

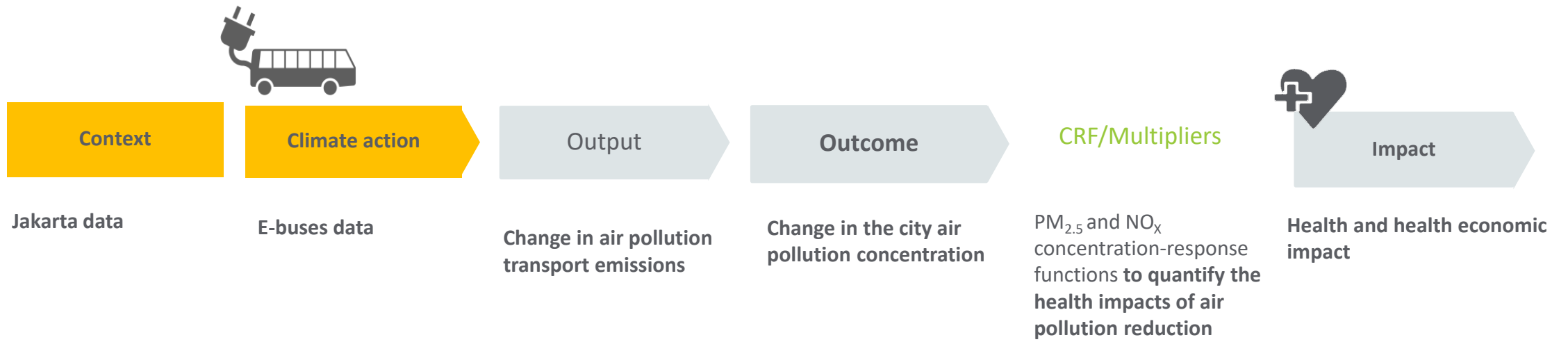


## Jakarta Bus Electrification : Health & Air Quality Impact Assessment

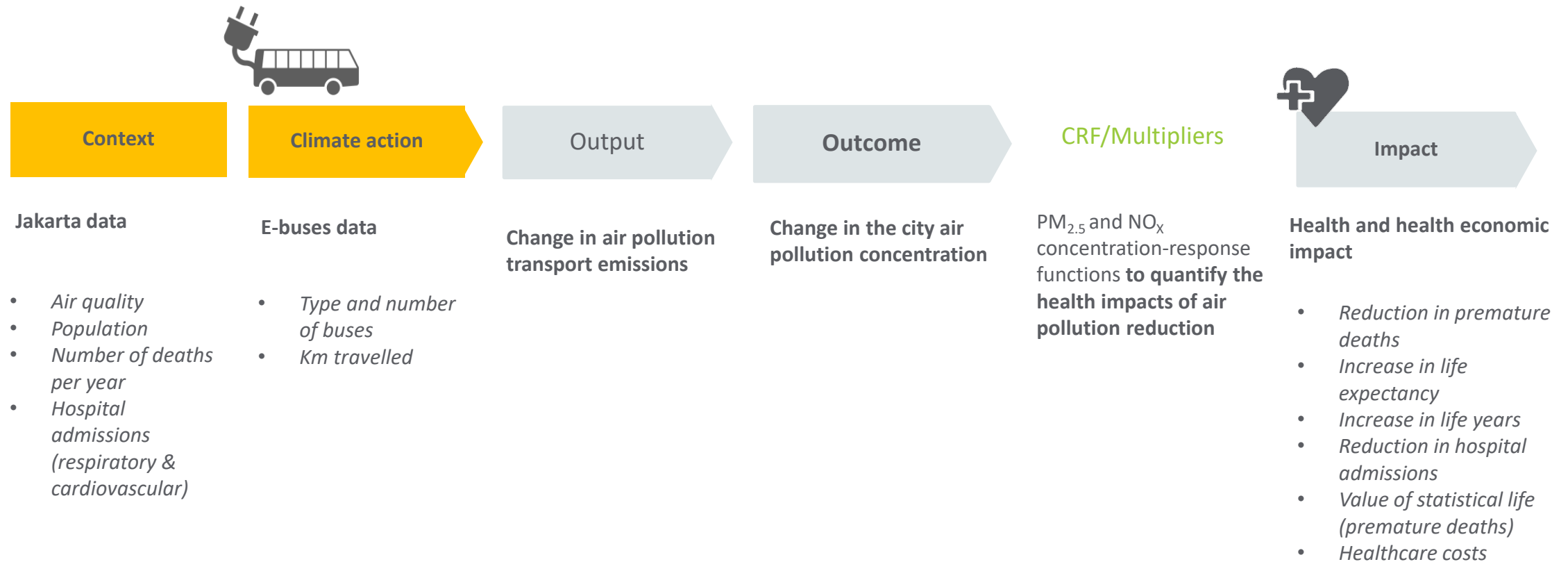
2021 Analysis –  
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**TORONTO | E-VEHICLES**

