

# SYSTEM WIDE FACT SHEET



## Service Overview

DART First State is Delaware's statewide public transportation provider, operating fixed-route bus service, intercounty bus service, Beach Bus service, DART Connect microtransit, ADA paratransit, and SEPTA Regional Rail service.

## Quick Facts

-  First Day of Service: July 1, 1995
-  Total Geographic Area Served: 1,982 Square Miles (Statewide Coverage)
-  Total Passenger Trips (FY2025): 6.9 million
-  Year-Round Bus Routes: 43
-  Bus Stops: 2,300+
-  Park & Ride Lots: 25
-  Park & Pools: 12
-  Employees: 1,000+

## Services Provided

### Bus Services

- Fixed Route Service
  - New Castle County: 24
  - Kent County: 8
  - Sussex County: 6
- Seasonal Beach Bus Service: 3
- Intercounty Service: 4
- FLEX Service: 1

### Regional Rail

SEPTA Stations in Delaware: 4

SEPTA Wilmington/Newark Line

### Paratransit Accessible Transportation

### On-Demand Service

DART Connect

- Newark Zone
- Georgetown/Millsboro Zone

*How much does it cost?*

1-Zone one-way fare is \$2

1-Zone Daily Pass is \$4

Paratransit is \$4

DART Connect is \$2 per ride

Regional Rail vary based on trip details including the zone of your start and end station

### DART Transit Centers

Wilmington Transit Center  
Dover Transit Center  
Newark Transit Hub  
Georgetown Transit Hub  
Lewes Transit Center  
Claymont Transportation Center

### Performance Metrics (Fiscal Year 2025)

Fixed Route Trips: 5,346,439  
Paratransit Trips: 866,880  
DART Connect Trips: 30,563  
SEPTA Trips: 654,866  
Fixed Route Vehicles: 250  
Paratransit Vehicles: 281  
Rail Cars: 4



## Value to Delaware

- Connects residents to essential services.
- Supports Delaware's workforce.
- Reduces congestion and environmental impacts.
- Enhances mobility across the state.

## Looking Ahead

- Expansion of DART Connect service areas
- Fleet modernization
- Enhanced customer technology
- Improved statewide connectivity



For more information about DART Service

## Key Message

DART First State bus service connects your community, supports our local economy, and provides the reliable transportation you need every day to strengthen Delaware's quality of life statewide.