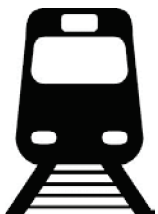


# ATTITUDES AND TRAVEL BEHAVIOUR: CHANGING MODE PREFERENCES TO CHANGE BEHAVIOUR?

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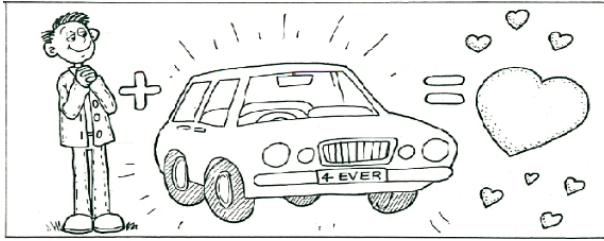
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# ATTITUDES AND PREFERENCES



# DIFFERENT TYPES OF CAR RIDERS

Die Hard Drivers



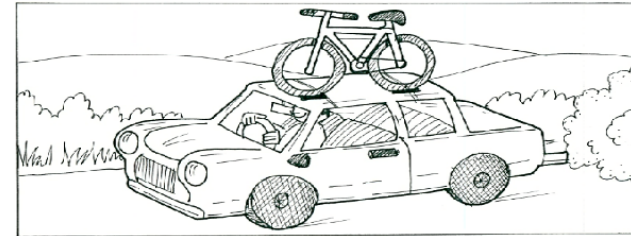
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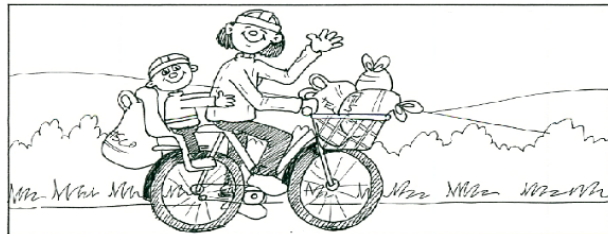
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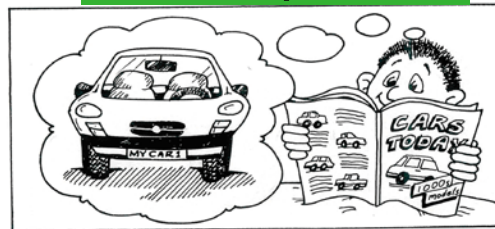
Aspiring Environmentalists



Car Sceptics



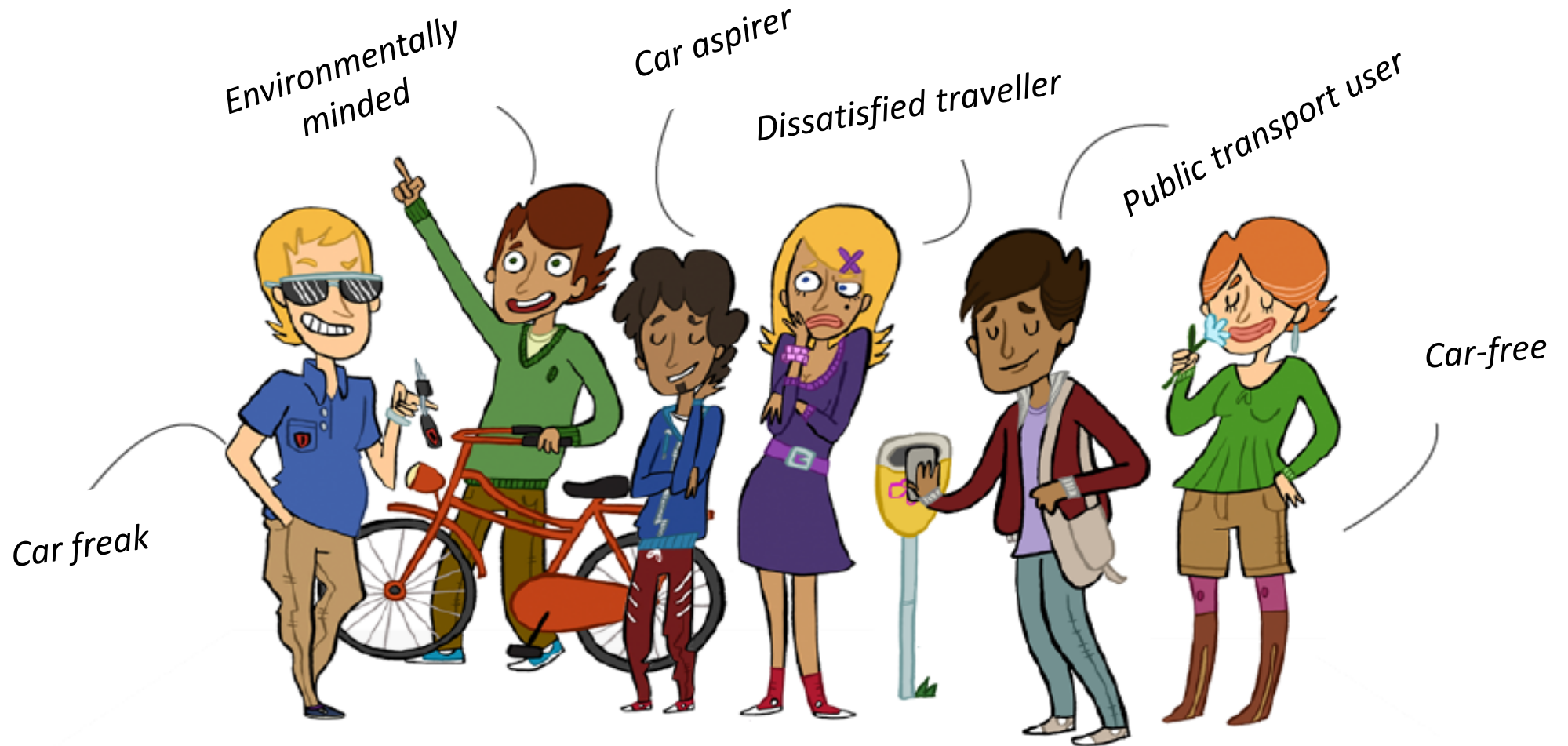
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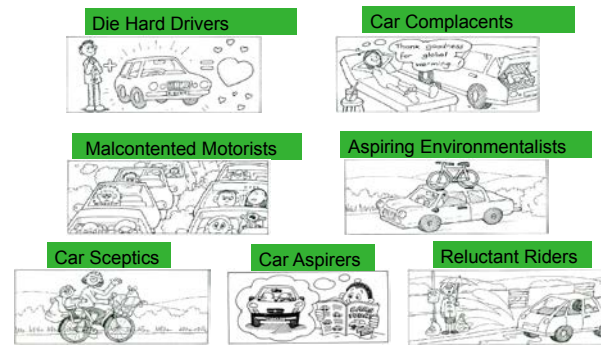
Reluctant Riders



