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## SI\* (MODERN METRIC) CONVERSION FACTORS

### APPROXIMATE CONVERSIONS TO SI UNITS

Symbol	When You Know	Multiply By	To Find	Symbol
<b>LENGTH</b>				
in	inches	25.4	millimeters	mm
ft	feet	0.305	meters	m
yd	yards	0.914	meters	m
mi	miles	1.61	kilometers	km
<b>AREA</b>				
in <sup>2</sup>	square inches	645.2	square millimeters	mm <sup>2</sup>
ft <sup>2</sup>	square feet	0.093	square meters	m <sup>2</sup>
yd <sup>2</sup>	square yard	0.838	square meters	m <sup>2</sup>
ac	acres	0.405	hectares	ha
mi <sup>2</sup>	square miles	2.59	square kilometers	km <sup>2</sup>
<b>VOLUME</b>				
fl oz	fluid ounces	29.57	milliliters	mL
gal	gallons	3.785	liters	L
ft <sup>3</sup>	cubic feet	0.028	cubic meters	m <sup>3</sup>
yd <sup>3</sup>	cubic yards	0.765	cubic meters	m <sup>3</sup>
NOTE: volumes greater than 1000 L shall be shown in m <sup>3</sup>				
<b>MASS</b>				
oz	ounces	28.35	grams	g
lb	pounds	0.454	kilograms	kg
T	short tons (2000 lb)	0.907	megagrams (or "metric ton")	Mg (or "t")
<b>TEMPERATURE (exact degrees)</b>				
°F	Fahrenheit	5 (F-32)/9 or (F-32)/1.8	Celsius	°C
<b>ILLUMINATION</b>				
fc	foot-candles	10.76	lux	lx
fl	foot-Lamberts	3.426	candela/m <sup>2</sup>	cd/m <sup>2</sup>
<b>FORCE and PRESSURE or STRESS</b>				
lbf	poundforce	4.45	newtons	N
lbf/in <sup>2</sup>	poundforce per square inch	6.89	kilopascals	kPa
<b>APPROXIMATE CONVERSIONS FROM SI UNITS</b>				
Symbol	When You Know	Multiply By	To Find	Symbol
<b>LENGTH</b>				
mm	millimeters	0.039	inches	in
m	meters	3.28	feet	ft
m	meters	1.09	yards	yd
km	kilometers	0.621	miles	mi
<b>AREA</b>				
mm <sup>2</sup>	square millimeters	0.0016	square inches	in <sup>2</sup>
m <sup>2</sup>	square meters	10.764	square feet	ft <sup>2</sup>
m <sup>2</sup>	square meters	1.195	square yards	yd <sup>2</sup>
ha	hectares	2.47	acres	ac
km <sup>2</sup>	square kilometers	0.388	square miles	mi <sup>2</sup>
<b>VOLUME</b>				
mL	milliliters	0.034	fluid ounces	fl oz
L	liters	0.264	gallons	gal
m <sup>3</sup>	cubic meters	35.314	cubic feet	ft <sup>3</sup>
m <sup>3</sup>	cubic meters	1.307	cubic yards	yd <sup>3</sup>
<b>MASS</b>				
g	grams	0.035	ounces	oz
kg	kilograms	2.202	pounds	lb
Mg (or "t")	megagrams (or "metric ton")	1.103	short tons (2000 lb)	T
<b>TEMPERATURE (exact degrees)</b>				
°C	Celsius	1.8C+32	Fahrenheit	°F
<b>ILLUMINATION</b>				
lx	lux	0.0929	foot-candles	fc
cd/m <sup>2</sup>	candela/m <sup>2</sup>	0.2919	foot-Lamberts	fl
<b>FORCE and PRESSURE or STRESS</b>				
N	newtons	0.225	poundforce	lbf
kPa	kilopascals	0.145	poundforce per square inch	lbf/in <sup>2</sup>

\*SI is the symbol for the International System of Units. Appropriate rounding should be made to comply with Section 4 of ASTM E380.  
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## Notes

Some of the material presented in this report was originally developed in the Mathcad<sup>1</sup> software program. You will notice several notation conventions that you may not be familiar with if you are not a Mathcad user. Most of these notation conventions are self-explanatory or easily understood. The most common Mathcad-specific notations in this material relate to the equals sign. You will notice two different notations for the equals sign used in the Mathcad material presented in this report. The differences between these equals sign notations are explained as follows.

- The “:=” (colon-equals) is an assignment operator, that is, the value of the variable or expression on the left side of “:=” is set equal to the value of the expression on the right side. For example, in the statement, “L := 1234”, the variable ‘L’ is assigned (i.e., set equal to) the value of 1234. Another example is “x := y + z”. In this case, ‘x’ is assigned the value of y + z.
- The “=” (standard equals) is used to obtain the numeric results of an expression. For example, referring to the “x := y + z” assignment used previously, if the value of ‘y’ was 10 and the value of ‘z’ was 15 (as might be accomplished with the following statements: “y := 10” and “z := 15”), then the expression “x =” would yield 25. Another example would be as follows: “s := 1800/3600”, and then typing “s =” would display “s = 0.5”. That is, ‘s’ was assigned the value of 1800 divided by 3600 (using :=), which equals 0.5 (as displayed by using =).

<sup>1</sup> <http://www.ptc.com/products/mathcad/>

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## Introduction

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## Overview of Changes to LOSPLAN Software

The section provides a general summary of the major computational and user interface revisions made to each of the LOSPLAN programs. Detailed computation documentation for each of the LOSPLAN programs is provided in the appendices.

### ARTPLAN

The computational elements of ARTPLAN and its user interface components were revised as necessary to accommodate the HCM 2010 analysis methodology revisions. Specific areas addressed include:

- Signal delay calculation, signal coordination/progression  
Implemented HCM 2010 delay calculation procedure for the through movement. This included revisions to the uniform delay (d1) calculation to directly account for progression (which is a function of arrival type) and a revision to the k-factor (a variable corresponding to signal control method and part of the d2 calculation) calculation.
- Accommodation of permitted left turn phasing  
Per meeting with project manager on 10/12/11, a 'protected+permitted' left turn phasing option has been implemented. Correspondingly, the calculation for queue storage ratio was revised to increase the left turn capacity by 2.5 veh/phase.
- Arterial running speed  
The results of the FDOT arterial classification project (BDK77 931-02) were implemented. More specifically, the proposed method for classifying arterials and determining LOS is now as follows:



- Arterials with a posted speed of 40 mi/h or greater are considered Class 1 arterials. Arterials with a posted speed of 35 mi/h or less are considered Class 2 arterials.
- The service measure used for Level of Service (LOS) is average travel speed, and the LOS threshold speeds are as shown in the following table.

HCM 2010 ATS (mph)	LOS	FDOT Class 1	FDOT Class 2
	A	40	28
	B	31	22
	C	23	16
	D	18	13
	E	15	10

- Setting free-flow speed equal to posted speed plus 5 mi/h has been retained from ARTPLAN 2009, rather than the new free-flow speed calculation from the HCM 2010.
- Multimodal
  - The bicycle and pedestrian LOS methodologies are now largely consistent with the HCM 2010. A bicycle sidepath analysis methodology has been added. The transit LOS methodology is still largely consistent with the ARTPLAN 2009 transit LOS methodology, but with the following revisions.
    - Minor revisions to the pedestrian crossing difficulty calculation
    - An adjustment for the relative speed of buses to automobiles was added
    - Removed the ‘obstacle to bus stop’ input
    - Removed the ‘span of service’ input
    - Added a ‘passenger load factor’ input
    - Added an ‘amenities’ input
    - Added a ‘bus stop type’ input
- Other
  - An ‘on-street parking’ input and complementary ‘parking activity’ input was added
    - These inputs affect the ‘other delay’ value for automobile segment running speed and the pedestrian and bicycle LOS calculations

The term ‘segment’ used in previous versions of ARTPLAN has now been changed to ‘link’. The combination of link length (distance between intersections) and intersection width yields the segment length.

## HIGHPLAN

The computational elements of HIGHPLAN and its user interface components were revised as necessary to accommodate the HCM 2010 analysis methodology revisions. Specific areas addressed include:

- Grade adjustment factor values  
These values were revised to be consistent with the HCM 2010.
- Passenger car equivalency factor values  
These values were revised to be consistent with the HCM 2010.
- Capacity adjustments  
The capacity value for two-lane undeveloped situations was changed from 1600 pc/h/ln to 1650 pc/h/ln. All of the capacity values used in HIGHPLAN 2012 are shown in the following table.

	HIGHPLAN 2012
Two-Lane Undeveloped	1500
Two-Lane Developed	1650
Multilane Undeveloped	1600
Multilane Developed	1850

- Implement two-lane highway facility analysis methodology  
The two-lane highway facility methodology, as originally developed in FDOT project BC 345-89 and then further revised as documented in reference<sup>1</sup>, was implemented.
- User interface
  - Changed 'Left Turn Impact' label to 'Left Turn/Blockage Impact'

## FREEPLAN

The computational elements of FREEPLAN and its user interface components were revised as necessary to accommodate the HCM 2010 analysis methodology revisions. Specific areas addressed include:

- Full implementation of downstream segment speed constraint  
Due to the segmentation scheme used in previous versions of FREEPLAN (i.e., the use of 'interchange' segment types), there were limitations on the application of eq. 25-2 (HCM 2010). To facilitate completion of this task, the segmentation method for a freeway facility was revised to be completely consistent with that of the HCM Freeway Facilities methodology. The previous segments "full cloverleaf", "partial cloverleaf", and "diamond" have been removed. The segment types present in FREEPLAN 2012 include 'Basic', 'Off-Ramp', 'On-Ramp', 'Overlap', 'Weaving', and 'Toll Plaza'.
- Auxiliary lane service volume adjustments  
Auxiliary lane adjustments are handled completely within the weaving segment analysis

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<sup>1</sup> Two-Lane Highway Simulation and Analysis. Ph.D. Dissertation by Jing Li. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Scott Washburn. University of Florida, July 2012.

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methodology (per the HCM 2010). Per FDOT project BDK75 977-08, it was found that for segments too long for the weaving analysis to be applicable, in which case the segment is analyzed as a 'basic segment', an auxiliary lane provides very nearly a full lane of capacity (98-99%). Thus, no capacity reduction is made for the auxiliary lane, which is consistent with the HCM 2010 methodology.

- Implement rural LOS thresholds  
The density thresholds for LOS on rural freeways, determined from FDOT project BC 354-92, were implemented.
- Implement toll plaza analysis  
A new toll plaza analysis methodology has been incorporated into the FREEPLAN analysis methodology. The details of this methodology are documented in reference<sup>2</sup>.
- User interface
  - The 'Hot Spots' column on the 'Results' screen and the corresponding dialog form were removed, as these were no longer necessary due to the changes in the segmentation scheme.

## ALL PROGRAMS

- Treatment of K and peak hour factors  
The PHF default was set to 1.0 for all area type conditions. The default K-factor values were revised to the values given in Table 1 of Mr. McLeod's issue paper on adopting standard K values<sup>3</sup>. The 'K100' terminology previously used in the program was changed to 'Standard K'. A warning message was implemented for the situation when the user changes the K-factor value to something other than the standard value.
- User interface
  - Revised the input segmentation scheme to be fully consistent with the HCM Freeway Facilities methodology.
  - Changed K and D inputs to percentages instead of decimals
  - Disable K factor input if 'Standard K' is chosen
  - Added a warning message when user changes to 'Kother' study period on project properties screen ("By selecting the Kother study period, FDOT may require justification for its use.")
  - The selected study period shown in the printed report is now bolded.
  - A new mechanism for quickly loading previously used files has been implemented.

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<sup>2</sup> Implementing Toll Plaza Analysis into FREEPLAN. Master's Thesis by Robin Osborne. Faculty Advisor: Dr. Scott Washburn. University of Florida, April 2012.

<sup>3</sup> DRAFT Issue Paper on Improving Florida's Transportation Planning and Design Analysis Time Period Process (Adopting Standard K Factors throughout FDOT), 5/4/11.

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- The printing dialog has been revised to more easily facilitate printing to the non-default printer (such as PDF)
  - Updates to LOSPLAN Installation and Beta Testing  
The LOSPLAN installation routine was revised as necessary.
  - Updates to the computational methodologies documentation  
The Mathcad worksheets that document the details of the ARTPLAN, HIGHPLAN, and FREEPLAN internal calculations were updated, and are included in the appendices of this report. Note that only one instance of each of the individual segment calculation methodologies for freeway facilities is included in this document (i.e., basic, on-ramp, off-ramp, ramp overlap, and weaving segment methodologies). These represent individual segments from the FREEPLAN example facility, which includes a total of 33 segments. The overall facility calculations, which aggregates the results across all 33 segments is also included. The complete computational documentation for FREEPLAN, as well as HIGHPLAN and ARTPLAN, can be found at the following website: <http://www.losplan.net>  
  
This website also contains the ARTPLAN, HIGHPLAN, and FREEPLAN input files that correspond to the computations documentation.
  - Updates to the electronic help files  
The electronic help files were updated as necessary.

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**Appendix A**  
**Automobile Calculations Documentation for ARTPLAN**

# ARTPLAN Computational Methodology

## Automobile Mode

For Version 9/11/2012

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## Inputs

### Project Properties

#### Roadway Variables:

AreaType := 1            1 = Large Urbanized, 2 = Other Urbanized, 3 = Transitioning/Urban, 4 = Rural Developed

Class := 2

### Intersection

#### Facility-Wide Values:

BaseSatFlowRate := 1950      Sig := 2      0 = Pretimed, 1 = Coordinated Actuated, 2 = Fully Actuated

#### Intersection Data:

Int <sub>1</sub>	Int <sub>2</sub>	Int <sub>3</sub>	Int <sub>4</sub>
No Inputs Required	Cycle <sub>1</sub> := 120	Cycle <sub>2</sub> := 150	Cycle <sub>3</sub> := 150
	gC <sub>1</sub> := 0.50	gC <sub>2</sub> := 0.40	gC <sub>3</sub> := 0.45
	ArrivalType <sub>1</sub> := 4	ArrivalType <sub>2</sub> := 3	ArrivalType <sub>3</sub> := 5
	IntThruLanes <sub>1</sub> := 3	IntThruLanes <sub>2</sub> := 3	IntThruLanes <sub>3</sub> := 4
	%LeftTurns <sub>1</sub> := 12	%LeftTurns <sub>2</sub> := 7	%LeftTurns <sub>3</sub> := 9
	%RightTurns <sub>1</sub> := 8	%RightTurns <sub>2</sub> := 5	%RightTurns <sub>3</sub> := 4
	LeftTurnBay <sub>1</sub> := 1	LeftTurnBay <sub>2</sub> := 1	LeftTurnBay <sub>3</sub> := 1
	RightTurnBay <sub>1</sub> := 0	RightTurnBay <sub>2</sub> := 0	RightTurnBay <sub>3</sub> := 1

\*For left turn and right turn bays: 0 = No, 1 = Yes

## Link (Auto)

### Facility-Wide Values:

$$\underset{wv}{K} := 0.095 \quad D := 0.55 \quad PHF := 0.95 \quad \%HV := 2.5$$

### Link Data:

Link<sub>1</sub>Link<sub>2</sub>Link<sub>3</sub>

LinkLength<sub>1</sub> := 2500

LinkLength<sub>2</sub> := 1500

LinkLength<sub>3</sub> := 1700

AADT<sub>1</sub> := 43250

AADT<sub>2</sub> := 43250

AADT<sub>3</sub> := 43250

HourlyDirVol<sub>1</sub> := round(AADT<sub>1</sub> · K · D)    HourlyDirVol<sub>2</sub> := round(AADT<sub>2</sub> · K · D)    HourlyDirVol<sub>3</sub> := round(AADT<sub>3</sub> · K · D)

HourlyDirVol<sub>1</sub> = 2260

HourlyDirVol<sub>2</sub> = 2260

HourlyDirVol<sub>3</sub> = 2260

LinkNumLanes<sub>1</sub> := 3

LinkNumLanes<sub>2</sub> := 3

LinkNumLanes<sub>3</sub> := 4

FFS<sub>1</sub> := 50

FFS<sub>2</sub> := 50

FFS<sub>3</sub> := 50

MedianType<sub>1</sub> := 1

MedianType<sub>2</sub> := 2

MedianType<sub>3</sub> := 1

OnStreetParking<sub>1</sub> := 1

OnStreetParking<sub>2</sub> := 0

OnStreetParking<sub>3</sub> := 0

ParkingActivity<sub>1</sub> := 2

ParkingActivity<sub>2</sub> := 0

ParkingActivity<sub>3</sub> := 0

\*For MedianType: 0 = None, 1 = NonRestrictive, 2 = Restrictive

\*For On-Street Parking: 0 = No, 1 = Yes

\*For Parking Activity: 0 = Not Applicable, 1 = Low, 2 = Medium, 3 = High

## Auto LOS Computational Steps

### 1. Calculate the Saturation Flow Rate Adjustment Factors

#### A. Calculate the population adjustment factor

$$\text{Population}(\text{AreaType}) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 1.5 & \text{if AreaType} = 1 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 0.4 & \text{if AreaType} = 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 0.03 & \text{if AreaType} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 0.003 & \text{if AreaType} = 4 \end{cases}$$

Population(AreaType) = 1.5

$$\text{PopFact} := \frac{1}{\text{Population}(\text{AreaType})^{-0.018}}$$

PopFact = 1.007

**B. Calculate the number of lanes adjustment factor**

$$E_{CL} := 1.03 \quad \text{NumLnsFact}(i) := \frac{1}{1 + \frac{1}{\text{IntThruLanes}_i} \cdot (E_{CL} - 1)}$$

NumLnsFact(1) = 0.99  
 NumLnsFact(2) = 0.99  
 NumLnsFact(3) = 0.993

**C. Calculate the posted speed adjustment factor**

\* FFS - 5 is equivalent to the posted speed entered in ARTPLAN

$$\text{PostedSpd}(i) := \min(\max(30, \text{FFS}_i - 5), 55) \quad \text{SpdFact}(i) := \frac{1}{1 - 0.0066(\text{PostedSpd}(i) - 50)}$$

$$\text{SpdFact}(1) = 0.968 \quad \text{SpdFact}(2) = 0.968 \quad \text{SpdFact}(3) = 0.968$$

**D. Calculate the traffic pressure adjustment factor**

$$\text{CalcPctTurns}(\%LT, \%RT, i) := \begin{cases} \%LT & \text{if LeftTurnBay}_i = 1 \wedge \text{RightTurnBay}_i = 0 \\ \%RT & \text{if LeftTurnBay}_i = 0 \wedge \text{RightTurnBay}_i = 1 \\ \%LT + \%RT & \text{if LeftTurnBay}_i = 1 \wedge \text{RightTurnBay}_i = 1 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \%Turns_1 &:= \text{CalcPctTurns}(\%LeftTurns_1, \%RightTurns_1, 1) & \%Turns_1 &= 12 \\ \%Turns_2 &:= \text{CalcPctTurns}(\%LeftTurns_2, \%RightTurns_2, 2) & \%Turns_2 &= 7 \\ \%Turns_3 &:= \text{CalcPctTurns}(\%LeftTurns_3, \%RightTurns_3, 3) & \%Turns_3 &= 13 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{ThruMvmtFlowRate}(i) := \frac{\text{HourlyDirVol}_i}{\text{PHF}} \cdot \left[ 1 - \left( \frac{\%Turns_i}{100} \right) \right]$$

ThruMvmtFlowRate(1) = 2093.5  
 ThruMvmtFlowRate(2) = 2212.4  
 ThruMvmtFlowRate(3) = 2069.7

$$v(i) := \min\left(\frac{\text{ThruMvmtFlowRate}(i) \cdot \text{Cycle}_i}{\text{IntThruLanes}_i \cdot 3600}, 30\right) \quad v(1) = 23.261 \quad v(2) = 30 \quad v(3) = 21.559$$

$$\text{TrafFact}(i) := \frac{1}{1 - 0.0032(v(i) - 20)} \quad \text{TrafFact}(1) = 1.011 \quad \text{TrafFact}(2) = 1.033 \quad \text{TrafFact}(3) = 1.005$$

**E. Calculate the lane width adjustment factor**

$$W_{inln}(i) := \begin{cases} 12 & \text{if } W_{outln}_i \geq 12 \\ W_{outln}_i & \text{if } W_{outln}_i < 12 \end{cases}$$

$W_{inln}(1) = 12$   
 $W_{inln}(2) = 12$   
 $W_{inln}(3) = 12$



$$W_{\text{avg}}(i) := \frac{[W_{\text{inln}}(i) \cdot (\text{IntThruLanes}_i - 1)] + W_{\text{outln}_i}}{\text{IntThruLanes}_i}$$

$$W_{\text{avg}}(1) = 12$$

$$W_{\text{avg}}(2) = 12$$

$$W_{\text{avg}}(3) = 12$$

$$\text{LnWidthFact}(i) := 1 + \frac{W_{\text{avg}}(i) - 12}{30}$$

$$\text{LnWidthFact}(1) = 1.00$$

$$\text{LnWidthFact}(2) = 1.00$$

$$\text{LnWidthFact}(3) = 1.00$$

#### F. Determine the Median adjustment factor

$$\text{MedianFact}(i) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 0.95 & \text{if MedianType}_i = 0 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 1.0 & \text{if MedianType}_i = 1 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 1.0 & \text{if MedianType}_i = 2 \\ \text{out} & \end{cases}$$

$$\text{MedianFact}(1) = 1.0$$

$$\text{MedianFact}(2) = 1.0$$

$$\text{MedianFact}(3) = 1.0$$

#### G. Determine the left turn bay adjustment factor

$$\text{LTFact}(i) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 0.8 & \text{if LeftTurnBay}_i = 0 \wedge \% \text{LeftTurns}_i \neq 0 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 1.0 & \text{if LeftTurnBay}_i = 1 \vee \% \text{LeftTurns}_i = 0 \\ \text{out} & \end{cases}$$

$$\text{LTFact}(1) = 1.0$$

$$\text{LTFact}(2) = 1.0$$

$$\text{LTFact}(3) = 1.0$$

#### H. Determine the right turn adjustment factor

$$\text{PctMultiplier}(i) := \begin{cases} \text{if IntThruLanes}_i > 1 \\ \quad \begin{cases} \text{return } 0 & \text{if \%RightTurns}_i < 2.5 \\ \text{return } 0.14 & \text{if \%RightTurns}_i > 30 \\ \left[ \text{return } 0.00007 \cdot (\% \text{RightTurns}_i)^2 + 0.0004 \cdot \% \text{RightTurns}_i + 0.0611 \right] & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \\ \text{if IntThruLanes}_i = 1 \\ \quad \begin{cases} \text{return } 0 & \text{if \%RightTurns}_i < 2.5 \\ \text{return } 0.13 & \text{if \%RightTurns}_i > 30 \\ \left[ \text{return } 0.0001 \cdot (\% \text{RightTurns}_i)^2 + 0.0004 \cdot \% \text{RightTurns}_i + 0.0253 \right] & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{PctMultiplier}(1) = 0.069$$

$$\text{PctMultiplier}(2) = 0.065$$

$$\text{PctMultiplier}(3) = 0.064$$

$$RTFact(i) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 1 - \left( \text{PctMultiplier}(i) \cdot \frac{\%RightTurns_i}{12} \right) & \text{if } RightTurnBay_i = 1 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \frac{1}{1 + \left( \frac{\%RightTurns_i}{100} \cdot 0.07 \right)} & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

RTFact(1) = 0.994  
RTFact(2) = 0.997  
RTFact(3) = 0.979

### 1. Calculate the heavy vehicle adjustment factor

$$E_T := 2.3 \quad (\text{per "Impact of Trucks on Arterial LOS" FDOT project; BD-545-51})$$

$$f_{HV} := \frac{1}{1 + \left[ \frac{\%HV}{100} \cdot (E_T - 1) \right]} \quad f_{HV} = 0.969$$

