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0.1 DISCLAIMER

The Transportation Security Administration (TSA) Checkpoint Design Guide (CDG) is prepared to help TSA Headquarters (TSA HQ), local TSA, airport stakeholders, and architectural and engineering (A&E) firms produce a consistent design product.

The CDG is intended to be used as a design guide. Not all answers to questions in the design process are addressed in this document and deviations are sometimes warranted. Seek guidance from the local Federal Security Director (FSD), TSA checkpoint designer, and deployment coordinator when the guidelines cannot be applied. As with any guide, previous experience, knowledge of local and national codes, and professional judgment are to be integrated with the direction provided herein to develop the optimum design.

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1.0 INTRODUCTION TO SECURITY SCREENING CHECKPOINTS (SSCPs)

The Transportation Security Administration (TSA) is mandated by law to screen air travelers and their carry-on bags in order to intercept prohibited items at the Security Screening Checkpoints (SSCP) at approximately 450 airports across the United States. Since each checkpoint represents a point of entry into the aviation system, each must meet security criteria. SSCP s were less complex pre-9/11. SSCP s have evolved considerably since the formation of TSA in 2002, and continue to evolve with improved technology and increased experience. Because the threat environment is constantly changing, this Checkpoint Design Guide (CDG) was created to communicate the most current accepted guidelines for checkpoint design.

The intent of this document is to provide a description of the SSCP equipment that is used today. Also included is information that can be used to locate equipment within the checkpoint to provide the highest level of security screening and efficiency beginning at the queue and continuing through the composure area. The information in this guide should be used when designing new checkpoints or reconfiguring existing checkpoints. All designs and reconfigurations must be coordinated with TSA checkpoint designer and deployment coordinator, local FSD and staff, and local airport stakeholders so that the recommended guidelines can be site-adapted for each checkpoint. This document is a “living” document that is updated when new technologies or processes are adopted by TSA.

There are multiple layers of security in place at airports today to facilitate the safe movement of people and commerce throughout the airport transportation system. These layers are roadblocks to potential terrorist paths because they are equipped to detect and minimize threats that could occur. Refer to Figure 1-1.

Every airport and airport terminal building is unique in physical design and operational requirements. A single SSCP solution will not work for every checkpoint, nor will it work for every checkpoint at the same airport. Every SSCP location must be reviewed as an entity of the overall airport security system. The CDG provides direction and recommendations on how to locate and size a new SSCP based on the following conditions.

- Facility Infrastructure & Operations
- Current Screening Technology/Equipment
- Type of Risk that is Present or Anticipated
- Passenger Loads/Number of Enplanements

Improper SSCP design results in terminal and checkpoint queue congestion, long passenger wait times, flight delays, missed flights, and unnecessary security risks. Proper SSCP design helps avoid costly problems for the airport, airlines, and TSA. It also provides a smoother and safer experience for the passenger.

This document is divided into the following sections.

- Section 1.0: Introduction to Security Screening Checkpoints (SSCPs)
- Section 2.0: SSCP Elements
- Section 3.0: Standard SSCP Layouts
- Section 4.0: SSCP Electrical Requirements
- Section 5.0: Safety
- Section 6.0: Appendix A - SSCP Terminology
- Section 7.0: Appendix B - Checklist & Lessons Learned
- Section 8.0: Appendix C - Standard Equipment Dimensional Criteria
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1.0 INTRODUCTION TO SECURITY SCREENING CHECKPOINTS (SSCPs)

**Figure 1-1** Twenty One Layers of Security
1.1 GENERAL INFORMATION

SSCPs are a critical element to an airport’s overall terminal design and must be considered in the early stages of planning and conceptual layout. Performance requirements of an SSCP and airport/airline responsibilities are not included in the CDG. This information can be obtained from TSA regulatory documents.

Security screening is intended to deter and prevent hijackings and the transport of explosives, incendiary or dangerous weapons aboard commercial aircraft. Sterile areas are defined as those areas where aircraft access is possible only for persons that have undergone security screening. Non-sterile areas are accessible to the general public.

When designing a new terminal or checkpoint, or reconfiguring an existing terminal or checkpoint, the following should be considered during design:

- Sufficient square footage to support current TSA technology and screening processes
- Ability to secure exit lanes during operational and non-operational hours of the SSCP
- Wheelchair accessibility and allowances for persons with disabilities and/or assistive devices
- Minimal interruption or delay to the flow of passengers and others being screened
- Effective and secure handling of goods that are transported from the non-sterile area to the sterile area
- Protection of SSCP equipment during non-operational hours
- Equipment maintenance clearances
- Operational flexibility in response to changes in passenger loads, equipment, technology, processes, and security levels
- Efficient and effective use of terminal space
- Acceptable and comfortable environmental factors, such as air temperature, humidity, air quality, lighting, and noise
- Safe and ergonomic design
- Coordination of power, data, fiber optics, CCTV, and lighting at the SSCP
- Contingency plans for power outages and system challenges (good practice for the airport, but not required by TSA for the checkpoint)
- Allowance for TSA office space which needs to be negotiated through the TSA Office of Real Estate
- Staffing efficiency for TSA and other security personnel
1.2 STAKEHOLDER COORDINATION

Key individuals with TSA checkpoint designer, deployment coordinator, local FSD and staff, government agencies, and airport/airline operations should be involved during the SSCP design process. These groups will be able to facilitate dialogue regarding local building codes, mutual aid agreements with local law enforcement/emergency responders, and joint commercial/military entities.

Permitting and approvals can be a factor in design and final deliverables. Depending on site location and project complexity, building permits may or may not be required. This should be determined early on in the project. Some sites require airport authority approval only. Permitting or approvals may require additional information in the deliverable that is beyond the information given in this guideline. Early determination of approval requirements will avoid inconvenient changes later in the process.

1.3 PLANNING CONSIDERATIONS

SSCPs are created by combining standard 1- and 2-lane module sets. A typical 1-lane module set consists of an X-ray, Manual Diverter Roller (MDR), Walk Through Metal Detector (WTMD) and/or Advanced Imaging Technology (AIT), Alternate Viewing Station (AVS), Explosive Trace Detection (ETD), Bottle Liquid Scanner (BLS), Passenger Inspection, and Bag Inspection. A 2-lane module set is the same as a 1-lane module set with the addition of another X-ray. Figure 1-2 illustrates a 5-lane layout which is a combination of two 2-lane module sets and one 1-lane module set. These module sets are discussed in more detail in Section 3.0. The module sets are created based on the recommended TSA spacing for passenger ingress/egress, clearance for maintenance activities, and prevention of passenger breaches. The separation of sterile and non-sterile areas provide a controlled and contained screening environment.

A modular design enables TSA to determine the depth and width needed for a set number of lanes. The number of lanes is based on the passenger load and the physical space provided by the airport. Contact the TSA Office of Security Capabilities (OSC) to assist with determining the number of lanes needed to meet the passenger load in the space allotted for the SSCP. As the number of enplanements per year increases and the equipment and technology evolve, the SSCP needs to have the flexibility to change and expand. Allowances for modifications must be included in the Airport Master Plan.

Vulnerabilities specific to a particular airport will dictate where the checkpoint is situated within the terminal. Some airports may locate the SSCP at or near the entrance of the terminal, making all spaces beyond the SSCP sterile. Thoughtful consideration must be given to passenger queuing if the SSCP is placed near the terminal entrance. Massing people in public areas should be avoided. The more common choice is to position the SSCP deep in the terminal. During periods of elevated threat or special events, temporary SSSPs may need to be installed. If this is a potential option, floor space and temporary utilities should be planned into the terminal design by the airport.

Airports with international flights have a Federal Inspection Service (FIS) checkpoint. This is a checkpoint dedicated specifically for arriving international passengers. Arriving international passengers are required to undergo U.S. screening before transferring to a domestic flight because the U.S. screening process has different requirements and provisions than screening processes at non-U.S. origins. The screening requirements for a FIS checkpoint are the same as other checkpoints, but the volume varies based on the frequency of inbound international flights.

Care should be taken to preserve the paths and clearances required by the local and national building codes to provide for barrier-free movement in the checkpoint and life safety requirements for exiting. Observing exiting for airport and TSA staff as well as passengers is gaining closer scrutiny from the reviewing agencies. Some locations may require emergency exiting through a checkpoint. Many sites require exit studies showing how the checkpoint affects the
emergency exiting of the terminal as a whole. This could require modifications or additions to the checkpoint beyond guidelines set herein.

Airport security technology is a dynamic and rapidly changing field. No matter how carefully an airport is designed to take maximum advantage of the current technology, designs must be sufficiently adaptable to meet the changing threats and support future technology. Security screening equipment dimensions and/or processes may change, requiring the entire airport security managerial infrastructure to make important decisions regarding modifications, which the designer must then accommodate. The designer’s task will be easier if the original design has anticipated the need for change and has provisions for expansion. Electrical and data infrastructure should also be flexible. Planning ahead for adaptable electrical/data devices will best support future changes.
Figure 1-2  Example SSCP
1.4 AIRPORT OPERATIONAL TYPES

Airports are typically categorized by the number of enplanements per year. This defines the airport’s category as “X, I, II, III, and IV.” Airports are also classified as a hub, spoke, a hub, or stand-alone. Refer to Figure 1-5 for an example of a region of the TSA Federalized Airports. Airports are also characterized as Transfer/Hub, Origin and Destination (O&D), or a combination of the two, with regional and commuter traffic included in all three.

In Transfer/Hub airports, transfer passengers frequently move from gate to gate without passing through an airport SSCP. If concessions are located in the non-sterile area, there is incentive for passengers to exit the sterile area and subsequently re-enter the sterile area through the SSCP, thus increasing the passenger load that might otherwise be unnecessary. In this arrangement, concessions should be located in the sterile area to allow passengers to move among gates along multiple concourses without needing to be re-screened.

O&D airports are best served by locating the SSCP near the individual hold rooms or passenger waiting area so that the SSCP can be staffed for particular departures. While this makes staffing more dynamic, it requires more real estate and equipment.

Small airports operate a bit differently than their larger O&D and Transfer/Hub counterparts. Typically, there is little or no hold room space, and passenger screening doesn’t occur until just before the flight boards. Often the SSCP’s at small airports are located at the gate. In some cases, space may be so limited that it is best to co-locate the checked bag screening adjacent to or in combination with passenger screening. This configuration has specific equipment called AutoEDS that is capable of screening carry-on and checked baggage. This layout is efficient and economical in that one piece of equipment and the same staff can provide two types of screening.

Figure 1-3 TSA Federalized Airports Example
1.5 CHECKPOINT IMPROVEMENTS

New construction and checkpoint reconfigurations to the SSCP must be closely coordinated with TSA Checkpoint Designer and Deployment Coordinator so that the proper equipment and resources are deployed to support the changes that heightens security, increases throughput, reduces on-the-job injuries, makes staffing more dynamic, improves passenger customer service, and is consistent with this design guide. Coordinate with TSA to obtain the most recent AutoCAD blocks and module layouts.

Funding for SSCP modifications or reconfigurations will depend on the scope of work. TSA Checkpoint Designer and Deployment Coordinator may approve the work, but may not provide all of the funding for it.

It is the Airport Authority’s responsibility to fund and hire the A&E firms that create the designs for airport-initiated projects and that will follow the TSA Checkpoint Design Guide. When an airport adds screening lanes due to new terminal construction, or when approved as the result of increased passenger throughput, OSC will provide Transportation Security Equipment (TSE) and fund its installation. When an Airport Authority builds a new terminal that will replace an existing one, OSC will fund the one-time relocation and re-installation of the TSE. When Airport Authority-initiated TSE moves become necessary for other needs (e.g. remodeling, carpet cleaning, floor tile replacement, etc.), the Airport Authority will fund the removal and reinstallation of the TSE. The Airport Authority is responsible to fund all construction and infrastructure costs associated with the relocation or installation of TSE, and will do so following the standards identified in the TSA Checkpoint Design Guide.

To document a request for movement of TSE in a construction project, a ReMAG request must be submitted by the Office of Security Operations or “Local TSA.” The request must include language that states the responsibility for funding of airport-initiated projects by the Airport Authority, and their acceptance of project funding responsibility. The request language must also include the acceptance of funding responsibility by the Airport Authority for any airport-initiated equipment moves related to other actions (e.g. remodeling, carpet cleaning, floor tile replacement, etc.). Once the ReMAG request is approved, the Airport Authority will be provided the Original Equipment Manufacturers’ (OEM) contact information. It is the Airport Authority’s responsibility to contact the OEM directly, and to enter into a contract with the OEM to complete the equipment decommissioning and recertification in the new location.

There may be circumstances when shared cost solutions will be considered by TSA. TSA checkpoint designer, deployment coordinator, local TSA, airport stakeholders, and the SSCP designer should determine funding responsibilities in the early planning stages of the project before design begins.

An outline of the checkpoint modification process is shown in Figure 1-4 starting with project inception all the way to project approval. Local TSA and airport stakeholders should follow this process when modifications to an existing SSCP are needed. Figure 1-5 illustrates the OSC design review sub-process. This critical sub-process ensures designs meet the requirements of the CDG, allows for concurrence by TSA checkpoint designer and deployment coordinator with deviations from the CDG, and allows opportunities to understand the impact in building infrastructure. Once the project is approved, the appropriate department within TSA HQ helps local TSA and the
airport stakeholders execute the project. Tasks vary from shipping equipment to putting the project out for bid.

Equipment is provided by TSA based on passenger volume, aircraft type, and passenger load factor. When equipment is needed for a checkpoint reconfiguration, local TSA should request equipment from the TSA deployment coordinator via the Equipment Request Interface (ERI) at the following URL:

https://team.ishare.tsa.dhs.gov/sites/OST/ERI/default.aspx

Access to this link can be gained by requesting a user account and password from the Regional Federal Security Director. The Requirements Management Advisory Group (ReMAG) assigns an ID Number to each equipment request and tracks the request from the request date all the way to the received and/or installation date. ReMAG also evaluates each request carefully to determine the validity of the request.

TSA either stores Transportation Security Equipment (TSE) and ancillary equipment at the TSA Logistics Center (TLC) in Grapevine, Texas or it is kept in stock and deployed for a specific task order. Local TSA is responsible for submitting the equipment request via the ERI. Equipment that is available for the checkpoint can be found in the Office of Security Capabilities (OSC) Passenger Screening Program (PSP) Ancillary Equipment Guide. This document can be provided by local TSA from the ERI Interface. Verify the most current version as this document is updated often. This document includes the following:

- Available Equipment
- Equipment Ordering Information
- Equipment Description
- Technical Product Data

Figure 1-4 Checkpoint Modification Process

The project request is communicated by the Airport or TSA checkpoint designer and deployment coordinator to the local Federal Security Director (FSD).

The FSD staff coordinates the details of the checkpoint reconfiguration including, but not limited to the following:
1. TSE
2. Ancillary Equipment
3. Detailed Existing Plans
4. Concept Plans
5. Checkpoint Design Checklist
6. Serial Numbers of Equipment to be Decommissioned, if applicable
7. Proposed Construction Schedule
8. Local Point of Contact (POC) Information

Local TSA submits the ERI with the associated supporting documentation to the Regional Director and OSC. An ID number is assigned to the project.

The project is assigned to an OSC POC. The ID number can be used to query status.

The checkpoint reconfiguration is reviewed against the following criteria.
1. Airline Passenger Load Factors
2. Approved Design
3. Equipment Availability
4. TSA Staffing Availability
5. Fiscal Year Budget

The TSA OSC POC coordinates any changes with the FSD and Airport Stakeholders.

Validated and approved requests are communicated and executed to the appropriate parties. A working group is formed by TSA checkpoint designer and deployment coordinator, the FSD and local TSA staff, and the Airport to execute the project.

Invalidated requests are communicated to the appropriate parties.

Refer to Figure 1-5 for OSC design approval process.
Figure 1-5  OSC Design Approval Sub-Process

1. Design Firm creates or edits designs. Transmit to TSA checkpoint designer and deployment coordinator.

2. TSA checkpoint designer and deployment coordinator reviews Design Firm submission.

   - Approved
     - Design Firm sets up web conference to review changes with all stakeholders.
   - Disapproved
     - Design Firm sets up web conference to review changes with all stakeholders.

3. Local TSA reviews designs and communicates approval or disapproval to TSA checkpoint designer and deployment coordinator.

   - Approved
     - Design Firm sets up web conference to review changes with all stakeholders.
   - Disapproved
     - Design Firm sets up web conference to review changes with all stakeholders.

4. TSA checkpoint designer and deployment coordinator concurs with Local Requested Changes.

   - No
     - Design Firm creates final designs.
   - Yes
     - Design Firm creates final designs.
1.6 ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

If an airport is constructing a new or modifying an existing TSA security screening checkpoint, close coordination with many stakeholders is required. The responsibilities may vary depending on the conditions of the checkpoint modifications. The following describes typical roles and responsibilities for primary project stakeholders interested in modifying or constructing a new checkpoint.

1. Airport Authority - Local representative of overall airport operations
   » Consult on basic engineering, operations, IT, maintenance, master planning, project management, and other appropriate design functions
   » Coordinate with project sponsor and TSA Headquarters for specific procedural and funding responsibilities

2. Airline(s) - Corporate or local airline representative
   » Consult with TSA Headquarters, operations, airport authority, corporate real estate, IT, maintenance, and planning of future checkpoint requirements

3. Project Sponsor – Airport owner/operator or airline funding and initiating checkpoint improvements
   » Provide or apply for checkpoint modification funding
   » Initiation and execution of planning and design
   » Initiation and execution of construction
   » Provide technical recommendations
   » Provide structural, electrical, and architectural designs
   » Produce checkpoint layout design, phasing, and electrical/data design drawings to issue for construction

4. TSA Headquarters – Representative from TSA responsible for review and approval of all design submittals, funding of modifications, eligibility, and prioritization
   » Operations and maintenance of checkpoint
   » Provide regular correspondence of lessons learned and regularly update stakeholders of design and process changes
   » Perform technical and operational review of designs
   » Review impact of screening protocol changes
   » Brainstorm operational and policy issues
   » Determine the specific equipment type to be used
   » Determine the scheduling of deploying new equipment

5. Design/Integration Team – Formed to plan, design, ship/install, and modify checkpoint
   » Consult directly with TSA HQ
   » Coordinate shipping, storing, transporting, and installing equipment at the checkpoint
   » Coordinate with contractors as required for checkpoint infrastructure improvements
   » Consult with project stakeholders
1.7 DESIGN PROCESSES

1.7.1 Project Design Process

The design for improving existing TSA security screening checkpoints is ongoing while new technology is being developed and deployed to U.S. Federalized airport across the country. The process for designing a new checkpoint generally includes an initial 30% design, TSA and airport authority review, final design, construction/installation, and record drawing completion. The following describes the basic design procedures for designing a new security screening checkpoint.

When a new checkpoint layout is required, TSA requests the A&E designer to begin a design using the criteria as described in this Checkpoint Design Guide. This design is based upon the deployment of new equipment and/or relocation of existing equipment which is typically outlined in a deployment schedule produced by TSA. Equipment layout and dimensional requirement checklists are provided in Section 7.0 to provide quality assurance/quality control that the layout meets general guidelines for a security checkpoint.

