# IMPACT ANALYSIS OF THE PROPOSED FERRY SERVICE ON COMMUTER TRAVEL IN ILOILO CITY

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# lloilo City

 One of the cities that were chosen by the Philippine Government to be granted multiple infrastructure developments in order to improve the economy.

# **IMPROVING ECONOMY**

## ILOILO PROJECTS ON THE RISE

# INVESTMENTS

# **Shopping Malls**



#### **INJAP CONDOTEL**

#### COURTYARD BY MARIOTT







Hotels

# Hospitals



# **Business Parks**





# CONGESTION

# Congestion



# **INFRASTRUCTURE**



# **CONSEQUENCES**



## **IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS AROUND THE CITY**

# REINVENTION



# Esplanade



# lloilo River

- Chosen as a finalist in the Thiess International Riverprize 2013
- An estuary that runs through the middle of



## Transportation Development

 In order to satisfy the growth of the economy, other modes of transportation are needed to lessen the congestion present throughout the city.

Table 1 Total Population by Census Year Iloilo City, 1970 to 2010	
Decennial Census	Total Population (in thousands)
1970	209.7
1980	244.8
1990	309.5
2000	366.4
2010	424.6

## Water Ferry Service

#### CityCat Ferry, Brisbane





Sumida River Ferry services, Tokyo City

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# Water Ferry Service



#### New York Waterway in New York City

ACTER CONTRACTOR

MIN PASIG FERRY 3

Pasig River Ferry, Pasig City

# Why Water Ferry Service?

- Provides an alternative mode of transportation
- Can relieve road-based transportation congestion

# STATIONS WITH ASSIGNED WITHIN ILOILO RIVER



Station no.	Station Name	Landmarks
1	Carpenter's Bridge	Medical City Iloilo, Esplanade, Molo Church, Iloilo Supermart
2	Benigno Aquino Ave.	Smallville, SM City, U.P. Visayas Campus, John B. Lacson Foundation Maritime College
3	Jalandoni Bridge	University of San Agustin, Iloilo Central Elementary School
4	Dalan Luna	Gaisano City Shopping Mall, La Paz Public Market, Saint Paul University – Iloilo, Metro Iloilo Water District, Philippine Charity Sweepstakes Office
5	Provincial Capitol	Provincial Capitol, Days Hotel, Atrium
6	Old Dept. Of Foreign Affairs	National Statistics Office Region VI, SM Delgado, Marymart Mall
7	Fast Craft Terminal	New Iloilo Ferry Terminal
8	Parola	Camp Delgado, DENR, 2Go Travel, Iloilo Domestic Port, National Bureau of Investigation

# STATEMENT OF THE PROBLEM

 Iloilo City's rapid growth in population inadvertently causes an increase in land traffic congestion



• Iloilo River is rehabilitated but remains unutilized

## MAIN OBJECTIVE

 The main objective of the study is to assess the impact of a ferry transport service along Iloilo River on the urban travel in Iloilo City

# SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES

- To determine the travel characteristics of commuters travelling in the area given their choice of transportation
- To determine the service operating characteristics of the existing public transportation in the city
- To recommend river ferry transport routes and stations along Iloilo River
- To estimate the potential demand of the river ferry transport along Iloilo River
- To recommend other possible utilizations of the lloilo River (e.g. its tourism potential)



# Areas to be studied: All zones of Iloilo City All municipality of Oton adjacent to Iloilo City

## SCOPE: 6.41 KM



# LIMITATIONS

## Software used:

#### - JICA STRADA



#### - EMME



# LIMITATIONS

Good MorningAtternoon patrons of liolio Cityl We are Chill Engineering students from DL SU-Manilia and we are doing a study about Developing the impact Analysis on Proposed Water Ferry Service on Commuter Travel in liolio City. Piesse help us answer the ff questions for our study. Thank you. Origin Address (at least barangay or street)

Destination Address (at least barangay or stree

### Data Gathering:

- Survey questionnaire
- Secondary data

(NSO, LTO, DOTC, City Government of Iloilo, previous studies)







# DELIMITATIONS



**River Cross Section Measurements** 



#### -Environmental impact analysis

-Current physical characteristics of the infrastructures along Iloilo River

(Vertical clearance between bridges and water surface)

## HYPOTHESIS

 The river ferry transport service will reduce congestion, especially along roads parallel to the river since some commuters will use the ferry service instead of the road-based modes of transport.

