

**Seoul's Challenges & Achievements** 

# in Sustainable Urban Transport

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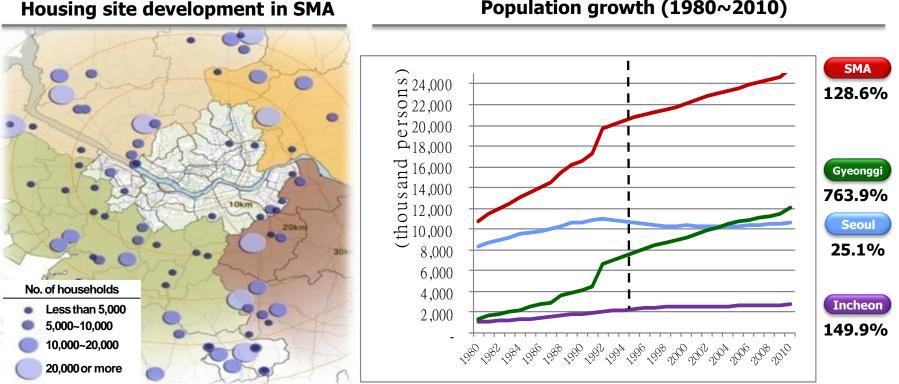






#### Housing

- Housing Site Development in Seoul Metropolitan Area Population Congestion Metropolitanization ٠
- Income level  $\uparrow \Rightarrow$  No. of registered cars increased rapidly( $\leftrightarrow$  limited expansion of roads) •
  - No. of vehicle : 2.97 mil.  $\Rightarrow$  Increased by 1,341.8% than in 1980
  - Length of road : 8,096km  $\Rightarrow$  Increased by 22.5% than in 1980

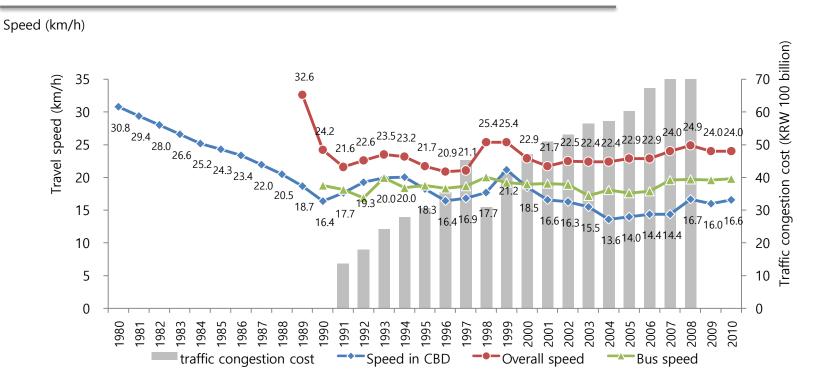


#### Population growth (1980~2010)

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#### Transportation conditions

- No. of trips: 32.0 million/day
  - Modal share: Bus 28%, Subway 37.1%, Passenger car 23.5%, Taxi 7%, Bicycle and others 4.4%
  - Passenger car: 16.6km/h (CBD), 24.0km/h (all areas)
  - Bus: 19.5km/h, 20.1km/h (median bus lane)

