

ARMP software

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User's Manual

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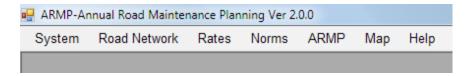


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1. Menu Bar



System Allows users to create new user, change password, view users, login and logout/quit.

Road Network Allows admin users to update the road network including dynamic segmentation using pavement data (width, last resurface etc)

Rates Allows users to view routine labour rates, work item and recurrent maintenance rates.

Norms Allows users to view routine and recurrent norms.

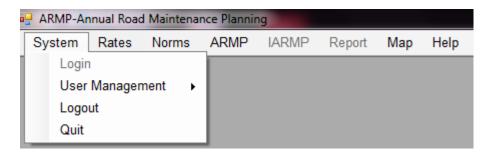
ARMP Provides users to perform the following

- To view road register
- To view details related to routine maintenance cost estimate and recurrent maintenance/periodic maintenance/specific maintenance
- To view details related to rehabilitation/reconstruction and upgradation of selected roads
- To view bridge routine details
- Select bridge for routine maintenance cost calculation, minor bridge maintenance details and its summary
- To view details related to bio-engineering, emergency maintenance, road safety and road inventory
- To view Annual Road Maintenance Summary taking into consideration a particular region/division/nation.

Map Allows users to view map of the assessed data.

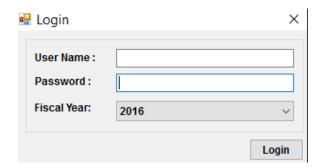
Help Provides brief detail about the software like version number etc.

2. System Menu



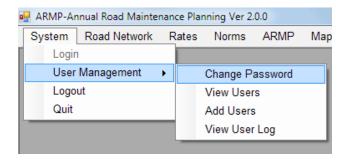
Within the system menu, users are provided with the option to login into the tool. Further, within the option of user management, one can change his/her login password. For users who login as 'Admin', they are able to view/add users. Logout/Quit options are also provided in this menu.

2.1 Login Screen



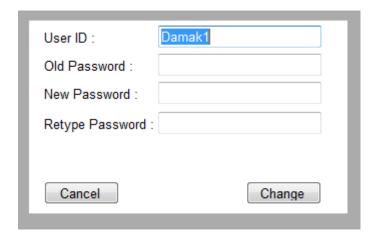
So as to prevent unauthorized access to the tool, users are supposed to login using a proper username and password. They can also choose the fiscal year, e.g. 2012 or 2013 for which the details are to be viewed.

2.2 User Management



By clicking on the user management sub menu, the user is provided with four options- change password, view users, add users and view user log.

2.3 Change Password

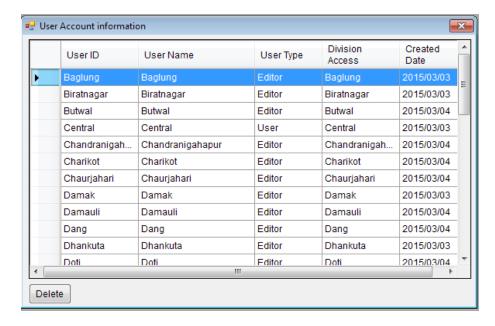


To change the password, details such as user id, old password and new password are to be entered and 'Change' button is to be pressed for successfully changing the password.

2.4 View Users (For Admin Only)

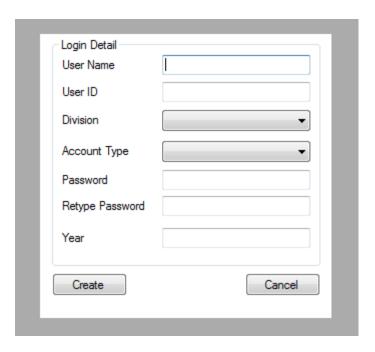
For users with 'Admin' rights, it is possible to view all the users who are currently using the system. To view the same, view users' option within the user management sub-menu is to be selected.

Admin users are able to view details such as name of the user, user id, login type (Editor/Admin/User) and the date on which the account was created.



2.5 Add Users Sub Menu(For Admin Only)

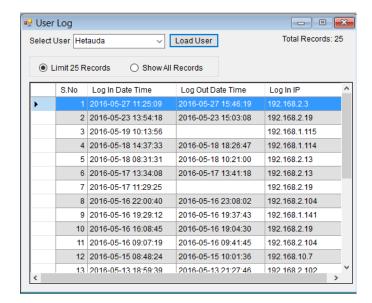
Admin users are able to add new users by selecting the 'Add Users' option within the user management sub menu.



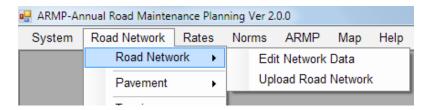
To add new users, a number of details are to be provided such as user name, user id, division (Eastern/Central/Western/Mid-Western/Bhaktapur/Dhankuta etc), account type (user/admin/editor), password and the current year.

2.6 View User Log (For Admin Only)

For users with 'Admin' rights, it is possible to view log of all the users including login time, logout time and the user's IP address using the system.



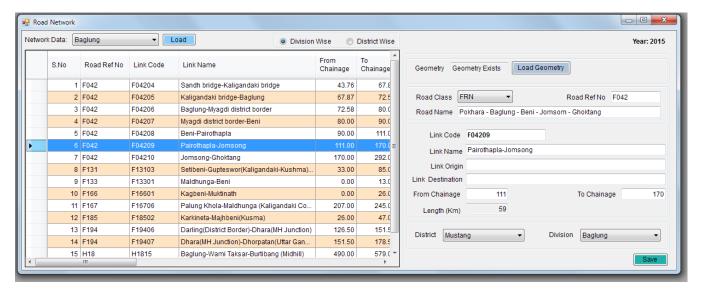
3. Road Network



The road network menu provides access to edit the network data including uploading of the road geometry using shape files. It also provides tools for creating sections within link with chainages for the various pavement types, resurfacing/construction dates and the road condition (IRI, SDI) and the traffic data.

