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design did not require simulation or testing due to the known *MASH* compliance of the single slope barrier profile. Researchers developed designs of the other two transitions by performing dynamic vehicular impact simulations using *MASH* TL-3 impact conditions. Using results of these simulations, researchers selected the most critical cases for performance of full scale crash tests. The design selected for full scale testing was the transition between T221 and SSCB. *MASH* requires performing Test 3-20 (small car) and Test 3-21 (pickup) to evaluate transition designs. Both tests were performed on the transition between T221 and SSCB. The direction of vehicle impact in both tests was from the side of the SSCB to T221, which was selected based on simulation results. The transition performed acceptably in both tests for *MASH* TL-3 criteria.

Based on the results of the simulations for F-shape to SSCB transition, and the fact that the more critical design of T221 to SSCB transition passed *MASH* testing, the F-shape to SSCB transition was also considered a *MASH* compliant design. This report provides details of the transition designs, simulation analyses, reinforcement details, and a detailed documentation of the *MASH* crash testing.

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SI* (MODERN METRIC) CONVERSION FACTORS					
APPROXIMATE CONVERSIONS TO SI UNITS					
Symbol	When You Know	Multiply By	To Find	Symbol	
		LENGTH			
in	inches	25.4	millimeters	mm	
ft	feet	0.305	meters	m	
yd	yards	0.914	meters	m	
mi	miles	1.61	kilometers	km	
		AREA			
in <sup>2</sup>	square inches	645.2	square millimeters	mm <sup>2</sup>	
ft <sup>2</sup>	square feet	0.093	square meters	m <sup>2</sup>	
yd <sup>2</sup>	square yards	0.836	square meters	m²	
ac	acres	0.405	hectares	ha	
mi <sup>2</sup>	square miles	2.59	square kilometers	km <sup>2</sup>	
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gal	gallons	3.785	liters	L	
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yd <sup>3</sup>	cubic yards	0.765	cubic meters	m <sup>3</sup>	
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# CHAPTER 1: INTRODUCTION

#### 1.1 BACKGROUND AND PROBLEM STATEMENT

TxDOT has various cast in place concrete barrier designs that occasionally need to be connected to each other in the field. Since the cross-sectional profiles and heights of these barriers differ significantly, they cannot be connected without using proper barrier transition sections that smoothly transition from one barrier shape to the other. Currently there are no transition designs that have been evaluated for compliance with American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO) *Manual for Assessing Safety Hardware (MASH)* guidelines (*Error! Reference source not found.*).

#### **1.2 OBJECTIVES AND SCOPE OF RESEARCH**

The objective of this project was to develop transition designs for three cast in place concrete barrier combinations. These included transitions for connecting (a) TxDOT's 36-inch tall Single Slope Traffic Rail (SSTR) to 42-inch tall Single Slope Concrete Barrier (SSCB), (b) 32-inch tall F-shape concrete barrier to SSCB, and (c) TxDOT's 32-inch tall T221 vertical concrete wall to SSCB. The designs were required to meet AASHTO *MASH* Test Level 3 (TL-3) criteria, and researchers were to evaluate their compliance using a combination of past testing results, impact simulation analyses, and limited full scale testing.

Researchers were also required to develop concrete reinforcement details for each transition system. Based on the results of simulation analyses, researchers selected the most critical design for full-scale crash testing. A total of two crash tests were incorporated in the scope of this project. These were *MASH* Test 3-20 and Test 3-21 for evaluating barrier transitions for *MASH* TL-3.

Chapter 2 of this report provides details of the research approach, transition designs, simulation analyses, and reinforcement details. Detailed documentation of the crash tests and results, and an assessment of the crash tested transition for *MASH* TL-3 evaluation criteria is presented in Chapters 3 to 8. Chapter 9 presents key findings of this project and recommendations on implementation of the results by TxDOT.

# CHAPTER 2: DESIGN AND SIMULATION

This chapter presents details of the various transitions designed under this project, and the results of simulations performed to evaluate the performance of these designs. TxDOT selected the following three cast in place concrete barrier combinations for developing the transitions.

- 36-inch tall SSTR to 42-inch tall SSCB, which has a symmetric profile about the vertical axis.
- 32-inch tall F-shape median barrier to 42-inch tall SSCB.
- 32-inch tall T221 vertical rail to 42-inch tall SSCB.

Researchers developed preliminary transition design concepts for TxDOT's review and approval. Once approved, researchers developed full-scale finite element (FE) models of the preliminary transition designs and performed vehicle impact simulations with *MASH* Test 3-20 and Test 3-21 impact conditions. Both test conditions involve impacting the barrier transition at an impact speed and angle of 62 mi/h and 25 degrees, respectively. Test 3-20 involves impacting with a 2,420-lb small passenger sedan, and Test 3-21 involves impacting with a 5,000-lb pickup truck.

All simulations were performed using LS-DYNA, which is a commercially available general-purpose FE analysis software (2). The barrier and the transition sections were modeled using rigid material representation. Since LS-DYNA is a dynamic analysis code that makes use of explicit time-integration methodology, loads from the vehicle impact were transferred to the barrier in a dynamic manner (3). Vehicle models used in the simulations were originally developed by Center for Collision Safety and Analysis and were further improved by TTI over the course of use under various projects.

### 2.1 SSTR TO SSCB TRANSITION

Simulation analysis was not performed in the case of the transition between the 36-inch tall SSTR and the 42-inch tall SSCB. Both barriers have a single slope profile on the traffic-side face and the only transition is in the height of the barriers. Since this was not a significant change from the already known *MASH* compliant crash performance of the single slope barriers, only the geometric design and the reinforcement details were developed for this transition (2, 3).

Figures 2.1 and 2.2 show the details of the transition between the 36-inch tall SSTR and the 42-inch tall SSCB. The transition section is 6-ft long. The traffic side face of this transition has a single slope profile that matches the SSTR and the SSCB profile. The top of the transition tapers from 36 inches on the side of the SSTR to 42 inches on the side of the SSCB. The width and the field side face of the transition section varies geometrically to match the SSTR and SSCB profiles at each end.

Reinforcement details of the transition are also shown in Figures 2.1 and 2.2, which accommodate TxDOT's standard reinforcement for SSTR and SSCB at each end of the transition section.

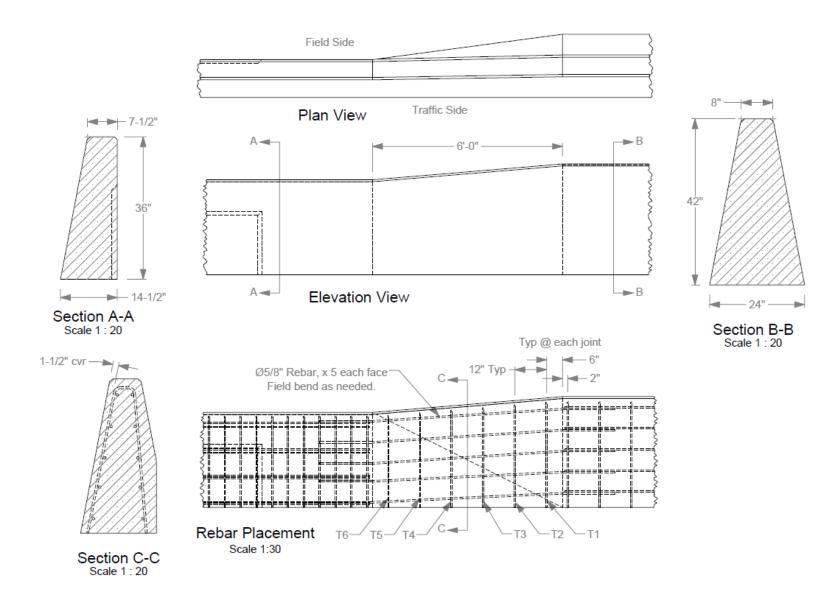


Figure 2.1. Transition between SSTR and SSCB.

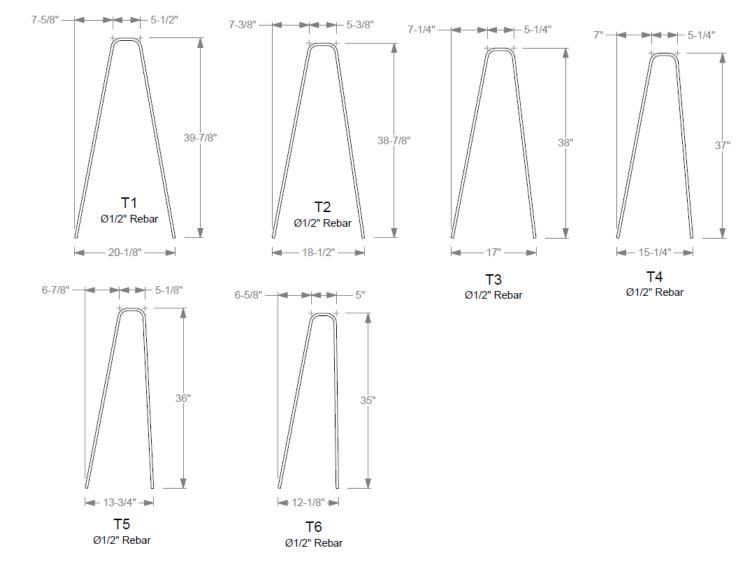


Figure 2.2. Rebar for Transition between SSTR and SSCB.

#### 2.2 F-SHAPE TO SSCB TRANSITION

The transition from 32-inch tall F-shape to 42-inch tall SSCB was comprised of a 6-ft long barrier section that transitions the geometric profiles of the two barriers and the 10-inch difference in their height. The transition segment was symmetric about the vertical axis to allow use in a median application (see Figure 2.3).

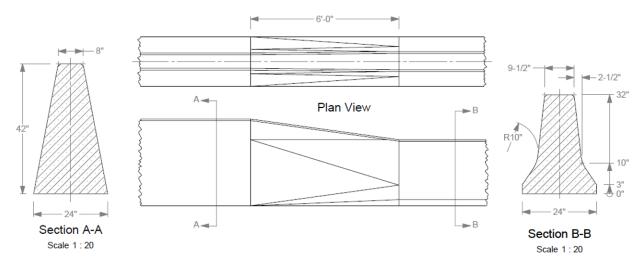


Figure 2.3. F-shape to SSCB Transition Concept.

Impact simulations were performed with the vehicle traveling in the direction from the F-shape to the SSCB, and in the direction from the SSCB to the F-shape barrier. Results of the impact simulations for *MASH* Test 3-20 (small car) and 3-21 (pickup truck) are shown in Figure 2.4 for the impact in the direction from the F-shape to SSCB. The results of the impact simulations for *MASH* Test 3-20 and 3-21 for the direction from the SSCB to the F-shape are shown in Figure 2.5. The impact points were 3.6 ft and 4.3 ft upstream of the start of the transition section in simulations of Test 3-20 and Test 3-21, respectively.

In all four simulations cases, the vehicle was contained and redirected in a stable manner. Table 2.1 presents key results from the simulations. All occupant risk metrics were within *MASH* thresholds, and the transition design was considered suitable for further development of reinforcement details.

Reinforcement details of the transition are shown in Figures 2.6 and 2.7, which accommodate TxDOT's standard reinforcement for F-shape concrete barrier and the SSCB at each end of the transition.

