

ELISA

Electrified, Innovative Heavy
Freight Transport on Highways

ELISA eHighway Hessen
Pilot Project Management
& Control

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Hessen is a Leading Transport Hub for Europe

Average traffic load of motorways in the Frankfurt RheinMain Area:
approx. 130.000 veh/day

Hessen: 72.000 veh/day (DTV 2018)
Germany: 61.000 veh/day (DTV 2018)

347.000 veh/day
at Frankfurter Kreuz
(Frankfurt interchange)



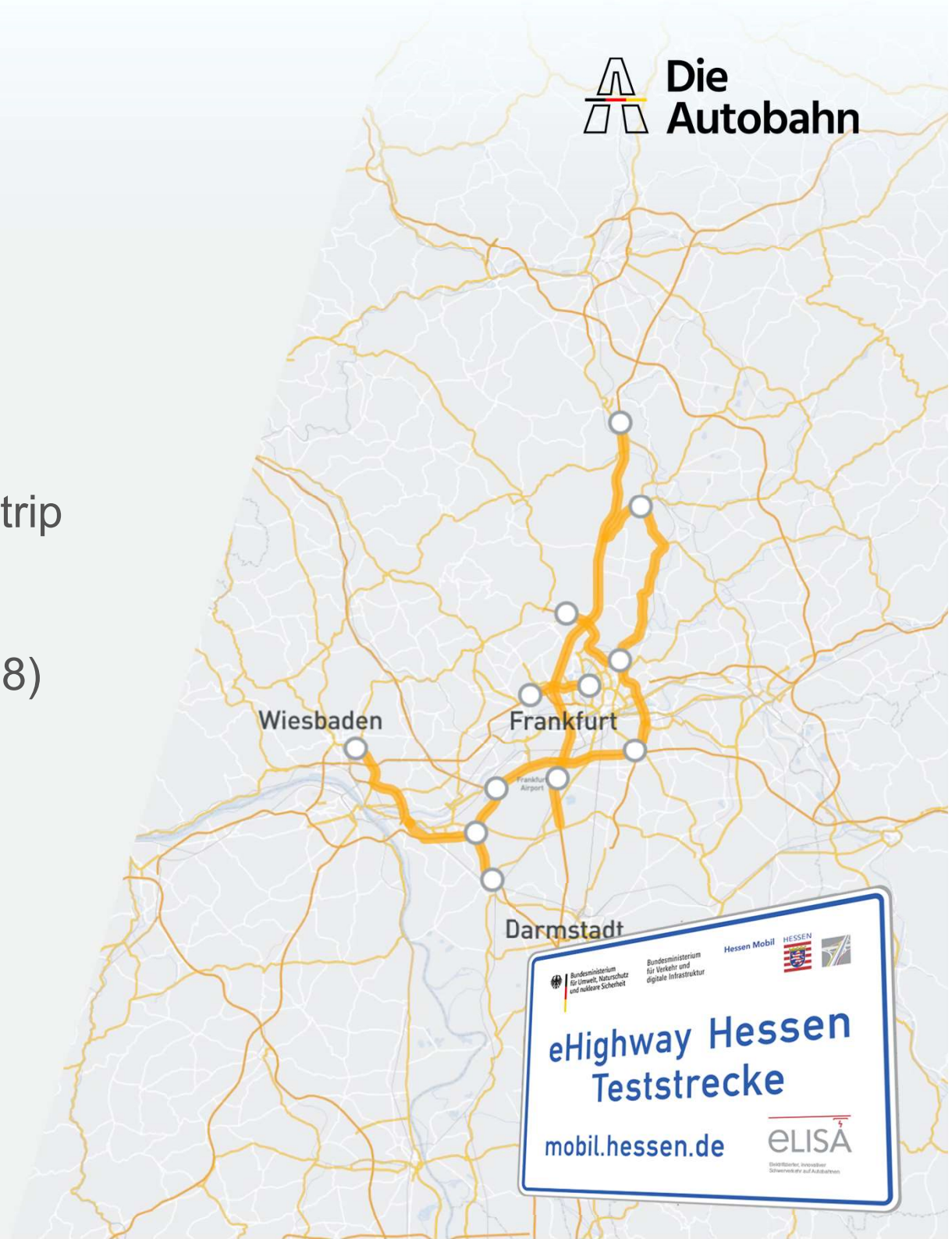
ELISA Trial Track

Highway Link A5 Frankfurt – Darmstadt

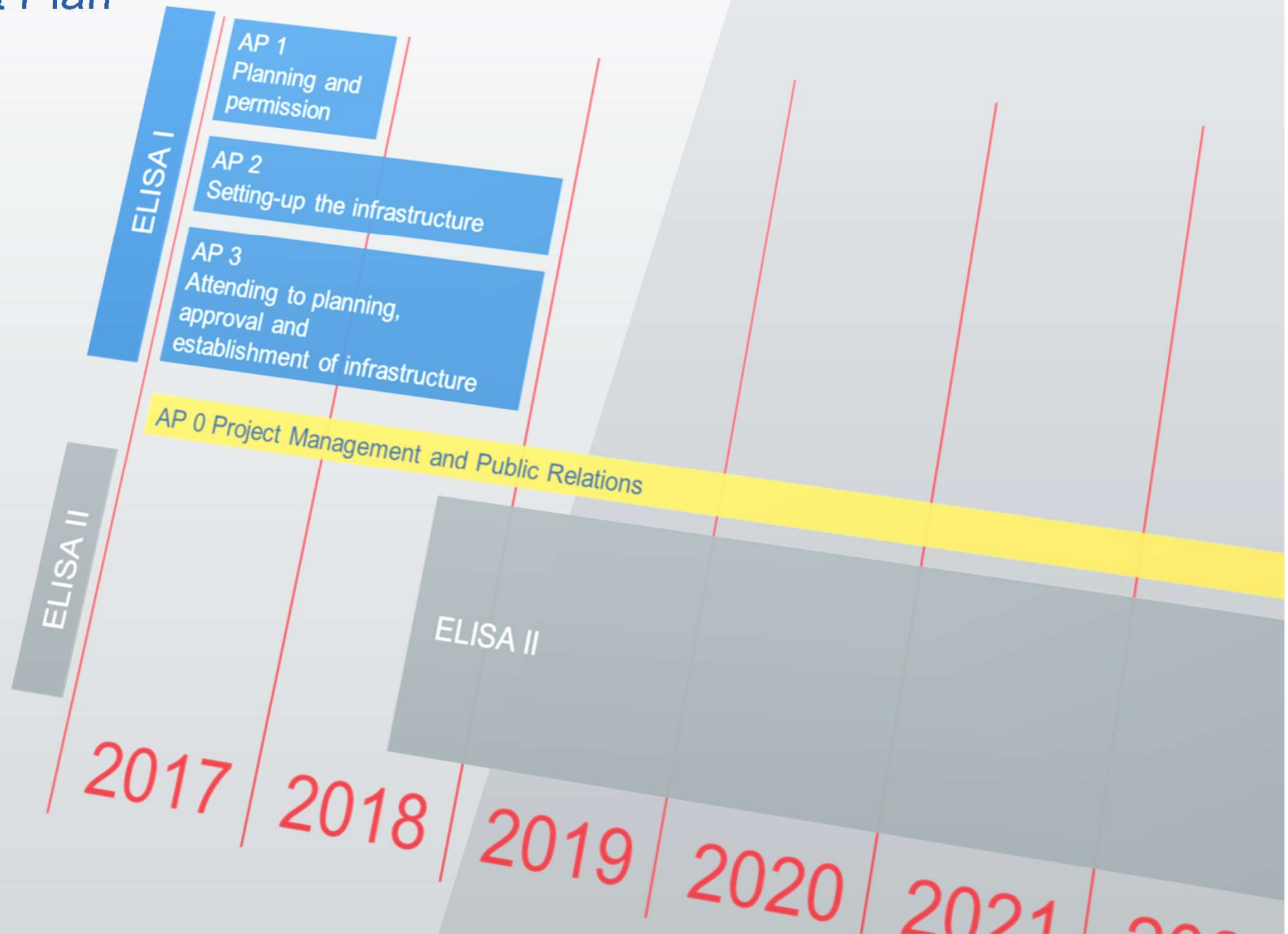
4 lanes + hard shoulder / side strip
per direction

