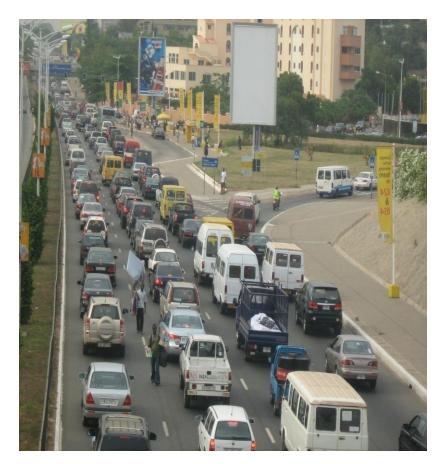
# GAMA 2020 PUBLIC TRANSPORT VISION

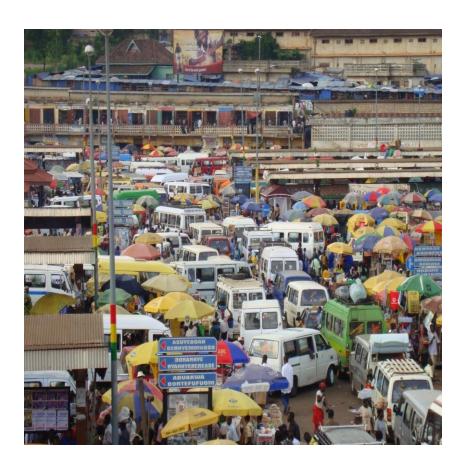
### **BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

