

# WIM System Field Calibration and Validation Summary Report

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## 1 Executive Summary

A WIM validation was performed on August 6, 2013 at the Indiana SPS-6 site located on route US-31, milepost 216.9, 8.5 miles south of US 30.

This site was installed on July 1, 2008. The in-road sensors are installed in the northbound, righthand driving lane. The site is equipped with quartz WIM sensors and an IRD iSINC WIM controller. The LTPP lane is identified as lane 1 in the WIM controller. From a comparison between the report of the most recent validation of this equipment on March 7, 2012 and this validation visit, it appears that no changes have occurred during this time to the basic operating condition of the equipment.

The equipment is in working order. Electronic and electrical checks of the WIM components determined that the the equipment is operating within the manufacturer's tolerances. None of the in-road sensors show signs of damage or excessive wear and appear to be fully secured in the pavement. Further equipment discussion is provided in Section 3.

During the on-site pavement evaluation, There were no pavement distresses noted that may affect the accuracies of the WIM system. A visual observation of the trucks as they approach, traverse, and leave the sensor area did not indicate any adverse dynamics that would affect the accuracy of the WIM system. The trucks appear to track down the center of the lane. Further pavement condition discussion is provided in Section 4.

Based on the criteria contained in the LTPP Field Operations Guide for SPS WIM Sites, Version 1.0 (05/09), this site is providing research quality loading data. The summary results of the validation are provided in Table 1-1 below.

**Table 1-1 – Validation Results – 6-Aug-13**

Parameter	95% Confidence Limit of Error	Site Values	Pass/Fail
Steering Axles	$\pm 20$ percent	$2.9 \pm 4.3\%$	Pass
Tandem Axles	$\pm 15$ percent	$-0.8 \pm 4.8\%$	Pass
GVW	$\pm 10$ percent	$0.0 \pm 3.6\%$	Pass
Vehicle Length	$\pm 1.5$ ft	$-0.2 \pm 0.8$ ft	Pass
Axle Length	$\pm 0.5$ ft [150mm]	$0.1 \pm 0.1$ ft	Pass

Truck speeds were manually collected for each test run by a radar gun and compared with the speed reported by the WIM equipment. For this site, the error in speed measurement was  $0.0 \pm 2.1$  mph, which is greater than the  $\pm 1.0$  mph tolerance established by the LTPP Field Operations Guide for SPS WIM Sites. However, since the site is measuring axle spacing length with a mean error of 0.1 feet, and the speed and axle spacing measurements are based on the distance between the axle detector sensors, it can be concluded that the distance factor is set correctly and that the speeds being reported by the WIM equipment are within acceptable ranges.

This site is providing research quality vehicle classification data for heavy trucks (Class 6 – 13). The heavy truck misclassification rate of 0.0% is within the 2.0% acceptability criterion for LTPP SPS WIM sites. The overall misclassification rate of 3.0% from the 100 vehicle sample (Class 4 – 13) was due to the 3 cross-classifications of Class 3, 5, and 8 vehicles.

There were two test trucks used for the validation. They were configured and loaded as follows:

- The Primary truck was a Class 9 vehicle with air suspension on the tractor and trailer tandems, and standard (4 feet) tandem spacings. It was loaded with rock.
- The Secondary truck was a Class 9 vehicle with air suspension on the tractor and trailer tandems and standard tandem spacing on the tractor and trailer. The Secondary truck was loaded with rock.

Prior to the validation, the test trucks were weighed and measured, cold tire pressures were taken, and photographs of the trucks, loads and suspensions were obtained (see Section 8). Axle length (AL) was measured from the center hub of the first axle to the center hub of the last axle. Axle spacings were measured from the center hub of the each axle to the center hub of the subsequent axle. Overall length (OL) was measured from the edge of the front bumper to the edge of the rear bumper. The test trucks were re-weighed at the conclusion of the validation. The average validation test truck weights and measurements are provided in Table 1-2.

**Table 1-2 – Validation Test Truck Measurements**

Test Truck	Weights (kips)						Spacings (feet)					
	GVW	Ax1	Ax2	Ax3	Ax4	Ax5	1-2	2-3	3-4	4-5	AL	OL
1	81.5	12.2	16.7	16.7	17.9	17.9	13.0	4.3	22.3	4.2	43.8	50.0
2	69.0	11.8	14.8	14.8	13.8	13.8	13.0	4.3	22.3	4.2	43.8	50.0

The posted speed limit at the site is 60 mph. During the testing, the speed of the test trucks ranged from to 47 to 60 mph, a variance of 13 mph.

During test truck runs, pavement temperature was collected using a hand-held infrared temperature device. The validation pavement surface temperatures varied from 86.7 to 95.3 degrees Fahrenheit, a range of 8.6 degrees Fahrenheit. The overcast weather conditions prevented the desired 30 degree range in temperatures.

A review of the LTPP Standard Release Database 27 shows that there are 4 years of level “E” WIM data for this site. This site requires 1 year of data to meet the minimum of five years of research quality data.

## 2 WIM System Data Availability and Pre-Visit Data Analysis

To assess the quality of the current traffic data, a pre-visit analysis was conducted by comparing a two-week data sample from July 15, 2013 (Data) to the most recent Comparison Data Set (CDS) from March 8, 2012. The assessments performed prior to the site visits are used to develop expected traffic flow characteristics for the validation.

### 2.1 LTPP WIM Data Availability

A review of the LTPP Standard Release Database 27 shows that there are 4 years of level “E” WIM data for this site. Table 2-1 provides a breakdown of the available data for years 2008 to 2012.

**Table 2-1 – LTPP Data Availability**

Year	Total Number of Days in Year	Number of Months
2008	147	5
2009	363	12
2010	354	12
2011	360	12
2012	231	8

As shown in the table, this site requires 1 additional year of data to meet the minimum of five years of research quality data. The data does not meet the 210-day minimum requirement for calendar year 2008.

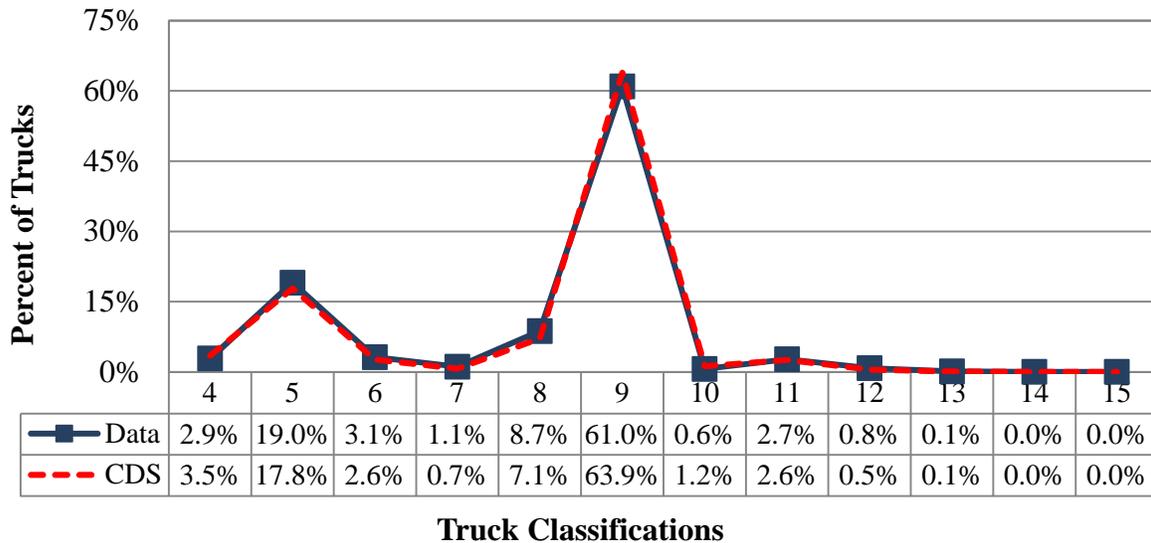
Table 2-2 provides a monthly breakdown of the available data for years 2008 through 2012.

**Table 2-2 – LTPP Data Availability by Month**

Year	Month												No. of Months
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	
2008								31	28	27	30	31	5
2009	30	28	31	30	31	30	30	31	30	31	30	31	12
2010	31	28	31	29	31	24	31	30	29	31	28	31	12
2011	29	26	31	30	31	30	31	31	29	31	30	31	12
2012	31	29	30	30	31	30	31	19					8

## 2.2 Classification Data Analysis

The traffic data was analyzed to determine the expected truck distributions. This analysis provides a basis for the classification distribution study that was conducted on site. Figure 2-1 provides a comparison of the truck type distributions between the sample dataset from July 15, 2013 (Data) and the most recent comparison Data Set (CDS) from March 8, 2012.



**Figure 2-1 – Comparison of Truck Distribution**

Table 2-3 provides statistics for the truck distributions at the site for the two periods represented by the two datasets. The table shows that according to the most recent data, the two most frequent truck types crossing the WIM scale are Class 9 (61.0%) and Class 5 (19.0%) vehicles.

Table 2-3 also provides data for vehicle Classes 14 and 15. Class 14 vehicles are vehicles that are reported by the WIM equipment as having irregular measurements and cannot be classified properly, such as negative speeds from vehicles passing in the opposite direction of a two-lane road. Class 15 vehicles are unclassified vehicles. The table indicates that 0.0 percent of the vehicles at this site are unclassified.

