Warm mix asphalt mixture using modified asbuton semi extraction modify and synthetic zeolite additive

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Abstract. Modifying asphalt aims to improve the performance of the asphalt pavement construction as indicated by increased resistance to permanent deformation and fatigue crack. Asbuton Semi Extraction is one of the materials that can be used for asphalt modification. The addition of Asbuton semi-extraction increases the value of Bitumen Stability Modulus, resistance to permanent deformation and can also increase the asphalt PG value, but require a higher temperature for mixing and compaction. The high temperatures for the manufacture of asphalt mixtures require considerable energy at a more expensive cost and will result in large emissions. The asphalt mixing technology currently being developed is Asphalt Warm Mix, that is asphalt mixture with mixing temperature below 1500⁰C. One method is to use zeolite additives. The asphalt mixture with the addition of synthetic zeolite can be prepared by mixing and compaction temperatures lower than 30⁰C of the hot mixture. From the Marshall test, it is known that zeolite addition of 0.3% of the total weight of the mixture gives the characteristic values of the asphalt mixture which still meets the requirements of the specification used. Increased zeolite levels minimize the value of mixed resistance to the immersion indicated by the IRS Marshall value.

1 Introduction

Modified asphalt and asphalt mixtures aim to improve the performance of flexible pavement construction. Material for modification and asphalt modification results are acceptable if, material is available and accessible to obtain, resistant or not degraded at the temperature of bitumen mixing, thoroughly mixed with bitumen, improves resistance to flow at high surface temperatures without making mixtures too viscous at mixing and compacting temperatures or too stiff at low and cost-effective surface temperatures. One of the requirements of asphalt modification acceptable and applied is that it must have an impact on the service life of the pavement indicated by increased resistance to permanent deformation and fatigue in simulative experiments [1]. Besides polymer, Asbuton is one of the materials that can be used for asphalt modification [2].

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Buton Rock Asphalt is natural rock asphalt from Buton Island, Northwest Sulawesi, Indonesia and it is named locally as Asphalt Buton or Asbuton. The consistency of its bitumen varies from low to high penetration grades. The deposits are located in different places along the island. Total Asbuton deposits on the island are estimated at 677,247,000 tons [3]. Until late 1990s Asbuton was used extensively in its natural state as a surfacing layer for existing road pavements in the highway maintenance and betterment programmed in Indonesia. Use of these materials was then suspended by the Directorate General of Highways, due to “underestimated” performance of the mix, as mentioned above. On the other hand, extensive maintenance and betterment of the Indonesian road network involve the use of huge quantities of bitumen-bound materials. Given the relatively high cost of petroleum asphalt, much of which is imported from another country, and the existence within the country of large resources of rock asphalt, the outcome of the research of natural rock asphalt becomes significantly crucial for those involved in the highway maintenance programs [4].

One of Asbuton processing results is semi-extraction Asbuton which is produced by separating between bitumen and mineral Asbuton, then some of the mineral content is discarded, and produce Asbuton with a lower mineral content than the original [5]. Semi-extraction Asbuton can be easily mixed with petroleum asphalt because it has experienced the breaking of the mineral bond with its bitumen through extraction [6]. The use of semi-extraction Asbuton is now as a pre-blended Asbuton, which is a mixture of semi-extraction Asbuton with petroleum asphalt Pen 60 or 80 with a specific composition at 155°C to produce modified asphalt with the desired characteristics. Pre-blended Asbuton is a type of Asbuton utilization technology that is currently considered most promising for use as a binder on asphalt mixtures [7]. The method of pre-blended Asbuton in asphalt mixtures can improve resilient modulus [8], increase the resilience of asphalt mixtures to water [8, 9] and increase the strength of asphalt mixtures to high temperatures [8]. The use of Retona® one type of Asbuton pre-blended as an asphalt modification can improve the service life of pavement with the heavy load [2]. Modification of asphalt with Asbuton semi extraction in the form of pellets as much as 20% of asphalt weight gave the advantage of increasing the resistance of the asphalt mixture to fatigue. Asphalt modification with semi extraction Asbuton is more elastic and less viscous when compared with asphalt without Asbuton modification [10]. Asphalt modification Asbuton semi extraction requires higher mixing and compaction temperatures than on petroleum asphalt [11], suggests mixing temperatures using asphalt modification Asbuton semi-extraction is 170-176°C and compacting temperature 155-162°C [12], stated that the ideal mixing temperature was at 170°C, and compaction temperature of 156°C. The high temperature required for mixing and compaction of the asphalt mixture indeed requires considerable energy at a higher cost and will also produce significant emissions.

