Bike-Sharing Analysis Report

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Introduction

Background

As a junior data analyst working in the marketing analyst team at Cyclistic, a bike-share company in Chicago. The director of marketing believes the company's future success depends on maximizing the number of annual memberships. Therefore, my team wants to understand how casual riders and annual members use Cyclistic bikes differently. From these insights, we will design a new marketing strategy to convert casual riders into annual members.

Objective of the Analysis

Analyze the behavioral patterns and usage metrics of casual riders compared to annual paid members in our bike share program to identify key differences. Use these insights to develop targeted strategies and recommendations aimed at converting casual riders into annual members

Data description

This analysis is based on the Divvy case study "'Sophisticated, Clear, and Polished': Divvy and Data Visualization" written by Kevin Hartman (found here: https://artscience.blog/home/divvy-dataviz-case-study).

Data preparation

Installing and loading necessary libraries

```
install.packages("tidyverse")

## Installing package into 'C:/Users/Saurabh/AppData/Local/R/win-library/4.4'
## (as 'lib' is unspecified)

## package 'tidyverse' successfully unpacked and MD5 sums checked
##

## The downloaded binary packages are in
## C:\Users\Saurabh\AppData\Local\Temp\RtmpsD0YD4\downloaded_packages
install.packages("readxl")

## Installing package into 'C:/Users/Saurabh/AppData/Local/R/win-library/4.4'
## (as 'lib' is unspecified)
```

```
## package 'readxl' successfully unpacked and MD5 sums checked
##
## The downloaded binary packages are in
## C:\Users\Saurabh\AppData\Local\Temp\RtmpsD0YD4\downloaded packages
install.packages("lubridate")
## Installing package into 'C:/Users/Saurabh/AppData/Local/R/win-library/4.4'
## (as 'lib' is unspecified)
## package 'lubridate' successfully unpacked and MD5 sums checked
## The downloaded binary packages are in
## C:\Users\Saurabh\AppData\Local\Temp\RtmpsD0YD4\downloaded packages
install.packages("janitor")
## Installing package into 'C:/Users/Saurabh/AppData/Local/R/win-library/4.4'
## (as 'lib' is unspecified)
## package 'janitor' successfully unpacked and MD5 sums checked
##
## The downloaded binary packages are in
## C:\Users\Saurabh\AppData\Local\Temp\RtmpsD0YD4\downloaded_packages
install.packages("hms")
## Installing package into 'C:/Users/Saurabh/AppData/Local/R/win-library/4.4'
## (as 'lib' is unspecified)
## package 'hms' successfully unpacked and MD5 sums checked
## The downloaded binary packages are in
## C:\Users\Saurabh\AppData\Local\Temp\RtmpsD0YD4\downloaded_packages
library("tidyverse")
## — Attaching core tidyverse packages —
                                                               - tidyverse
2.0.0 -
## √ dplyr
              1.1.4
                         ✓ readr
                                     2.1.5
## √ forcats 1.0.0

√ stringr

                                     1.5.1
## √ ggplot2 3.5.1
                         √ tibble
                                     3.2.1
## ✓ lubridate 1.9.3
                         √ tidyr
                                     1.3.1
## √ purrr
              1.0.2
## — Conflicts —
tidyverse_conflicts() —
## X dplyr::filter() masks stats::filter()
## X dplyr::lag() masks stats::lag()
## i Use the conflicted package (<http://conflicted.r-lib.org/>) to force all
conflicts to become errors
```

```
library("readxl")
library("lubridate")
library("hms")
##
## Attaching package: 'hms'
##
## The following object is masked from 'package:lubridate':
##
##
       hms
library("janitor")
##
## Attaching package: 'janitor'
## The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':
##
       chisq.test, fisher.test
##
Loading datasets
bike share 01 <-
read excel("C:/Users/Saurabh/Documents/bike share success/xlsx/202301-divvy-
tripdata.xlsx")
bike share 02 <-
read excel("C:/Users/Saurabh/Documents/bike share success/xlsx/202302-divvy-
tripdata.xlsx")
bike share 03 <-
read excel("C:/Users/Saurabh/Documents/bike share success/xlsx/202303-divvy-
tripdata.xlsx")
bike share 04 <-
read excel("C:/Users/Saurabh/Documents/bike share success/xlsx/202304-divvy-
tripdata.xlsx")
bike share 05 <-
read_excel("C:/Users/Saurabh/Documents/bike_share success/xlsx/202305-divvy-
tripdata.xlsx")
bike share 06 <-
read excel("C:/Users/Saurabh/Documents/bike share success/xlsx/202306-divvy-
tripdata.xlsx")
bike share 07 <-
read excel("C:/Users/Saurabh/Documents/bike share success/xlsx/202307-divvy-
tripdata.xlsx")
bike share 08 <-
read_excel("C:/Users/Saurabh/Documents/bike_share_success/xlsx/202308-divvy-
tripdata.xlsx")
bike share 09 <-
read excel("C:/Users/Saurabh/Documents/bike share success/xlsx/202309-divvy-
tripdata.xlsx")
bike share 10 <-
read excel("C:/Users/Saurabh/Documents/bike share success/xlsx/202310-divvy-
tripdata.xlsx")
```

```
bike_share_11 <-
read_excel("C:/Users/Saurabh/Documents/bike_share_success/xlsx/202311-divvy-
tripdata.xlsx")
bike_share_12 <-
read_excel("C:/Users/Saurabh/Documents/bike_share_success/xlsx/202312-divvy-
tripdata.xlsx")</pre>
```

