Light rail systems today

- In Britain and Ireland: Blackpool, Docklands Light Railway, Tyne & Wear Metro; Manchester Metrolink, Sheffield Supertram, Nottingham Express Transit, Croydon Tramlink, Midland Metro, Dublin LUAS and Edinburgh tramway (under construction) - with more extensions and new lines planned.

- Europe: many countries have continually improved their tram systems (e.g. Germany, Belgium and Holland); other countries have recently introduced brand new systems nationwide (e.g. France and Spain).

- Worldwide: light rail is undergoing a renaissance in the USA, Canada, Australia and elsewhere.