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## Executive Summary

This report describes the functionality of the INFRARISK Decision Support Tool (IDST) portal developed in work package 7 of the INFRARISK project. The IDST is enabled with a set of software workflow processes that allow multiple and cascading natural hazards to be defined for a selected geospatial region and to evaluate the impact on critical road and rail infrastructure. The IDST enables stress tests to be performed and automated reports to be generated. An example stress test is performed using the IDST for one of the selected European case studies in the INFRARISK project is also presented in this report, providing details of each step of the process using the IDST.





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## 1 INTRODUCTION

The INFRARISK<sup>1</sup> (Novel indicators for identifying critical INFRAstructure at RISK from natural hazards) project has developed a methodology that enables stress testing for critical infrastructure networks. This methodology has been implemented by the INFRARISK Decision Support Tool (IDST) that allows the risks and robustness of infrastructure impacted by natural disasters such as earthquakes, landslides and flooding to be calculated.

In this document we describe the functionality of IDST portal and for illustration we provide a case study that describes stress test for a road network in Northern Italy. This case study provides a step-by-step account of the INFRARISK stress testing workflow. The IDST also provides partial support for a rail network in Croatia.

The presented deliverable consists of the following main sections:

- a) Home page of IDST Portal
- b) Login Options
- c) IDST Dashboard
- d) IDST Workflow
- e) Summary
- f) Appendix Case Study: Italian Road Network

<sup>1</sup> <http://www.infrarisk-fp7.eu>

## 2 HOME PAGE OF IDST PORTAL

The IDST<sup>2</sup> can be accessed via web browsers running on mobile and desktop operating systems. The IDST has been tested on these platforms:

- Linux: Firefox, Chromium
- Apple: Firefox, Safari
- Windows: Firefox, Chrome, IE9+
- Android tablets: Chrome
- iPad: Safari

The home page in Figure 1 provides a brief introduction to the IDST portal. In the top right corner of the page there two buttons: “Help” and “Login”.



**Figure 1: IDST home page**

Under the “Help” link there is a dropdown menu with two options, these are “IDST Help” and “About INFRARISK”. The “IDST Help” provides the IDST User Manual. The “About INFRARISK” describes the objectives of the project and provides a URL where further information can be found.

### 2.1 Login Options

By clicking on the login link in the top right corner of the home page the user is presented with several authentication services (Figure 2), these are:

- a) Mozilla Persona

<sup>2</sup> <https://infrarisk.it-innovation.soton.ac.uk>

- b) Google
- c) Yahoo
- d) LinkedIn

Once the authentication mechanism has been selected the user will be redirected to the respective site for the login. After a successful login the user is asked to allow the IDST portal to access the user's profile. This information is required for authentication. If permission is given then IDST portal will associate the user's profile with the provided account details. In case a different account is used this will be treated by the IDST portal as a different user.



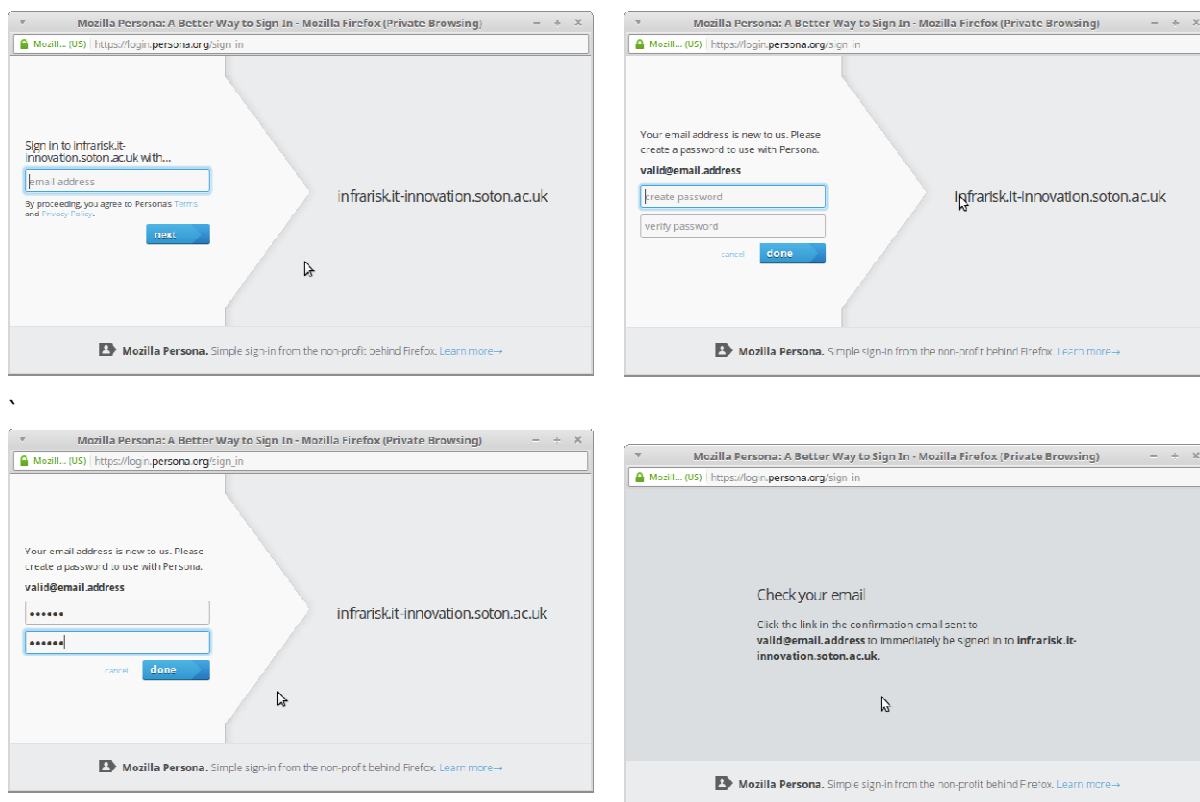
**Figure 2: IDST login**

### **2.1.1 Mozilla Persona Login**

If users do not want to use for authentication their social media account, Mozilla Persona provides an alternative authentication mechanism. Creating a Mozilla Persona account is simple and requires a valid email address only.

For creating a Mozilla Persona login (Figure 3) we need to follow these registration steps:

1. Click on the "sign in" button
2. Enter a valid email address by which the account can be identified
3. Provide a password for the Mozilla Persona account
4. The user is then sent an email for validation purposes

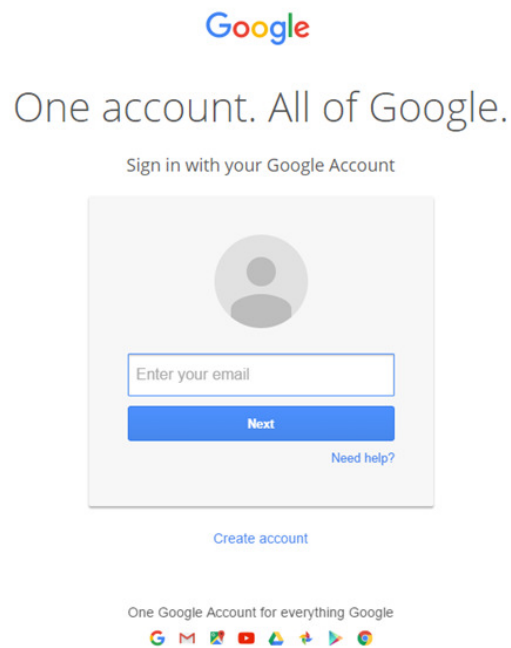


**Figure 3:** Login via Mozilla Persona

Once the account is created the sign-in into the IDST portal is simple. The user clicks on the login link, provides the registered email address and the Mozilla Persona password.

### 2.1.2 Google Login

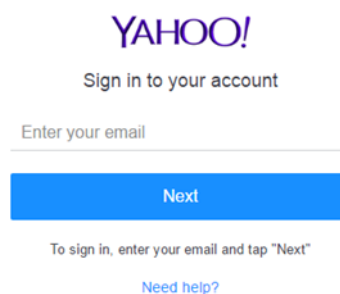
By clicking on the "Google" option enables to use Google credentials for the IDST login (Figure 4).



**Figure 4:** Standard Google login

### 2.1.3 Yahoo Login

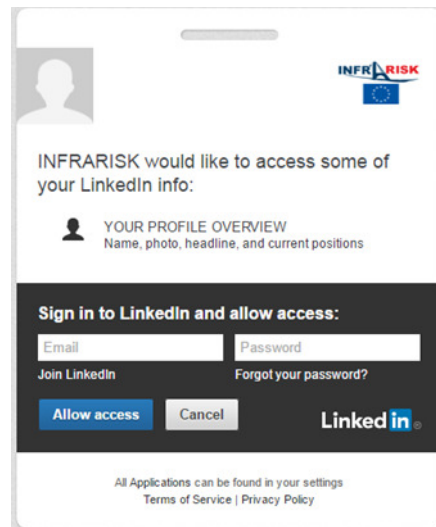
By clicking on the “Yahoo” option enables to use the Yahoo credentials for the IDST login (Figure 5).



**Figure 5:** Yahoo login to IDST

### 2.1.4 LinkedIn login

By clicking on the “LinkedIn” option enables to use the LinkedIn credentials for the IDST login (Figure 6).



**Figure 6:** LinkedIn login to IDST

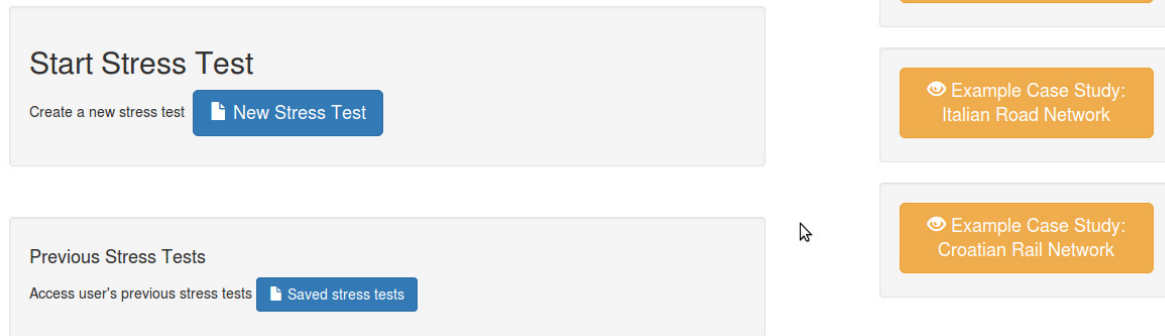


### 3 IDST DASHBOARD

After a successful login the user is presented the IDST Dashboard page (Figure 7). This dashboard represents a step-by-step process that allows multiple cascading hazards, geospatial boundaries, infrastructure elements and natural hazards to be defined. The user can access datasets, profile, usage statistics tools and information associated with case studies.

#### IDST Dashboard

The INFRARISK decision support tool (IDST) is an online tool which allows the user to perform stress tests for transport infrastructure networks at risk from natural hazards. The tool demonstrates the application of a stress testing methodology, developed as part of the INFRARISK project, which can consider multiple cascading hazards to allow the potential impacts to be assessed at a network level.



**Figure 7: IDST dashboard**

The IDST dashboard provides the following links:

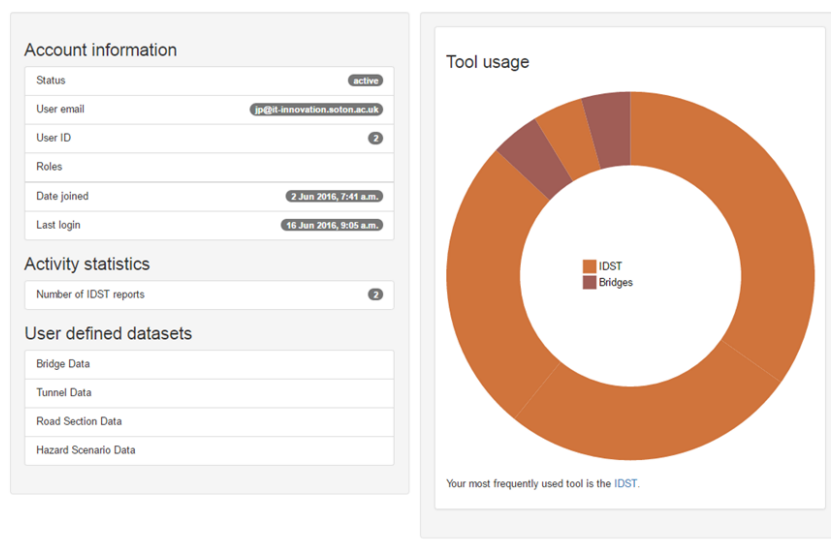
- In the top right corner: Help, IDST, Tools, Logout
- The buttons on the right side are: INFRARISK Methodologies Explained, Example Case Study: Northern Italy Road Network and Example Case Study: Croatia Rail Network.
- The central part of the dashboard represents the starting point of the workflow. By clicking on “New Stress Test” the user can start a new evaluation study. The “IDST Stress Test Summary List” provides access to previously defined cases studies. The user can re-visit these case studies, modify parameters and re-run the simulations.

In the following sections we provide a detailed description of each of these functions.

#### 3.1 IDST User Profile

The IDST link provides information about the User Profile, Activity statistics and User defined datasets (Figure 8). The User Profile includes fields for: Status, User Email, User ID, Roles, Date joined and Last login. The Activity statistics keeps track of the reports generated by the user. The User defined datasets contain data about Bridges, Tunnels, Road Sections and hazard Scenarios.

