

Specification (Measurement)

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1 Introduction

This Specification applies to the construction of a reinforced concrete bridge deck constructed on prestressed concrete deck units, prestressed concrete girders or steel girders.

This Specification shall be read in conjunction with MRS01 *Introduction to Specifications,* and other Specifications as appropriate.

This Specification forms part of the Transport and Main Roads Specifications Manual.

2 Measurement of work

2.1 Standard Work Items

In accordance with the provisions of Clause 2.1.3 of MRS01 *Introduction to Specifications*, the Standard Work Items incorporated in this Specification are listed in Table 2.1. Standard Work Items for associated work are included in the following Specifications:

- a) MRS80 Supply and Erection of Bridge Barrier
- b) MRS82 Bridge Deck Expansion Joints
- c) MRS83 Anti-Graffiti Protection, and
- d) MRS84 Deck Wearing Surface.

Table 2.1 – Standard Work Items

Standard Item No.	Description	Unit of Measurement		
Concrete and Reinforcements				
72001	Concrete Class [compressive strength] MPa/20 in cross girder	m³		
72002	Concrete Class [compressive strength] MPa/20 in deck	m³		
72003	Concrete Class [compressive strength] MPa/20 in insitu kerb	m³		
72004	Concrete Class [<i>compressive strength</i>] MPa/20 in parapet and parapet terminal	m³		
72005	Concrete Class [compressive strength] MPa/20 in median	m³		
72006	Concrete Class [compressive strength] MPa/20 in relieving slab	m³		
72007	Reinforcing steel in decks, cross girders, kerbs and parapets, excluding parapet terminals	tonne		
72008	Reinforcing steel in medians, insitu kerbs and parapets	tonne		
72009	Reinforcing steel in relieving slabs	tonne		
72010	Bar grip coupler fittings for future widening, [diameter] mm diameter	each		
72011	Bar grip coupler, [<i>diameter</i>] mm diameter	each		
72012	Bar grip coupler for bar extension, [diameter] mm diameter	each		
72013	Evaporative retarding curing compound	m²		
Cast-In Anchors				
72031	Anchors for bridge rail	lump sum		
72032	Anchors for guardrail terminals	lump sum		

Standard Item No.	Description	Unit of Measurement			
72033	Anchors for road lighting brackets	lump sum			
72034	Sockets for expansion joints	lump sum			
	Miscellaneous Cast-In Items				
72061	Bridge date plate	each			
72062	Permanent survey mark	each			
72063	PVC scupper and spout, [diameter] mm diameter	each			
	Joints and Fillers				
72091	Bridging strips, compressible fillers and isolation inserts	lump sum			
72092	Joint sealants	lump sum			
Stainless Steel Cover Plates					
72121	Expansion joint cover plates, stainless steel	lump sum			
72122	Junction box cover plates, stainless steel	lump sum			
Footway					
72151	Stabilised sand in footway	m³			
72152	Precast concrete footway slab	each			
	Electrical Items				
72181	Electrical conduit in footway, [diameter] mm diameter, [use]	m			
72182	Flexible electrical conduit	lump sum			
72183	Lamp standard brackets	lump sum			
72184	Navigation markers	lump sum			

2.2 Work Operations

- Item 72001 Concrete Class [compressive strength] MPa/20 in cross girder
- Item 72002 Concrete Class [compressive strength] MPa/20 in deck
- Item 72003 Concrete Class [compressive strength] MPa/20 in insitu kerb
- Item 72004 Concrete Class [compressive strength] MPa/20 in parapet and parapet terminal
- Item 72005 Concrete Class [compressive strength] MPa/20 in median
- Item 72006 Concrete Class [compressive strength] MPa/20 in relieving slab

Work Operations incorporated in the above items include:

Work Operations listed in Clause 2.1.5 of MRS01 Introduction to Specifications

- a) supply of concrete
- b) transport of concrete
- c) construction of formwork and falsework, including formwork for voids, block outs, junction boxes, recesses and cored holes
- d) placing and compacting concrete

