

Optimized Shear Stud Spacing for Precast Deck Panel Construction

Description

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Project Completion Year : 2015

Project Starting Year : 2011

Primary Sponsor Contact Info : Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) Office of Infrastructure Research and Development

Project Length : 43

Budget : 0.00

Key Words :

composite, construction, Infrastructure, Research studs, Fatigue, Steel bridges, Bridge construction, Superstructures

Abstract :

This project will collect data to justify modification to the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials Load and Resistance Factor Design Bridge Design Specifications in terms of steel composite construction. Specifically, increasing the shear stud spacing beyond 24 inches will be explored. This project will also evaluate if the existing static and fatigue design provisions are adequate. The project will static test composite beams with shear stud spacings of 24, 36, and 48 inches, as well as fatigue test 3 replicates at each of those spacings.

Subject : Shear Studs for Panels

Group : Decks

Category : Ongoing Projects