

PROJECT PLAN

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Introduction

The key objective of this project is to simulate traffic flow on a given street/city area and give accurate data based on the simulation. The simulation will take into consideration planned events, road work.

Functional Requirements

The functional requirements have been divided into 3 parts of the application. The map editor, where the user can create the road they would like to simulate. The simulation itself, and the statistics that will be shown to the user.

Map editor

ID	Requirements	MoSCoW	Use case ID
01	User must be able to control the tiles	Must	004
02	User must be able to save boards	Must	002
03	User must be able to load in saved boards	Must	003
06	User could control starting / end point of map for vehicles	Must	011
07	User must be able to control traffic light configuration	Must	007
08	User can select number of lanes	Must	007

Simulation

ID	Requirements	MoSCoW	Use case ID
09	User must be able to start the simulation	Must	001
10	User must be able to save a simulation	Must	002
11	User must be able to load a saved simulation	Must	003
12	User must be able to fill in the number of vehicles in the simulation	Must	009

13	Users must be able to choose visible run-time data in the simulation.	Must	010
14	User could be able to pause the simulation	Could	006

Statistics

ID	Requirements	MoSCoW	Use case ID
15	User must be able to view the total amount of cars processed	Must	001
16	User must be able to see the average time taken to travel a certain distance	Must	001
17	User must be able to see the current amount of cars that are stopped or are driving	Must	001
18	User must be able to see total distance of cars travelled	Must	001
19	User must be able to see time simulation has been running	Must	001
20	Export/Save the statistics to a specified file	Could	008
21	Smart statistics: Heatmap	Must	012
22	Smart Statistics: Average Road Usage	Must	001
23	Smart Statistics: Inflow & Outflow	Must	001

Agreements and Assumptions

List of Agreements made in the meetings between the team and the client.

- Agreed that the application first, will be able to simulate a specific crossroad/event without any extra additions like bikers etc.
- Agreed that the User needs to know nothing technical about the application for the User to work with it.
- Agreed that there will always be a meeting every week between the client and the team for further discussion and feedback.
- Agreed that all meetings will be held online, unless discussed otherwise.

List of Assumptions

- Export statistics to a specific file
- Pause in the simulation
- User could move backward and forward in the simulation

- User could be able to change the duration of green/red lights
- User could be able to change intersections

Data Requirements:

The System should be able to store data:

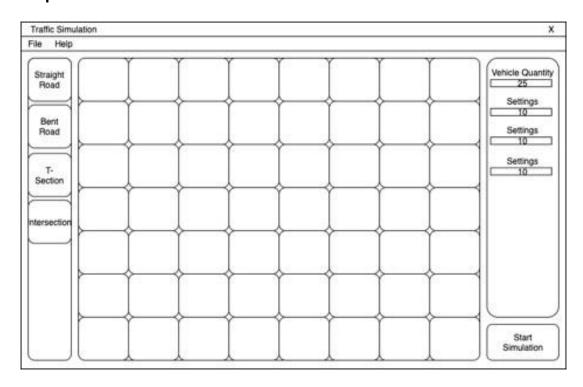
- Total number of vehicle in the simulation
- Total number of pedestrians in the simulation
- Total number of pedestrians that were involved in the event of a (triggered) accident.
- Total number of accidents
- Total number of vehicles that were involved in the event of a (triggered) accident.
- The Duration of the simulation
- Information about which streets were closed etc.

Data Output:

The System should display the following after a successful simulation:(for iT1?)

- Total amount of cars that ran through simulation
- Average time taken from start-point to end-point
- Average speed of the vehicles
- How long the simulation was running Wireframes

Map Builder Screen



As specified previously, the ability to build a map for the simulation to run will only be added in a special case. Regardless our starting screen will look like this, and after the start of the simulation we will load the map.

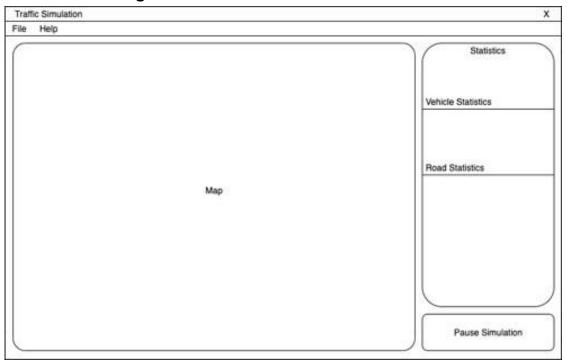
On the top left you can see "File, Help" - in the Files tab you will be able to import or save your created maps so you can use them as you wish.

