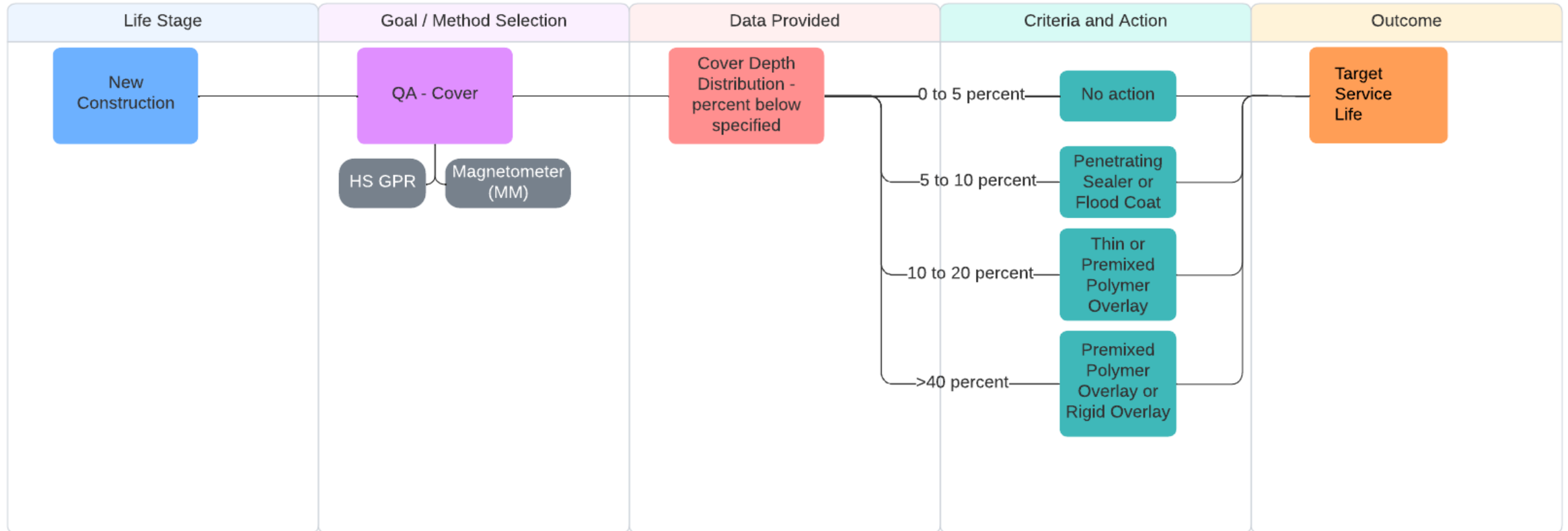
EUAC of generic bridge deck with various assumed concrete cover.

Treatment Alternative	Cover Depth				
	2.5 inch	2.0 inch	1.5 inch	1.0 inch	0.5 inch
Uncracked Deck	\$18,796	\$24,096	\$30,738	\$37,742	\$43,607
Penetrating Sealer*	\$18,573	\$23,552	\$29,308	\$35,382	\$41,034
Thin-Polymer Overlay*	\$16,343	\$19,321	\$22,818	\$25,319	\$26,429
Premixed Polymer Overlay*	\$16,296	\$18,519	\$20,864	\$23,427	\$26,189

EUAC = equivalent uniform annual cost.

\*Includes NDE cost, assumes agency is responsible for treatment costs.

# Decision Tree—New Construction Criteria



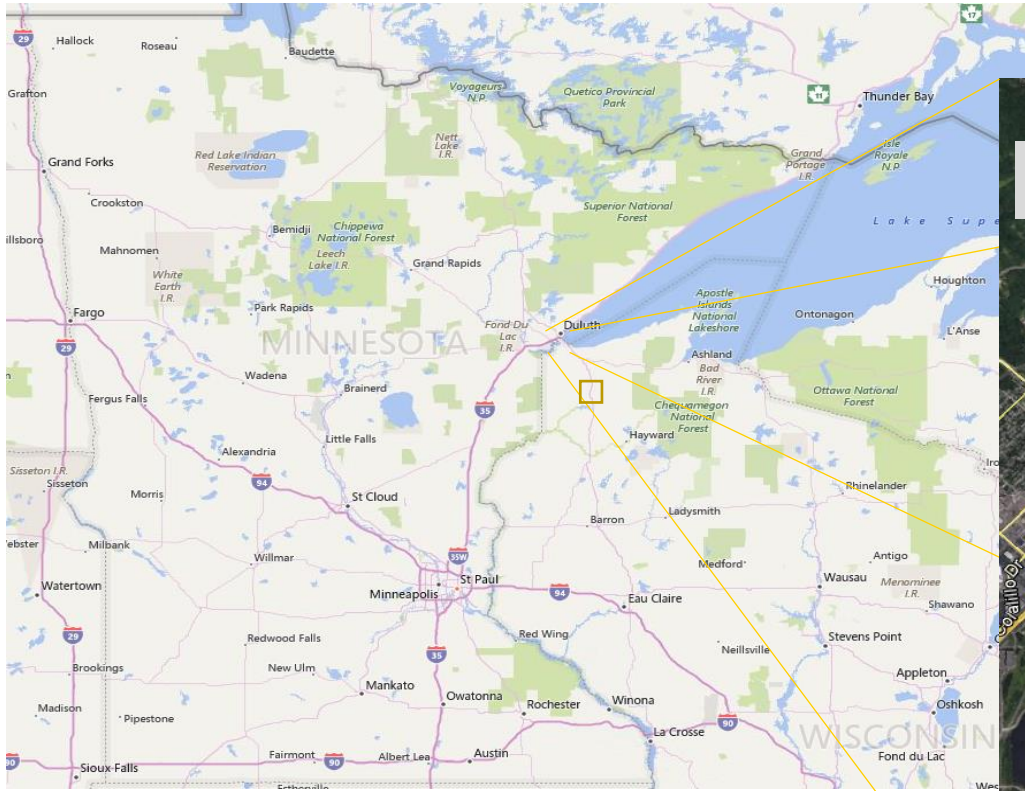
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# Early to Middle-Age Structures—Overview

Early to middle-age bridges are those that have been in service long enough where exposure to environment may lead to early deterioration or damage:

- ▶ Using NDE on bridges within this life stage can help with early detection of damage, which can enable selecting or prioritizing preservation and maintenance of specific bridge decks to achieve optimal allocation of resources.
- ▶ Applying NDE techniques at this life stage on a network of bridges can help with asset management planning.

# Case Study—John A. Blatnik Bridge



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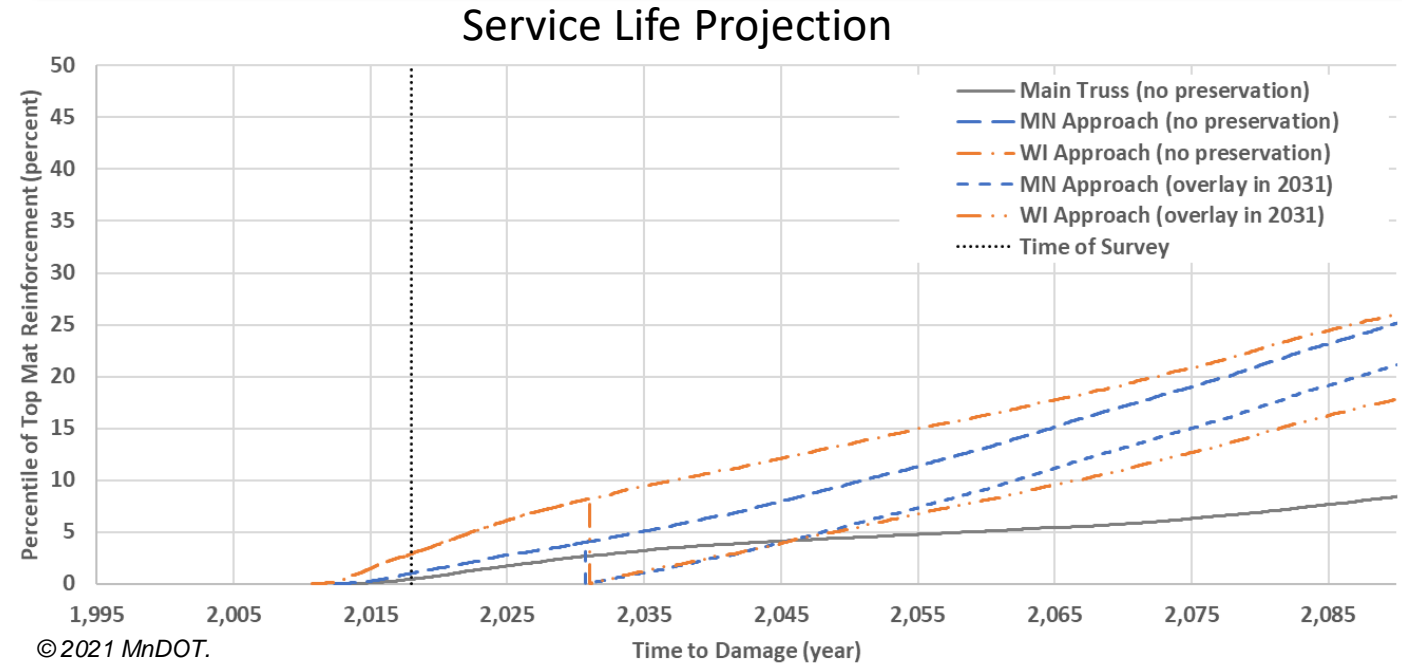
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# Prognosis

- ▶ Eight of 77 cores had  $\text{Cl}^- > 500\text{ppm}$  at reinforcement depth.
- ▶ Carbonation – negligible to 0.3 inch.
- ▶ GPR: 3.2-inch average cover depth.
- ▶ GPR: 7.8 percent deck area attenuation.
- ▶ IR: 1.4 percent deck area delaminated.
- ▶ DAR: 1.7 percent deck area degraded.
- ▶ HRV: 0 percent deck patching.

OUTCOME—Deck is still general condition rating (GCR) of 6; MnDOT is considering whether overlay is needed in 2032; long-term plan to replace the bridge has been initiated.



Deck is currently in good condition, despite abundant surface cracking in sacrificial wearing course. Previous treatment of cracks appears effective in slowing chloride ingress. Average chloride concentration is 1.2 lb./yd<sup>3</sup> (300ppm) at top bar. Approaches are expected to require major preservation within 20 yr, whereas the main truss deck, with greater cover, may last longer with periodic patching.

RECOMMENDATION—A properly placed new structural overlay in the near term would eliminate cracking and remove chloride contamination that is driving diffusion. The life of the deck could easily be extended 20 to 30 yr longer.

# Economic Comparison of Potential Treatment Plans for John A. Blatnik Bridge

	Plan With NDE			Plan Without NDE		
Year	Event	Cost	EUAC	Event	Cost	EUAC
2018	Inspection	\$ 221,000	\$ 7,215	-	-	-
2032	Mill and overlay Wisconsin approach	\$ 7,199,702	\$ 216,530	Whole deck overlay	\$ 11,855,232	\$ 356,544
2045	Mill and overlay Minnesota approach	\$ 3,207,156	\$ 89,374	-	-	-
2052	-	-	-	Deck replacement	\$ 107,213,867	\$2,867,547
2080	Deck replacement	\$ 107,213,867	\$2,433,264	-	-	-
-	-	Σ	\$2,746,383	-	Σ	\$3,224,092
-	-	-	-	-	Savings/year	\$ 477,708

- = not applicable.

# Asset Management Planning (Project/Network)

## Early to Middle Age—No or Little Visible Deterioration

Purpose: screening to determine if deterioration (or precursors) are present:

- ▶ Assess rate of degradation; improve accuracy of condition assessment.
- ▶ Trigger preventive actions (cleaning, sealing, thin overlays).
- ▶ Help prioritize needs (which bridges to work on first).
- ▶ Inform deterioration curves for BMS.

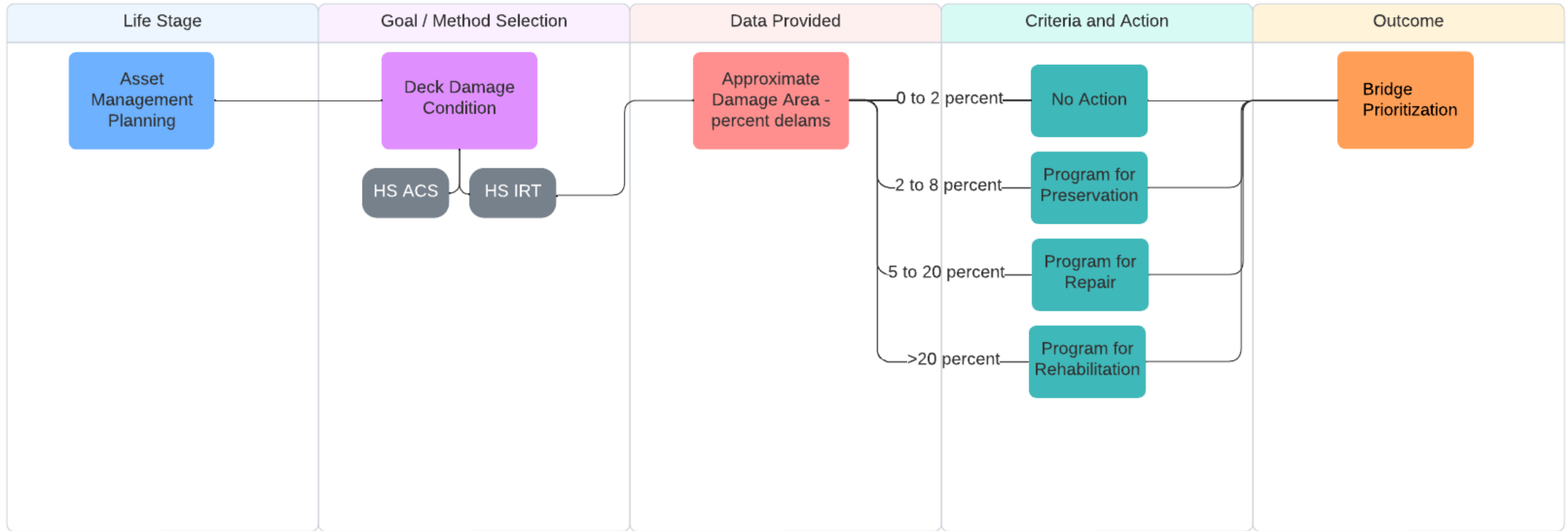
Network level—GPR characterization of cover may inform a resistance factor for deterioration to be applied to BMS and influence rate of deterioration.

