Federal Ministry Republic of Austria Climate Action, Environment, Energy, Mobility, Innovation and Technology

#### **Country Report Austria – ongoing actions**

- Action Plan for the Digital Transformation in the Mobility Sector (2023+)
  - Provides measures in the field on digitial transformation in the mobility sector (CCAM)
- Test environments and Test vehicles for further development of AD and ADAS systems
- Promotion of various data rooms in the current calls



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#### **Country Report Austria – focus for the coming years**

- Establishment of a (new) adequate Automated Driving Regulation
   (AutomatFahrV) for testing ADAS, highly fully automated vehicles and driverless ones on public roads as well as regular operation (focusing on on-demand public transport with teleoperation)
- Establishment of a **national alliance** on automated mobility for a better cooperation between all stakeholders involved
- Continuation of the promotion of automated mobility

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#### **Country Report Austria – international perspective**

- Definition of primary use cases and clear strategic priorities of the public sector (e.g. on-demand automated shuttles)
- New forms of collaboration including all stakeholders involved (industry, research, society, academia, public authorities,...)
- Next step: Large-scale demonstration on a cross-border level as base for deployment



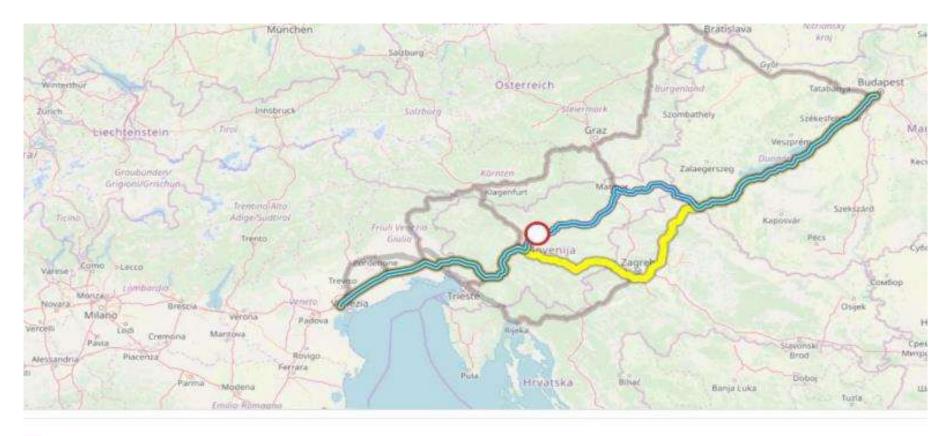
5th Trilateral Conference (AUT, HUN, SVN), St. Valentin – Austria Cross-border testing of Automated Driving

# **Country Report: Slovenia**

Ulrich Zorin, M.Sc., Project Director

DARS – Motorway Company in the Republic of Slovenia

# Automated Mobility on the international level - TMP APP



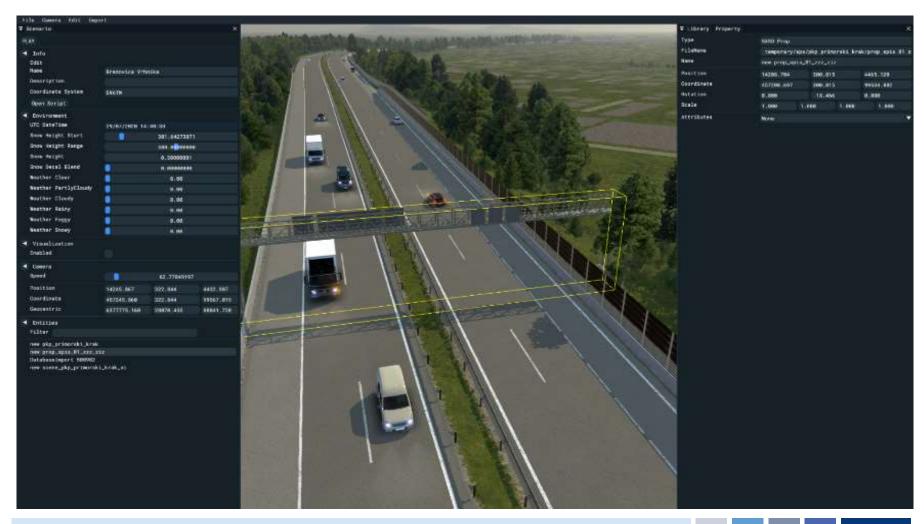


# Automated car is reading the road!

Mobile reflectometers measuring retroreflectivity across the full lane width in a single pass including day contrast ratio.



