

## **Rodents to blame for M11-A120 roundabout delays**

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Rodents are the cause of delays being experienced by motorists on the M11-A120 roundabout.

Traffic at the busy junction has been heavier than normal recently, with drivers suggesting that the traffic lights are out of sync.

Highways England has acknowledged the increased congestion and revealed that pesky rodents are the cause.

A spokeswoman said: "We have become aware of an issue with traffic sensors at the M11-A120 junction near Stansted, where some cabling has been damaged by rodents.

"The traffic lights still work but traffic flows are managed less effectively as the traffic light management system can no longer detect the amount of traffic using each arm of the junction.

"We are working hard to solve the issue and prevent it from reoccurring."