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16. Abstract

This project designed and crash tested a transition design for the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) T131RC Bridge Rail that would meet the strength and safety performance criteria for Test Level 3 of American Association of State Highway Official's (AASHTO) Manual for Assessing Safety Hardware (*MASH*).

The TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition contained and redirected the 1100C vehicle. The vehicle did not penetrate, underride, or override the installation. Maximum dynamic rail deflection was 7.4 inches. No detached elements, fragments, or other debris were present to penetrate or to show potential for penetrating the occupant compartment, or to present hazard to others. Maximum occupant compartment deformation was 2.5 inches in the left door at occupant hip height. The 1100C vehicle remained upright during and after the collision event. Occupant risk factors were within the limits specified in *MASH*. The 1100C crossed the exit box within the limits specified in *MASH*.

The TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition contained and redirected the 2270P vehicle. The vehicle did not penetrate, underride, or override the installation. Maximum dynamic deflection during the test was 8.4 inches. No detached elements, fragments, or other debris were present to penetrate or to show potential for penetrating the occupant compartment, or to present hazard to others. Maximum occupant compartment deformation was 0.25 inch in the left door at occupant hip height. The 2270P vehicle remained upright during and after the collision event. Occupant risk factors were within the limits specified in *MASH*. The 22270P vehicle crossed the exit box within the limits specified in *MASH*. The TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition performed acceptably as a *MASH* TL-3 transition.

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### **CHAPTER 1. INTRODUCTION**

#### **1.1 INTRODUCTION**

This project was set up to provide the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) with a mechanism to quickly and effectively evaluate high-priority issues related to roadside safety devices. Roadside safety devices shield motorists from roadside hazards such as non-traversable terrain and fixed objects. To maintain the desired level of safety for the motoring public, these safety devices must be designed to accommodate a variety of site conditions, placement locations, and a changing vehicle fleet. Periodically, there is a need to assess the compliance of existing safety devices with current vehicle testing criteria and develop new devices that address identified needs.

Under this project, roadside safety issues are identified and prioritized for investigation. Each roadside safety issue is addressed with a separate work plan, and the results are summarized in individual test reports.

#### **1.2 BACKGROUND**

The TxDOT Type T101RC Bridge Rail has been widely used as a retrofit for obsolete bridge rails mounted on a deck curb. The T101RC was 27 inches in height and anchored to the curb using four adhesive anchors. The height of the posts and the number of bridge rail elements varied depending on the height of the concrete curb. Based on unsatisfactory crash test performance of rail designs of similar height, TxDOT decided to develop a new retrofit bridge rail system that meets the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO) *Manual for Assessing Safety Hardware (MASH)* (1). This new bridge rail system, known as the TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail, was successfully crash tested in according with *MASH* Test Level 3 (TL-3) and was recommended for implementation on new or retrofit railing applications (2). The implementation of this new bridge rail created a need to develop a transition from standard guardrail to the TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail.

#### 1.3 OBJECTIVES/SCOPE OF RESEARCH

This project developed a transition for connecting a 31-inch tall W-beam guardrail to the TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail. The transition was required to meet the impact performance criteria for *MASH* TL-3.

### **CHAPTER 2. SYSTEM DETAILS**

#### 2.1 TEST ARTICLE DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION

The TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition consists of a two nested 12 gage three beam sections supported by six W6×8.5 posts spaced at  $37\frac{1}{2}$  inches on centers. The nested three beams connect to a 10 gage asymmetric transition piece on the upstream end. This asymmetric transition section was connected to approximately 56 ft-3 inches of W-beam guardrail with an ET anchor terminal. The nested three beam transition was connected to a 10 gage end shoe on the downstream end. This end shoe was anchored to the end of the T131RC Bridge Rail. The overall length of the test installation was approximately 79 ft-6<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> inches.

The height to the top of the W-beam guardrail and transition was 31 inches above finished grade. The end shoe rail of the nested thrie beam sections were attached to the traffic face of the HSS6×6×1/4 tubes used for the T131RC Bridge Rail. Two steel fill blocks were located between the HSS6×6×1/4 tubes and were attached to the T131RC Bridge Rail tubes using two <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>-inch diameter × 20 inches long bolts. These fill blocks were mounted flush to the HSS6×6×<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> tubes in the bridge rail. The fill blocks were fabricated using HSS6×6×<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> tubes and were tapered on the exposed end in the installation. The thrie beam transition end shoe was attached to the end of the T131RC Bridge Rail using three  $\frac{7}{8}$ -inch diameter A325 bolts. The thrie beam end shoe was anchored to the end of the rail and fill blocks near the W6×15 anchor post in the concrete curb. This anchor post was anchored within a 12-inch diameter by 30-inch deep concrete footing. This post and footing was constructed within an 80-inch long concrete curb constructed on the end of the T131RC Bridge Rail test installation.

Texas A&M Transportation Institute (TTI) Proving Ground personnel constructed 80 inches of concrete curb for this project. This concrete curb was 12 inches wide and 11 inches high and closely matched the traffic side face of the concrete curb used for the T131RC Bridge Rail. The concrete curb extended approximately 62 inches from the end of the T131RC Bridge Rail curb and tapered 6 inches back from the traffic side over a distance of 18 inches. The width of the curb was 6 inches at the end. The curb was 11 inches in height above grade and 12 inches below grade. A W6×15 end anchor post was located 60 inches from the centerline of the last T131RC Bridge Rail post located on the bridge rail test installation. This anchor post was cast within a 12-inch diameter by 30-inch deep unreinforced concrete footing. This footing was cast monolithically with the concrete curb. The concrete transition curb was not anchored to the concrete curb or deck for the T131RC Bridge Rail installation. Reinforcement in the concrete curb and footing consisted of #3 "U" shaped stirrups spaced approximately 10 inches on centers. Six #3 longitudinal bars were located within these stirrups. Concrete for the concrete curb and footing was specified to be 3600 psi.

Figure 2.1 gives overall details of the TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition, and a complete set of drawings can be found in Appendix A. Figure 2.2 shows photographs of the completed installation prior to testing.



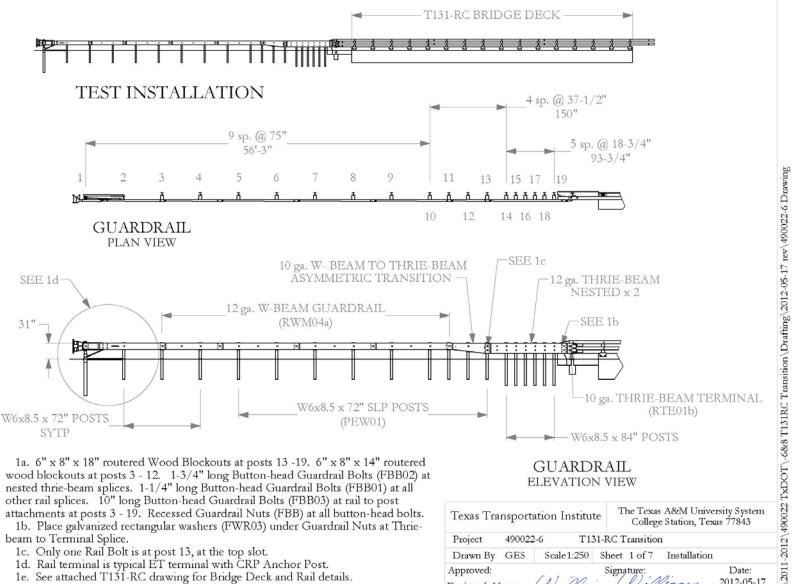


Figure 2.1. Details of the TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition Installation.

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Figure 2.2. TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition before Testing.

#### 2.2 MATERIAL SPECIFICATIONS

The fill blocks were fabricated using  $HSS6 \times 6 \times \frac{1}{4}$  A500 Grade B material with welded A36 plate. All tubular rail elements were fabricated using  $HSS6 \times 6 \times \frac{1}{4}$  A500 Grade B material. All reinforcing steel was specified to be ASTM A615 grade 60 material. All hex head bolts connecting the end shoe to the T131RC bridge rail were specified to be A325 structural bolts. All other bolts (button head bolts) used in the installation were A307 grade. Appendix B provides the material certification documents.

Concrete for the concrete curb and footing was specified to be 3600 psi. Compressive strength on the concrete used to construct the curb was measured at 4038 psi on the day of test no. 490022-6 (7 days of age). Compressive strength of the concrete on the day of test no. 490022-8 (11 days of age) was measured at 4436 psi.

#### 2.3 SOIL CONDITIONS

In accordance with Appendix B of *MASH*, soil strength was measured on the day of each crash test. During installation of the TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition, two standard W6×16 posts were installed in the immediate vicinity of the transition, utilizing the same fill materials and installation procedures followed for the guardrail system and used in the reference tests (see Appendix C, Figure C1).

As the reference tests in Appendix C, Figure C1 show, the minimum post loads required for deflections at 5 inches, 10 inches, and 15 inches, measured at a height of 25 inches, are 3940 lb, 5500 lb, and 6540 lb, respectively (90 percent of static load for the initial standard installation).

On the day of test 490022-6, May 25, 2012, load on the test post at deflections of 5 inches, 10 inches, and 15 inches was 8969 lbf, 9575 lbf, and 9181 lbf, respectively. The strength of the backfill material met minimum requirements (see Appendix C, Figure C2).

On the day of test 490022-8, June 29, 2012, load on the test post at deflections of 5 inches, 10 inches, and 15 inches was 7667 lbf, 7636 lbf, and 7333 lbf, respectively. The strength of the backfill material met minimum requirements.

### **CHAPTER 3. TEST REQUIREMENTS AND EVALUATION CRITERIA**

### 3.1 CRASH TEST MATRIX

According to *MASH*, two tests are recommended to evaluate bridge rail transitions to test level three (TL-3).

*MASH* Test Designation 3-20: A 2425-lb vehicle impacting the critical impact point (CIP) of the transition at a nominal impact speed and angle of 62 mi/h and 25 degrees, respectively. This test investigates a barrier's ability to successfully contain and redirect a small passenger vehicle.

*MASH* Test Designation 3-21: A 5000-lb pickup truck impacting the CIP of the transition at a nominal impact speed and angle of 62 mi/h and 25 degrees, respectively. This test investigates a barrier's ability to successfully contain and redirect light trucks and sport utility vehicles.

*MASH* test 3-20 for a transition section is an optional test to evaluate the occupant risk and post-impact trajectory criteria for all test levels. This test should be conducted if there is reasonable uncertainty regarding the impact performance of the system for impacts with small passenger vehicle. Due to the geometry of the transition design and certain structural components in the transition area, namely the curb, the research team decided that this test was necessary to evaluate the crash performance of the new transition design.

Procedures in *MASH* section 2.3.2.1 were used by the research team to calculate the CIP for each test. The target CIP for *MASH* test 3-20 with the small car was 5.0 ft upstream of centerline of anchor post in concrete curb (post 20). The target CIP for *MASH* test 3-21 with the pickup was 6.8 ft upstream of centerline of anchor post in concrete curb (post 20).

The crash test and data analysis procedures were in accordance with guidelines presented in *MASH*. Chapter 4 presents brief descriptions of these procedures.

### 3.2 EVALUATION CRITERIA

The crash test was evaluated in accordance with the criteria presented in *MASH*. The performance of the TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition is judged on the basis of three factors: structural adequacy, occupant risk, and post impact vehicle trajectory. Structural adequacy is judged upon the ability of the TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition to contain and redirect the vehicle, or bring the vehicle to a controlled stop in a predictable manner. Occupant risk criteria evaluate the potential risk of hazard to occupants in the impacting vehicle, and, to some extent, other traffic, pedestrians, or workers in construction zones, if applicable. Post-impact vehicle trajectory is assessed to determine potential for secondary impact with other vehicles or fixed objects, creating further risk of injury to occupants of the impacting vehicle and/or risk of injury to occupants in other vehicles. The appropriate safety evaluation criteria

from Table 5-1 of *MASH* were used to evaluate the crash test reported here and are listed in further detail under the assessment of the crash test.

### **CHAPTER 4. CRASH TEST PROCEDURES**

#### 4.1 TEST FACILITY

The full-scale crash tests reported herein were performed at Texas A&M Transportation Institute (TTI) Proving Ground, an International Standards Organization (ISO) 17025 accredited laboratory with American Association for Laboratory Accreditation (A2LA) Mechanical Testing certificate 2821.01. The full-scale crash test was performed according to TTI Proving Ground quality procedures and according to the *MASH* guidelines and standards.

The TTI Proving Ground is a 2000-acre complex of research and training facilities located 10 miles northwest of the main campus of Texas A&M University. The site, formerly an Air Force base, has large expanses of concrete runways and parking aprons well-suited for experimental research and testing in the areas of vehicle performance and handling, vehicleroadway interaction, durability and efficacy of highway pavements, and safety evaluation of roadside safety hardware. The site selected for construction and testing of the TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition evaluated under this project was along the edge of an out-of-service apron. The apron consists of an unreinforced jointed-concrete pavement in 12.5 ft  $\times$  15 ft blocks nominally 6 inches deep. The apron is over 60 years old, and the joints have some displacement, but are otherwise flat and level.

#### 4.2 VEHICLE TOW AND GUIDANCE PROCEDURES

Each test vehicle was towed into the test installation using a steel cable guidance and reverse tow system. A steel cable for guiding the test vehicle was tensioned along the path, anchored at each end, and threaded through an attachment to the front wheel of the test vehicle. An additional steel cable was connected to the test vehicle, passed around a pulley near the impact point, through a pulley on the tow vehicle, and then anchored to the ground such that the tow vehicle moved away from the test site. A two-to-one speed ratio between the test and tow vehicle existed with this system. Just prior to impact with the installation, the test vehicle was released to be unrestrained. The vehicle remained free-wheeling (i.e., no steering or braking inputs) until it cleared the immediate area of the test site, after which the brakes were activated to bring it to a safe and controlled stop.