- ▶ Other techniques: GPR attenuation, HCP, HRI, IR.
- ▶ Weighting of various NDE inputs to develop a composite condition index?

Project level—Michigan multideck sounding project: Wisconsin thermography NDE hierarchy.<sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup>Wisconsin Department of Transportation. 2020. *Structure Inspection Manual Part 1 - Appendix A: Deck Scanning Policy*. Madison, WI: Wisconsin Department of Transportation. <https://wisconsindot.gov/dtsdManuals/strct/inspection/insp-fm-pt1appxa.pdf>, last accessed May 16, 2024.

# Decision Tree—Asset Management Criteria



Source: FHWA.

# Repair or Rehabilitation (Project Level)

Middle to Advanced Age—Manifest Deterioration

Purpose—Detailed assessment and quantification of damage:

- ▶ Used to select between potential preservation actions.
- ▶ Used to prepare bid documents and construction estimates (e.g., HRI, IR, and automated sounding).
- ▶ Used for post-project validation of repairs.

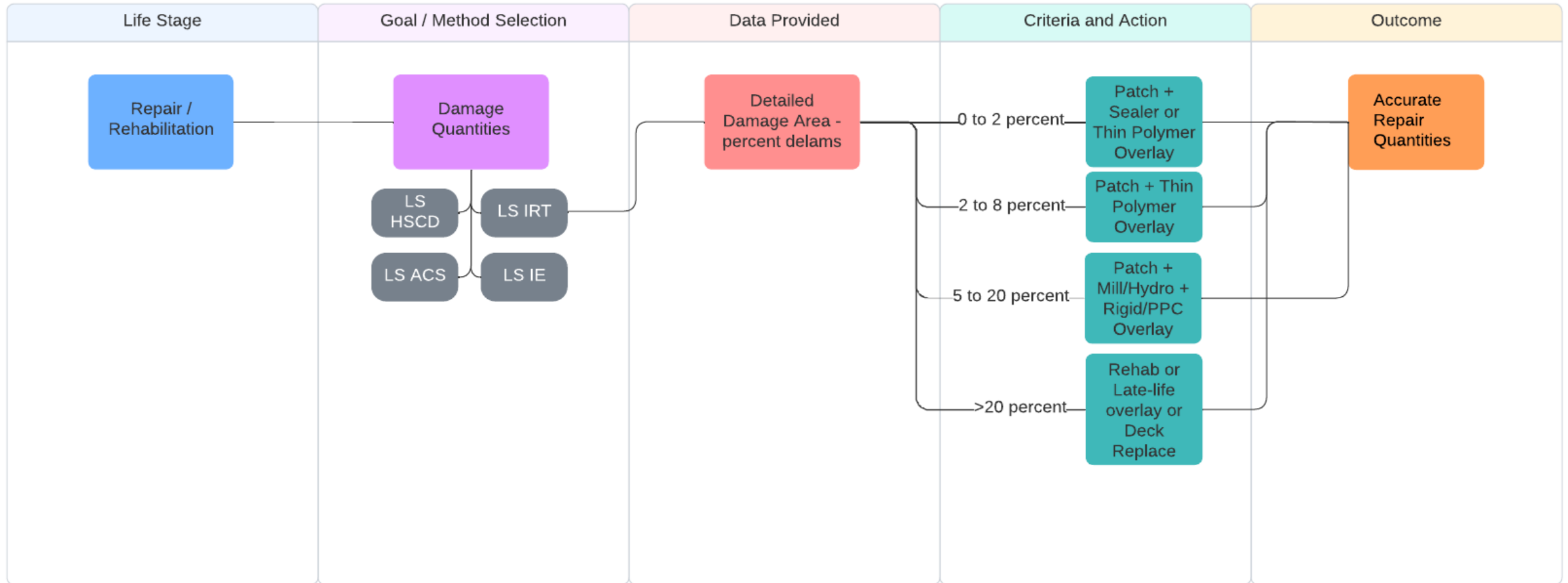
# Decision Tree—Repair Project Criteria

Condition rating-based thresholds.

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9*	0 percent spalls and delamination	Surface sealer, do nothing
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# Decision Tree—Repair Including Criteria



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# How the Indiana DOT Uses NDT to Guide Preservation Decisions

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# Overview

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- Current Applications
- Usage of NDT results
- Aerial Infrared
- Impact Echo
- Pole Mounted IR
- Research
- What's next

# Current Applications

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- Network Level
  - Aerial Infrared
  - Approximately 200 bridges per year
  - Focusing on Interstate and NHS Routes
- Project Level
  - Impact Echo
  - Pole Mounted

# Usage of NDT Results

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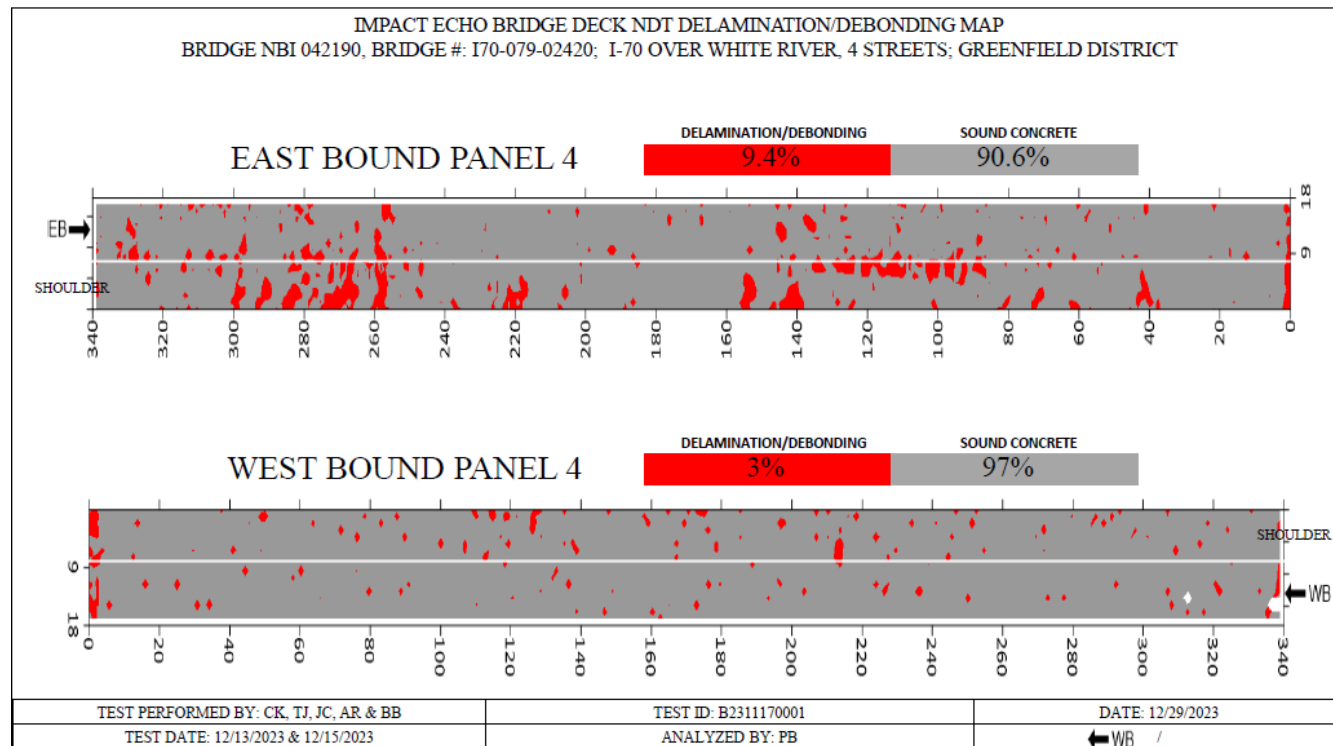
- Construction of second LMC overlay decision
- Deciding on LMC overlay vs deck replacement
- Lowering of NBI deck and wearing surface condition ratings
- Determining ideal bridge deck candidates for epoxy injection
- Forensic investigations
- Condition assessment for load ratings

# Usage of NDT Results

"We would like to proceed with obtaining the impact echo by the end of this year.

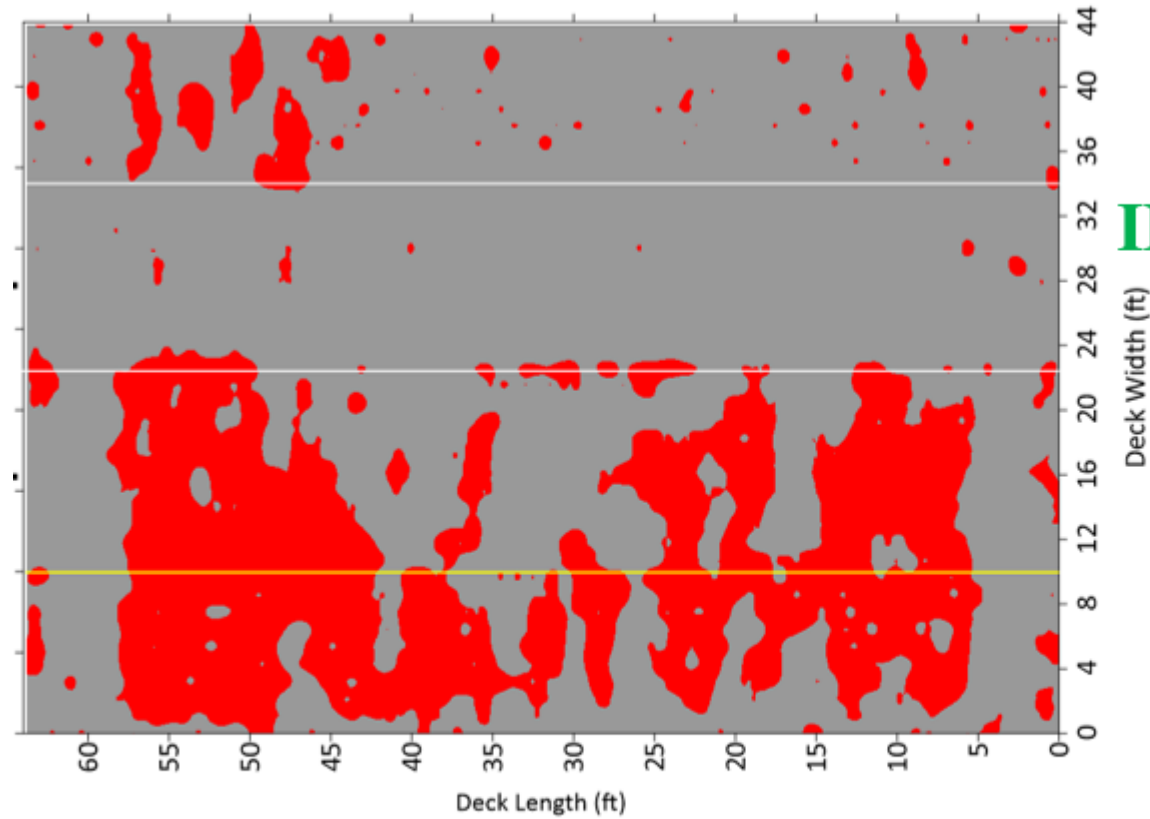
Please let me know how we can help to get this done.

For additional background, we have this project currently under design for a rigid deck overlay and given the large size and importance of this bridge, we want to have as much information as possible to make an informed decision about the proposed bridge treatment. **For context, the results of the impact echo will help us determine the treatment type and whether we need to spend \$35M or \$70M on this bridge.**"



# Usage of NDT Results

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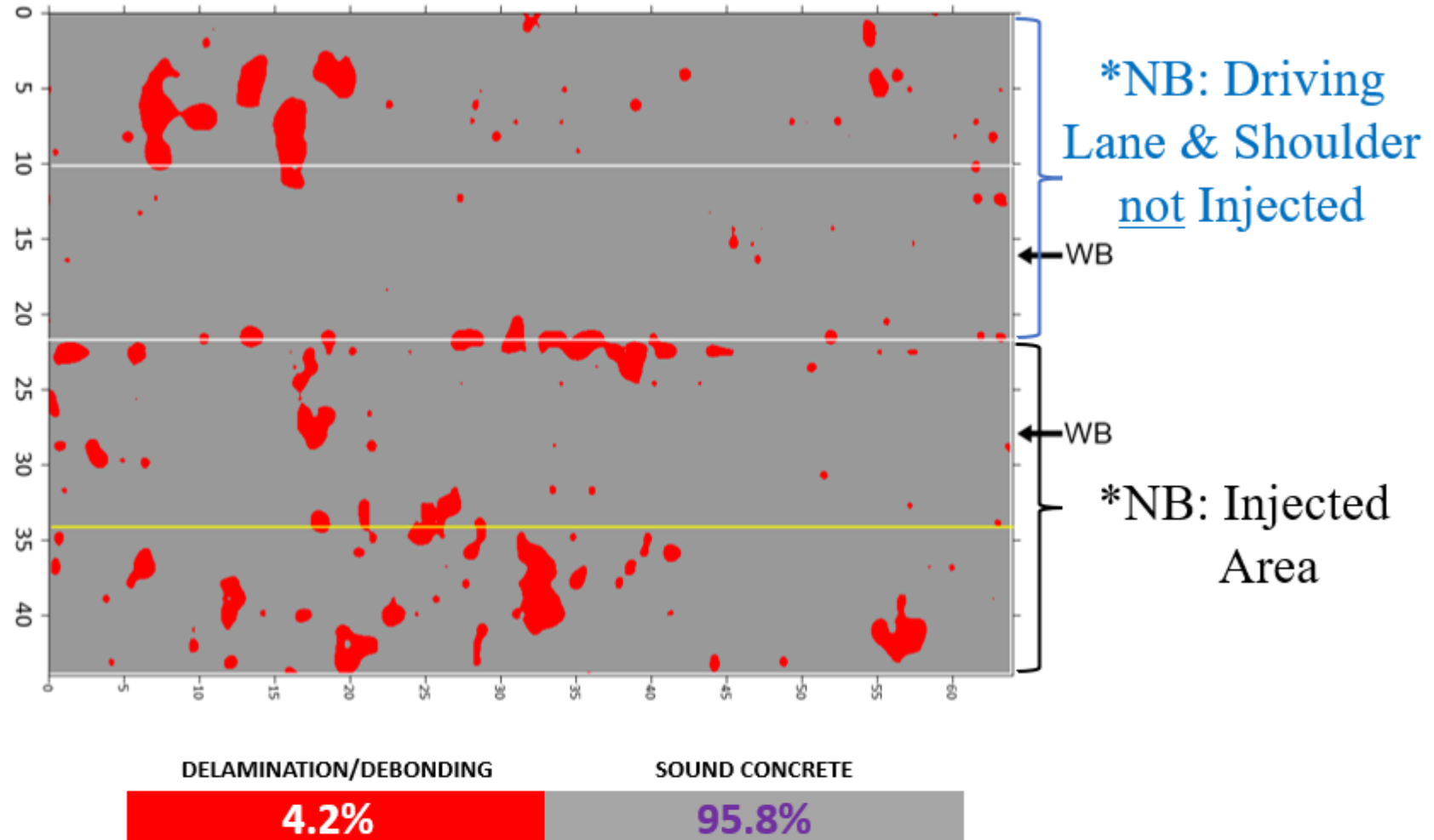
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# Usage of NDT Results

