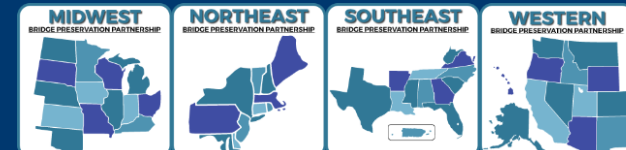


Updating Ohio's Bridge Inspection Manual to Align with SNBI

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Ohio Background

- Decentralized state
 - 12 ODOT Districts
 - 88 Counties
 - 357 Municipalities
 - Ohio Turnpike
- Bridge definition 10' or greater
- Risk based routine inspection interval dictated by Ohio law
 - 12-month routine interval if:
 - Bridge rated “Fair” or lower, NSTM, scour vulnerable, posted, new within 3 years



Ohio's Unique Bridge System

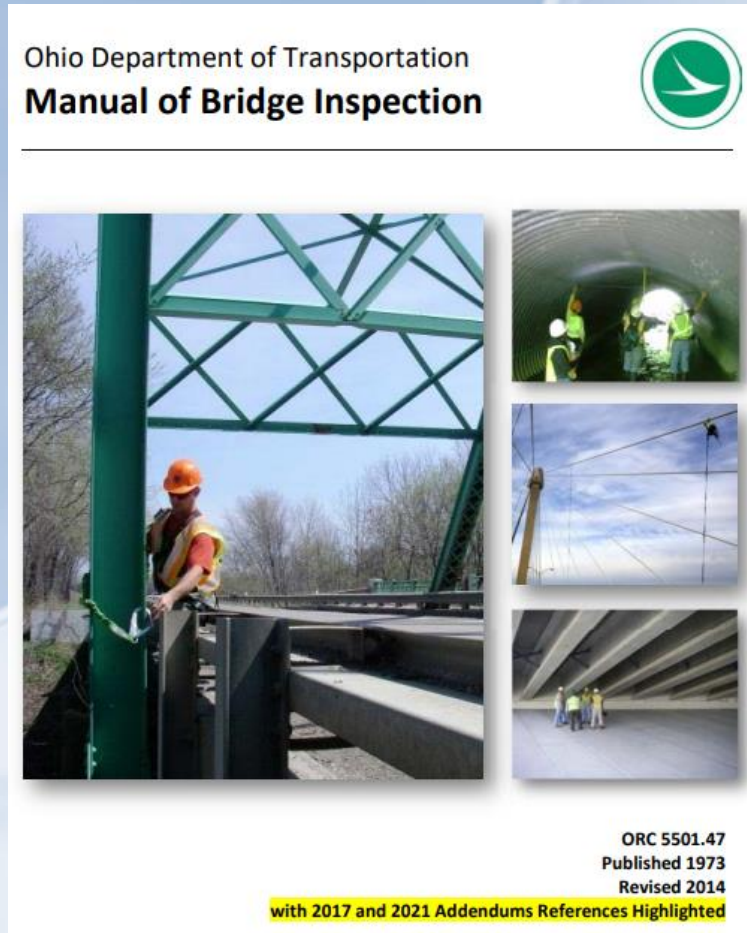
- Ohio has roughly:
 - 27,200 NBIS bridges
 - 18,500 10'- 20' spans or non-vehicular carrying
 - Inventories non-vehicular bridges that cross over public roads
 - Railroads, pedestrian, other structures (excluding ancillary sign structures)
- All 45,700 are managed as bridges, so they all need consistent inventory
 - Full SNBI inventory for all vehicular carrying Ohio bridges
 - Abbreviated SNBI inventory for non-vehicular bridges



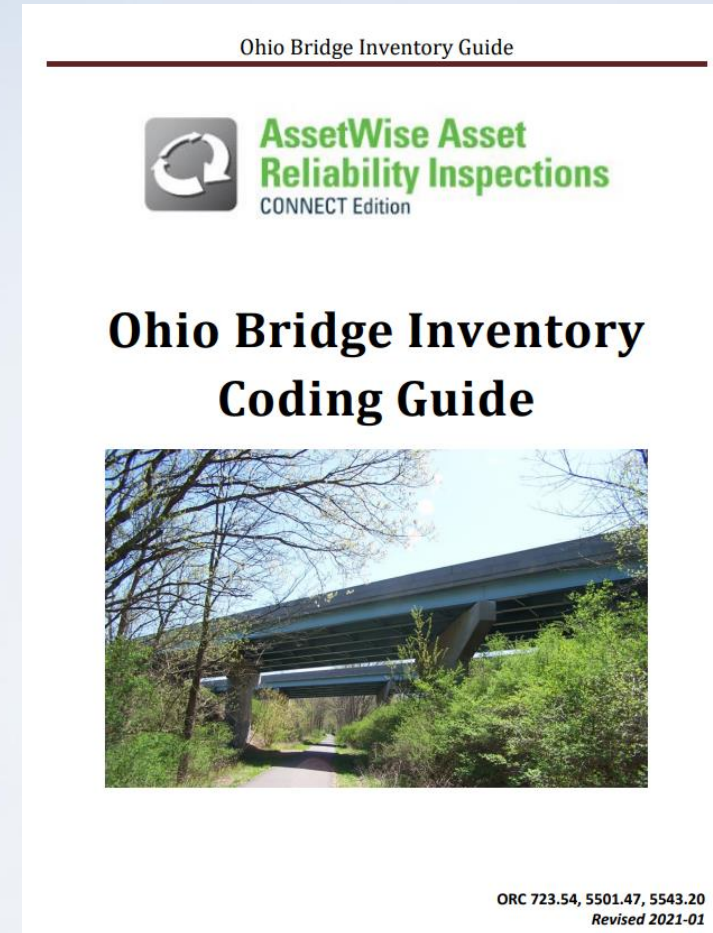
Ohio's Need for an Updated Inspection Manual

