# Real Time Monitoring of Subsidence SR2, Ottawa County, Ohio

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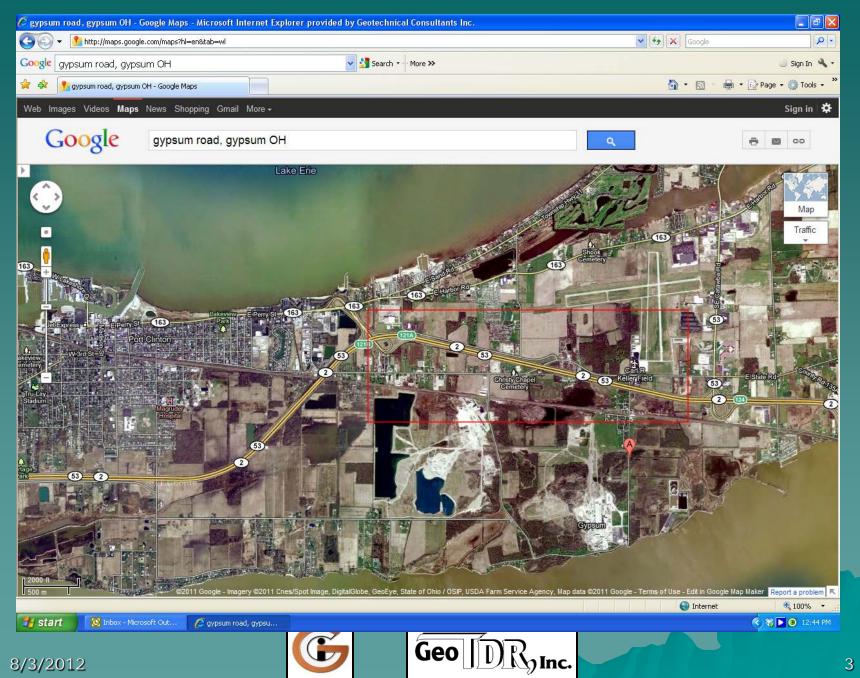


