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DROFT REPORT

Shared Mobility

Design a safe last mile sharing vehicle for the rural India

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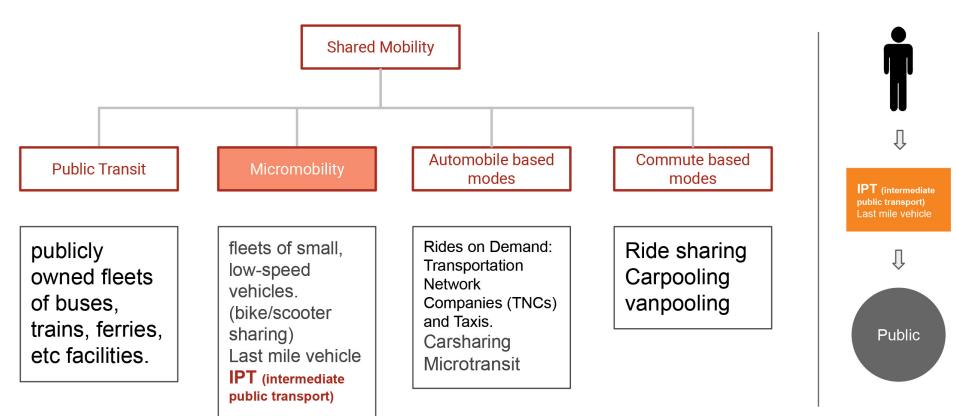
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Definition:

We broadly define shared mobility as transportation services and resources that are shared among users, either concurrently or one after another. This includes public transit; micromobility (bikesharing, scooter sharing); automobile-based modes (carsharing, rides on demand, and microtransit); and commute-based modes or ridesharing (carpooling and vanpooling).

https://sharedusemobilitycenter.org/what-is-shared-mobility/



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SHARED MOBILITY

Mobility in urban india





















SHARED MOBILITY



The second most reported means of transport in india is Auto Rickshaw

about 38% rural households and about 47% urban households use auto rickshaw for commuting

http://timesofindia.indiatimes.com/articleshow/52971518.cms?utm_source=contentofinterest&utm_medium=text&utm_campaign=cppst

WULNEROBILITIES

Current scenario

Front passenger leg outside auto, is extremely dangerous for the passenger, due to this the hand driving posture is extremely compromised and it also restrict the hand movement of the driver, which risk the safety of all the passengers. Also luggage is hanged outside the auto which adds risk to passers by too









Overloaded auto-rickshaws pose threat to schoolchildren

The death of a nine-year-old school student, Sakshi, after falling off from an auto-rickshaw on Monday, has raised a serious concern over the overloading of passengers on auto-rickshaws, especially the ones ferrying school children.

As per government orders, a maximum of five children up to the age of 14 years could be accommodated in an auto-rickshaw. However, more than 15 kids could be seen jostling for space inside these jam-packed autos ferrying them to schools.



https://www.tribuneindia.com/news/archive/jalandhar/overloaded-auto-rickshaws-pose-threat-to-schoolchildren-820516

Overloaded auto-rickshaw overturns in Nithari, crushes 10-year-old passenger

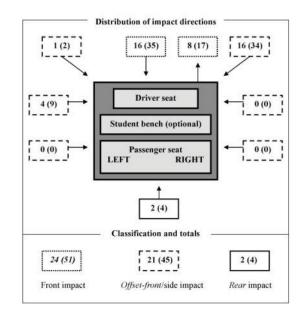
According to police, the auto-rickshaw was taking students home from school when the accident took place.

"The driver was speeding and due to the excess weight, the auto-rickshaw overturned. Of the 11 students, three were injured seriously and a 10-year-old died," a senior police officer said.

https://indianexpress.com/article/cities/delhi/overloaded-auto-rickshaw-overturns-in-nithari-crushes-10-year-old-passenger/

Overloading with more than three passengers was found in 25 cases (50% of cases in which passengers were carried). Four to six passengers were on board in 18 (36%) cases and 7–15 passengers in 7 (14%) cases. The number of injured or dead passengers (irrespective of inclusion in this study, because not all the injured/dead in each crash were brought to the hospitals participating in the study) was found to be significantly higher in motorised rickshaws with more than three passengers (mean 4.5 injured or dead per case, standard deviation (SD) 3.5) than in those with three or less passengers (mean 1.8, SD 1.0; p < 0.001)

https://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC3020288/



MORKET RESEORCH

Apé Auto+ DSL BS VI: Technical Specifications

Engine	Diesel	
Туре	Water Cooled Engine	
Displacement	599 cc	
Max Power	7 kW (9.39 hp) @ 3600 rpm	
Max Torque	23.5 Nm @ 2200 rpm	
Transmission		
Clutch Type	Multi Disc Wet Type	
Gear Box	Constant Mesh	
Gears	5 Forward, 1 Reverse	
Suspension		
Front	Hydraulic Telescopic Shock Absorber With Helical Compression Spring with Damper	
Rear	Hydraulic Telescopic Shock Absorber With Rubber Compression Spring with Damper	
Steering		
Steering	Handle Bar Type	
Brake & Tyre		
Brake	Drum Brake Hydraulicaly Actuated Internal Expanding Shoe Type	
Tyre	4.50 - 10, 8 PR	
Electrical System		
System Voltage	12V DC	
Battery Rating	50 Ah	
Dimensions		
Wheelbase	2100 mm	
Overall Width	1465 mm	
Overall Length	3140 mm	
Overall Height	1950 mm	
Minimum Ground Clearance	240 mm	
Weight		
GVW	974 kg	
Kerb Weight	524 kg	
Seating Capacity	Driver + 5	
Performance		
Maximum Gradeability	23.80%	
Fuel Tank Capacity	10 Ltrs	
Max Speed	60 km/h	

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₹2.99 lakh* View On Road Price**

*Ex-showroom Price in BIHARSHARIF

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Apé Auto DXL BS VI: Technical Specifications

Engine	Diesel	
Туре	Water Cooled Engine	
Displacement	599 cc	
Max Power	7 kW (9.39 hp) @ 3600 rpm	
Max Torque	23.5 Nm @ 2200 rpm	
Transmission		
Clutch Type	Multi Disc Wet Type	
Gear Box	Constant Mesh	
Gears	5 Forward, 1 Reverse	
Suspension		
Front	Hydraulic Telescopic Shock Absorber With Helical Compression Spring with Dampener	
Rear	Hydraulic Telescopic Shock Absorber With Rubber Compression Spring with Dampener	
Steering		
Steering	Handle Bar Type	
Brake & Tyre		
Brake	Drum Brake Hydraulically Actuated Internal Expanding Shoe Type	
Tyre	4.50 - 10, 8 PR	
Electrical System		
System Voltage	12V DC	
Battery Rating	50 Ah	
Dimensions		
Wheelbase	2100 mm	
Overall Width	1465 mm	
Overall Length	3140 mm	
Overall Height	1950 mm	
Minimum Ground Clearance	240 mm	
Weight		
GVW	806 kg	
Kerb Weight	506 kg	
Seating Capacity	Driver + 3	
Performance		
Maximum Gradeability	23.80%	
Fuel Tank Capacity	10 ltrs	
Max Speed	60 km/h	





Ape Auto DXL

₹2.96 lakh* View On Road Price**

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Apé Auto DX BS VI (Diesel): Technical Specifications

Engine	
Туре	Single Cytinder, Naturally Aspirated, Water Cooled, Direct Injection, Electronic Fuel Injection Engine
Displacement	599 cc
Max Power	7 kW (9.39 hp) @ 3600 rpm
Max Torque	23.5 Nm @ 2200 rpm
Transmission	
Clutch Type	Multi Disc Wet Type
Gear Box	Constant Mesh
Gears	5 Forward, 1 Reverse
Suspension	
Front	Hydrautic Telescopic Shock Absorber with Helical Compression Spring with Damper
Rear	Hydraulic Telescopic Shock Absorber with Rubber Compression Spring with Damper
Steering	
Steering	Handle Bar Type
Brake & Tyre	
Brake	Drum Brake Hydraulically Actuated Internal Expanding Shoe Typ
Tyre	4.50 - 10, 8 PR
Electrical System	
System Voltage	12V DC
Battery Rating	50 Ah
Dimensions	
Wheelbase	1920 mm
Overall Width	1465 mm
Overall Length	2940 mm
Overall Height	1770 mm
Minimum Ground Clearance	245 mm
Weight	
GVW	780 kg
Kerb Weight	480 kg
Seating Capacity	Driver + 3
Performance	
Max Gradeability	22.20%
Fuel Tank Capacity	10.5 Ltrs
Max Speed	60 km/h







₹2.87 lakh* View On Road Price**





Vehicle Dimesnions (mm)		
Wheel Base (mm)	2005	
Wheel Track (mm)	1250	
Turning Raidus (mm)	3500	
Min Ground Clearance (mm)	175	
Overall Width (mm)	1452	
Overall Height (mm)	1866	
Overall Length (mm)	2978	

Weight	
Max. GVW (kg)	780
Kerb Weight (kg)	460
Seating Capacity	Driver + 3 Passenger / Driver + 5 Passenger

Engine		
Engine Type 4-stroke, Single - Cylinder, air cooled diesel engi		
Displacement	436 cc	
Maximum Power (KW)	7.5BHP @3600 rpm	
Maximun Torque (NM)	18 Nm @ 2000-2400 rpm	
Clutch Type	Multi Plate Wet Clutch	
Transmission	Constant Mesh, 4 Forward + 1 Reverse	



CHAMPION PASSENGER (6+1) CARRIER Weight	
Kerb Weight	685 Kgs
Seating Capacity	6+1
Min. Ground Clearance	160 mm

Dimensions	
Wheel Base	2050 mm
Overall Width	1520 mm
Overall Length	3400 mm
Rear Wheel Track	1360 mm
Min. Ground Clearance	160 mm
Engine	
Engine Type	Single cylinder water cooled, 4S, DI
Engine Power	7.5 kW @ 3000 rpm (10.2 bhp)
Engine Max.Torque mkg@rpm	2.6 @1800-2400
Engine Capacity CC	510



From ₹ 2.75 Lakh*

*Ex-showroom Price in New Delhi 🖍

USER RESEORCH

Questionnaire (drivers)

Introduction(name, age, family member(details), since when in this occupation, which vehicle do they own?

Trip information- How long one trip is and how many trips? Avg daily income? How many passengers do they take on one trip?

How do you accommodate so many passengers?

Why did u consider Auto over toto (e-rickshaw) or minivan?

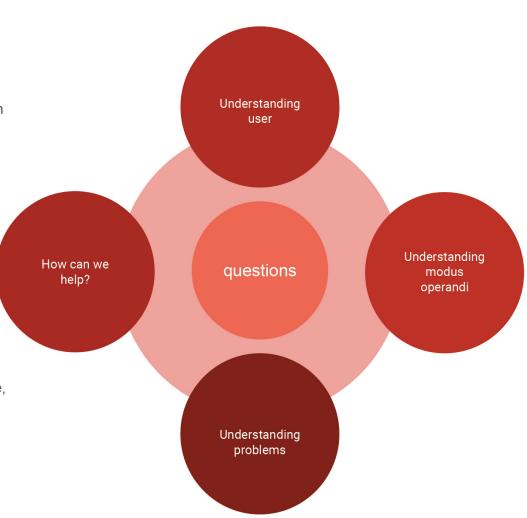
Did u make any modifications to the vehicle after the purchase?