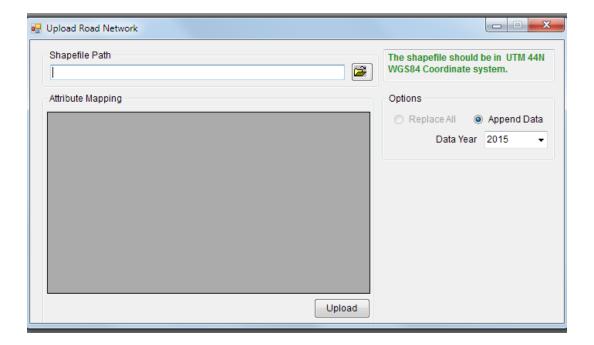
3.1 Edit Network Data

The Basic road network data can be edited or even road link deleted using this tool. Once deleted the road link is also deleted from the map.



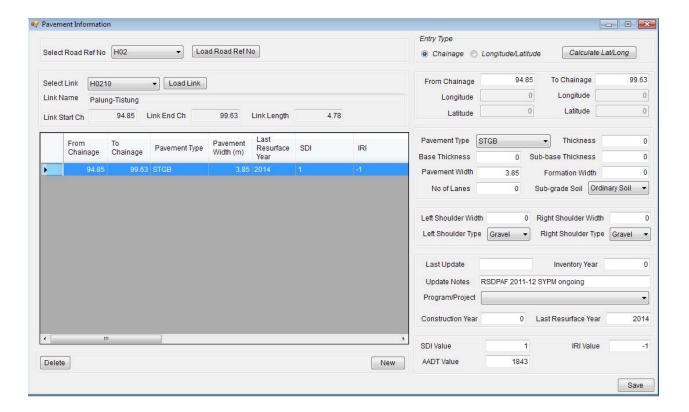
3.2 Upload Road Network

The geometry of the road network can be uploaded using this tool. Basic attribute mapping is essential to uniquely identify the road (e.g road code etc..). The geometry should be UTM Zone 44N coordinate system.

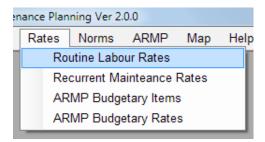


3.3 Pavement

The pavement information is tool for dynamic segmentation of the road links by various parameters. Links sections can be defined using 'From' and 'To" Chainages and various parameters can be provided and the software will break the links accordingly.

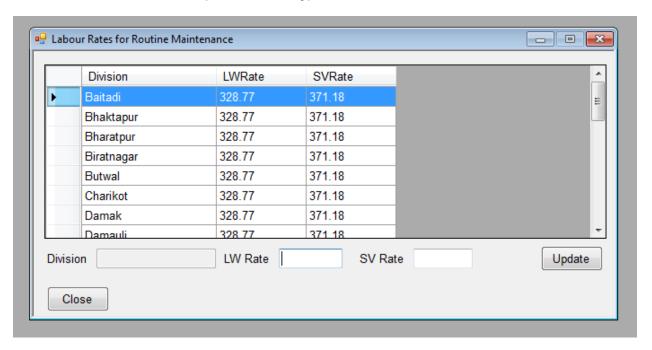


4. Rates Menu



Within the rates menu, users are able to view the routine labour rates (For Admin only). Work item and recurrent maintenance rates can also be viewed within the menu.

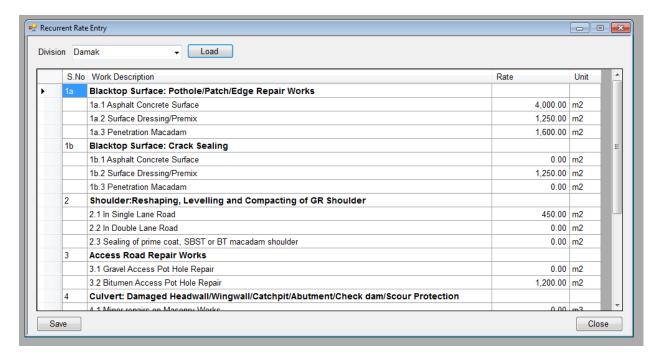
4.1 Routine Labour Rates (For Admin Only)



Admin users are able to view the routine labour rates for various divisions of the country and are also able to update the corresponding LWRate/SVRate.

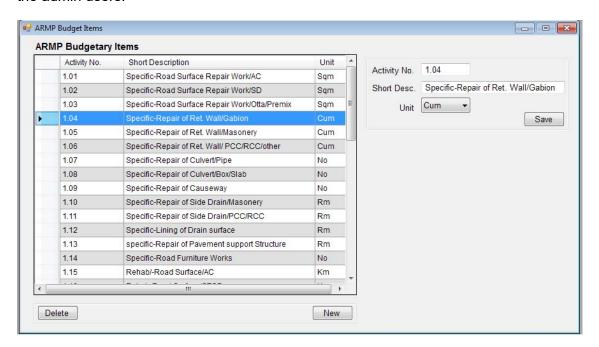
4.2 Recurrent Maintenance Rates

Rates for the common items for recurrent maintenance work can be provided using this tool.



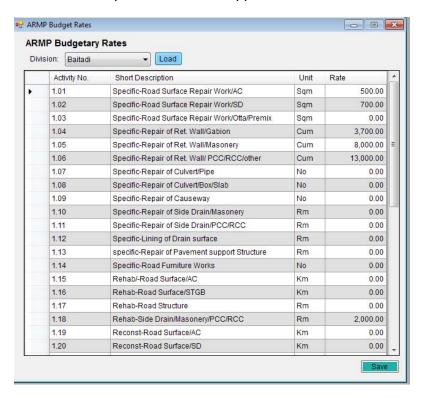
4.3 ARMP Budgetary Items (Admin Only)

These are standard items defined for entire ARMP. Editing of items are only available for the admin users.