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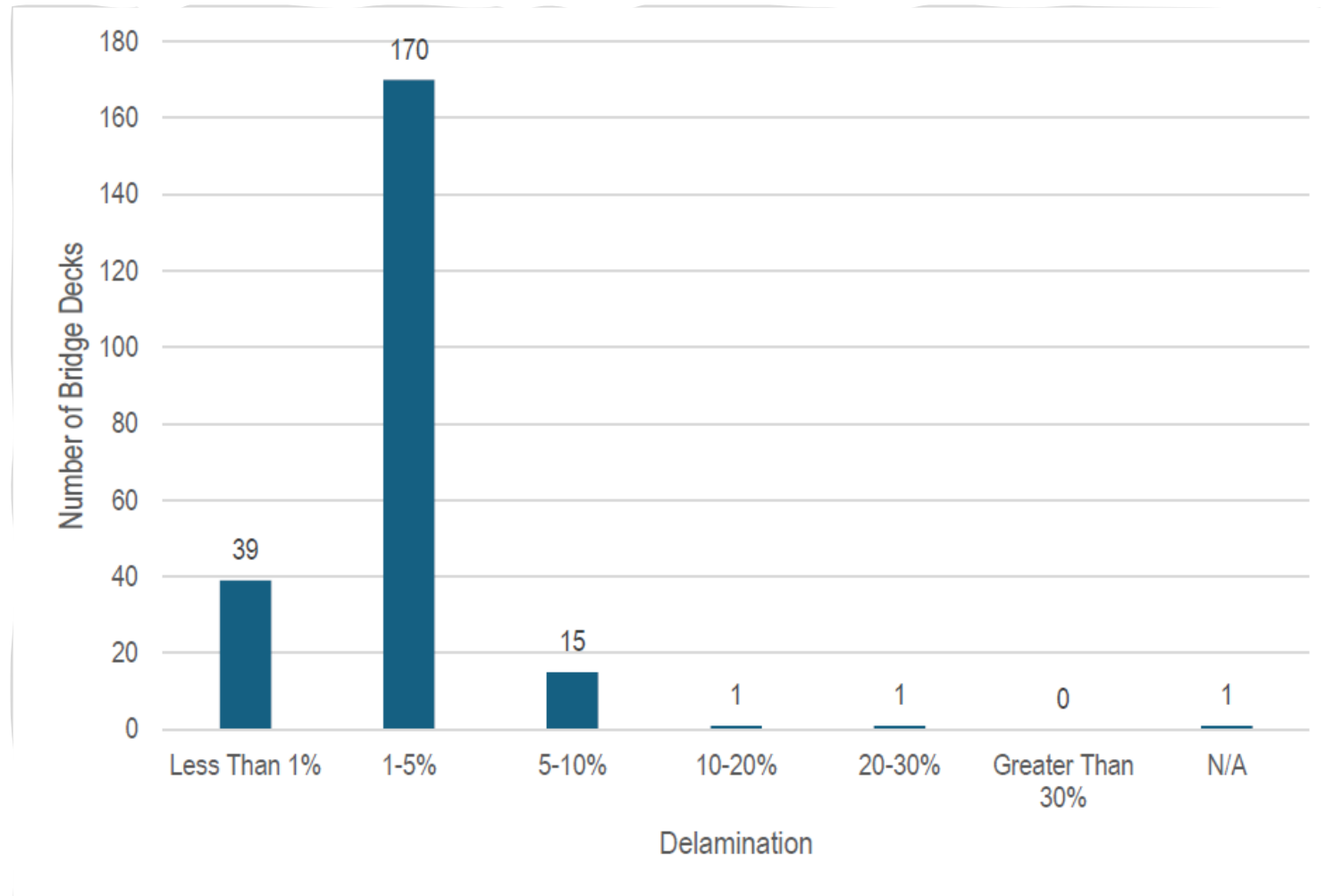
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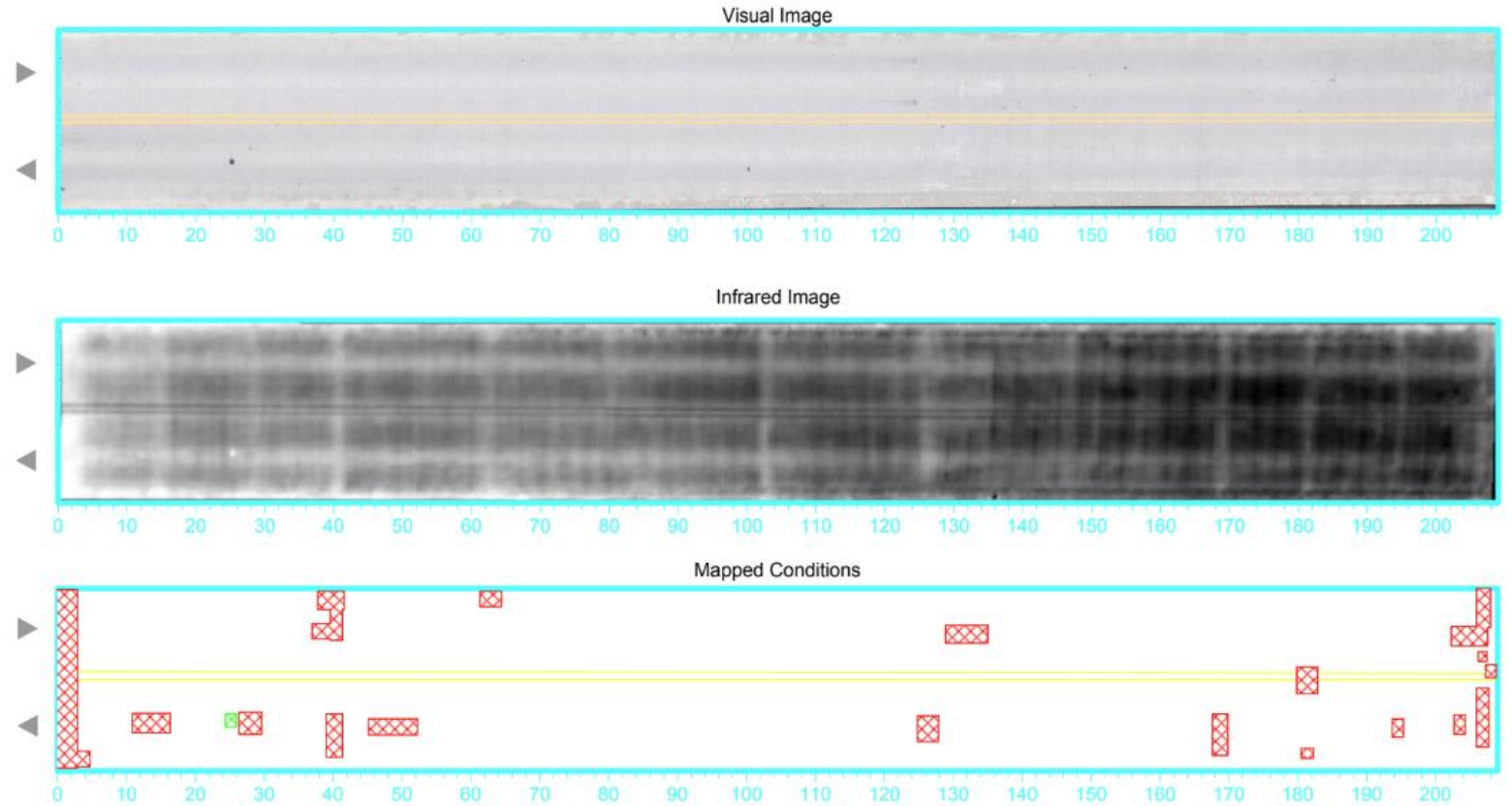
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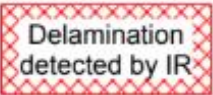



226 bridge decks



# Aerial Infrared

I69-323-04603



Mapping Legend	
 Delamination detected by IR	 Patching
 Spalling	 Obstructions

# Aerial Infrared

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I69-323-04603

Quantity Summary	
Delamination %	5.1
Delamination (ft <sup>2</sup> )	284
Patching %	<1
Patching (ft <sup>2</sup> )	3
Spalling %	0.0
Spalling (ft <sup>2</sup> )	0

# Impact Echo

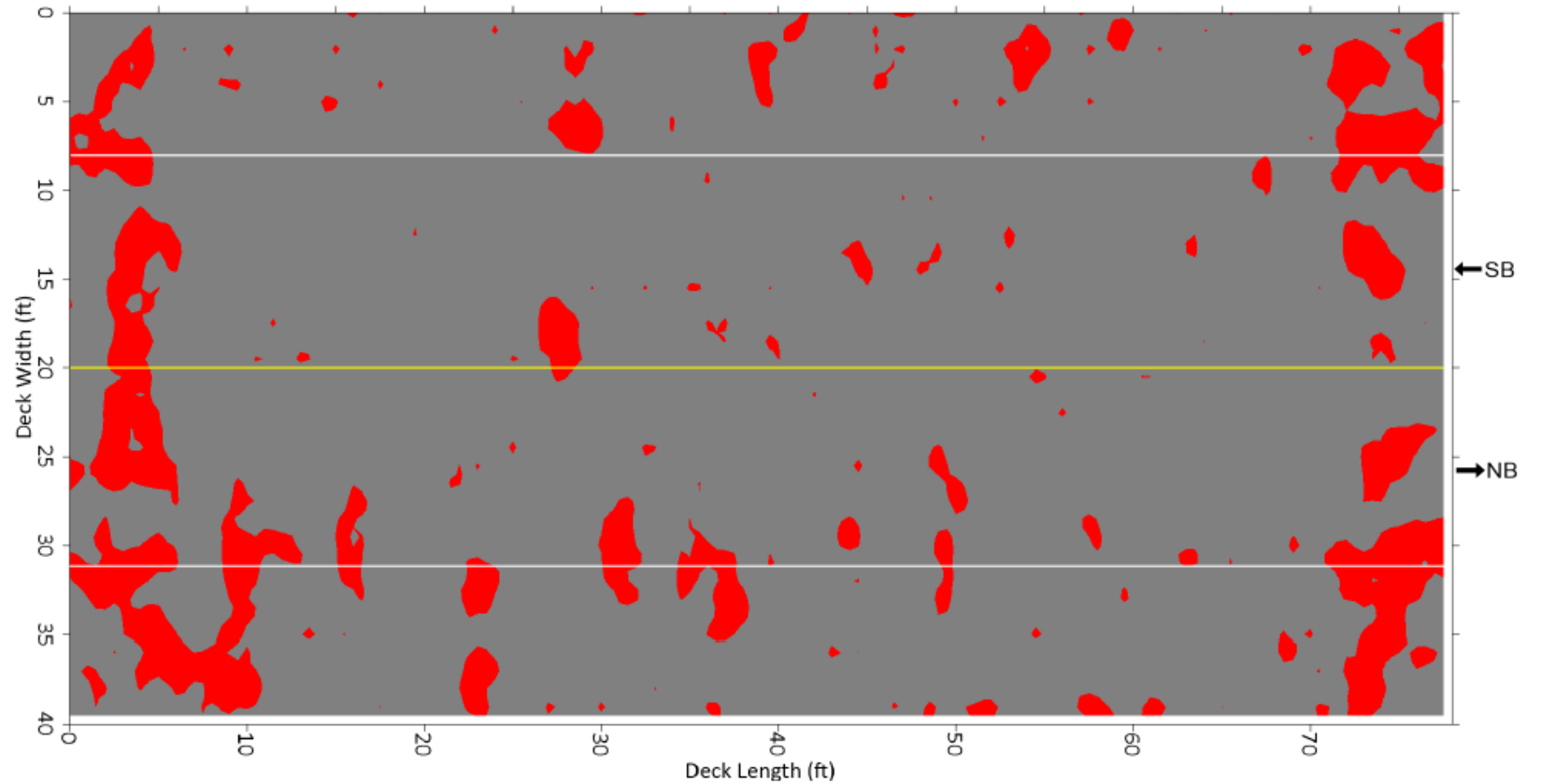
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- Preferred method
- used when more detail is needed i.e. for patching quantities
- Determine epoxy injection appropriateness and effectiveness



# Impact Echo

NBI 490 Bridge 001-17-06097, SR 1 over Sol Shank Ditch



DELAMINATION

9.1%

SOUND CONCRETE

90.9%

FROM INDOT BRIDGE INSPECTION REPORT (10/14/2021)

DECK CONDITION RATING = 6

WEARING SURFACE CONDITION RATING = 6

# Pole Mounted IR

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NBI 26370 SR 135 over I-64  
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- Used on routes with high ADT such as interstates and interchanges
- Often chosen when there has been a previous overlay
- Used on longer bridges (> 500' )
- Shows deep delamination



