# NJSAT Training Year: Winter 2025

Subject: Superpave Asphalt Plant Advanced Technician Training Course. Five days of classroom and hands on training that includes; Aggregate Source and Consensus testing, Overview of Asphalt Binder PG Grading, and Complete Superpave Mixture Design. Course will also introduce concepts of: Stone Mastic Asphalt (SMA) design, NJDOT's "Specialty Mixes", Designing for Mixture Performance and Balanced Mixture Design.

Thomas Bennert, Ph.D., Supervisor of the Rutgers Asphalt Pavement Laboratory, will be presenting the above course in February 2025 for HMA suppliers, testing laboratories, contractors, pavement consultants and other interested individuals. This course will prepare you to satisfy the educational requirements for New Jersey Society Asphalt Technologist (NJSAT) Level 2 Certification Program. Participants should be prepared daily to conduct aggregate/asphalt-related testing.

- WHERE: Rutgers University Asphalt Pavement Laboratory New Brunswick, NJ
- WHEN: February 10, 11, 12, 13, and 14; February 18th (Exam Day)

TIME: 9:00 am to 4:30 pm

FEE: \$1,700.00 For the training course. Fee includes: course note book, NJSAT LEVEL 2 certification fee and examination. A portion of the fee will be forwarded to the NJSAT to pay for certification and five years of NJSAT annual dues.

PREREQUISITE: Must be certified as NJSAT Asphalt Plant Technologist Level 1.

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### ASPHALT PLANT TECHNICIAN TRAINING COURSE LEVEL 2 COURSE SCHEDULE

## February 10, 2025

History of Superpave - Classroom Asphalt Binder PG Grading – Classroom and Lab Aggregate Source and Consensus Properties – Classroom and Lab

#### February 11, 2025

Review of Volumetric Properties and Analysis - Classroom Review and Conduct Superpave Aggregate Blending – Classroom and Lab

### February 12, 2025

Conduct Superpave Mix Design – Lab Analyze Mix Design Results – Classroom Review NJDOT Superpave Specifications - Classroom

February 13, 2025

Moisture Damage Susceptibility (TSR) – Classroom and Lab Overview Quality Control Factors - Classroom SMA Design – Classroom HMA Performance Testing – Classroom and Lab

#### February 14, 2025

NJDOT Specialty Mixes – Classroom and Lab Designing for Asphalt Mixture Performance – Classroom and Lab Balanced Mixture Design Procedures – Classroom and Lab

#### February 18, 2025

NJSAT Certification Examination (Level 2)