

Pavement Asset Management Decision Support Tools: Ohio Department of Transportation Case Study

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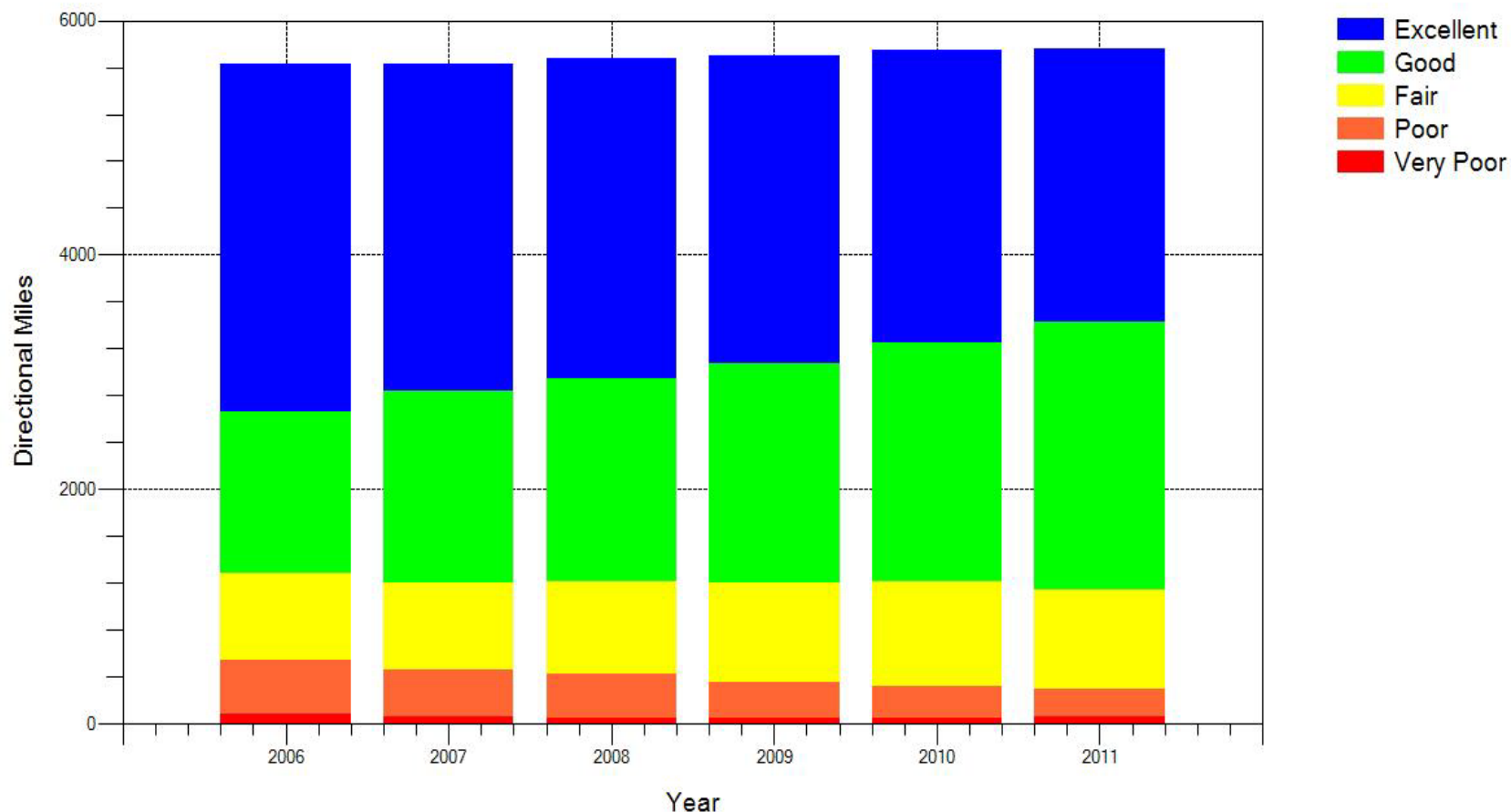
Introduction

- ❑ Aging pavement network and tight budget at most highway agencies
- ❑ Demonstrated optimal use of M&R dollars has become necessary amid calls for transparency and accountability
- ❑ Ohio DOT has developed decision support tools for pavement asset management through research projects
- ❑ Expanding from pavement to bridges and other assets
- ❑ Pilot for web access of information and tools

Dashboard Condition Reporting

PCR Mileage Report

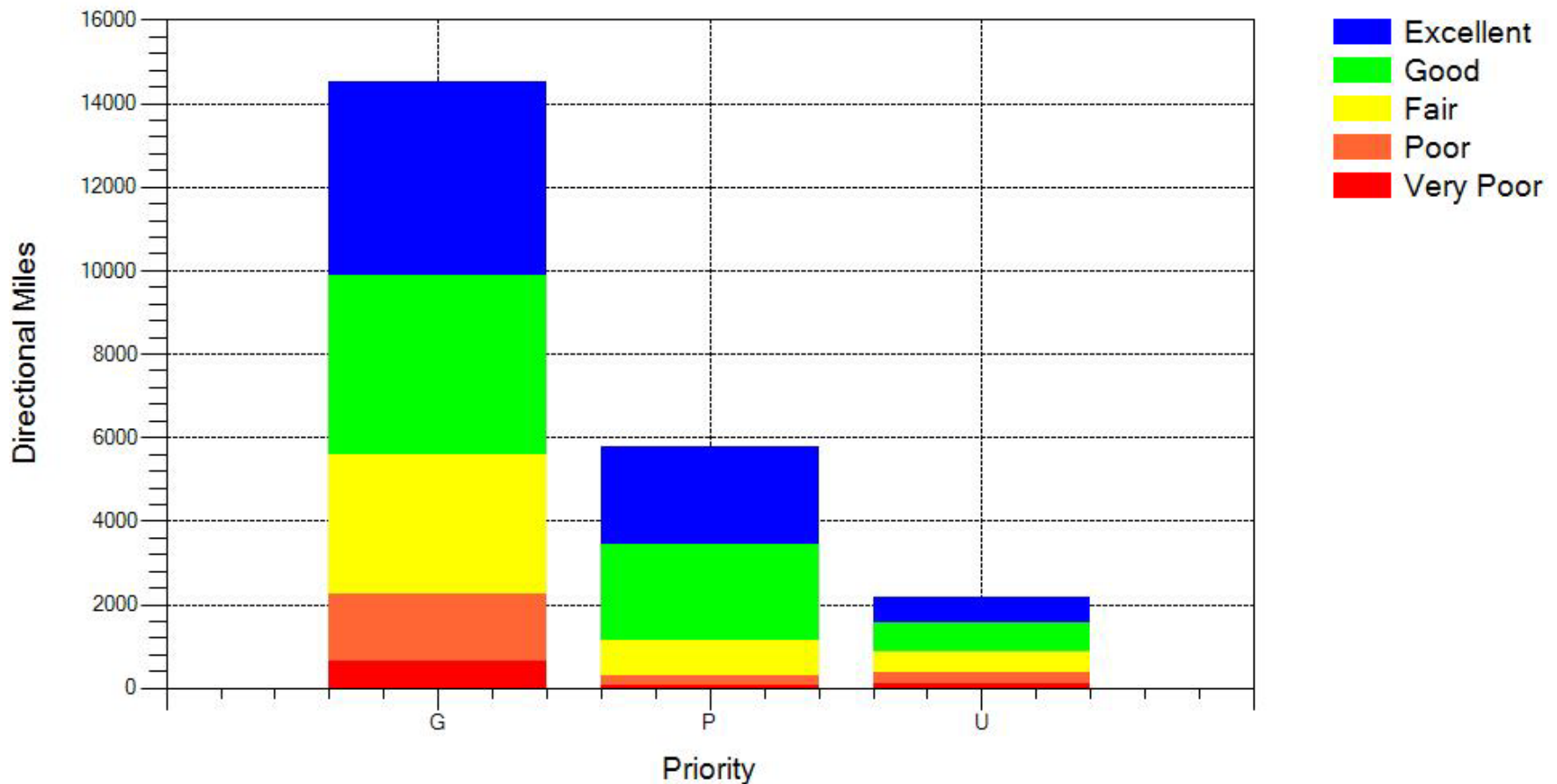
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Condition of Different Systems

