

3rd SIIV International Winter School 2022

Pavement Assessment and management towards Smart and Safer mobility

Business Unit Operations

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Technology,
R&D



Engineering and
implementation



Construction and
related services



Energy from
renewable sources



Services for
travellers

Autostrade per l'Italia Group

The largest highway operator in Europe



2.855 km
motorway
network



2,7 M
daily users



2,1 M
daily vehicle
transit



8.700
employees



5
motorway
concessions



422 km
tunnels



218
service areas



271
toll stations



1.947
bridges and
viaducts



16
toll highways



3,8 bn
operating
revenues



2,12 bn
EBITDA



986 M
operating
cash flow



1 bn
investments in
operations



2,6 bn
equity



Hi.P.E.R Project - Highway Pavement Evolutive Research



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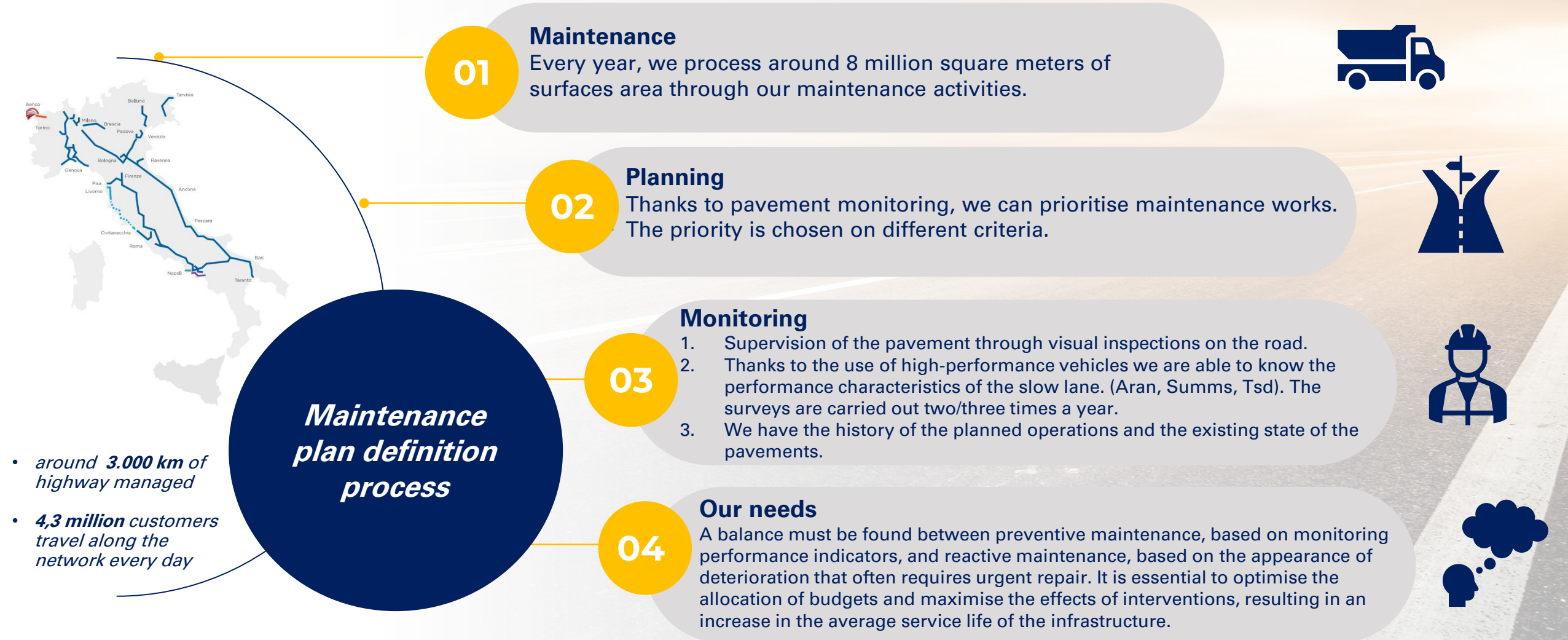
**Business Unit
Operations**



**Pavimentazioni e
Laboratori**

- *Support to operational units for the organization of the maintenance operations and budget management;*
- *updating of technical regulations and standards for pavement maintenance works;*
- *ensure the execution of high-performance surveys and data processing for the calculation of the IPAV indicator;*
- *material tests during the execution of pavement maintenance works;*
- *manage maintenance works along the network as Project Manager/RUP;*
- *Identify and test innovative solutions on materials, maintenance techniques and asset management methodologies;*

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Introduction

This need has led to development of more research activities on different field of pavements.

