
The Management & Benefits of Automated Survey Data Collection

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Collection Contracts**

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There's a lot to consider when running a pavement condition survey...

Overview

- Procurement
- Contract Management
- Operating in New Zealand
- Validation
- How the survey data is used by us

**All you have to do
is pay the invoice.**





Procurement

Securing the best suppliers

- **Survey history, from the early 90's**
- **Independent management and quality assurance, late 90's**
- **Continuity and risk**
- **Detailed contract specifications**
- **Considering the supplier market**

Contract Management Teamwork



Performance

Commitment

Reliability

Team Spirit



Contract Management

Teamwork

Collaborative Team Management

The task is too big or the time is too short for one organisation to do all the work.

No one organisation has all the knowledge required to do the task.

A group represents different perspectives.

The stakes for the task are so high that the organisation wants the best efforts of as many people as necessary.

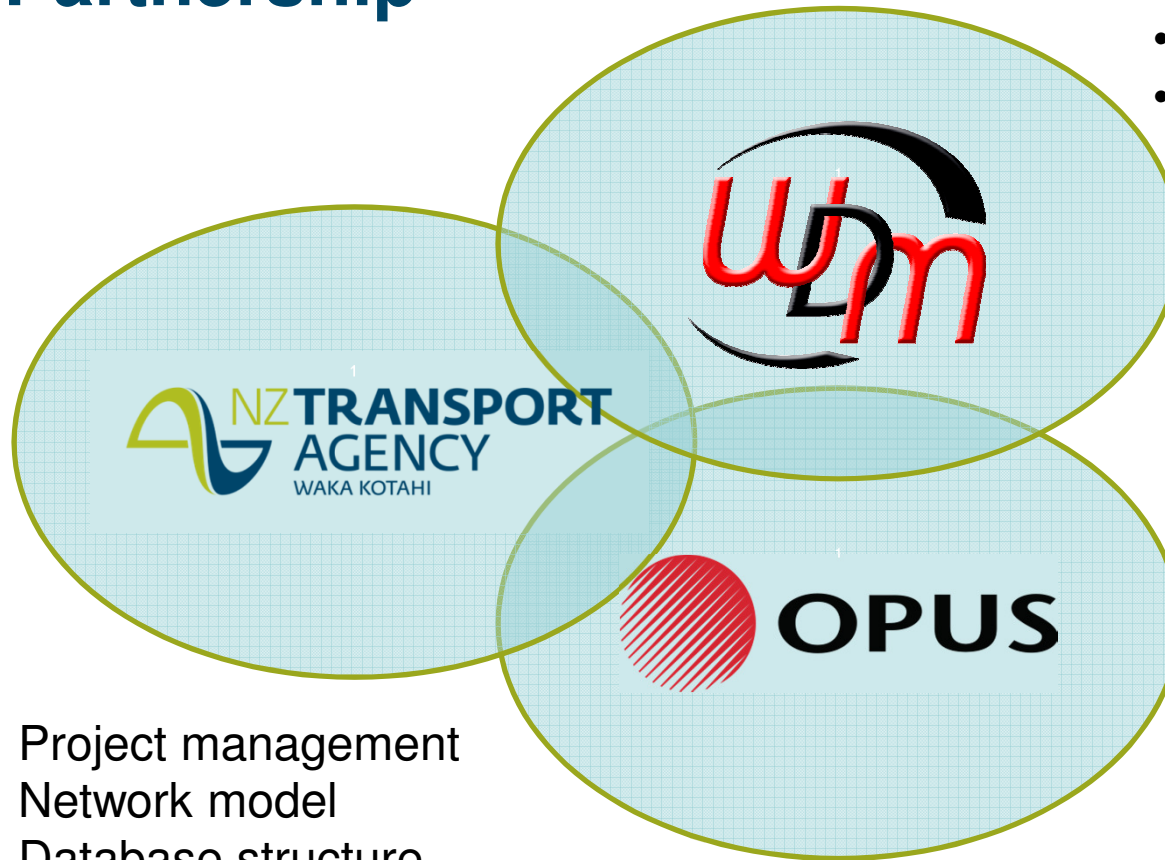
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Contract Management Partnership



