

Pedalling Forward: The Evolution of Dedicated Cycling Infrastructure in Canadian Cities from 2010 to 2022

R Code for Preprocessing Raw Data prepared by Konrad Samsel

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Libraries

Install R libraries if needed.

```
install.packages("rmarkdown")
install.packages("bookdown")
install.packages("knitr")
install.packages("tidyverse")
install.packages("readxl")
install.packages("sf")
install.packages("lwgeom")
```

Load R libraries.

```
library(readxl)
library(sf)
library(tidyverse)
```

Data

Read in the raw data for each city.

Vancouver Raw Data

Calgary Raw Data

Toronto Raw Data

```
toron_raw <- st_read("../data/raw/toronto/Toronto AS Export/Toronto_AS_1323.shp")
```

```
## Reading layer `Toronto_AS_1323' from data source
##   `/Users/rrwen/Desktop/recover-infracycle/data/raw/toronto/Toronto AS Export/Toronto_AS_1323.shp'
##   using driver `ESRI Shapefile'
## Simple feature collection with 1323 features and 66 fields
## Geometry type: MULTILINESTRING
## Dimension:      XY
## Bounding box:   xmin: -79.63039 ymin: 43.58221 xmax: -79.11803 ymax: 43.85546
## Geodetic CRS:   WGS 84
```

```
toron_raw
```

```
## Simple feature collection with 1323 features and 66 fields
## Geometry type: MULTILINESTRING
## Dimension:      XY
## Bounding box:   xmin: -79.63039 ymin: 43.58221 xmax: -79.11803 ymax: 43.85546
## Geodetic CRS:   WGS 84
## First 10 features:
```

##	X_id1	OBJECTID	SEGMENT3	INSTALL4	UPGRADE5	PRE_AMA6	STREET_7
## 1	8	8	8	2001	2021	<NA>	Bloor St E
## 2	17	17	17	2001	2015	<NA>	Lake Shore Blvd W
## 3	18	18	18	2001	2015	<NA>	Lake Shore Blvd W
## 4	19	19	19	2001	2015	<NA>	Lake Shore Blvd W
## 5	38	38	38	2001	0	<NA>	Queens Quay W
## 6	39	39	39	2001	2016	<NA>	Davenport Rd
## 7	40	40	40	2001	2016	<NA>	Elizabeth St
## 8	41	41	41	2001	0	<NA>	Gerrard St E
## 9	42	42	42	2001	2016	<NA>	Macpherson Ave
## 10	43	43	43	2001	2016	<NA>	Lake Shore Blvd W

```
##
```

##	FROM_ST8	TO_STRE9	ROADCLA10	CNPCLAS11	SURFACE12
## 1	Parliament St	Castle Frank Rd	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>
## 2	Humber Bay Park Rd W	Humber Bay Park East Trl	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>
## 3	37 M E Fleeceline Rd	Humber Bay Park Rd W	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>
## 4	50.7 M E Louisa St	37 M E Fleeceline Rd	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>
## 5	Martin Goodman Trl	Bathurst St	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>
## 6	Cottingham Rd	Macpherson Ave	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>
## 7	College St	Gerrard St W	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>
## 8	Yonge St	Church St	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>
## 9	Davenport Rd	Poplar Plains Rd	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>
## 10	Marine Parade Dr	Palace Pier Crt	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>

```
##
```

##	OWNER13	DIR_LOW14	INFRA_L15	SEPA_LO16	SEPB_LO17	ORIG_LO18
## 1	<NA>	<NA>	Cycle Track	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>
## 2	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>
## 3	<NA>	<NA>	Bike Lane	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>