The research activities are carried out in collaboration with:



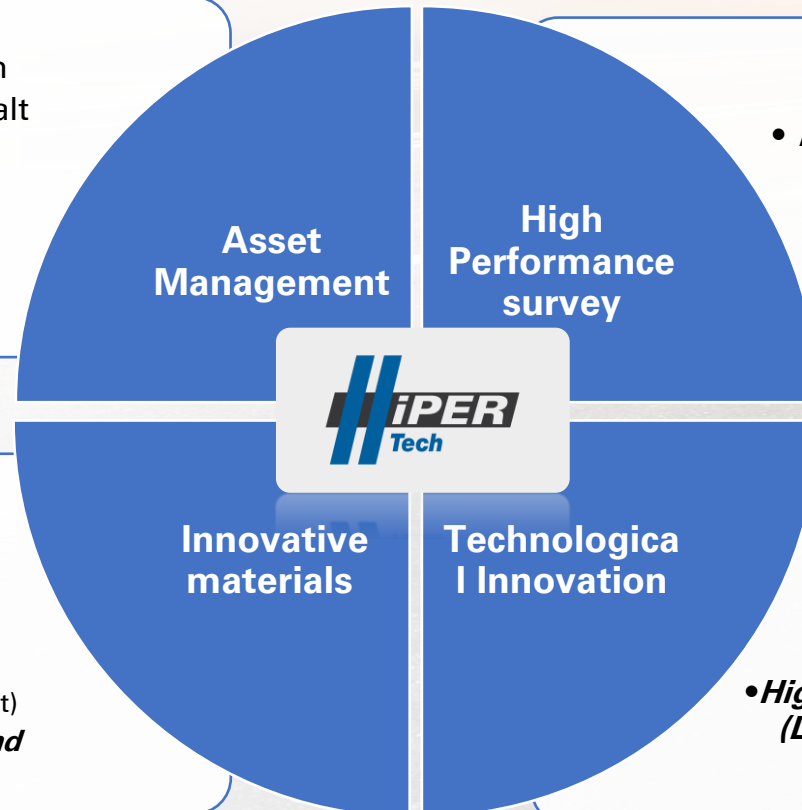
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DELLE MARCHE



- **Pavement Management System**
- **Envioiremental Asphalt Rating**



- **Sustainable mixtures** (recycled plastics, PFU, graphene, RAP, slag)
- **GMA** (Grip Mastic Asphalt)
- **New asphalt binders and mixtures**



- **RWD**
- **IRIS System**
- **Embedded Sensors**
- **Smart Tires**



- **Geocomposites**
- **High Performance LEA** (Low Energy Asphalt)



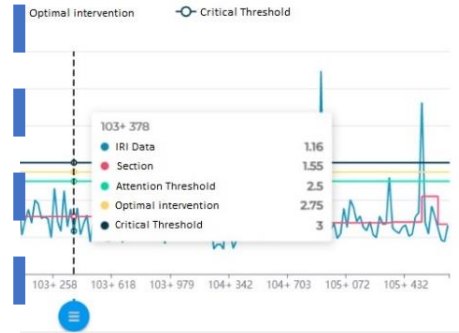
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Naviga

E-PMS Model

Work in progress

- **Embedded Sensors:** A monitoring technology, integrated into the pavement, capable of acquiring "undisturbed" measurements of the main physical characteristics (ex. temperature, humidity, traffic)
- **Smart Tyres:** The interaction between the vehicle and the pavement takes place through the tire which, by means of deformations and vibration, contribute decisively to the amount of grip available and to the noise produced. (especially at high speeds).
- **Automatic deteriorations analysis:** algorithms that allow the identification of deterioration of the pavement from the images.



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deterioration curves
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the E-PMS
ize the platform by
meters in each traffic-
network.



modifying the operation settings.
On the left an example of a PMS maintenance
work proposal.



Maintenance Plan

EAR – Environment
EAR is an innovative
environmental in
maintenance opera
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R&D Center of Excellence

We are the Autostrade per l'Italia Group's centre of excellence for technological innovation.

We promote initiatives that find application in roads and motorways, urban and extra-urban contexts.

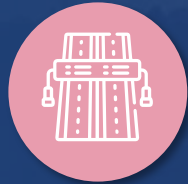
Open innovation is our strategic approach.

We collaborate with innovative companies, universities and research centers, selecting the best ideas and skills.

