

Appendix 5.

Test Results from Sample of Aggregate Produced in Quarry on Bowater Mersey Paper Company Limited Property

Materials were used by Dexter Construction Co. Ltd. in a Nova Scotia Department of Transportation and Public Works highway contract.

TEST DATA								
CONTRACT NO:		96-020						
CONTRACTOR:		Dexter Construction Co. Ltd.						
PIT NAME:		Bowater, Hwy 103						
PIT LOCATION:		St. Margarets Bay, Halifax County						
AGGREGATE TEST DATA								
Source	Material	Specific Gravity (Bulk)	Abs. (%)	F.I (%)	FRAC (%)	P.N.	L.A. Loss (%)	Soundness Loss (%)
Bowater	14 mm stone	2.621	0.7	16	100	113	32.0	1.9
		2.594	0.6					3.1
		2.586	0.9					1.8
MIX DESIGN AND FIELD TEST DATA								
Recommended Mix		Job Mix Formula	Marshall Test Results					
					Design Mix	Field Avg.	Field Std. Dev	
Hot Feed:			Mix Type		C-HF			
Stone:	48%	46%	Max. Theor. S.G.		2.411	2.432	0.010	
Sand:	52%	54%	B.S.G.		2.336	2.350	0.014	
Asp:	5.50%	5.50%	Air Voids (%)		3.1	3.3	0.635	
			V.M.A.		15.3	14.7	0.474	
Cold Feed:			Stability (KN)		10.6	8.9	1.210	
14 mm Stone	47%	48%	Flow (0.25 mm)		10	11	1.814	
Cr. Fines	38%	40%	p5000 (%)		52	54	3.684	
Natural Sand	15%	12%	p80 (%)		5.4	4.8	0.402	
			Asp (%)		5.50	5.3	0.318	
COMPACTION								
Mix Type:			C-HF					
Number of Cores:			130					
Average Core Thickness:			46 mm					
Average Core Air Voids (%):			5.4%					
Average Core Compaction (%):			97.8%					