







# Framework for assessing Multimodal Integration in Indian Cities

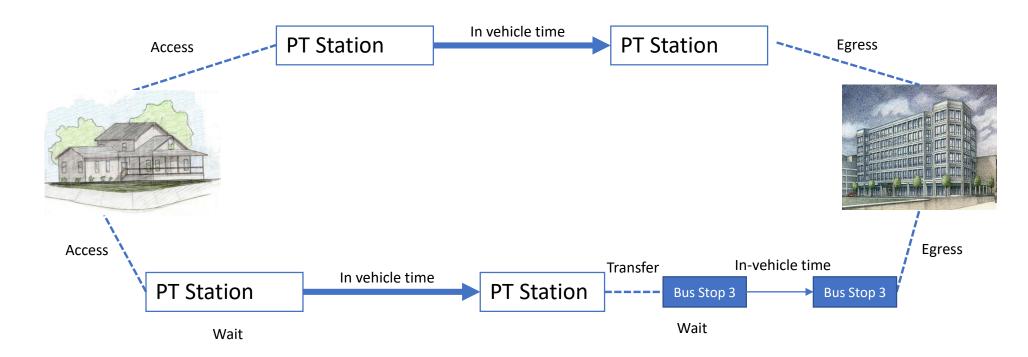
Shalini Sinha, PhD CEPT University



## Structure

- Definition and Context
- MMI Components
- Multimodal integration assessment framework 4MI

# Public transport travel



Passengers consider the entire journey experience while making travel choices





# What is Multimodal Integration?

- Combines public transport with other modes NMT, IPT, private vehicles, other PT modes to provide seamless and door-to-door travel alternatives for commuters
- Often used interchangeably with 'integrated public transport' or 'integrated transport' (Janic & Reggiani, 2001)
- Means to reduce private car use and facilitate shift to sustainable modes of travel

#### Status of MMI in Indian Cities

Heavy investments in rapid transit modes in Indian cities

Indian cities are adopting various multimodal strategies realizing its relevance

- Feeder bus services & e-autos, introduction of smart cards, multi-modal hubs, travel apps
- Rapid transit modes often planned independently to other modes

#### Commuters faced with:

- Onerous transfers,
- Increased wait times
- Higher travel costs
- Poor ridership levels

