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# Leveraging 5G Networks to Enhance Communication Between Vehicles and Traffic Infrastructure for Optimized Traffic Management

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2	plays a crucial role in enabling real-time vehicle-to-everything (V2X) communication. Through a			
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### Introduction

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The advent of smart cities and autonomous driving technologies has revolutionized modern transportation systems, placing a significant emphasis on efficient traffic management and safety.[1] At the core of this transformation is the integration of advanced communication technologies, particularly vehicle-to-everything (V2X) systems, which enable seamless communication between vehicles, infrastructure, pedestrians, and other road users. This section explores the evolution of communication technologies in vehicular networks and how the introduction of 5G promises to reshape traffic management.[2].

#### Evolution of vehicle communication technologies

The development of vehicular communication technologies can be traced back to the emergence of dedicated short-range communications (DSRC) systems As shown in Figure 1. DSRC enabled vehicles to exchange critical data such as speed, location, and road conditions, thereby facilitating vehicle-to-vehicle (V2V) and vehicle-to-infrastructure (V2I) communication. Despite its reliability, DSRC has limitations in terms of bandwidth and latency, restricting its scalability for large-scale, real-time applications in congested environments.[6] The introduction of cellular networks for V2X communication provided a step forward, allowing vehicles to leverage existing 4G/LTE networks for enhanced connectivity. However, 4G-based solutions still faced challenges in handling the vast amount of data generated by an increasing number of vehicles on the road. This led to the exploration of next-generation communication technologies, namely 5G, as a solution for overcoming these limitations.[7]



Fig.1: Dedicated Short Range Communications [5]

#### The role of 5g in vehicular networks

5G networks bring unprecedented advancements in data transmission speed, latency reduction, and device connectivity. With the ability to support up to a million connected devices per square kilometer, 5G is poised to revolutionize vehicular communication by enabling real-time, high-bandwidth interactions between vehicles and their surroundings. The low latency of 5G, measured in milliseconds, ensures that critical information such as road hazards, traffic signal changes, and pedestrian presence can be communicated instantaneously, reducing the likelihood of accidents and improving traffic flow.[8]

Furthermore, 5G networks are designed with advanced capabilities such as network slicing and edge computing, which allow service providers to allocate network resources dynamically based on demand. This ensures that critical services, such as traffic management and vehicle communication, receive the necessary bandwidth and low-latency support, even in densely populated urban areas. These features make 5G highly suited for supporting the growing complexity of intelligent transportation systems (ITS) and autonomous vehicles.

## Importance of v2x communication for traffic management

Vehicle-to-everything (V2X) communication is a cornerstone of intelligent transportation systems, facilitating the exchange of data between vehicles, infrastructure, and pedestrians. V2X communication enhances road safety, reduces traffic congestion, and improves overall transportation efficiency by enabling vehicles to respond to real-time data from traffic signals, road conditions, and other vehicles. [9]

A typical V2X ecosystem encompasses several communication modes As shown in Figure 2: vehicle-to-vehicle (V2V), vehicle-to-infrastructure (V2I), vehicle-to-pedestrian (V2P), and vehicle-to-network (V2N). Each mode plays a vital role in ensuring smooth and efficient traffic management. For instance, V2I communication allows traffic signals to adjust dynamically based on real-time traffic conditions, while V2V communication helps prevent accidents by informing vehicles of nearby hazards or aggressive driving behaviors.

5G enhances V2X by providing the necessary speed and reliability for real-time data exchange, allowing vehicles to make split-second decisions based on current traffic information. The integration of V2X with 5G creates opportunities for more efficient traffic management, enabling the development of autonomous traffic systems that require minimal human intervention.[6]



Fig.2: Ecosystem providing Internet of vehicles [6]

## Challenges and opportunities in 5g implementation for traffic management

Despite the many advantages that 5G offers for vehicle-toinfrastructure communication, several challenges remain in its implementation. One of the primary hurdles is the incompatibility between older communication systems, such as DSRC, and newer 5G-based technologies. This creates a need for hybrid solutions that can accommodate both legacy systems and cutting-edge 5G applications.[10]

Additionally, the deployment of 5G infrastructure on a large scale requires significant investment in both hardware and software, particularly in regions where network coverage is limited. Cybersecurity and data privacy are also critical concerns, as the vast amount of data exchanged between vehicles and infrastructure needs to be safeguarded against potential threats.[10]

Nevertheless, the benefits of 5G in traffic management far outweigh these challenges. The technology offers transformative possibilities for optimizing traffic flow, reducing congestion, and improving road safety. By integrating advanced features such as artificial intelligence (AI) and machine learning (ML), future traffic systems can become predictive and proactive, rather than reactive, in managing traffic conditions.

