

EXAMPLE TOWER DIAGRAM Counterargument Version 2

Sequence: Linking	Point of View: 3	Tense: Present
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INTRODUCTION

Introductory Option:

Biker getting ready
for a trip to work

Claim:
Use a bike to commute

Introductory Details:

- ② Bike definition
- ① Thousands commute on bikes
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BODY PARAGRAPH

order C	Reason: Saves the environment	sequence Linking
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DETAILS

- Inconvenient
- ② Less pollution
- ③ Less contribution to global warming
- Saves money
- ①

order of ideas within paragraph

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BODY PARAGRAPH

order A	Reason: More efficient	sequence Linking
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DETAILS

- Takes more time
- ① Get through traffic snarls
- ③ Weave among cars
- ② Easy to maneuver
- ④ Get to work on time

order of ideas within paragraph

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BODY PARAGRAPH

order B	Reason: More healthy	sequence Linking
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DETAILS

- Too tiring
- ① Daily exercise-in shape
- ③ Outdoors
- ② Gets juices flowing
- ④ Prevents disease

order of ideas within paragraph

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CONCLUSION

Concluding Option:

Complete the story

Concluding Details:

- ② Many benefits: Saves body
- ① Saves time
- ③ Saves the environment