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## **Multimodal Station as A New Center of City**

# **Case Study: Hamedan Station**

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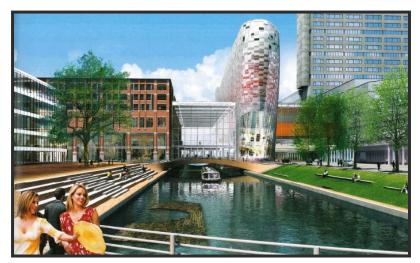
- A multimodal station offers many opportunities to enrich the public realm:
  - support social sustainability
  - create conditions for the economic recovery of inner city areas.
- A multimodal station is a social, economic and spatial point of exchange, not merely a transport hub.





#### **Social Factors**

- Social sustainability is an essential starting point in any discussion of multimodal stations.
- The transport hub is a social hub where many people gather for different purposes. Hence they are complex social places



Nieuw Hoog Catharijne, Utrecht, Netherlands

Atocha, Madrid, Spain





#### **Economic Factors**

- The multimodal station has big economic impacts which can run counter to social gain:
  - Develop new business districts
  - Establish cultural, administrative and educational hubs within walking distance
  - Increase the value of adjacent lands



Victoria City, Bucharest, Romania



#### **Transport Factors**

- The primary role of a multimodal station is that of accessing varying forms of transport (both public and private) while providing a gateway to cities.
- A key quality is that of connectivity in **space** and **time**.
- Generally, there are four types of transport interchange depended on their basic modes: <u>train</u>, <u>bus</u>, <u>ferry</u> and <u>airport</u>.



New Street, Birmingham, UK



#### **Spatial Design**

- Multimodal stations are both:
  - Nodes within a transport network to meet the transportation needs.
  - Places within the city to meet other civic (social, cultural, recreational, ...) needs.

#### **Urban regeneration of Parma Railway Station**





#### Location of station

### **Central city**

- Better connection with existing urban fabric
- Adequate travel demand
- Huge impact on existing transport network
- Inadequate land resource

### **Outskirt /New Town**

- Transit Oriented Development (TOD)
- Lower Land Price
- Bad connection with inner city
- Inadequate travel demand



#### **Berlin Central Station, Germany**





#### **Location of station**

- Urban areas tend to be not monocentric and try to have often urban locations outside of the center where major employment, services and facilities can also be found.
- Thus:

# Multimodal stations become the centers of their districts, new centers of urban and civic life.

Kharkiv, Ukraine



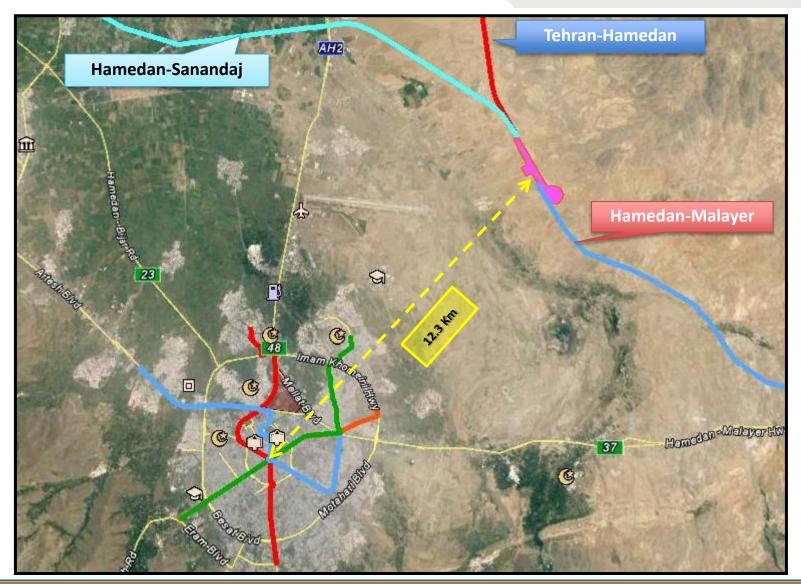
Bangkok, Thailand

Jinan, China



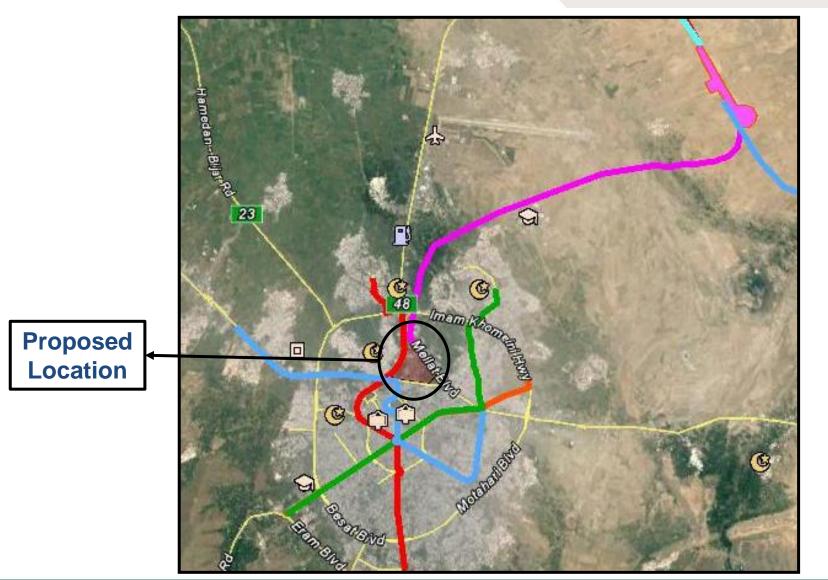


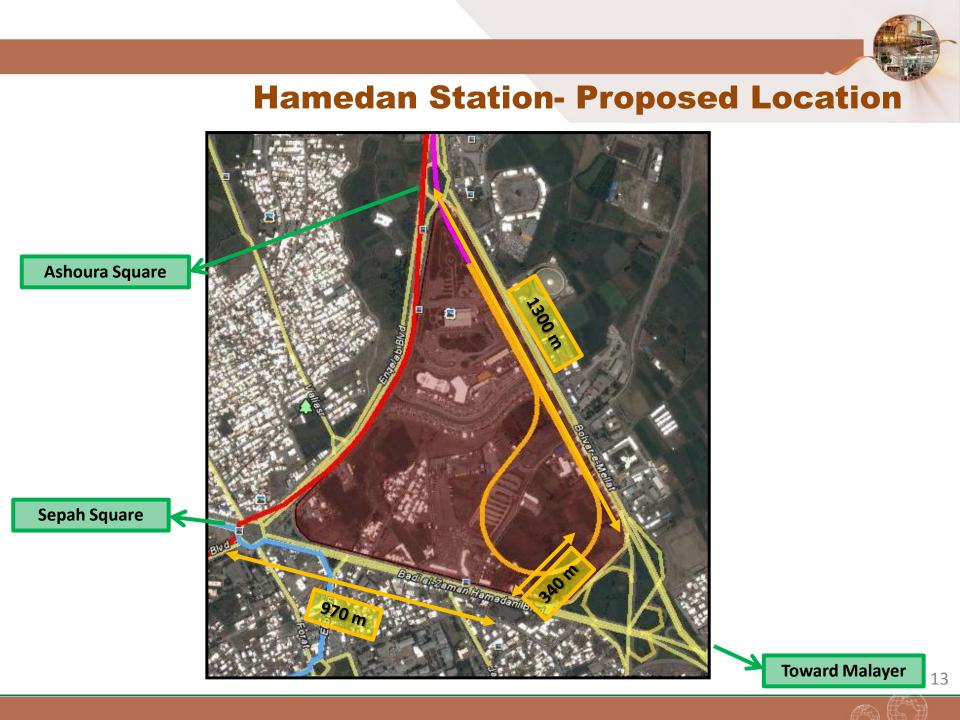
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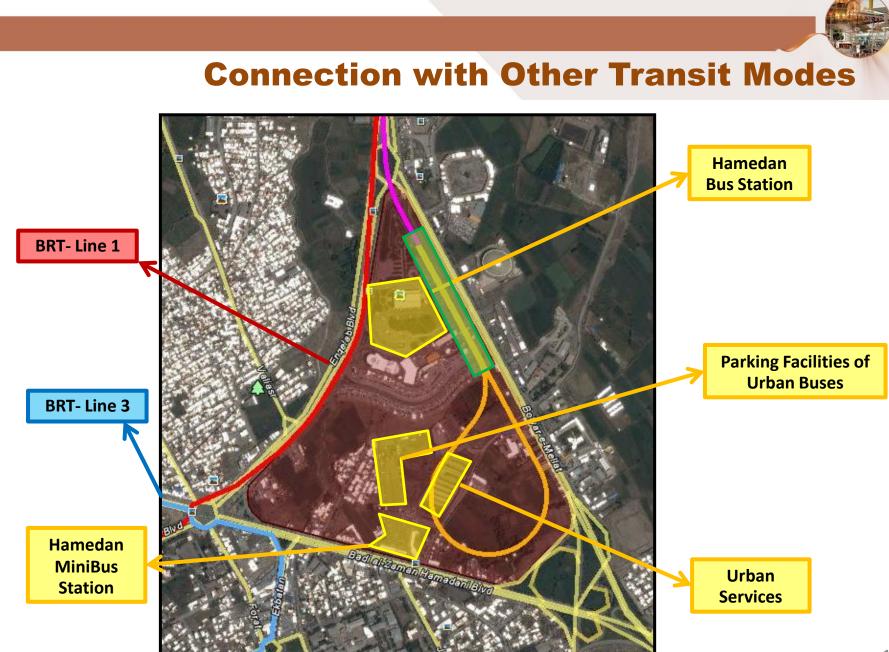




#### **Hamedan Station- Proposed Location**









#### **Advantages**

- Better accessibility
- Good connection with the transit modes
- Implementation of Transit Oriented Development (TOD)
- Establishment of an ideal multimodal station
- Increase of public satisfaction, travel demand and consequently total revenue of station

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