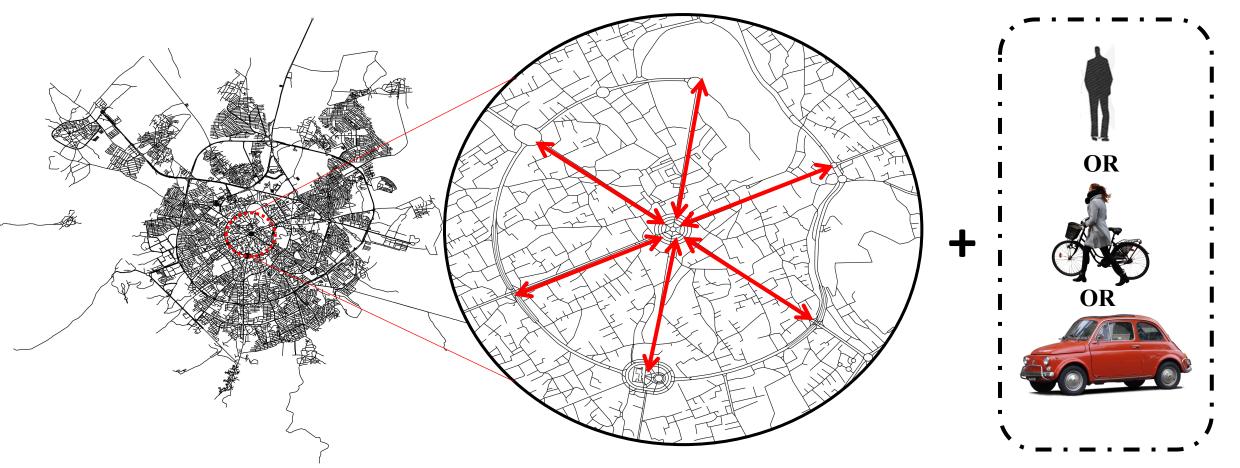
## Investigation of Catalyst Projects and Urban Design Qualities in Six Central Streets of Hamedan

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#### **1. Introduction**

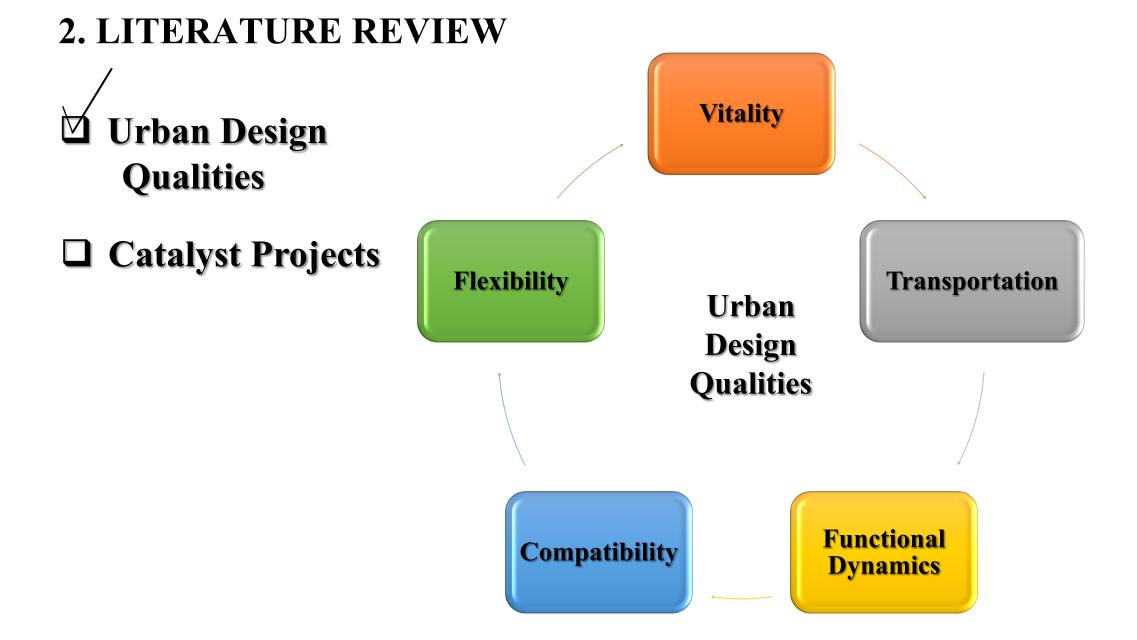
The main question is that does any catalytic reactions improve the circumstances of the six central streets of Hamedan? And do these changes are overlapping in users of spaces' mindsets? 4



Differences in the street where catalyst action occurred and their other central car-driven streets

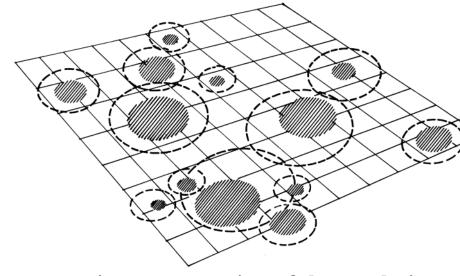
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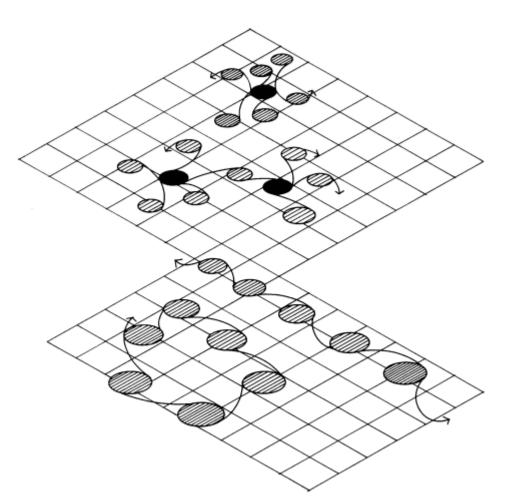


