

SUPERELEVATION RATES (e) FOR URBAN HIGHWAYS AND HIGH SPEED URBAN STREETS

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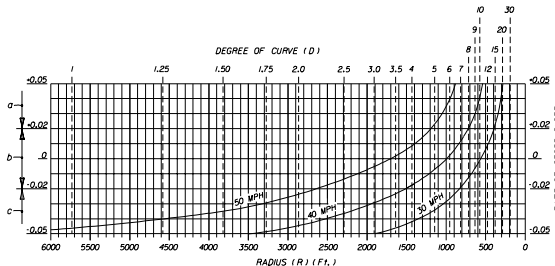
GENERAL NOTES

- Maximum rate of superlevation for urban highways and high speed urban streets shall be 0.05.
- Superlevation shall be obtained by rotating the plane successively about the break points of the section until the plane has attained a slope equal to that required by the chart. Should the rotation traverse the entire section and further superlevation be required, the remaining rotation of the plane shall be about the low edge of the inside travel lane.
Crown is to be removed in the auxiliary lane to the outside of the curve only when the adjoining travel lanes require positive superlevation.
- When positive superlevation is required, the slope of the gutter on the high side shall be a continuation of the slope of the superelevated pavement.
- In construction, short vertical curves shall be placed at all angular profile breaks within the limits of the superlevation transition.
- The variable superlevation transition length "L" shall have a minimum value of 50 feet for design speeds under 40 MPH and 75 feet for design speeds of 40 MPH or greater.
- Roadway sections having lane arrangements different from those shown, but composed of a series of planes, shall be superelevated in a similar manner.
- For superlevation of lower speed urban streets, see the FDOT Manual Of Uniform Minimum Standards For Design, Construction And Maintenance For Streets And Highways'. For superlevation of curves on rural highways, urban freeways and high speed urban highways, see Index No. 510.

TABULATED VALUES

Degree Of Curve (D)	Radius (R) (FT.)	Design Speed (mph)					
		30	35	40	45	50	
2° 00'	2,865	NC	NC	NC	NC	NC	
2° 15'	2,546					RC	
2° 45'	2,083					NC	
3° 00'	1,910					RC	
3° 45'	1,528			NC			
4° 00'	1,432			RC			
4° 45'	1,206					RC	
5° 00'	1,146		NC				0.023
5° 15'	1,091		RC				0.027
5° 30'	1,042						0.030
5° 45'	996						0.035
6° 00'	955					RC	0.040
6° 15'	917						0.022 0.045
6° 30'	881						0.024 0.050
6° 45'	849						0.027 Dmax. + 6° 30'
7° 00'	819		NC				0.030
7° 15'	790		RC				0.033
7° 30'	764						0.037
7° 45'	739						0.041
8° 00'	716			RC			0.045
8° 15'	694						0.022 0.050
8° 30'	674						0.025 Dmax. + 8° 15'
8° 45'	655						0.027
9° 00'	637						0.030
9° 30'	603						0.034
10° 00'	573						0.040
10° 30'	546					RC	0.047
11° 00'	521						0.023 Dmax. + 10° 45'
11° 30'	498						0.026
12° 00'	477						0.030
13° 00'	441						0.036
14° 00'	409			RC			0.045
15° 00'	382						0.023 Dmax. + 14° 15'
16° 00'	358						0.027
17° 00'	337						0.032
18° 00'	318		NC	Normal Crown			0.038
19° 00'	302						0.043
20° 00'	286					RC	Reverse Crown (-0.02 Superlevation)
							0.050
							Dmax. + 20° 00'

CHARTED VALUES



- a) When the speed curves and the degree of curve or radius lines intersect above this line, the pavement is to be superelevated (positive slope) at the rates indicated at the lines intersecting points.
- b) When the speed curves and the degree of curve or radius lines intersect between these limits, the pavement is to be superelevated at the rate of 0.02 (positive slope).
- c) When the speed curves and the degree of curve or radius lines intersect below this line, the pavement is to have normal crown (typically 0.02 and 0.03 downward slopes).