Phasing out fossil fuel vehicles for the public and private sector

**LOS ANGELES****AIR QUALITY CITY DEMONSTRATOR**

Integrated planning towards net-zero-carbon buildings, zero-emission transport and reduced industrial emissions.

**MEXICO CITY | INDUSTRIAL EFFICIENCY**

Testing a voluntary industrial efficiency programme to monitor and reduce industrial emissions.

**835**  
LIFE YEARS  
gained per year

**MEDELLIN | ELECTRIC BUSES**

The city took a legal commitment to be 100% clean transport by 2030

**60 DAYS**  
INCREASE  
IN LIFE  
EXPECTANCY

**QUITO | ELECTRIC BUSES**

Switching 1,200 old buses to electric.

**100,000**  
TCO2e  
avoided per year

**LIMA | ROTISERIES**

Recommending efficient stove for traditional roasting restaurants

**145**  
PREMATURE  
DEATHS  
avoided per year

**LIMA | PEDESTRIAN CITY CENTER**

Pedestrianisation of the historic city center.

**1 YEAR**  
increase in life  
expectancy

**SANTIAGO | WOOD BURNING**

Improving indoor air quality in houses by replacing wood-burning stoves.

**100**  
DAYS GAINED  
IN LIFE  
EXPECTANCY

**BUENOS AIRES | CONGESTION**

Creating a new road truck corridor to connect the south and north of the city and reduce traffic congestion.

**ROME | LOW-EMISSION ZONE**

Restricting private vehicle use during the week.

**VENICE | LOW-EMISSION ZONE**

Banning the circulation of polluting vehicles during pollution alerts.

**48%**  
REDUCTION  
IN PM  
EMISSIONS

**PARIS | LOW-EMISSION ZONE**

Switching the bus fleet to clean vehicles and implementing a zero-emission zone in the centre

**385**  
PREMATURE  
DEATHS  
avoided per year

**BARCELONA | LOW-EMISSION ZONE**

Implementing a low-emission zone in the urban agglomeration.

**AMMAN | BRT**

Opening two Bus Rapid Transit lines covering between 20 and 32 km.

**DUBAI | ELECTRIC TRANSPORT**

Increase share of electric and hybrid vehicles to 10% by 2030.

**ATHENS | LOW-EMISSION ZONE**

Banning private diesel vehicles in the inner city.

**ISTANBUL | RENEWABLE ENERGY**

Installing floating solar PV panels on the city's water reservoirs.

**ADDIS ABABA | VEHICLE STANDARDS**

Phasing out the eldest and most polluting vehicles from the city.

**225**  
PREMATURE  
DEATHS  
avoided per year

**DAR ES SALAAM | BRT**

Implementing Bus Rapid Transit corridors across the city, covering a total of 130km by 2022.

**DURBAN | INDUSTRIAL EFFICIENCY**

Setting emission regulations for industries.

**150**  
PREMATURE  
DEATHS  
avoided per year

**JOHANNESBURG | INFORMAL SETTLEMENTS**

Delivering electricity to informal settlements

**250 DAYS**  
increase in life  
expectancy

**KARACHI | BRT**

Implementing a clean Bus Rapid Transit network.

**BANGALORE | ELECTRIC BUSES**

Switching all public buses to electric.

**500,000**  
TCO2e  
avoided per year

**CHENNAI | ELECTRIC BUSES**

Upgrading 6,000 municipal buses to less polluting vehicles.