Unattractive public transport - unable to facilitate mode shift



## Objectives of MMI











Improve delivery of PT services

**Improve** passenger comfort and convenience

Improve access to major facilities and activity centers

**Bring efficiency &** increased revenue for PT operators

**Facilitate shift to** sustainable modes





## 1. Network & service integration



2. Physical integration



3. Fare integration



4. Information integration

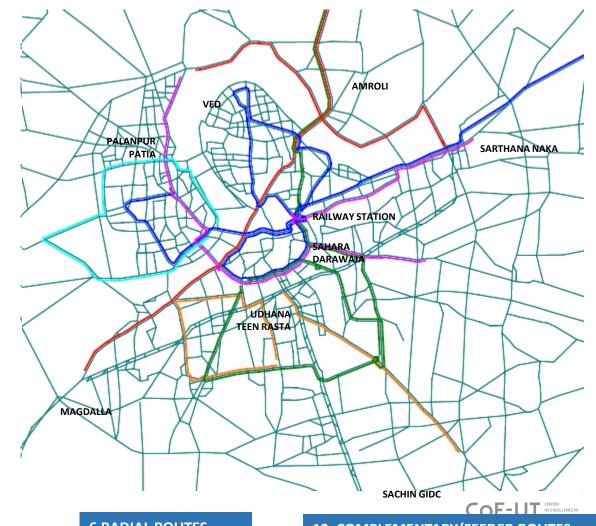


5. Institutional integration



## 1. Network and Service Integration

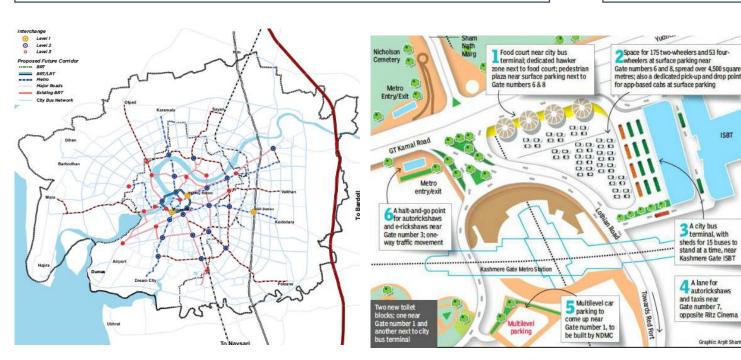
- Deals with linking up of routes & services across different modes to create a network
- Services are coordinated to ensure easy transfers
- Increases the PT service/catchment areas, accessibility and connectivity in city
- Improves PT accessibility

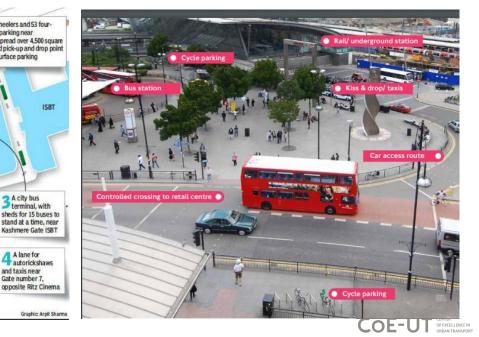


## 2. Physical integration

Bringing stops/stations of various modes within close proximity of each other and improves last mile connectivity

Facilitate easy transfers and improve attractiveness of multi-modal transport systems







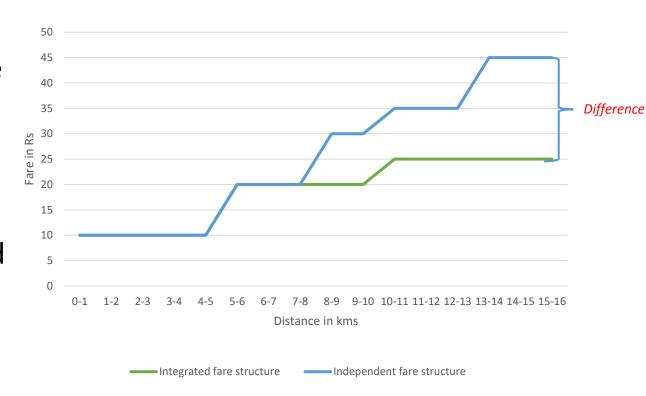
3 A city bus terminal, with

sheds for 15 buses to stand at a time, near Kashmere Gate ISBT

4 A lane for autorickshaws and taxis near Gate number 7,

#### 3. Fare integration

- Integrated fares <u>removes transfer</u>
   <u>penalties</u> -enables payment as a single
   journey
- Single tickets Eliminates purchase of separate tickets for different modes
- Makes travel attractive, affordable and convenient

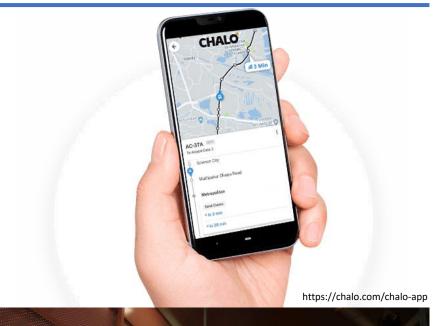




## 4. Information integration

- Information to <u>help passengers make</u> <u>informed decisions</u> regarding their travel
- Information at various stages:
  - Prior to the start of the journey
  - Enroute
- Information about:
  - Stops/stations
  - On-board travel
  - Services (real-time)
  - Way-finding







https://www.asiaone.com/singapore/why-number-covid-19-clusters-bus-interchanges-growing

