# Cyclistic Riders Tendencies: Member vs Casual

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# Who is Cyclistic?

## Cyclistic Business Model

- Single-ride passes for \$3 per 30-minute trip
- Full day passes for \$15 per day for unlimited three hours rides in a 24 hour period
- Annual memberships for \$99 per year for unlimited 45 minute rides
- \$0.15 per minute charge when single rides exceed the maximum time allowance

# **Purpose Statement**

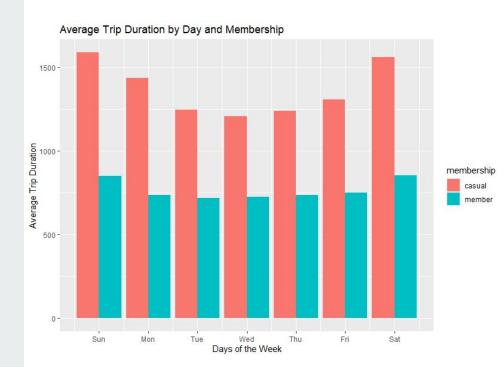
# **Objective**

Identify the differences in how our annual members and casual riders use Cyclistic bikes to support our marketing push to increase membership

# The Data

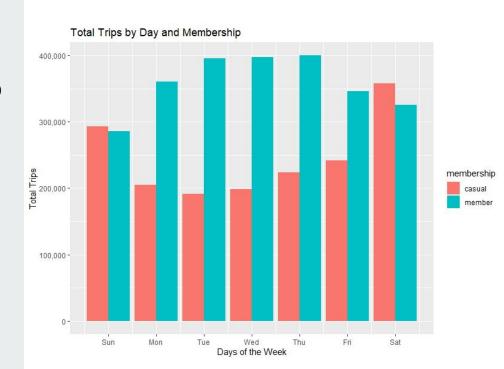
## **Average Trip Durations**

- Casual riders ride for longer durations on average
- Members are more likely to ride for shorter durations



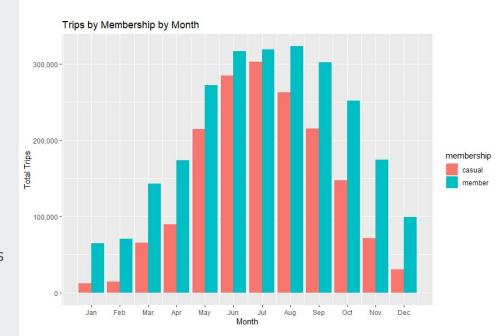
### **Total Daily Trips by Membership**

- Casual riders are most active during the weekend
- Members are most active during the week
- Members take more trips than casual riders



# Total Monthly Trips by Membership

- Casual riders are most active during warmer months
- Members are most active during warmer months



# **Conclusions**

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Casual riders ride for longer durations, on average, than members.

Casual riders, however, take fewer trips than members.

Casual riders are more active during the warmer months and on the weekends.

Casual riders average trip duration is approximately 26 minutes; \*this may indicate that the \$3 pass is the most popular option

Based on these conclusions, we can assume that the casual rider, on average, does not see the value in an annual membership based on their current usage of Cyclistic's services.

<sup>\*</sup>further analysis may be needed

### **Solutions**

### **Expand Membership Benefits/Reduce Price**

To entice casual riders to upgrade to a membership, consider the following:

- Ride time increases (1 hour, up from 45min)
- Limited number of \$3 passes on weekends to give to friends/family
- Special discounts on day passes for casual riders who ride with a member
- Reduce annual cost (Currently \$99 per year)

#### Create a Monthly Membership Plan

A monthly membership plan can provide casual riders with the flexibility to pay only during the months they ride.

- Partner with music venues, sports venues, and other cultural festivals to give benefits to members, to entice casual riders to sign up during the summer months.
- Consider food and drink vouchers for members attending a sports game, or reduced ticket prices on select seating
- Special discounts on day passes for casual riders who ride with a member attending an event.

# **Appendix**

## Aggregate Tables (Mean and Median)

÷	df\$membership	df\$day_of_week	df\$trip_duration
1	casual	1	1588.7415 secs
13	casual	7	1560.7869 secs
3	casual	2	1437.0397 secs
11	casual	6	1306.3334 secs
5	casual	3	1248.4664 secs
9	casual	5	1240.3591 secs
7	casual	4	1208.2288 secs
14	member	7	853.6176 secs
2	member	1	849.2829 secs
12	member	6	748.0353 secs
10	member	5	736.6014 secs
4	member	2	734.2230 secs
8	member	4	725.7085 secs
6	member	3	719.2905 secs

÷	df\$membership	df\$day_of_week	df\$trip_duration
1	casual	1	992
13	casual	7	984
3	casual	2	852
11	casual	6	813
9	casual	5	762
5	casual	3	749
7	casual	4	744
14	member	7	626
2	member	1	613
12	member	6	550
10	member	5	547
8	member	4	543
4	member	2	536
6	member	3	535

### **Total Daily Trips by Membership**

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   membership day_of_week number_of_rides average_duration
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 2 casual
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 3 casual
 4 casual
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 5 casual
                                   224008 1240.3591 secs
                                   242085 1306.3334 secs
 6 casual
                                    357430 1560.7869 secs
7 casual
 8 member
                                    286054 849.2829 secs
 9 member
                                           734.2230 secs
                                    360567
10 member
                                    395644
                                           719.2905 secs
11 member
                                           725.7085 secs
                                    397067
12 member
                                    399780
                                           736,6014 secs
13 member
                                    346081
                                           748.0353 secs
14 member
                                    325211
                                           853,6176 secs
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## **Total Daily Trips by Membership (Percent Change)**

**Casual(Percent):** Sun(0%) -> Mon(-30%) -> Tue(-7%) -> Wed(+4%) -> Thu(+13%) -> Fri(+8%) -> Sat(+48%)

**Casual(Count):** Sun(293010) -> Mon(205069) -> Tue(191246) -> Wed(198172) -> Thu(224008) -> Fri(242085) -> Sat(357430)

**Member(Percent):** Sun(0%) -> Mon(+26%) -> Tue(+10%) -> Wed(0%) -> Thu(+1%) -> Fri(-13%) -> Sat(-6%)

**Member(Count):** Sun(286054) -> Mon(360567) -> Tue(395644) -> Wed(397067) -> Thu(399780) -> Fri(346081) -> Sat(325211)