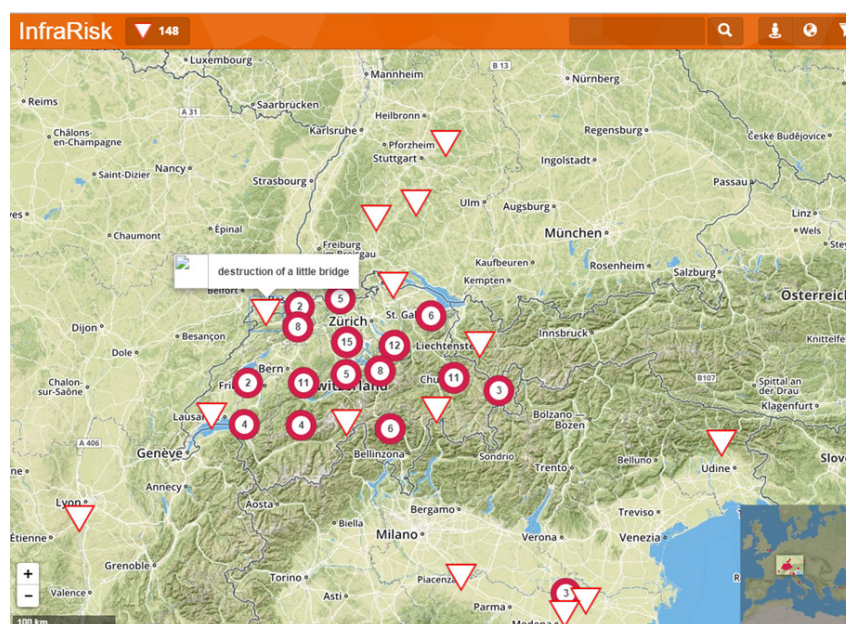
### User Profile Information



**Figure 8:** IDST User related information

### 3.2 Other Tools

The Tools menu contains a link to the Knowledge Base, and a link for the ORT application. Both tools are hosted externally. The Knowledge Base (<https://infrarisk.datagraft.net/>) provides information about road infrastructure elements of a geographical area (Figure 9).



**Figure 9:** INFRARISK Knowledge Base

The ORT-application<sup>3</sup> will give insight in the three projects which are developed for the INFRARISK-project. The Croatian Case Study Rail focusing on the TEN-T corridor and the expected exposure for

<sup>3</sup> <https://www.veilig.in>

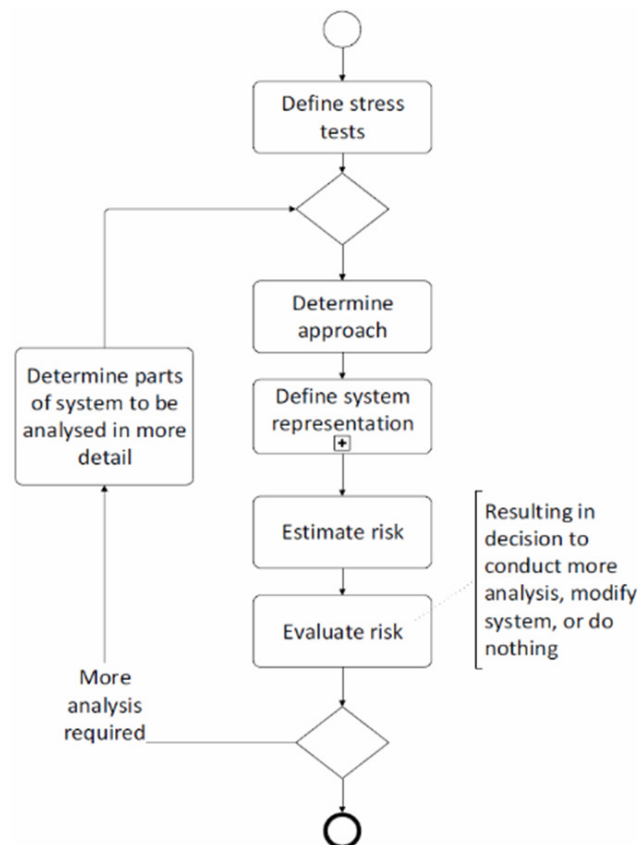
flooding, landslides and scour. The aim of this ORT application is to make an analysis on the exposure to the identified hazards for a whole line or network. This can be done scoring the railway sections to the most important criteria.

Based on the outcome an infrastructure manager can prioritize his further approach. In this approach the infrastructure manager can use the products and methodologies that are developed within the INFRARISK project and are available within the INFRARISK website, the IDST-application and the training videos.

### 3.3 The Overarching Risk Management Framework Workflow in General

In this section we describe the key elements of the Overarching Workflow (Hackl et al., 2016). The main steps that are required for running the workflow are the following (Figure 10):

- a) Define Stress Test
- b) Define System Representation
- c) Define Spatial Boundaries
- d) Define Network Elements
- e) Define Hazard Scenario
- f) Estimate Risk
- g) Evaluate Risk



**Figure 10:** Overarching risk management framework workflow diagram

**Problem Identification** - provides generic information about the given case study, describes the reason and questions that the given case study addresses.

**Define Stress Test** - includes the events, elements, consequences, assumptions, agreements and boundary conditions that are necessary for the risk assessment.

**Define System Representation** – involves defining the Spatial and Temporal boundaries of the system. Multiple boundaries can be defined for the system, each is identified by a name for example "hazard return period", "ground motion area" etc.

**Define Spatial Boundaries** – the boundaries are defined by a polygon, it can be defined manually or a pre-defined boundary can be used. In this step we also define temporal boundaries that represent the type of hazard (for example flooding, earthquake etc.) and the hazard occurrence period.

**Define Hazard Scenario** – is described by the hazard source and a list of primary and secondary hazard events.

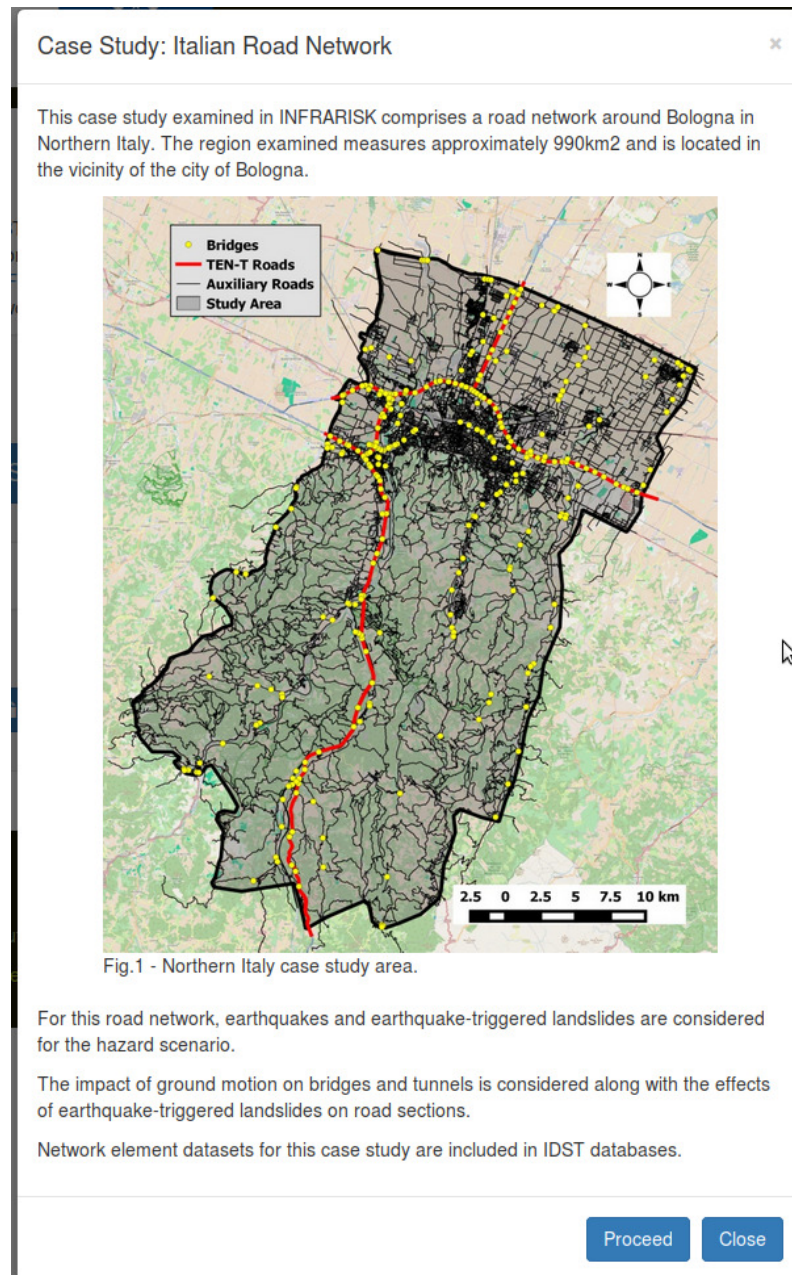
**Define Network Scenario** – represents the definition of network infrastructure, this includes the list of infrastructure elements with their associate hazard events (e.g. bridges, tunnels, etc.), contained within spatial boundaries.

**Estimate Risk** – involves the calculation of damage state statistics that provides information about the network elements and the histogram of damage.

**Evaluate Risk** – stage is represented by the Case Study report that contains summary information about: Problem Identification, System Stress Tests, System Boundaries, Hazard Scenario, Hazard Model Setup, Network Elements and Risk Estimation.

### 3.4 IDST Case Studies Stress Tests

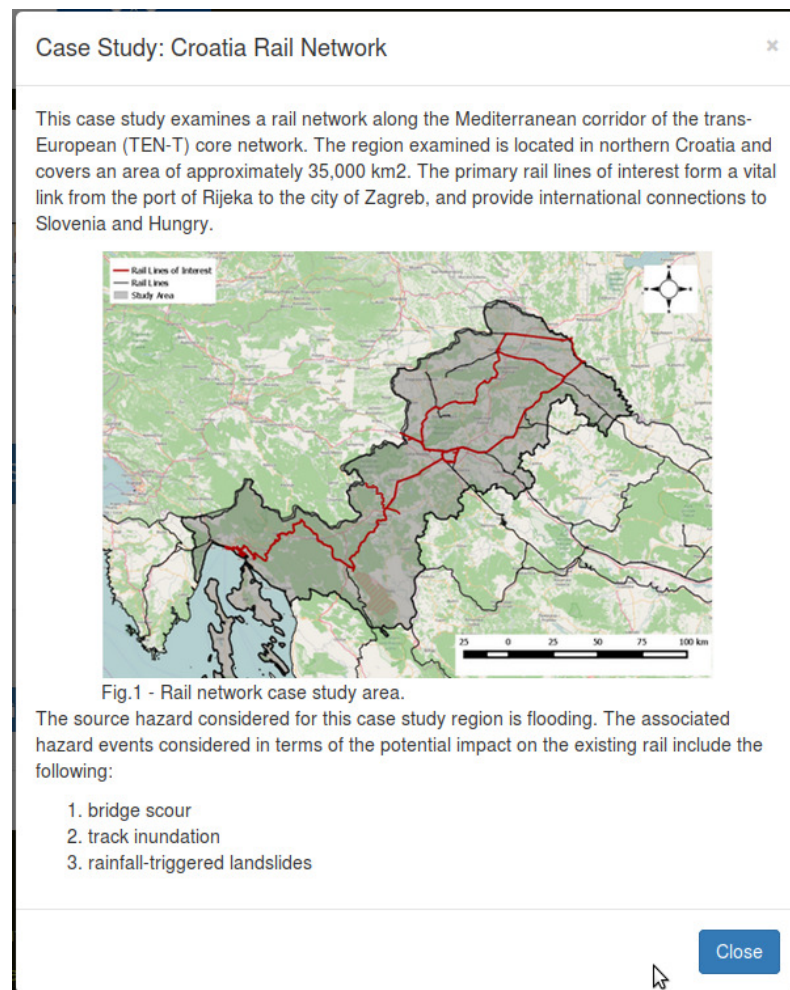
The IDST provides examples of predefined stress tests for both two European case studies conducted in the project (Clarke et al., 2016). The Italian case study examines the impact of low probability, high consequence seismic hazard scenarios for a road network in Northern Italy (Figure 11).



**Figure 11** Italian road network case study

Figure 12 shows the Croatia rail network case study. The main source hazard in this scenario is flooding with rainfall triggered landslides that affects a railway network. Stress tests based on this case study are currently on the IDST with limited functionality.





**Figure 12** Croatian rail network case study

## 4 IDST WORKFLOW IN DETAIL

In this section we provide a detailed description of individual steps of the IDST implementation of the Overarching Workflow. Example models and figures in this section are mainly derived from the Italian road network case study (Clarke et al., 2016).

### 4.1 Define Stress Tests

Generic information about the stress test (van Gelder and van Erp, 2016) (Hackl et al., 2016) describes the reason and the relevant questions. By clicking on the “New Stress Test” button on the IDST Dashboard the user can define a new case study (Figure 13).

## Define Stress Test

This page allows general information on the stress test to be included. This information is not directly used to inform the analysis but is included within an automatically generated summary report upon completion of the stress test.

Enter stress test details:

**Name:**

**Summary (Optional):**

Provide a brief summary of the stress test

Note that hazard-specific input parameters, e.g. return period, are considered at the "Define Hazard Scenario" stage.

Press the following button to save your stress test, and start the IDST workflow.

Save and proceed

Figure 13: Problem identification

When all information is provided the user saves the information by clicking on the “Store case study” button.

