

COMPARISON OF WEEKLY BUS AND CAR TRAVEL COSTS, AUGUST 2008

REGION	JOURNEY	BUS NO.	WEEKLY CAR COMMUTE (MILES)	CAR TRAVEL COSTS £ (FUEL + PARKING)*	BUS TRAVEL COSTS# £	SAVING BY BUS £	SAVING BY BUS %
Cambridgeshire	Histon -Cambridge	7	50	57.73	10	47.73	83
Cambridgeshire	Huntingdon-Cambridge	55	180	77.82	20	57.82	74
South Wales	Pontypool-Newport	X24	95	33.13	19.50	13.63	41
Yorkshire	Clay Cross-Chesterfield	51/54	47	19.02	10.50	8.52	45
Yorkshire	Mexborough-Doncaster	220-222	83	30.50	10	20.50	67
Yorkshire	Chapelton-Sheffield	88	64	31.39	10	21.39	68
Warwickshire	Bedworth-Coventry	48	61	34.45	9.50	24.95	72
Oxfordshire	Witney-Oxford	100	120	92.91	21	71.91	77
Devon	Tiverton-Exeter	55	147	30.24	22	8.24	27
Devon	Plymouth-Exeter	X38	450	73.90	30	43.90	59
Devon	Torquay-Exeter	X46	240	43.38	30	13.38	31
East	Bedford-Cambridge	X5	320	56.77	25	31.77	56
East	Wellingborough-Northampton	X4/X46	120	42.75	22	20.75	49
North West	Southport-Preston	X2	180	48.89	23	25.89	53
North West	Morecambe-Lancaster	2/2A/3/4	46	36.74	12	24.74	67
Manchester	Urmston-Manchester City Centre	15	62	36.69	10	26.69	73
Manchester	Stockport-Manchester City Centre	192	81	39.22	10	29.22	75
Manchester	Audenshaw-Manchester City Centre	219	48	34.66	10	24.66	71
East Kent	Folkestone-Canterbury	16	130	31.39	18	13.39	43
East Scotland	Scone-Perth	7	29	20.43	6.25	14.18	69
East Scotland	Ferrytoll-Edinburgh	Various	125	68.02	21	47.02	69
North East	Kingston Park-Newcastle City Centre	X47	49	22.06	10.40	11.66	53

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North East	Killingworth- Newcastle City Centre	X63	58	23.35	12.80	10.55	45
North East	South Shields- Newcastle City Centre	X34	106	30.27	11.70	18.57	61
East Midlands	Hykeham-Lincoln	27	35	27.55	8.50	19.05	69
West	Cheltenham-Gloucester	94	88	25.08	14	11.08	44
West Scotland	Ayr - Glasgow	X77	360	103.77	32	71.77	69
West Scotland	Kilmarnock - Glasgow	X76	180	76.88	28	48.88	64
North Scotland	Westhill - Aberdeen	X17	130	34.06	15	19.06	56
North Scotland	Stonehaven - Aberdeen	107	190	42.86	24.30	18.56	43
North Scotland	Nairn - Inverness	10	145	37.15	22	15.15	41
Hampshire	Tadley - Basingstoke	2	80	30.26	18	12.26	41
Hampshire	Cosham - Portsmouth	23	40	26.05	10.50	15.55	60

NOTES

* Based on local unleaded fuel prices, plus lowest cost publicly available parking, with average car fuel consumption of 35 mpg

Based on purchase on bus of weekly Stagecoach megarider ticket, offering seven days' bus travel