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Passenger Transport Statistics (PT)
May 2018. *Provisional data*

The number of passengers using public transport increases by 1.8% in May, as compared with the same month of the previous year

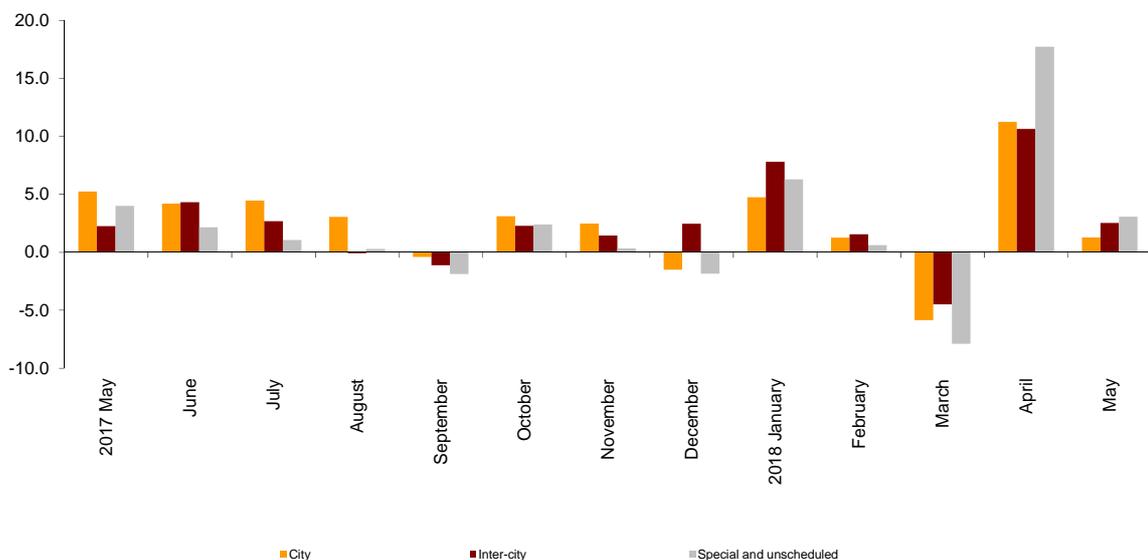
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Evolution of passenger transport

More than 449.0 million passengers used public transport in May, 1.8% more than in the same month of 2017.

City transport increased by 1.3% in the annual rate and inter-city transport did so by 2.5%. Within the latter, it is worth noting the 12.1% increase in air transport.

Annual evolution of passengers transport
Type of transport



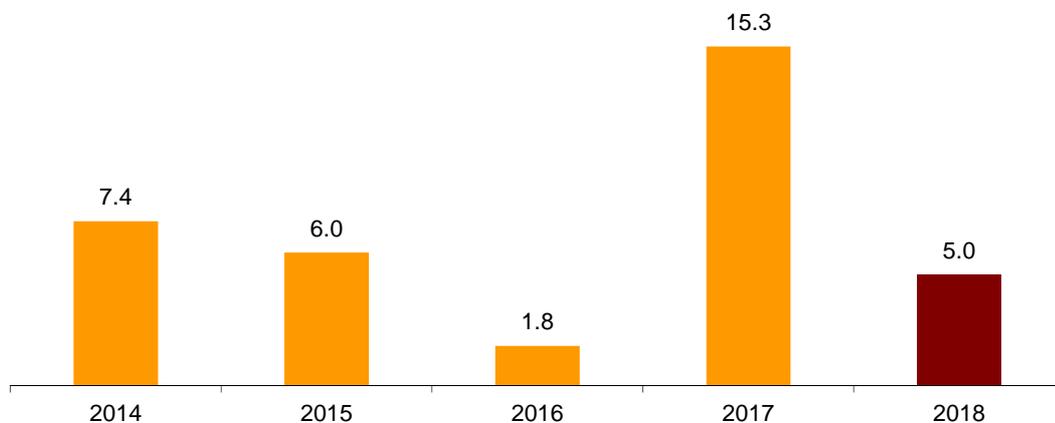
Passengers transport annual evolution, by type of transport

	City	Inter-city	Special and unschedule
2017 May	5.3	2.3	4.0
June	4.2	4.3	2.2
July	4.5	2.7	1.1
August	3.1	-0.1	0.3
September	-0.4	-1.1	-1.9
October	3.1	2.3	2.4
November	2.5	1.5	0.3
December	-1.5	2.5	-1.8
2018 January	4.7	7.8	6.3
February	1.3	1.6	0.6
March	-5.9	-4.5	-7.9
April	11.3	10.6	17.7
May	1.3	2.5	3.1

Evolution of the monthly rate

The variation rate of the number of public transport passengers in May as compared with April was 5.0%. In order to contribute to the analysis and interpretation of data, the evolution of the monthly rate of public transport passengers in recent years is shown in the following chart.