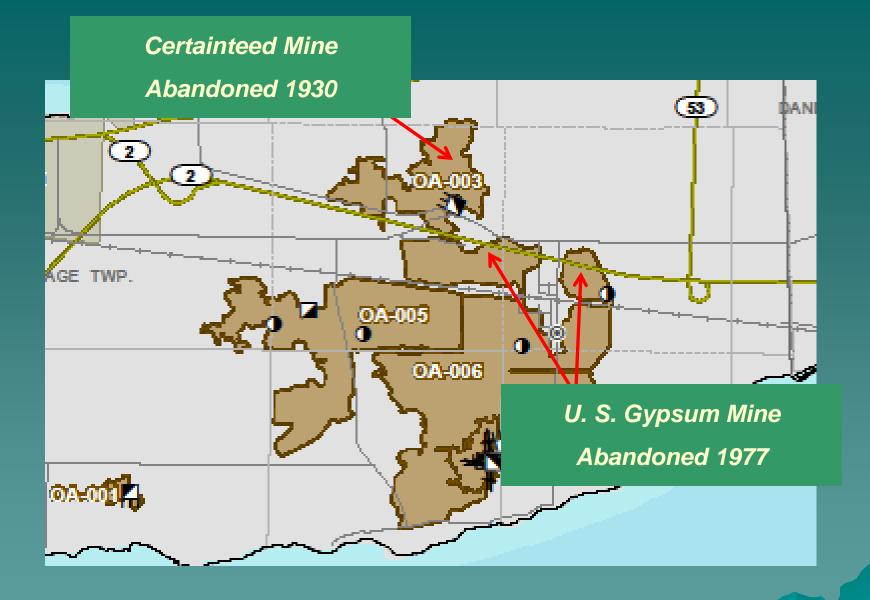


### Site Location and Conditions





















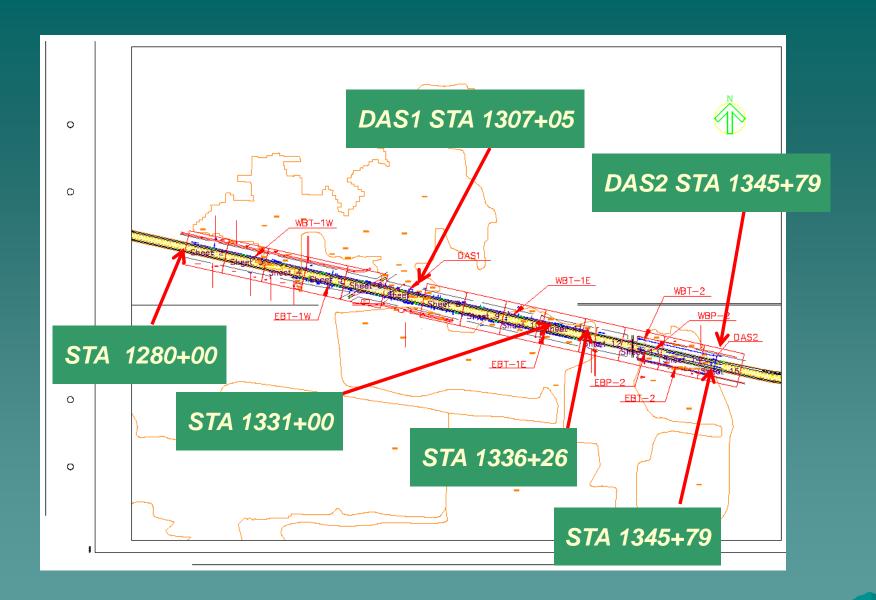














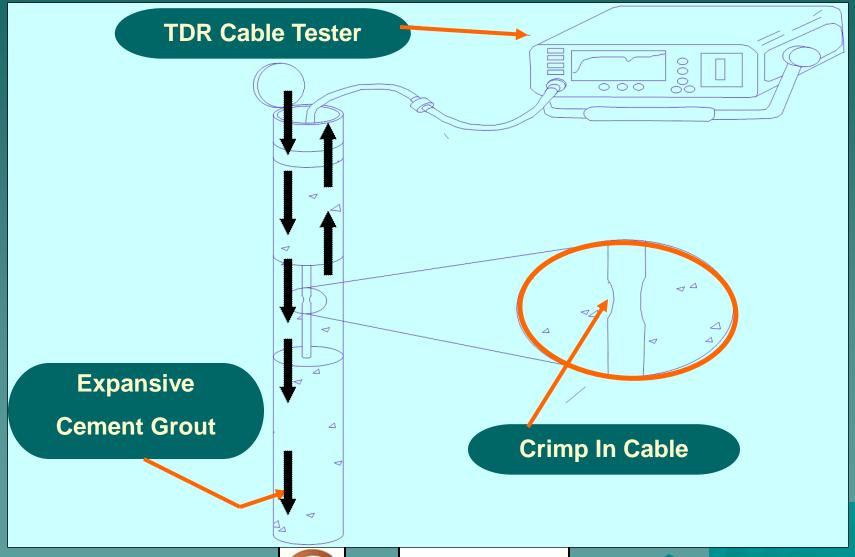


# TDR Principle, Trenching, and Cable Installation





