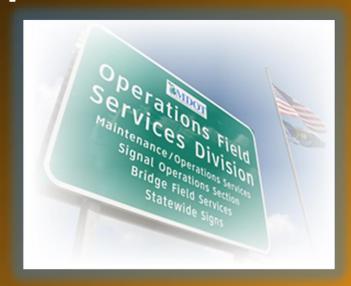


2016 Michigan Bridge Conference

Bridge Safety Inspection Workshop



Rich Kathrens

MDOT Bridge Safety Inspection Engineer kathrens@michigan.gov
March 22, 2016





<u>Tentative Agenda – MORNING SESSION</u>

- Information and Bridge Operations
- Training
- Program Requirements (MiSIM Chapter 1)
- Quality Assurance Quality Control (MiSIM Chapter 2)

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- FHWA Updates
- Routine Inspection Reporting Requirements (MiSIM Chapter 5)
- Inspection Frequency (MiSIM Chapter 3)





Tentative Agenda – AFTERNOON SESSION

- Safety
- Scour (MiSIM Chapter 6)
- Request for Action, RFA (Chapter 10)

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Non-Destructive Evaluation







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- · Bridge Operations
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- · Environmental License Agreements

- Permits
- · Purchasing Services
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- Tribal Governments
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- Welcome Centers

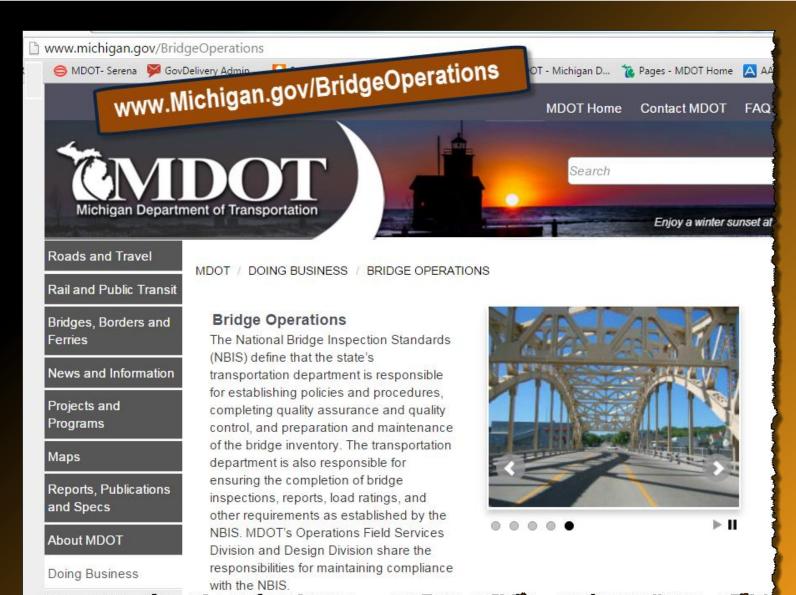
Partnerships and Agreements

- Stewardship and Oversight Agreement MDOT and FHWA
- Program Operations Manual
- ACEC Partnership Charter Agreement
- . MDOT-ACEC Partnership Charter Award

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Safety Inspection

The safety inspection program is managed within the Bridge Field Services Section of the Operations Field Services Division. The program ensures compliance with the National Bridge Inspection Standards (NBIS) through comprehensive performance of inspection timeliness verifications, annual



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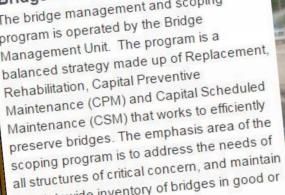
Load Rating

The load rating program is administered by the Bridge Load Rating Unit. The program is responsible for ensuring that all bridges are load rated to verify the safe load capacity in accordance with the National Bridge Inspection Standards (NBIS). The Bridge Load Rating Unit performs capacity evaluations of complex bridges, truss bridges, movable bridges, and all other structures within the state-owned inve The area also serves as the technical consultant to FHWA, MDOT Divisions, regions, local agencies, and is respons

Contact: Creightyn McMunn 517-335-1923 MDOT-Load-Rating@michigan.gov

Bridge Management and Scoping

The bridge management and scoping program is operated by the Bridge Management Unit. The program is a balanced strategy made up of Replacement, Rehabilitation, Capital Preventive Maintenance (CPM) and Capital Scheduled Maintenance (CSM) that works to efficiently preserve bridges. The emphasis area of the scoping program is to address the needs of the statewide inventory of bridges in good or fair condition.





