



HMAC Layer Adhesion Through Tack Coat

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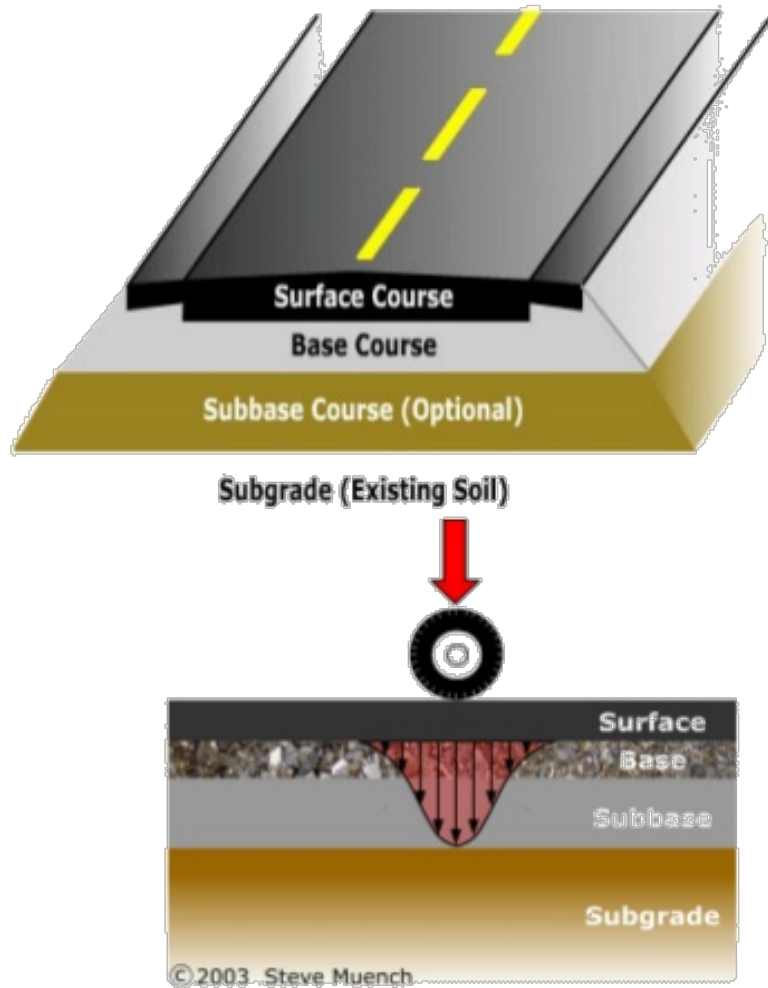
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PAVEMENT TYPES AND STRESSES



ASPHALT = FLEXIBLE

PAVEMENT DISTRESSES



TACK COAT TRACKING



CONSTRUCTION

1. Asphalt milling



2. Sweeping



CONSTRUCTION

3. Tack coat application (distributor truck)



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4. Paving train



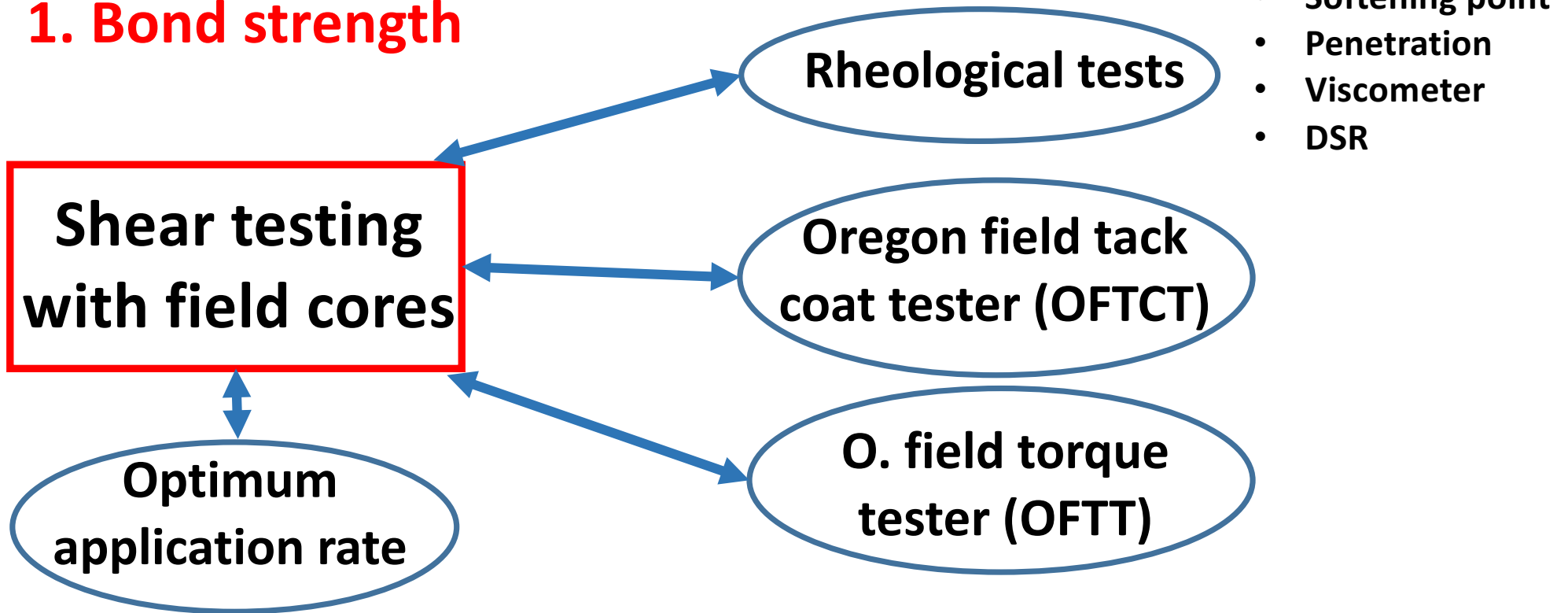
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5. Apply overlay and compaction



Research Method

1. Bond strength



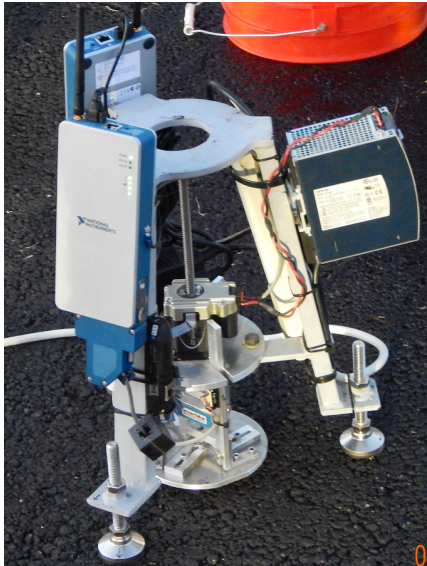
2. Importance of structural properties

- 3D finite element modeling
- Thickness, climate, material effects

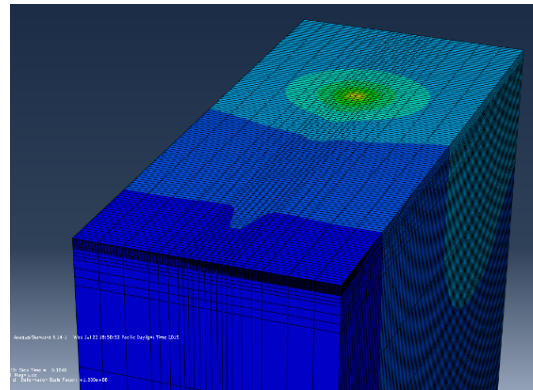
3. Tracking

- Weight measurements and app
- Wheel tracking device

DEVELOPED TECHNOLOGIES



Wireless OFTCT



Model to evaluate bond strength



IOS and Android apps for curing time notification



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Wheel tracking device

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LITERATURE REVIEW

TACK COAT MATERIALS

- **Types**
 - Emulsions: SS-1, CSS-1H, RS-2
 - Binders: PG 58-28, 64-22, etc.
- **Application rates**
 - Surface type, condition
 - Application vs. residual
 - Varied ranges
- **Application methods**
 - Distributor truck
 - Spray bar height, pressure
 - Nozzle angle, selection
- **Curing time**
 - No consensus
 - Increased strength with time

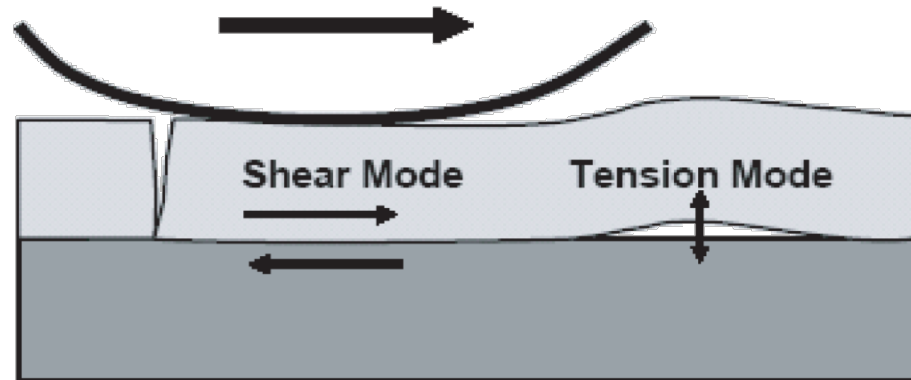


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LITERATURE REVIEW

IMPORTANCE OF BONDING

- **Roffe and Chaignon (2002)**
 - Lack of bond reduced service life from 20 to 7 years
- **King and May (2003)**
 - 50% loss in fatigue life when bond is reduced by 10%
- **Kruntcheva et al. (2005)**
 - Reduction of 80% in life for debonded interface between base and road base



Critical stress types at the interface (Raab and Partl 2004).

How to improve tack coat performance?

Research Objectives

- Applying the optimum rate
- Develop a QC/QA device – Oregon field tack coat tester
- Reduce tracking
 - Not allowing construction traffic before the set (How long do we need to wait?)
 - Using tack coats that track less
- Non-uniform and inaccurate spraying
- Using better tack coats (New emulsions, CO1 and CO2)
- Checking the bond strength for QC/QA
 - Coring and shear testing in the lab
 - Can we come up with a less destructive and an easier method?

HOW IMPORTANT IS THE BOND STRENGTH?

**CAN WE EXTEND PAVEMENT STRUCTURAL LIFE BY
USING BETTER TACK COATS?**

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EVALUATION OF TACK COAT RHEOLOGICAL PROPERTIES AND THE EFFECTS ON INTERLAYER SHEAR STRENGTH

OBJECTIVES

Bond strength
(pavement longevity)

**Interlayer Shear
Strength**
(field cores)

Rheological
(lab tests)

Surface Texture
(Field Tests)

Traffic/Time
(Field Tests)

**Most effective
application rate**

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EXPERIMENTAL DESIGN



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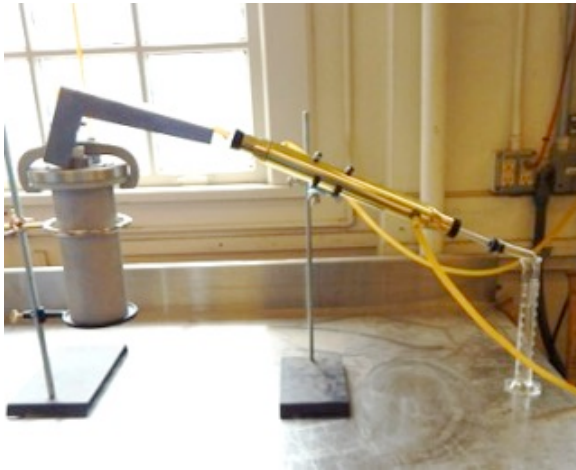
FIELD AND LAB EXPERIMENTS



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FIELD AND LAB EXPERIMENTS



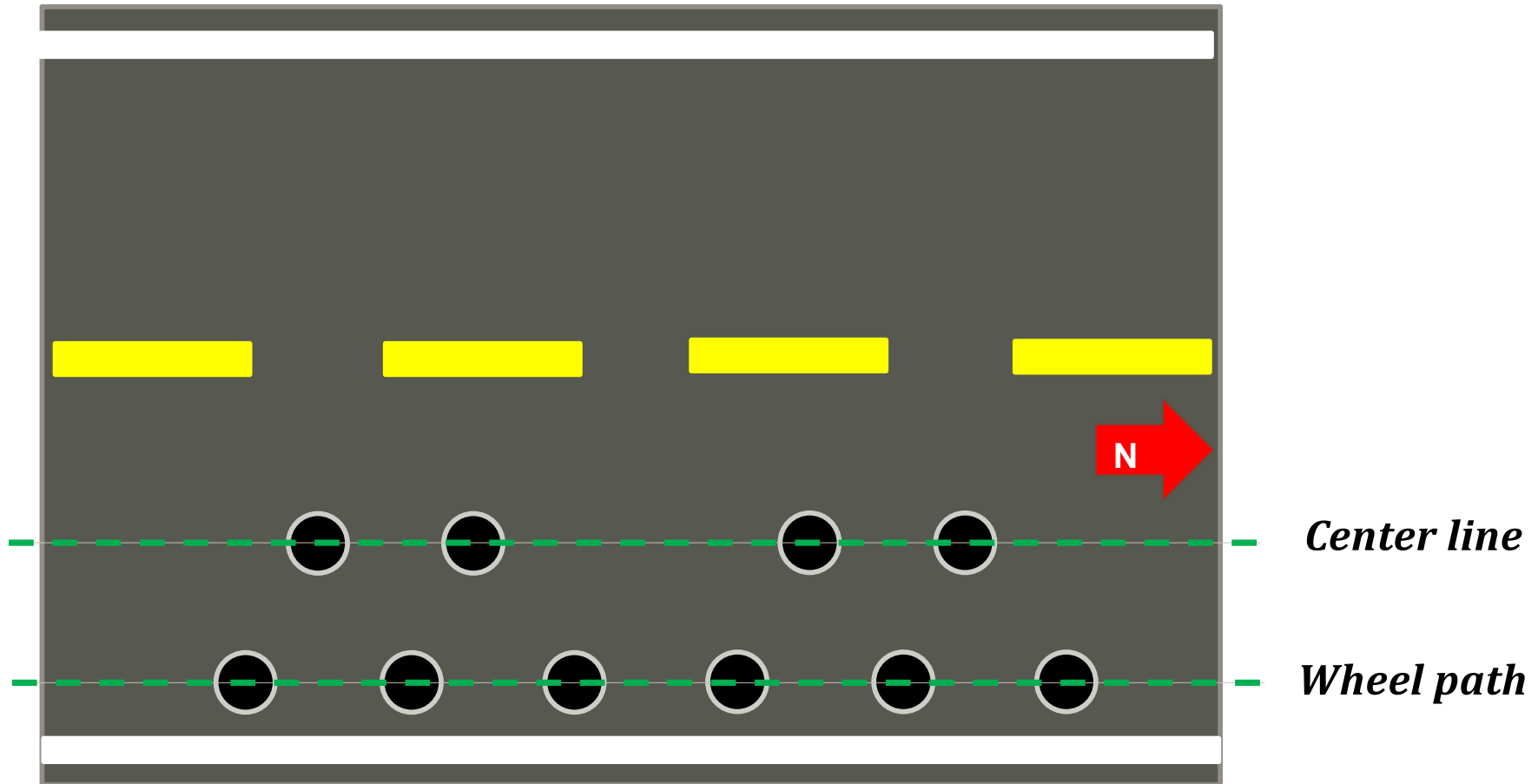
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Viscosity: measures
DSR: measures relaxation
workability,
and stiffness together
mixability

Penetration: characterize
semi-solid asphalts, “soft”
or “hard”

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PROCEDURE FOR DETERMINING ISS



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EFFECTS OF SURFACE TEXTURE ON ISS

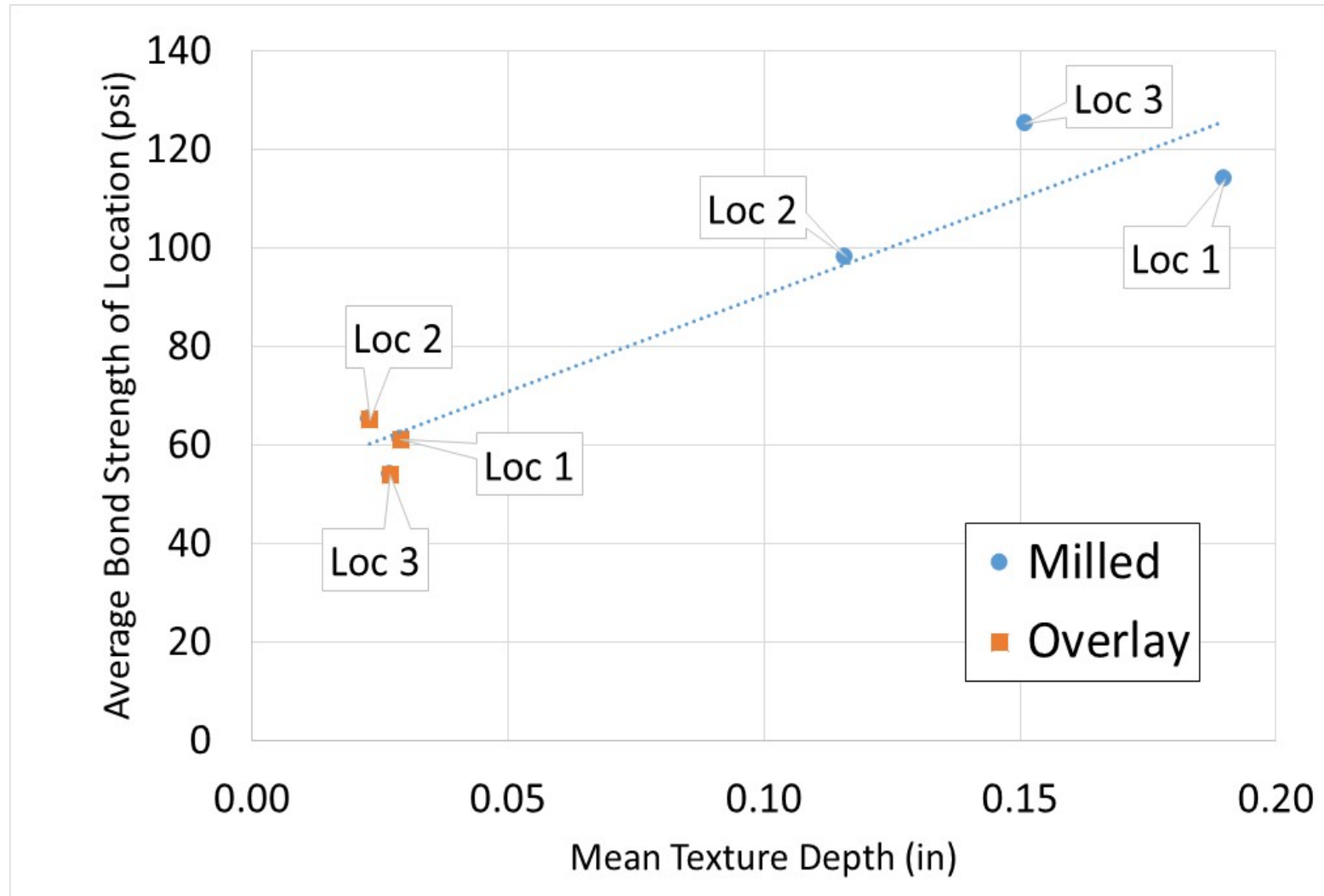


MILLED SURFACE

OVERLAY SURFACE

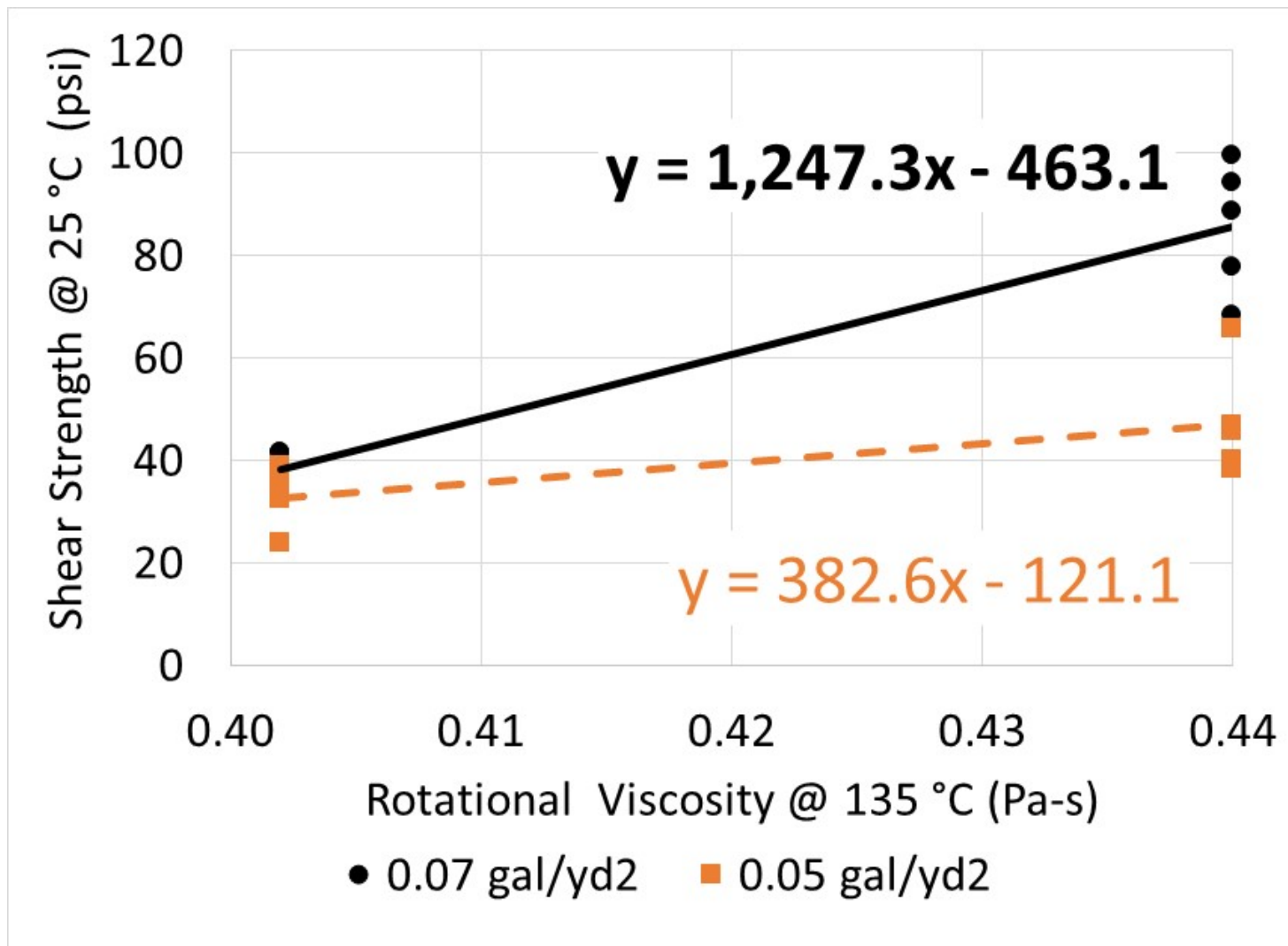
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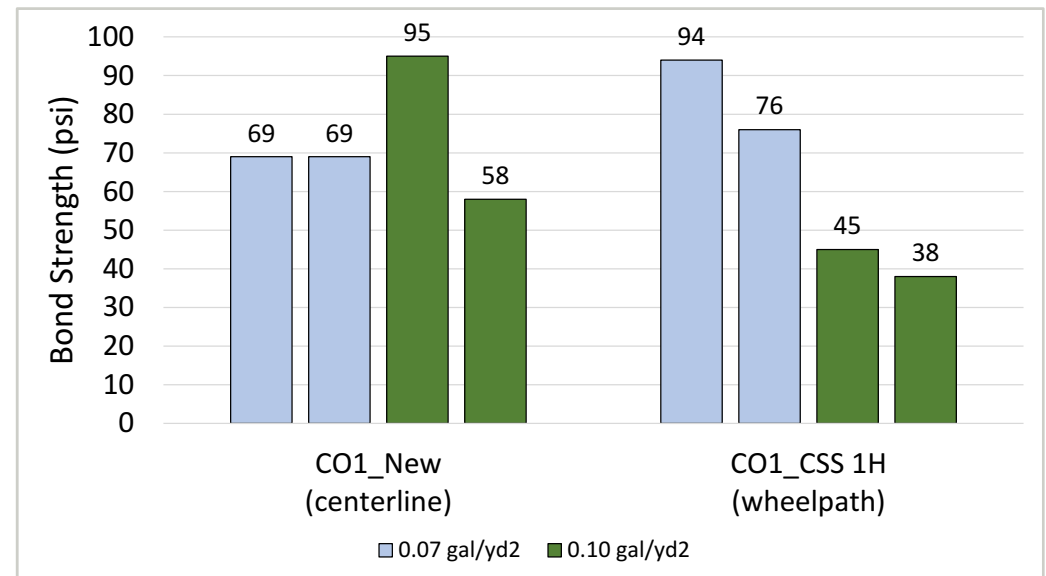
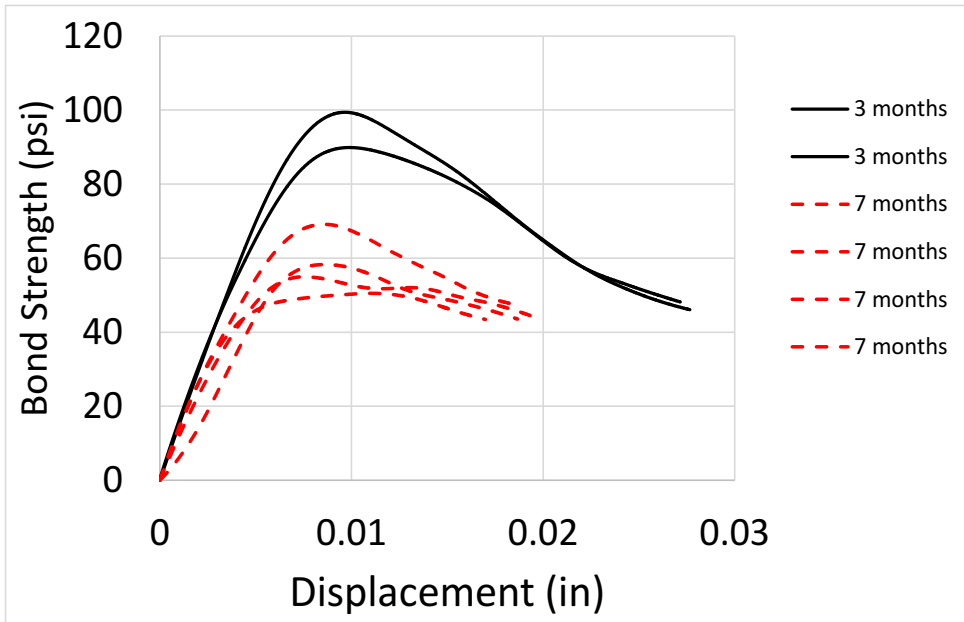
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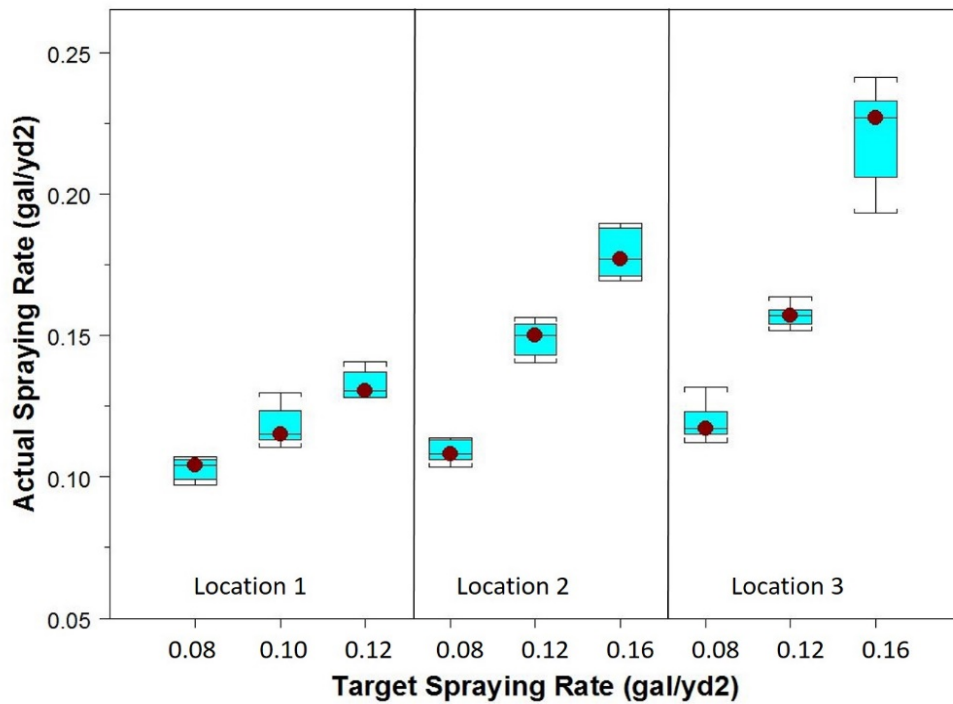
EFFECTS OF TRAFFIC ON ISS



