

### Islamic Republic of Iran Ministry of Road & Urban Development



#### **Road Maintenance and Transportation Organization**



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## The share of:

**European Countries: 35.6** 

**Asian Countries: 31.5** 

CIS Countries: 4.5

Middle East Countries: 7.5

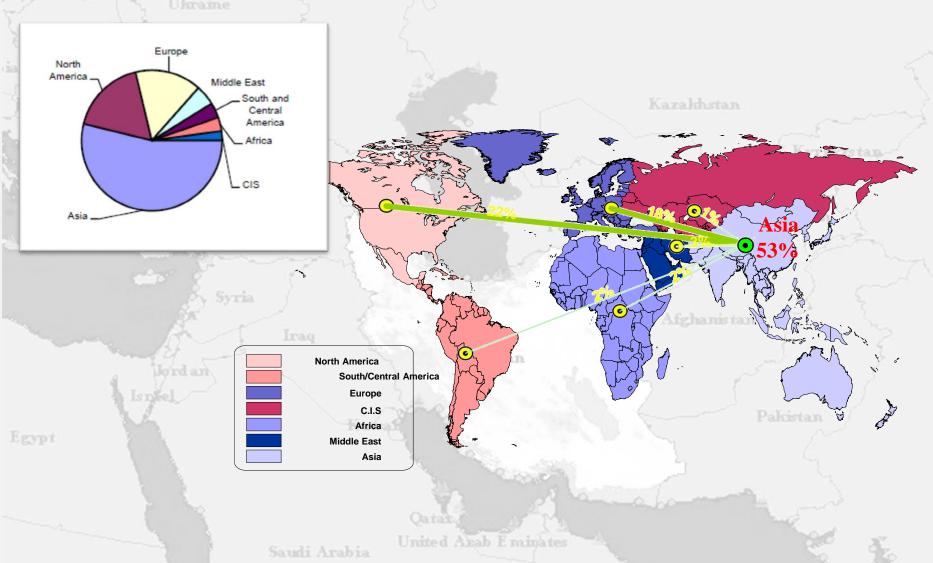
North
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Source: Intra and Inter – regional Merchandise trade 2013 – WTO

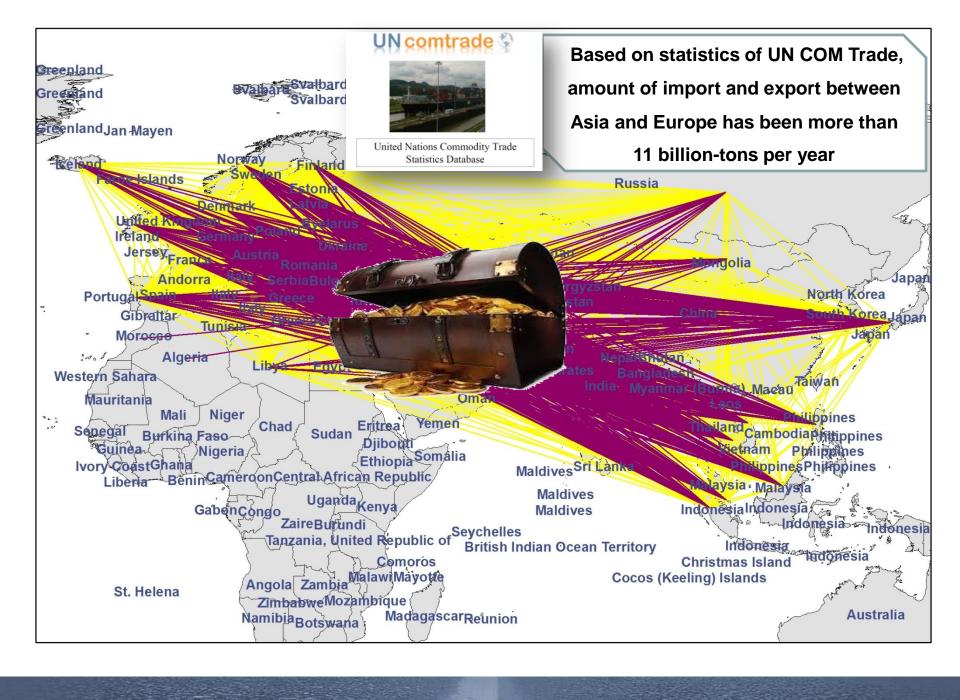
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# Asia's merchandise exports by region, 2013 (Percentage shares)