# DIFFERENT TYPES OF TRAVELLERS



# ATTITUDES & TRAVEL BEHAVIOUR





# NETHERLANDS MOBILITY PANEL (MPN)

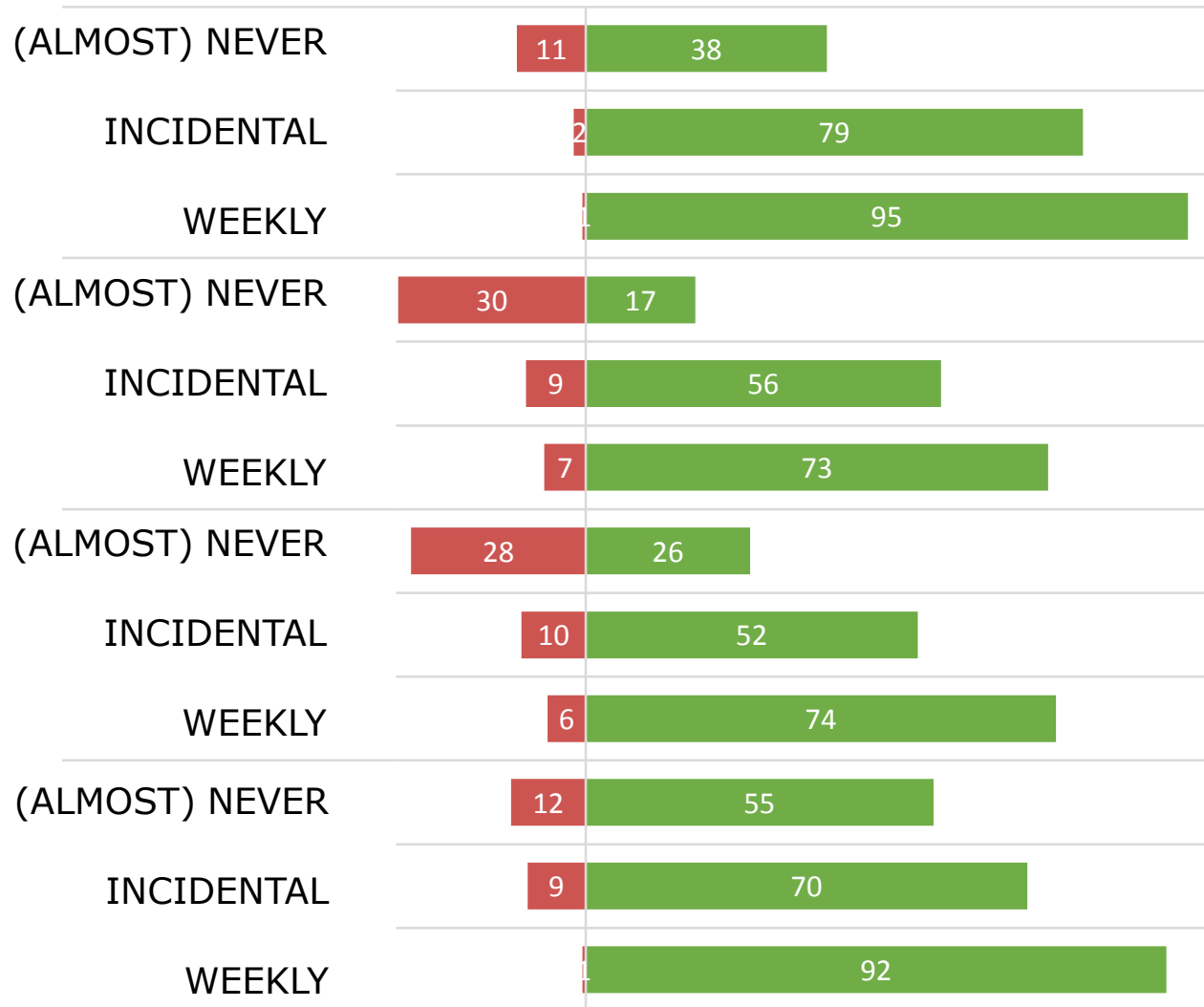


Yearly (since 2013):