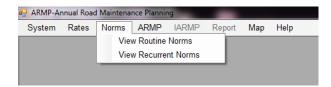


4.4 ARMP Budgetary Rates

The rates for standard items defined for entire ARMP can be entered using this tool. Each division should provide the rates applicable to the entire division.

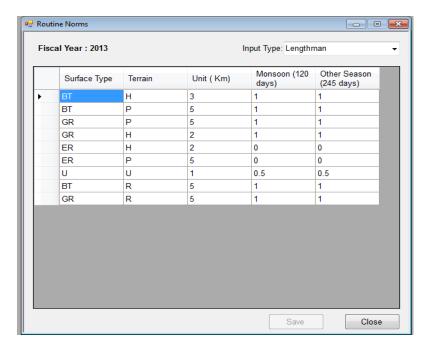


5. Norms Menu

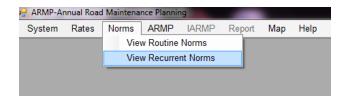


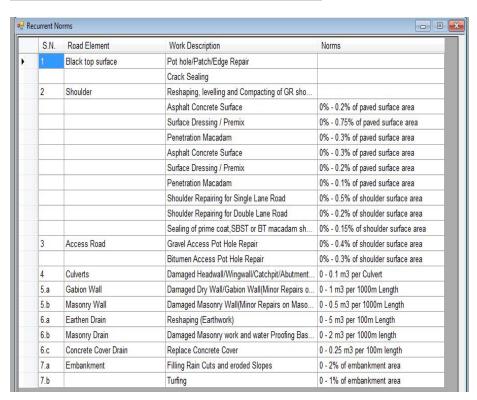
5.1 View Routine Norms

Provides the details of the labour based routine maintenance works/



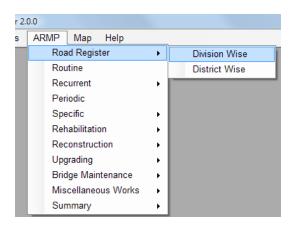
5.2 View Recurrent Norms Sub Menu





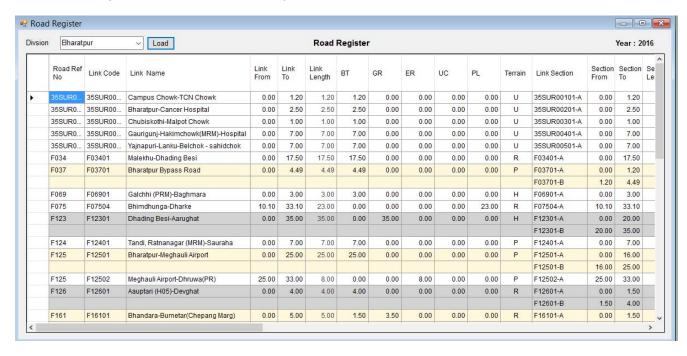
6. ARMP Menu

6.1 Road Register



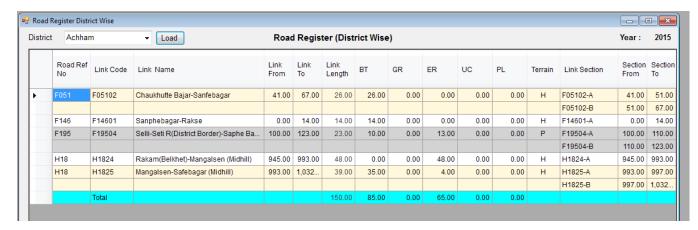
6.1.1 Division wise Road Register

Provides the road register by division. It also includes the sub-links and the activities e.g. last resurfacing, pavement status and project notes for each of the links and sub-links.

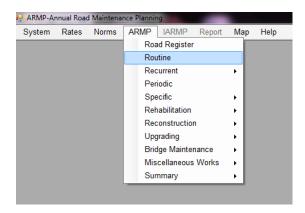


6.1.2 District wise Road Register

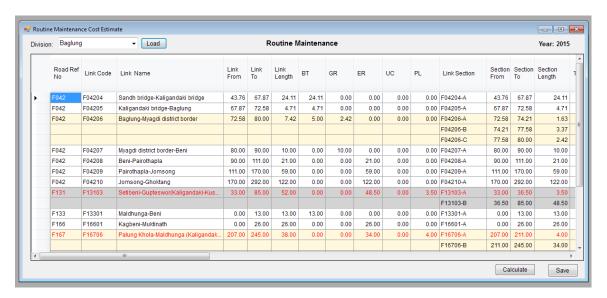
Provides the road register by district. It also includes the sub-links and the activities e.g. last resurfacing, pavement status and project notes for each of the links and sub-links.



6.2 Routine Maintenance

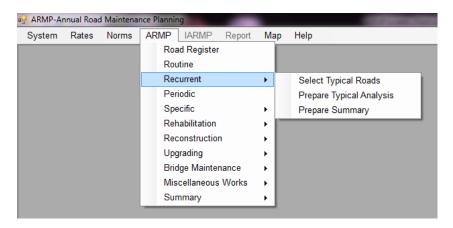


Routine Screen

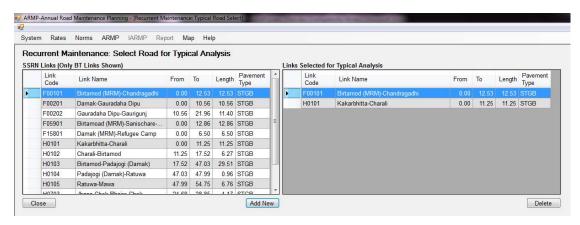


- a) Select the Division and press 'Load'
- b) A decision has to be made to include or exclude the link from the routine maintenance based on the on-going project information. Reason for the excluding should be mentioned. The roads with PL or UC status are shown in red color and are automatically excluded.
- c) The routine maintenance of the earthen road is estimated at NRs 20,000 per km which also includes the recurrent maintenance. This is automatically calculated.
- d) After making changes, press save to record the changes.
- e) Right click on the grid to export the data to Excel

