

Cyclist Bike-Share

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1 Cyclist Bike-Share Case Study (Google Data Analytics Capstone Project 1)

```
[1]: from google.colab import drive
drive.mount('/content/drive')
```

Drive already mounted at /content/drive; to attempt to forcibly remount, call `drive.mount("/content/drive", force_remount=True)`.

1.1 Introduction

BikeShare Cyclist a bike transportation company based in Chicago, Illinois is faced with the issue of converting customer (casual) bike riders into members. I received a data set which includes subscriber and customer (casual) riders transport details for four quarters in the year 2019, the stakeholders at Cyclist Bikeshare have asked me to use data to inform decisions on turning customer riders into subscribers. For this project I will be using the six phases of data analysis according to Google, which are; 1. Ask 2. Prepare 3. Process 4. Analyze 5. Share 6. Act

1.2 Ask

There are 3 main questions which my immediate stakeholder wants me to answer using this data
1. How do customer and subscriber riders differ in bike usage? 2. Why would customer riders buy a subscription? 3. How can the company use digital media to influence customer riders to become subscribers?

To find answers to the questions, I would first have to come up with a statement of the business task.

1.2.1 Business Task

The main objective of this project is to examine behaviors of customer riders and provide data informed suggestions that can turn them into subscriber riders.

1.3 Prepare

For the prepare phase, a data set has been provided by the company's data team, this clears up the question of the data sets integrity. I can examine the data and perform cleaning before I start my analysis.

```
[2]: import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
sns.set
```

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[2]: <function seaborn.rcmod.set>
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```
[3]: df = pd.read_csv('/content/drive/MyDrive/Divvy_Trips_2013.csv')
```

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/usr/local/lib/python3.7/dist-packages/IPython/core/interactiveshell.py:2882:
DtypeWarning: Columns (10) have mixed types.Specify dtype option on import or
set low_memory=False.
    exec(code_obj, self.user_global_ns, self.user_ns)
```

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[4]: df.head()
```

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[4]:   trip_id  starttime  stoptime  bikeid  tripduration  \
0    4118  2013-06-27 12:11  2013-06-27 12:16    480         316
1    4275  2013-06-27 14:44  2013-06-27 14:45     77          64
2    4291  2013-06-27 14:58  2013-06-27 15:05     77         433
3    4316  2013-06-27 15:06  2013-06-27 15:09     77         123
4    4342  2013-06-27 15:13  2013-06-27 15:27     77         852
```

```
   from_station_id  from_station_name  to_station_id  \
0                85  Michigan Ave & Oak St          28
1                32  Racine Ave & Congress Pkwy        32
2                32  Racine Ave & Congress Pkwy        19
3                19  Loomis St & Taylor St          19
4                19  Loomis St & Taylor St          55
```

```
   to_station_name  usertype  gender  birthday
0  Larrabee St & Menomonee St  Customer    NaN    NaN
1  Racine Ave & Congress Pkwy  Customer    NaN    NaN
2  Loomis St & Taylor St      Customer    NaN    NaN
3  Loomis St & Taylor St      Customer    NaN    NaN
4  Halsted St & James M Rochford St  Customer    NaN    NaN
```

```
[5]: df.dtypes
```

```
[5]: trip_id            int64
      starttime         object
      stoptime          object
      bikeid            int64
      tripduration      int64
      from_station_id   int64
      from_station_name object
      to_station_id     int64
      to_station_name   object
      usertype          object
      gender            object
      birthday          float64
      dtype: object
```

The `starttime` and `stoptime` columns are in string format. This has to be changed to datetime in the Process phase.

```
[6]: for i, column in enumerate(['usertype', 'gender']):
      i = i+1
      print('unique values for ', column, df[column].unique())
```

```
unique values for usertype ['Customer' 'Subscriber']
unique values for gender [nan 'Male' 'Female']
```

According to my immediate stakeholder, the `gender` and `birthday` contain null values, because those columns don't contain data from customer (casual) riders.

