



ASPHALT BINDER

**Section 11 – Correlation of Testing
Technicians For Core Densities
WYDOT MTM 423.0**

Correlation of Testing Technicians for Core Density

The actual calculations of the correlation will not be on the exam but you would need to have an appreciation to the process. In addition, you would need to be able to answer general questions about the process.

Correlation of Testing Technicians for Core Densities

➤ General

- ▶ Compares the hot plant mix pavement densities determined by WYDOT field laboratory and Contractor's laboratory.
- ▶ The paired t-test is used
- ▶ If difference is significance, then the dispute resolution procedure will start

Correlations of Testing Technicians for Core Densities (continued)

➤ Procedure

▶ Obtain 14 cores

- ◆ Cores are collected in pairs
- ◆ Pairs are taken within 2 ft of each other
- ◆ Each pair is split up
- ◆ 7 cores for WYDOT and 7 cores for contractor

▶ Test samples

- ◆ WYDOT MTM 423.0
 - Report densities to the nearest 0.1 pcf

Procedure (continued)

- Determine densities to the nearest 0.1 pcf
- Perform the paired t-test
- Calculate the difference between densities
- Determine the S.D. of the differences
- Eliminate up to one outlier based on 2 S.D. (use calculated S.D.)

- S Range= 0.5 to 2.0 pcf

$$T = \frac{|\bar{z}|}{\sqrt{\frac{S^2}{n}}}$$

- If $T < 3.707$; No significant difference; for $n=7$
- If $T > 4.032$; Significant difference
- For $n=6$

Correlation of Core Densities

Project No(s): _____
 Tester A: _____ Organization A: _____
 Tester B: _____ Organization B: _____
 Resident Engineer: _____ Contractor: _____
 Testing Date: _____

Sample Pair ID	Densities, pcf		Differences, pcf =	Outlier?	Differences, pcf
	A	- B			
1	153.00	151.20	1.80	NO	
2	151.60	153.40	- 1.80	NO	
3	148.30	150.30	- 2.00	NO	
4	151.40	152.90	- 1.50	NO	
5	151.60	150.90	0.70	NO	
6	149.60	150.70	- 1.10	NO	
7	155.00	155.50	- 0.50	NO	

Average Difference: **- 0.629** pcf Avg Diff: _____ pcf
 Standard Deviation of Difference: **1.409** pcf SD of Diff: _____ pcf
 Maximum Standard Deviation: **2.00** pcf Max. SD: _____ pcf
 Minimum Standard of Deviation: **0.50** pcf Min. SD: _____ pcf

Avg. Diff + 2*SD: **-0.629 + 2*1.409 = 2.190** t_{crit} : **3.707** t_{crit} : _____
 Avg. Diff. - 2*SD: **-0.629 - 2*1.409 = -3.447** t : **1.18** **1.18 ≤ 3.707** t : _____

Any Diff. more (+) than + 2.190 ? Pass/Fail: **Pass** Pass / Fail: _____
 Any Diff. more (-) than - 3.447 ? Directional Bias: **No** Directional Bias: _____

Comments:
$$T = \frac{|\bar{Z}|}{\sqrt{s^2/7}} = \frac{0.629}{\sqrt{1.409^2/7}} = 1.18$$

CORRELATION OF CORE DENSITIES

Tester A: _____

Organization of A: _____

Project No(s): _____

Tester B: _____

Organization of B: _____

QC Supervisor: _____

Testing Date: _____

Contractor: _____

Resident Engineer: _____

Sample Pair ID	Densities, pcf		Differences pcf	Outlier?	Differences (outlier Removed)
	A	B			
A	144.2	143.9			
B	143.8	144.3			
C	142.3	142.7			
D	143.7	143.5			
E	144.2	144.5			
F	143.9	143.6			
G	145.1	144.8			

Average Difference: _____ pcf

Avg. Dif. _____ pcf

Standard Deviation of Differences: _____ pcf

SD of Dif. _____ pcf

Maximum Standard Deviation: _____ pcf

Max. SD _____ pcf

Minimum Standard Deviation: _____ pcf

Min. SD _____ pcf

Avg Dif. + 2(SD) _____

t_{crit} : _____

t_{crit} : _____

Avg Dif. - 2(SD) _____

t: _____

t: _____

Pass / Fail: _____

Pass / Fail: _____

Cost Analysis

➤ Three Questions

- ▶ **Mix cost per ton - \$/ton**
- ▶ **Mix cost per cubic yard - \$/yd³**
- ▶ **Mix cost per square yard - \$/yd²**

Cost Analysis Example

Material	% of Total Mix	Cost(\$)/Ton	Solution to <u>Mix</u> Cost per Ton (\$/ton)
Aggregate #1	25	4.00	25% x 4.00 or 0.25 x 4.00 = 1.00
Aggregate #2	35	6.00	35% x 6.00 or 0.35 x 6.00 = 2.10
Aggregate #3	35	2.00	35% x 2.00 or 0.35 x 2.00 = 0.70
Asphalt	5	150.00	5% x 150 or 0.05 x 150 = <u>7.50</u>

\$11.30/ton

Density = 156 lb/ft³ Thickness 4 in.

$$\frac{\$}{yd^3} = \frac{\$11.30}{ton} \times \frac{156 lb}{ft^3} \times \frac{1 ton}{2000 lb} \times \frac{27 ft^3}{yd^3} = \$23.80/yd^3$$

$$\frac{\$}{yd^2} = \frac{\$23.80}{yd^3} \times 4 in \times \frac{1 yd}{36 in} = \$2.64/yd^2$$

Homework

Work the following problems tonight:

15-4 Cost Analysis

15-5 Cost Analysis

Change all pcf to

*S Range 8 to 32 kg, **kg/m³** tric problem*

Section 16 - Problems from material covered earlier today including tank problem and 16-5