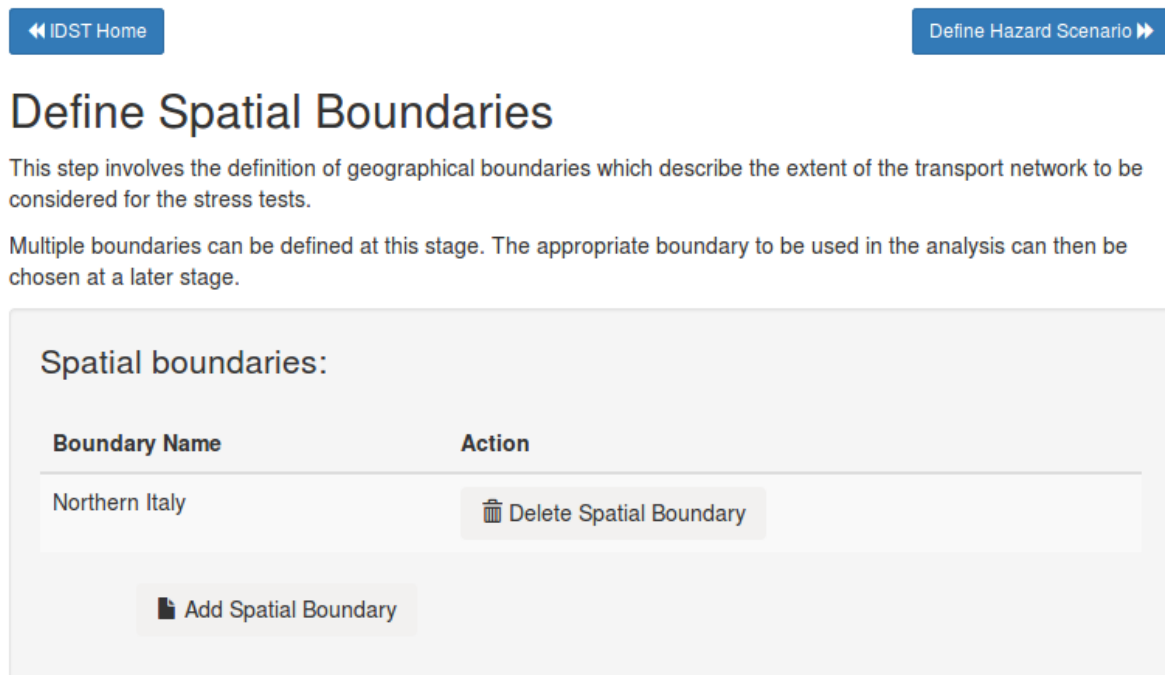
A stress test can be for example represented by an earthquake event that can also trigger a landslide. The risk to the network is considered in terms of probable restoration costs. After providing the required information the user clicks on “Store Stress Tests Scenario” for storing the details in the database. This action transfers the user to the next page that allows the system with boundary conditions, network elements and hazard scenarios.

## 4.2 Define System Representation

Defining the system on which the calculations are performed is a four stage process that includes the definition of: boundaries, network elements, hazard scenarios, network events and network element models.

### 4.2.1 System Boundaries

The definition of system boundaries allows the geographical area for which the risk assessment will be performed to be specified (Figure 14).

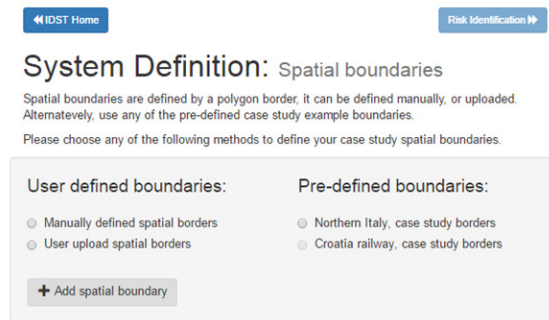


**Figure 14:** Definition of system boundaries

By clicking on the “Add Spatial Boundary” the user can highlight the area of interest. There are several options for defining boundaries (Figure 15), these are:

- a) User defined boundaries
  - Manually defined spatial borders
  - User can also upload spatial borders defined in a separate file
- b) Pre-defined boundaries
  - Northern Italy, case study borders
  - Croatia railway, case study borders (currently disabled)





System Definition: Spatial boundaries

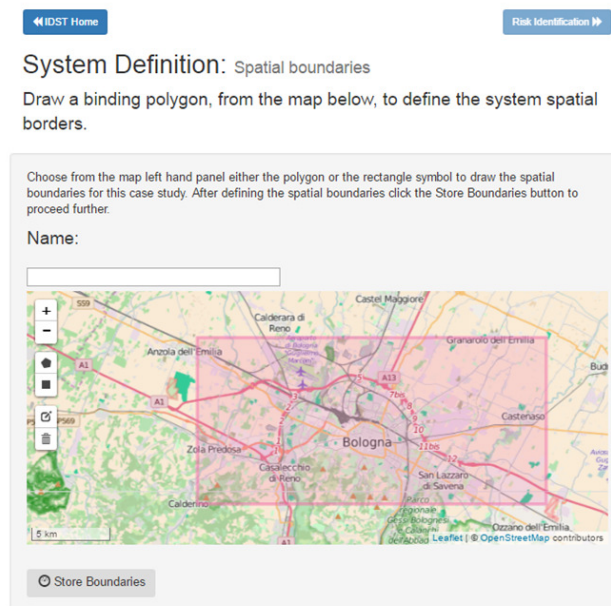
Spatial boundaries are defined by a polygon border, it can be defined manually, or uploaded. Alternatively, use any of the pre-defined case study example boundaries.

Please choose any of the following methods to define your case study spatial boundaries.

<p>User defined boundaries:</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Manually defined spatial borders</p> <p><input type="radio"/> User upload spatial borders</p> <p><input type="button" value="+ Add spatial boundary"/></p>	<p>Pre-defined boundaries:</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Northern Italy, case study borders</p> <p><input type="radio"/> Croatia railway, case study borders</p>
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**Figure 15:** Defining spatial boundaries

By selecting the radio box “Manually defined spatial borders” and clicking on “Add Spatial Boundary” the user is presented with a map on which the particular area can be marked (Figure 16). On the left side of the map there are various controls that allow to zoom in (+), zoom out (-), type of polygon (pentagon or square), modifying the boundary or deleting the changes. Before completing this step the user needs to “Name” the selected area and click on the “Store Boundaries” button. This takes the user back to the “Define System Boundaries” page where the “Temporal boundaries” can be defined.



System Definition: Spatial boundaries

Draw a binding polygon, from the map below, to define the system spatial borders.

Choose from the map left hand panel either the polygon or the rectangle symbol to draw the spatial boundaries for this case study. After defining the spatial boundaries click the Store Boundaries button to proceed further.

Name:

**Figure 16:** Selecting the area of interest

The user can define multiple spatial boundaries, for example might investigate the impact of a hazard event that happened in Northern Italy on the traffic in the neighbouring areas or for the entire country.

## IDST Upload spatial boundaries

Pre-defined boundaries created using GIS software can be uploaded to the IDST.

Upload user defined spatial boundaries. The supported format for IDST boundaries is based on a shapefile with a single Polygon geometry feature. The shapefile and its associated files should be zipped into a single file for uploading.

Help

The format for IDST boundaries is based on a shapefile with a single polygon geometry feature. The shapefile and its associated files should be zipped into a single file for uploading.

- Boundary: single layer shapefile (ESRI Shapefile)
- Geometry type: Polygon
- SRS: DATUM["WGS\_1984", SPHEROID["WGS\_84",6378137,298.257223563]
- Layer fields: ['id']
- Layerf field types: ['OFTInteger']

A sample file format can be found [here](#).

**Spatial boundary name:**

**File to upload:**

No file selected.

**Figure 17:** Spatial boundary shapefile format

The IDST supports user uploaded shapefile boundaries, as Figure 17 shows, in the following format:

```
Boundary: single layer shapefile (ESRI Shapefile)
Geometry type: Polygon
SRS: DATUM["WGS_1984", SPHEROID["WGS_84", 6378137, 298.257223563]
Layer fields: ['id']
Layerf field types: ['OFTInteger']
```

All associated shapefiles should be archived in a simple zip file for uploading e.g.

Archive: aoi.zip

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76	2016-05-18	16:48	AreaOfInterest_Polygon.dbf
388	2016-05-18	16:48	AreaOfInterest_Polygon.prj
597	2016-05-18	16:48	AreaOfInterest_Polygon.qpj
3836	2016-05-18	16:48	AreaOfInterest_Polygon.shp
108	2016-05-18	16:48	AreaOfInterest_Polygon.shx
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5005			5 files

#### 4.2.2 Define Hazard Scenario

After defining the spatial and temporal boundaries the “Define Hazard Scenario” button gets enabled. The Definition of Hazard Scenario involves:

- the hazard source
- list of associated, primary or secondary, hazard events
- list of hazard models associated with hazard events

It is important to mention that all hazard events must be assigned to hazard models. A hazard model is a detailed IDST module that describes in detail an actual hazard, e.g. earthquake. The currently implemented hazard sources are precipitation and earthquake (Figure 18). The selection of the hazard source is saved by clicking on the “Store Scenario Hazard Source” button.

◀ IDST Home

Configure Hazard Models ▶

## Define Hazard Scenario

During this stage the user has to define the case study hazard scenario. A hazard scenario is described by:

- hazard source and,
- a list of associated, primary or secondary, hazard events
- hazard events must be bound to concrete hazard models

Next step configure concrete hazard models.

### Hazard Source

Choose the hazard source for this case study.

Hazard source: Precipitation ▼ Precipitation Earthquake Store Scenario Hazard Source

**Figure 18:** Defining hazard source

After defining the hazard source hazard events can be created and added by clicking on the “Add Hazard Event” button (Figure 19). The selected configuration is saved by clicking on the “Stored Hazard Event” button.

◀ IDST Home

Define Hazard Scenario ▶

## Add Hazard Event

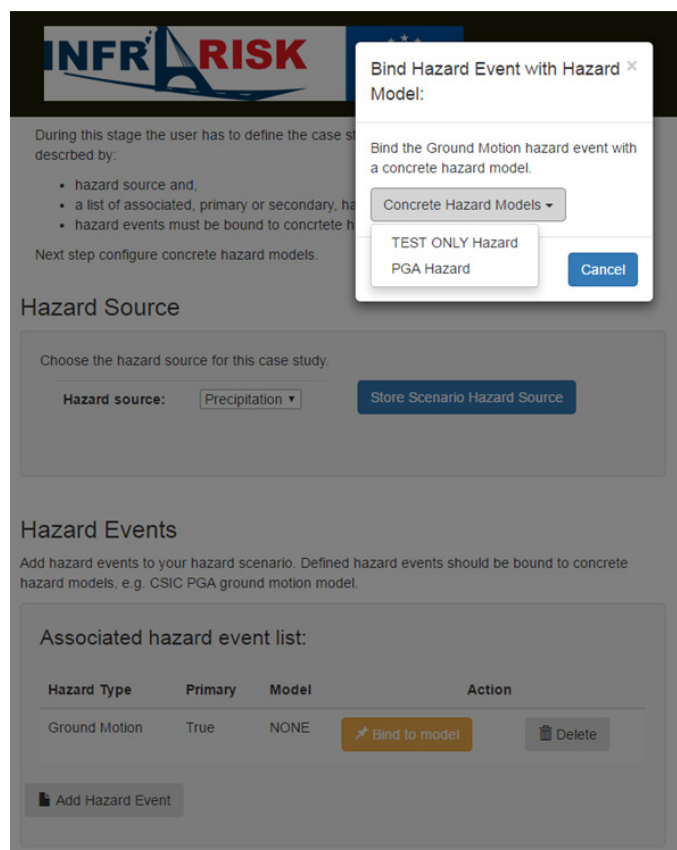
A hazard event is described by a hazard type and whether the hazard event is primary or secondary to hazard source.

### Add a hazard event for your hazard scenario.

Hazard: Ground Motion ▼ Ground Motion Landslide Flood Coastal Flooding Scour Store Hazard Event

**Figure 19:** Defining a hazard event

Both the hazard source and the event must be bounded to a hazard model (Figure 20). By clicking on the “Assign to Model” allows to select from several hazard models that are applicable for the given hazard event. Binding a hazard event to a real a hazard model generates PGA data for a particular location on the map.

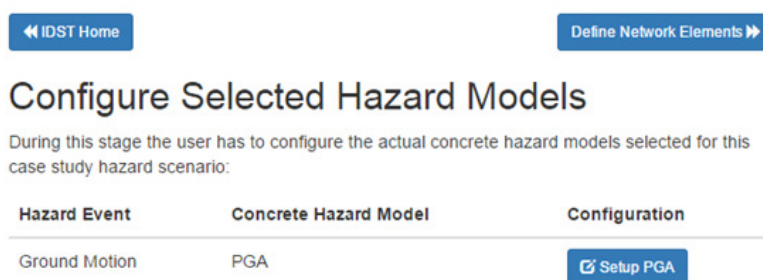


**Figure 20:** Assigning hazard models to hazard events

Once the hazard source and the hazard events are defined the following step is the configuration of the associated hazard models. This step is activated by clicking on the “Configure Hazard Models” button.

#### 4.2.2.1 Configuring the hazard model

The reason for configuring the hazard model is that each model can take different parameters and values, these models can represent layers over a certain area. We can have one hazard source and several events, for example an earthquake that triggers a landslide. The IDST Portal will allow to plug-in different models in future releases. Currently, for demo purposes we use a seismic hazard model developed in the project (Jiménez and García-Fernández, 2016). The configuration of the model is activated by clicking on the “Setup PGA” button (Figure 21).



**Figure 21:** Configuring the PGA model

The methodology developed in INFRARISK introduces seismic hazard models for describing low probability seismic ground motions.