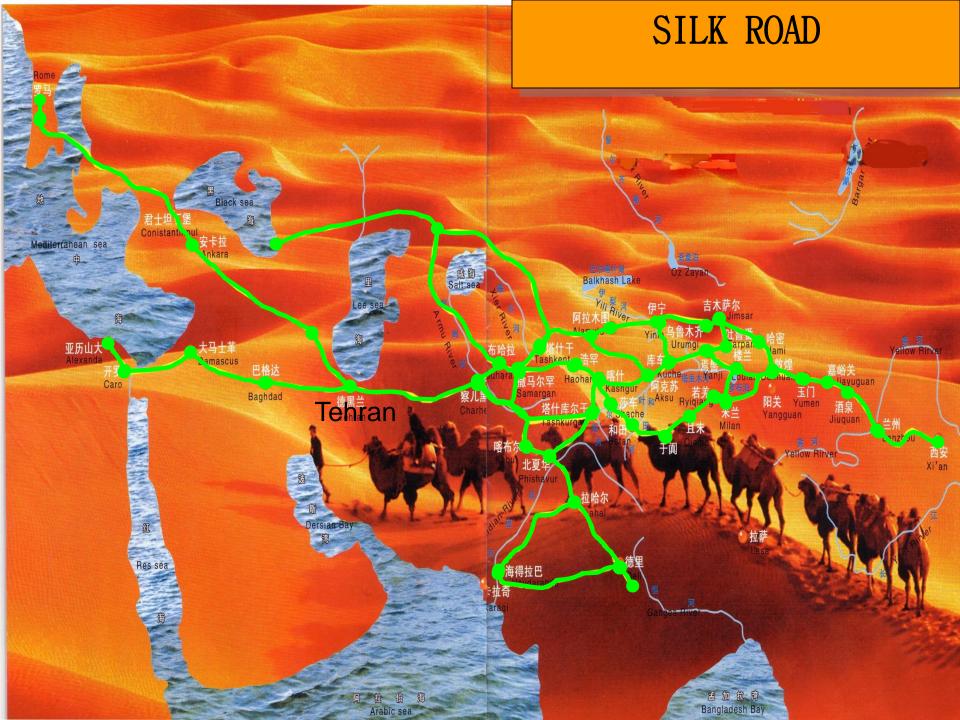
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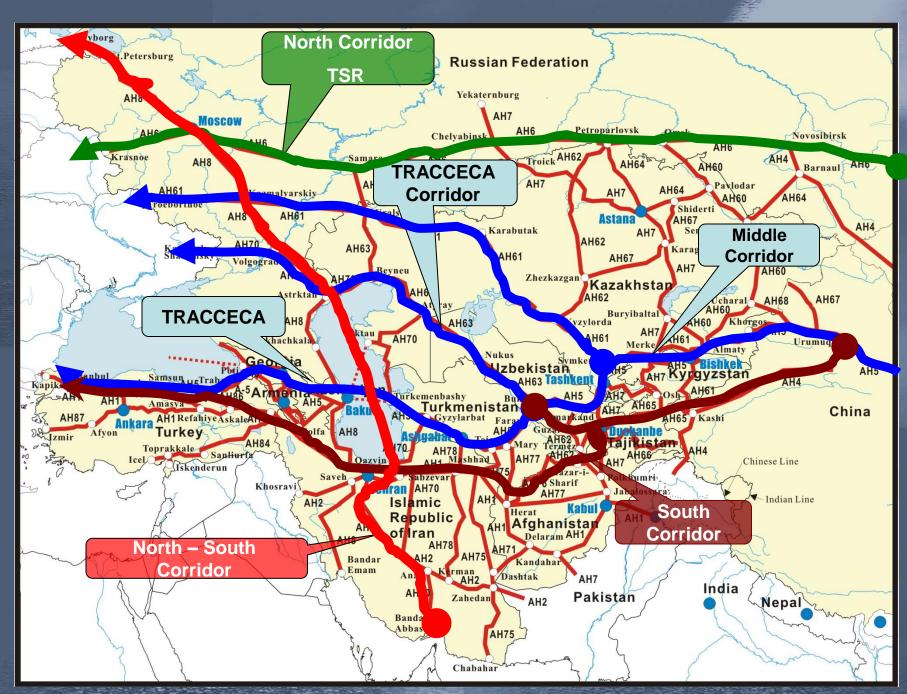
# **International Corridors**

