

*Asphalt
Pavement
Evaluation
and
Preservation*

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**FLEXIBLE PAVEMENT
PRESERVATION**

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*Introduction***Rehabilitation**

- **Traffic loads / volumes**
- **Aging pavement system**
- **Limited financial resources**

Need for training in rehabilitation

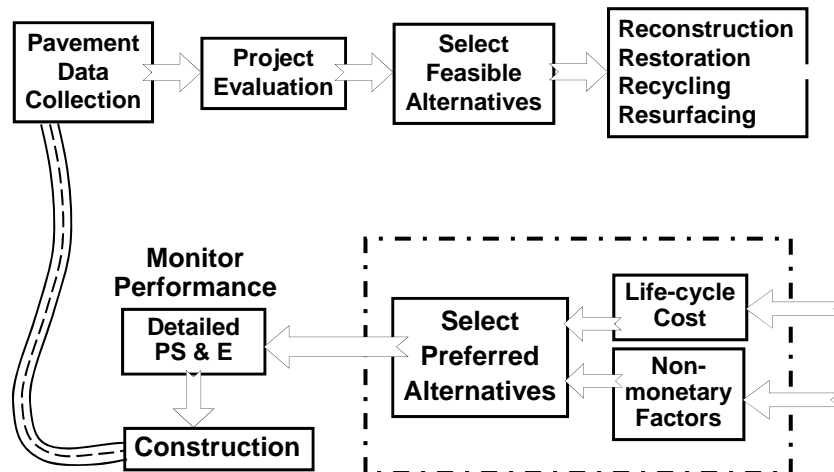
- **More difficult than new design**
- **Technology advancing rapidly**

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- 1: Introduction & data inventory**
- 2: Pavement Condition Surveys**
- 3: Project Evaluation**
- 4: Maintenance Techniques**
- 5: Surface Rehabilitation**
- 6: Hot-Mix Asphalt Overlays**

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Steps in the Preservation Process



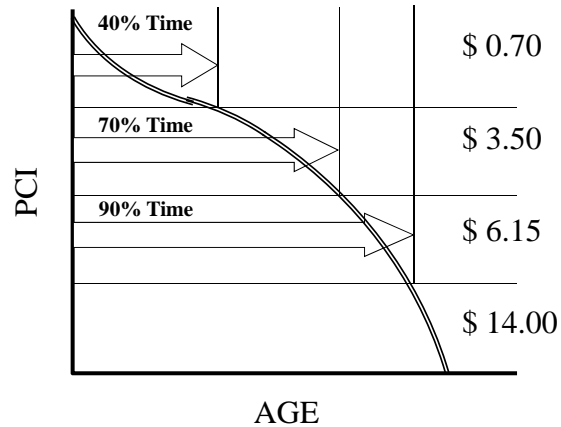
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Importance of Pavements

- Pavements deteriorate with time
- Utah study
- Good roads cost less
 - If maintained at a reasonable level of service
 - If responsive to preventive maintenance

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Effect of Treatment Timing on Costs



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1990 AASHTO Guidelines for PMS

“ A Pavement Management System is designated to provide objective information and useful data for analysis so that highway managers can make consistent, cost-effective, and defensible decisions related to the preservation of a pavement network”

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Four Activities

- *Inventory*
 - **Construction, maintenance and rehabilitation history**
 - **Traffic**
- *Pavement condition survey*
- *Project prioritization*
- *Budget development*

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Condition Survey

- *Combines the pavement distress data into a score or index*
- *Represents overall pavement condition*
 - *Describes system condition*
 - *Uses priority ranking scheme*
 - *Uses decision tree approach as primary criteria to select project, timing and treatments*

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Condition Survey Outputs

- *Ranking of pavement segments by condition index*
- *Identification of MR&R strategies and timing for individual pavement segments*
- *Estimate of funding needs for selected treatments*

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Prioritization

- *Prioritized listing of projects requiring action*
- *Costs for MR&R treatments*
- *Funding needs to meet desired network condition*
- *Single-year and multi-year programs with segments treatment timing and cost identified*

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Budget

- *Provide an estimate of budget requirements*
- *At prescribed levels of performance*
- *Primary objective is to provide information for specific pavement segments:*
 - *Preferred MR&R for each project*
 - *MR&R costs*
 - *Expected MR&R performance*

