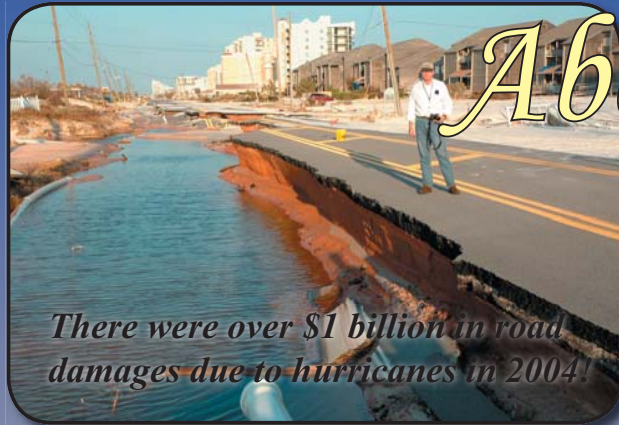




Coastal Transportation Engineering Research and Education Center

The Center supports undergraduate and graduate students and offers guest speaker presentations.



There were over \$1 billion in road damages due to hurricanes in 2004!

About the Center...



The Coastal Transportation Engineering Research and Education Center is addressing a growing national need for research and education focused on the engineering of coastal highways...

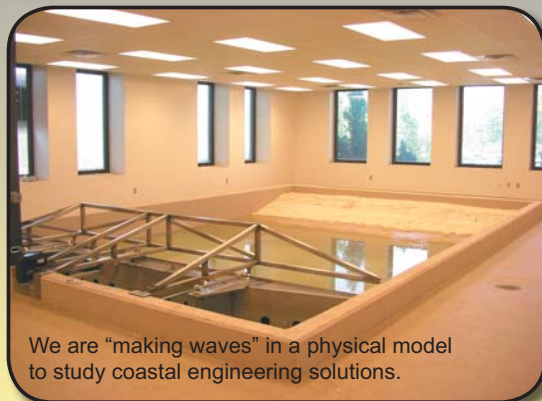
... demand for these roads is increasing,

... in areas with unique forces

... and unique environmental challenges.

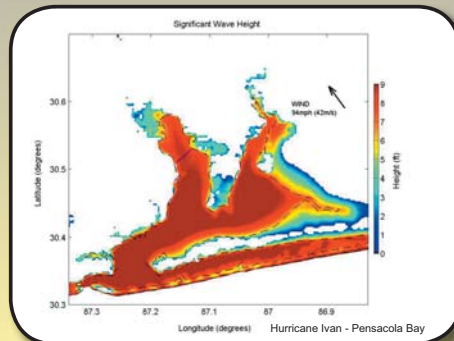
Mission

To develop, conduct, coordinate, and disseminate results of research concerning the engineering design of transportation systems (roads, bridges, and waterways) in environmentally sensitive coastal areas.



We are "making waves" in a physical model to study coastal engineering solutions.

We are using computers to simulate hurricane storm surge and waves.



We are researching coastal stormwater run-off treatment options.



There are over 60,000 miles of "coastal highways" in the United States.