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ISSUES WITH APPLICATION RATES

Milled Surface



Contractor's truck used

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UNIFORMITY ISSUE WITH THE OLD TRUCK



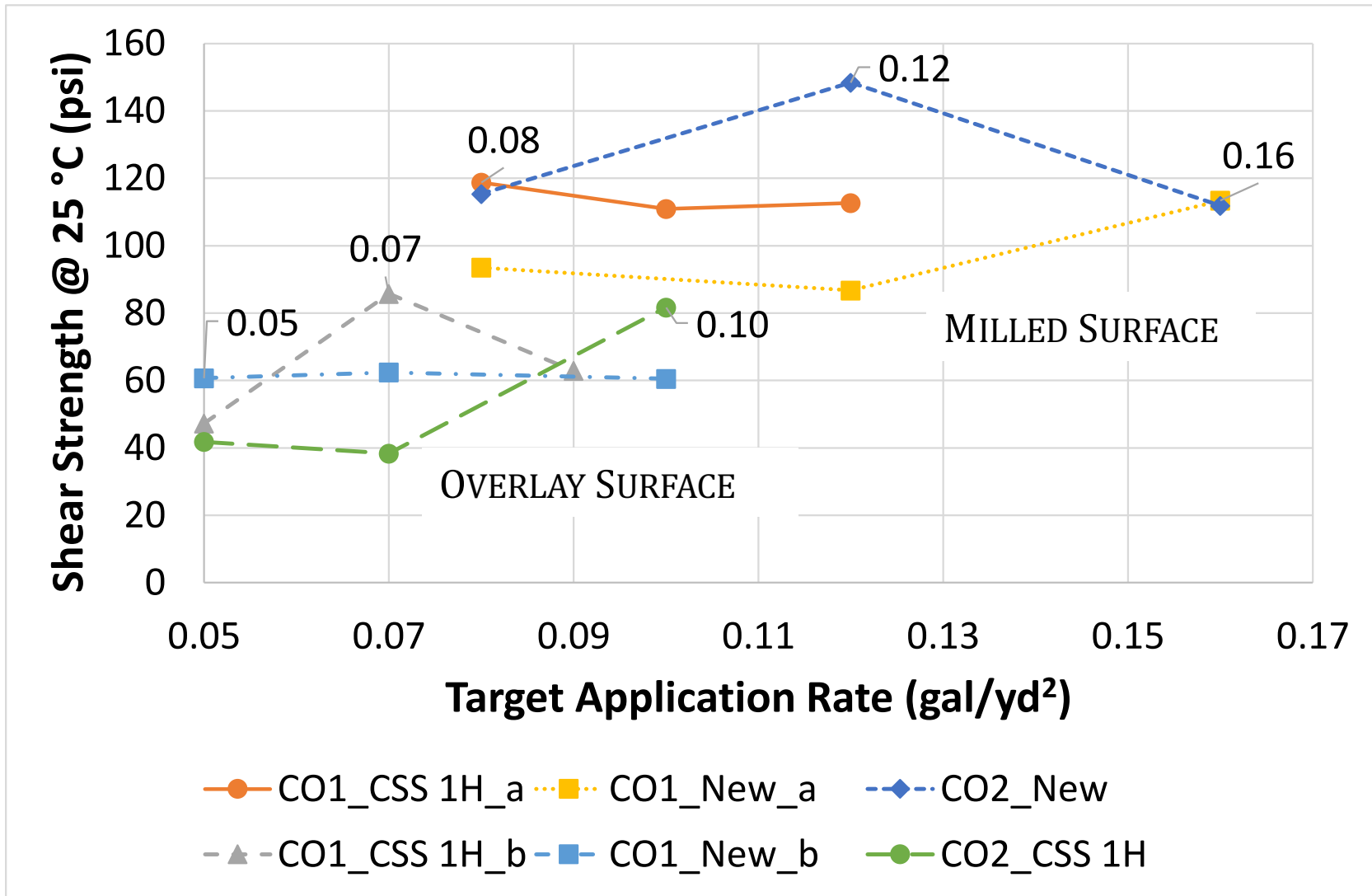
Old truck – Loc 3-Sec 3



New truck

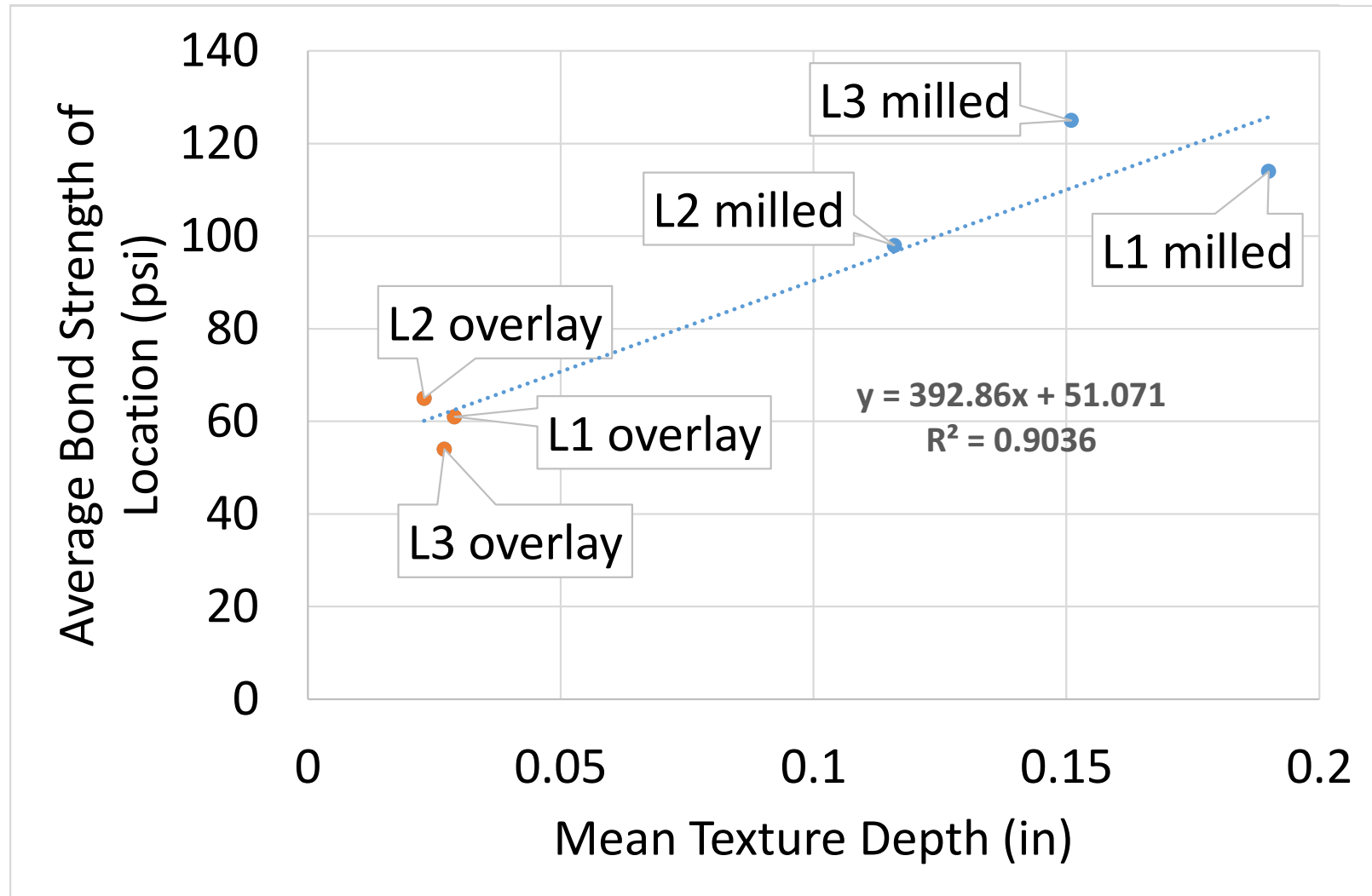
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MOST EFFECTIVE APPLICATION RATE TO MAXIMIZE ISS



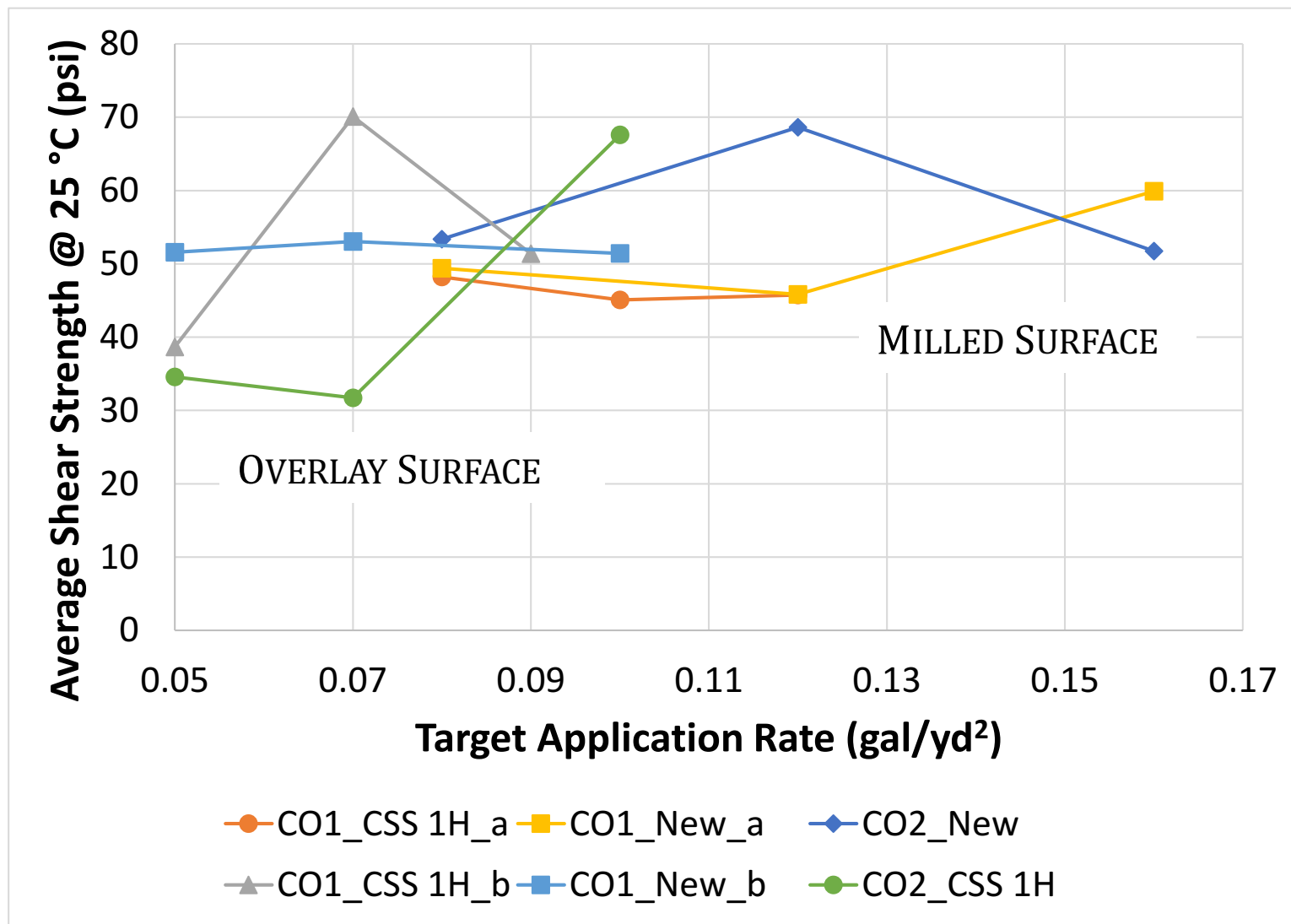
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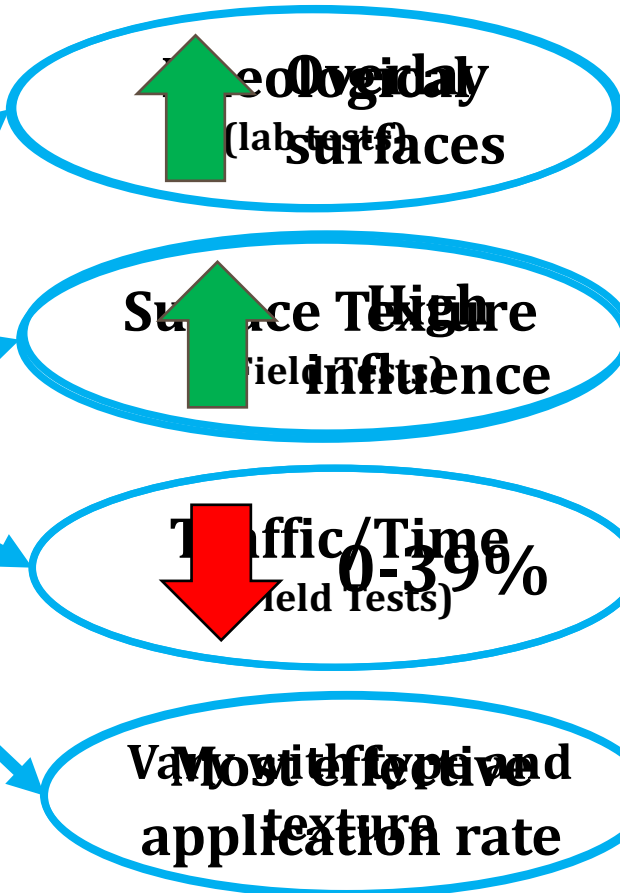
Tack Coat Material	Surface Type	¹Effective Rate (gal/yd²)
CO1_CSS 1H_a	Milled	0.08
CO1_New_a	Milled	0.16
CO2_New	Milled	0.12
CO1_CSS 1H_b	Overlay	0.07
CO1_New_b	Overlay	0.05
CO2_CSS 1H	Overlay	0.10

Note: ¹ All suggested, “effective rates” are application rates and not residual rates.

SUMMARY & CONCLUSIONS

1. Bond strength (pavement longevity)

**Interlayer Shear Strength
(field cores)**



Prediction Equation

$$y = mx + b$$



- ISS
- QC/QA

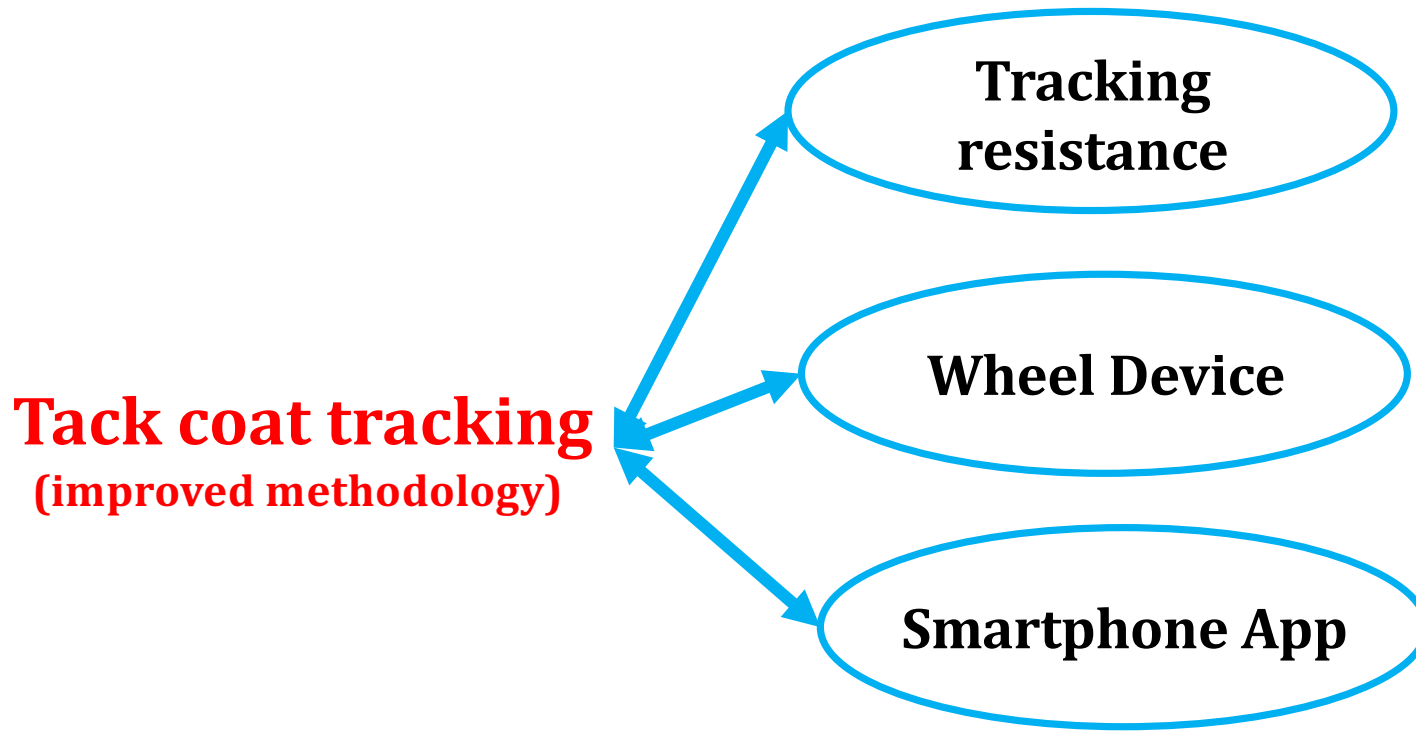
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DEVELOPMENT OF A SMARTPHONE APP AND DEVICE TO REDUCE TACK COAT TRACKING

OBJECTIVES



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TACK COAT MATERIALS AND CURING TIME TEST PLAN

Parameter	Experimental Setting
Emulsion	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• CO1_CSS 1H• CO1_New• CO2_CSS1• CO2_New
Temperature (°F)	Low: 59 °F, High: 95 °F
Application Rate (gal/yd ²)	0.045 (L), 0.105 (M), 0.164 (H)
Texture	Open grade (OG), dense grade (DG), steel plate (SP)

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PROCEDURE FOR DETERMINING TACK COAT CURING TIME



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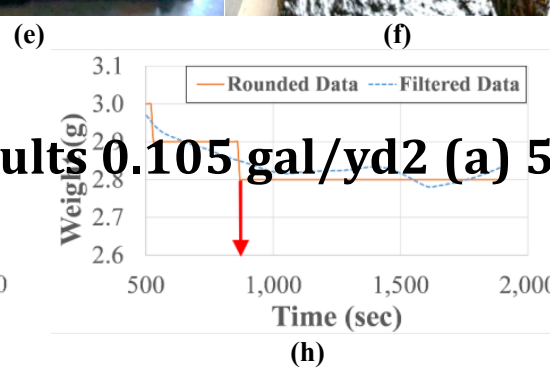
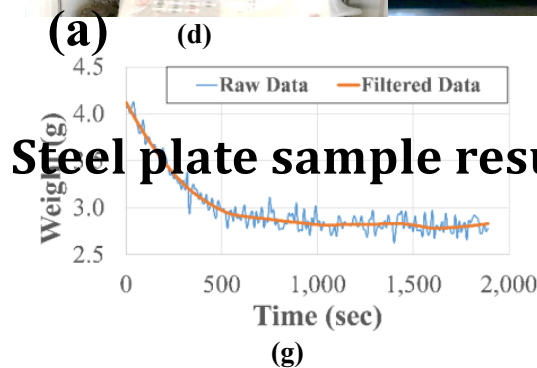
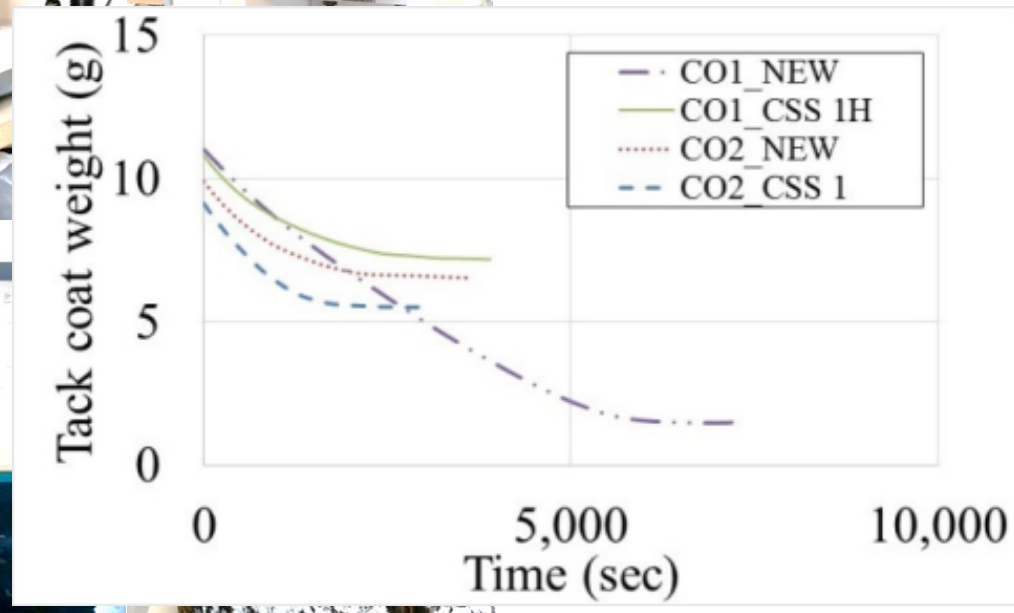
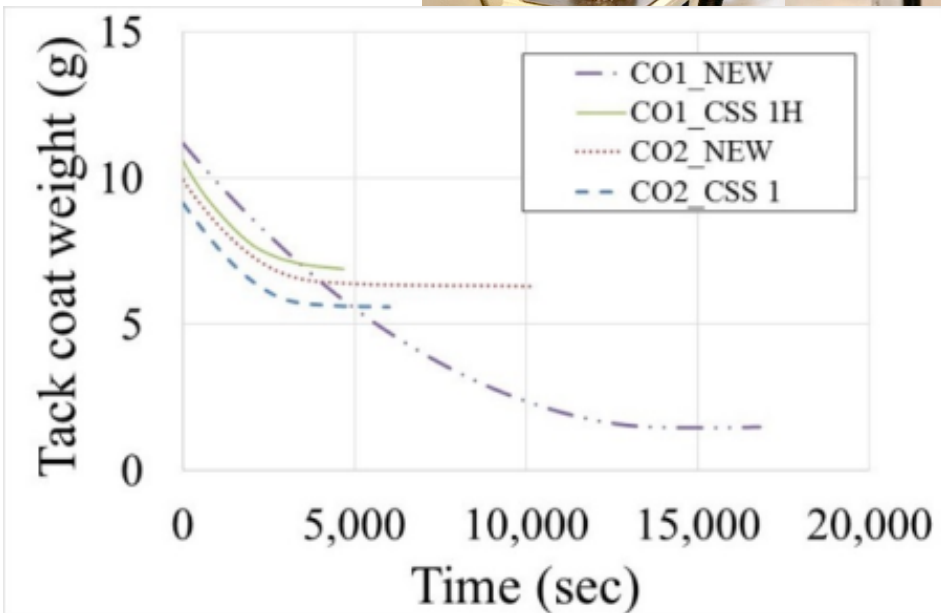
DEVELOPMENT OF SMARTPHONE APP

