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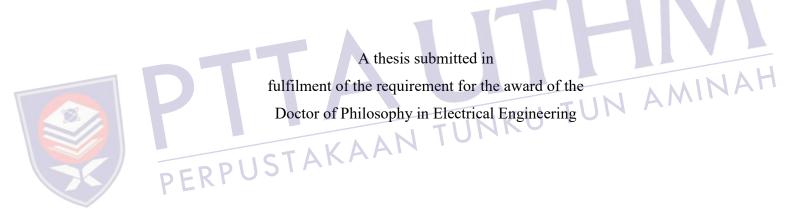
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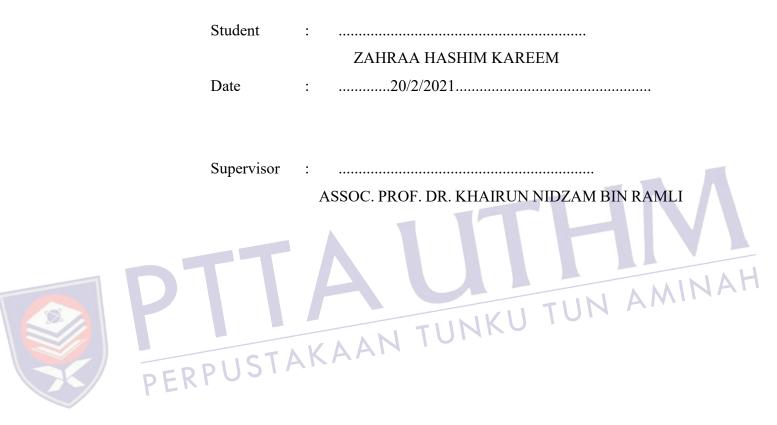
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ABSTRACT

Pedestrian walking misbehaviour represents a severe problem to road safety. Therefore, pedestrian behaviour classification is a perfect solution in providing safety for both pedestrians and vehicles by exchanging movement information among entities via wireless communication. However, wireless communication has critical issues with network failure, and these issues significantly affect the communication system. Thus, the framework involved two modules for pedestrian walking behaviour classification in a vehicle-to-pedestrian (V2P) context is proposed. In the methodology, this study discloses five useful stages. Firstly, mobile phone users' irregular walking behaviour is investigated using a questionnaire to determine their options on mobile usage in the street. Secondly, four different testing scenarios are chosen to acquire pedestrian walking data using the gyroscope sensor, where the essential features were extracted and selected. Thirdly, the pedestrian's behaviour is recognized using grid optimizer in machine learning. Fourthly, four standard vectors for pedestrian walking behaviour are developed. Fifthly, the performance of the proposed classification methods is validated and evaluated against multiple scenarios and features. Two sets of real-time data are presented in this work. The first one is related to the questionnaire data, consisting of 262 respondent samples, while the second set has 263 samples of pedestrian walking signals. The results indicate the following: (1) From 262 samples, 66.80% and 48.10% of respondents use mobile phones for calling and chatting, respectively. (2) 263 samples of participants are obtained and analysed, and 90 features are extracted from each sample. (3) 100% classification accuracy are obtained for each class (normal walking, calling, chatting, and running) using the grid optimiser method in machine learning. (4) The precision of classification using Euclidean algorithm for normal walking and calling is 70%. In contrast, for chatting and running behaviour, the accuracy is 100% and 80%, respectively. This study's implication serves the safety system in the V2P context by programming the proposed framework as an application in smartphones for exchanging pedestrian information to the vehicles for avoiding accidents.



ABSTRAK

Salah laku berjalan bagi pejalan kaki merupakan masalah serius terhadap keselamatan jalan raya. Oleh itu, klasifikasi tingkah laku pejalan kaki adalah penyelesaian yang sempurna untuk memberikan keselamatan bagi pejalan kaki dan kenderaan dengan bertukar maklumat pergerakan di antara entiti melalui komunikasi wayarles. Walau bagaimanapun, komunikasi wayarles mempunyai masalah kritikal yang berkaitan dengan kegagalan rangkaian dan masalah ini memberi kesan yang besar pada sistem komunikasi. Oleh itu, dua model untuk pengkelasan tingkah laku berjalan bagi pejalan kaki dalam konteks Kenderaan-ke-Pejalan kaki (V2P) dicadangkan. Dalam metodologi, kajian ini mendedahkan lima peringkat. Pertama, tingkah laku berjalan yang tidak teratur bagi pengguna telefon bimbit disiasat melalui borang soal selidik untuk mengetahui pilihan mereka mengenai penggunaan telefon bimbit di jalan. Kedua, empat senario ujian yang berbeza dipilih untuk memperoleh data berjalan bagi pejalan kaki menggunakan penderia giroskop. Ketiga, tingkah laku berjalan bagi pejalan kaki diiktiraf menggunakan pengoptimum grid dalam pembelajaran mesin. Keempat, empat vektor piawai untuk tingkah laku berjalan bagi pejalan kaki dikembangkan. Kelima, prestasi kaedah klasifikasi yang dicadangkan dinilai dan diuji terhadap pelbagai senario dan ciri. Dua set data masa nyata disertakan dalam kajian ini. Kumpulan pertama berkaitan dengan data soal selidik mempunyai 262 sampel responden dan kumpulan kedua adalah 263 sampel isyarat berjalan bagi pejalan kaki. Hasil menunjukkan perkara berikut: (1) Dari 262 sampel, 66.80% dan 48.10% responden menggunakan telefon bimbit masing-masing untuk memanggil dan berbual. (2) 263 sampel untuk peserta diperoleh dan dianalisis, dan 90 ciri telah diekstrak dari setiap sampel. (3) 100% dikelaskan dengan betul untuk setiap kelas (berjalan normal, memanggil, berbual, dan berlari) menggunakan kaedah pengoptimum grid dalam pembelajaran mesin. (4) Ketepatan klasifikasi menggunakan algoritma Euclidean bagi berjalan biasa dan memanggil adalah 70%. Sebaliknya, bagi tingkah laku berbual dan berlari, ketepatannya adalah masing-masing 100% dan 80%. Implikasi kajian ini menyumbang kepada sistem keselamatan dalam konteks V2P dengan memprogram



kerangka yang dicadangkan sebagai aplikasi di telefon pintar bagi pertukaran maklumat pejalan kaki kepada kenderaan untuk mengelakkan kemalangan.



