

# Introduction to Connected and Automated Driving (CAD) in Cities

*How can cities prepare for CAD?*

**Monday, 26 February 2018**

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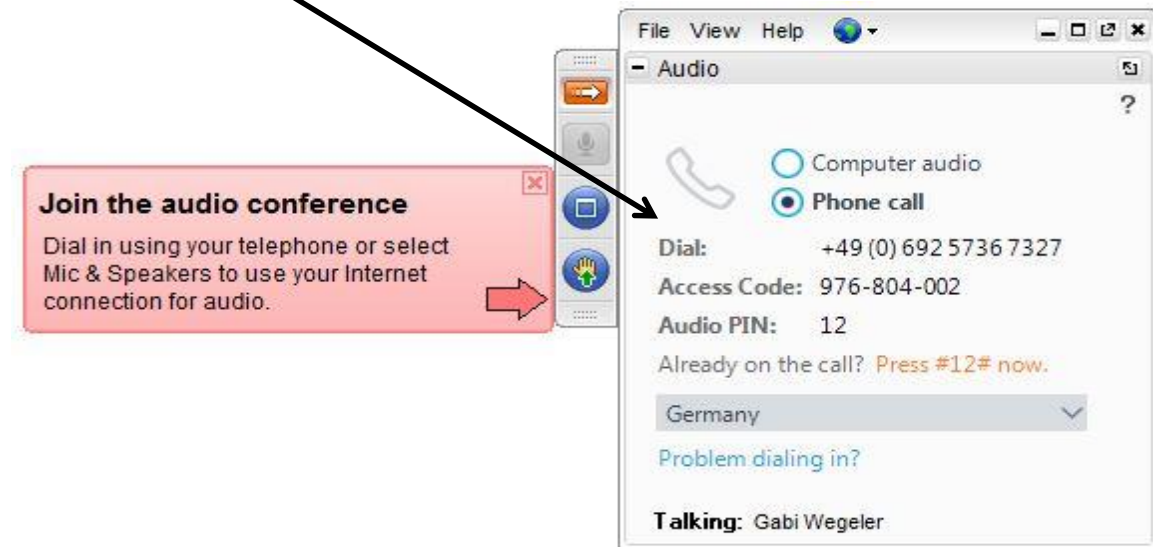
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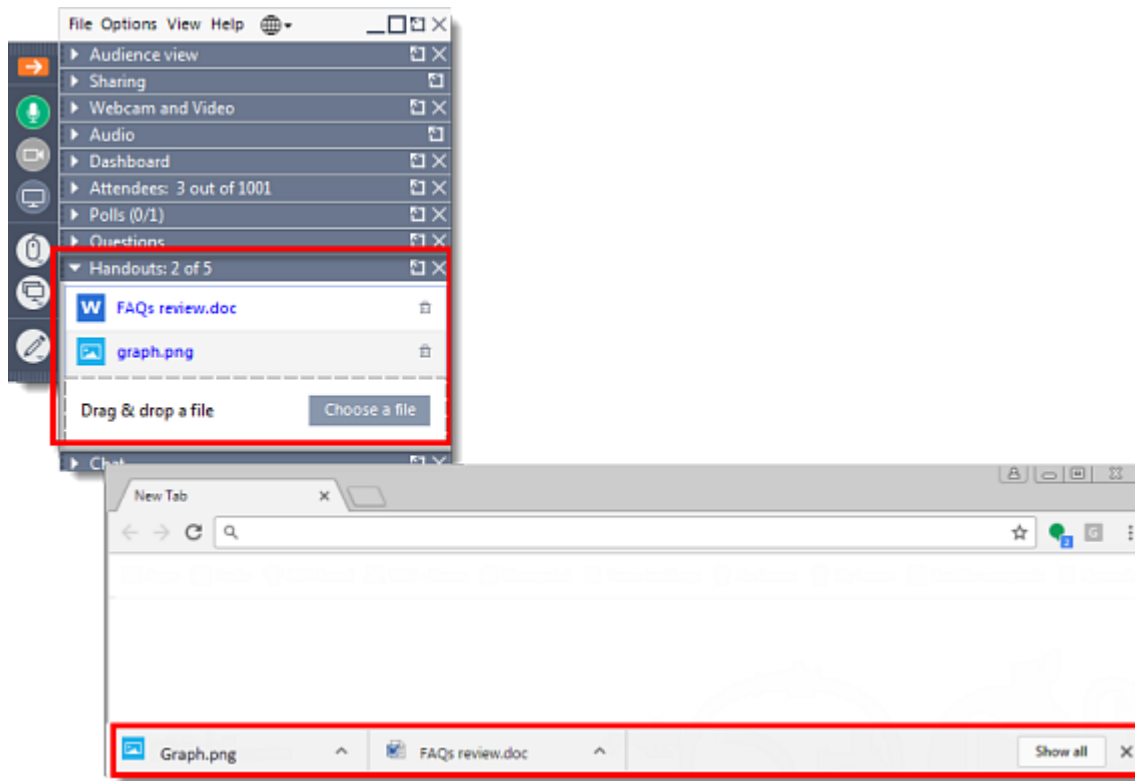
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# Webinar Structure



12:00 – 12:15	Introduction
12:15 – 12:35	Automation: how far are we? How can we start preparing?
12:35 – 12:55	How a mid-size city is preparing for CAD? The case of Milton Keynes, UK
12:55 – 13:15	What is the role of automation in public transport?
13:15 – 13:25	Open discussion
13:25 – 13:30	Wrap-up

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- Short Q&A (3-5 minutes) after each presentation
- There will be a 10-15 minute open discussion and questions at the end of webinar



# Poll question 1

What is your profession and background?

- Urban transport planner in public authority
- Consultant/ Adviser
- Public transport operator/ mobility service provider
- Research institution/ University/ Recent graduate
- Other (e.g. technology companies, OEMs, etc.)

# Poll question 2

Are you familiar with CIVITAS or have attended a CIVITAS conference?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No

# Expectations (and myths) about Automated Driving in cities

- + Support for ageing drivers
  - + Mobility solutions for low-demand and vulnerable users
  - + Cost saving in Public Transport
  - + Boost for shared mobility
  - + Increased safety
  - + Better use of urban space
  - Unclear impacts in cities
  - More demand for mobility
  - Increased traffic, more congestion
  - Cyber security issues
  - Urban sprawl
  - Unresolved ethical questions
- many urban  
what can cities do?  
tainties!

# This webinar



- Aims:
  - contribute to an **informed debate** about automation
  - start discussion what **urban mobility stakeholders** can do
  - help cities **prepare policies**.
- Today's agenda
  - **introduction** to automation
  - example of a **mid-sized city** preparing for automation
  - role of automation in **public transport**
- ... to be continued?



## Automation: how far are we? How can we start preparing?

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# Agenda



- Technology and Terminology
- Uncertainties for CIVITAS cities
- Concept of 'Automation-Readiness'
- 'Automation-Ready' Measures and Policies

# Poll question 3

How would you rate your knowledge on urban transport automation?

