A9 Data Monitoring and Analysis Report

May 2017

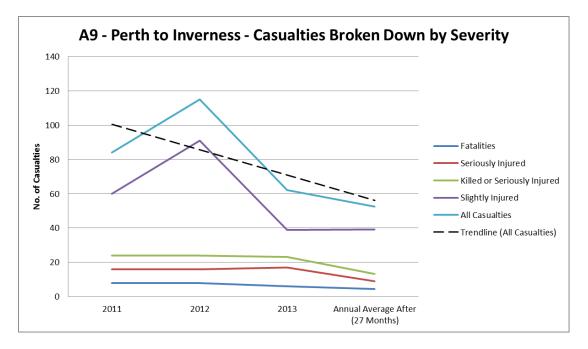
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1. Executive Summary

This latest report updates the comprehensive range of data sets designed to evaluate the impact of the A9 Safety Group's strategy for the route between Dunblane and Inverness. This report contains collision and casualty data for the first 27 months of operation of the average speed cameras (to 31 January 2017) with the remaining performance data covering the period to 31 March 2017 unless otherwise stated.

Given that we are in the final third of the evaluation period there is now more certainty around the data but with performance data being published every three months there is always the risk that short term variations in performance between reporting periods can manifest themselves and provide a slightly misleading picture of performance. This report shows some minor variation in some categories but does confirm that the longer-term trend continues to be downward. The graph below highlights the casualty performance of the route using the latest data and highlights the positive downward trend now established.



A9 Casualty Performance – January 2017

The overall summary is highlighting the sustained improvements in driver behaviour is now influencing the longer term trend of reduced collisions and casualties when compared to the baseline data. The latest data set indicates that based on the first 27 months of operation: the annual average comparison is highlighting:

The number of fatal casualties between **Dunblane and Inverness** is down by over
 44% compared to the baseline average

- The number of 'fatal and serious' collisions between **Dunblane and Inverness** overall is down by 32%, with fatal and serious casualties down by almost 43%
- There have been no fatal collisions between **Dunblane and Perth** with the number of serious collisions down by almost 40% and serious casualties down by over 27%
- The number of 'fatal and serious' collisions between **Perth and Inverness** is down by over 26%, with fatal and serious casualties down by almost 44%
- The number of serious injury casualties between **Perth and Inverness** is down by almost 46%
- The overall number of casualties of all classes between **Dunblane and Inverness** is down by 36%
- The significantly reduced number of vehicles exceeding the speed limit continues to be sustained
- The number of vehicles detected by the ASC system which were considered by Police Scotland for further action has averaged 11 per day since the introduction of the cameras.(less than 0.03% of the overall volume of vehicles using the route). In the latest quarter this has dropped to just less than an average of 8 per day.
- The journey time variation from the established baseline between Perth and Inverness has remained consistent and within the projected estimated range
- Incident frequency and impact has been sustained at a significantly lower level than the baseline promoting significantly improved journey time reliability.

2. Overview

The A9 Safety Group was set up by Transport Scotland in July 2012. The main aim of the group is to work together to positively influence driver behaviour in a way that helps to reduce road casualty figures on the route before and during the A9 dualling programme.

To assess the impact of the A9 average speed camera system it has been agreed to monitor a number of key performance indicators across the route and compare them on an on-going basis with an established baseline comprising of data gathered prior to the introduction of the camera system. More information on these baselines is contained within this report.

This report is structured as a live document to be updated on a regular basis to allow for regular monitoring against the established baseline. It uses established Transport Scotland data sources and does not contain information on the technical performance of the average speed camera system, the operational management of the system or the number of offenders detected. Where information on offender numbers is presented within this document it has been sourced from Police Scotland; Transport Scotland do not hold detailed information of this nature.

3. Purpose

The A9 average speed camera system (ASC) is the largest route based safety strategy in existence in the UK and is one of a range of measures introduced by the A9 Safety Group to positively change driver behaviour on the route. The overall aim is to reduce casualties while improving journey time reliability through reduced incident occurrence on the route.

The A9 strategy key deliverables are:

- Casualty Reduction reduction in the number of people being killed or seriously injured
- Reduction in excessive speeding and improvements in speed limit compliance
- Incident frequency reduction
- Improved journey time reliability

From these key deliverables an assessment can be made not only on the key casualty reduction indicator but also an identification of improvements in the operational efficiency on the route. Driver attitude is more of a subjective issue and a repeat of the driver survey carried out in May 2014 was undertaken in March 2015 to provide a comparative analysis on this subject. The report is published at http://a9road.info/

The principle purpose of this report is to provide on-going monitoring of the evidence base emerging from the A9 to support an overall assessment of the impact of the strategy. This will also provide the evidence base for any further supporting engineering or educational measures if required.