6.3 Recurrent Maintenance



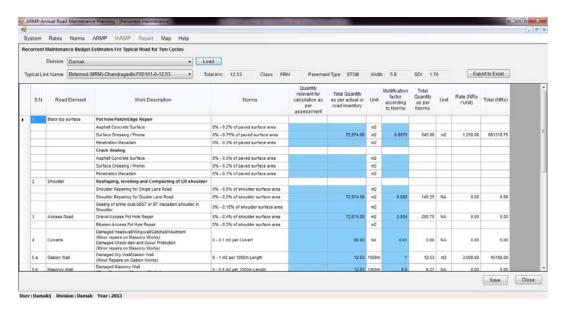
6.3.1 Select Typical Roads



In order to carry out the typical analysis for the recurrent maintenance works, road should selected. No need to select all the roads in the division but a typical road should be selected to compute the per kilometer cost. The division can also use its own measurement or judgment for particular roads to arrive at the recurrent maintenance cost.

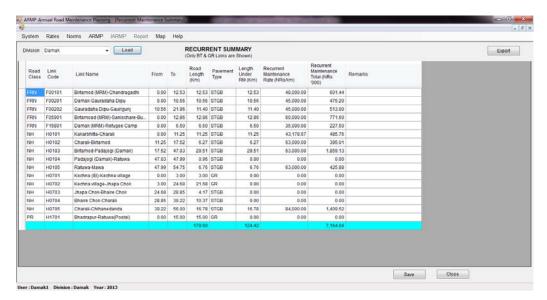
6.3.2 Prepare Typical Analysis

Typical analysis for recurrent maintenance can be done using this tool. Provide the representative quantities for the selected road for each of the recurrent work items and the cost per Kilometer is computed which can be used to compute the total recurrent maintenance cost of the same road and also use it to for other roads. Right click on the grid to export the data to Excel.

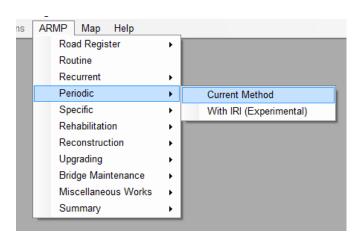


6.3.3 Prepare Summary

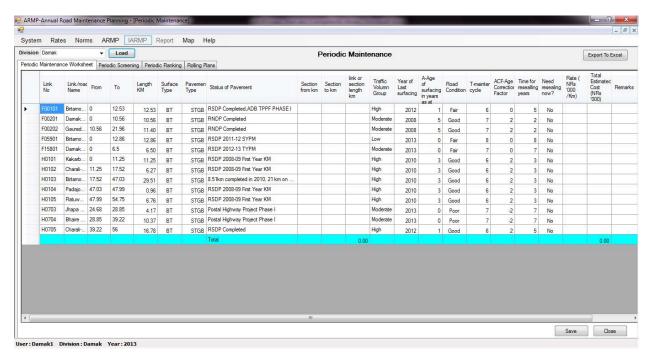
A summary of recurrent maintenance can be prepared using this tool. The recurrent maintenance of the gravel road is automatically assigned to NRs 30,000 and for the BT roads, rates per kilometer from the typical analysis has to be provided.



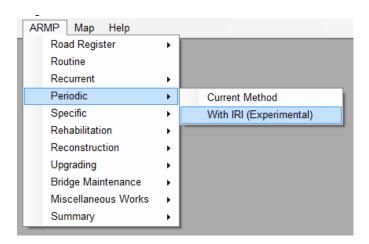
6.4 Periodic Maintenance



Periodic maintenance requirement (Yes/No) is computed automatically based on the last year of resurface, traffic, SDI values. The current method is the one which is in practice in the DoR. The ARMP is already updated with the recent data on the pavement condition, traffic data and last re-surface year and also updated with the 2016 periodic plan. Decision can be made to include the road under periodic maintenance even the calculation shows "No" based on observation by the division. Right click on the grid to export the data to Excel



6.5 Periodic Maintenance With IRI



The present periodic maintenance approach takes into consideration of the SDI (Surface Distress Index), Traffic age of pavement. It does not take into account of the IRI (International Roughness Index) even though the IRI data are collected for the paved roads. IRI improvement is one of the key element of the road maintenance works such that the investment can be justified with the reduced vehicle operating cost.

An IRI based method for periodic maintenance is suggested and put as experimental in the system. It clearly shows a different level of interventions requiring additional funding. Once this method is approved, it will be as standard in coming ARMPs.

Traffic Class

0 - 150: Very Low

150-450: Low

450-1500: Moderate

>1500: High

Maintenance Cycle (Years)

Terrain	Pavement Type	Traffic Class			
		Very Low	Low	Moderate	High
Plain (P)	AC	-	-	8	7
	SD	6	5	4	-
Rolling & Hill	AC	-	-	7	5
	SD	5	4	3	-

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Age Correction Factor

Good	Fair	Poor
+1	0	-1

Road Condition Matrix

a) High Traffic (>1500 AADT)

SDI/IRI	0 - 4	4 - 7	7 - 10	>10
0 – 1.7	Good	Fair	Fair	Poor
1.7 - 3	-	Fair	Poor	Poor
< 3	-	-	Poor	Poor

b) Low Traffic (<1500 AADT)

SDI/IRI	0 - 4	4 - 7	7 - 10	>10
0 – 1.7	Good	Good	Fair	Poor
1.7 - 3	-	Fair	Fair	Poor
< 3	-	-	Poor	Poor

Intervention

a) High Traffic (>1500 AADT)