134,000 vehicles/day (DTV 2018)
Proportion of HDV traffic:
approx. 11,5%

Overall length:
10 km electrification
of the right lane



Project Plan



Special Challenges

System to be planned, approved, commissioned, constructed, accepted and started-up operative within two years after funding notification

Legal building permission procedure and tendering procedure for the catenary to be finished within 7 months

→ Both processes to be executed simultaneously

No system specification available

→ Call for tenders based on a functional description

→ Negotiation procedure to optimize system design within the tendering procedure



Planning and approval process

The system was legally defined as „road accessory“

In order to achieve an **abridged project approval** it had to be ensured:

- consent of all shareholders and competent authorities
- existing prior rights remain protected
- no further rules or formalities that explicitly demand a more extensive project approval procedure

The **proactive involvement of shareholders** continued all throughout the approval and construction phase



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- 28. Jul 2017: Building permission
- 1. Aug 2017: Execution planning and construction contracted
- 22. Dec 2017: Execution planning approved
- 6. Mar 2018: Start of construction



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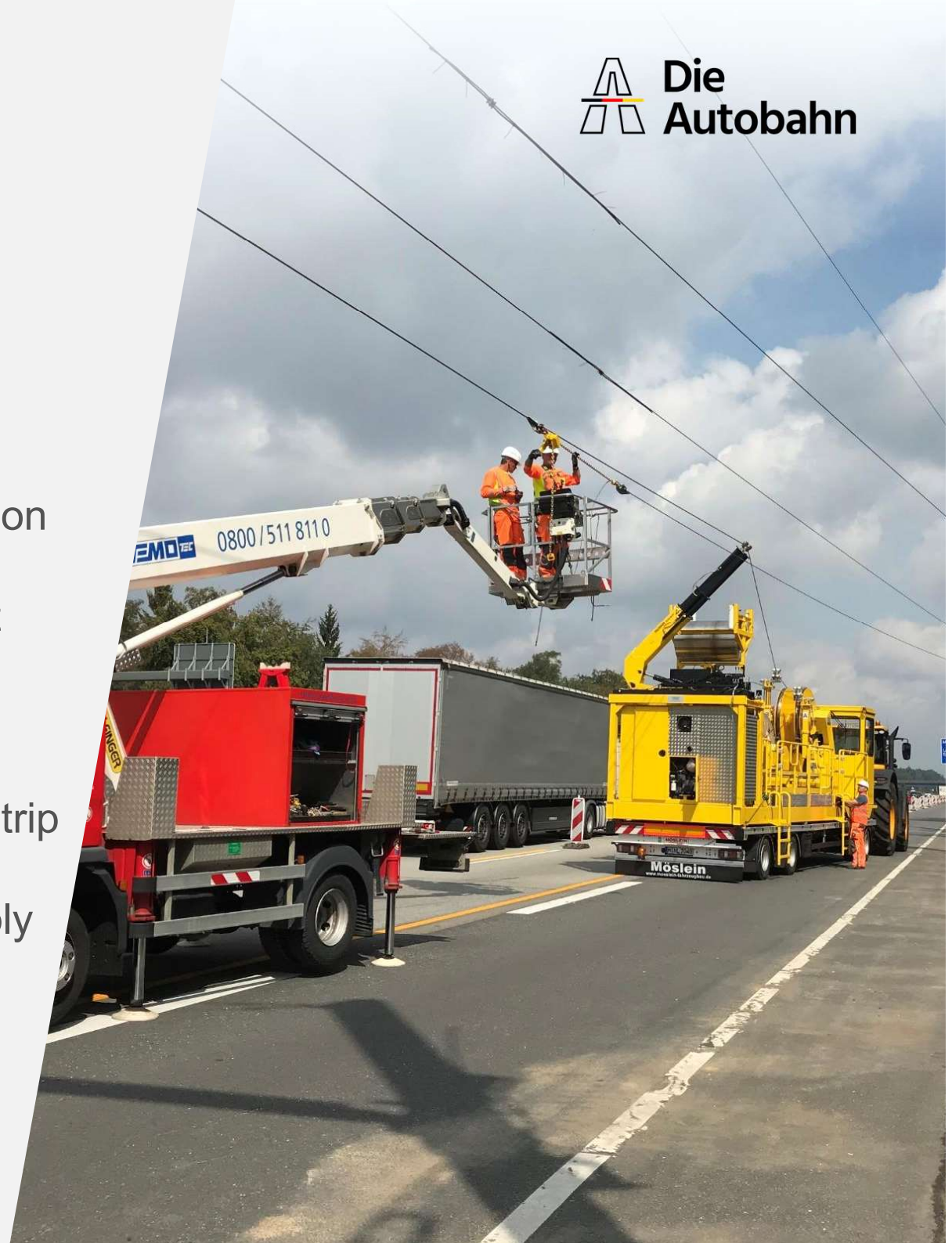
