

# Rail transport in Tunisia

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**Rail Transport in Tunisia** is provided by:

- [Tunisian Railways](#) (SNCFT)<sup>[1]</sup>
- [Société des transports de Tunis](#), manages commuter trains of the [Tunis](#) area including [metro](#) [light rail](#) and [TGM](#) in [Tunis](#)
- [Sahel Metro](#), company and electric train line [Sousse-Monastir-Mahdia](#)
- [Léopard rouge](#), a historical tourist train<sup>[2]</sup>

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## Electrification

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- [25 kV AC](#) [Tunis](#) to the suburbs of [Borj Cédria](#) and [Riadh](#)<sup>[3]</sup> (2012)

## Railway links to adjacent countries

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- [Algeria](#) - 1,435 mm (4 ft 8½ in)
- [Libya](#) - railways under construction - [break-of-gauge](#) - 1,000 mm (3 ft 3⅜ in)/1,435 mm (4 ft 8½ in) until gauge conversion (some 1,000 mm (3 ft 3⅜ in) gauge would need to be converted to 1,435 mm (4 ft 8½ in)).

## See also

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- [Economy of Tunisia](#)
- [Transport in Tunisia](#)
- [Railway stations in Tunisia](#)

## References

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## Notes

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- EngRailHistory (<https://archive.today/20131230135525/http://www.engrailhistory.info/r052.html>) The Railways of Morocco, Tunisia, and Algeria

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