- Current bridge inspection manual not updated since 2014
- 5 addendums over 10 years
 - Change to Ohio Revised Code pertaining to routine inspections
 - Inspection comments requirement
 - Substructure condition ratings
 - Scour appraisal and cross channel update
- SNBI Inventory
- Updated NBIS

SNBI presented the opportunity to combine Ohio's two bridge manuals



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Ohio's Need for an Updated Inspection Manual

- In-house update stopped in 2022 after announcement of SNBI
- Decided to combine Ohio BIM and Ohio bridge inventory manual
- Updated Ohio manual to contain
 - Updates from 2022 NBIS
 - Previous Ohio BIM addendums
 - Inventory and condition based on SNBI
 - Additional Ohio inventory fields merged with SNBI inventory

Managing Multiple Inventories

- New SNBI inventory
- 160 Ohio Bridge fields
 - Inventory fields that Ohio records on top of NBI
 - Fields for deck, super, sub, culvert, load rating, clearances, inspection access, structure management
- Had to decide what fields to keep
- Many Ohio specific inventory fields that match new SNBI fields
- Decision made to insert OH fields into SNBI, where applicable, for easier user inventory

General	
(203) Bridge Name (Dedicated Name)	ANTHONY WAYNE
(205) Route Number Extension	
(206) Inventory Preferred Route	P - Inventory route is the pre
(5.01) Priority System Code (Inventory Route)**	U - Urban
(218) Major Bridge	Y - Yes
(218.01) Calculated State Major Bridge	Yes
(218.02) Calculated Local Major Bridge	NA
(220) Inventory Location	DISTRICT 02
(226) Seismic Susceptibility	N - not applicable
(227) GASB	Y
(236) Future Traffic Factor**	1.388
(245) Aperture Cards Fabrication	2 - No
(246) Aperture Cards Original	1 - Yes
(247) Aperture Cards Repair	1 - Yes
(248) Original Construction Project Number	UNKNWN

Managing Multiple Inventories

- TranSystems tasked with developing new Item IDs for Ohio inventory fields to match SNBI format.
- Ohio inventory fields inserted within the SNBI fields where applicable
- This will be easier for the user when inventorying a bridge

Subgroup	ID	SNBI/ ODOT	Attribute Name	Matching NBI/ODOT Field
2.1: Span Material and Type	B.SP.01	SNBI	Span Configuration Designation	
2.1: Span Material and Type	B.SP.02	SNBI	Number of Spans	NBI 045
2.1: Span Material and Type	B.SP.02	SNBI	Number of Spans	NBI 046
2.1: Span Material and Type	B.SP.03	SNBI	Number of Beam Lines	ODOT 475.01
2.1: Span Material and Type	B.SP.04	SNBI	Span Material	NBI 043A
2.1: Span Material and Type	B.SP.04	SNBI	Span Material	NBI 044A
2.1: Span Material and Type	<i>B.SP.04.01</i>	<i>ODOT</i>	<i>Structural Member Steel Type</i>	<i>ODOT 487</i>
2.1: Span Material and Type	B.SP.05	SNBI	Span Continuity	
2.1: Span Material and Type	B.SP.06	SNBI	Span Type	NBI 043B
2.1: Span Material and Type	B.SP.06	SNBI	Span Type	NBI 044B
2.1: Span Material and Type	B.SP.07	SNBI	Span Protective System	
2.1: Span Material and Type	<i>B.SP.07.01</i>	<i>ODOT</i>	<i>Protective Coating System Type</i>	<i>ODOT 482</i>
2.1: Span Material and Type	<i>B.SP.07.02</i>	<i>ODOT</i>	<i>Protective Coating System Date</i>	<i>ODOT 483</i>
2.1: Span Material and Type	B.SP.08	SNBI	Deck Interaction	ODOT 408
2.1: Span Material and Type	B.SP.09	SNBI	Deck Material and Type	NBI 107
2.1: Span Material and Type	<i>B.SP.09.01</i>	<i>ODOT</i>	<i>Deck Concrete Type</i>	<i>ODOT 411</i>
2.1: Span Material and Type	B.SP.10	SNBI	Wearing Surface	NBI 108A
2.1: Span Material and Type	<i>B.SP.10.01</i>	<i>ODOT</i>	<i>Wearing Surface Description</i>	<i>ODOT 108A.01</i>
2.1: Span Material and Type	<i>B.SP.10.02</i>	<i>ODOT</i>	<i>Wearing Surface Thickness</i>	<i>ODOT 423</i>
2.1: Span Material and Type	<i>B.SP.10.03</i>	<i>ODOT</i>	<i>Wearing Surface Date</i>	<i>ODOT 422</i>
2.1: Span Material and Type	B.SP.11	SNBI	Deck Protective System	NBI 108B
2.1: Span Material and Type	B.SP.12	SNBI	Deck Reinforcing Protective System	NBI 108C
2.1: Span Material and Type	B.SP.13	SNBI	Deck Stay-In-Place Forms	