### 2. Calculate the Adjusted Saturation Flow Rate

$$FactAdj(i) := LnWidthFact(i) \cdot MedianFact(i) \cdot f_{HV} \cdot PopFact \cdot TrafFact(i) \cdot NumLnsFact(i) \cdot SpdFact(i) \cdot LTFact(i) \cdot RTFact(i)$$

$$\begin{aligned} FactAdj(1) &= 0.94 \\ FactAdj(2) &= 0.963 \\ FactAdj(3) &= 0.922 \end{aligned}$$

$$AdjSatFlowRate(i) := BaseSatFlowRate \cdot FactAdj(i)$$

$$\begin{aligned} AdjSatFlowRate(1) &= 1832.41 \\ AdjSatFlowRate(2) &= 1877.153 \\ AdjSatFlowRate(3) &= 1798.053 \end{aligned}$$

$$*ARTPLAN \text{ reports } (IntThruLanes) \cdot (AdjSatFlowRate)$$

$$\begin{aligned} AdjSatFlowRate(1) \cdot IntThruLanes_1 &= 5497 \\ AdjSatFlowRate(2) \cdot IntThruLanes_2 &= 5631 \\ AdjSatFlowRate(3) \cdot IntThruLanes_3 &= 7192 \end{aligned}$$

### 3. Calculate signal delay

#### A. Calculate volume to capacity ratio (v/c)

$$\begin{aligned} ThruMvmtFlowRate(1) &= 2093.474 \\ ThruMvmtFlowRate(2) &= 2212.421 \\ ThruMvmtFlowRate(3) &= 2069.684 \end{aligned}$$

$$c(i) := AdjSatFlowRate(i) \cdot IntThruLanes_i \cdot gC_i$$

$$\begin{aligned} c(1) &= 2748.616 \\ c(2) &= 2252.584 \\ c(3) &= 3236.496 \end{aligned}$$

$$vc(i) := \frac{ThruMvmtFlowRate(i)}{c(i)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} vc(1) &= 0.762 \\ vc(2) &= 0.982 \\ vc(3) &= 0.639 \end{aligned}$$

#### 1. Determine Platoon Ratio

From Exhibit 18-8 HCM 2010

$$\text{CalcR}_p(i) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 0.333 & \text{if } \text{ArrivalType}_i = 1 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 0.667 & \text{if } \text{ArrivalType}_i = 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 1.0 & \text{if } \text{ArrivalType}_i = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 1.333 & \text{if } \text{ArrivalType}_i = 4 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 1.667 & \text{if } \text{ArrivalType}_i = 5 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 2 & \text{otherwise} \\ \text{out} & \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} R_{p_1} &:= \text{CalcR}_p(1) & R_{p_1} &= 1.333 \\ R_{p_2} &:= \text{CalcR}_p(2) & R_{p_2} &= 1 \\ R_{p_3} &:= \text{CalcR}_p(3) & R_{p_3} &= 1.667 \end{aligned}$$

2. Calculate the proportion of arrivals on green

Equation 18-2 HCM 2010

$$\text{CalcPropGreen}(i) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 1.0 & \text{if } (R_{p_i} \cdot gC_i) > 1.0 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow R_{p_i} \cdot gC_i & \text{otherwise} \\ \text{out} & \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{PropGreen}_1 &:= \text{CalcPropGreen}(1) & \text{PropGreen}_1 &= 0.667 \\ \text{PropGreen}_2 &:= \text{CalcPropGreen}(2) & \text{PropGreen}_2 &= 0.4 \\ \text{PropGreen}_3 &:= \text{CalcPropGreen}(3) & \text{PropGreen}_3 &= 0.75 \end{aligned}$$

3. Calculate the flow rates during green and red

Eqs. 18-23, 18-24 HCM 2010

$$\text{FlowRateGreen}(i) := \frac{\frac{\text{ThruMvmtFlowRate}(i)}{3600} \cdot \text{PropGreen}_i}{gC_i}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{FlowRateGreen}(1) &= 0.775 \quad \text{veh/sec} \\ \text{FlowRateGreen}(2) &= 0.615 \\ \text{FlowRateGreen}(3) &= 0.958 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{FlowRateRed}(i) := \frac{\frac{\text{ThruMvmtFlowRate}(i)}{3600} \cdot (1 - \text{PropGreen}_i)}{(1 - gC_i)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{FlowRateRed}(1) &= 0.388 \\ \text{FlowRateRed}(2) &= 0.615 \\ \text{FlowRateRed}(3) &= 0.261 \end{aligned}$$

4. Calculate uniform delay ( $d_1$ )

$$\text{RedTime}(i) := \text{Cycle}_i - \text{Cycle}_i \cdot gC_i$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{RedTime}(1) &= 60 \\ \text{RedTime}(2) &= 90 \\ \text{RedTime}(3) &= 82.5 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{TimeQueueClear}(i) := \frac{\text{FlowRateRed}(i) \cdot \text{RedTime}(i)}{\frac{\text{AdjSatFlowRate}(i) \cdot \text{IntThruLanes}_i}{3600} - \text{FlowRateGreen}(i)}$$

$$\text{TimeQueueClear}(1) = 30.954$$

$$\text{TimeQueueClear}(2) = 58.238$$

$$\text{TimeQueueClear}(3) = 20.728$$

$$\text{TotalDelay}(i) := \left(0.5 \cdot \text{FlowRateRed}(i) \cdot \text{RedTime}(i)^2\right) + (0.5 \cdot \text{FlowRateRed}(i) \cdot \text{RedTime}(i) \cdot \text{TimeQueueClear}(i))$$

$$\text{TotalDelay}(1) = 1058.36$$

$$\text{TotalDelay}(2) = 4099.56$$

$$\text{TotalDelay}(3) = 1112.093$$

$$d_1(i) := \frac{\text{TotalDelay}(i)}{\left(\frac{\text{ThruMvmtFlowRate}(i)}{3600} \cdot \text{Cycle}_i\right)}$$

$$d_1(1) = 15.17$$

$$d_1(2) = 44.47$$

$$d_1(3) = 12.90$$

## 5. Calculate incremental delay ( $d_2$ )

### a. Determine $k$ , signal controller mode delay adjustment factor

If the intersection is operating under pretimed mode,  $k = 0.5$ .

$$\text{PassTime} := 2.0$$

$$k_{\min} := \max\left(0.04, -0.375 + 0.354 \cdot \text{PassTime} - 0.0910 \cdot \text{PassTime}^2 + 0.00889 \cdot \text{PassTime}^3\right) \quad k_{\min} = 0.04$$

$$k_{\text{fact}}(i) := \begin{cases} \text{return } .5 & \text{if Sig} = 0 \\ \text{return } .5 & \text{if Sig} = 1 \\ \text{return } (1 - 2 \cdot k_{\min}) \cdot (\text{vc}(i) - 0.5) + k_{\min} & \text{if Sig} = 2 \end{cases}$$

Eqs. 18-41, 18-42 HCM 2010

$$k_1 := k_{\text{fact}}(1) \quad k_2 := k_{\text{fact}}(2) \quad k_3 := k_{\text{fact}}(3)$$

$$k_1 = 0.281$$

$$k_2 = 0.484$$

$$k_3 = 0.168$$

**Note:  $k$  cannot exceed 0.5**

### b. Determine $l$ , the upstream filtering/metering adjustment factor

If the  $v/c$  ratio for the upstream signal is greater than 1, then  $l = 0.09$ .

When there is no upstream signal, use the  $v/c$  ratio for that intersection.

$$\text{Ifact}(i) := \begin{cases} \text{return } 1.0 - 0.91 \cdot \text{vc}(i)^{2.68} & \text{if } \text{vc}(i) < 1 \wedge i = 1 \\ \text{return } 0.09 & \text{if } \text{vc}(i) \geq 1 \wedge i = 1 \\ \text{return } 1.0 - 0.91 \cdot \text{vc}(i-1)^{2.68} & \text{if } \text{vc}(i-1) < 1.0 \\ \text{return } 0.09 & \text{if } \text{vc}(i-1) \geq 1.0 \end{cases} \quad \text{From Exhibit 18-3 HCM 2010}$$

$$\begin{aligned} I_1 &:= \text{Ifact}(1) & I_2 &:= \text{Ifact}(2) & I_3 &:= \text{Ifact}(3) & I_1 &= 0.561 \\ & & & & & & I_2 &= 0.561 \\ & & & & & & I_3 &= 0.133 \end{aligned}$$

$$T := 0.25 \quad (\text{ARTPLAN default})$$

$$d_2(i) := 900 \cdot T \cdot \left[ (\text{vc}(i) - 1) + \sqrt{(\text{vc}(i) - 1)^2 + \frac{8 \cdot k_1 \cdot I_1 \cdot \text{vc}(i)}{T \cdot c(i)}} \right] \quad \text{Equation 18-45 HCM 2010}$$

$$\begin{aligned} d_2(1) &= 0.656 \\ d_2(2) &= 10.405 \\ d_2(3) &= 0.044 \end{aligned}$$

#### 6. Calculate the total signal delay

Equation 18-19 HCM 2010

$$\begin{aligned} \text{CalcCtrlDelay}(i) &:= d_1(i) + d_2(i) & \text{CtrlDelay}_1 &:= \text{CalcCtrlDelay}(1) & \text{CtrlDelay}_1 &= 15.82 \\ & & \text{CtrlDelay}_2 &:= \text{CalcCtrlDelay}(2) & \text{CtrlDelay}_2 &= 54.88 \\ & & \text{CtrlDelay}_3 &:= \text{CalcCtrlDelay}(3) & \text{CtrlDelay}_3 &= 12.94 \end{aligned}$$

#### 4. Calculate the Segment and Facility Running Time/Speed

$$\text{IntWidth} := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 60 & \text{if } \text{AreaType} = 1 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 60 & \text{if } \text{AreaType} = 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 36 & \text{if } \text{AreaType} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 24 & \text{if } \text{AreaType} = 4 \end{cases} \quad \text{IntWidth} = 60$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{SegLength}(i) &:= \text{LinkLength}_i + \text{IntWidth} & \text{SegLength}(1) &= 2560 & \text{ft} \\ & & \text{SegLength}(2) &= 1560 \\ & & \text{SegLength}(3) &= 1760 \end{aligned}$$

#### A. Calculate the signal density

$$\text{CalcSigs}(i) := \min\left(\frac{5280}{\text{SegLength}(i)}, 9\right)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{SigsPerMile}_1 &:= \text{CalcSigs}(1) & \text{SigsPerMile}_1 &= 2.063 \\ \text{SigsPerMile}_2 &:= \text{CalcSigs}(2) & \text{SigsPerMile}_2 &= 3.385 \\ \text{SigsPerMile}_3 &:= \text{CalcSigs}(3) & \text{SigsPerMile}_3 &= 3.00 \end{aligned}$$

B. Calculate the peak per-lane hourly volume

$$\text{Calc}_v\_temp(i) := \min\left(\frac{\text{HourlyDirVol}_i}{\text{LinkNumLanes}_i \cdot \text{PHF}}, 1000\right)$$

$v\_temp_1 := \text{Calc}_v\_temp(1)$	$v\_temp_1 = 792.982$	veh/h
$v\_temp_2 := \text{Calc}_v\_temp(2)$	$v\_temp_2 = 792.982$	veh/h
$v\_temp_3 := \text{Calc}_v\_temp(3)$	$v\_temp_3 = 594.737$	veh/h

C. Calculate the running speed

$$\text{MidSegDemand}(i) := \frac{\text{HourlyDirVol}_i}{\text{PHF}}$$

$\text{MidSegDemand}(1) = 2378.9$	veh/h
$\text{MidSegDemand}(2) = 2378.9$	
$\text{MidSegDemand}(3) = 2378.9$	

$$\text{MidBlockPctTurns} := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 7 & \text{if AreaType} = 1 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 5 & \text{if AreaType} = 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 3 & \text{if AreaType} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 2 & \text{if AreaType} = 4 \end{cases}$$

$\text{MidBlockPctTurns} = 7$

$$\text{PropSegRestrictMed}(i) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 0 & \text{if MedianType}_i = 0 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 0 & \text{if MedianType}_i = 1 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 1.0 & \text{if MedianType}_i = 2 \end{cases}$$

Proportion of segment length with restricted median

$\text{PropSegRestrictMed}(1) = 0$
$\text{PropSegRestrictMed}(2) = 1$
$\text{PropSegRestrictMed}(3) = 0$

$$\text{PropSegWithCurb} := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 1.0 & \text{if AreaType} = 1 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 1.0 & \text{if AreaType} = 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 0.5 & \text{if AreaType} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 0.0 & \text{if AreaType} = 4 \end{cases}$$

Proportion of segment length with right-side curb

$\text{PropSegWithCurb} = 1.0$

$$\text{NumAccessPts}(i) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 0 & \text{if LinkLength}_i < 660 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 2 \cdot \frac{\text{LinkLength}_i}{1320} & \text{if LinkLength}_i \geq 660 \end{cases}$$

$\text{NumAccessPts}(1) = 3.79$
$\text{NumAccessPts}(2) = 2.27$
$\text{NumAccessPts}(3) = 2.58$

$$\text{NumAccessPtsSubDir}(i) := \text{NumAccessPts}(i)$$

Number of access points in the subject direction

$\text{NumAccessPtsSubDir}(1) = 3.79$
$\text{NumAccessPtsSubDir}(2) = 2.27$
$\text{NumAccessPtsSubDir}(3) = 2.58$

$$\text{NumAccessPtsOppDir}(i) := \text{NumAccessPts}(i)$$

For planning purposes, assume opposing direction has same number of access points as subject direction

$$\text{NumAccessPtsOppDir}(1) = 3.79$$

$$\text{NumAccessPtsOppDir}(2) = 2.27$$

$$\text{NumAccessPtsOppDir}(3) = 2.58$$

$$\text{OtherDelay}(i) := \begin{cases} \text{return } 0 & \text{if } \text{OnStreetParking}_i = 0 \\ \text{if } \text{OnStreetParking}_i = 1 & \\ \quad \left| \begin{cases} \text{return } \frac{2}{\text{LinkNumLanes}_i} & \text{if } \text{ParkingActivity}_i = 1 \\ \text{return } \frac{4}{\text{LinkNumLanes}_i} & \text{if } \text{ParkingActivity}_i = 2 \\ \text{return } \frac{6}{\text{LinkNumLanes}_i} & \text{if } \text{ParkingActivity}_i = 3 \end{cases} \right. & \text{planning level assumptions} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{OtherDelay}(1) = 1.33 \quad \text{sec/veh}$$

$$\text{OtherDelay}(2) = 0.00$$

$$\text{OtherDelay}(3) = 0.00$$

StartupLostTime := 2.0 HCM default; Artplan does not contain an input for startup lost time because effective green time is entered directly (i.e., g/C ratio)

ControlDelay := 16.1 Obtained from signal delay calculation procedure

$$\text{MidSegVolPerLane}(i) := \frac{\text{MidSegDemand}(i)}{\text{LinkNumLanes}_i}$$

$\text{MidSegVolPerLane}(1) = 793.0 \quad \text{veh/h/ln}$   
 $\text{MidSegVolPerLane}(2) = 793.0$   
 $\text{MidSegVolPerLane}(3) = 594.7$

$$\text{TurningDelay}(i) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 0.0208 \cdot \exp(0.0022 \cdot \text{MidSegVolPerLane}(i)) & \text{if } \text{LinkNumLanes}_i = 1 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 0.00014325313 \cdot \text{MidSegVolPerLane}(i) & \text{if } \text{LinkNumLanes}_i = 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 0.000109151 \cdot \text{MidSegVolPerLane}(i) & \text{if } \text{LinkNumLanes}_i \geq 3 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{TurningDelay}(i) := \text{TurningDelay}(i) \cdot \frac{\text{MidBlockPctTurns}}{7}$$

7% turns is assumed typical condition for Florida. Values are adjusted proportionally for different turning percentages.

$$\text{TurningDelay}(1) = 0.087 \quad \text{sec/veh/access pt}$$

$$\text{TurningDelay}(2) = 0.087$$

$$\text{TurningDelay}(3) = 0.065$$

$$\text{TotalTurningDelay}(i) := \text{TurningDelay}(i) \cdot (\text{NumAccessPtsSubDir}(i) + \text{NumAccessPtsOppDir}(i))$$

$$\text{TotalTurningDelay}(1) = 0.656 \text{ s/veh}$$

$$\text{TotalTurningDelay}(2) = 0.393$$

$$\text{TotalTurningDelay}(3) = 0.334$$

$$\text{PostedSpeed}(i) := \text{FFS}_1 - 5$$

$$\text{SpeedConstant}(i) := 25.6 + 0.47 \cdot \text{PostedSpeed}(i)$$

$$\text{SpeedConstant}(1) = 46.75 \text{ mi/h}$$

$$\text{SpeedConstant}(2) = 46.75$$

$$\text{SpeedConstant}(3) = 46.75$$

$$\text{CrossSectAdjFact}(i) := 1.5 \cdot \text{PropSegRestrictMed}(i) - 0.47 \cdot \text{PropSegWithCurb} - 3.7 \cdot \text{PropSegRestrictMed}(i) \cdot \text{PropSegWithCurb}$$

$$\text{CrossSectAdjFact}(1) = -0.47$$

$$\text{CrossSectAdjFact}(2) = -2.67$$

$$\text{CrossSectAdjFact}(3) = -0.47$$

$$\text{AccessPtDensity}(i) := 5280 \cdot \frac{(\text{NumAccessPtsSubDir}(i) + \text{NumAccessPtsOppDir}(i))}{(\text{LinkLength}_i)}$$

$$\text{AccessPtDensity}(1) = 16.0$$

$$\text{AccessPtDensity}(2) = 16.0$$

$$\text{AccessPtDensity}(3) = 16.0$$

$$\text{AccessPtAdj}(i) := -0.078 \cdot \frac{\text{AccessPtDensity}(i)}{\text{LinkNumLanes}_i}$$

$$\text{AccessPtAdj}(1) = -0.416$$

$$\text{AccessPtAdj}(2) = -0.416$$

$$\text{AccessPtAdj}(3) = -0.312$$

$$\text{BaseFreeFlowSpd}(i) := \text{SpeedConstant}(i) + \text{CrossSectAdjFact}(i) + \text{AccessPtAdj}(i)$$

$$\text{BaseFreeFlowSpd}(1) = 45.86$$

$$\text{BaseFreeFlowSpd}(2) = 43.66$$

$$\text{BaseFreeFlowSpd}(3) = 45.97$$

$$\text{SignalSpacingAdjFact}(i) := 1.02 - 4.7 \cdot \frac{(\text{BaseFreeFlowSpd}(i) - 19.5)}{\max(\text{SegLength}(i), 400)}$$

$$\text{SignalSpacingAdjFact}(i) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow \text{SignalSpacingAdjFact}(i) & \text{if } \text{SignalSpacingAdjFact}(i) \leq 1.0 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 1.0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{SignalSpacingAdjFact}(1) = 0.972$$

$$\text{SignalSpacingAdjFact}(2) = 0.947$$

$$\text{SignalSpacingAdjFact}(3) = 0.949$$



$$\text{ProximityAdjFact}(i) := \frac{2}{1 + \left[ 1 - \frac{\text{MidSegDemand}(i)}{(52.8 \cdot \text{LinkNumLanes}_i \cdot \text{FFS}_i)} \right]^{0.21}}$$

$$\text{ProximityAdjFact}(1) = 1.037$$

$$\text{ProximityAdjFact}(2) = 1.037$$

$$\text{ProximityAdjFact}(3) = 1.027$$

#### D. Calculate segment running time

$$\text{RunningTime}(i) := \frac{6 - \text{StartUpLostTime}}{0.0025 \cdot (\text{SegLength}(i))} + \frac{3600 \cdot (\text{SegLength}(i))}{5280 \cdot \text{FFS}_i} \cdot \text{ProximityAdjFact}(i) + \text{TotalTurningDelay}(i) + \text{OtherDelay}(i)$$

$$\text{RunningTime}(1) = 38.83 \text{ sec}$$

$$\text{RunningTime}(2) = 23.49$$

$$\text{RunningTime}(3) = 25.89$$

#### F. Calculate the segment average speed

$$\text{AvgSegmentSpd}(i) := \frac{3600}{5280} \cdot \frac{\text{SegLength}(i)}{\text{RunningTime}(i) + \text{CtrlDelay}_i}$$

$$\text{AvgSegmentSpd}(1) = 31.94 \text{ mi/h}$$

$$\text{AvgSegmentSpd}(2) = 13.57$$

$$\text{AvgSegmentSpd}(3) = 30.91$$

#### G. Calculate the facility travel time and speed

$$\text{FacTravTime} := \left( \frac{\text{SegLength}(1)}{5280 \cdot \text{AvgSegmentSpd}(1)} \right) + \left( \frac{\text{SegLength}(2)}{5280 \cdot \text{AvgSegmentSpd}(2)} \right) + \left( \frac{\text{SegLength}(3)}{5280 \cdot \text{AvgSegmentSpd}(3)} \right)$$

$$\text{FacTravTime} = 0.048 \text{ hours}$$

$$\text{AvgFacilitySpeed} := \frac{\text{SegLength}(1) + \text{SegLength}(2) + \text{SegLength}(3)}{5280 \cdot \text{FacTravTime}}$$

$$\text{AvgFacilitySpeed} = 23.33 \text{ mi/h}$$

**5. Determine Segment LOS.****FDOT LOS Methodology, from FDOT Report BDK-77, TWO 931-02**

$$\text{SegLOS}_1 := \text{CalcLOS}(\text{Class}, \text{AvgSegmentSpd}(1))$$

$$\text{SegLOS}_2 := \text{CalcLOS}(\text{Class}, \text{AvgSegmentSpd}(2))$$

$$\text{SegLOS}_3 := \text{CalcLOS}(\text{Class}, \text{AvgSegmentSpd}(3))$$

$$\text{SegLOS}_1 = "A"$$

$$\text{SegLOS}_2 = "D"$$

$$\text{SegLOS}_3 = "A"$$
**6. Determine Facility LOS.**

$$\text{FacLOS} := \text{CalcLOS}(\text{Class}, \text{AvgFacilitySpeed})$$

$$\text{FacLOS} = "B"$$

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CalcLOS(Class, Speed) :=
  if Class = 1
    out ← "A" if Speed > 40
    out ← "B" if 31 < Speed ≤ 40
    out ← "C" if 23 < Speed ≤ 31
    out ← "D" if 18 < Speed ≤ 23
    out ← "E" if 15 < Speed ≤ 18
    out ← "F" if Speed ≤ 15
  if Class = 2
    out ← "A" if Speed > 28
    out ← "B" if 22 < Speed ≤ 28
    out ← "C" if 17 < Speed ≤ 22
    out ← "D" if 13 < Speed ≤ 17
    out ← "E" if 10 < Speed ≤ 13
    out ← "F" if Speed ≤ 10
  out

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**Appendix B**  
**Multimodal Calculations Documentation for ARTPLAN**

# ARTPLAN 2012 Computational Methodology

## Multimodal

For Version 9/11/2012

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### User Inputs

AreaType := 1			
AADT <sub>1</sub> := 43250	K <sub>1</sub> := 0.095	D := 0.55	PHF := 0.95
Length <sub>1</sub> := 2500			Link length (ft)
%HV := 2.5			Percent Heavy Vehicles
SegNumLanes <sub>1</sub> := 3			Number of lanes on segment in one direction
FFS <sub>1</sub> := 50			Free-Flow Speed (mi/h)
Cycle <sub>1</sub> := 120			Cycle length (sec)
gC <sub>1</sub> := 0.50			Main street thru g/C ratio
ArrivalType <sub>1</sub> := 4			
%RightTurns <sub>1</sub> := 8			Percent right turns
MedianType <sub>1</sub> := 1			0 = None, 1 = Non-Restrictive, 2 = Restrictive
IntThruLanes <sub>1</sub> := 3			Number of intersection thru lanes
LeftTurnBay <sub>1</sub> := 1			0 = No, 1 = Yes
W <sub>outln1</sub> := 12			0 = Narrow, 1 = Typical, 2 = Wide, or specific width in ft
ShoulderBikeLn <sub>1</sub> := 1			0 = No, 1 = Yes
PvtCond <sub>1</sub> := 1			0 = Non-desirable, 1 = Typical, 2 = Desirable
Sidewalk <sub>1</sub> := 1			0 = No, 1 = Yes
SwRdwySep <sub>1</sub> := 1			0 = Adjacent, 1 = Typical, 2 = Wide
SwRdwyBar <sub>1</sub> := 1			0 = No barrier, 1 = Continuous barrier (at least 3' high) or elements (at least 3' high) spaced less than 20 ft apart
OnStreetParking := 1			0 = No, 1 = Yes
ParkingActivity := 2			0 = Not Applicable, 1 = Low, 2 = Medium, 3 = High
BusFrequency <sub>1</sub> := 2			buses/hour

PassLoadFact := 0.8

Passenger loading factor

Amenities<sub>1</sub> := 4

1 - Poor (No bench or shelter)  
 2 - Fair (Bench only)  
 3 - Good (Shelter only)  
 4 - Excellent (Shelter & Bench)