SDI/IRI	0 – 4	4-7	7 – 10	>10
0 – 1.7	Good	Fair	Fair	Poor (Rehab)
1.7 – 3	-	Fair	Poor	Poor (Rehab)
< 3	-	-	Poor (Rehab)	Poor (Rehab)

b) Low Traffic (<1500 AADT)

SDI/IRI	0 - 4	4 - 7	7 - 10	>10
0 – 1.7	Good	Good	Fair	Poor
1.7 - 3	-	Fair	Fair	Poor
< 3	-	-	Poor (Rehab)	Poor (Rehab)

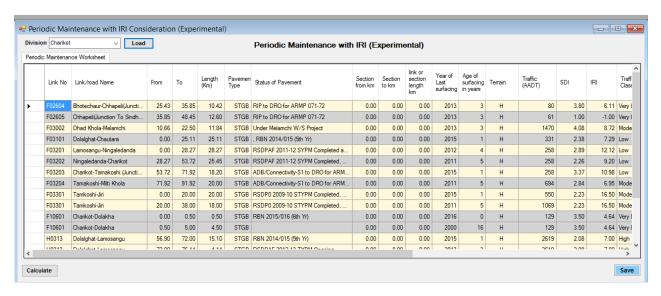
Reseal SD: SBSD

AC: 25mm AC

Rehab

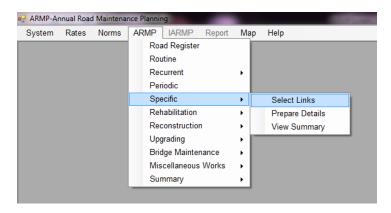
SD: DBSD + Base

AC: AC Overlay (Design?)



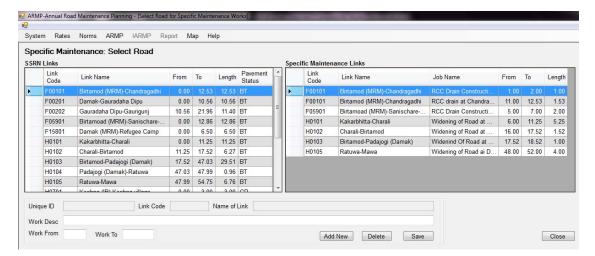
Periodic maintenance requirement (Yes/No) is computed automatically based on the last year of resurface, traffic, SDI/IRI values. The ARMP is already updated with the recent data on the pavement condition (SDI & IRI), traffic data and last re-surface year and also updated with the 2016 periodic plan. Right click on the grid to export the data to Excel

6.6 Specific Maintenance



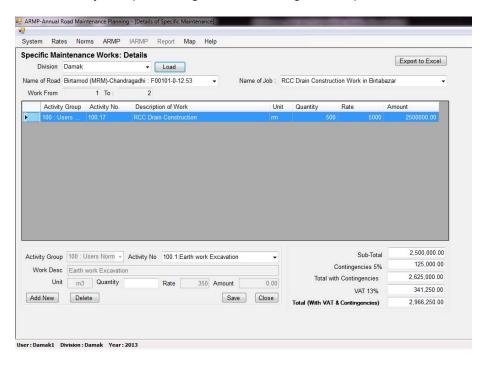
6.6.1 Select Links

Links requiring specific maintenance should be selected using this tool. The work description should be provided and should not be repeated for the same link. It is better to mention specific works e.g Wall Construction" etc. rather then putting generic description. The length of the section should also be provided.



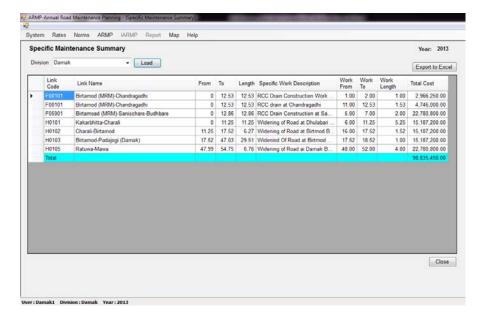
6.6.2 Prepare Details

Under each of the selected link and the work description, details should be prepared. Standard items will be available and quantities should be provided. The total cost is automatically computed. Right click on the grid to export entire details data to Excel

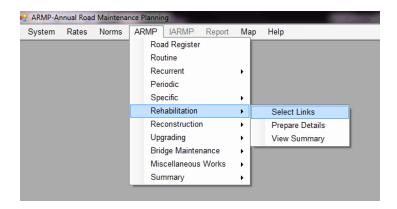


6.6.3 View Summary

Provides the summary of the specific maintenance works. Right click on the grid to export the data to Excel

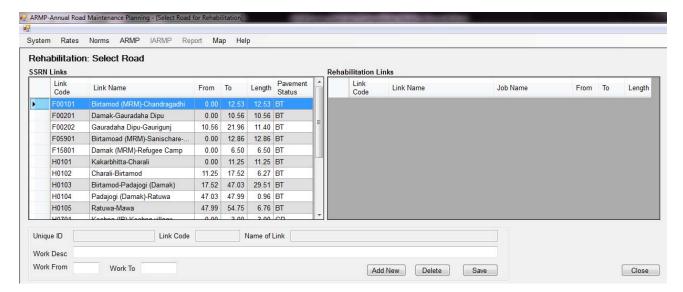


6.7 Rehabilitation



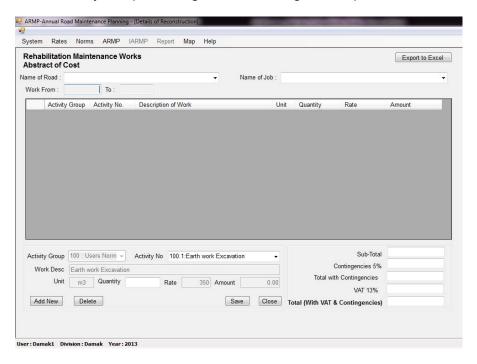
6.7.1 Select Links

Links requiring rehabilitation should be selected using this tool. The work description should be provided and should not be repeated for the same link. The length of the section should also be provided.



