Spover

Speedoverlay for navigation

Idea

• Apps used for navigation often don't include showing the current speed and speed limit, but Android supports overlays from third party apps

• show:

- current driving speed, measured by GNSS (GPS)
- speed limit, provided by OSM (OpenStreetMap)
- additional features:
 - optical/acoustical alerts for exceeding speed limits by an adjustable threshold
 - prefetching surrounding areas speed limits for offline situations

Challenges

- connectivity/offline
 - might not have the best internet 'on the go'
 - bad GPS in tunnels or between mountains

• form factor

- navigation app should still be visible/usable
- handle different brightness levels
- should not distract the driver
- timing
 - when is speed limit information required?

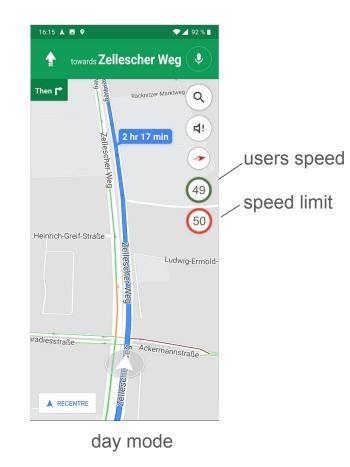
There's no network connection Make sure you're connected to a Wi-Fi or mobile network and try again.

OK



Overlay

- overlay instead of whole screen
- adjust color depending on time of day





night mode

Icons for different speeds

• different overlay color depending on how much faster/slower than the speed limit the user is driving

colors corresponding to driving in a **50km/h** zone:



Settings

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Permissions
Allow Spover displaying an overlay on 🗸
Allow Spover to access your loaction
Allow Spover to launch automatically in value of adjustable apps
Overlay
Speedlimit
Current Speed
Warnings
Sound alert on speeding
Sound alert threshold +10km/h

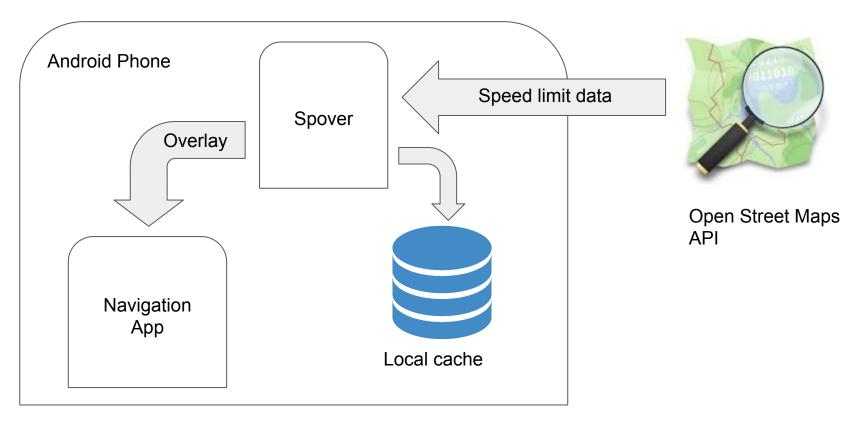
- app permissions status
- customize overlay
- sound when user is driving over speed limit

Preloading for offline usage

 prefetching speed limit data for areas without network connection



Technical Implementation



Work plan

Until 01.12.2018:

- make familiar with available APIs
- create settings screen
- create proof of concept for the overlay

Until 01.01.2019:

- finalize overlay
- integrate with OSM

Until 31.01.2019:

• polish everything