Steering Committee

- Ohio BIM steering committee was formed to help with rating guidance
- Committee included:
 - ODOT Central Office
 - ODOT District Bridge Engineers
 - County Engineers
 - Municipal Bridge Owners
 - County and Municipal QA Managers
 - FHWA Ohio Bridge Division
 - FHWA Resource Center

Steering Committee Benefits

- Allowed different Ohio users to be involved
- Gave users an opportunity to share their opinions and what they needed from the updated BIM
- Manual team was able to listen and understand from users of the manual what was most important and where additional guidance was needed
- Created a sense of ownership between different jurisdictions for a statewide manual

Steering Committee – Goals

- Development of Condition Ratings
 - SNBI Table 20
 - Feedback: need further guidance
 - Goal was to provided feedback and guidance specific to Ohio and their regions
 - Discussions centered around component and material type
 - Define isolated, some, and widespread
 - Define minor/moderate/major

Steering Committee

- Unintended Benefits
 - Found unknown structures types to us:
 - Lined Culverts (Ohio specific issue)
 - How their teams plan to use the manual
 - Paper copies
 - Condensed version
 - Ability to print out specific sections (i.e., Condition Ratings)



Development of Manual

- TranSystems Role
 - Develop individual chapters in Microsoft Word Documents
 - Provide a compiled manual with links
 - Provide Training to ODOT on how to update and maintain documents

Manual Goals

- User Friendly Manual
 - Simple format
 - Concise
- Links, Links, Links, and more Links!
- Graphics
- Tables
- Ohio specific examples



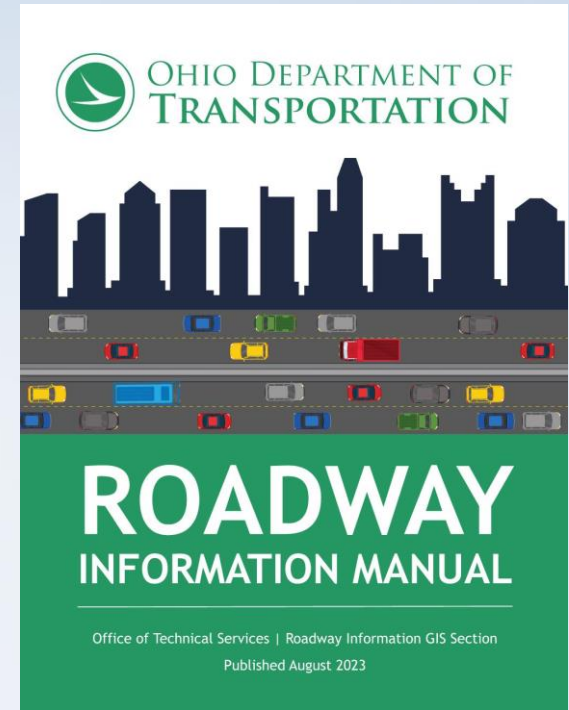
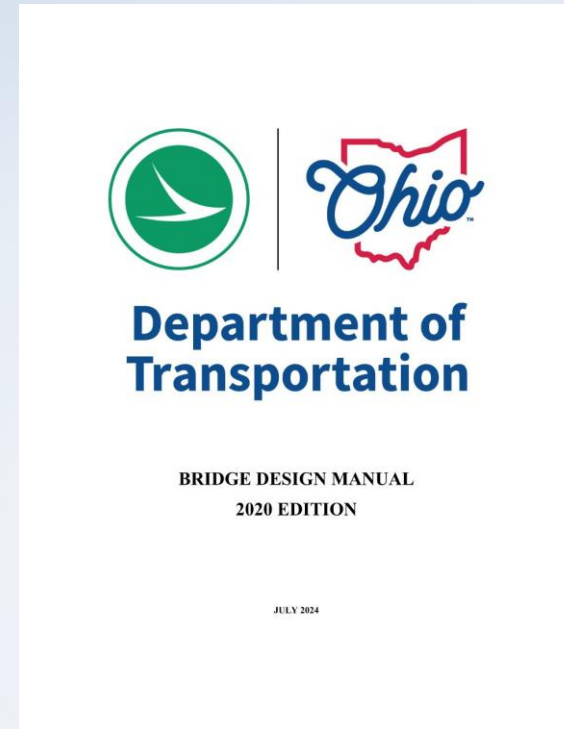
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Bridge Width Out-to-Out - Continued		
Item ID	B.G.05	SNBI
Examples - Continued		
Report measurement A.		
<i>Figure 29. Partial cross-section views of various bridge decks with railings.</i>		
Report measurement A.		
<i>Figure 30. Cross-section view of a sidewalk retrofit.</i>		
Report measurement A.		
<i>Figure 31. Cross-section view of a single roadway over culvert under fill.</i>		
Report measurement A.		
<i>Figure 32. Plan view of a flared bridge with varying roadway width.</i>		