The configuration of the seismic hazard model (Jiménez and García-Fernández, 2016) (Figure 22) involves the specification of fields:

- a) **Seismic activity model:** Level of seismicity in the region of interest (i.e. high, moderate, moderate-to-low, low).
- b) **Ground-motion prediction model:** Attenuation of seismic energy with distance in the region of interest (i.e. generic low, generic high; European-based).
- c) **Hazard level (annual probability of ground motion exceedance):** Mean return period (years) =  $1/P$ ; where  $P$  = probability of exceeding ground motion values at the reference central site per year.
- d) **Fractile of extreme ground-motion:** Fractile/Percentile of extreme ground-motion values at the reference central site (e.g. if fractile is 0.90, only 10% of extremes will be larger).

Each GM-field corresponds to a grid of Peak Ground Acceleration (PGA) value for the hazard region that is referenced to a specific extreme ground-motion value which is located at the centre of the 'hazard region'. Furthermore, 18 random factors are used for describing the spatial variability associated with the PGA values. The cascading hazards effects were also considered in terms of earthquake-triggered landslides that heavily affect roads built on slopes. This method involves estimating the yield acceleration ( $k_y$ ) values for the selected area.

## IDST INFRARISK Ground Motion Model Configuration

This ground motion hazard model is based on the INFRARISK GM model. Please select the PGA grid for the Ground Motion event.

[Help](#)

Seismic activity model:	Low activity ▾
Ground-motion prediction model:	Low attenuation ▾
Hazard level (Mean return period):	2500 years ▾
Fractile of extreme ground-motion:	0.50 ▾

Store stress test hazard configuration.

[Store hazard configuration](#)

The configuration of the PGA model is stored by clicking on the "Stored hazard configuration" button. This action takes us to the next stage of the workflow for *Defining the Network Scenario and Network Elements*.

**Figure 22:** Setting seismic hazard model parameters

Note: the seismic hazard model configuration should be finalised at a later stage when the specified PGA grid is anchored to an actual network element objects, e.g. bridge or tunnel.

#### 4.2.2.2 Define Network Scenario

The hazard scenario at this stage of the IDST workflow is specified only in generic terms, it is not yet mapped to a particular area. The configuration of the network scenario and elements (Figure 23) is a three step process consisting of:

- a) Network infrastructure
- b) List of network infrastructure elements, or network event types (road network, bridges, tunnels etc.)
- c) Spatial boundaries

Table 1 summarises the type of structural elements of the network and the associated hazards.

Network Element	Hazard Event
Bridges	Ground Motion
Tunnels	Ground Motion
Road sections	Ground Motion-triggered landslides

**Table 1:** Network elements and hazards considered

The damage for bridges, tunnels and road section was classified according to five states: no damage, slight/minor damage, moderate damage, extensive/major damage, and complete damage. Additional parameters such as the indicative restoration times and repair costs for the individual network elements were also obtained. For roads the length of sections is 10m, the values for bridges and tunnels are given per individual structure.

The screenshot shows the 'Define Network Scenario, Elements' page. At the top, there are two buttons: 'IDST Home' and 'View Network Elements'. The main heading is 'Define Network Scenario, Elements'. Below it, a text block states: 'During this stage the user has to define the network events scenario, which is composed of the following:'. This is followed by a bulleted list: 'network infrastructure, e.g. road network', 'list of infrastructure elements, e.g. bridges, tunnels, etc', and 'spatial boundaries'. The next section is 'Network Infrastructure', with the instruction 'Choose the network infrastructure for this case study.' Below this is a form with a label 'Infrastructure:' and a dropdown menu currently showing 'Road Network'. To the right of the dropdown is a blue button labeled 'Store Network Infrastructure'. The final section is 'Spatial Boundaries', with the instruction 'Bind network elements with case study boundaries'. Below this is a button with a folder icon and the text 'Bind Spatial Border'.

**Figure 23:** Define network scenario and elements

### 4.2.2.3 Define Network Event Type

After clicking on the “Store Network Infrastructure” the user can add more infrastructure elements to the scenario (Figure 24). Each network element type should be assigned to network and also to a hazard event that affects the specified network element type.

The screenshot shows two main sections of the user interface. The top section, titled 'Network Infrastructure', has a subtitle 'Choose the network infrastructure for this case study.' It contains a dropdown menu labeled 'Infrastructure:' with 'Road Network' selected, and a blue button labeled 'Store Network Infrastructure'. The bottom section, titled 'Infrastructure Elements', has a subtitle 'Add network elements to your scenario. Defined network element should be bound to concrete network models, e.g. UCL Bridge model.' It displays the message 'There are no infrastructure events defined' and a grey button labeled 'Add Network Event'.

**Figure 24:** Defining infrastructure characteristics

By clicking on the “Add Network Event” we can associate the given network element with a specific hazard event defined earlier (Figure 25).

The screenshot shows the 'Add Network Element Types' section. It has a subtitle 'Each element type must be associated with a hazard event.' and a 'Help' button. Below this, there are two lines of text: 'Element: this is the type of network element to be considered, e.g. bridges or tunnels.' and 'Hazard event: this is the hazard event deemed to affect the element type chosen above.' The main form area is titled 'Choose element type and an associated hazard event.' and contains two dropdown menus: 'Element:' with 'Road Section' selected, and 'Hazard event:' with 'Landslide' selected. A blue button labeled 'Add Element Types' is at the bottom.

**Figure 25:** Linking network element types with events

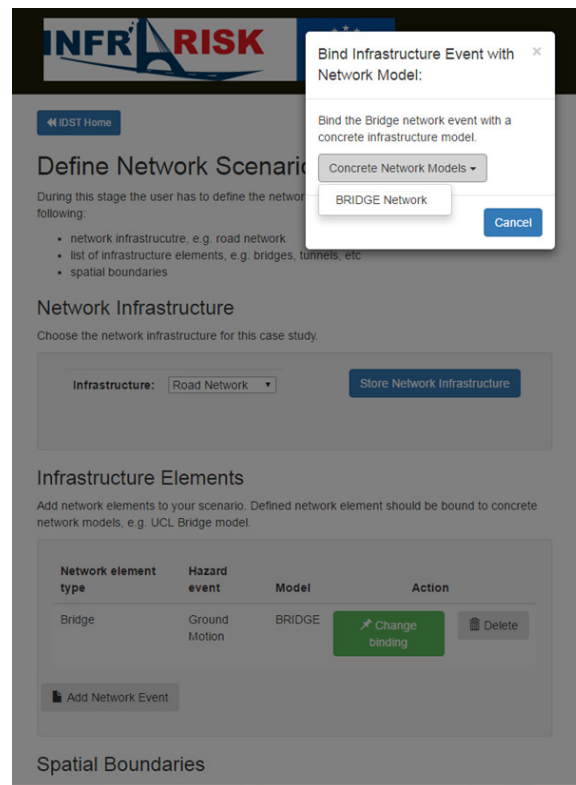
### 4.2.2.4 Assign network event to the damage model fragility functions

Once the network event is selected by clicking on the “Choose Model” button the user can assign this event to a network model (Figure 26).



For the network bridges and tunnels, the IDST has adopted the median fragility functions with lower and upper confidence bounds. Information about the application of the SYNER-G database to the network bridges and tunnels can be founded in INFRARISK Deliverable D3.2 (D'Ayala and Gehl, 2015).

Information about assigning fragility functions to road sections built on slopes can also be found in Deliverable D3.2.



**Figure 26:** Assigning infrastructure event to a network model

The input parameters of models are values for the mean and sigma that are used for the generation of fragility curves, and the PGA value at that point. The output of the model is a numerical value representing the damage state ranging from 0 to 5.

For the network of bridges and tunnels, the physical damage due to the earthquake hazard is defined in terms of five damage states:

- no damage (Damage State 0), slight/minor damage (Damage State 1),
- moderate damage (Damage State 2),
- extensive/major damage (Damage State 3),
- complete damage (Damage State 4).

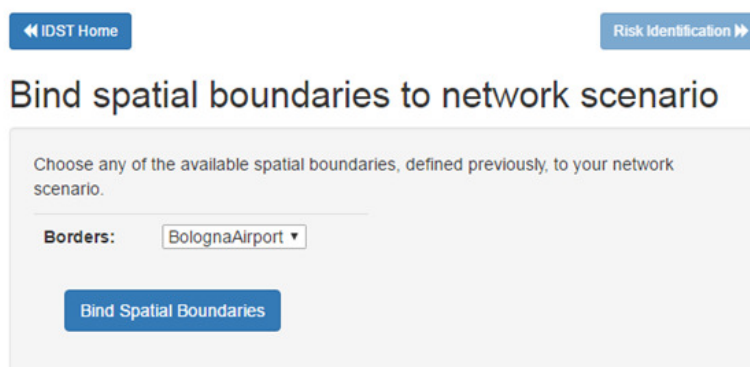
For the road sections the physical damage due to the earthquake-triggered landslide hazards is defined in terms of four damage states:

- no damage (Damage State 0),
- slight/minor damage (Damage State 1),
- moderate damage (Damage State 2),
- extensive/major damage (Damage State 3).

After selecting the Network Model the next step is defining the spatial boundaries applicable to network elements.

#### 4.2.2.5 Assigning to a spatial border (example map of Italy)

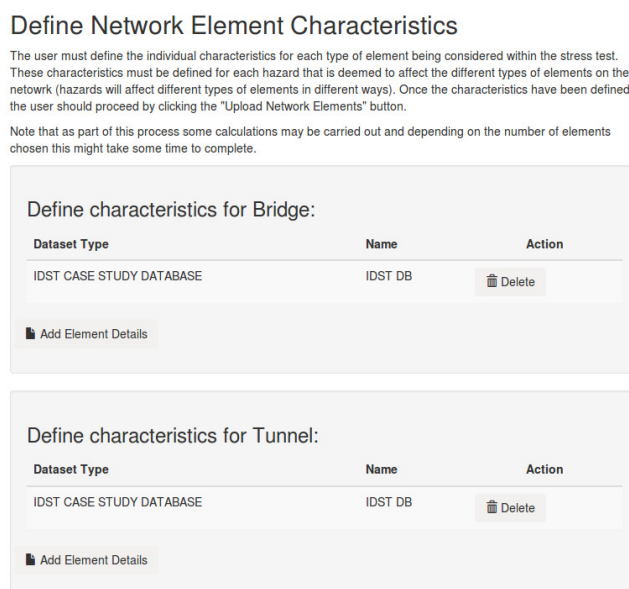
By clicking on the “Choose Spatial Border” button the user can define the boundaries for the infrastructure event scenario (Figure 27). The user can add more boundaries in order to investigate the impact of a hazard event for various geographical regions.



**Figure 27:** Assigning spatial boundaries for the network scenario

#### 4.2.3 Adding network dataset elements (datasets)

At this step of the workflow the user defines the actual network element datasets (bridges, tunnels, road sections) for each network event type defined earlier. Multiple datasets of network elements can be associated with a network event by clicking on the “Add Network Dataset” (Figure 28).



**Define Network Element Characteristics**

The user must define the individual characteristics for each type of element being considered within the stress test. These characteristics must be defined for each hazard that is deemed to affect the different types of elements on the network (hazards will affect different types of elements in different ways). Once the characteristics have been defined the user should proceed by clicking the “Upload Network Elements” button.

Note that as part of this process some calculations may be carried out and depending on the number of elements chosen this might take some time to complete.

**Define characteristics for Bridge:**

Dataset Type	Name	Action
IDST CASE STUDY DATABASE	IDST DB	Delete

Add Element Details

**Define characteristics for Tunnel:**

Dataset Type	Name	Action
IDST CASE STUDY DATABASE	IDST DB	Delete

Add Element Details

**Figure 28:** Network element datasets

Currently there are three different dataset formats of network elements supported by IDST (Figure 29):

- a) Network element datasets already preloaded in IDST databases.
- b) User defined network element datasets in a shape-file format.
- c) User defined network element datasets in a CSV format.

## System Definition: Define Network Element Characteristics

The current version of the IDST supports the following formats for defining element characteristics:

- Network element datasets already preloaded in IDST databases, e.g. Northern Italy case study.
- User defined network element datasets in a shapefile format.
- User defined network element datasets in a CSV format.

Please choose any of the following methods to define characteristics for individual network elements.

**User defined network element characteristics:**

☐ Use elements found in IDST databases.

☐ User upload elements in shapefile format.

☐ User upload elements in CSV format.

[+ Add network elements](#)

[✕ Cancel](#)

**Figure 29:** Selecting network elements

Currently the supporting Shapefile format for bridge and tunnel elements, as Figure 30 shows, is the following:

*Bridges: single layer shapefile (ESRI Shapefile)*

*Geometry type: Point*

*SRS: DATUM["WGS\_1984", SPHEROID["WGS\_84", 6378137, 298.257223563]*

*Layer fields: ['bridge\_id', 'y\_coord', 'x\_coord', 'material1', 'material2', 'bridge\_wid', 'bridge\_len', 'deck\_struc', 'pier-to-de', 'type\_of\_pi', 'type\_of\_co', 'type\_of\_\_l', 'spans', 'span\_lengt', 'connection', 'bridge\_con', 'level\_of\_s', 'number\_of\_']*

*Layerf field types: ['OFTInteger', 'OFTReal', 'OFTReal', 'OFTString', 'OFTString', 'OFTString', 'OFTString', 'OFTString', 'OFTString', 'OFTString', 'OFTString', 'OFTString', 'OFTString', 'OFTString', 'OFTInteger']*

All associated shapefiles should be archived in a simple zip file for uploading e.g.

