

Case studies



How did the TGL network  
modernize transportation  
management in  
its urban area?



## Background

Before 2020, TGL used a ticketing solution that did not fully meet their daily back-office management needs.

The software was difficult to use and not intuitive, making data extraction and analysis challenging. This complexity hindered the operational management of the network.



The Intercommunal Joint Transport Union of the Longwy Urban Area (S.M.I.T.R.A.L) in a few figures:



23

municipalities



23

buses in direct operation



75 000

inhabitants



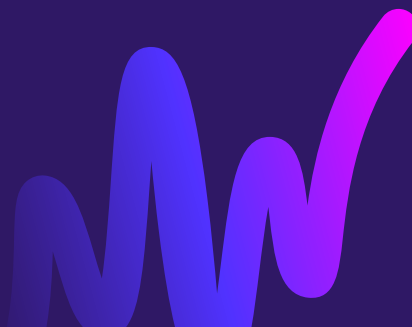
11

subcontracted vehicles



6

urban lines,  
including 1 main line



# The Challenge

TGL began searching for a new ticketing solution better suited to its needs:



# The Deployed Solution

TGL chose the ticketing solution provided by Matawan. This solution was selected for its numerous features and ease of use, particularly at the back-office level. Matawan provided an intuitive user interface, enabling simplified and efficient management of daily operations.

## The deployed WanFare solution includes:

### Onboard equipment:

- ✓ Validators, printers, and tablets for the driver, providing real-time communication with the Matawan SaaS platform.

### A SaaS platform that allows administrators to:

- ✓ Centralize and configure ticketing data, view validation histories, and analyze passenger flows.
- ✓ Track vehicle locations in real time, including progress/delays and disruptions.
- ✓ Monitor bus occupancy through passenger counting.
- ✓ Optimize routes and adjust schedules based on ridership data

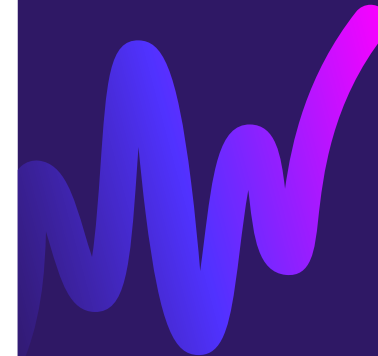


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 **And to go further**

TGL paired the WanFare solution with WanReport to create and manage a repository of infrastructure and passenger information characteristics on their network, as well as to generate timetable sheets.





## The Results

 **95%**

of trips  
completed



Time savings  
in managing  
customer complaints



Streamlining operations  
through monitoring of  
occupancy rates

Since the implementation of the Matawan solution, TGL has observed significant improvements:

- **Daily operational efficiency:** The management of schedules, services, and drivers is now smoother and more responsive due to real-time visibility. The operations manager can quickly verify if drivers have started their shifts, thereby optimizing the coordination of operations.
- **Route optimization:** The ability to track passenger flows in real time has enabled service optimization, reducing travel distances and saving fuel, thereby contributing to better economic and environmental efficiency.
- **Quality of work life:** An intuitive and easy-to-use system supports drivers throughout their daily routes.
- **Improved customer service:** With accurate data on schedules and stops, S.M.I.T.R.A.L can respond more effectively to customer complaints, streamlining communications and enhancing customer satisfaction.

