

## **Barcelona: Veloverleih als Ergänzung zum ÖV sehr erfolgreich 134'000 Registrierte seit März 2007**

Am 22. März 2007 startete in Barcelona das neue Fahrradverleihsystem «bicing» mit 200 Fahrrädern. Mittlerweile verfügt das System über 4'000 Räder an 286 Stationen. Der Service wird ausschließlich als Jahres-Abonnement angeboten und ist als Ergänzung des öffentlichen Nahverkehrs (ÖV) konzipiert (Grundgebühr 24 Euro pro Jahr). Mittlerweile haben sich 134'000 Personen für «bicing» registriert. Demnächst werden sich die Zahlen auf 6'000 Räder und 400 Stationen belaufen. (Sprache en)

Weitere Informationen:

bicing (Site auf Spanisch)

[www.bicing.com](http://www.bicing.com)

## **Barcelone: le prêt de vélos complète avec succès les TP urbains Le système compte 137'000 abonnés depuis mars 2007**

Le 22 mars 2007, Barcelone a inauguré le nouveau système de prêt de vélo « bicing » avec 200 bicyclettes. Aujourd'hui, le système repose sur 4000 vélos et 286 stations. Le service est à disposition sur achat d'un abonnement annuel (coût 24 euro) et est conçu comme un complément des transports en commun urbains. A ce jour, « bicing » compte 134'000 membres. Un prochain développement devrait amener le nombre de vélos à 6'000 et le nombre de stations à 400.

Pour plus d'informations:

bicing (site en espagnol)

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## What's bicing?



### Discover a different form to move around Barcelona

This new service is simple, practical and secure, which you can use in your way through the city, to go wherever you want, whenever you want without pollution and noises.

Combine it with the other public transports and you will go as far as you want.

### Practice Bicing the whole year

Request your card through the web. Once you have submitted the request, you will receive at your domicile your card and all the necessary information to use the service.

### As easy as riding a bicycle

Start using Bicing is very easy. As soon as you receive at your domicile the subscriber's card you can start using this new service: you take the bicycle from any of the bicing stations, use it for your journey and return it to the nearest station to your destination.

Bicing has to be understood as a way of public transport, to move from one place to another. For this reason, the first thirty minutes of each journey\* are included in the subscriber's fares. From that moment you pay according to the time you use it, up to a maximum of two hours per journey. (look at fares)

\*The word journey has to be understood as the distance travelled from one station to the station where you return the bicycle, whether it is the same or another one.

### 100 stations to your service and 1500 bicycles are awaiting for you!!

The starting of the Bicing stations will be progressive up to having in service a total of 100 stations.

Most of the stations are near the metro, train stations and public parkings. And in every station you will find bicycles to take, and free spaces to return them.

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### **Bicing Shedule**

Move around in bicing every day. The service is operative the 365 days of the year in this schedule:

**From Sundays to Thursdays:** The service is open the whole day, except from 12am to 5 am. During those hours, you can only return bicycles.

**From Fridays to Saturdays:** The service works 24 hours.