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ECMT Round Tables Traffic Congestion in Europe-European Conference of Ministers of Transport 1999-12-07 This book presents the findings from a series of ECMT round tables that examined the causes of traffic congestion in Europe. The round tables focused on various aspects of traffic congestion, including the impact of urban planning, transportation policies, and infrastructure on traffic congestion. The book provides a comprehensive analysis of the factors contributing to traffic congestion in European cities and offers recommendations for effective solutions. The book is a valuable resource for policymakers, transport planners, and researchers interested in understanding and addressing the challenges of traffic congestion in Europe.


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Peak hour traffic congestion-Sandra Rosenholm 1973


Solutions for Urban Traffic Congestion Problem in Developing Countries: A Case of Tripoli, Libya-Albor Tarhun 2021-01-28 Efficient traffic management is essential for economic developments and social welfare; it primarily affects the access to jobs, education, goods, and services. However, the rapid growth of population and private vehicles in African countries and many other developing countries has been causing serious traffic congestion problem and other issues in safety, economy, and environment. Despite of vast research efforts in studying traffic congestion and other transportation planning issues, there are scarce research on research efforts in developing countries, especially African cities. This book contains two articles that seek to accommodate the challenges of transportation planning and development in developing countries. The book addresses the growing traffic congestion and planning and management issues in developing countries with a basic understanding of the inefficiencies of transportation system, planning policy, and land use in Tripoli City as an example of many African cities that face pressures because of the growing population and motorization or vehicle ownership. Tripoli City is a good example to study traffic congestion and transportation planning issues and show that common challenges are faced in African cities even if the circumstances and type of issues are not uniform. This book uses the conditions of transportation planning and infrastructure similar to many poor African cities. Common challenges are faced because of the traditional planning and policy-making approaches that diverts financial resources to expand roads and ignores the public transportation and other non-motorized modes and approaches of planning as solutions for their substantial challenges posed by the growing motorization. The book tries to explore the possibilities for improving the principles of transportation planning, policies, and management in developing countries.

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Traffic congestion on motorways and dual-carriageway roads-1991

Beating Traffic-Michael L. Zea 2007-07-13 Beating Traffic: Time to Get Unstuck explores why, when and how congestion occurs, the part that you play in it, and what you and your family can do to reduce the negative effects of traffic congestion on your lives. Traffic congestion is not a pre-ordained state of affairs, and it is not your fate and that of other car drivers who should have to live with it or bear the sole responsibility for solving it. Because of other well-meaning but totally bad planning, the conscious exploitation of real estate, have led to most things being in the wrong place, too far from everybody is and where everybody wants to go, so that the only way to get anywhere is to climb in the car and join the endless queues along the highways. There are no quick fixes to the problem.
Congestion charging is being promoted in many of the world's major cities as the ultimate solution. But turning the right of driving a car enjoyed by anyone into a privilege enjoyed only by those who can afford to pay the tolls charged by governments will only serve to increase the already wide chasm between the have-nots and the haves in the world. There are fairer and more equitable means to ration road space, and these are explored in this book. While we are actively promoting real, long-term solutions to traffic congestion by supporting politicians who are serious about reconciling mobility and environmental sustainability, we can work on removing the inconvenience and irritation that it causes us on a daily basis. We can start by getting ourselves and our children out of our cars more often and onto the sidewalks, the bicycle paths and public transportation. We need to do our part to reduce harmful emissions by buying and driving responsibly, and we need to help stop the thousands of deaths and millions of injuries caused each year on our streets and highways by respecting the rules of the road and never driving under the influence of drugs or alcohol. There are positive and concrete actions we can take to beat traffic, and you will read about them in Beating Traffic.

An Analysis of Traffic Congestion and Policy Solutions for Canadian Municipalities-Kris Stinson 2017

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**Possible solutions to the road traffic congestion problem in Stockport, Greater Manchester-Tom Metcalfe 2005**

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**A Toolshed for Alleviating Traffic Congestion and Enhancing Mobility-Michael D. Meyer 1997**

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**Low-cost Solutions to Portland's Traffic Problems-Anthony M. Rubbo 1998**

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