Innovation focus



Energy saving
& Sustainability



Monitoring
of Infrastructures



Pavements &
Materials



Data science
& AI



Smart City



Smart Roads

MOVYON is the technological enabler for Autostrade per l'Italia's Mercury Programme



ASPI launched Mercury, a program which embeds innovative initiatives and structured in 5 cluster related to sustainability and technological development

INNOVATION



SAFETY



SUSTENABILITY



CONNECTED INFRASTRUCTURE MERCURY SMART SUSTAINABLE MOBILITY

Connected Infrastructure's technologies enable **services that improve mobility and information management on motorways**

INTELLIGENT ROADS MERCURY SMART SUSTAINABLE MOBILITY

Heterogenous solutions related to the **Intelligent Transport System and Connected/Automated mobility** to increase **traffic safety** and **extend life cycle of infrastructure**

FLEXIBLE PRICING MERCURY SMART SUSTAINABLE MOBILITY

Increase the efficiency and reliability of tolling station to **simplify the toll payment experience**, introduce **modular payment** and **lead to Free Flow**

GREEN SOLUTIONS MERCURY SMART SUSTAINABLE MOBILITY

Accelerate motorways ecological transition, both from infrastructure and vehicles stand-points, to reduce carbon emissions and speed up ESG scores

URBAN MOBILITY MERCURY SMART SUSTAINABLE MOBILITY

Initiatives to **integrate highway and urban mobility**

Our Smart Roads projects focuses on the development and the integration of technologies for Connected Cars. Thanks to the digitization of infrastructure assets, information can be exchanged between infrastructure and vehicles, and between vehicles themselves. We are also implementing new solutions for Smart Service Areas of the future.

Smart Roads

BENEFITS



Data collection for preferences, driving styles, traffic info



Optimization of traffic flow



Interoperability of on-board units



Successful pilot on Autostrade per L'Italia motorway network



34

Roadside units
ITS-G5

52 km

(Firenze, Bologna)

500

Vehicles/day *

200k+

Cooperative
Awareness
Messages/day*



Coming soon 2023:

