

Adapting driver behaviour for lower emissions

Naturalistic trials: Testing the app and training

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Definition of user recruitment process

- Selection questionnaire
- User profile
 - All age groups
 - Different driving routines (rural areas, urban areas, motorways)
- Professional drivers were included in some trial sites
- Vehicles preferred
 - Euro 3 6
 - All types of fuel
- Data Privacy management
 - Consent forms
 - Local data management officers
 - Anonymised data: only local partner could identity the user





Ramp-up sites

Barcelona

- 9 users
- App as information collection module only
- No recommendation to drivers available
- No OBD
- Feedback given on aspects of the App

Luxembourg

- 10 users
- OBD + App as information collection module only
- No recommendation to drivers available
- 2nd ramp-up phase with new release of the App



Data collection tools

- MODALES App as data collection module
- OBD Dongles provided to users
- Questionnaires to users
 - Selection / Baseline Questionnaire
 - Interim questionnaire on training video
 - Final questionnaire on driver support App
- Communication channels with local partner
 - Reporting of problems, questions, comments, etc.



Publicity for trial volunteers: example

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Participa al pilot de la nova aplicació de conducció de baixes emissions

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25 marzo, 2021

Likes:5

Nova vacant disponible

Busquem Tècnic/a de Control de Gestió. Consulta els requisits i inscriu-te si hi estàs interessat/da!



Likes:14 24 marzo, 2021

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Likes:30

Analitzarem la xarxa viària d'Andorra

Hem signat un acord amb el Govern d'Andorra per avaluar la xarxa principal de carreteres del país



Large-scale user trials: Phase 1, Baseline

- Equipment:
 - All participants use the App as collection module only
 - Users use an OBD dongle in test sites
- Purpose:
 - Analyse user's driving profile when do not receive any recommendation related to their driving and low emission driving training



Large–scale user trials: Phase 2 treatment

- The users are the same as in the baseline
- Equipment:
 - All participants use the updated App
 - Users used the OBD dongle
 - The App incorporated feedback to drivers
 - Active recommendations while driving
 - Passive recommendations
- Users received training tips and video developed by MODALES

• Purpose:

- Analyse each user's driving profile when users are receiving training and recommendations on their driving profile
- Be able to compare how the same users changed its driving profile compared to the baseline



Trial sites

Full trials in 7 European countries

Restricted trials in China

(training/awareness-raising only): *Nanjing*





Trial site status

Site location	Number of participants	Specific use cases
Barcelona (ES)	26	Logistics operator
Bergamo (IT)	11	 Taxi drivers Driving instructors
Helsinki (FI)	26	 Driving instructors Young drivers
Istanbul (TR)	21	 Coaches, refuse trucks, cleaning trucks drivers
Leeds (UK)	33	 PEMS-equipped vehicles also to be used for before and after trials on fixed route (somi controlled trial with 2)
Luxembourg (LU)	19	vehicles in Helsinki)
Nanjing (CN)	30	
Thessaloniki (GR)	14	



User/vehicle trial statistics





Euro standard

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User trials in China (1/2)

- Background
 - Issues with using the MODALES apps to collect data in China
 - Problem with accessing Google Play Store directly
 - Limited numbers of IOS users
 - Strict rules for cross-border data transfer
- Mitigation plan
 - Used data from questionnaires to assess behavioural changes before/after low emission training
 - Accessed driving data through an online platform



User trials in China (2/2)

- 30 HDVs and drivers
- Type of vehicles:
 - Euro 5 and newer
 - 28 diesel & 2 hybrid
- Driving data collected from:
 - Nanjing Heavy Duty Diesel Vehicle OBD Remote Online Monitoring platform



Monitoring the data collection status

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	Cerema	18.3 MiB	2023-04-30	🕁 Download	View/Hide	Files
	China	1.9 MiB	2023-04-30	🕹 Download	© View/Hide	Files



MODALES training video

Car driver (15 mins)

- Soundtrack: English, French, Italian, Spanish
- Subtitled: Finnish, Greek, Turkish, Chinese Taxi and LDV driver (15 mins)
- Soundtrack: English. Subtitled: Chinese
 HDV driver (15 mins)
- Soundtrack: English. Subtitled: Chinese





