





Leadrail's mission is to make transport "Safer, Swifter & Better"

Presently several advanced, innovative and sophisticated technologies and solutions are available in Urban Transport Domain and at the same time traffic gridlocks are common in several cities, especially India. Thus there is a need to introspect and develop a solution which addresses the gap.

The Bie-Bus solution is a more of system development and is basically developed keeping Indian City conditions in view but can be altered to suit local conditions in other countries.



Value Engineering of Urban Transport Systems

VALUE is the reliable performance that a product or process must do to make it work and satisfy – at the reasonable cost.

> What is Value? The Value Equation

Value = Function Cost

- FUNCTION is sometimes referred to as Performance, it is all those things which the product, or process must do to make it work and satisfy.
- COST is the expenditure of a resource, which may include time, money, people, energy and material.



Present Urban Transport Solutions

- Mass Rapid Transit Systems are Metro rails, Mono rails, LRTs & BRTS (PRTs, APMs are not considered as MRTS)
- Metro rails
 - Ocapital Cost per km: \$40-70mn
 - Capacity: 40000-60000 pphpd
 - High Cost & Less network density
 - Proven system and High density corridors

Mono Rails

- Ocapital Cost per km: \$20-30mn
- Capacity: 10000-15000 pphpd
- Safety Evacuation concerns
- High unit (passenger-km) cost





Present Urban Transport Solutions

Bus Rapid Transit System

- Capital Cost: \$ 4-5mn
- Non availability of ROW
- Lane Enforcement issue



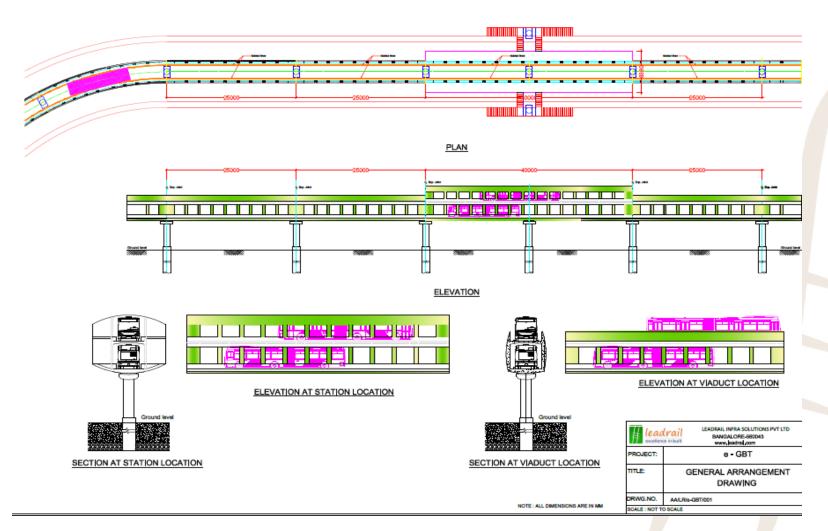
Single Lane Capacity: 3000-5000 pphpd

Light Rail Transit

- Smooth Curves
- Smooth Grades
- Land Acquisition
- Need for novel solution: Safe, Affordable
- Bie-Bus: Bi-level Elevated Bus



Novel Urban Transport: Bie Bus GAD





Urban Transport Solution: Bie Bus

- Elevated system on Roads
- Passes through the medians of cities
- Stations around 600 m interval
- Bi-level box superstructure
- Articulated Buses plying at two levels
 - Top Level "TO" Direction
 - Bottom Level "FROM" Direction
- Lateral maneuvering:
 - Mechanical Leads
 - Magnetic Deviation
- On Board Route Switching Mechanism





Bie-Bus: Rendered View

Bi-Level Advantages:

- 1. Box-Optimum civil cost
- 2. Easy access & Both sides PFs
- 3. Less Station Dwell time
- 4. Less station energy cost
- 5. No requirement of sophisticated signals
- 6. Safe Branching & Merging of routes



