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# COUNTRY PRESENTATION CAMBODIA

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#### I. About Cambodia





Capital	Phnom Penh
Area	181,035 Km2
Population	15.58 millions, as of 2015
Annual Population Growth	1.54 %
Urban Population	20 %
Number of Major Vehicle	4.50 million vehicles (2018) Cars 15%, Motorbike & Tricycle 85%

#### II. Some Fact Findings

- Rapid growth of population in Urban Areas
  - ✓ Population growth rate in the city is around 3.9% per year
  - Fix population living in Phnom Penh: 1.95 millions in 2017, population density: 2,870 people per Sq.km
- Rapid increase the number of vehicles
  - ✓ Road Transport mode keeps increasing
  - ✓ Total 4.52 millions Vehicles, Motorbike 85.40%, Car 14.60%
  - ✓ Vehicles average growth rate: +15.60% (2008-2018)
- Existing Roads in cities are narrow with too many intersections, no more space to widen
- Heavy rain, frequent flood

#### II. Some Fact Findings (Cont...)

- Insufficient Public Transport System
  - ✓ Private-oriented transport mode is still popular
  - ✓ Many plans, but difficult to make it happen
- Traffic Law enforcement is not so strict
- Relies on the fossil fuel vehicles and most vehicles are second-hand
- Poor road users behavior





#### II. Some Fact Findings (Cont...)

#### Issues

- Heavy traffic congestion in the cities
  - ✓ Travel time increases 4-5 times compare to last 10 years
- Traffic accidents





#### III. Major Initiatives/Plans

#### Soft component

## Developed the comprehensive urban transport plan:

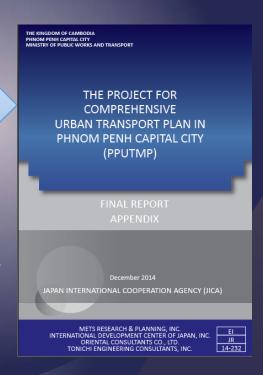
 Provide guidance for a Comprehensive Phnom Penh Urban Transport Development (by Jica)

#### Established Inter-ministerial committee to solve the traffic congestion problem:

• Finding problems, Taking actions

## Established a new Department in MPWT: Department of Urban Public Transport:

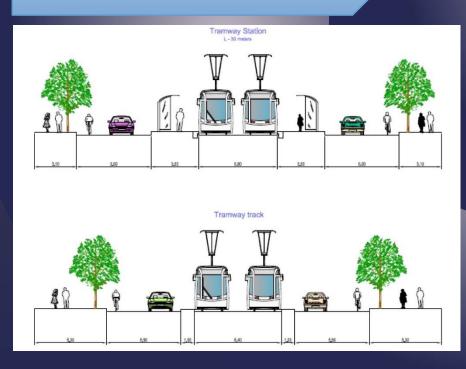
 Develop Policy, Strategy, Guideline to promote Public Transport System

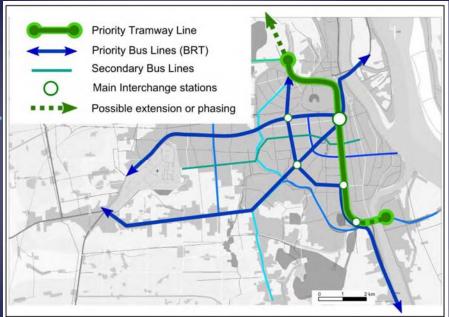


#### III. Major Initiatives/Plans (Cont...)

Study for Public Transport Network and a first Priority Line in the Phnom Penh (by French):

Tramways and BRT were recommended



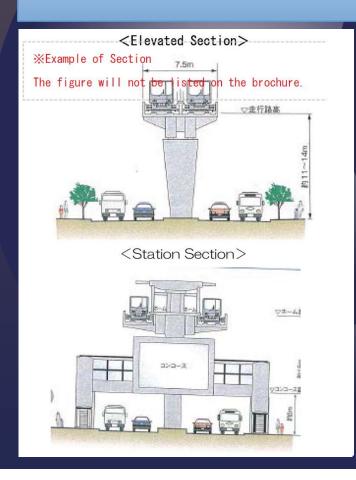


- ✓ The priority tramway line 10km along Pr. Monivong Blvd.
- ✓ Estimated investment costs: 240-280 mil-USD
- ✓ Pending...

