Participants in the Fall 2026 Viscosity Graded Asphalt Cement Proficiency Sample Program,

The Fall 2026 Viscosity Graded Asphalt Cement Proficiency Samples 285 and 286 are currently being processed and packaged for shipping.

Please note that all dates are subject to change, and the full schedule can be found here:

https://aashtoresource.org/psp/schedule

Shipping Date: November 12, 2026

Immediately after the shipping date, please log in to the AASHTO re:source website to track your packages. From the "My Laboratory Home", click "View Packages" at the left of the page, under the "Lab Account" heading.

Please be aware that the Shipping Contact on file will receive a FedEx Shipment notification email from TrackingUpdates@FedEx.com containing tracking information. To ensure receipt of the shipment details, kindly add TrackingUpdates@FedEx.com to your contact list and make sure your Shipping Contact information is up to date in our system.

Upon receipt of the samples, please open the box and ensure that all contents are included. If the samples are seriously damaged or missing a component, please notify us immediately and we will send replacements. If you do not, we cannot guarantee that samples will be available with enough time for testing to be completed.

Datasheets and instructions will be available for this sample on our website beginning on October 30, 2025. They can be found by using the following link:

https://aashtoresource.org/psp/datasheets-and-instructions

Non-Receipt Date: November 26, 2026

If you have not received the samples by the non-receipt date or if the samples are seriously damaged, or missing a component please notify us immediately and we will send replacements.

INTERNATIONAL PARTICIPANTS - *If you have not received your samples by this date, please contact your local FedEx Office prior to contacting AASHTO re:source. Your packages may be held at that office or by your country's Customs Agency and your authorization may be required for release.*

Closing Date: January 7, 2027

We encourage you to submit your results online, as soon as possible. This enables you to receive instant confirmation of data submitted and revise data if needed. Test results received after the closing date will not be included in the final report.

Final Report Date: January 21, 2027

AASHTO re:source will provide a final report approximately two weeks after the closing date. Individual laboratory reports will be provided by logging on the AASHTO re:source website. Laboratories will be notified by email when the final report becomes available.

Of course, confidentiality of individual laboratory results will be maintained. However, general information regarding the round of testing, such as statistical summary tables and Youden scatter diagrams associated with the analysis of data, will be provided to the public on AASHTO re:source's website.

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Please contact AASHTO re:source at psp@aashtoresource.org or call 240-436-4900 if there are questions.

Sincerely,
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Program Director, AASHTO re:source Proficiency Sample Program

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