Genova A10 – 52 km

Firenze-Bologna – 86 km



Ready for
«over-ip»
service



Compliant with
C-Roads
specifications

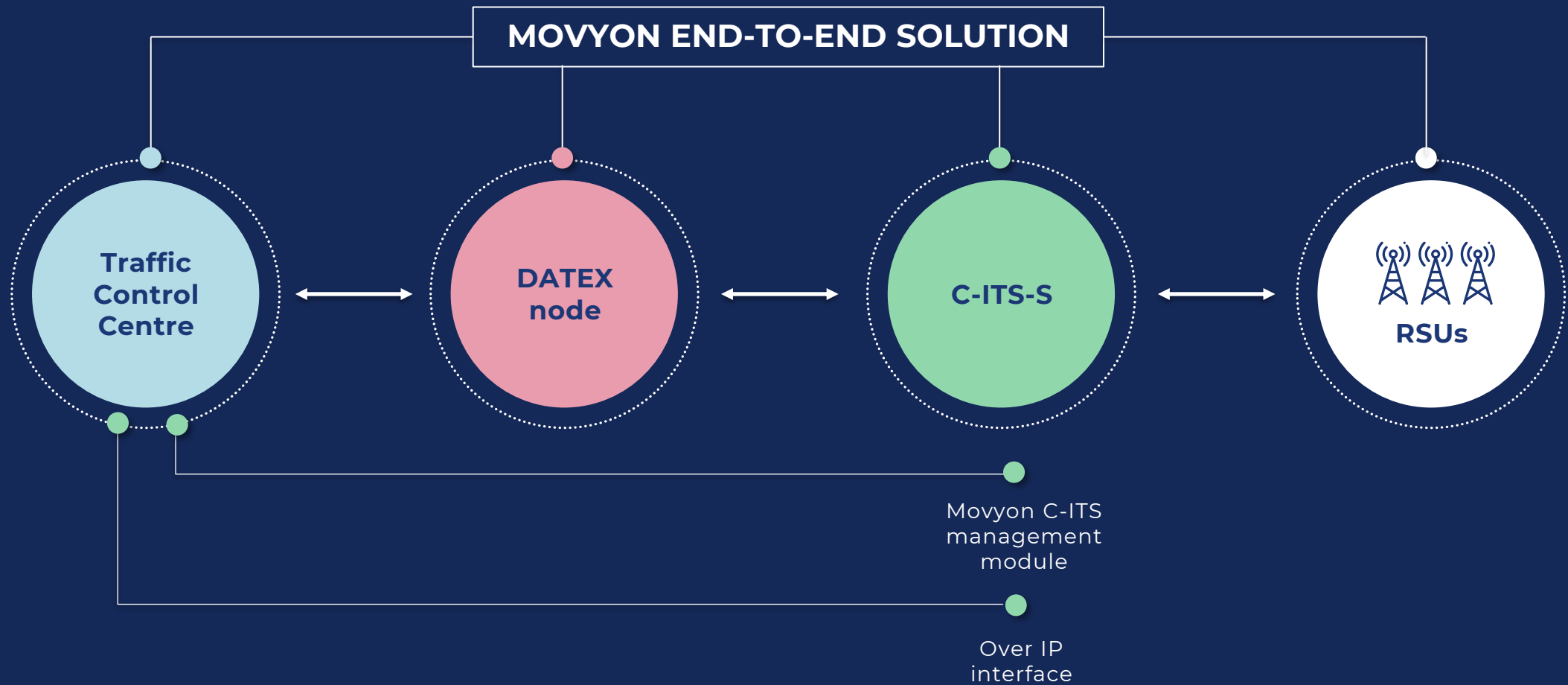


Contract
with C-ITS PKI
(Trusted Secure Source)

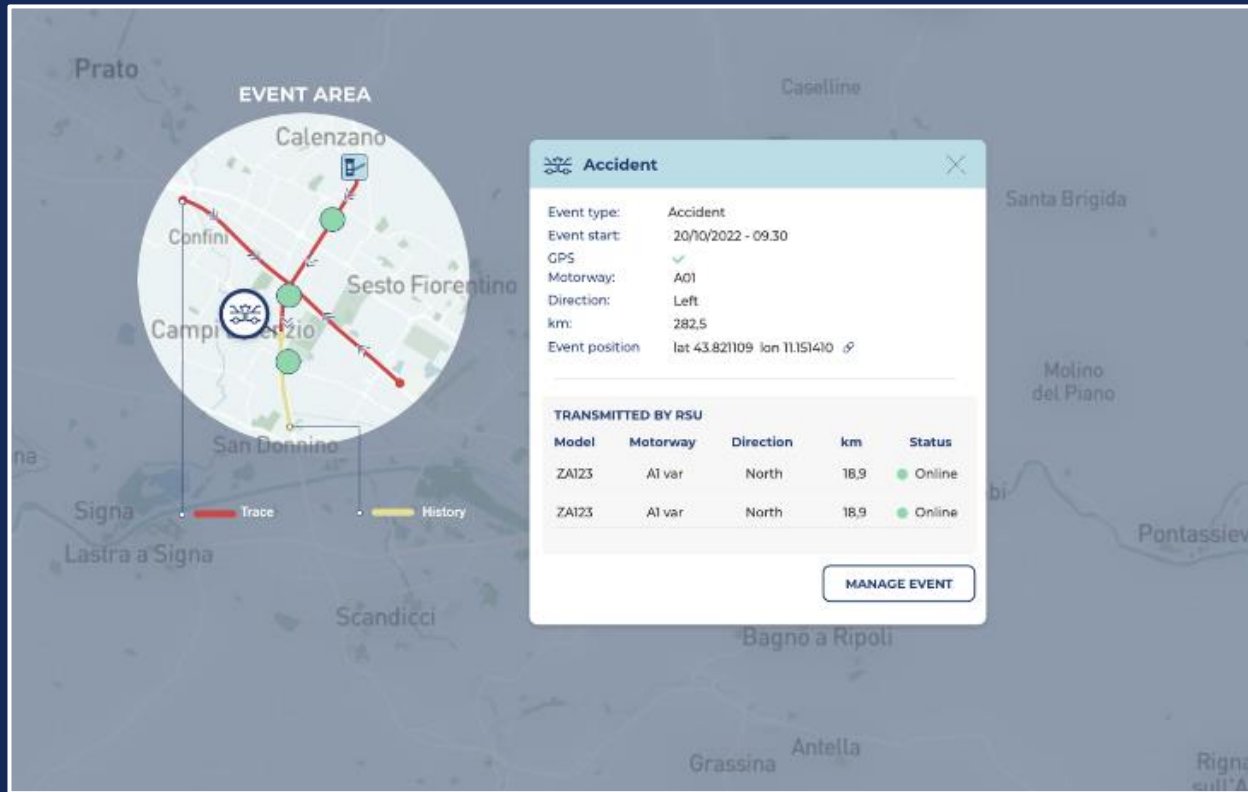
*data from
Jul to Oct 2022



C-ITS system architecture



C-ITS management module



Picture shows C-ITS management module currently integrated with Movyon Traffic Management Platform

C-ITS management module entirely developed *in house*.

