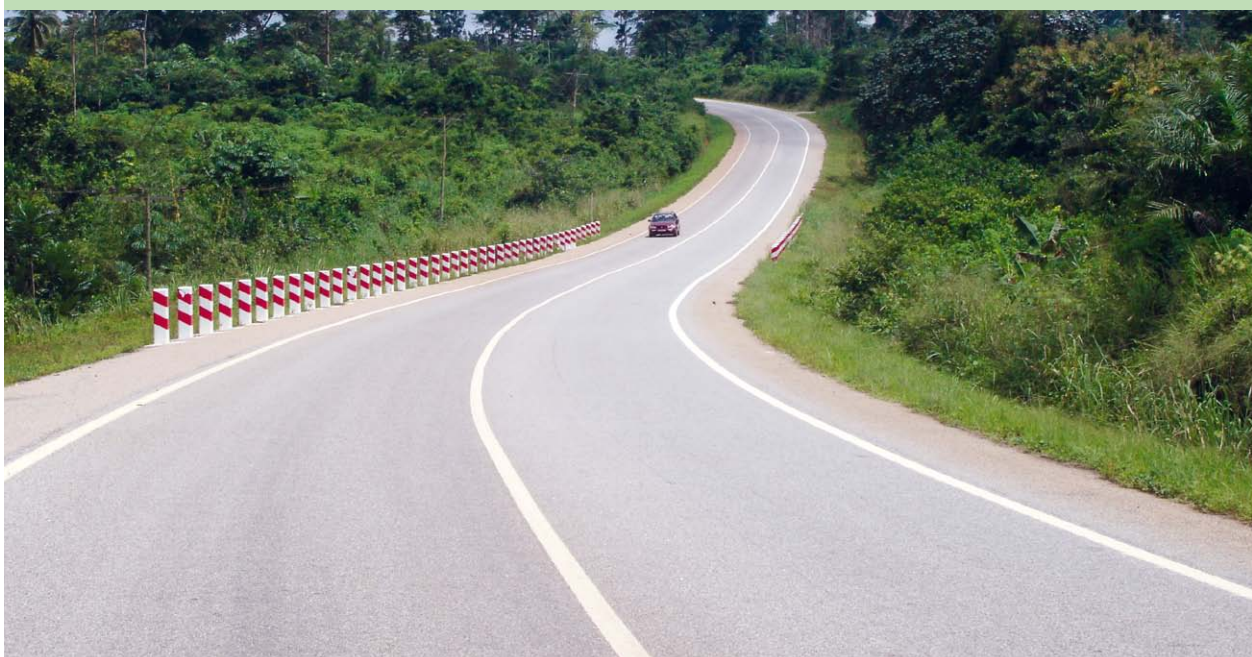


Sefwi Wiawso – Benkyema junction road rehabilitation, Ghana

The Sefwi Wiawso – Benkyema junction road rehabilitation project is also known as ‘Road V’, as it is BAM International’s fifth road project in Ghana. This stretch of road is the first phase of the main road (approximately 120 kilometres in length), from Sefwi Wiawso to Osei Kojokrom, a town on the border with Ivory Coast.

The road is of great importance to Ghana’s Western Region, as it provides a transportation route for the considerable amounts of cacao, timber and other agricultural products that are being produced in this area.

After completion, improved road conditions reduced travelling time from Sefwi-Wiawso to the Benkyema junction from about 4 hours to 35 minutes.



Location	Sefwi Wiawso to Benkyema junction, Western Region, Ghana
Client	Government of Ghana, Ministry of Road transport
Contractor	BAM International bv (formerly known as Interbeton bv)
Contract period	October 2005 – August 2008
Contract sum	€34 million

‘The road is now a first-class one by all standards.’

Scope of work

Rehabilitation of 45 kilometres of road, including road widening, earth works, sub-base and crushed stone base layer with double surface dressing finishing, reflective road marking and sign posts.

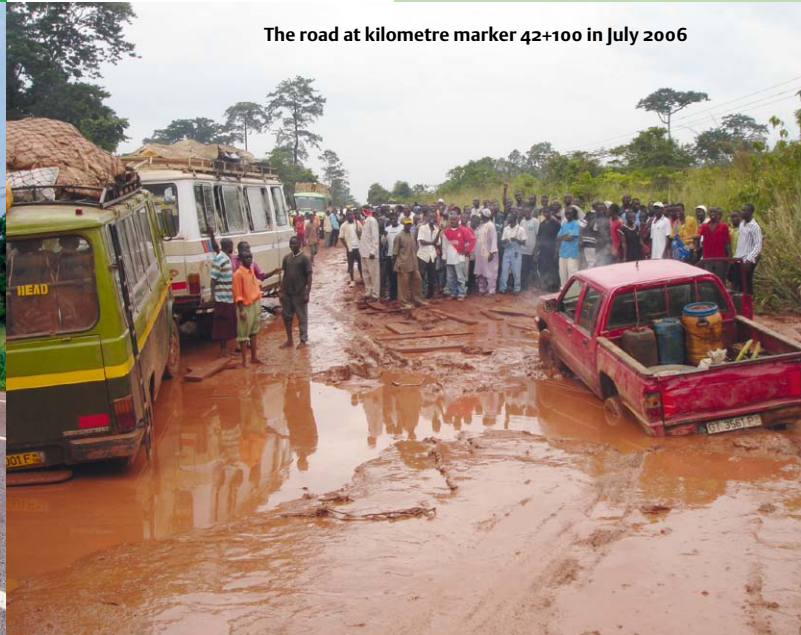
Also included in the project were the construction of earth drains, concrete culverts, stone pitched drains and town drainage.

Across the river Sui a bridge spanning 20 metres was constructed using pre-stressed concrete girders and sheet pile abutments.

Base course paver



The road at kilometre marker 42+100 in July 2006



The road at kilometre marker 42+100 in October 2008



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