- 2.000 households
- 4.000 individuals
- 3-day trip diary

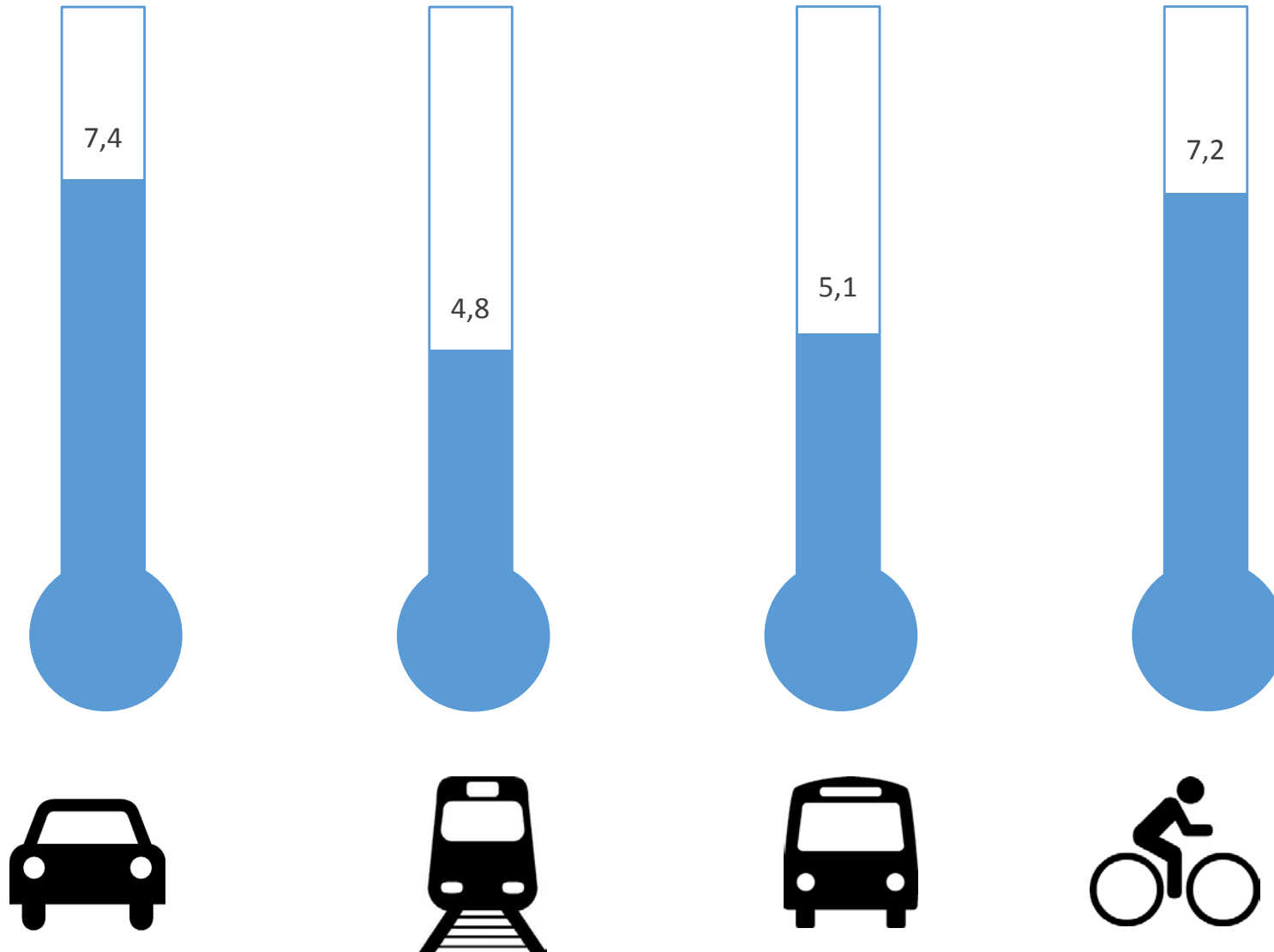


# PERSONAL JUDGEMENT



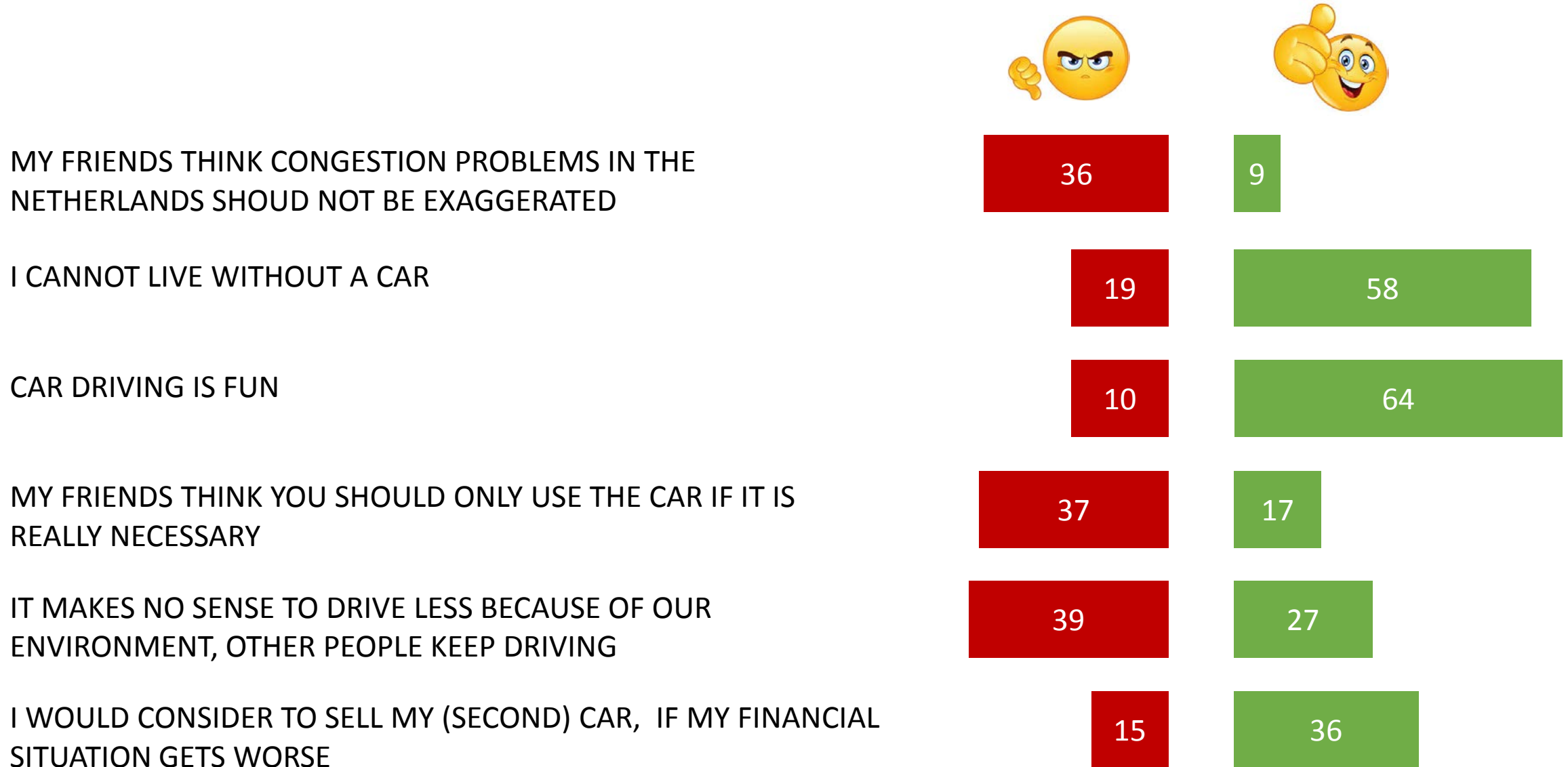


# ATTITUDE SCORE: FLEXIBILITY



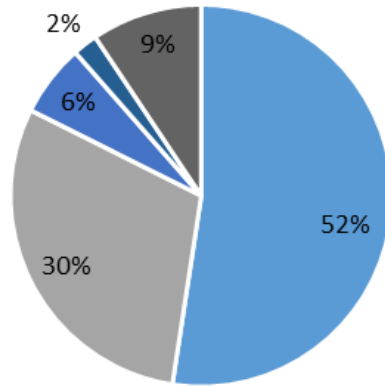
- Flexibility
- Comfort
- Relaxing
- Safety
- Travel time
- Pleasure
- Status

# ATTITUDE STATEMENTS

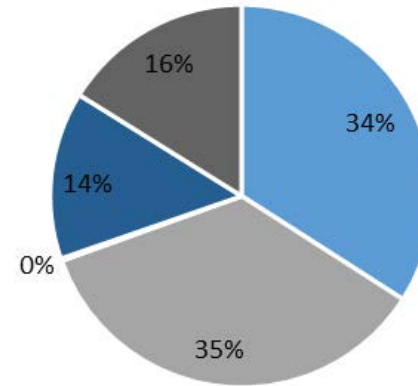


# MODE PREFERENCES

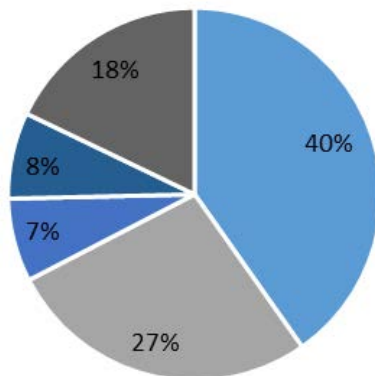
## COMMUTING



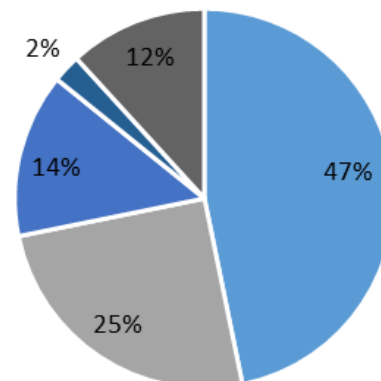
## DAILY GROCERIES



## SHOPPING



## SCHOOL / EDUCATION



- car
- bicycle
- public transport
- walking
- different modes

# PERCEPTION ACCESSIBILITY



Accessibility of my neighborhood by bicylce is good

86%



Accessibility of my neighborhood by PT is good

63%



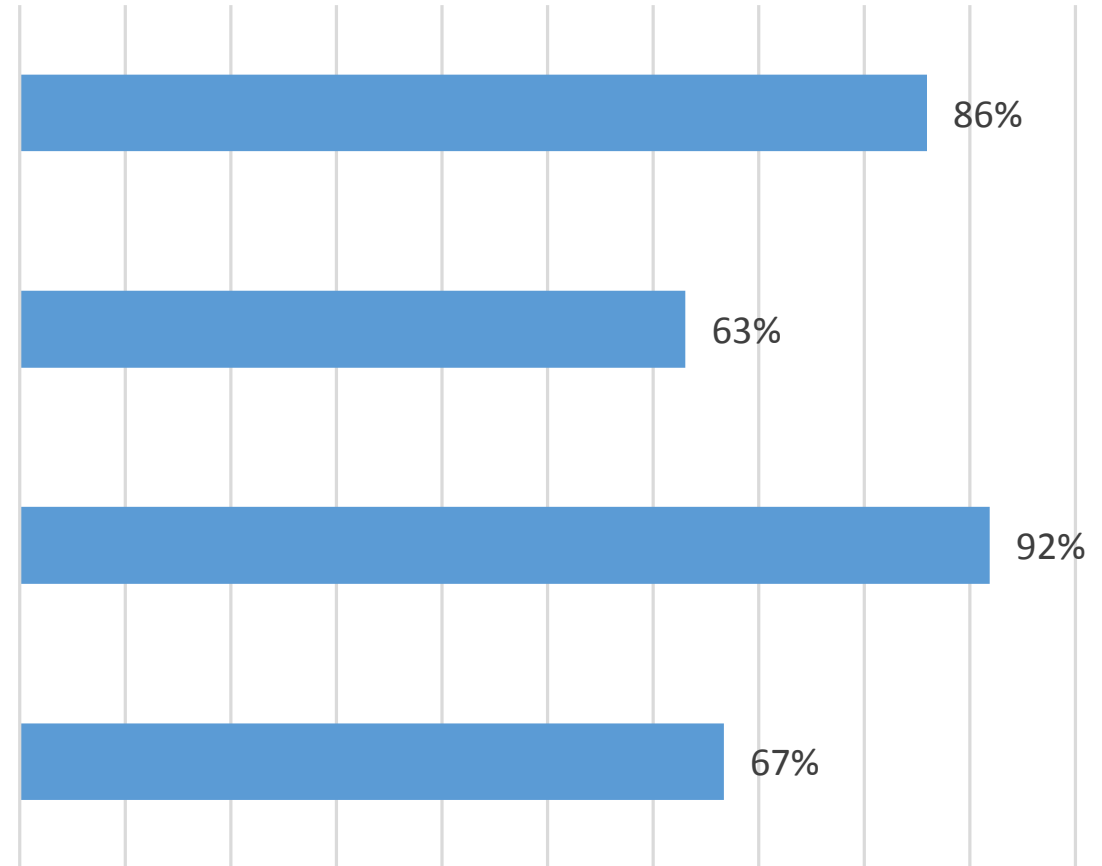
Accessibility of my neighborhood by car is good