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Resource Links

FHWA Bridge Preservation Guide THWA Bridge Preservation Toolbox
TAMC Dashboards



Bridge Management Scoping

Manuals

Guides

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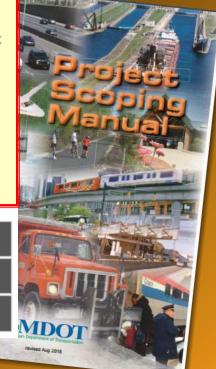
- Coding and Managing Bridges for Scour Vulnerability
- Bridge Deck Preservation Matrix
 Decks with Uncoated "Black"
 Rebar
- Bridge Deck Preservation Matrix
 -Decks with Epoxy Coated
 Rebar
- Bridge Preservation Activities
- Asset Management Guide for Local Agency Bridges in Michigan

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Project Estimating

Studies

Research Reports







Resource Links

FHWA Bridge Preservation Guide The FHWA Bridge Preservation Toolbox TAMC Dashboards

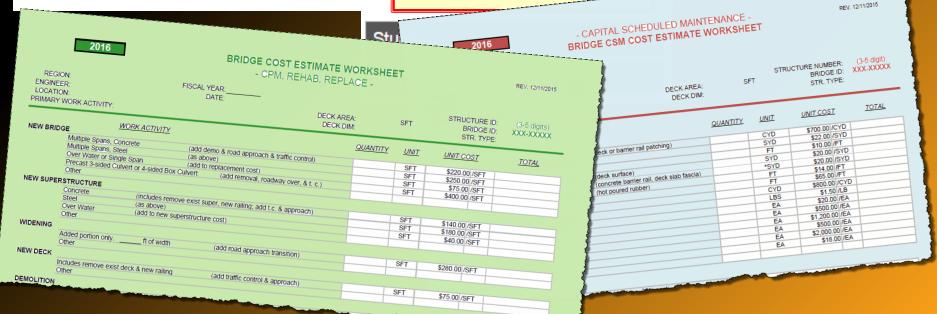


Manuals

Guides

Project Estimating

- Bridge Cost Estimating
 Worksheet for CPM, Rehab,
 Replace, and CSM Projects XI
- Bridge Cost Estimate
 Worksheet Key
- Life Cycle Cost Analysis Worksheet XII



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Load Rating

Forms	
Bridge Analysis Report 🟂	
Bridge Analysis Assumptions 🏂	
Bridge Analysis Summary 🏂	

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		DESCRIPTION		
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Load Rating

Forms

Guides and Advisories

Michigan Structure Inventory and

Appraisal of Bridges 📆

Corrugated Metal Pipe Analysis

Spreadsheets (BA-2012-03) 7

Guidance for the use of "Field

Evaluation and Documented

Engineering Judgment" Ratings (BA-

2012-02)

Modifications and Improvements to

Load Rating and MBIS/MBRS (BA-

2012-01) 📆

Local Agency Load Rating

Prioritization and Coding (BA-2011-02)



Load Rating Compliance with NBIS

(BA-2010-03) 📆

Load Rating Gusset Plates on Non-

Load-Path Redundant Steel Truss

Bridges (BA-2009-01) 🏂

Bridge Analysis Guide

Forms

Guides and Advisories

Analysis Resources

Bridge Analysis Spreadsheets Michigan Legal & Overload Vehicles



Camelback Tutorial 📆

AASHTOWare Bridge Rating (BrR)

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Tutorials





Load Rating

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MDOT Bridge Advisories

MDOT Research Reports

MDOT Permit Unit

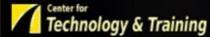
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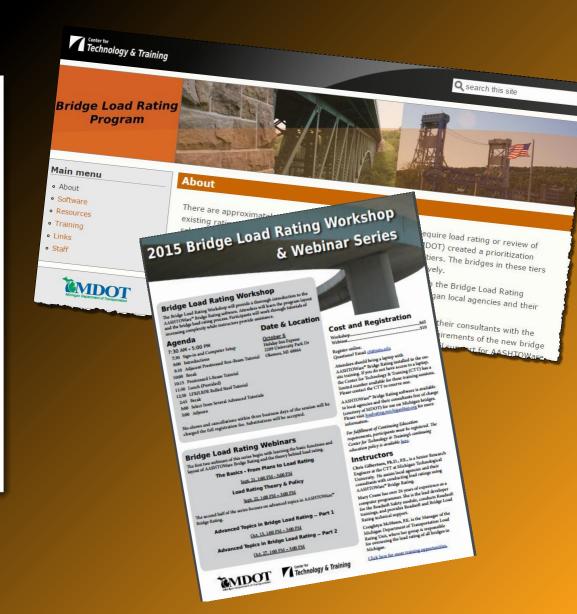
FHWA Load Rating

FHWA Policy and Guidance Center

AASHTO Manual for Bridge Evaluation







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Bridge Safety Inspection

FHWA Compliance

Unassigned Safety Inspections Inspection Timeliness Reports

National Bridge Inspection Program Review

Manuals

Guides

MiBRIDGE Application Development

Inspection Questions

Forms

"If you think
compliance is
expensive try non-compliance."