Merging all the data in one dataframe

```
bike_share_2023 <- bind_rows(bike_share_01, bike_share_02, bike_share_03, bike_share_04, bike_share_05, bike_share_06, bike_share_07, bike_share_08, bike_share_09, bike_share_10, bike_share_11, bike_share_12)
```

Data cleaning and preprocessing

Add columns that list the date, month, day, and year of each ride, this will allow us to aggregate ride data for each month, day, or year

```
bike_share_2023$date <- as.Date(bike_share_2023$started_at) #The default
format is yyyy-mm-dd
bike_share_2023$month <- format(as.Date(bike_share_2023$date), "%m")
bike_share_2023$day <- format(as.Date(bike_share_2023$date), "%d")
bike_share_2023$year <- format(as.Date(bike_share_2023$date), "%Y")
bike_share_2023 <- bike_share_2023 %>% select(-date)
```

Ensuring that every column values have relevant data-type

```
bike_share_2023$month <- as.numeric(bike_share_2023$month)
bike_share_2023$day <- as.numeric(bike_share_2023$day)
bike_share_2023$year <- as.numeric(bike_share_2023$year)</pre>
```

Adding a new column with day_name corresponding to day_of_week and month_name corresponding to month

```
bike_share_2023 <- bike_share_2023 %>% mutate(day_name = factor(day_of_week,
levels = 1:7, labels = c("sun", "mon", "tue", "wed", "thu", "fri", "sat")))
bike_share_2023 <- bike_share_2023 %>% mutate(month_name = factor(month,
levels = 1:12, labels = c("jan", "feb", "mar", "apr", "may", "jun", "jul",
"aug", "sep", "oct", "nov", "dec")))
```

Removing the date values from the column ride length

```
bike_share_2023$ride_length <- as_hms(bike_share_2023$ride_length)</pre>
```

Remove rows with missing ride_id, member_casual, ride_length, start_station_name, end station name

```
bike_share_2023 <- bike_share_2023 %>% drop_na(ride_id, member_casual,
ride_length, start_station_name, end_station_name)
```

Remove duplicate rows if any

```
bike_share_2023 <- bike_share_2023 %>% distinct()
```

Ensure ended at is not before than started at

```
bike_share_2023 <- bike_share_2023 %>% filter(is.na(ended_at) | ended_at >=
started_at)
```

