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Urban Freight Transport Management for Sustainable and Liveable Cities

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1. Introduction Urbanisation

- About half of the World's population (7 billion) live in urban areas
- The convergence of people and resources into urban areas for better lives--- job, meeting, education, entrepreneurism, culture, transport, medical care....
- However, the growth of cities generates problems on traffic congestion, environment, public health, safety and security... --more serious in megacities



- Urban freight transport is an essential element for supporting efficient economic and social development in urban areas
- In addition, we face the aging society which requires more costs for medical, nursing and rehabilitation service as well as delivering daily commodities to elderly people



Challenging issues (1)

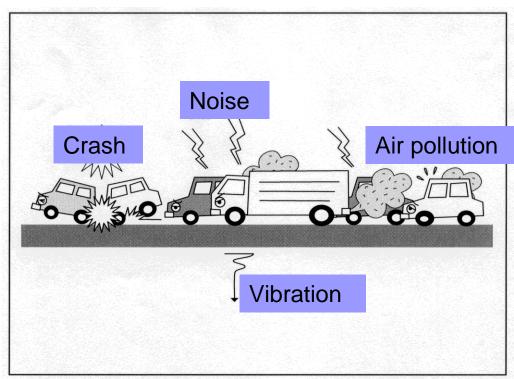
- Competition
- Efficient logistics systems --- Just In Time transport systems
- Freight carriers --- better services with lower costs
- Shippers --- designated time windows

Commercial logistics



Challenging issues (2)

- Increase in urban freight transport
 - Congestion
 - Negative
 environmental
 impacts
 - Crashes
 - Energy
 - consumption



Intervention of public authority is needed

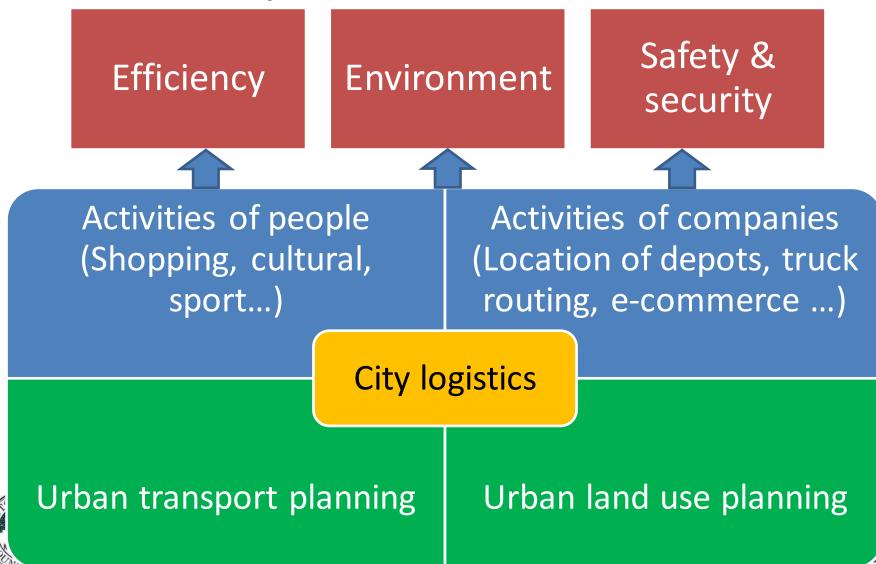


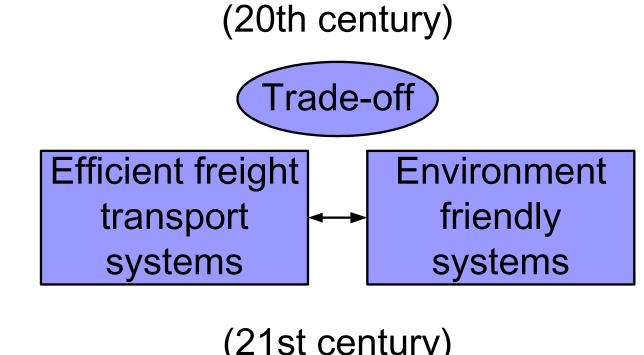
Smart solution by city logistics

- City logistics play an important roll for balancing the economic growth of cities and social and environmental issues
- Because city logistics provides the basic framework for social, cultural activities of people and economic activities of companies
- However, many urban planners and politicians have overlooked urban freight transport



Framework for activities of people and companies in urban areas





Efficiency and environment

(function of city logistics) (21st century)

Efficient and environment friendly freight transport systems





20th century

 Any major reduction in environmental impact does not seem possible without putting the logistics innovations themselves into reverse (J. Cooper, 1991)



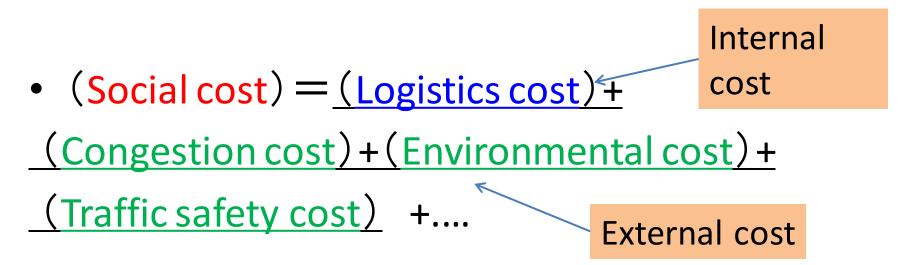
21st century

- ICT (Information and Communication Technology), e-commerce (B2B, B2C)
- Development and deployment of ITS (Intelligent Transport Systems)
- SCM (Supply Chain Management)
 ERP (Enterprise Resource Planning)
 CRP (Continuous Replenishment programme)
- Outsourcing of freight transport---3PL, 4PL



