
TYRE WEAR MAPPING

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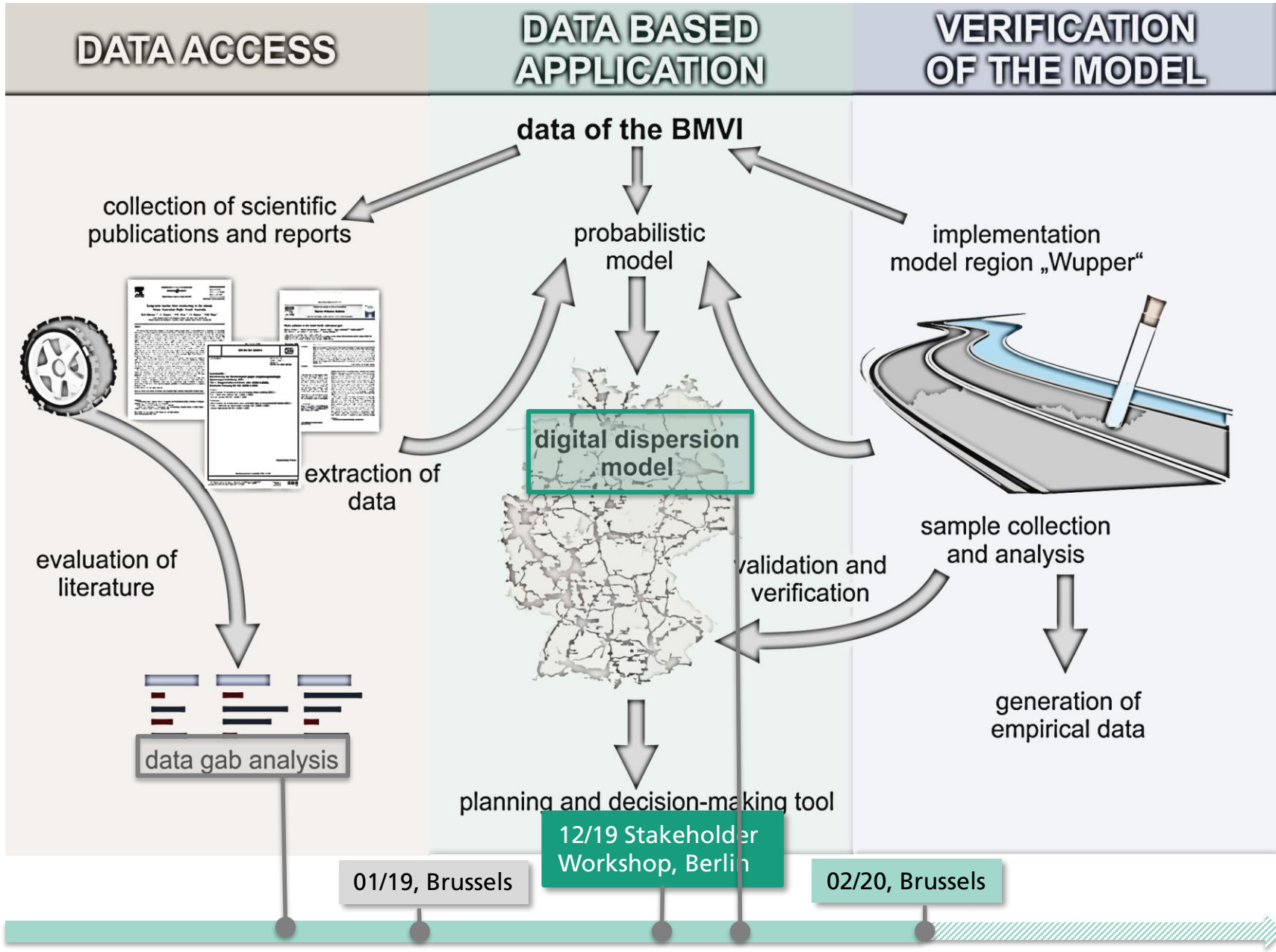
■ Research projects