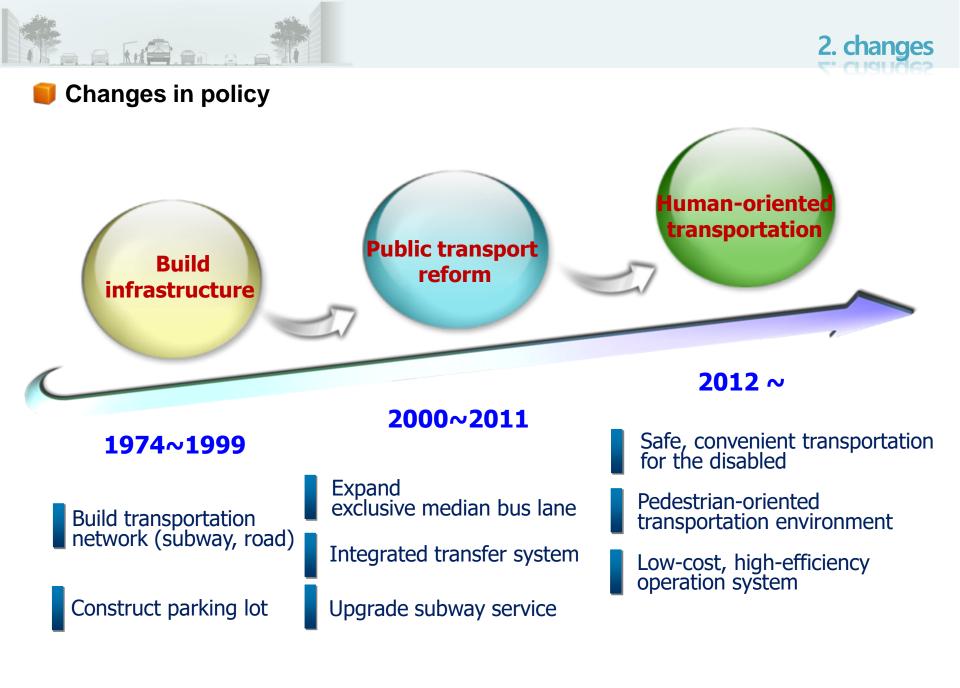


#### Shift in travel speed & traffic congestion cost in Seoul (1980~2010)

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# 02 Changes in policy framework, setting a new goal

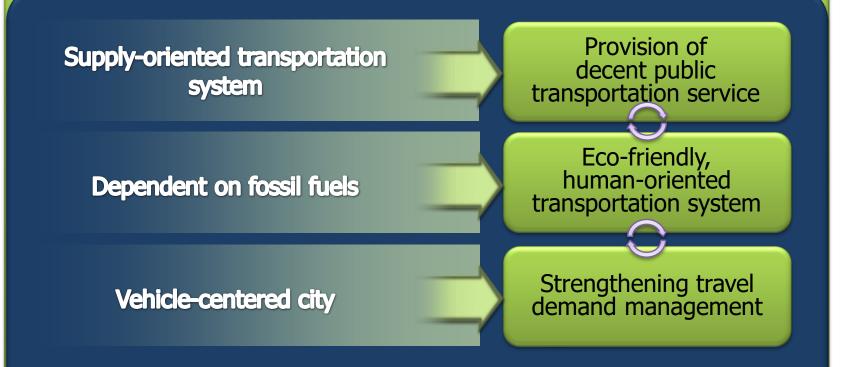






Goals and objectives of transportation policy

# Human-oriented transportation



Intelligent Transportation System (ITS) base establishment

# B Efforts of seoul for sustainable urban transport

1. Provision of decent public transportation service Subway / Bus / ITS / Taxi

2. Eco-friendly, human-oriented transportation system

# **Efforts of Seoul for Sustainable Urban Transport**

1. Provision of decent public transportation service

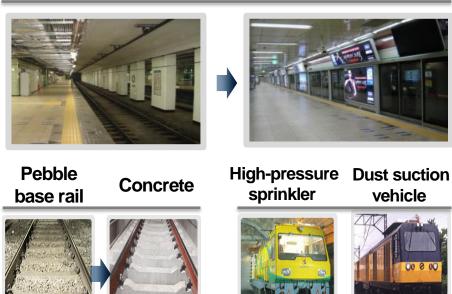


- Opening Line 1 (1974): 7.8km, 9 stations
- Present (Line 1~9): 327.2km, 292 stations, 3,691 rolling stocks
  - X No. of passengers : 5.1 million/day
- Operator: Seoul Metro(Line 1~4), Seoul Metropolitan Rapid Transit(Line 5~8), Seoul Metro Line 9(Line 9)
- Safe and Pleasant Seoul Subway
  - Installation of platform screen doors at all stations, Improving indoor air quality

