CONFIGURING & TROUBLESHOOTING UTAH SPM'S

SPM Workshop

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Agenda

- ❖ Mark Taylor (UDOT)
 - Detection

- ❖ Jamie Mackey (UDOT)
 - SPM Configuration Tool
 - Signal Numbering Convention

- ❖ Scott Stevenson (PineTop Engineering)
 - Troubleshooting Guidelines

Detection Technologies Used

- Some Inductive Loops – wired in series & grouped by Lane Groups
- Some Video – Traficon, AutoScope, Iteris, Gridsmart
- Some Sensys Networks Magnetometers
- Mostly Wavetronix Radar
 - 699 intersections & 1273 approaches running Advance
 - 708 intersections & 2153 approaches running Matrix

Advanced Detection – Arterials Ch. 1

(Installed at speeds 40 mph+)

1.0 S Passage time is used in controller

All three things are being done with 1 channel.

If stop bar detection is present, queue clearance is not used.

Large Trucks – DZ

Small Trucks/Vehicles- DZ

Queue Clearance of
Waiting Vehicles

1-EB DZQ50 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

Name EB DZQ50

Type Priority

☒ Enabled

Level 1 Level 2 Q

Discovery Range(feet):
>= 740

☒ Range (feet):
100 to 810

☒ Speed (mph):
030 - 100

☒ ETA (seconds):
03.3 - 06.8

810
740
100
90

1-EB DZQ50 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

Name EB DZQ50

Type Priority

☒ Enabled

Level 1 Level 2 Q

Discovery Range(feet):
< 740

☒ Range (feet):
100 to 810

☒ Speed (mph):
030 - 100

☒ ETA (seconds):
03.3 - 05.6

810
100
90

1-EB DZQ50 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

Name EB DZQ50

Type Priority

☒ Enabled

Level 1 Level 2 Q

Queue Clearance
☒ Enabled

Range (feet):
080 to 145

☒ Speed (mph):
001 - 035

☐ ETA (seconds):
02.5 - 05.5

145
80
90

Advanced Detection – Arterials Ch. 2

(Installed at speeds 40 mph+)

The screenshot shows the 'Setup Channels-Alerts-Zones' window. At the top, there are tabs numbered 1 through 8. Tab 2 is selected and labeled '2-EB Count'. The 'Name' field is 'EB Count' and the 'Type' is 'Pulse'. The 'Enabled' checkbox is checked. Under 'Zone Settings', the 'Range (feet):' is set to '395 to 405'. The 'Speed (mph):' checkbox is unchecked, and the range is set to '035 - 100'. A diagram on the right shows a vertical road with a stopbar at the bottom labeled '90'. A yellow line with blue arrows at both ends is positioned above the stopbar, with '405' at the top and '395' at the bottom, indicating a 10-foot zone.

Setup Channels-Alerts-Zones

1 2-EB Count 3 4 5 6 7 8

Name EB Count

Type Pulse

☒ Enabled

Zone Settings

Range (feet):

395 to 405

☐ Speed (mph):

035 - 100

OK Undo Cancel

Channel 2 used for approach volume counts with a 10 foot zone approximately 400 feet from the stopbar.

UDOT Detection Setup StopBar (Sidestreet & Most MainLine)

Wavetronix Matrix Smartsensor Radar

- Thru Presence Ch.: 65 ft.
 - Lane-by-Lane
- Left Presence Ch.: 50 ft.
 - Lane-by-Lane
- Queue Ch.: 15 ft Long @ 50' Back
 - 3 second delay
- Count ch. at Stopbar
 - Ex. Ch. 5–8 (underneath)
- YRA ch. at stopbar
 - Yellow & Red Actuations
 - E.g.: Red Light Running
 - Ex. Ch. 9-11.
 - 15 mph speed filter
 - No YRA in right lanes

Depending on the sensor positioning, layout, and available channels, sometimes we provide exit counting channels.

Signal Timing Manual Ver.1 Figure 5-4

Figure 5-4 Relationship between passage time, gap, and maximum allowable headway

***** The larger the detection zone, the smaller the passage time (PT). Smaller PT reduces vehicle delay for waiting vehicles on other phases.**

Signal Timing Manual Ver. 1 – Table 5-10

Table 5-10 Passage time duration for presence mode detection

Maximum Allowable Headway, s	Detection Zone Length, ft	85 th Percentile Approach Speed, mph ¹				
		25	30	35	40	45
		Passage Time (<i>PT</i>), s				
3.0	6	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.6
	15	1.9	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.4
	25	1.6	1.8	2.0	2.1	2.2
	35	1.3	1.6	1.8	1.9	2.1
	45	1.0	1.3	1.6	1.7	1.9
	55	0.7	1.1	1.3	1.6	1.7
	65	0.4	0.8	1.1	1.4	1.5
	75	0.1	0.6	0.9	1.2	1.4

25 mph: $2.2 - .4 = 1.8$ s.