One of the asphalt mixture technologies that are being developed lately is Warm Mix Asphalt (WMA), which is an asphalt mixture with mixing temperatures below 150°C [13]. The process used in making warm mixed asphalt is a double coating, foam asphalt, and the use of some additives such as zeolite, or organic additives such as paraffin or other types of wax. However, all have the same primary purpose, namely to reduce the viscosity of asphalt to be able to be produced, transported and spread and compacted at lower temperatures without reducing mixed quality and workability. Asphalt this warm mixture due to fewer emissions and a reduction in costs due to less energy use [14], facilitating the process of mixing and compaction, even in unfavorable climatic conditions [13]. Also, the production of lower temperatures also means slowing aging binder or asphalt, and regarding workability, the reduced viscosity helps the aggregates to be coated more efficiently [14, 15].
One of the most common WMA techniques is the addition of synthetic zeolite to the asphalt mix; it is by using the easiness of the additive storing and handling operation. Furthermore, conventional mix plants do not endure for the synthetic zeolite, available in granular form, can be easily added to the mix utilizing an external dosage device. Meager quantities of material (about 0.3% of the total aggregates weight) are used in the mixing process [16]. Zeolite is a group of alumina-silicate fractures that occur in nature with high cation exchange capacity, high adsorption, and hydration-dehydration. Water can be trapped in the zeolite structure of 18-21% of the weight of the zeolite. The trapped water can evaporate in the asphalt mixing process, and the water vapor will form the foam with asphalt so that the asphalt viscosity value can be achieved at lower temperatures than the temperature of the hot asphalt mixture [17]. A previous study [13] states that the best release of moisture content is zeolite particles releasing moisture in several stages rather than at once. The gradual release process takes place within a period of six or seven hours, during which time the optimum mixture workability and the temperature remains above 100°C. While [14] states water in the zeolite structure will evaporate if the heating reaches 85°C. Another researcher [16] indicates the use of synthetic zeolite can lower the temperature of making 30°C asphalt mixture lower than hot mix asphalt. Higher temperatures have an adverse effect on water sensitivity. The results obtained for the studied mixes confirm that a reduction of temperature by 30°C is possible when using zeolite without affecting asphalt mix performance.

This study investigates the feasibility of utilizing WMA with Asbuton semi-extraction modified asphalt mixtures and synthetic zeolite as an additive to lower the temperature of mixing and compaction. Test method is empirical testing with Marshall test. Characteristic Marshall of WMA specimens containing synthetic zeolite was analyzed and compared with HMA specimens.

2 Materials and methods

The material used in this research is petroleum asphalt penetration grade 60/70 Pertamina production, Asbuton semi extraction Retona® briquette type production of PT. Olah Bumi Mandiri as bitumen modification which is packed in sacks weighing 40 kg, Aspha-min® synthetic Zeolite additive, and processed aggregate PT. KADI International Karawang.

![Fig. 1. The aggregate gradation of AC-BC asphalt mixed refers to the Bina Marga 2010 3rd Revision Specification.](https://doi.org/10.1051/matecconf/201927603003)
asphalt properties, and asphalt mixtures. Asbuton briquettes are solved and then mixed into the asphalt pen 60/70 with a certain percentage and stirred there temperature +150°C for 30 minutes. In this study, the percentage of Asbuton semi-extraction usage is 15%, 20% and 25% of the total asphalt weight.

From the results of extraction testing on Asbuton briquettes with a Soxhlet, it is known that the mineral content of Asbuton is 60.05% and Bitumen is 39.95%. The sieve analysis was analyzed on Asbuton mineral extracted and obtained a finer particle content of 150 microns of 92.97%, (see Table 1). In this study, Asbuton mineral is calculated as part of the aggregate-asphalt mixture. The result of the Asbuton mineral filter as the correction of the aggregate gradation used following the Asbuton content used.

| Sieve Size | % Passing |
|------------|-----------|
| No. 16     | 1.18      | 100.00    |
| No. 30     | 0.60      | 99.29     |
| No. 50     | 0.30      | 97.37     |
| No. 100    | 0.15      | 92.97     |
| No. 200    | 0.074     | 82.10     |