# Cables can be grouted into boreholes or trenches to monitor deformation























# TDR System







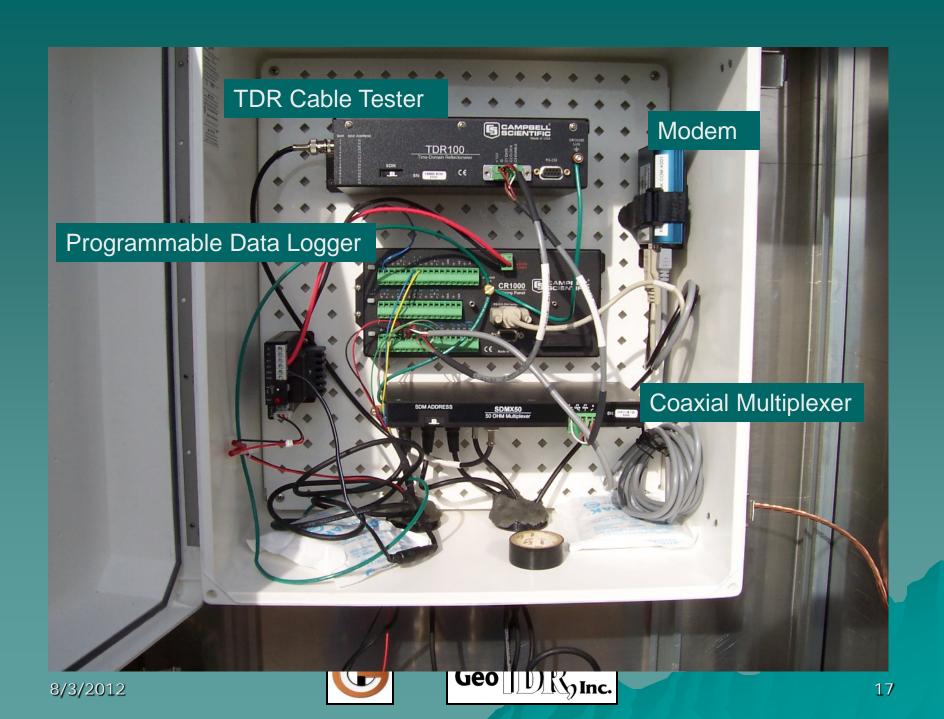












# System Calibration







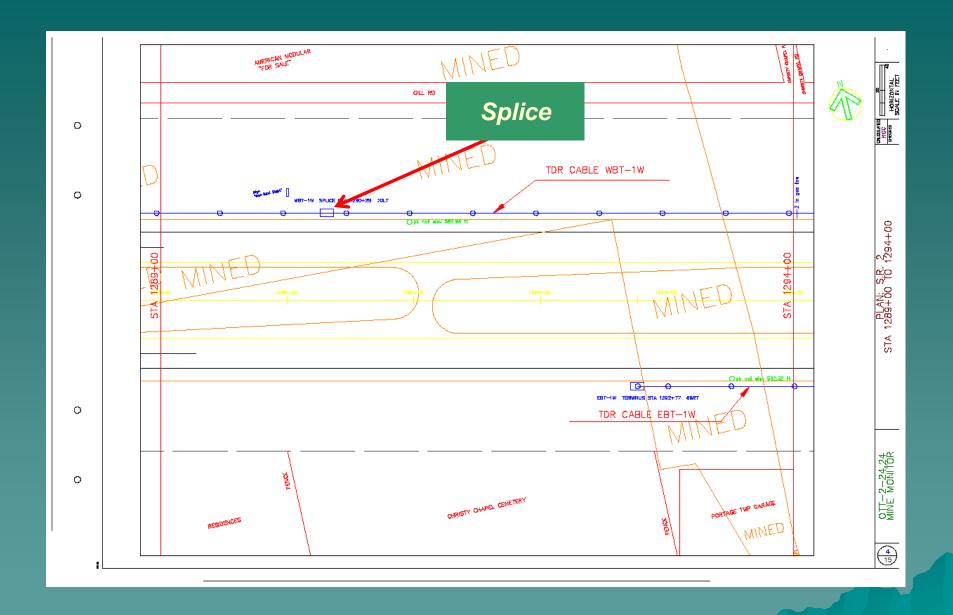