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User Friendly Manual

- Simple format and concise
 - Similar to other ODOT Manuals
 - Roadway Inventory
 - Bridge Design Manual



User Friendly Manual

- Simple format and concise
 - Concise
 - Remove duplicate information
 - Incorporate information in by reference
 - Align with SNBI but provide Ohio directions where applicable
 - Links!



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Structure File Number (SFN)		
Item ID	B.ID.01	SNBI
Frequency	Initial	
Format	Alphanumeric	Max characters: 7
Specification		
Report the unique structure file number (SFN) assigned according to State policy for each bridge meeting the Ohio bridge definition that is fully or partially located within the State's boundaries, Federal agency's responsibility or jurisdiction, or Tribal government's responsibility or jurisdiction; regardless of inspection or financial responsibility.		
Do not change the SFN once it has been assigned and recorded, except for a rare or unusual circumstance that requires a one-time change.		
When an SFN is changed, report the previous SFN under B.ID.03 .		
Report all spans from abutment to abutment as one bridge.		
Commentary		
Each bridge within the State is required to have a unique SFN and be recorded. Once established the SFN should preferably never change for the life of the bridge. For any SFN changes, a complete cross reference of corresponding "old" and "new" numbers must be provided to the FHWA Bridge Division.		
A new and unique SFN should be assigned when a bridge is replaced. When any portion of the existing bridge is retained for rehabilitation or partially replaced, it is preferable to retain the existing SFN (see Chapter 3.1).		
All spans of a superstructure spanning from one abutment to another shall be recorded as one bridge, per the NBIS bridge definition, and not as multiple bridges.		
For mainline bridge and the ramp that connects to the mainline bridge, when the ramp has at least one distinct abutment and is greater than 10 feet in length (per Ohio Revised Code) a separate bridge number shall be reported for each. Separate SFN should be reported for a bridge that divides into two or more separate bridges, or two or more bridges that merge into one single bridge. In both cases, the separating point between bridges should be the closest deck joint, or substructure unit to the separating point, or other logical and reasonable location as determined by the bridge State.		
Any bridge with a closed median, where the area between the two roadways on the bridge is bridged over and can support traffic, should be reported as one SFN. Closed medians may have either mountable or non-mountable curbs or barriers. Separate superstructures with an open median (not meeting the closed median criteria above) sharing a common substructure unit or units should be reported as two unique SFNs.		
Double deck bridges may be reported as one or two bridges. However, all related data items need to be compatible with the method selected.		

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User Friendly Manual

- Tailoring items to Ohio specific options
- Linking new codes to previous NBI codes
- Utilizing current and historic ODOT Construction and Material Standards to link to items in Subsection 2.1 and 2.2



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Metropolitan Planning Organization		
Item ID	B.L.12	SNBI
Frequency	Initial	
Format	Alphanumeric	Max characters: 2
Specification		
Report the name of the Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) in which the bridge is located, regardless of bridge owner or maintenance responsibility.		
Report each MPO when the bridge is located on a boundary between MPOs. Report multiple MPOs separated by pipe () delimiters.		
Report NN if Bridge is not located in an MPO.		
Code	Description	
01	AMATS (Akron)	
02	BHJ (Steubenville)	
03	BOMTS (Wheeling)	
04	Eastgate (Youngstown)	
05	KYOVA (Huntington)	
06	LCATS (Newark)	
07	MORPC (Columbus)	
08	NOACA (Cleveland)	
09	OKI (Cincinnati)	
10	SCATCS (Canton)	
11	MVRPC (Dayton)	
12	LACRPC (Lima)	
13	RCRPC (Mansfield)	
14	CCSTCC (Springfield)	
15	TMACOG (Toledo)	
16	WWW (Parkersburg)	
17	ERPC (Sandusky)	
NN	Not located in MPO	