Rheological characteristics of the binder, i.e., complex modulus (G*) and phase angle (δ) were determined by using Dynamic Shear Rheometer (DSR). Four groups of the bituminous mixture with different binder composition were prepared. The binder of each group was: (i) all petroleum bitumen, (ii) blend of pen grade bitumen with 15% Asbuton semi extraction, (iii) blend of pen grade bitumen with 20% Asbuton semi extraction, and (iv) blend of pen grade bitumen with 25% Asbuton semi extraction. Variations in use of synthetic zeolite Aspha-min® were 0.3%, 0.6%, and 1.0% of the total weight of the asphalt mixture. WMA manufacturing temperature was 30°C, 20°C, and 10°C lower than Hot Mix Asphalt (HMA). HMA-making temperature is determined by values from the viscosity test.

3 Results and discussion

3.1 Properties asphalt modified asbuton semi extraction

The addition of semi-extraction Asbuton as bitumen modified material affects the bitumen properties. Test results of Asphalt pen grade as in Table 2 and modified asphalt properties with semi-extraction Asbuton as in Table 3. From the test results of asphalt properties, it is seen that the addition of Asbuton semi extraction decreases penetration value and increases the value of softening point. This indicates that the addition of semi-extraction Asbuton makes the modified asphalt harder than the 60/70 asphalt pen. The result of asphalt viscosity test also showed that the addition of semi extraction Asbuton increased the viscosity value of asphalt. The increase of viscosity value resulted in mixing, and compaction temperature also rose. The mixing and compaction temperatures of each type of asphalt are shown in Table 4.
Table 2. Characteristics of the petroleum asphalt pertamina 60/70 penetration grade.

| Characteristics                          | Standard test procedure | Test result | Spec. limit |
|------------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Penetration (25°C, 0.1 mm)               | ASTM D 5                | 66.7        | 60-70       |
| Softening point (C)                      | ASTM D 36               | 49.5        | Min. 48     |
| Viscosity at 65°C (Pa s)                 | ASTM D 4402             | 245.1       | 160-240     |
| Viscosity at 135°C (cSt)                 | AASHTO T 72-90          | 529.7       | Min. 300    |
| Ductility at 25°C, 5 cm/minute (cm)      | ASTM D 113              | > 100       | Min. 100    |
| Flash point (Cleveland Open Cup) (°C)    | ASTM D 92-02B           | 349         | Min. 232    |
| Solubility in Trichloroethylene (%)      | AASHTO T 44-03          | 99.87       | Min. 99     |
| Specific gravity                         | ASTM D 92               | 1.037       | Min. 1      |
| Loss on heating (TFOT) (163°C; 5 h) (%)  | ASTM D 1754             | 0.417       | Max. 0.8    |
| Retained penetration after TFOT (%)      | ASTM D 5                | 66.72       | Min. 54     |
| Viscosity at 65°C after TFOT (Pa s)      | ASTM D 4402             | 544         | Max. 800    |
| Ductility at 25°C, 5 cm/min after TFOT (cm) | ASTM D 113             | > 100       | Min 100     |

Table 3. Properties of modified asphalt properties with semi-extraction asbuton.

| Properties                          | Test Result          | Spec. limit |
|-------------------------------------|----------------------|-------------|
|                                     | 15% Asbuton | 20% Asbuton | 25% Asbuton |             |
| Penetration (25°C; 0.1 mm)          | 57.10        | 54.00       | 50.60       | Min. 50     |
| Softening point (C)                 | 54.25        | 55.00       | 56.75       | Min. 53     |
| Viscosity at 65°C (Pa s)            | 283.90       | 437.00      | 480.00      | 240-360     |
| Viscosity at 135°C (cSt)            | 614.76       | 636.56      | 776.08      | 385-2000    |
| Ductility at 25°C, 5 cm/minute (cm) | > 100        | > 100       | > 100       | Min. 100    |
| Flash point (Cleveland Open Cup) (°C)| 336.00      | 330.00      | 328.00      | Min. 232    |
| Specific gravity                    | 1.091        | 1.123       | 1.163       | Min. 1      |
| Loss on heating (TFOT) (163°C; 5 h) (%) | 0.044     | 0.073       | 0.066       | Max. 0.8    |
| Retained penetration after TFOT (%)  | 84.76        | 87.04       | 85.57       | Min. 54     |
| Viscosity at 65°C after TFOT (Pa s)  | 718          | 948         | 1070        | Max. 1200   |
| Ductility at 25°C, 5 cm/min after TFOT (cm) | > 100    | > 100       | > 100       | Min 50      |
Table 4. Temperature mixing and compaction for HMA of each type of asphalt.