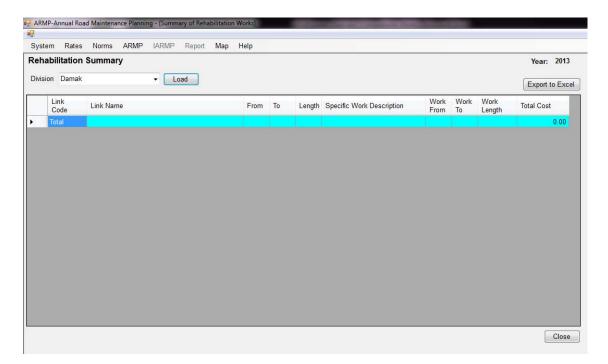
6.7.2 Prepare Details

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6.7.3 View Summary

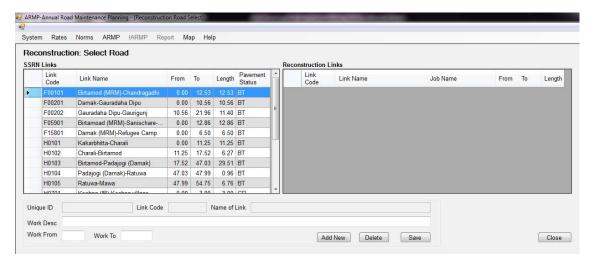
Provides the summary of the rehabilitation works. Right click on the grid to export the data to Excel



6.8 Reconstruction

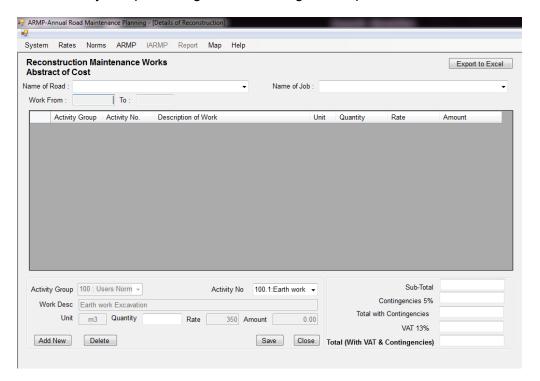
6.8.1 Select Links

Links requiring reconstruction should be selected using this tool. The work description should be provided and should not be repeated for the same link. The length of the section should also be provided.



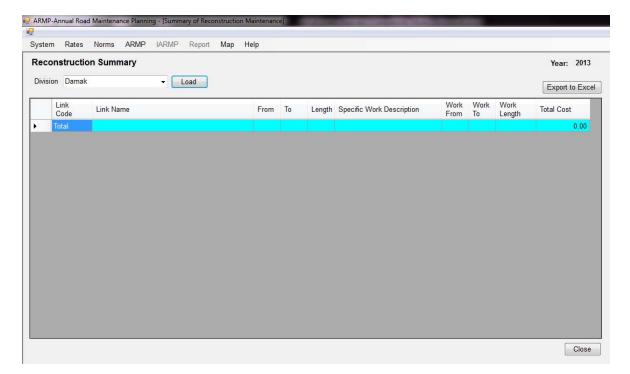
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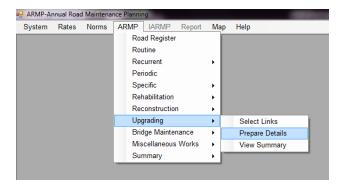


6.8.3 View Summary

Provides the summary of the reconstruction works. Right click on the grid to export the data to Excel

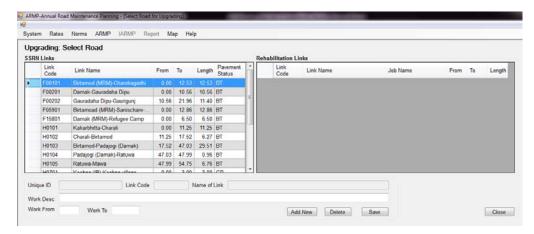


6.9 Upgrading



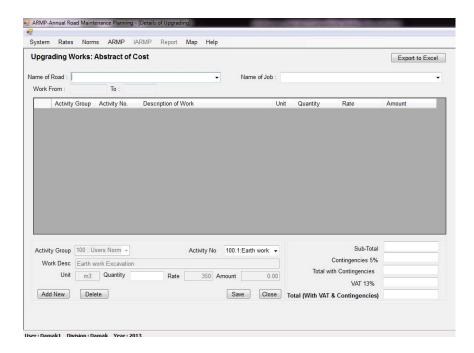
6.9.1 Select Links

Links requiring upgrading should be selected using this tool. The work description should be provided and should not be repeated for the same link. The length of the section should also be provided.



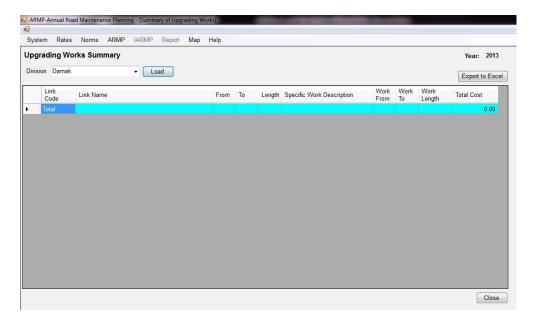
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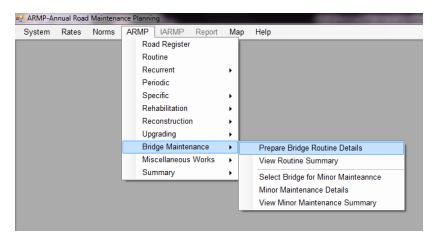


