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Fair

Fully Automatic Integrated Road Control

Project details	
Domain	Policy Assessment and Tools
Duration	from 01/01/2005 until 30/06/2006
Website	http://www.opitz-consult.de/fair/
Other sources	

Traffic in Europe is increasing permanently and accident rates are still on a high level.

For achieving the urgent required higher safety levels and to improve traffic flows on motorways a new integrated and efficient approach must be designed in an open architecture - to avoid mainly the severe accidents.

FAIR will contribute strongly to achieve this target of the Commission in essential areas for road safety. European Commission launched 21 October in 2003 a recommendation on enforcement in the field of road safety. The recommendation makes clear statements about the use of automated methods in traffic management and control

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Based on the above EC encourages member states to a more active use of automated enforcement methods.

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