| Asphalt Type                  | Mixing Temperature (°C) | Compacting Temperature (°C) |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Pen Grade Bitumen 60/70 (0% Asbuton) | 157                     | 147                         |
| Pen Grade Bitumen + 15% Asbuton | 163                     | 153                         |
| Pen Grade Bitumen + 20% Asbuton | 167                     | 157                         |
| Pen Grade Bitumen + 25% Asbuton | 170                     | 159                         |

3.2 The mechanistic properties of modified asphalt extraction semi asbuton

Temperature changes will affect the value of Slide Modulus of asphalt Complex. Viscoelastic properties of asphalt increased temperature will decrease the modulus of the asphalt complex as shown in Fig. 2.

![Fig. 2. Temperatures relationship with Complex Shear Modulus (G*) at variations additions asbuton semi extraction.](image)

![Fig. 3. Temperatures relationship with Phase Angle at variations additions asbuton semi extraction.](image)

To find out the proportion of elastic properties (G') with viscous (G'') properties of asphalt to temperature can be observed from the Phase Angle relationship to temperature as in Fig. 3. From these relationships, it can be seen that the value of Phase Angle which is an indication of the proportion of the value of Loss Modulus or the viscous nature of the asphalt will increase with the addition of temperature since the temperature increase will decrease the asphalt elastic part. The addition of semi-extraction Asbuton decrease the Angle Phase value, since the addition of semi-extraction Asbuton may increase the elastic part of the asphalt. Semi-extraction Asbuton addition increases the PG of asphalt, from PG...
67.5 on the asphalt pen 60/70, to PG 68.2 with 15\% Asbuton, and to PG 71 with 20\% Semi-extraction Asbuton, and to PG 72 with 25\% Extraction Asbuton.

### 3.3 Marshall properties hot mix asphalt modified asbuton semi extraction

Based on the weight of asphalt used, semi-extraction Asbuton addition level increases the optimum asphalt content (Table 6). However, concerning asphalt content in the mixture, the addition of Asbuton semi extraction decreases the optimum asphalt content. This occurs because Asbuton semi extraction mix contains Asbuton mineral which is considered as part of aggregate. At the optimum asphalt rate, the addition of semi extraction Asbuton decreases the void in the mixture (VIM) and the filled voids with bitumen (VFB).

Table 6. Marshall test results on optimum asphalt content conditions.

| Marshall properties                        | Pen grade asphalt | Asphalt modification with asbuton |
|-------------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------------|
|                                           | Test result       | Spec. limit                       | 15\% asbuton | 20\% asbuton | 25\% asbuton | Spec. limit |
| Asphalt mod. optimum cont. (%)            |                   |                                   | 5.65   | 5.69   | 5.84   |          |
| Pure asphalt optimum cont. (%)            | 5.29              | 5.14                              | 5.50   | 4.96   |          |          |
| Air Void in Mix (VIM) (%)                 | 3.963             | 4.748                             | 4.813  | 4.949  | 3-5     |          |
| Air Void in Aggregate (VMA) (%)           | 14.88 \(\text{Min. 14}\) | 15.655                             | 15.198 | 14.377 | Min. 14 |          |
| Void Filled Bitumen (VFB) (%)             | 73.38 \(\text{Min. 65}\) | 69.677                             | 68.357 | 65.578 | Min. 65 |          |
| Marshall stability (Kg)                   | 1331.3 \(\text{Min. 800}\) | 1884.3                             | 2077.3 | 2332.8 | Min. 1000 |          |
| Flow (mm)                                 | 3.830 \(\text{2-4}\) | 3.493                             | 3.350  | 3.333  | 2-4     |          |
| Marshall Quotient (Kg/mm)                 | 347.8             | 543.7                             | 621.1  | 707.3  |          |          |
| Index Retained Strength (IRS) (%)         | 96.60 \(\text{Min. 90}\) | 92.081                             | 91.143 | 84.205 | Min. 90 |          |

