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The true costs of automobility

Study about the external costs of car use in EU-27

Car use is an important part of daily life in the EU and it clearly creates huge benefits for the users.

Naturally there are also costs for car mobility: obvious costs but also less obvious ones, such as costs arising from noise and pollution. The study commissioned by the Greens/EFA estimates the magnitude of these hidden costs of car mobility and the ways in which these costs are currently being financed.

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