



Aberdeen lies at the intersection of several major roads, including the A90 and A96 Trunk Roads. As a result traffic must cross Aberdeen through the heart of the city, leading to congestion, disruption to local people and a large number of vehicles using unsuitable urban and rural roads. It also impacts on the effective operation of Aberdeen's established public transport systems.

As a result, short journeys can become difficult and time-consuming, and environmental impacts associated with congested traffic occur. In order to address these concerns, the concept of the Modern Transport System (MTS) was developed in 2002/2003.

