#### CE 474 – Class 22

#### October 14, 2015



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#### **Class 21 (10.12)** Discuss: A43 results Mini-lecture/CTQ: A45

Class 22 (10.14) Do/Discuss: A47, A48, A49 Homework (due 10.15):

Prepare: A50

#### Class 23 (10.15) Do/Discuss: A50 (due 10.19)

Do: A50-Revised Homework (due 10.19):

- Read: Chapter 9 overview
- Read: A52
- Do A52 CTQ
- Read chapter 4, K&T

#### Class 24 (10.19) Mini-lecture/CTQ: A52 Field prep: A55

#### Class 25 (10.21)

[Field work: no class meeting] Do: A55 (field) (due 10.22) Homework (due 10.22):

Prepare: A54, A56

#### Class 26 (11.22) Preview: A62 Preview: Exam #1 Discuss: A55 Do/Discuss: A54, A56 (due 10.26) Homework (due 10.26):

- Read: Chapter 10 overview
- Read: A58
- Preview: A59



| Is the 85th percentile<br>speed (or speed limit)<br>of opposing traffic<br>greater than 45 mph?   |                                     | YES                    | NO  |
|---|-------------------------------------|------------------------|---|
| How many through<br>lanes on the<br>opposing approach?  |                                     |                        | ONE TWO DELAY<br>OR DATA<br>THREE AVAILABLE   |
| Is V <sub>It</sub> x V <sub>o</sub> > 50,000<br>during the peak hour?   |                                     |                        | ES NO   |
| Is $V_{lt} \times V_o > 100,000$<br>during the peak hour?   |                                     |                        | YES NO  |
| Is left-turn delay<br>equal to: (a) 2.0 vehicle-<br>hours or more, and<br>(b) greater than 35<br>seconds per vehicle<br>during the peak hour? |                                     |                        | YES NO  |
| Has the critical number<br>of protected-permitted-<br>left-turn-related<br>crashes $(C_{p+p})$ been<br>equaled or exceeded?                   | Refer to<br>Exhibit 4-17            | ES NO                  | YEE NO YES NO YES NO  |
| Suggested<br>Left-Turn Phasing  | PROTECTED<br>PROTECTED<br>PROTECTED | PROT-PERM<br>PERMITTED | PROT-PERM<br>PROT-PERM<br>PROT-PERM<br>PROT-PERM<br>PROT-PERM<br>PROT-PERM<br>PROT-PERM |







#### Protected leading LT Protected lagging LT



# Time Red Green

#### Permitted LT



#### Protected leading LT









# Learning Outcomes

- Be able to compare the performance of different left turn phasing alternatives.
- Understand the efficiency of different left turn phasing alternatives.
- Be able to determine an efficient left turn treatment.

#### Deliverable...

• Complete A47, A48, A49

 One Word document with all results to BBLearn by 800 am Thursday







—— 800 veh/hr/lane

100 veh/hr



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# Considering the Questions

- How does the opposing volume affect the quality of the left turn permitted operation for each of the two cases?
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• Table 1 Average delay for each movement.

|              | Average delay (sec/veh)                 |   |  |  |
|--------------|---|---|--|--|
| Movements    | Low opposing TH<br>volumes<br>(800 vph) | High opposing TH<br>volumes<br>(1450 vph) |  |  |
| EBTH         | 9.4                                     | 12.3                                      |  |  |
| WBTH         | 9.0                                     | 13.4                                      |  |  |
| SBTH         | 19.4                                    | 19.1                                      |  |  |
| NBTH         | 18.0                                    | 20.2                                      |  |  |
| WBLT         | 19.0                                    | 72.6                                      |  |  |
| EBLT         | 15.7                                    | 172.6                                     |  |  |
| Intersection | 13.3                                    | 18.0                                      |  |  |









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#### Comparing Permitted And Protected Left Turn Phasing

- Learning outcomes
- Overview
- Questions to consider
- Steps



#### Running the Experiment

- Step 1. Open the movie file.
- Step2. Observe the operation of the two cases.



# Considering the Questions

 How does changing from permitted to protected left turn phasing affect the LT operation and the operation of the entire intersection?

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• Table 2 Average delay for each movement.

| Movements    | Average delay (sec) |              |  |
|--------------|---------------------|--------------|--|
|              | Permitted LT        | Protected LT |  |
| EBTH         | 12.3                | 19.7         |  |
| WBTH         | 13.4                | 24.4         |  |
| SBTH         | 19.1                | 27.1         |  |
| NBTH         | 20.2                | 29.0         |  |
| WBLT         | 72.6                | 54.5         |  |
| EBLT         | 172.6               | 46.3         |  |
| Intersection | 18.0                | 24.7         |  |





# Comparing Protected/Permitted And Protected Left Turn Phasing

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• Table 3 Average delay for each movement.

|              | Average delay (sec/veh) |                           |  |
|--------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|--|
| Movements    | Protected LT            | Protected/Permitted<br>LT |  |
| EBTH         | 24.9                    | 25.2                      |  |
| WB TH        | 27.0                    | 24.5                      |  |
| SBTH         | 31.9                    | 31.2                      |  |
| NBTH         | 30.4                    | 28.6                      |  |
| WBLT         | 56.0                    | 32.4                      |  |
| EBLT         | 52.5                    | 38.9                      |  |
| Intersection | 29.3                    | 26.9                      |  |

• Table 4 Average green duration for each phase.

| Phase | Average Green Duration (sec) |                           |  |
|-------|------------------------------|---------------------------|--|
|       | Protected LT                 | Protected/Permitted<br>LT |  |
| EBTH  | 44.3                         | 45.7                      |  |
| WB TH | 44.2                         | 44.7                      |  |
| SBTH  | 28.7                         | 30.1                      |  |
| NBTH  | 28.7                         | 30.1                      |  |
| WBLT  | 10.4                         | 7.7                       |  |
| EBLT  | 10.6                         | 8.9                       |  |

# Closure: Summary Of Key Points Learned

- Be able to compare performance of different left turn phasing alternatives.
- Be able to describe efficiency of different left turn phasing alternatives.
- Be able to determine efficient left turn treatment.