Rail Installation Adjustment Report

Railro	oad:												
Track	Supervis	or:			Foi	rce or Gan	g:		Employee	e taking m			
Date	Mile Post Location	Side (L/R)	Track	Actual Rail Temp.	Desired Rail Temp.	Temp. Differential	Required Adjustment	Adj. at Station 1	Adj. at Station 2	Adj. at Station 3	Adj. at Station 4	New Adjusted RNT	Rail information
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Walking Joint Bar Inspections

Railroad:

Division:_____

Track Supervisor:_____

Subdivision	Track	Milepost	Side (L or R)	Joint Identifier	Rail Size	Joint Type	Date Inspected	Conditions Found

Curve Alignment Reference Form

CURVE ALIGNMENT REFERENCE FORM											
WORK DIRECTION											
TRACK II	D:			TYPE OF FASTENERS							
		(LOW TO HIGH MP)									
MILEPOST BEGIN	N:				Rail Anchors						
			(HIGH TO LOW MP)		Pandrol Platers						
MILEPOST END:											
DEGREE OF CURVE:				(Other						
TEAM NAME:			1	Г	T						
	DATE:										
	RAIL TEMPERATURE:										
	RECORDER:	MEASUREMENT 1	MEASUREMENT 2	MEASUREMENT 3	MEASUREMENT 4						
		BEFORE WORK	AFTER WORK	FOLLOW UP	FOLLOW UP						
No.	DESCRIPTION										
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NOTES:				•							

References should be marked fixed objects or wood stakes if practicable. Number reference points in sequence in the direction of work.

In "Description", note TS, SC, CS, ST, and identify reference.

Measure from the field side of the near rail to the face of fixed object or stake. References should be spaced no more than:

100 feet on curves 9 degrees and above

200 feet on 9 degree to 4 degree curves

400 feet on 4 degree to 2 degree curves

800 feet on 2 degree to 1 degree curves

Reference stakes must be clear of maintenance activities, walking areas, and tie ends.