All designs are currently to be produced in AutoCAD format. The AutoCAD files should contain a background floor plan of one or more TSA security screening checkpoints for the airport. All TSA equipment is represented by dynamic AutoCAD blocks which are standard for all checkpoint designs and should be obtained from TSA. The standard equipment dynamic blocks allow the A&E designer to manipulate and locate the TSA equipment within the checkpoint while allowing only the available configurations as specified by the manufacturer for each piece of equipment.

When the A&E designer completes an initial checkpoint layout, existing and final conditions are plotted to PDF and the 30% design is submitted by email to TSA for review and approval/rejection. Upon approval of the 30% design, the A&E designer completes the final drawings. The final drawings include equipment delivery paths, layout modifications, and a schedule for provided and relocated equipment. Electrical designs should be included to install new or modify existing electrical/data devices. The final drawings including electrical/data layout should be submitted to TSA for review before construction.

The A&E firm should coordinate with local airport authority for approval and/or permitting for construction. During construction of the checkpoint, changes may occur either initiated by local TSA, on-site conflicts, airport authority request, or other instances unforeseen in design. The A&E designer should coordinate with TSA for solutions of any conflicts.

After completion of the checkpoint installation the A&E designer is to create Record Drawings from contractor’s red-lines and post-construction photographs.
1.7.2 Project Phasing

The drawings are produced and submitted to TSA for review in multiple phases to ensure the design of each checkpoint meets the requirement of this guide. The project milestones are listed as follows:

- **30% Design** - During this phase the designer determines the modification scope of the checkpoint including additional equipment to be deployed and/or relocation of existing equipment. Once a new layout is created, the existing and proposed layouts are submitted to TSA and local TSA for review and approval or requested changes.
- **100% Design** - Upon completion of requested changes, 100% design of the existing and proposed designs including electrical/data layout are submitted to TSA for final approval.
- **Issue for Construction** - Drawings are issued for construction including:
  - Equipment Description Sheet
  - Equipment Delivery Paths
  - Existing and Proposed Layouts
  - Electrical Details
  - Electrical Layouts/Modifications
  - Updated Electrical Panel Schedule
  - Seismic Structural Details
- **Record Drawings** - Upon completion of all modifications, contractor red-line comments are incorporated and Record Drawings are submitted.

Figure 1-6 describes the process and stakeholder coordination when designing and constructing a SSCP.
Figure 1-6  Project Stakeholder Coordination

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- Responsible - Those who do the work and achieve the task
- Advise - Those who recommend subject matter to the responsible party to complete a task
- Consult - Those whose opinions are sought, typically subject matter experts; and which there is two-way communication
- Inform - Those who are kept up-to-date on progress, often only on completion of the task or deliverable; and which there is just one-way communication
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2.0 SSCP ELEMENTS

The intent of this section is to introduce all of the elements of a standard TSA SSCP. These elements consist of Technical Security Equipment (TSE) and non-powered ancillary equipment. The equipment in this section is listed in the order that a passenger encounters it, from the non-sterile area to the sterile area. It includes most but not all of the A&E technical data that a designer would need to configure a checkpoint. This guide is intended to be general and is not a replacement for manufacturer information or recommendations for clearances, power, etc. All SSCP equipment, including private screening rooms, must meet all local code requirements and standards for HVAC.

Every checkpoint has essentially the same elements which are site adapted to the existing conditions. While the queue and composure areas can vary significantly from checkpoint to checkpoint, the screening lanes are fairly consistent with the type of equipment deployed even though the equipment footprint can vary by manufacturer.

Manufacturers for a particular type of equipment are chosen by TSA HQ based on the following criteria:

- Manufacturers Deployed at the Hub Airport
- Width & Depth of Checkpoint
- Lane-to-Lane Spacing
- Structural Capacity of the Floor
- Column Sizes, Quantities, & Locations
- Existing Maintenance Contracts
- Staff Familiarity with a Manufacturer
- Airline Passenger Load Factors
- Passengers per Hour
- Ceiling Height
- Floor Slope

A layout of most but not all of the SSCP elements is represented in Figure 2-1. Passenger flow goes from left (non-sterile) to right (sterile). All equipment included in this section can be ordered from TSA HQ by following the process outlined in Section 1.5.
Figure 2-1  SSCP Elements

**Legend**

- A: Pre-Screening Preparation Instruction Zone
- B: Queuing Stanchions
- C: Limit of Checkpoint
- D: Travel Document Checker (TDC) & Credential Authentication Technology (CAT)
- E: Bin Cart
- F: Divest Table
- G: Advanced Technology (AT2) X-ray (TRX, AT1, and AutoEDS not shown)
- H: Operator Cart
- I: Alternate Viewing Station (AVS) for AT2 only
- J: Manual Diverter (MDR)
- K: Composure/Extension Roller
- L: Composure/Exit Roller
- M: Walk Through Metal Detector (WTMD)
- N: Advanced Imaging Technology (AIT)
- O: Touch Control Operator Panel (TCOP)
- P: Barriers (1', 2', 3', & 4')
- Q: American Disabilities Act (ADA) Gate
- R: Access Gate
- S: Private Screening Room (S3-1 or S3-A Kit)
- T: Baffle Roof Kit Available (not shown)
- U: Explosive Trace Detection (ETD)
- V: Bottle Liquid Scanner (BLS) ETD-BLS Mobile Cabinet
- W: (ETD mobile cabinet not shown)
- X: Bag Search Table
- Y: Passenger Inspection Chair
- Z: Passenger Inspection Mat
- AA: Composure Bench
- BB: Supervisor Transportation Security Officer (STSO) Podium
- CC: Exit Lane (not shown)
- DD: IT Cabinet
- EE: Kronos Time Clock
- FF: Barrier Stanchions
2.1 PRE-SCREENING PREPARATION INSTRUCTION ZONE

The Pre-Screening Preparation Instruction Zone begins as early as the curbside ticket counters and typically ends at the Travel Document Checker (TDC) deep in the queue. This zone should incorporate architectural features of the airport and be designed to provide a calm environment for the passenger. Signage, instructional videos, and “ambassador” staff or volunteers, when available, should be used to reduce passenger stress and ease movement through the SSCP.

Simple and effective checkpoint signage that has been created and approved in the TSA HQ Office of Public Affairs can be used to direct and instruct passengers on screening requirements and procedures. TSA signs are either 11” by 14” or 22” by 28” frames that can be mounted on top of a floor stanchion. Refer to Figure 2-2. The signs are divided into four categories: TSA Mandatory Signs, TSA Instructional Signs, TSA Directional Signs, and TSA Local Signs. Refer to the most current version of the TSA Airport Signage Guidelines, available on the TSA Intranet, for specific sign descriptions and where to locate these signs within the checkpoint.

Signage is not typically part of a checkpoint design but space should be allocated for signage when designing a new checkpoint.

2.1.1 TSA Mandatory Signs

TSA Mandatory Signs display critical information and TSA policies to the passenger such as listing prohibited items or the liquids, aerosols, and gels (LAGs) policy. These signs need to be visible from both sides, prominent, easy to read, and located along the path of departing passengers without obstructing queue lanes or being a safety hazard. These signs should not be clustered together in a way where larger signs block smaller signs or where multiple instructions create information overload for the passengers.

2.1.2 TSA Instructional Signs

TSA Instructional Signs provide passengers with instructions on the screening process. These signs advise passengers on how to properly divest of their possessions and how to place those items in the bins. These signs can be mounted in the same way as the TSA Mandatory signs or displayed on walls near the divest tables.

2.1.3 TSA Directional Signs

TSA Directional Signs instruct passengers on where to go during the screening process, including providing direction to separate queue and screening lanes. The goal is to provide clear and concise directions so that passengers react quicker and overall time in the queue is minimized. Directional signs must be elevated so they are easily visible and not hidden by passengers standing in line.

2.1.4 TSA Local Signs

TSA Local Signs are designed to meet specific local requirements, such as instructions regarding special equipment, local processing instructions, and any other signs deemed necessary by the local FSD. All local signs need to be cleared through the TSA HQ Office of Public Affairs.

![Figure 2-2 SSCP Signage](image)
2.2 QUEUE

The queue is where passengers stand in line at the front of the checkpoint on the non-sterile side. It is recommended that the queue be bound by double strap stanchions on the perimeter and single strap stanchions inside the perimeter to define the queuing lanes from the queue entrance(s) to the TDC(s)/CAT. Queue lanes are approximately 3'-0" to 5'-0" wide depending on the queue lane function and the queue space available. Refer to Figure 2-3 for a graphic of the types of stanchions.

TSA recommends a minimum of 300 square feet in the queue for every checkpoint lane. The queue should be big enough to meet the peak passenger demand without interfering with other functions in the terminal such as the ticket counter or checked bag processing. A queue entrance should remain open at all times. Queues should be able to be cordoned off and funneled down to one TDC during off-peak times.

The exclusive use of strap stanchions is inadequate to fully secure the checkpoint. Solid barrier stanchions as shown in Figure 2-4, are required along the boundary of TDC/CAT podium positions and the flanking side limits of the queue. The use of solid barrier stanchions is illustrated in Figure 2-1.

**Figure 2-3** Single & Double Strap Queuing Stanchions

**Figure 2-4** Barrier Stanchions
2.2.1 Travel Document Checker (TDC) & Credential Authentication Technology (CAT)

CAT technology is currently being developed and is not expected to be deployed until after 2013. Please note that designers should still plan for the necessary infrastructure to be in place for checkpoints. TSA checks passenger identification and boarding passes at the exit of the queue with enough space for passage occurring between the exit of the podium and the screening lanes. The TDC officer stands or sits at the TDC or CAT podium and verifies that all the necessary documents are in order. The CAT integrates different technologies that independently verify travel documents such as a driver’s license or passport. The CAT analyzes security features and barcodes on a passenger’s ID to identify fraudulent documents. The CAT compares the independently verified ID to validate the passenger’s identity and allow access to the screening checkpoint.

Refer to Figure 2-5 and Figure 2-8 for additional information. The TDC function is critical to the flow of passengers through the checkpoint as it can become the bottleneck or pinch point in the passenger screening process. The queue must be set up properly to feed the TDC, and the TDC must be set up properly to feed the checkpoint lanes.

The following guidelines should be considered when determining placement of the TDC:

• The TDC, hard building walls, and stanchions (strap and solid barrier) should be setup so that NO individual can circumvent or bypass the TDC.

• The TDC should be located as described in Figure 2-7 with enough space from the screening lanes so that passengers can cross flow to a lane of their choosing.

• Lighting should be sufficient for reading documents. Refer to Section 4.7 for lighting guidelines at the SSCP.

• There should be one TDC for every two standard screening lanes. Additional TDC positions should be added for odd numbered lanes and TSAPrev™.

• For checkpoints with more than three TDC positions, sufficient clearance should be provided between the queue stanchions and the TDC stanchions so that passengers can cross flow to a TDC of their choosing.

• Recommended queue widths and square footage of the queue based on the number of lanes should be followed to provide for an even distribution of passengers to the TDC. Refer to Section 2.2.
• Power/data for the podium or CAT should be provided in a recessed poke-through flush to the floor and centered under the podium or CAT to allow for adjustment of the TDC position. Power/data devices should be spaced at 11'-6" center to center. When a poke-through is not possible, a power pole is acceptable.

• Alternating “mini-queues” should be created on both sides of the TDC by providing at least 5'-0" of stanchions in front of the TDC along the centerline. This will force the passengers to form two separate lines for the same TDC. The TDC will process whichever “mini-queue” passenger is ready. Refer to Figure 2-6.

• “Mini-queue” stanchions should be used to close TDC podiums during non-peak periods of the day.

• Barrier stanchions shall form the exterior perimeter of the TDC podium in order to deter passengers from bypassing this function. Strap stanchions can be detached too quickly and easily where barrier stanchions have to be disassembled, alerting TSA personnel and allowing time for a TSO to respond.

![Figure 2-6 TDC with Alternating-Queues “Mini-Queues”](image)

![Figure 2-7 CAT X, I, and II TDC Podium Dimensioning](image)

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- • Data Drops = 2
- • Cat5e / Cat6 cable
- • The cable length from the termination point in the IT cabinet to the data outlet in the work area shall not exceed 295’.
- • If data drop cannot be secured when the checkpoint is closed, a locking device is required. Coordinate with TSA HQ IT Security.

- The TDC function can be supported by either a TDC Podium or a CAT.

- The CAT may be on wheels or it may sit on floor.

### Dimensions

- **SIDE VIEW: PODIUM**
  - Height: 45.0”
  - Width: 24.0”
  - Depth: 16.0”

- **ELEVATION**
  - Height: 60.0”
  - Depth: 16.0”
  - Width: 24.0”

- **PLAN VIEW: PODIUM OR CAT**
  - Preferred Location of Power Pole
  - Acceptable Area for Recessed or Flush Device
  - Passenger Flow
  - Reference Point

- **SIDE VIEW: CAT**
  - Maximum Height: 60.0”

- **ELEVATION**
  - Height: 60.0”
2.3 BIN CART

Bins are the gray containers located on a cart at the front and back of each checkpoint lane. Passengers use bins to divest themselves of their personal belongings such as purses, carry-on bags, backpacks, laptops, shoes, jackets, etc. Bin carts are similar to a hand cart or dolly that allows for the transport of a large number of bins without requiring excessive lifting or carrying by a TSA agent. In the past, bin transport by the TSOs was the primary cause of on-the-job injuries at checkpoints. Hand-carrying of bins is no longer endorsed by TSA. TSA recommends that bin carts be pushed upstream though an ADA or access gate. Ideally, an ADA or access gate should exist at every lane but this is not always possible. When there is insufficient space for an ADA or access gate, the bin cart should be pushed upstream against passenger flow through the WTMD.

Bin carts can be one or two bins wide with bins stacked on top to slightly below the handle which equates to approximately 40 bins. Each lane requires a bin cart at each end. TSA recommends maintaining about 60 bins per lane divided across each end. A fully-loaded bin cart should be located at the start of the divest tables on the non-sterile side of the lane for passenger pick-up. The other bin cart should be positioned at the end of the composure rollers on the sterile side so that the TSA agent can collect empty bins after passengers have picked up their belongings. Refer to Figure 2-9 for bin cart dimensions. The bin cart width times two should be factored into the overall length of the checkpoint lane when designing a new checkpoint or reconfiguring an existing checkpoint.

**Figure 2-9** Bin Cart
2.4 DIVEST TABLE

Divest tables are provided for passengers to stage their bins side-by-side so they can deposit their personal items into the bins. The divest table allows passengers to slide their bins to the infeed of the X-ray. Current checkpoints utilize a variety of table sizes and types; however, for new checkpoints or checkpoints being reconfigured, the divest tables are 30” wide and 60” or 72” long. See Figure 2-10. Two 72” tables abutted to the infeed roller or loading table of the X-ray is the preferred divest length, but limited checkpoint depth or obstructions may require shorter tables or only one table. Divest tables are stainless steel with height-adjustable legs from 27” to 32”. Implementation of these tables will increase sequencing efficiency through the checkpoint. Lanes that do not have enough depth for 12'-0" of passenger divestiture will have a slower throughput.

Figure 2-10 Divest Table

![Divest Table Diagram]
2.5 CARRY-ON BAG SCREENING

Carry-on bag screening is mandatory at an SSCP. It can be accomplished by deploying AT1 or AT2 equipment. Generally, this equipment has the following components:

• Loading Table/Entrance Roller
• Queuing Conveyor & Hood (Vendor Specific AT2 Only)
• Scanning Belt & Dome
• High Speed Conveyor (HSC) & Hood
• Extension Rollers
• Exit Roller with Bag Stop
• Manual Diverter Roller (MDR) (AT2 only)
• Alternate Viewing Station (AVS) (AT2 only)

TSOs are staffed dynamically at the carry-on bag screening units where one or two screeners can perform the functions listed below.

• Review bag images on the monitors
• Remove alarmed bags from the alarm bag cutout or from the MDR
• Place empty bins on the bin carts
• Transport empty bins from the sterile side through the ADA/access gate or WTMD to the non-sterile side

Interpreting the bag images on the monitor requires focused concentration by the TSO. The operator should have an ergonomic and distraction-free environment. The space should be designed to minimize glare on the X-ray workstation monitors from interior lighting, glass walls, or sunlight. The monitor height should be at an optimum viewing angle. The operator must also have a clear view of the machine’s entrance and exit conveyor. Columns, power poles, signage, etc. should not prevent the TSO from seeing the bags going in and out of the X-ray unit.

Equipment determination for each lane at an SSCP will be based on the space available, the required number of lanes based on passenger load, and the floor structure. If the checkpoint is being reconfigured, additional consideration needs to be given to the location of the existing electrical outlets, TSO familiarity with a specific manufacturer, and existing maintenance contracts. The TSA HQ POC, local FSD staff, and the checkpoint designer will need to work together to determine the best solution based on the site conditions.

Carry-on bag screening equipment may have panic buttons/duress alarms installed by the airport directly on the equipment or near the equipment operator. These alarms are typically connected to the airport or local law enforcement. Checkpoint designers should refer to the Airport Security Plan if relocation of panic buttons is required.

Equipment discussed in this section covers all primary carry-on bag screening. Alarmed bags may require secondary screening, which is discussed in Section 2.12.
2.6 ADVANCED TECHNOLOGY (AT) X-RAY

The AT X-ray is the next generation of X-ray equipment that will replace the TRX. The AT X-ray is wider, longer, heavier, and draws more power than its TRX counterpart. Refer to Figure 2-11. This larger size improves the screening capability by capturing a bottom and side view of carry-on bags inside the dome and producing two high resolution images for TSA to review. TSA currently classifies the AT equipment as either AT1 or AT2. AT1 represents the first deployment of the AT units which consists of the Rapiscan 620DV and the Smiths 6040aTiX. AT2 represents the second deployment of the AT units which consists of the Rapiscan 620DV, the Smiths 6040aTiX, and the L3 ACX 6.4-MV. Basically, AT2 is AT1 with modifications based on new TSA requirements. AT2 includes the addition of an Alternate Viewing Station (AVS) and, in the case of Rapiscan and L3, the addition of a 48” queuing conveyor between the infeed roller and the scanning belt. Figure 2-12, Figure 2-14, and Figure 2-16 depict the Rapiscan, Smiths, and L3 AT product specifications. Standard layouts with the Rapiscan AT are reflected in Section 3.0.

The Rapiscan and Smiths AT come standard in a RH configuration but they can be modified into a LH configuration. The L3 AT comes standard in a LH configuration only. The standard configurations are shown on the plan views on the following pages. Unlike the TRX, the “hand” is dependent on the bump-out orientation rather than the operator. The bump-out is the side bonnet on the AT X-ray that juts out from the rectangular shape. This is where the side view camera is located. On a RH unit, the bump-out is on the right side of the AT dome when standing on the non-sterile side of the AT looking at the infeed tunnel. On a LH unit, the bump-out is on the left side of the AT dome when standing on the non-sterile side of the AT looking at the infeed tunnel. The RH and LH AT units are not symmetrical. The LH AT is a 180° rotation of the RH AT with the infeed and outfeed components interchanged. On the RH AT, the side view picture is taken last, whereas on the LH AT, the side view picture is taken first. The bump-out orientation should be specified prior to manufacture.

