

DSS – Frequently Asked Questions

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Frequently Asked Questions

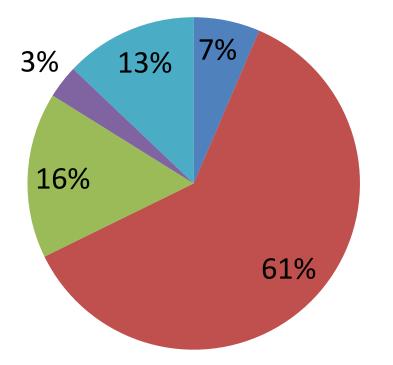
- Gathering feedback on DSS
 - Partner organisations
 - Friends of SafetyCube
- 31 Survey respondents
- 4 Detailed partner reviews



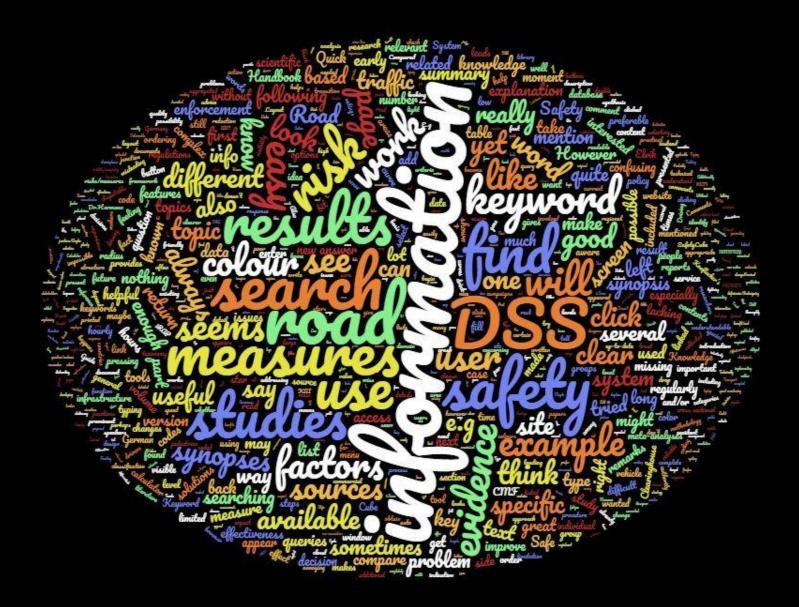
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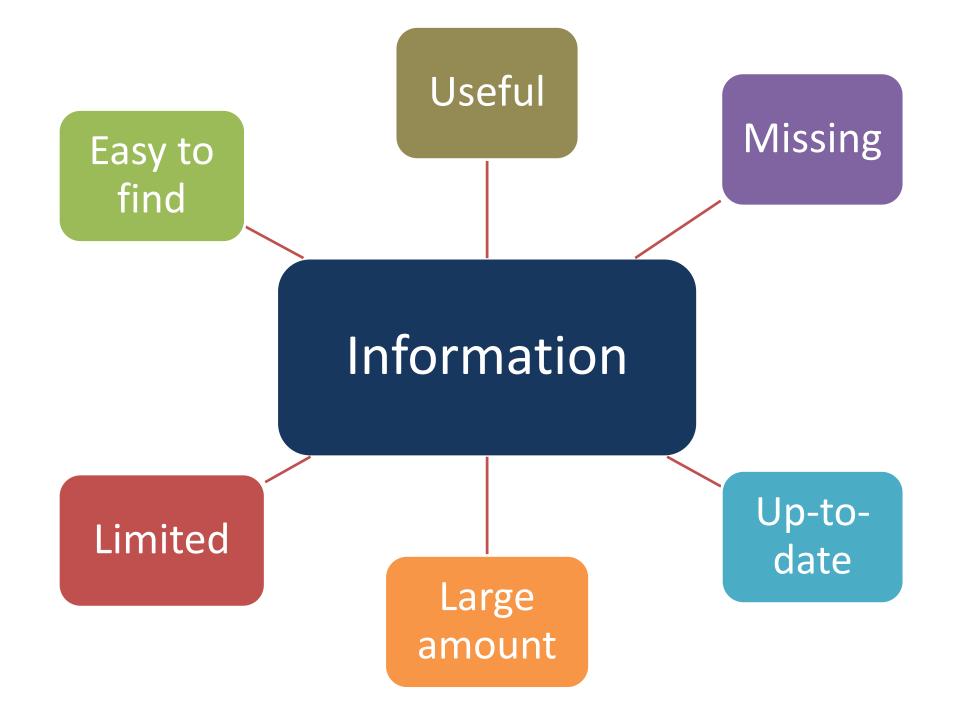
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Role in transport safety