4. Baseline Data Sources

Casualties

The casualty baseline methodology follows established practice for road safety schemes in providing the data for the three years before the introduction of the scheme and the three years after. In respect to the A9 data the baseline data is taken from the 1 January through to 31 December for each calendar year from 2011 through to 2013. Normally data capture would involve the immediate 3 year period preceding the start of the project but given the visible 7 month construction programme during 2014 for the ASC the A9 Safety Group agreed to exclude this period to ensure that baseline data was not influenced by this activity. This ensures that the data is directly comparable to more effectively measure the impact of the mitigation measures. The casualty classification is also in standard format with the 'Killed Seriously Injured' (KSI) being the key performance indicator.

The Road Accident statistics are compiled from returns made by Police Scotland which follow an agreed national standard known as 'Stats 19'. These returns are subject to a validation process and given the steps involved this effectively means that it can take up to 9 months before accurate statistics are available.

While the above structure will be used to formally evaluate the impact of the cameras and this will be published in due course there is a desire to provide an understanding of how the route is performing in real time. To provide this understanding we have published the information using a 12 month rolling average to compare against the equivalent baseline figure. This information is provided in Appendix 'A'.

Speed

The Vehicle Speed and Speed Enforcement Summary Report 2012 was the primary evidence base for establishing vehicle speeds across the A9 and in respect to the Perth to Inverness section the data has been utilised as the baseline for comparison purposes. This data was gathered during a neutral month to avoid the influence of seasonal variations. The report is published at: http://a9road.info/uploads/publications/

Between Dunblane and Perth the baseline figure was established in September 2014 using portable equipment positioned near to the then proposed camera sites which had not been constructed at that point.

The analysis data is gathered from counter sites positioned as closely as possible to where the baseline figures were determined. Due to maintenance upgrades and other limitations this was not possible in every section and the closest alternative was used instead.

The data gathered is spot speed from the respective counters and not average speed which is assessed by the camera system for enforcement purposes. To allow for consistency in the analysis data is gathered from all sites during the first week of each month (Mon – Sun). This will allow for seasonal trends to be incorporated within all data sets.

On some occasions data sets are not available from specific sites due to technical reasons. The majority of traffic counter sites are solar powered and prolonged poor weather in winter with limited daylight hours can impact on power availability. Maintenance and resurfacing schemes can also interrupt data collection.

Incidents

The incident frequency data is gathered from Traffic Scotland's incident management database and looks at all incidents on the A9 resulting in a carriageway closure or restriction. It does not include weather related closures (it does include incidents which may happen during weather events) or planned closures such as road works.

The analysis of this data is based on restriction time with the output given in hours. The analysis does not consider anything which may have impacted on the closure times.

The data output does provide an overall comparison in terms of the operational efficiency of the route and the subsequent journey time reliability.

Journey Times

Journey Times on the A9 are measured using Bluetooth technology and the available data is sourced from Transport Scotland's established journey time stations immediately north of Inveralmond Roundabout, Perth and immediately south of the A96 Raigmore junction, Inverness. The data is gathered in a similar fashion to the speed data in that it comprises of the first week of each month. A further filter has also been applied to use only the time period 07:00 to 19:00 each day which provides a more realistic picture of travel time during normal traffic conditions.

Roadworks can significantly impact on journey times and while routine maintenance on the route is to be expected where there have been significant projects leading to delays these are qualified. The commencement of the dualling programme may also impact journey times and to cater for this reporting will include by section on either side of dualling works.

Traffic Volumes

To allow for a comparison of traffic volumes on the A9 between Perth & Inverness data has been taken from three counting stations on this stretch of the route to provide an overview of activity. The current baseline shown will be expanded with each month to provide the comparative analysis year on year.

The figures represent the seven day annual average daily flow which is the standard reporting format for this type of data. During the recording period Transport Scotland will be commissioning a new traffic services database so there may be some interruption in data management provision during this process which is being undertaken through the latter part of 2016.

5. Casualty Analysis

As indicated in Section 4 collision and casualty figures are subjected to an extended validation process and this report considers the validated data available up until 31 October 2017.