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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

		ADAS	_	Advanced Driver Assistance Systems
		ADCs	_	Application-Level Dissemination Channels
		AGVs	_	Automated Guided Vehicles
		ATM	_	Active Transportation Management
		BS	_	Base Station
		CS-MAS	_	Cooperative Surveillance Multi-Agent System
		DSRC	_	Dedicated Short-Range Communication
		DTN	_	Delay Tolerant Network
		D2D	-	Device-to-Device
		GIS	-	Geographic Information System
		ICN	-	Information-Centric Network Intelligent Transportation System
1		ITS	-	Intelligent Transportation System
		ITSp	TA	Intelligent Transportation Space
	PE	JPDA		Joint Probabilistic Data Association
		LAN	_	Local Area Network
		MTT	_	Multiple Target Tracking
		OGC	_	Open Geospatial Consortium
		PDR	_	Pedestrian Dead Reckoning
		RSU	_	Road Side Unit
		RTD	_	Road Traffic Domain
		SAMCO	_	Service-Actuated Multi-Channel Operation
		SFSO	_	Social Force Swarm Optimisation
		SNN	_	Spiking Neural Network
		UWB	_	Ultra-Wideband
		VANETs	_	Vehicular Ad-Hoc Networks
		V2P	_	Vehicle-to-Pedestrian
		VRUs	_	Vulnerable Road Users

V2X – Vehicle-to-Anything



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CHAPTER 1

INTRODUCTION

1.1 Background of the study

This chapter introduces the research topic, a brief background about the research, the problem statement, research questions, research objectives, and this research's scope. In section 1.1, a brief background of the research components is presented, while in section 1.2, the problem statement of the research's direction has been identified and introduced. In section 1.3, the research objectives. Whilst in section 1.4, the connections among research objectives, questions, and problems. The study's scope are reported in section 1.5. Finally, the thesis outline is briefly documented in section 1.6.

P E The increasing number of vehicles has led to a considerable increase in traffic accidents and health damage [1]. The management of road traffic accidents is a highly complex and sensitive issue. At present, the lack of technological solutions to reduce the number of accidents of this collective is clear, and those available are expensive, intrusive, complex, and require external power sources, devices, computers, or interfaces [2]. Given the issues raised by the impact of road traffic on climate, urban traffic management systems must evolve towards an improved consideration of non-pollutant modes of transport driver, passenger, and pedestrian safety. This is a significant challenge in the automotive industry and the governments in many countries. The increasing number of accidents on the road is a primary reason for taking safety very seriously. Vehicle-to-anything (V2X) communication refers to the information exchange between a vehicle and various elements of an intelligent transport infrastructure (e.g., traffic lights and signs). This technology has considerable



potential in enabling various novel applications for road safety, passenger infotainment, car manufacturing services, and vehicle traffic optimisation [1] (see Figure 1.1).

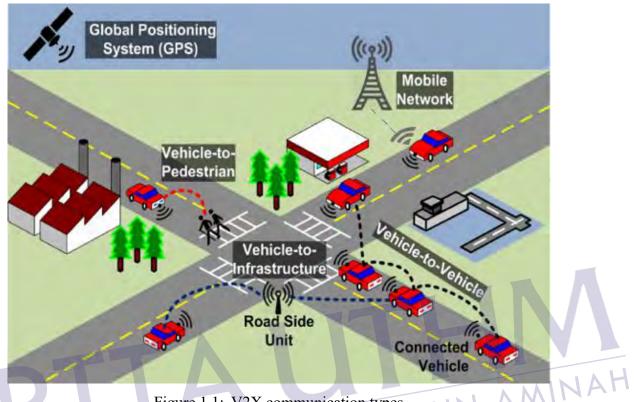


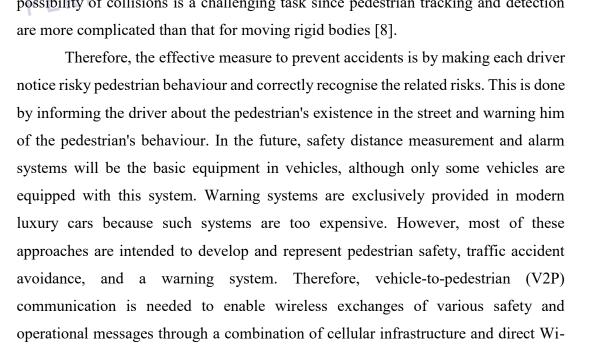


Figure 1.1: V2X communication types

In urban areas of evolving countries, such as India, the range of pedestrian fatalities is between 40% and 60% of the total road traffic fatalities [3, 4]. Also, in Russia, about 170,000 road traffic accidents occurred, according to the statistics of road traffic accidents in 2017 [5]. This is three to four times more than in Europe. For the annual period, pedestrians contributed to 53,000 road traffic accidents, and misbehaviour was reported in about 20,000 cases were found. One in three pedestrians gets injured, while one in six dies hit by a car on pedestrian crossings [5]. Recently, vehicle-to-pedestrian safety applications using wireless communication to exchanging data amongst vehicle and pedestrian was introduced, such as the developed application V2ProVu [6]. It is used for vehicle on-board to suppress Wi-Fi communication, hazard alarm, and risk calculation. The vehicle-to-pedestrian application directly communicates without using infrastructures or vehicular ad-hoc networks (VANETs) [3]. Pedestrians use a smartphone to establish communication either by Wi-Fi network or communicate to the cloud via cellular network (e.g., 3G, LTE). On the other hand,

vehicles utilise either a cellular module (with a dedicated SIM-card) or the driver's smartphone.