Policy Maker
Researcher
Lobbying
Government
Other

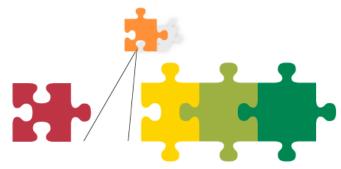


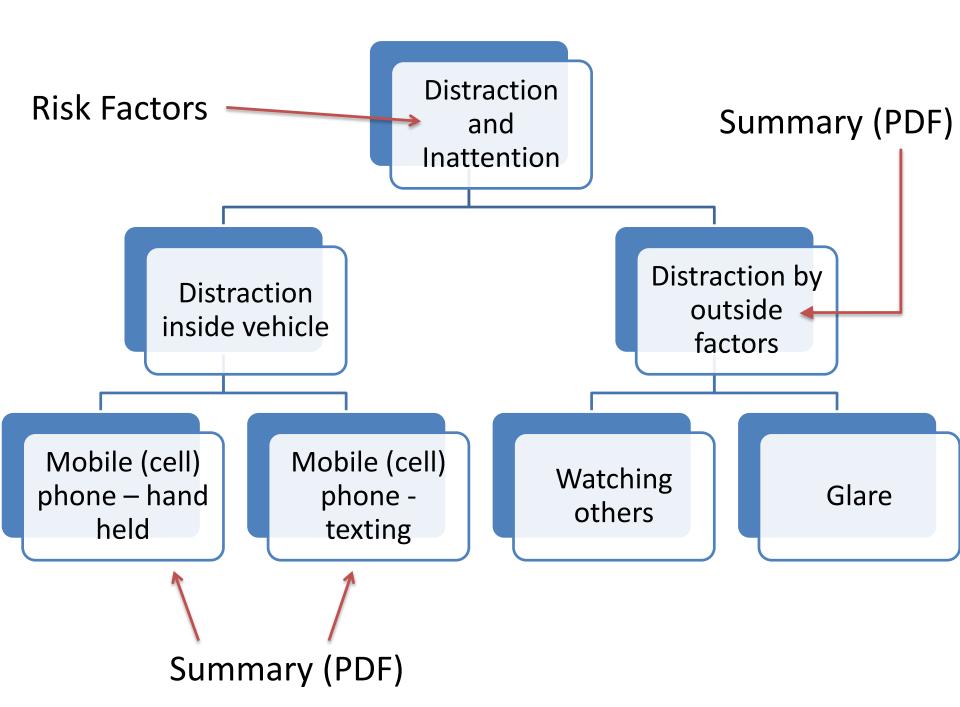


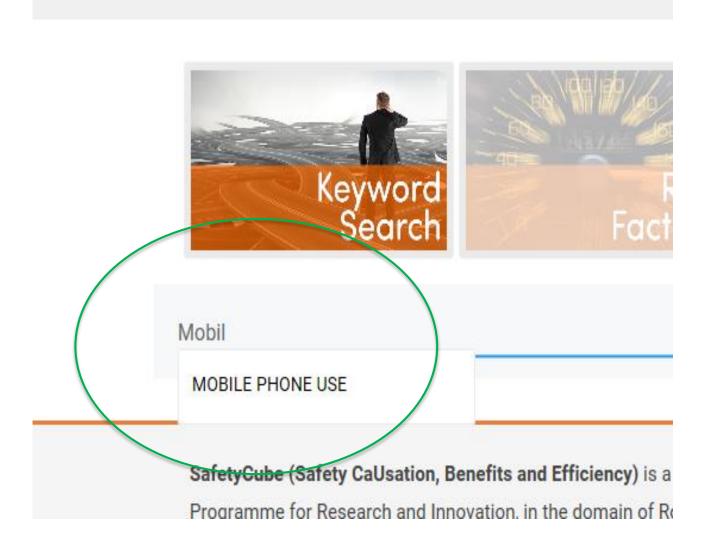
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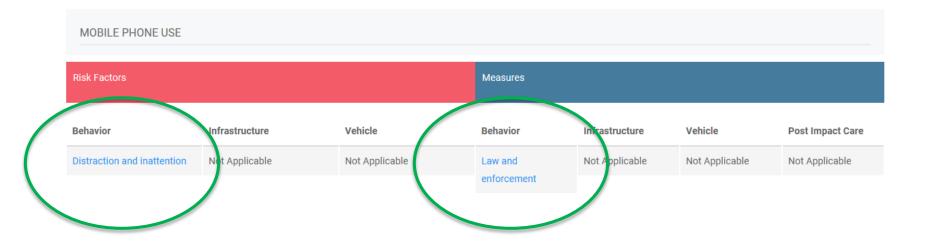
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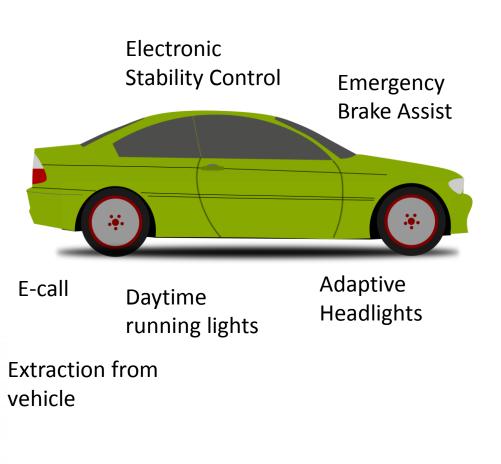
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Pre-hospital