# Digitalisation of road infrastructure (Digital Twin, Simulator, digital road axis,...)



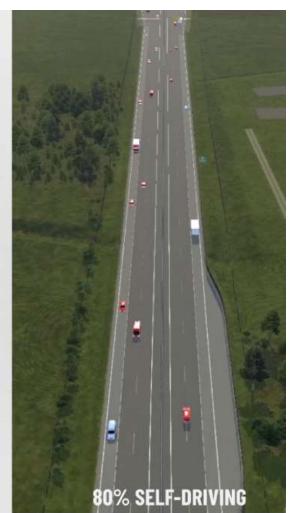
# **Automated Mobility**



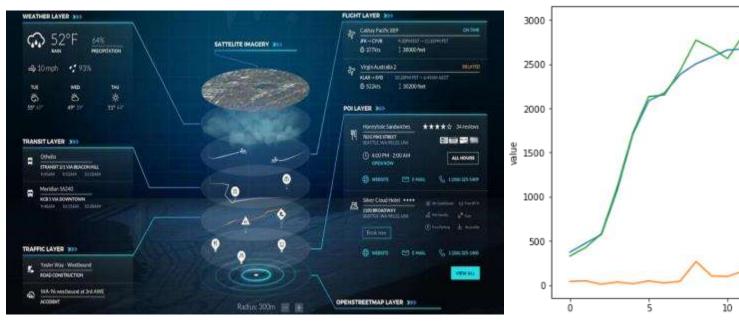
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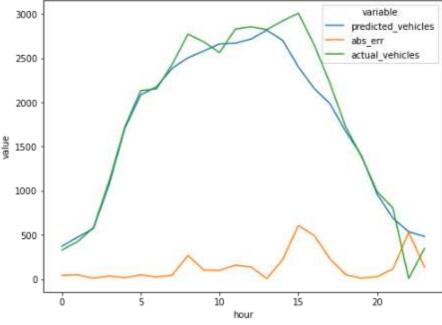






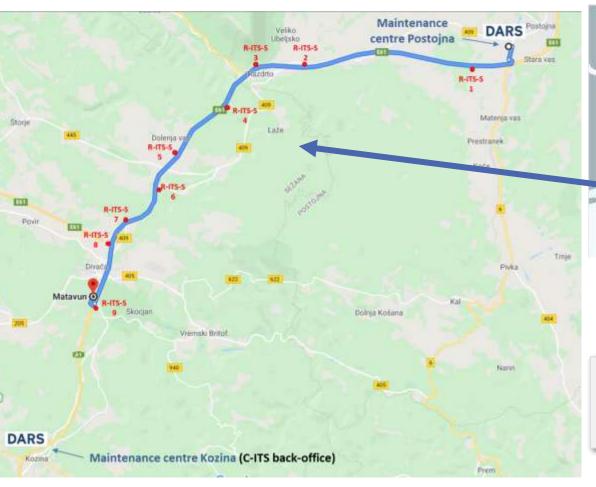
### ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE FOR PREDICTING CONGESTIONS





### CITS-G5

# Automated Motorway Section A1 Postojna – Divača (30 km)





- 9 x RSU + 1 mobile
  - Connection to the TCC

# Automated entire motorway network

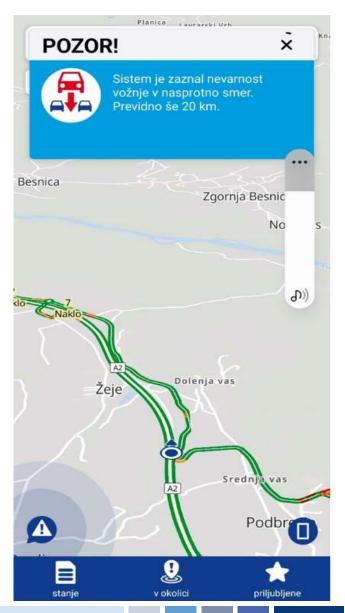
# Pilot implementation / mobile (3G/4G/5G)