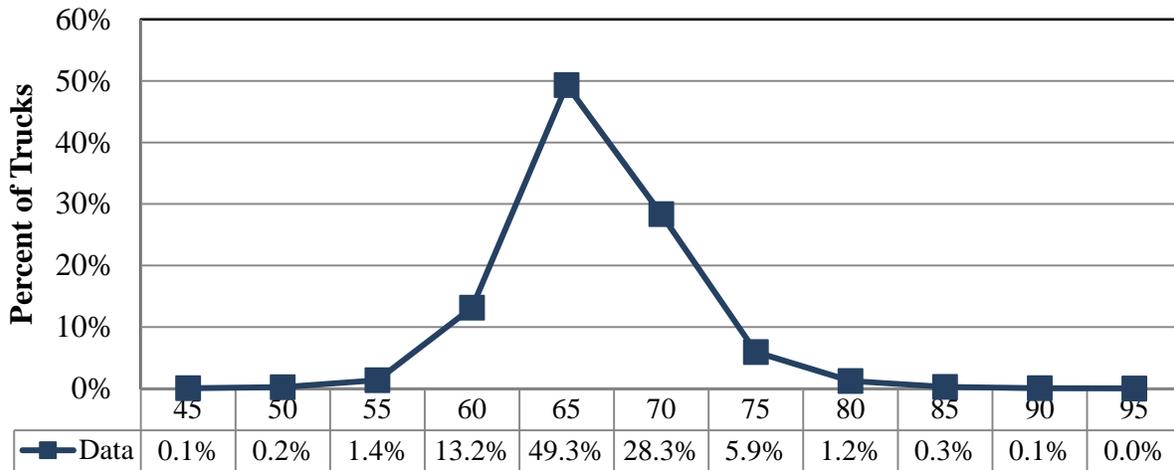
**Table 2-3 – Truck Distribution from W-Card**

Vehicle Classification	CDS		Data		Change
	Date				
	3/8/2012		7/15/2013		
4	629	3.5%	514	2.9%	-0.6%
5	3208	17.8%	3433	19.0%	1.2%
6	472	2.6%	567	3.1%	0.5%
7	126	0.7%	199	1.1%	0.4%
8	1287	7.1%	1571	8.7%	1.6%
9	11508	63.9%	10992	61.0%	-2.9%
10	220	1.2%	111	0.6%	-0.6%
11	461	2.6%	485	2.7%	0.1%
12	92	0.5%	142	0.8%	0.3%
13	13	0.1%	18	0.1%	0.0%
14	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0.0%
15	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0.0%

From the table it can be seen that the percentage of Class 9 vehicles has decreased by 2.9 percent from March 2012 to July 2013. Changes in the percentage of heavier trucks may be attributed to natural and seasonal variations in truck distributions and an increase in goods movement during current economic cycle. During the same time period, the percentage of Class 5 trucks increased by 1.2 percent. These differences may be attributed to changes in the use of the roadway for local deliveries, cross-classifications of type 3 and 5 vehicles, as well as natural variations in truck volumes.

### 2.3 Speed Data Analysis

The traffic data received from the Phase II Contractor was analyzed to determine the expected truck speed distributions. This will provide a basis for determining the speed of the test trucks during validation testing. The CDS distribution of speeds is shown in Figure 2-2.



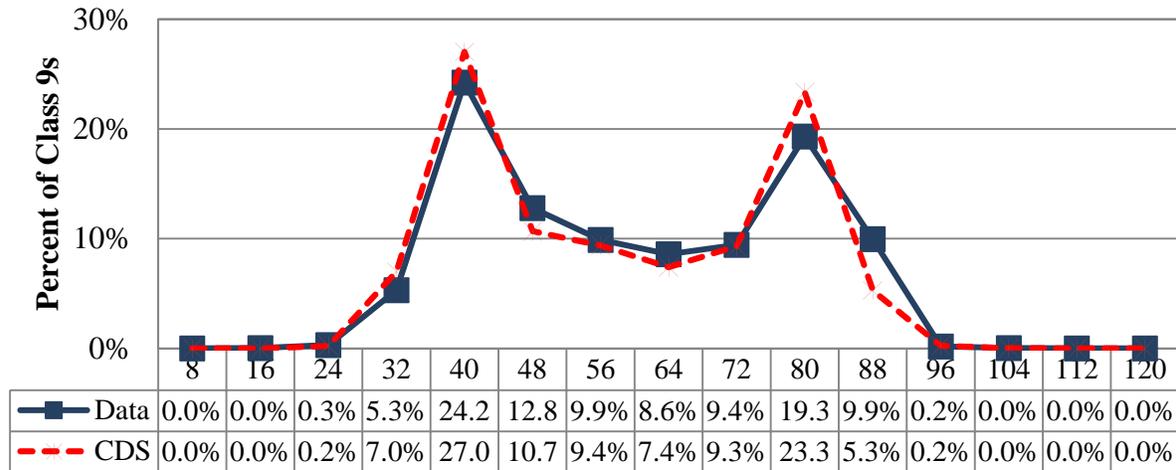
**Figure 2-2 – Truck Speed Distribution – 15-Jul-13**

As shown in Figure 2-2, the majority of the trucks at this site are traveling between 60 and 70 mph. The posted speed limit at this site is 60 and the 85<sup>th</sup> percentile speed for trucks at this site is 68 mph. The range of truck speeds for the validation is expected to be between 50 and 60 mph.

**2.4 GWV Data Analysis**

The traffic CDS data received from the Regional Support Contractor was analyzed to determine the expected Class 9 GVW distributions. Figure 2-3 shows a comparison between GVW plots generated using a two-week W-card sample from July 2013 and the Comparison Data Set from March 2012.

As shown in Figure 2-3, the unloaded and loaded peaks between the March 2012 Comparison Data Set (CDS) and the July 2013 two-week sample W-card dataset (Data) are similar, with slight decreases in the percentage of Class 9s for each of the unloaded and loaded peaks between the periods for the two datasets.



**GVW in Kips**

**Figure 2-3 – Comparison of Class 9 GVW Distribution**

Table 2-4 is provided to show the statistical comparison for Class 9 GVW between the Comparison Data Set and the current dataset.

**Table 2-4 – Class 9 GVW Distribution from W-Card**

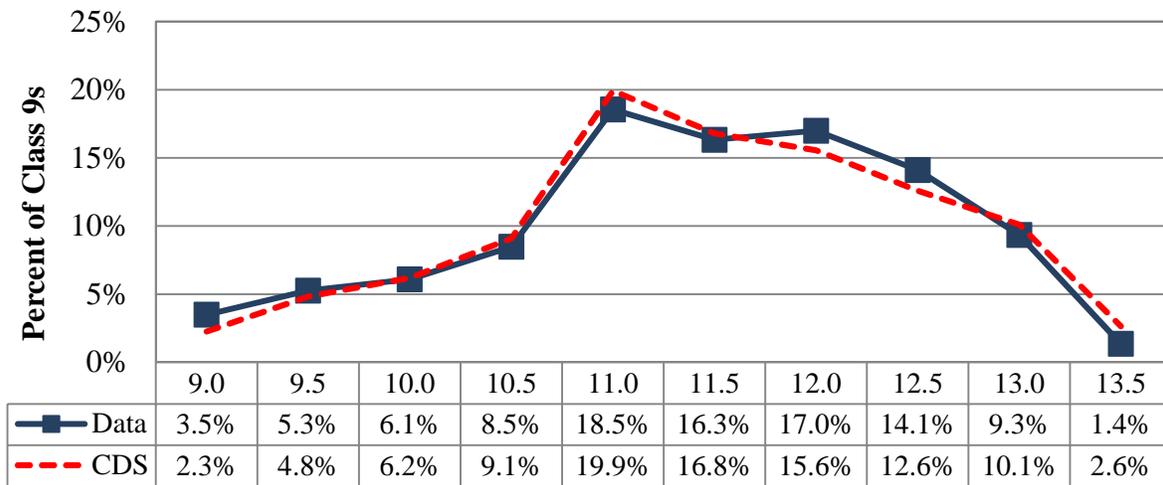
GVW weight bins (kips)	CDS		Data		Change
	Date				
	3/8/2012		7/15/2013		
8	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0.0%
16	1	0.0%	3	0.0%	0.0%
24	27	0.2%	33	0.3%	0.1%
32	802	7.0%	580	5.3%	-1.7%
40	3098	27.0%	2649	24.2%	-2.8%
48	1225	10.7%	1398	12.8%	2.1%
56	1075	9.4%	1081	9.9%	0.5%
64	850	7.4%	938	8.6%	1.2%
72	1069	9.3%	1032	9.4%	0.1%
80	2676	23.3%	2111	19.3%	-4.0%
88	605	5.3%	1088	9.9%	4.7%
96	28	0.2%	19	0.2%	-0.1%
104	4	0.0%	3	0.0%	0.0%
112	1	0.0%	0	0.0%	0.0%
120	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0.0%
Average =	54.5 kips		55.8 kips		1.3 kips

As shown in the table, the percentage of unloaded class 9 trucks in the 32 to 40 kips range decreased by 2.8 percent while the percentage of loaded class 9 trucks in the 72 to 80 kips range decreased by 4.0 percent. During this time period the percentage of overweight trucks increased by 4.6 percent. Based on the average Class 9 GVW values from the per vehicle records, the GVW average for this site increased by 2.3 percent, from 54.5 to 55.8 kips.

## 2.5 Class 9 Front Axle Weight Data Analysis

The CDS data received from the Regional Support Contractor was analyzed to determine the expected average front axle weight. This will provide a basis for the evaluation of the quality of the data by comparing the average front axle weight from the current data sample set with the expected average front axle weight average from the Data Comparison Set.

Figure 2-4 shows a comparison between Class 9 front axle weight plots generated by using the two week W-card sample from July 2013 and the Comparison Data Set from March 2012. The percentage of light axles (9.5 to 10.5 kips) decreased by approximately 0.7% and the percentage of heavy axles (11.5 to 12.5 kips) increased by approximately 2.9%.



**Steering Axle Weight in Kips**

**Figure 2-4 – Distribution of Class 9 Front Axle Weights**

It can be seen in the figure that the greatest percentage of trucks have front axle weights measuring between 11.0 and 12.0 kips. The percentage of trucks in this range has increased by 0.9 percent between the March 2012 Comparison Data Set (CDS) and the July 2013 dataset (Data).

Table 2-5 provides the Class 9 front axle weight distribution data for the March 2012 Comparison Data Set (CDS) and the July 2013 dataset (Data).