For a map of current MPO's: <https://www.transportation.ohio.gov/programs/stip/mpo-rtpo-tip-info>

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Tables



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Owner		
Item ID	B.CL.01	SNBI
Frequency	Initial	
Format	Alphanumeric	Max characters: 4
Specification		
Report the agency that has ownership of the bridge using one of the following codes.		
Code	Description	Previous Code
S01	State Highway Agency (ODOT)	01
S02	State Park, Forest, or Reservation Agency (ODNR)	11
S03	State Toll Agency (OTP)	31
SX	Other State Agencies	21
L01	County Highway Agency	02
L02	Town or Township Highway Agency	03
L03	City or Municipal Highway Agency	04
L04	Local Park, Forest, or Reservation Agency	12
L05	Local Toll Agency	32
LX	Other Local Agencies	25
F04	National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)	75
FX	Other Federal Agency	60
FL01	Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA)	62
FL02	Bureau of Land Management	68
FL03	Bureau of Reclamation	69
FL04	U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS)	63
FL05	National Park Service	66
FL06	U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE)	70/71
FL07	U.S. Forest Service (USFS)	64
I	Indian Tribal Government	61
D01	Air Force	72
D02	Army	74
D03	Navy/Marines	73
T	Transit Agency/Authority	-
P	Private (other than railroad)	26
R	Railroad	27
U	Unknown	80
X	Other	-

B.SP.10 - Wearing Surface

ODOT Wearing Surface Descriptions		
Code	Description	ODOT Description
B01	Bituminous (asphalt)	Asphalt
		Chip and Seal
*C01	Concrete - monolithic	Monolithic Concrete (concurrently placed with structural deck)
C02	Concrete - unmodified	Not used under ODOT standards
**C03	Concrete - latex modified	Latex Concrete or similar additive
**C04	Concrete - low slump	Low Slump Concrete
***C05	Concrete - fiber reinforced	Macro-Fibers (District 8)
**C06	Concrete - microsilica	Micro-silica Modified Concrete - Overlay
C07	Concrete - polyester	N/a
CX	Concrete - other	Superplasticized Dense Concrete (SDC)
		Ultra high performance concrete (UHPC)
CU	Concrete - unknown	
<i>C01-CX are all Portland cement based with admixtures</i>		
**P01	Polymer - epoxy	Epoxy Overlay
***P02	Polymer - polyester	Polyester
PX	Polymer - other	
<i>P01-P02 are polymerized cements</i>		

*1995-Present ODOT standard on new bridges

** Current ODOT standard overlays

*** Utilized in District 8 (not statewide specification)

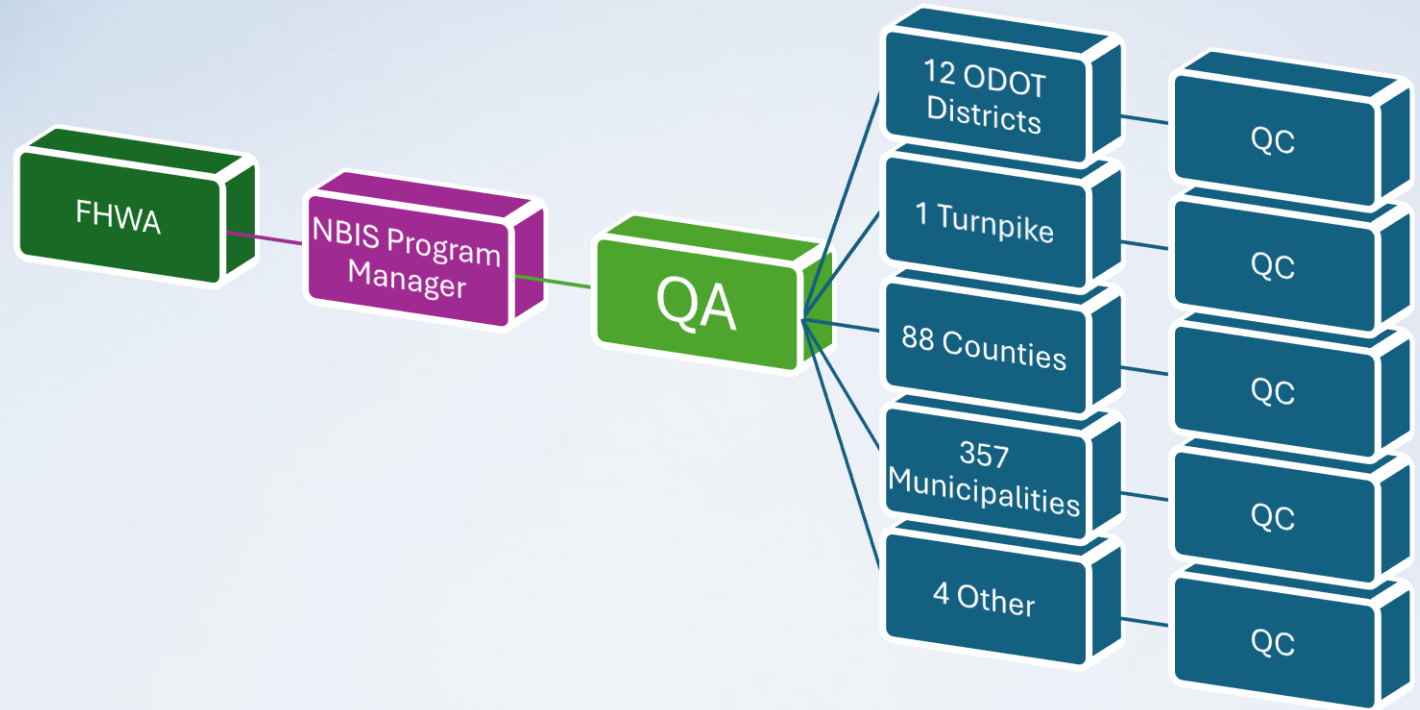
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B.SP.07 - Span Protective System - Coding Assistance		
Prestressed Concrete Members		
Year of Construction	Code	Description
Prior to 1997	0	None
1997-2007	A04	Admixture - corrosion inhibitor
2008-Present	A02	Admixture - low permeability