- e) finishing and curing concrete
- f) removal of formwork and falsework
- g) dressing of concrete
- h) fillers and sealants, unless measured separately, and
- i) embedded and attached items, unless measured separately.
- Item 72007 Reinforcing steel in decks, cross girders, kerbs and parapets, excluding parapet terminals

Item 72008 Reinforcing steel in medians, insitu kerbs and parapets

Item 72009 Reinforcing steel in relieving slabs

Work Operations incorporated in the above items include:

- a) Work Operations listed in Clause 2.1.5 of MRS01 Introduction to Specifications
- b) supply of all materials
- c) fixing reinforcing steel in place, and
- d) welding of steel reinforcing in cross girders and protective treatment of welds, where appropriate.

Item 72010 Bar grip coupler fittings for future widening, [diameter] mm diameter

Work Operations incorporated in the above item include:

- a) Work Operations listed in Clause 2.1.5 of MRS01 Introduction to Specifications
- b) supply bar grip coupler fitting
- c) attachment of coupler fitting to steel reinforcing bar by swaging or by threaded connection, and
- d) provision of a plastic cap in coupler fitting.

Item 72011 Bar grip coupler, [*diameter*] mm diameter

Work Operations incorporated in the above item include:

- a) Work Operations listed in Clause 2.1.5 of MRS01 Introduction to Specifications
- b) supply bar grip coupler
- c) attachment of coupler fittings to steel reinforcing bars by swaging or by threaded connection
- d) provision of a plastic cap in one coupler, and
- e) staged installation to form a coupled reinforcing bar.

Item 72012 Bar grip coupler for bar extension, [diameter] mm diameter

- a) Work Operations listed in Clause 2.1.5 of MRS01 Introduction to Specifications
- b) supply bar grip coupler fittings to match existing installation
- c) attachment of coupler fitting to steel reinforcing bar by swaging or by threaded connection

- d) removal of plastic plug and cleaning of existing thread, and
- e) installation to form a coupled reinforcing bar.

Item 72013 Evaporative retarding curing compound

Work Operations incorporated in the above item include:

- a) Work Operations listed in Clause 2.1.5 of MRS01 Introduction to Specifications
- b) supply of curing compound
- c) application of curing compound, and
- d) protection of surface.

Item 72031 Anchors for bridge rail

Item 72032 Anchors for guardrail terminals

Item 72033 Anchors for road lighting brackets

Work Operations incorporated in the above items include:

- a) Work Operations listed in Clause 2.1.5 of MRS01 Introduction to Specifications
- b) supply and fabrication of anchor studs and / or sockets
- c) hot-dipped galvanising of anchor studs and / or sockets, and
- d) installation of anchor studs and / or sockets.

Item 72034 Sockets for expansion joints

Work Operations incorporated in the above item include:

- a) Work Operations listed in Clause 2.1.5 of MRS01 Introduction to Specifications
- b) supply and fabrication of anchor sockets
- c) installation of anchor sockets, and
- d) supply and installation of temporary plugs.

Item 72061 Bridge date plate

Work Operations incorporated in the above item include:

- a) Work Operations listed in Clause 2.1.5 of MRS01 Introduction to Specifications
- b) supply of date plate, and
- c) casting date plate into concrete.

Item 72062 Permanent survey mark

- a) Work Operations listed in Clause 2.1.5 of MRS01 Introduction to Specifications
- b) supply of permanent survey mark, and
- c) casting permanent survey mark into concrete.

Item 72063 PVC scupper and spout, [diameter] mm diameter

Work Operations incorporated in the above item include:

- a) Work Operations listed in Clause 2.1.5 of MRS01 Introduction to Specifications
- b) supply and fabrication of scupper, and
- c) casting scupper into concrete.

