Vehicle Probe Project - Overview

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Agenda

- The I-95 Corridor Coalition
- Vehicle Probe Project
- Agency & Coalition Applications

The I-95 Corridor Coalition is....

- An alliance of transportation agencies, toll authorities and related organizations, including public safety from Maine to Florida with affiliates in Canada
- A successful model for interagency cooperation and coordination since the early 1990's

Coalition 2040 Strategic Vision

Develop an architecture for state-ofthe-art regional operations and management, including real-time information

Vehicle Probe Project

- This is a groundbreaking initiative among public, private and academia.
- 18 months of real-time data to seven contiguous states – New Jersey to South Carolina
- Continuous, comprehensive data validation, improving access to information, and expanding project limits.

Milestones

- Initial Task Order: February 2008
- NJ Expansion Task Order: June 2008
- Service Operational: July 1, 2008
- Initial Validation: July October 2008
- NC Expansion Task Order: November 2008
- SAFETRIP Task Order: January 2009
- Initial Validation Results Published: January 2009
- SC Expansion Task Order: August 2009



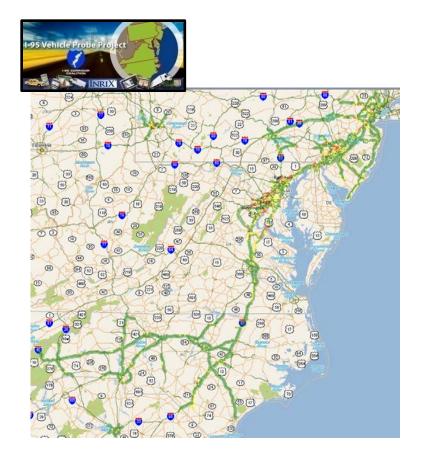
Project Highlights

Contract

- 3 years options to 10 years
- Task Order contract with U of Md
- Member agencies can:
 - Expand coverage, Add source data
 - Access consulting services, Extend project duration

Core Task

- Traffic data feed
- Monitoring web site
- Data archive
- Coverage
 - ~1500 freeway miles
 - ~1000 arterial miles (donated)



Project Requirements

RFP Requirements

What

Avg Error 10 MPH

Avg Bias: 5 mph

- For 4 Bins: <30, 30-45, 45-60, >60 MPH

– Latency: ≤ 8 minutes

– Update Rate: ≤ 5 minutes

– Data Reliability: ≥ 95%

– Data Availability: ≥ 99%

When

- Flow > 500 VPH on a segment

Where

- Core Freeways, Expansions
- Not Core Arterials

Validation

Through September 2009

Speed Range	Avg Absolute Error (MPH)	Avg Bias (MPH)	Hours of Data
Requirement	< 10 MPH	< +/-5 MPH	
0 – 30 MPH	4.8	2.7	233
30 – 45 MPH	6.0	2.1	288
45 – 60 MPH	2.1	0.0	1911
> 60 MPH	2.0	-1.9	9249
TOTAL	2.2	-1.4	11681

Project Status

Current Coverage

- Freeways: ~ 4700 Centerline miles
- Arterials: ~ 900 Centerline miles
- From NJ to SC
- ~ 11,000 Road Segments

Data Access (through 12/7)

- 15 agencies executed DUA
- >300 monitoring site users
- >30 data feed users

Availability since July 1, 2008

- Monitoring Site: 99.90%+
- Data Feed: 99.93%+



Vehicle Probe Project – Agency & Coalition Applications

- Web applications
- VP monitoring site to monitor freeways and detect issues
- Combining VPP data with other
 - sensor data
- 511 operations
- Planning
- Performance measures
- SafeTrip 21



Thank You



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