



Urban Air Mobility

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Some of the current players in UAM - passengers

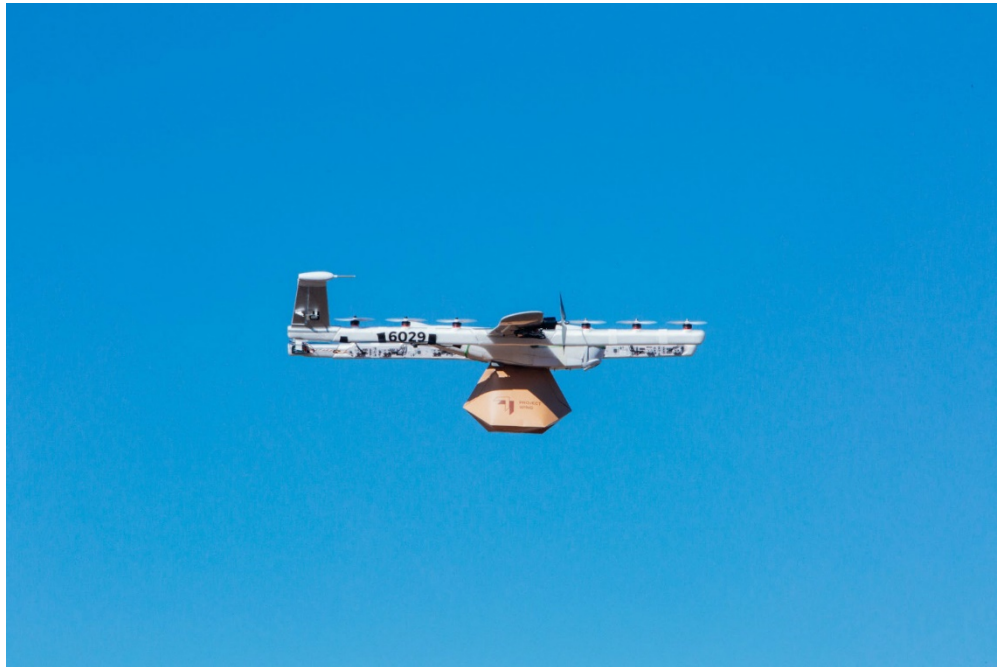


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Some of the current players in UAM - delivery