# THE MOBILITY CHALLENGE MANIFESTED BY





**CONGESTION** 





**INADEQUATE INFRASTRUCTURE** 

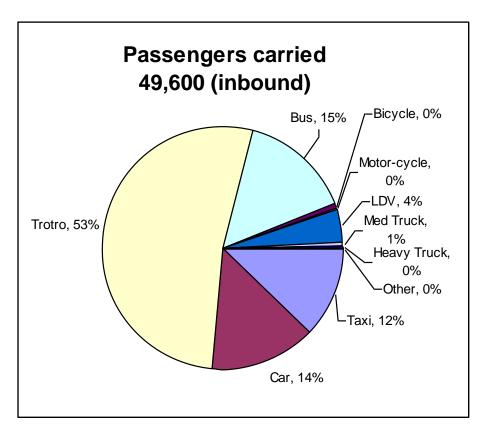


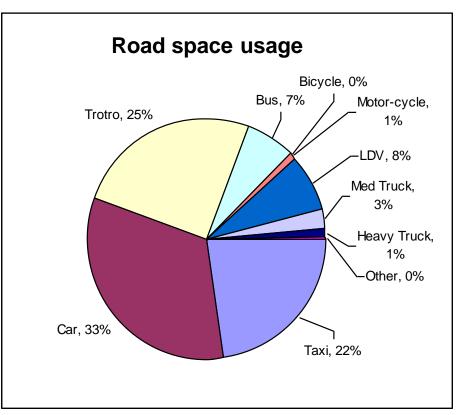
**INDISCIPLINE** 

### PRESCRIBED SOLUTION

### **Road Space Usage**

# Bus & Trotro Carry 70% of Person Trips but Utilize only 30% of Road Space

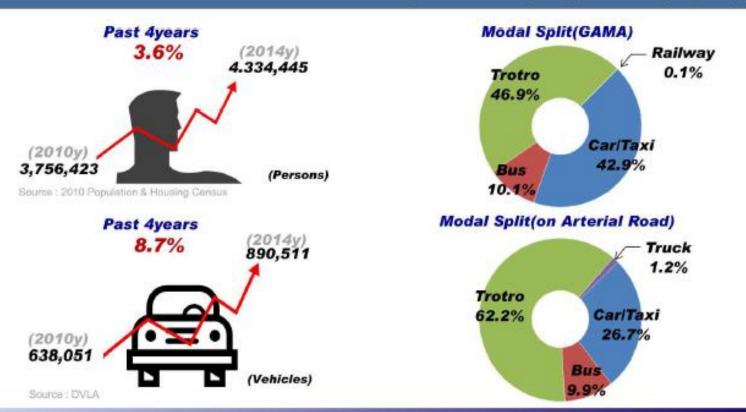




#### GAMA's Status (Based on 2014year)



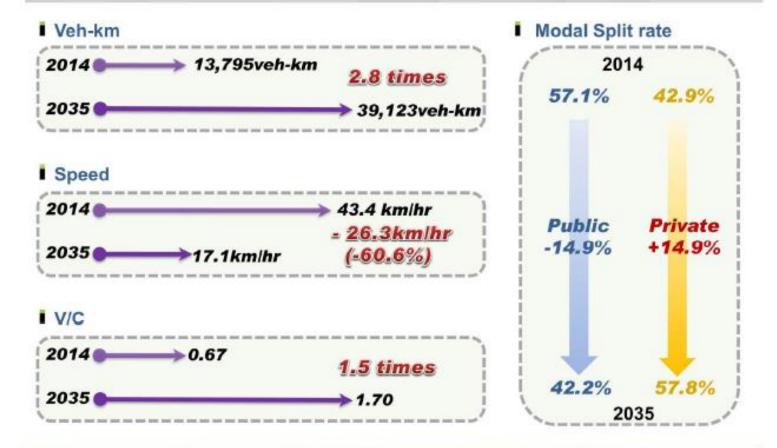
- Population: 4.33miilion · Area: 1,494km · Road: 7,592km
- Vehicles: 890,511
   Public transport: MMT(148), Trotro (11,195)

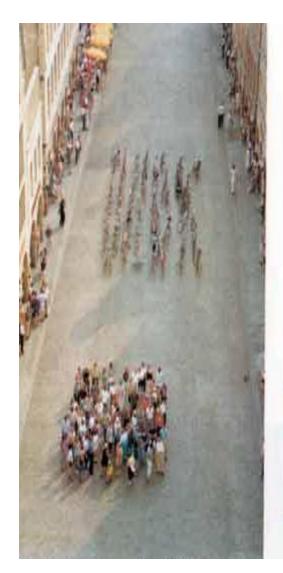


#### Summary of the traffic situation



#### Travel Demand Forecast









### **Government Policy**

80% of all trips in the Urban Area should be done through public **Mass Transit Systems** 

# GOVERNMENT POLICY

#### **ROLE OF GOVT**

Government will Invest into urban transport systems by

- providing UPT infrastructure(policy objective 2)
- providing a decentralized institutional and regulatory framework (policy objective 5)
- empowering the private sector to invest into buses and transport service provision (policy objective 4)
- Integrating urban transportation within a strategic urban development framework(policy objective 3)

# GOVERNMENT POLICY(CONT'D)

#### **ROLE OF OPERATORS**

Current Public Transport Operators will

- Reorganize into business entities to deliver UPT Services
- Comply with Government Regulation and Provide Higher Quality Service

# FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

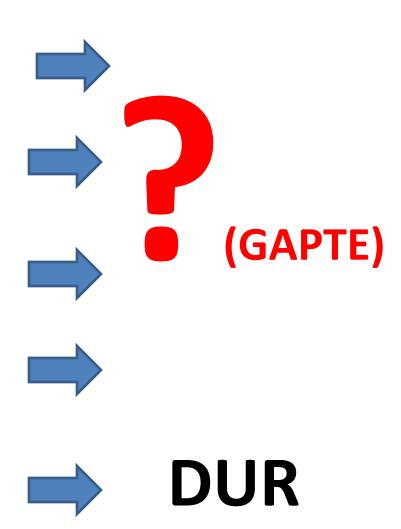
Financial Institutions will

 Provide financing for buses and service provision by operators

### IMPLEMENTATION STRATEGY

- •A Regulatory Framework that provides a legal basis for the reorganization of the sector at the national level
- •Regulatory Institutions that have sufficient capability to plan, regulate, and guide the industry at the local level
- An Industry Structure that can compete and operate within the regulatory framework and attract investment
- A culture of Compliance with the regulatory framework, and commitment power to enforce
- Infrastructure and a suitable operating environment to support improved UPT services in Accra