# Further development of the DARS APP Promet+:

- Multimodality on the national level
- Wrong way drivers alarms
- Truck parking info





### **INTELLIGENT TUNNELS 2022**

#### Automatic transfer of traffic events from Tunnels to the C-ITS



#### **Events:**

Wrong way
Vehicle height exceeded
Standing vehicle
Work in the tunnel
Fire in the tunnel
Poor visibility (fog,
smoke)
Tunnel closure
Exceeded air movement
value

## **INTELLIGENT MOTORWAYS 2023**

#### Automatic transfer of traffic events from TMS to the C-ITS



#### **Events:**

Wrong way
Standing vehicle
Work
Accident
Poor visibility (fog)
Road closure

# Focus for the 2023/24

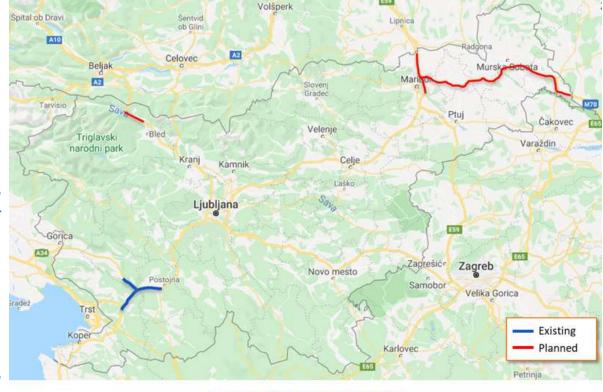
Installation of additional 20 RSUs along the road network (Austria – Slovenia – Hungary)

Integration of 5 additional tunnel systems into C-ITS middleware

Integration of mobile TMS on trailers of maintenance vehicles + connection to the C-ITS middleware

APP upgrade

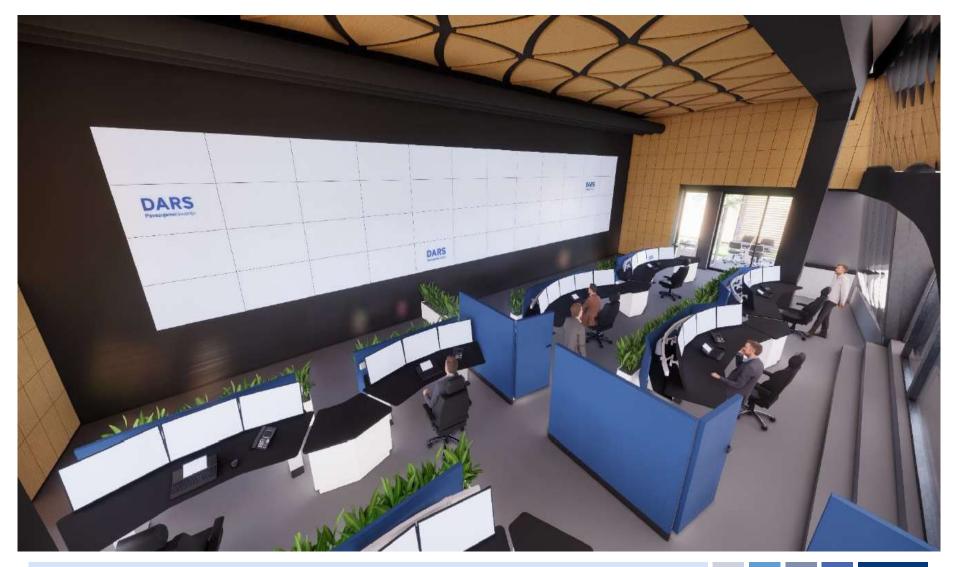
TCC upgrade



Coverage of ITS-G5 implementation



# Automated Mobility = Automated TCC



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# Country Report Hungary – Changes of the last 1,5 year