### 5. Institutional Integration

- Coordinated working of agencies to plan and deliver integrated transport systems
- Draws out strategic plans and plans to ensure continuous cooperation and coordination between institutions at different stages
- Key for achieving integration across other core areas

Transportation components	Planning	Plan Implementation / Maintenance	Operation	Control/ Regulation/ enforcement				
Road network	Urban Dev Authority (UDA), Municipal Authority (MA), NHAI, PWD	Urban Dev Authority, Municipal Authority, NHAI, PWD	na	na				
Public Transport – Buses / BRTS	MA / SPV/State Road Transport Corp.	Transport service provider	Transport service provider, Private operators	RTO-licensing, permits, vehicle registration; Traffic Police				
Regional Rail		Indian Railways						
PT- Metro	State Government							
NMV facility	MA, UDA	MA, UDA	na					
Traffic Mgmt	MA, UDA	Traffic Police		Traffic Police				
Parking	Municipal Authority	Municipal Authority		Traffic Police				
Freight			Private freight companies	Traffic Police				



What measures are the cities taking?

Are these adequate?

Are these stand-alone or linked measures?

What more should the cities do?

Are our cities working towards an integrated transport system?



# Where are we in terms of Multi-modal integration?

Input indicators to assess measures adopted and their comprehensiveness

Outcome indicators to assess efficacy levels





# MATURITY MATRIX FOR MULTI-MODAL INTEGRATION (4MI) TOOL

- Developed by COE-UT, CRDF CEPT University as part of SMART-SUT project jointly implemented by MoHUA and GIZ under the Indo-German Green Urban Mobility Partnership
- Web-based tool, available at https://4mitool.crdf.org.in/





# MATURITY MATRIX FOR MULTI-MODAL INTEGRATION (4MI) TOOL

- Assessment tool for Indian cities to assess maturity levels of integrated transport systems;
- Objective is to evaluate progress towards MMI and identify barriers/action areas
- Determine the extent of integration achieved across the five core areas of MMI and its sub-categories
- Can be used by the city authorities to align with city objectives & enable realistic targets.



# NETWORK & SERVICE INTEGRATION



- E1. Planning of routes and services
- E2. Service headways and schedule coordination
- E3. Accessibility

# PHYSICAL INTEGRATION



- E4. Proximity of transit stops
- E5. Accessibility within the interchange zone
- E6. Last mile connectivity to the interchange zone

# FARE INTEGRATION



- E7. Fare policy/ structure
- E8. Fare technology

# INFORMATION INTEGRATION



- E9. Information availability for commuters
- E10. Wayfinding
- E11. Customer care