BusStop := 1

0 = None 1 = Typical, 2 = Major

Calculated or Assumed Inputs

HourlyDirVol<sub>1</sub> := round(AADT<sub>1</sub> · K · D)      HourlyDirVol<sub>1</sub> = 2260      Auto Directional Hourly Volume (veh/h)

MajorStreetFlowRate<sub>1</sub> :=  $\frac{\text{HourlyDirVol}_1}{\text{PHF}} = 2378.9$

IntWidth := 60      From running time calculation

SegLength<sub>1</sub> := Length<sub>1</sub> + IntWidth = 2560.0      ft

NumAccessPts := 3.79      From running time calculation      Number of access points in peak direction; based on link length

RunningTime := 38.83      sec      From running time calculation

SegAutoRunningSpd :=  $\frac{3600}{5280} \cdot \frac{\text{SegLength}_1}{\text{RunningTime}} = 45.0$       Segment auto running speed; does not include control delay (mi/h)

SegAutoAvgSpd := 31.9      Segment auto average speed; does include control delay (mi/h)

R<sub>p1</sub> := 1.333      From signal delay calculations      Platoon ratio

%Green<sub>1</sub> := 0.667      From signal delay calculations      Percent arrivals on green

ControlDelay := 15.8      From signal delay calculations

ParkStripes := 1      0 = Parking spots not striped, 1 = Parking spots are striped      (assumed for all on-street parking scenarios)

CrossStreetSpeed := FFS<sub>1</sub> - 5 = 45      mi/h      (based on T-7F export assumption)

CrossStreetLanes :=  $\frac{\text{IntWidth}}{12}$       CrossStreetLanes = 5      total lanes in the cross-street (both directions)

CrossStreetVol := 50% · MajorStreetFlowRate<sub>1</sub> · 2 = 2378.9      veh/h (both directions)

$$W_{cd} := \text{IntWidth} = 60$$

curb-to-curb width of the cross-street (ft)

$$g_{\text{walk}} := gC_1 \cdot \text{Cycle}_1 = 60.0$$

sec

$$\text{AvgPedXingWait} := \frac{0.5 \cdot (\text{Cycle}_1 - g_{\text{walk}})^2}{\text{Cycle}_1} = 15.0$$

sec

Equation 18-67, HCM 2010

$$\text{RTORandPermLT} := \text{MajorStreetFlowRate}_1 \cdot (1 - \% \text{Green}_1) \cdot \frac{\% \text{RightTurns}_1}{100} = 63.4$$

Conflicting movement approximation (veh/h)

$$\text{NumRTIslands} := 0$$

# of right-turn channelizing islands

$$p_{\text{pk}} := \begin{cases} \text{return } 0 & \text{if } \text{OnStreetParking} = 0 \\ \text{if } \text{OnStreetParking} = 1 & \\ \quad \begin{cases} 0.2 & \text{if } \text{ParkingActivity} = 1 \\ 0.5 & \text{if } \text{ParkingActivity} = 2 \\ 0.8 & \text{if } \text{ParkingActivity} = 3 \end{cases} \end{cases}$$

Proportion of on-street-parking occupied

$$p_{\text{pk}} = 0.5$$

$$W_{ol} := \begin{cases} \text{return } 10 & \text{if } W_{\text{outLn}}_1 = 0 \\ \text{return } 12 & \text{if } W_{\text{outLn}}_1 = 1 \\ \text{return } 14 & \text{if } W_{\text{outLn}}_1 = 2 \\ \left( \text{return } W_{\text{outLn}}_1 \right) & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Width of outside lane (ft)

$$W_{ol} = 12$$

$$W_{bl} := 5 \cdot \text{ShoulderBikeLn}_1 = 5$$

Width of bike lane (ft)

$$W_{os} := \begin{cases} \text{return } 0 & \text{if } \text{OnStreetParking} = 0 \\ \text{return } 8 & \text{if } \text{OnStreetParking} = 1 \end{cases}$$

Width of paved outside shoulder (ft)

$$W_{os} = 8$$

$$W_A := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 6 \cdot \text{Sidewalk}_1 & \text{if } \text{SwRdwySep}_1 = 0 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 10 \cdot \text{Sidewalk}_1 & \text{if } \text{SwRdwySep}_1 = 1 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 15 \cdot \text{Sidewalk}_1 & \text{if } \text{SwRdwySep}_1 = 2 \end{cases}$$

Available sidewalk width (ft)

$$W_{\text{buf}} := 2 \cdot \text{Sidewalk}_1 = 2$$

Width of sidewalk/roadway buffer (ft)

## Pedestrian Intersection

$$F_w := 0.681 \cdot \text{CrossStreetLanes}^{0.514}$$

$$F_w = 1.557$$

Equation 18-69, HCM 2010

$CVol := \frac{RTORandPermLT}{4} = 15.8$	conflicting movements in a 15-min period	
$Vol_{xso} := \frac{CrossStreetVol}{4 \cdot CrossStreetLanes} = 118.9$	volume in the outer lane of the cross-street in a 15-min period	Equation 18-73, HCM 2010
$F_v := 0.00569 \cdot CVol - NumRTIslands \cdot (0.0027 \cdot Vol_{xso} - 0.1946)$	$F_v = 0.09$	Equation 18-70, HCM 2010
$F_s := 0.00013 \cdot Vol_{xso} \cdot CrossStreetSpeed$	$F_s = 0.696$	Equation 18-71, HCM 2010
$F_{delay} := 0.0401 \cdot \ln(AvgPedXingWait)$	$F_{delay} = 0.109$	Equation 18-72, HCM 2010
$PedIntScore := 0.5997 + F_w + F_v + F_s + F_{delay}$	$PedIntScore = 3.05$	Equation 18-68, HCM 2010

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$f_b := \begin{cases} \text{return } 5.37 & \text{if } SwRdwyBar_1 = 1 \\ \text{return } 1.0 & \text{if } SwRdwyBar_1 = 0 \end{cases}$	$f_b = 5.37$	Buffer area coefficient
$W_t := \begin{cases} \text{return } (W_{ol} + W_{bl} + W_{os}) & \text{if } p_{pk} = 0 \\ \text{return } (W_{ol} + W_{bl}) & \text{if } p_{pk} \neq 0 \end{cases}$	$W_t = 17.0$	Total width of outside through lane, bicycle lane, and shoulder (ft)
$W_v := \begin{cases} \text{return } W_t & \text{if } MajorStreetFlowRate_1 > 160 \vee MedianType_1 = 2 \\ \left[ \text{return } W_t \cdot (2 - 0.005 \cdot MajorStreetFlowRate_1) \right] & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$	$W_v = 17.0$	Effective total width of outside through lane, bicycle lane, and shoulder (Exhibit 17-17, HCM 2010)
$W_1 := \begin{cases} \text{return } (W_{bl} + W_{os}) & \text{if } p_{pk} < 0.25 \vee ParkStripes = 1 \\ \text{return } 10 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$	$W_1 = 13.0$	Effective width of combined bicycle lane and shoulder (Exhibit 17-17, HCM 2010)
$W_{aA} := \min(W_A, 10) = 10.0$		Adjusted available sidewalk width
$f_{sw} := 6 - 0.3 \cdot W_{aA} = 3.0$		Sidewalk width coefficient
$F_w := -1.2276 \cdot \ln(W_v + 0.5 \cdot W_1 + 50 \cdot p_{pk} + W_{buf} \cdot f_b + W_{aA} \cdot f_{sw})$	$F_w = -5.514$	
$F_v := 0.0091 \frac{MajorStreetFlowRate_1}{4 \cdot SegNumLanes_1}$	$F_v = 1.804$	

$$F_{sv} := 4 \cdot \left( \frac{\text{SegAutoRunningSpd}}{100} \right)^2$$

$$F_s = 0.808$$

$$\text{PedLinkScore} := 6.0468 + F_w + F_v + F_s$$

$$\text{PedLinkScore} = 3.15$$

### Pedestrian Segment (i.e., combination of link and intersection)

$$S_{pf} := 3.3 \quad \text{ft/s}$$

Recommended value for pedestrian free-flow walking speed with > 20% elderly pedestrians.

$$D_c := \text{Length}_1 \cdot 0.5 = 1250.0$$

worst case, assuming signal with crosswalk on each end of link

$$D_d := D_c \cdot 2 = 2500.0 \quad \text{ft}$$

Equation 17-33 HCM 2010  
Diversion distance

$$g_{\text{walk\_mi}} := gC_1 \cdot \text{Cycle}_1 \cdot 0.5 = 30$$

$$d_{pc} := \frac{0.5 \cdot (\text{Cycle}_1 - g_{\text{walk\_mi}})^2}{\text{Cycle}_1} = 33.8 \quad \text{sec}$$

crossing delay

$$v_p := \frac{80}{60 \cdot 6} = 0.222 \quad \text{ped/ft/min}$$

Equation 17-25 HCM 2010

$$S_p := \left( 1 - 0.00078 \cdot v_p^2 \right) \cdot S_{pf} = 3.3$$

Equation 17-26 HCM 2010  
Pedestrian walking speed

$$\text{PedSegScore} := 0.318 \cdot \text{PedLinkScore} + 0.220 \cdot \text{PedIntScore} + 1.606$$

Equation 17-36  
HCM 2010

$$\text{PedSegScore} = 3.28$$

Pedestrian perception  
index

### Bicycle Intersection

$$W_{ww} := W_{ol} + W_{bl} + \text{OnStreetParking} \cdot W_{os} \quad W_t = 25$$

$$F_{ww} := 0.0153 \cdot W_{cd} - 0.2144 \cdot W_t \quad F_w = -4.442$$



$$F_w := 0.0066 \cdot \frac{\text{MajorStreetFlowRate}_1}{4 \cdot \text{IntThruLanes}_1} \quad F_v = 1.308$$

$$\text{BikeIntScore} := 4.1324 + F_w + F_v$$

$$\text{BikeIntScore} = 1.00$$

Note: The HCM 2010 provides a method to calculate delay to bicyclists at signalized intersections; however, this delay is not used as a basis for determining LOS.

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$$W_e := \begin{cases} \max(W_v - 10 \cdot p_{pk}, 0) & \text{if } W_{bl} + W_{os} < 4 \\ \max(W_v + W_{bl} + W_{os} - 20 \cdot p_{pk}, 0) & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

From Exhibit 17-21, HCM 2010

$$W_e = 20 \quad \text{ft}$$

$$\text{PctHV}_a := \begin{cases} (50) & \text{if } \text{MajorStreetFlowRate}_1 \cdot \left(1 - \frac{\%HV}{100}\right) < 200 \wedge \%HV > 50 \\ \%HV & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

From Exhibit 17-21, HCM 2010

$$\text{PctHV}_a = 2.5$$

--- The following calculation is a replacement for the preceding one ---

Calculate the truck factor [per FDOT project # BD-545-81 (PI: Linda Crider)]

$$\text{TF} := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow \left( \frac{\left( \frac{\text{MajorStreetFlowRate}_1}{4 \cdot \text{SegNumLanes}_1} \cdot \frac{\%HV}{100} \right)}{3} \right) \cdot \frac{\%HV}{100} & \text{if } \left( \frac{\text{MajorStreetFlowRate}_1}{4 \cdot \text{SegNumLanes}_1} \right) \cdot \frac{\%HV}{100} \leq 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \frac{\%HV}{100} & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \quad \text{TF} = 0.025$$

$$v_{ma} := \begin{cases} \text{MajorStreetFlowRate}_1 & \text{if } \text{MajorStreetFlowRate}_1 > 4 \cdot \text{SegNumLanes}_1 \\ (4 \cdot \text{SegNumLanes}_1) & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{From Exhibit 17-20, HCM 2010} \\ v_{ma} = 2378.9 \quad \text{veh/h} \end{array}$$

$$S_{Ra} := \max(\text{SegAutoRunningSpd}, 21)$$

From Exhibit 17-20, HCM 2010

$$S_{Ra} = 44.95 \quad \text{mi/h}$$

$$P_c := \begin{cases} \text{return } 4.5 & \text{if } \text{PvtCond}_1 = 2 \\ \text{return } 3.5 & \text{if } \text{PvtCond}_1 = 1 \\ \text{return } 2.5 & \text{if } \text{PvtCond}_1 = 0 \end{cases}$$

From ARTPLAN's existing methodology

$$P_c = 3.5$$

$$F_w := -\left(0.005 \cdot W_e^2\right)$$

$$F_w = -2$$

$$F_{wv} := 0.507 \cdot \ln \left( \frac{v_{ma}}{4 \cdot \text{SegNumLanes}_1} \right) \quad F_v = 2.682$$

$$F_{sw} := 0.199 \cdot (1.1199 \cdot \ln(S_{Ra} - 20) + 0.8103) \cdot (1 + 0.1038 \cdot \text{PctHV}_a)^2 \quad F_s = 1.393$$

$$F_{s2} := 0.199 \cdot (1.1199 \cdot \ln(S_{Ra} - 20) + 0.8103) \cdot (1 + 10.38 \cdot \text{TF})^2 \quad F_{s2} = 1.393$$

$$F_p := \frac{7.066}{P_c^2} \quad F_p = 0.577$$

$$\text{BikeLinkScore} := 0.760 + F_w + F_v + F_{s2} + F_p \quad \text{BikeLinkScore} = 3.41$$

### Bicycle Segment (i.e., combination of link and intersection)

$$F_{bi} := 1.0 \quad \text{signalized intersection}$$

$$\text{BikeSegScore} := 0.160 \cdot \text{BikeLinkScore} + 0.011 \cdot F_{bi} \cdot e^{\text{BikeIntScore}} + 0.035 \cdot \frac{\text{NumAccessPts}}{\text{SegLength}_1} + 2.85$$

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$$\text{BikeSegScore} = 3.70$$


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LOS(score) :=
  return "A" if score ≤ 2
  return "B" if score ≤ 2.75
  return "C" if score ≤ 3.5
  return "D" if score ≤ 4.25
  return "E" if score ≤ 5
  return "F" if score > 5

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$$\text{LOS}(\text{PedIntScore}) = "C"$$

$$\text{LOS}(\text{BikeIntScore}) = "A"$$

$$\text{LOS}(\text{PedLinkScore}) = "C"$$

$$\text{LOS}(\text{BikeLinkScore}) = "C"$$

$$\text{LOS}(\text{PedSegScore}) = "C"$$

$$\text{LOS}(\text{BikeSegScore}) = "D"$$

### Transit Link LOS Computational Steps

$$\text{PedLOSGrade}_1 := \text{LOS}(\text{PedLinkScore}) = "C"$$

#### 1. Determine adjustment factors

##### A. Calculate pedestrian LOS adjustment

$$\text{PedAdj}(i) := \begin{cases} \text{return } 1.15 & \text{if PedLOSGrade}_1 = \text{"A"} \\ \text{return } 1.1 & \text{if PedLOSGrade}_1 = \text{"B"} \\ \text{return } 1.05 & \text{if PedLOSGrade}_1 = \text{"C"} \\ \text{return } 1.0 & \text{if PedLOSGrade}_1 = \text{"D"} \\ \text{return } 0.85 & \text{if PedLOSGrade}_1 = \text{"E"} \\ \text{return } 0.55 & \text{if PedLOSGrade}_1 = \text{"F"} \end{cases} \quad \text{PedAdj}(1) = 1.05$$

### B. Calculate passenger load factor adjustment

$$\text{LoadFact}(i) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 1.05 & \text{if PassLoadFact} < 0.3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 1.0 & \text{if PassLoadFact} < 0.7 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 0.95 & \text{if PassLoadFact} \leq 1 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 0.85 & \text{if PassLoadFact} > 1 \end{cases} \quad \text{LoadFact}(1) = 0.95$$

### C. Calculate roadway crossing difficulty adjustment

$$\text{CrossAdj}(i) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 0.8 & \text{if } \frac{\text{MajorStreetFlowRate}_1}{\text{SegNumLanes}_1} < 200 \wedge \text{SegNumLanes}_1 = 1 \wedge \text{MedianType}_1 = 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 0.875 & \text{if } \frac{\text{MajorStreetFlowRate}_1}{\text{SegNumLanes}_1} < 350 \wedge \text{SegNumLanes}_1 \leq 2 \wedge \text{MedianType}_1 \leq 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 0.95 & \text{if } \frac{\text{MajorStreetFlowRate}_1}{\text{SegNumLanes}_1} < 550 \wedge \text{SegNumLanes}_1 \leq 3 \wedge \text{MedianType}_1 \leq 1 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 1.0 & \text{if } \frac{\text{MajorStreetFlowRate}_1}{\text{SegNumLanes}_1} < 775 \wedge \text{SegNumLanes}_1 \leq 4 \wedge \text{MedianType}_1 \leq 1 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 1.05 & \text{if } \frac{\text{MajorStreetFlowRate}_1}{\text{SegNumLanes}_1} \geq 775 \wedge \text{SegNumLanes}_1 \leq 4 \wedge \text{MedianType}_1 \leq 1 \end{cases} \quad \text{CrossAdj}(1) = 1.05$$

### D. Calculate the amenities adjustment

$$\text{AmenitiesAdj}(i) := \begin{cases} \text{return } 0.9 & \text{if Amenities}_1 = 1 \\ \text{return } 1.0 & \text{if Amenities}_1 = 2 \\ \text{return } 1.0 & \text{if Amenities}_1 = 3 \\ \text{return } 1.1 & \text{if Amenities}_1 = 4 \end{cases} \quad \text{AmenitiesAdj}(1) = 1.1$$

E. Calculate the relative transit speed adjustment

$$S_{Rt} := \min \left( \text{SegAutoRunningSpd}, \frac{49}{1 + \exp \left( -3.54 + \frac{1937}{\text{Length}_1} \right)} \right) = 44.951$$

Equation 17-45 HCM 2010  
transit vehicle running speed

$$r_{dt} := 0.540 + 0.0698 \cdot S_{Rt} = 3.678$$

Equation 17-48 HCM 2010  
transit vehicle deceleration rate

$$r_{at} := 0.540 + 0.0698 \cdot S_{Rt} = 3.678$$

transit vehicle acceleration rate

$$d_{ad} := \left( \frac{5280}{3600} \right) \cdot \left( \frac{S_{Rt}}{2} \right) \cdot \left( \frac{1}{r_{at}} + \frac{1}{r_{dt}} \right) = 17.927$$

Equation 17-46 HCM 2010  
transit vehicle accel/decel delay due to transit stop,  
minus f\_ad term

$$d_{ps} := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 0 & \text{if BusStop} = 0 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 15 & \text{if BusStop} = 1 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 35 & \text{if BusStop} = 2 \end{cases}$$

transit vehicle delay due to serving passengers  
replacement for Equation 17-49 HCM 2010

$$d_{ps} = 15$$

$$d_{re} := 0$$

Re-entry delay from a bus pull-out. Assume no bus pull-out;

$$d_{ts} := d_{ad} + d_{ps} + d_{re} = 32.927$$

Equation 17-50 HCM 2010  
delay due to a transit vehicle stop for passenger  
pick-up at stop i within the segment

$$t_{Rt} := \frac{3600 \cdot \text{Length}_1}{5280 \cdot S_{Rt}} + d_{ts} = 70.847$$

Equation 17-44 HCM 2010  
segment running time of transit vehicle

$$S_{Ttseg} := \frac{(3600 \cdot \text{Length}_1)}{5280 \cdot (t_{Rt} + \text{ControlDelay})} = 19.672$$

Equation 17-52 HCM 2010  
travel speed of transit vehicles along the  
segment

$$\text{RelativeBusSpeed}_1 := \frac{S_{Ttseg}}{\text{SegAutoAvgSpd}} = 0.617$$

$$\text{SpeedAdj}(i) := \begin{cases} \text{return } 1.5 & \text{if } \text{RelativeBusSpeed}_i \geq 0.90 \\ \text{return } 1.2 & \text{if } \text{RelativeBusSpeed}_i \geq 0.75 \\ \text{return } 1.0 & \text{if } \text{RelativeBusSpeed}_i \geq 0.60 \\ \text{return } 0.9 & \text{if } \text{RelativeBusSpeed}_i \geq 0.50 \\ \text{return } 0.7 & \text{if } \text{RelativeBusSpeed}_i < 0.50 \end{cases} \quad \text{SpeedAdj}(1) = 1.0$$

## 2. Determine Link Bus LOS.

$$\text{ModifiedFrequency}(i) := \text{BusFrequency}_i \cdot \text{PedAdj}(i) \cdot \text{LoadFact}(i) \cdot \text{CrossAdj}(i) \cdot \text{AmenitiesAdj}(i) \cdot \text{SpeedAdj}(i)$$

$$\text{ModifiedFrequency}(1) = 2.30$$

$$\text{BusLOS}(i) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"A"} & \text{if } \text{ModifiedFrequency}(i) > 6 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"B"} & \text{if } 4 < \text{ModifiedFrequency}(i) \leq 6 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"C"} & \text{if } 3 \leq \text{ModifiedFrequency}(i) \leq 4 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"D"} & \text{if } 2 \leq \text{ModifiedFrequency}(i) < 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"E"} & \text{if } 1 \leq \text{ModifiedFrequency}(i) < 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"F"} & \text{if } \text{ModifiedFrequency}(i) < 1 \end{cases} \quad \text{BusLOS}(1) = \text{"D"}$$

## 3. Determine Facility Bus LOS.

The values immediately below are from the ARTPLAN output for the example file

$$\text{ModifiedFrequency2} := 2.19 \quad \text{ModifiedFrequency3} := 1.88 \quad \text{Length2} := 1500 \quad \text{Length3} := 1700$$

$$\text{FacilityAdjBuses} := \frac{\text{ModifiedFrequency}(1) \cdot \text{Length}_1 + \text{ModifiedFrequency2} \cdot \text{Length2} + \text{ModifiedFrequency3} \cdot \text{Length3}}{\text{Length}_1 + \text{Length2} + \text{Length3}}$$

$$\text{FacilityAdjBuses} = 2.15$$

$$\text{FacilityBusLOS} := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"A"} & \text{if } \text{FacilityAdjBuses} > 6 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"B"} & \text{if } 4 < \text{FacilityAdjBuses} \leq 6 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"C"} & \text{if } 3 \leq \text{FacilityAdjBuses} \leq 4 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"D"} & \text{if } 2 \leq \text{FacilityAdjBuses} < 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"E"} & \text{if } 1 \leq \text{FacilityAdjBuses} < 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"F"} & \text{if } \text{FacilityAdjBuses} < 1 \end{cases} \quad \text{FacilityBusLOS} = \text{"D"}$$

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**Appendix C**  
**Calculations Documentation for HIGHPLAN (Two-Lane)**

# HIGHPLAN Computational Methodology

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## Two-Lane Methodology

### Inputs

#### Project Properties

##### Roadway Information:

AreaType := 2            1 = Urbanized, 2 = Transitioning/Urban, 3 = Rural developed, 4 = Rural undeveloped

#### Highway Data

##### Roadway Variables:

NumberOfLanes := 2		LeftTurnImpact := 0	0 = No, 1 = Yes
Terrain := 2	Level = 1, Rolling = 2	Median := 0	0 = No, 1 = Yes
PostedSpeed := 50	mi/h	PresencePassingLane := 0	0 = No, 1 = Yes
SegLength := 4	mi	Spacing := 0	mi
		%NPZ := 60	

##### Traffic Variables:

AADT := 14410	$P_T := 4\%$	Percent trucks
$K := 0.096$	BaseCapacity := 1700	
$D := 0.60$	LocalAdjustmentFactor := 1.0	
PHF := 0.91		

### LOS Computational Steps

#### 1. Calculate Peak and Off-Peak Hour Volumes

PeakHrVol := AADT · K · D	PeakHrVol = 830.0	veh/h
OffPeakHrVol := AADT · K · (1 - D)	OffPeakHrVol = 553.3	

## 2. Determine adjustment for the presence of a median and/or left turn lanes

Left Turn Impact Adjustment (LTadj) = -0.2 for left turn lanes NOT present, LTadj = 0 otherwise.

Median Adjustment (MedAdj) = 0.05 for median present, MedAdj = 0 otherwise.