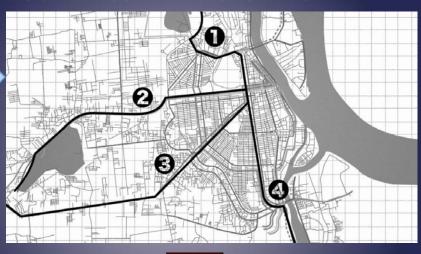
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# The Study for Automated Guideway Transit (AGT) in the Phnom Penh by Jica:

Ongoing



#### **Four lines in Master Plan**



#### Line #3 was selected as a priority

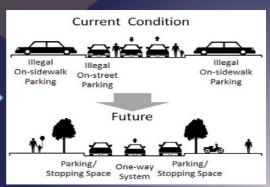


#### III. Major Initiatives/Plans (Cont...)

Improve on-Street
Parking Measures in the
City Center

Decentralization by developing suburban areas surrounding the city center with proper means of accessibility to the Center

Integrate other modes of Public Transport (Short term, medium term and Long term plan).



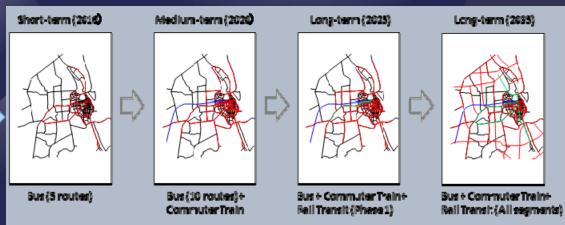
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**Current Condition** 

On Local Roads

#### On main Roads





#### IV. Major Achievements

#### **Upgrade & widen roads infrastructure:**

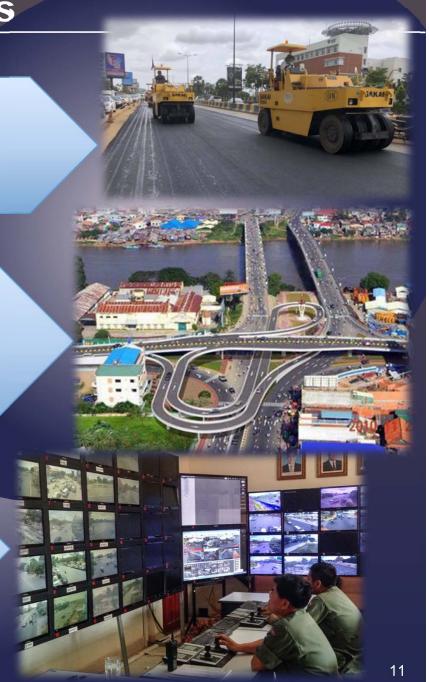
- To accommodate more vehicles
- To reduce traffic accidents

### **Build more flyovers at main intersections**

 Five flyovers were built recently at most congested intersections to improve smooth traffic flow

## Install regular and smart traffic signal system and install camera

• To monitor in control Center

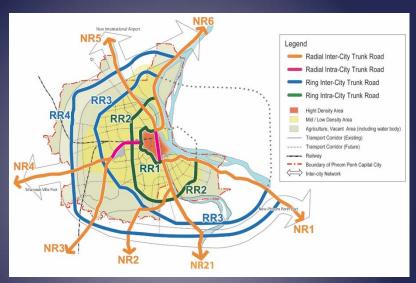


## Design and Build more City Ring Roads:

- To divert heavy traffic from the city center
- To promote logistics facilities outside the center

## Construction of Ring Road at major Provincial towns and populated areas:

 To divert heavy traffic from the city center



- Ring Road 1 completed
- Ring Road 2 under construction
- Ring Road 3 will start this year



## **Expand City Bus Routes In Phnom Penh City:**

- 9 lines under operation (215 bus)
- 5 lines under planning
- Free for students, factories' workers, elder people

#### City center to Airport Train:

- Start operation in June this year
- Airport check-in at the train station
- Three new rolling stocks will be arriving in October

#### Taxi Boats along Tunle Sab River:

- Start operation this year
- 5 stations in operation, approx.20km
- Plan more 11 stations







#### **Promote Ride Sharing mode:**

- Ride sharing operators can register under MPWT
- Grab, PassApp and other local application become popular in Phnom Penh and Siem Reap city



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Improve walkway and sidewalk for pedestrians



**Build more parks and plant** more trees

Promote the use of Electric/Hybrid/LPG/Non-motorized Vehicles





#### V. Challenges

- Commitment
- Coordination / Collaboration
- Financial resources
- Human resources
- Technology

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