FHWA Compliance

Manuals

Michigan Structure Inspection Manual Michigan Bridge Element Inspection

Manual 📆

FHWA Bridge Inspector's Reference

Manual 📆

Guides

MiBRIDGE Application Development

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FHWA Compliance

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RFA Priority Level Guidelines 📆

Coding and Managing Bridges for

Scour Vulnerability 1

Michigan Structure Inventory and

Appraisal of Bridges 📆

MDOT NBI Rating Guidelines

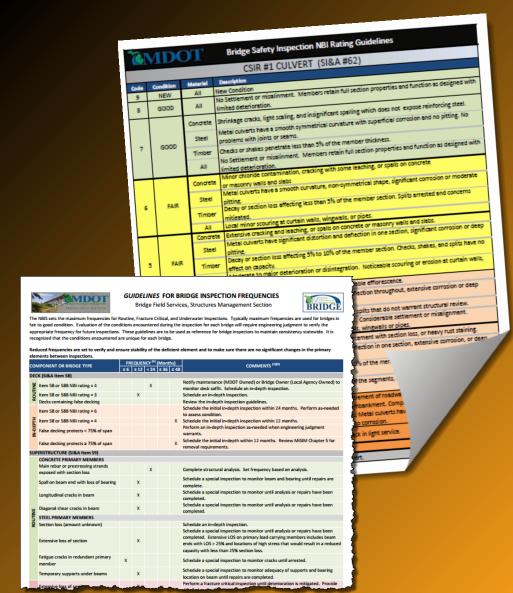
Guidelines for Bridge Inspection

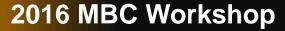
Frequencies 📆

MiBRIDGE Application Development

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Element Inspections

NBI Inspections

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FHWA Compliance Manuals Guides MiBRIDGE Application Development Inspection Questions **Forms** Movable Bridge Inspection Checklist **Efficient Element Calculation** Worksheet X Fracture Critical Inspection Report 7 Structure Inventory and Appraisal Stream Cross-Section Report X Damage Inspection Report Bridge Diving Inspection Report 7 Scour Action Plan 📆 Bridge Safety Inspection Report 7 Other Special Inspection Report 71 Fatigue Sensitive Inspection Report





Bridge Safety Inspection

Resource Links

MDOT Bridge Advisories
Bridge Safety Report
NBIS Recurrent Training
NHI Training
National Bridge Inspection Standards
AASHTO Bridge Publications
Federal Highway Administration
Prequalified Service Vendors



Bridge Advisories

What are Bridge Advisories and who uses them?

The Bridge Advisory (BA) is intended to convey information to MDOT, local agencies, and contractors working for these agencies. The intent of the advisories is to provide guidance and share information on bridge safety, bridge inspection, bridge management, and bridge load rating issues.

Bridge Operations

The National Bridge Inspection Standards (NBIS) define that the state's transportation department is responsible for establishing policies and procedures, completing quality assurance and quality control, and preparation and maintenance of the bridge inventory. The transportation department is also responsible for ensuring the completion of bridge inspections, reports, load ratings, and other requirements as established by the NBIS. MDOT's Operations Field Services Division and Design Division share the responsibilities for maintaining complian with the NBIS.



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MiBRIDGE Updates

Bridge Advisories





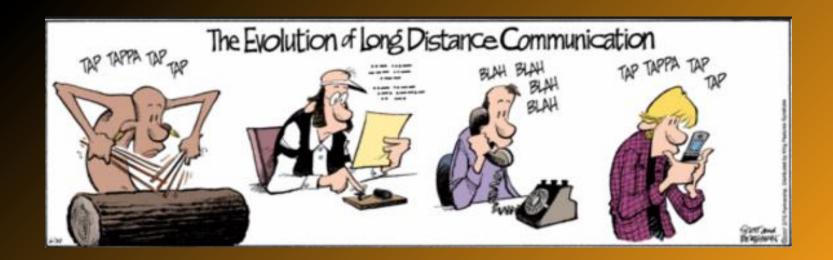
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Topics

Bridge Advisories
MiBRIDGE Updates

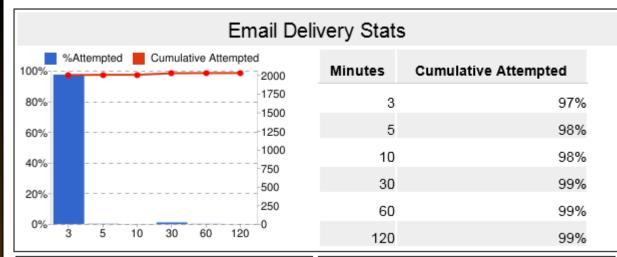
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Bridge Safety Inspection

