# Intelligent Transportation Systems Opportunities and Challenges

ITS is Great, Right?

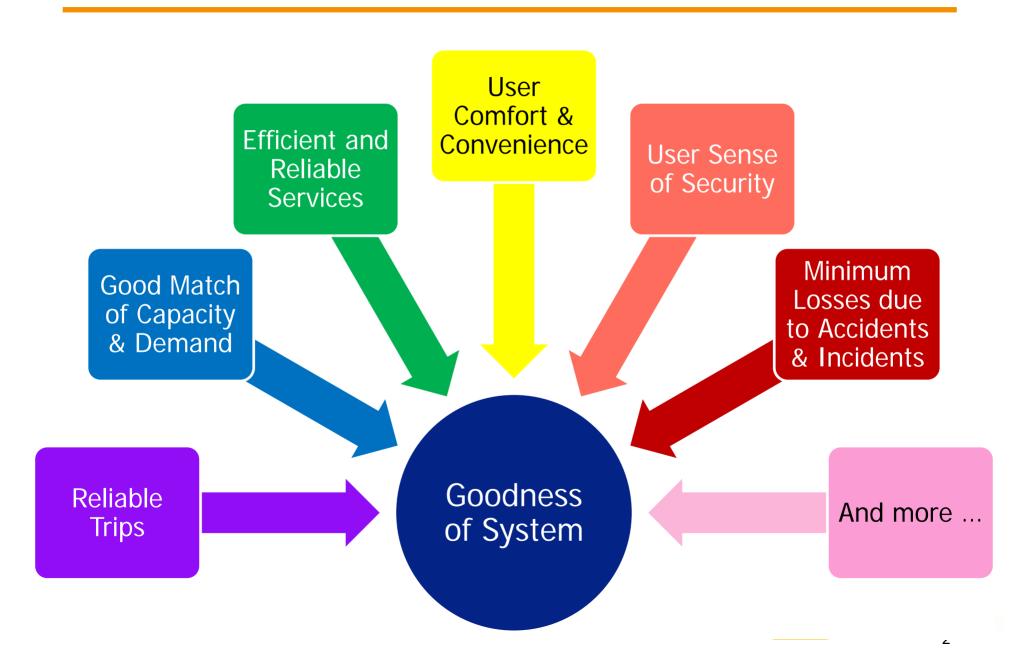


But, may I ask, where is the Beef?

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## **Transport System Performance**



## ICT Technologies and ITS

- Information, Computing, and Telecommunication (ICT) technologies are powerful.
- Many aspects of transportation systems can be improved.
- ITS is born!.



### Here Comes the White Knight - ITS

- Road users are receiving more useful and timely traveler information.
- Safety Statistics are much improved in recent years.
- More energy-efficient options are being promoted.







#### But, Have We Been Saved?

- How much improvement is truly due to ITS?
- Same ITS concepts from 20 years ago are still being discussed.
- Many cities and regions are still witnessing the same traffic problems as before.







### Technology will carry the load!?

Mobility, Safety, Efficiency



**Technology** 

**Everyone thinks I am** the superman!!



I can't do it alone!



# When you have a powerful hammer, everything looks like a nail.



## Society cannot keep up with it!!



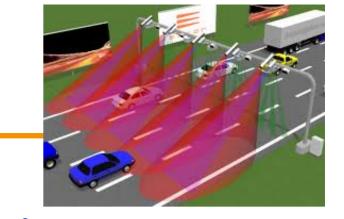
Institutional, Legal, Societal, Political Issues, etc.

#### **Technology**





## Case Study – ETC



- Usage Based Concept
  - Smooth transactions and operations.
  - More and more toll roads in US (e.g. High-Occupancy Toll) Lanes Pay by distance traveled and by vehicle types
  - Congestion pricing (e.g. higher fees at peak hours)
- Harder and harder to get free lunch
  - Equitable system to sustain highway maintenance and operation
  - Where do we get money to pay for all of these?
    - More VMT Based Tolls? Higher Gasoline and Electricity Tax?

# Case Study – Ride Sharing

- A New Class of Ride Sharing
  - Uber, SideCar, Lyft, ZimRide
  - People connect via mobile phones
  - Riders pay "suggested donation"
  - Are they commercial ride providers, like taxi?
- California Public Utility Commission (PUC) issues cease-and-desist notices
  - Companies do not have legal standings to operate transportation services
  - Stop or face fines and jail time



# A Revolutionary Transformation in Automobiles

























#### **The Next Frontier - Cars**

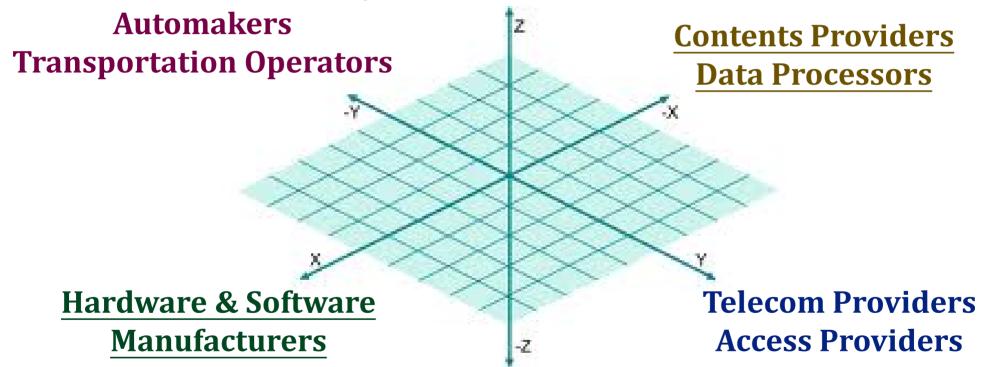
- "Our vision is to create a continuum of personal computing experiences that provides consistency and interoperability across all Internet-connected devices in the home, car, office or in your pocket."
  - (Intel CEO Paul Otellini, Intel Developer Forum, 09/2010)
- Intel Capital creates a \$100 million Intel Capital Connected Car Fund to accelerate technology innovation in the automotive industry.
  - (Intel Newsroom, 02/2012)

### **Industries are Moving!**

- GM OnStar Telematics Has Revenue of \$1 Billion (January 2011)
- Microsoft and Toyota Announce Strategic Partnership on Next-Generation Telematics (April 2011)
- Ford and Toyota teams up on telematics (August 2011)
- CES 2012: Mercedes launches mbrace2 telematics system (January 2012)
- Verizon acquires Hughes Telematics for > 612 M (June 2012)
- Nissan North America teams up with <u>SiriusXM</u> for telematics services (September 2012)

# **An Entangled Growth Network** in A Connected World

Telematics Providers
Insurance Providers
Infotainment Providers



Cloud Computing
Transportation System Management



## Will we ever get there?



### Relevance to Today's Competition

 Positioning Technologies provided by Galileo Satellite Systems

And a powerful combination with wireless

Communication





## There is still hope!

- Technology is becoming more readily available at lower costs.
- Connectivity is enabling a kaleidoscopic suite of new applications.
- Deployment is more widely spread than before, and lessons are being learned.
- Realization needs time, resources, and champions.







#### **Thank You!**

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