The operator workstation can be located on either the bump-out or the non bump-out side. This is often referred to as bump-outs towards operators or bump-outs towards passengers, respectively. Even though the Rapiscan and L3 AT have a “tethered” independent operator workstation, the location still needs to be determined prior to manufacture. The Smiths AT operator workstation may be located on a cart or on the AT unit.

In summary, there are four possible configurations of the Rapiscan and Smiths AT, and two possible configurations of the L3 AT. It is important to identify the orientation of the bump-out and the location of the operator early on so that it can be manufactured as designed as it is arduous and expensive to change in the field. The orientations are as follows.

**Rapiscan 620DV AT and Smiths 6040aTiX AT Configurations:**
- RH AT with bump-out towards operator
- RH AT with bump-out towards passengers
- LH AT with bump-out towards operator
- LH AT with bump-out towards passengers

**L3 ACX 6.4-MV AT Configurations:**
- LH AT with bump-out towards operator
- LH AT with bump-out towards passengers

The AT units are also unique in regard to the composure length. The Rapiscan 620DV and L3 ACX 6.4-MV have one 1-meter (3’-3”) extension roller with a bag stop. The Smiths 6040aTiX has one 6’-8” exit roller with a bag stop. AT compatible TRX or AT extension rollers should be added to obtain the recommended composure length of 12’-0”. Extension rollers are discussed further in Section 2.6.2.
The AVS is where a TSO can recall the image of an alarmed bag from the AT2 while performing a target bag search. For the Rapiscan and L3 AT, the AVS is a mobile operator cart that is located approximately 18” to 22” off the back side of a TSA-provided search table. The cart has one or two monitors, a keyboard, and a PC tower that can be plugged into the power strip that is mounted to the TSA search table. The power strip is plugged into a device that feeds the ETD and BLS at the secondary screening area. The Smiths AVS has two monitors and a keyboard attached to an arm that is connected to the Smiths-provided search table. The search table also acts as a cabinet that houses the PC and UPS. Figure 2-13, Figure 2-15, and Figure 2-17 depict the Rapiscan, Smiths, and L3 AVS product specifications.
Figure 2-11  AT Units

Reference Figure 2-12

Reference Figure 2-13

Reference Figure 2-14

Reference Figure 2-15

Reference Figure 2-16
### Table: Equipment Quantity and Power Requirements

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<td>- Dedicated</td>
<td>- Data Drops = 2</td>
<td>- Rapiscan 620DV comes in a RH (shown) or LH configuration. The LH unit is a 180 degree rotation of the RH unit. Power and data connections are reversed for a LH unit.</td>
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<td>- 20A, 125V, 1800VA/ unit</td>
<td>- Cat5e / Cat6 cable</td>
<td>- Rapiscan uses an Ergotron Dual Stand for the AT mobile operator cart and AVS. The operator cart is attached by a vendor provided data cable and can move freely around the unit.</td>
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<td>- 2-Pole, 3-Wire Grounding</td>
<td>- The cable length from the termination point in the IT cabinet to the AT data outlet shall not exceed 295'. All data cabling must be provided by others. Not supplied by vendor.</td>
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<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>- NEMA 5-20R Simplex Receptacle</td>
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<td>- Weight: 2,094 lbs., approx. 350 lbs per leg</td>
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<td>- 15’ power cord from the AT to the receptacle</td>
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<td>Rapiscan 620DV AT2</td>
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<td>- Refer to AT1 for main unit power.</td>
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<td>- Dedicated for queuing conveyors &amp; co-located ETD, maximum of 2 queuing conveyors per circuit</td>
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<td>- 15’ power cord from the queuing conveyor to the receptacle</td>
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### Notes
- Rapiscan 620DV comes in a RH (shown) or LH configuration.
- Rapiscan 620DV comes in a RH (shown) or LH configuration.
- The HSC can be sloped downwards no more than 12 degrees and upwards no more than 10 degrees.
- All data cabling must be provided by others. Not supplied by vendor.

### Diagrams
- PLAN VIEW
  - ACCEPTABLE AREA FOR RECESSED, FLUSH, OR SURFACE DEVICE
  - REFERENCES
  - PREFERRED LOCATION OF POWER POLE ON OPERATOR SIDE OF X-RAY UNIT
  - ROLLER WIDTH
  - PARASSENGER FLOW
  - PLAN VIEW
  - MAIN CIRCUIT BREAKER MODULE (MCB): POWER CORD CONNECTION
  - IT CABINET CONNECTION
  - AVS CONNECTION
  - MOBILE OPERATOR CART CONNECTION
- ELEVATION
  - DOME LENGTH
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  - TUNNEL WIDTH

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### Figure 2-13 AVS - Rapiscan

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<td>- Non-Dedicated, shared with ETD and BLS circuit at the same search area</td>
<td>- 49’ Cat5e cable from the MCB located at the secure end of a RH AT or the nonsecure end of a LH AT to the AVS.</td>
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<td>- 15A, 125V, 252VA/ unit, 504VA/ 2 units</td>
<td>- All data cabling must be provided by others. Not supplied by vendor.</td>
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<td>- NEMA 5-20R Receptacle</td>
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<td>- 5’ power cord for two monitors and one PC tower of the AVS to the power strip mounted to the TSA search table.</td>
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<td>- 6’ power cord from the power strip to the receptacle</td>
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<td>- 49’ Cat5e cable from the MCB located at the secure end of a RH AT or the nonsecure end of a LH AT to the AVS.</td>
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<td>- All data cabling must be provided by others. Not supplied by vendor.</td>
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**PLAN VIEW**

**ELEVATION**

**SIDE VIEW**

- AVS is an Ergotron Dual Stand.
- Located with standard TSA search table.
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<td>Smiths 6040aTiX AT1/AT2</td>
<td>1 per lane</td>
<td>• Dedicated&lt;br&gt;• 20A, 125V, 1920VA/unit&lt;br&gt;• 2-Pole, 3-Wire Grounding&lt;br&gt;• NEMA 5-20R Simplex Receptacle&lt;br&gt;• 15' power cord from the AT to the receptacle</td>
<td>• Data Drops = 2&lt;br&gt;• Cat5e / Cat6 cable&lt;br&gt;• The cable length from the termination point in the IT cabinet to the data outlet in the work area shall not exceed 295’&lt;br&gt;• All data cabling must be provided by others. Not supplied by vendor.</td>
<td>• Smiths 6040aTiX comes in a RH (shown) or LH configuration. The LH unit is a 180 degree rotation of the RH unit. Power and data connections are reversed for a LH unit.&lt;br&gt;• The operator workstation is mounted to the X-ray. Existing field equipment may have the operator workstation located on a cart.&lt;br&gt;• Refer to manufacturer product information for more details.&lt;br&gt;• Weight: &gt; 3,528 lbs.</td>
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**Figure 2-14 AT - Smiths**

- **Legend**
  - SERVICE AREA (~24”)
  - ALTERNATE PREFERRED LOCATION OF RECESSED, FLUSH, OR SURFACE DEVICE
  - ACCEPTABLE AREA FOR RECESSED, FLUSH, OR SURFACE DEVICE

**Plan View**
- Reference Point
- Preferred Location of Recessed, Flush, or Surface Device
- First Acceptable Area for Recessed, Flush, or Surface Device
- Preferred Location of Power Pole on Operator Side of X-ray Unit
- 36.0” ROLLER WIDTH
- 36.0” ROLLER LENGTH
- 6” ROLLER WIDTH
- 6” ROLLER LENGTH
- 24.0” ENTRANCE ROLLER
- 24.0” SCANNING BELT
- 96.7” SCANNING BELT
- 96.7” DOME LENGTH
- 24.0” ALARM BAG CUTOUT (ABC)
- 14.0” ALARM BAG CUTOUT (ABC)
- 24.5” DOME LENGTH
- 162.4” ENTRANCE ROLLER
- 18.0” ENTRANCE ROLLER
- 24.0” ENTRANCE ROLLER
- 36.0” ENTRANCE ROLLER
- 24.0” DOME LENGTH

**Elevation**
- IT Cabinet Connection
- Tunnel Height
- Tunnel Width
- Power Cord Connection
- AvS Connection
- Bag Stop
- Entrance Roller
- Exit Roller
- High Speed Conveyor (HSC)
- DOME WIDTH W/ BUMP OUT
- DOME WIDTH
- DOME HEIGHT
- DOME WIDTH
- DOME WIDTH W/ BUMP OUT
- DOME WIDTH
- DOME HEIGHT
### Figure 2-15  AVS - Smiths

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<td>Smiths 6040aTiX AVS</td>
<td>1 per AT2 Unit</td>
<td>• Non-Dedicated, shared with ETD and BLS circuit at the same search area</td>
<td>• All data cabling must be provided by others. Not supplied by vendor.</td>
<td>• Search table provided by vendor.</td>
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<td>• 10A, 125V, 144VA/unit, 288 VA/2 units</td>
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<td>• 2-Pole, 2-Wire Grounding</td>
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<td>• NEMA 5-20R Receptacle</td>
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<td>• 5’ power cord for two monitors and one PC tower of the AVS to the power strip provided by the installing contractor for the Smiths search table.</td>
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<td>• 6’ power cord from the power strip to the receptacle</td>
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**PLAN VIEW**

**ELEVATION**

**SIDE VIEW**

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**ACCEPTABLE AREA FOR RECESSED, FLUSH, OR SURFACE DEVICE**

**PREFERRED LOCATION OF POWER POLE. ALIGN WITH EDGE OF CABINET.**

**REFERENCE POINT**

**FULLY EXTENDED MONITOR HEIGHT**

**FULLY EXTENDED KEYBOARD**

**FULLY EXTENDED MONITOR HEIGHT**

**TABLE HEIGHT**
**Figure 2-16** AT - L3

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<td>L3 ACX 6.4-MV AT2</td>
<td>1 per lane</td>
<td>• AT2:</td>
<td>• Data Drops = 2</td>
<td>• L3 AT2 comes in LH configuration only. The operator may sit on either side of the</td>
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<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>» Dedicated</td>
<td>• The cable length from the termination point in the IT</td>
<td>unit.</td>
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<td>» 20A, 125V, 1850 VA/unit</td>
<td>cabinet to the data outlet in the work area shall not</td>
<td>• Weight: 2,260 lbs., approx. 380 lbs. per leg</td>
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<td></td>
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<td>» 2-Pole, 3-Wire Grounding</td>
<td>exceed 295'.</td>
<td>• The operator cart can move freely around the unit.</td>
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<td>» NEMA 5-20R Simplex Receptacle</td>
<td>• Two 17’ Cat5e/ Cat6 cables from the AT2 to the</td>
<td>• Refer to manufacturer product information</td>
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<td>» 15’ power cord from the AT to the receptacle</td>
<td>operator cart.</td>
<td>for more details.</td>
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<td>» The operator cart is powered by the AT.</td>
<td>• Two 25’ Cat5e/ Cat6 cables from the AT2 to the two switches of the FDRS.</td>
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<td>• Two 5’ Cat5e/ Cat6 cables from the two switches to the FDRS.</td>
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<td>exceed 295’.</td>
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### Equipment Quantity
- L3 ACX 6.4-MV AT2: 1 per lane

### Additional Information
- L3 AT2 comes in LH configuration only. The operator may sit on either side of the unit.
- Weight: 2,260 lbs., approx. 380 lbs. per leg
- The operator cart can move freely around the unit.
- Refer to manufacturer product information for more details.

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**Diagram Details**

- **Acceptable Area for Recessed, Flush, or Surface Device**: Various dimensions are provided for different components of the equipment, such as passenger flow, entrance roller, queueing conveyor, scanning belt, high speed conveyor (HSC), exit roller w/bag stop, dome length, dome width, dome height, tunnel width, tunnel height, work surface height, and service area (~24').

**Legend**
- Dashed line: Service area (~24')
- Solid line: Service area (24')
## Figure 2-17 AVS - L3

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</table>
| L3 ACX 6.4-MV AVS | 1 per AT2 Unit | - AVS:  
  » Non-Dedicated, shared with ETD and BLS circuit at the same search area  
  » 6.3A, 125V, 420VA/unit, 840 VA/2 units  
  » 2-Pole, 3-Wire Grounding  
  » NEMA 5-20R Receptacle  
  » 6' power cord from the monitor and PC tower of the AVS to the UPS  
- UPS (750VA Rating):  
  » Non-Dedicated  
  » 6.3A, 120V, 758VA/unit  
  » 2-Pole, 3-Wire Grounding  
  » NEMA 5-20R Receptacle  
  » 6' power cord from the UPS to the power strip mounted to the TSA search table. Longer cord lengths are available from the vendor.  
  » 6' power cord from the power strip to the receptacle | - All data cabling must be provided by others. Not supplied by vendor. | • AVS is an Ergotron single monitor stand.  
• Located with standard TSA search table. |

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**PLAN VIEW**  
**ELEVATION**  
**SIDE VIEW**
2.6.1 Manual Diverter Roller (MDR)
The MDR is a non-powered, gravity fed, stand-alone roller located on the operator side of any AT2 unit at the alarm bag cutout. See Figure 2-18. The MDR comes in a RH or LH configuration which is determined by the side of the dome it is located on when standing on the non-sterile side of the AT looking at the infeed tunnel. The AT2 operator will be able to slide alarmed bags onto the MDR so that bags can be taken to the secondary screening area to be investigated by a TSO. The MDR has a Plexiglas® partition that prevents passengers from accessing their alarmed bags from the other side of the composure/extension rollers. The MDR slope and height can be adjusted to align with any AT2.

Figure 2-18 MDR
2.6.2 Composure/Extension Rollers

The TRX and AT units have a High Speed Conveyor (HSC) covered by a tunnel located directly after the scanning belt. A carry-on bag arrives at the HSC after the bag has cleared the image review by the TSO. The HSC carries cleared bags to the composure/extension rollers where passengers can retrieve their personal items. These rollers are either called composure/extension rollers or exit rollers depending on the vendor and where they are installed on the TRX or AT. Figure 2-19 represents a variety of composure/extension rollers that are used today. They attach to the HSC to create length at the back end of the X-ray so passengers can clear the confined screening area and have a more open environment for retrieving their personal belongings and composing. Without extension rollers, bottlenecks would exist at the HSC exit, and passengers would be unable to bypass congestion.

TSA recommends a minimum of 12’-0” of composure length which can be a combination of extension rollers or exit rollers depending on the manufacturer of the TRX or AT. The Rapiscan TRX, Rapiscan AT, and the L3 AT extension rollers come in 1-meter (3’-3”) lengths. The Smiths TRX and AT extension rollers come in 48” and 72” lengths. The Rapiscan 520B 1-meter extension roller is compatible with the Rapiscan 620DV AT. The Smiths 6040i 48” and 72” extension rollers are compatible with the Smiths 6040aTiX. Exact dimensions of each extension roller are reflected in Figure 2-20, Figure 2-21, and Figure 2-22.

Figure 2-19 Composure/Extension Rollers

![Figure 2-19 Composure/Extension Rollers](image-url)
Figure 2-20  Rapiscan Composure/Extension Rollers

TRX Extension Rollers
Rapiscan 520B
Rapiscan 522B

AT Extension Rollers
Rapiscan 620DV

NOTE: DIMENSIONS SHOWN ARE FOR THE RAPISCAN 520B AND 522B. WHERE VALUES DIFFER, DIMENSIONS FOR THE 522B ARE SHOWN IN (PARENTHESIS).
RAPISCAN 520B ROLLER IS COMPATIBLE WITH THE RAPISCAN 620DV AT.
**Figure 2-21** Smiths Composure/Extension Rollers

TRX Extension Rollers
- Smiths 6040i
- Smiths 7555i

**Figure 2-22** L3 Composure/Extension Roller

AT Extension Roller
- L3 ACX 6.4-MV

**NOTE:** DIMENSIONS SHOWN ARE FOR THE SMITHS 6040 AND 7555I. WHERE VALUES DIFFER, DIMENSIONS FOR THE 7555 ARE SHOWN IN (PARENTHESIS).

SMITHS 6040I ROLLER IS COMPATIBLE WITH THE SMITHS 6040aTX AT.
2.7 WALK THROUGH METAL DETECTOR (WTMD)

The WTMD is used for passenger screening. It is an archway used to detect concealed metallic items and/or contraband. Refer to Figure 2-23 for an isometric view of the WTMDs currently located in the field. CEIA is the most common WTMD. CEIA specifications can be found in Figure 2-24. Currently, the original equipment manufacturer (OEM) and Siemens are certified and authorized by TSA to relocate, recalibrate, service, and relocate the power cord to the opposite leg of the WTMD.

In order to minimize environmental and equipment interference with the WTMD, the following guidelines should be applied.

• Align the entrance of the WTMD so that it is 1’-6” behind the leading edge of the TRX or AT queuing conveyor hood and center between the TRX or AT if it is a 2-lane set and not co-located with an AIT.

• Provide power/data from a lane adjacent to the WTMD where there is no passenger flow between the TRX or AT and the WTMD. The power and data connections can originate from either leg of the WTMD and can be modified in the field by the OEM or Siemens if a checkpoint requires that the WTMD be powered from the opposite lane.

• Provide approximately 12” clearance from the legs to all other equipment, walls, or columns to prevent operational interference. Non-metallic ancillary equipment such as barriers and ADA gates can be spaced 2” to 9” from the WTMD legs.

• Locate a WTMD a minimum of 18 inches from all electrical fields created by escalators, trains, conveyors, neon fixtures, speakers, transformers, banks of electrical circuit breakers, conduit, wire, and receptacles both overhead and beneath the floor.

• Minimize interference from metal in surrounding architecture, including floors, floor supports, doors, metallic framing, wall studs, façade systems, columns, etc.

• Avoid locating the WTMD across expansion joints or in an area prone to surface vibrations created by equipment above, below or immediately adjacent to the checkpoint such as baggage conveyors, subway trains, heavy truck traffic, etc.

• Provide twistlock receptacles to prevent the WTMD from being accidentally disconnected which drains the back-up battery.

• Secure the 13’-0” cord tight to the barrier on the sterile side adjacent to the WTMD to prevent the cord from being run across passenger egress or TSA work paths where the cord is likely to be a trip hazard or become damaged.

• Silicone or bolt the WTMD to the floor.

• The WTMD cannot be closer than 24” from the x-ray.

