



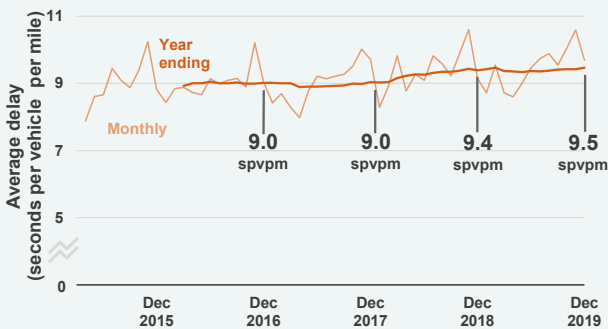
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Travel time measures for the Strategic Road Network and local 'A' roads, England: January to December 2019

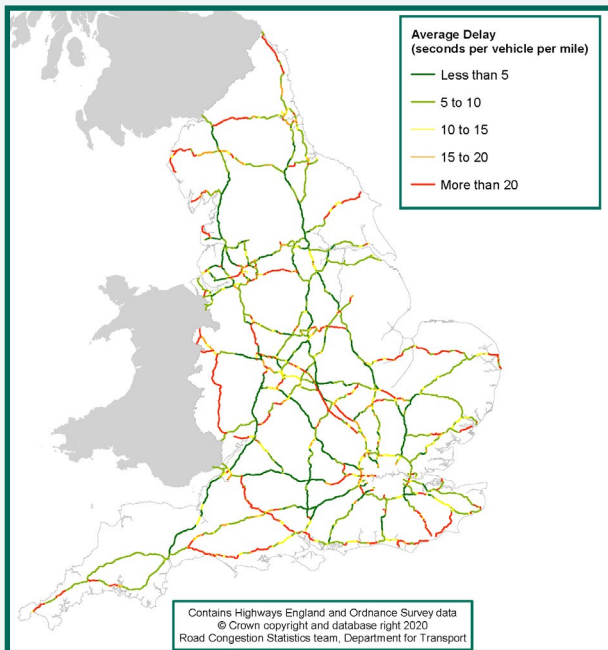
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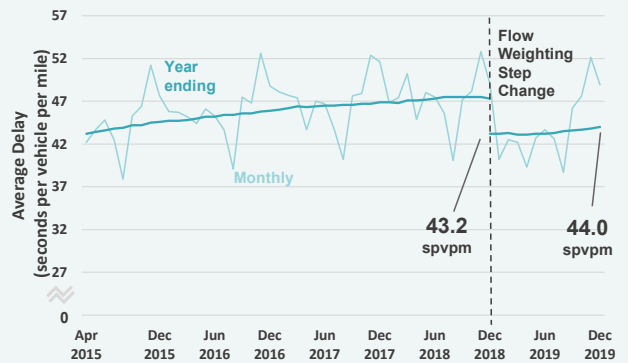
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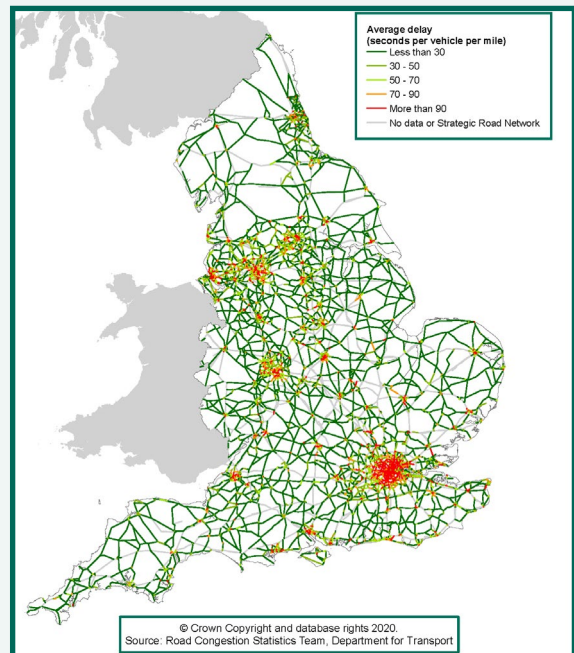
Local 'A' Roads, in 2019

Average delay on local 'A' roads, England 2015 to 2019

Seconds per vehicle per mile (spvpm)



Average delay on local 'A' roads, England 2019



Please note

The values for the Strategic Road Network and local 'A' roads are not directly comparable, due to methodological differences.

Definitions

Average speed is in miles per hour and is an estimate of the physical level of congestion.

Free flow speed is the estimated speed of the traffic if there was no congestion. This is calculated differently for SRN and local 'A' roads.


Average delay is the difference between speed limit (SRN) or free flow (local 'A' roads) travel times and average journey times.

LCV - Light Commercial Vehicles

Strategic Road Network, in 2019


Average delay

seconds per vehicle per mile

9.5  **0.1** spvpm
spvpm 0.9% increase on 2018

Average speed


miles per hour (mph)

58.8  **0.2** mph
mph 0.5% decrease on 2018


Reliability



67.3% additional time is needed compared to speed limit flow

 down 1.1 percentage points on 2018

Sample

100 %  Monthly average, over 30,000 cars

Local 'A' Roads, in 2019

Average speed

miles per hour (mph)

25.3  **0.0** mph
mph no change on 2018 figure

Sample



66%


34%

Monthly average, over 115,000 cars and LCVs

Average delay

seconds per vehicle per mile (spvpm)

44.0
spvpm

 **0.8** spvpm
1.8% increase on 2018



Urban

75.7 spvpm



Rural

20.5 spvpm



Weekday morning
(7am - 10am)

53.4 spvpm



Weekday inter peak
(10am - 4 pm)

46.2 spvpm



Weekday evening
(4pm - 7pm)

63.4 spvpm



Weekday off peak
(7pm - 7 am)

19.0 spvpm