Left Turn Lane:

$$\text{LTadj}(\text{LeftTurnImpact}) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow -0.2 & \text{if LeftTurnImpact} = 1 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 0 & \text{if LeftTurnImpact} = 0 \\ \text{out} & \end{cases}$$

$$\text{LTadj}(\text{LeftTurnImpact}) = 0 \quad \underline{\text{LTadj}} := \text{LTadj}(\text{LeftTurnImpact}) \quad \text{LTadj} = 0$$

Median:

$$\text{MedAdj}(\text{Median}) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 0 & \text{if Median} = 0 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 0.05 & \text{if Median} = 1 \\ \text{out} & \end{cases}$$

$$\text{MedAdj}(\text{Median}) = 0 \quad \underline{\text{MedAdj}} := \text{MedAdj}(\text{Median}) \quad \text{MedAdj} = 0$$

Final Adjustment Value for Left Turn Lane and Median:

$$\text{AdjMedLTL} := 1 + \text{LTadj} + \text{MedAdj} \quad \text{AdjMedLTL} = 1$$

## 3. Calculate Adjusted Volume (AdjVol)

Note: the PHF is assumed to be the same in the off-peak direction.

$$\text{AdjPeakVol} := \frac{\text{PeakHrVol}}{\text{PHF} \cdot \text{AdjMedLTL}} \quad \text{AdjPeakVol} = 912 \text{ veh/h}$$

$$\text{AdjOffPeakVol} := \frac{\text{OffPeakHrVol}}{\text{PHF} \cdot \text{AdjMedLTL}} \quad \text{AdjOffPeakVol} = 608 \text{ veh/h}$$

## Calculations for Percent Time Spent Following (PTSF)

### 4. Determine $E_T$ (Truck passenger car equivalency factor)

Note: '1' indicates analysis direction, '2' indicates opposing direction

$$\text{VolIndexLow} := 900 \quad \text{valueLow} := 1.0$$

$$\text{VolIndexHigh} := 1000 \quad \text{valueHigh} := 1.0$$

From Exhibit 15-18  
HCM 2010



Interpolation:

$$E_{T1\_PTSF} := \text{valueLow} + (\text{valueHigh} - \text{valueLow}) \cdot \left( \frac{\text{AdjPeakVol} - \text{VolIndexLow}}{\text{VolIndexHigh} - \text{VolIndexLow}} \right)$$

$$E_{T1\_PTSF} = 1.00$$

$$\text{VolIndexLow} := 600 \quad \text{valueLow} := 1.2$$

$$\text{VolIndexHigh} := 700 \quad \text{valueHigh} := 1.0$$

Interpolation:

$$E_{T2\_PTSF} := \text{valueLow} + (\text{valueHigh} - \text{valueLow}) \cdot \left( \frac{\text{AdjOffPeakVol} - \text{VolIndexLow}}{\text{VolIndexHigh} - \text{VolIndexLow}} \right)$$

$$E_{T2\_PTSF} = 1.18$$

### 5. Calculate heavy vehicle factor ( $f_{HV}$ )

Note: All heavy vehicles are considered as trucks in HIGHPLAN

$$f_{HV1\_PTSF} := \frac{1}{1 + P_T(E_{T1\_PTSF} - 1)} \quad f_{HV1\_PTSF} = 1.00$$

Equation 15-8  
HCM 2010

$$f_{HV2\_PTSF} := \frac{1}{1 + P_T(E_{T2\_PTSF} - 1)} \quad f_{HV2\_PTSF} = 0.99$$

### 6. Determine grade adjustment factor ( $f_G$ )

$$\text{VolIndexLow} := 900 \quad \text{valueLow} := 1.0$$

$$\text{VolIndexHigh} := 1000 \quad \text{valueHigh} := 1.0$$

From Exhibit 15-16  
HCM 2010

Interpolation:

$$f_{G1\_PTSF} := \text{valueLow} + (\text{valueHigh} - \text{valueLow}) \cdot \left( \frac{\text{AdjPeakVol} - \text{VolIndexLow}}{\text{VolIndexHigh} - \text{VolIndexLow}} \right)$$

$$f_{G1\_PTSF} = 1.00$$

$$\text{VolIndexLow} := 600 \quad \text{valueLow} := 0.97$$

$$\text{VolIndexHigh} := 700 \quad \text{valueHigh} := 0.99$$

Interpolation:

$$f_{G2\_PTSF} := \text{valueLow} + (\text{valueHigh} - \text{valueLow}) \cdot \left( \frac{\text{AdjOffPeakVol} - \text{VolIndexLow}}{\text{VolIndexHigh} - \text{VolIndexLow}} \right)$$

$$f_{G2\_PTSF} = 0.97$$

### 7. Calculate analysis and opposing direction volumes

Since the PHF was already accounted for in Step 5, the following equation is used:

Equation 15-7  
HCM 2010

$$v_{d\_PTSF} := \frac{\text{AdjPeakVol}}{f_{G1\_PTSF} \cdot f_{HV1\_PTSF}} \quad v_{d\_PTSF} = 912.1 \quad \text{pc/h}$$

$$v_{o\_PTSF} := \frac{\text{AdjOffPeakVol}}{f_{G2\_PTSF} \cdot f_{HV2\_PTSF}} \quad v_{o\_PTSF} = 630.4 \quad \text{pc/h}$$

### 8. Determine values of coefficients 'a' and 'b' for HCM Equation 15-10

Note: This table uses opposing demand flow rate (pc/h)

$$\text{VolIndexLow} := 600 \quad \text{valueLow} := -0.0033$$

$$\text{VolIndexHigh} := 800 \quad \text{valueHigh} := -0.0045$$

Interpolation:

$$a := \text{valueLow} + (\text{valueHigh} - \text{valueLow}) \cdot \left( \frac{v_{o\_PTSF} - \text{VolIndexLow}}{\text{VolIndexHigh} - \text{VolIndexLow}} \right)$$

$$a = -0.0035$$

$$\text{VolIndexLow} := 600 \quad \text{valueLow} := 0.870$$

$$\text{VolIndexHigh} := 800 \quad \text{valueHigh} := 0.833$$

Interpolation:

$$b := \text{valueLow} + (\text{valueHigh} - \text{valueLow}) \cdot \left( \frac{v_{o\_PTSF} - \text{VolIndexLow}}{\text{VolIndexHigh} - \text{VolIndexLow}} \right)$$

$$b = 0.8644$$

From Exhibit 15-20  
HCM 2010

### 9. Calculate base percent time spent following (BPTSF)

$$\text{BPTSF}_d := 100 \cdot \left( 1 - e^{-a \cdot v_{d\_PTSF}^b} \right) \quad \text{BPTSF}_d = 71.6$$

Equation 15-10  
HCM 2010

### 10. Determine adjustment for % no-passing zones in analysis direction ( $f_{np}$ ) for HCM Equation 20-16

$$v_{TwoWay} := v_{d\_PTSF} + v_{o\_PTSF} \quad v_{TwoWay} = 1542.5$$

$$VolIndexLow := 1400 \quad valueLow := 25.4$$

$$VolIndexHigh := 2000 \quad valueHigh := 16.0$$

From Exhibit 15-21  
HCM 2010

Interpolation:

$$f_{np} := valueLow + (valueHigh - valueLow) \cdot \left( \frac{v_{TwoWay} - VolIndexLow}{VolIndexHigh - VolIndexLow} \right)$$

$$f_{np} = 23.17$$

### 11. Calculate percent time spent following (PTSF)

$$PTSF_d := BPTSF_d + f_{np} \cdot \left( \frac{v_{d\_PTSF}}{v_{TwoWay}} \right) \quad PTSF_d = 85.3$$

Equation 15-9  
HCM 2010

## Calculations for Average Travel Speed (ATS)

### 12. Determine $E_T$ (Truck passenger car equivalency factor)

Note: '1' indicates analysis direction, '2' indicates opposing direction

$$VolIndexLow := 900 \quad valueLow := 1.3$$

$$VolIndexHigh := 1000 \quad valueHigh := 1.3$$

From Exhibit 15-11  
HCM 2010

Interpolation:

$$E_{T1\_ATS} := valueLow + (valueHigh - valueLow) \cdot \left( \frac{AdjPeakVol - VolIndexLow}{VolIndexHigh - VolIndexLow} \right)$$

$$E_{T1\_ATS} = 1.30$$

$$VolIndexLow := 600 \quad valueLow := 1.7$$

$$VolIndexHigh := 700 \quad valueHigh := 1.6$$

Interpolation:

$$E_{T2\_ATS} := valueLow + (valueHigh - valueLow) \cdot \left( \frac{AdjOffPeakVol - VolIndexLow}{VolIndexHigh - VolIndexLow} \right)$$

$$E_{T2\_ATS} = 1.69$$

### 13. Calculate heavy vehicle factor ( $f_{HV}$ )

Note: All heavy vehicles are considered as trucks in HIGHPLAN

$$f_{HV1\_ATS} := \frac{1}{1 + P_T \cdot (E_{T1\_ATS} - 1)} \quad f_{HV1\_ATS} = 0.99$$

Equation 15-4  
HCM 2010

$$f_{HV2\_ATS} := \frac{1}{1 + P_T \cdot (E_{T2\_ATS} - 1)} \quad f_{HV2\_ATS} = 0.97$$

### 14. Determine grade adjustment factor ( $f_G$ )

$$\text{VolIndexLow} := 900 \quad \text{valueLow} := 1.0$$

$$\text{VolIndexHigh} := 1000 \quad \text{valueHigh} := 1.0$$

From Exhibit 15-9  
HCM 2010

Interpolation:

$$f_{G1\_ATS} := \text{valueLow} + (\text{valueHigh} - \text{valueLow}) \cdot \left( \frac{\text{AdjPeakVol} - \text{VolIndexLow}}{\text{VolIndexHigh} - \text{VolIndexLow}} \right)$$

$$f_{G1\_ATS} = 1.00$$

$$\text{VolIndexLow} := 600 \quad \text{valueLow} := 0.97$$

$$\text{VolIndexHigh} := 700 \quad \text{valueHigh} := 0.98$$

Interpolation:

$$f_{G2\_ATS} := \text{valueLow} + (\text{valueHigh} - \text{valueLow}) \cdot \left( \frac{\text{AdjOffPeakVol} - \text{VolIndexLow}}{\text{VolIndexHigh} - \text{VolIndexLow}} \right)$$

$$f_{G2\_ATS} = 0.97$$

### 15. Calculate analysis and opposing direction volumes

Since the PHF was already accounted for in Step 5,  
the following equation is used:

Equation 15-3  
HCM 2010

$$v_{d\_ATS} := \frac{\text{AdjPeakVol}}{f_{G1\_ATS} \cdot f_{HV1\_ATS}} \quad v_{d\_ATS} = 923.1 \quad \text{pc/h}$$

$$v_{o\_ATS} := \frac{\text{AdjOffPeakVol}}{f_{G2\_ATS} \cdot f_{HV2\_ATS}} \quad v_{o\_ATS} = 643.7 \quad \text{pc/h}$$

**16. Determine adjustment for % no-passing zones in analysis direction ( $f_{np}$ ) for HCM Equation 15-6**

$$FFS := \text{PostedSpeed} + 5 = 55$$

$$\text{VolIndexLow} := 600 \quad \text{valueLow} := 1.6$$

$$\text{VolIndexHigh} := 800 \quad \text{valueHigh} := 1.1$$

From Exhibit 15-15  
HCM 2010

Interpolation:

$$f_{np} := \text{valueLow} + (\text{valueHigh} - \text{valueLow}) \cdot \left( \frac{v_{o\_ATS} - \text{VolIndexLow}}{\text{VolIndexHigh} - \text{VolIndexLow}} \right)$$

$$f_{np} = 1.49$$

**17. Calculate average travel speed (ATS)**

$$ATS_d := FFS - 0.00776 \cdot (v_{d\_ATS} + v_{o\_ATS}) - f_{np}$$

$$ATS_d = 41.4$$

mi/h

Equation 15-6  
HCM 2010

**18. Calculate Percentage of Free-Flow Speed (%FFS)**

$$\%FFS := \frac{ATS_d}{FFS} \cdot 100$$

$$\%FFS = 75.2$$

**19. Calculate Free-Flow Delay**

$$FFDelay := \left( \frac{\text{SegLength}}{ATS_d} - \frac{\text{SegLength}}{FFS} \right) \cdot 3600$$

$$FFDelay = 86.4$$

sec/veh

**20. Calculate LOS Threshold Delay**

$$\text{LOSspeedthresh}(\text{AreaType}) := \begin{cases} \text{return } 37 & \text{if AreaType} = 1 \\ \text{return } 50 & \text{if AreaType} = 2 \vee \text{AreaType} = 3 \vee \text{AreaType} = 4 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{LOSspeedthresh}(\text{AreaType}) = 50$$

$$\text{LOSDelay} := \left( \frac{\text{SegLength}}{ATS_d} - \frac{\text{SegLength}}{\text{LOSspeedthresh}(\text{AreaType})} \right) \cdot 3600$$

$$\text{LOSDelay} = 60.2$$

sec/veh

**21. Calculate v/c ratio**

Use the higher volumes between PTSF and ATS, which is ATS in this case

Note: In the software, the v/c ratios are checked to make sure they are not greater than 1.0 before proceeding with the rest of the analysis. If one of the v/c ratios is greater than 1.0, the analysis stops and LOS is set to 'F'.

$$vcratioTwoWay := \frac{v_d\_ATS + v_o\_ATS}{BaseCapacity \cdot \left(\frac{3200}{1700}\right)} \quad vcratioTwoWay = 0.49$$

$$vcratioOneWay := \frac{v_d\_ATS}{BaseCapacity} \quad vcratioOneWay = 0.54$$

$$vcratio := \max(vcratioTwoWay, vcratioOneWay) \quad vcratio = 0.54$$

## 22. Determine Class

$$ClassCalc(AreaType) := \begin{cases} \text{return } 1 & \text{if } AreaType = 4 \\ \text{return } 3 & \text{if } AreaType = 1 \vee AreaType = 2 \vee AreaType = 3 \end{cases}$$

$$Class := ClassCalc(AreaType) \quad Class = 3$$

## 23. Determine Level of Service

LosCalc(Class, PTSF, ATS, FFS) :=

If Class = 1, the lower LOS governs

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if Class = 1
  out1 ← "A" if PTSF ≤ 35
  out1 ← "B" if 35 < PTSF ≤ 50
  out1 ← "C" if 50 < PTSF ≤ 65
  out1 ← "D" if 65 < PTSF ≤ 80
  out1 ← "E" if PTSF > 80
  out2 ← "A" if ATS > 55
  out2 ← "B" if 50 < ATS ≤ 55
  out2 ← "C" if 45 < ATS ≤ 50
  out2 ← "D" if 40 < ATS ≤ 45
  out2 ← "E" if ATS ≤ 40
  out ← ( out1
          out2 )
if Class = 2
  out ← "A" if PTSF ≤ 40
  out ← "B" if 40 < PTSF ≤ 55
  out ← "C" if 55 < PTSF ≤ 70
  out ← "D" if 70 < PTSF ≤ 85
  out ← "E" if PTSF > 80
  out
if Class = 3
  out ← "A" if  $\frac{ATS}{FFS} > 0.917$ 
  out ← "B" if  $0.833 < \frac{ATS}{FFS} \leq 0.917$ 
  out ← "C" if  $0.750 < \frac{ATS}{FFS} \leq 0.833$ 
  out ← "D" if  $0.667 < \frac{ATS}{FFS} \leq 0.750$ 
  out ← "E" if  $0.583 < \frac{ATS}{FFS} \leq 0.667$ 
  out ← "F" if  $\frac{ATS}{FFS} \leq 0.583$ 
  out
out
    
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From Exhibit 15-3  
HCM 2010

$$LOS := \max(\text{LosCalc}(\text{Class}, \text{PTSF}_d, \text{ATS}_d, \text{FFS}))$$

LOS = "C"

## Service Volumes Check

From Exhibit 15-3 HCM 2000, for a Class III highway the percent free flow speed (%FFS) threshold for LOS C is 0.75.

Using the procedure documented above, the following results are obtained for the displayed 830 veh/h peak direction service volume.

$$\text{InputAADT} := \text{Round}\left(\frac{830}{K \cdot D}, 10\right) = 14410$$

$$\text{ATS}_d = 41.351 \quad \text{mi/h}$$

$$\text{FFS} = 55 \quad \text{mi/h}$$

$$\frac{\text{ATS}_d}{\text{FFS}} = 0.752$$

Thus, the maximum service volume (AADT) for LOS C for the conditions in the example calculations file is ~14,410.

## Passing Lane Improvement

If there is a passing lane in the analysis direction, the service volumes will be increased by the proportion of the length of the passing lane (assumed to be 1 mile) to the passing lane spacing, as illustrated below.

$$\text{NoPassingSV} := 830 \quad \text{veh/h}$$

$$\text{Spacing} := 2 \quad \text{miles}$$

$$\text{Improvement} := \frac{1}{\text{Spacing}} = 0.5$$

$$\text{PassingSV} := \text{NoPassingSV} \cdot (1 + \text{Improvement})$$

$$\text{PassingSV} := \text{PassingSV} - \text{mod}(\text{PassingSV}, 10) \quad * \text{HIGHPLAN rounds down to multiples of 10}$$

$$\text{PassingSV} = 1240 \quad \text{veh/h}$$

Note that the improvement to the service volumes cannot exceed capacity. In other words, the service volume for any level of service is capped at the LOS E service volume for the no-passing lane condition.



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**Appendix D**  
**Calculations Documentation for HIGHPLAN (Multilane)**

# HIGHPLAN Computational Methodology

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## Multilane Methodology

### Inputs

#### Project Properties

##### Roadway Information:

AreaType := 2    1 = Urbanized, 2 = Transitioning/Urban, 3 = Rural Developed, 4 = Rural Undeveloped

#### Highway Data

##### Roadway Variables:

NumberOfLanes := 4

LeftTurnImpact := 1    0 = No, 1 = Yes

Terrain := 2

Level = 1, Rolling = 2

Median := 0    0 = No, 1 = Yes

PostedSpeed := 45

mi/h

SegLength := 5

mi

##### Traffic Variables:

AADT := 39500

$P_T$  := 2%

Percent trucks

$K_{ww}$  := 0.095

BaseCapacity := 2000

D := 0.55

LocalAdjustmentFactor := 1.0

PHF := 0.925

### LOS Computational Steps

#### 1. Calculate DDHV (Design Directional Hour Volume)

$$DDHV := AADT \cdot K \cdot D$$

$$DDHV = 2064$$

## 2. Determine $E_T$ (Truck passenger car equivalency factor)

$$PCE(\text{Terrain}) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 1.5 & \text{if Terrain} = 1 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 2.5 & \text{if Terrain} = 2 \\ \text{out} & \end{cases} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{From Exhibit 14-12} \\ \text{HCM 2010} \end{array}$$

$$PCE(\text{Terrain}) = 2.5 \quad E_T := PCE(\text{Terrain}) \quad E_T = 2.5$$

## 3. Calculate heavy vehicle factor ( $f_{HV}$ )

$$f_{HV} := \frac{1}{1 + P_T \cdot (E_T - 1)} \quad f_{HV} = 0.971 \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{Equation 14-4} \\ \text{HCM 2010} \end{array}$$

## 4. Calculate Base Analysis Volume ( $v_p$ )

LAF := LocalAdjustmentFactor

$$v_p := \frac{DDHV}{PHF \cdot \frac{\text{NumberofLanes}}{2} \cdot f_{HV} \cdot LAF} \quad v_p = 1149.1 \text{ veh/h} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{Equation 14-3} \\ \text{HCM 2010} \end{array}$$

## 5. Determine adjustment for the presence of a median and/or left turn lanes

Left Turn Lane Adjustment (LTadj) = -0.2 for left turn lanes NOT present, LTadj = 0 otherwise.

Median Adjustment (MedAdj) = -0.05 for no median present, MedAdj = 0 otherwise. Note:

The presence of a median, but no left turn lanes is not a valid option per FDOT guidance.

LTI := LeftTurnImpact

$$LTadj(LTI) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow -0.2 & \text{if LTI} = 1 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 0 & \text{if LTI} = 0 \\ \text{out} & \end{cases} \quad \text{MedAdj(Median)} := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow -0.05 & \text{if Median} = 0 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 0 & \text{if Median} = 1 \\ \text{out} & \end{cases}$$

$$LTadj(\text{LeftTurnImpact}) = -0.2$$

$$\text{MedAdj(Median)} = -0.05$$

$$\text{LTadj} := LTadj(\text{LeftTurnImpact})$$

$$\text{MedAdj} := \text{MedAdj(Median)}$$

$$LTadj = -0.2$$

$$\text{MedAdj} = -0.05$$

Final Adjustment Value for Left Turn Lane and Median:

$$\text{AdjMedLTL} := (1 + LTadj + \text{MedAdj})$$

$$\text{AdjMedLTL} = 0.75$$

## 6. Calculate Adjusted Analysis Volume (AdjVol)

$$\text{AdjVol} := \frac{v_p}{\text{AdjMedLTL}}$$

$$\text{AdjVol} = 1532.1 \text{ veh/h}$$

$$V := \text{AdjVol}$$

$$V = 1532.1 \text{ veh/h}$$

**7. Determine Average Passenger Car Speed**

$$\text{FFS} := \text{PostedSpeed} + 5$$

$$\text{FFS} = 50$$

Exhibit 14-3  
HCM 2010

$$\text{Speed}(\text{FFS}, \text{AdjVol}) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow \text{FFS} & \text{if } \text{AdjVol} \leq 1400 \\ \text{if } \text{AdjVol} > 1400 \\ \quad \text{out} \leftarrow \text{FFS} - \left( \frac{3}{10} \cdot \text{FFS} - 13 \right) \cdot \left( \frac{\text{AdjVol} - 1400}{28 \cdot \text{FFS} - 880} \right)^{1.31} & \text{if } \text{FFS} > 55 \\ \quad \text{out} \leftarrow \text{FFS} - \left( \frac{34}{205} \cdot \text{FFS} - \frac{219}{41} \right) \cdot \left( \frac{\text{AdjVol} - 1400}{\frac{171}{5} \cdot \text{FFS} - 1181} \right)^{1.31} & \text{if } 50 < \text{FFS} \leq 55 \\ \quad \text{out} \leftarrow \text{FFS} - \left( \frac{10}{43} \cdot \text{FFS} - \frac{350}{43} \right) \cdot \left( \frac{\text{AdjVol} - 1400}{33 \cdot \text{FFS} - 1050} \right)^{1.31} & \text{if } 45 < \text{FFS} \leq 50 \\ \quad \text{out} \leftarrow \text{FFS} - \left( \frac{1}{5} \cdot \text{FFS} - \frac{56}{9} \right) \cdot \left( \frac{\text{AdjVol} - 1400}{36 \cdot \text{FFS} - 1120} \right)^{1.31} & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 45 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Speed}(\text{FFS}, \text{AdjVol}) = 49.5$$

$$S := \text{Speed}(\text{FFS}, \text{AdjVol})$$

$$S = 49.52$$

mi/h

**8. Calculate Percentage of Free-Flow Speed (%FFS)**

$$\% \text{FFS} := \frac{S}{\text{FFS}} \cdot 100$$

$$\% \text{FFS} = 99.0$$

**9. Calculate Free-Flow Delay**

$$\text{FFDelay} := \left( \frac{\text{SegLength}}{S} - \frac{\text{SegLength}}{\text{FFS}} \right) \cdot 3600$$

$$\text{FFDelay} = 3.5 \text{ sec/veh}$$

**10. Calculate LOS Threshold Delay**

$$\text{LOSspeedthresh}(\text{AreaType}) := \begin{cases} \text{return } 53 & \text{if } \text{AreaType} = 1 \\ \text{return } 60 & \text{if } \text{AreaType} = 2 \vee \text{AreaType} = 3 \vee \text{AreaType} = 4 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{LOSspeedthresh}(\text{AreaType}) = 60$$

$$\text{LOSDelay} := \left( \frac{\text{SegLength}}{S} - \frac{\text{SegLength}}{\text{LOSspeedthresh}(\text{AreaType})} \right) \cdot 3600$$

$$\text{LOSDelay} = 63.5 \text{ sec/veh}$$

**11. Calculate v/c ratio**

$$vcratio := \frac{V}{BaseCapacity}$$

$$vcratio = 0.77$$

## 12. Calculate density

$$Density := \frac{AdjVol}{S}$$

Equation 21-5  
HCM 2000

$$Density = 30.9 \quad pc/mi/ln$$

## Determine Level of Service

LOS Thresholds (FDOT specific)

Rural Developed and Rural Undeveloped

A ≤ 6  
B ≤ 14  
C ≤ 22  
D ≤ 29  
E ≤ 39 for FFS = 45  
E ≤ 37 for FFS = 50  
E ≤ 35 for FFS = 55  
E ≤ 34 for FFS > 60

Urbanized and Transitioning

A ≤ 10  
B ≤ 17  
C ≤ 24  
D ≤ 31  
E ≤ 39 for FFS = 45  
E ≤ 37 for FFS = 50  
E ≤ 35 for FFS = 55  
E ≤ 34 for FFS > 60

LOS := D

## Service Volumes Check

The density threshold for Transitioning area type and LOS D is 31 pc/mi/ln

Using the procedure documented above, the following results are obtained for the displayed 1750 veh/h peak direction service volume.

$$InputAADT := Round\left(\frac{2064}{K \cdot D}, 10\right) = 39500$$

$$AdjVol = 1532 \quad veh/h$$

$$S = 49.52 \quad mi/h$$

$$Density = 30.9 \quad pc/mi/ln$$

Thus, the maximum service volume (AADT) for LOS D for the conditions in the example calculations file is ~39,500.

