

RURAL CONDITION

RURAL CONDITIONS APPLY TO INTERSTATE, ARTERIAL, PRIMARY AND SECONDARY SYSTEMS OR TO ANY OTHER ROAD WITH RURAL TYPE DESIGN AND OPERATING CONDITIONS.

THESE TABLES CONTAIN THE MINIMUM ALLOWABLE SUPERELEVATION, TRANSITION LENGTHS, AND WIDENING CORRECTIONS FOR STANDARD RURAL PAVEMENT WIDTHS THROUGH A RANGE OF DESIGN VELOCITIES CONSIDERED MOST LIKELY TO BE USED IN RURAL HIGHWAY DESIGN.

DEFINITIONS FOR THE STANDARD SYMBOLS USED THROUGHOUT THESE TABLES ARE FOUND ON SHEET 803.02.

FOR MINIMUM DESIGN FACTORS FOR VARIOUS DESIGN SPEEDS FOR RURAL CONDITIONS SEE SHEETS 803.32 THRU 803.44.

ON CURVES WITH NO PAVEMENT WIDENING. PAVEMENT WILL BE SUPERELEVATED BY AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO THE RATE SHOWN IN THE TABLES. SEE SHEET 803.06 FOR A GRAPHICAL ILLUSTRATION OF THE APPLICATION OF THIS CORRECTION.

ON CURVES WITH PAVEMENT WIDENING, WIDENING WILL BE ACHEIVED BY EQUAL WIDENING OF BOTH EDGES OF PAVEMENT OVER THE SUPERELEVATION RUNOFF LENGTH. SEE PAGE 803.05 FOR DETAILS.

WHEN USING COMPOUND OR REVERSE CURVES WITH RURAL CONDITIONS, SEE SHEETS 803.11, 803.12, 803.13, AND 803.14 FOR DETAILS OF TRANSITIONS.

FOR CURVE RADII NOT LISTED IN TABLES, REFER TO SHEET 803.20 TO CALCULATE SUPERELEVATION RUNOFF LENGTH (L_r) AND PAVEMENT WIDENING (w).

L_r AND E SHALL BE SHOWN ON THE PLANS FOR ALL CURVES.

FOR ADDITIONAL GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS (BOTH URBAN AND RURAL) SEE SHEET 803.01.

<p>SPECIFICATION REFERENCE</p>	<p>EXPLANATION OF TABLES AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE</p>	<p>VDOT ROAD AND BRIDGE STANDARDS</p>				
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