Feedback from the MODALES training video

Short online questionnaire (7 questions) https://ec.europa.eu/eusurvey

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82 respondents:	← → C ec.europa.eu/eusurvey/runner/modales-video-2023	९ 🖻 🖈 🖬 🔥 :
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• LU: 5	Adapting driver behaviour for lower emissions	
• TR: 8	This short questionnaire will help us to assess the training video produced by MODALES for low-emission driving. Please watch the video before responding to these questions. The link to the video on YouTube is given to you by your local partner (trial site	
• UK: 8	Please enter your participant ID. This should be communicated to you by your local partner (trial site leader) in the covering email.	
	1) Please give a rating for the CLARITY (ease of understanding) of the video. Use the slider to score from 1 (the most negative) to 5 (the most positive), with 3 being neutral. Move the slider or accept the initial position. Very poor Very good	

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Training Video: assessment results

CLARITY (ease of understanding) of the video: from 1 (the most negative) to 5 (the most positive), with 3 being neutral





How would you rate your knowledge of low-emission driving **BEFORE & AFTER** watching the video 45 40 35 30 25 20 15 10 Little or None Good Very Good or Excellent Null Average Before After





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Trial results

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Aim & Objectives

- Q1: Did the MODALES low-emission training and education change the driving behaviours of the participants?
- Q2: What KPIs were used to measure the behavioural change?
- Q3: What were the *influencing factors* that affected the change?

Were the trial results reliable / representative (i.e. was the observed change consistent with drivers' perceived change)?

 Sources of uncertainty: poor data quality (e.g. accuracy, adequacy), wrong data selection/pre-processing methods, wrong users!



Main criteria for data selection/pre-processing

- No negative or zero speeds;
- Quality assurance of phase 2 data first (phase 2 << phase 1);
- Exclusion of users who didn't generate any data in phase 2;
- Like-for-like journeys from both phases (i.e. the same route with similar travel time, cross-correlation/convolution for part of the journey).

• Suitable for limited data available, in terms of the number of journeys, total travel distance, total travel time.



Driving behaviour KPIs, influencing factors and emissions calculation

• Main parameters & KPIs related to driving behaviour, based on WP3:

Emission	Parameters	KPIs
Euleeust	Acceleration	% of >0.9 m/s ² or upper quartile of the site-specific baseline, average
EXNAUSI	Speed	% of outside 20~50 km/h, average
Droko	Deceleration of braking	% of >1.0 m/s ² or upper quartile, average
Brake	Initial speed	upper quartile, average
	Acceleration	% of outside -1.0 m/s ² ~ +0.9 m/s ² , average
Tyre	Acceleration on a curve	% of outside -1.0 m/s ² ~ +0.9 m/s ² , average
	Initial speed	upper quartile, average
Combined	Journey score	Distribution, average, % extreme scores etc

- Influencing factors: road type, user type, vehicle type, gender, age, experience etc.
- *Emissions:* calculated using the equations (or emission factors) derived in WP3, and new scoreemission corelation equation developed by Okan



How did we calculate exhaust and non-exhaust emissions from driving behaviour KPIs?

Driving behaviour to exhaust emissions

Speed range (km/h)	a>0.9 m/s² (%)	NOx
5-10	x%	1.08+23.59(x-0.03)
10-15	x%	0.57 +12.37(x-0.03)
15-20	x%	0.69 +15.05(x-0.03)
120-125	x%	0.77 +16.80(x-0.03)
>125	x%	0.79 +17.24(x-0.03)

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Driving behaviour to brake wear





Journey scores to combined emissions







Data is analysed by:

- …road type (3)
- …emission type (4)
- ...site (8 countries)
- …driving behaviour KPI (>5)
- …air pollutant (>3)
- ...vehicle type (4)
- > ...user type (3)
- ➤ ... vehicle age
- \succ ... user age, experience, gender etc.

Large number of figures or tables

Today's presentation focuses on main findings & top-level issues.