![Figure 2-23 WTMD Units](image)
### Figure 2-24  WTMD

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<td>Arrangement Dependent</td>
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<td>• Data Drops = 2</td>
<td>• Weight: &gt; 200 lbs.</td>
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<td>Garrett PD6500i</td>
<td></td>
<td>• CEIA: 15A, 125V, 40VA/ unit</td>
<td>• Cat5e / Cat6 cable</td>
<td>• CEIA unit provided with a separate transformer/rectifier adjacent to the power cont.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Metorex 200HDe</td>
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<td>• Garrett: 15A, 125V, 55VA/ unit</td>
<td>• The cable length from the termination point in the IT cabinet to the data outlet in the work area shall not exceed 295’.</td>
<td>• Provide redundant power and data beneath adjacent X-RAY.</td>
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<td>• Metorex: 15A, 125V, 45VA/ unit</td>
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<td>• 2-Pole, 3-Wire Grounding</td>
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<td>• NEMA L5-15R Simplex Receptacle (twistlock)</td>
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<td>• 13’ power cord from the WTMD to the receptacle</td>
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<td>• 24” minimum clearance from leg to nearest electrical conduit or device</td>
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<td>• Poke-through and pedestal receptacles for the WTMD can be located in the TRX or AT device beneath the lane as long as it is a separate circuit.</td>
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**Figure 2-24**

- **PLAN VIEW**
- **ELEVATION**
- **SIDE VIEW**

**Reference Points**
- **MIN**
- **MAX**
- **DEPT**
- **WX**
- **HX**
- **PW**

**Acceptable Areas for**
- **Recessed, Flush, or Surface Device if Power Cannot Be Provided from Underneath an Adjacent TRX or AT Lane.

**Power Cord May Be Located on Either Leg of WTMD Leg of WTMD.**
2.8 ADVANCED IMAGING TECHNOLOGY (AIT)

The Advanced Imaging Technology (AIT) provides an additional element of passenger screening by being able to detect a broad spectrum of materials concealed in or under a passenger’s clothing. The current manufacturer deployed today is shown in Figure 2-25. The L3 ProVision portal uses millimeter wave imaging technology, similar to the type of waves a cell phone emits, to generate clear views of the items in question. Refer to Figure 2-26 for the plan views and power/data requirements. Standard layouts with the L3 ProVision AIT are reflected in Section 3. The minimum possible distance between the WTMD and AIT should be maintained for each checkpoint. Decreased spacing between the equipment enhances lane security by reducing the opportunity for contraband exchanges (via “handoff” of prohibited items) between yet-to-be screened AIT passengers and screened WTMD passengers as they move parallel to one another through the lane. Travel distance between the AIT and the WTMD should be minimized (5’-8”) while preserving maintenance clearance.

It is best to provide power for the AIT and corresponding UPS from under an adjacent AT X-ray lane. The UPS should be located so that it is not a trip hazard to passengers and the AIT operator at the Touch Control Operator Panel (TCOP). When a barrier is located between the L3 AIT control leg and the AT, the AIT power cord can extend to the receptacle under the infeed or outfeed conveyors of the AT along the barrier in appropriate surface mounted raceway. In some cases, an ADA gate or a WTMD is located between the L3 AIT control leg and the AT. Extending the AIT power cord across passenger flow is a safety hazard and is not an option. For the L3 AIT only when all other options have been exhausted, the unit can be rotated 180 degrees in order to locate the control leg adjacent to a barrier so that the cord can be extended along the barrier in appropriate surface mounted raceway. When there is passenger flow on both sides of the AIT, such as an ADA gate and a WTMD, the potential exists for tripping, damage to cords or unplugging of equipment. Therefore, a full height ceiling-supported power pole should be provided. If a full height ceiling-supported power pole is not acceptable or feasible, a 36" floor-supported power pole should be provided. The Wiremold Vista column is recommended. Designers should review and understand the L3 AIT cord lengths to avoid unnecessarily rotating the AIT.

Designers are reminded to consult applicable codes within their region of the country to determine the applicability and countermeasures to address seismic events for AITs. Manufacturers have brackets available for purchase.

**Figure 2-25** L3 AIT Unit

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| Image: L3 ProVision Isometric View | ETD, RE: Section 2.8.1 (Typical) |
2.8.1 AIT ETD
Portable Explosive Trace Detection (ETD) units on a movable stand can be located at the exit of the AIT to perform additional screening when there are excess ETD units on site. With the exception of Category X sites, TSA HQ OSC will not procure additional ETD units for this location. This can be on either side of the AIT exit depending on where the power/data is located. The ETD should be fed from the same device but separate circuit feeding the AIT. Designers are advised to provide power and data for the ETD when developing construction drawings to provide maximum installation flexibility for the optional ETD. Ideally, this ETD should not be located at the TCOP or scanning operator (SO) monitor so that the TSO doesn’t have to review images and perform ETD screening in the same small area. Unfortunately, this is not always possible. Co-locating the AIT and ETD is optional and is up to local discretion. A 36” space should be provided for the operator when the ETD and AIT are collocated. ETD units are discussed further in Section 2.12.1.

2.8.2 Slope Tolerance
An AIT can be installed on an inclining or a declining floor within the maximum manufacturer recommended slope. These tolerances pertain to the technical functionality of the equipment and do not take into account building codes or ADA accessibility. For ADA passengers, the slope cannot exceed two percent perpendicular to the direction of travel.

The L3 ProVision system can be operated as follows.
• If the floor slope is parallel to passenger travel, the comfortable maximum floor slope is 1:16.
• If the floor slope is perpendicular to passenger travel, the L3 AIT cannot be installed unless the unit can be rotated parallel to the slope. This may be possible at checkpoints with unique shapes.

Depending upon the slope of the surface the system is installed on, the inner floor of the ProVision system will also be at an angle. At the aforementioned maximum 1:16 slope, the internal floor of the L3 AIT would have a 1:20 slope after adjusting the downhill leveling screws to their maximum extension. In the normal scanning position, this is equivalent to standing with one foot elevated approximately 1” relative to the other and is not normally noticeable.

At the upper maximum slopes, compensatory steps such as leveling the machine’s feet and/or adjusting the floor mat position may be necessary. Contact manufacturer’s representative for more information for installing on a sloped floor.
### Figure 2-26  AIT - L3

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<th>Equipment</th>
<th>Quantity</th>
<th>Power Requirements</th>
<th>IT Requirements</th>
<th>Additional Information</th>
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<tr>
<td>L3 ProVision</td>
<td></td>
<td>• Dedicated</td>
<td>• Data Drops = 2</td>
<td>• An ETD can be co-located with the AIT for additional pax screening if available on site. The ETD can be located at or on the same side as the control leg.</td>
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<td>• 20A, 125V, 1920W/unit</td>
<td>• The cable length from the termination point in the IT cabinet to the data outlet in the work area shall not exceed 295’.</td>
<td>Height/Ceiling clearance requirement:</td>
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<td>• 2-Pole, 3-Wire Grounding</td>
<td>• Weight: 1,800 lbs.</td>
<td>» 9'-0” / 9'-3”</td>
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<td>• NEMA 5-20R Simplex Receptacle</td>
<td>• Can be installed on a floor with a 1:16 floor slope parallel to passenger travel only.</td>
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<td>• Freestanding Tripp Lite UPS provided by vendor</td>
<td>• The Touch Control Operator Panel (TCOP) may not be mounted on control leg.</td>
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<td>• 25’ power cord from the AIT to the UPS (originates in control leg)</td>
<td>• Power cord can be positioned up and over unit to avoid rotation.</td>
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<td>• 10’ power cord from the UPS to the receptacle</td>
<td>• The 16'-0” shipped USB cable can be substituted for a 25'-0” cable in the field if necessary.</td>
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<td>• Refer to Figure 2-26 equipment plan views for detailed outlet locations when power is fed from the adjacent AT lane.</td>
<td>• Manufacturer recommends installation on a slope of 1.5% or less. If slope is between 1.5% and 3.0%, a representative will perform a site validation to determine whether or not the slope is acceptable.</td>
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#### Configuration 1 (Preferred)
- Power fed from lane adjacent to AIT control leg.
- No passenger flow between AT and AIT.

#### Configuration 2 (Preferred)
- Power fed from device located at AIT control leg.
- Passenger flow on both sides of AIT.

#### Configuration 3 (Lowest Preference)
- Power fed from lane adjacent to rotated AIT control leg.
- No passenger flow between AT and AIT.

**Legend**
- Reference Point
- Service Area
- Acceptable Areas for Recessed, Flush, or Surface Device
- Control Leg with E-Stop
- Control Leg
- Passenger Flow
- Power Pole or 36" Floor Supported Power Pole
- Preferred Location of (Optional) Portable ETD
- Toop

**Dimensions**
- Width: 76.7”
- Height/Ceiling: 9’-0” / 9’-3”
- Length: 164.4”
2.9 BARRIERS

In order to prevent passengers and items from passing into the sterile area from the non-sterile area without being screened, barriers must be installed to close all gaps exceeding 12” across the front width or façade of the checkpoint. All barriers must be flush with the floor and be at least 48” above finished floor (AFF). Barriers must be rigid enough to prevent vibrations that could interfere with the WTMD and must be self-supporting to reduce any potential hazard to passengers and personnel at the checkpoint. Standard TSA barriers are made of transparent material and come in 12”, 24”, 36”, and 48” widths. See Figure 2-27.

**Figure 2-27** Barriers
2.10 ADA/ACCESS GATE

The ADA gate on the passenger side is part of the line that separates the non-sterile area from the sterile area. The ADA gate allows passengers that cannot otherwise traverse the WTMD or AIT to reach the sterile area. The ADA gate is typically used by wheelchair passengers, passengers requiring special assistance, or passengers with pacemakers. These passengers are brought from the queue through the ADA gate and taken immediately to an area for secondary screening. TSA prefers an ADA gate at every 1- or 2-lane set, but sometimes this is not possible. At a minimum, there should be at least one ADA gate for every six lanes. Using an adjacent checkpoint exit lane is not acceptable for bringing ADA passengers into the sterile area of the checkpoint.

The access gate on the operator side is also part of the line that separates the non-sterile area from the sterile area. However, it is used only by TSA staff to access the sterile side and return bins from the composure/extension rollers to the divest tables. It gives TSA personnel a travel path that is free and clear of passengers. The access gate requirement is less stringent than the ADA gate. It should be provided whenever there is space available. When space is unavailable, a 2'-0" or 3'-0" barrier should be used. TSA personnel can still access the sterile side via the passenger path of travel.

The ADA/access gate is approximately 44" wide by 48" tall with a 36" swing gate made of non-metallic, transparent material as shown in Figure 2-28. The swing direction of the ADA/access gate should always open towards the sterile side of the checkpoint. The latch side should conform to local code by providing enough space to open the gate around adjacent equipment.

There are many types of ADA/Access gates on site. Some have a specific RH or LH swing and some have a swing that can be configured in the field. The floor support for the gate may also vary. It is important to field verify the type of gate so that any new designs can take the functionality into account.
2.11 PASSENGER INSPECTION

Passenger inspection can occur at the screening lanes, at the secondary screening area, or in a private room at or near the checkpoint. Figure 2-29 represents the common KI Wall glass kits used for passenger inspection. These kits can be anchored to the floor or secured overhead by a bridge kit. The manufacturer should always be consulted when variations are needed.

2.11.1 Private Screening Room (PSR)

The PSR, shown in Figure 2-30, is approximately 6'-0" by 8'-0" with 8'-0" high glass panels and a 3'-0" door on either the short wall (S3) or the long wall (S3-A). The location of the PSR should be centralized at the checkpoint when possible in order to minimize the walking distance for passengers and TSOs without causing congestion or impeding TSA and/or passenger flow. One PSR per eight lanes is required. The room must be available to accommodate passengers who request pat downs out of the public area. The room needs to be able to accommodate one passenger, including those with disabilities, up to two TSOs, a passenger inspection chair and mat, and a bag search table. In some cases, an escort or interpreter may need to be present. The finish of the glass panels is opaque so that privacy is maintained. If a checkpoint does not have the height clearance to support the 8'-0" tall kit, then a 6'-0" tall kit can be used. It is approximately 6'-0" by 8'-0" with 6'-0" high glass panels and a 3'-0" door on either the short wall (T3) or the long wall (T3-A). Glass kits need to have sufficient clearance from the ceiling so as not to affect HVAC and/or lighting. If the PSR can be viewed from a concourse above or if cameras are located above or aimed at the room, then a baffle kit consisting of slats should be installed to prevent a direct line-of-sight into the room. Baffle kits can only be installed on S3 or S3-A kits. There will be a head clearance issue if installed on a T3 or T3-A. The baffle kit is shown on an S3 glass kit in Figure 2-29.

A private screening curtain or an airport-provided room at or near the checkpoint could also be used for private screening functions.

Curtains are to be selected and purchased by local TSA with OSC concurrence. Various curtain options can be found at www.cubiclecurtainfactory.com. TSA HQ does not have a contract with this vendor. Other vendors can be pursued by local TSA as long as the PSR requirements are met and OSC approves the solution.

Designers should include power and data for future technology as shown in Figure 2-30.
Figure 2-30 Private Screening Room (S3 or S3-A)

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<tr>
<th>Equipment</th>
<th>Quantity</th>
<th>Power Requirements</th>
<th>IT Requirements</th>
<th>Additional Information</th>
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| Private Screening Room (S3 or S3-A) | 1 per 8 lanes | The following requirements occur once inside and once outside the private screening room:  
- Non-dedicated circuit  
- 2GA, 125V, 350VA/unit  
- 2-Pole, 3-Wire Grounding  
- NEMA 5-20R Quad or Duplex Receptacle | Data Drops = 2  
Cat5e / Cat6 cable  
The cable length from the termination point in the IT cabinet to the data outlet in the work area shall not exceed 295'. |  
- S3 and S3-A kits have 8' high glass panels.  
- S3 and S3-A kits can have LH or RH door swings. Power/data should be located based on door configuration. The default from Ki Wall is a RH door swing. LH door swings must be specified.  
- S3 and S3-A kits may be installed with optional baffle kits.  
- The PSR should be centralized at the checkpoint when possible. |

- Data Drops = 2  
Cat5e / Cat6 cable  
The cable length from the termination point in the IT cabinet to the data outlet in the work area shall not exceed 295'.  

S3 and S3-A kits have 8’ high glass panels.

S3 and S3-A kits can have LH or RH door swings. Power/data should be located based on door configuration. The default from Ki Wall is a RH door swing. LH door swings must be specified.

S3 and S3-A kits may be installed with optional baffle kits.

The PSR should be centralized at the checkpoint when possible.
2.12 SECONDARY SCREENING

Secondary screening is additional screening that may be required for passengers and their bags when they alarm primary screening equipment. It is an area that is approximately 3'-0" to 5'-0" from the end of the screening lanes in order to minimize travel time and the distance that TSOs have to carry bags. Secondary screening is typically located in the “dead” operator space on back-to-back lanes or at the end of the lane for odd numbered lanes. This area should be clear of exiting passengers. The secondary screening area typically consists of Explosive Trace Detection (ETD) unit, a Bottle Liquid Scanner (BLS), an AVS (previously discussed in Section 2.5), a Mobile Cabinet, a search table and a passenger search chair and mat. Refer to Figure 2-31.

2.12.1 Explosive Trace Detection (ETD)

ETD units are used to swab carry-on bags that have alarmed at the TRX, AT or AutoEDS. These units should be contained within a mobile cabinet but can sometimes be found sitting directly on a search table. The ETD machines require operational, testing and maintenance supplies located within arms reach of the working area. If a mobile cabinet is not used, then alternative storage is required for these items. ETD manufacturers and their specifications are listed in Figure 2-32. The ETD units should be co-located with one search table for a single lane and two search tables for back-to-back lanes. These same ETDs may also be located at the exit of AIT units as a method of secondary screening for passengers who alarm the AIT. These ETDs are referred to as portable ETDs because they are on a mobile cart. Refer to Section 2.8.1.

ETDs are extremely sensitive to environmental conditions such as temperature, humidity, and air quality. ETDs should be clear of fumes and exhaust to prevent malfunctioning. The ETD units also have a high heat output and should be vented if placed in a non-standard TSA storage device.

2.12.2 Bottle Liquid Scanner (BLS)

These scanners aid the TSA in identifying explosive, flammable, or hazardous substances that have been concealed in a benign container. The containers can be sealed and do not have to be open to perform the analysis. Through the use of Raman spectroscopy (laser) and electromagnetic technology, these units are able to quickly analyze and identify the chemical compositions of a wide variety of unknown solids and liquids, including explosives that are currently on the classified threat list. Manufacturers and the procurement specifications are listed in Figure 2-32 with the ETDs.
## ETD & BLS Units

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<td>GE IonTrack Itemiser ETD</td>
<td>Per Cabinet:</td>
<td>• N on-dedicated, shared with the AVS and ETD circuit at the same search area or queuing conveyor circuit if @ AIT</td>
<td>• Data Drops = 2 &lt;br&gt; • Cat5e / Cat6 cable &lt;br&gt; • The cable length from the termination point in the IT cabinet to the data outlet in the work area shall not exceed 295’.</td>
<td>• ETDs are located with the AVS/ BLS and at the exit of the AIT if available. &lt;br&gt; • Refer to AVS and AIT equipment plan views for outlet locations.</td>
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<td>GE IonTrack Itemiser³ ETD</td>
<td>1 per 2 lanes</td>
<td>• GE: &lt;br&gt; » 20A, 125V, 120VA/unit &lt;br&gt; » 6'-6&quot; power cord from the ETD to the receptacle</td>
<td>• Smiths: &lt;br&gt; » 20A, 125V, 350VA/unit &lt;br&gt; » 7'-8&quot; power cord from the ETD to the receptacle</td>
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<td>Smiths IonScan 400B ETD</td>
<td>1 per odd lane</td>
<td>• Smiths: &lt;br&gt; » 20A, 125V, 350VA/unit &lt;br&gt; » 7'-8&quot; power cord from the ETD to the receptacle</td>
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<td>Smiths IonScan 500DT ETD</td>
<td>1 per AIT if available on site</td>
<td>• Smiths: &lt;br&gt; » 20A, 125V, 350VA/unit &lt;br&gt; » 7'-8&quot; power cord from the ETD to the receptacle</td>
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<td>Smiths RespondeR RCI BLS</td>
<td>Per Cabinet:</td>
<td>• N on-dedicated, shared with the AVS and ETD circuit at the same search area &lt;br&gt; • 2-Pole, 3-Wire Grounding</td>
<td>• Data Drops = 2 &lt;br&gt; • Cat5e / Cat6 cable &lt;br&gt; • The cable length from the termination point in the IT cabinet to the data outlet in the work area shall not exceed 295’.</td>
<td>• BLS is located with the AVS/ ETD. &lt;br&gt; • Refer to AVS equipment plan views for outlet locations.</td>
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<td>Smiths RespondeR RCI BLS</td>
<td>1 per ETD Screening Station to exclude units co-located with AIT.</td>
<td>• Smiths: &lt;br&gt; » 20A, 125V, 216VA/unit &lt;br&gt; » 6'-6&quot; power cord from the BLS to the AC/DC converter &lt;br&gt; » 6'-6&quot; power cord from the AC/DC converter to the receptacle</td>
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<td>CEIA EMA-MS BLS</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>• CEIA: &lt;br&gt; » 20A, 125V, 61.2VA/unit &lt;br&gt; » 6'-8&quot; power cord from BLS to receptacle</td>
<td>• CEIA: &lt;br&gt; » 20A, 125V, 61.2VA/unit &lt;br&gt; » 6'-8&quot; power cord from BLS to receptacle</td>
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<td>Smiths RespondeR RCI BLS</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>• Smiths: &lt;br&gt; » 20A, 125V, 61.2VA/unit &lt;br&gt; » 6'-8&quot; power cord from BLS to receptacle</td>
<td>• Smiths: &lt;br&gt; » 20A, 125V, 61.2VA/unit &lt;br&gt; » 6'-8&quot; power cord from BLS to the AC/DC converter &lt;br&gt; » 6'-6&quot; power cord from the AC/DC converter to the receptacle</td>
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2.12.3 Mobile Cabinets

Mobile Security Cabinets provide a secure and vented storage area for secondary screening equipment. There are two mobile cabinets that should be used for secondary screening. The ETD Mobile Cabinet is common in the field today. It encloses the ETD and operational, testing, and maintenance supplies. The ETD-BLS Mobile Cabinet will enclose the ETD and BLS, as well as operational, testing, and maintenance supplies. This cabinet has not yet been manufactured. **Figure 2-33** shows the dimensions of both cabinets. The cabinets have wheels for easy relocation, but the wheels should be locked when the ETD or BLS is in operation. Power/data receptacles for the secondary screening area should not be located under the mobile cabinets as the bottom of the cabinet is low to the floor and would not provide enough clearance for devices or plugs.