Did you take loan for vehicle?

Do you have any other problem with running vehicle on road?

If we reduce the price of petrol for you, but fare for each passengers remain the same, then how many passengers would you take now?

Do you have access to electricity?





He is driving a Piaggio auto, since 5-6 years he is into this profession. He carries 7-8 passengers in a trip and make trips of roughly 15-20 km.

His earnings is variable also does farming, and on avg earns 300-500 per day by driving auto rickshaw. He spent 20k on interior modification like (seats and body work)

He at times overload, intention behind is earning more, he gives discount on fare if someone stand on footboard or rear bumper to travel. He took auto rickshaw because he didn't knew about it when he got his rickshaw. He says e- rickshaw became popular 1-2 years back. Given government schemes he is willing to get an e rickshaw because he already finds running rickshaw less feasible economically and depends more on farming.





Blocked wrong side entry and egress, for safety reasons, but still not adequate

2+2 seating at rear

Middle seat moved forward to accommodate 2 extra passengers at rear. Compromised leg room

Driver seat made widest to accommodate passengers and also because any further modification will need to chance chassis





Hand support given for overloading passengers

Oversized seat to accommodate more people, Compromised ingress, egress and driving posture

Subodh Kumar Bihar

He drives a bajaj RE. Since he has a small auto he takes upto 6 passengers maximum and does trip upto 40 km on one direction, he roughly runs 100-130 km daily. He consider 6 passengers to not be overloaded and don't take any more passenger because there is no space. He modified the front seat to accommodate more passengers. He preferred auto over toto because it is more comfortable and can go long distance too.

He says people prefer his auto over big auto due to comfort and also that it fills faster with just 6 passengers whereas big auto run with at least 10 passengers. He says toto have become popular since past 1-2 years, and is giving him a tough competition in the market although its running cost is very less but his friends who got it need to replace its battery in 1-2 year running that cost 30-40k. He like his auto due to premiumness and comfort and also use it as his personal vehicle

Awdhesh Singh (43) Bihar

User 3

He owns an Atul auto and is into this business since past 10-12 years. Earlier used to own Bajaj, Mahindra auto as well. He runs in sequence from the market place in the village. He modified his rickshaw (seat and bodywork). and He takes 10 (2+4+4) passengers and makes 3 to 4 trip of 16 -17 km daily. He consider 1+4+4 to be normal seating and does overload to make it feasible due to the rising fuel prices. The problem he face is low income due to fuel price, and people don't wish to seat only in the centre seat so to fill the auto to 10 passengers is difficult. He also says passengers don't agree to raised fare since they have also suffered due to pandemic, and simply give up travelling with price surge. He gives an example, earlier before pandemic the fare was 10, during pandemic it was 20, and now 15 due to fuel price, but still people argue for fare that was before pandemic.

He didn't got toto because he had no experience in it, but he say given government schemes, he will be interested in getting one as he runs small trips. He says he will keep both auto and toto, and will use auto for reserved and long routes like during election campaigns (300 km). He has access to electricity.







He says this market segment is the most price conscious segment, even a 100 rupee difference can affect the buying decisions. We struggle the most to sell the tyre of this particular segment since is most competitive. Quality comes as a second priority for most, "tatkal chala do, baad ka baad me dekhal jayega". He also says that in order to earn more they will overload the vehicle even if this affects the longevity of the vehicle as well as its components including tyres. For usage pattern he says minivans run in are used in flood affected areas and where trips are usually more than 35 kms. In flood affected areas the three wheelers often turn turtle so people avoid using it. He travels around bihar and visits many different villages, he says there is a decent coverage of roads, however few areas still lack but there is some level of connectivity established.

Electricity is not an issue in bihar, as per his findings the less performance and quality of e rickshaw (speed, carrying capacity, after sales service and inability to go long distance) limits its expansion, and that is the reason why still we have so many autos running on roads and it will be the same in near future too.



Questionnaire (Users)

Introduction(name, age, family member(details), occupation.

How often do you use auto for travel? Reasons for using auto?

What do you think about safety in current generation of autorickshaws?

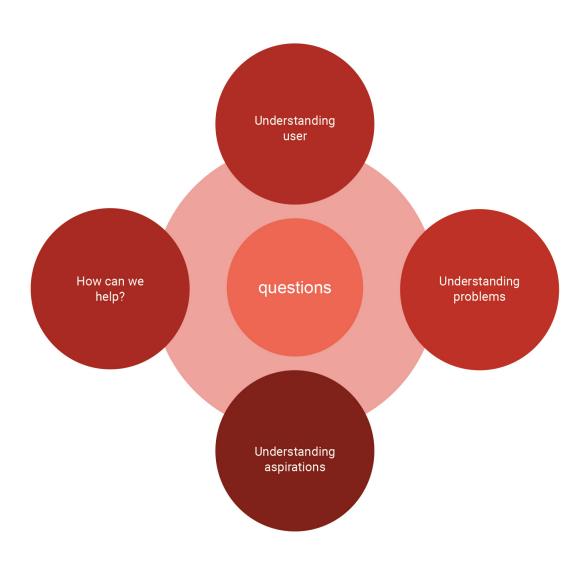
Have you ever witnessed any close calls or accidents involving auto?

What as per you is an overloaded auto? Would u still take one? If yes why?

Do you travel with luggage? If yes how do You manage it during ride?

Do you face any problem, related to safety or any other thing as such when you travel.

What as per you can be done to make the ride experience better?





Babloo Kumar Railway Employee Bihar

He live in very remote village (champapur), there is no proper connectivity of roads. He takes auto to go to his office which is the railway halt. He takes auto because it's the most common mode and other modes include taker (which he at times use too) and other informal modes. Where he lives he doesnt gets a running auto and the auto takes at least 8 passenger before starting. He has no other option than taking the crowded auto because it's the same case with all autos. He thinks that safety is greatly compromised in autos and it is more due to overloading and bad road condition of roads in villages. He himself once fell from an auto and broke his arm after the auto got into a pothole.

He travels with a small bag and when going to relatives or outstation he carries more luggage. Usually small luggage he holds in hand but big luggage he keeps in carrier. It make it really hard for him during rainy season to travel in auto. Also he thinks that autos are not comfortable and with extra passengers it is even worse. Sitting in a compromised positions at rear hurt his legs and back too. He prefers middle row seat and only take rear seat in urgent situation. He never takes front seat again after accident.



Rakesh Murmu Lab Assistant Jharkhand

He works as a lab assistant in a government polytechnic college. The college itself is located in remote area but there is availability of basic market and healthcare. He uses a motorbike but for longer trips, or trips with his family he uses auto rickshaw. Where he live the main city is 35 kms far so only available mode of transport is auto and taker. He prefers auto because it's fairly newer than taker and airy. He too faces the same issue of not getting running auto and a minimum of 6 passengers is needed to start the commute. He is not much aware about overloading and consider 8 to be the normal carrying capacity. He strictly wants the middle seat to travel as he is not comfortable in front and rear seat, due to his age and body physic. He says his stomach interfere with drivers hand while driving.

He travel with luggage at time, either he hold it in hand or keep it in the carrier at top. He wants the auto to be more comfortable. He like the small auto which according to him is swift, and comfortable. He says there is a lot of jerking and the rides should be smoother to make the experience better.



Aditya Das Primary School Teacher Jharkhand

He lives in a very remote village of jharkhand called "godda".. He recently started working as a govt. Teacher. He doesn't own a vehicle and rely on public transport for his transportation need. Available options to him are magic taker auto and fitter gaadi. He prefers magic and autos the most. But he says for small rides magic is not available. He prefers the middle seat but is ok with any seat offered. He takes overloaded because its is the normal case for him all autos in his place run with 8-10 passengers in general. He doesn't thinks that autos are safe because it's open but he still takes it because it's better than fitter gaadi which don't even have proper seats.

He have once hurt his head with the bolts holding the canopy when the auto jerked in a pothole. He thinks that 3 wheelers are not safe because it can topple easily due to bad road. He keeps his luggage on his lap while travelling and if it's big he keeps it on carrier overhead

He don't face any problem as such and find it convenient, but for suggestion he wishes autos to have doors, for safety and whether protection.

Insights drivers

All autos are retrofitted with aftermarket seating and interiors which is done with the sole purpose of accommodating more passengers. However the triangular platform itself is not the ideal one for low footprint and effective packaging inside the vehicle.

Overloading is a necessity and with the recent increase in fuel prices COR is increased, thus, leading to further overloading of passengers.

The space inside the auto is fully exploited to accommodate double the passengers than the permissible limit, and, any space given will be again used to accommodate passengers.

There is no realisation of running an overloaded auto as it has normalised. Thus, even just making the COR more economical won't bring down the overloading pattern.

The current chassis structure is vulnerable to be modified and compromise on safety. Even, the handlebar adds to the vulnerability because it gives freedom to the driver to operate it at extreme posture.

There is a trade-off between comfort to passengers or profit being made and mostly the letter is chosen by totally overlooking the former. But, comfort has an edge, as it is the desired experience by the user.

The middle seat is the most comfortable and is preferred by passengers. The setting hierarchy makes it difficult for the drivers to get rides.

There is an eye for recent emerging e-vehicles due to economical cost of running but lack of options and debt of ownership halts the process of adaptation. However, government schemes may accelerate the process.

The owners would feel proud to use the vehicle as their personal vehicle to but have to compromise and make it a commercial vehicle first.

Insights users

Open structure makes the space less claustrophobic but is extremely dangerous with overloaded passengers. Vomiting and suffocation is experienced too in long trips as it is not very comfortable.

Auto are a safe vehicle within permissible limits but open structure gives current chassis configuration allows a lot of opportunities to tweak it and overload it, which risks the safety.

Aftermarket seats are not desirable and cause fatigue to person using them due to compromised sitting posture. Also, it interferes with the working space needed to the driver.

There is a social acceptance for overloading auto, and people chose it because of lack of better options.

Overall satisfaction level in consumer regarding safety and comfort was low and they wish for a more comfortable ride. Also, in rainy season people find it difficult to take a trip in auto.

Luggage being carried is either held in hand or kept outside the envelope of the vehicle, mostly on the top.

Design Brief

How may we design an all weather, 9 seater(8+D) electric low footprint open vehicle for the rural India with non discriminating seating, which prevents overloading of passengers and enhance safety for both driver and passengers **without compromising on loading capacity**.



