Seoul Bike Rentals

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Executive Overview - Bike Rentals

Total Rentals
6,2M

Avg Daily Rentals

17.485

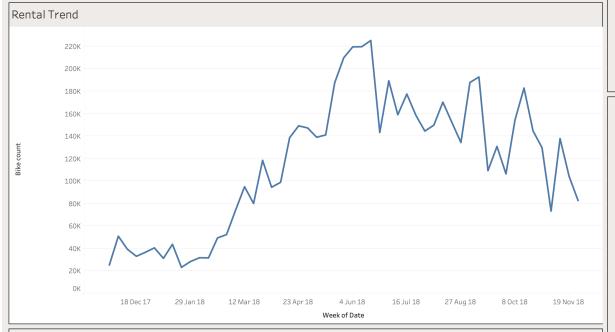
Peak Hour

18:00

Workday 70.0% | Non-Workday 30.0%



27 November 2017 to 26 November 2018



TOP 10 PEAK HOUR RENTALS Hour 18 19 17 20 21 8 16 22 15 14 0 100 200 300 400 500 600 700 800 900 1000 1100 1200 1300 1400 1500 1600 Avg. Bike count F

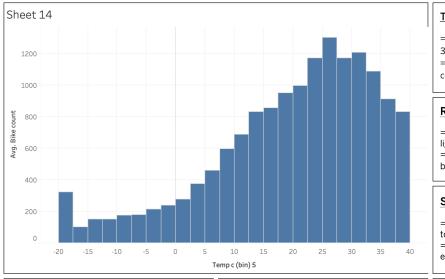
Executive Insights

- Total rentals: 6.2M (avg. 17.5K/day)
- Peak usage:18:00 (evening commute), with strong morning demand at 08:00
- Workdays account for 70% of rentals, Non-workdays 30%
- Clear seasonality: rentals climb steadily from January → peak in June (>220K/week), then decline into autumn
- High demand aligns with commuter patterns, reinforcing weekday utility focus
- Weekend share indicates steady leisure/recreational usage

Actionable Notes:

- Align bike availability and maintenance with peak commuter hours (08:00 & 18:00)
- Plan capacity and promotions around seasonal highs (summer) and lows (autumn/winter)
- Consider targeted campaigns for non-workday riders to expand leisure/recreation usage
- Monitor weather-driven demand to adjst. fleet distribution dynamically

Weather & Demand Analysis



Temperature

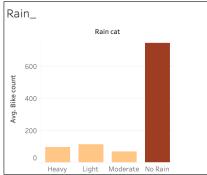
- => Rentals peak at **15-27.5°C**; below 0°C or above 32°C, usage drops sharply.
- => Extreme cold morning spike exists for workday commuters (-20 to -17.5 $^{\circ}\text{C}$).

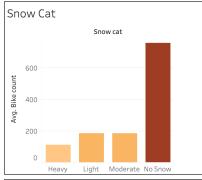
Rain

- => Rentals drop \sim 85–90% from no rain (\sim 747) to light/moderate rain (\sim 67–114).
- => Rain has the strongest negative impact on bike usage.

Snow

- => Rentals drop **~75–85%** from no snow (~759) to moderate/heavy snow (~112–187).
- => Snow significantly reduces daily bike usage, especially for commuting.



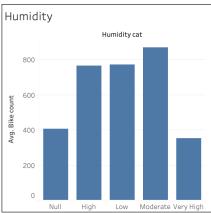


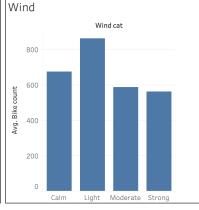
Humidity

=> Moderate humidity drives highest rentals (~871); very high humidity reduces usage ~50–60%.

Wind

=> Calm/light winds maximize rentals (~864); strong winds reduce rentals ~35%.



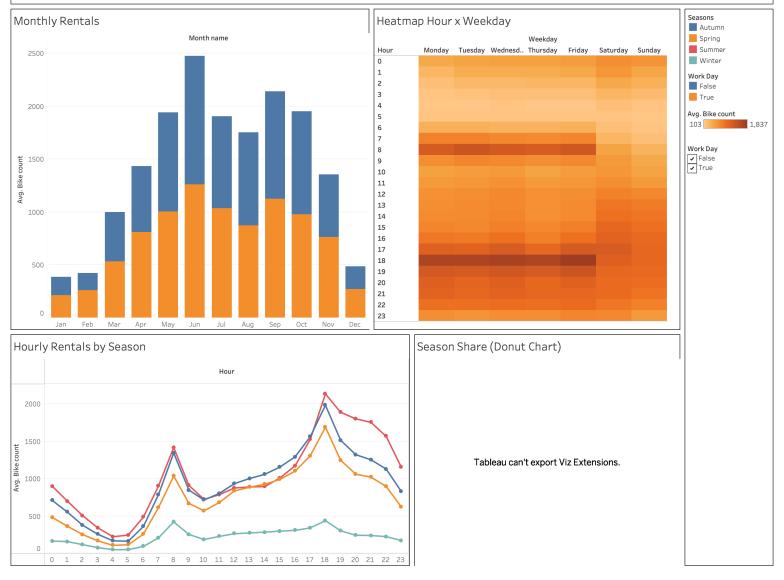


Actionables

- ✓ Scale fleet & staff dynamically with weather forecasts (expand in optimal, reduce in rain/snow/extremes).
- ✓ Use push notifications & promotions on good weather days to boost rides.
- ✓ Provide safety tips & alternate options during rain, snow, or strong winds.
- ✓ Schedule maintenance during low-demand windows (rain/snow/extreme temps).
- ✓ Maintain minimal fleet for essential early-morning cold commuters.



Exploring how demand shifts by month, weekday, and season



📊 Insights

Weekday peaks at 7-9 AM & 5-7 PM (commute hours); weekends peak midday.

Summer evenings see the strongest demand (~2,100 rentals/hour at 6-8 PM).

Autumn and Spring show balanced commuter + leisure usage; Winter is lowest.

X Actionables

Add fleet capacity in summer & early autumn, reduce in winter.

Rebalance bikes 10 AM-3 PM to prep for evening rush.

Promote commuter passes for weekdays; Fleisure/day-trip offers on weekends.

4 Use winter downtime for maintenance & redistribution. Budget and staffing should scale up in summer, scale down in winter.