

#### **FUTURE RESILIENT TRANSPORT SYSTEMS**













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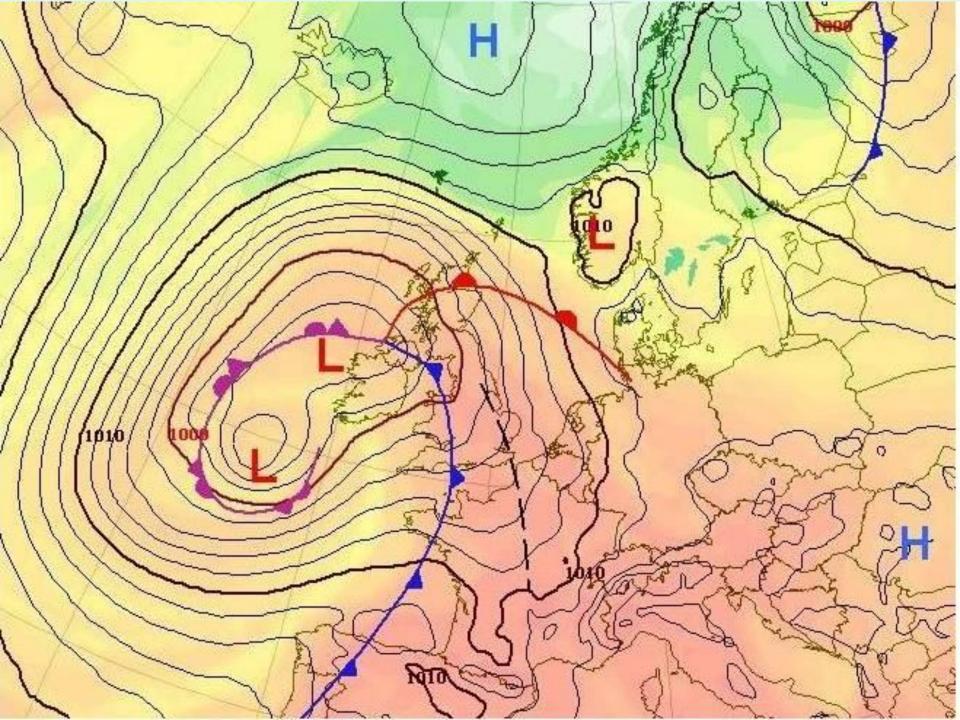