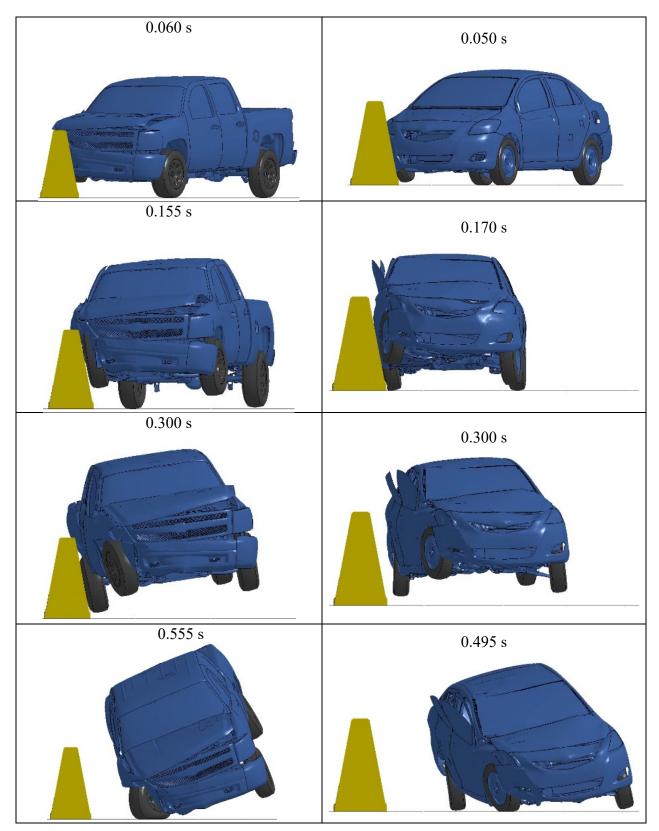


Figure 2.4. Simulations of *MASH* Tests 3-21 (Left) and 3-20 (Right) with F-shape to SSCB Transition (F-shape to SSCB Direction).

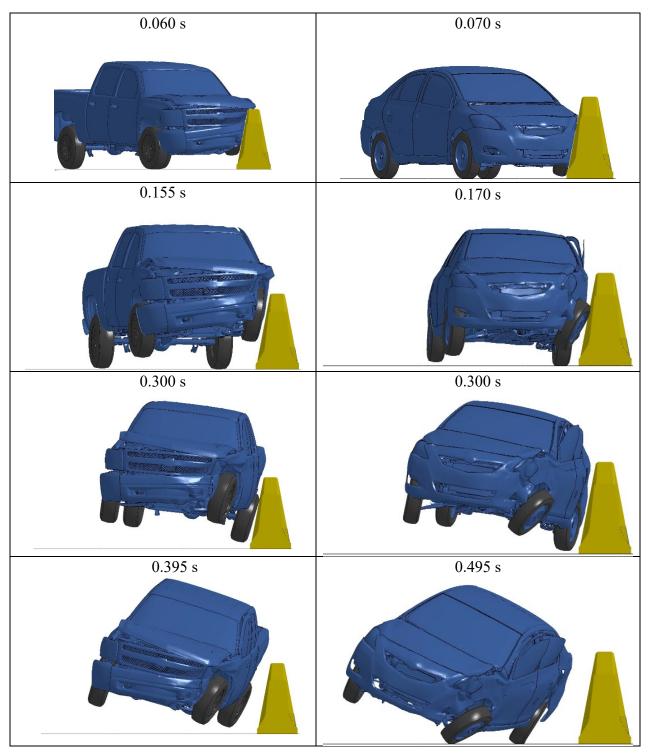


Figure 2.5. Simulations of *MASH* Tests 3-21 (Left) and 3-20 (Right) with F-shape to SSCB Transition (SSCB to F-shape Direction).

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		Test 3-21	(Pickup)	Test 3-20 (Small Car)	
		SS-F	F-SS	SS-F	F-SS
OIV (ft/s)	Х	20.34	17.06	18.37	17.39
01 v (108)	у	25.59	26.25	30.51	29.20
Ridedown	Х	8.0	4.7	4.7	3.5
Acceleration (g)	У	17.9	16.3	13.1	13.5
	Roll	-28.5	28.1	-33.2	13.1
Maximum Vehicle Angles (degree)	Pitch	-11.3	-13.5	-6.1	-8.7
ingles (degree)	Yaw	35.1	-30.0	47.5	-37.8

Table 2.1. Results of MASH Impact Simulations with F-shape to SSCB Transition.

SS-F: Direction of impact from SSCB to F-shape F-SS: Direction of impact from F-shape to SSCB

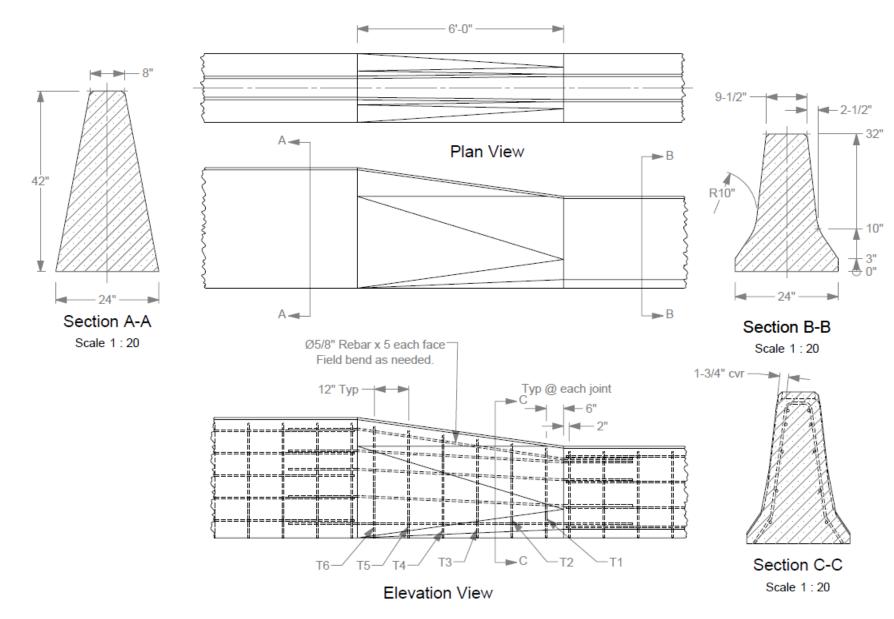


Figure 2.6. Transition between F-shape and SSCB.

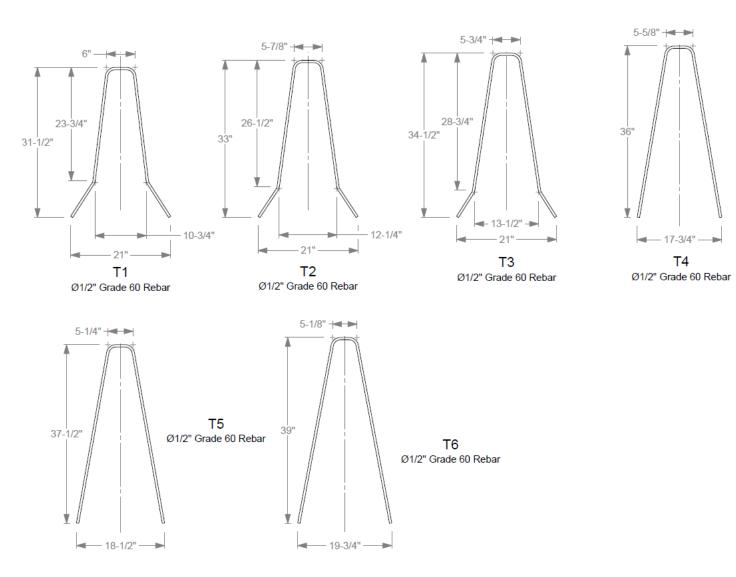


Figure 2.7. Transition between F-shape and SSCB (Continued).

#### 2.3 T221 TO SSCB TRANSITION

The transition from 32-inch tall T221 vertical wall parapet to 42-inch tall SSCB was designed to transition the geometric profiles of the two barriers and the 10-inch difference in their height. A 6-ft long transition section was initially proposed and simulated. However, the results of the simulations showed high ridedown acceleration in the case of the pickup truck impact. To reduce the ridedown accelerations and improve vehicle stability during redirection, the length of the transition section was increased to 15 ft (see Figure 2.8).

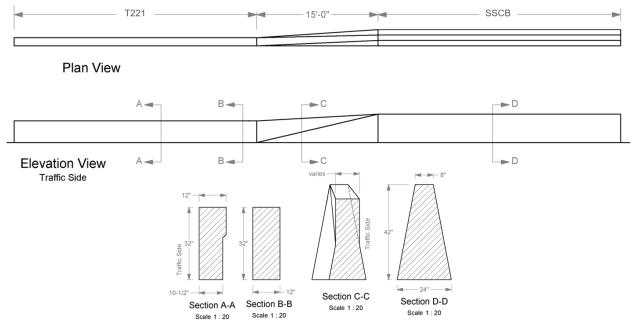


Figure 2.8. T221 to SSCB Transition Concept.

Impact simulations were performed with the vehicle traveling in the direction from T221 to SSCB, and in the direction from SSCB to T221 barriers. Results of the impact simulations for *MASH* Test 3-20 and 3-21 are shown in Figure 2.9 for the impact in the direction from SSCB to T221. For the direction from the T221 to SSCB, results of the impact simulations for *MASH* Test 3-20 and 3-21 are shown in Figure 2.10. In simulations of Test 3-20 and Test 3-21, the impact points were 3.6 ft and 4.3 ft upstream of the start of the transition section, respectively.

In all four simulations cases, the vehicle was contained and redirected in a stable manner. Table 2.2 presents key results from the simulations. All occupant risk metrics were within *MASH* thresholds, and the transition design was considered suitable for further development of reinforcement details.

Since this transition was selected for crash testing (explained in the next section), reinforcement details of the transition are presented in the following chapter, along with details of the crash test installation.

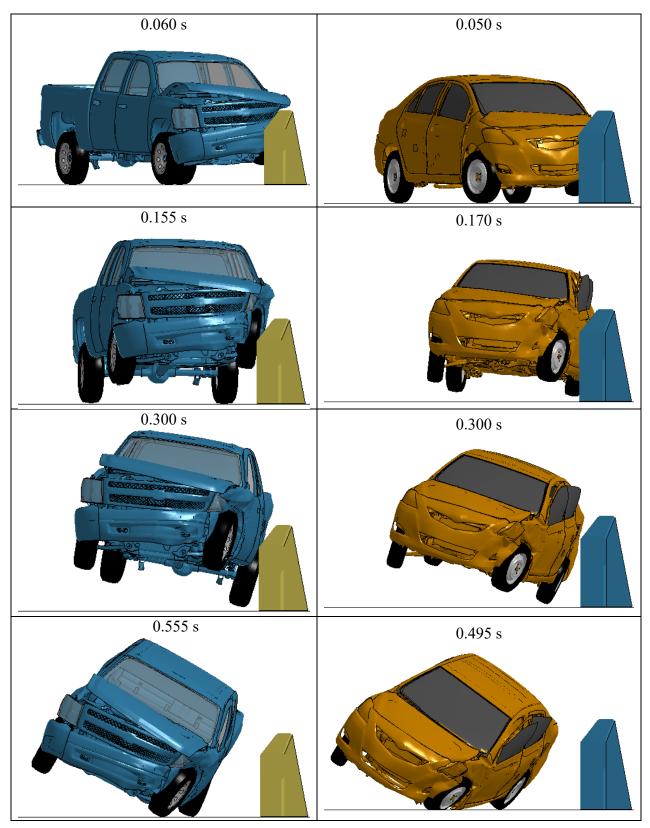


Figure 2.9. Simulations of *MASH* Tests 3-21 (Left) and 3-20 (Right) with T221 to SSCB Transition (SSCB to T221 Direction).