B.SP.12 - Deck Reinforcing Protective System		
Years	Code	Description
Prior to 1974.	0	None
1975 to 2019	C01	Coating - epoxy coated
2020 to Present	C01	Coating - epoxy coated
	C02	Coating - galvanized
	R01	Reinforcing - stainless, solid
	R03	Reinforcing - high chromium
	R06	Reinforcing - FRP, glass fiber

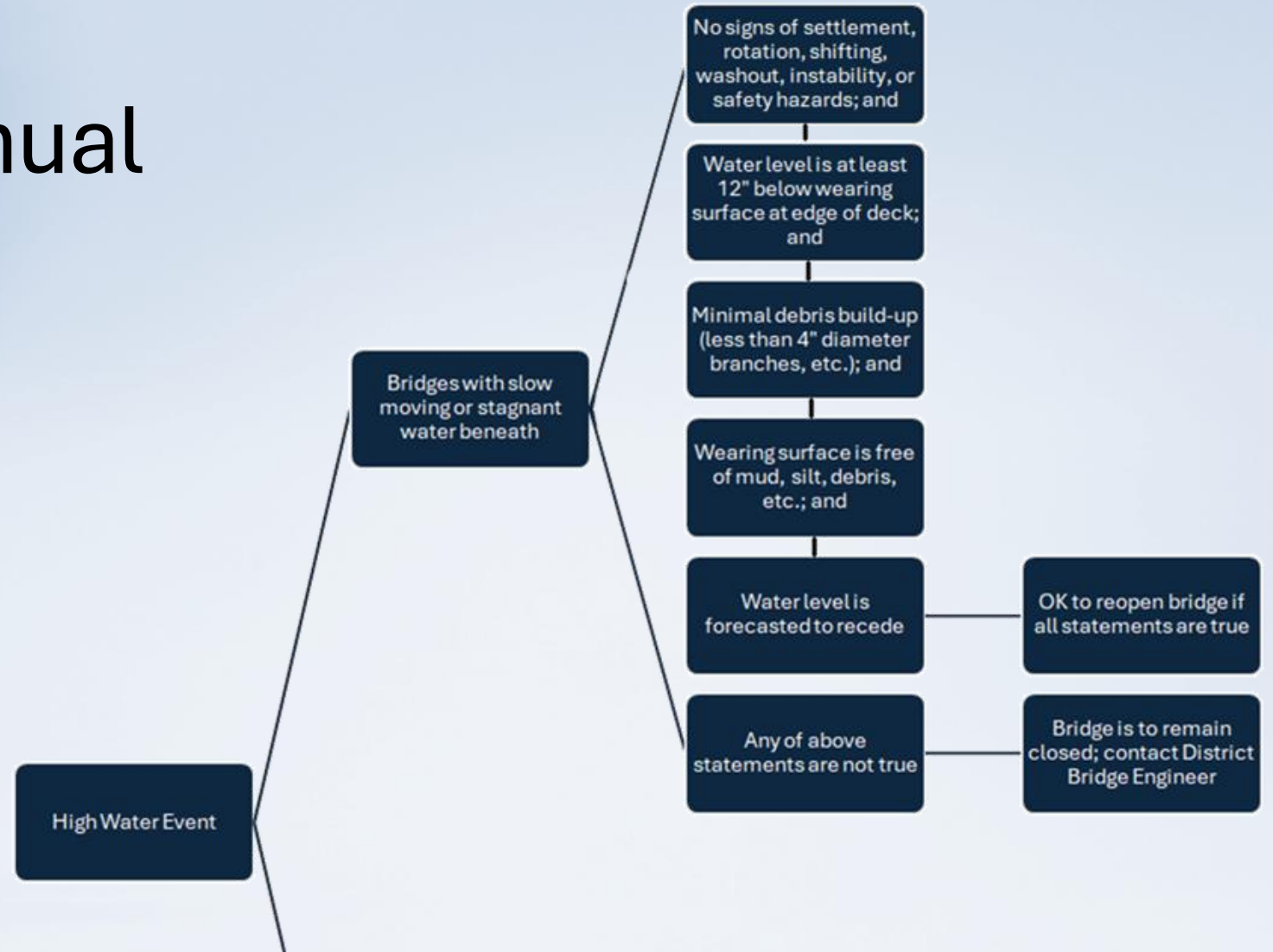
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Condition Ratings and Examples