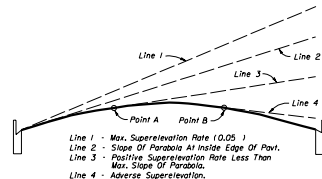
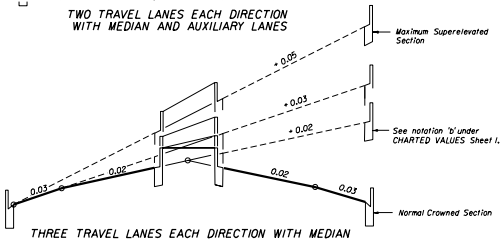
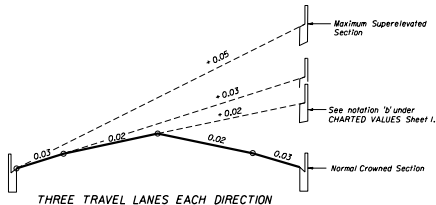
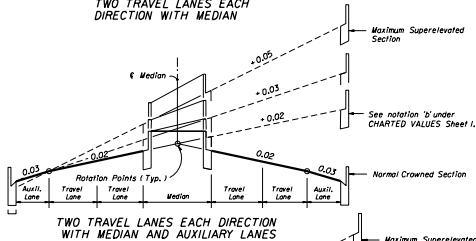
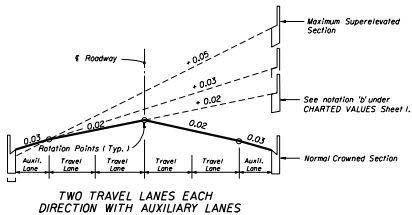
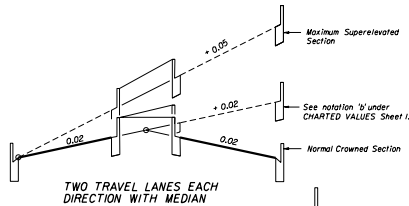
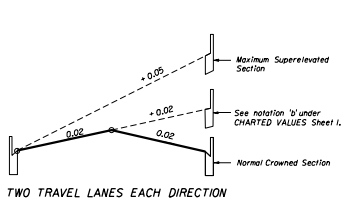
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ROAD DESIGN

SUPERELEVATION
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Super-elevation rates obtained from the chart or table on Sheet I are also applicable to a parabolic crown section. When this section is used, super-elevation is established by rotating a tangent about the arc of the parabolic crown until the desired slope is attained (points A & B on sketch). The normal parabolic crown will be maintained outside the limits of the plane thus formed.

PARABOLIC SECTION

UNDIVIDED FACILITIES

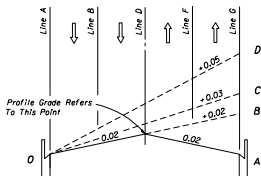
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SUPERELEVATION TRANSITION SECTIONS
FOR URBAN HIGHWAYS AND HIGH SPEED URBAN STREETS

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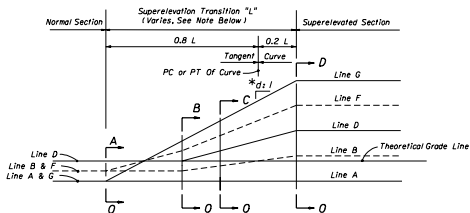
SUPERELEVATION
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SECTION O-A to O-D

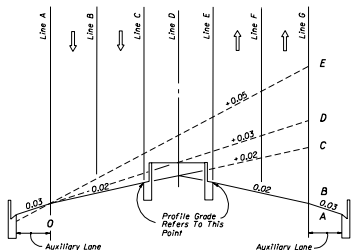
TWO LANES EACH DIRECTION



PROFILE

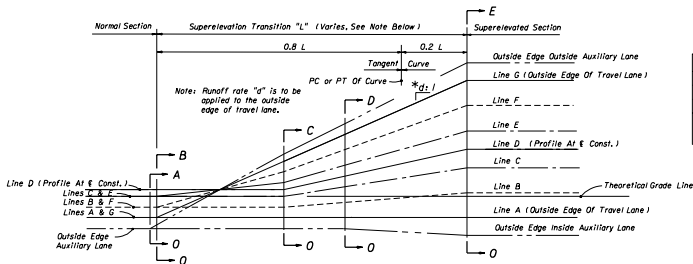
LINE	DESCRIPTION
A	Inside Travel Lane
B	Inside Lane Line
C	Inside Median Edge Pavement
D	Construction
E	Outside Median Edge Pavement
F	Outside Lane Line
G	Outside Travel Lane

Inside And Outside Are Relative To Curve Center



SECTION O-A to O-E

TWO LANES EACH DIRECTION WITH MEDIAN AND AUXILIARY LANE



PROFILE

*d (Slope Ratio)	
30 MPH	1:100
40 MPH	1:125
45-50 MPH Δ	1:150

Δ 1:125 May Be Used For 45 MPH Under Restricted Conditions.

Note: The sections and profiles shown are examples of superelevation transitions. Similar schemes should be used for roadways having other sections.

**EXAMPLE SUPERELEVATION SECTIONS AND PROFILES
FOR URBAN HIGHWAYS AND HIGH SPEED URBAN STREETS**

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