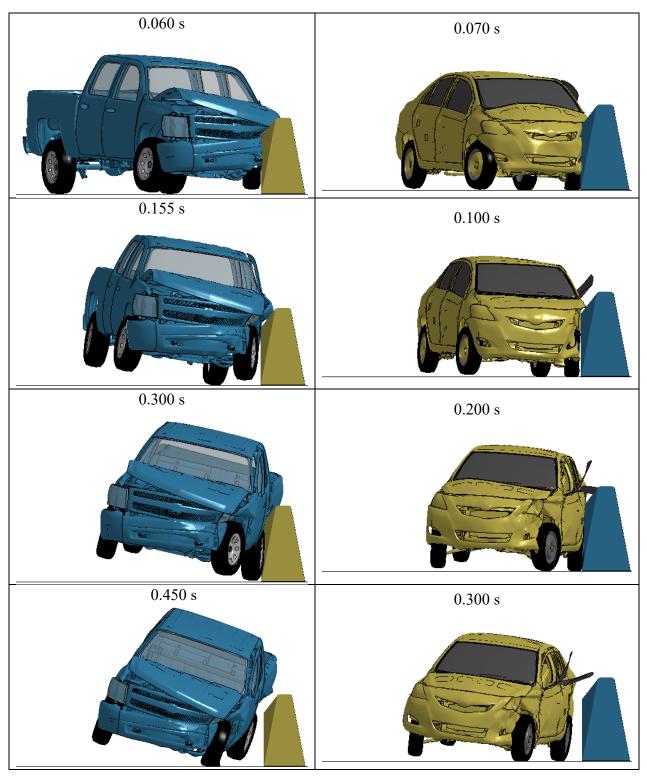


Figure 2.10. Simulations of *MASH* Tests 3-21 (Left) and 3-20 (Right) with T221 to SSCB Transition (T221 to SSCB Direction).

Table 2.2. Results of Whish Impact Simulations with 1221 to 550D Hansiton.					
		Test 3-21	(Pickup)	Test 3-20 (Small Car)	
		T-SS	SS-T	T-SS	SS-T
OIV (ft/s)	Х	26.25	24.93	21.65	18.37
O(v) ( $u(s)$	у	24.28	25.59	31.17	30.51
Ridedown	х	5.8	6.9	3.6	4.2
Acceleration (g)	у	6.5	18.7	13.2	15.9
	Roll	-19.6	-10.7	7.0	-34.1
Maximum Vehicle Angles (degree)	Pitch	29.1	30.3	38.0	36.0
	Yaw	-23.2	36.3	6.7	-44.1
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Table 2.2. Results of MASH Impact Simulations with T221 to SSCB Transition.

SS-T: Direction of impact from SSCB to T221

T-SS: Direction of impact from T221 to SSCB

#### 2.4 DESIGN SELECTION FOR CRASH TESTING

The scope of this project was to perform two crash tests on the design determined to be most critical based on the results of the simulation analyses. By comparing simulation results of the F-shape to SSCB transition (Table 2.1) and the T221 to SSCB transition (Table 2.2), it can be determined that the latter is the more critical of the two. For this design, the impact direction from SSCB to T221 is the most critical case in terms of ridedown acceleration for Test 3-21. This design and direction are also the most critical for Test 3-20 with regard to OIV, ridedown acceleration, and maximum vehicle roll, pitch, and yaw angles.

The transition between T221 and SSCB was thus selected for full scale crash testing, and *MASH* Tests 3-20 and 3-21 were performed on the transition. The direction of impact in both tests was from SSCB to T221 barrier. Details of the test installation and the crash tests are presented in the following chapters.

# CHAPTER 3: SYSTEM DETAILS

#### 3.1 TEST ARTICLE AND INSTALLATION DETAILS

The T221 vertical wall to SSCB transition test installation was 75 ft long. It consisted of 30 ft of T221 vertical wall and 30 ft of SSCB, with a 15 ft long transition section between them. The entire length of the test installation consisted of steel reinforced concrete. The transition section joined the two adjacent barriers and gradually transitioned from one profile to the other. The T221 shape was 32 inches tall and 12 inches wide at top, with vertical sides for the first 42 linear inches from the joint with the transition section. The remainder of the T221 contained a 1½-inch deep, 19-inch tall relief on the field side face. The SSCB was 42 inches tall, 8 inches wide at top, and 24 inches wide at bottom. It had the same slope on the traffic and field sides.

Figure 3.1 presents overall information on the T221 vertical wall to SSCB transition, and Figure 3.2 provides photographs of the installation. Appendix A provides further details of the T221 vertical wall to SSCB transition, along with the details of the steel reinforcement.

The test installation was anchored to existing concrete pavement with  $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch × 21-inch rebar, embedded 6 inches deep into the pavement, and secured with Hilti HIT-RE 500 V3 epoxy. Figure 3.3 shows spacing of these anchors.

#### **3.2 DESIGN MODIFICATIONS DURING TESTS**

No modifications were made to the installation during the testing phase.

#### 3.3 MATERIAL SPECIFICATIONS

The concrete was installed in two pours, and was specified to be TxDOT Class C (3600 psi minimum strength). Compressive strength of the concrete on the date of the first test, at 34 days of age, was 6626 psi for the bottom half of the installation and 6119 psi for the top half of the installation.

Appendix B provides material certification documents for the materials used to construct the T221 vertical wall to SSCB transition.

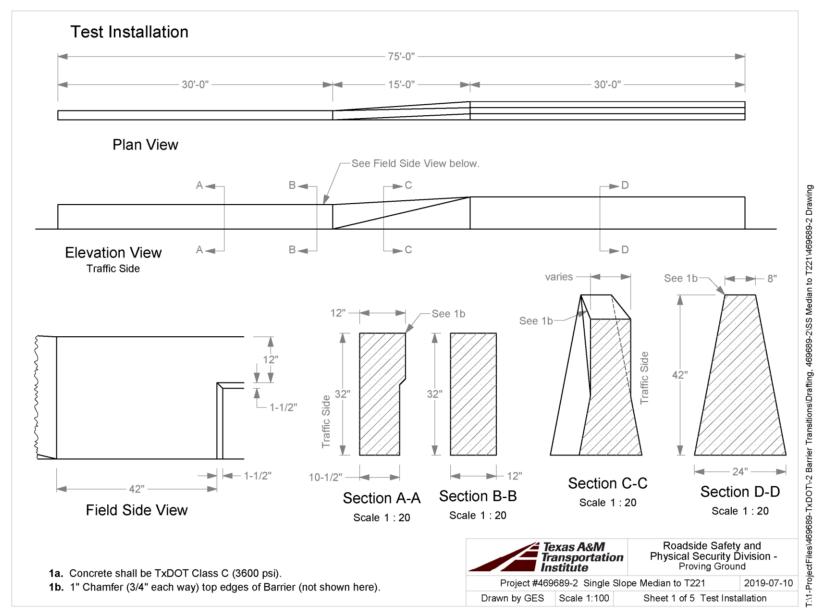


Figure 3.1. Overall Details of T221 Vertical Wall to SSCB Transition.

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Figure 3.2. T221 Vertical Wall to SSCB Transition Prior to Testing.

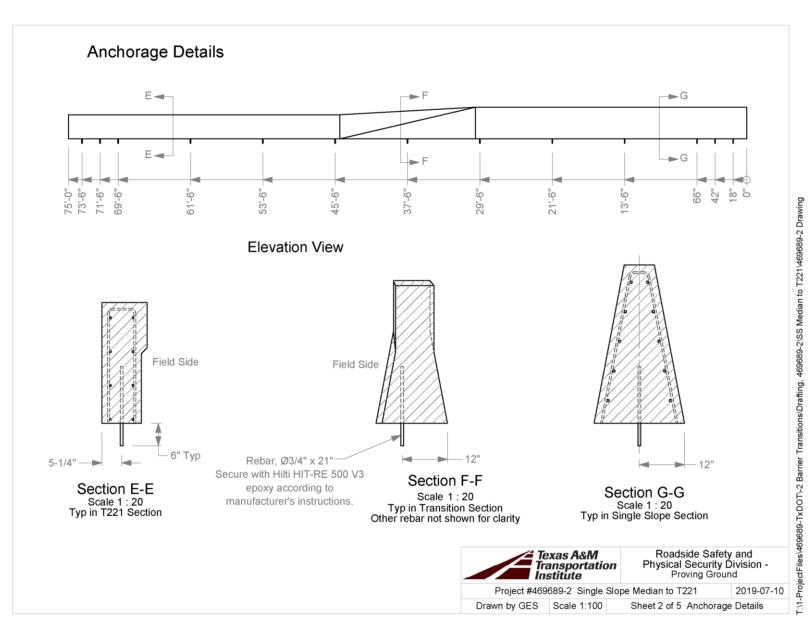


Figure 3.3. Anchor Details of T221 Vertical Wall to SSCB transition.

### CHAPTER 4: TEST REQUIREMENTS AND EVALUATION CRITERIA

#### 4.1 CRASH TEST MATRIX

Table 4.1 shows the test conditions and evaluation criteria for *MASH* TL-3 for transitions. The critical impact point (CIP) for each test was determined using the information provided in *MASH* Section 2.3.2 and *MASH* Figure 2-1. Figures 4.1 and 4.2 show the target CIPs for each test. The crash tests and data analysis procedures were in accordance with guidelines presented in *MASH*. Chapter 5 presents brief descriptions of these procedures.

Table 4.1. Test Conditions and Evaluation Criteria Specified for MASH TL-3Transitions.

Tost Article	est Article Test Designation		Impact Conditions		Evaluation Critaria	
i est Article	Test Designation	Test Vehicle	Speed	Angle	Evaluation Criteria	
T	3-20	1100C	62 mi/h	25	A, D, F, H, I	
Transition	3-21	2270P	62 mi/h	25	A, D, F, H, I	

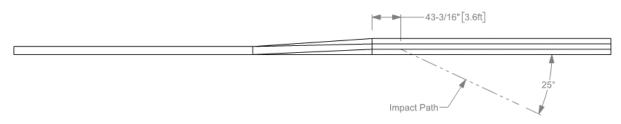


Figure 4.1. Target CIP for MASH Test 3-20 on the T221 Vertical Wall to SSCB Transition.

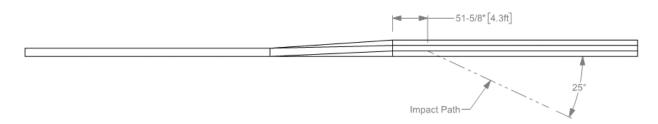


Figure 4.2. Target CIP for MASH Test 3-21 on the T221 Vertical Wall to SSCB Transition.

#### 4.2 EVALUATION CRITERIA

The appropriate safety evaluation criteria from Tables 2-2A and 5-1 of *MASH* were used to evaluate the crash tests reported herein. The test conditions and evaluation criteria required for *MASH* TL-3 are listed in Table 4.1, and the substance of the evaluation criteria in Table 4.2. An evaluation of each crash test is presented in detail under the section Assessment of Test Results.

Evaluation Factors	Evaluation Criteria				
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				
	D. Detached elements, fragments, or other debris from the test article should not penetrate or show potential for penetrating the occupant compartment, or present undue hazard to other traffic, pedestrians, or personnel in a work zone.				
	Deformations of, or intrusions into, the occupant compartment should not exceed limits set forth in Section 5.2.2 and Appendix E of MASH.				
Occupant Risk	<i>F.</i> The vehicle should remain upright during and after collision. The maximum roll and pitch angles are not to exceed 75 degrees.				
	<i>H.</i> Occupant impact velocities (OIV) should satisfy the following limits: Preferred value of 30 ft/s, or maximum allowable value of 40 ft/s.				
	<i>I.</i> The occupant ridedown accelerations should satisfy the following: Preferred value of 15.0 g, or maximum allowable value of 20.49 g.				

# Table 4.2. Evaluation Criteria Required for MASH TL-3 Transitions.

# CHAPTER 5: TEST CONDITIONS

#### 5.1 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)/International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC) 17025-accredited laboratory with American Association for Laboratory Accreditation (A2LA) Mechanical Testing Certificate 2821.01. The full-scale crash tests were performed according to TTI Proving Ground quality procedures and according to the *MASH* guidelines and standards.

The test facilities of the TTI Proving Ground are located on the Texas A&M University System RELLIS Campus, which consists of a 2000-acre complex of research and training facilities situated 10 miles northwest of the flagship campus of Texas A&M University. The site, formerly a United States Army Air Corps 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, vehicle-roadway interaction, durability and efficacy of highway pavements, and evaluation of roadside safety hardware and perimeter protective devices. The site selected for construction and testing of the T221 vertical wall to SSCB transition on an out-ofservice apron. The apron consists of an unreinforced jointed-concrete pavement in 12.5-ft × 15-ft blocks nominally 6 inches deep. The aprons were built in 1942, and the joints have some displacement, but are otherwise flat and level.