**75**  
PREMATURE  
DEATHS  
avoided per year

**KOLKATA | ELECTRIC BUSES**

Converting a fleet of 4,000 buses and 10,000 taxis to electric vehicles.

**CHENGDU | ELECTRIC BUSES**

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**HANOI | BRT**

Procuring 1,546 initial buses for the opening of the Bus Rapid Transit.

**HO CHI MINH | ELECTRIC TRANSPORT**

Upgrading 1,300 municipal buses to CNG and encouraging electric motorcycles.

**105**  
PREMATURE  
DEATHS  
avoided per year

**QUEZON | VEHICLE TESTING**

Setting mandatory emission testing for private vehicles to phase out polluting vehicles.

**US\$14M**  
HEALTHCARE  
AVOIDED COSTS  
PER YEAR

**JAKARTA | ELECTRIC BUSES**

Switching the public transport fleet to electric vehicles.

**100**  
HOSPITAL  
ADMISSIONS  
avoided per year

**AUCKLAND | CONGESTION**

Testing congestion pricing in city aligned with the Green and Healthy Streets declaration.

## Understanding the benefits: Medellin electric buses

The city assessed the impact of electrifying all buses within the city (6,980), which are responsible for 21% of transport  $\text{PM}_{2.5}$  emissions.

**11,960 premature deaths** each year in Colombia are due to  $\text{PM}_{2.5}$  levels

**BUSES represent 21%** of road transport sector  $\text{PM}_{2.5}$  concentration



**-8.3%**  
of  $\text{PM}_{2.5}$   
non-background  
concentration

**37 deaths**  
avoided  
per year

**+6 days**  
in life  
expectancy  
per person

**24**  
hospital  
admissions  
avoided

**COP  
\$24 MIL**  
avoided  
healthcare  
costs



## Understanding the benefits: Bangalore electric buses

The city assessed the impact of electrifying all the private and public buses, which currently represent 25% of the transport PM<sub>2.5</sub> emissions.

**PM<sub>2.5</sub> emissions coming from transport may double by 2030**



**-4.8%**  
of PM<sub>2.5</sub>  
non-background  
concentration

**1,325**  
deaths  
avoided  
per year

**+32 days**  
in life  
expectancy  
per person

**1,815**  
hospital  
admissions  
avoided

**INR 67M**  
avoided  
healthcare  
costs

## Understanding the benefits: Jakarta electric buses

In Jakarta, the annual average concentration of fine particulate matter is more than four times greater than the World Health Organization recommended safe level.

**PM<sub>2.5</sub> CONCENTRATION**  
**4 TIMES HIGHER**  
THAN THE WHO  
RECOMMENDED VALUE

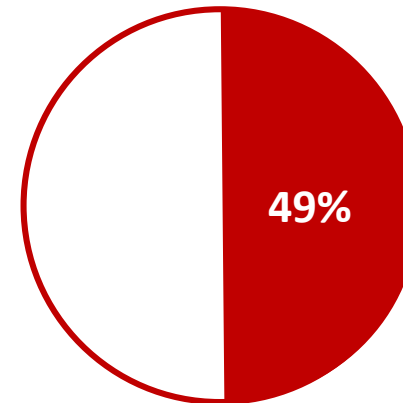
**123,700**  
**PREMATURE DEATHS**  
**EACH YEAR IN**  
INDONESIA ARE DUE  
TO AIR POLLUTION

## Understanding the benefits: Jakarta electric buses

Transport is a major source of both PM<sub>2.5</sub> and Greenhouse Gas (GHG) emissions in the city, with more than 17 million vehicles registered in the city.

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**4 TIMES HIGHER**  
THAN THE WHO  
RECOMMENDED VALUE

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**PREMATURE DEATHS**  
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Half of Jakarta's air pollution (PM<sub>2.5</sub> concentration) comes from the **transport sector**



## TransJakarta: 83% electrification scenario

12,172 buses expected to operate in the TransJakarta fleet in 2030. This analysis will quantify the air quality and health benefits of electrifying 83% of these, compared to rolling out 100% diesel Euro 2.