1.4 Process

The Process phase deals with data cleaning, which is basically making the data more useful for analyses.

```
[7]: df['starttime'] = pd.to_datetime(df['starttime'])
      df['stoptime'] = pd.to_datetime(df['stoptime'])
```

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[8]: df['month'] = df['starttime'].dt.month_name()
      df['day_of_week'] = df['starttime'].dt.day_name()
      df['time_of_day'] = df['starttime'].dt.time
      df['hour'] = df['starttime'].dt.hour
```

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[9]: df.dtypes
```

```
[9]: trip_id            int64
      starttime         datetime64[ns]
      stoptime          datetime64[ns]
      bikeid            int64
      tripduration      int64
      from_station_id   int64
```

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from_station_name    object
to_station_id        int64
to_station_name      object
usertype             object
gender               object
birthday             float64
month                object
day_of_week          object
time_of_day          object
hour                 int64
dtype: object

```

I set an order for months and day of week to follow, if this is not done Python would arrange any aggregations done in alphabetic order, which will lead to confusing visuals.

```

[10]: from pandas.api.types import CategoricalDtype
cats_day = ['Monday', 'Tuesday', 'Wednesday', 'Thursday', 'Friday', 'Saturday', 'Sunday']
cat_type = CategoricalDtype(categories=cats_day, ordered=True)
df['day_of_week'] = df['day_of_week'].astype(cat_type)

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[11]: cats_month = ['June', 'July', 'August', 'September', 'October', 'November', 'December']
cat_type2 = CategoricalDtype(categories=cats_month, ordered=True)
df['month'] = df['month'].astype(cat_type2)

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[12]: df.head()

```

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[12]:   trip_id      starttime      stoptime  bikeid  tripduration \
0      4118  2013-06-27 12:11:00  2013-06-27 12:16:00      480      316
1      4275  2013-06-27 14:44:00  2013-06-27 14:45:00       77       64
2      4291  2013-06-27 14:58:00  2013-06-27 15:05:00       77      433
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```

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      to_station_name  usertype  gender  birthday  month \
0  Larrabee St & Menomonee St  Customer   NaN      NaN  June
1  Racine Ave & Congress Pkwy  Customer   NaN      NaN  June
2      Loomis St & Taylor St  Customer   NaN      NaN  June
3      Loomis St & Taylor St  Customer   NaN      NaN  June

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4 Halsted St & James M Rochford St Customer NaN NaN June
```

```
   day_of_week time_of_day hour
0   Thursday   12:11:00    12
1   Thursday   14:44:00    14
2   Thursday   14:58:00    14
3   Thursday   15:06:00    15
4   Thursday   15:13:00    15
```

The data set was relatively clean, after changing some columns to datetime format and setting standards for our month and day of week columns, it is time to go into the Analysis phase of the project.

1.5 Analysis

For this phase of the project, I tried to find relationships by aggregating columns in the data set, which I will visualize in the Share phase of this project.

```
[13]: df_1 = df.groupby(['usertype'])['trip_id'].count().to_frame()
      df_1
```

```
[13]:      trip_id
      usertype
Customer    356752
Subscriber  403036
```

```
[14]: df_2 = df.groupby(['usertype'])['tripduration'].mean().to_frame()
      df_2
```

```
[14]:      tripduration
      usertype
Customer    1824.054727
Subscriber    722.018892
```

```
[15]: df_3 = df.groupby(['month', 'usertype'])['trip_id'].count().to_frame()
      df_3.reset_index(inplace=True)
      df_3
```

```
[15]:      month  usertype  trip_id
0     June   Customer    3120
1     June Subscriber     885
2     July   Customer   51548
3     July Subscriber   23319
4   August   Customer  110101
5   August Subscriber   60407
6 September   Customer  105335
7 September Subscriber   95695
```

