# User guide

# **TRACE**

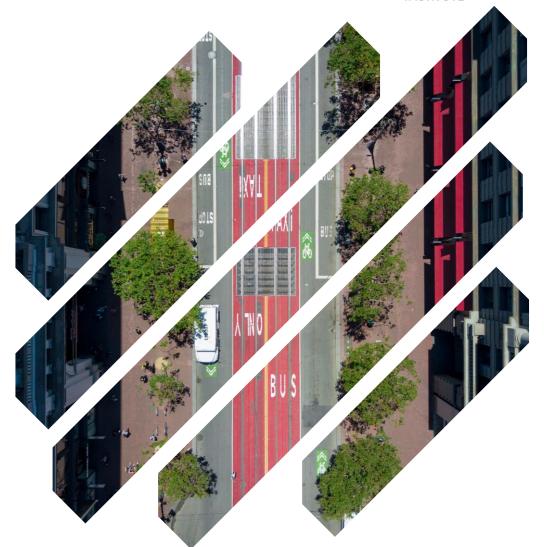
Transport sector climate action co-benefit evaluation tool

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## Introducing TRACE



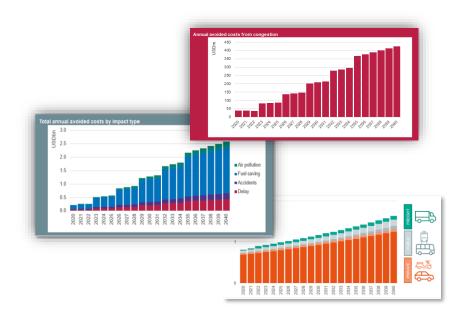
TRACE assesses wider benefits of decarbonising urban transportation. Co-benefits and related cost reductions are often not taken into account in decision processes, likely because they are not easy to capture. TRACE enables a better understanding of these additional benefits, which can support a paradigm shift from 'effort sharing' the global burden of tackling climate change to a degree of 'opportunity sharing' the positive impacts of decarbonisation at a more local level.

TRACE quantifies and monetises key co-benefits of decarbonisation pathways for the urban transport sector. Rather than an in-depth analysis of the impacts, the tool signals key opportunities, highlights how they derive from climate action and points to where further assessment may be helpful to develop compelling policy instruments that can deliver ambitious climate action and provide important contributions to a range of sustainable development objectives. TRACE includes a dashboard to easily compare the impact assessment between emission reduction pathways, highlighting cost savings for key co-benefits between a "business-as-usual" scenario and decarbonisation scenarios.

We recommend using TRACE in addition to decarbonisation pathway modelling. TRACE does not model the transport sector pathways themselves, but complements existing tools by facilitating analysis of the broader impacts associated with such pathways.

This document provides a step-by-step guide to setting up and using the model.





## Model overview



Purpose and features of the main sections of the model

GENERAL

Setup scenario names, define parameters

INPUTS

Insert data for each scenario (e.g. transport activity by mode, fuel consumption, road infrastructure, wage data or projected fatalities from road accidents). A sheet in this section is dedicated to input data from air pollution calculations, which are assessed separately with the AIRPOLIM-T.

CALCULATIONS

Quantification of impacts based on pathway-specific and impact-specific inputs for each scenario

**RESULTS** 

The dashboard shows comparisons between scenarios. Results sheets per scenario, broken down by impact are also available.

**ADMIN** 

Fixed inputs (including fuel conversion rates, valuation of mortality...).

#### **IMPORTANT NOTE:**

Yellow cells throughout the file are input cells where the user needs to include either text or data. Non-yellow shaded cells typically denote where formulas are used to perform calculations or link to other cells.

## Opening the Excel file

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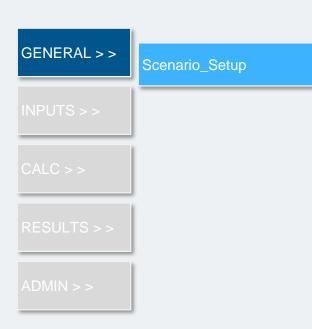
The file opens on the cover sheet with information on the tool, an overview of sheets and a list of acronyms and transport types.