#### **IMPLEMENTING ENTITY**



#### VISION OF PUBLIC TRANSPORT IN GAMA BY 2020

- BUS PRIORITY MEASURES
- HIGH OCCUPANCY VEHICLES

**INFRASTRUCTURE** 

- DEDICATED
   TERMINALS
- DEDICATED BUS STOPS
- DEDICATED DEPOTS

## Major Network in Accra



#### VISION OF PUBLIC TRANSPORT IN GAMA BY 2020

#### 1. KASOA-CBD

5km segregated corridor 10 terminals 2 depots 16 stations 12 routes

Costs: approx.USD 107mio

#### 2. ADENTA-TEMA STATION

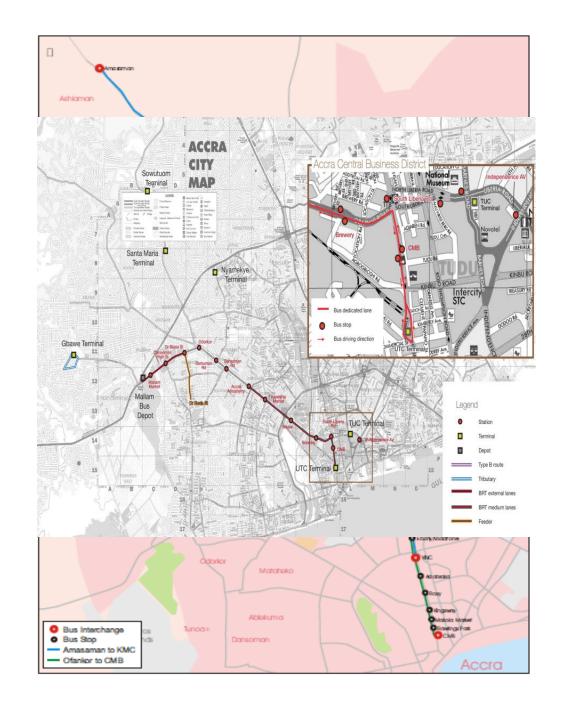
22km route 22 stops 3 terminals 1 depot 2 routes

