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Nextbike is a bike-sharing service that provides sustainable, short-distance transportation in urban areas. By offering easily accessible bicycles for rent, it promotes environmentally friendly mobility, reduces traffic congestion, and encourages healthier lifestyles.

Key facts:

- In Gießen, Nextbike has 47 stations in total, with 17 stations operating across the JLU and THM campuses as well as Gießen main train station, offering approximately 360 shared bicycles.
- In 2025 there were 53 mio. rides which saved 4,5 mio. kg of CO² compared to car travel.



What does this have to do with the SDGs?

Nextbike represents a sustainable business model within the field of micromobility and aligns with several Sustainable Development Goals (SDG). Its primary contribution is most directly associated with SDG 11, which focuses on sustainable cities and communities.

In addition to this central alignment, Nextbike also contributes to other important SDG:

- **SDG3 – Good Health and Well-being:** By promoting active transportation, supporting physical health and reducing air pollution-related health risks.
- **SDG 8 – Decent Work and Economic Growth:** The business model fosters employment opportunities and stimulates local economic activity.
- **SDG 13 – Climate Action:** By encouraging low-emission transport, Nextbike helps mitigate climate change and supports environmental sustainability measures.