

Loss of Stability test

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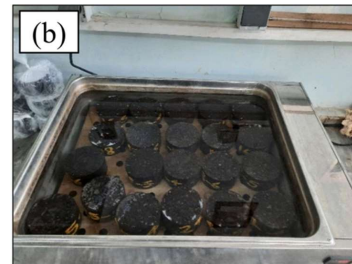
Specimen Sets Loss of Stability test

1. Set 1: 30-Minute Water Conditioning

- *Immerse specimens in water at 60 °C for 30 minutes.*
- *After 30 minutes, test the stability of the water-conditioned specimens.*

2. Set 1: 24-hour Water Conditioning

- *Immerse specimens in water at 60 °C for 24 hour minutes.*
- *After 24 hour minutes, test the stability of the water-conditioned specimens*



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Calculation:

- ❑ The **Loss of Stability** is determined by comparing the stability values of the 30 min and 24 hour and unconditioned samples, likely using the formula:

$$\text{Loss of Stability (\%)} = \frac{\text{Stability (30 min)} - \text{Stability (24 hour)}}{\text{Stability (30 min)}} \times 100$$

Where:

- **Stability (30 min)** is the stability value after 30 minutes of water conditioning.
- **Stability (24 hour)** is the stability value after 24 hours of water conditioning.



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Specimen Sets in Index of Retained Strength: Sets

❑ Set 1: Dry Specimens

- *These specimens are tested in their original, unconditioned state (dry condition).*
- *They represent the baseline (control) group for the test.*
- *Compressive strength is measured and recorded as S1.*

❑ Set 2: Immersed Specimens

- *These specimens are immersed in water at a specified temperature (e.g., 60 °C) for a specified time (e.g., 24 hours).*
- *After immersion, the compressive strength is measured and recorded as S2*

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Index of retained strength (AASHTO T 165-86)

Effect of Water on Cohesion of Compacted Bituminous Mixtures

$$\text{Index of Retained Strength (IRS, \%)} = \frac{\text{Strength of Immersed Specimen (S}_2\text{)}}{\text{Strength of Dry Specimen (S}_1\text{)}} \times 100$$

Where:

- S_1 = Compressive strength of the dry specimens (unconditioned, Group 1).
- S_2 = Compressive strength of the immersed specimens (water-conditioned, Group 2).

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Marshall stiffness test

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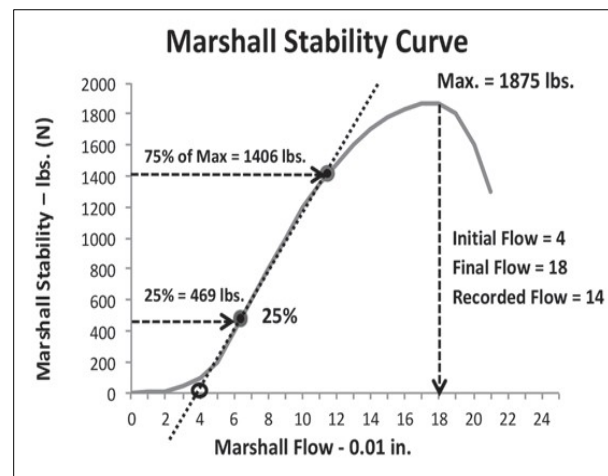
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Stiffness

$$\text{Marshall Stiffness} = \frac{\text{stability}}{\text{flow}}$$

$$\text{Marshall Stiffness} = \frac{850 \text{ kg}}{4.5 \text{ mm}} = 188 \text{ kg/mm}$$



$$\text{Stability} = 1875 \text{ lbs} = 8340 \text{ N} = 850. \text{ Kg}$$

$$\text{flow} = 18 \text{ 0.01in} = 18 \text{ 0.25mm} = 4.5 \text{ mm}$$

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