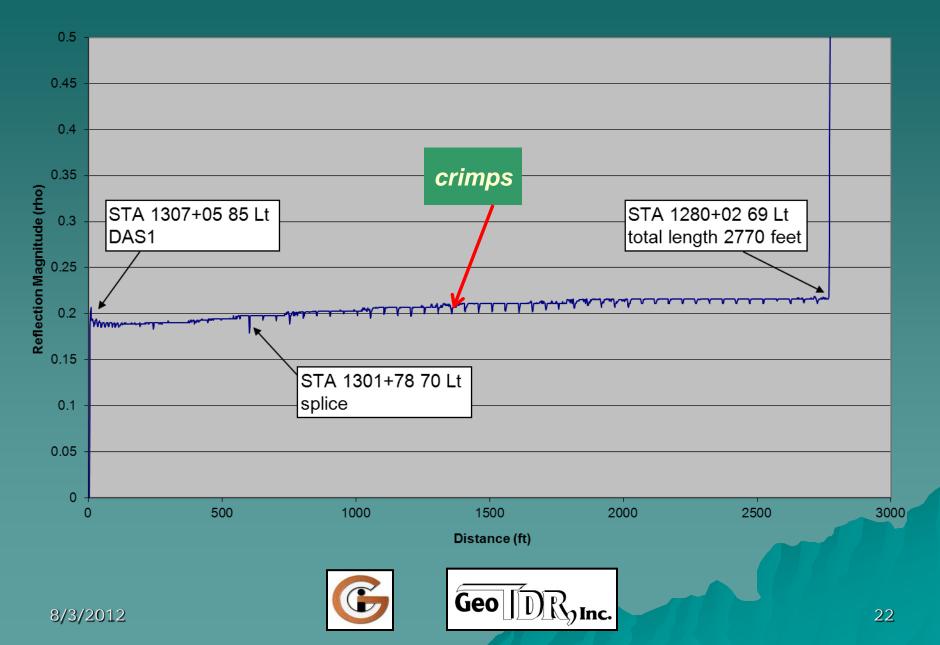








#### SR2 Westbound Travel Lane STA 1307+05 to 1280+02 West of DAS1 (Cable WBT-1W)

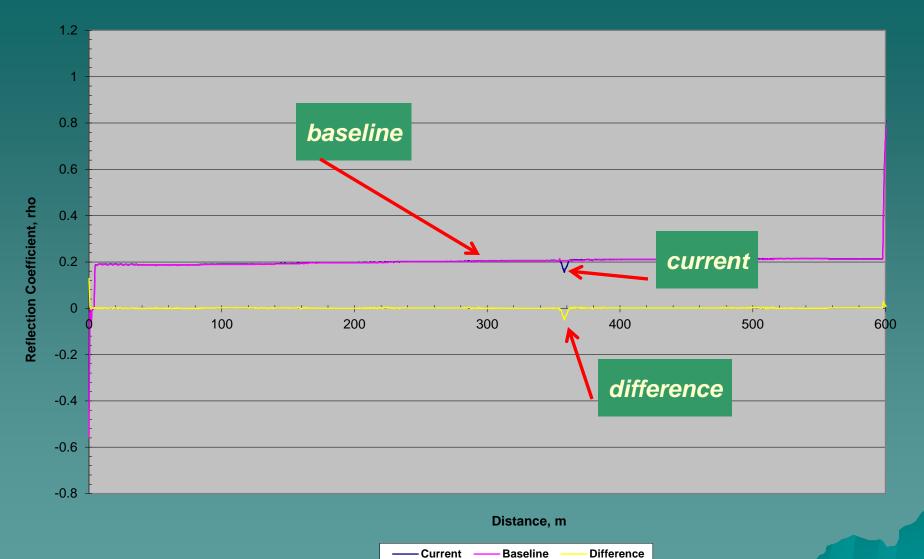


## **Activity Monitoring**



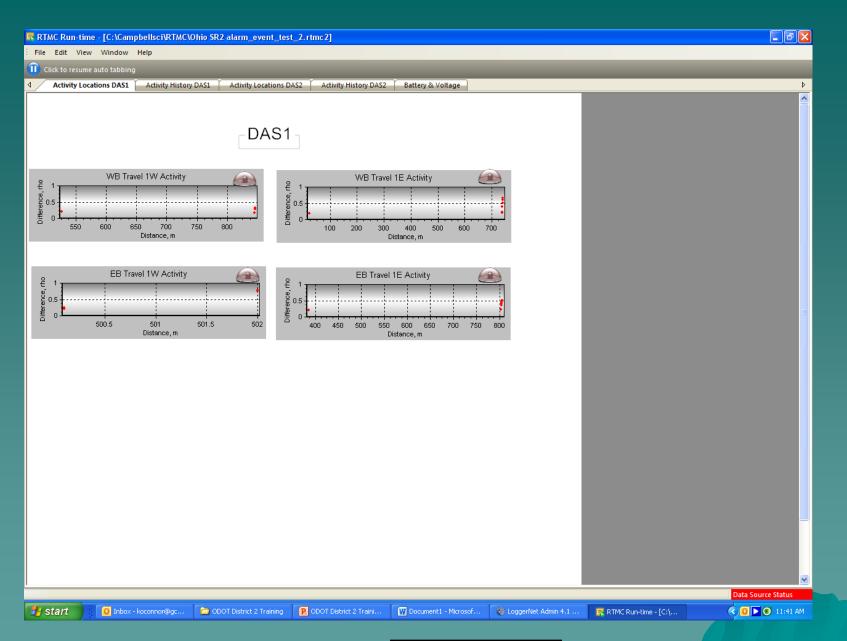