Cost structure

 Increasing efficiency as well as reducing negative social and environmental impacts can be represented by reducing social costs





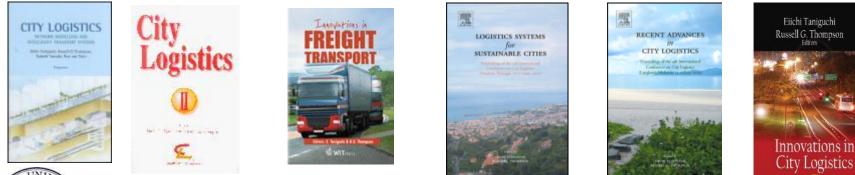
2. What is City Logistics?

- City logistics is the process for totally optimising the logistics and transport activities by private companies with the support of advanced information systems in urban areas considering the traffic environment, its congestion, safety and energy savings within the framework of a market economy
- (Taniguchi, Thompson, Yamada and Van Duin, City logistics-Network modelling and Intelligent Transport Systems, *Pargamon*, 2001)



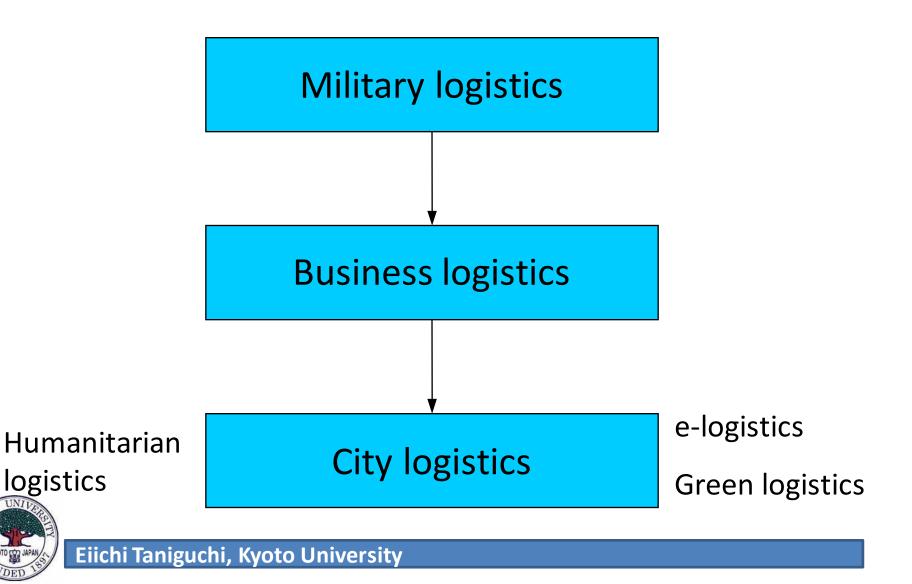
International Conferences on City Logistics

- Organised by Institute for City Logistics
- In Cairns (1999), Okinawa (2001), Madeira (2003), Langkawi (2005), Crete (2007), Puerto Vallarta (2009), Mallorca (2011)
- The 8th International Conference on City Logistics, Bali, Indonesia, 17-19 June 2013