**Evolution of the monthly rate
(month-on-month for May as compared with April)**



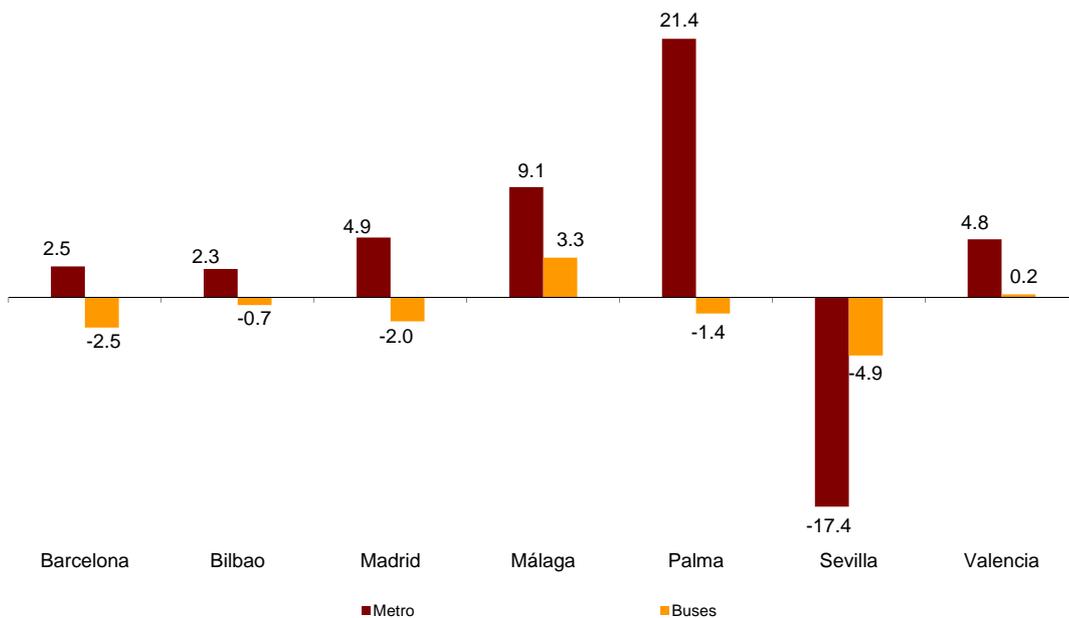
City transport

City transport was used by more than 271.6 million passengers in May, 1.3% more than in the same month of 2017.

Subway transport registered an increase of 3.6%. The greatest increase was recorded in Palma (21.4%) and the only decrease was registered in Sevilla (-17.4%).

Among the cities with subway, the greatest increase in bus transport was registered in Málaga (3.3%), while the greatest decrease was registered in Sevilla (-4.9%).

