



## Transportation Engineering Revolution: Towards Sustainable and Intelligent Mobility

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### ABSTRACT

The revolution in the field of transportation engineering has been a major highlight in efforts towards achieving more sustainable and intelligent mobility. This development is triggered by increasing awareness of the negative impacts of traffic congestion and air pollution on society's quality of life and the environment. This research aims to investigate and identify innovative solutions to address existing transportation problems, focusing on developing more efficient, environmentally friendly, and sustainable transportation systems. The approach used in this research is a comprehensive analysis of recent developments in transportation technology and case studies to evaluate the implementation of proposed solutions. Based on the analysis, the research results show that the development of transportation technology based on renewable energy, the application of artificial intelligence in traffic management, and the promotion of efficient public transportation are critical steps in achieving sustainable and intelligent mobility. The conclusion of this research emphasizes the importance of adopting innovative solutions in addressing modern transportation challenges. We can build transportation systems that promote more sustainable, efficient, and environmentally friendly mobility by leveraging the latest technology and implementing appropriate policies.

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## INTRODUCTION

Transportation is the backbone of human activities in the modern era (Chen et al., 2021; Cullen et al., 2021; Li et al., 2022; Mollah et al., 2021; Umar et al., 2021). However, rapid developments in this sector also bring about significant problems. One of the main issues faced is the worsening traffic congestion in urban areas, leading to increased travel time and fuel consumption, as well as rising levels of air pollution.

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Traffic congestion and air pollution not only disrupt travel comfort but also have negative impacts on public health and the environment. Therefore, in-depth research is needed to identify the causes of these problems and seek appropriate solutions.

This research aims to address traffic congestion and air pollution problems by presenting innovative solutions in transportation technology. The main focus is on developing transportation systems that are more efficient, environmentally friendly, and sustainable.

The importance of this research must be considered, given the negative impacts of current transportation issues. By solving traffic congestion and air pollution problems, we can improve the quality of life for society, reduce energy consumption, and protect the environment.

To address these problems, a holistic and technology-based approach is needed. Proposed solutions include the development of transportation based on renewable energy, applying artificial intelligence in traffic management, and promoting more efficient public transportation use. Thus, we can move towards more sustainable and intelligent mobility.

This research is conducted to address these problems and revolutionize transportation technology toward more sustainable and intelligent mobility. By understanding the complexity of current transportation issues, this research aims to develop innovative solutions to reduce traffic congestion, decrease air pollution, and improve energy efficiency. Thus, this research is expected to significantly improve society's quality of life and maintain environmental sustainability.

This research will contribute to filling knowledge gaps by presenting solutions that meet future mobility needs. One of the approaches to be used is applying innovative technology, such as artificial intelligence and the Internet of Things (IoT), to optimize transportation systems. In addition, developing infrastructure based on green technology and sustainable transportation will significantly address existing gaps.

Transportation technology has advanced, including the development of electric vehicles, connected public transportation systems, and data-based applications for traffic management. However, the proposed innovations in this research will include developing more integrated, efficient, and environmentally friendly transportation systems. This consists of the development of autonomous vehicles, the use of renewable energy in transportation, and the application of intelligent algorithms to optimize travel routes.

The novelty of this article lies in the holistic approach to addressing transportation problems by utilizing the latest technology and concepts of sustainable mobility. Unlike previous research, focusing on specific aspects, this research integrates various elements of technology, sustainability, and efficiency to create comprehensive and sustainable transportation solutions.

The following steps in this research are to test and implement the proposed solutions on a larger scale and evaluate their impact on mobility and the environment. This research will serve as a foundation for future researchers to continue developing more innovative and sustainable transportation solutions for a better future.

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## **RESEARCH METHODOLOGY**

### **Research Design**

This research utilizes a descriptive analysis approach to evaluate the latest developments in transportation technology and identify innovative solutions supporting sustainable and intelligent mobility. This approach enables a deep understanding of the trends and challenges faced in transportation.

### **Research Procedure**

The research procedure involves stages of problem identification, data collection related to the latest developments in transportation technology, data analysis to evaluate proposed solutions, and the formulation of recommendations for developing more sustainable transportation systems.

### **Research Subjects**

The research subjects in this context are the development of transportation technology, transportation policies, and innovative solutions in various regions. This research adheres to the principles of research ethics, including integrity, honesty, and protecting the rights and well-being of the subjects involved.

### **Data Collection Techniques**

Data for this research is obtained through literature reviews, case studies, surveys, and interviews with experts in the field of transportation technology. The data are then analyzed qualitatively and quantitatively to evaluate trends, challenges, and solutions for achieving sustainable and intelligent mobility.

## **RESULT AND DISCUSSION**

The research findings indicate a significant advancement in transportation technology that supports the vision of sustainable and intelligent mobility. Various innovations have been proposed and implemented to address the challenges conventional transportation systems face.

One of the key findings is the shift towards using renewable energy-based and environmentally friendly transportation, such as electric vehicles and ride-sharing. This aligns with efforts to reduce carbon emissions and air pollution caused by conventional transportation.

The discussion also highlights the importance of well-connected and integrated transportation infrastructure, including efficient public transportation systems accessible to all segments of society. This aims to improve accessibility and mobility for urban and rural populations.