# INSTITUTIONAL INTEGRATION



- E12. Decision making processes
- E13. Data sharing and integration

5 CORE MMI AREAS 13 MMI ELEMENTS

# 5 LEVELS OF INTEGRATION

# 13 X 5 MATURITY MATRIX

NETWORK & SERVICE INTEGRATION



PHYSICAL INTEGRATION



FARE INTEGRATION



INFORMATION INTEGRATION



INSTITUTIONAL INTEGRATION



**LEVELS OF MATURITY** 



Independent Systems

#### **LEVEL 1**

Nothing, marginalized or ad-hoc efforts/ planning

#### **LEVEL 2**

Baseline, informal efforts, not mainstreamed

#### **LEVEL 3**

Getting started, basic applications and processes being adopted



#### LEVEL 4

Improving,
partially
integrated,
standardized and
managed
applications

Integrated Systems

#### **LEVEL 5**

Advanced, integrated, continuous improvement





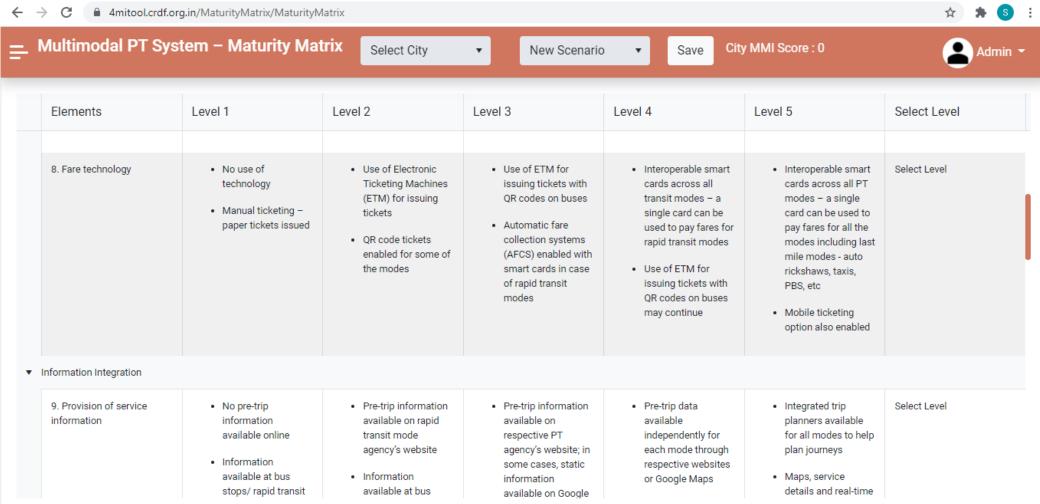
	l Elements	Levels of integration								
Core Areas of Multimodal		Independent				Integra	ted			
Integration		systems				syste				
		Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4	Level 5				
	E1. Planning of routes and services									
Network & Service integration	E2. Service headways and schedule coordination									
	E3. Accessibility									
	E4. Proximity of transit stops	Detai	the 13							
Physical integration	E5. Accessibility within the interchange zone	elements are specified based on which users can choose								
	E6. Accessibility within the interchange zone	— elements are specified based on which asers can choose								
	E7. Fare policy/ structure									
Fare integration	E8. Fare technology									
	E9. Information availability for commuters									
Information Integration	E10. Wayfinding									
	E11. Customer care									
Institutional integration	E12. Decision making processes									
Institutional integration	E13. Data Sharing and Integration									

Source: 4MI Tool developed by CoE-UT, CRDF as a part of SMART-SUT project jointly implemented by MoHUA and GIZ under the Indo-German Green Urban Mobility Partnership

COE-UT GERELINGEN OF SMART-SUT PROJECT CONTRACTOR OF SMART-SUT PROJECT PROJECT



#### Selection of levels for different MMI elements





CRDF CEPT RESEARCH

	l Elements	Levels of integration								
Core Areas of Multimodal Integration		Independent systems  Level 1		Level 2		Level 3				ntegrated systems
								Level 4	L	Level 5
	E1. Planning of routes and services									
Network & Service integration	E2. Service headways and schedule coordination									
	E3. Accessibility									
	E4. Proximity of transit stops	_								
Physical integration	E5. Accessibility within the interchange zone									
	E6. Accessibility within the interchange zone									
Favo into puntion	E7. Fare policy/ structure									
Fare integration	E8. Fare technology									
	E9. Information availability for commuters									
Information Integration	E10. Wayfinding									
	E11. Customer care									
Institutional integration	E12. Decision making processes									
Institutional integration	E13. Data Sharing and Integration									

Source: 4MI Tool developed by CoE-UT, CRDF as a part of SMART-SUT project jointly implemented by MoHUA and GIZ under the Indo-German Green Urban Mobility Partnership OE-UT GREEN LINE OF THE CONTROL OF