## CONCEPTUAL FRAMEWORK



# THEORETICAL FRAMEWORK

# Four Step Approach:


#### METHODOLOGY



#### DATA ANALYSIS

#### On board Characteristics of Iloilo City

Jeepney Route	Ave. Trip Length (km)	Ave. Boarding /km	Ave. Passenger Volume/km	Average Speed (kph)
Molo – Baluarte	8.86	1.58	9.38	9.57
Molo – Timawa	13.8	0.87	10.23	17.78
Villa – Baybay	10.12	3.56	9.25	8.47
Villa – Mohon	19.26	1.56	18.11	36.33
Mandurriao	8.47	0.48	8.69	20.75

#### **ON BOARD SAMPLE**



#### **Passengers On-Board for Molo-Timawa**

#### Passengers Embark and Disembark for Molo Timawa

Age



#### Income



## SURVEY QUESTIONS



#### **PURPOSE OF TRIP**



#### **TRIP FARE**



### AVERAGE TRAVEL TIME



## ORIGIN AND DESTINATION OF COMMUTERS



#### FERRY TRANSPORT INTEREST



### WILLINGESS TO USE FERRY TRANSPORT



#### **FLOATING RESTAURANT**



#### **BOAT CITY TOUR**



#### FISHING PARK



#### EMBARK AND DISEMBARK



#### **FERRY DESIGN**

Ferry Characteristics				
Speed	16 knots (30 kph)			
Passenger Capacity	50-60 persons			
Headway	5 minutes			

## FERRY TRANSIT IMPACT AREA



## **SCENARIOS**

#### **SCENARIO 1**



#### WITH FERRY



#### WITH EXPRESS LINE



## 7 STATIONS (LESS 1 STATION)



## EXTENDED LINE (+2 STATIONS)



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## LINK VOLUME FOR SCENARIO 1: WITHOUT FERRY SERVICE (2014)



## LINE RESULT ALONG ITINERARIES FOR FERRY 1 ROUTE CARPENTER'S BRIDGE TO PAROLA



#### LEGEND (NABLA = EGRESS, TRIANGLE = INGRESS)









Stations

### **Total Passengers Served per Scenario**



## Potential Shift from Private to Public Vehicle Use



## Total Trips and Growth Rate

Year	Population	Household Number	Total Trips
2014	425344	93355	233387.5
2020	367629	94521	204238.3
2030	489760	122253	272088.9

Year	Growth Rate
2014-2020	1.545%
2020-2030	1.17%

$$T_2 = T_1 e^{rt}$$

- Where:
- $T_1$  = Trips from initial year
- $T_2$  = Trips from final year
- r = growth rate
- t = difference in years

### **Demand Forecast**



Stations

# CONCLUSION

## Conclusion

- The majority of the trips occurring in the City of Iloilo originate from the outskirt residential areas and municipalities.
- Furthermore, their destinations are located in the city proper area with the trip attractors being the schools, offices and shopping malls
- Jeepneys are the modal choice from the transportation types

## Conclusion

- EMME 4 results show that a river ferry system would be extremely beneficial due to its high demand in the given scenarios
- The most decongested roads in the results are the ones near the lloilo River
- The proposed tourist attractions in the study are well received by the respondents; tourism in the city would contribute to the sustainability of the river ferry system as well aas the city's leisure experience

### Recommendation

- All Operating Hours: Originally Proposed 8 station River Ferry Line
- Morning Peak Hours: Originally proposed 8 stations + Express Line from B. Aquino to Parola
- Afternoon Peak Hours: Originally Proposed 8 stations + Express Line from Dalan Luna to Carpenter's Bridge

### Recommendation

- Cost and Profit Study Analysis
- Study on intermodal facilities
- Improvement of Pedestrian facilities
- Possible expansion of the ferry system

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