Urban Transport Solution: Bie Bus

- Capital Cost: \$10-12 Million per km
- Capacity: 15000-18000 pphpd
- Operational speeds of 30-32 kmph
- Guided and Signal free. Self enforcing



- Robust technology and less control systems
- Pre-cast CWs & Quick Project Delivery (18 months)
- Less land acquisition (1.5 m of road median space)
- Sharp curves (40-45 m) & Steep Grades (10%)
- Wider coverage -> through narrow city roads



Urban Transport Solution: Bie Bus

- Platform level boarding and level floor (650 mm)
- Both side Doors and Platforms
- Less station dwell time (12 secs)
- Highest safety features
 - Redundancy Systems,
 - Anti Rear Collision Sensors
- Pre-ticketing and even smart cards
- Real time information to passengers
- Less noise pollution and vibration problems
- Environment friendly buses like Hybrid or Electric vehicles (Option of overhead charging at stations)



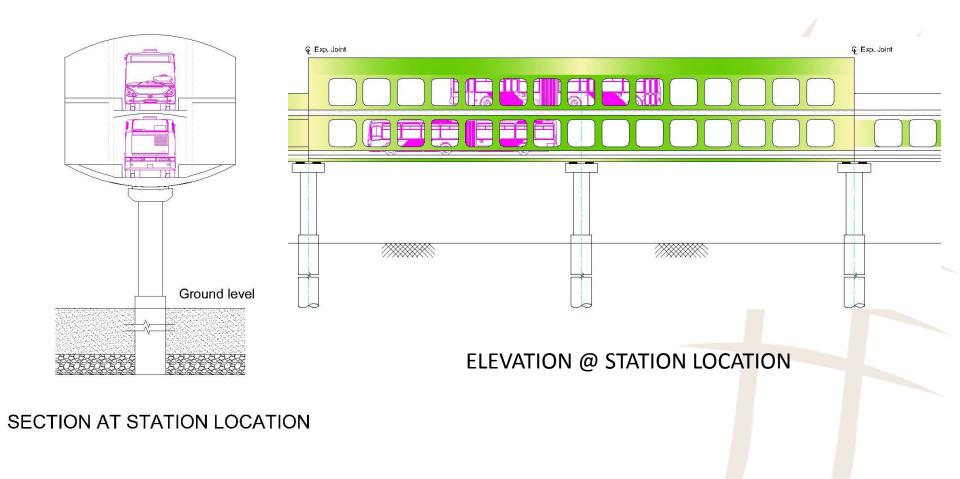


Bie-Bus: Aesthetics



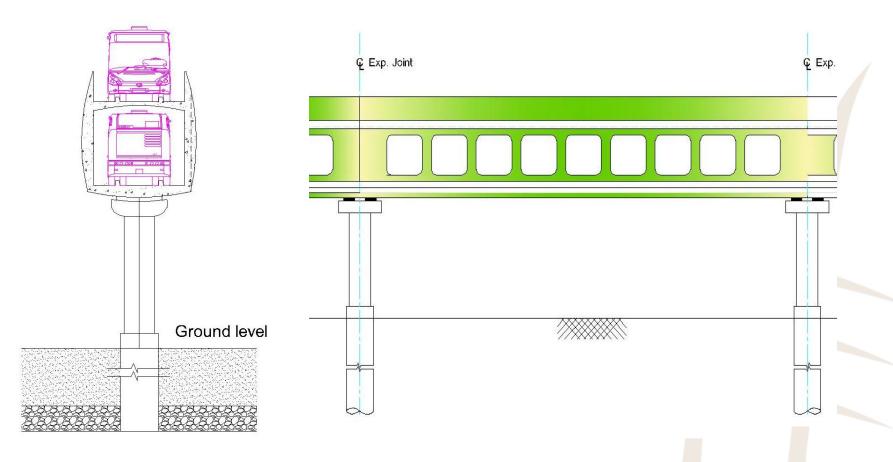


Bie-Bus: Station Configuration





Bie-Bus: Bi-Level Viaduct

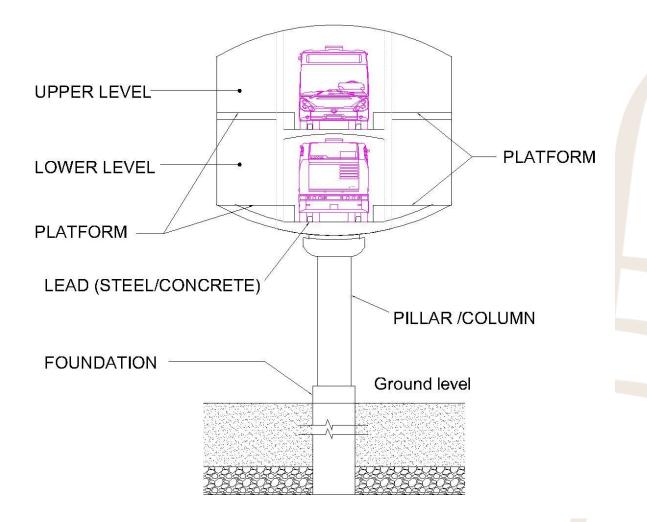


SECTION AT VIADUCT LOCATION

ELEVATION @ VIACDUCT LOCATION



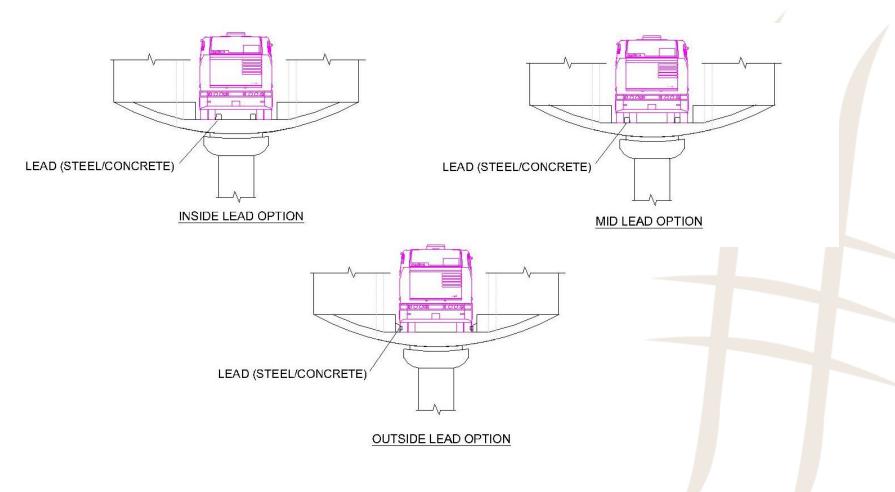
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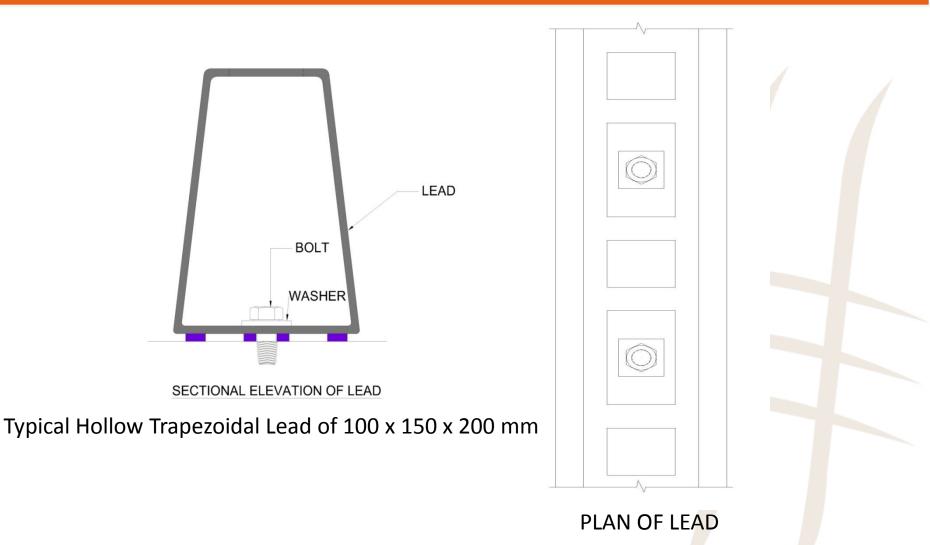
Bie-Bus: Lead-Wheel Interface Options