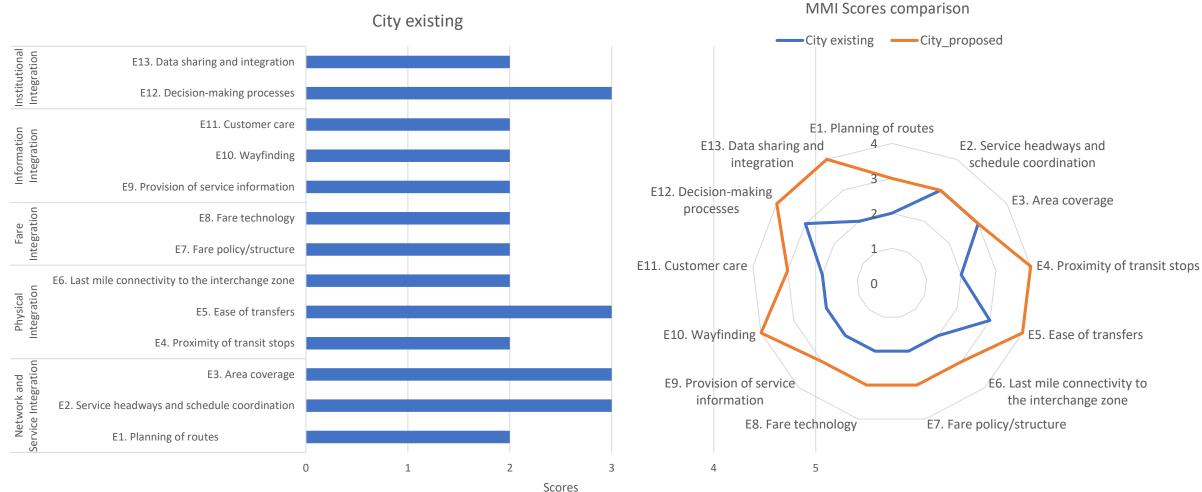
	Elements	Levels of integration								
Core Areas of Multimodal Integration		Independent systems  Level 1		Level 2 Level 3				Level 4		Integrated systems
						el 3	Level 5			
	E1. Planning of routes and services									
Network & Service integration	E2. Service headways and schedule coordination									
	E3. Accessibility									
	E4. Proximity of transit stops									
Physical integration	E5. Accessibility within the interchange zone									
	E6. Accessibility within the interchange zone									
Four interpretion	E7. Fare policy/ structure									
Fare integration	E8. Fare technology									
	E9. Information availability for commuters									
Information Integration	E10. Wayfinding									
	E11. Customer care									
Institutional integration	E12. Decision making processes	_								
Institutional integration	E13. Data Sharing and Integration									

Source: 4MI Tool developed by CoE-UT, CRDF as a part of SMART-SUT project jointly implemented by MoHUA and GIZ under the Indo-German Green Urban Mobility Partnership

COE-UT



## 4MI TOOL OUTPUTS





# OUTCOME INDICATORS FOR MMI

	Multi-modal outcome indicators	Unit of measurement			
1.	Mode share of PT and NMT	Percentage			
2.	PT patronage	Percentage increase in ridership			
3.	Multi-modal integrated PT journeys (with transfers)*  *Data regarding multi-modal integrated PT journeys will be available once integrated smart card ticketing is implemented across all PT modes	Proportion of total trips			
4.	<b>Average PT journey time reductions</b> (Transfer time & Waiting times separately)	Minutes			
5.	Smart card usage	Proportion of total trips			
6.	Customer satisfaction level	Percentage of PT commuters satisfied with the service levels of PT system			



## **SUMMARY**

- Integrated transportation system key for seamless passenger journeys and facilitating mode shift
- Cities undertaking several initiatives towards integration
- Need for a self-assessment framework for analysing the initiatives towards MMI and identifying future action areas

#### 4MI tool features



Consists of five different maturity levels and five core areas of MMI



Acts as a road map outlines MMI strategies for achieving higher level of integration



Enables future scenario creations and comparisons



Identifies current levels of maturity and helps track progress of MMI over time



Adopts a simple scoring system



Allows city authorities to identify areas of interventions achieved across the five core areas of MMI



CRDF AND DEVELOPMEN

## Thank you

shalini.sinha@cept.ac.in

Tool link: https://4mitool.crdf.org.in/