## 4	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>
## 5	<NA>	<NA>	Bi-Directional Cycle Track	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>
## 6	<NA>	<NA>	Bike Lane	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>
## 7	<NA>	<NA>	Bike Lane	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>
## 8	<NA>	<NA>	Cycle Track	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>
## 9	<NA>	<NA>	Bike Lane	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>
## 10	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>
##	DIR_HIG19		INFRA_H20	SEPA_HI21	SEPB_HI22	ORIG_HI23
## 1	<NA>		Cycle Track	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>
## 2	<NA>		Bike Lane	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>
## 3	<NA>		Bike Lane	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>
## 4	<NA>		Bike Lane	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>
## 5	<NA>		Bi-Directional Cycle Track	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>
## 6	<NA>		Bike Lane	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>
## 7	<NA>		Bike Lane	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>
## 8	<NA>		Cycle Track	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>
## 9	<NA>		Bike Lane	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>
## 10	<NA>		Bike Lane	<NA>	<NA>	<NA>
##	EDITOR25	LAST_ED26	UPGRADE27	CONVERT28	OBJ2	ID_SEAN
## 1	<NA>	2023-01-16T19:53:01	<NA>	0	8	2676
## 2	<NA>	2023-01-16T19:53:01	<NA>	<NA>	17	2685
## 3	<NA>	2023-01-16T19:53:01	<NA>	<NA>	18	2686
## 4	<NA>	2023-01-16T19:53:01	<NA>	<NA>	19	2687
## 5	<NA>	2023-01-16T19:53:01	<NA>	2015	38	NA
## 6	<NA>	2023-01-16T19:53:01	<NA>	<NA>	39	2707
## 7	<NA>	2023-01-16T19:53:01	<NA>	<NA>	40	2708
## 8	<NA>	2023-01-16T19:53:01	<NA>	2016	41	NA
## 9	<NA>	2023-01-16T19:53:01	<NA>	<NA>	42	2710
## 10	<NA>	2023-01-16T19:53:01	<NA>	<NA>	43	2711
##	C_UPGR_YR		C_INFRA_H			C_INFRA_L
## 1	2021		Cycle Track			Cycle Track
## 2	2015		Bike Lane			NA
## 3	2015		Bike Lane			Bike Lane
## 4	2015		Bike Lane			NA
## 5	0		Bi-Directional Cycle Track	Bi-Directional		Cycle Track
## 6	2016		Bike Lane			Bike Lane
## 7	2016		Bike Lane			Bike Lane
## 8	0		Cycle Track			Cycle Track
## 9	2016		Bike Lane			Bike Lane
## 10	2016		Bike Lane			NA
##		C_REV	C_CONVERT	LENGTH_M		STR_NAME
## 1	2023-01-16T19:53:01	0	326.39321			Bloor St E
## 2	2023-01-16T19:53:01	NA	236.53458			Lake Shore Blvd W
## 3	2023-01-16T19:53:01	NA	225.95587			Lake Shore Blvd W
## 4	2023-01-16T19:53:01	NA	112.81407			Lake Shore Blvd W
## 5	2023-01-16T19:53:01	2015	225.35235			Queens Quay W
## 6	2023-01-16T19:53:01	NA	179.40185			Davenport Rd
## 7	2023-01-16T19:53:01	NA	272.55179			Elizabeth St
## 8	2023-01-16T19:53:01	2016	301.12641			Gerrard St E
## 9	2023-01-16T19:53:01	NA	59.63888			Macpherson Ave
## 10	2023-01-16T19:53:01	NA	157.84926			Lake Shore Blvd W
##		FROM_STR		TO_STR	EXCL_FLAG	CHECK_FLAG
## 1		Parliament St		Castle Frank Rd	NA	NA
## 2		Humber Bay Park Rd W		Humber Bay Park East Trl	NA	NA

```

