

## Passenger Transport Statistics (PT)

March 2012. *Provisional data*

### Main results

- The number of passengers using **city transport decreases 4.1%** in March 2012, as compared with the same month the previous year.
- The number of passengers using city transport decreases 5.3% and inter-city transport decreases 2.7%.
- Special and unscheduled transport decreases a 1.2%, as compared with the same month the previous year.

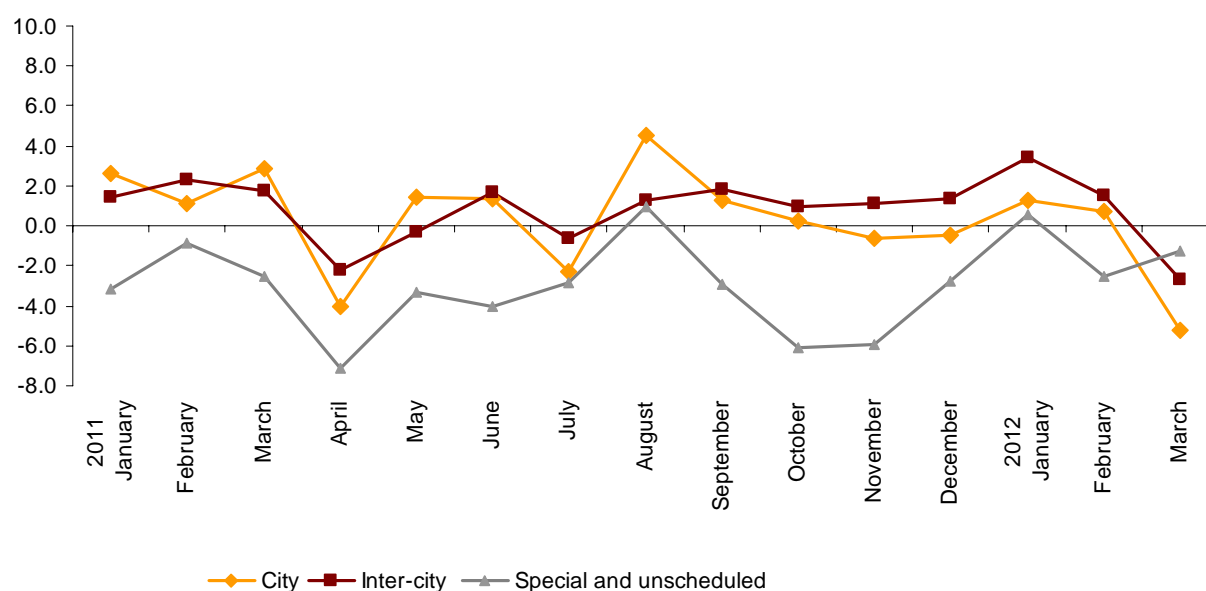
### Passengers transport evolution

More than 426.1 million passengers used public transport in March, 4.1% less than the same month the previous year.

The average rate of the total passengers decreased 0.8%, as compared with the same period of the previous year. By type of transport, all types presented negative average rates during this period, except inter-city transport, which registered an increase of 0.6%.