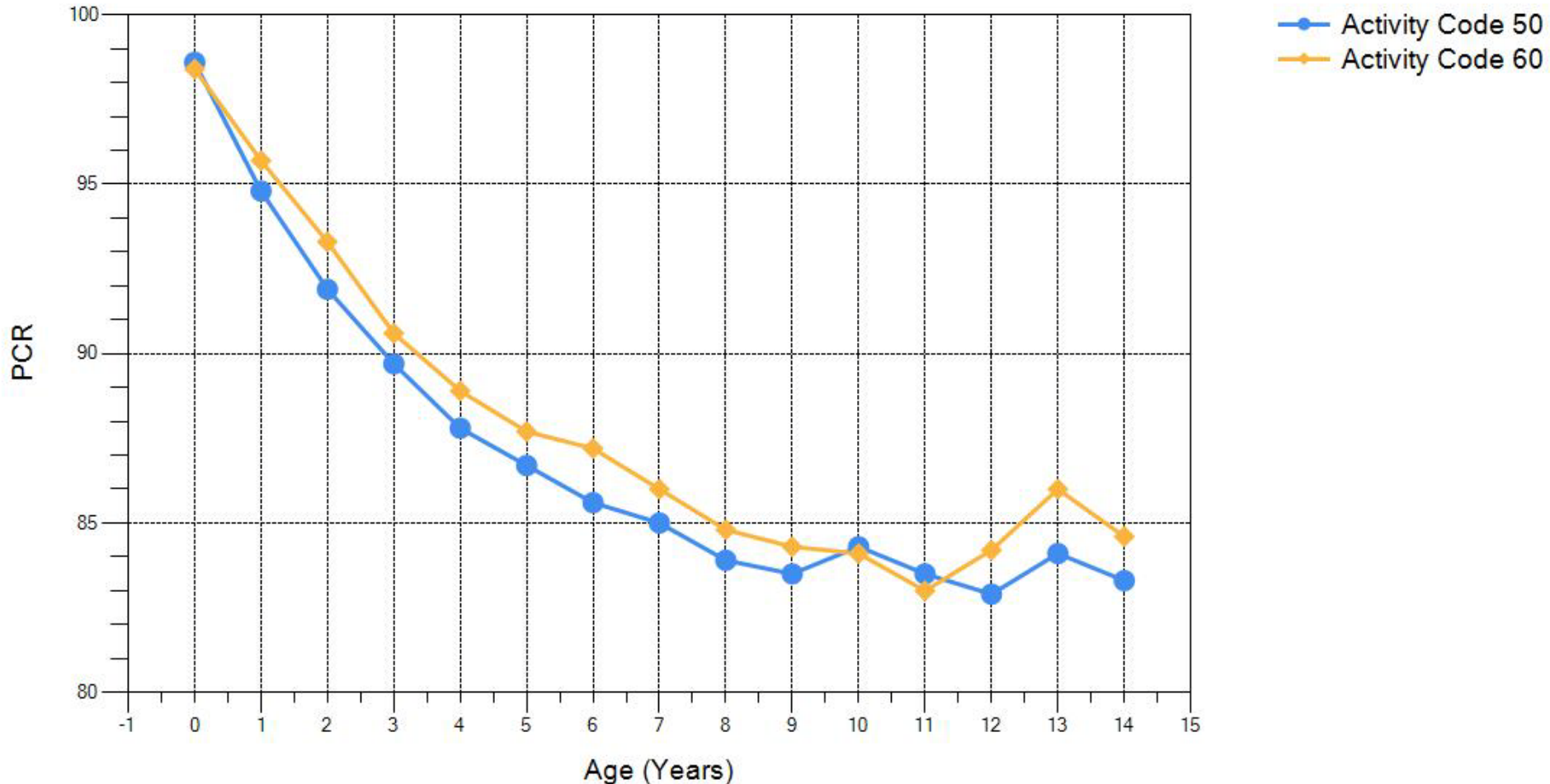
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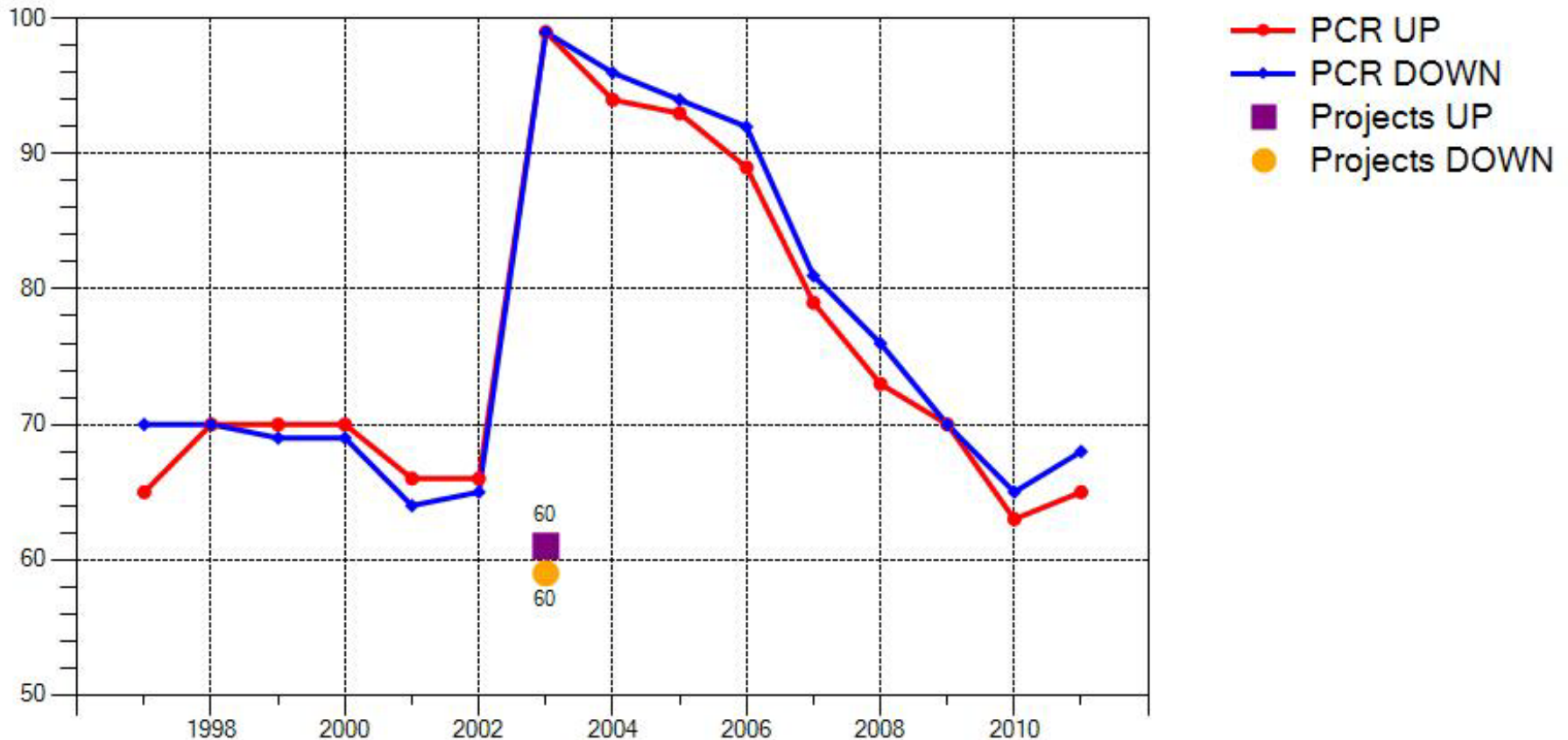
Average Treatment Performance

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Pavement Condition History

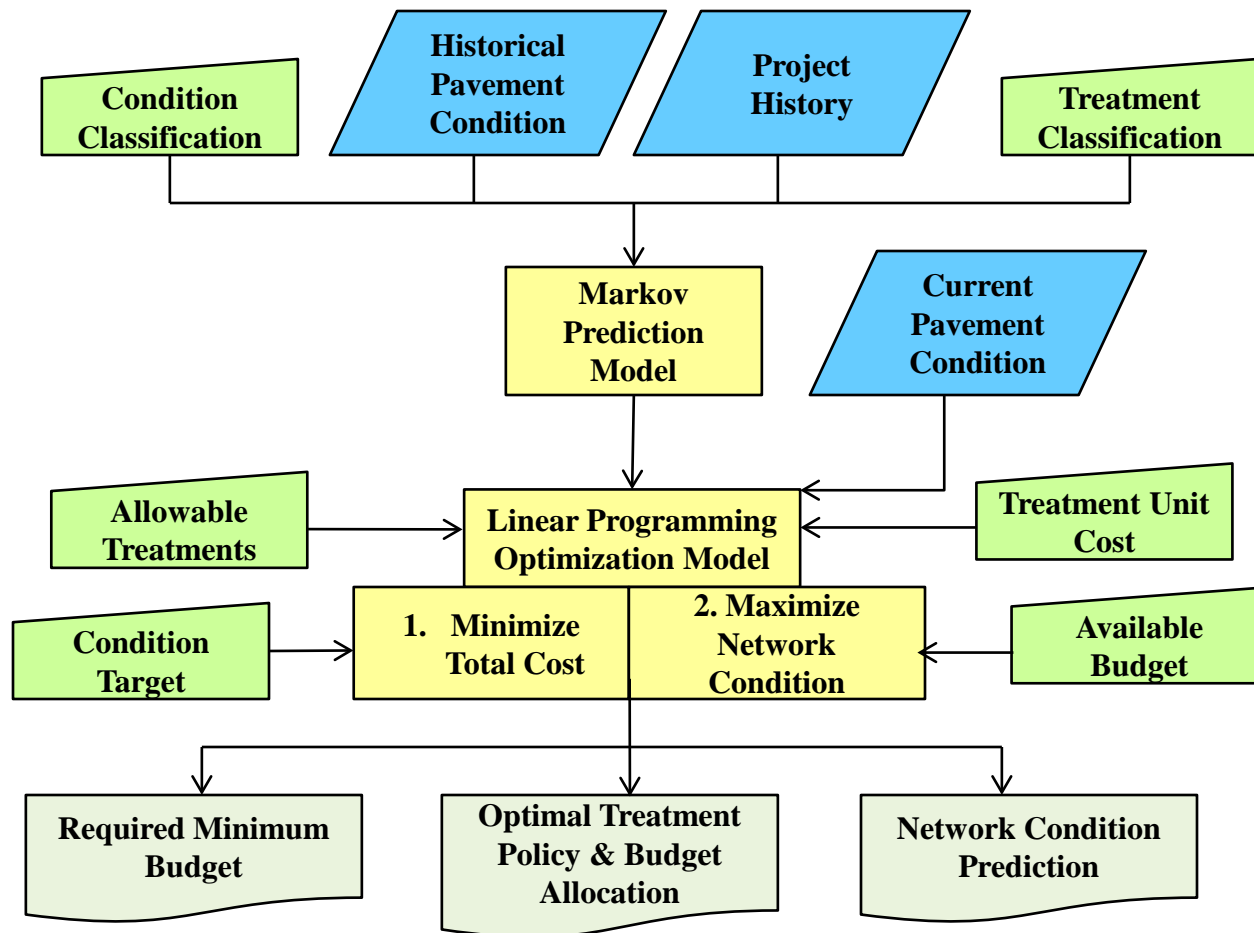
LUC 075R PCR(Manual Log) vs Year (2- 2.05)



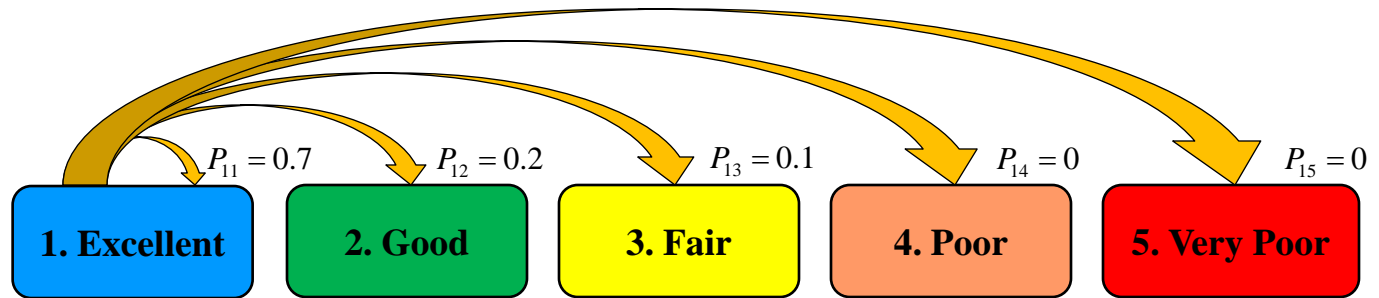
Network Level Optimization

- ❑ Supports high level asset management decisions
- ❑ Estimate the minimum budget required to achieve a desired condition level
- ❑ Maximize the benefits for a given amount of budget
- ❑ Determine treatment policy and budget allocation