It can be easily adapted and customized to the specific needs of the concessionaries and integrated with any other software platforms (e.g. service providers).

No licensed third-party software is used.

History: area of the event

Trace: route entering the event area

V2X Roadside Equipment

C-ITS roadside unit **entirely designed and manufactured by Movyon Electronics**, the Movyon brand working on critical hardware equipment used in Movyon's solutions.



- Dual-Mode: DSRC/802.11p and C-V2X
- Compliant with all V2X standards
- 5.9 GHz Radio: 1 x IEEE 802.11p / C-V2X (3GPP Rel. 14/15)
- Receiver sensitivity up to -97 dBm (802.11p)
- Quad core CPU 1200 Mhz , 2 GB DDR RAM, 8 GB Flash
- PCIe expansion slot for optional modem (LTE or 5G)
- GNSS module (GPS, Galileo, GLONASS, Beidou)
- Ethernet with PoE (48V PoE 802.3at)
- **NO licensed 3rd party software used in the firmware**
- Secure key storage
- ITS G5 Software stack
- Browser GUI for configuration, diagnostic and SW update
- IP67 enclosure protection
- CE RED compliant
- Operating temperature: -40 to +75°C

Movyon value for C-ITS



One-Stop-Shop for RSE and Platform

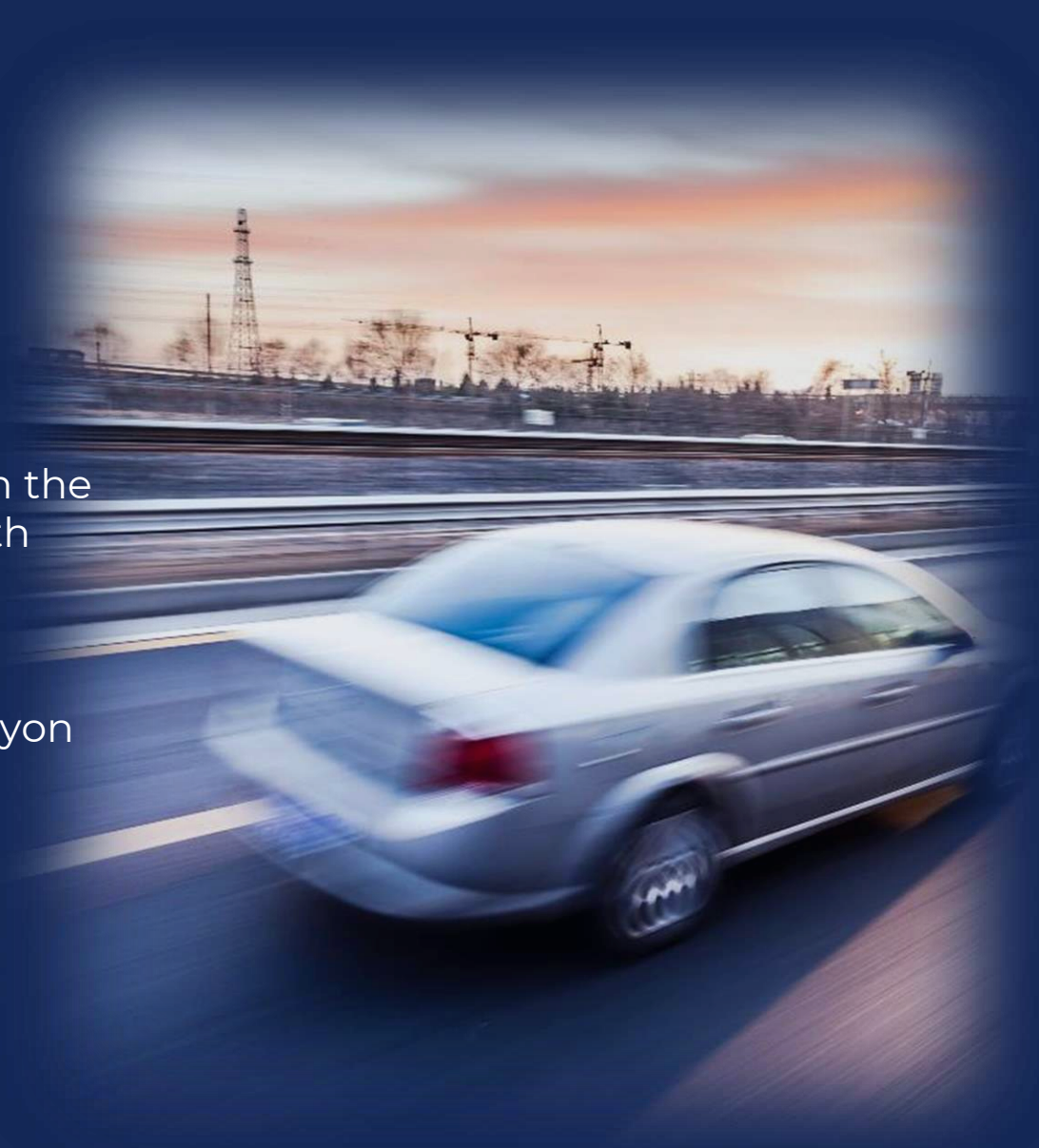
- Highly customizable and easily interoperable with the Traffic Control Centres of Concessionaries and with the platform of service and content providers
- Dual-Protocol (ITS-G5 and C-V2X) proprietary RSU entirely designed and manufactured by Movyon