- ☐ 1 – beginner
- ☐ 2
- ☐ 3
- ☐ 4
- ☐ 5 – expert

# The public image of automation



Shared vehicles



Private Vehicles



C-ITS, V2V, V2I & V2X



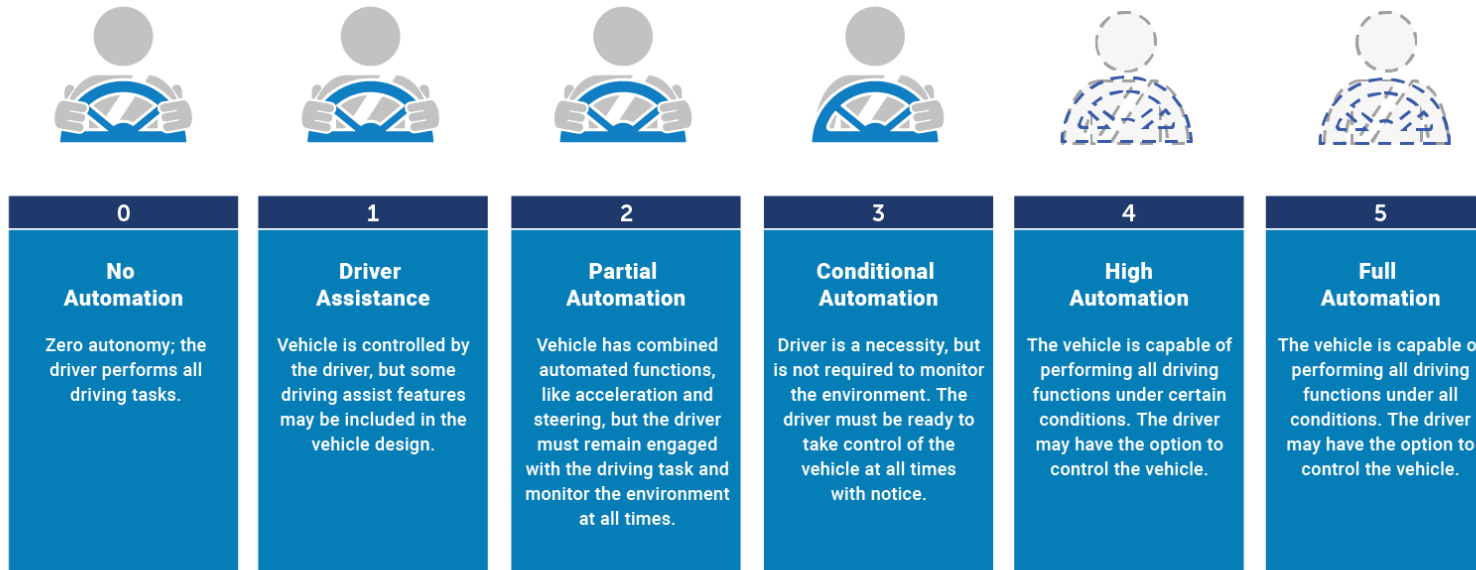
Human-in-the-loop  
Automation



# Terminologies

SOCIETY OF AUTOMOTIVE ENGINEERS (SAE) AUTOMATION LEVELS

Full Automation



## SAE levels in the urban transport context

- Need to be understood in the context of an 'Operational Design Domain':
  - A vehicle today can achieve SAE level 4 in the right ODD, but this might require significant changes to the physical and digital road infrastructure.
- SAE levels are **not as relevant** for urban transport planning as many think:
  - SAE describes the interaction between the "driver/passenger" and the AV, but it does not describe the '**operational purpose**' of the vehicle.

# The basic scenarios

## Automated Private vehicles

- Continuous development of driver assistance systems (SAE Level 2 - 4)
- Modal shift to automated private vehicles
- Increase in VMT

## Automated, shared vehicles

- SAE Level 4 - 5
- Vehicles available on demand
- Empty trips to relocate
- Decrease in privately owned vehicles

## Automated public transport

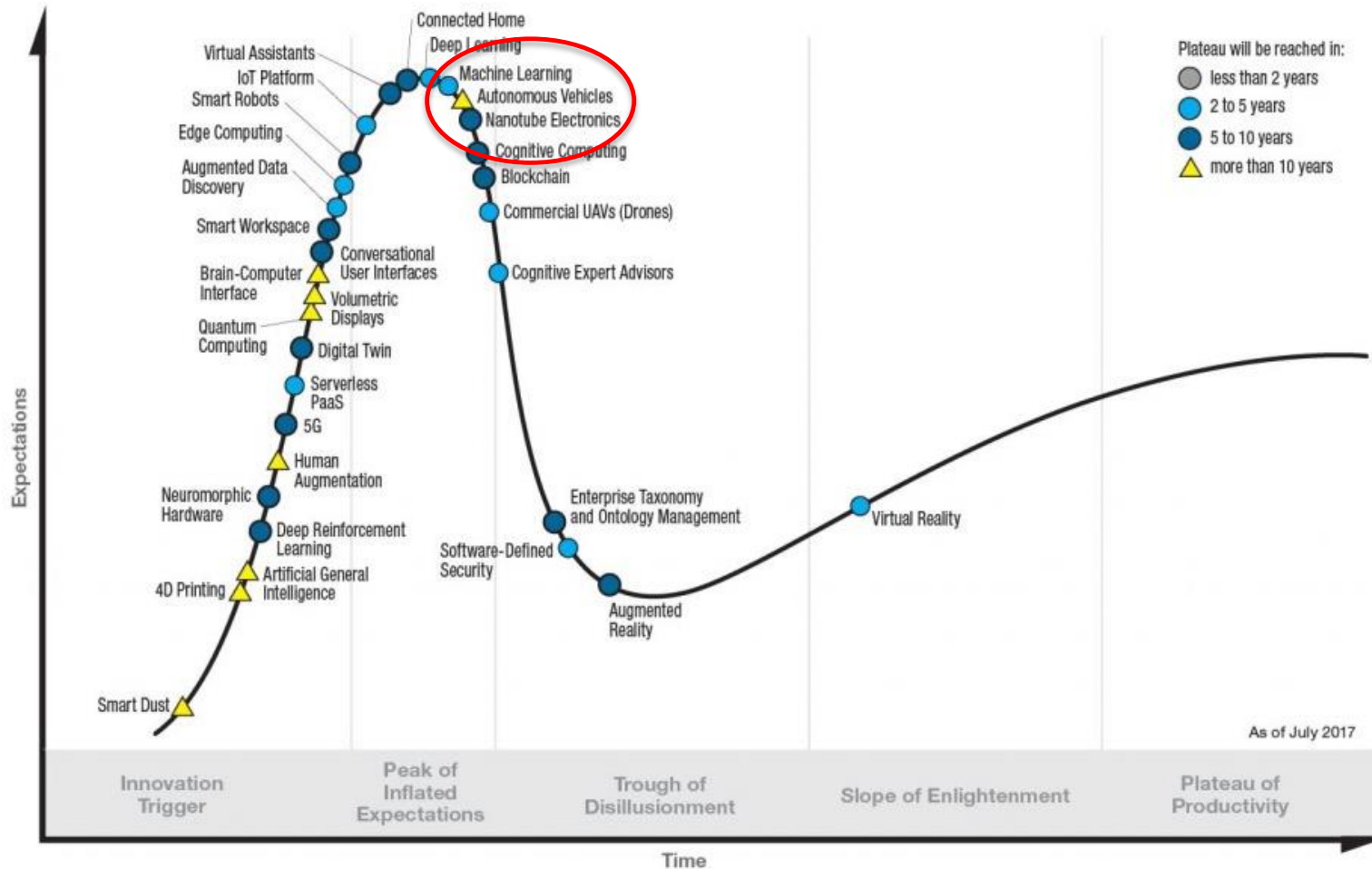
- SAE Level 4
- Automated feeder systems for public transport core network
- More attractive public transport

# Poll question 4

When do you think will connected and automated driving (CAD) become widespread in your city?