Exhaust emissions – before and after training



Exhaust emissions (NO_x) – best vs worst performance

Site	Best	Worst			
Leeds	-6.1%	+2.3%			
Helsinki	-10.9%	+2.9%			
Barcelona	-4.9%	0.0%			
Luxembourg	-4.5%	+2.9%			
Istanbul	-1.8%	+7.0%			
Thessaloniki	-1.8%	+6.0%			



Exhaust emissions – by road type



Brake wear ($PM_{2.5}$, PM_{10}) – before and after training







Brake wear (PM_{2.5}) – best vs worst performance

Site	Best	Worst
Leeds	-41.3%	-7.1%
Helsinki	-64.4%	-10.0%
Barcelona	-31.4%	-7.6%
Luxembourg	-36.0%	-3.3%
Istanbul	-37.8%	-1.3%
Thessaloniki	-33.8%	+4.8%

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Tyre wear – before and after training



Tyre wear (mg/km) – best vs worst performance

Site	Best	Worst
Leeds	-6.0%	+2.3%
Helsinki	-14.9%	+4.4%
Barcelona	-7.1%	+1.7%
Luxembourg	-5.5%	+1.2%
Istanbul	-11.3%	-4.5%
Thessaloniki	-4.2%	+0.2%



Combined emissions vs journey scores









Bergamo



Mean = 9.21

Thessaloniki



Luxembourg





Combined emissions – best vs worst performance













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Trial results from Nanjing (China)



By Road Type







By Experience





EV drivers versus others:



Thessaloniki - electric



Luxembourg - electric





Conclusions – Key issues

- How much has MODALES changed people's driving behaviours?
 - All the sites have improved journey scores ranging from <1% to 17%, which will lead to reduced combined emissions.
 - Most participants reduced both exhaust and non-exhaust emissions after training, as a result of gentler accelerations and smoother speed profiles.
 - However, there are considerable (if not contradicting) differences between users, road types, location and so on – did we have adequate data to catch behavioural change which is representative of the wider population over a longer period, in terms of the number of users, number of journeys, distance, journey time etc.?
- Was the observed change consistent with how drivers perceived their change?
 - > A final online user feedback survey is concluding and analysis ongoing





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Controlled trials: Portable Emissions Measurement System (PEMS) tests

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Real-world exhaust emission measurements from PEMS Overview

The motivation for the study was to perform a real world validation and demonstration of the potential gains obtained with MODALES application



MODALES-project (non RDE-compliant)



Test set-up for driving style experiments studying the real effect of
MODALES applicationNo. No. test

Two test configurations:

- 1. Baseline PEMS tests (no driver aid applied)
- Used as reference for each driver
- \rightarrow MODALES training after baseline
- 2. PEMS tests with MODALES application activated (with recommendations)
- Impact of scoring and possible gains with training studied
- The benefits accounted for solely exhaust emissions alone = baseline results – tests with app activated (and training)

	MODALES trial site status	e Vehicle	No. Test drivers	No. test repetiti ons	Total tests	
Test setup 1 (baseline)	Phase 1	Petrol	No driver aid applied; user driving "as usual"	5	2	10
Test setup 2 (w. MODALES app.)	Phase 2	Petrol	MODALES application in use	5	2	10
Test setup 3 (baseline)	Phase 1	Diesel	No driver aid applied; user driving "as usual"	5	2	10
Test setup 4 (w. MODALES app.)	Phase 2	Diesel	MODALES application in use	5	2	10
Driver ID	Petrol	Diesel				
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Helsinki 2	-	Х				
Helsinki 3	Х	-				
Helsinki 6	-	Х				
Helsinki 16	Х	-				
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Test vehicles





Test vehicle #	1	2			
Make	Skoda	Skoda			
Model	Octavia	Octavia			
Model year	2017	2019			
Fuel type	Petrol	Diesel			
Engine size [dm3]	1.498	1.598			
Induction	Turbo	Turbo			
Power [kW]	110	85			
Transmission type	Manual 6-speed	Automatic DSG 7-speed			
Mass [kg]	1470	1556			
Emission class	Euro 6C	Euro 6d_temp			
EATS	TWC	EGR + DOC + SCR + DPF			

