

Passenger Transport Statistics (PT)

April 2012. *Provisional data*

Main results

- The number of passengers using **city transport decreases 4.5%** in April 2012, as compared with the same month the previous year.
- The number of passengers using city transport decreases 4.8% and inter-city transport decreases 3.0%.
- Special and unscheduled transport decreases a 6.7%, as compared with the same month the previous year.

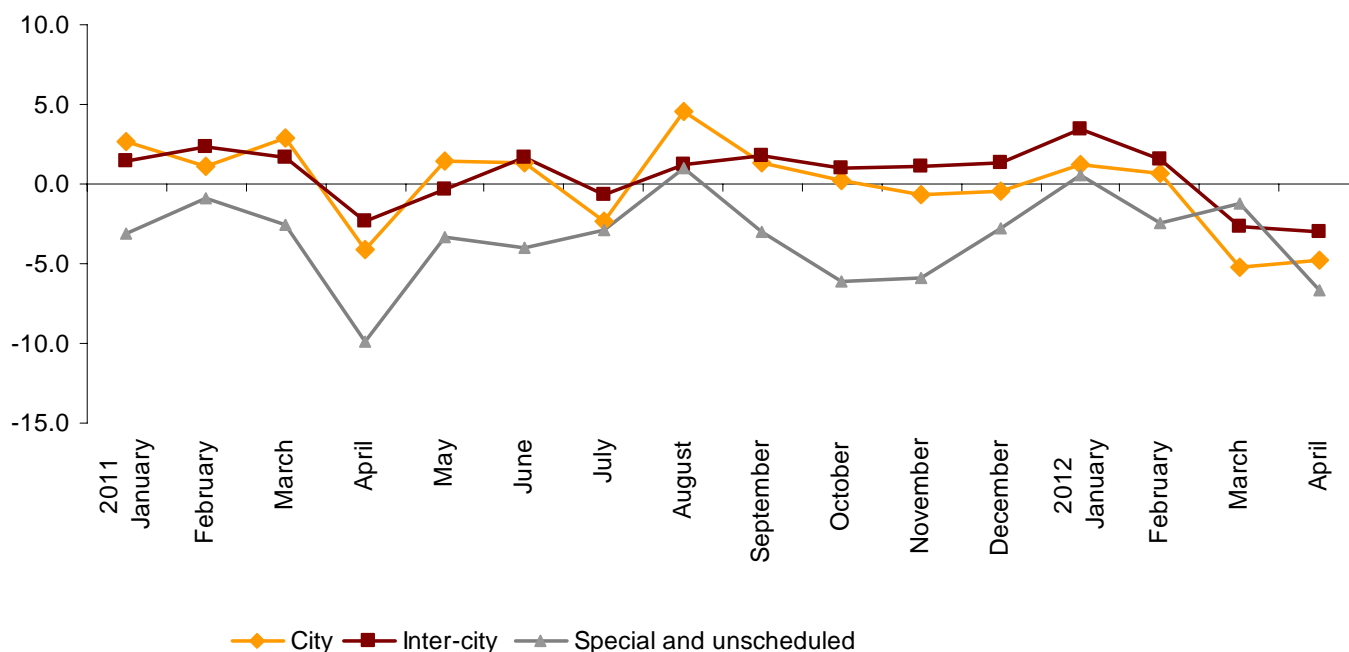
Passengers transport evolution

Nearly 375 million passengers used public transport in April, 4.5% less than the same month the previous year.

The average rate of the total passengers decreased 1.7% for the first four months of the year, as compared with the same period of the previous year. By type of transport, all types presented negative average rates during this period.