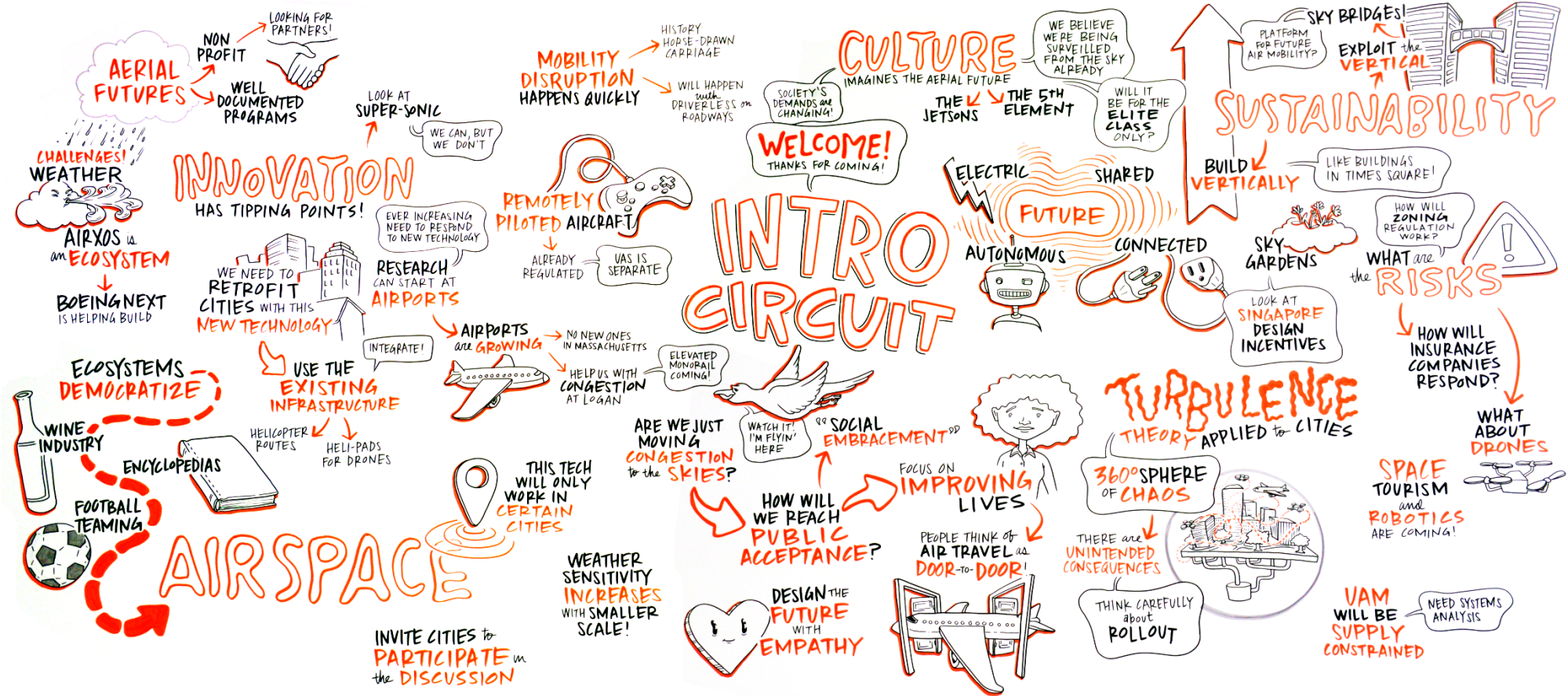


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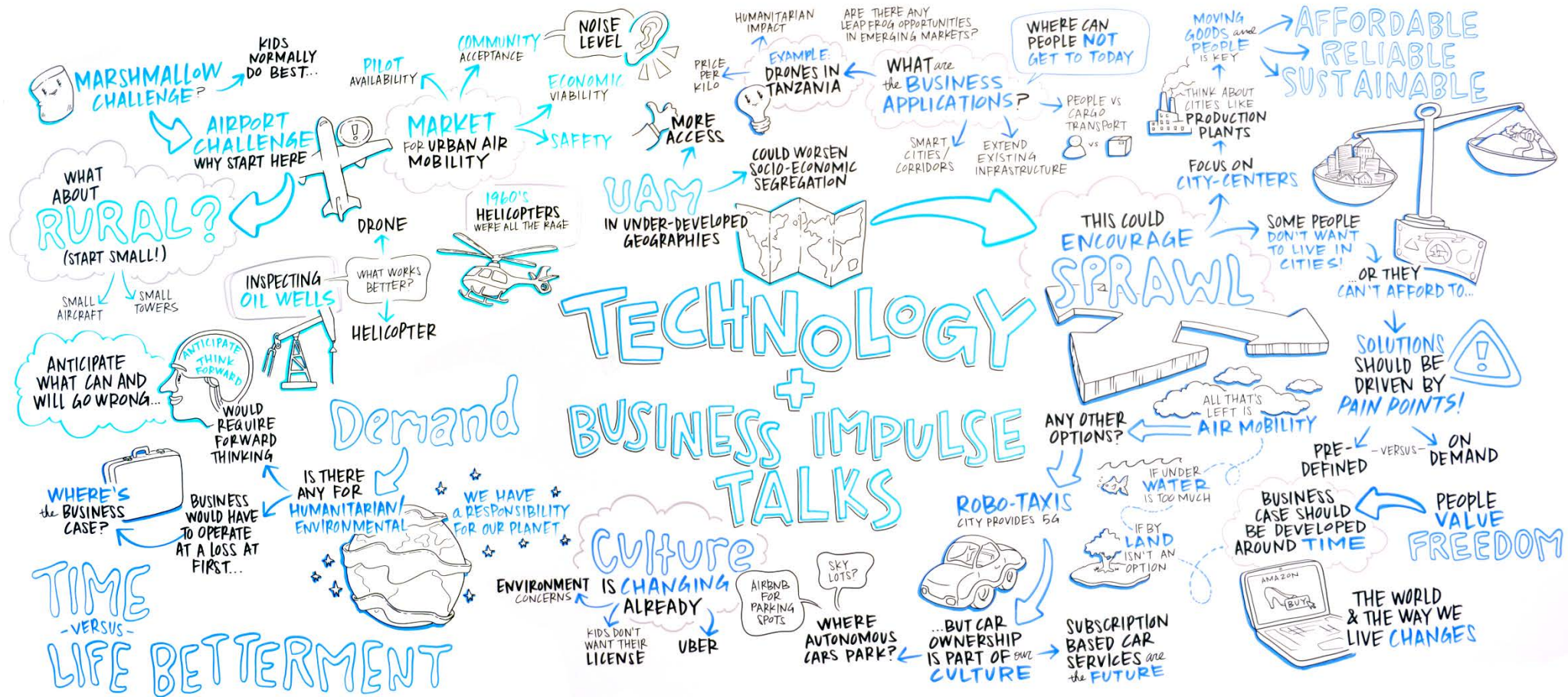