**Table 2-5 – Class 9 Front Axle Weight Distribution from W-Card**

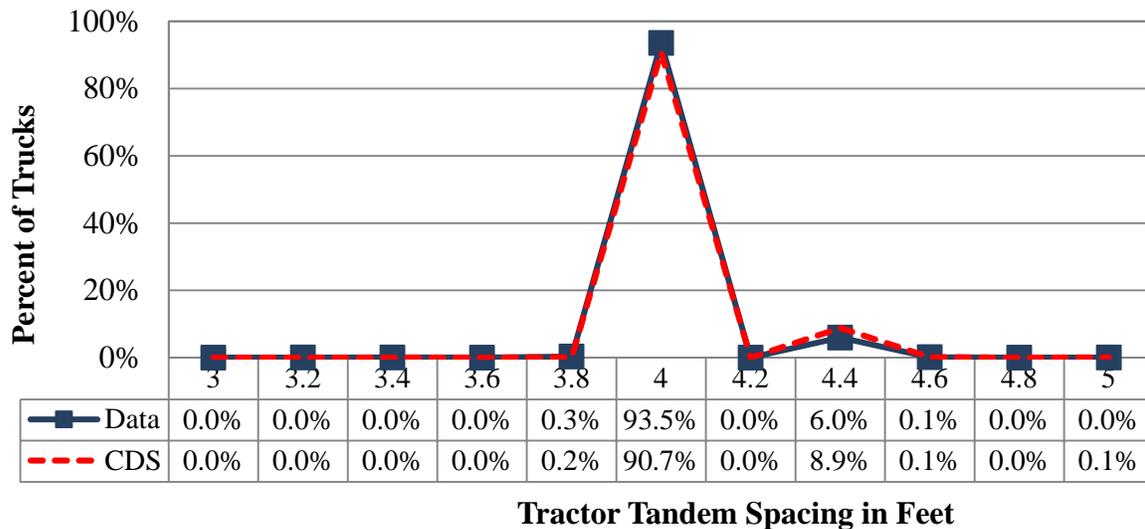
F/A weight bins (kips)	CDS		Data		Change
	Date				
	3/8/2012		7/15/2013		
9.0	255	2.3%	379	3.5%	1.2%
9.5	544	4.8%	571	5.3%	0.4%
10.0	698	6.2%	661	6.1%	-0.1%
10.5	1024	9.1%	920	8.5%	-0.6%
11.0	2245	19.9%	2013	18.5%	-1.4%
11.5	1892	16.8%	1772	16.3%	-0.5%
12.0	1753	15.6%	1844	17.0%	1.4%
12.5	1419	12.6%	1531	14.1%	1.5%
13.0	1139	10.1%	1014	9.3%	-0.8%
13.5	298	2.6%	147	1.4%	-1.3%
Average =	11.3 kips		11.2 kips		-0.1 kips

The table shows that the average front axle weight for Class 9 trucks has decreased by 0.1 kips, or 0.9 percent. According to the values from the per vehicle records, the average front axle weight for Class 9 trucks is 11.2 kips.

## 2.6 Class 9 Tractor Tandem Spacing Data Analysis

The CDS data received from the Regional Support Contractor was analyzed to determine the expected average tractor tandem spacing. This will provide a basis for the evaluation of the accuracy of the equipment distance and speed measurements by comparing the observed average tractor tandem spacing from the sample data (Data) with the expected average tractor tandem spacing from the comparison data set (CDS).

The class 9 tractor tandem spacing plot in Figure 2-5 is provided to indicate possible shifts in WIM system distance and speed measurement accuracies.



**Figure 2-5 – Comparison of Class 9 Tractor Tandem Spacing**

As seen in the figure, the Class 9 tractor tandem spacings for the March 2012 Comparison Data Set and the July 2013 Data are nearly identical.

Table 2-6 shows the Class 9 axle spacings between the second and third axles.

**Table 2-6 – Class 9 Axle 2 to 3 Spacing from W-Card**

Tandem 1 spacing bins (feet)	CDS		Data		Change
	Date				
	3/8/2012		7/15/2013		
3.0	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0.0%
3.2	2	0.0%	3	0.0%	0.0%
3.4	0	0.0%	4	0.0%	0.0%
3.6	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0.0%
3.8	19	0.2%	33	0.3%	0.1%
4.0	10400	90.7%	10229	93.5%	2.8%
4.2	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0.0%
4.4	1015	8.9%	652	6.0%	-2.9%
4.6	16	0.1%	13	0.1%	0.0%
4.8	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0.0%
5.0	10	0.1%	1	0.0%	-0.1%
Average =	4.0 feet		4.0 feet		0.0 feet

From the table it can be seen that the drive tandem spacing of Class 9 trucks at this site is between 3.8 and 4.4 feet. Based on the average Class 9 drive tandem spacing values from the per

vehicle records, the average tractor tandem spacing is 4.0, which is identical to the expected average of 4.0 from the CDS per vehicle records. Further axle spacing analyses are performed during the validation analysis.

## **2.7 Data Analysis Summary**

Historical data analysis involved the comparison of the most recent Comparison Data Set (March 2012) based on the last calibration with the most recent two-week WIM data sample from the site (July 2013). Comparison of vehicle class distribution data indicates a 2.9 percent decrease in the percentage of Class 9 vehicles. Analysis of Class 9 weight data indicates that front axle weights have decreased by 0.9 percent and average Class 9 GVW has increased by 2.3 percent for the July 2013 data. The data indicates an average truck tandem spacing of 4.0 feet, which is identical to the expected average of 4.0 feet.

### **3 WIM Equipment Discussion**

From a comparison between the report of the most recent validation of this equipment on March 7, 2012 and this validation visit, it appears that no changes have occurred during this time to the basic operating condition of the equipment.

#### **3.1 Description**

This site was installed on July 1, 2008 by International Road Dynamics. It is instrumented with quartz weighing sensors and an IRD iSINC WIM Controller. As the installation contractor, IRD also performs routine equipment maintenance and data quality checks of the WIM data.

#### **3.2 Physical Inspection**

Prior to the pre-validation test truck runs, a physical inspection of all WIM equipment and support services equipment was conducted. No deficiencies were noted. Photographs of all system components were taken and are presented in Section 8.

#### **3.3 Electronic and Electrical Testing**

Electronic and electrical checks of all system components were conducted prior to the pre-validation test truck runs. Dynamic and static electronic checks of the in-road sensors were performed. All values for the WIM sensors and inductive loops were within tolerances. Electronic tests of the power and communication devices indicated that they were operating normally.

#### **3.4 Equipment Troubleshooting and Diagnostics**

The WIM system appeared to collect, analyze and report vehicle measurements normally. No troubleshooting actions were taken.

#### **3.5 Recommended Equipment Maintenance**

No unscheduled equipment maintenance actions are recommended.

## 4 Pavement Discussion

### 4.1 Pavement Condition Survey

During a visual distress survey of the pavement conducted from the shoulder, there were no pavement distresses noted that may affect the accuracies of the WIM system. However, the overall pavement condition throughout the WIM section is fair, with many cracks. Most of the cracks have been filled.

### 4.2 LTPP Pavement Profile Data Analysis

The IRI data files are processed using the WIM Smoothness Index software. The indices produced by the software provide an indication of whether or not the pavement roughness may affect the operation of the WIM equipment. The recommended thresholds for WIM Site pavement smoothness are provided in Table 4-1.

**Table 4-1 – Recommended WIM Smoothness Index Thresholds**

Index	Lower Threshold (m/km)	Upper Threshold (m/km)
Long Range Index (LRI)	0.50	2.1
Short Range Index (SRI)	0.50	2.1
Peak LRI	0.50	2.1
Peak SRI	0.75	2.9

When all values are less than the lower threshold shown in Table 4-1, it is unlikely that pavement conditions will significantly influence sensor output. Values between the threshold values may or may not influence the accuracy of the sensor output and values above the upper threshold would lead to sensor output that would preclude achieving the research quality loading data.

The profile analysis was based on four different indices: Long Range Index (LRI), which represents the pavement roughness starting 25.8 m prior to the scale and ending 3.2 m after the scale in the direction of travel; Short Range Index (SRI), which represents the pavement roughness beginning 2.74 m prior to the WIM scale and ending 0.46 m after the scale; Peak LRI – the highest value of LRI within 30 m prior to the scale; and Peak SRI – the highest value of SRI between 2.45 m prior to the scale and 1.5 m after the scale. The results from the analysis for each of the indices for the right wheel path (RWP) and left wheel path (LWP) values for the 3 left, 3 right and 5 center profiler runs are presented in Table 4-2.

**Table 4-2 – WIM Index Values**

Profiler Passes		Pass 1	Pass 2	Pass 3	Pass 4	Pass 5	Avg	
Left	LWP	LRI (m/km)	0.653	0.678	0.698			0.676
		SRI (m/km)	<i>0.366</i>	<i>0.476</i>	<i>0.427</i>			<i>0.423</i>
		Peak LRI (m/km)	0.989	0.912	0.903			0.935
		Peak SRI (m/km)	<i>0.475</i>	<i>0.478</i>	<i>0.460</i>			<i>0.471</i>
	RWP	LRI (m/km)	0.934	0.761	0.804			0.833
		SRI (m/km)	2.054	1.780	1.847			1.894
		Peak LRI (m/km)	0.936	0.779	0.809			0.841
		Peak SRI (m/km)	2.372	1.941	2.024			2.112
Center	LWP	LRI (m/km)	0.772	0.883	0.727	0.727	0.633	0.748
		SRI (m/km)	0.703	1.304	0.802	0.642	0.678	0.826
		Peak LRI (m/km)	0.772	0.883	0.733	0.727	0.633	0.750
		Peak SRI (m/km)	1.210	2.110	1.217	1.167	0.990	1.339
	RWP	LRI (m/km)	1.011	1.035	1.106	1.011	1.053	1.043
		SRI (m/km)	<b>2.518</b>	<b>2.754</b>	<b>2.973</b>	<b>2.571</b>	<b>2.726</b>	<b>2.708</b>
		Peak LRI (m/km)	1.011	1.035	1.106	1.011	1.053	1.043
		Peak SRI (m/km)	<b>2.845</b>	<b>3.616</b>	<b>3.157</b>	<b>3.036</b>	<b>3.389</b>	<b>3.209</b>
Right	LWP	LRI (m/km)	0.785	0.769	0.767			0.774
		SRI (m/km)	0.801	0.974	0.767			0.847
		Peak LRI (m/km)	0.800	0.801	0.782			0.794
		Peak SRI (m/km)	0.866	1.024	0.837			0.909
	RWP	LRI (m/km)	1.182	1.153	1.147			1.161
		SRI (m/km)	<b>2.446</b>	<b>2.126</b>	<b>2.428</b>			<b>2.333</b>
		Peak LRI (m/km)	1.195	1.153	1.150			1.166
		Peak SRI (m/km)	2.860	2.383	<b>2.947</b>			2.730

From Table 4-2 it can be seen that most of the indices computed from the profiles are between the upper and lower threshold values. Indices that are below the lower thresholds are shown in italics and indices above the upper thresholds are shown in bold. The highest values, on average, are the Peak SRI values in the right wheel path of the center passes (shown in bold and italics).