All passengers and their belongings should be well contained inside the envelope of the vehicle,

There should be uniform and comfortable seating with adequate legroom

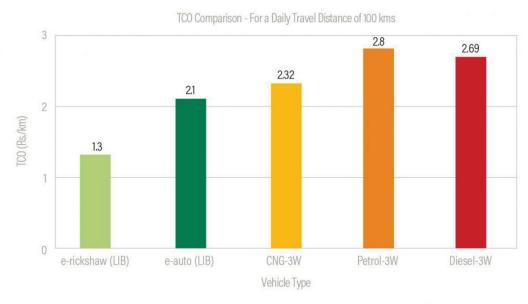
The vehicle should provide protection in all weather conditions.

The chassis should be foolproofing it from any further illegal modifications that compromise the safety of users.

Blurring the line between a passenger and a commercial vehicle

Background RESEARCH

Comparison of TCO per km of e-rickshaw (Without subsidy) and e-auto (Without subsidy) with CNG-3W, Petrol-3W and Diesel-3W at average daily travel distance of 100km



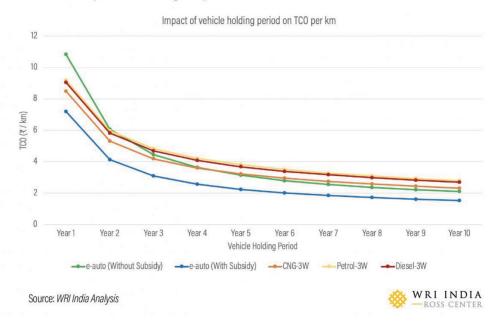
Source: WRI India Analysis



Figure 2: Comparison of TCO per kilometer of e-rickshaw (without subsidy) and e-auto (without subsidy) with CNG-3W, Petrol-3W and Diesel-3W at average daily travel distance of 100 km. Here, the purchase cost of e-rickshaw (LIB) and e-auto (LIB) is INR 2,02,552 and INR 3,66,906 respectively. The cost of CNG-3W, Petrol-3W and Diesel-3W is INR 2,40,000. Some major inputs and assumptions used to calculate the annual operating cost include cost of electricity INR 6/ kWh, cost of petrol INR 72/liter, cost of CNG INR 46/kg, cost of Diesel INR 67/liter, resale value 10%, discount rate 10% and vehicle holding period of 10 years. The mileage of e-rickshaw, e-auto, CNG-3W, Petrol-3W and Diesel-3W are 13 km/kWh, 17 km/kWh, 30 km/kg and 30km/liter respectively.

https://wri-india.org/blog/busting-cost-barrier-why-electric-three-wheelers-make-business-sense https://fame2.heavvindustrv.gov.in/content/english/13_1_brief.aspx

Comparison of year-wise TCO per km of e-autos (with and without subsidy) against its ICE variant with different fuel options at an average daily travel distance of 100 kms



Comparison of year-wise TCO per km of e-autos (with and without subsidy) against its ICE variant with different fuel options at an average daily travel distance of 100 km.



Government has approved Phase-II of FAME Scheme with an outlay of **Rs. 10,000 Crore** for a period of 3 years commencing from 1st April 2019. Out of total budgetary support, about 86 percent of fund has been allocated for Demand Incentive so as to create demand for Electric Vehicles (xEVs) in the country. This phase aims to generate demand by way of supporting **7000 Electric Buses** (e-bus), **5 lakh Electric Three Wheelers (e-3W)**, **55000 Electric Four Wheeler Passenger Cars** (including Strong Hybrid) (e-4W)and **10 lakh Electric Two Wheelers** (e-2W).



Higher Savings

Low running cost of only 50 paise per km, leading to savings of up to ₹ 45 000.00 every year in fuel cost*.

BATTERY		
Battery Type, Voltage	Lithium-ion, 48V	
Battery Capacity (Installed) - kWh	7.37	
Charging Time 0-100% @Standard Conditions	3 h 50 min	

DRIVETRAIN		
Peak Power - kW	8	
Peak Torque - Nm	42	
Transmission Type	Direct Drive	



Mahindra Treo



₹ 1.69 - ₹ 2.79 Lakh*



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: L5M - Auto **Vehicle Category**

Seating Capacity : D + 3 Seater Seating Capacity

: Lithium Ion, 48V **Battery Type, Voltage**

: Rated: 7.5 kWh **Battery Capacity**

Peak Power : 5.44 kW @ 3500

: 29Nm **Peak Torque**

Product positioning









E-rickshaw

- Low cost (0.9- 1.15 lakhs)
- Lead acetate battery- low life cycle
- Less performance- 24 kmph top speed, used for short trips
- More comfortable (noiseless)

Auto

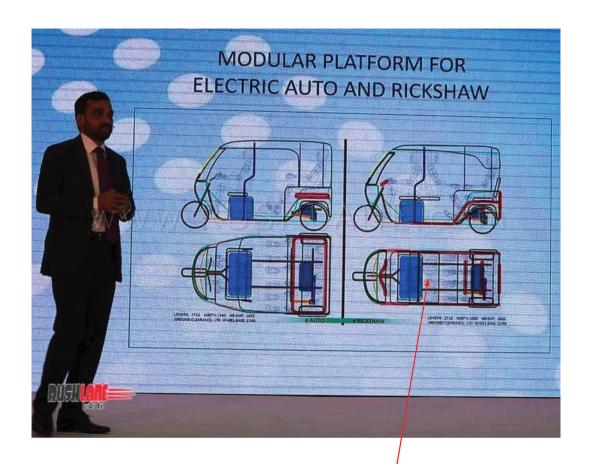
- Low cost (2.5-3 lakhs)
- High COR (diesel powered)
- Good performance: used for trips ranging upto 35 kms
- Not comfortable

4W Auto

- Low cost (3-3.5 lakhs)
- Low COR (Li-ion)
- Good performance: used for trips ranging upto 35 kms
- More comfortable

Mini Van

- High cost (over 6 lakhs)
- High COR (diesel powered)
- Good performance: used for trips ranging more than 35 kms
- More comfortable

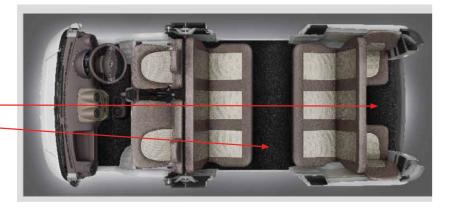


Shared legroom



Mahindra Supro From ₹ 6.4 Lakh* Onwards Seating: 9+D

Dimensions	Over all vehicle Dimension L X W X H in mm	3798 x 1540 x 1922 mm
	Cargo Box Dimension L X W X H in mm	N.A
	Wheel Base in mm	1950 mm
	Min Ground Clearance in mm	173 mm



Other countries



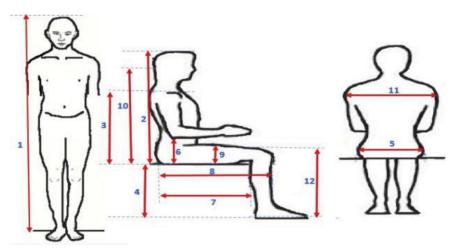


Asian taxis are called tuk-tuks in Pattaya, Thailand



Tuk-tuk in Hat Yai, Songkhla province, Thailand

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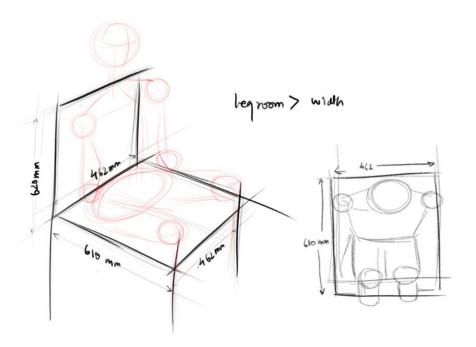


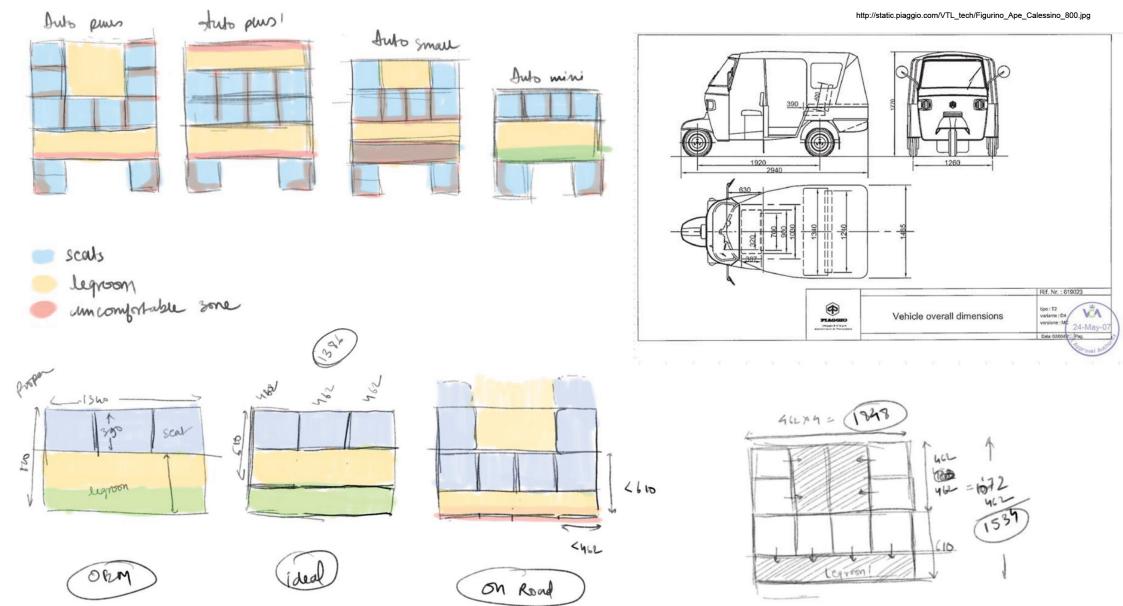
S/No.	Body dimensions	Min	Max	Male percentile			Mean	SD
				5th	50th	95th		
1	Stature (body height) (mm)	1520	1890	1600	1710	1810	1712	62
2	Sitting height (erect) (mm)	680	920	730	805	880	805	43
3	Shoulder height, sitting (mm)	470	650	520	570	620	569	33
4	Lower leg length (popliteal height) (mm)	390	510	410	450	487	450	23
5	Hip breadth, sitting (mm)	260	425	270	320	380	319	30
6	Elbow height, sitting (mm)	130	310	160	200	245	200	28
7	Buttock-popliteal length (seat depth) (mm)	360	540	390	450	520	453	38
8	Buttock–knee length (mm)	460	640	496	560	610	556	35
9	Thigh clearance (mm)	80	200	100	140	185	139	25
10	Eye height, sitting (mm)	600	810	630	710	780	708	43
11	Shoulder (bideltoid) breadth (mm)	350	480	380	420	462	423	24
12	Knee height (mm)	460	600	490	530	570	532	27
13	Body mass (weight) (kg)	400	1100	476	635	915	653	131

https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S2215098616304578?via%3Dihub#f0010