Costs: approx USD 25mio

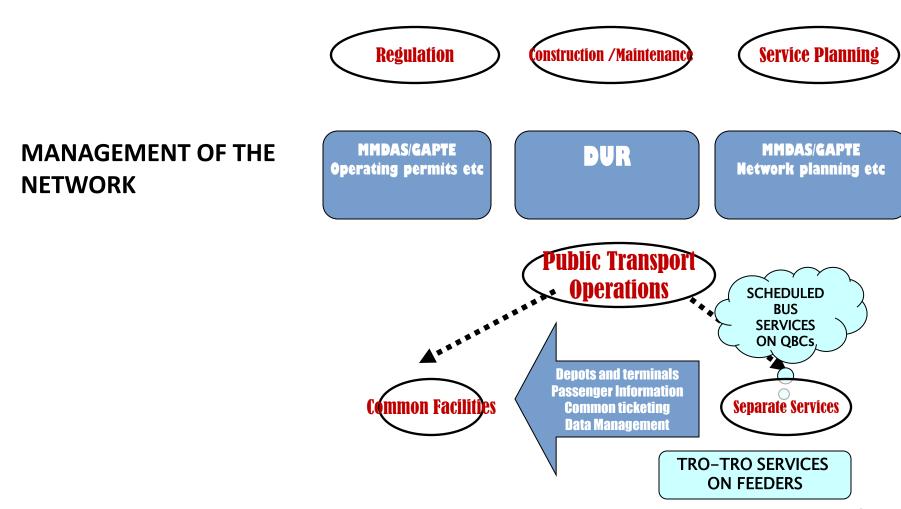
#### 3. AMASAMAN-CMB

20.3km route 42 stops 4 terminals 1 depot 3 routes

Costs: approx USD 14.3mio



#### VISION OF PUBLIC TRANSPORT IN GAMA BY 2020



#### **VISION OF PUBLIC** TRANSPORT IN **GAMA BY 2020**

**SERVICES** 

Different roles for big buses, tro-tros and taxis in the network



**HIGH QUALITY TRO-TROs /TAXIS ON FEEDERS/COLLECTORS** 



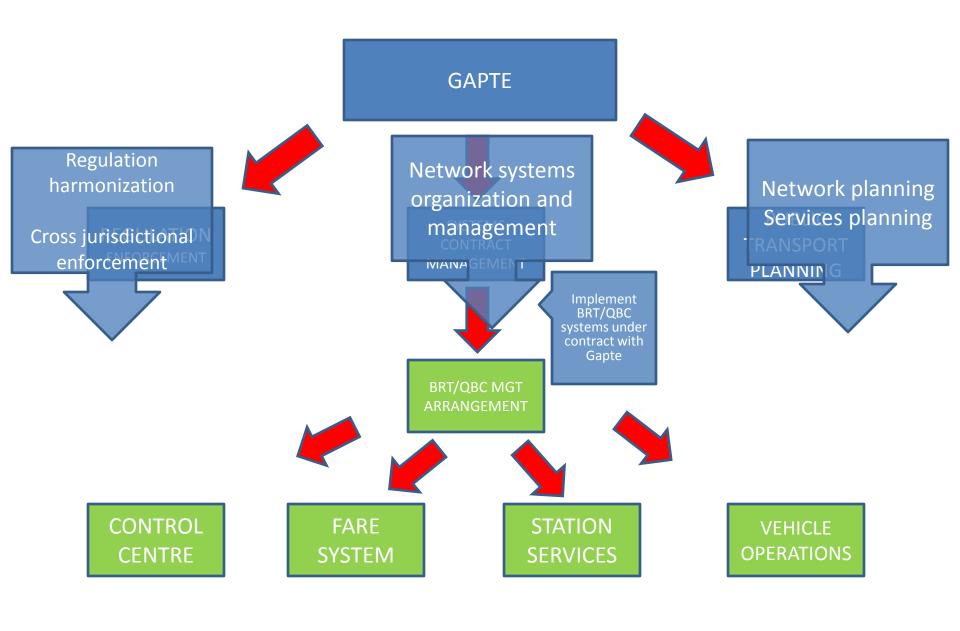
#### VISION OF PUBLIC TRANSPORT IN GAMA BY 2020

**OPERATORS** 

CURRENT OPERATORS
TRANSFORMED INTO
OPERATING COMPANIES
DELIVERING SERVICES ON
THE QBCs.



# GREATER ACCRA PASSENGER TRANSPORT EXECUTIVE (GAPTE)



## **GAPTE** (created April 2014)

- G Greater
- A Accra
- P Passenger
- **T** Transport
- E Executive
- Inter-MMDA Co-ordinating Body for Public Transport in GAMA (Greater Accra Metropolitan Area)
- Harmonise all regulation of UPT services and enforcement,
- citywide network planning,
- manage integrated citywide operational projects (eg. BRT) and customer services (eg. ticketing, passenger information and conduct the UPT infrastructure planning in association with other mandated MDAs

# ASSERTING THE INFLUENCE OF THE REGULATOR

- Bye-laws passed and operational in 2010 in conformance with Local Govt Act L.I. 1961
- Permit type A issued for normal Tro-tro/Taxi operator Entities and renewable yearly
- Permit issued only to operator entities not individuals
- ❖ Register of operators created with the permitting system
- Only permitted operators in register to benefit from the opportunities created by the reforms

# Statistics on conformance and mitigation

- ❖565 Tro-tro and Taxi entities from various Unions registered in GAMA MMDAs
- Comprising 20,935 drivers
- 39,816 registered vehicles
- 23 Affected Operators on Amasaman-Tudu (CMB) Corridor
- ❖57 impacted routes
- 75 impacted route operations

