

# AC Transit Basic Route Map

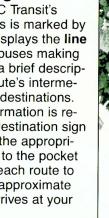
## **Pocket Timetables**

The routes depicted on this map are AC Transit's basic network of East Bay (and Transbay) bus lines. During weekday commute periods, buses on many of these lines divert from the shown routes to go into virtually every neighborhood. Details of this expanded commute-hour service (and of other special services) are available on individual Pocket Timetables — small folders with each bus line name and number on the cover. In these folders, you will find diagrams of the route and timetables for each line. A Pocket Timetable is available from your bus driver. Timetables also may be obtained from AC Transit Customer Services (508 16th Street, Oakland, CA 94612) or call Transit Information the clerk will answer your questions and, on request, mail the timetables you need.



## **Bus Stop Signs**

Each one of AC Transit's 7,200 bus stops is marked by a sign which displays the line number of all buses making that stop, and a brief description of each route's intermediate and final destinations. This same information is repeated in the destination sign on the front of the appropriate bus. Refer to the pocket timetables for each route to determine the approximate time the bus arrives at your bus stop.



## **Monthly Pass**

Bus riders find that AC Transit's Monthly Pass is the best deal in town. A \$15 pass entitles you to unlimited rides for one month on all local East Bay bus service (on Intercity Express buses, showing the pass reduces the fare by 35¢). Not good on Transbay or BART express routes. You can save a bundle with just one purchase each month. Passes available last week of preceding month and first week of effective month at Safeway, Lucky, and CO-OP stores throughout the East Bay (west of the hills), and from the AC Transit Customer Services Center, 508 16th Street. Oakland, CA 94612.

## Fares & Tickets

Please pay exact fare on boarding the bus — drivers carry no cash and do not make change.

You may pay your bus fare in cash, show a monthly pass or use tickets — convenience tickets are available in books of 20-rides for East Bay local bus service (35¢ adult fare), for Intercity Express bus service and for Transbay trips. (Convenience tickets are available for the zones in Intercity

## Express and Transbay bus service). You may purchase convenience tickets at AC Transit Customer Services, 508 16th Street, Oakland, or at the Transbay Transit Terminal. First and Mission Streets. San Francisco.

In an emergency, if you do not have exact change the

bus driver will accept up to \$5. A refund coupon will be

the coupon for redemption. You may come in person (or

issued for your change. Please wait five days, then submit

mail the coupon, with a stamped, self-addressed envelope)

to AC Transit, 508 16th Street, Oakland, CA 94612, Office

hours are 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday

Seniors Handicapped\*\*

## Sunday/Holiday Pass

(except holidays).

Express

For a series of visits or a day of sightseeing, you may buy a 75¢ pass that allows unlimited bus riding on Sundays and holidays to anywhere in the East Bay. Get your pass from the driver when you first board the bus, and it's good for rides all that day. A lot of travel for a bargain price. And it's only 30¢ for senior citizens and handicapped persons with a Transit Discount ID Card.

75¢-\$1.25\* 30¢-40¢\* 30¢-40¢\*

Lowest fare from central zone. Additional zone charge for

Reduced fare in off-peak hours only, with rider display-

ing Bay Region Transit Discount ID Card available from

## **Shop-Around Pass**

Buy a pass from your bus driver, for a single 35¢ bus fare anywhere in Downtown Oakland, the San Leandro central business district, or the Shattuck Avenue business district of Berkeley. Use it to ride back and forth, in any direction within the downtown area, between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. And it's good for your trip home too, before the 3 p.m. deadline.

When you board a bus and you're not using a Monthly Pass, ask for a transfer. Then "stop-off and go-again" as many times as you like, within a reasonable time limit—as long as you don't reverse your direction. You may ride the same line again, or adjacent lines. Simply present your transfer to the driver for validation. It's a great idea for storehopping, and there's no extra charge.

Going to BART? Pay your regular bus fare. On your return trip, get a free transfer from the transfer machine inside the BART station. Present this transfer to bus driver for a local ride to continue your trip.

### **Lost Articles**

A friendly reminder... before leaving the bus, please be sure you have all your belongings.

Articles inadvertently left on buses, when found by the driver, are turned over (usually the following day) to the Customer Services Center, Lobby, 508 16th Street, Oakland, where they may be recovered upon proper identification by the owner. Call 654-7878, Ext. 250, between 9:30 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday.

## Basic Weekday Bus Service

6 am-9 pm

6 am-1 am

6 am-1 am

5 am - 2 am

6 am-9 am/2 pm-7 pm

6 am - 8 am/2 pm - 7 pm

6 am-1 am

5 am-12 am

6 am-12 am

6 am-12 pm

6 am-12 pm

6 am - 7 pm

6 am - 8 am/4 pm - 6 pm

5 am-12 am

5 am-12 am

6 am-7 am/4 pm-6 pm

6 am - 7 am/5 pm - 6 pm

On Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays buses operate at less frequent intervals (and commute-hour-only bus lines do not operate). Please refer to pocket timetables

6 am - 9 am/3 pm - 6 pm

r specific details of weekend and holiday bus service.