The evaluation for this report uses the 27 months of available data and compares it with the equivalent baseline period. The latest data continues to show a sustained drop in injury collisions and casualties across the route compared to the baseline data. The headline figures from the data are:

- The number of fatal casualties between **Dunblane and Inverness** is down by over 44% compared to the baseline average
- The number of 'fatal and serious' collisions between **Dunblane and Inverness** overall is down by 32%, with fatal and serious casualties down by almost 43%
- There have been no fatal collisions between **Dunblane and Perth** with the number of serious collisions down by almost 40% and serious casualties down by over 27%
- The number of 'fatal and serious' collisions between **Perth and Inverness** is down by over 26%, with fatal and serious casualties down by almost 44%

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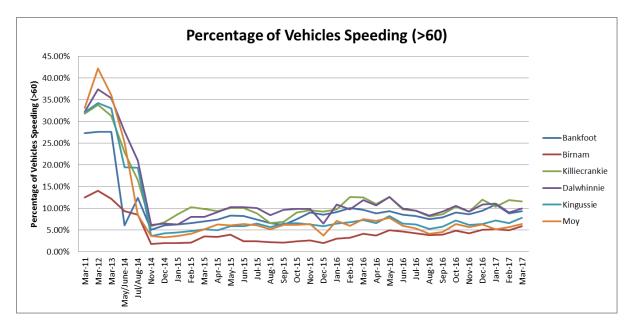
Since the last report there have been no fatal collisions on the A9 within the monitoring area.

While the latest figures show a slight degree of variability from the previous report within some categories, the frequency of the reporting cycle can sometimes highlight such variations. The overall trend continues down ward over the monitoring period as we reach the point that we are two thirds of the way through the three-year monitoring programme.

6. Vehicle Speed Data

The speed profile along the route continues to support a sustained change in driver behaviour. There has only been a slight degree of variation at the monitoring sites since the cameras went live in October 2014 with compliance levels exceptionally high. The latest data continues to demonstrate this level of compliance with excessive speeding levels extremely low.

For consistency the graph below has been updated from the previous report to highlight the sustained change in driver behaviour.



Perth to Inverness Speed Profile

Police Scotland have advised that since the system went live on the 28th October 2014 through to 24 April 2017 there have been 10,107 vehicles detected by the system exceeding

the speed limit which warranted further action. The latest quarterly data indicates that the overall average has now dropped to just over 11 vehicles per day detected exceeding the operational threshold. In the latest quarter this average is 8 vehicles per day.

As indicated in the last report, prior to the introduction of the average speed cameras over 12,000 drivers per annum were being reported for fixed and mobile camera speeding offences within the monitoring area. The introduction of the average speed cameras continues to significantly reduce the number of offenders with the latest data illustrating an annual average reduction of over 66% in the number of drivers being detected speeding.

These figures do not include the dualling construction between Kincraig and Dalraddy which is monitored by a separate ASC system and is subject to a temporary 40 mph limit. Police Scotland publishes the figures separately for this stretch.

7. Incident Frequency & Impact

The latest data set incorporates the incident data from the first quarter of 2017 which continues to support the sustained reductions in both frequency and impact compared to the baseline data.

As in previous year's first quarter figures tend to be slightly higher due to winter weather related incidents. This is again true for Q1 2017 with a number of concentrated incidents over a period of severe weather in mid-January. Data analysis reveals that HGV's were over-represented in the figures and highlights the vulnerability of this class of vehicle in poor weather conditions

8. Journey Time Analysis – Perth to Inverness

The Journey Time Analysis for the reporting period is still demonstrating that journey time reliability is within the projected range. Even with major roadworks on the route this has had little impact on the original projected range of journey times. With the continued downward trend in incidents and incident impact, journey time reliability continues to improve on the route.

9. Traffic Volumes

There has been some inconsistency with the data collection from the identified traffic counters due to a number of technical reasons in the last quarter. From the data which is available it continues to show year on year traffic growth on the route

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Appendix A Collision & Casualty Analysis – Dunblane to Perth