- Multi-Client Study: Microplastics and marine plastic litter
- Circular Plastic Economy Cluster
- iMulch - Influence of polymers on a terrestrial ecosystem
- PlastikBudget – Socioeconomic effects of plastics in the environment
- FibrEX – Development of a bioinspired washing machine microplastics filter

- **TyreWearMapping – geographical distribution, fate and quantification of TRWP | 11/17-05/20**



TyreWearMapping Methodology



Modelling approach for the calculation and distribution of the total tyre wear

■ Mileage Approach

- driven kilometers (KBA 2016: 63.7 millions vehicle | 733 billions km/a)
- number of tyres per vehicle type (car, trucks, buses, motor bikes etc.)
- average runtime of tyres during their service life
- tyre wear per vehicle¹: 53 - 200 mg/km (car), 1500 mg/km (semitrailer)
- masses losses during service life (car)²: 7,6 – 33 %

- ⇒ distribution of the entire mass over different road types by the means of statistical data (traffic distribution, stress intensity, road condition, weather, etc.)
- ⇒ allocation of typical, probable, distance based tyre wear emissions to classified roads



Data gap analysis

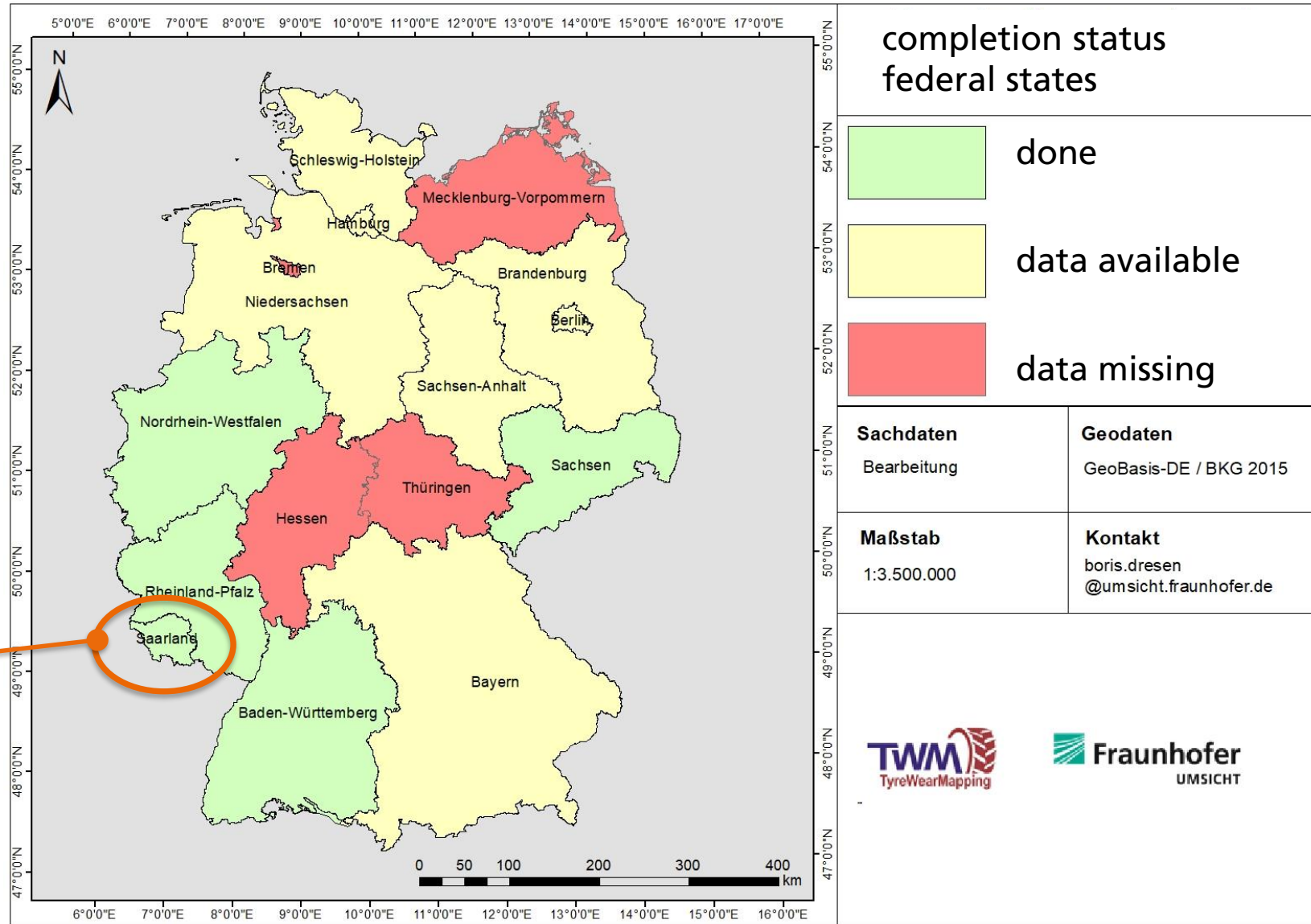
A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J
Entstehung: Stationär Nicht dynamisch über die Zeit (Tag/Jahr)	Eigenschaften der Straße	Längsgefälle	steil >10%	flach >5%	mittel???	>2%	<=2%	1.5	
		Quergefälle (immer vorhanden)		1.5	1.5				
		Kurvenradius	enge Kurven (Kreisverkehr, 90 Grad Kurve/Abbiegen)	weite Kurven (Autobahn, Landstraße, abknickende					
		Straßentyp	Autobahn	Bundesstraße/Landstraße	Landesstraße	Kreisstraße	Durchgangsstraße	Wohnstraße	
		Straßenbelag	Asphalt	Beton	Pflaster	etc.			
		Kreuzungen (siehe Kurvenradius)	Anteil Abbiegeverkehr 0 bis 1						
			Rechts vor links (30 km/h)	mit Vorfall					
			300/300	>2000 / 3					
		Zulässige Höchstgeschw.	offen						