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**Appendix E**  
**Calculations Documentation for HIGHPLAN (Two-Lane Facility)**

# HIGHPLAN Computational Methodology

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## Two-Lane Facility Analysis, Example 1

### Inputs and Initial Computations.

#### 1. Input Roadway and Traffic Data.

##### Roadway Data

**Class III Highways** (The new %Delay LOS criteria are a function of highway class)

**AnalysisType := 0**    0 = segment, 1 = facility    %NPZ := 50

**Median := 0**    0 = no median, 1 = median    PostedSpeed := 55

Terrain := 1    Level = 1, Rolling = 2    FFS := PostedSpeed + 5

Peak Direction is EB

$L_{up} := 3$  mi     $L_{down} := 4$  mi

$L_T := L_{up} + L_{down}$

##### Traffic Data

AADT := 10000     $K_{\text{avg}} := 0.10$     D := 0.6    PHF := 0.95

DDHV := AADT · K · D    DDHV = 600    veh / hr

LocalAdjustmentFactor := 1.0    LAF := LocalAdjustmentFactor

$v_p := \frac{DDHV}{PHF \cdot LAF}$      $v_p = 631.6$      $v_o := \frac{AADT \cdot K \cdot (1 - D)}{PHF \cdot LAF}$      $v_o = 421.1$

%TruckBus := 3    %RV := 2     $P_T := \frac{\%TruckBus + \%RV}{100}$      $P_T = 0.05$

%HV<sub>EB</sub> := 5    %HV<sub>WB</sub> := 5    %HV<sub>NB</sub> := 5    %HV<sub>SB</sub> := 5

$v_{LT} := 48$      $v_{RT} := 48$      $\%LT := \frac{\frac{v_{LT}}{PHF}}{v_p} \cdot 100$     %LT = 8

**Signal Data**

$$\text{GreenTime}_{EW} := 54$$

$$\text{GreenTime}_{NS} := 26$$

$$\text{YellowRedTime} := 5$$

$$C := 90$$

$$g_C := \frac{\text{GreenTime}_{EW}}{C} \quad g_C = 0.6$$

$$\text{LeftTurnLane} := 1$$

$$0 = \text{No}, 1 = \text{Yes}$$

$$\text{BaseCapacity} := 1700$$

**2. Determine segment lengths**

Upstream effective length of signal ( $L_{\text{eff\_up}}$ )

$$L_{\text{eff\_up}} := 266.66 + 3.047 \cdot \left( \frac{v_p}{100} \right)^2 + 8.626 \cdot C - 0.972 \cdot \left( \frac{v_p}{100} \right) \cdot \%LT - 14.102 \cdot C \cdot g_C$$

$$L_{\text{eff\_up}} = 353.923 \quad (\text{ft})$$

$$L_{\text{eff\_up}} := \frac{L_{\text{eff\_up}}}{5280}$$

$$L_{\text{eff\_up}} = 0.067 \quad (\text{mi})$$

Length of basic two-lane segment upstream of signal ( $L_1$ )

$$L_1 := L_{\text{up}} - L_{\text{eff\_up}}$$

$$L_1 = 2.933 \quad (\text{mi})$$

Downstream effective length of signal ( $L_{\text{eff\_down}}$ )

$$L_{\text{eff\_down}} := 701.34 + 51.016 \cdot \left( \frac{v_p}{100} \right) + 42.353 \cdot \%HV_{EB} + 13.833 \cdot C - 1.701 \cdot \left( \frac{v_p}{100} \right) \cdot \%LT - 16.760 \cdot C \cdot g_C$$

$$L_{\text{eff\_down}} = 1489.3 \quad (\text{ft})$$

$$L_{\text{eff\_down}} := \frac{L_{\text{eff\_down}}}{5280}$$

$$L_{\text{eff\_down}} = 0.282 \quad (\text{mi})$$

Length of intersection influence area ( $L_{\text{interseccion}}$ )

$$L_{\text{interseccion}} := L_{\text{eff\_up}} + L_{\text{eff\_down}} = 0.349 \quad (\text{mi})$$

Length of basic two-lane segment downstream of signal ( $L_2$ )

$$L_2 := L_T - L_1 - L_{\text{interseccion}} = 3.718 \quad (\text{mi})$$

**3. Estimate the free-flow speed**

$$\text{FFS} := \text{PostedSpeed} + 5$$

$$\text{FFS} = 60 \quad \text{mi/h}$$



#### 4. Calculate the average travel speed on the unaffected upstream segment

$$ATS_1 := 49.62 \text{ mi/h}$$

#### 5. Calculate control delay at the signalized intersection influence area

$$\text{ControlDelay} := 11.1 \text{ sec/veh} \quad \text{See signal delay calculations section below}$$

#### 6. Determine average travel speed on the unaffected downstream segment

$$ATS_2 := 49.62 \text{ mi/h}$$

#### 7. Determine the delay of every segment

$$L_1 = 2.933 \quad S_1 := ATS_1 \quad S_1 = 49.62 \quad FFS = 60$$

$$D_1 := \left( \frac{L_1}{S_1} - \frac{L_1}{FFS} \right) \cdot 3600 \quad D_1 = 36.813$$

$$L_{\text{intersection}} = 0.349$$

$$D_{\text{intersection}} := \text{ControlDelay} \quad D_{\text{intersection}} = 11.1$$

$$L_2 = 3.718 \quad S_2 := ATS_2 \quad S_2 = 49.62 \quad FFS = 60$$

$$D_2 := \left( \frac{L_2}{S_2} - \frac{L_2}{FFS} \right) \cdot 3600 \quad D_2 = 46.665$$

#### 8. Determine the percent time-delayed of the entire facility

1. The total length of the facility:

$$L_t := L_1 + L_{\text{intersection}} + L_2 \quad L_t = 7 \quad \text{mi}$$

2. The total delay of the facility:

$$D_T := D_1 + D_{\text{intersection}} + D_2 \quad D_T = 94.578 \quad \text{sec/veh}$$

3. Calculate the total travel time of the facility based on the free flow speed:

$$T_{t\text{FFS}} := \left( \frac{L_t}{FFS} \right) \cdot 3600 \quad T_{t\text{FFS}} = 420 \quad \text{sec/veh}$$

4. Calculate the percent time-delayed of the facility:

$$\text{PTD} := \left( \frac{D_T}{T_{t\text{FFS}}} \right) \cdot 100 \quad \text{PTD} = 22.52 \quad (\%)$$

## 9. Determine the Level of Service

$$\text{LOS(PTD)} := \begin{cases} \text{los} \leftarrow \text{"A"} & \text{if } \text{PTD} \leq 9.5 \\ \text{los} \leftarrow \text{"B"} & \text{if } 9.5 < \text{PTD} \leq 21.5 \\ \text{los} \leftarrow \text{"C"} & \text{if } 21.5 < \text{PTD} \leq 36.5 \\ \text{los} \leftarrow \text{"D"} & \text{if } 36.5 < \text{PTD} \leq 55.5 \\ \text{los} \leftarrow \text{"E"} & \text{if } \text{PTD} > 55.5 \end{cases}$$

New PD LOS criteria for Class III highways

$$\text{LOS(PTD)} = \text{"C"}$$

## Signal Delay Calculations

a. Calculate volume to capacity ratio ( $v/c$ )

$$E_T := 2.3$$

$$f_{HV} := \frac{1}{1 + P_T \cdot (E_T - 1)} \quad f_{HV} = 0.939$$

$$P_{RT} := \frac{\frac{v_{RT}}{PHF}}{v_p - \frac{v_{LT}}{PHF}} \quad P_{RT} = 0.087$$

$$f_{RT} := 1.0 - 0.15 \cdot P_{RT} \quad f_{RT} = 0.987$$

shared lane equation  
instead of single lane

$$\text{BaseSatFlowRate} := 1900$$

$$\text{AdjSatFlowRate} := \text{BaseSatFlowRate} \cdot f_{HV} \cdot f_{RT} \quad \text{AdjSatFlowRate} = 1760.8$$

$$c := \text{AdjSatFlowRate} \cdot g_C \quad c = 1056.5$$

$$\text{ThruMvmtFlowRate}_1 := v_p \cdot \left[ 1 - \left( \frac{\%LT}{100} \right) \right] \quad \text{ThruMvmtFlowRate}_1 = 581.1$$

$$vc_1 := \frac{\text{ThruMvmtFlowRate}_1}{c \cdot 1} \quad vc_1 = 0.55$$

b. Calculate uniform delay ( $d_1$ )

$$\text{RedTime} := C - (C \cdot g_C) = 36$$

$$\text{QueueClearTime} := \frac{\frac{\text{ThruMvmtFlowRate}_1}{3600} \cdot \text{RedTime}}{\frac{\text{AdjSatFlowRate}}{3600} - \frac{\text{ThruMvmtFlowRate}_1}{3600}} = 17.7$$

$$\text{TotalDelay} := 0.5 \cdot (\text{RedTime})^2 \cdot \left( \frac{\text{ThruMvmtFlowRate}_1}{3600} \right) + 0.5 \cdot \left( \frac{\text{ThruMvmtFlowRate}_1}{3600} \right) \cdot (\text{RedTime}) \cdot \text{QueueClearTime} = 156.$$

$$d_{1\_1} := \frac{\text{TotalDelay}}{\left( \frac{\text{ThruMvmtFlowRate}_1}{3600} \right) \cdot C} = 10.7$$

c. Calculate incremental delay ( $d_2$ )

Determine  $k$ , signal controller mode delay adjustment factor

fully-actuated mode assumed

$$\text{PassageTime} := 2.0$$

$$k_{\min} := \max\left(-0.375 + 0.354 \cdot \text{PassageTime} - 0.091 \cdot \text{PassageTime}^2 + 0.00889 \cdot \text{PassageTime}^3, 0.04\right)$$

$$k := \min\left[\max\left[\left(1 - 2 \cdot k_{\min}\right) \cdot (\text{vc}_1 - 0.5) + k_{\min}, k_{\min}\right], 0.5\right]$$

$$k = 0.086$$

$$I := 1.0$$

random arrivals assumed, given relatively long spacing  
between signals

$$T := 0.25$$

$$d_{2\_1} := 900 \cdot T \cdot \left[ (\text{vc}_1 - 1) + \sqrt{(\text{vc}_1 - 1)^2 + \frac{8 \cdot k \cdot I \cdot \text{vc}_1}{T \cdot c \cdot 1}} \right]$$

$$d_{2\_1} = 0.358$$

d. Calculate the overall average delay

$$\text{AvgDelay}_1 := d_{1\_1} + d_{2\_1}$$

$$\text{AvgDelay}_1 = 11.1$$

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**Appendix F**  
**Calculations Documentation for FREEPLAN**  
**Excluding Toll Plaza Analysis**

## Basic Methodology

### Input Values

#### Traffic

$$\text{FwyVol} := 3036 \quad \text{PHF} := 0.95$$

$$f_p := 1.0 \quad \text{FFS} := 65$$

$$\% \text{Trucks}_F := 5 \quad P_R := 0$$

$$P_T := \frac{\% \text{Trucks}_F}{100} = 0.05$$

*\*FwyVolNew and %Trucks<sub>FNew</sub> from the previous upstream segment are the input values for FwyVol and %Trucks<sub>F</sub> (if there is a previous upstream segment).*

#### Roadway

$$N := 3 \quad \text{LaneWidth} := 12 \quad \text{LatClear} := 6 \quad \text{IntDens} := 0.87$$

$$\text{Terrain} := 1 \quad 1 = \text{Level}, 2 = \text{Rolling}, 3 = \text{Mountainous}$$

$$\text{AreaType} := 2 \quad 1 = \text{Rural}, 2 = \text{Urban}$$

*\*FREEPLAN determines IntDens by counting each on- and off-ramp as 1/2 interchange each and adds them across the entire facility. Then, it divides that total number of interchanges by the total length of the facility.*

### Find $f_{HV}$ (using Exhibit 23-8 and Eq. 23-3)

$$E_T(\text{Terrain}) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 1.5 & \text{if Terrain} = 1 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 2.5 & \text{if Terrain} = 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 4.5 & \text{if Terrain} = 3 \\ \text{out} & \end{cases}$$

$$E_R(\text{Terrain}) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 1.2 & \text{if Terrain} = 1 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 2.0 & \text{if Terrain} = 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 4.0 & \text{if Terrain} = 3 \\ \text{out} & \end{cases}$$

$$E_T(\text{Terrain}) = 1.5 \quad E_{T, \text{wvw}} := E_T(\text{Terrain})$$

$$E_R(\text{Terrain}) = 1.2 \quad E_{R, \text{wvw}} := E_R(\text{Terrain})$$

$$f_{HV} := \frac{1}{1 + P_T \cdot (E_T - 1) + P_R \cdot (E_R - 1)}$$

$$f_{HV} = 0.9756$$

### Find $v_p$ (using Eq. 23-2)

$$v_p := \frac{\text{FwyVol}}{\text{PHF} \cdot N \cdot f_{HV} \cdot f_p} \quad v_p = 1091.9 \text{ pc/h/ln}$$

### Determine S

$$\text{Eqn1} := 75 - 0.00001107 \cdot (v_p - 1000)^2$$

$$\text{Eqn2} := 70 - 0.00001160 \cdot (v_p - 1200)^2$$

$$\text{Eqn3} := 65 - 0.00001418 \cdot (v_p - 1400)^2$$

$$\text{Eqn4} := 60 - 0.00001816 \cdot (v_p - 1600)^2$$

$$\text{Eqn5} := 55 - 0.00002469 \cdot (v_p - 1800)^2$$

$$S := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow \text{Eqn1} & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 75 \wedge v_p > 1000 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{Eqn2} & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 70 \wedge v_p > 1200 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{Eqn3} & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 65 \wedge v_p > 1400 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{Eqn4} & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 60 \wedge v_p > 1600 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{Eqn5} & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 55 \wedge v_p > 1800 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{FFS} & \end{cases}$$

$$S = 65.0$$

#### Density (using Eq. 23-4)

$$D := \frac{v_p}{S} \quad D = 16.8 \quad \text{pc/mi/ln}$$

#### Determine level of service (using Exhibit 23-2)

$$\text{LOS}(D) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"F"} & \text{if } D > 45 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"E"} & \text{if } 45 \geq D > 35 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"D"} & \text{if } 35 \geq D > 26 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"C"} & \text{if } 26 \geq D > 18 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"B"} & \text{if } 18 \geq D > 11 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"A"} & \text{if } 11 \geq D \\ \text{out} & \end{cases}$$

$$\text{LOS}(D) = \text{"B"}$$

#### Determine Input Vol and %HV for Next Downstream Segment

$$\text{FwyVolNew} := \text{FwyVol} = 3036$$

$$\%Trucks_{\text{FNew}} := \%Trucks_{\text{F}} = 5$$

*\*FwyVolNew and %Trucks<sub>FNew</sub> are the input values for FwyVol and %Trucks<sub>F</sub> for the next downstream segment if there is one. If the next segment is a weave, then %Trucks<sub>FNew</sub> is the input value for %Trucks<sub>FF</sub> and %Trucks<sub>FR</sub>.*

# Off-Ramp Methodology

## Step 1. Data Inputs and Volume Adjustments

### A. Inputs

FwyVol := 3036 veh/h RampVol := 300 veh/h  
 %Trucks<sub>F</sub> := 5 %RV<sub>F</sub> := 0 PHF := 0.95  $f_p := 1$  FFS := 65 mi/h  
 %Trucks<sub>R</sub> := 2 %RV<sub>R</sub> := 0  $S_{prev} := 65.0$  mi/h Average speed on immediate upstream segment  
 NumLanes := 3 Number of mainline freeway lanes NRamp := 1 Number of lanes on ramp roadway  
 Terrain := 1 1 = Level, 2 = Rolling, 3 = Mountainous  
 $L_{seg} := 1500$  ft  $L_{prev} := 5280$  ft  
 $L_{midpnts} := \frac{L_{seg} + L_{prev}}{2}$   $L_{midpnts} = 3390$  ft Distance from midpoints of upstream and subject segments  
 $L_D := 450$  ft Total length of Deceleration Lane  
 $S_{FR} := 40$  mi/h Freeflow speed of the ramp at the junction point  
 AdjUp := 0 AdjDn := 1 0 = none, 1 = on-ramp, 2 = off-ramp for Adjacent Upstream/Downstream Ramps  
 $L_{up} := 5280$  ft  $L_{down} := 500$  ft  
 VolumeUp := 0 veh/h Volume on adjacent upstream ramp  
 VolumeDown := 700 veh/h Volume on adjacent downstream ramp

*\*FwyVolNew and %Trucks<sub>FNew</sub> from the previous upstream segment are the input values for FwyVol and %Trucks<sub>F</sub> (if there is a previous upstream segment).*

### B. Heavy Vehicle Adjustments

#### Passenger Car Equivalents

$$E_T(\text{Terrain}) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 1.5 & \text{if Terrain} = 1 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 2.5 & \text{if Terrain} = 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 4.5 & \text{if Terrain} = 3 \end{cases} \quad E_R(\text{Terrain}) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 1.2 & \text{if Terrain} = 1 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 2.0 & \text{if Terrain} = 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 4.0 & \text{if Terrain} = 3 \end{cases}$$

$$E_T(\text{Terrain}) = 1.5 \quad E_R(\text{Terrain}) = 1.2$$

$$\underline{E}_T := E_T(\text{Terrain}) \quad E_T = 1.5 \quad \underline{E}_R := E_R(\text{Terrain}) \quad E_R = 1.2$$

$$f_{HV_F} := \frac{100}{100 + \%Trucks_F(E_T - 1) + \%RV_F(E_R - 1)} \quad f_{HV_F} = 0.976$$

$$f_{HV_R} := \frac{100}{100 + \%Trucks_R(E_T - 1) + \%RV_R(E_R - 1)} \quad f_{HV_R} = 0.99$$

### C. Demand Flow Rate

$$V_f := \frac{\text{FwyVol}}{\text{PHF} \cdot f_{HV_F} \cdot f_p} \quad V_f = 3276 \quad \text{pc/h} \quad V_r := \frac{\text{RampVol}}{\text{PHF} \cdot f_{HV_R} \cdot f_p} \quad V_r = 319 \quad \text{pc/h}$$

$$V_u := \frac{\text{VolumeUp}}{\text{PHF} \cdot f_{\text{HV}} \cdot R \cdot f_p} \quad V_u = 0 \quad \text{pc/h} \quad V_d := \frac{\text{VolumeDown}}{\text{PHF} \cdot f_{\text{HV}} \cdot R \cdot f_p} \quad V_d = 744 \quad \text{pc/h}$$

**Step 2. Determine the Approaching Flow Rate in Lanes 1 and 2**

A. Equilibrium Separation Distance for Adjacent Upstream On-Ramp or Downstream Off-Ramps on a Six Lane Freeway

$$L_{\text{EQup}} := \frac{V_u}{0.071 + 0.000023 \cdot V_f - 0.000076 \cdot V_r} \quad L_{\text{EQup}} = 0 \quad \text{ft}$$

$$L_{\text{EQdown}} := \frac{V_d}{1.15 - 0.000032 \cdot V_f - 0.000369 \cdot V_r} \quad L_{\text{EQdown}} = 802 \quad \text{ft}$$

B. Estimating Proportion of Freeway Vehicles Remaining in lanes 1 and 2

$$\text{Eqn1} := 0.760 - 0.000025 \cdot V_f - 0.000046 \cdot V_r \quad \text{Eqn1} = 0.663$$

$$\text{Eqn2} := 0.717 - 0.000039 \cdot V_f + 0.604 \cdot \frac{V_u}{L_{\text{up}}} \quad \text{Eqn2} = 0.589$$

$$\text{Eqn3} := 0.616 - 0.000021 \cdot V_f + 0.124 \cdot \frac{V_d}{L_{\text{down}}} \quad \text{Eqn3} = 0.732$$

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PFD(NumLanes) :=
  out ← 1.00 if NumLanes = 2
  out ← Eqn1 if AdjUp = 0 ∧ AdjDn = 0 ∧ NumLanes = 3
  out ← Eqn1 if AdjUp = 0 ∧ AdjDn = 1 ∧ NumLanes = 3
  out ← Eqn1 if AdjUp = 0 ∧ AdjDn = 2 ∧ Ldown ≥ LEQdown ∧ NumLanes = 3
  out ← Eqn3 if AdjUp = 0 ∧ AdjDn = 2 ∧ Ldown < LEQdown ∧ NumLanes = 3
  out ← Eqn1 if AdjUp = 1 ∧ AdjDn = 0 ∧ Lup ≥ LEQup ∧ NumLanes = 3
  out ← Eqn2 if AdjUp = 1 ∧ AdjDn = 0 ∧ Lup < LEQup ∧ NumLanes = 3
  out ← Eqn1 if AdjUp = 2 ∧ AdjDn = 0 ∧ NumLanes = 3
  out ← Eqn1 if AdjUp = 1 ∧ AdjDn = 1 ∧ Lup ≥ LEQup ∧ NumLanes = 3
  out ← Eqn2 if AdjUp = 1 ∧ AdjDn = 1 ∧ Lup < LEQup ∧ NumLanes = 3
  out ← max(Eqn2, Eqn3) if AdjUp = 1 ∧ AdjDn = 2 ∧ Lup < LEQup ∧ Ldown < LEQdown ∧ NumLanes = 3
  out ← max(Eqn2, Eqn1) if AdjUp = 1 ∧ AdjDn = 2 ∧ Lup < LEQup ∧ Ldown ≥ LEQdown ∧ NumLanes = 3
  out ← Eqn1 if AdjUp = 1 ∧ AdjDn = 2 ∧ Lup ≥ LEQup ∧ Ldown ≥ LEQdown ∧ NumLanes = 3
  out ← max(Eqn3, Eqn1) if AdjUp = 1 ∧ AdjDn = 2 ∧ Lup ≥ LEQup ∧ Ldown < LEQdown ∧ NumLanes = 3
  out ← Eqn1 if AdjUp = 2 ∧ AdjDn = 1 ∧ NumLanes = 3
  out ← Eqn1 if AdjUp = 2 ∧ AdjDn = 2 ∧ Ldown ≥ LEQdown ∧ NumLanes = 3
  out ← Eqn3 if AdjUp = 2 ∧ AdjDn = 2 ∧ Ldown < LEQdown ∧ NumLanes = 3
  out ← 0.436 if NumLanes = 4
  
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$$P_{\text{FD}} := P_{\text{FD}}(\text{NumLanes}) \quad P_{\text{FD}} = 0.663$$



C. Estimating Flow in Lanes 1 and 2

$$V_{12} := V_r + (V_f - V_r) \cdot P_{FD} \quad V_{12} = 2281 \quad \text{pc/h}$$

D. Checking the Reasonableness of the Lane Distribution Prediction*Six Lane Freeways*

$$V_3 := V_f - V_{12} \quad V_3 = 995 \quad \text{pc/h}$$

*Eight Lane Freeways*

$$V_{av34} := \frac{V_f - V_{12}}{2} \quad V_{av34} = 498 \quad \text{pc/h}$$

$$V_{12a}(\text{NumLanes}) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow V_{12} & \text{if } \text{NumLanes} = 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow V_f - 2700 & \text{if } V_3 > 2700 \wedge V_3 \leq 1.5 \cdot \frac{V_{12}}{2} \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \frac{V_f}{1.75} & \text{if } V_3 \leq 2700 \wedge V_3 > 1.5 \cdot \frac{V_{12}}{2} \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \max\left(V_f - 2700, \frac{V_f}{1.75}\right) & \text{if } V_3 > 2700 \wedge V_3 > 1.5 \cdot \frac{V_{12}}{2} \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow V_{12} & \text{if } V_3 \leq 2700 \wedge V_3 \leq 1.5 \cdot \frac{V_{12}}{2} \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow V_f - 5400 & \text{if } V_{av34} > 2700 \wedge V_{av34} \leq 1.5 \cdot \frac{V_{12}}{2} \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 4 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \frac{V_f}{2.50} & \text{if } V_{av34} \leq 2700 \wedge V_{av34} > 1.5 \cdot \frac{V_{12}}{2} \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 4 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \max\left(V_f - 5400, \frac{V_f}{2.50}\right) & \text{if } V_{av34} > 2700 \wedge V_{av34} > 1.5 \cdot \frac{V_{12}}{2} \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 4 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow V_{12} & \text{if } V_{av34} \leq 2700 \wedge V_{av34} \leq 1.5 \cdot \frac{V_{12}}{2} \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 4 \end{cases}$$