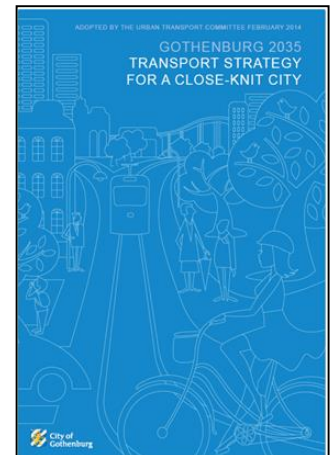
- ☐ 0-5 years
- ☐ 6-10 years
- ☐ 11-20 years
- ☐ 21-30 years
- ☐ 31++ years

## Gartner Hype Cycle for Emerging Technologies, 2017



# Uncertainties for cities

- Which **expectations for implementation** in cities are realistic in the current hype (availability, functions, safety)?
- What is the **timeframe** for implementation? (level 5 sharing systems are still far away, but level 4 public transport with adjusted infrastructure is possible).
- What are (connected) **infrastructure requirements** ?
- How can we organise the (long and messy) **transition period**?
- What is the impacts in vehicle kilometres: increase or decrease?
- **Result of uncertainties → CAVs are not mentioned in transport plans/ SUMP**s or other strategic transport planning documents





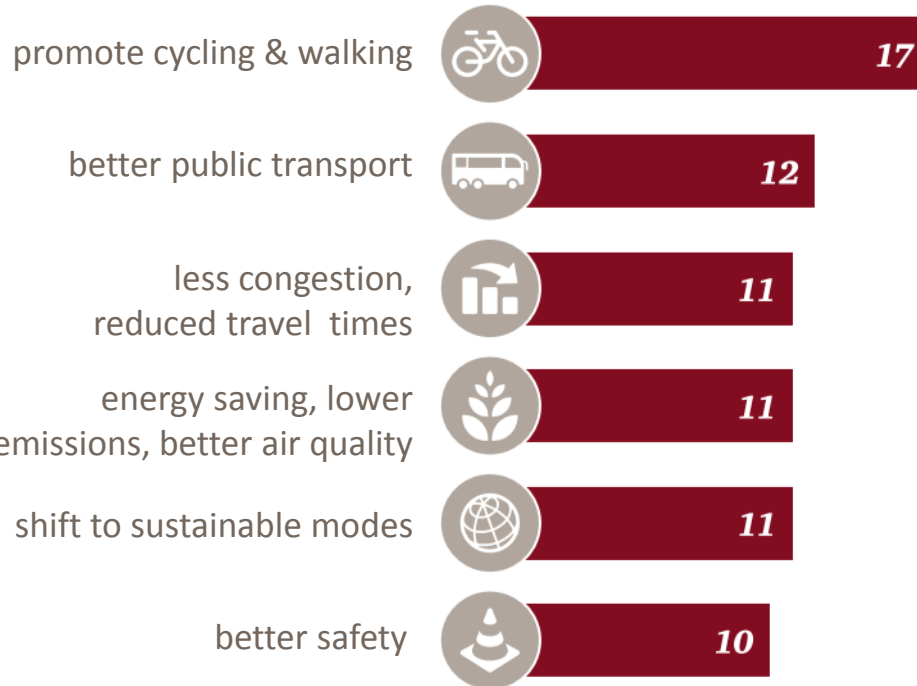
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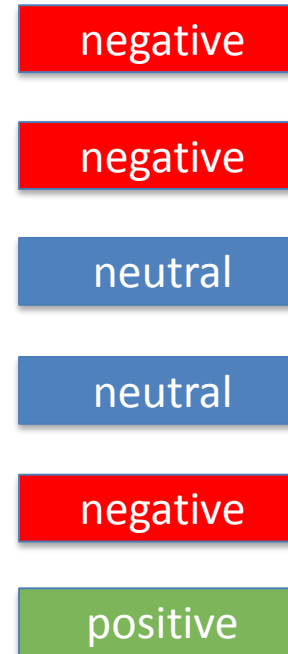
# Example: The major goals of urban transport policy of German cities...

## Key transport policy goals



N=21; max 5 responses per participant

## Expected automation impact



Source: Hasse/ Heinrichs - Digital mobil in Deutschlands Städten (2017)

# Poll question 6

Do you think automation supports your city's mobility and sustainability goals?

- No, it is against some of our goals
- No, the disadvantages outweigh the benefits
- Yes, but only in specific contexts
- Yes, it supports all our goals
- Uncertain/ too early to say



## Project Facts

- Programme: EU Horizon 2020 (ART 05)
- Duration: **May 2017 – April 2020**
- Total Budget: **3,474,065 €**
- **15 partners** from **6 European countries**
- Strategic Mission:  
To systematically increase the capacity of European local authorities and other urban mobility stakeholders **to get ready for the transition** towards a shared road network with increasing penetration rates of CAVs



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# Definition for “Automation-Readiness”



- Our current definition:  
“Automation-ready is defined as conducting transport and infrastructure **planning for automated vehicles in the same comprehensive manner as for existing modes** such as conventional vehicles, public transport, pedestrians and cyclists, while ensuring **continued support for existing modes and higher level mobility goals.**”
- Specific **modes** may require adapted definitions.
- Definitions will have to be modified **over time.**
- Today, cities don’t have to be “**automation-ready**”, but “**automation-aware**”.



# CoEXIST Approach



## **Automation-ready transport modelling:**

Validated extension of existing microscopic and macroscopic **transport models** to include different **types of CAVs** (passenger car/ light-freight vehicle, automation levels).



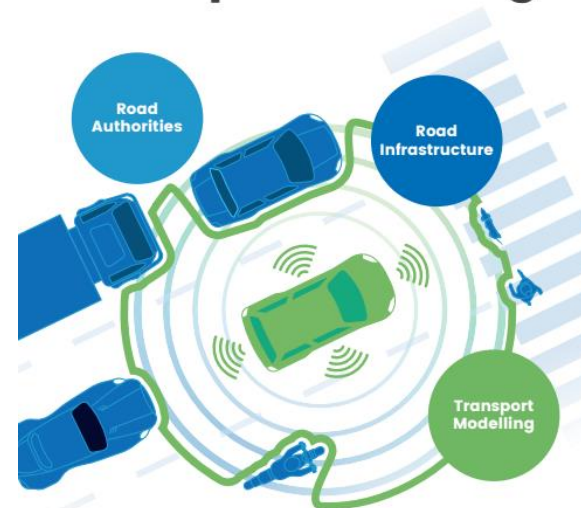
**Automation-ready road infrastructure:** Tool to assess the **impact of CAVs** on safety, traffic efficiency and space demand. **Design guidance** for hybrid (CAV-/CV-shared) infrastructure.



## **Automation-ready road authorities:**

Elaboration of eight **use cases** (Gothenburg, Helmond, Milton Keynes and Stuttgart) with **automation-ready action plans**.