#### 4.3 DATA ACQUISITION SYSTEMS

#### 4.3.1 Vehicle Instrumentation and Data Processing

Each test vehicle was instrumented with a self-contained, on-board data acquisition system. The signal conditioning and acquisition system is a 16-channel, Tiny Data Acquisition System (TDAS) Pro produced by Diversified Technical Systems, Inc. The accelerometers, that measure the x, y, and z axis of vehicle acceleration, are strain gauge type with linear millivolt output proportional to acceleration. Angular rate sensors, measuring vehicle roll, pitch, and yaw rates, are ultra-small size, solid state units designs for crash test service. The TDAS Pro hardware and software conform to the latest SAE J211, Instrumentation for Impact Test. Each of

the 16 channels is capable of providing precision amplification, scaling, and filtering based on transducer specifications and calibrations. During the test, data are recorded from each channel at a rate of 10,000 values per second with a resolution of one part in 65,536. Once recorded, the data are backed up inside the unit by internal batteries should the primary battery cable be severed. Initial contact of the pressure switch on the vehicle bumper provides a time zero mark as well as initiating the recording process. After each test, the data are downloaded from the TDAS Pro unit into a laptop computer at the test site. The raw data are then processed by the Test Risk Assessment Program (TRAP) software to produce detailed reports of the test results. Each of the TDAS Pro units are returned to the factory annually for complete recalibration. Accelerometers and rate transducers are also calibrated annually with traceability to the National Institute for Standards and Technology. Acceleration data are measured with an expanded uncertainty of  $\pm 1.7$  percent at a confidence factor of 95 percent (k=2).

TRAP uses the data from the TDAS Pro to compute occupant/compartment impact velocities, time of occupant/compartment impact after vehicle impact, and the highest 10-millisecond (ms) average ridedown acceleration. TRAP calculates change in vehicle velocity at the end of a given impulse period. In addition, maximum average accelerations over 50-ms intervals in each of the three directions are computed. For reporting purposes, the data from the vehicle-mounted accelerometers are filtered with a 60-Hz digital filter, and acceleration versus time curves for the longitudinal, lateral, and vertical directions are plotted using TRAP.

TRAP uses the data from the yaw, pitch, and roll rate transducers to compute angular displacement in degrees at 0.0001-s intervals and then plots yaw, pitch, and roll versus time. These displacements are in reference to the vehicle-fixed coordinate system with the initial position and orientation of the vehicle-fixed coordinate systems being initial impact. Rate of rotation data is measured with an expanded uncertainty of  $\pm 0.7$  percent at a confidence factor of 95 percent (k=2).

#### 4.3.2 Anthropomorphic Dummy Instrumentation

An Alderson Research Laboratories Hybrid II, 50<sup>th</sup> percentile male anthropomorphic dummy, restrained with lap and shoulder belts, was placed in the driver's position of the 1100C vehicle. The dummy was uninstrumented. According to *MASH*, the use of a dummy in the 2270P vehicle is optional. Researchers did not use a dummy in the test with the 2270P vehicle.

#### 4.3.3 Photographic Instrumentation and Data Processing

Photographic coverage of the tests included three high-speed cameras: one overhead with a field of view perpendicular to the ground and directly over the impact point; one placed behind the installation at an angle; and a third placed to have a field of view parallel to and aligned with the installation at the downstream end. A flashbulb activated by pressure-sensitive tape switches was positioned on the impacting vehicle to indicate the instant of contact with the installation and was visible from each camera. The films from these high-speed cameras were analyzed on a computer-linked motion analyzer to observe phenomena occurring during the collision and to obtain time-event, displacement, and angular data. A mini-DV camera and still cameras recorded and documented conditions of the test vehicle and installation before and after the test.

### CHAPTER 5. CRASH TEST NO. 490022-6 (MASH 3-20)

#### 5.1 **TEST DESIGNATION AND ACTUAL IMPACT CONDITIONS**

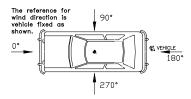
MASH test 3-20 involves an 1100C vehicle weighing 2425 lb  $\pm 55$  lb and impacting the test article at an impact speed of 62.2 mi/h  $\pm$ 2.5 mi/h and an angle of 25 degrees  $\pm$ 1.5 degrees. The target impact point was 5.0 ft upstream of centerline of anchor post in concrete curb (post 20). The 2006 Kia Rio used in the test weighed 2423 lb and the actual impact speed and angle were 61.5 mi/h and 25.6 degrees, respectively. The actual impact point was 5.0 ft (60.5 inches) upstream of post 20. Target impact severity (IS) was 55.7 kip-ft, and the actual IS was 57.2 kip-ft.

#### 5.2 **TEST VEHICLE**

A 2006 Kia Rio, shown in Figures 5.1 and 5.2, was used for the crash test. Test inertia weight of the vehicle was 2423 lb, and its gross static weight was 2602 lb. The height to the lower edge of the vehicle bumper was 7.12 inches, and it was 21.00 inches to the upper edge of the bumper. Table D1 in Appendix D give additional dimensions and information on the vehicle. The vehicle was directed into the installation using the cable reverse tow and guidance system, and was released to be free-wheeling just prior to impact.

#### 5.3 WEATHER CONDITIONS

The test was performed on the morning of May 25, 2012. Weather conditions at the time of testing were as follows: wind speed: 14 mi/h; wind direction: 168 degrees with respect to the vehicle (vehicle was traveling in a northwesterly direction), temperature: 86°F, relative humidity: 65 percent.



#### 5.4 **TEST DESCRIPTION**

The 2006 Kia Rio, traveling at an impact speed of 61.5 mi/h, impacted the TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition 60.5 inches upstream of post 20 at an impact angle of 25.6 degrees. At approximately 0.012 s after impact, the thrie beam guardrail began to deflect toward the field side, and at 0.024 s, the vehicle began to redirect. The concrete transition curb began to deflect toward the field side at 0.029 s, and a crack formed in the concrete bridge rail curb downstream of post 21 at 0.053 s. The concrete bridge rail curb under post 21 began to crack at 0.057 s with some of the pieces of concrete spalling off at 0.220 s. At 0.307 s, the vehicle lost contact with the bridge rail traveling at an exit speed and angle of 44.8 mi/h and 4.4 degrees, respectively. Brakes on the vehicle were not applied, and the vehicle came to rest 180 ft downstream of impact and 21 ft toward traffic lanes. Figures D1 and D2 in Appendix D show sequential photographs of the test period.

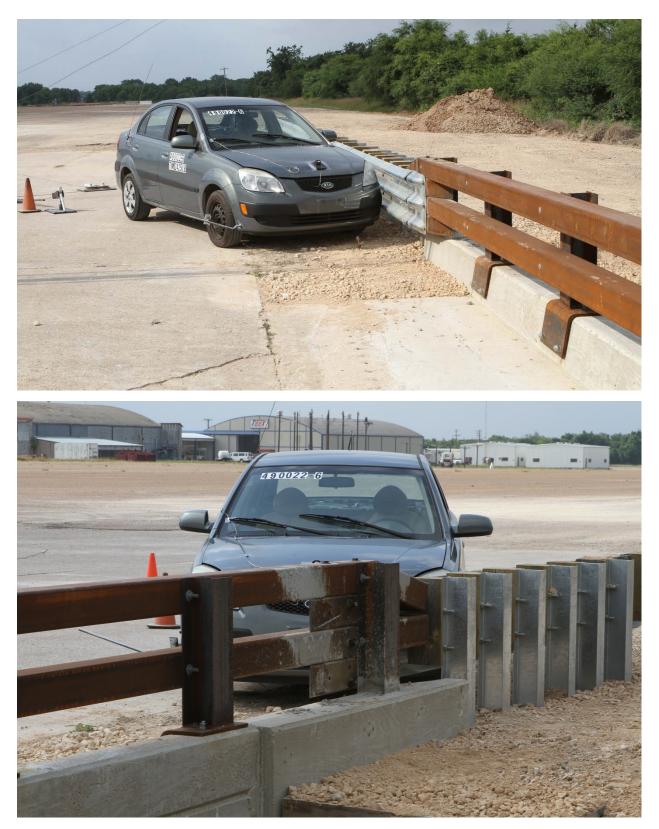


Figure 5.1. Vehicle/TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition Geometrics for Test No. 490022-6.



Figure 5.2. Vehicle before Test No. 490022-6.

#### 5.5 DAMAGE TO TEST INSTALLATION

Figures 5.3 and 5.4 show damage to the T131RC Transition and bridge rail. The transition curb deflected toward the field side 0.5 inch. No cracking of the transition curb was noted. The concrete curb around post 21 was cracked significantly, and there was minor cracking around post 22. The vehicle was in contact with the installation 13.3 ft. Vehicle intrusion (formerly working width) was 7.4 inches. Maximum deflection of the thrie beam guardrail during the test was 7.4 inches, and maximum residual deformation after the test was 1.25 inches.

#### 5.6 VEHICLE DAMAGE

Figure 5.5 presents damage to the 1100C vehicle. The left strut and strut tower were deformed. The front bumper, grill, hood, radiator, radiator support, left front fender, left front tire and wheel rim, left front door, left rear door, left rear quarter panel were deformed. The windshield sustained stress cracks from the left lower corner. Maximum crush to the exterior of the vehicle was 12.0 inches in the front plane in the left front corner at bumper height. Maximum occupant compartment deformation was 2.5 inches in the left front door near occupant hip height. The floor pan and firewall were also deformed. Tables D2 and D3 in Appendix D present the exterior crush profile and occupant compartment deformations.

### 5.7 OCCUPANT RISK FACTORS

Data from the accelerometer, located at the vehicle center of gravity, were digitized for evaluation of occupant risk. In the longitudinal direction, the occupant impact velocity was 21.0 ft/s at 0.080 s, the highest 0.010-s occupant ridedown acceleration was 6.1 Gs from 0.083 to 0.093 s, and the maximum 0.050-s average acceleration was -10.8 Gs between 0.023 and 0.073 s. In the lateral direction, the occupant impact velocity was 27.6 ft/s at 0.080 s, the highest 0.010-s occupant ridedown acceleration was 6.3 Gs from 0.118 to 0.128 s, and the maximum 0.050-s average was 15.3 Gs between 0.025 and 0.075 s. Theoretical Head Impact Velocity (THIV) was 37.7 km/h or 10.5 m/s at 0.078 s; Post-Impact Head Decelerations (PHD) was 6.9 Gs between 0.117 and 0.127 s; and Acceleration Severity Index (ASI) was 1.92 between 0.025 and 0.075 s. Figure 5.6 summarizes these data and other pertinent information from the test. Vehicle angular displacements and accelerations versus time traces are presented in Appendix D, Figures D3 through D9.



Figure 5.3. Vehicle/TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition Positions after Test No. 490022-6.





Figure 5.4. TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition after Test No. 490022-6.

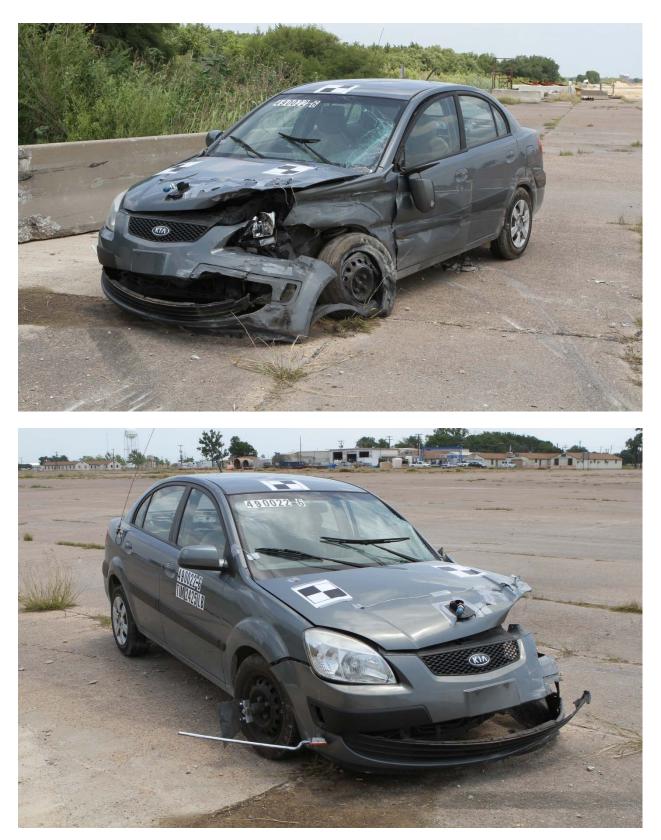
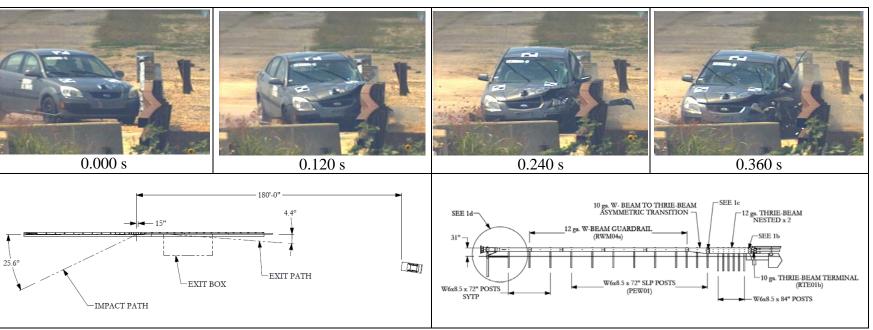


Figure 5.5. Vehicle after Test No. 490022-6.