		Materialgrößen (Reifen)	Fahrzeugspezif. Eigenschaften	Beifentyp	PKW-Reifen	LKW-Reifen			
Reifenart	Sommerreifen			Winterreifen					
Herstellerspezif. Eigenschaften	weiche Mischung			harte Mischung					
Luftdruck	zu wenig			zu viel					
Verhalten des einzelnen Fahrzeugs/Fahrer	Wettereinflüsse /Klima	Beladung	keiner Überladung	überladen					
		Achsgeometrie	richtige Einstellung	falsche Einstellung					
		Gewichtverteilung	gleichmäßig	ungleich					
		Antriebstyp	Vorderrad	Hinterrad					
Entstehung: Instationär Dynamisch über die Zeit (Tag/Jahr)	Straßenreinigung	Beschleunigungsverhalten	Beschleunigen	Bremsen					
		Geschwindigkeit	schnell	langsam					
		Fahrverhalten	defensiv	offensiv					
		Verhalten vieler Fahrzeuge	frei	zähfließend					
Senken: Instationär	Wettereinflüsse /Klima	Verkehrsfluss (Anteil pro Tag)	frei	zähfließend					
		Niederschlag	viel	wenig					
		Fahrbahn	nass	trocken					
		Temperatur (Oberflächentemp.)	hoch	niedrig					
Umweltpfade	(Abfluss)ziele	Wind (Immission)	stark	schwach					
		Frequenz	1 pro Woche	2 pro Woche					
		Fahrt	langsam	normal					
		Regen/Abfluss	stark	schwach					
Handbedingungen	Charakteristiken Reifenabrieb	Abtragsfaktoren (Annahmen, Beispiel): 0,7		Abtragsfaktoren (Annahmen, Beispiel): 0,7					
		Wind	stark	schwach					
		ion	x	y					
		Kanal	Bankett (=Boden)	Graben					
Sonstiges	Flughäfen	Akkumulation, Alterung							
		Partikelgröße	Feinstaub <10µm	<63µm					
		Dichte		1.2					
		Flugzeuge							

street	longitudinal slope	
	cross slope	
	curve radius	
	road type	
	junctions	
	maximum speed	
	weather/climate	precipitation
		lane
		temperature (surface)
		wind (emission)
street cleaning	frequency	
	trips	
street run offs	sewer	
tyre wear	particle size	
	density	
airports	airplanes	
	runway	
	tyre wear	

⇒ In the municipal sector many data gaps or data that have not been acquired so far exist.