Item 72091 Bridging strips, compressible fillers and isolation inserts

Work Operations incorporated in the above item include:

- a) Work Operations listed in Clause 2.1.5 of MRS01 Introduction to Specifications
- b) supply of fibre cement sheet bridging strip and installation of cement mortar
- c) supply and installation of bituminous impregnated fibre board, and / or
- d) supply and installation of closed cell expanded polyethylene sheet.

Item 72092 Joint sealants

Work Operations incorporated in the above item include:

- a) Work Operations listed in Clause 2.1.5 of MRS01 Introduction to Specifications
- b) surface preparation
- c) supply of backing rod, where necessary, and
- d) supply and installation of hot applied bitumen based, polyurethane elastomer and / or silicone joint sealants.

Item 72121 Expansion joint cover plates, stainless steel

Work Operations incorporated in the above item include:

- a) Work Operations listed in Clause 2.1.5 of MRS01 Introduction to Specifications
- b) supply of sockets and set screws or bolts
- c) supply and fabrication of stainless steel cover plates
- d) casting in or drilling and installation of plate attaching sockets, and
- e) installation of cover plates and set screws or bolts.

Item 72122 Junction box cover plates, stainless steel

- a) Work Operations listed in Clause 2.1.5 of MRS01 Introduction to Specifications
- b) supply of sockets and set screws or bolts and neoprene gasket
- c) supply and fabrication of stainless steel cover plates
- d) casting in or drilling and installation of plate attaching sockets, and
- e) installation of cover plate, neoprene gasket and set screws or bolts.

Item 72151 Stabilised sand in footway

Work Operations incorporated in the above item include:

- a) Work Operations listed in Clause 2.1.5 of MRS01 Introduction to Specifications
- b) supplying all materials
- c) cleaning the top surface of deck units
- d) placing and compacting stabilised sand, and
- e) finishing surface of stabilised sand.

Item 72152 Precast concrete footway slab

Work Operations incorporated in the above item include:

- a) Work Operations listed in Clause 2.1.5 of MRS01 Introduction to Specifications
- b) supply of all materials
- c) manufacture of precast concrete slabs
- d) transport to the Site, and
- e) erection on the bridge deck.

Item 72181 Electrical conduit in footway, [diameter] mm diameter, [use]

Work Operations incorporated in the above item include:

- a) Work Operations listed in Clause 2.1.5 of MRS01 Introduction to Specifications
- b) supply of electrical conduit
- c) installation of conduit
- d) support of conduit during placement of concrete or stabilised sand, and
- e) installation of draw rope.

Item 72182 Flexible electrical conduit

Work Operations incorporated in the above item include:

- a) Work Operations listed in Clause 2.1.5 of MRS01 Introduction to Specifications
- b) supply of flexible electrical conduit, and
- c) installation of conduit.

Item 72183 Lamp standard brackets

- a) Work Operations listed in Clause 2.1.5 of MRS01 Introduction to Specifications
- b) supply and fabrication of lamp standard bracket
- c) hot-dipped galvanising of lamp standard bracket, and
- d) installation of lamp standard bracket.

Item 72184 Navigation markers

Work Operations incorporated in the above item include:

- a) Work Operations listed in Clause 2.1.5 of MRS01 Introduction to Specifications
- b) supply of all materials
- c) fabrication of steel and / or aluminium components
- d) hot-dipped galvanising mild steel components
- e) coating of navigation marker plate with appropriate material and colour
- f) casting in or drilling and installing anchor bolts
- g) installation of navigation marker
- h) supply and installation of luminaire and fittings
- i) supply and installation of connecting electrical conduit, and
- j) supply and installation of electrical cable from nearest junction pit.

2.3 Calculation of quantities

2.3.1 Concrete

The quantity of concrete shall be calculated in accordance with Clause 2.3 of MRS70 Concrete.

2.3.2 Steel Reinforcing Bar

The quantity of steel reinforcing bars shall be calculated in accordance with Clause 2.3 of MRS71 *Reinforcing Steel*.

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