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Level I: Description

1. What modes of transportation can you see in the photograph?
2. What do you notice about these modes of transportation?
3. Can you guess a time period for this photograph?

Level II: Interpretation

1. What do you think each mode of transportation was used for?
2. What do you think the oldest mode of transportation here is? Why?

Level III: Analysis

1. Why might all modes of transportation run parallel?
2. Which mode of transportation would be the most efficient? Why?
3. Which of these modes of transportation most likely still stands today? Why?