Network Level Optimization



Markov Prediction Model



Markov Transition Probability Matrix:

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} p_{11} & p_{12} & p_{13} & p_{14} & p_{15} \\ p_{21} & p_{22} & p_{23} & p_{24} & p_{25} \\ p_{31} & p_{32} & p_{33} & p_{34} & p_{35} \\ p_{41} & p_{42} & p_{43} & p_{44} & p_{45} \\ p_{51} & p_{52} & p_{53} & p_{54} & p_{55} \end{bmatrix}$$

Markov Prediction Model

- ❑ System priority: General and Priority
- ❑ Pavement type: Concrete, Flexible and Composite
- ❑ Repair treatment: Preventive Maintenance, Thin Overlay, Minor Rehab and Major Rehab

$2 \times 3 \times 4 = 24$ pavement groups are formed

Treatment Matrix

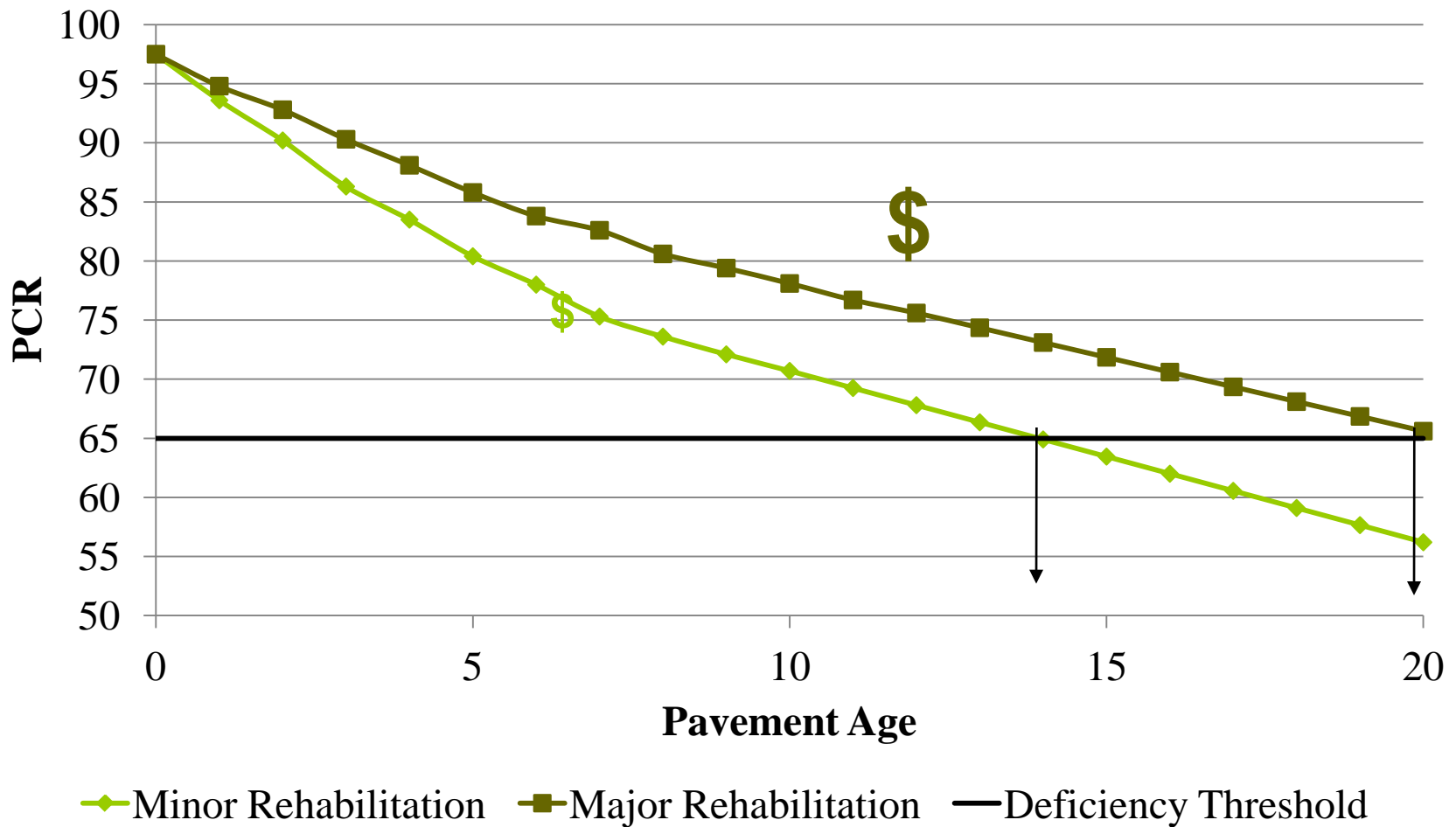
	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor	Very Poor
Excellent	1	0	0	0	0
Good	1	0	0	0	0
Fair	1	0	0	0	0
Poor	1	0	0	0	0
Very Poor	1	0	0	0	0

Do Nothing Matrix

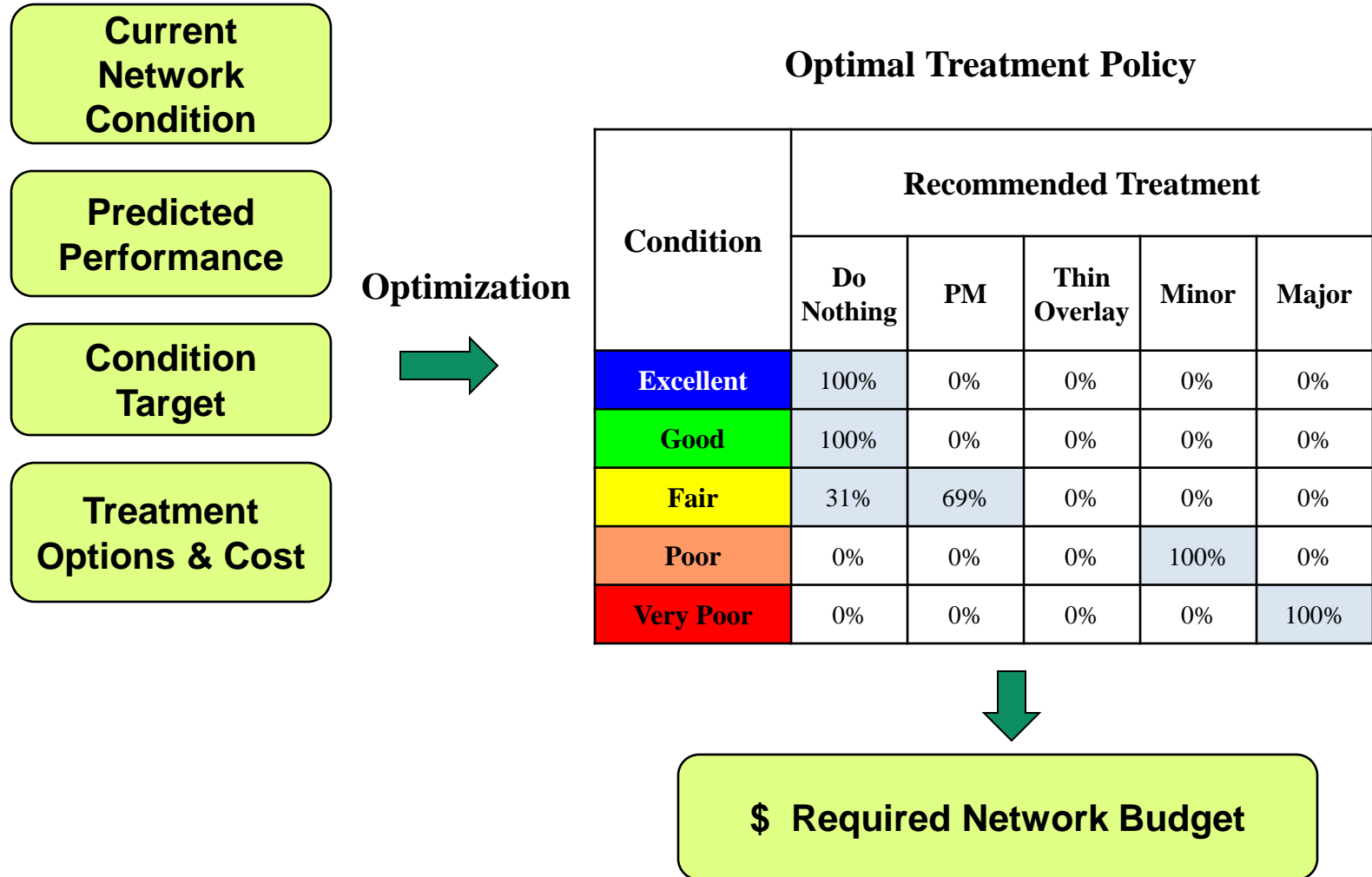
	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor	Very Poor
Excellent	0.82	0.18	0	0	0
Good	0	0.73	0.27	0	0
Fair	0	0	0.69	0.31	0
Poor	0	0	0	0.58	0.42
Very Poor	0	0	0	0	1

