



## **TN-ITS implementation in Flanders**

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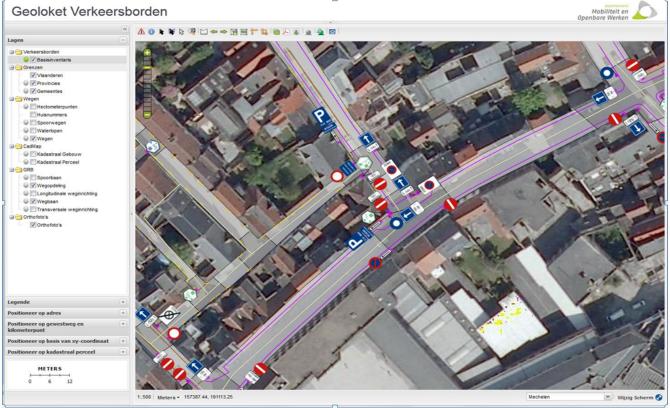


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## Traffic Sign Database Flanders (1)



# - TN-ITS implementation will be based upon the Traffic Sign Database of Flanders





## Traffic Sign Database Flanders (2)



- There are 2 traffic sign databases in Flanders:

- The traffic sign database containing all traffic signs along the highways, main roads and regional roads in Flanders (about 6500km)
  - Managed by the <u>Agency Roads and Traffic</u> (AWV) of the Flemish government.
- The traffic sign database containing all traffic signs along the other roads in Flanders, mainly local and secondary roads maintained by the <u>cities and municipalities</u> (about 54000km)



## Traffic Sign Database Flanders (3)



#### - 2007 - 2011

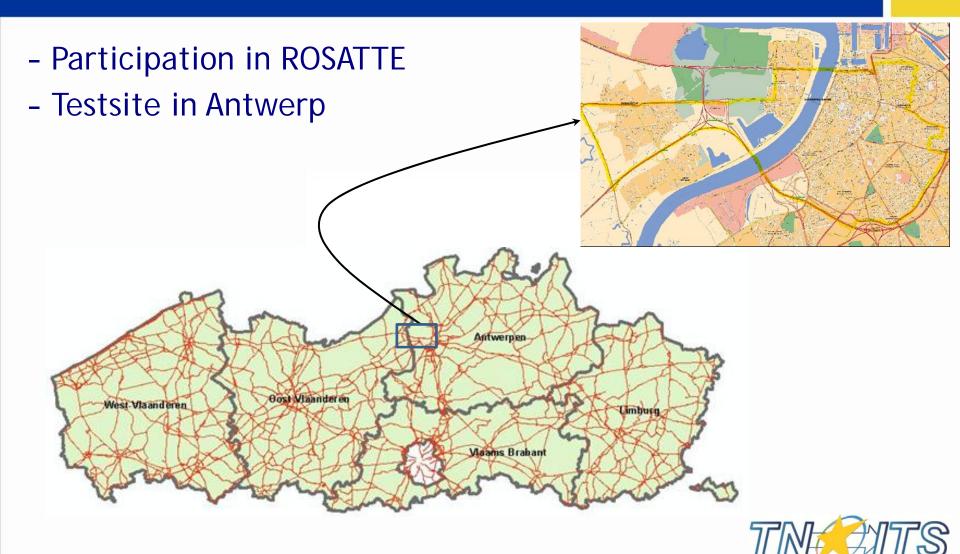
- Inventory of highways, main roads and regional roads by the Agency for Roads and Traffic
- 2009 2010
  - Inventory of the other roads by the department of Mobility and Public Works

Using Mobile Mapping technology









## **TN-ITS implementation - timing**



- 1. Analysis of Rosatte documentation;
  - High level screening in december 2015;
- 2. Providing resources (budget, technical implementation team)
  - Januari april 2016;
- 3. Kick-off meeting technical implementation team on 19/05/2016
- Teamlead is contacting other member states (best practices, Q&A), map providers & further analysis in june 2016;
- 5. Implementation and testing july december 2016;



## **TN-ITS implementation - scope**



All Traffic signs indicating speed limits on highways and regional roads in Flanders;

- Both traffic sign databases use more or less the same data model;
- Flanders has its own road database ("Wegenregister"), which will be provided as "open data" in june 2016;



## **TN-ITS implementation - challenges**



Keeping the databases up-to-date by road authorities;

- There is no legal obligation for the road authorities to keep the traffic sign database up-to-date.
- Agency for Roads and Traffic + Department for Mobility and Public Works of the Flemish Government have a project proposal (merging both traffic sign databases into 1 database, analyse needs and expectations of the road authorities, stakeholders, analyse integration of traffic signs database in other systems such as the Road database, traffic signs as "open data").



### Thanks for your attention!