This paper aims to explore the potential of 5G networks in enhancing communication between vehicles and traffic infrastructure to improve traffic management. Through a MATLAB-based simulation, this study investigates the impact of 5G on traffic flow, congestion levels, and network latency. The objective is to demonstrate how 5G's high bandwidth and low latency can enable more efficient and responsive traffic systems, paving the way for future developments in intelligent transportation.

#### Literature review

The integration of 5G networks with vehicular communication systems has been the focus of several studies in recent years. Researchers have highlighted the potential of 5G technology to address the limitations of existing communication methods, such as Dedicated Short-Range Communications (DSRC), and improve traffic management systems through Vehicle-to-Everything (V2X) communication. This section provides a comprehensive overview of the current state of research on 5G, V2X, and their applications in traffic management.

#### 5G Networks and V2X Communication

5G networks are recognized for their advanced capabilities, particularly their low latency and high bandwidth, which make them suitable for supporting the next generation of vehicular communication. The work of Storck and Duarte-Figueiredo (2020) outlines the evolution of 5G technology and its role in V2X communication. They emphasize that "5G promises lower latency, higher reliability, and greater device density compared to 4G technologies, enabling real-time data exchange and enhancing traffic efficiency. The authors further assert that 5G's ability to support up to one million connected devices per square kilometer makes it ideal for urban environments with high vehicular density, where real-time communication is crucial for traffic management.

Another critical advancement brought about by 5G is network slicing, which allows for the dynamic allocation of network resources based on demand. Liu et al. (2021) explain that network slicing can optimize the performance of V2X communication by "ensuring that critical vehicular services, such as collision avoidance and traffic signal communication, receive prioritized bandwidth and low-latency support. This feature ensures reliable communication between vehicles and traffic infrastructure, even in densely populated areas. **DSRC vs. 5G: A Comparative Analysis**  The debate between the efficacy of DSRC and 5G in V2X communication has been the subject of many research studies. DSRC, which operates in the 5.9 GHz spectrum, has been extensively tested and validated in pilot projects across the United States. Nguyen et al. (2017) compare DSRC and 5G technologies, noting that while DSRC is effective in enabling basic V2V and V2I communication, its limitations in bandwidth and latency make it unsuitable for large-scale, real-time applications.

In contrast, 5G is designed to handle the increased data transmission requirements of modern traffic management systems. Zheng et al. (2015) argue that 5G's capacity to handle large volumes of data at high speeds makes it "a more viable solution for enabling advanced V2X applications, such as real-time traffic monitoring, predictive traffic signal control, and autonomous vehicle communication. However, they also caution that the transition from DSRC to 5G will require significant infrastructure upgrades and investment, as well as addressing issues of interoperability between the two systems.

#### **Applications of 5G in Traffic Management**

5G's low latency and high data transfer rates enable real-time decision-making in traffic management systems, which can significantly reduce congestion and enhance traffic flow. Kakkavas et al. (2021) highlight the role of 5G in improving traffic management by allowing vehicles to communicate directly with traffic signals and other infrastructure. Their study emphasizes that "adaptive traffic signal control systems that utilize 5G can dynamically adjust traffic signals based on real-time vehicle data, reducing congestion and improving travel times. This is particularly beneficial in urban areas with high traffic volumes, where traditional traffic management systems struggle to keep pace with fluctuating traffic patterns.

Moreover, Abdel Hakeem et al. (2020) point out that 5G's ability to support ultra-reliable, low-latency communication (URLLC) is crucial for safety-critical V2X applications. Their research shows that "5G's URLLC capabilities enable real-time vehicle-to-infrastructure (V2I) and vehicle-to-pedestrian (V2P) communication, which can prevent accidents by providing vehicles with instant information about road conditions and pedestrian movements. This highlights the potential of 5G to not only improve traffic flow but also enhance road safety.