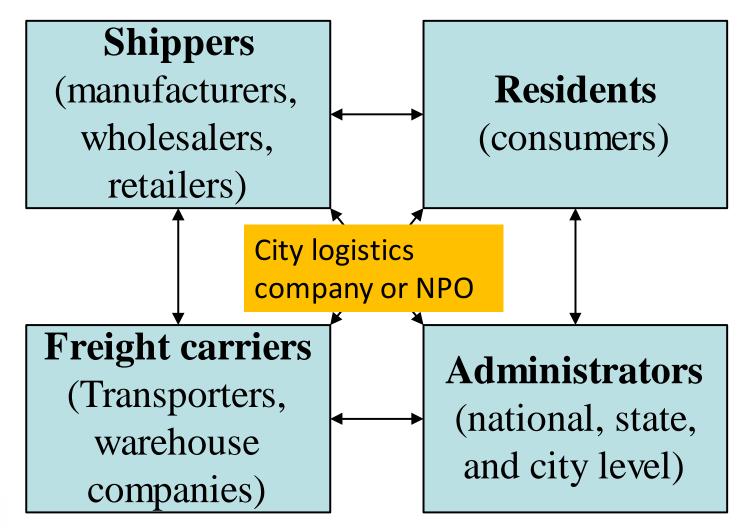




History of logistics



Stakeholders of City Logistics





Characteristics of City Logistics

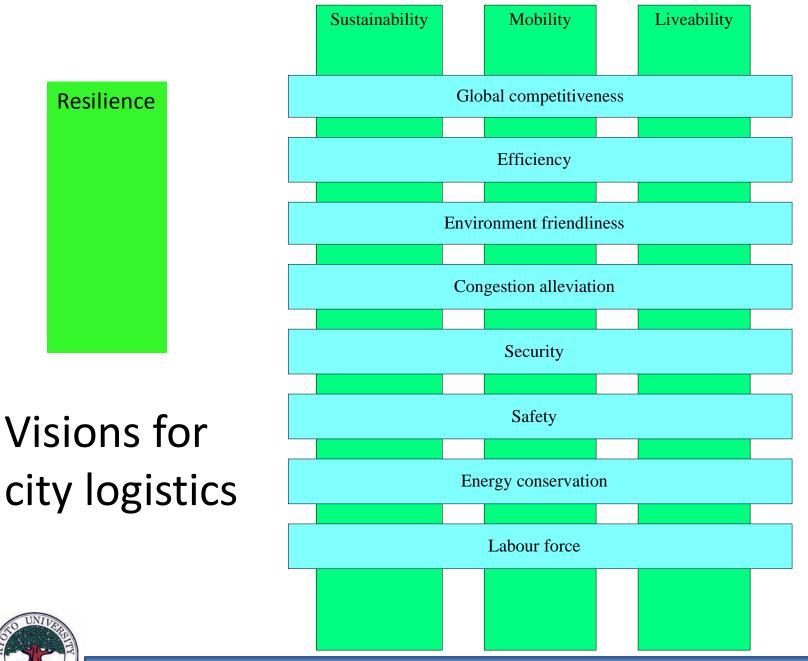
- Total optimisation taking into account environment, congestion, safety, energy etc.
- Relatively free activities of companies supported by public sector through deregulation
- Full utilisation of advanced information techniques including ICT and ITS
- Mindset of Co-opetition



3. Visions for city logistics

 We need visions for city logistics to establish efficient and environmentally friendly urban logistics systems through the process of city logistics



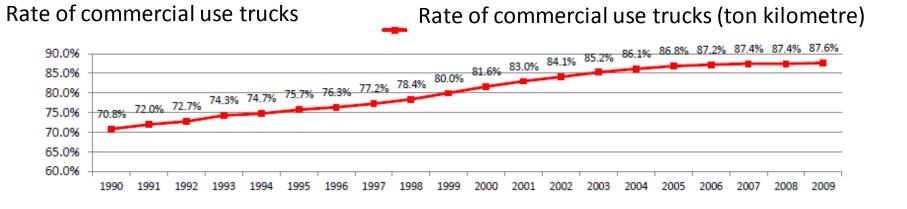


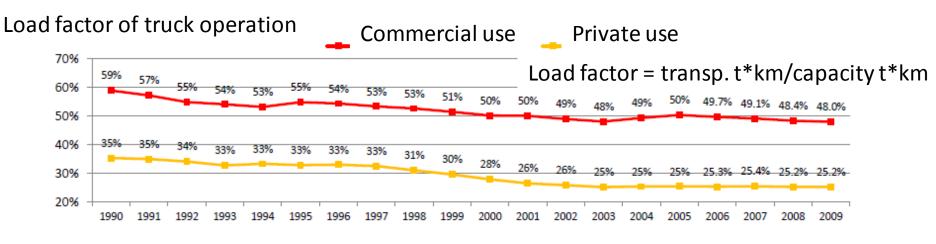
Essential viewpoints

- ICT, ITS and city logistics
- Urban planning and city logistics
- Land use planning and city logistics
- Units of urban freight transport planning
- Subsidies and additional charges from the public



Change in rate of commercial use trucks and load factor of truck operation in Japan

