# An Industry Perspective on Dr. R. Douglas Hooton's Impact on the Canadian Concrete Industry

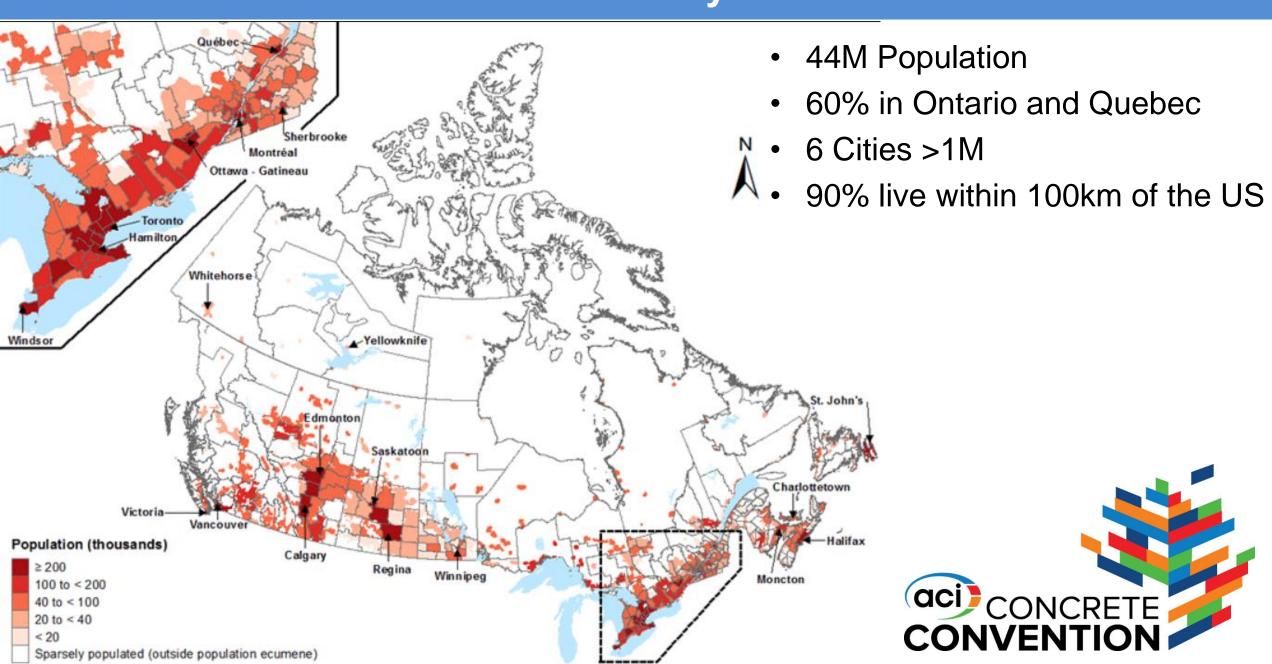
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# Canada is relatively "small"....



