

Figure 3. After Cold mix Application

b. Microsurfacing

During the quarter, Hincol took up the challenge of treating SATIS Bridge under Thane Municipal Corporation. The traffic load and surface shearing is very high on this bridge due to nonstop movement of buses. Microsurfacing treatment was done successfully on the DBM treated surface.



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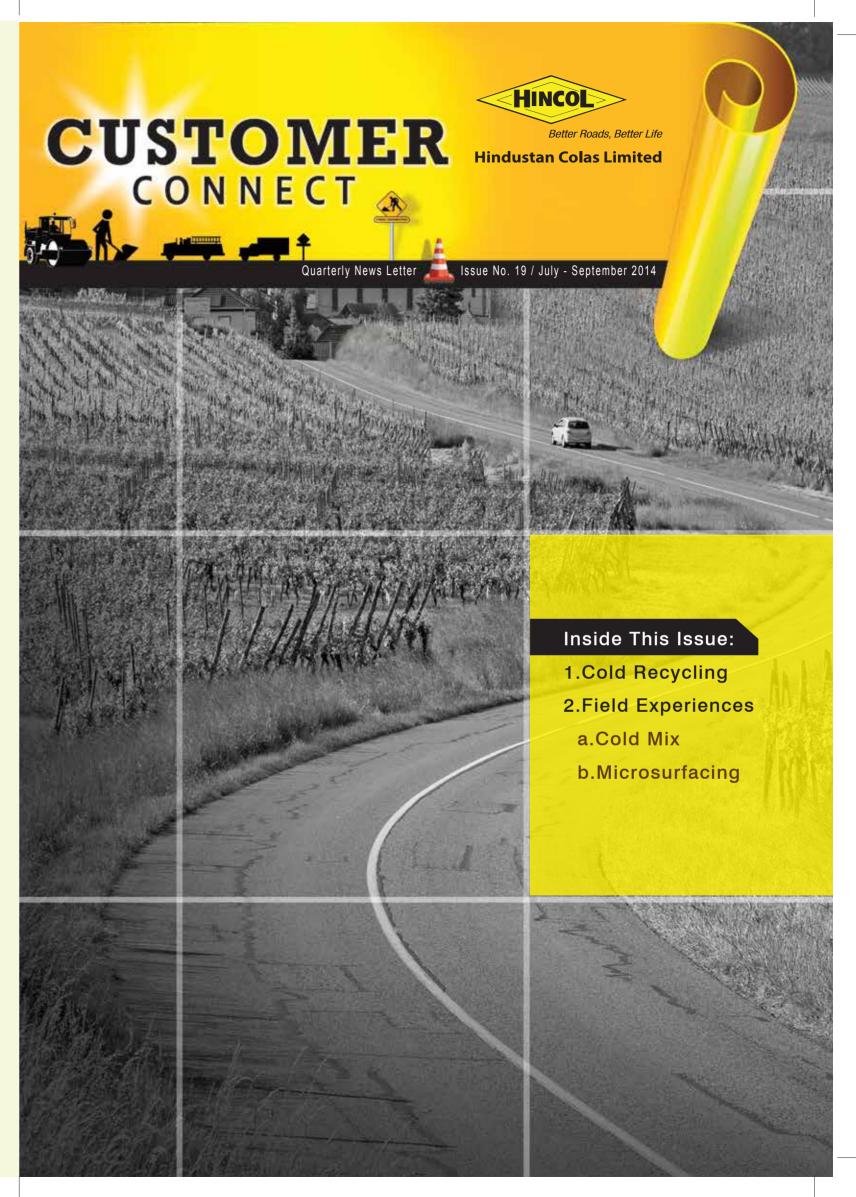


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Cold Recycling

With the significant increase in the cost of pavement materials and a growing shortage of good aggregates in some parts of the country, recycling of pavements became a cost effective alternative to be considered when rehabilitating a pavement structure.

Bituminous pavement recycling involves reusing the bitumen concrete pavement material to rehabilitate and/or strengthen the pavement structure. The cold mix recycling process involves first breaking up and pulverizing the pavement in-place or removing the recyclable asphalt pavement (RAP) to a central plant for crushing. Second, the RAP material is modified by the addition of emulsified bitumen, water and / or aggregate as required. The RAP material is then placed and compacted to the specified density.

Cold Mix recycling allows the reuse of existing materials resulting in the conservation of existing resources. The resources conserved include aggregates, fuels from reduced transportation processing requirements (no heating of materials required).

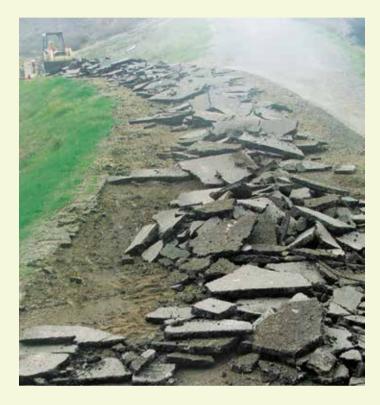
Cold mix recycling should be considered when a pavement has deteriorated to a point where its use is more economical than a conventional overlay. The effective useful life of cold mix recycled bituminous pavements and those reconstructed with new materials should be almost equal and cost savings encountered have ranged from 10 - 30%.

The specifications and design of cold plant mix recycling of bitumen pavements are referred to in ASTM D4215. Cold plant mixtures can be dense-graded or open-graded. Cold-laid bitumenous mixes may be used for surface, base, or subbase courses.

HINCOL Value Proposition:

HINCOL believes Cold Recycling solutions are ideal suited to address numerous constraints agencies faces and has expanded its service portfolio with

a. Cold Recycling Mix Design Services



b. Cold Recycling Application Support Services

These initiatives are aimed at helping our valued customers to fetch benefits of these systems effectively

Field Experiences

a.Cold Mix

Rural roads are the tertiary road system in total road network which provides accessibility for the rural habitations to market and other facility centres. In India, during the last five decades, rural roads are being planned and programmed in the context of overall rural development, and tried to provide all weather connectivity with some level of achievement. Hincol has developed cold mix technologies for different specifications such as Bituminous Macadam (BM), Semi Dense Bituminous Concrete (SDBC), Mix Seal Surfacing (MSS), and Premix Carpet (PMC). HINCOL has wide experience in the construction of roads using emulsion based cold mix technologies in wet and inclement weather. These cold mixes can be produced either by using concrete

mixer or in hot mix plant without heating facility. The paver and other construction machineries, as in normally employed for hot mixes, can be used for execution of these works.

Research Institute with the objective of developing cold mix technology for structural layers such as Bituminous Macadam (BM) and Premix Carpeting (PMC) as base course and semi dense bituminous concrete (SDBC) and Mixed Seal Surfacing (MSS) as wearing course. The demonstrations were carried out in three different climatic conditions – desert regions of Rajasthan (RAGJ Road (Kajuwala – Dantore), snowfall regions of Srinagar and heavy rainfall regions of Mizoram

During the quarter, HINCOL successfully undertook execution of Cold Mix technology for Uttarakhand PWD in the month of Apr 2014. The location was Mayali Guptakshi road. The overlay laid was 20mm Premix Carpet followed by seal coat using customized bitumen emulsion. The required quantity of cold mix was produced in concrete mixer and laid manually. Compaction carried out with steel roller.



Figure 1. Before Treatment



Figure 2. Cold Mix being laid

HINCOL also successfully undertook execution of Cold Mix technology for Madhyapradesh Rural Road Development Authority (MPRRDA) in the month of Jun 2014. The stretch was Singhpur (Niwas) to Khudrisamiya PMGS-Road, Mandla District.