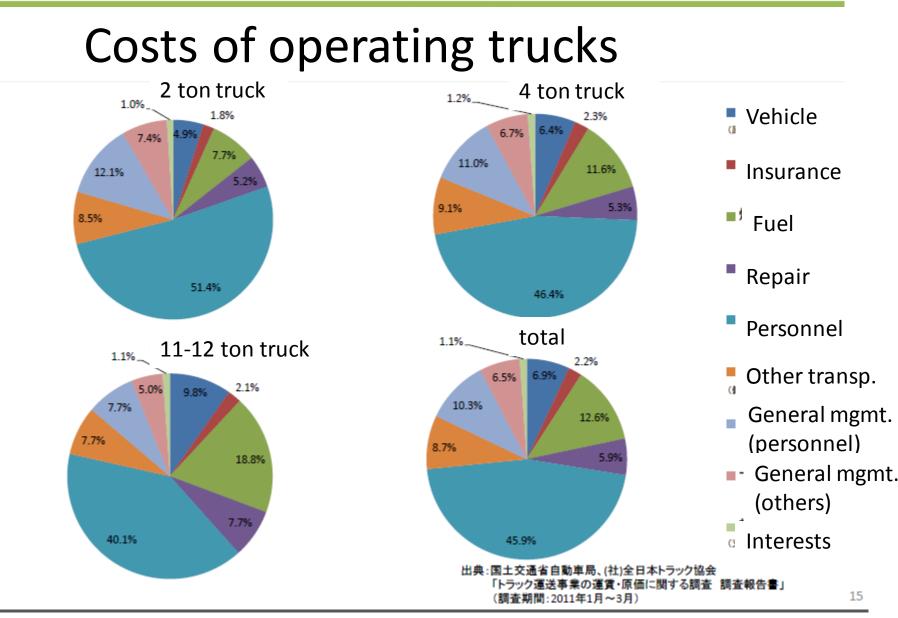




Source: MLIT



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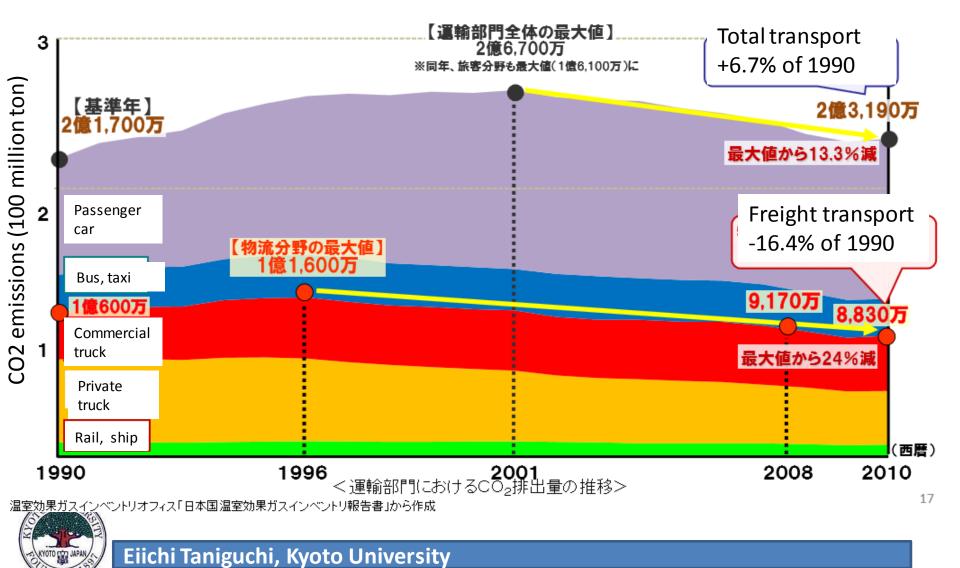


UNITAR A

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Source: MLIT, Japan Truck Association

Change of CO₂ emissions in transport sector

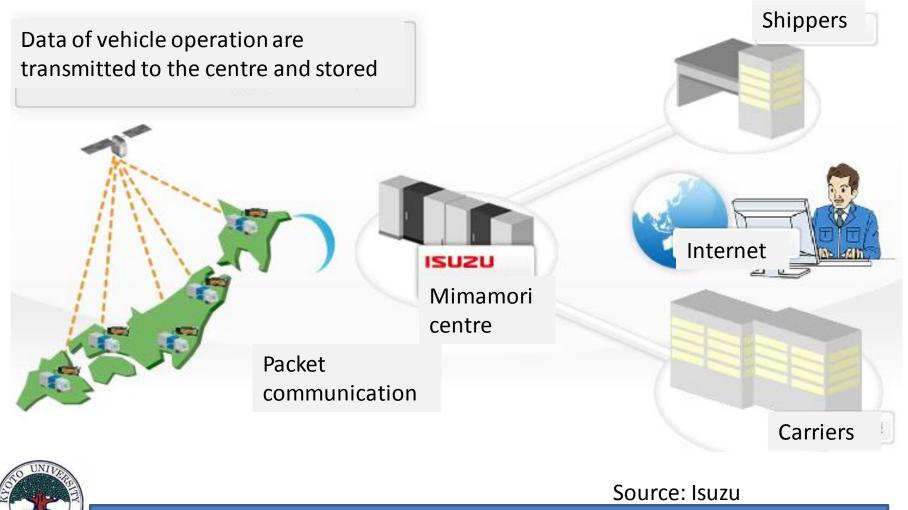


Two driving forces to promote city logistics schemes

- Development and deployment of Innovative technology (ICT and ITS) in logistics area
- Behaviour change of shippers and freight carriers associated with corporate social responsibility (CSR)



Example of application of ICT and ITS for logistics operation (Isuzu)



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Environmental management in logistics

• ISO 9001 & 14001 series

Plan, do, check and action procedure

- Green management schemes for small and medium size enterprises
- CSR (Corporate Social Responsibility)



Publications by World Road Associations (English, French, Spanish, Japanese)

