INTRODUCTION TO TRANSPORT PLANNING

MASTER PROGRAMME IN TRANSPORT SYSTEM AND ENGINEERING

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PRE TEST (30 MINUTES)

1. What is transportation?
2. Why do transport need to be planned?
3. What the relationship between transport planning and modeling?
4. What kind of transport planning studies?
TRANSPORT & TRANSPORT PLANNING

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Example: The Netherlands

- 1960's
  - Rapid growth of car use car
  - 1965: 600 km. highways.
    - Plan: 5300 km. in 2000, 2008: 2200 km
  - Focus:
    - more space for the car in and outside cities
    - no policies for cycling and walking

- 1970's
  - Congestion and pollution
  - Economic loss in cities
  - High fatality rates (3200 in 1972, 800 in 2007)
European cities have changed and reversed policies

- The Netherlands from mid 1980’s
- Local Policies:
  - Streets and pedestrian areas in city-centres
  - Access to the city-centre by car is restricted.
  - Cycle networks in all cities
  - etc.
- Result in the cities:
  - The use of the car in cities diminished
  - Cycle use increased
    - (currently 26% of all journeys nationwide, > 30% in many cities)
  - The quality of life improved a lot

TRANSPORTATION PLANNING PERIOD

1. SHORT TERM / ACTION PLAN (< 5 YEARS)
   - Review matter that can be competed within three years and involve high cost
   - Example: program an engineers to optimize the use of existing transportation system by installing various traffic control devices such as signs and signals

2. MEDIUM TERM (5 – 10 YEARS)
   - Some programs that has significant impact in solving transport problems but no need to be prioritized or it has not been prepared yet if will be implemented immediately
3. LONG TERM (> 10 YEARS)

- This type of planning is more structured and complicated and it must be designed better than short and medium term planning.
- Urban transport planning process involves planning the next 15 years.

Stockholm Road Pricing

- Masa percobaan: 7 bulan
- Lokasi di area pusat kota 18 titik
- 10-20 SEK setiap melintas ($1.44 - $2.88)
- Didukung dengan 16 rute bus baru dan 2800 lokasi park and ride baru
- Tujuan = 10-15% pengurangan lalu lintas
- Hasil = 19% pengurangan lalu lintas
- Memindah pengguna kendaraan pribadi sebesar 4%
CHARACTERISTICS OF TRANSPORTATION PLANNING

- Determine the transportation needs
- Make/built a transportation formulas
- Study the profitability
- Traffic/travel pattern is clear, stable and can be controlled
- Relationship between the various modes of transport
- The transportation system can influence the development for that area and ready to serve it

TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ELEMETS

PLANNING PROCESS

- Research stage: research and analysis that shows the current demand and the relationship of movement with the environmental demands
- Forecast stage: formulating the plan, predict future travel demand and make the recommendation to fulfill travel demand
- Evaluation stage: to assess whether the proposals made satisfactory demand and provide maximum benefit to the community

MONITORING AND REVIEW

IMPLEMENTATION
PLANNING PROCESS

• Situation definition
• Problem definition
• Search for solution
• Analysis of performance
• Evaluation of alternative
• Choice of project
• Specification and construction

TRAVEL DEMAND MODEL

1. TRIP GENERATION

• The process of determining the number of trips that will begin or end in each traffic analysis zone within a study area
• To develop the relationship between trip and production or attraction and land use
• To use the relationship to estimate the number of trips generated at some future date under a new set of land use condition
2. TRIP DISTRIBUTION

• The process by which the trip generated in one zone are allocated to another zones in the study area
• These trips may within the study area (internal – internal) or between the study area and area outside the study area (internal – external)
• To get a travel/traffic pattern (in/out) in a zone

3. MODAL SPLIT

• The aspect of the demand analysis process that determines the number (or percentages) of trips between zones
• Depends on the factors such as the traveler’s income and the availability of transit service
• Limited to public and private vehicles only
4. TRIP ASSIGNMENT

- The final step in the forecasting process
- To determine the actual street and highway routes that will be used and the number of vehicles that can be expected on each highway segment
- To give a traffic direction to which road in transport network

PURPOSE OF TRAVEL DEMAND MODEL

- The process is important to be in transportation planning for:
  1. Provide new transportation system
  2. Improve the existing system
  3. Build highway, transit system and other
- To determine the number of trips that will use the existing transportation system. Trip taken in the form of vehicle / non transport and private vehicles and public transport
- Example: Video of Ngurah Rai Roundabout
TRANSPORTATION STUDIES IN PLANNING PROCESS

- Origin and destination study
- Traffic volume study
- Spot speed study
- Travel time and delay study
- Parking study

ORIGIN AND DESTINATION STUDY

- To show the pattern and nature of daily trips made by the residents
- The main purpose of OD study is to plan the transport in urban city especially the type of land use, road/traffic network and public transport system

Application of OD study:

1. Determine the traffic flow – if traffic congestion occurs, a short cut must be planned to give a comfortable travel to road users.
2. Determine whether the existing road system is adequate or not.
3. Determine the suitable/best position for a bridge or new transport terminal to be constructed.
4. Build a transport model to make sure the transport planning will be easier and also make a prediction about the traffic pattern in the future.
TRAFFIC VOLUME STUDY

• To collect data on the number of vehicles / pedestrian that pass a point during a specified time period
• To know whether the existing road can accommodate the vehicles that using a road
• Ensure the smooth movement of vehicles and traffic safety
• Application of traffic volume data:
  1. Design for road rehabilitation
  2. Study the traffic at intersection
  3. Study the traffic control system
  4. Forecast/predict traffic volumes
  5. Study of traffic accidents

SPOT SPEED STUDY

• Conducted to estimate the distribution of speeds of vehicles in a stream of traffic at particular location
• Carried out by recording the speed of a sample of vehicles at specific location
• Will be valid only for the traffic and environmental conditions that exist at the time of study
• Application of spot speed data:
  1. Establish parameter for traffic operation such as speed zones, speed limits
  2. Evaluate the effectiveness of traffic control devices such as variable message sign at work zone
  3. Evaluate/determine the adequacy of highway geometric characteristic
  4. Evaluate the effect of speed on highway
  5. Determine speed trends
TRAVEL TIME AND DELAY STUDY

- Determine the amount of time required to travel from one point to another on a given route
- Information may also collected on the location, duration, and causes of delay
- Data also aid the traffic engineer in identifying problems at the location
- Application of time and delay data:
  1. Determine the efficiency of a route with respect to its ability to carry traffic
  2. Identification of locations with relatively high delay and the causes for those delay
  3. Determine the traffic times on specifics link for use in trip assignment model
  4. To evaluate the change in efficiency and level of service with time

PARKING STUDY

- The need of parking spaces is usually very great in the areas where land uses including business, residential, and commercial activities
- Providing adequate parking space to meet the demand for parking
- Application of parking data:
  1. To know whether it is adequate parking or not
  2. To provide information needed to enable the implementation of payment by the parties involved
THE ROLE OF TRANSPORT POLICY

High quality transport impacts on the pattern of living including

• Affect/improve the productivity and economic growth
• Provide increased accessibility and influence and prices and land use
• Affect the standard of living
• Affect the environment in the city

HOMEWORK

Explain the condition of transport planning in your region:

• What is the main problem during the planning stage
• How to solve it

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