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To my parents, my husband, and my daughter.

ABSTRACT

This can be your **Management Summary** or **Abstract**. An abstract or management summary should be not more than one page in length. The abstract should allow the reader or moderator who is unfamiliar with the work to gain a swift and accurate impression of what the project is about, how it arose and what has been achieved.

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PREFACE

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CHAPTER 1

INTRODUCTION, BACKGROUND STORY, MOTIVATIONS

1.1 Basic Introduction

Currently, the amount of vehicles on the road increases every year in Malaysia. It is because the local brand car is affordable by many low income level household. The manufacturer also provided promotions to attract people to buy car. So that, the number of non-professional driver rapidly increased in Malaysia. Most of the drivers are unskilled and lack of awareness on the traffic safety and vehicle condition. The driver's personal factors have become the main reason of causing the traffic incidents.

According to the general road accident data in Malaysia took from Malaysian Institute of Road Safety Research (MIROS) offcial website shown in Figure 1.1, the Malaysia government put effort on reducing the amount of traffic incidents by introducing the new traffic laws and speed track system. However, the number of cases of road deaths does not drop significantly.

General Road Accident Data in Malaysia (1997 – 2014)

Year	Registered Vehicles	Population	Road Crashes	Road Deaths	Serious Injury	Slight Injury	Index per 10,000 Vehicles	Index per 100,000 Population	Indeks per billion VKT
1997	8,550,469	21,665,600	215,632	6,302	14,105	36,167	7.37	29.1	33.57
1998	9,141,357	22,179,500	211,037	5,740	12,068	37,896	6.28	25.8	28.75
1999	9,929,951	22,711,900	223,166	5,794	10,366	36,777	5.83	25.5	26.79
2000	10,598,804	23,263,600	250,429	6,035	9,790	34,375	5.69	26.0	26.25
2001	11,302,545	23,795,300	265,175	5,849	8,680	35,944	5.17	25.1	23.93
2002	12,068,144	24,526,500	279,711	5,891	8,425	35,236	4.9	25.3	22.71
2003	12,819,248	25,048,300	298,653	6,286	9,040	37,415	4.9	25.1	22.77
2004	13,828,889	25,580,000	326,815	6,228	9,218	38,645	4.52	24.3	21.1
2005	15,026,660	26,130,000	328,264	6,200	9,395	31,417	4.18	23.7	19.58
2006	15,790,732	26,640,000	341,252	6,287	9,253	19,885	3.98	23.6	18.69
2007	16,813,943	27,170,000	363,319	6,282	9,273	18,444	3.74	23.1	17.6
2008	17,971,901	27,730,000	373,071	6,527	8,868	16,879	3.63	23.5	17.65
2009	19,016,782	28,310,000	397,330	6,745	8,849	15,823	3.55	23.8	17.27
2010	20,188,565	28,910,000	414,421	6,872	7,781	13,616	3.4	23.8	16.21
2011	21,401,269	29,000,000	449,040	6,877	6,328	12,365	3.21	23.7	14.68
2012	22,702,221	29,300,000	462,423	6,917	5,868	11,654	3.05	23.6	13.35
2013	23,819,256	29,947,600	477,204	6,915	4,597	8,388	2.90	23.1	12.19
2014	25,101,192	30,300,000	476,196	6,674	4,432	8,598	2.66	22.0	10.64

Figure 1.1: General Road Accident Data in Malaysia (1997 - 2014)

The driver characteristics and the occurence of traffic incident is interrelated.

To further reduce the number of accidents, the safety equipment of the vehicle need to be improved as well as the road regulation, but also pay attention on driver behaviour.

1.1.1 Vehicle Operation Data Collection

The behaviour of the driver is hard to be identified. The driver behavior is affected by environment, vehicle condition and the mental or physical state. One way to identify driver behaviour is using the vehicle operation data.

1.1.1 (a) OBD System

The OBD system is also called OBD-II, was proposed in 1996. In 1996, all the cars manufactured in United State (US) were required to equip OBD-II and the cars without OBD-II prohibited to sell in US. The purpose to have OBD-II specifications is to diagnose engine problem. The specifications were being used by the Environment Protection Agency (EPA) and the state of California to meet the emission standards. Since 1996, all the cars in US are required to be equiped with OBD-II to establish the EPA regulation.