Ensuring that column names are unique and consistent

```
clean names(bike share 2023)
## # A tibble: 4,332,034 × 14
##
      ride id
                      rideable type started at
                                                        ended at
##
      <chr>>
                       <chr>
                                     <dttm>
                                                         <dttm>
## 1 F96D5A74A3E41399 electric bike 2023-01-21 20:05:00 2023-01-21 20:16:00
## 2 13CB7EB698CEDB88 classic bike 2023-01-10 15:37:00 2023-01-10 15:46:00
## 3 BD88A2E670661CE5 electric_bike 2023-01-02 07:51:00 2023-01-02 08:05:00
## 4 C90792D034FED968 classic bike 2023-01-22 10:52:00 2023-01-22 11:01:00
## 5 3397017529188E8A classic bike 2023-01-12 13:58:00 2023-01-12 14:13:00
## 6 58E68156DAE3E311 electric bike 2023-01-31 07:18:00 2023-01-31 07:21:00
## 7 2F7194B6012A98D4 electric bike 2023-01-15 21:18:00 2023-01-15 21:32:00
## 8 DB1CF84154D6A049 classic_bike 2023-01-25 10:49:00 2023-01-25 10:58:00
## 9 34EAB943F88C4C5D electric_bike 2023-01-25 20:49:00 2023-01-25 21:02:00
## 10 BC8AB1AA51DA9115 classic bike 2023-01-06 16:37:00 2023-01-06 16:49:00
## # i 4,332,024 more rows
## # i 10 more variables: start station name <chr>, end station name <chr>,
      member casual <chr>, ride length <time>, day of week <dbl>, month
## #
<dbl>,
## #
      day <dbl>, year <dbl>, day name <fct>, month name <fct>
```

Inspect the dataset

```
head(bike share 2023)
## # A tibble: 6 × 14
##
     ride_id
                      rideable_type started_at
                                                        ended_at
##
     <chr>>
                      <chr>>
                                    <dttm>
                                                        <dttm>
## 1 F96D5A74A3E41399 electric bike 2023-01-21 20:05:00 2023-01-21 20:16:00
## 2 13CB7EB698CEDB88 classic_bike 2023-01-10 15:37:00 2023-01-10 15:46:00
## 3 BD88A2E670661CE5 electric bike 2023-01-02 07:51:00 2023-01-02 08:05:00
## 4 C90792D034FED968 classic bike 2023-01-22 10:52:00 2023-01-22 11:01:00
## 5 3397017529188E8A classic_bike 2023-01-12 13:58:00 2023-01-12 14:13:00
## 6 58E68156DAE3E311 electric bike 2023-01-31 07:18:00 2023-01-31 07:21:00
## # i 10 more variables: start_station_name <chr>, end_station_name <chr>,
## #
       member_casual <chr>, ride_length <time>, day_of_week <dbl>, month
<dbl>,
## #
       day <dbl>, year <dbl>, day_name <fct>, month_name <fct>
colnames(bike_share_2023)
## [1] "ride id"
                             "rideable type"
                                                  "started at"
                             "start station name" "end station name"
## [4] "ended at"
                                                  "day_of_week"
## [7] "member_casual"
                           "ride_length"
```

```
## [10] "month"
                            "day"
                                               "year"
## [13] "day name"
                           "month name"
glimpse(bike_share_2023)
## Rows: 4,332,034
## Columns: 14
                      <chr> "F96D5A74A3E41399", "13CB7EB698CEDB88",
## $ ride id
"BD88A2E670...
                      <chr> "electric bike", "classic bike",
## $ rideable type
"electric_bike", "...
                      <dttm> 2023-01-21 20:05:00, 2023-01-10 15:37:00,
## $ started at
2023-01-...
                      <dttm> 2023-01-21 20:16:00, 2023-01-10 15:46:00,
## $ ended at
2023-01-...
## $ start station name <chr> "Lincoln Ave & Fullerton Ave", "Kimbark Ave &
53rd ...
## $ end_station_name
                      <chr> "Hampden Ct & Diversey Ave", "Greenwood Ave &
47th ...
                      <chr> "member", "member", "casual", "member",
## $ member_casual
"member", "...
                      <time> 00:11:00, 00:09:00, 00:14:00, 00:09:00,
## $ ride length
00:15:00, ...
## $ day of week
                      <dbl> 7, 3, 2, 1, 5, 3, 1, 4, 4, 6, 5, 3, 2, 3, 5, 2,
7, ...
## $ month
                      1, ...
                      <dbl> 21, 10, 2, 22, 12, 31, 15, 25, 25, 6, 5, 3, 9,
## $ day
3, 1...
## $ year
                      <dbl> 2023, 2023, 2023, 2023, 2023, 2023, 2023, 2023,
202...
## $ day_name
                      <fct> sat, tue, mon, sun, thu, tue, sun, wed, wed,
fri, t...
## $ month name
                      jan, j...
```