- Changes in the Hungarian governmental structure
  - Ministry of Technology and Innovation transformed into
    - Ministry of Energy and
    - Ministry of Construction and Transport
      - Transport and Mobility Department for Public Road Transport
- According to the Parliament's decision, from 1st January 2023, the ownership and maintenance rights of the ZalaZONE Automotive Proving Ground were transferred to the Széchenyi István University Foundation in Győr.
- New structure in the Proving Ground's management system
  - Automotive Proving Ground Ltd. (APZ) PG owner, asset management
  - ZalaZONE InnoTech Nonprofit Ltd. 100% subsidiary of APZ
    - Non economic (research) activities
  - AVL-ZalaZONE Ltd. business operation JV of AVL Hungary and APZ
    - Economic activities
- Wider ZalaZONE Ecosystem Industrial Park, University Research Center, Rheinmetall, AVL, Bosch Hungary, TÜV Rheinland, etc.





# ZalaZONE Innovation Ecosystem – 5 stakeholder MIT model







- In June 2022 **V4 CCAM MoU** on Cooperation in the Development and testing of cooperative, connected and automated mobility signed in Budapest. Potential for Central European level regional collaboration together with Austria, Slovenia and Croatia.
- September 2022 Hungarian participation on the ITS World
   Congress in Los Angeles (Budapest University of Technology and
   Economics (BME), Magyar Közút Nonprofit Zrt as industrial
   partner, ZalaZONE Proving Ground as a research and testing site) –
   Demonstrated the latest achievement: Cloud Control based
   teleoperated of a real car on the test track in Zalaegerszeg from the
   Los Angeles venue.
- Extending strategic cooperation with TÜV Rheinland AG 5 topics, extending with joint research activities on validation of virtual testing







#### ZalaZONE as NATO DIANA Test Center

#### 1 - Autonomous Systems

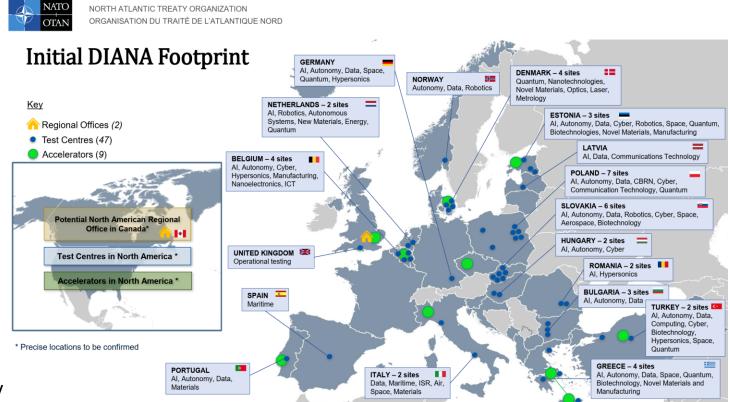
- On-road vehicles
- Off-road vehicles
- Drones / Drone Swarm
- Cloud control
- Model-based control
- Biology motivated control

#### 2 - Artificial Intelligence

- Object detection / tracking
- Real-time Digital Twin
- Verification of DNNs

#### 3 - Cyber Security

Integrated Safety & Security









Ansible Motion Delta S3
DIL simulator



#### Technical parameters:

- Interactive real-time dynamic simulation
- · 6 degrees of freedom
- Range of motion: ±2m X&Y, ±120° yaw
- 270° forward field of view plus 3 rear view mirror emulators
- 5 high resolution and speed projectors
- Active steering
- Active pedals
- Active seat belt tension
- Harshness and vibration simulation
- Available commercial vehicle body kit
- Moving platform carrying capacity up to 500 kg
- Fit for passenger cars, commercial vehicles etc.
- 100 m<sup>2</sup> laboratory area







#### Public Road testing of Avs in Hungary

According to the Hungarian KöHÉM regulation 5/1990. (IV.12.), **10** vehicle development companies were registered that are carrying out public road tests of automated vehicle functions.

