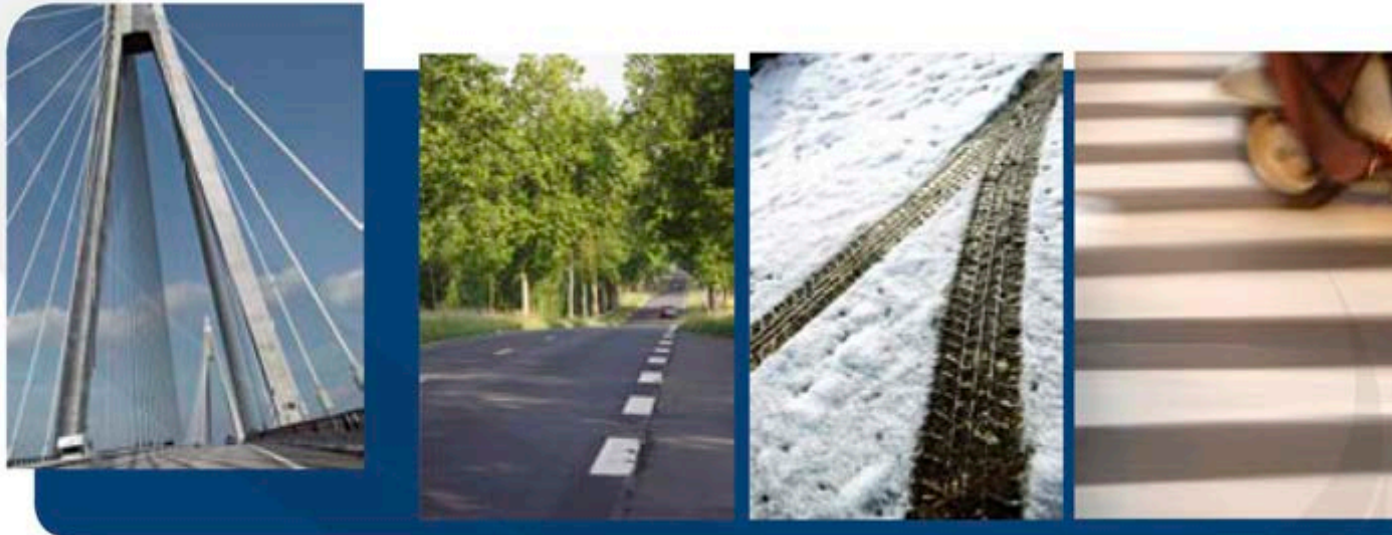


Exchanging  
knowledge and techniques  
on roads and road transportation



# WORLD ROAD ASSOCIATION



[www.piarc.org](http://www.piarc.org)

# World Road Association (PIARC)

- Non-political, not-for-profit organisation established in 1909
- Held *Consultative Status* within the United Nations Economic and Social Council since 1970.





# PIARC?

## Permanent International Association of Road Congresses

Association  
mondiale  
de la Route



World Road  
Association



Name of the Association between 1909 and 1995,  
now the World Road Association



# Mission

- Organise international forums
- Disseminate best practices
- Promote efficient tools for decision making
- Special emphasis for Developing Countries and Countries with Economies in Transition