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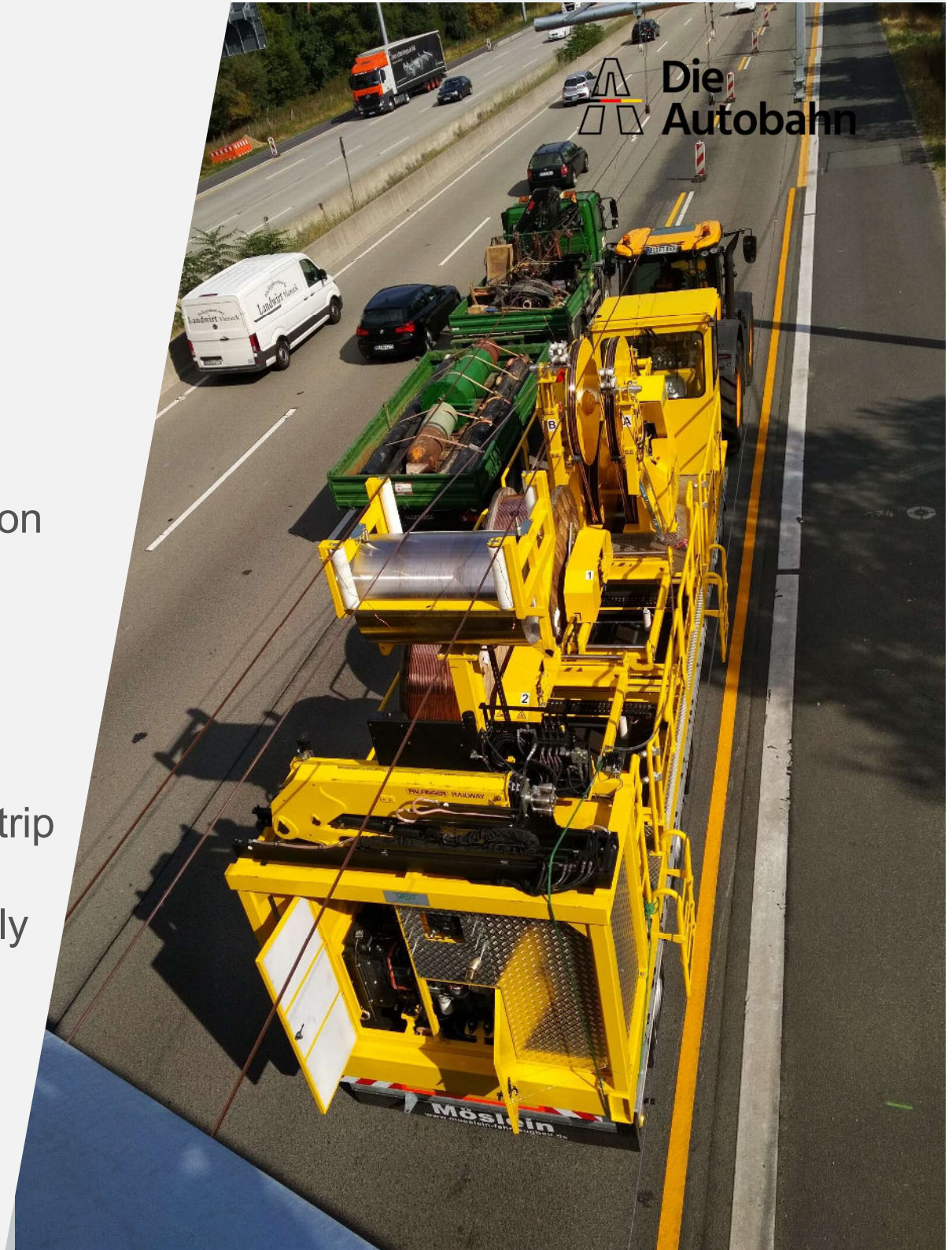
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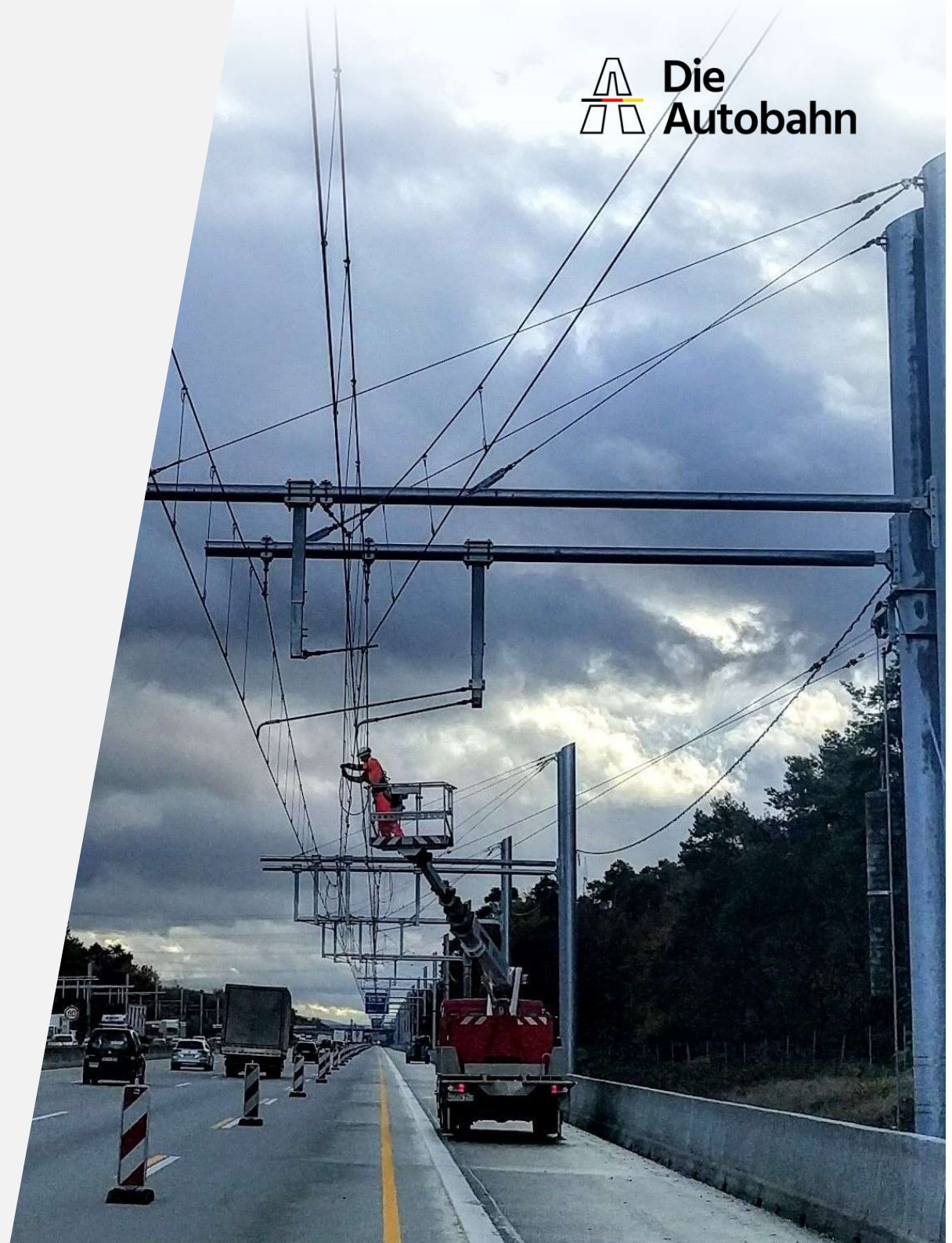
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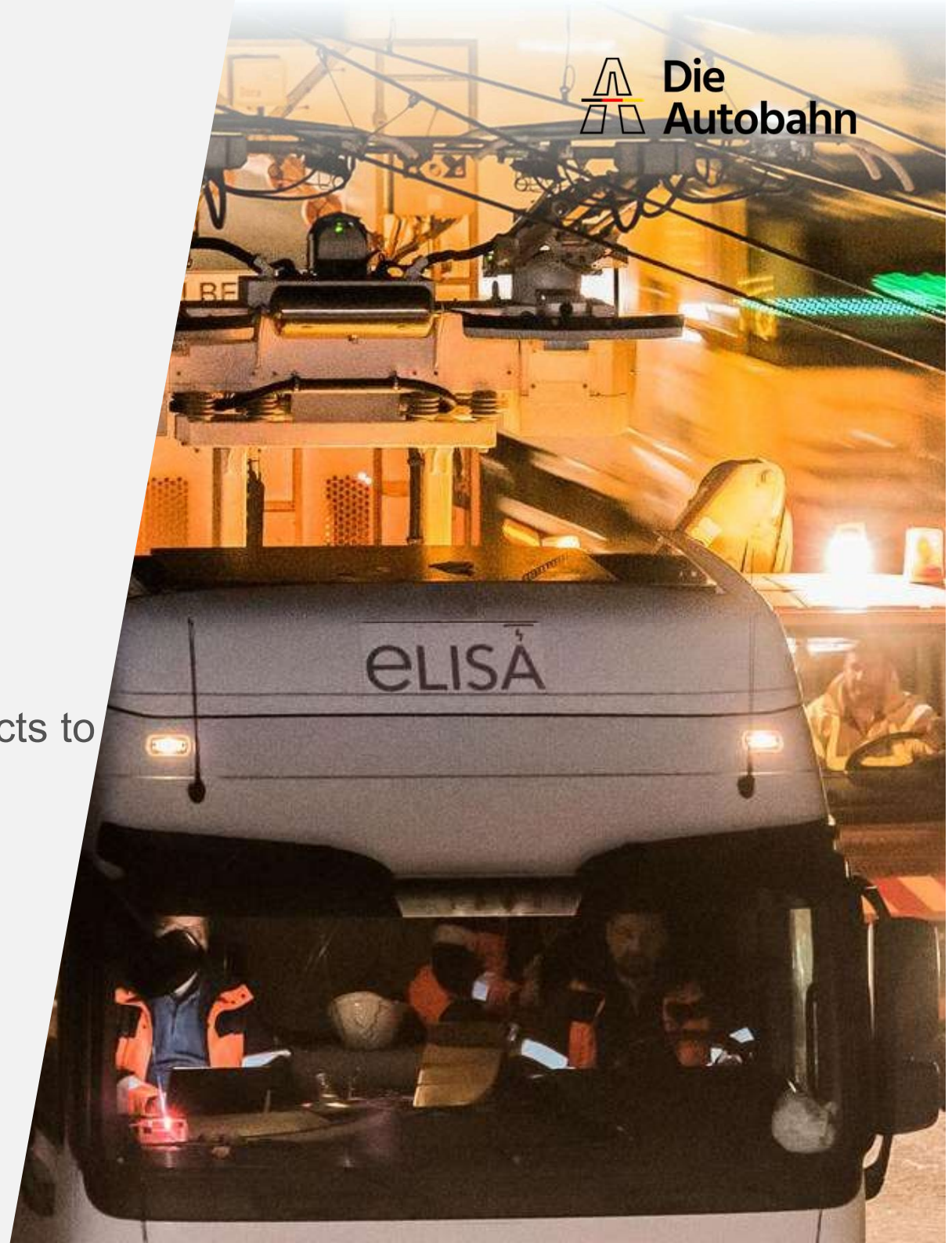
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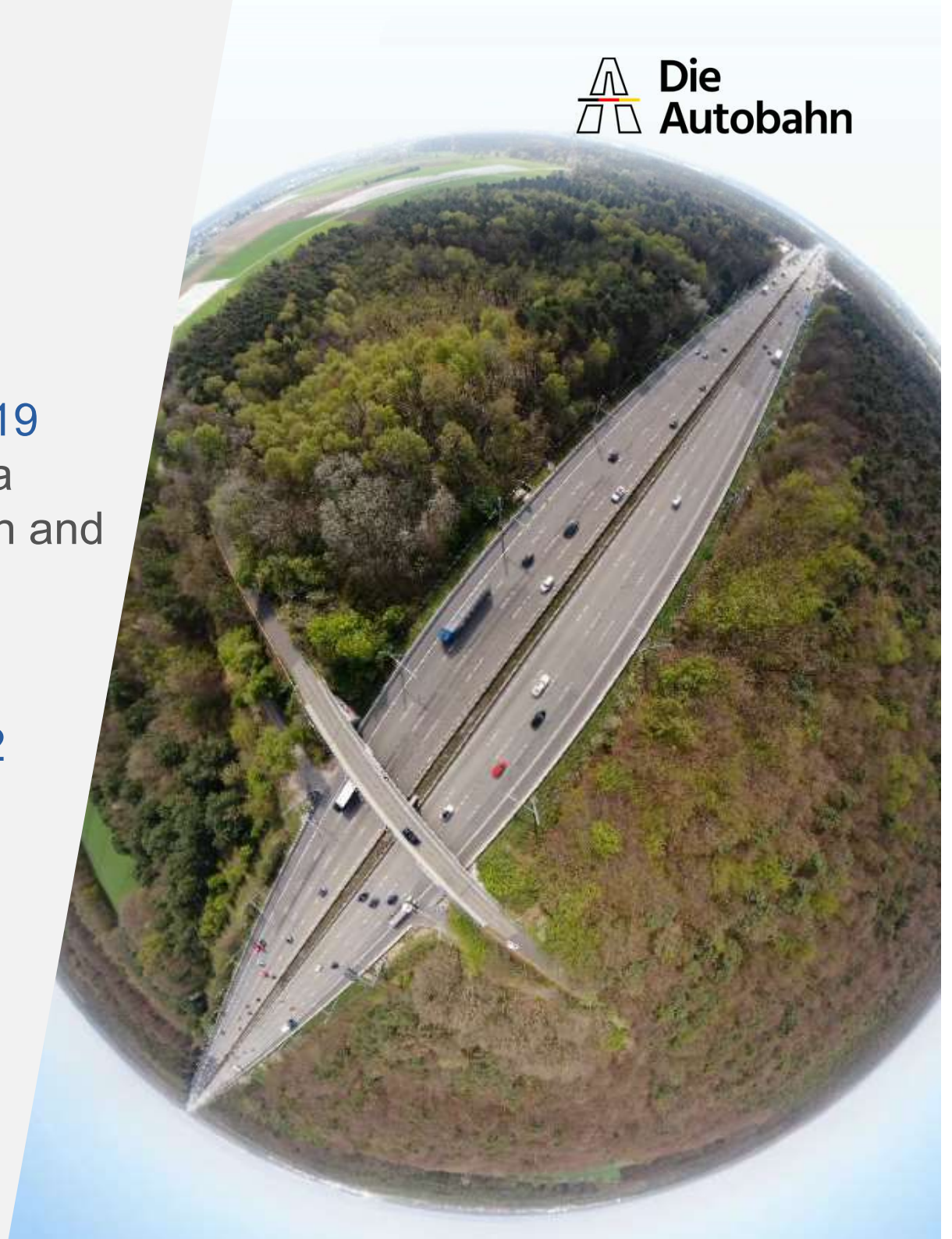
Introductory phase until mid-2019

