

Qualitative Data Analysis

Focus Groups

Questionnaires

Personal Interviews

Participation Observation

Auto Rickshaw Drivers

Passengers



We interviewed 61 Auto Rickshaw Drivers from Delhi and Pune

Quality of life

Profession

Personality

Issues with current Auto Rickshaw's

It is observed that most Auto Rickshaw drivers that are settled in the profession do not like to experiment with their vehicles and opt for Bajaj.

But the younger driver has shown inclination towards TVS and PIAGGIO.

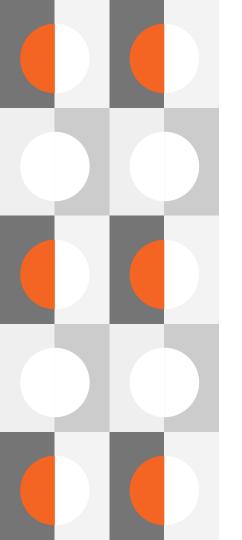
We asked the Auto Rickshaw drivers to tell us what they would like to change about their Auto RIckshaw "I would like to associate my auto with an app like ola and uber. Passenger charging point. I need to give good service to the passenger. AC, mobile stand. Bajaj has a lot of issues with suspension. My back and shoulder hurts like anything by the end of the day."

"Auto gear is a best solution for the city. Traffic is chaos in the city. Suspension needs to be upgraded. Headlamp should not be on the sides, because of the auto movement 2 wheelers damage the headlamps and we cannot afford to keep getting new ones, pickup, no gear, no clutch. Wheel alignment needs to be improved. The passenger seat needs to be more relaxed. For longer routes passenger gets irritated. The location of the meter needs to be changed."

"chassis needs to be strong, big vehicle passes by the whole auto gets affected. battery box, rear seat comfort"



Why the passengers do not wish to travel by an Auto Rickshaw?



"Don't look safe and comfortable."

"It's not safe at all . Metro is better than auto Few days ago my mother and sister were going to laxmi nagar and their bag robbed by 2 boys."

"Cab is always safer, faster and within similar charges of the journey."

"Due to it doesn't have weather protection."

"Prefer cabs these days.. due to weather and comfort.." We asked the passengers to tell us what they would like to change about the Auto Rickshaw? "Need more safety and comfort."

"Best design with more safety."

"It will be more safer and better if auto rickshaw also have some door kind of thing . There will less or may be no chances of robbery and mishappenings."

"More strong while on road, it feels we will meet with an accident if it gets fast."

"It should be safe. Most of the autos look like they will breakdown within the journey."

"Get doors instead of being open and A/C."

"Exposed metal corners should be rounded to avoid any injury. Proper insulation for making travelling in winter comfortable."

"More robust body,bigger wheels,suspensions can be better, braking should improve,safety to weight ratio must improve,handle can be more comfortable."

"More luggage space. Since air quality is v bad in NCR, AC in the auto."

Stakeholder Analysis

Core Driver Passenger Auto Owners Auto Fleet Owners

Direct

Auto Manufacturers, Insurance Companies, Dealer network Banking, Financing Institutions, Mechanic, Technician, Spare parts, Accessories, Aftermarket customization, Auto Union RTO, Licensing Authorities, Govt. Policies, Infrastructures Police, Hospitals, Toll Plaza, State immigrants/migrants, Rly. Stations, Bus Stands/Depots, Malls, Pubs, Restaurants, Street Markets, Company Service Centres, Hospitals, Homologation.

