



Materials Specifications Update - June 19, 2014
Webinar Question and Answers

Question 1:

Will surface requirements for variable-thickness layers be waived? i.e., torn mat

Answer 1:

The only recourse provided in the specs is the first paragraph of 330-9.2 where it states to produce a finished surface free of segregation, no pulled or torn spots, etc. This should be enforced on variable thickness overbuild layers in cases where there is gross segregation or severe tearing/puling of the mat. This was the situation recently in one District and the Contractor removed a number of spots of severely segregated material.

Question 2:

When the plans have a pay item note to reuse embankment is it still paid with CSI?

Answer 2:

In general, embankment is not paid with a CSI. If this question is based on a specific example, please contact this office with details so the best answer can be provided.