The benefits of the vehicular communication system can fall in the domain of vehicular ad-hoc networks (VANETs) and intelligent transport systems (ITS) to improve road safety through real-time communication between vehicles with each other and between pedestrians and vehicles [7]. This is accomplished by periodic exchange of information between the vehicles, known as beaconing. Here, information from the vehicle, such as position, speed, and acceleration, is exchanged so that the cars can create a map of the surrounding vehicles [8]. Safety information in VANETs is precisely associated with time and the geographical area where the information transfer occurs [1]. Car technology has clearly improved since cars were first produced, where safety and accident avoidance is the primary trend of future vehicle development. Pedestrian safety is a severe problem in transportation systems because pedestrian and vehicle crashes often, resulting in fatalities amongst vulnerable road users. A vehicle-to-pedestrian (V2P) communication system allows data exchange between pedestrians and vehicles to prevent or minimise the potential dangers of accidents from happening. The human error in recognition and judgment or the inability of road users to detect and perceive oncoming threats and pedestrians' misbehaviour in the street represents the main reason for accidents [2]. Information transfer between pedestrians and vehicles to detect pedestrians and predict the possibility of collisions is a challenging task since pedestrian tracking and detection





Fi communication between vehicles and pedestrians. Vehicles can receive real-time alerts from pedestrians regarding the risky situation.

1.2 Problem statement

An accident is an unexpected event. As the number of vehicles increases, the number of accidents on the road increases, which increases pedestrians' fatality number. The popular reasons for these accidents are dangerous driving, inattention, wrong behaviour, and human error of pedestrians and vehicles that can negatively impact their safety. Therefore, pedestrian fatality is the primary safety concern worldwide, and it is the primary reason for taking safety very seriously. According to [6, 9], the leading cause of accidents is pedestrian misbehaviour and inattention while walking in the street. Walking is an essential and least protected mode of road transport.

Moreover, some pedestrians use smartphones when they walk, especially after the fast development of smartphone-based applications, such as social media applications that extensively dominate smartphone usage. This is one of the reasons for pedestrian distraction. It was noticed that pedestrians who watch or stare at smartphone screens while walking on the street face more danger than other pedestrians [10]. Besides, some pedestrian movements during specific activities, such as running, are considered a more risky behaviour [11].

Consequently, pedestrians who use a smartphone while walking in the street and pedestrians who are running are called pedestrians with aggressive behaviours. Therefore, it is necessary to study and develop different technologies to fill the missing gap towards analysing pedestrian walking behaviour. This is to recognise the behaviour, whether it is aggressive or non-aggressive, and realise pedestrian safety. This kind of pedestrian behaviour recognition can be converted into a classification problem, which is considered the pedestrian's safety system's main issue. The classification process needs to collect real time data of pedestrian walking and analyse it to extract the important features that through which the behaviour can be distinguished. Also, choosing the optimal classification algorithm to deal with this data represent a difficult task which depends on where the classification will be done. Since the classification process may be done inside the server or using mobile phone, there



are some issues should be taken in to consideration which are related with mobile resources limitations and the network failure, the problem statement configuration is illustrated in Figure 1.2.

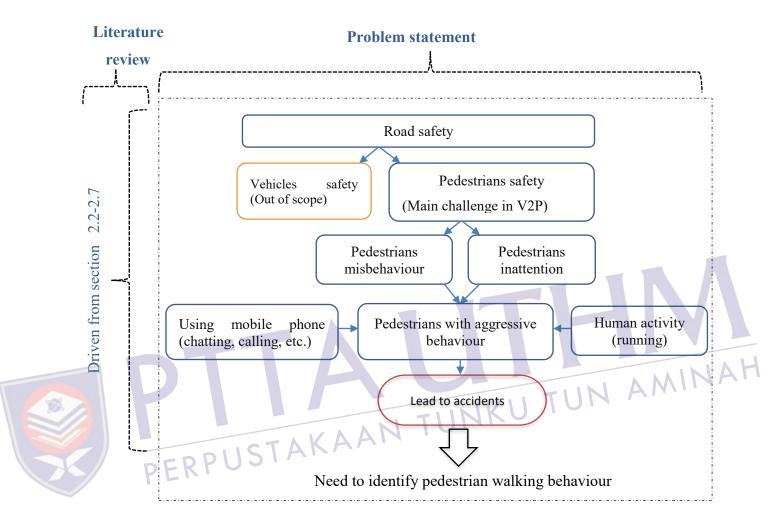


Figure 1.2: Problem statement flow chart

1.3 Objectives

This research aimed to develop a pedestrian walking behaviour classification method using static analysis and multi-classifiers in machine learning. Two main investigations are done, namely on the data exchange in the vehicle-to-pedestrian communication system using systematic review protocol and questionnaire in mobile phone usage. The main research objectives of this research are given as follows:

- a) To investigate the existence of technology for pedestrian safety in vehicle-topedestrian communication system and identify the irregular pedestrian walking behaviour.
- b) To devolve a real time pedestrian walking dataset, feature extraction, and feature selection.
- c) To design a classification module for recognising pedestrian walking as aggressive and non-aggressive using machine learning in a client-server architecture.
- d) To develop a fault-tolerant pedestrian walking behaviour classification module using the training dataset and Euclidian distance measurement.
- e) To evaluate and validate the performance of the classification methods developed in objectives three and four against multiple scenarios and features.

1.4 Connections among research objectives, questions, and problems



In this section, all research questions have been answered by the research objectives. Each objective is linked to one or more questions. Moreover, the specific and general problem is linked to more than one research objectives and questions. Table 1.1 presents the connection between research objectives, research questions, the specific problem, and the general problem.