## 3 37 M E Fleeceline Rd      Humber Bay Park Rd W      NA      NA
## 4 50.7 M E Louisa St      37 M E Fleeceline Rd      NA      NA
## 5 Martin Goodman Trl      Bathurst St      NA      NA
## 6 Cottingham Rd      Macpherson Ave      NA      NA
## 7 College St      Gerrard St W      NA      NA
## 8 Yonge St      Church St      NA      NA
## 9 Davenport Rd      Poplar Plains Rd      NA      NA
## 10 Marine Parade Dr      Palace Pier Crt      NA      NA
##
## 1
## 2
## 3
## 4
## 5
## 6
## 7          PL with diamond marking also functioning as parking shoulder; SV Sep 2007: https://www
## 8
## 9 Street segment is an intersection core where all three street merge, May2019 SV: https://www.goog
## 10
##      INST_YR      INST_DATE INST_TYPE INST_TMAJ INST_TMIN
## 1      2001      Pre-2007      PL      PL      PL
## 2      2015      NA      PL      PL      PL
## 3      2015      NA      PL      PL      PL
## 4      2015      NA      PL      PL      PL
## 5      2009      Pre-2009      PL      PL      PL
## 6      2007      Pre-2007      PL      PL      PL
## 7      2007 pre Sep 2007      PL      PL      PL
## 8      2007 pre Sep 2007      PL      PL      PL
## 9      2007 pre Sep 2007      PL      PL      PL
## 10     2016 May-Nov 2016      PL      PL      PL
##
## 1
## 2 Painted Lane: https://www.google.com/maps/@43.621083,-79.4826483,3a,75y,18.21h,88.06t/data=!3m8!1s
## 3 Painted Lane: https://www.google.com/maps/@43.621083,-79.4826483,3a,75y,18.21h,88.06t/data=!3m8!1s
## 4 Painted Lane: https://www.google.com/maps/@43.621083,-79.4826483,3a,75y,18.21h,88.06t/data=!3m8!1s
## 5 PL installed pre-2009: https://www.google.com/maps/@43.621083,-79.4826483,3a,75y,18.21h,88.06t/data=!3m8!1s
## 6 Pre 2007: https://www.google.com/maps/@43.621083,-79.4826483,3a,75y,18.21h,88.06t/data=!3m8!1s
## 7 PL pre 2007: SV (https://www.google.com/maps/@43.621083,-79.4826483,3a,75y,18.21h,88.06t/data=!3m8!1s)
## 8 Sep 2007 SV: https://www.google.com/maps/@43.621083,-79.4826483,3a,75y,18.21h,88.06t/data=!3m8!1s
## 9 Sep 2007 road signage SV: https://www.google.com/maps/@43.621083,-79.4826483,3a,75y,18.21h,88.06t/data=!3m8!1s
## 10 PL installed between May 2016 and Jul 2017: https://www.google.com/maps/@43.6312765,-79.4755769,3a,75y,18.21h,88.06t/data=!3m8!1s
##      UPR1_YR      UPR1_DATE UPR1_TYPE UPR1_TMAJ UPR1_TMIN
## 1      2021      23-Sep-21      PBL      PBL      PBL
## 2      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA
## 3      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA
## 4      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA
## 5      2015      April-Sept 2015      PBL      PBL      PBL
## 6      2016      NA      PL      PL      PL
## 7      2016      NA      PL      `PL      `PL
## 8      2017 Oct 2016 - Mar 2017      PBL      PBL      PBL
## 9      NA      NA      NA      NA      NA
## 10     NA      NA      NA      NA      NA
##
## 1 PBL upgraded between 2020 and 2021: https://www.google.com/maps/@43.673219,-79.3690773,3a,75y,86.06t/data=!3m8!1s