#### The TC's in Canada are small...

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General Interest	Producer Interest	Service Professional	Supplier Raw Materials	User Interest
Matrix: Min 5 / Max 7	Matrix: Min 7 / Max 9	Matrix : Min 5 / Max 8	Matrix: Min 6 / Max 8	Matrix : Min 7 / Max 9
B. Fournier (Laval University) QC	L. Bédard (Association béton	P. Belanger (Belanger Engineering)	C. Bédard (Euclid Admixture	L. Keller (Ellis-Don
	Québec) QC	ON	Canada Inc.) QC	Construction Ltd.) ON
D. Hooton (University of Toronto)	R. Burak (CPCI) ON	R. Munro (Concrete Advice) ON	Y. Brousseau (Mapei Inc.) QC	G. Kinney (Concrete Floor
ON (Chair)		· ·		Contractors) ON
C. Rogers (Consumer rep) ON (EC member)	M. Dalkie (Concrete BC) BC	P. Lamothe (SNC-Lavalin) QC	L. dos Reis (MBCC) ON	C. Nazair (Transports Québec) QC
M. Shehata (Ryerson University)	M. Fiander (Quality Concrete -	G. Leaman (Stantec ) NS (EC	P. Trunk (PR Trunk Ltd.,	J. Patullo (Avenue Building
ON	Dartmouth) NS	member)	representing CRH Canada Group Inc) ON (EC member)	Corp) ON
M. Thomas (University of New Brunswick) NB (EC member)	R. Gifford (Lehigh Hanson Matls Ltd) AB	J. Robson (Tetra Tech Canada) AB	L. Mugford (James Dick Construction Ltd) ON	A. Dowling (Graham Group Ltd) SK
M. Nokken (Concordia University)	B. Kanters (Concrete Ontario)	S. Cumming (WSP Canada Inc.) BC	F. Shrimer (WSP, representing	O. Antommattei (Kiewit
QC	ON (EC member)		British Columbia Stone Sand and Gravel Association) BC	Corporation) NE
H. Schell (self) ON	P. Masson (Concrete Alberta)	Y. Hughes (Wood) NF	N. Popoff (St. Marys Cement	J. Rakocevic (Metrolinx) ON
	AB		Inc. (U.S.)) MI	
	W. Thaha (Canada Building		T. Wehlend (GCP Applied	
	Materials) ON		Technologies) ON	
	Andrei Muresan (CRH Dufferin			
	Concrete) ON			
Total 7	Total 9	Total 7	Total 8	Total 7
	Accociatos	Non Voting Listed under Matrix Car	togorios	
M. Bassuoni (University of	L. Mammoliti (?) ON	B. Czarnecki (Tetra Tech Canada)		Todd Middletton (Manitoba
Manitoba) MB	L. Marinioner (1) ON	AB	of Canada) ON	Hydro) MB
V. Perry (V.iConsult) AB	Dale Hollingsworth	Lindsay Freckleton (McIntosh-	D. Gajich (Votorantim Cement	John Braidford (MoTI), BC
, (	(LafargeHolcim)	Lalani Engineering) AB	North America) ON	
	Joshua Young (Southwest	Ashlee Hossack (GEMTEC) NB	Marie-Andrée Guindon	Sacha DUMEIGNIL (City of
	Concrete and Construction Ltd.)  NB	,	(LafargeHolcim) QC	Montreal) QC
		R. Johnson (Thurber Engineering) AB	A. Luis (LafargeHolcim) ON	Tiffany Gulamhussein (MTO) ON
		Ted Moffatt (WSP Canada Inc) ON	J. Vincent (Sintra) QC	
			M. Stanzel (GCP Applied	
			Technologies) ON	
		Total 20		