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Furthermore, the discussion also emphasizes the crucial role of information and communication technology in enhancing transportation efficiency and safety. Using sensors, intelligent networks, and big data processing technology has aided in better traffic management, road safety monitoring, and the development of intelligent transportation systems.

However, despite significant progress, several challenges still need to be addressed to comprehensively realize the vision of sustainable and intelligent mobility. These include the need for more substantial investment in transportation infrastructure, enhanced regulations and supportive policies, and public awareness of the importance of using sustainable transportation.

In conclusion, this research affirms that the revolution in transportation engineering towards sustainable and intelligent mobility requires cross-sector collaboration and strong commitment from various stakeholders. By combining technological innovations, wise policies, and public awareness, we can achieve a more efficient, environmentally friendly, and inclusive transportation system for a better future.

These findings and discussions provide a profound understanding of the changes and developments in the transportation sector and highlight the steps needed to achieve sustainable and intelligent mobility globally.

The research findings also underscore the importance of adopting autonomous technology in transportation to enhance efficiency and safety. Autonomous vehicles have shown potential to reduce traffic accidents and improve traffic flow by eliminating human errors in driving.

However, it should be noted that the implementation of autonomous technology also raises some ethical and accountability questions, particularly regarding safety and data privacy. Therefore, appropriate regulations and stringent safety standards are needed to ensure this technology can be applied safely and effectively.

The discussion also highlights the importance of collaboration between the public and private sectors in developing sustainable and intelligent transportation solutions. This partnership may include joint investments in transportation infrastructure, developing new technologies, and implementing supportive policies.

Furthermore, the research findings indicate that transportation transformation also influences changing societal behaviors and mobility demands. People are now more inclined to use shared transportation services like ridesharing and bike rentals than conventional private vehicle ownership.

Lastly, the discussion emphasizes the importance of a sustainable and inclusive approach to developing transportation solutions. This includes accessibility for people with disabilities, gender equality in mobility, and environmental protection in transportation infrastructure development.

Overall, these results and discussions underscore the complexity and significance of the transportation engineering revolution in achieving sustainable and intelligent mobility. With a better understanding of the challenges and opportunities, we can design and implement effective solutions to support a better transportation future for all.

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Additionally, the research findings highlight the importance of social and economic factors in driving the transportation engineering revolution. Changes in work patterns, urban growth, and financial uncertainty affect individual mobility preferences and transportation needs. Therefore, effective transportation solutions must consider these complex social and economic dynamics.

The discussion also raises the issue of equity in access to transportation, which needs to be addressed. In many regions, especially in urban areas, the accessibility gap in transportation remains a severe issue, with a significant portion of the population lacking adequate access to public transit or suitable transportation infrastructure.

Furthermore, discussions about research findings highlight the importance of data-driven approaches in planning and managing transportation systems. Careful data collection and analysis can provide valuable insights into travel patterns, traffic density, and community mobility needs, which can, in turn, be used to improve the efficiency and effectiveness of transportation systems.

Equally important, this discussion also highlights the role of technology in supporting sustainable and intelligent transportation. Innovations such as electric vehicles, smart transportation networks, and mobility-based applications have opened up new opportunities to improve energy efficiency, reduce carbon emissions, and enhance the user experience of transportation.

Lastly, the research findings underscore the importance of awareness of the environmental impacts of transportation and the need for collective action to address climate change challenges. Increased investment in sustainable transportation, promoting walking and cycling-based transportation, and educating about environmentally friendly public transit are critical steps in creating a sustainable and intelligent transportation future.

Thus, these results and discussions affirm the complexity and urgency of current transportation issues and the importance of cross-sector collaboration in designing effective and sustainable solutions.

## **CONCLUSION**

In facing the challenges of future mobility, the revolution in transportation engineering becomes the key to achieving sustainable and intelligent mobility. Several important points can be drawn as conclusions from the results and discussions presented earlier.

First, developing transportation solutions prioritizing environmental and social sustainability is essential. With a growing population and increasing pressure on natural resources, transportation systems must be able to reduce carbon emissions, alleviate congestion, and improve accessibility for all segments of society.

Second is technology's role as the primary driver in creating smart mobility. Innovations such as electric vehicles, autonomous vehicles, and mobility-based applications have opened new opportunities to enhance transportation efficiency and user

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experience. However, to ensure the success of these technologies, supportive infrastructure, and appropriate regulations are also needed.

Third, there is a need for data-driven approaches in planning and managing transportation systems. By effectively leveraging available data, policymakers can make better decisions and identify opportunities to improve transportation efficiency and sustainability.

Fourth, awareness of the importance of equitable access to transportation. It is about ensuring that everyone has adequate access to transportation and that transportation is affordable, safe, and environmentally friendly for all citizens.

Fifth, cross-sector collaboration is the key to success in creating sustainable and intelligent mobility. Collaboration between governments, the private sector, civil society, and academia is needed to design and implement comprehensive and integrated solutions.

In the context of these conclusions, it is essential to acknowledge that the needed changes will take time. Long-term commitment, significant investment, and close cooperation are required to achieve these goals of sustainable and intelligent mobility. However, with increased awareness of the urgency of current transportation issues and a commitment to collaborate, we can shape a better and more sustainable transportation future for all.

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