

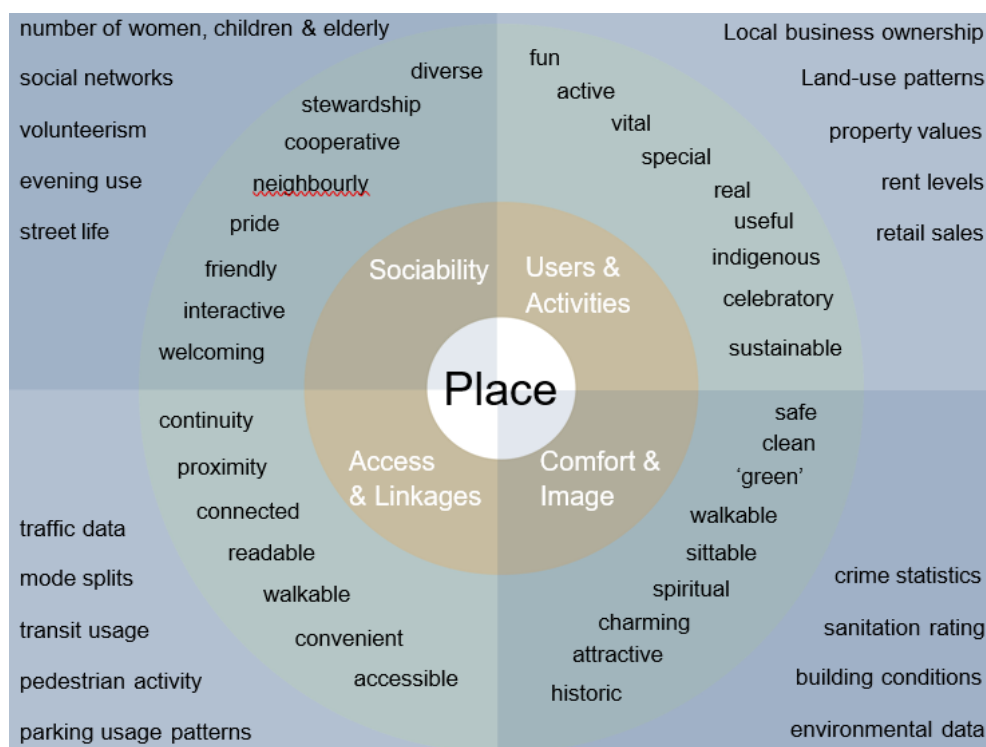
# What makes a place successful?

Around the world, successful public spaces have four key qualities in common:

1. They are accessible
2. People are engaged in activities there
3. The space is comfortable and has a good image
4. It is a sociable place - where people meet each other and take people when they visit

## Qualities of a successful space

You can think about a space/place according to the four criteria in the orange ring. In the green ring are the number of intuitive or qualitative aspects by which to judge a place. The blue area shows the qualitative aspects that can be measured by statistics or research.



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