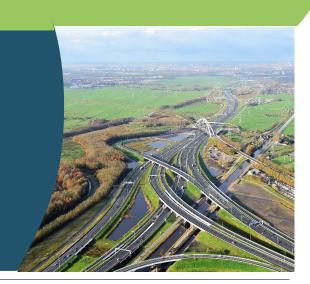
A1/A6 MotorwayAlmere – Diemen Havendreef



1. Asset information

A1A6 is one of the main access roads to the city of Amsterdam. The highway consists of 18 km of the A1 highway and A6 highway to the south of Amsterdam and is part of the Schiphol – Amsterdam – Almere corridor. It involves re-routing and widening of the A1 (to 2×5 lanes and 2 reversable lanes), reconstruction of interchanges and expansion of the A6 (to 4×2 lanes and 2 reversable lanes), including the construction of new bridges, an aqueduct and new railway bridge over the A1.



2. Impact

At the time of contract tender, the network served an average annual daily traffic (AADT) of 172.000 vehicles, of which 7.6 % was heavy traffic. It is designed to increase capacity of the network in the direction of Amsterdam during morning rush hour and in the opposite direction during evening rush hour through use of a reversible lane.



3. Awards and certifications

The Portfolio Company SAAone B.V. is ISO 9001 and ISO 15504 (Information Technology – Software Process Evaluation System) certified, as well as VCO (safety) audited.

4. Environment

GHG emissions

For 2023, GHG emissions amounted to \sim 350,000 tonnes CO₂e, of which \sim 86,000 attributable to the Portfolio Company and the remainder to the maintenance subcontractor. The vast majority are Scope 3, indirect emissions that occur in the value chain, including both upstream and downstream emissions, not included in Scope 2.

The network lighting was completely replaced by state-of-the-art LED lighting.



Climate risk

The project was screened to evaluate the potential physical impacts from climate change based on 'Paris-aligned' (RCP2.6 ~+1°C) and 'High emissions' (RCP8.5 ~+3.7°C) scenarios across three time periods (2020, 2050 and 2100). The project maintains a Low physical climate risk score under both scenarios.

Waste & Water

Waste from both the road network and the office are collected in separated streams and to the extent possible recycled by a specialised waste collection and treatment company.

The management services provider continues to monitor waste and water consumption and is actively exploring opportunities to reduce them wherever possible.

Biodiversity

The asset is built in compliance with local environmental regulations. During the concession period, the Portfolio Company focuses on promoting restoration efforts to improve degraded or removed ecosystems that act as natural carbon sinks and can improve resilience to climate-related damages.

A1A6 is participating in a pilot of GAES (Green As A Service) to measure a wide range of Ecosystem Services in real time, such as water retention, air filtering, micro-climate regulation and habitat for diversity.



Noise and air quality

The project monitors noise and air quality along the motorway and surrounding neighbourhoods in order to demonstrate compliance with permit requirements.

Furthermore part of the project scope are extensive noise barriers, limiting noise emissions to network surrounding areas.

5. Social

Health & Safety

The Portfolio Company SAAone B.V. complies with the prevailing Dutch safety standards. Health and safety is on the agenda of each board meeting. Our asset managers work actively with the Portfolio Company or its management service providers, to promote a strong health and safety culture, facilitate the sharing of best practices and directors regularly participate in safety walks. We endorse a zero-tolerance approach to occupational health and safety incidents. Additionally, the Portfolio Company has a Health & Safety policy in place and regularly conducts health and safety audits. Both the LTIFR and the LTIR equal 0.

Diversity

Not applicable as the Portfolio Company does not employ any staff.

Impact for local communities

The A1A6 motorway forms part of the wider Schiphol – Amsterdam – Almere corridor which provides safe and high capacity access to the northern part of the Randstad region around Amsterdam and Amsterdam Schiphol Airport which are the heart of the economic centre of the Netherlands.



6. Governance

Delegation & oversight

The Portfolio Company directors review on a quarterly basis comprehensive board report, including both general project management and financial management. The project has a rigorous governance structure in place with quarterly board meetings, ad-hoc meetings when required and an authority delegation matrix to the management services provider.

The Portfolio Company has robust ESG policies and procedures in place and clear board-level responsibility to monitor their application. The ESG standard policies include:

- Biodiversity policy
- Diversity
- ESG
- Health and safety (workplace accident prevention)
- Anti-slavery & Human Trafficking policy (Modern Day Slavery)
- Rapid escalation
- Responsible contractor
- Tax
- Whistleblowing

The Portfolio Company holds frequent meetings with the public sector client to promote collaboration, coordination and integration of operations.

Reporting

The Portfolio Company uses a quarterly board pack, reporting to the board of directors on the operational and financial performance of the project and compliance with its obligations and regulation/legislation, including the policies.

Additionally, the Portfolio Company reports annually into BBGI's ESG KPI survey, which composed of 100+ data points, covering all aspects of ESG oversight.

Cyber security

Portfolio Company and its subcontractors continuously monitor that the cyber security policy is in place and perform information risk analysis and develops mitigating measures. They have a robust and comprehensive IT backup system in place. Additionally, the Portfolio Company has active Cyber security measures in place.