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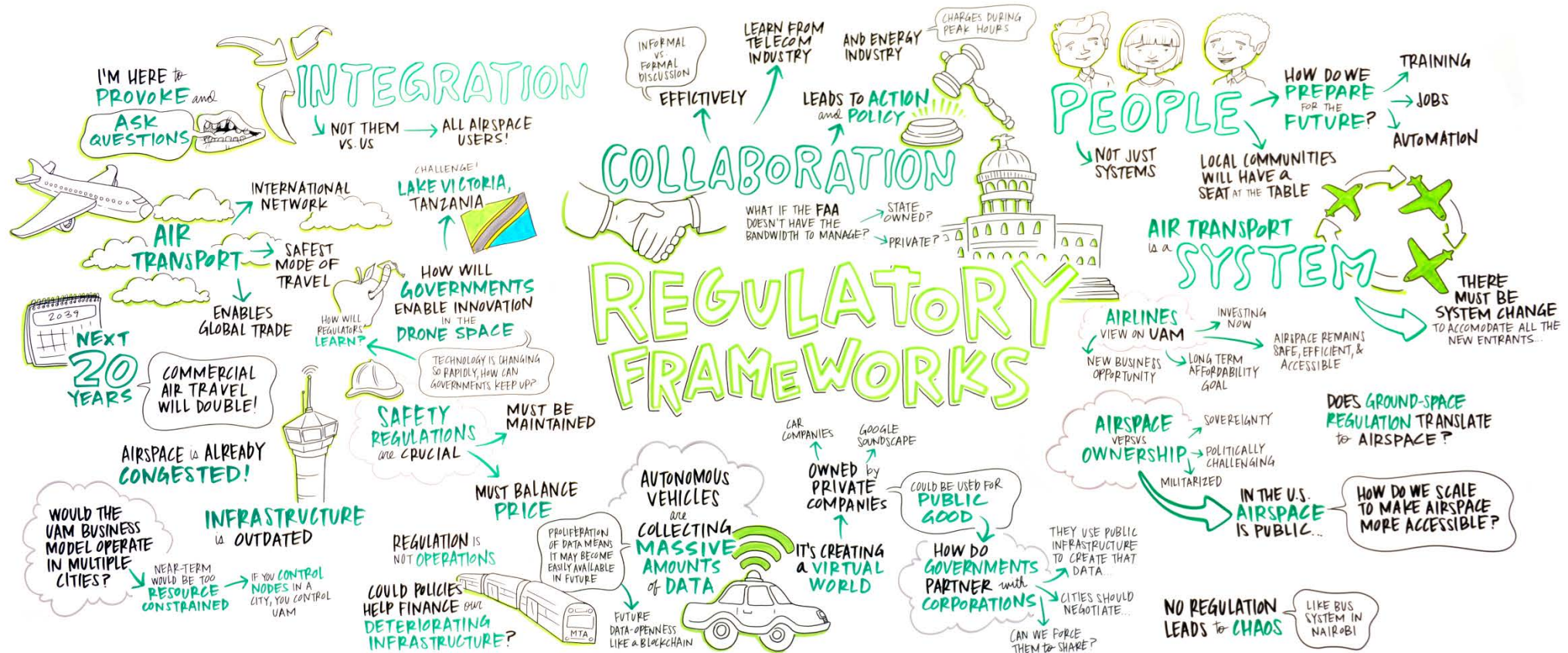
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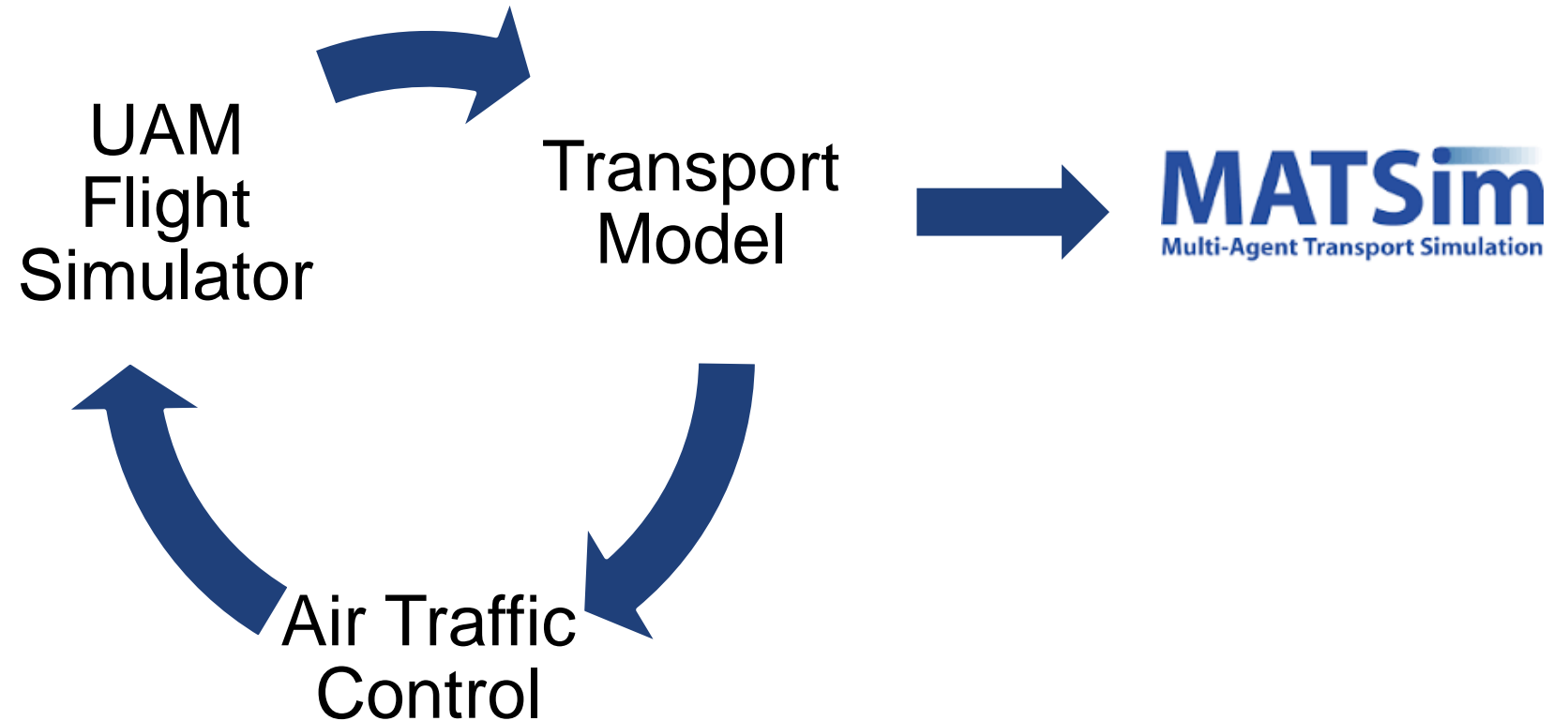
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- "...mobility future will be electric, shared, autonomus, connected..."
- "...pre-defined vs on-demand..."
- "...mobility disruption happens quickly..."
- "...no regulation leads to chaos..."
- "...are we just moving congestion to the skies...?"