```

Aug 2017 SV: [https](#)

GEOJSON_I

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## 1	NA	1 MULTILINESTRING ((-79.37123...
## 2	14	0 MULTILINESTRING ((-79.48135...
## 3	14	0 MULTILINESTRING ((-79.48275...
## 4	14	0 MULTILINESTRING ((-79.48513...
## 5	NA	0 MULTILINESTRING ((-79.40061...
## 6	NA	0 MULTILINESTRING ((-79.40369...
## 7	NA	0 MULTILINESTRING ((-79.38642...
## 8	NA	0 MULTILINESTRING ((-79.38212...
## 9	NA	0 MULTILINESTRING ((-79.40298...
## 10	15	0 MULTILINESTRING ((-79.47554...

Preprocess

Preprocess raw data for each city.

Vancouver Preprocessed Data

Calgary Preprocessed Data

Toronto Preprocessed Data

```
# Preprocess data
toron_prep <- toron_raw %>%
  select( # select and rename
    id = OBJECTI2,
    street = STREET_7,
    street_from = FROM_ST8,
    street_to = TO_STRE9,
    install_year = INSTALL4,
    install_type = INFRA_H20, # similar to C_INFRA_H
    verify_install_year = INST_YR,
    verify_install_type = INST_TMIN,
    verify_install_comment = INST_COMM,
    verify_upgrade1_year = UPGR1_YR,
    verify_upgrade1_date = UPGR1_DATE,
    verify_upgrade1_type = UPGR1_TMIN,
    verify_upgrade1_comment = UPGR1_COMM,
    verify_upgrade2_year = UPGR2_YR,
    verify_upgrade2_date = UPGR2_DATE,
    verify_upgrade2_type = UPGR2_TMIN,
    verify_upgrade2_comment = UPGR2_COMM,
    verify_excl_flag = EXCL_FLAG
  ) %>%
  mutate( # data types
    id = as.character(id),
    street = as.character(street),
    street_from = as.character(street_from),
    street_to = as.character(street_to),
    install_year = as.numeric(install_year),
    install_type = as.character(install_type),
    verify_install_year = as.numeric(verify_install_year),
    verify_install_type = as.character(verify_install_type),
    verify_install_comment = as.character(verify_install_comment),
    verify_upgrade1_year = as.numeric(verify_upgrade1_year),
```

```

    verify_upgrade1_date = as.character(verify_upgrade1_date),
    verify_upgrade1_type = as.character(verify_upgrade1_type),
    verify_upgrade1_comment = as.character(verify_upgrade1_comment),
    verify_upgrade2_year = as.numeric(verify_upgrade2_year),
    verify_upgrade2_date = as.character(verify_upgrade2_date),
    verify_upgrade2_type = as.character(verify_upgrade2_type),
    verify_upgrade2_comment = as.character(verify_upgrade2_comment),
    verify_excl_flag = as.character(verify_excl_flag)
  ) %>%
  mutate( # clean values
    install_year = na_if(install_year, 0),
    verify_install_year = na_if(verify_install_year, 0),
    verify_upgrade1_year = na_if(verify_upgrade1_year, 0),
    verify_upgrade2_year = na_if(verify_upgrade2_year, 0)
  ) %>%
  mutate( # create columns
    len_km = as.numeric(st_length(geometry)) / 1000,
    .before = geometry
  )

```

```

## Warning: There were 2 warnings in `stopifnot()`.
## The first warning was:
## i In argument: `verify_upgrade1_year = as.numeric(verify_upgrade1_year)`.
## Caused by warning:
## ! NAs introduced by coercion
## i Run `dplyr::last_dplyr_warnings()` to see the 1 remaining warning.

```

```

# Save geojson
toron_prep %>%
  st_write("../data/toronto_bikeways_v1.geojson", delete_dsn = TRUE)

```

```

## Deleting source '../data/toronto_bikeways_v1.geojson' using driver 'GeoJSON'
## Writing layer 'toronto_bikeways_v1' to data source
## '../data/toronto_bikeways_v1.geojson' using driver 'GeoJSON'
## Writing 1323 features with 19 fields and geometry type Multi Line String.

```

```

# Save csv
# st_read("../data/toronto_bikeways_v1.csv", options = "GEOM_POSSIBLE_NAMES=geometry", crs = "urn:ogc:d
toron_prep %>%
  mutate(
    geometry = st_as_text(geometry),
    geometry_crs = "urn:ogc:def:crs:OGC:1.3:CRS84",
    .before = geometry
  ) %>%
  write_csv("../data/toronto_bikeways_v1.csv", na = "")
toron_prep

```

```

## Simple feature collection with 1323 features and 19 fields
## Geometry type: MULTILINESTRING
## Dimension: XY
## Bounding box: xmin: -79.63039 ymin: 43.58221 xmax: -79.11803 ymax: 43.85546
## Geodetic CRS: WGS 84
## First 10 features:
##   id      street      street_from      street_to
## 1    8    Bloor St E    Parliament St    Castle Frank Rd