Tested on a real motorway environment



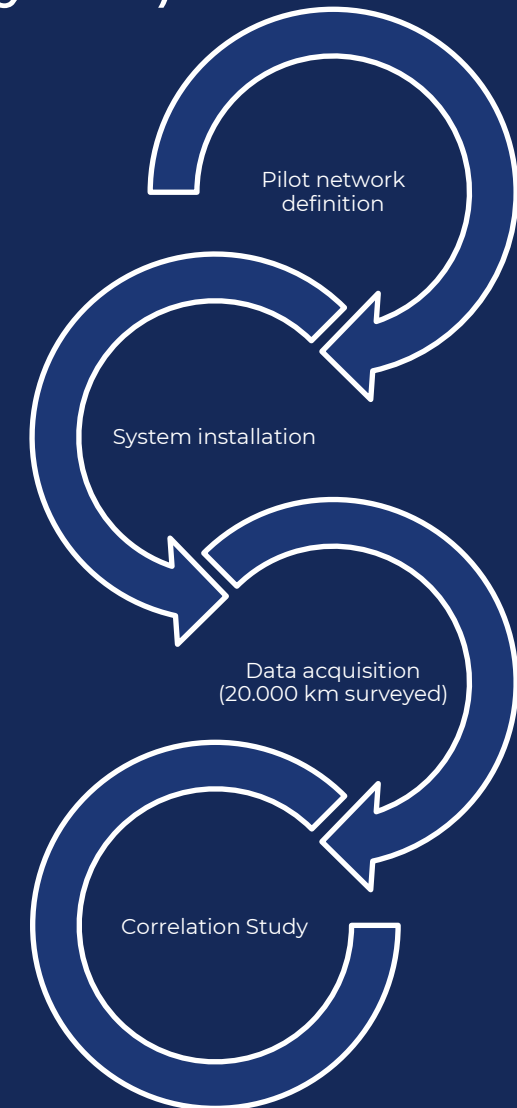
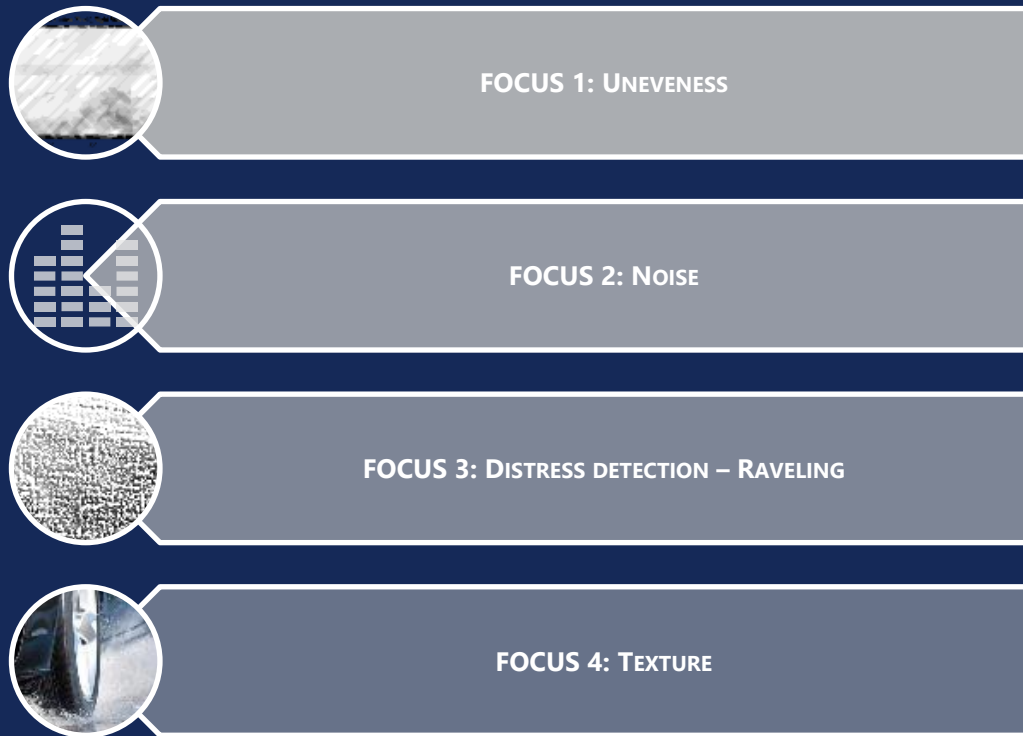
Validated and approved by VOLKSWAGEN selling C-ITS equipped vehicles