## Enabling “Automation-Ready” Transport Planning



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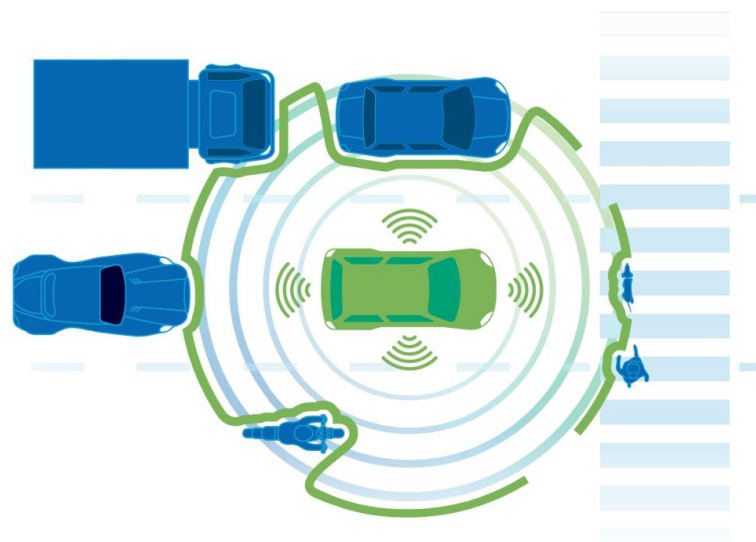
# Automation-Ready Local Authorities

## CoEXist Automation-Ready framework

- Guidance on issues like technology, impacts and measures
- Clear-headed and informed decisions about automation
- Automation FAQ for cities
- **First version** currently in development

## Automation-ready action plans:

- Bottom-up local stakeholder process – Automation-ready Fora
- Action Plan: Now, 5 years, 10 years
- Annex to strategic transport plans (e.g. SUMP)



# "Automation Awareness" Measures in next 5 years

- Measures in **next 5 years ("Automation Awareness")**
  - **inform stakeholders** about technologies and potential/risks of automation
  - estimate **potential contribution** of "driverless vehicles" to achieve city goals
  - establish **communication/ cooperation** with other actors interested in automation (e.g. vehicle manufacturers)
  - plan/ implement **pilot measures** and tests
  - support open **data exchange**
  - **massively promote sharing, public transport, non-motorised transport** ("new mobility culture")

# Automation Strategy Formulation

## Medium-term measures: 5 - 10 years



### Medium-term measures: 5 - 10 years ("Automation Strategy Formulation")

- update of **transport model** (demand model), formulate and model scenarios
- initiate innovations:
  - qualify **employees**
  - make **synergies concrete** (public transport, freight transport/city logistics, energy sector, municipal services, e. g. waste collection)
- **infrastructure** planning
  - evaluate **capacity requirements** of traffic routes, technical infrastructures (e.g. C-ITS) and vehicle fleets
  - consider **maintenance, resilience, liability** requirements
- management/ reorganisation of **public space**
  - secondary impacts of automated corridors
  - road space, parking space, distribution of goods, delivery, mobility hubs
- formulate **integrated concepts** for collective, automated, electric (and inclusive) mobility
- **pilot trials** - pragmatic, small steps, systematically building critical mass, expectation management, business case, data management

# Automation Implementation

## Long-term measures: 10 - 20 years



Long-term measures: 10 - 20 years ("Automation Implementation")

- **institutional adjustments** (e.g. "MaaS agency")
- **infrastructure adjustments** (e. g. road markings, speed limits)
- (re-)building **collective mobility services**
- **tenders** for automated PT fleets
- specific **policy measures** for automated services, e. g. pricing of empty runs

# Conclusions

An (automation-ready) **transport policy** should be the basis for infrastructure planning and deployment.

- Cities can act now, automation awareness
- Lack of a policy framework will create inefficiencies and frustration.
- Automation needs to be defined from a policy perspective, and not from an SAE perspective.
- A **common vision** for automation and goals should identify expectations.
- Policy development should be **based on analyses** and supported by all **stakeholders**.





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# How can a mid-size city prepare for CAD?

## *The case of Milton Keynes, UK*

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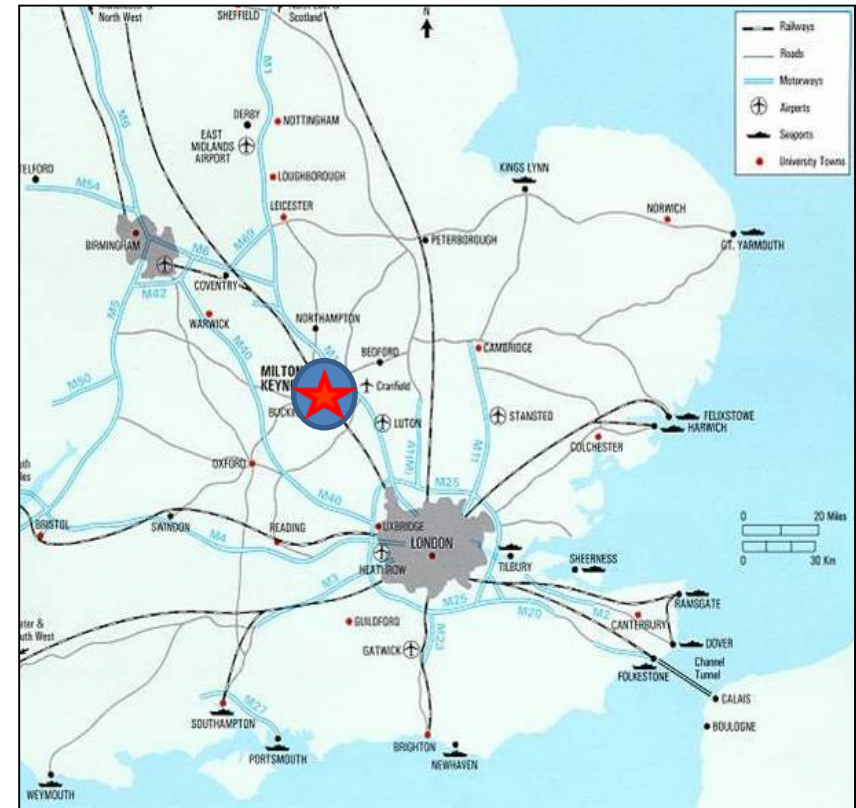
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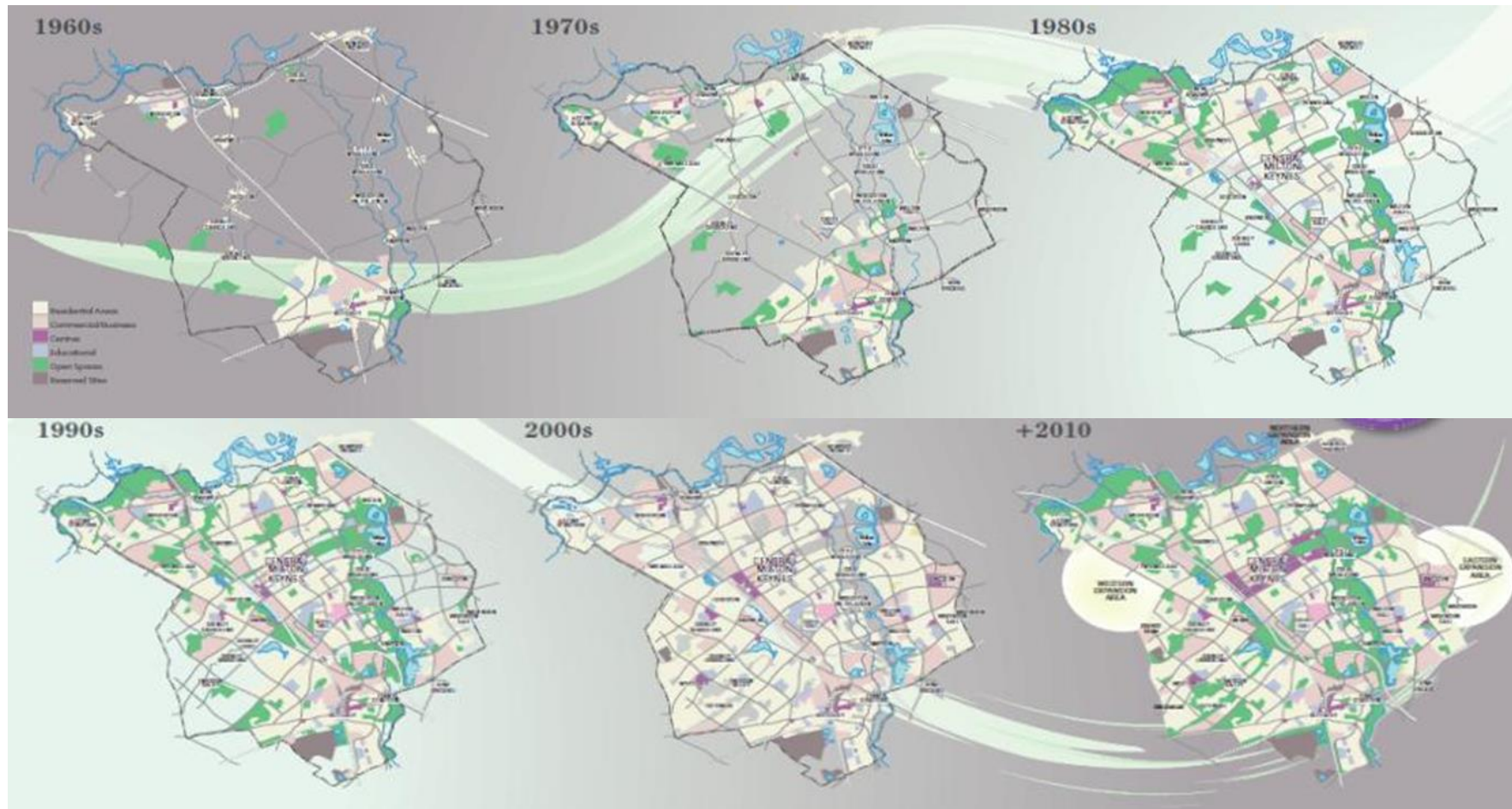
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# Milton Keynes - Location