Set Time ~ Temperature + Emulsion + Rate + Wind speed



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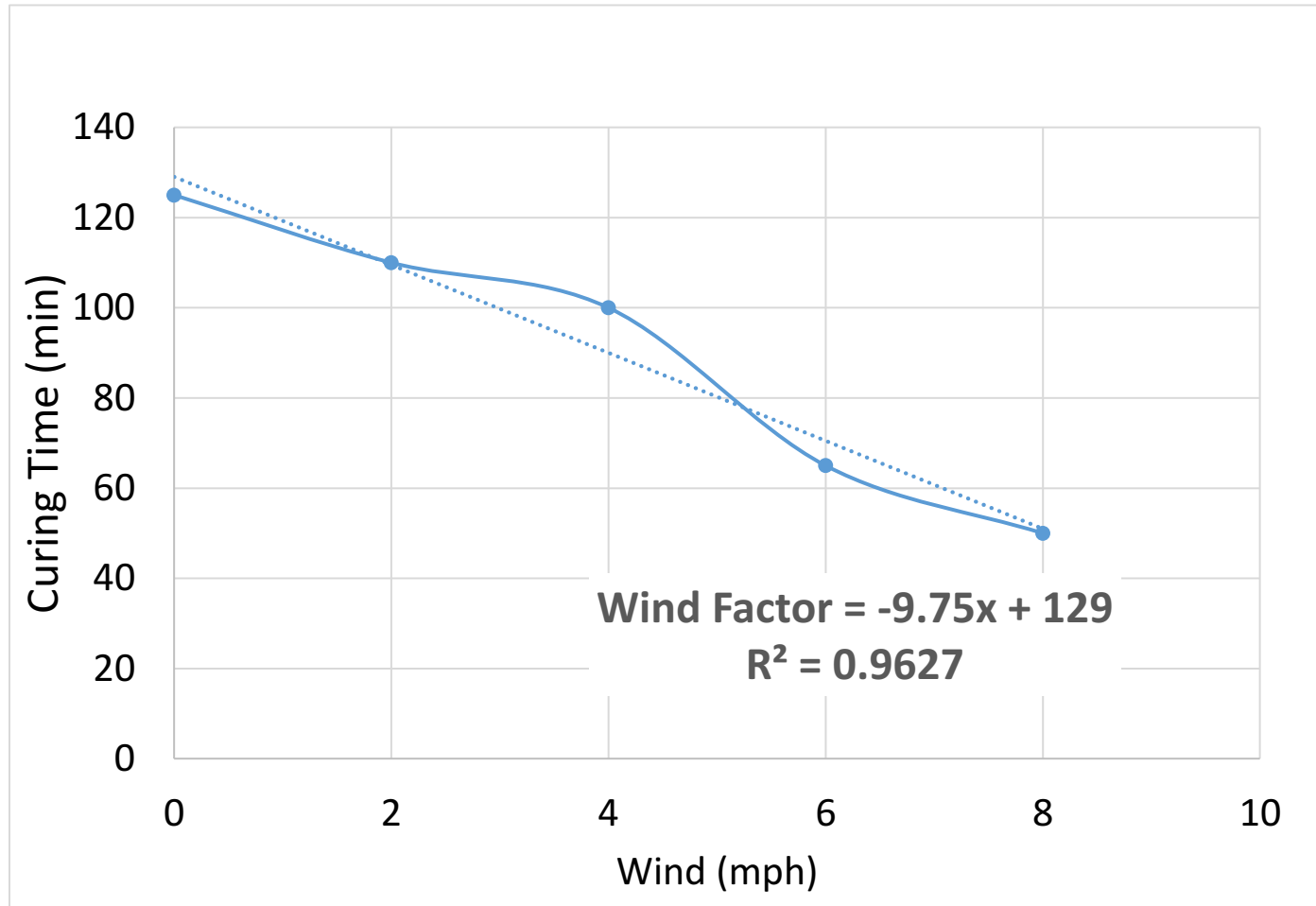
LABORATORY CURING TIME DETERMINATION



Steel plate sample results 0.105 gal/yd² (a) 59 F (b) 95 F

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ADJUSTMENTS TO REGRESSION MODEL



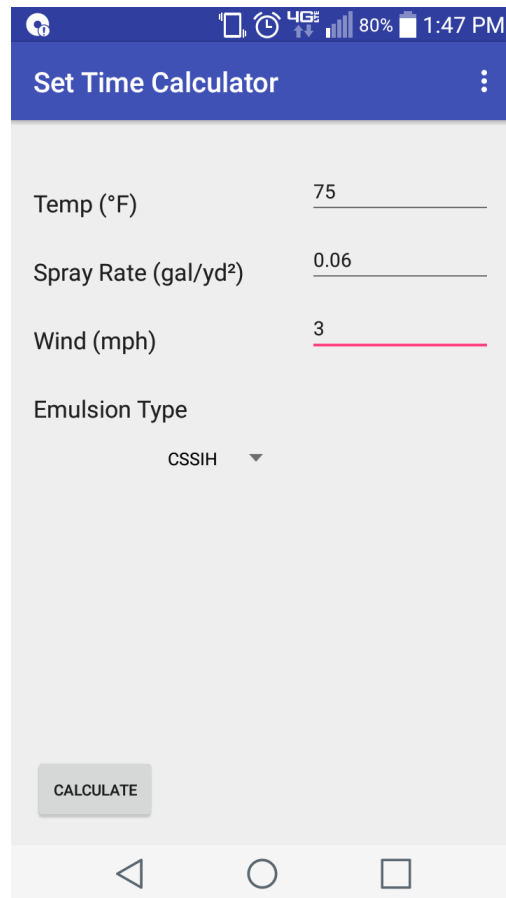
$$\text{Cure Time} = \text{SET} * \text{Wind Factor}$$

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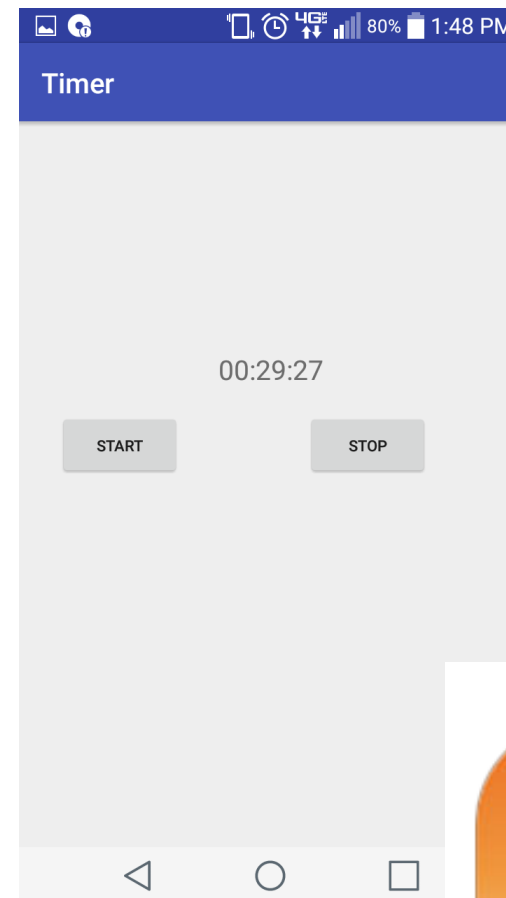
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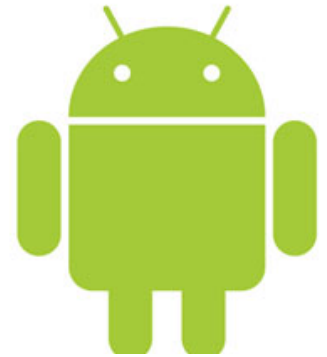
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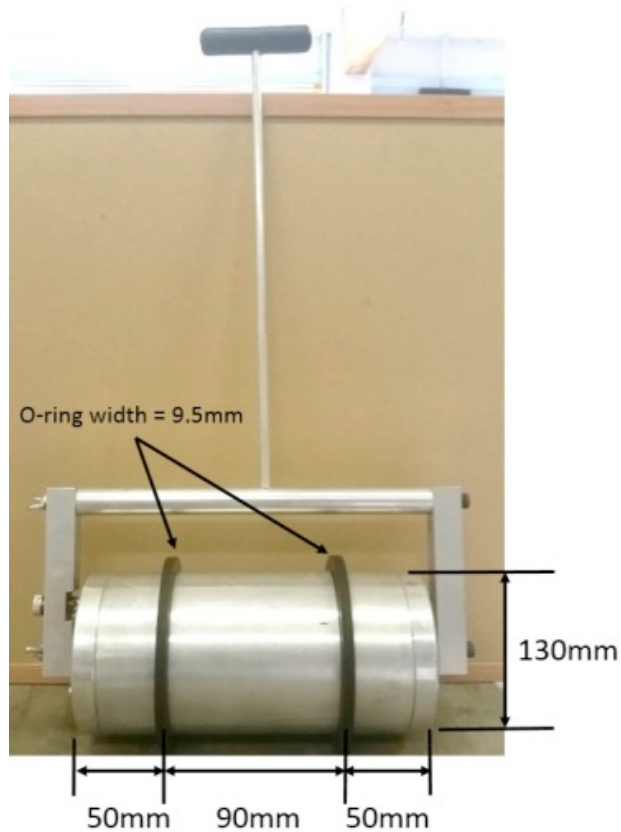
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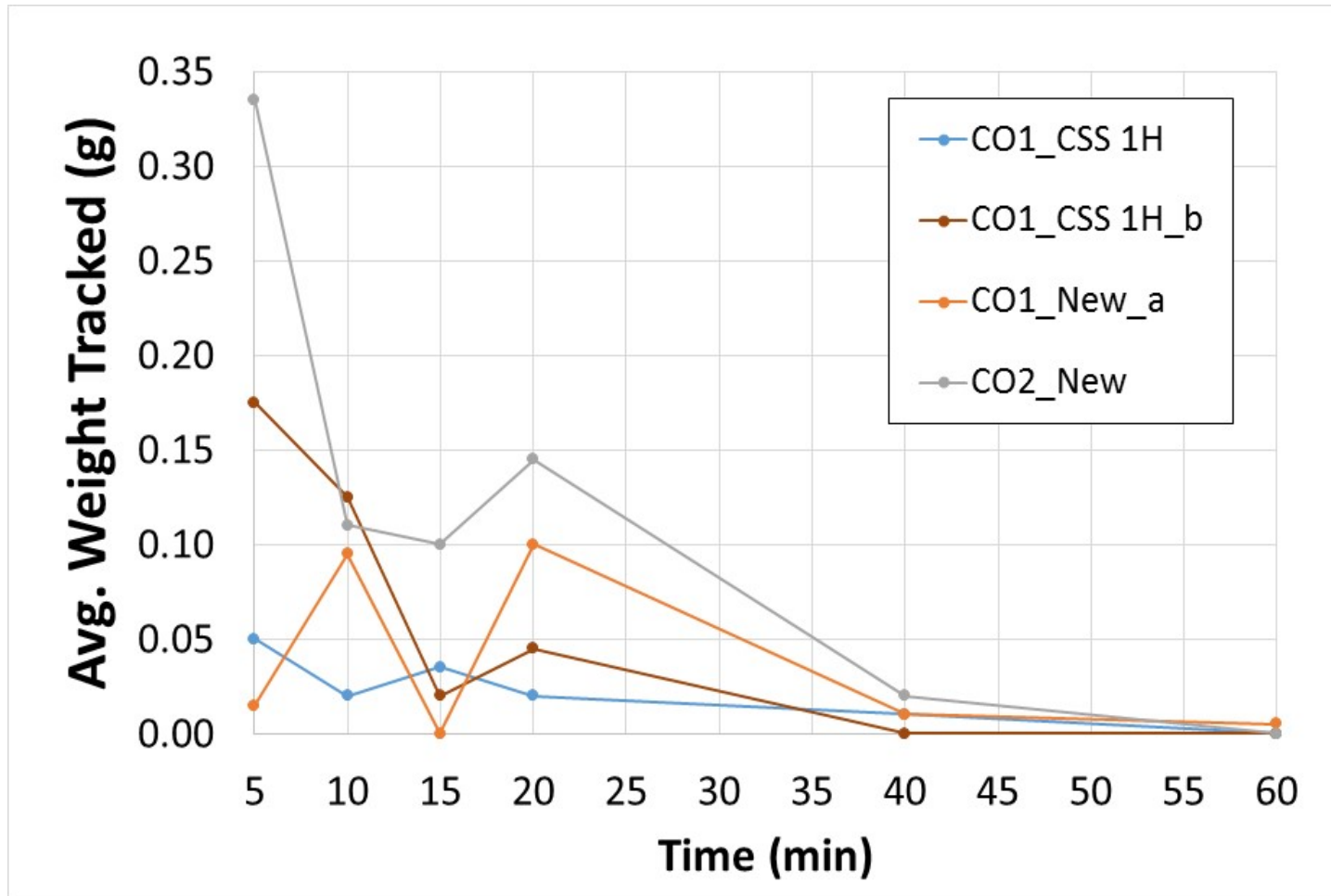
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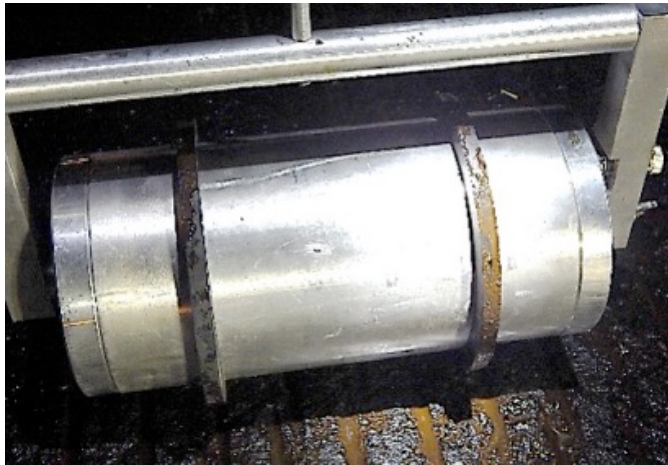
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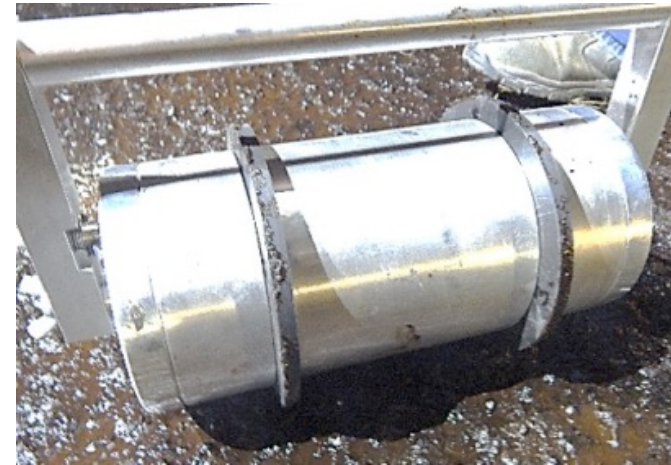


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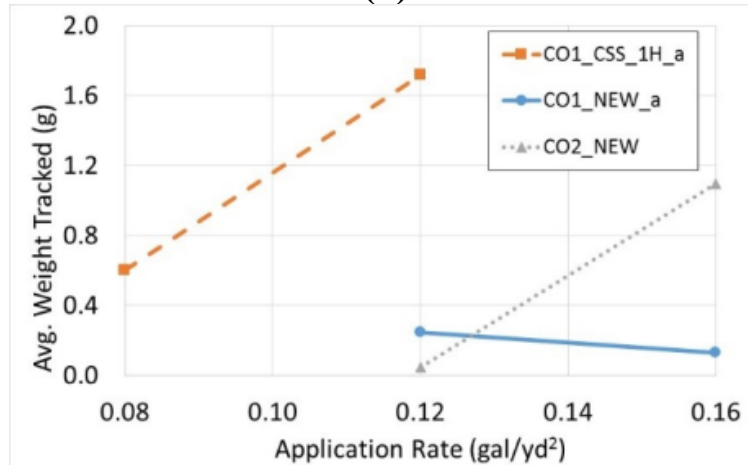
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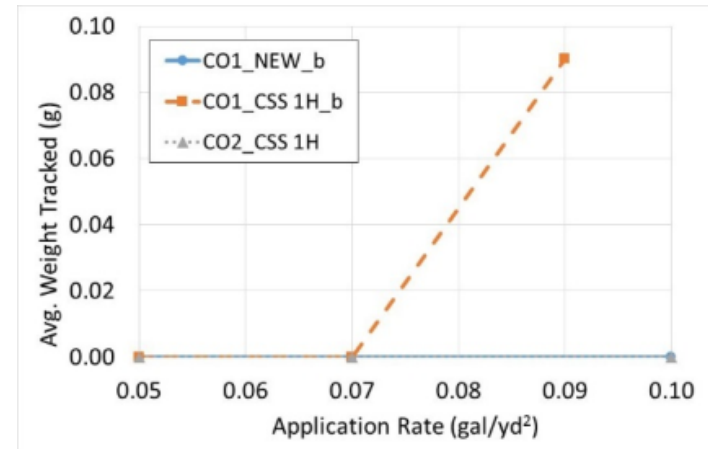
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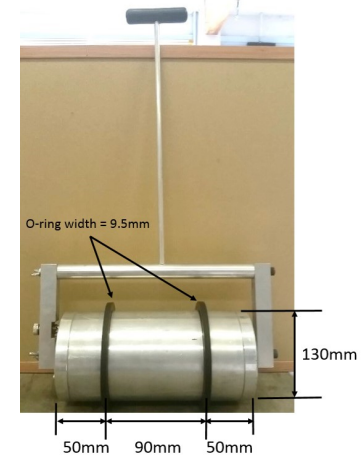
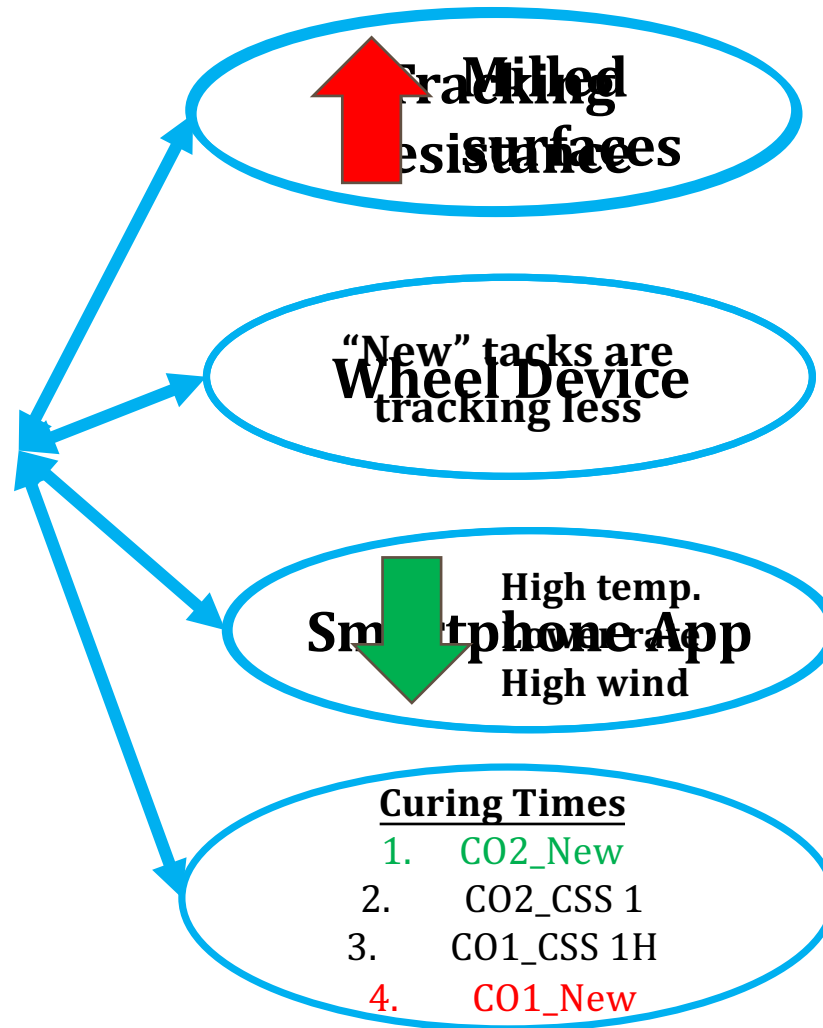
(c)



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SUMMARY & CONCLUSIONS

2. Tack coat tracking (improved methodology)



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DEVELOPMENT OF A FIELD TORQUE TEST TO EVALUATE IN-SITU TACK COAT PERFORMANCE

BACKGROUND: CURRENT TECHNOLOGIES



(a)



(b)



(c)



(d)

Torque bonding test: (a) Clamping the specimen, (b) setting the torque device, (c) applying torque to the specimen, and (d) tested specimen

(CORTINA, 2012)

BACKGROUND: CURRENT TECHNOLOGIES



(a) Torque grip



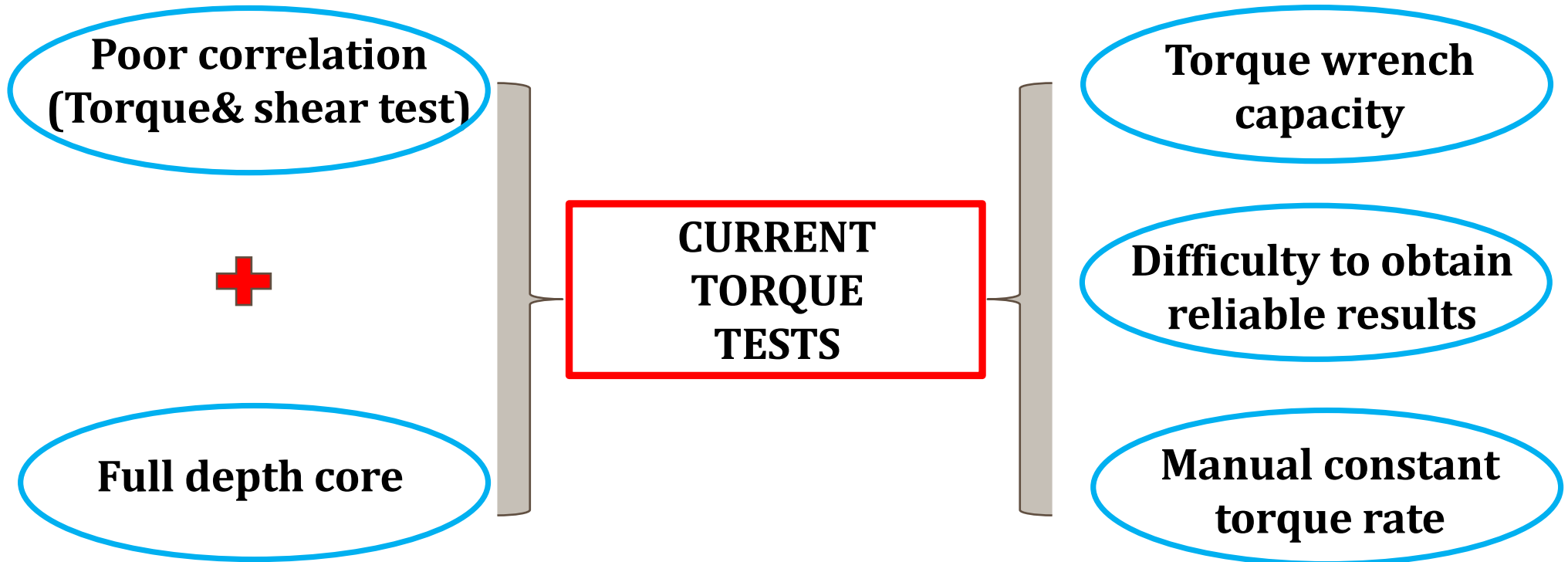
(b) Specimen set-up



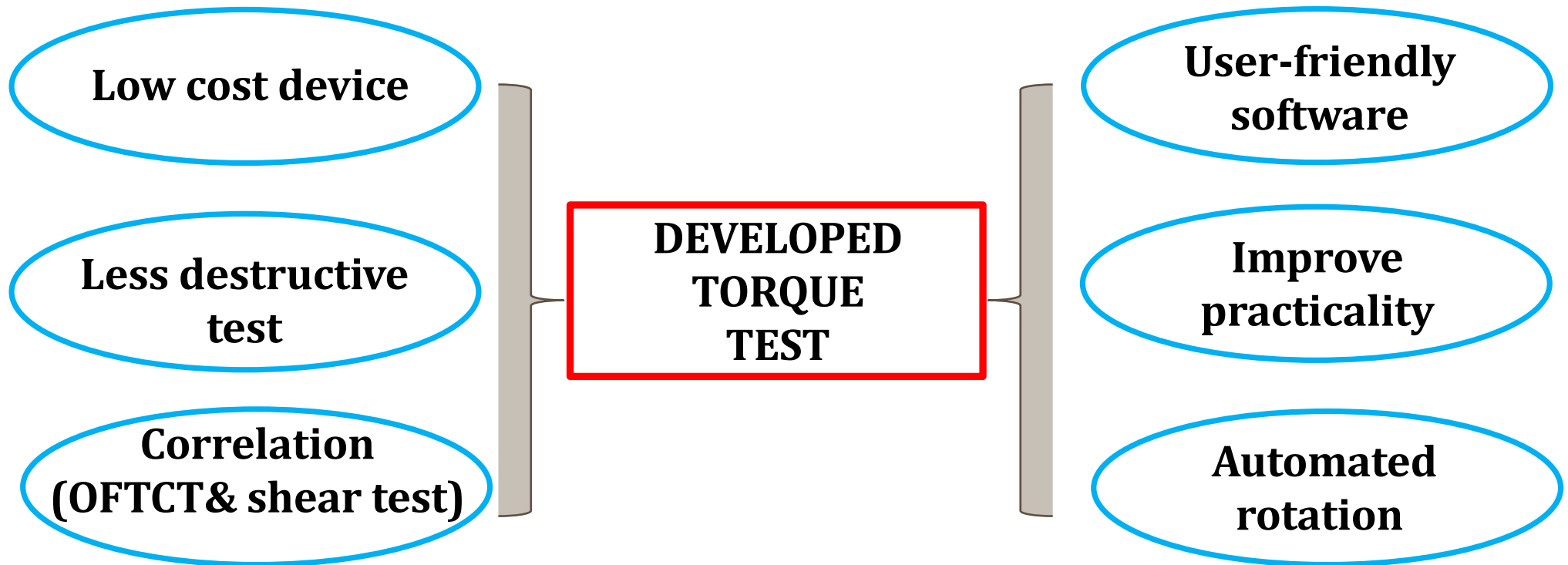
(c) laboratory test

(TASHMAN, 2006)

