

"It does not matter how slowly you go as long as you do not stop." - Confucius



HOP ON is an autonomous public transport vehicle focusing on the urban area. As the name suggests, you can jump on the vehicle while driving. Similar to a paternoster elevator, HOP ON has a continuous moving platform on the entry side, which makes the access much easier. The treadmill runs in the opposite direction of traveling, whereby the relative speed to the vehicle is reduced when jumping on. The fact that the vehicle doesn't need to stop any longer, it allows a continuous ride for the passengers.

## When does slowness make sense in transport?

- 1. not in a hurry => passengers have enough time
- 2. only short distance => city and suburb
- 3. no driving want => autonomous driving
- 4. focus on surrounding => transparancy
- 5. fluid journey => no stop



## HOP ON!

The main feature is the treadmill which runs in opposition to the direction of travel, whereby the relative speed to the vehicle is reduced when jumping on. On the other side is a platform for resting until the passenger wants to get off again.

 $V_{\text{(vehicle)}} - V_{\text{(treadmill)}} = V_{\text{(people)}}$  $10_{\text{km/h}} - 5_{\text{km/h}} = 5_{\text{km/h}}$ 



Rubber tracks: to keep the platform as flat as pos-

sible to enable easy access - in addition the tracks,

RESTING PLATFORM

The fact that the walking speed is the same as the relative speed of the treadmill on

FLEXIBILITY
Cet on and off wherever and whenever you want. Therefore no stations are needed.

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