Archive: brg\_whxu9wf.zip

Length	Date	Time	Name
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1233109	2016-05-18	16:48	Bridges_UCL.dbf
143	2016-05-18	16:48	Bridges_UCL.prj
257	2016-05-18	16:48	Bridges_UCL.qpj
9620	2016-05-18	16:48	Bridges_UCL.shp

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2820  2016-05-18 16:48  Bridges_UCL.shx
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1245949                                5 files

```

Similarly, the tunnel's single layer shapefile (ESRI Shapefile) is defined as:

Geometry type: Point

SRS: DATUM["WGS\_1984", SPHEROID["WGS\_84",6378137,298.257223563]

Layer fields: ['tunnel\_id', 'y\_coord', 'x\_coord', 'constructi',  
'shape', 'depth', 'geological', 'supporting', 'no\_of\_lane']

Layerf field types: ['OFTInteger', 'OFTReal', 'OFTReal',  
'OFTString', 'OFTString', 'OFTString', 'OFTString', 'OFTString',  
'OFTInteger']

Archive: brg\_pef0r4t\_.zip

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Length      Date      Time      Name
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40491  2016-05-24 21:22  Tunnels_UCL.dbf
143    2016-05-24 21:22  Tunnels_UCL.prj
257    2016-05-24 21:22  Tunnels_UCL.qpj
940    2016-05-24 21:22  Tunnels_UCL.shp
340    2016-05-24 21:22  Tunnels_UCL.shx
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42171                                5 files

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Currently the supporting Shapefile format for bridge and tunnel elements is the following:

Bridge element shapefile format:

- Bridges: single layer shapefile (ESRI Shapefile)
- Geometry type: Point
- SRS: DATUM["WGS\_1984", SPHEROID["WGS\_84",6378137,298.257223563]
- Layer fields: ['bridge\_id', 'y\_coord', 'x\_coord', 'material1', 'material2', 'bridge\_wid', 'bridge\_len', 'deck\_struc', 'pier-to-de', 'type\_of\_pi', 'type\_of\_co', 'type\_of\_\_1', 'spans', 'span\_lengt', 'connection', 'bridge\_con', 'level\_of\_s', 'number\_of\_']
- Layerf field types: ['OFTInteger', 'OFTReal', 'OFTReal', 'OFTString', 'OFTString', 'OFTString', 'OFTString', 'OFTString', 'OFTString', 'OFTString', 'OFTString', 'OFTString', 'OFTString', 'OFTString', 'OFTString', 'OFTInteger']

A sample shapefile for bridges can be found [here](#).

Tunnel element shapefile format:

- Tunnels: single layer shapefile (ESRI Shapefile)
- Geometry type: Point
- SRS: DATUM["WGS\_1984", SPHEROID["WGS\_84",6378137,298.257223563]
- Layer fields: ['tunnel\_id', 'y\_coord', 'x\_coord', 'constructi', 'shape', 'depth', 'geological', 'supporting', 'no\_of\_lane']
- Layerf field types: ['OFTInteger', 'OFTReal', 'OFTReal', 'OFTString', 'OFTString', 'OFTString', 'OFTString', 'OFTString', 'OFTString', 'OFTInteger']

A sample shapefile for tunnels can be found [here](#).

CSV file format:

The CSV format for bridges elements is the following:

x coordinate, y coordinate, number of lines, medean

X	Y	Number of	Median	Sigma	Median	Sigma	Median	Sigma	Median	Sigma
coord	coord	lines	DS1	DS1	DS2	DS2	DS3	DS3	DS4	DS4
21.5	44.1	4	0.2	0.34	0.34	0.45	0.48	0.56	0.65	0.73
...										

**Figure 30:** Shapefile and CSV format for network element datasets

After selecting the relevant datasets for the Bridge and Tunnels the “Analyse Network Element” can be activated (Figure 31).

← IDST Home Analyse Network Elements →

### Define Network Element Datasets

During this stage the user has to define the actual network element datasets, e.g. bridges, for each network event defined earlier.

Multiple datasets of network elements can be associated on a network event. Click on the Add Network Dataset to add your network element datasets.

When network element datasets are appended to network events, click on the Analyse Network Element button to start the ingestion of the network elements into the system. Please note that this operation might be time consuming depending on the size of your network datasets.

Dataset elements for the Bridge event:

Dataset type	Name	Action
idstdb	IDST DB	Delete

Add Network Dataset

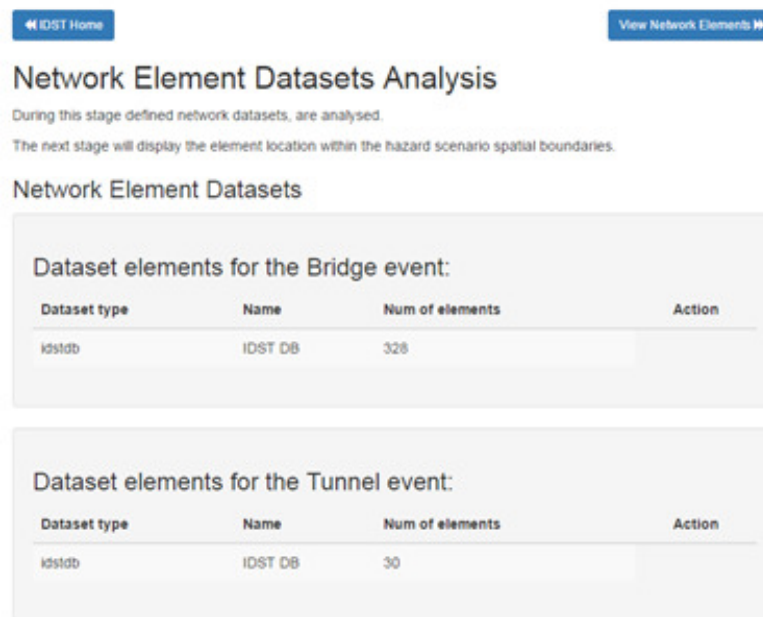
Dataset elements for the Tunnel event:

Dataset type	Name	Action
idstdb	IDST DB	Delete

Add Network Dataset

**Figure 31:** Defining network element datasets

The main functions of “Analyse Network Element” are data ingest and filtering the elements inside the area boundary (Figure 32). This operation can be time consuming depending on the size of datasets as Figure 32 shows.



**Network Element Datasets Analysis**

During this stage defined network datasets, are analysed.  
The next stage will display the element location within the hazard scenario spatial boundaries.

**Network Element Datasets**

**Dataset elements for the Bridge event:**

Dataset type	Name	Num of elements	Action
idstdb	IDST DB	328	

**Dataset elements for the Tunnel event:**

Dataset type	Name	Num of elements	Action
idstdb	IDST DB	30	

**Figure 32:** Analysing network elements

#### 4.2.3.1 View network elements

Once all components of the network scenario are specified the user can click on “View Network Elements” button for checking the parameters of elements (Figure 33). For the full specification of Network scenario the user provides information for three categories:

- a) Network Infrastructure
- b) Infrastructure Element Types
- c) Spatial Boundaries

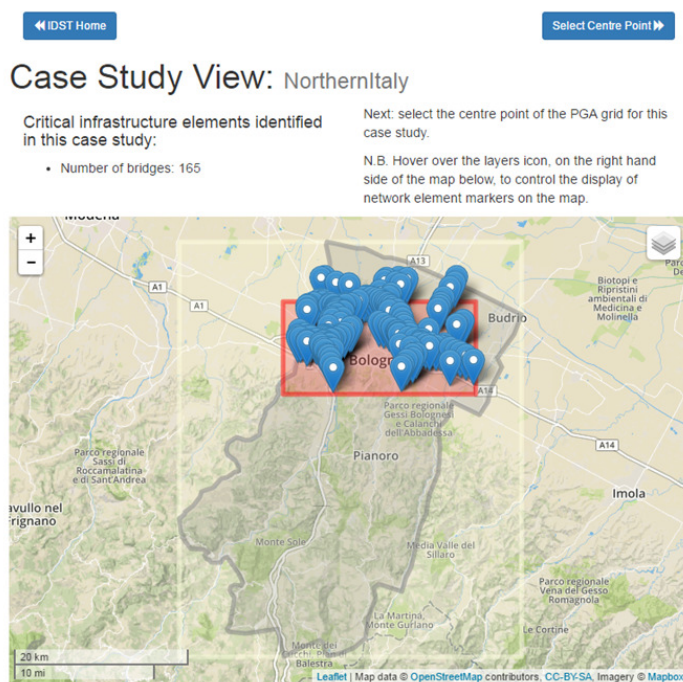


Figure 33: Viewing network elements

#### 4.2.3.2 Inspecting individual network elements

By clicking in individual network elements the user can obtain additional information about the location, construction material, architecture details, fragility curves etc. (Figure 34). To each of the network element (e.g. bridges, tunnels and roads) a fragility curve is assigned. These fragility curves provide the probability of exceeding a defined damage state for a given level of loading. The data used for this step is obtained from Open Street Map.

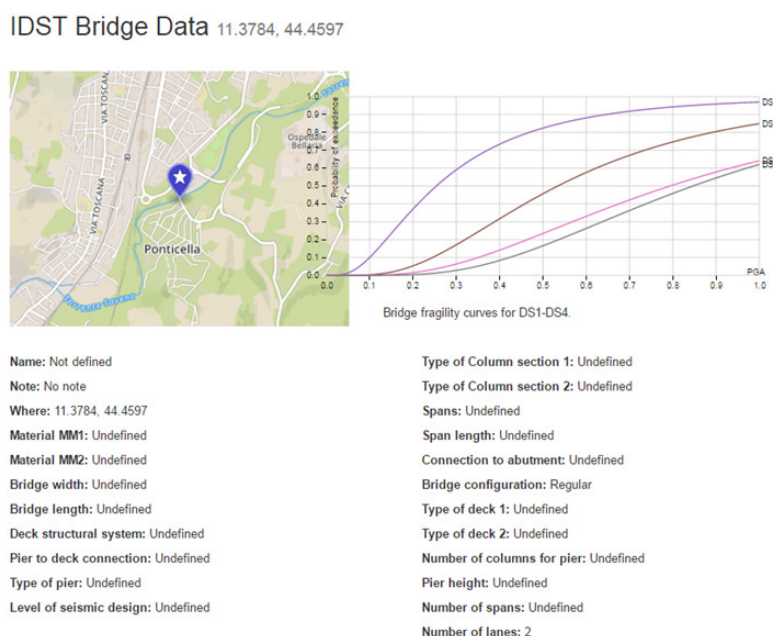


Figure 34: Inspecting individual network elements



The parameters describing for example the bridge characteristics are provided in Table 2.

Parameter	Options
<b>Material</b>	Concrete, masonry, steel, wood, iron, mixed
<b>Secondary material</b>	RC, pre-stressed RC, low/average/high strength concrete, unreinforced/reinforced masonry, lime/cement/mud mortar
<b>Type of superstructure</b>	Girder bridge, arch bridge, suspension bridge, slab bridge
<b>Type of deck</b>	Solid slab, slab with voids, box girder, modern/ancient arch bridge
<b>Deck characteristics</b>	Length
<b>Deck structural system</b>	Simply supported, continuous
<b>Pier-to-deck connection</b>	Monolithic, through bearings
<b>Type of pier to superstructure connection</b>	Single/multi column piers
<b>Number of columns per pier</b>	N/A
<b>Type of pier section</b>	Rectangular, cylindrical, oblong, wall-type, solid/hollow
<b>Height of pier</b>	N/A
<b>Spans</b>	Single, multi
<b>Span characteristics</b>	number, length
<b>Type of connection to the abutments</b>	Free, monolithic, through bearings

**Table 2:** Parameters of bridge characteristics

For describing tunnels with fragility curves we need to provide information as described in Table 3.

Parameter	Options
<b>Construction Method</b>	Bored or mined, cut-and-cover, immersed
<b>Section Shape</b>	Circular, rectangular, horseshoe
<b>Depth</b>	Surface, shallow, deep
<b>Supporting System</b>	Concrete, masonry, steel
<b>Geological Conditions</b>	Rock/alluvial
<b>Length</b>	-

**Table 3:** Tunnel parameters

The fragility curves for bridges and tunnels are available from the literature. For each individual bridge/tunnel, the median fragility curve is estimated based on different fragility models. This curve is then used for calculating the expected damage.



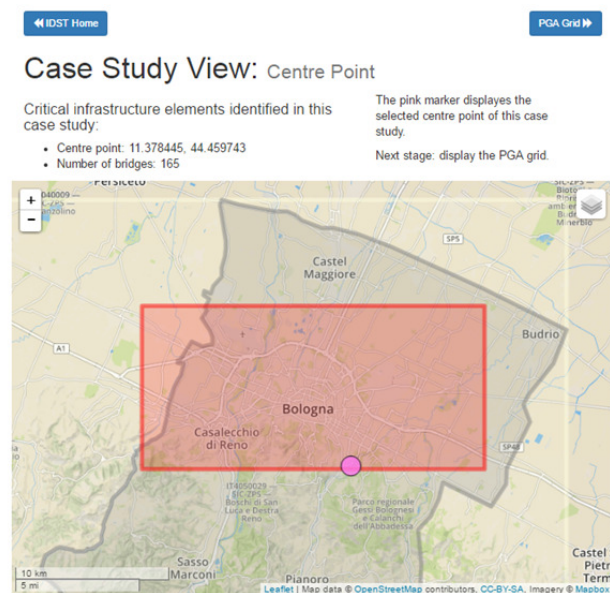
### 4.2.3.3 Finalising Hazard Model Configurations

This is an optional step that might be required to finalise the configuration of previously selected hazard models with extra parameters that were not available during the initial configuration of that hazard model. Such parameters are usually spatial boundaries or actual network objects.