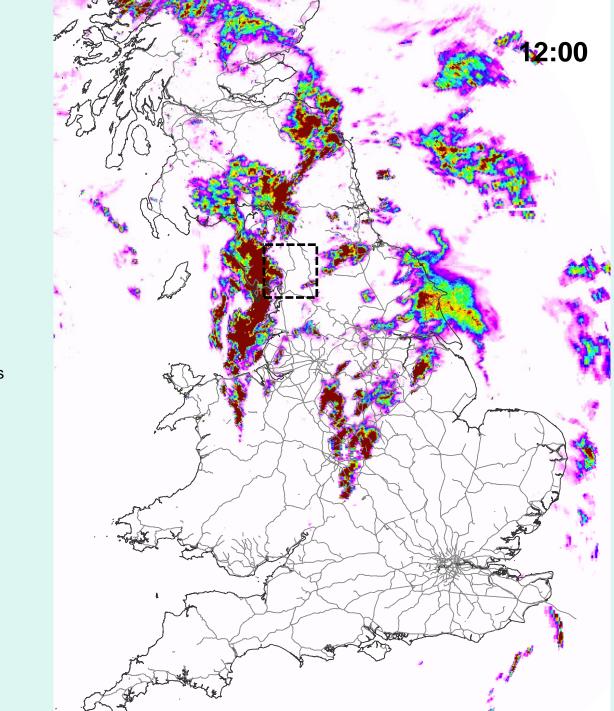




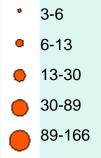


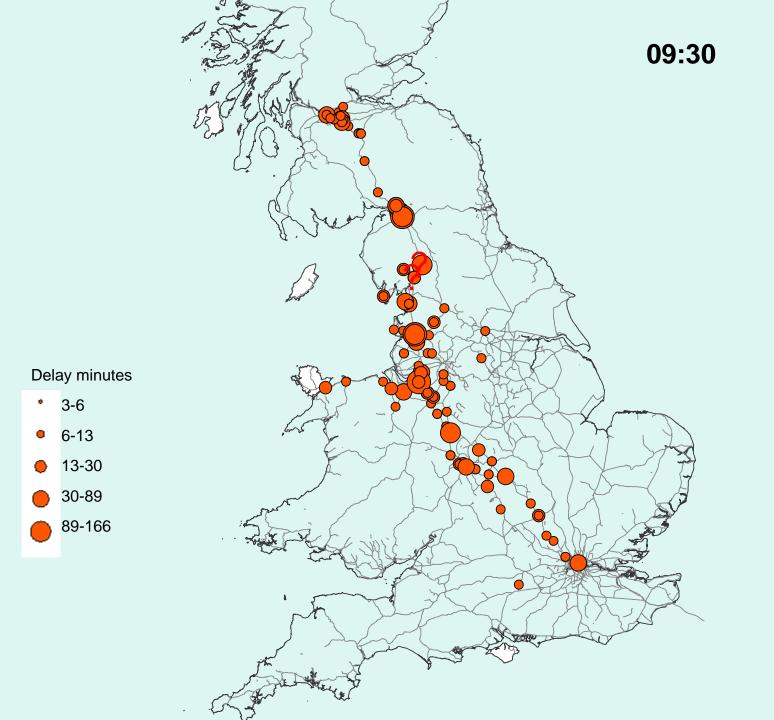
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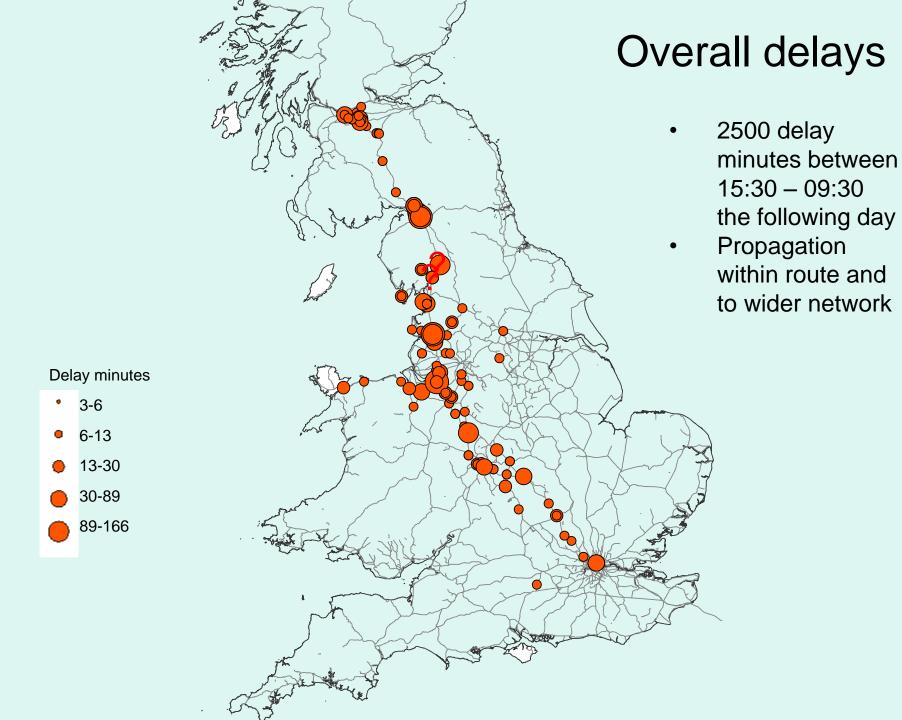