4.3 In the meeting held on 10.7.2012, with the permission of the Committee, a presentation on the safety features of a new category of vehicles proposed for inclusion in CMVRs, namely quadricycle, was also organized. The Committee was informed that this particular vehicle proposed to be brought out under the category of 'Quadricycle' had almost all the safety features of the 3-wheeler auto rickshaw and, in addition, some safety features over and above auto rickshaw. This vehicle had a close body structure with lockable doors which would prevent overloading; it had a hard top and safety belt for driver as well as for other occupants, both in the front seat as well as in the rear seats; two headlamps to enhance front visibility; proper signaling devices and wiper; closed luggage space incapable of being misused to accommodate passengers. Since it is a 4-wheeled vehicle, it may have higher stability as compared to 3-wheeled vehicle. Most importantly, while there are currently no crash standards for 3-wheeler auto rickshaws, the vehicle

https://morth.nic.in/sites/default/files/Report of the Committee to consider safety.pdf





Inspiration board Public seating Silkworm cocoon

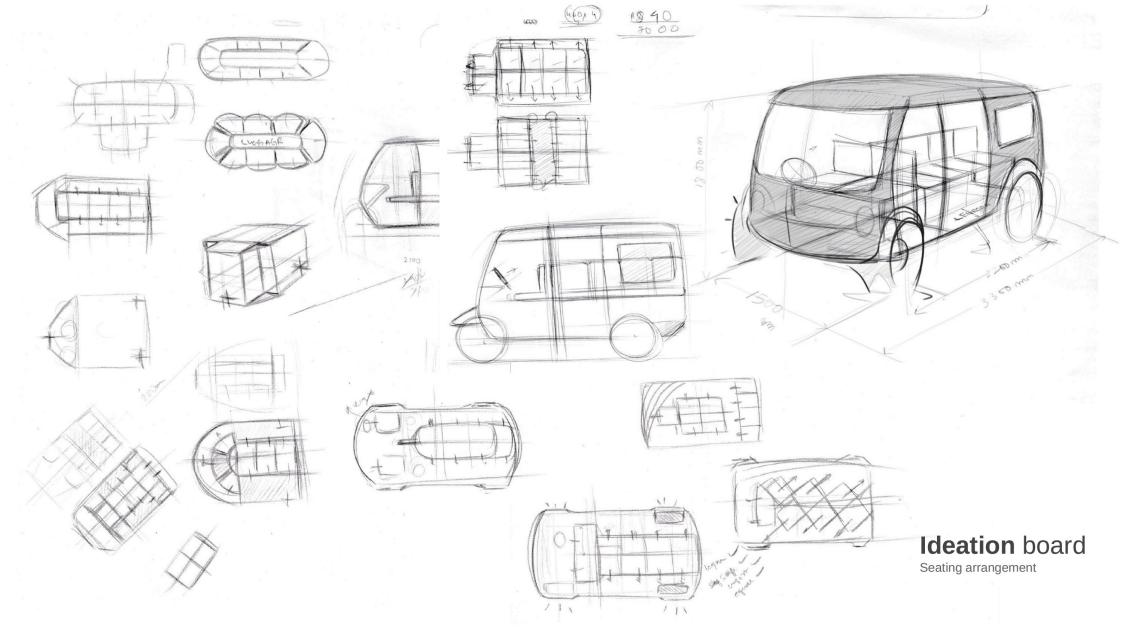
Turtle shell

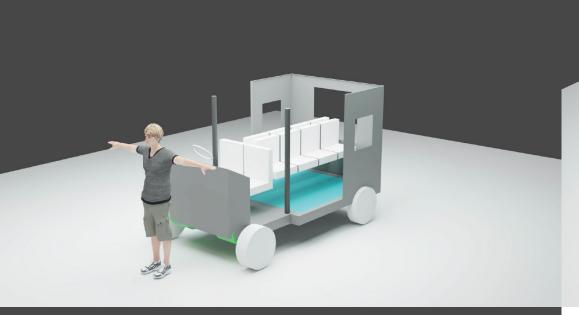


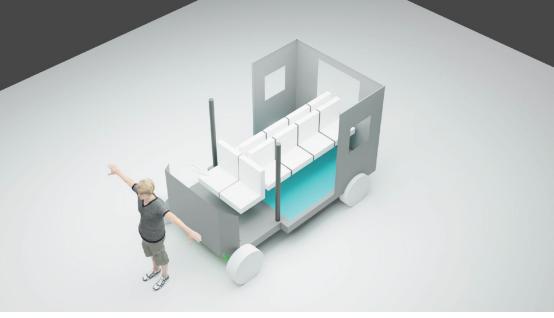








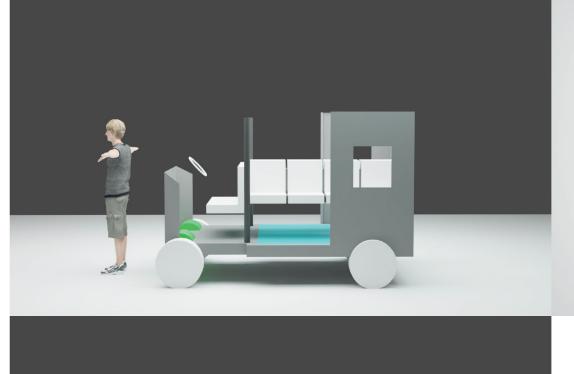






Technical specs	
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battery	8KWh

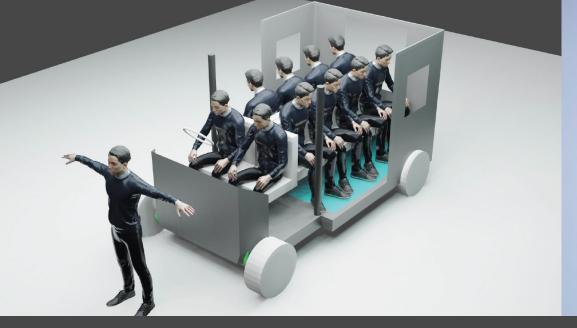
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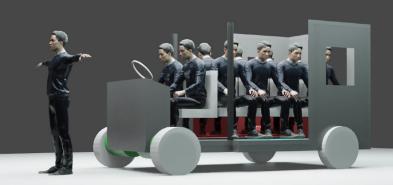


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width	1600 mm
height	1900 mm
Ground clearance	240 mm

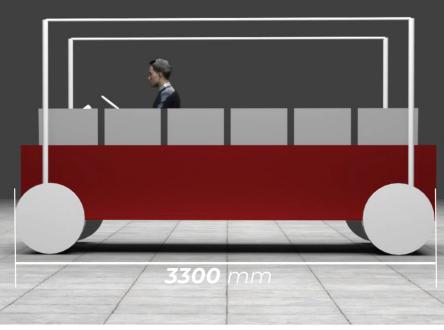




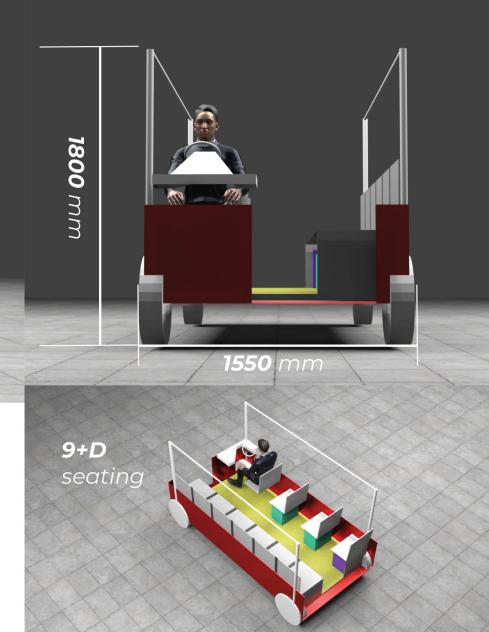




Layout **2**



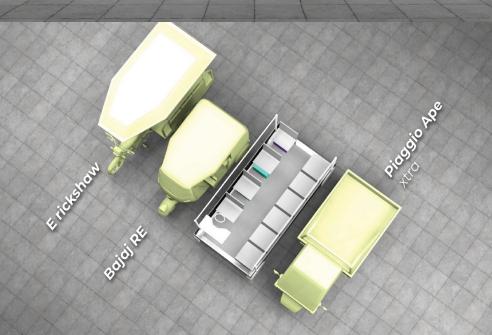
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height	1800 mm
Ground clearance	240 mm



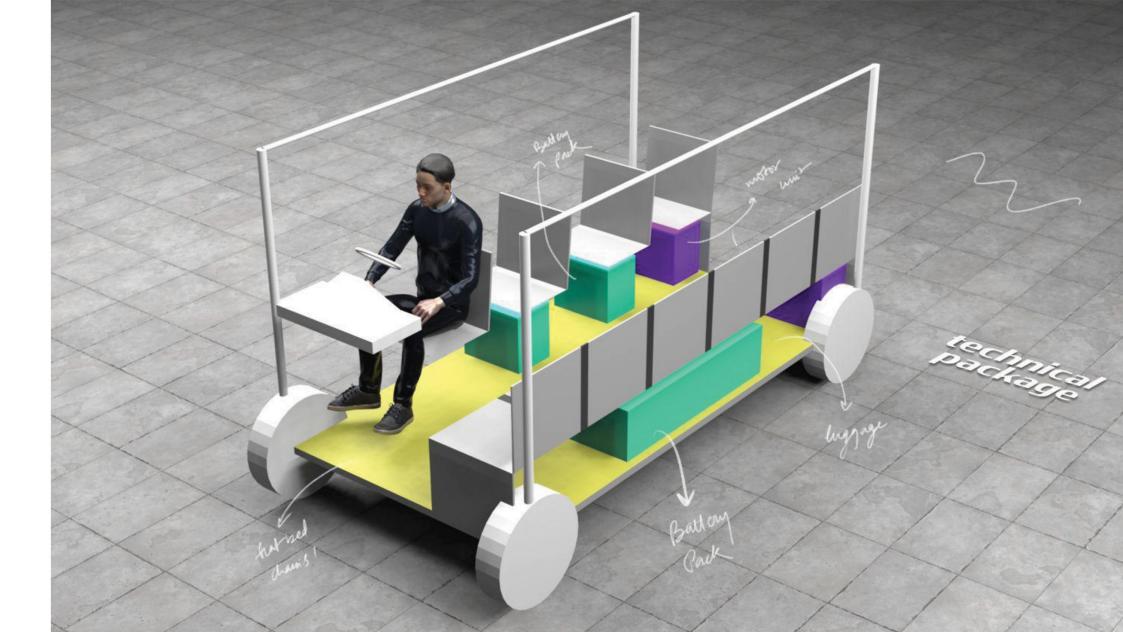
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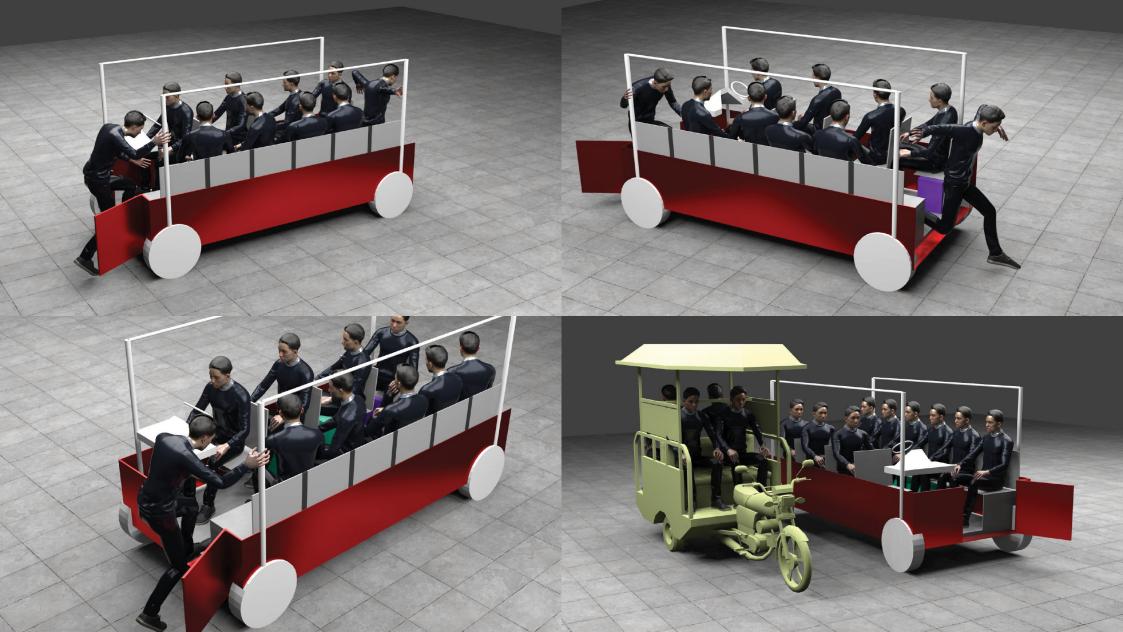