**Figure 2-33** ETD-BLS & ETD Mobile Cabinets
2.12.4 Bag Search Table
Bag search tables are used for target bag searches, ETD swabbing, and BLS testing. The stainless steel surface allows TSA to provide a clean, contaminant-free surface. See Figure 2-34. The bag search tables have wheels for easy relocation, but the wheels should be locked during ETD, BLS, and bag search functions. The back and side panels offer privacy during bag searches but are often removed when the bag search table is located with an AVS.

Figure 2-34 Bag Search Table

2.12.5 Passenger Search Position
When a passenger’s body or bag alarms during primary screening, they are escorted to a passenger search position within the secondary screening area unless the passenger requests private screening. Passenger inspection at the secondary screening area consists of a 6’-0” by 6’-0” area that includes a passenger inspection chair and mat. Refer to Figure 2-35. This area needs to be wide enough for a TSO to screen a standing or wheelchair passenger and for the passenger to be able to maintain eye contact with his/her belongings and family members.

Figure 2-35 Passenger Search Position
2.13 COMPOSURE BENCH

Egress seating at the checkpoint is used for passengers to sit down and compose themselves with their personal belongings after completing the screening process. The screening experience is greatly improved if passengers can sit down to put their shoes and jackets on. The Supervisory Transportation Security Officer (STSO) should be positioned at a podium like the one shown in Figure 2-37 near the checkpoint exit. Dimensions of the podium as well as the power/data requirements are illustrated in Figure 2-38. The STSO should be able to perform administrative duties while viewing and supervising the entire screening operation. The location should have an unobstructed view of the checkpoint, but they may vary in size.

2.14 SUPERVISORY TRANSPORTATION SECURITY OFFICER (STSO) PODIUM

The Supervisory Transportation Security Officer (STSO) should be positioned at a podium like the one shown in Figure 2-37 near the checkpoint exit. Dimensions of the podium as well as the power/data requirements are illustrated in Figure 2-38. The STSO should be able to perform administrative duties while viewing and supervising the entire screening operation. The location should have an unobstructed view of the checkpoint.
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<td>STSO Podium</td>
<td>1 per 4 lanes</td>
<td>• Non-dedicated&lt;br&gt;• 20A, 125V, 180VA/ podium&lt;br&gt;• 2-Pole, 3-Wire Grounding&lt;br&gt;• NEMA 5-20R Quad or Duplex Receptacle&lt;br&gt;• 6’ to 10’ power cord from the TSA laptop to the receptacle</td>
<td>• Data Drops = 2&lt;br&gt;• Cat5e / Cat6 cable&lt;br&gt;• The cable length from the termination point in the IT cabinet to the data outlet in the work area shall not exceed 295’.</td>
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**Figure 2-38 STSO Podium**

- **Equipment**: List of equipment including quantity and specifications.
- **Power Requirements**: Details including power requirements and connections.
- **IT Requirements**: Specifications for IT connections and requirements.
- **Additional Information**: Additional details and notes.

**Diagram**:
- **Plan View**
- **Side View**
- **Elevation**
- Reference points and dimensions are marked on the diagrams.
2.15 SSCP BOUNDARIES

There is no set boundary of an SSCP. Boundaries of a SSCP will vary by airport based on SSCP configuration and TSA requirements for a particular checkpoint. Typically, the SSCP length starts at the TDC podium(s), extends through the checkpoint elements discussed in this section, and ends at the checkpoint exit, which could be at or near the egress seating area or STSO podium. The SSCP width is the wall-to-wall width of the checkpoint, including all the screening lanes and a co-located exit lane. All walls adjacent to the non-sterile side need to be at least 8'-0" high to prevent the passage of prohibited items from the non-sterile area to the sterile area. In the future, new technology may extend the current boundaries to include additional equipment and functions within the checkpoint or equipment and functions located remotely within the airport.

2.16 EXIT LANE

An exit lane can be co-located with a checkpoint, or it can be located independent of the checkpoint. This lane should be easily identifiable without adversely affecting security. It should also be adequately sized for deplaning passengers exiting the concourse. All building code egress path requirements must be met.

An 8'-0" or full height wall is required to separate the checkpoint from the exit lane or separate the sterile area from the non-sterile area. This height impairs the ability for uncleared passengers to pass prohibited items to a cleared passenger. This requirement should be coordinated with the airport authority when a new checkpoint is being discussed or an existing checkpoint is being reconfigured and the exit lane needs to be modified.

An exit lane is typically equipped with a table, chair, and podium for a person to monitor the area and deter those attempting to bypass the SSCP from the non-sterile area. The monitor should be located so that traffic attempting to enter the exit lane from the wrong direction can be intercepted. For long exit lanes, there is typically a monitor at both ends. As of 12/31/2013, TSA will no longer share operational responsibility of the exit lane with other parties such as the airport operator or an airline carrier. These parties contribute to the design of the exit lane and surrounding area to ensure that unauthorized entry does not occur.

Unique solutions have been deployed to secure exit lanes such as adding revolving doors or turnstiles, CCTV systems, and/or breach alarms. These solutions must allow sufficient space to accommodate the equipment as well as passengers with baggage and/or passengers with disabilities. Another simple solution is to provide clear glass panels when an exit lane is adjacent to the checkpoint. This often deters breaches since the exit lane would be highly visible by TSA and airport/airline personnel. These elements can also be combined to create an integrated system that utilizes video cameras, video monitors, sensors, and breach alarms concealed within the architectural elements and tied to a centralized system. This would further tighten security around this sensitive area without relying solely on manpower. In new facility planning and design, SSCP exit lanes should be a considerable distance from boarding gates to allow for sufficient time to resolve a breach if one should occur.
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3.0 STANDARD SSCP LAYOUTS

With approximately 730 checkpoints in existence today, it is easy to understand how there are various equipment arrangements based on the approved approach at the time of implementation at the checkpoint. Site conditions and local input also impact the look of a checkpoint. TSA intends for each arrangement to meet baseline standards based on the current threat; however, these standards change often due to the development of new technology intended to detect possible future threats. The following pages illustrate the currently approved arrangements of checkpoint equipment at the time of this guide’s printing that will be common across the 450 federalized airports. It is recommended that designers coordinate with TSA when designing layouts.

Checkpoints consist of standard module sets or combinations of standard module sets based on a particular arrangement of a given type and quantity of screening equipment that has been previously tested by TSA. A module set is either one or two lanes. A 1-lane module set will typically have an X-ray (AT1, AT2 with MDR, or AutoEDS), a Walk Through Metal Detector (WTMD) and/or an Advanced Imaging Technology (AIT) unit, passenger containment, and a secondary screening area that includes Explosive Trace Detection (ETD), Bottle Liquid Scanner (BLS), Alternate Viewing Station (AVS) for AT2, and passenger and carry-on bag inspection. A 2-lane module set is the same as a 1-lane module set with the addition of another X-ray (AT1, AT2 with MDR, or AutoEDS) opposite the first X-ray with the other equipment being located between the two lanes. The equipment between the lanes is known as the “infield” equipment. A 2-lane module set or a combination of 2-lane module sets is the best approach for configuring a checkpoint because it efficiently utilizes screening equipment and TSA personnel. However, a 1-lane module set should be used if the peak passenger load only supports 1-lane, the checkpoint has an odd number of lanes, or there is an obstruction, such as a column, electrical closet, or chase that prevents adding a 2-lane module set.

Module sets are sometimes categorized by the quantity of X-rays (AT1, AT2, or AutoEDS) in the module set compared to the quantity of equipment used to screen passengers. For example, a 1-to-1 configuration is considered as one X-ray per one WTMD and/or AIT. A 2-to-1 configuration is considered as two X-rays per one or two WTMD(s) or two X-rays per one WTMD and one AIT.

The purpose of this section is to illustrate the approved arrangements and corresponding module set. Refer to the following pages for an overview of the arrangements.

All designs going forward for new checkpoints or reconfigured existing checkpoints should be based on the module sets of an arrangement prescribed by the TSA checkpoint designer and deployment coordinator in the early stages of planning. A graphic representation of the arrangement is presented Figure 3-6. Note that the secondary screening area is not included with the module sets in order to maximize the scale of the graphics. The Rapiscan AT and L3 AIT were used in the module sets and arrangements, but any manufacturer included in this guide can be applied using the same recommended spacing. Note that some adjustments to the layout may be required to account for different equipment dimensions which can be found in the equipment plan views in Section 2.

The AutoEDS Module Sets are not a part of this section.
3.1 STANDARD SSCP ARRANGEMENT

The Standard SSCP Arrangement consists of AT2 equipment, a MDR, a WTMD, an AIT, passenger containment, and a secondary screening area that includes an ETD, BLS, AVS, and passenger/carry-on baggage inspection. This arrangement upgrades the AT1 to an AT2. The difference between the AT1 and the AT2 is the addition of an AVS, MDR, and a 4'-0" queuing conveyor for the Rapiscan and L3 AT2 only. The AT2 comes in the same orientations as the AT1. Refer to Section 2.6.

The structural floor must be evaluated prior to placement of the AT and the AIT since the live load a floor system can support varies. At checkpoints with only AT X-rays spaced a minimum of 5'-0" clear average of each other, the equipment will impact a maximum uniform area load of approximately 65 psf on the floor. At checkpoints with a combination of AT X-ray and AIT units, a minimum of 6'-0" clear average of each other, the equipment will impact a maximum uniform area load of approximately 85 psf on the floor.

Designers are reminded to consult applicable codes within the airport’s region of the country to determine the applicability and countermeasures to address seismic events for all brands. Brand manufacturers have brackets available for purchase.

Barrier stanchions shall form the exterior perimeter of the TDC podium in order to deter passengers from bypassing this function. Strap stanchions can be detached too quickly and easily, where barrier stanchions have to be disassembled, alerting TSA personnel and allowing time for a TSO to respond.

The following pages represent the Standard SSCP Arrangement. **Figure 3-1** is an isometric view of five lanes in an optimized layout. **Figure 3-2** is a plan view of the same 5-lane layout, but the recommended spacing between the screening and ancillary equipment is shown. These dimensions are guidelines to use when laying out a checkpoint. Adjustments to these dimensions may need to be made due to site conditions. This is acceptable as long the as the spacing is within the desired range. Deviations from the minimum and maximum spacing must receive OSC approval before implementation. Every attempt to achieve the dimensions listed in **Figure 3-2** should be made when designing a checkpoint with Standard SSCP Arrangement equipment. The spacing requirements are the same regardless of the make and model of the screening equipment used.

It should be noted that the minimum possible distance between the WTMD and AIT should be maintained for each checkpoint. Decreased spacing between the equipment enhances the lane security by reducing the opportunity for contraband exchanges (via “handoff” of prohibited items) between yet-to-be screened AIT passengers and screened WTMD passengers and as they move parallel to one another through the lane. Travel distance between the AIT and WTMD should be minimized (5'-8") while preserving maintenance clearance. In Standard SSCP Arrangement, the recommended distance is 5'-8".
Figure 3-1 SSCP Standard Arrangement Five-Lane Layout
Figure 3-2  SSCP Arrangement Recommended Spacing

REFER TO SPECIFIC MANUFACTURER AND EQUIPMENT MODELS INDICATED IN SECTION 2.0 AND OSC CAD BLOCKS FOR ACTUAL EQUIPMENT DIMENSIONS.

LEGEND

- Service area
1. 3'-0" minimum queue lane width (not shown)
2. 11'-6" from center of podium to center of podium
3. 6'-0" - 15'-0" from the TDC podium to nearest bin cart
4. 12'-0" of divest tables
5. 5'-0" minimum from bump-out to wall when bump-out is towards the operator (not shown)
6. 5'-0" minimum from dome to wall when bump-out is towards the passengers
7. 3'-0" minimum between back-to-back bump-outs when both bump-outs are towards the operators and the domes are aligned or staggered
8. 4'-0" minimum between back-to-back dome and bump-out when one bump-out is towards the passengers, one bump-out is towards the operators, and the domes are aligned or staggered (not shown)
9. 4'-0" minimum between back-to-back domes when both bump-outs are towards the passengers and the domes are aligned or staggered (not shown)
10. 2'-0" minimum from WTMD to conveyor or dome
11. 3'-0" from MDR to wall
12. 2'-5" minimum from MDR to MDR for back-to-back lanes
13. 12" maximum between ancillary or screening equipment separating the non-sterile area from the sterile area (not every location shown)
14. Minimum 5" in, 11" out, and 2'-6" diagonally from WTMD to AIT
15. 3'-0" from AIT exit to passenger inspection mats
16. 3'-0" minimum for passenger egress
17. 3'-0" minimum for ADA passenger path of travel
18. 12'-0" minimum of composer rollers
19. 3'-0" minimum from bin cart to the secondary screening area to allow for TSO bypass or 5'-0" minimum from last composer roller to secondary screening area to allow for TSO bypass
20. 6' x 8' Private Screening Room
21. 6'-0" x 6'-0" minimum for passenger search at secondary screening area
22. 18" - 22" from AVS to search table
23. 9'-0" minimum height clearance for L3 AIT
24. 1'-6" minimum WTMD to entry conveyor hood

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3.2 RISK BASED SCREENING (RBS)

Risk Based Screening (RBS) is a method of defining a passenger’s credentials prior to the security screening process. Although only a few RBS methods are in place today, TSA and other organizations plan on expanding RBS in the future. TSAPre™ is an example of an RBS program which is currently expanding to airports across the country.

3.2.1 TSAPre™

TSAPre™ is an expedited screening initiative that is expanding to airports across the county as volumes continue to grow through new Risk Based Security (RBS) initiatives. There is a need to determine how to absorb volume growth across existing TSAPre™ checkpoints through optimal lane utilization, as well as provide flexibility to open additional TSAPre™ lanes at checkpoints which without would have insufficient throughput at peak times.

The purpose of this section is to provide guidance on how and when to expand TSAPre™ airports, as well as introduce the concept of a “Dual Use” lane. A Dual Use Lane is a tool that will allow airports to “flex” TSAPre™ to an additional adjacent lane during peak times as volumes dictate. As airports review their current design and layout for near term expansion, they should consider how to look at the checkpoints, terminals, and concourses holistically for a more long term expansion of TSAPre™. This will provide airports with the contextual framework in which to target such considerations.

Expanding TSAPre™

Operational requirements must be met in order to expand one or more lanes to TSAPre™ at a given checkpoint. Requirements include:

- Sufficient predicted or realized volume for sustained periods to open a new lane or expand to an adjacent lane
- Designs are managed by an RBS coordinator
- TSAPre™ lane is operated with an AT2 X-ray and CEIA WTMD
- Sufficient personnel are trained and available to run additional TSAPre™ lanes as necessary
- Ability to restrict non-TSAPre™ passengers from accessing the TSAPre™ lane
- Maintain a minimum of one standard lane operating within the checkpoint
- If implementing a dual use lane, provide a visible indicator for TSOs to identify mode of operation (TSAPre™ Standard)

Depending on the airport configuration and which airlines are increasing in volume, there are three options which an airport may expand their TSAPre™ lane:

Option 1: Move an existing TSAPre™ lane to better accommodate traffic patterns and expansion
Option 2: Add a new TSAPre™ lane at a new checkpoint that previously did not have sufficient volume
Option 3: Expand existing TSAPre™ to an adjacent lane (either full-time or part-time as “Dual Use”)

TSAPre™ is growing in popularity and is expected to expand as more airports and airlines increase their screening volume. Due to a variation of TSAPre™ demand at certain times, the checkpoint can be configured to allow for flexing screening lanes. If at least one TSAPre™ lane is currently operational, the checkpoint is capable of expanding to additional lanes as needed. With equipment layout and queue planning, limited reconfiguration and time is required to “flex” from one TSAPre™ lane to additional lanes.

The following examples provide the typical layouts for existing TSAPre™ screening before and after flexing from one to two lanes.
This scenario is for a single, outside TSAPre™ lane with WTMD only. The RBS passengers flow to only one lane before flexing. Standard passenger flow is limited to lanes 2 and 3, lane 2 is a dual use lane.

This scenario is for a two lane TSAPre™ with flexing the additional TSAPre™ lane to lane 2. Due to constraints of this configuration, flexing requires splitting an adjacent 2 to 1 module set to add the lane. In this scenario, the WTMD in adjacent lanes will need to be reconfigured to TSAPre™ security settings.
This scenario is for a single, outside TSAPre™ lane with a split module set with WTMD and AIT. The RBS passengers flow to only one lane before flexing. Standard passenger flow is limited to lanes 2, 3, and 4, lane 2 is a dual use lane.

This scenario is for a two lane TSAPre™ with flexing the additional TSAPre™ lane to lane 2. Flexing TSAPre™ lane requires only relocation of barrier stanchions from the center of the module set and allowing passengers from both lanes flow to the WTMD. In this case no reconfiguration is required for the WTMD in this module set.
3.2.2 QUEUE MANAGEMENT
In order to ensure that temporary or permanent expansion can be appropriately managed and lanes can easily transition from standard to TSAPre™ lanes and vice versa, effective queue management solutions are necessary, such as pre-scanning and queue flexing at peak times, or as needed. Boarding passes can be checked at the front of the queue to ensure that no passengers are redirected to the standard lane once they enter the TSAPre™ lane. As TDCs are added it becomes logistically difficult to refer a passenger to standard screening from the original TSAPre™ TDC(s). However, it is possible when adding TDCs, before they are fully utilized as TSAPre™ only lanes, to allow the TDC adjacent to the standard lane to feed both the adjacent standard lane and the TSAPre™ lane.