There is a considerable overlap between the routes including in the important international corridors and the territory of Islamic Republic of Iran as followings:

- Europe- Caucasus- Asia Transport Corridor (TRACCECA)
- A.L.T.I.D Corridor
- Silk Road
- T.A.R Network (Rail Corridor)
- Asian Highways Network
- International North South Transport Corridor
- Islamabad Tehran Istanbul (ITI) Eco
- Kyrgyzstan Tajikistan Afghanistan Iran (KTAI) Eco
- Iran Turkmenistan Uzbekistan Oman (Ashgabat agreement)



#### **ASIA – EUROPE Transit Corridors**





## TRACCECA Member Countries:

Armenia, Azerbaijan, Georgia, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Tajikistan, Uzbekistan, Mongolia, Ukraine, Moldavia, Turkey, Bulgaria, Romany, IRAN,

Aghanistan (Last stage for membership)

Saudi Arabia

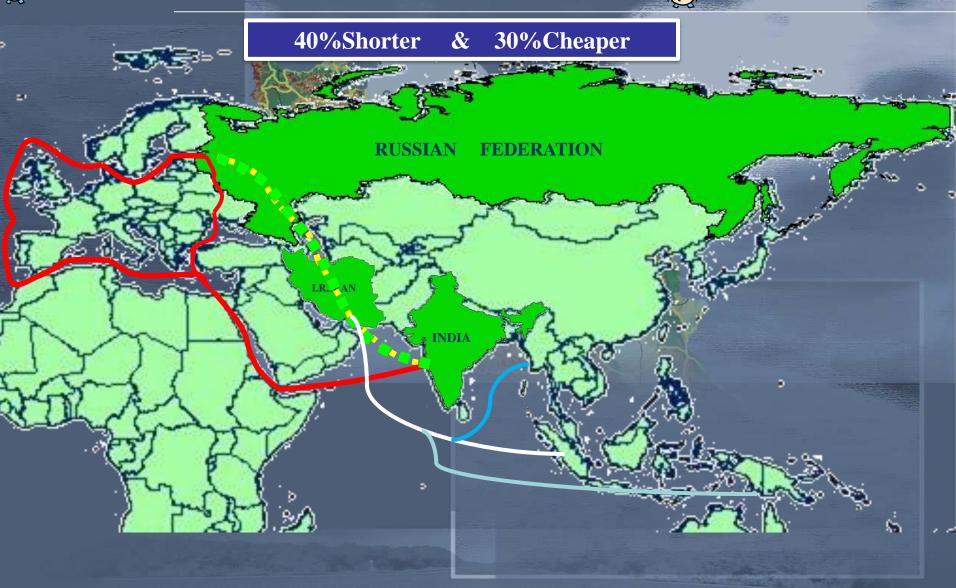
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India