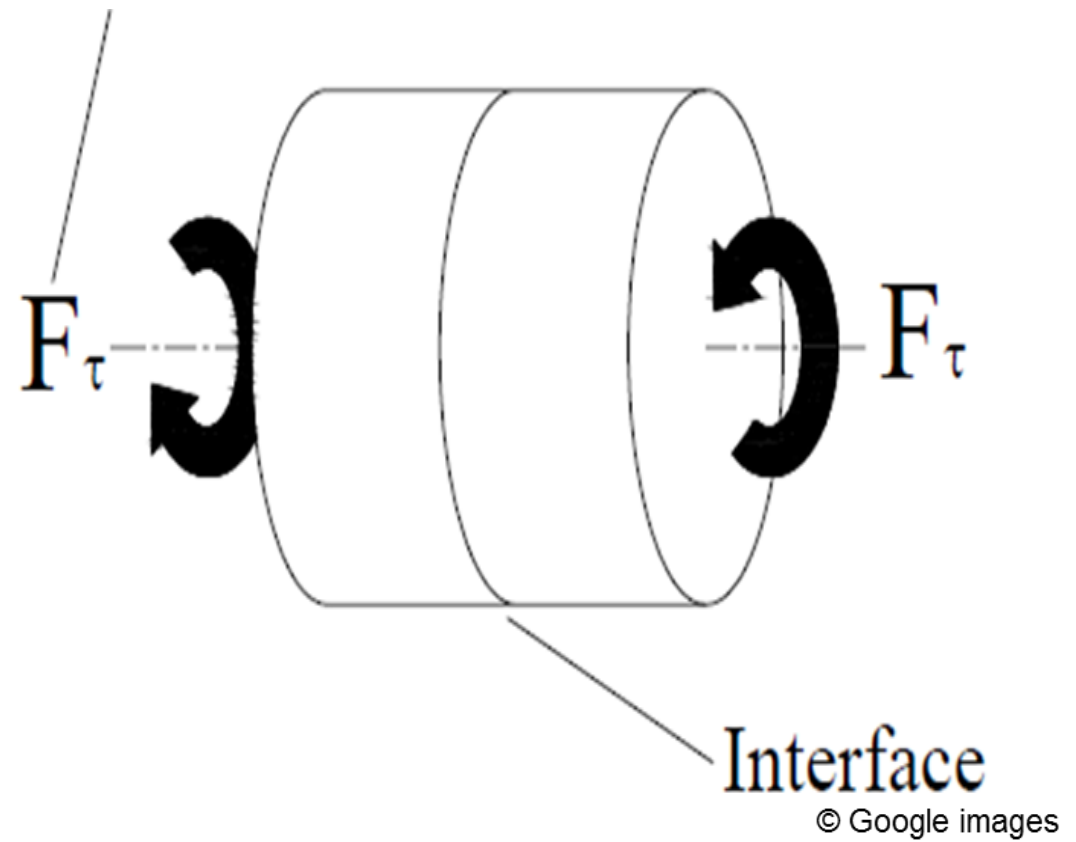
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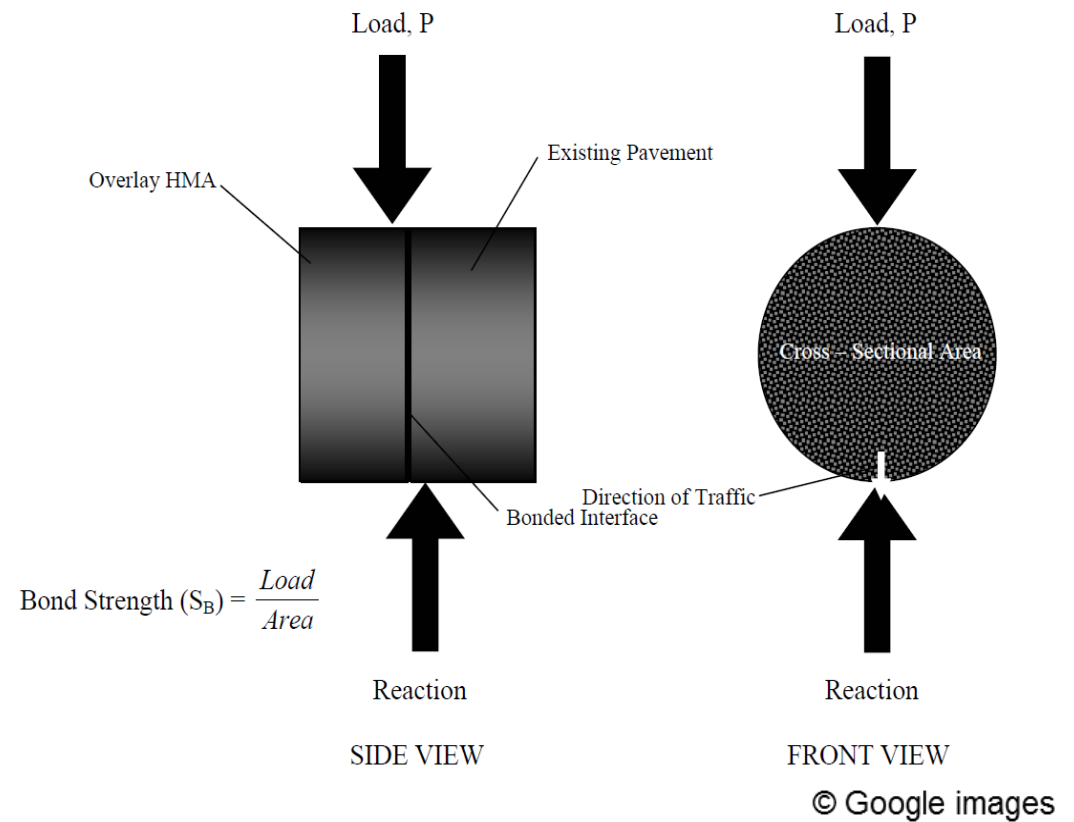
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RESEARCH METHOD: DIRECT LAB SHEAR TEST



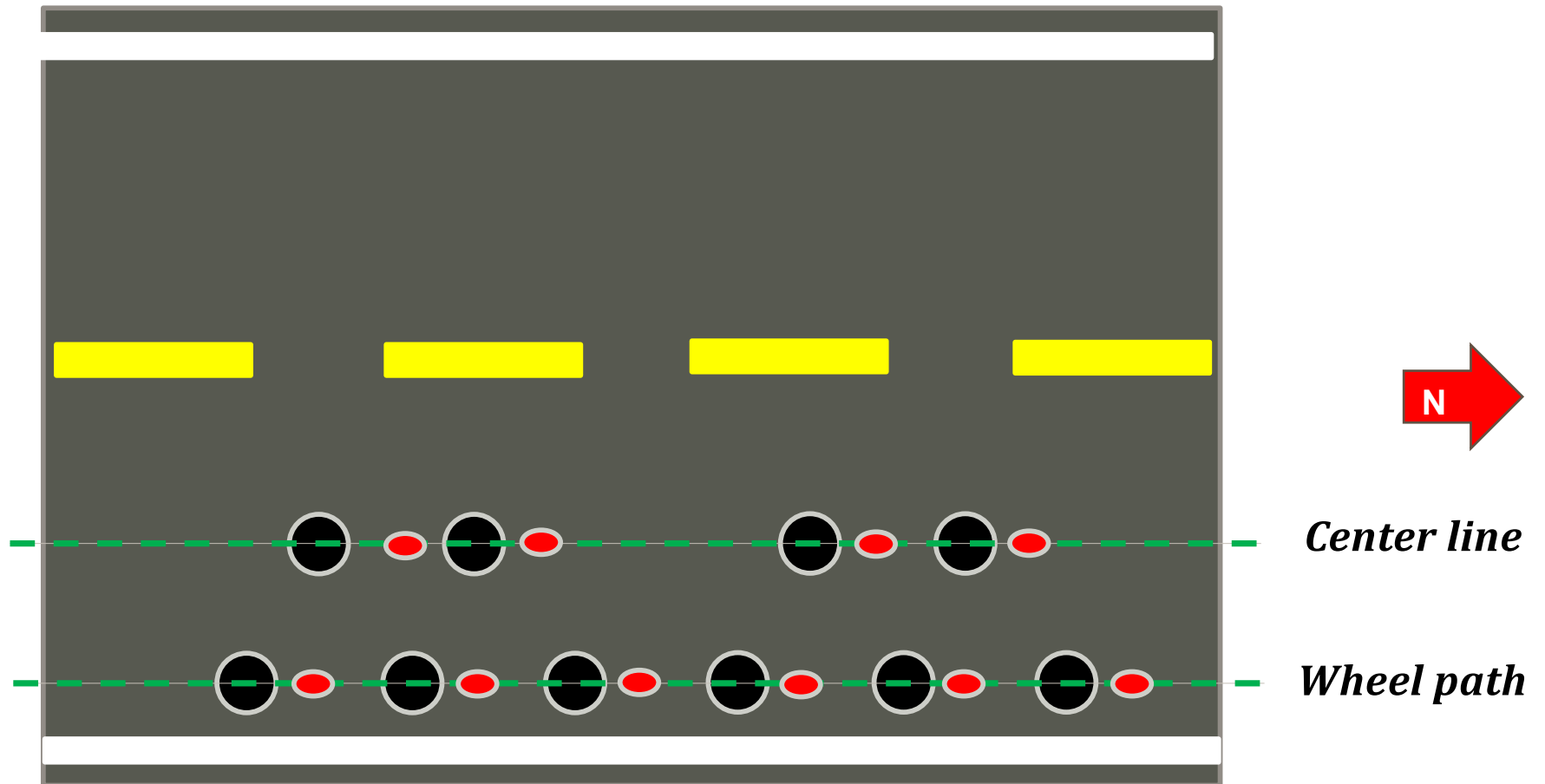
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SITE OVERVIEW

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2	Day 5	CO1_New_b	0.05, 0.07, 0.09



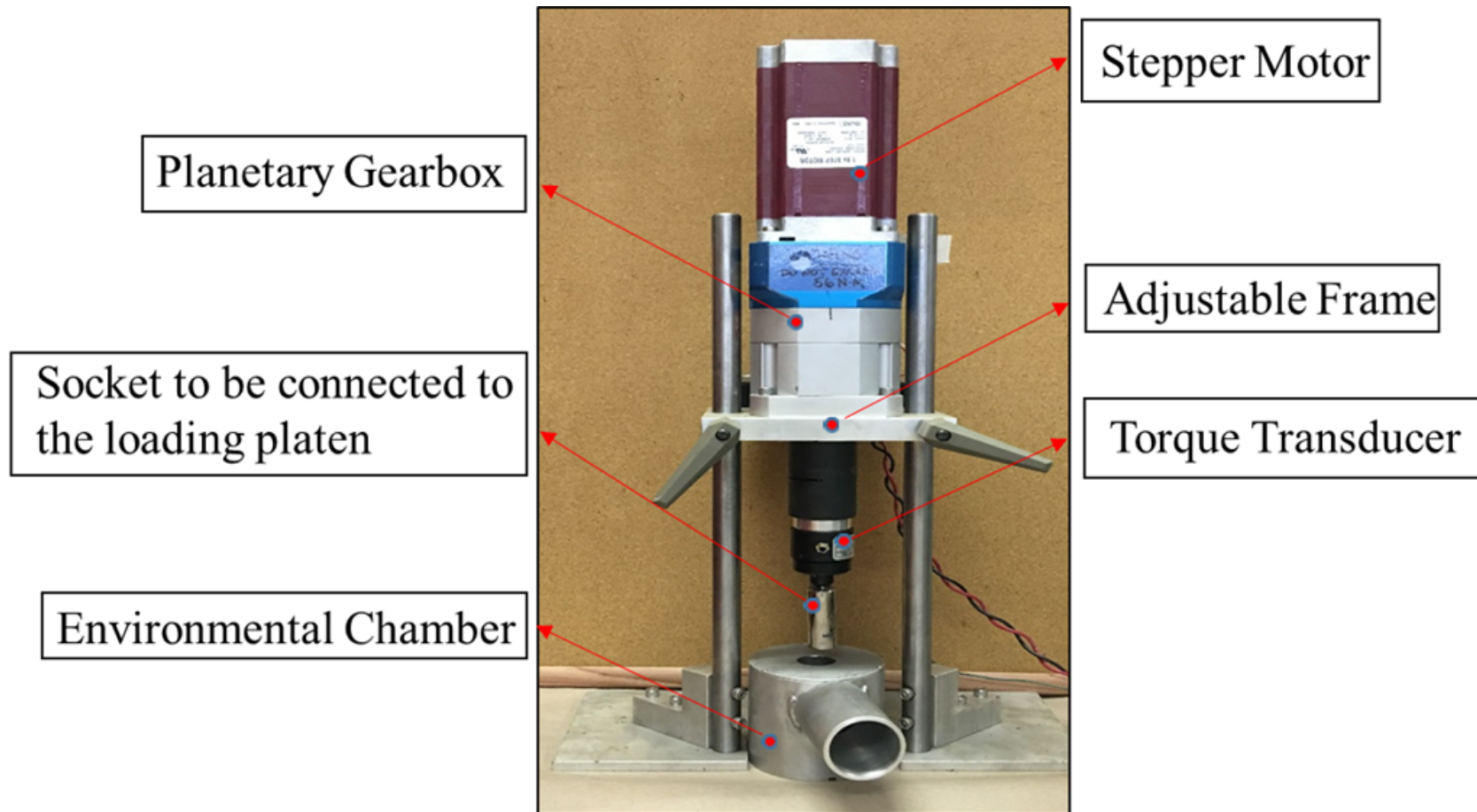
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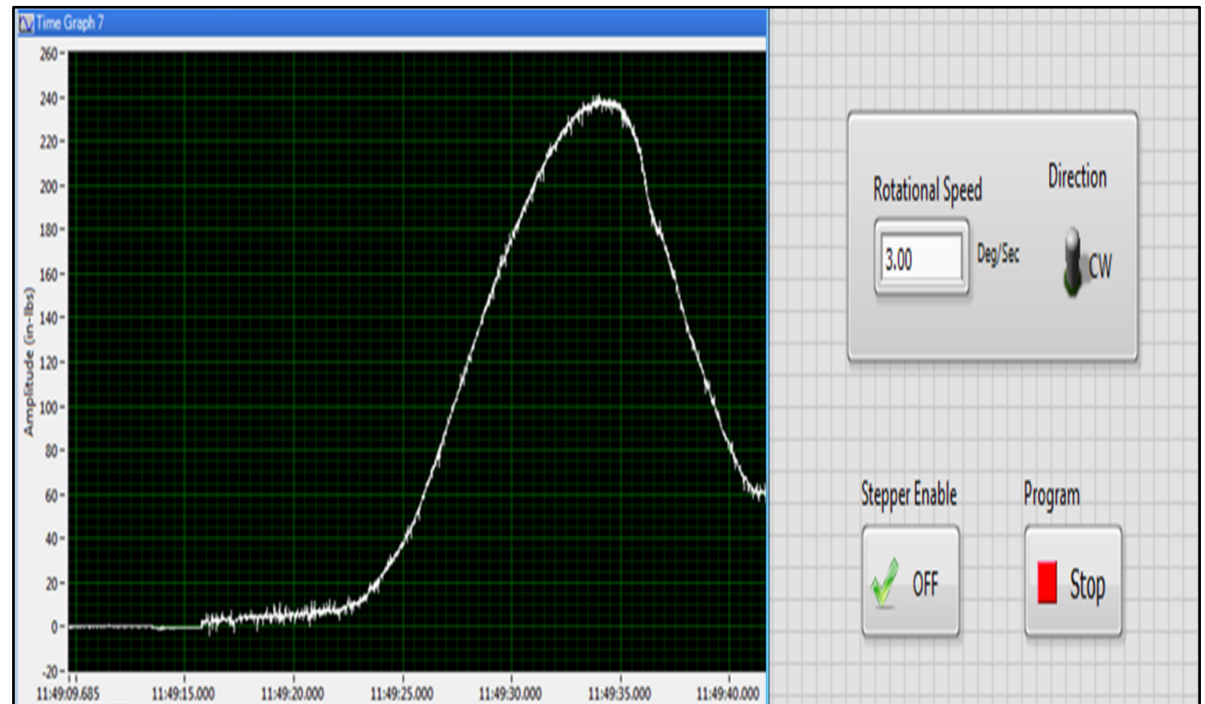
OREGON FIELD TORQUE TESTER (OFTT): HARDWARE



OFTT DEVICE

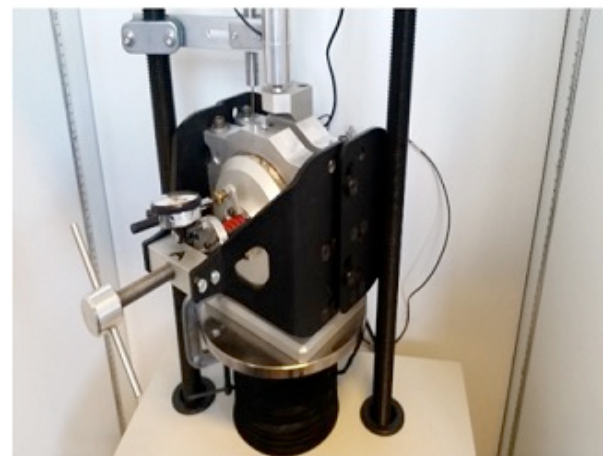
OREGON FIELD TORQUE TESTER (OFTT): SOFTWARE

- Real time viewing and analysis of the data.
- Control the stepper
- Control the direction of rotation
- Control the rotational rate



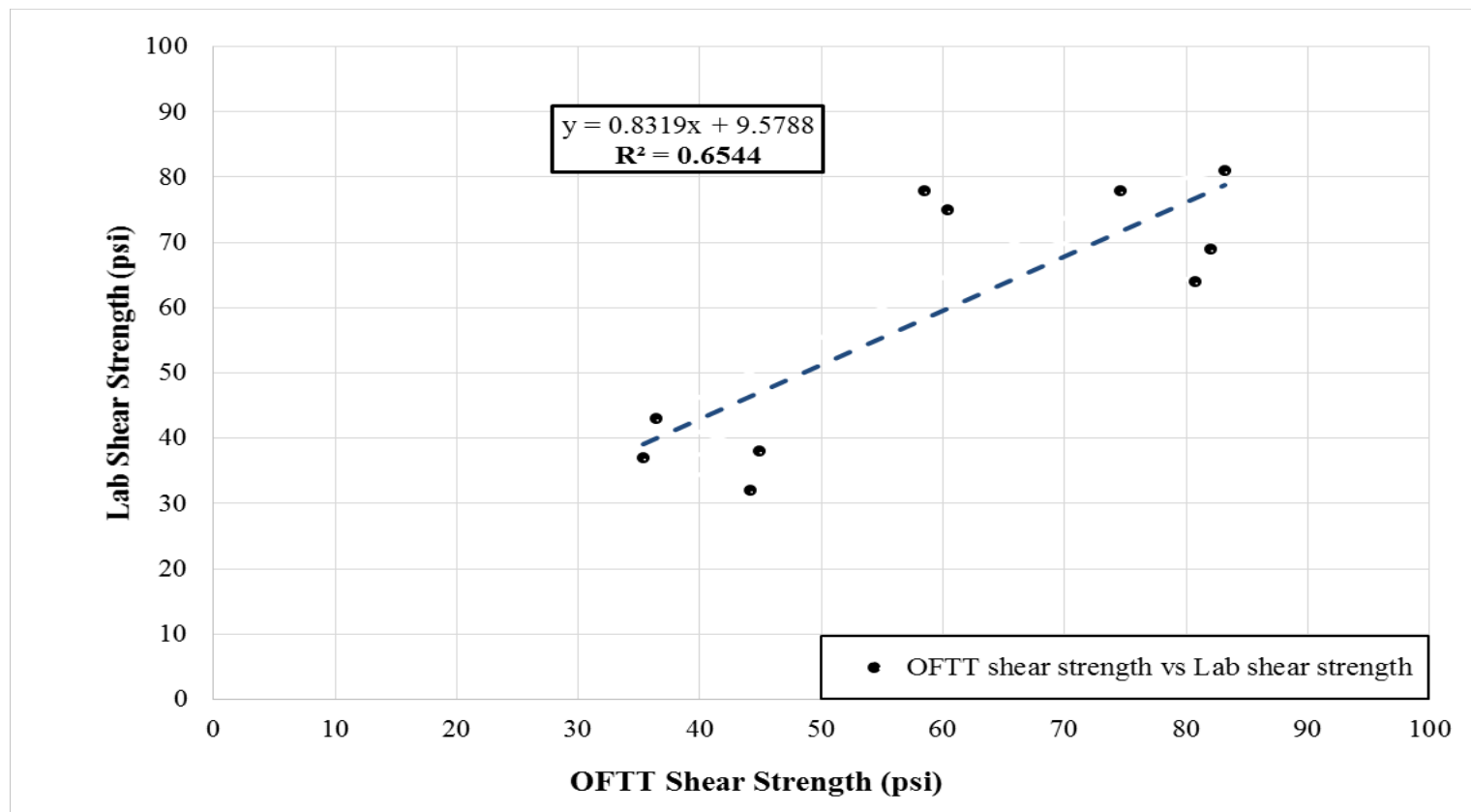
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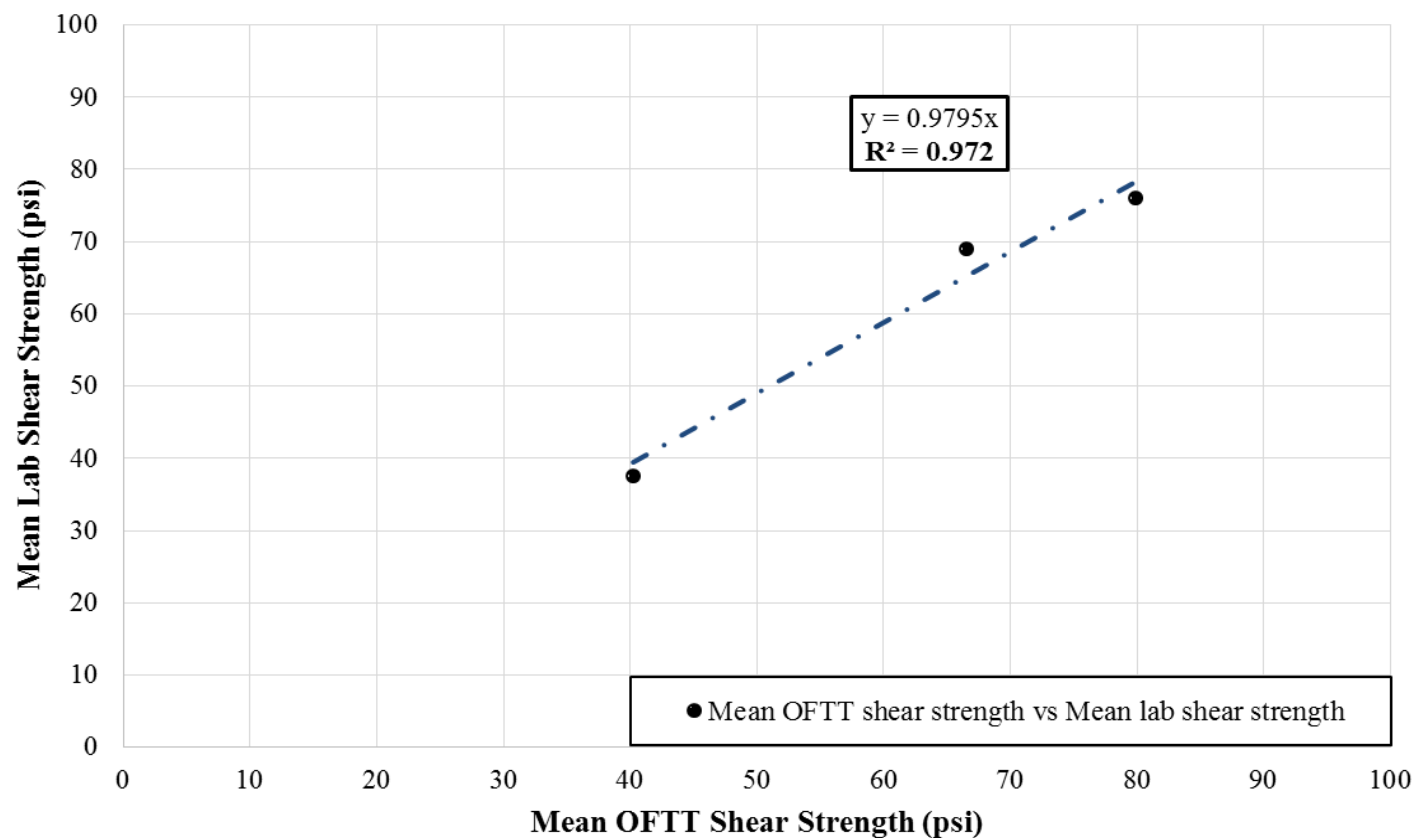
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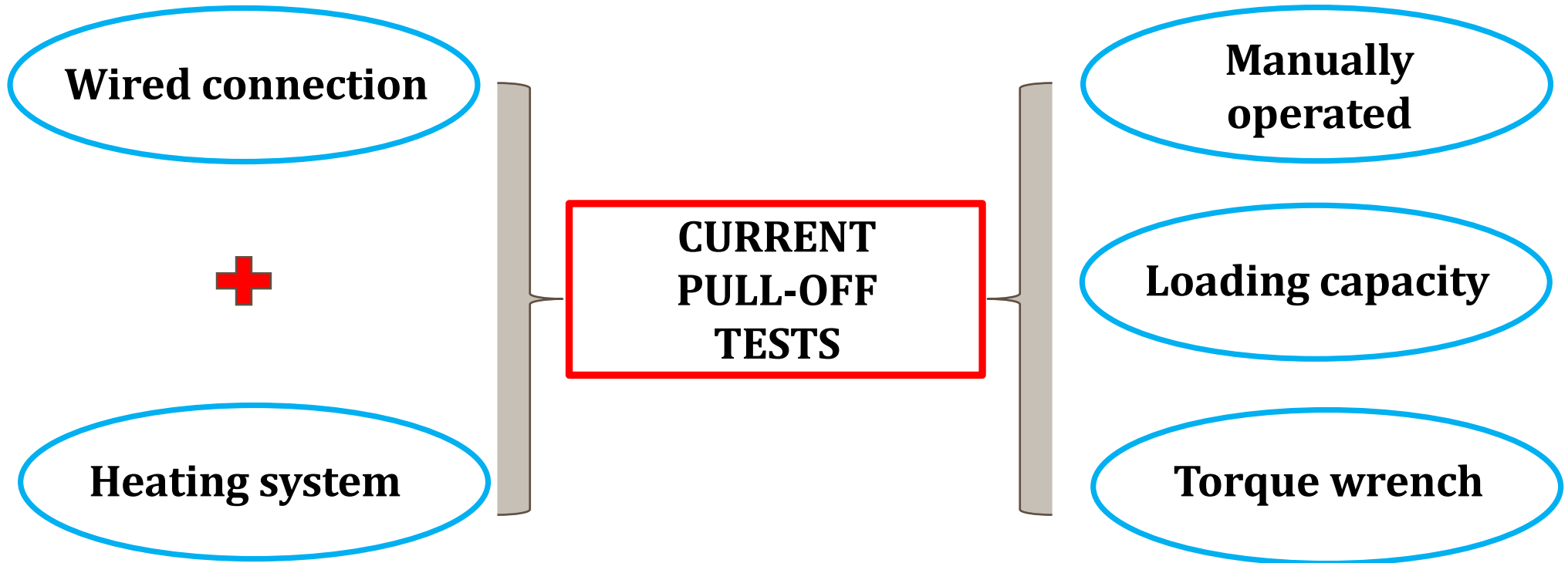
Louisiana Tack Coat Quality Tester
(LTCQT) Device