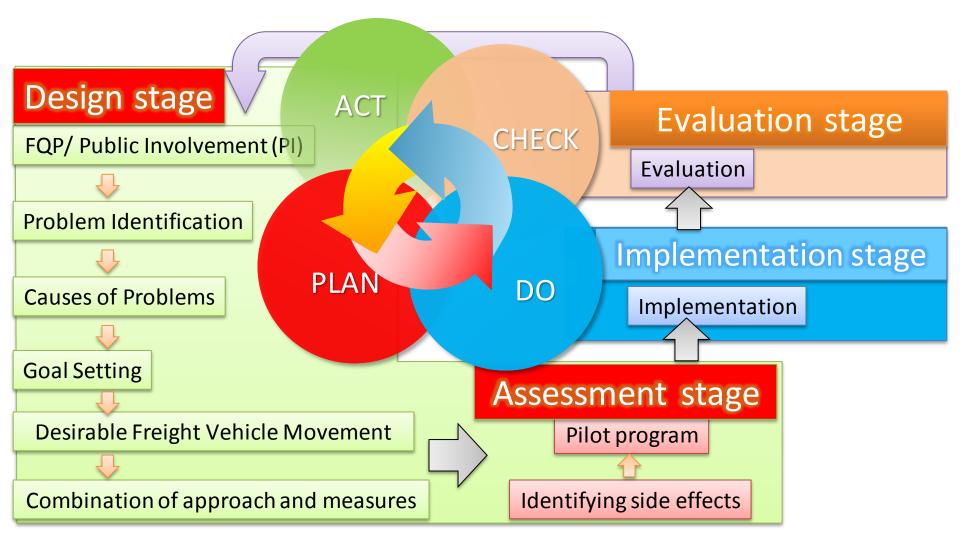


WORLD ROAD

MONDIALE DE LA ROUTE



Procedure of urban freight transport management





Source: PUBLIC SECTOR GOVERNANCE OF URBAN FREIGHT TRANSPORT, PIARC 2012

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Approaches to urban freight transport management

Approach	Example			
(1) Infrastructure	re Development of bypasses/ring roads, urban distribution centers, loading facilities			
(2) Regulatory	Introduction of fuel taxes, road user charge, dedicat freight Impose vehicle restrictions Introduce congestion charging			
(3) Logistical	Use of small delivery vehicles Improved terminal operations Improve driver competencies			
(4) Co-operative	Form freight partnerships load sharing systems (increase load factors) Joint delivering			
(5) Technology	Use of electric delivery vehicles Use of GPS and FTMS Implement a vehicle parking reservation system			
(6) Behavioral	Implement anti idling messages Improve social acceptance of urban freight activities Use of recommended truck routes			



Source: PUBLIC SECTOR GOVERNANCE OF URBAN FREIGHT TRANSPORT, PIARC 2012

Measures for urban freight transport management

Measure				Example
Fraffic Management Traffic Flow Management	: Flow ement	Through-traffic optimization	Infrastructure	Ring roads, bypasses
			Traffic management	Restriction of through-traffic in city
	In/out-flow optimization	Infrastructure	Transshipment terminals outside city	
			Traffic management	Truck route designation
ic Ma	Derking menagement		Infrastructure	Loading/unloading facility
Parking management		Traffic management	Truck-only parking space	
Time management			Limited time window for trucks	
	Vehicle management			Low-emission vehicles



Source: PUBLIC SECTOR GOVERNANCE OF URBAN FREIGHT TRANSPORT, PIARC 2012

Measures for urban freight transport management

Measure			Example	
Better transport method	Joint delivery	Infrastructure	Joint delivery center	
		Traffic management	Joint delivery agreement	
	Intermodal transport	Infrastructure	Intermodal terminals Transshipment equipments	
ony urban ture	Land-use plan	Infrastructure	Environmental buffer along arterial roads	
Harmony with urban structure		Land-use management	Restriction of residential building along arterial roads	
Other	Improve vehicle movement		ITS, ICT	
	Organizational activities		Freight Quality Partnership	



Source: PUBLIC SECTOR GOVERNANCE OF URBAN FREIGHT TRANSPORT, PIARC 2012

Public private partnerships (PPP)

- Coordination and cooperation among stakeholders
- Meeting and discussing together urban freight transport issues from the initial stage of planning
- Sharing data and thoughts
- Identifying problems, finding approaches and measures, implementing policy measures, evaluating them and feedback
- Benchmarking
 - Key performance indicators



Examples of measures in traffic simulation

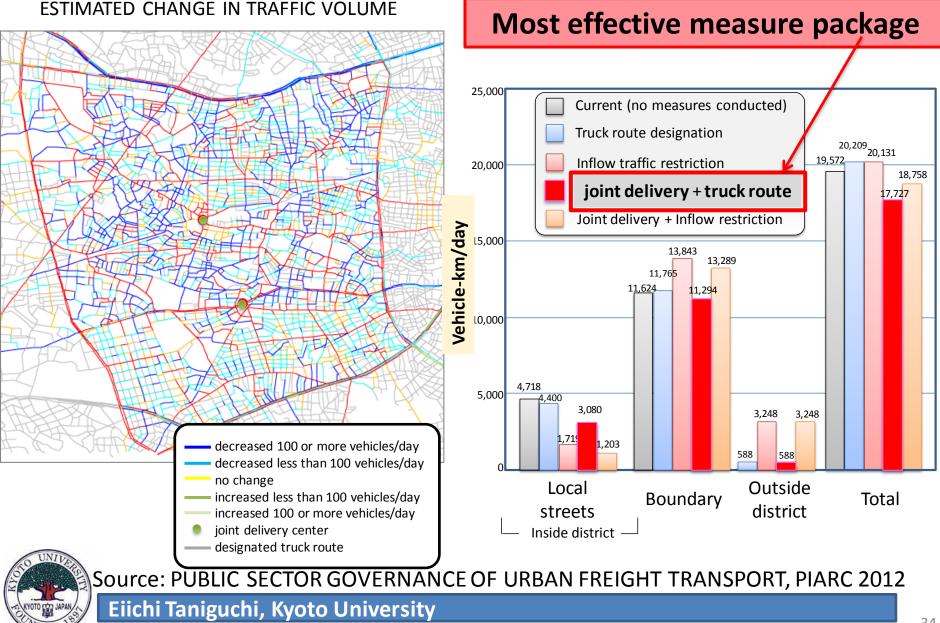
	a) Truck route designation	b) In-flow traffic restriction	c) Joint delivery
Description	Trucks are allowed only on designated routes	No through-traffic	Joint delivery
Expected effects	 -Reduction in freight transport on local streets -Reduction in environmental burdens and accidents 	 -Reduction in freight transport in the restricted area -Reduction in environmental burdens 	 -Reduction in number of freight vehicles in delivery -Reduction in environmental burdens and