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| 2011 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 14 | 18 | 2011 | 6 | 5 | 11 | 29 | 40 | 2011 | 7 | 8 | 15 | 43 | 58 |
| 2012 | 0 | 5 | 5 | 20 | 25 | 2012 | 5 | 8 | 13 | 30 | 43 | 2012 | 5 | 13 | 18 | 50 | 68 |
| 2013 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 19 | 23 | 2013 | 4 | 10 | 14 | 22 | 36 | 2013 | 5 | 13 | 18 | 41 | 59 |
| Annual Average Before (3 Years) | 0.67 | 3.67 | 4.33 | 17.67 | 22.00 | Annual Average Before (3 Years) | 5.00 | 7.67 | 12.67 | 27.00 | 39.67 | Annual Average Before (3 Years) | 5.67 | 11.33 | 17.00 | 44.67 | 61.67 |
| Annual Average After (27 Months) | 0.00 | 2.22 | 2.22 | 12.89 | 15.11 | Annual Average After (27 Months) | 4.00 | 5.33 | 9.33 | 20.00 | 29.33 | Annual Average After (27 Months) | 4.00 | 7.56 | 11.56 | 32.89 | 44.44 |
| First 27 Months ASC | 0 | 5 | 5 | 29 | 34 | First 27 Months ASC | 9 | 12 | 21 | 45 | 66 | First 27 Months ASC | 9 | 17 | 26 | 74 | 100 |
| % Annual Average Variation | -100.0% | -39.4% | -48.7% | -27.0% | -31.3% | % Annual Average Variation | -20.0% | -30.4% | -26.3% | -25.9% | -26.1% | % Annual Average Variation | -29.4% | -33.3% | -32.0% | -26.4% | -27.9% |
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| 2011 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 20 | 24 | 2011 | 8 | 16 | 24 | 60 | 84 | 2011 | 9 | 19 | 28 | 80 | 108 |
| 2012 | 0 | 5 | 5 | 25 | 30 | 2012 | 8 | 16 | 24 | 91 | 115 | 2012 | 8 | 21 | 29 | 116 | 145 |
| 2013 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 33 | 37 | 2013 | 6 | 17 | 23 | 39 | 62 | 2013 | 7 | 20 | 27 | 72 | 99 |
| Annual Average Before (3 Years) | 0.67 | 3.67 | 4.33 | 26.00 | 30.33 | Annual Average Before (3 Years) | 7.33 | 16.33 | 23.67 | 63.33 | 87.00 | Annual Average Before (3 Years) | 8.00 | 20.00 | 28.00 | 89.33 | 117.33 |
| Annual Average After (27 Months) | 0.00 | 2.67 | 2.67 | 20.00 | 22.67 | Annual Average After (27 Months) | 4.44 | 8.89 | 13.33 | 39.11 | 52.44 | Annual Average After (27 Months) | 4.44 | 11.56 | 16.00 | 59.11 | 75.11 |
| First 27 Months ASC | 0 | 6 | 6 | 45 | 51 | First 27 Months ASC | 10 | 20 | 30 | 88 | 118 | First 27 Months ASC | 10 | 26 | 36 | 133 | 169 |
| % Annual Average Variation | -100.0% | -27.3% | -38.5% | -23.1% | -25.3% | % Annual Average Variation | -39.4% | -45.6% | -43.7% | -38.2% | -39.7% | % Annual Average Variation | -44.4% | -42.2% | -42.9% | -33.8% | -36.0% |

Appendix B - Vehicle Speed Data – Dunblane to Perth

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| Sites | >70 | 70 - 80 | 80 - 90 | >90 | | >70 | 70 - 80 | 80 - 90 | >90 | | >70 | 70 - 80 | 80 - 90 | >90 | >70 | 70 - 80 | 80 - 90 | >90 | | | |
| Dunblane N/B | 32.70% | 29.21% | 3.49% | 0.00% | | 5.99% | 5.67% | 0.24% | 0.08% | | | NOT AV | AILABLE | | 8.76% | 8.46% | 0.26% | 0.04% | | | |
| Crieff N/B | 28.47% | 25.10% | 3.37% | 0.00% | | | NOT AV | AILABLE | | | 5.44% | 5.32% | 0.11% | 0.01% | 6.03% | 5.89% | 0.13% | 0.01% | | | |
| Auchterarder N/B | 29.44% | 25.42% | 3.71% | 0.31% | | | NOT AV | AILABLE | | | 8.01% | 7.91% | 0.08% | 0.02% | | NOT AV | AILABLE | | | | |
| Broxden S/B | 27.74% | 25.73% | 2.01% | 0.00% | | 7.63% | 7.45% | 0.16% | 0.02% | | 10.22% | 9.91% | 0.28% | 0.03% | 13.15% | 12.73% | 0.39% | 0.03% | | | |
| Dunning S/B | 33.28% | 28.87% | 4.04% | 0.37% | | 9.59% | 9.27% | 0.28% | 0.04% | | 11.65% | 11.21% | 0.39% | 0.05% | 13.22% | 12.69% | 0.48% | 0.05% | | | |
| Blackford S/B | 24.81% | 21.68% | 2.89% | 0.24% | | 5.47% | 5.36% | 0.10% | 0.01% | | | NOT AV | AILABLE | | | NOT AV | AILABLE | | | | |
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| Dunblane N/B | 8.32% | 8.06% | 0.23% | 0.03% | | | | AILABLE | | | 9.70% | 9.40% | 0.27% | 0.03% | 7.25% | 6.98% | 0.23% | 0.04% | | | |
| Crieff N/B | 6.58% | 6.45% | 0.12% | 0.01% | | 4.29% | 4.21% | 0.07% | 0.01% | | | NOT AV | | | | NOT AV | · | | | | |
| Auchterarder N/B | | NOT AV | | | | 8.29% | 7.93% | 0.27% | 0.09% | | 12.72% | 12.16% | 0.42% | 0.14% | 11.58% | 11.07% | 0.39% | 0.12% | | | |
| Broxden S/B | 13.87% | 13.45% | 0.40% | 0.02% | | 11.04% | 10.71% | 0.31% | 0.02% | | 16.95% | 16.42% | 0.51% | 0.02% | 11.30% | 10.95% | 0.32% | 0.03% | | | |
| Dunning S/B | 15.74% | 15.16% | 0.51% | 0.07% | Ц | | | AILABLE | | | | NOT AV | | | 12.33% | 11.76% | 0.50% | 0.07% | | | |
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| Dunblane N/B | 9.50% | 9.24% | 0.23% | 0.03% | | 9.09% | 8.84% | 0.22% | 0.03% | | >10 | NOT AV | | 790 | >10 | 70-00 | 00 - 90 | 790 | | | |
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| Auchterarder N/B | | NOT AV | | | H | NOT AVAILABLE NOT AVAILABLE | | | | H | 9.71% | 9.61% | 0.09% | 0.01% | | | | | | | |
| Broxden S/B | 10.22% | 9.96% | 0.24% | 0.02% | H | 8.84% | 8.62% | 0.20% | 0.02% | | 10.98% | 10.72% | 0.24% | 0.02% | | | | | | | |
| Dunning S/B | 17.94% | 17.21% | 0.62% | 0.02 % | | 16.87% | 16.29% | 0.50% | 0.02% | | 10.5070 | NOT AV | | 0.02/0 | | | | | | | |
| Blackford S/B | 17.0470 | NOT AV | | 3.1170 | | 6.39% | 5.77% | 0.57% | 0.05% | | | NOT AV | | | | | | | | | |
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Appendix C - Vehicle Speed Data – Perth to Inverness