6.9.3 View Summary

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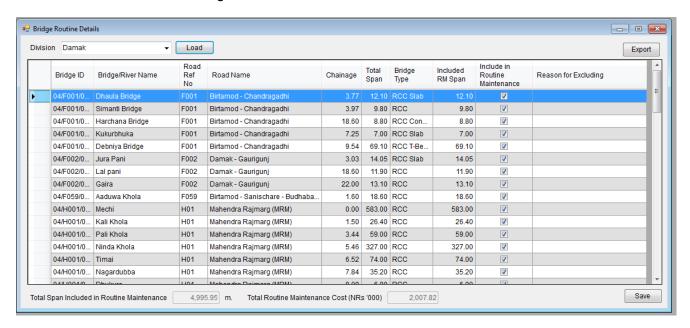


6.10 Bridge Maintenance

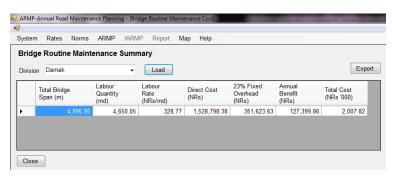


6.10.1 Prepare Bridge Routine Details

Select the bridge to include in the routine maintenance or not. Reason for exclusion also should be mentioned if the bridge is not included for routine maintenance.

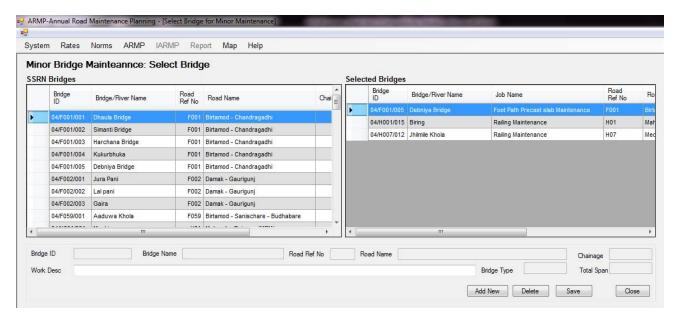


6.10.2 View Routine Summary

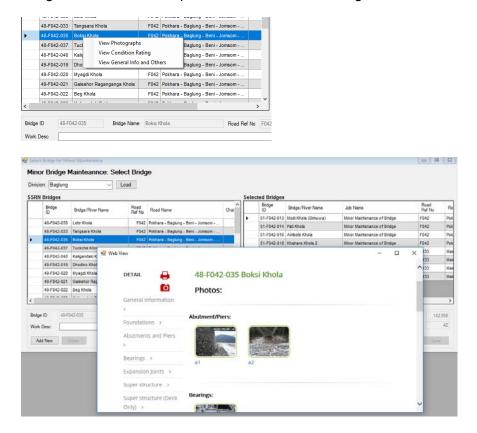


6.10.3 Select Bridge For Minor Maintenance

Select the bridges for minor maintenance and also provide the work descriptions. If same bridge is used for different works, the work description should be different.

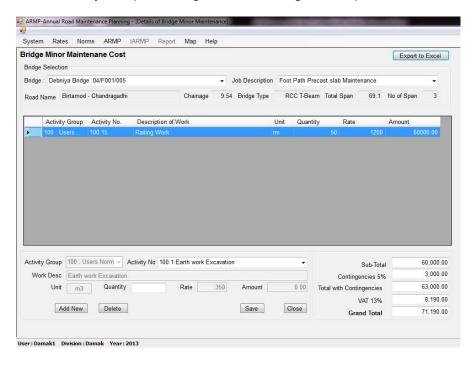


Right click on the bridge can bring bridge details from the condition assessment under the BMS. The view photographs option will take to the detailed photographs available for the bridge and other menus provides access to the bridge condition.



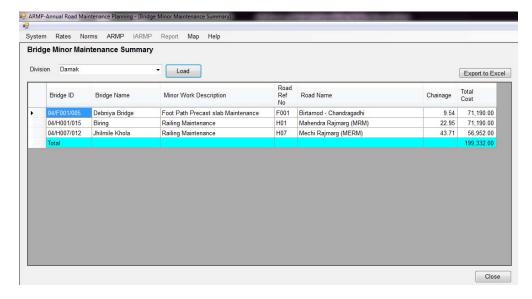
6.10.4 Minor Maintenance Details

Under each of the selected bridges and the work description, details should be prepared. Standard items will be available and quantities should be provided. The total cost is automatically computed. Right click on the grid to export entire details data to Excel



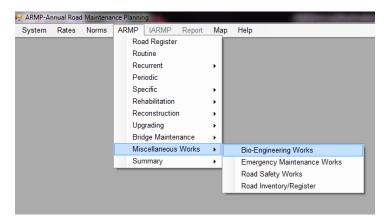
6.10.5 View Minor Maintenance Summary

Provides the summary of the minor bridge maintenance works by division. Right click on the grid to export the data to Excel

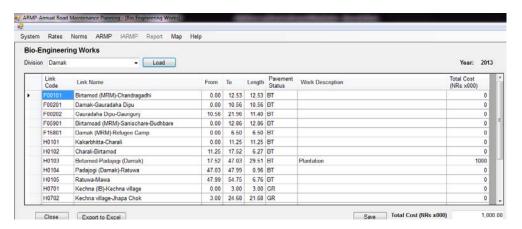


6.11 Miscellaneous Maintenance

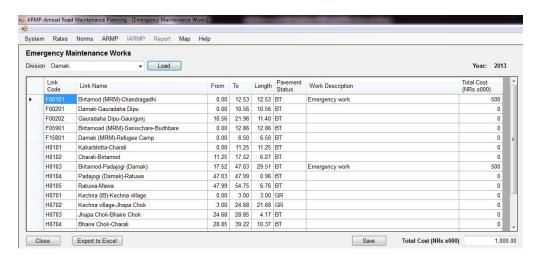
It is similar to other maintenance works e.g. specific maintenance. First the required link should be selected and details prepared. The summary of the cost can be viewed using "View Summary". Right click on the grid to export the data to Excel



