# 6 Common Misconceptions **About Ebikes**



### 01 Misconception: Riding in the Rain

Most ebikes out in today's market are water-resistant and therefore are more than capable of handling wet conditions. Wet roads with puddles are not an issue as they are designed to protect the electrical components from water splashing from any direction. This also means that you can ride your ebike in the rain.





## 02 Misconception:

### **Ebikes Require Lots of Extra Maintenance**

It's important to remember that at their core, e-bikes are still regular bikes. E-bikes use the same chains, gears, and brakes that standard bikes do. So at a base level, e-bikes require about the same amount of maintenance as regular bikes.

### 03 Misconception:

### **Ebikes Take Away** the Exercise Benefit

Ebikes are just like traditional bikes in the sense that you can still pedal whenever you want, and however hard you want. E-bikes simply provide a boost to your effort. You could still choose to ride up a steep hill without assistance, and the extra weight of the battery would add to your workout effort!





## 04 Misconception:

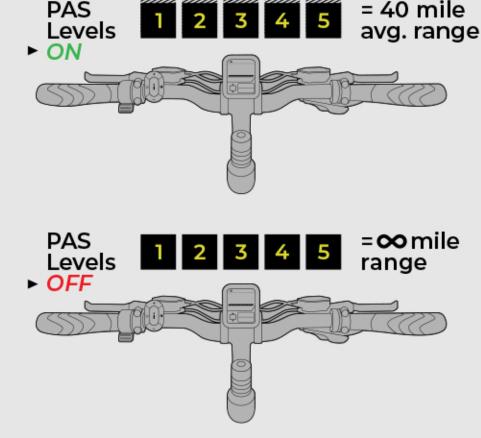
#### **Ebikes Are Cheating** To reiterate from what we've covered so far, an electric bike is still just a regular

bike—with the addition of an electrical drive system. And at the end of the day, you are still going outside and being active. So what if you want a little extra help, or would like to go faster. Ebikes give even avid cyclists the chance to ride to work or school without arriving tired, winded and sweaty. Ebikes make cycling more inclusive to everyone and people choose them for a variety of reasons.

## 05 Misconception:

## **Ebikes Are Limited** on Distance

Yes, ebikes use a battery and that battery doesn't last forever. However the ebike can still be ridden like a normal bike once the battery has been depleted. Aventon's e-bikes provide up to 40 miles of riding with assistance, but the amount of miles you continue to ride unassisted is totally up to you. The only limiter to distance that an e-bike can travel is your sense of adventure (and energy level).





#### 06 Misconception: **Ebikes Are For**

## **Lazy People**

It's definitely true that e-bikes are more compelling to ride for those some may call "lazy." But isn't getting outside and onto a bike

better than sitting inside on the

couch? We think so!