#### 5.2 VEHICLE TOW AND GUIDANCE SYSTEM

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 2:1 speed ratio between the test and tow vehicle existed with this system. Just prior to impact with the installation, the test vehicle was released and ran unrestrained. The vehicle remained freewheeling (i.e., no steering or braking inputs) until it cleared the immediate area of the test site (no sooner than 2 s after impact), after which the brakes were activated, if needed, to bring the test vehicle to a safe and controlled stop.

#### 5.3 DATA ACQUISITION SYSTEMS

#### 5.3.1 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, which 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, solid state units designed 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 can provide 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 data are recorded, internal batteries back these up inside the unit should the primary battery cable be severed. Initial contact of the pressure switch on the vehicle bumper provides a time zero mark and initiates the recording process. After each test, the data are downloaded from the TDAS Pro unit into a laptop computer at the test site. The Test Risk Assessment Program (TRAP) software then processes the raw data to produce detailed reports of the test results.

Each of the TDAS Pro units is returned to the factory annually for complete recalibration, and all instrumentation used in the vehicle conforms to all specifications outlined by SAE J211. All accelerometers are calibrated annually by means of an ENDEVCO<sup>®</sup> 2901, precision primary vibration standard. This standard and its support instruments are checked annually and receive a National Institute of Standards Technology (NIST) traceable calibration. The rate transducers used in the data acquisition system receive a calibration via a Genisco Rate-of-Turn table. The subsystems of each data channel are also evaluated annually, using instruments with current NIST traceability, and the results are factored into the accuracy of the total data channel, per SAE J211. Calibrations and evaluations are also made any time data are suspect. 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 SAE Class 180-Hz low-pass 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, 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).

#### 5.3.2 Anthropomorphic Dummy Instrumentation

An Alderson Research Laboratories Hybrid II, 50th percentile male anthropomorphic dummy, restrained with lap and shoulder belts, was placed in the front seat on the impact side of the 1100C vehicle. The dummy was not instrumented.

According to *MASH*, use of a dummy in the 2270P vehicle is optional, and no dummy was used in the test.

#### 5.3.3 Photographic Instrumentation and Data Processing

Photographic coverage of each test included three digital high-speed cameras:

- One overhead with a field of view perpendicular to the ground and directly over the impact point.
- One placed upstream of the impact on the traffic side of the barrier.
- A third placed to have a field of view parallel to and aligned with the installation at the downstream end.

A flashbulb on the impacting vehicle was activated by a pressure-sensitive tape switch to indicate the instant of contact with the T221 vertical wall to SSCB transition. The flashbulb was visible from each camera. The video files from these digital high-speed cameras were analyzed to observe phenomena occurring during the collision and to obtain time-event, displacement, and angular data. A digital camera recorded and documented conditions of each test vehicle and the installation before and after the test.

# CHAPTER 6: MASH TEST 3-20 (CRASH TEST NO. 469689-2-1)

#### 6.1 TEST DESIGNATION AND ACTUAL IMPACT CONDITIONS

*MASH* Test 3-20 involves an 1100C vehicle weighing 2420 lb  $\pm$ 55 lb impacting the CIP of the transition at an impact speed of 62 mi/h  $\pm$ 2.5 mi/h and an angle of 25°  $\pm$ 1.5°. The target CIP for *MASH* Test 3-20 on the T221 vertical wall to SSCB transition was 3.6 ft  $\pm$ 1 ft upstream of the start of the transition section adjacent to the SSCB, as shown in Figure 4.1.

The 2011 Kia Rio<sup>\*</sup> used in the test weighed 2416 lb, and the actual impact speed and angle were 61.6 mi/h and 24.6°, respectively. The actual impact point was 3.5 ft upstream of the start of the transition section adjacent to SSCB. Minimum target impact severity (IS) was 51 kip-ft, and actual IS was 53 kip-ft.

#### 6.2 WEATHER CONDITIONS

The test was performed on the morning of August 19, 2019. Weather conditions at the time of testing were as follows: wind speed: 5 mi/h; wind direction: 205° (vehicle was traveling at magnetic heading of 205°); temperature: 88°F; relative humidity: 76 percent.

#### 6.3 TEST VEHICLE

Figures 6.1 and 6.2 show the 2011 Kia Rio used for the crash test. The vehicle's test inertia weight was 2416 lb, and its gross static weight was 2581 lb. The height to the lower edge of the vehicle bumper was 7.75 inches, and height to the upper edge of the bumper was 21.5 inches. Table C.1 and in Appendix C.1 gives additional dimensions and information on the vehicle. The vehicle was directed into the installation using a cable reverse tow and guidance system, and was released to be freewheeling and unrestrained just prior to impact.



Figure 6.1. Transition and Test Vehicle Geometrics for Test No. 469689-2-1.

<sup>\*</sup> The 2011 model vehicle used was older than the 6-year age noted in *MASH*, and was selected based upon availability. An older model vehicle is permitted by AASHTO as long as it is otherwise *MASH* compliant. Other than the vehicle's year model, this 2011 model vehicle met *MASH* requirements.



Figure 6.2. Test Vehicle before Test No. 469689-2-1.

#### 6.4 **TEST DESCRIPTION**

The test vehicle was traveling at an impact speed of 61.6 mi/h when it contacted the T221 vertical wall to SSCB transition 3.5 ft upstream of the beginning of the transition section adjacent to SSCB. The impact angle was 24.6°. Table 6.1 lists events that occurred during Test No. 469689-2-1. Figures C.1 and C.2 in Appendix C.2 present sequential photographs during the test.

TIME (s)	EVENTS
0.000	Vehicle contacts the barrier
0.037	Vehicle begins to redirect
0.093	Left front tire lifts up from pavement
0.167	Vehicle is traveling parallel with transition
0.186	Right rear corner of vehicle contacts transition
0.203	Left rear tire lifts up from pavement
0.298	Vehicle loses contact with transition while traveling at 50.1 mi/h,
	exit trajectory of 4.1°, and heading of 11.3°
0.4360	Right front tire contacts pavement
0.502	Right rear tire contacts pavement
0.548	Left front tire contacts pavement

Table 6.1. Events during Test No. 469689-2-1.

For transitions, it is desirable that the vehicle redirects and exits the barrier within the exit box criteria (not less than 32.8 ft downstream from loss of contact for cars and pickups). The test vehicle exited within the exit box criteria defined in *MASH*. After loss of contact with the barrier, the vehicle came to rest 237 ft downstream of the impact and 114 ft toward traffic lanes.

#### 6.5 DAMAGE TO TEST INSTALLATION

Figure 6.3 shows the damage to the T221 vertical wall to SSCB transition. The SSCB barrier and the transition sustained cosmetic damage only. Working width\* was 24.0 inches. The height of the working width was 0.0 inch. No dynamic deflection or permanent deformation of the barrier or the transition were observed.



Figure 6.3. T221 vertical wall to SSCB transition after Test No. 469689-2-1.

<sup>\*</sup> Working width is defined as the total barrier width plus the maximum intrusion of any portion of the barrier or test vehicle past the pre-impact field side edge of the barrier.

#### 6.6 DAMAGE TO TEST VEHICLE

Figure 6.4 shows the damage sustained by the vehicle. The front bumper, hood, right front fender, right strut and tower, right front tire and rim, right front door and window glass, right rear door right rear rim, right rear exterior bed, and rear bumper were damaged. The windshield sustained stress cracks radiating up and out from the right A-post. Maximum exterior crush to the vehicle was 8.0 inches in the front and side planes at the right front corner at bumper height. Maximum occupant compartment deformation was 3.5 inches in the right front floor pan. Figure 6.5 shows the interior of the vehicle. Tables C.2 and C.3 in Appendix C.1 provide exterior crush and occupant compartment measurements.



Figure 6.4. Test Vehicle after Test No. 469689-2-1.



Figure 6.5. Interior of Test Vehicle after Test No. 469689-2-1.

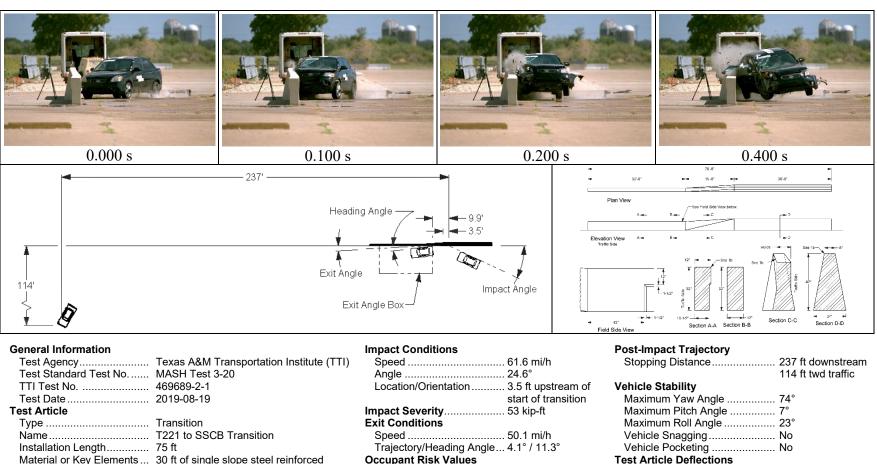
## 6.7 OCCUPANT RISK FACTORS

Data from the accelerometer, located at the vehicle's center of gravity, were digitized for evaluation of occupant risk and are shown in Table 6.2. Figure 6.6 summarizes these data and other pertinent information from the test. Figure C.3 in Appendix C.3 shows the vehicle

angular displacements, and Figures C.4 through C.6 in Appendix C.4 show accelerations versus time traces.

Occupant Risk Factor	Value	Time
Occupant Impact Velocity (OIV)		
Longitudinal	19.4 ft/s	at 0.1114 s on right side of interior
Lateral	30.8 ft/s	at 0.1114 \$ on right side of interior
<b>Occupant Ridedown Accelerations</b>		
Longitudinal	3.5 g	0.0825–0.0925 s
Lateral	7.0 g	0.1853–0.1953 s
Theoretical Head Impact Velocity (THIV)	11.1 m/s	at 0.0717 s on right side of interior
Post Head Deceleration (PHD)	7.1 g	0.1853–0.1953 s
Acceleration Severity Index (ASI)	2.43	0.0426–0.0926 s
Maximum 50-ms Moving Average		
Longitudinal	-10.5 g	0.0194–0.0694 s
Lateral	-18.6 g	0.0223–0.0723 s
Vertical	-4.4 g	0.0197–0.0697 s
Maximum Roll, Pitch, and Yaw Angles		
Roll	23°	1.9997 s
Pitch	7°	0.5539 s
Yaw	74°	1.5583 s

Table 6.2. Occupant Risk Factors for Test No. 469689-2-1.



Type/Designation	1100C
Make and Model	2011 Kia Rio
Curb	2477 lb
Test Inertial	2416 lb
Dummy	165 lb
Gross Static	2581 lb

concrete, 15 ft long steel reinforced

concrete pavement

Occupant Risk Values Longitudinal OIV ..... 19.4 ft/s concrete transition, 30 ft of T221 shape Lateral OIV..... 30.8 ft/s steel reinforced concrete anchored to Longitudinal Ridedown ...... 3.5 g Lateral Ridedown ...... 7.0 g THIV ...... 40.0 km/h PHD ...... 7.1 g Max. 0.050-s Average Longitudinal ..... -10.5 g Lateral.....-18.6 g

Stopping Distance	237 ft downstrear
	114 ft twd traffic
Vehicle Stability	
Maximum Yaw Angle	74°
Maximum Pitch Angle	
Maximum Roll Angle	
Vehicle Snagging	
Vehicle Pocketing	
Test Article Deflections	
Dynamic	None
Permanent	None
Working Width	24.0 inches
Height of Working Width	
Vehicle Damage	
VDS	01RFQ6
CDC	01FREW4
Max. Exterior Deformation	8.0 inches
OCDI	RF0110000
Max. Occupant Compartment	
Deformation	3.5 inches

Figure 6.6. Summary of Results for MASH Test 3-20 on the T221 Vertical Wall to SSCB Transition.