92%



My neighborhood has enough parking space

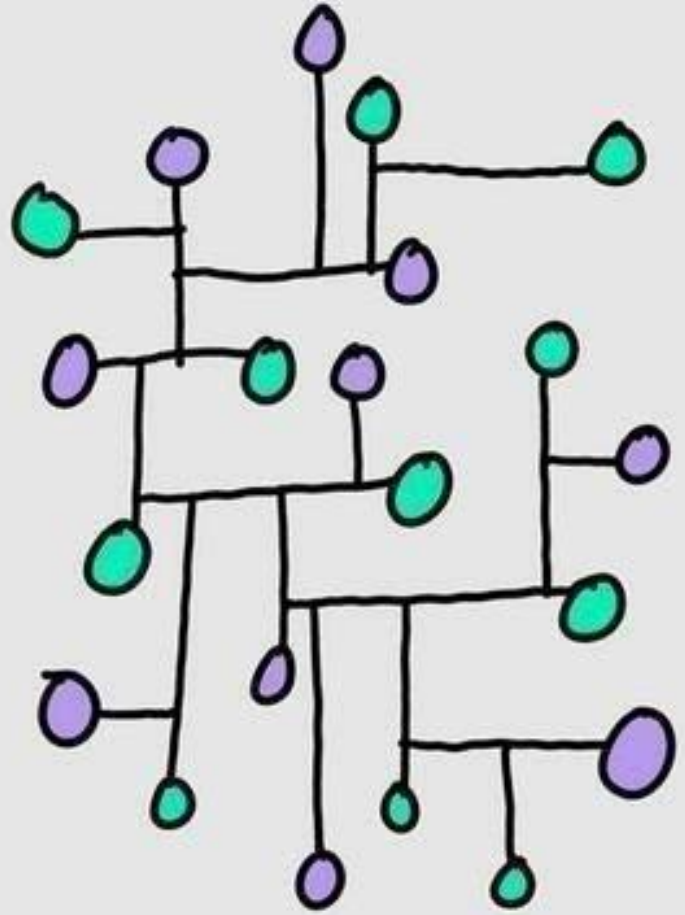
67%



information:



knowledge:



# RESEARCH QUESTIONS

1. DO ATTITUDES AND PREFERENCES TOWARDS TRANSPORT MODES CHANGE OVER TIME, TO WHAT EXTENT AND FOR WHICH POPULATION SEGMENTS?
2. ARE CHANGES IN ATTITUDES AND PREFERENCES CORRELATED TO CHANGES IN INDIVIDUAL TRAVEL BEHAVIOUR?



# APPROACH



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- STEP 1: FACTOR ANALYSIS
- STEP 2: LATENT CLUSTER ANALYSIS
- STEP 3: LATENT TRANSITION ANALYSIS
- STEP 4: CORRELATION WITH MODE CHOICE