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General Information
Test Agency
Test Standard Test No
TTI Test No

General information	
Test Agency	Texas A&M Transportation Institute (TTI)
Test Standard Test No I	MASH Test 3-20
TTI Test No	49002-6
Test Date	2012-05-25
Test Article	
Туре	Transition
Name	TxDOT T131RC
Installation Length	76.5 ft
Material or Key Elements	W-beam to thrie beam asymmetric
t i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i	transition to nested thrie beam on
N N	W6x8.5 x 84-inch posts
Soil Type and Condition	Standard soil, dry
Test Vehicle	
Type/Designation	1100C
Make and Model	2006 Kia Rio
Curb	2489 lh

2403	ID
2423	lb
179	lb
2602	lb
	2403 2423 179 2602

#### Impact Conditions

51.5 mi/h
5.6 degrees
ft upstrm post 20
4.8 mi/h
.4 degrees
0
1.0 ft/s
.7.6 ft/s
5.1 G
5.3 G
7.7 km/h
5.9 G
.92
·10.8 G
5.3 G
1.7 G

#### Post-Impact Trajectory

i ost-impact majectory	
Stopping Distance	180 ft dwnstrm
	21 ft twd traffic
Vehicle Stability	
Maximum Yaw Angle	33 degrees
Maximum Pitch Angle	6 degrees
Maximum Roll Angle	5 degrees
Vehicle Snagging	No
Vehicle Pocketing	No
Test Article Deflections	
Dynamic	7.4 inches
Permanent	
Vehicle Penetration	21.0 inches
Vehicle Damage	
VDS	11LFQ5
CDC	11FLEW4
Max. Exterior Deformation	12.0 inches
OCDI	LF0000010
Max. Occupant Compartment	
Deformation	2.5 inches

Figure 5.6. Summary of Results for MASH Test 3-20 on the TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition.

#### 5.8 ASSESSMENT OF TEST RESULTS

An assessment of the test based on the applicable *MASH* safety evaluation criteria is provided below.

#### 5.8.1 Structural Adequacy

- A. Test article should contain and redirect the vehicle or bring the vehicle to a controlled stop; the vehicle should not penetrate, underride, or override the installation although controlled lateral deflection of the test article is acceptable.
- <u>Results</u>: The TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition contained and redirected the 1100C vehicle. The vehicle did not penetrate, underride, or override the installation. Maximum dynamic deflection during the test was 7.4 inches. (PASS)

#### 5.8.2 Occupant Risk

D. Detached elements, fragments, or other debris from the test article should not penetrate or show potential for penetrating the occupant compartment, or present an undue hazard to other traffic, pedestrians, or personnel in a work zone.

Deformation of, or intrusions into, the occupant compartment should not exceed limits set forth in Section 5.3 and Appendix E of MASH. (roof  $\leq 4.0$  inches; windshield =  $\leq 3.0$  inches; side windows = no shattering by test article structural member; wheel/foot well/toe pan  $\leq 9.0$  inches; forward of A-pillar  $\leq 12.0$  inches; front side door area above seat  $\leq 9.0$  inches; front side door below seat  $\leq 12.0$  inches; floor pan/transmission tunnel area  $\leq 12.0$  inches).

- Results:No detached elements, fragments, or other debris were present to penetrate<br/>or to show potential for penetrating the occupant compartment, or to<br/>present hazard to others. (PASS)<br/>Maximum occupant compartment deformation was 2.5 inches in the left<br/>door at occupant hip height. (PASS)
- *F.* The vehicle should remain upright during and after collision. The maximum roll and pitch angles are not to exceed 75 degrees.
- <u>Results</u>: The 1100C vehicle remained upright during and after the collision event. Maximum roll and pitch angles were 5 degrees and 6 degrees, respectively. (PASS)
- H. Occupant impact velocities should satisfy the following: <u>Longitudinal and Lateral Occupant Impact Velocity</u> <u>Preferred</u> <u>30 ft/s</u> <u>40 ft/s</u>

<u>Results</u>: Longitudinal occupant impact velocity was 21.0 ft/s, and lateral occupant impact velocity was 27.6 ft/s. (PASS)

Ι.	Occupant ridedown accelerations should satisfy the following:	
	Longitudinal and Lateral Occupant Ridedown Accelerations	
	<u>Preferred</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
	15.0 Gs	20.49 Gs

<u>Results</u>: Longitudinal occupant ridedown acceleration was 6.1 G, and lateral occupant ridedown acceleration was 6.3 G. (PASS)

### 5.8.3 Vehicle Trajectory

*For redirective devices, the vehicle shall exit the barrier within the exit box (not less than 32.8 ft).* 

<u>Result</u>: The 1100C crossed the exit box 80.1 ft downstream of loss of contact with the installation. (PASS)

### CHAPTER 6. CRASH TEST 490022-8 (MASH 3-21)

#### 6.1 TEST DESIGNATION AND ACTUAL IMPACT CONDITIONS

*MASH* test 3-11 involves a 2270P vehicle weighing 5000 lb  $\pm$ 100 lb and impacting the test article at an impact speed of 62.2 mi/h  $\pm$ 2.5 mi/h and an angle of 25 degrees  $\pm$ 1.5 degrees. The target impact point was 6.8 ft upstream of centerline of anchor post in concrete curb (post 20). The 2008 Dodge Ram 1500 pickup truck used in the test weighed 5015 lb and the actual impact speed and angle were 62.7 mi/h and 25.1 degrees, respectively. The actual impact point was 7.2 ft upstream of post 20. Target IS was 115.1 kip-ft, and actual IS was 118.6 kip-ft.

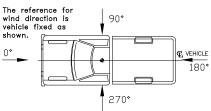
#### 6.2 TEST VEHICLE

A 2008 Dodge Ram 1500 pickup truck, shown in Figures 6.1 and 6.2, was used for the crash test. Test inertia weight of the vehicle was 5015 lb, and its gross static weight was 5015 lb. The height to the lower edge of the vehicle bumper was 13.75 inches, and it was 25.38 inches to the upper edge of the bumper. The height to the vehicle's center of gravity was 29.0 inches. Tables E1 and E2 in Appendix E give additional dimensions and information on the vehicle. The vehicle was directed into the installation using the cable reverse tow and guidance system, and was released to be unrestrained just prior to impact.

#### 6.3 WEATHER CONDITIONS

The test was performed on the morning of June 29, 2012. Weather conditions at the time of testing were as follows: wind speed: 6 mi/h; wind

direction: 180 degrees with respect to the vehicle (vehicle was traveling in a northwesterly direction); temperature: 90°F, relative humidity: 63 percent.



#### 6.4 TEST DESCRIPTION

The 2008 Dodge Ram 1500 pickup truck, traveling at an impact speed of 62.7 mi/h, impacted the TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition 7.2 ft upstream of post 20 at an impact angle of 25.1 degrees. At approximately 0.024 s, the thrie beam guardrail began to deflect toward the field side, and at 0.050 s, the vehicle began to redirect. The transition curb began to deflect toward the field side at 0.127 s, and the rear of the vehicle contacted the transition at 0.209 s. At 0.363 s, the vehicle lost contact with the installation traveling at an exit speed and angle of 47.1 mi/h and 5.6 degrees, respectively. Brakes on the vehicle were applied 1.8 s after impact, and the vehicle subsequently came to rest 202 ft downstream of impact with the left side of the vehicle aligned with the traffic face of the bridge rail. Figures E1 and E2 in Appendix E show sequential photographs of the test period.



Figure 6.1. Vehicle/TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition Geometrics for Test No. 490022-8.



Figure 6.2. Vehicle before Test No. 490022-8.

#### 6.5 DAMAGE TO TEST INSTALLATION

Figure 6.3 and 6.4 show damage to the T131RC Transition and the bridge rail. Post 14 was deflected toward the field side 0.25 inch, and post 15 was deflected toward the field side 0.5 inch. The soil around post 16 and 17 was disturbed. Post 18 was deflected toward the field side 1.38 inches, and maximum residual deformation at post 18 was 1.0 inch. The soil around post 19 was disturbed. The transition curb deflected toward the field side 1.5 inches. The transition curb was not cracked, but was marred with tire marks. Significant cracking of the bridge rail curb occurred at post 21 with slight damage at post 22. Length of contact of the vehicle with the installation was 15.3 ft. Vehicle intrusion (formerly working width) was 15.9 inches. Maximum dynamic deflection during the test was 8.37 inches, and maximum permanent residual deformation was 1.0 inch.

#### 6.6 VEHICLE DAMAGE

Figure 6.5 presents damage to the 2270P vehicle. The left upper ball joint and left front upper and lower A-arms were deformed and the rear axle was broken. The front bumper, grill, hood, radiator, fan, water pump, left front fender, left front tire and wheel rim, left front door, left rear door, left rear exterior bed, left rear tire and wheel rim and rear bumper were deformed. The windshield sustained stress cracks from the right lower corner due to impact with a secondary barrier. Maximum crush to the exterior of the vehicle was not attainable due to the secondary impact. Maximum occupant compartment deformation was 0.25 inch in the left front door near occupant hip height. The floor pan and firewall were also deformed. Figure 6.6 shows photographs of the interior of the vehicle. Tables E3 and E4 in Appendix E present the exterior crush profile and occupant compartment deformations.

#### 6.7 OCCUPANT RISK FACTORS

Data from the accelerometer, located at the vehicle center of gravity, were digitized for evaluation of occupant risk. In the longitudinal direction, the occupant impact velocity was 18.4 ft/s at 0.092 s, the highest 0.010-s occupant ridedown acceleration was 6.6 Gs from 0.120 to 0.130 s, and the maximum 0.050-s average acceleration was -8.0 Gs between 0.040 and 0.090 s. In the lateral direction, the occupant impact velocity was 23.6 ft/s at 0.092 s, the highest 0.010-s occupant ridedown acceleration was 9.4 Gs from 0.221 to 0.231 s, and the maximum 0.050-s average was 12.4 Gs between 0.030 and 0.080 s. Theoretical Head Impact Velocity (THIV) was 32.4 km/h or 9.0 m/s at 0.090 s; Post-Impact Head Decelerations (PHD) was 9.5 Gs between 0.221 and 0.231 s; and Acceleration Severity Index (ASI) was 1.52 between 0.030 and 0.080 s. Figure 6.7 summarizes these data and other pertinent information from the test. Vehicle angular displacements and accelerations versus time traces are presented in Appendix E, Figures E2 through E8.





Figure 6.3. Vehicle/TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition Positions after Test No. 490022-8.



Figure 6.4. TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition after Test No. 490022-8.

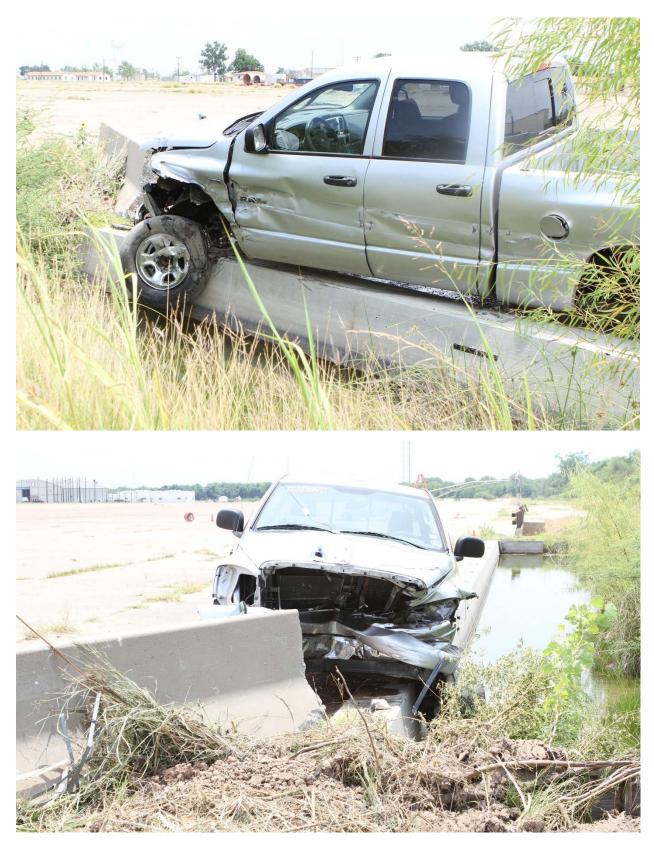


Figure 6.5. Vehicle after Test No. 490022-8.

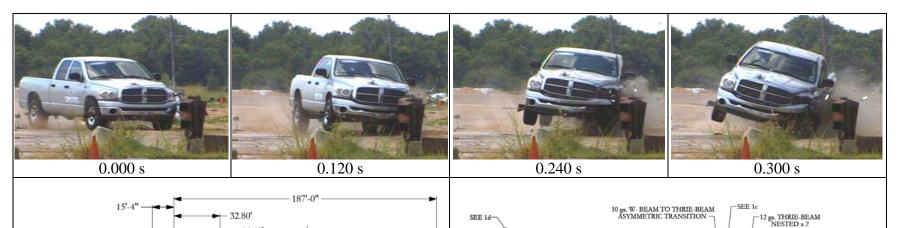


Before Test

After Test



Figure 6.6. Interior of Vehicle for Test No. 490022-8.



31"

W6x8.5 x 72" POSTS SYTP

12 ga. W-BEAM GUARDRAIL (RWM04a)

> W6x8.5 x 72" SLP POSTS (PEW01)

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-W6x8.5 x 84" POSTS

-10 ga. THRIE-BEAM TERMINAL (RTE01b)

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-IMPACT PATH

eneral Information		Impact Conditions	Post-Impact Trajectory
Test Agency	Texas A&M Transportation Institute	Speed62.7 mi/h	Stopping Distance 202 ft dwnstr
Test Standard Test No	(TTI)	Angle25.1 degrees	Left side w/fa
TTI Test No	MASH Test 3-21	Location/Orientation7.2 ft upstrm post 20	Vehicle Stability
Test Date	490022-8	Exit Conditions	Maximum Yaw Angle 30 degrees
est Article	2012-07-29	Speed47.1 mi/h	Maximum Pitch Angle 8 degrees
Туре		Angle5.6 degrees	Maximum Roll Angle 21 degrees
Name	Transition	Occupant Risk Values	Vehicle Snagging No
Installation Length	TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition	Impact Velocity	Vehicle Pocketing No
Material or Key Elements	76.5 ft	Longitudinal18.4 ft/s	Test Article Deflections
	W-beam to thrie beam asymmetric	Lateral23.6 ft/s	Dynamic 8.4 inches
	transition to nested thrie beam on	Ridedown Accelerations	Permanent 1.0 inch
oil Type and Condition	W6x8.5 x 84-inch posts	Longitudinal6.6 G	Vehicle Penetration 15.9 inches
est Vehicle	Standard soil, dry	Lateral9.4 G	Vehicle Damage
Type/Designation		THIV32.4 km/h	VDS 11LFQ4
Make and Model	2270P	PHD9.5 G	CDC 11FLEW3
Curb	2008 Dodge Ram 1500 Pickup	ASI1.52	Max. Exterior Deformation Not obtainable
Test Inertial	5022 lb	Max. 0.050-s Average	OCDILF0000000
Dummy	5015 lb	Longitudinal–8.0 G	Max. Occupant Compartment
Gross Static	No dummy	Lateral12.4 G	Deformation 0.25 inch
	5015 lb	Vertical2.8 G	

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EXIT PATH

Figure 6.7. Summary of Results for MASH Test 3-21 on the TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition.