Calculations to start analysis of data

Calculating average ride duration and number of rides by usertypes

```
avg_ride_length_per_usertype <- bike_share_2023 %>% group_by(member_casual)
%>% summarise(avg ride length per usertype =
seconds_to_period(mean(ride_length)), no_ride = n())
avg_ride_length_per_usertype
## # A tibble: 2 × 3
     member_casual avg_ride_length_per_usertype no_ride
##
##
     <chr>>
                   <Period>
                                                  <int>
                   22M 49.2003618992655S
## 1 casual
                                                1531918
## 2 member
                 12M 6.89585717163106S
                                                2800116
```

Finding the variation of the metric- avg_ride_length_per_usertype through different months and filtering and sorting for casual riders

```
avg_rl_ut_mon <- bike_share_2023 %>% group_by(month_name, member_casual) %>%
summarise(avg rl ut mon = seconds to period(mean(ride length)), no ride =
n())
## `summarise()` has grouped output by 'month_name'. You can override using
## `.groups` argument.
avg_rl_ut_mon
## # A tibble: 24 × 4
               month_name [12]
## # Groups:
##
      month name member casual avg rl ut mon
                                                      no ride
##
      <fct>
                 <chr>
                               <Period>
                                                        <int>
## 1 ian
                               14M 49.8902805442085S
                                                        29621
                 casual
    2 jan
##
                 member
                               9M 57.3519968313627S
                                                       118663
    3 feb
##
                 casual
                               17M 38.6499817318231S
                                                        32844
## 4 feb
                 member
                               10M 23.5999726406867S
                                                       116962
## 5 mar
                               16M 39.5375277825269S
                                                       46792
                 casual
## 6 mar
                 member
                               10M 9.17015391624091S
                                                       153655
                               22M 29.4192042555501S
##
   7 apr
                 casual
                                                       110538
##
    8 apr
                 member
                               11M 33.3464071253727S
                                                       213659
##
  9 may
                 casual
                               24M 20.7188246657515S
                                                       177039
## 10 may
                 member
                               12M 41.573860539226S
                                                       286188
## # i 14 more rows
avg_rl_cas_mon <- avg_rl_ut_mon %>% filter(member_casual == "casual")
avg_rl_cas_mon <- avg_rl_cas_mon %>% arrange(-avg_rl_ut_mon)
avg_rl_cas_mon
## # A tibble: 12 × 4
               month name [12]
## # Groups:
##
      month name member casual avg rl ut mon
                                                      no ride
      <fct>
##
                 <chr>
                               <Period>
                                                        <int>
## 1 jul
                 casual
                               25M 7.55700830212049S
                                                       245359
##
    2 may
                               24M 20.7188246657515S
                                                       177039
                 casual
##
    3 aug
                 casual
                               24M 13.6677298263317S
                                                       233894
## 4 jun
                               23M 53.7975651034558S
                                                       219804
                 casual
## 5 sep
                 casual
                               23M 25.9184719972786S
                                                       196963
##
                               22M 29.4192042555501S
   6 apr
                 casual
                                                       110538
##
   7 oct
                               21M 18.8988488104374S
                                                       130300
                 casual
                               17M 45.9835178556564S
##
   8 nov
                 casual
                                                       72078
## 9 feb
                               17M 38.6499817318231S
                 casual
                                                        32844
## 10 mar
                 casual
                               16M 39.5375277825269S
                                                        46792
## 11 dec
                 casual
                               16M 32.1114321539552S
                                                        36686
## 12 jan
                               14M 49.8902805442085S
                 casual
                                                        29621
```

```
avg nr cas mon <- avg rl cas mon %>% arrange(-no ride)
avg nr cas mon
## # A tibble: 12 × 4
## # Groups:
              month name [12]
      month name member casual avg rl ut mon
                                                    no ride
##
##
      <fct>
                <chr>>
                              <Period>
                                                      <int>
                              25M 7.55700830212049S 245359
## 1 jul
                casual
## 2 aug
                casual
                              24M 13.6677298263317S
                                                     233894
## 3 jun
                              23M 53.7975651034558S 219804
                casual
## 4 sep
                              23M 25.9184719972786S 196963
                casual
## 5 may
                              24M 20.7188246657515S 177039
                casual
## 6 oct
                casual
                              21M 18.8988488104374S 130300
## 7 apr
                casual
                              22M 29.4192042555501S 110538
## 8 nov
                              17M 45.9835178556564S
                                                     72078
                casual
## 9 mar
                casual
                              16M 39.5375277825269S
                                                      46792
## 10 dec
                casual
                              16M 32.1114321539552S
                                                      36686
## 11 feb
                              17M 38.6499817318231S
                casual
                                                      32844
## 12 jan
                              14M 49.8902805442085S
                                                      29621
                casual
```