#### Integration of Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Machine Learning (ML) with 5G in Traffic Management

Recent studies have explored the integration of AI and ML technologies with 5G networks to further enhance traffic management systems. Islam et al. (2021) propose a framework that utilizes AI algorithms to process real-time traffic data and optimize resource allocation in 5G networks. Their work demonstrates that "by leveraging AI, 5G-enabled traffic management systems can predict traffic congestion before it occurs, allowing for proactive measures such as rerouting vehicles or adjusting traffic signal timings"(Introduction (1)).

Similarly, Liu et al. (2021) explore the concept of vehicular edge computing, where data processing occurs at the network edge, closer to the vehicles and infrastructure. This reduces latency and allows for faster decision-making in traffic management systems. Their findings suggest that "combining 5G with edge computing can significantly enhance the responsiveness of V2X communication, enabling real-time adaptations to traffic conditions. Despite the significant potential of 5G in traffic management, there are several challenges to its implementation. One of the key barriers is the cost of deploying 5G infrastructure, particularly in regions where existing communication networks are outdated. Storck and Duarte-Figueiredo (2020) highlight that "the deployment of 5G requires substantial investment in both hardware and software, as well as the development of new regulatory frameworks to ensure seamless communication between vehicles and infrastructure"(Introduction (1)).

In addition to cost, there are concerns regarding cybersecurity and data privacy in 5G-enabled traffic systems. Abdel Hakeem et al. (2020) point out that the increased connectivity between vehicles and infrastructure creates new vulnerabilities, as cyberattacks could disrupt traffic management systems or compromise sensitive data. Their study underscores the importance of "developing robust security protocols to protect 5G-enabled traffic systems from potential threats".

#### **Future Directions for Research**

The ongoing research into 5G and V2X communication is focused on addressing these challenges and optimizing the integration of 5G with existing traffic management systems. Several researchers have called for further studies into hybrid communication models that combine the strengths of DSRC and 5G. Moreover, the integration of AI and machine learning with 5G presents new opportunities for developing predictive traffic management systems that can adapt to changing conditions in real time.

According to Gupta et al. (2020), future research should also explore the use of 6G networks, which promise even lower latency and higher data transmission rates than 5G. Their work suggests that "the development of 6G technology could further enhance V2X communication and enable more advanced applications, such as fully autonomous traffic management systems.

#### Real-world implementation of traffic data collection

In our study, the data required for simulating the interaction between vehicles and traffic infrastructure using 5G networks was generated synthetically within the MATLAB environment. While synthetic data allows for controlled simulations and analysis, it is important to consider how such data can be obtained in real-world scenarios using the necessary tools and technologies.

**Tools and Sensors for Real-World Traffic Data Collection** In real-world implementations, the data used in traffic management systems is typically collected through a combination of hardware and software tools. These include:

- **Traffic Cameras**: Installed at key intersections and roadways to monitor vehicle flow and capture real-time data on traffic density and behavior.
- **Radar and LiDAR Sensors**: These sensors detect the speed, position, and movement of vehicles. They are often installed in both vehicles and traffic infrastructure to ensure comprehensive monitoring.
- **GPS and Telematics Systems**: Integrated into modern vehicles, these systems provide continuous data on vehicle location, speed, and route history.
- **Roadside Units (RSUs):** Connected to 5G or other network technologies, RSUs facilitate communication between vehicles and infrastructure, collecting data on traffic light status, road conditions, and vehicle proximity.
- **Environmental Sensors**: These sensors measure external factors such as weather conditions, road surface quality, and visibility, which affect traffic flow and safety.

**Challenges in Implementing 5G for Traffic Management** 

By deploying such tools and sensors, traffic management systems can gather real-time data that reflects the actual conditions on the roads. This real-world data can then be processed and used for decision-making, such as adjusting traffic signal timings or rerouting vehicles to avoid congestion.