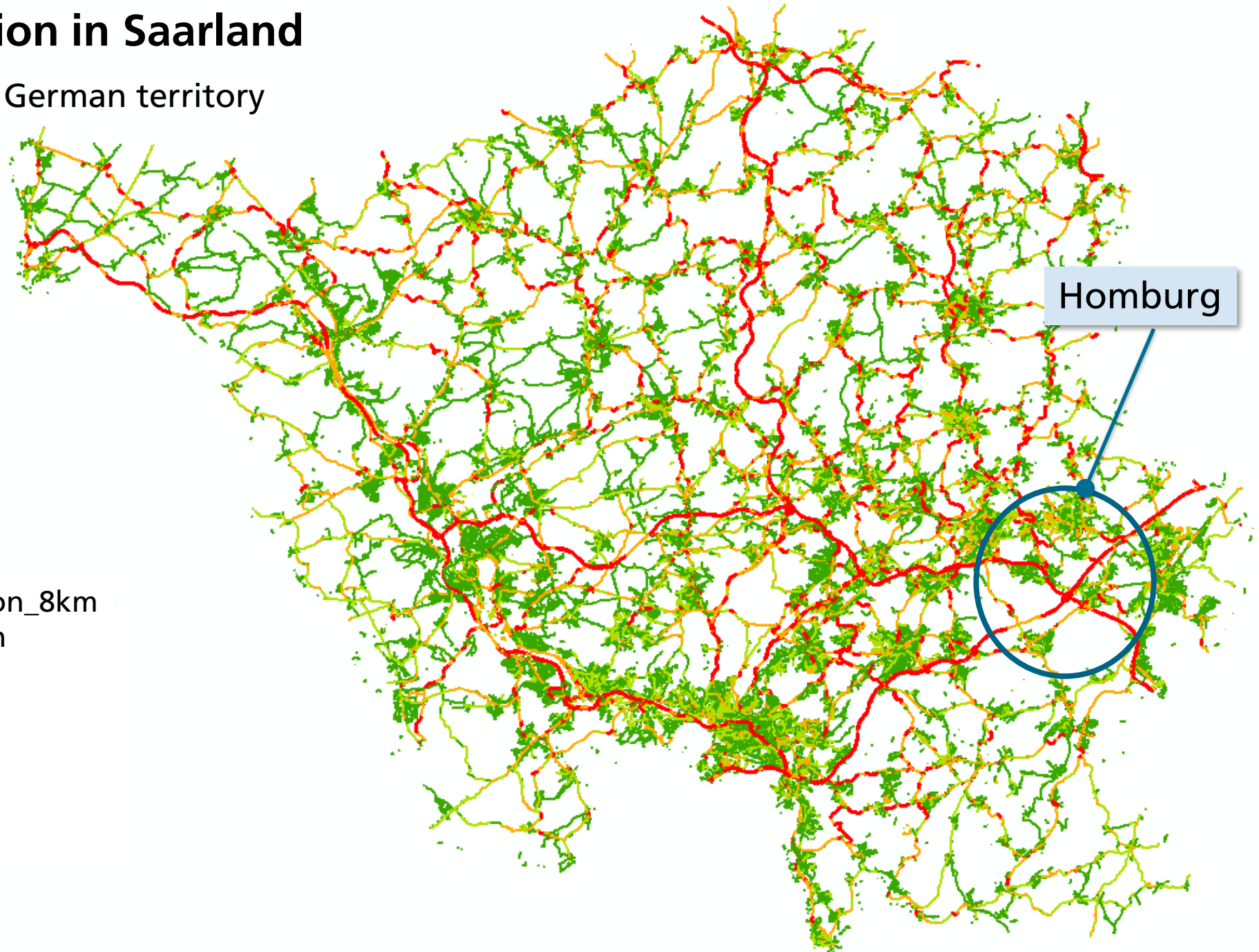
Results of TyreWearMapping as example of the Saarland