Resource Links

MDOT Bridge Advisories Bridge Safety Report NBIS Recurrent Training

NHI Training

National Bridge Inspection Standards

AASHTO Bridge Publications

Federal Highway Administration

Prequalified Service Vendors



PREQUALIFIED SERVICE VENDORS BY CLASSIFICATION Design - Bridges: Safety Inspection (DBE) Disadvantaged Business Enterprise Service Prequalification Classification Design - Bridges: Safety Inspection Design - Bridges: Safety Inspection Vendor AECOM GREAT LAKES, INC. Design - Bridges: Safety Inspection State ALFRED BENESCH & COMPANY ANDERSON, ECKSTEIN AND WESTRICK, MI Design - Bridges: Safety Inspection 616-574-1 AYRES ASSOCIATES, INC., OF 517-482-1 Design - Bridges: Safety Inspection MI 586-726-1 BERGMANN ASSOCIATES, ARCHITECTS, ENGINEERS, LANDSCAPE Design - Bridges: Safety Inspection WI 715-834-ARCHITECTS &SURVEYORS, D.P. Design - Bridges: Safety Inspection CH2M HILL MICHIGAN, INC. MI 517-272-1 COLLINS ENGINEERS, INC. WI 414-847-

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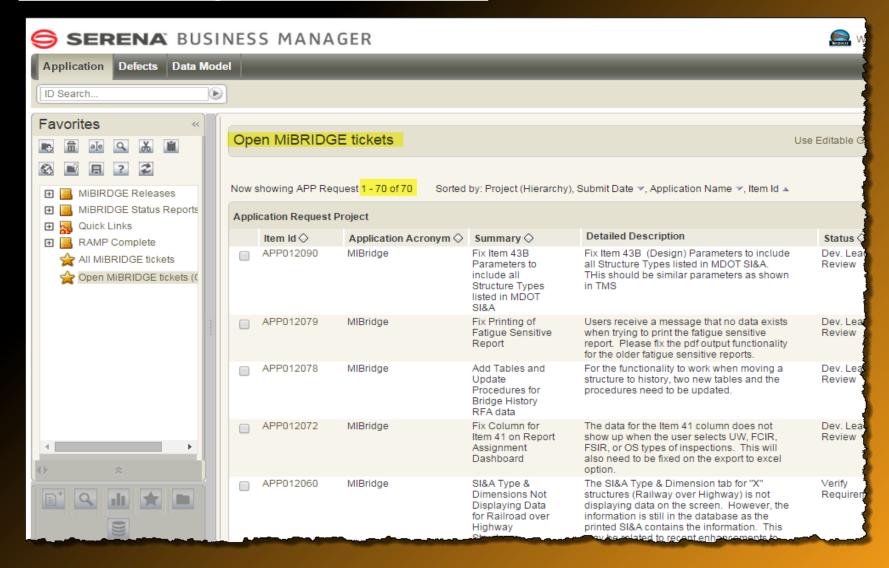








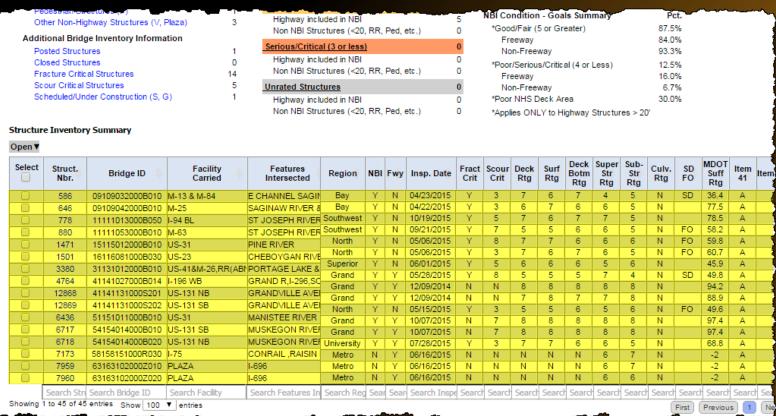
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Implementation of "Data Tables"



- Standard Format for All Bridge Lists
- Allow sorting of every column heading
- Search feature at bottom of every column

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Implementation of "Data Tables" (Cont.)

