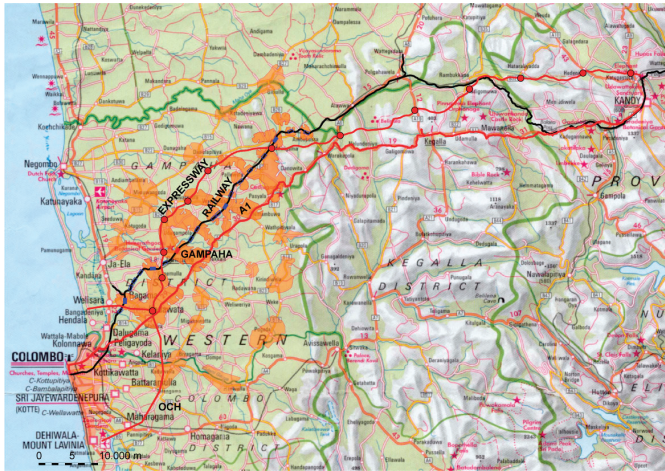


Colombo-Kandy

Alternate Highway with new urban corridor

MASTERPLAN:



LOCATION: Sri Lanka

CLIENT: SIDA, World Bank and the Sri Lankan Road Administration

TYPE: Masterplanning

STATUS: Concept Planning Complete

DATE: 2004

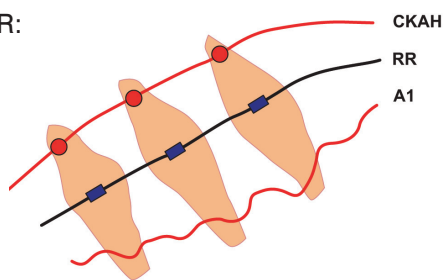
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A study of urban transformation along a new alternate highway between Colombo and Kandy, CKAH. We were asked to study the 150 km corridor where a new expressway and the existing rail line give diverging focuses. We presented a sustainability plan with public transport as main artery and mixed developments crystallizing along rr stations, villages, towns and other local nodes.

The masterplan solved various problems e.g. where and how the ramps and exits to the motorway could be designed. The project also contained detail solutions organising bus stops and pedestrian routes.

This project demonstrated that the town types and value rose tools can be successfully used in Sri Lanka. This project shows that these tools are a valuable contribution to other planning systems and cultural contexts. Working with local planners, we explored critical ideas on how this area could be incrementally redeveloped in a sustainable manner.

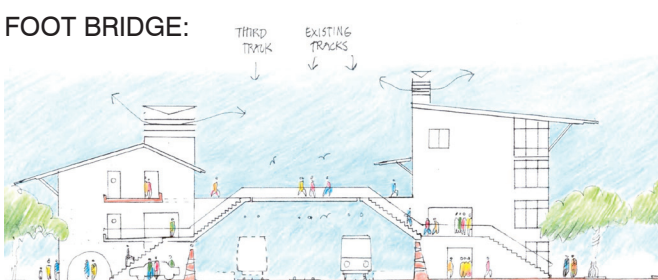
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