- New Town started in 1967
- Midway between London & Birmingham and Oxford & Cambridge.
- Well connected to national transport networks
- Centre of new Oxford – Cambridge Arc



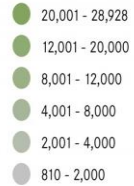
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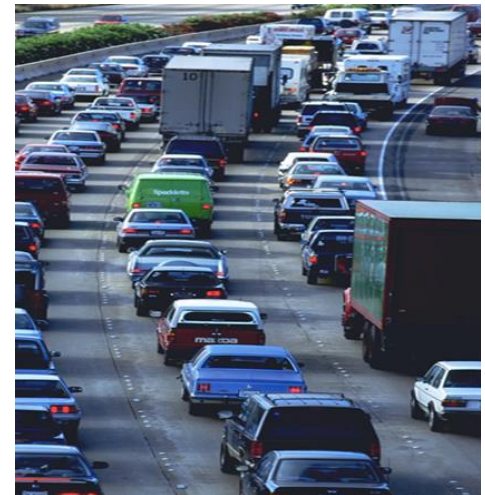
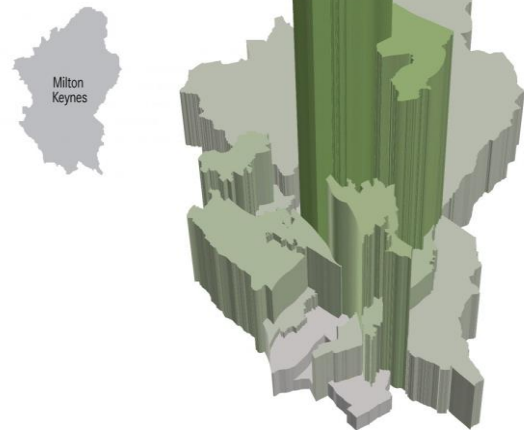


# Challenge?

Total jobs by MSOA, 2011



Local authorities in PUA

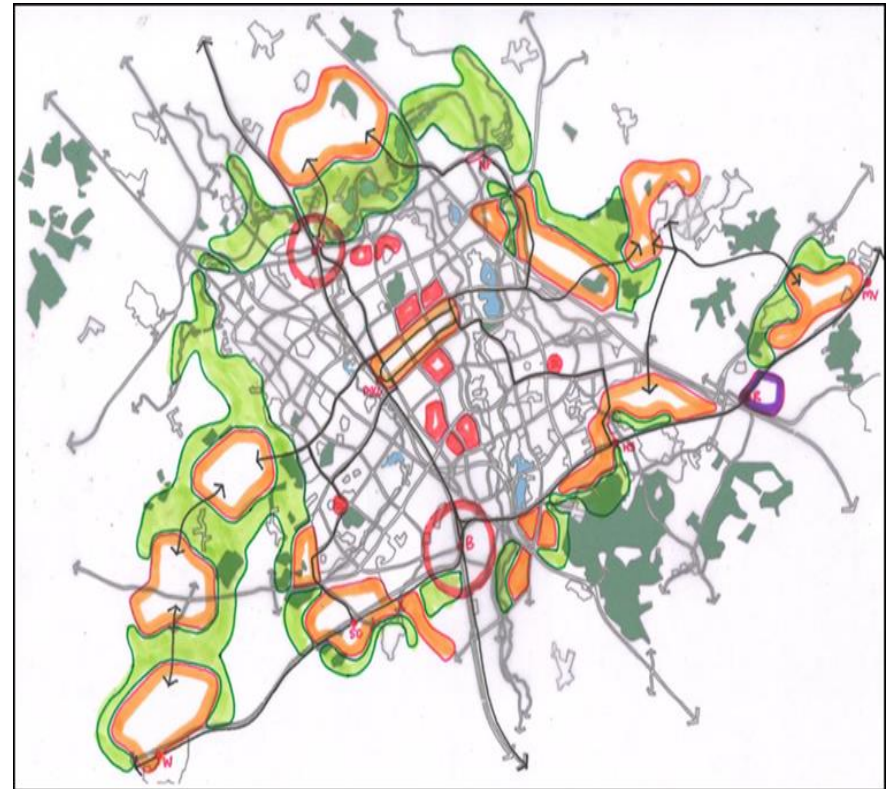


# MK Futures – 2050

## Making a Great City Greater

### MK Futures 2050 Commission: “Making a Great City Greater”

- Vision for **Inclusive Growth** to around 400,000 people by 2050
- Recommended:
  - **Strategy for 2050**
  - **Six Big Projects** to address challenges facing the city over the coming decades
- Project 4: **smart, shared sustainable mobility**



Milton Keynes – 2050 development pattern?