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| Sites | >60 | 60-70 | 70-80 | >80 | | >60 | 60 - 70 | 70 - 80 | >80 | >60 | 60 - 70 | 70 - 80 | >80 | | >60 | 60 - 70 | 70 - 80 | >80 |
| Bankfoot | 27.60% | 24.03% | 3.23% | 0.34% | | 6.06% | 5.65% | 0.37% | 0.04% | | NOT AV | AILABLE | | | 8.19% | 7.68% | 0.47% | 0.04% |
| Birnam | 14.10% | 12.62% | 1.31% | 0.17% | | 2.04% | 1.93% | 0.08% | 0.03% | 3.51% | 3.36% | 0.14% | 0.01% | | 2.38% | 2.28% | 0.07% | 0.03% |
| Faskally | | NOT AV | AILABLE | | | 3.12% | 3.02% | 0.10% | 0.00% | 5.26% | 5.12% | 0.14% | N/A | | 5.31% | 5.19% | 0.12% | N/A |
| Killiecrankie | 33.85% | 27.41% | 5.63% | 0.81% | | 6.86% | 6.57% | 0.26% | 0.03% | 9.86% | 9.35% | 0.46% | 0.05% | | 10.06% | 9.50% | 0.50% | 0.06% |
| Dalwhinnie | 37.39% | 28.32% | 7.53% | 1.54% | | 6.49% | 6.17% | 0.28% | 0.04% | 8.04% | 7.68% | 0.34% | 0.02% | | 10.32% | 9.76% | 0.50% | 0.06% |
| Kingussie | 34.27% | 26.95% | 6.16% | 1.16% | | 4.22% | 3.93% | 0.25% | 0.04% | 5.19% | 4.80% | 0.34% | 0.05% | | 5.88% | 5.42% | 0.40% | 0.06% |
| Moy | 42.25% | 34.22% | 7.08% | 0.95% | | 3.38% | 3.32% | 0.06% | 0.00% | 5.19% | 5.12% | 0.07% | 0.004% | | 6.45% | 6.28% | 0.15% | 0.02% |
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| Bankfoot | 6.23% | 5.81% | 0.38% | 0.04% | | 8.55% | 8.03% | 0.47% | 0.05% | 9.68% | 9.08% | 0.54% | 0.06% | | | NOT AV | | |
| Birnam | | NOT AV | | | | | NOT AV | | | | NOT AV | | | | | NOT AV | | |
| Faskally | 3.90% | 3.79% | 0.11% | N/A | | 5.19% | 5.08% | 0.11% | N/A | 7.49% | 7.35% 0.14% N/A | | | | NOT AVAILABLE | | | |
| Killiecrankie | 6.90% | 6.51% | 0.33% | 0.06% | | 9.27% | 8.83% | 0.40% | 0.04% | 12.56% | 11.88% | 0.60% | 0.08% | | 9.77% | 9.03% | 0.66% | 0.08% |
| Dalwhinnie | 9.65% | 9.16% | 0.43% | 0.06% | | 6.54% | 6.27% | 0.26% | 0.01% | 11.95% | 11.33% | 0.55% | 0.07% | | 10.01% | 9.30% | 0.62% | 0.09% |
| Kingussie | 6.49% | 6.00% | 0.43% | 0.06% | | | NOT AV | AILABLE | | 7.34% | 6.80% | 0.49% | 0.05% | | 6.47% | 5.75% | 0.63% | 0.09% |
| Moy | 6.23% | 6.10% | 0.11% | 0.02% | | 3.78% | 3.72% | 0.05% | 0.01% | 7.51% | 7.36% | 0.14% | 0.01% | | 5.96% | 5.77% | 0.15% | 0.04% |
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| Sites | | SEPTEME | | 1 | | | | BER 2016 | | | MARC | | | | | JUNE | | |
| | >60 | 60 - 70 | 70 - 80 | >80 | | >60 | 60 - 70 | 70 - 80 | >80 | >70 | 70 - 80 | 80 - 90 | >90 | | >70 | 70 - 80 | 80 - 90 | >90 |
| Bankfoot | | NOT AV | | | | 9.49% | 8.68% | 0.74% | 0.07% | 9.34% | 8.61% | 0.68% | 0.05% | | | | | |
| Birnam | | NOT AV | | | | | NOT AV | | | | NOT AV | | | | | | | |
| Faskally | | NOT AV | | • | | NOT AVAILABLE | | | | NOT AV | | | | | | | | |
| Killiecrankie | 8.68% | 8.07% | 0.54% | 0.07% | | 12.03% | 11.14% | 0.80% | 0.09% | 11.59% | 10.73% | 0.79% | 0.07% | | | | | |
| Dalwhinnie | 9.22% | 8.63% | 0.53% | 0.06% | | 10.92% | 10.26% | 0.59% | 0.07% | 9.94% | 9.30% | 0.57% | 0.07% | | | | | |
| Kingussie | 5.80% | 5.21% | 0.53% | 0.06% | | 6.39% | 5.77% | 0.57% | 0.05% | 7.78% | 7.11% | 0.61% | 0.06% | | | | | |
| Moy | | NOT AV | AILABLE | | | | NOT AV | AILABLE | | 6.38% | 6.20% | 0.17% | 0.01% | | | | | <u></u> |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Appendix D - Incident Analysis – Dunblane to Inverness