# STEP 1: FACTOR ANALYSIS



## LATENT ATTITUDES

AUTO  
MINDED



men  
25-64 yr  
rural  
employed  
with children

COST  
SENSITIVE



women  
18-24 yr, >64 yr  
urban  
students, not employed  
single

CONSCIOUS  
CAR USE



women  
>64 yr  
rural  
not employed  
couples

STATUS



men  
18-24 yr  
urban  
students  
single

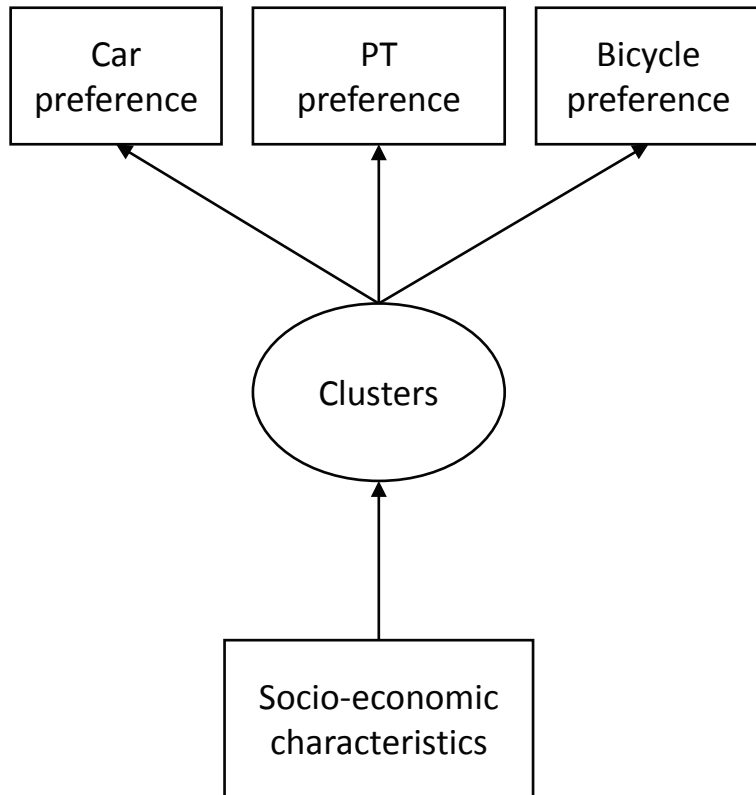
NOT ENVIRON-  
MENTALLY  
CONSCIOUS



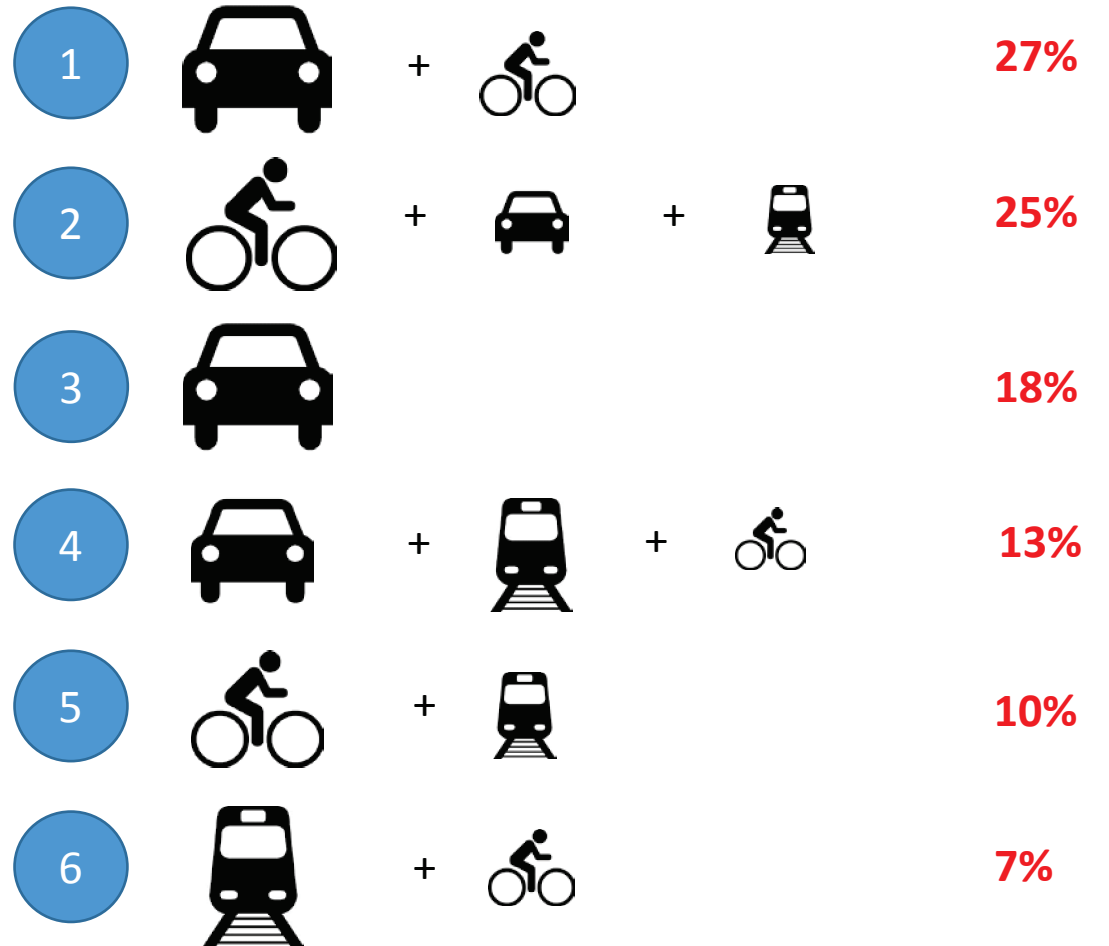
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# STEP 2: LATENT CLUSTER ANALYSIS