### 4.3 Profile and Vehicle Interaction

Profile data was collected on July 24, 2012 by the North Central Regional Support Contractor using a high-speed profiler, where the operator measures the pavement profile over the entire one-thousand foot long WIM Section, beginning 900 feet prior to WIM scales and ending 100 feet after the WIM scales. Each pass collects International Roughness Index (IRI) values in both

the left and right wheel paths. For this site, 11 profile passes were made, 5 in the center of the travel lane and 6 that were shifted to the left and to the right of the center of the travel lane.

From a pre-visit review of the IRI values for the center, right, and left profile runs, the highest IRI value within the 1000 foot WIM section is 731 in/mi and is located approximately 731 feet prior to the WIM scale. The highest IRI value within the 400 foot approach section was 167 in/mi and is located approximately 14 feet prior to the WIM scale. These areas of the pavement were closely investigated during the validation visit, and truck dynamics in this area were closely observed. There were no distresses observed at these locations that appear to influence truck dynamics in the WIM scale area.

Additionally, a visual observation of the trucks as they approach, traverse and leave the sensor area did not indicate any visible motion of the trucks that would affect the performance of the WIM scales. Trucks appear to track down the center of the lane.

#### **4.4 Recommended Pavement Remediation**

No pavement remediation is recommended.

## 5 Statistical Reliability of the WIM Equipment

The following section provides summaries of data collected during the pre-validation, the calibration, and the validation test truck runs, as well as information resulting from the classification and speed studies. All analyses of test truck data and information on necessary equipment adjustments are provided.

### 5.3 Validation

The 42 validation test truck runs were conducted on August 6, 2013, beginning at approximately 12:18 PM and continuing until 2:47 PM.

The two test trucks consisted of:

- A Class 9 truck, loaded with rock, and equipped with air suspension on truck and trailer tandems and with standard tandem spacings on both the tractor and trailer.
- A Class 9 truck, loaded with rock, and equipped with air suspension on the tractor, air suspension on the trailer, with standard tandem spacing on the tractor and trailer.

The test trucks were weighed prior to the validation and re-weighed at the conclusion of the validation. The average test truck weights and measurements are provided in Table 5-1.

**Table 5-1 - Validation Test Truck Measurements**

Test Truck	Weights (kips)						Spacings (feet)					
	GVW	Ax1	Ax2	Ax3	Ax4	Ax5	1-2	2-3	3-4	4-5	AL	OL
1	81.5	12.2	16.7	16.7	17.9	17.9	13.0	4.3	22.3	4.2	43.8	50.0
2	69.0	11.8	14.8	14.8	13.8	13.8	13.0	4.3	22.3	4.2	43.8	50.0

Test truck speeds varied by 13 mph, from 47 to 60 mph. The measured validation pavement temperatures varied 8.6 degrees Fahrenheit, from 86.7 to 95.3. The overcast weather conditions prevented the desired minimum 30 degree temperature range. Table 5-2 is a summary of post validation results.

**Table 5-2 – Validation Overall Results – 6-Aug-13**

Parameter	95% Confidence Limit of Error	Site Values	Pass/Fail
Steering Axles	±20 percent	2.9 ± 4.3%	Pass
Tandem Axles	±15 percent	-0.8 ± 4.8%	Pass
GVW	±10 percent	0.0 ± 3.6%	Pass
Vehicle Length	±1.5 ft	-0.2 ± 0.8 ft	Pass
Axle Length	± 0.5 ft [150mm]	0.1 ± 0.1 ft	Pass

Truck speed was manually collected for each test run using a radar gun and compared with the speed reported by the WIM equipment. For this site, the average error in speed measurement for all speeds was  $0.0 \pm 2.1$  mph, which is not within the  $\pm 1.0$  mph tolerance established by the LTPP Field Guide. However, since the site is measuring axle spacing length with a mean error of 0.1 feet, and the speed and axle spacing length measurements are based on the distance between the axle detector sensors, it can be concluded that the distance factor is set correctly and that the speeds being reported by the WIM equipment are within similar acceptable ranges.

### 5.3.1 Statistical Speed Analysis

Statistical analysis was conducted on the test truck run data to investigate whether a relationship exists between speed and WIM equipment weight and distance measurement accuracy. The posted speed limit at this site is 60 mph. The test runs were divided into three speed groups - low, medium and high speeds, as shown in Table 5-3.

**Table 5-3 – Validation Results by Speed – 6-Aug-13**

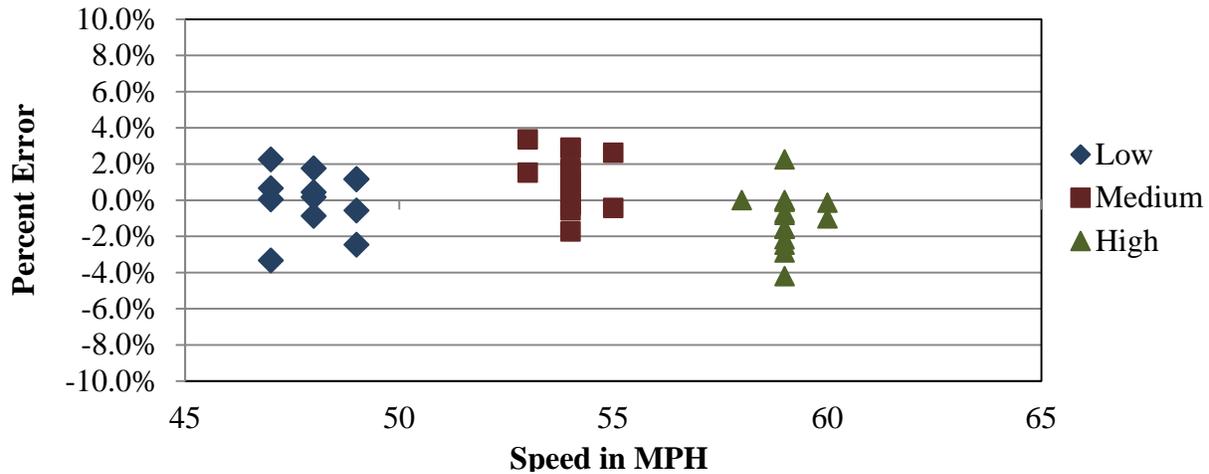
Parameter	95% Confidence Limit of Error	Low	Medium	High
		47.0 to 51.3 mph	51.4 to 55.8 mph	55.9 to 60.0 mph
Steering Axles	$\pm 20$ percent	$2.8 \pm 3.8\%$	$3.9 \pm 3.9\%$	$2.0 \pm 5.0\%$
Tandem Axles	$\pm 15$ percent	$-0.5 \pm 5.1\%$	$0.5 \pm 4.6\%$	$-1.7 \pm 4.5\%$
GVW	$\pm 10$ percent	$0.0 \pm 3.6\%$	$1.0 \pm 3.2\%$	$-1.0 \pm 3.3\%$
Vehicle Length	$\pm 1.5$ ft	$-0.1 \pm 0.6$ ft	$-0.1 \pm 0.8$ ft	$-0.4 \pm 1.1$ ft
Vehicle Speed	$\pm 1.0$ mph	$-0.1 \pm 0.6$ mph	$-0.2 \pm 3.6$ mph	$0.3 \pm 1.0$ mph
Axle Length	$\pm 0.5$ ft [150mm]	$0.1 \pm 0.1$ ft	$0.2 \pm 0.1$ ft	$0.1 \pm 0.1$ ft

From the table, it can be seen that the WIM equipment overestimates steering axle weights similarly at all speeds. For GVW and tandem axles, the equipment estimates with similar accuracy and precision at all speeds. For steering axles, range in error increases as speed increases.

To aid in the speed analysis, several graphs were developed to illustrate the possible effects of speed on GVW, single axle, and axle group weights, and axle and overall length distance measurements, as discussed in the following paragraphs.

### 5.3.1.1 GVW Errors by Speed

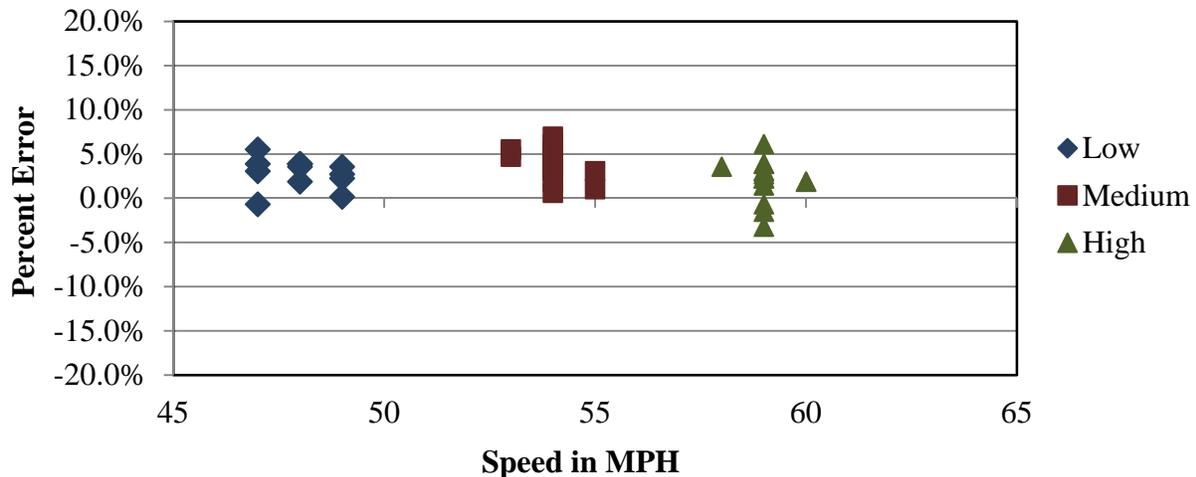
As shown in Figure 5-1, the equipment estimated GVW with similar accuracy at all speeds, with a slight positive bias at the medium speeds, and slight negative bias at the high speeds. The range in error and bias is similar throughout the entire speed range.



**Figure 5-1 – Validation GVW Errors by Speed – 6-Aug-13**

### 5.3.1.2 Steering Axle Weight Errors by Speed

As shown in Figure 5-2, the equipment overestimated steering axle weights with similar bias at all speeds. The range in error is similar throughout the entire speed range. There does not appear to be a correlation between speed and steering axle weight estimates at this site.