C. Final Flow in Lanes 1 and 2

$$V_{12} := V_{12a}(\text{NumLanes}) \quad V_{12} = 2281 \quad \text{pc/h}$$

### Step 3. Determine Capacity of Ramp-Freeway Junction

$$\text{CapUpFreewaySegment}(\text{NumLanes}, \text{FFS}) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 4800 & \text{if } \text{FFS} \geq 70 \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 4700 & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 65 \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 4600 & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 60 \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 4600 & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 55 \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 7200 & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 70 \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 7050 & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 65 \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 6900 & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 60 \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 6750 & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 55 \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 9600 & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 70 \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 4 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 9400 & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 65 \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 4 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 9200 & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 60 \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 4 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 9000 & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 55 \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 4 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 2400 \cdot \text{NumLanes} & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 70 \wedge \text{NumLanes} > 4 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 2350 \cdot \text{NumLanes} & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 65 \wedge \text{NumLanes} > 4 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 2300 \cdot \text{NumLanes} & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 60 \wedge \text{NumLanes} > 4 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 2250 \cdot \text{NumLanes} & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 55 \wedge \text{NumLanes} > 4 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{CapUpFreewaySegment}(\text{NumLanes}, \text{FFS}) = 7050 \quad \text{Capacity of Ramp Freeway Junction}$$

$$\text{MaxV12} = 4400 \quad \text{Maximum Desirable Flow Rate Entering Merge Influence Area}$$

$$\text{CapacityRampRoadway} := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 2200 & \text{if } (\text{NRamp} = 1) \wedge (S_{FR} > 50) \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 2100 & \text{if } (\text{NRamp} = 1) \wedge (40 < S_{FR} \leq 50) \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 2000 & \text{if } (\text{NRamp} = 1) \wedge (30 < S_{FR} \leq 40) \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 1900 & \text{if } (\text{NRamp} = 1) \wedge (20 \leq S_{FR} \leq 30) \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 1800 & \text{if } (\text{NRamp} = 1) \wedge (20 > S_{FR}) \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 4400 & \text{if } (\text{NRamp} = 2) \wedge (S_{FR} > 50) \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 4200 & \text{if } (\text{NRamp} = 2) \wedge (40 < S_{FR} \leq 50) \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 4000 & \text{if } (\text{NRamp} = 2) \wedge (30 < S_{FR} \leq 40) \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 3800 & \text{if } (\text{NRamp} = 2) \wedge (20 \leq S_{FR} \leq 30) \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 3600 & \text{if } (\text{NRamp} = 2) \wedge (20 > S_{FR}) \end{cases}$$

$$\text{CapacityRampRoadway} = 2000$$

$$V_f = 3276 \quad \text{pc/h} \quad \text{Volume immediately upstream of off-ramp influence area}$$

*Ramp Freeway Junction Checkpoint*

Volume immediately upstream of off-ramp influence area is checked against freeway capacity. Failure of ramp freeway junction checkpoint (i.e. demand exceeds capacity) results in LOS F

**Ramp Roadway Capacity Checkpoint**

If the off-ramp demand flow rate ( $V_r$ ) exceeds the capacity of the off-ramp, LOS F prevails.

**Maximum Desirable Flow Entering Ramp Influence Area Checkpoint**

While the  $V_{12}$  values is checked against the maximum desirable, failure does not result in assignment of LOS F. Failing this checkpoint generally means that there will be more turbulence in influence area than predicted by this methodology. Thus, predicted densities are most likely lower than those that will exist, and predicted speeds are most likely to be predicted as higher than those that will actually occur.

**Step 4. Determine Speeds in the Vicinity of Ramp-Freeway Junction****A. Average Speed in the Ramp Influence Area**

$$S_R := \text{FFS} - (\text{FFS} - 42) \cdot (0.883 + 0.00009 \cdot V_r - 0.013 \cdot S_{\text{FR}})$$

$$S_R = 55.99 \quad \text{mi/h}$$

**B. Average Speed in the Outer Lanes of Freeway****Average Flow in Outer Lanes**

$$N_o := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 1 & \text{if NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 2 & \text{if NumLanes} = 4 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \infty & \text{if NumLanes} = 2 \end{cases}$$

$$V_{\text{OA}} := \frac{V_f - V_{12}}{N_o} \quad V_{\text{OA}} = 995$$

$$S_O(V_{\text{OA}}) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 1.097 \cdot \text{FFS} & \text{if } V_{\text{OA}} < 1000 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 1.097 \cdot \text{FFS} - 0.0039 \cdot (V_{\text{OA}} - 1000) & \text{if } 1000 \leq V_{\text{OA}} \end{cases}$$

$$S_{\text{OA}} := S_O(V_{\text{OA}}) \quad S_O = 71.30 \quad \text{mi/h}$$

**C. Average Speed for Off-Ramp Junction**

$$S_{\text{avg}} := \frac{V_{12} + V_{\text{OA}} \cdot N_o}{\left(\frac{V_{12}}{S_R}\right) + \left(\frac{V_{\text{OA}} \cdot N_o}{S_O}\right)} \quad S_{\text{avg}} = 59.9 \quad \text{mi/h}$$

**D. Maximum Achievable Speed**

$$S_{\text{max}} := \text{FFS} - (\text{FFS} - S_{\text{prev}}) \cdot e^{(-0.00162 \cdot L_{\text{midpnts}})} \quad S_{\text{max}} = 65.0 \quad \text{mi/h}$$

$$S := \begin{cases} S_{\text{avg}} & \text{if } S_{\text{avg}} \leq S_{\text{max}} \\ S_{\text{max}} & \text{if } S_{\text{avg}} > S_{\text{max}} \end{cases} \quad S = 59.9 \quad \text{mi/h}$$

## Step 5. Determine the Density and Level of Service

### A. Density in Off-Ramp Influence Area

$$\text{Density}_R := 4.252 + 0.0086 \cdot V_{12} - 0.009 \cdot L_D$$

$$\text{Density}_R = 19.8 \quad \text{pc/mi/ln}$$

### B. Density in Outer Lanes

$$\text{Density}_O := \frac{V_{OA}}{S_O}$$

$$\text{Density}_O = 14 \quad \text{pc/mi/ln}$$

### C. Density of Entire Cross-Section

$$\text{Density} := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow \text{Density}_R & \text{if } \text{NumLanes} \leq 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \frac{[\text{Density}_R \cdot (2) + \text{Density}_O \cdot (\text{NumLanes} - 2)]}{\text{NumLanes}} & \text{if } \text{NumLanes} > 2 \end{cases} \quad \text{Density} = 17.9 \quad \text{pc/mi/ln}$$

### D. Level of Service

$$\text{LOS}(\text{Density}) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"A"} & \text{if } 0 \leq \text{Density} \leq 10 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"B"} & \text{if } 10 < \text{Density} \leq 20 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"C"} & \text{if } 20 < \text{Density} \leq 28 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"D"} & \text{if } 28 < \text{Density} \leq 35 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"E"} & \text{if } 35 < \text{Density} \end{cases} \quad \text{LOS}(\text{Density}) = \text{"B"}$$

## Step 6. Determine Input Vol and %HV for Next Downstream Segment

$$\text{FwyVol}_{\text{Cars}} := \text{FwyVol} \cdot \left( 1 - \frac{\%Trucks_F}{100} \right) = 2884.2$$

$$\text{RampVol}_{\text{Cars}} := \text{RampVol} \cdot \left( 1 - \frac{\%Trucks_R}{100} \right) = 294$$

$$\text{FwyVol}_{\text{CarsNew}} := \text{FwyVol}_{\text{Cars}} - \text{RampVol}_{\text{Cars}} = 2590.2$$

$$\text{FwyVol}_{\text{Trucks}} := \text{FwyVol} \cdot \frac{\%Trucks_F}{100} = 151.8$$

$$\text{RampVol}_{\text{Trucks}} := \text{RampVol} \cdot \left( \frac{\%Trucks_R}{100} \right) = 6$$

$$\text{FwyVol}_{\text{TrucksNew}} := \text{FwyVol}_{\text{Trucks}} - \text{RampVol}_{\text{Trucks}} = 145.8$$

$$\text{FwyVol}_{\text{New}} := \text{FwyVol}_{\text{CarsNew}} + \text{FwyVol}_{\text{TrucksNew}} = 2736$$

$$\%Trucks_{FNew} := \frac{\text{FwyVol}_{\text{TrucksNew}}}{\text{FwyVol}_{\text{New}}} \cdot 100 = 5.3289$$

*\*FwyVolNew and %Trucks<sub>FNew</sub> are the input values for FwyVol and %Trucks<sub>F</sub> for the next downstream segment if there is one. If the next segment is a weave, then %Trucks<sub>FNew</sub> is the input value for %Trucks<sub>FF</sub> and %Trucks<sub>FR</sub>.*

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*\*FwyVolNew and %Trucks<sub>FNew</sub> from the previous upstream segment are the input values for SegInputVol and SegInput%HV if there is a previous upstream segment.*

## Step 1. Data Inputs

OnRampVol := 700	OffRampVol := 455	SegInputVol := 2736	Int_Density := 0.87 int/mi
OnRamp%HV := 2	OffRamp%HV := 2	SegInput%HV := 5.3289	<i>*FREEPLAN determines IntDens by counting each on- and off-ramp as 1/2 interchange each and adds them across the entire facility. Then, it divides that total number of interchanges by the total length of the facility.</i>
FFS := 65 mi/h	S <sub>prev</sub> := 64.0 mi/h	PHF := .95 fp := 1	
L <sub>B</sub> := 3000 ft	L <sub>seg</sub> := 3000 ft	L <sub>prev</sub> := 500 ft	
$L_{midpnts} := \frac{L_{seg} + L_{prev}}{2}$		L <sub>midpnts</sub> = 1750 ft	Distance from midpoints of upstream and subject segments
Terrain := 1    1 = Level, 2 = Rolling, 3 = Mountainous			
Config := 1    1 = one-sided weaving segment, 2 = two-sided weaving segment			
NumLanes := 4    Number of lanes in weaving section			
C_IFL := 2350 pc/h/ln		Capacity of basic freeway segment with same FFS as the weaving segment under equivalent ideal conditions	
N_WL := 2		Number of lanes from which weaving maneuvers may be made with one lane change or no lane change. 2 or 3 for one sided and 0 for two sided weaving configuration	
LC_RF := 1		Minimum number of lane changes that must be made by a single weaving vehicle from the on-ramp to freeway	
LC_FR := 1		Minimum number of lane changes that must be made by a single weaving vehicle from freeway to the off-ramp	
LC_RR := 0		Minimum number of lane changes that must be made by one ramp-to-ramp to complete a weaving maneuver	

## Step 2. Volume Adjustment

### A. Heavy Vehicle and Volume Adjustments

#### Passenger Car Equivalents

$E_T(\text{Terrain}) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 1.5 & \text{if Terrain} = 1 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 2.5 & \text{if Terrain} = 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 4.5 & \text{if Terrain} = 3 \end{cases}$	$E_T := E_T(\text{Terrain})$	<i>*FREEPLAN assumes trucks make up all of the heavy vehicles. Therefore, RV calculations have been left out.</i>
	$E_T = 1.5$	

$$f_{HV\_FF} := \frac{100}{100 + \text{SegInput\%HV}(E_T - 1)}$$

$$f_{HV\_FR} := \frac{100}{100 + \text{OffRamp\%HV}(E_T - 1)}$$

$$f_{HV\_RF} := \frac{100}{100 + \text{OnRamp\%HV}(E_T - 1)}$$

$$f_{HV\_RR} := \frac{100}{100 + \text{OnRamp\%HV}(E_T - 1)}$$

$$\text{SegInputVolAdj} := \frac{\text{SegInputVol}}{\text{PHF} \cdot f_{\text{HV\_FF}} \cdot f_p} = 2956.736$$

$$\text{OffRampVolAdj} := \frac{\text{OffRampVol}}{\text{PHF} \cdot f_{\text{HV\_FR}} \cdot f_p} = 483.737$$

$$\text{OnRampVolAdj} := \frac{\text{OnRampVol}}{\text{PHF} \cdot f_{\text{HV\_RF}} \cdot f_p} = 744.211$$

*\*Freeplan assumes the Freeway to Ramp Volume will have the same %HV as the Off Ramp and that the Freeway to Freeway Volume will have the same %HV as the Segment Input Volume*

$$f_{\text{HV}} := \frac{(f_{\text{HV\_FF}} + f_{\text{HV\_FR}} + f_{\text{HV\_RF}} + f_{\text{HV\_RR}})}{4}$$

$$f_{\text{HV}} = 0.986$$

### B. Volumes for Weaving Segments

$$v_{\text{RR}} := .05 \cdot \text{OnRampVolAdj} = 37.211 \quad \text{veh/h} \quad * \text{Freeplan assumes the } v_{\text{RR}} \text{ is 5\% of the total On-Ramp volume.}$$

$$v_{\text{FR}} := \text{OffRampVolAdj} - v_{\text{RR}} = 446.526 \quad \text{veh/h}$$

$$v_{\text{RF}} := .95 \cdot \text{OnRampVolAdj} = 707 \quad \text{veh/h}$$

$$v_{\text{FF}} := \text{SegInputVolAdj} - v_{\text{FR}} = 2510.21 \quad \text{veh/h}$$

$$v_{\text{Total}} := v_{\text{FF}} + v_{\text{RF}} + v_{\text{FR}} + v_{\text{RR}} = 3.701 \times 10^3 \quad \text{veh/h}$$

### C. Weaving Demand Flow Rate

$$\text{WeavingDemand}(N_{\text{WL}}) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow v_{\text{RF}} + v_{\text{FR}} & \text{if } N_{\text{WL}} \neq 0 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow v_{\text{RR}} & \text{if } N_{\text{WL}} = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{WeavingFlowRate} := \text{WeavingDemand}(N_{\text{WL}})$$

$$\text{WeavingFlowRate} = 1154 \quad \text{pc/h}$$

### D. Non-Weaving Demand Flow Rate

$$\text{NonWeavingDemand}(N_{\text{WL}}) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow v_{\text{FF}} + v_{\text{RR}} & \text{if } N_{\text{WL}} \neq 0 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow v_{\text{FF}} + v_{\text{FR}} + v_{\text{RF}} & \text{if } N_{\text{WL}} = 0 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{NonWeavingFlowRate} := \text{NonWeavingDemand}(N_{\text{WL}})$$

$$\text{NonWeavingFlowRate} = 2547 \quad \text{pc/h}$$

### E. Total Demand Flow Rate

$$\text{TotalFlowRate} := \text{WeavingFlowRate} + \text{NonWeavingFlowRate}$$

$$\text{TotalFlowRate} = 3701 \quad \text{pc/h}$$

### F. Volume Ratio

$$\text{VR} := \frac{\text{WeavingFlowRate}}{\text{TotalFlowRate}}$$

$$\text{VR} = 0.312$$

### Step 3. Determine the Maximum Weaving Length

$$\text{MaximumLength} := \left[ 5728 (1 + \text{VR})^{1.6} \right] - 1566 \cdot \text{N\_WL}$$

$$\text{MaximumLength} = 5710 \quad \text{ft} \quad \text{Ls} := \text{Lp} \cdot .77 = 2310$$

If Maximum Length < Ls, then STOP  
Analyze ramp junctions separately

### Step 4. Determine the Capacity of Weaving Segment

#### A. Weaving segment capacity determined by density

$$C_{\text{IWL}} := C_{\text{IFL}} - \left[ 438.2 \cdot (1 + \text{VR})^{1.6} \right] + (0.0765 \cdot \text{Ls}) + (119.8 \cdot \text{N\_WL})$$

$$C_{\text{IWL}} = 2090 \quad \text{pc/h/ln} \quad C_{\text{IWL}} \text{ is the capacity per lane under equivalent ideal conditions}$$

$$C_{\text{w1}} := C_{\text{IWL}} \cdot \text{NumLanes} \cdot f_{\text{HV}} \cdot f_{\text{p}}$$

$$C_{\text{w1}} = 8243 \quad \text{veh/h} \quad C_{\text{w1}} \text{ is the density based capacity of weaving segment under prevailing conditions}$$

#### B. Weaving segment capacity determined by weaving demand flows

$$C_{\text{IW}}(\text{N\_WL}) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow \frac{2400}{\text{VR}} & \text{if } \text{N\_WL} = 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \frac{3500}{\text{VR}} & \text{if } \text{N\_WL} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \frac{C_{\text{w1}}}{f_{\text{HV}} \cdot f_{\text{p}}} & \text{if } \text{N\_WL} = 0 \end{cases}$$

For two sided segments, no limiting value on flow rate is proposed and thus capacity based on density only is estimated for the segment. Therefore same capacity value is used here to get the final as capacity determined by density for two sided segments.

$$C_{\text{IW}} := C_{\text{IW}}(\text{N\_WL}) \quad C_{\text{IW}} = 7700 \quad \text{pc/h} \quad C_{\text{IW}} \text{ is the capacity of the weaving segment under ideal conditions}$$

$$C_{\text{w2}} := C_{\text{IW}} \cdot f_{\text{HV}} \cdot f_{\text{p}}$$

$$C_{\text{w2}} = 7593 \quad \text{veh/h} \quad C_{\text{w2}} \text{ is the flow based capacity of weaving segment under prevailing conditions}$$

#### C. Final Capacity of Weaving Segment

$$\text{WeavingCapacity} := \text{if}(C_{\text{w1}} > C_{\text{w2}}, C_{\text{w2}}, C_{\text{w1}})$$

$$\text{WeavingCapacity} = 7593 \quad \text{veh/h}$$

#### D. Volume to Capacity (v/c) Ratio

$$\text{VolumeToCapacity} := \frac{\text{TotalFlowRate} \cdot f_{\text{HV}} \cdot f_{\text{p}}}{\text{WeavingCapacity}}$$

$$\text{VolumeToCapacity} = 0.481$$

If v/c ratio >1 then LOS is F  
Terminate

## Step 5. Determine Configuration Characteristics

$$LC\_MIN(\text{Config}) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow (LC\_RF \cdot v\_RF) + (LC\_FR \cdot v\_FR) & \text{if Config} = 1 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow (LC\_RR \cdot v\_RR) & \text{if Config} = 2 \end{cases}$$

$$LC\_MIN := LC\_MIN(\text{Config})$$

$$LC\_MIN = 1154 \quad \text{lc/h} \quad \text{Minimum Lane Changes}$$

## Step 6. Determine Lane-Changing Rates

### A. Lane-Changing Rate for Weaving Vehicles

$$LC\_W(Ls) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow LC\_MIN + 0.39 \cdot [(Ls - 300)^{0.5} \cdot \text{NumLanes}^2 \cdot (1 + \text{Int\_Density})^{0.8}] & \text{if } Ls \geq 300 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow LC\_MIN & \text{if } Ls < 300 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{LaneChangingWeaving} := LC\_W(Ls)$$

$$\text{LaneChangingWeaving} = 1615 \quad \text{lc/h}$$

### B. Lane-Changing Rate for Non-Weaving Vehicles

$$I\_NW := \frac{Ls \cdot \text{Int\_Density} \cdot \text{NonWeavingFlowRate}}{10000} \quad I\_NW = 512 \quad \text{Non Weaving Vehicle Index}$$

$$LC\_NW1 := (0.206 \cdot \text{NonWeavingFlowRate}) + (0.542 \cdot Ls) - (192.6 \cdot \text{NumLanes})$$

$$LC\_NW2 := 2135 + 0.233 \cdot (\text{NonWeavingFlowRate} - 2000)$$

$$LC\_NW3 := LC\_NW1 + (LC\_NW2 - LC\_NW1) \cdot \frac{(I\_NW - 1300)}{650}$$

$$LC\_NW(I\_NW) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow LC\_NW1 & \text{if } I\_NW < 1300 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow LC\_NW2 & \text{if } I\_NW \geq 1950 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow LC\_NW3 & \text{if } 1300 < I\_NW < 1950 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow LC\_NW2 & \text{if } LC\_NW1 \geq LC\_NW2 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{LaneChangingNonWeaving} := LC\_NW(I\_NW)$$

$$\text{LaneChangingNonWeaving} = 1006 \quad \text{lc/h}$$

### C. Total Lane-Changing Rate

$$\text{TotalLaneChanging} := \text{LaneChangingWeaving} + \text{LaneChangingNonWeaving}$$

$$\text{TotalLaneChanging} = 2622 \quad \text{lc/h}$$



## Step 7. Determine Average Speed of Weaving and Non-Weaving Vehicles

### A. Average Speed of Weaving Vehicles

$$\text{WeavingIntensityFactor} := 0.226 \left( \frac{\text{TotalLaneChanging}}{L_s} \right)^{0.789}$$

$$\text{WeavingIntensityFactor} = 0.25$$

$$\text{AverageWeavingSpeed} := 15 + \left( \frac{\text{FFS} - 15}{1 + \text{WeavingIntensityFactor}} \right)$$

$$\text{AverageWeavingSpeed} = 55.01 \quad \text{mi/h}$$

### B. Average Speed of Non-Weaving Vehicles

$$\text{AverageNonWeavingSpeed} := \text{FFS} - (0.0072 \cdot \text{LC\_MIN}) - \left( 0.0048 \cdot \frac{\text{TotalFlowRate}}{\text{NumLanes}} \right)$$

$$\text{AverageNonWeavingSpeed} = 52.25 \quad \text{mi/h}$$

### C. Average Speed of All Vehicles

$$\text{AverageSpeed} := \frac{\text{WeavingFlowRate} + \text{NonWeavingFlowRate}}{\left( \frac{\text{WeavingFlowRate}}{\text{AverageWeavingSpeed}} \right) + \left( \frac{\text{NonWeavingFlowRate}}{\text{AverageNonWeavingSpeed}} \right)}$$

$$\text{AverageSpeed} = 53.08 \quad \text{mi/h}$$

### D. Maximum Achievable Speed

$$S_{\max} := \text{FFS} - (\text{FFS} - S_{\text{prev}}) \cdot e^{(-0.00162 \cdot L_{\text{midpnts}})} \quad S_{\max} = 64.9 \quad \text{mi/h}$$

$$S := \begin{cases} \text{AverageSpeed} & \text{if } \text{AverageSpeed} \leq S_{\max} \\ S_{\max} & \text{if } \text{AverageSpeed} > S_{\max} \end{cases} \quad S = 53.1 \quad \text{mi/h}$$

### Step 8. Determine the Level of Service

$$\text{Density} := \frac{\left( \frac{\text{TotalFlowRate}}{\text{NumLanes}} \right)}{\text{AverageSpeed}} \quad \text{Density} = 17.4 \quad \text{pc/mi/ln}$$

$$\text{LOS}(\text{Density}) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"A"} & \text{if } 0 \leq \text{Density} \leq 10 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"B"} & \text{if } 10 < \text{Density} \leq 20 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"C"} & \text{if } 20 < \text{Density} \leq 28 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"D"} & \text{if } 28 < \text{Density} \leq 35 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"E"} & \text{if } 35 < \text{Density} \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"F"} & \text{if } \text{VolumeToCapacity} > 1 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{LOS}(\text{Density}) = \text{"B"}$$

### Step 9. Determine the Input Vol and %HV for the Next Downstream Segment

$$\text{FwyVolNew} := \text{SegInputVol} + (\text{OnRampVol} - v_{\text{RR}}) - (\text{OffRampVol} - v_{\text{RR}}) = 2981$$

$$\%Trucks_{\text{FNew}} := \frac{\text{SegInputVol} \cdot \text{SegInput}\%HV + (\text{OnRampVol} - v_{\text{RR}}) \cdot \text{OnRamp}\%HV - (\text{OffRampVol} - v_{\text{RR}}) \cdot \text{OffRamp}\%HV}{\text{FwyVolNew}}$$

$$\%Trucks_{\text{FNew}} = 5.055 \quad \text{*FwyVolNew and \%Trucks}_{\text{FNew}} \text{ are the input values for FwyVol and \%Trucks}_F \text{ for the next downstream segment if there is one. If the next segment is a weave, then \%Trucks}_{\text{FNew}} \text{ is the input value for SegInput}\%HV \text{ and FwyVolNew is the input value for SegInputVol.}$$