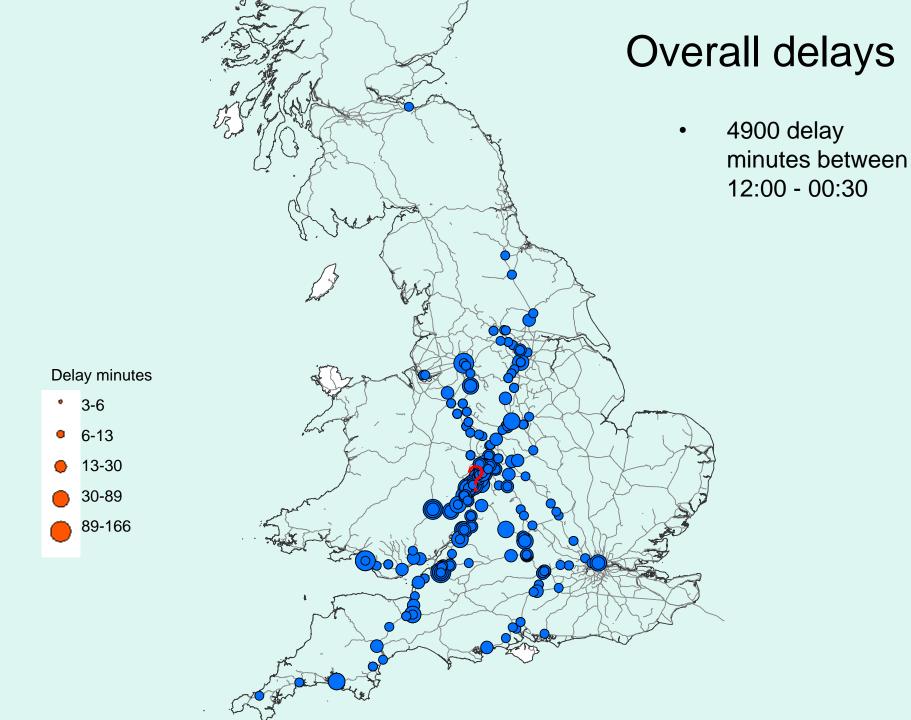


#### Delay minutes









# The effect of other extreme weather on UK transport operation

### July 2007













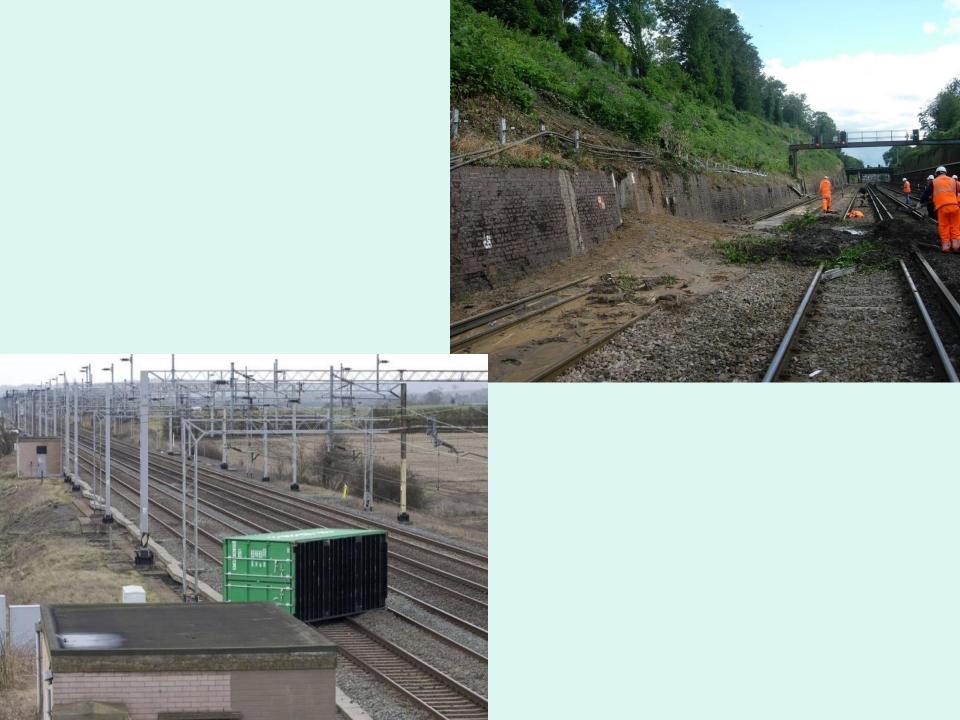
















	Typical % Increase In Overtopping	Events Resulting In Both Lines Being Shut
2006	0	1 in 6
2020	50%	1 in 3.5
2050	125%	1 in 2
2080	250%	1 in 1



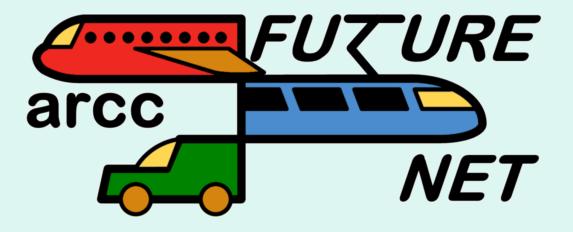












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### Programme

- *FUTURENET* (Prof C Baker)
- What does the future look like? (Dr A Quinn)
- Modelling system resilience (Prof N Dixon)
- Using *FUTURENET* methodology (Mr J Dora)
- Summing up (Prof C Baker)
- Questions with panel

### The context

- Climate Change Act
- Adaptation reporting requirements
  - Network Rail
  - Highways Agency
  - London Underground
- Research Councils
  - Living with Environmental Change
  - Adaptation and Resilience to Climate Change

### ARCC projects

- <u>All in One</u>: Feasibility analysis of supplying all services through one utility product, Dr Fatih Camci, Cranfield University
- <u>ARCADIA</u>: Adaptation and Resilience in Cities: Analysis and Decision making using Integrated Assessment, Prof. Jim Hall, Newcastle University