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Results of Traffic Simulation in Tokyo



Key Performance Indicators for evaluation

Criteria	Objective	Indicator	Source	Measurement
Life quality	Emissions reduction	-noise -air quality -CO2 -traffic volume -accidents	-field study -local authority -police	-modeling, measurements -traffic counts -literature research
Economic development	Economic development	-Commercial floor space -number of visitors	-local authorities-offices, real state	-statistics -questionnaire study
Accessibility	Improving accessibility	-vehicle-km -travel time -number of obstacles	-carriers -drivers -field study -police	-questionnaire study -traffic counts
Transport efficiency	Improving vehicle load factors	-average load factor of vehicles -fuel consumption per unit	-operators	-study



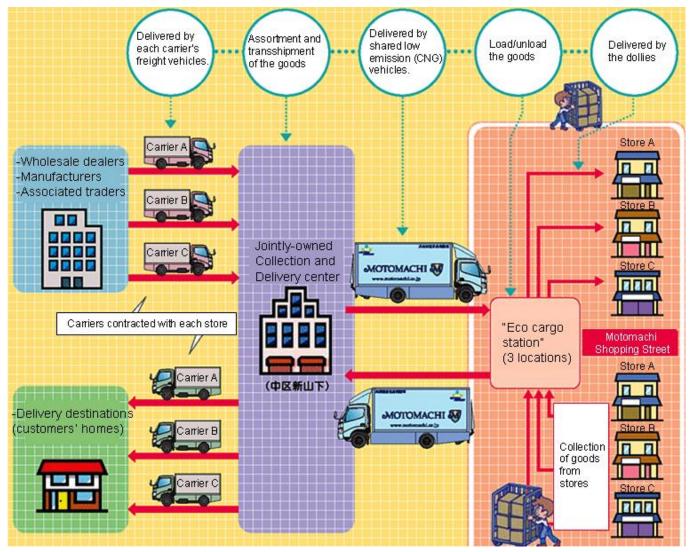
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4. Best practices (1) Urban consolidation centre (Motomachi, Yokohama Japan, 2004-)

	Туре	Before	After
Eco-cargo station	Number of carriers	17 (participating carriers)	1 (jointly-owned carrier)
	Total number of vehicle-days	40 vehicles 30 days	20 vehicles 30 days
	Type of vehicle	Diesel truck	CNG truck
· B. THE UNIC	Number of participating stores	224	Almost all stores
	Goods of exclusion		Directly delivered goods from manufactures, High-value items
	画線経験12m以内に全部23 地域が入ります。	Delivery center	
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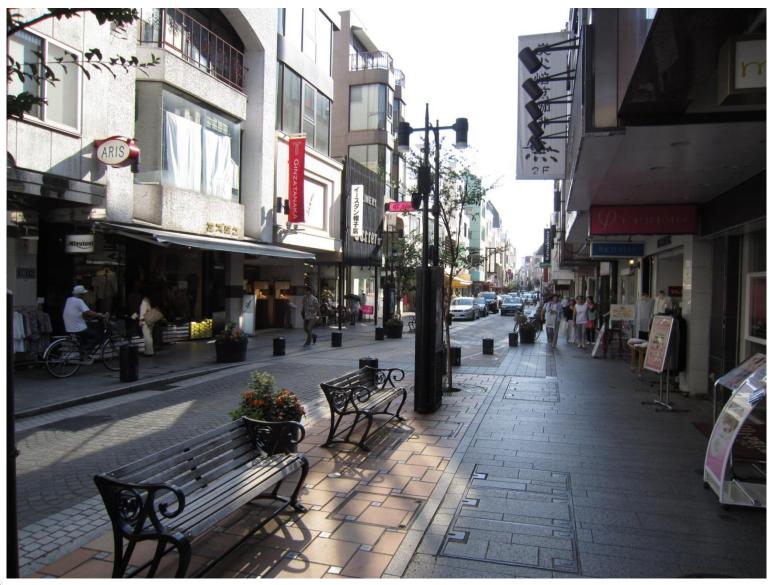
Structure of cooperative freight transport in Motomachi, Yokohama