Performance vs. Treatment Cost

Pavement Condition Deterioration Trend

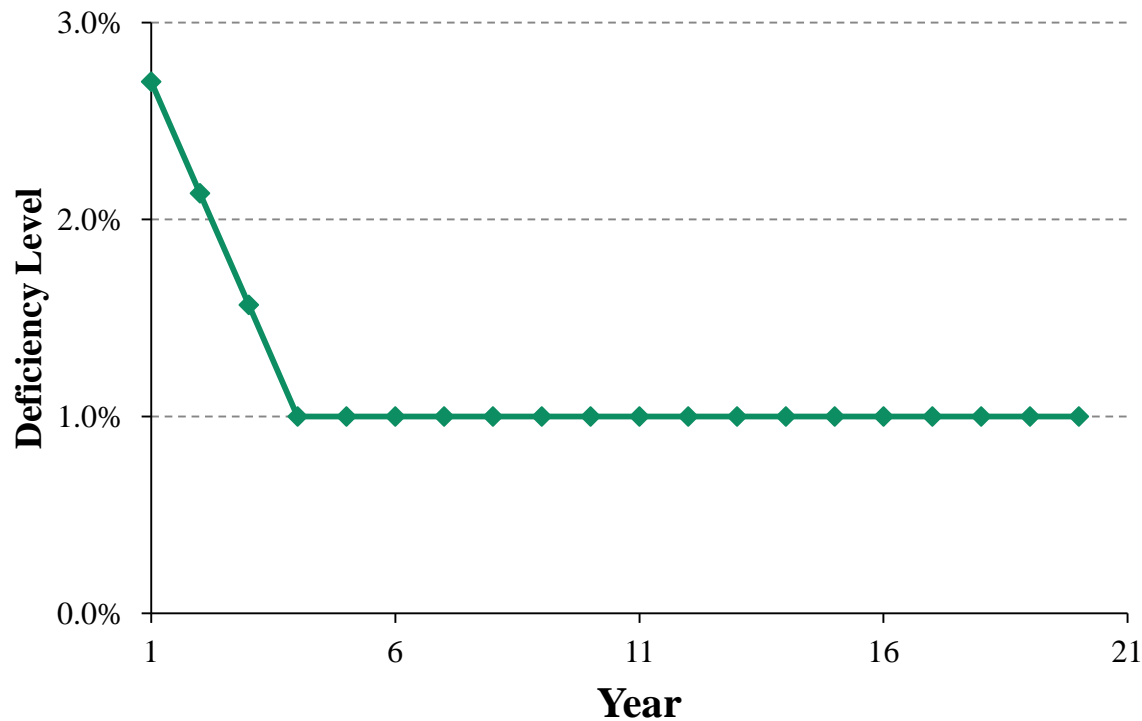


Determination of Treatment Policy



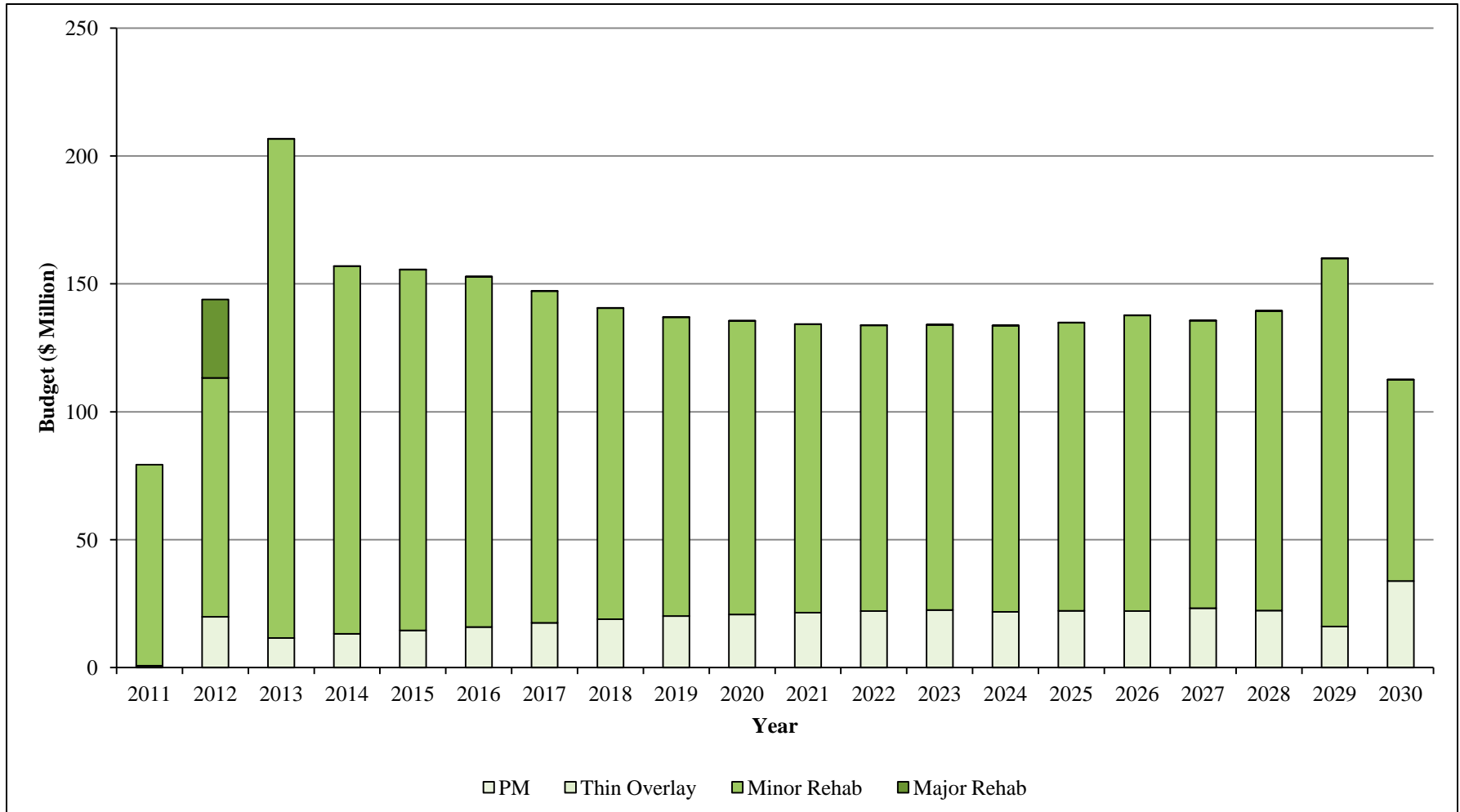
Minimum Budget Required to Achieve a Condition Level