6.11.1 Bio-Engineering Works

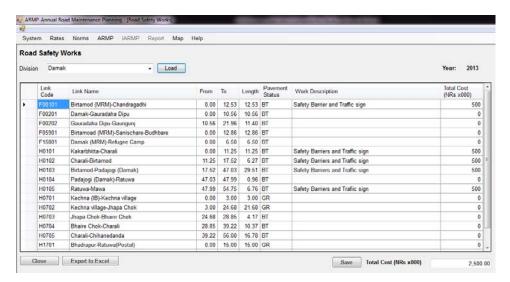


6.11.2 Emergency Maintenance Works

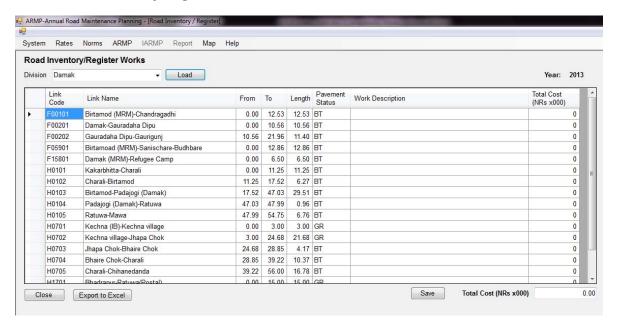


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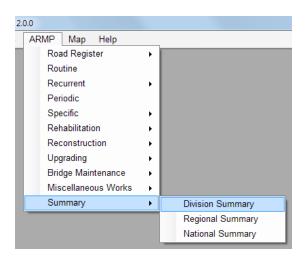
6.11.3 Road Safety Works



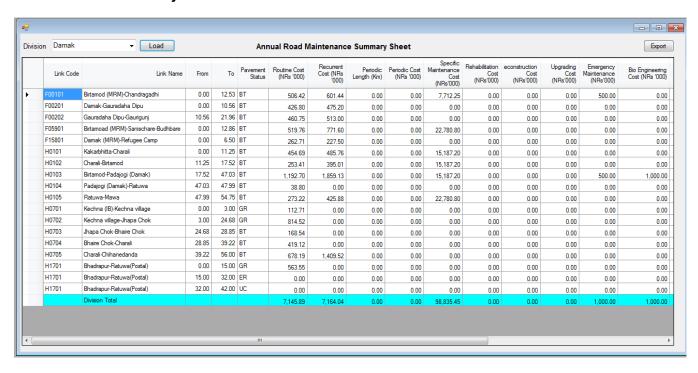
6.11.4 Road Inventory/Register



6.12 Summary Sub Menu

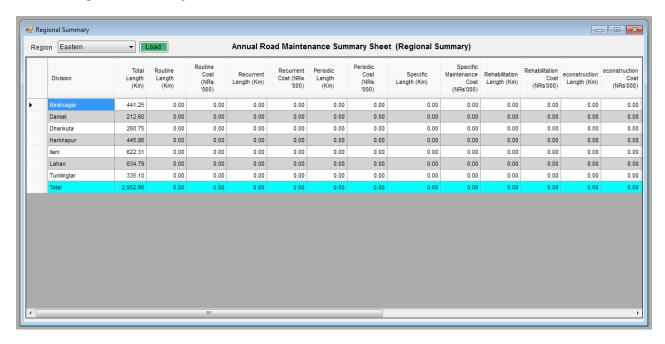


6.12.1 Division Summary



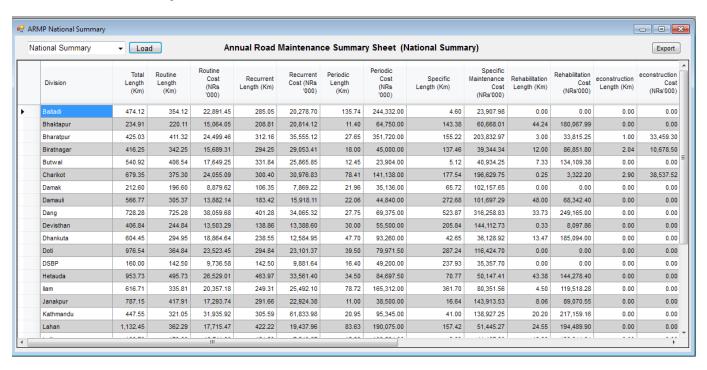
Right click on the grid to export the data to Excel

6.12.2 Regional Summary



Right click on the grid to export the data to Excel

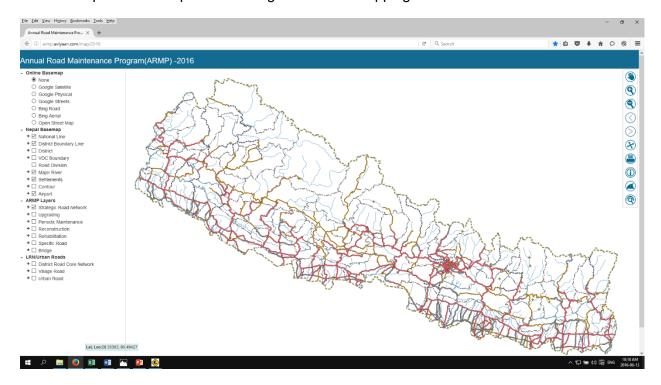
6.12.3 National Summary



Right click on the grid to export the data to Excel

6.13 Map

A basic map interface is provided using web based mapping.



The map interface provides following facilities.

- a) View the SRN network
- b) Zoom to Divisions and highlight/Mask
- c) Export to PDF with various scales and paper size of A4/A3 in Portrait/Landscape orientation.
- d) Overlay Google maps (Satellite, Hybrid, street, Terrain etc)
- e) Search Roads using road code/link code
- f) Turn On/Off various layers (Base Map and ARMP layers)
- g) On screen Identification of various elements of the map.
- h) Clipping of the road division boundary.

The map loading may vary with the internet speed.

6.14 Help Sub Menu (About)