#### **EB Passing Lane Trench B**



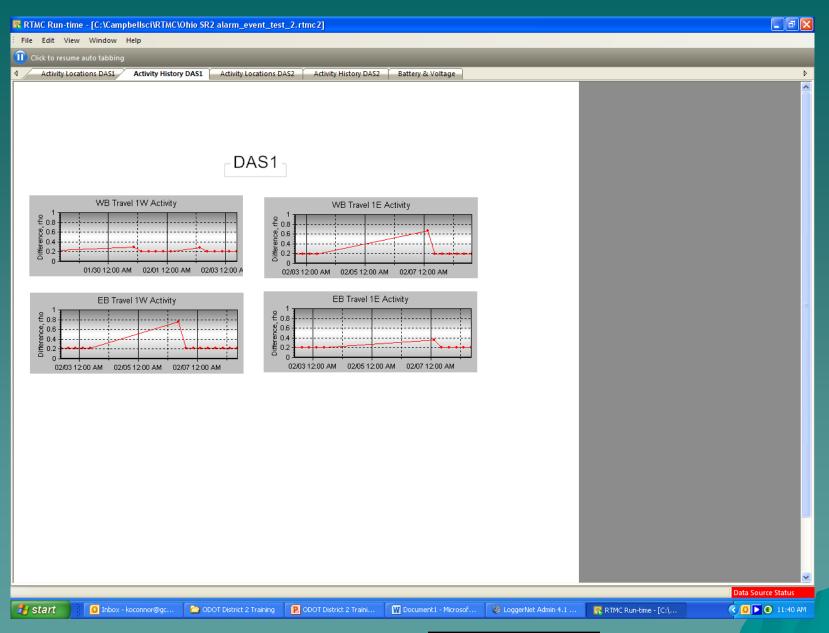
















# Real Time Monitoring with Time Domain Reflectometry (TDR)

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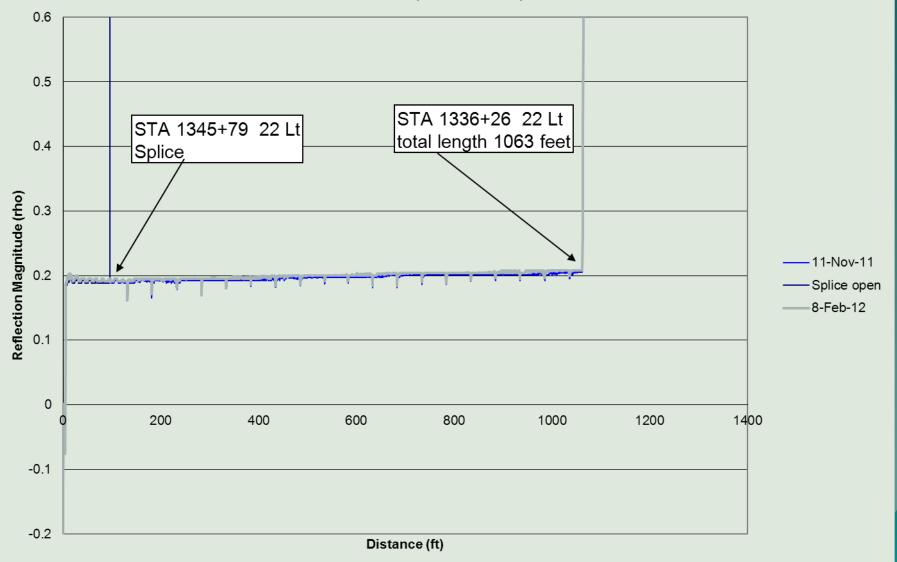