#### 6.8 ASSESSMENT OF TEST RESULTS

An assessment of the test based on the applicable *MASH* safety evaluation criteria is provided below.

#### 6.8.1 Structural Adequacy

- A. Test article should contain and redirect the vehicle or bring the vehicle to a controlled stop; the vehicle should not penetrate, underride, or override the installation although controlled lateral deflection of the test article is acceptable.
- <u>Results</u>: The TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition contained and redirected the 2270P vehicle. The vehicle did not penetrate, underride, or override the installation. Maximum dynamic deflection during the test was 8.4 inches. (PASS)

#### 6.8.2 Occupant Risk

D. Detached elements, fragments, or other debris from the test article should not penetrate or show potential for penetrating the occupant compartment, or present an undue hazard to other traffic, pedestrians, or personnel in a work zone.

Deformation of, or intrusions into, the occupant compartment should not exceed limits set forth in Section 5.3 and Appendix E of MASH (roof  $\leq 4.0$  inches; windshield =  $\leq 3.0$  inches; side windows = no shattering by test article structural member; wheel/foot well/toe pan  $\leq 9.0$  inches; forward of A-pillar  $\leq 12.0$  inches; front side door area above seat  $\leq 9.0$  inches; front side door below seat  $\leq 12.0$  inches; floor pan/transmission tunnel area  $\leq 12.0$  inches).

- Results:No detached elements, fragments, or other debris were present to penetrate<br/>of to show potential for penetrating the occupant compartment, or to<br/>present hazard to others. (PASS)<br/>Maximum occupant compartment deformation was 0.25 inch in the left<br/>door at occupant hip height. (PASS)
- *F.* The vehicle should remain upright during and after collision. The maximum roll and pitch angles are not to exceed 75 degrees.
- <u>Results</u>: The 2270P vehicle remained upright during and after the collision event. Maximum roll and pitch angles were 21 degrees and 8 degrees, respectively. (PASS)
- I. Occupant impact velocities should satisfy the following: <u>Longitudinal and Lateral Occupant Impact Velocity</u> <u>Preferred</u> <u>30 ft/s</u> <u>40 ft/s</u>

<u>Results</u>: Longitudinal occupant impact velocity was 18.4 ft/s, and lateral occupant impact velocity was 23.6 ft/s. (PASS)

Ι.	Occupant ridedown acceleration	ns should satisfy the following:
	Longitudinal and Lateral (	Occupant Ridedown Accelerations
	<u>Preferred</u>	<u>Maximum</u>
	15.0 Gs	20.49 Gs

<u>Results</u>: Longitudinal ridedown acceleration was 6.6 G, and lateral ridedown acceleration was 9.4 G. (PASS)

### 6.8.3 Vehicle Trajectory

*For redirective devices, the vehicle shall exit the barrier within the exit box (not less than 32.8 ft).* 

<u>Result</u>: The 22270P vehicle crossed the exit box within the limits specified in MASH. (PASS)

### **CHAPTER 7. SUMMARY AND CONCLUSIONS**

#### 7.1 SUMMARY OF CRASH TEST RESULTS

#### 7.1.1 Crash Test No. 490022-6 (MASH Test 3-20)

The TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition contained and redirected the 1100C vehicle. The vehicle did not penetrate, underride, or override the installation. Maximum dynamic deflection during the test was 7.4 inches. No detached elements, fragments, or other debris were present to penetrate of to show potential for penetrating the occupant compartment, or to present hazard to others. Maximum occupant compartment deformation was 2.5 inches in the left door at occupant hip height. The 1100C vehicle remained upright during and after the collision event. Maximum roll and pitch angles were 5 degrees and 6 degrees, respectively. Occupant risk factors were within the preferred limits specified in *MASH*. The 1100C crossed the exit box 80.1 ft downstream of loss of contact with the installation, which was within the *MASH* recommendation.

#### 7.1.2 Crash Test No. 490022-8 (MASH Test 3-21)

The TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition contained and redirected the 2270P vehicle. The vehicle did not penetrate, underride, or override the installation. Maximum dynamic deflection during the test was 8.4 inches. No detached elements, fragments, or other debris were present to penetrate of to show potential for penetrating the occupant compartment, or to present hazard to others. Maximum occupant compartment deformation was 0.25 inch in the left door at occupant hip height. The 2270P vehicle remained upright during and after the collision event. Maximum roll and pitch angles were 21 degrees and 8 degrees, respectively. Occupant risk factors were within the preferred limits specified in *MASH*. The 22270P vehicle crossed the exit box within the limits specified in *MASH*.

#### 7.2 CONCLUSIONS

The TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition performed acceptably as a *MASH* TL-3 transitions, as shown in Tables 7.1 and 7.2.

Tes	st Agency: Texas A&M Transportation Institute	Test No.: 490022-6	Test Date: 201205-25
	MASH Test 3-20 Evaluation Criteria	Test Results	Assessment
Stru A.	uctural Adequacy Test article should contain and redirect the vehicle or bring the vehicle to a controlled stop; the vehicle should not penetrate, underride, or override the installation although controlled lateral deflection of the test article is acceptable.	The TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition contained and redirected the 1100C vehicle. The vehicle did not penetrate, underride, or override the installation. Maximum dynamic deflection during the test was 7.4 inches.	Pass
Oce D.	cupant Risk Detached elements, fragments, or other debris from the test article should not penetrate or show potential for penetrating the occupant compartment, or present an undue hazard to other traffic, pedestrians, or personnel in a work zone.	No detached elements, fragments, or other debris were present to penetrate of to show potential for penetrating the occupant compartment, or to present hazard to others.	Pass
	Deformations of, or intrusions into, the occupant compartment should not exceed limits set forth in Section 5.3 and Appendix E of MASH.	Maximum occupant compartment deformation was 2.5 inches in the left door at occupant hip height.	Pass
<i>F</i> .	The vehicle should remain upright during and after collision. The maximum roll and pitch angles are not to exceed 75 degrees.	The 1100C vehicle remained upright during and after the collision event. Maximum roll and pitch angles were 5 and 6 degrees, respectively.	Pass
Н.	Longitudinal and lateral occupant impact velocities should fall below the preferred value of 30 ft/s, or at least below the maximum allowable value of 40 ft/s.	Longitudinal occupant impact velocity was 21.0 ft/s, and lateral occupant impact velocity was 27.6 ft/s	Pass
Ι.	Longitudinal and lateral occupant ridedown accelerations should fall below the preferred value of 15.0 Gs, or at least below the maximum allowable value of 20.49 Gs.	Longitudinal occupant ridedown acceleration was 6.1 G, and lateral occupant ridedown acceleration was 6.3 G.	Pass
Vel	hicle Trajectory For redirective devices, the vehicle shall exit the barrier within the exit box (not less than 32.8 ft).	The 1100C crossed the exit box 80.1 ft downstream of loss of contact with the installation.	Pass

# Table 7.1. Performance Evaluation Summary for MASH Test 3-20 on the TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition.

	Test	t Agency: Texas A&M Transportation Institute	Test No.: 490022-8 T	est Date: 2012-06-29
>		MASH Test 3-21 Evaluation Criteria	Test Results	Assessment
	Stru A.	Ictural Adequacy Test article should contain and redirect the vehicle or bring the vehicle to a controlled stop; the vehicle should not penetrate, underride, or override the installation although controlled lateral deflection of the test article is acceptable.	The TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition contained and redirected the 2270P vehicle. The vehicle did not penetrate, underride, or override the installation. Maximum dynamic deflection during the test was 8.4 inches.	Pass
	Occ D.	upant Risk Detached elements, fragments, or other debris from the test article should not penetrate or show potential for penetrating the occupant compartment, or present an undue hazard to other traffic, pedestrians, or personnel in a work zone.	No detached elements, fragments, or other debris were present to penetrate of to show potential for penetrating the occupant compartment, or to present hazard to others.	Pass
с Г		Deformations of, or intrusions into, the occupant compartment should not exceed limits set forth in Section 5.3 and Appendix E of MASH.	Maximum occupant compartment deformation was 0.25 inch in the left door at occupant hip height.	Pass
	F.	The vehicle should remain upright during and after collision. The maximum roll and pitch angles are not to exceed 75 degrees.	The 2270P vehicle remained upright during and after the collision event. Maximum roll and pitch angles were 21 and 8 degrees, respectively.	Pass
	Н.	Longitudinal and lateral occupant impact velocities should fall below the preferred value of 30 ft/s, or at least below the maximum allowable value of 40 ft/s.	Longitudinal occupant impact velocity was 18.4 ft/s, and lateral occupant impact velocity was 23.6 ft/s.	Pass
	Ι.	Longitudinal and lateral occupant ridedown accelerations should fall below the preferred value of 15.0 Gs, or at least below the maximum allowable value of 20.49 Gs.	Longitudinal ridedown acceleration was 6.6 G, and lateral ridedown acceleration was 9.4 G.	Pass
2012 1	Veh	icle Trajectory For redirective devices, the vehicle shall exit the barrier within the exit box (not less than 32.8 ft).	The 22270P vehicle crossed the exit box within the limits specified in <i>MASH</i> .	Pass

# Table 7.2. Performance Evaluation Summary for MASH Test 3-21 on the TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail Transition.

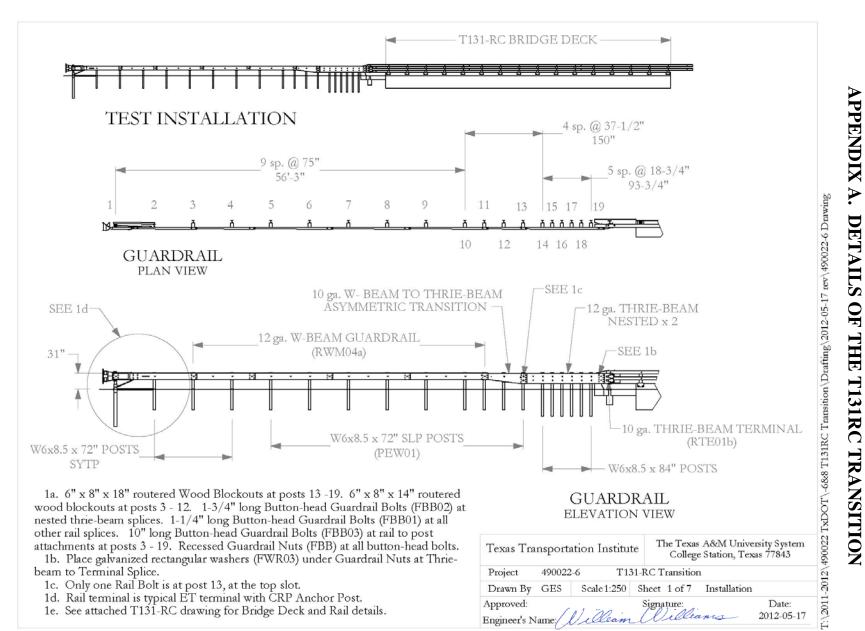
### **CHAPTER 8. IMPLEMENTATION STATEMENT**

TTI researchers recently designed and successfully crash tested the TxDOT Type 131RC Bridge Rail. The T131RC Bridge Rail consists of two  $HSS6 \times 6 \times 1/4$  steel tubes supported by W6×15 steel posts spaced on 5 ft on centers. The posts were anchored to an 11-inch high concrete curb. The curb was 10 inches wide at the base and 8 inches wide at the top. The posts were anchored to the concrete curb using 3/4-inch diameter adhesive anchors. The base plate for the T131RC post design was bent to conform to the shape of the concrete curb. The TxDOT T131RC Bridge Rail tested previously met all the strength and safety performance criteria of *MASH*.