# Pole Mounted IR

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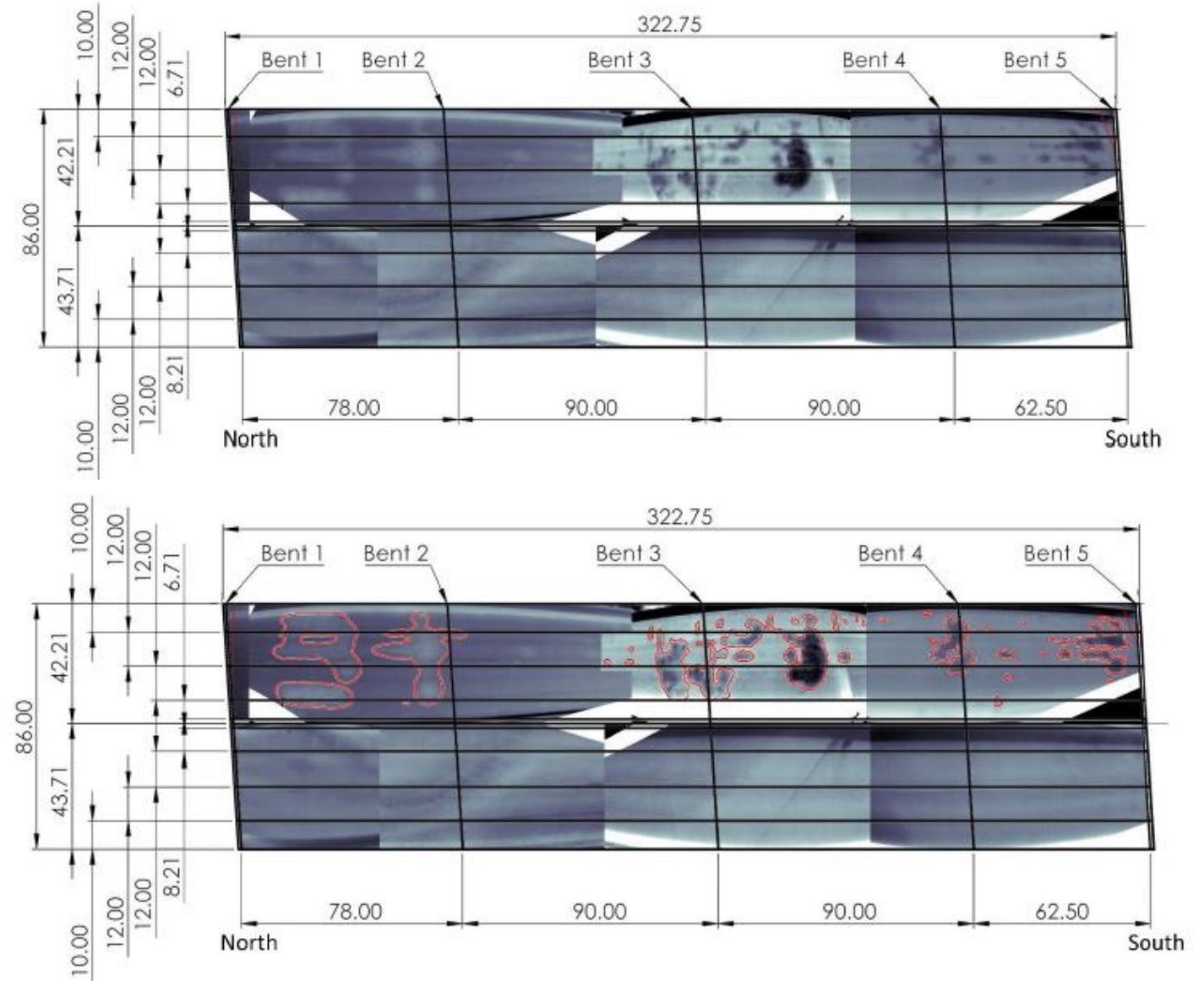
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Setup Locations

# Pole Mounted IR

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IR-UTD images

# Pole Mounted IR

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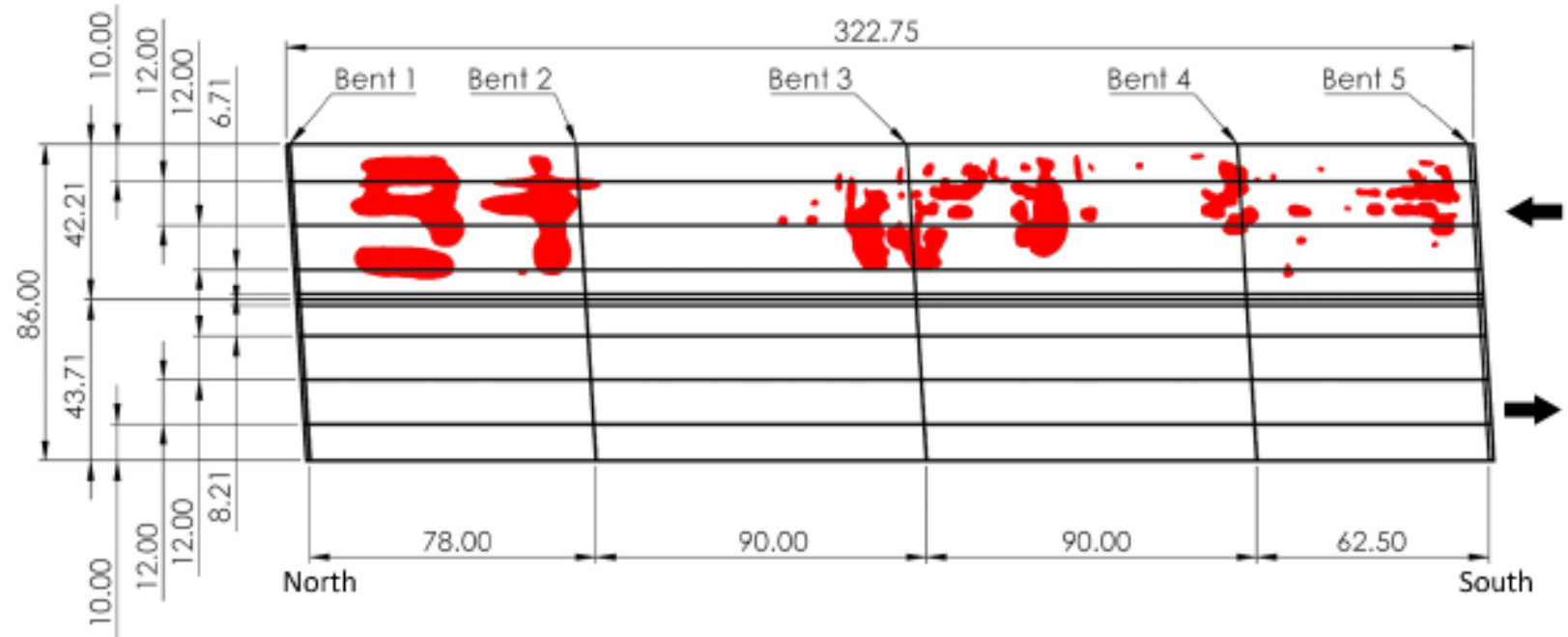
Setup #	Positions	Defect Indication Area (sq. ft.)	Measurement Area (sq. ft.)	Percent Defect Indication
15	3	1251.0	7,007	17.9%
16	2	793.3	4,117	19.3%
		<b>2,044.3</b>	<b>11,124</b>	<b>18.3%</b>

Setup #	Positions	Defect Indication Area (sq. ft.)	Measurement Area (sq. ft.)	Percent Defect Indication
17	3	0.0	6,210	0.0%
18	2	0.0	4,044	0.0%
		<b>0.0</b>	<b>10,254</b>	<b>0.0%</b>

Defect Indications

# Pole Mounted IR

NBI 26370 SR 135 over I-64  
EB/WB



Defect Indications

# Research

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## Long Term Project and Network Level Implementation Plan for Indiana

- Bridge deck testing program with various consultants and different NDT testing methods
- Informative but led to more questions
  - Reliability of NDT data
  - Suitability of NDT methods for various deck surface/conditions
  - How to interpret and integrate results of NDT deck inspections

# Research

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Evaluation of the Accuracy of Non-Destructive Testing (NDT) Methods for the Condition Assessment of Bridge Decks and Integration of NDT into the Asset Management Program

- Compare the NDT results with deck cores
- Investigate best practices for incorporating NDT results into a bridge management plan

# Research

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## Evaluation of Utilizing 3D GPR for Quality Assurance of bridge Deck Rebar Cover and Delamination Screening

- Selected 20 decks
- Ground truthing
- Investigating how to include in contracts

# What's next

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- Develop business rules for incorporation of NDT results into bridge management system
- Try new technologies such as automated sounding.

# Thank you!

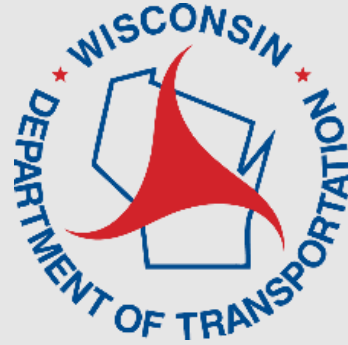
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# Wisconsin case studies of NDE-driven Deck Preservation

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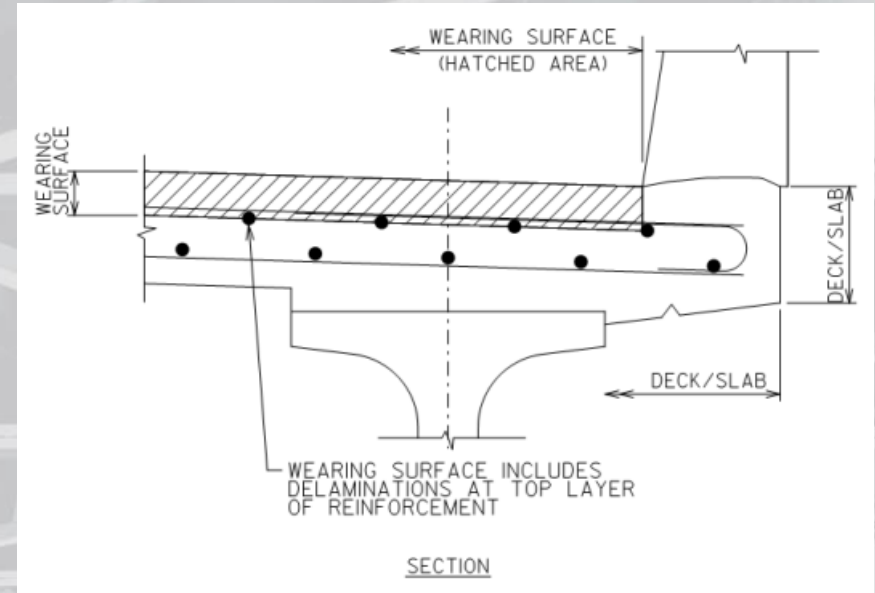
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# How'd we get here?

- 2016 Optimizer software
  - WI Structures Asset Management System proposes structure work
- 2017 Full program review
  - 800+ state-owned structures within 6 year program
- 2018 Central office approval of all structure work
  - Certification document required
- 2019 Approval software
  - Structures Certification Tool
- 2020 Bridge deck NDE program implemented statewide

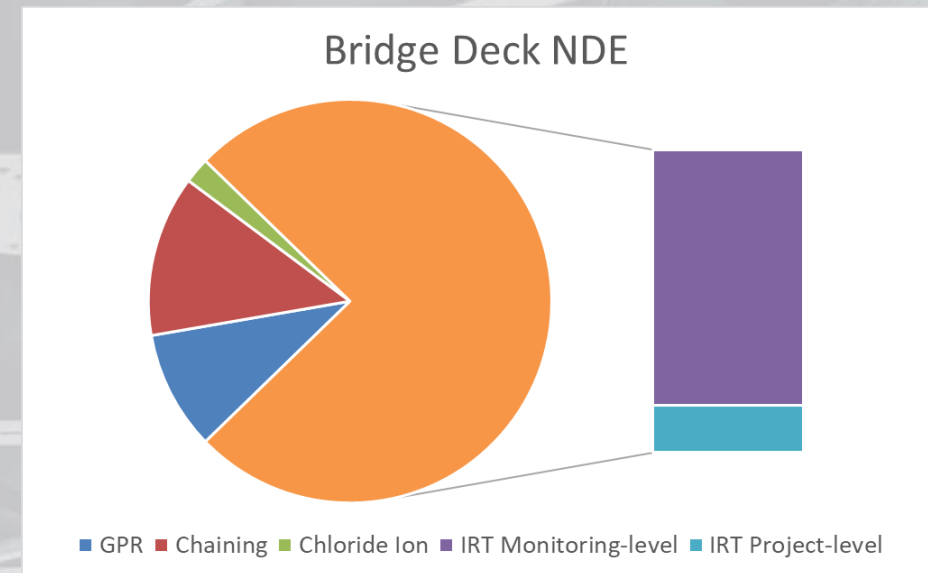
# Which Decks?