Number of reported public road tests:

In 2022: **363** 

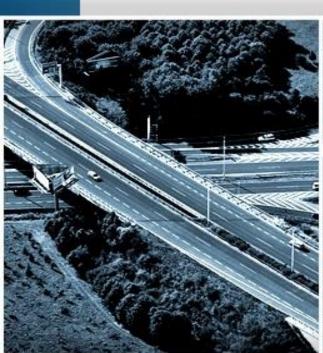
In 2023: **111** (until March)

The vehicle developer must provide a report at least on a 6-month basis including the test results and experiences with simplified statistics. The Ministry shall be notified on the tests in advance (electronic reporting with fulfilling the form, monthly pre-plans accepted) with the data of the developer and the vehicles, as well as beginning and end date of the test.

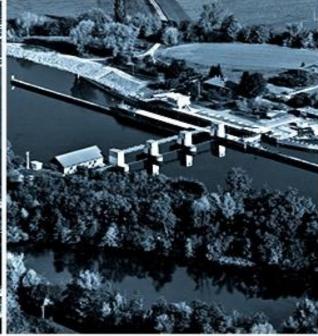




# **CCAM** in the Czech Republic









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# **Ongoing actions**

- New Applied Research Programme "TRANSPORT 2030"
  - One of three specific areas: "Automation, Digitalization and Technologically-advanced Transport"
  - 80 MEUR budget, 4 subsequent annual calls
  - CCAM projects in the loop virtual testing and modelation, V2X communication, teleoperation, virtual tracks, HD mapping, sensors, digital twins, legal aspects and data protection, HMI
- Infrastructure and testing
  - Catalogue of public roads for testing of autonomous vehicles online free-of-charge application with a database of sections based on the needs of autonomous vehicles (<a href="https://testovacioblasti.autonomne.cz/">https://testovacioblasti.autonomne.cz/</a>)
  - Polygons and testing sites private initiatives with state incentives
    - ✓ BMW testing site near Sokolov in construction
    - ✓ VALEO testing site in Milovice
    - ✓ AUREL CZ testing facility in Břehyně
    - ✓ Accolade investment company planned polygon near Pilsen
- **Ethics Commission** on automated and autonomous vehicles -21 recommendations in ethics, legal aspects and technical aspects delivered in October 2021 (Report in ENG: <a href="Ethics Commission">Ethics Commission</a>)

# Focus for the coming years

### Strategic framework for CCAM RDI

- Vision of Autonomous Mobility Development (approved by the government in October 2017)
- Research and Innovation Strategy 21+ (download in ENG: RIS3 Strategy | MPO)
  - ✓ CCAM as the strategic topic
  - ✓ Defines RDI topics e.g. autonomous driving systems and their components, infrastructure elements for traffic management, C-ITS, technologies for active and passive safety, simulation methods, virtual development and testing etc.

### Autonomous Mobility Plan

- To be approved in 2023
- Follow-up to Vision of Autonomous Mobility Development with 13 measures, responsibilites and timelines
- Areas: infrastructure and technical aspects, legal framework and standardization, research, development and innovation,
   education and awareness raising

## **Legal framework** for automated and autonomous vehicles

- best approach expert study on SAE3 and higher operational use recommendations on areas with most relevance
- Driver definition, vehicle with automated system definition, responsibility to take-over definition, liability

## Innovation environment – Mobility Innovation Hub by Czechlnvest

connecting key sectors and building the mobility innovation ecosystem (<a href="https://www.mobility-hub.cz/">https://www.mobility-hub.cz/</a>)

# International perspective

- Research and Innovation Horizon Europe and CCAM Partnership
- HLM CAD meetings and coordination
- Regulation UNECE WP.1 and WP.29, EU (AVC subgroup)
- Mobility Innovation Hub cooperation with partners, organisations and hubs
- Regional collaboration:
  - Visegrad 4 (CZ,PL,SK,HU) Memorandum of Understanding
  - Czech-Saxon cooperation Memorandum of Understanding, joint call on projects
  - Czech-Bavarian cooperation in 5G Memorandum of Understanding, 5GCarolina project
    - ✓ CCAM as priority area (webpage: <u>Munich-Prague Corridor</u>)
  - Streightening of cooperation with Austria, Hungary and Slovenia?



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