

ESSEN, GERMANY - THE SPURBUS

“ **Essen** has **566,201** inhabitants. **17%** of total trips are made by public transport, as showed in the graph below.

MODAL SPLIT - ESSEN

“ The city has started the system in **1980** and now counts with **1** bus priority corridors consisting of **24** kilometers and benefiting **17,000** passengers every day. The average operational speed of the system is **16.5** km/h.

SYSTEM LENGTH IN RELATION TO GERMANY

DAILY DEMAND IN RELATION TO GERMANY

SOME TECHNICAL DETAILS ABOUT CORRIDORS ARE PRESENTED IN THE TABLE BELOW.

Corridor Name	Daily demand, corridor (passengers per day)	Corridor length (km)	Stations, corridor	Pre-board fare collection, corridor	Overtaking lanes, corridor	Station boarding level, corridor	Operating speed, corridor
The Spurbus	17,000	24.2		None	None	Low-level platform	16.5