General set up of key parameters and scenarios





- Enter key parameters including name of modelled area, time period and currency denomination.
- After inserting the period start and end, click the box to update the modelling horizon in all sheets (hides / unhides columns as relevant)
- Enter scenario names and their description (the latter is optional).

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Scenario 2

Scenario 3

#### Scenario setup sheet **Summary instructions** Yellow cells to be filled in with intput data and assumptions Yellow cells with orange text require entries to be selected from pre-determined drop-down lists Non-yellow cells calculate automatically based on the input data Step 1 Step 2 Step 3 Enter key country details, timeframe, currency and scenario names and their description in the tables below in this sheet Enter transport sector scenario data in the respective "Input\_Pathway\_ScenarioX" sheets Enter impact/cobenefit specific data in the respective "Input\_Impact\_ScenarioX" sheets **Key parameters** Modelled area Country / city selection Emerald City StartYear Period start 2020 Enter period start year, e.g. "2020" EndYear Period end 2040 Enter period end year (up to 30 years after period start) Click to update modelling Once period start and end set, click on button to the left to hide / reveal relevant time period in all modelling sheets horizon in all sheets Columns for years beyond period end which are not needed are hidden, but not deleted Currency Year Currency year 2020 All cost data is defined in 2020 USD CurrencyUnit Currency unit USD Inputs should be denominated in the same real currency terms, converted prior to entering into the model Scenario definition Enter scenario names and descriptions for up to five scenarios Scenario Scenario name Scenario description S1 Scenario 1 Baseline

Modal shift from car to light rail

Data inputs



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Input\_Impact\_Scenario3

Input AIRPOLIM-

- Insert annual data for each of the emissions pathway scenarios for the selected time period.
- First, insert population and GDP projections for the selected time period.
- Insert transport activity (total person kilometres travelled by transport mode) for transport modes, by vehicle and fuel type (e.g. gasoline light-duty vehicles).

 Insert annual vehicle occupancy rates by transport mode (freight transport vehicles are assumed to have one driver), load factor for freight vehicles and the average distance travelled by vehicle type.

#### Transport sector pathways

Use this sheet to input general data on the urban transport sector pathway for the scenario. The scenario data in this sheet is used across the calculations for different impact types.

General input data	l l	Unit	2020	2021	2022
Population	Population I	k people	10,000	10,200	10,404
GDP	GDP (	USDk	50,000,000	52,500,000	55,125,000
GDP / capita	GDP / capita	USD /capita	5,000	5,147	5,298