Condition Target

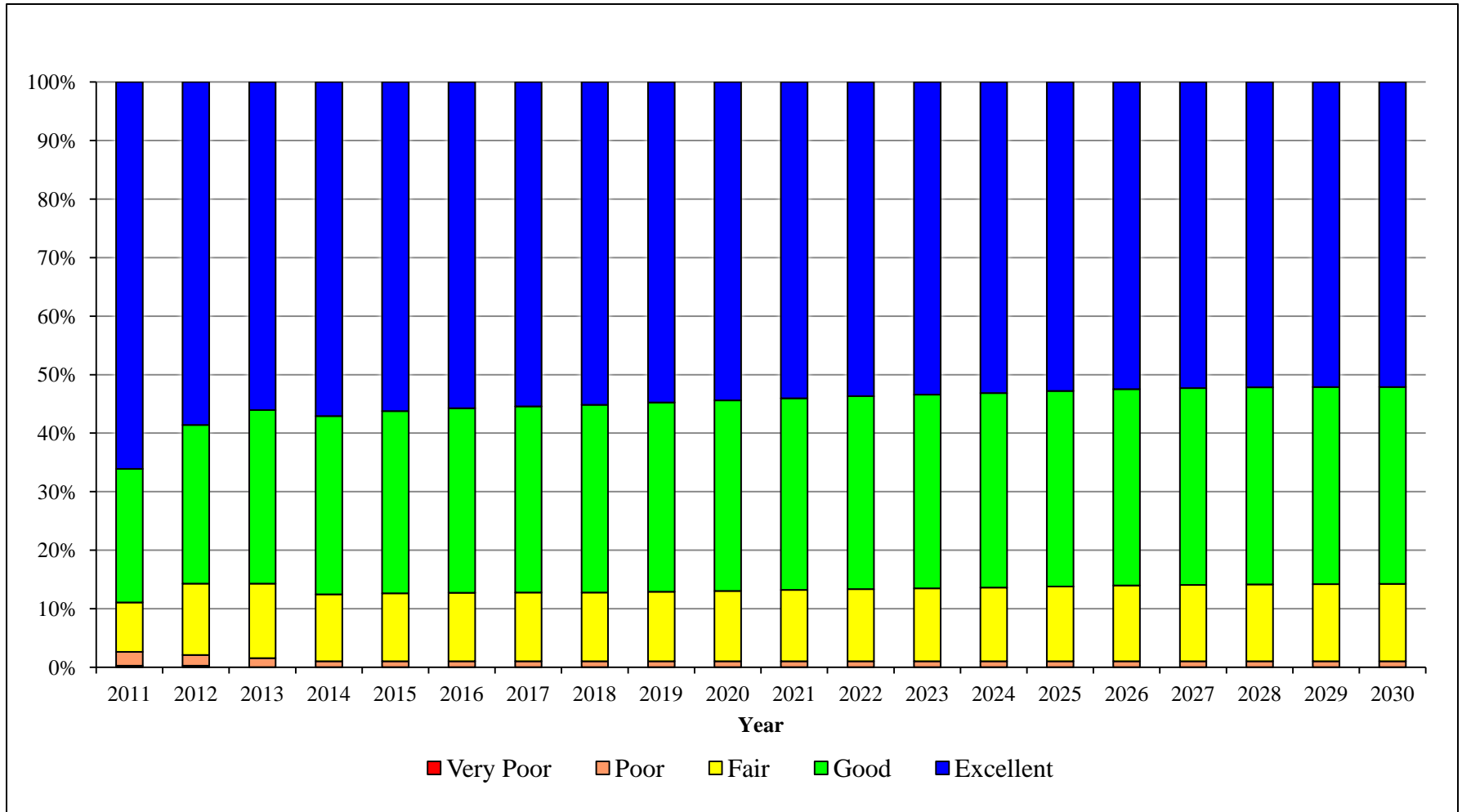


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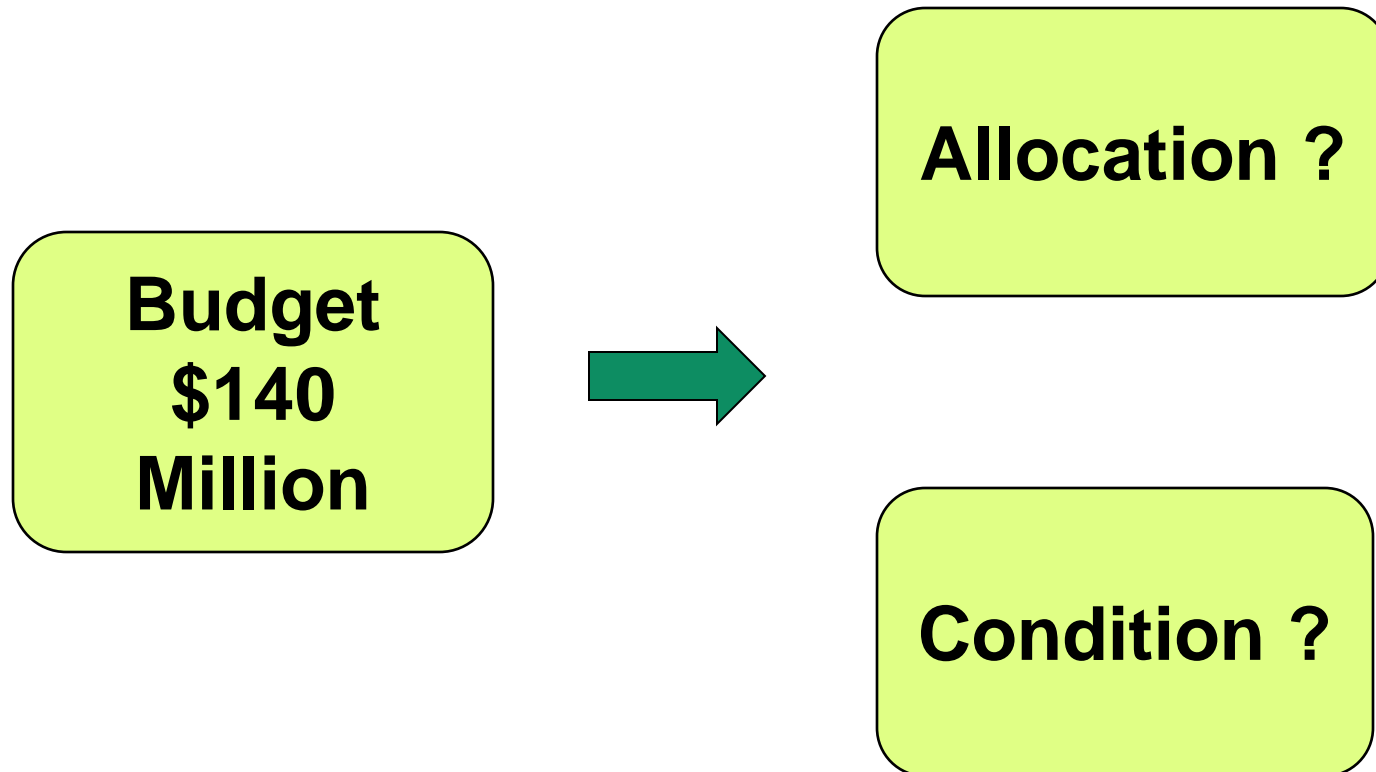
Recommended Treatment Budget and Allocation



Corresponding Pavement Condition Distribution



Budget Allocation among Treatments to Achieve the Best Condition Level

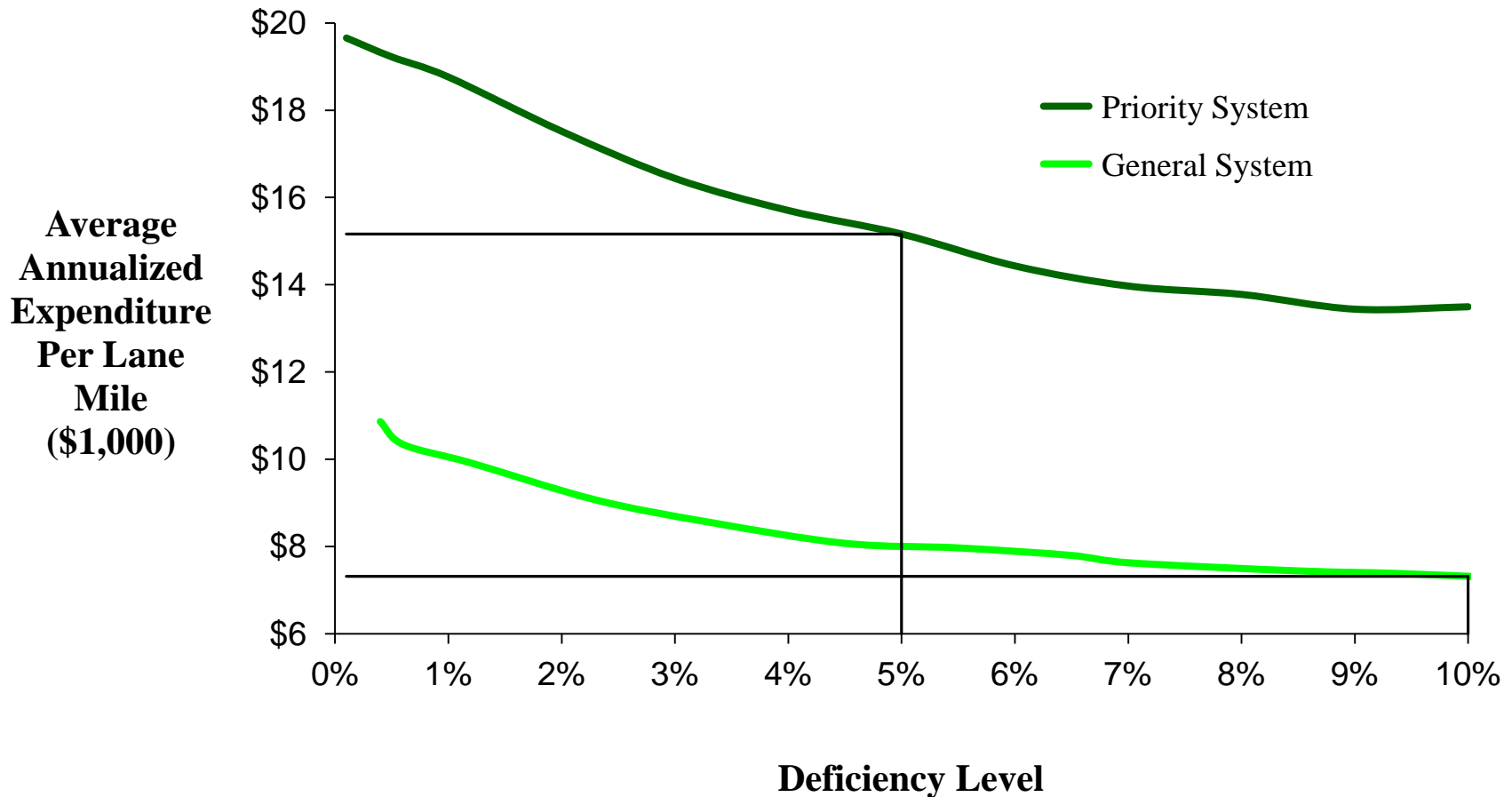


Use of Network Optimization

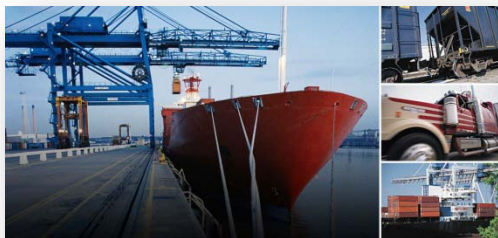
Network optimization can be used as a decision making tool to answer “**what-if**” questions regarding:

- ❑ Impact of different condition targets
- ❑ Impact of different funding levels
- ❑ Impact of different budget allocation
- ❑ Impact of different repair treatment policy

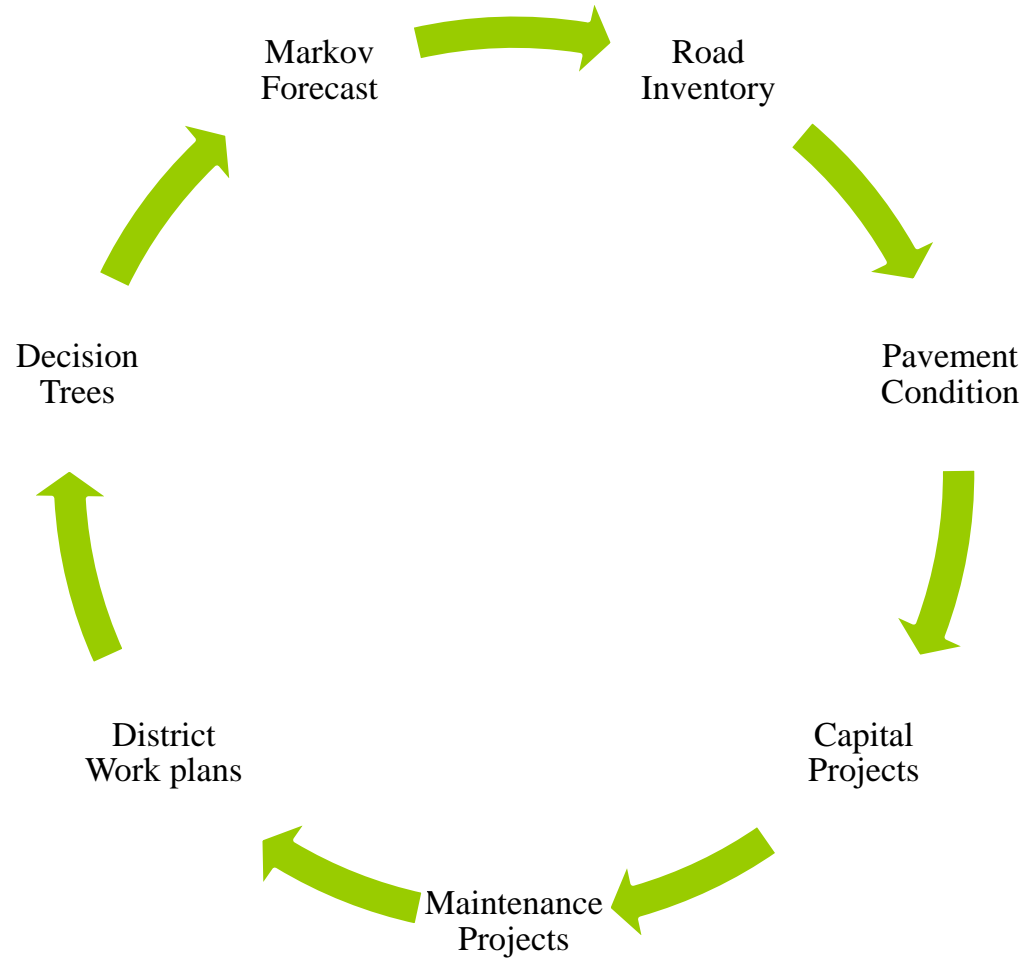
Deficiency Level Versus Average Annualized Expenditure