Other Non-Highway Structures (V, Plaza)	15	Highway included in
Additional Bridge Inventory Information		Non NBI Structures
Posted Structures	20	Serious/Critical (3 or
Closed Structures	13	Highway included in
Fracture Critical Structures	79	Non NBI Structures
Scour Critical Structures	402	Unrated Structures
Scheduled/Under Construction (S, G)	62	Highway included in

Structures Highway included in

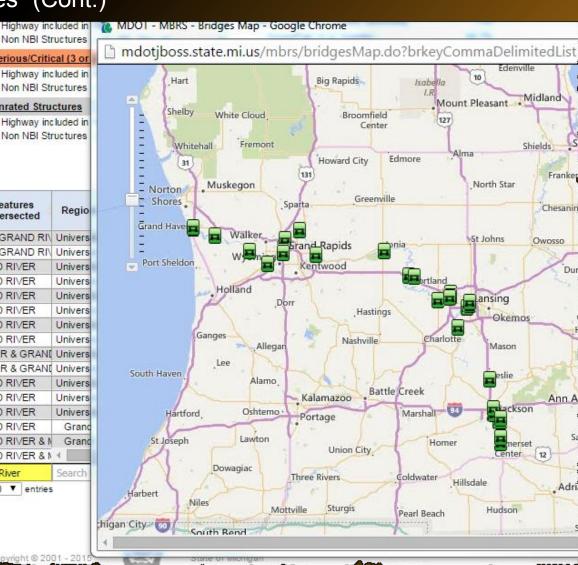
Structure Inventory Summary

Open ▼

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1	1876	19119043000S150	I-69 NB	I-96BL GRAND RIV	Univers
•	2286	23123072000B010	M-100	GRAND RIVER	Univers
•	2304	23123092000B020	M-99 NB	GRAND RIVER	Univers
4	2305	23123092000B030	M-99 SB	GRAND RIVER	Univers
•	2315	23123152000B013	I-96 EB	GRAND RIVER	Univers
•	2316	23123152000B014	I-96 WB	GRAND RIVER	Univers
4	2317	23123152000B020	I-69 SB TO I-96 EB	GRAND RIVER	Univers
•	3690	33133011000R010	M-99 NB	GTW RR & GRAND	Univers
•	3691	33133011000R020	M-99 SB	GTW RR & GRAND	Univers
•	3693	33133014000B010	M-143 E MICH AVE	GRAND RIVER	Univers
•	3789	33133061000B010	M-43 EB (SAGINAW)	GRAND RIVER	Univers
4	3790	33133061000B020	M-43 WB (OAKLAND	GRAND RIVER	Univers
•	3970	34134032000B010	M-66	GRAND RIVER	Grand
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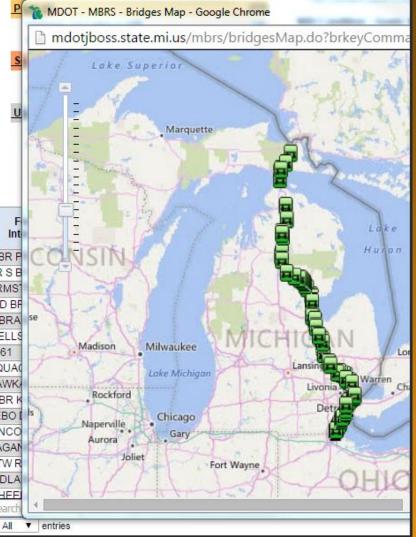
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Structure Inventory Summary

Open ▼

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1	408	06106111000B040	I-75 NB	SBRF
1	411	06106111000C030	I-75 NB	BRSE
4	413	06106111000C050	I-75 NB	ARMS
•	415	06106111000C070	I-75 NB & RAMP	MID BE
•	417	06106111000C090	I-75 NB	N BRA
1	419	06106111000C110	I-75 NB	WELL:
4	423	06106111000S040	I-75 NB	M-61
4	597	09109034000B011	I-75 NB	SQUA
•	612	09109035000B060	I-75 NB	KAWK
1	613	09109035000B070	I-75 NB	NBR
4	614	09109035000B080	I-75 NB	TEBO
•	615	09109035000B090	I-75 NB	PINCO
•	616	09109035000B100	I-75 NB	SAGAI
1	624	09109035000R011	I-75 NB	GTW F
4	626	09109035000S011	I-75 NB	MIDLA
1	642	09109035000\$160	I-75 NB	WHEE
	Search Str	Search Bridge ID	I-75 NB	Search



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Any Questions?







TRAINING Opportunities

NHI Classes:

MDOT Partners with ACEC of Michigan to offer NHI instructor led (ILT) classes twice a year related to National Bridge Inspection Standards (NBIS).