CWR Rail Adjustment Chart Example

C=12 X0.0000065LT CHANGE IN RAIL LENGTH																
C=CHANGE IN LENGTH LENGTH OF RAIL IN FE		ES					TO CHANGE IN TEMPERATURE									
T=CHANGE IN TEMPE	CHANGE IN TEMPERATURE IN DEGREES															
CHANGE IN TEMPERATURE IN DEGREES FAHRENHEIT																
LENGTH OF RAIL - FEET	5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60	65	70	75	80
100	0	0-1/8	0-1/8	0-1/8	0-1/4	0-1/4	0-1/4	0-1/4	0-3/8	0-3/8	0-3/8	0-1/2	0-1/2	0-1/2	0-5/8	0- 5/8
200	0-1/8	0-1/8	0-1/4	0-3/8	0-1/2	0-1/2	0-1/2	0-5/8	0-3/4	0-3/4	0-7/8	0-7/8	1	1-1/8	1-1/8	1- 1/4
300	0-1/8	0-1/4	0-3/8	0-1/2	0-5/8	0-3/4	0-7/8	1	1	1-1/8	1-1/4	1-3/8	1-1/2	1-5/8	1-3/4	1- 7/8
400	0-1/8	0-3/8	0-1/2	0-5/8	0-3/4	1	1-1/8	1-1/4	1-3/8	1-1/2	1-3/4	1-7/8	2	2-1/8	2-3/8	2- 1/2
500	0-1/4	0-3/8	0-5/8	0-3/4	1	1-1/8	1-3/8	1-1/2	1-3/4	2	2-1/8	2-3/8	2-1/2	2-3/4	2-7/8	3- 1/8
600	0-1/4	0-1/2	0-3/4	0-7/8	1-1/8	1-3/8	1-5/8	1-7/8	2-1/8	2-3/8	2-5/8	2-3/4	3	3-1/4	3-1/2	3- 3/4
700	0-1/4	0-1/2	0-7/8	1-1/8	1-3/8	1-5/8	1-7/8	2-1/8	2-1/2	2-3/4	3	3-1/4	3-1/2	3-7/8	4-1/8	4- 3/8
800	0-3/8	0-5/8	1	1-1/4	1-1/2	1-7/8	2-1/8	2-1/2	2-3/4	3-1/8	3-3/8	3-3/4	4	4-3/8	4-5/8	5
900	0-3/8	0-3/4	1	1-3/8	1-3/4	2-1/8	2-1/2	2-3/4	3-1/8	3-1/2	3-7/8	4-1/4	4-5/8	4-7/8	5-1/4	5 5/
1000	0-3/8	0-3/4	1-1/8	1-1/2	2	2-3/8	2-3/4	3-1/8	3-1/2	3-7/8	4-1/4	4-5/8	5-1/8	5-1/2	5-7/8	6· 1/-
1100	0-3/8	0-7/8	1-1/4	1-3/4	2-1/8	2-5/8	3	3-3/8	3-7/8	4-1/4	4-3/4	5-1/8	5-5/8	6	6-3/8	6· 7/
1200	0-1/2	0-7/8	1-3/8	1-7/8	2-3/8	2-3/4	3-1/4	3-3/4	4-1/4	4-5/8	5-1/8	5-5/8	6-1/8	6-1/2	7	7. 1/:
1300	0-1/2	1	1-1/2	2	2-1/2	3	3-1/2	4	4-5/8	5-1/8	5-5/8	6-1/8	6-5/8	7-1/8	7-5/8	8- 1/8
1400	0-1/2	1-1/8	1-5/8	2-1/8	2-3/4	3-1/4	3-7/8	4-3/8	4-7/8	5-1/2	6	6-1/2	7-1/8	7-5/8	8-1/4	8- 3/4
1440	0-1/2	1-1/8	1-5/8	2-1/4	2-3/4	3-3/8	3-7/8	4-1/2	5	5-5/8	6-1/8	6-3/4	7-1/4	7-7/8	8-3/8	9
1500	0-5/8	1-1/8	1-3/4	2-3/8	2-7/8	3-1/2	4-1/8	4-5/8	5-1/4	5-7/8	6-3/8	7	7-5/8	8-1/4	8-3/4	9- 3/8
1600	0-5/8	1-1/4	1-7/8	2-2/1	3-1/8	3-3/4	4-3/8	5	5-5/8	6-1/4	6-7/8	7-1/2	8-1/8	8-3/4	9-3/8	10

All continuous welded rail with a rail temperature below the rail installation safe range will be adjusted.

Example: When laying a rail 1300 feet long, with a rail temperature of 45°F. Reference the desired rail neutral temperature for the area in which it will be installed (in this example we will use 100°F).

The desired Temperature = 100°F The

Rail Temperature = 45°F

The difference between the two = 55° F Cross-reference the line with 1300' with the column with 55° = 5-5/8 inche5

Divide the rail length into four equal parts (325') and place a plate/base reference marks (make sure the plate is secured to prevent movement). Expand the rail making sure that the required amount is achieved at each station (1-13/32" per station).

Station 1 = 1-13/32", Station 2 = 2-13/16", Station 3 = 4-7/32", Station 4 = 5-5/8"

Be sure that the rail is headed, or expanded evenly throughout its length. Also, allow for weld additions or consumption when calculating cuts. Record all information on the proper form(s).

State/RR	Desired Rail Neutral Temperature
Alabama – ABS, AUTR, BHRR	110°
Arkansas – ARS	110°
Florida – JXPT	110°
Georgia – SVHO	110°
Idaho – BVRR, EIRR	100°
Illinois – DREI, CERR	100°
Indiana – GDLK	100°
Kansas – KAW, KORR, SKOL	105°
Louisiana – BRSR, LAS	115°
Michigan – AA, GDLK	100°
Mississippi - MSR	110°
Missouri – ARS	105°
New Mexico – TXNR	115°
New York – ITHA	95°
North Carolina – BLU	100°
Ohio – AA, KNWA	100°
Oklahoma – SLWC, SKOL	110°
Oregon – PCC	100°
South Dakota - RWRR	100°
Texas – AWRR, LBWR, PVS, TIBR, TXNR	115°
West Virginia – KNWA	100°
Washington – PCC	100°
Wisconsin – WSOR	100°

Geographic Desired Rail Neutral Temperature

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