The Help tab will include some Q&A's for commonly asked questions.

On the right there will be a small list of details being displayed during the simulation and most likely after as well.

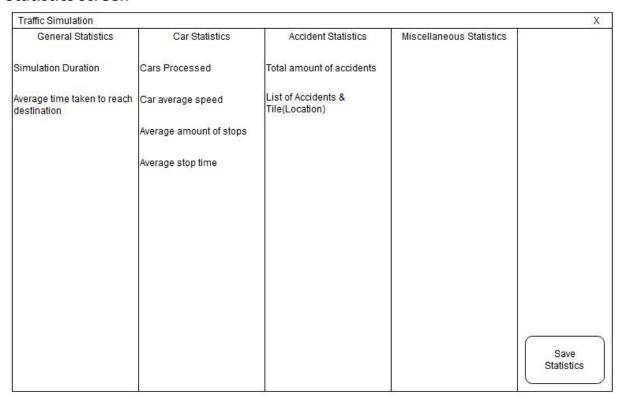
On the bottom right the start simulation button will be.

Simulation Running Screen



The screen will immediately be shown after the start simulation button is pressed. The start simulation button is changed to Pause but the functionality will not be implemented in this Iteration.

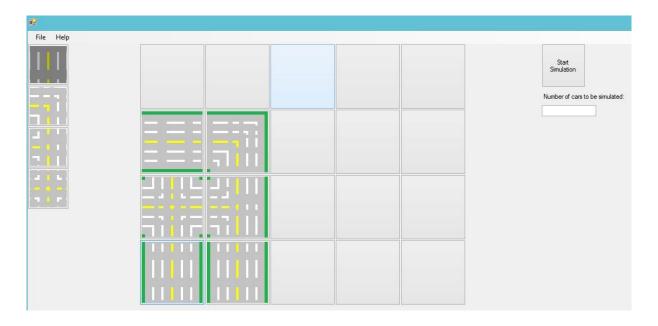
Statistics screen



After a successful simulation, the system will display information regarding the simulation.

Final Design

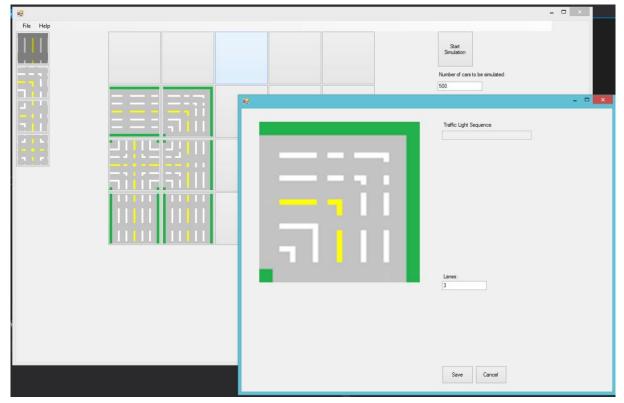
Map Builder Screen



The map builder screen has a very simple intuitive design. It is a collage of buttons that are clickable and input the desired map based on the thumbnail selected on the left.

The start simulation button and Number of cars to be simulated are on the right hand side of the screen.

Tile configuration form

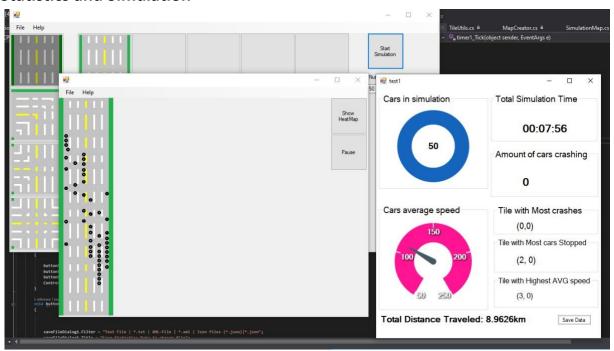


The tile configuration is one of the right options in the drop down menu after the right click is done on the tiles. It opens with an enlarged image of the tile.

On the right hand side the user can input the number of lanes desired on the tile and on the top the user can select how many traffic lights to initialize and the sequence desired.

Saving it with the button on the bottom applies the changes and cancel would not change anything.

