



FDOT D5:

Redefining Real-Time Traffic Management

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The Challenge

Lack of reliable, high-accuracy, low-latency, scalable traffic data for signal operations and corridor management.

- Field detector inaccuracy
- Field detector operational reliability
- Lack of connectivity/hardware





FDOT D5 High-Definition Engineering Intersection Data via Integrative Modeling (HEIDI)



- Generate accurate real-time data at region scale, with and without detection.
 - Without Detection: Achieve <20% error
 - With Detection: Achieve <10% error
 - **Real-Time:** <15 minute latency
- Feed data into real-time control systems via APIs



Our Approach:

Fusing connected-vehicle and hardware data to provide higher quality, more reliable data



Zero New Hardware

Our solutions require no additional hardware to install nor maintain.



Affordable

Our software-only allows us to offer a simple, low-cost offering.



Future-proofed Connected vehicle enabled technology lets you build for the future.



High-performance Artificial Intelligence allows you to measure and

Intelligence allows you to measure and optimize roadway performance.



Integrated Signal Performance Measures



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Infrastructure



Phase 1

Small-scale ISPMs

- Evaluation & Proof of Concept
- 18 intersections in two corridors, 1 urban and 1 rural
- Connected to FDOT data infrastructure to pull in hi-resolution data





Phase 2

Real-time API

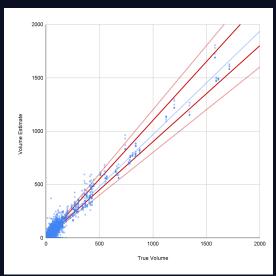
- Using data fusion to provide lane-level volume estimates
- Latency ranging from 1-minute to 1-hour, with increasing levels of accuracy
- Feeding data straight back into FDOT D5 ITS data integration system

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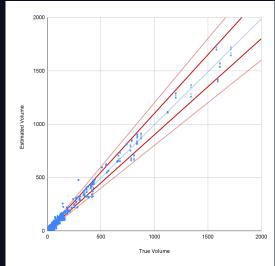


RESULTS

HEIDI was able to achieve high accuracy with and without detection



Probe Only Correlation Analysis $0.970*x + -3.59 R^2 = 0.960$



Integrated Correlation Analysis 0.993*x + 0.699 R² = 0.985

- Extremely high correlations between estimated and actual volumes
- Substantially outperformed FHWA accuracy benchmarks



RESULTS

HEIDI was able to achieve high accuracy at a variety of data buckets and latencies

		Time Interval (minutes)							
		1	3	5	15	30	60		
	1	100.00%	107.27%	89.49%	24.68%	10.59%	7.28%		
	3	103.22%	96.23%	62.61%	24.33%	9.79%	7.63%		
	5	94.84%	73.28%	46.12%	19.25%	9.86%	7.87%		
	10	89.17%	44.64%	26.87%	15.11%	8.93%	7.50%		
	15	32.74%	21.72%	18.15%	13.33%	8.58%	7.46%		
Latency	30	32.18%	21.33%	18.25%	13.25%	8.36%	7.29%		
(minutes)	60	32.22%	21.34%	18.31%	13.29%	8.37%	7.29%		

- Probe Data achieved high accuracy levels at target latency levels.
- Integrated approaches yielded the highest accuracy

Probe Only - MAPE

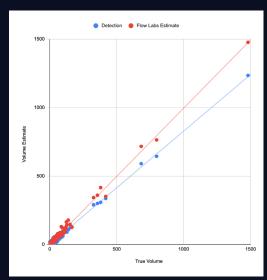
		Time Interval (minutes)							
		1	3	5	15	30	60		
	1	35.09%	16.61%	13.82%	9.84%	7.71%	5.80%		
	3	35.09%	16.61%	13.81%	9.57%	7.52%	5.95%		
	5	35.09%	16.59%	13.62%	9.35%	7.08%	5.87%		
	10	35.04%	16.48%	13.48%	8.53%	5.88%	6.14%		
	15	34.07%	15.61%	11.93%	7.83%	6.07%	6.36%		
Latency	30	34.08%	15.54%	11.94%	7.90%	5.96%	6.27%		
(minutes)	60	34.08%	15.54%	11.95%	7.90%	5.97%	6.28%		

Integrated - MAPE

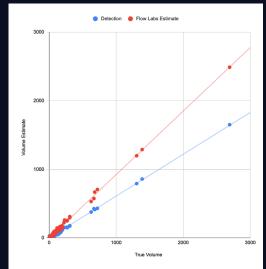


RESULTS

HEIDI was able to turn bad detection data into good detection data



Probe Only Correlation Analysis $R^2 = 0.992$



Integrated Correlation Analysis $R^2 = 0.997$

- Detection error was reduced by up to ~90%
- HEIDI provides a scalable approach to correct detector drift and error



Additional Use Cases

- Real-time SPM information available at scale
- Active detector health monitoring using correlation between detector and probe data

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SWBTR Advanced Count ACTIVE 25.3%

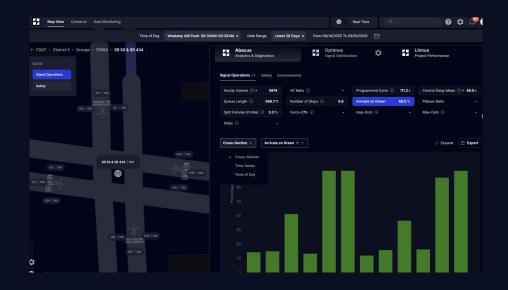
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Phase 3

Scale

- Now deployed to 1,998 signals across District 5
- ~1,400 of these currently enabled to provide integrated data
- Version2 of real-time API to enable additional data volume

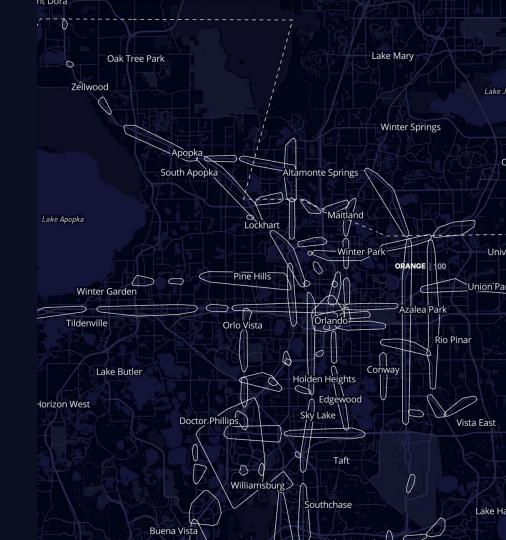




Looking Forward

+Lessons Learned

- Parsing signal configuration information
- Volume calibration efforts
- Collaboration with surrounding MPOs and local agencies





Connected vehicles and new data infrastructure can enable scalable, real-time insights and a new way of managing traffic. Get in touch:

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HEIDI Case Study