Indirect

Taxis, E-Rickshaws, Uber, Ola, Meru, Easy Cabs, Diesel Autos, Vikram, Tata Ace, Piaggio Ape, TVS, Metro Cities, Mobility Solution for Tier 1,2,3 cities, Road Conditions, National Highways, State Highways, Streets, Blocks, Districts, Hawkers, Vendors, Pan Gutkha Vendors, SOS, FIrst Aid

Delhi Culture

Delhi is

Overcrowded

Passengers show no respect for Auto Rickshaw drivers and vice versa

Frustration mounts the drivers

Excessive consumption of alcohol and cannabis (even while on duty)

Auto Rickshaw Driver Behaviour

Individualistic

Self Centred

Only a few show concern for the passenger

Money minded

Split personality traits

Aimless



Pune culture

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Pune is

Relaxed

Passengers show respect towards the Auto Rickshaw Drivers and Vice Versa (a few even mentioned, "Passenger is like god to us")

Culture Driven

Drivers are mostly happy with their day to day work



Collectivistic

Give and Receive Respect

Helpful

Political

Split personality traits

Motivated



Upon Initial Research



Name : Ajay Singh Age : 25-35 yrs Monthly income : 20-25k Travel : 150-200 km/day



Issues to Address

Weather, Road conditions, Seating Comfort, Safety, Load Capacity, Luggage, Print Adds etc.







Opportunities for Lohia Auto

To develop a user-centred design, which can be applied to

Electric Mobility Solutions

Current line of products

Upon Design Research

User Board

(CHARACTERISTICS)

- **RISK TAKER**
- NO RESPONSIBILITY
- LOVES FREEDOM
- HIGH ASPIRATIONS
- FAMILIAR WITH NEW TECHNOLOGY
- READY TO ACCEPT AND ADOPT NEW
 THINGS

(ASPIRATION)

- TO HAVE RESPECT IN THE SOCIETY
- MORE COMFORT AND SAFET
- FAMILY ORIENTED AND CONTENT



Name: Md Asif Age: 25 MHI: 25000 Rs Area of work: Delhi NCR Marital Status: Single Name: Amol Karmarkar Age: 45 MHI: 20000 Area of work: Pune Marital Status: Married



(ASPIRATION)

- TO DRIVE CAB/TAXI(OLA,UBER ETC)
- TO BREAK THE CURRENT STEREOTYPE
- UPGRADE TO A BETTER THING
- HAVE A BETTER LIFESTYLE

(CHARACTERISTICS)

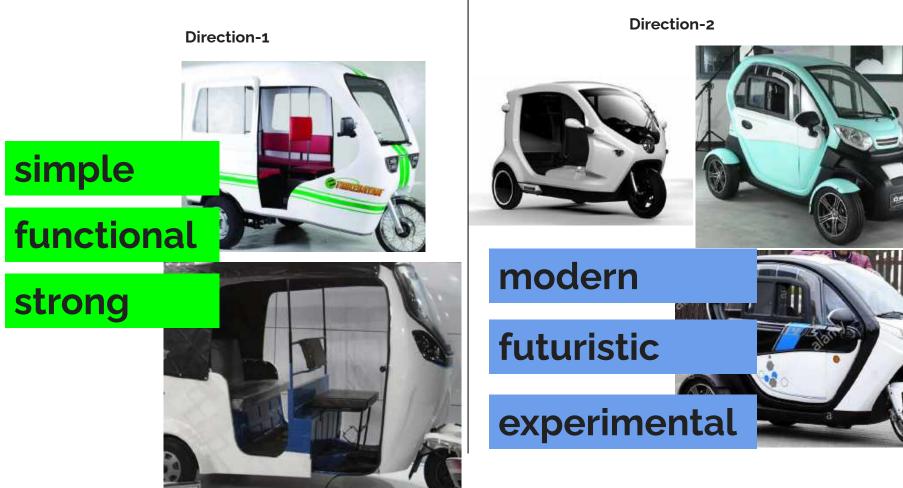
- RESPONSIBLE PERSON
- SETTLED
- CULTURAL
- HAPPY WITH HIS SITUATION
- DO NOT WANT DISRUPTION
- DIFFICULT TO ACCEPT AND
- ADOPT NEW THINGS