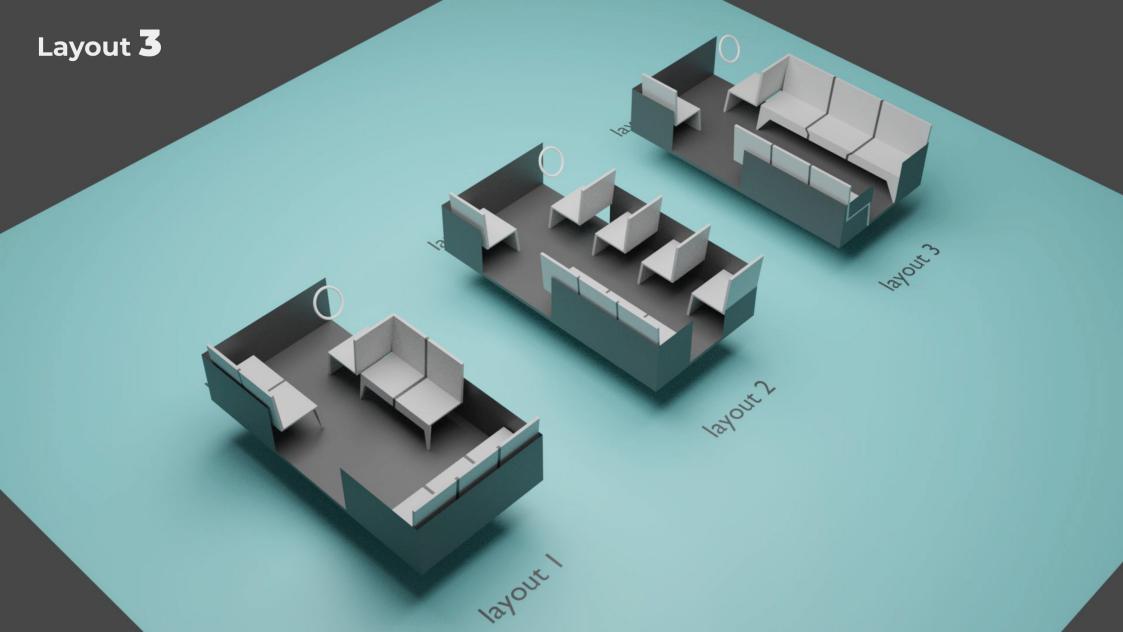


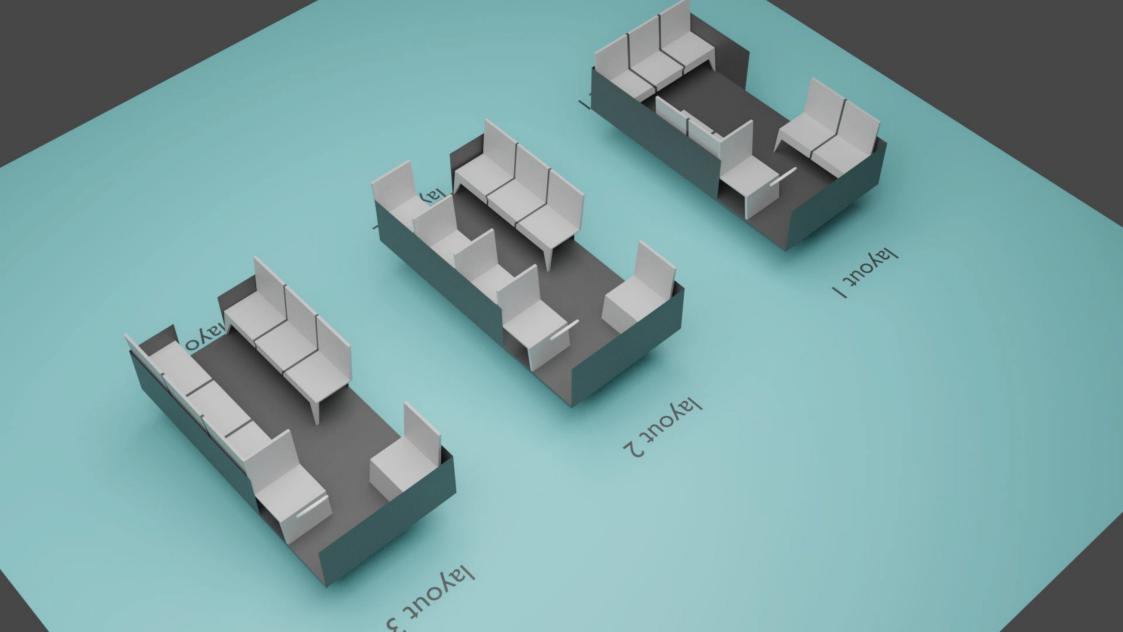








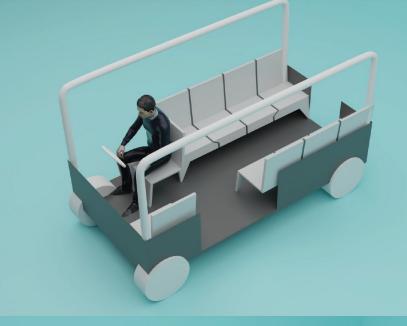


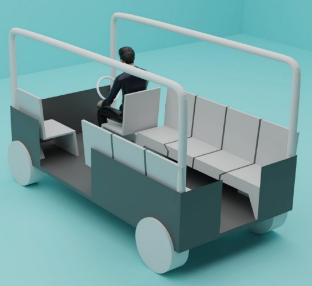


Final Layout















dimensions	
length	3300 mm
width	1550 mm
height	1800 mm
Ground clearance	240 mm

Replaceable batteries



motors









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Seating Capacity	6
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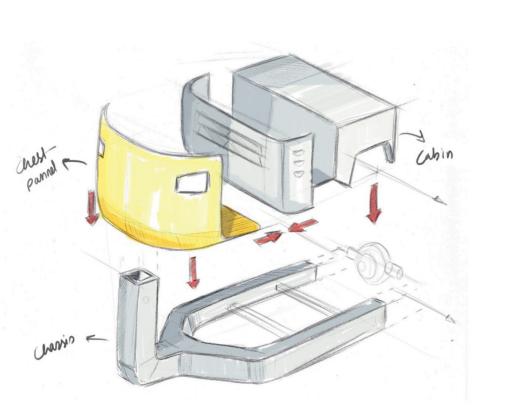


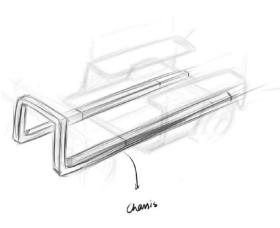
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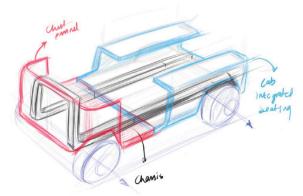
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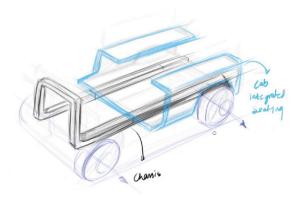
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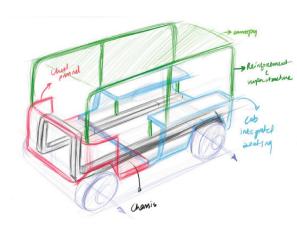
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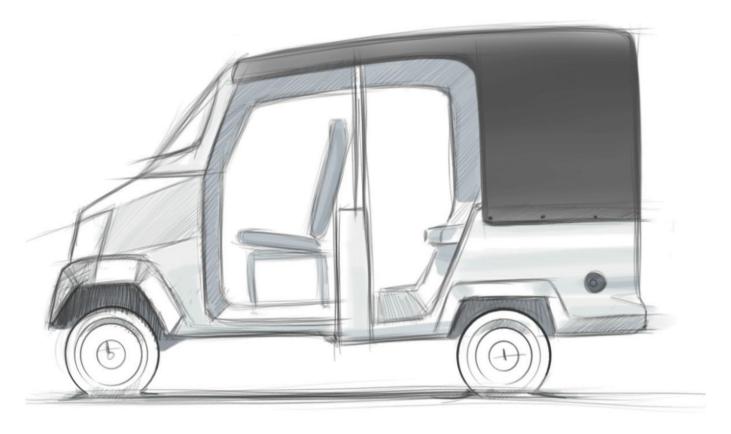








Reference vehicle





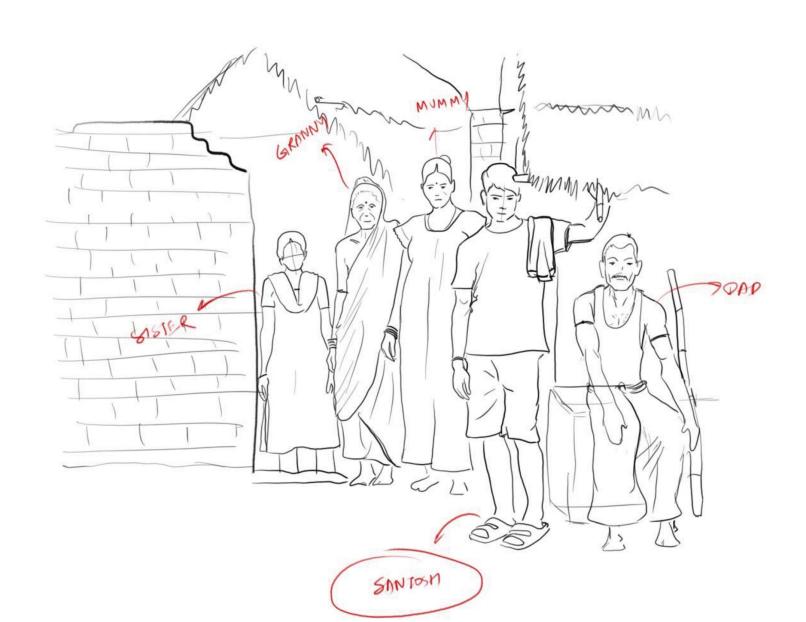




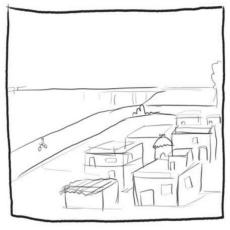


Storyboard

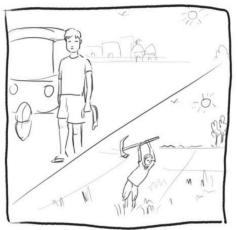
सपने: किसके पहले?