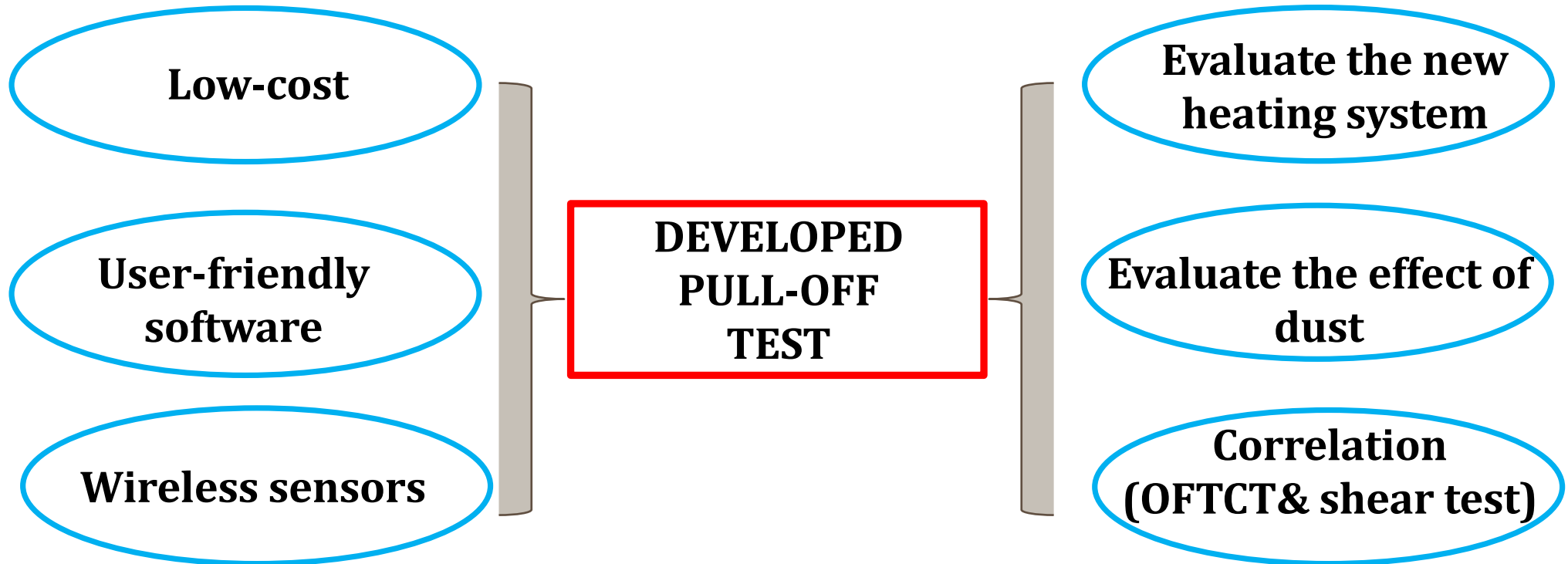
LTCQT Heating System

(MOHAMMED ET .AL, 2012)

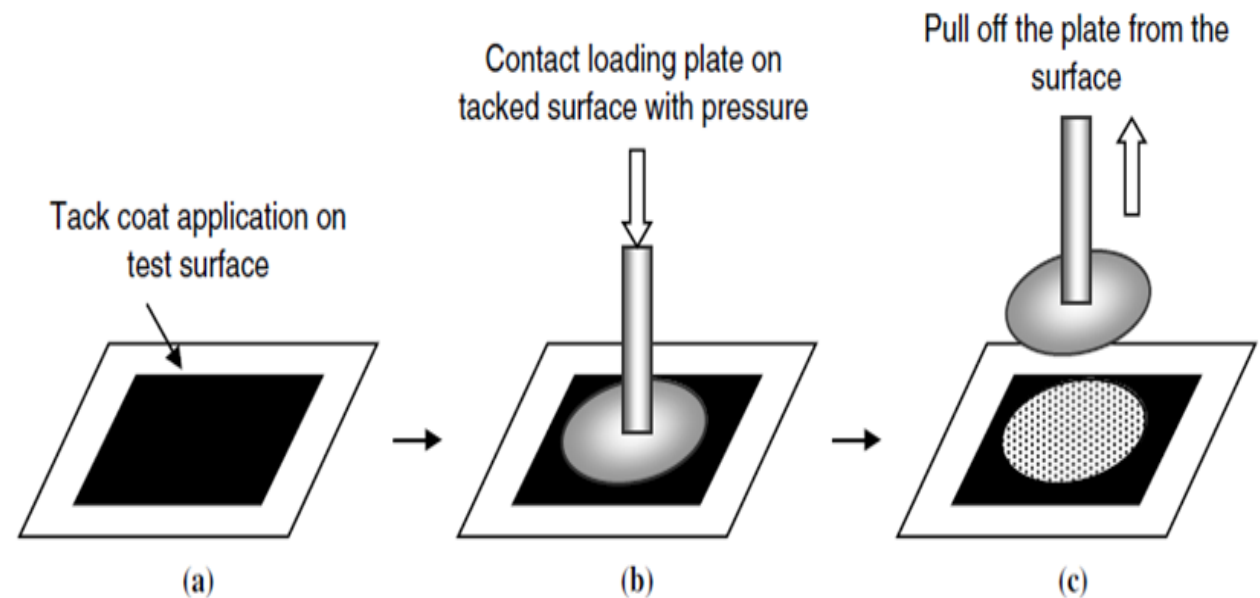
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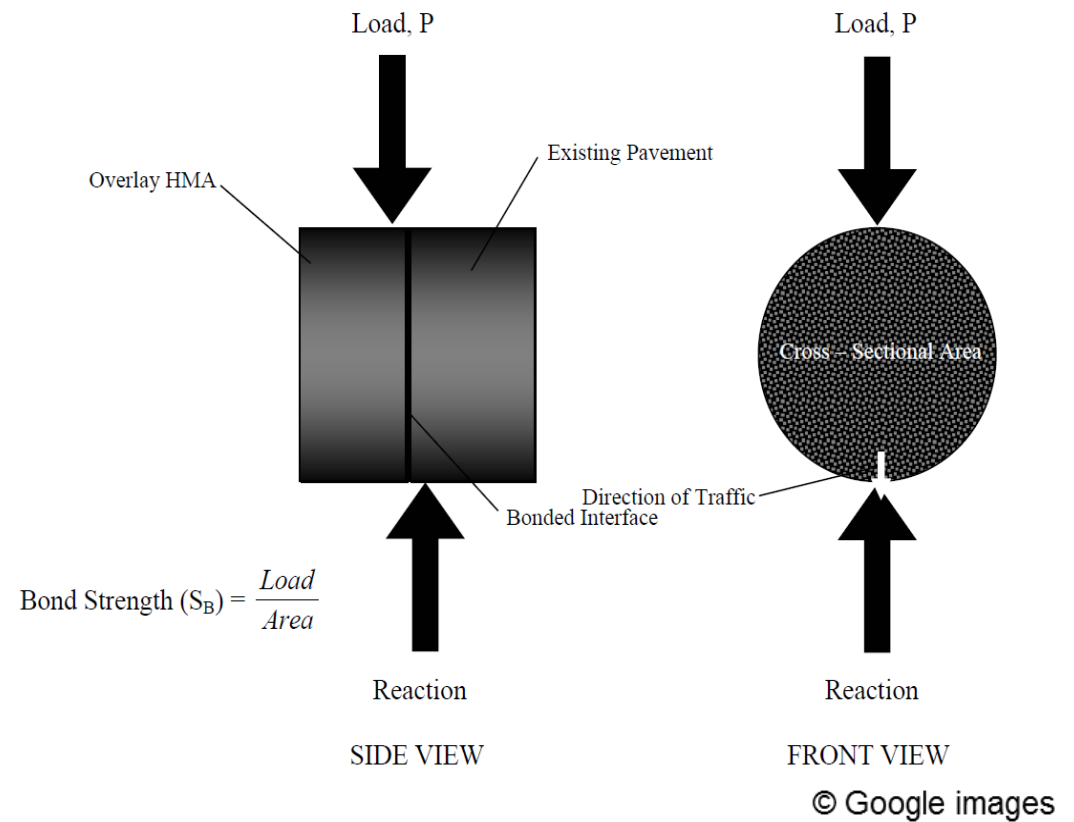


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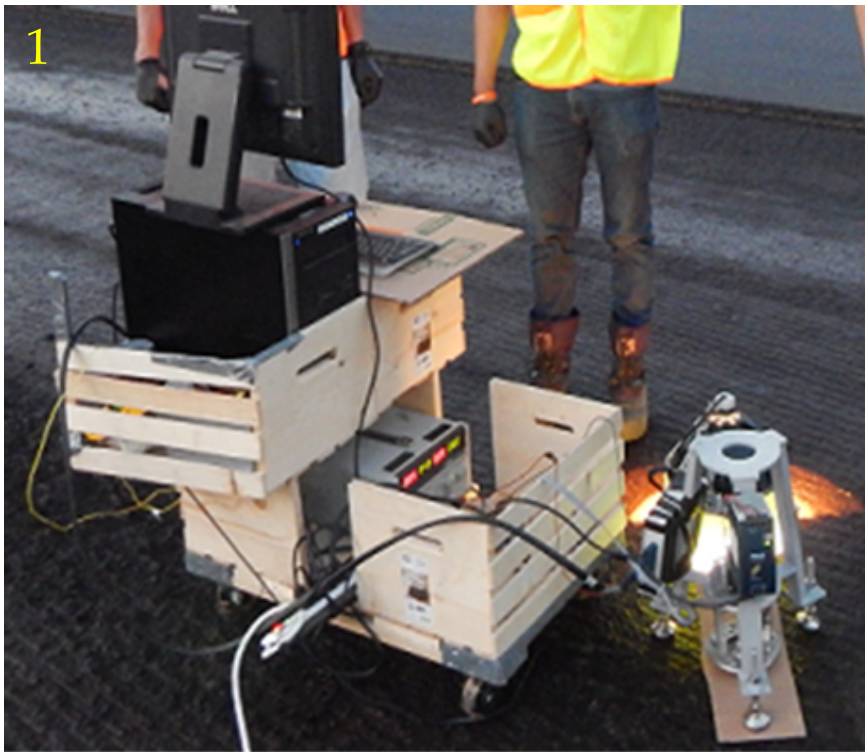
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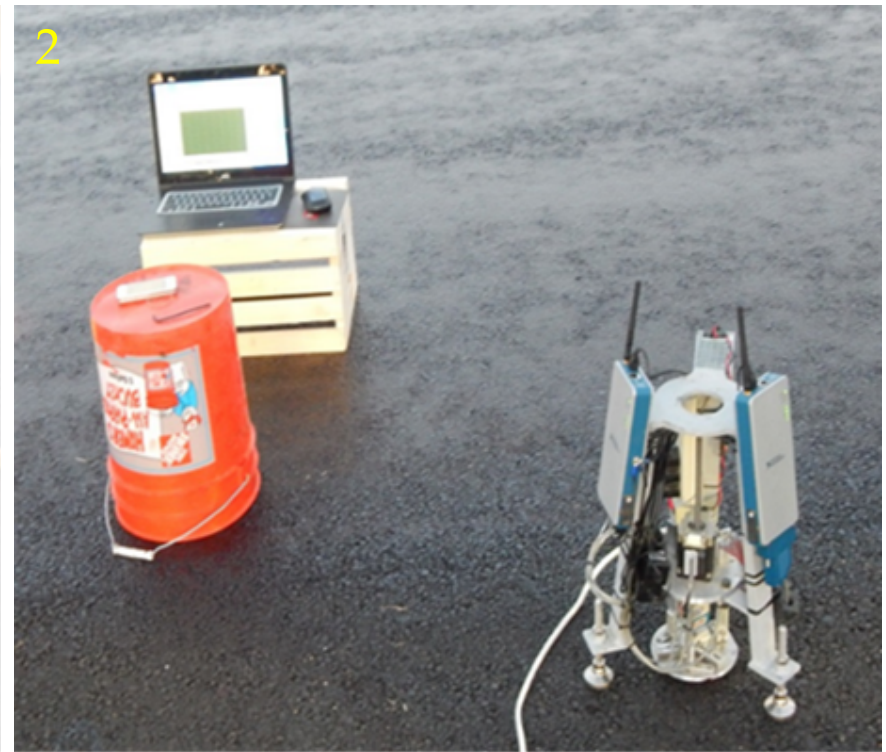
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OFTCT PROTOTYPE VERSION



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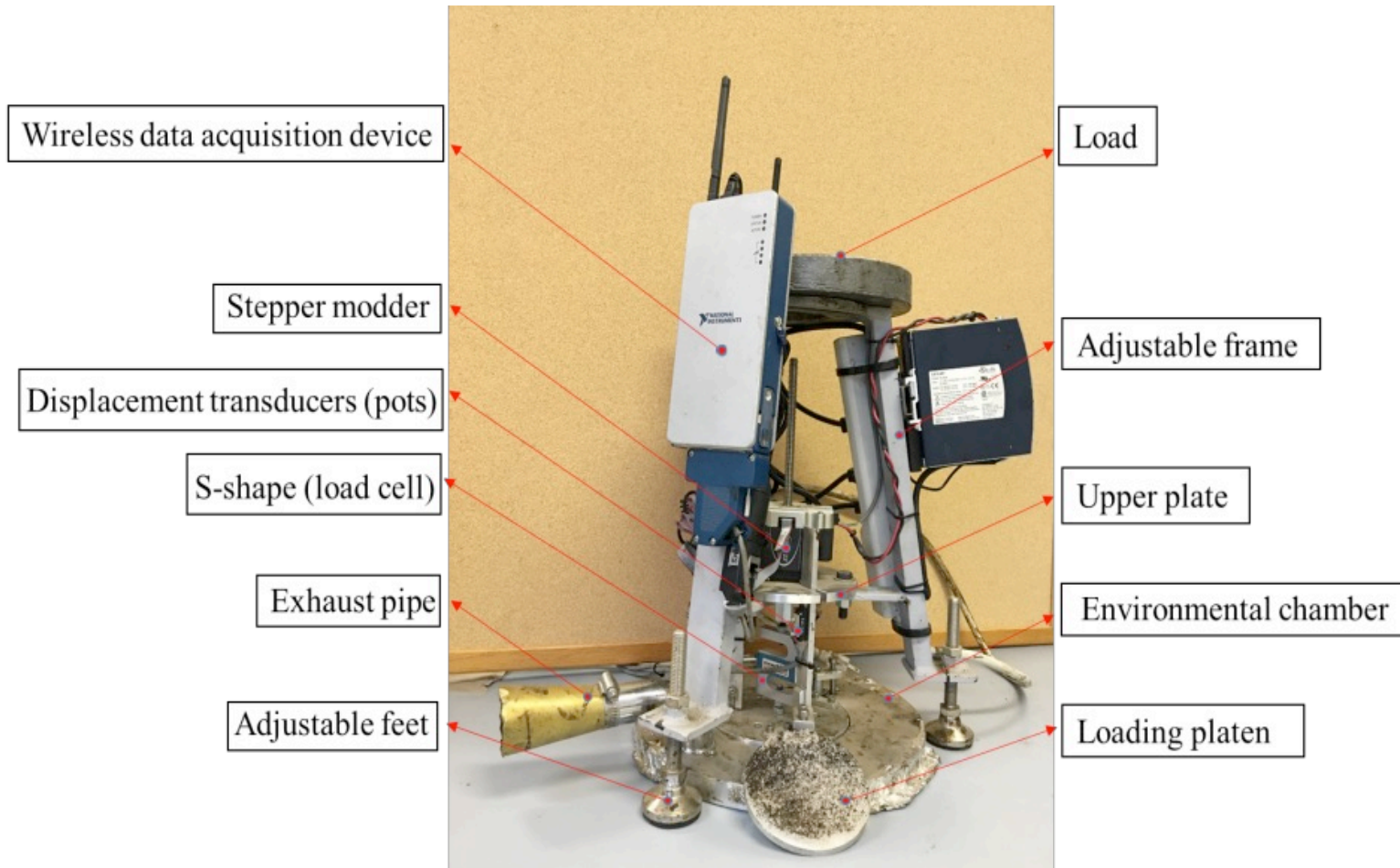
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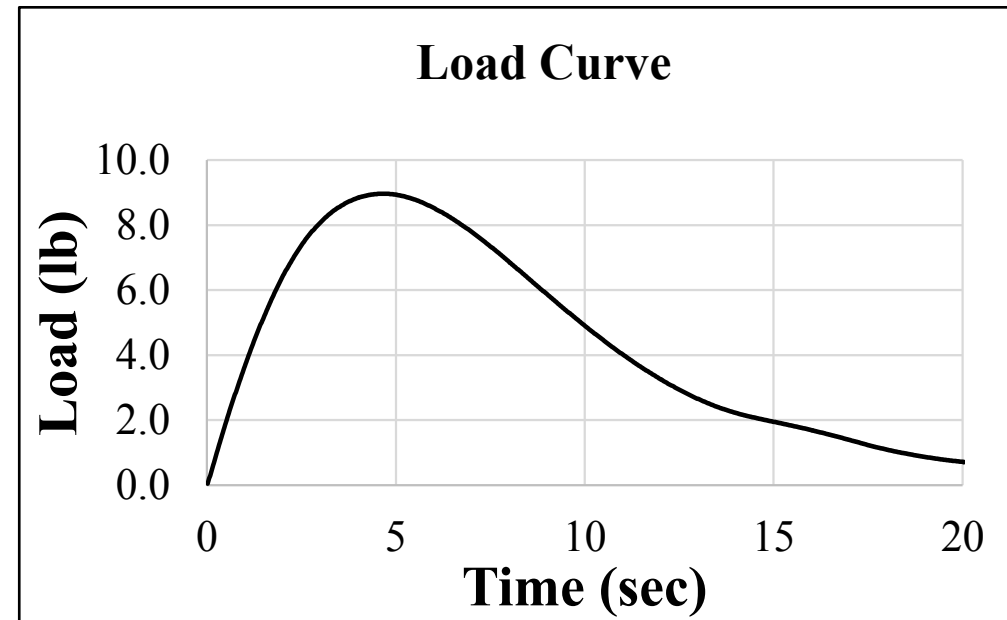
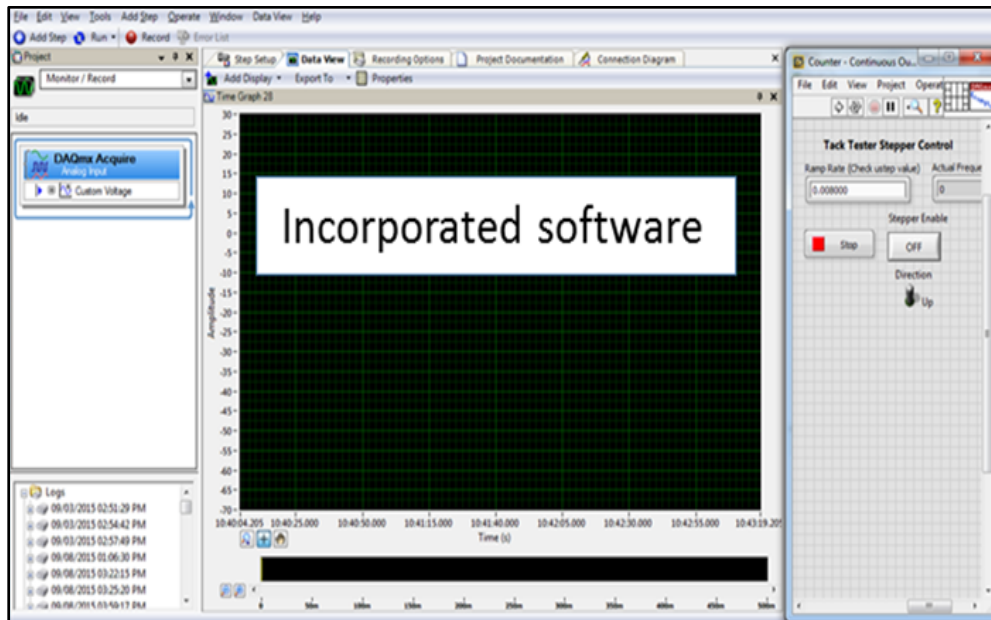
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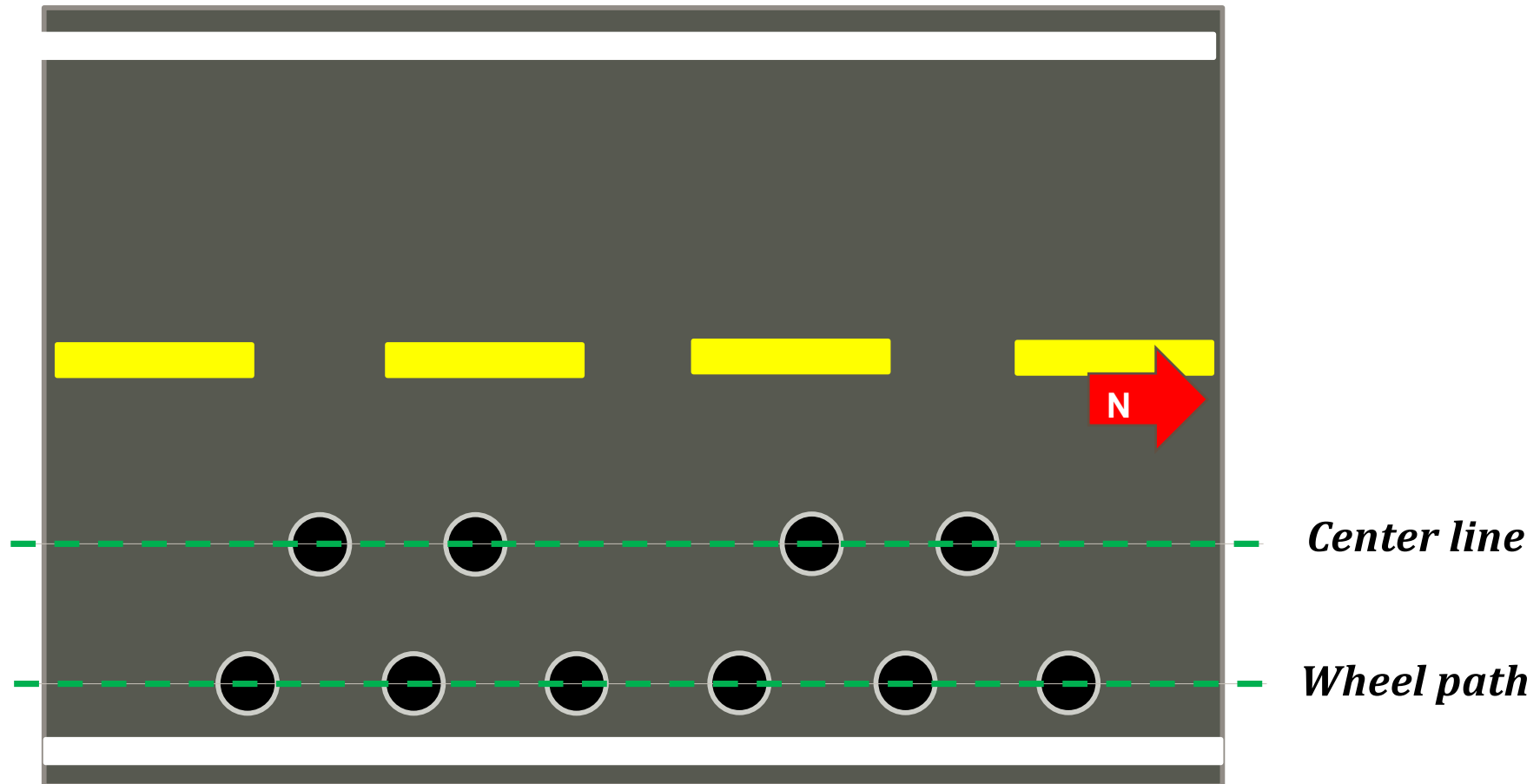
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- ❑ Displacement rate.
- ❑ Deliver graphical results.
- ❑ Data acquisition system.