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VTT – beyond the obvious

Route for emissions and driving style experiments



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Recorded driving parameters

Main parameters collected during driving:

- From ECU/OBD: Driving speed (km/h), Engine speed (rpm), Engine power (kW), Engine torque (Nm)
- From PEMS: Exhaust emissions: CO₂, CO, NO, NO₂, PN₂₃
 - GPS position, distance travelled
- MODALES application

VTT AVL PEMS M.O.V.E. assembly

- AVL 492 Gas PEMS iS
 - NDIR: CO + CO2
 - NDUV: NO/NO2
- AVL 496 PN PEMS iS
 - Advanced diffuser charger
- AVL EFM 2"



Results: overview of average driving

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Results – Summary of average results



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*TA = Type-approval values declared by the vehicle manufactureer, note that values are determined in WLTP including cold start **The error bars express the deviation between driver to driver

Results: Examples of real time data, Petrol vehicle _____Baseline ______ MODALES application



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[km/h]

Baseline

---- w. MODALES application

Results: Examples of real time data



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3E+11

2E+11

1E+11

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Results: Examples of real time data

---- w. MODALES application

Baseline



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Results: Examples of real time data, petrol vehic -----w. MODALES application



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Results: Examples of real time, Diesel vehicle

---- w. MODALES application

Baseline





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---- w. MODALES application

Baseline

Results: Examples of real time, Diesel vehicle







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Conclusions

- Clear and evident benefits in terms of exhaust emissions (and thus fuel economy) were found by using the recommendations provided by MODALES application
 - Relatively high driver to driver variation was seen, in particular those with less smooth or most emitting driving style improved most and vice versa
 - Net effect on emissions was seen varying case by case, but overall throughout the fleet, clear improvements with the usage of MODALES application was seen
 - Generally, the application guides for a smoother driving style with less aggressive accelerations
 - This was seen in terms of lower peak power usage during accelerations and in terms of milder milder average v*a positive values
- Net effect varies between fuel type and powertrain type:
 - An average PN₂₃ reduction up ca 45 % was achieved for the petrol vehicle (without GPF)..
 - ..and for the diesel vehicle, a reduction for NOx of ca 47 % was obtained
 - Simultaneously as benefits in fuel consumption (CO₂) and CO was reduced with both vehicles
- This demonstration is solely one example conducted with a limited quantity of population and using a route with many different driving conditions. The magnitude of effect most likely differs case by case
- However, this demonstration proves that using the MODALES app, driving behaviour typically improves from an environmental perspective





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WP6 Impact assessment

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Impact assessment methodology



Computer Program to Calculate Emissions from Road Transport Version 5.6.1

Use the COPERT Software & methodology to estimate emissions from road transport at the <u>national level</u>

- 1. Estimate the baseline emissions, i.e. without MODALES, for year 2025
- 2. Use the MODALES results to estimate the emissions with MODALES solutions
- 3. Obtain the emission savings for the following pollutants: CO², CO, NOx, PM



Using Copert



Data needs:

• Fleet composition, stock & activity data, circulation data, environmental data

• Level of precision:

- Category of vehicles (Passenger cars, Heavy duty trucks, Light commercial vehicles, Buses)
- Fuel type (PET, DIE, ELC)
- EU Standards (Euro 4, Euro 5, Euro 6 a-b-c, Euro 6 d temp, Euro 6 d)

• Biggest issue:

Reconstruction & prediction of the national vehicle fleets using Eurostat data



Stock reconstruction & prediction methodology

- Vehicles registration data are predicted for 2022-2025
- Starting from 2011 to 2025, year by year, the stock is rebuilt and new registred vehicles are attributed to an EUStandard according to the year
- Stock(n)=stock(n-1)+registration(n)out_of_stock(n)
- Not possible to take Euro 3 into account (no data)