There are numerous Web-based training opportunities on NHI's website that are directly related to the Management and Inspection of Bridges









TRAINING: Summary of NHI Classes (ILT)

NHI Classes - Instructor Led (IL	NHI	Classes -	Instructor	Led	(ILT
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NHI Class	Title	Length	Credit
Will Class	Hue	(days)	(hrs)
130054	Engineering Concepts for Bridge Inseptors	5	15
130055	Safety Inspeciton of Inservice Bridges	10	N/A
130053	Bridge Inspeciton Refresher	3	24
130078	Fracture Critial Inspection Techniques for Bridges	3.5	24
130091	Underwater Bridge Inspection	4	24
130091B	Underwater Bridge Repair, Rehabilitation, and Countermeasures	2	14
130099A	Bridge Inspection Nondestructive Evaluation Seminar (BINS)	2 days	13
135046	Stream Stability & Scour at Highway Bridges	3	20
135047	Stream Stability & Scour at Highway Bridges for Bridge Inspectors	1	6
135048	Countermeasure Design for Bridge Scour and Stream Instability	2.5	15
130110	Tunnel Inspection (New)	5	32







TRAINING: Summary of NHI Classes (WEB Based)

NHI Classes - Web-Based

NHI Classes - Web-Based				
NHI Class	Title	Credit (hrs)		
130101	Introduction to Safety Inspeciton of In-Sevicve Bridges	14		
130101A	Prerequisite Assessment for Safeity Inspeciton of In-Service Bridges	1		
135085	Plan of Action (POA) for Scour Critical Bridges	1		
135086	Stream Stability Factors and Concepts (Prerequisite)	1		
135087	Scour at Highway Bridges: Concepts and Defininitions (Prereq.)	1		
135091	Basic Hydraulic Principles Review	1		
130106A	Bridge Preservation Fundamentals	5		
130106B	Establishing a Bridge Preservation Program	4		
130106C	Communication Strategies for Bridge Preservation	3		
130109A	Bridge Management Fundamentals (New)	4		
130109B	Performance-Based Managemnt of Highway Bridges (New)	4		







The NHI 130053 Bridge Inspection Refresher course is scheduled for January 19, 2016 and will be hosted by MDOT in Lansing, MI. There are a few seats still available. Please contact MDOT Training Coordinator, Ginger Moore (517) 322-6792 or at MooreG@michigan.gov to register.

The pre-conference workshop for the **Michigan Bridge Conference** will count towards bridge safety inspection recurrent training hours. The workshop will be held on **March 22, 2016** in Lansing, Ml. Please click on this link to learn more details about the workshop and how to register: 2016 Michigan Bridge Inspection Workshop

The MDOT Structure Inspection Alignment Meeting is scheduled for April 26, 2016 to April 27, 2016 located in Big Rapids, Ml. The first eight hours of this meeting is devoted to Bridge Safety Inspection topics. Please contact Rich Kathrens (Kathrens@Michigan.gov) or Andrew Bouvy (BouvyA@michigan.gov) to verify the availability for attending this meeting.

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Course Description

Tunnel Safety Inspection

PROGRAM AREA: Structures

COURSE NUMBER: FHWA-NHI-130110

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Start Date: 4/04/2016

End Date: 4/08/2016

Location: LANSING, MI

Local Coordinator: Ginger Moore (517) 322-6792

Availability: No Public Seats

Available

Please contact the Local Coordinator to enroll in this session.

The light at the end of the tunnel is not an illusion. The tunnel is...





TRAINING

Bridge Safety Inspection ANNUALY

3 NHI Training Classes 18 Hrs/Class

Structure Alignment Meeting 8 Hrs

TOTAL of about **62 Hours** of Opportunities per Year

Future themes for the Pre-Conference Workshop

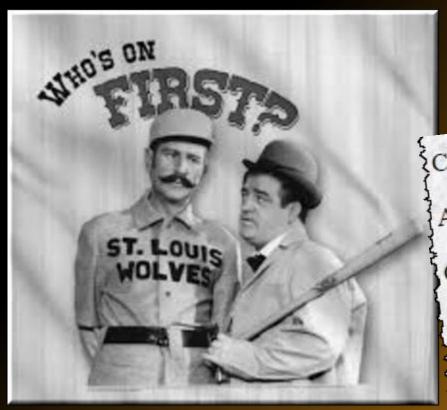
DESIGN, MAINTENANCE, CONSTRUCTION







Questions?



Costello: I'm asking you--who's on first?

Abbott: That's the man's name.

Costello: That's who's name?

Abbott: Yes.