| | | ——IN | CIDENT | S | | | |
|---------------|-----------|-------------|-----------|-------------|-----------|-------------|--|
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| | Perth - I | nverness | Dunbla | ne - Perth | A9 | Total | Incident data is drawn from the Traffic Scotland |
| | Incidents | Restriction | Incidents | Restriction | Incidents | Restriction | Control Centre Incident Logs. Only data involving |
| Q1 2013 | 31 | 98 | 20 | 41 | 51 | 139 | physical restriction or closure of network is |
| Q2 2013 | 23 | 37 | 20 | 28 | 43 | 65 | incorporated. Road works data is not included. |
| Q3 2013 | 22 | 46 | 14 | 21 | 36 | 67 | incorporated. Noad works data is not included. |
| Q4 2013 | 41 | 101 | 14 | 31 | 55 | 132 | Data rafia ata numba rafin dividual incidanta and |
| 2013 Baseline | 135 | 282 | 49 | 121 | 184 | 403 | Data reflects number of individual incidents and cumulative time in hours. |
| Q1 2014 | 14 | 40 | 22 | 38 | 36 | 78 | cumulative time in nours. |
| Q2 2014 | 10 | 22 | 22 | 30 | 32 | 52 | |
| Q3 2014 | 16 | 25 | 25 | 26 | 41 | 51 | |
| Q4 2014 | 22 | 37 | 21 | 26 | 43 | 63 | |
| 2014 Total | 62 | 124 | 90 | 120 | 152 | 244 | |
| Q1 2015 | 26 | 57 | 12 | 12 | 38 | 69 | |
| Q2 2015 | 14 | 34 | 8 | 5 | 22 | 39 | |
| Q3 2015 | 16 | 32 | 18 | 27 | 34 | 59 | |
| Q4 2015 | 15 | 44 | 15 | 21 | 30 | 65 | |
| 2015 Total | 71 | 167 | 53 | 65 | 124 | 232 | |
| Q1 2016 | 11 | 24 | 9 | 11 | 20 | 35 | |
| Q2 2016 | 15 | 31 | 7 | 7 | 22 | 38 | |
| Q3 2016 | 23 | 34 | 23 | 34 | 46 | 68 | |
| Q4 2016 | 17 | 55 | 9 | 17 | 26 | 72 | |
| 2016 Total | 66 | 144 | 48 | 69 | 114 | 213 | |
| Q1 2017 | 19 | 41 | 12 | 15 | 31 | 56 | |