Annual rate of city transport passengers in major cities with metro

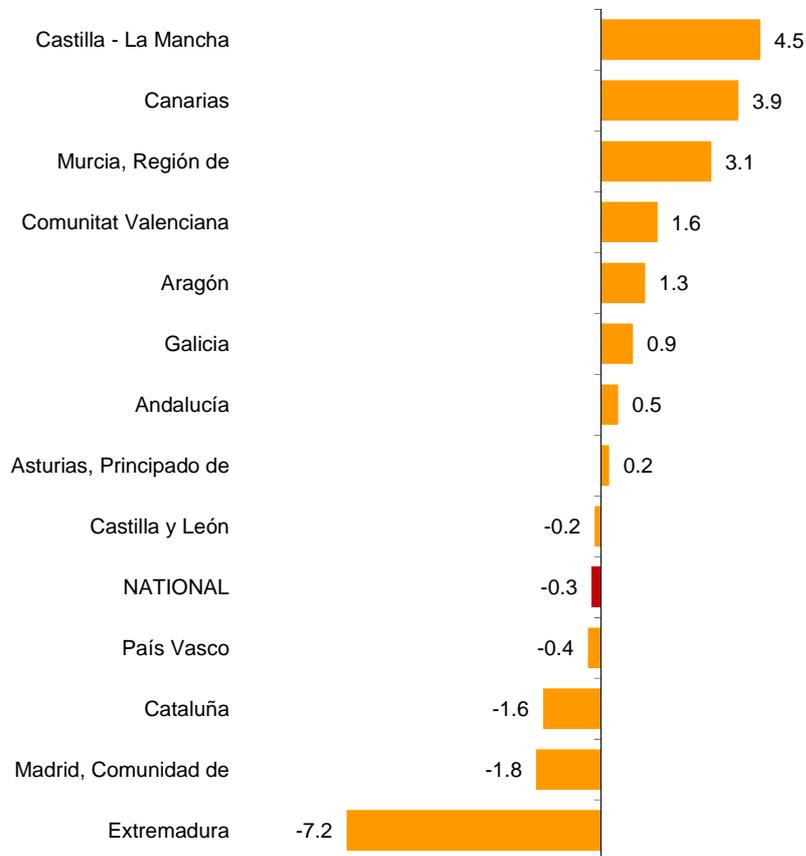


City transport by bus decreased by 0.3% in May, as compared with the same month of the previous year.

The number of passengers of bus transport registered the greatest increases in Castilla–La Mancha (4.5%), Canarias (3.9%) and Región de Murcia (3.1%).

In turn, the largest decreases were registered in Extremadura (-7,2%), Comunidad de Madrid (-1,8%) and Cataluña (-1,6%).

Annual rates of the number of passengers City transport by bus



(1) In order to maintain the statistical secrecy, data of the Autonomous Communities of Illes Balears, Cantabria, Comunidad Foral de Navarra and La Rioja and the Autonomous Cities of Ceuta and Melilla are not separately published.

Inter-city transport

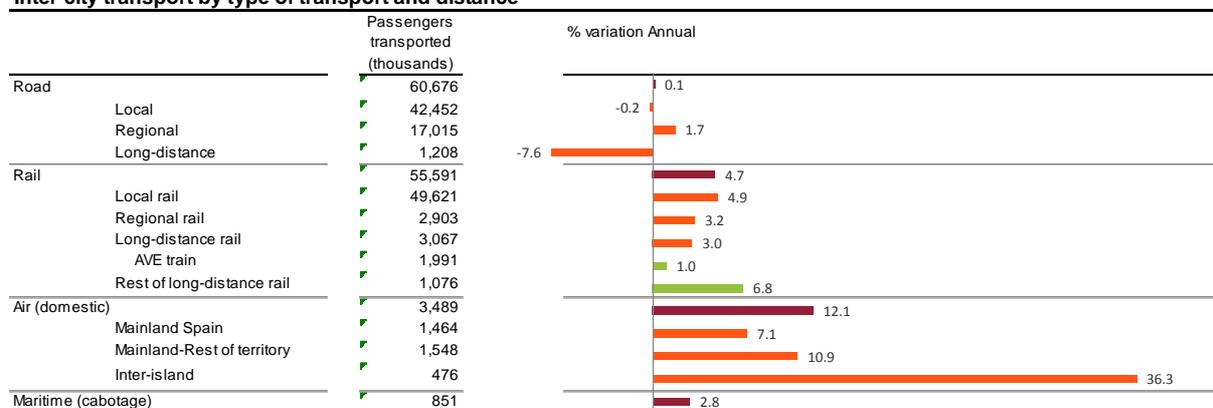
More than 120.6 million passengers used inter-city transport in May, representing a 2.5% increase as compared with the same month of 2017.

By type of transport, air transport increased by 12.1%, rail transport by 4.7%, maritime transport by 2.8%, and bus transport by 0.1%.

Local distance passengers decreased by 0.2% for bus transport and increased by 4.9% for rail transport. Regional distance passengers increased by 1.7% for bus transport and 3.2% for rail transport.

Finally, long distance passengers decreased by 7.6% for bus transport and increased by 3.0% for rail transport. Within the latter, AVE (high speed railway) increased by 1.0%.