Estimated stock for relevant countries



MODALES expected impacts & solutions

Impact areas	Hypotheses	Research questions	MODALES solution
AREA 1	Expected average of 20- 35% reduction in pollutant emissions for tampered/poorly maintained vehicles.	How much can MODALES help to increase the detection rate of tampered/poorly maintained vehicles?	Implement a poor maintenance and tampering detection measure
Contribute to reduction of emissions from the existing combustion-engined car fleet	For retrofitted vehicles, those reaching Euro VI standards will have a reduction of >60% in PMs and NO _x .	How well does the system perform in real use cases?	Apply diesel SCR + DPF retrofit systems on Euro IV & V heavy duty vehicles
	MODALES targets to a 20-30% reduction of non-engine PMs	What is the potential reduction of brake and tyre emissions due to MODALES?	
AREA 2 Contribute to reduction of unnecessary driver-induced emissions though a better awareness by the public of their role in controlling polluting emissions	5-10% reduction of emissions by applying the MODALES low emission driving/riding guidelines	To what extent can vehicle emissions be reduced by using the MODALES app and training?	App & training

MODALES solution 1: Regulation policy

Implement a poor maintenance and tampering detection measure :

- Mandatory tampering detection using OBD data during the periodic inspections
- Penalties to vehicle owners when a manipulation of the vehicle data by an aftermarket software is detected

Parameters used for Copert simulations:

- Targeted vehicles:
 - Light and heavy duty diesel vehicles
 - 10% of them being tampered (source icct-2022)
 - For every additional 1% of tampered vehicles, we have an increase of 2-3% of PM and NOx emissions for the whole fleet (source icct-2022)
- Detection rate:
 - 25% (lower scenario) or 50% (upper scenario)
 - From MODALES experiments (CERTH)



MODALES solution 2: Retrofits

Apply diesel SCR + DPF retrofit systems on Euro IV & V heavy duty vehicles

Parameters used for Copert simulations:

- Targeted vehicles:
 - Light, heavy duty & buses <u>diesel</u> vehicles
- Proportion of vehicles with SCR possible:
 - Light commercial vehicles Euro 4 & 5: 0,5% (lower scenario) or 1% (upper scenario)
 - Heavy duty trucks Euro IV: 5% (lower) or 10% (upper)
 - Heavy duty trucks Euro V: 25% (lower) or 50% (upper)
- Observed reduction with SCR:
 - CO: 50%
 - Nox: 70%
 - VOC: 50%
 - PM: 90%
 - From Modales experiments (Brembo)



MODALES solution 3: App & training

Widespread adoption of the MODALES App + online training

Parameters used for Copert simulations:



Results: Finland example



Estimated emissions percentage of reduction due to Modales solutions for the road transport system Per pollutant, Finland 2025.



Results: Finland, Spain, Italy, Turkey



Estimated emissions percentage of reduction due to Modales solutions for the road transport system Per pollutant, Finland 2025.





Scenario

Estimated emissions percentage of reduction due to Modales solutions for the road transport system Per pollutant, Spain 2025.



Estimated emissions percentage of reduction due to Modales solutions for the road transport system Per pollutant, Turkey 2025.



Results: France, Germany



Estimated emissions percentage of reduction due to Modales solutions for the road transport system



Estimated emissions percentage of reduction due to Modales solutions for the road transport system Per pollutant, Germany 2025.

PM's from Copert

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These are early results:

- Only data from Istanbul & Helsinki for the app & training
- Final results in the deliverable available by the end of May 2023
- Results are country dependant
- Potential impact depends on the stock constitution



Discussion

- Good potential of anti tampering measures
 - NOx reduction between 2.1% and 4.8%
 - PM reduction between 0.6% and 2.1%
- Greater potential of Retrofit for older light & heavy duty fleets
 - NOx reduction between 1.3% and 5.1% for countries with older stock
 - Limited or no impact for countries with newer stock (Germany)
- Very high potential for behaviour related changes through the App & training
 - Difficult to estimate the long term evolution with MODALES experiments
 - Lower scenario likely more reliable as a picture of long term benefits of such systems
 - The "upper" scenario most likely represents the best performances that could be
 obtained by an OEM embedded system





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