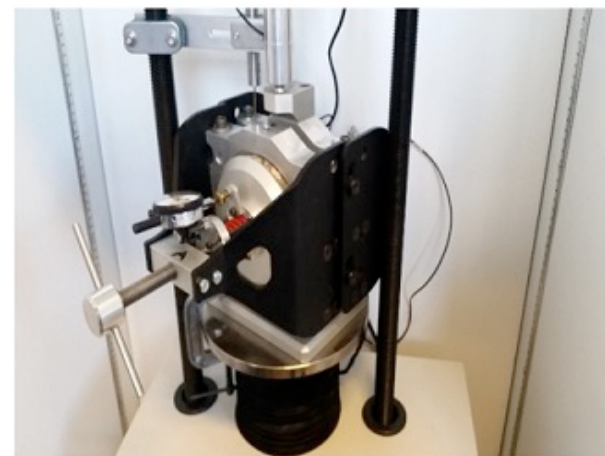
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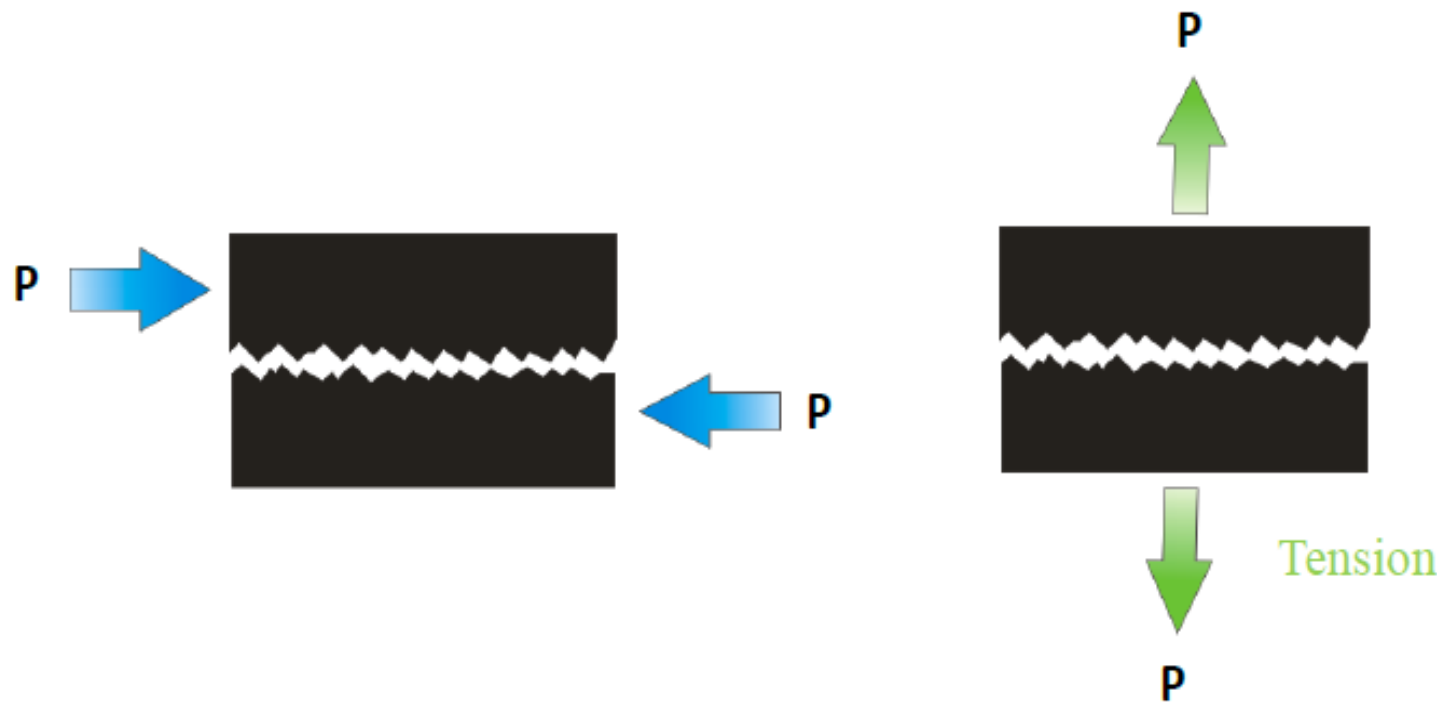
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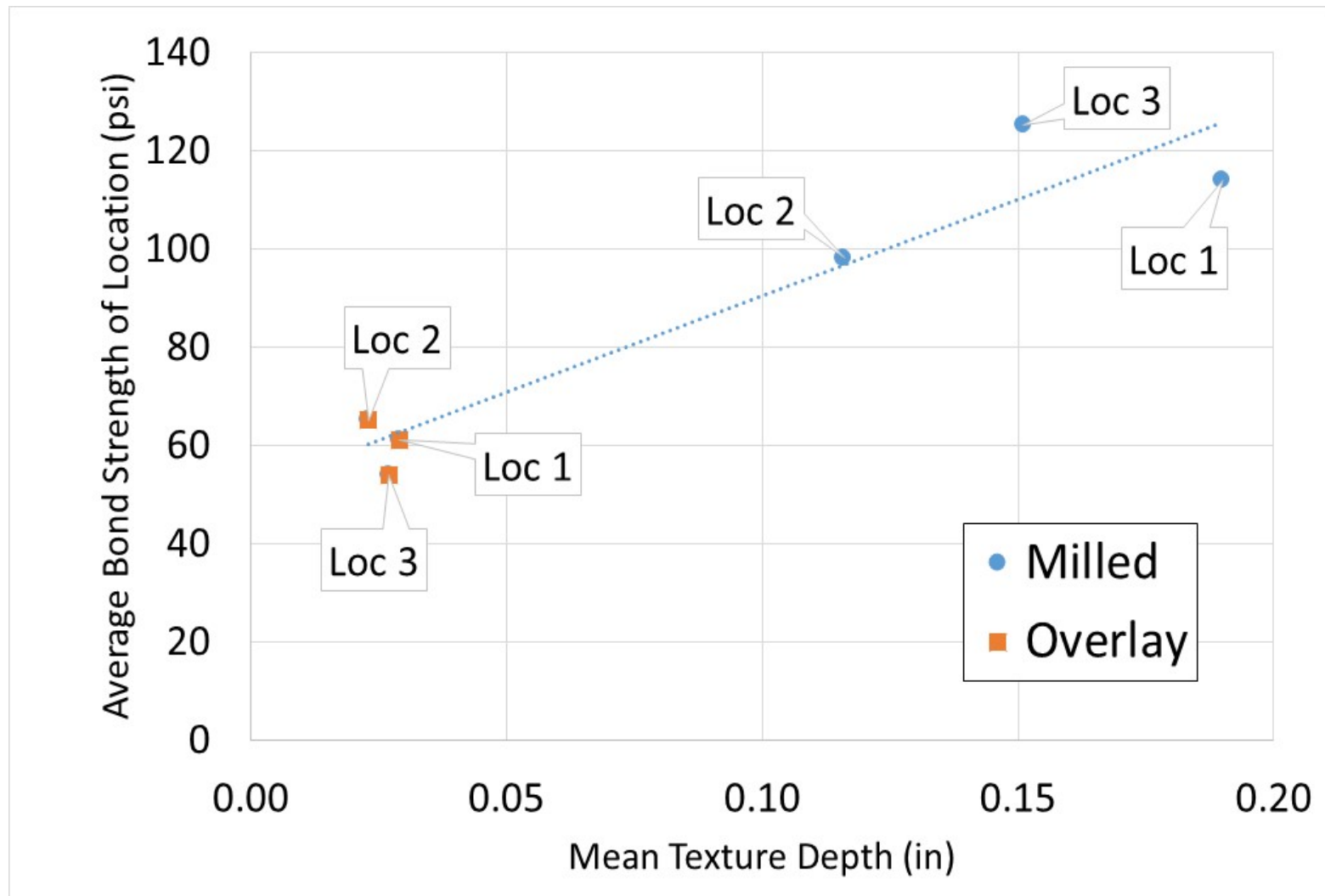
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Milled surfaces can create high strength in shear test while processing poor bond strength in tension



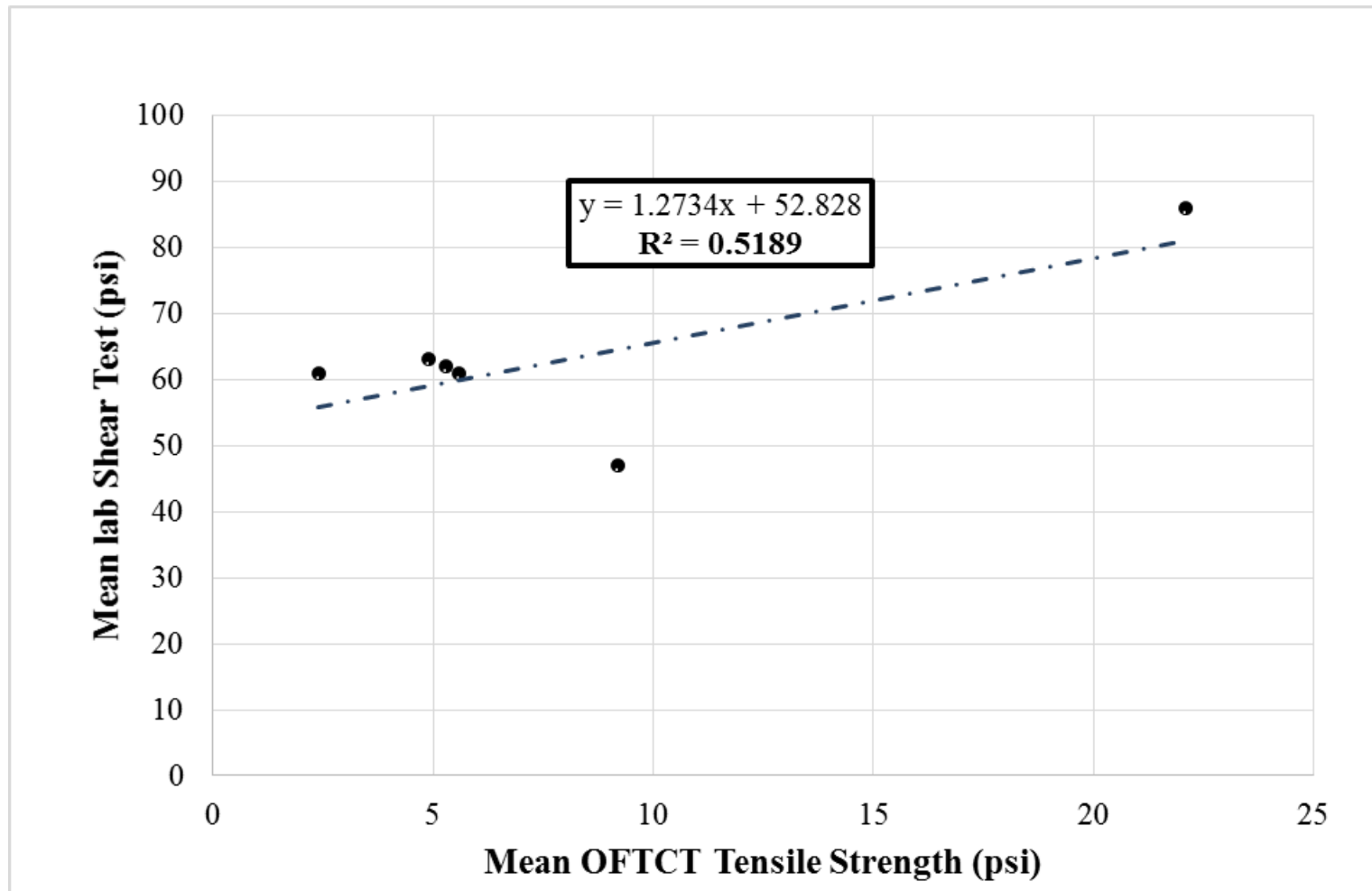
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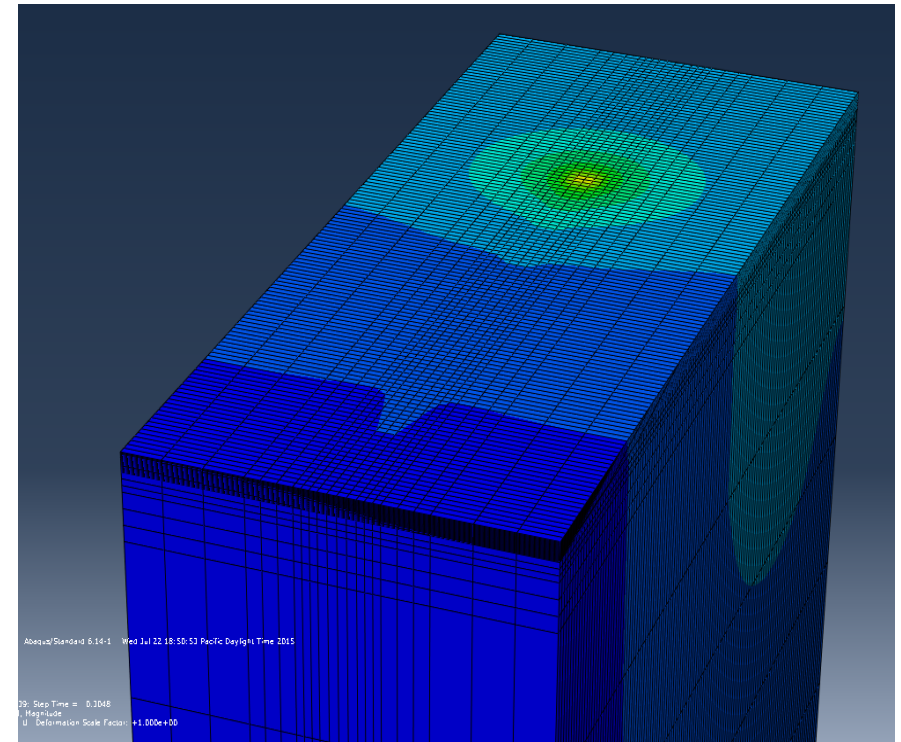
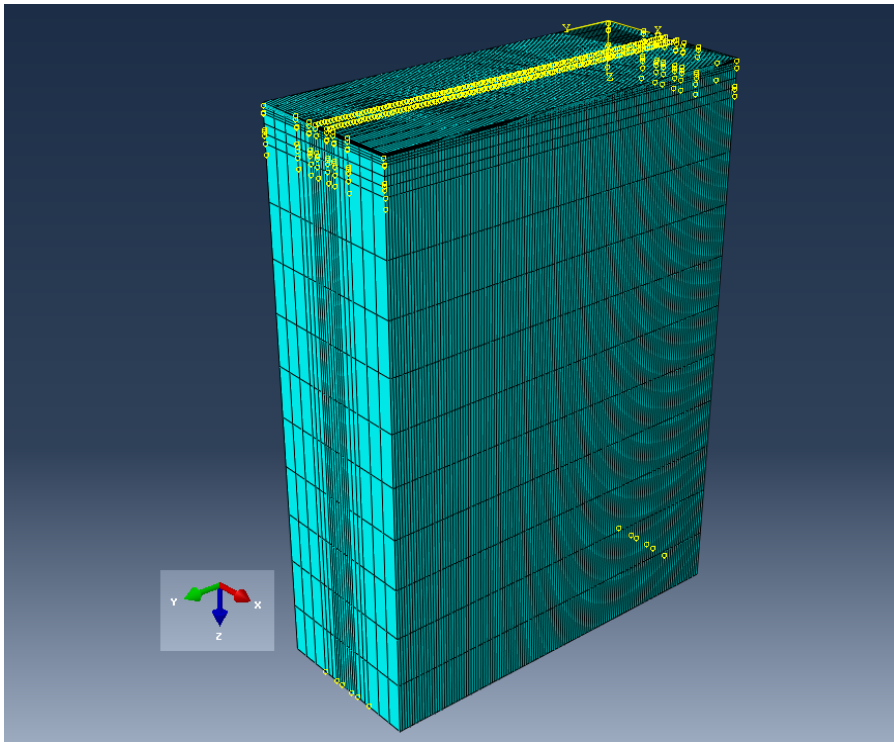
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THREE DIMENSIONAL FINITE ELEMENT MODEL TO EVALUATE THE EFFECTS OF STRUCTURAL CHARACTERISTICS ON TACK COAT PERFORMANCE

3D viscoelastic finite element model to evaluate the effects of structural characteristics on tack coat performance



Dynamic truck wheel

3D viscoelastic finite element model to evaluate the effects of structural characteristics on tack coat performance

86 and 113°F – Temperatures

Overlay

2 and 4 inches thick

Existing AC

4 and 12 inches thick

Aggregate base

10 and 16 inches thick

Subgrade

5,800 and 14,500 psi

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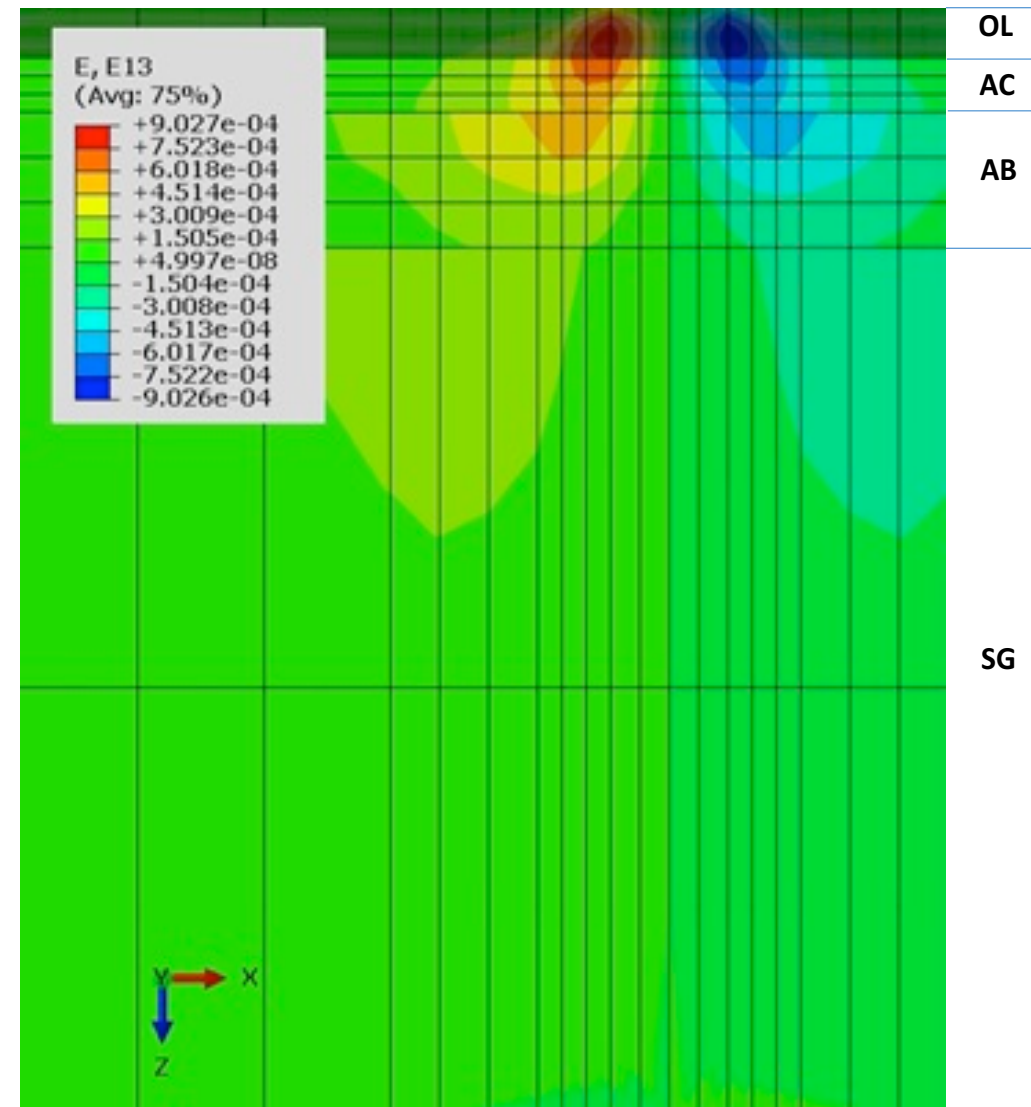
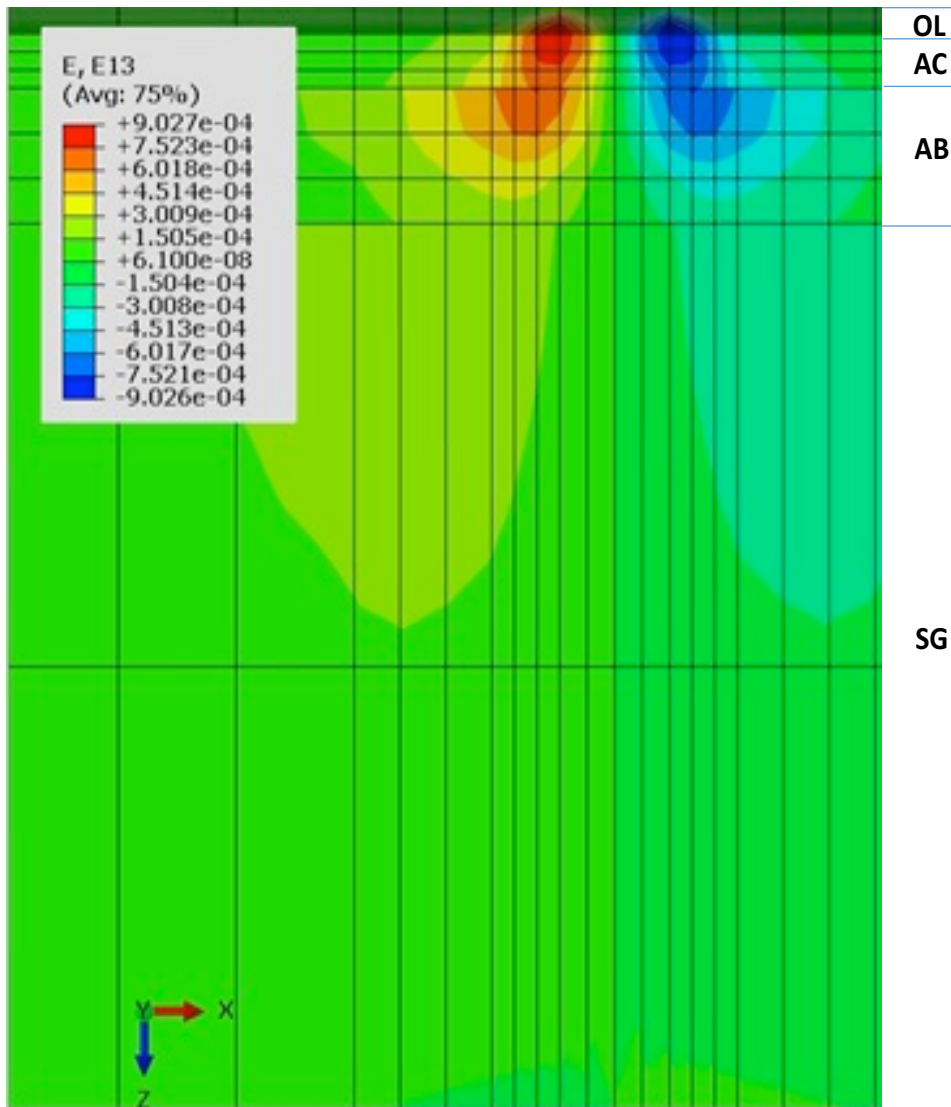
RESULTS

ANOVA table for critical tack coat shear strain values

Variables	Df	Sum of Sq	Mean Sq	F Value	Pr(F)
H _{OL} (in.)	1	351558	351558	40.61	0.0000
H _{AC} (in.)	1	2530	2530	0.29	0.5934
H _{AB} (in.)	1	34132	34132	3.94	0.0577
E _{SG} (psi)	1	565	565	0.07	0.8003
Temp. (°F)	1	487548	487548	56.32	0.0000
Residuals	26	225086	8657		

**BOND STRENGTH IS VERY IMPORTANT FOR THIN
OVERLAYS**

RESULTS



Increasing overlay thickness shifts critical strain location from the tack coat area to mid-overlay area

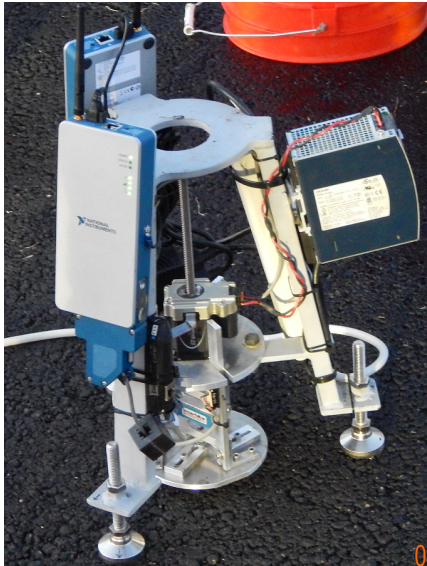
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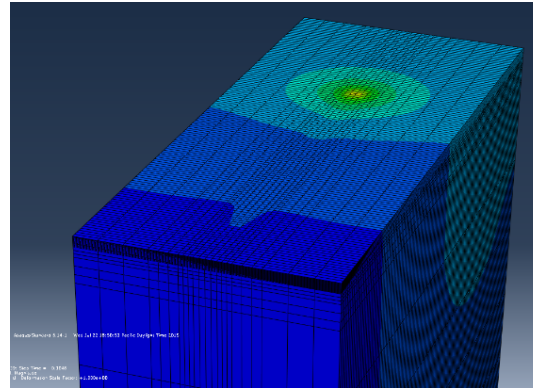