LEAD - WHEEL INTERFACE ARRANGEMENT OPTIONS



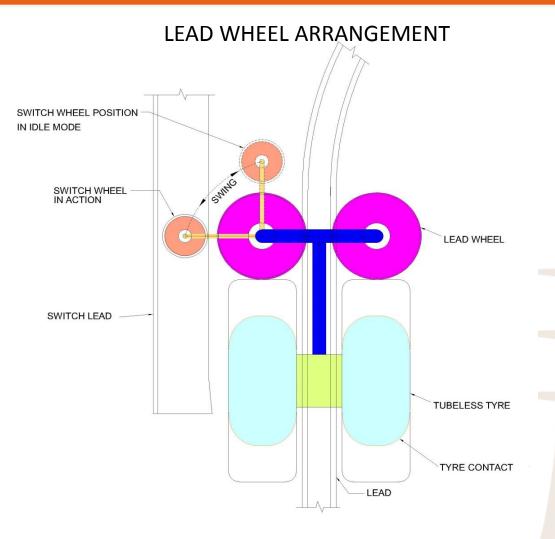


Bie-Bus: Typical Mechanical Lead



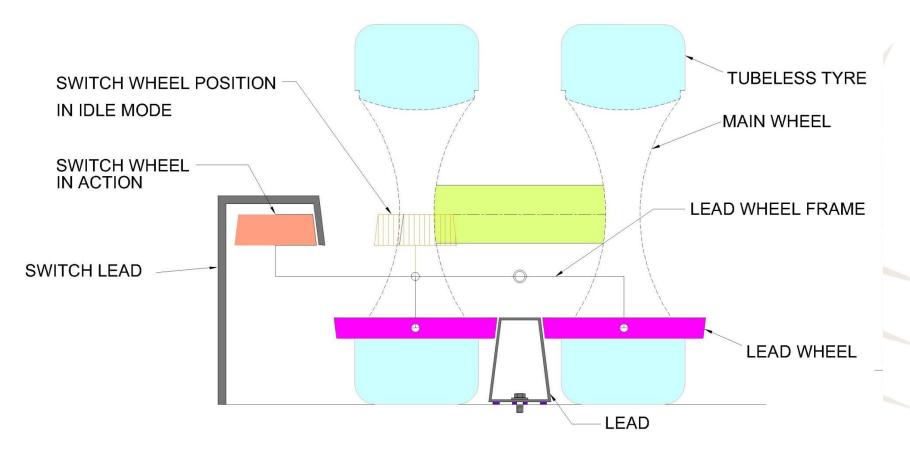


Bie-Bus: Lead-Wheel Maneuvering





Bie-Bus: Switch Wheel in Action

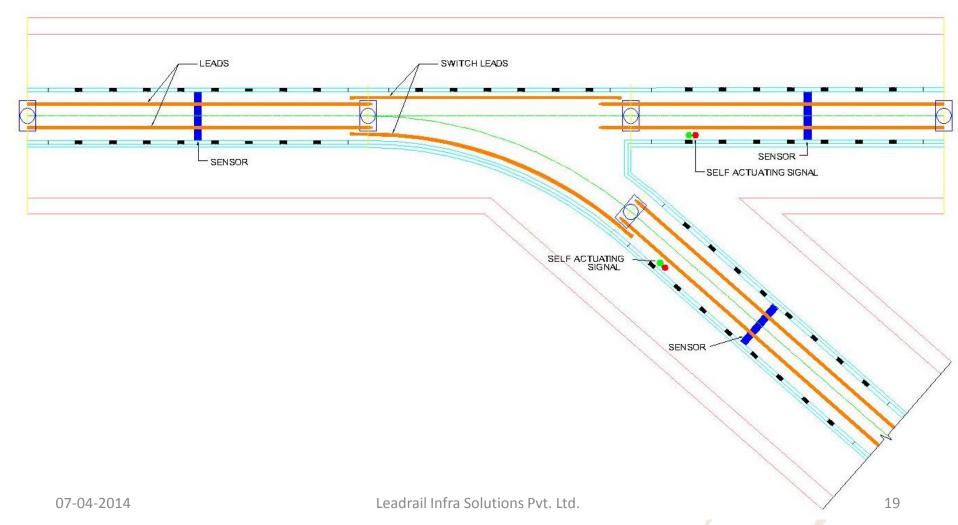