Calculating average ride length of users by rideable_type i.e electric or classic

```
avg_rl_ut_rt <- bike_share_2023 %>% group_by(rideable_type, member_casual)
%>% summarise(avg_rl_ut_rt = seconds_to_period(mean(ride_length)))
## `summarise()` has grouped output by 'rideable_type'. You can override
using the
## `.groups` argument.
avg_rl_ut_rt
## # A tibble: 5 × 3
## # Groups:
              rideable type [3]
##
     rideable_type member_casual avg_rl_ut_rt
##
     <chr>>
                   <chr>
                                 <Period>
## 1 classic bike casual
                                 25M 38.4544686076106S
## 2 classic bike member
                                12M 58.37194922704S
## 3 docked_bike
                   casual
                                 52M 50.7371458551938S
## 4 electric bike casual
                                 14M 39.8420958684043S
## 5 electric bike member
                                 10M 31.6353896679012S
avg_rl_ut_rt_mon <- bike_share_2023 %>% group_by(month_name, rideable_type,
member casual) %>% summarise(avg rl ut rt mon =
seconds to period(mean(ride length)))
## `summarise()` has grouped output by 'month name', 'rideable type'. You can
## override using the `.groups` argument.
avg_rl_ut_rt_mon <- avg_rl_ut_rt_mon %>% filter(member_casual == "casual")
avg_rl_ut_rt_mon
```

```
## # A tibble: 32 × 4
               month name, rideable type [32]
## # Groups:
      month_name rideable_type member_casual avg_rl_ut_rt_mon
##
##
      <fct>
                               <chr>>
                                             <Period>
                 <chr>>
                 classic_bike casual
##
  1 jan
                                             17M 13.8961038961038S
    2 jan
                 docked bike
                                             37M 35.564803804994S
##
                               casual
##
  3 jan
                 electric bike casual
                                             9M 44.9691029192414S
                 classic_bike casual
##
  4 feb
                                             20M 16.6313614053215S
##
  5 feb
                 docked bike
                                             42M 56.0390516039051S
                               casual
## 6 feb
                 electric bike casual
                                             11M 23.2086264711684S
##
  7 mar
                 classic_bike
                               casual
                                             20M 12.8637770897833S
                 docked bike
                                             41M 25.3940217391305S
## 8 mar
                               casual
                 electric bike casual
## 9 mar
                                             10M 51.7925453653752S
## 10 apr
                 classic_bike casual
                                             26M 13.5373060822458S
## # i 22 more rows
```

Now calculating average ride length and number of rides of users by day of week

```
avg rl ut dow <- bike share 2023 %>% group by(day name, member casual) %>%
summarise(avg rl ut dow = seconds_to_period(mean(ride length)), num of rides
= n())
## `summarise()` has grouped output by 'day name'. You can override using the
## `.groups` argument.
avg_rl_ut_dow
## # A tibble: 14 × 4
## # Groups:
               day name [7]
##
      day_name member_casual avg_rl_ut_dow
                                                    num_of_rides
##
      <fct>
                             <Period>
               <chr>>
                                                           <int>
## 1 sun
               casual
                             26M 28.9277639966087S
                                                          254776
## 2 sun
               member
                             13M 35.858243011053S
                                                          307879
## 3 mon
                             22M 25.0861582484481S
                                                          175433
               casual
## 4 mon
                             11M 31.6054694772554S
               member
                                                          386728
## 5 tue
               casual
                             20M 22.1934602653566S
                                                          181567
##
   6 tue
               member
                             11M 37.8594915390167S
                                                          448884
##
  7 wed
                             19M 30.189726169541S
               casual
                                                          183106
##
   8 wed
               member
                             11M 33.6274804304419S
                                                          452744
##
  9 thu
                             19M 52.412392689841S
               casual
                                                          198956
## 10 thu
               member
                             11M 35.6863542078557S
                                                          452689
## 11 fri
                             22M 13.4668784666153S
               casual
                                                          227888
## 12 fri
                             12M 1.29937507958198S
               member
                                                          400531
## 13 sat
                             25M 45.5332826120596S
               casual
                                                          310192
## 14 sat
               member
                             13M 34.5129911795153S
                                                          350661
```

