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-----Diverge Analysis-----

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Date performed: 1/24/2012  
Analysis time period: PM  
Freeway/Dir of Travel: I-85 NB C-D  
Junction: I-85NB C-D to I-385NB  
Jurisdiction: Greenville, SC  
Analysis Year: 2035  
Description: I-85/I-385 Alternate 4A

-----Freeway Data-----

Type of analysis	Diverge	
Number of lanes in freeway	2	
Free-flow speed on freeway	55.0	mph
Volume on freeway	2736	vph

-----Off Ramp Data-----

Side of freeway	Right	
Number of lanes in ramp	1	
Free-Flow speed on ramp	45.0	mph
Volume on ramp	649	vph
Length of first accel/decel lane	0	ft
Length of second accel/decel lane		ft

-----Adjacent Ramp Data (if one exists)-----

Does adjacent ramp exist?	Yes	
Volume on adjacent ramp	1572	vph
Position of adjacent ramp	Upstream	
Type of adjacent ramp	Off	
Distance to adjacent ramp	700	ft

-----Conversion to pc/h Under Base Conditions-----

Junction Components	Freeway	Ramp	Adjacent Ramp	
Volume, V (vph)	2736	649	1572	vph
Peak-hour factor, PHF	0.90	0.90	0.90	
Peak 15-min volume, v15	760	180	437	v
Trucks and buses	18	15	15	%
Recreational vehicles	0	0	0	%
Terrain type:	Level	Level	Level	
Grade	0.00 %	0.00 %	0.00 %	
Length	0.00 mi	0.00 mi	0.00 mi	
Trucks and buses PCE, ET	1.5	1.5	1.5	
Recreational vehicle PCE, ER	1.2	1.2	1.2	

Heavy vehicle adjustment, fHV	0.917	0.930	0.930	
Driver population factor, fP	1.00	1.00	1.00	
Flow rate, vp	3314	775	1878	pcph

# Estimation of V12 Diverge Areas

L = (Equation 13-12 or 13-13)

EQ

P = 1.000 Using Equation 0

FD

$v_{12} = v_R + (v_F - v_R) P_{FD} = 3314 \text{ pc/h}$

# Capacity Checks

	Actual	Maximum	LOS F?
$v_{Fi} = v_F$	3314	4500	No
$v_{FO} = v_F - v_R$	2539	4500	No
$v_R$	775	2100	No
$v_3$ or $v_{av34}$	0 pc/h	(Equation 13-14 or 13-17)	
Is $v_3$ or $v_{av34} > 2700 \text{ pc/h?}$		No	
Is $v_3$ or $v_{av34} > 1.5 v_{12} / 2$		No	
If yes, $v_{12A} = 3314$		(Equation 13-15, 13-16, 13-18, or 13-19)	

# Flow Entering Diverge Influence Area

	Actual	Max Desirable	Violation?
$v_{12}$	3314	4400	No

# Level of Service Determination (if not F)

Density,  $D = 4.252 + 0.0086 v_{12} - 0.009 L_D = 32.8 \text{ pc/mi/ln}$

Level of service for ramp-freeway junction areas of influence D

# Speed Estimation

Intermediate speed variable,	$D_S = 0.368$	
Space mean speed in ramp influence area,	$S_R = 50.2$	mph
Space mean speed in outer lanes,	$S_0 = \text{N/A}$	mph
Space mean speed for all vehicles,	$S = 50.2$	mph