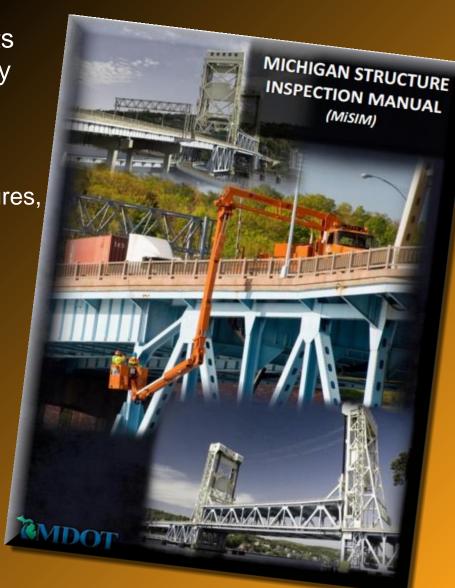


Guidance for meeting the Requirements of the NBIS and Michigan Bridge Safety Inspection Procedures

13 Chapters with over 300 Pages

Chapter 5, Routine Inspection Procedures, is nearly 200 Pages









MICHIGAN STRUCTURE INSPECTION MANUAL (MISIM)

Chapter 1	Program Requirements
Chapter 2	Quality Assurance & Quality Control
Chapter 3	Inspection Frequency
Chapter 4	Bridge Files
Chapter 5	Inspection Procedures
Chapter 6	Scour (recently updated)
Chapter 7	Fracture Critical & Fatigue Sensitive Inspection
Chapter 8	Underwater Inspection
Chapter 9	Damage Inspection
Chapter 10	Critical Findings
Chapter 11	Inspection Equipment
Chapter 12	Non-NBI Structures
Chapter 13	Safety







Program Requirements (MiSIM Chapter 1)

Program Manager: Delegation of NBIS Responsibilities

FHWA
Michigan Division

MICHIGAN BRIDGE INSPECTION PROGRAM MANAGER

MDOT Bridge Inspection Operations Field Services Division

650.307 Bridge Inspection Organization

650.309 Qualifications (Team Leaders/Divers)

650.311 Inspection Frequency

650.313 Inspection Procedures

650.315 Bridge Inventory (Update Inspection Data)

MDOT Bridge Management Design Division

650.307 Bridge Inspection Organization

650.309 Qualifications (Load Rating)

650.313 Inspection Procedures (Load Rating)

650.313 Inspection Procedures (Scour Criticality)

650.315 Bridge Inventory (SI&A, Load Posting)

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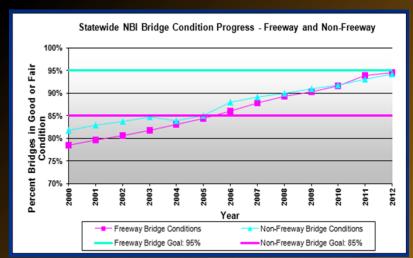
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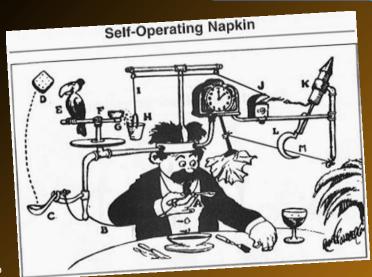
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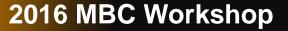
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Program Requirements (MiSIM Chapter 1)

Bridge Safety Inspection: Implementation Team

STATE OWNED STRUCTURES

MDOT Region Bridge Engineers MDOT Bridge Authority Engineers MDOT Big Bridge Committee Michigan DNR

LOCAL AGENCY OWNED STRUCTURES

MDOT Local Agency Programs County Engineers City / Village Managers

INSPECTION & LOAD RATING

MDOT Bridge Inspection Team Leaders
MDOT Movable Bridge/Fracture Critical Engineer
MDOT Big Bridge/Fatigue Sensitive Engineer
MDOT Load Rating Engineers
MDOT Scoping Engineers
Prequalified Engineering Consultants

INSPECTION & LOAD RATING

County/City Bridge Inspection Team Leaders
Engineering Consultants





BRIDGE OWNER responsibilities:

- Ensure <u>Qualified</u> personnel is completing the inspections and Load Ratings
- Ensure inspections are scheduled in a <u>Timely</u> manner
- Verify that <u>Quality Control</u> measures are implemented and followed
- Know their <u>Inventory</u>. Understand the structure types and the unique characteristics that may require additional inspections





TEAM LEADER responsibilities:

- Responsible to submit proof of qualifications and quality control plan to the Bridge Owner
- Responsible for planning, preparing and performing structure inspections in accordance with NBIS (see Chapter 5, MiSIM). Must be on-site during inspection activities.
- Responsible for entering inspection report data into MiB^{RIDG}E
- Responsible to notify Bridge Owner immediately of any Critical Findings

Life is like a dogsled team. If you ain't the lead dog, the scenery never changes.