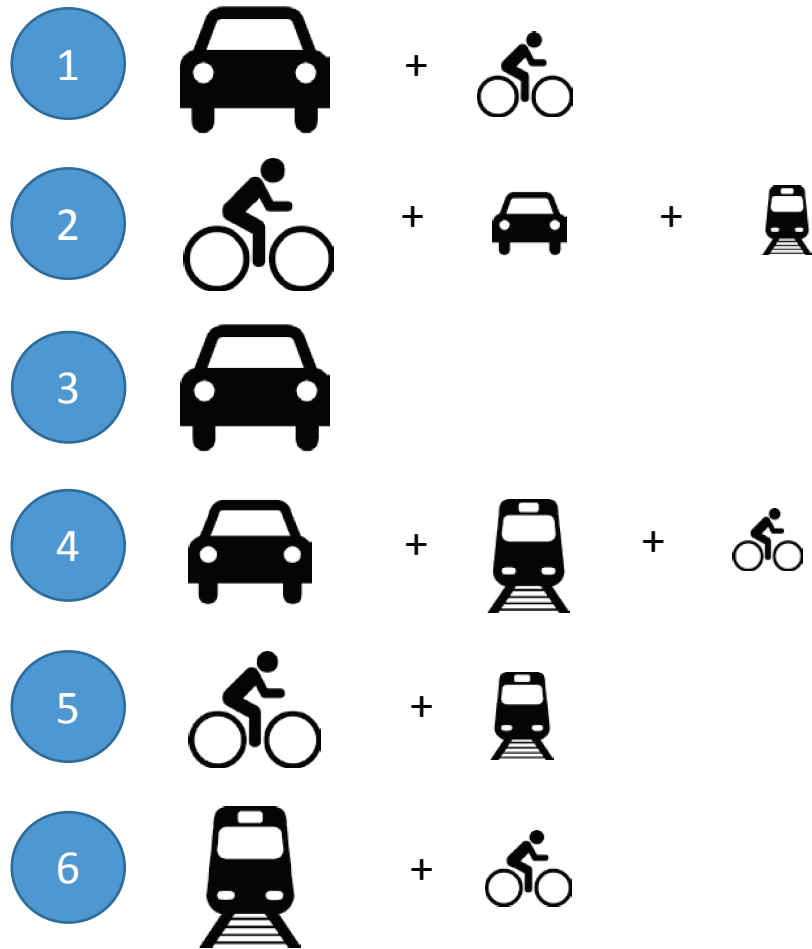
## CONCEPTUAL MODEL



## 6 CLUSTERS BASED ON MODE PREFERENCES (N=2.934)

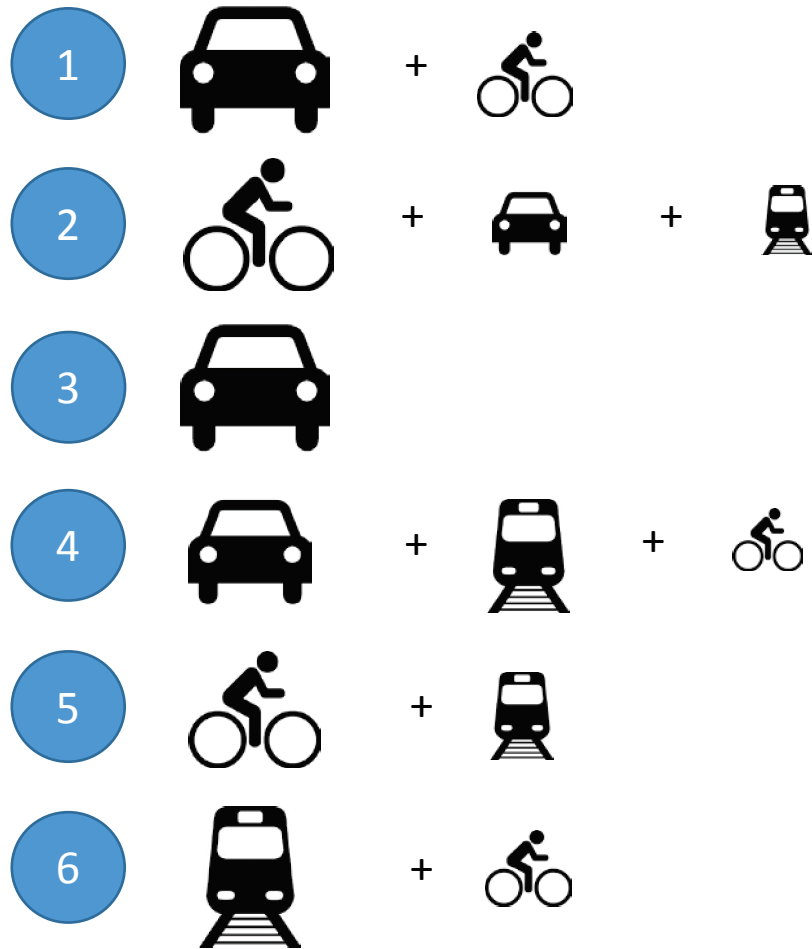


# CHARACTERISTICS



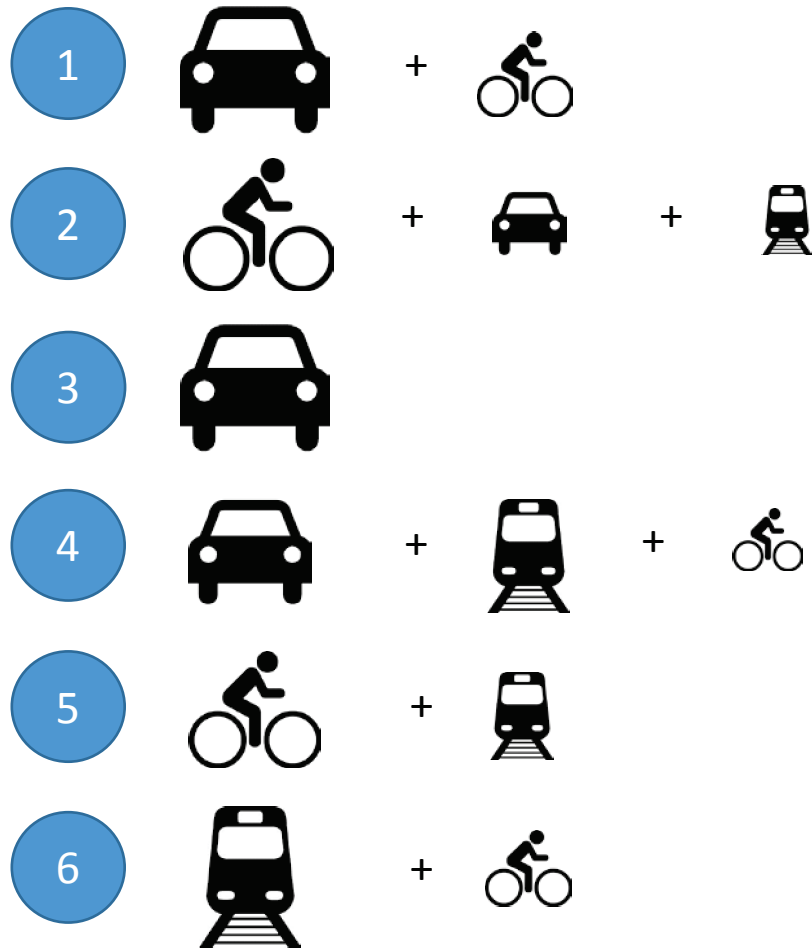
gender	education	urbanity	student
male	-	rural	no
-	-	suburban	-
male	no or low	rural	no
female	-	urban	-
male	high	urban	yes
-	high	urban	yes

# TRAVEL BEHAVIOUR



trips pp pd	% car	% pt	% bike
3,2	64%	1%	19%
3,4	38%	3%	42%
2,8	79%	1%	6%
2,9	58%	8%	11%
3,3	14%	9%	58%
3,1	18%	17%	25%

# ATTITUDES

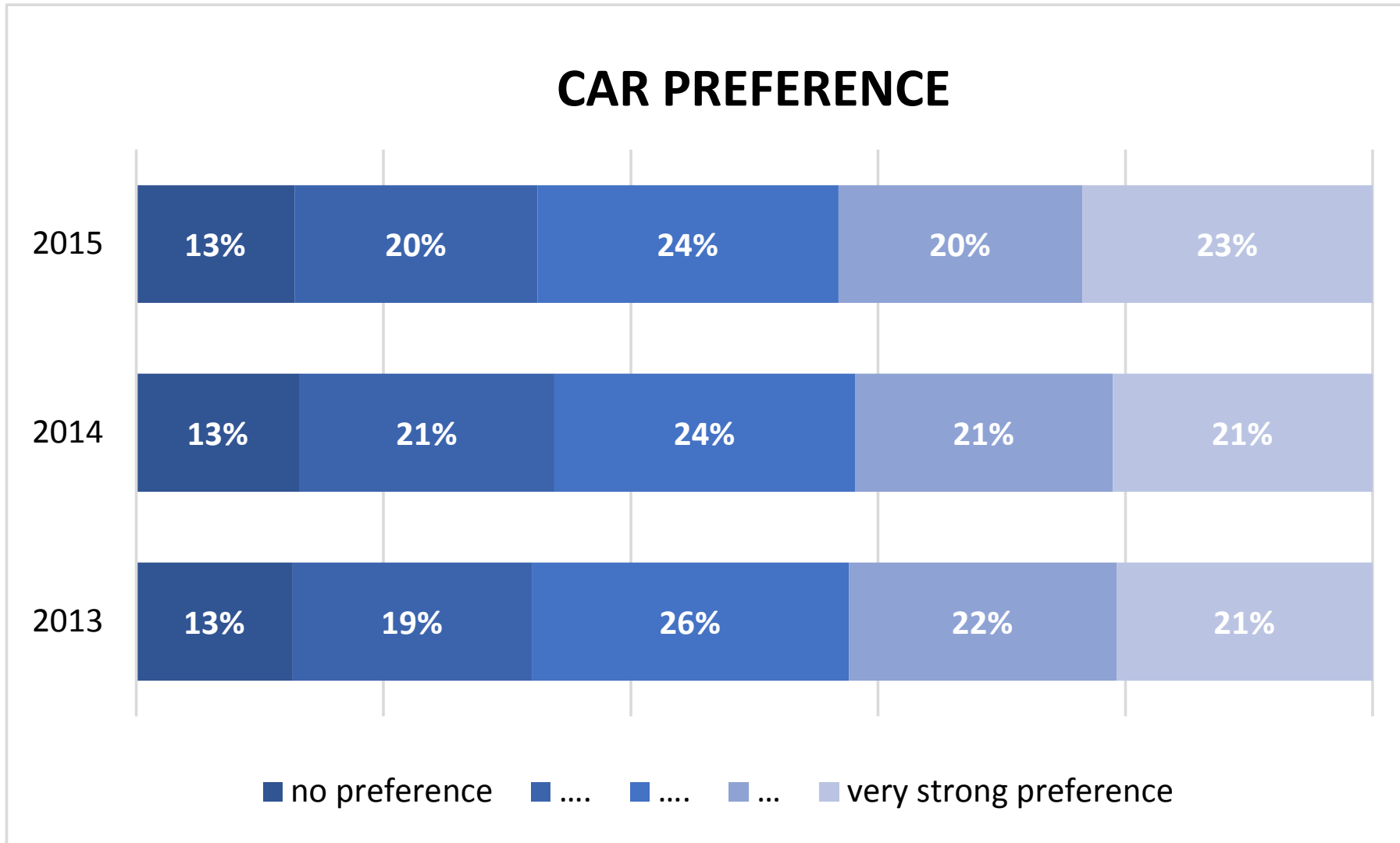


auto-minded	cost sensitive	conscious car use	status	environment
++	--	--	0	-
-/0	0	++	-/0	++
++	-/0	--	0	--
0	0	0	0	0
--	+	0	0	+
--	+	0	0	0/+