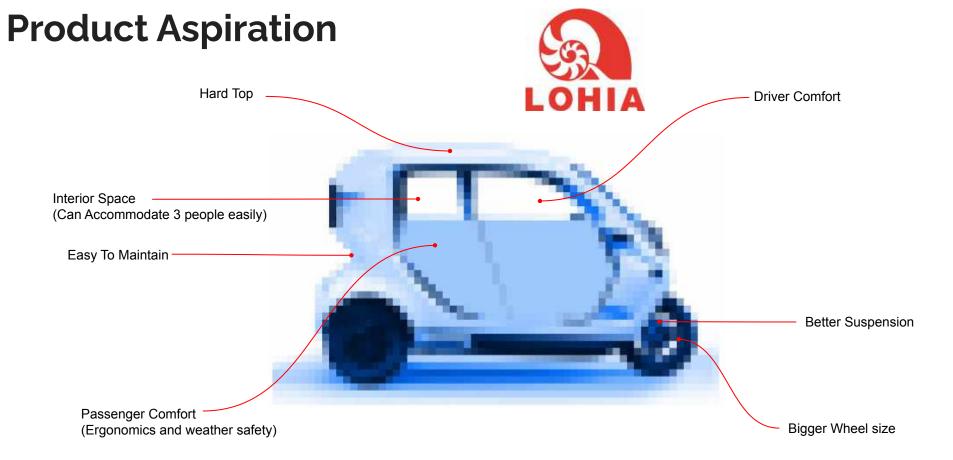
MOOD BOARD



Direction-2

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MODERN STYLING WITH FUNCTIONALITY

Design Solution

AIRAVAT

Option 1-Side View



Front and Rear





Front Quarter



Rear Quarter



Airavat :

- Strong Body Design
- Closed Passenger
 cabin
- Simple and Rugged
- Designed to match the current line of competitors





Option 2-Side View



Front and Rear



Front Quarter

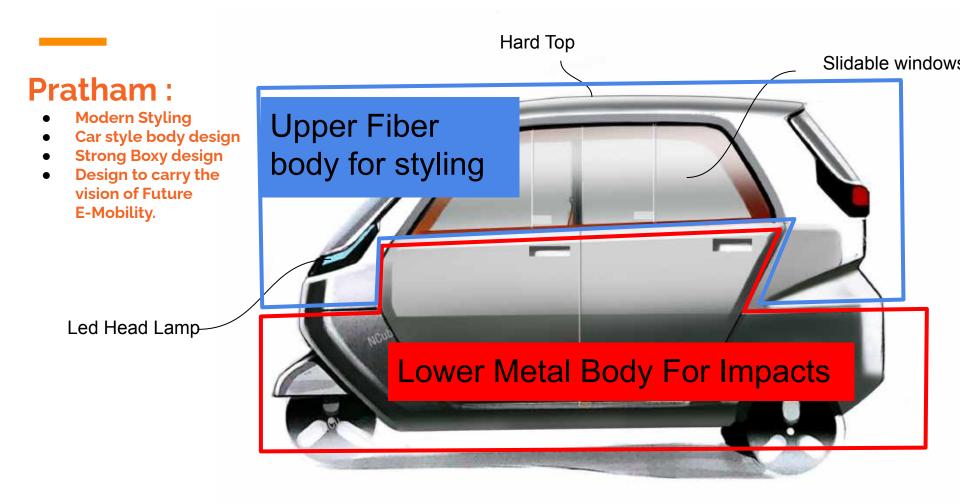


Rear Quarter



Side View Iteration with Half door







Essential features for an Auto Rickshaw

Interior

- 1. Mobile Holder for the driver
- 2. Charging point
- 3. Seat Belt
- 4. Lighting
- 5. Ergonomic seating both for the passenger and the driver.

Exterior

- 1. Hard Top
- 2. Strong body
- 3. High intensity headlamp
- 4. Strong Suspension
- 5. Doors

Product Eco-system

Services that strengthen the product

A wide and extended network of Dealers and Service Stations

Availability of spare parts.

Availability of qualified mechanics.

After-Market accessories

Thank You

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