- Provide additional guidance over SNBI Table 20

Table 20. Codes and descriptions for component condition ratings.

Code	Condition	Description
N	NOT APPLICABLE	Component does not exist.
9	EXCELLENT	Isolated inherent defects.
8	VERY GOOD	Some inherent defects.
7	GOOD	Some minor defects.
6	SATISFACTORY	Widespread minor or isolated moderate defects.
5	FAIR	Some moderate defects; strength and performance of the component are not affected.
4	POOR	Widespread moderate or isolated major defects; strength and/or performance of the component is affected.
3	SERIOUS	Major defects; strength and/or performance of the component is seriously affected. Condition typically necessitates more frequent monitoring, load restrictions, and/or corrective actions.
2	CRITICAL	Major defects; component is severely compromised. Condition typically necessitates frequent monitoring, significant load restrictions, and/or corrective actions in order to keep the bridge open.
1	IMMINENT FAILURE	Bridge is closed to traffic due to component condition. Repair or rehabilitation may return the bridge to service.
0	FAILED	Bridge is closed due to component condition, and is beyond corrective action. Replacement is required to restore service.

Deck Condition Rating		
Item ID	B.C.01	SNBI
Frequency	Each Inspection	
Format	Alphanumeric	Max digits: 1
Specification		
Report the deck condition rating using one of the codes in the following tables.		
Report N when Items B.SP.09 (<i>Deck Material and Type</i>) is 0.		
Condition Rating – Reinforced Concrete		
Condition	Guidelines	
GOOD	9 Excellent	Isolated inherent defects such construction or fabrication defects or inherent cracks.
	8 Very Good	Some inherent defects as noted in Condition Rating 9 (Excellent).
	7 Good	Some minor defects such as delaminations, small spalls, sound patches, exposed reinforcement with no section loss, unsealed medium width cracks, or leaching.
FAIR	6 Satisfactory	Widespread minor as noted in Condition Rating 7 (Good) or isolated moderate defects such as spalls, unsound patches, exposed reinforcement with section loss, wide cracks, loose coarse aggregate, heavy efflorescence, or rust staining.
	5 Fair	Some moderate defects as noted in Condition Rating 6 (satisfactory); strength and performance of the deck are not affected.
POOR	4 Poor	Widespread moderate or isolated major defects; strength and/or performance of the deck is affected.
	3 Serious	Major defects; strength and/or performance of the deck is seriously affected. Condition typically necessitates more frequent monitoring, load restrictions, and/or corrective actions.
	2 Critical	Major defects; deck is severely compromised. Condition typically necessitates frequent monitoring, significant load restrictions, and/or corrective actions to keep the bridge open.
	1 Imminent Failure	Bridge is closed to traffic due to deck condition. Repair or rehabilitation may return the bridge to service.
0 Failed	Bridge is closed due to deck condition, and is beyond corrective action. Replacement is required to restore service.	
N	Not Applicable	Use for culverts, roadway tunnels, or filled spandrel arch bridges

Condition Ratings and Examples


Deck Condition Rating (cont.)			
Item ID	B.C.01		SNBI
Condition Rating – Reinforced Concrete			
Defect	Minor	Moderate	Major
Delamination/ Spall/ Patched Area	Delamination, small spall, or patched area that is sound. (Up to 1%)	Large spall or patched area that is unsound or showing distress. (Up to 10%)	Full depth spalls; widespread edge of deck spalls/delaminations which is encroaching into the travel way; . Spalls Delaminations >10%.
Exposed Rebar	Present without measurable section loss.	Present with measurable section loss but does not warrant structural review.	Debonded from concrete in multiple locations; multiple locations present with measurable section loss.
Cracking	Unsealed medium width cracks or unsealed medium pattern (map) cracking.	Wide cracks or heavy pattern (map) cracking.	
Efflorescence/ Rust Staining	Surface white or leaching with little or no build-up. No rust staining present.	Rust staining or heavy build-up of efflorescence.	Extensive or heavy leaching or rust staining.
Abrasion/ Wear	Exposed coarse aggregate, but the aggregate remains secure in the concrete.	Coarse aggregate is loose or has popped out of the concrete matrix.	
Distortion/ alignment	Has been mitigated or does not require mitigation.	Requires mitigation but has not been addressed.	
Deterioration of Metal SIP Forms	Corrosion and or section loss (no holes)	Corrosion holes through SIP forms; leaching of deck.	