The seismic hazard model (Jiménez and García-Fernández, 2016) is an example of such a hazard model as it requires the selection of a network object to be defined as the anchored point of its PGA grid. The following sections describe in detail how the user can identify a network object and anchor the PGA grid around that point.

### 4.2.3.4 Selecting a Centre Point for the Ground Motion Hazard

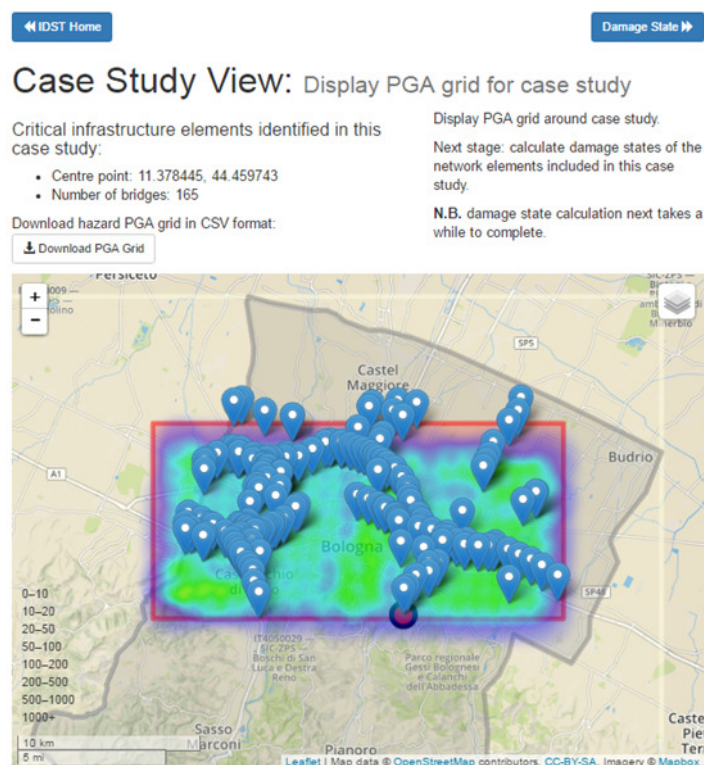
The final step of network scenario definition is entered by clicking on the “Select Centre Point” button (Figure 33). The purpose of this step is to overlay (anchor) the Ground Motion PGA grid on a certain geographical area. First the user picks one of the network elements on the map, then by clicking on “Make Central Point” button. As a result the Central point is anchored on the map of the specified region (Figure 35).



**Figure 35: Selecting a Centre Point**

### 4.2.3.5 Displaying the anchored PGA grid

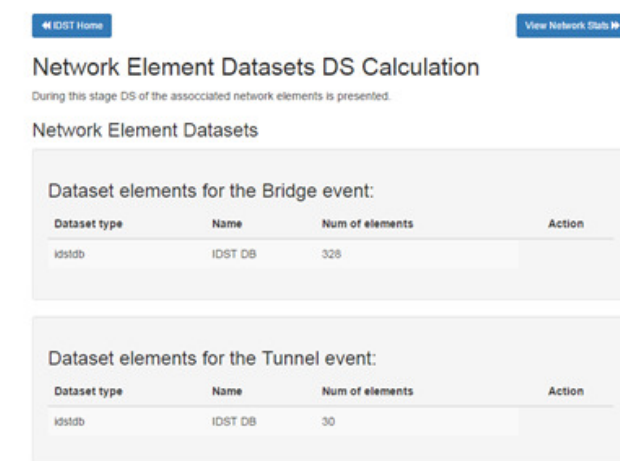
After selecting the Central Point, the PGA grid can be overlaid on the map. By clicking on the PGA Grid button, a colored map (heatmap) of the region, where the colours represent the distribution of PGA data in relation to the Central point (Figure 36). In this case the brighter areas represent higher values. By clicking on the “Download PGA Grid” the user can obtain the PGA values in CSV format.



**Figure 36:** Displaying PGA grid

#### 4.2.4 Calculating damage state

By clicking on the “Damage State” button on Figure 36 we calculate the predicted damage for the dataset elements (see also Figure 37). The panel provides information about the type of dataset, source, and the number of element objects identified.



**Figure 37:** Damage state calculations

#### 4.2.5 Calculating direct consequences

After the damage state calculations, the IDST can determine the direct consequences, for example repair costs associated with the network elements e.g. bridges, tunnels, road sections. Direct

consequences, including repair cost and duration of repair works, are calculated based on the following table (Table 4).

Damage State Description	Repair Cost (Euro)	Restoration Duration (Days)
Bridges (per individual structure)		
No Damage	0	0
Slight/Minor	100,000	120
Moderate	750,000	120
Extensive/Major/Severe	1,000,000	150
Complete/Collapse/Failure	1,000,000	150
Tunnels (per individual structure)		
No Damage	0	0
Slight/Minor	150,000	120
Moderate	1,000,000	120
Extensive/Major/Severe	3,000,000	120
Complete/Collapse/Failure	10,000,000	365
Road Sections (per 10m road section)		
No Damage	0	0
Slight/Minor	500	0.1
Moderate	1,000	0.2
Extensive/Complete	3,500	0.3

**Table 4:** Direct costs

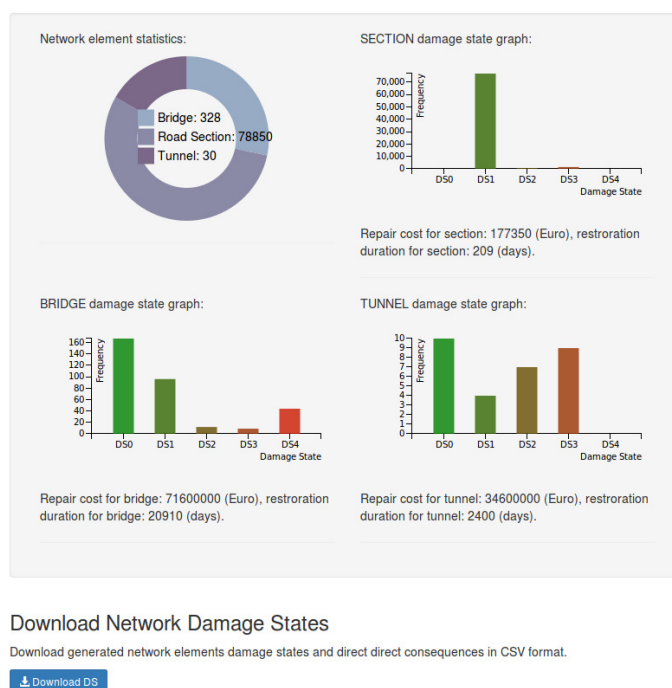
Information about the correspondence between physical damage states and repair cost/duration can be found in (D'Ayala and Gehl, 2015).

### 4.3 Risk Estimation

The risk for the road network caused by earthquakes and earthquake-triggered landslides is calculated, while the network repair cost, repair duration and indirect consequences can potentially be estimated. Currently they are only indicative but they can further developed for more accurate estimation in the future.

Following the above, the user can obtain the summary of the stress test study by clicking on the "Damage States Stats" button. This will spawn the damage state statistics (Figure 38).

### Stress test: Damage State statistics



**Figure 38:** Damage state statistics

Figure 38 includes the following:

- Network element statistics
- Bridge damage state graph
- Tunnel damage state graph
- Road sections damage state graph

In addition, the network damage state data can be downloaded in .csv format by clicking on the “Download DS” button in the left bottom corner of the page. These are summarised in Table 5 below.

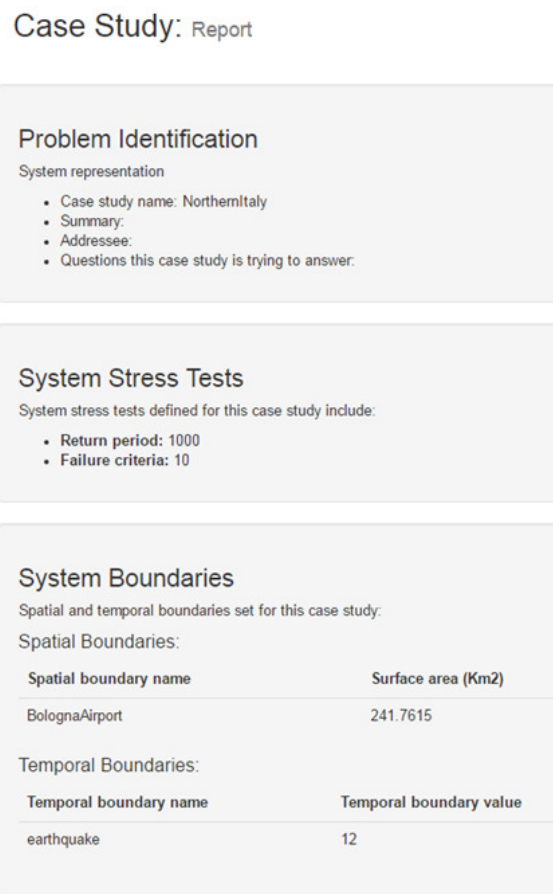
ID	Element id
<b>Lanes</b>	The number of lanes on the road
<b>Expected_FCL</b>	Functional Capacity Loss
<b>Expected_FCLR</b>	Functional Capacity Loss during Restoration
<b>Expected_RT</b>	Restoration Time
<b>Expected_RC</b>	Restoration Cost (indicative figure)

**Table 5:** Network damage state CSV output format

### 4.3.1 Report generation

By clicking on the “Stress Test Report” button the user can obtain a detailed account of the entire case study describing each stage of the IDST workflow and the relevant parametric values (Figure 39- Figure 41). The main categories included in the report are:

- a) System Stress Tests
- b) System Boundaries
- c) Hazard Scenario
- d) Network Elements
- e) Risk Estimation



**Figure 39:** Stress test report – part 1

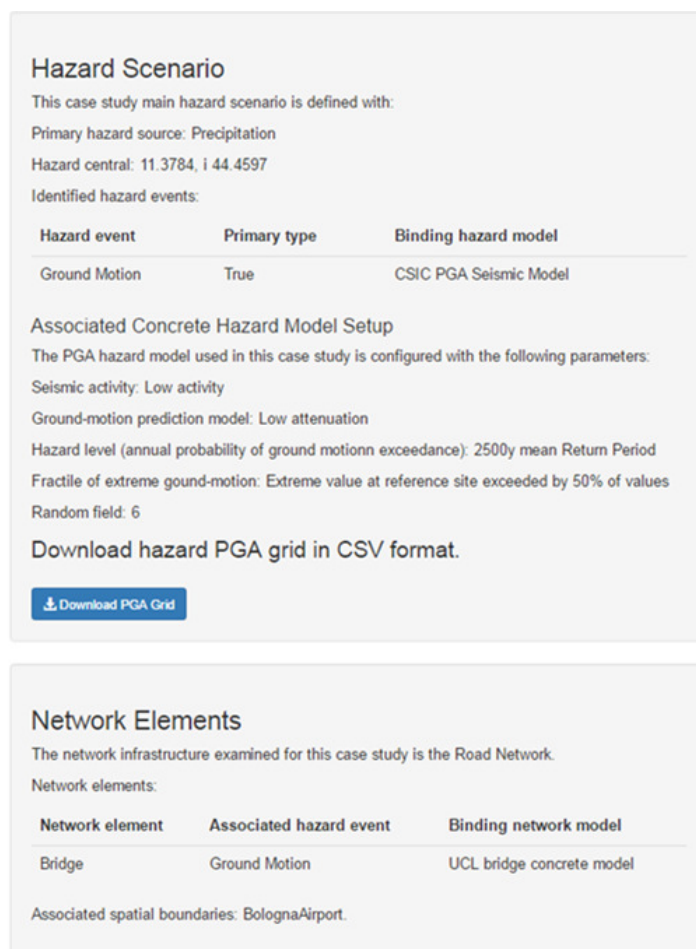
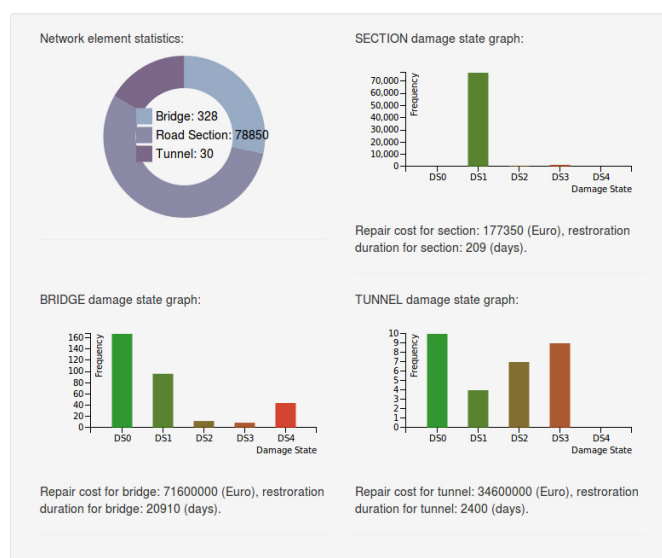


Figure 40: Stress test report – part 2

Stress test: Damage State statistics



Download Network Damage States

Download generated network elements damage states and direct direct consequences in CSV format.

[Download DS](#)

Figure 41: Stress Test Report – part 3

## 5 CONCLUSION

In this document we have described the functionality of the IDST and provided a detailed account of software workflow. This workflow is a step-by-step process that allows stress tests to be performed for road or rail networks due to natural hazards. The workflow itself consists of four main stages, these are:

- a) Stress Test Definition
- b) System Representation Definition
- c) Risk Estimation
- d) Risk Evaluation

The output of IDST workflow is the estimated damage state of individual network elements. This information allows specialist to assess the expected damage in various hazard scenarios and consider measures that allow the level of disruption for road transport to be reduced. The user can also perform several “what if studies” that enable the investigation on the relationship between parameters, sensitivity studies and regional variations to various hazard scenarios.

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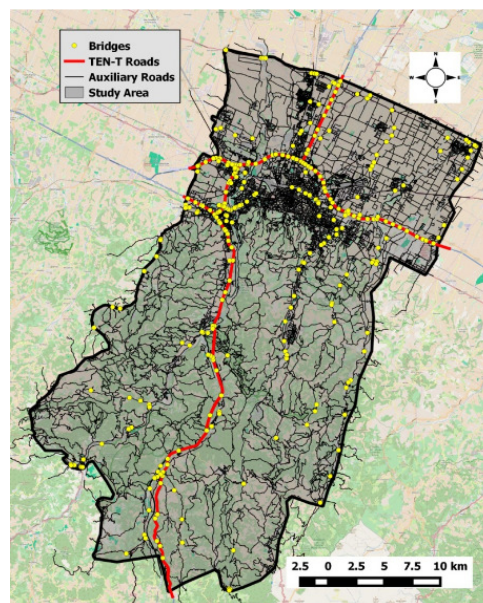


## APPENDIX A: Case Study Italian Road Network

The presented case study applies the INFRARISK stress test methodology to a road network in Northern Italy. A stress test can be defined in various ways for example in terms of the hazards or consequences. Further option is to investigate whether a network element passes or fails a certain condition. We can also focus only on the most critical parts of the network and investigate the measures that allow to minimise the damage caused by an earthquake. For the critical network elements we consider the bridges, tunnels and road section that are along the most frequently used roads. The scenarios considered in this case study describe the earthquake event by using the following components:

- a) SHARE Active seismic activity model
- b) low attenuation ground motion
- c) three hazard levels and three fractile values
- d) Each combination of parameters corresponded to a GM-field that represented a deterministic 'scenario'.

The Northern Italy case study is part of the IDST portal and it is used as a tutorial. We use predefined data sets that are relevant for the selected region. We start the case study by clicking on the "Example Case Study: Northern Italy Road Network" button. This takes us to the map of the selected region in Italy (Figure 42).



**Figure 42:** Selected region in Northern Italy

The road network for this region consists of 3410 km of roads that are classified as motorways, trunk roads, primary roads, secondary roads, tertiary roads, and unclassified roads. The network is located along the Scandinavian-Mediterranean corridor of the European TEN-T network which is one of the main European traffic corridors. The road network covers an area of 990km<sup>2</sup> in the vicinity of Bologna.

The following step is to create a new stress test as described in Section 4.1. After filling in the details we click on "Save and proceed" button.

The next step is to define system boundaries for this example, we use a predefined area around Bologna by selecting the “Northern Italy, case study borders” under “Pre-defined boundaries” section (Figure 43).

System Definition: Spatial boundaries

Spatial boundaries are defined by a polygon border. It can be defined manually, or uploaded. Alternatively, use any of the pre-defined case study example boundaries.