# CHANGING PREFERENCES

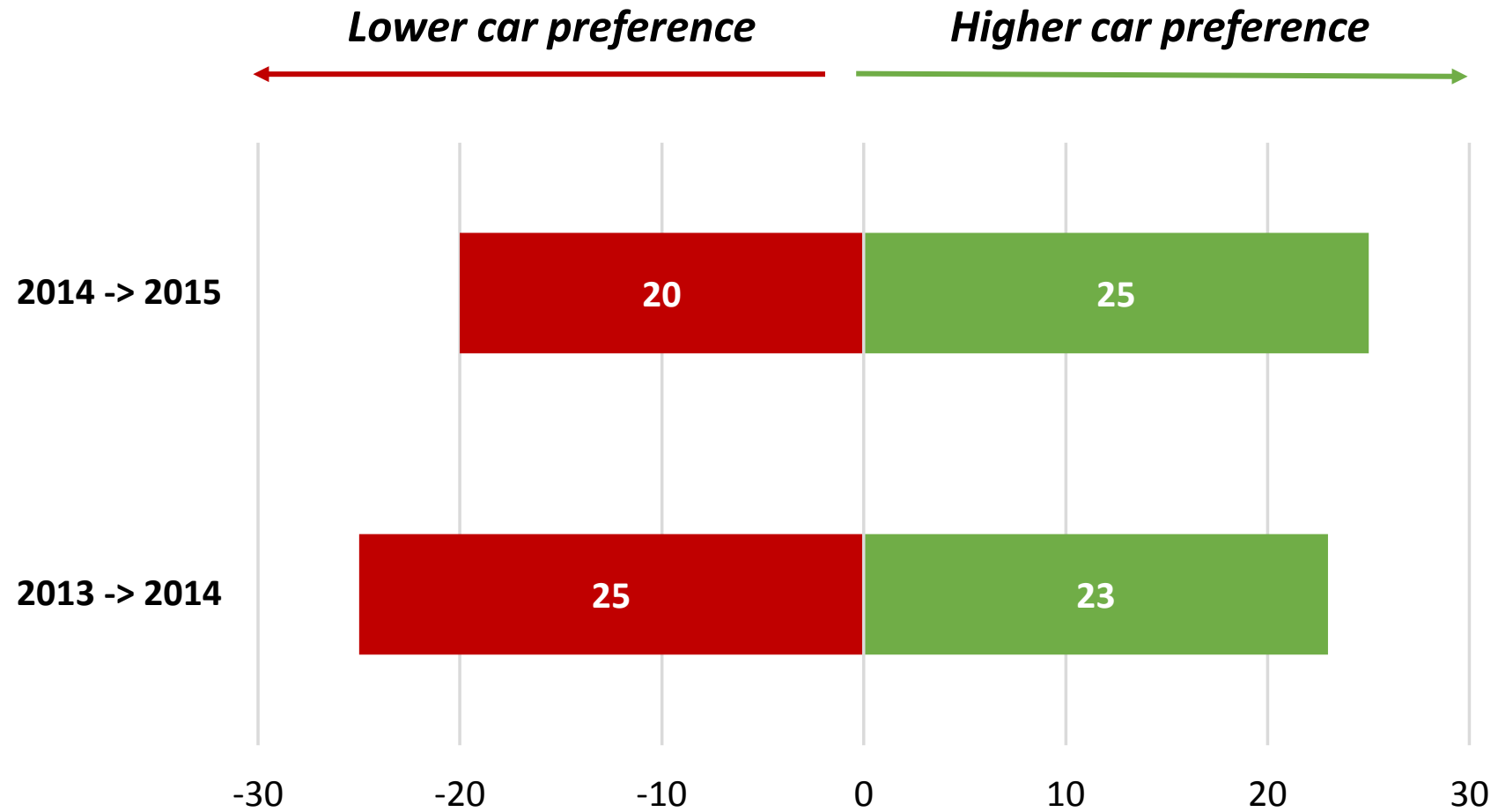


# CHANGES ON CROSS-SECTIONAL LEVEL

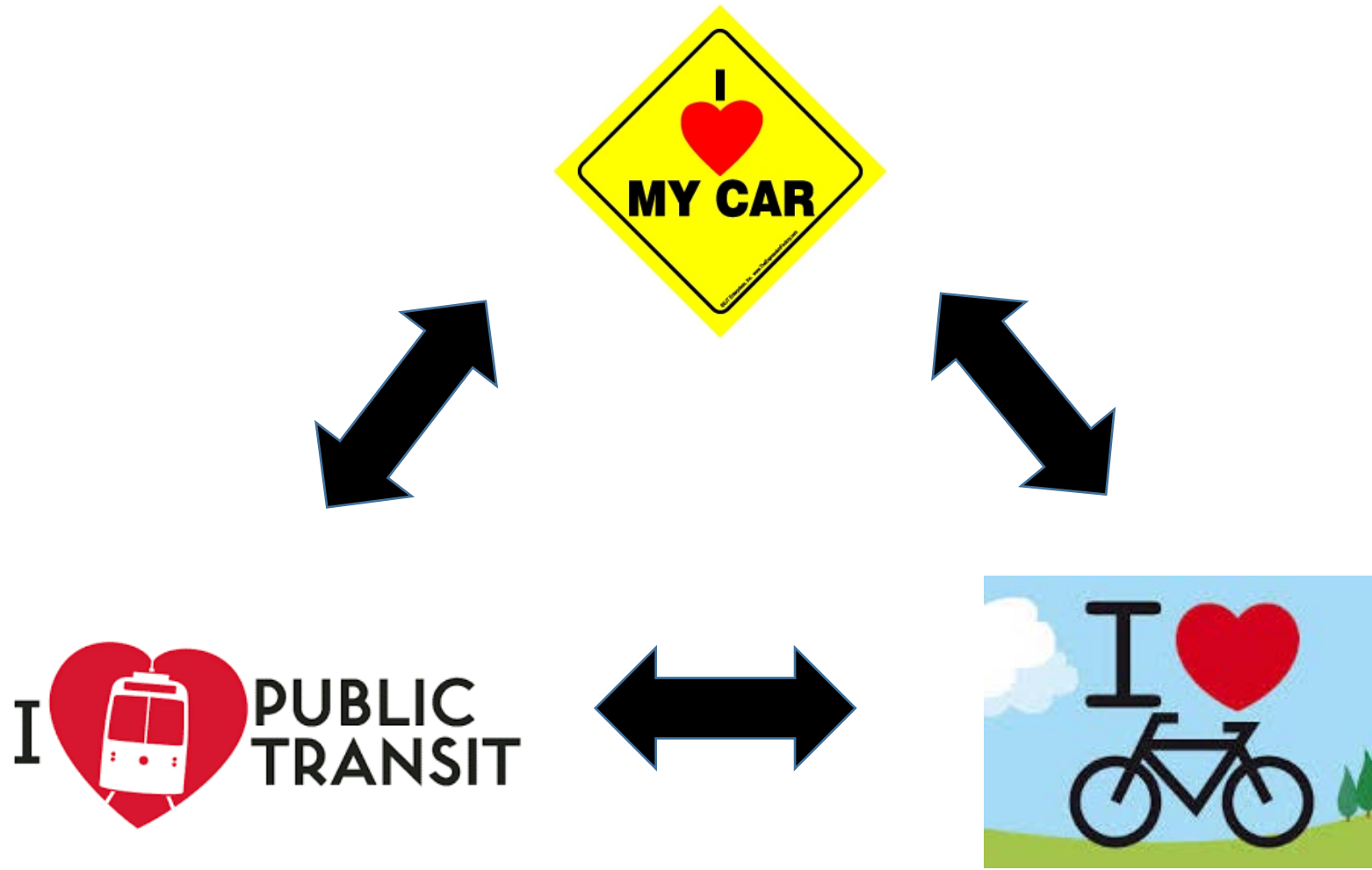




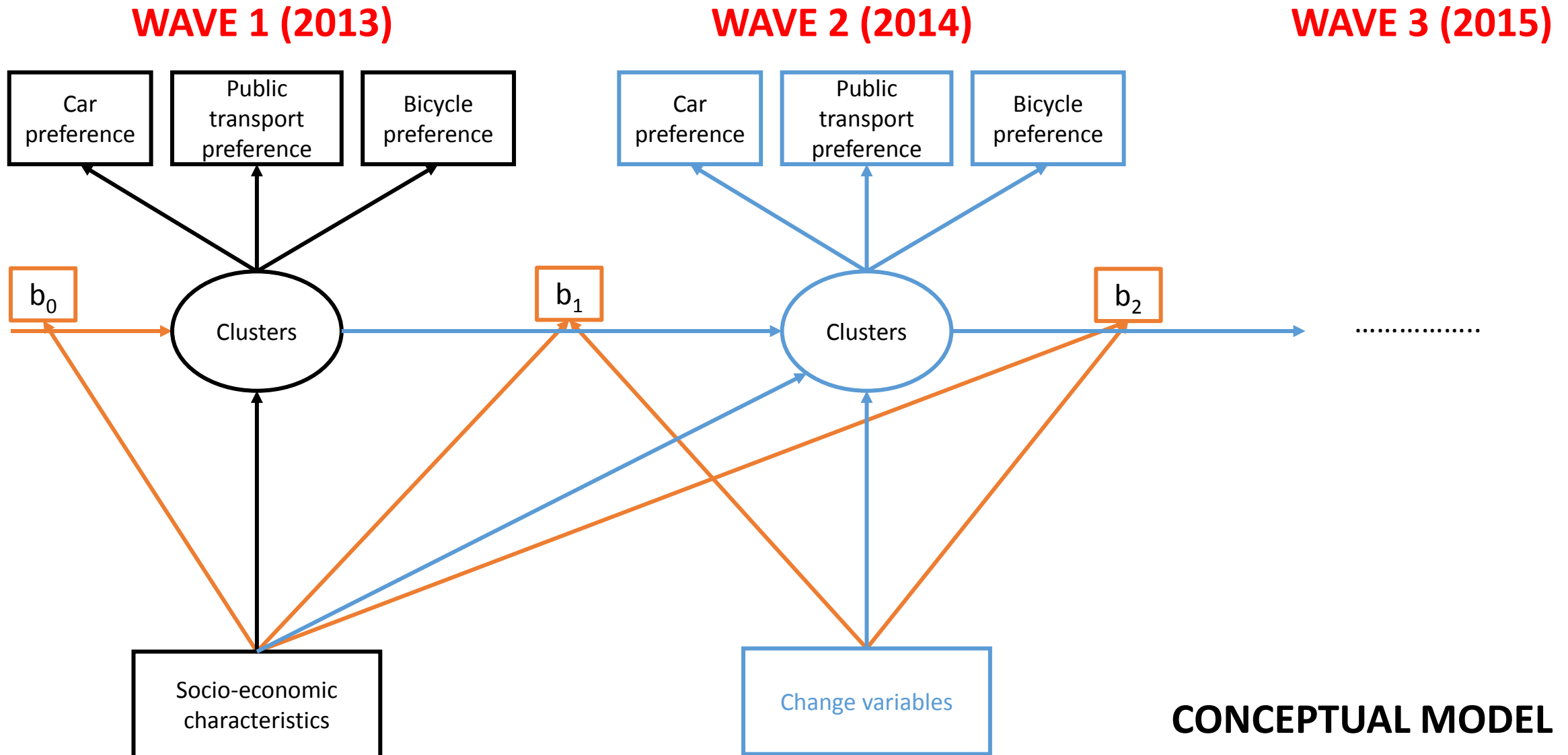
# CHANGES ON INDIVIDUAL LEVEL














# WHO IS CHANGING AND WHY?



# STEP 3: LATENT TRANSITION ANALYSIS



# AVERAGE TRANSITION PROBABILITIES

			1	2	3	4	5	6
1		+						
			83%	4%	12%	0%	1%	0%
2		+		+				
			3%	90%	1%	3%	3%	0%
3								
			13%	1%	83%	2%	0%	0%
4		+		+				
			2%	1%	9%	82%	0%	5%
5		+						
			2%	3%	1%	2%	92%	2%
6		+						
			1%	2%	1%	7%	3%	87%

# IMPACT LIFE-EVENTS



- More likely to switch to cluster with multi-modal preference
- More likely to switch to cluster with no or low PT preference















- More likely to switch to cluster with multi-modal preference
- More likely to switch to cluster with higher bike preference



- More likely to switch to cluster with multi-modal preference
- More likely to switch to cluster with higher bike preference

# CHANGING PREFERENCES TO CHANGE BEHAVIOUR



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			1%	2%	1%	7%	3%	87%



# FROM CLUSTER 3 TO ....

3



13%

1%

83%

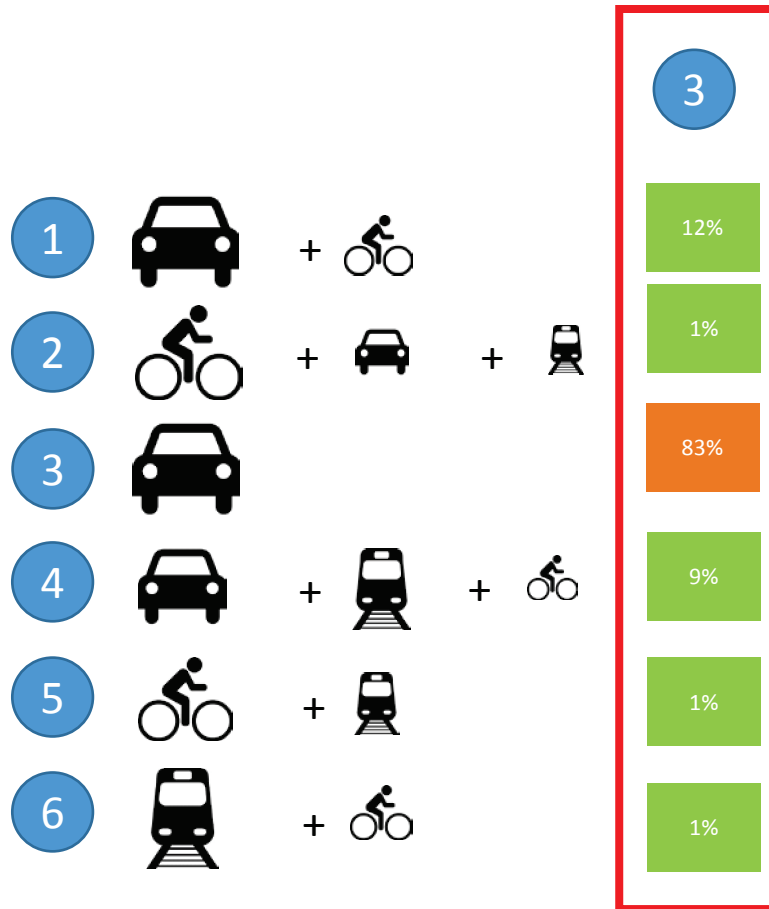
2%

0%

0%

- No significance change in car trips ( $p=.64$ )
- Significant change in PT trips ( $p=.04$ ) -> more PT trips
- Significant change in bicycle trips ( $p=.00$ ) -> more bicycle trips

# FROM .... TO CLUSTER 3



- No significance change in car trips ( $p=.42$ )
- No significance change in PT trips ( $p=.59$ )
- Significant change in bicycle trips ( $p=.01$ )  
-> less bicycle trips

# CONCLUSIONS



- There are individual changes in mode preferences and attitudes (almost 50% change in car preference between two years)
- Based on mode preferences and attitudes we can distinguish different travel groups
- There are also individual changes between travel groups
- Especially life-events have a significant impact on changing between groups
- But.... change from one group to another doesn't (directly) mean a change in travel behaviour

# FUTURE RESEARCH



- Testing other change variables (life-events)
- Estimating final model
- Journal paper
  
- Add data wave 4 (2016)
  
- Add data changing attitudes (special topic 2016)
  
- Integrate with latent choice model
  
- Policy implications



**THANK YOU!**

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