#### **Comparison of Theoretical and Real-World Data**

In this study, the data was generated programmatically to simulate vehicle behavior and interactions with traffic infrastructure under ideal conditions. Theoretical data allows for a controlled environment where parameters such as vehicle speed, position, and traffic light status can be adjusted systematically. While this provides valuable insights into the potential benefits of 5G communication in traffic management, there are inherent differences between theoretical and real-world data.

- Consistency: In simulations, data is consistent and predictable, following predefined distributions and patterns. In the real world, data can be highly variable due to unpredictable factors such as weather conditions, driver behavior, and sudden road incidents.
- Noise and Interference: Real-world data is often subject to noise and interference from various sources, such as sensor malfunctions, environmental factors, or network disruptions. Simulated data, on the other hand, operates under ideal conditions without such disruptions.
- Data Volume and Complexity: The amount of data generated in real-world applications is often much larger and more complex than in simulations, particularly in dense urban environments where thousands of vehicles and infrastructure points are involved.

While our simulations provided a clear representation of how 5G can enhance vehicle-to-infrastructure communication, it is important to recognize that real-world implementations will require sophisticated tools and algorithms to handle the variability and complexity of real-time traffic data.

## Challenges in Collecting Real-World Data in Brack and Libya

Unfortunately, for this research, we were unable to obtain real-world traffic data due to several challenges. Currently, in Brack, located in southern Libya, there is a lack of the necessary technological infrastructure to support advanced traffic data collection systems. The absence of 5G networks, modern sensor equipment, and connected traffic infrastructure limits our ability to gather accurate, real-time data.

Moreover, Libya as a whole is still in the early stages of adopting intelligent transportation systems and the required communication networks, such as 5G, are not yet available. This lack of infrastructure presents significant challenges to implementing and testing real-world solutions for traffic management based on 5G technology.

Future developments in network technology and infrastructure will be critical for enabling real-world applications of the concepts explored in this paper. Once the necessary tools and systems are in place, it will be possible to validate the theoretical results obtained in this research through real-world testing.

### METHODOLOGY

The simulation in this study was conducted using MATLAB to model the interaction between vehicles and traffic infrastructure, with a focus on optimizing traffic management using 5G communication technologies. The simulation was designed to reflect real-world conditions specific to Brack,

the capital of Wadi Alshatti in southern Libya. This area experiences significant traffic congestion during peak hours, exacerbated by several demographic and environmental factors. The following subsections outline the methodology, focusing on Data Collection, Simulation Scenarios, and Adaptive Control Algorithms.



Fig.3: Study area

#### **Data Collection**

In this study, the data required for the simulation was generated synthetically within MATLAB, as real-world data could not be obtained due to the absence of 5G infrastructure and necessary sensor networks in Brack. The synthetic data includes vehicle positions, speeds, and traffic light status. For a real-world implementation, such data could be collected using a variety of traffic sensors and monitoring tools, including:

- **Cameras** and **roadside units** installed at major intersections to capture vehicle counts and traffic flow.
- Radar sensors to detect vehicle speed and movement.
- **GPS and telematics systems** integrated into vehicles to provide continuous location and speed data.

These tools would enable real-time monitoring of traffic conditions, allowing for more precise adjustments to traffic signal timings and vehicle routing. In the absence of this infrastructure in Brack, synthetic data was generated to simulate these inputs.

#### **Simulation Scenarios**

The simulation scenarios were designed to reflect the specific conditions of Brack As shown in Figure 4, where the primary road serves as the main artery for all areas of Wadi Al Shati. This road is subject to several unique challenges:

- 1. **Heavy traffic congestion during peak hours**: Due to the importance of the road, especially during the morning and evening rush hours, significant traffic buildup occurs.
- 2. **Hot weather conditions**: The intense heat in southern Libya affects both driver behavior and vehicle performance, contributing to erratic traffic flow.
- 3. **Increased number of vehicles**: As the population grows, the number of vehicles on the road continues to increase, adding to the congestion.
- 4. **Children driving vehicles**: A demographic issue in the region is the frequent occurrence of underage driving, leading to unpredictable driving patterns.
- 5. **Disregard for traffic rules**: A general lack of adherence to traffic laws by many drivers further complicates traffic management in the area.