Table 1.1: Connections among research objectives, questions and problems

Research objectives	Research questions	Specific problem	General problem
To investigate the existence of technology for pedestrian safety in a vehicle-to-pedestrian communication system and identify irregular pedestrian walking behaviour	What are trends are covered in the vehicle-to-pedestrian context? What are the challenges identified in the literature with the scope of pedestrian safety? What are the requirements needed to construct PWBR framework? How to prove that mobile phone users are deemed as one of the aggressive pedestrian in the street?	Behaviour identification	The Pedestrian walking behaviour classificati on problem

pedestrian dataset,	ve a real-time walking feature and feature	How to collect a real-time data on pedestrian walking? How to analyse pedestrian walking data in V2P system and extract their features?	Feature extraction and feature selection	
classificat for pedestrian aggressive aggressive	earning in a er	How to classify the behaviour of pedestrian walking?	Server failure	
To dev tolerant walking classificat using t dataset at	elop fault- pedestrian behaviour ion module ne training nd Euclidian neasurement.	How to classify the behaviour of pedestrian walking when server failure occurs?	Reduce the mobile phone overhead, Identify the best machine learning algorithm, Identify the best feature.	
validate performan classificat developed three and	aluate and the ce of the ion methods in objective four against scenarios and	How to evaluate and validate the classification methods?	Optimise parameters for both solutions Result. evaluation and validation	

Table 1.1 shows that the first objective answers the first four research questions, while the second objective answers the fifth and sixth research questions. Moreover, the third objective answers the seventh research question, while the fourth objective answers the eighth question. The last objective answers the ninth research question. Moreover, one specific problem in recognising pedestrian walking behaviour when server failure or network congestion is linked to one research objective and research question.

Finally, this research's general problem on pedestrian walking behaviour recognition is linked to four research objectives and research questions. Table 1.2 shows the proportional abbreviations and definitions that is used in the whole thesis.

Table 1.2: Proportional abbreviation and definition

Abbreviation	Description
DUID	
PWB	Pedestrian walking behaviour
PWBR	Pedestrian walking behaviour recognition
I WDR	recognition
Mobile phone –	Using a mobile phone solution for pedestrian walking
solution	behaviour recognition when the server is unavailable
Client-server	Using the server for pedestrian walking behaviour recognition

1.5 Scope

This study's scope is as follows:

- a) The primary focus on this research is on development of vehicle-topedestrian communication system. Therefore, the development of vehicleto-vehicle communication or vehicle-to-infrastructure is not the main issue.
- b) The data extracted were used only four scenarios. Therefore, other scenarios (i.e., video calling, using some new application Like tiktok or snapchat, playing video games, etc.) used are not important.
- c) Using RapidMiner software for the validation purposes.
- d) Use different a specific range of ages, where the ages below 20 and above 55 years old is out of scope.
- e) The selected study case will focus on urban roads with different types of scenarios, including using a different number of pedestrian with different situations.

1.6 Outline of the thesis

This thesis consists of six chapters. Chapter one provided background about the vehicle-to-pedestrian communication system evaluation and problem, research questions, and research objectives. In Chapter two, a depth investigation is conducted for vehicle-to-pedestrian communication system evaluation approaches. A systematic review protocol is developed for literature review to analyse the challenges and develop a taxonomy for the research articles in the vehicle-to-pedestrian communication system. Benefits and methodologies provided by previous researchers are presented, where critical analysis is conducted and developed. Finally, a brief investigation of machine learning algorithms is presented. The research methodology and the flow of the research are designed and reported in Chapter three. In addition to that, the main features to achieve the research objectives are designed. Meanwhile, Chapter four describes the process of data collection. The main challenges, tools used to collect the data, the experiment scenarios, and the data analysis and findings are discussed. Finally, the main features extracted of the pedestrian walking are presented. In Chapter five, the evaluation and validation methods used are discussed. At last, Chapter six presents the research goals attained, contribution, limitation, and conclusion. The areas to be pursued as future works are also suggested in this chapter.



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CHAPTER 2

LITERATURE REVIEW

2.1 Introduction

This chapter introduces the academic literature published with the focus on vehicle-to-pedestrian communication. The main contribution of this chapter can be defined in few points; the first is a coherent taxonomy discussion which shows literature distribution over designated categories for vehicle to pedestrian system identified through the literature analysis to show future researchers in the domain how articles are grouped and classified based on common characteristics. As for the next contribution, a literature discussion which shows literature related to vehicle to pedestrian communication system in forms of challenges and motivations where the first shows what previous researchers have encountered and what sort of academic issues they dealt with or recommended for their future peers, as for motivations, it shows how such topic gain the attention of previous researchers for its significance and its merits. Another significant contribution of this manuscript reside in its deep analysis in parts of the taxonomy where authors have stated various elements like datasets to show future researchers what sorts of methodological elements were defined and used in literature and their analysis.

There are different contributions by different researchers in this area of, however cannot be aware of any attempt to make review of the data exchange on V2P system in such manner. Another contribution is to identify pedestrian behaviour and the evaluation and validation criteria such as pedestrian number and age, scenarios, classification type and accuracy. The final contribution is to investigate the academic



literature on the use of machine learning and Euclidean algorithm in the vehicular network with the focus of V2P applications. In Section 2.1, a brief background about the chapter is presented. In Section 2.2 the systematic review protocol and literature analysis are reported. In Section 2.3, results of literature taxonomy are introduced. In Section 2.4, an overview of the taxonomy. In Section 2.5 the discussion is reported. All benefits, issues, recommendations, and methodological aspects related to vehicle-to-pedestrian system are presented in Section, 2.6, 2.7, 2.8, 2.9, respectively. In Section 2.10 and Section 2.11, the critical analysis and the aggressive and non-aggressive pedestrian behaviour are presented, respectively. Moreover, open issues for PWBR are discussed in Section 2.12. In addition the recommended solutions for this research are explained in Section 2.13. And in Section 2.14 the classification methods are presented. Section 2.15 show the literature summary. Whereas, the literature review structure for this chapter was illustrated in Figure 2.1. The details will be explained throughout this chapter.