# OBTAINING THE SUPPORT OF THE TRO-TRO UNIONS

- Design of the reform strategy includes the incorporation of current informal operators in service provision.
- All modes of carriage i.e. HOVs, Tro-Tros and taxis have role to play in service provision in the network
- OSC created in 2010 as forum for regular interaction with GPRTU, PROTOA, Cooperative and others in the informal sector
- **❖** MOU with OSC providing framework for reforms execution negotiated on 30<sup>th</sup> August 2013
- Three Operator Companies created in December 2013 from affected Operators in the corridor
- Route Service Contracts for services on the corridor negotiated with the three formal Operator Companies in June 2014
- Operator companies have been assisted with the procurement of conforming buses for the System
- Operator companies commenced bus services in December 2016

### DESCRIPTION OF BUS PRIORITY AND INFRASTRUCTURE ON PILOT CORRIDOR

# Status of Implementation of Pilot Type B Bus System

# Pilot Type B Operational concept



### Junction enhancement – 'queue jump'-







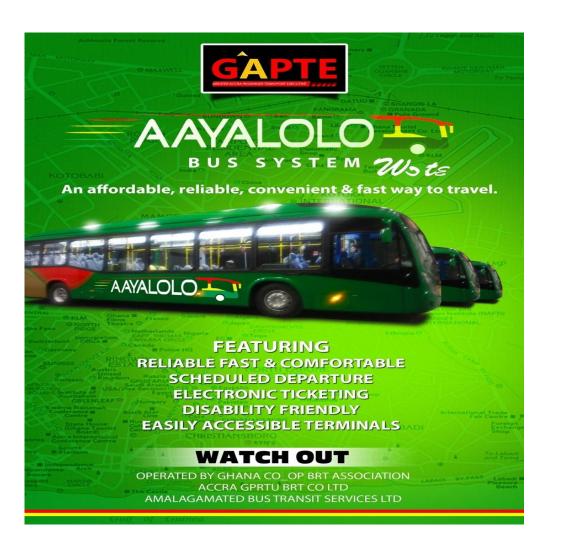
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FEATURING
RELIABLE FAST & COMFORTABLE
SCHEDULED DEPARTURE
ELECTRONIC TICKETING
DISABILITY FRIENDLY
EASILY ACCESSIBLE TERMINALS

#### **WATCH OUT**

OPERATED BY GHANA CO\_OP BRT ASSOCIATION
ACCRA GPRTU BRT CO LTD
AMALAGAMATED BUS TRANSIT SERVICES LTD

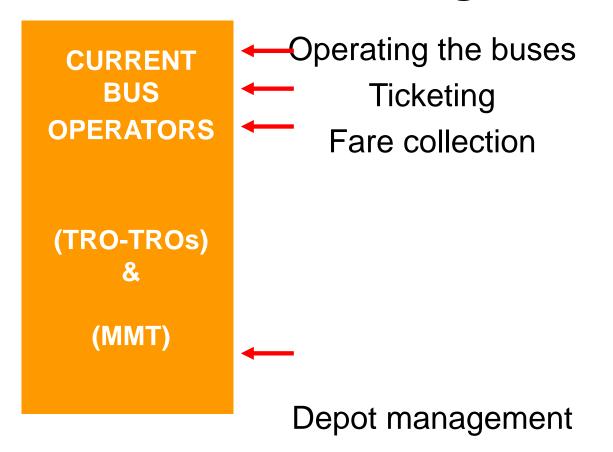


### SERVICE PLAN FOR THE AMASAMAN-TUDU CORRIDOR

- Estimated Demand 2,400 passengers per hour
- Round trip time 110 mins (+10 min layover)
- Service Frequency 35 buses per hour
- Peak Vehicle Requirement 76 buses
- Fleet Requirement 85 buses

#### **BUSINESS & CONTRACT STRUCTURE**

### **Existing Model**



GAPTE o/b MMDAs

#### **BUSINESS & CONTRACT STRUCTURE**

### **PILOT TYPE B Model**

Operating the buses **Ticketing** Fare collection **GAPTE System Information** Pilot Type B o/b MMDAs Bus Marketing the service **COMPANIES** Bus stop maintenance Station management/Enforcement Depot management Depot owner **Contract Monitoring** 

