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ABOUT THE TALK # 23

"Counting Down to Safety: Evaluating Countdown Timers at Intersections"

In this work, the driver behaviour during queue discharge at signalised intersection was studied considering the anticipation and indecision in the presence of countdown timer using statistical and data-driven models. This talk examines the safety and efficiency impacts of countdown timers at intersections and explores their effective integration into adaptive traffic signal control using Vissim simulations.

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