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# CHAPTER 7: *MASH* TEST 3-21 (CRASH TEST NO. 469689-2-2)

#### 7.1 TEST DESIGNATION AND ACTUAL IMPACT CONDITIONS

*MASH* Test 3-21 involves a 2270P vehicle weighing 5000 lb  $\pm$ 110 lb impacting the CIP of the transition at an impact speed of 62 mi/h  $\pm$ 2.5 mi/h and an angle of 25°  $\pm$ 1.5°. The target CIP for *MASH* Test 3-11 on the T221 vertical wall to SSCB transition was 4.3 ft  $\pm$ 1 ft upstream of the start of the transition section adjacent to SSCB.

The 2013 RAM 1500 pickup truck used in the test weighed 5035 lb. The actual impact speed and angle were 61.9 mi/h and 26.2°, respectively. The actual impact point was 4.1 ft upstream of the start of the transition section adjacent to SSCB. Minimum target IS was 106 kip-ft, and actual IS was 126 kip-ft.

#### 7.2 WEATHER CONDITIONS

The test was performed on the morning of August 21, 2019. Weather conditions at the time of testing were as follows: wind speed: 5 mi/h; wind direction: 194° (vehicle was traveling at magnetic heading of 205°); temperature: 88°F; relative humidity: 72 percent.

#### 7.3 TEST VEHICLE

Figures 7.1 and 7.2 show the 2013 Dodge RAM 1500 pickup truck used for the crash test. The vehicle's test inertia weight was 5035 lb and its gross static weight was 5035 lb. The height to the lower edge of the vehicle bumper was 11.75 inches, and the height to the upper edge of the bumper was 27.0 inches. The height to the vehicle's center of gravity was 28.4 inches. Tables D.1 and D.2 in Appendix D.1 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 freewheeling and unrestrained just prior to impact.



Figure 7.1. Transition and Test Vehicle Geometrics for Test No. 469689-2-2.



Figure 7.2. Test Vehicle before Test No. 469689-2-2.

#### 7.4 TEST DESCRIPTION

The test vehicle was traveling at an impact speed of 61.9 mi/h when it contacted the T221 vertical wall to SSCB transition 4.1 ft upstream of the beginning of the transition adjacent to SSCB. The impact angle was 26.2°. Table 7.1 lists events that occurred during Test No. 469689-2-2. Figures D.1 and D.2 in Appendix D.2 present sequential photographs during the test.

TIME (s)	EVENTS
0.000	Vehicle contacts transition
0.044	Vehicle begins to redirect
0.097	Left front tire lifts off pavement
0.181	Vehicle traveling parallel with transition
0.183	Right rear bumper contacts transition
0.203	Left rear tire lifts off pavement
0.291	Vehicle loses contact with transition while traveling at 51.3 mi/h,
	trajectory of 5.0°, and heading of 3.1°
0.498	Right rear tire contacts pavement
0.591	Right front tire contacts pavement
0.626	Left front tire contacts pavement

Table 7.1. Events during Test No. 469689-2-2.

For longitudinal barriers, it is desirable that the vehicle redirects and exits the barrier within the exit box criteria (not less than 32.8 ft downstream from loss of contact for cars and pickups). The test vehicle exited within the exit box criteria defined in *MASH*. After loss of contact with the barrier, the vehicle came to rest 280 ft downstream of the impact and 23 ft toward the field side.

#### 7.5 DAMAGE TO TEST INSTALLATION

Figure 7.3 shows the damage to the T221 vertical wall to SSCB transition. The barrier sustained cosmetic damage only. Working width<sup>\*</sup> was 24.0 inches. The height of the working width was 0.0 inch. No dynamic deflection or permanent deformation were observed.



Figure 7.3. Transition after Test No. 469689-2-2.

<sup>\*</sup> Working width is defined as the total barrier width plus the maximum intrusion of any portion of the barrier or test vehicle past the pre-impact field side edge of the barrier.

#### 7.6 DAMAGE TO TEST VEHICLE

Figure 7.4 shows the damage sustained by the vehicle. The front bumper, hood, grill, radiator and support, right front fender, right front tire and rim, right front door, right rear door, right rear cab corner, right rear exterior bed, right rear spring, and rear bumper were damaged. Maximum exterior crush to the vehicle was 14.0 inches in the side plane at the right front corner at bumper height. Maximum occupant compartment deformation was 4.0 inches in the right front firewall area. Figure 7.5 shows the interior of the vehicle. Tables D.3 and D.4 in Appendix D.1 provide exterior crush and occupant compartment measurements.



Figure 7.4. Test Vehicle after Test No. 469689-2-2.



Figure 7.5. Interior of Test Vehicle after Test No. 469689-2-2.

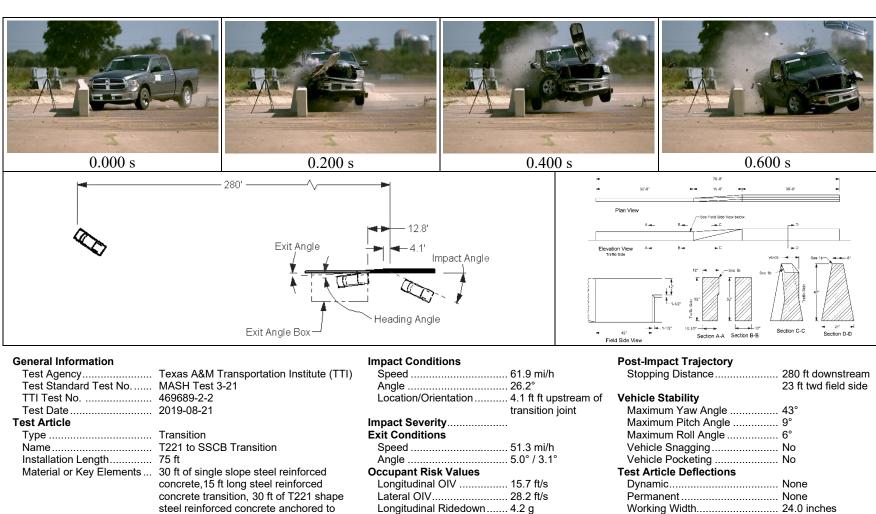
## 7.7 OCCUPANT RISK FACTORS

Data from the accelerometer, located at the vehicle's center of gravity, were digitized for evaluation of occupant risk and are shown in Table 7.2. Figure 7.6 summarizes these data and other pertinent information from the test. Figure D.3 in Appendix D.3 shows the vehicle

angular displacements, and Figures D.4 through D.9 in Appendix D.4 show accelerations versus time traces.

Occupant Risk Factor	Value	Time
OIV		
Longitudinal	15.7 ft/s	at 0.0937 s on right side of interior
Lateral	28.2 ft/s	at 0.0957 s on right side of interior
<b>Ridedown Accelerations</b>		
Longitudinal	4.2 g	0.1880–0.1980 s
Lateral	12.2 g	0.1793–0.1893 s
THIV	9.9 m/s	at 0.0917 s on right side of interior
PHD	12.4 g	0.1794–0.1894 s
ASI	1.88	0.0596–0.1096 s
Maximum 50-ms Moving Average		
Longitudinal	-7.5 g	0.0205–0.0705 s
Lateral	−14.5 g	0.0407–0.0907 s
Vertical	-4.9 g	0.6611–0.7111 s
Maximum Roll, Pitch, and Yaw Angles		
Roll	6°	0.6437 s
Pitch	9°	2.0000 s
Yaw	43°	0.7721 s

Table 7.2. Occupant Risk Factors for Test No. 469689-2-2.



**Test Vehicle** 

Type/Designation	2270P
Make and Model	2013 Dodge RAM 1500 Pickup
Curb	4974 lb
Test Inertial	5035 lb
Dummy	No dummy
Gross Static	5035 lb

concrete pavement

Lateral Ridedown ..... 12.2 g PHD ..... 12.4 g ASI..... 1.88 Max. 0.050-s Average Longitudinal ..... -7.5 g Lateral..... -14.5 g Vertical.....-4.9 g

# Height of Working Width ..... At base Vehicle Damage VDS ...... 01RFQ5 CDC.....01FREW4 Max. Exterior Deformation...... 14.0 inches OCDI..... RF0010000 Max. Occupant Compartment Deformation ..... 4.0 inches

Figure 7.6. Summary of Results for MASH Test 3-21 on the T221 Vertical Wall to SSCB Transition.

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# CHAPTER 8: CRASH TESTING SUMMARY AND CONCLUSIONS

#### 8.1 ASSESSMENT OF TEST RESULTS

Tables 8.1 and 8.2 provide an assessment for each test based on the applicable safety evaluation criteria for *MASH* Test 3-20 and 3-21, respectively.

#### 8.2 CONCLUSIONS

Table 8.3 shows that the T221 vertical wall to SSCB transition performed acceptably as a *MASH* TL-3 transition.

Tes	t Agency: Texas A&M Transportation Institute		est Date: 2019-08-19
	MASH Test Evaluation Criteria	Test Results	Assessment
<u>Stru</u> A.	<u>actural Adequacy</u> <i>Test article should contain and redirect the vehicle or</i> <i>bring the vehicle to a controlled stop; the vehicle should</i> <i>not penetrate, underride, or override the installation</i> <i>although controlled lateral deflection of the test article is</i> <i>acceptable</i>	The transition contained and redirected the 1100C vehicle. The vehicle did not penetrate, override, or underride the installation. No dynamic deflection or permanent deformation was observed.	Pass
Occ D.	<u>Expant Risk</u> 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 or show potential for penetrating the occupant compartment or to present hazard to others in the area.	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 3.5 inches in the right front floor pan.	
F.	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 period. Maximum roll and pitch angles were 23° and 7°, respectively.	Pass
Н.	Longitudinal and lateral occupant impact velocities (OIV) should fall below the preferred value of 30 ft/s, or at least below the maximum allowable value of 40 ft/s.	Longitudinal OIV was 19.4 ft/s and lateral OIV was 30.8 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 3.5 g and lateral occupant ridedown acceleration was 7.0 g.	Pass
Vel	For redirective devices, it is preferable that the vehicle be smoothly redirected and leave the barrier within the "exit box" criteria (not less than 32.8 ft for the 1100C and 2270P vehicles), and should be documented.	The 1100C vehicle exited within the exit box.	Documentation only

# Table 8.1. Performance Evaluation Summary for MASH Test 3-20 on T221 Vertical Wall to SSCB Transition.

105	t Agency: Texas A&M Transportation Institute		est Date: 2019-08-2
	MASH Test Evaluation Criteria	Test Results	Assessment
<u>Stru</u> A.	<u>actural Adequacy</u> <i>Test article should contain and redirect the vehicle or</i> <i>bring the vehicle to a controlled stop; the vehicle should</i> <i>not penetrate, underride, or override the installation</i> <i>although controlled lateral deflection of the test article is</i> <i>acceptable</i>	The transition contained and redirected the 2270P vehicle. The vehicle did not penetrate, override, or underride the installation. No dynamic deflection or permanent deformation was observed.	Pass
Occ	cupant 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.	No detached elements, fragments, or other debris were present to penetrate or show potential for penetrating the occupant compartment or to present hazard to others in the area.	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 4.0 inches in the right front firewall area.	
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 period. Maximum roll and pitch angles were 6° and 9°, 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 OIV was 15.7 ft/s and lateral OIV was 28.2 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 4.2 g and lateral occupant ridedown acceleration was 12.2 g.	Pass
Veł	nicle Trajectory		
	For redirective devices, it is preferable that the vehicle be smoothly redirected and leave the barrier within the "exit box" criteria (not less than 32.8 ft for the 1100C and 2270P vehicles), and should be documented.	The 2270P vehicle exited within the exit box.	Documentation only

# Table 8.2. Performance Evaluation Summary for MASH Test 3-21 on T221 Vertical Wall to SSCB Transition.

Evaluation Factors Criteria		Test No. 469468-2-1	Test No. 169468-2-2	
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	D	S	S	
Occupant	F	S	S	
Risk	Н	S	S	
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Test No.		MASH Test 3-20	MASH Test 3-21	
	Pass/Fail	Pass	Pass	

# Table 8.3. Assessment Summary for MASH TL-3 Testson T221 Vertical Wall to SSCB Transition.

S = Satisfactory

U = Unsatisfactory N/A = Not Applicable

# **CHAPTER 9: IMPLEMENTATION**\*

Based on MASH compliant performance of single slope barrier in past testing, the design of cast in place SSTR to SSCB transition developed in this project is considered suitable for implementation as a MASH TL-3 transition system (4, 5).