#### Subway Line in Seoul



#### **Platform Screen Doors**





#### **BUS**

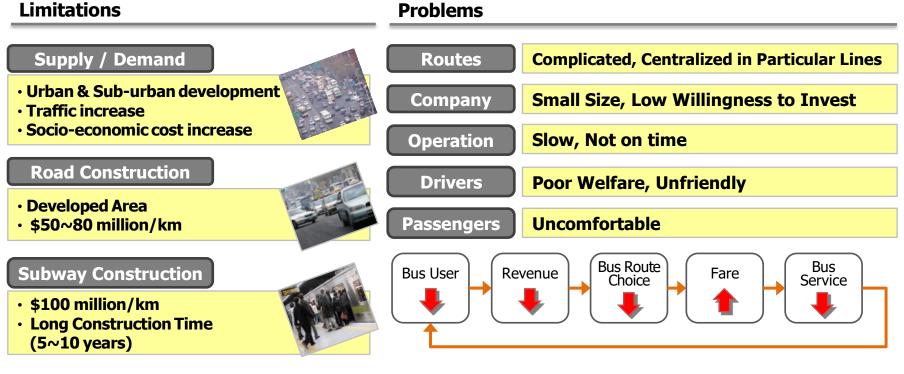
- City bus: 7,439 buses/361 routes
- No. of passengers a day (average): 5.7 million
- Median bus lane: 12 corridors, 118km





Bus - Transportation reform

#### ✓ Background





#### Where do we go? Public Transportation Reform (Not a Choice But a Must)



#### Bus - Transportation reform

#### Bus routing/operating system

- 1) Public ownership, Private operation
- 2) Establishment of trunk and feeder lines
- 3) Scientific operation management

#### Infrastructure

- 4) Expansion of median bus lanes
- 5) Improvements in transportation centers
- 6) Introduction of high-quality buses

#### **Assistant system**

- 7) Fare system (Subway + Bus)
- 8) Information and Communication Technology

#### Social consensus

9) Citizens' Committee

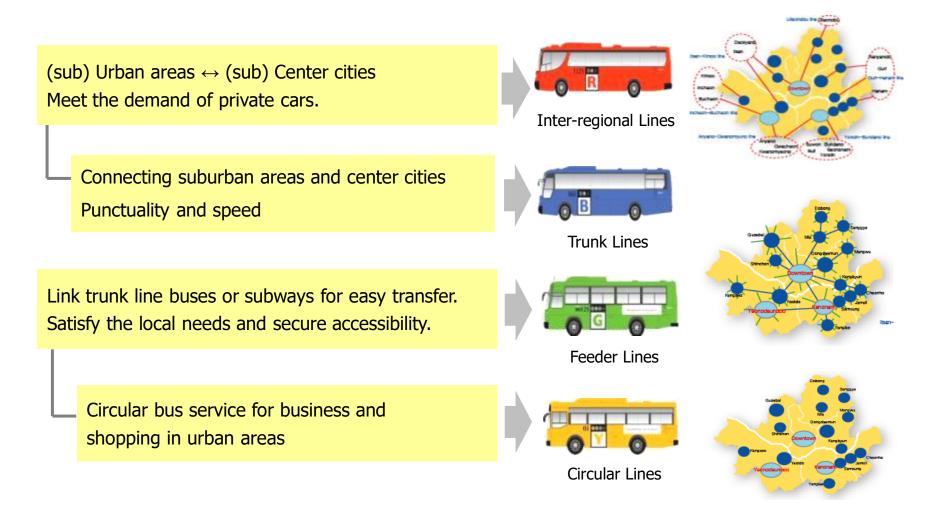


# Monitoring & Adjustment

*Enhancing Customer Satisfaction* 



• Introduce trunk and feeder line by function, categorized by color



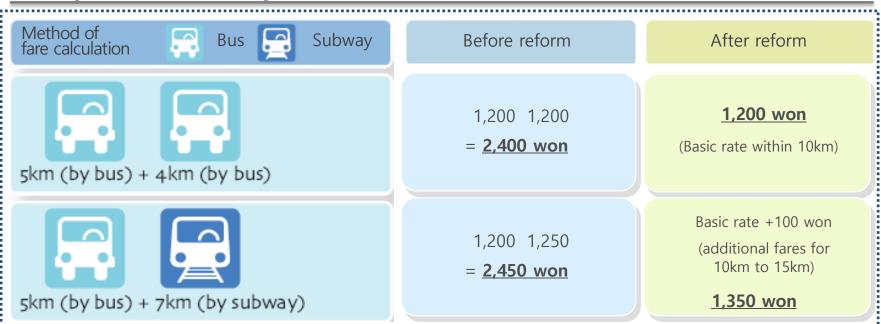


- Introduction to new fare system with transportation reform
- Free transfer between bus-bus and bus-subway, within 30 minutes (maximum of 5 times)
- Fare Structure
  - Subway (single ride): Basic Fare of KRW1,050 for 10 Km

