

Bicycle and Transit A Powerful Combination

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Pressure on the (urban)road network is large, because of the economic growth of last years...



... and larger cities struggle with pollution.

Bicycle and Transit: Best of both worlds



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The story of bicycle and transit



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1980 and 1990s

Major losses on transit

2000s

PSO contracts: emphasis on efficiency and attractiveness.

Provincies became responsible for efficiency of PT



Image: Tim Castricum

Transit network design



Image: TU Delft

Transit

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https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XGwbGAM5YII Image: KiM

Aanbod van openbaar vervoer

Aantal stations en haltes



- Intercity knooppunten
- Totaal trein
- Metro en sneltram
- Totaal bus, tram en metro

Bicycle

1950s

Welfare brings car mobility

1970s and 1980s
 Oil crises and negative consequences: revival of the bicycle mode

Image: PvdA, Breda



Bicycle

 1970s and 1980s
 Nationale government: Bicycle masterplan

1990s

Comprehensive and decentral approach



Governance

1990s and 2000s

Provinces became responsible for spatial planning, regional transit, and bicycle infrastructure





Understandig the bicycle and transit chain





Shelat, S. et al. (2018). Analysis of the trip and user characteristics of the combined bicycle and transit mode. Research in Transportation Economics.





Image: Goudappel Coffeng



Who uses Bicycle and Transit?



If Bicycle-Transit users were 100 people...

..., we could split them into 7 groups...

... with different characteristics.

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Opportunities: last mile solutions



Bike-sharing timeline 1965 - now

1st generation (no locks)



Start pilot Delft, the Netherlands

Shared bike types





Lessons from Delft



Average daily trips/ bicycle: Avg daily trips/ active bicycle: Avg trip length: 1.6. 2.5-3.8 1.7- 2.3 km

Boor et al. (2019) https://youtu.be/MVqJtJA6_wq

Different systems

Bike-sharing Type	OV-fiets	Mobike	Swapfiets
Image illustration	030		
Year Launched in the Netherlands	2003	2017	2014
Feature of systems	Docked bike-sharing system	Dockless bike-sharing system	Bicycle-lease system on a subscription basis
Way to use	 Subscription online or on a NS App Using the Personal public transport chip card (NS card) to rent a bike. 	 Subscription on a Mobike App Using the Mobike App to open the bike. 	Subscription online or on a Swapfiets App and get a Swapfiets bike within 1 day at a location of your choice
User pricing	€ 3.85/day	€ 12/month, 49.90/year or €1.5/20min	€ 15/month

Modal split



Ma et al. (2019)



Lessons learned



Lessons learned

- Chain is as strong as the weakest part
- Understand the Transit-Bicycle user
- Last mile is an opportunity
- What do last mileusers want?



Image: Annabel Jeuring

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Bonus

Catchment area

Walking



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Cycling



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