**Figure 5-2 – Validation Steering Axle Weight Errors by Speed – 6-Aug-13**



### 5.3.1.5 Axle Length Errors by Speed

For this site, the error in axle length measurement was consistent at all speeds. The range in axle length measurement error was from 0.1 feet to 0.2 feet. Distribution of errors is shown graphically in Figure 5-5.

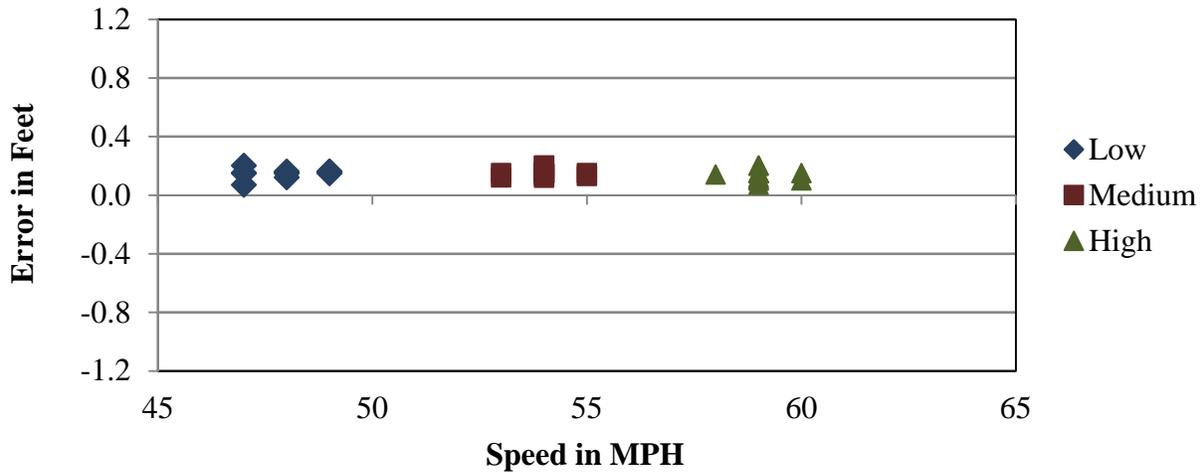


Figure 5-5 – Validation Axle Length Error by Speed – 6-Aug-13

### 5.3.1.6 Overall Length Errors by Speed

For this system, the WIM equipment measures overall length consistently over the entire range of speeds, with errors ranging from -1.0 to 0.0 feet. Distribution of errors is shown graphically in Figure 5-6.

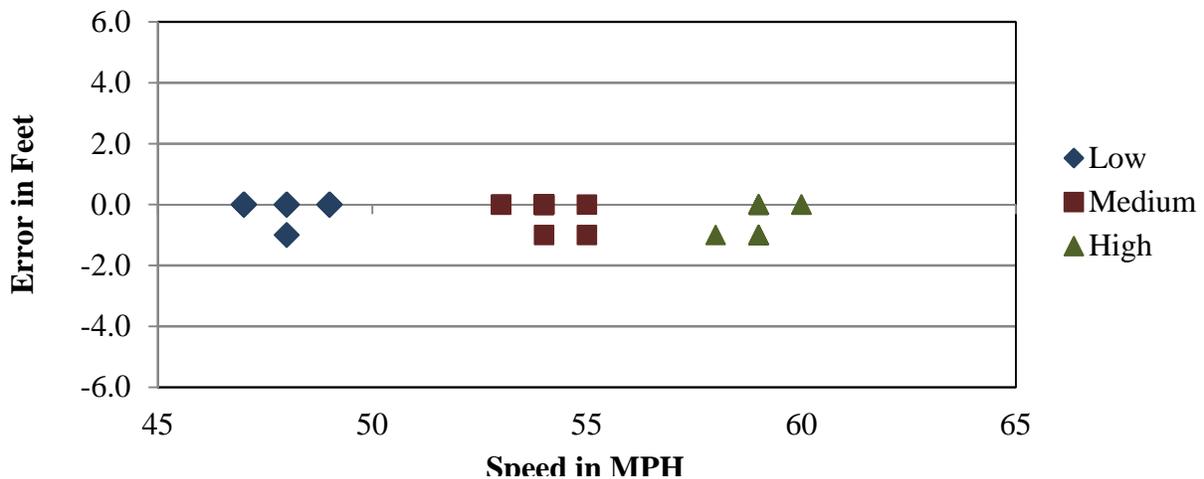


Figure 5-6 – Validation Overall Length Error by Speed – 6-Aug-13

### 5.3.2 Statistical Temperature Analysis

Statistical analysis was performed for the test truck run data to investigate whether a relationship exists between pavement temperature and WIM equipment weight and distance measurement accuracy. The range of pavement temperatures was 8.6 degrees, from 86.7 to 95.3 degrees Fahrenheit due to overcast weather conditions. The validation test runs are reported under one temperature groups – medium, as shown in Table 5-4 below.

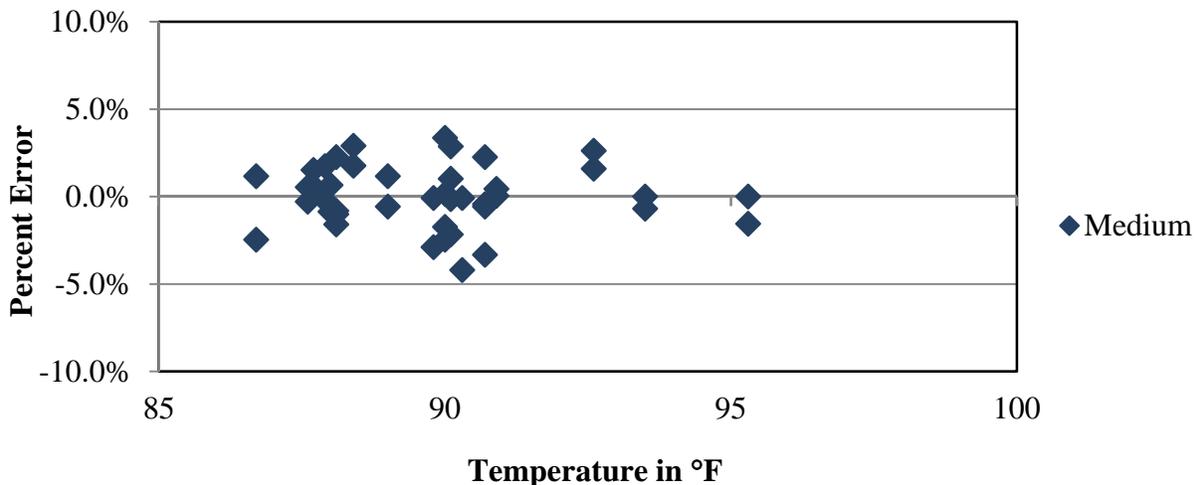
**Table 5-4 – Validation Results by Temperature – 6-Aug-13**

Parameter	95% Confidence Limit of Error	Medium
		86.7 to 95.3 degF
Steering Axles	±20 percent	2.9 ± 4.3%
Tandem Axles	±15 percent	-0.5 ± 4.8%
GVW	±10 percent	0.0 ± 3.6%
Vehicle Length	±1.5 ft	-0.2 ± 0.8 ft
Vehicle Speed	± 1.0 mph	0.0 ± 2.1 mph
Axle Length	± 0.5 ft [150mm]	0.1 ± 0.1 ft

To aid in the analysis, several graphs were developed to illustrate the possible effects of temperature on GVW, single axle weights, and axle group weights.

#### 5.3.2.1 GVW Errors by Temperature

From Figure 5-7, it can be seen that the equipment appears to estimate GVW with similar accuracy across the range of temperatures observed in the field. There does not appear to be a correlation between temperature and weight estimates at this site.



**Figure 5-7 – Validation GVW Errors by Temperature – 6-Aug-13**

### 5.3.2.2 Steering Axle Weight Errors by Temperature

Figure 5-8 demonstrates that for steering axles, the WIM equipment appears to estimate weights with similar accuracy and precision across the range of temperatures observed in the field. There does not appear to be a correlation between temperature and steering axle weight estimates at this site.

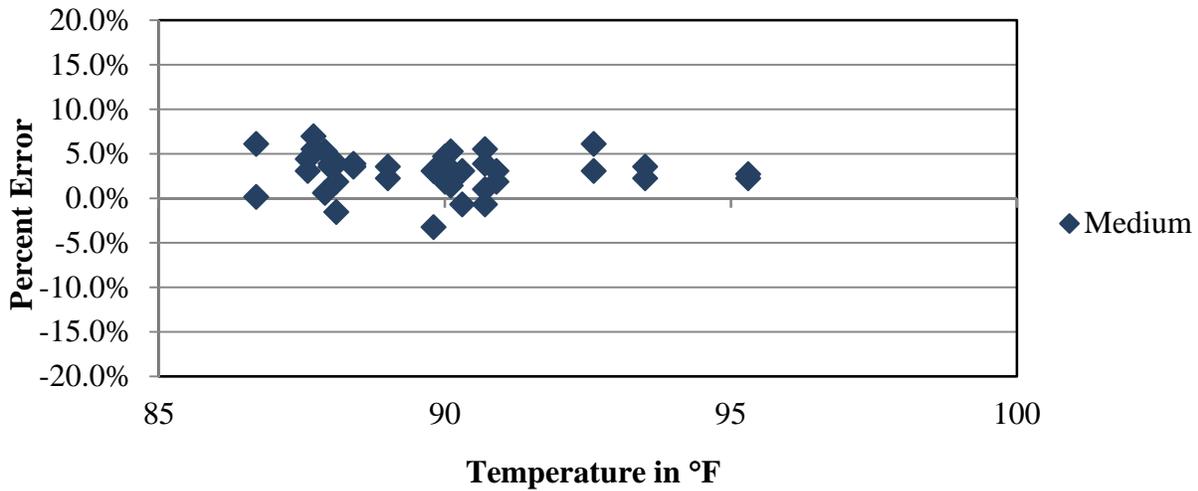


Figure 5-8 – Validation Steering Axle Weight Errors by Temperature – 6-Aug-13

### 5.3.2.3 Tandem Axle Weight Errors by Temperature

As shown in Figure 5-9, the WIM equipment appears to estimate tandem axle weights with similar accuracy and precision across the range of temperatures observed in the field. There does not appear to be a correlation between temperature and tandem axle weight estimates at this site.