care

- Structure of the DSS
- Its not there yet
 - Update Nov 2017
 - Update Feb 2017

MBLUANCE



Triage/ Trauma Why doesn't [term] produce results in the Keyword search?

- Keyword search is looking for topic areas
 - DSS structure guides results
 - Should find risk/measure categories
 - Uses keywords associated with summary and individual study
 - Will not find items not yet in the DSS

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junction

AT-GRADE JUNCTIONS

LEVEL JUNCTIONS

FOUR-LEGGED JUNCTIONS

JUNCTIONS

JUNCTION DENSITY

RAISED JUNCTIONS

RURAL JUNCTIONS

JUNCTION ANGLE

STAGGERED JUNCTION

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UNCONTROLLED JUNCTION

URBAN JUNCTIONS

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Risk Factors			Measures			
Behavior	Infrastructure	Vehicle	Behavior	Infrastructure	Vehi	
Risk taking	Poor junction readability	Pedestrian	Law and enforcement Education and voluntary trainings/programs	Cycle lanes	Not	
Traffic Rule Violations	At-grade junctions	Trucks / Bus		At-grade junctions		
Distraction and inattention	deficiencies			treatments		
Functional Impairment	Road surface deficiencies (risk of ran-off road)			Traffic signs treatments		
	Adverse weather			Speed management		
	Traffic flow			Rail-road crossings		

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Specific Risk Factor

- Prevalence of pedestrian factors in crash data
- Vehicle design
- Crashworthiness
- Visibility / Conspicuity

Road User Group

PEDESTRIAN

Search Results

The following information on "**Pedestrian**" fulfill your search criteria. Refine your search, view the Safety a study to obtain more detailed information, or go to the respective Road Safety Measures.

Pedestrian - Vehicle design - Vehicle shape: 💛 YELLOW (PROBABLY RISKY) - 🖾

Pedestrian - Crashworthiness - Low NCAP rating: - YELLOW (PROBABLY RISKY) - 🔀

Pedestrian: prevalence of factors in crash data:
RED (VERY CLEAR INCREASED RISK) -

RELATED MEASURES

Select a specific risk factor from the filter on the left, to obtain re measures

Countries Title Design ID Source Year SWEDEN Correlation Between Euro NCAP STAPP CAR CRASH 2014 OBSERVA 17 Pedestrian Test Results and Injury JOURNAL, Severity in Injury Crashes with 014;58:213-31 Pedestrians and Bicyclists in Sweden

Why isn't the study by [name] included?

- Methodology
 - Systematic literature search
 - 'Coding rules'
 - Excluding more qualitative studies
 - Need for control group
 - Prioritising more 'objective' methods e.g. simulator/crash statistics over 'subjective' e.g. questionnaire
 - Not enough studies identified
- Time constraints
 - Maximise topics examined



What do the colour codes refer to?

Evidence in terms of consistency and number of studies



Colour code descriptions

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	Risk Factor		Measure			
Red	Results consistently show an increased risk when exposed to the risk factor concerned.	Green	Results consistently show that the countermeasure reduces road safety risk.			
Yellow	There is some indication that exposure to the risk factor increases risk, but results are not consistent.	Light green	There is some indication that the counter measure reduces road safety risk, but results are not consistent.			
Grey	No conclusion possible because of few studies with inconsistent results, or few studies with weak indicators, or an equal amount of studies with no (or opposite) effect.					
Green	Results consistently show that exposure to the presumed risk factor does not increase risk.	Red	Results consistently show that this measure does NOT reduce road safety risk and may even an increase it.			

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 Evidence in terms of consistency and number of studies



- Assigned to a synopsis
 Occasionally 2 colour codes for a synopsis
- Provide an overview

What did respondents say about the DSS?

"It's a simple design – works well but could be difficult to find something very specific."

"The current version is quite complex but seems very rich in information" "I ... had a general browse around and I could find info I would on areas I work on / am interested in"

> "Attractive layout and easy categories – seems clear and intuitive"



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