

# Operators of regular passenger train services in Benelux 2018

Regular rail service:

- high-speed / semi-high-speed
- long-distance; local rail service often also run on this route
- local

high-speed rail services: at least two services in each direction Monday to Friday

other rail services: at least 1 service every 2 hours in each direction, continuously during and between peak hours (day time) Monday to Friday

Limited service:

- high-speed / semi-high-speed
- long-distance (including some Belgian P trains); often also local
- local

High-speed rail services:

- Eurostar:** Britain – France – Belgium, Britain – Belgium – Netherlands
- Thalys:** France – Belgium – Netherlands, France – Belgium – Germany
- ICZ (by Thalys):** Low cost Paris – Brussels service (partially non-high-speed)
- ICE International:** Netherlands – Germany (– Switzerland), Belgium – Germany
- TGV:** France – Belgium, France – Luxembourg

Semi-high-speed rail services:

- InterCity direct:** Amsterdam – Breda
- International Intercity direct:** Amsterdam – Brussels (classified as *InterCity* in Belgium)
- International Intercity:** The Hague – Brussels

Non high-speed rail services:

- Nederlandse Spoorwegen (NS): *InterCity* (long-distance), *Sprinter* (all-stops)
- R-net, run by NS: *Sprinter* (all-stops)
- Blauwnet

Zwolle – Emmen, Almelo – Hardenberg run by Arriva, others by Keolis Nederland

*InterCity* (long-distance), *Sheltrein* (intermediate), *Stoptrein/Sprinter* (all-stops)

- Arriva: *Sheltrein* (intermediate), *Stoptrein* (all-stops)
- Breng (Connexion): *Stoptrein* (all-stops)
- Vallielijn, run by Connexion: *Stoptrein* (all-stops)
- InterCity* Amsterdam – Berlin, run jointly by NS and Deutsche Bahn
- DB Regio: *RE* (intermediate), *RB* (all-stops)
- Eurobahn / Keolis Deutschland: *RE* (intermediate), *RB* (all-stops)
- Abellio: *RE* (intermediate)
- Nationale Maatschappij der Belgische Spoorwegen / Société nationale des chemins de fer belges (NMBS/SNCB):
  - InterCity* (long-distance), *L* (all-stops), *S* (all-stops),
  - ICT* (seasonal long-distance), *P* (supplementary long-distance or local)
- Société Nationale des Chemins de Fer Luxembourgeois (CFL):
  - InterCity* (long-distance), *RE* (intermediate), *RB* (all-stops)
- Société nationale des chemins de fer français (SNCF):
  - TER* (regional; intermediate or all-stops)

station served only by regular local rail service

station served only by *InterCity* and/or high-speed rail service

station served by both *InterCity*/high-speed and Dutch/Belgian/Luxembourgian local services

station with metro / pre-metro / S-Bahn / U-Bahn / Stadtbahn / light-rail / tram / funicular connections

train reverses out of a station

(furthest possible) terminus; all services of this operator terminate here

Airport / North Sea ferry port with regular passenger service

Schematic network of regular passenger railway services in Benelux on weekdays

Not all stations shown, and trains do not necessarily stop at every station along a route shown here.

See also more-detailed maps of train services in Benelux at [hilario.bambooradical.com/benelux/](http://hilario.bambooradical.com/benelux/)

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