SUMMARY AND CONCLUSIONS

DEVELOPED TECHNOLOGIES



Wireless OFTCT



Model to evaluate bond strength



IOS and Android apps for curing time notification



OFTT

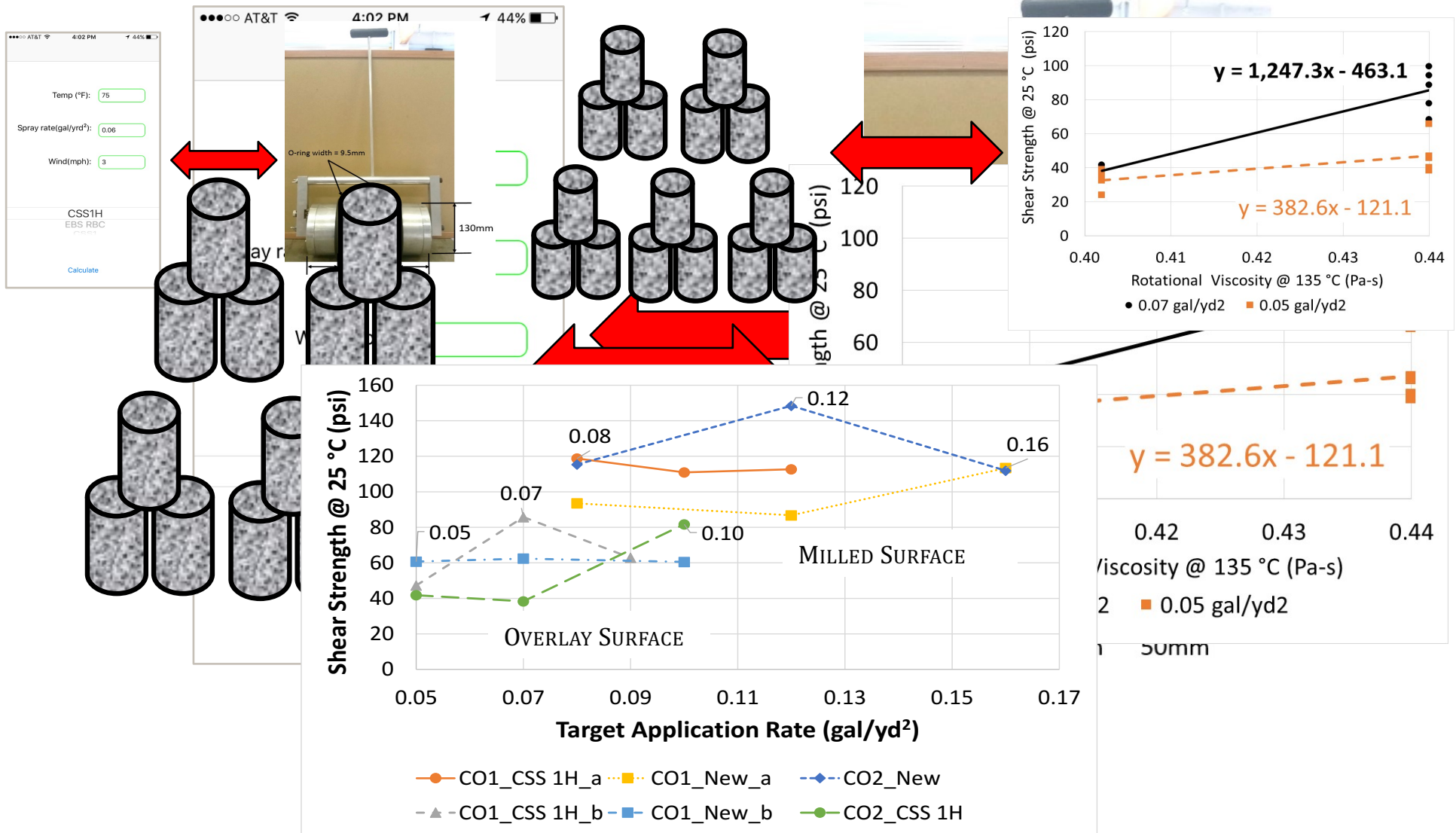


Wheel tracking device

Other contributions to the knowledge and practice

- Correlation functions to predict long-term bond strength from simple binder experiments
- Recommendations to reduce tracking
- Most effective spraying rates to maximize bond strength
- Recommendations to improve current QC/QA procedures -
Spraying rate QC/QA, different truck usage
- Effectiveness of new tack coat products
- Effects of surface texture and traffic/environment
- Curing times for Oregon tack coats
- Need high bond strengths for thin overlays

FUTURE WORK



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- ❑ Conduct additional experiments and identify practicality issues to improve the OFTT and OFTCT;
- ❑ Conduct more OFTT and OFTCT experiments on thin asphalt layers to investigate the effectiveness of these devices on thin overlay sections; and
- ❑ Develop procedures to quantify distributor truck tack coat application accuracy and develop procedures for truck cleaning.

GO BEAVS!

Q & A

Thank you!



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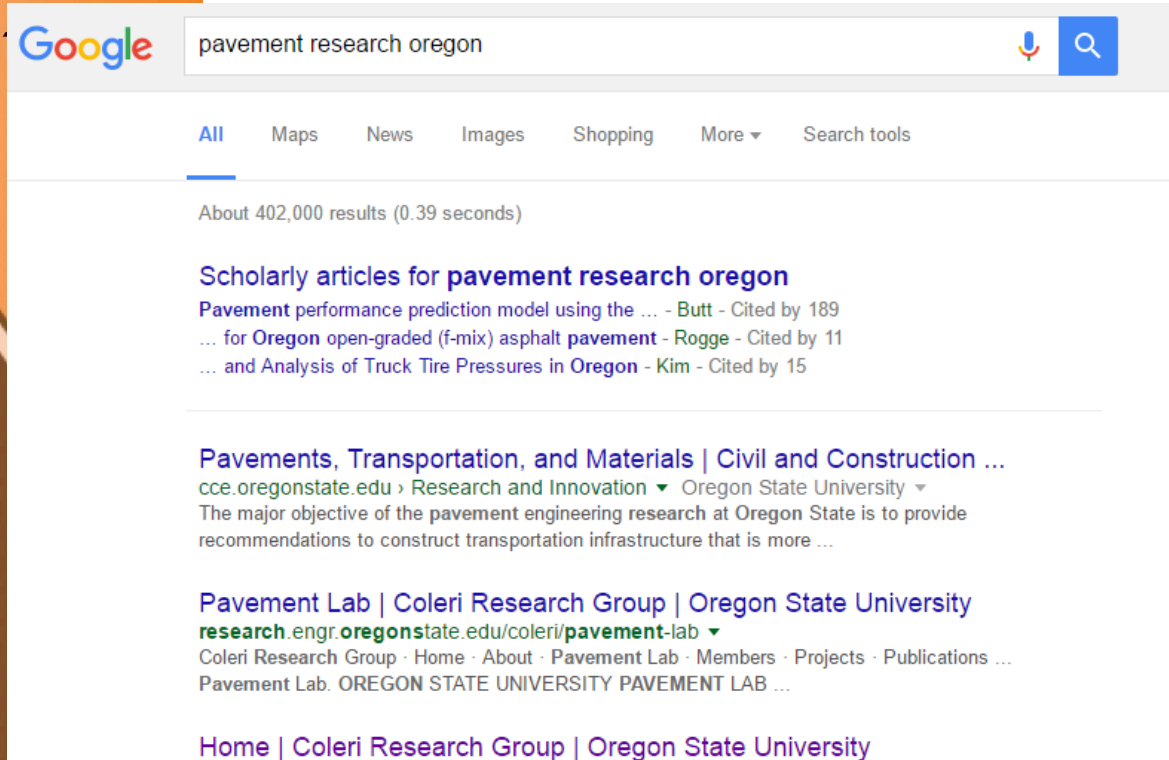
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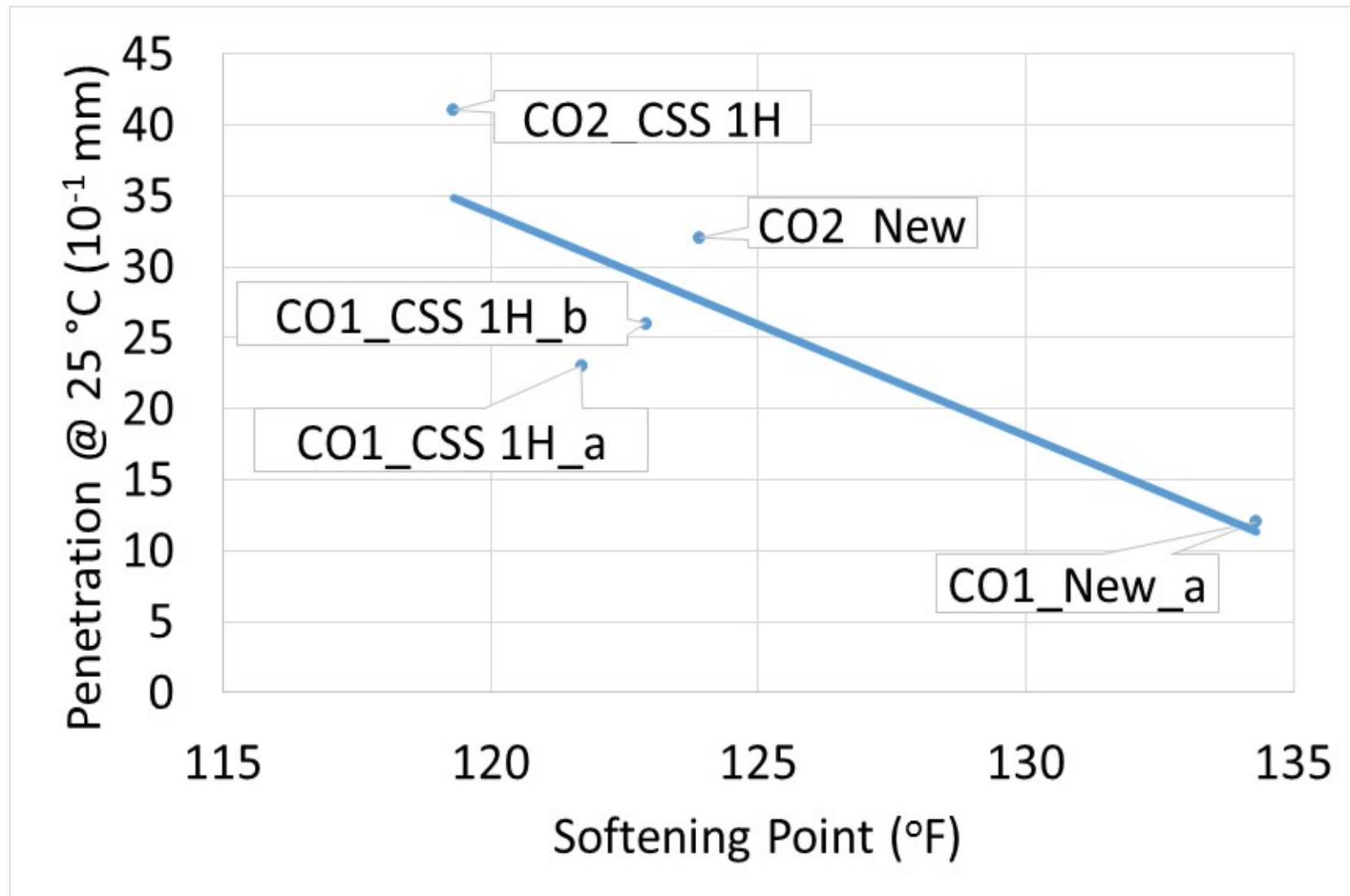
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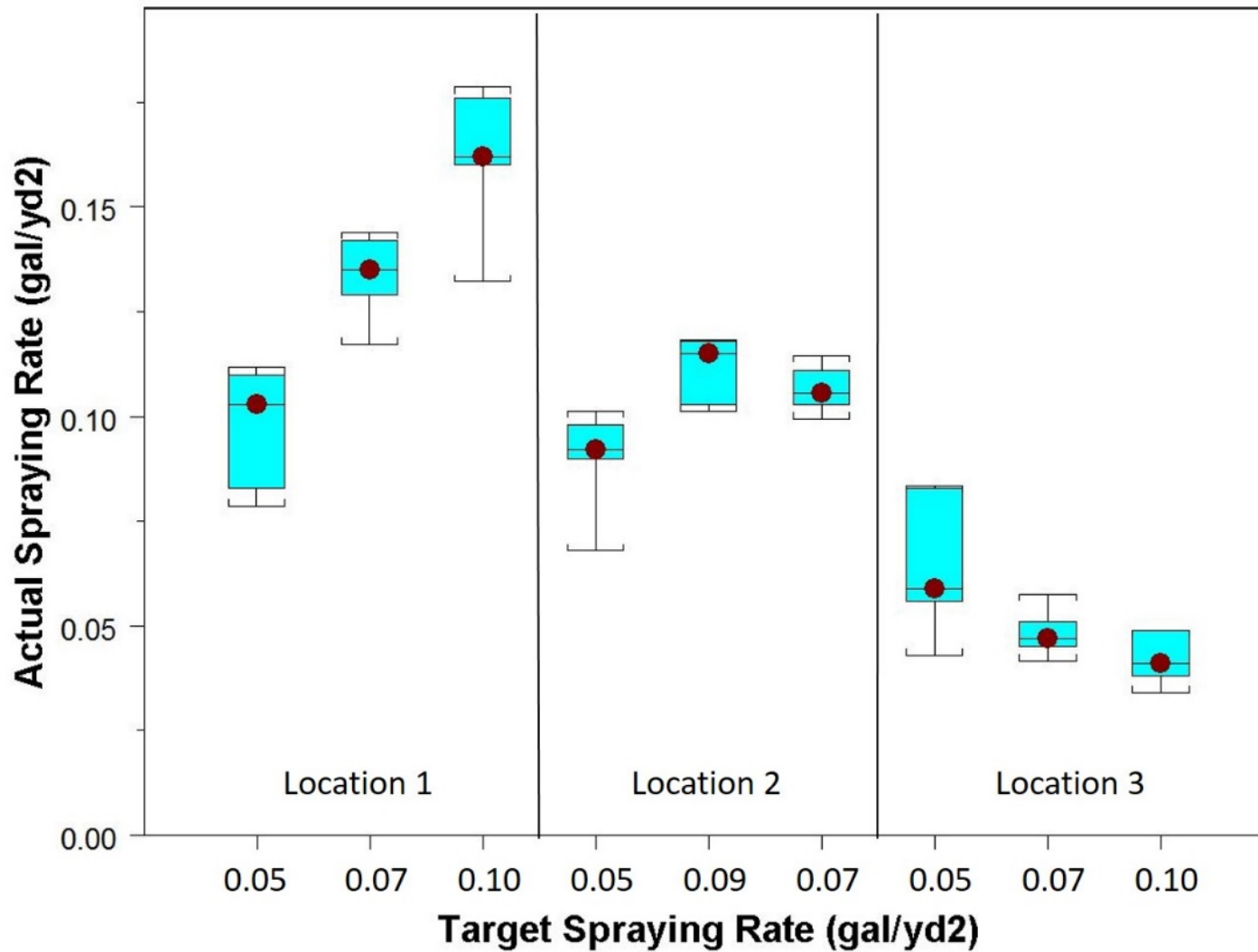
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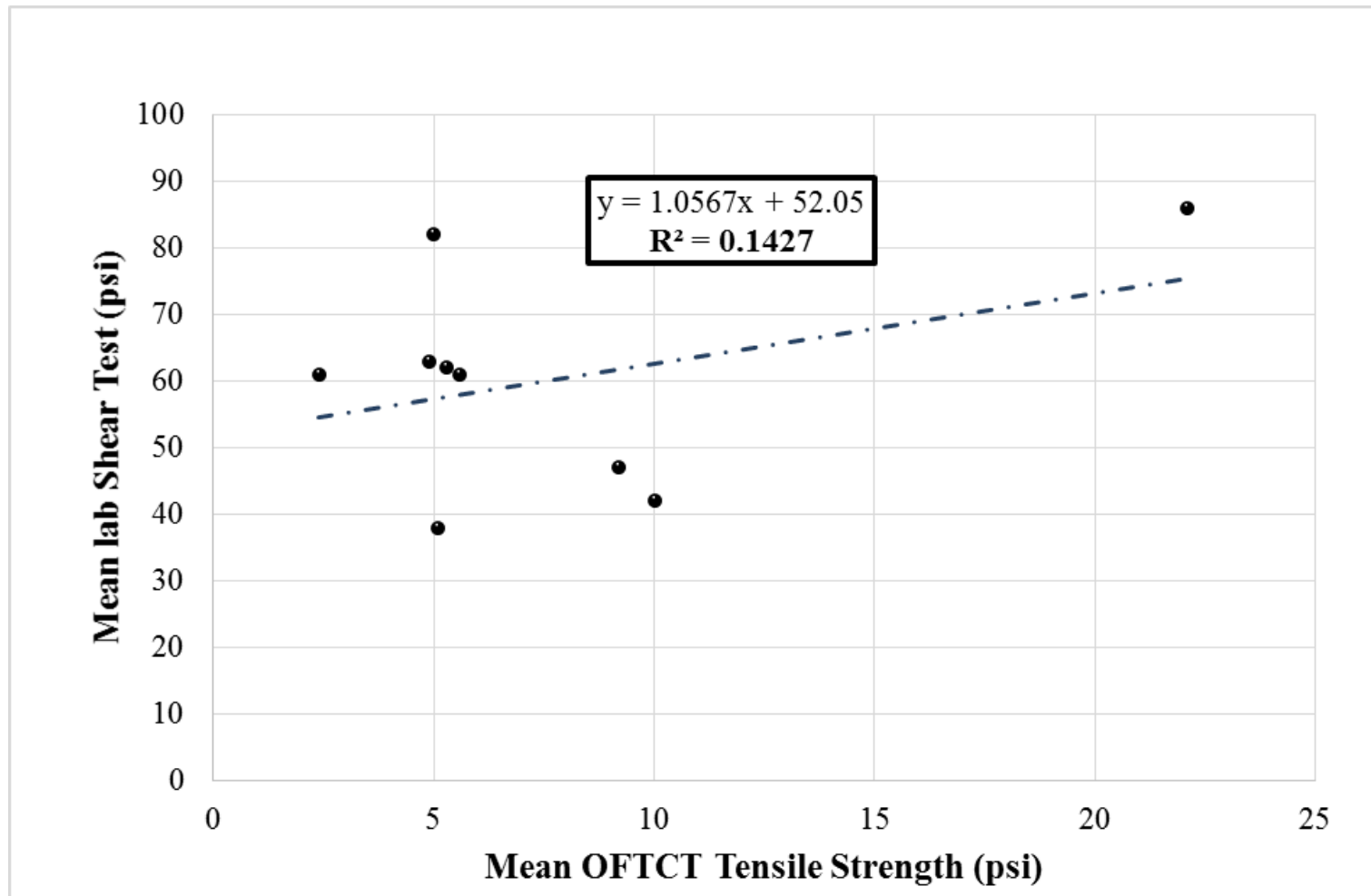
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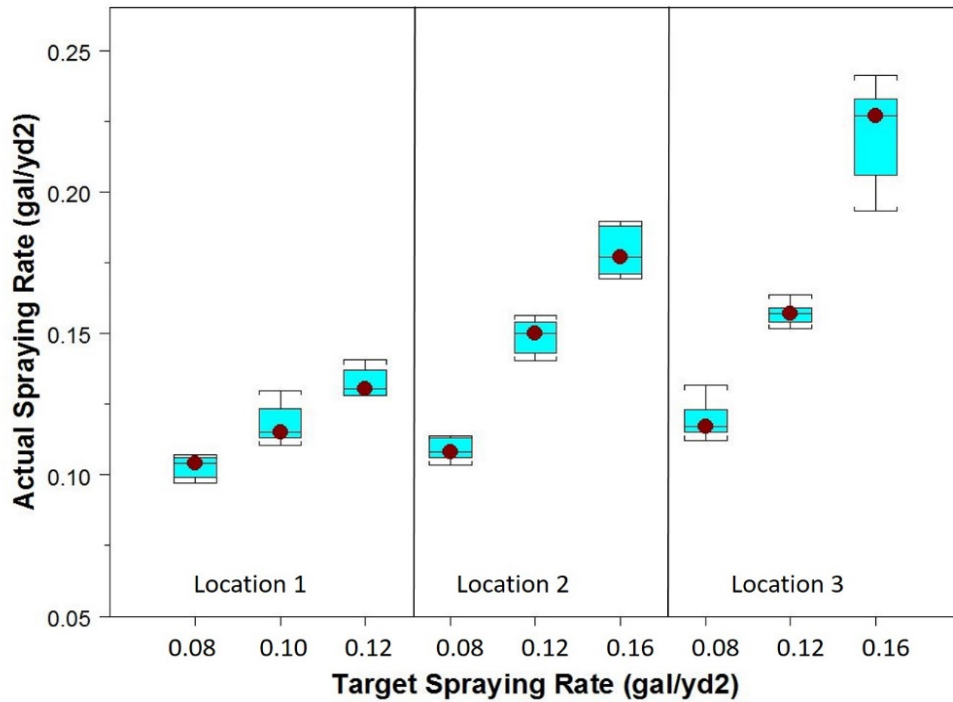
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Milled Surface



Contractor's truck used

RESULTS & DISCUSSION: UNIFORMITY ISSUES WITH THE OLD TRUCK



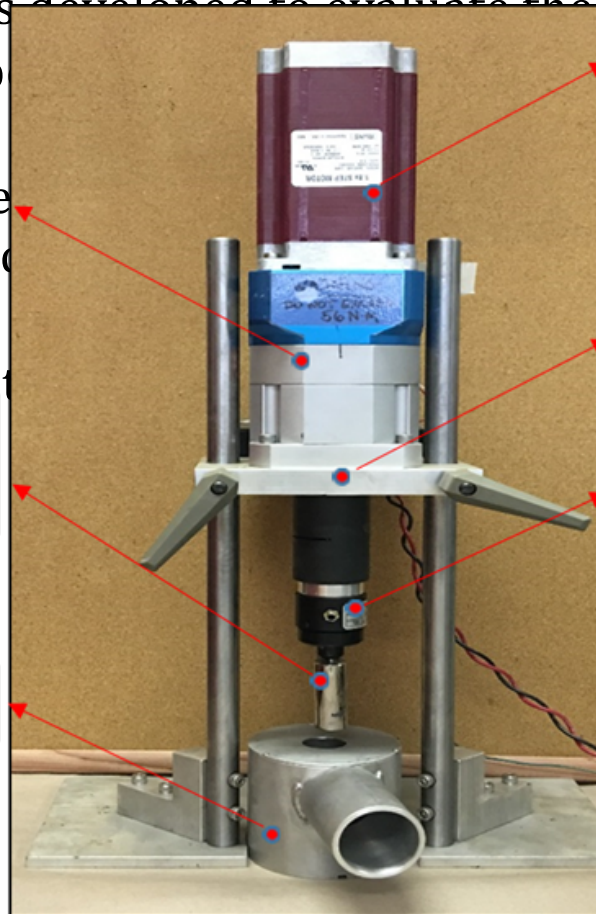
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❑ A low cost, practical, and less destructive field test device, the Oregon Field Torque Tester (OFTT), is developed to evaluate the long-term post-construction tack coat performance.

❑ Resilient Planetary Gearbox is used to characterize in-situ bond performance.

❑ OFTT can be used to test a Socket to be connected to the loading platen

Environmental Chamber



Stepper Motor

OFTT is an effective test to evaluate long-term bond performance.

