

ERASMUS Intensive Programme July 2011

Observation of Use of Public Space in Adrasan Central Square (Cornelius Scherzer)

Panorama

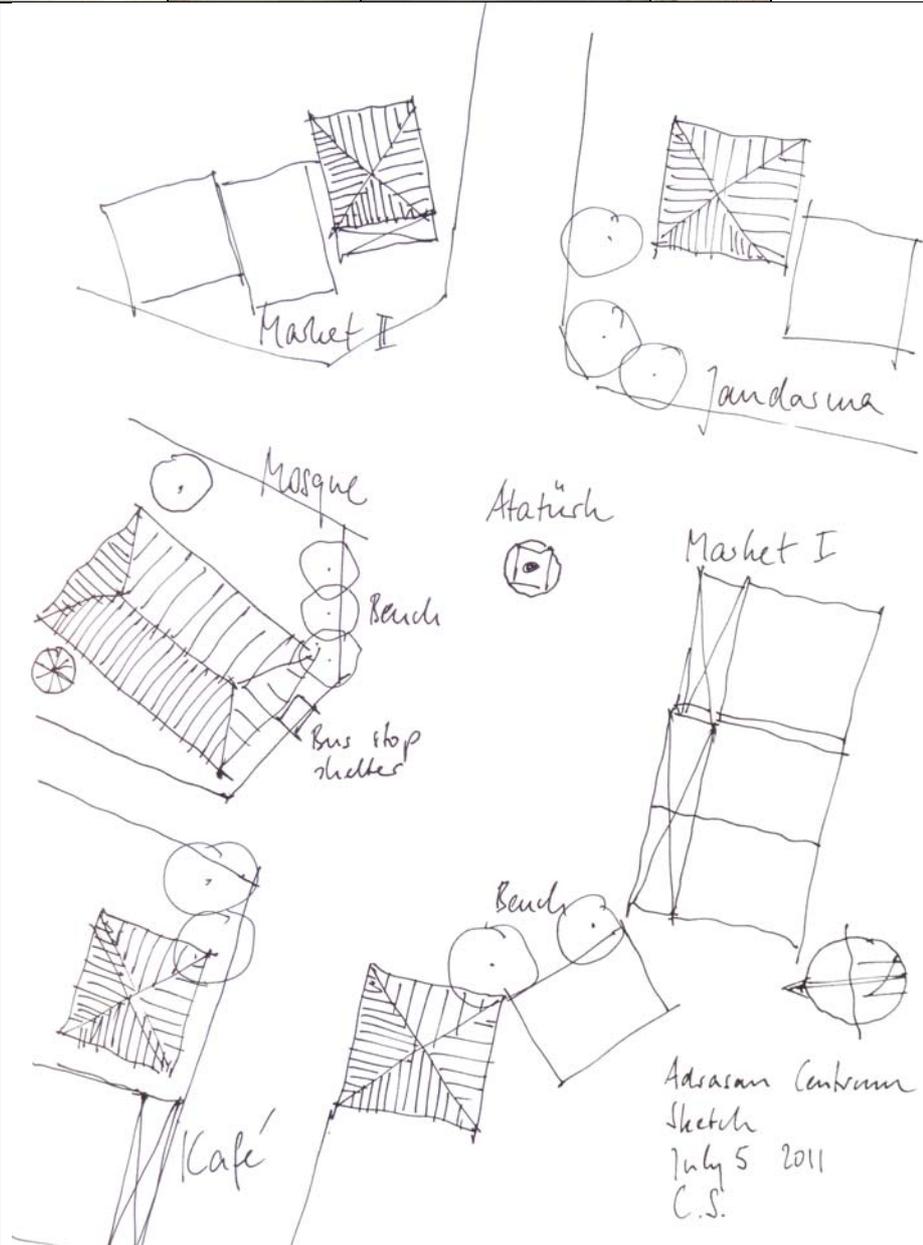


Sketch of Situation

The square of Adrasan Centrum is situated in the village at the junction of the three roads to Olimpos, Adrasan Beach and Kumluca. The Old Mosque was replaced by a new building in the 1980s. Other buildings reflect the development of the village (old houses with traditional dimensions and tiled roofs) to a small rural town of 3.500 people with increasing housing function (Atatürk memorial, multi-storey housing and buildings which combine commercial uses and housing on top). On the corner there is a police station (Jandarma).

Areas where people spend time are e.g. a bench outside the Mosque court, a bench in front of the house in the east, the entrance to the two markets and the Kafe in Kumluca Road. The bus stop shelter next to the Mosque is rarely used.

On the square vehicles are parked in the south west, short stops happen in front of the markets. Traffic lights, installed when the coastal traffic was passing through the village before the building of the D 400, are switched off.