```

##	install_year	install_type	verify_install_year
## 1	2001	Cycle Track	2001
## 2	2001	Bike Lane	2015
## 3	2001	Bike Lane	2015
## 4	2001	Bike Lane	2015
## 5	2001	Bi-Directional Cycle Track	2009
## 6	2001	Bike Lane	2007
## 7	2001	Bike Lane	2007
## 8	2001	Cycle Track	2007
## 9	2001	Bike Lane	2007
## 10	2001	Bike Lane	2016

```
##  
## 1 PL pre-2007: https://www.google.com/maps/@43.621083,-79.4826483,3a,75y,18.21h,88.06t/data=!3m8!1e3!  
## 2 Painted Lane: https://www.google.com/maps/@43.621083,-79.4826483,3a,75y,18.21h,88.06t/data=!3m8!1e3!  
## 3 Pain  
## 4 Painted Lane: https://www.google.com/maps/@43.621083,-79.4826483,3a,75y,18.21h,88.06t/data=!3m8!1e3!  
## 5 PL installed pre-2009: https://www.google.com/maps/@43.621083,-79.4826483,3a,75y,18.21h,88.06t/data=!3m8!1e3!  
## 6 Pre 2007: https://www.google.com/maps/@43.621083,-79.4826483,3a,75y,18.21h,88.06t/data=!3m8!1e3!  
## 7 PL pre 2007: SV (https://www.google.com/maps/@43.621083,-79.4826483,3a,75y,18.21h,88.06t/data=!3m8!1e3!)  
## 8 Sep 2007 SV: https://www.google.com/maps/@43.621083,-79.4826483,3a,75y,18.21h,88.06t/data=!3m8!1e3!  
## 9 Sep 2007 road signage SV: https://www.google.com/maps/@43.621083,-79.4826483,3a,75y,18.21h,88.06t/data=!3m8!1e3!  
## 10 PL installed between May 2016 and Jul 2017: https://www.google.com/maps/@43.6312765,-79.4755769,3a,75y,18.21h,88.06t/data=!3m8!1e3!
```

##


```

## 1 PBL upgraded between 2020 and 2021: https://www.google.com/maps/@43.673219,-79.3690773,3a,75y,86.
## 2
## 3
## 4
## 5 PBL upgrade April - Sept 2015: https://www.google.com/maps/@43.673219,-79.3690773,3a,75y,86.
## 6
## 7
## 8 Aug 2017 SV: https://www.google.com/maps/@43.673219,-79.3690773,3a,75y,86.
## 9
## 10
## verify_upgrade2_year verify_upgrade2_date verify_upgrade2_type
## 1 NA NA NA
## 2 NA NA NA
## 3 NA NA NA
## 4 NA NA NA
## 5 NA NA NA
## 6 NA NA NA
## 7 NA NA NA
## 8 NA NA NA
## 9 NA NA NA
## 10 NA NA NA
## verify_upgrade2_comment verify_excl_flag len_km
## 1 NA NA 0.32600563
## 2 NA NA 0.23653384
## 3 NA NA 0.22555382
## 4 NA NA 0.11266642
## 5 NA NA 0.22502464
## 6 NA NA 0.17923435
## 7 NA NA 0.27268584
## 8 NA NA 0.30039368
## 9 NA NA 0.05949573
## 10 NA NA 0.15769752
## geometry
## 1 MULTILINESTRING ((-79.37123...
## 2 MULTILINESTRING ((-79.48135...
## 3 MULTILINESTRING ((-79.48275...
## 4 MULTILINESTRING ((-79.48513...
## 5 MULTILINESTRING ((-79.40061...
## 6 MULTILINESTRING ((-79.40369...
## 7 MULTILINESTRING ((-79.38642...
## 8 MULTILINESTRING ((-79.38212...
## 9 MULTILINESTRING ((-79.40298...
## 10 MULTILINESTRING ((-79.47554...