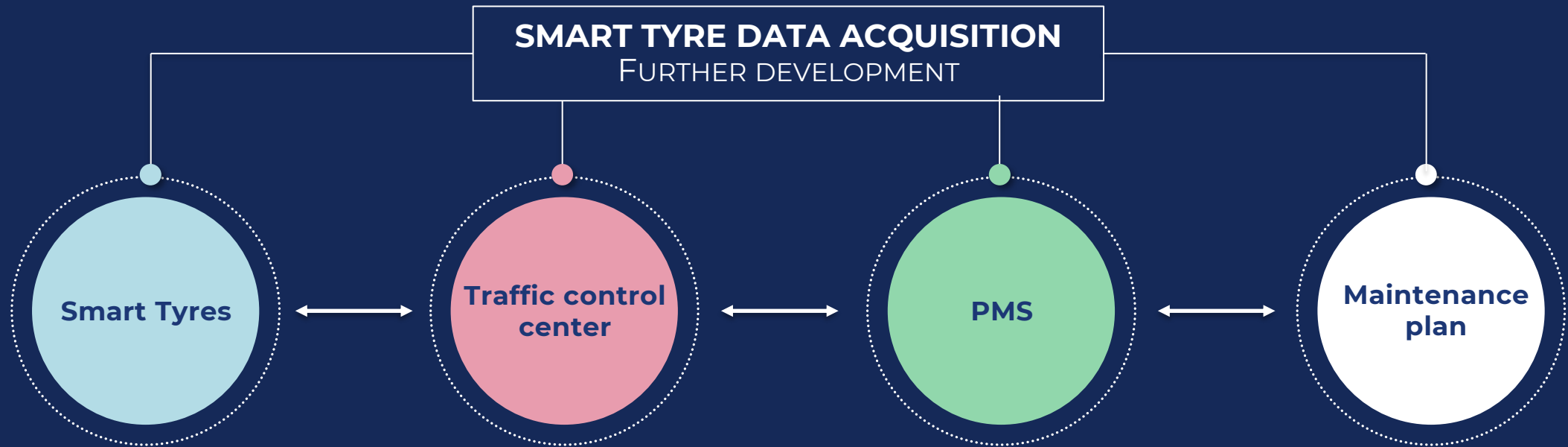
Pavement Maintenance solution integrated with Connected vehicles (through Smart Tyres)

SCOPE

High-speed performance pavement screening using sensorised tyres (partnership with company leader in tyre industry)



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Transportation of **dangerous goods** with the support of **C-ITS**

The current introduction and deployment of V2I and V2V communication, and thus C-ITS, may turn out to be the technology that will finally enable effective and efficient dangerous goods transportation management.

Our goal is to **define** and **test** use cases related to the **use of C-ITS services** to **manage** and **mitigate** the **risk** associated with the **transport of hazardous substances** by road (partnership with truck maker).



August 2018 explosion. A1-A14 highway junction, Bologna.



Collection of statistical data on the type and quantity of substances transported