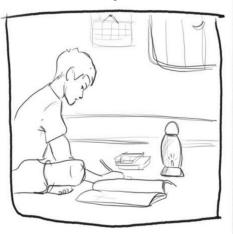
Santosh lives by the bank of river ganga in the village of champapur



To manage the family, santosh contributes by driving auto rickshaw and his father does farming.



Santosh wishes to get a govt. Job so he manages to study at night and drive auto in morning

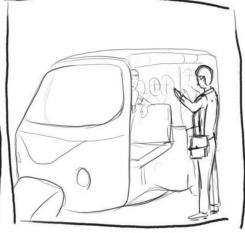


Santosh uses his auto to go to his coaching and then for picking passengers. His mother comes to see him off like everyday





After his classes Santosh comes to the auto stand in the nearby marketplace to get passengers.



He sees a well dressed person and makes space for him in the front seat, the person refuses at first but santosh convince him



Santosh is excited to find that the person is going for the interview of same exam he wishes to appear for and ask him for some tips.



Since he was busy talking he misses the bad road and hits a pothole. The auto loses its balance. The auto maintains it balance somehow but the suited man fells from the auto.

Santosh: sir!!! Watch it!





Santosh: sir I'm really sorry, are you ok? Please let me take you to a nearby clothes store, your interview dress got all dirty!
Passenger: I told you i don't want to

sit here. Now just leave me alone.

Santosh: But Sirrr!!!



My interview is ruined now, wish i didn't listen to this foolish driver.

Second auto incoming: upar baith k chaliyega bhaiya?? Paanch rupaiya Kam bhanda dijiyega.

Santosh felt very sad about the incident and it got him thinking

Santosh: I ruined the interview, he would have worked so hard for this day. Should i not overload?
But how will i manage my studies my family then?
I feel helpless!!

User persona

Name - Santosh Kumar

Age - 27 (Male)

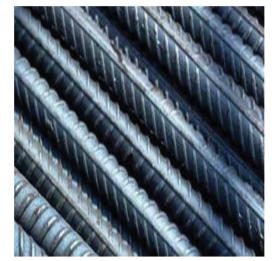
Profession - Student and part time auto-rickshaw driver

Vehicle owned - Piaggio Ape

Aspirations - To make a decent living out of his part time occupation and support his family and his education.



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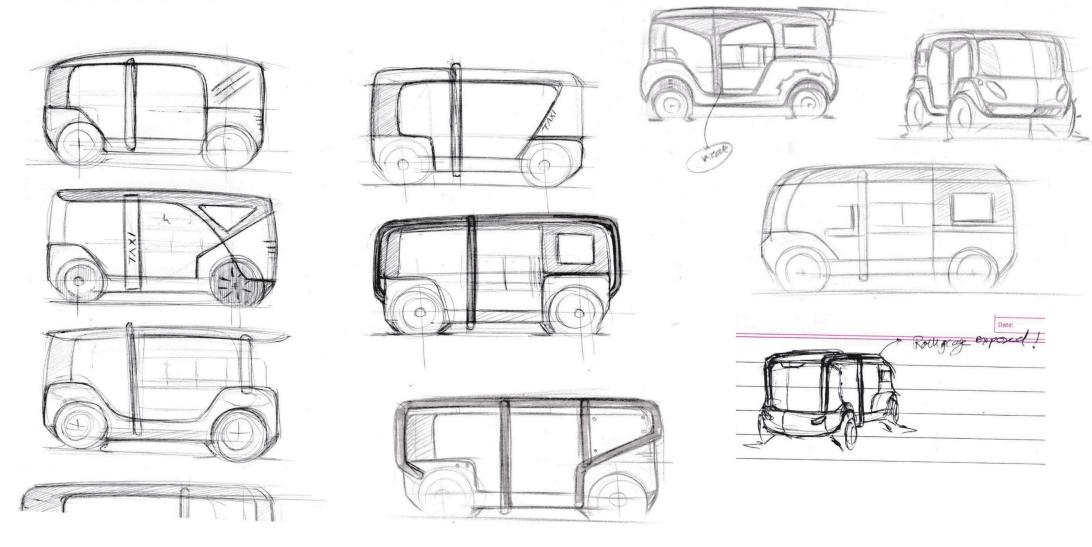
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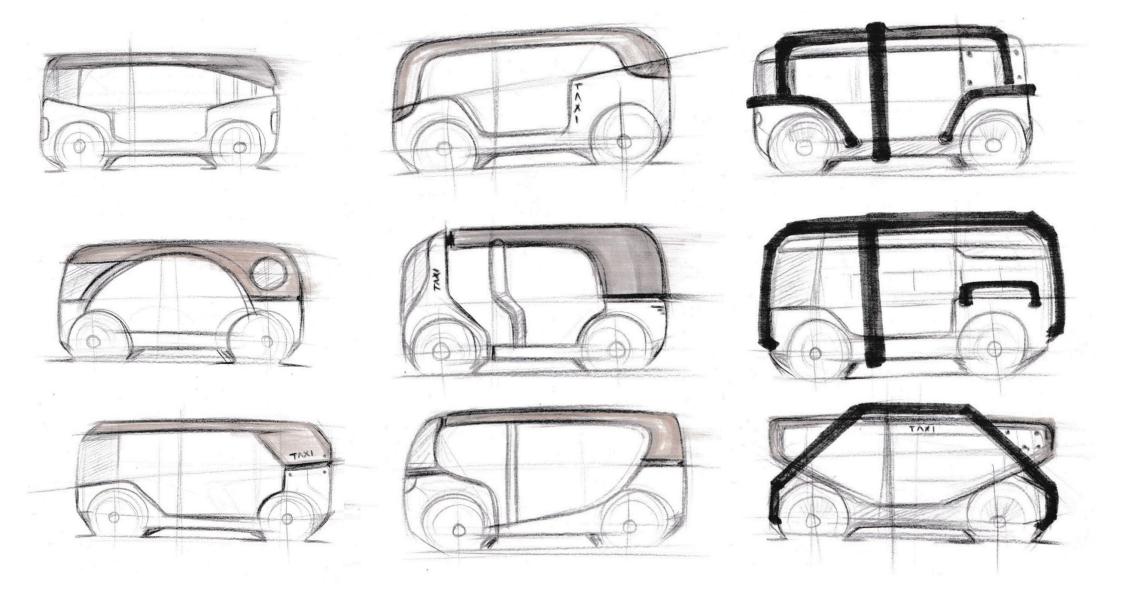
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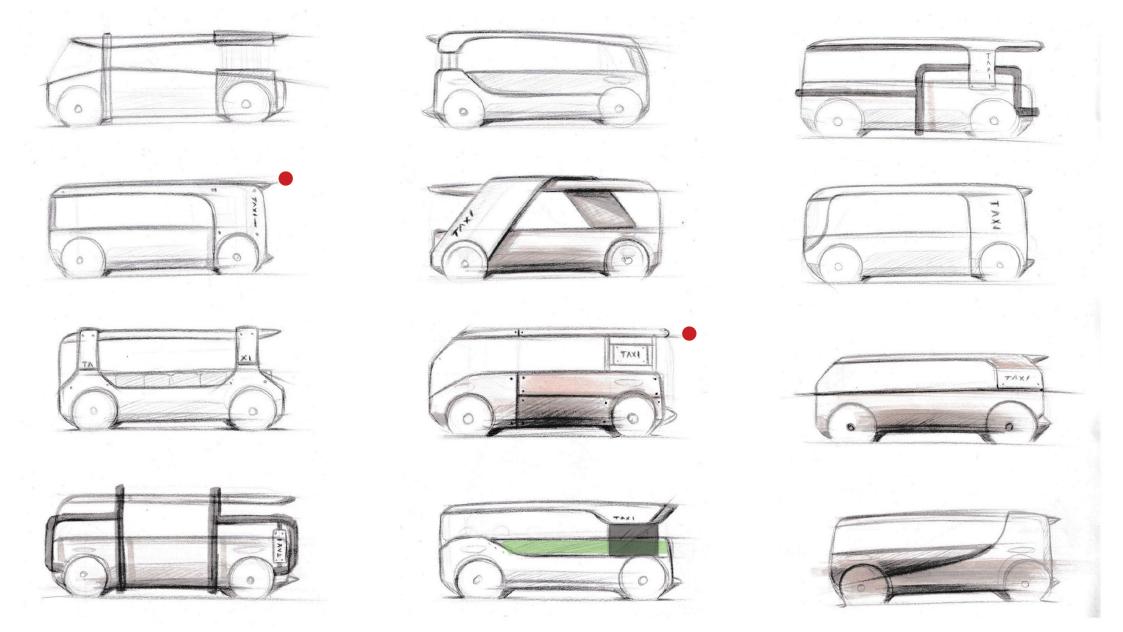
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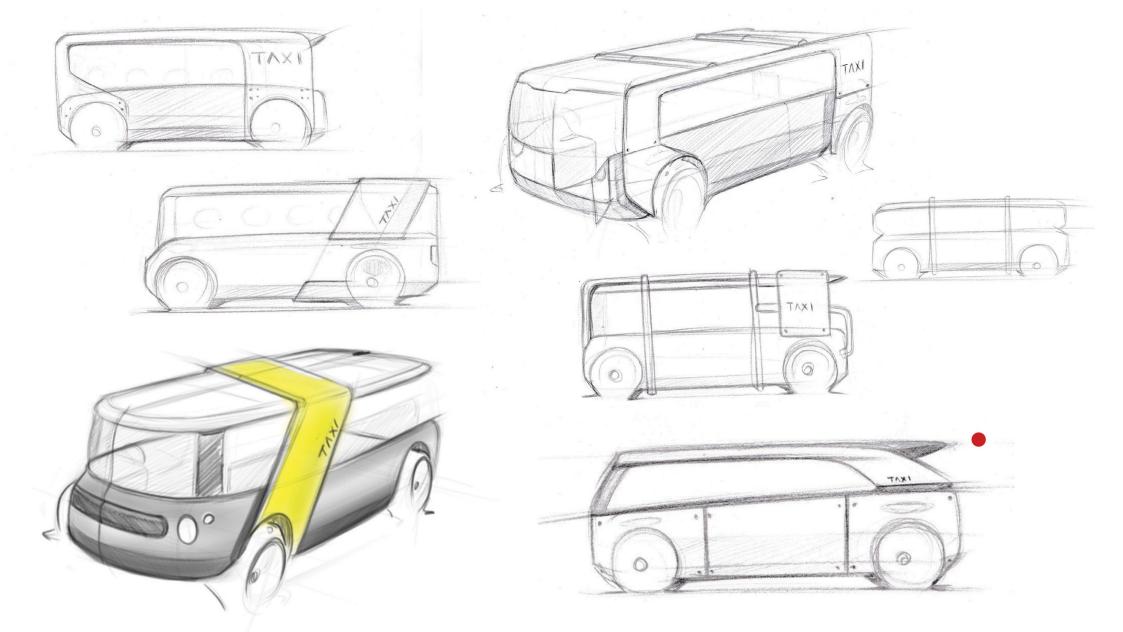
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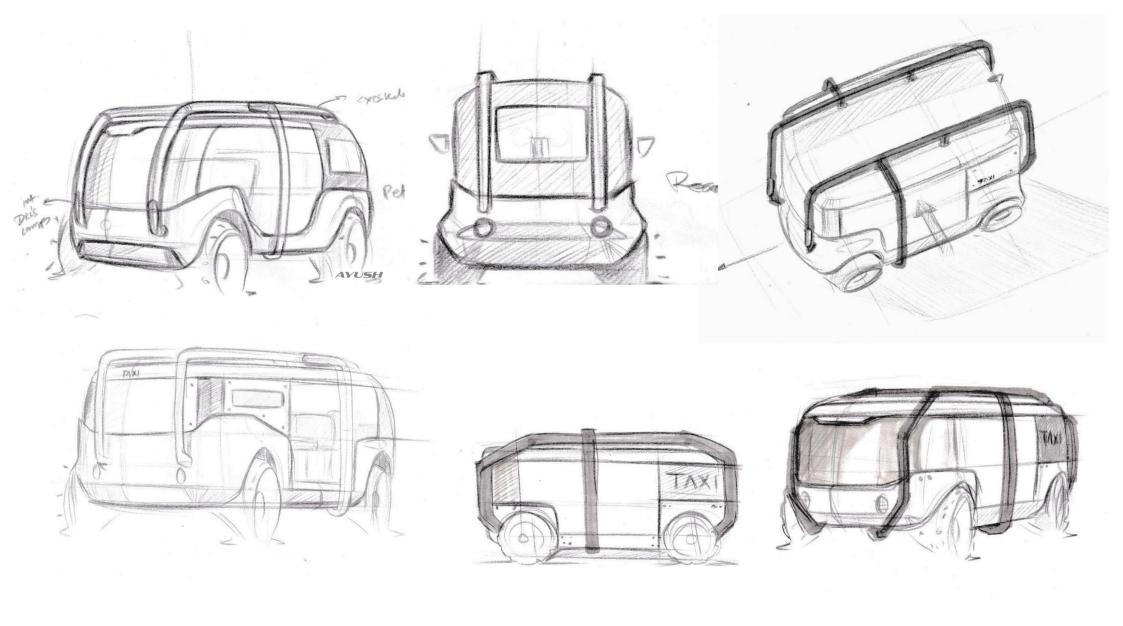
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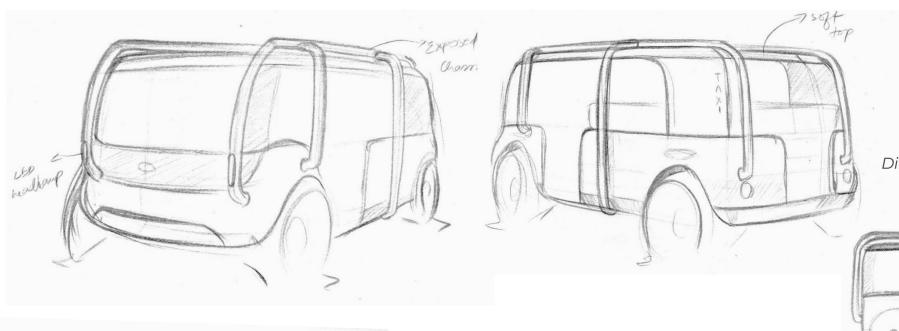