Distance-based Fare of KRW100 for 5Km up to 40Km and for every 10Km thereafter

- Bus [single ride] : Flat Fare of KRW1,050

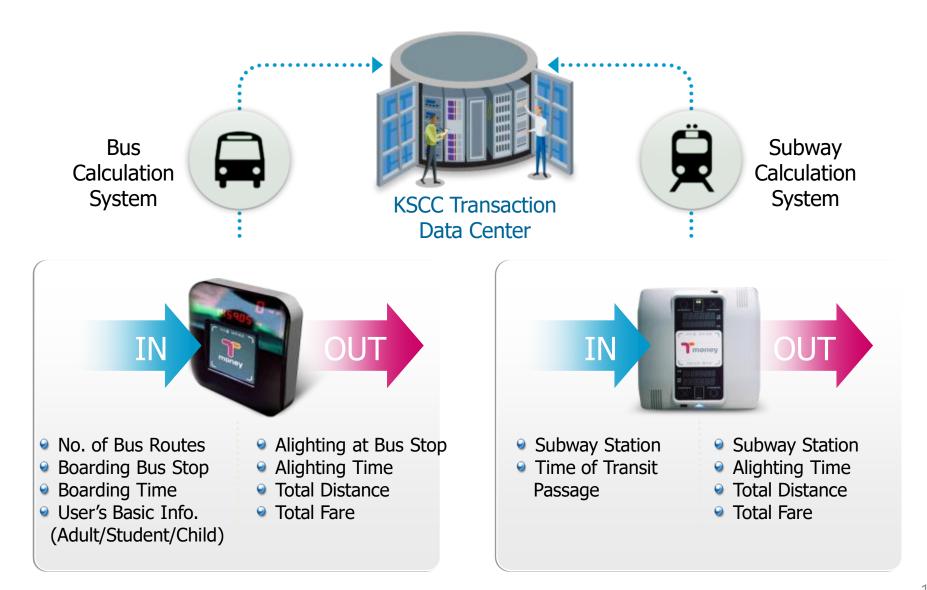
#### Example for new fare system





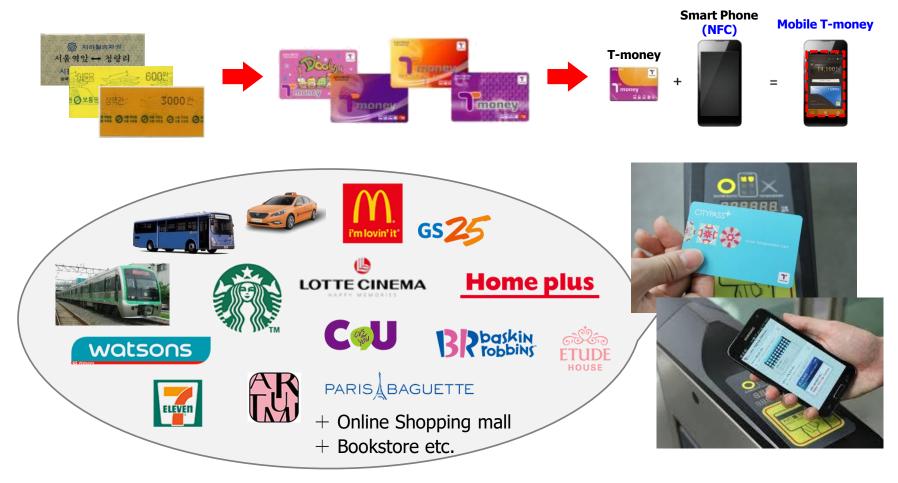


#### Bus - Transportation reform - Smart card system



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- T-money, with the terms of payment in the public transport sector, is vastly expanding the service to e-money market, and is providing various beneficial services to customers
- Card usage rate: Bus 99% / Subway 100% / Taxi 68%



Bus - Transportation reform - Smart card system(ONE CARD ALL PASS)

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#### Bus - Transportation reform - Median bus lane

#### - 12 corridors of 118km

- For faster and more reliable bus operations
- To improve passengers' convenience through comfortable shelters, transfer centers