# Activity near Westbound STA 1345+00



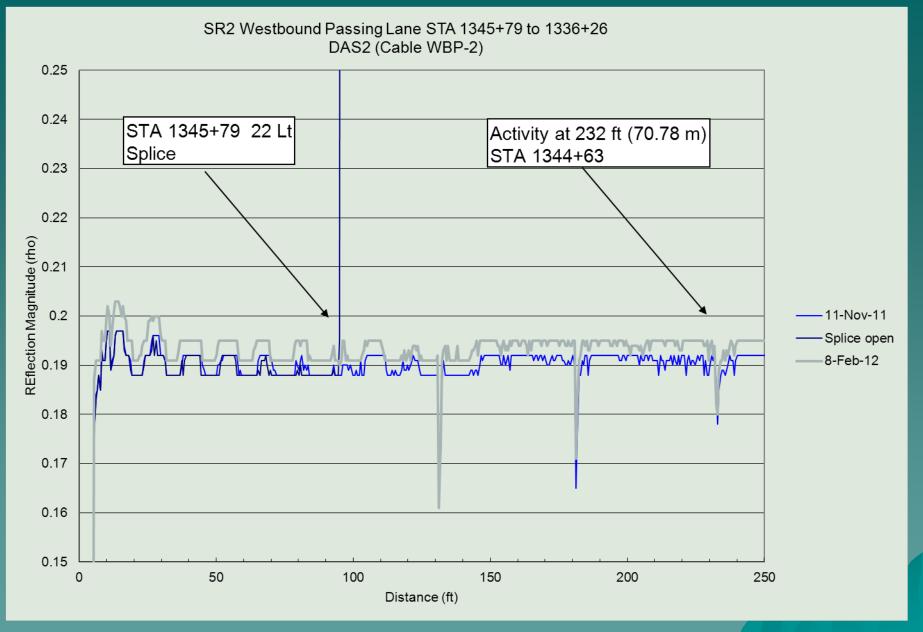


### SR2 Westbound Passing Lane STA 1345+79 to 1336+26 DAS2 (Cable WBP-2)











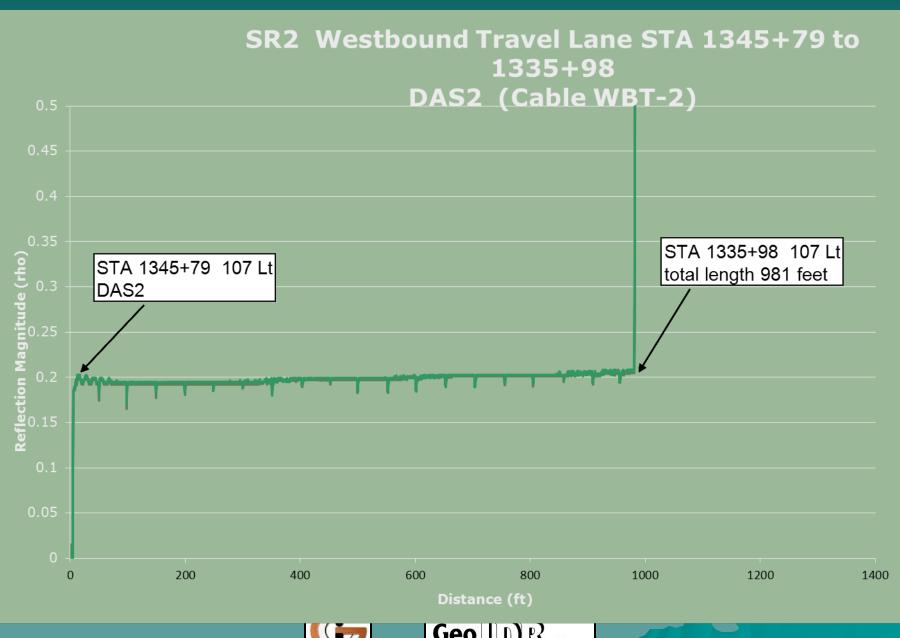


#### WBP2 Activity at 70.78 m

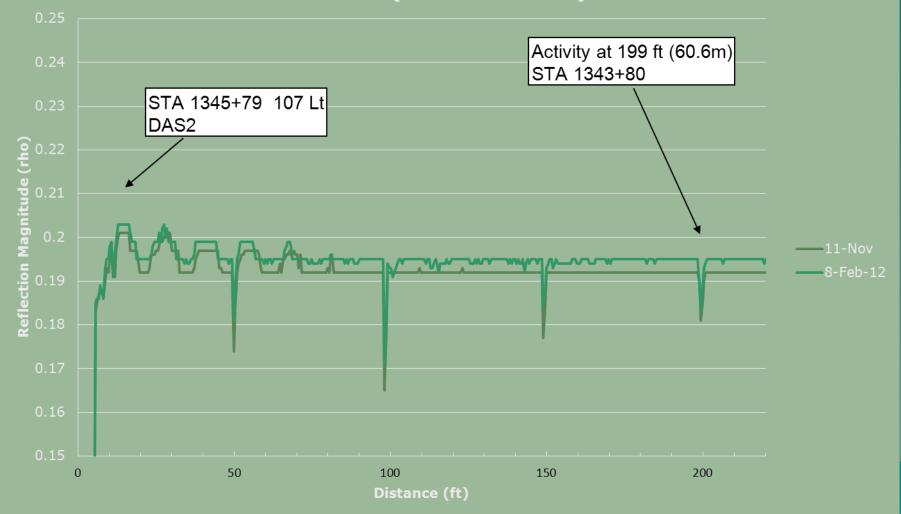






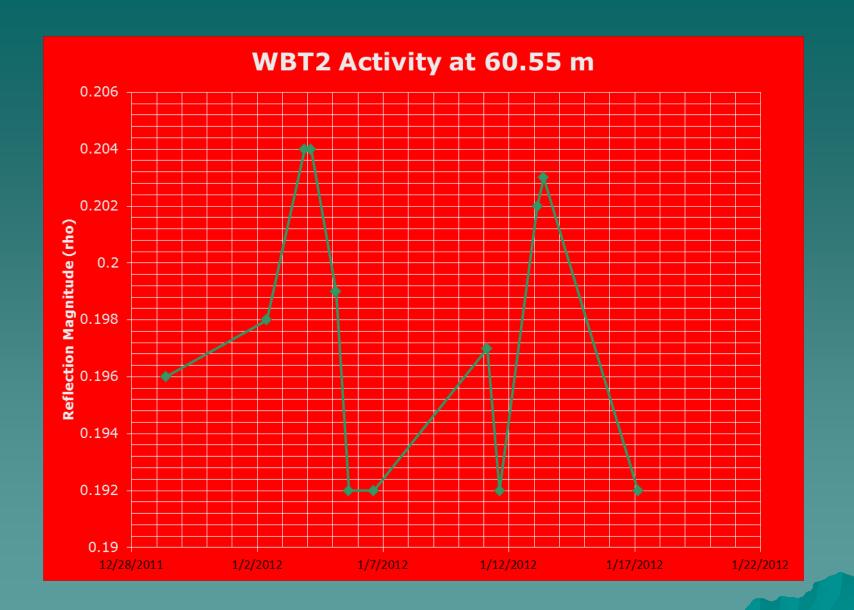


# SR2 Westbound Travel Lane STA 1345+79 to STA 1335+98 DAS2 (Cable WBT-2)



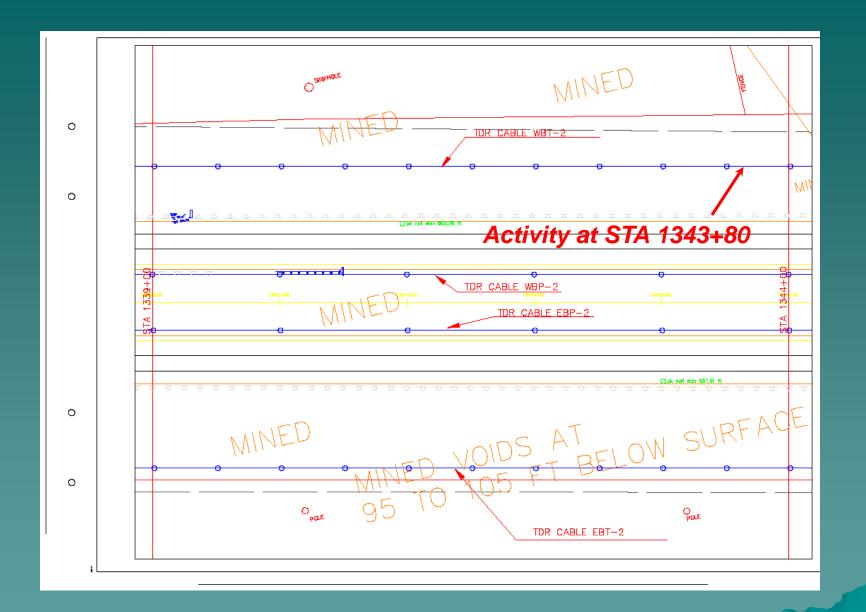






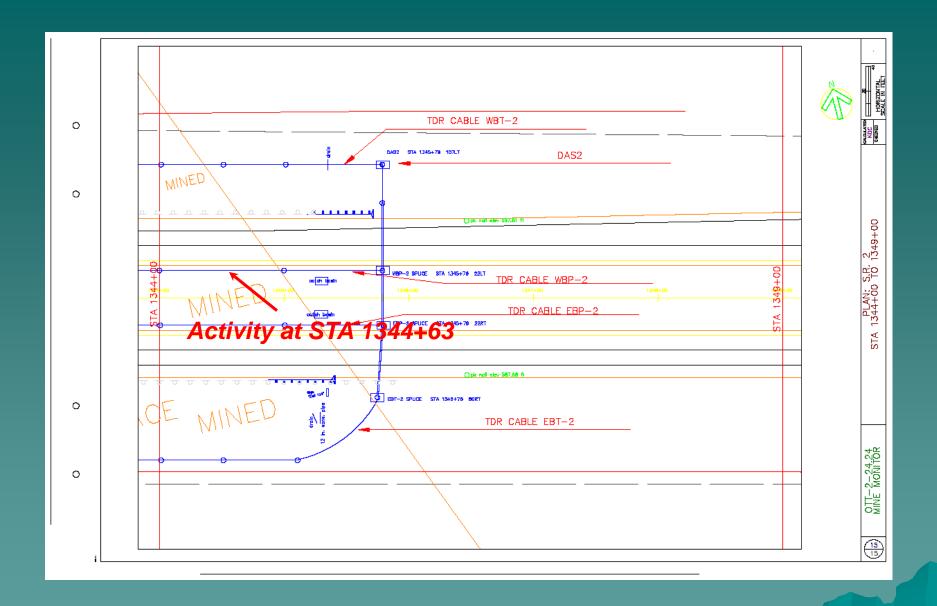