# Refresh (Transport) Mobility Strategy

Highways & Transportation Group



Mobility Strategy for Milton Keynes  
2018-2036 (LTP4)

Mobility for All  
(Consultation Draft)

November 2017



## Emphasis

- Mobility for all
- Mobility as a Service concept
- Clear endorsement of using technology as a primary tool to support mobility
- Defines transition goals
- **Introduces and develops business case for this**





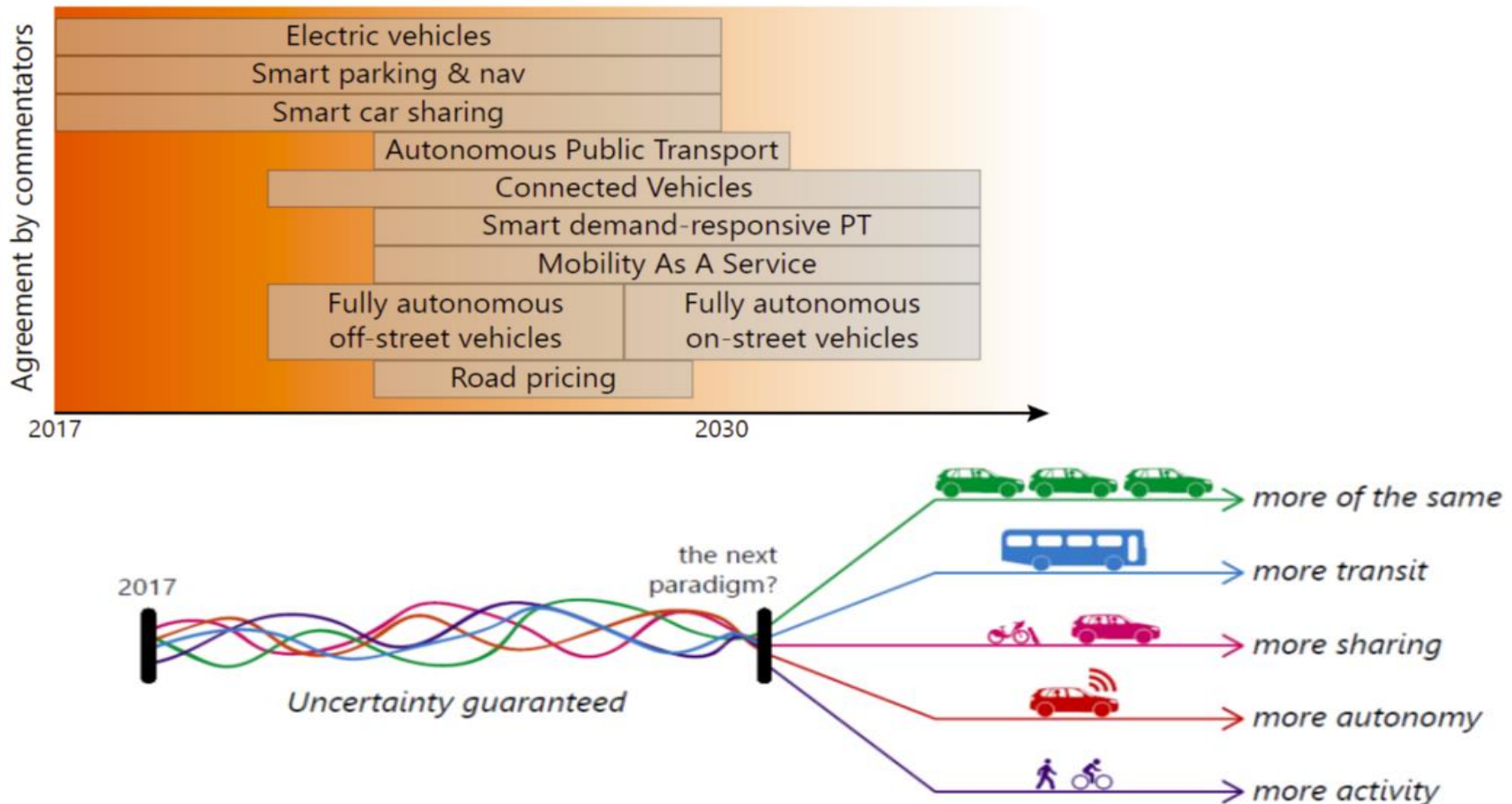
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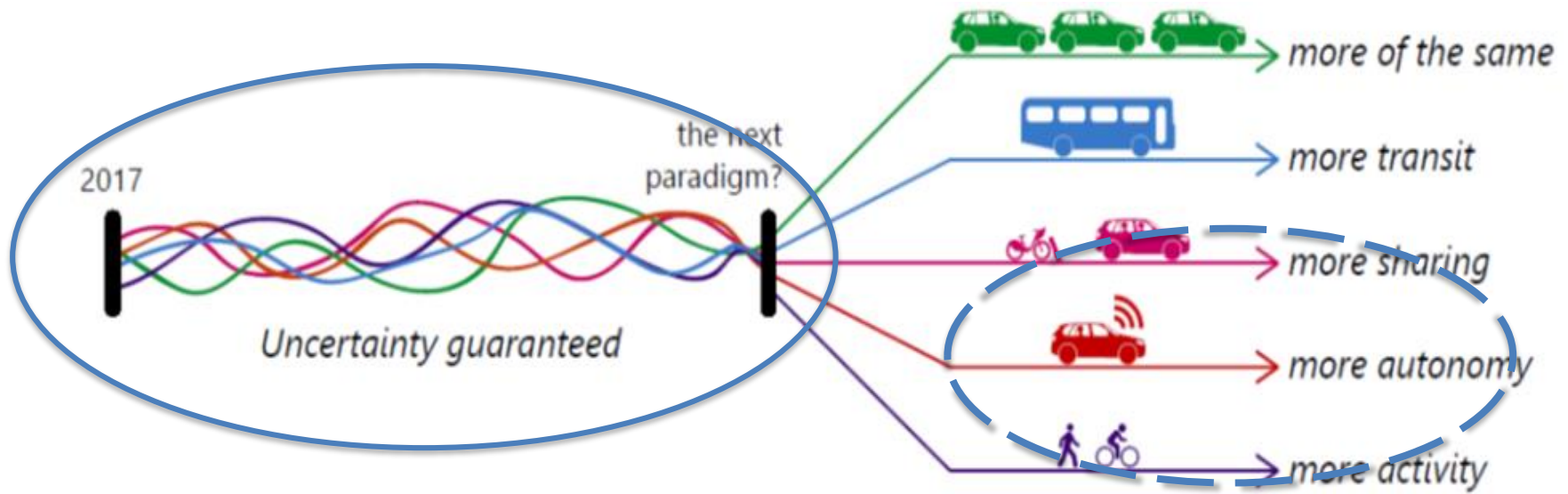
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# Project 4 : Smart Sustainable Shared Mobility



# Project 4 : Smart Sustainable Shared Mobility Roadmap



# UK Autodrive - Case Study



Milton Keynes leading the way in partnership with Coventry and the motor industry

ARUP



CATAPULT  
Transport Systems



OXBOTICA  
robotics & autonomous systems



THALES



# Leadership

## Cities Programme

### Lead Partners

- Milton Keynes Council

### Supported by

- Cambridge University
- Oxford University

### Primary Aim

To determine long term benefits and application of autonomous vehicles to the urban environment



# Setting the Agenda

# Hypothesis

Connected & driverless cars could have a significant role, providing safe, efficient and low carbon mobility to the public

- **Safety**
- **Productivity**
- **Capacity**
- **Mobility**



# Key Questions specific to MK Strategy



- **In Milton Keynes....**
- In a future scenario of 100% AVs what would the impact be on congestion in the city?
- What if any would improvements in mobility would a first/ last mile low speed AV passenger transport system deliver?
- What is the likely business case for L-SATS?
- What is the public view and what is the direction of travel in opinion?