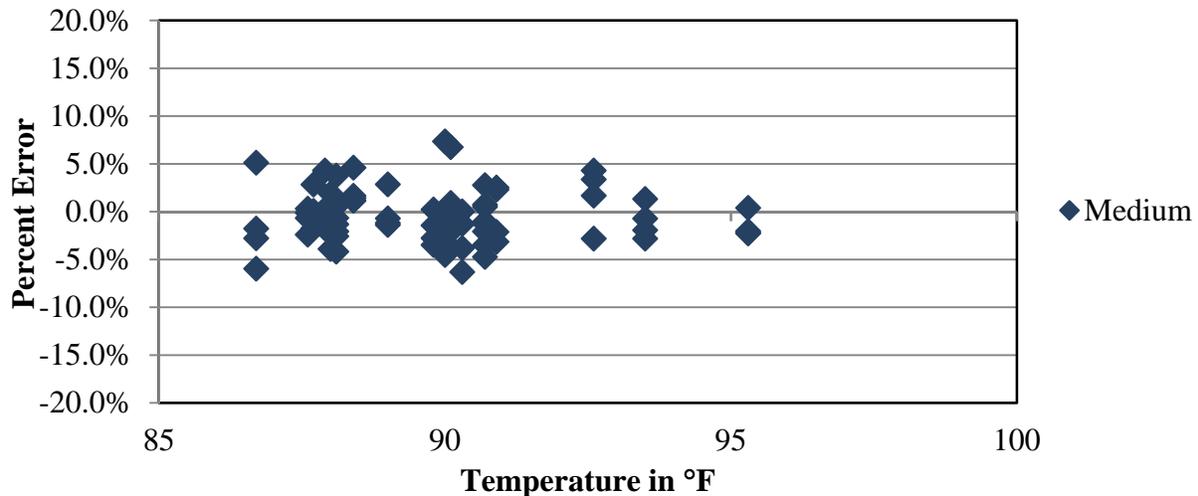
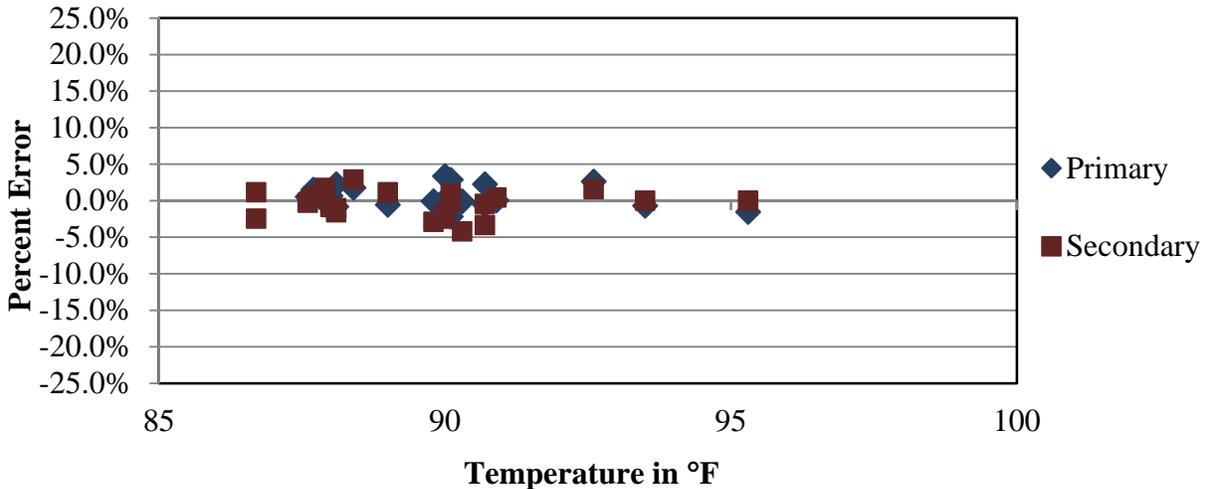


Figure 5-9 – Validation Tandem Axle Weight Errors by Temperature – 6-Aug-13

#### 5.3.2.4 GVW Errors by Temperature and Truck Type

As shown in Figure 5-10, when analyzed by truck type, GVW measurement errors for both trucks are similar at all temperatures. For both trucks, the range of errors and bias are reasonably consistent over the range of temperatures.



**Figure 5-10 – Validation GVW Error by Truck and Temperature – 6-Aug-13**

#### 5.3.3 Classification and Speed Evaluation

The validation classification and speed study involved the comparison of vehicle classification and speed data collected manually with the information for the same vehicles reported by the WIM equipment.

For the validation classification study at this site, a manual sample of 100 vehicles classified as trucks by WIM system (Class 4 through 13) was collected. Video was collected during the study to provide a means for further analysis of misclassifications and vehicles whose classifications could not be determined with a high degree of certainty in the field.

Misclassified vehicles are defined as those vehicles that are manually classified by observation as one type of vehicle but identified by the WIM equipment as another type of vehicle. The misclassifications by pair are provided in Table 5-5. The table illustrates the breakdown of vehicles observed and identified by the equipment for the manual classification study. As shown in Table 5-5, one Class 3 vehicle was misclassified as a Class 5 vehicle and two Class 5 vehicles were misclassified as Class 8 vehicles.

**Table 5-5 – Validation Misclassifications by Pair – 6-Aug-13**

	WIM												
		3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Observed	3	-		1									
	4		-										
	5			-			2						
	6				-								
	7					-							
	8						-						
	9							-					
	10								-				
	11									-			
	12										-		
	13											-	-

As shown in the table, a total of 3 vehicles, including no heavy trucks (6 – 13) were misclassified by the equipment. However, 3 lightweight vehicles were misclassified as heavy trucks. Based on the vehicles observed during the validation study, the misclassification percentage is 0.0% for heavy trucks (vehicle classes 6 – 13), which is within the 2.0% acceptability criteria for LTPP SPS WIM sites. The overall misclassification rate for all vehicles (3 – 15) is 3.0 percent due to misclassification of lightweight vehicles in Class 3 and Class 5. The causes for the misclassifications was not investigated in the field.

The combined results of the misclassifications resulted in an undercount of one Class 3, one Class 5 vehicles, and an overcount of two Class 8 vehicles, as shown in Table 5-6. The misclassified percentage represents the percentage of the misclassified vehicles in the manual sample.

**Table 5-6 – Validation Classification Study Results – 6-Aug-13**

Class	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Observed Count	1	0	19	6	0	6	65	3	0	0	0
WIM Count	0	0	18	6	0	8	65	3	0	0	0
Observed Percent	1.0	0.0	19.0	6.0	0.0	6.0	65.0	3.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
WIM Percent	0.0	0.0	18.0	6.0	0.0	8.0	65.0	3.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Misclassified Count	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Misclassified Percent	100	0.0	10.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Unclassified Count	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Unclassified Percent	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Unclassified vehicles are defined as those vehicles that cannot be identified by the WIM equipment algorithm. These are typically trucks with unusual trailer tandem configurations and

are identified as Class 15 by the WIM equipment. Based on the manually collected sample of the 99 trucks, 0.0 percent of the vehicles at this site were reported as unclassified during the study. This is within the established criteria of 2.0% for LTTP SPS WIM sites.

For speed, the mean error for WIM equipment speed measurement was 0.1 mph; the range of errors was 0.8 mph.

Since the equipment is measuring all weight and distance parameters within the LTPP requirements for SPS WIM sites and with a very low bias (the average measurement error for GVW is 0.0 percent), a calibration of the system was not required and therefore was not carried out.

#### 5.3.4 Final WIM System Compensation Factors

The final factors left in place at the conclusion of the validation are provided in Table 5-7.

**Table 5-7 – Final Factors**

Speed Point	MPH	Left		Right	
		1	3	2	4
80	50	3424	3439	3553	3314
88	55	3326	3380	3451	3257
96	60	3325	3332	3449	3212
104	65	3239	3247	3361	3129
112	70	3243	3281	3397	3133
<b>Axle Distance (cm)</b>		304			
<b>Dynamic Comp (%)</b>		102			
<b>Loop Width (cm)</b>		291			

## 6 Post-Visit Data Analysis

A post-visit data analysis is conducted to further evaluate the validation truck data to determine if any relationships exist between WIM system weight and distance measurement error based on speed, temperature and/or truck type. Additionally, an analysis of the post-visit misclassifications noted during the validation classification and speed study is conducted to possibly determine the cause of each truck misclassification.

If necessary, a traffic data sample from the days immediately following the validation to the date of the report submission may be conducted to further investigate anomalies in the traffic data that may have resulted from the calibration of the system or any other changes to the WIM system

### 6.1 Regression Analysis

This section provides additional results for the analysis carried out to determine the influence of truck type, speed and pavement temperature on WIM measurement errors. Multivariable linear regression analysis was applied to WIM data collected during calibration procedures. The same calibration data analyzed and discussed previously was used for this analysis; however a more comprehensive statistical methodology was applied. The objective of the additional analysis is to investigate if the trends identified using previous analyses are statistically significant, and to quantify these trends.

Multivariable analysis provides additional insight on how factors like speed, temperature, and truck type may affect weight measurement errors for a specific WIM site. It is expected that multivariable analysis done systematically for many sites may reveal overall trends.

#### 6.1.1 Data

All errors from the weight measurement data collected by the equipment during the validation were analyzed. The percent error is defined as percentage difference between the weight measured by the WIM system and the static weight. The weight of “axle group” was evaluated separately for tandem axles on tractors and on trailers. The separate evaluation was carried out because the tandem axles on trailers may have different dynamic response to loads than tandem axles on tractors.

The measurement errors were statistically attributed to the following variables or factors:

- Truck type. Primary truck and Secondary truck.
- Truck test speed. Truck test speed ranged from 47 to 60 mph.
- Pavement temperature. Pavement temperature ranged from 86.7 to 95.3 degrees Fahrenheit.