- Contract management
- Equipment
- Surveys management
- Data delivery

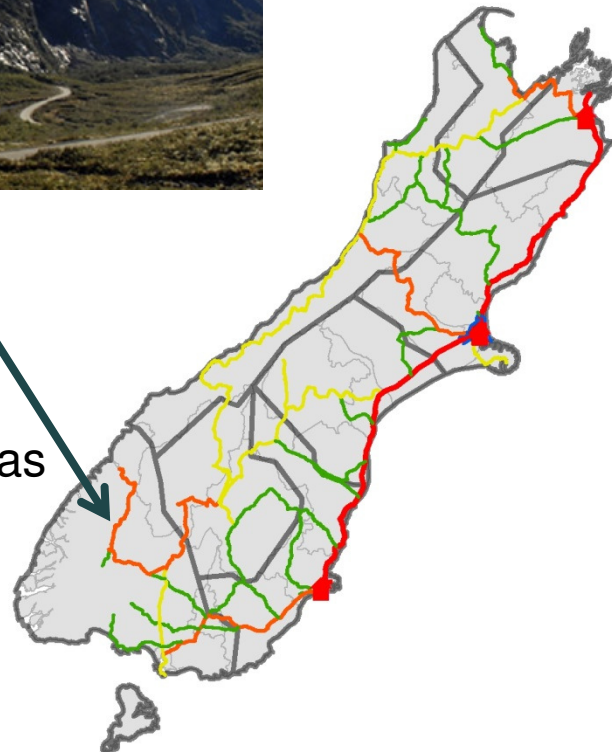
- Project management
- Network model
- Database structure
- Data management procedures

- Project management
- Technical advice
- Data validation & loading
- Reporting

Operating in NZ Our Network



- 24 Network Management Areas
- 5 State Highway Classifications

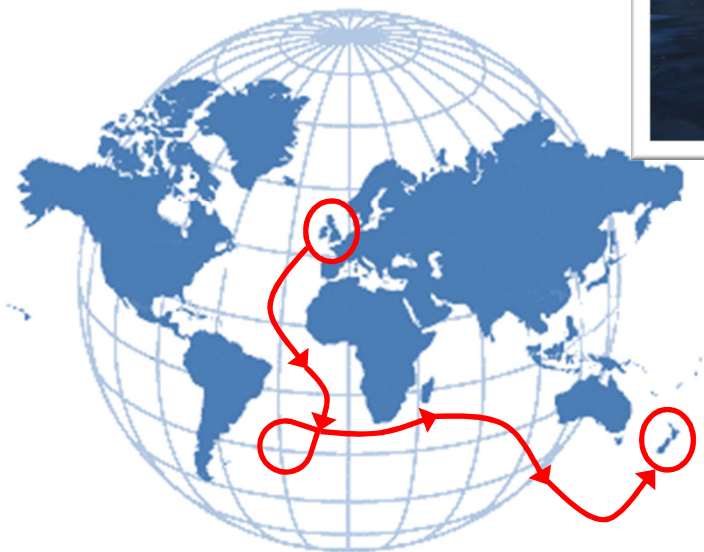


- 68 TLAs
- 10 Regional offices



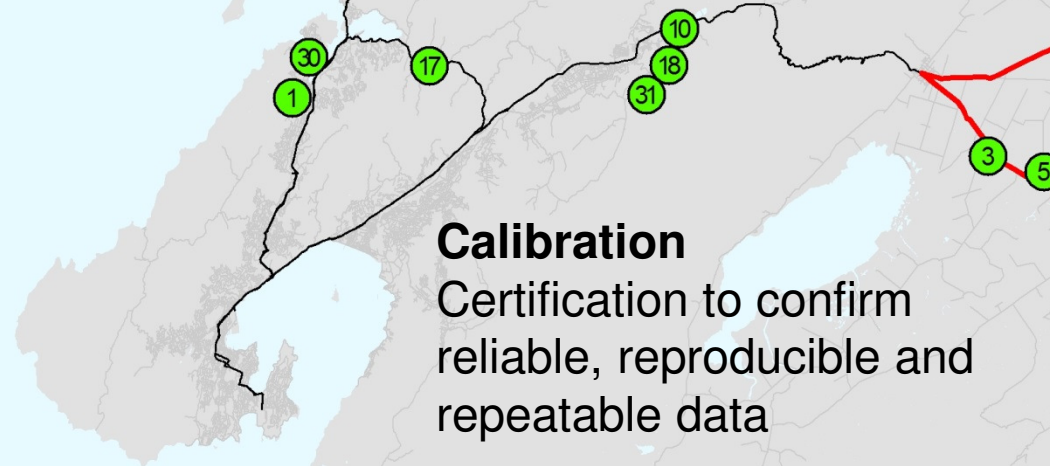
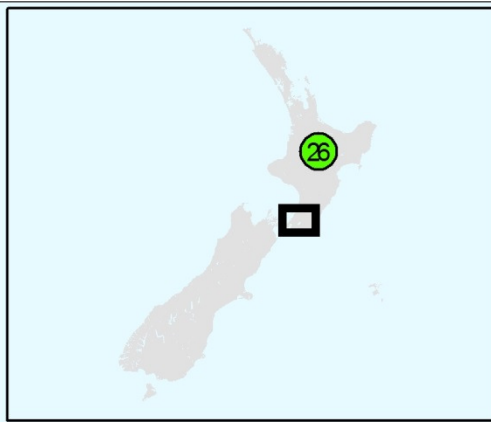
Operating in NZ Logistics