Appendix E - Journey Time Analysis – Perth to Inverness

| | | JO | URNEY | TIMES | 3 | | - | | | | | | | | |
|--------------|-----|-----|------------|--------|-----|-----|-----|--------------------------|----------|----------|------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | P. | ERTH - INV | ERNESS | | | | | | P | ERTH - KII | NGUSSIE | | | |
| | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat | Sun | | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat | Sun |
| Jun-13 N/B | 116 | 116 | 115 | 117 | 120 | 111 | 109 | Dec-15 N/B | 78 | 79 | 79 | 94 | 90 | 75 | 74 |
| Jun-13 S/B | 115 | 118 | 118 | 116 | 124 | 114 | 110 | Dec-15 S/B | 78 | 78 | 79 | 89 | 91 | 74 | 74 |
| Dec-14 N/B | 131 | 131 | 132 | 128 | 124 | 116 | 124 | Mar-16 N/B | 77 | 78 | 78 | 78 | 77 | 73 | 74 |
| Dec-14 S/B | 134 | 133 | 135 | 134 | 131 | 118 | 127 | Mar-16 S/B | 76 | 77 | 78 | 77 | 77 | 72 | 73 |
| Mar-15 N/B | 125 | 129 | 128 | 127 | 124 | 114 | 116 | Jun-16 N/B | 78 | 77 | 77 | 78 | 76 | 74 | 73 |
| Mar-15 S/B | 127 | 128 | 124 | 124 | 123 | 116 | 116 | Jun-16 S/B | 76 | 77 | 83 | 77 | 77 | 73 | 74 |
| Jun-15 N/B | 123 | 122 | 122 | 124 | 121 | 116 | 116 | Sept-16 N/B | 83 | 77 | 77 | 77 | 77 | 74 | 75 |
| Jun-15 S/B | 125 | 123 | 122 | 124 | 122 | 117 | 115 | Sept-16 S/B | 86 | 81 | 82 | 81 | 79 | 75 | 76 |
| Sept -15 N/B | 122 | 122 | 122 | 122 | 121 | 120 | 116 | Dec-16 N/B | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 77 | 74 | 74 |
| Sept-15 S/B | 122 | 122 | 123 | 122 | 123 | 125 | 130 | Dec-16 S/B | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 78 | 74 | 74 |
| Dec-15 N/B | 129 | 130 | 128 | 135 | 139 | 119 | 120 | Mar-17 N/B | 82 | 81 | 78 | 81 | 77 | 74 | 73 |
| Dec-15 S/B | 129 | 131 | 129 | 140 | 139 | 119 | 120 | Mar-17 S/B | 77 | 77 | 78 | 78 | 78 | 74 | 73 |
| Mar-16 N/B | 123 | 125 | 125 | 126 | 124 | 117 | 119 | | | | | | | | |
| Mar-16 S/B | 124 | 126 | 125 | 126 | 125 | 118 | 118 | | | AVI | EMORE - I | NVERNES | S | | |
| Jun-16 N/B | 125 | 125 | 124 | 125 | 123 | 120 | 118 | | | _ | | | | _ | _ |
| Jun-16 S/B | 124 | 125 | 129 | 124 | 124 | 119 | 119 | | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat | Sun |
| Sept -16 N/B | 130 | 124 | 124 | 124 | 123 | 119 | 120 | Dec-15 N/B | 33 | 34 | 32 | 34 | 32 | 29 | 29 |
| Sept-16 S/B | 133 | 129 | 129 | 129 | 126 | 121 | 121 | Dec-15 S/B | 33 | 35 | 32 | 33 | 31 | 29 | 29 |
| Dec-16 N/B | 126 | 125 | 125 | 124 | 124 | 118 | 119 | Mar-16 N/B | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 29 | 28 |
| Dec-16 S/B | 125 | 126 | 125 | 125 | 126 | 118 | 119 | Mar-16 S/B | 30 | 31 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 28 | 28 |
| Mar-17 N/B | 130 | 131 | 127 | 130 | 124 | 119 | 118 | Jun-16 N/B | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 28 | 28 |
| Mar-17 S/B | 126 | 126 | 128 | 127 | 126 | 118 | 118 | Jun-16 S/B | 30 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 29 | 28 | 29 |
| | | | | | | | | Sept-16 N/B | 29 | 30 | 30 | 30 | 29 29 | 28 29 | 28 28 |
| | | | | | | | | Sept-16 S/B | 30 | 31 | 30 | 30 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | Dec-16 N/B Dec-16 S/B | 31 31 | 30 31 | 30 31 | 30 30 | 30 30 | 29 28 | 28 28 |
| | | | VARIAT | ION | | | | Mar-17 N/B | 31 | 32 | 31 | 31 | 30 | 28 | 28 |
| Dec-14 N/B | 15 | 15 | 17 | 11 | 4 | 5 | 15 | Mar-17 S/B | 31 | 31 | 31 | 31 | 31 | 28 | 28 |
| Dec-14 N/B | 19 | 15 | 17 | 18 | 7 | 4 | 17 | IVIAI-17 3/B | 31 | 31 | 31 | 31 | 31 | 20 | 26 |
| Mar-15 N/B | 9 | 13 | 13 | 10 | 4 | 3 | 7 | | | | | | | | |
| Mar-15 N/B | 12 | 10 | 6 | 8 | -1 | 2 | 6 | | | | | | | | |
| Jun-15 N/B | 7 | 6 | 7 | 7 | 1 | 5 | 7 | | | | | | | | |
| Jun-15 S/B | 10 | 5 | 4 | 8 | -2 | 3 | 5 | | | | | | | | |
| Sept -15 N/B | 6 | 6 | 7 | 5 | 1 | 9 | 7 | | | | | | | | |
| Sept-15 S/B | 7 | 4 | 5 | 6 | -1 | 11 | 20 | | | | | | | | |
| Dec-15 N/B | 13 | 14 | 13 | 18 | 19 | 8 | 11 | | | | | | | | |
| Dec-15 S/B | 14 | 13 | 11 | 24 | 15 | 5 | 10 | | | | | | | | |
| Mar-16 N/B | 7 | 9 | 10 | 9 | 4 | 6 | 10 | | | | | | | | |
| Mar-16 S/B | 9 | 8 | 7 | 10 | 1 | 4 | 8 | | | | | | | | |
| Jun-16 N/B | 9 | 9 | 9 | 8 | 3 | 9 | 9 | | | | | | | | |
| Jun-16 S/B | 9 | 7 | 11 | 8 | 0 | 5 | 9 | | | | | | | | |
| Sept -16 N/B | 14 | 8 | 9 | 7 | 3 | 8 | 11 | | | | | | | | |
| Sept-16 S/B | 18 | 11 | 11 | 13 | 2 | 7 | 11 | | | | | | | | |
| Dec-16 N/B | 10 | 9 | 10 | 7 | 4 | 7 | 10 | | | | | | | | |
| Dec-16 S/B | 10 | 8 | 7 | 9 | 2 | 4 | 9 | | | | | | | | |
| Mar-17 N/B | 14 | 15 | 12 | 13 | 4 | 8 | 9 | | | | | | | | |
| Mar-17 S/B | 11 | 8 | 10 | 11 | 2 | 4 | 8 | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Appendix F – Traffic Volumes Perth to Inverness