### 6.1.2 Results

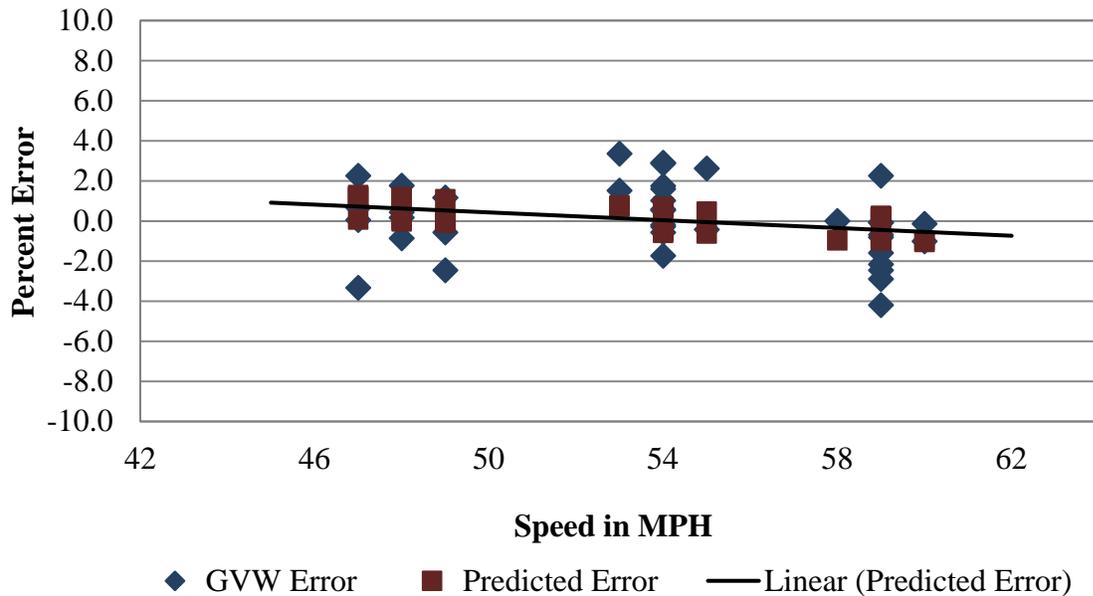
For analysis of GVW weights, the value of regression coefficients and their statistical properties are summarized in Table 6-1. The value of regression coefficients defines the slope of the relationship between the % error in GVW and the predictor variables (speed, temperature, and truck type). The values of the t-distribution (for the regression coefficients) given in Table 6-1 are for the null hypothesis that assumes that the regression coefficients are equal to zero. The p-value reported in Table 6-1 is for the probability that the regression coefficient, given in Table 5-5, occur by chance alone.

**Table 6-1 – Table of Regression Coefficients for Measurement Error of GVW**

<b>Parameter</b>	<b>Regression coefficients</b>	<b>Standard error</b>	<b>Value of t-distribution</b>	<b>Probability value (p-value)</b>
Intercept	7.8746	14.4586	0.5446	0.5894
Speed	-0.0872	0.0611	-1.4272	0.1621
Temp	-0.0281	0.1598	-0.1761	0.8612
Truck	-1.1468	0.5415	-2.1179	0.0412

The lowest probability value given in Table 5-15 was 0.0412 for truck type. This means that there is about a 4 percent chance that the value of regression coefficient for truck type (-1.1468) can occur by chance alone. Only truck type was found to have a significant effect on the GVW measurement errors during validation.

The relationship between temperature and measurement errors is shown in Figure 6-1. The figure includes a trend line for the predicted percent error. Besides the visual assessment of the relationship, Figure 6-1 provides quantification and statistical assessment of the relationship.



**Figure 6-1 – Influence of Speed on the Measurement Error of GWV**

The quantification of the relationship is provided by the value of the regression coefficient, in this case -0.0872 (in Table 6-1). This means, for example, that for a 10 mph increase in speed, the error is changed by about -0.8 percent ( $-0.0862 \times 10$ ). The statistical assessment of the relationship is provided by the probability value of the regression coefficient (0.1621) and is not statistically significant.

### 6.1.3 Summary Results

Table 6-2 lists regression coefficients and their probability values for all combinations of factors and % errors evaluated. Entries in the table are provided only if the probability value was smaller than 0.20. The dash in Table 6-2 indicates that the relationship was not statistically significant (the probability that the relationship can occur by chance alone was greater than 20 percent).

**Table 6-2 – Summary of Regression Analysis**

Parameter	Factor					
	Speed		Temperature		Truck type	
	Regression coefficient	Probability value (p-value)	Regression coefficient	Probability value (p-value)	Regression coefficient	Probability value (p-value)
GVW	-0.0872	0.1621	-	-	-1.1468	0.0412
Steering axle	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tandem axle tractor	-	-	-	-	-1.7863	0.0002
Tandem axle trailer	-0.1957	0.0934	-	-	-	-

#### 6.1.4 Conclusions

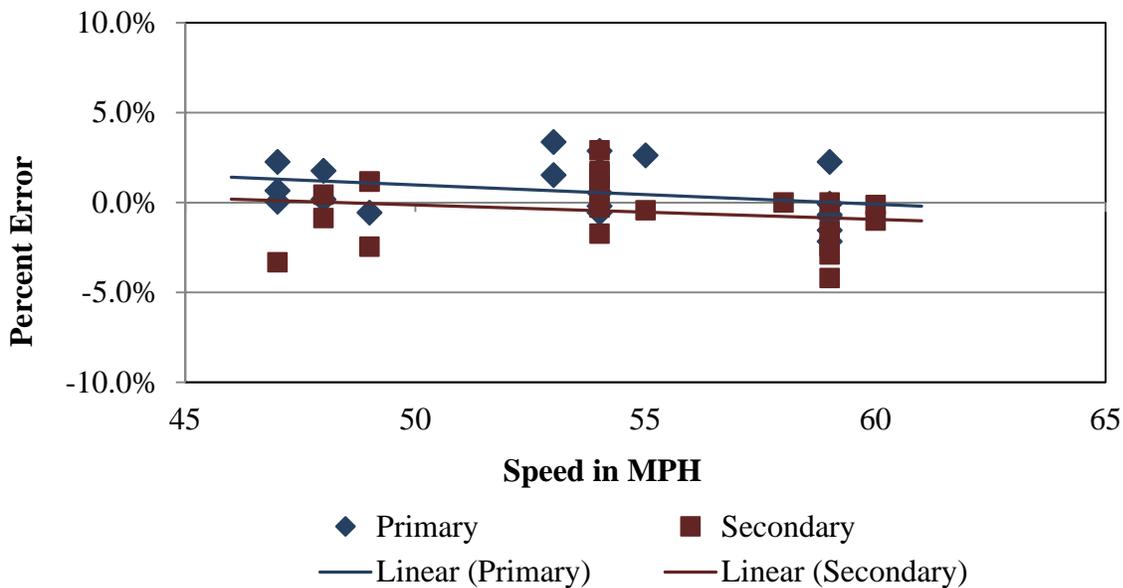
1. According to Table 6-2, speed had statistically significant effect on the measurement errors of GVW and the tandem axle on trailer.
2. Temperature had no statistically significant effect on measurement errors. However, the range of temperatures observed at the site was only about 10°F.
3. Truck type had statistically significant effect on GVW measurement errors at 0.0412 probability value. The regression coefficients for truck type in Table 6-2 represent the difference between the mean errors for the Primary and Secondary trucks. (Truck type is an indicator variable with values of 0 or 1).
4. Even though speed and truck type had statistically significant effect on measurement errors of some of the parameters, the practical significance of these effects on WIM system calibration tolerances was small and does not affect the validity of the validation results.

#### 6.1.5 Contribution of Two Trucks to Calibration

Calibration of WIM systems installed in LTPP lanes is carried out by adjusting calibration factors based on measurement errors of GVW obtained for calibration trucks. During the calibration process, the GVW measurement errors obtained for two calibration trucks are combined when calculating and setting calibration factors. Different calibration factors are used for different speed points (truck speeds). The question addressed in this section is: What would be the calibration factors (calibration results) if only one truck (either Primary or Secondary) was used?

The contribution of using Primary and Secondary trucks for the calibration of the WIM system is illustrated using Figure 6-2 and supported by the associated statistical analysis. It is noted that the influence of pavement temperature is not directly used in the calibration process and thus not considered in this analysis.

Figure 6-2 shows that speed had similar influences on the GVW measurement for each truck, with the Primary and Secondary trucks showing a similar negative correlation with speed. The speed dependency trend lines for the two trucks are not statistically significant. Combined, the overall GVW error dependency on speed was not statistically significant for 4 percent (by chance alone) level of significance (p-value was 0.1621) and its influence was very low. The difference between GVW measurement errors for 2 trucks was found statistically significant but the difference value is about 1 percent and considered small from the practical perspective.



**Figure 6-2– Influence of Speed on the GVW Measurement Error of Primary and Secondary Trucks**

The use of two calibration trucks provided verification of the trends and speeded up the time required to obtain 40 pre-validation runs. For this site, the use of only one of the trucks (Primary or Secondary) would have resulted in similar verification and calibration results, based on similar correlations between speed and GVW errors for the two trucks.

## 6.2 Misclassification Analysis

Since no heavy trucks were not misclassified by the WIM equipment, a post-visit analysis was not considered necessary and was not conducted.

### 6.3 Traffic Data Analysis

Since there was no calibration of the WIM system operating parameters performed during this validation, the post-visit data analysis was not performed.

## 7 Previous WIM Site Validation Information

The information reported in this section provides a summary of the performance of the WIM equipment since it was installed or since the first validation was performed on the equipment. The information includes historical data on weight and classification accuracies as well as a comparison of validation results.

### 7.1 Classification

The information in Table 7-1 data was extracted from the most recent previous validation and was updated to include the results of this validation.

**Table 7-1 – Classification Validation History**

Date	Misclassification Percentage by Class											Pct Unclass
	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
3-Sep-08	-	100	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	-	0	0.0
4-Sep-08	-	-	6	0	0	25	0	0	0	-	-	0.0
3-Nov-10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
4-Nov-10	-	-	6	0	0	0	0	-	-	-	-	0.0
6-Mar-12	77	0	41	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
7-Mar-12	40	0	63	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0
6-Aug-13	100	0	11	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.0

### 7.2 Weight

Table 7-2 data was extracted from the previous validation and was updated to include the results of this validation. The table provides the mean error and standard deviation for GVW, steering and single axles and tandems for prior pre- and validations.