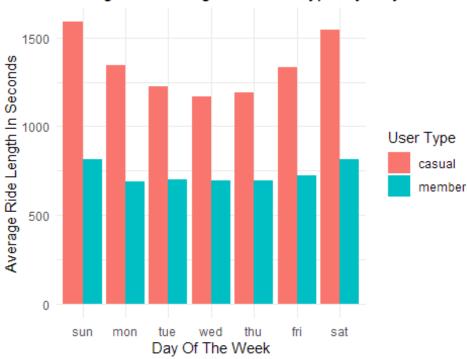
Visualizing different metrics calculated to find some insights

Changing the column avg_rl_ut_dow from time period to numeric, so that it can be plotted in ggplot.

Visualizing average ride duration per usertype across days of week

```
arlpubdow <- avg_rl_ut_dow %>% mutate(avg_ride_length_sec =
as.numeric(avg_rl_ut_dow))
ggplot(data = arlpubdow, aes(x = day_name, y = avg_ride_length_sec, fill =
member_casual)) +
   geom_bar(stat = "identity", position = position_dodge()) +
   labs(title = "Average Ride Length Per Usertype By Day Of Week", x = "Day Of
The Week", y = "Average Ride Length In Seconds", fill = "User Type") +
   theme_minimal()
```

Average Ride Length Per Usertype By Day Of Week



Possible reasons for longer ride durations of Casual riders

- Casual riders might be using bike sharing service primarily for leisure activities, sightseeing or tourism, which typically involve longer ride duration.
- Weekends generally offer more free time for leisure activities, therefore rise in ride duration on weekends especially for casual riders.

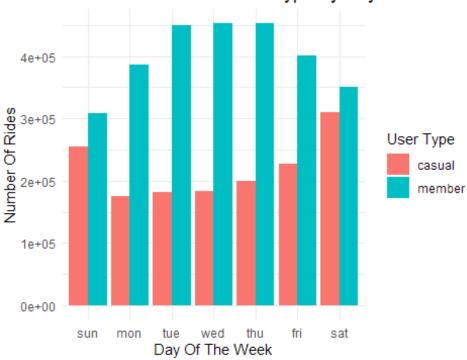
Targeted marketing strategies

- Emphasize leisure and recreational benefits in marketing campaigns.
- Highlight scenic routes, local attractions, and weekend events.
- Offer weekend specific promotions to encourage casual riders to use the service more frequently and potentially convert them to members.

Visualizing number of rides per usertype across days of week

```
ggplot(data = avg_rl_ut_dow, aes(x = day_name, y = num_of_rides, fill =
member_casual)) +
   geom_bar(stat = "identity", position = position_dodge()) +
   labs(title = "Number Of Rides Per Usertype By Day Of Week", x = "Day Of The
Week", y = "Number Of Rides", fill = "User Type") +
   theme_minimal()
```

Number Of Rides Per Usertype By Day Of Week

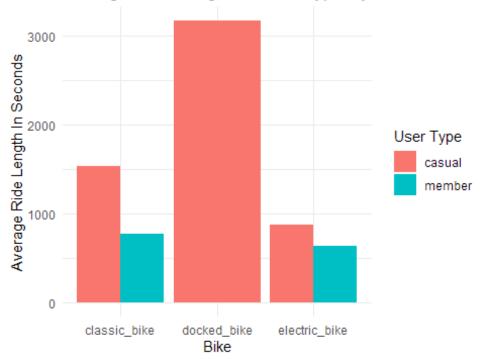


- Develop membership plans tailored to casual riders who primarily use the service on weekends.
- Increase the distribution of bikes in parks, tourist spots, and recreational areas on weekends to meet the higher demand for casual riders.