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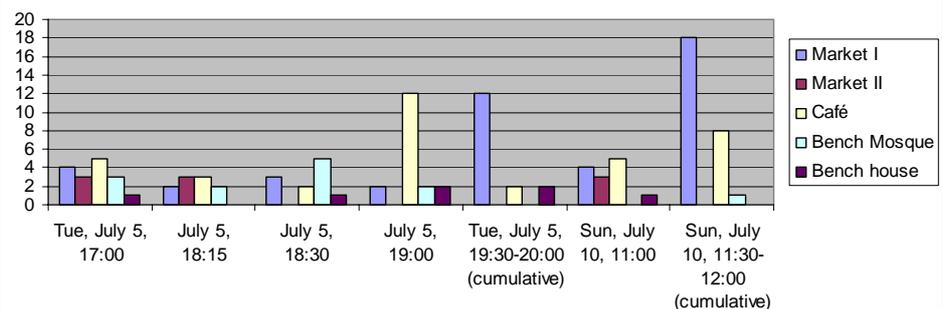
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At seven times the open space use was observed. Five times it was a momentary documentation taken by walking around the square.

Time								
Site	Tue, July 5, 17:00	Tue, July 5, 18:15	Tue, July 5, 18:30	Tue, July 5, 19:00	Tue, July 5, 19:30-20:00 (cumulative)	Sun July 10, 11:00	Sun July 10, 11:30-12:00 (cumulative)	
Market I	4	2	3	2	12	4	18	
Market II	3	3	not obs.	not obs.	not obs.	3	not obs.	
Kafe (observation point)	5	3	2	12	2	5	8	
Bench in front of Mosque	3	2	5	2	not obs.	1	not obs.	
Bench in front of house	1	0	1	2	2	0	0	
Bus stop shelter in front of Mosque (not observed)								

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Tuesday July 5, 2011 and Sunday, July 10



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Two times the observation was made summing up all events which happened within 30 minutes watching the square from the terrace of the Kafe. Obviously market one is used by many people arriving in their cars and stopping for some minutes to do shopping. The south west area is calm and few vehicles are parked here for a long time. As the bench in front of the mosque and the area near market II could not be observed from that point the cumulative observation is more relevant regarding users crossing or passing the square.

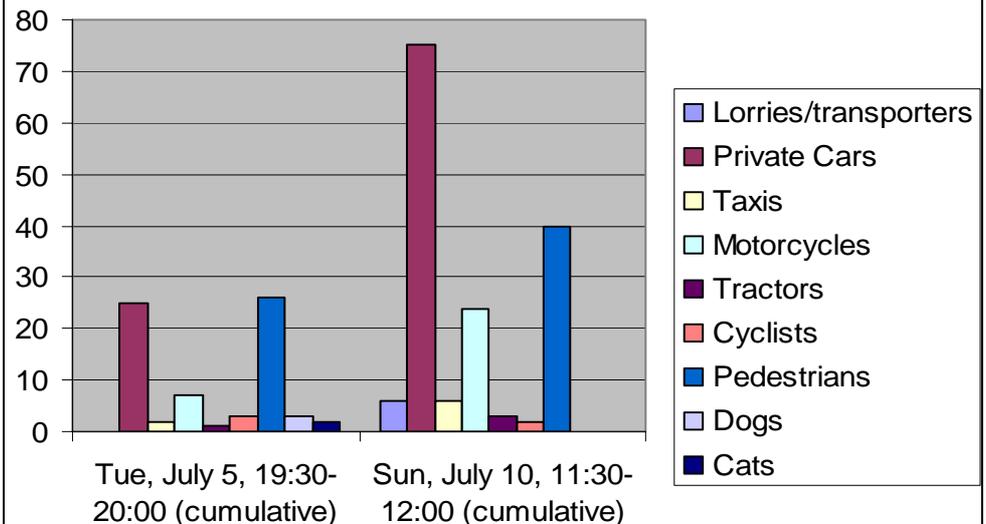
On Sunday July 10, a maximum density of use could be observed in terms of cars and pedestrians. The numbers of cars are still very low and although some obviously unusual constellation happened when cars were parked or traffic participants passed each other there was never a feeling of danger or the impression, the amount of traffic could be influencing social life negatively.

Items using public space

Time	Tue, July 5, 19:30-20:00 (cumulative)	Sun, July 10, 11:30 – 12:00 (cumulative)	
Site or Item using open space			
Lorries / transporters	0	6	
Private Cars	25	75	
Taxis	2	6	
Motorcycles	7	24	
Tractors	1	3	
Cyclists	3	2	
Pedestrians	26	40	
Dogs	3	0	
Cats	2	0	

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