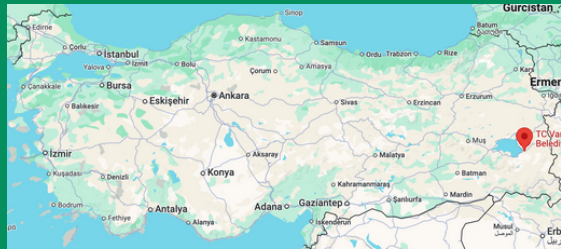




POPULATION:1.118.087 (2024)

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



Animal Husbandry



Agriculture

ENERGY PRODUCTION



**MAIN SOURCES OF ENERGY
GENERATED**



HYDRO POWER



WIND POWER

MOBILITY PATTERNS:



In Van, public transit, particularly buses, serves many commuters, but private vehicles are still the dominant mode of transport, causing congestion during peak hours. To address this, the municipality is expanding public transport options and increasing bus frequency to promote more sustainable commuting.

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 advancing sustainability through smart waste management, renewable energy use, and clean transportation solutions. Projects include electric vehicles, expanded cycling paths, and climate workshops, all aimed at reducing emissions and raising environmental awareness across the community.



Implementation of Sustainable Projects



Sustainable Transportation



Climate Trainings



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