Annual evolution of passenger transport

Type of transport



City transport. National results and by Autonomous Community

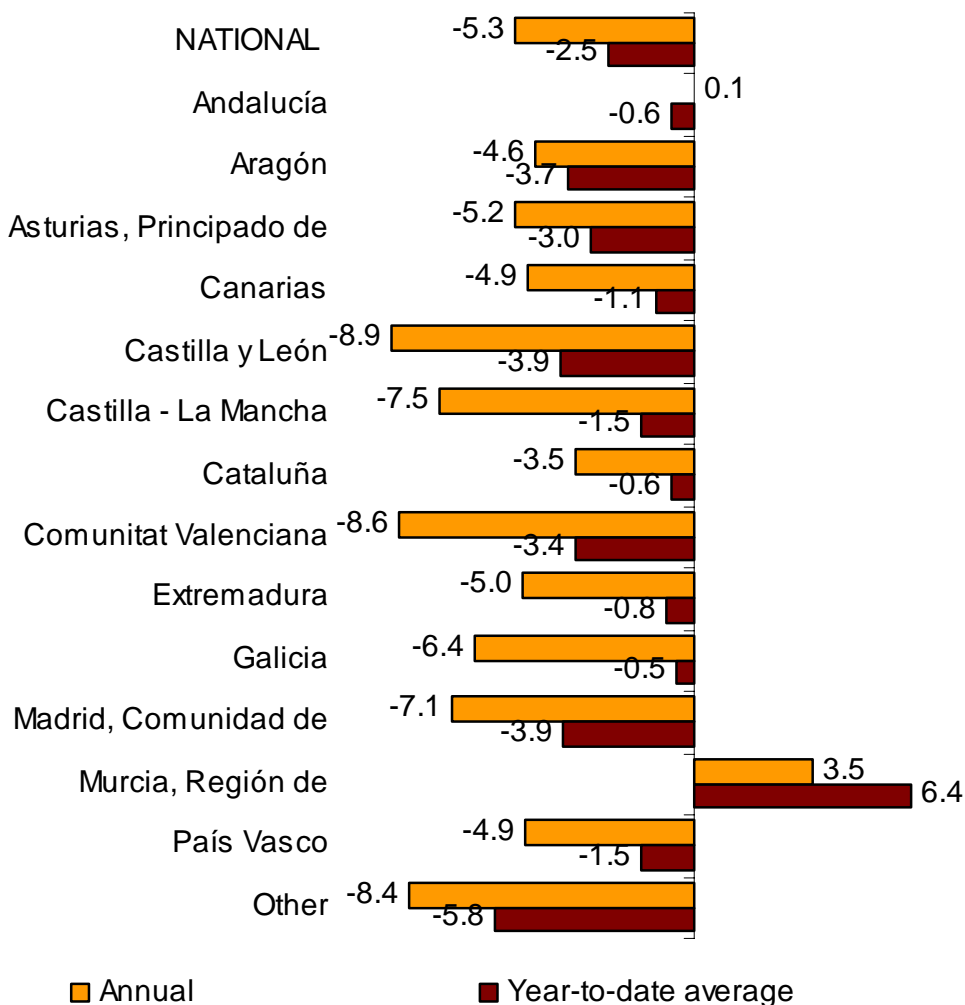
City transport was used by 229.6 million passengers in April, 4.8% less than the same month of the previous year.

Metropolitan transport decreased 4.1% in its interannual rate. All metropolitans registered drops in their interannual rates, except Sevilla and Palma, which registered an increases of 20.9% and 10.4%, respectively.

City transport by bus decreased 5.3% in the interannual rate, with 134.9 million passengers in April.

All Autonomous Community, except Region de Murcia (3.5%) and Andalucia (0.1%), registered negative rates in city transport by bus in April. The higher interannual rates decreases were Castilla y Leon (-8.9%) and Comunitat Valenciana (-8.6%).