### Annual evolution of passenger transport

#### Type of transport



## City transport. National results and by Autonomous Community

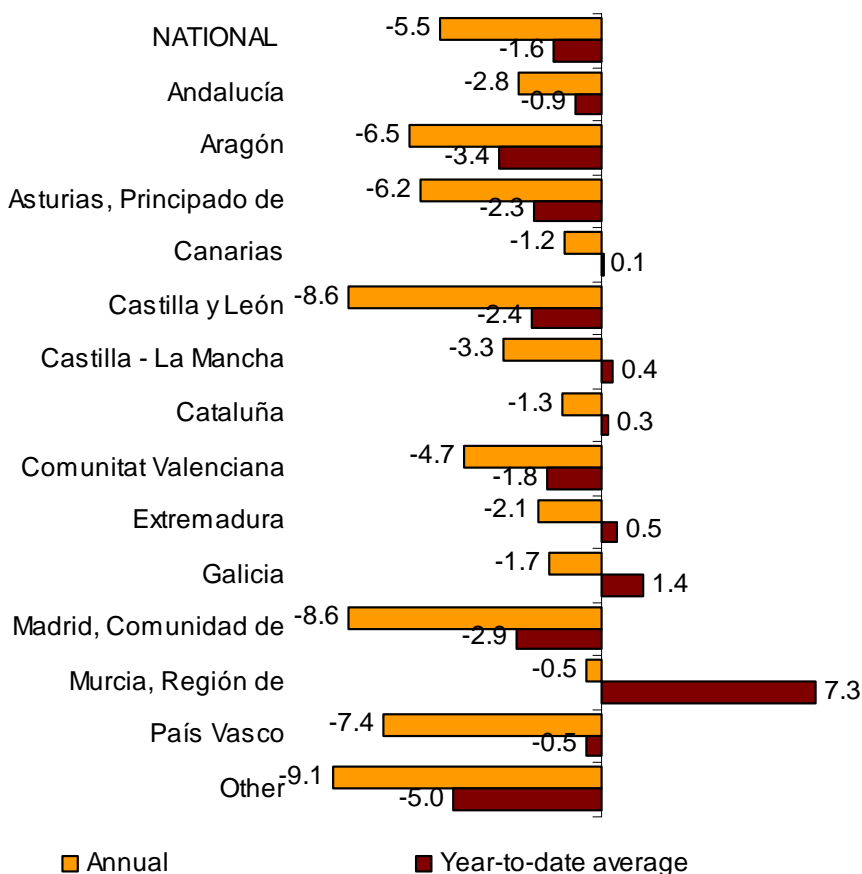
City transport was used by 261.3 million passengers in March, 5.3% less than the same month of the previous year.

Metropolitan transport decreased 4.9% in its interannual rate. All metropolitans registered drops in their interannual rates, except Valencia, which registered an increase of 1.5%.

City transport by bus decreased 5.5% in the interannual rate, with 153.1 million passengers in March.

All Autonomous Community registered negative rates in city transport by bus in March. The higher interannual rates decreases were Castilla y León (-8.6%) and Comunidad de Madrid (-8.6%). Conversely, the lower interannual decreases were Region de Murcia (-0.5%), Canarias (-1.2%) and Cataluña (-1.3%).

### Annual rates and number of passengers average Urban transport by road



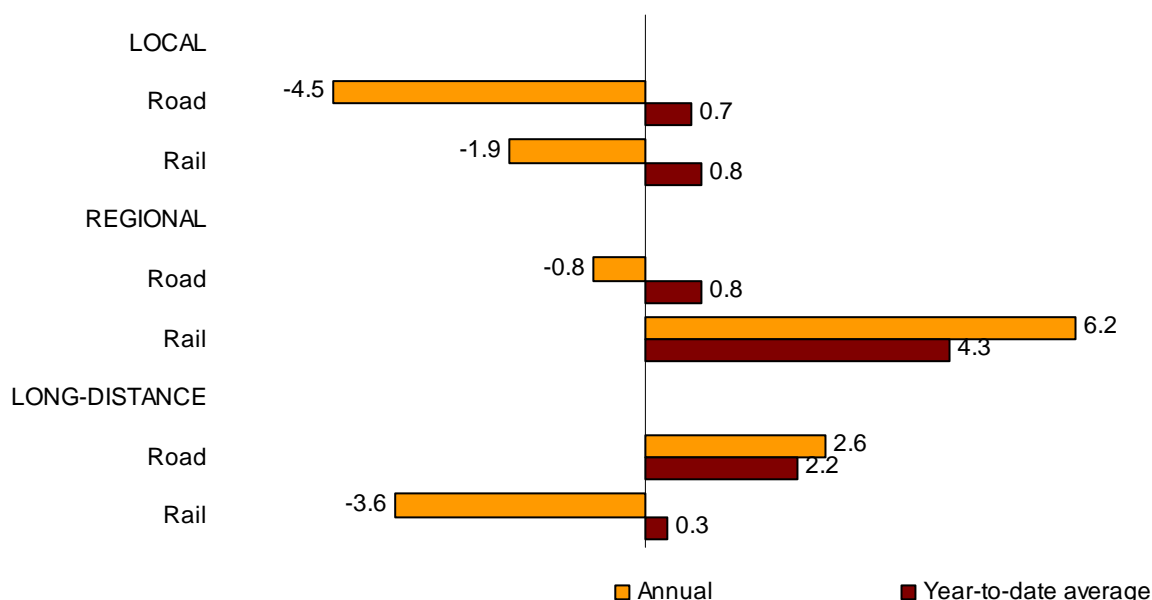
## Inter-city transport

Nearly 113.5 million passengers used inter-city transport in March, indicating an interannual decrease of 2.7%.