LOAD RATING ENGINEER responsibilities:

- Perform Load Ratings in accordance with the NBIS, AASHTO Manual of Bridge Evaluation, and Michigan specific policies
- All load rating calculations must be completed by or checked by a registered professional engineer.
- Immediately notify bridge owner with any reduction of load capacity that causes a load posting to be installed or lowered.
- Responsible to submit load rating calculations to the Bridge Owner so they can be kept in the "Bridge File"





Program Requirements: TEAM LEADER Qualifications

COMPLETE NHI 130055: Safety Inspection of In-Service Bridges or FHWA Approved Comprehensive Bridge Inspection Course

.. and meet one of the following:

- 1. Be a registered professional engineer;
- 2. Have (5) years of bridge inspection experience (Note this has to be documented);
- 3. Have all of the following:
 - a) Bachelor's degree in engineering, successfully passed the Engineering and Surveying Fundamentals of Engineering exam, and
 - b) (2) years of bridge inspection experience;
- 4. Be certified as a Level III or IV Bridge Safety Inspector under National Certification in Engineering Technologies (NICET);
- 5. Have all of the following:
 - a) Associate's degree in engineering or engineering technology and,
 - b) (4) years of bridge inspection experience







Effective March 22, 2016
Tunnel Safety Inspection
Revised Recurrent Training Requirement

MUST Complete NHI CLNHI Tunnel Bridge Inspection Refresher
Training every 5 years to be qualified as a "Team Leader"

Only the NHH 100055 Safety Inspection of In-Service Dridges will be accepted as a substitute, no other classes will be allowed.

TRUE

FALSE





Bridge Safety Inspection Recurrent Training Requirements

Completing one of the following activities within a 5 year period

- NHI 130053 Bridge Inspection Refresher
- NHI 130078 Fracture Critical Inspection Techniques for Steel Bridges
- NHI-130091A Underwater Bridge Inspection

Or

24 Hours of approved bridge inspection training





Qualification Verification

ANNUAL REVIEW of Qualifications (April 1 – March 31)

- Check that 2-Week course has been completed
- Check registered P.E. or verify years of experience
- If it has been more than 5 years since 2-Week Course, verify recurrent training

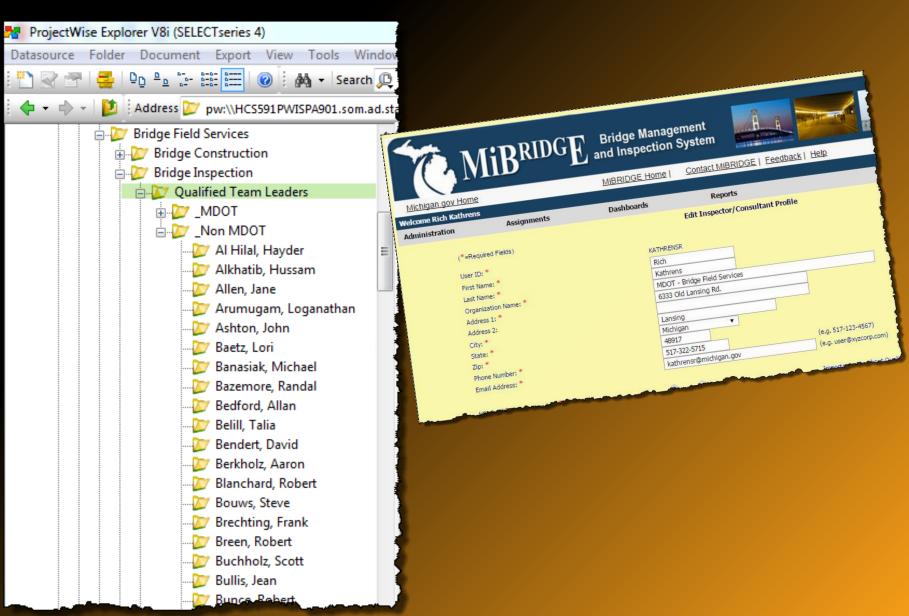
5 Year time Period is measured from the month a Team Leader completes inspection to 5 years prior.

i.e. Inspection completed 1/2016, then training requirements must be met during the period from 1/2011 to 1/2016.









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PROPOSED MISIM Qualification Updates



Team Leaders must meet the above qualifications and, if applicable, the recurrent training requirements at the time they complete an inspection of a structure meeting the NBIS definition of a bridge. Qualification verification is determined by reviewing the classes or training completed within the five years prior to the month the Team Leader completed the inspection. A team leader will be allowed a grace period of 6 months from when their qualifications have expired to complete the necessary recurrent training requirements. However, until the necessary recurrent training has been completed the Team Leader must have at least 50% of the inspections completed during this period checked by an independent Team Leader. The Team Leader is responsible to keep documentation on file showing completion of the additional quality control activities during this grace period.

Team Leaders are required to provide documentation to the Bridge Owner showing they meet the

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