Voids between aggregates (VMA) of mix with addition of 15\% Asbuton extraction is higher than without addition of semi-extraction Asbuton. The value of VMA decreases with the increase of semi-extraction Asbuton. The addition of semi-extraction Asbuton increase stability and reduce the flow even though the flow rate decrease is not too significant. From the increase of stability and flow rate values, addition of semi-extraction Asbuton increases mix stiffness, which could be observed from the increase of Marshall quotient (MQ) value. To find out the magnitude of stiffness, it requires modulus testing. The results of residual stability tests after a 24-hour immersion at 60°C showed that the addition of Asbuton semi extraction decreased the Index Retained Strength (IRS). Addition of semi-extraction Asbuton 25\% produced the IRS value below the value required in the specification. From this result, the use of semi-extraction Asbuton as bitumen modification material is only effective up to 20\%.
3.4 Marshall properties warm mix asphalt with zeolite synthetic

The addition of zeolite to the asphalt mixture increased optimum asphalt content (OAC). The increase of optimum bitumen content along with the rise of zeolite addition. The lower

Table 7. The Marshall test result for asphalt mixture with the asphalt pen grade and Aspha-min® synthetic zeolite additive.

| Mixing temp (°C) | Zeolite content (%) | OAC (%) | Density (gr/cm³) | VIM (%) | VMA (%) | VFB (%) | Stabil. (Kg) | Flow (mm) | MQ (kg/mm) | IRS (%) |
|-----------------|---------------------|---------|------------------|---------|---------|---------|-------------|-----------|------------|---------|
| 157             | 0                   | 5.27    | 2.391            | 3.963   | 14.894  | 73.405  | 1327.9      | 3.830     | 346.9      | 96.62   |
| 127             | 0.3                 | 5.38    | 2.388            | 4.001   | 14.988  | 73.352  | 1315.2      | 3.300     | 400.7      | 91.22   |
|                 | 0.6                 | 5.40    | 2.389            | 3.952   | 14.882  | 73.472  | 1310.4      | 3.383     | 387.2      | 81.06   |
|                 | 1                   | 5.50    | 2.392            | 3.814   | 14.761  | 74.169  | 1180.3      | 3.480     | 384.8      | 46.36   |
| 137             | 0.3                 | 5.30    | 2.390            | 4.119   | 14.867  | 72.311  | 1530.2      | 3.467     | 446.7      | 94.88   |
|                 | 0.6                 | 5.39    | 2.390            | 4.018   | 14.835  | 73.006  | 1526.0      | 3.700     | 418.1      | 86.46   |
|                 | 1                   | 5.42    | 2.392            | 3.856   | 14.669  | 73.733  | 1521.8      | 3.750     | 411.4      | 76.73   |
| 147             | 0.3                 | 5.29    | 2.390            | 4.199   | 14.833  | 71.698  | 1774.7      | 3.750     | 471.2      | 95.72   |
|                 | 0.6                 | 5.33    | 2.391            | 4.070   | 14.743  | 72.393  | 1639.8      | 3.883     | 422.6      | 87.40   |
|                 | 1                   | 5.35    | 2.393            | 3.906   | 14.589  | 73.233  | 1574.1      | 3.900     | 404.8      | 83.56   |
| Spec. Limit     |                     |         |                  |         |         |         |             |           |            |         |
|                 | 3-5                 |         |                  |         |         |         |             |           | > 90       |         |

Table 8. The Marshall test result for asphalt mixture with the asphalt modification asbuton 15% and Aspha-min® synthetic zeolite additive.

