PNA's Thin Concrete Pavement (TCP)

Concrete is a cost-effective alternative to asphalt, thanks to PNA's patented Thin Concrete Pavement (TCP) Design technology. TCP significantly reduces concrete thickness and construction costs while maintaining the superior performance and sustainability of concrete.

Less Out-Of-Joint Cracking

TCP minimizes mid-panel cracking caused by concrete curl. Curl naturally occurs due to shrinkage under ambient conditions; it can be reduced, but not eliminated. Moreover, longer slabs typically exhibit more curl, creating larger voids between the slab and the base.

TCP shortens traditional 12- to 15-foot (3.6- to 4.6-meter) panels to 8 feet or less. This reduces the amount of curl and prevents both edges of the panel from being loaded simultaneously. As a result, the panel experiences less stress and fewer cracks.

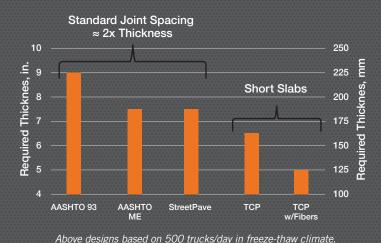
Traditional Concrete Design 12'x 15' panels that are 10" thick **TCP Design** 37 percent less concrete! 6'x 6' panels that are 6.3" thick

Reduce Construction Costs

This TCP design uses

By reducing wheel loads over shorter panels, TCP minimizes concrete volume while maintaining the same load-bearing capacity. Slab thickness can often be reduced by 2 inches or more, saving up to 40 percent in material costs while expediting placement work.

6 ft -



Above designs based on 500 trucks/day in freeze-thaw climate. All other inputs are the same across design methodologies.

PNA's Engineering Expertise

PNA's industry-recognized engineers have focused their academic and professional careers on advancing pavement engineering principles and design best practices.



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DESIGN



BUILD



Concrete Pavement Experts

When you need advanced engineering and design services for industrial and commercial concrete pavements, turn to PNA Construction Technologies. Our credentialed flatwork engineers use the latest engineering advances and design technology to optimize flatwork performance while minimizing construction and lifecycle costs.





World-Class Partners

PNA partners with industry-leading concrete contractors across the United States and Canada to create a design-build framework that ensures the highest-quality results and on-time project delivery.

Our Design-Build Pavement System comes with a standard three-year warranty for pavements.

Customized Solutions

Our Design-Build Pavement System is uniquely tailored to each project. Our engineers use proprietary tools and technologies to optimize designs, taking the following into account:



Usage **Expectations**



Performance

Goals

Site Conditions



Budget Constraints



Owner **Specifications**

Precision That Counts

PNA Construction Technologies eliminates the guesswork from pavement engineering and design.

Our engineering approach:

Takes into account design inputs and variables to reduce risk

Employs advanced modeling that is calibrated with real-world testing

Uses third-party licensed engineers to review and stamp designs

Optimizes concrete mix and materials to enhance performance

Works closely vith contractors to ensure constructability and compliance vith design inter

Our Design-Build Pavement System is ideal for heavy traffic and high-load conditions.

- Logistics facilities
- Intermodal freight depots
- Distribution centers
- Commercial/manufacturing facilities
- Warehouses
- Warehouse-style retail outlets

Begin with PNA. End with Success.

Our high-performance pavement solutions produce smooth, flat, level surfaces that are long-lasting.



Reduced cracking, faulting, spalling and loose or rocking joints



Reduced risk of accidents, injury and product damage



Increased operational efficiency and productivity

Cut Costs – Not Quality

Our designs comply with and improve upon the latest industry standards, such as ACI 330.2R-17 "Guide for the Design and Construction of Concrete Site Paving for Industrial and Trucking Facilities" and ACI 325 "Guide for Construction of Pavements."

By optimizing beyond these standards, PNA can design pavements with highly competitive construction costs. The savings extend beyond first cost, with pavement that has low maintenance and repair costs and a long service life.

Count on PNA to engineer the most reliable platform for your operations at the lowest ownership cost.

Guaranteed Results

PNA Construction Technologies delivers results that last. Our Design-Build Pavement System comes with a standard three-year warranty for pavements, covering design, construction and materials.



