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Bicycle-friendly infrastructure has to satisfy five main requirements that have to be considered in planning, detailed design, implementation and management of bicycle friendly infrastructure:

- **Coherence:** a complete network with a very dense mesh of cycle lanes to connect origins and destinations
- **Directness:** routes with minimal detours and journeys with minimal stops (such as intersections with exclusive right of way for cyclists)
- **Safety:** minimum number of conflicting points or intersections with motorized vehicles or reduced intensity of conflict between cyclists and motorists (such as removing parking spaces from cycling lanes)
- **Comfort:** ease of finding and selecting routes and minimum nuisance such as noise, fumes, congestion, and motorized interferences
- **Attractiveness:** degree of visual and spatial experience of the ride during the users journey.