

CHAPTER 21

BITUMINOUS FLEXIBLE PAVEMENT CONSTRUCTION – MATERIALS

SECTION 89 GENERAL

2101. The component of a bituminous surfacing are:

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| a. | Aggregate, coarse and/or fine. | See section 90 |
| b. | Filler. | |
| c. | Binder. | See section 91 |

2102. A wide range of basic materials can be used; numerous combinations are possible; and mixing and construction can be done in various ways. The quality and grading of aggregated are more critical than in other forms of construction.

2103. Success depends upon:

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| (a) | Proper understanding of the properties of materials |
| (b) | Adequate testing. |
| (c) | Close supervision and control. |