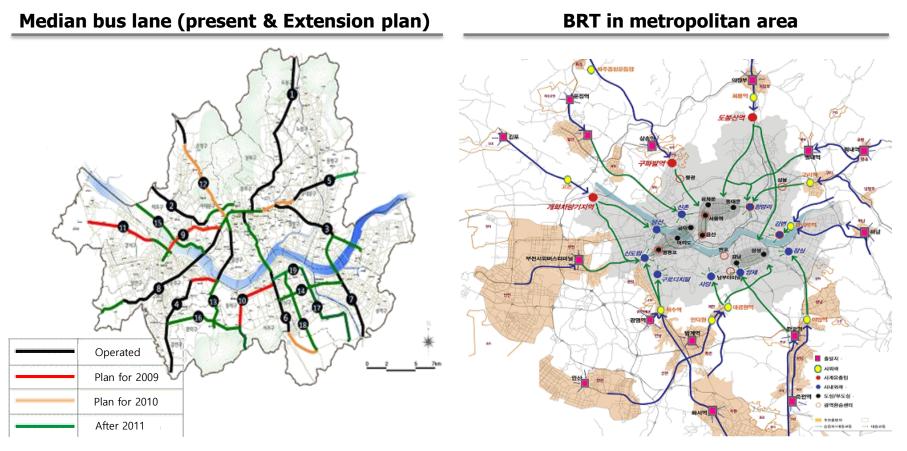
Illegal parking, Entry & out to inside road, Turn traffic conflict



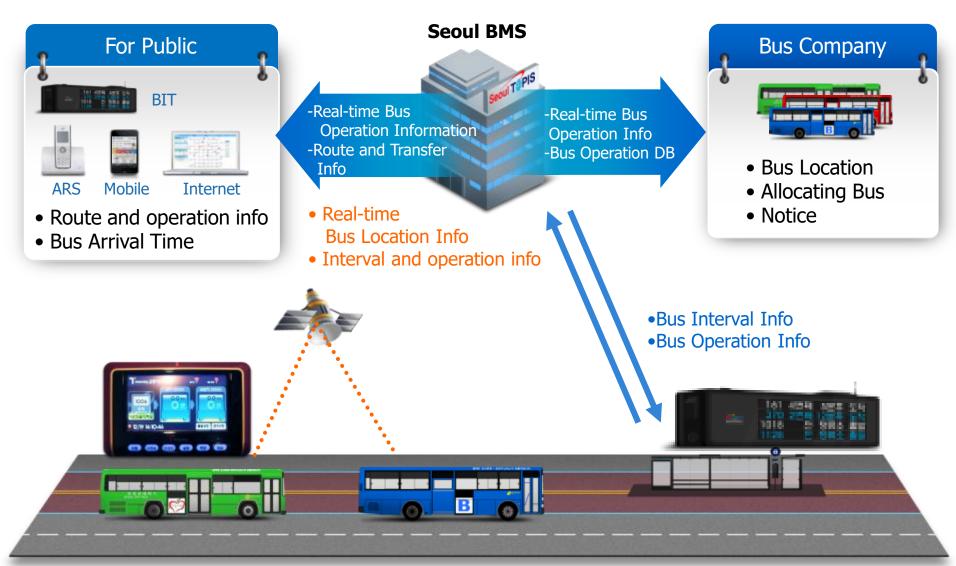


#### Bus - Transportation reform - Median bus lane

- Expansion of median bus lane
  - Establishing a 214.7km network of 19 corridors
  - Connecting with 22 corridors of BRT in the Metropolitan area