Visualizing average ride length for different users for different bikes

```
arlpubrt <- avg_rl_ut_rt %>% mutate(avg_rt_sec = as.numeric(avg_rl_ut_rt))
ggplot(data = arlpubrt, aes(x = rideable_type, y = avg_rt_sec, fill =
member_casual)) +
    geom_bar(stat = "identity", position = position_dodge()) +
    labs(title = "Average Ride Length Per Usertype By Different Bikes", x =
"Bike", y = "Average Ride Length In Seconds", fill = "User Type") +
    theme_minimal()
```

Average Ride Length Per Usertype By Different Bikes



Possible reasons of popularity of docked bikes among casual riders

• Due to its availability, convenience, or specific routes where these bikes are docked.

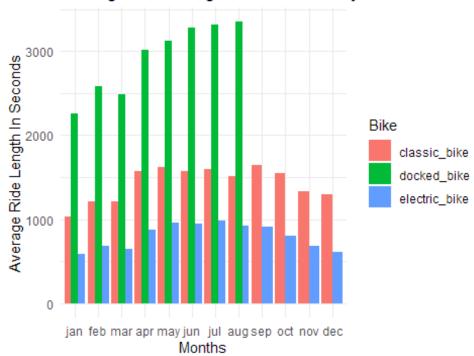
Marketing and service strategies for casual riders

- Highlight the availability and benefits of docked bikes in marketing campaigns targeted at casual riders.
- Offer packages or passes specifically for docked bikes, which could include longer ride times or discounts for casual riders.
- Ensure that docked bikes are well maintained and available in popular leisure areas, especially on weekends.

Visualizing average ride length for different users for different bikes across months

```
arlpubrtm <- avg_rl_ut_rt_mon %>% mutate(avg_rt_sec =
as.numeric(avg_rl_ut_rt_mon))
ggplot(data = arlpubrtm, aes(x = month_name, y = avg_rt_sec, fill =
rideable_type)) +
    geom_bar(stat = "identity", position = position_dodge()) +
    labs(title = "Average Ride Length For Casuals By Different Bikes Across
Months", x = "Months", y = "Average Ride Length In Seconds", fill = "Bike") +
    theme_minimal()
```

Average Ride Length For Casuals By Different Bikes

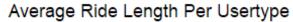


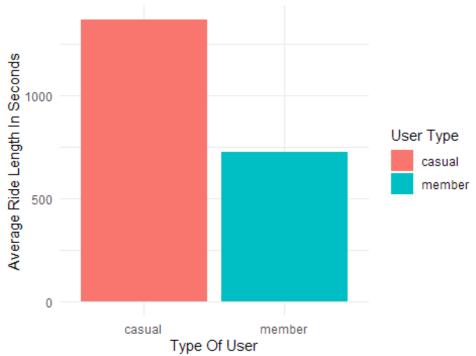
Possible reasons for disappearance of docked bike from september onwards

- Further investigation is required, if there were any operational changes made by the company around september, this could include removal or reduction of docked bikes from the fleet, changes in the areas where they were deployed, or modifications in the service offerings.
- Consulting internal reports from company regarding changes in bike availability.
- Ensure that data collection methods remained consistent throughout the year, any changes in how data was recorded or processed could affect the presence of certain bike types in the data.
- Examine if casual riders' preferences or behavior changed around september, leading to drop in the use of docked bikes. Although this is less likely, it's worth considering.

Visualizing average ride length per usertype

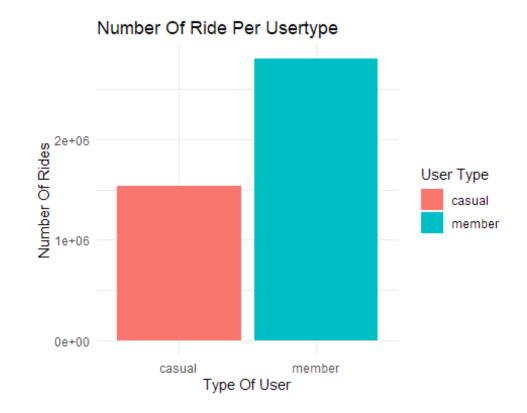
```
arlput <- avg_ride_length_per_usertype %>% mutate(avg_ut_sec =
as.numeric(avg_ride_length_per_usertype))
ggplot(data = arlput, aes(x = member_casual, y = avg_ut_sec, fill =
member_casual)) +
    geom_bar(stat = "identity") +
    labs(title = "Average Ride Length Per Usertype", x = "Type Of User", y =
"Average Ride Length In Seconds", fill = "User Type") +
    theme_minimal()
```