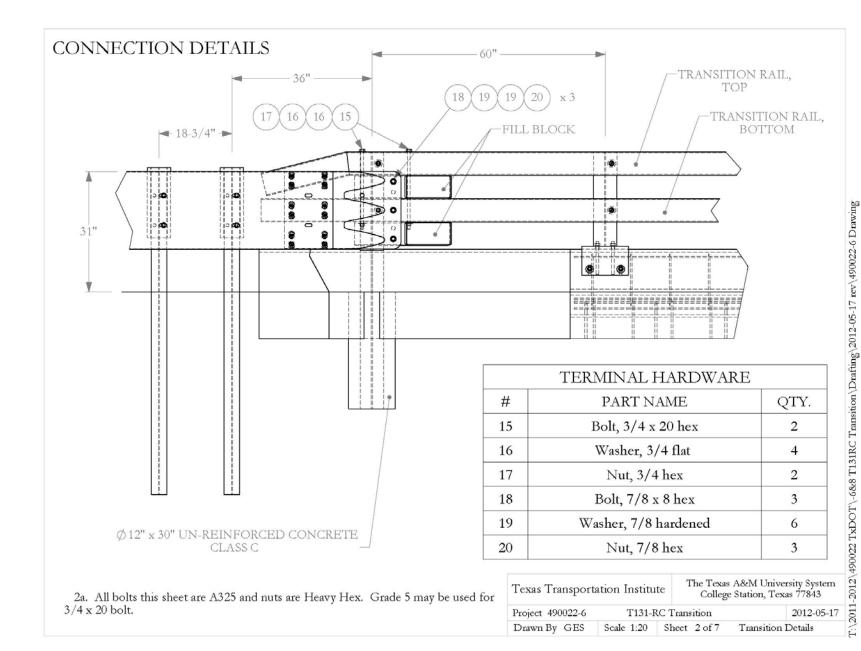
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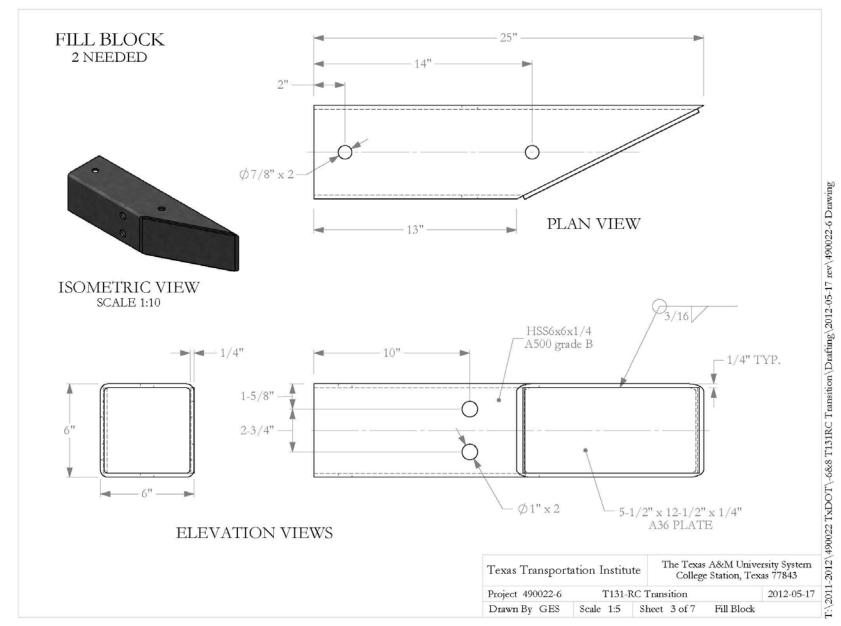
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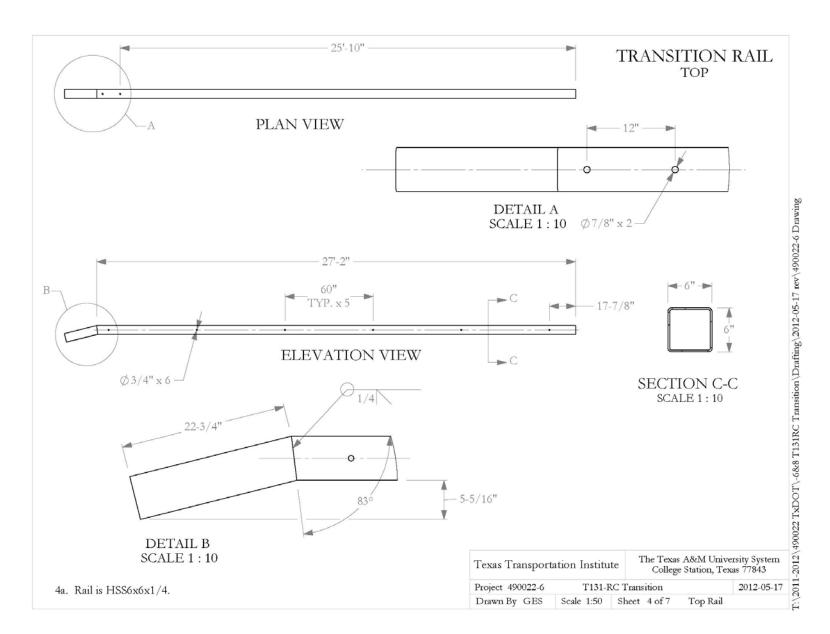


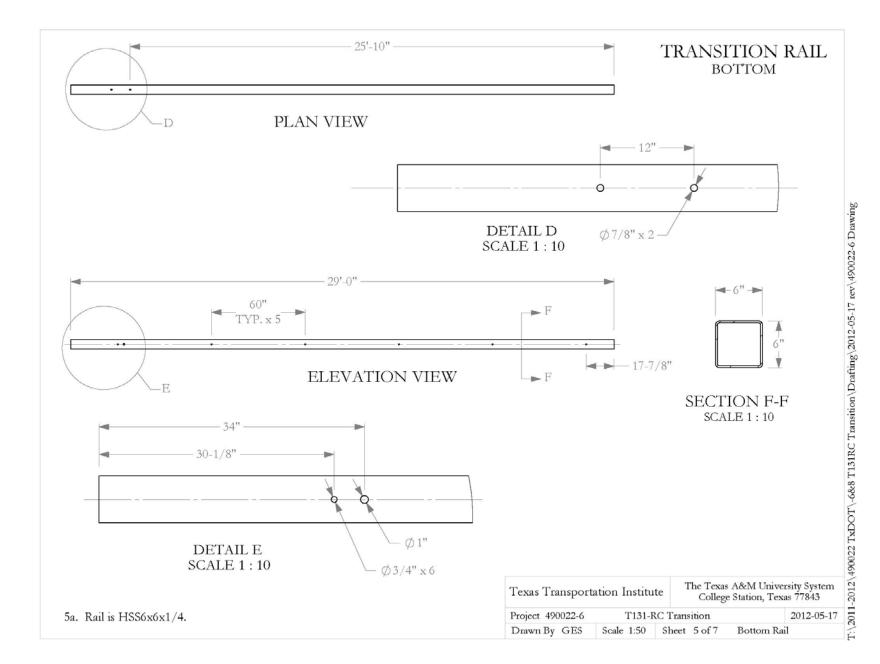
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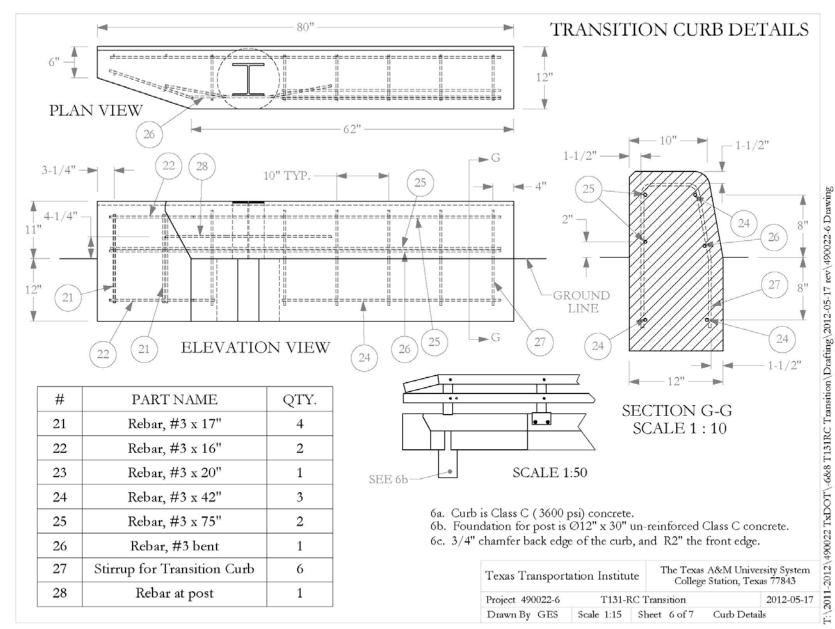
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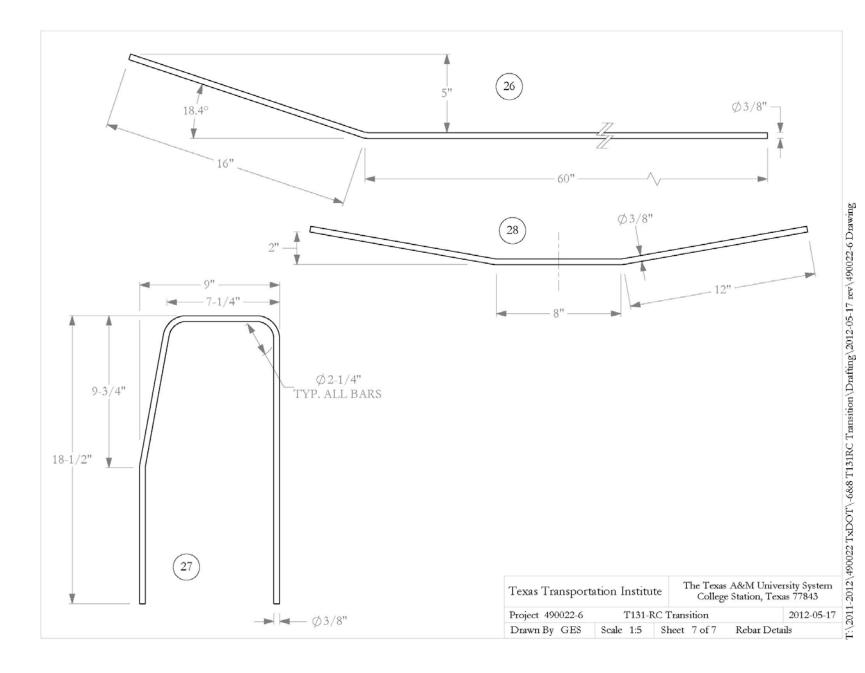




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## **APPENDIX B. CERTIFICATION DOCUMENTATION**

MATERIAL USED

TEST NUMBER 490022-6

TEST NAME T131RC Transition

DATE 2012-05-25

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Date: 26-Oct-2011 B.L. Number: 586989 Load Number: 195932

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Material Safety Data Sheets are available at www.nucorbar.com or by contacting your inside sales representative. NBMG-08 March 9, 2011 PHYSICAL TESTS CHEMICAL TESTS HEAT NUM. \* DESCRIPTION TENSILE P.S.I. ELONG % IN 8" YIELD P.S.I. WT% С Mn Р s Si Cu BEND C.E. Ni DEF Cr Мо v Cb Sn PO# => 801746 70,000 110,500 13.0% .42 1.02 .016 .024 .12 .33 .62 JW1110880201 Nucor Steel - Texas 13/#4 Rebar 20' 483MPa 762MPa .13 .15 .039 .003 .001 A615M Gr 420 (Gr60) ASTM A615/A615M-09b GR 60[420] AASHTO M31-07 PO# => 801746 .32 JW1110880301 Nucor Steel - Texas 70,700 108,900 12.0% .42 .98 .019 .044 .14 .61 .001 13/#4 Rebar 20' 487MPa 751MPa .14 .17 .042 .003 A615M Gr 420 (Gr60) ASTM A615/A615M-09b GR 60[420] AASHTO M31-07 Ihereby certify that the material described herein has been manufactured in accordance with
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Customer:	SAMPLES, TESTING, TRAINING MTRLS	BOL Number:	41901	
	2525 STEMMONS FRWY	Document #:	1	
		Shipped To:	TX	
	DALLAS, TX 75207	Use State:	TX	
Project:	SAMPLES AND TESTING PROJECT 490022-6			

Qty	Part #	Description	Spec	CL 7	'Y Heat Code/ Heat #		Yield	TS	Elg	С	Mn	Р	s	Sl	Cu	Сь	Cr	Vn	ACW
12	14784G	7'0 POST/8.5#/3HI TX	A-36		1017007		53,613	72,244	25.7	0.120	0.930	0.012	0.040	0.180	0.360	0.00	0.140	0.003	4
2	14785G	6'0 POST/8.5#/3HI TX	A-36		1017007		53,613	72,244	25.7	0.120	0.930	0.012	0.040	0.180	0.360	0.00	0.140	0.003	4
2	14786G	6'0 POST/8.5#/TRANS TX	A-36		1016659		56,271	73,902	27.5	0.110	0.980	0.023	0.044	0.180	0.320	0.00	0.220	0.004	4
2	33726Л	ET+CAN-50',12'6 HBA/SYTH	P A-36		3031507		53,600	75,900	28.0	0.150	0.910	0.015	0.040	0.190	0.370	0.00	0.090	0.014	4
	33726A		A-500		813U66380	ŝ	56,700	71,300	29.5	0.220	0.790	0.010	0.005	0.022	0.029	0.00	0.030	0.001	4
2	33795G	SYT-3"AN STRT 3-HL 6'6	A-36		3029682		58,000	79,900	33.0	0.160	0.910	0.014	0.023	0.190	0.300	0.00	0.120	0.017	4
2	35247A	CONN PL 40"X20" RT MO	A-36		37482C		44,200	69,500	34.0	0.190	0.750	0.010	0.013	0.011	0.040	0.00	0.050	0.000	4

TL -3 or TL-4 COMPLIANT when installed according to manufactures specifications

Upon delivery, all materials subject to Trinity Highway Products, LLC Storage Stain Policy No. LG-002.

ALL STEEL USED WAS MELTED AND MANUFACTURED IN USA AND COMPLIES WITH THE BUY AMERICA ACT.

ALL GUARDRAIL MEETS AASHTO M-180, ALL STRUCTURAL STEEL MEETS ASTM A36

ALL COATINGS PROCESSES OF THE STEEL OR IRON ARE PERFORMED IN USA AND COMPLIES WITH THE "BUY AMERICA ACT"

ALL GALVANIZED MATERIAL CONFORMS WITH ASTM-123, UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED.

BOLTS COMPLY WITH ASTM A-307 SPECIFICATIONS AND ARE GALVANIZED IN ACCORDANCE WITH ASTM A-153, UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED.

