



## I-95 CC Vehicle Probe Project & VPP Suite October 2015

### Newly Published: Arterial Data Validation Report

The VPP arterial report describes the program as it has grown through the years and the results from the various analyses.

*Arterial Probe Data Usability Guidelines:*

✓ RECOMMENDED	⚠ SHOULD BE TESTED	✗ NOT RECOMMENDED
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>&lt;= 1 signal per mile</b></li> <li>• AADT &gt; 40,000 vpd (2-way)</li> <li>• Limited curb cuts</li> <li>Principal Arterials</li> <li>Likely to be accurate...</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>1 to 2 signals per mile</b></li> <li>• AADT 20K to 40K vpd (2-way)</li> <li>• Moderate number of curb cuts</li> <li>Minor Arterials</li> <li>Possibly accurate, test ...</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>&gt;= 2 signals per mile</b></li> <li>• AADT &lt; 20K (2-way) - low volume</li> <li>• Substantial number of curb cuts</li> <li>Major Collectors</li> <li>Unlikely to be accurate...</li> </ul>

*Final Report Recommendations:*

- The I-95 CC should continue to monitor outsourced probe data fidelity on arterials.
- Future work should build on the methodologies established.
- The Coalition should engage probe data providers and industry researchers to explore and prototype new data items capable of fully characterizing the complex arterial travel patterns including resulting from signal control.

### For Your Use: Probe Data Analytics Forum

This Forum is a "user-hub" for members employing the VPP Suite tools. Share articles, press releases, post attachments, ask questions and stay up-to-date on all things VPP Suite! **Become a Member today!**

#### UPCOMING MEETINGS

- **TISPTC Meeting**- DVRPC Offices in Phila. & via webcast: November 18, 2015 (9:30am-2:00pm)
- **VPP Agency Project Team Webcast**: December, 17 2015 (10:30am-noon)
- **VPP Suite User Group Webcast**: January 20, 2016 (10:30am-noon)

### Recent Meeting Info

**VPP Agency Project Team  
Webcast Materials: 9/22/15**

- [Meeting Presentation](#)
  - [Meeting Notes](#)
- Including Updates:  
PennDOT  
MWCOG/TPB  
NJTPA  
VirginiaDOT

**VPP Suite User Group**

**Webcast Materials: 10/13/15**

- [Meeting Presentation](#)
  - [Meeting Notes](#)
- Including MdSHA  
Annual Mobility Report

**VPP Suite Users:**

**Volunteers Wanted**

- **User Focus Group** to develop Performance Summary Report Templates.
- **Bottleneck Working Group** to discuss methods used, issues encountered and ways to address.

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