SECTIONAL ELEVATION OF LEAD-WHEEL ARRANGEMENT



Bie-Bus : Switching Mechanism

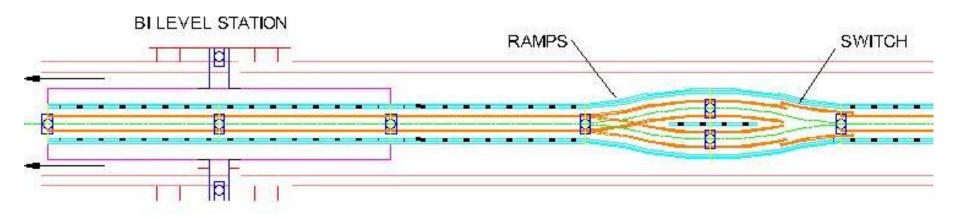
CONVERGENCE / DIVERGENCE MECHANISM

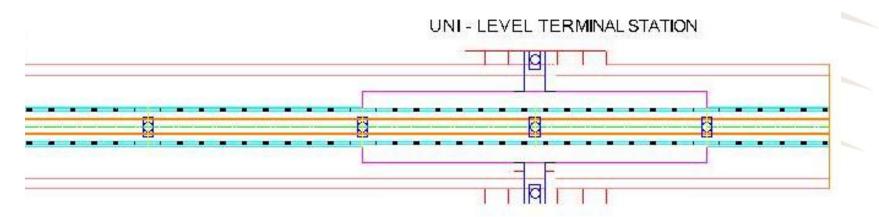




Bie-Bus: Level Interchange Operation

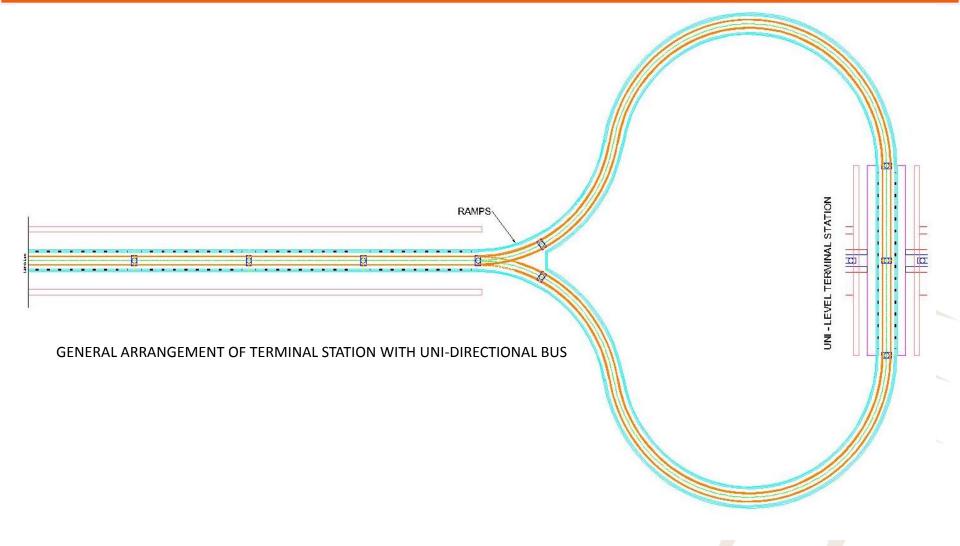
TERMINAL STATION WITH BI-DIRECTIONAL BUS