Statistics and Simulation

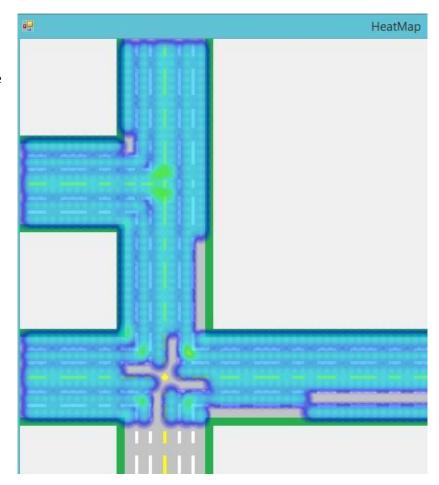


The statistics form on the right open automatically after the simulation is started. They offer several different statistics for live data for the simulation.

The save stats button saves the information to a file on the users pc.

Heatmap

The heatmap is opened after the user clicks the button on the simulation screen. It shows as more red colors the road positions used the most.



Use cases

	001
ID: 001	
Goal	Simulate crossroad
Description	User wants to simulate a crossroad by creating a map and adjusting the settings to his/her needs.
Primary Actor	User
Preconditions	Graphical representation of road to be loaded
Postconditions	Data statistics to be provided
Main Success Scenario	 User starts application System displays map builder screen User selects the crossroad tile he/she wants to use. User clicks on the tile the crossroad tile has to be placed on. Selected tile becomes an intersection User presses simulate button. System opens live data for statistics. System starts simulation. System ends simulation after duration expires. 10. System shows data statistics of the simulation.

Extensions	2a, 3a, 4a, 5a, 6a, 8a, 10. User cancels 1. Use case ends
	5b. User wants to use another crossroad tile.
	1. User opts to undo the choice.
	2. System asks for confirmation of change.
	 Use case continues at MSS 4 or at MSS5 depending if the User confirmed the system message.
	6b. Selected tile on the map is already occupied with another crossroad tile.
	 System shows appropriate message.
	 System offers the option to change the selected tile with the new choice of crossroad or to keep the old one. Use case continues at MSS 6.
	6c. User opts for multiple crossroad tiles to be placed on the
	map.
	1. Use case continues at MSS 4.

	002
ID: 002	
Goal	Save crossroad map.
Description	User wants to save the created crossroad map to a folder.
Primary Actor	User
Pre-conditions	At least one crossroad tile is placed on the map.
Main Success Scenario	 User chooses to save the crossroad map. System checks the file status. System offers to save current settings as well. User chooses to save current settings with the roadmap. System saves the file. System offers to continue with the current crossroad map or create new.

Extensions	 Use case ends. Crossroad map is already an existing file. Use case continues at MSS 3. Crossroad map is a new file. System shows the Save File dialog. User chooses a folder. User enters a file name for the new road map. User confirms the new save. Use case continues at MSS 3.
	5. Use case continues at MSS 3.4a. User wants to create a new roadmap.1. User chooses to start new.2. Go back to Use Case ID: 001.

	003
ID: 003	
ID. 003	
Goal	Load existing crossroad map/simulation.
Description	User wants to load and use an existing crossroad map from a folder (including the settings if it has any).
Primary Actor	User
Pre-conditions	Possess a map file to be opened
Main Success Scenario	 User chooses to open an existing crossroad map. System opens Open File Dialog Window. User selects the file to be opened. Systems loads in the selected crossroad map. System displays the selected crossroad map.
Extension	 2a, 3a. User cancels 1. Use case ends. 3b. File selected is not a board file or is corrupted 1. System shows appropriate message. 2. System offers to select another file to open or create a new map. 2.1a) User chooses to select another file. 2.2a) Use case continues at MSS 2. 2.1b) User chooses to create a new map. 2.2b) Go to Use Case ID 001.

	004
ID: 004	
Goal	Control tiles
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Description	User wants to place and/or rotate the crossroad tiles on the roadmap to create an intersection.
Primary Actor	User
Pre-conditions	Map builder is loaded.
Main Success Scenario	 User chooses the tile he/she wants to place on the map. System shows the chosen tile on the map 3. User chooses the tile he/she wants to rotate. System highlights the specific tile. System offers to rotate the tile 90 degrees clockwise or counter clockwise. User chooses the wanted option. System rotates the selected tile.
Extensions	 2a, 3a. User cancels Use case ends. User chose the wrong tile. User cancels. Use case continues at MSS 1. 4a. User chose the wrong option. Use case continues at MSS 1.

	005
ID: 005	
Goal	Remove tiles on map.
Description	User wants to remove already existing tiles on the map.
Primary Actor	User
Pre-conditions	Map builder is loaded and a Tile has been placed

Main Success Scenario	 User chooses the tile he/she wants to remove. System highlights the specific tile. System asks for confirmation. User confirms. System removes the chosen tile from the map.
Extensions	 2a, 3a. User cancels 1. Use case ends. 2b. User chose the wrong tile. 1. User cancels. 2. Use case continues at MSS 1.