| | | Traffic V | olume F | igures - | 7 Day An | nual Ave | erage Da | ily Flow | (Two Way) | | | |
|---------------------|-----------|----------------------|---------|----------|----------|----------------------|----------|----------|-----------------------------------|---------|-----------|-------------|
| | | OMPARIS | | Н | | OMPAR 013 BAS | | тн | 20 | | PARISON V | MTH |
| | Birnam A | verage ie Average | 2.7% | | Birnam A | verage ie Average | 1.9%* | | Birnam Average Dalwhinnie Average | | | N/A 8.4% |
| | Moy Avera | age | 2.9% | | Moy Aver | age | 5. | .4% | Moy Av | erage | | 5.4% |
| 2016 - 2017 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Birnam | January | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | Decembe |
| 2016 | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| 2017 | N/A | N/A | N/A | _ | | | _ | | | | | |
| % Increase/Decrease | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A |
| Birnam Average | N/A | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Dalwhinnie | January | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | Decembe |
| 2016 | 6,340 | 7,545 | 8,612 | 9,632 | 10,096 | 10,742 | 12,111 | 12,186 | 11,023 | 10,608 | 8,041 | N/A |
| 2017 | 5,869 | 8,105 | 8,380 | | | | | | | | | |
| % Increase/Decrease | -7.4% | 7.4% | -2.7% | | | | | | | | | |
| Dalwhinnie Average | -0.9% | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Mov | January | February | March | April | May | June | July | August | September | October | November | Decembe |
| 2016 | 7,122 | 8,182 | 9,133 | 9,880 | 10,460 | 10,660 | 10,745 | 11,144 | N/A | 10,261 | 9,003 | 8,599 |
| 2017 | 7,630 | 8,600 | N/A | | | | , | | | | • | |
| % Increase/Decrease | 7.1% | 5.1% | N/A | | | | | | | | | |
| Moy Average | 6.1% | | | | | | | | | | | |