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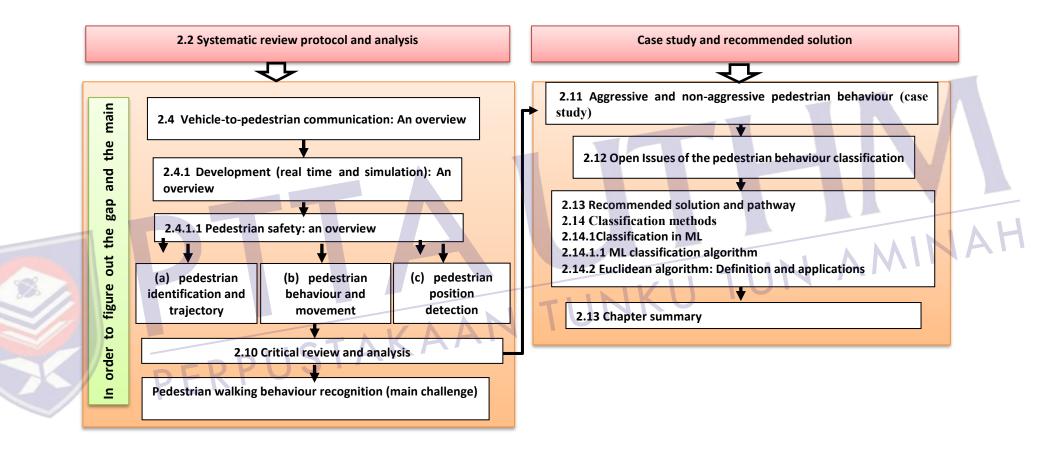


Figure 2.1: Literature review structure

2.2 Systematic review protocol and analysis

Systematic searches for target articles were conducted by subscribing to scholarly research databases: (1) IEEE Explore, (2) Web of Science (WoS) and (3) ScienceDirect. Selection of articles was based on the index that facilitates and formulates a simple and complex search query and specifically tracks journals and conference articles in electronic technologies and electrical engineering. The scope to articles written in English is limited but considered all on data exchange in V2P communication in all scenarios. These three databases sufficiently cover V2P and all communication types in this area and provide a broad view of existing research in a wide and relevant range of disciplines. Study selection involved a search for literature sources and then three iterations of screening and filtering. In the first iteration, all unrelated articles were removed. In the second iteration, duplicates and irrelevant articles were removed by scanning the titles and abstracts. In the last iteration, full-text articles screened from the second iteration were carefully reviewed. All iteration steps applied the same eligibility criteria followed by authors. The search was conducted in January 2020 using the search boxes of ScienceDirect, IEEE Explore and WoS. To identify the studies related to this area query, we used mixed keywords such as 'vehicle-to-pedestrian,' 'V2P,' 'P2V,' 'car to pedestrian' and 'pedestrian' in different variations combined by the operator 'OR,' and 'information exchange,' 'exchanging information,' 'data exchange,' 'exchanging data,' 'data integration' and 'information integration' in different variations combined by the operator 'AND'.

The query text is exactly shown in Figure 2.2. The advanced search options in the search engines were used to exclude book chapters, short communication, correspondence and letters and to gain access to up-to-date scientific works relevant to this survey in this emergent trend of V2P communication. Where the settings used to run the search query was conducted with the last 10 years which include conference, journal and magazine with only English Language Search type. Every article that met the criteria listed in Figure 2.2 was included. an initial target was set for mapping the space of research on data exchange in V2P communication into a general and coarsegrained taxonomy of four categories. These categories were derived from a pre-survey of the literature. After the initial removal of duplicates, the articles were excluded in



two iterations of screening and filtering if they did not fulfil the eligibility criteria. The exclusion criteria included the following: (1) the article was not in English; (2) the article focused on a specific aspect of smart cities and protect the pedestrian from the disaster. The subject that limited to the Vehicles-to-Vehicles (V2V) and Vehicle-to-Infrastructures (V2I).

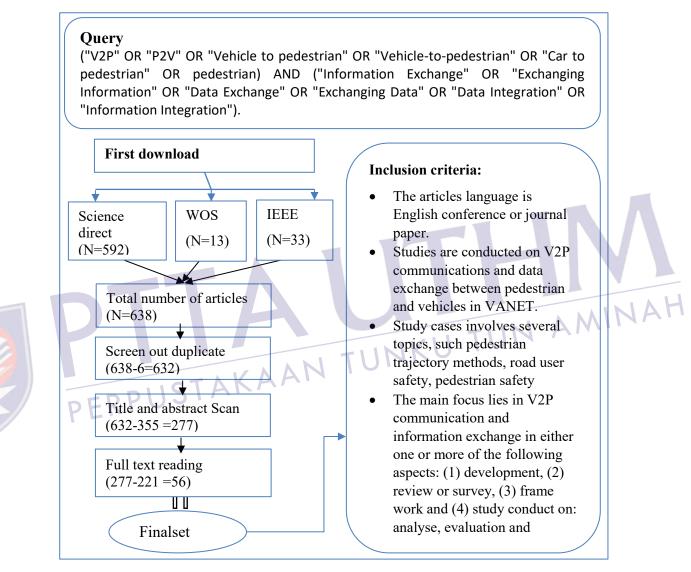


Figure 2.2: Selection of studies, search query and inclusion criteria

The final set of articles is read and analysed. Then, it is classified in detail using the taxonomy and a large collection of highlights and comments. The taxonomy suggested various classes and subclasses, including four main categories: development, survey/review, framework and study conducted on data exchange in V2P communication. Texts were categorised depending on the authors' preferred style. All the articles from various sources were analysed in depth to provide readers a comprehensive overview of the subject.