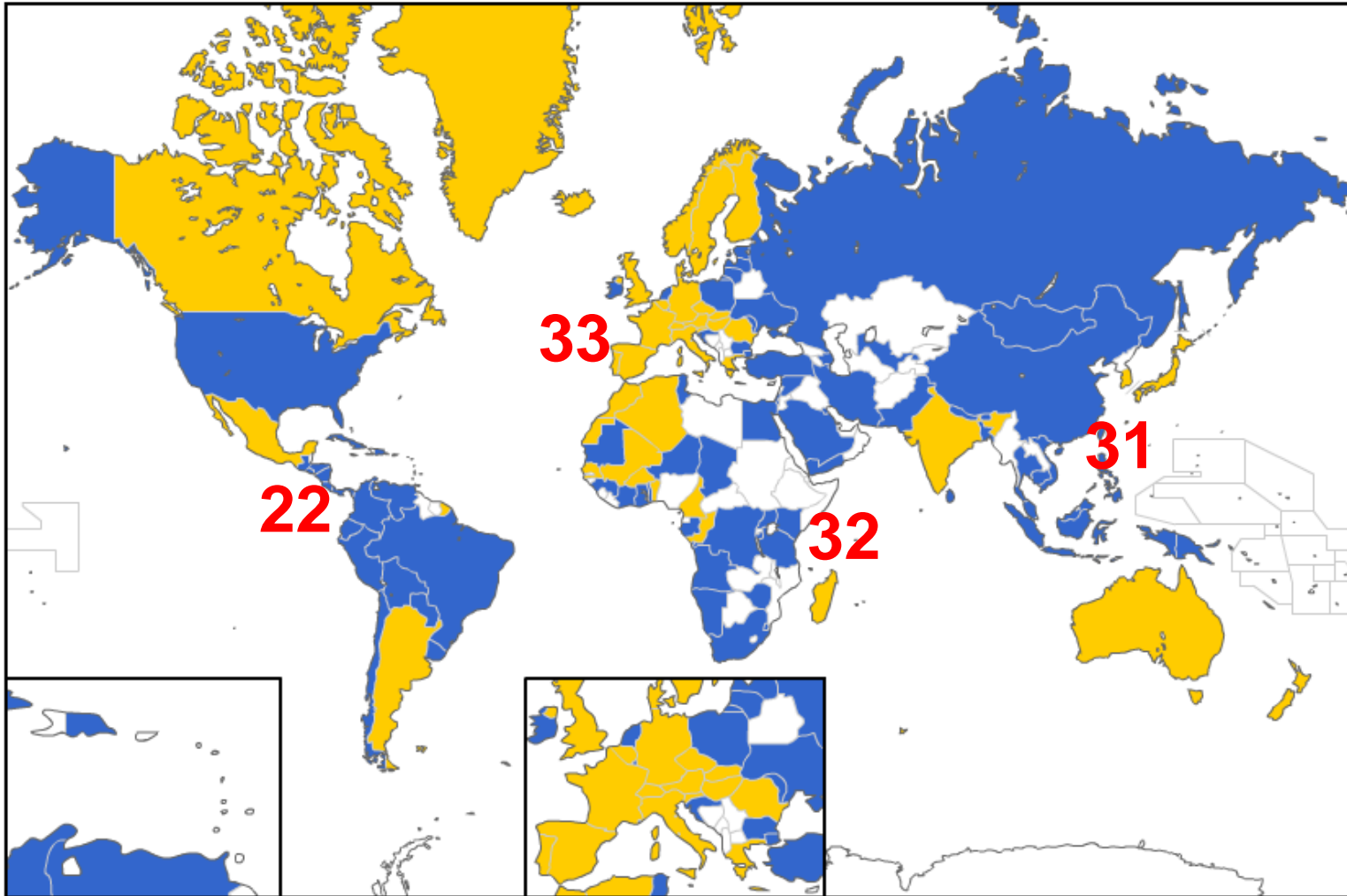


# Members

- National Governments
- Regional Authorities
- Collective Members
- Individual Members



# 118 Member Governments



- Member Country with a National Committee
- Member Country
- Non Member Country



# National Committees

Promoting the  
work of PIARC

**36 countries**

(Oct. 2011)

- Algeria, Argentina, Australia\*, Austria
- Belgium, Benin, Burkina Faso
- Cameroon, Canada, Canada-Quebec, Chile, Congo, Czech Republic
- France,
- Germany, Greece, Hungary
- India, Italy, Japan
- Madagascar, Mali, Mexico, Morocco
- New Zealand\*
- Portugal, Romania
- Senegal, Slovak Republic, Slovenia, South Korea, Spain, Switzerland
- United Kingdom, United-States, Uruguay

\* *Austrroads*

# Executive Committee 2009-2012



situation as at January 1st 2011

## President

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## National Committees' Representative



# Strategic Plan 2012-2015 : Strategic Themes

- Strategic Theme 1: Management and Performance
- Strategic Theme 2: Access and Mobility
- Strategic Theme 3 : Safety
- Strategic Theme 4 : Infrastructure

# Strategic Plan 2012-2015

## Strategic Theme 1: Management and Performance

- TC 1.1 Performance of Transport Administrations
- TC 1.2 Financing
- TC 1.3 Climate Change and Sustainability
- TC 1.4 Road Transport System Economics and Social Development
- TC 1.5 Risk Management

