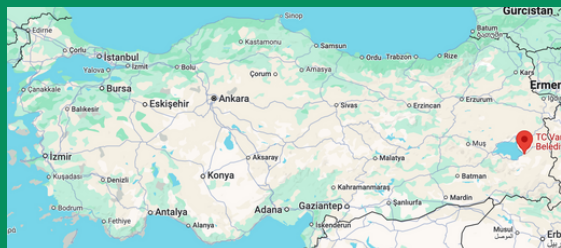




POPULATION: 1.118.087 (2024)

GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION OF VAN



City AREA: 19.069 square km

**EASTERN ANATOLIA REGION,
TOTAL AREA: 89.493 square km**



**Joined Global Covenant of Mayors
initiative**

2024



MOBILITY PATTERNS:



In Van, public transit, including buses, accommodates many commuters, but private vehicles remain the main mode of transportation, leading to congestion during peak hours. To combat this, the municipality is enhancing public transport options, increasing bus frequency, and improving ferry services to encourage more sustainable commuting.

ENERGY PRODUCTION



**MAIN SOURCES OF ENERGY
GENERATED**



HYDRO POWER



WIND POWER

Key Interesting Factors

Agriculture

Livestock

Tourism

KEY AREAS FOR COOPERATION

Sustainable Energy

Sustainable Agriculture

Sustainable Tourism

TOPICS OF INTEREST:

Business Models and
Financing Schemes:

Financing Sustainability
Projects

Van Metropolitan Municipality signed the Global Covenant of Mayors in 2024, and its Sustainable Energy and Climate Action Plan (SECAP) was approved by the municipal council in 2024, with monitoring activities now underway.



Commitment to Sustainable Development and Innovative Solutions



COLLABORATION

COORDINATING W/ LOCAL STAKEHOLDERS

COORDINATION W/ INTERNATIONAL PARTNERS

NATIONAL GOVERNMENT

Van is dedicated to sustainable development, with efforts focused on reducing environmental impact and enhancing energy efficiency. The city has implemented a Sustainable Energy and Climate Action Plan, crafted with community input, targeting emissions reduction and renewable energy expansion. These initiatives aim to support a greener, climate-resilient future for Van



POTENCIAL AREAS

ECO-TRANSPOR

SOLAR ENERGY

WASTE MANAGEMENT

Van Metropolitan Municipality is promoting sustainability with initiatives like a smart waste management system, renewable energy projects, and eco-friendly public transport. The sensor-based waste system optimizes collection, while investments in solar energy reduce emissions. The municipality is also enhancing transportation with electric buses and improved cycling infrastructure to reduce traffic and improve air quality.

Implementation of Sustainable Projects



Integrated Waste Facility (2023)



Zero Waste Projects (2023)



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