### **2. LITERATURE REVIEW**

# Urban Design Qualities Catalyst Projects



**Diagrammatic representation of the catalytic process** 



Catalytic reactions can take several forms: nuclear (top), multi-nucleated, serial, and "necklace" (lower left)

### **3. HYPOTHESES/OBJECTIVES**

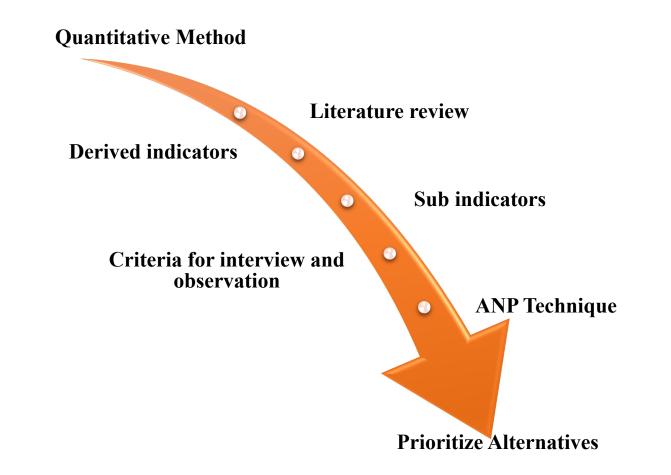
- □ It seems that improving qualities by catalyst projects in central parts of cities can provide better urban life for citizens.
- □ The importance of these questions can make urban managers the right decision about the urban spaces in a bright future.



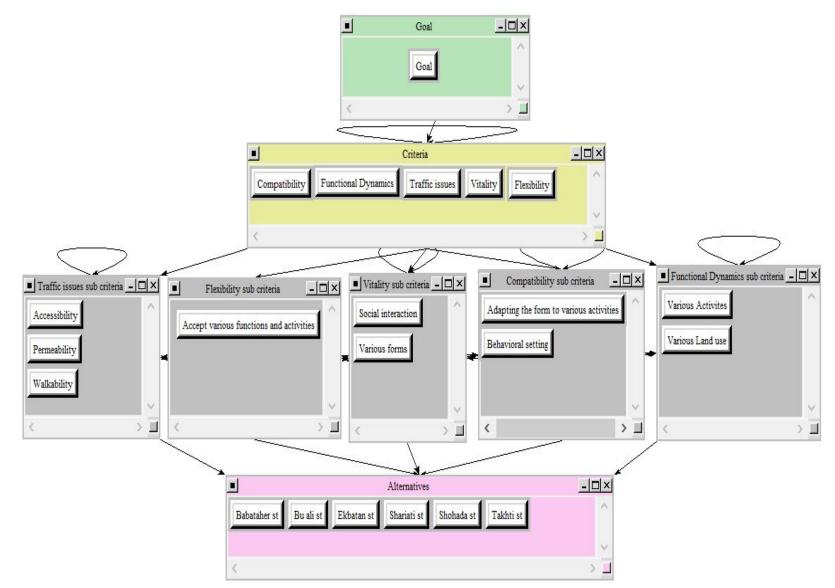
#### **4. RESEARCH DESIGN/METHODOLOGY**

This research methodology is based on a quantitative method that is performed by ANP techniques. The model came from a literature review and indicators derived from the study of research keywords. Then, for more accuracy, the indicators are divided into sub-indicators to investigating the alternatives better. Also, the judgments were obtained by interviews and field observation of the case study. Moreover, the users' common attitude has formed the assessment of goal, criteria, and alternatives in the research model. Besides, the inconsistency is less than 0.1 in all comparisons.

### 4. RESEARCH DESIGN/METHODOLOGY



#### **5. DATA/MODEL ANALYSIS**



#### 6. Limitations

Due to the covid-19 pandemic, the interviews and observation were faced with some troubles. The researchers control the process of study because the case study were such crowded and populated spaces.



#### 7. Conclusions

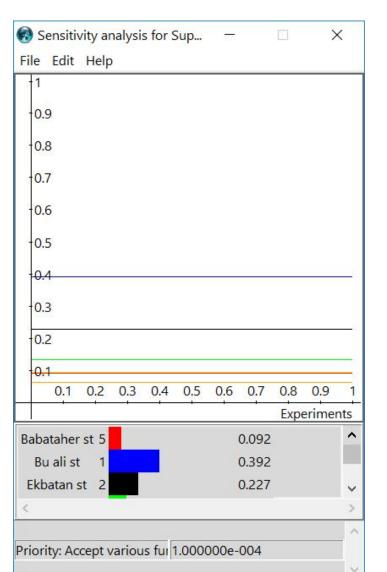
**Bu** Ali and Ekbatan streets are the first and second priorities in ANP model analysis compatible with the theoretical paper concept. The people's mindsets approve that the catalyst anchor may increase the cities elements qualities and grow it well. This study contributes for the first time using the ANP method to specify urban elements' rates through the urban catalyst field. Besides, urban management can easily find the right way to improve cities' cores.



Name	Graphic	Ideals	Normals	Raw
Babataher st		0.234163	0.091696	0.015795
Bu ali st		1.000000	0.391589	0.067453
Ekbatan st		0.579031	0.226742	0.039057
Shariati st		0.342452	0.134101	0.023099
Shohada st		0.238619	0.093441	0.016095
Takhti st		0.159430	0.062431	0.010754

#### **Bu Ali street**





#### **Ekbatan street**



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