**Table 7-2 – Weight Validation History**

Date	Mean Error and 2SD		
	GVW	Single Axles	Tandem
3-Sep-08	3.7 ± 3.2	1.8 ± 5.3	4.2 ± 5.1
4-Sep-08	-1.7 ± 1.6	-0.8 ± 6.9	-1.7 ± 4.0
4-Nov-10	0.0 ± 3.2	0.6 ± 5.3	0.0 ± 5.1
6-Mar-12	-3.1 ± 5.4	-5.1 ± 8.4	-2.9 ± 6.4
7-Mar-12	0.6 ± 6.8	0.1 ± 11.5	0.8 ± 7.9
6-Aug-13	0.0 ± 3.6	2.9 ± 4.3	-0.5 ± 4.6

The variability of the weight errors appears to have generally increased since the site was first validated, with a sudden drop for the most recent validation. This may reflect the increase in

pavement roughness at the WIM site, and possible remediation between the March, 2012 and August, 2013 validations. From this information, it appears that the system demonstrates a tendency for the equipment to move toward an underestimation of GVW over time. The table also demonstrates the effectiveness of the validations in bringing the weight estimations within LTPP SPS WIM equipment tolerances.

## 8 Additional Information

The following information is provided in the attached appendix:

- Site Photographs
  - Equipment
  - Test Trucks
  - Pavement Condition
- Validation Sheet 16 – Site Calibration Summary
- Validation Sheet 20 – Classification and Speed Study

Additional information is available upon request through LTPP INFO at [ltppinfo@dot.gov](mailto:ltppinfo@dot.gov), or telephone (202) 493-3035. This information includes:

- Sheet 17 – WIM Site Inventory
- Sheet 18 – WIM Site Coordination
- Sheet 19 – Validation Test Truck Data
- Sheet 21 – WIM System Truck Records
- Sheet 22 – Site Equipment Assessment plus Addendum
- Sheet 24A/B – Site Photograph Logs
- Updated Handout Guide

# WIM System Field Calibration and Validation - Photos

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**Photo 1 – Cabinet Exterior**



**Photo 2 – Cabinet Interior (Front)**



**Photo 3 – Cabinet Interior Second**



**Photo 4 – Leading Loop**



**Photo 5 – Leading WIM Sensor**



**Photo 6 – Trailing WIM Sensor**



**Photo 7 – Trailing Loop Sensor**



**Photo 8 – Telephone Pedestal**



**Photo 9 – Power Meter**



**Photo 13 – Truck 1 Tractor**



**Photo 10 – Downstream**



**Photo 14 – Truck 1 Trailer**



**Photo 11 – Upstream**



**Photo 15 – Truck 1 Suspension 1**



**Photo 12 – Truck 1**



**Photo 16 – Truck 1 Suspension 2**



**Photo 17 – Truck 1 Suspension 3**



**Photo 18 – Truck 1 Suspension 4**



**Photo 19 – Truck 1 Suspension 5**



**Photo 20 – Truck 2**



**Photo 21 – Truck 2 Tractor**



**Photo 22 – Truck 2 Trailer and Load**



**Photo 23 – Truck 2 Suspension 1**



**Photo 24 – Truck 2 Suspension 2**



**Photo 25 – Truck 2 Suspension 3**



**Photo 27 – Truck 2 Suspension 5**



**Photo 26 – Truck 2 Suspension 4**

<b>Traffic Sheet 16</b> <b>LTPP MONITORED TRAFFIC DATA</b> <b>SITE CALIBRATION SUMMARY</b>	STATE CODE: 18 SPS WIM ID: 180600 DATE (mm/dd/yyyy) 8/6/2013
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**SITE CALIBRATION INFORMATION**

1. DATE OF CALIBRATION {mm/dd/yy} 8/6/13
2. TYPE OF EQUIPMENT CALIBRATED: Both
3. REASON FOR CALIBRATION: Other
4. SENSORS INSTALLED IN LTPP LANE AT THIS SITE (Select all that apply):
- a. Inductance Loops c. \_\_\_\_\_
- b. Quartz Piezo d. \_\_\_\_\_
5. EQUIPMENT MANUFACTURER: IRD iSINC

**WIM SYSTEM CALIBRATION SPECIFICS**

6. CALIBRATION TECHNIQUE USED: Test Trucks
- Number of Trucks Compared: \_\_\_\_\_
- Number of Test Trucks Used: 2
- Passes Per Truck: 21

	Type	Drive Suspension	Trailer Suspension
Truck 1:	<u>9</u>	<u>air</u>	<u>air</u>
Truck 2:	<u>9</u>	<u>air</u>	<u>air</u>
Truck 3:	_____	_____	_____

7. SUMMARY CALIBRATION RESULTS (expressed as a %):

Mean Difference Between -

Dynamic and Static GVW:	<u>0.0%</u>	Standard Deviation:	<u>1.8%</u>
Dynamic and Static Single Axle:	<u>2.9%</u>	Standard Deviation:	<u>2.1%</u>
Dynamic and Static Double Axles:	<u>-0.5%</u>	Standard Deviation:	<u>2.3%</u>

8. NUMBER OF SPEEDS AT WHICH CALIBRATION WAS PERFORMED: 3

9. DEFINE SPEED RANGES IN MPH:

	Low		High	Runs	
a. <u>Low</u>	-	<u>47.0</u>	to	<u>51.3</u>	<u>12</u>
b. <u>Medium</u>	-	<u>51.4</u>	to	<u>55.8</u>	<u>15</u>
c. <u>High</u>	-	<u>55.9</u>	to	<u>60.0</u>	<u>15</u>
d. _____	-	_____	to	_____	_____
e. _____	-	_____	to	_____	_____

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10. CALIBRATION FACTOR (AT EXPECTED FREE FLOW SPEED) | 3243 | 3397

11. IS AUTO- CALIBRATION USED AT THIS SITE? No  
If yes , define auto-calibration value(s):

**CLASSIFIER TEST SPECIFICS**

12. METHOD FOR COLLECTING INDEPENDENT VOLUME MEASUREMENT BY VEHICLE CLASS:

Manual

13. METHOD TO DETERMINE LENGTH OF COUNT: Number of Trucks

14. MEAN DIFFERENCE IN VOLUMES BY VEHICLES CLASSIFICATION:

FHWA Class 9:	0.0	FHWA Class 5	-	-5.0
FHWA Class 8:	33.0	FHWA Class	-	
		FHWA Class	-	
		FHWA Class	-	

Percent of "Unclassified" Vehicles: 0.0%

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**Person Leading Calibration Effort:** Dean J. Wolf  
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<b>Traffic Sheet 20</b>	STATE CODE: 18
<b>LTPP MONITORED TRAFFIC DATA</b>	SPS WIM ID: 180600
<b>SPEED AND CLASSIFICATION STUDIES</b>	DATE (mm/dd/yyyy) 8/6/2013

Count - 100      Time = 2:18:48      Trucks (4-15) - 99      Class 3s - 1

WIM speed	WIM class	WIM Record	Obs. Speed	Obs. Class	WIM speed	WIM class	WIM Record	Obs. Speed	Obs. Class
60	8	6560	60	8	63	9	6906	63	9
65	6	6565	65	6	65	9	6930	65	9
64	5	6584	64	5	64	8	6952	64	8
61	9	6608	61	9	61	9	6957	61	9
64	6	6611	64	6	63	10	6980	63	10
61	9	6624	61	9	60	9	7005	60	9
60	9	6653	60	9	62	9	7016	61	9
56	9	6654	55	9	65	6	7018	65	6
62	9	6681	61	9	65	9	7022	64	9
59	9	6713	59	9	66	5	7049	65	5
65	9	6727	65	9	58	5	7093	58	5
62	9	6756	62	9	63	9	7115	63	9
61	9	6780	61	9	60	5	7150	60	5
62	9	6808	62	9	44	9	7204	42	9
61	9	6810	61	9	62	9	7235	62	9
62	9	6812	61	9	65	9	7237	64	9
67	9	6814	66	9	60	5	7246	60	5
61	9	6826	64	9	60	5	7255	60	5
65	9	6834	66	9	61	9	7293	60	9
59	9	6836	60	9	65	6	7314	65	6
64	9	6847	64	9	58	9	7373	58	9
63	9	6865	63	9	70	5	7428	70	5
64	9	6868	63	9	58	8	7434	58	8
<b>57</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6874</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>3</b>	62	9	7466	63	9
57	6	6877	54	6	64	9	7468	63	9

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Start: 15:47:11

Stop: 16:47:32

Recorded By: djw

Verified By: ar

Validation Test Truck Run Set - Pre

<b>Traffic Sheet 20</b> <b>LTTP MONITORED TRAFFIC DATA</b> <b>SPEED AND CLASSIFICATION STUDIES</b>	STATE CODE: 18 SPS WIM ID: 180600 DATE (mm/dd/yyyy) 8/6/2013
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WIM speed	WIM class	WIM Record	Obs. Speed	Obs. Class	WIM speed	WIM class	WIM Record	Obs. Speed	Obs. Class
64	9	7495	66	9	54	6	8157	53	6
<b>58</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>7506</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>5</b>	59	9	8168	58	9
65	9	7523	65	9	60	5	8193	60	5
61	9	7592	61	9	66	5	8199	66	5
60	9	7599	60	9	62	9	8222	62	9
62	9	7607	63	9	67	5	8249	67	5
60	9	7632	59	9	67	9	8263	66	9
65	9	7641	65	9	63	5	8272	62	5
65	9	7646	65	9	59	9	8293	59	9
59	9	7713	60	9	67	5	8317	67	5
<b>39</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>7719</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>5</b>	60	8	8329	61	8
64	9	7760	64	9	62	9	8330	61	9
66	5	7768	65	5	63	9	8345	63	9
63	9	7773	62	9	60	9	8352	60	9
63	9	7801	63	9	59	9	8378	58	9
61	8	7821	61	8	62	5	8406	62	5
63	9	7916	63	9	60	9	8411	63	9
60	9	7925	60	9	60	8	8413	60	8
54	9	7930	54	9	62	9	8443	62	9
54	9	8001	54	9	59	9	8451	58	9
59	5	8006	59	5	58	10	8458	58	10
60	5	8062	60	5	62	9	8487	63	9
60	9	8065	60	9	65	10	8495	64	10
59	5	8127	59	5	59	9	8514	59	9
59	9	8129	58	9	60	9	8523	60	9

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Recorded By: \_\_\_\_\_

Start: 16:48:38

djw

Stop: 18:05:59

ar