Fig.4: Simulation scenarios

In the simulation, these factors were taken into account by introducing variability in vehicle speeds, unpredictable changes in vehicle positions, and frequent updates to traffic congestion levels. The number of vehicles was increased gradually over the course of the simulation to mimic the growing traffic density during peak hours.

#### **Adaptive Control Algorithms**

The MATLAB simulation implemented adaptive control algorithms to manage traffic flow dynamically. These algorithms allowed the traffic signals to adjust in real time based on the conditions of the road, the number of vehicles, and the flow of traffic. The main components of the adaptive control system included:

- **Real-time traffic signal adjustment**: Traffic lights at intersections were controlled based on current traffic conditions. For example, if congestion was detected at a particular intersection, the traffic light would remain green for longer to allow more vehicles to pass, reducing buildup.
- Vehicle priority management: The simulation also modeled scenarios where emergency vehicles or vehicles with higher priority were given preference at intersections, minimizing delays for critical services.
- **Congestion detection and mitigation**: Using the data generated from vehicle movements, the system identified areas with high congestion and adjusted signal timings accordingly. In areas where traffic was backed up due to red lights, signals would be adjusted to ease congestion, helping to maintain a steady flow of traffic.

The simulation parameters are tabulated in Table 1

Table 1: The simulation	parameters for the case stu	dy
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Parameter	Value
Initial number of vehicles	50
Maximum number of vehicles	500
Number of traffic infrastructures	10
(e.g., traffic lights)	
Total simulation time	1000 seconds.
Time step for simulation	0.1 seconds
Vehicle increment	10 vehicles per interval.

The simulation generates synthetic vehicle data, such as speed and position, as well as infrastructure data, including traffic light status and sensor information. The 5G network is modelled with a latency of 1 millisecond and a bandwidth of 1 Gbps. The simulation tracks traffic flow, congestion levels, and the impact of vehicle numbers on 5G network latency.

#### RESULTS

The simulation conducted in MATLAB provided valuable insights into how 5G-enabled communication between

vehicles and traffic infrastructure can significantly improve traffic flow in a highly congested area like Brack, the capital of Wadi Al Shati. The key findings are summarized as follows:



#### **Traffic Flow Improvement**

One of the primary objectives of this study was to assess the impact of 5G communication on traffic flow As shown in Figure 5. The simulation revealed that as the number of vehicles increased, the adaptive traffic control system, supported by 5G, was able to maintain a steady traffic flow. By adjusting traffic signal timings in real time based on the volume of vehicles, the system effectively mitigated congestion, especially during peak hours.

Traffic Flow Over Time: The average vehicle speed remained relatively high, even as the number of vehicles on the road increased. This indicates that the adaptive traffic signals, which were dynamically adjusted in response to real-time data from the vehicles, were successful in preventing severe bottlenecks.

The results showed that under normal conditions, with no external disruptions, traffic on the main road of Brack moved smoothly and efficiently. The use of 5G-enabled vehicle-to-infrastructure (V2I) communication ensured that the traffic management system had real-time data on vehicle positions and speeds, allowing for precise adjustments to traffic signals. This reduced the stop-and-go behavior typically observed during heavy traffic, thereby improving the overall traffic flow.

#### **Congestion Levels**

The simulation also tracked congestion levels at key intersections. During peak times, congestion naturally increased due to the higher volume of vehicles, but the adaptive traffic control system successfully prevented severe congestion from persisting for long periods As shown in Figure 6.

#### **Congestion Reduction**

By dynamically adjusting traffic light durations based on real-time data, the system managed to reduce congestion by allowing vehicles to pass through intersections more efficiently. For example, at particularly congested intersections, the system increased the duration of green lights during peak times, allowing more vehicles to pass and thus alleviating congestion.

The 5G communication system was instrumental in this process, as it provided low-latency, high-bandwidth data transmission, ensuring that the traffic control system could react to changes in traffic patterns almost instantly. This prevented traffic jams from escalating and kept the road network functional even during the busiest times.