SAARLAND



Tyre wear distribution in Saarland

2,570 km² = 0.75 % of the German territory



$[\text{kg}_{\text{TW}}/(\text{m}_{\text{road}} * \text{a})]$

Saarland_TW_selection_8km
TW_total_per_section

— 0,000 - 0,005

— 0,006 - 0,050

— 0,051 - 0,500

— 0,501 - 12,028

Tyre wear distribution in Saarland > Homburg

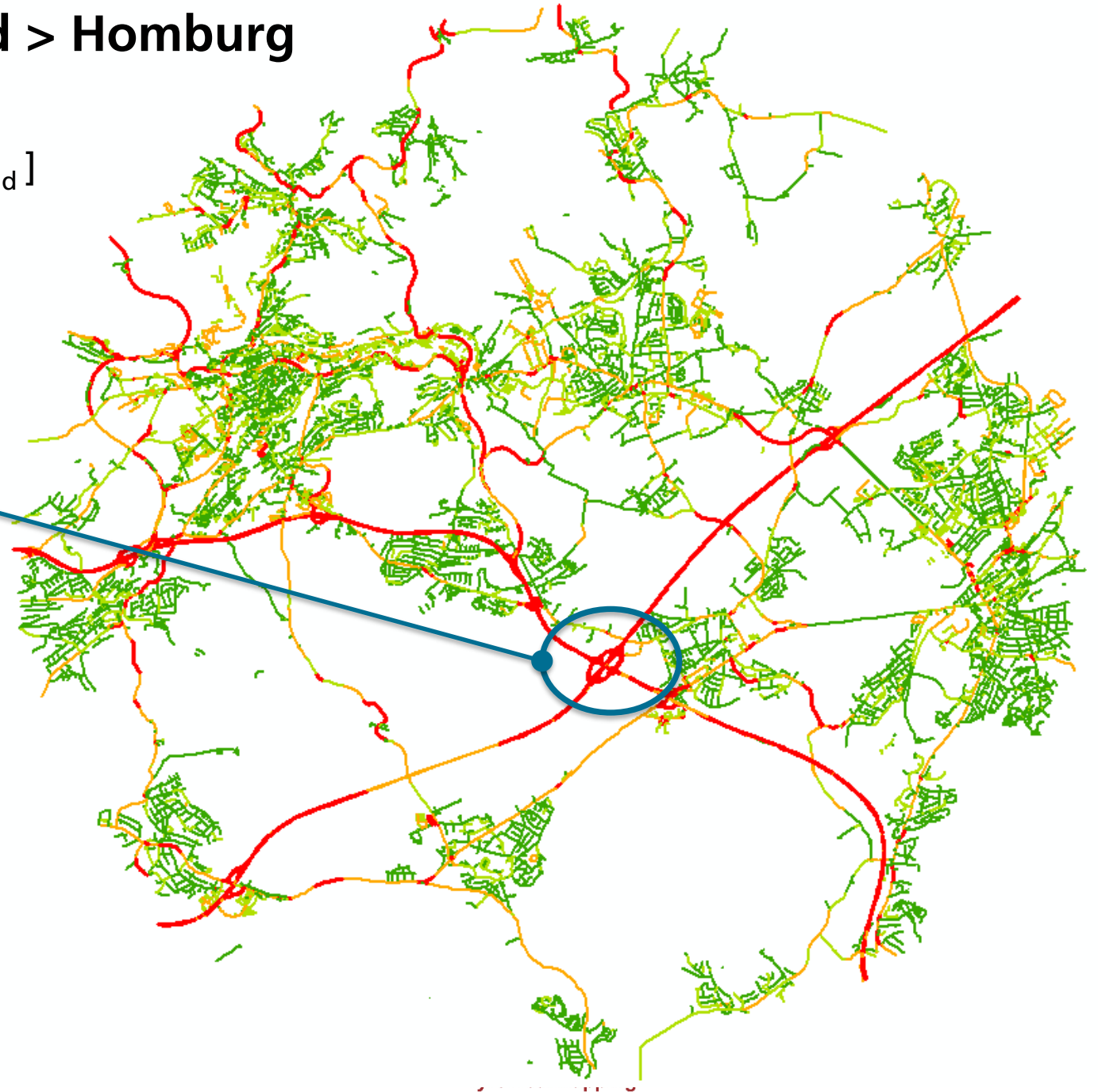
Average annual tyre wear mass for a section
(radius of 8 km) around Homburg [$\text{kg}_{\text{TW}}/\text{m}_{\text{road}}$]