All types of transport registered decreases in March, except **sea** transport that registered an increase of 13.2%. **Air** transport registered a decrease of 15.0%, **road** transport (coach) decrease 3.2% and **rail** transport decrease 1.6%.

Local distance passengers decreased 4.5% for bus transport, and 1.9% for rail transport. Regional passengers distance increased 6.2% for rail transport and decreased 0.8% for bus transport. Finally, long-distance passengers increased 2.6% in bus transport and decreased 3.6% in rail transport.

### Annual and average rates of the number of passengers Inter-city por tipo tranport by type of transport and distance



## Special and unscheduled transport

Nearly 51.4 million passengers used special and unscheduled transport in March, indicating a decrease of 1.2% in the interannual rate.

Special transport passengers increased 0.2%, reaching more than 37 million. Within this, work transport decreased 2.3% and school increased 0.9%.

In turn, unscheduled transport decreased 4.7%, as compared with the same month the previous year, reaching 14.1 million passengers.

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### 1. Passenger transport

	Passengers transported (thousands)	% variation	
		Annual	Year-to-date average
<b>BY TYPE OF TRANSPORT</b>	426,113	-4.1	-0.8
City transport	261,300	-5.3	-1.3
Inter-city transport	113,479	-2.7	0.6
Special and unscheduled transport	51,335	-1.2	-1.1

## 2. City transport

	Passengers transported (thousands)	% variation	
		Annual	Year-to-date average
<b>CITY TRANSPORT</b>	261,300	-5.3	-1.3
Metropolitan	108,169	-4.9	-0.8
Bus <sup>(1)</sup>	153,131	-5.5	-1.6

<sup>(1)</sup> This includes trams and funiculars

### 2.1 Metropolitan

	Passengers transported (thousands)	% variation	
		Annual	Year-to-date average
<b>TOTAL</b>	108,169	-4.9	-0.8
Barcelona	34,344	-2.7	-0.7
Bilbao	8,166	-6.0	-1.2
Madrid	56,719	-6.8	-0.9
Sevilla	1,344	-6.0	-2.2
Valencia/València	7,501	1.5	1.3
Palma	95	-25.3	-12.0

### 2.2 City bus transport

	Passengers transported (thousands)	% variation	
		Annual	Year-to-date average
<b>TOTAL</b>	153,131	-5.5	-1.6
Andalucía	20,156	-2.8	-0.9
Aragón	10,766	-6.5	-3.4
Asturias, Principado de	3,031	-6.2	-2.3
Canarias	4,688	-1.2	0.1
Castilla y León	6,520	-8.6	-2.4
Castilla - La Mancha	2,199	-3.3	0.4
Cataluña	25,911	-1.3	0.3
Comunitat Valenciana	11,474	-4.7	-1.8
Extremadura	1,126	-2.1	0.5
Galicia	5,486	-1.7	1.4
Madrid, Comunidad de	43,517	-8.6	-2.9
Murcia, Región de	1,769	-0.5	7.3
País Vasco	6,960	-7.4	-0.5
Other <sup>(1)</sup>	9,527	-9.1	-5.0

<sup>(1)</sup> In order to protect statistical secrecy, the passengers of the Autonomous Communities of Illes Balears, Cantabria, Comunidad Foral de Navarra and La Rioja and of the Autonomous Cities of Ceuta and Melilla have been grouped

### 3. Inter-city transport

	Passengers transported (thousands)	% variation	
		Annual	Year-to-date average
<b>INTER-CITY TRANSPORT</b>	113,479	-2.7	0.6
Road	57,627	-3.2	0.7
Local	38,351	-4.5	0.7
Regional	17,715	-0.8	0.8
Long-distance	1,561	2.6	2.2
Rail <sup>(1)</sup>	52,630	-1.6	1.0
Local rail	47,916	-1.9	0.8
Regional rail	2,825	6.2	4.3
Long-distance rail	1,889	-3.6	0.3
Air (domestic)	2,746	-15.0	-11.8
Sea (cabotage)	476	13.2	13.7

<sup>(1)</sup> Local and regional rail include all rail operators and Long-distance rail only includes RENFE

### 4. Special and unscheduled transport

	Passengers transported (thousands)	% variation	
		Annual	Year-to-date average
<b>SPECIAL AND UNSCHEDULED TRANSPORT</b>	51,335	-1.2	-1.1
Special	37,193	0.2	-0.3
School	28,940	0.9	0.2
Work	8,253	-2.3	-1.7
Unscheduled	14,142	-4.7	-3.6