

HistoricBridges.org - National Bridge Inventory Data Sheet

2009 Inventory

The National Bridge Inventory contains data submitted by state transportation departments to the Federal Highway Administration in coded format.

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Basic Information

Pennsylvania [42]	Berks County [011]	Perry [59448]	BERNE BRIDGE	40-31-18 = 40.521667	075-59-54 = - 75.998333
67230095296110	Highway agency district: 5	Owner County Highway Agency [02]	Maintenance responsibility	County Highway Agency [02]	
Route 558		FIVE LOCKS ROAD	Toll On free road [3]	Features intersected SCHUYLKILL RIVER	
Design - main	Steel [3]	Design - approach		Kilometerpoint	0 km = 0.0 mi
1	Truss - Thru [10]	0	Other [00]	Year built	1896
				Year reconstructed	1959
				Skew angle	0
				Structure Flared	
				Historical significance	Historical significance is not determinable at this time. [4]
Total length	62.8 m = 206.0 ft	Length of maximum span	62.2 m = 204.1 ft	Deck width, out-to-out	6.1 m = 20.0 ft
Inventory Route, Total Horizontal Clearance	5.7 m = 18.7 ft	Curb or sidewalk width - left	0 m = 0.0 ft	Curb or sidewalk width - right	0 m = 0.0 ft
Deck structure type	Closed Grating [4]				
Type of wearing surface	Bituminous [6]				
Deck protection					
Type of membrane/wearing surface					

Weight Limits

Bypass, detour length	Method to determine inventory rating	Load Factor(LF) [1]	Inventory rating	0 metric ton = 0.0 tons
1.3 km = 0.8 mi	Method to determine operating rating	Load Factor(LF) [1]	Operating rating	0 metric ton = 0.0 tons
Bridge posting		Design Load	M 13.5 / H 15 [2]	

Functional Details

Average Daily Traffic	884	Average daily truck traffi		%	Year	1993	Future average daily traffic	392	Year	1999
Road classification	Local (Rural) [09]		Lanes on structure	2		Approach roadway width	5.5 m = 18.0 ft			
Type of service on bridge	Highway [1]		Direction of traffic	2 - way traffic [2]		Bridge median				
Parallel structure designation	No parallel structure exists. [N]									
Type of service under bridge	Waterway [5]		Lanes under structure	0		Navigation control				
Navigation vertical clearanc	0 = N/A		Navigation horizontal clearance	0 = N/A						
Minimum navigation vertical clearance, vertical lift bridge			Minimum vertical clearance over bridge roadway	5 m = 16.4 ft						
Minimum lateral underclearance reference feature	Feature not a highway or railroad [N]									
Minimum lateral underclearance on right	0 = N/A					Minimum lateral underclearance on left	0 = N/A			
Minimum Vertical Underclearance	0 = N/A		Minimum vertical underclearance reference feature	Feature not a highway or railroad [N]						
Appraisal ratings - underclearances	N/A [N]									

Repair and Replacement Plans

Type of work to be performed	Work done by	Work to be done by contract [1]		
Other structural work, including hydraulic replacements. [38]	Bridge improvement cost	0	Roadway improvement cost	0
	Length of structure improvement	72 m = 236.2 ft	Total project cost	0
	Year of improvement cost estimate			
	Border bridge - state		Border bridge - percent responsibility of other state	
	Border bridge - structure number			

Inspection and Sufficiency

Structure status

Bridge closed to all traffic [K]

Appraisal ratings -
structural

Condition ratings - superstructure

Appraisal ratings -
roadway alignment

Better than present minimum criteria [7]

Condition ratings - substructure

Satisfactory [6]

Appraisal ratings -
deck geometry

Condition ratings - deck

Fair [5]

Scour

Bridge foundations determined to be stable for assessed or calculated scour conditions; field review indicates action is required. [4]

Channel and channel protection

Bank protection is in need of minor repairs. River control devices and embankment protection have a little minor damage. Banks and/or channel have minor amounts of drift. [7]

Appraisal ratings - water adequacy

Equal to present desirable criteria [8]

Status evaluation

Structurally deficient [1]

Pier or abutment protection

Sufficiency rating

13.4

Culverts

Not applicable. Used if structure is not a culvert. [N]

Traffic safety features - railings

Traffic safety features - transitions

Traffic safety features - approach guardrail

Traffic safety features - approach guardrail ends

Inspection date

August 2007 [0807]

Designated inspection frequency

24

Months

Underwater inspection

Not needed [N]

Underwater inspection date

Fracture critical inspection

Not needed [N]

Fracture critical inspection date

Other special inspection

Not needed [N]

Other special inspection date