Transport ac	tivity by transport mode an	d fuel type		Unit	2020	2021	2022
Activity	Walking		ActivityWalking	pkm			
Activity	Cycling		ActivityCycling	pkm			
Activity	LDV E	lectricity	ActivityLDVElectricity	pkm			
Activity	LDV D	iesel	ActivityLDVDiesel	pkm			
Activity	LDV	asoline	ActivityLDVGasoline	pkm	100,000,000,000	103,000,000,000	106,090,000,000
Activity	LDV C	NG-LPG	ActivityLDVCNG-LPG	pkm			
Activity	2W E	lectricity	Activity2WElectricity	pkm			
Activity	2W D	iesel	Activity2WDiesel	pkm			
Activity	2W G	asoline	Activity2WGasoline	pkm	5,000,000,000	5,150,000,000	5,304,500,000
Activity	2W C	NG-LPG	Activity2WCNG-LPG	pkm			
Activity	Bus E	lectricity	ActivityBusElectricity	pkm			
Activity	Bus D	iesel	ActivityBusDiesel	pkm	2,000,000,000	2,200,000,000	2,420,000,000
Activity	Bus G	asoline	ActivityBusGasoline	pkm	2,000,000,000	2,200,000,000	2,420,000,000
Activity	Bus C	NG-LPG	ActivityBusCNG-LPG	pkm			
Activity	Light rail E	lectricity	ctivityLight railElectricity	pkm	20,000,000,000	21,000,000,000	22,050,000,000
Activity	Light rail D	iesel	ActivityLight railDiesel	pkm			
Activity	Light rail G	asoline	ActivityLight railGasoline	pkm			
Activity	Light rail C	NG-LPG	ctivityLight railCNG-LPG	pkm			
Activity	HDV large E	lectricity	ivityHDV largeElectricity	tkm			
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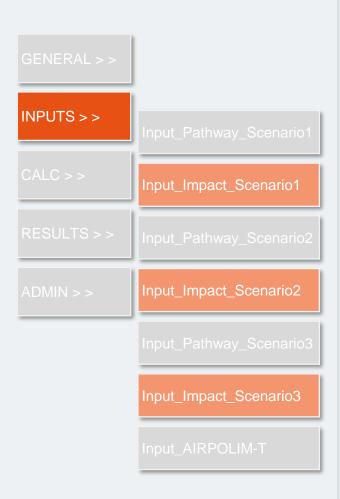
ancy		Unit	2020	2021	2022
LDV	OccupancyLDV	person/vehicle	1.8	1.8	1.8
2W	Occupancy2W	person/vehicle	1.2	1.2	1.2
Bus	OccupancyBus	person/vehicle	50.0	50.0	50.0
Light rail	OccupancyLight rail	person/vehicle	100.0	100.0	100.0
HDV large	OccupancyHDV large	person/vehicle	1.0	1.0	1.0
HDV small	OccupancyHDV small	person/vehicle	1.0	1.0	1.0
Small cargo	OccupancySmall cargo	person/vehicle	1.0	1.0	1.0
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		Unit	2020	2021	2022
	LDV 2W Bus Light rail HDV large HDV small	LDV         OccupancyLDV           2W         OccupancyZW           Bus         OccupancyBus           Light rail         OccupancyLight rail           HDV large         OccupancyHDV large           HDV small         OccupancyHDV small	LDV OccupancyLDV person/vehicle  2W OccupancyZW person/vehicle  Bus OccupancyBus person/vehicle  Light rail OccupancyLight rail person/vehicle  HDV large OccupancyHDV large  HDV small OccupancyHDV small person/vehicle  Small cargo OccupancySmall cargo person/vehicle	LDV	LDV

Load factor			Unit	2020	2021	2022
Load	HDV large	LoadHDV large	tonne/vehicle	10.0	10.0	10.0
Load	HDV small	LoadHDV small	tonne/vehicle	1.0	1.0	1.0
Load	Small cargo	LoadSmall cargo	tonne/vehicle	0.2	0.2	0.2
Average ann	ual distance travelled		Unit	2020	2021	2022
Distance	LDV	DistanceLDV	vkm	15,000	15,000	15,000
Distance	2W	Distance2W	vkm	8,000	8,000	8,000
Distance	Bus	DistanceBus	vkm	40,000	40,000	40,000
Distance	Light rail	DistanceLight rail	vkm	30,000	30,000	30,000
Distance	HDV large	DistanceHDV large	vkm			
Distance	HDV small	DistanceHDV small	vkm			