#### Bus - Transportation reform – BMS(Bus Management System)



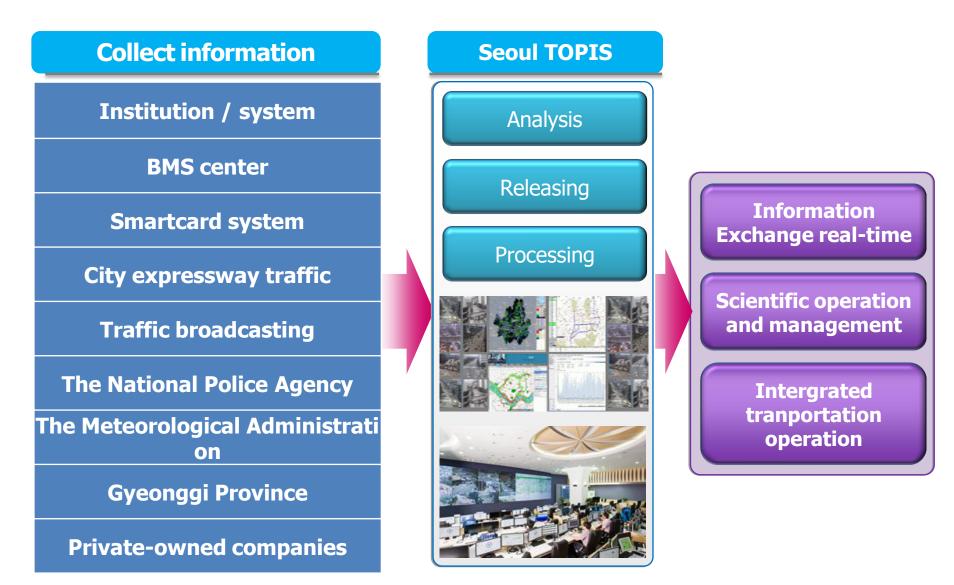
#### Bus - Transportation reform – BIS(Bus Information System)

- Information provision(Expected bus & subway arrival time and last time) in bus stop and subway station
- Service extension (Connection with red bus of Gyung gi and Incheon province)





Bus - Transportation reform – TOPIS





#### **Remote Control Enforcement Systems**

- 1 Step Warning via Road-side Speaker
- 2 Step Remote regulation





#### VES in bus lane

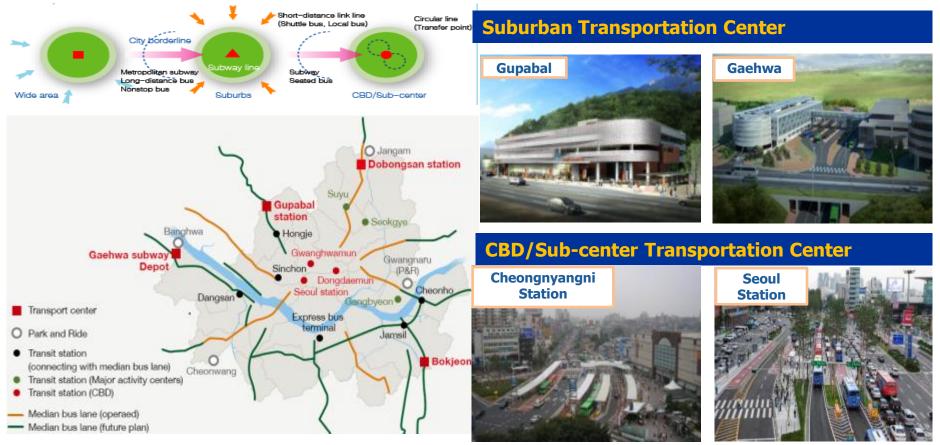


**3. Efforts of Seoul** 

**Post Office** 

#### Expand public transportation infrastructure connecting the metropolitan area

- Wide-range BRT (Bus Rapid Transit) links to median bus lanes
  - Suburban Transportation Centers for wide-range transfer demand
  - CBD/Sub-center Transportation Centers for short-distance feeder bus demand
  - 4 Transport center, 4 park and ride, 4 Transit station





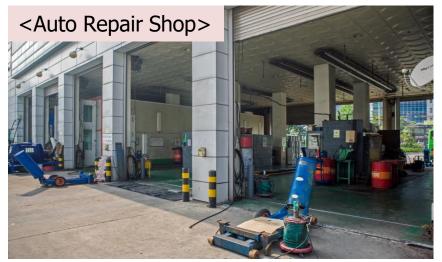
#### Operating Public Depot for bus

















3. Efforts of Seoul

#### **CNG BUS** retention status

(March. 2016)

Total	Diesel Bus	CNG Bus			Electronic
		Total	Normal	Low floor	Bus
7,439	-	7,430	4,734	2,696	9