- Emphasis on state-owned structures
- Key National Bridge Elements
  - 12/38 Reinforce Concrete Deck/Slab (77% of inventory)
- Key Agency Defined Elements
  - 8000, 8508-8515 Wearing Surfaces (every deck)
- Key element defects
  - 1080 Delamination/spalls/patching in Deck/Slab underside
  - 3210 Debonding/delamination/spalls/patching in Wearing Surfaces



# Which NDE?

- Infrared Thermography (IRT)
  - Level 0 – Aerial IRT
  - Level 1 – Vehicle based IRT with estimated defect quantities
  - Level 2 – Vehicle based IRT with mapped defects
  - Level 3 – Vehicle based IRT with mapped deck preparation areas
- Chloride ion testing (semi-destructive coring)
  - AASHTO T260 water soluble test
- GPR, IE, and automated sounding as needed



NBI Item 58	Top Deck Element Distress Area (%)	Bottom Deck Element Distress Area (%)	Preservation Activity	Benefit to Deck from Action	Application Frequency (in years)
≥7	-	-	Deck Sweeping/Washing	Extend Service Life	1 to 2
	5% < 3220 < 25%	-	Crack Sealing	Extend Service Life	3 to 5
	3220 CS3 + CS4 > 0%	-	Deck Sealing	Service life extended	3 to 5
	-	1080 < 5%	Full Depth Deck Patching	Service life maintained	As needed
	3210 CS3 + CS4 < 5%	1080 < 5%	Wearing Surface Patching	Service life maintained	As needed
	>20% (3220 OR 8911 CS3 + CS4) OR >15% 3210 (applied to bare deck)	(1140 OR 1150) < 20% for timber deck	Polymer Modified Asphalt Overlay	Service life extended	10 to 15
	>20% (3210 OR 8911 CS3 + CS4) OR >50% 3220 (reapplication)	1080 < 5% for concrete deck			
	>20% (3220 OR 8911 CS3 + CS4) OR >15% 3210 (applied to bare deck)	(1140 OR 1150) < 20% for timber deck			
	>20% (3210 OR 8911 CS3 + CS4) OR >50% 3220 (reapplication)	1080 < 5% for concrete deck	HMA w/ membrane	Service life extended	5 to 15
	3210 < 5%	1080 < 1%	Polyester Polymer Concrete	Service life extended	20 to 30
	3210 < 2% (applied to bare deck)	1080 < 1%	Thin Polymer Overlay	Service life extended	7 to 15
	8513 CS3 + CS4 > 15% (reapplication)				

**Case 1** →

**Case 2** →

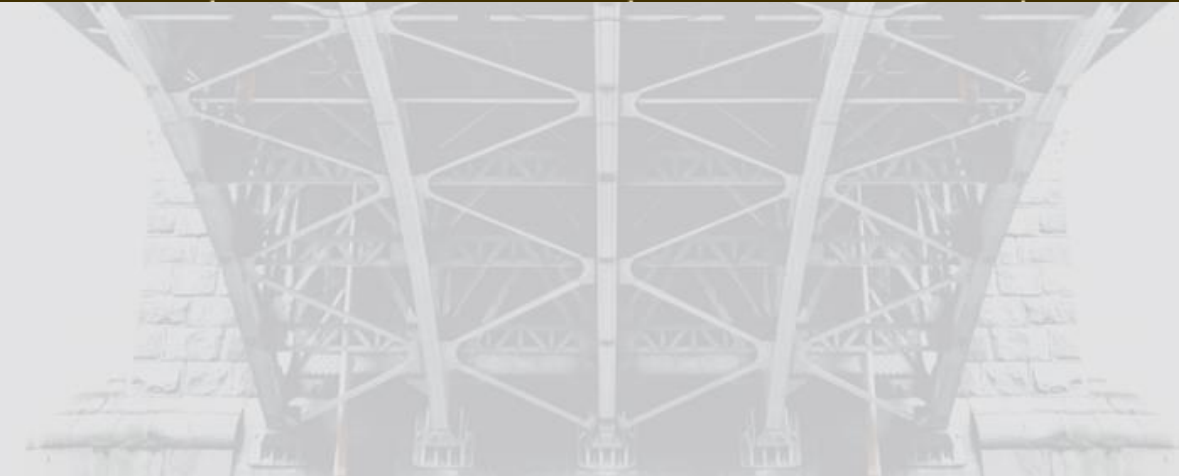
**Table 42.5-2**  
Concrete Deck/Slab Eligibility Matrix

	NBI Item 58	Top Deck Element Distress Area (%)	Bottom Deck Element Distress Area (%)	Preservation Activity	Benefit to Deck from Action	Application Frequency (in years)	
Concrete Deck/Slab	6	-	-	Deck Sweeping/Washing	Extend Service Life	1 to 2	
		5% < 3220 < 25%	-	Crack Sealing	Extend Service Life	3 to 5	
		3220 CS3 + CS4 > 0%	-	Deck Sealing	Service life extended	3 to 5	
		-	1080 < 5%	Full Depth Deck Patching	Service life maintained	As needed	
		3210 CS3 + CS4 < 5%	1080 < 5%	Wearing Surface Patching	Service life maintained	As needed	
		>20% (3220 OR 8911 CS3 + CS4) OR >15% 3210 (applied to bare deck)	(1140 OR 1150) < 20% for timber deck	Polymer Modified Asphalt Overlay	Improve NBI (58) ≥ 7	10 to 15	
		>20% (3210 OR 8911 CS3 + CS4) OR >50% 3220 (reapplication)	1080 < 5% for concrete deck				
		>20% (3220 OR 8911 CS3 + CS4) OR >15% 3210 (applied to bare deck)	(1140 OR 1150) < 20% for timber deck	HMA w/ membrane	Improve NBI (58) ≥ 7	5 to 15	
		>20% (3210 OR 8911 CS3 + CS4) OR >50% 3220 (reapplication)	1080 < 5% for concrete deck				
		Case 3	8513 CS3 + CS4 > 15% (reapplication)	1080 < 1%	Thin Polymer Overlay	Service life extended	7 to 15
		Case 4	>20% (3220 OR 8911 CS3 + CS4) OR >15% 3210 (applied to bare deck)	1080 < 5% OR 1130 CS3 + CS4 < 25%	Concrete Overlay	Improve NBI (58) ≥ 7	12 to 20
			>20% (3210 OR 8911 CS3 + CS4) OR >50% 3220 (reapplication)				

	<b>NBI Item 58</b>	<b>Top Deck Element Distress Area (%)</b>	<b>Bottom Deck Element Distress Area (%)</b>	<b>Preservation Activity</b>	<b>Benefit to Deck from Action</b>	<b>Application Frequency (in years)</b>	
<b>Concrete Deck/Slab</b>	5	5% < 3220 < 25%	-	Crack Sealing	Extend Service Life	3 to 5	
		3220 CS3 + CS4 > 0%	-	Deck Sealing	Service life extended	3 to 5	
		-	1080 < 5%	Full Depth Deck Patching	Service life maintained	As needed	
		3210 CS3 + CS4 < 5%	1080 < 5%	Wearing Surface Patching	Service life maintained	As needed	
		>20% (3220 OR 8911 CS3 + CS4) OR >15% 3210 (applied to bare deck) >20% (3210 OR 8911 CS3 + CS4) OR >50% 3220 (reapplication)	1080 < 5% OR 1130 CS3 + CS4 < 25%	Concrete Overlay	Improve NBI (58) ≥ 7	12 to 20	
	4	>20% (3220 OR 8911 CS3 + CS4) OR >15% 3210 (applied to bare deck) >20% (3210 OR 8911 CS3 + CS4) OR >50% 3220 (reapplication)	1080 < 5% OR 1130 CS3 + CS4 < 25%	Concrete Overlay	Improve NBI (58) ≥ 7	12 to 20	
		≤ 4	-	1080 > 15% OR 1130 CS3 + CS4 > 50%	Deck Replacement	Improve NBI (58) = 9	25 to 45

**Case 5** →

**Case 6** →



# Case 1: Polyester Polymer Concrete (PPC)

## B-40-365 IH 41 SB over CNW RR

- Bridge Manual guidance
  - Deck NBI rating  $\geq 7$ 
    - Delamination 1080  $< 1\%$  of the deck underside
  - Delamination 3210  $< 5\%$  of the wearing surface
  - If deck age  $> 20$  years old, test chloride concentration

**Note: PPC overlays are expensive and new to WisDOT. As a result, use of PPC overlays should be limited to preservation projects that meet the requirements outlined in [Figure 40.5-2](#) or as approved by the Bureau of Structures.**

# Case 1: Polyester Polymer Concrete (PPC)

## B-40-365 IH 41 SB over CNW RR

- B-40-365 condition

- ✓ ■ Deck NBI = 7
- ✓ • Delamination 1080 from visual = 0%
- ✓ ■ Delamination 3210 from IRT = 0%
- Deck age = 25 years old
- ✓ • Average chloride content = 0.47 lb/cy

# Overlay Approved

**Notes:**

1. Lower cost preservation treatments should always be considered prior to PPC. Refer to 40.5.1.3 for more information.
2. Decks older than 20 years may satisfy this requirement when exposure has been limited and assumes chloride content at rebar is less than 2 lbs/CY. (e.g., a 30 year old deck with a thin polymer overlay installed at year 10 and year 20).

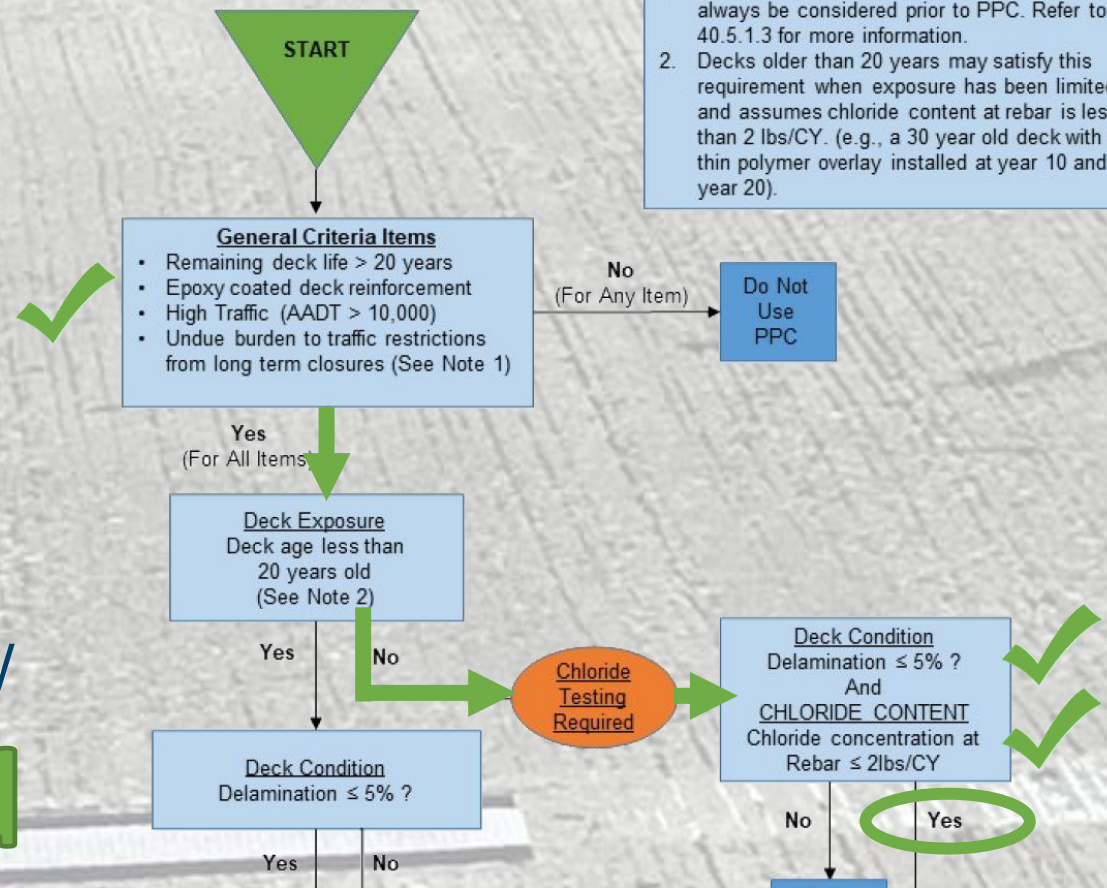


Figure 40.5-2

Polyester Polymer Concrete Overlay Usage Flowchart

# Case 2: Thin Polymer Overlay (TPO)

## B-18-161 USH 53 NB over Otter Creek

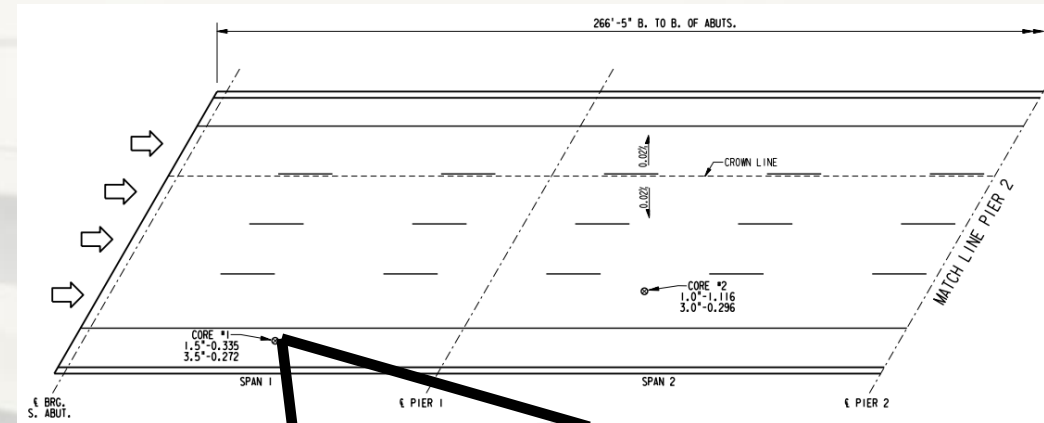
- Bridge Manual guidance
  - Deck NBI rating  $\geq 7$ 
    - Delamination 1080  $< 1\%$  of the deck underside
  - Delamination 3210  $< 2\%$  of the wearing surface
  - If deck age  $> 10$  years old, test chloride concentration

# Case 2: Thin Polymer Overlay (TPO)

## B-18-161 USH 53 NB over Otter Creek

- B-18-161 condition
  - ✓ ■ Deck NBI = 7
    - ✓ • Delamination 1080 from visual = 0%
  - ✓ ■ Delamination 3210 from IRT = 0%
  - Deck age = 16 years old
  - ✓ • Average chloride content = 0.45 lb/cy

**Overlay Approved**



# Case 3: Re-application of TPO

## B-49-82 STH 13/34 over Mill Creek

- Bridge Manual guidance
  - Deck NBI rating  $\geq 6$ 
    - Delamination 1080  $< 1\%$  of the deck underside
  - Delamination (concrete below TPO)  $< 2\%$  of the wearing surface
  - Debonding/spalling of existing TPO 8513  $> 15\%$  (projected)
  - Test chloride concentration  $< 2$  lb/cy at rebar level

# Case 3: Re-application of TPO

## B-49-82 STH 13/34 over Mill Creek

### Elements

Chk	Element	Defect	Description	UOM	Total	Quantity in Condition State			
						1	2	3	4
X	38		<b>Reinforced Concrete Slab</b> 1994. <b>STAINLESS DRIP EDGE INSTALLED 2020/21. GOOD CONDITION.</b>	SF	5,225	4,906	297	22	0
		1080	Delamination - Spall - Patched Area SM SPALL NW CORNER NEAR JOINT; 1 SF C2 SPAN2: 2 SPALLS 1X1 ON W FACE UNDER POST NEAR PIER 2; 1 SF C2, AND NEAR PIER 1; 1 SF C3. SPALL ON EAST FACE UNDER POST NEAR PIER 2; 1 SF C3.	SF	0	2	2	0	
	1130	Cracking (RC) SPAN1: LONGIT @CL W/LT EFFL; 40 SF C2. 2 DIA CRKS W/EFFL; 40 SF C2. LONGIT @W DRIP EDGE; 20 SF C2. LONGIT @E DRIP EDGE; 15 SF C2. SPAN2: LONGIT @CL W/LT EFFL; 55 SF C2. E BOTTOM EDGE MIDPT LONGIT W/TRANSV; 20 SF C3. W BOTTOM EDGE MIDPT; 25 SF C2. SPAN3: DIAG NE & NW; 40 SF C2. LONGIT @CL W/LT EFFL; 40 SF C2. LONGIT W/TRANSV CRK @EAST SIDE MIDSPAN; 20 SF C2.	SF	0	295	20	0		
	8513	Thin Polymer Overlay HISTORICAL ONLY: CONCRETE SCALLING AT SE CORNER, EAST OF DRIVING LANE COVERED WTH POLYMER. POLYMER OVERLAY, FLEXOLITH, 2013	SF	5,225	5,189	0	36	0	
	3210	Debonding/Spall/Patched Area/Pothole 10'X3' DELAM/SPALL IN NB LANE NEAR SOUTH END IN RT WHEEL PATH, 30SF C3. 1'x6' SPALL ALONG NORTH END IN SB LN. 6' C3	SF	0	0	36	0		