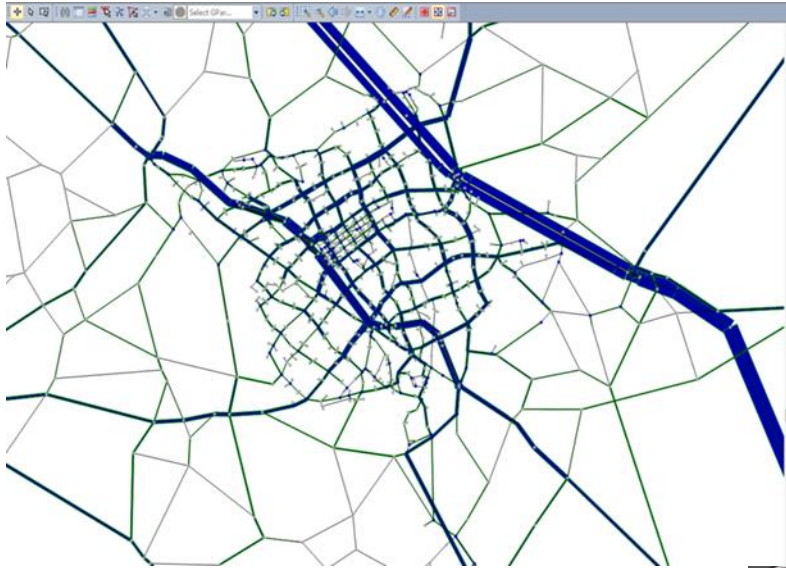


# Poll question 7

What do you think is/are the primary reason/s for developing CAD? (select all that apply)

- ☐ Improving safety
- ☐ Improving productivity
- ☐ Reducing congestion
- ☐ Increasing mobility options
- ☐ None of the above / other

# Can CAVs Improve capacity?

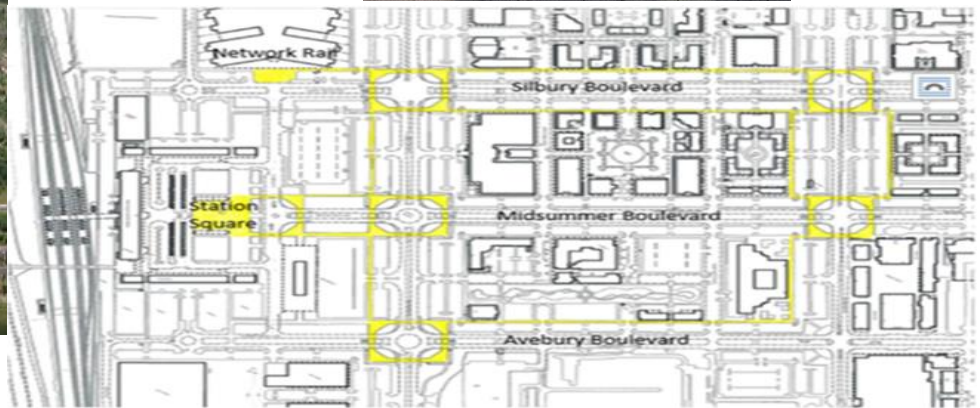




# Practical Application

## L-SATS

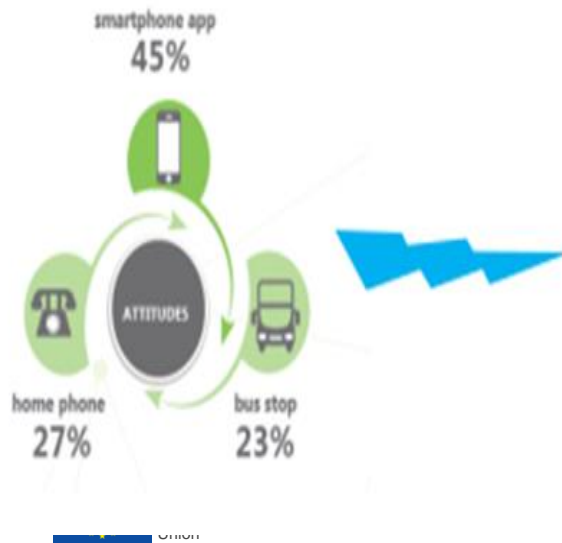
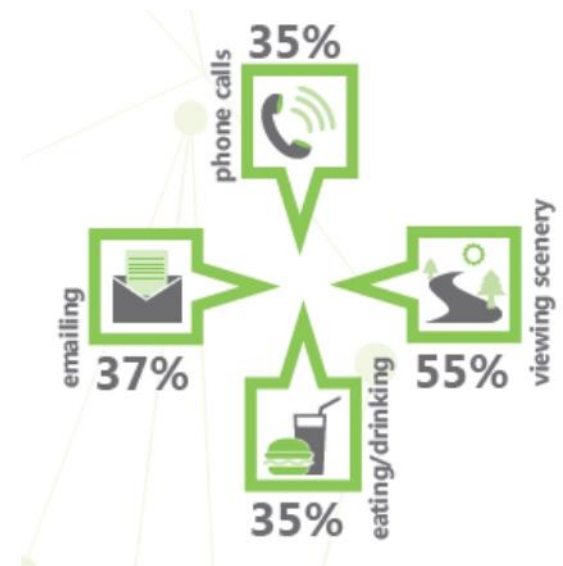
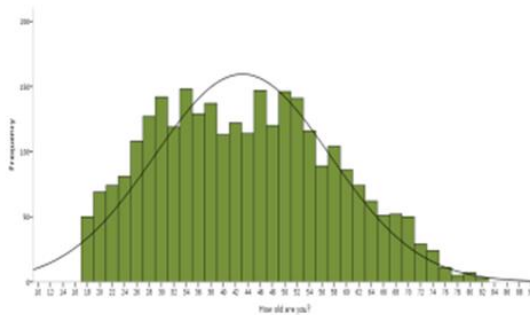
Can we demonstrate in a real place that Low-Speed Autonomous Transport System (PODS) can improve City Centre mobility



# Working with the Public

October-November 2016

- 49 questions
- Over 3,000 responses
- 2850 valid responses



Full details  
<http://www.ukautodrive.com>

# Lessons Learned

- Technology is still in development, and in some areas not as mature as some would have you believe.
- Legal, regulatory and insurance issues are **very important**, but they should not be insurmountable barriers stopping you from moving forward
- We found insurers, and legal partners want to help – it is their future business model!
- Likewise car manufacturers want to work with cities to get a understanding of future markets.

# Considerations for other cities



- Take advantage of the positions cities have in driving the CAV agenda (framework) forward.
- Understand what you want to achieve, and articulate as a vision/plan – or demonstrate how it can accelerate current plans
- Collaboration is key – however it is often funding or business opportunities bring partners together
- Work with national bodies (Govt/Industry) to support local agenda, grasping current opportunities
- Take advantage of general support being shown from public.

# Summary



- City providing clarity and leadership in setting the agenda
- Actively exploring use of technology in mobility to ensure that the city can developed in line with short and long term vision.
- Plan making beginning to working at detailed level to enable deployment of technology



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# What is the role of automation in public transport?

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# Poll question 8

How and where should automation FIRST be deployed to rip the most benefits?

- In privately owned vehicles
- Ride sharing (e.g. Uber) and vehicle sharing (e.g. car2go)
- Road-based public transport (e.g. buses, shuttles)
- None of the above/ other forms

# Poll question 9

How significant of an impact do you think automation could have on public transport (PT)?

