

Bridge Rehabilitation for Transport Strategy on Southern Route

Client: State Railway of Thailand

Period of Appointment: 2000 to 2001

AMP Consultants Ltd is responsible on economic analysis for the rail investment analysis in order to compete other mode. In addition, urban development and international strategy are considered.



As a result, the economic analysis shows that the operation of the rail transport has no efficient. This is because of inadequate locomotive, unreliable schedule, time loss due to rail switching, and limitation of the bridge loading capacity. Therefore, the consultant suggested to rehabilitate the rail bridges in the southern route. The fully development of the southern rail route will enhance the SRT's role in accelerating the country to gain economic benefit as trade with Malaysia and to assist Thailand to become a hub of the regional center.