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Motomachi shopping street



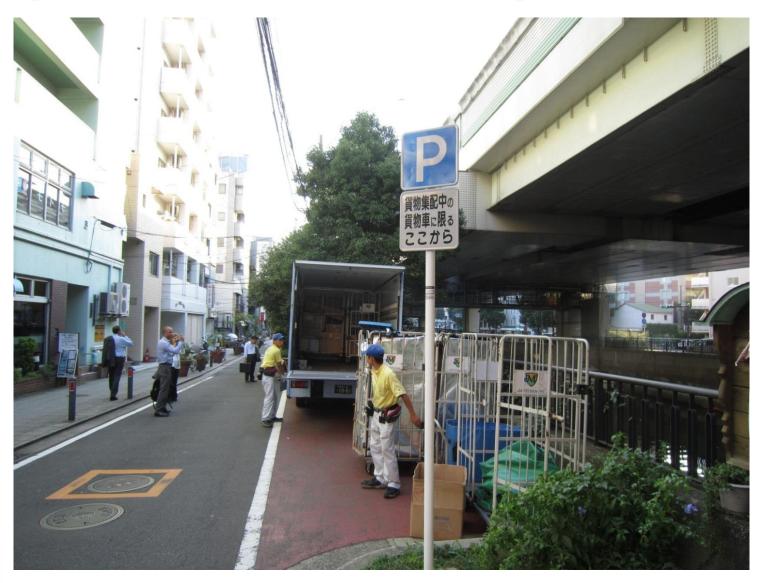


CNG truck for cooperative freight transport





Parking area for cooperative freight transport





Urban consolidation centre





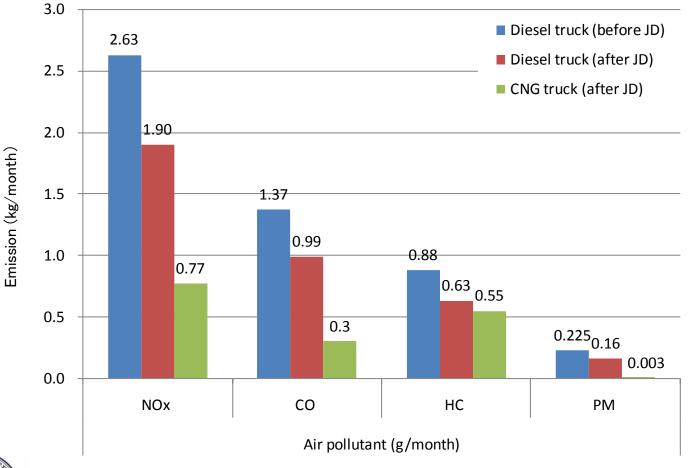
(2) Urban consolidation centre for highrise buildings (Shinjuku, Tokyo, 1992-) Buildings to be delivered

Distribution center





Impacts on air pollutant by urban consolidation centre





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(3) Street parking regulation of freight vehicles (Paris, France, 2007-)

Regulation of use of on street loading/unloading space within 30 minutes was introduced to City of Paris in the light of "Charter of Good Practices of Transport and Delivery of Goods" that had been concluded between City of Paris and 47 interested groups in 2006.



The sign of starting time of delivery

ARRÊT SUR AIRES DE LIVRAISON LIMITÉ À 30 MINUTES

Ce disque est obligatoire pour vos arrêts livraisons/enlèvements. Vous devez rester à proximité de votre véhicule pendant vos opérations de chargement et déchargement, et libérer l'emplacement une fois votre livraison terminée. D'autres peuvent en avoir besoin.





(4) Freight operator recognition scheme (London, UK, 2007-)

Freight Operator Recognition Scheme (FORS) is a key project within the London Freight Plan and provides a quality and performance benchmark for the industry. It will benefit London as a whole by encouraging freight companies to priorities safety and reduce their impact on the environment.

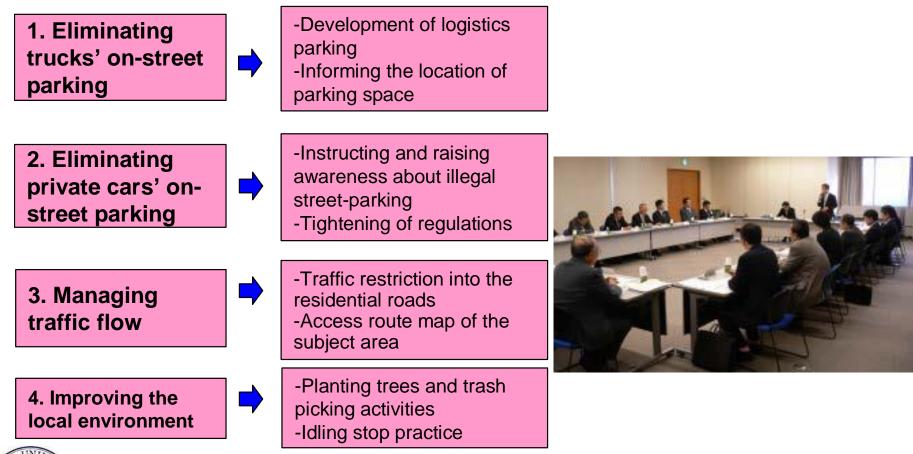


- -Recognizing and rewarding excellence: 3 levels; Bronze, Silver and Gold
- -Raising standards: Educating operators beyond compliance
- -Promoting sustainability
- -Supports operators to increase safety, environmental awareness and efficiency





(5) Public-private cooperative organisation activity (East Osaka, Japan, 2006-)