```

R Version

R and RMarkdown in RStudio was used to generate this document.

```

##
## platform x86_64-apple-darwin20
## arch x86_64
## os darwin20
## system x86_64, darwin20
## status

```

```
## major          4
## minor          3.1
## year           2023
## month          06
## day            16
## svn rev        84548
## language       R
## version.string R version 4.3.1 (2023-06-16)
## nickname       Beagle Scouts
```

R Code

The full R code is provided below.

```
knitr::opts_chunk$set(echo = TRUE)
install.packages("rmarkdown")
install.packages("bookdown")
install.packages("knitr")
install.packages("tidyverse")
install.packages("readxl")
install.packages("sf")
install.packages("lwgeom")
library(readxl)
library(sf)
library(tidyverse)
toron_raw <- st_read("../data/raw/toronto/Toronto AS Export/Toronto_AS_1323.shp")
toron_raw

# Preprocess data
toron_prep <- toron_raw %>%
  select( # select and rename
    id = OBJECTID,
    street = STREET_7,
    street_from = FROM_ST8,
    street_to = TO_STRE9,
    install_year = INSTALL4,
    install_type = INFRA_H20, # similar to C_INFRA_H
    verify_install_year = INST_YR,
    verify_install_type = INST_TMIN,
    verify_install_comment = INST_COMM,
    verify_upgrade1_year = UPGR1_YR,
    verify_upgrade1_date = UPGR1_DATE,
    verify_upgrade1_type = UPGR1_TMIN,
    verify_upgrade1_comment = UPGR1_COMM,
    verify_upgrade2_year = UPGR2_YR,
    verify_upgrade2_date = UPGR2_DATE,
    verify_upgrade2_type = UPGR2_TMIN,
    verify_upgrade2_comment = UPGR2_COMM,
    verify_excl_flag = EXCL_FLAG
  ) %>%
  mutate( # data types
    id = as.character(id),
    street = as.character(street),
    street_from = as.character(street_from),
```

```

    street_to = as.character(street_to),
    install_year = as.numeric(install_year),
    install_type = as.character(install_type),
    verify_install_year = as.numeric(verify_install_year),
    verify_install_type = as.character(verify_install_type),
    verify_install_comment = as.character(verify_install_comment),
    verify_upgrade1_year = as.numeric(verify_upgrade1_year),
    verify_upgrade1_date = as.character(verify_upgrade1_date),
    verify_upgrade1_type = as.character(verify_upgrade1_type),
    verify_upgrade1_comment = as.character(verify_upgrade1_comment),
    verify_upgrade2_year = as.numeric(verify_upgrade2_year),
    verify_upgrade2_date = as.character(verify_upgrade2_date),
    verify_upgrade2_type = as.character(verify_upgrade2_type),
    verify_upgrade2_comment = as.character(verify_upgrade2_comment),
    verify_excl_flag = as.character(verify_excl_flag)
  ) %>%
  mutate( # clean values
    install_year = na_if(install_year, 0),
    verify_install_year = na_if(verify_install_year, 0),
    verify_upgrade1_year = na_if(verify_upgrade1_year, 0),
    verify_upgrade2_year = na_if(verify_upgrade2_year, 0)
  ) %>%
  mutate( # create columns
    len_km = as.numeric(st_length(geometry)) / 1000,
    .before = geometry
  )

# Save geojson
toron_prep %>%
  st_write("../data/toronto_bikeways_v1.geojson", delete_dsn = TRUE)

# Save csv
# st_read("../data/toronto_bikeways_v1.csv", options = "GEOM_POSSIBLE_NAMES=geometry", crs = "urn:ogc:d
toron_prep %>%
  mutate(
    geometry = st_as_text(geometry),
    geometry_crs = "urn:ogc:def:crs:OGC:1.3:CRS84",
    .before = geometry
  ) %>%
  write_csv("../data/toronto_bikeways_v1.csv", na = "")
toron_prep
version

```