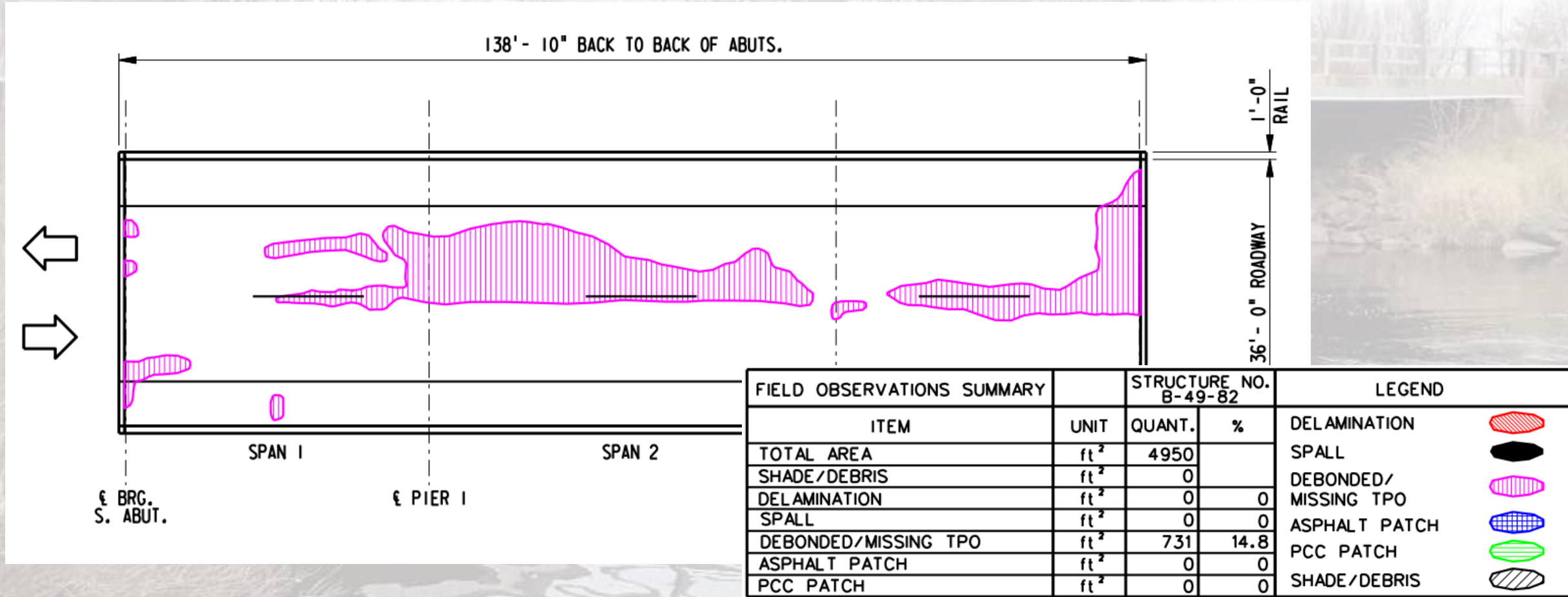
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### Linked Element(s):

Reinforced Concrete Slab -> Thin Polymer Overlay

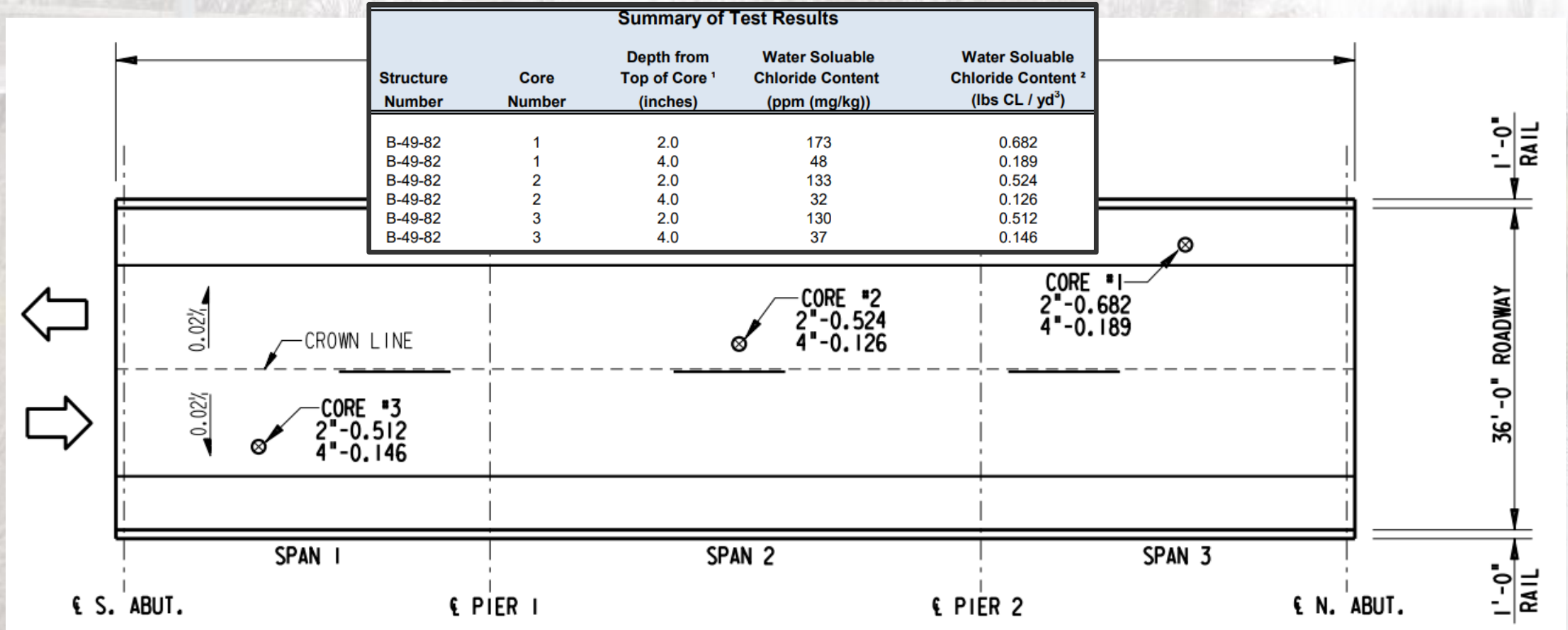
# Case 3: Re-application of TPO

## B-49-82 STH 13/34 over Mill Creek



# Case 3: Re-application of TPO

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# Case 3: Re-application of TPO

## B-49-82 STH 13/34 over Mill Creek

- B-49-82 condition

- ✓ ■ Deck NBI = 7

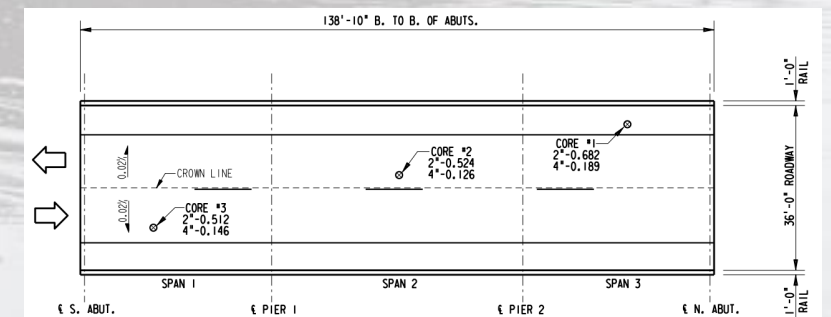
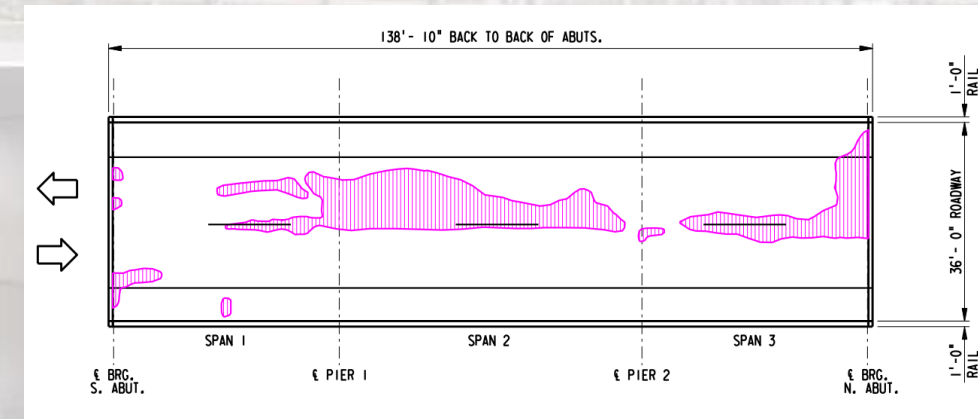
- ✓ • Delamination 1080 from visual < 0.1%

- ✓ ■ Delamination in concrete from IRT = 0%

- ✓ ■ Debonding/spalling of existing TPO from IRT = 14.8%

- ✓ ■ Average chloride content = 0.36 lb/cy

# Overlay Approved



# Case 4: Concrete Overlay

## B-11-8 STH 13 over Waubeek Road

- Bridge Manual guidance
  - Deck NBI rating  $\geq 6$ 
    - Delamination 1080 < 5% of the deck underside
  - Delamination 3210 > 15% of the bare wearing surface (ADE 8000)



# Case 4: Concrete Overlay

## B-11-8 STH 13 over Waubeek Road

- 2020 – Inspector only recorded 16 SF spalling
- 2021 – IRT recommends adding 111 SF CS2 delamination and concrete patching and 12 SF CS3 asphalt patching

**Inspection**

Edit History Interval Structure information Condition ratings Notes / requirements Documents / images Maintenance **Deck evaluation**

**IR**  
Measured by  
AECOM ✖

Notes  
A level 1 IR survey was collected at posted speed on 5/5/21.

Time of scan 05/05/2021 ✖ 11:50 a Level Values Only (1) ▾

Asphalt Patching (%)	Concrete Patching (%)	Debonding (%)	Delamination (%)	Spall (%)
0.3	0.3	?	2.6	0.0

Validation Methods  
None ✖

delete



# Case 4: Concrete Overlay

## B-11-8 STH 13

- Visual only inspection
  - No work action
- Visual with IRT results
  - 2035 concrete overlay



Structures Certification Tool (SCT) Build V4.5.1.1.2024.09.04

Resources | Today's Date: 2024-09-04 | FIIPS Query Tool

Search By ID: Structure ID (b110008), SCT ID, FIIPS ID

Mapping: Search SCT, Search FIIPS, Retain Markers, Google Map, Markers, Map My Projects, Map All Projects

Structure: B110008

Projects & Work Concepts | SCT History | Review/Propose History | Map | Data | Inspection Cover Photo

Status: No Eligible Work, Pending Review, Eligible, Unapproved, Precertified, Certified, FIIPS

Work Concept	Fiscal Year	Add to Project	Delete Proposed	Review
OVERLAY DECK - CONCRETE	2035	Add	N/A	Review/Edit Propose New

Eligible work pulled into project

SCT Projects

Work Concept	Project Fiscal Year	Project ID
OVERLAY DECK - CONCRETE / PAINT	2029	61400177

Project approved for program

FIIPS Projects

Work Concept	Project Fiscal Year	Project ID
OVERLAY DECK - CONCRETE / PAINT	2030	61400177

Area and Work Concept: Structure Type (Bridge, Culvert, Highway, etc.), Region/Owner (State, Local, Local Connecting), Other (Lloyd, Hill Point)

# Case 5: Re-application of Concrete Overlay

## B-65-18 STH 48 over Red Cedar Narrows

- Bridge Manual guidance
  - Deck NBI rating  $\geq 5$ 
    - Delamination 1080 < 5% of the deck underside
  - Delamination 3210 > 20% of the existing concrete overlay (ADE 8514)

# Case 5: Re-application of Concrete Overlay

## B-65-18 STH 48 over Red Cedar Narrows

- April 2021 – Inspector only recorded 154 SF delamination estimated by partial chaining