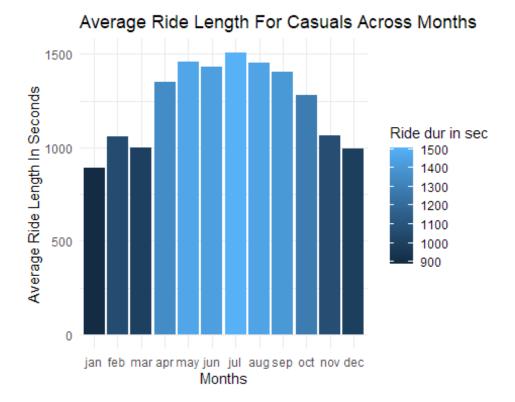
Visualizing number of rides per usertype

```
ggplot(data = arlput, aes(x = member_casual, y = no_ride, fill =
member_casual)) +
   geom_bar(stat = "identity") +
   labs(title = "Number Of Ride Per Usertype", x = "Type Of User", y = "Number
Of Rides", fill = "User Type") +
   theme_minimal()
```



Visualizing average ride duration for casual riders across months

```
arlputm <- avg_rl_cas_mon %>% mutate(avg_cas_mon_sec =
as.numeric(avg_rl_ut_mon))
ggplot(data = arlputm, aes(x = month_name, y = avg_cas_mon_sec, fill =
avg_cas_mon_sec)) +
    geom_bar(stat = "identity") +
    labs(title = "Average Ride Length For Casuals Across Months", x = "Months",
y = "Average Ride Length In Seconds", fill = "Ride dur in sec") +
    theme_minimal()
```



Seasonal influence on usage(from april to october)

- The period from april to october generally corresponds to warmer weather and longer daylight hours, making it more conducive to outdoor activities and longer rides.
- These months might coincide with peak tourism and recreational activities, leading to mor leisurely and longer rides by casual riders.

Operational adjustments

- Ensure that there are enough bikes available, especially docked bikes, during the peak months to meet the higher demand for longer rides.
- Schedule maintainance activities in the off-peak months(november to march) to ensure the fleet is in optimal condition during the peak season.

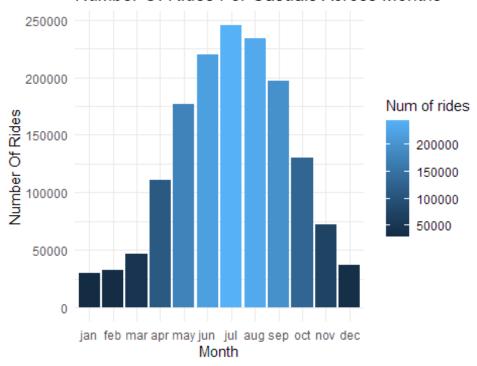
Recommendations

- Offer promotions and discounts during the peak months(april to october) to attract more casual riders.
- Introduce seasonal passes or packages specifically for peak months, encouraging casual riders to purchase longer term access during the high demand period.
- Provide enhance services such as guided tours, themed rides, or partnerships with local attractions during the peak months to capitalize on the increased interest.

Visualizing number of rides or frequency of rides for casual riders across months

```
ggplot(data = arlputm, aes(x = month_name, y = no_ride, fill = no_ride)) +
   geom_bar(stat = "identity") +
   labs(title = "Number Of Rides For Casuals Across Months", x = "Month", y =
   "Number Of Rides", fill = "Num of rides") +
   theme_minimal()
```

Number Of Rides For Casuals Across Months



 Consider scaling services e.g., additional bike stations, more docking points during the high demand season and potentially reducing them during the off-peak months to optimize resource allocation.