Bridge Joints Condition Rating (cont.)		
Item ID	B.C.08	SNBI
Commentary		
<p>This item addresses the condition of all types and shapes of bridge deck joints. The condition assessment includes all aspects of the joints such as any seals, headers (metal or concrete), connections, and other metal members.</p> <p>When a joint is designed as an open joint, leakage or lack of a seal is not considered a defect.</p> <p>Do not consider the condition of protective coatings and other protection systems when determining the condition rating code for this item, except to the extent that problems with the protective coating system are indicative of problems with the underlying joint material.</p> <p>In cases where the joint is not visible, the condition can be assessed based on other indirect indicators of the condition.</p>		

Condition Rating Examples





Reinforced Concrete Deck - Condition Rating 6 - Example

This section includes an example of a reinforced concrete deck with a component condition rating (Item B.C.01 – Deck Condition Rating) of 6 – Satisfactory.

Deck Condition Rating - 6 (Satisfactory)		
Item ID	B.C.01	SNBI
Example		
A three-span continuous reinforced concrete slab structure exhibits the following conditions:		
 <p>Photo 1 – Typical wearing surface (Item B.C.01.01 – 7 (Good))</p>	<p>Span 1 Findings:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Span 1 with the centerline of the slab exhibiting moderate water staining, moderate efflorescence, areas of minor rust staining, and a spall 15'L x 24"W x up to 2"D with exposed reinforcement in the rear half (150 SF).  <p>Photo 2 – Underside of deck in Span 1 with medium width cracks, minor efflorescence, isolated saturation, and a spall with exposed reinforcement</p>	
<p>Span 2 Findings:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Full length longitudinal minor (<1/32" wide) cracks with light efflorescence typically spaced at 5' - 10' with isolated delaminations up to 24"L x 6"W  <p>Photo 3 – Underside of deck in Span 2 with typical minor longitudinal cracks</p>	<p>Span 3 Findings:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The center 30' in Span 3 is delaminated and spalled up to 2"D with exposed reinforcement for the forward end 24"L (60 SF).  <p>Photo 4 – Isolated spall with exposed reinforcement at the interface with the Forward Abutment</p>	
Based on the presented findings, Report 6 (Satisfactory) for Item B.C.01 – Deck Condition Rating.		

Reinforced Concrete Deck - Condition Rating 4 - Example

This section includes an example of a reinforced concrete deck with a component condition rating (Item B.C.01 – Deck Condition Rating) of 4 – Poor.

Deck Condition Rating - 4 (Poor)		
Item ID	B.C.01	SNBI
Example		
A three-span reinforced concrete slab with a monolithic wearing surface exhibits the following conditions:		Span 1 Findings:
 <p>Photo 1 – Typical wearing surface (Item B.C.01.01 – 7 (Good))</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 24 square feet spall near pier 1 with 360 degree rebar exposure. 184 square feet of areas that are spalled with rebar exposed and areas cracked and delaminated with rust stains.  <p>Photo 2 – Typical spall with exposed reinforcement in Span 1</p>	
Span 2 Findings:		Span 3 Findings:
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 256 square feet of spalls with 360 degree rebar exposure or severe section loss to steel. 68 square feet of spall with rebar exposed. Remaining portions of the slab in Span 1 and 2 with cracks at every location at the longitudinal bars, 1,046 square feet.  <p>Photo 3 – Underside of slab with spalls surrounded by isolated wide cracks and delaminations</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 30 square feet of spalled area and areas that are cracked, delaminated, and loose. 72 square feet of dark and discolored area at centerline. 72 square feet of areas with longitudinal cracks.  <p>Photo 4 – Underside of slab with widespread moderate to heavy rust staining and efflorescence near spalls</p>
Based on the presented defects and findings, Report 4 (Poor) for Item B.C.01 – Deck Condition Rating.		

Implementation Plan

- New inspection and inventory manual to be a one stop shop for SNBI/OBI and bridge management
- Statewide webinar on manual once released
- Statewide training for SNBI specific sections
 - Section 4 Features
 - Section 5 Load Rating
- TranSystems to train ODOT staff on how to update manual as necessary

Thank You

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