2.3 Result of literature taxonomy

The initial query resulted in 638 articles: 13 from the WoS database, 592 from Science Direct, and 33 from IEEE Explore. The filtered articles published from 2008 to 2018 were adopted in the present study and grouped into four categories. In the three databases, 6 out of 638 papers were duplicates. After scanning the titles and abstracts, we excluded 361 papers and obtained a total of 277 papers. The final full-text review excluded 221 papers to obtain a total of 56 papers in the final set, all of which were related to smart-home Internet-of-Things technology through different topics, the effect of natural disasters on pedestrians, V2V and V2I communication. These articles were read methodically to propose a general research map on this emerging area. Based on a series of studies concentrated on the same area, these studies have several specific purposes. Articles were categorised based on the purpose of the study and used to create a taxonomy. Figure 2.3 presents the employed taxonomy to review the research articles that focus on data exchange in V2P communication. This taxonomy shows the comprehensive content of various studies and applications. The classification proposes various classes and subclasses. The first class includes studies with actual attempts to develop V2P communication systems using either real-time or simulation (29/56 papers). The second class includes review and survey articles related to V2P communication (4/56 papers). The third class covers the framework studies (3/56 papers). And the final class included studies conducted on V2P communication systems (20/56 papers). The observed categories are listed in the following sections for statistical analysis.

2.4 V2P communication: An overview

Many studies have focused on the data exchange in V2P communication systems. These articles were read methodically to establish a general research map on this emerging area. On the basis of a series of studies concentrated on the same area, these studies were considered to have specific purposes.

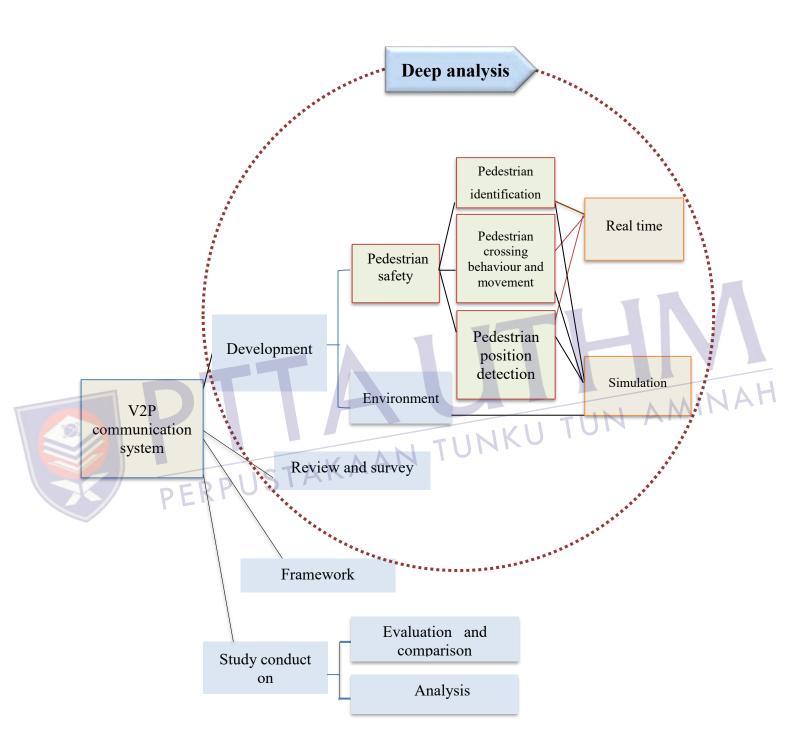


Figure 2.3: Taxonomy of literature research on Vehicle-to-Pedestrian communication

The articles were classified in detail using the taxonomy and a large selection of highlights and comments. All the articles from various sources were analysed in depth to provide readers a comprehensive overview of the subject. The articles were categorised according to the purpose of the study and then used to create a taxonomy. This taxonomy shows the full content of various studies and applications that can be categorised into four groups. The first group includes studies with actual attempts in either real-time or simulation development for data exchange in V2P communication systems. The second group includes review and survey articles related to data exchange in V2P communication. The third group covers the framework studies, and the final group includes studies conducted on V2P communication systems. The observed categories are listed in the following sections for statistical analysis.

2.4.1 Development



This section reviews the development articles that had data exchange on V2P communications as their main contribution. The common context of all works under this group was the development. These articles were classified into two groups (real time and simulation) according to the evaluation method used. The first group of development articles focused on real time development, which applied the proposed approaches in the actual test field with real data. The second group concentrated on simulation development, in which certain types of simulators were used to evaluate the work with or without real data. These articles were categorized according to the purpose of their study in to two classes, pedestrian safety and environment where pedestrian safety class categorized into three subclasses namely, pedestrian crossing behaviour and movement, pedestrian position detection, and pedestrian identification and trajectory, which is belong to real time group. Articles in simulation group consists of four classes, namely pedestrian position detection, pedestrian crossing behaviour and movement, pedestrian identification and trajectory, and environment. The two groups (real time and simulation) have crossovers, as shown in Figure 2.3. Three common classes between real time and simulation development focused on similar topics, such as pedestrian position detection, pedestrian crossing behaviour and movement, pedestrian identification and trajectory.

2.4.1.1 Pedestrian safety

This section present the previous researchers whose study pedestrian safety focusing in three direction which are, pedestrian position detection, pedestrian movement and behaviour, and pedestrian identification and trajectory as shown in the next subsections.