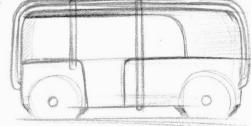


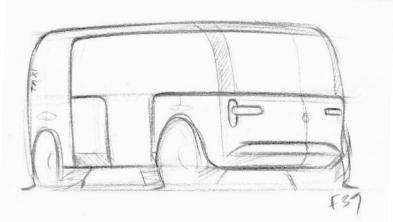




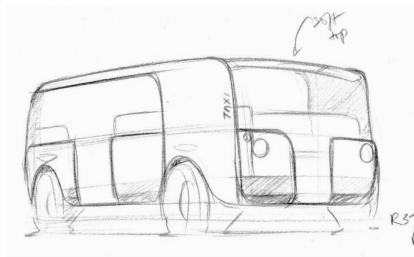


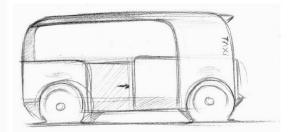
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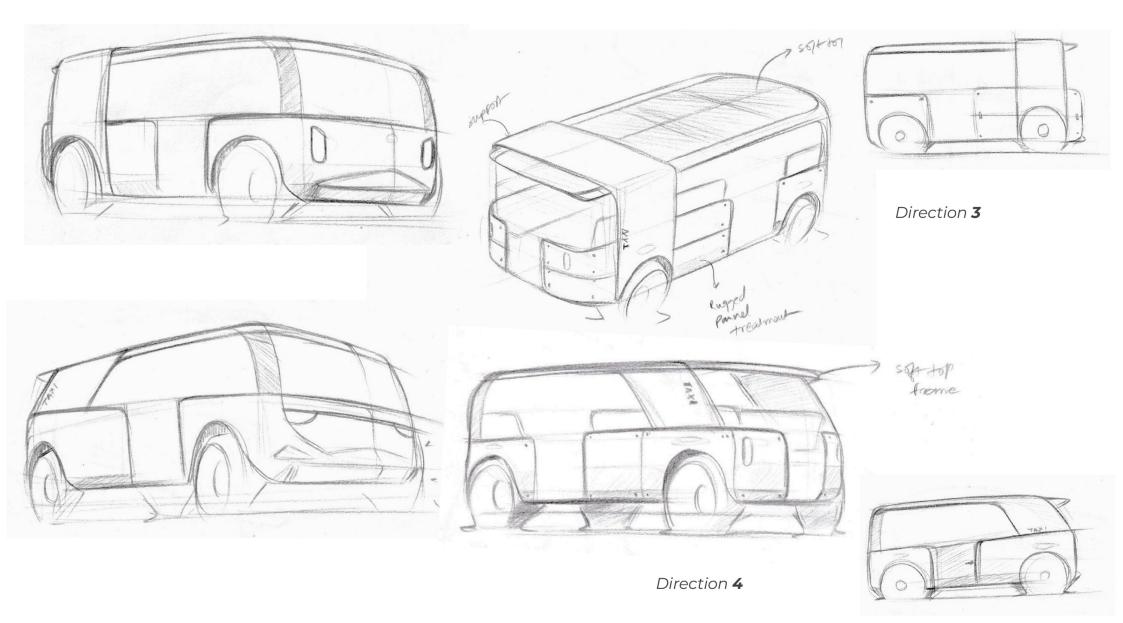


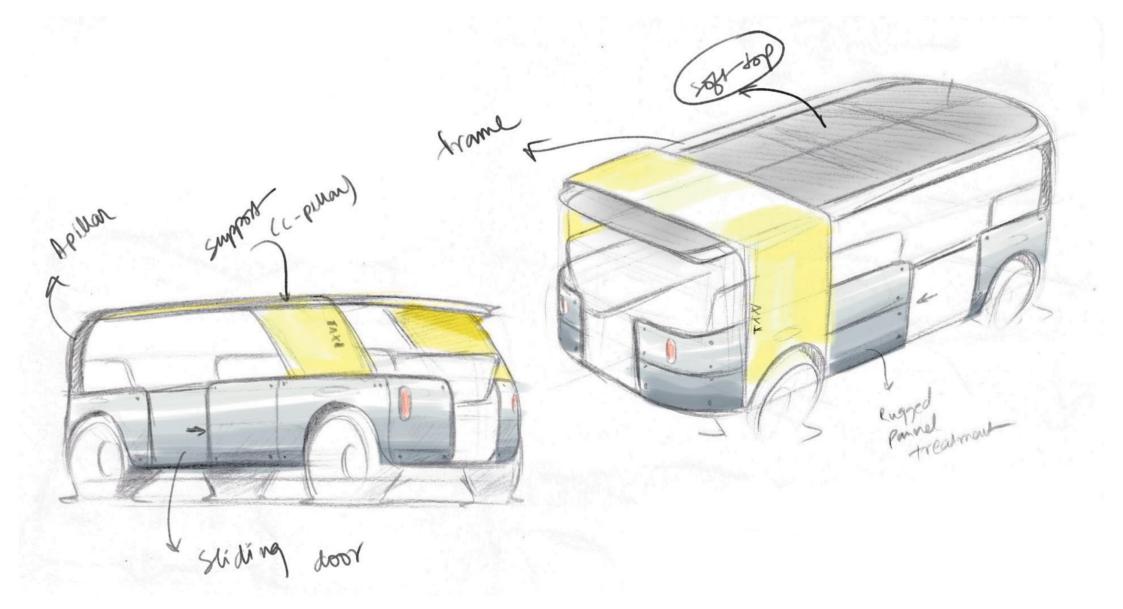


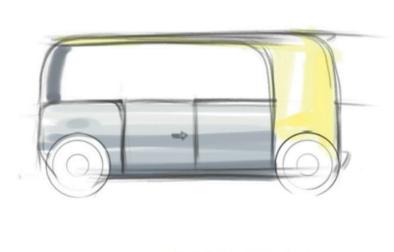
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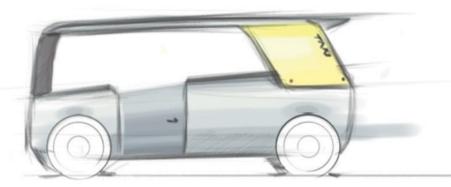