Annual rates and number of passengers average Urban transport by road



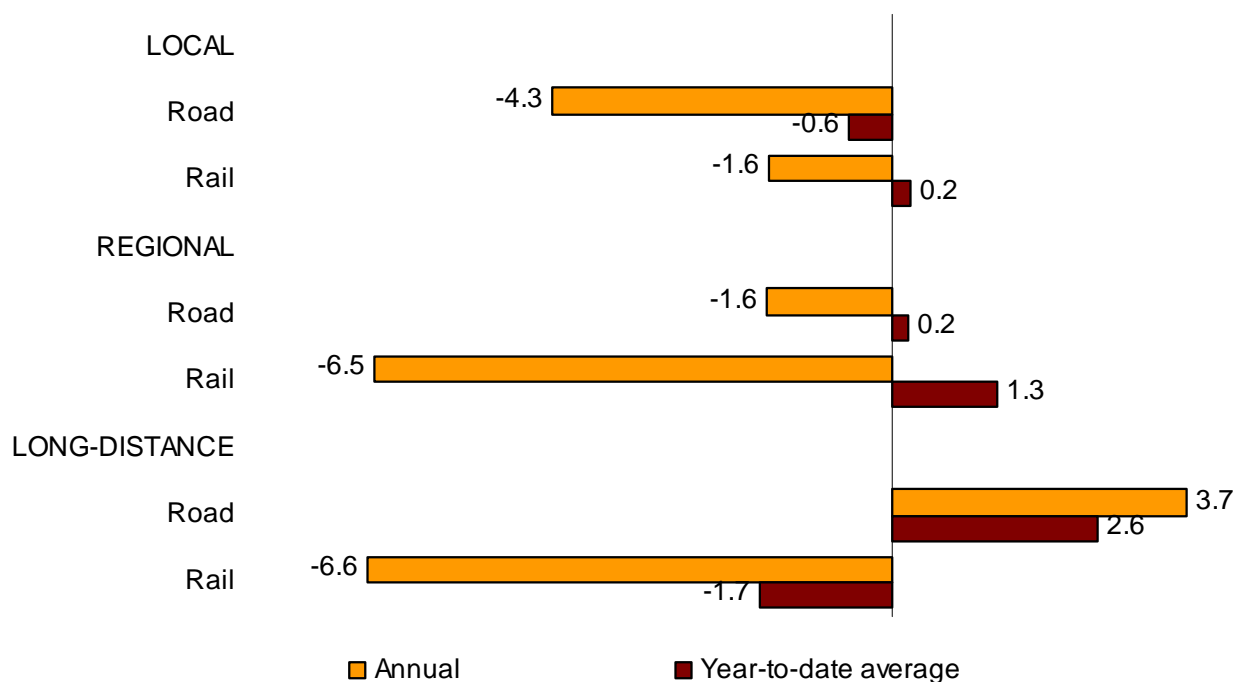
Inter-city transport

Nearly 102.6 million passengers used inter-city transport in April, indicating an interannual decrease of 3.0%.

All types of transport registered decreases in April, except **sea** transport that registered an increase of 4.9%. **Air** transport registered a decrease of 14.1%, **road** transport (coach) decrease 3.2% and **rail** transport decrease 2.1%.

Local distance passengers decreased 4.3% for bus transport, and 1.6% for rail transport. Regional passengers distance decreased 6.5% for rail transport and 1.6% for bus transport. Finally, long-distance passengers increased 3.7% in bus transport and decreased 6.6% in rail transport.

Annual and average rates of the number of passengers Inter-city transport by type of transport and distance



Special and unscheduled transport

More than 42.7 million passengers used special and unscheduled transport in April, indicating a decrease of 6.7% in the interannual rate.

Special transport passengers decreased 5.0%, reaching 28.7 million. Within this, school transport decreased 6.1% and work 1.7%.

In turn, unscheduled transport decreased 9.9%, as compared with the same month the previous year, exceeding 14 million passengers.

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1. Passenger transport

	Passengers transported (thousands)	% variation	
		Annual	Year-to-date average
BY TYPE OF TRANSPORT	374,862	-4.5	-1.7
City transport	229,597	-4.8	-2.1
Inter-city transport	102,559	-3.0	-0.3
Special and unscheduled transport	42,705	-6.7	-2.5

2. City transport

	Passengers transported (thousands)	% variation	
		Annual	Year-to-date average
CITY TRANSPORT	229,597	-4.8	-2.1
Metropolitan	94,652	-4.1	-1.6
Bus ⁽¹⁾	134,945	-5.3	-2.5

⁽¹⁾ This includes trams and funiculars

2.1 Metropolitan

	Passengers transported (thousands)	% variation	
		Annual	Year-to-date average
TOTAL	94,652	-4.1	-1.6
Barcelona	31,333	-4.5	-1.7
Bilbao	6,491	-7.2	-2.5
Madrid	49,995	-4.1	-1.7
Sevilla	1,858	20.9	4.3
Valencia/València	4,875	-5.7	-0.2
Palma	100	10.4	-7.1

2.2 City bus transport

	Passengers transported (thousands)	% variation	
		Annual	Year-to-date average
TOTAL	134,945	-5.3	-2.5
Andalucía	19,389	0.1	-0.6
Aragón	9,391	-4.6	-3.7
Asturias, Principado de	2,716	-5.2	-3.0
Canarias	4,199	-4.9	-1.1
Castilla y León	5,615	-8.9	-3.9
Castilla - La Mancha	1,885	-7.5	-1.5
Cataluña	22,846	-3.5	-0.6
Comunitat Valenciana	9,501	-8.6	-3.4
Extremadura	909	-5.0	-0.8
Galicia	4,758	-6.4	-0.5
Madrid, Comunidad de	37,555	-7.1	-3.9
Murcia, Región de	1,556	3.5	6.4
País Vasco	5,971	-4.9	-1.5
Other ⁽¹⁾	8,655	-8.4	-5.8

⁽¹⁾ 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
INTER-CITY TRANSPORT	102,559	-3.0	-0.3
Road	52,296	-3.2	-0.2
Local	34,413	-4.3	-0.6
Regional	16,318	-1.6	0.2
Long-distance	1,565	3.7	2.6
Rail ⁽¹⁾	46,791	-2.1	0.2
Local rail	42,121	-1.6	0.2
Regional rail	2,751	-6.5	1.3
Long-distance rail	1,919	-6.6	-1.7
Air (domestic)	2,819	-14.1	-12.5
Sea (cabotage)	653	4.9	10.7

⁽¹⁾ 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
SPECIAL AND UNSCHEDULED TRANSPORT	42,705	-6.7	-2.5
Special	28,680	-5.0	-1.3
School	21,311	-6.1	-1.2
Work	7,369	-1.7	-1.7
Unscheduled	14,025	-9.9	-5.5