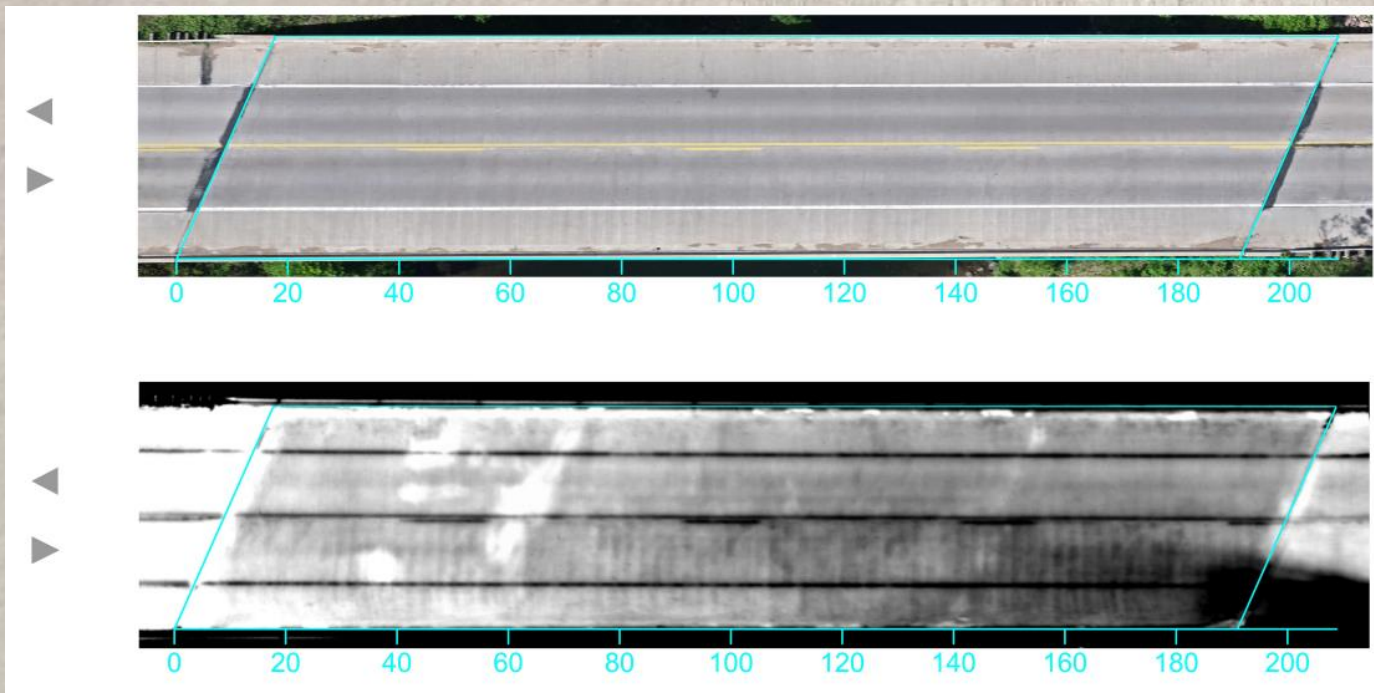
### Elements

Chk	Element	Defect	Description	UOM	Total	Quantity in Condition State			
						1	2	3	4
X	12		<b>Reinforced Concrete Deck</b>	SF	8,255	8,071	184	0	0
			concret overlay 2004						
		1130	Cracking (RC) 8/10/2015 See attached drawings. 2017 Hairline cracking est 25% of deck.	SF		0	184	0	0
	8514		Concrete Overlay	SF	8,255	<b>7,509</b>	711	<b>35</b>	0
			concrete overlay 2004						
		3210	Debonding/Spall/Patched Area/Pothole 8/10/2015 See attached drawings. 2019 Estimate 1% delaminations from chaining the shoulders.	SF		0	154	0	0
		3220	Crack (wearing surface) 8/10/2015 See attached drawings. <b>CS3 transverse south end.</b>	SF		1,034	537	<b>55</b>	0

# Case 5: Re-application of Concrete Overlay

## B-65-18 STH 48 over Red Cedar Narrows

- April 2021 – Inspector only recorded 154 SF delamination estimated by partial chaining
- June 2021 – Aerial IRT recommends adding 657 SF CS2 delamination



Quantity Summary	
Delamination Quantity (%)	11
Delamination Quantity (ft <sup>2</sup> )	811

# Case 5: Re-application of Concrete Overlay

## B-65-18 STH 48 over Red Cedar Narrows

- April 2021 – Inspector only recorded 154 SF delamination estimated by partial chaining
- 2022 – Vehicle IRT confirms and refines aerial IRT results, recommends adding 757 SF CS2 delamination

<b>STRUCTURE NO.:</b> B-65-18		<b>LEVEL 1 IR INSPECTION SHEET</b>				
<b>SURFACE TYPE - YEAR</b> Concrete Overlay - 2004		<b>ESTIMATED % TOTAL DISTRESS*:</b> 11.9%				
<b>DATE - TIME OF SURVEY</b> 7/29/2022 - 2:20 PM	<b>HSI TOTAL ROADWAY AREA</b> (sq. ft.) 7,668	<b>AREA IN SHADE/DEBRIS</b> (sq. ft.) 0		<b>HSI AREA INSPECTED</b> (sq. ft.) 7,668		
<b>WEATHER</b>						
Temperature: 80						
Condition: Partly Cloudy						
<b>TYPE OF DEFECT</b>						
	<b>Asphalt Patching</b>	<b>Concrete Patching</b>	<b>Debonding</b>	<b>Delamination</b>	<b>Spalling</b>	<b>Sounding Y/N</b>
SF	0	0	0	911	0	N
<b>% OF AREA INSPECTED</b>	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	11.9%	0.0%	
<b>COMMENTS:</b> Plow damage at joints						

# Case 5: Re-application of Concrete Overlay

## B-65-18 STH 48 over Red Cedar Narrows

- Immediate review and programming of work

Review/Propose Work Concept: B650018

Review / Propose

Proposed

Work Concept  
03: OVERLAY DECK - CONCRETE

Fiscal Year  
2029

Justification  
(10) Deck evaluation activity completed but not reflected in inspection

Notes  
A 2nd concrete overlay is proposed. The current concrete overlay has 10.6% debonding per 2021 IR results and 34% of element in CS2 or CS3 as of the last inspection. Programming has a project on this roadway in FY29, so this work will tie in with the other work being performed in the area. Current overlay will be 25 years old and in worse condition by FY29. The super/sub are both in good to fair condition, and the underside of the deck has less than 3% defects and no noted delaminations, spalls nor staining.

Status  
Approved

Submit

SAM

Decision

Yes  No

Submit

Transaction

Reviewed by Travis McDaniel on 2/13/2023  
Accepted by Philip Meinel on 2/14/2023

Notes  
Existing concrete overlay deteriorating as typical (with addition of delamination found by aerial IR). 2021 aerial IR imagery shows obvious delamination (no need of additional IR to verify). Estimated delamination in 2029 is 15-20% of total wearing surface area. This percentage is within acceptable range for re-applying a concrete overlay. Deck element condition and superstructure and substructure general condition ratings anticipated to meet condition criteria for a concrete overlay per Bridge Manual Ch42.

# Case 5: Re-application of Concrete Overlay

## B-65-18 STH 48 over Red Cedar Narrows

- 2021 – Inspector only recorded 154 SF delamination estimated by partial chaining
- 2022 – Vehicle IRT confirms and refines aerial IRT results, recommends adding 757 SF CS2 delamination
- 2023 – Inspector records additional CS2 delamination

8514	Concrete Overlay concrete overlay 2004	SF	7,668	4,354	3,012	302	0
3210	<b>Debonding/Spall/Patched Area/Pothole</b> <b>2022 Deck IR Recommends CS2= 912 SF for delaminations.</b> <b>Two 1x1 shallow spalls Span 1 south shoulder.</b> <b>2x2 delamination, EB Lanes Span 2 Midspan.</b>	SF		0	912	0	0
3220	<b>Crack (Wearing Surface)</b> <b>CS3 transverse cracks at both ends of bridge adjacent to joints - full width. CS3= 86 SF</b> <b>SW edge 2 narw diagonals. CS2= 20 SF; Same NE. CS2= 20 SF.</b> <b>Minor pattern cracking over P1 and P2, 10ft each side. 10% CS3. CS2= 1547 SF; CS3= 173</b> <b>Narrow transverse cracks (4 in span 1, 4 in span 2, 3 in span 3) full width. CS2= 473 SF</b> <b>Pattern cracking east end, south shoulder. CS2= 40 SF</b> <b>Wide transverse cracks WB lane, Span 2 at PPT Relief joint. CS3= 43 SF.</b>	SF		0	2,100	302	0

# Case 5: Re-application of Concrete Overlay

## B-65-18 STH 48

- Visual/partial chaining
  - No work action
- Visual with IRT results
  - 2030 concrete overlay



Structure: B650018

Projects & Work Concepts SCT History Review/Propose History Map Data Inspection Cover Photo

Status

No Eligible Work	Pending Review	Eligible	Unapproved	Precertified	Certified	FIIPS
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Work Concepts (\*\*Review/Propose History\*\*)

Work Concept	Fiscal Year	Add to Project	Delete Proposed	Review
OVERLAY DECK - CONCRETE	2030	Add	N/A	Review/Edit
OVERLAY DECK - CONCRETE	2029	Add	Delete	Review/Edit

Eligible work pulled into a project

SCT Projects

Work Concept	Project Fiscal Year	Project ID
OVERLAY DECK - CONCRETE	2030	6073

Project approved for program

FIIPS Projects

Work Concept	Project Fiscal Year	Project ID
OVERLAY DECK - CONCRETE	2032	85700072

# Case 6a: Replace Deck

## B-27-44 IH 94 WB over UP RR

- Bridge Manual guidance
  - Deck NBI rating  $\leq 4$
  - Delamination 1080 > 15% of the deck underside
    - What? How? NDE?
      - Mostly visual
        - Added agency defect 8904 Discoloration
      - Performing more sounding verification
      - Piloting underdeck IRT

# Case 6a: Replace Deck

## B-27-44 IH 94 WB over UP RR

- 2017 – Visual inspection
  - Deck rating = 4
  - 1080 delam/spalling = 27%
  - 3210 debond/delam = 0.3%

### NBI Ratings

	File	New
Deck	4	4
Superstructure	5	5
Substructure	7	6
Culvert	N	N
Channel	N	N
Waterway	N	N

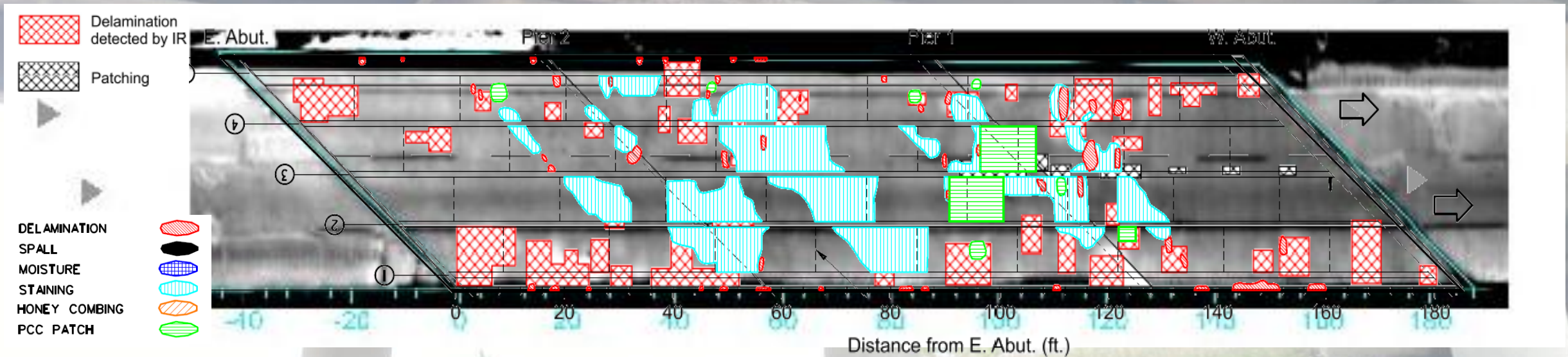
### Elements

Chk	Element	Defect	Description	UOM	Total	Quantity in Condition State			
						1	2	3	4
X	12		<b>Reinforced Concrete Deck</b>	SF	8,018	1,800	5,018	1,200	0
			Few transverse / longitudinal / map cracks throughout.						
		1080	Delamination - Spall - Patched Area Span 1: 3'x4' delam/spall in Bay 2 next to west abutment. Multiple areas of delam/deterioration above P1. Span 2: 2-2'x2' Full Depth patches in Bay 4. 3'x3' full depth patch in Bay 1. Span 3: 4'x4' Full Depth patch Bay 4. Heavy delam/cracking over piers and under sawcut deflection joints. Large areas of delam and spalling. Bottom of deck is wet and punky under sawcut joints.	SF		0	2,000	200	0
		1130	Cracking (RC) Few locations of heavy map cracking/discoloration. Heavier cracking over piers.	SF		0	3,018	1,000	0
	8514		Concrete Overlay	SF	8,018	3,493	4,000	525	0
		3210	Debonding/Spall/Patched Area/Pothole 2x3 spall along sawcut joint near pier 1. Multiple AC patched spalls at sawcuts.	SF		0	0	25	0
		3220	Crack (wearing surface) Transverse / longitudinal / map cracks throughout.	SF		0	4,000	300	0

# Case 6a: Replace Deck

## B-27-44 IH 94 WB over UP RR

- 2021 – Wearing surface IRT estimates 16% debonding/delamination of concrete overlay
- 2022 – Underside deck IRT estimates 3.8% delam/patch and 13.3% staining



# Case 6a: Replace Deck

## B-27-44 IH 94 WB over UP RR

- 2023 – Visual inspection
  - Deck rating = 4
  - 1080 delam/spalling = 18%
  - 3210 debond/delam = 27%

### NBI Ratings

	File	New
Deck	4	4
Superstructure	5	5
Substructure	7	6
Culvert	N	N
Channel	N	N
Waterway	N	N

Elements							Quantity in Condition State			
Chk	Element	Defect	Description	UOM	Total	1	2	3	4	
X	12		<b>Reinforced Concrete Deck - Black Steel Reinforcing</b>	SF	8,018	2,969	4,047	1,002	0	
			Slope paving and ground under Pier 1 is covered in concrete powder and chlorides that are washing through deck at spalling/delam areas. (See picture) Heavy leaching through deck.							
		1080	Delamination - Spall - Patched Area	SF		0	1,029	402	0	
			Span 1: <b>bays 3 and 4</b> areas of delamination and spalling. (100SF=CS2, 2SF=CS3) Span 2: 2-2'x2' Full Depth patches in Bay 4. 3'x3' full depth patch in Bay 1. (13SF=CS2) Span 3: 4'x4' Full Depth patch Bay 4. (16SF=CS2) Heavy delam/cracking over piers and under sawcut deflection joints. Large areas of delam and spalling. Bottom of deck is wet and punky under sawcut joints. (900SF=CS2, 400SF=CS3)							
		1130	Cracking (RC)	SF		0	3,018	600	0	
			Locations of heavy map cracking/discoloration. 15' each side of pier. (3018SF=CS2, 600SF=CS3)							
		8904	Discoloration	SF		0	0	200	200	
			Large areas of discoloration over both piers. Evidence of heavy leaching at both areas. See pictures Worst area is over pier 1, near centerline, below deck spall on surface.							
		8514	Concrete Overlay	SF	7,445	2,457	3,861	1,127	0	
		3210	Debonding/Spall/Patched Area/Pothole	SF		0	1,861	127	0	
			Multiple <b>asphalt</b> patched spalls at sawcuts and east deck ends. 1861SF=CS2 and 127SF=CS3 from 6/16/2022 IR deck evaluation							
		3220	Crack (Wearing Surface)	SF		0	2,000	1,000	0	
			Heavy Transverse / longitudinal / map cracks throughout. (200SF=CS2, 1000SF=CS3)							