Knowledge of real time transits on a road infrastructure

Knowledge of which and how many substances are involved in a possible accident

Preventive Risk Management

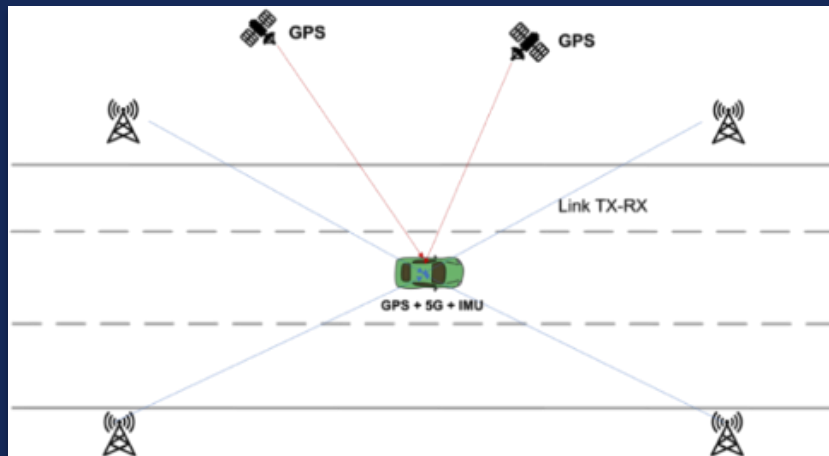


Protective Risk Management

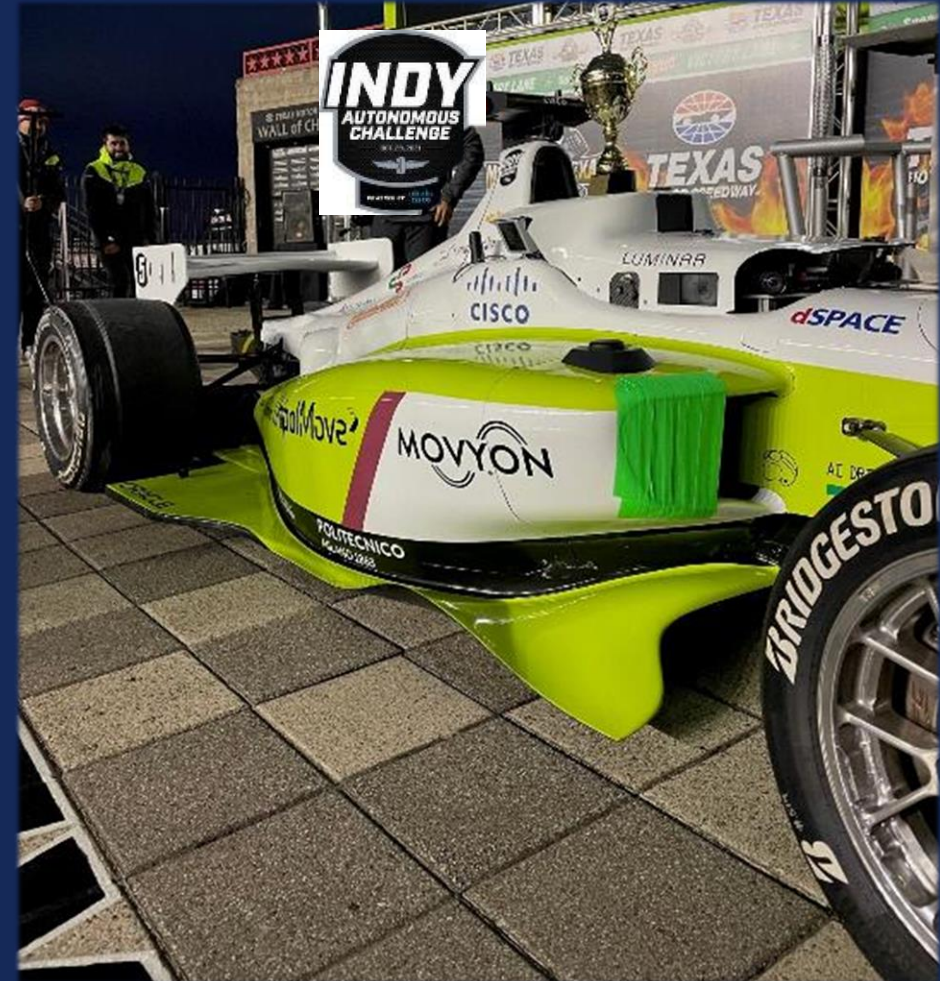


Precision positioning and tracking to support CCAM: the role of road operator

Development of a **Proof of Concept** for **tracking** a moving **vehicle** through a **wireless road infrastructure** equipped with **C-V2X technology**, with the aim of demonstrating the potential of such systems and the **prospects for developing services based on precise positioning** (e.g., autonomous driving).



Example scenario of hybrid vehicle localization



Polimove autonomous indy car

An aerial photograph of a multi-lane highway bridge spanning a river, surrounded by lush green hills. The image is overlaid with a semi-transparent blue filter. A white network diagram, consisting of interconnected nodes and lines, is superimposed on the bridge and surrounding landscape, suggesting a digital or technological theme.

There are infinite paths to **transform the future.**
Technology and innovation are ours.