3.2.3 RBS Passenger Queue Layout Examples:
When designing a queue it is important to first determine what space is available for the passenger queue as a whole. The general rule is 300 SF of space available for each lane. If queue space is less than 300 SF per lane, consider tightening the space between stanchions to 3ft for all queue types except for ADA/Special Assistance queues. These need to maintain at least 3.5ft, and preferably have straight-line access to the TDC podium. For Unknown/High Risk Travelers, the TDC podium and the bin carts at the divestiture tables should provide a minimum distance as described in Figure 2-7 enabling passengers to move freely toward their chosen lane.

It is assumed that a RBS screening lane will consist of a WTMD and AT2 X-ray for the near future; Advanced Imaging Technology (AIT) will not be used for RBS.

Sample design layouts are included on the following pages. It is not possible to show examples for every type of checkpoint configuration or size; however, examples for odd and even numbered checkpoint lanes are provided and convey the overall intention of the RBS queue design requirements. These designs can be scaled to encompass the design requirements of checkpoints with greater or fewer number of lanes.
Figure 3-6  5 LANE CHECKPOINT - GROWTH 2 RBS LANES

PAX FLOW

RBS FLOW

LANE 5
X-RAY

LANE 4
X-RAY

LANE 3
X-RAY

LANE 2
X-RAY

LANE 1
X-RAY

AVS/ETD/BLS

SWING GATE
BELT STANCHION
BARRIER STANCHION

STANDARD

RBS

SWING GATE
BELT STANCHION
BARRIER STANCHION

STANDARD

SWING GATE
BELT STANCHION
BARRIER STANCHION

RBS

SWING GATE
BELT STANCHION
BARRIER STANCHION

RBS
Figure 3-7  5 LANE CHECKPOINT - GROWTH 3 RBS LANES

PAX FLOW

RBS FLOW

LANE 1
LANE 2
LANE 3
LANE 4
LANE 5

AVS/ETD/BLS

WTMD

X-RAY

X-RAY

X-RAY

SWING GATE

BELT STANCHION

BARRIER STANCHION

RBS

RBS

RBS

STANDARD

AIT
4.0 SSCP ELECTRICAL REQUIREMENTS

The power and data requirements for each individual piece of security screening equipment are included in Section 2.0. This section attempts to describe all the electrical systems, specifically data, power, CCTV, and lighting required to support the checkpoint. Familiarity with these requirements will be essential when designing a new checkpoint or reconfiguring an existing checkpoint.

4.1 DATA REQUIREMENTS

The TSA HQ Office of Information Technology (OIT) and Security Technology Integrated Program (STIP) requires most powered security screening equipment to have two data drops consisting of flush-mounted 568B data jacks. Both drops, even though one is redundant, should be connected using Cat5e/Cat6 data cable and terminated on the patch panel in the closest TSA IT cabinet located at or near the checkpoint. The data cable type should be based on the existing conditions at the checkpoint. The purpose of this connectivity is so that TSA HQ can review statistical data over the network from screening equipment for a particular airport and time period without having to go to the site.

Steps toward this goal were made under the High Speed Operational Connectivity (Hi-SOC) program where data outlets and cables for a limited number of locations were connected to the IT cabinet. As checkpoints are reconfigured, either the project owner’s contractor or the TSA HQ Install, Move, Add, or Change (IMAC) Group gets involved to relocate and provide new data outlets and cables as needed to support new technology. If a checkpoint relocation or reconfiguration is initiated by the airport during an airport renovation, or a new checkpoint is being designed for a new terminal or airport as a part of an Airport Authority Mandate, the airport must restore the checkpoint to its previous state of connectivity (“make whole”). If a checkpoint reconfiguration is initiated by any group within TSA HQ as part of an optimization and safety effort, new technology deployment or any other checkpoint redesign initiative, the TSA will be responsible for restoring the checkpoint to its previous state of connectivity (“make whole”), including development of the scope of work (SOW). Implementation in the field can occur via the TSA HQ Contractor or via the internal IMAC group. This will depend on the scope of work and the number of sites impacted.

In either scenario, a working group must be formed consisting of representatives from the Airport Authority, FSD staff, OSC, and STIP. The group should meet immediately via conference call once it has been determined that a checkpoint or checkpoints are going to be reconfigured. This action will ensure that all aspects of the checkpoint redesign have been identified and assigned to a specific group for action and funding. This team will organize the working group members, develop, review and approve the SOW. The OIT Field Regional Manager (FRM) should always be consulted when a checkpoint redesign is initiated.

Installation and/or relocation of Cat5e/Cat6 data cabling will meet or exceed the specifications as per the TSA Structured Cable System Guidelines dated July 27, 2012. Figure 4-1 illustrates all of the equipment that must be connected to the IDF IT cabinet and equipment that must be connected to other equipment such as the AT2 to the AVS.

At a minimum, the following guidelines should be considered when designing a new checkpoint or reconfiguring an existing checkpoint.

- If an existing TSA Main Distribution Frame (MDF)/Intermediate Distribution Frame (IDF) is within 295’ of the SSCP:
  - Verify that the existing switches have sufficient open ports to accommodate the required number of drops.
  - Install an additional switch if the existing switch capacity will not accommodate the required number of drops.
  - Punch down cabling from the individual SSCP devices in the patch panel of the IT cabinet.
» Initiate IMAC group to install jumper cables from the patch panel to the switch and activate port. This is described later in this section.

• If there is no MDF/IDF within 295’ of the SSCP:
  » Install an appropriate IT cabinet. Refer to Figure 4-3 for the IT cabinet specifications.
  » Run fiber optic cable from the IT cabinet to an existing TSA MDF/IDF.
  » Punch down cabling from the individual SSCP devices in the patch panel of the IT cabinet.
  » Initiate IMAC group to install jumper cables from the patch panel to the switch and activate port.

The IMAC Process is the course of action required by TSA OIT to implement an IT request at a checkpoint. Who takes the lead and who funds the effort will all depend on the group initiating the work. For example, if OSC is deploying new technology at the checkpoint, then the OSC Regional Deployment Manager (RDM) would be responsible for making OIT aware of the airports and checkpoints receiving new equipment that require new or relocated data outlets and cabling. Once this initial contact has been made, a process will need to be identified for each group to execute.

The IMAC process needs to be initiated for the following, which takes 90 to 120 days to implement unless otherwise noted.

• Installation of a new IT cabinet.
• Relocation of an existing IT cabinet.
• Installation of additional IT equipment.
• Relocation or installation of new fiber.
• Relocation or installation of new T1 and/or Out of Band (OOB) Management Analog lines for monitoring modems in the IT cabinets. This takes approximately 45 to 60 days to implement.

The preceding durations are determined from the date when the SOW has been submitted by the OIT FRM and approved by the IMAC team. Since it can take up to several months to implement IT modifications, it is imperative to engage each team member as early as possible in order to avoid any gaps in IT services.

Figure 4-4 lists the specifications for the Kronos 4500 Time Clock Terminal. This clock should be located within 295’ of the TSA MDF/IDF and it should utilize Power Over the Ethernet (POE). These terminals need to be deployed at TSA airports and offsite locations in support of the Electronic Time, Attendance, and Scheduling (eTAS) Program which monitors and tracks timekeeping of TSOs across the country. Refer to the TSA Kronos Terminal Installation and Configuration Guide Version 1.7 dated October 29, 2009 for additional information.
**Figure 4-1** SSCP Data Connectivity Diagram

- **LANE 1**
  - AIT
  - ETD @ AIT
  - PANIC & DURESS BUTTON
  - LANE 1 AT/X-RAY

- **LANE 2**
  - WTMD
  - ETD @ AIT
  - PANIC & DURESS BUTTON

- **LANE 3**
  - WTMD
  - ETD @ AIT

- **STSO Podium**
  - 2-LANE AVS SETUP
  - LANE 1 & 2

- **TDC/CAT PODIUM**
  - CAT 6 Patch Panel

- **WALL MOUNT KRONOS TIME CLOCK**

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**KEYED NOTES**

1. **EXISTING TSA IT CABINET**, shown for reference only.
2. CONTRACTOR TO PROVIDE NEW PATCH PANEL(S) IN QUANTITY AS INDICATED ON THE DRAWINGS. PATCH PANEL SHALL HAVE A RATING OF CAT 6.
3. CONTRACTOR TO FIELD VERIFY HEAD-END LOCATION FOR TERMINATION OF ANY NEW WIRING. UTILIZE COMMUNICATIONS PATHWAY TO “AT” LOCATION.
4. EACH LANE SHALL BE EQUIPPED WITH DATA CABLING FOR THE AT/X-RAY, WTMD, AIT, AND CO-LOCATED ETD @ AIT, REGARDLESS OF WHICH LANE THE EQUIPMENT SERVES TO ALLOW FOR FUTURE CONFIGURATION FLEXIBILITY.
5. **PANIC DURESS BUTTON**
6. **TISSO Podium**

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(2) CAT 6 UTP CABLES ROUTED FROM THE TSA IT CABINET TO EACH DEVICE AS NOTED. TERMINATE ALL CAT 6 CABLE ON THE OUTLET END WITH A MODULAR RJ-45 CAT 6 RATED 568B JACK. CONTRACTOR TO TERMINATE TSA CABINET END TO A CAT 6 RATED MODULAR RACK MOUNTED PATCH PANEL.

(2) CAT 6 UTP CABLE ROUTED FROM “AVS” TO “AT” AS NOTED ON THE ONE LINE DIAGRAM. TERMINATE BOTH DEVICE ENDS WITH A MODULAR RJ-45 CAT 6 RATED 568B JACK. TELECOM/ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR SHALL COORDINATE INSTALLATION WITH SITE LEAD AND MANUFACTURER.
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<td>NEMA 5-20R</td>
<td>NON DEDICATED CIRCUIT, MAY BE SHARED WITH AVS AND BLS CIRCUIT AT THE SAME SEARCH AREA VIA POWER STRIP (FIGURE 2-12,2-16). MINIMUM CORD LENGTH 6'-6&quot;.</td>
<td>2- CAT 6 ROUTED TO TSA IT CABINET (1 PRIMARY 1 REDUNDANT)</td>
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<td>TDC &amp; CAT</td>
<td>NON-DEDICATED 20A</td>
<td>125V</td>
<td>NEMA 5-20R</td>
<td>POWER CORD LENGTH UNKNOWN AT THIS TIME.</td>
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<td>STSO</td>
<td>NON-DEDICATED 20A</td>
<td>125V</td>
<td>NEMA 5-20R</td>
<td>6’-10’ CORD FROM LAPTOP TO RECEPTACLE</td>
<td>2- CAT 6 ROUTED TO TSA IT CABINET (1 PRIMARY 1 REDUNDANT)</td>
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<td>PRIVATE SCREENING INTERIOR</td>
<td>NON-DEDICATED 20A</td>
<td>125V</td>
<td>NEMA 5-20R</td>
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<td>PANIC/DURESS</td>
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<td>VERIFY HEAD END, USE COMMON FEED AT XRAY</td>
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<td>KRONOS (ETA)</td>
<td>POWER OVER ETHERNET (POE)</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>N/A</td>
<td>REFER TO PLANS FOR LOCATION</td>
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### Figure 4-3 IT Cabinet

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| IT Cabinet | Size 24H | 1 or more per checkpoint depending on size | For 24H, 36H and 48H:  
- Dedicated  
- 30A, 125V, 3kVA/ Cabinet  
- 2-Pole, 3-Wire Grounding  
- NEMA L5-30R Receptacle  
- 3kVA UPS  
- 6’ power cord from the IT cabinet to the receptacle | • Size patch panels to accommodate all TSA data outlets at the checkpoint plus 100% spares, minimum  
- Size giga bit network switch to accommodate all data outlets in checkpoint plus 10%  
- Provide a minimum of four pair single mode fiber optic cable from IT cabinet to the TSA main distribution frame. | • 30” front and rear access is required.  
- These cabinets will receive all data communication lines from the SSCP, so the cabinet should be located as close to the SSCP as possible, but in a secure location. Careful consideration needs to be given to the IT cabinet location because the exhaust fan for cooling can be loud when located in a confined space with TSA or airport personnel.  
- Equipment racks can be loaded into the cabinet from the front or the back at the location where the cabinet is installed. Although not required, side access would improve rack accessibility and TSA personnel mobility around the cabinet.  
- Refer to TSA Structured Cable System Guidelines dated July 27, 2012 for cable management and administration of IT cabinet.  
- Refer to TSA Structured Cable System Guidelines dated July 27, 2012, for acceptance testing of IT circuits.  
- Wall-mounted cabinets are an option in some instances, but must adhere to all applicable local codes and standards. Recommend consultation with the Field Regional Manager (FRM) when considering a wall-mounted alternative. |
|           | 24.0”H x 27.3”W x 30.0”D |  |  |  |  |
|           | Weight: 97 lbs |  |  |  |  |
| Size 36H  | 36.0”H x 27.3”W x 30.0”D |  |  |  |  |
|           | Weight: 124 lbs |  |  |  |  |
| Size 48H  | 48.0”H x 27.3”W x 30.0”D |  |  |  |  |
|           | Weight: 151 lbs |  |  |  |  |
| Size 60H  | 60.0”H x 27.3”W x 30.0”D |  |  |  |  |
|           | Weight: 246 lbs |  |  |  |  |
| Size 72H  | 72.0”H x 27.3”W x 30.0”D |  |  |  |  |
|           | Weight: 274 lbs |  |  |  |  |

![Isometric View of IT Cabinet](image_url)
### Figure 4-4  Kronos Time Clock

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<td>Kronos 4500 Terminal</td>
<td>11.7&quot;H x 10.7&quot;W x 4.0&quot;D</td>
<td>1 per airport or checkpoint depending on TSO population</td>
<td>• All power over ethernet</td>
<td>• Data Drop = 2</td>
<td>• Locate Kronos Terminal in a secure TSA area. Place in protected area to avoid physical damage.</td>
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<td>• Cat5e / Cat6 cable</td>
<td>• Mount per ADA requirements. Allowed high side reach shall be no more than 54&quot; and the allowed low side reach shall be no less than 9&quot; AFF.</td>
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<td>• Kronos Terminal placement should be within 295’ of existing TSA IT Cabinet.</td>
<td>• Avoid checkpoint high traffic areas such as exit lanes, queueing areas, public seating, and composure areas.</td>
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<td>• Host communication via Ethernet (10/ 100 Mbps auto sensing)</td>
<td>• No exposed cabling or power outlets allowed.</td>
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<td>• Verify switch ports exist in TSA IT Cabinet prior to installation.</td>
<td>• TSA preferred install is to mount the clock over a LAN port and power outlet.</td>
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- **KRONOS TERMINAL MOUNTED OVER LAN PORT AND SECURED FLUSH ON WALL WITH NO EXPOSED CABLING**

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4.2 POWER REQUIREMENTS

Most of the new technology being added to the checkpoint today and in the future requires a dedicated circuit. It is recommended to plan for this now, especially if the existing electrical panel(s) has available capacity. Figure 4-5 illustrates all of the equipment that must be connected to the SSCP power panelboard. All checkpoint circuits should be located together in the same electrical panel or panels with non-dedicated circuits grouped together when possible. This is not possible to do for the WTMD even though the load is approximately 1A. WTMDs can only share a circuit with other WTMDs, otherwise the units will not function properly. The checkpoint electrical engineer should not assume an existing circuit is dedicated or expect the electrical contractor to trace an existing circuit and remove any excess load during construction. For new checkpoint design and checkpoint reconfiguration, new dedicated circuits should be provided for most security screening equipment. Each dedicated circuit should have its own neutral. There should be no common neutrals used for any checkpoint equipment circuits. This is necessary to prevent accidental over-voltage conditions and potential equipment damage should a neutral conductor be interrupted.

The electrical panel should be located as close as possible to the checkpoint. Each SSCP should have an electrical panel located in a secured area located at or near the SSCP and accessible by TSA staff. This may require a new electrical panel power feed with a transformer to step the voltage down from 480V, 3-phase secondary distribution power to 120/208V power, which is the standard voltage for checkpoint equipment. SSCP panels can vary in size from 100A, 3-phase to 225A, 3-phase depending on the number of lanes at the checkpoint. Transformer sizes can vary from 50kVA to 75kVA depending on the SSCP panelboard size. These panels and transformers are standard electrical items that are readily available throughout the continental United States and should not require a significant lead time.

During design, it is important for the electrical engineer to determine the existing electrical system capacity available for checkpoint equipment. Field verification of the existing electrical panel loads and availability of power to support new equipment loads is essential. Circuits from existing electrical panels should be used when available as indicated by the panelboard and corresponding panel schedule that serves the checkpoint. Understand, however, that the panel schedule can often lack sufficient detail in regard to what equipment the circuit is feeding. Sometimes there are other loads piggy-backed onto a supposedly spare circuit or even a circuit feeding checkpoint equipment. A load study of the intended checkpoint power source that satisfies the requirements of NEC 220.87 is strongly recommended.

In some cases, a new electrical panel may be required for new circuits in support of a new checkpoint or reconfiguration of an existing checkpoint. This should be determined during the design phase by the electrical engineer and brought to the attention of TSA HQ immediately. When TSA HQ is funding the project, they must approve the cost of the new panel during the design phase as there could be impacts to the planned budget. This is only for deployment projects. An airport could provide a new panel at any time.

The electrical design of a new checkpoint or reconfiguration of an existing checkpoint must meet all applicable national and local codes in addition to any airport, state, county, and/or city requirements, depending on the Authority Having Jurisdiction (AHJ). Uninterrupted Power Supply (UPS) backup power is not required for SSCPs, although it may exist, or be required at some sites where power conditions are unstable and/or unreliable.
A dedicated circuit is required for the AIT. However, the dedicated circuit may serve both lanes of a two-lane module set. 1 operational AIT per circuit max.

Provide one outlet at each lane. Share circuit with queuing conveyors within same two-lane module set. Max two queuing conveyors per circuit when shared with co-located ETD.

Each lane shall be equipped with power for the X-ray, queuing conveyor, WTMD, AIT, and co-located ETD regardless of which lane the equipment serves and equipment manufacturer to allow for future flexibility.
4.3 POWER/DATA RECEPTACES

In Figure 4-7, there are nine types of TSA-approved electrical distributions and/or devices for SSCPs. In order of preference, TSA would like SSCP equipment to be powered in the following manner unless the Airport Authority states otherwise.

1. Modular surface-mounted pedestals in the floor and wall
2. Recessed power/data poke-through devices in the floor
3. Flush power/data poke-through devices in the floor and wall
4. Made-up surface-mounted monuments in the floor and wall ("tombstone")
5. Ceiling or floor-supported power/data poles
6. Multiplex surface box
7. Recessed cast-in-place floor boxes
8. In-floor Walkerduct system
9. Self-supporting truss system

The airport A&E firm should coordinate closely with the airport and TSA OSC when designing electrical systems to ensure that the needs of both parties are met.