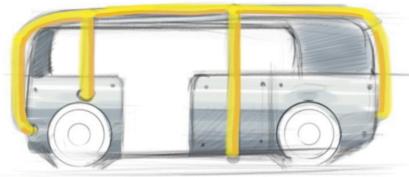


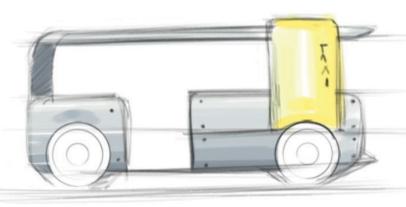




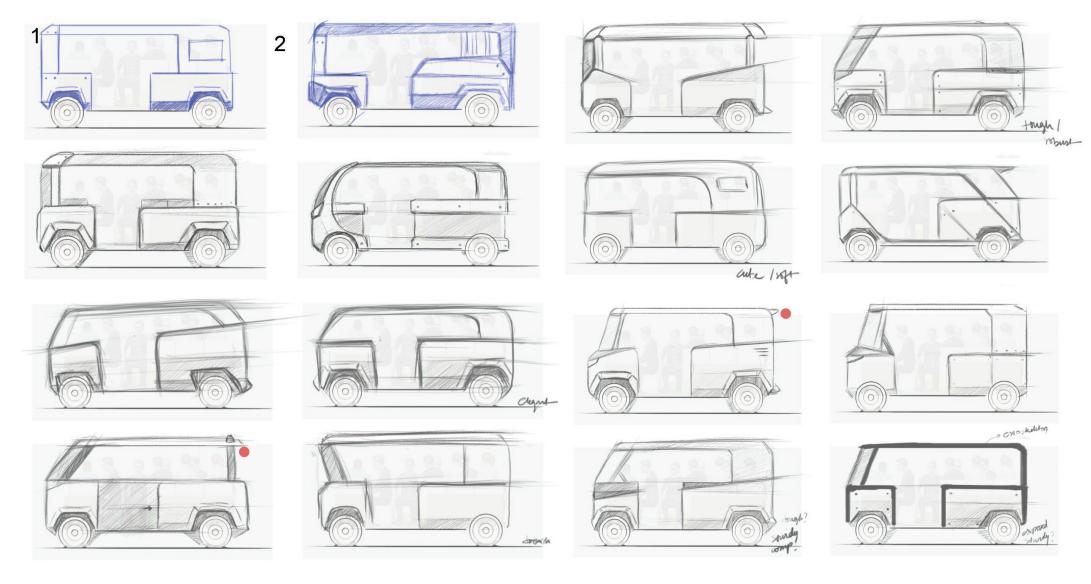


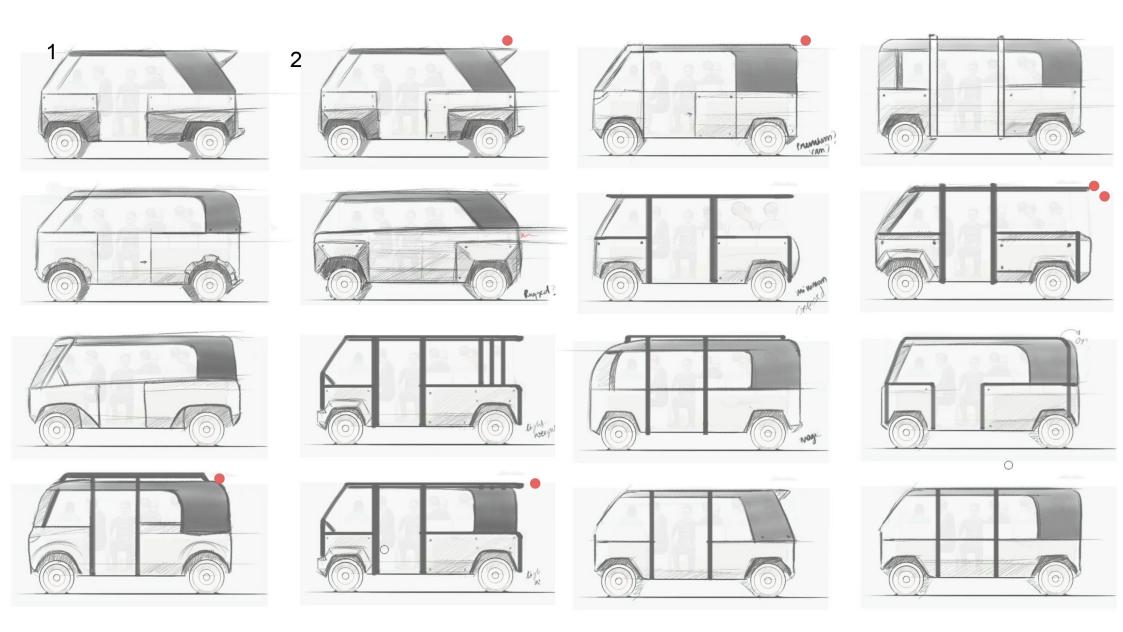


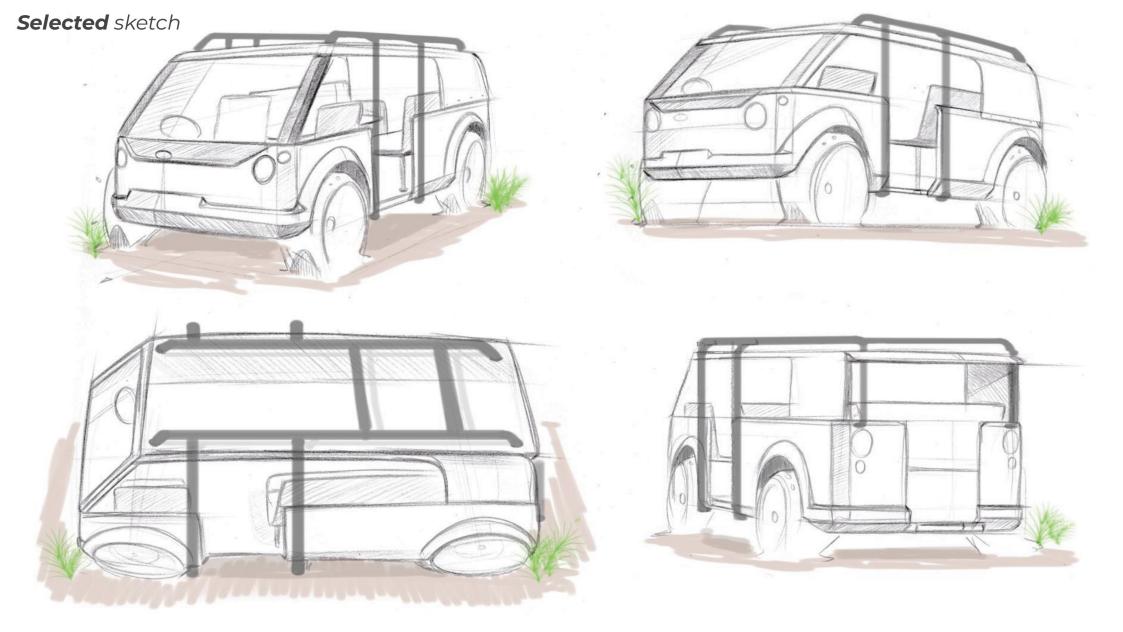


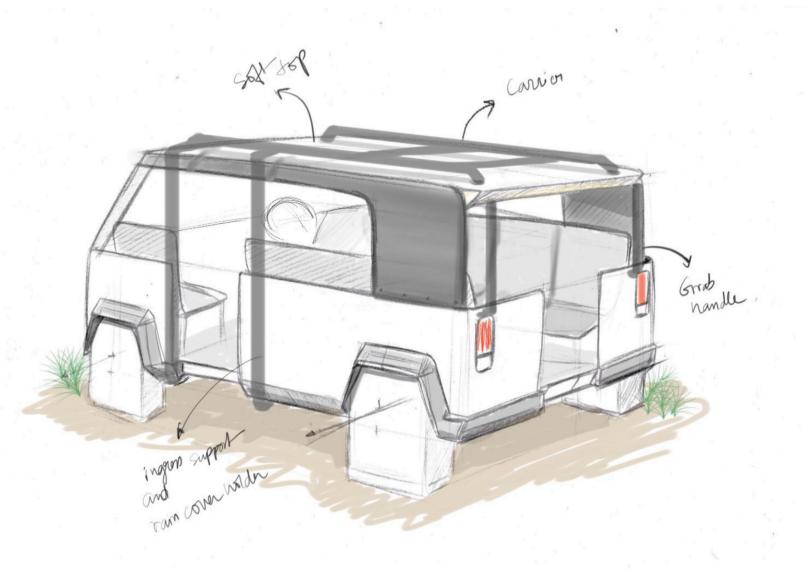


Proportions Proposals









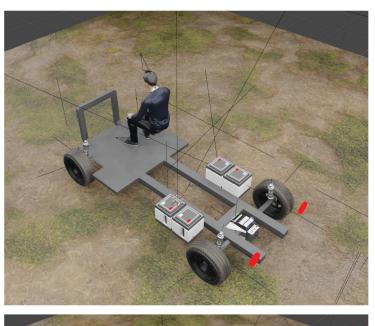


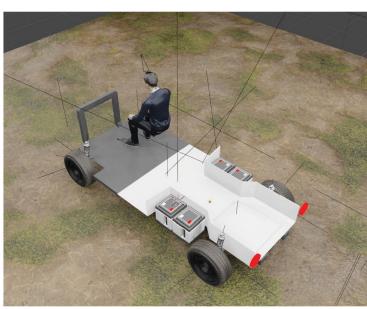


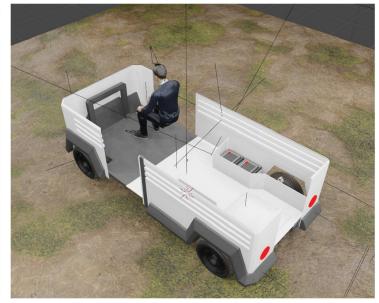
CAD Development



Manufacturing Stages











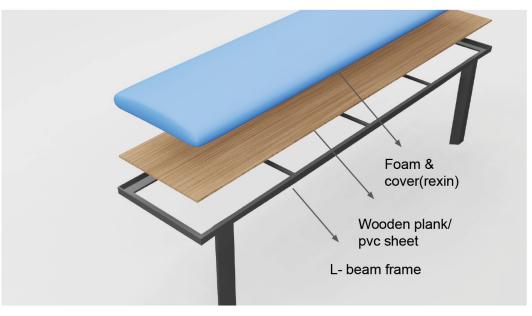


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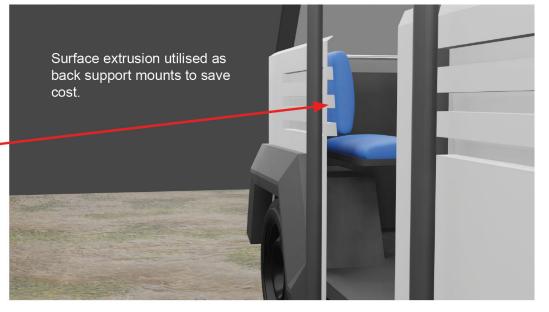






Low CostInterior considerations







Luggage &Storage considerations













Driver & PassengerSafety considerations

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