NUTS COMPLY WITH ASTM A-563 SPECIFICATIONS AND ARE GALVANIZED IN ACCORDANCE WITH ASTM A-153, UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED. WASHERS COMPLY WITH ASTMF-436 SPECIFICATION AND/OR F-844 AND ARE GALVANIZED IN ACCORDANCE WITH ASTMF-2329. 3/4" DIA CABLE 6X19 ZINC COATED SWAGED END AISI C-1035 STEEL ANNEALED STUD I." DIA ASTM 449 AASHTO M30, TYPE II BREAKING STRENGTI 49100 LB

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## **Certified Analysis**

Trinity Highway Products , LLC 2548 N.E. 28th St. Ft Worth, TX 76111 Customer: SAMPLES,TESTING,TRAINING MTRLS 2525 STEMMONS FRWY

Order Number: 1172458 Customer PO: TTI-TEST 490022-BOL Number: 41901 Document #: 1 Shipped To: TX Use State: TX



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DALLAS, TX 75207

Project: SAMPLES AND TESTING PROJECT 490022-6

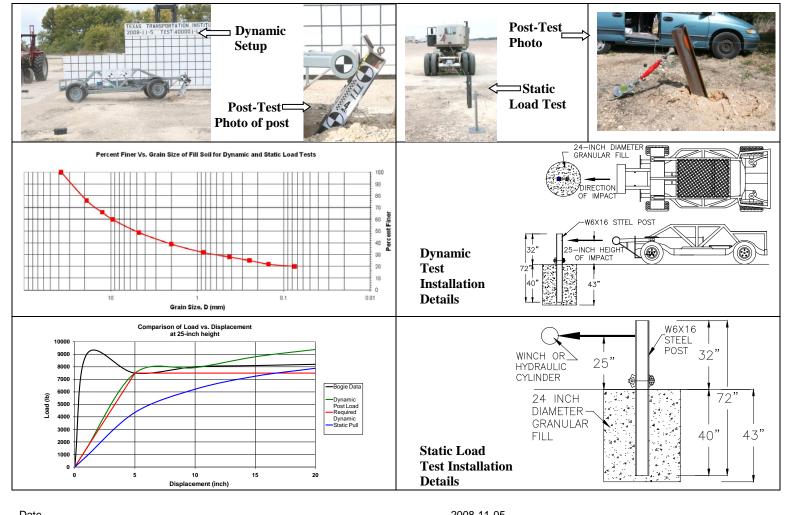
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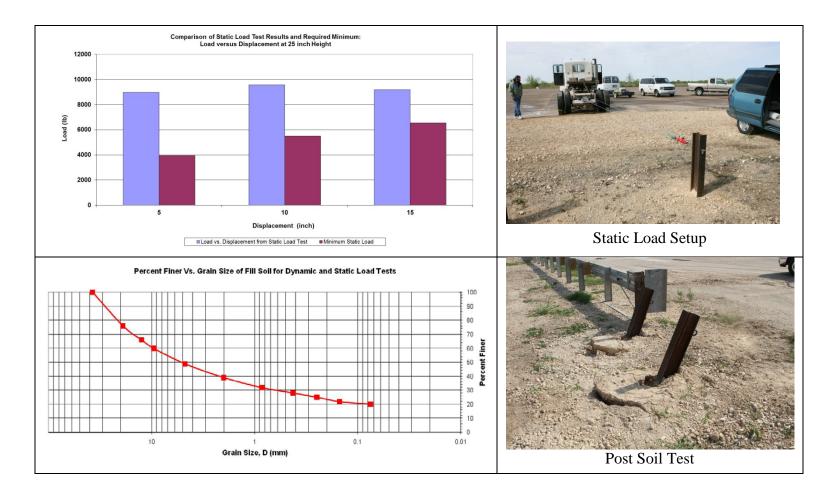


**APPENDIX C.** 

SOIL PROPERTIES

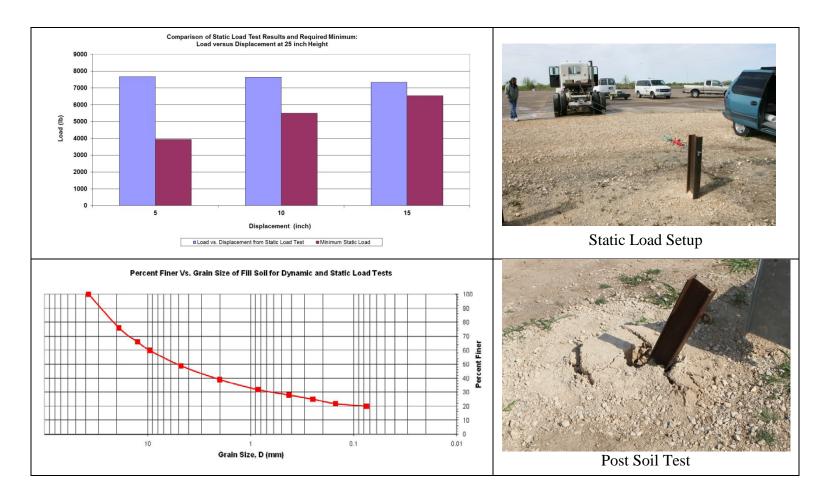
Date	2008-11-05
Test Facility and Site Location	TTI Proving Ground, 3100 SH 47, Bryan, TX 77807
In Situ Soil Description (ASTM D2487	Sandy gravel with silty fines
Fill Material Description (ASTM D2487) and sieve analysis	AASHTO Grade B Soil-Aggregate (see sieve analysis above)
Description of Fill Placement Procedure	6-inch lifts tamped with a pneumatic compactor
Bogie Weight	5009 lb
Impact Velocity	20.5 mph

Figure C1. Summary of Strong Soil Test Results for Establishing Installation Procedure.



Date	May 25, 2012
Test Facility and Site Location	TTI Proving Ground, 3100 SH 47, Bryan, TX
In Situ Soil Description (ASTM D2487)	Sandy gravel with silty fines
Fill Material Description (ASTM D2487) and sieve analysis	AASHTO Grade B Soil-Aggregate (see sieve analysis)
Description of Fill Placement Procedure	6-inch lifts tamped with a pneumatic compactor

Figure C2. Test Day Static Soil Strength Documentation for Test No. 490022-6.



Date	June 29, 2012
Test Facility and Site Location	TTI Proving Ground, 3100 SH 47, Bryan, TX
In Situ Soil Description (ASTM D2487)	Sandy gravel with silty fines
Fill Material Description (ASTM D2487) and sieve analysis	AASHTO Grade B Soil-Aggregate (see sieve analysis)
Description of Fill Placement Procedure	6-inch lifts tamped with a pneumatic compactor

Figure C3. Test Day Static Soil Strength Documentation for Test No. 490022-8.

## APPENDIX D. CRASH TEST NO. 490022-6 (MASH TEST 3-20)

### D1. TEST VEHICLE PROPERTIES AND INFORMATION

		Tabl	e D1. Veh	icle Pro	perties for T	est No. 4	90022-6.		
Date:	2012-05-	25	Test No.:	490022	2-6	VIN No.:	KNADE1	233660682	32
Year:	2006		Make:	Kia		Model:	Rio		
Tire In	flation Press	sure: <u>32</u>	psi	Odome	eter: <u>119617</u>		Tire Size:	P185/65R	14
Descri	be any dam	age to the	vehicle prio	r to test:					
• Den	otes accelei	rometer lo	cation.	4				ACCELEROMETERS	
	S:			-	EEL				WHEEL N T
Engine Engine		4 cylinder 1.6 liter		_					
•	nission Type					I	TEST I	INERTIAL C.M.	
<u>x</u> Auto or Manual <u>x</u> FWD RWD 4WD Optional Equipment:				- +					
Dummy Data: Type: <u>50<sup>th</sup> percentile male</u> Mass: <u>179 lb</u> Seat Position: Driver					W H				
Geom	-	ies			<u>+</u>		– C		<b></b> +
A	66.38	F _	33.00	K	11.00	P _	4.12	_ U_	15.75
В	57.75	G _	0470	_ L	24.12	Q _	22.19	_ V_	21.50
С D	165.75 34.00	Н_	34.72 7.12	M N	57.75 57.12	R _ S	15.38 7.62	_ W	<u>39.50</u> 108.50
E	98.75	י <u>–</u> J	21.00	0	30.62	з_ т	66.12	_ ^ _	100.00
	Center Ht F	_	11.00		Center Ht Rea	_	11.00		
GVW	R Ratings:		Mass: Ib	(	<u>Curb</u>	Test	Inertial	Gros	s Static
Front		1918	M <sub>front</sub>		1598		1577		1670
Back		1874	M <sub>rear</sub>		891		852		932
Total		3638	M <sub>Total</sub>		2489		2423		2602
Mass Ib	Distributior	n: LF:	763	RF:	808	LR:	460	RR:;	392

#### Table D2. Exterior Crush Measurements for Test No. 490022-6.

Date:	2012-05-25	Test No.:	490022-6	VIN No.:	KNADE123366068232
Year:	2006	Make:	Kia	Model:	Rio

### VEHICLE CRUSH MEASUREMENT SHEET<sup>1</sup>

Complete When Applicable										
End Damage	Side Damage									
Undeformed end width	Bowing: B1 X1									
Corner shift: A1	B2 X2									
A2										
End shift at frame (CDC)	Bowing constant									
(check one)	<i>X</i> 1+ <i>X</i> 2									
< 4 inches										
≥ 4 inches										

#### Note: Measure $C_1$ to $C_6$ from Driver to Passenger side in Front or Rear impacts – Rear to Front in Side Impacts.

a : c		Direct I	Damage								
Specific Impact Number	Plane* of C-Measurements	Width** (CDC)	Max*** Crush	Field L**	C <sub>1</sub>	$C_2$	C <sub>3</sub>	$C_4$	C <sub>5</sub>	C <sub>6</sub>	±D
1	Front plane at bumper ht	12	12	18	12	8	6	5.5	3	0	-9
2	Side plane at bumper ht	20	11	48	0	1.5	6.75	8.5	9	11	152
	Measurements recorded										
	in inches										

<sup>1</sup>Table taken from National Accident Sampling System (NASS).

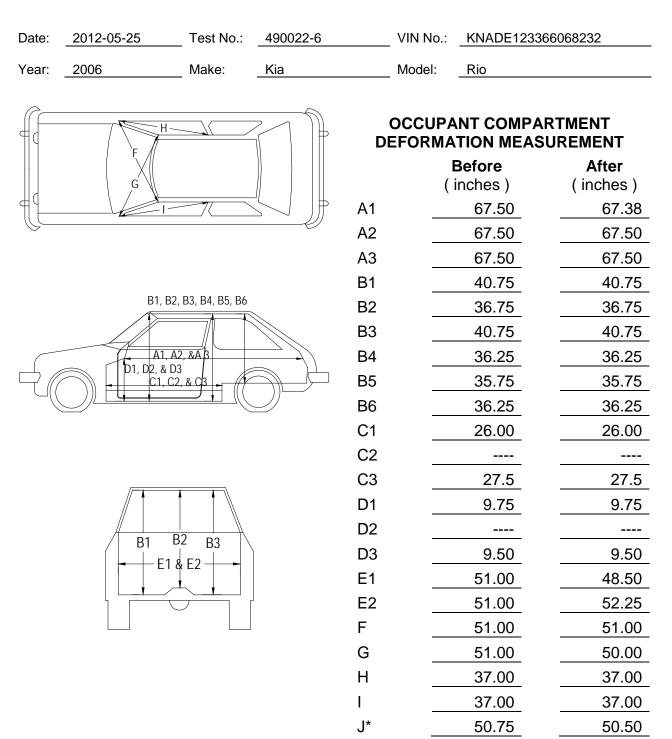
\*Identify the plane at which the C-measurements are taken (e.g., at bumper, above bumper, at sill, above sill, at beltline, etc.) or label adjustments (e.g., free space).

Free space value is defined as the distance between the baseline and the original body contour taken at the individual C locations. This may include the following: bumper lead, bumper taper, side protrusion, side taper, etc. Record the value for each C-measurement and maximum crush.

\*\*Measure and document on the vehicle diagram the beginning or end of the direct damage width and field L (e.g., side damage with respect to undamaged axle).

\*\*\*Measure and document on the vehicle diagram the location of the maximum crush.

Note: Use as many lines/columns as necessary to describe each damage profile.



### Table D3. Occupant Compartment Measurements for Test No. 490022-6.

\*Lateral area across the cab from

driver's side kickpanel to passenger's side kickpanel.

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## Figure D1. Sequential Photographs for Test No. 490022-6 (Overhead and Frontal Views).

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SEQUENTIAL PHOTOGRAPHS





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0.360 s





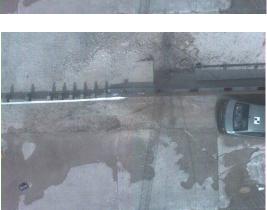


Figure D1. Sequential Photographs for Test No. 490022-6 (Overhead and Frontal Views) (continued).

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Figure D2. Sequential Photographs for Test No. 490022-6 (Field Side Transition Views).

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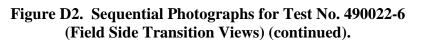
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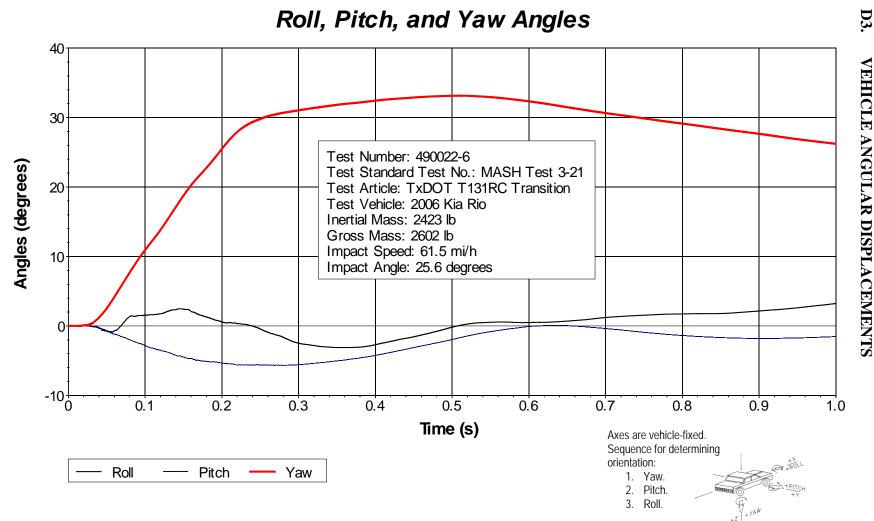


Figure D3. Vehicle Angular Displacements for Test No. 490022-6.

