





Artificial Intelligence for Road Maintenance







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ROAD MAINTENANCE IS NOT ONLY MAINTENANCE

The Road Authorities * in charge of roads must:

- Manage the traffic
- Manage the roads, with special tasks in winter
- Manage the incidences
- Manage the bridges and tunnels
- Manage the pavement
- Improve the Road Safety of all the users
- Ensure the safety of maintenance workers

From different departments for each task, taken its own data



To an integrated system for advanced and intelligent management





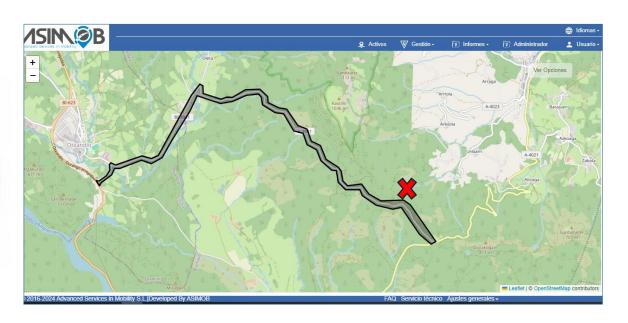
* Examples taken from DGC of Ministry of Transports in Spain and Rijkswaterstaat, Ministry of Transports in The Netherlands



ROAD MAINTENANCE IS NOT ONLY MAINTENANCE







USERS

☐ Speed of the cyclists

□ Protection of the cyclists

VEHICLES

☐ Condition of the bicycles

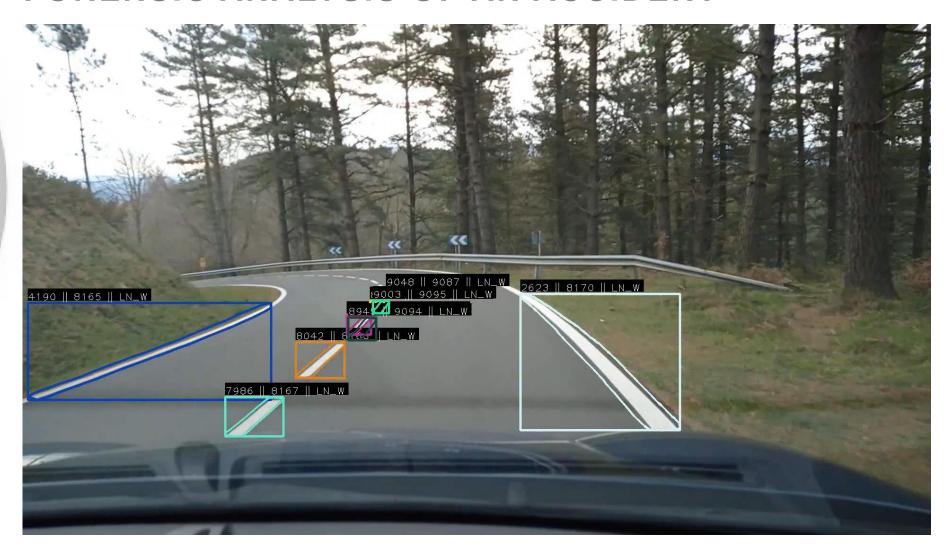
RESPONSE

☐ Fast response after accident

- Geometrical data
- Weather conditions
- ☐ Status of the pavement
- □ Vertical signage
- □ Horizontal signage
- Safety barriers
- Dangers in escapes