8	October	Customer	64201
9	October	Subscriber	110494
10	November	Customer	18065
11	November	Subscriber	71945
12	December	Customer	4382
13	December	Subscriber	40291

```
[16]: df_4 = df.groupby(['day_of_week', 'usertype'])['trip_id'].count().to_frame()
df_4.reset_index(inplace=True)
df_4
```

```
[16]:   day_of_week  usertype  trip_id
0      Monday    Customer    41866
1      Monday  Subscriber    64042
2      Tuesday    Customer    32807
3      Tuesday  Subscriber    69896
4  Wednesday    Customer    30221
5  Wednesday  Subscriber    66828
6   Thursday    Customer    33599
7   Thursday  Subscriber    63272
8     Friday    Customer    47721
9     Friday  Subscriber    67643
10  Saturday    Customer    90575
11  Saturday  Subscriber    38862
12    Sunday    Customer    79963
13    Sunday  Subscriber    32493
```

```
[17]: df_5 = df.groupby(['day_of_week', 'usertype'])['tripduration'].mean().to_frame()
df_5.reset_index(inplace=True)
df_5
```

```
[17]:   day_of_week  usertype  tripduration
0      Monday    Customer    1765.949123
1      Monday  Subscriber     708.334952
2      Tuesday    Customer    1656.959399
3      Tuesday  Subscriber     702.288128
4  Wednesday    Customer    1671.559942
5  Wednesday  Subscriber     698.994823
6   Thursday    Customer    1780.871484
7   Thursday  Subscriber     711.272111
8     Friday    Customer    1796.688502
9     Friday  Subscriber     713.068906
10  Saturday    Customer    1921.553784
11  Saturday  Subscriber     800.801143
12    Sunday    Customer    1904.704163
13    Sunday  Subscriber     784.119626
```

```
[18]: df_6 = df.groupby(['month', 'usertype'])['tripduration'].mean().to_frame()
df_6.reset_index(inplace=True)
df_6
```

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[18]:
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	month	usertype	tripduration
0	June	Customer	2284.595192
1	June	Subscriber	1465.116384
2	July	Customer	2198.832855
3	July	Subscriber	851.450748
4	August	Customer	1886.985613
5	August	Subscriber	786.317463
6	September	Customer	1742.548061
7	September	Subscriber	756.803417
8	October	Customer	1628.405663
9	October	Subscriber	698.240438
10	November	Customer	1535.432937
11	November	Subscriber	645.155327
12	December	Customer	1521.822912
13	December	Subscriber	654.228910

```
[19]: df_7 = df.groupby(['hour', 'usertype'])['trip_id'].count().to_frame()
df_7.reset_index(inplace=True)
df_7.head()
```

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[19]:
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	hour	usertype	trip_id
0	0	Customer	4591
1	0	Subscriber	2714
2	1	Customer	2903
3	1	Subscriber	1582
4	2	Customer	1954

```
[20]: df_8 = df.groupby(['hour', 'usertype'])['tripduration'].mean().to_frame()
df_8.reset_index(inplace=True)
df_8.head()
```

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[20]:
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	hour	usertype	tripduration
0	0	Customer	1926.543455
1	0	Subscriber	772.408622
2	1	Customer	2013.688254
3	1	Subscriber	696.296460
4	2	Customer	2198.434493