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Inventory Plan

- *Inventory process is foundation of a PMS*
- *Data must be:*
 - *Relevant*
 - *Reliable*
 - *Cost effective to collective*
 - *Cost effective to maintain*

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Inventory Plan Factors

- ⇒ **What decisions are to be made ?**
- ⇒ **What data is necessary to make decisions ?**
- ⇒ **Size of pavement network**
- ⇒ **Type and characteristics of agency**

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- ⇒ **Type and cost of data acquisition and processing**
- ⇒ **Required accuracy of data**
- ⇒ **Required frequency of data collection**
- ⇒ **Database capabilities**

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Two Important Rules

*Collect only the data
you need !*

*Collect the data only
when you need it !*

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Typical Data Element

Pavement

- *Location*
- *Geometry*
- *Pavement Structure & History*
- *Traffic*

Pavement Condition

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Additional Data Elements

Drainage information

*Geographical / environmental
classification*

Proposed work / work-in-progress

Other information

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Defining Sections

*The length or size of sections
will determine volume of data
to be collected*

Large sections

Small sections

Section requirements

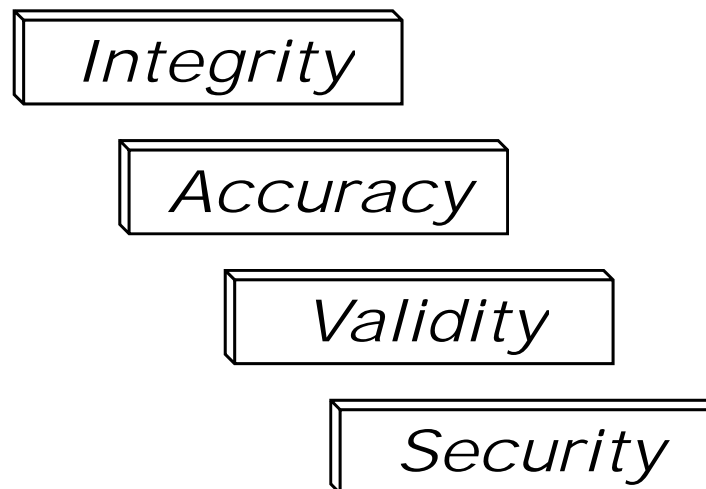
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Homogeneous Sections

- **Change in pavement type**
- **Change in pavement structure**
- **Change in traffic**
- **Boundary between previous construction**
- **Change in subgrade**
- **Geographical or political boundaries**
- **Change in pavement condition**

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Quality Control of Data



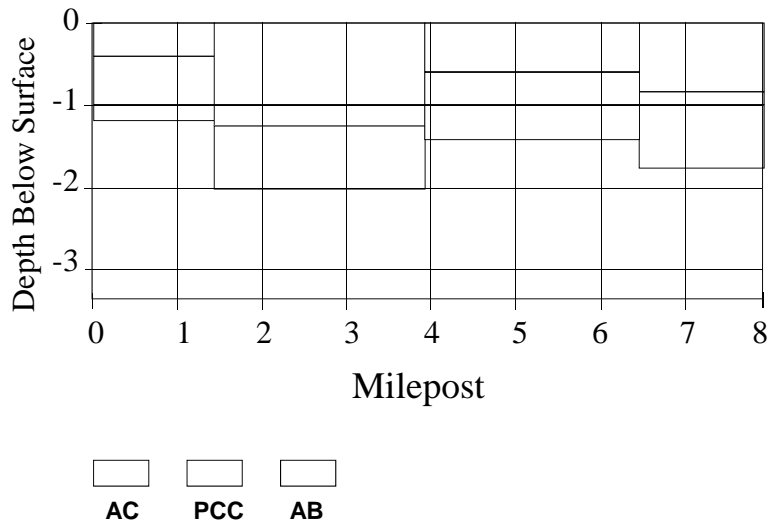
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Strip Maps

- Profiles of inventory data
- Requires a well developed linear referencing system
- Must be able to perform dynamic segment segmentation
- Common uses
 - traffic data
 - pavement structure
 - section boundaries

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Pavement Structure Strip Map



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*Coffee
Break*



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