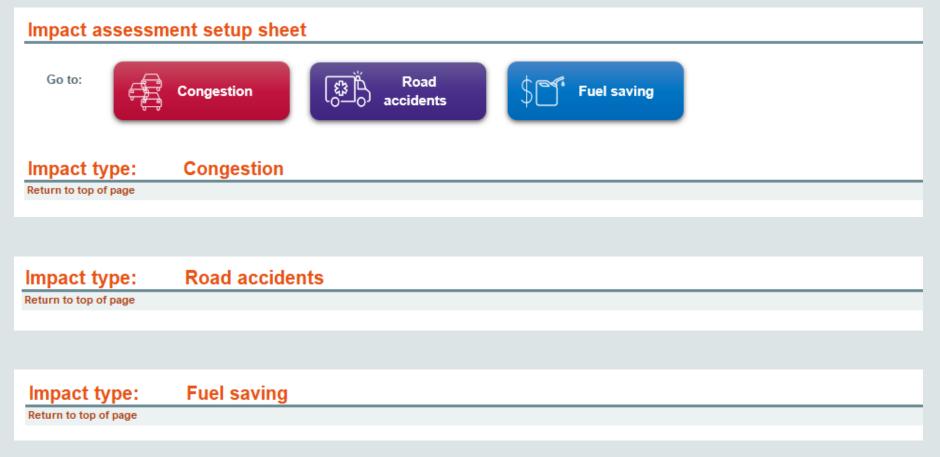
DistanceSmall cargo vkm



Data inputs

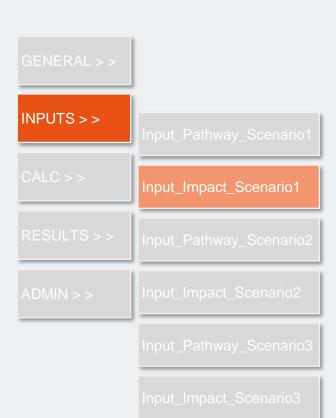


- Each impact assessment requires additional data, such as road infrastructure, income data, projected fatalities from road accidents, or cost of fuel.
- The input sheet is split by impact type. To easily navigate the sheet between the sections **click the impact type** at the top of the sheet to get to the relevant input section and on **return to top of page** to return.



Data inputs





- Note that the setup of the Input\_Impact\_Scenario1 sheet is slightly different than for alternative scenarios.
- Insert the length of mixed traffic roads (a standard road used by transport modes such as cars, trucks, buses, bicycles) for the modelled urban area (multiply by the average number of lanes if relevant).
- The tool estimates congestion indicators based on scenario data entered in the Input\_Pathway\_Scenario1 sheet and derives an average speed travelled in congested state which is applied to "mixed traffic roads".
- Choose the transit type by transport mode.
- Enter the average travel speed by transit type below. The estimated travel speed for mixed traffic rows can be overwritten if alternative data exists.

#### Urban road infrastructure

Road length	Unit	2020
Mixed traffic roads	km	50,000

#### Travel speed of transport modes

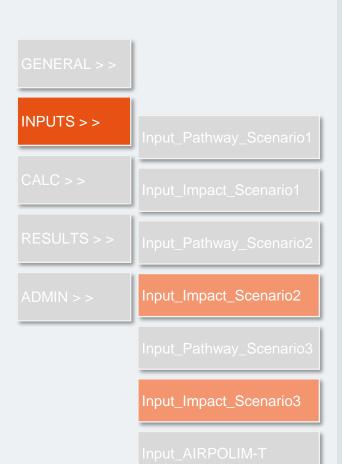
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Transport mode	Transit type
LDV	Mixed traffic roads
2W	Mixed traffic roads
Bus	Dedicated bus lane
Light rail	Light rail
HDV large	Mixed traffic roads
HDV small	Mixed traffic roads
Small cargo	Mixed traffic roads

Travel speed by transit type	Unit	2020	2021
Free-flow traffic	km/h	57.00	57.00
Mixed traffic roads	km/h	42.76	42.76
Dedicated bus lane	km/h	50.00	50.00
Light rail	km/h	50.00	50.00
Rail	km/h		-
Other	km/h		_



Data inputs



 Road length data and Travel speed by transit type are taken from the Input\_Pathway\_Scenario1 sheet.

**Choose the transit type by transport mode**, which may be different than in scenario 1.

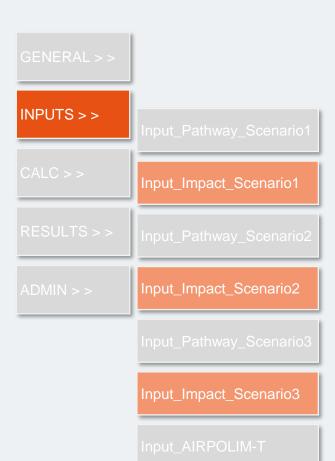
# Urban road infrastructure Road length Unit 2020 Mixed traffic roads km 50,000 Travel speed of transport modes Rows left empty on purpose (to align with Scenario 1 sheet)

Transport mode	Transit type
LDV	Mixed traffic roads
2W	Mixed traffic roads
Bus	Dedicated bus lane
Light rail	Light rail
HDV large	Mixed traffic roads
HDV small	Mixed traffic roads
Small cargo	Mixed traffic roads

Unit	2020	2021
km/h	57.00	57.00
km/h	42.76	42.76
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km/h	-	-
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Data inputs



• Insert income-related data to derive the cost of congestion; fatalities by transport mode to monetise road accidents; and fuel consumption by transport mode and fuel type for each scenario.