6 am-7 am/4 pm-6 pm

s	Hours of Operation	Commute Hour	Midday	Night	two counties.	
		- inal cons			Voters went to the polls in 1959 and passed a \$16 million	
	6 am - 12 am	6-15	30	30	bond issue to buy out the predecessor company and created the Transit District. And in October, 1960, AC Transit	
	6 am – 10 pm	15-20	30	45		
	5 am – 1 am	20-22	22	30	went into service with an ambitious program which include	
	5 am-12 am	22	35	45	many immediate improvements.	
	5 am – 2 am	10	15	20-30		
	6 am -6 pm	20	45		When the District went into operation, it served 11 cities	
	5 am – 1 am	10	15	30	(with trips to and from San Francisco) covering approxi-	
	5 am-10 pm	30	30	60	mately 175 square miles of the urban East Bay — basically	
	7 am-8 am/3 pm-5 pm	30			the area depicted on this route guide. The planning then	
	6 am - 9 am/4 pm - 6 pm	20			was to operate a fleet of more than 500 buses on 73 lines.	
	6 am - 6 pm	16-18	30			
4	6 am-9 am/3 pm-6 pm	20			Since then, AC Transit never stopped growing.	
	6 am -6 pm	4	15		Today, the fleet numbers more than 800 buses - from	
	6 am - 7 am/4 pm - 5 pm	15-20			small 25-passenger coaches used in suburban areas — to	
	6 am-8 am/2 pm-6 pm	15-25			large 69-seat articulated buses 60 feet long, and employed	
	7 am-6 pm	60	60			
	6 am-10 am/3 pm-7 pm	12-13			on heavily-patronized urban bus lines. And the service are	
43	24 hrs.	5	10	15-20	(including the bus service shown on this map) totals more	
	4 am-3 am	20	20	30	than 600 square miles of urban and suburban Alameda	
87	6 am-6 pm	20	20-30		and Contra Costa counties. The District meets the transpor	
58	4 am -2 am	5	10	20	tation needs of more than 6 million riders each month.	
	5 am - 12 am	12	15	30		
	6 am – 10 pm	15	15-30	40		
	5 am - 7 pm	20	30		AC Transit Operating Statistics	
	5 am - 11 pm	15	30	60	In District 1 (Convice Area shown on mon)*	
	5 am-2 am	6-8	15	30-40	In District 1 (Service Area shown on map)*	
76	6 am - 8 pm	11	30	60	Area: 175 square miles	
	6 am - 7 pm	20-30	30		Fleet: 625 Buses	
	6 am - 12 am	19	30	45	1 loct. 023 buses	
	6 am - 7 pm	20	30		Number of Routes:	
	6 am-9 am/4 pm-6 pm	15-20			Commute-hour 134 Total	
	6 am - 12 pm	12-16	30	30-60	TO TOTAL	
	6 am -6 pm	30	45		Basic Service Routes 85 Total	
	6 am-11 pm	15-20	30	30	Annual Mileage:	
	6 am – 7 pm	30	30		Transbay 8.8 million	
	24 hrs.	5	10	15-20	East Bay 16.3 million	
	5 am – 10 pm	20	30	30-60		
	6 am -8 pm	20	30	30	Total 25.1 million	
-	4 am –2 am	30	30	30	Passenger Trips:	
	4 am –2 am	30	30	30		
83	24 hrs.	5-15	8-30	15-30	Average weekday 240,000	
	6 am – 7 pm	16	30	15-30	Average month 5,500,000	
	6 am – 9 am/3 pm – 6 pm	45	30		Annual 60,000,000	
-	5 am – 1 am	79700	17	20	Longest Ride without Transfer 28 miles	
92		13	17	30	Longest Ride with one Transfer 40 miles	
J_	5 am - 10 pm	10-30	20-60	60		
	6 am -7 pm	5-25	20-30	30	*In addition, AC Transit operates another 80 to 90 buses in	
	6 am -11 pm	20	20	30	suburban service areas not shown on this map (including	
4	6 am – 10 pm	20-30	30-60		casalsali col vice areas not ellevin ell tille map (melading	

For the comfort and convenience of elderly and handicapped persons, several seats near the driver have been identified for their use. Your cooperation would be appreciated in yielding the designated seats when these riders board the bus.



comfort of all AC Transit riders . . . and remember... while on the bus, Laws and regulations Prohibit Smoking, Eating/Drinking and the playing of Radios.

The Alameda-Contra Costa Transit District — better known as AC Transit — is an innovative, modern bus system owned by the public. Its family tree dates back to October. 1869, when a horse car first pulled out of Jack London Square and moved up Broadway in Oakland, inaugurating a mass transportation system which now serves most of the two counties. Voters went to the polls in 1959 and passed a \$16 million bond issue to buy out the predecessor company and created the Transit District. And in October, 1960, AC Transit

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## **AC Transit Operating Statistics** In District 1 (Service Area shown on map)\*

\*In addition, AC Transit operates another 80 to 90 buses in suburban service areas not shown on this map (including the cities of Fremont and Newark; communities in Central, Eastern and Western Contra Costa County; and the Livermore-San Ramon Valleys). This additional service, covering approximately 400 square miles of the two counties, provides transportation to another half million riders each month.





## Laws & Regulations

Please be mindful of the needs and



Expanded commute-hour service is operated during weekday peak periods. For details of this commute-hour network (and other special services), refer to pocket timetables for each route - available from bus driver or by mail from AC Transit (508 16th Street, Oakland) or call Transit Information:

653 3535 582 3035

232 5665 428 2266

Oakland & San Francisco Hayward Area Richmond Area TTY (Teletype writer ONLY)

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