How to Model UAM?

- Transport Simulator (Micromobility, Intermodality, On-demand)
- Air Traffic Control
- UAM Flight Simulator

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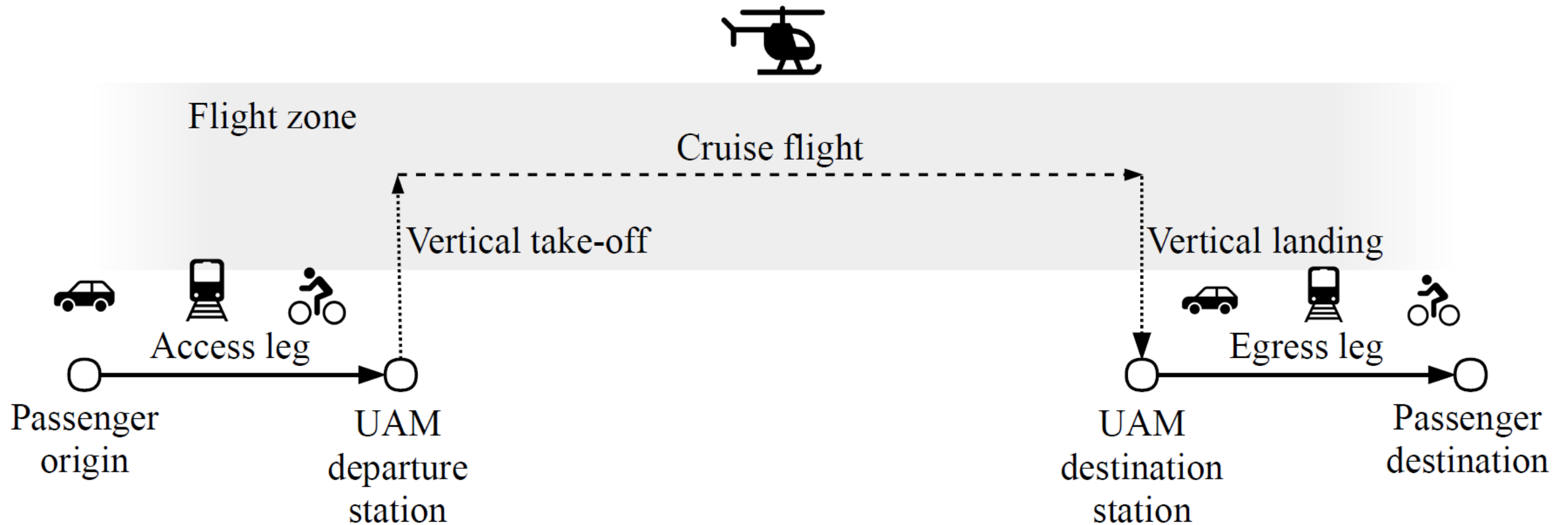
UAM extension pluggable in MATSim

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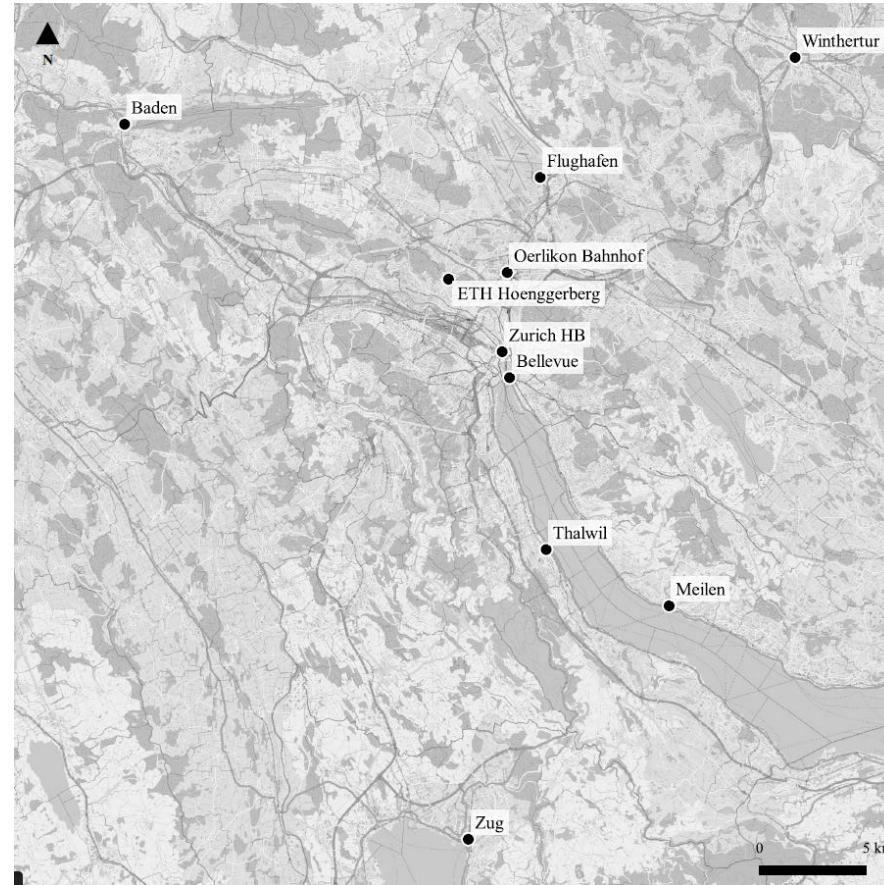
Features:

- UAM Network characteristics (landing stations, flight paths, altitude, allowed speeds)
- UAM Vehicle characteristics (capacity, vertical and cruising speed)
- Landing stations characteristics (landing capacity, parking capacity, turnaround time for VTOL vehicle)
- Intermodality
- VTOL dispatching and relocation

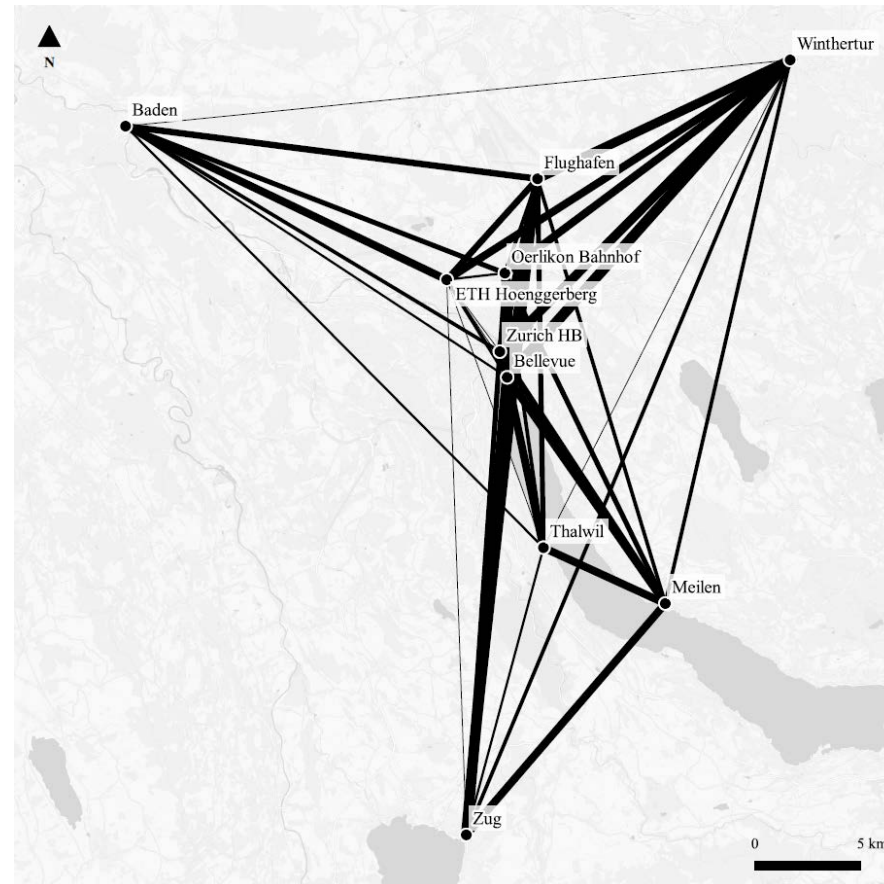
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Zurich case study – Air Taxis, on-demand, limited locations



Zurich case study – Air Taxis, anytime, limited locations



Final Remarks

- UAM as part of an intermodal trip travel
- Detailed spatial and temporal availability and compatibility with other modes
- Impacts on environment, noise, etc.
- Future work on incorporating information from Air Traffic Management

Questions