TSA prefers that modular surface-mounted pedestals be located underneath x-ray conveyors. This type of receptacle is highly versatile and require a smaller floor penetration. When a modular surface-mounted pedestal is not ideal, TSA prefers the Wiremold Evolution Series Model 6AT/8AT recessed poke-through because of the flexibility it provides when installed flush in the floor and the amount of receptacles, data jacks, grommet openings, and connectors it can hold within one device. This receptacle is ideal for high traffic areas and for locations with moving equipment. The downside is that a ¾" core drill is required which is often a concern to an airport or the AHJ, as they do not want to impact the structural integrity of the floor. The location of the poke-throughs with respect to the structural framing, quantity of poke-throughs, and proximity to other poke-throughs must be carefully evaluated by the checkpoint electrical and structural engineer. Although the poke-through is identified as being “recessed”, the cover actually sits slightly above the floor. This is acceptable at most locations within the checkpoint except for the TDC and CAT or STSO podium, and outside the Private Screening Room. These three locations should have a truly recessed poke-through because the equipment at these locations is not static and TSA wants the flexibility to make adjustments to the equipment in the future without creating trip hazards to passengers and personnel. This truly recessed poke-through can be achieved by providing a structural detail on the construction drawings that specifies for the contractor to core drill a hole approximately ¾" larger than the recessed poke-through cover so that the lip of the cover sits down in the floor. Refer to Figure 4-6. This installation is required when power/data is provided to these locations from the floor. Power poles can be used at these locations when a checkpoint is slab-on-grade or power poles are the preferred method of power and data distribution at the checkpoint.

When a checkpoint has a seismic structural slab-on-grade, terrazzo floors or high ceilings with an open plan, it can be a challenge to provide power and data to checkpoint equipment. Freestanding, self-supporting, movable overhead truss systems or modular raised access flooring are viable solutions that have been implemented at a handful of airports in these circumstances. While these options are more expensive up front than some of the other options, they provide TSA a great deal of flexibility to reconfigure the checkpoints in the future or deploy more equipment without incurring significant infrastructure costs.

Power and data receptacles should be of high quality industrial standard to accommodate the high volume traffic at the SSCP. All should be properly mounted and fire-proofed. All power/data recessed or flush poke-through devices, modular or made-up surface boxes, power poles, fittings, raised access flooring, self-supporting truss systems, or in-floor Walkerduct systems must be coordinated
with the Airport Authority. Typically, the airport prefers consistency in the type, finish, and color of electrical devices. So what is typically used throughout the terminal should also be used at the checkpoint. Exceptions may occur if the AHJ wants to minimize the addition of new core drills or wants to have flexibility to relocate the SSCP in the future. The checkpoint electrical engineer should confirm with the Airport Authority if the electrical distribution needs to match what currently exists at the checkpoint today or if it should be changed to match the terminal or to support future needs.

The airport and/or the AHJ may also want to evaluate floor core sizes and quantities as well as locations of any new electrical trenches. Airports with terrazzo floors are especially concerned about excessive penetrations in the floors and having areas where the patching is executed poorly. The airport may prefer modular or made-up surface boxes which require only a 1” to 3” core in lieu of recessed poke-through devices which require a 6” to 8” core. While the surface boxes require a smaller core, more boxes would be required to support all the planned TSE, hence more floor coring. A comparison of this is presented in the following section. If possible, the electrical approach should be discussed with the AHJ as early in the project as possible in order to prevent any delays with the permit. Every attempt to re-use existing floor cores should be made when reconfiguring an existing checkpoint.

Acceptable locations for receptacles are included on the plan views for the equipment in Section 2.0. Recessed, flush, or surface devices should be positioned in such a way as to avoid trip hazards for both passengers and TSA personnel. The TRX or AT dome is approximately 2-½-inch above finished floor (AFF); therefore, pedestals, monuments, devices, or fittings located underneath the X-ray dome will not provide sufficient space to accept a plug. These should be located approximately 18” clear of the dome under the infeed or the outfeed depending on the equipment being fed. Under special circumstances only, an existing floor core located underneath
When existing recessed or flush poke-throughs, modular or made-up surface boxes are no longer needed at an SSCP, the checkpoint designer should specify for the contractor to perform the following tasks.

- Remove the power/data outlets and devices.
- Pull and remove the existing wiring back to its source.
- Repair the floor core opening to restore the floor slab to its original integrity.
- Install a flush cover plate, as required, for the type of outlet device removed.

Care must also be taken to ensure that electrical receptacles are protected from damage or inadvertent contact by equipment, passengers, and/or TSA personnel. The receptacles for most SSCP equipment are straight blade NEMA 5-20R except for the WTMD, AutoEDS, and the IT cabinet where the receptacle needs to be twistlock to prevent power cords from being accidentally disconnected. All data jacks should be flush-mounted with the receptacle housing with no loose wires extending from the housing. Any unused ports should be covered.

Duplex outlets that are split-wired with separate circuits to each receptacle must be fed from a two-pole circuit breaker or two side-by-side single-pole circuit breakers that have an approved link between the circuit breaker operator handles in order to meet the requirements of 2008 NEC 210.7 (B). The 2008 NEC 210.7 (B) states, “where two or more branch circuits supply devices or equipment on the same yoke, a means to simultaneously disconnect ungrounded conductors supplying those devices shall be provided at the point at which the branch circuits originate.”
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<td>1</td>
<td>Modular Surface Box</td>
<td>Pedestal poke-through with a 2-compartment box • 9.25&quot;W x 4.63&quot;D x 2.63&quot;H; 2-3&quot; hole/box, dependent on manufacturer</td>
<td>• 2-3&quot; hole in floor depending on manufacturer • UL listed assembly • Fire-rated • A cover plate can be added if location is abandoned. • Supports any outlet configuration • Can be plugged in beneath X-ray</td>
<td>• Not flush ~ trip hazard • Floor X-ray required in order to avoid existing steel. • The plug is above floor level and can be knocked out.</td>
<td>• Recommended at checkpoints where a small floor penetration is desired. • Recommended for use under X-ray</td>
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<td>Poke-Through – Recessed</td>
<td>Poke-through with recessed receptacles • 7.25&quot; diameter; 6&quot; hole/device</td>
<td>Completely flush installation — minimizes trip hazards. • Easy/quick installation • UL listed assembly • Fire-rated • Tamper-proof cover • Recessed connections • 6&quot; device can support any 20A outlet configuration</td>
<td>• 6&quot; hole in floor • Floor X-ray required in order to avoid existing steel. • Extra coring required to mount lip of the receptacle flush in terrazzo floor.</td>
<td>• Recommended at checkpoints where a large core drill will not impact the structural integrity of the floor. • Recommended at checkpoints where a flush installation is desired. • 6&quot; device has smaller surface presentation than the modular surface box or the made-up surface box.</td>
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<td>Poke-Through – Flush</td>
<td>Poke-through with flush receptacles • 7.5&quot; diameter x 5/16&quot; high; 3-4&quot; hole/device, dependent on manufacturer</td>
<td>Easy/quick installation • UL listed assembly • Fire-rated • Wide variety of device combinations</td>
<td>Floor X-ray required in order to avoid existing steel. • Not flush ~ raised lip is a trip hazard. • Electrical devices are proprietary. • The plug is above floor level and can be knocked out. • The floor cover is plastic, in some cases, therefore less durable in high traffic areas.</td>
<td>Recommended only for equipment that does not require a twistlock or simplex receptacle. • Recommended in low traffic areas, since these receptacles have nonmetallic covers that can break easily.</td>
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<td>4</td>
<td>Made-up Surface Box</td>
<td>Surface mount cast box • 4&quot;W x 2&quot;D x 2.63&quot;H; outlet; 7/8&quot; hole/outlet</td>
<td>7/8&quot; hole in floor • 3/2&quot; Rigid Galvanized Steel (RGS) floor penetration • Inexpensive • Easy to relocate and repair floor • Can be reconfigured easily • Limited structural impact to floor • Supports any outlet configuration</td>
<td>Not a UL listed assembly • Not flush ~ trip hazard • Plug is above floor level and can be knocked out. • Not attractive • Need separate penetrations for data and power. • Need to include detail on drawings. • Field assembly is required.</td>
<td>Recommended at checkpoints where a small floor penetration is desired. • Recommended for cutting costs. • Recommended at existing checkpoints with floor penetration limitations.</td>
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| 5    | Ceiling or Floor-Supported Power Pole | Floor to ceiling dual channel metallic raceway; 36” AFF floor-supported Wiremold Vista Point S Column | • Inexpensive  
• Easy to relocate and repair floor/ceiling  
• Can be reconfigured easily  
• Supports any outlet configuration | • Not attractive  
• Obscures visibility across the checkpoint  
• Safety concern for high traffic areas  
• Difficult to install at checkpoints with high ceilings. | • Ceiling-supported power poles recommended for slab-on-grade checkpoints where floor trenching is not desired.  
• Floor-supported power poles recommended for AIT when there is passenger flow on both sides of the AIT. |
| 6    | Multiplex Surface Box | Surface mount cast box  
• 8-3/4”W x 6-3/4”D x 3”H, (2) 1-5/8” hole/outlet | • 7/8” hole in floor  
• 1/2” Rigid Galvanized Steel (RGS) floor penetration  
• Inexpensive  
• Easy to relocate and repair floor  
• Can be reconfigured easily  
• Limited structural impact to floor  
• Supports any outlet configuration | • Not flush ~ trip hazard  
• Floor X-ray required in order to avoid existing steel.  
• Not attractive  
• The plug is above floor level and can be knocked out. | • Recommended for slab on-grade checkpoints. |
| 7    | Flush, In-floor Box | Cast-in-place multi-gang box with Brass/Aluminum cover  
• 2”W x 4”D/outlet | • Completely flush installation  
• Blank cover plates can be used for inactivation.  
• Supports any outlet configuration.  
• Easy to retrofit in field if overall box can remain. | • 12” x 12” hole in floor  
• Very difficult to install in existing floors  
• Difficult to match existing terrazzo floor  
• Difficult to remove and repair floor  
• Cover plate doors break off.  
• Plug is above floor level and can be knocked out.  
• Difficult to keep clean  
• Structural evaluation is required for existing floors. | • Recommended for new terminals/checkpoints, or at checkpoints where the floor is being replaced. |
| 8    | Walkerduct | Walkerduct In-floor raceway system | • Provides flexibility for relocating SSCP power/data outlets.  
• Best suited for new checkpoints/terminals. | • Requires careful layout and coordination to obtain the desired flexibility features.  
• Can only be used for new checkpoint or when checkpoint is closed for a period of time.  
• Limits the location to anchor equipment  
• High cost. | • Recommended for existing airport building shell renovations and new SSCP construction with close coordination with OSC and A&E firm. |
| 9    | Self-Supporting Truss | Truss raceway support system | • Self-supporting and freestanding  
• Structurally strong  
• Modular and flexible  
• Re-useable components  
• Easy, quick installations/removal  
• No floor penetrations required.  
• Provides support for power and data raceways in SSCP where there is no available ceiling access and/or floor cutting/drilling is not permissible. | • Non-aesthetic; architectural treatment may be needed.  
• Structural evaluation required  
• Requires raceways for SSCP power/data outlets  
• High cost. | • Recommended for SSCP retrofits where there is no available ceiling access and/or floor cutting/drilling is not permissible. |
4.4 POWER/ DATA CONFIGURATIONS

Checkpoint equipment can be fed by a power/data device configured to support one or several pieces of equipment. As the device gets larger, more equipment can be supported; however, as the device gets larger, the floor core gets larger which often becomes a roadblock with the airport and/or the permit authority. When designing a checkpoint with any of the electrical distributions/devices described previously, the configuration of the device should be indicated on the drawings so that the contractor knows the combination of receptacles, data jacks, and connectors needed to support equipment located together.

A physical example of the impacts of using different devices is graphically illustrated in Figure 4-9 through Figure 4-11. The details show how additional devices may be needed in order to achieve the same configuration. Both figures represent how the airport or AHJ may be convinced to use the larger poke-through to support the most equipment in order to reduce the number of holes in the floor. However, they may request a structural analysis to evaluate any impacts before final approval is granted.
### TYPICAL - (1) 7-1/2-INCH FLUSH

**Plan View**
- 7 1/2" Dia. Poke-Through Flush Devices
- (2) CAT 5e/6 Data Ports
- 5-20R Simplex Receptacle

**Elevation**
- Floor Slab
- Juncion Box
- NOTE: 3" TO 4" FLOOR CORES REQUIRED.

### TYPICAL - (1) FLOOR-TO-CEILING RACEWAY

**Plan View**
- Power Pole
- Front
- Back
- Floor Surface
- Ceiling Surface

**Elevation**
- (1) Power/Data Pole
- (4) CAT5e/6 Data Ports
- (2) Blanks

**NOTE:** NO FLOOR CORES REQUIRED. Requires opening in ceiling with junction boxes above ceiling.
Figure 4-10  Device Comparison (Continued)

TYPICAL - (2) MODULAR

TYPICAL - (2) MADE-UP

TYPICAL (1) MULTIPLEX

NOTE: (2) 7/8" FLOOR CORES REQUIRED.

NOTE: (2) 3" FLOOR CORES REQUIRED.
Figure 4-11  Device Comparison (Continued)

TYPICAL- (1) FLUSH/CAST-IN-PLACE

In-Floor Boxes

(1) CAST-IN-PLACE FLUSH FLOOR BOX

(1) L5-15R SIMPLEX RECEPTACLE
(2) 5-20R DUPLEX RECEPTACLES

(8) CAT5E/6 DATA PORTS

FLOOR BOX BELOW FLOOR SURFACE IN SLAB

(2) LEVELING SCREWS

FLOOR SLAB

(1) CAST-IN-PLACE FLUSH FLOOR BOX

FLOOR BOX Poured INTO SLAB

PLAN VIEW

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4.5 POWER/ DATA PLANS

Figure 4-12 shows the recommended power/data layout for SSCP Standard Arrangement. These graphics show the approximate locations and of various devices that can be used to support multiple TSE. Recessed, flush, and surface devices are represented by the purple hexagon. Most of these devices are concealed under equipment with enough clearance for the height of the device and the plug. The truly flush recessed device is shown at the required three locations mentioned previously and is represented by the orange symbol. Power poles are represented by a red square or a blue oval. Only one type of distribution should be chosen. The power poles should only be designed when the checkpoint is slab-on-grade or the preferred distribution is via power pole. The 36” floor-supported power pole should only be used for the AIT when there is passenger flow on both sides of the AIT from an ADA Gate or WTMD when a ceiling-supported power pole is not possible or feasible. Every attempt should be made to locate receptacles under the lanes to feed the lanes and all infield equipment; however, this is not always possible. In some cases, the L3 AIT can be rotated 180 degrees in order to locate the electrical control leg adjacent to a receptacle located under the infeed or the outfeed of the AT unit. Group power/data circuits within the same device as applicable to limit the number of floor coring required. Each TSE does not need a separate power/data device however, avoid any possible passenger and/or TSO trip hazards from power/data cords.

The SSCP Standard Arrangement shows the power/data receptacles either under the infeed queuing conveyor or under the HSC depending on where the infield equipment is located. Each lane shall be equipped with the data cabling for an AT X-ray, queuing conveyor, WTMD, AIT, and co-located ETD regardless of which equipment the lane serves. Each lane shall be equipped with the power cabling for an AT X-ray, queuing conveyor, WTMD, AIT, and co-located ETD regardless of which lane the equipment serves. Even though the case may exist where equipment is not installed at a lane within the module set, the electrical/data devices as described are required on all lanes to allow TSA the flexibility to move TSE from one lane to another. Care needs to be given to the location of recessed, flush, or surface devices so that they are able to support future arrangements.
1. Each lane shall have electrical/data device(s) to serve at X-Ray, queuing conveyor, WTMD, AIT, and co-located ETD.
2. Refer to Section 2 for specific electrical device location.
3. Electrical devices are not shown to scale.
4. Choose either floor or power pole device distribution.
4.6 CCTV REQUIREMENTS

Cameras are not mandatory at an SSCP, but they do increase the level of security. Cameras deter theft, reduce claims, provide data in resolving issues, and capture visual records of suspicious activity. They are particularly helpful at unmanned or closed checkpoints. The number of cameras to add will vary depending on the size of the checkpoint, obstructions within the checkpoint, lighting, and the quality of the CCTV system. A sufficient number of cameras should be added to cover each lane, all secondary screening areas, and co-located exit lanes. Figure 4-15 indicates the recommended CCTV coverage areas of the SSCP. Cameras should not intrude on passenger privacy by locating them in Private Screening Rooms. Cameras should be positioned to show the front view of a person’s face and any other identifying characteristics.

TSA prefers CCTV design as an extension of an existing facility security system within the airport. When CCTV is part of an extended system, the equipment should match the existing hardware in order to minimize maintenance costs and provide operator familiarity. Storage and retrieval of video footage will need to be determined on a site-by-site basis. The existing facility security system should provide a minimum of 30 days of recording. Local TSA and law enforcement should be able to access the system at or near the checkpoint. The security system should have a means to maintain an accurate system time. When a CCTV system exists, it is shared between the airport, law enforcement, and local TSA. Sometimes construction documents by the CCTV Owner’s designer or some other designated firm are required to indicate the CCTV system scope of work required to relocate or add cameras to support the checkpoint reconfiguration or additional new equipment. These documents are typically full sized and consist of the following:

- CCTV System Demolition indicating components to remain or be removed. Also includes a CCTV camera schedule indicating the focus, aim, mounting, and applicable remarks for each existing CCTV camera.
- New CCTV System Installation indicating components to remain or to be provided as new. Also includes CCTV camera schedule indicating the focus, aim, mounting, relocation, disposition, and type for each new CCTV camera.

These drawings are not typically provided by TSA, but they are part of a checkpoint construction contract. TSA provides the operational requirements from the local FSD that provides enough detail for the system to meet the needs of the program. A typical operational requirement is “provide a view of people entering and exiting a WTMD with enough detail to recognize the person and any object they may be carrying”. Specific questions on the generation of requirements should be directed to the ASP program at: ost_asp_video_surveillance@tsa.dhs.gov.

Refer to the TSA Recommended Security Guidelines for Airport Planning, Design and Construction, Part III for additional information. For CCTV systems that are extensions of existing building systems, a cost reimbursement program may be available through OSC.

Typical camera coverage is shown in Figure 4-15. All camera coverage details need to be discussed with TSA HQ; specific coverage requirements cannot be detailed in the CDG.
Figure 4-13  Recommended CCTV Coverage
4.7 LIGHTING REQUIREMENTS

Lighting requirements for a new checkpoint should meet local and/or national codes and ideally meet the minimum luminance level of 30 foot-candles (fc) as defined by ANSI/IESNA RP-104. In some cases this requirement may be higher when the minimum is set by local building codes. TSA does not provide overhead lighting. The airport is expected to provide sufficient overhead lighting to support the screening functions at the checkpoint. On occasion, TSA may fund overhead lighting modifications when the existing overhead light fixtures need to be relocated or added due to a significant checkpoint reconfiguration or a conflict with equipment. This should be negotiated during the early planning stages of the checkpoint design.

Additional lighting may be required for a CCTV system at the checkpoint. This lighting should be provided by the group funding and maintaining the CCTV system. Refer to Section 4.6 regarding additional information on CCTV.
5.0 SAFETY

SSCPs must screen passengers and their carry-on baggage without compromising the safety of either the passengers or the TSOs conducting the screening. Safety requirements and safety-related considerations must be built into the SSCP design from the beginning and should be treated as an integral part of the design process. The standard checkpoint layouts in this document are intended to provide good starting points, but safety Subject Matter Experts (SMEs) should be included in every phase of the design to provide input on concept plans and/or construction drawing packages.

