

NATIONAL BICYCLE AND PEDESTRIAN DOCUMENTATION PROGRAM																
BACKGROUND DATA SHEET																
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<b>General Area Background:</b>																
	Local Community				County				Region							
Name of jurisdiction(s):	Austin				Travis				Austin-Round Rock-San Marcos MSA							
If County or Region, number of local agencies:																
Source of demographic data:	American Community Survey															
Year of data:	2009				2009				2009							
Population:	790,593				1,026,158				1,705,075							
Density (people per square mile):	2669				1004				398							
Bicycle Mode Share: US Journey to Work	1.00%				0.90%				0.70%							
Pedestrian Mode Share: US Journey to W	2.30%				1.90%				1.80%							
Median Age:	31.2				31.8				38.1							
Median Income (individual):	29,233				30,432				33,239							
Number of annual visitors to area:									17.03 million (Texas Destinations 2008-							
<b>Count Location Description:</b>																
	770 Aquarena Springs Dr., San Marcos, TX	Lance Armstrong Bikeway at Shoal Creek, Austin, TX	Speedway and 21st St., Austin, TX	Blanton Museum, MLK & Congress, Austin, TX	University Drive & Sewell Park, San Marcos, TX	North L.B.J. Drive & Sessoms Dr., San Marcos, TX	East 7th St. & Pleasant Valley Rd., Austin, TX	S. Congress Ave & Slaughter Ln., Austin, TX	51st east of Cameron Rd., Austin, TX	Lance Armstrong Bikeway & Waller Creek, Austin, TX	235 North Lamar Blvd., Austin, TX	900 S. 1st St, Austin, TX	Convict Hill Rd W of Escarpment	Escarpment Blvd N of Convict Hill	1200 N Exposition Blvd.	
Type of facility:	4-lane arterial street with sidewalks	Shared-use path, concrete	arterial with bike lanes and sidewalk	2 parallel concrete paths	crosswalk & shared-use path	MAU-2 w/sidewalks & wide curb lanes	MNR-2 w/sidewalks	MAD-4	MAD-4 w/bike lanes & sidewalks	Shared-use path, concrete	wide sidewalk	MAU-4 w/sidewalks	MNR-2 w/sidewalks	MAU-4 w/bike lanes & sidewalks	MNR-2 w/bike lanes & 1 sidewalk	
Type of setting:	urban, small city	urban parkland	university	university	urban, small city	urban, small city	urban, large city	urban, large city	urban, large city	urban parkland	urban, large city	urban, large city	suburban	suburban	urban	
Scenic Quality:	high	medium	medium	high	high	medium	medium	medium	medium	medium	medium	medium	med	med	high	
Surrounding land uses:	university, park	commercial, park, residential	university, museum	university, museum	university, park	university, commercial, residential	commercial, residential	commercial, residential	commercial, residential	commercial, park	commercial, residential	residential, commercial	residential	residential	residential	
Schools, parks, visitor destinations within 1/4 mile:	Texas State University-San Marcos, Aquarena Center, City of San Marcos park	Lady Bird Lake, Mellow Johnny's Bike Shop	University of Texas, state employment offices	University of Texas, state employment offices	Texas State University-San Marcos, Aquarena Center, City of San Marcos park	Texas State University-San Marcos, Aquarena Center, City of San Marcos park	Oak Springs Elem, Zaragosa Park, Rosewood Park, Pan American Park, Metz Elementary School, Huston-Tillotson University	Southpark Meadows Shopping Center	Mueller Greenway, Bartholomew District Park, Wesley School	Austin Convention Center, MetroRail Downtown Station, Lady Bird Lake, Sanchez Elementary	Lady Bird Lake, Whole Foods headquarters	Lady Bird Lake, Palmer Events Center, Butler Park, Texas School for the Deaf	Austin Community College, Pinnacle Campus	Austin Community College, Pinnacle Campus	O Henry Middle School, Austin Municipal Golf Course, West Enfield Park	
Quality of connecting facilities:	low	high		high	low	low	medium	high	medium	high	high	medium	medium	medium	high	
Length of facility:		> 1 mile		400 feet	.5 mile	1 mile	> 1 mile	> 1 mile	> 1 mile	> 1 mile	> 1 mile	> 1 mile	> 1 mile	> 1 mile	> 1 mile	
Access:		high	high	high	high	medium	high	medium	medium	high	high	medium	medium	medium	medium	
Quality of overall network:	low	high	medium	medium	low	low	high	high	high	high	high	medium	medium	medium	medium	
Traffic volumes (ADT):	33,000	n/a	unknown	-	20,000	11,981	10,000	9,000	19,000	n/a	41,342	24,000	7,000	8,000	9000	
Traffic speeds (posted):	35 mph	n/a	15 mph	-	30 mph	30 mph	30 mph	45 mph	40 mph	n/a	35 mph	35 mph	30 mph	40 mph	35 mph	
Crossings and intersections:	2, 3-way intersections within 1/4 mile	intersecting path <100 feet	every ~600 feet	intersecting road <100 feet	2, 3-way intersections within 1/4 mile	1, with commercial driveway access	3 within 1000'	2 within 1000'	3 within 1000'	13 within 1000'	8 within 1000'	4 within 1000'	6 within 1000'	7 within 1000'	6 within 1000'	
Crossings and intersection traffic:	low	n/a	high	-	medium	medium	medium	medium	medium	n/a	high	high	low	low	low	
Crossings and intersection protection:	none	n/a	low	-	crosswalk w/ped signal	crosswalk w/ped signal	crosswalk w/ped signal	crosswalk w/ped signal	crosswalk w/ped signal	n/a	crosswalk w/ped signal	crosswalk w/ped signal	crosswalk w/ped signal	crosswalk w/ped signal	crosswalk w/ped signal	
Topography:	gentle	gentle	gentle	gentle	gentle	steep	gentle	gentle	gentle	gentle	moderate	moderate	gentle	gentle	gentle	
<b>Count #1 Data:</b>																
Date Collected:	03/03/11	04/01/11	03/29/11	03/29/11	09/14/11	09/14/11	09/13/11	09/13/11	09/13/11	03/31/11	04/27/11	03/22/11	04/11/11	04/21/11	04/19/11	
Time Period:	7:45 am - 9:45 am	12:15pm-1:15pm	24-hour	24-hour	3:35-5:35pm	8:30-10:30am	7:15-9:15am	3:45-5:45pm	8-9:30 am	24-hour	24-hour	24-hour	24-hour	24-hour	24-hour	
Weather:	45F, cloudy	80F, cloudy	warm and dry	warm and dry	clear, 98F	clear, 80F	clear, 74F	clear, 104F	clear, 80F	warm and dry	warm and dry	warm and dry	warm and dry	warm and dry	warm and dry	
Bicycles:	30	59	1497	159	35	42	13	3	23	671	359	97	9	37	110	
Pedestrians:	417	46	not counted	not counted	348	759	15	6	27	365	719	not counted	not counted	not counted	not counted	
Other:	2 (skateboarders)	not counted	not counted	not counted	0	0	0	0	0	not counted	not counted	not counted	not counted	not counted	not counted	
<b>Count #2 Data:</b>																
Date Collected:		09/14/11	03/30/11	03/30/11						09/14/11						
Time Period:		24-hour	24-hour	24-hour						24-hour						
Weather:		hot and dry	warm and dry	warm and dry						hot and dry						
Bicycles:		733	1628	193						645						
Pedestrians:		409	not counted	not counted						414						
Other:			not counted	not counted						not counted						