INFRASTRUCTURE









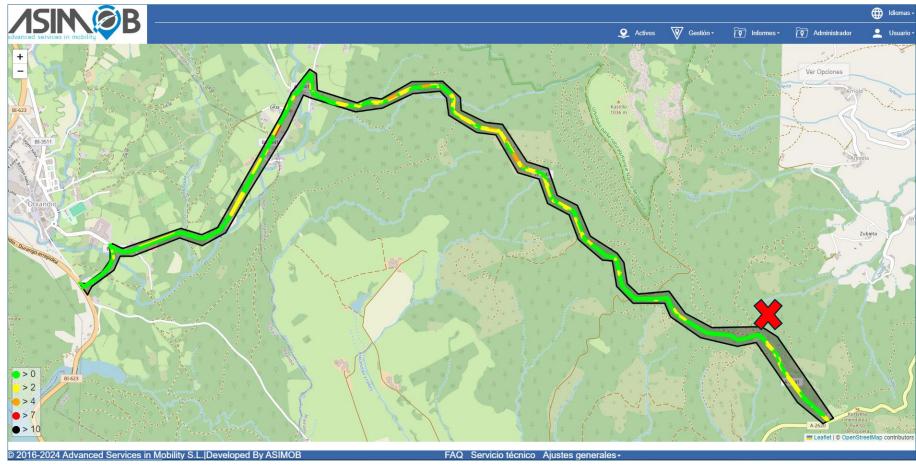
DEFECTS IN THE PAVEMENT







IRREGULARITIES IN THE PAVEMENT







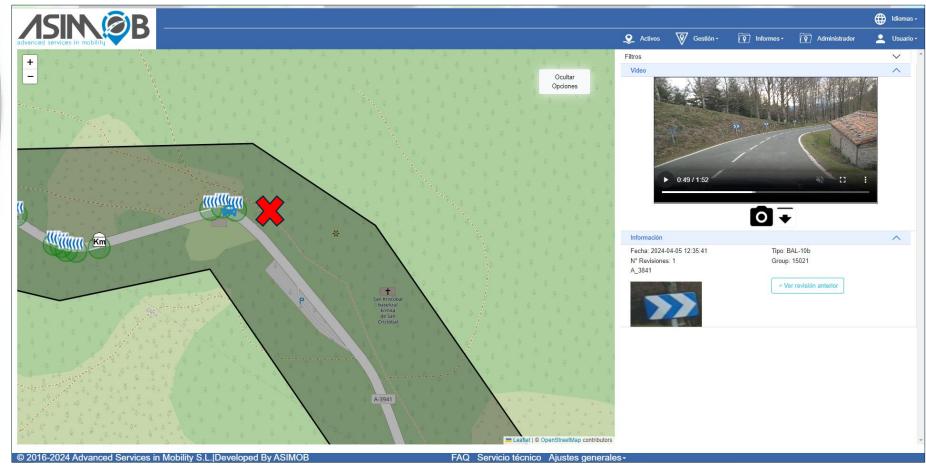
ROAD MARKINGS







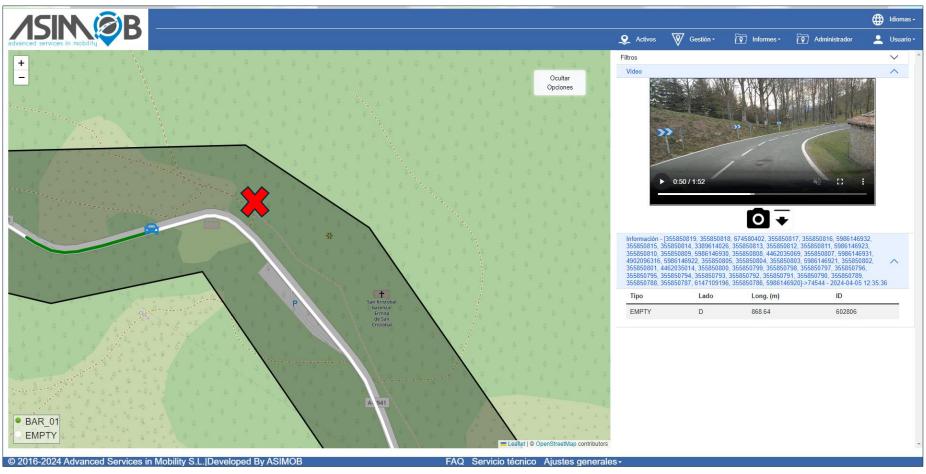
VERTICAL SIGNAGE







SAFETY BARRIERS





DANGER IN SCAPES







CONCLUSIONS: INFLUENCE IN THE CONSEQUENCES

Asset	Evaluation	Analysis	Influence
Pavement	Defects	High density	
	Irregularities	Lack of adherence	
Road Markings	Visibility defects	Good visibility	
Vertical signage	Defects	No relevant defects	
Safety barriers	Suitability for this user	No barriers in this turn	
	Defects		
Danger in scapes	Presence	High risk scapes	





This analysis has been applied after the accident. Real benefits appear when the analysis is applied for prevention.

Any vehicle from the Road Authotiy can be equipped in 10 minutes to apply the Autonomous Road Inspection. The inspection is applied at normal speed.

The assets management, applied automatically, can help to:

- Road Safety inspections
- Evaluation of roads, with different weather conditions
- Analysis after incidences
- Improve management of bridges and tunnels
- Improve management of the pavement
- Improve the safety of maintenance workers