Future Directions: Transportation Assets Management



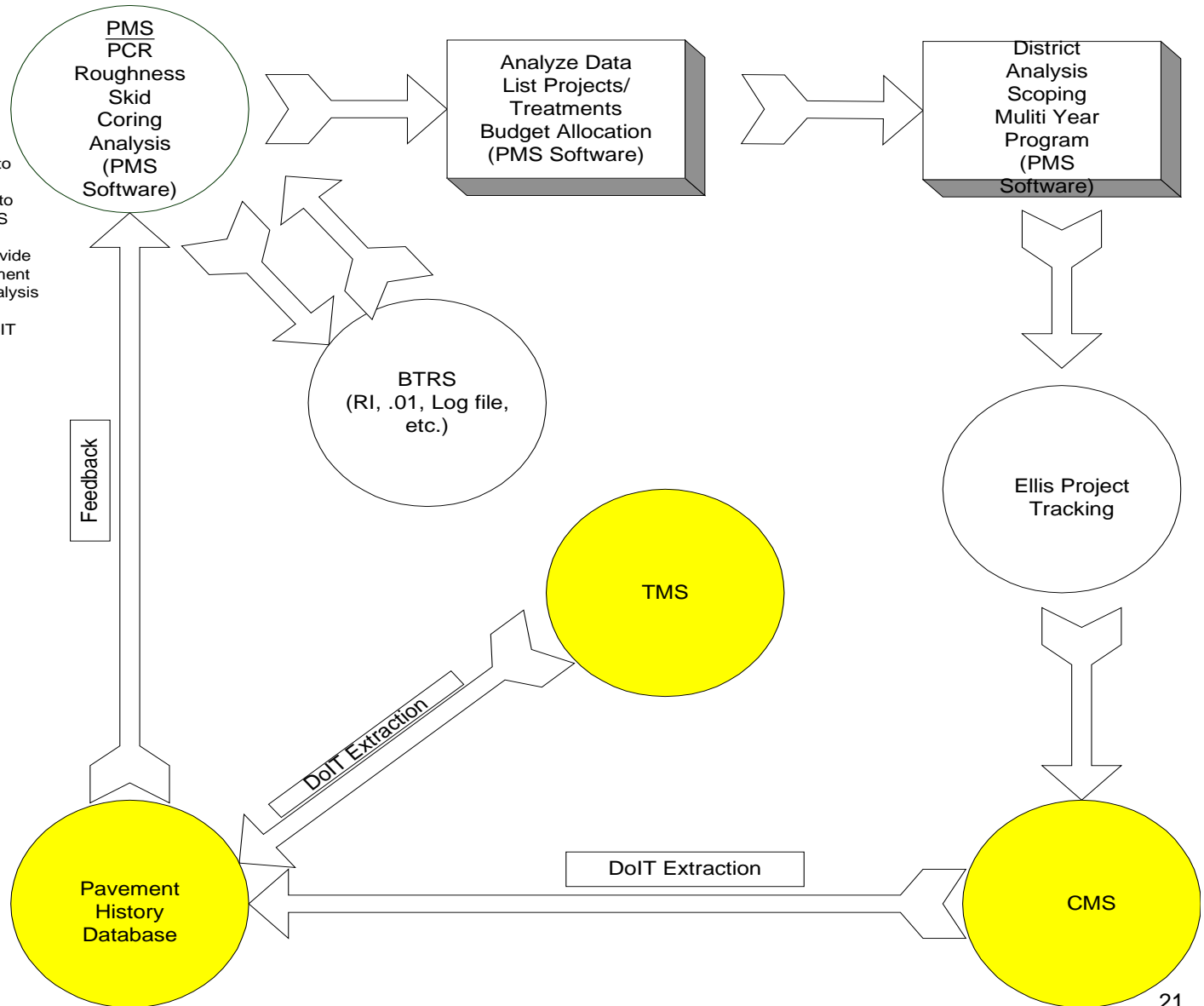
Pavement Management Development



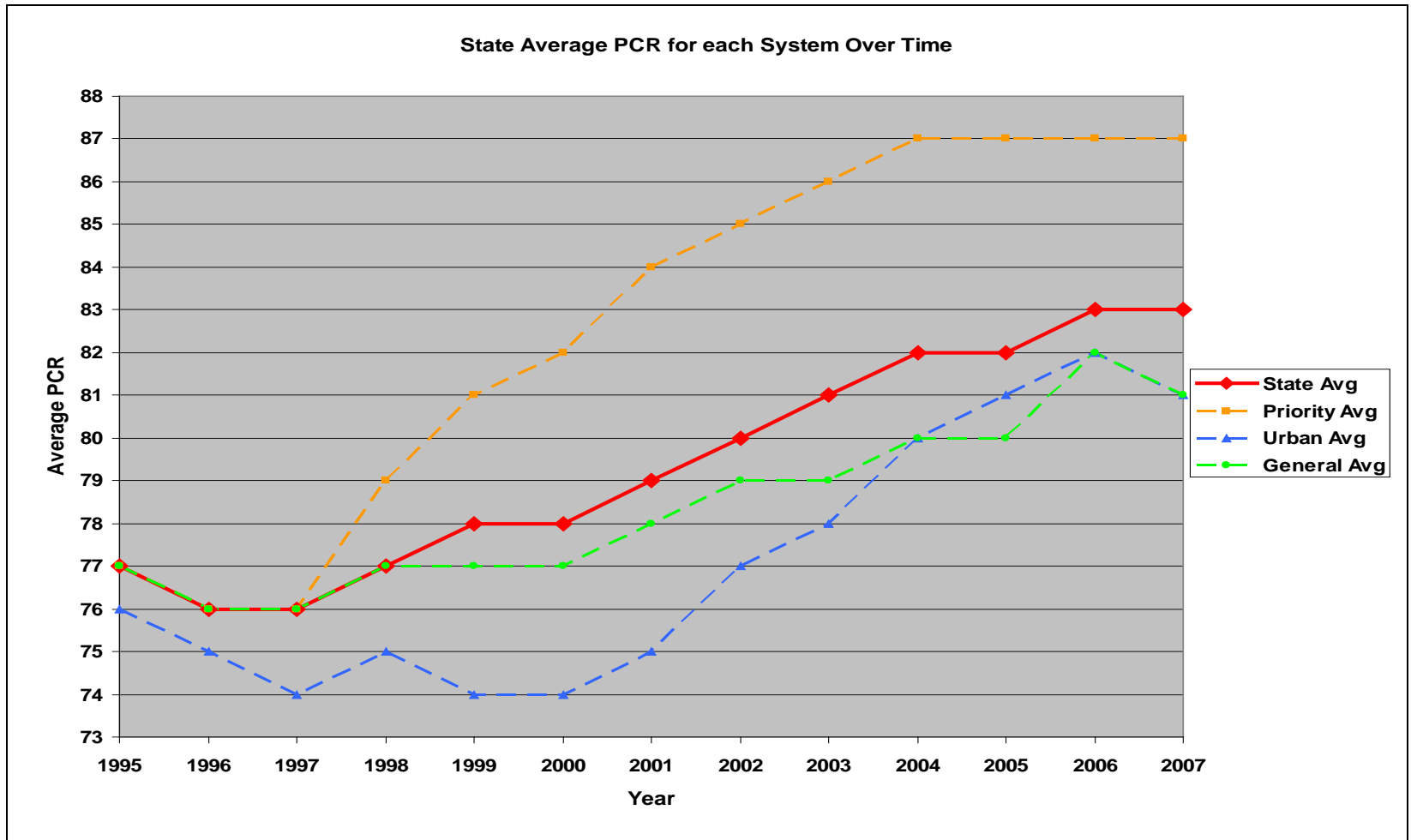
PMS Data Process

DoIT Support

1. DoIT will transfer Pavement Databases needed for analysis into Sybase. DoIT Support
2. DoIT will provide GQL access to those basic databases on the PMS model.
3. Pavement Engineering will provide DoIT with the pavement management logic needed for programming analysis tools.
4. Pavement Engineering and DoIT will develop an update plan for all pavement databases.