Inter-city transport by type of transport and distance



Special and unscheduled transport

More than 56.8 million passengers used special and unscheduled transport in May, indicating an increase of 3.1% in the annual rate.

The number of special transport passengers increased 2.7%, reaching more than 34.9 million users. Within this, school transport increased by 1.3%, and work transport did so by 8.2%.

In turn, unscheduled transport increased 3.8%, as compared with the same month of 2017, reaching more than 21.8 million passengers.

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1. Passenger transport

	Passengers transported (thousands)	% variation	
		Annual	Year-to-date average
BY TYPE OF TRANSPORT	449,055	1.8	2.7
City transport	271,619	1.3	2.2
Inter-city transport	120,606	2.5	3.4
Special and unscheduled transport	56,829	3.1	3.4

2. City transport

	Passengers transported (thousands)	% variation	
		Annual	Year-to-date average
CITY TRANSPORT	271,619	1.3	2.2
Metro	111,488	3.6	4.4
Bus ¹	160,131	-0.3	0.8

¹ Including trams and funiculars

2.1 City transport in major cities with Metro

		Passengers transported (thousands)	% variation	
			Annual	Year-to-date average
Barcelona	City bus	19,885	-2.5	0.9
	Metro	36,771	2.5	2.0
Bilbao	City bus	3,356	-0.7	-2.1
	Metro	8,185	2.3	1.6
Madrid	City bus	37,848	-2.0	-2.4
	Metro	58,296	4.9	6.4
Málaga	City bus	4,248	3.3	2.6
	Metro	564	9.1	7.6
Palma	City bus	3,809	-1.4	0.1
	Metro	96	21.4	24.9
Sevilla	City bus	7,174	-4.9	1.1
	Metro	1,461	-17.4	3.5
Valencia	City bus	8,948	0.2	2.0
	Metro	6,114	4.8	3.1

2.2 Urban transport by bus by Autonomous Cities and Communities

	Passengers transported (thousands)	% variation	
		Annual	Year-to-date average
NATIONAL	160,131	-0.3	0.8
Andalucía	21,676	0.5	2.8
Aragón	11,253	1.3	2.2
Asturias, Principado de	2,830	0.2	1.7
Balears, Illes	(1)	(1)	(1)
Canarias	5,251	3.9	1.7
Cantabria	(1)	(1)	(1)
Castilla y León	6,106	-0.2	2.4
Castilla - La Mancha	1,803	4.5	3.4
Cataluña	27,595	-1.6	1.2
Comunitat Valenciana	13,430	1.6	1.5
Extremadura	982	-7.2	-2.2
Galicia	5,457	0.9	1.0
Madrid, Comunidad de	43,231	-1.8	-1.7
Murcia, Región de	1,837	3.1	3.7
Navarra, Comunidad Foral de	(1)	(1)	(1)
País Vasco	7,973	-0.4	-0.2
Rioja, La	(1)	(1)	(1)
Ceuta	(1)	(1)	(1)
Melilla	(1)	(1)	(1)

3. Inter-city transport

	Passengers transported (thousands)	% variation	
		Annual	Year-to-date average
INTER-CITY TRANSPORT	120,606	2.5	3.4
Road	60,676	0.1	2.0
Local	42,452	-0.2	2.6
Regional	17,015	1.7	1.4
Long-distance	1,208	-7.6	-6.8
Rail ¹	55,591	4.7	4.3
Local rail	49,621	4.9	4.4
Regional rail	2,903	3.2	2.6
Long-distance rail	3,067	3.0	3.8
AVE train	1,991	1.0	3.2
Rest of long-distance rail	1,076	6.8	5.0
Air (domestic)	3,489	12.1	12.7
Mainland Spain	1,464	7.1	11.0
Mainland-Rest of territory	1,548	10.9	9.8
Inter-island	476	36.3	30.8
Maritime (cabotage)	851	2.8	6.7

¹ Local rail includes all rail operators and regional and long-distance rail include only RENFE

4. Special and unscheduled transport

	Passengers transported (thousands)	% variation	
		Annual	Year-to-date average
SPECIAL AND UNSCHEDULED TRANSPORT	56,829	3.1	3.4
Special	34,997	2.7	1.7
School	27,571	1.3	1.4
Work	7,426	8.2	2.8
Unscheduled	21,832	3.8	7.0