Please choose any of the following methods to define your case study spatial boundaries.

<b>User defined boundaries:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="radio"/> Manually defined spatial borders</li> <li><input type="radio"/> User upload spatial borders</li> </ul>	<b>Pre-defined boundaries:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input checked="" type="radio"/> Northern Italy, case study borders</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Croatia railway, case study borders</li> </ul>
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[+ Add spatial boundary](#)

**Figure 43:** Selecting a pre-defined boundary

After clicking on “Add spatial boundary” in the dropdown menu we select the “Northern Italy” option. After defining the Spatial and boundaries we obtain the page in Figure 44.

Define System Boundaries

During this stage the user has to define system boundaries i.e.

- Spatial boundaries
- Temporal boundaries

Multiple boundaries can be defined within the system. Each boundary is identified by a name defined by the user, e.g. “hazard return period”, “ground motion area”.

After defining your system boundaries proceed to define a hazard scenario next.

**Spatial boundaries:**

Boundary Name	Action
northern Italy	<a href="#">Delete Spatial Boundary</a>

[Add Spatial Boundary](#)

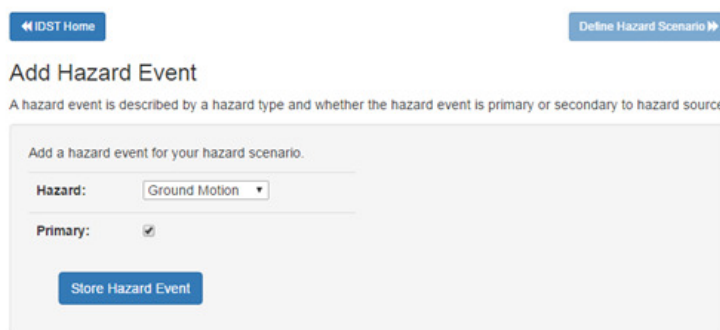
**Temporal boundaries:**

Boundary Name	Action
earthquake	<a href="#">Delete Temporal Boundary</a>

[Add Temporal Boundary](#)

**Figure 44:** Defining system boundaries

The selected area is a seismically active region that is moderately susceptible to landslides. Therefore, earthquakes and earthquake-triggered landslides are the hazards considered in this case study. The sequence of steps required for this case study is similar to that described in Section 6. However, in this case we use predefined data specific for Northern Italy. For “Defining Hazard Scenario” we select hazard events that originate from the hazard source i.e. earthquake. In this case we select “Ground Motion” as the primary event by ticking the “Primary” option (Figure 45). By clicking on the “Store Hazard Event” we complete the definition of the primary event.



◀ IDST Home Define Hazard Scenario ▶

### Add Hazard Event

A hazard event is described by a hazard type and whether the hazard event is primary or secondary to hazard source.

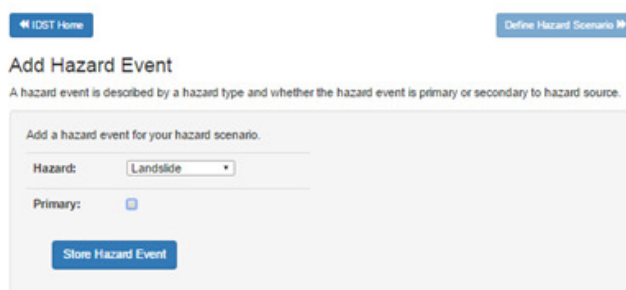
Add a hazard event for your hazard scenario.

Hazard:

Primary: ☒

**Figure 45:** Defining primary hazard event

In the following we define further hazard events that originate from the primary hazard source, for example landslide (Figure 46). As a result we have two events: the main is the ground motion and the cascading event is the landslide.



◀ IDST Home Define Hazard Scenario ▶

### Add Hazard Event

A hazard event is described by a hazard type and whether the hazard event is primary or secondary to hazard source.

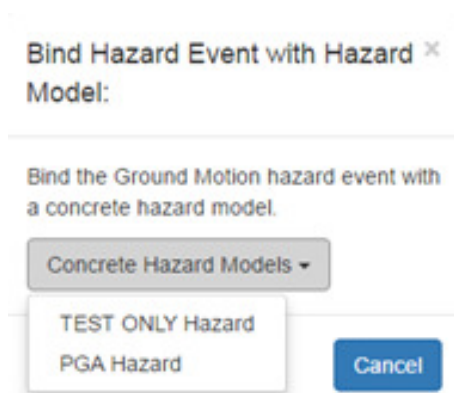
Add a hazard event for your hazard scenario.

Hazard:

Primary: ☐

**Figure 46:** Defining cascading events

Next we need to bind the primary hazard event to a model. For the earthquake we use the PGA hazard model (Figure 47).



Bind Hazard Event with Hazard Model ✕

Model:

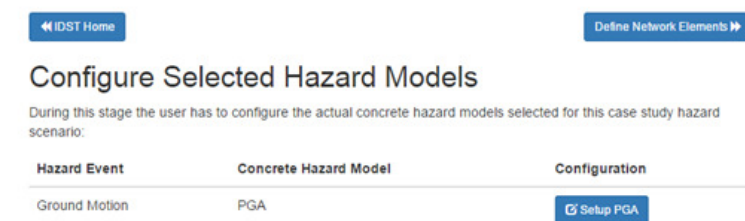
Bind the Ground Motion hazard event with a concrete hazard model.

Concrete Hazard Models ▾

- TEST ONLY Hazard
- PGA Hazard

**Figure 47:** Selecting hazard models

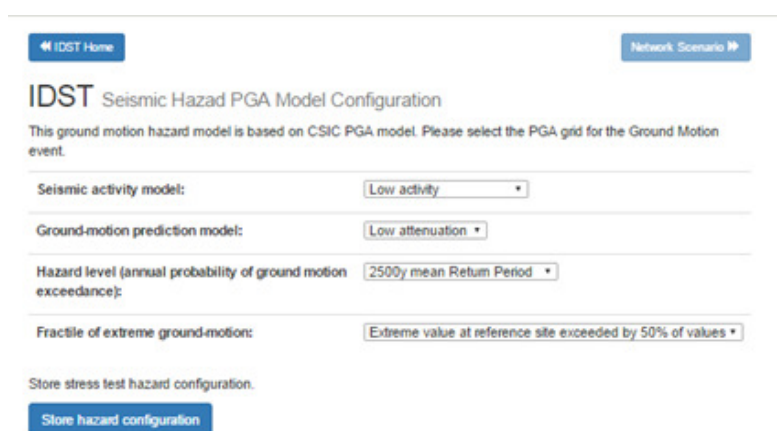
In the following step we configure the hazard model by clicking on “Setup PGA” (Figure 48).



Hazard Event	Concrete Hazard Model	Configuration
Ground Motion	PGA	<a href="#">Setup PGA</a>

**Figure 48:** Configuring a hazard model

The “Setup PGA” takes us back to the configuration of seismic activity model that contains information about “Ground-motion prediction model”, “Hazard level” and “Fractile of extreme ground-motion” (Figure 49).



**IDST Seismic Hazard PGA Model Configuration**

This ground motion hazard model is based on CSIC PGA model. Please select the PGA grid for the Ground Motion event.

Seismic activity model: Low activity

Ground-motion prediction model: Low attenuation

Hazard level (annual probability of ground motion exceedance): 2500y mean Return Period

Fractile of extreme ground-motion: Extreme value at reference site exceeded by 50% of values

Store stress test hazard configuration.

[Store hazard configuration](#)

**Figure 49:** Configuring PGA model

After clicking on “Store hazard configuration” we can move to the specification of “Network Scenario”. This involves defining the network elements such as bridges, tunnels and roads for the selected region. Under the category “Network Infrastructure” we select the “Road Network” option and start adding network events by clicking on the “Add Network Events” button (Figure 50).

[IDST Home](#) [Add Network Elements](#)

## Define Network Scenario, Elements

During this stage the user has to define the network events scenario, which is composed of the following:

- network infrastructure, e.g. road network
- list of infrastructure elements, e.g. bridges, tunnels, etc
- spatial boundaries

### Network Infrastructure

Choose the network infrastructure for this case study.

Infrastructure:  [Store Network Infrastructure](#)

### Infrastructure Elements

Add network elements to your scenario. Defined network element should be bound to concrete network models, e.g. UCL Bridge model.

There are no infrastructure events defined

[Add Network Event](#)

### Spatial Boundaries

Bind network elements with case study boundaries

[Bind Spatial Border](#)

**Figure 50:** Adding network events

In this step for each network element type we assign a hazard event. For example to the “Bridge” (Figure 51) and “Tunnel” (Figure 52) elements we assign a “Ground Motion” hazard event. For a “Road Section”, we assign a “Landslide” event.

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## Define Network Event

A network event associates infrastructure elements with hazard events.

Define an infrastructure event from the available options for your case study.

Element:

Hazard event:

[Add Network Event](#)

**Figure 51:** Assigning “Ground Motion” event to the “Bridge” element

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## Define Network Event

A network event associates infrastructure elements with hazard events.

Define an infrastructure event from the available options for your case study.

Element:

Hazard event:

[Add Network Event](#)

**Figure 52:** Assigning “Ground Motion” event to the “Tunnel” element

**Figure 53:** Assigning “Landslide” event to the “Road Section” element

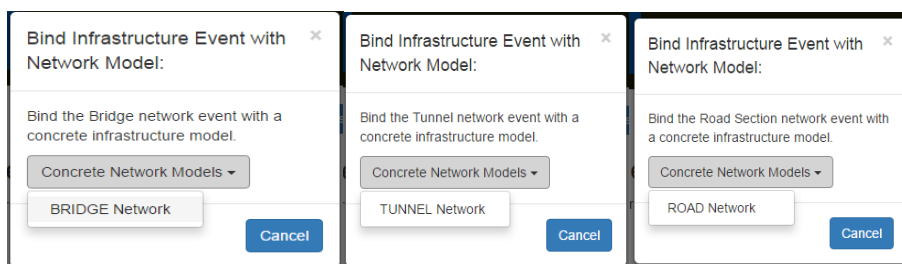
We complete this step by clicking on the “Store Network Infrastructure” button. Each of these network element types and hazard events need to be bound to a model in order to calculate the damage state. By clicking on the orange button “Bind to model” we can select a suitable model for the given network type element and hazard event (Figure 54).

Network element type	Hazard event	Model	Action
Bridge	Ground Motion	NONE	<a href="#">Bind to model</a> <a href="#">Delete</a>
Tunnel	Ground Motion	NONE	<a href="#">Bind to model</a> <a href="#">Delete</a>
Road Section	Landslide	NONE	<a href="#">Bind to model</a> <a href="#">Delete</a>

[Add Network Event](#)

**Figure 54:** Binding network type elements and hazard events to a model

For the “Bridge” we select the “Bridge model”, for “Tunnel” the “Tunnel model” and for “Road” the “Road model” models (Figure 55). On completion of these steps the “Assign Model” buttons turn green.



**Figure 55: Selecting Network Models**

The next step for defining the network scenario is adding the area of interest by clicking on the “Change Spatial Border” button (Figure 56).

Infrastructure: Road Network Store Network Infrastructure

### Infrastructure Elements

Add network elements to your scenario. Defined network element should be bound to concrete network models, e.g. UCL Bridge model.

Network element type	Hazard event	Model	Action