Particular safety issues related to equipment or layouts that are likely to arise in the course of SSCP design are discussed within the appropriate sections within this document; however, this document is not intended to provide an exhaustive list of such issues. Safety experts from each discipline should review all available sources of information, such as best practices, Technical Notes, Job Aids, OSHA/OSHE requirements, and TSO injury data to ensure that the most current knowledge is incorporated into each SSCP design.

The SSCP equipment, including PSRs, must meet all local code requirements and/or ASHRAE standards for heating, ventilation, and air conditioning. When checkpoints are located outside, the AHJ should be consulted. Indoor air temperature and relative humidity levels should be maintained at a comfortable level based on the occupancy, size, and exposure of the SSCP. Air quality should be monitored at the checkpoint to prevent the build-up of carbon dioxide from human respiration and to minimize odors. As checkpoints are designed and reconfigured, the Airport Authority may need to rebalance the airport HVAC system and/or evaluate and update the HVAC preventative maintenance procedures.
## 6.0 APPENDIX A - SSCP TERMINOLOGY

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<td>fc</td>
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7.0 APPENDIX B - CHECKLIST & LESSONS LEARNED

The following items have been identified as common oversights during checkpoint design and lessons learned during design and construction. All test fits and drawings should be carefully reviewed for the following issues before submission. Please contact your OSC contact for additional guidance and review.
7.1. QC PLAN CHECKLIST

The following is a checklist of useful design components found during coordination with TSA and A&E designers. Some of these items have been annotated on Figure 7-1.

- Use only TSA AutoCAD blocks in drawing production (not shown in Figure 7-1.)
- Place barrier between all WTMDs and X-Ray infeed conveyors.
- Place 1'-0" barrier adjacent to the ADA gate/AIT positions.
- Place WTMD 1'-6" beyond the infeed conveyor to avoid passenger backflow after bag placement.
- Place ADA gate with proper entrance and exit clearances. At parallel lanes, the ADA gate is close to the WTMD with the trailing edge of the ADA gate “plate” aligned with the leading edge of the entrance ramp to the AIT.
- Place two wanding mats at the AIT exit and one wanding mat per lane near the ETD table. Wanding areas use stanchions in lieu of glass unless the existing glass is to remain.
- Center AVS/ETD/BLS on the operator’s side of the TSA aisle.
- Place AIT exit ahead of high speed conveyor exit unless directed otherwise.
- Position AVS closer to the extension roller or MDR than the ETD/BLS.
- Show TSA access gate swing toward TSA, not toward passenger divest.
- Face AVS front toward the TSA work aisle.
- When passenger flow is on both sides of the AIT, provide a 36" power pole electrical device instead of a floor electrical device (not shown.)
- Ensure checkpoint ceiling height(s) and floor slope(s) are indicated on each sheet as required.

TSA infield screening equipment is measured from the X-Ray Reference Point (XRP), which is front passenger side corner of the AT1 or AT2 X-Ray.

Provide the dimensions as shown in Figure 7-2 for equipment as follows:

- X-Ray Reference Point (XRP) to dimensional reference point tied to building structure
- XRP to XRP of all X-Rays
- Operator side X-Ray dome to dome or dome to wall
- Roller to roller, roller to wall, MDR to MDR, MDR to wall
- X and Y dimensions of WTMD to XRP or wall/column
- XRP to entrance of AIT body (not ramp), XRP/wall/column to edge of AIT on both sides
- Last composure roller to edge of AVS table
- X and Y centerline dimensions of all AVS/ETD/BLS locations
- X and Y centerline dimensions of all TDC/CAT Podiums
Use only TSA AutoCAD blocks in drawing production (not shown in Figure 7-1.)

1. Place barrier between all WTMDs and X-Ray infeed conveyors.
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6. Center AVS/ETD/BLS on the operator’s side of the TSA aisle.
7. Place AIT exit ahead of high speed conveyor exit unless directed otherwise.
8. Position AVS closer to the extension roller or MDR than the ETD/BLS.
9. Show TSA access gate swinging toward TSA, not toward passenger diver.
10. Face AVS front toward the TSA work aisle.

When passenger flow is on both sides of the AIT, provide a 36” power pole electrical device instead of a floor electrical device (not shown.)

Figure 7-1  Checklist Examples
Figure 7-2  Minimal Dimensional Criteria

Figure 7-2 Minimal Dimensional Criteria

LEGEND

A = X-Ray Reference Point (XRP) to dimensional reference point tied to building structure
B = XRP to XRP of all X-Rays
C = Operator side X-Ray dome to dome or dome to wall
D = Roller to roller, roller to wall, MDR to MDR, MDR to wall
E = X and Y dimensions of WTMD to XRP or wall/column
F = XRP to entrance of AIT body (not ramp), XRP/wall/column to edge of AIT on both sides
G = Last composite roller to edge of AVS table
H = X and Y centerline dimensions of all AVS/ETD/BLS locations
I = X and Y centerline dimensions of all TDC/CAT Podiums

X-Ray Reference Point (XRP) to dimensional reference point tied to building structure
XRP to XRP of all X-Rays
Operator side X-Ray dome to dome or dome to wall
Roller to roller, roller to wall, MDR to MDR, MDR to wall
X and Y dimensions of WTMD to XRP or wall/column
XRP to entrance of AIT body (not ramp), XRP/wall/column to edge of AIT on both sides
Last composite roller to edge of AVS table
X and Y centerline dimensions of all AVS/ETD/BLS locations
X and Y centerline dimensions of all TDC/CAT Podiums
7.2. LESSONS LEARNED

The following is a brief list of lessons learned during design and construction of a TSA security checkpoint. This list should be reviewed during design to limit unforeseen conflicts occurring during checkpoint designs, construction practices, and coordination between stakeholders.

- AIT power leg should be installed on sterile side of module set for TSO emergency shut off location
- Verify all X-Rays have the correct handedness on the drawings, bump out reconfigurations can be difficult on-site
- Notify TSA if IT cabinet is to be modified, determine if IT cabinet is operated by TSA or Airport Authority
- Validate location of all existing electrical devices below equipment, mats, etc. and indicate on electrical floor plan
- Verify ceiling heights, ceiling types, and ceiling height transitions at all checkpoint before indicating equipment installation
- Verify slope transitions
- Design placement of WTMD on a rigid area of the floor, away from columns and other possible locations with vibration and/or electrical current
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8.0 APPENDIX C - STANDARD EQUIPMENT DIMENSIONAL CRITERIA

The intent of the section is to illustrate multiple checkpoint layouts with different manufacturers’ equipment. The following figures represent the minimum dimensional requirements for passengers and screeners operating an effective checkpoint. This should be used as a guide when designing not only one or two lane checkpoints, but also the placement of equipment for multiple lanes. There are a wide variety of possibilities and all may not be shown in this section.

Rapiscan AT X-rays (RATs), Smiths AT X-rays (SATs) and L3 AT X-rays (LATs) can be installed with the different bump out configurations in relation to other checkpoint equipment, specifically the AIT and WTMD. RATs and SATs have the capability to have both left and right hand bump outs, LATs are only left hand bump out configurations.

The figures each have a naming convention that describes first the model of the AT X-ray, second the model of the AIT, and third a numbering system. For example: RAT.LAIT.1.1 refers to a Rapiscan AT X-ray with an L3 AIT; SAT.LAIT.1.1 refers to a Smiths AT X-ray with an L3 AIT.
8.1 RAPISCAN AT X-RAY LAYOUTS

Figure 8-1  Single Lane Rapiscan AT Layouts

RAT.LAIT.1.1
Not To Scale

RAT.LAIT.1.2
Not To Scale
Figure 8-2  Two Lane Rapiscan AT Layouts
Figure 8-3  Two Lane Rapiscan AT Layouts

RAT.LAIT.2.3
Not To Scale

RAT.LAIT.3.1
Not To Scale
Figure 8-4 Two Lane Rapiscan AT Layouts
8.2 SMITHS AT X-RAY LAYOUTS

Figure 8-5  Single Lane Smiths AT Layouts
Figure 8-6  Two Lane Smiths AT Layouts
Figure 8-7  Two Lane Smiths AT Layouts
Figure 8-8  Two Lane Smiths AT Layouts

SAT.LAIT.3.2
Not To Scale

SAT.LAIT.3.3
Not To Scale
8.3  L3 AT X-RAY LAYOUTS

Figure 8-9  Single Lane L3 AT Layouts
Figure 8-10  Two Lane L3 AT Layouts
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9.0 APPENDIX D - LEGACY ITEMS

The following items are no longer being incorporated into updated checkpoint designs. It is possible that some of these legacy items exist in the field as part of previous layouts, but future use of these systems is not approved.
9.1 CARRY-ON BAG SCREENING (SEE SECTION 2.5)

9.1.1 Threat Image Projection (TIP) Ready X-Ray (TRX)

Until recently, the TRX was the most common type of X-ray equipment deployed at SSCP’s. The TRX may be present in airports, but is no longer actively deployed. Figure 9-1 displays the two most common TRX vendors. These units come in two sizes. The smaller size is used almost exclusively for all lanes. The other size is for larger carry-on baggage such as strollers, infant car seats, etc. This larger size is typically installed in just one lane of the checkpoint, if at all.

The TRX comes in a Right Hand (RH) or Left Hand (LH) orientation. The “hand” is dependant on where the TRX operator sits when standing on the non-sterile side of the TRX looking at the infeed tunnel. A TRX is a RH unit when the operator is sitting on the right side of the dome. The dome is where the “brain” of the system is located. It is the rectangular shaped portion of the TRX where the bag X-ray occurs. A TRX is a LH unit when the operator is sitting on the left side of the dome. The orientation can be changed easily in the field by the manufacturer should a different hand be required when rearranging the checkpoint.

TRX units typically come with composure/extension rollers and/or exit rollers. Extension rollers are located between the HSC and the exit roller. An exit roller is the same as a composure/extension roller but it is the last roller of the TRX and it has a bag stop at the end. Some of the TRX extension and exit rollers are compatible with the AT X-ray. Only compatible extension rollers should be used. The AT X-ray and composure/extension rollers are discussed further in other sections. Detailed specifications of the TRX units are included in Figure 9-2 and Figure 9-3.

**Figure 9-1** TRX Units
## Legacy Items

### Figure 9-2  TRX - Rapiscan

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Equipment</th>
<th>Quantity</th>
<th>Power Requirements</th>
<th>IT Requirements</th>
<th>Additional Information</th>
</tr>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Rapiscan 520B</td>
<td>1 lane</td>
<td>- Dedicated</td>
<td>- Data Drops = 2</td>
<td>- Composure length can be increased by adding one or more Rapiscan 1m (3'-3&quot;) extension rollers between the HSC and the exit roller.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Rapiscan 522B</td>
<td></td>
<td>- 20A, 125V, 1200VA/ unit</td>
<td>- Cat5e / Cat6 cable</td>
<td>- Rapiscan 520B and 522B units are no longer being purchased by TSA.</td>
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<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>- 2-Pole, 3-Wire Grounding</td>
<td>- The cable length from the termination point in the IT cabinet to the TRX data outlet shall not exceed 295'.</td>
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<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>- NEMA 5-20R Duplex Receptacle</td>
<td></td>
<td>- Weight:</td>
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<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>- 15' power cord from the TRX the receptacle</td>
<td></td>
<td>- Rapiscan 520B: 1,232 lbs.</td>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>- Data Drops = 2</td>
<td></td>
<td>- Rapiscan 522B: 1,367 lbs.</td>
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### Dimensions

- **Scanning Belt**: 102.0" (109.5")
- **Dome Length**: 47.3"
- **Exit Roller**: 72.6"
- **Table Width**: 25.1" (32.6")
- **Acceptable Area for Receded, Flush, or Surface Device**: 6" x 65.2"
- **Preferred Alternate Location of Receded, Flush, or Surface Device**: 6" x 65.2"
- **Preferred Alternate Area for Receded, Flush, or Surface Device**: 6" x 65.2"
- **Preferred Location of Receded, Flush, or Surface Device**: 6" x 65.2"
- **Acceptable Locations of Power Pole on Operator Side of X-ray Unit**: 18.0" x 30.0"
- **Plan View**
  - Reference Point: 27.4" (31.1")
  - Dome Width: 33.1" (41.3")
  - Tunnel Height: 25.2" (29.5")
  - Tunnel Width: 25.2" (29.5")
- **Elevation**
  - Passenger Flow: 30.0" x 30.0"
  - Table Height: 6" x 65.2"
  - Dome Height: 53.0" (58.1")
  - Tunnel Height: 25.2" (29.5")
  - Keyboard: 7.0"
- **Side View**
  - Power Cord Connection IT Cabinet Connection: 30.0" x 30.0"
**Legacy Items**

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<tr>
<td>Smiths 6040i</td>
<td>1 per lane</td>
<td>• Dedicated</td>
<td>• Data Drops = 2</td>
<td>• Composure length can be increased by adding one or more Smiths 48&quot; or 72&quot; extension rollers between the HSC and the exit roller.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Smiths 7555i</td>
<td></td>
<td>• 20A, 125V, 800VA/ unit</td>
<td>• Cat5e / Cat6 cable</td>
<td>• Smiths 6040i and 7555i units are no longer being purchased by TSA.</td>
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<td>• 15' power cord from the TRX the receptacle</td>
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<td>&gt; Smiths 6040i: 882 lbs.</td>
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<td>&gt; Smiths 7555i: 1,279 lbs.</td>
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**Note:** Dimensions shown are for the Smiths 6040i and 7555i. Where values differ, dimensions for the 7555i are shown in (parenthesis).

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### Figure 9-3  TRX - Smiths

- **Preferred Alternate Location of Recessed, Flush, or Surface Device:**
  - Infeed: 31.8" (45.9")
  - Dome: 45.4" (50.0")
  - Preferred Alternate Area for Recessed, Flush, or Surface Device: 3" (3"

- **Acceptable Alternate Area for Recessed, Flush, or Surface Device:**
  - 36.0" (67.6")

- **Preferred Alternate Location of Power Pole on Operator Side of X-ray Unit:**
  - 48.0" (60.0")

- **Acceptable Location of Power Pole on Operator Side of X-ray Unit:**
  - 48.0" (78.0")

- **Acceptable Area for Recessed, Flush, or Surface Device:**
  - 36.0" (60.0")

- **Plan View:**
  - Entrance Roller: 24.0"
  - Scanning Belt: 110.8" (129.0")
  - High Speed Conveyor (HSC): 48.0" (60.0")
  - Exit Roller: 80.0" (78.0")

- **Elevation:**
  - Passenger Flow: 27.0" (55.0")
  - Alarm Bag Cutout (ABC): 24.5"
  - Bag Stop: 14.0" (19.4")
  - Power Cord Connection IT Cabinet Connection: 50.5" (56.0")

- **Side View:**
  - Tunnel Width: 34.4" (30.0")
  - Dome Height: 14.5" (19.4")
  - Key Board: 12.0"
9.2 PASSENGER CONTAINMENT & INSPECTION (SEE SECTION 2.11)

9.2.1 Passenger Containment (J3)

Passenger containment at the screening lanes can be achieved by using either a J3 glass kit. Figure 9-4 reflects the dimensions of the J3. The J3 kit is referred to as a holding station because it can “hold” up to three alarmed passengers simultaneously until a TSO becomes available to escort the passenger to the secondary screening area. The J3 kit is constructed of clear, modular 4'-0” wide by 6'-0” high glass panels with a 3'-0” door that can be latched on the outside by TSA.

A passenger diverted to the holding station has alarmed the WTMD, or the passenger was unable to traverse the WTMD because he/she is in a wheelchair or has a pacemaker. The holding station must be positioned near the WTMD so that passengers can be diverted directly into it without obstructing the path of passengers who were successfully cleared through the WTMD. The holding station must also prevent the passage of prohibited items from passengers in the holding station to cleared passengers in the sterile area. Checkpoints that are narrow and deep are ideal for holding stations.

Figure 9-4  J3
9.2.2 Passenger Inspection (N3)
Passenger inspection at the screening lanes can be achieved by using an N3 glass kit. Figure 9-5 reflects the dimensions of this kit. This kit is referred to as a holding/inspection station because it can “hold” up to two alarmed passengers simultaneously for inspections or pat downs. Sometimes passenger inspection mats are located inside this kit. A checkpoint can be designed with inspection kits at every lane, or it can have a combination of both containment and inspection kits. This will depend on the space available and any existing obstructions. This kit is constructed of clear, modular 4'-0" wide by 6'-0" high glass panels with a 3'-0" door that can be latched on the outside by TSA.

A passenger who is diverted to the holding/inspection station has alarmed the WTMD, or is unable to traverse the WTMD because he/she is in a wheelchair or has a pacemaker. The holding/inspection station must be positioned near the WTMD so that passengers can be diverted directly into it without obstructing the path of passengers who were successfully cleared through the WTMD. The holding/inspection station must also prevent the passage of prohibited items from passengers in the holding/inspection station to cleared passengers in the sterile area. Checkpoints that are wide and deep are ideal for holding/inspection stations.

Figure 9-5 N3
9.3 POWER/ DATA PLANS (SEE SECTION 4.5)

Figure 9-6 Arrangement 1 Power/ Data Plan

**LEGEND**
- A: RECESSED, Flush, or Surface Device
- A: TRULY FLUSH RECESSED DEVICE
- A: WALL-MOUNTED, RECESSED, FLUSH, SURFACE, OR POWER POLE DEVICE
- A: POWER POLE

**NOTES**
1. LETTER SUBSCRIPT DENOTES CONFIGURATION IN FIGURE 4-6.
2. REFER TO SECTION 2 FOR SPECIFIC ELECTRICAL DEVICE LOCATION.
3. ELECTRICAL DEVICES ARE NOT SHOWN TO SCALE.
4. CHOOSE EITHER FLOOR OR POWER POLE DEVICE DISTRIBUTION.
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Figure 9-7  Arrangement 2a Power/ Data Plan

PLAN VIEW

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Figure 9-8  Arrangement 3a Power/Data Plan

LEGEND

- **A**  RECESSED, FLUSH, OR SURFACE DEVICE
- **A**  TRULY FLUSH RECESSED DEVICE
- **A**  POWER POLE
- **A**  POWER POLE: 36" FLOOR-SUPPORTED POWER POLE WHERE CEILING-SUPPORTED POWER POLE IS NOT FEASIBLE
- **A**  WALL-MOUNTED, RECESSED, FLUSH, SURFACE, OR POWER POLE DEVICE

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3. ELECTRICAL DEVICES ARE NOT SHOWN TO SCALE.
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Figure 9-9  Arrangement 3b Power/Data Plan

**LEGEND**

- **A** RECESSED, FLUSH, OR SURFACE DEVICE
- **A** TRULY FLUSH RECESSED DEVICE
- **A** WALL-MOUNTED, RECESSED, FLUSH, SURFACE, OR POWER POLE DEVICE
- **A** POWER POLE

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