Based on the results of the testing and evaluation reported herein, the design of cast in place T221 vertical wall to SSCB transition is considered suitable for implementation as a *MASH* TL-3 transition system.

Testing was only performed in the direction from SSCB to T221. Simulation results of these impact conditions were more conservative than the test results with regard to vehicle stability and occupant risk. The direction of impact from T221 to SSCB was determined to be less critical in the simulation analyses, so Tests 3-20 and 3-21 were not performed in this direction. However, based on successful performance in the simulation analyses, the transition system is expected to perform acceptably in the direction from T221 to SSCB as well.

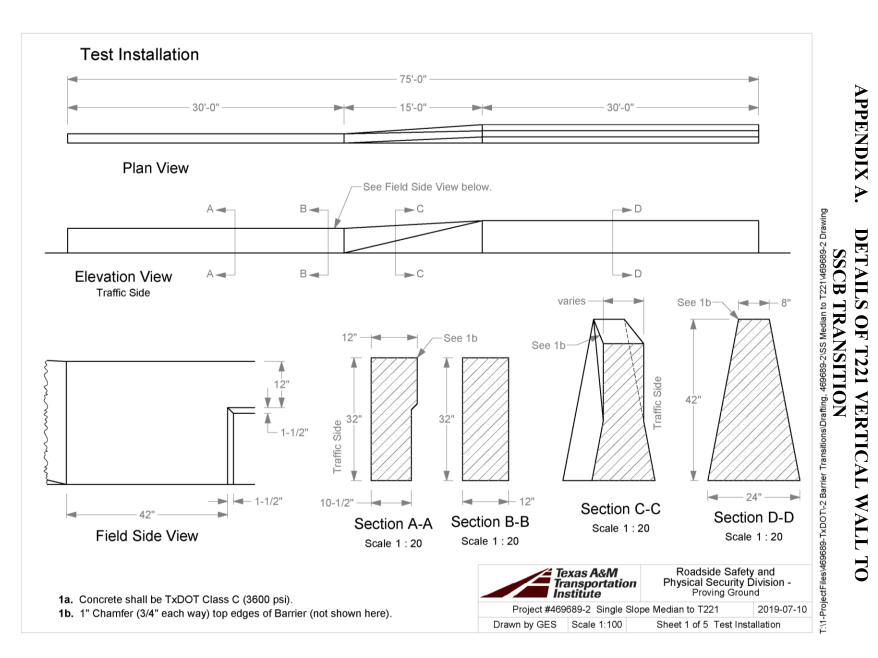
Similarly, results of simulations performed with the F-shape to SSCB transition were less critical than the T221 to SSCB transition simulations. Thus, even though full scale crash testing was not performed for the F-shape to SSCB transition, it is expected to perform acceptably as a *MASH* TL-3 transition based on simulation results and is considered suitable for implementation.

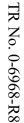
Statewide implementation of the transition designs developed in this project can be achieved by TxDOT's Design Division through the development and issuance of new standard detail sheets. Transition details provided in Appendix A and in Figures 2.1, 2.2, 2.6, and 2.7 can be used for this purpose.

<sup>\*</sup> The opinions/interpretations identified/expressed in this section of the report are outside the scope of TTI Proving Ground's A2LA Accreditation.

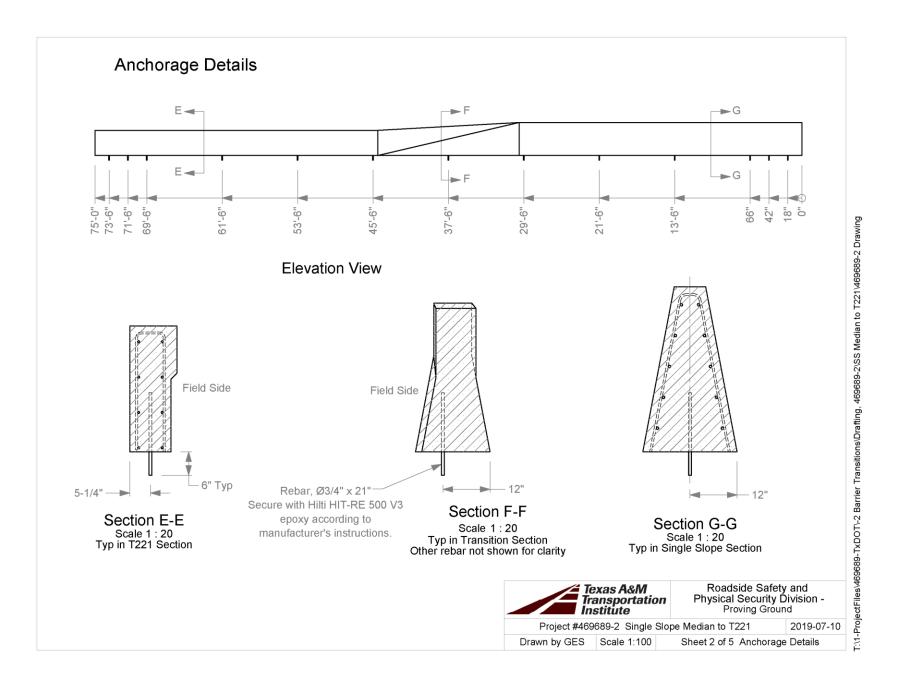
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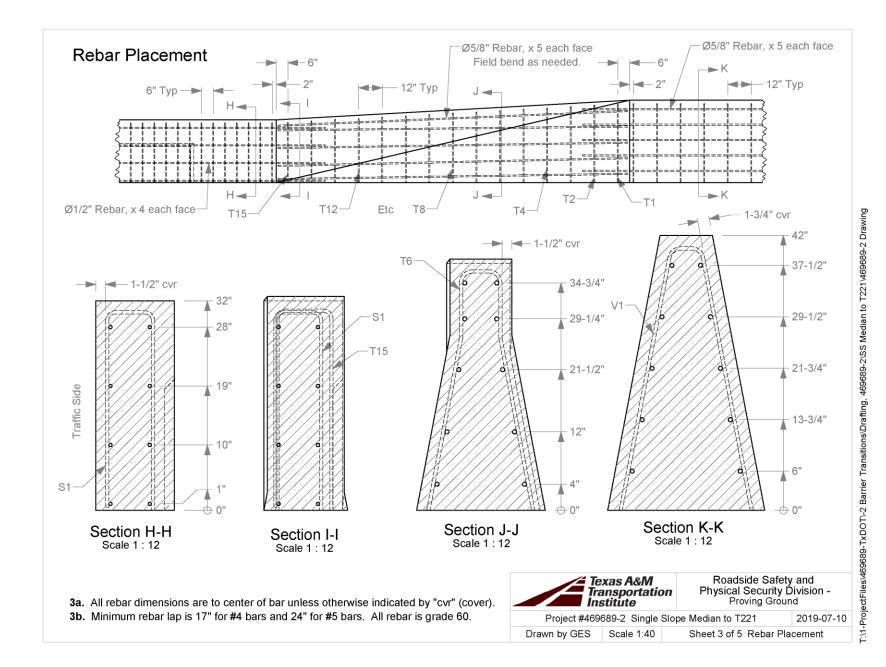


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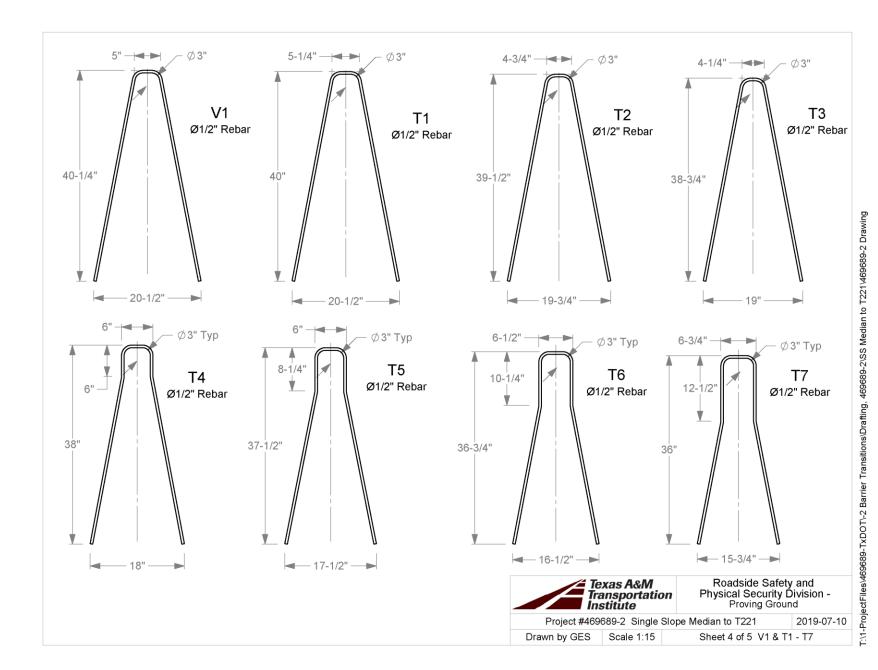


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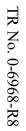


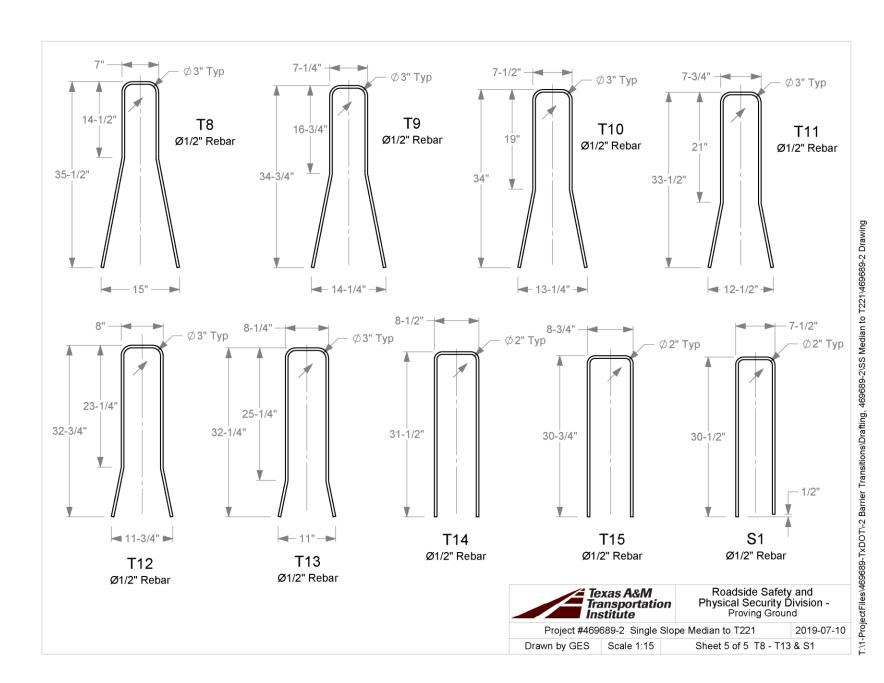




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# APPENDIX B. SUPPORTING CERTIFICATION DOCUMENTS

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# APPENDIX C. MASH TEST 3-20 (CRASH TEST NO. 469689-2-1)