# Strategic Plan 2012-2015

## Strategic Theme 2: Access and Mobility

- TC 2.1 Road Network Operations
- TC 2.2 Improved Mobility in Urban Areas
- TC 2.3 Freight Transport
- TC 2.4 Winter Service
- TC 2.5 Rural Road Systems and Accessibility to Rural Areas

# Strategic Plan 2012-2015 :

## Strategic Theme 3: Safety

- TC 3.1 National Road Safety Policies and Programs
- TC 3.2 Design and operation of Safer Road Infrastructure
- TC 3.3 Road Tunnels Operations
  
- TF 1 Road Safety Manual Task Force
- TF 2 Security Task Force

# Strategic Plan 2012-2015

## Strategic Theme 4: Infrastructure

- TC 4.1 Management of Road Assets
- TC 4.2 Road Pavements
- TC 4.3 Road Bridges
- TC 4.4 Earthworks and Unpaved Roads

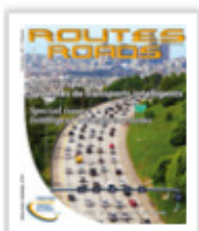
### Committee on Terminology

**Website: [www.piarc.org](http://www.piarc.org)**

## Services:

- Knowledge Base
- Virtual Library
- Terminology
- Detailed information on the Association and its activities

# NEWS



## Routes/Roads

n° 351 // 2011 3rd  
quarter // July  
issue



## New access to workspaces



## Road Safety

Decade of action  
for Road Safety  
2011-2020

*The World Road Association-PIARC was established in 1909. It brings together the road administrations of 118 governments and has members--individuals, companies, authorities and organizations--in over 140 countries.*

## Welcome to our website

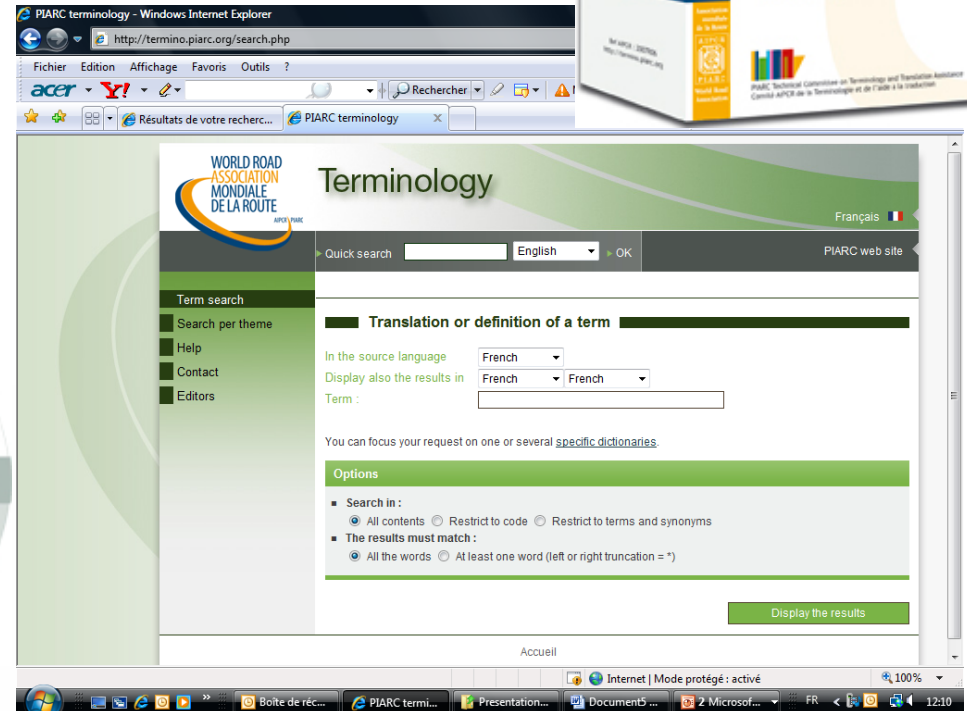
### Among new features:

- Organisation by thematic areas, in the "Knowledge Base", of publications, events and related information. *Note that this part is still under development;*

- The grouping in the same website of public...

# Terminology

- Technical Dictionary of Road Terms
  - 5 languages, 8<sup>th</sup> edition*
- Online consultation of multilingual technical dictionaries and lexicons

PIARC terminology - Windows Internet Explorer  
 http://termino.piarc.org/search.php

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**Terminology** Français

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**Translation or definition of a term**

In the source language: French  
 Display also the results in: French French

Term:

You can focus your request on one or several specific dictionaries.