(a) Pedestrian position detection

The first class in real time and simulation group, is pedestrian position detection which is concerned with the estimation, identify, and detection position to the pedestrian. In real time development, the author in [16] introduced an online pedestrian-crossing detection system supplied with traffic-oriented video sensors that provide coarse measurements on areas along a crosswalk. A novel fusion procedure for providing enhanced detection and improved classical Advanced Driving Assistance (ADAS) application was introduced in [17]. An ADAS was described in [2] to prevent accidents involving a VRU detection system based on a standardised V2X communication system. An effective version of an integrated system combining vision-based object detection and VANETs was presented in [18]. A technique for effectively forming and disbanding groups of vehicles and pedestrians was proposed in [19]. The authors in [9] proposed a VRU warning system that aims to provide information exchange amongst road users (e.g. pedestrians, cyclists and vehicles) using commercial devices (i.e. smartphone) about the presence of nearby entities that may cause dangerous situations and send standard compliance messages to the drivers. In addition, the author in [6] proposed a prototype of a P2V communication system using the 3G wireless network and wireless LAN for pedestrian detection. The work in [20] addressed the issue concretely by formulating the requirement of distance support for minimum information exchange via Wi-Fi-based V2P communication. Other articles in simulation development proposed a method for detecting pedestrian positions through the cooperation of multiple cars with directional antennas [21]. The study in [22], proposed a preliminary investigation on the applicability of vehicular communication for protecting VRUs through an intersection collision-avoidance method.

(b) Pedestrian identification and trajectory

This section describe the third group of development. In real time development where in [23], a system was proposed that adapts a powerful data association technique



for multiple target tracking (MTT) and joint probabilistic data association (JPDA). The authors in [24] proposed a UFIR filtering-based pedestrian tracking scheme by combining finite INS and Ultra-Wideband (UWB) data. A novel detector-tracker feedback loop for information exchange based on the spatiotemporal similarity of detections and trackless was proposed in [25]. In the simulation development group, a multi-model agent-based simulation technique based on the incorporation of multiple modules was proposed in [26]. In [24] proposed a new robust method integrating information on spatial position, shape and colour and a set of algorithms on the basis of an SNN model to identify specific persons. Along with agent-based simulation models introduced in [27, 28] for pedestrian dead reckoning (PDR) systems in agent architecture of cooperative surveillance extended to incorporate dynamic coalition formation and a simulation-based feasibility study on tight (UWB) and inertial data integration were introduced in [29] and [30], respectively.

(c) Pedestrian behaviour and movement



In the latest years, further researches are focusing on pedestrian behaviour recognition. The purpose of pedestrian safety warning system is protecting not only pedestrians but also drivers and the other road users [31]. In real time development, the author in [32] proposed a GIS-based methodology to collect and process the data required for the analysis of pedestrian crossing behaviour. The proposed model in [33] joins spatial formation to navigation performance, the PIE's ability to represent the walking environment is constant in two different metropolitan areas of different size and with distinct mobility patterns. The effectiveness of a fuzzy logic-based approach in modelling pedestrian steering behaviour by using built environments under normal and non-panic conditions was investigated in [33]. In simulation development, agentbased models and appropriate indicators of behaviour along urban trips were proposed in [34]. In [35], a crowd simulation framework was introduced which incorporated information on the dynamic environment that supports knowledge spreading and allows simulated agents to behave according to their personal needs as influenced by their surroundings to represent the movement of road users and their interaction. There is a specific gap associated with walking path prediction about "how a pedestrian chooses his/her next step position and speed when he/she is exposed to environmental stimuli during a normal and non-panic situation" was solved in [4], where this work focus on analysis the pedestrians' behaviour for selecting the crossing facilities when

on condition that with signalized crosswalks and foot over bridges at the intersections using the field video data to observed the pedestrian crossing behaviour. A new swarm optimisation algorithm and a multilayer approach were introduced in [36, 37] on the basis of the social force model. The authors in [31] proposed a new international standard called 'OGC moving features' for identify the pedestrian using image processing techniques and used multiple-kernel learning to combine information from thermal and visible spectrum images in a pedestrian classification context [38], whilst [25] put forward fused multiple features and classifiers to make decisions for pedestrian tracking. All the three classes are common and labelled similarly in the real time and simulation development groups.

2.4.1.2 Environment class

Environment class is the fourth and last class of development articles for simulation development. It includes the work in [39] which investigated whether dedicated short-range communication (DSRC) performance persists with respect to air density changes in a foggy environment. In [40], credit-based incentive mechanism was proposed for delay-tolerant networks (DTNs) that enable device-to-device data exchange without the support of traditional internet service providers.



2.4.2 **Review and survey articles**

The survey and review articles condensed the current state of research on V2P communication systems in data exchange, wireless networks, positioning and location systems and information management techniques. The work in [41] summarised communication through the wireless network technique, such as device-to-device (D2D) communication, which is expected to play a significant role in upcoming cellular networks because it promises ultra-low latency for communication amongst users, whilst [12] reviewed potential DSRC and cellular interworking solutions for efficient V2X communication. Furthermore, [42] introduced the current research efforts on information management techniques used for safety-related applications in VANETs, and [43] proposed a unified architecture for location systems using positioning and integration layers as the main building blocks.

2.4.3 Framework

A few articles designed a framework for data exchange in V2P communication. For instance, [44] described the demands on the architectural framework and introduced three new viewpoints that must be considered in future architectural decisions, whilst [45] investigated the performance management system of a national transportation safety agency with qualitative methods. A framework for generating alerts/warnings and control assistance for extreme events and those transmittable by V2V and V2I applications was proposed in [46]. The authors in [47] proposed a set of design changes and enhancements to the 3GPP C-V2X architecture to fully enable Named Data Networking (NDN) amongst the other non-IP networking solutions already supported.

2.4.4 Study conducting on data exchange in V2P communication



This section present the last group in the taxonomy which is classified into evaluation and comparison, and analysis. The first class focuses on the researchers who compared previous works and estimated or evaluated previous results through different validation techniques for data exchange in V2P communication system. In [48], a well-known audit tool was used to evaluate 84 street segments at the urban edge of metropolitan Boston, Massachusetts, through on-site visits and three web-based tools. The assessments were compared to evaluate their relative accuracy and usefulness. In [49], an autonomous driving test on urban roads and freeways open to regular traffic was presented and the milestones, challenges and key results in autonomous driving were compared. A cross-comparison was conducted on various estimation methods to model pedestrian and bicycle crashes in [50]. Meanwhile two classes of forwarding approaches were analysed in [51], namely (i) a minimalist, provider-blind forwarding strategy and (ii) a provider-aware strategy and performance evaluation conducted by ndnSIM. The authors in [52] proposed a set of real-world experiments which were conducted to assess the achievable transmission rates and transmission ranges and validate the previous analytical results. The approach was also used to assess the performance of floating content in general.