# On-Ramp Methodology

## Step 1. Data Inputs and Volume Adjustments

### A. Inputs

FwyVol := 2981	veh/h	RampVol := 455	veh/h	<i>*FwyVolNew and %Trucks<sub>FNew</sub> from the previous upstream segment are the input values for FwyVol and %Trucks<sub>F</sub> (if there is a previous upstream segment).</i>	
%Trucks <sub>F</sub> := 5.055		%RV <sub>F</sub> := 0	PHF := 0.95	f <sub>p</sub> := 1	FFS := 65 mi/h
%Trucks <sub>R</sub> := 2		%RV <sub>R</sub> := 0	S <sub>prev</sub> := 64.3	mi/h Average speed on immediate upstream segment	
NumLanes := 3	Number of mainline freeway lanes			NRamp := 1	Number of lanes on ramp roadway
Terrain := 1	1 = Level, 2 = Rolling, 3 = Mountainous				
L <sub>seg</sub> := 1500	ft	L <sub>prev</sub> := 500	ft		
L <sub>midpnts</sub> := $\frac{L_{seg} + L_{prev}}{2}$		L <sub>midpnts</sub> = 1000		ft Distance from midpoints of upstream and subject segments	
L <sub>A</sub> := 1000	ft	Total length of Acceleration Lane			
S <sub>FR</sub> := 40	mi/h Freeflow speed of the ramp at the junction point				
AdjUp := 2	AdjDn := 2	0 = none, 1 = on-ramp, 2 = off-ramp for Adjacent Upstream/Downstream Ramps			
L <sub>up</sub> := 500	ft	L <sub>down</sub> := 8280	ft		
VolumeUp := 455	veh/h	Volume on adjacent upstream ramp			
VolumeDown := 455	veh/h	Volume on adjacent downstream ramp			

### B. Heavy Vehicle Adjustments

#### Passenger Car Equivalents

$$E_T(\text{Terrain}) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 1.5 & \text{if Terrain} = 1 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 2.5 & \text{if Terrain} = 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 4.5 & \text{if Terrain} = 3 \end{cases} \quad E_R(\text{Terrain}) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 1.2 & \text{if Terrain} = 1 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 2.0 & \text{if Terrain} = 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 4.0 & \text{if Terrain} = 3 \end{cases}$$

$$E_T(\text{Terrain}) = 1.5 \quad E_R(\text{Terrain}) = 1.2$$

$$\underline{E}_T := E_T(\text{Terrain}) \quad E_T = 1.5 \quad \underline{E}_R := E_R(\text{Terrain}) \quad E_R = 1.2$$

$$f_{HV_F} := \frac{100}{100 + \%Trucks_F(E_T - 1) + \%RV_F(E_R - 1)} = 0.975 \quad f_{HV_F} = 0.975$$

$$f_{HV_R} := \frac{100}{100 + \%Trucks_R(E_T - 1) + \%RV_R(E_R - 1)} \quad f_{HV_R} = 0.99$$

### C. Demand Flow Rate

$$V_f := \frac{\text{FwyVol}}{\text{PHF} \cdot f_{HV_F} \cdot f_p} \quad V_f = 3217 \quad \text{pc/h} \quad V_r := \frac{\text{RampVol}}{\text{PHF} \cdot f_{HV_R} \cdot f_p} \quad V_r = 484 \quad \text{pc/h}$$

$$V_u := \frac{\text{VolumeUp}}{\text{PHF} \cdot f_{\text{HV}} \cdot f_p} \quad V_u = 484 \quad \text{pc/h} \quad V_d := \frac{\text{VolumeDown}}{\text{PHF} \cdot f_{\text{HV}} \cdot f_p} \quad V_d = 484 \quad \text{pc/h}$$

## Step 2. Determine the Approaching Flow Rate in Lanes 1 and 2

### A. Equilibrium Separation Distance for Adjacent Off-Ramp on a Six Lane Freeway

$$L_{\text{EQup}} := 0.214(V_f + V_r) + 0.444 \cdot L_A + 52.32 \cdot S_{\text{FR}} - 2403 \quad L_{\text{EQup}} = 926 \quad \text{ft}$$

$$L_{\text{EQdown}} := \frac{V_d}{0.1096 + 0.000107 \cdot L_A} \quad L_{\text{EQdown}} = 2233 \quad \text{ft}$$

### B. Estimating Proportion of Freeway Vehicles Remaining in lanes 1 and 2

$$\text{Eqn1} := 0.5775 + 0.000028 \cdot L_A \quad \text{Eqn1} = 0.606$$

$$\text{Eqn2} := 0.7289 - 0.0000135 \cdot (V_f + V_r) - 0.003296 \cdot S_{\text{FR}} + 0.000063 \cdot L_{\text{up}} \quad \text{Eqn2} = 0.579$$

$$\text{Eqn3} := 0.5487 + 0.2628 \cdot \frac{V_d}{L_{\text{down}}} \quad \text{Eqn3} = 0.564$$

$$P_{\text{FM}}(\text{NumLanes}) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 1.00 & \text{if } \text{NumLanes} = 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{Eqn1} & \text{if } \text{AdjUp} \neq 2 \wedge \text{AdjDn} \neq 2 \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{Eqn3} & \text{if } \text{AdjUp} = 0 \wedge \text{AdjDn} = 2 \wedge L_{\text{down}} < L_{\text{EQdown}} \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{Eqn1} & \text{if } \text{AdjUp} = 0 \wedge \text{AdjDn} = 2 \wedge L_{\text{down}} \geq L_{\text{EQdown}} \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{Eqn2} & \text{if } \text{AdjUp} = 2 \wedge \text{AdjDn} = 0 \wedge L_{\text{up}} < L_{\text{EQup}} \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{Eqn1} & \text{if } \text{AdjUp} = 2 \wedge \text{AdjDn} = 0 \wedge L_{\text{up}} \geq L_{\text{EQup}} \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{Eqn1} & \text{if } \text{AdjUp} = 1 \wedge \text{AdjDn} = 1 \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{Eqn3} & \text{if } \text{AdjUp} = 1 \wedge \text{AdjDn} = 2 \wedge L_{\text{down}} < L_{\text{EQdown}} \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{Eqn1} & \text{if } \text{AdjUp} = 1 \wedge \text{AdjDn} = 2 \wedge L_{\text{down}} \geq L_{\text{EQdown}} \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{Eqn2} & \text{if } \text{AdjUp} = 2 \wedge \text{AdjDn} = 1 \wedge L_{\text{up}} < L_{\text{EQup}} \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{Eqn1} & \text{if } \text{AdjUp} = 2 \wedge \text{AdjDn} = 1 \wedge L_{\text{up}} \geq L_{\text{EQup}} \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \max(\text{Eqn1}, \text{Eqn2}) & \text{if } \text{AdjUp} = 2 \wedge \text{AdjDn} = 2 \wedge L_{\text{up}} < L_{\text{EQup}} \wedge L_{\text{down}} \geq L_{\text{EQdown}} \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \max(\text{Eqn3}, \text{Eqn2}) & \text{if } \text{AdjUp} = 2 \wedge \text{AdjDn} = 2 \wedge L_{\text{up}} < L_{\text{EQup}} \wedge L_{\text{down}} < L_{\text{EQdown}} \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{Eqn1} & \text{if } \text{AdjUp} = 2 \wedge \text{AdjDn} = 2 \wedge L_{\text{up}} \geq L_{\text{EQup}} \wedge L_{\text{down}} \geq L_{\text{EQdown}} \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \max(\text{Eqn1}, \text{Eqn3}) & \text{if } \text{AdjUp} = 2 \wedge \text{AdjDn} = 2 \wedge L_{\text{up}} \geq L_{\text{EQup}} \wedge L_{\text{down}} < L_{\text{EQdown}} \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 0.2178 - 0.0000125 \cdot V_r + -0.01115 \cdot \frac{L_A}{S_{\text{FR}}} & \text{if } \left( \frac{V_f}{S_{\text{FR}}} \leq 72 \right) \wedge (\text{NumLanes} = 4) \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 0.2178 - 0.0000125 \cdot V_r & \text{if } \left( \frac{V_f}{S_{\text{FR}}} > 72 \right) \wedge (\text{NumLanes} = 4) \end{cases}$$

$$P_{\text{FM}} := P_{\text{FM}}(\text{NumLanes}) \quad P_{\text{FM}} = 0.606$$

C. Estimating Flow in Lanes 1 and 2

$$V_{12} := V_f \cdot P_{FM} \quad V_{12} = 1948 \quad \text{pc/h}$$

D. Checking the Reasonableness of the Lane Distribution Prediction*Six Lane Freeways**Eight Lane Freeways*

$$V_3 := V_f - V_{12} \quad V_3 = 1269 \quad \text{pc/h} \quad V_{av34} := \frac{V_f - V_{12}}{2} \quad V_{av34} = 635 \quad \text{pc/h}$$

$$V_{12a}(\text{NumLanes}) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow V_{12} & \text{if } \text{NumLanes} = 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow V_f - 2700 & \text{if } V_3 > 2700 \wedge V_3 \leq 1.5 \cdot \frac{V_{12}}{2} \vee \text{NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \frac{V_f}{1.75} & \text{if } V_3 \leq 2700 \wedge V_3 > 1.5 \cdot \frac{V_{12}}{2} \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \max\left(V_f - 2700, \frac{V_f}{1.75}\right) & \text{if } V_3 > 2700 \wedge V_3 > 1.5 \cdot \frac{V_{12}}{2} \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow V_{12} & \text{if } V_3 \leq 2700 \wedge V_3 \leq 1.5 \cdot \frac{V_{12}}{2} \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow V_f - 5400 & \text{if } V_{av34} > 2700 \wedge V_{av34} \leq 1.5 \cdot \frac{V_{12}}{2} \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 4 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \frac{V_f}{2.50} & \text{if } V_{av34} \leq 2700 \wedge V_{av34} > 1.5 \cdot \frac{V_{12}}{2} \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 4 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \max\left(V_f - 5400, \frac{V_f}{2.50}\right) & \text{if } V_{av34} > 2700 \wedge V_{av34} > 1.5 \cdot \frac{V_{12}}{2} \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 4 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow V_{12} & \text{if } V_{av34} \leq 2700 \wedge V_{av34} \leq 1.5 \cdot \frac{V_{12}}{2} \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 4 \end{cases}$$

C. Final Flow in Lanes 1 and 2

$$V_{12} := V_{12a}(\text{NumLanes}) \quad V_{12} = 1948 \quad \text{pc/h}$$

### Step 3. Determine Capacity of Ramp-Freeway Junction

$$V_{R12} := V_{12} + V_r \quad V_{R12} = 2432 \text{ pc/h} \quad \text{Flow entering the ramp influence area}$$

$$\text{CapUpFreewaySegment}(\text{NumLanes}, \text{FFS}) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 4800 & \text{if } \text{FFS} \geq 70 \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 4700 & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 65 \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 4600 & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 60 \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 4600 & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 55 \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 7200 & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 70 \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 7050 & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 65 \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 6900 & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 60 \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 6750 & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 55 \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 9600 & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 70 \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 4 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 9400 & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 65 \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 4 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 9200 & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 60 \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 4 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 9000 & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 55 \wedge \text{NumLanes} = 4 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 2400 \cdot \text{NumLanes} & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 70 \wedge \text{NumLanes} > 4 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 2350 \cdot \text{NumLanes} & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 65 \wedge \text{NumLanes} > 4 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 2300 \cdot \text{NumLanes} & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 60 \wedge \text{NumLanes} > 4 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 2250 \cdot \text{NumLanes} & \text{if } \text{FFS} = 55 \wedge \text{NumLanes} > 4 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{CapUpFreewaySegment}(\text{NumLanes}, \text{FFS}) = 7050 \quad \text{Capacity of Ramp Freeway Junction}$$

$$\text{MaxV12} = 4600 \quad \text{Maximum Desirable Flow Rate Entering Merge Influence Area}$$

$$\text{CapacityRampRoadway} := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 2200 & \text{if } (\text{NRamp} = 1) \wedge (S_{FR} > 50) \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 2100 & \text{if } (\text{NRamp} = 1) \wedge (40 < S_{FR} \leq 50) \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 2000 & \text{if } (\text{NRamp} = 1) \wedge (30 < S_{FR} \leq 40) \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 1900 & \text{if } (\text{NRamp} = 1) \wedge (20 \leq S_{FR} \leq 30) \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 1800 & \text{if } (\text{NRamp} = 1) \wedge (20 > S_{FR}) \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 4400 & \text{if } (\text{NRamp} = 2) \wedge (S_{FR} > 50) \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 4200 & \text{if } (\text{NRamp} = 2) \wedge (40 < S_{FR} \leq 50) \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 4000 & \text{if } (\text{NRamp} = 2) \wedge (30 < S_{FR} \leq 40) \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 3800 & \text{if } (\text{NRamp} = 2) \wedge (20 \leq S_{FR} \leq 30) \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 3600 & \text{if } (\text{NRamp} = 2) \wedge (20 > S_{FR}) \end{cases}$$

$$\text{CapacityRampRoadway} = 2000$$

$$V_{FO} := V_f + V_r \quad V_{FO} = 3701 \text{ pc/h} \quad \text{Volume immediately downstream of on-ramp influence area}$$

*Ramp Freeway Junction Checkpoint* Volume immediately downstream of on-ramp influence area is checked against freeway capacity. Failure of ramp freeway junction checkpoint (i.e. demand exceeds capacity) results in LOS F

**Ramp Roadway Capacity Checkpoint**

Capacity or ramp roadway should always be checked against the demand flow rate on the ramp. It is rarely a problem for the on-ramp

**Maximum Desirable Flow Entering Ramp Influence Area Checkpoint**

While the  $V_{R12}$  values is checked against the maximum desirable, failure does not result in assignment of LOS F. Failing this checkpoint generally means that there will be more turbulence in influence area than predicted by this methodology. Thus, predicted densities are most likely lower than those that will exist, and predicted speeds are most likely to be predicted as higher than those that will actually occur.

**Step 4. Determine Speeds in the Vicinity of Ramp-Freeway Junction****A. Average Speed in the Ramp Influence Area**

$$S_R := \text{FFS} - (\text{FFS} - 42) \cdot \left[ 0.321 + 0.0039 \exp\left(\frac{V_{R12}}{1000}\right) - 0.002 \cdot \left(L_A \frac{S_{FR}}{1000}\right) \right] \quad S_R = 58.44 \quad \text{mi/h}$$

**B. Average Speed in the Outer Lanes of Freeway****Average Flow in Outer Lanes**

$$\text{No} := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 1 & \text{if NumLanes} = 3 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 2 & \text{if NumLanes} = 4 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \infty & \text{if NumLanes} = 2 \end{cases} \quad V_{OA} := \frac{V_f - V_{12}}{\text{No}} \quad V_{OA} = 1269$$

$$S_O(V_{OA}) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow \text{FFS} & \text{if } V_{OA} < 500 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{FFS} - 0.0036 \cdot (V_{OA} - 500) & \text{if } 500 \leq V_{OA} \leq 2300 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{FFS} - 6.53 - 0.006 \cdot (V_{OA} - 2300) & \text{if } V_{OA} > 2300 \end{cases}$$

$$S_{OA} := S_O(V_{OA}) \quad S_O = 62.23 \quad \text{mi/h}$$

**C. Average Speed for On-Ramp Junction**

$$S_{\text{avg}} := \frac{V_{R12} + V_{OA} \cdot \text{No}}{\left(\frac{V_{R12}}{S_R}\right) + \left(\frac{V_{OA} \cdot \text{No}}{S_O}\right)} \quad S_{\text{avg}} = 59.68 \quad \text{mi/h}$$

**D. Maximum Achievable Speed**

$$S_{\text{max}} := \text{FFS} - (\text{FFS} - S_{\text{prev}}) \cdot e^{(-0.00162 \cdot L_{\text{midpnts}})} \quad S_{\text{max}} = 64.9 \quad \text{mi/h}$$

$$S := \begin{cases} S_{\text{avg}} & \text{if } S_{\text{avg}} \leq S_{\text{max}} \\ S_{\text{max}} & \text{if } S_{\text{avg}} > S_{\text{max}} \end{cases} \quad S = 59.7 \quad \text{mi/h}$$

## Step 5. Determine the Density and Level of Service

### A. Density in On-Ramp Influence Area

$$\text{Density}_R := 5.475 + 0.00734 \cdot V_r + 0.0078 \cdot V_{12} - 0.00627 \cdot L_A$$

$$\text{Density}_R = 18.0 \quad \text{pc/mi/ln}$$

### B. Density in Outer Lanes

$$\text{Density}_O := \frac{V_{OA}}{S_O}$$

$$\text{Density}_O = 20.4 \quad \text{pc/mi/ln}$$

### C. Density of Entire Cross-Section

$$\text{Density} := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow \text{Density}_R & \text{if } \text{NumLanes} \leq 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \frac{[\text{Density}_R \cdot (2) + \text{Density}_O \cdot (\text{NumLanes} - 2)]}{\text{NumLanes}} & \text{if } \text{NumLanes} > 2 \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Density} = 18.8 \quad \text{pc/mi/ln}$$

### D. Level of Service

$$\text{LOS}(\text{Density}) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"A"} & \text{if } 0 \leq \text{Density} \leq 10 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"B"} & \text{if } 10 < \text{Density} \leq 20 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"C"} & \text{if } 20 < \text{Density} \leq 28 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"D"} & \text{if } 28 < \text{Density} \leq 35 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"E"} & \text{if } 35 < \text{Density} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{LOS}(\text{Density}) = \text{"B"}$$

## Step 6. Determine Input Vol and %HV for Next Downstream Segment

$$\text{FwyVol}_{\text{Cars}} := \text{FwyVol} \cdot \left( 1 - \frac{\%Trucks_F}{100} \right) = 2830.3$$

$$\text{RampVol}_{\text{Cars}} := \text{RampVol} \cdot \left( 1 - \frac{\%Trucks_R}{100} \right) = 445.9$$

$$\text{FwyVol}_{\text{CarsNew}} := \text{FwyVol}_{\text{Cars}} + \text{RampVol}_{\text{Cars}} = 3276.2$$

$$\text{FwyVol}_{\text{Trucks}} := \text{FwyVol} \cdot \frac{\%Trucks_F}{100} = 150.69$$

$$\text{RampVol}_{\text{Trucks}} := \text{RampVol} \cdot \left( \frac{\%Trucks_R}{100} \right) = 9.1$$

$$\text{FwyVol}_{\text{TrucksNew}} := \text{FwyVol}_{\text{Trucks}} + \text{RampVol}_{\text{Trucks}} = 159.79$$

$$\text{FwyVol}_{\text{New}} := \text{FwyVol}_{\text{CarsNew}} + \text{FwyVol}_{\text{TrucksNew}} = 3436$$

$$\%Trucks_{FNew} := \frac{\text{FwyVol}_{\text{TrucksNew}}}{\text{FwyVol}_{\text{New}}} \cdot 100 = 4.6505$$

*\*FwyVolNew and %Trucks<sub>FNew</sub> are the input values for FwyVol and %Trucks<sub>F</sub> for the next downstream segment if there is one. If the next segment is a weave, then %Trucks<sub>FNew</sub> is the input value for %Trucks<sub>FF</sub> and %Trucks<sub>FR</sub>.*



## RampOverlap Methodology

The speed and density of the ramp overlap segment are set to the speed and density values of the preceding on-ramp or the following off-ramp that has the higher density. In this case, off-ramp 25 has a higher density than on-ramp 23; thus, the speed and density of the ramp overlap segment are equal to those of the off-ramp.

### On-Ramp 23 Speed and Density

$$S_{23} := 59.0 \quad D_{23} := 20.1$$

### Off-Ramp 25 Speed and Density

$$S_{25} := 57.4 \quad D_{25} := 20.8$$

### Ramp Overlap 24 Speed and Density

$$S_{24} := 57.4 \quad D_{24} := 20.8$$

## Overall Facility Density and Speed Calculations

### Variable Names

L = Length    n = Number of Lanes    D = Density    S = Speed    TT = Travel Time

### Notation

*i* is the segment index and *n* is the number of segments

$$\text{FacilitySpeed} := \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n L\text{Seg}_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n \text{TT}\text{Seg}_i} \quad \text{FacilityDensity} := \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (nLD\text{Seg}_i)}{\sum_{i=1}^n (nL\text{Seg}_i)}$$

FacilitySpeed = Speed in the entire facility

FacilityDensity = Density for the entire facility

## 1. Basic Segment

### Segment Input and Calcs

$$S_1 := 65.0 \quad D_1 := 16.8 \quad L_1 := 5280 \quad n_1 := 3 \quad \text{TT}_1 := \frac{L_1}{S_1} = 81.231$$

$$nLD_1 := n_1 \cdot L_1 \cdot D_1 = 266112$$

$$nL_1 := n_1 \cdot L_1 = 15840$$

## 2. Off-Ramp Segment

### Segment Input and Calcs

$$S_2 := 59.9 \quad D_2 := 17.9 \quad L_2 := 1500 \quad n_2 := 3 \quad \text{TT}_2 := \frac{L_2}{S_2} = 25.042$$

$$nLD_2 := n_2 \cdot L_2 \cdot D_2 = 80550$$

$$nL_2 := n_2 \cdot L_2 = 4500$$

## 3. Basic Segment

$$S_3 := 64.0 \quad D_3 := 15.4 \quad L_3 := 500 \quad n_3 := 3 \quad \text{TT}_3 := \frac{L_3}{S_3} = 7.813$$

$$nLD_3 := n_3 \cdot L_3 \cdot D_3 = 23100$$

$$nL_3 := n_3 \cdot L_3 = 1500$$

#### 4. Weave Segment

$$S_4 := 53.1 \quad D_4 := 17.4 \quad L_4 := 3000 \quad n_4 := 4 \quad TT_4 := \frac{L_4}{S_4} = 56.497$$

$$nLD_4 := n_4 \cdot L_4 \cdot D_4 = 208800$$

$$nL_4 := n_4 \cdot L_4 = 12000$$

#### 5. Basic Segment

$$S_5 := 64.3 \quad D_5 := 16.7 \quad L_5 := 500 \quad n_5 := 3 \quad TT_5 := \frac{L_5}{S_5} = 7.776$$

$$nLD_5 := n_5 \cdot L_5 \cdot D_5 = 25050$$

$$nL_5 := n_5 \cdot L_5 = 1500$$

#### 6. On-Ramp Segment

$$S_6 := 59.7 \quad D_6 := 18.8 \quad L_6 := 1500 \quad n_6 := 3 \quad TT_6 := \frac{L_6}{S_6} = 25.126$$

$$nLD_6 := n_6 \cdot L_6 \cdot D_6 = 84600$$

$$nL_6 := n_6 \cdot L_6 = 4500$$

#### 7. Basic Segment

$$S_7 := 65.0 \quad D_7 := 19 \quad L_7 := 5280 \quad n_7 := 3 \quad TT_7 := \frac{L_7}{S_7} = 81.231$$

$$nLD_7 := n_7 \cdot L_7 \cdot D_7 = 300960$$

$$nL_7 := n_7 \cdot L_7 = 15840$$

#### 8. Off-Ramp Segment

$$S_8 := 59.6 \quad D_8 := 20.2 \quad L_8 := 1500 \quad n_8 := 3 \quad TT_8 := \frac{L_8}{S_8} = 25.168$$

$$nLD_8 := n_8 \cdot L_8 \cdot D_8 = 90900$$

$$nL_8 := n_8 \cdot L_8 = 4500$$

**9. Basic Segment**

$$S_9 := 64.7 \quad D_9 := 16.6 \quad L_9 := 2280 \quad n_9 := 3 \quad TT_9 := \frac{L_9}{S_9} = 35.24$$

$$nLD_9 := n_9 \cdot L_9 \cdot D_9 = 113544$$

$$nL_9 := n_9 \cdot L_9 = 6840$$

**10. Weave Segment**

$$S_{10} := 51.8 \quad D_{10} := 19.1 \quad L_{10} := 4000 \quad n_{10} := 4 \quad TT_{10} := \frac{L_{10}}{S_{10}} = 77.22$$

