

Design Element	Factor	Cars	Cars/ Trailers	Trucks	Total
Mainline Traffic Data					
20 Year ADT (A)					
20 Year ADT, Directional (B)	A x 0.60				
DHV, Directional (DHV)	B x 0.135 (1)				
Traffic Composition (20-year projected)	(D ₁) ___ Cars	C ₁ =DHV x D ₁	C ₂ =DHV x D ₂	C ₃ =DHV x D ₃	C=C ₁ +C ₂ + C ₃
Cars (D ₁)	1-(D ₂ +D ₃)				
Cars/Trailers (D ₂).....	5%				
Trucks (D ₃).....	%				
	(D ₂) ___ Cars/Trailers				
	(D ₃) ___ Trucks				
Vehicles Per Hour @ Rest Area (VPH)					
Cars Stopping (E ₁)		VPH ₁ =E ₁ x C ₁	VPH ₂ =E ₂ x C ₂	VPH ₃ =E ₃ x C ₃	VHP=VHP ₁ + VHP ₂ + VHP ₃
Normal Routes.....	.09				
Tourist Routes.....	.13				
Information & Welcome Centers15				
Cars/Trailers (E ₂)	(E ₁) ___ Cars				
Normal Stopping15				
Trucks (E ₃)	(E ₂) ___ Cars/Trailers				
Normal Stopping15				
	(E ₃) ___ Trucks				
Parking Spaces					
Cars (T ₁) –	(T ₁) ___ Cars	P ₁ =VPH ₁ x T ₁	P ₂ =VPH ₂ x T ₂	P ₃ =VPH ₃ x T ₃	P=P ₁ +P ₂ + P ₃
Average Stop25 to .33 hr.				
@ info. centers33 to .50 hr.				
Cars/Trailers (T ₂).....	.50 hr.				
Trucks (T ₃) (2).....	.50 hr.				
	(T ₂) ___ Cars/Trailers				
	(T ₃) ___ Trucks				
Rest Room Requirements					
Persons/Hour (PH)	VPH x 3.0 occupancy x .75 use				
Number of Comfort Facilities – Men’s Room (M)	PH x 0.5				
Number of Comfort Facilities – Women’s Room (W)	PH x 0.5				

- (1) Assume 13.5% or the 20-year projected DHV, whichever is greater.
(2) Maximum of 80 truck and recreational vehicle parking spaces.

**DESIGN GUIDE FOR REST AREA FACILITIES
(Interstates and Freeways)
Figure 51-2A**