

Chicago Transit Authority

Rapid transit system Operating facts

Weekday service

Route		One-way trip in minutes		Distance in miles between stations		Equipment required rush base		Train headways in minutes			
		rush	base	one-way		trains	cars	ea. way	rush	base	owl
E	Evanston express	50½	43½	15	0.9	18	x 4	53	4	30	—
	" shuttle	—	13	4	0.4	—		114	—	8	30
L	Loop	12	10	2	0.2	2	x 2	138	6	5	—
EH JH	North-South	52	51	20	0.7	38	x 8	280	3	4	15
R	Ravenswood	31	30½	10	0.6	16	x 6	220	4	8	45
S	Skokie Swift	7	7	5	5.0	7	x 1	111	4	15	—
CM DM	West-Northwest	48	46	19	0.7	40	x 6	328	3	4	15
LD	West-South	42½	40½	21	0.9	26	x 8	233	3	5	30

Notes: L Last trip 1830 hours.
R Between 0030 and 0500 operates Kimball-Belmont only on 45-minute headway.
S Last trip 2300 hours.

The system operates approximately 1500 train departures in each direction, using a maximum of 145 trains containing 931 cars.

Other information

Mileage	Route 1st track	System All tracks
Ballasted	41	118
Elevated	39	104
Underground	10	21
Total	90	243
Annual car miles	51 million	
Revenue passengers	134 million	
Bus transfer passengers	17 million	
Total	151 million	

Number of stations 148

On an average weekday 530 thousand riders are served. One-fifth of them change trains to complete their journey, making a total of 625 thousand rapid transit rides per day.


Operation downtown

On Loop 'L'

- LD** Dan Ryan to Lake via outer track
Lake to Dan Ryan via inner track
Service all times
- R** Ravenswood via outer track
No owl or Sun service
- E** Evanston Express via inner track
Mon-Fri rush hours
- L** Loop shuttle train via inner track
No evening, owl or Sun service

In subways—service all times

- North-South via State Street
- EH Englewood-Howard
- JH Jackson Park-Howard
- West-Northwest via Dearborn Street
- CM Congress-Milwaukee
- DM Douglas-Milwaukee

 Transfer point between rapid transit service
Between 'L' and subway downtown, paper transfer
is needed—obtain from agent at station of change

Dan Ryan LD West-South Route

Service all times

AB 65 67 79 69 63

Boarding inbound only
at these stations

King Dr
Cottage Grove
University

Jackson Pk
**Jackson Park JH
North-South Route**
Service all times

**Douglas DM
West-Northwest Route**
Service all times

**Congress CM
West-Northwest Route**
Service all times

Cicero-Berwyn
Laramie 50
Cicero
Kildare
Pulaski
Central Park
Kedzie
California
Western
Hoyne

Sox-35
Cermak-Chinatown
U of I/Halsted
Clinton
Roosevelt

All stations downtown are AB stations
For detail of operation downtown see upper left

Desplaines
Harlem
Oak Park
Austin
Central
Cicero
Kostner
Pulaski
Kedzie
California
Western
Medical Center
Racine
Ashland
Halsted

Quincy
LaSalle
Dearborn
State
Wabash
Harrison
Congress
Van Buren
Jackson
Adams
Monroe
Madison
Washington
Randolph

AB Harlem
AB Oak Park
AB Ridgeland
AB Austin
AB Central
AB Laramie
AB Cicero
AB Pulaski
AB Homan
AB Kedzie
AB California
AB Western
AB Division
AB Chicago

**Lake LD
West-South Route**
Service all times

Clark
Grand
Chicago
Clark/Division
Sedgwick
Armitage
Fullerton

AB Oak Park
AB Ridgeland
AB Austin
AB Central
AB Laramie
AB Cicero
AB Pulaski
AB Homan
AB Kedzie
AB California
AB Western
AB Division
AB Chicago

Jefferson Park
Montrose
Irving Park
Addison
Belmont
Logan Square
California
Western
Damen
Division
Chicago
Grand
Moore
Clark
Chicago
Clark/Division
Sedgwick
Armitage
Fullerton

Belmont
Addison
Sheridan
Wilson
Lawrence
Argyle
Berwyn
Bryn Mawr
Thorndale
Granville
Loyola
Morse
Howard

O'Hare Airport
40-O'Harexpress
bus service

**Milwaukee CM DM
West-Northwest Route**
Service all times

AB Kimball
AB Kedzie
AB Francisco
AB Rockwell
AB Western
AB Damen

**Howard EH JH
North-South Route**
Service all times

Evanston Express operates to Midse Mart and Loop
Mon-Fri rush hours. Stops at Morse and Loyola
southbound in AM and northbound in PM.

Skokie Swift S
6 AM-11 PM Mon-Fri
7 AM-11 PM Sat
Dempster



Evanston E
Linden-Howard, all times; continues
to Loop Mon-Fri rush hours

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