The usage of the OBD-II is important for detecting the vehicle exhaustion. If the vehicle is exhaust high level of air-pollution content, Diagnostic Trouble Codes (DTCs) will be geneated by the OBD-II and a Check Engine Light will be displayed on vehicle dashboard. A OBD-II scanning tool can access the DTCs from the Engine Control Unit (ECU).

1.1.1 (b) ELM327

ELM327 is used in the data collection process. The ELM327 is a programed microcontroller. It is an interface to communicate with the On Board Diagnotics port of the vehicle. The ELM327 supports most of OBD-II protocols. ELM327 also contains the bluetooth adapter. The ELM327 needs to be plugged to the OBD-II port that can be found under the vehicle dashboard and above the pedals.

1.1.1 (c) Torque(Lite)

Torque Lite version is a free android application and it is able to be installed in smartphone from Google Play Store. The application will communicate with the ELM327 through the bluetooth connection. The application will collect the data received from the ELM327 and save the data into a .csv file in the smartphone.

1.1.2 Driver Behavior Analysis

Takahiro Wada, Shun'ichi Doi, Keisuke Imai, Hiroshi Kaneko, Naohiko Tsuru, and Kazuyoshi Isaji introduced a performance index for approach and alienation to analyze the drivers' behavior in longitudinal direction. The performance index is calculated based on the relative velocity and distance with the preceding car. The data is collected through a driver simulator. Based on the index, drivers' brake pattern can be analyzed.

1.1.3 Driving Behavior Analysis Based on AdaBoost Algorithms

Shi-Huang Chen, Jeng-Shyang Pan, and Kaixuan Lu proposed a driving behavior analysis based on AdaBoost Algorithms. The proposed method also based on vehicle OBD information. The proposed method colected the vehicle operation data, such as vehicle speed, engine speed, throttle position and engine load. The proposed method calculated the relative ratio of the vehicle speed and the engine speed, the relative ratio of the engine speed and throttle position, and engine load as three characteristics for the modeling usage. Then it uses the AdaBoost Algorithms to classify the driving behavior based on the three characteristics.

1.2 Project Objective

1. To identify the features that contribute to the accuracy of the classification of the driver behavior analysis from the vehicle operation data.

2. To profile the drivers based on the vehicle operation data.

1.2.1 Research Motivation

This project is to make use of the driving behavior analysis methodologies from published researches. The performance index for approach and alienation

CHAPTER 2

DUMMY CHAPTER

2.1 Research Methodology and Design

In this chapter, you can define your research methodlogy and how you studied the problem and what you used – materials, subjects and equipment. Describe on how you performed the research – methods and procedure.

You can include your pseudocode or algorithm in here.

Algorithm 1 MyTestingProcedure

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1: procedure MyTestingProcedure(G,p)
2:     if p ≥ G then
3:         p ← G
4:     else
5:         if p + k ≤ G then
6:             G ← p + k
7:         end if
8:     end if
9: end procedure
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$$X = \sum_{i=1}^{n} (x^2 - x)$$

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Figure 2.1: Let's see. What have we got here?

CHAPTER 3

CONCLUSION

3.1 Introduction

In this last chapter, you may outline the success of your project when compared to the objectives that were set. You may suggest further work for your research area.

3.2 Conclusion

A good final year report should summarise the most important findings and conclude. Always make explanations complete. Avoid speculation that cannot be tested in the foreseeable future. Discuss possible reasons for expected or unexpected findings.

APPENDIX A

MANUALS, TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS, DOCUMENTATIONS, EXAMPLE SCENARIOS

You may want to include appendix in your report. Appendix such as manuals, technical specification, or documentations. You should **NOT** include all your source codes as appendix. Generally source code should be included in CD/DVD and **NOT** in your report.

APPENDIX B

APPENDIX 2: WHAT IS APPENDIX

Appendix is included in your report as it is information that is not essential to explain your findings, but that supports your analysis (especially repetitive or lengthy information), validates your conclusions or pursues a related point should be placed in an appendix (plural appendices). Sometimes excerpts from this supporting information (i.e. part of the data set) will be placed in the body of the report but the complete set of information (i.e. all of the data set) will be included in the appendix. Examples of information that could be included in an appendix include figures/tables/charts/graphs of results, statistics, questionnaires, transcripts of interviews, pictures, lengthy derivations of equations, maps, drawings, letters, specification or data sheets, computer program information.

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