Adjustable Frame

Torque Transducer

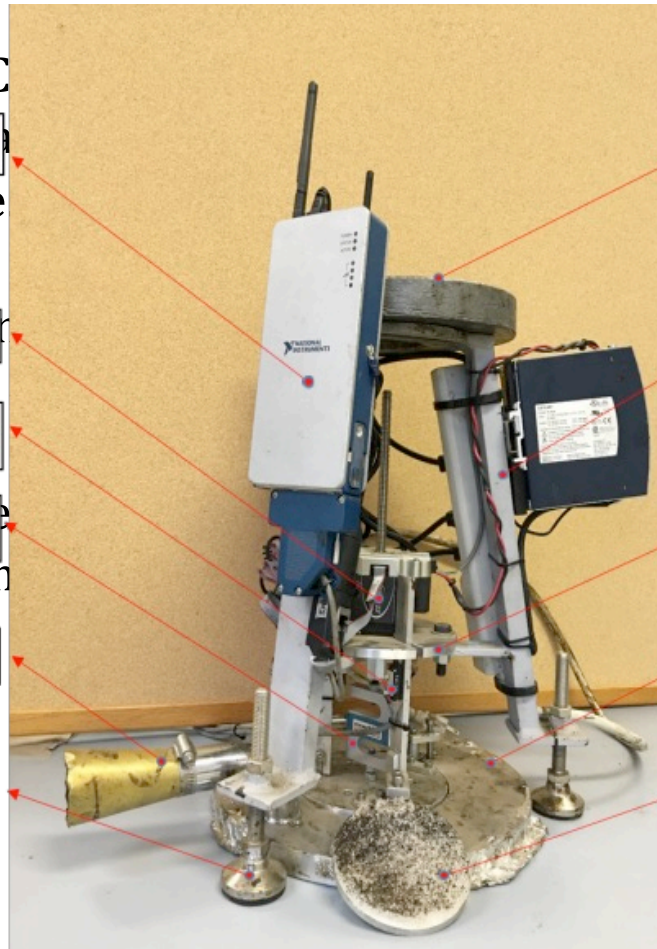
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- ❑ The Oregon Field Tack C
te Wireless data acquisition device
of the pavement surface

- ❑ The correlat Stepper modder
statistically significant.
Displacement transducers (pots)

- ❑ The OFTCT S-shape (load cell)
cleanliness of the pavem

- Exhaust pipe
- Adjustable feet



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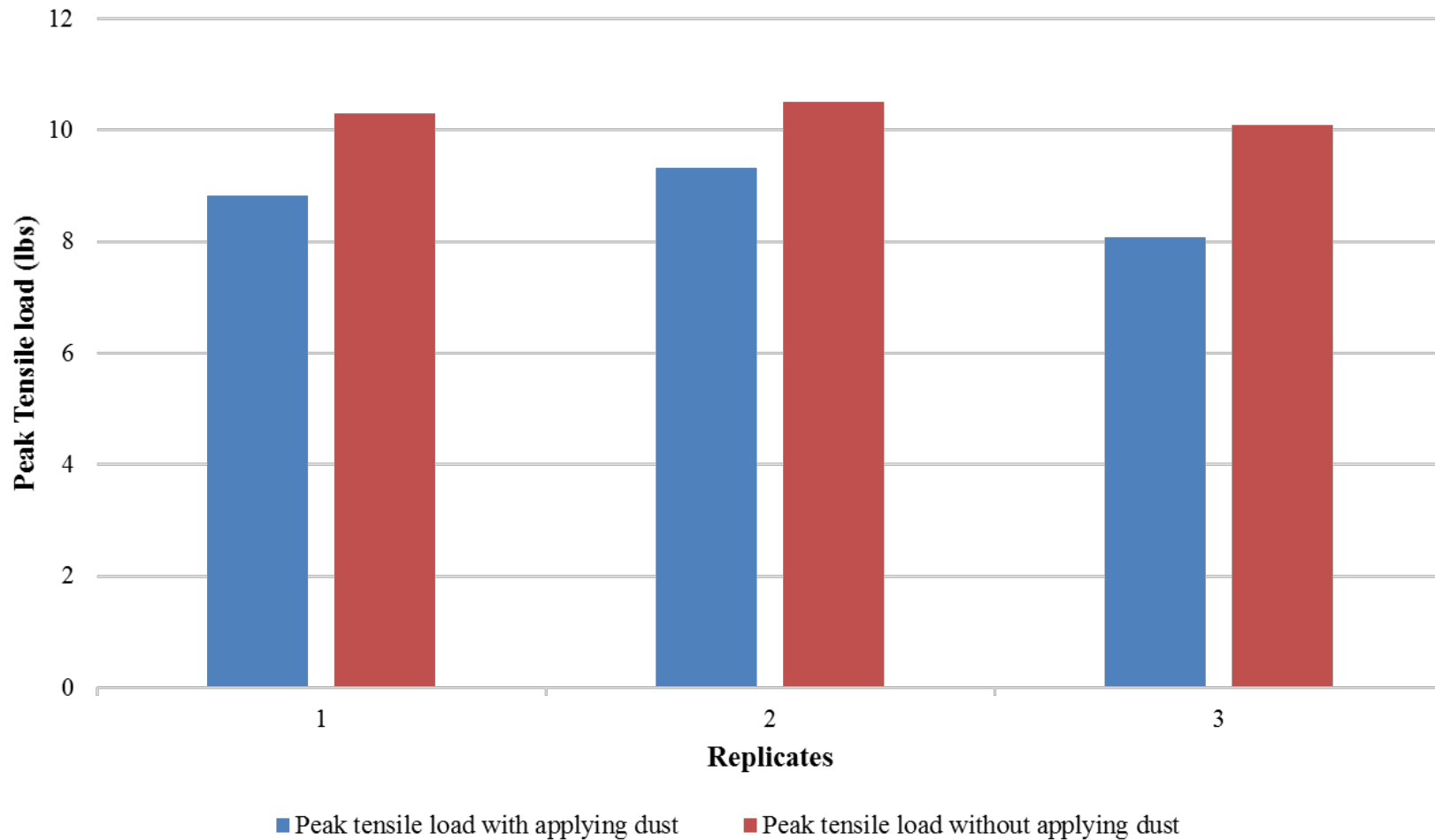
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Environmental chamber

Loading platen

RESULTS & DISCUSSION:

EFFECT OF DUST ON THE TACKED SURFACE



Spray pavers and current method

Spray pavers

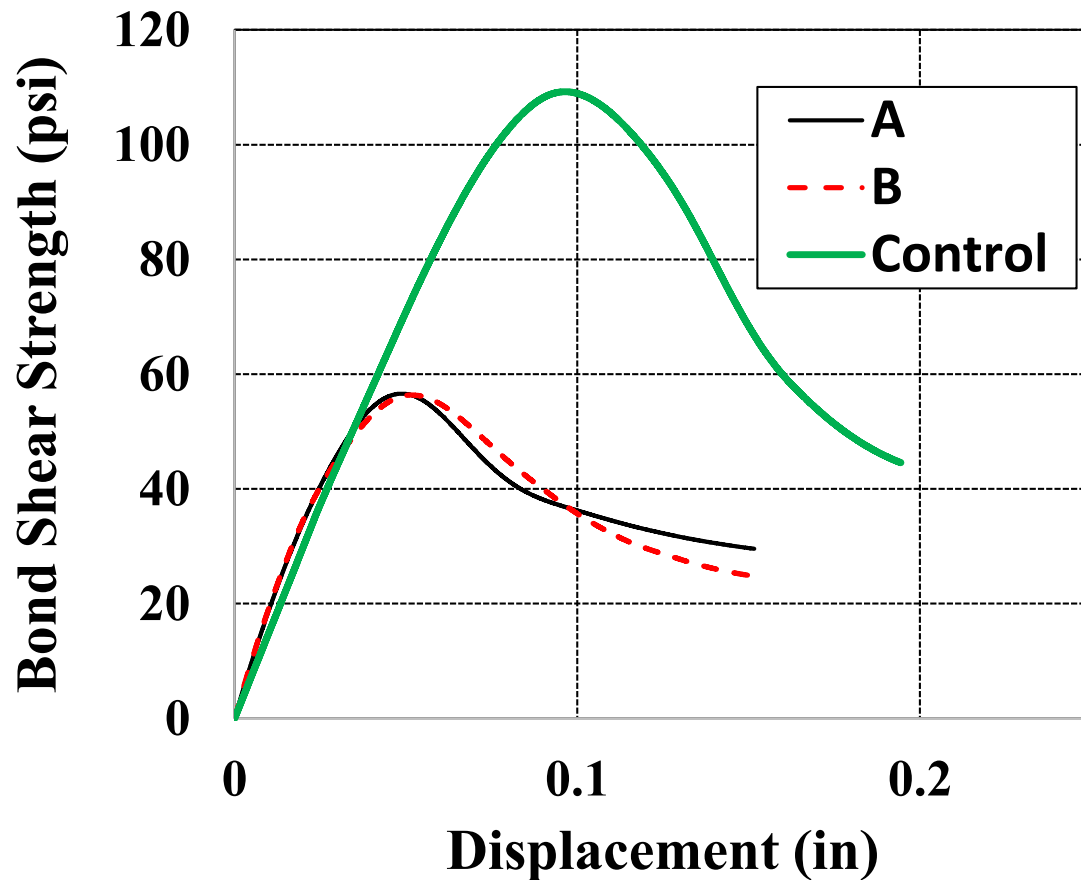


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Current method



Shear testing – Impact of rain on bond strength

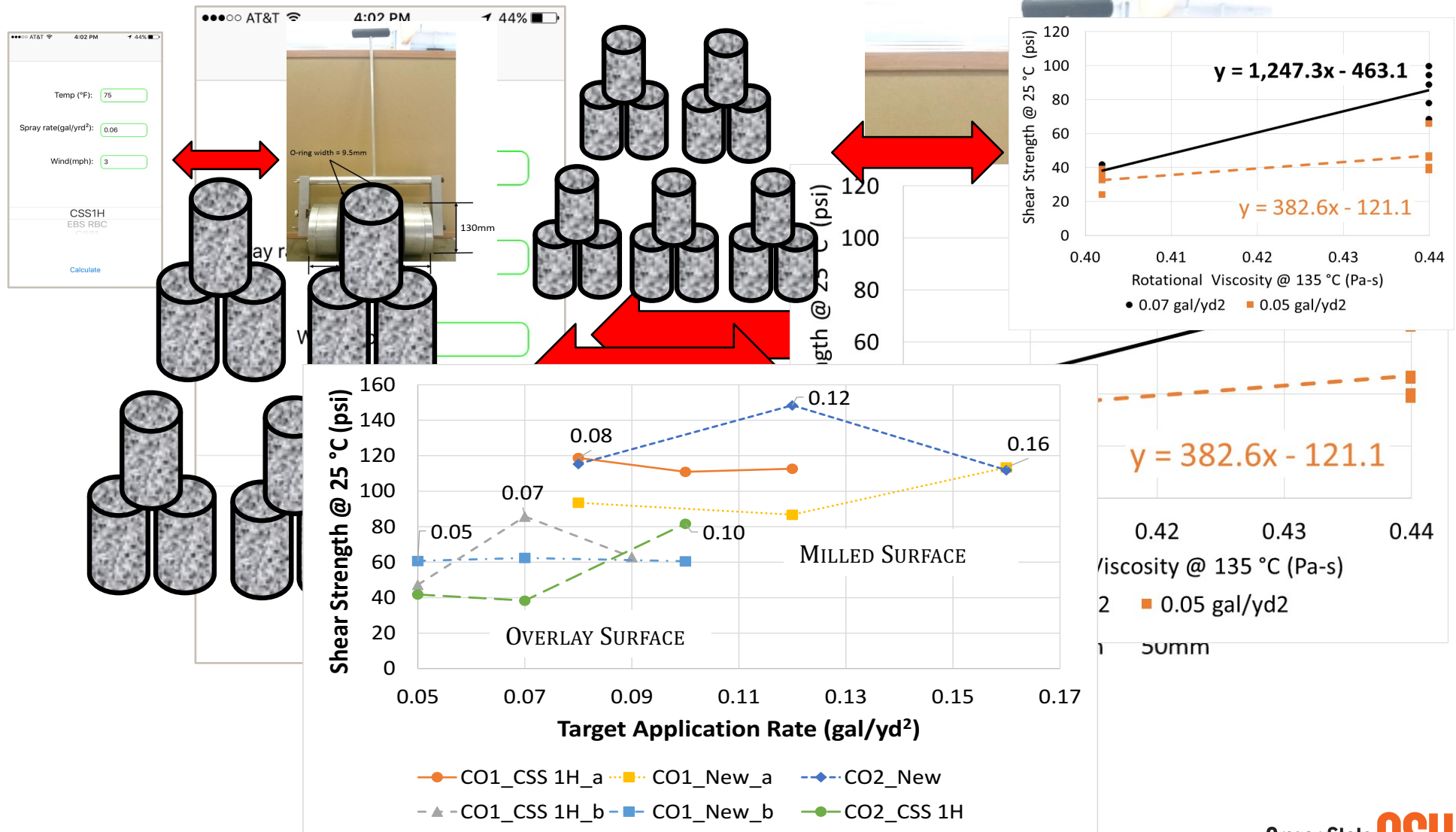


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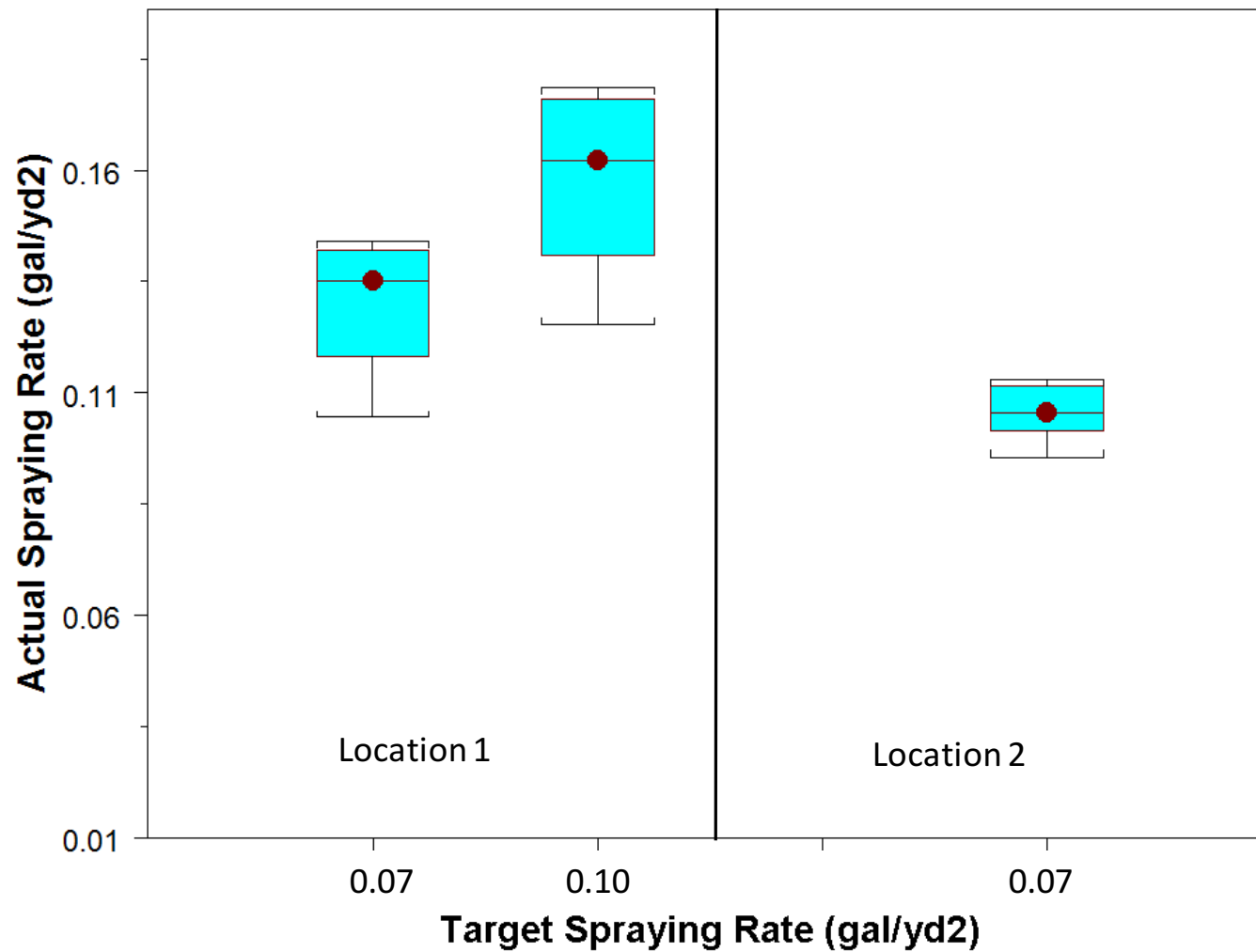


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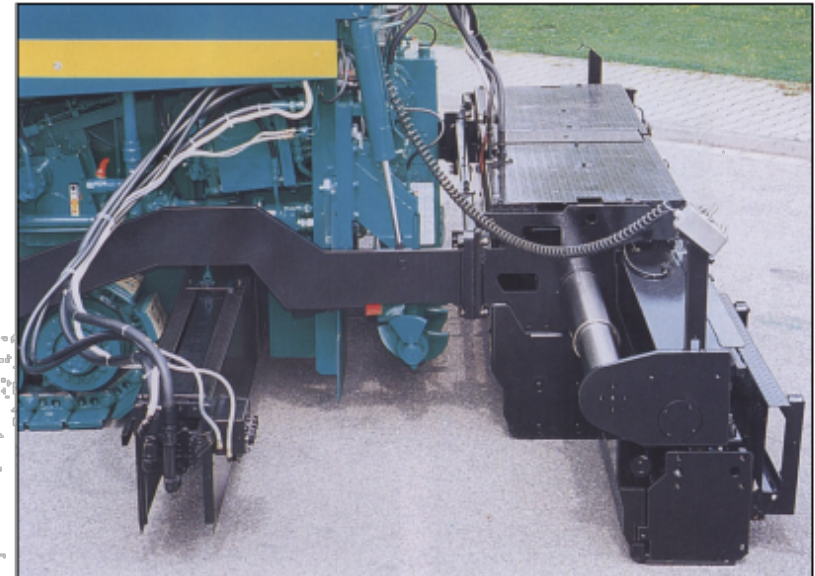
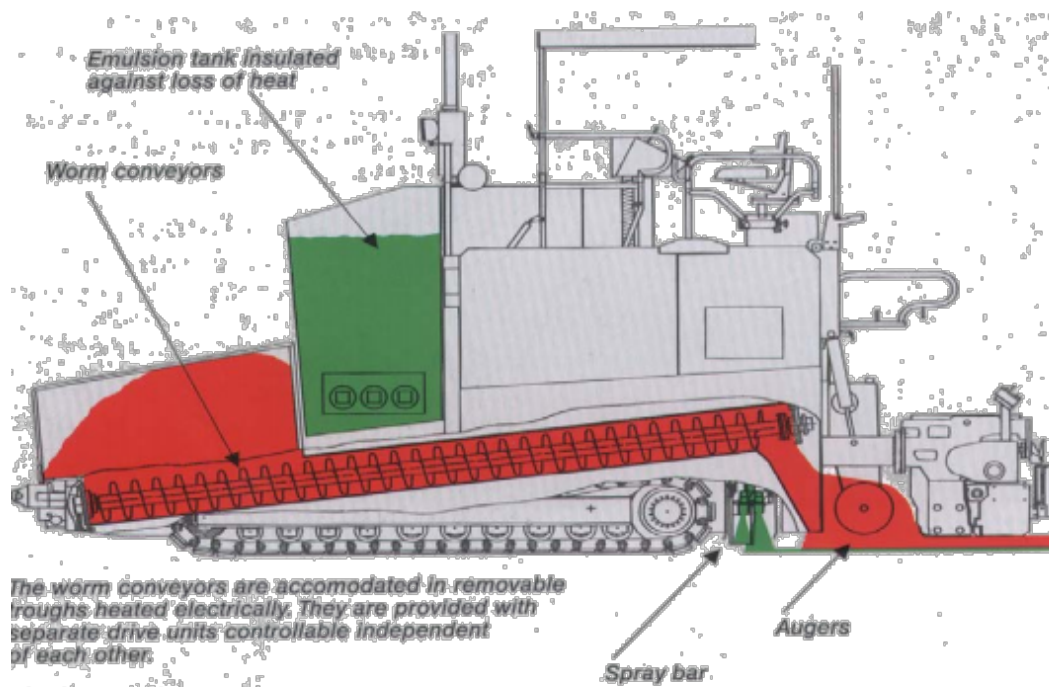
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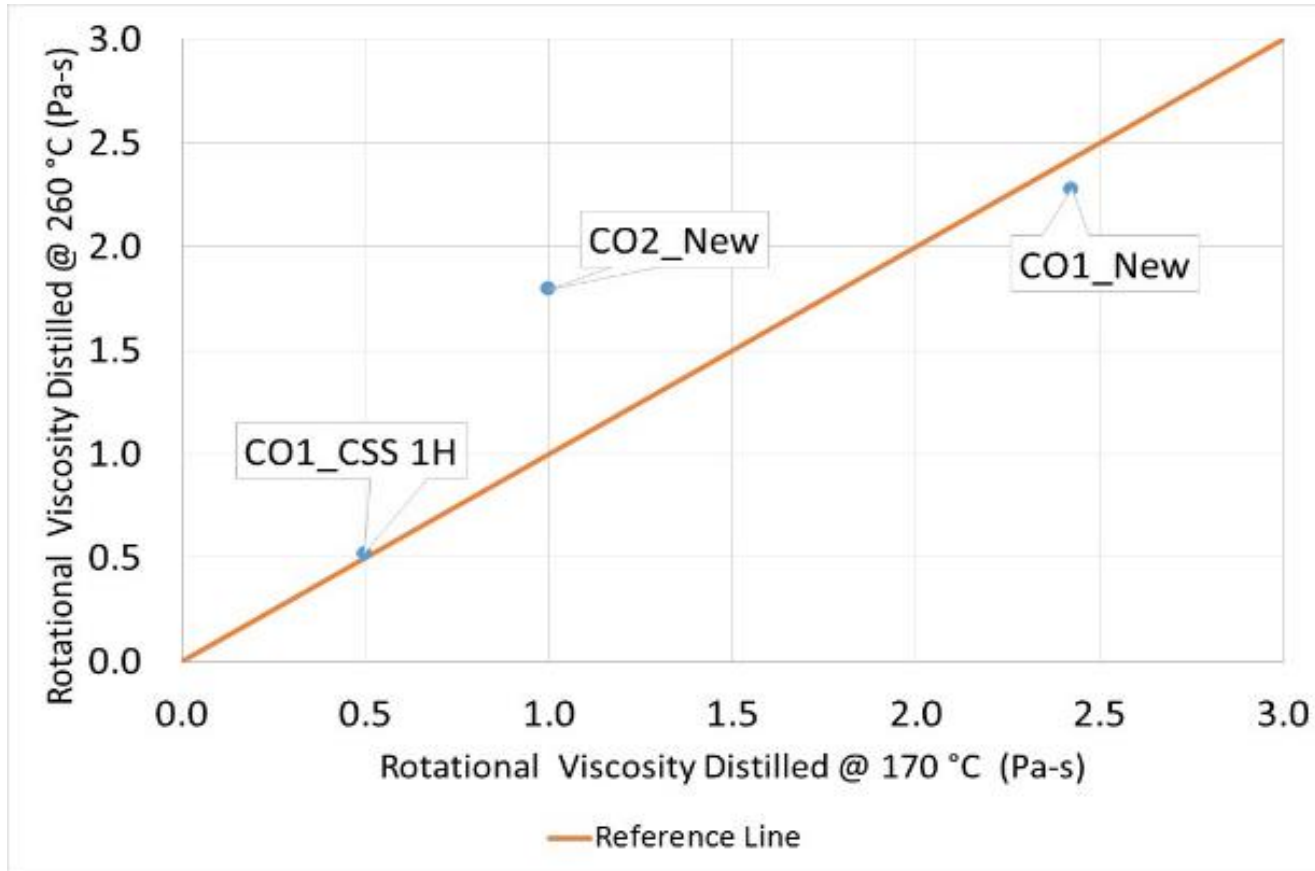
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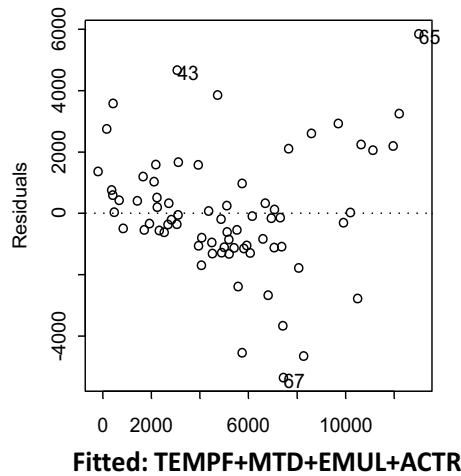


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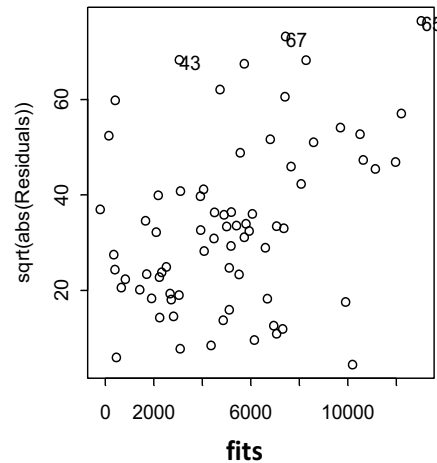


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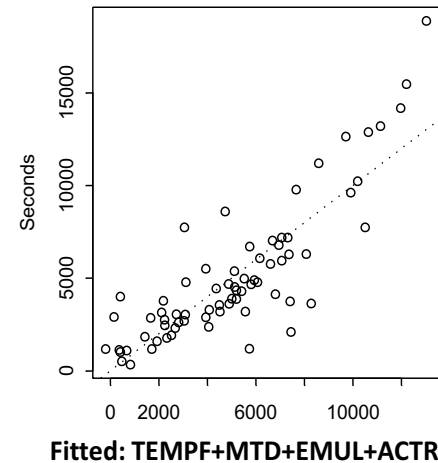
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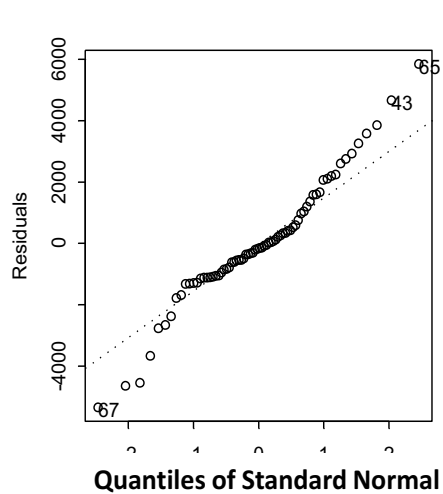
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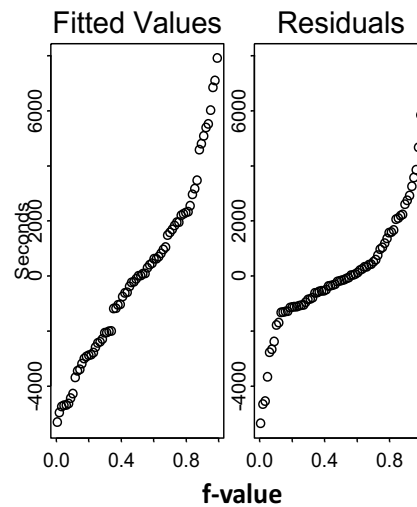
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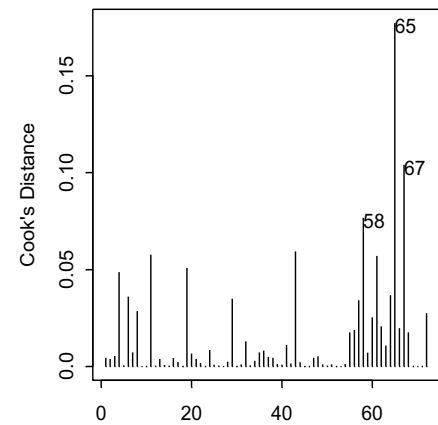
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