#### **CNG BUS advantage**

- LPG is compressed by 200 pressure
- Cleanliness : Emission(PM)0%,

Air pollution source 0%

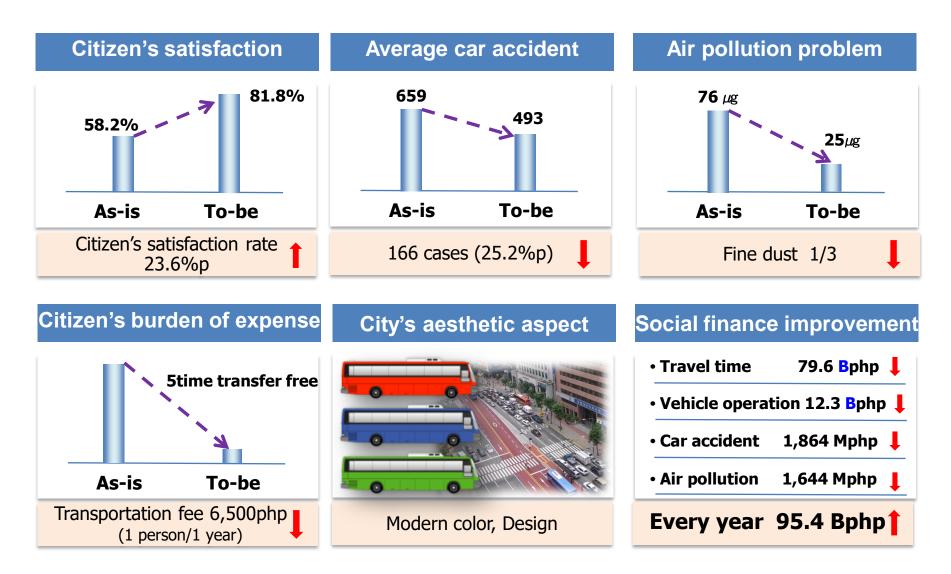
- Safety : High flash point, Non-toxic
- Engine's useful life is increased
- Silence and ride comfort improvement
- Emission reduction (10 ~ 90%)







#### Effect of Bus - Transportation reform



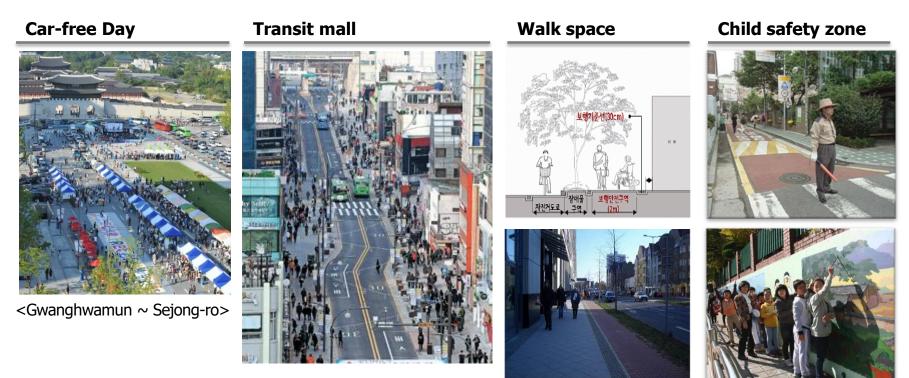
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2. Eco-friendly, human-oriented transportation system



#### Pedestrian Priority

- Operating Car-free Day, Car-Free Street, Transit mall etc.
- Traffic calming : speed table, child-priority scheme
- Expand children safety zone concept
  - street around facility  $\rightarrow$  zone including school, park, kindergarten, etc.
- Designate 'child safety zone' based on citizens' opinion and given road condition



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#### **Bicycle** (Promotion for riding bicycle)

- Bicycle lane
  - Total 303 lines, 674km of lanes
- Public bicycle rental service
  - Started on Oct 2010 (Sang-am area, Yeouido area : total 440 of bicycle, 43 of bicycle station)
- Convenience facility for bicycle
  - Bicycle elevator, Bicycle-only parking center, locker, shower room etc

#### **Bicycle rental service station**

#### **Current condition of bicycle facilities**





# 3. Efforts of Seoul

Electric Vehicle (Eco-friendly vehicle)

#### 1) Electric car





#### 2) Hybrid taxi



#### 3) Electric taxi



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