HOTSPOT! 500 g/(m*a)

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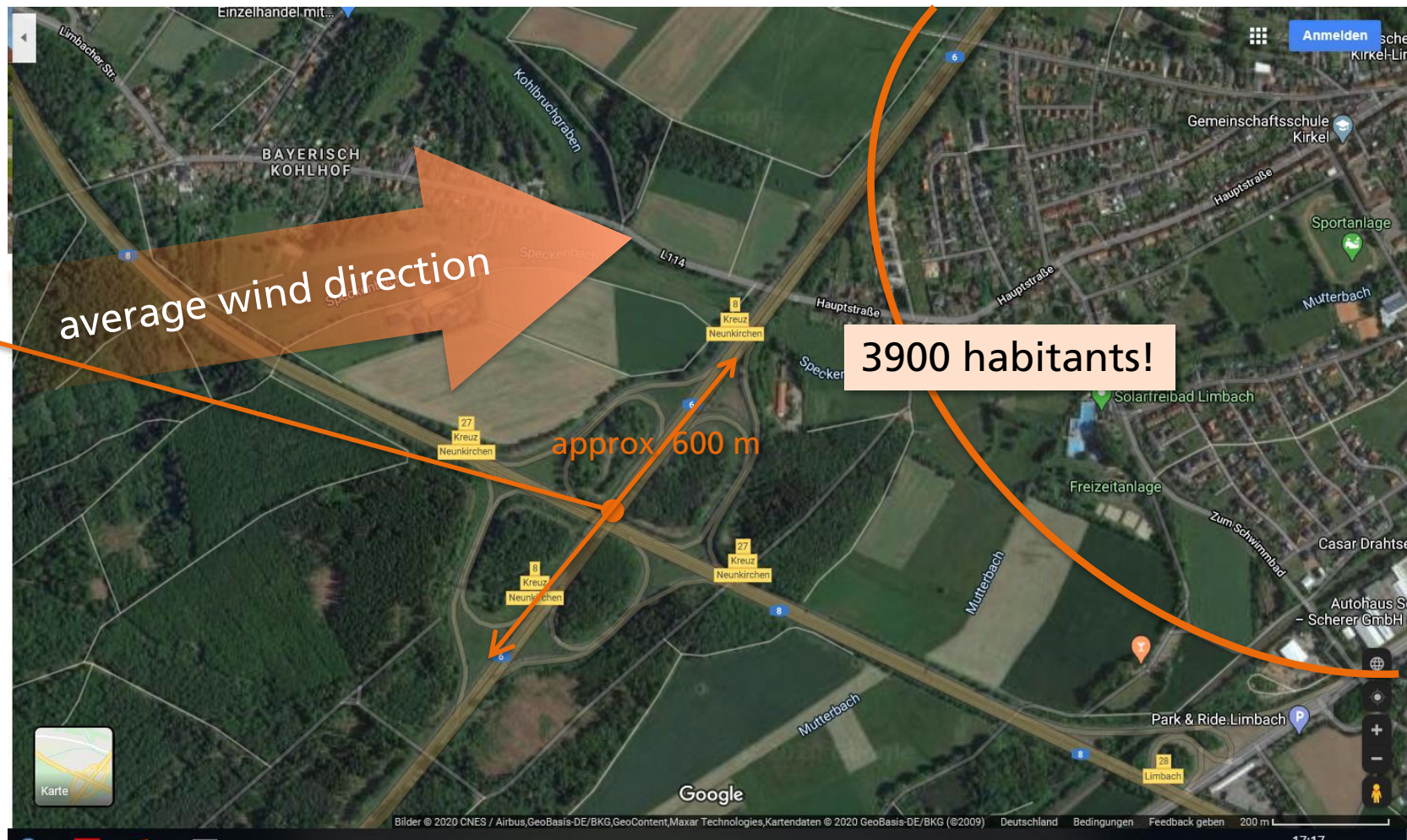
HOTSPOT! 300 kg/a¹