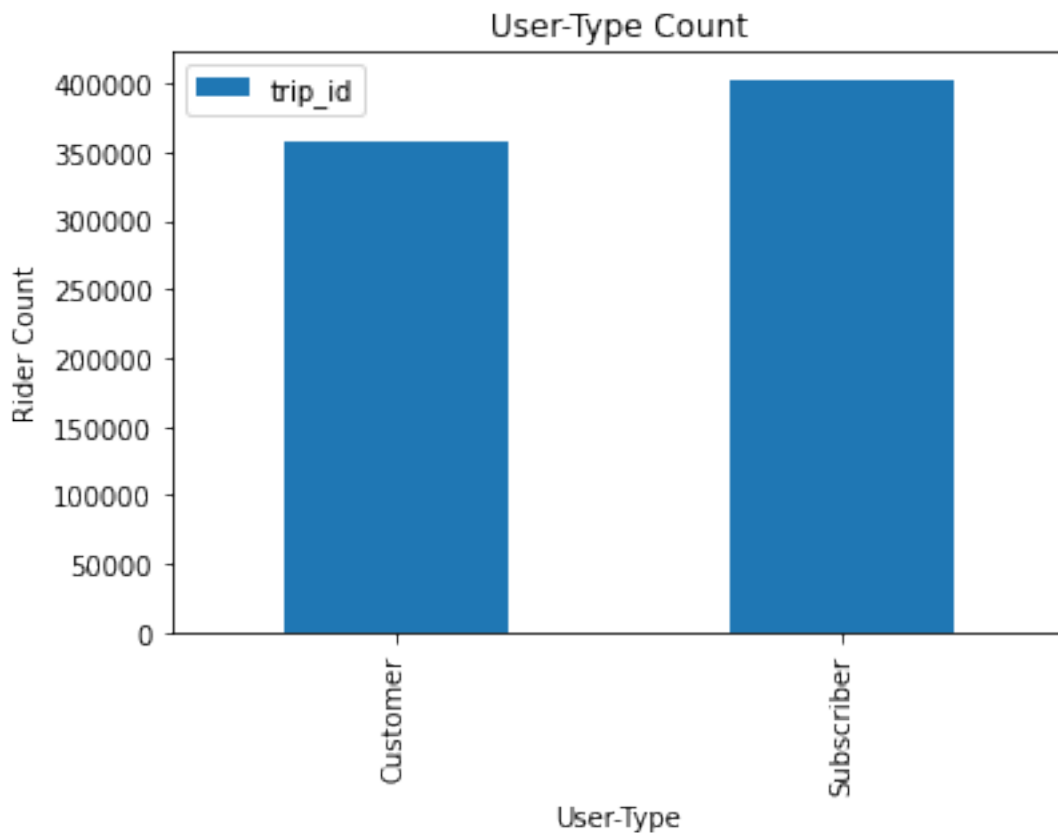
1.6 Share

The Share phase of this project includes making visuals from my analysis that help stakeholders understand my findings

```
[21]: plt.figure(figsize=(10,5))
df_1.plot.bar()
plt.title('User-Type Count')
plt.ylabel('Rider Count')
plt.xlabel('User-Type')
```

```
[21]: Text(0.5, 0, 'User-Type')
```

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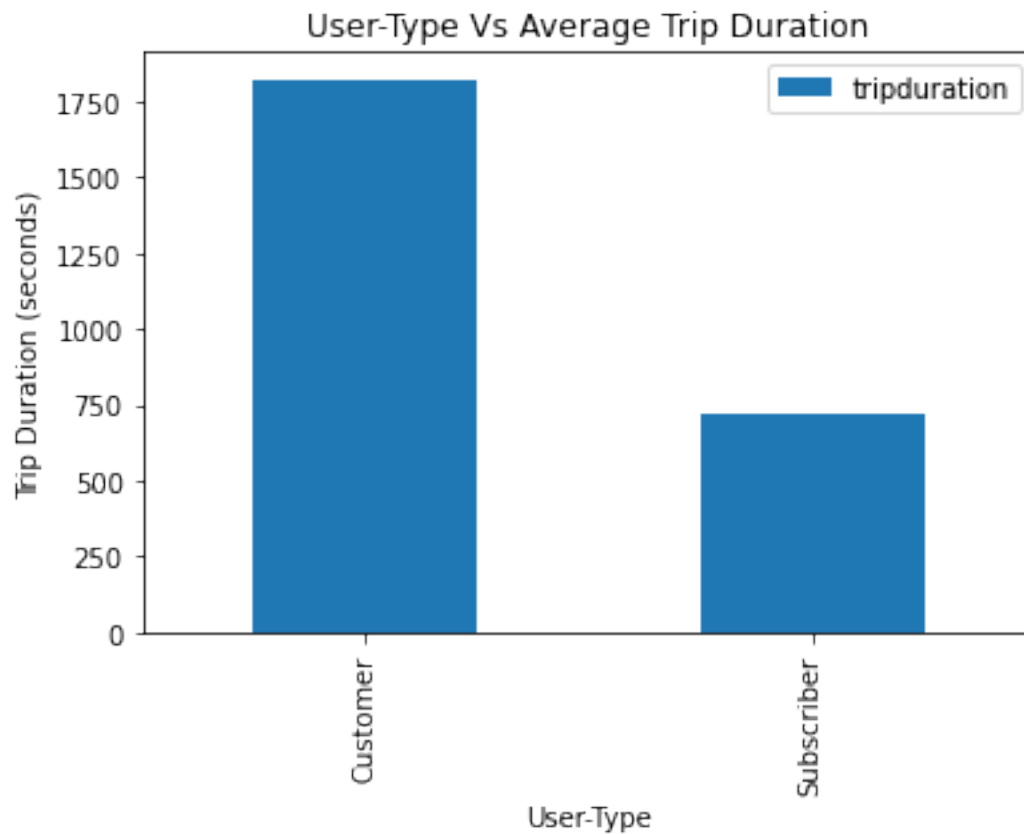