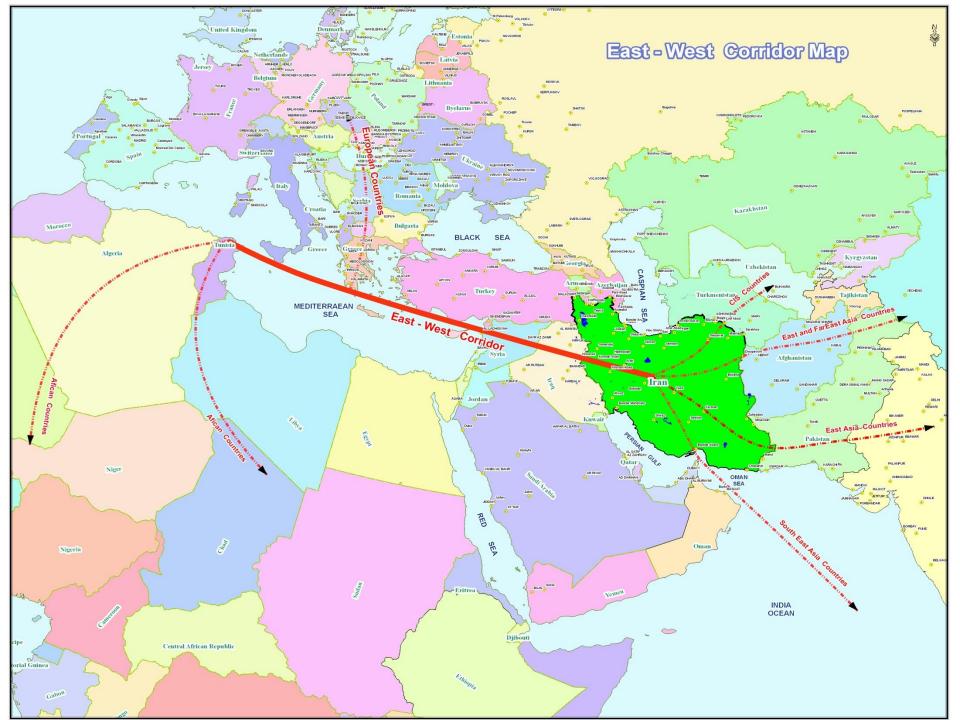


45-60 DAY:TIME TRAVEL

25-30 DAY:TRAVEL TIME

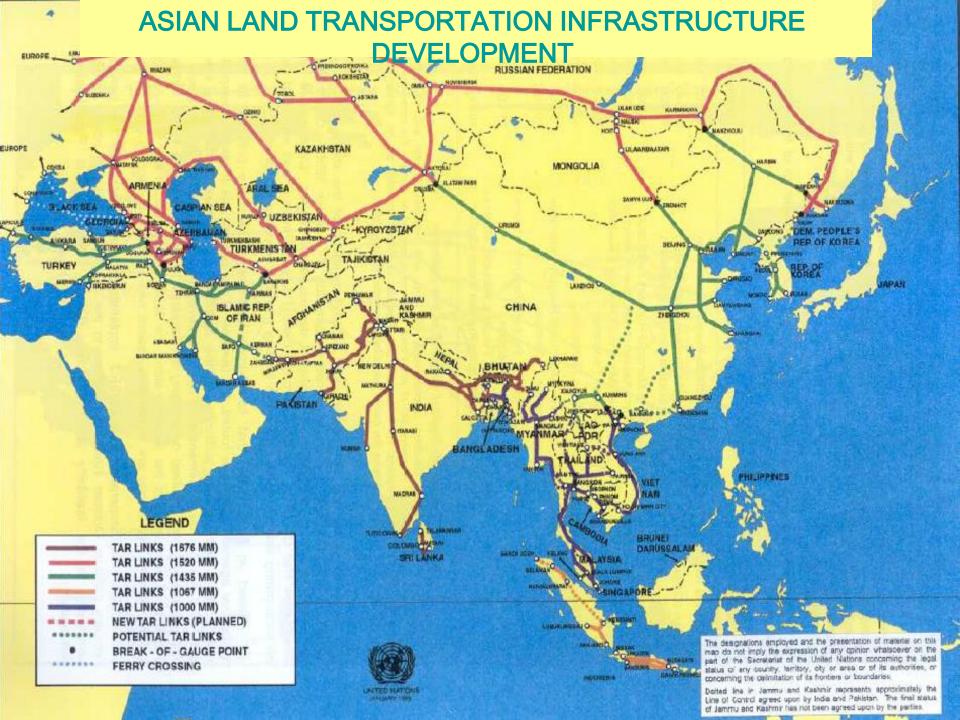


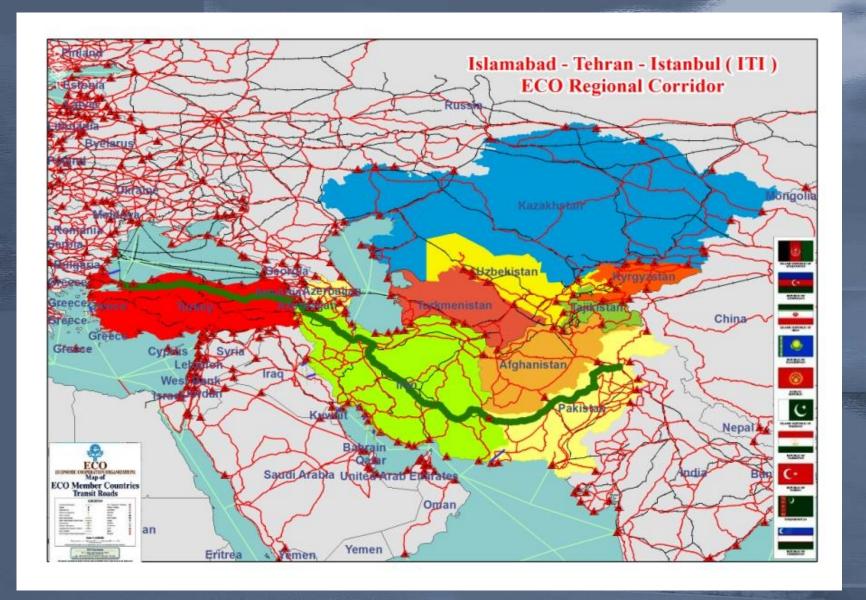


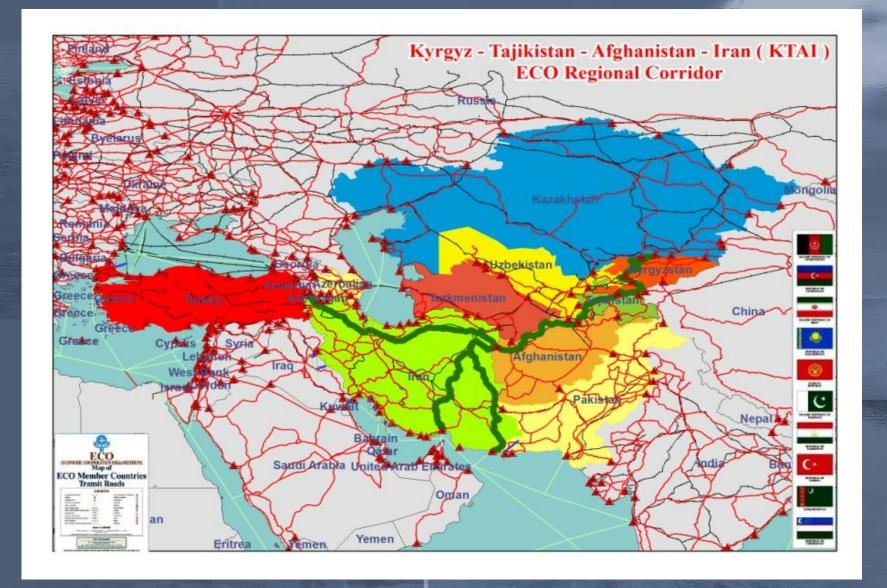


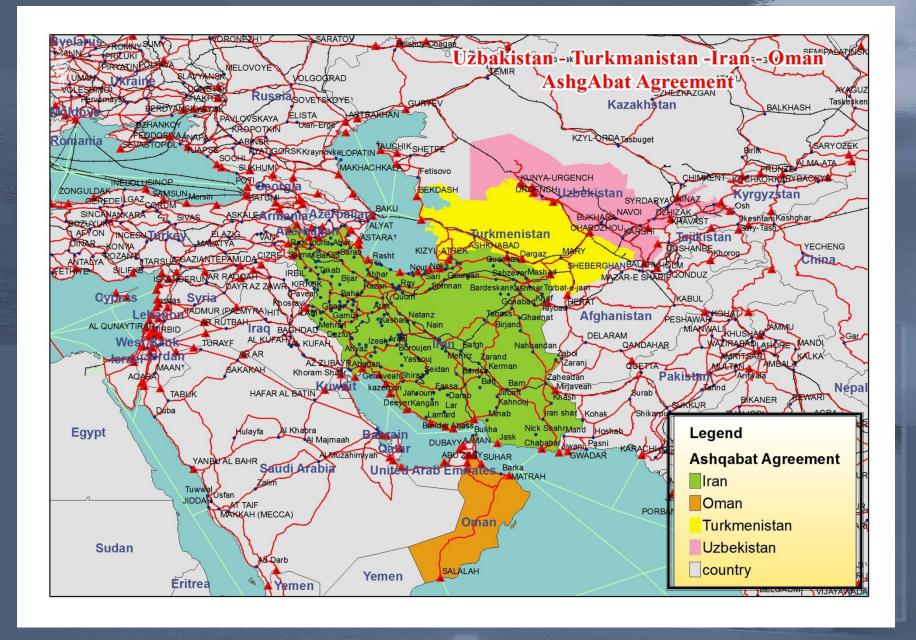
# ASIAN HIGHWAY

















#### I.R.IRAN Road Network



Total kilometers of roadway network about 200/000 Km and total kilometers of national roads and under jurisdiction of Ministry of Road and Urban Development is around 85000 km which will be following classification:

2200 km Freeway

14155 km Highway

21628 km Major Road

46485 km Minor Road

129000 km Rural Road

1151 km Other Road

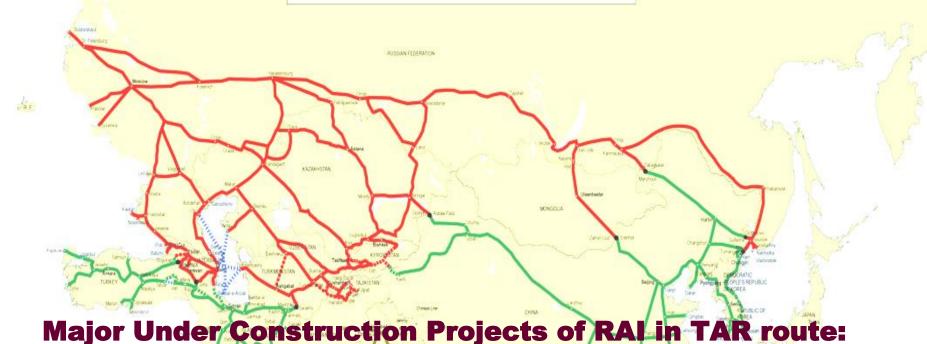
24000 km Transit Roads (Linkage between Border to Border)
Base on UN ESCAP Asian Highway Network

## **Rail Network**



In addition, the rail network throughout the country including main lines, branches and approximately 12,000 Km of territory in the south would connect shores of the Persian Gulf to the Caspian Sea in Northern Iran.

#### TRANS-ASIAN RAILWAY NETWORK



- 1. Afghanistan Border: Sangan-Heart Railway; 191 km
- 2. Azerbaijan Border: Qazvin-Rasht-Astara Railway; 376 km
- 3. Araq Border: Arak-Kermanshah-Khosravi; 611 km
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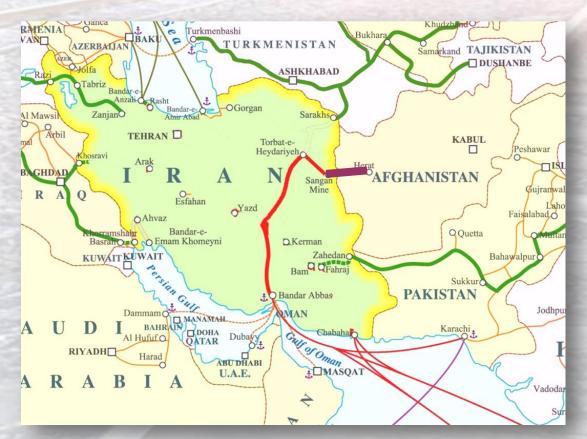
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  TAR LINK PLANNEDUNDER CONSTRUCTION

POTENTIAL TAR LINK



**Afganistan Border:** 

Construction of Sangan-Herat railways (191 km) connecting Afqanistan to RAI, Central Asia, Europe, enabling Afqanistan to have access to the Persian Gulf and Oman sea

#### Azerbaijan border:

Construction of Qazvin-Rasht-Anzali-Astara; 376 km

(A missing link in North-South corridor that may decrease the length of the route from Finland to India by 40%)





Iraq border:

Rail link with Iraq by a land bridge between mediterrenian sea and the Persian Gulf via:

Arak-kermanshah-khosravi long term project, 611 km



Double Track route of Miyaneh-Bostanabad-Tabriz (185 km) Increases speed & transportation capacity in "East-West" transit corridor

# II.R.IRAN Road Transport Statistic in 2014

Caspian Sea

- Number of inter urban public transport cargo fleet: 395000
- Number of inter urban public transport passenger fleet: 92000
- ▼ Cargo transport tonnage: 381 million tons
- Cargo transit tonnage: 12 million tons plan to increase to 50
- Passengers carried : 211 million Persons

# --- I.R.IRAN Road Transport Statistic in 2014

Caspian Sea

Number of domestic goods transport companies: 4178

Total: 5039

Total: 2252

- **▼** Number of International goods transport companies: **861** ∫ 13tar.
- Number of domestic passenger companies: 2211
- Number of International passenger companies: 41
- Number of border terminals : 24
- Number of cargo terminals : 63
- Number of passenger terminals: 292
- Number of welfare service complex: 482
- Number of TirPark: 331



# Obstacles

- Several problems including physical and nonphysical obstacles
- Nearly 40 percent of the Silk Road transport time is waste in the frontiers
- Lack of border guards mechanized systems in customs administration
- Poor usage of intelligent transport systems, single window,
- Official multiple complications would increase the cost of crossing the road cause of the transport formalities.

Caspian Sea

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