Systems Conditions



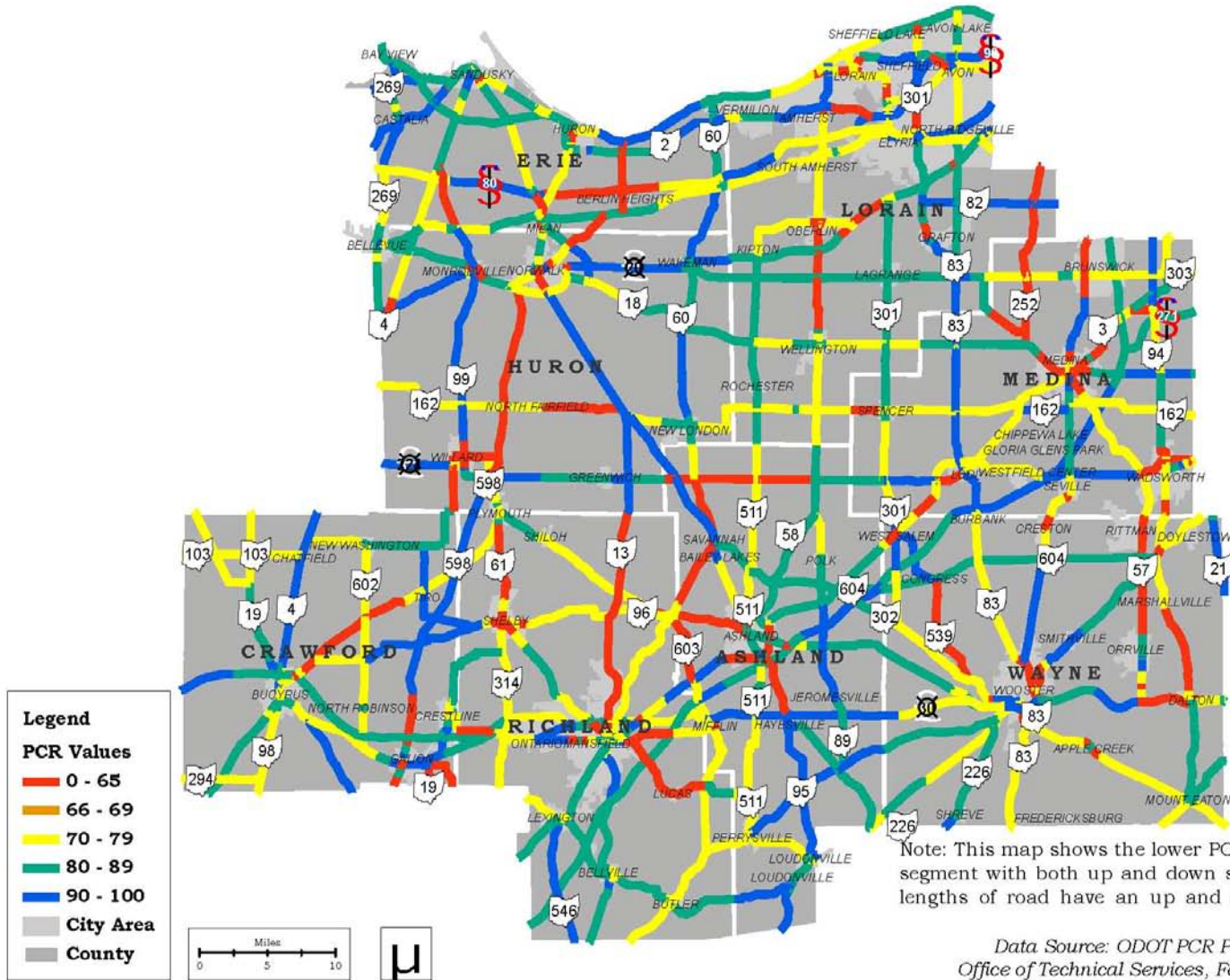
Integrated Decision Support

Average Conditions at Rehabilitation

General System Flexible Pavements Activity 50 and Activity 60 from 1985 to 2010

District	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
PCR Prior	78.3	69	60.6	61.4	63.3	70.7	72.3	68	68.5	63.5	63.1	60
CRD Prior	9.44	16.41	21.78	21.42	20.34	16.32	14.79	16.33	17.08	19.89	20.41	21.98
STRD Prior	10.09	15.25	20.69	19.93	20.02	14.65	13.78	15.9	15.75	19.04	19.03	21.11
Raveling	3.09	3.52	4.04	4.68	4.29	3.31	3.3	3.52	3.68	4.07	4.24	4.7
Bleeding	0.96	0.26	0.13	0.13	0.19	0.25	0.5	0.49	0.43	0.16	0.11	0.11
Patching	0.75	1.63	2.39	1.89	1.45	1.26	0.84	1.86	1.65	2	1.97	2.5
Debonding	0.09	0.31	0.85	0.69	0.72	0.22	0.1	0.22	0.15	0.42	0.59	1.02
Crack Sealing Defic.	3.61	4.72	4.8	4.79	4.46	4.44	4.09	4.8	4.62	4.78	4.74	4.34
Rutting	3.56	3.96	5.02	4.54	4.17	3.29	3.9	4.5	3.46	4.04	3.86	5.01
Settlements	0.02	0.08	0.07	0.06	0.58	0	0.01	0.12	0.27	0.92	0.75	0.01
Corrugations	0	0	0.01	0.01	0.06	0	0	0.02	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.04
Wheel Track Cracking	1.45	2.11	4.93	5.53	5.61	2.76	2.09	2.61	4.59	5.89	6.18	4.51
Block and Transverse Cracking	2.86	5.98	7.38	6.33	7.06	5.62	5.3	6.13	5.43	6.36	6.38	7.06
Longitudinal Cracking	2.33	3.76	3.03	3.03	2.52	2.93	3.04	3.3	2.09	1.85	1.71	3.71
Edge Cracking	1.12	1.62	3.26	3.27	2.31	2.01	1.43	1.13	1.89	2.53	2.79	2.85
Random Cracking	1.59	2.67	2.03	1.87	2.19	2.19	2.02	2.57	2.12	2.3	1.95	2.55
Thermal cracking	0.38	0.5	1.5	1.79	1.03	1.01	1.08	0.79	1.17	1.24	1.64	1.65
Thickness Added	1.63	2.1	2.12	1.92	2.14	1.71	2.12	2.43	1.89	2.02	1.69	2.73
Thickness Removed	1.37	1.98	1.76	1.49	1.62	1.43	1.14	1.61	1.58	1.93	1.57	1.99
Age at Repair	8.1	11.9	9.2	10.4	8.7	8.1	9.5	11	10.8	9.7	9.1	10.6
Age at Next Repair	9	10.8	10	11.7	9.9	9.3	9.8	11.1	12.5	11.5	9.8	11

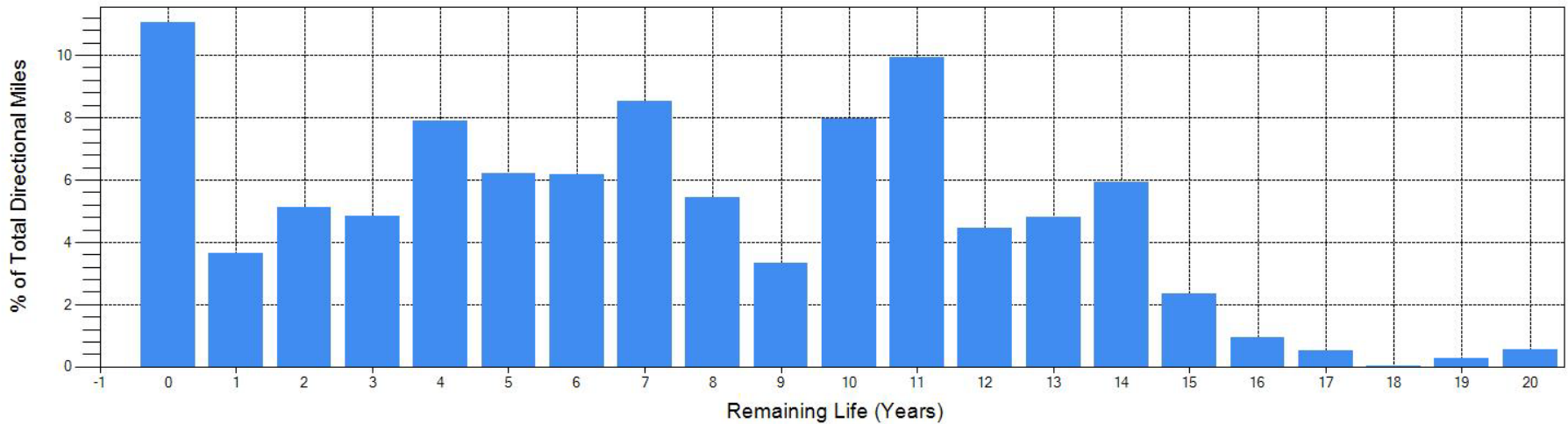
ODOT: District 3 Pavement Condition Ratings, 2011



Remaining Life

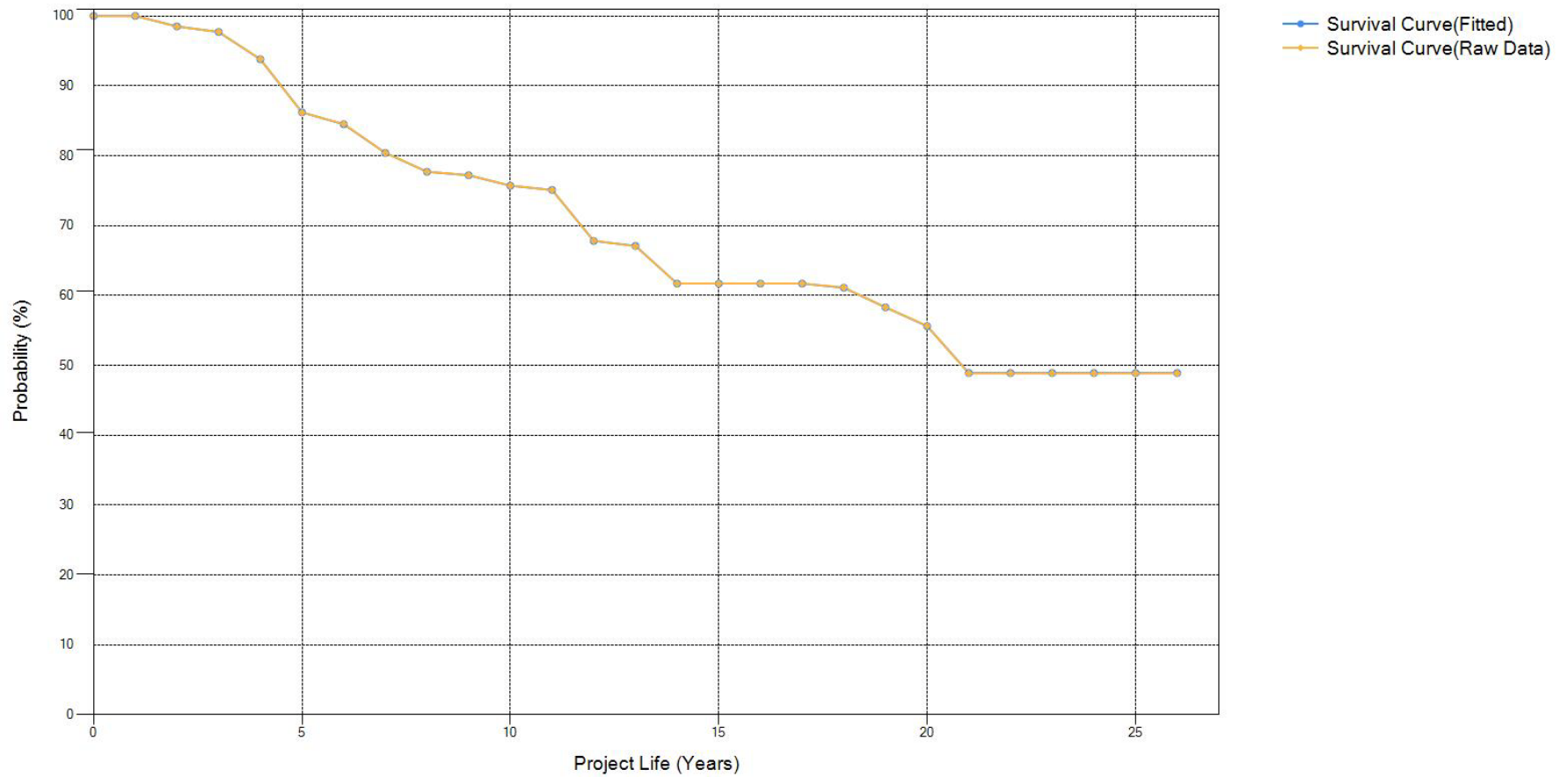
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■ PCR Threshold - Priority = 65 / Urban = 60 / General = 60