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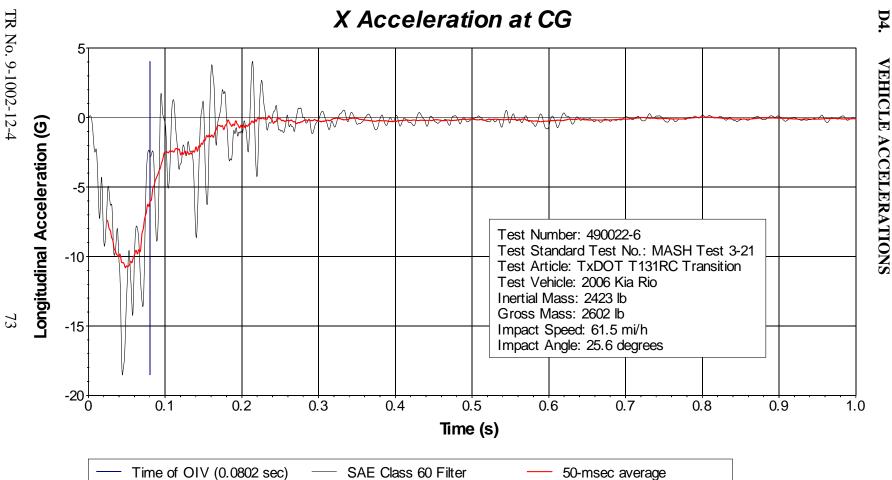


Figure D4. Vehicle Longitudinal Accelerometer Trace for Test No. 490022-6 (Accelerometer Located at Center of Gravity).

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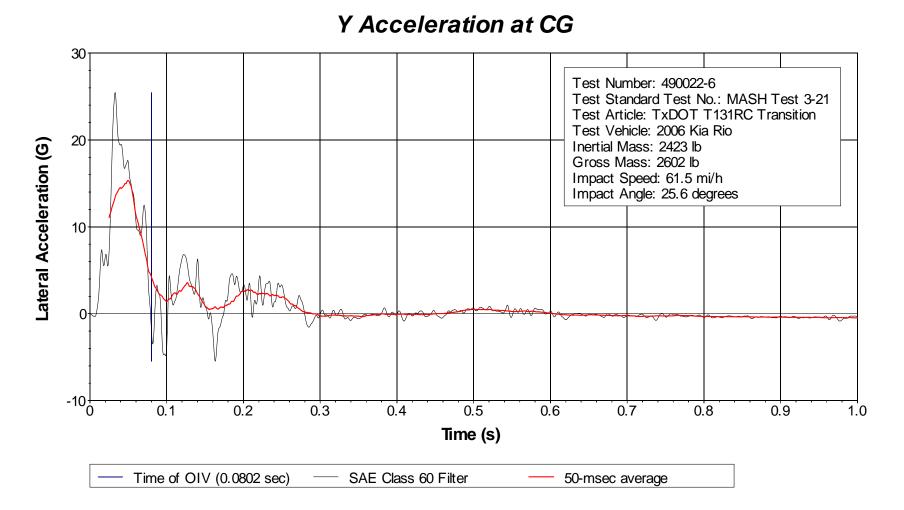


Figure D5. Vehicle Lateral Accelerometer Trace for Test No. 490022-6 (Accelerometer Located at Center of Gravity).

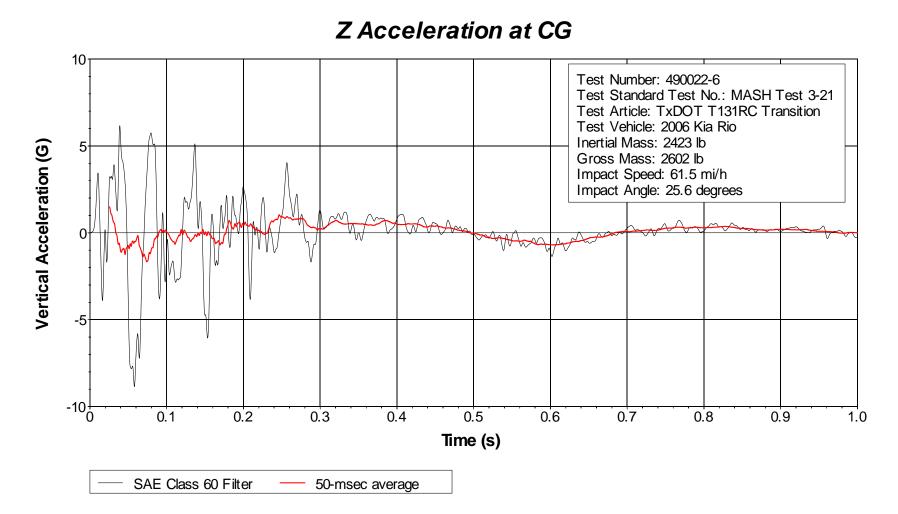
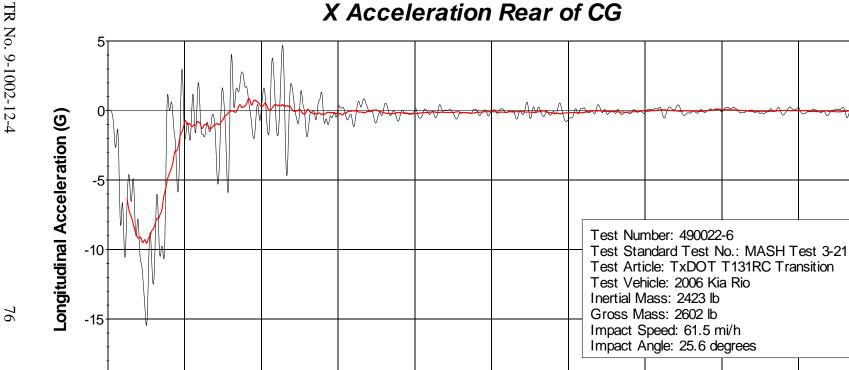


Figure D6. Vehicle Vertical Accelerometer Trace for Test No. 490022-6 (Accelerometer Located at Center of Gravity).



0.3

0.4

50-msec average

### Figure D7. Vehicle Longitudinal Accelerometer Trace for Test No. 490022-6 (Accelerometer Located Rear of Center of Gravity).

0.5

Time (s)

0.6

0.7

0.8

0.9

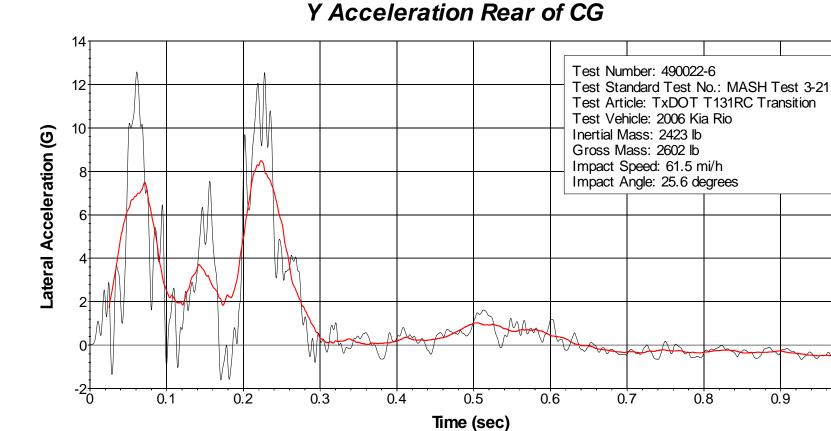
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-20

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SAE Class 60 Filter

0.2



50-msec average

Figure D8. Vehicle Lateral Accelerometer Trace for Test No. 490022-6 (Accelerometer Located Rear of Center of Gravity).

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1.0

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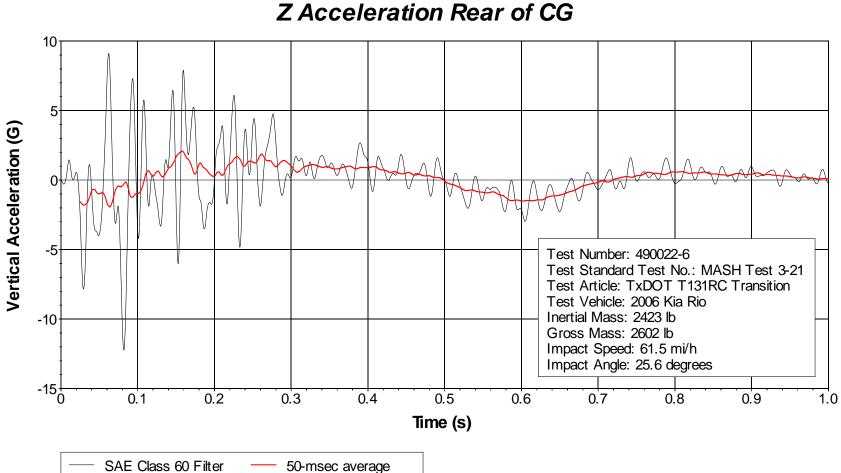


Figure D9. Vehicle Vertical Accelerometer Trace for Test No. 490022-6 (Accelerometer Located Rear of Center of Gravity).

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## APPENDIX E. CRASH TEST NO. 490022-8 (MASH TEST 3-21)

## E1. TEST VEHICLE PROPERTIES AND INFORMATION

## Table E1. Vehicle Properties for Test No. 490022-8.

Date:	2012-06-29		Test No.:	490022-8		VIN No.:	1DTHA1821	8J04150	
Year:	2008		Make:	Dodge		Model:	Ram 1500		
Tire Size	e: _265/7	0R17			Tire I	nflation Pres	ssure: <u>35 ps</u> i	i	
Tread T	ype: <u>High</u>	vay				Odor	neter: <u>13984</u>	19	
Note an	y damage to	the veh	nicle prior to t	est:					
<ul> <li>Denot</li> </ul>	tes acceleror	neter lo	ocation.			<b>▲</b> ×	•		
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Engine <sup>-</sup> Engine (		8 7 liter			IEEL ACK				WHEEL TRACK
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Geomet	t <b>ry:</b> inches	i			-	FRONT	— C —	Ψ M rear	_
Α	78.25	F _	36.00	К	20.50	P	2.88	U	28.50
В	75.00	G _	29.00	_ L	29.12	Q	31.25	V	29.50
C _ 2	223.75	н_	61.21	M	68.50	R	18.38	W	59.50
D	47.25	Ι	13.75	N	68.00	S	12.00	Х	78.00
	40.50 el Center	J_	25.38	O Wheel We	44.50	_ T _	77.50 Bottom Frame		
	ight Front		14.75 Cle	arance (Front		5.00	Height - Front		17.125
	el Center		14.75 Cle	Wheel We arance (Rear	II )	10.25	Bottom Frame Height - Rear		24.75
					/		-		
	Ratings:		Mass: Ib	<u>C</u>	<u>urb</u>	Test	Inertial	<u>Gross</u>	Static
Front	370		M <sub>front</sub>		2870		2830		
Back	390		M <sub>rear</sub>		2152		2185		
Total	670	0	M <sub>Total</sub>		5022		5015		
Mass D Ib	istribution:	LF:	1426	RF:	1404	LR:	1069 F	R: 11	16
				· · · · · —					

## Table E2. Vehicle Parametric Measurements for Vertical CG.

Date: 2012-06	<u>6-29</u> Te	st No.: 4	90022-8	<u> </u>	/IN: <u>1D</u>	THA1821	8J0415	0	
Year: 2008		Make: D	odge		Model:	Ram 150	00		
Body Style: _Q	uad Cab			N	/lileage:	139849			
Engine: 5.7 lit	er V-8			Transr	nission:	Automati	С		
Fuel Level: E	mpty	Balla	st: <u>80 l</u>	bs in front	of bed			(440 lb	max)
Tire Pressure:	Front: 3	35 psi	Rear	35	psi S	ize: <u>265</u>	/70R17		
Measured Ve	hicle Wei	ghts: (I	b)						
LF:	1426		RF:	1404		Fron	t Axle:	2830	
LR:	1069		RR:	1116		Rea	r Axle:	2185	
Left:	2495		Right:	2520			Total:	5015	
							5000 ±11	0 lb allow ed	
Wh	eel Base:	140.5	inches	Track: F:	68.	5 inches	R:	68	inches
	148 ±12 inch	es allow ed			Track = (F	+R)/2 = 67 ±1	1.5 inches	allow ed	
Center of Gra	<b>avity</b> , SAE	J874 Sus	spension N	<i>l</i> ethod					
X:	61.21	in	Rear of F	ront Axle	(63 +4 incl	nes allow ed)			
Y:	0.17	in	Left -	Right +	or venic	le Center	line		
Z:	29	in	Above Gr	ound	(minumum	28.0 inches	allow ed)		
Hood Heigh	st.	44 50	inches	Front B	umper H	oiaht <sup>.</sup>	24	5.375 inc	hos
r iood r ieigi		ches allowed		TIONED	umper n	eignt		<u></u> Inc	1105
Front Overhan	g:	36.00	inches	Rear B	umper H	eight:	29	9.125 inc	hes
	-	ches allowed			-				
Overall Lengt	h:	223.75	inches						
	237 ±13	inches allowe	d						

#### Table E3. Exterior Crush Measurements for Test No. 490022-8.

Date:	2012-06-29	Test No.:	490022-8	VIN No.:	1DTHA18218J04150
Year:	2008	Make:	Dodge	Model:	Ram 1500

### VEHICLE CRUSH MEASUREMENT SHEET<sup>1</sup>

Complete When Applicable									
End Damage	Side Damage								
Undeformed end width	Bowing: B1 X1								
Corner shift: A1	B2 X2								
A2									
End shift at frame (CDC)	Bowing constant								
(check one)	X1+X2 _								
< 4 inches									
≥ 4 inches									

#### Note: Measure $C_1$ to $C_6$ from Driver to Passenger side in Front or Rear impacts – Rear to Front in Side Impacts.