- <u>ARCC-Water</u>: Water System Resilience, Dr Mark New, University of Oxford
- <u>ARCOES</u>: Adaptation and Resilience of Coastal Energy Supply, Prof. Andrew Plater, University of Liverpool
- <u>ARIES</u>: Adaptation and Resilience In Energy Systems, Prof. Gareth Harrison, University of Edinburgh
- BIOPICCC: Built Infrastructure for Older People in Conditions of Climate Change, Prof. Sarah Curtis, Durham University
- <u>CLUES</u>: Challenging lock-in through urban energy systems, Prof Yvonne Rydin, UCL

### **ARCC** projects

- <u>DeDeRHECC</u>: Design & Delivery of Robust Hospital Environments in a Changing Climate, Prof. Alan A Short, University of Cambridge
- **FUTURENET**: Future Resilient Transport Networks Prof. Chris Baker, University of Birmingham
- ITRC: The UK Infrastructure Transitions Research Consortium, Prof Jim Hall, Newcastle University
- Land of the MUSCos: Multiple-Utility Service Companies, Dr Julia K Steinberger, University of Leeds
- RESNET: Resilient Electricity Networks for GB, Prof. Kevin Anderson, University of Manchester
- <u>Retrofit2050</u>: Re-engineering the city 2020-2050: Urban foresight and transition management, Prof Malcolm Eames, University of Cardiff