$$nLD_{10} := n_{10} \cdot L_{10} \cdot D_{10} = 305600$$

$$nL_{10} := n_{10} \cdot L_{10} = 16000$$

**11. Basic Segment**

$$S_{11} := 64.9 \quad D_{11} := 16.5 \quad L_{11} := 2280 \quad n_{11} := 3 \quad TT_{11} := \frac{L_{11}}{S_{11}} = 35.131$$

$$nLD_{11} := n_{11} \cdot L_{11} \cdot D_{11} = 112860$$

$$nL_{11} := n_{11} \cdot L_{11} = 6840$$

**12. On-Ramp Segment**

$$S_{12} := 59.6 \quad D_{12} := 18.8 \quad L_{12} := 1500 \quad n_{12} := 3 \quad TT_{12} := \frac{L_{12}}{S_{12}} = 25.168$$

$$nLD_{12} := n_{12} \cdot L_{12} \cdot D_{12} = 84600$$

$$nL_{12} := n_{12} \cdot L_{12} = 4500$$

**13. Off-Ramp Segment**

$$S_{13} := 59.3 \quad D_{13} := 20.2 \quad L_{13} := 1500 \quad n_{13} := 3 \quad TT_{13} := \frac{L_{13}}{S_{13}} = 25.295$$

$$nLD_{13} := n_{13} \cdot L_{13} \cdot D_{13} = 90900$$

$$nL_{13} := n_{13} \cdot L_{13} = 4500$$

**14. Basic Segment**

$$S_{14} := 64.4 \quad D_{14} := 16.6 \quad L_{14} := 1500 \quad n_{14} := 3 \quad TT_{14} := \frac{L_{14}}{S_{14}} = 23.292$$

$$nLD_{14} := n_{14} \cdot L_{14} \cdot D_{14} = 74700$$

$$nL_{14} := n_{14} \cdot L_{14} = 4500$$

**15. On-Ramp Segment**

$$S_{15} := 59.5 \quad D_{15} := 19.5 \quad L_{15} := 1500 \quad n_{15} := 3 \quad TT_{15} := \frac{L_{15}}{S_{15}} = 25.21$$

$$nLD_{15} := n_{15} \cdot L_{15} \cdot D_{15} = 87750$$

$$nL_{15} := n_{15} \cdot L_{15} = 4500$$

**16. Basic Segment**

$$S_{16} := 64.3 \quad D_{16} := 20.0 \quad L_{16} := 1000 \quad n_{16} := 3 \quad TT_{16} := \frac{L_{16}}{S_{16}} = 15.552$$

$$nLD_{16} := n_{16} \cdot L_{16} \cdot D_{16} = 60000$$

$$nL_{16} := n_{16} \cdot L_{16} = 3000$$

**17. Off-Ramp Segment**

$$S_{17} := 58.7 \quad D_{17} := 21.1 \quad L_{17} := 1500 \quad n_{17} := 3 \quad TT_{17} := \frac{L_{17}}{S_{17}} = 25.554$$

$$nLD_{17} := n_{17} \cdot L_{17} \cdot D_{17} = 94950$$

$$nL_{17} := n_{17} \cdot L_{17} = 4500$$

**18. Basic Segment**

$$S_{18} := 64.4 \quad D_{18} := 16.1 \quad L_{18} := 1500 \quad n_{18} := 3 \quad TT_{18} := \frac{L_{18}}{S_{18}} = 23.292$$

$$nLD_{18} := n_{18} \cdot L_{18} \cdot D_{18} = 72450$$

$$nL_{18} := n_{18} \cdot L_{18} = 4500$$

**19. WeaveSegment**

$$S_{19} := 55.0 \quad D_{19} := 16.3 \quad L_{19} := 1500 \quad n_{19} := 4 \quad TT_{19} := \frac{L_{19}}{S_{19}} = 27.273$$

$$nLD_{19} := n_{19} \cdot L_{19} \cdot D_{19} = 97800$$

$$nL_{19} := n_{19} \cdot L_{19} = 6000$$

## 20. Basic Segment

$$S_{20} := 65.0 \quad D_{20} := 16.8 \quad L_{20} := 5280 \quad n_{20} := 3 \quad TT_{20} := \frac{L_{20}}{S_{20}} = 81.231$$

$$nLD_{20} := n_{20} \cdot L_{20} \cdot D_{20} = 266112$$

$$nL_{20} := n_{20} \cdot L_{20} = 15840$$

## 21. Off-Ramp Segment

$$S_{21} := 59.6 \quad D_{21} := 17.9 \quad L_{21} := 1500 \quad n_{21} := 3 \quad TT_{21} := \frac{L_{21}}{S_{21}} = 25.168$$

$$nLD_{21} := n_{21} \cdot L_{21} \cdot D_{21} = 80550$$

$$nL_{21} := n_{21} \cdot L_{21} = 4500$$

## 22. Basic Segment

$$S_{22} := 64.3 \quad D_{22} := 14.8 \quad L_{22} := 1000 \quad n_{22} := 3 \quad TT_{22} := \frac{L_{22}}{S_{22}} = 15.552$$

$$nLD_{22} := n_{22} \cdot L_{22} \cdot D_{22} = 44400$$

$$nL_{22} := n_{22} \cdot L_{22} = 3000$$

## 23. On-Ramp Segment

$$S_{23} := 59.0 \quad D_{23} := 20.1 \quad L_{23} := 300 \quad n_{23} := 3 \quad TT_{23} := \frac{L_{23}}{S_{23}} = 5.085$$

$$nLD_{23} := n_{23} \cdot L_{23} \cdot D_{23} = 18090$$

$$nL_{23} := n_{23} \cdot L_{23} = 900$$

## 24. Ramp Overlap Segment

$$S_{24} := 57.4 \quad D_{24} := 20.8 \quad L_{24} := 1200 \quad n_{24} := 3 \quad TT_{24} := \frac{L_{24}}{S_{24}} = 20.906$$

$$nLD_{24} := n_{24} \cdot L_{24} \cdot D_{24} = 74880$$

$$nL_{24} := n_{24} \cdot L_{24} = 3600$$

**25. Off-Ramp Segment**

$$S_{25} := 57.4 \quad D_{25} := 20.8 \quad L_{25} := 300 \quad n_{25} := 3 \quad TT_{25} := \frac{L_{25}}{S_{25}} = 5.226$$

$$nLD_{25} := n_{25} \cdot L_{25} \cdot D_{25} = 18720$$

$$nL_{25} := n_{25} \cdot L_{25} = 900$$

**26. Basic Segment**

$$S_{26} := 62.4 \quad D_{26} := 16.0 \quad L_{26} := 1000 \quad n_{26} := 3 \quad TT_{26} := \frac{L_{26}}{S_{26}} = 16.026$$

$$nLD_{26} := n_{26} \cdot L_{26} \cdot D_{26} = 48000$$

$$nL_{26} := n_{26} \cdot L_{26} = 3000$$

**27. On-Ramp Segment**

$$S_{27} := 59.5 \quad D_{27} := 19.2 \quad L_{27} := 1500 \quad n_{27} := 3 \quad TT_{27} := \frac{L_{27}}{S_{27}} = 25.21$$

$$nLD_{27} := n_{27} \cdot L_{27} \cdot D_{27} = 86400$$

$$nL_{27} := n_{27} \cdot L_{27} = 4500$$

**28. Basic Segment**

$$S_{28} := 65.0 \quad D_{28} := 19.5 \quad L_{28} := 5280 \quad n_{28} := 3 \quad TT_{28} := \frac{L_{28}}{S_{28}} = 81.231$$

$$nLD_{28} := n_{28} \cdot L_{28} \cdot D_{28} = 308880$$

$$nL_{28} := n_{28} \cdot L_{28} = 15840$$

**29. Weave Segment**

$$S_{29} := 52.9 \quad D_{29} := 21 \quad L_{29} := 4500 \quad n_{29} := 4 \quad TT_{29} := \frac{L_{29}}{S_{29}} = 85.066$$

$$nLD_{29} := n_{29} \cdot L_{29} \cdot D_{29} = 378000$$

$$nL_{29} := n_{29} \cdot L_{29} = 18000$$

**30. Basic Segment**

$$S_{30} := 64.9 \quad D_{30} := 20.4 \quad L_{30} := 1140 \quad n_{30} := 3 \quad TT_{30} := \frac{L_{30}}{S_{30}} = 17.565$$

$$nLD_{30} := n_{30} \cdot L_{30} \cdot D_{30} = 69768$$

$$nL_{30} := n_{30} \cdot L_{30} = 3420$$

### 31. Weave Segment

$$S_{31} := 53.2 \quad D_{31} := 20.9$$

$$L_{31} := 2000$$

$$n_{31} := 4$$

$$TT_{31} := \frac{L_{31}}{S_{31}} = 37.594$$

$$nLD_{31} := n_{31} \cdot L_{31} \cdot D_{31} = 167200$$

$$nL_{31} := n_{31} \cdot L_{31} = 8000$$

### 32. Basic Segment

$$S_{32} := 64.1 \quad D_{32} := 20.6$$

$$L_{32} := 1140$$

$$n_{32} := 3$$

$$TT_{32} := \frac{L_{32}}{S_{32}} = 17.785$$

$$nLD_{32} := n_{32} \cdot L_{32} \cdot D_{32} = 70452$$

$$nL_{32} := n_{32} \cdot L_{32} = 3420$$

### 33. On-Ramp Segment

$$S_{33} := 59 \quad D_{33} := 22.8$$

$$L_{33} := 1500$$

$$n_{33} := 3$$

$$TT_{33} := \frac{L_{33}}{S_{33}} = 25.424$$

$$nLD_{33} := n_{33} \cdot L_{33} \cdot D_{33} = 102600$$

$$nL_{33} := n_{33} \cdot L_{33} = 4500$$



## Facility Calcs

$$\text{TotalSegnLD} := \sum_{i=1}^{33} nLD_i = 4009278$$

$$\text{TotalSegnL} := \left( \sum_{i=1}^{33} nL_i \right) = 215280$$

$$\text{FacilityDensity} := \frac{\text{TotalSegnLD}}{\text{TotalSegnL}} = 18.624$$

$$\text{TotalSegL} := \sum_{i=1}^{33} L_i = 66760$$

$$\text{TotalSegTT} := \sum_{i=1}^{33} TT_i = 1107.177$$

$$\text{FacilitySpeed} := \frac{\text{TotalSegL}}{\text{TotalSegTT}} = 60.3$$

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**Appendix G**  
**Calculations Documentation for FREEPLAN**  
**Toll Plaza Analysis Only**

# FREEPLAN Computational Methodology

## Traditional Toll Plaza

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### Step 1. Input Toll Plaza Data

<u>Number of Lanes</u>	<u>Average Service Times</u>	<u>Payment Type Composition</u>
$N_{MB} := 2$	$ST_{MB} := 5.6 \quad s$	$PT_{MB} := 35 \quad \%$
$N_{ACM} := 2$	$ST_{ACM} := 2.3 \quad s$	$PT_{ACM} := 40 \quad \%$
$N_{ETC} := 1$		$PT_{ETC} := 25 \quad \%$ $FFS_{ETC} := 35 \text{ mi/h}$

### Step 2. Input Freeway Data

<u>Traffic</u>	<u>Roadway</u>
$FwyVol := 1733 \text{ veh/h}$	$N := 5$ total number of lanes
$PHF := 1.000$	$L_{up} := 5280 \text{ ft}$
$f_p := 0.98$	$Terrain := 1$ 1 = Level, 2 = Rolling, 3 = Mountainous
$FFS_{up} := 70.0 \text{ mi/h}$ Average speed on immediate upstream segment	
$FFS_{down} := 70.0 \text{ mi/h}$ Average speed on immediate downstream segment	

### Step 3. Calculate Flow Rate for Each Payment Type

#### Passenger Car Equivalentts

$$E_T(\text{Terrain}) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 1.5 & \text{if Terrain} = 1 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 2.5 & \text{if Terrain} = 2 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 4.5 & \text{if Terrain} = 3 \end{cases}$$

$$E_T(\text{Terrain}) = 1.5 \quad E_T := E_T(\text{Terrain}) \quad E_T = 1.5$$

#### Heavy Vehicle Adjustment Factor

$$f_{HV_F} := \frac{100}{100 + \%Trucks_F(E_T - 1)} \quad f_{HV_F} = 0.985$$

#### Demand Flow Rates

$$V_f := \frac{FwyVol}{PHF \cdot f_p} \quad V_f = 1768 \quad \text{veh/h}$$

Toll plaza methodology is based on flow rate units of vehicles, not passenger cars.

$$V_{MB} := V_f \cdot \frac{PT_{MB}}{100} \quad V_{MB} = 619 \quad \text{veh/h}$$

$$V_{ACM} := V_f \cdot \frac{PT_{ACM}}{100} \quad V_{ACM} = 707 \quad \text{veh/h} \quad V_{ETC} := V_f \cdot \frac{PT_{ETC}}{100} \quad V_{ETC} = 442 \quad \text{veh/h}$$

### Step 4. Calculate Capacity

#### Processing Time

$$t_{PullUp} := 3.5 + 0.015 \cdot \%Trucks_F \quad t_{PullUp} = 3.545 \quad \text{s} \quad \text{This assumes a setback distance of 5ft.}$$

$$t_{MB} := ST_{MB} + t_{PullUp} \quad t_{MB} = 9.145 \quad \text{s}$$

$$t_{ACM} := ST_{ACM} + t_{PullUp} \quad t_{ACM} = 5.845 \quad \text{s}$$

#### Ideal Payment Type Distribution

$$Ideal_{MB} := \frac{\left(\frac{N_{MB}}{t_{MB}}\right)}{\left(\frac{N_{MB}}{t_{MB}}\right) + \left(\frac{N_{ACM}}{t_{ACM}}\right)} \cdot 100 \quad Ideal_{MB} = 38.99 \quad \% \quad \text{round}(Ideal_{MB}) = 39$$

$$Ideal_{MB} := \text{round}(Ideal_{MB})$$

$$Ideal_{MB} = 39 \quad \%$$

$$Ideal_{ACM} := \frac{\left(\frac{N_{ACM}}{t_{ACM}}\right)}{\left(\frac{N_{MB}}{t_{MB}}\right) + \left(\frac{N_{ACM}}{t_{ACM}}\right)} \cdot 100 \quad Ideal_{ACM} = 61.01 \quad \% \quad \text{round}(Ideal_{ACM}) = 61$$

$$Ideal_{ACM} := \text{round}(Ideal_{ACM})$$

$$Ideal_{ACM} = 61 \quad \%$$

#### Actual Payment Type Distribution

$$Actual_{MB} := \frac{PT_{MB}}{PT_{MB} + PT_{ACM}} \cdot 100 \quad Actual_{MB} = 46.67 \quad \%$$

$$\text{round}(Actual_{MB}) = 47 \quad Actual_{MB} := \text{round}(Actual_{MB}) \quad Actual_{MB} = 47 \quad \%$$

$$Actual_{ACM} := \frac{PT_{ACM}}{PT_{MB} + PT_{ACM}} \cdot 100 \quad Actual_{ACM} = 53.33 \quad \%$$

$$\text{round}(\text{Actual}_{\text{ACM}}) = 53 \quad \text{Actual}_{\text{ACM}} := \text{round}(\text{Actual}_{\text{ACM}}) \quad \text{Actual}_{\text{ACM}} = 53 \%$$

### Determine Base Capacity

$$\text{BaseCapacity}(\text{FFS}_{\text{ETC}}) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow 1950 & \text{if } \text{FFS}_{\text{ETC}} < 30 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 2150 & \text{if } \text{FFS}_{\text{ETC}} < 40 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow 2200 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{BaseCapacity}(\text{FFS}_{\text{ETC}}) = 2150 \quad \text{BaseCapacity} := \text{BaseCapacity}(\text{FFS}_{\text{ETC}}) \quad \text{BaseCapacity} = 2150 \text{ pc/h/ln}$$

### Capacities

$$c_{\text{MB}} := \frac{3678.417 \cdot N_{\text{MB}}}{t_{\text{MB}}} - 2.357 \cdot N_{\text{MB}} \cdot \sqrt{\% \text{Trucks}_F} \quad c_{\text{MB}} = 796.3 \quad \text{veh/h}$$

$$c_{\text{ACM}} := \left( \frac{3803.336 \cdot N_{\text{ACM}}}{t_{\text{ACM}}} \right) \cdot \left[ 1 - \left( \frac{\text{Ideal}_{\text{ACM}} - \text{Actual}_{\text{ACM}}}{44.859} \right) \right] - 3.255 \cdot N_{\text{ACM}} \cdot \sqrt{\% \text{Trucks}_F} \quad c_{\text{ACM}} = 1058 \quad \text{veh/h}$$

$$c_{\text{nonETC}} := c_{\text{MB}} + c_{\text{ACM}} \quad c_{\text{nonETC}} = 1854.3 \quad \text{veh/h}$$

$$c_{\text{ETC}} := \min(\text{BaseCapacity} \cdot f_{\text{HV}_F} \cdot N_{\text{ETC}}, V_{\text{ETC}}) \quad c_{\text{ETC}} = 442 \quad \text{veh/h}$$

$$c_{\text{Total}} := c_{\text{MB}} + c_{\text{ACM}} + c_{\text{ETC}} \quad c_{\text{Total}} = 2296.4 \quad \text{veh/h}$$

## Step 5. Calculate Speed and Density

### Demand to Capacity Ratios

$$X_{\text{MB}} := \frac{V_{\text{MB}}}{c_{\text{MB}}} \quad X_{\text{MB}} = 0.777 \quad X_{\text{ACM}} := \frac{V_{\text{ACM}}}{c_{\text{ACM}}} \quad X_{\text{ACM}} = 0.669$$

### ETC-Only Speed and Density

$$S_{\text{ETC}} := \text{FFS}_{\text{ETC}} - 0.00254 \cdot V_{\text{ETC}} \quad S_{\text{ETC}} = 33.9 \quad \text{mi/h}$$

$$\text{Density}_{\text{ETC}} := \frac{V_{\text{ETC}}}{S_{\text{ETC}}} \quad \text{Density}_{\text{ETC}} = 13.0 \quad \text{veh/h/ln}$$

### Regular Lanes Density

$$\text{Density}_{\text{nonETC}} := e^{(4.1402 \cdot X_{\text{MB}})} + e^{(3.3952 \cdot X_{\text{ACM}})} - 49.2126 \cdot X_{\text{MB}}^3 + 4.5947 \cdot X_{\text{ACM}}$$

$$\text{Density}_{\text{nonETC}} = 14.6 \quad \text{veh/h/ln}$$

### Overall Segment Density

$$\text{Density}_{\text{overall}} := \text{Density}_{\text{nonETC}} \cdot \left( \frac{N_{\text{MB}} + N_{\text{ACM}}}{N} \right) + \text{Density}_{\text{ETC}} \cdot \left( \frac{N_{\text{ETC}}}{N} \right) \quad \text{Density}_{\text{overall}} = 14.3 \quad \text{veh/h/ln}$$

$$\text{Density}_{\text{PC}} := \frac{\text{Density}_{\text{overall}}}{f_{\text{HV}_F}} \quad \text{Density}_{\text{PC}} = 14.5 \quad \text{pc/h/ln}$$

### Regular Lanes Speed

$$S_{\text{nonETC}} := \frac{V_f \cdot \left( 1 - \frac{PT_{\text{ETC}}}{100} \right)}{(N_{\text{MB}} + N_{\text{ACM}}) \cdot \text{Density}_{\text{overall}}} \quad S_{\text{nonETC}} = 23.2 \quad \text{mi/h}$$

$$S_{\text{overall}} := \frac{\left( S_{\text{ETC}} \cdot \text{FwyVol} \cdot \frac{PT_{\text{ETC}}}{100} \right) + \left[ S_{\text{nonETC}} \cdot \text{FwyVol} \cdot \left( 1 - \frac{PT_{\text{ETC}}}{100} \right) \right]}{\text{FwyVol}} \quad S_{\text{overall}} = 25.9 \quad \text{mi/h}$$

## Step 6. Calculate Delay

### ETC-Only Delay

$$\text{DecelDelay}_{\text{ETC}} := (FFS_{\text{up}} - FFS_{\text{ETC}}) \cdot \frac{1.467}{10} \quad \text{DecelDelay}_{\text{ETC}} = 5.135 \quad \text{s}$$

$$\text{AccelDelay}_{\text{ETC}} := (FFS_{\text{down}} - FFS_{\text{ETC}}) \cdot \frac{1.467}{7} \quad \text{AccelDelay}_{\text{ETC}} = 7.335 \quad \text{s}$$

$$\text{TotDelay}_{\text{ETC}} := \text{DecelDelay}_{\text{ETC}} + \text{AccelDelay}_{\text{ETC}} \quad \text{TotDelay}_{\text{ETC}} = 12.5 \quad \text{s}$$

### Non ETC-Only Delay

$$\text{DecelDelay}_{\text{nonETC}} := \frac{FFS_{\text{up}} \cdot \left( \frac{L_{\text{up}}}{3600} \right)}{10} \quad \text{DecelDelay}_{\text{nonETC}} = 10.267 \quad \text{s}$$

$$\text{PlazaDelay} := 16.3418 + e^{(4.8055 \cdot X_{\text{MB}})} + e^{(3.016 \cdot X_{\text{ACM}})} - 99.2775 \cdot X_{\text{MB}}^4 - 4.8725 \cdot X_{\text{ACM}}$$

$$\text{PlazaDelay} = 26.254 \text{ s}$$

$$\text{TotDelay}_{\text{nonETC}} := \text{DecelDelay}_{\text{nonETC}} + \text{PlazaDelay} \quad \boxed{\text{TotDelay}_{\text{nonETC}} = 36.5} \text{ s}$$

### Overall Toll Plaza

$$\text{Delay}_{\text{overall}} := \text{TotDelay}_{\text{nonETC}} \cdot \left( \frac{V_{\text{MB}} + V_{\text{ACM}}}{V_f} \right) + \text{TotDelay}_{\text{ETC}} \cdot \left( \frac{V_{\text{ETC}}}{V_f} \right) \quad \boxed{\text{Delay}_{\text{overall}} = 30.5} \text{ s}$$

## Step 7. Determine Level of Service

### ETC-Only Lanes LOS

$$\text{LOS}(\text{TotDelay}_{\text{ETC}}) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"F"} & \text{if } \text{TotDelay}_{\text{ETC}} > 18 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"E"} & \text{if } 18 \geq \text{TotDelay}_{\text{ETC}} > 16 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"D"} & \text{if } 16 \geq \text{TotDelay}_{\text{ETC}} > 14 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"C"} & \text{if } 14 \geq \text{TotDelay}_{\text{ETC}} > 12 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"B"} & \text{if } 12 \geq \text{TotDelay}_{\text{ETC}} > 10 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"A"} & \text{if } 10 \geq \text{TotDelay}_{\text{ETC}} \\ \text{out} & \end{cases}$$

$$\boxed{\text{LOS}(\text{TotDelay}_{\text{ETC}}) = \text{"C"}}$$

### Non ETC-Only Lanes LOS

$$\text{LOS}(\text{TotDelay}_{\text{nonETC}}) := \begin{cases} \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"F"} & \text{if } \text{TotDelay}_{\text{nonETC}} > 60 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"E"} & \text{if } 60 \geq \text{TotDelay}_{\text{nonETC}} > 50 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"D"} & \text{if } 50 \geq \text{TotDelay}_{\text{nonETC}} > 42 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"C"} & \text{if } 42 \geq \text{TotDelay}_{\text{nonETC}} > 36 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"B"} & \text{if } 36 \geq \text{TotDelay}_{\text{nonETC}} > 32 \\ \text{out} \leftarrow \text{"A"} & \text{if } 32 \geq \text{TotDelay}_{\text{nonETC}} \\ \text{out} & \end{cases}$$

$$\boxed{\text{LOS}(\text{TotDelay}_{\text{nonETC}}) = \text{"C"}}$$

Segment LOS

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LOS(DensityPC) := | out ← "F" if Densityoverall > 45  
| out ← "E" if 45 ≥ Densityoverall > 35  
| out ← "D" if 35 ≥ Densityoverall > 26  
| out ← "C" if 26 ≥ Densityoverall > 18  
| out ← "B" if 18 ≥ Densityoverall > 11  
| out ← "A" if 11 ≥ Densityoverall  
| out
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LOS(Density<sub>overall</sub>) = "B"



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Open road tolling segments are analyzed with the basic freeway segment methodology.