For the analysis class, this section summarised the analytical studies on subjects conducted with network and communication issues on data exchange in the V2P communication system. The study in [53] introduced the concept of intelligent transportation space (ITSp) and analysed possible communication technology candidates for ITSp focusing on the lower layer issues of wireless communication technologies. Another study in [54] presented a platform in which mobile devices can offer network services to other nearby devices and thus act as service endpoints or mobile cloudlets. Researchers in [55] investigated the effect of antenna characteristics on MAC address data in terms of travel-time estimation for pedestrians and cyclists. In [56], ICeDiM, a middleware designed for ICN communication in next-generation scenarios, was presented. In [57], identify the urban Internet infrastructure role in the support of emerging vehicular applications and identify the core internet services matching the services in the vehicle grid. A fundamental concept was presented in [58] and a model of microscopic traffic simulation for vehicles, including a robust protocol for exchanging information, was designed. Another study in [59] focused on building a network-based carpooling scheme by analysing the feasibility and related issues in taxi carpooling on the basis of GPS traces of real taxis. In [60], the use of different computing and wireless techniques and technological systems was investigated for real time navigation support and location-based information delivery for pedestrians. The effects of holding naturalistic voice and text cell phone conversations on the participants' auditory detection for approaching vehicles and crossing thresholds in a nonvisual simulated setting were examined in [61].

Other studies highlighted safety issues, human crowds and walkability on the data exchange in V2P communication systems. For example, [62] proposed a multimodal approach to explore safety at road intersections by simultaneously analysing the safety and flow outcomes of motorised and non-motorised traffic. Furthermore, [63] provided a general description of collective dynamics across species and introduced a classification of these dynamics with respect to not only the way information is transferred amongst individuals but also to knowledge processing at the collective level. The transferability of a composite walkability index (Pedestrian Index of the Environment [PIE]) to the Greater Montréal Area (GMA) was analysed in [64]. The authors in [65] proposed a methodology to quantify the effect of bus stops on the



speed of other motorised vehicles under heterogeneous traffic conditions. Lastly, [66] presented new strategies for New York City which suggest the development of efficient and cost-effective DMS.

2.5 Discussion

This review presented the most relevant studies on data exchange in V2P communication systems. This work aims to highlight the research trends in this area. A taxonomy of the related literature was proposed to provide several benefits. Firstly, it organised various publications. A new researcher in this area may be overwhelmed by the large number of studies available on the subject and the absence of any kind of structure and may thus fail to obtain an overview of the area.

Secondly, the taxonomy could reveal gaps in the research. Mapping the literature on V2P applications into different groups highlighted the weak and strong features in terms of research coverage. For example, the taxonomy in this work showed how groups of individual applications received significant attention in terms of reviews and evaluations at the expense of integrated solutions and framework s as well as development efforts.

The taxonomy also highlighted the lack of studies on the behaviour analysis of pedestrian walking. Similar to taxonomies in other fields, the proposed taxonomy utilised a common language for researchers to communicate and discuss emerging works, such as development papers, comparative studies and reviews. The survey conducted revealed seven aspects of literature content in the description of datasets used in the articles, evaluation techniques adopted, criteria used for the performance evaluation of the methods, motivations behind the development of the V2P system, challenges to the successful utilisation of these technologies, recommendations to alleviate these difficulties and substantial analysis.

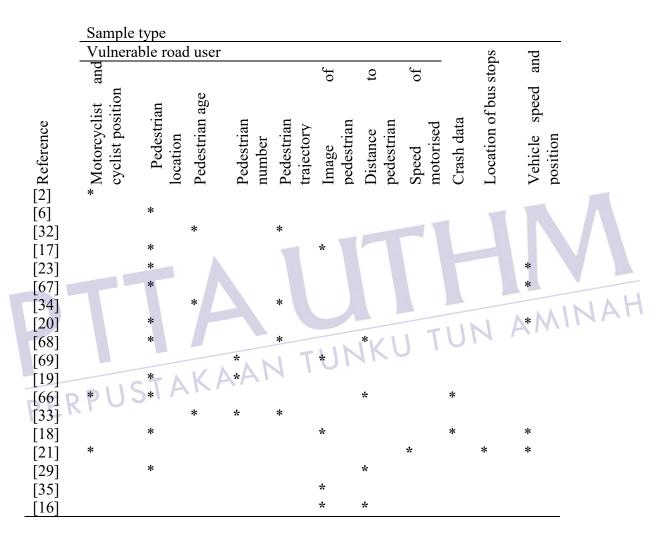
2.5.1 Data types and sources

This section presents various sources of data that some researchers have used to collect several types of real time information for V2P communication systems. These sources include location, number and age of vulnerable road users (pedestrians



and cyclists). Other sources are the position and speed of the vehicle. Table 2.1 presents a detailed description of numerous factors involving the real time data type of research experiments designed towards developing hardware and simulation projects in V2P communication.

Table 2.1: Real time dataset type used in the reviewed studies



Other studies used public datasets and ignored real time data, such as data in previous literature or virtual data generated by a simulator.

2.5.2 Performance measurements

In our review, each work in real time and simulation development was measured using specific features. The evaluation criteria represent a practical way of assessing various works. In this survey, it is found that the performance of the development (real time and simulation) studies was evaluated using three measurement criteria, namely environment, time and data measures. The measurement accuracy of each criterion involved several features or parameters. All these parameters are discussed in this section. Tables 2.2 and 2.3 illustrate the measurement criteria used in the reviewed articles on the development studies of data exchange in V2P communication systems.

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