As expected the number of subscriber riders exceed that of the casual riders, I did some aggregation to discover behaviors between the two categories.

```
[22]: plt.figure(figsize=(10,5))
df_2.plot.bar()
plt.title('User-Type Vs Average Trip Duration')
plt.ylabel('Trip Duration (seconds)')
plt.xlabel('User-Type')
```

```
[22]: Text(0.5, 0, 'User-Type')
```

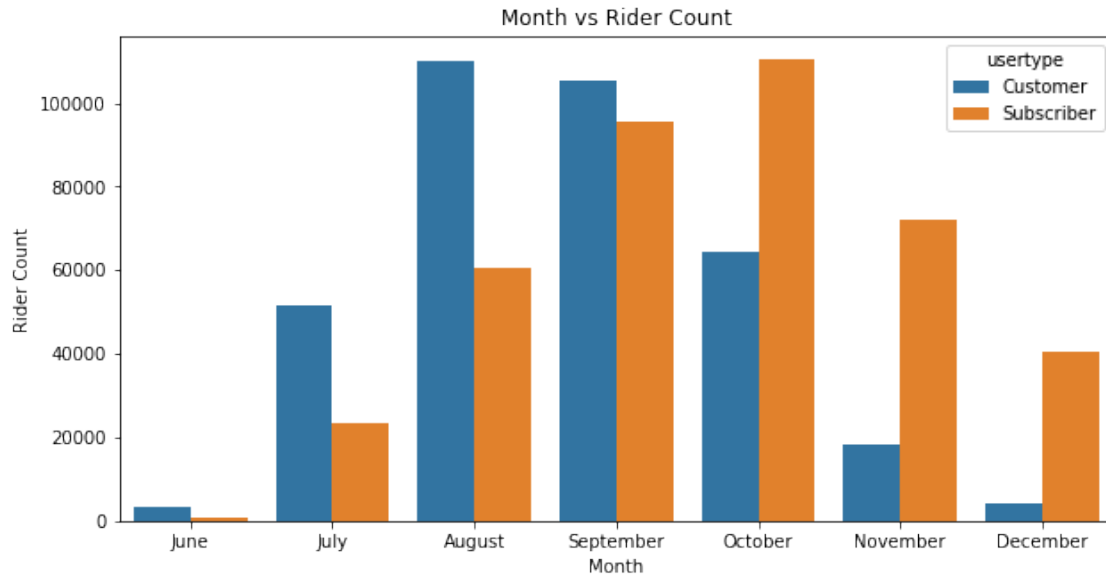

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Suprising to see that customer(casual) riders spend more time on average riding bikes than subscriber riders.

```
[23]: plt.figure(figsize=(10,5))
sns.barplot(x='month', y='trip_id', data=df_3, hue='usertype')
plt.title('Month vs Rider Count')
plt.ylabel('Rider Count')
plt.xlabel('Month')
```