#### Income data

Income metrics		Unit	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027
Average workdays p	er month	days	22	22	22	22	22	22	22	22
Average hours work	ed per day	h	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8
Annual salary	Car driver	USD	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000
Annual salary	2&3 W driver	USD	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000
Hourly salary	Public transport user	USD	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000
Hourly salary	Freight vehicle driver	USD	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000	5,000
Hourly salary	LDV	USD	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37
Hourly salary	2W	USD	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37
Hourly salary	Bus	USD	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37
Hourly salary	Light rail	USD	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37
Hourly salary	HDV large	USD	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37
Hourly salary	HDV small	USD	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37
Hourly salary	Small cargo	USD	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37	2.37

#### Impact type: Road accidents

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Number of fatalities	Unit	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027
Walking	k								
Cycling	k								
LDV	k								
2W	k								
Bus	k								
Total	k	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

#### Impact type: Fuel saving

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LDE refers to litres o	of diesel equivalent fuel											
<b>Fuel consumption</b>	by vehicle and fuel type	ре	Unit	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	
LDV	Electricity	LDV_Electric	LDE m									
LDV LDV	Diesel	LDV_Diesel	LDE m									
LDV	Gasoline	LDV_Gasolin	LDE m	4,500	4,635	4,774	4,917	5,065	5,217	5,373	5,534	

Data inputs



INPUTS > >

Input\_AIRPOLIM-T

- Assessing air pollution health impacts is performed separately with the AIRPOLIM-T tool.
- The sheet "Input\_AIRPOLIM-T" can be used to **integrate AIRPOLIM-T results directly into TRACE**. Analysis in AIRPOLIM-T should reflect the same scenarios as those included in TRACE to ensure consistency.

#### **AIRPOLIM-T results**

AIRPOLIM-T is a separate, standalone model that estimates health impacts from urban transport air pollutants

Results of analysis conducted in AIRPOLIM-T (for the same scenarios) is entered here and aggregated / compared to indicators for other impact types

Scenario 1									
Impact type	Unit	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	;
Premature deaths	number of deaths								
Years of life lost	total years								
Health impact costs	USDk	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

#### Scenario 2

Impact type	Unit	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	20
Premature deaths	number of deaths								
Years of life lost	total years								
Health impact costs	USDk	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

#### Scenario 3

Impact type	Unit	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	20
Premature deaths	number of deaths								
Years of life lost	total years								
Health impact costs	USDk	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	

## Understanding the underlying calculations



Calculation sheets

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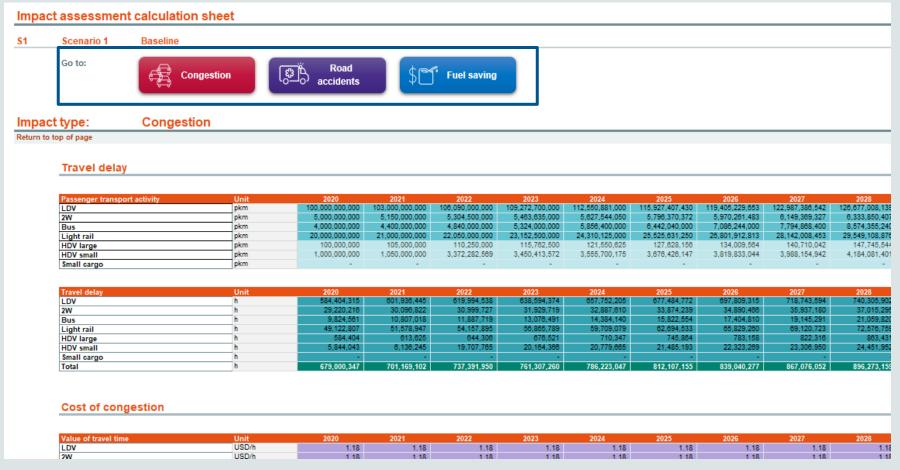
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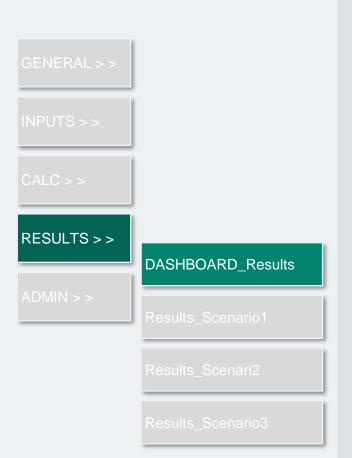
  Calculation\_Scenario3
- All calculations are automated based on the input sheets, as well as fixed data included in the admin sheet.
- All of the steps and calculations are available to review in the calculation sheets for each scenario for full transparency.
- Click the impact buttons to get to the dedicated section and hit return to top of page to return.