с : с		Direct Damage									
Specific Impact Number	Plane* of C-Measurements	Width** (CDC)	Max*** Crush	Field L**	C1	C <sub>2</sub>	C <sub>3</sub>	C <sub>4</sub>	C <sub>5</sub>	C <sub>6</sub>	±D
Meas	Measurements not taken due to impact with secondary barrier.										

<sup>1</sup>Table taken from National Accident Sampling System (NASS).

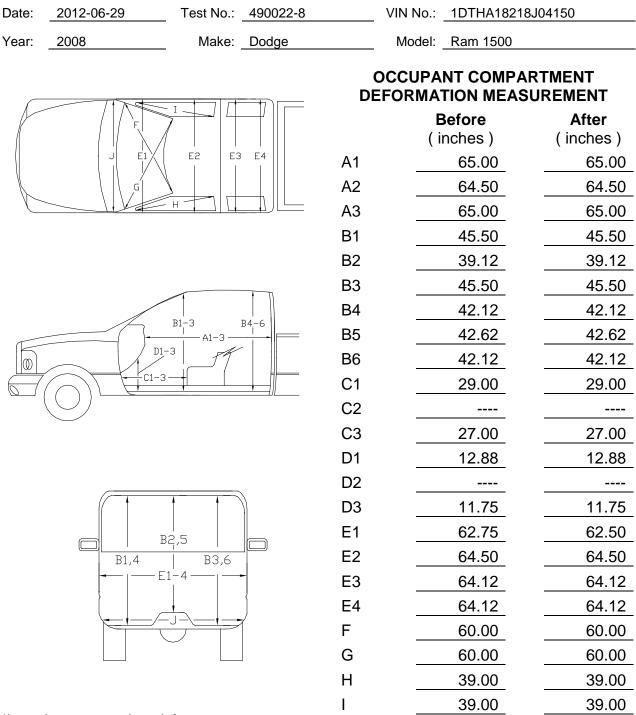
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\*\*Measure and document on the vehicle diagram the beginning or end of the direct damage width and field L (e.g., side damage with respect to undamaged axle).

\*\*\*Measure and document on the vehicle diagram the location of the maximum crush.

Note: Use as many lines/columns as necessary to describe each damage profile.



### Table E4. Occupant Compartment Measurements for Test No. 490022-8.

\*Lateral area across the cab from driver's side kickpanel to passenger's side kickpanel.

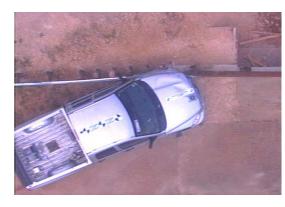
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## E2. SEQUENTIAL PHOTOGRAPHS







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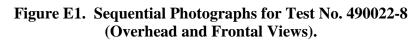












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Figure E1. Sequential Photographs for Test No. 490022-8 (Overhead and Frontal Views) (continued).

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Vehicle out of view

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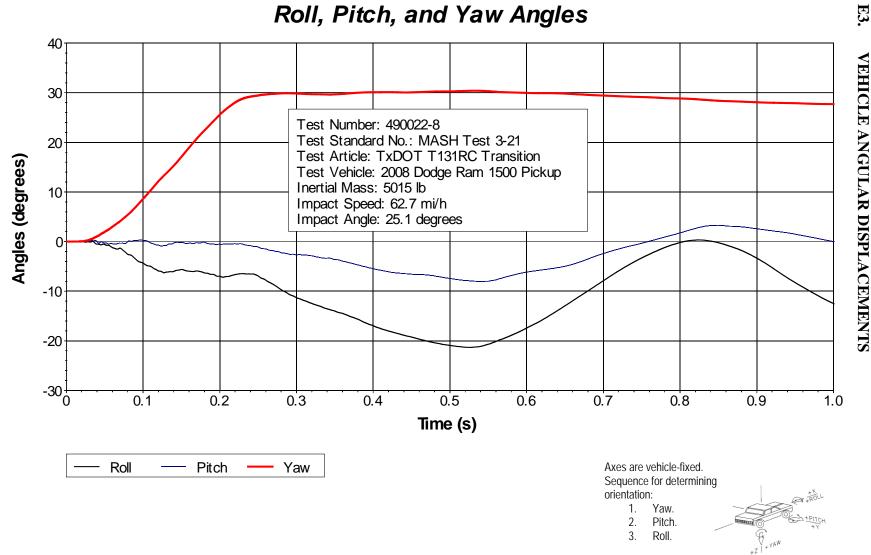


Figure E2. Vehicle Angular Displacements for Test No. 490022-8.

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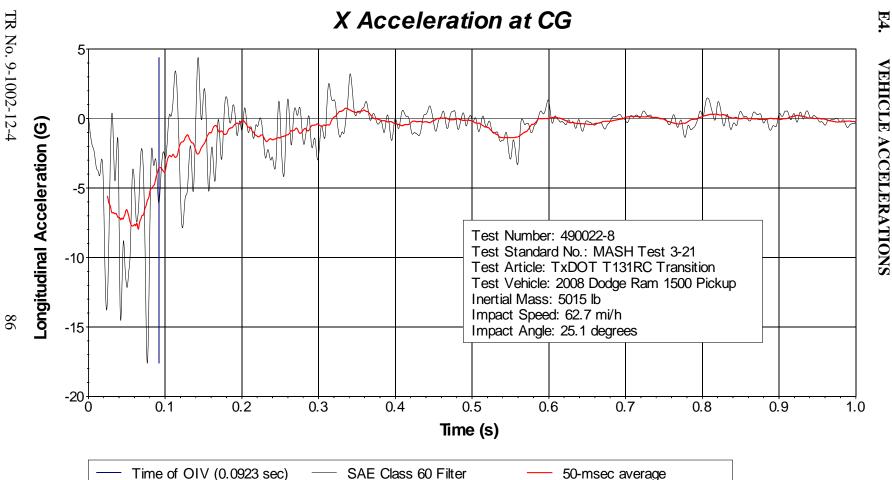
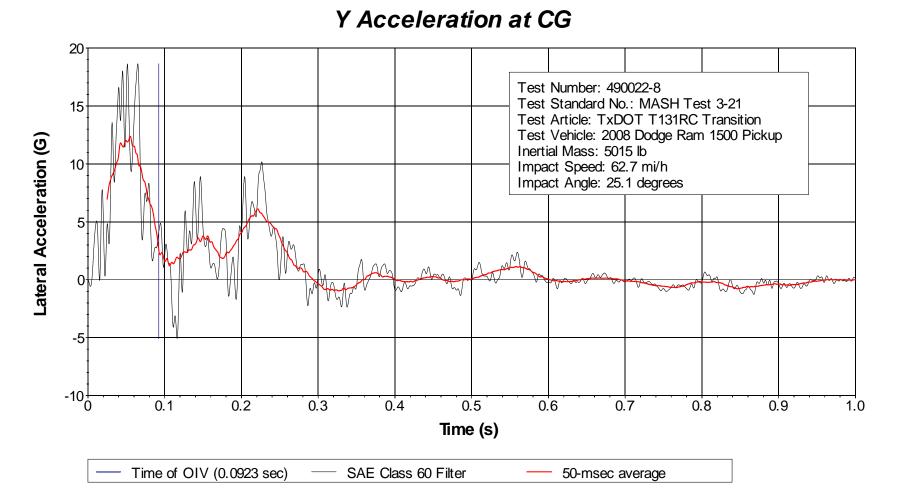


Figure E3. Vehicle Longitudinal Accelerometer Trace for Test No. 490022-8 (Accelerometer Located at Center of Gravity).

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### Figure E4. Vehicle Lateral Accelerometer Trace for Test No. 490022-8 (Accelerometer Located at Center of Gravity).

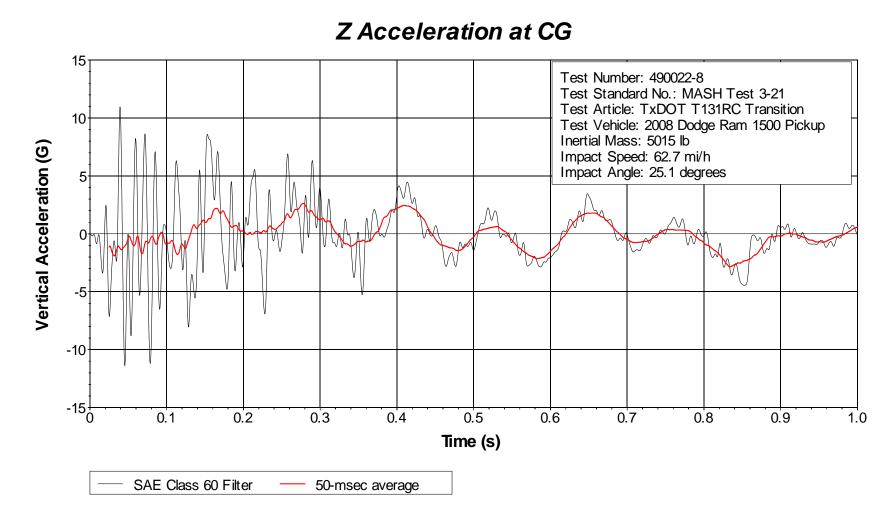


Figure E5. Vehicle Vertical Accelerometer Trace for Test No. 490022-8 (Accelerometer Located at Center of Gravity).

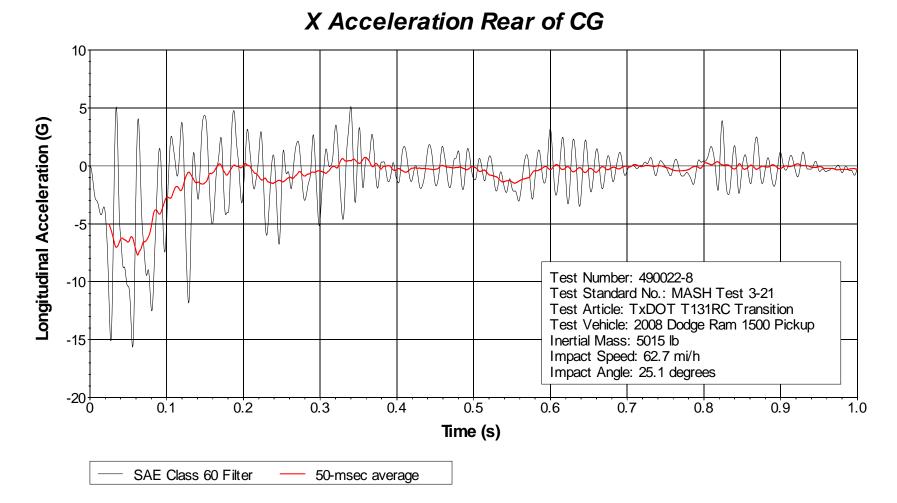
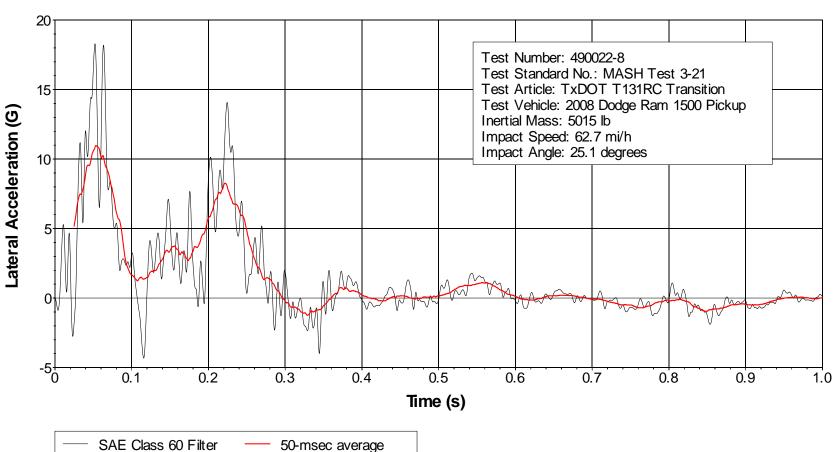


Figure E6. Vehicle Longitudinal Accelerometer Trace for Test No. 490022-8 (Accelerometer Located Rear of Center of Gravity).



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Figure E7. Vehicle Lateral Accelerometer Trace for Test No. 490022-8 (Accelerometer Located Rear of Center of Gravity).

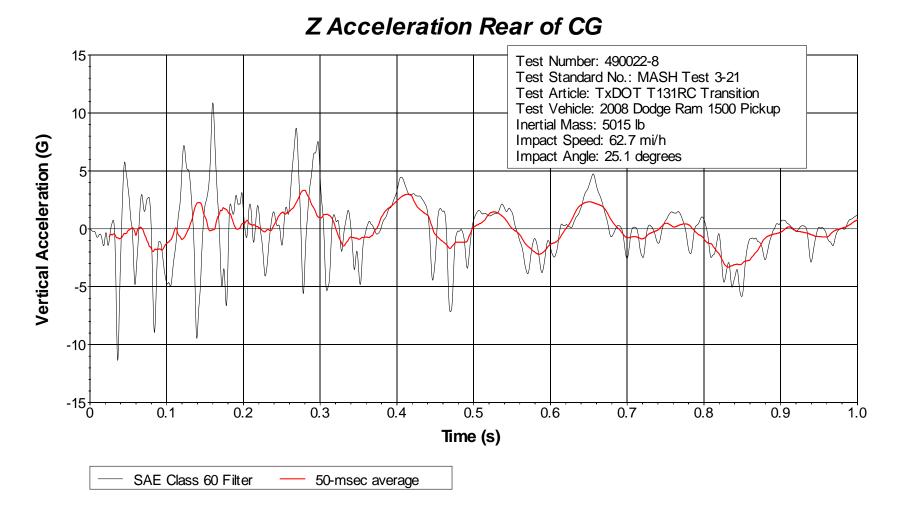


Figure E8. Vehicle Vertical Accelerometer Trace for Test No. 490022-8 (Accelerometer Located Rear of Center of Gravity).