## PILOT TYPE B: BUSINESS MODEL & INDUSTRY TRANSITION

#### **BUSINESS & CONTRACT STRUCTURE**

SERVICE DELIVERY AGREEMENT WITH

#### **GAPTE**

**GAPTE** 

# Control Centre Management

Fare collection monitoring

System Information

**Contract Monitoring** 

**Enforcement** 

**Out-sourced** 

# Fare System Contractor

Ticketing system & equipment

Fare collection

Ticket sales

**Outsourced** 

# Station Services Contractor

Access control

System Information

Station management

Cleaning

Security

**NEGOTIATE** 

# Vehicle Operator Contractor

Operating the buses

Depot management



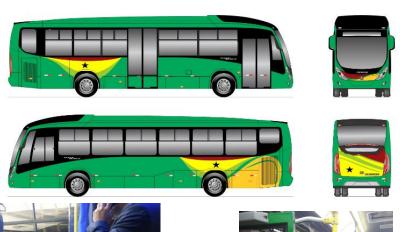


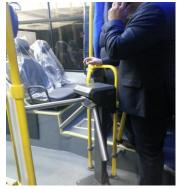


#### **QUALITY BUSES**

- HIGH CAPACITY
- DISABLE FRIENDLY
- ■ELECTRONIC TICKETING SYSTEM
- ■AUTOMATIC VEHICLE LOCATION
- ■PASSENGER
  INFORMATION SYSTEM
- ■ON-BOARD VIDEO CAMERAS









#### **GENERAL - CORRIDOR BUS TIMES**

## WEEKDAYS

First Bus from Amasaman Terminal5 am

Last Bus from Amasaman Terminal8 pm

First Bus from Tudu Terminal5:50 am

Last Bus from Tudu Terminal 8:50 pm

Frequency at Peak – Every 15 minutes Peak = 6am to 10am / 3pm to 7pm

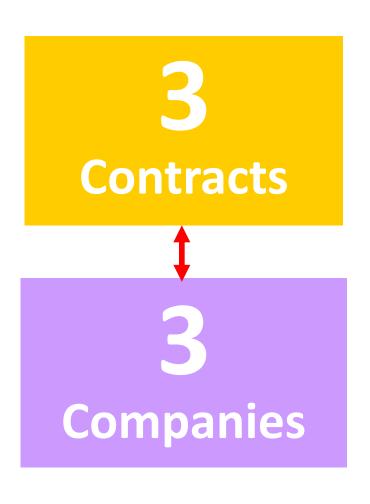
Frequency at Off Peak – Every 15 minutes

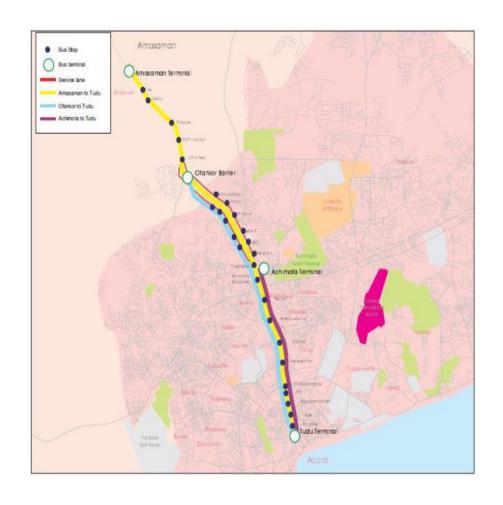
Off Peak = 5am to 6am / 10am to 3pm / 7pm to 10pm

#### WEEKENDS

Frequency at Weekends – Every 20 minutes

#### **Amasaman Corridor Vehicle Operator Contracts**





PILOT TYPE B: BUSINESS MODEL

#### **DISTRIBUTION OF CONTRACTS**



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**TRANSFORM** 

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Pilot type B VEHICLE OPERATOR COMPANIES

85 buses

PILOT TYPE B: BUSINESS MODEL

#### **CHALLENGE**

#### **TRANSFORM**

- Only 25% of business on corridor affected
- existing 77 affected operator entities transformed into 3 RSCs