30 mph: $2.3 - .8 = 1.5$ s.

35 mph: $2.4 - 1.1 = 1.3$ s.

40 mph: $2.5 - 1.4 = 1.1$ s.

45 mph: $2.6 - 1.5 = 1.1$ s.

Ave: 1.4 S savings with 65 foot zone.

Click 650 - Main

PROPERTIES

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PROPERTIES

SENSORS

CHANNELS

VERIFICATION

BIU 9

BIU 10

BIU 11

BIU 12

MMU

BIU 9

BIU 10

BIU 11

BIU 12

MMU

Detector Channel

Detector Channel	Phase	Description	Logic ID
17	5 ▾	WB LT Queue	
18	2 ▾	WB LT	
19	2 ▾	WB Thru 1	
20	2 ▾	WB Thru 2	
21	--- ▾	WB LT Count	
22	--- ▾	WB Thru 1 Count	
23	--- ▾	WB Thru 2 Count	
24	--- ▾	WB RT Count	
25	--- ▾	WB Thru Lane 1 Exit Count	
26	--- ▾	WB Thru Lane 2 Exit Count	
27	4 ▾	NB LT	
28	4 ▾	NB Thru 1	
29	4 ▾	NB Thru 2	
30	--- ▾	NB LT Count	
31	--- ▾	NB Thru 1 Count	
32	--- ▾	NB Thru 2 Count	

Save

Config last saved: 12-

Detector Channel Map

Detector Channel	Phase	Description	Logic ID	Display Approach ▾	Sensor Channel	Add
49	5 ▾	WB Left Lane 1 RLM	a	WB ▾	9 ▾	+
50	2 ▾	WB Thru Lane 1 RLM	a	WB ▾	10 ▾	+
51	2 ▾	WB Thru Lane 2 RLM	a	WB ▾	11 ▾	+
52	--- ▾	EB Thru Lane 2 Exit Count	a	WB ▾	13 ▾	+
53	1 ▾	EB Left Lane 1 RLM	a	EB ▾	9 ▾	+
54	6 ▾	EB Thru Lane 1 RLM	a	EB ▾	10 ▾	+
55	6 ▾	EB Thru Lane 2 RLM	a	EB ▾	11 ▾	+
56	--- ▾	SB Thru Lane 1 Exit Count	a	NB ▾	9 ▾	+
57	4 ▾	NB Left Lane 1 RLM	a	NB ▾	7 ▾	+
58	4 ▾	NB Thru Lane 1 RLM	a	NB ▾	8 ▾	+
59	--- ▾	SB Thru Lane 2 Exit Count	a	NB ▾	10 ▾	+
60	--- ▾	NB Thru Lane 1 Exit Count	a	SB ▾	11 ▾	+
61	8 ▾	SB Left Lane 1 RLM	a	SB ▾	8 ▾	+
62	8 ▾	SB Thru Lane 1 RLM	a	SB ▾	9 ▾	+
63	8 ▾	SB Thru Lane 2 RLM	a	SB ▾	10 ▾	+
64	--- ▾	NB Thru Lane 2 Exit Count	a	SB ▾	12 ▾	+

Save

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Matrix Wavetronix Counting Accuracy Results

(UDOT Research Report No. UT-15.14 – August 2015)

95 Percent Confidence Interval of the Mean

Number of Approach Lanes	Volume Level					
	Low (≤ 100 v/h/ln)		Mid (101-250 v/h/ln)		High (> 250 v/h/ln)	
	Lower	Upper	Lower	Upper	Lower	Upper
2	97.6%	103.9%	97.3%	104.6%	95.3%	104.8%
3	97.5%	102.0%	94.6%	102.5%	97.4%	99.9%
4	94.1%	100.1%	91.7%	100.1%	90.8%	98.6%
5	91.9%	97.2%	88.8%	96.3%	80.3%	98.0%
6	93.8%	96.8%	79.7%	88.6%	74.9%	90.2%

Wavetronix Advance Counting Accuracy Results)

(UDOT Research Report: Pending)

95% Confidence Interval

Number of Lanes	Position1 (Back Side of Mast Arm)					
	Low (≤ 100 v/h/ln)		Mid (101-250 v/h/ln)		High (> 250 v/h/ln)	
	Lower	Upper	Lower	Upper	Lower	Upper
1	92.7%	115.8%	97.6%	105.9%	81.2%	104.7%
2	82.3%	113.7%	83.6%	97.7%	86.1%	94.9%
3	84.3%	92.7%	80.4%	91.5%	71.1%	81.5%

Speed Accuracy

Questions?