NUTURE LAND

Parking space dedicated for trucks

On street parking



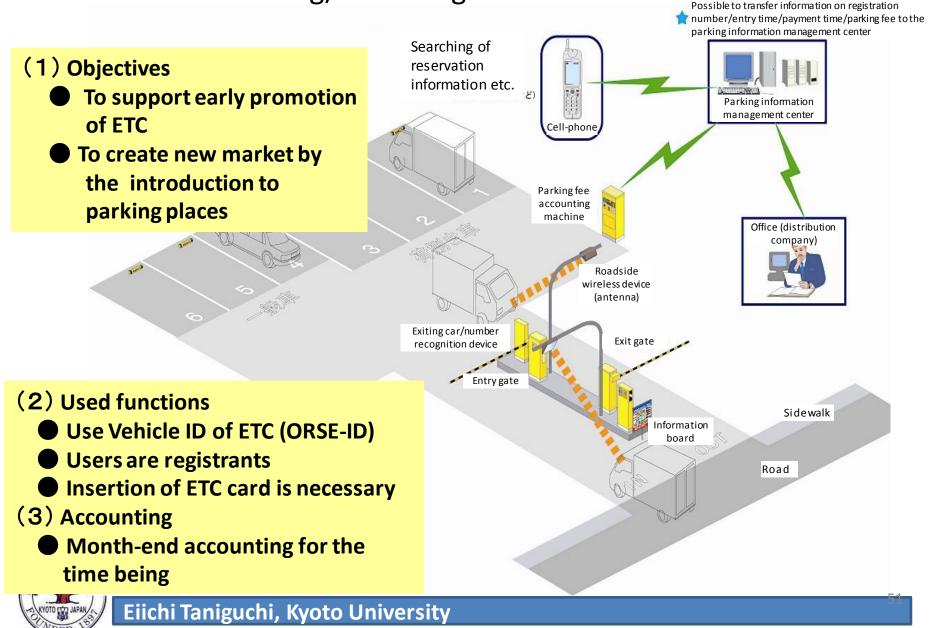


Off street parking

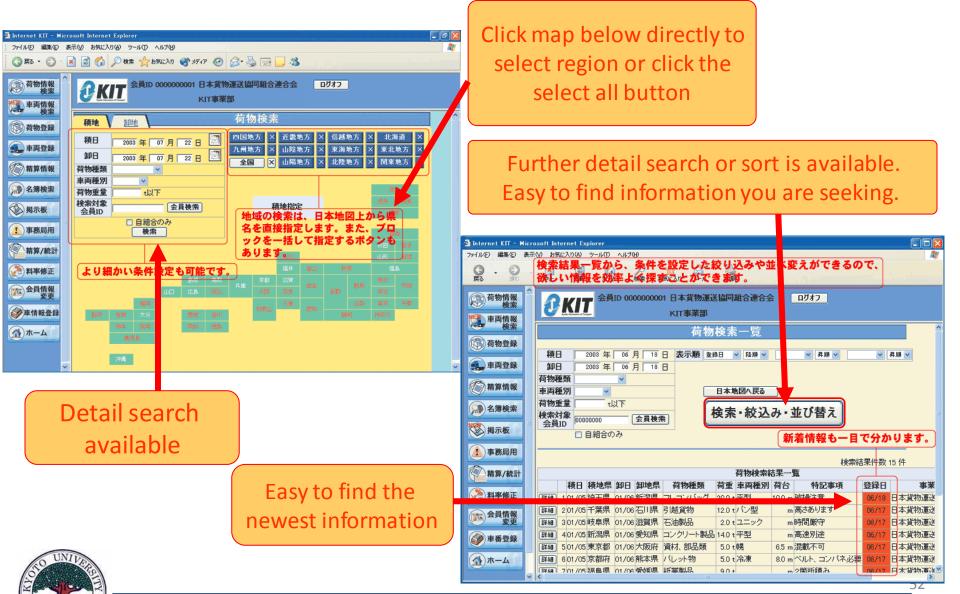




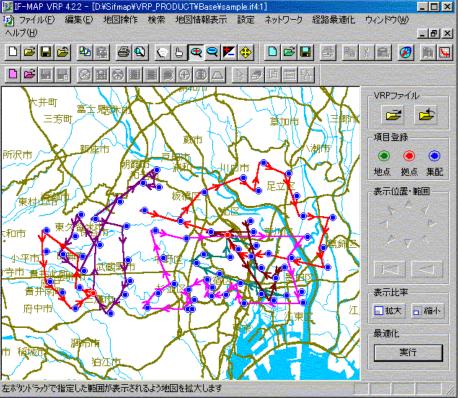
(6) Parking lot booking systems using ITS for loading/unloading



(7) Truck/load matching system KIT

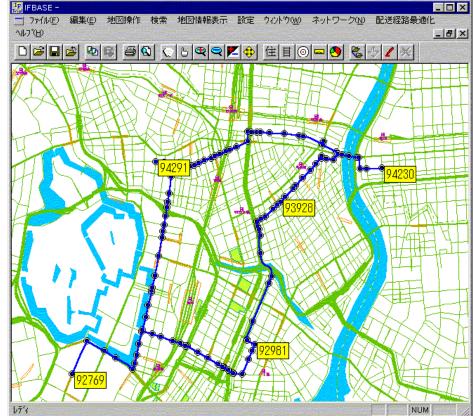


(8) Delivery plan/optimum route



The vehicle allocation and delivery plan support system

Optimum delivery route system





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5. Conclusion

- City Logistics provide powerful tool for solving complicated urban freight transport problems
- Efficient and environmentally friendly logistics systems for mobile, sustainable and liveable cities
- Modelling is needed for evaluating policy measures
- Public-Private partnerships play vital role for implementing city logistics schemes



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