	006
ID: 006	
Goal	Pause simulation
Description	User wants to pause the active simulation.
Primary Actor	User
Pre-conditions	Simulation to be active
Main Success Scenario	 User chooses to pause the simulation System pauses the simulation
Extensions	 2.a System fails to pause System shows appropriate message. System offers to force stop the simulation or to continue. 2.1.a) User chooses to quit the simulation, Use case ends. 2.1.b) User chooses to continue, Use case end.

	007
ID: 007	
Goal	Change lanes or traffic light sequence for tile

Description	User wants to change the number of lanes in simulation or the traffic light sequence in a tile.
Primary Actor	User
Pre-conditions	Simulation to be active
Main Success Scenario	1. User selects tile configuration option.
	 System opens the tile configuration form. User inputs number of lanes (limit 3). User inputs the sequence of the traffic lights. User selects the save option. System edits tile as desired
Extensions	3.a User selects more than 3 lanes 1. System auto selects 3 as max. 5.a User selects the cancel option b all configurations cancelled.

	008
ID: 008	
Goal	Save after-simulation statistics.
Description	User wants to save all the gathered data from the entire simulation.
Primary Actor	User
Pre-conditions	Statistics to be provided after simulation ends.
Main Success Scenario	 System displays gathered statistics. User requests to save gathered statistics. System opens a SaveDialogFile window. User selects the wanted saving path. System saves the file.

Extensions	2a,3a,4a. User wants to cancel. 1. Use case ends.
	 1.a System fails to display statistics. 1. System shows appropriate message, use case ends. 3.b System fails to open SaveDialogFile window 1. System shows appropriate message. 2. Use case continues from MSS2. 4.b User does not define path 1. System shows appropriate message. 2. Use case continues at MSS3 5.a System fails to save fail 1. System shows appropriate message. 2. System offers to save again or cancel. 2.1.a) User wants to try again, go to MSS1 2.1.b) User wants to cancel, use case ends.

	009
ID: 009	
Goal	Set number of vehicles in simulation
Description	User wants to set the number of vehicles for the simulation.
Primary Actor	User
Pre-conditions	Graphical representation to be loaded
Main Success Scenario	 User sets the a number to represent the amount of vehicles 2. System loads map with the given number of vehicles.
Extensions	 1.a. Number inserted exceeds the maximum vehicles in simulation 1. System shows appropriate message. 2. System offers user to change the number or keep default. 2.1.a) User chooses to change number, Go to MSS1. 2.1.b) User chooses to not change, Use case ends.

	010
ID: 010	
Goal	Display run-time data

Description Primary Actor	User must be able to choose visible run-time data in the simulation. User
Pre-conditions	Graphical representation to be loaded, number of vehicles is specified and tiles are placed
Main Success Scenario	 User chooses to see run-time data whilst the simulation is running. System shows the run-time data. System continues with the simulation.
Extensions	 2a, 3a. User cancels the run-time data. System asks for confirmation. System hides the run-time data, use case ends. 2b. System failed to load run-time data. System shows appropriate message. System offers to load the run-time data again or cancel. 2.1.a) User chooses to load again, Go to MSS1. 2.1.b) User chooses to cancel, use case ends.

	011
ID: 011	
Goal	Control start/end point.
Description	User could control the starting / endpoint of the map for vehicles in the simulation.
Primary Actor	User
Pre-conditions	Graphical representation to be loaded, number of vehicles is specified and tiles are placed
Main Success Scenario	 User chooses the starting/endpoint of vehicles. System highlights the new starting/endpoint tiles. User confirms the changes. System loads map with the new starting/endpoint tiles.

Extensions	1a, 2a. User cancels
	1. Use case ends.
	2b, 3a. User chose the wrong starting/endpoint of vehicles.
	1. User cancels the changes
	2. System shows appropriate message.
	3. System offers to continue or to cancel.
	3.1.a) User cancels, use case ends.
	3.1.b) User chooses to continue, go to MSS1.

	012
ID: 012	
Goal	Heatmap
Description	User wants to check the heatmap for the current simulation.
Primary Actor	System
Pre-conditions	Simulation to be active
Main Success Scenario	 User loads simulation. System loads smart statistics form. System loads a heatmap based on average road position per time. User selects heatmap Heatmap form opens showing heatmap of simulation.
Extensions	Simulation fails b) System does not load statistics form.