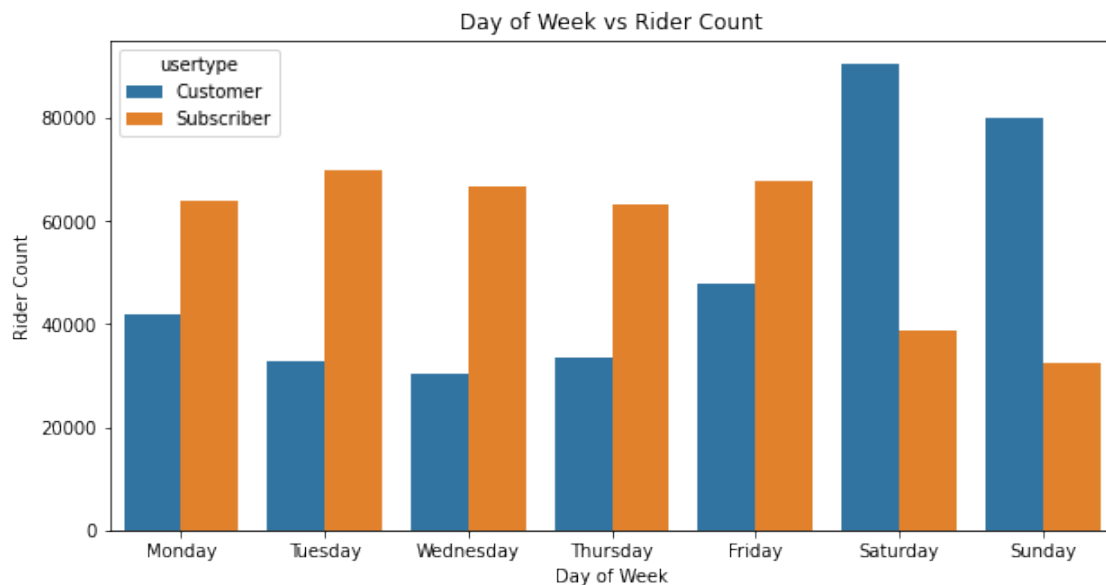
```
[23]: Text(0.5, 0, 'Month')
```



In the months of June, July, August and September Casual riders were more than Subscribers, but from October to December the Subscribers were almost double the amount of Casual in every month.

```
[24]: plt.figure(figsize=(10,5))
sns.barplot(x='day_of_week', y='trip_id', data=df_4, hue='usertype')
plt.title('Day of Week vs Rider Count')
plt.ylabel('Rider Count')
plt.xlabel('Day of Week')
```

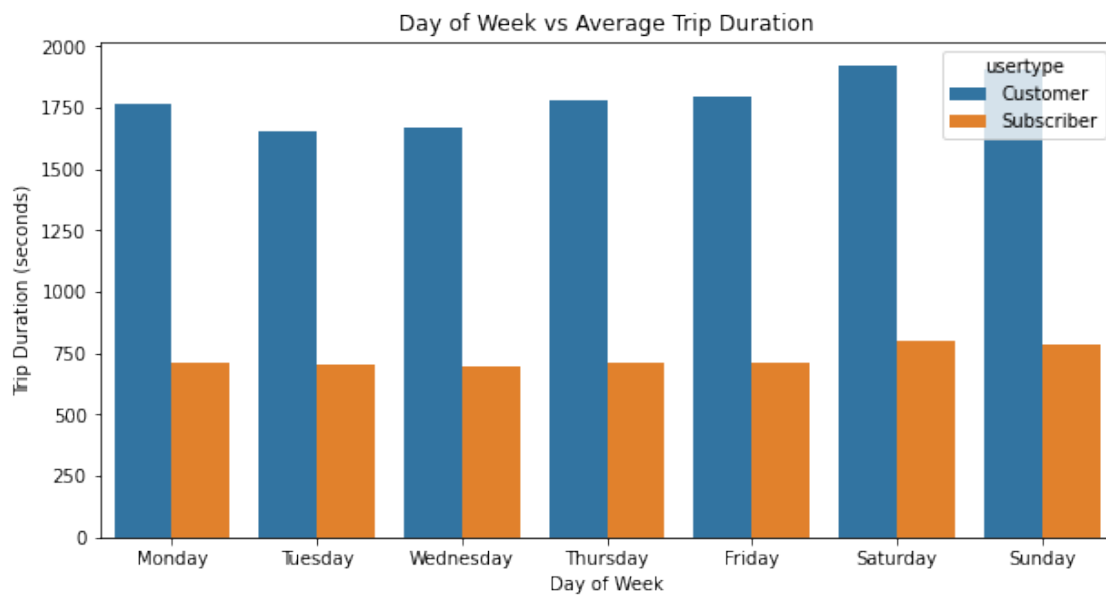
```
[24]: Text(0.5, 0, 'Day of Week')
```



On the week days Subscriber riders spend more time on bikes than Casual riders, while in the weekend Casual riders double Subscribers numbers.

```
[25]: plt.figure(figsize=(10,5))
sns.barplot(x='day_of_week', y='tripduration', data=df_5, hue='usertype')
plt.title('Day of Week vs Average Trip Duration')
plt.ylabel('Trip Duration (seconds)')
plt.xlabel('Day of Week')
```