CSA A23.1/23.2 Totals- 38 Voting 20 Associate



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Min 6 / Max 11	Min 6 / Max 11	Min 6 / Max 11	
Kevin Cail (CarbonCure)	Michel Chabot (Ciment Québec inc)	Dale Hollingsworth (LafargeHolcim)	
Bruce Cornelius (Wood)	Melissa Eaton (Lehigh Cement)	Bart Kanters (Concrete Ontario)	
Doug Hooton (University of Toronto)	Nicholas Popoff (St. Marys Cement U.S.)	Paul Masson (Concrete Alberta)	
	(EC member)	(Chair)	
Don Hopkins (retired)	Freddy Slim (Intechlab Inc)	Brad Pope (Xypex)	
Richard Stevenson (Retired)	Michael Stanzel (GCP Applied Technologies)	Bryan Russell (Rep for Concrete BC )	
Arezki Tagnit-Hamou (Universite de Sherbrooke)	Philip Trunk (PR Trunk Ltd., representing CRH Canada) (2nd Vice-Chair)	Wafiq Thaha (Canada Building Materials)	
Sileibiookej	CRH Canada) (2110 VICE-Chair)	iviateriais)	
Mike Thomas (University of New	Matt Dalkie (Lafarge Canada Inc.)	Thomas Wehlend (GCP Applied	
Brunswick) (1st Vice-Chair)		Technologies)	
David Rhead (retired)			
Total 8	Total 7	Total 7	
	Associates		
Ted Moffatt (WSP Canada Inc)	Vera Judarta (Lehigh Cement)	Daniel Vallée (MTQ)	
Boyd Clark (CTL Group)	Angie Luis (McInnis Cement)	Julissa Hidalgo (BASF)	
Walter Pearce (retired)	Stamatina Chasioti (CAC)	Mohammad Aqel (MTO)	
	Walter Dobslaw (Lehigh Cement)		
	Bruno Morgado (CRH Canada)		
	Harold Ptachyk (Lafarge Canada Inc.)		
	Marie-Andree Guindon (Lafarge Canada		
	Inc.)		
	David Gajich (Votorantim Cement)		
	Jason Schultz (St. Marys Cement)		
	Rob Shogren (LafargeHolcim)		
	Luis Graf (Chryso Inc)		
	Renée Cossette (Silicium Quebec)		
	Vikingsson, Jakob (Lehigh Cement)		
	Total 19		

CSA A3000 Totals- 22 Voting 19 Associate



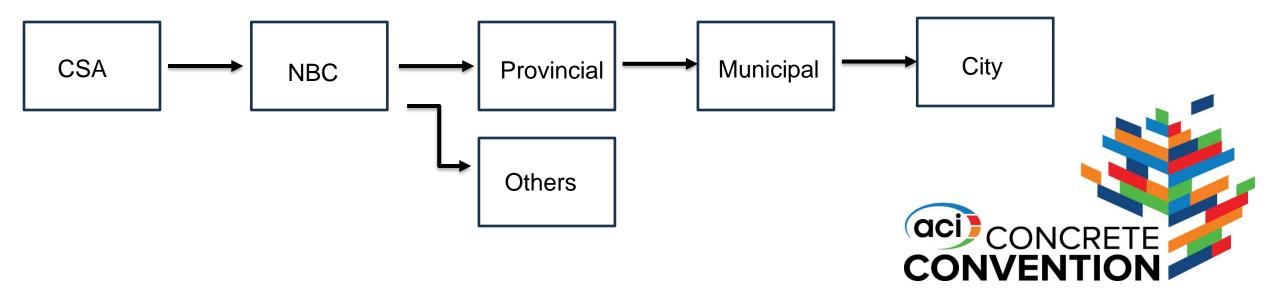
#### CSA Guidelines...make them very unique

- The committees are balanced by voting interest
- Voting members MUST attend annual meetings
  - Voting members must vote
  - Voting is either Affirmative or Negative
    - All Negatives MUST be resolved
    - Documents are revised each 5 years



#### **How the Codes Work in Canada**

- CSA Cement Specifications are adopted into Concrete Specifications
  - CSA Specifications are adopted into the NBC
  - The NBC is adopted by the Provincial Codes
  - The Provincial Codes are adopted by Municipalities
- Commercial Specifications go to 1 place for updated Specifications