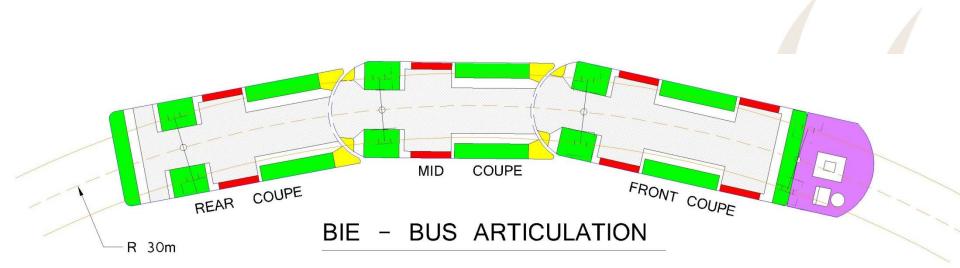


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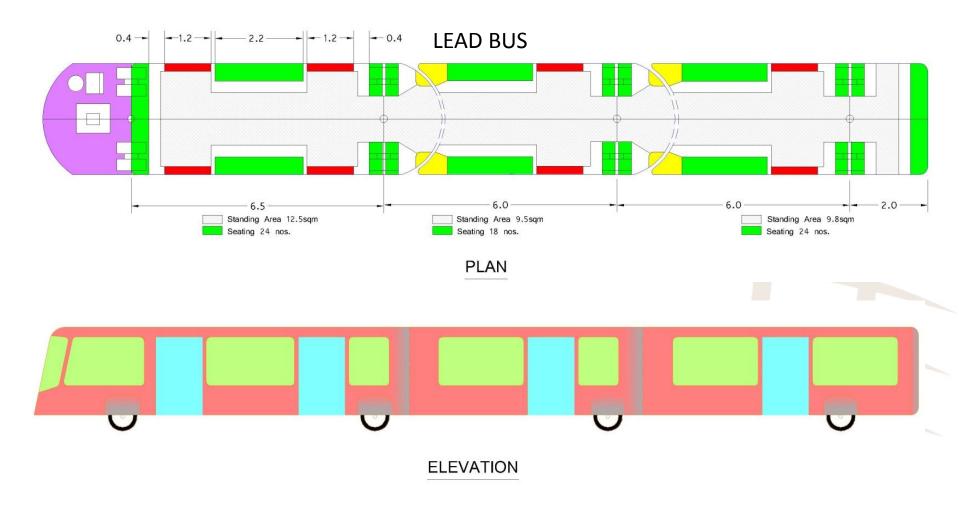