- Transportation
- Licensing
- Operator requirements
- Insurance



Operating on New Zealand roads





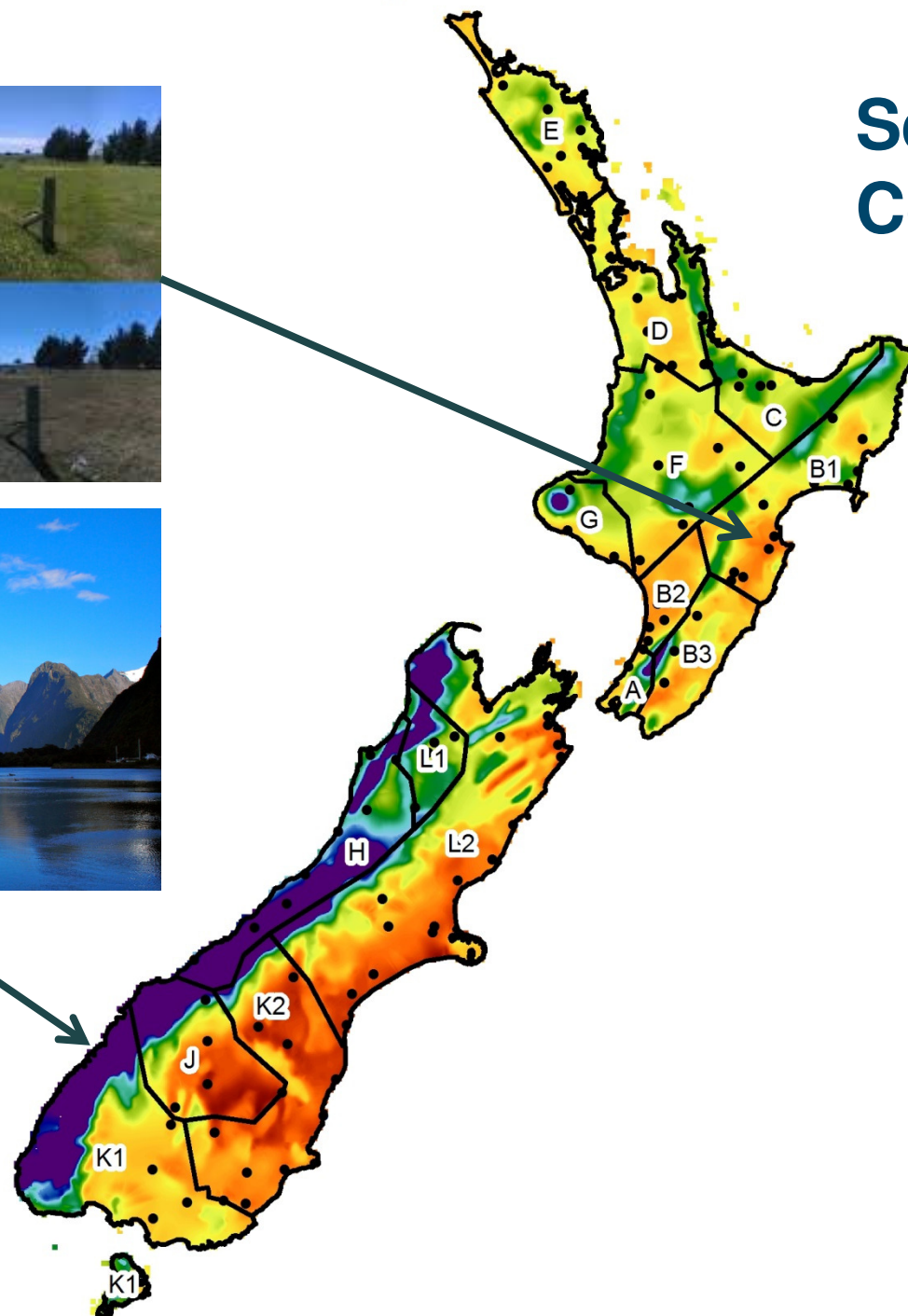
Calibration
Certification to confirm
reliable, reproducible and
repeatable data

The validation process

- Pre-validation reports
- Equipment validation
- 100km trial validation
- Validation reports