	83% electric		100% diesel (euro 2)	
	Large	Medium/small	Large	Medium/small
Diesel buses (euro 2)	883	1,186	5,195	6,977
Electric buses	4,312	5,791	-	-
<b>Total emissions (t PM<sub>2.5</sub>/ year)</b>	<b>78</b>		<b>239</b>	
<b>Total emissions (t NOx/ year)</b>	<b>1,800</b>		<b>10,700</b>	

## Results: 83% electrification by 2030

PM<sub>2.5</sub>

**-0.2%  
of PM<sub>2.5</sub>**  
Non-background  
concentration

**20  
deaths**  
avoided  
per year

**+1 day**  
in life  
expectancy  
per person

**+340**  
Life years  
gained

**INR 200M**  
Healthcare  
costs saved per  
year

**INR 140B**  
Value of life  
saved per year

NO<sub>x</sub>

**-2.5%  
of NO<sub>x</sub>**  
Non-background  
concentration

**40 to 100  
deaths**  
avoided  
per year

**+2 to 5 days**  
in life  
expectancy  
per person

**+650 to 1,700**  
Life years  
gained

**INR 800M**  
Healthcare costs  
saved per year

**INR 260 to  
700B**  
Value of life  
saved per year

# Assumptions and data inputs

## Population and health

- Population and death data is from the Health Department of DKI Jakarta Province for the latest date available (2018 for population, 2016 for death rates). An increase of 21% (Oxford Economics) to the 2018 population was used to account for the population in 2030.
- No hospital admission rates are available – the current ones are proxy from the UK in 2018. This means it may be a conservative estimate as the air pollution in the UK (London for this data) is lower than the air pollution from Jakarta. Another aspect to consider is that behaviours to go to hospital related to diseases may be different across countries. More nationally/regionally specific data would improve the robustness of the study.
- The cost of hospital admission is based on influenza hospital admissions (2019), and used as a proxy for the cost of respiratory and cardiovascular hospital admissions. In its current form, it likely underestimates the savings.
- The Value of a Statistical life used to calculate the economic value of life saved uses a proxy value from Thailand, taken from the OECD database. This refers to the amount a sample of the population is willing to pay (in monetary terms) to reduce their risk of mortality.
- PM<sub>2.5</sub> and NOx concentrations are based on the average across all air pollution monitoring stations in 2019 in the city.
- The background concentration is based on the national average concentration of PM<sub>2.5</sub> in 2016 as no other local data or source apportionment was available to account for air pollution outside the city boundaries.
- The emission factors are generic from the European Environment Agency (euro), and do not reflect the traffic congestion nor the state of the roads.
- Emissions coming from the increase in electricity-use for the new buses are not counted in the analysis: the increase in energy demand compared to energy demand from buildings and industry will not be significant enough to reflect on the city concentration. However, shifting to renewable energy is essential to ensure a clean air for all citizens.

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## Source apportionment

- The share of PM<sub>2.5</sub> and NOx emissions attributed to TransJakarta's buses was calculated based on the number of vehicles in the city, their average distance travelled per year and an average emission factor from Euro 2. Information on the vehicle fleet is based on Statistik Transportasi DKI Jakarta 2017 (data from 2016), as being the latest public data available.
- The share of PM2.5 attributable to transport in the city concentration is from the [Breathe Easy](#) study. NOx source apportionment is from the WHO database (2013).

## 2030 Electric vs Diesel scenario

- The daily average kilometres travelled per bus is assumed to be the same in 2030 as in 2020.
- The average kilometres travelled by large buses is 239 kilometres per day, as currently covered by the BRT system (Rencana Implementasi document from Transjakarta, 2021). For medium buses, they average 159 to 181 kilometers per day, and an average value of 170 has been used for this study. Medium and small buses have the same average kilometres travelled per day.
- For the electric scenario, 83% of the planned large and medium/small buses are

presumed to be electric in 2030. The remaining buses in the fleet are assumed to be Euro 2 standard, to compare to the current level of the bus fleet. The number of buses has been provided in the Rencana Implementasi document from Transjakarta, 2021.

For NOX, the reduction in NOX due to bus electrification is 100%. Electric buses have no exhaust emissions from PM2.5 and NOX, as there is no engine combustion. However, all buses still have remaining PM2.5 emissions from non-exhaust sources such as tyres, road dust and brakes. This means that 100% of NOX emissions from buses can be reduced with electrification, and up to 75% of PM2.5 emissions (for electric buses against euro 2 diesel buses).



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