#### C.1 VEHICLE PROPERTIES AND INFORMATION

	Tabl	e C.1. Vehi	cle Properties for <b>T</b>	est No. 4	169689-2-1.
Date:	2019-08-19	Test No.:	469689-02-1	VIN No.:	KNADH4A35B6916812
Year:	2011	Make:	Kia	Model:	Rio
Tire Infl	lation Pressure: <u>3</u>	32 PSI	_ Odometer: <u>95134</u>		Tire Size: <u>185/65R14</u>
Describ	be any damage to t	he vehicle pric	or to test: <u>None</u>		
• Deno	otes accelerometer	location.			
NOTES	S: <u>None</u>		— A M — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — —		<b>≎●</b> N T
	CID: <u>1.6 L</u>				
$\overline{\checkmark}$	nission Type: Auto or [ FWD ] RWD al Equipment:			R	
Dummy Type: Mass: Seat F	50th Perc	centile Male		H	
Geome	etry: inches				
		33.00	K <u>12.25</u>		U <u>14.75</u>
	<u> </u>		L <u>25.25</u>		<u>0                                    </u>
		36.05	M <u>57.75</u>		0W <u>36.00</u>
D <u>34.0</u>		.75	N <u>57.70</u>		X <u>71.50</u>
E <u>98.7</u>		21.50	0 <u>27.00</u>	T <u>66.2</u>	
		es; C = 169 ±8 inches;	Wheel Center Ht E = 98 ±5 inches; F = 35 ±4 inches; H inches; (M+N)/2 = 56 ±2 inches; W-	l = 39 ±4 inches;	O (Bottom of Hood Lip) = 24 ±4 inches
GVWR	Ratings:	Mass: Ib	Curb		nertial Gross Static
Front	1718	Mfront	1584	1534	
Back	1874	M <sub>rear</sub>	893	882	962
Total	3638	М <sub>Тоtal</sub>	2477	2416	_2581
Mass E Ib	Distribution:	-: <u>832</u>	Allowable TIM = 242 RF: <u>702</u>	0 lb ±55 lb   Allow LR: <u>40</u> 2	able GSM = 2585 lb ± 55 lb 2 RR: <u>480</u>

Date:	2019-08-19	Test No.:	469689-02-1	VIN No.:	KNADH4A35B6916812
Year:	2011	Make:	Kia	Model:	Rio

#### Table C.2. Exterior Crush Measurements of Vehicle for Test No. 469689-2-1.

#### 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	2							
$\geq$ 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	Direct Damage								
Specific Impact Number	Plane* of C-Measurements	Width** (CDC)	Max*** Crush	Field L**	$C_1$	$C_2$	$C_3$	$C_4$	$C_5$	C <sub>6</sub>	±D
1	Front plane at bumper ht	18	8	18	2	6	8	-	-	-	+24.5
2	Side plane at bumper ht	18	8	40	0	1	2.5	4	6	8	+62
	Measurements recorded										
	√ inches or ☐ mm										

<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.

Date:	2019-08-19	_ Test No.: _	469689-02-1	\	/IN No.:	No.: KNADH4A35B691			
Year:	2011	_ Make:	Kia	N	/lodel:	Rio			
					OCCUPANT COMPARTMENT DEFORMATION MEASUREMENT				
	F				Before	After (inches)	Differ.		
	G		-      A	<b>\</b> 1	67.50	67.50	0.00		
¶\				۹2	67.25	67.25	0.00		
<u> </u>			Æ	43	67.75	67.75	0.00		
			E	31	40.50	40.50	0.00		
			1	32	39.00	39.00	0.00		
	B1, B2,	B3, B4, B5, B6	E	33	40.50	37.00	-3.50		
			E	34	36.25	36.25	0.00		
A1, A2, &A B D1, D2, & D3 C1, C2, & C3	A1, A2		E	35	36.00	36.00	0.00		
		E E	36	36.25	36.25	0.00			
		C1	26.00	26.00	0.00				
			C	22	0.00	0.00	0.00		
			C	23	26.00	24.00	-2.00		
			[	D1	9.50	9.50	0.00		
	[ <del></del>		[	02	0.00	0.00	0.00		
	// 1		[	03	9.50	7.50	-2.00		
	B1 I	B2 B3	E	E1	51.50	51.50	0.00		
		& E2 +	E	2	51.00	51.00	0.00		
			F	=	51.00	51.00	0.00		
			C	3	51.00	51.00	0.00		
			F	4	37.50	37.50	0.00		
			I		37.50	37.50	0.00		
*Lateral a	area across the cat	o from	J	*	51.00	50.00	-1.00		
driver's si	ide kick panel to pa	assenger's side	kick panel.						

# Table C.3. Occupant Compartment Measurements of Vehicle for Test No. 469689-2-1.

### C.2 SEQUENTIAL PHOTOGRAPHS







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Figure C.1. Sequential Photographs for Test No. 469689-2-1 (Overhead and Frontal Views).

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Figure C.1. Sequential P



















Figure C.1. Sequential Photographs for Test No. 469689-2-1 (Overhead and Frontal Views) (Continued).

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Figure C.2. Sequential Photographs for Test No. 469689-2-1 (Rear View).

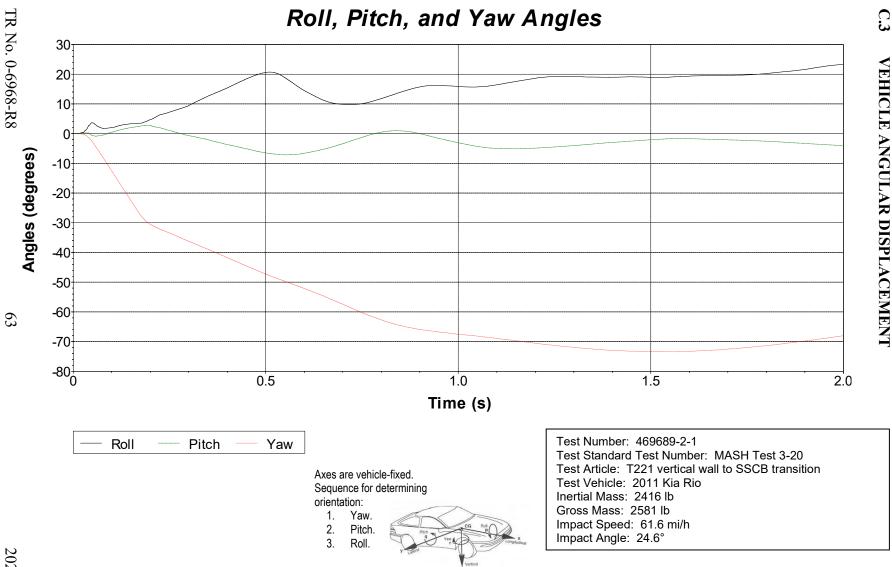


Figure C.3. Vehicle Angular Displacements for Test No. 469689-2-1.

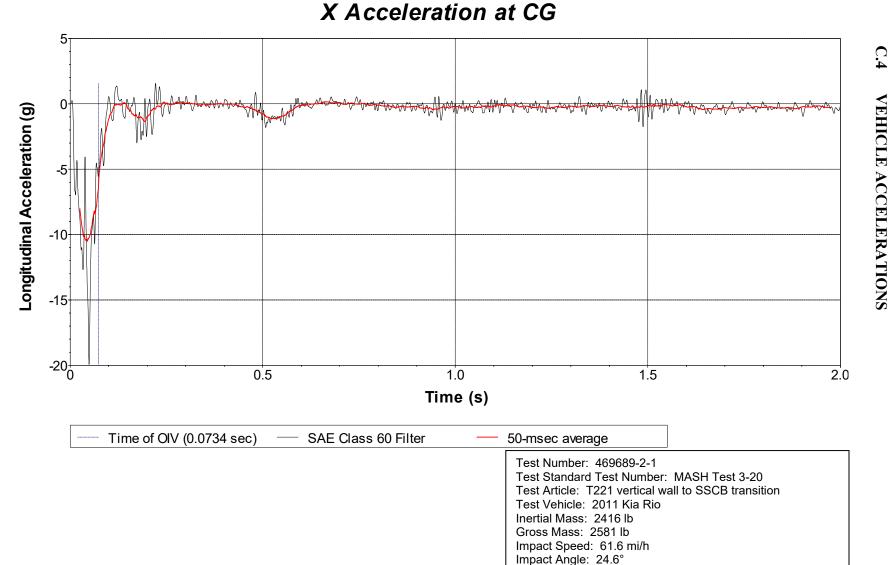
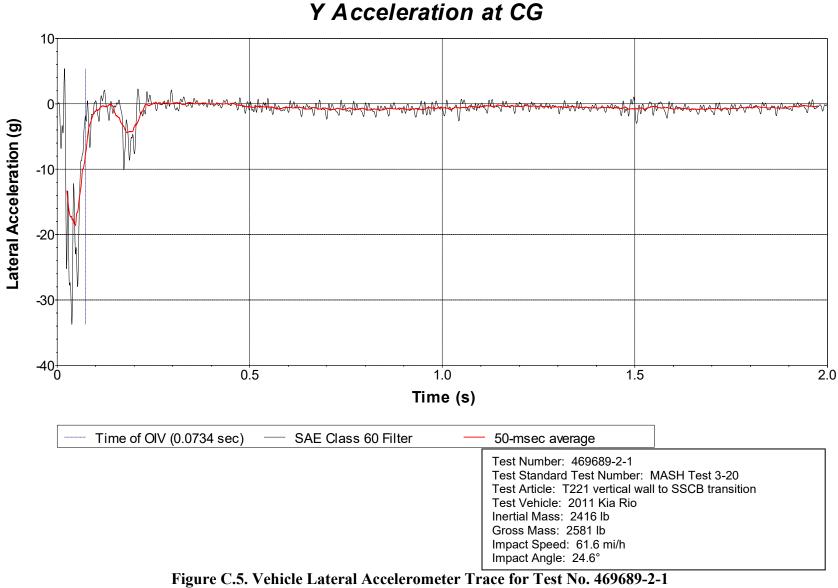
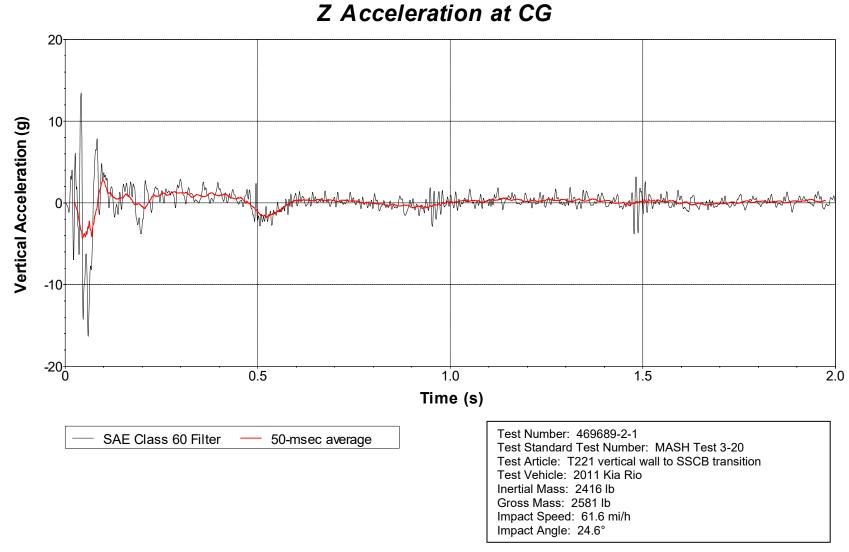


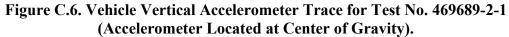
Figure C.4. Vehicle Longitudinal Accelerometer Trace for Test No. 469689-2-1 (Accelerometer Located at Center of Gravity).



(Accelerometer Located at Center of Gravity).