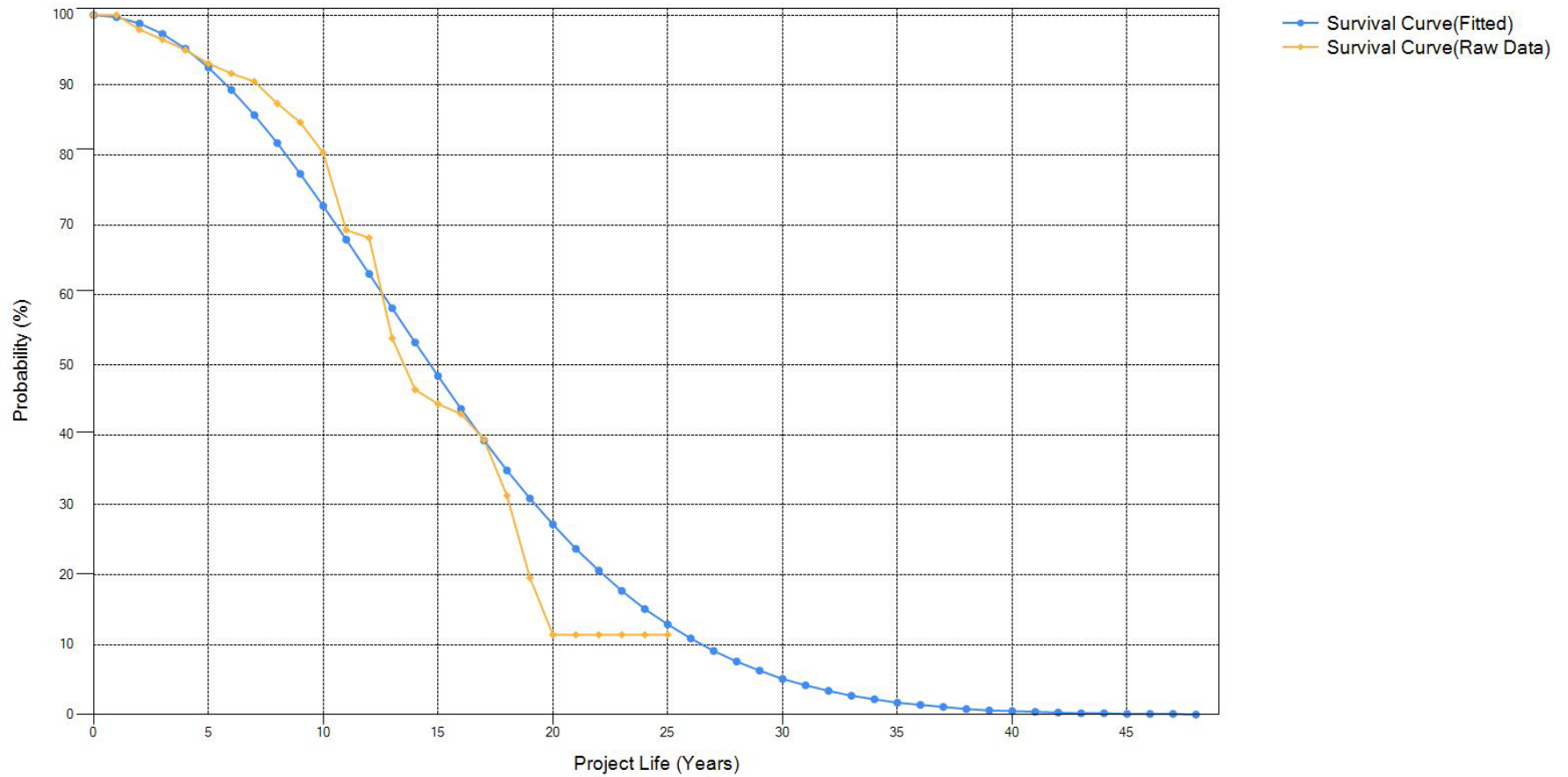
Survival Curve

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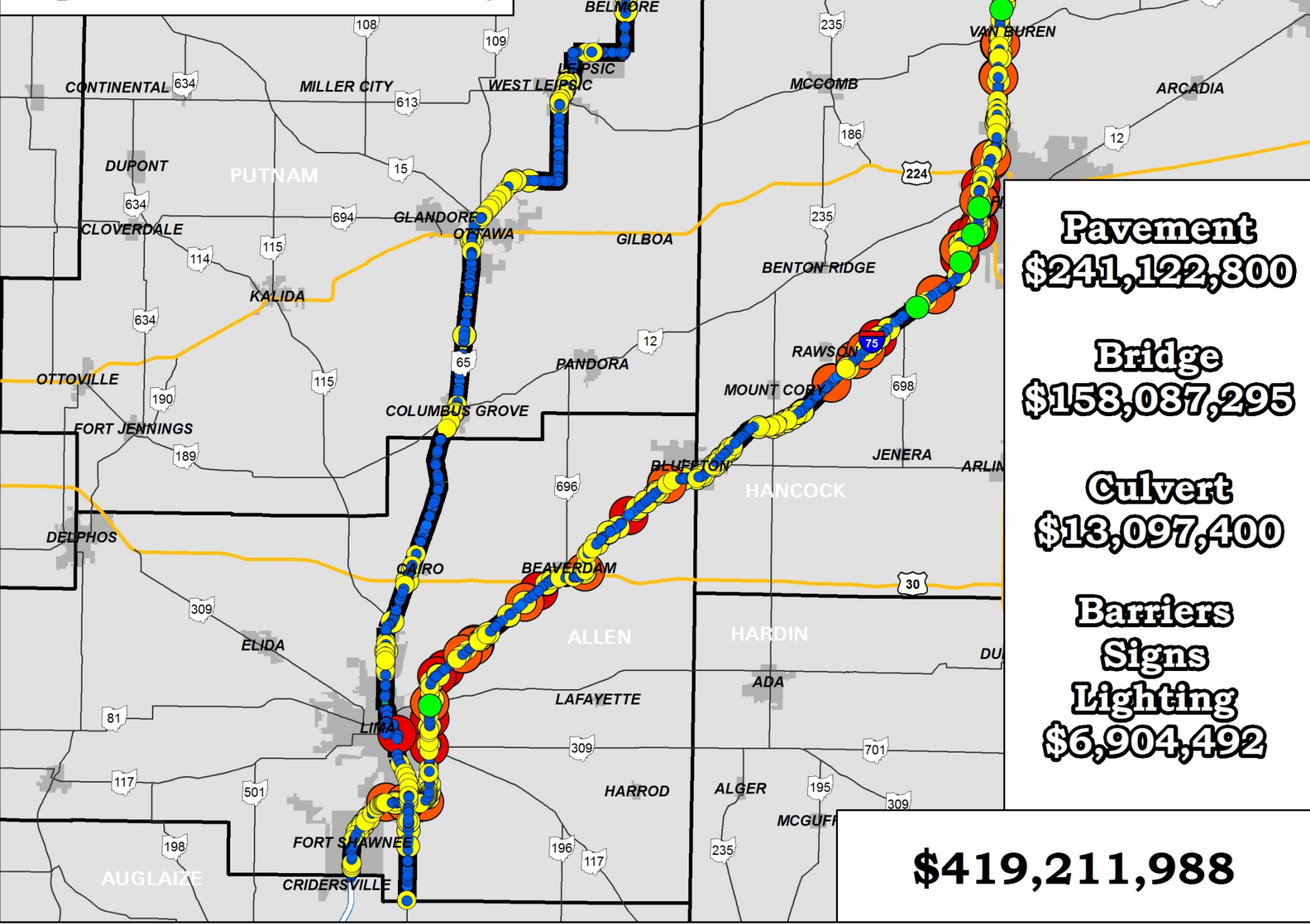


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Replacement Cost Summary

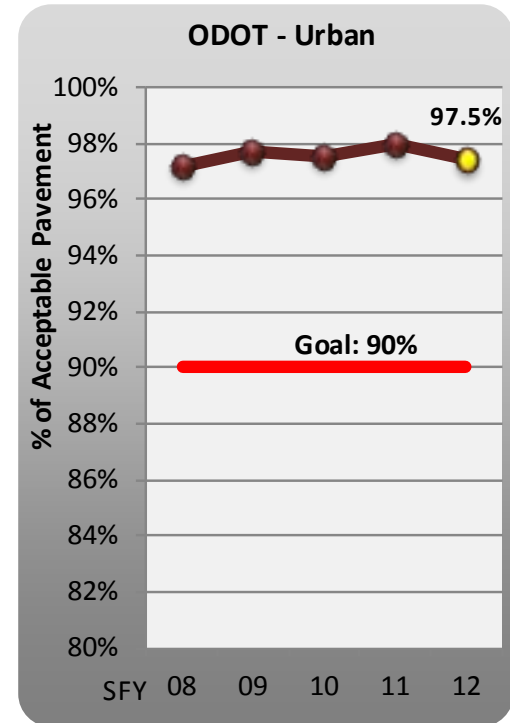
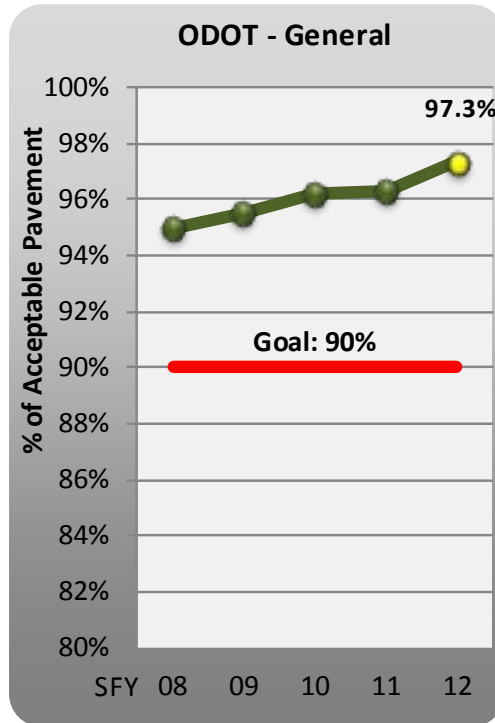
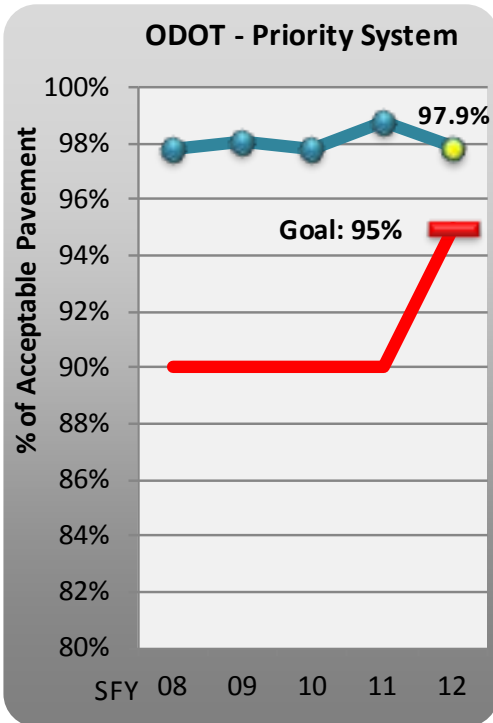


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Where are we going?

- ❑ Currently Implementing a Commercial Pavement Management System (Deighton System)
- ❑ Currently developing an integrated asset management system prototype through the University of Toledo
- ❑ Currently Implementing Web-GIS application for displaying, distributing, and analyzing pavement and other assets
- ❑ Currently developing the framework for asset management database (consolidated database, COD)
- ❑ Performance Based Management
- ❑ Return on Investment Management
- ❑ Integrated System Support Tools
- ❑ World Class Transportation System

Thank You!