## TRACE dashboard



Results comparison sheet

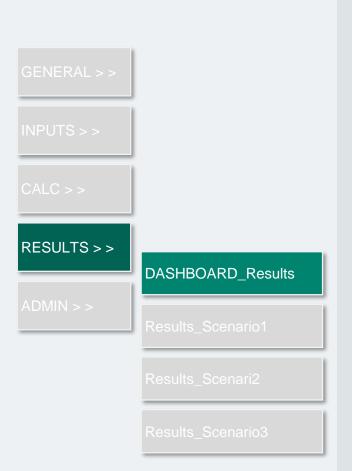


**Select two scenarios** at the top left of the dashboard. The dashboard then provides a comparison between these two. Results comparison sheet Go to: Air pollution Congestion (Fig) \$ Fuel saving Road Select scenarios to compare: Somario 2 Aggregated results over period 2020 to 2040 55,000 (E) million Ligo save 4,700 2,700 18,900 2,100 USD million seved USD million save USD million saw USD million say Annual results 450 300 250 200

## TRACE dashboard



Results comparison sheet



• The **impact assessment** from one scenario compared to another is aggregated per impact type over the modelled time period.



## TRACE dashboard

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### Results comparison sheet



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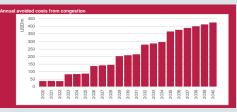
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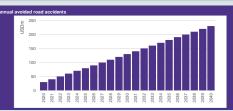
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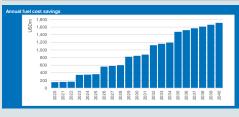
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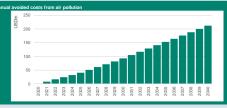
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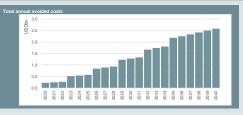
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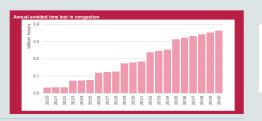




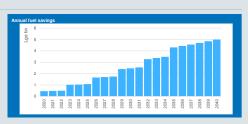


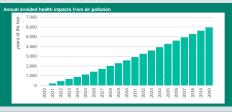


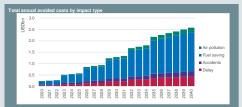












The dashboard includes **visualisations** of annual total cost savings and cost savings per impact type.

Road accidents are a direct input and therefore only the associated costs are displayed in the dashboard.

The dashboard includes aggregated results at the bottom of the set of graphic visualisations.

## Impact assessment





RESULTS > > Results\_Scenario1 Results\_Scenari2 Results\_Scenario3

In the "Results" section you can find the impact assessment for each scenario by impact type. Results sheet S1 Scenario 1 Baseline \$ Fuel saving Go to: Congestion Congestion Impact type: Return to top of page Time lost to congestion for all modelled urban areas Economic losses from time lost to congestion for all modelled urban areas Delay results tables Time lost to congestion

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# Background data

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Admin sheet



• The admin sheet includes lists and default data for impact assessment calculations. Default data is organised by impact assessment type.