# In a sense...we rely on one another...



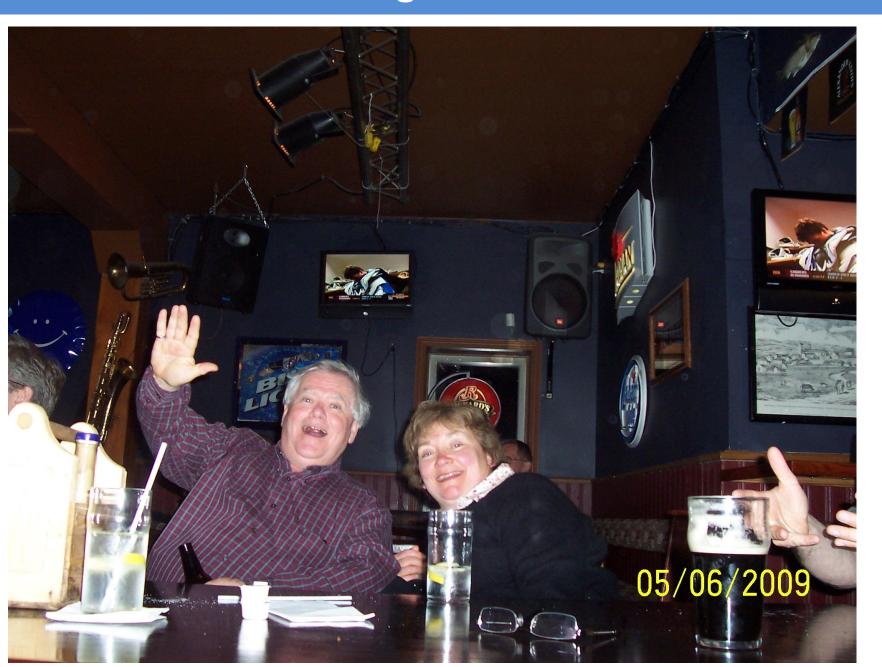
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# And work together...





# And get to know each other better...





# Doug Hooton liked me from our first meeting...



I gave him a cheque...



#### **Cement and Concrete are inseparable**

Hooton was the "go-to" guy...is the "go-to" guy...

- Cement/Concrete Industry all have research labs
  - But 3<sup>rd</sup> party validation is/was often necessary
- We often collaborate with Doug...and others
- · Doug's thirst for knowledge took him around the world
- World experiences, often returned back to Canada



#### A Few Honours/Honors...

- 2021- ASTM Committee C01 Bryant Mather
- 2020- Elected as Fellow, Canadian Society of Civil Engineering
- 2019- Elected as an Honorary Member of the Ontario Chapter, ACI
- 2018- Elected as an **Honorary Member** of the ACI
- 2018-2023- Chair of ASTM Committee C01 on Cements for 2018-23.
- 2019-2024 Chair of CSA A23.1/A23.2 on Concrete
- 2017- Honorary Fellow of the Institute of Concrete Technology, UK
- 2016 Engineering Institute of Canada Julian C. Smith Medal
- 2015- Fellow of RILEM (awarded during the RILEM Week, Melbourne, August 2015)
- 2013 Inducted as Fellow of the Canadian Academy of Engineering
- 2013 ASTM Frank E. Richart Award for meritorious contributions
- 2011 Fellow of the Engineering Institute of Canada
- 2010 Arthur R. Anderson Medal American Concrete Institute.
- 2004- Listed in 2004 Edition of Canadian Who's Who
- 2003- ASTM Award of Merit and made Fellow of ASTM
- 2003- Honorary Member of ASTM Committee C09 on Concrete
- 2002- Honorary Member of ASTM Committee C01 on Hydraulic Cements
- 1997- Received the Canadian Standards Association Award of Merit, June 1997
- 1996-2001- Elected as Chairman of ASTM Committee C09 on Concrete
- 1989- Elected Fellow of the American Concrete Institute (1989)



# Concrete's Strength...is Durability...

#### The only time expansion is good...





# **Durability and Prediction of Long-Term Performance**

Doug Hooton (as well as a few others)...have been effective in the evolution of the Canadian Concrete Industry...with a focus on performance.

#### As a result:

- CSA was one of the first specifications for Mitigation of ASR
- CSA continues to lead in Sulfate Resistance and Mitigation
- CSA Concrete Performance Specifications are widely adopted
  - Based on Exposure Class
  - Incorporating Strength, w/c and Permeability
- We not done yet...the move towards NetZero

# **Always Looking for a Better Solution**



### Thank-you