| Mixing temp (°C) | Zeolite content (%) | OAC (%) | Density (gr/cm³) | VIM (%) | VMA (%) | VFB (%) | Stabil. (Kg) | Flow (mm) | MQ (kg/mm) | IRS (%) |
|-----------------|---------------------|---------|------------------|---------|---------|---------|-------------|-----------|------------|---------|
| 163             | 0                   | 5.65    | 2.376            | 4.748   | 15.757  | 69.874  | 1795.79     | 3.493     | 517.02     | 92.07   |
|                 | 0.3                 | 5.83    | 2.374            | 5.007   | 15.744  | 68.202  | 1677.76     | 3.900     | 430.49     | 92.80   |
|                 | 0.6                 | 5.90    | 2.378            | 4.942   | 15.651  | 68.460  | 1703.05     | 3.917     | 434.84     | 82.48   |
|                 | 1                   | 5.93    | 2.381            | 4.635   | 15.494  | 70.084  | 1724.86     | 3.957     | 436.06     | 50.74   |
| 143             | 0.3                 | 5.81    | 2.378            | 5.179   | 15.743  | 67.110  | 1683.19     | 3.733     | 451.62     | 95.54   |
|                 | 0.6                 | 5.88    | 2.380            | 5.021   | 15.642  | 67.904  | 1713.41     | 3.743     | 458.53     | 85.90   |
|                 | 1                   | 5.90    | 2.382            | 4.745   | 15.461  | 69.308  | 1746.82     | 3.817     | 457.78     | 69.93   |
| 153             | 0.3                 | 5.80    | 2.378            | 5.332   | 15.716  | 66.080  | 1691.07     | 3.660     | 464.29     | 96.27   |
|                 | 0.6                 | 5.85    | 2.381            | 5.182   | 15.582  | 66.756  | 1716.88     | 3.677     | 468.20     | 89.79   |
|                 | 1                   | 5.88    | 2.382            | 4.882   | 15.423  | 68.346  | 1776.39     | 3.777     | 470.95     | 87.44   |
| Spec. Limit     |                     | 3-5     |                  | > 14    | > 65    | > 1000  |             | 2-4       |            | > 90    |
mixing temperature of the required optimum bitumen content is higher. The reduction of mixing temperature to 30°C under HMA by the addition of synthetic zeolite yields a value of an asphalt mixture Marshall property still within the range of values required in the specification used. The lower mixing temperature of the optimum bitumen necessary content is higher. Increased synthetic zeolite saturation results in the value of the asphalt-pinned IRS were decreasing. With addition of 1.0% zeolite, the IRS value was below the required value. From the test results obtained that the addition of zeolite as much as 0.3% at temperature mixing 30°C under HMA still meet the requirements (Table 7-9).

Table 9. The Marshall test result for asphalt mixture with the asphalt modification asbuton 20% and Aspha-min® synthetic zeolite additive.

| Mixing temp. (°C) | Zeolite content (%) | OAC (%) | Density (gr/cm³) | VIM (%) | VMA (%) | VFB (%) | Stabil. (Kg) | Flow (mm) | MQ (Kg/mm) | IRS (%) |
|-----------------|---------------------|---------|-----------------|---------|---------|---------|-------------|-----------|------------|---------|
| 167             | 0                   | 5.69%   | 2.390           | 4.813   | 15.286  | 68.538  | 1879.81     | 3.350     | 561.38     | 91.15   |
| 137             | 0.3                 | 5.93%   | 2.359           | 4.712   | 16.501  | 71.475  | 1450.12     | 3.740     | 389.00     | 93.60   |
|                 | 0.6                 | 5.98%   | 2.378           | 4.380   | 15.776  | 72.235  | 1532.01     | 3.790     | 404.86     | 85.97   |
|                 | 1                   | 6.03%   | 2.382           | 3.967   | 15.555  | 74.497  | 1724.13     | 3.803     | 455.00     | 63.47   |
| 147             | 0.3                 | 5.91%   | 2.376           | 5.006   | 15.906  | 68.535  | 1690.40     | 3.787     | 445.44     | 94.01   |
|                 | 0.6                 | 5.96%   | 2.383           | 4.567   | 15.590  | 70.732  | 1724.13     | 3.873     | 445.36     | 91.44   |
|                 | 1                   | 6.00%   | 2.386           | 4.145   | 15.411  | 73.107  | 1911.29     | 3.890     | 494.16     | 82.05   |
| 157             | 0.3                 | 5.90%   | 2.386           | 5.182   | 15.536  | 66.659  | 1867.45     | 3.583     | 545.46     | 95.71   |
|                 | 0.6                 | 5.95%   | 2.391           | 4.743   | 15.288  | 68.981  | 1766.28     | 3.880     | 455.30     | 95.08   |
|                 | 1                   | 5.98%   | 2.396           | 4.258   | 15.023  | 71.704  | 1957.88     | 3.880     | 505.59     | 88.49   |
| Spec. Limit     |                     |         |                 |         | 3 - 5   | > 14    | > 65        | > 1000    | 2 - 4      | > 90    |

5 Conclusions

Based on the results, the following conclusions can be drawn. The addition of semi-extraction Asbuton may decrease the value of the optimum bitumen content in the mixture, although the optimum bitumen content of modified asphalt is increased. Use of semi-extraction of briquette Asbuton for effective asphalt modification to 20% of total asphalt weight. The reduction of mixing temperature to 30°C below HMA mixing temperature with zeolite addition level of 0.3% still meets the requirements according to the specification used, in other words, WMA can be made using asphalt semi-extraction asphalt modification with 0.3% synthetic zeolite addition.

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