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# APPENDIX D. MASH TEST 3-21 (CRASH TEST NO. 469689-2-2)

#### D.1 VEHICLE PROPERTIES AND INFORMATION

	Table	e D.1. Vehic	ele Prop	erties for T				
Date: 2	019-08-21	Test No.:	4696	89-02-2	VIN No.:	1C6RF	R6GT17DS	693697
Year:	2013	Make:	F	AM	Model:		1500	
Tire Size:	265/70 R 1	7		Tire I	nflation Pre	ssure:	35 p	si
Tread Type:	Highway				Odo	meter: <u>153</u>	3103	
Note any dar	nage to the v	ehicle prior to	test: <u>No</u>	one				
<ul> <li>Denotes a</li> </ul>	ccelerometer	location.		Ì	▲X ▲ W►	-		
NOTES: No	one				717			
Engine Type Engine CID:	V-8 4.7 liter			HEEL ACK				- N T
Transmissior Auto	or [	Manual		R H			, est inertial c.m.	
Optional Equ None	ipment:						$\overline{\bigcirc}$	ДВ
Dummy Data Type: Mass: Seat Positic	No dumr	ny O Ib	↓ J-↓ - -					
Geometry:	inches			-	FRONT	- c	REAR	
A78.		40.00	_ к_	20.00	P _	3.00	_ U _	26.75
B74		28.40	_ L _	30.00	Q	30.50	_ V _	30.25
C		61.94	_ M _	68.50	_ R _	18.00	_ W_	61.90
D 44	·	11.75	_ N _	68.00	S	13.00	_ X _	79.00
E 140. Wheel Cer		27.00	_ O _ Wheel W	46.00	_ T_	77.00 Bottom Fr		
Height Fr	ont	14.75 Cle	earance (Fro	nt)	6.00	Height - F	ront	12.50
Wheel Cer Height R	ear		Wheel W earance (Re	ar)	9.25	Bottom Fr Height - I	Rear	22.50
		±13 inches; E=148 ±12						
GVWR Ratin	i <b>gs:</b> 3700	Mass: Ib	<u>C</u>	<u>urb</u> 2875	lest	Inertial 2815	Gros	<u>s Static</u> 2815
	3900	M <sub>front</sub> M <sub>rear</sub>		2079		2220		2220
	6700	M <sub>Total</sub>		4974		5035		5035
Mass Distrik	oution:		RF:	(Allowable 1440	Range for TIM and	GSM = 5000 lb ±1		1140

Date: 2	019-0	08-21 T	est No.: _	469689-02-2		VIN:		1C6RR6GT17DS693		97
Year:	201	13	Make:	RAM	1	Model:	1500			
Body Style: Quad Cab						Mileage:		153103		
Engine: <u>4.7 liter</u> V-8 Transmission: Automatic										
Fuel Level:     Empty     Ballast:     100     (440 lb max)									0 lb max)	
Tire Pressure: Front: <u>35</u> psi Rear: <u>35</u> psi Size: <u>265/70 R 17</u>										
Measured	l Vel	nicle Wei	ghts: (l	b)						
	LF:	1375		RF:	1440		F	Front Axle:	2815	
	LR:	1080		RR:	1140			Rear Axle:	2220	
	Left:	2455		Right:	2580			Total: 5000 ±2	5035 10 lb allowed	
	Wh	eel Base:	140.50	inches	Track: F:	68.50	incl	nes R:	68.00	inches
		148 ±12 inch	es allowed			Track = (F+R	R)/2 =	67 ±1.5 inches	allowed	
Center of	Gra	vity, SAE	J874 Sus	pension M	ethod					
	<b>X</b> :	61.95	inches	Rear of F	ront Axle	(63 ±4 inches	allov	ved)		
	Y:	0.85	inches	Left -	Right +	of Vehicle	e Ce	nterline		
	<b>Z</b> :	28.40	inches	Above Gr	ound	(minumum 28	3.0 inc	ches allowed)		
Hood	Hoig	ht.	46.00	inchos	Front	Bumper H	oiab	<b>.</b>	27.00	inches
HUUU	neig		nches allowed	inches	FIOIL	Биттрет п	eign	t:	27.00	linches
Front Ove	erhai	ng:	40.00	inches	Rear	Bumper H	eigh	t:	30.00	inches
		39 ±3 i	nches allowed	I						
Overall	Leng		227.50	-						
		237 ±1	3 inches allow	ed						

# Table D.2. Measurements of Vehicle Vertical CG for Test No. 469689-2-2.

Date:	2019-08-21	Test No.:	469689-02-2	VIN No.:	1C6RR6GT17DS693697
Year:	2013	Make:	RAM	Model:	1500

#### Table D.3. Exterior Crush Measurements of Vehicle for Test No. 469689-2-2.

# 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	2 =
$\geq$ 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		Direct Damage									
Specific Impact Number	Plane* of C-Measurements	Width** (CDC)	Max*** Crush	Field L**	$C_1$	$C_2$	$C_3$	$C_4$	$C_5$	$C_6$	±D
1	Front plane at bmp ht	18	12	32	0	1	З	4	7	12	+19
2	Side plane at bmp ht	18	14	64	4	6	-	-	12	14	+72
	Measurements recorded										
	√ inches or ☐ mm										

<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.

Date:	2019-08-21	Test No.:	469689-02-2	VIN No.:	1C6RR6GT17	DS693697
Year:	2013	_ Make: _	RAM	_ Model:	150	0
			<b>∓</b> ∩ D	OCCUPANT EFORMATIC		
	F			Before	After (inches)	Differ.
	J E1	E2 E3	E4	65.00	65.00	0.00
K			A2	63.00	63.00	0.00
			Аз	65.50	65.50	0.00
			B1	45.00	45.00	0.00
			B2	38.00	38.00	0.00
			ВЗ	45.00	45.00	0.00
			B4	. 39.50	39.50	0.00
		B1-3 B4	 B5	43.00	43.00	0.00
6	DI	-3	B6	39.50	39.50	0.00
	C1-3		C1	26.00	26.00	0.00
	$\bigcirc$		 C2	0.00	0.00	0.00
			C3	26.00	22.00	-4.00
			D1	11.00	11.00	0.00
			D2	0.00	0.00	0.00
		<b>1</b>	D3	11.50	11.50	0.00
		 32,5     <sub>∈</sub>	E1	58.50	57.50	-1.00
	B1,4	<u>, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , </u>	 E2	63.50	65.50	2.00
		1-4	E3	63.50	63.50	0.00
			E4	63.50	63.50	0.00
			F	59.00	59.00	0.00
			G	59.00	59.00	0.00

Table D.4. Occupant Compartment Measurements of Vehicle for Test No. 469689-2-2.

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

0.00

0.00

-3.50

37.50

37.50

25.00

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L

J\*

37.50

37.50

21.50

#### **D.2 SEQUENTIAL PHOTOGRAPHS**















Figure D.1. Sequential Photographs for Test No. 469689-2-2 (Overhead and Frontal Views).

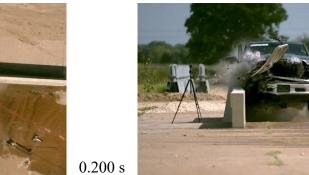


















Figure D.1. Sequential Photographs for Test No. 469689-2-2 (Overhead and Frontal Views) (Continued).

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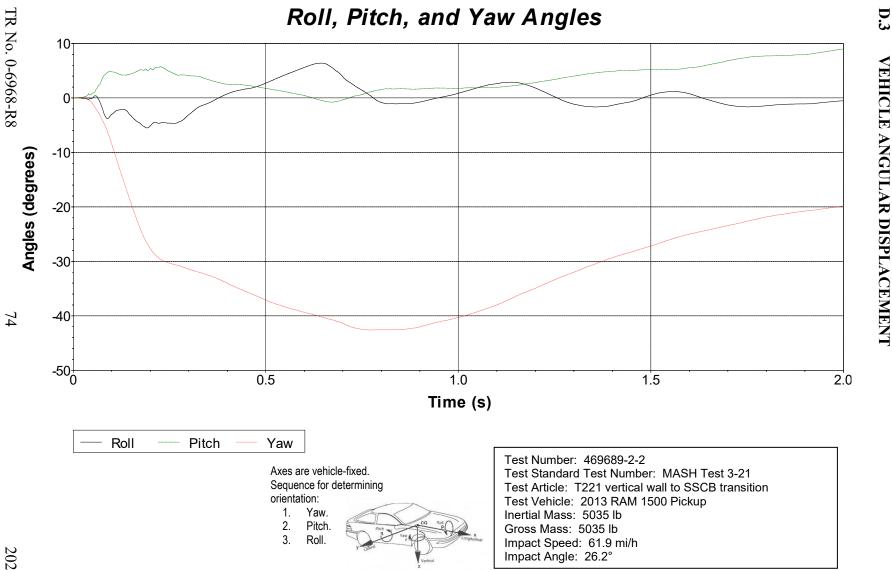


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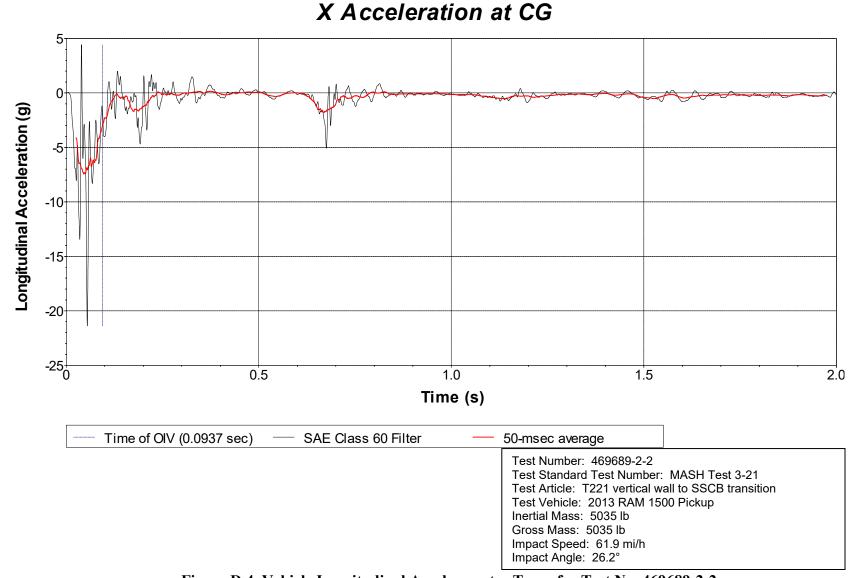
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Figure D.2. Sequential Photographs for Test No. 469689-2-2 (Rear View).



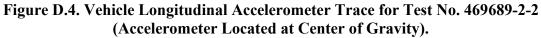
VEHICLE ANGULAR DISPLACEMENT

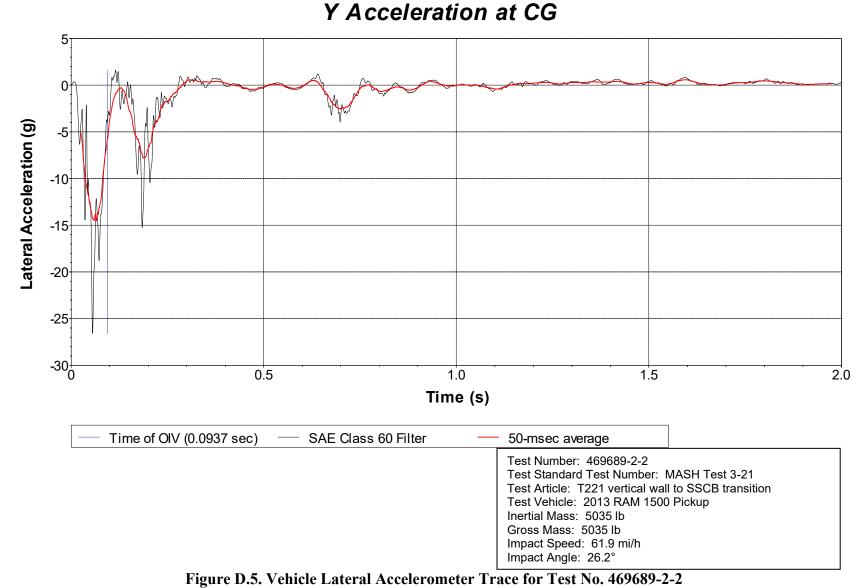
Figure D.3. Vehicle Angular Displacements for Test No. 469689-2-2.



**D.4** 

VEHICLE ACCELERATIONS





(Accelerometer Located at Center of Gravity).

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