Test runs for preparation of data acquisition, operation, education and public relations

Standard operation
from mid-2019 until end of 2022
for delivery vehicles of
logistic partners. 24/7 operation
and scientific monitoring

Delivery of vehicles

all 5 vehicles delivered to
logistics partners





Operating the ELISA system

The ELISA control station is integrated into the control room of the Traffic Center Germany

24/7-monitoring by qualified personnel

De-energising and grounding the system in case of emergency: automatically by security systems or manually by personnel

Siemens restoration team in case of damage within 2 h on the ground



Operating the ELISA system

Incident management subject to **early consulting and agreement** with emergency forces

Training installation for short-circuiting and grounding the system

Training of emergency workers and drivers



Extension of the ELISA Trial Track

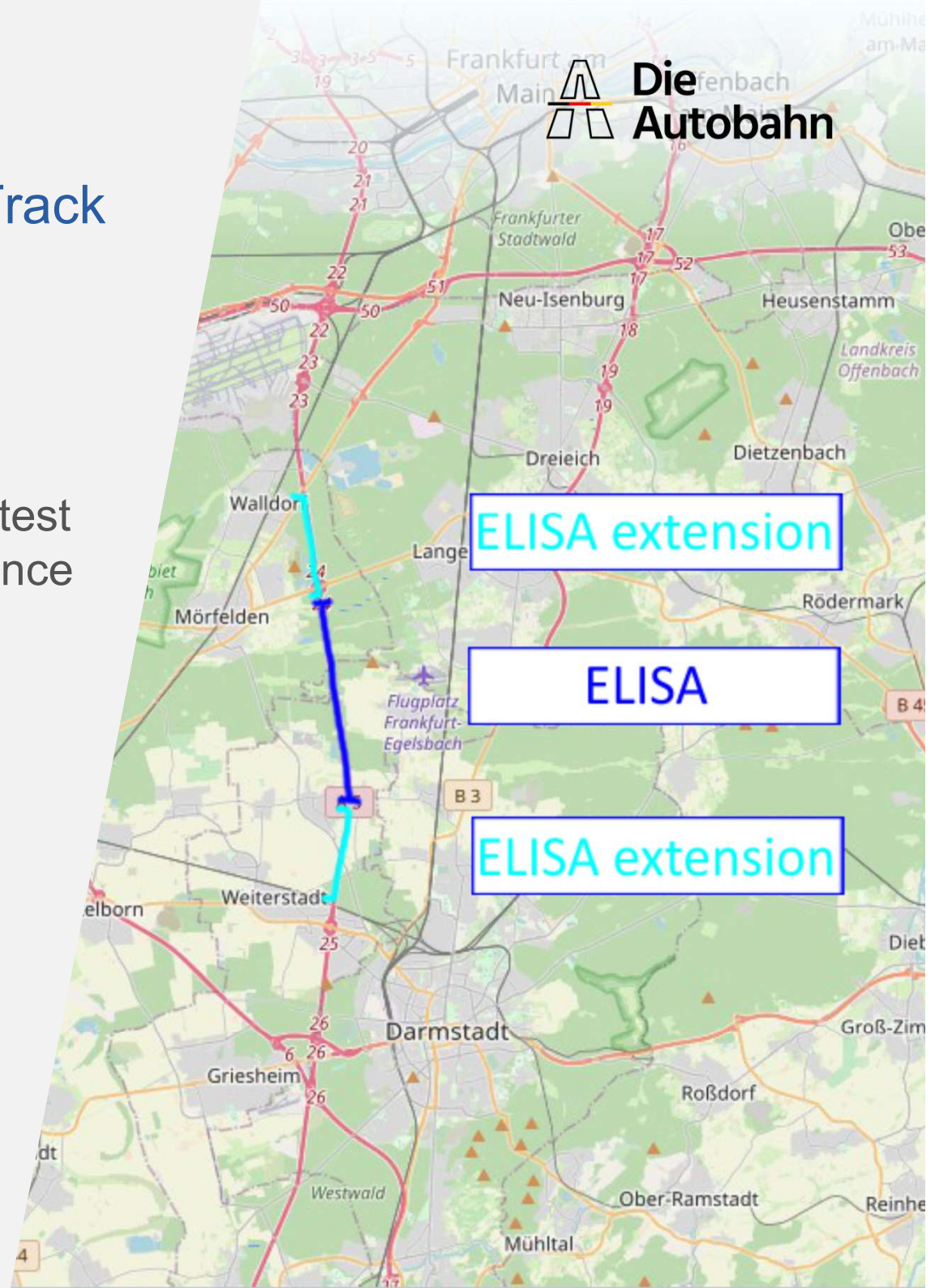
Total electrified route: up to 17 km,
of which up to 12 km in direction
of travel Darmstadt

Project objectives: extension of the test
scenarios to a longer charging distance

Corresponding: duration extension
of the field test, additional vehicles
and vehicle types

Project duration:
July 2020 – December 2022

Project partner:
Autobahn GmbH



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Schwerverkehr
auf **A**utobahnen