- 1 - none: it will not change anything
- 2 - low: could support PT, but I'm not sure
- 3 - medium: could lead to new PT services
- 4 - high: will make PT more attractive compared to others
- 5 - significant: will transform PT as we know it



# Automation is ready for public transport and not yet for private one



- Door-to-door
- From anywhere to anywhere
- Using any infrastructure
- No supervision



- Multimodal
- On pre-selected routes
- Only on certified (adapted) infras
- Full supervision

# How does it translate in technical terms and why is PT readier

- Dealing with failures
  - Redundancy vs. fail safe
- Dealing with other users
  - Forecast user behavior vs. integrated safety assessment
- Dealing with external problems
  - Recognizing police and roadworks vs. communicating with the control room

# First and last mile services, lessons learned from CityMobil2



- In CityMobil2 we transported more than 60 thousand passengers on low-speed last mile shuttles on shared urban street
- We learned that:
  - Technically PT automation it is feasible
  - It is safe ONLY if designed so with a thorough urban integration study
  - Speed is crucial for everything from customer satisfaction to financial appraisal
  - Though we enable services in “low demand areas” ridership is crucial to the service success

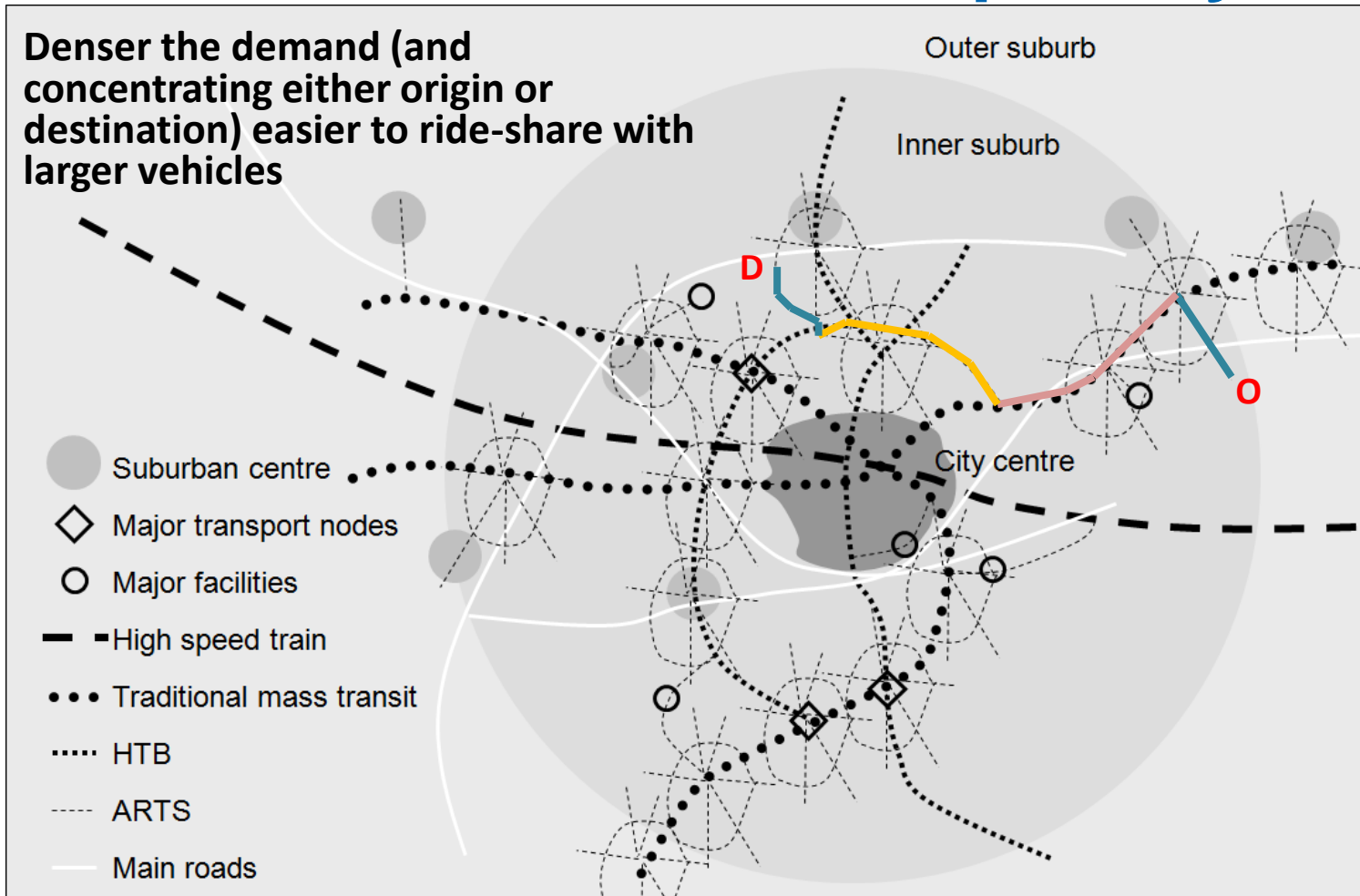


# What does it mean to have certified infrastructures?



- The example of a street in Delft conceived for road safety but perfectly responding to the safety criteria of automated road transport

# The main problems of Public Transport and how automation can help today



# Which services first

- Ride-shared cars to the train stations in the cities' outskirts to be relocated empty using either automation or platooning (depending on the local legal framework)
- Small (30 places) electric busses to operate on demand for the last mile (with a driver if legally necessary) and then platooned at high speed (70km/h) on high capacity corridors.
- And both services can be provided retrofitting existing vehicles with very limited or no investments at all

# Conclusions

- Automation is here to stay ... and it will be disruptive
- The existing business models for cities, transit operators and car makers will cease to exist
- A new blurred ride services will replace them all.
- If cities and transport operators move now they will have 5-7 years to shape the future pushing shared transport and city livability
- If they let car makers have their way they will provide in 5-10 years A-taxi services all over destroying public transport and clogging cities with congestion and pollution



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# Key measures to be taken in the next 15 years categorized into different aspects of mobility

Mobility aspect	0-5 years	5-10 years	10-15 years
Policy	<p>Liveability needs to remain as the top priority</p> <p>Support testing activities and research incl. legal and regulatory activities</p>	<p>Incorporation of CAVs into city mobility goals</p> <p>Mobility pricing for “SPAM” roaming cars</p> <p>Avoid segregation or prioritisation of CAVs over public transport and active modes</p>	<p>Taxation changes for mobility</p> <p>(Potential) area and vehicle occupancy based road pricing</p>
Infrastructure	<p>Preparation of physical and digital infrastructure</p> <p>Digital infrastructure needs to transition to open access</p>	<p>Reallocation of on-street parking to green and public spaces</p>	<p>Land use changes</p> <p>Modifications to infrastructure and accompanying traffic code (e.g. lane markings, minor changes of infrastructure designs, speed limits, lane width)</p>
Planning	<p>Proactive planning</p> <p>Planning for adaptability and flexibility to technology</p> <p>Stakeholder engagement process to encourage cross-sectoral collaboration and coordination</p>	<p>Update travel demand models and evaluate road capacity needs</p> <p>Assess public transport plans and fleet requirements considering CAV first and last mile solutions</p> <p>Integration of solutions in mobility: electric, intelligent, automated, shared, inclusive</p>	<p>Integration of solutions in mobility: electric, intelligent, automated, shared, inclusive</p> <p>Assessment of required land use changes based on integrated land use and transport modelling tools</p>
Capacity Building for Transport Authorities	<p>Stay educated on mobility technology progress</p>	<p>Reassessment of strategic mobility plans; incorporating new mobility forms</p>	<p>Training for traffic management and public transport operations</p> <p>Restructuring of internal departments (e.g. information technology department, Mobility as a Service (MaaS) department)</p>
Traffic Management	<p>Road authorities need to be more involved in the discussion and</p>	<p>Back office for data exchange in traffic management</p>	<p>Defining data management responsibility with new management schemes</p> <p>New schemes of deploying municipal services, maintenance and logistics traffic at night in the urban area if autonomous functionality is available</p>

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## Further questions?

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