Bridge	Ground Motion	BRIDGE	<span>Change binding</span> <span>Delete</span>
Tunnel	Ground Motion	TUNNEL	<span>Change binding</span> <span>Delete</span>
Road Section	Landslide	ROAD	<span>Change binding</span> <span>Delete</span>

Add Network Event

### Spatial Boundaries

Bind network elements with case study boundaries

Spatial boundaries bound to this hazard scenario is: NORTHERN ITALY

Change Spatial Border

**Figure 56: Define spatial border**

In the following we select a region “Northern Italy” in the dropdown menu and bind it to the network scenario by clicking on the “Bind Spatial Boundaries” button (Figure 57).

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### Bind spatial boundaries to network scenario

Choose any of the available spatial boundaries, defined previously, to your network scenario.

Borders: northern italy

Bind Spatial Boundaries

**Figure 57: Binding spatial boundaries**

The following step is adding Network Element Datasets to Bridge, Tunnel and Road Section events (Figure 58). By clicking on the “Add Network Dataset” under each event we can select the relevant dataset.

Dataset elements for the Bridge event:  
There are no network datasets defined  
[Add Network Dataset](#)

Dataset elements for the Tunnel event:  
There are no network datasets defined  
[Add Network Dataset](#)

Dataset elements for the Road Section event:  
There are no network datasets defined  
[Add Network Dataset](#)

**Figure 58:** Adding dataset elements

Data for the Northern Italy is already in the database, we select the option “Use elements found in IDST database” and click on “+ Add network elements” button (Figure 59).

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### System Definition: Define Network Elements

The current version of the IDST supports the following formats of network element datasets:

- Network element datasets already preloaded in IDST databases, e.g. Northern Italy case study.
- User defined network element datasets in a shapefile format.
- User defined network element datasets in a CSV format.

Please choose any of the following methods to append network elements for your network event.

User defined network element datasets:

- ☒ Use elements found in IDST databases.
- ☐ User upload elements in shapefile format.
- ☐ User upload elements in CSV format.

[+ Add network elements](#)  
[✕ Cancel](#)

**Figure 59:** Defining network elements

We repeat the step for each network event and as a result we get a summary page (Figure 60).



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[Analyse Network Elements](#)

### Define Network Element Datasets

During this stage the user has to define the actual network element datasets, e.g. bridges, for each network event defined earlier.

Multiple datasets of network elements can be associated on a network event. Click on the Add Network Dataset to add your network element datasets.

When network element datasets are appended to network events, click on the Analyse Network Element button to start the ingestion of the network elements into the system. Please note that this operation might be time consuming depending on the size of your network datasets.

Dataset elements for the Tunnel event:

Dataset type	Name	Action
idstdb	IDST DB	<a href="#">Delete</a>

[Add Network Dataset](#)

Dataset elements for the Road Section event:

There are no network datasets defined

[Add Network Dataset](#)

Dataset elements for the Bridge event:

Dataset type	Name	Action
idstdb	IDST DB	<a href="#">Delete</a>

[Add Network Dataset](#)

**Figure 60:** Summary page on binding Network Element Datasets to Hazard Events

The next step is to “Analyse Network Elements”, this involves uploading data, filtering out the network elements and producing the fragility data for each element (Figure 61). The damage state calculations might take a while depending on the number of elements and size of datasets.

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[View Network Elements](#)

### Network Element Datasets Analysis

During this stage defined network datasets, are analysed.

The next stage will display the element location within the hazard scenario spatial boundaries.

#### Network Element Datasets

Dataset elements for the Bridge event:

Dataset type	Name	Num of elements	Action
idstdb	IDST DB	328	

Dataset elements for the Tunnel event:

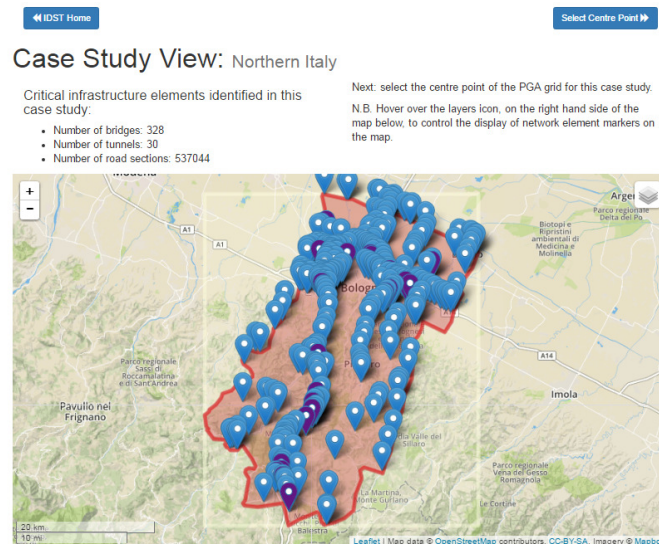
Dataset type	Name	Num of elements	Action
idstdb	IDST DB	30	

Dataset elements for the Road Section event:

There are no infrastructure events defined

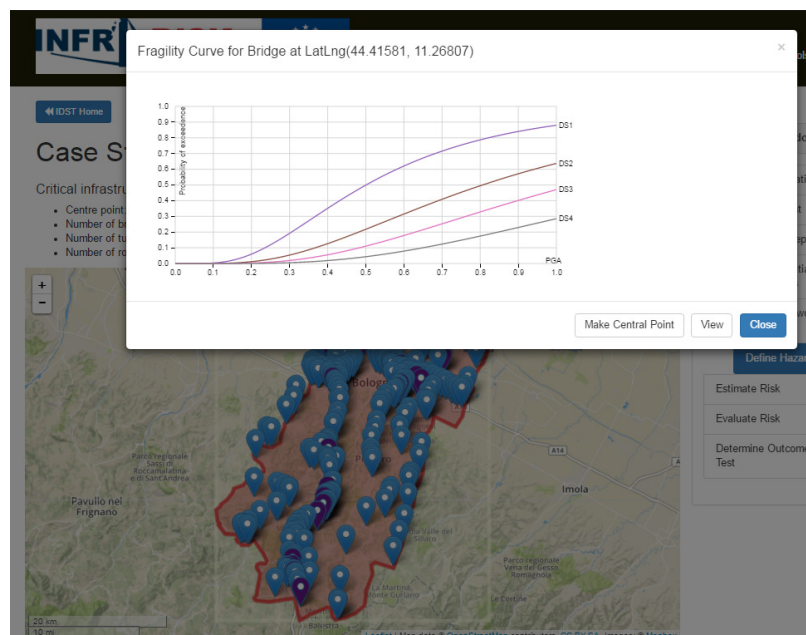
**Figure 61:** Analysing network elements

After the analysis we the user can visualise the network elements by clicking on the “View Network Elements on the map of the selected region (Figure 62).



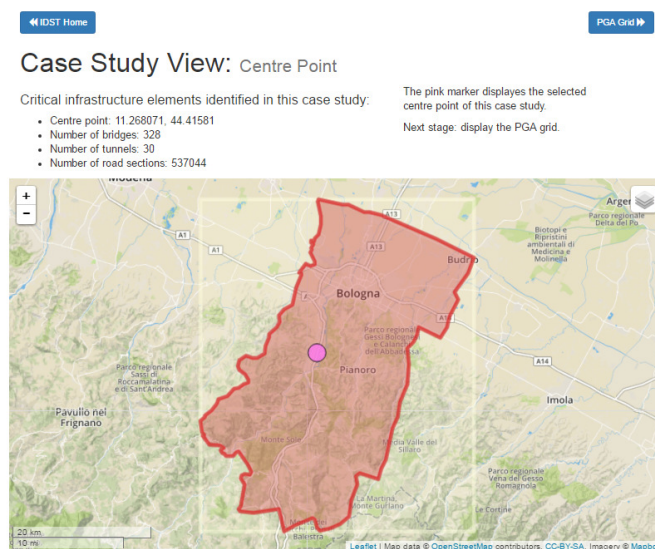
**Figure 62:** Visualising network elements on the map

By clicking on the “Select Centre Point” takes us back to the PGA setup. By selecting an element on the map we can see the corresponding fragility curve (Figure 63). To each network element (bridges, tunnels and road sections) a fragility curve is assigned that allows the structural vulnerability as described in INFRARISK Deliverable D3.2 (D'Ayala and Gohl, 2015) to be classified. Fragility curves provide the probability of exceeding a defined damage state for a given level of loading.



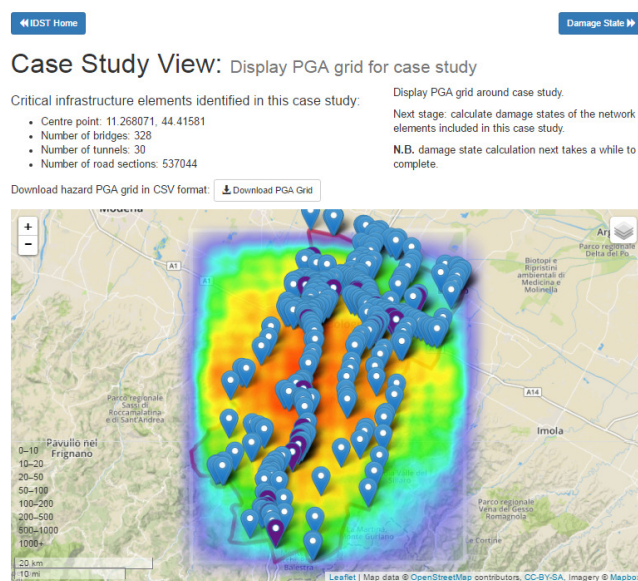
**Figure 63:** Selecting a centre point

By clicking on the “Make Central Point” button we line up the PGA grid with the centre point (Figure 64).



**Figure 64:** Aligning centre point with the PGA map

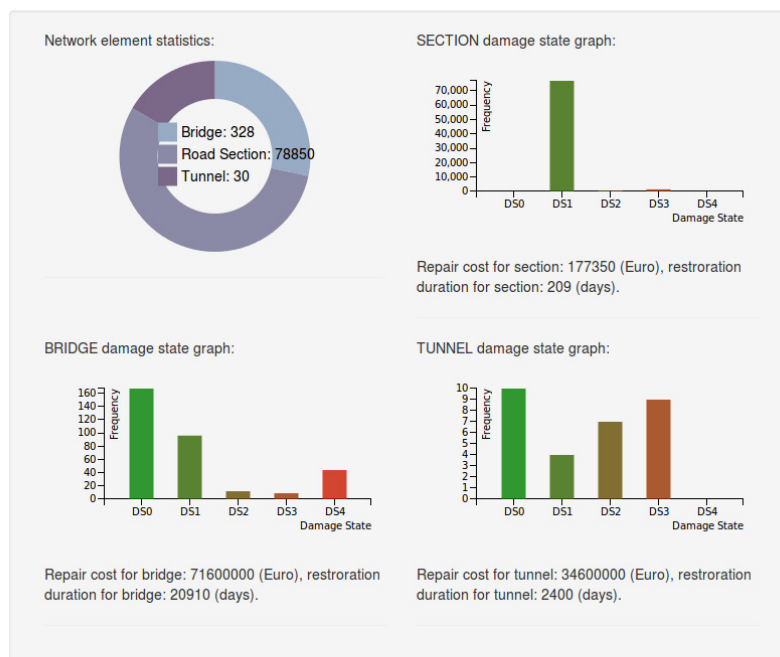
By clicking on the “PGA Grid” button (top right corner) we obtain the PGA values on the map (Figure 65).



**Figure 65:** Visualising PGA values

At this point we are ready to perform the “Damage State” calculations (Figure 66).

## Stress test: Damage State statistics



## Download Network Damage States

Download generated network elements damage states and direct direct consequences in CSV format.

[Download DS](#)

**Figure 66:** Damage state calculations

The results of damaged state calculations can be download in CSV format for further risk assessment and by clicking on the “Case Study Report” we generate the summary report of the case study (Figure 67).

## Stress Test Report: Northern Italy 2016-09-30 12:30:43.333948

### Problem Identification

System representation

- Stress test name: Northern Italy 2016-09-30 12:30:43.333948
- Summary: Predefined stress test for the Northern Italy case study. Created: 2016-09-30 User name: pnelas@gmail.com

### System Boundaries

Assigned spatial boundaries for this case study:

Spatial Boundaries:

Spatial boundary name	Surface area (Km2)
Northern Italy	989.3063

### Hazard Scenario

This case study main hazard scenario is defined as:

Primary hazard source: Earthquake

Hazard central: 11.3031, i 44.3982

Identified hazard event list:

Hazard event	Primary type	Assigned hazard model
Ground Motion	True	CSIC PGA Seismic Model
Landslide	False	

### Associated Hazard Model Configuration

The hazard model used in this case study is configured with the following parameters:

Seismic activity: *High activity*

Ground-motion prediction model: *High attenuation*

Hazard level (annual probability of ground motion exceedance): *10000 years*

Fractile of extreme ground-motion: *0.90*

Random field number: *3*

Download hazard PGA grid in CSV format.

[Download PGA Grid](#)

### Network Characteristics

The network infrastructure examined for this case study is the Road Network.

Network events:

Network event	Associated hazard event	Assigned network model
Road Section	Landslide	ROD road section concrete model
Bridge	Ground Motion	UCL bridge concrete model
Tunnel	Ground Motion	UCL tunnel concrete model

Associated spatial boundaries: northern italy.

Selected datasets:

Network event	Dataset type	Dataset name	Size
Road Section	IDST Case Study Database	IDST DB	78850
Bridge	IDST Case Study Database	IDST DB	328
Tunnel	IDST Case Study Database	IDST DB	30

**Figure 67:** Northern Italy stress test summary report