average wind direction

3900 habitants!

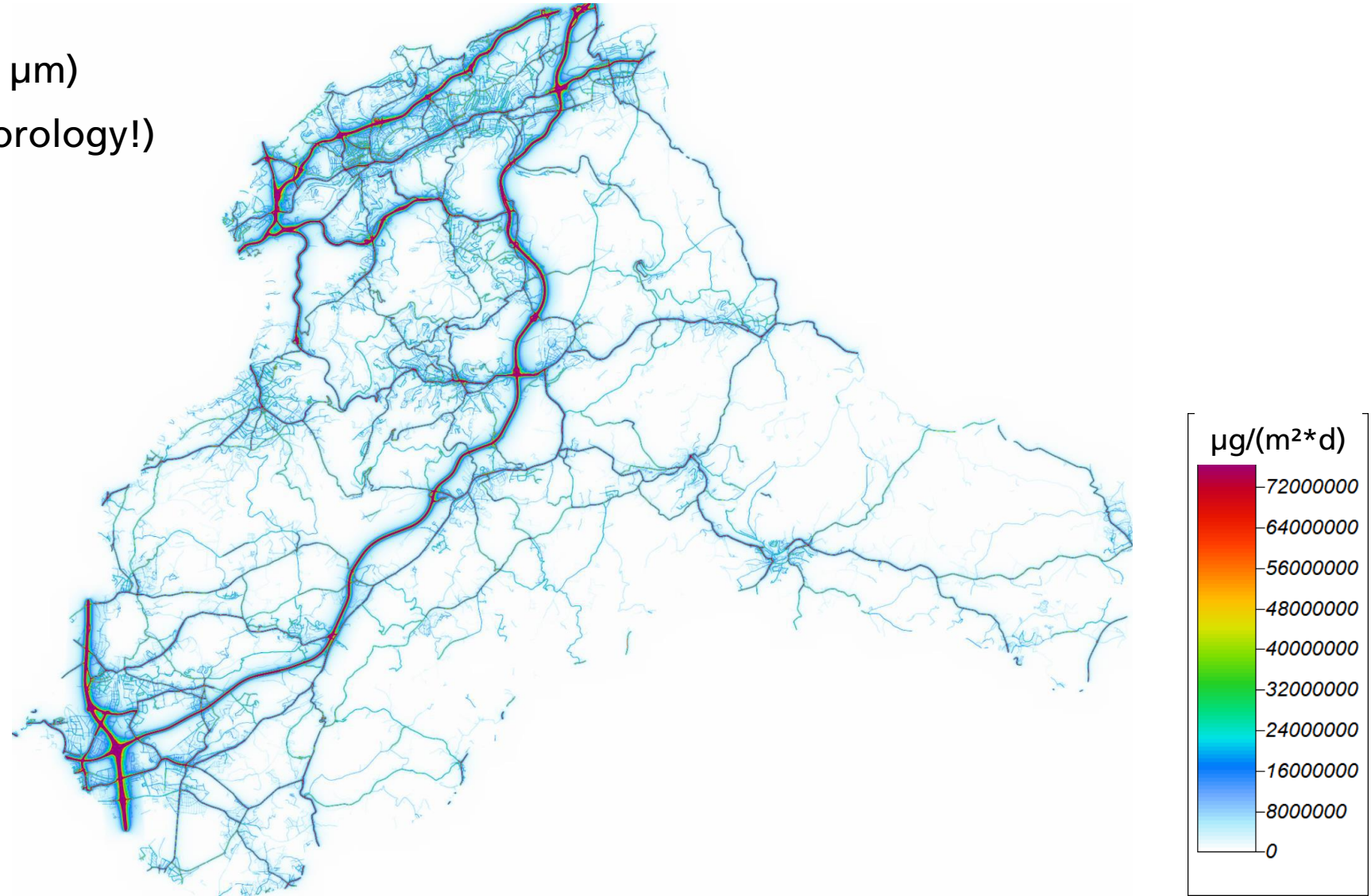
approx 600 m

$$1600m * 500 g/(m * a) = 300kg/a$$



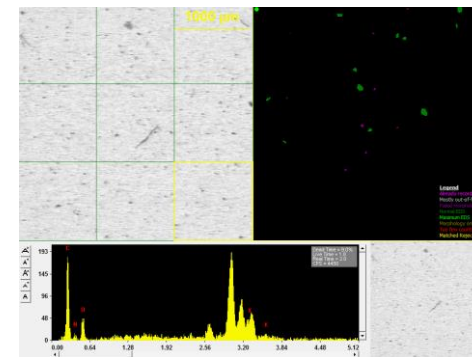
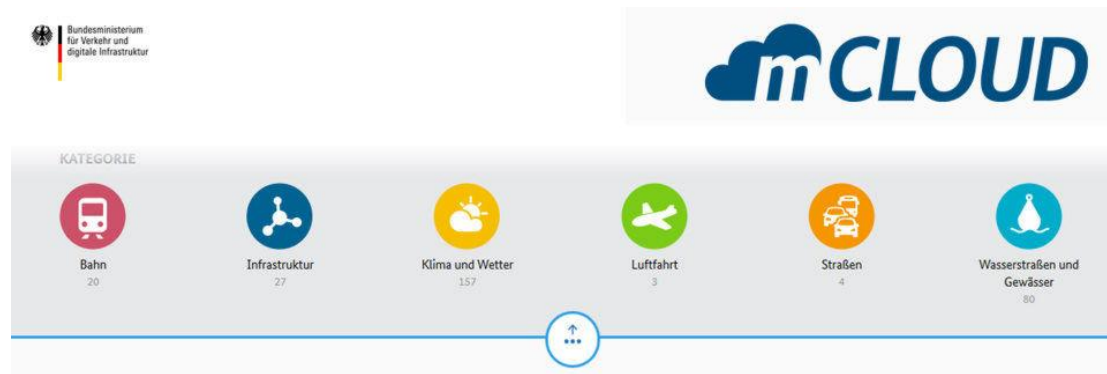
Atmospheric transport of tyre wear in the Wupper river basin

Total emission of pm-4 (>50 μm)
(no differentiation of meteorology!)

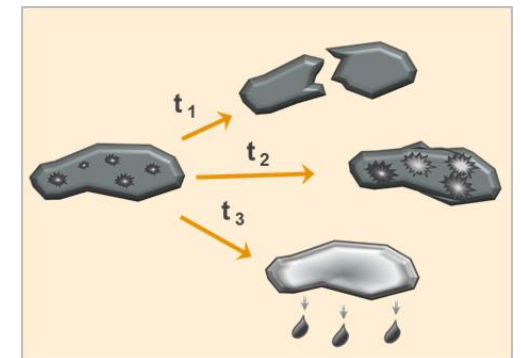


Glance into the future

- Tyre wear emission models for environmental friendly, future mobility scenarios (autonomic driving, e-mobility)
- Development of an overall data portal for tyre emission involving all relevant organizations
- Integration of municipalities and authorities for a common environmental and traffic strategy
- Evaluation of the emission model → metrological mapping



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