Bie-Bus: Concentric Articulation



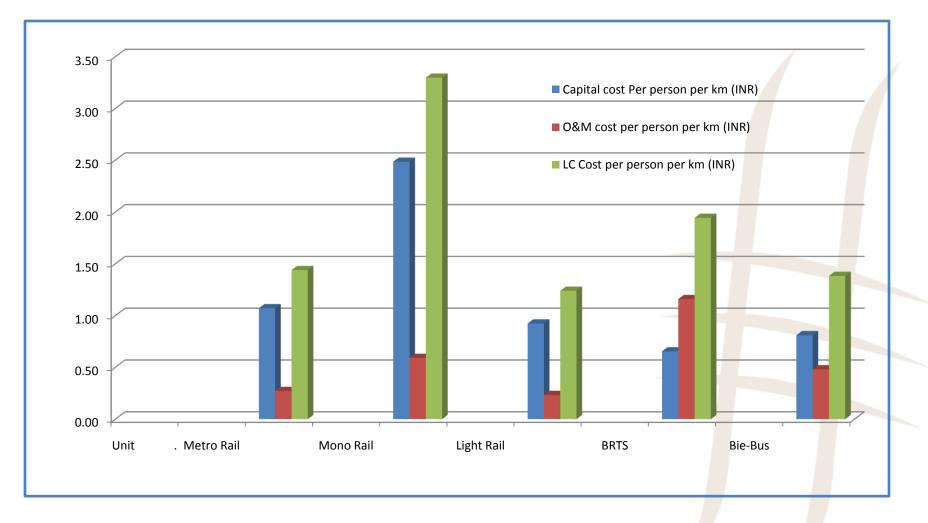


Bie-Bus: Typical Floor Plan & Elevation



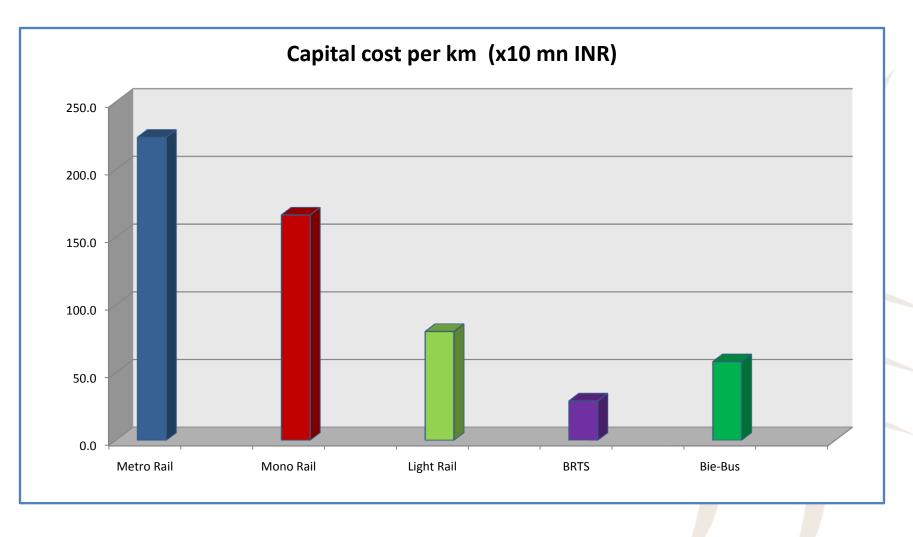


Life Cycle Costs: Regular Systems Vs Bie-Bus



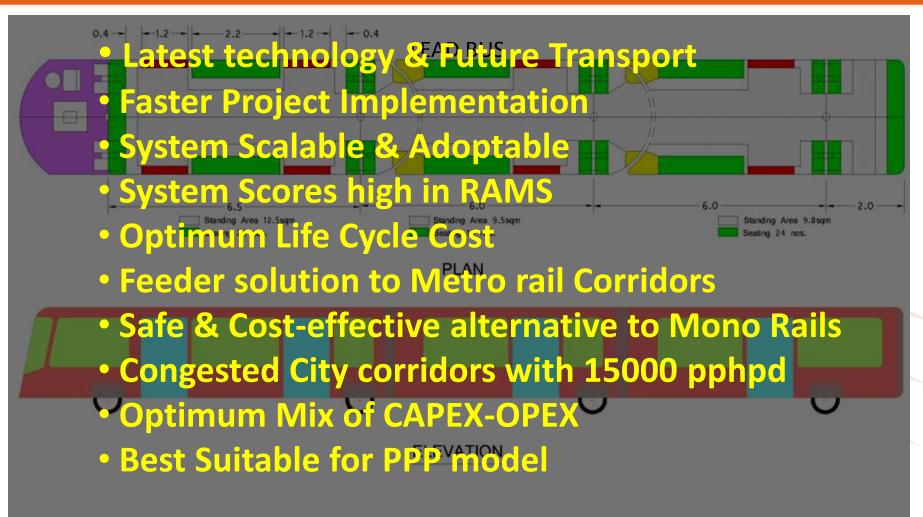


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Bie-Bus: Attractions





Bie-Bus

Thank you!