#### **SERVICE PROVISION**

3 Operator companies created out of current tro-tro operator unions for services on the 3 designed routes

#### Amasaman to Tudu (Ghana Co-Operative Bus Rapid Transit Services LTD)

Semi-fast scheduled service taking Expressway

Serving end-to-end movements and the important interchanges at Achimota and Circle

## Ofankor to Tudu (Accra GPRTU Rapid Bus Services LTD)

Stopping scheduled service taking service lane

Serving intermediate demand between Ofankor and Achimota

## Achimota to Tudu (Amalgamated Bus Rapid Transit Services LTD)

Serving as efficient 'shuttle' scheduled for the demand interchanging and originating from Achimota towards Central Accra



## **ZONAL FARE STRUCTURE**

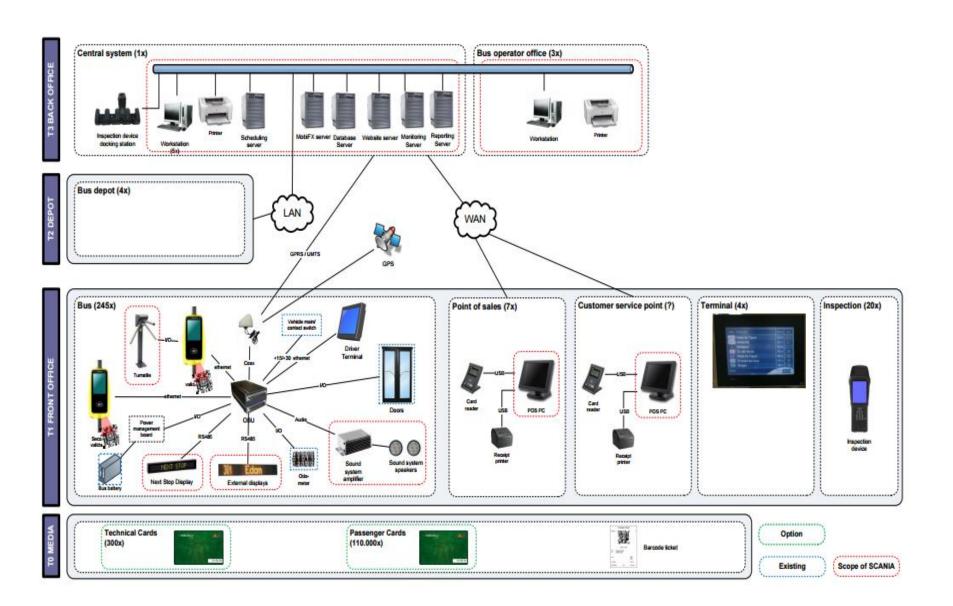


- The following fares are currently applicable in the system.
- Travel Within One zone GHS 1.15
- Travel Across Two Zones GHS 1.80
- Travel Across Three Zones GHS 2.00
- Travel Across Four Zones GHS 2.20

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## ITMS EMPLOYED

- Automatic Fare Collection System (AFC)
- · (Electronic Ticketing)
- Vehicle Fleet Management System (FMS)
  - Vehicle Follow up
  - Fuel Chart
  - Historical information
  - Vehicle scheduling
  - Location message triggers
  - Bus Monitoring
  - Vehicle schedule reporting
- User Information System (PIS)
  - Vehicle Displays
  - Voice Announcement





#### On-board validator

- High performance device suitable for installation in vehicles.
- Special cradle that is intended for mounting the validator in vehicles and facilitate pre-installation
- Simplified maintenance simple 'swap-out'
- Contactless read/write unit ISO14443 Type A/B
- EMV compliant
- Multiple external hardware interfaces in order to interface to other, external devices or systems.