# Case 6a: Replace Deck

## B-27-44 IH 94 WB over UP RR

- B-27-44 condition
  - ✓ ■ Deck NBI rating = 4
  - ✓ ■ Delamination 1080 = 18% of the deck underside

**Deck Replacement Approved**

# Case 6b: Replace Deck down-scoped to Concrete Overlay B-45-55 CTH D over IH 43

- Original scope of work proposed prior to 2018
  - Prevailing engineering judgement estimated 40-50 year service life for bridge decks
  - Deck would be 46 years old at time of project

# Case 6b: Replace Deck down-scoped to Concrete Overlay

## B-45-55 CTH D over IH 43

- Bridge Manual guidance for deck replacement
  - Deck NBI rating  $\leq 4$
  - Delamination 1080  $> 15\%$  of the deck underside

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## B-45-55 CTH D over IH 43

- 2018 – Visual inspection
  - Deck rating = 5
  - 1080 delam/spalling = 0.3%
  - 3210 debond/delam = 16%
    - 10-15% estimate from 2016 IRT

### NBI Ratings

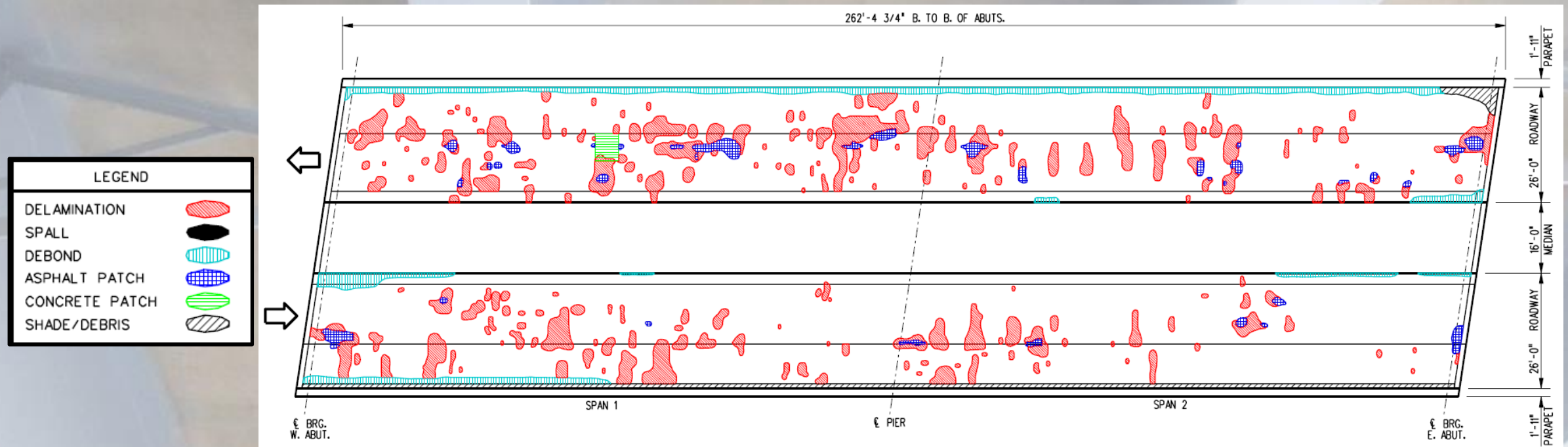
	File	New
Deck	5	5
Superstructure	6	6
Substructure	7	7
Culvert	N	N
Channel	N	N
Waterway	N	N

Elements							Quantity in Condition State			
Chk	Element	Defect	Description	UOM	Total	1	2	3	4	
X	12		<b>Reinforced Concrete Deck-Black Steel Reinforcing</b>	SF	18,754	17,746	959	49	0	
			Moisture on bottom of deck various locations. 2 spans numbered W to E.							
			Delamination - Spall - Patched Area	SF		0	5	49	0	
		1080	Span 1: : NW corner of bridge at joint with rust staining (3 SF CS3); SW corner of deck at joint with rust staining (2 SF CS3); CS3 delam btwn G2/G3 at pier. Span 2: CS2 delam btwn G6/G7 at diaphragm near pier and CS2 delam btwn G1/G2 near pier; CS3 Spall 4'x1' btwn G1/G2 over NB Lane 1, CS3 Delam 2'x2' over NB lane 1, CS3 delam btwn G7/G8 near pier; CS3 spall 1'x4' btwn G2/G3 over NB lane 1 with exposed rebar; CS3 spall 1'x3' btwn G3/G4 over NB lane 1 with exposed rebar; CS3 spall btwn G6/G7 over NB lane 1 with exposed rebar (1 SF). Typical scattered locations with CS2 (3SF) and CS3 (26SF) delams and spalls at edge of girder flanges in both spans.							
		1130	Cracking (RC) HL-narrow trans crks, some w/ effl, some areas with HL map cracking.	SF		534	954	0	0	
	8512		AC Overlay w/ Membrane	SF	13,583	9,828	1,119	2,636	0	
		8911	Abrasion, Wear, or Rutting (Wear. Surf.) Overlay surface shows some minor abrasion throughout. Loss of surface <1" deep over the diagonal paint marks in the shoulders, on the edge and yellow lane lines, and scattered locations throughout the bridge.	SF		0	90	0	0	
		3210	Debonding/Spall/Patched Area/Pothole 2016 IR 10-15% delam and <2% AC Patch noted on IR inspection "Numerous large delaminations observed throughout the deck." [15% x 13583 SF = 2037 SF CS3 delams]. Scattered bituminous patches, heavier on the WB side of the bridge 94 SF. Numerous small patches over a large area coded as 15 SF CS3. Large pothole 1 SF CS3.	SF		0	94	2,053	0	
		3220	Crack (Wearing Surface) Numerous narrow-med trans & longit. crks. Large map cracked areas in the wheel paths on the WB traffic lane of the bridge. CS2 cracking for an average length of 2' at the edge line toward the shoulder for the length of the bridge. Medium longitudinal cracking in the wheel paths of the WB traffic side.	SF		0	935	583	0	

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## B-45-55 CTH D over IH 43

- 2019 – Wearing surface IRT estimates 17.2% debond/delam/patch

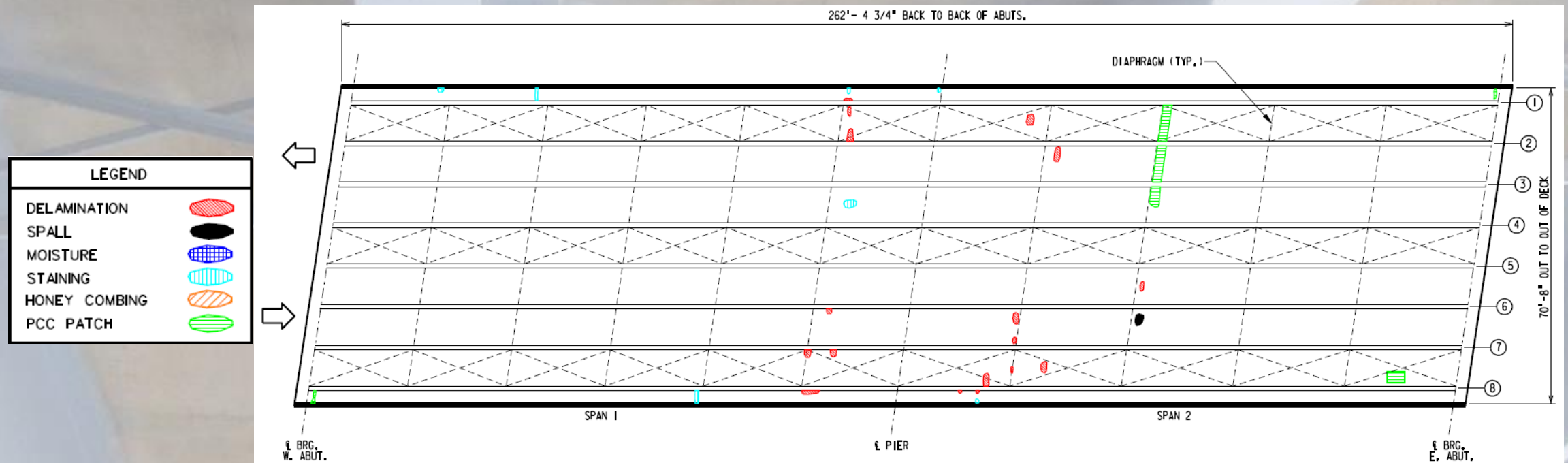


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# Case 6b: Replace Deck down-scoped to Concrete Overlay

## B-45-55 CTH D over IH 43

- 2022 – Underside IRT estimates 0.5% delam/spall/patch



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# Case 6b: Replace Deck down-scoped to Concrete Overlay

## B-45-55 CTH D over IH 43

- Bridge Manual guidance for deck replacement

✘ ▪ Deck NBI rating  $\leq 4$

✘ ▪ Delamination 1080  $> 15\%$  of the deck underside

- Bridge Manual guidance for concrete overlay

✓ ▪ Deck NBI rating  $\geq 5$

✓ • Delamination 1080  $< 5\%$  of the deck underside

✓ ▪ Delamination 3210  $> 20\%$  of the existing AC overlay (ADE 8512)

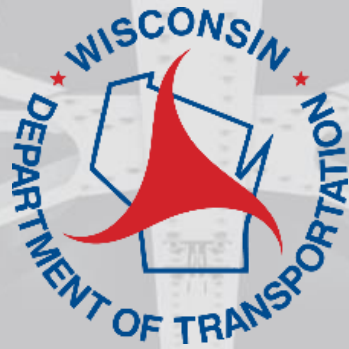
Concrete  
Overlay  
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# Programmatic Savings with NDE

## Transition scoping methodology from typical service life to projected component and element condition

- 2017 full program review provided a rare opportunity to compare different scoping methods
  - Estimated project savings of \$24M per year
    - Avoiding unnecessary overlays, deck replacements, and even full replacements with improved element condition estimates from NDE
  - Redirect funds to preservation activities
    - In 2019-2021, funds were redirected toward thin polymer overlay applications



# Thank you!

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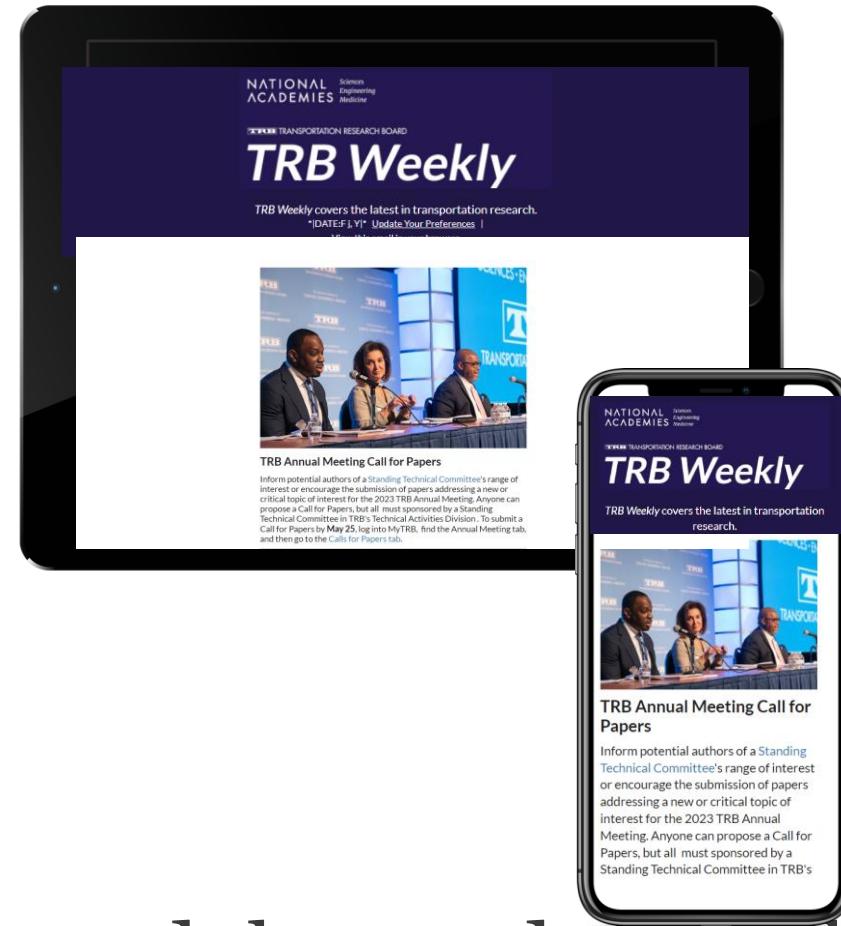


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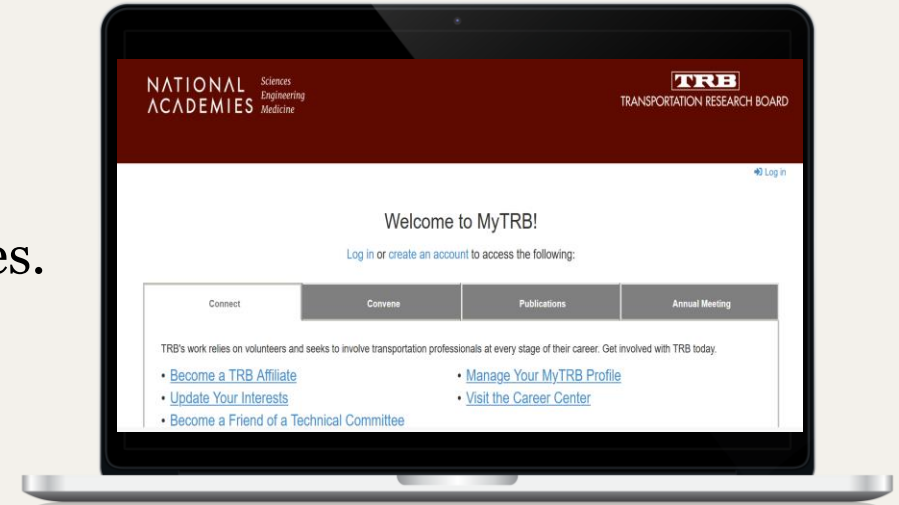


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