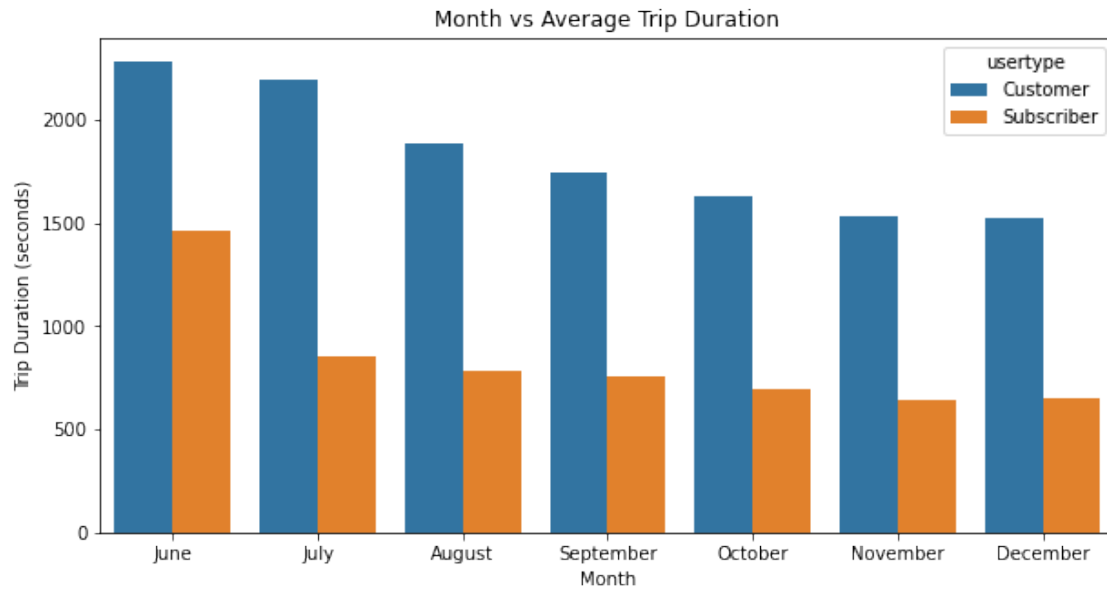
```
[25]: Text(0.5, 0, 'Day of Week')
```



Casual riders spend more time on bikes every day of the week than Subscribers, even though there are more Subscriber riders in the week day than Casual riders.

```
[26]: plt.figure(figsize=(10,5))
sns.barplot(x='month', y='tripduration', data=df_6, hue='usertype')
plt.title('Month vs Average Trip Duration')
plt.ylabel('Trip Duration (seconds)')
plt.xlabel('Month')
```

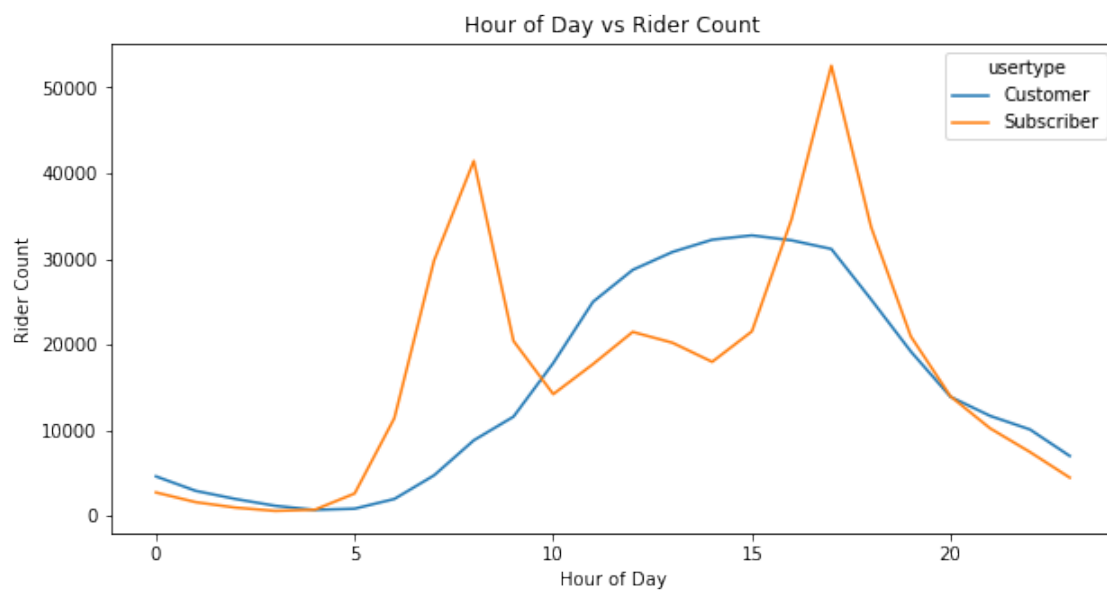
```
[26]: Text(0.5, 0, 'Month')
```



On average Casual riders spend more time on bikes than Subscriber riders in every month, in many instances they even spend double the times of Subscribers.

```
[27]: plt.figure(figsize=(10,5))
sns.lineplot(x='hour', y='trip_id', data=df_7, hue='usertype')
plt.title('Hour of Day vs Rider Count')
plt.ylabel('Rider Count')
plt.xlabel('Hour of Day')
```