## **AFC**

# On-board integration with the bus tripod gate



- At door entry
- Interface between the validator and the bus tripod gate
- Entrance controlled by the validator





## Validation in a zonal system

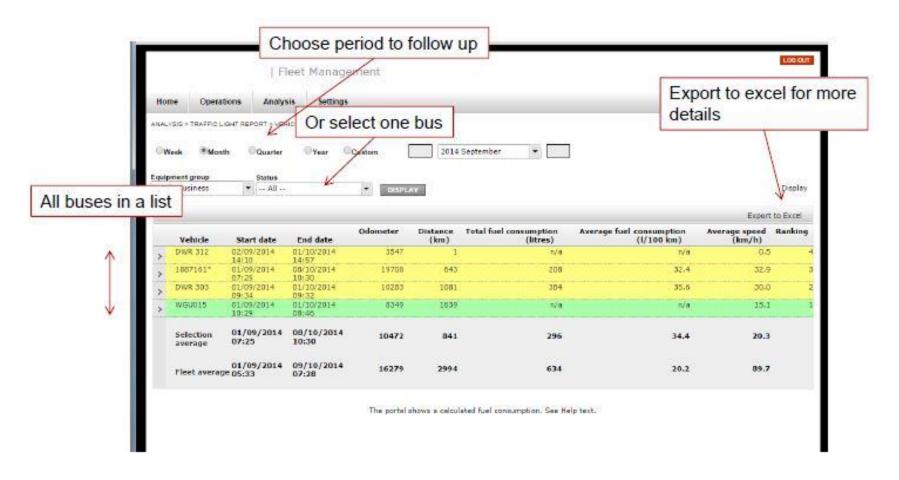




Info class released to project



## Vehicle follow up







## Vehicle scheduling

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definition of:

Periods

Stops

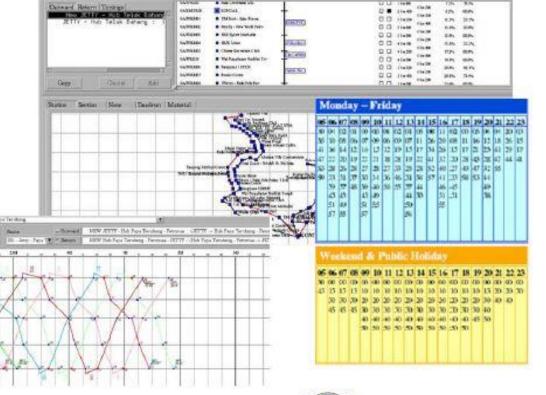
Distances

Routes and lines

Itineraries

Travel times

Timesheets





- Monday - Rotay :



## Vehicle Displays

- The on-board system steers
  - Next stop display
  - Outside front display
- The display content is automatically generated by the onboard system





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GUTP, Pre-GAPTE Unit, MLGRD

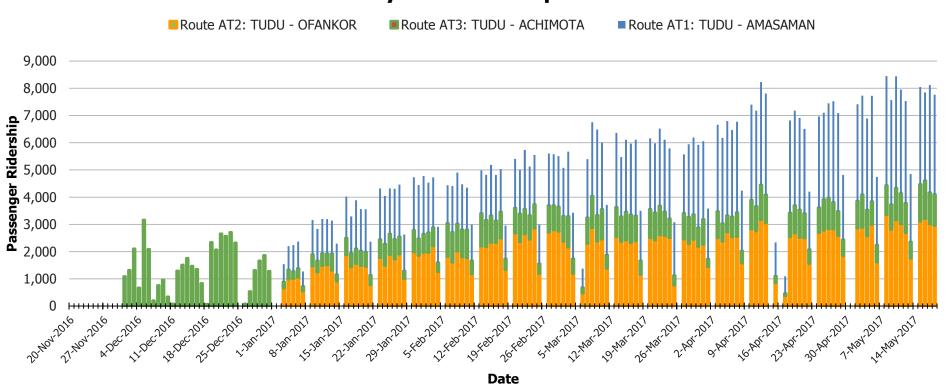
## **ROUTE STATISTICS**

Estimated Route Demand

- Average Daily Passenger Demand 50,000 passenger trips per day
- Annual System Patronage 16,650,000 passenger
   trips per year

## RIDERSHIP TO DATE

#### **Aayalolo Ridership Chart**







# MEDIA COMMENTARY ABOUT SYSTEM

CONTROL CENTRE, BUS STOPS, TERMINALS AND DEPOT