### ARCC projects

- <u>SECURE</u>: Self-conserving urban environments, Prof Margaret Bell, Newcastle University
- **SHOCK (not) Horror**: Prof Stephanie Glendinning, Newcastle University
- <u>SNACC</u>: Suburban neighbourhood adaptation for a changing climate: identifying effective, practical and acceptable means of suburban re-design, Prof. Katie Williams, University of the West of England
- <u>STEP-CHANGE</u>: Sustainable Transport Evidence and modelling Paradigms: Cohort Household Analysis to support New Goals in Engineering design, Prof Miles Tight, University of Birmingham
- <u>TUCP</u>: Transforming Utilities' Conversion Points, Dr Liz Varga, Cranfield University
- <u>Undermining Infrastructure</u>: Avoiding the scarcity trap, Prof Phil Purnell, University of Leed

### Other projects

- EU FP7
  - EWENT
  - WEATHER
  - MOWE-IT
- RSSB TRaCCA









### FUTURENET

- ARCC funded project 2010-2013
- Project addresses two issues
  - What will be the nature of the UK transport system in 2050, both in terms of its physical characteristics and its usage?
  - What will be the shape of the transport network in 2050 that will be most resilient to climate change?

### Climate change?

 Quote by Sir John Beddington, Government Chief Scientific Advisor

"Anyone is allowed to have their own opinion, but not their own facts"

 Those who doubt the influence of man on climate change should look at the facts

http://www.newscientist.com/topic/climate-change

#### Climate change forecasts

- A clear message from the models is that variability and occurrence of extreme events will increase.
- Standard deviation of precipitation and temperature events are forecast to change
  2X that of mean values

### FUTURENET

- Definition of resilience
  - Resilience is the ability to provide and maintain an acceptable level of service in the face of challenges to normal operation
  - Acceptable service level different for different sectors

### FUTURENET

- Three viewpoints
  - Policy maker
  - Infrastructure manager
  - Traveller
- Quantitative and qualitative approaches
  - Numerical values of "resilience"
  - Consideration of different futures

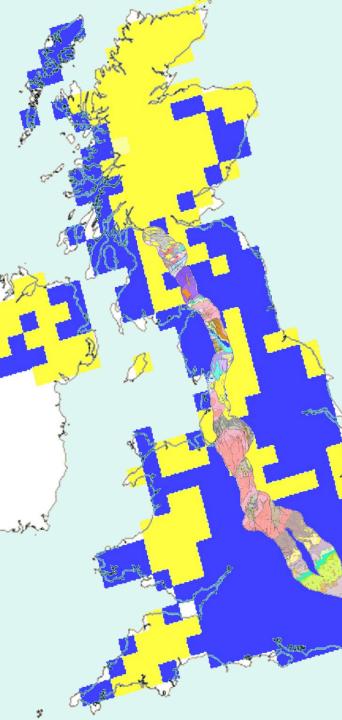
#### The approach – model integration

#### Integration of

- Social scenario studies
- Travel behaviour studies
- Meteorological / climate studies
- Transport modelling
- Weather effects on infrastructure and vehicles

#### The approach

- Levels of calculation
  - Calculation of resilience of complete routes (London-Glasgow chosen as example)
  - Detailed calculations of local effects of different weather events (landslip, flooding etc)
- Ideal calculation would begin with local modelling and aggregate results for complete route



### Case study route

- London-Glasgow route corridor chosen
  - Economically important
  - Climatic factors vary
  - Geographic diversity
  - Significant sub-routes

### Outputs

- Resilience calculation methodologies for
  - Complete routes
  - Specific infrastructure
- Identification of issues to be addressed



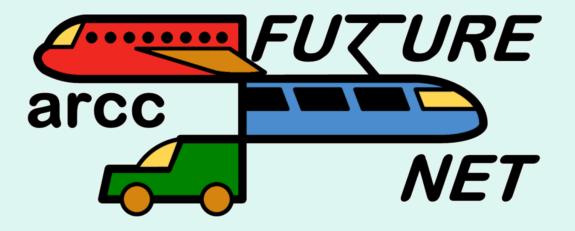












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