
50MAX Update

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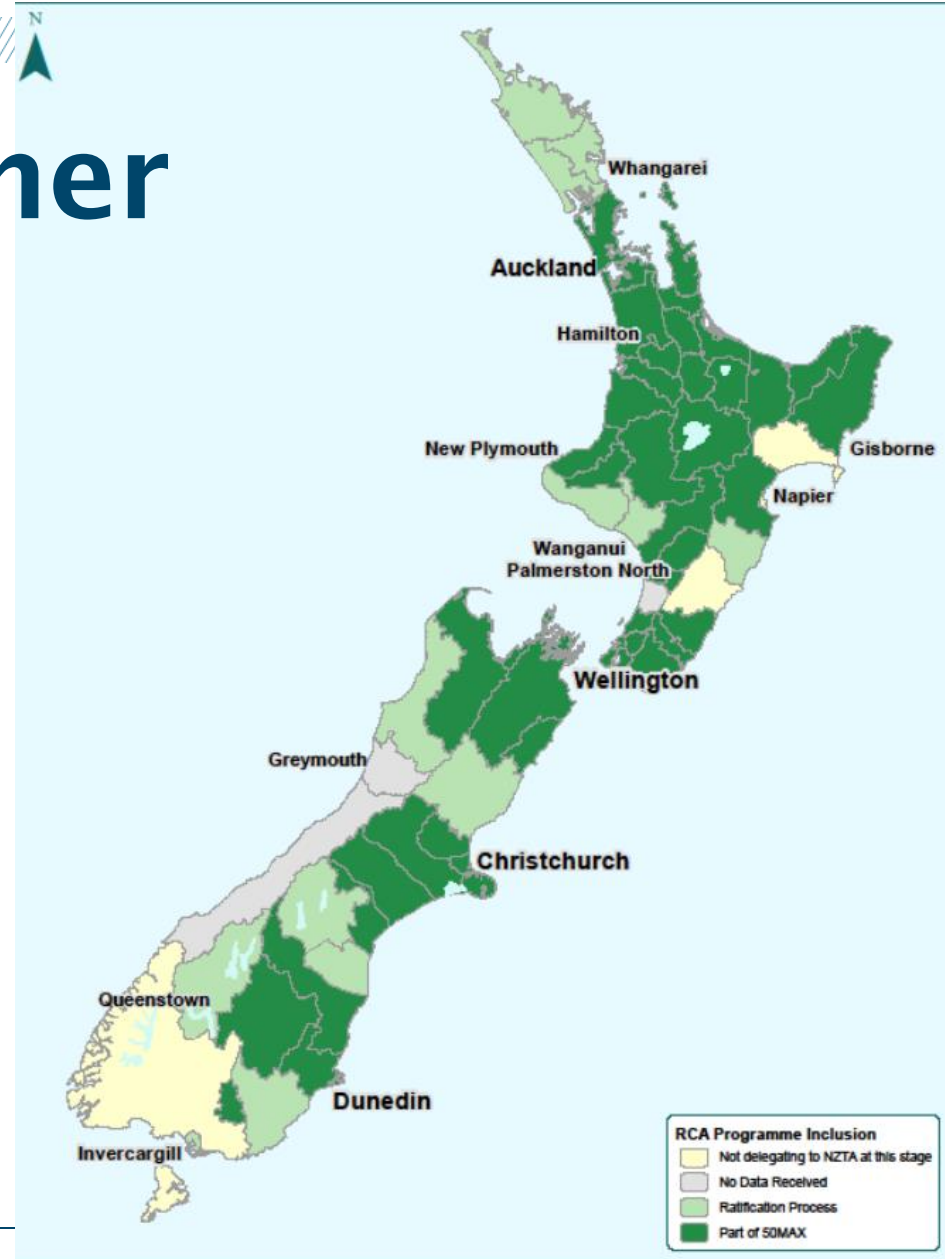
Some recent milestones...


- 50MAX initiative celebrated first birthday in October 2014
- 2500 permits have now been issued
- Full length of SH1 now open to 50MAX trucks from Cape Reinga to Bluff



Working together

- 46 (or 69%) of RCAs signed up to 50MAX
- 17 RCAs in discussions with the Transport Agency or awaiting ratification
- 4 RCAs permitting own area





What's two tonnes?

Addressing the 48MAX question

- Freight industry requested a 48 tonne 8-axle configuration with network-wide access.
- Transport Agency view: It may improve productivity but is a non-starter due to impact on roads.
- 50MAX impact neutral due to extra axle
- 48MAX would result in higher infrastructure costs over time.

We want your feedback...