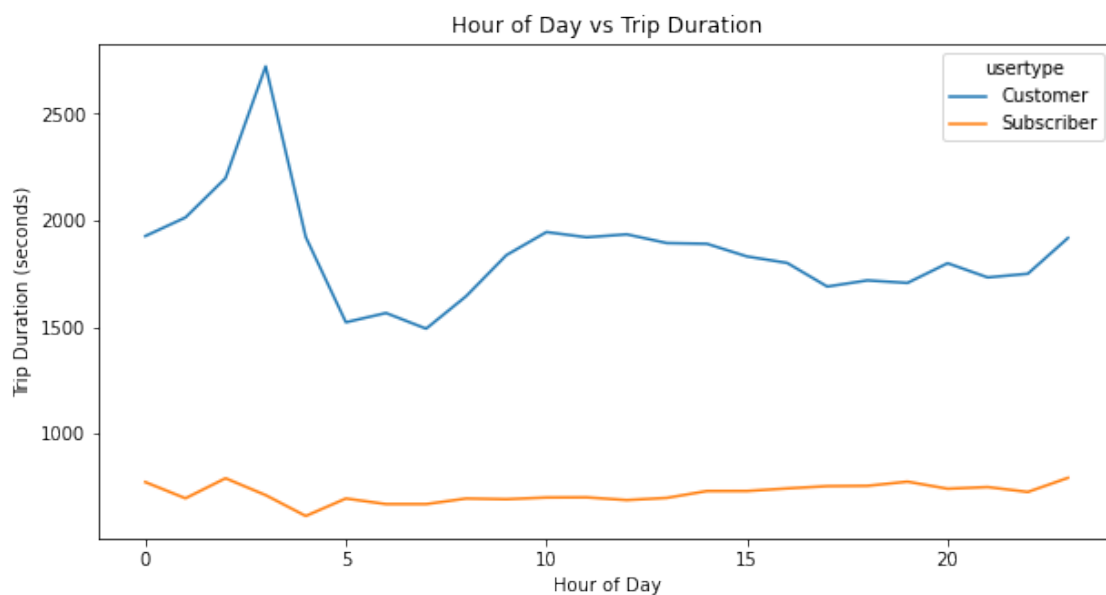
```
[27]: Text(0.5, 0, 'Hour of Day')
```



From the hours between 08:00 - 20:00 there's a rise in the number of Casual riders, while for the Subscribers most use comes between 06:00 - 09:00, 11:00 - 14:00 and then again between 16:00 - 19:00.

```
[28]: plt.figure(figsize=(10,5))
sns.lineplot(x='hour', y='tripduration', data=df_8, hue='usertype')
plt.title('Hour of Day vs Trip Duration')
plt.ylabel('Trip Duration (seconds)')
plt.xlabel('Hour of Day')
```

```
[28]: Text(0.5, 0, 'Hour of Day')
```



There is a clear difference between the ride duration of Casual and Subscriber riders, Subscriber riders spend around 700 seconds on average during trips, while Casual riders spend 2,000 seconds on average during trips.

1.7 Act

The objective of this portion of the project is to make decisions based on the findings from our analysis. My stakeholder has asked for 3 data driven suggestions that can see Customer riders become subscribers.

1. The marketing team can aid in developing advertisements meant to captivate Casual riders to obtain subscriptions. From the data I would think a summer and weekend themed advert would be the best angle to explore.

2. Discounts and Free trials should be explored as an option to reduce the number of Casual riders.
3. Create competitions using social media as a means which will create awareness to potential subscribers.

```
[29]: %%capture
      !wget -nc https://raw.githubusercontent.com/brpy/colab-pdf/master/colab_pdf.py
      from colab_pdf import colab_pdf
      colab_pdf('Cyclist Bike-Share.ipynb')
```