#### **Impact on 5G Network Latency**

Another key metric measured during the simulation was the impact of increasing vehicle numbers on 5G network latency. As the number of vehicles connected to the network increased, there was a slight rise in latency due to the greater demand for bandwidth. However, this increase in latency was minimal, thanks to the high capacity of 5G networks As shown in Figure 7.

Latency and Network Performance: The simulation showed that even with 500 vehicles connected to the 5G network, the latency remained well within acceptable limits (below 5 milliseconds), ensuring that real-time communication between vehicles and traffic infrastructure was not compromised. This highlights the robustness of 5G in supporting large-scale traffic systems without significant degradation in performance.

#### Discussion

The results of the simulation demonstrate the effectiveness of 5G-enabled traffic management systems in improving the flow of vehicles on the main road of Brack. The ability to collect real-time data on vehicle positions and adjust traffic signals dynamically allowed the system to mitigate congestion and keep traffic moving, even during peak hours.

#### **Smooth Traffic Flow in Brack**

By applying 5G communication technology, traffic flow on the main artery of Brack proceeded with remarkable smoothness and efficiency. The simulation indicated that adaptive control algorithms, supported by real-time data, enabled traffic signals to respond to current traffic conditions almost instantaneously. This prevented the buildup of traffic at key intersections and ensured that vehicles could move through the city without major delays.

It is important to note that the simulation was conducted under the assumption that the road had undergone perfect maintenance. In reality, the condition of the road in Brack is a significant factor contributing to congestion, as potholes and damaged sections slow down traffic. The simulation results, therefore, represent an ideal scenario where the road is in optimal condition, demonstrating the potential of 5G traffic management in a well-maintained infrastructure.

#### **Current Limitations in Brack**

In the real world, however, several challenges still hinder the smooth flow of traffic in Brack. These include:

**Ongoing Road Closures**: Currently, traffic on the main road of Brack is frequently disrupted by road closures enforced by local traffic authorities. These closures are often necessary due to road repairs or to manage traffic flow when congestion becomes unmanageable. The simulation did not account for these closures, as it assumed that the road was fully operational and maintained. **Manual Traffic Control**: Another factor affecting traffic flow in Brack is the manual control of traffic by law enforcement officers. In the absence of automated traffic control systems, officers frequently close off sections of the road to manage congestion. This manual intervention, while necessary under current circumstances, further disrupts the flow of traffic and reduces overall efficiency. In contrast, the 5G-enabled system simulated here would allow for automated, real-time adjustments to traffic signals, minimizing the need for such manual interventions.

#### Potential Benefits of 5G Implementation

If 5G infrastructure and traffic management systems were implemented in Brack, it would greatly reduce the need for manual traffic control and road closures. The adaptive algorithms demonstrated in the simulation could manage traffic flow dynamically, reducing congestion and maintaining efficient movement on the main road without the need for physical barriers or traffic officer intervention.

Additionally, the ability of the system to gather and respond to real-time data would enable authorities to identify problem areas on the road and take corrective action before traffic issues escalate. This would be particularly beneficial during peak hours, when traffic congestion is at its worst.

#### **Challenges in Real-World Implementation**

Despite the clear benefits demonstrated in the simulation, there are several obstacles to implementing such a system in Brack, or in Libya more generally. The primary challenge is the lack of 5G infrastructure in the region. Without 5G networks, the real-time data transmission required for dynamic traffic management cannot be achieved. Additionally, the lack of sensors, cameras, and other traffic monitoring tools makes it impossible to gather the data necessary to feed into the adaptive algorithms.

Furthermore, the current condition of the roads and the need for frequent repairs means that even if a 5G system were implemented, it would likely face significant disruptions. Road maintenance and upgrades would be essential to ensure that the system can operate as efficiently in reality as it does in the simulation.

#### Conclusion

The simulation results demonstrate the potential of 5G communication technology to significantly improve traffic management in Brack. By enabling real-time data exchange between vehicles and infrastructure, the system was able to keep traffic moving smoothly and reduce congestion, even during peak hours. However, the real-world implementation of such a system in Brack would require extensive infrastructure upgrades, including the deployment of 5G networks and traffic monitoring tools. Additionally, the ongoing challenges of road closures and manual traffic control would need to be addressed to fully realize the benefits of 5G-enabled traffic management.

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