Calibration & Validation

Seasonal Correction



Legend

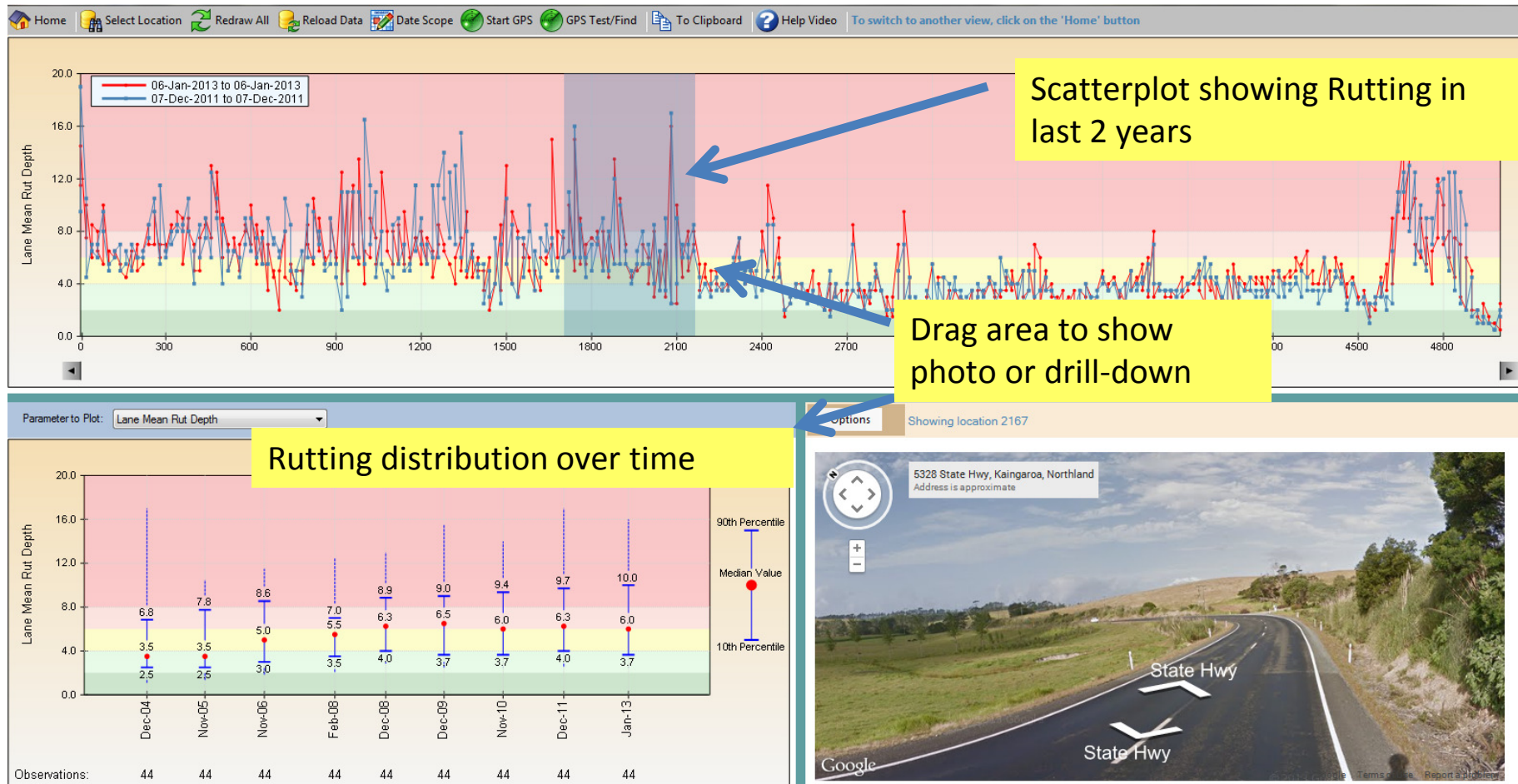
- Seasonal control sites
 - Seasonal correction zones
- Median Annual rainfall
(NIWA)
- 4 metres +
<250mm

Integration with Stakeholder Systems

- **T10 Skid resistance policy**
- **Exception reports**
- **Annual planning**
- **Using survey data in other systems**
 - KiwiRAP Analysis Tool (KAT)
 - Road runner
 - JunoViewer

Visualising Survey Data

Northland Network Example



Partnership

Database
Management

Procurement

Contract
Specifications

Logistics

**There's a lot to consider when
running a national survey.**

Integrating
Results

Validation

Technical
Advice

Network
Management
Areas

External
Liaison