**Options**

- Search in:
  - All contents
  - Restrict to code
  - Restrict to terms and synonyms
- The results must match:
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  - At least one word (left or right truncation = \*)

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# International Seminars

- Exchange of knowledge in developing countries and countries with economies in transition
- 26 seminars and 7 workshops organised during the 2008-2011 cycle
- Presentations available online via the PIARC Website

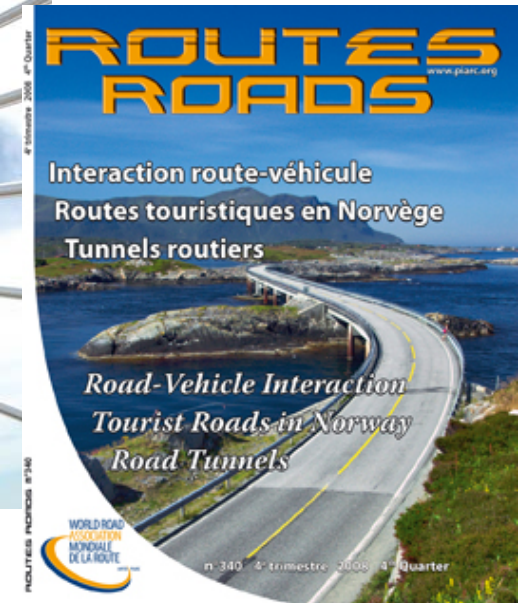
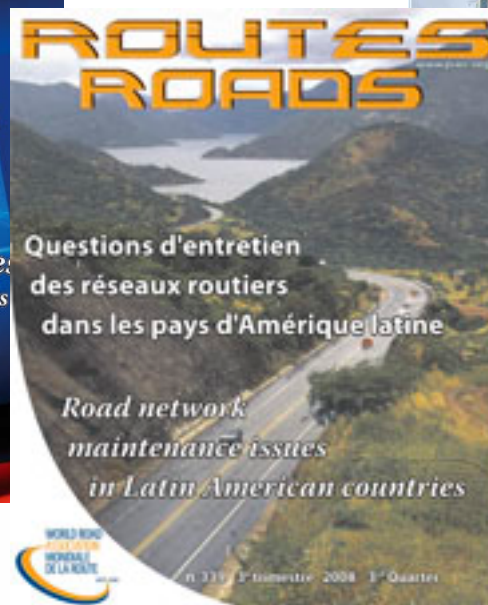


Opening session with Minister of Highways of India  
*Reducing carbon footprint in road construction*  
 Joint PIARC/IRC Int seminar. Delhi 17-19 Feb. 2011



# Routes/Roads

- Bilingual quarterly magazine
- Articles cover emerging road and road transport issues
- 5700 copies, readership in more than 140 countries



# National Committees Newsletter

- Information on the activities of the National Committees
- Quarterly (March, July, September, December)
- Published in three languages (English, French, Spanish)



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# International Winter Road Congresses

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- 1969 – 1st Congress in Berchtesgaden, Germany
- A congress every four years
- Maintenance and roads operations in winter

**Tromsø 1990**

**Seefeld 1994**

**Luleå 1998**

**Sapporo 2002**

**Turin-Sestrières 2006**

**Québec 2010**

**Andorra 2014**





# XIIIth International Winter Road Congress

8 - 11 February 2010

Quebec City, Canada-Quebec

*Sustainable Winter Service for Road Users*



# XIVth International Winter Road Congress

4 - 7 February 2014

Andorra la Vella, Principality of Andorra

[www.aipcrandorra2014.org](http://www.aipcrandorra2014.org)



# World Road Congresses

- 1908 – 1st World Road Congress in Paris, France
- A congress every four years
- Share knowledge and experiences on roads and road transportation

*Brussels 1987*

*Marrakech 1991*

*Montréal 1995*

*Kuala Lumpur 1999*

*Durban 2003*

*Paris 2007*

*Mexico City 2011*

*Seoul 2015*



# XXVth World Road Congress

The Republic of Korea has been selected as the host country for the XXVth World Road Congress in 2015, in Seoul.

This decision was made at the PIARC Council Meeting held on 21 October 2010.



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