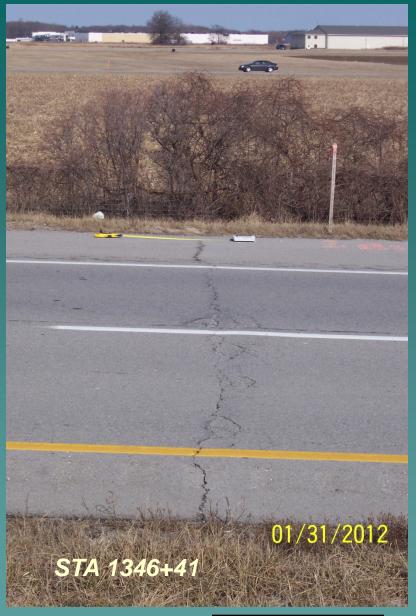
















### **Action Plan**

- At preset times or whenever a user wishes, the TDR cables are interrogated and the data is compared to a baseline that is stored in the data logger.
- At any location where the difference between the baseline and the current reading exceeds a predetermined magnitude an entry is made in an activity log.





### Action Plan (cont)

- The Activity Log file of each cable will be a running list of cable deflection events that exceed the magnitude criterion.
- The TDR system will send out a Notification of Alert when it has detected cable deflection that meets alert levels based on criteria programmed in the data logger.
- Alerts will be in the form of emails.





### Action Plan (cont)

- Criteria for Levels of Alert will be based on the amount of deflection, and the rate of change of deflection when assigning an alert level.
- The Ohio DOT will develop action plans (response, remediation, and further investigation) based on the level of alert, on-site evaluation and log file evaluation.



